

More Stop-Gap Aid May Be Demanded

Marshall Plan By April 1 Is Deadline Set

Leader Thinks Austria May Need Help Soon

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—Congress may face an urgent demand for more stop-gap European aid unless the Marshall Plan gets started by April 1, lawmakers heard today.

A member in close touch with the state department said Austria certainly will need more relief by then, and maybe one or two other countries as well.

The long-range, multi-billion dollar Marshall Plan for European reconstruction is making good progress in an election year Congress, but there is considerable doubt whether it can be cleared to President Truman in another month and a half.

But the \$52,000,000 which the special session of Congress voted for the immediate needs of France, Italy and Austria is expected to be spent by April 1.

The man who talked to the state department said it might be necessary to cut Austrians' rations to 500 calories a day unless new help is sent. It was feared that low amount—far below what Americans eat—might cause food riots and other disturbances.

The long-range program made its first definite legislative progress yesterday.

The Senate Foreign Relations committee voted unanimously to authorize the spending of \$5,300,000,000 over a one-year period beginning April 1. The Administration had asked \$6,800,000,000 for the first 15 months.

Although the committee's figure averaged \$11,666,667 a month lower, some critics of the program still thought it was too high. One of them was Senator Taft (R-Ohio), chairman of the GOP policy committee.

"I think the amount they (the committee) have endorsed is still too large," Taft told a news conference in Denver.

Taft, who is seeking the Republican presidential nomination, is in the West on a campaign trip.

Reviewing The Big Spring -Week-

As far as topics of conversation are concerned, we have had two good ones this past week. Temperatures and market prices—and they both went down. If there's any relationship between the two, the bull-minded followers of the markets doubtless were happy to see a balmy day like Saturday.

At least stop-gap aid, which is welcomed by many parents distressed over the half-day sessions, has been provided a part of the local school system with the opening of the new Airport ward. Some 100 youngsters in the first three grades now are attending classes there, leaving that much more room in crowded West ward.

That our population climbs regularly is reflected in the schools' No. 1 problem, that of providing more classroom space. The matter is getting worse by the day, and now a move is underway for authorization of a special scholastic census, to provide the district with the additional state per capita funds it is entitled to.

The oil scene continues bright. On the heels of the pool opener north of Big Spring comes news of continued flow of the Sterling county wildcat. Black gold seems to be coming forth on all sides of us.

There wasn't much fanfare about it, but the Boy Scouts observed another anniversary—and another year of progress that demonstrates within itself the merit of this movement which makes better men for the nation's future. That part of the Scout program which includes the establishment of a new West Texas camp is deserving of full support.

Speaking of good causes, the March of Dimes technically was concluded during the past week, with money in the bank far short of the sought-after goal. And the goal was not large—just enough to care for some ten patients who might be stricken with polio. The let-down on this appeal and on the Community Fund might mean that we need to do a little soul-searching.

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CURIOSITY TIES TONGUE — Teddy Englund, fourth grade pupil, standing in snow waiting for a school bus in Mullens, W. Va., curiously wondered what would happen if he stuck his tongue out, frost-covered metal light tower. His older brother, Harold Englund, finally came to his rescue with a tea kettle of hot water. (AP Wirephoto).

Major Goods Hit Temporary Price Bottom

Inflation Is Pushed Back Six Months

CHICAGO, Feb. 14. (AP) Some major commodities touched at least a temporary bottom today after an overall 10-day plunge that pushed the inflationary spiral back six months.

However, soybeans and corn for May delivery continued their record breaking slump and New York stocks did little more than hold their ground at levels near the lowest in eight months.

Retail prices, always lagging behind the markets, still were coming down. Soap, flour, bread, meat, butter and lard in the list of shopper items marked down in some grocery stores. Prices were down sharply from a week ago in many New York groceries. Shoppers in most American cities have had at least a few cents chipped off their grocery bills.

All wheat contracts for future delivery halted their downward slide. But trading was the quietest of the week and there was not much disposition for prices to bounce very far back. Prices were going down at the close.

Grains staged a much stronger comeback Monday only to resume their drop until today.

The strongest showing in the comparatively few markets operating on Saturday was made by cotton. At New York, cotton futures closed \$2.15 to \$2.75 a bale higher. The staple went \$1.65 to \$2.50 a bale higher in New Orleans.

The upturn in wholesale commodities and stronger showing of grains today again brought to the fore speculation on what future direction prices would take.

President Truman's top economic team will make a study of the problem for him. One spokesman for the council said it was still too early to tell whether the price tide really is turning, whether a business slump is near or whether inflation still is a danger. Crop prospects will be a major factor in the future picture, he said.

NEAR VALLEY MILLS

Officers Dig Up Bremond Bank Loot

WACO, Feb. 14. (AP)—Officers dug up in the hills near Valley Mills, today \$1,318.15 they said was part of the \$12,350 loot from the First State Bank of Bremond.

The bank was robbed last December 23. Charged with the robbery is Francis M. Hooper, 22, who was returned to Marlin, today and lodged in the Federal section of the Falls County jail. The money was brought here, where Hooper is to be arraigned February 23.

Sheriff Bob Reeves of Franklin, Robertson county, headed a party of officers who found the money near the Bosque county town today. He said it was buried in cloth money bags.

Reeves shot and killed Hooper's brother, John Bernard Hooper, as the robbers fled from the Bremond bank. The sheriff said tonight he was seeking to have Hooper tried in state court at Franklin rather than in Federal court.

Reeves said the officers went to the Valley Mills section after talking with Hooper in San Antonio where he had been taken after he was captured in Los Angeles.

FBI agents arrested Hooper Jan. 20 as he left the home of a wartime buddy, a young policeman with whom he had served on Okinawa. The policeman had notified officers after advising Hooper to give himself up.

Sheriff George Grimes of Bosque county and his deputy, Doyle Spurlin, Texas Rangers Joe Thompson of Waco and John Cope of Dallas, and FBI agents Dick Johnson and Clark Anderson were in the party which found the money.

Officers said \$538.50 was found in Fort Worth in an abandoned car during the chase after the robbers, and that \$5,838.55 had been recovered in California.

DETROIT IS HURT BY GAS SHORTAGE

DETROIT, Feb. 14. (AP)—There weren't any breadlines in Detroit these last three weeks, but the memory of them rose again to frighten 150,000 idle persons.

A shortage of natural gas dealt the city its severest blow since the depression, a \$120,000,000 bill in the economic stomach.

MORE RED CHARGES MOSCOW, Feb. 14. (AP)—The Soviet Union charged tonight Britain and France shared a basic pre-war aim of getting Russia and Germany to come to grips.

G. I. Students Given Raise

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—Two million veterans going to school under the G. I. Bill of rights will get larger living allowances beginning April 1.

President Truman signed a bill today which raises the subsistence allowance of single veterans-students from \$65 a month to \$75, those with one dependent from \$90 to \$105, and those with two or more dependents from \$90 to \$120.

The new rates are estimated to cost the government an additional \$217,000,000 a year. That's an average of \$108.50 per G. I. scholar.

The Senate passed the bill last summer; the House Feb. 3. Experts on the staff of the House Veterans committee said that veteran students who have part-time jobs will be eligible for the new allowances, but their combined earnings and subsistence allowance will be held under a ceiling.

Those ceilings are \$175 a month on combined earnings and allowances for veterans without dependents, and \$200 for those with dependents. The figures are unchanged from the present law.

Rent Control Bill Compromise Talked

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—A compromise 30-day extension of rent controls won important backers in Congress today only 15 days before the present Federal Act dies.

Senator Wherry (R-Nebr.), acting GOP leader, told a reporter: "I have an idea that controls will be extended for at least 30 days and the Senate may act on it before the week end."

MAKE SPECIAL TRIP TO DEL RIO

HCJC Students View Freedom Train

Nine local residents, students at Howard County Junior College, were among the approximately 4,500 persons who inspected one of the most famous collections of documents in the world Friday morning when the Freedom Train was opened in Del Rio.

The train, a six-car special in shining red, white and blue, was officially let to the public at 10 a. m. Friday, but throngs were gathered as early as 8 a. m. despite 25-degree weather. Hotel accommodations were impossible to find, overflowing with visiting school children from dozens of cities.

The interior of the Freedom Train is designed with walls at alternate angles. Deep, well-lighted cases fronted in unbreakable glass and set in plaster-finished walls housed the valuable documents. Each paper, in turn, was set between half-inch glass slabs bolted in silver. The train was under surveillance constantly by a special detachment of Marines and secret service agents.

In adding to the beauty of the colorful windows, the interior of the train was in muted green and carpeted in brown. Patriotic silhouettes sketched on heavy plastic framed a number of the cases. Folk songs, marches and patriotic music were played softly during the showing hours.

In most instances, documents were in the original; others were accurate photostatic copies. Among the earliest writings were papers in beautiful script and exaggerated print. Several were in Spanish or French and a number of the famed articles were penned on large sections of exquisite sheepskin. Notable was the fact that ink used by the writers was clearly legible even after more than a hundred years.

Among documents of principal interest were George Washington's ledger of expenses during the Revolutionary War, original copy of the Star-Spangled Banner written on ship-board, first copy of the Bay Psalm book (first book printed in the American colonies), Washington's own copy of the constitution, deck log of Old Ironsides, the Mayflower Compact, the Magna Carta, Treaty of Paris, Bill of Rights, government bonds dating back to 1779, Jefferson's treatise on Freedom of the Press, letter from Christopher Columbus dated 1492 on describing the Continent, treaty to fix boundaries between Canada and the U. S., Declaration of Independence both draft and finished copy, the Constitution, original declaration of the United

Eight-State Area Plagued By Floods



WHERE TOWN WAS, RIVER IS — The Deskins Addition to the city of Logan in southern West Virginia is flooded by waters from Guyandotte river, normally a stream two or three feet deep. Water poured into narrow Guyan Valley from flooded creeks which forced hundreds of families from homes in narrow mountain hollows. (AP Wirephoto).

Snow-Swollen Rivers Take Five Lives

Thousands Are Driven From Homes

Turbulent flood waters from rain and snow-swollen rivers surged in eight states Saturday, taking at least five lives. This increased to 14 the death toll of a two-day attack by the elements.

Thousands of persons were driven from their homes by the angry flood waters. Sub-freezing temperatures added to their misery.

Four of the flood dead were in West Virginia. The fifth was in Indiana. Mississippi, in addition to facing a flood menace, counted nine dead and 42 injured from a tornado which ripped a section of the little town of Newton Friday.

Other states affected by the floods were Ohio, Tennessee, Kentucky, Pennsylvania, Indiana and Alabama. The situation was worst in the South, particularly in central Tennessee.

Besides wreaking her wrath in floods and tornadoes, an angry nature hurled snow, sleet, rain and sub-zero temperatures at a widespread stretch of the nation from the Rockies to the north Atlantic seaboard. A cold wave moving in from Canada threatened temperatures of 25 below in northern Minnesota, 15 below in northern Wisconsin and well below zero in the Dakotas, Nebraska and Iowa.

Zero temperatures were forecast for Illinois and readings of five to 10 above in the Ohio Valley. The cold wave was expected to reach over the east by Sunday night.

In central Tennessee, the swirling Duck river cut the city of Columbia in half. It was the worst flood in the city's history. Nearly 200 families were evacuated by Red Cross workers and the Columbia National Guard unit. The Army rushed in an emergency water purification unit to meet a crisis caused when the city water plant failed.

Up river from Columbia, the waters were falling at Shelbyville, Tenn. Stocks were washed from store shelves. Hundreds of persons still were held from their homes.

On the Tennessee river, the flood waters were too much for the great dams set up by the Tennessee Valley Authority. The huge reservoirs filled and the water was released to rush over the low country.

At Chattanooga, where the river stood four feet above flood stage, 25 families were evacuated. Arrangements were made to move 40 more.

Tax Strategy Shift Is Seen For Democrats

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—A shift in the Administration's line of defense against the tax cut drive of the Republicans was reported on good authority today.

A high official who cannot be named indicated the new strategy—keyed to signs of a potential change in the business tide—would follow this outline:

1. Champion a broad revision of the tax laws to benefit business as well as individuals. The idea would be to thus strengthen the country against the possibility of an economic storm.

2. Time the revision for later this year when the budget situation becomes more certain. This would be done provided that Congress leaves the government in financial position to afford revision costs after allowing for "substantial" reduction of the national debt.

3. Stress that a quick slash, like that proposed in the Republican \$6,500,000,000 income tax-cut bill, would smash chances for "sound" changes in the tax system in the foreseeable future by eating up the money available.

The Administration was represented as believing that the active, "counter-offensive" nature of this defense would be more effective than its past course.

CAA DISCOVERS BLAZE

HCJC Gymnasium Destroyed By Fire

The Howard County Junior college gymnasium and miscellaneous articles of athletic equipment were destroyed by a fire which swept through the frame structure shortly before midnight Friday night.

The blaze was discovered by personnel of the Civil Aeronautics Administration control tower at the Municipal Airport a short time after a Negro basketball game was finished in the building.

City firemen said they received the alarm from the CAA control tower at 11:50 p. m. and the entire structure was ablaze when fire-fighting equipment arrived.

Cause of the blaze had not been established Saturday.

E. C. Dodd, HCJC president, said a quantity of boxing equipment owned by the Big Spring Athletic Association was stored in the building as well as some articles which belonged to the college. Several game uniforms of the HCJC basketball team had been stored at the home of Coach Harold Davis, however, which enabled the Jayhawks to keep their engagement with the Texas Tech freshmen at the High school gym Saturday night.

Negro basketball teams from Big Spring and Lamesa had played games in the junior college gym earlier in the evening. However, Dodd said a junior college night watchman had checked the building thoroughly at 11:05 p. m. after the building was vacated and no evidence of fire was found.

Firemen said the blaze could have originated from an electrical short, the building's heating system, or any of several other possibilities, but destruction was so complete that it will be difficult to determine a definite cause.

The building was one of several war surplus structures granted the college by a Federal government agency several months ago. Dodd said the Junior college carried a \$30,000 insurance policy on the building.

Eisenhower Makes Last Army Report

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower warned gravely today that if the Mediterranean nations should lose their independence to totalitarianism "war x x x would be close to us."

In his final report as chief of staff (the office which he left a week ago) Eisenhower set forth his views on the gulf between the democracies and Russia. He didn't mention Russia by name but the words he chose left no doubt of his meaning.

Export Cut Rejected

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—Rep. Heselton (R-Mass.) said today the administration has rejected his urgent plea for a further cut in U. S. oil shipments abroad.

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WANTS PEACE ACTION

Earl Warren Will Speak At Laredo

LAREDO, Feb. 14. (AP)—Gov. Earl Warren of California is expected to advocate a program of positive action toward world peace when he addresses an international audience here February 23 in the climax of the 4-day Washington's birthday celebration.

Warren, mentioned frequently as a possible Republican presidential candidate, will be the principal speaker at the Mexico-United States boundary monument, where Mexican delegations to the celebration will be welcomed.

The Californian's subject will be "Solidarity of the Western Hemisphere." He told William Prescott Allen, Laredo publisher, in a telephone conversation that he would urge the extension of American solidarity and friendship into a program for world peace and prosperity.

Warren will come here from Monterrey, Mexico, accompanied by Governors Raul Garate of Tamaulipas and Arturo De La Garza of Nuevo Leon, arriving Feb. 21. Gov. Beauford Jester of Texas also has accepted an invitation to attend the celebration, as has Gov. Ricardo Ainslie of the state of Coahuila, Mexico.

This is the 51st year that this border city has celebrated the birthday of George Washington and the event promises to be one of the largest in Laredo's history.

Next Sunday, festivities will shift south of the border. A gala bullfight, starring three of Mexico's



EARL WARREN ... possible GOP candidate

fast rising young matadors, will be staged in Nuevo Laredo, Mexico. The fight has been suspended since 1945 because of the foot and mouth disease in Mexico. Bulls of Sierra Moreno breeding will be used rather than the well known fighting breed of Murcia bulls, which are prohibited entry into the Nuevo Laredo area.

A street pageant headed by Pochontas and an Indian cavalcade will be a feature of the closing day.

TEXAS POLL

# Stevenson Is Heavy Favorite In Early Senate Race Survey

AUSTIN, Feb. 14.—Forer Governor Coke R. Stevenson, first to announce himself as a candidate, is today the leading choice of Texas voters for the post of junior U. S. Senator. Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, the incumbent, is second, and Congressman Lyndon B. Johnson of Austin is third, according to the latest statewide survey by the Texas Poll. George E. B. Peddy of Houston placed fourth.

At the time this survey was made, only Stevenson, Peddy, and F. B. Clark, former professor at A. & M. College, had publicly announced their candidacy.

To sound out public sentiment at this early stage of the race, interviewers for The Texas Poll asked a cross-section of eligible voters this question:

"If you had to decide today, who would be your choice for U. S. Senator from Texas in this year's election?"

Coke R. Stevenson	40%
W. Lee O'Daniel	14%
Lyndon B. Johnson	10%
George E. B. Peddy	7%
Miscellaneous others	7%
No choice	2%
100%	

Among the "miscellaneous others" in the above tabulation is U. S. Senator Tom Connally, named by 3 per cent of the voters who mistakenly think the senior senator is up for re-election. Twelve others, none of whom received as much as 1 per cent, are included in the miscellaneous group.

Among the avowed and the likely candidates for senator, O'Daniel is the best known to the voters. More persons can tell you who he is than can identify Stevenson. The Texas Poll found this to be true by asking the voters to identify a number of public figures, included among whom were the names of O'Daniel, Peddy, Johnson, and Stevenson. This test was put to each voter before he was asked to give his choice for senator:

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	Correct	Mistaken	Don't Know
O'Daniel	80%	3%	17%
Stevenson	24	5	71
Johnson	30	14	56
Peddy	10	4	86

Identification was counted "correct" if the person interviewed was able to tell what the public figure now does or used to do.

The voters were presented the names on a card. At no time during the interview was the voter advised that any of the men listed were running or would run for U. S. Senator.

## GUARDIAN OF MONUMENT

### Remembering Maine Is Full-Time Job

**AP Newfeature**  
HAVANA—Arturo Feliu has remembered the Maine well for 50 years. In fact, he makes a living of it.

Feliu's particular memory is that of rescuing a marine sergeant from the waters of Havana harbor after the United States battleship had mysteriously exploded on that rainy night of Feb. 15, 1899.

And for the past 14 years he has been self-appointed guardian of the Maine monument on Havana Malecon, or seaside drive.

"He was hanging on this chain," Feliu tells visitors, patting a section of the anchor chain from the Maine which forms part of the monument.

"It was an actor at the time, and a member of the volunteer fire department. I was sitting in the Parque Central, resting, at about 9:45 p. m., when there was that terrible explosion and the whole sky turned red.

"As a fireman, I knew I had to get to the harbor, about a mile away. So I jumped into a carriage and kept urging the driver to hurry.

"The ship was burning, and explosions were continuing. Several Spanish warships in the harbor were leaving, to get away from the explosions. The harbor was full of swimming men.

"I got into a skiff and rowed out to the Maine. Arthur Rau was hanging on the skiff and brought him to shore. We couldn't find anyone else. On shore I got some sugar and put it into a big bleeding gash on his head to stop the flow.

"Next day I rowed out to the ship and found another man hanging onto a buoy. He had been there all night. Much of the ship was still above the water. I went aboard and got the American flag and some documents and brought them in to the American consul."

Twenty-seven years later Feliu again met Rau, who had come to Havana from his home in New York to attend a reunion of the United Spanish War Veterans.

"He recognized me by a wrist watch he had given me when I rescued him," says Feliu.

Feliu is 79 years old now. He wears a blue uniform with the words "Hero of the Maine" stitched into a sleeve. Proudly he shows a letter of commendation from former Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur, and a scrapbook full of other clippings.

