

2 Dead, 17 Injured in Howard County, 1941

Wednesday partly cloudy and cloudy with showers tonight.

Okla-Kansas Crude Prices Hiked 5 Cents

Standard Posts Increase To New \$1.15 Barrel Top

TULSA, Okla., April 1 (AP)—The Standard Oil Co. of Indiana announced today a five-cent increase in the price it pays for crude oil in Kansas and Oklahoma.

The announcement spread recent price hikes for crude oil to seven states. Highest prices earlier had been announced for Texas, New Mexico, Illinois, Indiana and Kentucky.

In most of the oil producing areas it was the first increase in more than two years. It was the first basic change in the Kansas and Oklahoma price structure since Oct. 17, 1938.

While Standard officials declined to say how many barrels the company purchased daily in the two states, they admitted it was the largest individual buyer.

Skelly Oil company quickly followed Standard's lead in Kansas. Skelly buys 20,000 daily in Kansas, none in Oklahoma.

The Standard Oil Purchasing company also announced it was meeting new higher prices posted by the Humble Oil and Refining company in Texas.

Standard's postings were increased five cents a barrel in North and East Texas, two cents in Fairbanks, North Houston and Roslyn, and ten cents in Clinton.

U.S., Mexico Sign Pact For Air Refueling

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—The United States and Mexico today signed a convention providing for reciprocal use of air fuel which will permit American military planes to speed to Panama in the shortest possible time.

The convention was signed at 11:15 p. m. by Sumner Welles, undersecretary of state, and Francisco Castillo Najera, the Mexican ambassador, in the presence of Mexican and American military experts who formed the committee to draft plans for mutual defense measures for defense of the western hemisphere.

The convention will now be sent to the senate for ratification and to the Mexican congress for appropriate action.

The agreement, qualified authorities stated, would greatly strengthen the aerial defenses of the Panama Canal by making it possible for the United States to shift air force reinforcements rapidly southward from this side of the Rio Grande if danger threatened the Canal Zone.

Under its terms, army and navy planes would be permitted to fly the length of Mexico, utilizing Mexican air fields en route for refueling and repairs, and thus would be able to reach Panama in the shortest possible time.

Nobody Votes, But — City Holds Election

The city was having a non-commissioners election Tuesday, but at 1:30 p. m. only 48 persons apparently knew or cared.

2 Wounded As Violence Flares In Mine Area

By The Associated Press Two men were shot and wounded at Harlan County, Ky., today as picketing of bituminous mines started while negotiators worked at New York on a new agreement for the 330,000 miners of the eight-state Appalachian region.

President Roosevelt last night urged a speedy coal agreement. New violence also flared at the gates of the Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing company at Milwaukee and police again used an armored fortress to break picket ranks which were trying to halt a back-to-work movement.

Two Business Indices Up, Another Down

March business, spotted but showing more uniformity, left the first quarter of 1941 with gains in two departments and a pronounced loss in another, a survey of building permits, new passenger car sales and postal receipts showed Tuesday.

New car registrations set the pace with a booming 355 for the first three months of this year, a gain of 74 new cars over the comparative period a year ago.

Postal receipts sagged slightly in March, but they were still strong enough to make the quarter total of \$14,720.81 stronger by \$748 than the initial quarter of 1941.

Building permits, held at low ebb during the first two months, showed signs of awakening in March and boosted the first quarter total to \$39,811, but even so it was \$54,993 under the totals amassed for the same period last year.

Comparative tabulations for the quarter in 1940 and 1941 follow:

Table with 4 columns: 1941, Permit, Receipts, Cars. Rows for Jan, Feb, Mar, Total.

State Liquor Revenues Up

AUSTIN, April 1 (AP)—Texas is drinking considerably more liquor this year than in 1940, if state liquor tax collections are a fair criterion.

Liquor Administrator Bert Ford announced today that revenues last month were approximately 15 per cent higher than in March, 1940.

March collections aggregated \$612,885, an increase of \$78,828 over March 1940. The gain for the first quarter of 1941 over the like quarter of 1940 was \$178,603.

Yugoslavs May Join Turkey, Russia In Pact

Neutrality Declaration Ignored By Regency In Previous Overtures

BELGRADE, April 1 (AP) Government circles said today Yugoslavia's new government was seriously considering joining Soviet Russia and Turkey in a neutrality declaration.

Such a declaration was said to have been proposed by the Soviet Union but ignored by Regent Prince Paul, who was ousted last week with the Cvetkovic government that signed the axis three-power treaty.

(Russia and Turkey issued identical statements March 25 pledging such other "full and comprehensive neutrality" in the event that either was obliged to fight to defend her territory.)

Milan Gaborovic, former Yugoslav minister to Moscow and now minister without portfolio in the Yugoslav cabinet, was said to have been sent to Ankara as a special envoy to discuss the question, and then headed for Moscow.

The government also delivered its offer to the demands of the Croat minority. Terms were not disclosed. Croat leaders, with Dr. Vladimir Macek presiding, studied them at Zagreb.

Despite German-Yugoslav tension, both countries continued to maintain relations and the opinion was expressed in some quarters that the situation might not be clarified for another 16 days.

Under circumstances suggestive of approaching armed conflict, Germany completed formal evacuation of her nationals from this country, which only a week ago she triumphantly welcomed into the Rome-Berlin-Tokyo alliance.

Five main divisions—approximately 75,000 men—were reported massed on the Hungarian-Yugoslav frontier within a few hours after German Minister Viktor von Heesen left Belgrade for Berlin.

Reports were current that an ultimatum from Adolf Hitler might be expected at any moment, demanding that Yugoslavia demobilize and fulfill the treaty of alliance with the axis which the since-deposed regency government signed last Tuesday in Vienna.

Premier General Dusan Simovic, meanwhile, held the Yugoslav army of 1,200,000 men ready for instant action, and there were indications his government had strengthened its position by reaching an agreement with discontented Croat elements.

Reports from Zagreb said Vladimir Macek, the Croat leader who has been seeking assurances that the new government would respect the interests of the big minority he represents, had reached an understanding with Simovic and would remain in the cabinet as vice premier.

BERLIN, April 1 (AP)—Authoritative sources for the first time declared themselves unable today to comment further on political events in Belgrade.

When asked whether this meant the situation between Germany and Yugoslavia was hopeless, they said this did not follow but interpreted the demand to mean, "There is nothing to add to what we have said on previous days because now a state has been reached in Yugoslavia when uncontrolled feelings of hate are uppermost when inciters are doing their work, when men are murdered and women are beaten up, when nationalities and Volksdeutsche (German folk) are insulted and molested, when the whole country is in a state of turbulence."

BULLDOG LIKES FOLKS WITH NAME OF JONES OMAHA, Neb., April 1 (AP)—For Pop, a bulldog, the name was familiar even if the faces were not. He strayed from the David H. Jones home. A week later he was found at the David R. Jones home. The Joneses are not related.

Axis Demands Release Of Ships In Custody Of United States

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May Be Seized—Federal officials said in New York it was "quite possible" the United States tied up in a Hudson river dock since outbreak of the war. French freighters (foreground), He de Noirmoutier (front left), He de He (near left) and Mont Everest (right foreground).

Final Airport Plans Go To WPA Officials

Boyd J. McDaniel, city engineer, with a complicated volume of blueprints and specifications in tow, left Tuesday afternoon to submit complete airport plans to the district WPA officials.

He planned to continue on to San Antonio Wednesday with representatives from the district office in an effort to expedite action by the state office. From there action on the \$740,000 project will be handled by wire to Washington.

He-V. Spence, city manager, was hopeful that the plans would clear the state office this week and the way cleared for early action in Washington, where the project has been given presidential approval previously.

In the bulky plans which McDaniel carries were a set of big blueprints, numbering 90 pages. In all there will be eight identical sets of plans, calling for 720 pieces of print.

Besides the specifications for the huge project cover no less than 1,133 typewritten pages. Briefly, plans call for seven 5,400-foot runways, six connecting taxi strips, around a quarter of a mile of concrete apron around hangars and the new terminal building (under construction as a NYA project), 40,000 feet of tile for drainage, a mile long drainage ditch, border, beacon, and individually or collectively controlled contact lights, and reformed contours over the field.

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H. E. Wood of Eden, Farm Bureau director for this district, presided for the meeting.

Farmers Convene To Plan Organization

More than 200 farmers from 16 West Texas counties convened here today to plan organized support of a parity-payment appropriation bill now pending before congress.

The meeting was one of several sponsored in Texas by the Texas Farm Bureau, and drew attendance from the counties of extension service district 5.

Cliff Day, AAA field representative from College Station, told the farmers that they must give farm legislation quick and vigorous support through the farm bureau and other farmer organizations, or resign themselves to steadily decreasing payments from the government.

"We are due parity payments and a parity income," he said, "but we are getting about half that. Cotton is bringing \$40 or \$45 a bale, while its fair price in relation to other goods should be \$60 at least."

The speaker quoted statistics to show that farmers, constituting 25 percent of the nation's population, are getting only 9 per cent of the income.

"They've been telling us we can't organize and remedy this situation," he said. "But that's just like telling us we can't set a plow and plow out a middle. We know we can."

R. S. Arnold of Alabama, southern regional organizer for the American Farm Bureau federation, asserted that "the fellow that is skinning the farmer is the farmer himself, because farmers won't organize themselves to fight for fair prices."

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FBI To Investigate Sabotage Activity By Ships' Crews

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—Germany and Italy have demanded that the United States release axis ships taken into protective custody during the weekend and also members of the crews, it was learned reliably today.

The demands were made in notes of protest lodged with the state department by the axis embassies late yesterday.

The state department and the embassies alike declined to make public the contents of the notes. It was learned from informed sources, however, that both notes demanded release of the ships and the crews.

