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WEST TEXAS: Probably local thundershowers in southwest, slightly warmer in the Panhandle today.

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## SENATE ADOPTS AN AMENDMENT TO PROTECT PRIVATE ENTERPRISE

### SCHOOLS ADOPT TWELVE GRADE SYSTEM

#### New Commissioner



Francis B. Sayre, above, assistant Secretary of State and former son-in-law of the late Woodrow Wilson, has been appointed by President Roosevelt as High Commissioner of the Philippines.

#### Faculty Members to Fill Vacancies Are Named by Trustees

The Midland school board at its regular meeting July 26, 1939 decided to open the 1939-1940 session of the Midland public schools on Tuesday, September 5, adopted a twelve-year system for the Midland schools, and elected teachers to fill vacancies for the year 1939-1940.

The adoption of the twelve-grade system for Midland is in keeping with the official announcement of the State Department of Education for a twelve-grade system, which announcement will be made by the Department this fall. While the State course of study will be made on the twelve-grade plan, and while the official announcement will be made this fall, the adoption of such system will be optional with Texas schools, the State Department giving the schools until 1944 to adopt and adhere to the twelve-grade plan generally throughout the state.

The Midland school system will begin planning and reorganization on the twelve-grade plan this fall, possibly a year or two being required to perfect the organization. The reorganization of the Midland school system will, however, be rather simple, consisting, for the main part, in renumbering the grades, and calling the pre-primer grade the first grade, the upper first grade, the second grade, etc. The high school grades will do the same work they have been doing, but will be known, eventually, as the ninth grade, the tenth grade, the eleventh grade, and the twelfth grade. When the reorganization is completed, the seventh grade, the senior grade in grammar school, will be known as the eighth grade, which is the practice now in all twelve-grade systems.

The demand for the twelve-grade plan in Texas has come about from two causes: The lowering of the scholastic age from seven years to six years, and the enrichment of the curriculum with music, art, physical education and health programs, and extra curricular activities. Most of the reorganization will occur in the primary grades, and pupils of the pre-primer grade will require eight years to complete the grammar school, while opportunity will still be afforded for the high school in eleven years, the high school courses being organized by subjects rather than by grades. As a general rule, pupils will be a year older in entering the various grades, and will be a year older in finishing high school under the new plan. While the State Department of Education is announcing the twelve-grade plan for 1939-1940, the text books are printed and assigned to grades on the eleven-year basis. This, however, will not necessarily cause any confusion.

The school board elected the following teachers to fill vacancies in the Midland schools:

R. K. Roberts has the B.A. degree from Southern Methodist University, and has 24 hours of graduate work in the same institution. He has been teaching science for the past six years in the Greenville high school, where he was rated as one of the best teachers in the high school, popular, strong in management, and a great worker. He has done a good deal of work in visual education, and is the son of E. R. Roberts, a teacher in the Dallas Technical high school for the past 22 years. Roberts will teach Chemistry, Physics, Biology, and General Science, succeeding Frank Lambert, Jr., in that position.

J. W. Miller has the B.A. degree from the University of Texas, has taken special courses in Industrial education and diversified occupations, and has had several years of successful experience in business. He has been teaching for the past six years in Woodville, most of that time as principal of the high school and full-time teacher. He comes highly recommended by the State Department, and will take over the work in Diversified Occupations left vacant by the resignation of L. P. Stark. Miller will be on the job the first week in August, and will be available at the high school to pupils desiring to be enrolled in that department.

J. W. McWilliams has the B.A. degree from the Teachers' College at Denton, the M.A. degree in Spanish from the University of Mexico, and seven semester hours on his doctorate at the University of Texas. He has had six years of successful experience, two at each of the following places: Blooming Grove, La Porte, and Weslaco, being re-elected for the third year at the latter. Rated as an excellent teacher, he has been elected to teach Spanish, the place held for the past ten years by Miss Vera Hefner, who resigned to accept a place at Kingsville, Texas.

Miss Myrtle Lowe. Miss Myrtle Lowe has the B.A. degree from Texas State College for Women (C.I.A.), majoring in primary-kindergarten education. She has had nine years of successful experience.

#### Missing Beauty



Shortly after she lost in a beauty contest for "Miss New York," 16 year-old Ellmore Bertrand, above, daughter of a Brooklyn locomotive engineer, disappeared. Her father asked the FBI to step into the case.

#### Sailor Accused



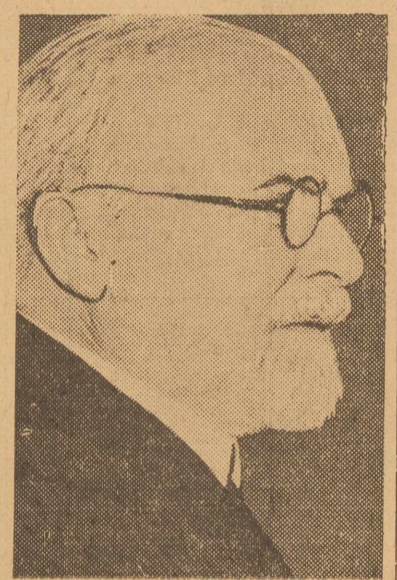
One shipmate died and a second was critically injured when Bee Swann, above, seaman from Gladewater, Tex., reportedly ran amok with a hammer on board the tanker Dugannon, allegedly assaulted the men, then jumped into the sea. Rescued, he was arraigned in Providence, R. I., after the ship docked. He pleaded not guilty.

#### Furlough of WPA Workers Cancelled

WASHINGTON, July 29. (AP)—Col. F. C. Harrington, work projects commissioner, today directed WPA administrators not to furlough any more relief enrollees with eight continuous months of service until further notice.

### Sympathy to China Voiced by New President of Baptist Congress

ATLANTA, July 29 (AP)—Inspired to seek fresh gains in religious liberty, world peace and Christian fellowship, thousands of messengers to the sixth Baptist



DR. JAMES H. RUSHBROOKE

World Congress began returning to their six national homes.

Dr. James Henry Rushbrooke of London, who assumed the alliance presidency on his sixty-ninth birthday, gave the thirteen messengers from China this message:

"Tell your people of our deepest sympathy and prayers in the intense, undeserved suffering your nation so heroically is bearing. Practically the only dissension to arise in the congress came Friday night when a British churchman spoke for Christians to 'make safe

the religious foundations of a true democracy." Prompt dissent came from Italian and German-speaking messengers.

"I cannot for conscience's sake make the fate of christianity dependent upon that of Democracy or any other political system," Dr. W. A. Muller, German-born Philadelphia, declared in an unscheduled reply to an address by the Rev. M. F. Abney of London. Abney, former moderator of the Federal Council of the Free Church of England, described totalitarianism as a foe of free religion, predicted its collapse because "tyrannies do not last," and said liberty "will rise again in Germany, Russia and Italy."

Dr. Muller voiced his dissent after translating a speech by the Rev. Paul Schmidt, Berlin pastor, who said German messengers to the congress had found "real lack of understanding of conditions in Germany."

The Philadelphia, a seminary professor, argued that since all political systems are temporal and "ultimately break down," he felt "to build up Christianity with any political system would imply that it, too, could fail."

Dr. Muller charged that in some respects there was less freedom of discussion in this congress of the Baptist World Alliance than in the 1934 session in Berlin, declaring:

"In Berlin our American and English brethren talked loudly and strongly in the burning issues of racialism and nationalism with particular reference to the German situation, but in Atlanta, strangely, we have been very dexterous in detouring around some burning problems that affect countries like America, England and the so-called Democracies."

### Showers Fall in Scattered Parts of Midland Area

Scattered showers again touched areas in the vicinity of Midland late Friday, the heaviest reported being at the J. O. Nobles ranch, ten miles west of Midland, with two inches. Rains of like amount had been gauged at the ranch on July 5 and July 12. As on previous occasions, high winds did slight damage to a chicken house and to headquarters equipment.

Another rain estimated at an inch and a half fell at the Tom Nance place, thirty miles northwest of Midland, extending for about five miles southward and then playing out, later starting again at South Camp of the C ranch and extending to within four miles of Midland on the northwest.

The close in farming territory around the O. M. Tyner place, two miles north of Midland, received rain estimated at half an inch.

Official gauge at the Army Air-drome station, seven miles west of town on the Broadway of America, was .66 of an inch. In town, only a light sprinkle fell but it lasted for half an hour, giving slight relief to grass and topsoil.

Rains were reported at Odessa, also at Moonlight Bar where the Odessa-Andrews highway connects with the Midland cut-off. The day before, rains fell south of Odessa, also southeast of Midland on the Dock, Jickiff place and Foy Proc. "Thomas place," both of which had been in "rain belts" over a period of a month.

The Five Wells ranch of Scharbauer Cattle Co. received approximately an inch and a half of rain Friday night, it was reported here. (See SHOWERS Page 8)

### Ford Dealership Here Is Sold to King and Eiland

Sale of one of Midland's principal business institutions was completed late in the week when the Flynn-Hubbard Motor Co., Ford dealership, was purchased by M. F. King and G. A. Eiland of Stanton who formed a corporation to be known as Midland Motors, Inc. King, moving to Midland from Stanton, will be active manager.

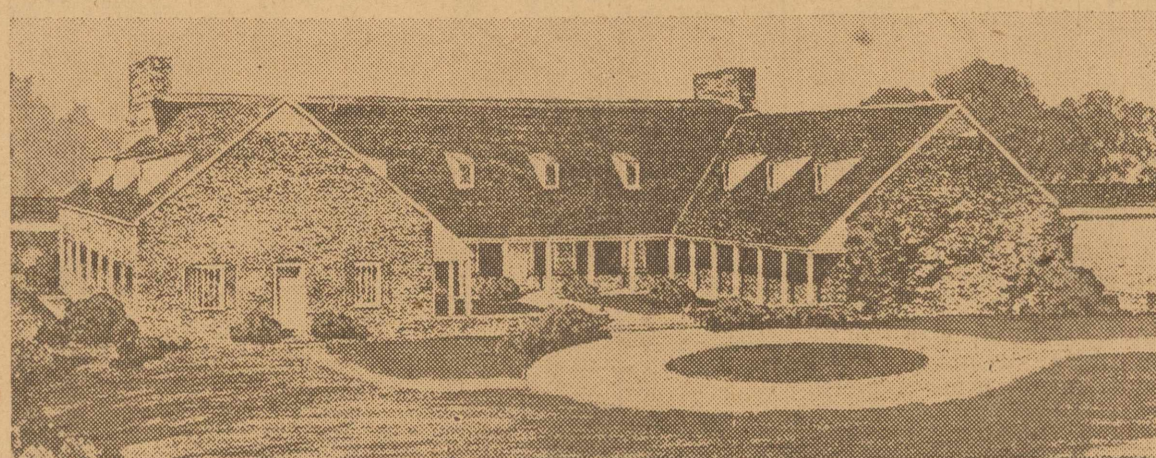
Moving to Midland in August 1934, Marion Flynn and O. J. Hubbard have operated the dealership continuously since that time. They expressed Saturday their appreciation to Midland patrons for the business accorded them and solicited a continuation for the new firm. Neither announced their plans for the future but it was understood both would continue to make their homes here.

Flynt, who has served as chamber of commerce president and is a member of the city council, has been in the Ford business for eighteen years, having been located at Balingier and Coleman before coming here five years ago. Hubbard, before coming here to engage in the automobile business, had operated a cattle ranch at Coleman prior to that time.

M. F. King, to be manager of the new firm, is well known here, having operated a feed store and tractor business at Stanton for several years. He also operates a cattle ranch ten miles northwest of Midland and has spent most of his time here for several months. He and his family will move to Midland as soon as housing arrangements are completed. He will continue to operate his Stanton business and his ranching interests.

G. A. Eiland, member of the Eiland Motor Co. of Stanton, Ford dealers, will continue to live there and manage. (See DEALERSHIP Page 8)

#### Where Roosevelt Archives Will Rest



Future historians doing research on the Roosevelt administration will dig through 6,000,000 books, documents and manuscripts housed in the building above, after it is completed. The architect's sketch shows how the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library will look when it goes up a year hence on 12 acres of Hyde Park, N. Y., and given to the U. S. government by the Roosevelts. The library is to be constructed with privately subscribed funds.

### Ships Move Saturday in War-Conscious Europe as England Anticipates Tension; France Issues Laws

#### Two Midland Men on By-Laws Committee Permian Association

Allen Watts and State Representative James H. Goodman of Midland have been appointed as members of the constitution and by-laws committee of the proposed Permian Basin Oil and Gas Association, according to information received here yesterday. Other members of the committee, appointed by Frank Kelly of Colorado City, temporary chairman of the association, are A. B. Davis, Lubbock, general chairman; Dean Nowlin, Tahoka; T. B. Duggan, Jr., Lubbock; Charley Thompson, Colorado City; C. W. Meadows, San Angelo; Glenn Ratliff, Odessa; R. V. Oberholzer, Seagraves; Tom Coffee, Big Spring; M. D. Bryant, San Angelo.

Members of the committee will meet in the Blue Room of Hotel Scharbauer here Wednesday evening at 7:00 o'clock to draft constitution and by-laws for the new association, same to be submitted for adoption at the general organization meeting to be held at Colorado City, August 24-25. Kelly and H. B. Spence, manager of the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce and temporary secretary of the organization, will also attend the meeting here.

Preceding the business session last evening, committee members and others will be the guests of the Midland Chamber of Commerce at a dinner to be held in the Blue Room of Hotel Scharbauer.

#### Bodies of Heart Attack Victims Are Sent Away

Body of Dr. Joe M. Griffith, Tyler physician who died at Midland of a heart attack Friday afternoon, was sent here Saturday for burial.

Accompanied by his wife and small son, Dr. Griffith was en route to Carlsbad Caverns and El Paso for a vacation trip. Heart pains struck him Friday morning near Abilene but he continued driving west, stopping at a Midland hospital where he succumbed ten minutes later.

He was the second heart attack victim in Midland Friday. C. C. Cason, accountant for the Mackey Motor Co., having died of a similar attack early in the morning. His body was taken to El Paso for burial.

#### MOTORING TO MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McRae and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McMillen will leave today for a vacation trip to Mexico, with Mexico City and surrounding places as the primary destination. The party will travel by automobile and plans to be away approximately two weeks.

#### New Japanese-German Trade Pact May Be Warning to Nations

By Associated Press.

Battleships and babies claimed the attention of war-conscious Europe Saturday. Britain, with expanded naval maneuvers, arranged to coincide with a period of possible tension next month and put ships under steam for training cruises. The French government, alarmed at 34,741 more deaths than births last year, offered a cash bonus for babies and put a tax on bachelors and childless couples. France also launched many decree laws designed to strengthen the nation in event of conflict.

#### ANTI-TERRORIST LAW CAUSES IRISH FLIGHTS

LONDON, July 29. (AP)—Irishmen continued their flight today to get out of reach of England's new anti-terrorist law. Three trains and three boats were necessary to take passengers to Ireland today. Six Irish republican army suspects were caught. One was believed to be a ring leader of the I. R. A., blamed for recent bombings.

#### AGREEMENT PERHAPS IS AIMED AT BRITAIN, FRANCE

TOKYO, July 29. (AP)—Japan formally announced a new trade treaty with Germany, which observers believed was timed as a warning to Britain and France.

Britain, late Friday, had dropped a hint she might follow the lead of the United States and abrogate her trade treaty with Tokyo if current negotiations on British-Japanese differences fail. These negotiations are over the Japanese blockade of British and French concessions at Tientsin. Little progress was reported after a three hour talk Friday, and the next conference was set for Monday.

#### BRITISH-JAPANESE ARE PITTED ACROSS BARRIERS

SHANGHAI, July 29. (AP)—British and Japanese troops faced each other across newly erected Japanese barbed wire barricades on a Shanghai boundary tonight. Japanese naval forces erected a barrier along the mile and a half British defense sector after the Japanese had seized and held four British soldiers who entered the Japanese defense zone to repair wire.

