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THE WEATHER  
West Texas: Fair  
weather is forecast  
throughout the state  
for Sunday.

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## Notheastern Reeves Delaware Well Cleaning Out After Shot

### New Archbishop



At a colorful ceremony attended by 100,000 persons, the Most Rev. Edward Mooney, above, was elevated to the post of Archbishop of the newly created Detroit archdiocese, and now presides as spiritual director of some 600,000 Catholics. Archbishop Mooney was formerly bishop of the Rochester, N. Y., diocese.

## Lions Committees For The Year Named By The President

Standing committees of the Lions club for the present year have been announced by President Ed M. Whitaker. An active term is anticipated, with membership in the organization mounting steadily and attendance reaching a new high. The committees follow:

- Administration Committee: General Chairman, Russell Conkling.
- Fellowship Committee: W. F. Hejl, Rev. Cliff M. Epps, A. W. Snyder, Tom Inman.
- Membership Committee: John P. Butler, I. C. Watson, S. M. Vaughn, W. B. Harkrider, M. A. Fulton.
- Attendance Committee: Bill Collins, Claude Crane, Geo. Phillips, Paul McHargue, Boyd Scott.
- Program Committee: Dr. W. L. Sutton, Rev. J. E. Pickering, M. A. Wilder.
- Finance Committee: M. C. Ulmer, Ellis D. Conner, Thad Steele, Boyd Scott, Duke Kimbrough.
- General Activities Committees: General Chairman, J. Howard Hodge.
- General Welfare Committee: Frank Stubbeman, Earl H. Frost, Dick Whitson, Tom Wingo, and Bob Lie.
- Community Projects: Dr. John B. Thomas, J. H. Goodman, Felix Stonehocker, O. L. Wood, Duke Kimbrough.
- Rural Work: Clint Myrick, Herbert King, J. M. Foster, Frank Smith, W. G. Epley.
- Entertainment: Geo. Phillips, P. A. Nelson, Jimmie Hoover, J. F. Friberg, Jack Kelly.

## Troops Move as War Fever Spreads in Northern China

By Associated Press  
A month after the Sino-Japanese hostilities flared an ominous silence was broken today by the sound of moving troops. No guns spoke in Northern China where Japanese forces were estimated at more than 30,000 and the Chinese were estimated to have 30,000 in the field. The Japanese parliament concluded a two weeks session in a fever of patriotism after voting war measures. Fear of war spread throughout China. Americans were advised by the Consul General at Hankow to withdraw south to places of safety, leaving the district above the Yellow river. Japanese had intimated that hostilities might spread south to the Yellow river and that foreigners in that area should be warned. Many Americans would become involved if fighting should break out at Hankow.

By Frank Gardner  
General Crude Oil Company No. 1 TXL, Delaware production prospect in northeastern Reeves county nearly ten miles southwest of the Mason pool in Loving, late Saturday had 500 feet of fluid in the hole while cleaning out shot cavings 10 feet off bottom. It was shot Friday with 120 quarts from 3,250-90, cleaning itself after the charge went off. When crew went in with tools, they found 400 feet of fluid in the hole and 40 feet of cavings at bottom. The well was bailed for three hours, lowering fluid to 300 feet. No shakouts were made, but oil was reported out about 50 percent with basic sediment and water. Before shot, No. 1 TXL had 290 feet of oil in the hole originating from the Delaware sand, topped at 3,276. Pay sand had been logged from 3,264 to 5,284, the total casing. The well is in the center of the northeast quarter of section 15, block 56, township 2, T. & P. survey. Bruce C. McKague and J. N. Gregory, Midland operators, assembled the drilling block.

C. H. Mahres, Kenneth Slack et al No. 1 Pat Wilson, western Ward Delaware strike, was unofficially reported to be making two oil heads daily totaling an estimated 100 barrels. The well was shot in the middle of the week with 100 quarts of nitro and headed over the crown block for 12 minutes nearly 23 hours after shot. It is bottomed at 5,032 feet in sand. Location is 1,650 feet from the southeast and 380 feet from the southwest line of section 133, block 34, E. & T. C. survey, between Quito and Poyte. Littman Swabs Oil. Amerasia Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Lydia Littman, northwest Andrews well, afforded a surprise Saturday when it showed a promising amount of oil on first swabbing test since plugging back to 4,369 from 4,777 to 4,785 feet of water. Through 2 1/2-inch tubing set at 4,366, it swabbed 188 barrels of fluid in 21 hours. Oil percentage was zero at the start of the test but had increased to 86 percent at the end of the twenty-first hour and was still mounting as swabbing continued. No. 1 Littman was acidized with 3,000 gallons of acid three weeks ago at 4,359 before deepening to water. It is located 660 feet from the north and west lines of section 6, block A-29, public school land, a mile east of Brown & Reynolds No. 1 Parcell, eastern Lea, N. M. discovery.

In southwest Andrews, American Liberty No. 1 E. P. Cowden is shut down for orders at 5,001, one foot past contract, pending decision of operators to deepen or abandon. It is in section 14, block A-55, public school land. Blanchard & Porter No. 1 Cox, Andrews test in section 4, block A-30, public school land, is drilling 4,405 feet in gray lime, while Hargrave & Peter No. 1 Riordan, section 10, block A-44, public school land, is drilling at 4,444 in lime, sand and anhydrite. Makes Drilling Deal. Ray Albaugh, pioneer North Basin wildcatter and discoverer of the area bearing his name in northwest Dawson, announced here yesterday that he had made a deal with Richmond Drilling Company of Big for a turnkey job on his No. 1 Dewey Hogg, recently spudded test in southeast Dawson. No. 1 Hogg, spudded to 155 feet with water well machine, is located in the center of the southeast of the southeast of section 17, block 34, township north, T. & P. survey. Albaugh had blocked 2,500 acres, checkerboarded, farmed out to him by Magnolia Petroleum Company. Companies supporting the well to date are Magnolia, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company, Superior Oil Company, Sun Oil Company, and the Texas Company. Richmond will start operations today. Contract depth is 5,000 feet, oil, gas or water.

In central Cochran, Texas No. 1 Slughtear, league 130, Carson county school land, is drilling lime at 4,420 feet. Bohago and Bond No. 1 J. W. West, southwest Yoakum wildcat in section 606, block D, John H. Gibson survey, was conditioning hole by circulating preparatory to running a 7-inch casing. See (OIL NEWS) Page 3

## North Takes Football Game From South in Thriller to Tune 7-0

WACO, Aug. 8.—(Special) Before a crowd of 10,000 fans the "North" all-star school boys won a decisive victory over the "South" boys in the sensational football game here tonight by the score of 7 to 0. Though the score does not indicate it, the boys from the north really showed their stuff in battling the foes from the south. The winning tally came during the first minutes of play when the south fumbled and the nor recovered on their opponents' 14-yard line. From that point, Hays of San Angelo gained 13 yards and Pugh of Fort Worth North Side went over for the winning column. Pugh converted for the extra point. Wafford, giant Midland player, played during three quarters for the north and was in the game all the time. He played end position and caught one pass for a 14-yard gain and was a power on the defense.

## Rodeo Plans To Be Laid At C-C Meet

### Civic Body Asked To Aid Committee In Preparations

Rodeo plans will be laid when the chamber of commerce directors meet in regular session Monday evening, with members of the Midland Cowboy Contest committee attending. Roy Parks, chairman of the committee for Midland Fair, Inc., said the chamber will be called upon to assist in plans for advertising the rodeo throughout the country, for staging a mammoth parade and for local events to tie in with the three day rodeo culminating with Labor day. Entertainment of visiting celebrities also will be delegated to the chamber if that organization desires to assume the various jobs presented. The rodeo committee during the next four weeks, will be busily engaged at securing the rest of livestock needed for the wild west show, contacting novelty actors and sending data to the contestants who plan to be here for September 4-5-6. Governor Alred already has promised to be here for the opening day and invitations are out to other celebrities, seeking to make the Midland Cowboy Contest the paramount Labor holiday event in the state.

On Tuesday morning, members of the retailers committee of the chamber of commerce have been called by the chairman, W. B. Simpson, to let a contract for decorating the streets and business houses during the rodeo. Bids have been presented to the chamber. The seventh sponsor was entered late in the week when the Brownfield chamber of commerce announced that Miss Fern Sawyer will represent that city. She was the Brownfield sponsor last year and got in the money. The year before she represented Lovington. Both times she rode the big black "cutting horse" owned by Millard Eldson of Lovington. Living on her father's ranch on the New Mexico-Texas line, she rides daily when not attending school at Texas Tech.

Contract was made between the rodeo committee and Billy Kay this week for publishing a rodeo program, the insert to be changed each day to show the names of the contestants for each day and night show. Kay came here from Hobbs where he recently assisted in advertising the rodeo.

## Britain Protests Insurgent Bombing Of British Tanker

LONDON, Aug. 7. (AP)—Great Britain dispatched a strong note today to Spanish insurgent authorities at Palma, Malloca, protesting yesterday's "mystery" plane attack on the tanker British Corporal. The British Consul General at Algiers reported a machine gun and bomb attack "probably" was executed "by anti-government" aircraft. Three nonplanes of unidentified nationality which sprayed the Corporal with machine gun fire also were believed responsible for a similar attack on the Italian steamer Mongiola. Captain Franco Solari of the latter ship was one of two wounded. He died at an Algiers hospital today.

## Dr. Chapple's Mother Dies in Montana

Mrs. James H. Chapple received word Saturday that Dr. Chapple's mother, Mrs. James Chapple, died Friday night at her home in Billings, Mont. Dr. Chapple was called to her bedside last week. Immediate survivors are two daughters, Mrs. E. B. Soper of Denver, and Mrs. Colin Reith of San Francisco, and a son, Dr. Chapple, of Midland, a sister, Mrs. James Vrendenburg of Santa Monica, Calif., and a brother, Lieut. Col. J. R. Matheson of Washington, D. C.

## Soviet Tries Experiment In River Pearl Culture

MURMANSK, U. S. S. R. (AP)—An experimental farm for raising river pearls is being organized on the Kola Peninsula to study the methods of artificial pearl formation. Last summer an expedition found about 3,000,000 pearl-oysters in the rivers of the Kola Peninsula. As is known, an irritation by an alien body causes the mollusk to emit mother-of-pearl, which coats this alien body, forming a pearl capsule around it. With this in mind, the expedition conducted interesting experiments. Several hundred pearl-oysters were caught, and their shells opened. A small shot was introduced into the body of each mollusk which was then thrown into the river.



