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WEST TEXAS: Partly cloudy tonight, Thursday; showers in southeast.

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Held in Shooting



Audrey Thompson, above, 15-year-old farm girl, is held at Ashland, Miss., for shooting of her great-uncle, 55-year-old Boss Thompson, at backwoods home near Hickory Flat, Miss. Girl's mother, Mrs. Emma Thompson, says daughter defended her against uncle in argument brought about by Boss's refusal to do any more shopping in town for women.

FDR Scores GOP, Aides On Record

Declares Welfare Of Country Was Gambled With

HYDE PARK, N. Y., Aug. 9 (AP)—President Roosevelt asserted Tuesday that a coalition of congressional Republicans and Democrats had gambled with the welfare of 150,000,000 people in rejecting his neutrality program and with the livelihood of 20,000,000 Americans in scuttling the lending and housing measures.

At his first press conference since the congressional session ended, the President said a solid Republican minority and 20 to 25 per cent of the Democrats in Congress had:

- Made a large wager with the nation, on neutrality, that there would be no war until sufficiently long after they returned to Washington in January for them to take care of things, and
- Wagered that private industry and business would take up the slack occasioned by dropping a million WPA workers this year and by closing out next spring a PWA program which had been providing 2,000,000 jobs.

It was a combination of Republicans and rebellious Democrats which forced administration leaders to postpone until next session efforts to obtain Senate action on neutrality and, in the House, prevented consideration of the lending and housing measures.

If this coalition loses its neutrality wager, Mr. Roosevelt declared, it may affect a billion and a half human beings. That, he added, is pretty important.

If these legislators were wrong, he continued, they have tied his hands and he has practically no power to make an American effort to prevent any war outbreak. He said that was a pretty serious responsibility.

The President recalled his intervention in the European crisis of September, 1938, when he appealed for peaceful settlement of the Sudeten problem, and April, 1938, when he asked Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini to give non-aggression guarantees to 31 countries for a minimum of 10 years.

If the legislature gambled on the wrong side and the situation should again become as serious as on those occasions, he said, it should be obvious that they were responsible.

The billion and a half people he mentioned apparently comprise most of the civilized population of the world.

As for the lending and the housing programs, he said, WPA rolls would be cut from 3,000,000 to 2,000,000 by next spring and the PWA program, giving employment to another 2,000,000 individuals, will have ended. With dependents, he said, the individuals involved total 20,000,000.

If business does not take up the slack, he said, the country must place the responsibility for their condition on the congressional coalition.

Congress Adjourns



It's back to the old swimming hole, or the equivalent, for congressional Speaker of the House Bankhead and the laughing page boys who gathered around him a few seconds after he had announced adjournment of the House for this session.

Johnson and Connor Lead In Mississippi

Former Congressman, Backed by Bilbo, First in Election

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 9 (AP)—Selection of Mississippi's next governor—who may have something to say about President Roosevelt's third term chances—today lay between Paul Johnson and Martin Connor.

Former congressman Johnson forged ahead of former governor Connor in yesterday's democratic primary but both were far in front of a field of seven candidates. The pair must meet in a run-off primary August 25.

Senator Bilbo, advocate of a third term for Roosevelt, gave his support to Johnson.

Incomplete returns gave Johnson a lead of about 3,000 over Connor.

Bilbo has indicated he would campaign for Johnson before the run-off election.

Kaifeng: New Hot Spot



Japanese troops and tanks leave little doubt about who's in control in Kaifeng, China, seat of extensive American missionary and business activities. And despite Japanese denial of anti-American movement in north China, agitation in Kaifeng has forced many U. S. citizens to flee the Honan province capital.

Japan Split Over Policy Threatened

Internal Struggle Over Joining With Dictators Reported

SHANGHAI, Aug. 9 (AP)—A bitter internal struggle in Japan over whether the empire shall conclude an outright alliance with Germany and Italy which may cause the fall of the Japanese cabinet was described today by an informed traveler from Tokyo.

The informant, in close touch with the government and diplomatic quarters to Tokyo, said the situation there was extremely tense. Rumors are current that extreme nationalists had threatened the lives of cabinet members, including Premier Hirota, who is believed to be opposing the alliance.

Its proponents were described as "young army officers" who demand an outright alliance with the totalitarian powers.

Immediate Fight to Lower Freight Rates Asked by Committee

FORT WORTH, Aug. 9. — The Freight Rate Equality Federation, by action of its directors meeting Tuesday in Fort Worth, urged the State to install swift and positive steps toward equating the Texas freight rate level, on both class and commodity rates, with levels of other and more favored regions of the United States.

The FREF board specifically asked Attorney General Mann to use a \$30,000 appropriation passed to him by the Forty-sixth Legislature "to immediately organize a board and staff agency for the purpose of studying and reporting upon the differentials imposed upon our Texas rates as compared with other regions, particularly the official zone; and that the results of these studies be used to prepare immediately a formal complaint to be filed by the State of Texas with the Interstate Commerce Commission and in the institution of immediate proceedings before the ICC."

To this end the Freight Rate Equality Federation Tuesday offered its own services, without cost, to the Attorney General "in organizing and prosecuting this case as well as submitting evidence in the general rate investigation ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission."

The ICC order issued last Tuesday, was for the institution of a nationwide study for the freight rate structure, during which, said the ICC, efforts now being made by shippers' organizations and others for rate equalization should continue. That will be done in Texas, the FREF board said.

Starting of New Tests Keeps Denver East Side at Fore of Oil Activity

BY FRANK GARDNER

Staking of a group of new tests on the east side of the Denver pool in southern Yoakum today served to keep it among the most active areas in West Texas.

Cellar and pits have been dug for Basin States Oil Company No. 3 W. H. Hague, 440 feet out of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 802, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, Basin States No. 2 Hague is drilling below 3,095 feet in anhydrite.

Tide Water Associated Oil Company has derrick erected for section 4-B R. M. Kendrick 440 feet out of the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 825, block D, Oil Development Company of Texas has dug cellar and pits for No. 4-803 feet, 440 feet out of the northeast corner of section 803. The company's No. 2-803 is drilling past 4,242 in anhydrite and lime.

Alco Oil Company No. 1 Carter Denver "link well" between the Denver and Bennett pools, is swabbing through 2-inch tubing set at 5,169 feet. It was drilled in with oil to total depth of 5,175 feet. Honolulu Oil Corporation No. 1-804 Wilder is drilling below 1,440 in red rock. Oil Development No. 1-801 fee had drilled to 4,242 feet in anhydrite and lime.

Alco No. 1 T. D. Hovencamp, east-side Denver well, rated daily potential of 1,540 barrels of 33.4-gravity oil, flowing through 2-inch tubing set at 5,123, with gas-oil ratio of 921-1. Pay between 4,500 and 5,146 feet, the total depth in lime, was acidized with a total of 6,500 gallons. A quarter-mile due south, the company's No. 2 Hovencamp is drilling at 2,163 in red rock. Depth of 280 feet in red rock has been reached by Honolulu-Cascade No. 5-741 Willard, 440 feet out of the northeast corner of section 741. It is in the southwest extension of the Bennett pool. J. E. Mabey Company No. 3 Willard is standing bottomed at 4,928 feet in lime after cementing 5 1/2-inch casing at 4,837 with 300 sacks. Mabey No. 9 Willard had reached 4,330 in anhydrite and lime.

Duggan Pair Staked

Devonian Oil Company today announced two new tests in the Duggan pool of southeastern Cochran. No. 2-C-8 T. B. Duggan et al is 580 feet from the north and west lines of labor 8, league 54, Oldham company school land. Rotary is being moved in. Devonian No. 3-B-19 Duggan, for which cellar and pits have been completed, is 580 feet out of the northwest corner of labor 19, league 55, Oldham company school land.

In the pool, Devonian No. 5-A-10 Duggan is testing at 5,022 feet in lime after re-acidizing with 5,000 gallons in second stage. It had swabbed four barrels of oil an hour through casing on 24-hour natural production test and responded to initial 2,000-gallon acid job by swabbing and flowing 10 barrels an hour for three hours.

Humble Oil and Refining Company No. 1 J. Westheimer et al, new scheduled 9,500-foot wildcat in northwestern Cochran has spudded and is drilling 34 feet in caliche. Honolulu No. 1-10 Mallett Land

Jury Selected to Hear Sanity Trial of Scarborough

KERMIT, Aug. 9 (Special)—Three oil men, two service station operators and an insurance man were selected here this morning to decide on the sanity of Hollis Scarborough, charged with the murder of his father, wealthy W. F. Scarborough of Midland, near here June 19.