British commanders protested the barricade, asserting that it was on territory within the British zone. There was strong indication that the encounter held further possibilities of trouble.

#### HAS OPERATION

Mrs. M. E. King underwent an operation in a Midland hospital Saturday morning. She was reported doing well late Saturday afternoon.

#### Honor Paid Midland As Former Home of No. One Sweetheart

Congratulations to Midland on having helped to furnish the Texas Sweetheart No. 1 of Casa Manana for 1939 were extended by Boyce House, publicity director of Fort Worth's Casa Manana, in a letter received Saturday by Bill Collins, chamber of commerce manager.

Selected as Texas Sweetheart No. 1 in a state wide contest at Casa Manana last Monday night was Miss Wanda Ticknor, formerly of Midland but now of Corpus Christi. She is the daughter of Mrs. Earl Ticknor.

House's letter, in part: "Replying to your recent letter, we regret very much that Midland could not be officially represented in the Texas Sweetheart No. 1 contest. I say officially because the winner actually is a Midland girl, having moved from your city only a few months ago to Corpus Christi. "Therefore, I congratulate Midland on having helped to furnish the Texas Sweetheart No. 1 of Casa Manana for 1939. "Your good wishes toward the show are appreciated and I know that Miss Margaret Hall, director of special events, is counting on Midland Day (August 16) being a big occasion."

#### Annual Barbecue of Rotarians Set for Thursday Evening

Members of the Midland Rotary club, their wives, children and invited guests, will attend the annual chicken barbecue of the organization at Cloverdale Thursday evening, the fête taking the place of the regular noon luncheon.

W. I. Pratt, secretary of the club, late in the week billed each Rotarian for luncheon fees a month in advance, the member to receive a card good for the month upon payment. Others brought by the Rotarians to the barbecue will be at the rate of fifty cents each, it was announced, with request that the number of guests be reported early in the week to the secretary or to Clinton Lackey, chairman of the barbecue arrangements committee. An informal program and "get-together" will accompany the Cloverdale outing.

#### OIL EDITOR STILL ILL

Frank Gardner, oil editor of The Reporter-Telegram, still was unable to be on his job Saturday, due to illness which had lasted for two days. Consequently his column is omitted from today's paper.

### Lending Bill Is Slashed in 2 Committees

Contributions by Organizations to Be Made Illegal

WASHINGTON, July 29. (AP)—The Senate approved tonight, 45 to 24, the amendment to the administration's new \$1,640,000,000 lending bill designed to prevent government interference in existing private enterprise. The Senate then agreed to limit debate, speed the measure and recessed until Monday.

Sentiment for reduction to end the program spread from the Senate to the House banking committee which reduced the program \$850,000 to total \$1,950,000,000. The bill before the senate already has been slashed by coalition republicans—democrats to \$1,650,000,000 from the original \$2,800,000,000.

The Senate accepted the amendment by Senator Tydings to prohibit contributions by labor unions and other organizations, except with the fore-knowledge of members. Senator Tydings indicated that he aimed at such loans as the \$470,000 advance to the democratic party in 1936 by John J. Lewis' United Mine Workers.

WASHINGTON, July 29. (AP)—An attack on the administration's neutrality program by Senator Nye of North Dakota sidetracked the senate temporarily today from progressing toward passage of the \$1,640,000,000 lending bill.

The senate considered for an hour an amendment offered by Senator O'Mahoney of Wyoming to safeguard private industry from possible government competition. The senate already had stripped \$850,000,000 from the measure's original \$2,490,000,000 total.

### Texans Win Roping Honors as Cheyenne Celebration Ends

CHEYENNE, Wyoming, July 29. (AP)—Two great champions of rodeo, Five Minutes to Midnight and Nick Knight, were defeated today in finals of the Frontier Days celebration.

Doff Aber of Sheridan, Wyoming, won the professional bucking contest title which Knight captured last year, and Pete Grubb of Florence, Ariz., tamed the "king of buck" in a ten second ride.

Toots Mansfield of Bandera, Texas, annexed the calf roping title, roping his three calves in 57.1 seconds. Juan Salinas of Enchil, Texas, was second with 59.1 seconds.

#### S-W Football Coach Is Drowning Victim

AUSTIN, July 29. (AP)—C. M. "Lefty" Edens, head football coach of Southwestern University, Georgetown, was drowned today in the Colorado river while fishing ten miles below Marble Falls. Gus Michael of Smithwick Mills said Edens and two companions attempted to swim down the river. He apparently was intending to reach a bank when he passed the rapids and disappeared in the churning waters. His body had not been recovered.

The body of Coach Edens was recovered late today. Funeral services will be Sunday at Georgetown.

#### Il Duce Celebrates His 56th Birthday

RICCIONE, Italy, July 29. (AP).—Benito Mussolini, duce of fascism, was 55 years old today. At his birthplace, in the hillside hamlet of Varanocicosta, 10,000 farmers gathered from all parts of Italy to pay homage to their leader.

Il Duce, who has chosen to ignore his birthdays in recent years, this year received fascist leaders. Fuehrer Hitler telegraphed a greeting to Mussolini, saying the Rome-Berlin axis would contribute to maintenance of European peace.

#### SEMINOLE MAN PATIENT T. O. Stark of Seminole is a patient in a Midland hospital.

#### W. H. (Bill) Met the Other One Saturday

W. H. (Bill) Collins met W. H. (Bill) Collins Saturday at the chamber of commerce office. The former is manager of the organization and the latter is a life insurance man of San Angelo. Here on a business mission a letter from his company first reached the chamber of commerce manager, but he took it to the visitor's hotel where it was delivered to the rightful owner. Later the visitor paid his respects to the Midland Bill Collins.

## CROP AND RANGE REPORT AS JULY ENDS IS IMPROVED

#### Scattered Sections Helped Greatly by Moisture in Month

DALLAS, Texas, July 29. (AP).—Improvement of the agricultural outlook as the result of early July rain and an excess of five per cent over June, 1938, in the volumes of supply at wholesale, are reported in the monthly review of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, released today.

Heavy rain in most sections of Texas in June and the first half of July, the review says, benefited growing crops and the moisture supply in most sections of the state now is generally adequate for current needs. The Department of Agriculture is quoted as placing the area in Texas under cotton cultivation on July 1 at 8,980,000 acres, representing a decline of two per cent from that of a year ago. This

acreage, however, is less than two-thirds the average for the 10-year period, 1928-1937. If the acreage abandonment this year approximates the average of 3.1 per cent, the area harvested will be the smallest since 1905, the review says.

Insect infestation is increasing in Texas, but reports indicate the damage to the crop thus far generally has been light. The review gives the July 1 estimate of the Department of Agriculture of a production of 29,390,000 bushels of wheat in Texas, or about 1,500,000 bushels smaller than the estimate a month earlier. The 1938 harvest was 35,046,000 bushels. The decrease in prospective production June results from rain in the heavy producing section of north-west Texas, which delayed the harvest and did considerable damage in some areas.

A corn crop of 82,790,000 bushels is forecast for Texas, about 7,000,000 bushels larger than last year, and an estimated production of rice slightly larger than a year ago. Increase in both cases is attributed chiefly to increased acreage. Sales of reporting department stores in principal cities of the 11th district, which has shown considerable expansion in May, declined by more than the seasonal amount in June, but were about in the same level as in the corresponding month last year. On a daily average basis sales in June were 15 per cent smaller than in May, whereas, the average decline is 11 per cent.

Reflecting the larger-than-average May to June decline, the Reserve Bank's seasonally adjusted index of department store sales declined from 104.7 per cent of the 1923-25 average in May to 101 per cent in June. Although the latter figure is the same as that for June 1938, it is the lowest recorded for any month of the current year.

On the other hand, the review says, the demand for merchandise at wholesale in the district was well sustained in June. Aggregate sales of all reporting firms were only slightly smaller than in the preceding month. Livestock ranges in Texas improved further in June, but drought continued over much of the Edwards Plateau, west and south-central sections of the state. Toward the middle of July rain over much of the drought area greatly improved range prospects. Texas cattle made good gains except in the dry areas and prospect now are favorable for a good supply of grass-fed cattle, but the movement will be later than usual. Condition of sheep declined and lambs have not made satisfactory growth. The demand for wool slackened somewhat in June after active sales at advancing prices in May, and prices apparently declined somewhat from the level attained earlier in the month. Cash farm income

of sale of principal farm products in the five states comprising the eleventh district increased further by six per cent from April to May, but the total for the latter month was 14 per cent smaller than in May, 1938. The gain over the preceding month was due to sharp increase in receipts from sale of livestock and livestock products, which more than offset a 27 per cent decrease in income from crop marketing.

Total earning assets of the Federal Reserve Bank declined \$6,181,000 between June 15 and July 15, after having remained comparatively stable the preceding two months. The value of building permits issued at 15 principal cities in the district declined in June and was smaller than in any other month of the current year. Dun & Bradstreet reported 30 insolvencies in June with indebtedness of \$265,000, or double that in June, 1938.



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## Salesmanship Freed From the Doghouse' Says Canadian Author

Salesmanship is crawling out of "the doghouse," asserts Bradford Ellison, Canadian businessman, in the current Rotarian magazine. It was put there, he says, by a public which tired of high-pressure methods and over-selling; it has been released because it is learning to base selling on sincerity.

The modern master salesman has a sincerity that goes all through him, as the sap goes through a tree," he believes. "It has to do with his attitude toward life and the fundamental verities—with his faith in the importance of existence in general and of the particular projects on which he is engaged. He is a believer, not a sneerer. He may be wrong about many things, but he is sincere in his wrongness. For that, others respect him."

No longer is the fastest, most tireless talker considered the best salesman, the writer finds. Fitting, sincere talk is fine and gets results, but mere "gift of gab," no! "As a matter of fact," he points out, "some of the best salesmen have very little to say. They are not dumb to the point of glibness. Nothing like that. But they listen far more than they talk."

The case of a man who was applying for an important sales position comes to Mr. Ellison's mind. "The president of the company had been favorably disposed to him," he writes, "and took him to lunch to get better acquainted. During the meal the applicant 'turned on the dictionary.' Before the coffee came, the president's verdict was 'No!' That man literally talked himself out of the most important possible sale to him—namely, the sale of his own services."

The point is that the successful salesman tells his story with a sincerity that wins conviction. Sometimes he must use a lot of words; often he uses few. "All you can say with complete candor and truth," the author writes, "is that too few words can starve a sale, and too many can drown it."

Now, with sincerity as its new keynote, "salesmanship," he says, "is again taking its rightful place at the head of the business procession."

## •••SO THEY SAY

### A Disturbing Repetition

(LUBBOCK AVALANCHE).  
One statement made by Governor O'Daniel Tuesday in connection with his appointments to the newly created State Welfare board is disturbing. His comment was that the board "will not result in the employment of additional employees to the state payroll."

The comment is disturbing because no one ever has suggested that the creation of the board would require additional employees. On the contrary, the only excuse offered for the establishment of a welfare board would mean fewer workers, increased efficiency and greater economy.

Since people of the state have been told repeatedly by the governor and others that a welfare board would result in savings, what can be the significance of his reassurances now that it will not mean increases in expenses?

It looks like an attempt to put sugar on the information that the promised economies will not be realized.

A Kansas City fellow started out to get his lawnmower fixed and found it needed five different repair jobs. Result? You guessed it. The mower broke again and he ended up by borrowing the neighbor's, after all.

## RUMINANT ANIMAL

**HORIZONTAL**

1 Woolly-coated animal pictured here.

6 It is a ruminant of the family.

10 It is allied to the animal.

14 Braided thong.

15 To climb.

16 Hedgepodge.

17 To shut up.

18 Gong.

19 To sum up.

20 Sun god.

21 White.

23 Ever.

25 Beam in electricity.

27 Unpolished.

32 Outer garment.

35 Its is called mutton.

36 To interjoin.

39 To gaze fixedly.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

40 Bulb flower.

41 Wedge-shaped.

43 Girdle.

44 Long grass.

45 Class of birds.

47 Like.

48 Striped cloth.

49 Pair (abbr.).

50 Its young is called.

52 Action.

54 Amidic.

57 Superficial extent.

58 Years of life.

59 It is raised

**VERTICAL**

11 Ancient.

12 Officer's assistant.

13 Forward.

20 A male sheep.

22 Marble images.

24 Plant part.

26 One who tends sheep.

28 Egyptian deity.

29 Connecting word.

30 Silly.

31 Felt concern.

33 To entertain.

34 Weights.

37 Huge body of water.

38 Sister.

39 To claw.

42 Paucas.

46 Go on (music).

48 So shall it be.

49 Nobleman.

50 To wrap.

51 Common verb.

52 Heavy knife.

53 Self.

54 Dye.

55 Myself.

56 Exists.

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## Somebody Ought to Take a Poll on This



## • BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

BY BRUCE CATTON

WASHINGTON.—Although most congressmen don't realize it, this Congress before it adjourns will, in effect, decide whether the wage-hour law is to be continued or to be scrapped.

On the surface, all that Congress is being asked to do is vote a deficiency appropriation of \$2,000,000 for the wage-hour administration. But the fate of the whole law hangs on that appropriation.

Contrary to popular impression—which is that there have been remarkably few violations of the wage-hour act—complaints about violations have been coming in much faster than the wage-hour administration can handle them. There are now on file nearly 20,000 complaints which await investigation. The existing staff is not adequate to handle them. Administrator Elmer Andrews figures that he needs at least 700 investigators. He won't be able to hire more than 230 unless the deficiency appropriation is passed.

### ANOTHER NRA CASE?

A HIGH official of the wage-hour administration remarks that the wage-hour law right now is duplicating the history of NRA. Non-compliance cases are piling up faster than they can be handled. If something isn't done soon, there will be such a general breakdown of enforcement that the whole structure will collapse.

There are, of course, plenty of congressmen who know that their constituents feel the same way—would be glad enough to see just that happen. But if the deficiency appropriation is not voted there will be one final flareback which will be even more unpleasant for the act's foes than for its friends.

Under the law, an employee who has been paid less than the minimum wage required by the act may sue his employer in civil court. If the court upholds him, he can collect double the amount due—plus fees for his lawyer.

Now if this deficiency bill does not pass, and the wage-hour administration is unable to hire enough investigators to handle complaints, it will probably make a final effort to secure compliance by making public appeals to all labor unions and to labor generally to resort to those civil suits instead of filing complaints. The flood of expensive litigation which would then be turned loose on employers in the 700,000 plants covered by the law can only be imagined.

**OVERSEERS NEEDED**  
AS a matter of fact, Administrator Andrews remarks that he needs

Robert Donat brings a forthright and sincere acting talent which marks him as one of the outstanding actors on the screen today. Playing four different stages in the life of the genial schoolmaster, from youth to old age, Donat makes him at once a human, breathing man, eccentric at times, but always understandable and lovable, and a symbol of the great profession of teaching. It is a performance which will live in the memory of screengoers for some time to come.

Although "Goodbye, Mr. Chips" is dominated by Donat's powerful characterization, tremendous appeal is offered in the role of his wife, played by Greer Garson, who has never before been seen on the screen but whose work here insures her of stardom in the near future. Lovely to look at, Miss Garson gives a warmth and intimacy to the role of the young girl whose life is cut off too soon which make her scenes with Donat among those which stand out with clarity and power.

### Big Spring Host to Howard Old Settlers

BIG SPRING, July 29.—Faces of pioneer men and women brightened here Friday at the fifteenth annual Howard County Old Settlers Reunion as they relived their experiences of half a century ago in settling a section frequented by buffalo herds.

Stories of railroading in the eighties, buffalo hunting, train robberies, cowpunching on the cattle empire of Col. C. C. Slaughter, and stories of the Earl of Aylesford, titled Englishman, were recounted by the pioneers.

H. Clay Read told of killing a buffalo from a handcar, while Mrs. M. E. Barrett, earliest settler in the city, related how her family came here on a buffalo hunting expedition. Adolph Miller and Dave Rhottan gave sketches of ranching before "there were fences."

