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Goode Sets 220 Mark As Bulldogs Get Third

ODESSA—Dunny Goode, the Midland sprinting ace, ran a record-breaking 220-yard dash in 22.9 seconds in the Sand Hills Relays here Saturday as the Bulldogs took third place with 15.7 points in a fast, perfect-weather meet which Lubbock won with 43.9 points.

Bobby Cole, a fine quarter-miler, won the 440-yard dash in 54 seconds flat.

Odessa was second in its own affair with 35 points. Other schools tabulating were: Monahans 15; Andrews 14.4; Seminole 8; Port Stockton 7 1/2; Iraan 6 1/2; Pecos 4; Denver City 3, and Pyote 1.

Goode was third in the 100-yard dash. Lubbock won the event and Monahans was second and Odessa fourth. The time was 10.5 seconds. Midland's relay team won third place in the 440-yard relay. Forming the four were Goode, Bob Hall, Barney Hightower and Bob Drake. Lubbock won this event in 45.6 seconds. Midland's time was 46 seconds flat.

Cummings Puts Shot
Van Cummings got a Midland score in the shot put with a heave of 38 feet, 2 1/2 inches. He placed fourth. Lubbock copped first with a 40 feet, 5 inch toss.

Fred Frickett of the Bulldogs tied for fourth in the high jump. His leap was 5 feet, 5 inches. Andrews won the pole vault with a 10-foot jump. Townsend of Odessa threw the discus 121 feet for first. Andrews won the mile run in 5:11.1 minutes and seconds. Odessa ran a winning mile relay in the record time of 3:40.1 minutes and seconds.

Burton Stringer of Midland tied for fourth in the 440-yard dash.

Texas U. Nine Blasts McMurry Indians 25-0

ABILENE—(AP)—Pounding three McMurry pitchers for 22 hits, the Texas Longhorns defeated the Indians 25-0 in a baseball game here Saturday. The Steers won Friday 11 to 5.

The losers Saturday reached Bobby Layne for only one hit. Rube Ortega led the Texas offensive with six hits in six official trips. He walked twice.

Event Continues Sunday— Langford Rolls To Early Lead In Hospital Benefit Tourney

By TANNER LAINE
Russell Langford of Midland rolled out into the lead of the big Midland Memorial Hospital Benefit Bowling Tournament, which opened Saturday at Plamor Palace. It continues Sunday.
Langford keggered a 1,394 series score in eight games across eight alleys. His game scores were: 179-169-126-170-169-196-177-164. Langford's handicap is 44.

DOWN SPORTSLANE

TANNER LAINE

Color makes a lot of difference in sports.

The green grass of the playing fields, the bright jerseys, socks, and helmets or caps—they all give color. All schools and most other organizations have colors. These are traditional and the athletic teams wear 'em.

Blue, red, purple, gold, orange, even gray and the no color white are worn to signify the organization represented.

Football urges the spectators, too, to blossom out in a full burst. Horse racing sees its jockeys in the bright colored silks.

Basketball and track suits carry color of their school.

And all the basic colors have side hues. There are navy blues, maroons, scarlets, crimson, and other offshoots from the main blends.

—SL—
Did you know, didja, some of these well known schools and their colors: Texas A&M, maroon and white; Texas, orange and white; Texas Tech, scarlet and black; SMU, blue and red; Baylor, green and gold; Rice, blue and gray; TCU, purple and white; Arkansas, red and white; Hardin-Simmons, purple and gold; Texas School of Mines, orange and white; North Texas State, green and white; McMurry College, maroon and white; West Texas State, maroon and white; ACC, purple and white; Arkansas, red and white; Hardin-Simmons, purple and gold; Texas School of Mines, orange and white; North Texas State, green and white; McMurry College, maroon and white; ACC, purple and white; Howard Payne, navy blue and old gold; Southwestern, canary and black; Daniel Baker, royal blue and white.

And your favorite Midland colors: purple and gold.

Softball League Setup Will Take Shape Tuesday

At a called meeting at 7 p. m. Tuesday Midland softball players, managers, sponsors and others interested will gather to adopt a set of league regulations presented by Cesar Barnes Milam. The session will be held on the mezzanine floor of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Meanwhile plans for the league in Midland go forward. Committees working on shaping the diamond are active. One team, the City Bus Lines, worked out last week, and The Reporter-Telegram team will work out Sunday afternoon.

Games will be played at night at Barney Grafia Park on South Main Street. The city will be asked to grade the diamond and the fire department will be asked to water down the playing field.

Cesar Milam will present his proposed schedule for 10 teams at the Tuesday meeting. He worked out the schedule for that number, however it may be added to or shortened.

Midland Jaycees at a meeting last Friday voted to sponsor a team and committees were appointed to field it.

Many firms have indicated interest in sponsoring a team. Representatives are asked to attend the meeting Tuesday night.

The public is invited.

Country Club To Postpone Benefit Golf Tournament

The Midland Country Club postponed its scheduled Midland Memorial Hospital Benefit Tournament Sunday and will play it at a later date.

The tourney conflicted with a benefit bowling tournament held in the city this weekend preventing sportsmen to take part in both.

Gay Nowell, pro, said the tourney could not be played next Sunday because of a scheduled inter-city match with Big Spring here. But the benefit will be played, he said.

Longhorn Tracksters Easily Defeat Rice And Baylor In Meet

AUSTIN — (AP)—Placing in every event which they entered, the University of Texas tracksters won a triangular field meet over Rice and Baylor here Saturday by totaling 104 1-2 points. Rice was runner-up with 40 1-2 points, followed by Baylor with 24.

Clyde Littlefield's Longhorns took eleven first places and tied for another on the 16-event program, climaxing the day with a triumph in the one mile relay.

The Steers started the meet by taking the first three places in the 440-yard dash which was won by Desmond Kidd in 49.7 seconds.

Texas also grabbed the first three places in the shot put and discus throw and placed first, second and fourth in the 100-yard dash and half mile.

The Longhorns avenged an earlier loss to Baylor in the 440-yard relay, but the Bears made it a close race as Bill Martinson closed in fast on the anchor leg. Held out of the sprints because of a weakened condition, Martinson competed only in the one event.

Augie Erfurth, Rice freshman was high point man of the meet with 10 points, scored by taking first places in both hurdle events.

AGGIE DIAMOND TEAM BEATS PIRATES, 19-2

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—Scoring 15 runs in the second inning, the Texas A&M baseballers Saturday routed Southwestern University from Georgetown, 19-2.

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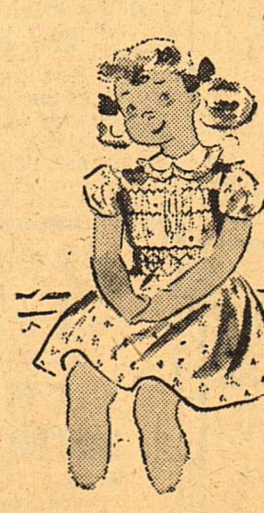
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**Country Club's
Stockholders To Meet**
Stockholders of the Midland Country Club will meet at 8 p. m. Monday in the clubhouse to vote on two proposed amendments to its bylaws.
One provides that in the event of the resignation of a director the board of directors shall have the authority to appoint a member to fill the unexpired term or to serve until the next regular meeting of stockholders.
The other provides for increasing the number of associate memberships.
V. C. Maley, president, and W. I. Pratt, secretary, signed the notice calling the special meeting, which was ordered by the board of directors.
**Horses Burn To Death
As Track Barn Burns**
BOWIE, MD.—(AP)—An undetermined number of horses were burned to death Saturday night when fire destroyed a barn at the Bowie Race Track scheduled to open the spring season Monday.
State Police Trooper Paul Federaline at Waterloo said he had been informed that 37 horses were in the barn when the fire broke out but that most had been led to safety.
There are many mountains on islands in the South Seas that never have been surveyed.

Ruth White Of Florida And Louis Michelson Wed In Saturday Rites

Marriage vows were repeated by Miss Ruth White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nye White, Dade City, Fla., and Louis Michelson of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Michelson of Wichita, Kan., in a ceremony solemnized at 11:30 a. m. Saturday at the First Presbyterian Church.

Rites for the double ring ceremony were directed by the Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, pastor.

The bride was attired in an aqua blue dress with which she wore an orchid corsage. Her small hat was fashioned with roses and a shoulder length veil.

Attendants to the bridal couple were Miss Louanna Roach and Ed Metzger.

Following a wedding trip to Indian Lodge, the couple will return to Midland to make their home.

Mrs. Michelson was a stewardess with Eastern Air Lines with headquarters in Miami, Fla., before her marriage.

The groom is a geologist with Skelly Oil Company. Before receiving his release from U. S. Army Air Forces, Michelson served as a navigator in the capacity of captain.

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Woman's Auxiliary Circle Memberships Announced For Year

Members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church have been assigned to the various circles of the auxiliary for the year.

Dorcas Circle
Mrs. N. D. McKee is chairman and Mrs. W. H. Gilmore is co-chairman for the Dorcas Circle. Members are Mrs. J. G. Abernathy, J. M. Armstrong, M. B. Bell, L. Byerley, Bill Collins, Vern Cubit, R. DeChicchio, J. M. Devereux, G. B. Hallman, Ora Holzgraf, Butler Hurley, W. P. Knight, W. W. La-Force, N. A. Lancaster, W. C. Lansford, Paul Lathrop, Maude Leonard, M. H. McKinsey, Hayden Miles, L. K. Posey, D. M. Secor, Joe Seymour, J. P. Shreeves, Ernest Sidwell, Neal Staton, Frank Stubbeman, Fred Turner, A. C. Walton and T. R. Wilson.

Esther Circle
Chairman of the Esther Circle is Mrs. John Drummond, with Mrs. L. C. Link serving as co-chairman. Members are Mrs. L. B. Perry, W. H. Denson, M. S. Dickerson, J. E. Dickinson, R. A. Doran, Frank Downey, W. T. Graham, W. E. Hankla, M. T. Hartwell, W. G. Henderson, W. J. Hilsewick, Hubert H. Hopper, R. M. Jones, J. L. Kendrick, J. A. Lash, Ed Little, H. E. McKee, Frank Manning, L. G. Mackey, W. B. Neely, W. M. Osborn, Lena Osborn, W. Y. Penn, Ed Prichard, John D. Robinson, H. M. Spangler, C. A. Tanner, R. L. Wood and Miss Lydia Watson.

Rachel Circle
The following of the Rachel Circle members will work with Mrs. H. F. Heath, chairman, and Mrs. W. N. Little, co-chairman: Mmes. Harry Adams, E. G. Bedford, J. L. Duveller, D. R. Dickson, Ben Dublin, B. R. Forman, B. H. Franklin, C. O. Fredregill, W. C. Fritz, J. L. Greene, J. G. Harper, J. M. Hawkins, John M. Hills, E. C. Hitchcock, H. L. Johnston, C. A. McClintie, Y. D. McMurry, J. S. Meriwether, Frank Midkiff, Lloyd Mills, Nelson Puett, J. H. Roberts, Arthur Stout, N. B. Winter, Frank Wolcott, Hazen Woods and Misses Laura Hitchcock and Iola Hopkins.

Rebecca Circle
Mrs. B. B. Hutsell, chairman, and Mrs. Richard Peters, co-chairman, will direct the activities of the Rebecca Circle. Members are: Mmes. E. H. Bahr, J. W. Bradberry, Leslie T. Brown, R. L. Clarke, Clinton Creech, Robert Doyle, Harry Gossett, H. L. Hagler, W. M. Hester, G. W. Herring, E. S. Hitchcock, Minter King, R. E. LeBlond, C. W. Ledebur, Alan Leeper, S. R. McKinney, John B. Mills, W. C. Mitchell, S. L. Parham, Lee Park, R. C. Pickle, G. C. Ponder, Jr., Richard Prather, John Redfern, W. T. Schneider, Bob Watson, Ebb White and T. C. Williams, Jr.

Ruth Circle
Members of the Ruth Circle will work under the supervision of Mrs. John Perkins, chairman, and Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, co-chairman. They are Mmes. George Abell, Frank Aldrick, C. E. Bissell, L. T. Boynton, C. S. Brit, Al Cowden, R. C. Crabb, C. W. Dodson, John W. Elliott, Andrew Fasken, R. L. Foulks, C. E. Garrison, E. L. Garrison, G. E. Hall, C. S. Longcope, A. E. Lynn, Grace McClure, J. H. McClure, J. P. H. McMullan, J. R. Martin, R. L. Miller, Robert Roark, Tom Sealy, William Simpson, Harvey Sloan, S. S. Stinson, Lee Thacker, Ed Watts and Jack Wilkinson.

Training Circle
Mrs. A. P. Shirey, sponsor, and the following women are in the Training Circle: Mmes. J. R. Brooks, Arthur Cole, Lynn Durham, Irby Dyer, Murry Fasken, Richard Goodell, J. Norman Goodman, T. Hall Keys, III, Erich Lemke, Jack O. McCall, Pat McMullan, John A. Mathews, John W. Starr, Hartzell Stephens, T. P. Tarwater and Bob York.