The sanity hearing, before county judge G. E. Gilliam, is combined with a hearing on Mrs. Hollis Scarborough's application for appointment as guardian for her husband.

Slate Senator Jesse E. Martin of Fort Worth, senior member of the law firm of Martin, Moore and Brewster, attorneys for Mrs. Scarborough, said three and possibly four alienists would be brought to the stand in their effort to prove Scarborough insane.

Reversing the usual procedure, the state, through County Attorney H. L. Roberson, will attempt to prove Scarborough sane. Testimony was to begin this afternoon, after a morning spent in questioning veniremen. Mrs. Scarborough is among witnesses called.

Although Scarborough may be found insane by the county court jury, the result of this case will have no legal bearing on the indictment for murder which is set for trial in district court in November. Martin said the action was brought after alienists advised immediate treatment for Scarborough.

Boy Believed Dead For Six Years Located by Dad

BARSTOW, Aug. 9 (AP)—On April 5, 1933, Billy Leeman, a newspaper man, received a telegram at Breckenridge, Texas, stating that his son Roland had been killed in a football game at El Paso.

Stunned, Leeman started traveling, finally settling in this West Texas city.

For six years he mourned the loss of his only son.

A few days ago, a strapping 19-year-old youth walked up to him, grabbed Leeman around the neck and said, "Don't you know me, Dad?"

It was Roland Leeman of Florence, Ariz. The boy had been unable to find his father in a six-year, 4,000-mile search until he reached Peecos, six miles from Barstow, where he was told of his father's residence here.

The elder Leeman does not know who sent the telegram, which was signed merely "A Friend." Leeman said gossip about Breckenridge was that a woman had read the same information in an El Paso paper, and he never occurred to him the message was erroneous.

Japs Seize Priests at Chinese School



Seeking names of students intending to go to southern China, operations of Japanese-dominated provisional Chinese government seized Father Henry Kroes, left, registrar, and Father John Fu Kai Peng, right, Chinese professor of philosophy at American Catholic University, Peiping, China. Father Kroes was later released. Rev. Father Rudolph Rahmann, center, was roughly handled when he attempted to aid fellow instructors.

Jail Break Foiled By Woman After 1 Prisoner Is Shot

PRYOR, Okla., Aug. 9 (AP)—Mrs. Claud McCracken, wife of the Mayes county jailer, shot one of three prisoners who attempted to escape last night after attacking her husband.

Jake Cook, 24, was shot through the leg. Willie Murphy, 26, surrendered after Mrs. McCracken fired over his head as he ran from the court house.

George Casey, 22, was recaptured a few minutes later by Shelby Wilson, city fireman, and an automobile salesman, Gus Tony, who were attracted by the shooting.

McCracken said he was taking the three men from the jail "run around" to their cells on the third floor of the court house when Casey pressed a large knife against his stomach and the other two men bound his hands with neckties.

He said the trio took his keys and dashed downstairs to the jail office where their flight was halted by a large steel door.

They then took McCracken down to the door, and holding a knife at her throat, called Mrs. McCracken from her living quarters and ordered her to unlock the door.

Mrs. McCracken opened the door and then ran into the jailer's quarters to telephone for aid. She picked up a pistol and while making the call Cook came into the room. She shot him and pursued the other two men to the front of the court house.

Scharbauer, Duffey and Green Take Over Midland Baseball Club

Announcement was made today that the Midland baseball club, including all players, equipment, etc., had been placed under the control of Clarence Scharbauer, J. L. Greene, and C. C. Duffey, all of Midland.

Both Duffey and Greene are independent oil operators. Scharbauer is the owner of the Hotel Scharbauer and extensive ranching properties here.

Duffey will serve as head of the club with the other two serving as directors with him. Duffey, in a statement this morning, said the club would continue under the management of Sammy Hale and that any changes that would be made in an effort to strengthen the team would come at the recommendation of the manager. Purchase of Kirby Jordan, an outfielder formerly with Abilene and Borger, and the release of outfielder Joe Phillips was announced.

The Midland club had been operating under financial difficulties for most of the year and directors of the club voted to turn it over to the three men rather than see the franchise fold up and be moved to another town. A bid for the team had been made by Odessa fans who had guaranteed the league president of finishing the season.

In taking over control of the club the new officials took over obligations of the club, receiving in return all rights to players and materials.

In his statement today, Duffey assured fans the club would not only finish the season but that efforts would be made during the winter months to purchase or trade for players that would give the town a pennant contender from the start of next season. He plans on attending the minor league meeting in Cincinnati in December, at which time he will probably make several deals relative to next year's club. A strict advocate of a home-owned team, the new club president has declared no tie-up with a club of higher classification whereby they would own all players would be effected. However, there is a possibility of effecting a working agreement with some club whereby players could be secured when needed.

Members of the board of directors that have served at the head of the club since the season started today expressed thanks to the citizens of Midland for the cooperation and help given them throughout the year and declared the change was made in the firm belief that such action would be a distinct boost for baseball here.

Burford Launches Fight to Remain In State of Texas

DALLAS, Aug. 9 (AP). — Freeman Burford, Dallas oil operator indicted in the Louisiana hot oil investigation, launched a fight today to block his removal to New Orleans.

Burford was granted a habeas corpus order temporarily staying his removal from Texas at Mineral Wells last night by federal judge Davidson.

The order instructed a United States marshal to hold Burford in custody until a hearing on his application next Monday before federal judge Atwell.

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The young mother attributed her baby's malformation to her own contemplation while bed ridden of a picture showing Jesus Christ with his heart exposed.

Former Premier of China Tells of Jap Offering of Peace

HONG KONG, Aug. 9 (AP). — A sweeping peace appeal ostensibly approved by Japanese command and including a promise of eventual withdrawal of Japanese troops on certain conditions was broadcast tonight by Wang Ching-Wei, ex-premier of China now acting in concert with Japanese leaders.

Wang asserted if Chinese leaders would "declare publicly for peace and oppose communism," an immediate armistice could be arranged by the Chinese government.

Season Tickets to Home Football Games On Sale Thursday

Season tickets to all home games of the Midland high school football team will go on sale in the morning at 8:30 o'clock at the chamber of commerce office, it was announced today.

The tickets will be sold for \$3.75 each and will entitle the bearer to five games. Regular admission price will be 75 cents at all the games. No reduction is being made on the season tickets, since seats will be reserved throughout the season.

The tickets will be sold each morning between 8:30 and twelve o'clock. No reservations will be accepted by telephone.

All the seats are located on the west side of the field in section E (section C of last year) and are located between the 35-yard lines. There are 273 seats in the section. Should there be a demand for additional reserved seats, another section will be sold prior to the start of the season.

Shows Continue To Fall in County

Spotted showers continued to fall over Midland and West Texas today, one-fifth of an inch being gauged in the city limits since noon yesterday. Participation falling the past 24 hours brought the total for two days here to eight-tenths of an inch.

Showers were reported to the southeast and northwest of Midland this morning. According to the official weather forecast, additional thundershowers are due in this area tonight and tomorrow.

Two Aviators Lose Lives When Planes Collide in Mid-Air

ROUND LAKE, N. Y., Aug. 9 (AP). — Two army aviators were killed near here today in a spectacular collision 2,000 feet in the air.

The victims were identified as Second Lieutenant Morris Thomas, Hempstead, Long Island, and Private Anthony Gerrity, Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Lieutenant W. M. Prince landed his disabled plane ten miles from the scene of the accident.

Midland Day to Be Held at Casa Manana

Midland Day at Fort Worth's Casa Manana will be observed next Wednesday, August 16, at which time it is hoped that a large delegation of Midland citizens will be on hand to represent the city and to publicize the Midland Rodeo, September 2-3-4. Featured entertainer at Casa Manana next week will be Martha Raye of screen fame. Midland persons attending the show also will be quite interested in seeing Miss Wanda Ticknor, Texas Sweetheart No. 1, who formerly lived here.

Persons planning to attend Casa Manana on Midland Day are requested to call the chamber of commerce, telephone number 39, as soon as possible so that reservations may be made for the Midland group.

Operation Declared Impossible on Baby With Heart Outside

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Stanton Cowgirl Sponsor to Rodeo Is Selected Today

Third cowgirl sponsor named to compete in to Cowgirl Sponsors Contest at the annual Midland Rodeo, September 2-3-4, is Miss Mary Kathryn Barfield who will represent Stanton and Martin county. The appointment was today received by the Midland Chamber of Commerce from Mrs. Cora Matlock Kelly, associate editor of the Stanton Reporter.

