

U.S. DROPS CHINESE PEACEMAKING

American Personnel Will Be Withdrawn

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The State Department announced today withdrawal of the United States from the Big Three which was established in 1945 to end hostilities between the Chinese Central Government and the Communists.

In an early morning statement the department said this government is terminating its connection with the committee of three which was set up in Chungking in February, 1945, to terminate hostilities in China.

At that time General Marshall, now U.S. Secretary of State, was named chairman. Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's Central Government and the opposing Communists were other parties of the agreement.

Resignations Handed in by Aggie Cadets

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—To the strains of the "Aggie War Hymn" the Texas A. and M. College Cadet Corps of 2,100 members marched at midnight to the home of President Bill Gilchrist, where 15 of the ranking officers handed him the resignations of practically all the commissioned and non-commissioned officers of the corps.

The officers told President Gilchrist, who met them at the door, that they felt "the new rules for the discipline of the corps had taken from the cadet officers their major responsibilities."

Gilchrist replied, "I accept with regret." He then struck up "The Spirit of Aggieland" and the corps sang. At the conclusion of the song the corps broke ranks and the students returned quietly to their dormitories.

Cadet Colonel Edward Brandt of Houston was not among those who presented their resignations personally. It was not learned immediately whether his name was among the signed resignations submitted.

The changes in the regulations governing the corps' discipline were explained yesterday by an article in the student newspaper, "The Battalion," which stated: "After 18 months under the discipline of men, the Aggie Cadet Corps was taken over today (Tuesday) by Col. G. S. Meloy, Corps commander, following action by the A. and M. board of directors."

Transfer of supervision of cadet discipline was recommended by President Gilchrist, dean of men, J. W. Rollins and Col. Meloy after consideration of the previous system.

The newspaper said that the retention of A. and M.'s "military college rating" was somewhat endangered by the administration of military discipline by civilian authority. It added: "According to the board, activities such as the following are considered violations of the college's basic policy and will not be permitted: 1. Performance at any time or room service or personal service for another. 2. Use of the board (paddle) or any other form of physical hazing or by any student. 3. Participation in extra drill anytime except as authorized by college authorities."

More Workers Needed To Assist in Drive For 'Flour for Poland'
More workers are needed to assist in the "Flour for Poland" drive now in progress, Paul Hill, publicity chairman, said today, adding that much of the city had not been canvassed.

Through mid-morning, a total of \$1,445.89 of the approximately \$4,000 needed had been turned in by drive workers since the campaign started Sunday.

Hill said that residents interested in working on the drive should contact him at his office in the Court House.

Anyone wishing to mail a check for the drive should mail it to Floyd Imel, treasurer of the drive committee, at the Citizens Bank and Trust Company, Hill added.

Sponsoring the campaign to send 40 tons of flour to Poland from Pampa is a special committee set up by the Pampa Ministerial Alliance. A. C. Troop heads the general committee.

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SEEKING GOLD—Mrs. Laura Middaugh, 59-year-old Joplin, Mo., grandmother, shown in Denver on her way to find the lost Dutchman gold mine in Arizona. Armed with a map she claims was given her by her great-great uncle, she is hitchhiking in search of the gold.

Third Snow for Winter Season Is Forecast Tonight
Pampa is in for its third snow of the winter season tonight as high winds today brought an old-fashioned "duster" and a forecast of low temperatures ranging from 22 to 26 degrees tonight.

Although the mercury held at a warm 52 here at noon today, the thermometer is expected to gradually drop this afternoon while winds, which reached 40 miles per hour this morning, are expected to increase.

The cold front is moving in from a general northwest direction and will bring sharp drops in temperatures to both the Panhandle and the Red River Valley area.

Meanwhile, according to the Associated Press, Texas weather was "on a tear" as Lubbock and Pampa labored in a dust storm, fog banks packed thick along the coast, a 79-mile-per-hour wind was blowing Guadalupe Pass in extreme West Texas and temperatures continued unseasonably mild, with Big Spring reporting a low of 48 this morning.

The desolate areas near Guadalupe Pass and in Hudspeth County were lashed by high winds carrying dust.

Visibility on the streets at Lubbock this morning was limited to about one block as the dust bank rolled in, partially blotting out the sun.

Committee Hears Business Attorney

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Theodore R. Iserman, a New York attorney, today urged Congress to overhaul the Wagner Act, terming it "the root of unsatisfactory labor relations in the United States."

Iserman told the Senate Labor Committee he represents companies which "count their employees in tens and in tens of thousands."

The committee is conducting hearings on 15 bills, most of which propose major changes in labor relations laws with a view to achieving industrial peace.

Before Iserman took the stand, Chairman Taft (R-Ohio) expressed the opinion to newsmen that the GOP-led Senate Labor Committee and the administration may be "closer together" on how to win such peace than it first appeared.

The basis of this belief, Taft explained, is the testimony Secretary of Labor Schwellenbach gave before the committee.

In urging sweeping revisions of the Wagner Act, Iserman endorsed a bill by Senator Ball (R-Minn.) which is designed to accomplish this.

He also supported legislation which would: 1. Outlaw unionization of foremen. 2. Prevent industry-wide bargaining by unions. 3. Make it easier to sue unions. 4. Ban jurisdictional or organizational strikes and secondary boycotts.

Outlaw closed shops. As for pending bills to set up a mediation board, Iserman said he has "reservations." He added: "I have dealt frequently with conciliators and am familiar with the sometimes painful process of conciliation. It has been my impression that government boards do not increase in power and importance. I doubt if the mediation board would be an exception."

Iserman said Ball's bill to revise the Wagner Act "reflects a remarkable understanding of the problems of management and labor under the present act."

Among other things the measure would give employers the right to fire strikers; make unions liable for unfair labor practices; authorize industry to petition for injunctions against "unlawful" strikes; and give greater recognition to independent unions.

Iserman said that under the Wagner Act the number of strikes had tripled, averaging 1,040 in each of 10 years before the act and 3,270 in each of the 10 years following passage of the measure in 1935.

"They have increased, he contends," he said. "See COMMITTEE, Page 8"

Support Sought For Bill on Tax Exemption Hike
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Rep. Engel (Mich.) told fellow Republicans today that enactment of the GOP-backed bill to cut income taxes 20 percent might "spell defeat" for the party in 1948.

The long-brewing rebellion in GOP ranks against "across the board" tax cutting broke into the open as the House neared a vote on legislation freezing excise taxes on liquor, furs and many other items when they flew back from El Paso.

Man Confesses Short Slaying; Held by Police

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Daniel S. Voorhees, curly-haired and husky, was booked today in the county jail on suspicion of murder after police said he signed a confession to the sadistic mutilation slaying of beautiful Elizabeth Short.

Detective Ed Barrett displayed a sheet of paper on which was written: "I did kill Beth Short." It was signed "Dan Voorhees."

Voorhees, 33 and blue-eyed, surrendered to homicide detail officers late last night after telephoning them he would be waiting on a downtown street corner. Barrett said he announced:

"I'm so sick I can't stand it any longer. I killed the 'Black Dahlia.' Take me to jail. I want to get it over with."

Miss Short, 22, was known to her friends as the "Black Dahlia" because of her penchant for flower headpieces and black raiment. She was found dead in a vacant lot Jan. 15. Her nude body had been battered and bisected at the diaphragm.

Det. Lt. Charles King said questioning would be suspended until he recovers from his bewildered and befuddled state.

The shocking slaying of the young film hopeful from Medford, Mass., has in recent days brought police and newspapers a deluge of crank notes. But among the messages were some officers believed authentic.

One contained a girl address, book and Social Security card. Another said the slayer would give himself up at 10 a.m. today. Voorhees' arrest came less than 12 hours from the deadline, but Barrett quoted him as saying he had no part of any of the communications.

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Judge Picked by 'Leo the Lip' as His Next Target
LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Leo Durocher, who has done a lot of talking back to umpires as boss of the Brooklyn Dodgers, has picked a new target—the judge who is threatening to set aside the California divorce he granted last week to Movie Actress Laraine Day.

Durocher married Miss Day in El Paso, Texas, shortly after she obtained a divorce from her former husband, J. Edgar Hoover, Superior Judge George A. Dockweiler, who a day earlier dissolved Miss Day's marriage to J. Ray Hendricks, airport executive, has since honored her before him next Tuesday to show why he should not rescind the decree.

The loquacious Leo, who all long has been saying only "No comment," finally issued a statement. It was about Judge Dockweiler. He said the judge leaked to the public the transcript of a conference in his chambers with Laraine and Leo when they flew back from El Paso.