Mrs. Paul Morrison is chairman; Mrs. Raymond Doyle, co-chairman; and Mrs. J. L. Greene, sponsor, for the Lydia Circle composed of business women. Members are Mmes. T. E. Allen, E. W. English, A. R. Ayles, Mae Baumgartner, D. P. Caruther, W. P. Collins, Minnie Dozier, Jack Ellington, J. H. Fine, Duard Foster, Frances Gallagher, M. D. Johnson, Mayme Kroenlein, O. M. Linton, Mamie Belle McKee, Jack Mashburn, Jack Parker, S. P. Parks, P. R. Pattison, Molly Ramsey, J. E. Simmons, Robert Spivey, W. B. Standerfer, E. Philip Wheel-don, H. C. Wheeler, Charles Romer.

Also Misses Gladys Alexander, Anna Sue Barrow, Ruth Carden, Sue Caruthers, Helen Craig, Martha Creagh, Ellana Eastham, Dora Evans, Willie Mae Ferguson, Florence Gary, Katherine Greacen, Rosemary Hamer, Bonnie Holmgren, Dorothy Holzgraf, Ouita Lain, Marguerite Lee, Izetta Lee, Lois May Lynch, Lucy Moore, Mary Louise Rhodes, Louanna Roach, Maedelee Roberts, Doris Rountree, Pauline Schatz, Merle Scott, Bertie Sexton, Nell Shaw, Virginia Ann Stewart and Velma Wilbanks.

Meet Of Tuberculosis Association Is Set

Officers and board members for 1946 will be elected at the annual meeting of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association Tuesday in the county courtroom on the second floor of the courthouse.

Amendments will be made to the constitution and a vote will be taken on the by-laws.

All persons who contributed to the 1945 Christmas Seal Sale are invited to attend.

Community -

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Hughes; Eddie Gunter as Sue Barrington; Betty Kimbrough as Miss Wilcox; and Floyd O. Boles as Mr. Prescott.

The play was well out of the old melodrama class. For a man about to foreclose on the property, Boles as Prescott had no Simon Legree black coat, no mustache, no hacking cough.

Entertaining Plot
The program suggested the play didn't offer the solution to any weighty problems. It said it was presented in the name of laughter (and it succeeded). Patrons were invited to leave their cares at the box office and relax with the Community Theater. The audience did just that. And liked "George Washington Slept Here."

The production staff was as follows: Mrs. Ben Dansby, Marie Wall, Susie G. Noble, J. S. Noland, W. A. Waldschmidt, casting; Mrs. H. S. Forgeron, costumes; John DeFord, stage manager; I. A. Seales, lighting; Harland Soper, property man; Myra McKibben, Elma Graves, prompters; Mrs. E. T. Corbett, program; Susie G. Noble, Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, Mrs. V. W. Rogers and Mrs. Corbett, box office; Lois Lynch, Love Howard, artists; Nancy Shaeffer, Hazel McBrian, Martha Moris, Mary Kendrick, Mrs. Robert Fitting, Mrs. W. E. Charlton, J. E. Morris, Harland Soper, Randy Wright, Mildred Gatlin and Dick Luby, stage crew.

Serving on the host and hostess committee were: Messrs. C. H. Shepard, Ronald K. DeFord, George Putnam, W. A. Waldschmidt, H. S. Forgeron, Henry Murphey, Ben Dansby, Jr., and Mr. John P. Butler.

Ushers for the Friday and Saturday performances were members of the Tawasi and Sub-Deb clubs.—(Tanner Laine.)

FORMER CITIZEN VISITS
Emmett Howard, former coach at Midland Junior High School, and now of Austin, was a Midland visitor over the weekend.

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By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer
NEW YORK—Fabric wonders-to-come arriving one jump ahead of hot weather are rayons and cottons which boast unconditional washability for brilliantly-dyed monochrome colors and prints as bold as county fair posters. The credit goes to postwar-developed resin finishes for vat-dyed colors. These finishes keep solids from fading or prints from running riot or bleeding over into white backgrounds. The claim for fastness goes, no matter how hot the water, alkaline the soap, or sizzling the iron used for laundering either rayons or cottons. Resins which make these fabrics crease-resistant when worn also preserve cracker-crispness through launder-

102 Midlanders Attend Methodist Youth Rally Held In Big Spring

The First Methodist Church of Midland was represented by 102 young people at the District Youth Rally Friday at the First Methodist Church in Big Spring. This number exceeded all churches in the Sweetwater District. It was reported as a great and massive rally with a total of approximately 500 young people from the entire district. A district and sub-district council meeting was directed by the conference president, director of youth work and executive secretary of the board of education before the beginning of the rally. Hoover Rupert, director of the youth department, General Board of Education, Nashville, Tenn., was in charge of the worship program and gave a talk on the subject "God, My Neighbor and I". His message was a challenge to the young people as well as adult leaders to become "Crusaders With Christ". Plans were made during the business session to meet in Big Spring May 4 and 5 for a district weekend meeting. Dinner was served by the Big Spring WSCS. The rally included the singing of hymns, introductions and announcements with Carolyn Oates of Midland, district president, in charge. Not only did the Midland group rank first in attendance in the district but ranked second in the entire conference.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

Louis H. Michaelson and Ruth White were issued a marriage license over the weekend.

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Coming Events

SUNDAY—
The Young People of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 6 p. m. with Jimmy Allison, 601 West Storey.

Coffee, sandwiches and cake will be served to service men and their wives at the Salvation Army USO from 4 to 9 p. m.

MONDAY—
Mrs. S. P. Hazlip will be hostess for a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church at 2:30 p. m. at her home, 1007 West Tennessee.

A business meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will be held at 3 p. m. at the church.

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church will meet at 3 p. m. at the church for a program under the leadership of Mrs. F. E. Curtis. An executive program session will be held at 2:30 p. m.

Members of the First Methodist WSCS will meet at 3:15 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building for the yearbook and fellowship program.

Circles of the First Baptist WSCS will meet.
The Bible Class of the First Presbyterian Church will be held at 7:30 p. m. at the church.

Cottage prayer services will be held at 8 p. m.: Mrs. Ben Black, 111 North G; Mrs. Thurman Pylant, 704 North Main; Mrs. W. H. Hall, 511 South Main; Mrs. R. L. Denton, Magnolia Tank Farm.

The Choral Club will meet at 7:50 p. m. with Mrs. Ben Dansby, Jr., 723 Cuthbert.

TUESDAY—
The Methodist Wesley Bible Class will meet at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. John Ficke, 602 North Pecos.

The Garden Addition Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. Roy Long.

Cottage prayer services will be held at 8 p. m.: Mrs. E. R. Powell, 1600 West Missouri; Mrs. Billie Gilbert, Golf Course Drive; Mrs. R. O. Walker, 205 East Ohio; Mrs. Robert L. Hewley, 401 South Colorado; Mrs. Vernon Red, Magnolia Tank Farm.

The Margie Schumate YWA of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. with Joann Easley, 901 North D.

WEDNESDAY—
Mrs. Joe V. Birdwell, 506 West Storey, will be hostess to members of the Modern Study Club at 3 p. m.

The Star Club will meet at 1 p. m. for a business session at the Masonic Hall.

Members of the Women's Missionary Council of the First Assembly of God Church will meet with Mrs. Isaac Johnson, 602 North Fort Worth at 2:30 p. m.

Holy Communion will be held at the Trinity Episcopal Church at 10 a. m. The Bible Class will meet at 10:30 a. m.

THURSDAY—
The Midland Garden Club will meet at 10 a. m. with Mrs. E. E. Reagle, 613 West Storey.

A program will be sponsored by

the Midland County Library at 4 p. m. over KCRS.

FRIDAY—
Mrs. Frank Johnson and Mrs. H. A. Hemphill will be hostesses for the luncheon meeting of the Ladies Association at 1 p. m. at the Midland Country Club. Golf will begin at 9:30 a. m. and foursome bridge will be played during the afternoon.

The Alathean Class will be entertained at the home of Mrs. M. C. Ulmer, 111 North C, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Frank Cowden is co-hostess.

A meeting of the Belmont Bible class will be held at 3 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building of the First Methodist Church.

SATURDAY—
The Moment Musical Club will meet at 11 a. m. at the Watson School of Music Studio.

A children's story hour will be held at 10:30 a. m. at the Midland County Library.

Add mint to peas. It's delicious.

ing. Able to make such claims are cotton pique, twill, broadcloth, rayon-mixture gabardine and shantung - and linen-faking rayons which fool even the gimlet-eyed into believing that they're the real McCoy.

Because dress designers' ideas are as receptive to good fabrics as prized seeds are to good earth, a crop of new fashions is the outgrowth of this textile innovation. Fashion fruits of a spectacular soap 'n' water sulky print, for instance—a staccato black and white bayadere pattern of racing sulky alternating with bands of brilliant jockey-bright colors—are a trio of top-flight styles. One is a dirndl-skirted jockey weskit suit of mid-way green rayon-mixture gabardine, teamed with a long-sleeved shirt made of sulky-printed linen-type cloth. More of the same print makes the flared skirt for a two-piece afternoon dress. The round-necked, short-sleeved top is made of solid-colored black rayon.

The third eye-catcher of the group is a sun-suit, combining pleated shorts of blue-ribbon blue sulky-printed cloth and a solid color.

New Stauffer System Figure Control Studio

A free courtesy treatment is being featured with the opening of the new Stauffer System Figure Control Studio at 409 1/2 West Illinois. Hours are from 8 a. m. to 8 p. m. Monday.

Mrs. Ruth Haygood, manager of the studio, will have charge of the treatments. Three electrically-operated tables are available.

The Stauffer system, result of a number of years research into the causes of overweight and faulty posture, is different from any other method of weight control, Mrs. Haygood reported.

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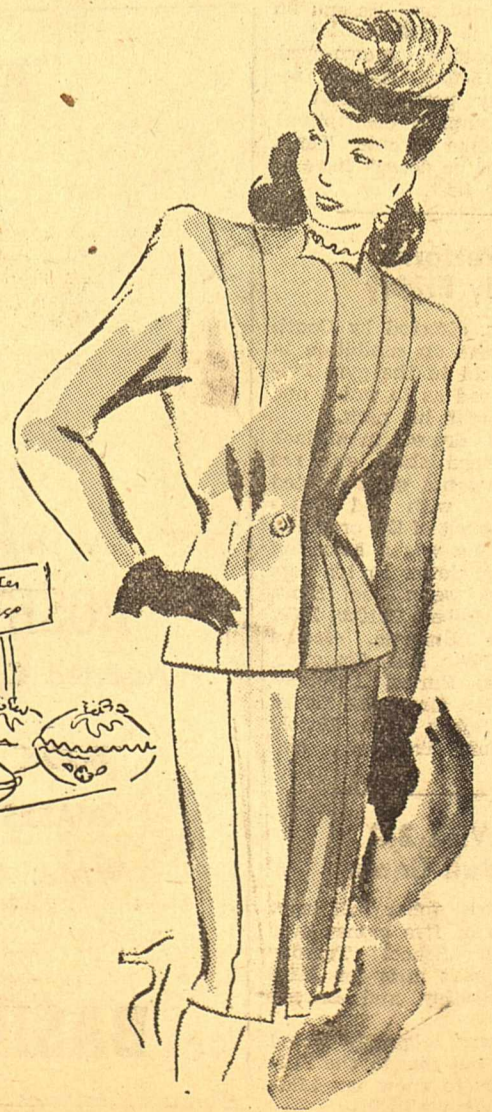
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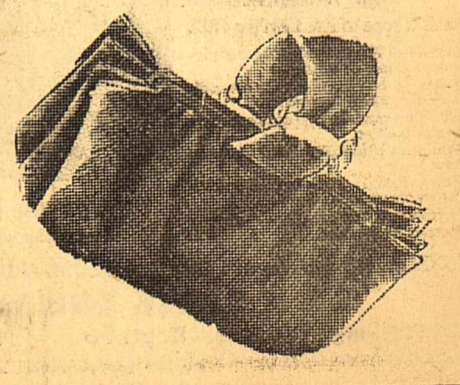


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GRAMMER-MURPHEY Women's Wear



THE BULLDOG

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MHS Choral Groups Receive New Music

The 48-voice A Cappella Choir, under the direction of Mrs. F. C. Gambill, is working on numbers to be presented on an assembly program in April. These numbers are: "St. Louis Blues", "Shortening Bread", "The Rosary", "Because", "Oh, Susanna", "Embraceable You", and "Holy Art Thou".

The 80-voice Choral Club will present a program next month, also. Their new music includes "Shortening Bread", "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes", "Because", "Oh! Susanna", "Easter Parade", "Embraceable You", "Trees", and "Sweet Mystery of Life".

The A Cappella Choir are using "A Legenda", by Tschalkowsky, and "Rain and the River", by Oscar J. Fox, as their contest numbers.