DAVE WAFFORD

## Dr. Wells Addresses 250 Oil Men as Permian Basin Chapter of API Holds Summer Meeting Here Saturday

### ABILENE WRITER'S OPINION OF

## Oil, Cattle Bringing 'Happy Days' to Midland

Editor's Note: The following article was prepared by Harry Holt, Abilene Reporter-News Staff correspondent, following a recent visit here. The article was entered by him in a series of intra-paper feature story contests being conducted by the Reporter-News management. By Harry Holt Staff Correspondent  
MIDLAND, Aug. 7.—Although building permits for 1937 have totaled approximately half a million dollars in the town's greatest building boom, this is a cattleman's town and they gather daily in the Hotel Scharbauer from a dozen West Texas counties and southwest New Mexico counties. However, as the ranchmen—most of whom are large of stature—stroll around the hotel wearing new boots which best times in a decade have brought, they rub elbows in a crowded lobby with representatives from 75 oil companies that headquarter there. They are proud of the association because there is nothing a rancher likes better than talking. In addition these oil offices have been instrumental in bringing more people to town, raising the population from 6,000 two years ago to 10,000 now.

It's here that one of the state's biggest feeder calf sales is held. The third annual sale will be held in the latter part of October this year. The sale is conducted by the Midland Fair, Inc., of which Clarence Scharbauer is president, and calves will be sold in carload lots. Most of the buyers are feeders from the corn belt who have been buying the high-bred Herefords of this area for years. The new \$30,000 elementary school building will be ready for occupancy by September 1 when Superintendent W. W. Lackey will ring the bell for the 31st year as head of the faculty. There are 1,870 scholastics and the enrollment is expected to be about 2,000. Foy Proctor is president of the school board. PLAN NEW SKYSCRAPER. Prospects for the construction of a 12-story building, the Marion and McClintic, at an approximate cost of half a million dollars are good. The building would consist of one story for businesses, five stories for office space and six for apartments. A hotel apartment is also planned by A. W. Snider, owner of the Llane Hotel. Many down town stores have been remodeled. Just completed is the addition of two water wells and a new storage tank to the city water works. See (OIL, CATTLE) Page 3

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## Banquet Is Well Attended At Scharbauer

Technical Papers Given on Program During Afternoon  
By BILL COLLYNS  
Attended by more than 250 oil men from over the vast oil producing areas of West Texas and South-eastern New Mexico, the summer meeting of the Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute was held at Hotel Scharbauer here yesterday, the reading and discussion of technical papers in the afternoon, followed by a banquet and dance in the evening featuring the quarterly gathering, K. L. Sappington, Midland, chapter chairman, presided at all sessions. The interesting and entertaining programs for both afternoon and evening sessions were arranged by A. Poole of Odessa, program chairman. W. T. Doherty, superintendent of the Humble Oil and Refining Company here, gave the opening address at the afternoon session, Doherty welcoming the visitors to Midland and then discussing the organization, divisions and functions of the A. P. I. He recommended the organization of A. P. I. classes over the Permian Basin this fall. The first technical paper, "Relative Economics of Surface Pumping Equipment," was delivered by A. N. Griffith, division production engineer for the Shell Petroleum Company here. "The Advantages of Drilling In With Oil As A Circulating Medium," was the topic of the second paper prepared by J. Ballantyne of Royalty, and T. A. Pollard, Midland, both engineers for the Standard Oil Company of Texas, and delivered by Pollard. An illustrated address on oil well perforating by the Lane-Wells Company concluded the afternoon session. Dr. E. H. Wells, president of the New Mexico School of Mines at Socorro, was the principal speaker at the well attended evening banquet held in the Crystal Ballroom, the address being exceptionally interesting and instructive. Following the banquet, the oil men and their ladies made merry until midnight at a dance staged in their honor in the Crystal Ballroom, the music being furnished by Joe Buzze and His Orchestra. Many local citizens attended the dance, contributing to its huge success. The entire meeting was deemed most successful by chapter officials. Officers of the Chapter are K. L. Sappington, Midland, chairman; G. A. Poole, Odessa, H. L. Johnston, Hobbs, Ben LeFevre, Big Spring, and L. F. Shiplet, Wink, vice-chairman; and E. A. Beasley, Midland, Secretary. Members of the advisory committee are: Glenn Bish, Hobbs; W. E. Cunningham, Hobbs; W. T. Doherty, Midland; Harvey Harrison, Midland; J. K. Hufendick, Wink; H. B. Hurley, Big Spring; Earl Griffin, Midland; F. E. Hatfield, Odessa; J. W. Jordan, Midland; T. E. Keefer, Wink; L. A. Neal, Odessa; and T. B. Sudderth, Hobbs.

## As Science Wars on Syphilis



Wassermann test technicians of the U. S. Bureau of Public Health Service, carrying on research against syphilis at Stapleton, N. Y., draw a sample of blood from a man's vein for laboratory analysis in the top photo. At the lower left a technician is shown reading a test tube. At bottom right are analyses of two different tests, with the "milky" tube at the right showing the presence of syphilis, while the test of a person free from the disease is shown at the left in the clear tube.

## Operated Caverns in 1906-7; Never Heard Of the Discoverer

The man who worked a claim in Carlsbad Caverns in 1907 but never heard of Jim White at that time stopped here for a brief visit Friday. Chas. Doss of Bonham, stock farmer in that section and rancher in Oklahoma, passed through here en route to visit relatives at Odessa. He paused to visit his friend, Fred Wemple. Doss had with him a set of photographs made in 1907 when he and some associates operated the El Paso Guano & Fertilizer Works. Their business was selling guano from Carlsbad Cavern to the Swift and Armour. In 1907 they sold the placer claim, with all equipment, to the Orange Growers Association of California. While they operated the claim, they got out 64 car loads of fertilizer from the "bat cave." They worked from an opening a half mile east of the present main entrance to the cavern. They had a track on which cars ran near the opening and had a cable 400 feet long with which a "wagon" holding 700 pounds of guano could be lifted from the cave to the surface. After the first few loads, they found that by using a "drying out" process, the guano could be reduced in weight and simultaneously increased in value, thereby producing much higher revenue. They bought the placer claim for \$6,500, installed 700 pounds of guano in equipment and sold out the next year for \$31,500. Photographs, made by a Carlsbad photographer at that time, were labeled "Stalactite Spring," "West Cave," "East Cave," and "Beauty Room—Bat Cave." Doss said there was no secret about existence of the cavern at that time. Asked if he knew Jim White in those days, he said: "Never heard of him." When asked how deeply the cavern was explored in his occupancy, Doss said: "Some of the boys explored it all one night, but I don't know how far they went. They carried lanterns and dropped grains of corn to trace their way out."

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## Crop Insurance Bill Gets Approval of House Committee

WASHINGTON, Aug. 7. (AP)—The house agricultural committee approved today the revised version of the senate wheat crop insurance bill recommended by President Roosevelt to protect growers against crop losses. The measure would establish a federally controlled corporation having a capitalization of \$100,000,000 with authority to insure wheat growers against losses from droughts, floods, frost, hail, insects or other natural causes. Consider Court Bill. The senate began consideration today of the lower court bill, drafted to supplant President Roosevelt's proposal to enlarge the supreme court.

## Convicted Doctor Dies in His Cell

BELAIR, Md., Aug. 7. (AP)—Dr. Armen Greenhut died in his cell today, less than fifteen hours after a circuit court jury convicted him of criminally attacking a thirteen year old school girl. After a coroner's jury viewed the body, Magistrate Stanley Soencer adjourned the inquest. The jury made no statement. Sheriff Granville Boyle and the defense counsel said Greenhut probably died in his sleep. Prisoner's Pockets Jammed. WELLSTON, O. (AP)—Police who searched a prisoner found four bottles of beer, two pints of whisky, two knives, a pair of brass "knucks," and five 10-cent pies.

## Corporation Head Resigns Post After Exchange of Stock

CHICAGO, Aug. 7. (AP)—E. L. Cord resigned today as head of the corporation bearing his name, an announcement by the company said. Cord's resignation came soon after Federal Judges Charles Woodward issued an order restraining Cord and Morris Markin, president of the Checker Cab Co., from alleged manipulation of securities on stock exchanges. The company's announcement said the resignation followed an exchange near between Cord and L. B. Manning, presumably giving Manning the dominant position in the Cord company.

## Second Victim of Collision Is Dead

TERRELL, Aug. 7. (AP)—Juanita Mize, seven months, of Breckenridge died today, bringing the death toll from an automobile collision near Kaufman yesterday to two. Her sister, Little, 14, died yesterday. Jack Marvin of Canton, whose skull was fractured in the collision, was in a serious condition this afternoon.

## Cable Installed For Traffic Lights

Cable for the completion of Midland's traffic lights has arrived from Lynn, Mass. All the construction work on the lights was finished Saturday. A definite time for their being put into use has not as yet been set, because a safety switch-board for the lights has not arrived. Midlanders are now assured, however, that the traffic signals will be in use in the very immediate future. They have been installed by H. N. Phillips, local electrician.

## Former Officer Dies.

NEW BRAUNFELS, Aug. 7. (AP)—W. H. Adams, 71, former president of the Texas Sheriffs' Association, died today.

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## The Town Quack

(Reserves the right to "quack" about everything without taking a stand on anything).

I guess it's all right to print this. I read it in another paper. It's old, but it's still good: **MY PHILOSOPHY**

By James Whitcomb Riley

I allus argy that a man Who does about the best he can, Is plenty good enough to suit This lower mundane institute— No matter of his daily walk Is subject fer his neighbor's talk. And critic-minds of ev'ry whim Jest all git up and for him!

It's natural enough, I guess, When some gits more and some gits less. For them-uns on the slimmest side To claim it ain't a fair divide; And I've knowed some to lay and wait, And git up soon, and set up late, To ketch some feller they could hate Fer goin' at a faster gait.