Leo didn't stop there. He said he and Laraine were "legally man and wife and we intend to remain so as long as we live."

"It is a disgraceful situation," the Durocher communique continued. "When a supposedly holier-than-thou jurist can suggest—as he did to my wife and mine—that we annul our marriage and her J. Edgar divorce, and the court would overlook our living in sin until her interlocking decree becomes final. This, he explained, would be legally permissible."

Judge Dockweiler said this of the boss of "Dem Bums."

"Mr. Durocher isn't a party to the proceedings. He is at liberty to entertain any opinion he desires regarding my ability. I don't propose to engage in any discussion with him on the proprieties of the matter now pending. He's an interloper."

"I did not release the transcript of the press, but it was in no way private or unprivileged. Miss Day's lawyer started off with: 'This is for the record, Judge.'"



NO MISNOMER!—On a snow-covered artillery range near Fairbanks, Alaska, the crew of a 120 mm. anti-aircraft gun stand by their long-barreled weapon during maneuvers of the Army's "Operation Frigid."

Senate Group Will Probe Parole System

AUSTIN—(AP)—Lieut. Gov. Allan Shivers today appointed a five-man general investigating committee in the Senate, and told its members their first duty would be to inquire into the system of pardons and paroles "without fear or favor."

He named Sen. A. M. Aikin, Jr., of Paris as chairman. The other members are Sens. Fred Harris of Dallas, Grady Hazlewood of Amarillo, Dorsey B. Hardeman of San Angelo, H. L. Winfield of Fort Stockton.

This action came a few minutes after the Senate passed by a vote of 26 to 0 an emergency measure which would give rural school teachers a bonus of \$75 a month for the balance of the school year. The bill now goes to the House, where two similar measures have been introduced.

In the House, Reps. John Bell of Cuero and Woodrow W. Dean of El Paso introduced a bill legalizing parimutual betting at horse race tracks. It would set up a racing commission, taxing the parimutuel take and dividing the money between the teachers retirement fund, a fund for dependent children of World War I and II veterans, the needy blind, and old age assistance.

With more than a score of specific and general proposals from Gov. Beauford H. Jester before it, the 50th Legislature today had enough work on hand to keep it busy from now until Christmas.

Jester's recommendations came in a 12,000-word document, covering a wide range of legislative subjects. It started with control of foot and mouth disease in cattle, progressed through human health, welfare and higher education for Negroes and whites, and wound up on a financial note that some lawmakers believed was over-optimistic.

The Governor gave the lawmakers a book-length assignment from the standpoint of volume, but many See PAROLE PROBE, Page 8

Seniors to Present 'Big-Hearted Herbert' Tomorrow and Friday
A three-act play, "Big-Hearted Herbert," will be presented here Thursday and Friday nights at eight o'clock in the Senior High auditorium by the Senior Class of Pampa High School.

Directed by Ruth Stapleton, head of the dramatics department, the play is a comedy centering on problems of teen-age youths and their families and friends and on the attempts by Herbert, father of the play, to keep control of his household.

Holding leads in the play are June Southwick as Elizabeth Kalines, Flor Brandt as Herbert Kalines, Margie Lawrence as Alice Kalines and Orin Allen as Andrew Goodrich. The latter two are the romantic leads.

Others in the cast include: Tom Darby as Robert Kalines; Mildred McClendon as Martha, the maid; Lawrence Balnes as Herbert, Jr.; Bunny Shelton as Amy Lawrence; Bob Love as Jim Lawrence; Weldon Mitchell as Mr. Goodrich; Edith Mae Morrow as Mrs. Goodrich; Isaac Hoval as Mr. Havens and Joanne Thompson as Mrs. Havens.

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Methodist Bishop Among 26 Aboard Crashed Plane

SHANGHAI—(AP)—A Chinese commercial airliner carrying Methodist Bishop and Mrs. Schuyler Edward Garth, Madison, Wis., among its 26 occupants exploded in mid-air 100 miles west of Hankow and the official Central News Agency said today 25 persons were killed.

The agency said the sole survivor was a very seriously injured foreigner who was being rushed to a hospital. The survivor's identity was not reported. The agency said its report came from Chinese Civil Air authorities.

The plane, second lost in the interior of China in four days, was piloted by John Papajik of New York City and carried several foreign missionaries and their children. The other foreigners listed by the company, the Chinese National Aviation Corp., included Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Vick of the American Baptist (North) of Chesire, Conn., their two children; Mrs. F. Miller and her three children of Canada and Mrs. B. Kitchen of the United Church of Canada.

Bishop Garth and his wife, both of whom came to China last Dec. 31, had boarded the plane at Hankow.

The crash area is the same general sector being searched for the Onac transport plane with 19 aboard, including the American pilot, Jack M. Blackmore of Los Angeles, Calif., which disappeared Saturday about 15 miles away from Chungking on a flight from Hong Kong via Canton.

Five Army Prisoners Saw Way Out of Jail
NEW YORK—(AP)—Five Army prisoners hunkered their way through iron bars today and escaped from prison on Governors Island in New York Harbor, U. S. Army authorities said.

Four of the prisoners had been transferred to Fort Jay on the island after attempting to escape from Ft. Dix N. J. New Year's Eve, the Army said.

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PAMPA AND VICINITY—Continued high winds and possible snow tonight. Lowest temperature tonight 28 to 35 degrees.

WEST TEXAS—Partly cloudy; snow in Panhandle this afternoon or tonight; colder tonight and Thursday. In Panhandle, Big Bend, Plains and Pecos Valley westward this afternoon. Thursday with light snow; lowest temperatures tonight 22-28 in Panhandle and 27-32 elsewhere except 24-40 in Del Rio-Eagle Pass area.

EAST TEXAS—Showers in east and south portions tonight and Thursday; colder in north and west portions tonight; colder Thursday; lowest temperatures tonight 28-32 in west and north Texas; 24-28 in west and northwest Thursday.

OKLAHOMA—Cloudy and cool tonight and Thursday with light snow beginning tonight, continuing over Thursday morning. Low temperatures tonight 15 to 20 in Panhandle, 15 to 25 southeast.

See the new home freezing locker at Lewis Hardware. (C-1)

Coin Toss Decides Winning Team in Jaycee Membership Contest; 38 New Members Added

Jack Nimmo, Junior Chamber of Commerce president, reluctantly confirmed today the statement that a team captained by one Don Foster had won the Jaycee membership drive contest but not before a coin was flipped following a tie count.

Each team, it was learned, following several dozen re-counts, accusations and low-blows, roped in 19 members and captains of the two teams—Foster and Nimmo—got together in a solemn ceremony and flipped a coin lifted from a parking meter.

The coin showed heads and Foster won. Nimmo recovered later in a local hospital.

To make a bad deal worse, Frank Fata, who is the club secretary-treasurer and also an OPA official, skipped town for both reasons today and names of the 38 new members were not available, although Nimmo hinted that Foster's "members" were lured away from some unsuspecting kindergarten.

Gray County Cotton

U. S. Department of Commerce figures show that 959 bales of cotton were ginned in Gray County from the crop of 1945 prior to Jan. 16, as compared with 1,280 bales for the crop of 1945.

to pay for a blow-out honoring the old-victorious Fosterites.

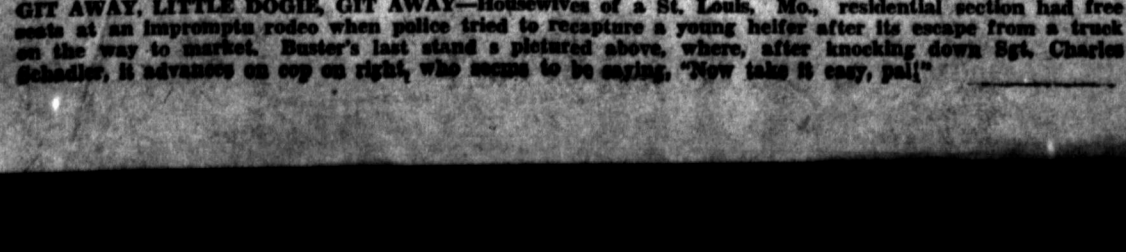
Still pale and wan, Nimmo said today that the club now has approximately 77 and one-half (Foster) members and, assuming a martyred attitude, added that it was worth \$2.50 to see so many new members in the club.

Slumping lower and lower over his desk, Nimmo changed the subject and said no complete figures on the Jaycee share of proceeds from the West Theatre production, "The Shining Hour," would be available for the next few days.