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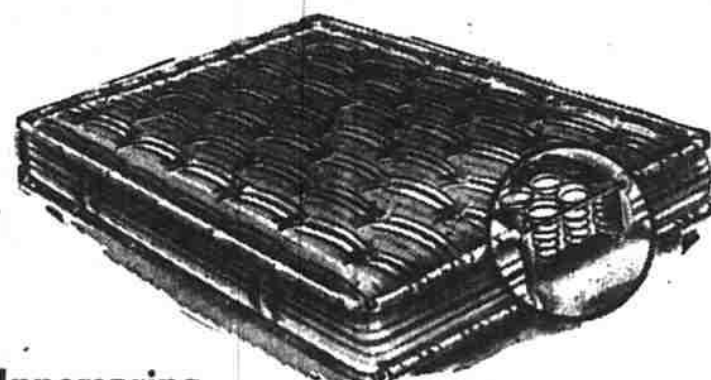
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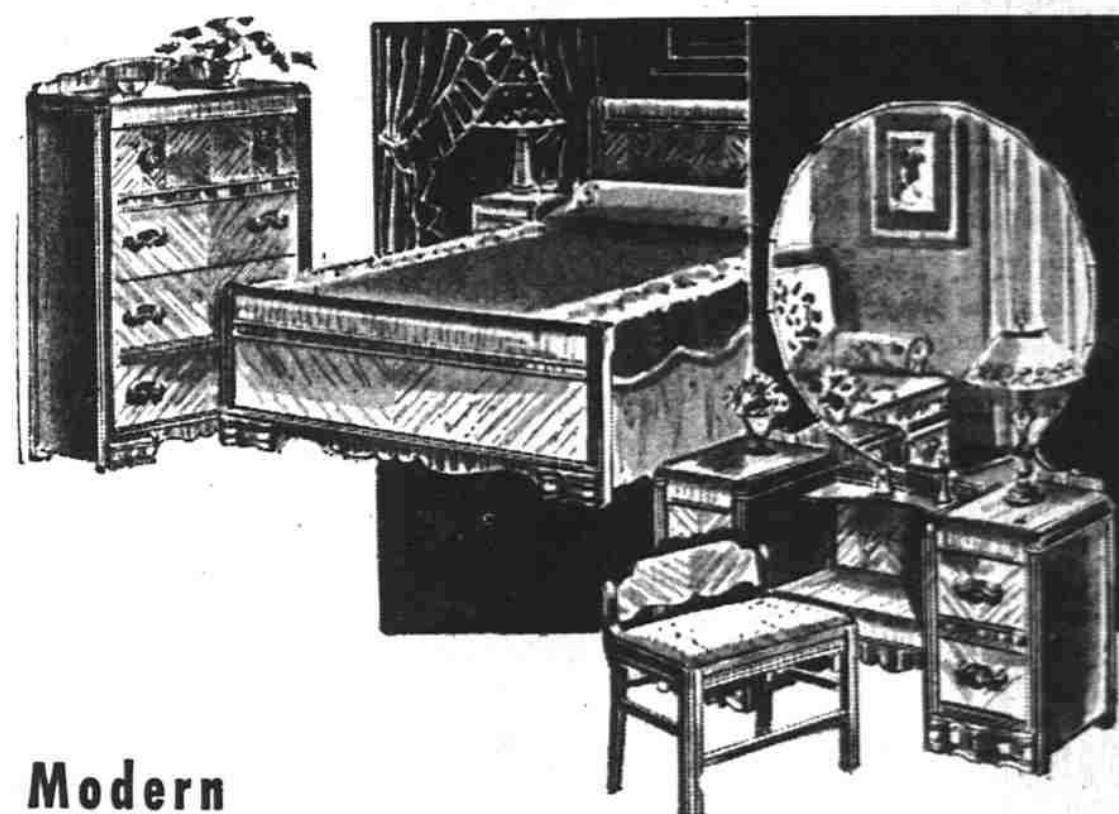
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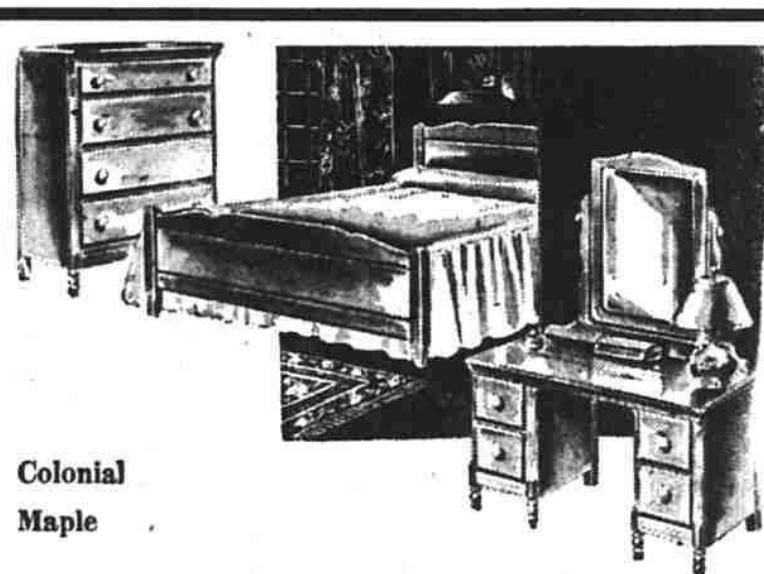
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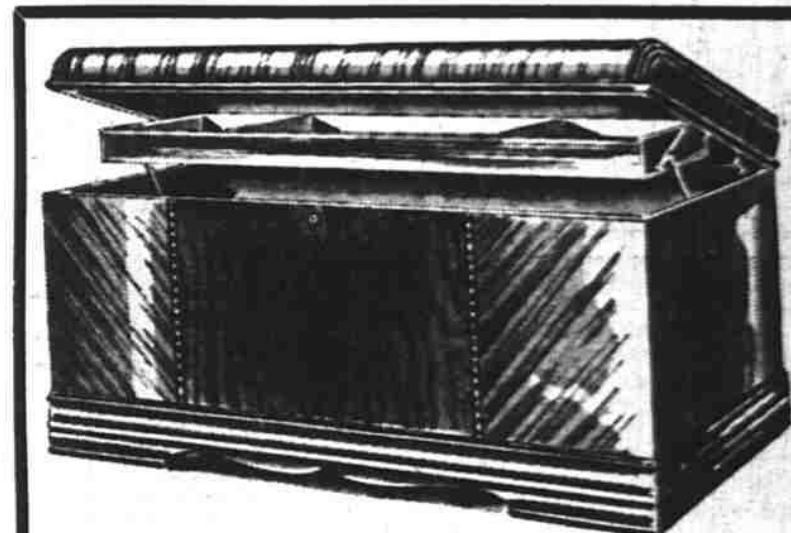
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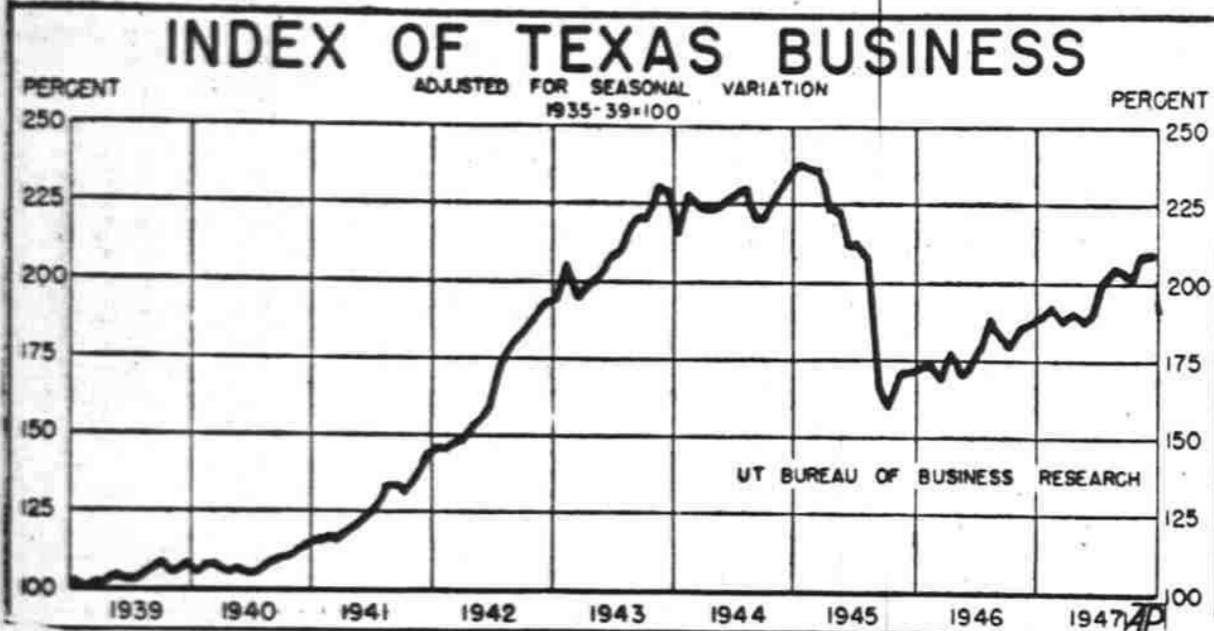
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**INDEX OF TEXAS BUSINESS ACTIVITY** — November's sharp upturn leveled out during the month of December as the index of Texas business rose only one point from November's 208, according to statistics computed by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research and only now released. All components of the general index held steady or recorded gains except department and apparel store sales which were down 23 points. Electric power consumption remained steady. Employment and pay rolls increased slightly. The index of miscellaneous freight carloadings, the only one to record a decrease in November, had the greatest gain, from 153 to 162. Industrial activity picked up as indicated by an 8 point gain in crude oil runs to stills. (AP Photo).

**INCONSISTANT WITH WRITING**

PASSAIC, N. J., Feb. 14. (AP)—Today is Valentine's day, and Victor Winkler wrote a holiday story for his paper. He observed, under his byline in the Passaic Herald-News that Valentine's day is a trap for unwary males. He said that leap year and Friday the thirteenth, just past, made this Valentine's day "more dangerous." The society page of the same paper announced the engagement of Mr. Victor Winkler to Miss Gertrude Okis of Little Falls. Winkler pondered his explanation to Miss Okis.

**GOP Leader Claims Gains For Party**

HOUSTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—R. B. Creager, of Brownsville, Republican national committeeman from Texas, saw advantage to the Republican party today in just about every national development of the past few weeks. He is here to assist in preparations for the executive committee meeting to be held here Monday.

The committee of 62 members, one man and one woman from each state senatorial district, will select the site for the state convention May 25. Corpus Christi will probably be the city selected, Creager said. Waco has already been picked as the Democratic convention city.

**Ukrainians Stone Russian Mission**

VIENNA, Feb. 14. (AP)—American Army authorities said today Ukrainian inmates of a displaced persons camp near Salzburg stoned a Soviet repatriation mission touring in the U. S. zone.

It was the second such incident reported this week. An Army spokesman said no one was hit, since the Russians stayed in their car until an American escort officer was summoned to disperse the crowd.

**Dies From Injuries**

CHICKASHA, Okla., Feb. 14. (AP)—William P. Neff, 66, of Floydada died here yesterday of injuries suffered last Wednesday in a traffic collision near here. He suffered a broken neck.



**MONKEY DINES ON GRAPE** — Chito, 3 1/2-ounce monkey perches on banana and bites into grape. Owned by Charles Sheldon of Chicago, tiny animal eats a teaspoonful of oatmeal for breakfast, thimbleful of hash for supper.

**Cancer Bulletin To Be Published**

HOUSTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—The first issue of the Texas Cancer Bulletin for the family physician, the man who most often sees cancer in its early stages, will be published this month. The bulletin will be issued regularly six times with two additional special issues for dentists and nurses. The publication is a project of the Texas Cancer Coordinating council.

**Connally Says Navy To Keep Corpus Base**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—Senator Connally (D-Tex.) said today the Navy intends to maintain the Corpus Christi naval air station as a permanent installation. He made this comment in a statement after conferring with Secretary of the Navy Sullivan and Reps. Lyle and Thomas, Texas Democrats.

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**SALE SET FRIDAY**

**Martin 4-H Club Livestock Show Plans Are Completed**

STANTON, Feb. 14. — Plans have been completed for the annual Martin County 4-H club Livestock Show and sale scheduled for Friday, County Agent James D. Eiland announced Saturday.

Members of 4-H clubs in the county will exhibit beef steers, fat barrows, lambs and capons at the event, which is sponsored by local business men and the Stanton Lions club.

Judging events will begin at 9 a. m. on the announced date with capons listed first. Lamb judging will begin at 9:45 a. m., barrow judging at 10:30 a. m. and steer judging at 1:30 p. m.

Lambs, barrows and capons will be sold at auction beginning at 2 p. m.

Prize list for the show follows: Dry-lot calves—first place, \$20; second place, \$18; third place, \$16; Milk-fed calves — First place, \$20;

second place, \$18; third place, \$16; fourth place, \$14; fifth place, \$12; all other entries, \$5 each.

Barrows — first place, \$15; second place, \$12.50; third place, \$10; fourth place, \$8; fifth place, \$7; sixth place, \$6; all other entries, \$2.50.

Lambs — first place, \$15; second place, \$13; third place, \$11; fourth place, \$9; fifth place, \$7; all other entries \$2.50 each.

Capons — first place, \$6; second place, \$5; third place, \$4; fourth place, \$3; fifth place, \$2; all other entries, \$1 each.

W. I. Marshall will judge calves and lambs, while John M. Baumgardner will place barrows and capons. Mac McConnell will be auctioneer at the sale.

Officers for the show include Horace Blocker, general superintendent; R. S. Higgins, superintendent of calf department; J. C. Mott, superintendent of swine department; H. O. Phillips, superin-

tendent of sheep department; Dale Kelly, superintendent of poultry department.

The agricultural committee of the Stanton Lions club is composed of J. C. Mott, Bill Clements, Horace Blocker, Kyle Shoemaker and Gordon Stone.

Adult 4-H club sponsors are R. S. Higgins, Hoyt Britton, M. L. Koonce, Cliff Hazelwood, J. H. Burrow, Claude Davie.

Special committees which have assisted in show arrangements include the fund raising committee composed of Guy Eiland, Bill Ethridge, Horace Blocker, Bill Clements; preparations committee composed of Cecil Bridges, Cliff Hazelwood, Hoyt Britton, M. L. Koonce, R. S. Higgins, J. H. Burrow, Claude Davie, Bill Clements, Jack Jones.

On the sales committee are Euel Ferguson and Sammy Houston while J. H. Rosamond and Martin Gibson will serve as weighers.

**Irish Labor Party Backs Coalition**

DUBLIN, Feb. 14. (AP)—The Irish Labor party promised today to participate in a coalition government if Premier Eamon De Valera is deposed next week after 16 years in power.

De Valera's Fianna Fail (government party) lost its Dail (parliament) majority in the recent elections. But the New York-born Irish leader hopes to be re-elected prime minister with the support of half a dozen independent votes, without a formal coalition. The Dail votes Wednesday.

**ITU President Is Given Court Order**

NEW YORK, Feb. 14. (AP)—President Woodruff Randolph of the AFL International Typographical union has been ordered by the Federal court to appear Feb. 27 to answer a National Labor Relations board complaint.

The board charges that ITU and its president ignored subpoenas for a board hearing. The NLRB had subpoenaed Randolph and certain ITU records in connection with an unfair labor practice complaint against five ITU locals.

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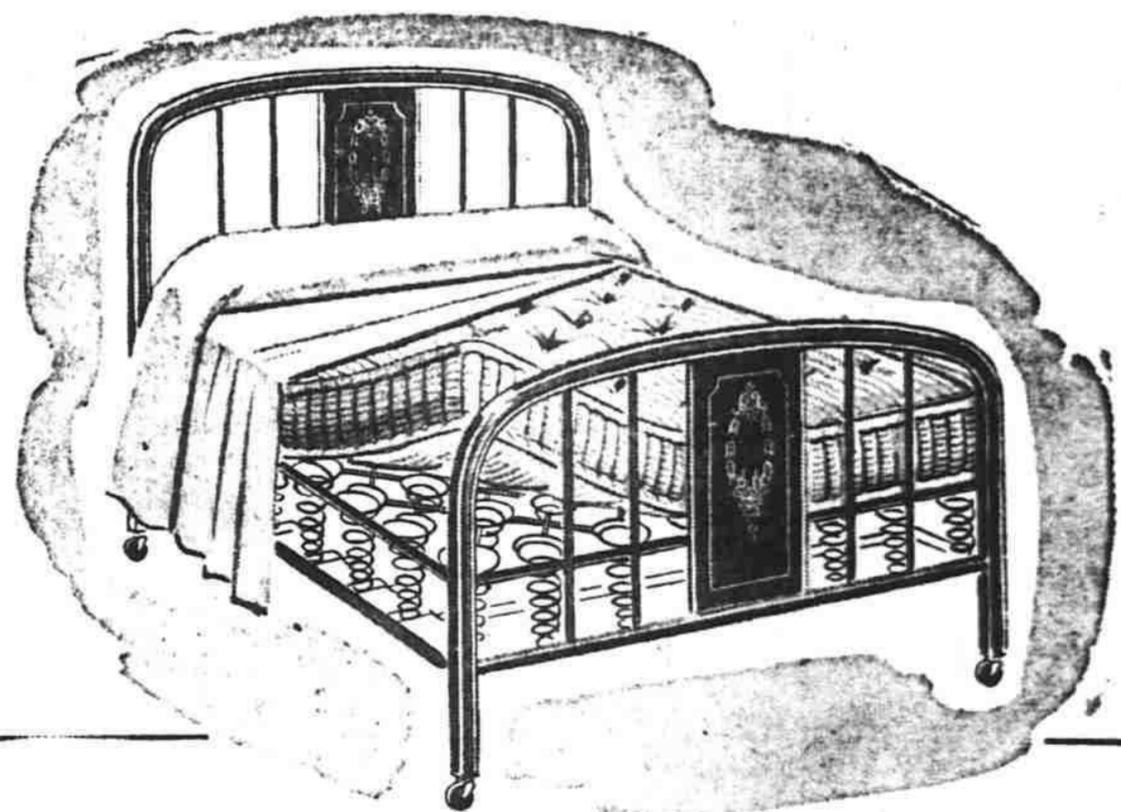
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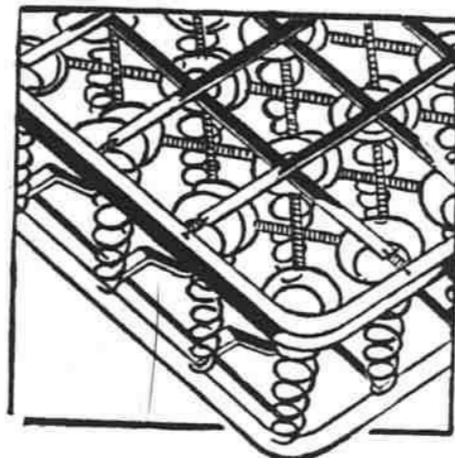


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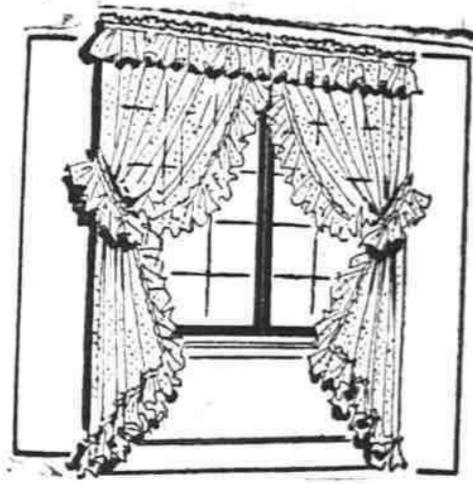
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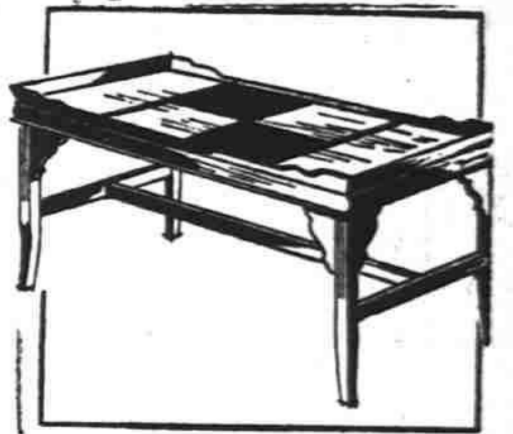
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# Cullen Sends Washington Hot Protest Against Oil Industry Regulation Bill

HOUSTON, Feb. 14. — With the assertion that "it is just hell when one has to continue to fight for freedom in this country," H. R. Cullen, multimillion-dollar donor to charity and independent oil producer has wired an emphatic protest to Texas senators and others in Washington condemning a bill seeking to regulate the oil industry.

The measure, sponsored by Rep. Heselton, (R. Mass.), is scheduled for introduction in the House Monday. It would, its author asserted, put the oil industry under a Federal board similar to the Interstate Commerce commission.

The outspoken independent made his telegram public today. In his view the purported oil shortage in this country is traceable to shipments of pipe and steel, in part, to Russia; the asserted failure of the coal industry to increase production and the alleged adoption of "Harold Laski's theory of state socialism."

Cullen's telegram stated: "The morning press states John W. Heselton Republican

congressman from Massachusetts drafting bill to put oil under Federal Control. It is just hell when one has to continue to fight for freedom in this country. I sent you Harry Weiss' letter sometime ago that showed that the oil production of this country has increased fourfold since nineteen twenty while coal production has not increased any. Why do not the bureaucrats in Washington jump on the coal business for a while and leave the oil men in peace? Bureaucracy working at its best held the price of oil down and put the price of coal up with the consequence they are using fuel oil in the factories almost directly in the coal mines. It is an unhealthy condition and should be stopped by allowing the price of oil to rise high enough to force those industries in the coal states to use coal. Instead of putting the big headlines on a shortage of supplies they should stress an unprecedented demand aggravated by a unusually cold winter, plus a shortage of tankers, tank cars and pipe lines due to war created shortages. What are the facts? We are exporting around 163,000,000 barrels of petroleum a year. Senator Moore of Oklahoma called attention to the Senate committee on May 27th of last year to the fact that in twenty months exports not of petroleum but of approximately fifty thousand tons of piping, casings and other tubular goods used by the petroleum industry had been shipped to the Russian government under export licenses issued by our state department. This, said Senator Moore, meant that the American oil industry had been denied material for drilling about 1500 wells, which should have produced for our own use over 135,000,000 barrels of new reserves. If this equipment had stayed here and not gone to Russia, there is little reason to believe

that any fuel oil tanks would be empty in America today. It is time that some patriotic statesmen in Congress should state facts and save us from that condition recently presented by undersecretary Archibald L. M. Wiggins to the leading bankers and business men of this country, who said: Quote

and, surprisingly to me, about two-thirds of the things that happened in this country in the last twenty five or thirty years fitted right into Harold Laski's theory of state socialism. So, it is not a matter of opinion; it is just a matter of putting the facts down side by side, and there it is. End of Quote."

## C-C Banquet Tickets Are Going Fast

With eight of 23 tables already filled, tickets for the annual Big Spring chamber of commerce banquet were moving rapidly by Saturday afternoon, chamber officials reported.