The signs is bad when folk commence And balkin' 'cause the earth don't shake At every prancin step they take. No man is great till he can see How less than little he would be If stripped to self, and stark and bare. He hung his sign out anywhere.

My doctern is to lay aside Contentions, and be satisfied; Jest do your best, and praise er blame That follers that, counts jest the best. I've allus noticed great success Is mixed with troubles more or less, And it's the man who does the best That gits more kicks than all the rest.

### Water Carnival To Be Held Here August 24 By Boy Scouts

The annual Boy Scout water carnival, held by the Buffalo Trail Council at Pagoda pool, here, is scheduled for August 24, this summer. The water carnival is an event looked forward to by all the troops who vie for honors in the meet and it constitutes the last summer activity of the council.

Almost all the troops are expected to bring formidable contestants to the meet this year, making competition stiff for the favored Midland troops.

This meet brings to a close a very active summer in scouting. Starting with the annual Round-up in Big Spring in May, the council saw the jamboree and the annual camp pass in the lists of summer scouting. The carnival August 24 will end these activities for 1937.

### Sand Green Tourney At Country Club Set Late in Month

Midland Country Club announces the West Texas Sand Green Championship golf tournament to be played August 27, 28 and 29 here, with the 18-hole championship played off on Sunday afternoon of the tourney.

Entrance fee will be \$2.50. There will be sixteen players to each flight and a flight for all players. Each match will be for eighteen holes. Deadline for entering will be at 4 p. m. on August 27, with optional qualifying on the Midland course with a member of Midland Country Club Saturday and Sunday, August 21 and 22.

Special features include a long driving contest, with the best out

of three balls, the best to be in the fairway. One flight composed of golfers over 50 years of age will be played and "grand paps" are invited to bring out their clubs.

A banquet will be held at Hotel Scharbauer at 8:30 p. m. Friday, August 27, also a Calcutta pool at 9 p. m.

### Reese Receives New Plane from Factory

Alf Reese late in the week joined the list of pilots owning their own planes at Midland when he received direct from the factory at Detroit a new Fairchild ship. It was bought for Reese by Rorie E. Cowden Jr. of Dallas, former Midland man, who with Mrs. Cowden ferried it out from Detroit.

The ship is a four-passenger cabin job, powered with a 145-horsepower

Warner motor. Cowden said it was one of the best private planes ever brought to West Texas.

"If I had a million dollars, it would be just the ship I would buy," said the Dallas man who does his flying as a side line. For the past fourteen years, he has handled automobile advertising on the Dallas Times-Herald. He has been flying for twelve years and is dealer for a plane which he has sold numerous Dallas flyers.

Mr. and Mrs. Cowden made the trip from Detroit, via Cincinnati, a distance of about 1,300 miles, in thirteen hours flying time.

Reese, R. B. Cowden, "Little George" McEntire and Allan Hargrave are among the local flyers who have recently bought new ships.

Approximately 17 cities of the world have subway railway systems of some sort.

### SAFETY WORK AT CROSSROADS CUTS AUTO FATALITIES

What to do with the injured following auto mishaps on highways and rural lanes is becoming increasingly important in gasoline-conscious America.

"So long as people on the highways continue to be hurt," says A. W. Knight, in the Rotarian Magazine, "they must be cared for. Not just when an ambulance and a physician are at hand, but at once, there, at the roadside! Spurring blood must be checked, fractured limbs splinted before moving, shocked victims made to lie flat to conserve body temperature fast fading from a retarded circulation."

Thanks to the Red Cross and cooperating groups, roadside first aid stations attended by trained humanitarians are administering to the needs of thousands suffering from traffic accidents. Many lives are being saved and suffering greatly mitigated.

"In the United States," continues Mr. Knight, "the American Red Cross, acting in cooperation with the state and local police, public utility and other groups, has established 1,300 first-aid posts on through routes from coast to coast. Not only that, but 3,500 additional highway stations will soon be complemented by a mechanical army of trained first-aiders regularly plying the highway on motorcycle, in police radio car and light truck, who can get to the scene of accident in a hurry.

"More than 5,000 persons have already received the required training to serve at the highway first-aid posts. At last two of the attendants of each post must be certified, but in addition near-by residents have taken advantage of Red Cross technical training and this has resulted in a community reserve qualified to act in emergency. These men and women serve without pay as Red Cross volunteers. They are America's 'Samaritans, Inc.'"

**Telegraph Cable Hauled Up.**  
DEAL, Eng. (U.P.)—When the Dutch schooner San Antonio hauled up its anchor here, the cross-channel telegraph cable came with it. Motor-boats from Deal helped to release and replace the cable.

**Hand Squeeze as "Signature."**  
LONDON (U.P.)—A squeeze of the hand was accepted as the "signature" of a will in the Probate Court here. The will was that of Mrs. Martha Stubbs, who lived with her great-nephew, Joseph Pickerill.

Gene Howe's Tactless Texan Column says Old Tack has signed Mrs. Roosevelt to appear in Amarillo on Mother-in-Law day next March. His column went on to say that an added attraction will be the Al Barnes-Sell Flooto circus.

I am sure a lot of our citizens are proud to know that Big Spring got the insane asylum. However, one man who openly opposed its location here remarked that "it's still forty miles too close."

I've heard two men say they are sorry we didn't get it and two dozen declaring it to be good news.

Those who think we are about to have a crop failure should drive out the east and southeast parts of the county. Cotton and feed look pretty good. Much of the feed will make pretty good fodder and grain just as it is. Much of the cotton can rock along for two or three weeks without rain, then do fine if the rain comes.

The other day we had a news item about Roy McKee winning a trip to Monterey from the Great Southern. It really was the Great American. Roy says to make up for it we must say "Great American" a hundred times. Well, here goes: "GREAT AMERICAN A HUNDRED TIMES."

It's natural enough, I guess, When some gits more and some gits less. For them-uns on the slimmest side To claim it ain't a fair divide; And I've knowed some to lay and wait, And git up soon, and set up late, To ketch some feller they could hate Fer goin' at a faster gait.

The signs is bad when folk commence And balkin' 'cause the earth don't shake At every prancin step they take. No man is great till he can see How less than little he would be If stripped to self, and stark and bare. He hung his sign out anywhere.

My doctern is to lay aside Contentions, and be satisfied; Jest do your best, and praise er blame That follers that, counts jest the best. I've allus noticed great success Is mixed with troubles more or less, And it's the man who does the best That gits more kicks than all the rest.

### Eye Accidents' Cost To Industry Figured

SOUTHBRIDGE, Mass. (U.P.)—American industry is paying out about \$50,000,000 annually for eye accidents, according to estimates made here by the American Optical Company.

Charles O. Cozzens, vice president, says at least one-half of this cost could be eliminated within a 12-month period if ordinary safety methods were used.

Some 200,000 eyes are lost per year in U. S. industry, he says.

The most dangerous times of the day and night in the streets of London are 11 a. m., 4 p. m., 7 p. m., and 11 p. m.—the last being the worst.

### Baby, Born After Mother's Death, Is Reported Improving

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 7 (U.P.)—Frances Mary Bocassini, three and a half pounds, was declared to be past the critical stage today and doctors hoped to remove her from the oxygen tent soon.

Dr. John Corbit, who delivered the child by operation one minute after her mother, doomed by an incurable disease, had died, said the baby "looks fine." The superintendent of the Philadelphia General Hospital said the records showed the girl had taken nourishment regularly the first night and her temperature had fallen toward normal.

**No Hits at Softball.**  
KINGSTON, N. Y. (U.P.)—Ben Toffel pitched a no-hit, no-run softball game as the Apple Knockers downed the Kinney's 6-0, in a City League tilt. The no-hitter was the first in local softball history.



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### City Property Leads In Transactions Filed for Record at County Clerk's Office; Many Deeds Entered on Books

Sale of city property continued to lead all transactions filed for record at the office of County Clerk, a check-up Saturday showed. Most of the instruments were warranty deeds. However, a few mineral instruments continued to be filed on Midland county lands, indicating future oil exploration. Deeds filed since July 15 follow:

N. G. Baker to Pete Tucker, Lots 11 and 12 in block 58 West End Addition.

F. F. Elkin, Trustee to George D. Phillips, All that portion of block 88 West End Addition to the town of Midland, lying east of a high-

way through said block.

Anna Bell Hickman to Walter Jones, All of lot 7 in block 21, Moody's Addition.

George D. Phillips to Oscar H. Crowe, lot 13 and west 1/2 of lot 12 in block-1, Country Club Heights. C. B. Baker and wife to B. G. Frafa, a part of southwest one fourth of section 25 in block 39 Township 1 south.

Sam Bowles and others to H. G. Bowles, sections Nos. 4, 5, 40, 44 and 45 blk. 37 township 4 south. R. E. Klebold to Alton A. Gault, lot 9 blk 25, Moody's Addition. George M. Kirkwood to John M.

Serogin, the south 46 2/3 feet of lot 10, 11 and 12 in blk. 5 High School.

Billy Peay to Stanton Brunson, lots 8 and 9 blk. 51 East Midland. Scharbauer Cattle Co. to R. O. Walker, lots 1, 2 and 3 in blk. 24 West End Addition.

Roy F. Stockard to Stanley H. Kent, lot 4 in blk. 36 West End. F. F. Elkin trustee to A. C. Francis, lots 5 and 6 in blk. 98 West End Addition.

T. W. Long to Ernest McKinney lot 11 blk. 84 West End Addition. Elmer Smith to Katie Stevens, lot 9 in blk. 188 Southern Addition. Spencer Jewell and wife to Spurgeon Blackburn, 50 x 140 feet out of blk. 10 Homestead Addition.

M. S. Garrett to H. D. Vian, lots 4 and 5 in blk. 198 Southern Addition. Alvin P. Loskamp to F. Dwo Grant lot 7 in blk. 10 High School Addition.

Roy F. Stockard to Stanley H. Kent lot 3 blk. 36 West End. L. F. Heard to J. H. Williams, south 21 feet of lot 7 and all of lot 8 in blk. 38 Southern Addition.

Carl Smith to Mrs. E. F. Foster, all the south part of the north one half of section 14 blk 41 township 2 south.