The play was presented here Monday and Tuesday nights, with the club's funds going to the Community Center fund.

Bennett presented four members of the east of the coming Top of Texas Revue.

Jack Dunham sang "Hang Your Hat on the Top of Texas," with title taken from the Jaycee slogan; Mari-belle Hazard and John Cinnell sang a double duet, "The Man of My Dreams Wears Levis"; and The Gals of My Dreams Wears Collets, and Estelle Steuber sang "New Moon Over the Meadow."



GET AWAY, LITTLE DOGIE, GET AWAY—Housewives of a St. Louis, Mo., residential section had free access at an impromptu rodeo when police tried to recapture a young heifer after his escape from a truck. The heifer, Buster's last stand is pictured above, where, after knocking down Sgt. Charles Schindler, it advanced on cops on right, who seem to be saying, "How take it easy, pal!"

Harvesters Down Plainview To Tie for Third in District I-AA

'Bill Daley Case' Holds Spotlight At League Meet

NEW YORK—(AP)—Overshadowing the strictly business phases of the meeting of All-America Conference Club owners here today was the "Bill Daley case," and there was talk of a new legal clash between the infant pro circuit and the rival National Football League.

It was reported that if the former Minnesota star, who played with the conference's Brooklyn and Miami clubs last year, should jump to the National League Pittsburgh Steelers the conference would go to court with the case.

Daley was traded by Brooklyn to Miami late last season before the Miami Club folded and its franchise was shifted to Baltimore for 1947. The big fullback recently conferred with Pittsburgh officials concerning a contract for next season, but Robert Rosenber, head of the Baltimore Club, said Daley promised him he would not sign until talking to Baltimore officials.

Meanwhile, two more names were added to the list of possible candidates for the commissionership vacated by the resignation of James Crowley. Navy Coach Tom Hamilton and Columbia Mentor Lou Little were said to be in the running for the \$25,000 job.

Hamilton still an active captain in the Navy, was in Bermuda. It is known that he was approached about the position but to date he has had no comment to make. In reply to recent coaching offers, Little has insisted he was "perfectly satisfied" at Columbia.

If the owners are unable to agree on a head man at the meeting which winds up Thursday, Lou Carroll, the league attorney, might be named as an interim commissioner. At their opening session yesterday, the owners reviewed the conference's anti-gambling rules and decided they were adequate. However, it was decided to supplement existing measures by policing all parks in order to keep out known gamblers and racketeers.

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Texas Loop May Set Time Limit On Night Games

DALLAS—(AP)—A time-limit on baseball games for the benefit of the fans and press is expected to be instituted here Saturday and Sunday when the Texas League holds its annual schedule meeting. A time drawn-out double-header that extended far into the night brought protests last season. The fans were concerned because it was argued, when a man had to go to work in the morning he didn't like to be kept out at the ball park until after midnight. If so, probably wouldn't be back at the park the next night.

The sports writers also urged earlier finishes so the stories and box scores could make the editions. League President J. Alvin Gardner said indications were that most of the league members would favor at least a midnight deadline.

Other than a few points like this, little is on the agenda for discussion as the meeting will be largely for adoption of the 1947 game schedule. The player limit of 19 including a manager already has been set. The season will open April 10 and close Sept. 7. Statistician W. B. Buzbee will have four schedules ready for comparison.

Who had appeared to be a troublesome problem two weeks ago, the matter of a park in San Antonio has been taken care of. The San Antonio owners of the San Antonio Stars have located a site in South San Antonio that is ideal for location of a park to replace the old one sold from under the Stars last year. The stadium from the old field are to be moved there and the new park will have a seating capacity of 8,000—2,500 more than formerly. Transportation to the new location is adequate.

Reiser Expected To Discuss Pay Terms
BROOKLYN—(AP)—Pistol Pete Reiser, the National League's stolen base king, is expected from St. Louis today or tomorrow to discuss contract terms with President Branch Rickey of the Dodgers.

The speedy Reiser, one of the finest hitters and ballplayers in the game, recently underwent an operation for a shoulder injury in the mound city and as yet there is no certainty that he can throw as he did before.

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McClellan Lake To Be Stocked With 18,000 Bass by State Commission

Re-stocking of Lake McClellan, 25 miles south of Pampa, with at least 18,000 bass will begin some next week by the State Game and Fish Commission, Don Martin, secretary of the McClellan Lake Rod and Gun Club, announced yesterday.

Furthermore, Martin indicated that there is a possibility of 10,000 channel cat being put in the lake but no definite assurance has been available.

The re-stocking of the lake is considered due to a situation aroused here last year by the Rod and Gun Club, when it was pointed out that the lake had not been stocked in three years, while other government lakes had all been stocked.

Martin also announced that the local club would be host to members of similar clubs in this area February 21 for a Panhandle-wide sportsmen's club meeting.

Scheduled to attend the meeting is "Doc" St. Clair, Fort Worth, president of the Texas Federation of Wildlife Clubs and one of the league's experts on conservation measures in the state.

Martin said he had also obtained a set of moving pictures of various phases of hunting and fishing to be shown at the meeting.

The club secretary said he planned to attend the Wildlife Management Institute convention in San Antonio February 3 and 4 and will make a report on the meeting at the February 21 event scheduled here.

BASKETBALL Results

Texas Wesleyan 60, North Tex. 54
Abilene Christian 61, Howard Payne 50
Southwest Texas 65, East Texas 59

SPORTS

The Pittsburgh Kid

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AND IS ALL PACKED AND READY TO GO TO FLORIDA!



Rocky Must Assure Fight Group of Good Intentions

NEW YORK—(AP)—Middleweight Boxer Rocky Graziano will have opportunity Friday to convince the New York Athletic Commission that the \$700,000 bribe offer he claims to have received was too "ridiculous" to report.

Graziano's chance for a return title bout with Middleweight Champion Tony Zale on March 21 possibly is at stake.

District Attorney Frank S. Hogan, whose investigation of sports contests already has resulted in the conviction of one man and indictment of three others in connection with an attempted "fix" in professional football, disclosed the bribe offer to Graziano.

Graziano told reporters last night that Hogan and his assistants had twisted into something serious his story of being offered a bribe to "throw" his scheduled fight Dec. 27 with Rubin "Cowboy" Shank of Denver. Repeating his story of the visit of an unidentified man to his dressing room, Graziano said:

"The thing was so ridiculous I figured the guy was kidding and I laughed back with him. Nobody ever offered me a bribe seriously in my whole career."

However, Chairman Eddie Eagan ordered Graziano to appear Friday before the Athletic Commission "in connection with the circumstances surrounding his cancelled fight" with Shank.

Irving Cohen, Graziano's manager, said he asked the cancellation after the fighter developed a back ailment. Hogan had said Graziano "faked" a sore back to halt the match.

Eagan said the commission can "take disciplinary action if a fighter has been offered a bribe and has not reported it to the commission."

Hogan, declining to comment on Graziano's complaint that his story was misinterpreted, meanwhile sent out a 46-state alarm for Deyvis "Pete" Krakauer, indicted on bribery and conspiracy charges in connection with an attempt to "fix" the National Professional Football League title game Dec. 15.

Graziano-Shank Battle Strictly 'Off the Board'

NEW YORK—(AP)—A local bookmaker looked over the latest gambling "news" today and said: "If somebody called me up before the Graziano-Shank fight was cancelled, he would have been a fool to take only 4 to 1. I'd tell him to wait a minute while I sent the wagon over to pick him up."

This was the general post-punch attitude, not only in bookmaking circles but also among those of the fight game, about the report from the District Attorney's office that a group of gamblers—not bookies, mind you—had bet \$125,000 on Ruben Shank a second-rate middleweight, against Rocky Graziano, a title contender, to win \$500,000. The bet was supposed to have been made with bookies in various cities, after the gamblers first offered Rocky a fantastic \$100,000 to throw the fight.

The bout, scheduled for December 27 in Madison Square Garden, was called off December 24 when Graziano complained of an ailing back. It appears, incidentally, which appears to have been somewhat borne out when one of the New York State Athletic Commission's top physicians, Dr. Svm Newman, diagnosed the ailment as a sacrospin condition.

As for betting anything like \$125,000 with bookies out of town, just about every one who knows anything about the machinery of gambling is giggling equally as loud over the matter. It was recalled that the fight was "off the board" here because local "officers" wouldn't handle a bet because the price was too prohibitive and because there was no wagering on Shank.

Lengthy Roll Call
More than five weeks were required for the 204 roll calls of the U. S. House of Representatives, made during the last session of the 74th Congress. Only eight members of the House were present at every roll call.