Sales up to Saturday noon, which totalled 115 tickets, represented almost one third of the seating capacity. Tables will be arranged to accommodate 367 persons.

The banquet, which is scheduled for the night of Feb. 27, will feature James E. Gheen, well-known speaker from New York. The engagement here will be a repeat performance for Gheen, who spoke at a similar gathering two years ago.

Chamber officials called special attention again Saturday to the reservation system adopted for the banquet. All tables will be numbered and a selection of seating space must be made when tickets are purchased. Persons who desire seating space at any particular table or location in the dining room were advised to make reservations early.

The Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor was dedicated in 1886.

## Texas Auto License Plates Now Valid

AUSTIN, Feb. 14. — Texas license plates are now valid for travel in any other state.

E. J. Amey, director of the Texas highway department's motor vehicle division, said today reciprocal agreements for motor vehicle registration have been made with all other states and the District of Columbia.

To avoid strain and energy in carrying clothes to the wash line, roll the clothes basket out on a cart or pull it out on a sled over snowy ground.

# Regan Urges Salvage Of Junked U. S. Guns, Tanks From Europe

WASHINGTON, Feb. 13. — The return of junked guns, tanks and the like from Europe to relieve the scrap iron shortage has been urged by Reps. Ken Regan of Midland and Lindley Beckworth of Gladewater.

Both represent large oil producing areas, Regan the territory from Midland and Odessa out to El Paso, and Beckworth the East Texas field.

How the oil industry is affected by the scrap iron shortage was described to the house by Regan.

"This shortage of steel continues to hamper, prevent, and delay the drilling of wells that would, in all probability, relieve if not entirely prevent the shortage in oil and its products if an adequate supply of well casings could be made available," he said.

"Yet, Mr. Speaker, we are told that there are tremendous quantities of scrap steel in Europe and Africa.

"Mr. Speaker, we are shipping boatload after boatload of various supplies and commodities to Europe; the boats are returning empty.

"Is it not high time, Mr. Speaker, that these United States start practicing some economies at

home and do something that will be a direct benefit to all our people?"

Beckworth has for months corresponded with American Military Government officials in Germany on the matter. Recently he received word from them that plans were being drawn for an organized program to salvage war scrap for shipment to the U. S. and England.

General Lucius D. Clay, U. S. military governor in Germany, wrote that while negotiations for returning scrap are pending, "It is doubtful that any scrap will be sent in through Texas ports."

Beckworth wrote back for more information and again urged more attention be given to the matter of getting some of the scrap in through gulf ports for use in Texas.

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## Farm Bureau Heads Speak At S'water

SWEETWATER, Feb. 14.—State and regional officials of the Farm Bureau Federation were principal speakers at a meeting attended by farmers in this area Saturday at the Bluebonnet hotel.

C. H. DeVaney, district director of Coahoma, presided at the session.

Featured speakers included J. Walter Hammond, State Bureau president; R. G. Arnold, Auburn, Ala., director for the Southern region of Farm Bureau; and D. C. Mieber, Jackson, Miss., executive vice-president of the Southern Farm Bureau Life Insurance Co.

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**SOLVE OWN HOUSING PROBLEM** — Four Hutchinson, Kas., war veterans, unable to find suitable housing, got together and solved the problem — the hard way. The veterans — Larry Osmond, J. S. Moore, Al Hyson and Don Parsons — purchased buildings at a war housing project near Wichita, Kas., 65 miles away, and trucked them to their new site. The frame units, look-outs perched atop their roofs, are shown as they moved down Main Street of Hutchinson through the heart of the business district. (AP Wirephoto).

### NEWS ITEMS FROM FORSAN

#### Shower Honors Mrs. H. E. Johnson; Valentine Parties On Calendar

FORSAN, Feb. 14. (Sp)—Mrs. H. E. Johnson was honored with a pink and blue tea shower, given by Mrs. L. W. Moore in the home of Mrs. H. N. Yeaden Thursday.

Pink and blue colors were used in the decorations and the flowers were pink and blue daisies and corn flowers.

The blue linen laid table was centered with a stork surrounded by pink and blue daisies in a bowl. Mrs. Horace Holcomb presided at the tea service and Mrs. W. E.

Heideman cut the cake.

Evelyn Monroney registered the guests in a guest book hand-made by Mrs. Jewell White.

Favors were pink and blue baby carriages.

Guests attending were Mrs. S. C. Cowley, Mrs. G. L. Monroney, Mrs. E. N. Baker, Mrs. Sammy Porter, Mrs. J. E. Chancellor, Mrs. C. H. McClusky, Mrs. C. V. Wash, Mrs. G. B. Hale, Mrs. J. E. Thompson, Mrs. R. L. Williams, Mrs. C. C. Suttles, Mrs. S. J. Newsom, Mrs. Ben Greenfield, Mrs. Glenn Whittenberg and members of the house party, Mrs. L. W. Moore, Mrs. H. N. Yeaden, Mrs. Horace Holcomb, Mrs. W. E. Heideman, Mrs. Jewel White and Evelyn Monroney.

**BRIDGE PARTY**

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holcomb were hosts to a Valentine bridge party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson Saturday night.

The Valentine motif was used throughout the party rooms.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Felton Martin, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Heideman, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Yeaden.

**VALENTINE AFFAIR**

Laura Whittenberg was in charge of the Valentine party of the Couple's class of the Forsan Baptist church held in the Home Economics department.

Refreshments were served to Betty Rose, Wayne Monroney, Bobby Cowley, Evelyn Monroney, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Whittenberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McClusky, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Porter and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thieme.

Mr. and Mrs. John Cardwell have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Travis Breithaup and Beverly of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Yeaden and Bonnie were business visitors in San Angelo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peek visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Peek in Ira recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Holcomb were recent guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holcomb, in Stanton.

Mrs. S. C. Cowley is reported recovering from surgery, performed in a Big Spring hospital Monday.

Mrs. M. M. Hines and Jenny Dee Scudday recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Mutt Scudday in Brownfield.

Mrs. Pearl Scudday, accompanied by her brother, W. P. Cunningham of Uvalde, visited their sister, Mrs. R. M. Kendrick in Brownfield recently.

#### Thixton Is Mercury Motor Distributor

Cecil Thixton, owner of Thixton's Cycle Shop, was notified Saturday that he had been appointed distributor in this area for the new Mercury outboard motors.

Thixton said he was placing a 10-horsepower model on display immediately and hoped to have other models available for showing soon. The model on exhibit, which weighs only 58 pounds, features water proofed magnets, full jeweled power and other new Mercury developments.

#### Central Texas Man Dies Of Bullet Wound

MARLIN, Feb. 14. (Sp)—Joe LaBarbera, 58, died last night of a bullet wound suffered in his store at Highbank, a small community 14 miles south of Marlin. Officers are investigating the death.

LaBarbera was found by his nephew, Joe Falsone, about 7 p. m. yesterday, slumped behind a counter.

LaBarbera also was a land owner, ginner, cotton broker, and railroad agent at Highbank.

When children tire of milk as a drink, it should be given to them in cream soups, in rice puddings, in custards or rennet-pudding desserts and in other dishes.

## Texas Stream Flow Far Below Normal

AUSTIN, Feb. 14. (Sp)—Stream flow is far below normal in Texas. Deficiencies ranged around 50 and 60 percent in the entire southern two-thirds of the state, the United States geological survey reported for January.

Most of Texas came into a belt of stream flow deficiency that extends from the Pacific Coast through Arizona, New Mexico, western and southern Texas and northeastward into Canada.

## Night Watchman Thwarts Bomb Plot

ROME, Feb. 14. (Sp)—An effort to bomb Rome headquarters of the communist-led Italian Partisan association last night was thwarted by a night watchman.

The watchman said shortly after a bicyclist passed him in front of the building, a smoking package rolled near him. He tossed it into the street. There it exploded.

## BOY SCOUT RANCH

# Big Gifts Drive Gains Momentum

Spurred by an informal big gifts report of over \$14,000 by Dr. P. W. Malone of Big Spring, committee members in Midland and Odessa began to enroll their heavy money offensive Saturday as the Buffalo Trail Council Scout Ranch campaign developed into a three-city contest.

One of the three cities is expected to take the lead for the 15 counties in the \$200,000 fund drive. Meanwhile early reports on special, or smaller, gifts showed \$2,098 from Monahans, \$1,519 from Pecos, \$1,457.01 from Kermit and \$1,163 actually turned in, although more was reported, from Odessa. The \$6,237.01 total represents less than 10 percent of the cards issued.

First special gift report in Big Spring is scheduled for Monday noon in the Settles hotel. Team members who accepted supplies at the kick-off dinner Thursday night will post returns for the first three days of solicitation work at the session.

Big gifts committees throughout the council were completed by the end of the week, Judge Paul Moss, big gifts chairman, reported Saturday. Judge Moss said that some contributors may wish to perpetuate the memory of departed loved ones by assuming the cost of some of the ranch facilities. Subject to approval of the council's executive board, individual memorial facilities will be marked with appropriate plaques naming the persons to be honored and the donors, he advised. Memorial gifts range as high as \$35,000 and as low as \$100.

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## Ten New C-C Directors Are To Be Named

Ten new chamber of commerce directors will be named Monday when ballots of the annual election which has been in progress for the past week are tabulated.

Actual voting is to close today, although ballots received at the chamber office by mail on Monday morning will be tabulated. At closing time Saturday 228 votes had been cast.

Results of the election will be canvassed Monday noon at the regular director's meeting in the Settes.

The 10 new directors then will meet with 10 held over from the 1947 board, and they will have authority to name up to 10 others to the board. After the 1948 directorate is completed, officers for the year will be selected. The new officers will be installed at the chamber's annual banquet on the night of Feb. 27.

## Salvation Army Slates Classes In Wood Crafts

Classes in wood crafts will begin Monday evening at the Salvation Army Youth Center wood working shop, Capt. Olvy Sheppard has announced.

Equipment including three big saws, one hand saw, an eight-inch table saw and four motors have been received from an unidentified contributor, Capt. Sheppard said. Classes will be conducted from 7 p. m. to 8:30 p. m. Monday through Friday.

The schedule has designated Monday and Thursday nights for 11 to 14-year old boys, Tuesday and Friday for 15-18 year old boys and Wednesday for 7-10 year old boys.

Mrs. Ramona Amos, Frank Amos and Sam Steen are in charge of the shop. Handy work classes for girls are expected to get underway at an early date.



11 PERSONS BELIEVED DEAD IN FIRE — Eleven persons were believed to have perished in a flash fire that wrecked this two-story frame dwelling in Utica, N. Y. Five bodies, including those of three children, had been recovered six hours after the blaze. (AP Wirephoto).

## FORTY-THREE HEAD

# Registered Herefords Are Slated For Auction Here

Forty-three head of registered Herefords consigned by members of the Howard County Hereford Breeders Association are scheduled to enter the auction ring at the organization's fourth annual sale Friday afternoon.

The auction will be held in a warehouse building purchased recently by the breeders association at the former Big Spring Army Air Field.

Prior to the sale a registered breeding Hereford show will be held in the same building. The show is scheduled to open at 9

a. m., with the sale to follow at 1 p. m. John C. Burns, Fort Worth, who judged beef steers at the 11th annual Howard County 4-H club and FFA Livestock show in January, will place the animals for ribbon awards.

Thirteen members of the breeders association have listed consignments for the 1948 auction in the sale catalog, which was distributed last week.

Included in the offerings are 25 bulls and 17 cows. Consignors include S. F. Buchanan, I. B. Cauble, Rexie Cauble, H. D. Cowden, E. W. Lomax, R. Ed Martin, O. H. McAlister, John J. Phillips, Tom Roden, C. A. Walker, Leland Wallace, Wilson Bros., Charlie C. Wolf.

In three previous sales staged by the organization buyers have come from throughout West Texas and from several out-of-state ranches, and the annual event this year is expected to attract another sizable group of Southwestern Hereford men.

Col. Walter Britten, who served in the same capacity last year, will be auctioneer.

Officers of the Hereford Breeders Association are E. W. Lomax, president; Tom Roden, vice-president; Leland Wallace, secretary-treasurer.

## Tommy Hutto Makes Bid For Commissioner



A newcomer to the local political arena is Thomas L. (Tommy) Hutto, who is announcing his candidacy for county commissioner for precinct 2, a precinct in which he has resided practically all his life. In making public announcement, Hutto said: "I have never held public office, and have never asked for one before. But I intend to remain in Howard county, to try to be a success in business here, and I want also to serve my government the best way I can. If elected, I intend to seek and abide by the counsel of the people, and pledge myself that my every action as a commissioner would be in the public interest. In short, I'm ready to 'make a hand' for the people of Howard county."

Resident now of Big Spring (111 Lexington), Hutto was born 35 years ago on a ranch near Coahoma. He attended grade school at Midway, later moved to Big Spring and finished high school here in 1935. He attended Texas A&M college, obtained a degree there in animal husbandry.

In his school days, Hutto was a prominent athlete, starring as basketball, football and baseball player. Hutto has worked on a ranch near Coahoma, was associated with the Cosden Petroleum corporation for about a year, worked in the oil field near Forsan for a year, then was at Texon for about four years. Since his discharge from the army, he has been associated with his brother-in-law, Obie Britton, in oil leasing activities.

Hutto is a veteran of World War II, having volunteered in Big Spring as a private in June of 1942. He later was sent to officer candidate school, emerged with a commission, and advanced in rank until he was discharged in November, 1946 as a major. He was three years in the Mediterranean theater, seeing action in Africa and Italy, and later spent 11 months in Panama.

Hutto is married and the father of a daughter.

## WEEK'S BUSINESS

### Residential Construction Shows Gain

New residential work produced a slight gain for city building figures during the last week, although most permits again were required for repair work. Estimated cost total for the week amounted to \$28,875, with two new dwellings representing \$15,000. The week's activity advanced the 1948 total to \$135,809.

Warranty deeds filed in the county clerk's office indicated continued real estate activity in the city and county. Instruments recorded during the week involved transactions amounting to \$26,800. The current total for the year is \$374,969.

New automobile deliveries were slightly off the previous week's pace. However, registrations were still considerably ahead of last year's average. During the week the county tax assessor-collector's office issued licenses for 27 passenger cars, four trucks, two motor-cycles and one motorscooter.

Among new developments during the week was considerable grading in the Cedar Crest and Park Hill areas. Fox Stripling has made plans for new residential development in that section between West Ward school and Park Hill.

### Norman Rockwell To Paint Presidents

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 14. (AP)—The imperial council of the Shrine for North America said today artist Norman Rockwell had been commissioned to paint three life size portraits of three U. S. presidents who have been active shriners.

They are Warren G. Harding, Franklin D. Roosevelt and Harry S. Truman.

### Child Greeted World In Filling Station

VAN ALSTYNE, Feb. 14. (AP)—Trapped by mud and ice, Mrs. John Chitty gave birth to an 8-lb. girl in a Van Alstyne filling station yesterday.

The father, attempting to drive to a McKinney hospital, became stuck. A tractor pulled the car two miles to the filling station.

## Men, Regain Youthful Vigor

Here is a Vital Message to Men of 40, 60 or Older Men Who Feel That The Years Have Let Them Down

If you apparently have lost its zest, you again may be able to enjoy life as you did in your youth. If added years have blotted down your vim, vitality and youthful pleasures, here is a simple method that may change your whole outlook on life. Don't feel old and worn out at 40, 60 or more. Why not try to regain the pleasures of living you once enjoyed; why be discouraged? Regain the verve and zest of a much younger man. Just ask your doctor for Caltron stimulating tablets. Take as directed on label. There is nothing harmful in Caltron tablets. Take as long as you feel you need them. Added years may no longer deprive you of desired enjoyment. Why be the victim of the "older" years?

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Goethe finished Faust at 82; Connie Mack is still managing the Athletics at 85; Titian painted masterpieces between 94 and 99; Clara Barton was an active president of the Red Cross at 85; Verdi was composing. Victor Hugo was writing. Corot was painting long after 80.  
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## Medicine Course May Attract 200 Doctors, Others

GALVESTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—The third postgraduate course in physical medicine is expected to attract more than 200 physicians and hospital administrators at Galveston March 1-5.

A group of national and internationally famed physiatrists will come to the University of Texas medical branch as lecturers and demonstrators. The experts on physical medicine—which has proved its importance in the rehabilitation of the sick and disabled—include several internationally known specialists:

Frank Krusen, professor of physical medicine, Mayo foundation, and director of the Baruch committee on physical medicine; Richard Kovacs, professor of physical medicine, New York Polyclinic Medical school, and secretary of the American Congress of Physical Medicine; Stafford Osborne, associate professor of physical medicine, Northwestern University.

Also Robert Bennett, director of physical medicine, Warm Springs foundation, and vice-president of the American Congress of Physical Medicine; H. Worley Kendall, professor of physical medicine, University of Illinois, and president of the American Congress of Physical Medicine; A. Ray Dawson, assistant medical director, Veterans Administration; and James B. Menell, St. Thomas' hospital, London.

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# HOWARD COUNTY HEREFORD BREEDERS

## Fourth Annual Sale

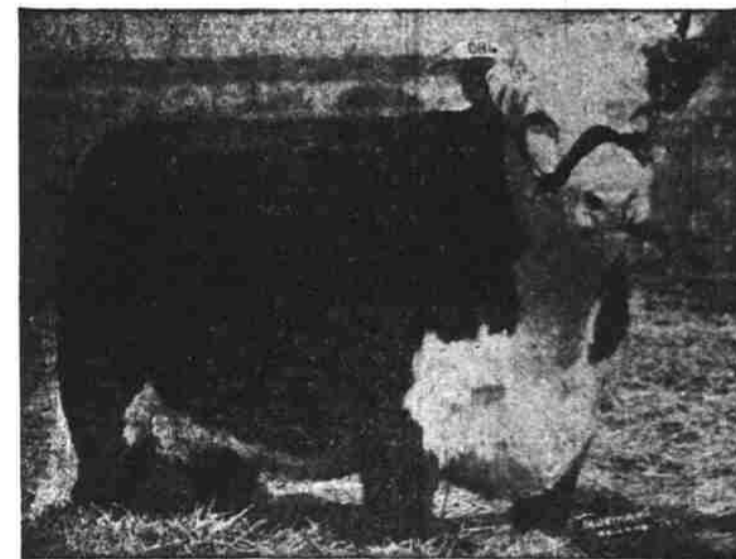
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FOR CATALOG, WRITE

LELAND WALLACE, Secretary—Route 1, Big Spring, Texas

WALTER BRITTEN, Auctioneer

# Mitchell Wildcat Permit Is Sought

Sun Oil company has filed an application with the railroad commission of Texas, requesting a permit to drill its No. 1 Ellwood Estate, as an 8,000-foot wildcat in south Mitchell county, 19 miles south of Colorado City.

It will be 680 feet from east and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 26, block 15, SPRR survey. Drilling with rotary tools will start by February 19. The projected destination of 8,000 feet is expected to take the venture into the Ellenburger.

After flowing steadily and consistently for 44 hours, Anderson-Prichard Oil corporation and the Viceroy Petroleum Co., Inc., No. 1 Foster, southeast Sterling county wildcat recovery, was still flowing. It was to continue to test for 48 hours and then start making new hole.

During the 44 hours the well made a total of 1,268.9 barrels of 28.5 gravity oil, through a three-quarter inch tubing choke. That was an average of 28.53 barrels per hour for the entire period it had been flowing on the current test. At that rate the well would make 681.92 barrels per day. The oil is coming from pay in the Wichita-Albany zone of the lower Permian at 4,252-4,343 feet. It is natural. Gas-oil ratio is around 120-1.

In the first 24 hours of the test the well made a total of 815.4 barrels of oil. That was an average of 34 barrels per hour. In the last 20 hours of the test, which had been reported up to now, the flow totalled 453.5 barrels of oil, or an average of 22.67 barrels per hour. No water has been developed. There is a cut of about one-tenth of one per cent sediment.

The new field opener is about seven miles south of Sterling City, and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 12, block 15, H&TC survey. It was originally started to go to approximately 8,500 feet to test the Ellenburger and it is slated to continue to that objective. If it should not find any better shows of production in any of the lower formations it will plug back and complete from the section which has already proven for commercial yields of oil and gas.

Cities Service Oil company No. 1 Collins, north-central Sterling county deep prospector, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 71, block 17, SPR survey, had reached 8,018 feet in lime and was fishing for lost tools.

It picked a tentative top of the Strawn lime of the Pennsylvanian at 7,978 feet, on an elevation of 2,385 feet.



**POLIO FIGHTERS** — Presenting three of the many Big Springers who had a hand in the 1948 March of Dimes campaign, to raise money for the continuing war on infantile paralysis. In this picture, Cpl. James C. Tyra of the local Army recruiting office is shown as he aided in gathering up money deposited in the special March of Dime coin boxes. Center is Leonard Coker, whose box at the Douglass Coffee shop was first in coin returns, and at right is Leonard Robinson whose Home Cafe box was second high. Cpl. Tyra and others on the Army recruiting staff performed yeoman service throughout the March of Dimes campaign, in way of publicity, manpower, etc. Coin containers over the city yielded \$386.13, to bring the total local contribution to around \$2,400, well under the goal of \$4,000. (Jack M. Haynes Photo.)

## WEEKLY OIL

# South Texas Gets Synthetic Plants

HOUSTON, Feb. 14. — Synthetic gasoline is looking to South Texas for part of its future progress.

The Texas Company last week announced the Carthage Hydrocol, Inc., plant (with the Texas company owning 38 per cent of the stock) is to open next year at Brownsville.