L. F. Heard to J. S. Rivers, lot 2 in blk. 11, Moody's Addn.

G. C. Rann to O. D. Ranne, lot 5 in blk. 8 Homestead Addn.

T. R. Pridemay Lumber Co. to Skelly Oil Company, lots 10 and 11 blk. 109 West End.

Ernest McKinney to J. F. Friberg,

lot 10 blk. 84 West End Addn.

Jessie Kizer et ux to J. D. Rodgers, lot 1 blk. 111 Original Town.

F. F. Elkin, Trustee to J. D. Dilard, lots 1 and 2 in blk. 119 West End.

F. F. Elkin, Trustee to Bert Rosenbaum, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, and 12 blk. 59 West End Addn.

W. P. Dykema to Skelly Oil Co., lot 6 and west half of lot 5 in blk. 9, High School Addn.

M. W. Whitmire to F. D. Reven, the middle fifty feet of the northeast one fourth of blk 8, Homestead Addn.

F. F. Elkin, Trustee to Alden S. Donnelly, lot 6 and west half of lot 5 blk. 103 West End Addn.

Dora W. Connell to Grady E. Brown, lot 2 in blk. 107 Southern Addn.

Mrs. Mabel M. Floyd to J. B. Livingston, all of north half of NW quarter of blk. 38 Homestead Addn.

J. A. Haley and Elizabeth Garrett to Alvin P. Loskamp, all of lots 4, 5 and 6 in blk. 110 West End Addn.

Judge Chas. L. Klapproth and wife to Ruby Trammell Chaney lots 4, 5 and 6 in blk 24 West End Addn.

John C. Dunagan to C. M. Dunagan, the west 50 feet of lot 9 in blk. 89 Original Town.

F. F. Elkin, Trustee to J. C. Montgomery, lots 3, 4, 5, and 6 in blk. 15, College Heights Addn.

First National Bank, to Lloyd Wm. Winston, lot 1 and the east one

### Oil News--

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which was to be set on shoulder at 5,034. Total depth is 5,183 feet in line. Cores from 5,168-82 showed some porosity and saturation.

Texas No. 1 Walker, Yoakum test in section 794, block D, is drilling lime at 4,712 feet, no shows reported, while Moore Brothers Corporation No. 1 Clevelanu, section 706, block D, is drilling at 3,794 feet in anhydrite.

Brand Cores Show Oil. Cores from 4,850-72 having shown slight porosity and oil saturation. Phillips and I. T. I. O. No. 1 Brand, test a mile and a half northwest of the discovery well in the Wasson pool of northwest Gaines, was last reported coming out with core from 4,782-81. It is in section 55, block AX, public school land.

South of the Wasson well, Amer- L. F. Heard to George Davis, lot half of lot 2 in blk. 40 West End Addn.

3 in blk. 11, Moody's Addn.

George Hayden Wilmoth to The Loyal Church of Christ, all of the east 100 feet of lot 6 in blk. 154 Southern Addn.

P. J. Mims et al to Joseph H. Mims, Jr., east one half of lot 18 and eth west 40 feet of lot 19 in blk. 3 Country Club.

Spencer Jewell and wife to Mrs. Lilly M. Howe, 100 by 140 feet out of lot 10 Homestead Addn.

Mineral Dead.

C. C. Davis to L. H. Murray, 1/512 interest in section 23, blk. 38 township 4 south.

Oil & Gas Lease.

Lay Powell and others to O. B. Price, all of section 45 blk. 36 township 1 south.

ada No. 1 Cox is drilling at 3,253 feet in anhydrite and re. rock. It logged base of salt at 2,800 and topped Yates at 2,940.

Amerada No. 1 Armstrong, five miles west of Wasson production, is drilling at 4,978 feet in gray lime. Amerada No. 1 Matthews, a mile and a quarter southwest of the Wasson discovery, bottomed at 5,018, kinked swabbing line after lowering fluid to 4,400 feet from top and was shut down for replacement of line. It is in the northeast corner of section 417, block G, C. C. S. D. & R. G. N. G. survey.

Continental No. 1 Jones, section 22, block A-7, public school land, in northwest Gaines, is drilling lime at 5,047, with no change reported. It is being deepened from 5,040, where it swabbed 40 barrels of oil and 120 barrels of salt water daily after treating with 3,000 gallons of acid.

Argo No. 1 Jones, section 2, block A-7, four miles north of the Conoco well, is drilling at 4,923 feet in lime.

Oil, Cattle--

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The town now has a water capacity of four million gallons.

In accord with the forward movement is building of more highways. Hot topping of state highway 158 from Midland to the Midland-Ector county line has been started.

Nearly \$25,000 will be spent by the government carrying out range improvements in the county, according to County Agent S. A. Debnam. More than 350,000 acres of range land are signed up under the federal program and work being done under that is killing prairie dogs, build-

ing of range fences, construction of reservoirs and dams to hold water.

Among the ranchmen who have made this the center for cattle-men are Roy Parks, The Scharbauers, H. G. Bedford, Tom Nance, Leonard Proctor, E. B. Dickenson, Donald Hut, Arthur Judkins, T. O. Midkiff, Sam Creston, J. E. Hill, Frank Cowden, Clyde Cowden, R. B. Cowden, O. B. Holt, and others.

ENLARGED COTTON YIELD.

About 1,800 acres of the fertile land in the south part of Midland county has been put into cultivation during the recent months. Leading in that movement are J. C. Miles, Elmer Bizzell. Last year 6,000 bales of cotton were produced and the expected yield this year is 7,500 bales.

Bill Collins, secretary-manager of the chamber of commerce, says the annual rodeo which will be September 4, 5 and 6 will be one of the highlights of the season in way of entertainment.

The event will be staged in the fine race plant where one of the best arenas is found. Marion Flynt is president of the chamber of commerce.

Football helmets are worn by modern mountain climbers. Ninety per cent of all climbing injuries result from falling rocks.

### Squirrel Lines Nest With American Flags

MADISON, Wis. (U.P.)—E. W. Mutchler, custodian of Forest Hill cemetery, who has been sitting up nights trying to catch the thieving flags off soldiers' graves sleeps peacefully now.

So many of the flags disappeared that the remaining ones were replaced. Then the new ones started to disappear—an Mutchler climbed trees and examined the small boys he believes responsible for the flags vanishing.

A hard wind storm solved the mystery. A squirrel's nest was blown out of a tree. It was lined with 21 new American flags.

Mutchler climbed trees and examined other squirrel nests. All were lined with flags, old and new.

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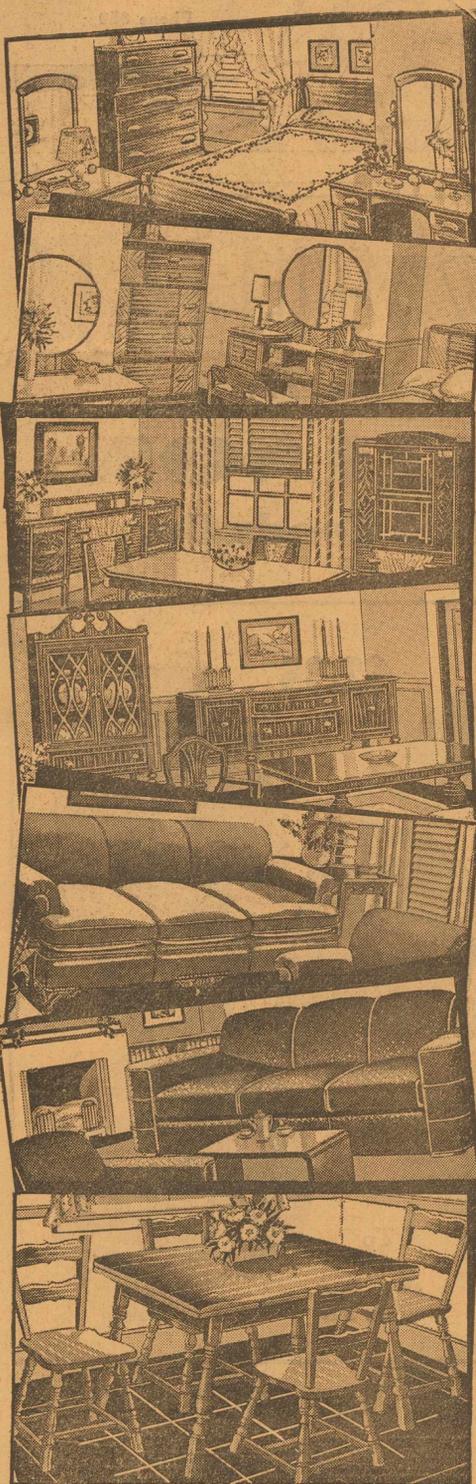
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# SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

## Engagement of Miss Thomas Is Announced At Bridge Party

### Miss Sill Entertains For Bride-Elect

Miss Maxine Sill entertained Friday afternoon at her home, 120 South Big Spring with an attractively appointed party to announce the engagement and marriage on August 23, of Miss Read Thomas and Mr. Henry Meadows of Tyler. Miss Thomas is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. John B. Thomas.

Bouquets of crepe myrtle with pink blooms formed decorations for the reception rooms. The bride-elect's chosen colors of pink and green were carried out in all table appointments and prize wrappings.

Mrs. Billy Smith of Odessa won high score at bridge, and Mrs. Hugh West won high cut. The prizes and a lovely gift were presented to the honoree.

The wedding announcement was made on the party plate. Miniature brides and grooms bearing the names "Reae" and "Henry" were formed of cake icing, with the date "August 23" on the individual cakes of pink and green. Strawberry ice cream was served in the form of wedding rings.

Guests were Miss Lucile Thomas.

### A Card of Thanks and Appreciation

Thirty-five years ago my wife and myself decided that the best place to move and rear our children was Midland, where we believed we were among some of the best people on earth. As the years came and went we had no occasion to believe we made a mistake.

One week ago on a beautiful Sunday morning, God's own day, among the tall pines at Ruidoso, N. M., in one of the most beautiful spots on earth, death called at our cabin door and took from us our beloved Wife and Mother. It left our hearts grieved and lonely. The sad news went over the wires to Midland and elsewhere and the responses came that lightened the load.

We have not words to express our great gratitude and appreciation to you people for your sympathy, your love, and your help in these, the saddest hours of our lives. Now we know that we built our home in the right place among the right people. When my time comes it will be a joy to die in Midland, among our friends whom I greatly love and appreciate.