To prevent milk from burning when heating, first rinse the saucepan with cold water.

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News Of Former Midland Students

S 1/c John S. Casselman is stationed in Tokyo Bay at Yokohama. Hazelle Midkiff, '45, is riding in El Paso cowgirl sponsor contest for the Midkiff ranch, and New Mexico A. and M. College.

Charles Funk, '45, is stationed in San Diego with the Navy.

Billy Bob King has received his discharge from the Navy.

Joan Stienberger, '45, is home for spring vacation from Oklahoma Women's College at Chickasha, Okla.

S 1/c Bill Hall, who is on leave until April 10, spent a week visiting friends in Abilene and San Antonio.

S 1/c Ralph Vertrees, '45, returned to San Diego, Monday, where he is stationed with the station post office.

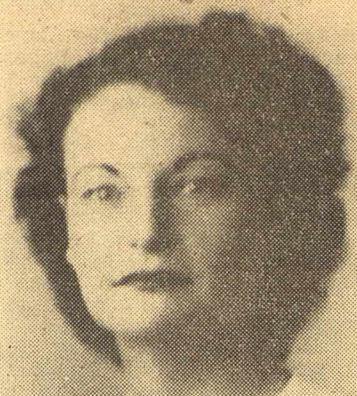
Mary Fern Bray, '45, has been nominated as one of the 15 girls to be voted on for the Sweetheart of Texas University.

Kathryn Hanks is home from Abilene Christian College for the spring holidays. She will return Monday.

Ann Tucker, senior at Lubbock High School, is visiting here this weekend.

S 1/c Alvin Baumann, '45, has

Federation Officer



Mrs. W. G. Epley, first vice-president of the Eighth District will attend the district conference in Alpine April 1, 2 and 3. She will preside at the "Presidents' Evening" Tuesday. Mrs. Epley is past president of the Twentieth Century Club and treasurer of the Midland Federation.

been transferred to the Naval Hospital in Seattle, Wash.

S 1/c Clarence Scharbauer, '42, spent last week in Midland. He returned to San Diego Thursday.

Jack Noye, '42, received his discharge from the Navy and is home. Bill Ward, '45, is an instructor at Boot Camp training in San Diego, Calif.

Bill Holcomb, '45, is in Boot Camp at San Diego, Calif.

W. T. 3/c Barrett Arnett, '44, has been transferred from Bremerton Bay, Wash., to the U. S. Navy Repair Base at San Diego, Calif.

Home Making Club Has Annual Picnic

The Home-Making Club had its annual picnic Friday evening at Cloverdale.

Approximately 30 girls attended, accompanied by Miss Helen Craig and Miss Eloise Odam, sponsors. Miss Majorie Vanderhoff and Miss Sara Neal were guests.

Refreshments of sandwiches, punch and cookies were served. The sandwiches were made by the fourth period foods class.

The refreshment committee consists of Julia Edith Midkiff, Nadine Manning, and Janie Manning. Helen Whitley was in charge of games. Sara Hunter, Patsy Collins, Joan McDonald, and Lois Dee Elland were on the transportation committee.

History Classes See Movie On Mormons

Everyone who is taking history is envied by all those who do not take it. The history classes have been seeing shows, and free of charge, too.

The latest film was "Brigham Young, the Frontiersman". The stars of the picture were Tyrone Power and Linda Darnell. The picture was a complete history of the founding of the Mormon Church. The picture was a follow-up to the study of the Mormons.

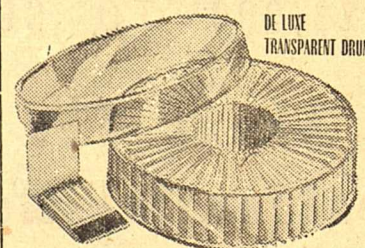
CASWELL IN GALVESTON

A. C. Caswell of the Midland Hardware & Furniture Company left Saturday by air for Galveston to attend a furniture convention which ends Wednesday.



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Boyce Assigned To Take Part In Tests At Bikini

Pfc. Jack Boyce, husband of Mrs. Pearl L. Boyce, 105 East Dakota Street, is scheduled to leave Roswell Army Air Field by air for Kwajalein as a member of the Army Air Forces Task Group 15, part of Joint Army-Navy Task Force One, to take part in the atomic bomb tests at Bikini Atoll in the Marshalls.

Boyce, an engine specialist, is attached to the Air Photo Unit of Task Group 15 which will handle all AAF photography of the atomic bomb test. The unit's B-29 planes will be equipped with the latest in photographic equipment for the job. Task Force One is the organization charged with carrying out the atomic bomb tests on the surface fleet at Bikini.

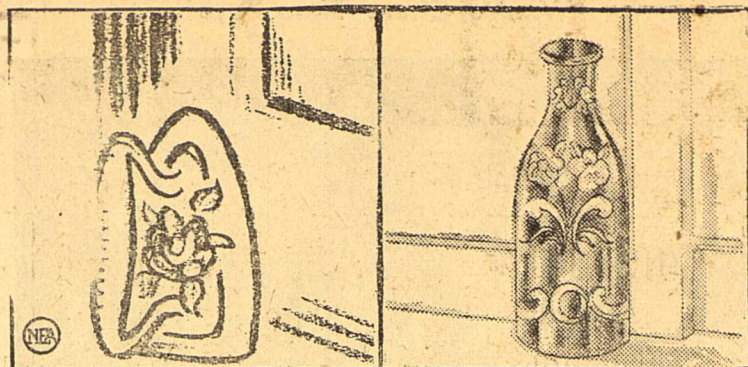
Before his entry into the service, Boyce was employed here as a mechanic.

Dr. Charles S. Britt Returning To Midland

Dr. Charles S. Britt of 1401 West Kentucky Street, is expected to return Tuesday from New Orleans where he has been taking post-graduate work the past several weeks at Tulane University. He will be associated with Dr. H. A. Briggs at 1300 West Wall Street.

Dr. Britt recently was released to inactive duty after serving five years in the medical corps of the Navy. He held the rank of commander, and was senior medical officer on an APA attack transport the final two years of his service. He holds a commendation for his care of Army patients during the invasion of Attu, one of the four strikes in which he participated. He served in four theaters of operation.

Colorful Doorstops Cost Little



By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer

Give an old flatiron or cracked milk bottle a beauty treatment of paint and posies and see how quick-

ly either object can be turned into a Cinderella doorstop.

To glamorize an old iron, paint it white and paste across its back a decalcomania motif, or some similar design cut out of paper or fabric. Iron must not be rusty.

If a milk bottle, fruit jar or jug is your candidate for glamor, Majeska, the Manhattan decorator who suggests tricks, says paint it black. Decorate with one floral motif or an all-over sprinkling of posies, using the same technique as is described for the flatiron. To make your paper or fabric dust-proof, brush with a coat of clear colorless varnish.

Ferrell To Return To Post Office Job Soon

Edwin Ferrell, recently discharged from the Army after service in Germany, is expected to rejoin the staff at the Midland Post Office, Acting Postmaster N. G. Oates said Saturday.

Ferrell is the last of the office's war-ridden staff to return, six others having resumed their positions.

Read the Classifieds.

Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home. Make this recipe yourself. It's easy—no trouble at all and costs little. It contains nothing harmful. Just go to your druggist and ask for four ounces of liquid Barcetrane (formerly called Barcel Concentrate). Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill the bottle. Then take two tablespoonsful twice a day. That's all there is to it.

If the very first bottle doesn't show the simple, easy way to lose

bulky fat and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly bloot disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

MIDLAND DRUG AND ALL OTHER DRUGGISTS

No Indications For Naming Of Postmaster

Although the Midland Post Office has been without a postmaster since June 11, 1944, there was no indication this weekend that an appointment to fill the office will be forthcoming soon. Three employees of the office are eligible for the appointment.

The postmaster must be named by the Postmaster General upon the recommendation of the congressman for the district affected, and the appointment must be confirmed by the President.

KIMBERLIN DISCHARGED

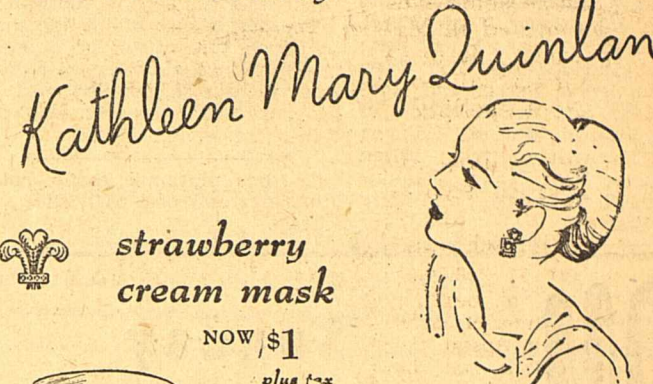
First Lt. John Z. Kimberlin of Stanton has been discharged at the end of his terminal leave, the Personnel Center at Fort Sam Houston has announced.

Use spices sparingly or you may develop a dislike for them.

Did Stomach Ulcer Pains Make Jack Spratt Eat No Fat?

Modern day "Jack Spratts" who eat no fat because of distress of stomach or ulcer pains, indigestion, gas pains, heartburn, burning sensation, bloated and other conditions caused by excess acid should try Udisa. Get a 50c box of Udisa Tablets from your druggist. First dose must convince or return box to us and get DOUBLE YOUR MONEY BACK. Midland Drug and drug stores everywhere.

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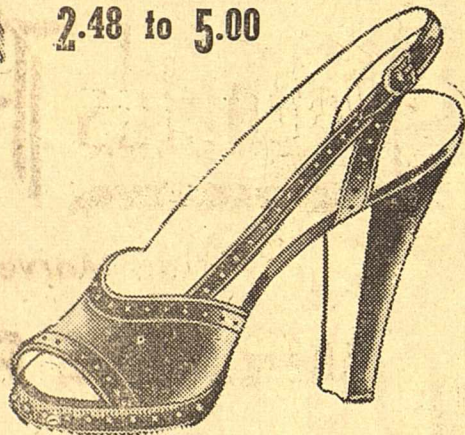
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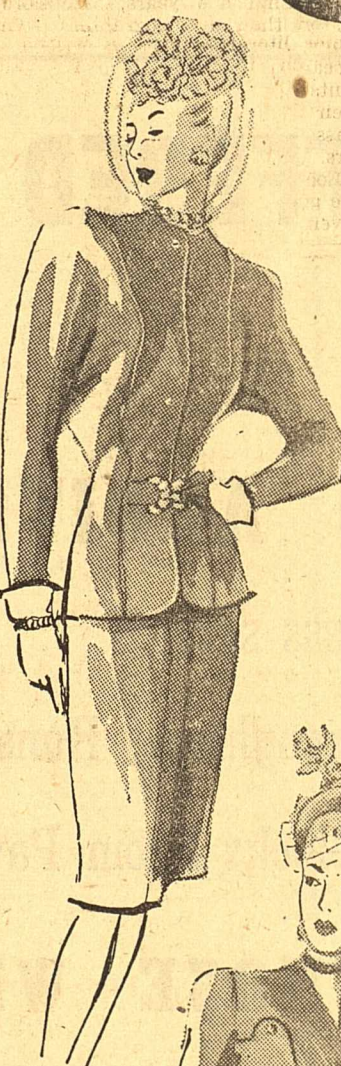
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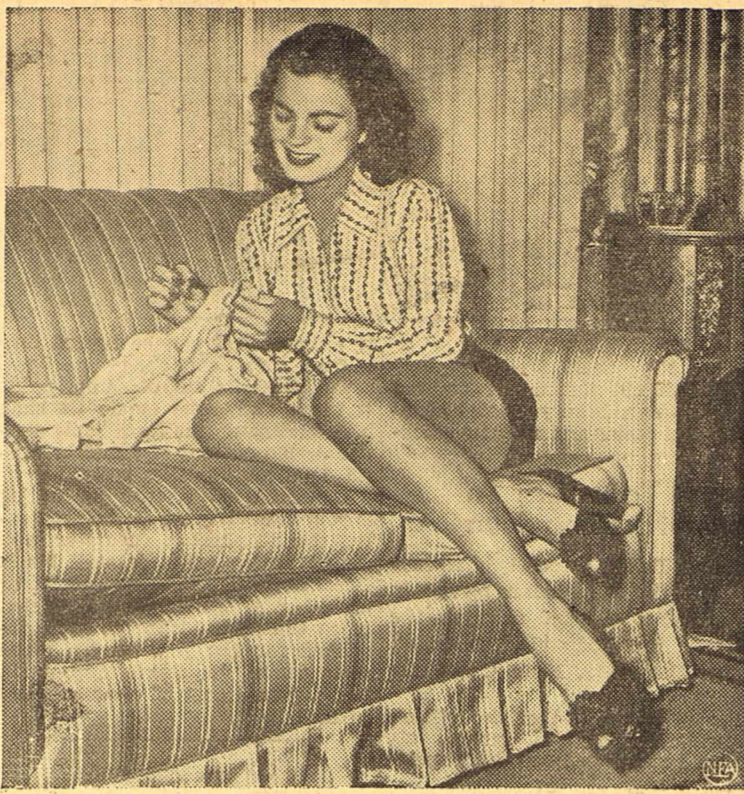
North Elementary First Grade Pupils Present Entertaining Program

The first grade under the direction of Mrs. Peters presented the program for North Elementary School assembly Tuesday in the auditorium under the supervision of Mrs. Peters. John Redfern was the announcer.