Mrs. Seth Parsons spun yarns about the earl, a jovial, hard drinking Englishman who shunned town-folks to live with cowboys. L. F. McKay spoke of railroad experiences in the eighties and recalled details of a sensational train robbery in this vicinity.

A surprise visitor was Frank Norfleet, Hale county rancher who gained fame by tracking down confidence men who fleeced him. Norfleet said he passed through here in 1879 when there were only tents of buffalo hunters grouped around the Big Spring.

B. Reagan presided at the speaking; J. B. Winslow directed an old

## Storms, Timber Fires Cause Deaths in West

OGDEN, Utah, July 29. (AP).—Vast sections of western timberland were threatened by fires today which killed four in Nevada and caused unestimated damage in other states. Lightning storms killed two others. Four CCC enrollees were burned to death and a fifth was missing.

## VISITS IN AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Davis and George Juanes are spending the week end in Amarillo. They expect to return Monday.

## SKATES TO STREAMERS

DETROIT—Harry Remington, new publicity man for the Detroit Lions, is a former Minnesota hockey star.

## Central Texas Area Gets Deep Oil Test

ITALY (AP)—A Fort Worth oil company is making a deep test oil drilling in an unexplored section on the Luther Vanlandingham farm in the Plum Grove community of Ellis County, six miles west of Italy. Drilling has passed the 1,100 foot mark and a 5,000 foot depth is scheduled unless production is found at a higher level.

## Napoleon Bowl to Museum

HILADELPHIA (AP)—A punch bowl which once belonged to Napoleon has been presented to the Art Museum by the estate of Mrs. Emily McMurtre Robins. The bowl was purchased at a sale of property once owned by Joseph Bonaparte.

During 1938, a total of 2698 aircraft was produced in the United States as compared with 2915 in 1937 and 2152 planes produced during 1936.

## Announcements

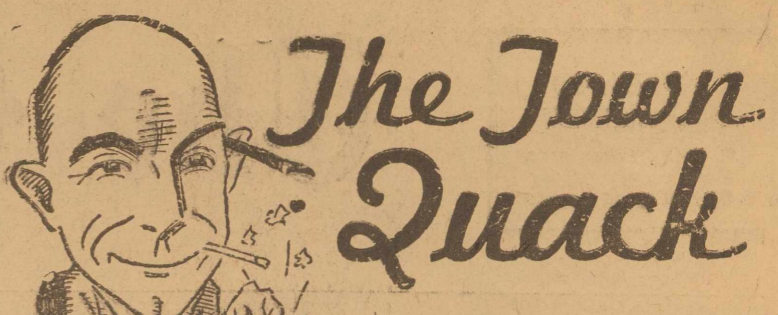
### MONDAY

Fifth Monday meeting of missionary societies of the town has been canceled for July. Next meeting of this kind will be in October.

Methodist missionary society will hold a study meeting at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. W. Earl Chapman will conduct the study.

With no scheduled meeting for the day, members of the Baptist women's missionary union will devote Monday afternoon to visiting.

Fiddlers contest and in the evening old-timers attempted dances popular before the turn of the century. Arrangements were in charge of B. F. McKinney, Coahoma, president; T. J. McKinney, Center Point, vice-president; and Mrs. A. L. Nelson, Center Point, secretary.



The very time I think I am giving the youngsters a break by setting their names in type, I am informed that I have committed a faux pas. (I think that's French for a bad pass). After picking up a paragraph from Tony Slaughter's Southwestern column in the Odessa Bulletin, as a sort of a neighborhood gesture, I got a letter from local "Jitterbugs," as their signature reads, berating me for the publicity and alluding to the peculiar odor of my column. But the best way to show you how they have reacted to my favor, I will just let you read their letter for yourself:

Dear Town Quack (we do mean quack): double parenthesis—Seems like I have heard that before—undouble parenthesis. Please excuse the ink, but we do not have the facilities of The Reporter-Telegram. (Oh, but you do have, my young friends.)

If you want to pick a fight with the Odessa paper, please don't use our names in your column. If you wish to have further information of our invasions of Odessa, you can call any of the party and they will be more than glad to furnish this information for your Society Page. (But I don't write the society page). And if you cannot find any more interesting topics than this, we would be glad to send in some of Grandmother's old jokes. (And boy! She's got some good uns!)

Affectionately, Jitterbugs.

P. S. We would never have found your column if it had not been for the smell.

Answer: Please send Grandmother's jokes.

This paper has been able to find about all the lost dogs except that of the editor's boy. We made a woman happy yesterday afternoon when one of our ads brought back her little boy's pet dog. And the pup seemed about as proud of being found as the lady was of finding him. He stood on our counter and licked the hands of the advertising staff while his owner paid for the ad. He even offered to engage in a short bout, in case anybody wanted to tussle with him. That wire haired terrier ad has brought

many replies and many offers of assistance, but the pooch either has been tied up, placed behind a high board fence, carried off in a car or killed and buried. He just doesn't seem to be in evidence within reach of The Reporter-Telegram's circulation.

This picture, "Goodbye Mr. Chips," which is at the Yucca today comes highly recommended as a picture worthwhile. Tom Kirkham, assistant manager of the theatres, took the trouble to see the picture in Lubbock (sort of a postman's holiday). He said he unhesitatingly recommends it but he especially stresses the necessity for being there when the picture starts, rather than to drop in while it is under way. It's a picture you will want to have every detail of, he said.

The other day I referred to the cowboy who said if times got any worse he might actually have to do some manual labor. Well, he contracted a job of cleaning up a corral. Two small boys came by and he showed them what a muscle he had. Next thing he knew, they had taken his shovel away from him and were busy developing their muscles. He still don't think a cowboy is going to have to exert himself as long as he can make his brains do his work.

When we had a headline in the paper that a certain scientist was going to look over some local fossils, it is reported that two old maids got huffy and said they would stay off the streets until he left town.

Ralph Shuffler wears a coat every day in the year. I always supposed it was just because he was in Midland and thought a man ought to be dressed up while in the city, but he says he wears it while he's at home in Odessa too. Just carries so much stuff in his pockets he has to wear a coat or carry a duffel bag. Personally, I like to travel light, and when Sunday comes I really suffer, trying to wear a tie and a coat when I've been comfortable all the week.

### Styles of Proposals Change

PASADENA, Cal. (AP)—Dr. Paul Popenoe, head of the Pasadena Family Relations Institute, has ascertained that marriage proposals are changing. In the first place, he said, it is rare that marriage proposals are ever made now in the home; in the second place, they are made more frequently away from the home, and in the third place, they are frequently taken frivolously.

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# LONDONERS FEEL WAR ATMOSPHERE

### Show of Strength Gives Capital a War Camp Semblance

BY MILTON BRONNER.

NEA Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON. — If there is any truth in these rumors that the British government stands ready to "appease" Germany still more, the London man-in-the-street hasn't been made aware of it.

For all he can see, John Bull hasn't relaxed his war preparedness activities one whit. "Be ready" is still the slogan of the day. For every time John Londoner passes barracks—and there are plenty of them in this metropolis—he sees hundreds of young men hard at work drilling.

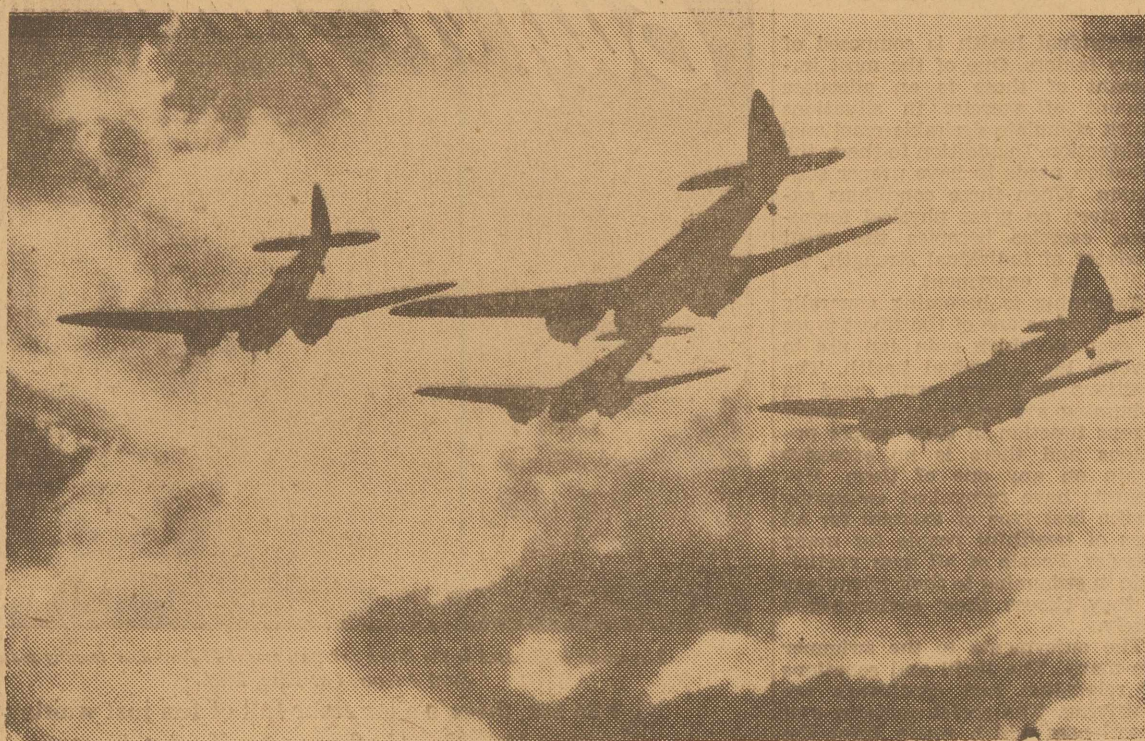
Some of them are volunteers for the Territorial regiments—corresponding to the American state militia. Still others are the conscripted youths who are being trained for the militia.

JOHN LONDONER may have a house on a flat overlooking a big private garden or a public park or a wide open space forever dedicated to the public and so commonly known simply as a "common."

Any morning he is apt to wake up, look out of his window and see that the garden or park has sprouted some very strange flowers overnight—a group of grim, business-like 3.7 anti-aircraft guns.

Or John Londoner, mindful of the next day's work, may try to be asleep by eleven at night. But just when he is climbing into his pajamas, he may hear the roar of a bomber plane overhead. Looking out, he will see another war practice game being actively pursued.

For all over London searchlights



British bombers, cruising over London in a most perfect silence.

will be flashing, stabbing the low-lying clouds, criss-crossing each other. The searchlight men are at work, trying to locate that bomber and hold it within their rays of light.

On some other night, John Londoner, idly gazing out of his window, may not hear a sound, but suddenly will see passing across his line of vision, far up in the sky, red and green lights. They will be the tail lights of British bombers, cruising over London in almost perfect

silence.

For John Bull is not putting all his aerial eggs into one basket. He is not only building very swift fighter planes for the protection of Britain, but formidable bombers, capable of punishing an enemy as badly as an enemy hopes to punish Britain.

Germany has moved some of its armament plants far into the interior and partly underground. But

the Rhineland and the Ruhr are still the seat of the great Krupp works and of many of the most vital steel plants Germany has. Anti-aircraft precautions have, doubtless, been taken to the nth degree by the Nazis. But even if a small percentage of British bombers got through and dropped their pills, they would do some vital damage to vital plants.

## AT THE LIBRARY

Non-fiction recently received: Smithsonian Scientific Series: Sun and the Welfare of Man, by Abbott.

Shelled Invertebrates, by Bassler. Man From Farthest Past, by Bishop.

Cold-blooded Vertebrates, by Hilbrand and

Wild Animals In and Out of the Zoo, by Mann.

Minerals from Earth and Sky, by Merrill.

North American Indians, by Palmer.

Insects, Their Ways and Means of Living, by Snodgrass.

Warm-blooded Vertebrates, by Wetmore.

Great Inventions, by Abbott.

Old and New Plant Life, by Chase.

Betrayal in Central Europe, by G. E. R. Gedwe: "A foreign correspondent for the New York Times

policies paved the way for the German in Austria during the dictatorship of Dollfuss and Schuschnigg. In this vigorous, detailed review of Austria's past he shows how their and the London Daily Telegraph man Anschluss. Because he was in Czechoslovakia from the beginning of Heimen's agitation against the Czechs, he describes the conditions that actually existed and comments critically and indignantly on what happened, particularly on what he considers to have been the English betrayal." (Booklist)

My Life and History, by Berta Szeps: "With charm and candor, Berta Szeps writes of Vienna—of Austria—from the brilliant heyday

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of Francis Joseph's reign to the recent Anschluss, and her readers mingle with Disraeli, Crown Prince Rudolf, Wagner and Liszt, Rodin and Max Reinhardt, Clemenceau, and Dollfuss.

Reaching for the Stars, by Nora Wain: A record of four years in Germany, (1934-1938) told by the author of "The House of Exile." She entered Germany unprejudiced against the present German government or the German people. Her story is a fair one, but it is also the indignant protest of a patient, gentle woman against injustice and inhumanity.

He Opened the Door of Japan, by Carl Crow (The author of "Four Hundred Million Customers"), also in the library: This is the story of Townsend Harris—one of the heroes of the Japanese people—and of his amazing adventures in establishing American relations with the Far East.

Apache Gold and Yaqui Silver, by J. Frank Dobie: True stories of buried treasure—of rich gold and silver mines in our own Southwest which can never be worked because their Yaqui guardians do not want them worked.

Mein Kampf, by Adolf Hitler: Complete, unabridged, and fully annotated. An entirely new translation, by a group of scholars under the direction of the New School of Social Research, of what many consider to be the most important historical document of our times. (The library has, also, "My Battle," a condensed version of Mein Kampf which is only half the size of the German original, and has been edited for American readers by the omission of the more violent passages. In it were forecast many of the policies Hitler has put into effect since becoming chancellor, for he explains his political philosophy and his theories of nationalism, anti-Semitism, and propaganda.)

My Wife and I, by Sidney Homer: After their marriage, Louise and Sidney Homer studied together in this country and in Europe—she first appeared at the Metropolitan in 1900 and often sang there with Caruso. No ordinary prima-dona biography, this is the human story of the Homers in their family and private life together.

My Memoir, by Mrs. Edith Bolling Wilson: Although Mrs. Wilson writes briefly the story of her childhood, youth, and first marriage, her book is mainly intimate reminiscences of her married life with the president. She describes his courtship, the second presidential campaign, the war period, the European visit for the Peace conference, the increasing strain on the president, opposition at home, and the president's subsequent illness. Impressions of famous people are given, with many feminine observations, such as details of dress. Parts have appeared in the Saturday Evening Post.

Travels in the North, by Karel Capek: The author's impressionistic jottings of his travels in Den-

mark, Norway, and Sweden, combined with his many quaint drawings, convey a real feeling for the landscape and the people.

Miss Box of the Embassy, by Emily Box: A book that does for the American Embassy in London what Ike Hoover did for the White House (in: "Forty-two Years in the White House," also in the library). From 1912 to 1914, an English girl took dictation and pounded a typewriter in the American Embassy—this is her book.

Recipes and Menus for Allergies, by Myra M. Haas: These recipes and menus suggest substitutes for various foods or combination of foods to which some people are sensitive.

Money Without Men, a guide to feminine finance, by Ruth MacKay: In a breezy manner and with no technicalities, the author gives sane

advice about everyday financial questions that most women meet—investments, insurance, homeowning versus renting, and sales resistance. Making a will and unusual ways of earning money are the subjects of two chapters.

Escape to Life by Klaus and Erika Mann: The son and daughter of Thomas Mann, tell here the story of the "escape to life" of those creative artists and intellectuals for whom existence under the Swastika became intolerable.

