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 to Devonian production, and in southeast quarter of section 31, block 13, University, ran a drillstem test at 8,396-8,547 feet.
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 It flowed out the 800-foot water blanket in 25 minutes and flowed oil at surface in 40 minutes. It flowed to tanks for 60 minutes and made 53.5 barrels of oil. It was coring ahead.
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JayCee Directors To Meet Tuesday Night
 Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce directors are scheduled to meet at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the office of Clint Dunagan on Missouri Street.
 Pertinent business of the Jay-Cees will be discussed. The Rev. Hubert Hopper, retiring president, will be in charge of the meeting.

Political Announcements
 Charges for publication in this column:
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Spray Demonstration Scheduled Wednesday
 A cattle spraying demonstration will be held at 3 p. m. Wednesday on the Forest King Ranch No. 9, County Agent Vernon Young announced Tuesday.
 Use of a DDT spray for lice and horn flies will be demonstrated, and interested persons are invited to attend.
 The ranch is 10 miles out on the Andrews Highway, and a sign will be erected to guide persons to the demonstration, Young said.

ADDITION APPROVED
 City Councilmen, in a called meeting Monday afternoon, approved the plat of the proposed North Park Hill Addition to the city.

Quake Wave—
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 agencies mobilized hastily for one of the greatest disaster-relief agencies in Hawaiian history.
 Honolulu's leeward location sheltered the luxury hotels of Waikiki Beach and left Naval shipping in landlocked Pearl Harbor undamaged.
 Hilo, exposed to the full force of the waves, was a scene of horror. Weeping friends and relatives waited on high ground as troops in the wrecked waterfront recovered bodies.
 Buildings were crushed and ripped apart; huge gaps were pushed through thick concrete walls, and there was a sprawling litter of what had been railroad cars, automobiles, trucks, buildings and boats.
 Army patrols guarded against looting, although martial law had not been declared.

Legion Meeting
 The Woods W. Lynch Post Number 19 of American Legion will meet at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the Midland County Courtroom.
 The Midland legion is expected soon to resume its campaign to build a \$50,000 legion home in the city.
 Commander Charles Aiken will preside Tuesday evening.

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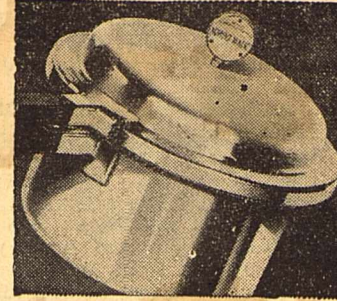
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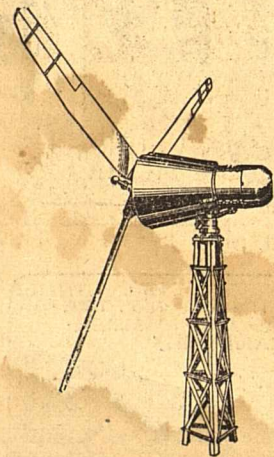
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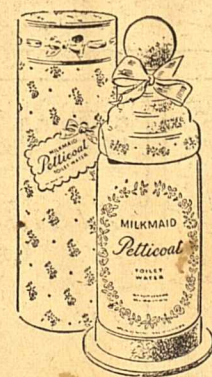
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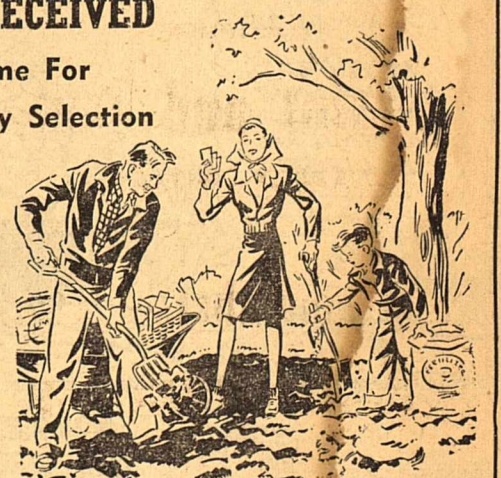
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OH dear, Ann thought. Now she'd done it, after having been so careful for so long. She felt a quick twinge of anger at Jock for disturbing her mental picture of herself. No one ever made a pass—verbal or physical—at Connie. And not because Connie wasn't attractive, either. But Connie was so definitely Davey's. Connie and Davey and Betsy—they were a definite entity. Perhaps it was Betsy that made the difference. Ann decided that her child would put her in the same sacrosanct class as Connie's. And, abruptly, she decided to tell Jock—though it gave her an uneasy feeling that it was a bit rough on Colin that Jock should know of his child before he did. "I'm going to have a baby, Jock," Ann said quickly.

Jock jumped at the statement, coming without preamble out of a long silence, but quickly regained his composure. "How nice," he said politely. "That is, I'm assuming you want one."

"Naturally," Ann said drily.

Jock thrust a cigaret into his mouth, and snapped his lighter. It didn't work, which must have been annoying, Ann thought—poor Jock, trying to be nonchalant. She handed him the paper of matches she was carrying. He lit his cigaret, and put the matches in his pocket.

"That sort of disestablishes any claim I might have had on you, doesn't it, Ann?" he said slowly.

"I don't think you have had any claim—at least, not for a long time," she answered gently.

"Don't rub it in," Jock retorted sharply. There was a little silence, before he added grudgingly, "Sorry, I'm not at my best. Perhaps I'd better leave."

"I'll walk back to the house with you, and give you tea before you start back," Ann volunteered. "You don't have a good stiff drink, around, do you?"

"I might even manage that," Ann said.

She made tea, but Jock ignored it and drank three large highballs in quick succession. Then he got up. "Well—good luck to you, kid! I may not like this life you're making for yourself, but I've got to admire your nerve."