Carthage hydrocol will produce 7000 barrels of synthetic gasoline daily through its complicated and expensive process of turning natural gas into synthesis gas.

L. C. Kemp, director of Texaco research, in announcing the Brownsville plant figures during a New York interview, said that within 10 years the United States should have 50 such plants producing 350,000 barrels a day.

Carthage hydrocol will use 280,000,000 cubic feet of air and 90,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas daily.

Kemp pointed out that economists estimate the hydrocol process will make 163,000,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas available for synthetic gasoline. This is the equivalent of 16,300,000,000 barrels of crude oil and would supply the United States with its gasoline requirements for nine years at the rate of 1946's demands.

While still expensive, the hydrocol process, Kemp reports, reduces investment costs to one-third of the process used by Germany in making synthetic gasoline and reduces operating costs to one fourth.

Texas last week had pulled away in Washington.

This time no punches were pulled while testifying in favor of the Ritzley-Moore bill which would limit the Federal Power commission's jurisdiction to interstate transportation of natural gas and leave production and final use of gas to local regulation.

The bill, passed by the House during the last regular session of Congress, is being considered by a senate sub-committee.

Testified Rex G. Baker, general counsel for Humble Oil: "The commission's regulation of natural gas producers would be a dead hand placed upon the industry and in time would sound its death knell."

Said Paul Kayser, president of the El Paso Natural Gas company: "The present F. P. C. rules which allow the pipe line company producing gas a 6 to 6 1-2 per cent return of actual cost of production properties, less depreciation and depletion, in effect strips gas of its value as a commodity and gives it to the public. This is going further in public utility regulation than any other precedent known in the United States."

Kayser, whose company is constructing facilities to market more than 450,000,000 cubic feet of natural gas daily as far west as California, said more than 300,000,000 cubic feet will be residue gas produced along with oil and formerly wasted by flaring.

Wildcatting — Humble Oil has staked a 12,000 foot Ellenburger wildcat a half mile south of its No. 1 J. M. Parrott well in the upland pool of southeastern Upton county and three miles northeast of Slick-Urschel Oil No. 1 D. L. Alford Plymouth in the recently opened Benedum pool. . . Slick-Urschel-Plymouth's D. L. Alford, producing from 11,885 to 11,985, the deepest producer in West Texas, is the subject of an article in the current issue of Life magazine. . . a fire at Seaboard Oil's No. 1 Powers wildcat, 25 miles north of Refugio, was raging out of control last week to bring the lower Gulf coast area its worst oil well blaze in a decade. . . H. R. Cullen, Houston oil man and philanthropist, has staked an 8500 foot wildcat test in Victoria county.

# Tulsa's Body Found Near His Wrecked Plane

BROWNSVILLE, Feb. 14. — The body of Fred Cooper of Tulsa, Okla., an oil field supply company representative was found near his wrecked plane today in Mexico, 43 miles south of Brownsville.

The plane wreckage was sighted by occupants of a plane who were searching for two other missing airmen who disappeared on a flight to Carmen, Mexico, last Tuesday.

Cooper cleared the international airport here on February 6 for Tampico, Mexico, enroute to Venezuela. He had not been reported missing. He is survived by his wife and a daughter.

Jeeps of an Army search and rescue party left here today to return Cooper's body.

The search plane was manned by CAA Inspector Lewis C. Kalsche of Brownsville and Lt. R. C. Carver of Biggs Field, El Paso, a member of an Army search and rescue squad which is searching for Neil Womack, Brownsville, and Esteban de Leon, Matamoros, Mexico, missing since last Tuesday.

# Norris Announces For Commissioner

J. E. (John) Norris, a resident of Howard county for 19 years, has announced that he will be a candidate for commissioner of Precinct Four, subject to the Democratic primaries.

A farmer by vocation, Norris has been a resident of Precinct Four for the past 14 years. Before moving to Howard county, he was engaged in construction work.

In making public his announcement, Norris issued the following statement: "If I am elected I will at all

# Church Remodeling Bids To Be Opened

Opening of bids on extensive remodeling of the First Methodist church building is scheduled for Monday evening at 7:30, when the board of stewards will meet.

Plans for the project include changing of partitions and stairways, re-roofing, re-wiring, reflooring of floors, and complete interior renovation including acoustical treatment.

# Opens New Agency

Mrs. Emma Slaughter, who has been engaged in the insurance business and income tax work here for several years, announced Saturday that she was opening a new real estate agency in Big Spring.

# "A PENNY SAVED IS A PENNY EARNED"

Pennies grow up to be dollars... and dollars grow up into sizable bank accounts, when regular saving becomes a habit. Children who are taught that "a penny saved is a penny earned" grow up too... with security based on money in the bank, plus a greater knowledge of its value and importance. Start a savings account at the First National Bank... for yourself — for your children. Let a penny saved be a future started.

Open An Account At The First National Bank Now - - - Watch It Grow.

# First National Bank IN BIG SPRING

# Another Houston Lady Recommends Mertox

Mrs. Ben Grossman, 1019 Ashland, Suffered Untold Misery Before Taking This Splendid Medicine



"I was also troubled with my limbs stiffening up just before I would have a spell of gas and bloating. I would be dizzy and I would have a severe headache. My food soured and it just seemed as if everything was wrong with me. To anyone suffering like I was, I recommend Mertox highly."

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"Give the guy the toe of your boot who tries to sell you a substitute."

Please don't phone or write the endorsers of Mertox. These people are busy with their own affairs. The makers of Mertox will pay a total of \$100.00 if we cannot produce the written endorsement above. Our files are open to anyone.

"For a long time, I have had occasional bilious spells," says Mrs. Grossman.

"My head would hurt and I would vomit my food. My last spell was very severe and I just thought I would die. My appetite was poor and I couldn't sleep at night."

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# TEC Completes Aptitude Tests To 1,136 Texans

AUSTIN, Feb. 14. — The Texas Employment commission gave a complete series of general aptitude tests to 1,136 Texans, many of whom revealed unexpected talents.

Whether the results of this small sampling of the state's seven million inhabitants is an indication of the aptitude of the entire state, commission analysts would not say.

Because one individual might show potential talents in several different fields, the classification of results is made by aptitude rather than by individuals.

This was the breakdown of aptitudes for the 1,136: 487 for helper jobs in mechanical work; 229—computing or general recording work; 252—radio repairing; 285—typing, typesetting and hand composing; 475—combustion engine and aircraft equipment repairing; 77—engineering drafting.

Also, 441—routine recording work; 572—metal structural, electrical, mechanical or optical unit assembling; 525—tool grinding; 315—electrical unit assembling; 534—processing metals or cutting stone; 265—routine clerical work; 531—hand machine operating.

Local Bond Sales Below 1947 Level

Howard county's investments in U. S. savings bonds continue at a good clip, but have not been on a level with 1947, it is shown in a report issued Saturday by County Bond Chairman Ira Thurman.

Total bond purchases for January were \$66,968.75, just 83.3 per cent of the total for January, 1947. Last month's E bond sales amounted to \$40,968.75.

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Treat yourself to the thrill of riding behind Hudson's all-new Super-Six engine — the most powerful six built today — or the better-than-ever Super-Eight. Find out about automatic gear shifting in forward speeds as provided by Hudson's exclusive "Drive-Master" transmission.

Step into the nearest Hudson showroom. You'll see why, across the nation, they're exclaiming, "This time it's Hudson!"

\*Trade Mark and Patent Pending

IN HARLINGEN OPEN

Tempers Flare As Lloyd Mangrum Grasps Lead

HARLINGEN, Feb. 14 (AP)—Debonair Lloyd Mangrum of Chicago ripped the 6,045-yard Harlingen municipal course with an eight-under-par 63 today to shoot into the lead in the Lower Rio Grande Valley \$10,000 Open at the three-quarter mark.

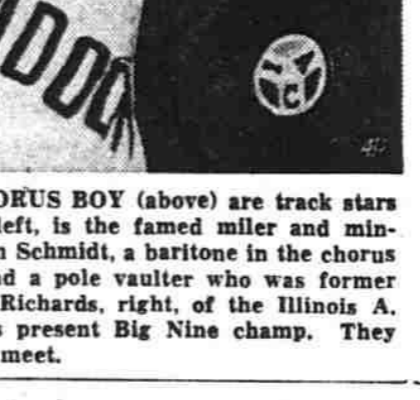
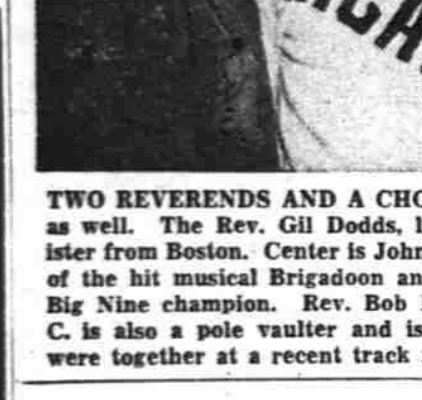
Displacing Jimmy Demaret, the singing man from Ojai, Calif., who led at the start of today's round with 129 and skidded to a one-over-par 72, Mangrum brought his 54-hole total to 196. Demaret fell into second place at 201.

but that winter rules would be discarded today. Lawson Little of Cleveland, chairman of the rules committee, said today he had resigned. Schneiter said a general meeting of the pros would be held tonight to try to iron out the situation.

The two pros figuring in the brief flurry were N. G. Von Nida of Sydney, Australia, and Henry Ransom of Ravenna, Ill., former-Texan. Ransom claimed Von Nida told him he should be charged an extra stroke on a hole for tapping the ball before putting.

Demaret started out by going over par on the first two holes and never could whittle it down. At Smith of Winston-Salem, N. C. shot a 66 today to move into third place with a total of 203.

Thirty-five of the field of 71 betted par 35-36-71 today. The final 18 holes of the tournament with \$20,000 first money will be played tomorrow.



TWO REVERENDS AND A CHORUS BOY (above) are track stars as well. The Rev. Gil Dodds, left, is the famed miller and minister from Boston. Center is John Schmidt, a baritone in the chorus of the hit musical Brigadoon and a pole vaulter who was former Big Nine champion. Rev. Bob Richards, right, of the Illinois A. C. is also a pole vaulter and is present Big Nine champ. They were together at a recent track meet.

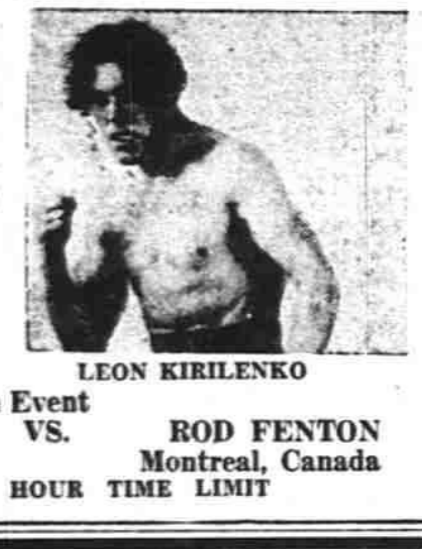
Advertisement for Bowling Center, 314 Bunnels, featuring text like 'It's Fun', 'It's Healthful', and 'WEST TEXAS Bowling Center'.

Longhorn Heads Large Field Due To Meet Sunday At Tournament

Longhorn League baseball fans are due to learn next Sunday whether they will watch eight teams perform during the 1948 season or continue with the six units which composed the loop a year ago.

Women keglers from a dozen West Texas cities will descend upon Big Spring Feb. 28-29 to take part in the first annual Wear-Ever Aluminum invitational bowling tournament, a WIBC sanctioned show which will be held in the West Texas bowling center.

Advertisement for Wrestling Matches, Monday, Feb. 16, West Texas Livestock Auction, featuring Pierre Labelle vs. Dory Funk and Leon Kirilenko vs. Rod Fenton.



ABILENE, Feb. 14.—Abilene's Eaglets turned back the Big Spring Yearlings in an exhibition basketball game played here Friday afternoon. The tally was 32-22.

Advertisement for Dibrill's Sporting Goods, featuring baseball equipment and text like 'GET YOUR BASEBALL EQUIPMENT AT Dibrill's Sporting Goods'.

Des Smith, new referee in the American Hockey League, is a former member of the Wembley Lions in the English Hockey League.

Advertisement for Chrysler-Plymouth Sales-Service, Marvin Hull Motor Co., 207 Goliad, Phone 39.



PIERRE LABELLE - - - Combats Funk

Rematch Of AC Villians Set For This Week

The two "meanest men alive," Rod Fenton and Leon Kirilenko of Montreal, Canada, and Moscow, Russia, respectively, come to grips again in the main event of Monday night's Big Spring Athletic club grapple show.

Mordecai Brown Death Victim

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Feb. 14.—Mordecai Brown, who had but three fingers on his pitching hand to use in making one of the greatest records in baseball, died today.

Once the anchor man of the Chicago Cubs' pitching staff, Brown began and ended his professional baseball career here.

For his entire career in the majors he won 239 games, lost 131. In 1908 Brown climaxed his many mound duels with another immortal, Christy Mathewson. "Three-fingers" gave the giants two runs and then won the pennant playoff, 4-2.

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Abilene Edges Big Springers In 3AA Setto

ABILENE, Feb. 14.—A home court jinx endured as the Abilene Eaglets trounced the Big Spring Steers, 29-27, in a 3AA district basketball game played here Friday night.

Following the outing, Coach Johnny Malaise of the Big Springers said his club played one of its best games of the year. The going was close and spirited all the way.

Abilene increased its margin to 20-12 immediately after play was resumed but the guests clamped down and suddenly broke into the lead, 23-22.

Scoreboard for Abilene vs Big Spring (27) with columns for FG, FT, PF, TP and player names like Turner, House, Bailey, Madison, Berry, Row 2, Troutman, Little.

Scoreboard for Abilene (29) vs Big Spring (33) with columns for FG, FT, PF, TP and player names like Miller, Bird, Anderson, H. Jones, Griesby, Currie, Washburn, Carter.

Before moving to Yale and more recently to the University of Washington as head football coach, Howie Odell was on the grid staff at Pitt, Harvard, Penn and Wisconsin. He is 37.

Weslaco Mentor Hired By Corpus. CORPUS CHRISTI, Feb. 14 (AP)—Grady Hester has signed a three-year contract as head football coach of Corpus Christi High school.

Weslaco Mentor Hired By Corpus. The former Weslaco mentor succeeds Chatter Allen, who resigned to become football coach and athletic director at the University of Corpus Christi.

Advertisement for Lee Jenkins Tire Service, 300 W. 3rd, Phone 1050, featuring text like 'ASK TO SEE "TOE-ACTION SAFETY" AT WORK'.

Coaches Convene Here Today To Decide On Tourney Site

Four Schools Represented

Site of the 1948 District 21B basketball tournament, scheduled to be run off next Friday and Saturday, will be decided at a meeting of school officials at the Settles hotel at 2 p. m. today.

Big Spring, Abilene, San Angelo and Odessa will be represented at the session, those schools having clinched places in the Shaughnessy playoff.

Fems To Oppose Midland Tuesday

Arah Phillips' Big Spring high school girls volleyball team play their first home game of the season here Tuesday night when they meet the Midland Bulldogs. Game time is 8 o'clock.

Benefit Games Slated Tuesday

COAHOMA, Feb. 14.—Proceeds from two exhibition basketball games to be played here Tuesday night will be given to the Coahoma high school athletic fund.

ASSAULT SCORES IMPORTANT VICTORY; ARMED DEFEATED

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 14 (AP)—El Mono, a \$99.80 for two shot, captured the \$25,000 added McLennan Handicap at Hialeah race course today in a photo finish while heavily favored Armed ran third.

you may be sure of that," Mehrtens said. H. A. (Jimmy) Jones, Calumet's trainer, said "Armed definitely did not run his race and I was far from satisfied with his performance."

The largest crowd of the winter meeting so far, 21,995, turned out to see the Calumet Farm's champion lose the 14th running of the McLennan to Daniel Lamont's El Mono and Circle M Farm's Risk-olater.

Track Officials Are Selected

M. R. Turner and John Albers, both of Coahoma, were named general director and athletic director, respectively, for the District 20B track and field meet at a session of officials held Friday night in Sterling City.

Large advertisement for Mercury outboard motors, featuring 'NOW You Can Get It!', 'the new MERCURY "ROCKET DELUXE"', and 'Cecil Thixton Your Mercury Outboard Motor Dealer'.

Large advertisement for Autocrat by Dayton tires, featuring 'America's New Miracle Tire Has the strength rating of 6 plies with the riding comfort of 4 plies' and 'TRY THIS EASY TEST'.



# Herd, Midland Play Monday

Big Spring's basketball Steers and Midland Bulldogs clash here Monday night in the season's final District 2AA game for both teams. The contest was originally scheduled for Tuesday but was moved up last week.

The Steers desperately need the victory to maintain their tie for first place in conference standings. Their loss Friday to Abilene placed them in a deadlock for the top spot with the Eagles.

Midland is definitely out of the running for a spot in the Shaughnessy playoff but would like nothing better than to humble the Steers.

In a previous meeting between the two squads, the Steers escaped with a 45-30 victory.

# Baylor To Open With Hurricane

WACO, Feb. 14 (AP)—Baylor university's football team will play Tulsa here Sept. 25 and the announcement today completed the school's 10-game schedule for next season.

Baylor officials also announced the game with Rice Institute Nov. 27 would be played in Houston.

The schedule: Sept. 25, Tulsa at Waco; Oct. 2, Mississippi State at Memphis, Tenn.; Oct. 9, Arkansas at Fayetteville; Oct. 16, Texas Tech at Waco; Oct. 23, Texas A&M at Waco; Oct. 30, Texas Christian at Fort Worth (night); Nov. 6, Texas at Waco; Nov. 13, Tulane at New Orleans; Nov. 13, Tulane at Methodist at Dallas; Nov. 27, Rice at Houston.

# Dempsey Hired

MIAMI, Fla., Feb. 14 (AP)—Former heavyweight champion Jack Dempsey will referee the Willie Pep-Humberto Sierra World's Featherweight title match here Feb. 24, it was announced today.

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# LOOKING 'EM OVER

With TOMMY HART

Our Town's Bobby "Pepper" Martin, who has been swapped to Bridgeport, Conn., for George Sift, has turned "thumbs down" on the first offer the Colonial league club made him... He says a Class B all club should do better by its employes or drop a couple of notches in classification... News organs in several neighboring towns have been referring to Sift as a rookie, incidentally... George will be new to this league but he's no novice in the professional ranks... Pat Stacey and Claud McAden, the local baseball brain trust, have been in Sherman conferring with Joe Cambria and other executives of the Washington Senators' baseball chain... Stacey might be wise to interview Jim Arrington, an employe of a local tire store, if he's looking for a first sacker... Jim was offered a tryout with the Ballinger Cats last season and turned down... The SPORTING NEWS, baseball's bible, will publish official Longhorn league averages within the next three weeks... Big Spring was second to Sweetwater in team batting, by the way... Their .325 average was five points shy of the Sports' figure... They had 38 fewer home runs than did Joe Dotlich's bunch... Real name of Stan Chappie, who played with Vernon for a while last season, was Stanley Thomas Czaczky... Jack Kramer, the former St. Louis Brownsie recently traded to the Boston Red Sox makes his home in Victoria, Texas, during the winter months... They say Jackie Robinson, the Negro baseball star, cleaned up \$60,000 on a recent personal appearance tour.

# Shands Missed Bet On Cage Star

Howard Shannon, who might rate All-America basketball honors as a member of the Kansas State team, would be playing for North Texas Teachers this season if Coach Pete Shands had seen to it that he was granted a full scholarship... Shannon was in the '42-'43 Denton team at which time Shands was in the Navy... When Pete returned, however, he couldn't see Howard and more or less game him the gate... The star is now leading the Big Seven conference in scoring... He was on the same team with Harold Davis, the Howard County Junior college cage mentor... Davis, by the way, says Lloyd Russell, the former Baylor star, is the best coach he's ever known... According to Harold, Russell showed what he wanted in the way of play by physically executing it, and not relying on blackboard drill. He always seemed to do it better than anyone else... An Amarillo paper is asking coaches and sports writers of the towns comprising the Western Zone JayCee cage conference to help select an all-league squad of ten men... The team will be honored at a special dinner in Amarillo in March... Donald Clark and Horace Rankin of the HCJC team are good bets to land on the squad Thomas Jefferson high school, which spanked Johnny Malaise's Big Spring Steers in the San Antonio tournament last month is way out in front in District 15AA standings... Sidney Lainer, which the Steers walked, is in second place.

# Cunningham Counts On Big Season

Dick Barwegen, one of pro football's best guards, now makes Fort Worth his home... Dick, who played college ball at Purdue, married a Fort Worth girl and decided to settle there... Bruce Alfred (TCU), another pro standout, is working for the Firestone Tire company in Fort Worth... Doc Wilker-

son, who piloted Doc's Redcaps in Muni softball league play during 1946, decided he didn't like San Angelo and moved back here... Hugh Welch, the new president of the West Texas softball league, reports that Nathan's Jewelers will sponsor one of the Angelo entries in the new circuit... The other Concho city entry, he adds, will probably be backed by the Ragdale Sporting Goods company... If the Forsan-Big Spring entry plunges into competition, the team will probably be built around L. D. Cunningham, the great one-armed hurler of other years... L. D. says he will try to attain the condition he knew some six or seven years back... There is every indication Bobby Layne, the University of Texas football star, will cast his professional lot with the Baltimore Colts... The Marylanders will probably top any offer made by the Chicago Bears, who own draft rights on him in the National league... Tommy Hutto, the ex-Steer great, says Jim Bill Little is one of the best college basketball prospects he's seen in action this year.