W. F. Scarborough  
And Family

Miss Evelyn Phillips, Miss Elizabeth Payne, Miss Mable Cooper, Miss Harriet Ticknor, Miss Mary Maude Sparks, Miss Evelyn Haag, Miss Edna May Elkin, Mrs. Charles Stewart, Mrs. Billy Smith of Odessa, Mrs. Reginald Biggs, Mrs. Oliver Haag, Mrs. Hugh West, Mrs. Alf Reese, Mrs. Ben Black, Mrs. Frank Miller, and Miss Thomas.

## Two Midland Girls Win Distinctive Awards at Camps

Among the younger Midland girls who attended summer camps this year were Frances Ellen Link, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Link, and Mary Helen Armstrong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong. Both girls were active in all phases of camp life which included horseback riding, riflery, archery, tennis, dancing, arts and crafts, swimming, fencing and dramatics.

Frances Ellen attended Cheley Camp in Estes Park, Colorado, for five weeks and was in the Intermediate Division. Her weekly report cards, sent out by the camp director, Rheda Coates, were noteworthy. In riflery she won two degrees, pro-marksman award and marksman award, received a grade of "excellent" in nature lore and dramatics, and acted as property manager for a one act play. Her dramatic director was Mrs. E. A. Rowley, who is a sister of Mrs. Link.

Helen attended Camp Carrizo, near Ruidoso, N. M., for four weeks as junior. Her work in dramatics was outstanding, receiving the highest number of points in the junior division. She was under the direction of Miss Mary Broadbent who praised her ability as a reader and actor. In each of the regular Saturday night entertainments Helen was given a leading part, once as interpretative reader for a pantomime and twice in character roles in plays. She also received a ribbon award in swimming races.

Helen and Frances Ellen are both pupils of Mrs. R. Steele Johnston, teacher of public speech and dramatics here.

If an extra kernel were added to each ear, it is estimated that the corn crop of the United States would be increased by 5,000,000 bushels.

## Studio Date With Her 'Used-to-Be' Miss Nixon's Approaching Marriage Is Announced



When lovely Merle Oberon, above, resumes picture work in Hollywood this fall, she will find several feature roles awaiting her. And in one of them, "Kiss in the Sun," she will find the familiar face of an old boy friend, David Niven, no less, to whom she was engaged less than a year ago. Unless, of course, like an engagement, their scheduled meeting on the lot goes awry. After "Kiss in the Sun," Miss Oberon will work in several additional features, according to present plans.

## Course of Study For Club Is 'The World Progresses'

### Year's Program to Begin With Luncheon

"The World Progresses and Legislation" is the course of study for the Modern Study Club for 1937-1938. This is a continuation of the study course for the past year, International Relations. The new club yearbooks are characterized by apt quotations for each program, and promise a winter of interesting study. The year's work begins with a luncheon September 22, at Hotel Scharbauer, and the second meeting will be October 6, at the home of Mrs. S. S. Stinson with Mrs. John W. Skinner leader of the program on "Progress of Medical Science." Dr. L. Waldo Leggett will be guest speaker, with Mrs. P. E. Bridge-water giving a paper on "The New Idea of Cancer."

Officers are Mrs. L. C. Link, president; Mrs. J. M. Haygood, vice-president; Mrs. S. S. Stinson, recording secretary; Mrs. J. H. Rhoden, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. M. Hills, treasurer; Mrs. R. Steele Johnston, parliamentarian - critic, and Mrs. M. H. Crawford, historian-reporter. The order of business is roll call, reading of minutes, communications, reports of officers and committees, unfinished business, new business, program and adjournment.

The club was organized in 1925, became a member of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in 1926 and of the General Federation of Women's Clubs in 1929. It has been outstanding in social and civic accomplishments, and abides with the motto, "The World Advances—Advance With It." Club colors are pink and green and the flower carnation.

### Announcements

**MONDAY.** Midland Rebekah Lodge No. 91 meets each Monday night at 8 p. m. in the hall above Piggly Wiggly No. 1, corner of North Main and West Texas.

The Martha Holloway circle will meet with Mrs. M. D. Cox, 611 N. Colorado.

The Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet at the church for Bible study, led by Mrs. Cliff M. Epps.

The Annie Barron circle of the Baptist W. M. U. will meet in the parlor at 3:30 Monday afternoon. The Evangels circle will meet at the home of Mrs. C. E. Strawn, 609 West Indiana.

**TUESDAY.** The Midland County Museum, in the courthouse, will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

**WEDNESDAY.** The Midland County Health

Board sponsors a health program each week from 11:00-11:15 a. m. broadcast over KRLH. Tune in.

**THURSDAY.** The Midland County Museum, in the courthouse will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

The Thursday Sewing Club will meet at the home of Mrs. W. L. Fickett, 905 West Missouri.

**FRIDAY.** The Ladies' Golf Association meets at 8:30 a. m. at the Midland Country Club. Free instructions will be given beginners. Lunch will be served at 12 o'clock, and for reservations call Mrs. Howe at the club.

Belmont Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. B. A. Rogers, 510 South Lorraine.

**SATURDAY.** Visit the Midland County Museum in the basement of the courthouse. It will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

The Children's Story Hour is each Saturday morning in the children's library from 10-11 a. m.

### Wedding Date Is Set for August 22

It was to announce the approaching marriage of her daughter, Miss Melba Nixon, that Mrs. J. P. Nixon entertained Thursday night at their home at the Gulf Tank Farm, east of Midland. Miss Nixon is Bride-elect of Mr. Hunter Midkiff of Midland, and will be married August 22.

Miss Peggy Jo House won high score at the card games played during the evening. Hearts bearing the announcement "Melba and Hunter, August 22" were found by the guests in bags of rice, placed on attractive party plates.

The guest list included Miss Jane Walker, Miss Lucille Duffy, Miss Charlene Savage, Miss Peggy Jo House, Miss Joan Barnett, Miss Kathryn Barnett, Miss Freddie Lou Barber, Miss Daphne Shafer, and Miss Nixon.

## Interesting Story Hour Is Conducted By Miss Sindorf

Miss LaMoine Sindorf conducted the Story Hour Saturday morning and the following selection of stories were told to the group: "Thumbling's Travels," "The Legend of the Dipper," "The Living Alarm Clock" and "Twopence Half penny."

Present were Marvin Prager, Donald Prager, Harley Wright, Sonny Wright, Billy Pate, Duane Fritz, Joy D. Debnam, Berton Cain, Gary Nichols, Ann Nichols, Charles Giles, Billie Lajeane Pigg and Valda Dee Pigg.

## Mrs. Rogers Teaches Bible Class Lesson

The Belmont Bible class met on Friday afternoon with Mrs. C. E. Strawn, 605 West Indiana. Mrs. B. A. Rogers taught the Bible lesson, from the book of Exodus. The class will meet next Friday at the home of Mrs. B. A. Rogers, 510 South Lorraine, and will begin the study of the book of Genesis.

Attending were Mesdames C. E. Nolan, Herbert King, T. O. Midkiff, B. A. Rogers, John King, W. F. Collins, B. Rogers, D. E. Holster, W. L. Fickett, R. L. Mitchell, and the hostess, Mrs. Strawn.

**Huge Sturgeon Landed.** TOLEDO (U.P.)—Largest catch by commercial fishermen so far this season has been a 106-pound sturgeon measuring 6 feet 5 inches in length. The fish yielded about 40 pounds of roe marketing at \$2 a pound.

## OF LOCAL INTEREST

Mrs. L. B. Lancaster will leave Monday for San Antonio and Edinburg, and will attend the wedding of Felix Lynn McDonald, young attorney of Edinburg and formerly of Midland. He will marry a Miss Wynn on August 21.

Mrs. Iva Noyes, 215 N. Colorado, has as her guest Mrs. Lahom Thelms from Oklahoma City. She will be here for several days.

E. Griswell and family moved here recently from Dallas. Mr. Griswell is connected with the Rush-world Oil Co.

Mrs. N. W. Bigham and house guests, Mrs. J. A. Clifford and Mrs. Clifton Davenport and children, left Saturday for Plainview where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Skinner, left Friday for a vacation trip to Estes Park and other points in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden and children, Frank, Courtney, and Elizabeth Ann, have returned from Tincup, Colorado, where they vacationed for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee left Sat-

urday morning for San Antonio. After a short visit there, they will continue their trip to Monterey.

N. E. Tanner returned Saturday night from Houston, where he has been here for several days on business.

D. Ballentine of Fort Worth has been here for several days on business. He is connected with the land department of the Continental Oil Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Roberts, Mrs. Harry Roberts and daughters returned late in the week from Eastland where they visited relatives. They reported Raymond Doyle, son-in-law of J. C. Roberts here, to be in a serious condition from a paralysis attack.

B. T. Graham has returned from Fort Worth where he had been on business.

S. L. Alexander of Fort Worth has returned home after a business visit here.

Mr. W. C. Blackburn of Crowley, La., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Whitmire.

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That Harpo Marx once was a bellhop at both the Hotel Savoy and Hotel Plaza in New York City?

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Austria Puts Sausages On Restricted Basis

VIENNA (U.P.)—Should travelers like sausages, they should try to make this year's holiday in Austria, while there are still 180 kinds to choose from, and while mystery continues to envelop their contents. Austria's Board of Victuals is engaged in reducing the number of sausages to 60, to invent appropriate names for them and to establish exact rules as to the ingredients contained in each of the brands. The board expects to conclude its work by Oct. 1, when the new prescriptions are scheduled to come into operation.

Stamp of King George V Canadian Best Seller  
OTTAWA, Ont. (U.P.)—The Canadian post office department issued approximately 15,000,000,000 postage stamps in the 34 years from 1903 to 1935. The estimate, first of its kind ever issued by the department, showed that the best-selling stamps were the King George V series of 1912, of which 3,218,400,000 one-cent and \$5,043,450,000 two-cent stamps were sold.