Miss Barfield is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barfield, owners of extensive ranch and farm property in Martin county. She is 16 years of age and is a senior in Stanton high school. The Stanton sponsor has been reared in the saddle and is considered an excellent horsewoman. She will ride her favorite mount in the contest, according to Mrs. Kelly.

TO KERRVILLE

Mrs. Susie Graves Noble and Miss Elma Graves left this morning for Kerrville. They will bring home Elma Jean Noble who is in Camp Mystic.

VISIT CONNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Sherrod Conner and daughter of Corsicana are guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Conner here. They arrived Monday.

CALLED TO AMARILLO

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bohannon left Monday for Amarillo, called to the bedside of his mother who was seriously ill and not expected to live through Sunday night.

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the attention of the firm.

Youth vs. Age

It is well known that the proportion of older people in the population is constantly growing larger.

As a result, political power is gravitating toward older people by sheer weight of numbers. Aubrey Williams, national youth administrator, believes this change in balance is so great that youth must organize to protect itself against the "terrific organization pressure being developed by the aged."

All efforts to develop and emphasize class cleavages are bad, the goal being to eliminate class stratification. But to emphasize a youth-age rivalry is worse than most such class cleavages.

Williams favors the Reeves plan for a constitutional amendment to reduce voting age to 18 instead of the present 21.

There may be merit in this, simply on the ground that 18-year-olds are better qualified to vote than they used to be. But it is on that ground that the proposal should be considered, not on the ground of a potential tug-of-war between youth and aged groups, with the mass of the public in the middle.

Get More by Taking Less

Ohio has been having an interesting experience in the collection of sales taxes. When the sales tax law was first passed, it was widely evaded. The reason: sales tax stamps were supposed to be issued with each purchase. But most people either did not ask for them, or promptly threw them away. Some dealers promptly picked them up, and simply issued them again.

Then a regulation was issued that such stamps when issued must be partly torn in order to make them unusable another time. But still many purchasers failed to ask for them, thus making it possible for dishonest dealers to get by with fewer stamp purchases than they should.

Then the state found a new way: consumers turning sales tax stamps back to the state are refunded 3 per cent of their face amount. Churches, hospitals, and other charitable organizations began asking people to save the stamps for them; hence customers began asking for the stamps for them even if they didn't want them themselves. And tax collections jumped \$3,000,000 between January and June, 1939, largely as a result.

Canadian Conference

Aviation authorities of the United States and Canada are in conference again, this time nominally to decide matters relating to regular air routes between the two countries. But it is likely that matters of common air defense will also be discussed. They can scarcely fail to be discussed when aviation authorities of the two countries meet, for the problem is obviously a joint one.

Especially on the west coast, because of the Alaskan outpost, it is inconceivable that an attack on either country could fail to be of equal concern to the other. For in these days of air war, an enemy air base established in either country is a direct threat to the other.

Thus new permanent air bases with military possibilities to be established by either country will undoubtedly be located with a view to the common defense of both. When two countries like the United States and Canada, neither fear nor distrust each other, they can work together with a mutual confidence unknown to Europe.

"Dog days" are here again—the only concrete evidence we've ever known to prove that every dog has his day.

WELFARE WORKER

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

- Social worker who specialized in children's work.
- Hub.
- Viol instrument.
- Not armed.
- Obscure.
- Electrified particle.
- Behold.
- To rub.
- Hair ornament.
- Crafted.
- Impetuous.
- Food mollusk.
- Low of a cow.
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VERTICAL

- Antelope.
- Hied.
- Green.
- Measure.
- To drag along.
- Rotite bird.
- She was — of the U. S. Children's Bureau for 13 years.
- She also did work with
- Small wild oxen.
- Passive.
- Relieves.
- Gongs.
- Gazelle.
- Heathen god.
- Fairy.
- She worked to reduce mortality.
- Pertaining to the gull family.
- Purposed.
- Horse fennel.
- Scoria.
- Pastry.
- Drone bee.
- Tree.
- Rumanian coins.
- Three.
- Vigor.
- Wine cup.
- Convent worker.
- Form of "be."

"BIGGER AND BETTER" BILL HELIS

Last of three stories an fabulous Bill Helis, oil king.

BY MASON DIXON,
NEA Service Special Correspondent.
NEW ORLEANS, La. — Bill Helis doesn't do things by halves, and his



Virginia: one of three daughters of Bill Helis.



Oil king's American castle: Greek insignia hangs over doorway of Helis mansion on fashionable Audubon Boulevard, New Orleans.

Flonacher mansion on Audubon boulevard in New Orleans — then spent many thousands of dollars improving it. He made a special trip to Rockford, Ill., to have his furniture made to order. The living room suite alone cost him \$1600. And his friends estimate he spent \$125,000 in furnishing the house. His boat, moored at the South-

John R. Brinkley, the Kansas goat-gland man and politician who now lives in Mexico. Despite the craft's beauty and performance record, however, Bill isn't satisfied with it. A London firm is now building a bigger and better boat at Bill's request. It's to be the kind of a yacht in which a fellow can cruise to the South Sea Islands or sail casually from San Francisco to Hong Kong.

FISH, CARDS, SCOTCH AND SODA.

HELIS' favorite amusements are simple. He does some salt water fishing. He plays cards. He likes to set around a table drinking Scotch and soda with a group of friends. He's a great wrestling fan. This dates from his friendship with Jim London, the Greek who was grappling champion of the world. Bill isn't a confirmed gambler, but he likes to bet on sports events. He won a small fortune on Max Schmeling the first time Max fought Joe Louis. When Louis got a return bout, Helis had some big deals on in New Orleans and couldn't get away to see the fight. But he believed that Max would knock out Joe again. He rented a suite at a New Orleans hotel, installed a new \$500 radio, and invited a group of friends to "sit around and listen while Max knocks Joe's head off."

He had just lowered himself into a big leather lounge chair when the radio blared the news of the first knockout. Disgusted, he started toward the radio to twiddle the dial. Then came the knockout. "That's the first time I ever lost \$25,400 in four steps," he told his guests.

PRIVATE CHARITY.

HELIS has a private idea of Christmas charity. Each November he hires three or four agents to do some quiet checking on the really needy. On Christmas Eve he hires a warehouse from which he dispatches trucks, each loaded with food enough to supply an average family for a month. Whole sides of bacon, whole hams, sacks of flour, rice,

beans, potatoes—all sorts of groceries fill the hampers. — On each is an envelope with a name and address. In each envelope is a \$20 bank note. And Bill's greatest pleasure is to ride one of those trucks, trip after trip. But those who get the gifts never know from whom they come. The task over, he returns to the Roosevelt Hotel where he makes his downtown headquarters. Each bell-boy draws \$10, each waiter \$5, each telephone girl \$5 — and so on down the line.

Last year his son heard about a Christmas party that the Roosevelt Hotel management was putting on for some poor children at the municipal auditorium.

"I'd like to give those kids some toys," he told Seymour Weiss, president of the hotel, who was recently named with Dr. James Monroe Smith in the Louisiana State University scandal.

"But there'll be about 500 of those kids," said Weiss.

"What's that got to do with it?" asked William George Helis, Jr.

He drove to a wholesale toy establishment and placed a \$5000 order. Weiss was worried, for the boy didn't have that kind of money normally. So older Bill was told about it apologetically.

The father's chest swelled with pride.

"Now, isn't that the kind of a son to have?" he said delightedly. "Are you sure he got enough toys?" That same Christmas Eve Helis was leaning against the hotel bar, having a drink with a friend.

"Got to get home," he said. "Got to wrap up a Christmas present for my wife."

"What did you give her this year, Bill?" his friend asked.

Bill reached into his coat pocket and pulled out a worn, stained envelope. He fished out a platinum bracelet, set with square-cut diamonds. It was nearly two inches wide. It was worth between \$50,000 and \$75,000.

"I didn't like the box it came in," he remarked. "Going to wrap it up myself."

He still has the husky build of his days as a roughneck on an oil rig. But there's a slight bulge at the waistline now.

He stands 5 feet 11 inches, and weighs a little more than 170 pounds. His taste in clothes is quiet but costly. His business suits are made by the best tailor in the south, and cost from \$140 to \$150 each.

He has a big collection of costly walking sticks. But Bill Helis, when he carries a cane at all, totos one that a friend gave him. It cost exactly \$2.35.