Ann ignored that. "Say hello to Nina for me," she murmured.

"Do you think I'm nuts?" Jock asked rudely. He added, "Congratulations Colin for me."

Ann repeated his retort, but not aloud. "Goodbye, Jock," she said. "You know," he said slowly, "I think it is." Without another word he left.

Ann was still sitting beside the tea table when Susie came home from school. . . .

IT was some days later and to Ann's annoyance it had started to rain a little as she approached the house on her return from the post office. She dumped the mail on Colin's desk in the library, and tossed a couple of alder logs on the fire, before going to remove her coat and hat. She looked around the living room, decided, with unhousewifely haste, that on such a dark day it was sheer waste of time to dust, then went to her room to exchange her tweed suit and sturdy walking shoes for a knit rose chenille house coat and slippers. She surveyed herself approvingly in the mirror. The coat had short "push-up" sleeves, a slim waist, and a long, flowing skirt. Too long, she observed ruefully, as she stumbled over it taking her first step.

She curled up in a chair in front of the fire, and lit a cigaret before glancing through the mail. Lord Peter Wimsey came and nudged at her knee with his moustache. She patted him absently. "Good ol' Peter—are you a bit bored with the boss away too?" He yawned in her face, and Ann laughed and followed his exam-

ple. "Don't you wish something exciting would happen, Peter-Whiffles?" she said, reflecting that she really ought to make up her mind what she was going to call him, and stick to it.

Suddenly she heard a scream, footsteps on the basement stairs, and the kitchen door burst open. Helga, flushed and frightened, came running in. "Oh, Mis' Drake, my husband—he's goin' for me with a knife—"

"Nonsense, Helga," Ann said, getting to her feet. "Stay there, Peter—"

She took Helga's arm and guided her out to the kitchen. "Really, Helga," she admonished her, a little impatiently, "you've been seeing too many movies. People don't do such things, really—"

"Mis' Drake, you don't know my Pete—" Helga expostulated. "Where is he, Helga?" The kitchen was empty, the basement door open as Helga had left it in her flight.

"He's out back—I don't think he'd come in here—oh, Mis' Drake, be careful—"

Ann opened the door that led to the back porch, and encountered Pete Carpello, small and swarthy, an insignificant person to frighten a big blond Helga. "What is this nonsense, Pete?" Ann demanded sternly.

His eyes, clouded with liquor, avoided hers. "S—s—so!" he hissed at Helga, and advanced threateningly. Ann backed up—not because she was frightened, but because she didn't want him to touch her, as he might in passing through the door. Helga covered behind Ann, who felt curiously unconvinced by the whole scene. It was very bad melodrama, and surely a director would shout "cut" before it went any further.

And then suddenly everything happened at once. A knife was clutched in Pete's hand, and his face was contorted with fury. Ann stepped forward and opened her mouth to protest, and a rough hand knocked her out of the way. She staggered back, tripped over the skirt of her house coat, and as she fell, she remembered, sickeningly, that the basement floor was cement.

(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

It was nice to see Alvin Roth and Oscar Brotman, who have both returned to civilian life, on the team winning the Eastern team-of-four championship for the Reisinger trophy. Other members of the victorious team were Harry J. Fishbein, Larry Hirsch and Ralph Hirschberg, all of New York.

They won despite the fact that they lost a lot of points on the hand shown today. Against Fishbein and Hirsch, Morrie Ellis and Robert McPherran stopped at four spades and made six; but Roth, playing against Mrs. Helen Sobel and Myron Fuchs, missed making six.

Roth trumped the opening club lead in dummy and led a small diamond. South thought it over and

Mrs. Sobel		Brotman	
None	None	AK108	None
9876	9876	Q53	None
Q106	Q106	K874	None
A952	A952	3	None
Roth		Fuchs	
QJ765	932	AK4	None
4	W	A952	None
A102	E	J1043	None
None	S	Duplicate—N-S. vul.	
K876	Dealer	South	West
		Pass	Pass
		4	1
		Pass	Pass
		5	6
		Opening—A.	

decided to play low, and when Roth trumped, Mrs. Sobel (North) played the ten-spot.

Roth now decided that he could not cross-ruff the hand out for 12 tricks, so he led a small spade and won in dummy with the ten-spot, played another diamond and ruffed. This time Mrs. Sobel played the six-spot. Another spade was led to dummy's king, and Roth had to decide whether to play the queen of diamonds third or the ace of diamonds third. Deciding to try to drop the ace third in the South hand, he led a small diamond, and, of course, the contract was down one.

If he had led the diamond king at this point, South would have had to place the ace, which would have been trumped and the queen would have fallen. Thus dummy's diamonds would have been established for the heart discards.

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The carnival features 10 rides and 10 shows, and present free acts on the midway each night. Among the top attractions in the big top are the Flying Valentines, an aerial act.

School children will be admitted free to the grounds Friday night, it was announced. City buses run from the post office to the carnival grounds every 15 minutes.

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER

"I told you we shouldn't have put it up until we were ready to sleep—somebody's moved in!"

Agent Will Test Canner Gauges

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, Midland County Home Demonstration agent, Tuesday warned women their pressure canner gauges should be checked for accuracy before the canning season begins.

When fresh vegetables start coming in the pressure canner should be tested and new and needed parts installed, the agent said.

Mrs. Messick will test any and all canner gauges in the order they are received at her office in the courthouse.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

—By Merrill Blosser

SIDE GLANCES

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

WHENEVER AN ECLIPSE OCCURS YOU MAY KNOW THAT IN 18 YEARS AND 10 DAYS FROM THAT DATE A SIMILAR ECLIPSE WILL OCCUR.

KWIZ KORNER

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