# Texas Tech Reserves Win Over HCJC Hawks, 37-30

# Stanton Buffs Edge Sterling In Finals

STERLING CITY, Feb. 14—Stanton's Buffalos earned the right to meet Sterling City in a playoff for the District 21B basketball title by defeating the Eagles in the finals of the district tournament here Saturday night, 36-32.

Sterling won top honors in the double round-robin schedule completed earlier this week.

The two teams will play the first of the best two-of-three game series here Tuesday night, at 8 p. m., then move to Stanton for the second game Thursday night. A third game, if necessary, will be unrec'd Saturday night.

Sterling advanced into the finals here Saturday afternoon by thumping Coahoma, 30-20, while Stanton was edging past Courtney in a close one, 25-23.

Named to the all-district team were V. Glaspie, Courtney; Max Roman, Knott; Louie Stallings, Stanton; Bobby Baker, Forsan; Bobby King, Sterling City; and Jackie Tweedie, Sterling.

The Box Score:  
STERLING CITY FG FT PF TP  
Mitchell 4 8 12 32  
Kane 2 4 12 18  
Smith 3 2 3 8  
Tweedie 3 1 0 7  
Totals 12 15 27 65

STANTON FG FT PF TP  
Stanton 14 12 32  
Henson 4 1 2 10  
Stallings 7 2 2 18  
Kane 2 2 2 10  
Kenny 1 1 1 4  
Rinsner 1 1 1 4  
Greene 2 1 2 8  
Totals 28 10 17 66

Half-time score: Sterling City 17, Stanton 17.

Preliminaries:  
STERLING CITY FG FT PF TP  
Hudson 4 2 2 10  
Kane 2 2 4 11  
Smith 2 1 2 7  
Mitchell 3 1 2 8  
Totals 11 7 10 36

STANTON FG FT PF TP  
Kenny 3 4 12 20  
R. Beall 3 4 12 20  
J. Beall 3 4 12 20  
Roman 4 2 2 18  
Harland 4 2 2 18  
D. Barnes 0 0 0 0  
Totals 17 12 36 66

COURTNEY FG FT PF TP  
Tweedie 1 2 2 6  
Bell 1 2 2 6  
Cross 2 2 2 6  
Grosserass 1 1 1 4  
Yater 0 0 0 0  
Totals 5 7 8 26

GARDEN CITY FG FT PF TP  
Robert 4 0 0 8  
Cunningham 4 0 0 8  
Wayman 2 0 0 4  
Wilkinson 2 0 0 4  
Baker 2 0 0 4  
Clime 0 0 0 0  
Totals 14 0 0 24

COAHOMA FG FT PF TP  
Phinney 0 1 3 1  
Horton 3 1 4 11  
Lindsey 3 1 4 11  
Dickson 4 4 11 12  
Frazier 2 1 3 7  
Hull 0 0 0 0  
Totals 12 10 14 33

FORSAN FG FT PF TP  
Huestis 4 0 0 8  
Grosserass 2 0 0 4  
Suttles 0 0 0 0  
Dolan 0 0 0 0  
Frazier 0 0 0 0  
Baker 0 0 0 0  
Camp 0 0 0 0  
Pike 0 0 0 0  
Totals 11 0 0 22

# RANSOM DRAWS SUSPENSION

HARLINGEN, Feb. 14 (AP)—Tony Butler, professional at the Harlingen municipal golf course, where the Lower Rio Grande Valley Golf tournament is being held, said tonight Henry Ransom, who figured in an altercation today, told him he had been suspended from golf for two weeks.

Ransom figured in an exchange of blows with Norman Von Nida, Australian professional, at the golf course this afternoon in the third round of the Open.

The two had argued over a stroke penalty Von Nida claimed Ransom should have had at Hole No. 1.

Butler said Ransom told him he would be unable to play in the New Orleans Open next week or the tournament the following week.

Ransom was not available to comment.

The Ravins, Ill., professional was in a tie for eighth place today at the end of the third round with a total score of 207.

# Cage Results

McMurry 42, Oklahoma City U 41.  
Hardin Simmons 48, Arizona State Flag-  
staffs 38.  
Texas Wesleyan 42, Abilene Christian 37.  
Arkansas 47, TCU 38.  
Oklahoma 49, Kansas State 47.  
Oklahoma A&M 47, St. Louis University 38.

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# Odessan Leads Bowling Meet With 1466

Terrell Matthews of Odessa got away to a fast start in the Cosden Bowling Sweepstakes here Saturday night, accumulating a 1466 in his sweep across the eight alleys.

Sneed Christian of El Paso, formerly of Big Spring, came in for 1453 and second place. His total was two points better than Leonard Morgan's aggregate. Morgan held high individual game of 224 and crowded in a 222, as well.

Twenty-four bowlers went to the post Saturday night, most of them from Big Spring. G. G. Runyan was third with 1398 while strung out behind him were Jimmy Eason 1396, Jake Douglas 1391, W. E. Ramsey 1396, M. Welch of San Angelo 1384 and E. B. Dozier 1384.

Other keyholes hit the maples at 1:00 and 3:30 p. m. today. The 3:30 shift will consist of Lubbock bowlers, exclusively.

The tournament, which proffers \$150 to the top scorer, continues through next weekend.

Jack Smith, tournament director, said he already had 80 men expected more.

# Help To Manage Springfield Club

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 14 (AP)—Catcher Henry Helf has been named player-manager of the Springfield, Ill., club of the Three I league, it was announced tonight by the St. Louis Browns. Springfield is a Browns' farm club.

The 34-year-old Texan was drafted by the Browns from Milwaukee in 1943. After a two-year stint in the Navy he caught 71 games for the Browns in 1946. He was sent to Toledo last year and recalled at the end of the season.

# Locals On Road Next Weekend

Texas Tech's fine reserve basketball team edged a scrappy Howard County Junior college brigade, 37-30, here Saturday night in one of the best-played games seen by local fans this year.

The Hawks' first line gave the Raiders all they bargained for and then some. Only in the waning moments did the invaders pull to the fore.

HCJC led at the end of the initial period, 11-6. Tech had come along fast in Round Two and managed a bare one point advantage at intermission time. The tally was 16-15.

The Big Springers kept up the ding-dong fight and the teams were all square at the three-quarters point, 28-all.

Wilson was tops in scoring for the visitors with eight points but was outscored by two Big Spring boys, Horace Rankin and Donald Clark. Rankin collected 13 points while Clark, playing one of his most scintillating games of the season, roped 11.

The locals closed out their home season with the contest. They hit the road next weekend, moving to Plainview Friday for a Western Zone game with Wayland Junior college and then moving over to Amarillo Saturday for a taffy-pull with that city's junior college.

HCJC (30) FG FT PF TP  
Horton 0 2 4 2  
Cookson 0 0 1 0  
Cook 0 0 0 0  
D. Clark 4 3 4 11  
Pachall 4 0 3 8  
Rankin 6 1 4 13  
R. Clark 2 0 4 4  
Tolbert 2 0 0 0  
Barnett 0 0 0 0  
Kennemer 0 0 0 0  
Totals 12 6 17 30

TECH (37) FG FT PF TP  
Phinney 3 0 1 6  
Wilson 4 0 1 8  
Turner 2 1 1 6  
Becheff 2 2 2 6  
Stover 3 0 4 6  
Williams 0 1 0 0  
Jackson 0 0 0 0  
Steeley 1 1 0 3  
Drake 0 0 0 0  
Totals 15 4 12 37

Half-time score—Texas Tech 16, HCJC 15.

Free tries missed—Barron 3, D. Clark, Rankin 3, R. Clark, Phinney, Wilson 3, Turner 4, Becheff 3, Stover 4. Officials—Harland and Malaise.

TALON IN FRONT  
ARCADIA, Calif., Feb. 14 (AP)—Talon won the \$50,000 San Antonio Handicap over 17 rivals at Santa Anita park today before 53,000 fans.

# Bob Finley Sold

DALLAS, Feb. 14 (AP)—Sale of Bob Finley, veteran Dallas catcher to the Saginaw club of the Class A Central league of Michigan, was announced today by George Schepps, president of the Dallas

Rebels of the Texas baseball league.

Schepps also announced the appointment of Larry Larsen as general manager of the Lubbock club of the West Texas-New Mexico league.

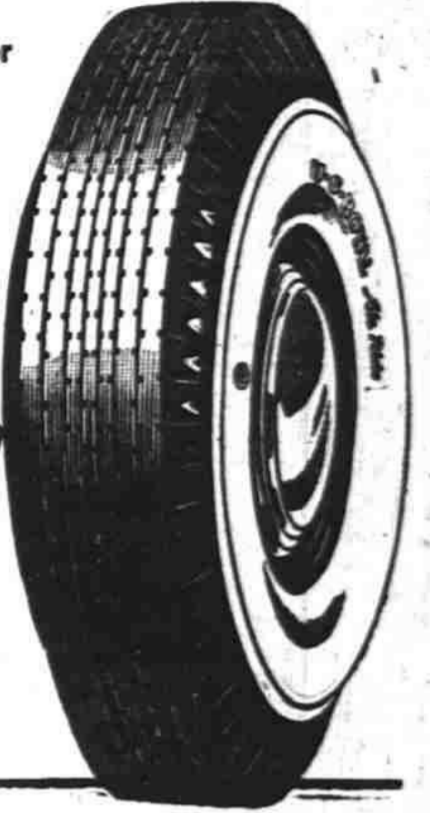
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U. S.-Red Relations May Grow Worse

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—Relations between the United States and Russia are expected by American officials to go from bad to worse during the next three to six months. After that, these U. S. diplomats say, they may get better.

Rowland Heads Branch Of Bank

DALLAS, Feb. 14. (AP)—C. M. Rowland of Dallas has been designated head of the El Paso branch of the Dallas Federal reserve bank, effective March 1.

Charges Are Filed Against Local Man

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 14. (AP)—Fabulously wealthy Winthrop Rockefeller and his bride, the daughter of immigrant Lithuanians, spent their honeymoon night within a three minute drive of their marriage place and today were off on a Florida honeymoon trip.

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Steelworkers Are Drafting Demands

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 14. (AP)—Philip Murray and other top strategists of the CIO-United Steelworkers union began conferences here Monday to draft new wage demands.

Howard Teachers Schedule Meeting

Members of the Howard County Teachers association will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. at Howard County Junior college for the purpose of naming delegates to the West Texas Teachers association annual convention.

Odessa Charged In Fatal Shooting

ODESSA, Feb. 14. (AP)—District Attorney Martelle McDonald today filed a charge of murder against Dennis Randel, 41, in the fatal pistol shooting last night of his twin brother, Dallas Randel.

Two Are Fined For Intoxication

Wick Woodard Miers entered a plea of guilty to the charge of driving while under the influence of intoxicants and was fined \$75 and costs in county court Saturday morning.

Attempts Made To Save Marines

SHANGHAI, Feb. 14. (AP)—An attempted rendezvous with the Chinese communist failed to obtain release of four captive U. S. Marines, but new efforts are being made by means of air-dropped leaflets, it was learned today.

Man Pleads Guilty To Armed Robbery

L. P. Shoup entered a plea of guilty to armed robbery in 70th district court Friday afternoon and was sentenced to serve five years in the state penitentiary by Judge Cecil C. Collings.



BEST IN WESTMINSTER SHOW — Handler Anthony Neary of Greenwich, Conn., holds Ch. Rock Ridge of Night Rocket after the Bedlington terrier went best in show in the 72nd annual Westminster Kennel Club show in Madison Square Garden in New York City.

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Southwestern Royalty Gives Third Dividend

A third dividend for the past fiscal year was declared for stockholders of the Southwestern Royalty company, at the eighth annual meeting held at the Settles hotel Saturday evening.

Porkers Again Humble Frogs In Fayetteville

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark., Feb. 14. (AP)—Arkansas defeated Texas Christian university, 47 to 38, here tonight to sweep a two-game Southwest Conference basketball series.

Fort Worth Star Beaten, 2 and 1

PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 14. (AP)—Winsome Peggy Kirk, alternate member of the Curtis Cup team, won the Women's Golf championship tournament of Palm Beach today by defeating Polly Riley, of Fort Worth, Tex., 2 and 1.

G'Gloves Results

At Fort Worth:
Bantamweight: Leo Palacio, 119, Amarillo, defeated Roland Conway, 117, Dallas. (C)

Weather Forecast

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BIG SPRING AND VICINITY: Partly cloudy, not much change in temperature Monday.

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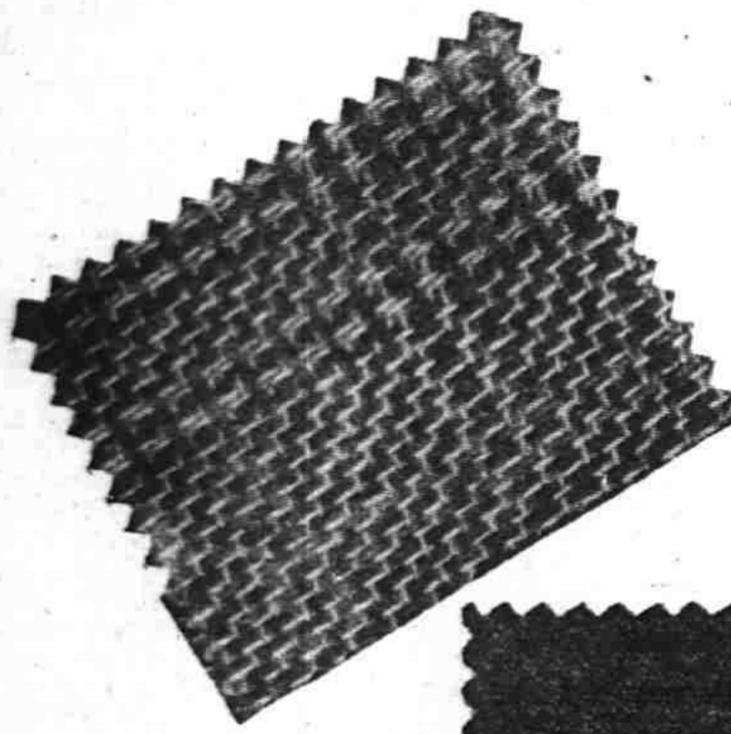
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**Airline Schedules Undergo Shake-Up**

Airline schedules in Big Spring were undergoing a general shake-up here this weekend, with changes in departure time ranging from as much as two hours to as little as two minutes.

Eastbound flights by American Airlines ships will depart at 1:15 p. m. and 7:31 p. m. under the new schedule, which advances the latter flight two hours ahead of the previous schedule. Westbound flights have been announced by American at 9:45 a. m. and 6:20 p. m. each day.

Pioneer Airlines advanced early morning flights an hour with the following results: Eastbound, 7:47 a. m. and 7:07 p. m., westbound, 9:59 a. m. and 9:18 p. m.

Continental Airlines had only mild changes of a couple of minutes, making the northbound flight depart at 9:16 a. m. and the southbound flight at 8:14 p. m.

Capt. Ivan R. Olson, veteran pilot for Continental Airlines, who is well known among airport personnel and others in this area, recently completed 20,000 hours of flying. He also is rounding out 10 years of service with Continental today, and has piloted ships for airlines for 17 years.

Capt. Olson received his first pilot's license in October, 1924, and the document was signed by the

late Orville Wright, airplane inventor and pioneer in air transportation who died two weeks ago.

During his career, Capt. Olson estimates that he has travelled two and a half million miles in the air. He formerly flew Continental ships through Big Spring before transferring to another division.

**Argentine Cattle Bring Record Price**

BUENOS AIRES, Feb. 14. (AP)—The Argentine cattle market hit record highs yesterday.

The new tops were registered shortly after the new British-Argentine trade agreement had raised export meat prices.

Two lots of steers sold for 63 cents per U. S. pound.

**Killed By Machinery**

SILSBEE, Feb. 14. (AP)—J. C. Fregia, 23, was killed yesterday when he became entangled in machinery at Honey Island while working for the Kirby Lumber Co. His body was badly mangled and he was dead when removed from the machinery.

Frozen pork will be fine in flavor if used within five or six months of the date stored, advises the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

**SA Service Units Formed**

Salvation Army Service units were organized at Odessa, Midland and Lamesa during the past week, Capt. Olvy Sheppard announced Saturday.

At Odessa Capt. Sheppard, assisted by Dan Eddy, field representative from Dallas, made arrangements. An emergency group committee for local administration of the unit is in the process of organization.

An organization was completed at Midland Thursday, with Judge C. C. Keith, chairman, Delbert Downing and Ralph Barron, treasurer. Funds amounting to \$1,500 have been designated for the service unit by the Midland community chest.

At Lamesa Judge Kilmer Corbin is chairman, M. E. Boren, treasurer, and Matt McCall a board member.

**Sheppards Leave For SA Meeting**

Capt. and Mrs. Olvy Sheppard for the Salvation Army left Saturday for Dallas where they were to attend a three-day conference with Lieutenant-Commissioner Albert Chesman, new territorial commander for Salvation Army.

Officers of the organization from throughout the state were to attend.

The conference agenda was to include discussion on operational problems, finances, prison and parole program and public relations.

Another matter which was expected to claim attention was division of Texas service units into four areas.

**Gerald Kaver May Win Mile From Dodds**



GERALD KAVER  
... a 4:04 miler?

STATE COLLEGE, Pa., Feb. 13. (AP)—Watch out, Gil Dodds, Penn state's miler, Gerald Kaver, figures to outrace you one of these track days.

That startling prediction comes from 43-year-old Ray Conger, a top miler himself in 1929-32 when he ran for Iowa State and the Illinois A. C.

Conger says Kaver possesses "the speed and class to run a 4:04 or 4:05 mile."

But he's not sure when, except that it'll be "sometime before the indoor season ends."

Dodds currently holds the national indoor record of 4:5.3 for the 1,760 yards. He set that mark at Madison Square Garden this year.

Conger, whose best mile was a 4:13.6 endeavor, points out that the Boyertown (Pa.) Dutchman is a slow starter but a fast finisher.

That's exactly opposite to the Dodds pace. The Flying Parson runs a fast half-mile, piles up a blistering third quarter, then more-or-less coasts in at the finish.

"Some day soon," says Conger, a member of Penn State's School of physical education and athletics. "Kaver will stay with Dodds right down to the finish and beat him to the wire."

"It could happen anyway," adds Conger.

**Trees Take Ride**

FORT WAYNE, Ind. (U.P.)—Sheriff's officers were incredulous when someone telephoned that a "tree is moving down the state highway." They arrested Robert Holt, 24, on drunken driving charges. His car had trees protruding from the hood. He had left the highway to plow through a plum thicket.

**Pays Dividends**

QUINCY, Mass. (UP)—Distributing their three sets of twins among relatives here, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Walsh went to New York, appeared on a quiz program on the radio and returned \$615 richer.

Tradition holds that Valentine's Day derived its name from a young Roman priest beheaded Feb. 14, 270 A. D., for refusing to renounce Christianity.

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'HEY, THAT'S OUR MILK!'—Yelps greet Pinky the cat as it slinks toward a saucer of milk waiting for 14 pups at a Chicago animal welfare league. The pups were scrubbed and hung up to dry after they were found abandoned under a barn.

**Seeking Entrance To Auburn School**

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Feb. 14. (AP)—William Bell, 27-year-old Negro, has applied for admission to the school of architecture at Alabama Polytechnic Institute at Auburn.

Auburn registrar Charles Edwards said yesterday no disposition had been made of the application, but added it was being handled the same as one from a white student.

**Farm And Ranch Exhibits Campaign**

MARSHALL, Feb. 14. (AP)—A campaign to shift the emphasis to farm and ranch exhibits at Texas fairs during 1948 has been undertaken by Oscar B. Jones, new president of the State Association of Fairs and Expositions.

Jones, also manager of the Central East Texas Fair and Livestock Exposition, said an active campaign will be conducted through newspapers and radio stations.

Sweet sandwiches are excellent to send along in a lunch box with the regular "main dish" sandwiches. Cream cheese and pineapple preserves on date bread make a good combination. So do cream cheese and cranberry sauce on cinnamon-raisin loaf.

**AT PLATE - WITH FOOD**

**BEST DEMO 'BATTERS' WILL TAKE A FEW CUTS AT THE REPUBLICANS**

WASHINGTON, Feb. 14. (AP)—The Democrats will send their best batters to the plate next week to take a few cuts at the Republicans.

The plate — with food on it — will cost each guest \$100 if he attends the overflow Jackson-Jefferson day dinner in Washington Thursday night. Lesser sums are charged for the campaign chest in other cities.

President Truman will address the main dinner here. His words will be carried to other banquets across the country by radio.

Republicans had their innings the past week at Lincoln day rallies. They belabored the Democratic administration on both foreign and domestic counts.

A group of southern governors is expected to come to Washington soon to "lay their cards on the table" before National Chairman J. Howard McGrath. They are talking all kinds of reprisals if the party's national leaders refuse to abandon what they term "anti-southern" legislation.

Their chief threat, they say, lies in the power of the party groups in Dixie to put Anti-Truman elector slates on the November ballot. Senator Harry Byrd of Virginia may be asked to head such a ticket, says Democratic Chairman Herbert Holmes of Mississippi.

National party leaders, while upset, are hopeful that the southern tempers will cool on reflection that the only result of such a move, in their view, would guarantee election of a Republican president.