Time Exactly Ignored By Traveling Rooster

MONTREAL (U.P.)—A rooster which refused to change its rising schedule because the sun in Canada rose five hours later than in its native England arrived here on the last trip of the liner Ascania.

The bird was one of a collection of rare fowls which C. G. May, British delegate, is taking to the World's Poultry Congress at Cleveland.

May said the rooster crowed every night at the hour to which it was accustomed in England and made no allowances for sunrise or the various time zones encountered on the crossing.

The Town Quack

there's not a person in Midland who would take Midland for less than 80 points.

I'm pressed for time this morning so I will finish out this column with some jokes I have clipped:

A father's son, just home from school, took great pride in using college slang, and at the breakfast table called out: "Mother chase the cow down this way!"

Mother, equal to the occasion, said to papa, "Give the poor calf some milk. He's bawling for it."

Two business men were riding the subway, sitting side by side, saying nothing but looking very worried. After many minutes one of them heaved a long and deep sigh. The other looked at him for a moment and said, "You're telling me!"

Teacher: "George, define the word puncture."
George: "A puncture is a little hole in a tire usually found a great distance from a garage."

GETTING IN PRACTICE.
The newlyweds had just gotten off the train.
"John, dear," said the bride, "let us try to make the people think we have been married a long time."
"All right, honey," was the answer, "you carry the suitcases."

OLD TIMER.
"What model is your car?"
"This car ain't no model—it's a horrible example."

"Your political antagonist is calling you every name he can think of," said the agitated friend.
"Don't interrupt him," answered Senator Sorghum. "It's better to have a man searching the dictionary for epithets than going after your record for facts."

Urge Registration Of Children Births

AUSTIN.—Parents of children starting school for the first time this fall are urged by the state department of health to make sure that they have a birth registration certification regarding their child and if not, to take proper legal steps as soon as possible to obtain this record.

Parents who do not have registration notification of the birth of their child are advised to contact their local registrar of vital statistics with whom the certificate was originally filed.

In many Texas school districts, a notification of birth certificate is required to prove the child is old enough to enter school. As the vital statistics department will be called upon to answer numerous requests for school certificates, securing this record early will speed up the process of securing the needed forms before school opens.

Acquiring a record of birth is not only an important part of the task of getting the child ready for school but is an essential item in the larger job of preparing the child for the future. The time will come when he will need a record of his birth. Proper registration now will prevent difficulty later on in his life.

In addition to its importance at the time for admission to school, birth registration may be necessary for obtaining a work permit, an automobile driver's permit, the right to vote and the right to marry; for proof of parentage, inheritance of property, settlement of insurance and in establishing identity.

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Cottonseed Prices Are Reported Lower

COLLEGE STATION.—The current low price for cottonseed is caused not by any over-supply of the commodity, but by competition from hog lard and soy beans.

This situation was explained here in the course of a conference between H. G. Womble, president of the South Texas Cottonseed Association, and representatives of the Texas A&M College Extension Service.

Womble said cottonseed oil represented more than half of the value of cottonseed. The large and cheap supply of corn in prospect means a large and cheap supply of hog lard, which in turn means a cheap price for cottonseed oil.

It is estimated that the current year's production of pigs will reach 83,000,000 and that these will render 1,800,000,000 (one billion, 800 million) pounds of lard—the third largest output since 1923. Foreign markets for around 600,000,000 pounds of lard have largely been lost.

Meanwhile soy bean production has greatly increased. Ten years ago the soy bean cake production was 40,000 tons and for the past season, 800,000 tons. Thus soy beans offer competition not only to cottonseed oil, but cottonseed cake.

"It is worth thinking about to note that, because of our freight rate situation, a ton of soy bean meal can be shipped from Decatur, Illinois, to Dallas for \$4 less than a ton of cottonseed cake can be shipped from Dallas to Decatur," Paul G. Haines, extension economist, commented.

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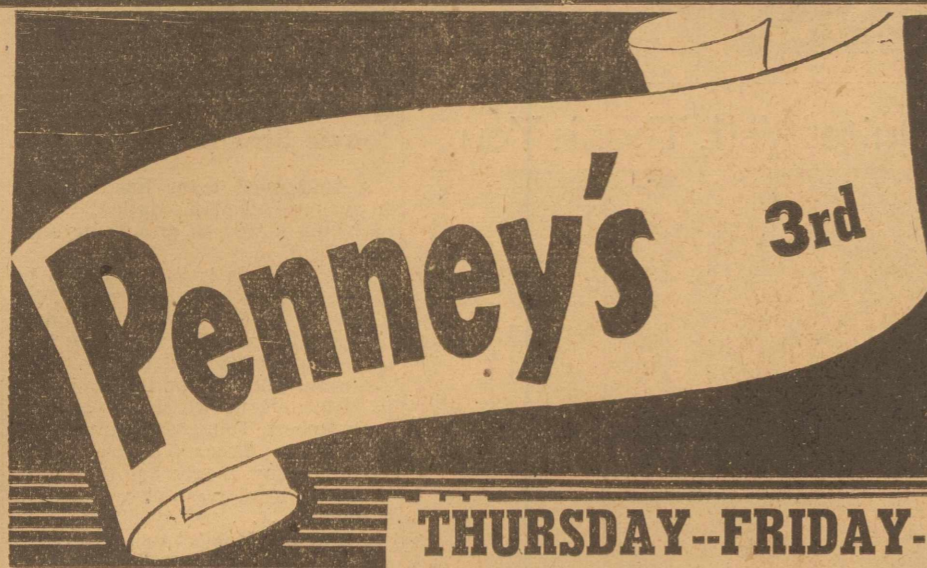
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CHANGE OF CLUB OWNERSHIP MET BY COWBOYS WITH 12-7 VICTORY

Team to Play Next 2 Nights in Lamesa

Given assurance that pay checks would be complete and on time hereafter, the Midland Cowboys went out last night and blasted two Pampa pitchers for 16 hits and an even dozen runs for a 12-7 victory, the second in as many nights over the second place Oilers.

The Cowboys did not gain any ground in their fight to overtake the Berger club for fourth place in the league standings since the Gasers also won but did their own two games back with the victory.

The Cowboys left today for Lamesa where they will be for the next two nights, returning home Friday for six games against Lamesa, Berger and Pampa.

The Cowboys, all worries of releases and salaries over, showed more spirit and hustle last night than at any time in the past two months. Every man on the club except Hank Parma got a hit with Cox, Hale and Naranjo getting three each.

Pitcher Stud Raines gained his first victory for the Cowboys last night after suffering a couple of losses by limiting the hard hitting Oilers to ten safeties.

Two of the Oiler blows were home runs and each came with one man on base but first baseman Willoughby of the Cowboys practically cancelled those blows with one of his own when he parked one over the center field fence with two mates aboard. Willoughby was the only Cowboy to get a home run but Jim Kerr failed to get one simply because Manager Seitz of the Oilers had the ability to leap high in the air and knock one to the ground that was headed to the outside.

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The Cowboys got one of the runs back in the first when Cox got a single on a hard smash to the pitcher, moved up when Malvica threw the ball away at first and scored on a single by Hale.

Two more Oiler runs came in the fourth when Summers got his second single and Bailey followed up with a home run. The Cowboys finally got the range on pitcher Graybeak in the home half of the fourth, getting four runs to go one ahead. Kerr led off the inning with a walk, Hale also walked, Everson forced Hale at second, Naranjo singled to score Kerr and Willoughby came through with his four-ply blow.

The home club continued its attack on Graybeak in the fifth, consecutive doubles by Kerr and Hale finally forcing him from the game. Verregia took over hurling duties for the Oilers and walked Everson, first man to face him. Naranjo then came through with his third hit, a double to send Hale and Everson home. Willoughby grounded out Saporito to Bailey when the former Cowboy made a sensational diving stop of his hot liner. However, Naranjo managed to score on the play when he knocked the ball from

Beavers' hand as he slid in home. The Oilers fought back, getting two runs in the seventh on three hits and another in the eighth on a triple and sacrifice fly but the Cowboys completely sewed up the game in the eighth by scoring three runs on four hits, an error and passed ball. A single by Cox drove in two of the runs and Hale's third hit sent the final run across.

Raines was at his best against the Pampa "power" hitters in the game, letting Nell, Seitz and Malvica have only two bingles. Seitz got them both, a single and homer. Nell failed to get on base in five trips up, striking out twice.