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Kirk Favored in Miami Tourney

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—Peggy Kirk of Findlay, Ohio, is the woman to beat in the 18th annual Helen Lee Doherty Amateur Golf Tournament, now under way at the Miami Country Club.

Miss Kirk eliminated Louise Suggs of Lathia Springs, Ga., 2 and 1 yesterday in one of the most stunning upsets of the tournament's history. Miss Suggs won the Doherty in 1945 and 1946 and holds the women's North and South and Southern titles. Today Miss Kirk faces Mrs. Ruth Wilcox of Miami, who trounced Babe Didrikson Zaharias of Denver, Colo., who advanced by turning back Rosann Ehafer of Toledo, 4 and 3, plays Jean Hopkins of Lakewood, Ohio. Miss Hopkins advanced with a 2 and 1 victory over Evelyn Stovrel of Miami.

In another first round match, Ruth Woodard of Fall River, Mass., won from Polly Riley, Fort Worth, Texas, 2 and 1.

It's a Hearing Aid
Speakers are heard better by male listeners than by women, because men's heavy clothing absorbs sound waves, instead of reflecting them, as does the light clothing of women.

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Louis, Godoy To Meet in February

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—The third meeting of the heavyweight championship of Joe Louis and Chilean Arturo Godoy is expected to draw 47,000 fans and between \$80,000 to \$100,000 when the two square off in a 10-round exhibition bout here Feb. 5.

The bout will be staged at the new Plaza Mexico, built at a cost of \$1,000,000 and admission prices will range from five pesos (\$1) for general admission to 150 pesos (\$30) for private seats.

The rounds will be two minutes each, instead of the required three in a regular scrap and Marshall Miles, Louis' co-manager, insisted. "We can't lose his title even if Godoy should be lucky enough to knock him out."

another proposal they consider is one already aired by each, instead of the required three for the bouts of the winning and losing teams in the World Series and that a rule be passed so that liberal club owner couldn't hand out more dough to the members of losing team than the winners received.

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TUCSON—(AP)—Top notch golfers who will swing for keeps in the \$10,000 Tucson Open starting tomorrow, keep their clubs warm today by getting in on the pre-tourney "test" matches at El Rio Country Club.

Tucson ushered in its week on the winter golf map yesterday with qualifying rounds for some 50 players who rank low on the Professional Golfers Association list of tournament winners.

Leading golfers loafed or practiced for the tournament itself.

Read The News Classified Ads

BOWLING

WOMEN'S LEAGUE
Brown Derby

Gordon	125	124	107	356
Hoffman	112	112	124	348
Robinson	125	147	113	421
Sutton	147	199	102	448
White	24	24	24	72
Total	628	629	616	1973

Hughes-Pitts

Earp	152	146	122	420
Taylor	152	129	127	408
Jones	164	122	129	365
Sandberg	21	107	141	169
H. Hoelski	154	136	158	448
Total	703	717	748	2168

Wilma's

Akers	168	157	150	475
Shackelford	122	132	120	374
Dumery	102	102	102	306
Dumery	111	141	141	393
Whittle	106	134	130	370
Total	729	731	674	2134

K Shop

Mason	125	124	124	373
Grossman	103	146	124	373
Fitz	125	125	125	375
Hutchens	120	121	120	361
Travis	120	124	124	368
Total	693	742	720	2156

Heard's Dairy

Robinson	126	124	151	401
Gumery	103	103	103	309
Walker	96	101	111	308
Gumery	147	147	147	441
Lady	118	112	112	342
Total	590	587	664	1841

General Atlas

McCall	161	165	165	491
Landrum	135	132	121	388
Surt	156	153	120	429
Wooten	118	112	112	342
Moore	128	149	152	429
Total	688	677	714	2079

Behrman's

Blake	199	189	99	387
Lawrence	182	178	187	447
Travis	114	125	129	368
Walt	113	125	129	367
Total	608	637	605	2057

First National

Walt	156	165	165	486
Gumery	102	108	112	322
Walt	102	108	112	322
Walt	102	108	112	322
Total	462	489	499	1451

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WE, THE WOMEN

Needed: Interest Outside the Family

By RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer

"Ever since all the kids have been in school I've kept the radio turned on all day. I hardly ever listen to a program, but at least it's a noise in the house."

"That is the accurate comment of a housewife in her early forties."

"If a little quiet is so hard to bear now, if every hour her children are away from home as so dull void—what is to become of a woman like that as she becomes older and less and less active?"

Every so often during the busy hectic years when a home, a husband, and small children seem to fill a woman's life completely, she ought to check up on herself and find out if she is depending entirely on them for all of her interests.

If so, there is danger that—like the woman who keeps the radio on all day—she may some day find she has time on her hands and no idea of how to spend it.

Even in the busiest, most time-and effort-demanding years of her life, a housewife ought to be stern with herself in seeing that she has a little time each day to spend on some interest or interests entirely her own. It isn't easy to do that during the busy, bustling years.

FRIGHTENING ALTERNATIVE

But it is absolutely necessary for women. If you ever bog down into a rut where you have no life outside your family and find yourself making such excuses as, "After the children are older I'll do this or that," just remember the woman who keeps a radio blaring forth hour after hour just to have a noise in the house.

That ought to scare you into finding some life for yourself that isn't in any way dependent on the goings and comings of your family.

Mrs. Keehn Given Farewell Shower

MIAMI—(Special)—Mrs. Annie Keehn, who left for her new home in Clarendon Saturday, was the recipient of a lovely surprise shower Friday evening at seven o'clock when a group of friends went in a body to the honoree's home.

After the many lovely gifts had been opened and admired by the honoree, refreshments were served in the home of Mrs. C. E. Cowan, a next door neighbor.

Mrs. Keehn has lived in Miami most of her life and has owned and operated a Holy-Selly laundry for several years. She will continue in the same business in Clarendon, associated with Mrs. W. K. Wade, who recently moved from Miami. Billy, a son, and Barbara, a daughter, will be in the public schools at Clarendon.

A Weak, Run-Down Feeling Is Often A Warning

That The Red-Blood Is Getting Low

If you do not feel like your real self, do not have the usual vigor and energy, why not check up on your blood strength? Look at your hands, your fingernails, your lips, the lobes of your ears—are they pale and dry?

Every day—every hour—millions of tiny red-blood-cells must pour forth from the marrow of your bones to replace those that are worn-out. A low blood count may affect you in several ways: no appetite, underweight, no energy, a run-down condition, lack of resistance to infection and disease.

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SOCIETY

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Social Calendar

WEDNESDAY
Official business meeting at First Christian Church at 7 p. m.
First Baptist Church at 7 p. m.
Sunday School teachers and officers meet at First Baptist Church at 7 p. m.
Christian Church choir rehearsal at 7 p. m.
Informal reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mott in dining room of First Baptist Church at 8:30.
THURSDAY
Martha Class of First Baptist Church meets with Mrs. H. M. Stokes, 1109 S. Hobart, at 2:30.
Junior R. A. of First Baptist Church meets at 7 p. m.
Region and Auxiliary will have joint covered-dish supper in Legion Hall at 4:45.
First Christian Church Women's Council meets at 7 p. m.
Rebequals will meet in IOOF Hall at 7:30.
March of Dimes dance at South-ern Club at 8:30.
FRIDAY
Society-Kingsmill Club, 507 S. Somerville.
Northwest Hills H. D. Club, Mrs. W. H. Lewis, 723 E. Malone.
First Christian Church Laymen's League, 7:30 Club Faek 4, Woodrow Wilson High School.
9:00 Piano Recital, First Baptist Church.
Pampa Chapter of Society for Preservation and Encouragement of Historic Sites in America meets in Palm Room.
SATURDAY
9:00 "Old Time Dance," Legion Hall.
SUNDAY
5:00 Crowson-Vaidis wedding at First Methodist Church.
MONDAY
8:00 Beta Sigma Phi, 1113 Montague.
8:00 American Legion Auxiliary, 800 Club Room.
8:00 Teen Town, Legion Hall.
2:00 Merton H. D. Club meets with Mrs. E. R. Jay, 312 E. Browning.
9:00 La Rosa Sorority, with Mildred McLendon, 1119 E. Frances.
11:00 P. M. Pampa Chapter of First Methodist Church.
7:30 BPW Executive Board Meeting.

Twentieth Century Club Hears Attorney

John V. Osborne, local attorney, was guest speaker at the Twentieth Century Club meeting held Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. W. Garman, Jr., 1125 N. Charles. His subject was "Legal Rights of Texas Women."