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## Kathryn Lee Malloy, Cecil Huff Engagement Is Announced Here

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Malloy of Hollis, Okla., are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Kathryn Lee, to Cecil Huff of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Huff of Belen, N. M.

Miss Malloy was until recently a teacher of music in the Big Spring public schools and is now similarly employed in Wichita Falls. Huff is a brother of Mrs. Jack Daugherty of Big Spring. Both are graduates of Abilene Christian College.

The marriage will be solemnized in the home of the bride's brother, Lowrey Malloy in Hollis, Okla. Dr. Walter H. Adams, dean of Abilene Christian College, will officiate.

Martha Fay Malloy of Dallas will be maid of honor for her sister. Norman Huff of Abilene brother of the bridegroom will be best man.

Nuptial music will be provided by Mrs. L. W. Owen of Hollis, Okla., and Kathryn Smart of Dallas. Following the wedding, the couple will be at home in Lubbock.

Carol Ann Conley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer M. Conley, was appointed to a committee charged with arranging small group meetings during Religious Emphasis week at Southern Methodist University.

## Teenagers Have Valentine Dance

Valentine decorations were used at the Teenagers dance Friday evening at the Legion Hut sponsored by the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Hi Alexander and Mr. and Mrs. Guin Grigsby were hostesses. Others assisting in the evening's entertainment were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blount, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spears, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Burnett, Mrs. T. A. Thigpen, Helen Duley, Mrs. W. H. Booher and Mrs. Neel Barnaby. Ping Pong, cards, dancing and musical games were entertainment. Winners at the musical games were Scooter Terry, Jerry Houser, Dicky Cloud and Wanda Cranfield. The next dance for the teenagers will be Feb. 27, a Sadie Hawkins Dance at the Legion hut. Approximately 150 persons attended the dance Friday evening.



## Kiwani Queens Begin On Year's Project

Welcoming newcomers to be the project for the year of the Kiwani Queens club, it was decided at the meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. H. E. Clay. Mrs. T. B. Adkins was co-hostess of the covered dish luncheon. Those present were Mrs. J. A. Coffey, Mrs. S. M. Smith, Mrs. C. L. Roden, Mrs. L. M. Brooks, Mrs. B. E. Freeman, Mrs. Herbert Whitney, Mrs. H. E. Clay, Mrs. Merle Stewart, Mrs. T. B. Adkins, and Mrs. H. W. Smith.

## AAUW To Meet Thursday At Presbyterian Church

The meeting of the American Association of University Women will be Feb. 17 instead of Feb. 24 this month in the basement of the Presbyterian church. Elmer R. Cravens will show motion pictures slides of Alaskan scenes at the open meeting which begins at 8 p. m. The business meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m. and all members of the AAUW are urged to be present.

## Happy Stitchers Meet With Mrs. Klahr

Mrs. Roy Klahr was hostess to members of the Happy Stitchers sewing club Friday afternoon. Mrs. Z. S. Loftis will be hostess next week. Those present were Mrs. Ben Daugherty, Mrs. Pershing Morton, Mrs. M. E. Williams, Mrs. Johnny Cox, Mrs. Robert Sneed and Mrs. Buck Tyree.

## Among Newcomers ---

The Herald cameraman visits a few of the many families who have moved into Big Spring in recent weeks to make their homes. Upper left, Dr. and Mrs. I. W. Waters relax for an evening at their home, 311 Park street. Dr. Waters is a consultant surgeon and works out of Big Spring. He has a clinic under construction in Midland, but will maintain residence here. Mrs. Waters is the former Gertrude Griffin of Big Spring. In top center photo are Mrs. E. E. Reynolds and children, Gene (seated on floor); Jane (seated at right); and Whitney, who looks over his mother's shoulder. Mr. Reynolds is a claim agent for the Texas & Pacific Railway company, and the family moved here from Marshall. Their home is at 118 Lincoln. In top right view, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Huddleston, 1101 Wood, spend some leisure moments at the piano. Huddleston is a traveling representative of Tri-State Dental Supply. He is a Texan, Mrs. Huddleston came from Minnesota. In the lower center photo are Lee Milling, new director of the local YMCA, and his family. Daughter Ann holds her cat and Kim shows his father how to handle "heavy construction." The Millings, who reside at 606 George, came here from Houston. (All photos by Jack M. Haynes).

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## Conference Slated At Airport Church

The workers' conference of the Big Spring Baptist association will meet with the Airport Baptist church, Big Spring, Thursday at 10 a. m. The Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor of the First Baptist church, Midland, will be the principal speaker for the morning session and the Rev. Mark Reeves, new pastor of the First Baptist church, Coahoma, will bring the main address in the afternoon. Lunch will be served by the host church.

## Mrs. Buck Richardson Wins Prize Contest

Mrs. Buck Richardson won the prize contest at the New Idea Sewing club Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. M. K. House, Sr. Red carnations were used in carrying out the Valentine motif. Attending were Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. W. W. Inkman, Mrs. Mary Wilke, Mrs. Fred Stevens, Mrs. Lee Hanson, Mrs. Eb Hatch, Mrs. Harold Robb, Mrs. Buck Richardson, Mrs. R. T. Piner, Mrs. Ova Edwards, Mrs. Lina Flewellen, and Mrs. Earl Ezzel of Abilene was a guest.

## Miss Molly Kinsey Becomes Bride Of J. R. Smith Saturday

Miss Mollie Kinsey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kinsey, became the bride of J. R. Smith, son of Mrs. Velma Smith, in a ceremony read at high noon Saturday. Dr. P. D. O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the double ring ceremony which was read at his home before friends of the couple.

The bride wore a blue suit, black accessories and a white orchid corsage. To carry out the bridal tradition, the bride wore her grandmother's pearls as something old, gold ankle chain, gift of the bridegroom, as something new, earrings belonging to Betty Watts as something borrowed and her wedding suit was something blue. She wore a penny in her shoe for luck. Betty Watts and Betty Cawthorn, bridesmaids, wore gray suits, black accessories and corsages of white carnations.

Elroy Scudday of Forsan was best man. Others present for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Kinsey, Mrs. Velma Smith and Troyce Robertson.

## Mr. and Mrs. David Elrod Have 42 Party Friday

Mr. and Mrs. David Elrod were hosts at a 42 party Friday evening. Valentine refreshments were served to those attending who were Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Fuquay, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Amaon, Mr. and Mrs. Avery Faulkner, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Elrod, Mr. and Mrs. James McWhorter and the hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith left immediately following the ceremony for Old Mexico on a wedding trip.

The bride is a graduate of Big Spring high school and is employed by the Southwestern Bell telephone company. Smith graduated from Forsan high school, served in the army for two years and is now working with the Sunray oil company in Forsan. They will be at home in Big Spring.

## Mrs. Fred Stephens Has Valentine Party

Mrs. Fred Stephens was hostess to a Valentine party for the TEL class of the First Baptist church Friday evening. Mrs. C. G. Barnell brought the devotional from the 13th chapter of First Corinthians.

The Valentine theme was carried out in the party rooms and the white linen covered table was centered with a tall red candle and surrounded with six red carnations in bowls. Valentine contests were played and Mrs. S. A. Ritter, Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, Fannie Stephens and Mrs. E. D. Rose won the prizes. Fannie Stephens gave a reading entitled "Whistling in Heaven." Attending the meeting were Mrs. C. G. Barnell, Mrs. H. H. Squires, Mrs. C. E. Richardson, Mrs. Velma Cain, Mrs. E. D. Rose, Mrs. S. A. Ritter, Mrs. Theo Andrews, Mrs. R. D. Ulrey and the guest, Fannie Stephens.

## Ladies Auxiliary Of Fire Department Have Election Of Officers

The Auxiliary of the Big Spring fire department elected officers at the meeting in the home of Mrs. A. D. Meador Friday afternoon. Mrs. Meador was elected president; Mrs. Alvie Harrison, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. George Riggan, reporter. The club will meet every fourth Friday except during the month of March and it will meet the second Friday in March. Refreshments were served to Mrs. H. V. Crocker, Mrs. S. E. Smith, Mrs. Alvie Harrison, Mrs. J. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Riley Knightstep, Mrs. H. H. Morris, Mrs. R. R. Fields, Mrs. Fred Winn and the hostess.

## Allegro Class Hears Stories At Meeting

Mrs. Herbert Keaton told a story, "Aida, the Egyptian Opera" at the meeting of the Allegro music club which met in her home Saturday morning. Members recited the pledge and sang, "Texas, our Texas". Attending were Treva Johnson, Joyce Anderson, Mary Beth Stratton, Barbara Jane Meador, Kay King, Sue Ellen Barnes, Cecilia McDonald, Billie Jean King, Barbara Ann Coffey, Betty Jo Early, Anna Belle Lane, La Juan Horton, Barbara Lewter, Janelle Moad, Susan Logan, Sylvia Brigham and Marie Hall.

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## Gift Tea Compliments Mrs. Billy Shaw, Jr.

A gift tea complimented Mrs. Billy Shaw, Jr. Friday evening in the home of Mrs. J. E. Hendrick with Mrs. J. C. Burnam and Mrs. George Homan as hostesses. The receiving line was composed of Mrs. Hendrick, Mrs. Shaw and Mrs. C. A. Self, mother of the bride. The table was laid with lace and had a centerpiece of pink and green gladioli with a crystal punch service as other table appointments. Joyce Culpepper served punch and Mrs. Alma Averit served cake. Mrs. Don Burnam registered gifts and Mrs. George Homan, Mrs. Joe Burnam and Mrs. L. N. Million displayed the gifts. Those calling during the receiving hours were Mrs. Cecil Long, Mrs. A. E. Walker, Mrs. L. S. Bonner, Mrs. W. B. McKee, Mrs. E. E. Porter, Mrs. S. V. Jordan, Mrs. J. B. Young, Mrs. Jack Byrd, Mrs. J. Wright Ligon, Mrs. R. H. Moore, Jr., Mrs. E. Smith, Mrs. Elsie Stegalt and Mrs. E. G. Rainey. Mrs. M. C. Knowles, Mrs. Morris Prager, Nita Chapman, Nora Burrell, Elizabeth Burrell, Mrs.

W. B. Miller, Mrs. A. D. Meador, Mrs. George Holden, Mrs. P. L. Bradford, Mrs. W. A. Shaw, Sr., Faye Simpson, Mrs. T. F. Hill, and Mrs. M. O. Tucker. Mrs. Ray Eckler, Mrs. Harmen Smith, Mrs. M. C. Grigsby, Mrs. N. C. Bell, Mrs. William Dehlinger, Mrs. Irene Wright, Mrs. Doyie Wilson, Mrs. Harold Meador, Mrs. Royce Satterwhite, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Tom Buckner, Mrs. Olan Griffith, Mrs. Eddie Mahoney, Mrs. Joe Lee Hanlin, Mrs. James Maness, Mrs. T. N. Culwell, Mrs. Bernard Savage, Mrs. F. M. Purser and Mrs. S. L. Lockhart. Mrs. J. E. Hendricks, Jr. and Mrs. L. N. Million were out of town guests.

## Thelma Lou Tucker Has Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Tucker entertained their daughter, Thelma Lou, with a birthday party Friday evening at the recreational center at the Ellis homes. Valentine decorations were used and dancing was entertainment. Attending were Billy Ruth Beach, Elva Thames, Mary Nell Lindsey, James Williams, E. T. Tucker, Jr., Joan Touchstone, Jackie Jennings, Jimmy Jennings, Brad Long, Girene Grantham, Don Grantham, Don Logan, Ray Adams, Bobbie Bradford, Charles Clark, Leonard Hartley, Jackie Little, Eddie Hooper, Bill Bridwell, Wendell Stacey, Beth McGinnis, Joan Newman and Wayatt Lancaster. Robert Thompson, Gene Woods, Larry Evans, Beverly Jones, Ann Brown, Nancy Bivings, Mitty McCormick, Jean Stratton, Jerry Williams, Roy Mack White, Jimmy Tucker, Susan Houser, Eddie Ho-back, Corkey McDonald, Barbara Jane Geer, Wanda Lou Petty, Jan Masters, Sue Craig, Marilyn Miller, Jimmy Meador, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Grantham and Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Tucker.

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The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers apparently is seeking a method for advancing popularity of the men and women who "write" the songs to a level equal to that of the bands and singers who present them via radio and recordings. Such recognition has long been enjoyed by composers of classics, and the new dictionary may be a step in the right direction for gaining similar acclaim for contemporary producers of popular music. In the book, ASCAP lists its members in alphabetical order, and under each listing is a concise biographical sketch, with emphasis on musical background, followed by titles of published works.

Most of the persons listed are living, although some whose estates still maintain ASCAP membership are deceased. Included are composers and authors of sacred music, classics, popular selections and ballads, accounting for 1,870 names. Thus, in one, well edited volume, a liberal supply of information is available concerning such widely different composers and authors as Leopold Stokowski and Johnny Mercer.

In addition, 303 publishers of music are listed to round out the referential material.—W. M.

## Visits-Visitors

Leola Cleo and Mrs. Anna D. Cook of Clovis, N. M. have returned from New Orleans, La., where they witnessed the Mardi Gras. Mrs. Cook will return to Clovis, N. M. today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones Lamar and Mrs. Sam Lamar are attending the funeral of Mrs. Lamar's brother, William Neff in Floydada, at the Geo. Knuff Rebekah lodge at Odessa Wednesday were Beatrice Vierge, Willie Jo Nations, Clarabel Wright, Nell Thornton, Jean Harris, Mae Darrow, Lucille Brown and Hazel Lamar.

C. A. Dahse of San Angelo is visiting with his mother, Mrs. H. W. Smith, this weekend.

Mrs. J. W. Elrod, Jr., who has been seriously ill for the past several months, was taken to the hospital Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Allen have returned from a week's visit to the Rio Grande valley and while there they visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Sanders at Brownsville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Moore have as their guest, her mother, Mrs. C. L. Douglas of Corpus Christi. Their daughter, Joetta, returned from Corpus Christi with Mrs. Douglas.

Mrs. N. C. Bell, Mrs. William Dehlinger, Sr., and Mrs. Martin Dehlinger left Saturday night for El Paso. They will visit friends and relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith returned Friday from visiting with his mother, Mrs. Ben F. Smith and his brother and wife, Dr. and Mrs. L. P. Smith in Muskogee, Okla. and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John G. Davis, Sr., in Clarksville, Ark.

## Brenneman Show Will Be Given Friday Night At City Auditorium

A Tom Brenneman show will be held at the City Auditorium Friday, Feb. 20 at 8 p. m. by members of the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association.

All receipts from the show will be given to the improvement of the South Ward school, according to Mrs. Lee Rogers, president of the association. The program will feature all the highlights of the famous radio show with local persons acting the parts. With J. N. Young, Jr. acting as master of ceremonies, the show will include an interview with the oldest lady present and the presentation of the famous Arm Roy orchid, which will be sent by Tom's sponsor. There will be gifts for the eldest man present, the person traveling the farthest distance and the newest married couple.

The show will be highlighted with a crazy hat contest. There will be no entry fee as previously announced. Persons entering the

crazy hat contest are asked to attach their name and address to the creation and bring it to the Empire Southern Gas company not later than Friday, Feb. 20, where they will be on display until they are judged. Judges for the contest are to be Mrs. Eva Pyatt, Grace Miller and Mrs. K. H. McGibbon.

The ten best creations will be modeled by R. R. McEwen, Cecil McDonald, Obie Bristow, Charles Watson, Joe Pickle, Dr. Dick O'Brien, Champ Rainwater, Matt Harrington and Doug Orme. The grand climax of the show will disclose the identity of the "Whispering Man" who is a local person, will be broadcast in a form of a jingle over station KBST at 7 and 7:30 p. m. every day except Tuesday and on Tuesday, it will be at 8:30 and 9 p. m.

Tickets for the show are now on sale through members of the South Ward Parent-Teacher Association at one dollar for adults and fifty cents for children.

## Couples Class Has Party Friday

Tommy Bailey assisted by E. J. Hughes enacted the role of Dr. I. Q. at the Valentine party of the Couple's class of the First Methodist church with the husbands as hosts.

Songs were led by Jack Haines and stunt games were played for entertainment.

Attending were Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Long, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Salisbury, Mr. and Mrs. Chad Rockett, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Nobles, Mr. and Mrs. R. Mundell, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McMahan, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boren, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Showen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nesbitt, Mrs. Owen Schlup, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ray, Mr. and Mrs. Omar Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Marshall, C. T. Ward, Harry Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Haines, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gound, Mrs. R. A. Slaherty, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ashcraft, Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Lepeard, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Boswell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morgan and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gray.

## Alathean Class Has Valentine Banquet

The Alathean Sunday school class of the East Fourth Baptist church had a buffet supper Friday evening in the church parlor, with their husbands as guests.

Games were entertainment. Valentine decorations were used throughout the party rooms.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Reid, Mrs. Tommy Malone, Mrs. R. M. Stroup, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burns, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Harmon, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Gene Haston, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Brown, Mrs. Keats Watts, Mrs. Hubert Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Doyal Grice,

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### Birthday Parties, Showers And Club Meetings Are Stanton Activities

STANTON, Feb. 14. (Spl) — Mrs. Mary Gerald of Midland was honored with a surprise birthday party Tuesday night, by Mrs. Lloyd Odum and in the home of Mrs. Charlie Cravens.

The Valentine motif was used throughout the party rooms and 42 was entertainment.

Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ethridge, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Forman, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Tucker, Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Harrison and the honoree, Mrs. Gerald.

Mrs. Emmitt Pittman was hostess to the Stanton Music club Wednesday afternoon.

American folk music was the subject of the program.

Mrs. Arlo Forrest gave a talk on the subject and an informal discussion was held following it.

Mrs. James Jones accompanied by Mrs. Houston sang an Indian number and a Negro selection.

Mrs. Emmitt Pittman accompanied three of her piano pupils while they sang an arrangement of mountain tunes.

Mrs. Edmund Tom gave the closing number "Along the Navajo Trail."

Refreshments were served to members and guests.

Larry Bennett Clements was honored with a birthday party following a meeting of the Junior choir Monday afternoon.

Gifts were opened and displayed.

The Valentine theme was carried out in decorations and refreshments.

Mrs. Oliver Boyce, formerly Mary Frances Anderson, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. J. T. Mims Wednesday, with Mrs. Billy Ray Owens, Mrs. Hoyt Britton, Mrs. Opa Avery, Mrs. W. L. Clements, Mrs. J. S. Morrison, Mrs. B. P. Edison, Mrs. Sam Wilkinson, Mrs. Mace Howard and Romell Morrison as co-hostesses.

Romell Morrison presided at the guest's register and Mrs. J. T. Mims greeted guests.

The lace-laid cloth was centered with red hearts in the Valentine theme.

The bride wore a black dress with black accessories.

A large group attended the shower.

Mr. Robert E. Green, formerly Billy Gene Keisling, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keisling was honored with a gift tea in the home of Mrs. J. T. Berry recently.

Other hostesses were Mrs. Carl Clardy and Mrs. Edmund Tom.

The party rooms were decorated with flowers and the refreshment table was centered with a large Valentine.

Refreshments were served to the attending guests.

Turner Vance, Jr. of Refugio was a business visitor here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Whitaker left Wednesday for Austin after receiving word that her sister is seriously ill there.

Mayor Alsop has returned to the Stanton Memorial hospital following another heart attack recently.

Carl McClellas of McAllen was a recent guest of Jim McClellas.

Jack Arrington, manager of Eberly Funeral home here, took John Paul Cook to a Big Spring hospital where he is ill with pneumonia.

Andy Anderson is in the Stanton Memorial hospital after receiving injuries in a car accident occurring near the Stanton Airport.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Koonce and family have moved into the Vance home, which they purchased recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McNeese, who lived in one of the houses on the Vance placed moved to town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Massey of Valley View have moved into their remodeled home which they purchased here recently.



MRS. K. W. HARDY AND DAUGHTER, TERRA, are putting the finishing touches to their last minute packing in preparation for their forthcoming trip to the canal zone to join Lt. K. W. Hardy who is stationed there with the U. S. Army Air Forces. They will leave Big Spring, February 18, and will sail February 20, from New Orleans, La. arriving in Panama about February 26. Lt. Hardy was director of training for the French students at the Big Spring Bombardier school and left here in the spring of 1945. He is now Chief Transportation and Supply Officer at Headquarters, Albrook Field, Canal Zone. Mrs. Hardy has been associated with the Big Spring Herald for the past year and half. (Jack M. Haynes, photo).

### HD Club Council Hears Reports

Reports of the various Home Demonstration clubs were given at the HD Club Council meeting Saturday afternoon.

An outline of the year's work as planned by the clubs was given and plans were made for a display exhibit sponsored by one club each month. Forsan will sponsor the exhibit for the Council in March.

The council will have a food sale at the Hereford Breeder's Show and sale on Feb. 21.

Howard County will have a B-wiley's Baking contest of cakes sometime in the near future.

Mrs. I. H. Severance and Mrs. Grady Hale were appointed as assistant reporters.

Those present were Mrs. A. D. Dodson, a visitor of Snyder, Mrs. W. H. Ward, Mrs. J. F. Skalkicky, Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mrs. W. L. Eggleston and Mrs. Shirley Fryar of Fairview; Mrs. Pearl Caultle of Overton; Mrs. W. A. Burchell, Mrs. Fred Roman, Mrs. J. T. Gross, Mrs. Robert Brown all of Knott; Mrs. Allen Hull and Mrs. Albert Davis of Centerpoint; Mrs. M. M. Fairchild, Mrs. J. M. Craig, Mrs. H. L. Tienerand, Mrs. Grady Hale and Mrs. L. B. McElreath of Forsan; Mrs. I. H. Severance, Mrs. Ray Shaw, and Mrs. Sam Armstrong of Coahoma; Mrs. Earl Hull, of R-Bar and Mrs. Jeff Painter of Luther and Miss Margaret Christie, County Home Demonstration agent.