Tailtwister Race Draws Fire Among Midland Lions

By POLITICAL EDITOR

The political pot is boiling over and what is proving to be the most hotly contested election ever held in Midland county will be climaxed Wednesday when a Lions club Tailtwister will be elected at the regular mid-week luncheon of the local Lions club in the assembly room of the Midland county courthouse. Candidates involved in the election are Lions Duke Kimbrough and Boyd Scott, and both are making an exceptionally active campaign for the coveted office. Although candidates have been warned by club officials against a mud-slinging campaign, the race has turned into one of the "filthiest" ever staged here. The nominees and their campaign managers have spared nothing in dishing out the dirt and the pasts of both candidates have been bared to the public. Followers of both candidates were very optimistic over the outcome of the election yesterday.

It is understood that Kimbrough is running on a good-looks campaign, which is said to be favored by numerous of the club members. Scott's platform was announced in full at the club luncheon last Wednesday, many exceptionally good points being mentioned. Scott followers have adopted the slogan, "Let Boyd Scott Twist Your Tail During the Coming Year." It is understood that the Kimbrough forces have worked out a detailed platform and are ready to answer certain charges made by the Scott backers, but Russell Conkling, campaign manager for Kimbrough, could not be reached for a statement last night.

Bill Collins, campaign manager for Lion Scott, said yesterday that Judge J. H. Goodman, candidate for the office last year, will make the closing address for Scott at the Wednesday luncheon. It is understood that Attorney Frank Stubbsman will take the "stump" for Kimbrough. Fireworks are expected to really start popping early in the week when followers of both candidates will begin to bear down for the final three days of the race.

Tagged Canary Hunts Cage  
TULSA (U.P.)—An odd-looking spotted canary fluttered around Mrs. M. A. Phelps' back porch bird cage, flying back each time she frightened it away. She opened the cage door and the bird flew in, exhibiting a wing on which was stamped the numeral "31."

Boys' Swim Costs City  
HONOLULU, (U.P.)—With the famous Waikiki beach attracting bathers from all over the world, city fathers were a trifle disgusted when a number of youngsters decided to use the city's 3,000,000 gallon water reservoir instead. It cost the city \$300 to drain the tank and refill it.

Church Services

**MEN'S CLASS**  
The Mens Class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend. The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and Judge Charles L. Klapproth. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

**ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH**  
The Rev. Edw. P. Harrison, O. M. I.  
8:00 a. m. Mass for Mexican people. Spanish sermon.  
10:00 a. m. Mass for English speaking people.  
7:30 Evening services.  
Daily Mass 8:30 a. m.

**NAOMI CLASS**  
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer. Mrs. J. Howard Hodge is the teacher.

**HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal)**  
Pastor, Rev. O. W. Roberts  
10:00 Sunday School.  
11:00 Preaching Service.  
7:45 Wednesday, Prayer Meeting.  
7:30 Evening Service.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
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10:00 a. m. Bible drill.  
10:15 a. m. Classes for all ages.  
11:00 a. m. Sermon.  
11:45 a. m. Communion.  
7:30 p. m. Young peoples service.  
8:15 p. m. Sermon.  
Week Day Services  
3:00 p. m. Tuesday Ladies' Class.  
8:15 p. m. Wednesday, Midweek Service.

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**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
Cliff M. Epps, Pastor  
9:30 Church School.  
11:00 Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
7:00 p. m. Young People's Intermediate department meets at the church and Epworth department meets at the annex.  
8:00 p. m. Evening Worship. Sermon by the pastor.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. W. J. Coleman, Minister in Chg.  
J. L. Kendrick, Church School Supt.  
9:45 a. m. Church School.

6:00 p. m. Junior Endeavor under the direction of Mrs. J. L. Greene.  
There will be no morning or evening church services due to the absence of the Rev. Coleman.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. Winston F. Borum, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:50 Morning worship. Subject: "The God of the Burning Bush."  
8:15 p. m. Evening worship. Subject: "The Keys of the Kingdom."

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
J. E. Pickering, Pastor.  
H. G. Bedford, Supt. Bible School  
Mrs. M. A. Park, Director of Music.  
9:45 a. m. Bible school.  
10:45 a. m. Preparation for Lord's Supper.  
11:00 a. m. Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject: "The Great Giver."  
6:00 p. m.—Worship. Sermon subject: "Ye Must Be Born Again."

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES**  
"Spirit is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 8.  
The Golden Text is: "No man hath seen God at any time . . . Hereby know we that we dwell in him, and he in us, because he hath given us of his Spirit (I John 4-12 13).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "He whom God hath sent speaketh the words of God: for God giveth not the

Spirit by measure unto him" (John 3:34).

The Lesson-Sermon includes also the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "When we realize that Life is Spirit, never in nor of matter, this understanding will expand into self-completeness, finding all in God, good, and needing no other consciousness" (page 264).

Jehovah's Witnesses "EXPOSED." "Religion and Christianity" — why are there so many different religions on earth today? What is the true worship of God? Hear the Scriptural answers to these questions Sunday at 3:00 p. m. in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

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Friday and Saturday — Pat O'Brien with Humphrey Bogart and Ann Sheridan in "San Quentin."  
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Now thru tomorrow — Wallace Berry, Clark Gable and Dorothy Jordan in "Hell Divers."  
Wednesday and Thursday — Edward Everett Horton in "Oh Doctor."  
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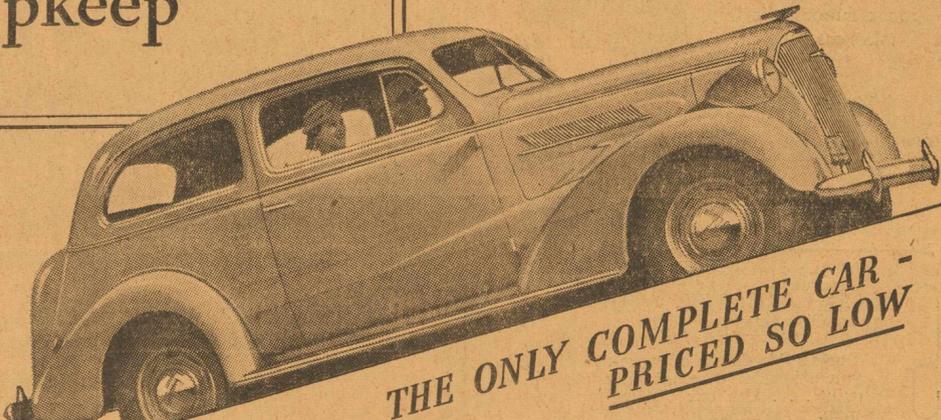
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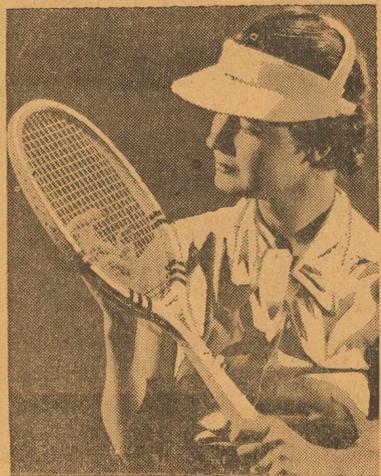
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# Lanny Ross Views Feminine Styles From Man's Viewpoint

## Radio Star Compares Women to Chef

**By Lanny Ross**  
DALLAS, Aug. 7.—I had always heard that Texas was rough on a tenderfoot, but they didn't tell me how rough. Imagine my shock at being asked to write what I think of the new Fall and Winter fashions for women.

This fashion business was really the second shock I had gotten in Dallas. The first was when I saw this Pan American Casino show I had come down to sing in. Take it from me, here's a different kind of show, one you'll never forget, and the like of which you probably won't see again soon. (And I don't say this just because I'm in the show—unfortunately, I won't be here much longer because I have a radio contract calling me away.)

Well, anyway, I got down here just as the Southwest's Fall Market Season was opening in Dallas. The Dallas market's series of three Fall style shows is being held at the Pan American Exposition. I began seeing pretty girls sprinting around in fur coats under a July sun, and that was quite a shock too. They said they were getting ready for the fashion shows. I wanted to know what it was all about, and one thing led to another until somebody talked me into writing this story on women's fashions from the man's viewpoint.

Before I surrendered to this writing job I tried to find out just what there would be to talk about, fashionably speaking. They said the fashionable, hat, skirt length, accessories and colors. Everything would be made clear by the second style show last night. The only thing clear about that style show was that the 44 models would look anywhere, and that their clothes were the kind that made you look two, maybe three, times.

Women's clothes remain, for us men, one of life's deeper and more alluring mysteries. It has its difficulties for some of us, and its embarrassing moments. I'm always having trouble when I meet a girl

wearing a distinctive hat and then fail to recognize her when she appears under another headpiece. Woman, somehow, seems endowed with the key to this thing called fashion or style. Sometimes a woman is like the chef with a secret recipe that he is unwilling to reveal. I am informed though that there are rules laid out for the guidance of those who would adhere to good taste, just as there are rules for good cooking even without knowledge of somebody's secret. So in the light of that confession, if you are still willing to read the thoughts of old Chef Ross, then let us proceed.

I still don't quite understand this silhouette business, which they said was so important. I'd always thought the silhouette was something too intimate to discuss. But it seems that it really means whether a girl looks like a funnel or an hour-glass. They call them the swing and pencil silhouettes. Swing sounds better, anyhow.

As for colors, anybody's guess is as good as mine. I can report that these Southwestern girls know how to do things with colors, things that the poor unsuspecting male approves. Blacks, with some good combinations with other colors, look like a favorite. There were lots of blues, too, and the browns, reds and greens all look like they will get across the finish line without any trouble.

Hats look less like flower pots and more like hats this season—but what kind of hats you'd never guess: dunce caps, cowboy hats, firemen's hats, A. E. F. caps, and French wafers' berets. Either the women or the manufacturers must be mechanical geniuses to keep these dizzy things on the wearers' heads. Skirt lengths are receding toward the knee caps, and it's time now for a word of pity for the gal with piano legs. Shoes look like they might have been filled full of bird-shot by the girls can sure step around in them.

But I say again it is mostly mystery and allure for a mere man.

## BOOK REVIEW

By A. W.

### "Here's to Crime," Courtney Riley Cooper; Little, Brown and Co., Boston, Mass.

If one is seeking pleasant reading he should avoid "Here's to Crime," for no law-abiding citizen can read it without being left with a dark brown taste. No writing man in America knows more about criminals and crime than Courtney Riley Cooper, and in his new book he has been painfully outspoken in showing the extent of crime in the United States.