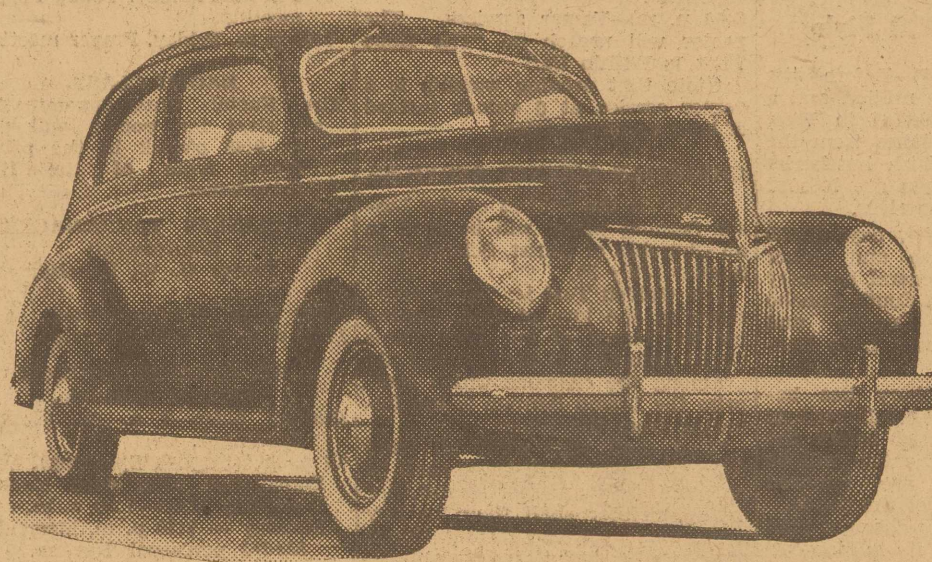
All in the Day's Work, by Ida M. Tarbell: The frank and readable autobiography of the eighty-year-old writer, lecturer and investigator of factory and labor conditions. Through Embassy Eyes, by Martha Dodd: "Frank, often indiscreet impressions of Nazi Germany as the American ambassador's daughter saw it during four years' residence. At first enthusiastic about the new government, she gradually, with growing acquaintance, became an uncompromising and violent anti-Nazi. The characterizations of important Nazis and diplomats, whom she knew personally, are gossipy and daring." (Booklist).

The World Over: 1938; a chronological and interpretive survey and commentary of the year of tension, edited by Joseph Hilton Smyth (The Living Age) and Charles Angoff (contributing editor, The North American Review): "This book gives a month-by-month record of the events that took place in every country in the world during the year of destiny—1938 . . . Carefully indexed."

Monuments Erected by the State of Texas to Commemorate the Centenary of Texas Independence; The report of the Commission of Control for Texas Centennial celebrations.

Chicken Fancier at 17 WETHERSFIELD, Conn. (U.P.)—At 17 Raymond G. Nielson is a chicken breeder and fancier whose stock has won prizes at fairs and a comfortable income each week. Because of his expertness he was appointed judge's steward at the Boston Poultry Show last spring.

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# FORD V-8

## Many Tangles Face Filipinos In 8-Hour Day

BY RICHARD C. WILSON  
United Press Staff Correspondent

MANILLA, (U.P.) — The Philippine Commonwealth has become the first nation in the Orient to enforce an eight-hour working day, but the law enacted by the National Assembly appears to have bewildered the government almost as much as it has employers and laborers.

Application of the eight-hour act disrupted some businesses temporarily until official interpretations of the law could be obtained. Scores of small Manila restaurants and shops, fearful of prosecution if they remained open longer than eight hours daily, closed shop early, provoking the ire of customers.

Government workers, including firemen and policemen, were left in a quandary by conflicting interpretations of the law. The ministry of labor insisted they were pro-

TECTED by the law and must not work more than eight hours daily. The ministry of justice held that government workers are exempt, pointing out that if the law protected police so would it protect soldiers in the Philippine army, and this would mean the national defense only eight hours a day.

Although enacted as part of President Manuel L. Quezon's "social justice" program, many laborers paid by the hour angrily denounced the law when employers forbid them from working more than eight hours, thus reducing their earnings.

### All Sides Surprised

"It appears that the law surprised the government as much as it surprised many private employers so that no less than the cabinet has had to engage in discussion of the law's scope," commented the Philippine Herald.

"Not only had the people most concerned failed to familiarize themselves with the provisions of the law before its approval, but the public had very little inkling of its provisions. Thus, when the law became effective many employers

were taken by surprise and the public was only vaguely aware of the reason why certain business places were suddenly closed for business during the busiest shopping hours."

Even Secretary of Labor Jose Avelino admitted terms of the law were too sweeping to be clearly interpreted, making it necessary that it be repealed or radically modified.

### Good Samaritan Role Only Lands in Hospital

PORTERVILLE, Cal. (U.P.) — The good samaritan business is disrupted with Cowboy Robert Gilbert at the present time.

He encountered two stranded motorists in the mountains with their auto bogged in a stream. He attached his lariet to the car, gave his horse the heave-to sign, to which the animal responded with such hearty good will that the saddle cinch broke and Gilbert landed on the rocks in mid-stream with a broken pelvis.

### Big Trout Really Caught But Trophy Got Away

EXETER, Cal. (U.P.) — P. J. Wells caught the fish all right—it was the trophy that got away.

After eating a 26 1/2-inch trout he caught, Wells learned to his sorrow it would have won him a new casting rod offered for the biggest catch of the season.

Although he had photographs and witnesses, it was a case of "corpus delicti" so far as winning the trophy was concerned, and he didn't get it.

### Race Track Dried Up

KARACHI, India (U.P.)—Karachi, municipal corporation has decided to cut off the water supply to the local race track, the only one in Sind which runs a weekly race meeting. "It is purely a gambling concern and has ruined thousands of citizens," says the council.

## Salvage Indicates Old Pirate Ship Off Palm Beach

PALM BEACH, Fla. (U.P.) — A sunken vessel off the Palm Beach coast from which a 900-pound cannon was raised is believed to have been a pirate ship of the 17th century.

All wooden parts of the vessel had disappeared, but the iron ballast and iron fittings found in the wreckage lent weight to the theory that the craft flew the black flag.

Capt. Dusty Campbell, who directed salvaging of the gun, said that government ships of that era used lead ballast because it was easier to handle. Merchant boats usually carried boulders for ballast so that they might be jettisoned when cargo was taken on.

But pirate craft usually were outfitted as cheaply as possible, and accordingly used iron for ballast and the fittings were of iron rather than brass.

In the wreck, hundreds of iron bars were mingled with a few lead ones. The anchor also was iron.

An account of the large number of tourists entering the United States from Mexico and the heavy flow of Americans returning from tours of the Southern republic, 14 United States customs inspectors are employed at the International bridge, Laredo, this summer.

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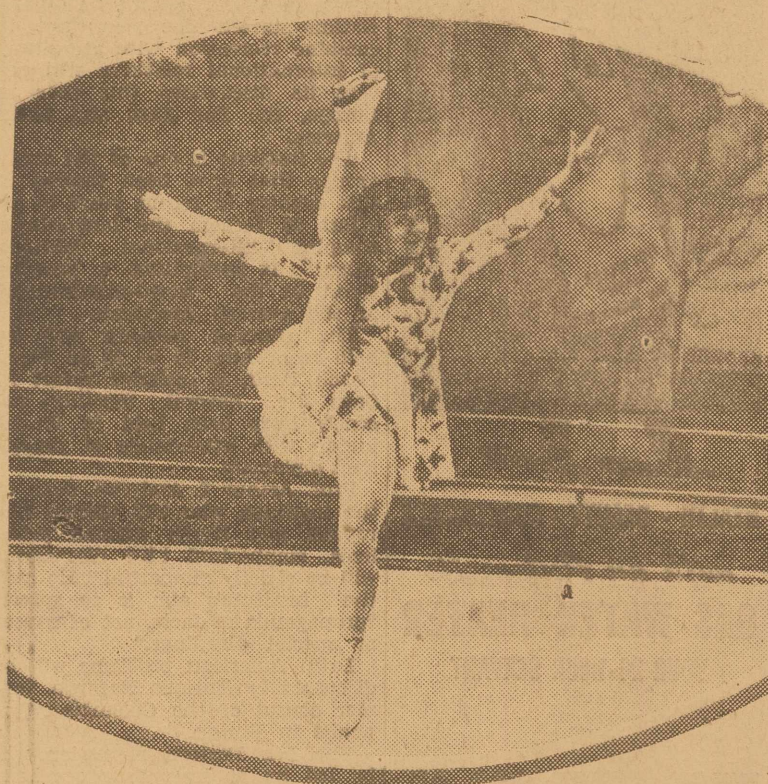
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### Zone Meeting of Chevrolet Dealers At Odessa Wednesday

ODESSA, July 29. (Special).—Zone and district representatives of the Chevrolet Motor Co. were here Friday, making arrangements for the last big district meeting of the West Texas and New Mexico territory, for the year, which will be held here next Wednesday evening.

Company representatives from El Paso here today making arrangements for the meeting in the George Washington room of the El-Hot, Hotel included F. C. Mengel, zone manager, Chevrolet Motor division; Tommy Simmons, district manager, and Ira Hopper, zone used car manager.

The company's dealers from all over West Texas and New Mexico are expected here next week for the semi-annual affair.

### Odessa Park May Be At Midland Road "Y"

ODESSA, July 29. (Special).—Mayor E. L. Farmer met with the Ector Commissioners Court Friday as the court discussed the site for creation of the county park, made possible by the voting of the recent \$75,000 bond issue.

The county, which has jurisdiction over the park, will locate it at the Y between the old and new Midland highways, a mile east of town. The city had hoped that the park would be located adjoining its present ball park in the northeast section of town.

The land in the Y, 70 acres be-

### Angelo Hatchery to Supply 1,500,000 Fish

SAN ANGELO (P).—Before the year ends about one million and a half fish will be placed in West Texas streams and lakes from the Federal and State Fish hatcheries here. Both hatcheries are located on the South Concho river.

Within the next few days 30,000 bass, crappie, catfish and other varieties from the federal hatchery will be placed in the South Concho river, the Middle Concho and Spring creek, all above Lake Nasworthy.

The federal hatchery has between 600,000 and 700,000 fingerlings which will be released before the end of the year. The fish will be counted when they are removed during the draining of the ponds.

The State Hatchery does not plan to distribute any of its million-odd fish until September or later, officials said.

Rains the second week in July did much to help fishing in this section since some streams were getting too low to properly accommodate the fish.

### Heroine Acts, Then Faints

ST. JOHN, Wash. (P).—Mrs. Jessie B. Fisher, postmistress, braved flames that destroyed the St. John postoffice to save \$100 in federal funds. After she recovered the money, she discarded her heroine's role and fainted.

longing to Joe Rice and others, will be bought soon, the court advised. The court met this morning to buy the property but found that some legalities must first be cleared up.

## Church Services

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Church school.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on the theme, "When the Oil Flows."  
7:00 p. m.—Intermediate League at the church. Senior League at the annex.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening service. The pastor will preach on the theme "I Was Blind—Now I See."  
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Claude O. Crane, superintendent.  
10:55 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.  
6:45 p. m.—Training union. J. Boyd East, director.  
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship. The pastor will preach.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge

9:45 a. m.—Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade.  
6:00 p. m. Union. Vesper services at the First Christian church with Rev. John E. Pickering bringing the sermon.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
John E. Pickering, Pastor  
H. G. Bedford, Superintendent of Bible School.

Mrs. M. A. Park, Director of Music  
Mrs. Lee Cornelius, Church Pianist

9:45 a. m. Bible school.  
10:50 a. m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.  
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "The Spirit of Christ."  
6:00 p. m.—Vesper services. The pastor will preach on "The Hope That Is Within Us."  
(Note that evening worship is a vesper service at 6 o'clock instead of later evening service.)

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.**  
"Love" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 30.  
The Golden Text is: "Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life" (1 John 1:21).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible:  
"God shall wipe away all tears from their eyes; and there shall be no more death, neither sorrow, nor crying, neither shall there be any more pain: for the former things are passed away" (Revelation 21:4).  
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Truth and Love come nearer in the hour of woe, when strong faith or spiritual strength wrestles and prevails through the understanding of God" (page 567).

**SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Corner of South Colorado and California streets.  
Lord's Day services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

**TRINITY CHAPEL EPISCOPAL**  
Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge

First Sunday in month — Holy Communion at 7:45 o'clock in the morning.  
Third Sunday in month — Morning prayer at 11 o'clock.  
There will be no Sunday school during the summer months and no Lay Reader's services.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
T. H. Gaalman, Pastor.

Services are held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Seventh-Day Adventist church, West Pennsylvania and Loraine streets, at 2 p. m.  
The public is cordially invited.

**MEN'S CLASS.**  
The Men's 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.

**SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
West Pennsylvania and Loraine  
L. Carter, Pastor

Sabbath School, 10 a. m.  
Preaching, 11 a. m.  
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
800 West Tennessee

10:00 a. m. Bible study.  
11:00 a. m. Preaching.  
3:00 p. m. Tuesday—Women's Bible class.  
Revival services each evening at 8:00 o'clock.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD**  
510 S. Baird  
M. E. Stubblefield, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.  
8:00 p. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.  
8:00 p. m. Tuesday. Young People's meeting.  
8:00 p. m. Friday. Prayer meeting.

**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.

**HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal)**  
Pastor O. W. Roberts.

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.  
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.

**ST. GEORGE CHURCH**  
Summer Schedule.

Sunday Mass—8 a. m. (Spanish Speaking).  
10 a. m. (English Speaking).  
Benediction after each Mass.  
Week-day Mass—7:30 a. m.  
Monday—7:30 p. m. Miraculous Medal perpetual Novena.  
Confessions—Saturday 4:30 p. m.—8:00 p. m.

### Swimming Applauded As Healthful and Beneficial Exercise

Individual health is composed of many factors, and of the most important of these is an adequate amount of exercise in situations which stimulate desirable emotional satisfaction. In addition to these, the situation needs to have proper sanitation. When these conditions exist, vigorous physical activity, such as swimming, becomes the great producer of individual strength, vitality and enjoyment.

Swimming is becoming generally recognized as one of the finest types of exercise which man can use to develop his individual health. The positions and movements used in swimming are hygienic; the bodily organs function in their proper positions and there is no excessive strain on any one of them. Hygienists have recognized swimming as the best type of exercise for all ages of healthy people for many decades. People of all ages participate in swimming to their advantage if they choose their environments wisely.

The enjoyments to the swimmer are many. The thrill and sensations of relaxation and freedom are gratifying. The social contacts and experiences which result from the use of swimming facilities along with others are desirable in their democratic outcomes. These are beneficial in developing the social graces of courtesy, consideration and respect in use of facilities, in developing the practices of safety and the appreciation of grace and supremacy on the part of others in physical achievement.

Swimming contributes physically to the development of posture for those who participate; swimming develops the ability of an individual to relax and to use his energy effectively. The heart and circulatory system, as well as the muscles, are assisted to work better through the training given in proper swimming.

It is especially important that people learn to swim properly. This calls for trained leadership in swimming instruction. It is equally important that the facilities for swimming be safe and sanitary. This demands proper supervision in the construction and choice of facilities and especially in properly trained personnel for the maintenance and supervision of the facilities provided for the use of our people.

There is no form of desirable physical activity which more people can enter into and enjoy than that of swimming. There is no more far-reaching movement in the provision of recreational opportunity than that which is being provided in water sports.

The problems of proper provision, maintenance and supervision of facilities and leadership for swimming are large and are solved only in part in Texas at the present time. The Texas Beach and Pool Association of Texas has dedicated itself to the idea and exists for the purpose of assisting with the solution of these problems and the promotion of this most universal and highly advantageous type of physical activity.

**Fix Qualifies Again For Company's Trip**  
John Hix, district representative of the Lamar Life Insurance company, has been awarded his fourteenth trip in recognition of his outstanding work. This year's award will feature a visit to New York.

Mr. Hix will go to New Orleans for a conference on August 4. He and others of the 20 members of the company awarded the trip will feature a visit to New Orleans.

Mr. Hix will go to New Orleans Saturday, August 5, arriving in New York on the following Thursday. They will have a three-day stay in the Metropolis, receiving a trip to Radio City and tickets to the World's Fair.