The reporters of the clubs met for a business session earlier and voted to have a reporter's contest and keep scrapbooks with the best one receiving a prize at the end of the year. They will also sponsor a similar contest for the 4-H Club girls.

The next reporters meeting will be May 8.

### COSDEN CHATTER

**Out-Of-Town Visitors Here On Business**

### By PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT

Neilson Phillips, Jr. of Dallas, a Cosden director, spent Thursday in the office on company business.

E. Jackson of Longview and John Messler of St. Louis, both of Jackson Petroleum company were visitors in the office Monday.

E. W. Robitaille, production superintendent for A. G. Talbot at Graham visited the offices Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Yarbrough visited the offices Wednesday. Yarbrough is the Cosden distributor in Colorado City.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Bratcher and family are moving from Graham to Arlington this week. The Bratchers have lived in Graham for the past ten years. Bratcher being superintendent of Cosden production there. He is now in charge of terminal operations at the Orme plant near Arlington.

J. M. Lipham, Cosden jobber at Kermit, and Hugo Zetzman, Cosden jobber at Roscoe, were visitors in the office Thursday.

We welcome Mrs. Laverne Casey as a new employe in the mailing department.

W. H. Wharton left yesterday on a vacation trip which he plans to spend in Seymour with his parents.

Mrs. "Speedy" Nugent entered the Big Spring hospital Sunday for surgery.

D. C. Biddison entered the hospital Thursday.

R. J. Barton is still off duty due to illness.

Elwood Carlile entered the hospital Friday for surgery.

Willie Johnke's daughter, Georgia Lee, was released from the hospital Monday.

Mrs. W. W. Moeser returned home from the hospital Tuesday.

Mary Nations will enter the Big Spring hospital Monday for surgery.

A. R. W. Roberts and C. A. Tonn, refinery employes, started their vacations yesterday.

### Good News For Folks Who Suffer From

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### World Day Of Prayer Program Is Held Friday

The World Day of Prayer program was opened with the singing of "Come Thou Almighty King" by the group at the First Methodist church Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. A. Laswell gave a devotional on Prayer and Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr., accompanied by Mrs. Champ Rainwater sang, "The Lord's Prayer".

Mrs. Bernard Fisher led the responsive reading after which the group gave silent prayers for those who are ill. Mrs. Lloyd Brooks gave the appeal for the offering. The closing hymn was "Sweet hour of Prayer" and Mrs. D. T. Evans pronounced the benediction.

Those present were Mrs. H. G. Keaton, Mrs. Charles Koberg, Mrs. Brown Rogers, Mrs. W. F. Cook, Mrs. Bernard Lamun, Mrs. B. Eckhaus, Mrs. J. Neuman, Mrs. Jessie Barnhardt, Mrs. Rose Frank, Mrs. N. Brenner, Mrs. Bernard Fisher, Mrs. M. E. Harlan, Mrs. L. M. Brooks, Mrs. J. P. Showen, Mrs. Bob Eubank and Mrs. H. J. Whittington.

Mrs. J. B. Sloan, Mrs. Lloyd Montgomery, Mrs. R. J. Lyle, Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., Mrs. J. T. Culpepper, Mrs. W. H. Davies, Mrs. T. S. Currie, Mrs. H. M. Rowe, Mrs. A. A. Marchant, Mrs. Justin Holmes, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Mrs. C. A. Schull, Mrs. George W. Hall, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. C. E. Shive, Mrs. J. C. Walts, Sr., Mrs. C. A. Long, Mrs. John E. Kolar and Mrs. J. D. Benson.

Mrs. Shelby Hall, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. H. N. Robinson, Mrs. N. W. McCleskey, Mrs. H. F. Taylor, Mrs. H. H. Haynes, Mrs. C. E. Talbot, Mrs. A. A. Porter, Mrs. J. R. Parks, Mrs. H. L. Bohannon, Mrs. Cecil Collings, Mrs. Joye Fisher, Mrs. L. B. Edwards, Mrs. C. L. Wasson and Mrs. J. R. Creath.

Mrs. Champ Rainwater, Mrs. W. A. Laswell, Mrs. G. C. Graves, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Sr., Mrs. H. F. Williamson, Mrs. Howard Morgan, Mrs. W. K. Edwards, Jr., Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. B. O. Jones, Mrs. G. W. Chowns, Mrs. W. A. Underwood, Mrs. R. E. Satterwhite, Mrs. D. T. Evans, Mrs. J. R. Horsnell, Mrs. Arthur Pickel, Mrs. W. D. Lovelace and Mrs. Frank Powell.

### Layette Shower Honors Mrs. Prentiss Bass

Mrs. Prentiss Bass was honored with a layette shower in the home of Mrs. Annie Lea Sanders, with Mrs. T. A. Harris as hostess Thursday evening.

Mrs. Tommy Hutto and Mrs. Jake Morgan won first prizes in the game contests played.

The pink and blue color scheme was used throughout the party rooms. The lace-laid cloth was centered with garber daisies and the streamers were of pink and blue chiffon.

Approximately 30 persons called during the evening.



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**Monday**  
PRESBYTERIAN AUXILIARY will meet at the church for an inspirational service at 3 p. m.  
FIRST METHODIST W.C.S. will meet in Circles Circle One with Mrs. M. L. Munroe, 1510 Scurry; Circle Two with Mrs. C. E. Talbot, 405 Washington Place; Circle Three with Mrs. J. C. Wall, Sr., 102 Lincoln; Circle Four with Mrs. A. C. Hart, 504 Bell and Circle Five in the church parlor at 3 p. m.

**Wednesday**  
VFW AUXILIARY will meet at the VFW hall at 7:30 p. m.  
MARTHA CIRCLE of First Christian Church meets with Mrs. Willard Read, 111 Scurry at 3 p. m.  
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY of St. Mary's Episcopal will meet at the Parish house at 7 p. m.

**Thursday**  
EAST FOURTH BAPTIST W.M.U. will meet in Circles Circle One with Mrs. E. R. Reese, 601 E. 12th; Circle Two with Mrs. Cleve Bece, 1861 W. 3rd; Circle Three with Mrs. J. C. Hart, 300 Nolan; Circle Four with Mrs. Edith Harrel, 901 Donley and Circle Five at the church. All circles meet at 3 p. m.

**Friday**  
NORTH BAPTIST W.M.S. meets at the church at 3 p. m.  
FIRST BAPTIST W.M.S. will meet jointly at the church for a review of the book, "Spiritual Frontiers," given by Mrs. C. T. Gray at 3 p. m.

**Saturday**  
BIG SPRING REBEKAH LODGE 894 will meet at the IOOF hall at 7:30 p. m.  
JOHN A. KEE REBEKAH LODGE will meet at the Settles hotel at 8 p. m.

**Sunday**  
ORDER OF EASTERN STAR will meet at the Masonic hall at 7:30 p. m.  
RUTH CIRCLE of the First Christian Church meets with Virginia Wood at 7:30 p. m.

**Monday**  
AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN will have an executive meeting at 7:30 and an open meeting at 8 p. m. in the Presbyterian church abatement, 701 Runnels St.

**Tuesday**  
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH choir will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.  
LADIES HOME LEAGUE MEETING of the Salvation Army will meet at the Dora Roberts' Chateau.

**Wednesday**  
FIRST METHODIST CHURCH choir will meet at the church at 7:30 p. m.  
LION'S AUXILIARY will meet at the Settles hotel at 1 p. m. with Mrs. John Doherty, Mrs. C. W. Davis and Mrs. E. H. McGibbon as co-hostesses.

**Thursday**  
CENTRAL WARD P.T.A. will meet at the school at 2 p. m.  
PARK METHODIST STUDY CLUB meets at the church at 7:30 p. m.

**Friday**  
DESSERT BRIDGE CLUB meets with Mrs. L. D. Chrane, Martha St. at 3 p. m.  
CREDIT WOMEN'S CLUB meets at the First Methodist church at noon.

**Saturday**  
PARKVIEW HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets with Mrs. Roy Green, 104 E. 6th at 2 p. m.  
CENTER POINT HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB meets with Mrs. Wesley Carroll at 2 p. m.

**Sunday**  
AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY will meet at the Legion Hut at 8 p. m.  
COLLEGE HEIGHTS PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION will meet at the school at 3 p. m. for an executive meeting and the regular meeting at 3:30 p. m.

**Monday**  
WEST WARD PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION will meet at the school at 3 p. m.  
AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB meets with Mrs. J. R. Dillard at 2 p. m.

**Tuesday**  
SUPERIOR CLUB will meet with Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, 902 Mountain Park Road, at 3 p. m.  
SUNBEAM of the First Baptist church will meet at the church at 3 p. m.

**Wednesday**  
SUNBEAMS of the East Fourth Baptist church will meet at the church at 3 p. m.



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**Wedding Vows Are Exchanged Sat. By Julia Owens And Jake Hancock**

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Wedding vows were exchanged by Miss Julia Odessa Owens of Lubbock, daughter of Mrs. J. F. Owens of Lorenzo, and Jake Hancock of Big Spring, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hancock of Abilene, Saturday evening in Lubbock.

The single ring marriage ceremony was read in the First Methodist church by the Rev. E. H. Crandall before friends and relatives of the couple.

Baskets of white gladioli and greenery decorated the church. The bride chose to wear a mauve Charmaine gabardine suit styled with a cut-away jacket. Her accessories were black and she wore a green orchid corsage.

Mrs. Winston H. Martin, sister of the bride, was matron of honor and she was attired in a palomino suit with matching accessories. Her corsage was of blue iris.

Don R. Marshall of Abilene was best man. Attending the wedding were Mrs. Sally Riley of Abilene and Winston H. Martin, of Lubbock.

Following a wedding trip to San Antonio, the couple will be at home at 107 Lexington street in Big Spring. For traveling the bride wore an imported tweed suit in Burgundy and matching accessories.

Hancock has been in business in Big Spring since February 1946. Mrs. Hancock is a registered nurse and a graduate of Lubbock Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Hancock was complimented with a tea given last week in the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Lattimore in Lubbock.

If frozen pork is stored too long the fat will gradually become rancid and the meat will lose its best flavor.



MRS. JAKE HANCOCK

**LEAP YEAR BIRTHDAYS**

This is Leap Year and the Herald is anxious to learn of people who are among those rare individuals who have an honest-to-goodness birthday only once every four years. So if you were born on Feb. 29 or know of anyone here who was born on that date, please call Miss Billie Burrell at the Herald.

Primroses need abundant light in winter and do best at about 65 degrees. Too much watering rots them, but they should not be allowed to dry out.

**Aids Science**

MOUNT WASHINGTON, N. H. (U.P.)—Mia-high Mount Washington has become a favorite laboratory for modern scientists. Its rugged weather, as attested by the 600 ice storms that have lashed its summit during the past four years, is considered ideal for testing aeronautical devices.

**Ten Babies Are Born**

Ten babies have been born this week in the hospitals of Big Spring. Six of them are girls and the other four are boys.

At the Big Spring hospital, Mr. and Mrs. Walter P. Bass are the parents of a daughter, Candace Jane, born Feb. 12 at 12:25 p. m. The infant weighed five pounds and two ounces.

A son, Weldon D., Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon D. Engle Feb. 13 at 1:22 p. m. and weighing seven pounds, 14 ounces.

At the Cowper-Sanders hospital, Yolanda Sue was born to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Welch on Feb. 9 at 3:25 a. m. and weighed five pounds, eight ounces.

An infant son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Eyrson on Feb. 8. The baby was named William Lee and weighed eight pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Coker are the parents of a son, Larry Ray Coker, born Feb. 12 at 7:47 a. m. and weighing seven pounds, nine ounces.

At the Malone-Hogan hospital, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wright are the parents of a daughter, Oda Lanette, born Feb. 7 weighing four pounds, 13 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas are the parents of a daughter, Linda Kay, born Feb. 7. The infant weighed nine pounds, 13 ounces.

Laronda Reck, a daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Holland on Feb. 9. She weighed seven pounds, six ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Griffin, Jr. of Forsan have a son, Johnny Wayne born Feb. 9, weighing six pounds, eight ounces.

A daughter, Carol Jean, weighing six pounds, ten ounces was born Feb. 13 to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Welch.

**Harrison Home Is Scene Of Shower**

Mrs. Raymond L. Blackmon, the former Garnett Harrison, was honored at a bridal shower Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. C. H. Harrison.

A Valentine theme was used in the decorations. Attending were Mrs. A. L. Harrison, Mrs. Bill Blansitt, Mrs. L. D. Patterson, Mrs. Herman Wilkerson, Mrs. Cecil Winterbrough, Mrs. Roy Cline, Mrs. E. R. Winter, Mrs. Leonard Wilkerson, Mrs. C. M. Wilkerson, Mrs. R. O. Melear, Mrs. M. C. Prevo, Mrs. J. N. Dalton, Mrs. Rule Barber, Mrs. Lucille Brown, Mrs. Weldon Myers, Evelyn Rogers and Mrs. M. C. McCaugh.

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**Pollyanna Class Has Banquet**

A sweetheart banquet was given at the First Baptist church Friday evening for members of the Pollyanna class.

The centerpiece was of white stock and red poppies. The tables were decorated with hearts and candles and the plate favors were men in top-hats and girls in ballerina skirts holding the hearts.

A skit involving Deacon Jones and his all-American family was given by members of the class.

Marguerite Bryant was Deacon Jones, La Homa O'Brien, Mrs. Jones; and portraying the parts of the children were Martha Matilde, Vola Johnson; Jimmy and Jane, the teenage twins were Josephine Creighton and Lois Talkington; Five-year-old Junior was Barbara Dally; Baby Susan was Anna Pretor and Granny Hamby, the Deacon's mother-in-law, by Mrs. Marie Haynes.

Frances Hendrick read a poem, "Cold Feet" and J. O. and Juanita Haygood sang, "When You Were Sweet Sixteen" and "Let Me Call You Sweetheart."

Assisting with the serving were Betty O'Brien, Clema Helen Potts, Nidra Williams, Marjorie Moore, Carolyn Smith and Lila Mae Hobbs.

Attending were Dr. and Mrs. P. D. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hook, Mrs. Inez Lewis, Mrs. J. C. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Withers, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Haygood, Mr. and Mrs. Loye Howze, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Martin.

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# Probers Believe Delinquents Being Detained, Not Trained

GATESVILLE, Feb. 13. (AP)—It's early to bed and early to rise at the Gatesville training school for boys, but does it make Jack a good boy?

Several members of the State Training School Code Commission came away from their inspection of the institution with the impression that merely keeping the juvenile delinquents busy from 6 a. m. until 8 p. m. is not enough.

The commission found that the delinquents "in training" here might more accurately be said to be "in detention."

Its visit here was the first of three such formal inspections undertaken in the task of studying the entire problem of juvenile delinquency and evaluating the state effort to correct it.

The commission has just barely started its work, and it has made no formal report on the school for boys, the first one to be visited. Most of its members are not yet ready to go on the record with their impressions or recommendations.

But on the basis of what they said informally, and on the basis of questions they asked the supervisors and inmates, it would be safe to say the members of this body are greatly concerned. Their concern was not over the administration, but the system the state is now using.

Several members put their finger on what appeared to be a basic weakness—little participation in vocational education.

They found only a few inmates, for example, in the school's simple automobile mechanics shop. Just a handful of the 385 boys were in the well-equipped carpentry shop, and few in the plumbing and tin-shop. Officials of the school explained that it is difficult—almost impossible—to find adequate vocational teachers for the salaries that are available. These would run from \$80 to \$100 a month, plus maintenance.

There seemed to be a full force in the bakery and the laundry, and there is plenty of work for the boys on the farm. The trouble here is, the commission was told, most of the Gatesville inmates are city boys. They aren't interested in farms, and don't want to spend their lives farming.

The inmate of Gatesville gets up at 6 in the morning, and most of the time he is in bed at 8.

He is kept pretty busy at work or in school during those daytime hours. Half at work. But the question the commission members asked was, does it all add up to much from the standpoint of rehabilitation? Are the inmates getting enough useful training to make them independent and self-respecting citizens when they leave the school?

The members of the commission are coming back individually for further studies. They want to go into the entire matter more thoroughly before they are ready to sit down and write out a bill of particulars to submit to the next legislature. They will follow the same process at the Gatesville Training School for white girls, and the Brady Training School for Negro girls. They are investigating all related matters, such as the code of laws which set up the system of treating juvenile delinquents, the manner of commitment to the institutions, what the state does if anything to follow up and keep track of "graduates" of the institutions, whether or not the state is appropriating enough money to try to reclaim wayward boys and girls.



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## Speeders Help Boost City's Court Income

Fines for speeding helped boost assessments in corporation court during the month of January, as city police launched a campaign of rigid enforcement of that section of the city traffic ordinance.

Total assessments for the month on all types of violations amounted to \$3,355.50 which resulted from 216 arrests. Policemen issued 52 speeding tickets during the month, 49 of which drew fines ranging from \$5 to \$65 each while three were excused. Total assessments for speeding amounted to \$810.

Twenty-five cases were transferred to the county for legal action, while 191 cases were heard in corporation court.

Fines collected totaled \$1,912, while assessments aggregating \$1,303 were laid out in the city jail and a total of \$140 was pending at the end of the month.

Officers issued 141 regular traffic tickets for infractions charged to vehicles registered in Howard county and 35 from out of the county. Of those from this county, 83 paid fines, 27 were excused and 31 were pending at the end of the month. Nine from out of town paid fines, seven were excused and 19 were left pending.

## Laredo Will Honor Hero

LAREDO, Feb. 13. (AP)—Mount Vernon was never like this, but George Washington undoubtedly would be pleased at the plans they are making to celebrate his 216th birthday down here on both sides of the border.

A three-day celebration—the birthday celebration association has marked the event—in the making.

Pocahontas will lead the closing pageant. George and Martha Washington (their real identities a close-kept secret) will head another pageant and a colonial ball.

A bullfight will highlight the celebration in Nuevo Laredo, on the Mexican side Sunday, Feb. 22.

Gov. Beauford Jester of Texas and Gov. Garate of the state of Tamaulipas, Mexico will be among dignitaries honored at a cocktail party on the night of Saturday, Feb. 21.

The annual grand street pageant will be held Monday, Feb. 23. Headed by Pocahontas, it will include decorated floats, Indians, cowboys, cowgirls, lots of bands and military and school groups. A Mexican delegation will be welcomed by Texas hosts at the boundary monument on the international footbridge.

Stockmen from both Texas and Mexico will hold an annual grand ball at the Martin high school auditorium on the night of Feb. 19.

The annual Pan-American fair and livestock show was postponed again this year, because of the foot and mouth disease in Mexico.

## That's Real Cold

MT. VERNON, Ind. (U.P.)—Walter L. Thomas, water superintendent, announced water bills for residents during the winter months would have to be estimated on the basis of previous records. He said if meter boxes were opened for readings, they would freeze immediately.

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## TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

### Army Official Must Think Texas Is Still A Republic

By Associated Press

Someone at army headquarters here must think Texas still is a republic.

Major Emmett L. Arnold of McAllen, who is stationed here, asked for a 30 day leave to visit Panama, with a stopover in Texas. He received an official communication of approval, with this paragraph included:

"This headquarters has no objection to Major Arnold leaving the continental limits of the United States to visit Texas and Panama."

Thirteen men soon will visit the Philadelphia mint, pick up an assortment of coins at random, then weigh and assay them.

That's an old and annual practice, to make sure that the hard money you carry in your pockets is sound. The assayers are paid only their traveling and other expense for a couple of days work. They're appointed by the President.

One of those the Treasury Department recommended to Truman for appointment is a Texan, U. S. Naval Capt. Oscar Henry Dodson. Senator Tom Connally appointed Dodson to the Naval Academy 20 years ago from central Texas.

As a hobby, Captain Dodson has studied the "Science of numismatics" and specialized in the collection of coinage of the United States, ancient Greece, Rome and China.

Douglas K. Ballentine of Ysleta, 34, for the past two years with the American diplomatic legation in Buenos Aires, has been nominated by the President for the title of vice consul.

He finished at the College of Mines in El Paso in 1937 and was a physical education instructor and surveyor before joining the state department. He was an army captain during the war.

Recently Rep. John Lyle of Corpus Christi received a telegram from his colleague, Rep. J. M. Combs of Beaumont, which read:

"Advise whether HR 2759 for consideration this week is Bulwinkle bill. If so prepare me against it. Plan to arrive Washington Saturday afternoon."

At first Lyle was puzzled as to how he could prepare, annoint or otherwise satisfy his friend.

Then he figured out the telegraph operator had misunderstood Combs, who had asked Lyle to "pair" him when a vote came up on the railroad bill. Pairing is a means by which a congressman not able to be present in voting can line up another member who is forced to be absent and who holds opposite views, so each can know they would have offset each others vote had they been on hand.

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## Lessons In History On Military Training

By FRANK GRIMES  
Herald Special Writer  
Once at a moment of crisis in the life of a great nation, the chief executive officer of the nation wrote to the chief of a province:

## Affairs Of The World—DeWitt MacKenzie

# World Is In Need Of More Tolerance

Surely newspaper columnists must have been in mind when it was pointed out in the book of Proverbs that "the way of transgressors is hard."