Germany and Italy were said to have challenged the right of the United States to take possession of the ships or to take members of the crews into custody.

Secretary of State Hull indicated that the protests were receiving scant consideration and would have no effect on the government's policy.

(In Berlin today, a German government spokesman charged that "the law has been solemnly suspended" in the United States' ship action. However, he said he was not yet authorized to make a strictly official declaration.)

Gaston Henry Hays, the French ambassador, told reporters after a visit to the state department that "the law has been solemnly suspended" in the United States' ship action. However, he said he was not yet authorized to make a strictly official declaration.)

He said he was given to understand that French and other foreign ships in American harbors might, however, be subjected to surveillance.

Secretary Hull indicated at his press conference that efforts were in progress to formulate a common hemisphere policy in connection with axis and other foreign ships taken into custody.

Despite axis protests over the "protective" seizure of German and Italian shipping, the United States—with an eye to criminal prosecution—put federal agents to work today investigating the sabotage found on most of the vessels.

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German Ships Scuttled In Peruvian Port

LIMA, Peru, April 1 (AP)—Shipping circles reported today that the German merchantman Friesland, 8,000 tons, in refuge at Paita, had been scuttled by its crew.

CALLAO, Peru, April 1 (AP)—Two German merchantmen were set afire and their seacocks opened by their crews early today in Callao harbor after their attempt to leave the port had been thwarted by a Peruvian cruiser.

The two vessels, the 5,898-ton Leipzig and the 5,578-ton Monserrate, tried to leave the harbor shortly before last midnight some hours after two other Nazi merchantmen sailed without papers.

The Peruvian cruiser Coronel Bolognesi, however, stopped them by firing five warning shots, and they returned to port, where they were set afire.

Both vessels still were burning two hours later.

The ships which sped away from the harbor after nightfall last night with lights doused were the 5,619-ton Muenchen and the 4,533-ton Hermonthis.

With the Leipzig and the Monserrate, they had been here since the outbreak of the war.

The Leipzig and the Monserrate only recently were loaded with 2,000 tons and 1,300 tons, respectively, of cotton bought by a Japanese commercial mission.

LIMA, Peru, April 1 (AP)—Peruvian planes scouting the Pacific for the German merchantmen Munich and Hermonthis which fled Callao last night were reliably reported to have found the ships today 110 miles off shore. What action the Peruvian government planned was not known.

Mexicans Due To Seize Ships

MEXICO CITY, April 1 (AP)—A responsible source at the Mexican navy ministry said that orders had been issued to marines and customs guards at Vera Cruz and Tampico to place 12 German and Italian ships in "protective custody."

The Mexican gunboat Queretaro, which had been appraising the Gulf of Mexico was reported steaming toward Tampico with 100 marines to board the nine Italian ships and one German there. The Queretaro will remain there as a precaution against any dash by the ships to the open seas.

Two axis ships at Vera Cruz were taken over by other forces.

One officer and a squad of 10 or 15 men were stationed on each ship to prevent the ships from being sabotaged, set afire, blown up or sailing, the navy ministry informant said.

CRUDE PRODUCTION CONTINUES TO RISE TULSA, Okla., April 1 (AP)—Daily crude oil production in the United States increased 7,250 barrels to 3,762,680 for the week ended March 29, the Oil and Gas Journal said today.

Food Stamp Committee Is Formed Here

Organization of a food distributing committee to put into effect the food stamp plan for distributing surplus commodities was underway here this afternoon.

Yesterday in Abilene, Howard county and the City of Big Spring signed agreements with the Federal Surplus Commodities corporation to inaugurate the plan here. This will be done as soon as FSCC is ready.

Representing the city and county at the meeting were County Judge Walter Morrison, County Commissioners H. T. Hale, R. L. Nell, Ed Brown and Alvin Simpson; Mayor G. C. Dunham, City Commissioners Bill Satterwhite, T. J. A. Robinson, J. B. Collins and R. L. Cook; R. V. Middleton and Bob Curry representing the banks; and Jimmie Greene, chamber of commerce manager.

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ASBAMA CAPTIVATES CAIRO, Egypt, April 1 (AP)—Asbama, capital of Eritrea, captured to the British today, it was announced officially tonight.

WEST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy with showers tonight, clearing by morning; Wednesday partly cloudy, mild.

EAST TEXAS—Mostly cloudy warmer in north and central portions tonight and in east portion Wednesday. Moderate south and southwest winds on the coast.

LOCAL WEATHER DATA Highest temperature yesterday, 63.

Lowest temperature today, 53.

Sunset today, 7:06.

Sunrise tomorrow, 6:53.

Grandma Knows Who Is Cutest — Babies Nonchalant About Photos

There's no doubt in grandma's mind that in concerning the pulchritude of her grandbabies. At least that's the way things stacked up Monday afternoon at the Kelsey Studio when the "up to one year" olds arrived with their mothers and grandmothers to enter their children in the Personality Child photo event being held by The Herald and Kelseys.

Some of the mothers weren't positive that their baby was the cutest, the prettiest, and the mostest of everything. But grandmas knew. Anybody with half an eye could see her grandbaby was

the finest in all the world. The babies were most nonchalant about the whole affair and good and cooed and smiled. One, Gwen McCullough, 8-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ben McCullough, was sleepy-eyed but got coaxed awake.

The only talkative one was Sherry Bussey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bussey, who is eight months old. Sherry has learned to shake her head emphatically and say "no, no, no," and she entertained everybody with this bit of conversation.

There was not one thing the babies had in common, unless it

was that they were all plenty cute. But they were blondes, brunettes, blue-eyed and brown-eyed boys and girls.

Others having pictures taken on the first day, besides Sherry Bussey and Gwen McCullough, were Robert Winston Cochran, four month old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cochran; Nita Jean Jones, 10-month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Jones; David Merrill, seven month old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Merrill; and Wanda June Counts, six month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Counts.

HEART'S HAVEN

Chapter One "Two hearts" Julie Holt Emerson glanced down at her cards and sighed impatiently. In the last hour of bridge she had already learned that her partner, Mrs. Selby-Williams, would bid just for the fun of it—and yet he hurt when Julie failed to support her.

She regarded Mrs. Selby-Williams' hands across the table, still sorting the cards, and sighed again with distaste. Why did diamonds always look vulgar on pudgy hands? She was glad her own hands—once called "the most expressive on the American stage"—had retained their slenderness.

She glanced toward Mrs. Marbury, on her right. Mrs. Marbury, too, was plump, but her softness was the appealing kind, Julie thought. Even though it was an effort to smile when Mrs. Marbury said again, as usual: "I think hearts is such a nice suit—sort of romantic. I just won't bid spades, although I probably could. But they're such ugly things..."

"Talking across the table!" The woman at Julie's left, this

and moosey-looking — "unimportant," Julie had immediately rebuffed her — was plainly irritated by this type of bridge. But she had arrived only that afternoon at the Ocean Park Hotel and would, Julie thought, leave the next day. She had already complained wistfully of the "cobble-stone beach," the impossible food and terrible service. By morning she would have enough complaints to justify breaking her reservation.

Privately, Julie Emerson agreed with everything she said. But she

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Senior Play To Be Held Friday In Coahoma

COAHOMA, April 1 (Sp)—Mr. and Mrs. Ed Baker and son, and Mrs. Jim Fields and family all of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eikenberg and family of Colorado City were Sunday visitors in the George M. Whitaker home. They celebrated Mr. and Mrs. Whitaker's 13th wedding anniversary.

Joe Baker of Snyder returned home after a week visit with his brother, Paul Baker and family.

Mrs. J. E. Conner and Mrs. Fannie Meeker of Hawley were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Townsend.

R. N. Eaton visited friends and relatives in Seymour this weekend.

Mattie Spears, Lucille Thompson, Letha Nell Roberts and Dot Collins spent Sunday visiting friends and relatives in Seminole and Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Armstrong of Westbrook visited Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Armstrong Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker and children, Miss O. T. Arthur, Charlene Tindol, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Baker of Snyder Sunday. Evan Baker returned home with them for a visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Falch of Westbrook visited their daughter, Ann, here Sunday.

The seniors of the high school will present a play Friday night, "Little Women." Curtain is at 8:30 o'clock and admission is twenty and thirty cents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Roberts spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Ida Collins of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Davis of Goldsmith and Norman visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Armstrong, Monday.

Mrs. Houston Crocker of Odessa visited her mother, Mrs. Cora Echols, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Zonker attended the funeral services for Mr. Smith in Seagraves Sunday. Smith was a former resident of this city.

Intermediate G. A. Group Has Picnic

Intermediate G. A. group met Monday in the home of Mrs. L. A. Coffey and then went to the city park for croquet games and a picnic supper.

Attending were Mosele Chapman, Lavern Wilson, Doris Nell Gilliam, Clara Bell Woods, Nan Carpenter, Wilma Evans, Bobbie Sanders, Betty and Patty Carpenter, Adelphene Covington, Doris Lou Stutville, Lucille Cathey.

Conference Reports Prepared At Meet

Quarterly conference reports were prepared by the Woman's Missionary society at the East 4th St. Baptist church Monday afternoon when an executive board meeting was held.

Attending were Mrs. J. E. Harrison, Mrs. H. C. Burnett, Mrs. R. J. Barton, Mrs. L. L. Telford, Mrs. Floren Hill, Mrs. Flen Anderson, Mrs. Garland Sanders.