After their New York sojourn, the trippers will visit Washington, with tours to points of interest, and return by way of Louisville, where the Derby is always run.

In order to be eligible for the trip award, an insurance representative must sell a minimum of \$100,000 worth of life insurance with a gross premium of \$3800; must have a 75 per cent persistency on second-year business and an 85 per cent persistency on first-year business; and must write not less than 25 applications.

The Midland man will leave here today, going by way of Dallas where he will visit his daughter, by Jackson and thence to New Orleans, arriving there Thursday.

**Group to Sift World Affairs**  
WASHINGTON, (U.P.)—The Institute of World Affairs, an organization started five years ago to combine recreation with the study of international relations, will devote its discussions this year to Europe, the Far East and Latin America.

The institute is one of the many groups that have been formed in this country in recent years in an effort to fathom the increasingly complex international "checker game." It exemplifies a growing trend in the "world-mindedness" of the average American.

The summer meeting will be held from Aug. 19 to 26 at Perry Beach Park, a secluded resort at Saco, Me. Several meetings recently have been held in Washington with attendance of prominent diplomats.

Prof. Arthur I. Andrews, dean of the institute, who will discuss European and North African problems, emphasized the discussions will be strictly "impartial." He said the institute's aim is to spread "propaganda of facts, not of causes or special pleadings."

Latin American problems will be discussed by Enrique Naranjo, former consul of the Colombian Republic in Boston.

The Far Eastern discussion will be led by at least two speakers, including Dr. G. Nye Steiger, professor of history, Simmons College, and Dr. Clifford C. Hubbard, professor of history and political science at Wheaton College. Dr. Hubbard also will discuss Euro-

### Village of 1690 To Be Restored

BATH, N. C. (U.P.)—Restoration of the quaint old seaport of Bath, N. C., is giving to modern America the haunts of Blackbeard the Pirate, the church attended by early American colonists and homes built more than two centuries ago.

Plans for restoring the historical village are being pushed by the Episcopal leaders of the East Carolina Diocese. There interests springs from the Bath Episcopal Church, built in 1834, and recognized as the oldest church building in the state today.

Called "The Cathedral" because it is ruled directly by the bishop, the building still is in excellent condition with original hand-made doors and hand-cut wooden pews. It is to be restored and converted into a national shrine.

A museum will be opened near the church and a colonial garden planted in the rear. The church bell, still rung for services, was presented to the parish by Queen Anne of England, and a silver candelabra on the altar was the gift of King George II.

The old Marsh house nearby, built in 1714, will be converted into a rectory. Architecturally unique, it has an English brick chimney 17 feet wide and four feet thick with huge windows that open on closets.

Also to be rehabilitated is the public library, started in 1700. It was the first library in North Carolina.

Of great interest are the ruins of an old house near Bath Creek where Edward Teach—"Blackbeard the Pirate"—is said to have lived during his days of power. Ruins of his ships may be seen there at low tide.

Bath has grown little since it was settled by white men about 1690. Originally it was the Indian town of Pampticli, but was renamed for the English city when it was incorporated in 1705.

**Cat and Squirrel Pals**  
YAKIMA, Wash. (U.P.)—Mrs. Clara E. Bucklin found a baby squirrel that had been abandoned in some woods near Yakima, took it to her home and raised it with the help of the family cat, Fluff. The squirrel eats and sleeps with the cat when it isn't spending its time in trees.

**RITZ, Today Thru Tuesday**  
In the name parts of "The Story of Vernon and Irene Castle," here are Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers enacting the early courtship of the internationally famous Castles with a ride in an automobile of 1909 vintage. In RKO Radio's dramatic musical Fred and Ginger revive all of the superb Castle Dances.

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### Crime "Scoreboard" Flashes Record For 24 Hours at Press of Button

BOSTON (U.P.)—When word gets around about Police Commissioner Joseph F. Timilty's latest luxury, he probably will be envied by police heads throughout the country.

Timilty walks into his office every morning, presses a button and immediately gets a birdseye view of all crime reported in the city in the previous 24 hours.

Pressure on the button immediately sets in motion an intricate machine designed by Officer Oscar Ely, who turns to invention during his spare hours. He previously had given the Boston department its electric light switchboard which tells the two-way radio dispatcher the location and activity of every cruising car in the city.

Timilty leans back in his chair focuses his eyes on a large map on the office wall and as a series of perforated cards feeds through the machine, he learns where each crime occurred and the type of crime—be it petty larceny or murder.

The location of the crime is shown by a small bulb on the map of the city, and simultaneously two panels at the sides flash the type of crime and the police station handling the case. There are 1,750 little electric lights on the map.

During the night, officers in various stations had been preparing the cards which, through various combinations of perforations—operate the map. Sixty-two different types of crimes are listed and the officer preparing the card just punches a hole in the designated space.

When a card feeds into a box-like device, a clamp presses it tight below an electrified metal platform. Contacts for 1,750 wires run to the bottom of the box and where a hole was punched in the card one wire springs through and makes a con-

### Rare Manuscripts Acquired

MOSCOW (U.P.)—The Tadjikistan State Library has acquired more than 100 ancient Oriental manuscripts and books of great historical value. Among them are two manuscripts in the Arabian language, one dated 1367 and the other 1624.

The English Armstrong Whitworth "Ensign" belongs to the fleet of Imperial Airways, weighs over 20 tons and carries a total of 40 passengers plus the ship's crew.

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# SOCIETY

## Country Club Dance Draws Attendance Of Fifty Couples on Friday Evening

Entertaining with an informal dance at the Country Club, Mrs. R. T. Mobley was hostess to a large group of the high school crowd Friday evening.

Dancing was to the music of the club nickelodeon. At least 50 couples, it was estimated, took part in the evening's gaiety.

## Comfortable Bed Best Sleep Lure On Torrid Nights

Most everyone has a solution for the problem of summer heat during the day, whether it's the old swimming hole or an absorbing job, but when bedtime comes their ingenuity fails and they sweeter helplessly.

A little forethought and provision for hot weather sleeping would save much of the tossing and groaning that ensues. In the first place, no one can keep cool if his bed is uncomfortable. It's the constant all-too-familiar bumps and sags in a bed that causes a lot of discomfort often blamed on the heat.

### Bring Temperature Down

A completely comfortable bed, equipped with a resilient mattress, springs, and pillows invites relaxation and quiet, and seemingly will bring the temperature down ten degrees for the average person. The fashionable new beds that have unusually low headboards and footboards are as practical as they are smart for summer sleeping because they permit the greatest possible circulation of air to reach the sleeper. For an absolute minimum of bed during the few weeks when heat becomes really oppressive, there are short legs that can be purchased to raise a boxspring and mattress to bed-height. This cool bed then can easily be placed anywhere in the house.

### Tepid Bath Helps

Small things like a tepid bath at bedtime and placing the bed near a window are invaluable for getting a cool start toward finding a good night's rest. Just as a frequent change of clothing adds immeasurably to hot weather comfort by day, so frequent changes of bed linens help at night.

Turning the mattress every week instead of every two weeks is another way of keeping beds always fresh and inviting when the thermometer is on a rampage.

## FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

We hail with joy the news that frilly, frothy collars and cuffs are favored for wear with fall clothes. We always did like ruffles on collars and frivolous little cuffs that are long on looks (if short on practicality for the working girl).

Also we've stored away for future reference the announcement that full three-quarter sleeves with shirring at top and drawstring at wrist will be worn over plain long sleeved frocks to give them an extra-special air. Now we see how that black dress can be worn another season! Wonderful are the ways of designers. Oh yes, there must be a collar to match the sleeves, of course.

Despite dire predictions in early summer, the open toe slipper is apparently not going to stage a quick exit with the coming of fall. We've noticed new fall slippers, even suede ones, made with open toes.

That's a relief. We've been wondering how we'd manage to wangle another pair of shoes into our budget to take the place of those perfectly good summer ones which boast an open toe. Maybe we won't have to do it. We'll just keep on

## Business Women Announce Standing Committee Heads

Chairmen of standing committees of the Business and Professional Women's club for next year have been announced by the president, Miss Betty Wilson, as follows:

Education, Miss Geneva Risinger; finance, Miss Elma Graves; health, Miss Alpha Lynn; International Relations and legislation, Mrs. Hilda B. Bary; publications, Miss Noene Kirby; public affairs, Miss Fannie Bess Taylor; membership, Mrs. Frances Stallworth; program coordination, Mrs. Iva Noyes; publicity, Miss Kathleen Eiland.

wearing the aforesaid summer ones and hoping winter blizzards won't be too fierce.

Clever idea in clockwork is that of a Midland business firm. On its big clock, it has replaced the 12 numerals with the name of the firm owners. Rather unique. And the manager assures us that the change does not inconvenience people desiring to know the time.

In other words, to see clock hands pointing to C after E does not upset the time-keeper if the position on the dial indicates five minutes after 5 o'clock. He has been so accustomed to seeing that position denoting that hour that his mind automatically follows its habitual reaction.

Truly, habit is a rather wonderful thing to contemplate, come to

The poets are always mournfully reminding us that every rose has its thorn. Why doesn't some kind-hearted soul warn the amateur gardener that every vine must have a lattice and that if he plants vines, he must provide a framework for them to run on?

We did not realize what problems this law of gardening would drive us into when we recklessly invested in morning glories and moon vines for our flower beds. Result: Vines sprawling ungracefully and uncomfortably about when they should have been climbing romantically to the eaves. Result No. 2: We attempted carpentering for almost the first time in our misguided life—and found, as we suspected, that hammer and nails are not our boon companions or natural tools. We finally got a framework made but whether the vines will disdain to run upon it remains to be seen. Anyway it hangs together, which is in itself a triumph—for us.

There are beautiful revers in starched or lacquered repousse, pique, lawn and taffeta. And deep as well as narrow yokes, square and pointed, in duchess lace, genuine Alencon and princess and duchess combined. Real Valenciennes and Irish crochet will edge many of the revers and collars. Hence, the note of femininity prevails. Pique probably is the most widely used material in neckwear collections. The fitted plastron, beautifully cut to give a long line from neck to belt, and a narrow waistband, comes in a wide variety of fabrics. Bengaline is another favored material. Shirred net plastrons, also

## There's a Thrill for Every Thrill in Women's Autumn Neckwear for 1939



A voluminous collar and cuff set of pastel taffeta can change the appearance of a simple, basic street dress in less time than it takes to tell. This ensemble includes a double-tiered collar and balloon sleeves with shirred elastic tops and a draw-string at each wrist.

BY MARIAN YOUNG, NEA Service Staff Correspondent.

NEW YORK. — If mention of neckwear conjures up in your mind's eye nothing more or less than a white collar and cuff set, there are surprises in store for you. This fall's neckwear is really new, really exciting.

There are, for example, full, three-quarter bishop sleeves, in satin and taffeta, to be worn over the long sleeves of a plain, basic dress. These have wrist frills, elastic shirring at the top and drawstrings at the bottom, and are teamed up with ruffled, almost bertha-like collars in matching fabrics.

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Bengaline is another favored material. Shirred net plastrons, also collar and deep cuff sets, are used to transform simple street frocks into dressier models for cocktails and tea.

There are deep cuffs and deep Dutch collars with double rows of box pleated ruffling. Bibs still are shown and sweater collars are musts for the college girl. A crisp white collar on the neckline of a sweater takes away the too-casual look and adds a note of daintiness.

Buttons of all types, especially diminutive pearl ones, in formal rows, are used on many different types of neckwear. Madeira embroidery in the bluish gray cast is featured, Georgette and embroidered net in alternating stripes make many a chic plastron. And this is something for the home dressmaker to keep in mind.

Fibbons, lames, fallie, moires, velvet trimmed lace are among the stiff fabrics used for neckwear in the formal category. Jersey, crepe, chiffon and softest satins give the soft, draped look which is important.

Sequins, in pastel and bright shades, are used. Brightly colored fallie, moire and bengaline, as well as white neckwear, is headlined. Copper-rust looks new against green, blue, black or brown. Canary yellow sets off the new chocolate browns. Pinks are smart on wine.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. E. Noyes of Tulsa, Okla., and Mrs. Ernest Fox of Prescott, Ariz., are the guests of Mrs. Iva Noyes.

Mrs. Yates Brown and two children, Sarah Genora and Y. E., arrived Friday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Barbara Wall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Waddell were in town from the ranch near Odessa, as guests of Mrs. Barbara Wall.

Russell Holster, who is attending business college at Lubbock, is spending the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Hollenbeck, and his sister, Miss Zelta Farris of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eubanks and Mrs. Elsie Poe are leaving Monday on a vacation trip to their home town, Atlanta, Ga. They will be away two weeks.

S. P. Hall, who suffered from a severe case of tonsillitis the past week, was reported improved and able to be up Saturday though still weak.

Mrs. S. C. Dougherty had as guests Friday her sister, Mrs. J. D. Faulkner and children and her niece, Miss Zelta Farris of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Dougherty and children, Frederick and Margaret, are leaving today for a two weeks vacation on the West Coast. They will go by Grand Canyon and Boulder Dam and return via Salt Lake City and Denver.

Eisenhauer Perkins arrived Friday from San Antonio to visit his sister, Mrs. T. J. Potter.

Tom Potter made a trip to San Angelo Saturday. Accompanying him there was Miss Eva Batchelder who will take examinations connected with her hospital work before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jean Worsham and

daughter have returned from a vacation in East Texas. Returning with them from Paris were her two sisters.

Mrs. Ruby Warren left Saturday on a vacation trip to California.

Miss Dove Husbands and Miss Nell Taylor of the El Paso public school system stopped briefly in Midland Saturday en route to their homes at Greenville and Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Marshall and children, Tom and Margaret, Ann, returned Saturday to their home at Deming, N. M., after visiting Mrs. Marshall's mother, Mrs. J. W. Caldwell.

Mary Louise McClarty, 11-year old niece of Mrs. H. B. Boren, returned Saturday to her home at Henderson after a three weeks visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Taylor and son, Bill Wayne, returned Friday afternoon from a two weeks visit in Oklahoma City, Okmulgee and other points.

Mrs. A. M. McClure returned during the past week from Trinidad, Colo., where she had visited relatives for a short time. She and Mr. McClure, member of the state highway department staff here, plan to visit Colorado again later in the summer.

Harold and Jack Reid, students in Draughton's business college at Lubbock, are visiting their mother, Mrs. Willie Stell Oliver, for the weekend.

Composing a party of Midland people who have returned from a vacation to Fort Worth and Dallas were: Mrs. Ellis Knight, Mrs. J. W. Webb, Mrs. N. B. Beauchamp and children, Miss Virgie Webb and Miss Joyce Beauchamp.

Mrs. Ireba House has returned from Sterling City where she visited relatives for several days.

The total amount of motor vehicle taxes paid during 1938 to federal, state, and local governments amounted to more than \$1,525,000,000.

## Glamour Girl's Life Is Busy One, Miss Ticknor Finds

Miss Wanda Ticknor of Corpus Christi, former Midland girl recently chosen Sweetheart No. 1 at the Casa Manana show in Fort Worth, is learning that the life of the ranking glamour girl is a busy one, judging from word received from her by friends here.

She will sing and dance in the show, she wrote, and will have one scene in which Kenney Baker will sing a love song to her. In addition she is kept in a whirl of social engagements.

She was honor guest at a Kiwanian luncheon on Thursday and was guest at a Rotary luncheon on Friday of the past week. Completing the week's compliments was a luncheon given at the Worth Hotel Saturday in her honor.

Miss Ticknor lived in Midland several years and is a graduate of the Midland high school. Following her selection as Sweetheart No. 1, she was the subject of a feature article written by Mary Wynne for the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

## Presbyterian Group Returns from Camp Comanche Saturday

A dozen or more boys and girls returned Saturday from Camp Comanche at Fort Stockton where they attended the encampment for Presbyterian young people the past week.