PURPLE LIPSTICK IS FOR EXOTICS ONLY

By ALICIA HART NEA Staff Writer The danger of a two-dark lipstick on a young girl whose back-talk to teacher or mother is "But I've got on practically NO make-up" is that neither is convinced.

Weekly Chore Time Pays



FAITH DOMERGUE: Time out for drab chores.

By ALICIA HART NEA Staff Writer Setting aside one evening a week for clothes-repair may sound like taking time out for drab chores.

MISS PEARCE LEADS NORTH ELEMENTARY ASSEMBLY PROGRAM

Gwen Campbell and Joe Add Young were announcers for the assembly program presented at North Elementary School Thursday under the direction of Miss Ruth Pearce.

GIRL SCOUT TROOPS AWARDED BADGES

In an impressive candlelight ceremony performed Thursday at the First Presbyterian Church, members of Girl Scout troops two and eight were awarded proficiency badges.

Food badges were awarded to the following members of Troop Two: Julia Beth Galbraith, Carlean Bryan, Shirley Harrison and Martha Scharbauer.

BRIDE'S FOE

NEA Staff Writer There are brides, so one man tells us, who think they can relax their efforts to look their best just because the husband-chase is over.

HOLLYWOOD ARTIST SAYS LONG HAIR ON WOMEN IS BEAUTIFUL

By BOB THOMAS HOLLYWOOD — (AP)— Lay those scissors down, babe, advises Arthur William Brown, who has been drawing beautiful women for more than 40 years.

That applies to women too. Their strength and beauty lies in their long hair as well.

in Hollywood. They are Gene Tierney, Joan Blondell, Paulette Goddard and Lauren Bacall. Coincidentally, all were models for Brown.

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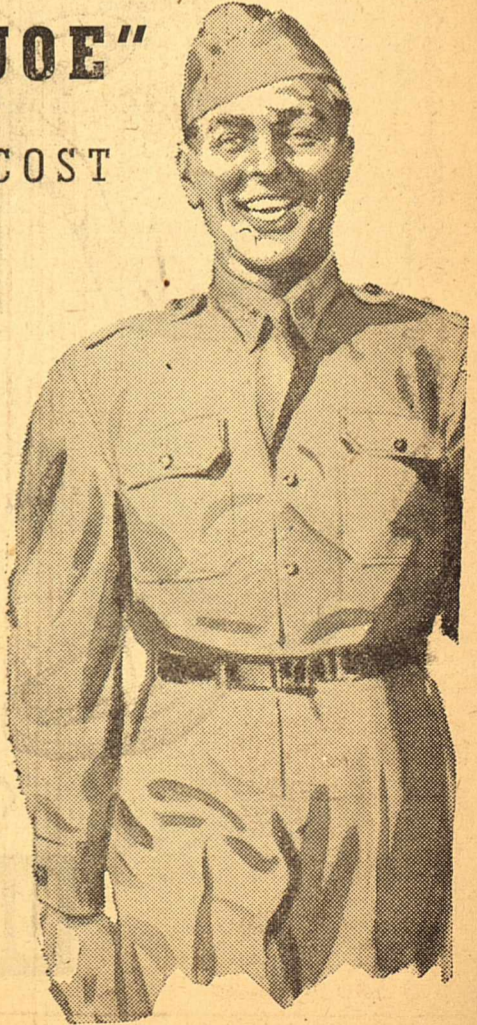
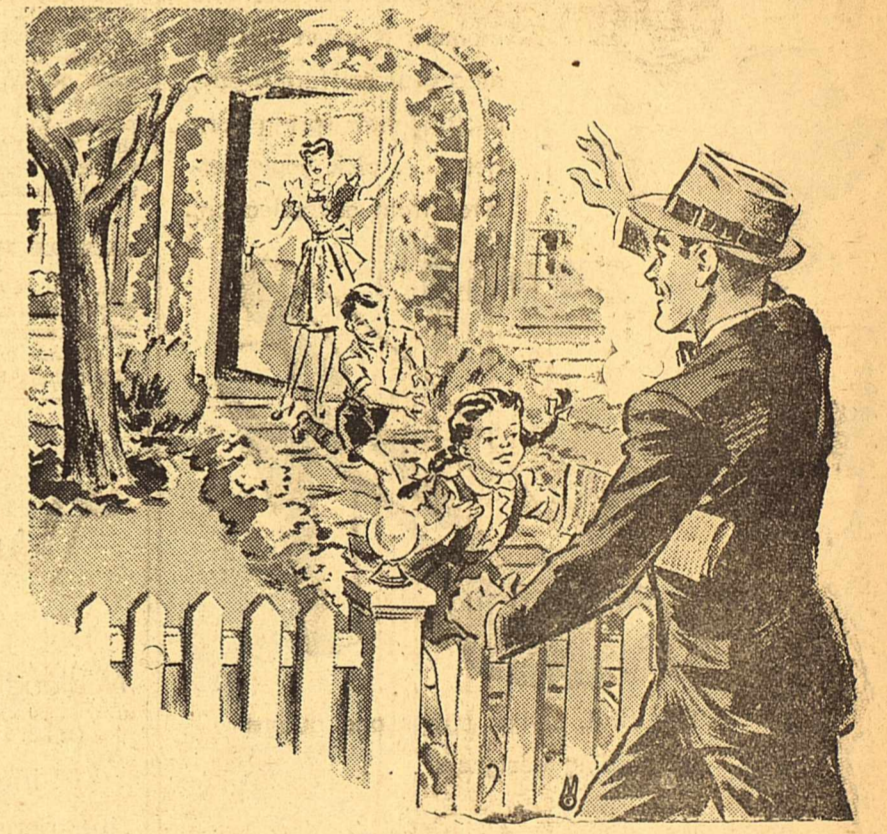
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Kermit Election Tuesday Drawing Unusual Interest

Special to The Reporter-Telegram
KERMIT—The city election Tuesday is drawing more interest than any election held in this area in some time. Kermit voters are to name a mayor and two city commissioners, the entire governing body of the city.

Two names will appear on the ballot for mayor. W. H. Wilson, who served as mayor several years ago, was the first to announce for this position. Kenneth Burrows, who is completing his first full term as mayor, accepted the bid to run for reelection after a petition was filed with city officials asking his name to be placed on the ballot.

The race for city commissioner has drawn six candidates, none of whom is seeking reelection. The present commissioners, Hugh Moore and O. C. Mays, announced they would not seek reelection. The complete city commission ballot will include Elie E. Lam, John F. Moore, G. W. Robertson, Jack Shirley, W. M. Walker, and Jim Gamble.

Win Music Scholarships



Reading from left to right are: Jacqueline Theis and Lou Nell Hudman of Midland and Mollie Dean Shannon of Temple. Mary Hardin-Baylor College music students who won Presser Scholarship awards from the Presser Foundation of Philadelphia.

Tots Journey To Make-Believe Land Via Children's Story Hour At Library

By TANNER LAINE
Maybe most adults are too busy with the world and never give it a thought, but every Saturday morning scores of bright-eyed boys and girls go away on a jaunt to the land of make-believe and back again via the Children's Story Hour.

They come trooping in to hear the story which Miss Martha Creagh will tell. With dramatic expression she will read it from a red book and the children will listen. Yes, and will ask questions, you can be sure. They, these Little Miss and Mister Midlands, take their seats at the table. The story begins.

Saturday it was the story of Solomon, The Antique Cat, and they joyed in the revels of this many feline as he came from Fish Town to Hamilton Street, the good side

of town, and found a home and warm saucer of milk. There were mice, dolls, and chased from Mr. Timpkins, who hated cats, in the story.

Pigtails Are There
Pigtails with blue ribbons, pig-tails tied in red, blue dresses and red, jumper dresses and hair done like big sister's or mother's. These are the little Midland girls, who come to the Story Hour. Overalls and sweat shirts, short pants and long, T-shirts like big brother's, cowlick hair, these are the little Midland boys, who come to hear the Story Hour.

Ladylike Miss Mary Louise Erskine listened attentively. Her eyes lighted up at intervals and she just had to get up and look at the book every once in a while to keep tabs on Solomon. Her sister, Ruth Ann, was there and liked the story, too. Master Ben Mike Etheridge's attention was undivided.

Jerry Hyatt, a typical little boy, short haircut and all, took it all in and followed Solomon from start to finish. Well, maybe once in a dozen times or so letting his mind and eyes wander around the library.

Some of the children wandered actually. They would walk over and look around and then come back and sit down.

Barbara Gail, she is eight, was very nice, but she had to go to the barber shop to wait for her little brother and didn't get to hear the story. She checked out some books to read next week.

Linda McFarland was there with a pretty white ribbon in her hair. Many Children Hear

Mimi Green, Margaret Hiatt and Harry Hinkle listened well as did David Duffey, Sue McWorkman and Nancy Estes. There was Judy Sandowski, Caroline Hazlip, Robert Evans, Evelyn Arthur, Jay Van Arthur, Bill Statton, Eddie McFarland, Eddie Fierston, Kit Thompson, Tommy Barrett, Jerry Kyde, Betty Barrett, Patsy Kimbold, and others.

Some of their mothers brought them. Then came and got them when the story was over. Other kids caught the bus home after the story. Brothers brought sisters, and sisters brought brothers. Some came in hand-in-hand, some singly.

One little boy sat in the reporter's lap and helped him take notes. He was crying, but that chance to help do some reporting sure stopped him. Fact is, he was reluctant to go when the story was over.

They will be back next Saturday, Mary Louise, Ann, Barbara, Mimi, Jerry, Mike.

It may be Tippy, the squirrel next Saturday. Or one about a pony or a gingerbread man.

Whatever it is, children will hear it. Their eyes light up in wonder and belief. And they will enjoy another Children's Story Hour — at 10:30 a. m. every Saturday morning at the library.

Another Case Of Vandalism Along Route Reported

Another in a series of deliberate acts of vandalism along Midland County's rural mail route was reported this weekend.

Acting Postmaster N. G. Oates said Saturday that another mailbox on the route was torn down Thursday night, following by about a week the uprooting of 30 other boxes. Federal postal inspectors are investigating these and other acts of destruction which have occurred on the route in recent weeks.

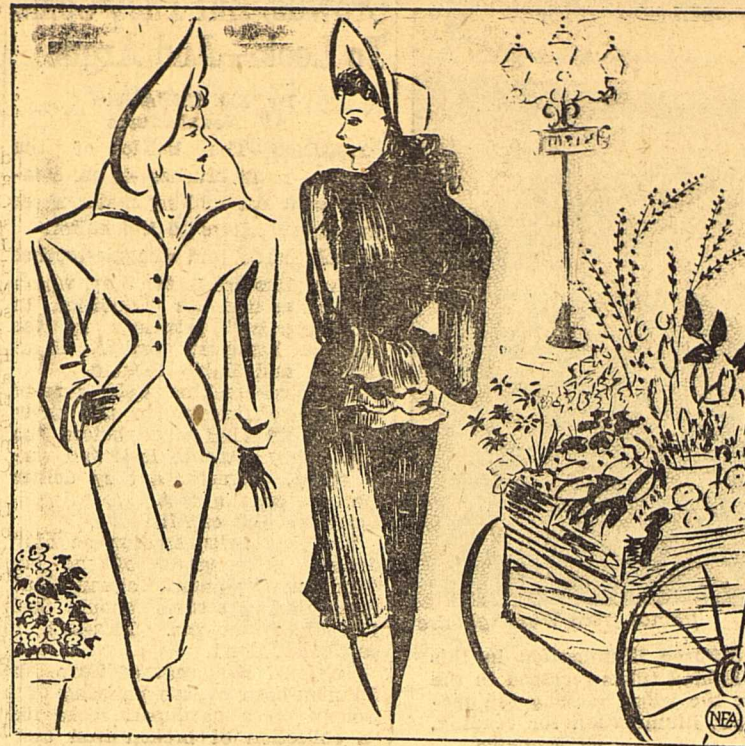
The majority of boxes on the county's only rural route have been damaged by bullets from small calibre guns, and many have been punctured in the past six weeks by blasts from shotgun shells. The vandals apparently placed the muzzles of the guns into the boxes and pulled the triggers.

Reiterates Warning
The 30 mail boxes previously reported uprooted were pulled from the ground on March 22, cement bases and all in some cases. Many of them were tossed into ditches or along fence rows.

Oates reiterated a warning that these offenses carry heavy federal punishment. Fines of from \$100 to \$1,000 and imprisonment of up to two years, according to the severity of the offenses, may be levied upon persons found guilty of these acts.