Pull the Trigger on Lazy Bowels, with Ease for Stomach, too

When constipation brings on acid indigestion, stomach upset, bloating, diary spots, gas, coated tongue, sour taste and bad breath, your stomach is probably "crying the blues" because your bowels don't move. It calls for Laxative-Senna to pull the trigger on those lazy bowels, combined with Syrup Pepsin for perfect ease to your stomach in taking. For years, many doctors have given pepsin preparations in their prescriptions to make medicine more agreeable to a touchy stomach. So be sure your laxative contains Syrup Pepsin. In fact, Dr. Caldwell's Laxative-Senna combined with Syrup Pepsin. See how wonderfully the Laxative-Senna wakes up lazy nerves and muscles in your intestines to bring welcome relief from constipation. And the good old Syrup Pepsin makes this laxative so comfortable and easy on your stomach. Even sickly children love the taste of this pleasant family laxative. Buy Dr. Caldwell's Laxative-Senna at your druggist today. Try one laxative combined with Syrup Pepsin for ease to your stomach, too.

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Daily Calendar Of Week's Events

TUESDAY

BETA SIGMA PHI will have a barbecue at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Myrtle Jones, 1209 Wood.

O.E.S. will meet at 8 o'clock at the Masonic Hall.

BEREKAI LODGE #84 will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the L.O.O.F. Hall.

BENEDICT HIGH P.T.A. will meet at 4:15 o'clock at the school.

ST. THOMAS ALTAR SOCIETY will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the rectory.

B & P W CLUB will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the Elks Hall.

WOODMEN CIRCLE will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall with Mrs. Katie Kidwell in charge of drill practice.

WEDNESDAY

FIREMEN LADIES will meet at 3 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.

P.T.A. COUNCIL will meet at 4 o'clock at the high school.

DELPHIAN SOCIETY, Kappa Delta Kappa chapter, will meet at 9:45 o'clock at the Settles hotel.

PHILATHEA CLASS will meet at 10:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

GOLF CLUB luncheon will be held at 1 o'clock at the Settles hotel.

MOTHER SINGERS will meet at 2 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

THURSDAY

G.I.A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.

SOUTH WARD P.T.A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the school.

COLLEGE HEIGHTS P.T.A. will meet at 3:15 o'clock at the school.

Y.F.W. will meet at 7:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.

COLLEGE HEIGHTS Study group will meet at 1:30 o'clock at the school.

FRIDAY

TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at 2:30 o'clock at the W.O.W. Hall.

SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS will meet at 3 o'clock at the First Methodist church with Mrs. Logan Baker's circle as hostesses.

SATURDAY

HYPERION CLUB will meet at 3 o'clock with Mrs. D. F. McConnell, 401 E. Park.

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Report On Beaumont Conference Given By Council President

Report on the Beaumont conference was given by Mrs. D. W. Webber of the Beaumont Conference of Church Women when the group met Monday at St. Thomas Catholic church. Mrs. Webber told the theme of the meeting was, "Wells of Living Water," and it was carried out during the entire conference.

Delegates made reports on welfare conditions in their towns and a program was held on China relief. One day of the conference was devoted to a program on teaching Bible in the public schools of Beaumont. Election of officers was held and all were re-elected with the exception of District 8 chairman. Mrs. Bushwell of McCamey was elected for that post.

Mrs. Webber pointed out that the goals of the conference were read and these included a delegate from each council with her expenses paid, Bible teaching in the schools, abolition of salacious literature, gifts for migrant workers and lepers, legislative program supported and establishment of Christian economic order.

Mrs. Bob Eubank reported for the welfare committee and Mrs. W. D. McDonald on playground equipment for the negro school. The council voted to buy the playground equipment and appointed the committee to raise remainder of funds for the work.

Mrs. W. C. Reed, teacher at Kate Morrison school, asked for council help for a shoe fund for the Mexican children. Mrs. Eubank by Hall reported on the survey school and Mrs. V. H. Flewelling on the need for more Red Cross workers.

The council voted to hold covered-luncheon in place of afternoon sessions and a hospitality committee is to be named. The May Day luncheon for May let at the First Presbyterian church was announced and Mrs. Jim Kelley is to be chairman in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. W. D. Willbanks was program chairman and the program included singing of "God Bless America" and a prayer by the Rev. C. J. Duffey, pastor of the St. Thomas church. Scripture reading on "The Last Supper" was given by Mrs. A. H. Rucker. Mrs. Gene Springer sang "Teach Me to Pray."

Others registering were Mrs. G. S. True, Mrs. M. L. Musgrove, Mrs. J. T. Winter, Mrs. A. M. Runyan, Mrs. Gene Crenshaw, Mrs. J. A. English, Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mrs. H. J. Whittington, Mrs. M. L. Richards, Mrs. Shins Phillips, Mrs. V. Van Gieson, Mrs. W. M. Taylor, Mrs. Ella Neal, Mrs. Russell Manion, Mrs. F. L. Turpin.

Mrs. Max Wiesen, Mrs. Jess Trippehorn, Mrs. Sylvan Dalpoint, Mrs. J. M. Morgan, Mrs. Cecil Nabors, Mrs. J. E. Nix, Mrs. L. D. Jenkins, Mrs. Royce Satterwhite, Mrs. Edmund Finck, Mrs. O. R. Rodden, Mrs. H. W. Haislip, Mrs. J. R. Creath, Mrs. T. E. Baker, Mrs. W. M. Taylor.

Mrs. W. A. Miller, Mrs. Pat Harrison, Mrs. Albert Smith, Mrs. J. D. Jones, Mrs. J. O. Haynes, Mrs. Cliff Wiley, Mrs. F. C. Robinson, Mrs. Charles Koberg, Mrs. Lloyd B. Patterson, Mrs. J. H. Stiff, Mrs. Harry Lees, Mrs. J. C. Walts, Mrs. Edward Dabney, Mrs. Arthur Davis.

Mrs. Bill Horn Becomes Member Of Sewing Club

Mrs. Bill Horn was present at a new member when the Nu Stitches club met in the home of Mrs. Paul Sledge recently. Sewing was entertainment and a gift was presented the hostess.

Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. Brutus Hanks, Mrs. Merrill Creighton, Mrs. Howard Beere, Mrs. Loy House, Mrs. Reuben Creighton, Mrs. Ross Boykin, Mrs. Charles Tompkins, who is to be next hostess.

Nosegays Are Favors At Leisure Club Dinner-Bridge

Snappers, renuncias and swanpeas decorated the dinner table when Mrs. J. O. Vineyard entertained the Leisure club at the Settles hotel Monday night.

Nosegays of sweetpeas were presented to each guest and member. Mrs. Joe Pickle, Mrs. Randall Pickle and Mrs. Jack Smith were guests.

Dorothy Giles won high score and Mrs. Dee Davis bingoed. Others present were Mrs. W. N. Thurston, Merle Van Clack, Mrs. Rufus Miller, Mrs. Cecil Weaver, Mrs. Cecil McDonald, Mrs. Leonard Hillon. Mrs. Weaver is to be next hostess.

Kate Morrison Has Election And Names Its Delegates

Officers were elected and delegates to the spring conference named when the Kate Morrison P.T.A. met Monday at the school. Mrs. W. E. Martin is to be president of the group.

Tony Castello is to be vice president, Mrs. F. S. Gomez, secretary and Mrs. G. M. Lopez, treasurer.

Delegates include Mrs. J. M. Hernandez and Leon Barron. Alternates are Mrs. Gomez and Mrs. Lopez.

First grade pupils with Mrs. W. C. Reed, teacher, gave the program and talks were given by Mrs. Reed, Castello and John Hutto.

Sixty-five per cent more girls between 15 and 25 die of tuberculosis each year than do boys that age.

Child Culture Party Postponed

The Child Culture club party originally scheduled for Tuesday night has been indefinitely postponed.

Warm Weather Due To Bring Heavier Demand For Chicks

Current warm weather is due to greatly increase flow of chicks from Big Spring hatcheries.

Hatcherymen report that to date, demand for baby chicks has been unusually quiet, although a few have been moving since January.

However, local hatcherymen are confident demand for chicks will be as good or better than usual now that warm weather appears to be on hand. The season's slow start is attributed to cold weather.

One local hatchery is already running at full capacity, which means that it can turn out something like a half million chickens during the year for shipment to Arizona, California, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas points.

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Awards Given To Penmanship Class Pupils

Pupils of Miss Clara Secrest's penmanship class were presented with high school certificates in handwriting Monday by the W. S. Benson and Company of Austin.

Those receiving the awards were Mary Margaret Williams, Nellie Stewart, Yvonne Pfifer, Glenn Winfield Newberg, Katie Bell Knox, Marie Kilgore, Imogene Duffer, Virginia Aven, Clara Mae Brewer, Jeanne Dickerson, Billie Marie Harrison, Juanita Jones, Mary Moad.

Betty Jane Roberts, Kathryn Smith, Joe Allen Wilkerson, Blake Talbot, Shirley June Robbins, Clifton Patton, Katharine Morrison, Eileen Killingsworth, Robert Hall, Billy Darby, Elms Burton Boyd, Ruby Chaffin, Nell Edens, Vergie James, La Dell Loudamy, Easie Powell, Georgie Robertson, Evelyn Tucker.

PERTAINING TO PEOPLE

Mrs. Tina Johnson had as weekend guests, Mrs. O. L. Page and children from Abilene and Mrs. H. S. Little and son, Sanford.

Alma Jane Page, student at Hardin-Simmons university, joined her mother here for a visit while on a week's tour with the cowgirl band.

Mrs. O. B. Bryan and Bobbie are spending Tuesday in Abilene visiting friends.

Mrs. Willard Sullivan and Doug Perry left Tuesday morning for Fort Worth to attend the Texas Photographers association and the Southwestern Photographers association meetings. They will return Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Terry are in Colorado City where they were called by the illness of his mother.

Mrs. Paul Jones of Hesse, returned home Sunday afternoon after a visit with her sister, Mrs. Robert M. Mayne.