Mrs. Paul Kasishke, president, presided over the business meeting at which various committee reports were given. The Health and Public Welfare Committee reported on the Elizabeth Kenny Foundation Fund which ended in December. The Committee on Fine Arts reported it would sponsor an art exhibit on Feb. 6 at 8 p. m. in the City Club Rooms and the public is invited to attend and hear an interesting talk on "Art" by Mrs. Lewis of Berger. The Peace Service and Civil Planning Committee told of boxes of clothing sent to European countries. A reply has come back from those grateful people who said their box for Christmas was received on Dec. 19. International Relations group reported that 164 books have been catalogued at the Carver School Library by this committee, with the help of Miss Ila Poole, librarian at Junior High; also a 3 year subscription to Fortune magazine was given the library. The club voted to give \$10.00 to the Penny Art Fund instead of a penny a Texas Women.

New officers for the year are: Mrs. Clifton High, president; Mrs. Lloyd Hicks, vice president; Mrs. E. C. Stroup, secretary; Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, treasurer; Mrs. Paul Kasishke, parliamentarian; Mrs. Jo W. Howze, critic; Mrs. James Massa, reporter; Mrs. J. W. Garman, Jr., Council of Clubs; Mrs. Guilford Branson, Federation Counselor.

It was announced that the spring meeting of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs would be held in Childress March 19-20.

Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Guilford Branson, W. R. Campbell, J. M. Fitzgerald, J. W. Garman, Jr., Ray J. Hogan, Loyd M. Hicks, Clifton High, Jo W. Howze, D. C. Kennedy, Paul Kasishke, James Massa, Roy McKennan, Frank L. Stallings, E. C. Stroup, and George Scott.

La Rosa Sorority Discusses Pledges

Pledges were discussed when the La Rosa Sorority held its business meeting in the home of Betty Myatt, 601 N. Nelson, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Following the business session refreshments were served to: June Dallas, president; Mrs. E. C. Stroup, secretary; Mrs. E. A. Shackleton, program leader. Her talk dealt with the trade carried on between the United States and South America; also the evils of transportation and the chief products from there. She divided the members into three groups, one representing travel by boat, another by airplane, and the third by bus. She took them on an imaginary trip through South America. On the boat trip she told of the exports taken and imports returned as it was described to her by her grandson, a Merchant Marine. She stated that we depend on South American countries for numerous products like coffee, cocoa, and bananas. They are equally dependent on us for their industrial machinery, automobiles, etc. There is an average of 2,000 people who fly from Florida to Havana, Cuba daily.

Refreshments of ice cream, cake, mints, and coffee were served to Mesdames Smita, Sweazy, Shackleton, Wilson, Shotwell, Bell, Irving Cole, Emmet Gee, A. D. Hill, L. J. McGarty, J. B. Townsend, Katie Vincent, H. W. Waters, John Brandon, Emmet Osborne, Kenneth Meyers, and H. H. Stull; and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mrs. Bill Bell, guests.

Mrs. Bell and Mrs. McCarty took colored movies of the group during the social hour.

42' Party Given By Mrs. Reynolds

Mrs. Burton Reynolds, director of the Little Junior Training Union of the First Baptist Church, entertained her department leaders, sponsors, and officers with a 42' party in her home Monday night.

Refreshments of tuna-fish sandwiches, potato chips, olives, chocolate pie, and punch were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Yeager, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Finley Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barrett, Mr. and Mrs. Parke Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Royston Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Wilford McLeod, Miss Jean Parker, and Burton Reynolds.

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Reception Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Mott

An informal reception honoring Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Mott will be held in the dining room of the First Baptist Church tonight at 8:30. All members of the church and friends are invited to attend.

The occasion is the second anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Mott with the church as they came to us from the First Baptist Church in Shawnee, Okla., just two years ago.

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Central Baptist WMU Circles Meet

The following Central Baptist Women's Missionary Union circles met Wednesday afternoon for Mission Study:

Vada Waldron Circle met in the home of Mrs. R. L. Souter, who gave the opening prayer. Mrs. Nat Lunsford presided and Mrs. R. F. Calip gave a review on the mission study book, "It Began in Burma." Mrs. D. F. Stewart closed the meeting with prayer. Mrs. S. B. Batten also attended.

Lillie Hurdley Circle was entertained in the home of Mrs. T. R. Tipps who gave the opening prayer. Mrs. J. R. Ragland directed the mission study book, "That We May See." Mrs. Hugh Peoples presided over the meeting and Mrs. O. E. Husa dismissed with prayer. Refreshments were served to those mentioned and to: Mmes. J. F. Webb, Emma Dunwoody, Lola Griggs, and Frank Silcott.

Mary Martha Circle met in the home of Mrs. Edgar Flynn who opened the meeting with prayer. Mrs. Eddie Cox presided and Mrs. Virgil White taught the mission study book, "Along the Highway of Prayer."

Mrs. G. C. Stark was hostess to the Lydia Circle. Mrs. C. Redd gave the opening prayer and Mrs. Stark presided and taught the mission study book, "Living Abundantly." The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Paul Johnson. Mrs. E. P. Sher also attended.

Annie Sallee Circle met with Mrs. H. G. Lawrence. The meeting was opened with a song and Mrs. W. O. Grace led the prayer. Mrs. E. R. Gower presided and Mrs. Grace directed the mission program. Mrs. Lawrence dismissed with prayer. Others attending were: Mmes. A. H. McPeak, J. W. Holt, and Fred Williams, and Mrs. Henry Shelton a visitor.

Brownie Troop 15 Met Monday Night

The regular meeting of Brownie Troop 15, held Monday night in the Sam Houston cafeteria, was attended by 21 Brownies and their leaders, Mmes. Emmet Osborne, Roland Dauer, and Joe Reel.

After several songs were sung the pledge to the Flag was given, and Mrs. Osborne read the story of how the Girl Scout laws were written. Miss Marie Hood, who is moving to Tucson, Ariz., with her family, was presented in a Fly-up ceremony, her Brownie Wings and Girl Scout accipin. Mrs. Hood and Teresa were guests.

The girls were dismissed by singing "Goodnight Brownies."

Old Fashioned Bean Supper Held by T U

The Central Baptist Training Union held an "old fashioned bean supper" at the church Monday night with every department represented and 87 in attendance.

After supper a business meeting was conducted by the director, Mr. Ben Stephenson. Each department met individually for a conference and planned their programs for February. Plans were made for a similar meeting the last Monday of this month.

Mrs. Evelyn Redd was in charge of the meal and kitchen arrangements.

Rev. Rudolph G. Harvey, pastor, stated that this was the greatest Training Union meeting ever held in the church.

Martha Class Meets Thursday Afternoon

The Martha Class of the First Baptist Church will hold its January business meeting at the home of Mrs. H. M. Stokes, 1109 S. Hobart, Thursday afternoon at 2:30. All officers, their assistants and members are urged to attend.

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Girl Scout Activities



Interior Decorating Badge

They have been busy washing, repairing, painting, and chopping and hope to have the room completely refreshed early in February.

Leathercraft is a popular badge activity at this time. Several troops have enjoyed visits to the City Shoe Shop where they have been shown types of leather, tools for leather work, completed leather articles and others in the process of being made. The girls are making lanyards, belts, bookmarks, purses, and bracelets in many styles.

Mrs. R. H. Nestler and Mrs. Watson Welch as leaders, will complete the project this week. Other troops working on this badge are Troop 8 (7th grade), with Mrs. Bob Ewing and Mrs. D. C. Culwell as leaders; Troop 13 (6th-7th), with Mrs. Ervin Purley and Mrs. W. O. Prewitt as leaders; and Troop 16 (6th), with Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald and Mrs. J. V. Young as leaders.

Folk dancing and troop dramas are the outstanding interests of Troop 3, under the direction of Mrs. Lynn Boyd. Mrs. Dan Bednorz and Mrs. Johnnie Cinelli. Among the many dances being learned are the quadrille, a running set, Virginia Reel, Tom Pretty Girls, Polka and Schottische. Singing games are also included.

We have heard reports of several troops that took advantages of the lovely weather last week for cook-outs and hikes.

Several Girl Scout leaders and others are taking the Red Cross First Aid Course now in progress with Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald and Miss Steed as instructors. The classes are being held from 7:30-9:30 p. m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays in the City Hall.

I'm both pro-labor and pro-capital, but I've never let either interfere with my judgment—Federal Judge Frank Picard of Michigan, who rendered partial pay decision.