Uprooting of the mail boxes is believed to be a systematically planned campaign of destruction, since considerable effort would be required to pull many of the structures from the ground. Some of the boxes are mounted on posts firmly embedded in concrete bases.

Fashionable Parisiennes Easter Ensembles



By ROSETTE HARGROVE
NEA Staff Correspondent
PARIS—Fashionable Parisiennes planning their Easter ensembles look with favor at costumes which emphasize the new silhouette launched at the recent Paris showings—the high wasp-waist, rounded neckline, broadened shoulderline and calf-length skirts.

They like Paquin's pastel wool or print tailleurs with their wrist-length cutaway jackets and dramatic collars. His daytime coats have the fullness massed in back under a belted waistline; sometimes he stresses the back fullness with bustle effects. Poke bonnets reminiscent of the Victorian era, vie with toques and flowered canotiers for millinery favor.

Patou uses reefer type town coats over youthful navy and black dresses. Elbow length, bell-shaped sleeves inset in deep armholes—often banded with a contrasting color—are seen on his coats as well as dresses.

Piquet introduces kilts skirts which start from a tight-fitted hip yoke in his suits and dresses. Bodices are close-fitted and sleeves are either cut as one piece capelets or are inset into deep armholes and taper to the elbow. Boleros or coolie coats in pastel blue, yellow or orchid linen, sometimes embroidered in jet, top his daytime frocks. For accessories he launches gold and silver studded leather dog-collars with sports clothes and pearl or jet studded black ribbon dog-collars for formal wear.

Spring seems to come more quickly if you'll rush it with some of the early collections of pretty prints. Rows of tufts, a brief ruffle or a slashed scallop forms the sleeves in brand-new models.

Three Trustees For Kermit Schools Will Be Elected Saturday

Special to The Reporter-Telegram
KERMIT—Three trustees for the Kermit Independent School District and two members of the county board will be elected Saturday.

Three board members of the district whose terms are expiring have filed for reelection, and one new candidate has filed. Up for reelection are Steve Neely, Clyde Bone and J. B. Walton. J. M. Waddell, whose term as a member of the county board is expiring, is the fourth candidate in the Kermit district.

On the county board, W. C. Driver has filed for the place being vacated by Waddell in Precinct 3, and W. B. Smith, Precinct 4, has filed for reelection.

Hold-over members of Kermit board are Elie E. Lam, E. R. Mitchell, E. B. Kennedy, and H. A. Coulter. Hold-over members of the county board are W. E. Reneau, trustee at large; T. D. Lineberry, Precinct 1; and C. D. Hubbard, Precinct 2.

More Than 200 Persons On Waiting Lists For Boxes At Post Office

More than 200 applicants for mail boxes at the Midland Post Office may still be on the waiting lists a year from now if the present situation continues to exist, a survey of the office's facilities indicated this weekend.

All of the 1,392 mail boxes in the office are rented and no space is available for the installation of other boxes, Acting Postmaster N. G. Oates said. Addition of another section of boxes some time ago took up all unused room.

The majority of the applicants live in sections of the city or county where delivery service is not available. Many of the present box-holders could be served by city delivery, it is believed, and postal employes urge those who can take advantage of the delivery to give up their boxes to those who have a more urgent need for them.

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By ALICIA HART NEA Staff Writer
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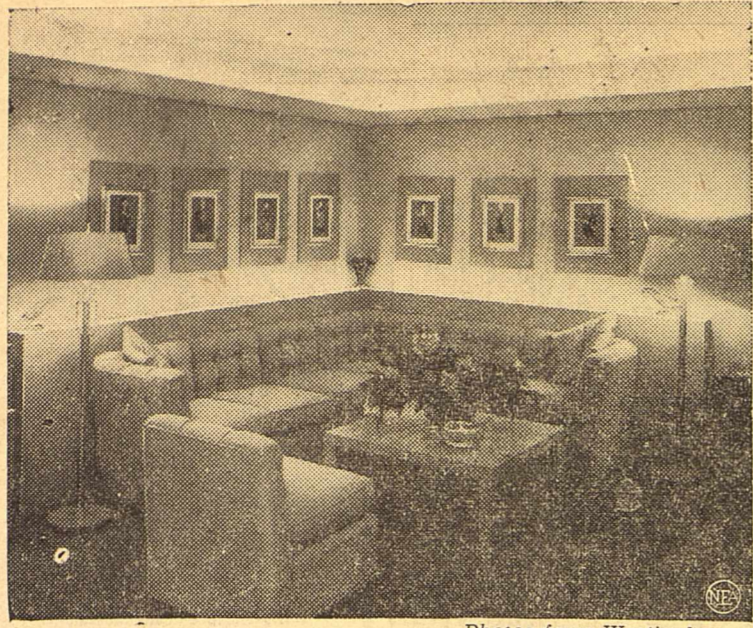
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2:00—Morton Downey.

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8:15—Morning Melodies.

New Lights Thrill Builders



Photos from Westinghouse

Lighted in the modern manner, diffused illumination in this living room comes from fluorescent-lighted tubes recessed in the ceiling around the ceiling and under the ledge backing the sectional sofa.

By KAY SHERWOOD NEA Staff Writer
Bacteria-killing ultra-violet rays that turn on with the flip of a switch, illuminated wallpaper that's out to shame a roomful of fireflies for sheer glow, and, on the practical side, light bills cut in half are claims for improved health, visibility and decorative effects through the medium of better electric lights.

Better visibility and less eye strain in the modern home planned by lighting engineers results from the use of diffused, over-all illumination of a room—usually done with strategically placed tubes of fluorescent light—supplemented by local lighting of working and reading centers.

Paintings Attract Big Crowds, But They Come To Look—And Argue

By ED CREAUGH AP Newsfeatures
LONDON—The battle of the brushes—paint brushes—is on, complete with fist-shaking under noses and nasty letters to the editor.

Noble lords and "snaggle-toothed urchins alike are in the fray, which centers around an exhibition of "non-objective" paintings by the eminent European artists, Henri Matisse and Pablo Picasso. A record-breaking 4,000 persons a day are flocking to the show, first of its kind since before the war.

"More like a set of animated spare ribs," another spectator held declared a daughter of the late "traditional" painter, Holman Hunt. She thinks pictures should look like their subjects. Picasso's, in particular, don't.

Most of the attacks center on Picasso, a self-described communist who went on painting while the Nazis occupied Paris and ignores criticism now as then. He has found ready defenders in the current controversy, however.

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Midland Veterans Enrolled At Tech

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At UNO Meeting



Arkady Sovolev, above, is the Russian delegate to the United Nations Security Council meeting in New York, where the "dynamite" problem of Iran's complaint against USSR is the No. 1 topic.

Pests Are Coming In April

Gardeners Warned To Be Ready For Early Fight Against Insect Hordes

Gardeners should be on the lookout for insect pests, during April, the county agent reports. An early fight against the pests is extremely important, because they increase in numbers rapidly and consequently are likely to cause severe damage to young growing garden plants if they are not controlled. Pests most likely to cause damage to garden plants during the month are aphids, or plant lice, cut worms, flea beetles, and cucumber beetles.



Many good products are available to fight off the attacks of pests, but the best methods are to use poisons. The method of applying poison is as important as choosing the right kind of poison, the agent said. When using a spray or dust, care should be taken to thoroughly cover the entire plant. This means that the underside of the leaves should be covered as well as the upper side.

Aphids or plant lice can be controlled with a 5 per cent mixture of rotenone dust, a 3 per cent nicotine sulphate dust, or a nicotine sulphate spray. If nicotine sulphate is used, an activator such as soap in the spray, should be added.

Flea beetles, and cucumber beetles can be controlled with a mixture of one part cryolite and three parts sulphur, except on vine crops. Talc should replace sulphur on vine crop solutions, because sulphur is likely to burn these vegetables. Cut worms usually are found in the daytime curled in the soil at the base of plants. The worms cut plants at the base at night. A poison bran mash made of five pounds of bran, one tablespoon of Paris green, two quarts of water, and one-half pint of molasses will control them. This mixture should be applied late in the evening by broadcasting if the infestation is general or applied in a thin line along the rows of flowers or plants. Another method is to place one-half teaspoon at the base of each plant. The bait should never be put on the plants.

Ants of various sizes and color are present in almost every flower garden, but in general most of them are not harmful to the plants. The fire ant, which is found in this area, is an exception. This ant will feed on almost anything that can be found and will often kill the plants.

Ant colonies in the soil may be destroyed by injecting carbon bisulphide (highlife) into the nests. This is accomplished by punching a hole three to four inches deep into the center of each nest with a sharpened stick and pouring in a tablespoonful of the carbon bisulphide, using a funnel for the purpose. The opening should be closed with dirt so the heavy fumes will penetrate the soil and kill the colony. A second application may be necessary in 10 days.

Hines Elected Head Of Christian League

DALLAS—(P)—Harry Hines was elected president of the Texas Layman's League of Christian Churches at the close of the State Church Convention here.

Vice president of the league are Lewis Ackers, Abilene; W. W. Housewright, San Benito; George Knykendall, Lubbock; Tom Williamson, Palestine; and Gene Briscoe, San Antonio.

R. E. Shepherd of Dallas was re-elected secretary-treasurer and Arthur A. Everetts of Dallas was named director of stewardship.

Named governors at large were James V. Alford, Houston; Elmer L. Lincoln, Texarkana; Cecil Morgan, Fort Worth; A. C. Baer, San Antonio; and Jesse P. Holt, Sherman.

A blow with a stick on the tip of the porcupine's sensitive nose will kill him.

Army Caste System Investigation Begins



(NEA Telephoto) Joe McCarthy, right, a New York magazine writer and former managing editor of Yank, is questioned by reporters as he leaves after testifying before six-man board which is investigating the Army's caste system in Washington, D. C. McCarthy said he told the board at the closed hearing that GI gripes stem solely from special privileges granted to officers and withheld from enlisted men.

The U. S. has the highest per capita rate of consumption of matches among adults in the world, about 14 per day, and the lowest cost for matches, six mills a week.

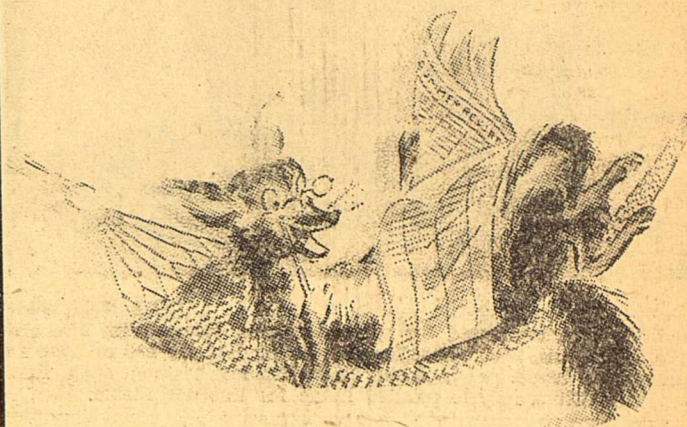
Plans Progress On Annual Dairy Day Show; Milk Production Judging May Be Included

Plans for the annual Midland Dairy Day are progressing, directors of the Midland Dairy Producers Association announced this weekend, and signs point to a highly successful show. The event has been set for May 13. The Dairy Day show will be open to the world, and any breed may be entered. Dairy cattle do not have to be registered stock, it was announced.

production but has not yet reached a decision. If this contest is included the cows will be judged on the quantity of milk and butterfat produced in two milkings. The Dairy Day show, an annual event, was discontinued during the war.

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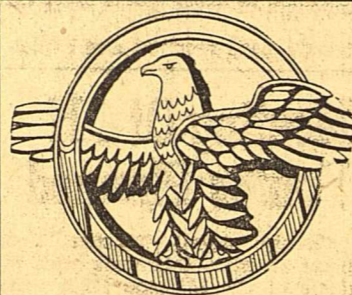
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Butcher Cattle Sell Strong At Weekly Auction

A light run on cattle was reported by the Texas Cattle Sales, Inc. at the weekly auction Thursday, but the 450 to 500 head offered found a steady outlet since plenty of buyers were present. Butcher cattle sold especially well, moving at prices from \$8 to \$15.50.

Canner cows brought from \$6.50 to \$8 and fat cows found a steady outlet at from \$9.50 to \$13. Stocker cows and calves sold well, with one consignment of 37 bringing \$118 each.

The top bull, weighing 1,670 pounds, sold at \$13.

Representative list of sales and sellers:

Edd Garnett, Big Spring: Durham cow, weight 930, \$9.80; Jersey cow, 1020, \$8.60; whiteface cow, 770, \$14.80; Jersey cow, 670, \$8; Brahma steer, 695, \$13.50.

V. B. Hightower, Big Spring: calf, 55, \$14; Brahma calf, 375, \$13.50; calf, 370, \$13.50; whiteface heifer, 445, \$13.65; Jersey cow, 780, \$8.00; Jersey heifer, 340, \$9.40; cow, 875, \$14.00; Jersey steer, 380, \$11.10.