Ophelia Green of Midland spent Sunday visiting with Edith Gay.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Lewis and Arthur Lewis of Memphis, Tenn., are visiting here with his sister, Mrs. W. E. Davis, and Mr. Davis for a few days. The Lewises have been visiting in Memphis and are returning there to make their home.

A card from Mrs. W. G. Wilson, Jr., from El Paso says that she met Mrs. C. E. Shive, who is also visiting there and both send greetings to their friends.

Mrs. Harry Stalup is spending Tuesday in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Le Fever will have as a weekend guest her sister, Dorothy Matthews of Pecos. Miss Matthews will arrive Friday afternoon.

Leonard Stewart and daughter Nadell will return Tuesday from Abilene where they spent two days visiting.

Maxine Howard, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Howie, left Friday for Abilene to enter Draughn's Business college.

Bobbie Savage will be here April 9th from John Tarleton to visit his parents over the Easter holidays.

Mrs. C. C. Berry of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. Henry Hollinger and other friends here. She is formerly of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Harrison of Fort Worth have returned here to make their home.

C. G. Warner will leave for Fort Worth this week to make his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Goldberg of Texarkana have been transferred here by the C. A. A. and will make their home in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Evans and Judy of Odessa spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Campbell. Mrs. Evans is Campbell's sister.

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"Just give me time... I'll have him eating out of my hand yet."

Miss 'Laneous' Notes

By MARY WHALEY

April Fool's Day is such a happy time. You can tell the most ghastly tales and get by with them by tagging "April fool" on the end of the story. You can play practical jokes that ordinarily would turn your friends against you, but still folks are afraid to get very angry for fear of being spoiled sports if they mention it.

It is open season for such eggs as "you've got a runner in your hose, Madam" that will terrify any female if she is out in public and putting her best leg forward.

And that old, old and always good one about the purse on the sidewalk but tied with a string and you on the other end. That gives a lot of pleasure just to contemplate the look of disappointment in somebody's eyes.

We used to have one too. A string tied to a tree and just high enough to whip someone's hat off their head as they went by. But we ran into a terrible-tempered man one time, who changed our minds about ever playing it again.

And then of course, there is the box of candy that is made of salt and rubber, camphor balls and cardboard, all held over with chocolate. However, this costs something to buy and is not as original as some of the jokes you can think up.

But come what may, if you can't take awful ribbing and practical joking, better stay home in bed today. (Wish we could).

Kill Kare Klub Is Entertained By Mrs. A. Winslow

Mrs. Art Winslow entertained the Kill Kare Klub in her home Monday evening and high score went to Mrs. Elviss McCrary. Mrs. Joe Black won guest high score and Mrs. Watson Hammond bingoed.

Guests included Mrs. Herbert Hatch of Denver City and Mrs. Black.

Refreshments were served by candlelight to Mrs. J. R. Dillard, Mrs. Ollie Anderson, Mrs. Glynnie Atherton, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. McCrary, Mrs. Winslow, and the two guests.

Mrs. Hammond is to be next hostess on April 14th.

W. M. U. Has Social At Church Monday

COAHOMA, April 1 (Sp)—The Baptist W.M.U. met Monday afternoon at the church for a social with Mrs. Chester Coffman acting as hostess. Business session was conducted by the president, Mrs. Coffman. The group was entertained with contests and games under the direction of Mrs. Austin Coffman. Refreshments were served to Mrs. N. W. Pitts, Mrs. Jim Ringner, Mrs. Tom Farris, Mrs. J. G. McGee, Mrs. Austin Coffman, Mrs. H. D. Galvin and Mrs. Jack Darden.

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It's About Time...



By DOLORES ROLAND

It's about time to use policemen's and firemen's suspenders to hold your tweed skirt. About half a dollar will get this smart accessory for your sports attire. The cheery should cross these in front.

(Esquire Features, Inc.)

Officers For Colorado City Fiesta Named

COLOREADO CITY, April 1 (Sp)—Relection of all officers and appointment of the first committee for the 1941 Roundup on Sept. 4-5 featured the first meeting of the new directorate of the Colorado City Frontier Roundup association Saturday afternoon.

O. F. Jones, manager of the Sanderbrook (Spade) ranch, was reelected for his third year as president of the association. Sam Wulfjen was reelected vice-president and V. J. (Jack) Richardson was reelected secretary-treasurer.

Rodeo committee for the 1941 celebration was named as follows: Jenks Powell, chairman; Pete Ainsworth, Ross Daniels, and Earl Hammond.

Joe Mills and Chas. C. Thompson were named to work with the Colorado City chamber of commerce on plans for a 60th anniversary celebration for Colorado City to be held in connection with the Roundup. The Roundup always features oldtimers' homecoming events as well as a rodeo.

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Tinfoil For The British To Be Collected Saturday

In keeping with a growing custom throughout the country, Big Spring people are saving tin foil to "build a battleship for Britain." Through the Red Cross and the British Relief Headquarters of Dallas, Big Spring has been asked for 100 pounds of the foil as their share.

The headquarters here for collecting the tin foil is the J & L Drug store and those assisting in gathering it have set April 8th as the day they will try and ship the quota to Dallas.

Mrs. E. V. Spence, Mrs. Monroe Johnson and Mrs. Hilo Hatch are helping to gather the tin foil and ask that those who can, bring their material to the drug store this week. Those who can't deliver it in person may call the store and leave an address and it will be picked up.

H. R. Galliffs Are Parents Of A Son

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Galliff, 1111 W. 2nd street, are the parents of a son born Monday in their home. The infant weighed 8 1/2 pounds at birth and has been named George Lewis. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Jobs.

Bluebonnet Class To Meet Tonight

The First Christian Blue Bonnet class will meet Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the home of Mrs. H. W. Haislip, 1411 Johnson.

Child Study Club Postpones Meeting

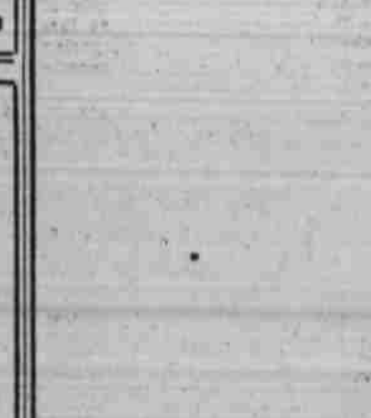
The Child Study club has postponed its meeting until Wednesday, April 9th.

UNEASY STOMACH? You may have WORMS

It's horrible to think about, but you had better face the facts. Anybody, anywhere, can have roundworms! If you have signs such as uneasy stomach, itching nose and seat, nervousness, faintly appetite, these worms may be living inside you now!

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British Hail New Type Explosive On German Targets

RAF Shoots At Shipping And Cities

LONDON, April 1 (AP)—A new type of high explosive bomb produced results which "appeared to be devastating" in a British overnight raid on the German port and industrial city of Emden, the air ministry said today.

Bremen also was reported heavily hit, with ship-building yards the principal targets, but the ministry mentioned the new bombs—their nature not announced—only in the raid on Emden.

"Masses of debris flying through the air were outlined against the glow of the fires," a communiqué said in describing the effects, "and the results appeared to be devastating."

The ministry of information quoted a pilot as saying he saw "houses take to the air" when the bombs burst.

Smaller-scale raids also were made on Bremerhaven and Oldenburg and the Nazi-held Netherlands harbor of Rotterdam.

Although London was bomb-free for the eleventh successive night, German bombers caused "considerable damage" in sharp stabs at a northeast town.

Striking at German seaports, British air units scored two bomb hits on a Nazi destroyer yesterday off the Frisian islands, causing her to halt with a heavy list, the air ministry said, and raised German supply ships.

The German destroyer reported damaged was said by the air ministry news service to have been escorting a small convoy. When last seen it was listing heavily and "black smoke was pouring from the stern," the news service said.

Later yesterday afternoon another German convoy was sighted and a direct hit clouded one of the ships in quantities of black smoke, according to the service.

Gun emplacements and camouflaged buildings among the sand dunes on one of the Dutch Frisian islands also were attacked.

Carryover Of Cotton To Set Another Record

WASHINGTON, April 1 (AP)—Although United States consumption will reach a new high, the agriculture department said today there would be another record carry-over of cotton when the current season ends July 31.

It was explained this would be due to low world consumption of both American and foreign cotton because of European and Asiatic wars.

It is estimated that for the fourth consecutive year the world supply of American cotton would be close to 25,000,000 bales and the world supply of all kinds near 50,000,000.

United States consumption will total approximately 9,000,000 to 9,250,000 bales for a new record, but the quantity being manufactured in foreign countries, particularly Europe, was said to be so low that world consumption would be less than last year.

Exports of American cotton so far this season have been less than one-fifth as large as last season. In February they totalled only 725,000 bales and probably will not exceed 1,000,000 for the season.

The high level of domestic consumption was attributed chiefly to government purchases for the defense program and expanding business activity and industrial production.

Headaches Eased By Hoyt's Tells This Texas Lady

Kidney Distress, Sour Stomach, Gas Pains and Constipation Ended By Hoyt's Compound Says Mrs. Ella Williams of Amarillo.

Mrs. Ella Williams of 619 Maryland Street, Amarillo says: "I was constipated and three severe attacks of illness left me suffering



peculiar headache. My kidneys troubled me and I suffered severe pains in my back. I had to arise often at night. I had gas and bloating pains after eating. Hoyt's Compound gave me relief after the first bottle. My head quit aching. My kidneys have quit bothering me and I enjoy a full night's sleep. The pains in my back are gone."

Hoyt's Compound is recommended and sold by the Collins Bros. Drug Store and by all druggists in this section—adv.