Mrs. Miller Hostess To Christian Circles

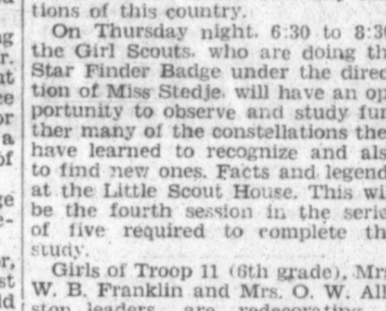
PANHANDLE—(Special)—Mrs. Lloyd Miller was hostess to the Christian Circles when they met Wednesday for a continuation of the study of the Book of Job with Mrs. Herman Powell as leader. Chapters studied were the 20, 21, 22.

Reports were given on the recent meeting in Amarillo by Mesdames Miller, M. D. Eagle and Wade Johnson.

Plans were also made for the meeting of the Council of Church Women to be held at the Christian Church Jan. 29.

Others attending were Mesdames Carl Metcalf and J. F. Weatherly. The next meeting of the Circle will be Feb. 5 in the home of Mrs. H. L. Powell with a continuation of the study of the Book of Job.

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37 Scents
38 He has produced many a fairy
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Love Has Two Faces

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THE STORY: Mike Cartill went on to war without saying anything definite to Cassie Fletcher. On his return, he proposes. But marriage to Mike means living in San Francisco and Cassie hesitates to leave the family of which she is the main support. Cassie's spoiled younger sister, Leni, has another date with Lon Cavendish.

PERSONAL NEWS OF McLEAN

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Mann moved into town Tuesday from the Jim Daugherty place in the Heidelberg community.
Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Currey and daughter, Rose Anna, visited relatives in LeFors Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCracken and grandson, Ernie Pierce, and Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hayter were Pampa visitors Monday.
Mrs. Clyde Willis and son, J. C. spent Tuesday night with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Clyde Holman, and family at Borger.
Mrs. Fred Bentley and son, Jackie, spent the weekend in the Will Bentley home at Clarendon.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Guyton and son, Jerry, have recently moved here from Pampa.
Mr. and Mrs. Orville Cunningham of Samnorwood stopped here Thursday night enroute home from attending vocational meetings at Canyon and Panhandle. He is superintendent of Samnorwood school.
The Rev. W. R. Lawrence attended a Sunday School meeting at Shamrock Tuesday night.
Dewey Wood left for his mother's bedside at San Francisco, Calif.
T. A. Massay is in serious condition.

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Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson of Amarillo visited here with relatives the first of last week.
Jack Sanders and Phillip Lisman of Borger spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Lisman.
Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Alderson made a trip to Mineral Wells last week.
Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Goodman and mother, Mrs. S. A. Goodman, attended the funeral services of their niece and granddaughter, Mrs. Christine Smith at Amarillo, Saturday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Quarles of Newton, Kansas, who visited a few days with her brother, C. O. Goodman.
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ere overnight guests Tuesday of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Raymond Yates and husband at Borger.
Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Andrews are in Dallas where the former is confined to the Methodist Hospital. Mr. Andrews became ill several weeks ago while at the bedside of his mother in Louisiana and has been moved to Dallas.
Those attending the basketball game Tuesday night at White Deer were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Griffith, Miss Billy Thacker and Mr. and Mrs. John Haynes.
Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Jordan were transacting business in Pampa Tuesday.
Mrs. Viola Thames has been visiting her husband, Bernie Thames, at Denver. He is in service.
Murray Boston, the Rev. W. R. Lawrence and Homer Abbott attended an ordination of deacons at the Shamrock Baptist Church Sunday afternoon.
Miss Jim Ann Nik of Shamrock visited Mrs. Mary Frances Marcum, Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pressler have purchased the place where they live from Mrs. Alma Henley.
Mrs. W. E. Green has returned from a recent visit with her sisters, Mrs. Hattie Edwards in Fort Worth and Mrs. B. R. Rogers at Childress.
Mrs. Elizabeth Todd of LeFors spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. Helen Dwyer.
Mr. and Mrs. Tasso Pugh visited at Phillips over the weekend.
Martin Exum of Shamrock called on his mother, Mrs. Ruth Woods, during the first of the week.
Mrs. Cora L. Bush has returned from a visit with friends at Lubbock and with her daughter, Mrs. S. A. Wood and family at Amarillo.
Mrs. Wilmette Sullivan, Mrs. Junior Windon and son together with Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson of Amarillo visited Sunday at Shamrock with Mrs. Melissa Sullivan and Mr. and Mrs. Earl O'Neal.
Joe Green of Pampa was a recent visitor in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green.
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crosby, Jr., of Sunray visited Mr. and Mrs. Lester Campbell, recently.
Odell Mantooth and Charley Cooke were Pampa visitors, Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Funderburg and baby of Pampa were visitors here this week.
The former Miss Mabel Back, now

Morris Mullinax returned Friday from Dallas.
Those from here attending the Highway 66 organization meeting at Amarillo, Friday, were Mayor Boyd Mender, a director, Lester Campbell, Odell Mantooth and Ernest Beck.
Mr. and Mrs. Elsh Phillips, Mrs. Milton Carpenter and Mrs. Ruby Swanson attended the funeral Friday at Amarillo for George Cushi, a former resident.

MIAMI NEWS
MIAMI, (Special) — Miss Avis Moorhead, of Canadian, was a visitor in Miami over the weekend.
Mrs. J. P. Osborne and a group of young people visited in Miami Sunday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cook Pampa, visited in Miami Sunday, and attended services at the Methodist Church.
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Newman and daughter, Carmen, visited in the home of Mrs. Edna Newman Sunday.
John Foglesong of Ft. Worth visited his parents over the weekend.
Miss Sue Holcomb, student at McMurry College, visited over the weekend in the parental home.
Miss Peggy Ramsey, student at Texas Tech., visited in the parental home over the weekend.
Miss Lucille Nelson and Junior Duniven, students at Amarillo Junior College, visited home folks in Miami over the weekend.
Ceel Smith, student at Texas Tech visited over the weekend with home folks.
Stanley McKenzie, student at W. T. S. College, Canyon, visited his parents Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Mark Arrington were Amarillo visitors Friday and Saturday.
Miss Marie Webb, Miami, is a patient in the Pampa Hospital following an appendectomy last week.
R. J. Bean purchased the L. A. Traylor home last week and later sold it to W. M. Byers.

LEFORS NEWS
LEFORS—(Special) — Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barham and son, Perry, Jr., spent the week end with Mr. Barham's mother, Mrs. S. Barham.
Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Berryman and daughter, Bobby, were Pampa shoppers Saturday.
Mrs. Myrtle Hilton visited in the home of her son, W. E. Lessert, Borger, recently.
Mrs. V. W. Callahan, daughter of Mrs. W. T. Hill, was operated on at the Pampa Hospital last Friday.
Miss Bobby Berryman, student at Oklahoma University, Norman, Okla., is spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Berryman.
Mr. and Mrs. George Deiver were

ing her for the first time, as she stood poised on the springboard to dive. She had beautiful legs, and slim hips, and her breasts were high and softly rounded. Her vivid hair was a bright cloud about her small fragile-boned face.
IT was 1 o'clock before the party broke up and Lon and Leni started home.
Lon, tucking Leni in the car, thought again of the way she had looked, diving into the pool—like a small perfect goddess. He was thoughtful as he started the car, but his thoughts were all mixed up. He was aware he'd had too many cocktails, but he knew too that this was a special night for him and Leni. For it was tonight he'd made up his mind about her.
Leni had had a couple of cocktails herself. She felt very happy and excited, and above all, romantic.
"The world is my oyster, and I'm goin' to open it!" she said, a trifle thickly.
"Was that?" Lon glanced at her and laughed. She looked so cute, slumped down in the seat with her head back. Sort of sleepy and contented, like a kitten. An adorable cuddly kitten. He stopped the car suddenly, so that tires squeaked.
"Leni," he said. He gathered her into his arms roughly and began to kiss her. He kissed her eyelids and she shivered, and then he kissed her through and he felt her warm hands pressing the back of his neck.
"Let's get married, Leni. Let's go pick up someone to go along with us, and let's get married tonight," he said after a while. "We can go across the state line and get it fixed up—no blood tests, nothing to it. How about it, Leni?" She lifted her soft mouth. "The white daisies she had fastened in her hair scratched his temple a little. Her lips were all the answer he needed.
"I'll phone good old Parker Hamilton. He'll go with us. He knows the ropes. He got married himself once and divorced. We won't ever get divorced, honey! Will we?"
Leni shook her head. (To Be Continued)

Pampa shoppers Saturday.
Mrs. Belle McNabb and Mrs. Bessie Call were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Hilton Saturday, and Mrs. Lula Owen and Miss Annabell Cox, Pampa, visited in her home Sunday afternoon.
Mrs. W. D. Fulcher is visiting friends and relatives in Amarillo.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McPhillips, Pampa, visited in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Deiver, and her sister, Mrs. Joe Hagler, over the week end.
Mrs. Elwin Callahan and son, Ray Elwin, Enid, Okla., are here this week visiting friends and relatives.
Mrs. W. T. Hill and Mrs. Walter Scott were in Pampa Monday.
Mr. Nathan Bumgardner, who was operated on Saturday at the Worley Hospital, Pampa, is seriously ill and all his children have been called to his bedside.
Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Halley spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Peden at McLean and attended the Baptist Church Sunday evening.