A. C. Frances, Midland: 30 whiteface calves, seven cows, \$118 each; 12 cows and calves, \$98.50; whiteface heifer, 395, \$14.

Cliff Hazelwood, Stanton: 12 whiteface calves, \$45; 23 whiteface calves, \$50.

Bull Brings \$11.10

George Glass, Midland: whiteface bull, 1155, \$11.10; E. H. Barron, Midland: whiteface bull, 1535, \$9.50.

K. S. Boone, Midland: mottled yearling, 440, \$13.10; mottled heifer, 480, \$13.80.

Oliver Nichols, Big Spring: steer yearling, 425, \$13; Brahma steer, 545, \$13.50; Durham steer, 510, \$13; whiteface steer, 480, \$13.50; whiteface yearling, 410, \$13.80; whiteface heifer, 560, \$13.70.

Mack Sanders, Wink: cow and calf, by the head, \$73; another combination, \$95.50.

Frank Cowden, Midland: three whiteface cows, 1110, 1005 and 815, for \$13, \$12.80 and \$4.30; Brahma steer, 455, \$14; whiteface bull, 655, \$12.30.

R. J. Shortes, Knott, one of the largest consignors: mottled heifer, 465, \$12.30; whiteface heifer, 400, \$14; whiteface heifer, 410, \$14; five whiteface heifers, 1930, \$14.30; whiteface heifer, 490, \$14.70; three whiteface cows, 795, 900 and 865, for \$8.15, \$9 and \$8.65; heifer, 455, \$13.65; cow, 1050, \$9.10; Durham bull, 460, \$13.55; whiteface yearling, 490, by the head, \$65; whiteface heifer, 500, \$14.20; Brahma heifer, 500, by the head, \$87.50; red Durham heifer, 550, \$14.80; and others.

J. L. Glaze, Midland: Brahma heifer, 950, \$13; whiteface calf, 440, \$15.40.

Psychology, Music, Adventure Lead As Themes For Movies

By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD —(P)— Like most industries, the motion picture business is reaching peak production as it reconverts to its peacetime product. That product appears to be predominantly psychology, music and adventure.

This week 60 feature pictures are being made in Hollywood, compared to 44 in 1942 and 33 in 1939.

Screen writers are poring over Freud these nights, as the dramatic offerings are dominated by schizophrenia, claustrophobes and just plain loonies. Among the psychodramas now being made are "Undercurrent" with Katharine Hepburn and Robert Taylor; "The Dark Mirror", Olivia de Havilland, Lew Ayres; "Desirable Woman", Joan Bennett, Robert Ryan; "What Nancy Wanted", Brian Aherne, Lorraine Day. Maybe "My Brother Who Talked to Horses", should come in here, too.

Musicals in Making
In the musical department are the Jolson Story, "Larry Parks"; "Down to Earth", Rita Hayworth; "Til the Clouds Roll By", the Jerome Kern biography with Robert Walker; "Fiesta", Esther Williams; "Humoresque", Joan Crawford, John Garfield, and "Fandango", Rimsky-Korsakov biography with Yvonne DeCarlo and Brian Donlevy.

Adventure is always a salable film commodity as exemplified by the current "Sinbad the Sailor", Douglas Fairbanks, Jr.; "Gallant Journey", Glider History, Glenn Ford and Janet Blair; "A Woman of My Own", postwar adventure, Greer Garson, Robert Montgomery; "Cheyenne", western, Dennis Morgan, Jane Wyman; "Forever Amber", sex, Peggy Cummins, Cornel Wilde.

It is noteworthy that only two war pictures are being made—"O.S.S.", Alan Ladd and Geraldine Fitzgerald; and "Cloak and Dagger", Gary Cooper. Both are about the Office of Strategic Services, which apparently is the only war agency which has retained a charm for the movie makers.

Jute Balls For Killing Prairie Dogs Available

The county agent's office has on hand 2,000 jute balls for use in killing prairie dogs, and invites persons having trouble with the animals to use them. The jute balls are dipped in carbon bisulphide and rolled into the prairie dog holes, poisoning the pests.

More than 9,000 of the balls have been obtained this year by farmers and ranchers of the county and good results are reported.

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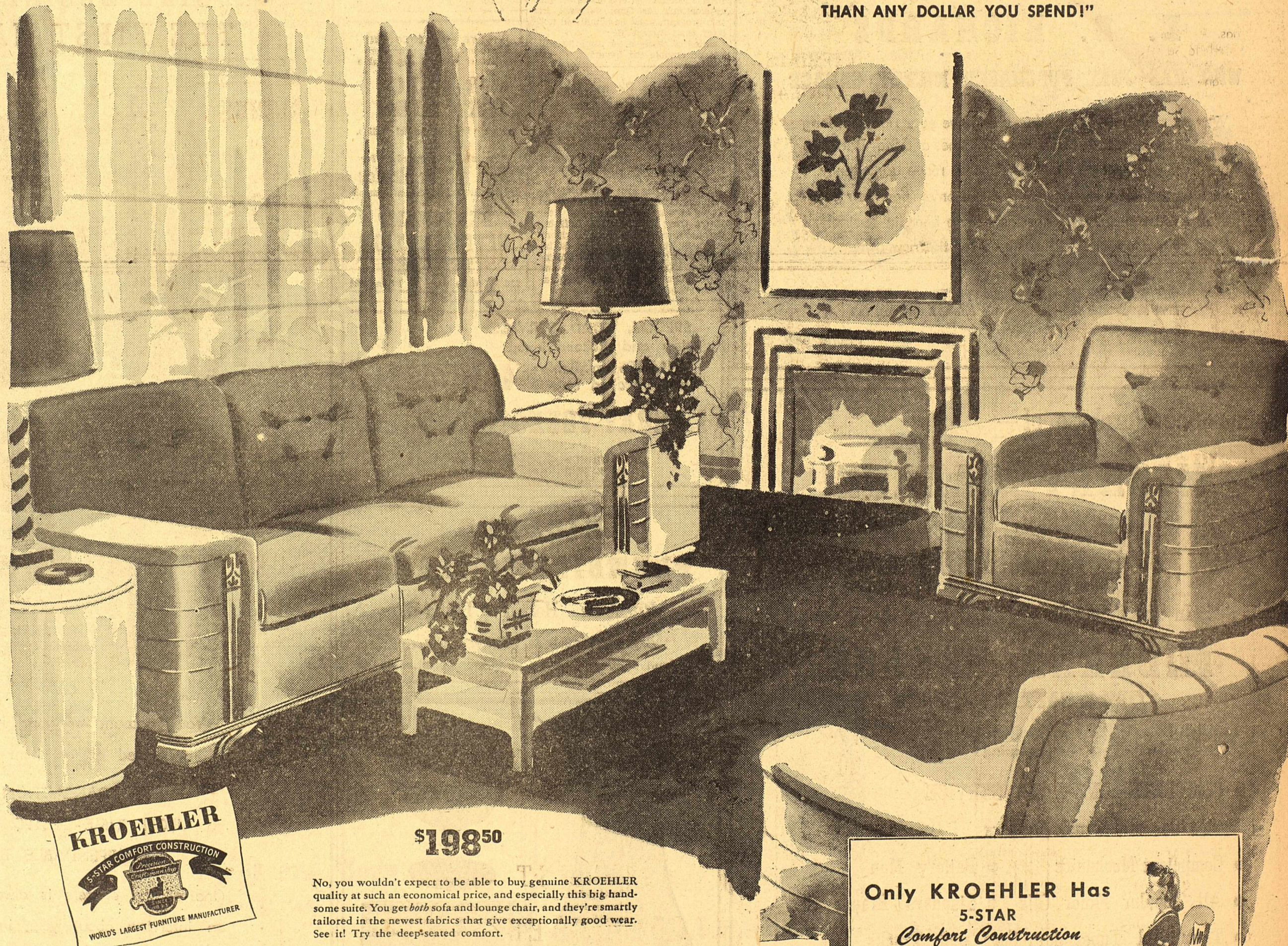
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General Bruce Heads For Home At Temple
 SEOUL, KOREA—(P)—Maj. Gen. Andrew D. Bruce, commander of the Seventh Infantry Division, has departed for the United States for his first leave since 1937. His wife, Roberta, lives in Temple, Texas. Bruce, with the Second Infantry Division in World War I, was awarded the Croix de Guerre and the French Legion of Honor. In World War II he led the 77th Infantry Division in the Guam, Keramo Rhetto, Ie Shima, Okinawa and Philippines campaigns. He was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross, the Distinguished Service Medal with cluster, the Navy Distinguished Service Medal, the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star and the Purple Heart.

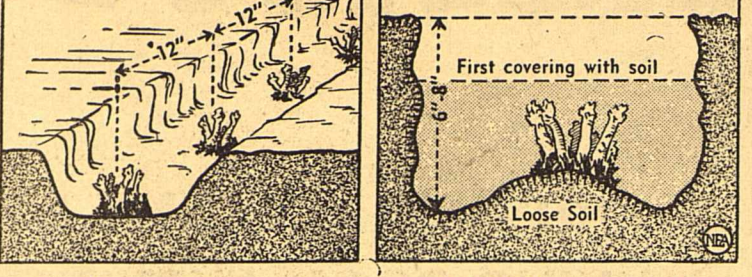
Tweet-Thing

 When only six months old, Earl Zabel of Milwaukee, Wis., learned to whistle and now, at 10 months, he's quite an expert, twittering away by the hour. Most boys don't learn to whistle until they're four or five years old, most girls—never.
 Light travels at such speed that it goes seven times around the world while you snap your fingers once.

New Paint Store To Be Opened In Midland In April

James O. Simmons, Jr., and John R. Hall, Jr., both of Lubbock, this week announced they would open the Simmons-Hall Company, paint and wallpaper store, at 208 South Main Street between April 15 and May 1. The store will be located in a new building. Mirrors, artist supplies, pictures, picture framing, venetian blinds, window shades and curtains will be available at the store in addition to regular lines of nationally-known paints, varnishes and other painters' supplies and wallpaper, Simmons said. Both men are veterans and were only recently discharged from the service. They will be assisted in operating the store by their wives. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and son, John Robert III, have purchased a home and have moved here from Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons plans to move here in the near future. Simmons was connected with a bank at Odessa for one and a half years and at Lubbock for two and a half years before volunteering for service in the Army finance department in June, 1942. Hall, a painting contractor, was associated with his father in the operation of John R. Hall & Son painting contracting business at Lubbock. He entered the Seabees in 1943 and spent 24 of the 27 months of service on the South Pacific.

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Most important to asparagus growing is initial care in planting. Sketch diagram above shows how to space rows and proper depth for setting roots.
 spring and the earlier the better. It is best to use one-year roots, for older roots seldom do as well over a period of years. Twelve crowns for each member of the family will be adequate. Plant only strong sturdy roots. Set the roots six to eight inches deep in light soil and four to six inches deep in heavy soil. Deep planting has not proved to be of any particular value. Space the plants 12 inches apart in the row and make the rows three to four feet apart, depending on the amount of space you have. The bed should be on one side of the garden where it will not be disturbed, keeping the first and last rows three feet away from other plantings and any obstructions. Cover the roots with only two inches of soil until at least two shoots have made their growth, then the furrow can be gradually filled in. Do not fill in too quickly or some of the asparagus plants may be smothered. Any well-drained soil is suitable for asparagus, providing the soil is only slightly acid. Spears should not be cut until the second spring after setting the bed and then only for a month. After that the bed can be cut for two months every year. Cutting must stop after mid-summer to allow the plants to grow and store up plant food in the roots for next year's crop. **Fertilize Every Year** The dead tops can be removed and burned or put on the compost pile, although where the bed can be disc-harrowed, the tops can be disc-harrowed in any time before growth starts. If manure is available, a light coating each year, either in the spring or fall, will help prolong the life of the bed and increase the size of the spears.

Was An Answer To His Question Necessary?

AUSTIN—(P)—A long distance telephone call from San Antonio awakened State Liquor Administrator Bert Ford at a late night hour. A thick voice inquired: "Mr. Ford, this place won't sell me any beer. Do you think I'm drunk?" Ford didn't say what his reply was.

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Four Texas Refineries Are Offered For Sale
 DALLAS—(P)—Four Texas oil refineries built at a cost of \$45,500,000 to produce 100 octane aviation gasoline are being offered for sale or lease by the War Assets Administration. The refineries are: Southport Petroleum Company of Delaware, on Texas State Highway 416, near Texas City; Republic Oil Refining Company, on Texas State Highway 145, near Texas City; Eastern States Petroleum Company of Texas, Manchester District, Houston; and Crown Central Petroleum Corporation, Pasadena.

HEREFORD ASSOCIATION TO ELECT OFFICIALS TUESDAY

Members of the West Texas Hereford Association will meet in the Agriculture Building at Abilene at 2 p. m. Tuesday to elect officers and directors, Roy Largent of Merkel, president, has announced. All association members are requested to attend. Plans for coming sales and activities will be made.