Bankruptcy Case Brings Indictments

FORT WORTH, April 1 (AP)—The federal grand jury yesterday indicted Ben Cartoff and Morris Blinderman of Amarillo on charges of perjury in connection with grand jury investigation of the affairs of Jacob Blinderman, former ladies ready to wear dealer at Amarillo and Pampa.

Blinderman, who formerly owned the Palais Royal at Amarillo and the Mayfair at Pampa, was indicted here ten days ago, along with Sally Blinderman and Meyer Blinderman, for allegedly concealing bankruptcy assets.

Senate Hears Protests To Gas Levies

AUSTIN, April 1 (AP)—Complexities of the natural gas business and computations a three-ply levy on the industry combined in a house-approved omnibus tax bill would more than quintuple current rates. Furrowed legislative brows today.

Protests against three sections of the \$25,500,000 tax bill, two of them proposing new gas taxes, and an especially heavy assault on a flat severance rate substituted for the present tax of three per cent of value at the well were heard last night by the state affairs committee conducting its third public hearing on the all-inclusive bill.

The group will conclude its hearings tomorrow night by listening to probable attacks on proposed levies on sulphur, carbon black, soft drinks, oil well cementing, wholesalers' gross receipts, franchises and other tax-yielding sources. It has heard protests to higher taxes on oil, utilities, telephone companies, liquor and new proposals to levy on stock sales and automobile finance companies.

Speakers in opposition to the gas taxes said they were unjust and discriminatory, that they would close down many small operators, that gas from other states would beat down competition from Texas gas, that the industry was already carrying a heavy tax burden and that utilization of casinghead gas, which would go to waste under some conditions, should not be penalized by taxation.

The bill, revenues of which would provide for expanded old age pensions, aid to dependent children and the needy, adult blind and teachers retirement, would increase its current severance tax to 1-4 of 1 per cent per 1,000 cubic feet on sweet gas and 1-10 of 1 per cent on sour and casinghead gas, yielding an estimated \$2,062,500 annually as compared with the present \$70,000.

Other provisions would levy a 1-4 of 1 cent rate per 1,000 cubic feet on gas gathering and 1-10 of 1 cent a gallon on natural liquefied hydrocarbon compounds plus 1-40 of 1 cent on manufactured compounds of that type. The former was estimated to yield \$2,000,000 a year and the latter \$350,000.

The taxes, said Charles Keffer of Amarillo, would boost levies a total of 534 per cent. He added that if only the severance tax provision were retained it would increase levies 177 per cent.

Troops Guard United States Rome Embassy

ROME, April 1 (AP)—Steel-helmeted troops were stationed around the United States embassy today, presumably as protection against possible demonstrations.

Similar action was taken at the Yugoslav legation where, in addition, some streets were blocked off. While there was a considerable number of troops in the vicinity of the U. S. embassy, they were less conspicuous than at the Yugoslav legation, being drawn up mostly along side streets.

Shortly before noon, scores of schoolboys paraded through streets with big Japanese, German and Italian flags. They eventually dispersed without undue incident resulting from the display of axis friendship for Japan, whose foreign minister, Yosuke Matsuoka, arrived here yesterday from Berlin.

The Japanese foreign minister talked with King Vittorio Emanuele for more than half an hour, then was the king's guest at luncheon.

Despite reports of tension from Belgrade, axis and Yugoslav circles here said they believed Yugoslavia, Germany and Italy would come to an agreement peacefully.

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Governor Broadcasts From Mexican Station In Support Of Anti-Strike Legislation

AUSTIN, April 1 (UP)—Confident his bill to abolish force and violence in labor disputes would become a law in Texas, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel today swatted Senate action on a measure intended to curtail strikes in national defense industries.

In a transcribed radio broadcast from station XEAW in Mexico last night, O'Daniel reiterated his stand against labor disputes on defense jobs and predicted passage of his bill set for hearing before the Senate state affairs committee today. The legislation was passed by an overwhelming vote in the house of representatives last week.

"There are organizations which have been planning the destruction of this government of ours," O'Daniel declared. "The same wild-eyed labor leaders agitators that are causing so much

trouble in large industrial states are flocking to Texas.

"I intend to do everything in my power as governor to let that tribe of imported labor-agitators know at once that they are not going to take charge of Texas."

He expressed hope other states would outlaw strikes by legislation.

The governor read from a book by Congressman Martin Dies a passage quoting a communist pamphlet as prophesying strikes in defense industries and urging communists to "penetrate" factories to carry on their work.

"All this bill does is to protect the man who wants to take a job and make an honest living, and provide penalties for anybody who tries . . . to keep him from working . . ." he continued.

"We have 75,000 acres of prison farms, and that will take care of a lot of that kind of racketeers, and that is where they will find themselves—picking cotton if they come down here and violate our laws."

President Roosevelt, the governor asserted, had said the federal government would not dictate to states how to cooperate in building national defenses.

O'Daniel did not mention his first anti-strike bill which would have provided 60 days advance notice on strikes or lockouts.

Badminton Champ Adds To Titles

PORTLAND, Ore., April 1 (UP)—National Champion Dave Freeman of Pasadena, Calif., collected his second badminton championship in as many nights by whipping John Bemis of Vancouver, B. C. Canada's second ranking player, in the final of the Pacific northwest open last night.

The Pasadena blaster the Canadian, 15-5, in the first set but had to come from behind to make it two straight, 17-14.

New Pension Bill Awaits House Action

AUSTIN, April 1 (UP)—A bill clarifying child support provisions in the state old age pension law today awaited further consideration in the house of representatives.

Recommended by a house investigating group, the measure was reported favorably by the state affairs committee last night. It would eliminate the ability of a child to support a pension applicant or recipient as a means of determining eligibility for assistance.

The bill also provided an applicant possessing \$360 or less may not be denied a pension, if other qualifications are met.

Rep. Gene McNamara of Waco, chairman of the house investigating group, authored the bill.

The committee also recommended passage of bills to:

- Regulate itinerant non-resident photographers, providing for an annual \$25 license.
- Retain the orphanage for negro children at Gilmer.
- Clarify and tightening a law regulating architects and providing for mandatory architectural supervision for construction of certain public buildings on projects exceeding \$1,000.
- Authorize the state park board to acquire land for beautification purposes.
- Permit the state park board to contract with any conservation district for creation of parks in such districts.

SCORCHY SMITH



Defies Gravity—Ernest L. Foss, director of the General Motors "Previews of Progress," is shown demonstrating the ring that defies the law of gravity. This is done by opposing forces of magnetism and is explained in non-technical terms by Mr. Foss, at the thrilling torium tomorrow and Thursday nights at 8 o'clock.

Free Look At Future Offered Wednesday Night

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock residents of Big Spring will have an opportunity to witness free of charge the show that gave "Previews of Progress" the reputation of having been the hit show of the recently closed New York World's fair.

In the "Previews of Progress" demonstration visitors will see many instances where industry and research are contributing to national strength and which gives promise to future improvements of an important nature.

There are many enlightening and entertaining exhibits in the "Previews of Progress," which is really a theatre of achievement; and no doubt one of the most amazing portions of the show is the "flying ring" that defies the laws of gravity.

Each time this ring is placed on the cabinet by the lecturer it insists upon flying into the air, this being done by a comparatively crude coil of wire. It has however a special adaptation, as it is called a "frigo-therm"—a name that may be commonplace to the housewife of the future inasmuch as it is a combination cook stove and refrigerator.

The lecturer will fry an egg on this unit, while at the same time and in the same unit ice cream will be freezing. To further make the demonstration even more startling, the science commentator will place his hand between the frying pan and the stove itself, proving there will be absolutely no heat in the stove of the future.

Hostak, Brown To Square Off For Scrap

SEATTLE, April 1 (UP)—A former champion and an uncrowned champion-bearer were confident of victory by a knockout as they awaited the weigh-in for their middleweight fight here tonight.

The jaunty opponents were Al Hostak, Seattle's one-time "Savage Slav" who won and lost the National Boxing Association middleweight title twice, and Ben Brown of Atlanta, Ga. Brown has a victory and a loss to his credit against Ken Overlin, the present California-New York-recognized champion.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARING ON PAVING ASSESSMENTS
To: Burley Hull, L. E. Coleman, and Big Spring Independent School District, owners of property abutting on that portion of State Street lying between the North line of Eleventh Place extended across State Street to the North line of Wood Street extending across State Street, and to all other persons owning property abutting on said portion of said street:

Whereas, on the 25th day of March, 1941 A. D., the City Commission of the City of Big Spring by ordinance passed on said date, ordered that portion of State Street lying between the North line of Eleventh Place extended across State Street to the North line of Wood Street extending across State Street to be improved to the extent and in the manner as follows:

Such street improvements to consist of two courses inverted penetration asphalt pavement, with seal coat, on six inch caliche base, and construction of twenty-four inch concrete curbs and gutters;

Whereas, the City Commission caused an estimate to be made of the cost of said street improvements, and said estimate shows that the total cost of such improvements will be \$2,017.80 and that the cost per front foot of all properties abutting on said portion of said street will be \$254; and

Whereas, the City Commission has determined to assess a portion of the cost of said improvements to the extent of \$1.77 per front foot against the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and against such property, and ordered that a hearing of such owners of abutting property and other interested persons to be held on the 8th day of April, 1941 A. D., and further ordered that notice be given to the owners of property abutting on such portion of said street proposed to be improved by advertisement inserted at least three times in the Big Spring Daily Herald, such notice to be given by the Mayor and attested by the City Secretary.