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MAYBE THEY DON'T WANT POTATO BREAD

The peoples of the world are still suffering from government dictation, and the United States, to a less extent, is no exception. Control, in one form or another, is always rearing its hydra head.

A news release from a Detroit Publicity bureau says that a Michigan congressman, Paul Shafer, has "demanded" on the floor of the House that a committee be appointed to investigate his proposal "to help the farmers of his land and other states to dispose of their surplus potato crop."

"Shafer," the report says, "suggests that all bakers in the country include four percent potato or culture made from flour in all their white bread and baked goods."

This, despite the fact that the people may not want potato culture in their flour!

Now, without arguing here the merits or demerits of potatoes in the daily bread, we object to legislation having bakers or any other group doing so and so to help somebody dispose of something. That's not democratic, because somebody, we submit, might not want it.

It seems to us the legislators in Washington and in the state capitols should know by now that the people don't like to be told what they can and cannot do. If the people wanted potato in their bread, there would be a demand for it. Consequently, somebody with an ear to popular demand would make potato bread.

But legislation to "suggest" that bakers use potatoes would probably not use that word; it would, in time, use "request" and finally "demand."

That's planned economy, and the people last November said they were tired, aplenty, of planned economy.

MACKENZIE'S Column

By J. M. Roberts, Jr.
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst
(Subbing for McKenna)

TASS, Official News Agency, has renewed the Russian Press Campaign against Great Britain over the Anglo-Soviet Treaty in suite of Stalin's recent acceptance of Foreign Minister Bevin's assurances.

It all started when Bevin made a speech saying "Britain does not tie itself to anyone," outside the United Nations framework, intending to convey that she was not ganging up with anybody.

Nobody was thinking of the Russian treaty at the time, but Pravda jumped on it as a repudiation. Bevin told Stalin that Pravda was drawing an unintended inference. Pravda repeated its charge. Then Stalin told Bevin he understood but took the opportunity to add that before the treaty could be extended, as suggested long ago by the British, it would have to get rid of some "weakening personality" in the government.

Some foreign observers thought the Russians had leaped at an opportunity to stir up trouble for Bevin among the members of the Labor Party who have been criticizing him, and to drive a wedge between Britain and the U. S. Others were wondering if someone in Russia had been feeding the press a line which Stalin did not like.

This latter idea was bolstered by memory of the recent cross-up between Red Star and Pravda. Red Star accused the Allies of mishandling and cowardice in conveying on the Murmansk route during the war. The British were indignant. Then Pravda put the screws on Red Star for inaccuracy, and more or less apologized.

Red Star's principal job is to indoctrinate political officers in the Russian Army, whereas Pravda is largely devoted to expressions of high policy. Contrary to the general belief over here, neither consists entirely of articles dictated or specifically approved from above. With in general policy lines, the writers and editors have leeway, and therefore it is possible for them to go astray.

But the Tass follow-through, accusing the British of violating the principles of the treaty by working en bloc with the United States against Russia, now eliminates any possibility that the furor began with an inadvertent misrepresentation, and leaves open the question of why the issue was raised on such a thin excuse.

Gracie Reports

By GRACIE ALLEN
Well, I see that our new secretary, General Marshall, denies that he'll be a candidate for President and General Eisenhower has made a similar denial.

George—that's my husband—reminds me that after the Civil War a general, Sherman, who was glad to be a candidate, didn't have a word left after that to say what politics was. He just refused to run.

Personally, I don't see why our military leaders are being bothered about the Presidency when you couldn't throw a brick into Congress without hitting someone who's glad to be a candidate. But perhaps that's why people are looking at the military men.

For myself, I'd rather be a general than a president. I'll wager that President Truman after what he's been through, would too. After all, when you're a general, your name can't talk back to you.

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★ THOUGHTS
For the rod of the wicked shall not rest upon the lot of the righteous, neither shall they stretch forth their hands unto iniquity.—Psalm 125:3
It is the heart and not the brain that to the highest do attain, And he who followeth loves best, Far excellent all.—Longfellow.

NEW 'COALITION'

WASHINGTON (NEA) — Sen. Robert A. Taft's Committee on Labor and Public Welfare will get going first on labor reform, legislation hearings. It will therefore grab the early headlines. But don't overlook the part that is going to be played by the House Committee on Education and Labor in writing this new Republican program for regulating unions.

Chairman of this House Labor Committee is Republican Fred A. Hartley, Jr., of Kearney, N. J. In the last Congress, Hartley got credit for organizing a "coalition" of Republicans and Democrats to hamstring OPA. Democrats who joined with him became known as "Hartley Democrats." It was a political poison label for the Democrats, though Hartley says he really didn't have a coalition. He wasn't for killing off OPA altogether. He just wanted to curb some of its powers.

Nevertheless, Hartley got the reputation of being close to the National Retail Dry Goods Association, which was OPA's principal pain in the neck. Hartley also got the reputation of being anti-labor. Labor tried hard to beat him in November. Now here he is, chairman of the new Labor Committee.

Hartley says he didn't particularly want this job. This is his tenth, and he says it will be his last, term in Congress, though he will be only 44 years old come Washington's birthday. He would much have preferred the top spot on the quiet and uncontroversial Post Office and Civil Service Committee. But House GOP leaders wanted him to take the Labor chairmanship, so he did.

With Speaker Joe Martin and Majority Leader Charles Halleck, Hartley has conferred with Senators Taft, Bell and Smith of the Senate Labor Committee. They have a loose agreement to work together and avoid duplication of effort.

Nevertheless, Hartley feels that

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Common Ground

By R. C. HOLLES

What Does Collective Bargaining Really Mean?
I know of no phrase that needs defining more than the phrase "Collective Bargaining." When I hear any one use this phrase it is doubtful if they could so explain it so that someone else could understand what they mean.

Not Exclusive Right to Bargain
Some people think that collective bargaining means that a group of workers have a right to join together to establish minimum wages, seniority, determine hours of work, methods of promotion and select representatives of their own choosing for those who voluntarily want to join the group and to agree that any other workers who do not want to join the group can make any other bargain with the employer if they desire to make. That they will not attempt to make this kind of a bargain by the threat of simultaneously stopping work.

No fair minded man could object to this kind of collective bargaining. There would be no coercion about it. It would be all voluntary if the collective bargaining group made errors they were alone would directly suffer.

Exclusive Bargaining Rights
But the above is not what is usually meant by "collective bargaining." Most union labor groups and many employers who have not concentrated their minds on moral or economic questions think that "collective bargaining" means the right to simultaneously stop work without any reasonable notice and that if the majority in a group agree to minimum wages, methods of seniority and promotion that no individual has a right to make any individual bargain that is not in harmony with the ideas of the majority of the group. They think it gives the majority the exclusive right to bargain.

But does not this kind of bargain really take from an individual

The Nation's Press

AN AFFAIR OF GLOOM
("Truth," London, England)
By long tradition the King's Speech at the opening of Parliament is a secret almost as closely guarded as the contents of the Budget. The Prime Minister broke this tradition by giving his Parliamentary Party and the Trade Union Congress General Secretary the first news of next session's Military Service Bill, which will continue conscription indefinitely.

This is made necessary by the failure of the Government's rapid recruiting campaign. His revelation was coldly received by the traditional anti-conscriptionists who used to comprise the whole Party, including Mr. Attlee, and also by those, now a stronger element than the no-conscription fellowship, who believe that the "right" to sign policy would make unnecessary any armed forces whatsoever.