Mrs. W. L. Miller, who served as dean of girls for the group, brought some of the party back in her car. Rev. W. R. Mann went to camp and brought others and one Midland camper returned in the Isaac bus. Those returning, besides Mrs. Miller, were: Carlton Galbraith, Charles Patterson, Raymond Mann, Roger Sidwell, Pauline Carr, Betty Kimbrough, Mary Jane Harper, Frances E. Link, Charissa Mann, Marilyn Sidwell, Mildred Braden, and others whose names were not obtained.

Recently issued by Pan American Airways were special "com-muting" tickets for air travelers between Baltimore or New York and Bermuda. Twenty one-way passages now cost the traveler \$1000, a saving of \$200 on 20 passages.

As of May 1, 1939, there were a total of 2371 airports and landing fields in the United States. Of this number, 728 had night lighting equipment.

## Large Crowd Attends Story Hour Saturday

Moving pictures of "Mickey's Bicycle Race" and "The Circus on Parade" were shown at the Story Hour in the courthouse Saturday morning.

Mrs. O. J. Hubbard, who was in charge of the hour, told a story to the group and Sarah Genora Brown of Merkel, who is visiting—her grandmother, Mrs. Barbara Wall, sang a song.

At least 70 children were present. Mrs. Hubbard said, but it was found impossible to get the names of some of the smaller ones.

Registering were: Roy Bert, Wyllie J. Ehrhige, Opal Scribner, Louise Williams, Jacqueline Tombs, Louise Harless, Orman J. Hubbard, Jimmy Beaney, Fowler Osborne, Betty Jane Tombs, Billy Preskitt, Gloria Jane Cameron, Thomas Boyd Talley, Blizie Joe Talley, Harotto Faye Black, Lois Jane Black, Harold Harkins, Susie Gale Black, Dorothy Faye Black, Louis Jane Black.

Margaret Ann McCarrier, Betty Jean Meriwether, Toya Chapple, Roy Eidson, Wanda Lou Steele, Alex Oates, Audie Merrill, Elizabeth Ann Koonce, Lora Belle Anderson, Martin Carl Anderson, Peggy Riley, Kay Young, Jeanette Young, Patsy Riley, Gordon Reigle, Charles Jones, Garrett Throckmorton, David Uechi, Wendell Uechi, Geneva Merrill.

Clinton F. Dunagan, Marilyn Dunagan, Anna Jean Cash, Rebecca Kirkman, Walter Lee Sutton, Alfred Holder, Wayne Holder, Sally Secor, Maizie Secor, Jerry Paige, Sarah Katherine Widmer, Juliet Betty Galberth, Dorothy Grimes, Lona Sue Davis, Peggy Lou Whitson, Barbara Ruth Whitson, Bill Miller, Jerry Geisler, Joy Diane Debnam, Norma Jean Conley, Joan Frances Tom, Esther May Floyd, Peggy Jane Charlton, Betty Jean Wilson, Wanda June Hudson, Billy Reed, Walter Crenin, Rosalind Leggett, Robert Hunter, Finley Parker, Jeanette Coles, Billy Tedford, Frances Tedford, Betty Sue Bibbs, R. A. Woodson, Patricia Zimmerman, George Ponder, Richard Davis, Charles Alfred Tom, Sarah Genora Brown and Y. E. Brown of Merkel.

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# REAL ESTATE HOME OWNERS' and BUILDERS PAGE

## EXPANSION PROGRAM AT MUNICIPAL AIRPORT IS READY TO START

### Building For Week Spurts With \$38,600

#### Tourist Hotel and Brick Buildings Increase Activity

Construction permits came to the fore in Midland during the past week, with contracts let for two major business buildings and several residence projects, making a total of \$38,600.

For the year, the week's volume created the strong figures of \$431,885, with a survey by W. F. Prothro, city building inspector, revealing that 83 residences have been erected during the first seven months of the year at a cost of \$255,240, a county for more than half of the construction.

Houston Hill, Midland contractor and lumber dealer, was awarded two substantial contracts during the week, one for the three new brick buildings, 25 by 100 feet each, for Roy Stockard, and the other for a modern service station and tourist hotel for George Votruba.

The week's permits follow: Mrs. Bertha Johnson, dwelling, 709 West Ohio, \$3,250.

R. E. Greenwald, dwelling, 403 West Kentucky, \$700.

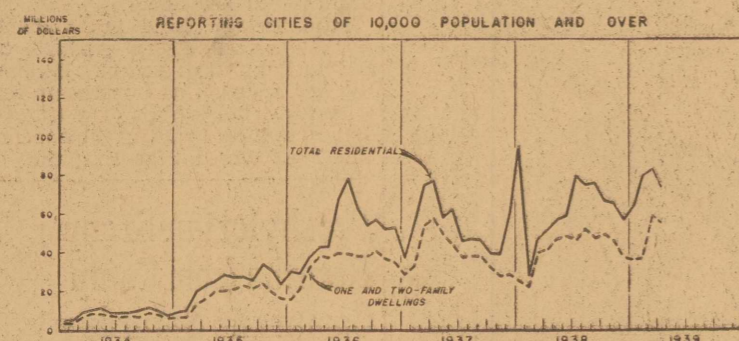
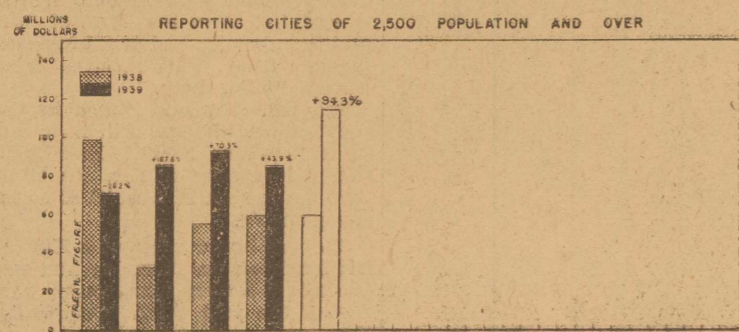
Re M. Barron, addition to garage, 11 West Louisiana, \$500.

Manuel Moreno, 606 North Terrell street, dwelling, \$150.

Roy Stockard, three brick business buildings, 25 by 100 feet each, located at 112, 114, and 116 North Main street, \$15,000.

George Votruba, service station and tourist hotel, located at 500 West Wall street, former location of Mrs. C. A. Goldsmith residence, \$19,000.

### VALUE OF RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION AS SHOWN BY BUILDING PERMITS



THESE OFFICIAL SERIES REPRESENT THE REPORTED ESTIMATED COST OF RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION OF ALL TYPES FOR WHICH PERMITS WERE ISSUED IN REPORTING CITIES THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES. THE COST SHOWN BY PERMITS MAY NOT CONFORM TO ACTUAL COST, BUT THE FIGURES HEREIN REFLECT THE DIRECTION AND MOVEMENT OF QUANTITY IN CURRENT RESIDENTIAL CONSTRUCTION.

THE UPPER GRAPH REPRESENTS THE MOST COMPREHENSIVE SERIES OF PERMITS NOW AVAILABLE FOR THESE CITIES. THE CITIES REPORTING ACCOUNT FOR SOME 80% OF TOTAL URBAN POPULATION, AND INCLUDE APPROPRIATELY LARGELY REPRESENTATIVE COMMISSIONS OF HOUSES TO 100,000. THE CITIES ARE DESIGNATED IN EACH MONTH FOR BOTH YEARS, BUT FROM NORTH TO SOUTH THEY ARE NOT IDENTICAL.

THE LOWER GRAPH SHOWS THE NUMBER OF RESIDENTIAL CITIES WHICH SHOW PERMITS TO THE END OF THE MONTH. TOTALS UNDER MONTHLY HEADS IN 1938 ARE AT THE BEGINNING OF 1939 AND ARE USUALLY TO CHANGE IN NEW YORK CITY BUILDING CODE.

SOURCE OF BASIC DATA: BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS. FEDERAL HOUSING ADMINISTRATION DIVISION OF CONSTRUCTION & STATISTICS. CHART NO. 1-1318

### Texas Savings-Loan Associations Placed \$13,619,000 in 6 Months

WASHINGTON, July 29. — Texas' 120 insured savings and loan associations made 6,784 loans on homes amounting to \$13,619,000 in the first six months of 1939. It was reported today by Nugent Fallon, General Manager of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation.

As of July 1, total home mortgage loans of the associations stood at \$72,777,000.

There are 75,110 investors in these institutions having total savings of \$61,001,000, an increase of \$5,375,000 in six months. In June alone, \$1,175,100 in new savings was placed in the associations.

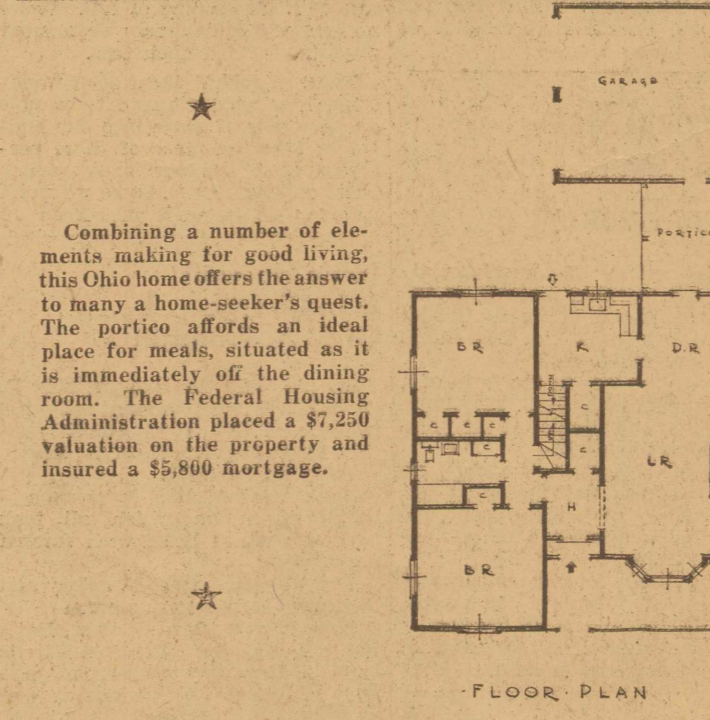
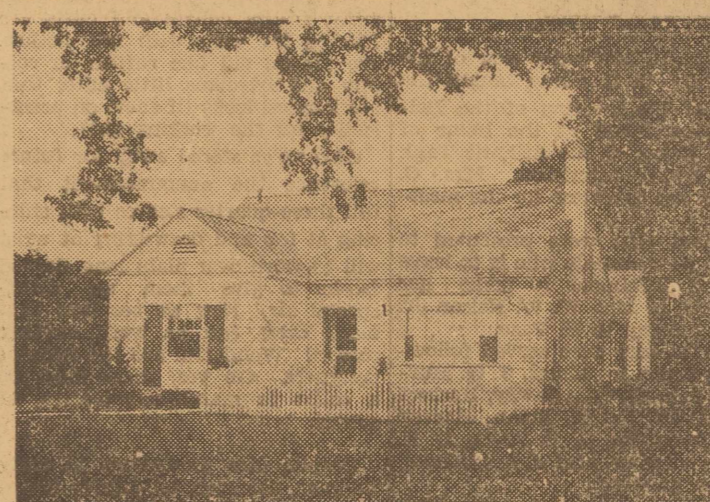
Such savings are protected against loss up to \$5,000 per investor by the Insurance Corporation, a \$119,000,000 Federal Government instrumentality.

Insured associations in Texas include those operating under both State and Federal charters, and they have total assets of \$86,206,000, a rise of \$6,080,000 since January 1. The associations are located in:

Alice, Amarillo, Athens, Atlanta,

Austin, Bay City, Beaumont, Beeville, Belton, Big Spring, Breckenridge, Brownsville, Brownwood, Childress, Colorado, Columbus, Commerce, Conroe, Corpus Christi, Corsicana, Crockett, Cuero, Dalhart, Dallas, Del Rio, Denison, Denton, El Paso, Electra, Fredericksburg, Galveston, Garland, Gladewater, Goose Creek, Graham, Greenville, Henderson, Hillsboro, Houston, Jasper, Kerrville, Kilgore, Lamesa, Lampasas, Laredo, Liberty, Longview, Lubbock, Lufkin, Luling, Marshall, McAllen, McKinney, Midland, Mineola, Naacogoches, Navasota, New Braunfels, Olney, Orange, Pampa, Paris, Pecos, Quanah, Rang, Rosenberg, Rusk, San Angelo, San Antonio, San Marcos, Sherman, Smithville, Stamford, Sweetwater, Temple, Terrell, Texas, Uvalde, Vernon, Victoria, Waco, Waxahatchie, Wichita Falls, Yoakum, Abilene, Bryan, Ft. Worth, Georgetown, Jacksonville, Mesquite, Mineral Wells, Plainview, Seguin, Sulphur Springs, Taylor, Tyler, Weatherford, Winnsboro and Mount Pleasant.

### Spacious and Attractive



FLOOR PLAN

Combining a number of elements making for good living, this Ohio home offers the answer to many a home-seeker's quest. The porches afford an ideal place for meals, situated as it is immediately off the dining room. The Federal Housing Administration placed a \$7,250 valuation on the property and insured a \$5,800 mortgage.

### Fewer Foreclosures on Real Estate for June Reported Than Same 1938 Period

WASHINGTON, July 29. — Real estate foreclosures on other than farm properties, continuing their downward trend, in June—were 6.8 per cent under May and 8 per cent less than in the comparable month last year, officials of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board said today in analyzing a preliminary tabulation of nationwide reports.

The favorable nature of the decline is further emphasized by comparing it with the June-May drop over the past five years which has averaged only 1.6 per cent, the Board's Division of Research and Statistics pointed out. About 85 per cent of the foreclosures were on individual homes and 15 per cent on apartment houses and other business properties.

The decrease in the first half of this year was preliminarily estimated to be 10.4 per cent below that in the similar period of 1938 and 33.5 per cent lower than in the first six months of 1935, the first year in which the present downward trend became evident.

Non-farm foreclosures in June numbered 9,870 in 1,349 reporting communities, as against a total figure for all reporting communities—representing 64 per cent of all non-farm properties in the country—of 10,590 in May and 10,704 in June, 1938. Preliminarily estimated foreclosures in the first half of this year of 57,357 were 6,224 beneath those in the same period of 1938.

### Modernization Is Required in Columns

The Colonial home introduced large graceful columns into the American architectural field, and today some of the most stately residential buildings of the country have pillared porches. In purchasing and repairing Colonial-style houses, as many people are doing, it is important that the columns not be overlooked.

A number of manufacturers now produce new columns, and they can be obtained in either wood or steel in many classical designs. Where the original columns are in a bad state of decay, it is generally more economical to install new ones. This can be arranged under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration, with the actual funds obtainable from qualified lending institutions.

Among the designs available are Roman Corinthian, Greek Ionic, Modern Ionic, Italian Ionic, Temple of Winds, Italian Composite, Roman Doric, Greek Doric, Modern Doric, and Plain (unfluted) Doric.

being developed to bring a modern touch to an art centuries old. However, the brightly colored Dutch insert panels are still being manufactured for use in homes where this type of tile is adaptable. In substituting a modern tile for one which has been worn and discolored by age, the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration may be used. Un-

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### Total Income of \$5,662,974 for Year Reported by Loan Corporation

WASHINGTON, July 29. — The Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation, which protects the savings accounts of some 2,350,000 people in insured thrift and home-financing institutions, operated during the fiscal year ending June 30 at the low cost of 3.8 cents for each dollar of its gross income, Nugent Fallon, General Manager, reported today.

The Corporation's total income for the fiscal year was \$5,662,974, of which \$213,122 was used for operating expenses.

During the year, assets of the Corporation rose \$5,300,000 to a total of \$119,400,000. The Corporation has \$100,000,000 in capital and \$18,283,243 of surplus and reserves, Fallon stated. The premium income for the year, which is paid by the insured institutions, was \$2,292,000, a gain of \$410,000 over the previous

fiscal year. Admission fees for newly insured institutions for this period totaled \$45,353. Investments of the Corporation totaling \$117,863,279 are wholly securities of, or securities guaranteed by, the United States.