The box score:

PAMPA	A	B	R	H	P	O	A	E
Saporito 2	4	1	1	1	4	0		
Jordan 3	5	1	0	2	0	0		
Seitz m	5	2	2	3	0	0		
Nell r	5	0	2	0	0	0		
Summers r	4	0	0	5	2	1		
Malvica ss	4	0	0	5	2	1		
Bailey 1	4	2	3	10	0	0		
Beavers c	3	0	2	2	1	0		
Graybeak p	2	0	0	3	0	0		
Verregia p	2	0	0	1	0	0		
	39	12	16	27	13	1		

Score by innings:

Pampa	Midland
1	0
2	0
3	0
4	12
5	0
6	0
7	0
8	0
9	0
Total	12

Summary: Home runs — Seitz, Bailey, Willoughby, Triples—Bailey. Two base hits—Kerr, Hale, Naranjo, Summers. Runs batted in—Cox 2, Hale 3, Naranjo 3, Willoughby 4, Seitz 2, Summers 2, Bailey 2, Beavers 1. Sacrificed hits—Parma, Beavers. Double plays—Graybeak to Malvica to Bailey, Saporito to Malvica to Bailey. Struck out—Raines 8, Graybeak 2. Base on balls—off Cox 2, Hale 3, Naranjo 3, Willoughby 1. Pitchers statistics—7 runs 8 hits off Graybeak in 4 1/3. Passed balls—Beavers. Left on base—Midland 6, Pampa 7. Earned runs—Midland 9, Pampa 7. Umpires: Cartwright and Etheridge. Time: 1:40.

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The PAYOFF

BY JESS RODGERS.

Action of Clarence Scharbauer, Jim Greene and Claude Duffey in taking over the Midland baseball franchise is a move that should prove of far-reaching benefit.

First and most important, the move gets rid of the financial troubles that have hampered the club during the past three seasons. Naturally enough, the men will not pour money into the club year after year unless the public supports the team. But once it is a firmly established fact the Midland team is a member of the league as long as the league remains the sport is sure to become increasingly popular here.

The first move of the new owners was to procure Kirby Jordan, an outfielder with Berger earlier in the season, from Texarkana. Whether or not Jordan will help the club remains to be seen but his purchase is a clear indication of what the new officials plan — everything possible to aid the team whenever possible.

The team still has a good opportunity of crashing the playoffs, being only two games from the top. The team has 16 more games at home this season, where they have won most of their games, and only 14 more on the road.

Everyone concerned admits the team will play better ball in the next month than in the one just passed. Some of the players were frankly doubtful of procuring their salaries and as a result were not as concerned over the outcome of some of the games as they will be hereafter.

Duffey, who will act as president of the club, gave the boys a talk yesterday that rang the bell with them all. He said that checks would be ready every two weeks regardless of whether they won or lost. He got his answer last night when the players played with more spirit and go than has been witnessed lately.

The entire club should benefit greatly from the change. Duffey warned all players not to come to him with their troubles, letting them know that Sammy Hale was the sole boss on who is going to play, where and when.

Yes, sir, Midland baseball fans have a lot to be happy about now.

The following article was written by Hal Sayles, sports editor of the Abilene Morning News, and should prove highly interesting to baseball fans here.

Writes Hank Hart in the Big Spring Daily Herald:

"Chartered was many an Abilene baseball fan last week to discover that the Abilene baseball park was to be razed and completely eliminated from the scene.

"Fond hope had long existed within the city that the plant would be taken care of by the city, that plans would be worked out toward a re-entry in the WT-NM league next season.

"For a time it appeared that such would be possible. Conferences of business men were held and a prominent degree of enthusiasm was shown toward a new deal. The help of a Texas league club was offered.

"But the committees at work on the rescue failed to agree on all points and plans collapsed.

"Now there seems little possibility that Abilene will be included in next year's WT-NM league plans. Certainly the town has been given a permanent "black eye" in regard to such ventures."

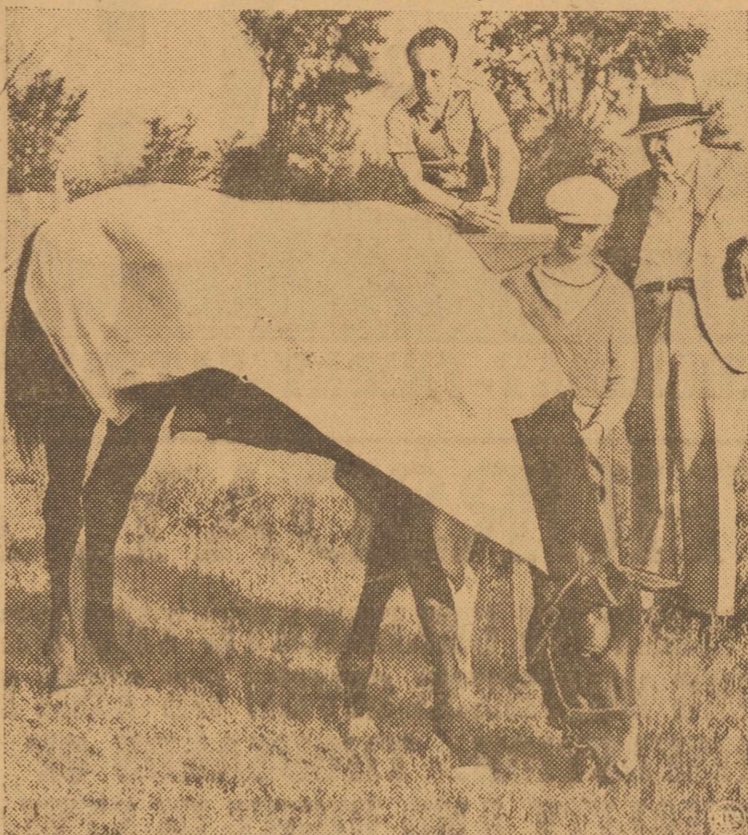
Hank undoubtedly is right about the "black eye" — except as to its permanency.

Razing of the ball park probably looks like "finis" for baseball in Abilene in the eyes of those not completely informed on all the many angles that tangled the situation here this season; it might, just possibly, be a hope instead of a fear for Hank.

On the other hand, razing of the park may be the final preliminary to a real New Deal for baseball in Abilene. With its elimination from the scene the whole matter can be started all over literally from the ground up, and the new start can be made with benefit of experience — and what an experience!

Hart, as well as all other sports

Johnstown Quite Well, Thank You



In this informal picture, Johnstown does not look like a colt which collapsed in the Arlington Classic. Nor do his handlers. . . . Jockey Jimmy Stout, Joe Donelan and Trainer Jim Fitzsimmons, left to right . . . appear worried about the Kentucky Derby and Belmont winner, which makes next start in Travers at Saratoga, Aug. 19.

Kimbrough Ready to Start Football Year With 13 Lettermen

ABILENE.—The fall football season just around the corner, Coach Frank Kimbrough, home from a week's coaching school sessions at San Antonio, announced today workouts for the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy varsity gridder will begin September 5.

Practice for the Ranchers, headed by thirteen letter men, one deep at all positions plus an added pair of veteran tackles, will start coincident with drills in the Southwest Conference.

H-S-U's Cowboys begin this season with an unfinished run of seven wins, compiled to close the 1938 schedule, and have turned in 31 wins, 7 defeats and 2 ties, for a percentage of .315, in four seasons under Coach Kimbrough.

Letter wearers returning in the forward wall are headed by Bulldog Turner, ace center, ranked by many coaches and experts as the peer of any center in the Southwest last season.

Larry Cunningham, recovering from a recent operation; and Wilford Moore, guards; Joe Pee, Travis Green, Dave Reeves and Charles Treadway, tackles; and Edward Marcum and Neal Davis, ends, are monogram men in the line.

Kirk McKinnon, Moon Mullins, Owen Goodnight and W. J. Ford backfield letter men, head the array of back candidates, with Murray Evans, Lloyd Phahie, Sam Oatman, and other sophomores crowding for club can be obtained.

Yes, sir! Abilene may never be in the league again, but if not, somebody is going to have to turn down a bona-fide bid from Abilene. And when the bid is made it will be accompanied by a financial organization set-up that will put baseball here for keeps, as nearly as Class D baseball can be established for keeps.

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2. Exposed his head to the sun or an infra-red ray lamp ten minutes a day.
3. Before retiring each evening, applied a warm towel to his head to open the pores.
4. Then rubbed the yolk of a duck egg very lightly into his scalp.

pected to be in camp for the initial day of practice are Capt. Vineyard, Boyce Nall, Bill Sheffield, Devere Walker, Richard Lee Boyd, Crillon Payne, and Bull Workman, line-men; and I. T. James, Walter Parker, James McDaniels, and Johnnie Riola, backs.