You, and each of you, are therefore hereby notified that improvements of the nature above described are proposed to be made to the portion of said street above named and you are further notified that a hearing will be held by the City Commission in the Corporate Court room in the City Hall in Big Spring on the 8th day of April, 1941, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., at which time and place the owners of abutting property abutting on said portion of said street and all persons interested therein will be heard as to any and all matters pertaining to said improvements and assessments proposed to be made against the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and against such property, and you are further notified that the City Commission of the City of Big Spring, Texas proposes to assess against the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and against such property the sum of \$1.77 per front foot, such assessment to be made in the amounts and against the owners and property as shown by the following schedule:

Name	Addition	Lot	Block	Footage	Amount
Burley Hull	Belmont	1	1	150	\$265.50
L. E. Coleman	Belmont	12	1	135	238.65
Big Spring Independent School District				250	\$44.65

This notice is given by the Mayor of the City of Big Spring, Texas and attested by the City Secretary as provided by said ordinance of March 25, 1941, and in accordance with said ordinance and the direction of the City Commission of said City of Big Spring, Texas.

G. C. DUNHAM
Mayor

(SEAL)
ATTEST:
HERBERT W. WHITNEY
City Secretary

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF HEARINGS ON PAVING ASSESSMENTS
To: T. B. McGinnis, W. R. Marlin, Mrs. C. E. Kyle, B. Reagan, Beth Parsons, M. D. Davis, B. Newman Estate, and Mrs. J. E. Hardesty, owners of property abutting on that portion of Lancaster Street lying between the South line of Fourth Street extended across Lancaster Street to the North line of Fifth Street extending across Lancaster Street, and to all other persons owning property abutting on said portion of said street:

WHEREAS, on the 25th day of March, 1941 A. D., the City Commission of the City of Big Spring by ordinance passed on said date, ordered that portion of Lancaster Street lying between the South line of Fourth Street extended across Lancaster Street to the North line of Fifth Street extending across Lancaster Street, to be improved to the extent and in the manner as follows:

Such street improvements to consist of two courses inverted penetration asphalt pavement, with seal coat, on six inch caliche base, and construction of twenty-four inch concrete curbs and gutters;

WHEREAS, the City Commission caused an estimate to be made of the cost of said street improvements, and said estimate shows that the total cost of such improvements will be \$2,124.00, and that the cost per front foot of all properties abutting on said portion of said street will be \$284; and

WHEREAS, the City Commission has determined to assess a portion of the cost of said improvements to the extent of \$1.77 per front foot against the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and against such property, and ordered that a hearing of such owners of abutting property and other interested persons to be held on the 8th day of April, 1941 A. D., and further ordered that notice be given to the owners of property on such portion of said street proposed to be improved by advertisement inserted at least three times in the Big Spring Daily Herald, such notice to be given by the Mayor and attested by the City Secretary.

You, and each of you, are, therefore, hereby notified that improvements of the nature above described are proposed to be made to the portion of said street above named, and you are further notified that a hearing will be held by the City Commission in the Corporate Court room in the City Hall in Big Spring on the 8th day of April, 1941, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., at which time and place the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and all persons interested therein will be heard as to any and all matters pertaining to said improvements and assessments proposed to be made against the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and against such property, and you are further notified that the City Commission of the City of Big Spring, Texas, proposes to assess against the owners of property abutting on said portion of said street and against such property the sum of \$1.77 per front foot, such assessment to be made in the amounts and against the owners and property as shown by the following schedule:

Name	Addition	Lot	Block	Footage	Am't.
T. B. McGinnis	Original	1	25	50	\$88.50
W. R. Marlin	Original	2	25	50	88.50
Mrs. C. E. Kyle	Original	3	25	50	88.50
B. Reagan	Original	4 & E. 90 Ft. of 6	25	100	177.00
Beth Parsons	Original	E. 90 Ft. 6	25	50	88.50
B. Reagan	Original	7 & 8	26	100	177.00
M. D. Davis	Original	9 & 10	26	100	177.00
B. Newman Estate	Original	11	26	50	88.50
Mrs. J. E. Hardesty	Original	12	26	50	88.50

This notice is given by the Mayor of the City of Big Spring, Texas, and attested by the City Secretary as provided by said ordinance of March 25, 1941, and in accordance with said ordinance and the direction of the City Commission of said City of Big Spring, Texas.

G. C. DUNHAM
Mayor

(SEAL)
ATTEST:
HERBERT W. WHITNEY
City Secretary

Ginners To Meet In San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO, April 1 (UP)—Delegates to the 32nd annual Texas Cotton Ginners' association convention here Thursday through Saturday began arriving yesterday. It is expected that 4,000 Texas ginners will be in attendance.

Speakers listed on the three-day program included A. L. Ward, director educational service National Cottonseed Products association, Dallas; Carl Trice Williams, secretary National Cotton Ginners association; Charles A. Bennett, Friends L. Gerdes and F. E. Little, of Texas A. & M. college; C. J. Moss, junior field agent, AAA, and George Chance, president National Cotton Council.

Army Anti-Aircraft Unit To Move To Midland This Week

PALACIOS, April 1 (UP)—A provisional anti-aircraft searchlight battalion will leave Camp Hulen by motor convoy for Midland tomorrow to undergo four to six weeks of field training.

Brig. Gen. Harvey C. Allen, Camp Hulen commander, announced that soldiers of three national guard regiments now in federal service here, a special detachment from the 69th coast artillery anti-aircraft regiment, a regular army unit, and a composite medical detachment representing the four regiments will make the trip.

There will be 20 officers and 127 enlisted men under the command of Major W. E. Papanforth, executive officer of the 211th C. A. (AA) regiment, Massachusetts national guard. The other national guard

Illini Alumni Want Some Changes Made

CHICAGO, April 1 (UP)—Victory-conscious alumni in southwestern Illinois and Missouri have informed the board of trustees that the University of Illinois' recent loss ranking in football and track should be investigated.

The trustees meet in Chicago today, but Board President James M. Cleary said that he thought the institution's athletic officials could handle the situation.

The alumni group circulated a petition several weeks ago and then adopted a resolution asking that the 1941-42 contracts of university coaches be held up pending a study of the track and football situation.

State Keeps Old Banks
MANCHESTER, N. H.—Of the 249 banks in the United States established more than a century ago, 10 of them are in New Hampshire.

Illini Alumni Want Some Changes Made

BOSTON — Two holdup men wore hideous Halloween masks to conceal their identity but the idea boomeranged when their intended victim, Miss Mary Magee, 26, screamed so loudly they fled themselves.

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- 1.—Personality Child Photo event open to all white children under the age of 4, except those of employees of The Herald and Kelsey Studio.
- 2.—Registration fee of \$1 per child. No other charges or requirements. (No tickets or coupons to sell; no "vote" efforts).
- 3.—"Personality Child" to be chosen by impartial board of out-of-town photographers. In addition, this same board will choose first, second and third place winners in each of the following age groups:
 - Under one year old.
 - Over one year and under three years.
 - Over three years and under six years.
- 4.—Each of these ten winners will be presented with a handsome trophy, bearing the engraved name of the winner.
- 5.—Picture of every participating child will appear in a special Baby Annual edition of The Big Spring Herald.
- 6.—Photos must be made during period of the Personality Baby event, at the Kelsey Studio, 800 Rannels Street, Big Spring, Texas. Local parents must make appointments, under the following group schedules:
 - Monday, Mar. 25, through Saturday, April 5, Up to one year old
 - Monday, April 7, through Saturday, April 13, One year to three years old
 - Monday, April 14, through Saturday, April 19, Three years to six years old

All appointments from 9 a. m. to 12 and from 1 to 4 p. m. Out of town parents may appear without appointment.

Farmers Find Organization Profitable

Convening in Big Spring today in a district meeting of the Texas Farm Bureau.

The organization is formed for one principal purpose: to support legislation favorable to farmers.

In these days of high-pressure lobbying, the laws of the land are influenced more by pressure groups than by votes. Farmers, a little late to realize the fact,

are hastily organizing themselves to protect their interests in Washington and Austin.

Organization of farmers appears necessary. With labor intensively unionized, and with industry organized to just as great though less publicized extent, agriculture cannot protect its interests without cooperative work.

Farmers can gain much

through banding together in such organizations as the Texas Farm Bureau and exerting influence on the men that make laws. And business and professional men in town largely supported by agriculture—such as Big Spring—will do well to help these farm groups as much as they can.

Alsoop And Kintner—Hopkins' Committee Not Strong Enough

By ALSOOP & KINTNER
WASHINGTON, April 1—Some of the potentialities of the "central staff" which it is tentatively planned to gather around Harry L. Hopkins, were explored in this space yesterday. It was suggested that a group of able, energetic, single-minded officials, freed of all duties except to consider the major war problems, and having quick access to the President through Hopkins, might well give a much needed coherence and direction to the American war effort. The possible defects of the scheme remain to be considered.

These defects are fairly obvious on the surface. In brief outline, if the scheme goes through, the "central staff" is to be the permanent secretariat of the War Cabinet, working under Hopkins and the War Cabinet members, the Secretaries of State, Treasury, War and Navy. It is to be composed of a small group of free lances at the top, and beneath them a number of liaison officers appointed to represent the departments on the staff and the staff in the departments, and a few legal and statistical experts.

Hopkins places great emphasis on "keeping the thing fluid."

This organization is not only to be small and informal. It is also to be rather shapeless, without even a headquarters except at Hopkins' White House bedroom.

This shapelessness may not interfere with the central staff's functioning as a clearing-house for ideas and information about major war policies, and as a general speeder-up of the war effort. But besides this broad task, the President has also conferred on Hopkins and the War Cabinet the more specific duty of administering the lease-lend law.

It is not an easy duty. Neither the Army nor the Navy officers, even in the highest ranks, have really accepted the implications of the policy of all-out aid to Britain. They support it in principle, but when it comes to handing over to Britain war material they want themselves, their professional deformation causes them to balk.