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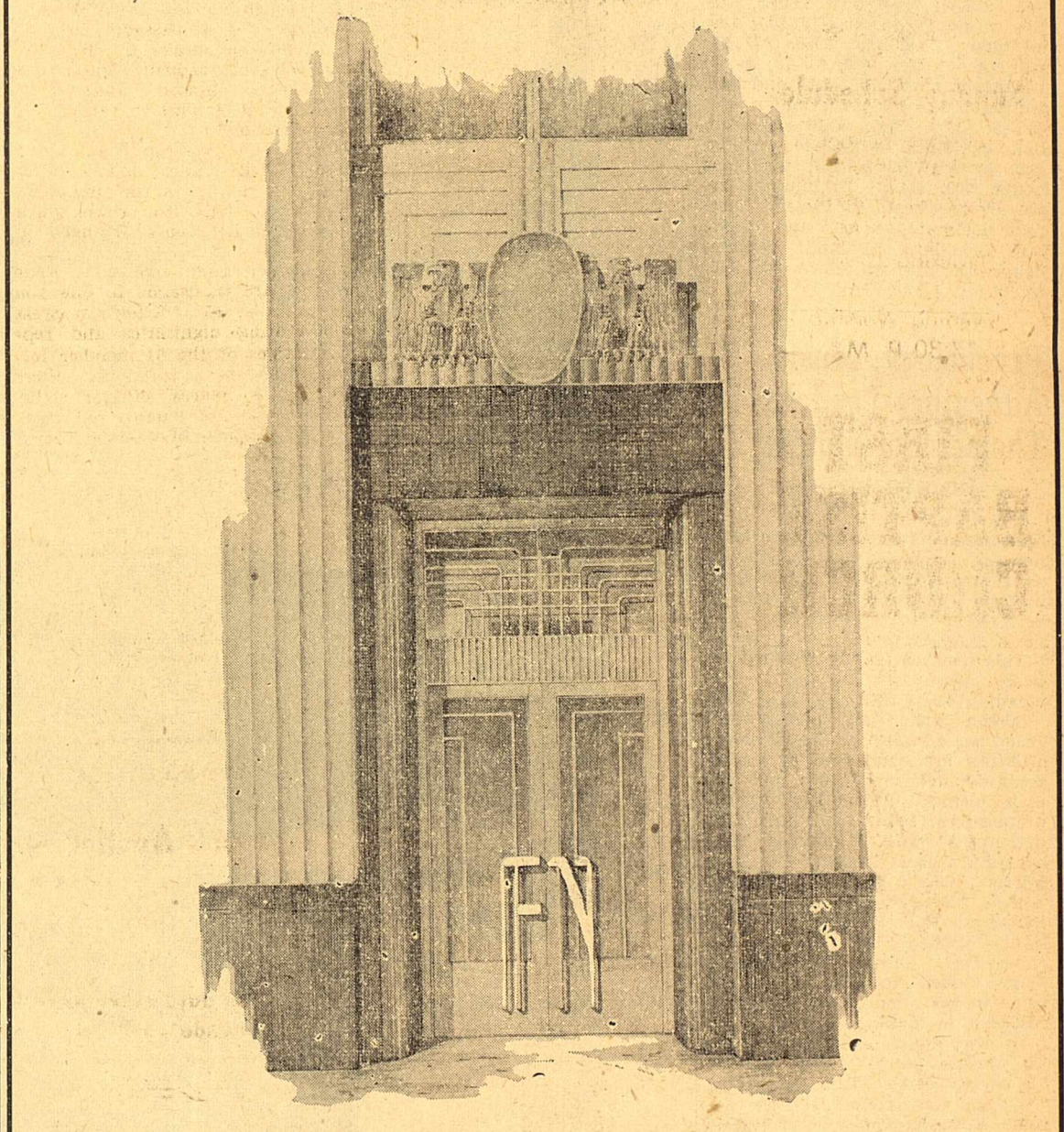
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Egyptian Girls Attend Co-Ed Schools But Otherwise Old Customs Are Kept

By HAL BOYLE
CAIRO—(P)—Divorce is easy for men in Egypt. They just call in the wife, say "go" to her three times and they are free men again. But for the ladies it is no such simple matter.

"Here a woman not only can't say 'go' one girl told me. 'She can't even say 'come'!"

For getting married to a man of her choice is of much more concern to the average educated young Egyptian girl than how she will dispose of him later, if she decides to change her mind.

Meeting the young man himself is the biggest problem in this old land where courtship has many more barriers in its path than marriage. This is because the old Moslem families don't allow their daughters the freedom girls have in western countries.

Girls sit in co-educational classes with men in the universities, but

they can't meet them outside. At least theoretically they can't.

"We are totally different from our mothers," said one young university graduate who precipitated a crisis in her own family by taking an editorial post in a magazine where men were also employed. "My own mother saw no man before or after marriage for years, except her brothers and her married uncles."

"Men servants in her household didn't see her. She didn't go to school. She was taught in her own house by woman teachers. Now she does go out and she finally allowed me to go to school and later to go to work."

Can't Date Strangers
"But we can't dance or go out on a date with strangers. And all men are considered strangers to us except our brothers and our married cousins. Our social life consists of trips to cinemas and evenings at home."

Girls go to the movies in groups, never alone or with a boy friend. A girl usually can't even invite her boy friend to her home, because that would bring up the question of how she met him.

The telephone is playing a major role in breaking down these old standards, but a young man embarked on phone courtship can't simply ring up his girl at her home. He has his sister do the calling and then he takes over.

In 1930 the Egyptian government helped to make up a financial deficit by putting an overtime charge on phone conversations lasting more than three minutes. Love balanced the budget.

Elopement is practically unknown here. A few upper class fathers would force their daughters into marriage against their will, but virtually no girl would marry against her parent's wishes. It all works out in some sort of family compromise, but a remarkable number of young men seem to get caught.

The girls themselves feel that they have been born in an unhappy time for young love, when the old stern ways are bending under the impact of modernity but haven't been broken. They are freer than their mothers were, less free than their daughters will be.


"We are the victims of this generation," one girl sighed.

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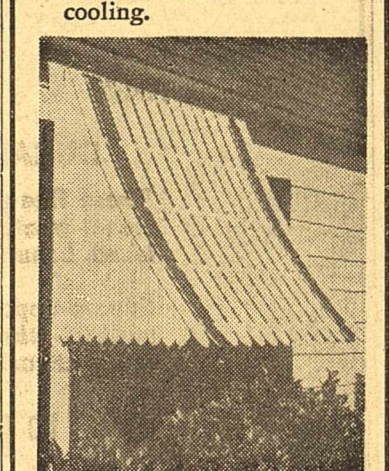
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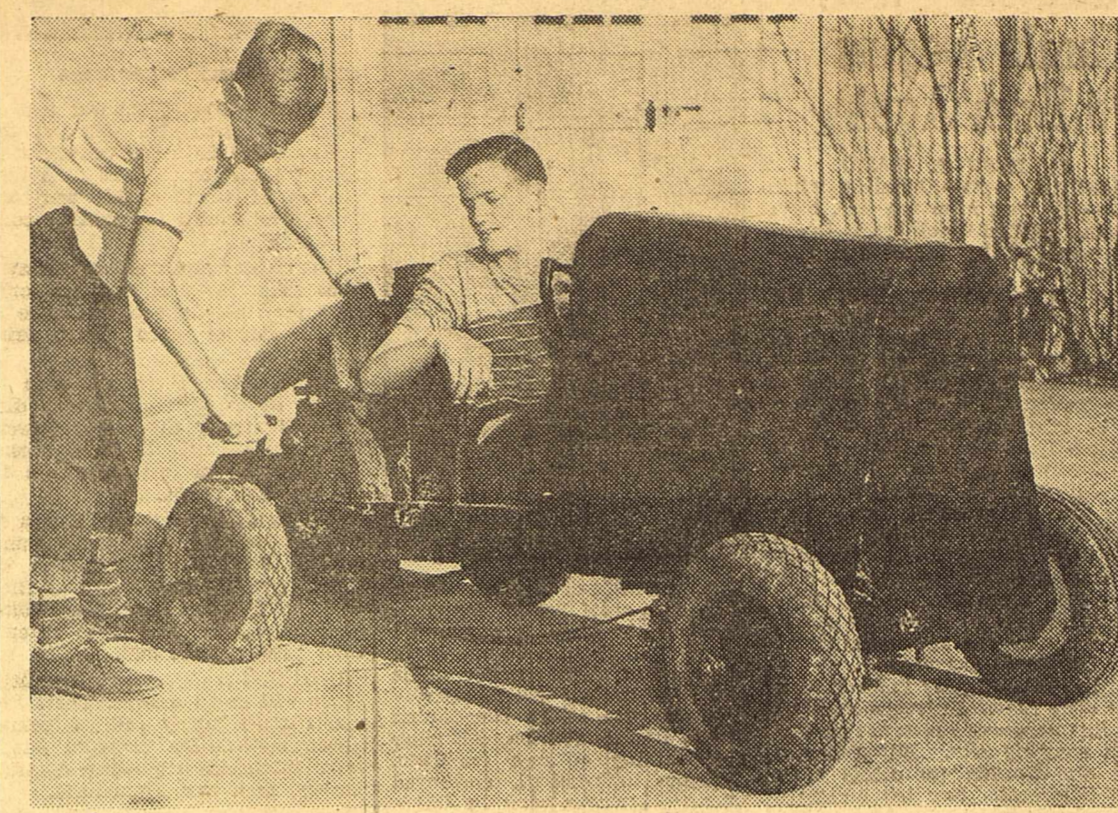
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Two Amarillo lads grew tired of waiting on the new 1946 model cars, so they built one of their own. Eddie Stone, 14, at the crank, and Guyon Saunders, 16, spent many weary hours working on their auto. The boys, who had not had any previous mechanical training, built the car from a 20-year-old motorcycle transmission, an old motor, a few pieces of lumber, some scrap tin and other parts from the junk yard. The engine is five-eighths horse-power and has been driven 35 miles per hour. The car has a wheelbase of 52-inches and stands three-and-half feet high. The boys say it cost them about \$50 to build it.

City Manager Watches Once-Booming Mine Town Slide

By RALPH DIGHTON
AP Newsfeature
JEROME, ARIZ.—City Manager R. E. Moore's meditative gaze strayed down into the valley, past tumbled ruins in his once-booming mine town.

Below his perch on the courthouse railing vacant buildings and homes spilled down the mountain-side for 1,000 feet. These were the physical relics of the City of Jerome, the town that is literally sliding into oblivion.

"It's more than a little disheartening," Moore said, "to see your city going to pieces in front of your very eyes."

Nearing Bottom, But—
"That's what is happening to Jerome, you know. I'm not thinking only of the fact that we're sliding slowly down the mountain-side. The land on which the town is built is collapsing into abandoned mine shafts, and has been since 1930, at a rate of a foot and a half a month. But that subsidence recently has been decreasing. The old shafts are filling and we could rebuild the city."

"But why should we? There isn't much reason to go to the trouble," Moore said, "and that's the worst of it."

The mining operations responsible for the subsidence, Moore said,

were abandoned when the copper ore body gave out. Other mines in Cleopatra Mountain are operating, but newer towns in the area have eliminated the necessity of Jerome's continued existence, he said. He also blamed the war as a major factor. Many miners, he said, went into the services, and others were lured away by higher pay in west coast war industries. Few have come back to Jerome.

"Once we had 2,200 workers. Now we have about 300," Moore said. "I don't believe the town is ever going to make a comeback. Our peak population was 8,500, against the 2,000 we have now."

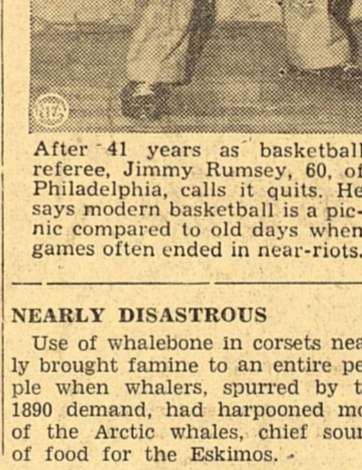
Mile-high Jerome's downhill slide caused the wrecking over a period of years of the main business center of town. As the crust slipped, two and three-story buildings were condemned and pulled down before any uncautious residents could be hurt.

"We've probably got the only jail in the world that has 'walked' across the street. Of course, it took the street with it, but it arrived on the other side intact. We could still use it if we had to," Moore said, "but it's been abandoned for lack of plumbing and inaccessibility."

Labor Problem Joker
The city manager insisted it was not the slide that emptied the town's buildings, although most of them show signs of the stress.

"It's the lack of labor," he said. "I've never seen anything like it, and I've held this job for 21 years. 'There's one bright spot in the picture,' Moore said, and his blue eyes signaled the start of a smile that indicated he wasn't too worried about the future of Jerome, after all. "I guess this is about the only place in Arizona where you can still rent a house or an office, or a whole office building, and still keep your shirt and your soul."