The North Texas eleven this season gives promise of being one of the strongest in many seasons because of the unusually fine material of last fall's freshman squad. In addition this season is the first year that the Denton school has voted to allow freshmen to compete on the varsity squad in their first campaign of competition.

Outstanding yearling stars of last year who are certain to press the veterans for berths on the 1939 eleven are Sutton Orenbaum, Welby Williams, Leland McIntyre, Bryant, and Jack Hogan, backs; and Ray Wideman, Arthur Bronstead, Henry Little, James McWhorter, and Ickie Clay, linemen.

The North Texas 1938 crew broke even in its four conference encounters to finish third in the T. S. C. but the potential strength of this fall's aggregation makes the

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Charley Brock puts steel in muscles by working on pipe-line job in home town, Columbus, Neb. Nebraska's All-America topped centers in nation-wide poll determining members of College All-Stars who tackle New York Giants at Soldiers' Field, Chicago, Aug. 30. He reports to Green Bay this fall.

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Harry lands in Suakim, where he seeks out an old Greek Doctor. He tells the doctor that he must get through to the British lines. This is by no means easy, for the Army of General Kitchener is four miles away across country in the hands of the enemy. They decide to disguise Harry as one of the Sengali, a native tribe who once revolted against the Mahdi. In revenge the Mahdi branded them, cut out their tongues and made them outcasts. Harry voluntarily suffers the torture and horror of the Sengali brand on his forehead to make his disguise authentic. Then, posing as a mute native imbecile, he leaves the doctor's house and starts his trek up the Nile through hostile territory held by fierce Arab tribes . . .

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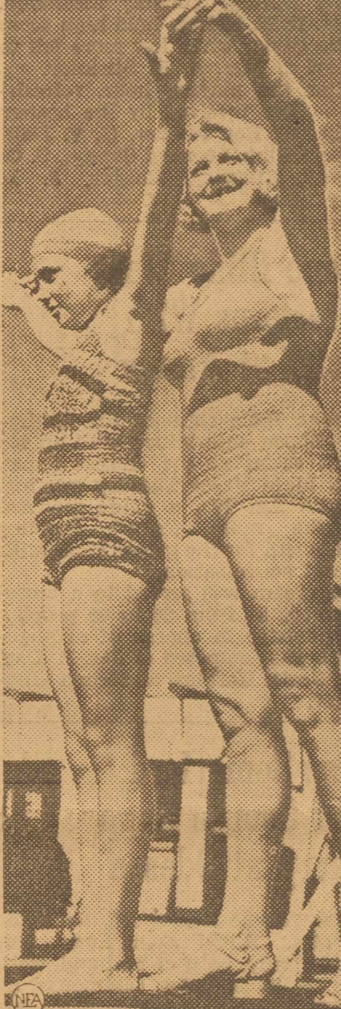
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Rich Fossil Bed Is Discovered in Texas
 AUSTIN.—An unimposing Bee county quarry today loomed as one of the nation's richest fossil beds, as University of Texas-WPA geologists worked overtime to recover the skulls of the fourth, fifth and sixth million-year-old shovel-jawed mastodons to be discovered there in 10 months.
 Recalling that the fossils of three other mastodons already had been removed from the same "dig," amazed university scientists described the quarry as "no less than a burial ground" of the elephant's prehistoric relative.
 Dr. E. H. Sellards, director of the university's bureau of economic geology, said that the newly-discovered skulls measured about ten feet, including tusks, and weighed between 400 and 500 pounds—about the same proportions as the three already removed.
 Dr. Sellards was notified last week that workmen had removed the third skull wrestled from the quarry and were shipping it to San Antonio. When word came in that two more had been discovered, a bureau staff geologist was dispatched to the Bee county site. He returned, reporting that while he was enroute there, a sixth skull had been uncovered.
 "Bones are there to reconstruct some of the animals," Dr. Sellards added, "but it will take time to determine which bone is part of which skeleton."
 That all six skulls were discovered almost in a group substantiated Dr. Sellards' theory that the quarry had been formerly a water hole, flanked by a bog, where the animals had mired and died. Shipment of the fossils to the processing laboratory here should be completed within a month, he said.
 Working close to the banks of the Blanco creek, 12 miles east of Beeville, university and WPA geologists were now at a depth of 22 feet in the quarry, he said.
 The bureau director notified university officials that "an effort must be made to interest the people of Texas in reporting anything they suspect of being a fossil."
 "There is no question that the Bee county dig will prove one of the outstanding fossil beds ever found," he said. "And yet we would never have worked it, had not Frank Dougherty of Houston discovered some of the half-exposed bones while surveying the region and notified us—and had not E. H. Buckner of Houston, owner of the property, permitted excavation."

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Daughter of Dr. Smith Near Death

 Dr. James Monroe Smith, imprisoned ex-president of Louisiana State University, has been moved to Baton Rouge, La., to be near hospital where only daughter, Mrs. Owen Walter Ware, above, is near death from blood poisoning. Recently Mrs. Ware gave birth to son, whom Dr. Smith has never seen.

Mother Is Model

 Ten-year-old Leilah MacRobert is coached by her mother, who as Etheldra Bleibrey was an Olympic champion in 1920 and held every women's world amateur swimming record from 50 yards to five miles. Little Miss MacRobert is a prospect for 1944 Olympic team. This picture was taken at pool of Montauk, L. I., Surf Club.

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES
 By EDGAR MARTIN

 DO I HAVE TWO BACK HANDS? NOT FOR AWHILE, PUG! BOOTS SAID FOR YOU TO STAY TILL WE HEARD FROM HER. GEE—THEY THINK SO MUCH OF EACH OTHER—AND IT MIGHT BE THEIR LAST CHANCE TO BE TOGETHER. AM HEARD YOU SQUEALING WAY OUT IN DE YARD? OH, THAT—WHY—FERD WAS JUST TELLING ME SOMETHING FUNNY. WELL, HUSH MAH BIG MOUTH!


WASH TUBBS
 By ROY CRANE

 MURDER IS AN UGLY WORD, OLD MAN. I PREFER TO DESCRIBE IT AS JUSTIFIABLE HOMICIDE. YOU... YOU'VE MURDERED HIM! MARK MY WORDS, YOU'LL HANG FOR THIS! ON THE CONTRARY, MY DEAR BOY, I SHALL BE THE SOLE WITNESS. I SHALL TELL HOW YOU AND SQUEEZE KILLED EACH OTHER IN A DUEL. AND WHO CAN DENY IT? FOR YOU WILL BE FOUND DEAD BESIDE HIM WITH MY REVOLVER IN YOUR HAND. NO, NO, RUBY! FOR HEAVENS SAKE, NO! I'M ABOUT TO DISCOVER THE HIPPA-HULA BEAUTY SECRET. DON'T SHOOT ME, RUBY! I'LL MAKE YOU A MILLIONAIRE! I'LL— AH! THAT'S VERY INTERESTING, OLD MAN. SO GENEROUS OF YOU, SO KIND.

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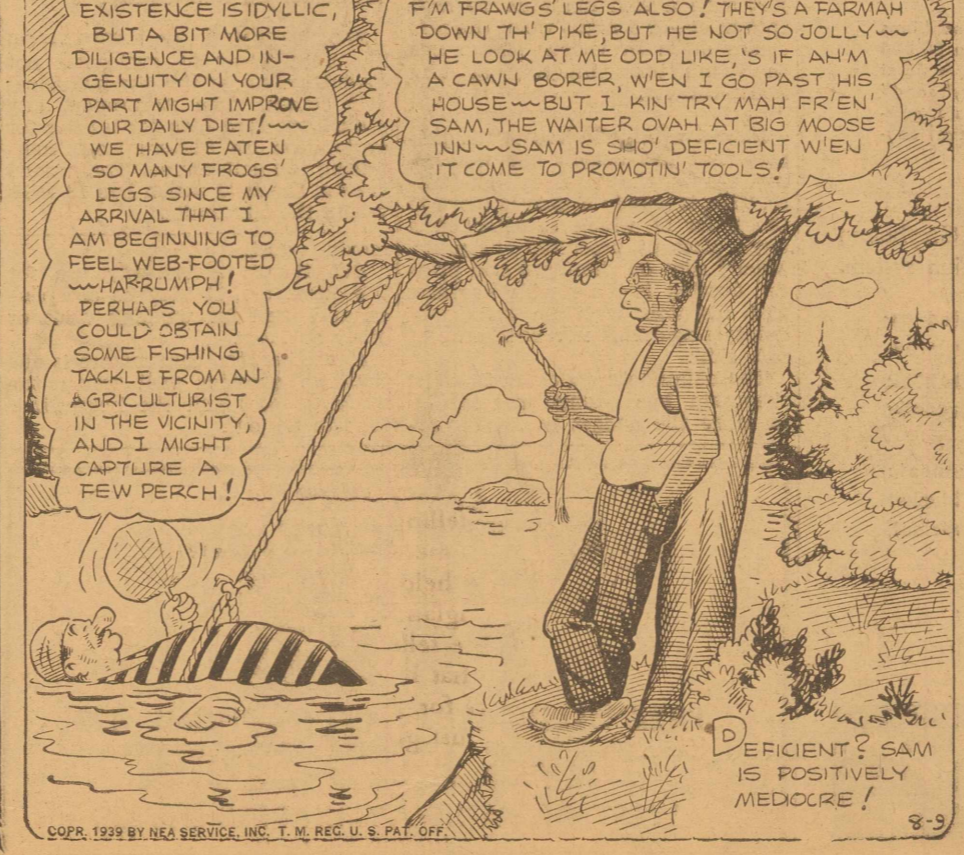
ALLEY OOP
 By V. T. HAMLIN