Losses for the year totaled \$285,989 in the form of contributions to three insured associations to enable them to effect a merger or reorganize and continue business and avoid the expense of liquidation.

When the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation was established by Congress in June, 1934, it was granted an initial capital of \$100,000,000. Reserves have risen continuously since then. Investors in nearly 2,200 savings, building and loan associations are now protected by insurance up to \$5,000 each.

### Cedar Lining Turns Closet Into Chest To Keep out Moths

Any ordinary clothes closet can easily be made into a spacious cedar chest through installation of a cedar lining, which imparts an odor pleasing to humans but repellent to moths.

Among the cedar linings being manufactured today are those which in new-home construction, are said to cost little more than ordinary lumber or lath and plaster.

In many kinds of cedar lining no finish is needed, as varnish or paint destroy the aromatic qualities. For maximum protection the lining should be applied to the closet floors and backs of doors as well as to walls and ceilings. Doors must fit tightly.

The Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration may be used in financing the installation of cedar lining in closets of existing homes. Under this plan the funds or obtainable from qualified lending institutions.

Where the closet of an old home is to be lined with cedar, it is often advisable first to apply furring strips over lath and plaster.

### Five Factors in Choosing a Site To Be Remembered

The Federal Housing Administration lists the following as factors which tend to lessen or destroy desirability or utility in the location of a home:

1. A declining population in the neighborhood or region.
2. A decline or danger of decline in the desirability of the neighborhood through the influx of lower living standards.
3. A decline or danger of decline in the desirability of the neighborhood as a place of residence through the introduction of commercial, industrial, or manufacturing enterprises, or nuisances or inharmonious uses of any kind.
4. Lack of appropriate and adequate protective covenants and effective provisions for the enforcement thereof.
5. Lack of appropriate and adequate zoning regulations.

### Famous Wood Creates Door Beauty and Use

A classical interior style of rare beauty combines light cream-colored Georgian woodwork and paneling, with paneled mahogany doors.

Mahogany, of all cabinet woods, is said to be among the least susceptible to atmospheric changes and therefore makes doors that keep their appearance and shape through many years of use. Doors of this famous wood may be installed in homes with funds obtained from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

A wide choice in mahogany doors is available, not only in the traditional panel doors but also in flush doors for the more modern type of rooms.

### New Plaster Makes For Sound Absorption

A sound-absorbing plaster, hardy and distinguishable from ordinary plaster, is being found adaptable to nurseries, bedrooms, and other places where acoustical treatment is desired.

Several kinds of such plaster are blends are obtainable and can be installed with funds secured from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

Another use of wall linoleum, said by builders to be growing in popularity, is in shower stalls.

### Home Owners' Weekly Hints

#### Vapor-Resistant Insulation

With the question of moisture penetration into the framing of structures becoming more acute with the advent of modern heating and air conditioning, many builders are advising the use of insulating fabrics or materials which seal the walls against penetration of moisture vapor.

Under modern systems of heating and air conditioning it is estimated by commercial engineers that relative humidities are increased from as low as 5 per cent to as high as 50 per cent. This moisture passes readily through plaster and other structural materials until it reaches the dew-point temperature and then deposits in droplets.



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In side walls this moisture may settle to the bottom of the section, drenching the entire framework. Such conditions cause framing to warp and twist, distort interior woodwork, and frequently blisters paint.

Moisture-resistant insulating fabrics may be installed in the home with funds obtainable from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

**Glass Showers**

Few modernization enterprises carry so much effect as does the installation of a modern glass shower cabinet.

Most of the major plate-glass manufacturing companies market such cabinets, and they are now easy to obtain. Glass showers may be installed and the entire bathroom modernized with funds obtained from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

**Screens Must Fit**

Window screens should be fitted before they are painted. If this is not done, it is often found that when the paint planes away through raising and lowering there will be sufficient space between the bottom of the screen and the sill to allow moisture to enter.

**Damp-Proof Basements**

Damp basements are often due to improper backfilling. When a foundation is dug and later refilled, rubbish is sometimes used in the fill. Water running down the walls of the house collects in pools and seeps through pores or cracks in the walls and into the basement. The remedy is to refill the trench with clean, carefully packed dirt.

In extreme cases it may be necessary to install a tile drain at the bottom of the trench to carry off the water. Damp-proofing of cellars is eligible under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

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#### Reduction of Noises

Care in home planning will reduce materially many of the noises common to the home. Many squeaks, vibrations, and other disturbances can be largely eliminated by having the house built on solid foundation.

Closets placed between rooms cut down the penetration of sound. Soundproofing of walls is a direct and effective aid, while independent footings for boiler and air conditioner will further reduce noise.

These precautions can be taken care of in a home to be built, but in existing dwellings objectionable noises must be eliminated through repairs. Funds for such work are available from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

**Cove-Lighting System**

Cove lighting derives its name from the curved molding near the ceiling line in which the lamps are concealed. It reflects light toward the ceiling, which results in an even illumination when properly designed.

In modernization of a home's lighting system, cove lighting may be substituted for the old type of central lighting fixtures. Funds for such work are obtainable from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration.

#### Matching Floor and Wall Cover Attractive

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### City Advertises For Bids on Two Asphalt Runways

Advertisement will be placed Monday by the City of Midland for bids to construct paved runways at Midland Airport, marking the first step in a large expansion program to make the recently purchased municipal port one of the most outstanding in the southwest.

City Engineer A. M. East, who for several weeks has been in collaboration with the War Department on specifications for the improvements, said two paved runways will be built, each to be 150 feet wide and 4,500 feet long. Contact lights will be placed every 200 feet on each side, to facilitate night landings.

The "instrument landing" runway will be built due north and south, while the other will be at a tangent of north 67 degrees, thirty minutes west. The north-south runway will take care of eighty per cent of the landings and the two will take care of ninety per cent of landings in wind above five miles per hour, according to statements of army officials.

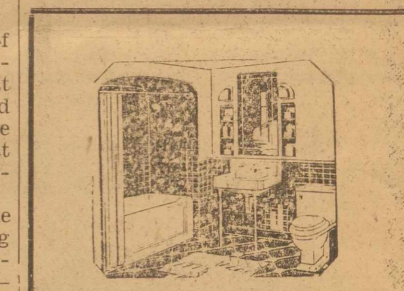
Bids for construction of the asphalt runways will be received at the office of the City Secretary and opened at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of Tuesday, August 15, East said. Contract already has been let by the city to Felix W. Stonehocker for construction of a radio control room and weather observation tower on top of the present administration building, with work to start within the next few days. Total cost will be between \$2,000 and \$2,500.

The army recently completed at the port a tile storage building for housing its gas cylinders.

Since voting bonds of \$125,000 for purchase and development of the Slean field, the city has bought from Clarence Scharbauer an additional eighty acres of land, making a total of 315 for the airport.

der this plan the funds are obtained from private lending institutions qualified by the FHA.

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### 2—For Sale

FOR SALE: '38 Packard 4-door sedan, excellent condition; low mileage. '37 Pontiac coupe 4-passenger. Like new. Bargains-Terms-Trade. Call McCormick, 271. (120-3)

FOR SALE: Irish Setter puppies; reasonable. George Hough, Pagoda Trailer Park. (121-3)

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New 1600 Cfm Air Conditioner; price \$22.50. Birdsong Gulf Pipe Line. 122-1

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FOR RENT: 2-room furnished apartment. 900 South Colorado, or 305 West Florida. (121-3)

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## First Round Ends, Bridges Laughs



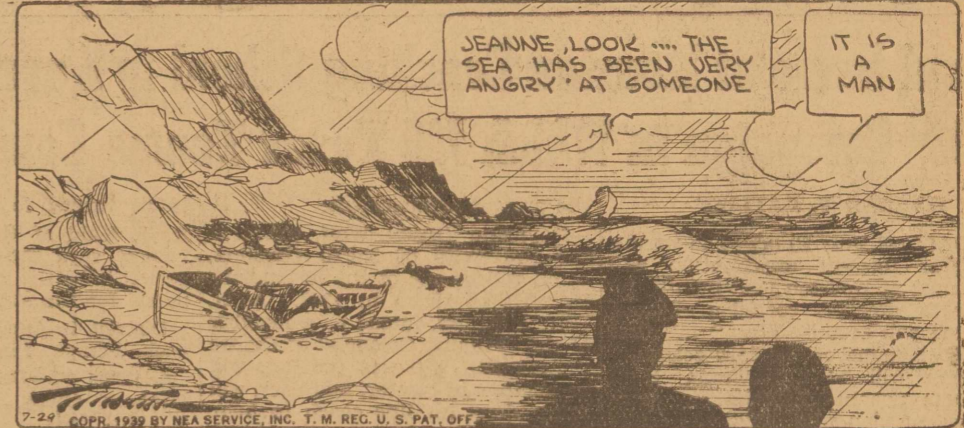
Prosecution moves into second round at San Francisco deportation hearing against him—but Harry Bridges, west coast labor leader, smiles confidently. Attack, which first attempted to prove Bridges a Communist, now tries to show that Communist party seeks to overthrow government.

## Former Brakeman Named to I. C. C.



William J. Patterson, who rose from railroad brakeman to place on Interstate Commerce Commission, is shown in Washington office after appointment by President Roosevelt. Previously he was with the I. C. C.'s safety bureau.

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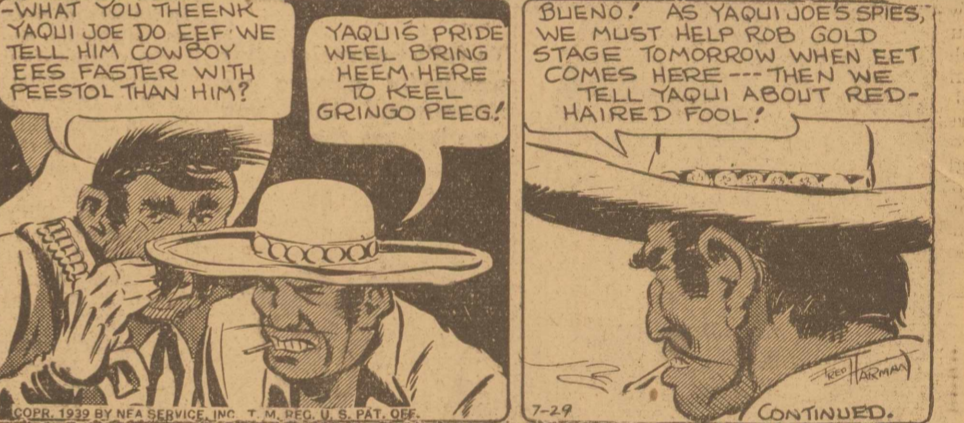
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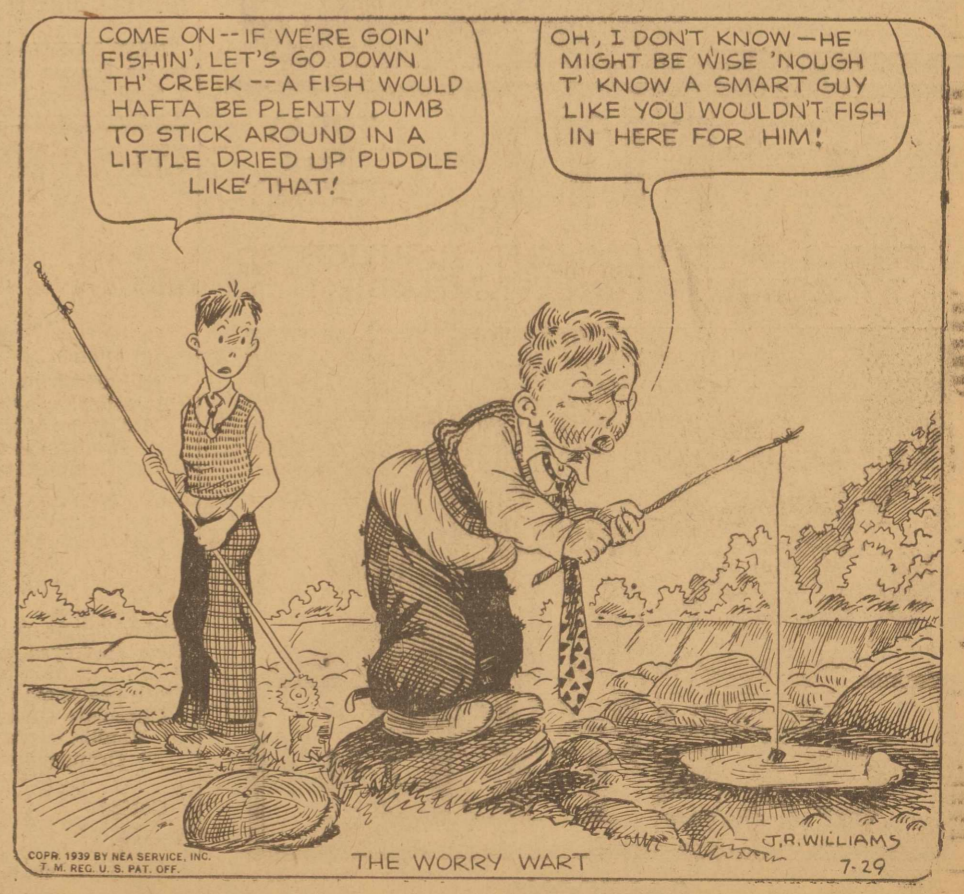
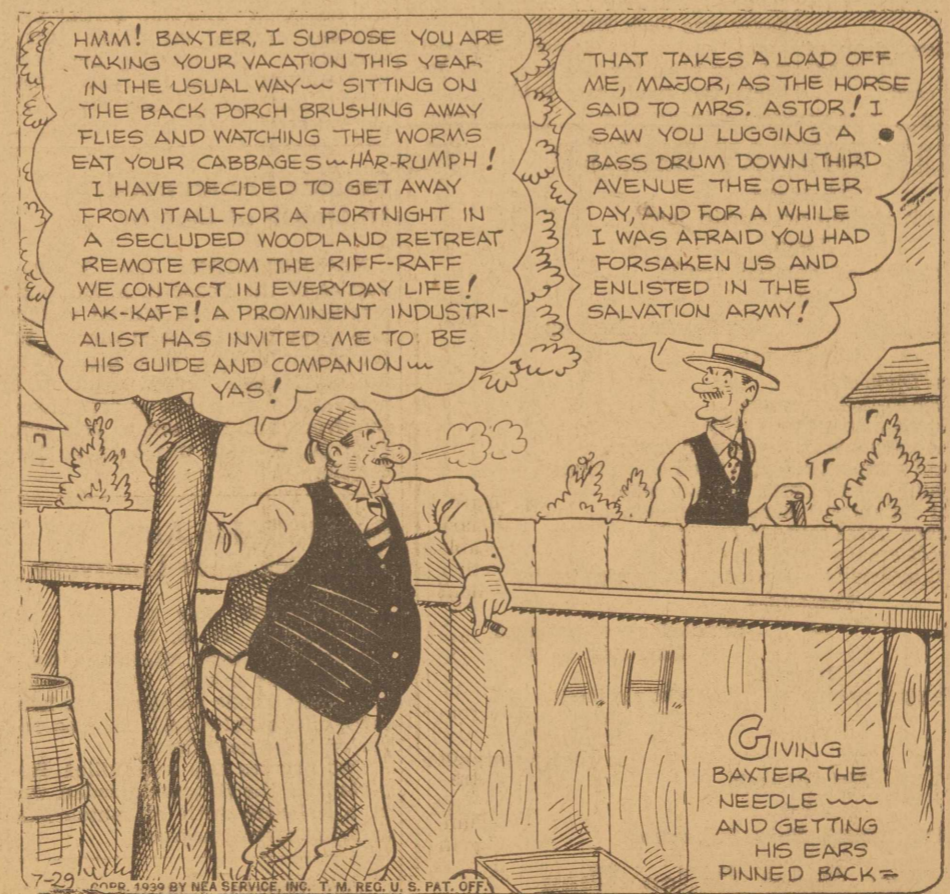
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## Grid Game at Houston Coaching School to Launch 1939 Campaign in Which 700 Texas Teams Compete

BY HAROLD V. RATLIFF

DALLAS, July 29 (AP)—The world's largest football organization will conduct at Houston next month the world's greatest coaching school, which will produce the world's first football game of the 1939 season.