## The Nation Today—James Marlow

# Explanation Of Commodity Market

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Hedging...speculating...selling short...buying long...futures...  
This is an ABC of them...  
A commodity is wheat, or lard, or soybean meal, or eggs, or other things like those.

alist who does not love the calling. For me the joy of work has been my chief happiness and reward, and I could wish the same to be true of my descendants.

## Washington Merry-Go-Round—Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON—Boss of the Bronx Ed Flynn, who had a great deal to do with picking Harry Truman for vice president at Chicago, has a queer complex about liberalism.

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## Gets Civic Post

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Around The Rim—By The Herald Staff



Hal Boyle's Notebook

# Truman Tempted To Pull SEC Props

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# O'Brien, Busy Irishman

HOLLYWOOD, (AP)—You might call Pat O'Brien the busy Irishman. Here's an account of his current activities:

# Today's Birthday

ROBERT R. YOUNG, born Feb. 14, 1897, zoomed to public attention through vigorous attacks on "antiquated" and "unwise" railroad practices.

# Something New Added

The Herald in instituting, not particularly with the hope of attaining new eminence or even very many more subscribers, a new column, the first of which will appear Monday.

# Tinkling A Tuneful Past

NEW YORK, Feb. 13 (AP)—A bald-headed man called "Curly," who thirty years ago wrote hit dance tunes for Vernon and Irene Castle, is still tinkling a tuneful past for people who are home sick for yesterday.

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BUCYRUS, O. (U.P.)—The Bucyrus City Council has appointed Rags, a Hungarian dog owned by Councilman C. V. Vollrath, an assistant sergeant-at-arms so he may attend council meetings with his master.

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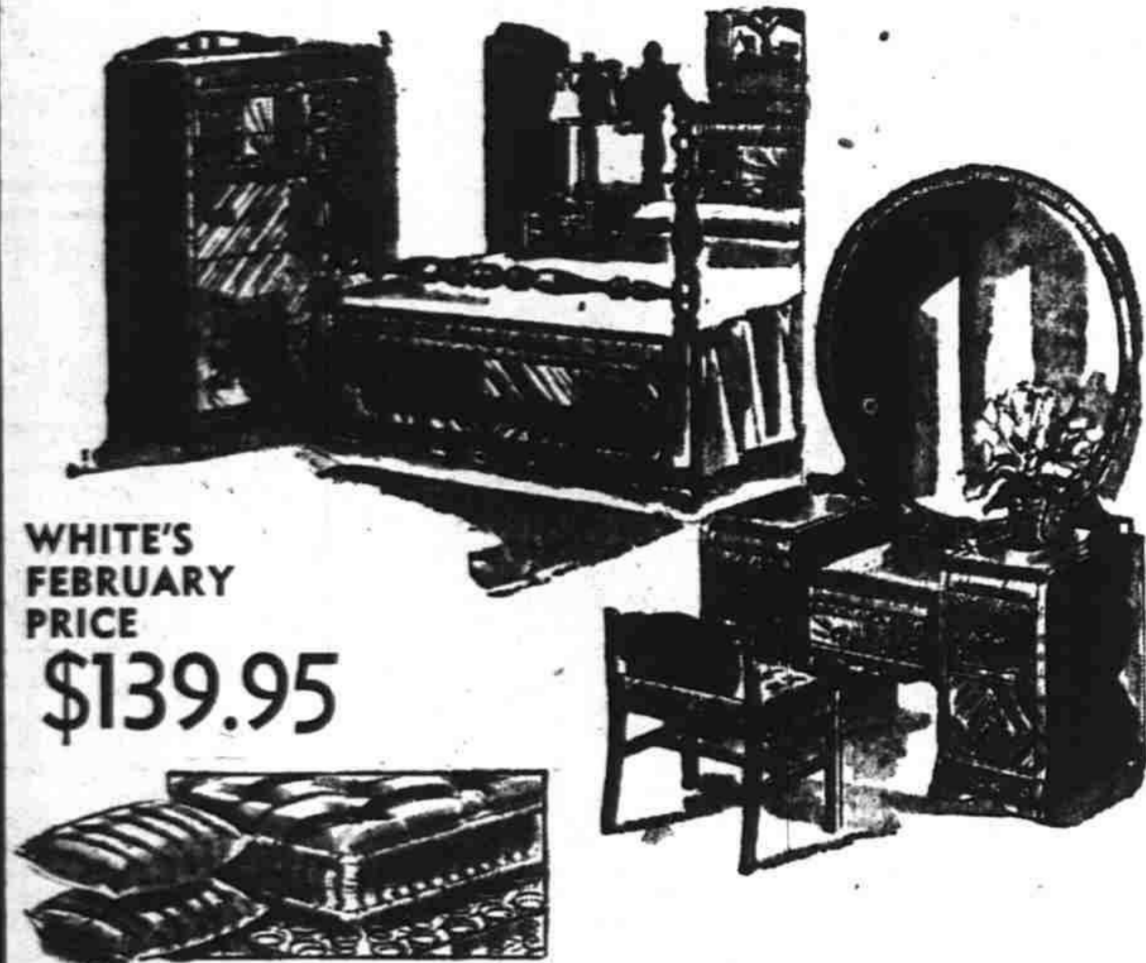
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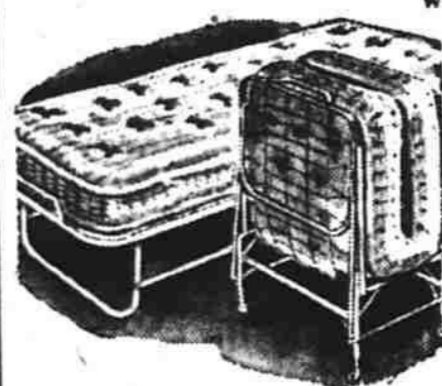
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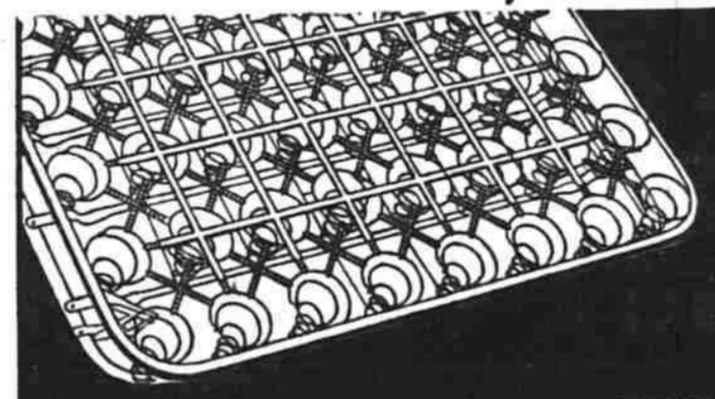
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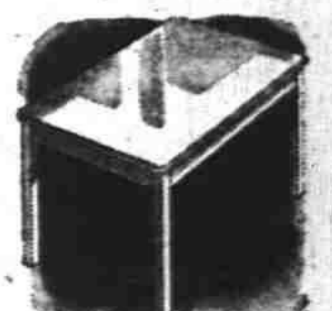
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Crossword Puzzle

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down. Includes a solution for yesterday's puzzle.

Child Expert Says Texas Needs More, Smaller Training Schools

AUSTIN, Feb. 14. — More training school units and separation of juvenile delinquents in line with their deficiencies were suggested today to the State Training School Code commission as means of improving Texas' juvenile correction system.

Herald Radio Log

Table of radio station schedules for Sunday Morning, Sunday Afternoon, and Monday Morning. Lists stations like KRLL, KBST, and WFAA with their respective programs and times.

# Jean Peters Takes First Starring Role In Ritz Attraction

Darryl F. Zanuck's presentation of "Captain From Castile" is set for showing at the Ritz theatre beginning today. Tyrone Power and Jean Peters, a newcomer, are given the leading roles in the Technicolor production.

In bringing Sameul Shellabarger's best-selling novel to the screen Mr. Zanuck wisely placed his bet on a sure thing, for few novels — even among the best-sellers — offer such a wealth of film possibilities as does this one. And to make doubly sure, Mr. Zanuck put some extra insurance on his project by entrusting Tyrone Power with the title role, assigning to Henry King the responsibility of direction, and by putting the production reins into the hands of Lamar Trotti who also wrote the script. In addition, Zanuck earmarked a budget generous enough to provide for photography in Technicolor, and to see the largest company ever sent on location into a foreign country through three and a half months of shooting in Mexico.

"Captain from Castile" is a saga of gold, empire, vengeance and glory, told for the first part against the rich tapestry of Spain in the days of the Inquisition, and then moving with Cortez in his historic invasion of Mexico. The story centers around the character of Pedro de Vargas, son of an aristocratic Spanish family, who is forced by the Inquisition to flee his native land with vengeance in his heart for those who destroyed his loved ones, and a passionate determination to restore his family name to its former glory.

This is the story of Pedro de Vargas — a battle that catapults him into the ranks of history's boldest adventures as, under the shores of Mexico in search of gold and empire. And woven into the fabric of this saga is the love story of a spirited peasant girl who followed the Cavalier de Vargas through the dangers and hardships of the New World in search of a romance she didn't dare dream could ever come true. On the screen, the story emerges in scenes of sweep and excitement: the pulsating excitement of Cortez' call to arms and glory; Pedro's indecision and his final plunge into a blind adventure; the intrigues within the army's ranks and Pedro's desperate encounter with the plotters; the invasion of Aztecs and the undercurrent of the fabulously rich land of the resentment that is to flare into fierce battle; the fiery romance of Pedro and Catana—these and tens of other facets of the story are brought to screen life against detailed and panoramic settings of beauty.



NEWCOMER — Jean Peters recent discovery, and Tyrone Power are shown above in a scene from 20th-Century Fox's "Captain From Castile," which opens today at the Ritz theatre.



DANGER — Jon Hall and Rita Johnson (above) have a moment of excitement in "The Michigan Kid," current attraction at the Lyric theatre.

## The Weeks Playbill

RITZ  
SUN.-MON.-TUES.-WED. — "Captain from Castile," with Tyrone Power and Jean Peters.  
THURS.-FRI.-SAT. — "They Won't Believe Me," with Robert Young and Susan Hayward.  
STATE  
SUN.-MON. — "This Time For Keeps," with Jimmie Durante and Esther Williams.  
TUES.-WED. — "Deep Valley," with Ida Lupino and Dane Clark.  
THURS. — "It Happened on Fifth Avenue," with Don DeFore and Anne Harding.  
FRI.-SAT. — "Ghost Town Renegades," with Lash Larue and Al St. John.  
LYRIC  
SUN.-MON. — "Michigan Kid," with Jon Hall and Rita Johnson.  
TUES.-WED. — "Dear Ruth," with Joan Caulfield and Billy De Wolfe.  
THURS.-FRI.-SAT. — "Hoppy Holiday," with William Boyd and Andy Clyde.

## 20 Numbers In Circus To Show At Auditorium

A two-hour performance, with no less than 20 different presentations, is promised in the ABC-Clyde Brothers Circus, an indoor variety spectacle which is to be staged at the municipal auditorium March 9-10-11.

The local American Business club is sponsoring the engagement, and will use its share of the proceeds for its civic and welfare projects.

The Clyde Bros. show comes highly recommended as a circus of clean acts which are replete with thrills and amusement.

AB club members and associates have tickets on sale. In addition, reserved seats for the various performances will go on sale March 2 at the Cunningham & Phillips Main street store.

## Happy Landing

INDIANAPOLIS (U.P.) — Mrs. John Snowden was at her kitchen stove preparing breakfast. The stove exploded and blew Mrs. Snowden across the room. She landed uninjured in her husband's lap.

## Slogan For Smokers

TALLAHASSEE, Fla. (U.P.) — C. E. Hames, hotel man, coined the newest slogan for Florida's state-wide drive against forest fires. It is: "Chaperone your cigarettes. Don't let them go out alone."

## Toss In Towel

ATLANTA, Ga. (U.P.) — U. S. Post Office employees literally tossed in the towel when higher-ups ordered them to economize. The first casualty of the new economy program was the 1,400 workers' towel service.

## Menace To Trees

KENT, O. (U.P.) — If you strew salt to melt winter ice from dangerous walks, make sure there's no seepage to roots of trees, warns D. C. Grove, chief field supervisor of the Davey Tree Expert Co. Salt may severely injure or even kill valuable shade trees.

# Top Flight Talent Heads Technicolor Musical At State

Esther Williams, Jimmie Durante, Lauritz Melchior, Johnnie Johnston and Xavier Cugat and his orchestra head the cast for MGM's Technicolor musical, "This Time For Keeps," coming to the State theatre today.



The script revolves about two conflicts, one between an opera star and his crooner son; the other between a society girl and an aquatic queen, offers a tailor-made role for each of the stellar participants in the romantic comedy, with Esther Williams again in the water routines which first made her famous and Johnnie Johnston an attractive leading man singing away his love in such hit numbers as "Sno Wonder," "I Love To Dance," "I'll Be With You in Apple Blossom Time," "Easy to Love," and "Why Don't They Let Me Sing A Love Song."

Durante and Melchior, in the respective roles of Esther's bodyguard and Johnston's opera-star father, are the pair who at first contrive to break up the young romancers and then later plot to bring them together again, and each contributes enormously to both the comedy and melodic entertainment with Melchior singing "Easy to Love," the charming "Danish Children's Song," "Donna E Mobile" and "Ora E Per Sempre Addio," contrasted with such typical Durante ditties as "Ten Per cent Off" and his own inimitable version of "Why Don't They Let Me Sing A Love Song."

There is a flock of supporting talent in this stellar entertainment, with special applause going to Dame May Whitty for her amusing portrayal of a worldly-wise grandmother, singing Dorothy Porter, dancing Tommy Wonder, Sharon McManus, Dick Simmons and Mary Stuart. A hand must also go to Director Richard Thorpe and Producer Joe Pasternak for a perfect blend of music and merriment.

## Snow Costs

NEW YORK (U.P.) — The Board of Estimate reported that the final cost to the city of clearing its streets of the record 25.8 inches of snow that fell on Dec. 26 came to \$6,605,000.

When fire is in or around electrical equipment, never use water or other fire extinguishers until the electric current is cut off completely at the switch.

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The script revolves about two conflicts, one between an opera star and his crooner son; the other between a society girl and an aquatic queen, offers a tailor-made role for each of the stellar participants in the romantic comedy, with Esther Williams again in the water routines which first made her famous and Johnnie Johnston an attractive leading man singing away his love in such hit numbers as "Sno Wonder," "I Love To Dance," "I'll Be With You in Apple Blossom Time," "Easy to Love," and "Why Don't They Let Me Sing A Love Song."

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There is a flock of supporting talent in this stellar entertainment, with special applause going to Dame May Whitty for her amusing portrayal of a worldly-wise grandmother, singing Dorothy Porter, dancing Tommy Wonder, Sharon McManus, Dick Simmons and Mary Stuart. A hand must also go to Director Richard Thorpe and Producer Joe Pasternak for a perfect blend of music and merriment.

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Jon Hall in the title role of the Kid, lives up to expectations of action fans as he cleverly outwits the desperados and their ruthless leaders, Victor McLaglen and Andy Devine. The latter give their usual season performances.

Rita Johnson sparkles in her role of the Kid's sweetheart.

Outstanding supporting performances are credits to Milburn Stone, William Brooks, and Leonard East.

One of Hollywood's action specialists, Ray Taylor, directed for Producer Howard Welsh. Roy Chanslor wrote the screenplay, with additional dialogue by Robert Presnell.

## Texas City Coverage Tops AP Contests

EL PASO, Feb. 14. — News and picture coverage of the Texas City disaster won top awards for Texas Associated Press member newspapers in annual contests announced here today.

The awards were made at the 37th annual meeting of the Texas Associated Press managing editors association, sponsor of the contests.

The news writing contests were judged by the American Press Institute, Columbia University, New York, and the picture contests by the photo editors of the Des Moines, Ia., Register and Tribune.

A special citation for community public service was sent to the Paris News for its campaign "fruit for all," a movement it sponsored for the planning of fruit trees. Recognition also was given the Beaumont Enterprise for its bond issue and charter campaigns and the El Paso Herald-Post for its investigation and crusade in a guardianship case.

In the picture contest there were two classes, those for photographers in cities of more than 50,000 population and those for photographers in cities under 50,000.

Jack M. Haynes, Big Spring Herald photographer, won honorable mention in the feature picture class for cities under 50,000. His print was entitled "Big Leaguer, 1965."

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**WEST TEXAS OIL**  
**Sterling Strike Paces Activity**

By JOHN B. BREWER  
SAN ANGELO, Feb. 14. — Flowing of oil for 32 minutes at a rate estimated at 25 barrels hourly by a southeastern Sterling county wildcat on a drillstem test of the lower Permian lime topped West Texas oil developments this week.

Drilling of more Ellenburger pay and a heavier distillate flow by a northern Pecos county discovery drew locations for two nearby wildcats. Upton, Reeves and Hockley counties each listed a wildcat starter.

During the first five hours of a slated 72-hour flowing test, the Anderson-Prichard Oil and Vickers Petroleum Co. No. 1 Marvin F. Foster, seven and a half miles south of Sterling City, averaged 41.26 barrels of 28.5 sweet oil. The section covered by the test is in the lower Permian between 4,232 and 4,343 feet, and flow is through a three-quarter inch choke. In order, flow was 42 barrels in the first hour, rose to 44 in the second and eased off to 36.6 in the fifth. Gas oil ratio was 107-1 the first hour, 118-1 the fifth.

No. 1 Foster is in the C SW SW 12-15, H&TC. Phillips has a diagonal southwest offset, Humble a south offset and Stanolind a west offset. The operators hold leases on 5,200 acres not in a solid block. Miss Foster, the land owner, has three and a half sections in the area.

C. W. Chancellor and Slick Oil Co. No. 1 Thornton Davis in Pecos county, which sprayed the first distillate on a drillstem test from 9,115-75 in Ellenburger entered at 8,790 feet, 6,310 feet below sea level, rated 26 barrels hourly from 9,275-9,330 feet. With only an estimated two-thirds the gauged 15,200,000 cubic feet of gas daily run through the separator, the later well yielded distillate at the rate of 28 barrels hourly. Gravity of the fluid dropped from 67 to 62.

Another drillstem test to 9,330 was scheduled before deepening. No. 1 Davis is in the C NW SE 105-8-H&GN, two miles west of the Pecos Valley shallow pool.

To hold leases expiring Feb. 14, Guy Mabee Drilling Co. staked No. 1 W. M. McEver, slated 10,000-foot wildcat, C NE NE 109-8-H&GN 1 1-2 miles to the south, and Standard of Texas spotted No. 1 Ethel N. Wick and others, proposed 2,500-foot, cable tool wildcat C NE NW of the same section.

Humble staked No. 1 Rosa Half Barnett, proposed 12,000-foot wildcat in Upton county C SE NE 4-Y-GC&SF, 3 1-4 miles northwest of Slick-Urschel and Plymouth No. 1 D. L. Alford, opener of the Benedum (Ellenburger) field. The test will be one-half mile south of Humble No. 1 J. M. Parrott, small short-lived pumper from the Pennsylvanian which stopped short of the Ellenburger.

Stanolind applied for a permit to continue deepening No. 2 Seth Campbell, Winkler county wildcat C NE SW 13-B5-psl, to 12,200 feet. A larger rotary was being installed with total depth 9,861 feet in Devonian lime.

A slated 4,200-foot, cable tool wildcat was staked in Reeves county by Taylor Refining Co. of Taylor, No. 1 Grisham-Hunter Corp., C SE SE 30-59-psl, 24 miles north of Pecos.

Ralph Lowe of Midland and others prepared to start No. 1 E. T. Roche, projected 5,500-foot, rotary wildcat in Hockley county to test the San Andres. The test is 440 feet out of the northeast corner of labor 28, league 26, Wharton county school land survey, five miles southeast of Levelland.

Ellenburger production in the Bedford (devonian and Ellenburger) field in southwestern Andrews county was given a short south-east extension by Shell and Texaco No. 8 Ratliff & Bedford. The well, C SE SE 4-74-psl, registered a daily flowing potential of 165 barrels of oil from pay topped at 1,120 feet, with total depth 11,377.

Shell staked No. 1 Lillie Collins C SE SE 4-A40-psl, one mile west and half mile north of Shell No. 1 Nelson, opener of the Nelson (Ellenburger) field in northwestern Andrews county was defined on the west by Champlin No. 1-D University, C SW SE 24-13-U, which encountered sulphur water in drilling to 10,070 feet. It is three-quarters of a mile from the Sinclair Prairie discovery.

The Barnhart (Ellenburger) field was extended northeast by Amerada No. 1-C TXL, C SW SW 235-1-T&P, flowing oil at a daily rate of 211.14 barrels from through casing perforations at 9,070-9,186 feet after acidizing.

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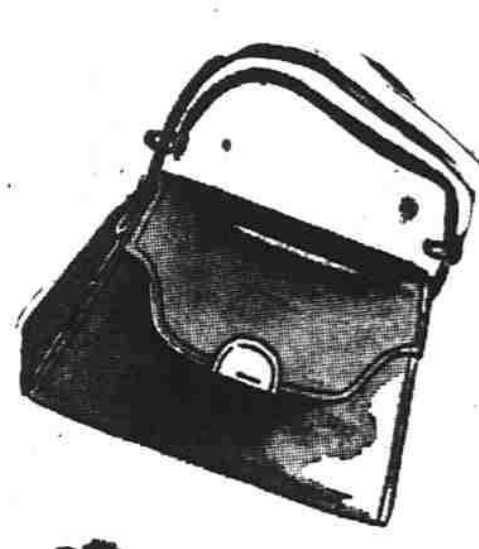


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