There is no joint British-American body of naval and military men charged with planning and executing grand strategy, and thus there is on check on the natural professional self-centeredness of our people. Consequently, each transaction under the lease-lend law is a struggle.

Hopkins' organization, even in its present formative stage, has kept the struggling minimum. Hopkins' own position at the White House, the army and navy officers' sense of his closeness to the President, his power to call them to his room and there talk to them in the President's very shadow—these factors have tended to break down resistance.

Then, too, the fact that he has professional army and navy men to do his liaison work prevents him from being stopped by army and navy technicalities. It is in the long run, if the complex transactions under the lease-lend law are to be efficiently handled, more definite, more formal sort of organization seems to be required.

If the central staff idea goes through, the tremendous responsibility it puts on Hopkins will certainly be considered a still more serious drawback by many observers. For one thing, the simple point will be made that he is not well enough to carry such a heavy burden.

In fairness to Hopkins, it must

be said the record casts doubt on this theory. In the past weeks, he worked ten hours a day, helping to prepare the \$7,000,000,000 appropriation bill, the first release of war materials to Britain and Greece under the lease-lend act, and the first rough British-American joint production schedule. He, of course, avoided the normal fatigues of administrative office—the telephone calls, the unending appointments, the constant supervision of subordinates. He simply sat in his room at the White House, talking matters out with such representatives of the British as Arthur Purvis and Jean Monnet of the Purchasing Commission, with the army and navy people, and with the germ of the central staff he has already recruited. On that system, he got much done.

Whatever happens, he intends to avoid exhausting administrative routine. But even if he conserves himself for the big jobs, he is not, by his own admission, a good administrator.

Therefore, it is to be hoped that he will supplement himself, by appointing an assistant charged with the daily work of administration. If he does so, the central staff idea may bear immensely useful fruit. For Hopkins, since his trip to Britain, is filled with a burning conviction of the importance of the aid-Britain policy. He has constant access to the President.

As the President's best friend, he can reconcile inter-governmental conflicts and tackle basic war problems more easily than officials. And fortunately situated officials, and with an active well-managed organization under him, he will be free to do the things he is fitted for without attempting the things at which he is less expert.

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HEART'S HAVEN



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had chosen this hotel for the intangible benefits it could bring to herself and her protegee, Evangelina Prentice.

What did poor service matter, if you were served in the same room as Mrs. Theodore Marbury and her niece? Who cared about the beach, if, on the bridal path, Eve might bump into an eligible young man? She had been in far more uncomfortable hotels, Julie thought sturdily, although not, she remembered with a shudder, at thirty dollars a day!

"Oh, Mrs. Marbury—did you see that little gold heart Eve has on her charm bracelet?" Julie felt the thin woman at her left squirm impatiently and permitted her glance to rest on her just a moment. The woman smiled, and Julie went on, hinting rather broadly that the golden heart was the gift of a rejected suitor. She could do this thing to perfection, Julie was saying to herself with inward satisfaction. Not for nothing had she played dowagers on every stage in America.

But she knew when to call a halt and give the game a chance. With infinite tact, she led her partner away from hearts and into diamonds. Her bid gave the four woman a chance to set her five hundred points and Julie took Mrs. Selby-Williams' heavy sarcasm with a good grace.

During the next hand, however, she managed to lead Mrs. Marbury on to talking about her niece. As she had hoped, the thin woman got up suddenly, and with a hastily murmured excuse, fled from the room. Julie laid down her cards with pleasure.

"I know you dislike three-handed bridge, and there doesn't seem to be anyone who isn't already playing," she said with satisfaction, as she glanced around the room. More bridge did not suit her purpose at the moment; she wanted to talk with Mrs. Marbury. "I believe you told us your niece wanted to get back to your room early," Julie added to Mrs. Selby-Williams.

That lady looked at her discomfited-studied wrist watch with an exclamation of surprise.

"Why, it's much later than I thought. My husband said he wanted to have dinner early tonight, and perhaps I have time for just a short nap—" Her voice trailed away as she hoisted her plump body from the low bridge chair and ambled slowly out of the room.

First Success

Julie regarded her going with scornful eyes. Her own stage training had had its difficult moments, but at least, she thought with sudden gratitude, she had

To Speed Billoting—Fancy Machine Counts Votes In House Of Representatives

By Associated Press

"This thing will do everything but milk a cow."

That's how the man who sits in the little booth above the speaker's rostrum described the intricate mechanism of the new voting machine in the house of representatives at Austin.

And Jim Francis, the white-haired electrician and operator, wouldn't install another one for \$100 a day.

The entire system is composed of 10,800 connections, with eight wires for each legislator's desk. It required seven months to install.

The machine cost about \$65,000, yet not half of the lawmakers know what goes on in the operator's box, Francis said.

"They think there are just three little lights that flash when they push the buttons on their desks," he opined.

On the other hand, he continued, he pays no attention to what goes on on the floor, except when a vote is being taken.

Purchase of the new machine was authorized by the legislature at the last session. Installation began in February, 1940, and was completed in October.

Francis said a recorded vote could be taken and a permanent record sent to the speaker's desk in 15 seconds, while the old machine, using a photostatic system, required three minutes.

The equipment will pay for itself in two sessions in time saved on voting, he said. As example he used the roll call, which when taken orally exhausted 20 minutes. Now the roll or 150 members is taken in a quarter of a minute.

The present machine is an enlargement of the old system, much faster and more accurate, according to Francis. A second vote indicator board and page boards have been added.

The page boards have eliminated the hand-clapping method formerly used by the solons to summon pages.

"Most of them have become accustomed to the page buttons," Francis said, "but even now at some of the night committee hearings when the machine isn't turned on you'll hear some of the clapping."

"Before, there was so much noise at times it sounded like almost constant applause. Now it's much quieter."

Although the voting machine is turned off at night, either Francis or his assistant, J. W. Dailmer, must stay on the job to operate the

The Timid Soul



TWO HOURS IN THE RAIN AND NOT A VICTIM

Hollywood Sights And Sounds—Some Things We Can't Understand

By ROBBIN COONS

HOLLYWOOD—I'm a stranger here myself (said the Man With the Jaundiced Eye) and there are some things I just don't understand.

Hollywood (the want on) is a wonderful place but:

They have a trophy called the Irving Thalberg Memorial Award and Norma Shearer had it all done over this year, but then the academy muffed the deal. After giving it to this fella Selznick last year they couldn't find anybody worthy of it this year, and that's too darned humble of 'em if you ask me. (Ed. Note: Nobody did.)

What's the sense of making a Holy Grail, an Olympian wreath, out of a movie award? I'll tell you what they should've done, granting nobody here did anything colossal enough for recognition. They should've presented that Oscar to the Audiences of America—who have stuck by, through some thick and a whole mess of thin, these many years. Yeah, I know it's got to go to a producer. Brother, those audiences are the greatest pro-se of 'em all. They produce the cash. . . . But then, I'm a stranger

here, myself. . . .

There's Garbo, for another thing. So she won't talk, eh? Well, mebbe she hasn't anything to say. Mebbe she's saving it. Mebbe she's thinking up a good one. Give 'er time. . . .

And premieres. They had one the other night. A bunch of people stood around in a downpour to ogle another bunch of people no different from themselves except they didn't get wet. Well, mebbe the non-wetted were prettier, or richer, or had had more husbands or wives than the wetted. But should I get reasonable for trifles like that? That's what I was thinking as I stood there, soaked through, watching the poor dopes watching the movie dopes. . . .

DeMille. Everybody says you've got to hand it to DeMille. Everybody says an old-timer who keeps on making money-makers, and keeping astride the newest, well—you've got to hand it to DeMille. But nobody says what it is you've got to hand to DeMille, and I like to know such things. . . .

Then there's "Rebecca" and there's "Second Wife." One gets

an Oscar and the other gets the bird—it's so bad a quickie the customers used to pay to kid it. And yet if you boll 'em down those fleekers have a lot in common. Mebbe it's all in how it's done. . . .

And I hear a lot about washed-up actors. They tell me about Cass History No. 891-A, name of Regis Toomey. He's hanging on for years, and then he's suddenly hot stuff in "Meet John Doe." He's super, he's colossal, and no fooling. Well, if he's good today he was good yesterday and I wonder how many other actors around town will have to wait for Capra? . . .

And there's these long-term contracts you hear about. They tell me they sign 'em with a flourish and most times the ink turns invisible in six months. But lotsa times it works out all right. The kids soak up some drama-learning, or roping-knowledge, or something, and then get to be "feds" for somebody else. Speaking of feds—said the Man With the Jaundiced Eye—nobody ever called me one. My feelings would be hurt if I weren't a stranger here myself.

Man About Manhattan—New Home Of Jan Valtin Remains Unused

By GEORGE TUCKER

NEW YORK—Ken Delmar, the radio actor who is best known for his work on the Court of Missing Heirs programs, sold his Connecticut home recently to a young married couple and received in down payment a check for \$500.

The couple was to move in at once but when three weeks had passed and the new owners had not taken possession, Delmar began to make inquiries. He tried first to ascertain their whereabouts, then the whereabouts of the girl's mother, but with no success.

Next day he read in the papers that Jan Valtin, author of the autobiography now sweeping the country, "Out of the Night," was a man named Richard Krebs. Krebs was the man who had bought Delmar's house. But the publicity had driven him into his hiding, and today he and his wife are still in a hideaway apartment in New York. His reluctance to move into his new home is alleged to be based on (1) fear of possible deportation proceedings, and (2) revenge motives by agents of foreign powers.

The newest trend in publishing

circles is toward illustrated books, such as were so popular 20 years ago. This is especially true in the case of historical novels and biographies. A man who has had a great deal to do with this is Lieutenant Colonel John W. Thomason, Jr., who is an artist as well as an author of ability. Thomason illustrates his own books, his latest being "Lone Star Preacher," an extraordinarily fascinating collection of short stories dealing with the Civil War. His drawings are authentic, colored by a knowledge of those times such as few living men possess. . . .