 HEY! LOOK OUT THERE, YA SILLY NITWIT! WHAT'S THE BIG IDEA? OUCH! WHY, DADGUM YER HIDE, I'LL— CLANG

RED RYDER
 By FRED HARMAN

 THERE EES RED-HAIRED GRINGO! I TAKE HEEM TO YAQUI, BUT SOME DAY I KEEL HEEM FOR STEALING MY SWEETHEART, RAQUEL! NOW, LITTLE BEAVER, ITS UP TO YOU TO SEE THIS GOLD I STOLE IS RETURNED TO THE DURANGO MINING COMPANY? YOU BEICHUM, RED RYDER! BUT AS LITTLE BEAVER MOUNTS FOR THE JOURNEY, PEDRO'S GREEDY EYES FOCUS ON THE SACK OF GOLD.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS
 By MERRILL BLOSSER

 LARD, WEVE GOT TO ROUND UP THE FELLAS AND START LOOKING FOR NUBBIN! I KNOW WHO ASKED ME TO COLLECT FOR THE WEENIE ROAST ARE IN MY ROOM! I DIDN'T HAVE TIME TO WHITTLE THEM! I'LL DO IT! BETTER TAKE OFF ALL THE LEAVES AND WHITTLE EACH TWIG TO A SHARP POINT, MR. SMICK! I'LL TAKE CARE OF IT! BUT, LARD, THAT STUFF IS POISON IVY! TCH—TCH—THAT'S TERRIBLE! REMIND ME NEXT WEEK TO RUSH UP AND WARN HIM!

OUT OUR WAY
 By J. R. WILLIAMS

 EGAD, JASON, THIS EXISTENCE IS IDYLIC, BUT A BIT MORE DILIGENCE AND INGENUITY ON YOUR PART MIGHT IMPROVE OUR DAILY DIET! WE HAVE EATEN SO MANY FROGS' LEGS SINCE MY ARRIVAL THAT I AM BEGINNING TO FEEL WEB-FOOTED—WHRRUMPH! PERHAPS YOU COULD OBTAIN SOME FISHING TACKLE FROM AN AGRICULTURIST IN THE VICINITY, AND I MIGHT CAPTURE A FEW PERCH! MISTAH MAJOR, I PLUMB NAUSEATED F'M FRAWGS' LEGS ALSO! THEYS A FARMAH DOWN TH' PIKE, BUT HE NOT SO JOLLY. HE LOOK AT ME ODD LIKE, 'S IF AH'M A CAWN BORER, W'EN I GO PAST HIS HOUSE—BUT I KIN TRY MAH FR'EN SAM, THE WAITER OVAH AT BIG MOOSE INN—SAM IS SHO' DEFICIENT W'EN IT COME TO PROMOTIN' TOOLS! DEFICIENT? SAM IS POSITIVELY MEDOCRE!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE
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 WHY DON'T I JUST GET SHOP GREASE ON ME AT TH' SHOP? BECAUSE I WANT TH' KIDS ALL TO THINK I GOT A SOFT JOB, AND MY MOTHER TO THINK IT'S A HARD ONE! YEH, BUT IF SHE'S LIKE MY MOTHER, SHE'D KNOW BY TH' BAGGY KNEES, TH' CLEAN SHIRT, AND NO CALLUSES—AN' THAT STUFF SMELLS LIKE SHOE POLISH!

Residents of State Continue to Build Through the FHA

DALLAS. — Residents of Texas continued during June to take advantage of the liberal terms of the Federal Housing Administration property improvement plan to repair and modernize their structures.

Figures just issued by Mr. P. S. Luttrell, State Production Manager, show 2,293 property improvement loans were made by private lending institutions in Texas during last June. The total volume for these loans was \$948,705.

These figures brought the grand total of families making such loans in Texas to 65,146 and the amount of expenditure on repairs and modernization \$23,708,038, since the advent of the Federal Housing Administration's property improvement plan made such loans available in August, 1934.

Mr. Luttrell pointed out that lending institutions do not have to report such loans until thirty days after they are made.

The Property Improvement Plan for modernization and repair of home structures is simple. The thing to do is to make an accurate list of just what you want to do in the way of improvement. Mr. Luttrell pointed out. This list should then be taken to a contractor who will give a detailed estimate of what the improvements will cost. The next step is to take this contractor's estimate to one of the lending institutions which operate under this plan. If the applicant has a record of good credit and a steady income, he can arrange with the lending institution at the latter's discretion as to the length of time in which he will have to repay the loan, but this period may not exceed 3 years and 32 days. The applicant must either own the property or hold a lease upon it extending at least six months longer than the term of the loan.

"Repayments of these loans," said Mr. Luttrell, "are made in regular monthly installments. They may be used for re-roofing, painting inside or out, re-flooring, new wall paper, modernization of kitchens, installation of plumbing and heating systems, landscaping, etc."

"To be eligible, repairs and modernization must be of such materials that they are permanent or immovable additions to the structure. Any qualified lending institution or any FHA office can furnish complete details as to just what those eligible improvements are. In most cases, the contractor also can furnish such lists showing what is eligible."

"It must always be remembered that the money loaned for such repair and modernization purposes is not government money. It is private money furnished by private lending agencies and it is the lending institution which has the final decision as to whom it will grant a loan and it is the lending institution which fixes the repayment period and dates of repayment."

16 Midland Lions Attend Meeting In Big Spring

Sixteen members of the Midland Lions club were in attendance at the quarterly meeting of Zone Six, Lions International, at the Settles Hotel in Big Spring last night, approximately 100 Lions club members from Hamlin, Colorado City, Midland and Big Spring attending.

Principal address was delivered by District Governor A. G. Bearden of Lamesa, subject of his address being "Opportunity of Service Through Lionism."

Activities reports for the past three months were made by secretaries of the various clubs represented, the Midland report being made by Secretary George H. Phillips.

Boyd McDaniel, immediate past-president of the Big Spring club, was elected zone chairman for the coming year to succeed John P. Butler of Midland. Colorado City was chosen as the site for the next meeting.

Display of British Air Power Is Marred By Three Accidents

LONDON, Aug. 9 (AP)—Britain's big show of air, sea and land power was marred today by aerial casualties.

Four fliers were killed in a crash at Yorkshire and five others were missing in a bomber which vanished over the North sea. A third bomber encountered trouble, forcing four men to "bail out."

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Club Encampment Postponed Because Of Wet Roads

"Because of impassable roads caused by recent rains, the two-day encampment of home demonstration clubwomen and 4-H club girls of the county which was to have opened at the Dick Midkiff ranch this afternoon has been postponed, Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent, announced.

The encampment will be held on Thursday and Friday, August 31 and September 1, she said. The program planned for the meeting for this week will be presented at that time.

The Midkiff ranch, 35 miles south of Midland, is reached by a road which runs, at one sector, through a lake and this was reported under water. Danger of cars skidding from the road or stalling made it unwise to attempt to gather the club members together for the conference at this time, sponsors decided.

Lionism History Reviewed at Lunch

Giving a brief history of Lionism and discussing briefly the organizational set-up of Lions International, Lion Clinton Myrick was the principal speaker at the regular weekly luncheon of the Midland Lions Club today noon, the address being one of a series of Lions Education talks to be presented at various times during the current club year. The speaker pointed out that since its organization 22 years ago, Lions International has spread to eight countries and now has some 125,000 members representing 3,500 clubs. Pointing out that a Lions club is a splendid place in which to make friends and form lasting friendships, Myrick said that Lionism is a place where we can all meet on the same level, enjoying exceptionally fine fellowship.