For thousands of people crime has become a career. Why not? Working honestly the average individual would make only a few thousand dollars a year. Unlawfully he may make hundreds of thousands. Against this he must balance his arrests and possible imprisonments. But with shyster lawyers always ready to fix a case; with paid witnesses and jurors; with crooked policemen and politicians; and the case with which one can obtain a parole a criminal's business still easily shows an enormous profit.

The root of this growing evil in the United States is found in the rottenness of the civic government. Political control in almost every city goes with the bloc vote of the poor and ignorant. Their votes are easy to buy with sympathy and little attentions. Criminals feed on the conditions in the slums, get their candidate elected, and for reward ask to be let alone in their shady businesses. Al Capone got his start in such a way. His gang "took over" the city of Cicero, Ill., at an election. Here he opened his Hawthorne Smoke Shop. This was used partly as headquarters for his gang, partly as a dispensing station, and partly for another venture: the first Capone Syndicate—bawdy house. No civic government was ever able to sentence Capone. Only after the federal government took over his case on income tax evasion for six years on \$1,055,365.07 (most of which he made at the Hawthorne Smoke Shop) was he finally sent to Alcatraz. From Alcatraz there are no paroles granted. Prisoners in federal institutions must serve the full term of their sentence.

Many people feel that a national police would be the real solution to the crime problem. But Mr. Cooper says such a thing will never be, for congressmen and senators are too often elected by the same machine which take over local governments. The investigation of civic records and policies by government bureaus would react as boomerangs for many congressmen.

Mr. Cooper believes that the sheriff's office should not be elective; but that only efficient, highly trained career men should be placed in this office. Because no other office offers such scope or crookedness without danger of detection, Mr. Cooper believes that civil service should be made to apply to the district attorney's office.

No, "Here's to Crime" isn't a book to read for pleasant pastime; but it is thought provoking. What can the average citizen do in overcoming this growing evil? When one sees slot machines, gambling houses, and shady racketeers flourishing in his own city he begins to wonder who is the crooked member or members in his local government. The federal government's example of sensible law enforcement, sensible prison and parole systems show that progress can be made against the criminals. When local governments are run as the federal bureau of investigation by men of integrity who cannot be reached, then, according to Mr. Cooper, crime will cease to be an attractive career.

## At The Library

Summer selections of the International Mind Alcovoc books, the gift of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace.

"An Essay on the Nature of Contemporary England," by Hilaire Belloc: "This book on England is sure to arouse discussion and possible disagreement as to some of the conclusions reached. It is just as sure to command respect, however, for the author is not only a well known editor and publisher of England, but has also had unusual opportunity to acquaint himself with his subject. He lived as a school boy in England and studied at Oxford and has served as a member of Parliament. He was, however, born in France and did his conscript service with the French army. This combination of experience assures us of something objective and unique on "Contemporary England," a subject in which the whole world is interested."

"Denmark," by Agnes Rothery: "The author takes us for a delightful journey through a kingdom that has even in these bewildering days steered its course safely between dictatorship on the one hand and communism on the other. "Denmark," says the author, "the oldest kingdom in the world, is also one of the wisest and happiest," and then she proceeds to tell us why." The book is profusely illustrated with photographs.

"Canada," by Andre Siegfried: Here is one of the very latest books upon Canada which, as a neighbor country, is not as well known to us in the United States as it should be. The map shown on the end-papers stirs our interest immediately and just a glance through the contents makes us want to begin to read at once. The author is a Frenchman and is, of course, much interested in what he calls "The French element" of Canada, but he does not neglect British Canada nor the discussion of Canadian and American mutual interests.

"Discovering South America," by Lewis R. Freeman: This is, as the author himself says, "a survey of South America of Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow." Naturally, since it covers so wide a field it does not claim to be an exhaustive study, but it is a thoroughly readable and interesting tale which becomes absorbing when it contrasts present day conditions with those the author saw with his own eyes many years ago. The photographs—many of them made available through the courtesy of the Pan American Airways—are really beautiful.

Portman Poorer Now. CEDAR FALLS, Ia. (U.P.)—Vern Poorman, Cedar Falls resident, found that his name didn't mean much to Justice of the Peace John S. Borrenson. When Poorman appeared in court, Borrenson fined him \$100 for reckless driving and \$10 for driving without a license.

There are two men to every woman in Richmond, Yorkshire, England.

## DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

### General Assemblies Are Again Featured

The popular general assemblies will be continued. Men and women will gather each morning for an hour's meeting which will feature talks by nationally known personages, interspersed with group singing led by Wate Jenkins, song leader of Rotary International.

The adult meeting will be preceded each morning by a joint meeting of the club boys and girls. Walter Jenkins will also lead the singing of this group. The club members' meetings will be largely taken up by talks by 4-H club boys and girls and by a series of discussions on the subject "Our Rural Heritage."

The entertainment series, one of the most popular features of the Short Course, will be presented in Memorial Stadium, where a loud speaker apparatus will be installed. Music by two 4-H club bands, the presentation of prizes to Short Course contest winners, and the award of the coveted Gold Star pins to 100 club girls and the same number of boys will make up the program on the final night of the Short Course.

### Women Plan Busy Session

A busy session has been mapped out for the women in all lines of activity. In addition to the regular meetings at which subjects related to home making will be discussed, a number of talks will be given by widely known women on subjects of current interest. Special courses will be offered in folk games and dramatics.

Delegates from Texas home demonstration clubs will hold a series of meetings of the Texas Home Demonstration Association at which officers for the ensuing year will be elected and the policies of the association discussed.

(Extension Service Farm News)

Mrs. J. L. Hundle, a farm food supply demonstrator of the North Midland home demonstration club, by using the recipe below makes a grape juice so easily that very busy homemakers could find time to use: QUICK GRAPE JUICE: After selecting, stemming and washing pour 2 cups of grapes into a sterilized (taken from boiling water) quart fruit jar, add 2 cups sugar, fill with boiling water, adjust the lid or cap and seal. Note: This will need to be diluted when serving as a beverage.

Mrs. Henry Locklar, a co-operator in the Cotton Flat club, is making up some of the nice watermelon rinds we now have on hand into preserves using the following standard recipe:

WATERMELON RIND PRESERVES: Cut the outside and pink part from the rind and cut into uniform pieces 1 1/2-inch long and 1-inch wide. Cover with lime water made in proportions of 2 tablespoons lime (calcium oxide) to 2 quarts of water, and let stand overnight.

The next morning, drain and rinse well, soaking in cold fresh water for

## Penick Believes Tennis Future In Hands of Youths

AUSTIN, Texas. (U.P.)—Dr. D. A. Penick, President of the Texas Tennis Association, believes the future of the game lies in the hands of players less than 18 years old who, in order to develop properly, must have sponsorship.

In co-operation with the United States lawn tennis association Dr. Penick advocates a program embracing more recognition of young players and additional playing facilities.

He thinks Texas should have 50 tennis clubs instead of less than a dozen and that there should be more tournaments.

"It would seem that very few clubs are interested in the game except for purely personal reasons," Dr. Penick said. "The thought of promoting the game for the sake of the game itself and for the general good is foreign to 99 percent of tennis players."

"Most of the interest is in the schools and colleges where suitable leaders cannot be found because of the lack of necessary maturity and financial backing. There are a few, very few, shining exceptions but even their interest is in most cases local."

To remedy the situation he recommended: An appeal to every country club to sponsor tennis, build courts and make it possible for boys under 18 to play at a minimum cost.

Construction of courts for free use by every city of 10,000 or more popu-

two hours, then drain and drop into boiling water. Let boil 10 minutes, drain and drop into boiling syrup made by boiling 6 cups sugar with 12 cups of water for each 2 pounds of rind. For this proportion use juice of 1 lemon and 1 lemon sliced. Cook slowly until the rind is transparent and the syrup is the consistency of honey.

It may be necessary to remove the rind and continue cooking the syrup until thick. Fill into pint jars, seal, and process in water bath at simmering point for 15 minutes. Cool, label and store.

Note: When the rind is soaked in the lime water a crisp product results.

## University of Iowa Gains

IOWA CITY, Ia. (U.P.)—Enrollment in the University of Iowa graduate college has more than doubled in the last decade, a survey shows. From the 1,900 students in 1926-27, enrollment has grown to 3,953 in 1936-37.

## Stab in Head Survived

TARBORO, N. C. (U.P.)—A young negro here is reported making a miraculous recovery from a wound in which a knife was driven into his head up to the hilt. The physician who attended the youth verified the story. He said the knife was four inches long.

## Fish Paralyzes Man

CONWAY, N. H. (U.P.)—Robert Linscott, Jr., hooked a hornpout—and the pout hooked Linscott's father. The fish landed on the elder Linscott's back and a horn penetrated his spine and partially paralyzed him.