For the Socialist Party, the Prime Minister's news has made the session an affair of gloom and despondency far different from the triumphal wind-up that had been expected. T. U. C. leaders say that the Prime Minister gave them the most serious tidings they had heard since Mr. Churchill told them about Dunkirk. Mr. Attlee is to be congratulated for not appreciating the economic situation twelve months ago, and for formulating a parliamentary programme based on non-existent prosperity and plenty. It should, however, be counted to his credit that now, a year later, he is trying to induce his followers to face the future as it is, and not to let election propaganda said it would be.

OFFICE CAT

The Judge was pointing out that a witness was not necessary to be re-examined by the attorney who made a statement he had previously made:

Judge—For instance, when I entered court today I could have sworn I had my pen in my pocket. Then I remembered I had left it in the bathroom at home.

When the judge reached home that evening his wife asked:

Wife—Why all this bother about your watch sending four or five men after it?

Judge—Good gracious! I never sent anyone! What did you do?

Wife—I gave it to the first one who came. He knew just what it was.

WORKING AGAINST TIME

The Senate Labor Committee this year included liberal Republicans Aiken and Morse. It has New Deal Democrats Murray and Pepper. Taft himself has indicated labor curbs should not be too severe. That being the situation, if tough legislation is written it may have to come out of the House.

Hartley now feels that instead of an effort to get a "quickie" bill through the House, there should be an omnibus bill to wrap the whole labor regulation business up in one package. He has had his own staff analyzing the 30 or more labor bills that have been introduced in the House. When the committee meets for its first formal session some time next week, the chairman hopes to have a comparative tabulation all laid out on a work sheet that will permit fast action.

Hearings will be held, yes. Anyone who wants to be heard and has something to say will be given a chance to say it. But, says Hartley, there must be action before March 31. That's the date the present government contract with the coal miners expires. There must be a new government labor policy established before that deadline.

"The farther we get from the November elections and the closer we get to the 1948 elections," says Hartley, "the harder it is going to be to write that new labor policy."

men has been improved and expanded. The Veterans' organizations, especially the American Legion, have not yet got behind any movement for over-all pensions for the "youngsters" who fought the Kaiser. They have frequently considered it at executive committee meetings, but it has always been shelved. They, too, probably think that it is too early to ask Congress for the billions that would be necessary for such a program.

HF can get an argument on his statement that most of the World War I men are "old and decrepit." The average age of the surviving 3,000,000 is believed to be about 71-72. The majority, according to periodical spot checks, are making as good a living as can be expected these days.

MILITARY—Paul L. La M. of Brackridge, Pa., hands us one which worries the politicians of both the major parties. In view of his belief that soldiers generally dislike "stuffy, pompous, intolerant and unfit officers," he wonders whether they would vote for the Marshalls, Eisenhowers, MacArthurs, etc., if they ran for President or Vice President in 1948.

Answer: General Marshall, of course, has just eliminated himself from the political scene, and he means it. The enthusiasm with which Republicans and Democrats leaders greeted his announcement,

indicates that they do not want a military man on either ticket. Ex-soldiers' prejudice against the officer class and caste would undoubtedly influence their vote. I do not believe, for instance, that they would have voted for General John J. Pershing had he run in 1920. They regarded him as a "brass hat" martinet. It is also probable that they would not line up behind General MacArthur, especially the Navy men.

From all reports, however, they do not feel such bitterness against men like General Marshall, Bradley and Eisenhower. "Ho" and the new Secretary of State apparently struck the G.I.'s as "human guys."

Nevertheless, their experience with the kind of officers Paul L. La M. a former topkick, mentions, might lead them to turn thumbs down on any military man seeking political office.

TOWNSEND—D.C.H. of Mankato, Minnesota, would like to know whether the Eightieth Congress will pass the Townsend Recovery Plan, or enact any program "for the benefit of our aged citizens."

Answer: The Townsend Plan has no chance of passage during the present Congress or at any time in the immediate future. The size of the proposed budget, together with the prospect of unchecked inflation under the California doctor's scheme, kills such a possibility.

The Congress and many of the

states, however, will probably increase the amount of old-age payments. The national legislators may also adopt a medical care program that will "benefit the aged."

PRICES—R.P.H. of Brooklyn, N. Y., like many other curious readers, wants to know whether prices will continue to drop, or whether the present decline is only temporary.

Answer: Most economists, private and public, answer in the affirmative to the first part of that query, but with qualifications. With production catching up with demand, they believe that the retail cost of consumer goods will keep on going down. They refer to tools, clothing, household fittings, light furniture, etc.

The output of heavier articles, in their opinion, will not reach sufficient volume until late fall, or possibly early in 1948, to force a sizeable reduction in prices. Barring strikes and a higher wage scale, however, they look for improved manufacturing technique and more efficient workmanship to result in lower prices on automobiles, refrigerators, deep freeze equipment, radios, etc.

In the last analysis, the trend of living costs will depend on whether labor and management, as well as Congress and the Administration at Washington, show good, common sense in their handling of problems affecting the national economy.

DRAFTES—Mrs. E.B. of Irwin,

Pa., asks "when the war will really be declared over and our boys brought home from overseas, especially the draftees who have jobs waiting for them?"

Answer: If his legal aides find it practicable, President Truman will probably declare the war over in June. The second question is more difficult to answer, but here is Washington's consensus:

If the diplomats can negotiate successfully for the control of Germany and Japan, especially with Russia, our occupation forces in those areas will consist of men who have enlisted in the regular army for three years or four years, and the draftees will be released. Assuming favorable settlement of this question, they should be out of uniform in six to nine months.

Since Ray Tucker offered to answer readers questions each week his mail at the National Press Club has been so heavy that attaches are complaining. So he asks that questions be sent to his home at 6308 Hillcrest Place, Chevy Chase, Md.

Eclipses Timed
Each eclipse of the sun and moon repeats itself at definite intervals. If there were an eclipse of the sun now, there would be one in exactly 18 years, 11 days, 8 hours from now.

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Mainly About Pampa and Her Neighbor Towns

Mrs. Clarence W. Hall has returned from her sister, Mrs. Frank Fulfer, for the past few days. For her cab call 94.

See the Top of Texas Review Feb. 3rd and 4th, Jr. HI auditorium. Get reserved seat tickets in Combs-Worley Lobby Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Rudolph Q. Harvey, Mr. Earl Miller and Mrs. Frank Elliott are conducting a Training Union revival this week in the First Baptist Church at Miami. Religious films, pictures and other help is being used by the pastor, while Mrs. Harvey will review the book, "Papa is a Preacher."

Clegg's instant ambulance, P. 2454. Electric clocks, Yes, three styles at Modern Appliance, 110 E. Foster.

Mrs. James F. Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, is a patient in the Pampa Hospital following a major operation.

Just received new shipment of 8x12 lineation rugs, Dick Gibson Service Station, 532 N. Cuyler.

Will party who left black three-quarter length coat at Terrace Grill Saturday night call at Terrace Grill.

Mr. John D. Bird, Oklahoma City, has been a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. J. H. Ritchey.

Make your selection for your spring suit early as selections are selling very fast. Paul Hawthorne Tailoring, Phone 920.

Mr. R. D. Howell, 729 Buckler, left this morning for Oklahoma City where he is undergoing treatment at the Balyeat Clinic.

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KEN BENNETT

\$500 Taken in 2 Berger Burglaries

BERGER - Approximately \$500 was taken in the burglary of two Berger business firms here early yesterday morning and Chief of Police W. O. DeWeese says he believes it was the work of professionals.

Targets of the break-ins were safes at the Finger Motor Company, 115 South Main, and the Houston Brothers Lumber Co., 110 West Jefferson.

About \$350 in currency and silver was reported missed by George Finger while H. S. Price, lumber firm manager, reported \$150 had been taken.

DeWeese concluded that professionals committed the two due to the expertise with which the safe at the motor company was cracked.

The two-inch steel and concrete door was blown completely off the five-foot safe and the combination lock on the lumber company safe was broken off by a chisel or similar tool.

Unchecked checks were left undisturbed and nothing else was missing at either firm.

Entry to each office was made by forcing rear doors, leading officers to believe that both burglaries were committed by the same persons.

Stalin May Ask for 'Military Alliance'

LONDON - (AP) - An official source said today the British government expected Prime Minister Stalin to call for a general military alliance between Russia and Britain to replace their present mutual assistance treaty.

The source added immediately that the principle Britain wanted "full cooperation with Russia." The present treaty provides for military cooperation between the two countries only in the event of aggression by Germany and her wartime satellites any time until 1951.

Although he said he could not prejudice any Russian elucidation of the "reservations" which Stalin had said "weakened" the existing pact, the informant emphasized there was no reason to believe Britain would turn down a request for a general military alliance.

Short Slaying

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American

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