'Yah—You!'



After 41 years as basketball referee, Jimmy Rumsey, 60, of Philadelphia, calls it quits. He says modern basketball is a picnic compared to old days when games often ended in near-riots.

NEARLY DISASTROUS
Use of whalebone in corsets nearly brought famine to an entire people when whalers, spurred by the 1890 demand, had harpooned most of the Arctic whales, chief source of food for the Eskimos.

E. B. Richards Purchases Garage On Wall Street

E. B. Richards has purchased Mickey's Garage at 122 East Wall Street from S. E. Mickey, and will assume management of the business Monday, it was announced Saturday. Name of the firm will be changed to Midland Garage, Tire & Battery Service, Richards said.

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Traffic Deaths Rise 45 Per Cent In Year

CHICAGO—(P)—The nation's traffic deaths in February totaled 2,450, a 45 per cent increase over the same month a year ago and only 7 per cent below traffic's deadliest February in 1941, the National Safety Council said here.

The council said that on the basis of last month's record, it stood pat on its prediction of a near-record toll of 38,000 traffic deaths in 1946—"unless the drivers and pedestrians decide to do something about it". Traffic fatalities in the first two months of 1946 were 5,450, compared to 3,700 for the corresponding period in 1945.

Mileage figures for last month were not available, but the council said latest information indicates that January mileage on rural highways increased sharply, even exceeding the prewar year of 1941 by 7 per cent. The nation's total mileage went up about 30 per cent in January over a year ago.

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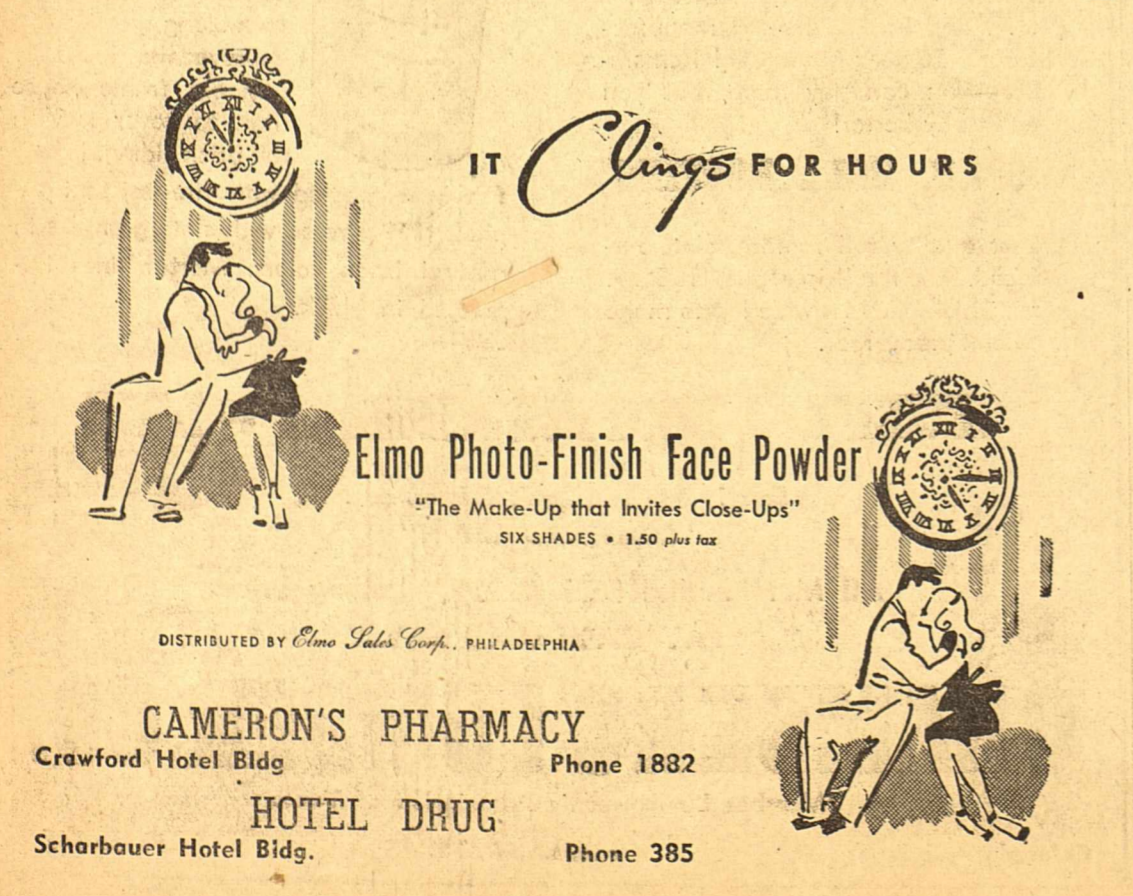


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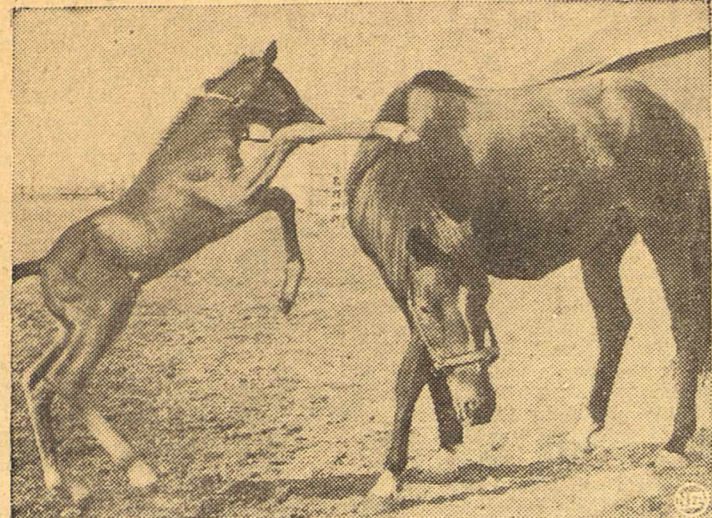
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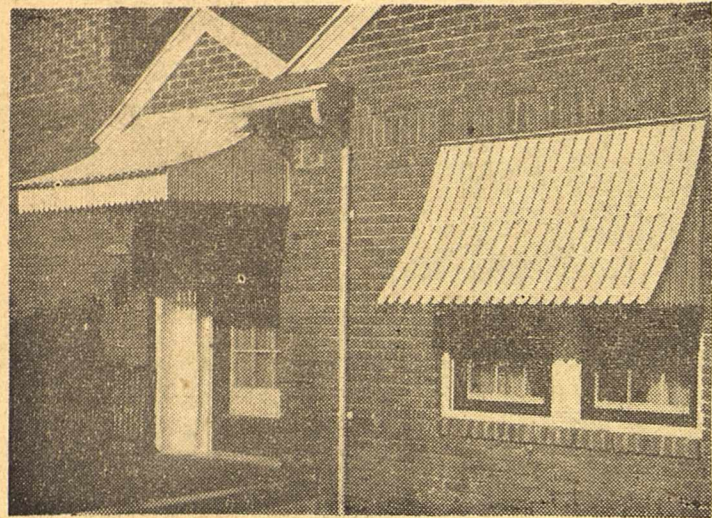
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Ruined By War, Manila Begins To Hum Again

By JOHN R. WARD MANILA (AP)—Manila's white buildings, seen from the bay, form a proud skyline which seems to be quaking by victor and vanquished. But it is different inside the Philippines capital. Military traffic and vehicles sold to civilians as surplus—and painted gaudy colors—flow in thick, ant-like streams past cracked shells of big buildings. The transportation system is on a catch as catch can basis and is terrifically overloaded. Enterprising Filipinos are converting military vehicles, especially jeeps, into taxis as rapidly as they become available. But there is no city-wide transportation network.

Quaint carretela—high, two-wheeled carriages drawn by small, tough horses—are seen everywhere. Few Buildings Repaired

It has been slightly more than a year since American troops smashed the last Japanese resistance in this then smoking city. But Filipinos still are clearing up debris from that holocaust. Few big buildings have been repaired. Most were damaged beyond repair. Bullet-battered masonry is all that remains of what once were beautiful hotels, government buildings and palatial homes.

But Manila hums with activity. Open air shops are doing a thriving business along every street, the flow of goods from the United States is increasing steadily, but prices of most commodities are high and beyond the reach of many Filipinos.

Appointed Chief Hostess



Appointment of Miss Peggy Booker as chief hostess for Continental Air Lines is announced by Lynn H. Dennis, Continental's manager of flight service. The new chief hostess will be responsible for the entire functioning of the hostess division, including the training of new hostesses. Striking, dark-haired, dark-eyed Miss Booker was born in Oklahoma City and her family moved to Albuquerque when she was a year old. She attended grade and high school in Albuquerque, and was graduated from Colorado Women's College in Denver, majoring in business administration.

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MacKENZIE'S COLUMN

PARIS (AP)—Whenever two or more serious-minded folk get together these days the conversation almost inevitably arrives at a discussion of whether this war-torn Europe is headed for another conflict.

The danger of a further upheaval does exist. However, war not only isn't inevitable but the balance is on the side of peace at this writing.

And what has created such a threat as exists? It's due to differences among the major powers in connection with the realignment of the zones of influence both in Europe and in Asia.

The newborn might of Russia is pouring into much of the vacuum created by the disappearance of Germany, Italy and Japan as first class powers, and by the disability of France and Britain to defend their place in the sun.

Until that realignment is finished, peace will be in danger. There remains some highly delicate points to be settled—for example, Moscow's intentions regarding Austria, Turkey, Iran and Manchuria.

Dangers Not Unsurmountable

Generalissimo Stalin expressed confidence in the United Nations as an instrument for preserving peace. That reflects the views of numerous statesmen with whom I have talked recently in various European countries. All are keenly aware of the dangers to peace, but none believe the dangers are unsurmountable. The degree of success of the United Nations Organization will be in direct ratio to the degree of agreement among the Big Three—Russia, Britain and America.

Many competent observers here in Europe are greatly encouraged by the more positive stand being taken recently by the Big Three in their dealing with one another.

Military leaders and statesmen alike recognize that the moment has arrived when firmness and two-fisted frankness is necessary. A soft answer still may turn away wrath, but the soft answer doesn't necessarily have to be the "yes" of appeasement.

New Months Critical

The United Nations Organization has dangerous waters to negotiate at the outset. Apart from the maneuvering of the European powers for position there are other problems developing out of the chaos caused by the war, hunger and inflation.

Still, none of the problems, serious as they are, need cause another global conflict—barring one contingency. That contingency would be the attempt of a major power to take advantage of a crisis to extend its own zone of influence. Give us another few months and we shall be able to say whether there is any power which has such unholly ambitions.

Those months are the crucial period for world peace.

PARIS—A distinguished Frenchman remarked to me during a dinner conversation that his country is very ill and that he believes the other Western Allies should treat her accordingly—that is, with firmness when she is unreasonable, and with material aid when she needs it.

I'm sure from my own observations that my friend's diagnosis is correct. Whether his prescription is right is something to be determined by the Allied governments. France's case is rendered especially grave by complications. As this column previously has reported, she is ill economically, politically and spiritually. She was sickening when Hitler loosed his blitzkrieg, and the shock of her frightful defeat, coupled with the hell of the Nazi occupation, led to the present crisis—for crisis it is.

My French friend of the dinner conversation is right when he said his country needs moral as well as material help. She isn't the France of old. The general public is bewildered and is increasingly inclined to experiment with political nostrums in the hope of finding relief.

Then there's another element entering into the situation, and that is injured pride. What else could be expected in the case of a nation which so long was one of the world's dominant powers? This has been responsible for many of her international political moves which haven't found favor in the eyes of all the Allies.

France's most pressing need is easement in the matter of food. Folk can't think rightly when they're undernourished.

But along with food relief there must be a start in economic recovery. France must have from abroad the machinery and supplies to get her industries into action again. The chief source of these things for most of the world is, of course, the United States.

Once a measurable start has been made in the matter of these two basic items of relief, France's illness should take a turn for the better, though recovery may be a long time in coming.

Strapped, but Not Broke

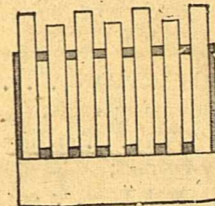


Wearing one of the increasingly popular one-strap swim suits, comely Jeanie McCaffrey does a bit of sun-soaking on the beach at St. Petersburg, Fla.

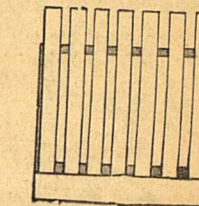
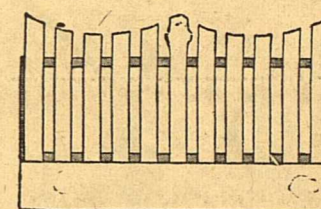
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