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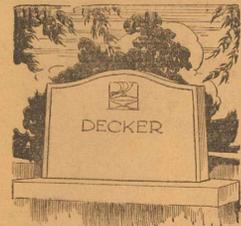
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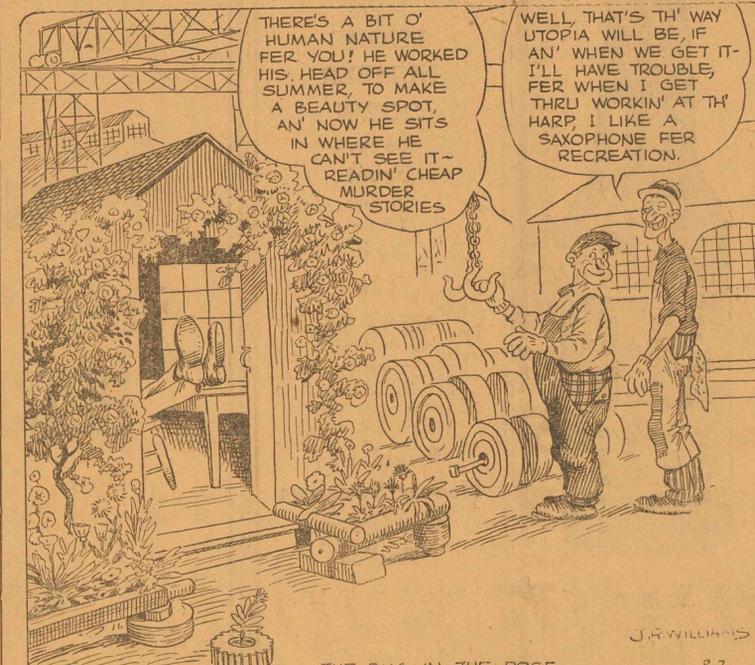


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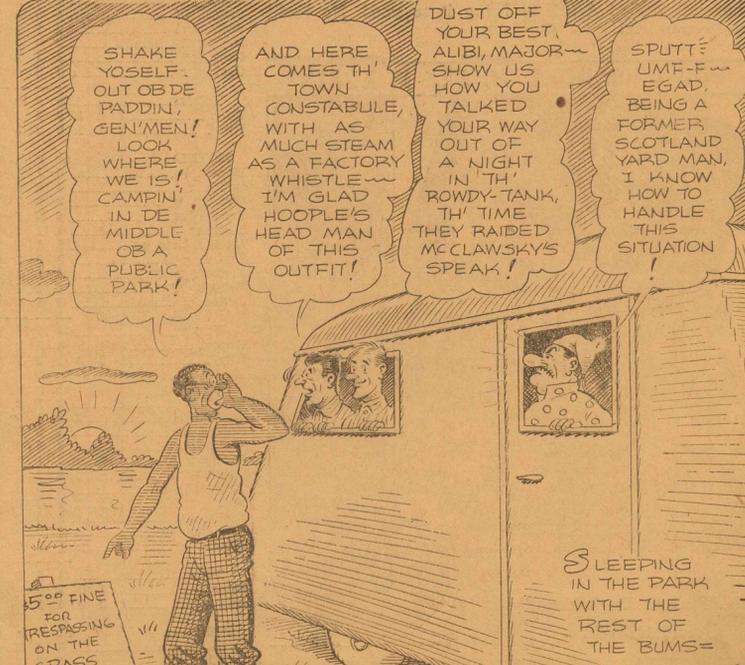
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# District Soft Ball Tournament To Be Held Here

### 11 COUNTIES WILL BE REPRESENTED AT THE TOURNEY

Plans for a district soft ball tournament to be held here during the week beginning September 23 were being pushed today, it being necessary for teams to qualify before September 15 in order to be eligible to enter the state tournament in

Overton October 1-8. Homer Williams, West Texas commissioner, Saturday announced the appointment of Jess Rodgers, President of the Midland Industrial League, as commissioner for the district tournament here; invitations to clubs in eleven counties are to be mailed out tomorrow. The following counties: Pecos, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Midland, Glasscock, Reagan, Upton, Crane, Ward and Reeves are in this district, and the entry of possibly 50

## 1937-Midland Hi Football Schedule-1937

September 17—McCamey at Midland  
September 24—Big Lake at Midland  
October 1—Pecos at Pecos  
October 8—Open  
October 15—Crane at Midland  
October 22—Wink at Wink  
October 29—Open  
November 5—Kermit at Midland  
November 11—Stanton at Midland  
November 19—Monahans at Midland  
November 25—Odessa at Odessa

teams at the tournament is foreseen. According to Williams, an entry fee of \$5 is required of all all-star teams entering the tournament but the fee is only \$3 to teams entering that have been playing together all year. Each town is limited to a maximum of five teams in the tournament. After expenses of staging the tournament are extracted, all re-

maining money will go to the winning team, the money to be used to send the club to the state tourney. In case the winning team does not wish to enter the state meet, the money will be disposed of otherwise, probably going to some charitable organization. Whether or not admission charges to the games are to be imposed has not been decided.

## MIDLAND BULLDOGS (1937 EDITION) TO GET FIRST WORKOUTS TOMORROW

The first practice of the fall will be held tomorrow afternoon for prospective members of the 1937 Midland high school football team. All ends, centers and back have been ordered by coach Taylor to report at the high school between two and four o'clock to receive equipment for the first week's practice. The practice will be held at either the City Park in the west end of town or in the old lake in the northwest part of town. The lake has been used for the past three or four years but it is believed the site will be changed in favor of the baseball park this time.

The boys will be issued track suits and football shoes for the first practices. Most of the time each day will be spent in learning the plays, passing and kicking the ball and generally getting the boys in shape for the more serious training that will be started early next month. The first scrimmages are scheduled for September 6, two weeks before the first game, Sept. 17. Taylor will have as lettermen this year, one end, one guard, two tackles, one center, one back. The back-

field will be handled all together by inexperienced men with the exception of Taylor, blocking half-back who was one of the bulwarks of the championship club in 1936. Admitting that he is seriously going to miss some of the heavier members of the club of last year, Taylor has announced that the team this year will go in for a more wide open offense than hitherto. Speed and passes will be stressed more than any attempts to overpower the opposing clubs.

## FORD CLUB CAPTURES SECOND PLACE WITH FRIDAY NIGHT VICTORY OVER SINCLAIR; HOTEL UPSETS SINCLAIR

The Ford soft ball club took sole possession of second place in the Industrial league standings Friday night when Wright won his second game in two nights by coasting to an easy victory over KRLH, 18-5.

The win placed the Ford club within one game of the league leading Hardware club and they will have a chance to gain at least a tie for the top spot when the two teams meet Tuesday night.

The Hotel Scharbauer team pulled a surprise win in the other game Friday night, upsetting the strong Sinclair club, 16-9. The Sinclair club took a one run lead in the first inning when they made three runs while the hotel crew could only get 2 but the "bell hops" came through with one in the second to tie the score then made five in the third to take a lead they never relinquished.

The Ford team took the lead in the first inning of their game with the radio crew and held it throughout, increasing it steadily until the fifth inning, when the game was called.

By their win over the Sinclair team the Hotel team entered into a tie for third place with their victims. The Gulf team is entrenched in fifth place and the KRLH club is buried in the cellar with only one win and six defeats.

The Hardware and Gulf clubs will meet in the first game Monday night, the Hotel Scharbauer and KRLH teams to tangle in the second affair.

The box score:

Box scores:

SINCLAIR— ab r h e

O'Neil, ss	3	0	0	2
Adams, 3	4	1	2	0
Carnes, 1	4	2	0	0
J. Hart, c	4	3	1	1
T. Hart, p	2	1	1	1
Roberson, c	3	0	1	0
Lackey, 2	4	0	2	0
Brown, uf	4	0	0	0
Rodrick, 1	2	1	1	0
Hedges, 1	2	0	0	1
Cook, of	3	1	2	0
Gracey, r	3	0	0	0
Totals	38	9	10	5
Runs	3	0	1	0
Hits	2	1	1	0

HOTEL— ab r h e

Haney, 1	5	1	1	0
Smith, r	4	2	3	0
Cowden, uf	3	2	1	1
Prochaska, 1	4	2	2	0
Traynor, 3	4	2	1	0
Cunningham, ss	5	1	1	4
Howell, c	3	3	2	0
Puckett, p	4	1	2	2
Petrick, of	3	1	1	0
Colton, 2	3	1	0	0
Totals	38	16	14	7
Runs	2	1	5	0
Hits	1	2	2	1

KRLH— ab r h e

Brock, r	2	1	2	0
Hudson, c	3	1	0	0
Dubois, 3	3	0	0	2
Waldron, 2	3	0	0	0
Harmon, of	3	1	1	0
Cabness, 1	2	2	2	0
T. Wright, uf	2	0	1	0
Nalley, 1	2	0	1	2
Newton, p	2	0	2	0
Williams, ss	1	0	0	0
Adams, ss	1	0	0	0
Totals	24	5	8	5
Runs	2	1	0	2
Hits	1	2	0	4

FORD— ab r h e

Bevel, of	3	3	2	1
J. Mills, 3	3	3	2	0
Lingle, ss	3	2	3	0

Pierce, 2	3	3	1	0
Parrott, c	3	3	2	1
Smith, 1	4	1	3	0
Chandler, uf	4	0	1	0
H. Mills, 1	3	1	1	0
D. Wright, p	2	1	0	0
Richman, r	3	1	0	0
Totals	31	18	15	2
Runs	3	2	0	6
Hits	4	2	1	3

## New Location for Frigidaire Dealer

Robert S. (Bob) Lile has announced that he has moved his Frigidaire display room from the Midland Hardware & Furniture Co. to the building formerly occupied by Anderson & Moore Garage at 113 East Wall. The building has been redecorated and makes a very attractive show room.

The name of the new establishment is the Household Supply Co., with Lile as manager. Radios, stoves and sweepers will be handled in addition to Frigidaires.

The personnel includes Lile, Bert Brooks, C. A. Lindsay, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison, who came here from Lubbock, Bill Willis and Earl Hackett, the latter two being in the service department.

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## Council's Raiders Imprison Mayor

VERA CRUZ, Aug. 7 (AP)—It was reported today that sixty armed men had captured the municipal building of Villatejada and imprisoned Mayor Arturo Cotoleac. Dispatches said the raiders were appointed by the new municipal council. Federal troops were sent to restore order.

Wandering albatross parents abandon their young when autumn comes, never to return to them, and the nestlings subsist without food for three months.

## Neill's Plumbing to Change Location

J. B. Neill has bought the warehouse occupied by Midland Feed Store from the Abilene Plumbing Supply Co. and will move his plumbing and sheet metal works from his location on South Main street shortly.

The building which Neill bought will be thoroughly remodeled. A stucco front will add to the appearance of the structure and the most modern displays will be placed throughout the rooms.

Neill has been operating in Midland for two and a half years and has contracted many jobs here.

## BABY BOY BORN

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Daniel, living at Andrew Fasken's Stokes place, are the parents of a baby boy born Friday morning. The youngster, named John L., weighed 10 1/2 pounds. Mrs. Daniel and the boy, at the ranch, are reported to be doing nicely.

The chameleon is the only member of the reptile family that can focus both eyes on the same point.

Vodopyanov's Biography. MOSCOW (U.P.)—A book entitled "Flights" by the hero of the Soviet Union, M. V. Vodopyanov, is shortly to be published. The book consists of three parts de-

voted respectively to the past history of Russian aviation. The British general postoffice delivers 20,000,000 letters daily, in addition to parcels.

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