This will be the Texas High School Coaches Association, composed of men who direct the destinies of the football teams of the Texas Interscholastic League, a mill that turns out between 15,000 and 17,000 graders each year.

It is the start of the twentieth annual campaign, although, for the 47 boys who will play in this game it will mark the end of their high school competition.

The coaching school opens Aug. 7 and will be climaxed the night of Aug. 12, in the Rice Institute stadium, with the annual all-star game—the fifth to be played under

the present arrangement.

Raymond (Bear) Wolf, coach at the University of North Carolina, again will be one of the instructors. He was at Waco in 1937. A. N. (Bo) McMillin, famed as a member of the "Praying Colonels" of Centre College and a Texas product, will be another instructor, and each will bring along his line coach to help. They will be Johnny Vaught, a Texas Christian University great, who assists Wolf at North Carolina, and Carl (Swede) Anderson of Indiana University where McMillin is head coach. Lou Hertenberger of Rice will handle line play.

Wolf will coach the South squad, composed of boys who have finished their high school eligibility from the lower eight districts of the Interscholastic League. McMillin will tutor the North all-stars, boys taken from the upper eight districts.

Between 400 and 500 coaches are expected. W. B. Chapman of Lubbock is president of the association.

The all-star game, which has grown into the climaxing feature of the annual school, was begun in 1935 at Dallas, when the South team won 3-0. In 1936 at Fort Worth the North came through, 13-0, and repeated, 7-0, at Waco in 1937. Last year the South won, 7-0, at Lubbock.

Close to 700 teams will play in Texas schoolboy circles this year, 101 of them being in the AA, or top, division; 280 in the A class; 252 in the B division, and approximately 150 in six-man football. Incidentally Texas has the largest six-man program in the nation, although the sport is but two years old in this state.

Critics forecast that Corpus Christi, the 1939 champion, will again be the team to beat although losing a number of vital cogs in the last season machine.

Reclassification, chiefly on the basis of enrollment, gives the smallest number in the top division in years, but the lower classes have gained in teams.

While the 1939 line-up will not be officially set until September when football acceptance cards are

to be turned in, Athletic Director R. J. Kidd of the Interscholastic League says the following is expected to be the arrangement in the battle for the state championship:

District 1—Amarillo, Borger, Lubbock, Pampa, Plainview.

District 2—Childress, Electra, Graham, Olney, Quanah, Vernon, Wichita Falls.

District 3—Abilene, Big Spring, Lamesa, Midland, Odessa, San Angelo, Sweetwater.

District 4—Austin, (El Paso), Bowie (El Paso), El Paso High, Ysleta.

District 5—Bonham, Denison, Gainesville, Paris, Sherman.

District 6—Denton, Greenville, Highland Park, (Dallas), McKinney, Sulphur Springs.

District 7—Arlington Heights (Fort Worth), Masonic Home (Fort Worth), Pashal (Fort Worth), Riverside (Fort Worth), Fort Worth Tech, Fort Worth Poly, North Side (Fort Worth).

District 8—Adams (Dallas), Dallas Tech, Forest (Dallas), North Dallas, Sunset (Dallas), Woodrow Wilson (Dallas).

District 9—Breckenridge, Brownwood, Cisco, Mineral Wells, Ranger, Stephenville.

District 10—Bryan, Cleburne, Corsicana, Hillsboro, Waco, Waxahatchie.

District 11—Athens, Gladewater, Kilgore, Longview, Marshall, Texarkana, Tyler.

District 12—Henderson, Jacksonville, Lufkin, Mexia, Nacogdoches, Palestine.

District 13—Conroe, Davis (Houston), Regan (Houston), Milby, (Houston) Lamar (Houston), Sam Houston (Houston), San Jacinto (Houston), Austin (Houston).

District 14—Beaumont, Galveston, Goose Creek, Livingston, Orange, Fort Arthur, South Park (Beaumont).

District 15—Austin, Breckenridge, (San Antonio), Harlandale (San Antonio), Kerrville, Laredo, San Antonio Tech, Jefferson (San Antonio).

District 16—Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Edinburg, Harlingen, Kingsville, McAllen, Robstown, San Benito.

### Friday's Game

Neal Rabe's Amarillo Gold Sox were on their toes and played heads up baseball all the way at City Park Friday night to cop the final game of the series by a 6 to 4 count. Margavio, Amarillo hurler, held the Cowboys to eight scattered hits, while the Gold Sox were getting to Vickers for 11 hits and to Brown for four. Brown relieved Vickers in the first of the fifth. Attenburg and Nichols of Amarillo and Willoughby, Parma and Cox of Midland connected for home runs.

The box score:

Amarillo	AB	R	H	P	O	A
Holt 3	4	2	1	0	0	0
Allenburg ss	5	2	1	0	1	0
Sanders 1	4	0	2	1	4	0
Nook r	5	0	1	2	0	0
Bolton c	5	0	1	6	0	0
Dunlap lf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Nichols m	4	1	3	0	0	0
Hudson 2	4	1	2	1	5	0
Margavio p	4	0	1	0	4	0
Totals	39	6	15	26	15	0

### Same Teams Meet In Double Header At Lubbock Today

LUBBOCK, July 29. (Special). — The Lubbock Hubbers completely blanked the Midland Cowboys here tonight to the score of 15 to 0. Pitcher Hendrix of Midland was knocked out in the fourth inning, but when Vickers took the mound there was no cessation in the Hubber bombardment.

Third baseman Taylor of the Hubbers was outstanding with his bat, getting six hits for six times up, one a home run, one a triple and he also batted in seven runs for his team mates.

The same teams meet again at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in a doubleheader, the Cowboys going Monday to Amarillo for a three game series.

The box score:

Midland	AB	R	H	P	O	A
Parma 2	4	2	2	2	2	2
Cox ss	5	1	2	2	0	2
Kerr c	5	0	1	9	2	0
Hale 3	4	0	0	1	4	0
Everson m	4	0	0	3	0	0
Naranjo r	4	0	0	0	0	0
Petzold lf	4	0	1	1	1	0
Willoughby 1	4	1	2	0	2	0
Vickers p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Brown p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	4	8	28	11	0

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### R. K. DeFord Heads Town Hall Club for Season of 1939-40

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Definitely pointing toward activities for the coming season, Midland Town Hall has announced the names of officers, directors, and committee chairmen for the 1939-40 season.

Ronald K. DeFord, manager of the Argo Oil Corporation here, will head Town Hall as president in its second season. W. T. Schneider, petroleum engineer of the Honoluli Corporation, has been elected secretary, taking the place vacated by R. T. Dickey who has been transferred from Midland.

Directors of the organization serving for a period of three years are J. P. Butler, Cary P. Butcher, and Mrs. E. H. Ellison.

Directors serving for one year include: R. K. DeFord, W. T. Schneider, Mrs. Alma Thomas, L. C. Thomas, Georges Vorbas, and Fred Wemple.

Chairmen announced for committees are: Membership, Fred Wemple; program, Cary P. Butcher; publicity, Miss Kathleen Eiland.

The New York office of Town Hall has complimented the Midland club on its first-year record. Officials of the group look forward to a successful year for the coming season, with increased membership and an attractive program of lecturers.

### Forsan Man Medalist In Big Spring Play

BIG SPRING, July 29. — Guy Rainey of Forsan, brother of Dr. Homer Rainey, Texas University president, won medalist honors in the Municipal invitational golf tournament here Friday, with a score of 72.

The long driving medalist was three strokes under Doug Jones and Jake Monger, other favorites.

Entrants from Midland included Frank Stacey, Harry Sindorf, W. P. Thurman, Bob Smith.

### DOUBLE PROTECTION

NEW YORK—Bill Klem, dean of major league umpires, still holds a steel worker's union card.

### Schools—

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perience, and has won in county and district meets with rhythm band, one at plays, and other extra curricular contests. Handsome and progressive, she is rated as "excellent" in all parts as a teacher. Miss Lowe has been elected to teach third grade in north elementary school, the place made vacant by the marriage and resignation of Miss Leta Legg.

Miss Vera Sadler.

Miss Vera Sadler has the B.S. degree from Sam Houston Teachers' College at Huntsville, and two summers of graduate work at Baylor University. She has had 14 years of successful experience as a teacher, the last ten in the public schools of Belton, Texas, where she rated as the best all-round teacher in the system. A very superior teacher, she will doubtless be assigned to teach the third grade in north elementary school.

Primary Principal.

Mrs. Georgia Moreland was elected as principal of South Elementary school, the place made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. I. N. Bounds, who resigned to accept a position in the Alpine Teachers' College. Mrs. Moreland is a graduate of one of our Teachers' Colleges, has about twelve semester hours of graduate work at the University of Texas, and the University of Boulder, and was rated as one of the strongest teachers in the Midland schools last year. She has had ten or twelve years of successful experience.

Miss Bette Krauss.

Miss Bette Krauss has the B.A. degree from Texas Technological College, graduating from that institution in May. She will be assigned to the Mexican school to fill the place made vacant by the marriage and resignation of Miss Louise McLean.

### Eleven Young Mules Are Sold by Bizzell

T. E. Bizzell sold eleven yearling mules, raised on his farm south of Midland, Friday afternoon. The buyer was Jack Nichols, Big Spring horse and mule dealer, who paid \$75 per head for the yearlings. Delivery was made late Friday.

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Cocktails  
Fresh shrimp or tomato juice  
Soup  
Cream of chicken royale  
Salad  
Lettuce and tomato salad with Russian dressing

Choice of:  
Fried half spring chicken Dixie style  
Baked sugar cured hame Yorkshire sauce  
Roast leg of spring lamb with currant jelly  
Broiled filet mignon steak with mushroom sauce  
Pounded baby beef round steak with fried onion rings  
Fricassee of young chicken with rice supreme  
Breaded veal cutlets with sauce alfredo  
Fresh chicken livers saute in casserole  
Calfs sweet breads saute ala Turque  
Broiled individual speckled trout parsley butter

Vegetables  
Baked Idaho potatoes or Candied sweet potatoes  
New blackeyed peas New corn on cob

Desserts  
Fresh peach pie with whipped cream Cake ala mode  
Chocolate sundae Cup custard  
Vanilla ice cream Fruit jello  
Orange sherbet Ice cold watermelon

Coffee Hot Biscuits Tea Milk

SAM JONES, Food Supervisor

Scharbauer Hotel Coffee Shop

### Dealership—

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age that firm. He formerly lived at Midland and is well known to the automobile dealer here.

Midland Motors Inc. will continue doing business at the same location, at Main and Texas streets, King stated. No changes in the personnel of employees are contemplated and he stated that customers of the Ford dealership may expect a continuation of courteous service by the institution.

### Showers—

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by Floyd Whatley Saturday afternoon.

VARIOUS PARTS OF STATE GET MOISTURE

By Associated Press

Scattered heavy rain with considerable wind and lightning fell in north, east and northwest Texas Friday night and Saturday. The Dallas weather bureau predicted additional thundershowers for parts of West Texas.

Heaviest precipitation reported was 3.52 inches at Trinidad. Several hundred telephones were interrupted because of heavy wind and hampered.

### Church of Christ Meeting Continues

This evening at 8:30 o'clock the revival meeting of the Church of Christ conducted at South Main and Kentucky streets will enter the second week.

C. C. Morgan of Odessa has for the past week discussed "The New Testament Church." This evening he will speak on "The New Birth," and Monday evening on "Bible Conversions." The meeting has been well attended thus far, and larger crowds are expected this week. The closing service will be August 6.

### Suicide Pronounced In Death of Doctor

NACOGDOCHES, July 29 (AP)—Justice of the Peace S. A. Bussa of Garrison said in an official verdict late today that Dr. Fred Tucker, 39, prominent citizen, shot himself to death. He was found dead in a hotel at Garrison shortly after noon. Survivors are his widow and son, Fred Jr., 6. He was born at San Angelo.

### Four Killed in Auto Accident Near Longview

LONGVIEW, July 29. (AP). — Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Schonfeld of Breckenridge were killed and their four children injured, two critically, in an automobile accident near here today. Jack Schonfeld, 11, was reported to be near death.

Two negroes also were killed. Reports said the Schonfeld sedan was in a collision with an automobile carrying several negroes.

The Lincoln Highway is more than 3300 miles long.

### Statistics Indicate Great Need of Birth Control

Following two meetings recently, sponsors are continuing a campaign for establishment of a birth control clinic in Midland. Mrs. L. B. Lancaster has been named chairman of the organization committee.

Work of the clinic would be purely social service work, it is pointed out, to be carried out on a voluntary basis.

"America is noted today for the perfection and accuracy of its technological civilization," says a committee of the Birth Control Federation of America, Inc.

Yet—

One out of every 33 new-born infants is dead within a month from birth, largely due to the mother's ill health.

One out of every seven of our people is subsisting on relief.

One out of every 251 persons is in an institution suffering from some type of mental illness.

Such conditions as these, advocates of the clinic believe, make the need for controlling the birth of unwanted babies or those in homes where their health, education, or maintenance may be neglected an imperative one. Dissemination of birth control knowledge, it is believed, will lead to better health, better morale, and increased happiness, particularly among families of low income or those on relief.

On Friday of this week, Mrs. Scott Snodgrass and Mrs. Lewis Gaymer of San Angelo will be in Midland. They will report on the success of the San Angelo birth control clinic.

### Short Time Left for School Transfers

Parents who wish to transfer their children of scholastic age from one school district to another within the county or out of the county are reminded that they must call at the office of County Judge Elliott H. Barron between now and August 1 to sign application for the transfer.

August 1 is the last date for such transaction and all those interested are urged to visit Judge Barron's office at once as only two more days remain in which transfers may be made.

### Two Killed as Auto Plunges Into Arroyo

GALLUP, N. M., July 29. (AP). — Charles Mitchell, 23, of Globe, Ariz., and a girl hitch hiker, identified by state police as Doris Reed, 19, address unknown, were killed when the automobile in which they were riding with three others plunged into a thirty-foot arroyo west of here last night. Two other men and a girl were seriously injured.

### Downtown Detour Taken From Everybodys Front

One of the principal downtown "detours" for pedestrian traffic was removed late in the week and citizens again had use of the sidewalk in front of Everybody's Store where extensive improvements to the front and interior have been under way.

The modern black structural glass and stucco front has been completed, with the exception of finishing touches, and the Main street entrance was in use Saturday. Interior work still is under way.

For several weeks, a frame "chute" has detoured pedestrians past the front of the store, one still being in use at the east and south sides of the Llano Hotel, being completely removed.

### Carters Return From Western Trip

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Carter and family returned Friday from a month's vacation trip in the West. They visited the San Francisco Exposition, spent a week in Los Angeles where they "went on location" with RKO film corporation, spent a week in Denver, visited Salt Lake City where they enjoyed the famous organ program of the Mormon tabernacle, and saw Reno.

### All-Star Bowlers Beat Big Spring Quintet 183 Pins

Midland's All-Star bowling team beat a Big Spring picked aggregation by 183 pins, in a tournament here Thursday night at Plamor alleys. Andy Divine, crack Midland player, chalked up a 277 to set the high score for one game. His total for the three games was 653 and the Midland team's score was 2733, as compared to 2550 for Big Spring. The tabulation follows:

Midland:				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Edwards	124	146	118	388
Liddell	169	164	166	499
Divine	187	277	198	663
Shores	159	210	202	571
Waldron	193	222	207	622
	832	1019	822	2733
Big Spring:				
Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Douglass	179	157	206	542
Kountz	194	182	141	517
Lacy	182	170	147	499
Honz	131	184	126	441
Loper	201	181	159	551
	887	874	789	2550

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