Katharine Cornell, who has been called "the theater's most accomplished sorceress," and George H. Shaw, who has been called everything imaginable, make a good couple when they get together on Broadway, as they are now with Miss Cornell's production of Shaw's "The Doctor's Dilemma." Though this play's action takes place in 1903, thus providing Miss Cornell with the opportunity to wear picture hats and bustles, and though it was first produced in Manhattan some 14 years ago, and by the Lunts at that, it is one of

the town's most pleasant entertainment pieces. It shows Shaw's sardonic mischief apparently never changes. . . .

Shaw has five fashionable London doctors come together, each a specialist in his own line. Though they are friends, each feels a poorly concealed scorn for the professional reasoning of the other. It is a situation that provides many chuckles through the play's three hours, especially when one of the blood specialists loftily describes surgery as being "little more than manual labor."

But to this observer the best bit of acting is done by Bramwell Fletcher, who plays the tubercular painter. His portrayal of this role is well-nigh perfect.

Next week Artie Auerback will ask the New York News where he is "employed," for a year's leave. Artie used to be a photographer on the News, but seven years ago he obtained a short leave to try his hand on the stage. He never went back. But every year, for the last seven years he gravely asks the News to extend his "leave" another year, and the News gravely complies.



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RITZ Today And Wednesday BARGAIN DAYS

THE FOUGHT-AGAINST LOVE, AND LOST! FREDERIC MARCH FIELD Berry Field in Joseph Conrad's VICTORY Sir Cedric HARDWICKE JEROME COWAN SIG RUMANN FRITZ FELD

LYRIC Today And Wednesday

Stirring Drama Of The West In The Making "ARIZONA" JEAN ARTHUR WILLIAM HOLDEN

QUEEN Today And Wednesday

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Malone and Hogan Clinic-Hospital

E. A. Grissom, Forsan, underwent a tonsillectomy Monday. Mrs. H. W. Wright, 1501 Johnson, was dismissed Tuesday following medical treatment.

RAILWAY ABANDONED WASHINGTON, April 1 (UP)—The interstate commerce commission authorized today abandonment of the entire line of the Jefferson and Northwestern Railroad company consisting of 19.93 miles of track from Jefferson to Linden in Marion and Cass counties, Texas.

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British Say Sea Losses Remain Small

LONDON, April 1 (UP)—British, allied and neutral merchant shipping losses for the week ended March 23 were 17 ships totaling 59,141 tons, the Admiralty announced today. The total was 10 ships and 35,261 tons under revised figures for the preceding week.

Axis Demands

Two German merchant steamers were ablaze early today in the harbor of Callao, Peru, their smokestacks opened by their crews, after the vessels had sought to leave the port but had been turned back by a Peruvian cruiser which fired warning shots in their direction.

Woman Slain With Homemade Buckshot

TEXARKANA, Ark., April 1 (AP) Bowie County Sheriff Monroe P. Watts today was investigating the shotgun slaying of Mrs. T. C. Owen, 43, who was fatally shot last night near Springlake park.

Youngest Voter Elected

SHARON, N. H.—The youngest voter in this village, 22-year-old Herbert E. Young, has been elected selectman and overseer of the poor.

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"But how perfectly clever of you!" Julie broke in admiringly. "I wish I'd thought of doing that for Eve. You know she really has a little talent for interior decoration. But of course—" Julie shook her head—"my income is not what it was."

Auto License Sales Continue

Registration of automobiles before deadline this evening continued with alternate rush and slack periods Tuesday as Tax Collector J. P. Wolcott reported a total of 4,411 vehicles registered at noon.

Plant Seizure Law Proposed

WASHINGTON, April 1 (UP)—Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the house naval committee introduced today legislation to permit the government to take over the Allied Chalmers and other struck defense plants upon determination merely that such stoppages are interfering with the defense program.

Oil Rig Accident Fatally Burns Two

ARDMORE, Okla., April 1 (UP)—Two men were fatally burned and five others were critically injured in an explosion at an oil rig on which they were working early today.

BREAST RAIDED

BERLIN, April 1 (UP)—British planes attempted a raid today on the German base at Brest, France, the German press said, but two of them were shot down off the port.

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FDR Confers With Leaders

WASHINGTON, April 1 (UP)—President Roosevelt, back from a fishing cruise in the south, conferred immediately by telephone today with Sumner Welles on the Yugoslavian situation and then met with congressional leaders to receive a report on the legislative picture.

Scout Honor Court Slated Tonight

Boy Scouts of the Big Spring district will receive awards at the regular monthly court of honor session scheduled for 7:30 p. m. today in the district courtroom, according to W. C. Blankenship, chairman.

Police Chief Pays Fine

TRINIDAD, Colo.—Police Chief Mike Foudy has a clear conscience now. He received a traffic ticket after he had double-parked his car. The chief appeared in police court as a defendant, was fined \$1 and promptly paid.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, April 1 (UP)—(USDA)—Cattle, salable and total 2,900; calves, salable 1,100, total 1,900; beef steers and weighty yearlings slow, fully a quarter off for the two days; other cattle and calves generally steady, some calves strong; medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings largely 5.50-17.25, fed sales higher, some club yearlings to 11.50; common yearlings mostly 7.00-8.00; beef cows 5.25-7.50; canners and cutters 3.50-5.25; bulls 6.50-7.00; good and choice fat calves 9.00-10.50, common and medium 7.25-8.75; most culls 6.00-7.00; good and choice stock steer calves 11.00-13.00, few higher; good yearling stockers 8.00-10.00; some choice lightweights to 10.75.

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Cotton Title Plan Approved

WASHINGTON, April 1 (UP)—Chairman Smith (D-SC) said today that the senate agriculture committee had unanimously approved his bill to "freeze" stocks on which government loans have been made.

Public Records

Building Permits J. E. Walker to move a house from outside the city limits to 1207 E. 2nd, cost \$35. Marriage License William L. Boase and Wilma Lindsay, both of Lamesa. New Cars Lee Roy Spires, Roscos, Chrysler sedan. Leon Myras, Odessa, Chevrolet sedan.

Wool Market

BOSTON, April 1 (UP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Trade was very spotty today in the Boston wool market. Fleeces and territory wools were mostly quiet. Early shorn 12-months Texas wools that had arrived in Boston were receiving a moderate demand at \$1.03-1.05, scored basis. Asking prices on contracted 12-months Texas wools to be shorn later in the season ranged up to \$1.05-1.10, scored basis. Combing South American wools of fine and half-blood grades were receiving a fair demand at steady prices.

Finding Four-Leaf Clover Long Habit

INDIANAPOLIS, April 1 (UP)—Mrs. Lloyd W. Johns went into her yard, hunted until she found a four-leaf clover, then looked forward to April Fool Day without qualms.

House Passes Act To Erect Office Building

AUSTIN, April 1 (UP)—By a vote of 132 to 1, the house of representatives today sent the senate a proposed constitutional amendment permitting erection of a \$2,000,000 state office building in Austin.

Notes From Big Spring Hospital

Royce Acuff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Acuff of Coahoma, underwent a tonsillectomy Tuesday. Mrs. Frances Rathiff, Colorado City, submitted to eye surgery Tuesday morning. Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Big Spring, has returned to her home after undergoing a mastoidectomy. Mrs. E. N. Haygood and baby daughter of Knott have been dismissed from the hospital.

Zoo Superintendent Goes On Strike

DALLAS, April 1 (UP)—The old April 1 gag of telling you to call a certain number and ask for Mr. Fox or Mr. Camel won't work at Marmals park zoo today. Walton Carleton, zoo superintendent, said the telephone at the zoo would not be answered.

Balkan Situation To Cost Nazis The War, Say Turks

ISTANBUL, April 1 (UP)—Turkish newspapers expressed belief today that Germany would lose the war because of the Balkan situation. The newspaper Vatan declared in an editorial: "Germany will lose the second World War sooner than expected, not by reason of American aid and the British navy but chiefly because of her great error in miscalculating the will to independence of some small Balkan nations."

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Wool Market

BOSTON, April 1 (UP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Trade was very spotty today in the Boston wool market. Fleeces and territory wools were mostly quiet. Early shorn 12-months Texas wools that had arrived in Boston were receiving a moderate demand at \$1.03-1.05, scored basis. Asking prices on contracted 12-months Texas wools to be shorn later in the season ranged up to \$1.05-1.10, scored basis. Combing South American wools of fine and half-blood grades were receiving a fair demand at steady prices.

Finding Four-Leaf Clover Long Habit

INDIANAPOLIS, April 1 (UP)—Mrs. Lloyd W. Johns went into her yard, hunted until she found a four-leaf clover, then looked forward to April Fool Day without qualms.

House Passes Act To Erect Office Building

AUSTIN, April 1 (UP)—By a vote of 132 to 1, the house of representatives today sent the senate a proposed constitutional amendment permitting erection of a \$2,000,000 state office building in Austin.

Notes From Big Spring Hospital

Royce Acuff, son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Acuff of Coahoma, underwent a tonsillectomy Tuesday. Mrs. Frances Rathiff, Colorado City, submitted to eye surgery Tuesday morning. Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Big Spring, has returned to her home after undergoing a mastoidectomy. Mrs. E. N. Haygood and baby daughter of Knott have been dismissed from the hospital.

Zoo Superintendent Goes On Strike

DALLAS, April 1 (UP)—The old April 1 gag of telling you to call a certain number and ask for Mr. Fox or Mr. Camel won't work at Marmals park zoo today. Walton Carleton, zoo superintendent, said the telephone at the zoo would not be answered.

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