Two vocal solos by Miss Margaret Murray, accompanied at the piano by Miss Bea Neil, featured the musical part of the program.

Bill Collins, immediate past president of the club, was appointed by President Claude O. Crane as general chairman of the District 2-T convention to be held here next spring.

"The Lion-Up" was selected by the members present as the name of the weekly club bulletin which will make its initial appearance soon. The name was suggested by Lion Pete Gates.

Guests present today included Noble Hurley of Dallas, Mr. Stevens of Lubbock and R. H. Delaney of Midland.

The luncheon was served by the women of the First Methodist church.

turned Tuesday morning from a vacation spent mostly in Santa Fe, N. M. They also visited in Pampa, Texas.

Political Glamor Girls

Mutual Hero of Farley Girls Is None Other Than Papa Jim



Ann, standing, and Betty Farley; father's fans

By NEA Service

BETTY FARLEY is so fond, so imitative of her dad that a newspaper story once described her as "just like the old man."

And, did that burn Ann up! Ann is just as crazy about her father and she didn't see why Betty should get all the credit.

This intense admiration is mutual. Postmaster General Jim is mighty proud of the sisters Farley. He was more pleased than if he had picked up a pocketful of electoral votes when Betty graduated from Mount St. Mary's Academy at 16 two years ago, then became one of the youngest girls ever to enter Wellesley College.

When Betty was ill last winter, Jim worried himself sick. Everything came out all right, though, and father's taking her and Ann to Europe this summer. In the summer of 1938 the two girls traveled to the Pacific coast with their dad.

It was only his belief that the gift would mean more to a boy that induced Farley to present 11-year-old James, Jr., with the prize horse which the postmaster general received from admiring Texans. There had been a friendly family dispute about the matter; Betty had wanted to turn equestrienne.

Little girls in half-sox when their father dedicated the new Postoffice Department building five years ago, the sisters haven't lived in Washington. Mrs. Farley has stayed in New York with the children, sending them to school there, and her husband has gone up for week-ends with them.

A junior miss of 13, Ann is now attending Mount St. Mary's.

Local Druggists to Ask for Convention

Meeting in the chamber of commerce office yesterday afternoon, a group of Midland druggists decided definitely to place Midland's bid for next year's spring meeting of the Texas Druggists Association at the fall meeting of the association to be held in El Paso next week. Lester Short being named convention chairman. A concerted effort will be made at the El Paso meeting to secure the next convention for this city. Support of the Midland chamber of commerce in the measure was assured, a representative of the organization to accompany local druggists to the meeting in El Paso next week.

Horse Car Token Prized.

WILMINGTON, Del. (UP)—A token, which once meant a ride on a horse car in Sheboygan, Wis., is the prize exhibit in J. Baptist Milano's collection of "good-for-ome-fare" pieces. Milano, one of the country's 30 collectors of tokens at the fall meeting of the association, says that he believes he has the only such piece in America.

Oil Struck on Golf Course.

SHREVEPORT, La. (UP)—Oil has been found by geologists, not by golfers, under the city municipal golf course. The Shreveport city council received bids for leasing for exploration an 84-acre tract comprising the golf course. The grounds is near the field which has 13 wells within the city limits.

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Baptist Groups Have BTU Party Tuesday Evening

Groups of the Baptist BTU were complimented with a party in the church basement Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The social had been planned as a picnic at Cloverdale, but bad weather caused it to be changed to the church.

Seventy-six persons were present ranging from the Junior BTU through the Baptist Adult Union. The largest group attending was from the Intermediate BTU.

Various games and contests were played under direction of Mrs. Ernest Neill. The losing side in the contests served the winners at the supper hour, as a penalty for their poor skill.

Rev. H. D. Bruce, Baptist pastor, presented the closing talk for the evening. He discussed how much good young people could do if they worked for the Lord in Midland and urged each one present to attend BTU and bring some one else.

The party ended with the group joining hands in a circle and singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." A plate lunch was served.

In charge of arrangements were: Mrs. Neill, Mrs. Thurman Pylant, Elwanda Hays, Catherine Forest.

Mrs. Nolan Hostess To Two-Table 42 Party Tuesday

Mrs. C. E. Nolan was hostess for two tables of 42 at her home, 1406 S Big Spring, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. D. E. Holster held high score in the games while low score fell to the lot of Mrs. A. B. Stickey.

After the playing hour, refreshments were received by the hostess to: Mmes. Roy Frazier, C. V. Dale, Herbert King, Leonard Skaggs, C. G. Murray, Stickey, Holster, J. L. Kelly.

Boone Bible Class Entertains With Social at Annex

Boone Bible class of the Methodist church, entertained with an ice cream social at the church annex on N Main street Tuesday evening.

"Who Am I?", a game modeled on the radio feature, supplied amusement for the group, along with general conversation.

Ice cream was served to a crowd estimated at from 30 to 40 people. Committee in charge of arrangements was composed of Jas. R. Day, Mrs. Curtis Harkins, and Elmo Linebarger.

Miss Somerford And George Sapp Marry at Odessa

Miss Lorene Somerford, daughter of Mrs. Ruby Somerford, and George Sapp, both of Midland, were married in a quiet ceremony at Odessa Tuesday evening, with an Odessa Justice of the Peace officiating.

The couple was accompanied by the bride's sister Miss Melba Somerford, and the groom's two sisters and their husbands, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Hanks and Mr. and Mrs. Joel Weathered, all of Midland.

The bride was dressed in blue and wore blue accessories. Mr. Sapp, son of Mrs. J. L. Sapp, has lived in Midland about three years. He is employed at the City Drug store.

The bride has been a resident of Midland about two years, being a member of the staff at Perry Bros. store.

Mr. and Mrs. Sapp are making their home here.

New Sunday School Is Organized by Ranch Families

Named "The Greasewood Sunday School," ranch families in south Midland and north Upton counties have organized a non-denominational Sunday school to serve those who live inconveniently far from the regularly-organized churches.

A committee has been named to supervise the construction of a small building located in a convenient area to house the school.

The following officers have been named to head the organization: Warren Skaggs, superintendent; Tyson Midkiff, assistant superintendent; Walton Haral, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Clint Shaw, adult teacher; Mrs. Ethel Gilbert, junior teacher; Miss Clela Mae Bean, beginner teacher.

Organization of the Sunday school was conducted by Mrs. T. O. Midkiff recently. Meetings have been held at the various homes of the groups and will continue to be held in this way until the building for the Sunday school has been constructed.

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The manufacturers claim that the sheepskin has enough natural oil to make the gadget useful for re-

Church Organization Is Studied by Bible Class

In the absence of the teacher, Minister Harvey Childress, Mrs. W. F. Hejl taught the lesson at the meeting of the Women's Bible class at the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon.

Subject of study was "The Organization of the Church." Present were: Mmes. D. Davis, Paul Jackson, Bill Smith, Addison Young, and Hejl.

Nature Taboos Odd Rows Of Kernels on Corn Ear

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (UP)—Prof. L. S. Mayer has answered a puzzle trying to find out for centuries—why the number of grain rows on ears of corn always are even.

Mayer told growers attending the East Tennessee Farmers convention that nature breeds the rows in pairs. Most of the ears exhibited had 14 rows of grain. There are larger ears grown but, large or small, they always have an even number of rows.

Mayer said that never had he seen or heard of an ear with 13, 15 or 17 rows. "It's impossible," he said.

Fire Prevention Fire.

PITTSFIELD, Mass. (UP)—An address on fire prevention was received with the aid of an unexpected illustration. Andrews Wyman was talking on fire prevention when a rubbish can across the street, blazed up, requiring the services of a fireman with a hand extinguisher.

Approximately 50 separate tests, requiring some 60 flying hours and covering more than five months, are conducted on the latest and biggest Boeing Clipper 314.

Mrs. D. W. Brunson Has Overnight Guests

Mrs. D. W. Brunson Sr. had as her guests Tuesday night Misses Florence and Nina Herring of Irving, Texas, and Mrs. Buena V. Herring and daughter, Josephine, of Overton, Texas, relatives of the late W. H. and D. W. Brunson. Also with the party was Miss Lorena Jackson of Durant, Okla.

After spending the afternoon and night with Mrs. Brunson and meeting other relatives, they left this morning for Carlsbad Cavern.

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