

## Byrd-Frost Will Drill 6,000-Foot Wildcat In Crane

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Oil Editor

Byrd-Frost, Inc., of Dallas, has filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas to drill its No. 1 A. R. Eppenauer, a 6,000-foot wildcat, to test the Ellenburger, in extreme Southeast Crane County.

The location is 660 feet from northwest and 1,980 feet from southwest lines of section 20, block 6, H&TC survey, and approximately 11 miles northwest of McCamey. Drilling with rotary is to start by December 7.

### Jameson Flow Gauged

Sun Oil Company No. 1 Jameson, discovery for production from the principal section of the Pennsylvania, in Northwest Coke County, about 19 miles northwest of Robert Lee, was turned to tanks at 1 a. m. Friday and at 7 a. m. had flowed 31.32 barrels of oil, and an estimated two barrels of drilling mud. The flow was through a 1/4-inch tubing choke. Casing pressure was 800 pounds and tubing pressure was 175 pounds.

Operator was continuing to flow to cleanout and test. A gas-oil ratio test was to be taken shortly. The project flowed an estimated 100 barrels of fluid in the 10 hours between 8 a. m. Thursday and 6 p. m. the same day. Operator calculated that the fluid was about half oil and half drilling fluid. Recovery varied from as high as 15 barrels of fluid per hour to as low as five barrels per hour. The oil content ranged for five per cent of the recovery, to as high as 98 per cent.

### Prospects Brighter

Many interested operators feel the wildcat is improving its chances of being completed as an oil well and a discovery of a new field. Operator probably will treat the pay from 6,225 feet to total depth at 6,245 feet with a medium shot of acid in a few days.

### Humble Oil & Refining Company

No. 1-D R. B. Cowden, stepout from the initial producer in Humble No. 2-E Cowden, is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 2, block 45, TP survey, T-2-N, in South Andrews County, ran a one-hour drillstem test at 8,827-65 feet. There was a good blow of air throughout the period. Recovery was 110 feet of heavy oil and gas cut drilling mud and 360 feet of sulphur water. Operator was taking a gamma ray survey at last report.

### New Andeocor Test

A new location for the Andeocor area, and in the Northwest Ector sector of that district is Humble No. 2-E Cowden. It is 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from north lines of section 12, block 45, TP survey, T-2-N. That puts it 1,320 feet south of same company's No. 1-E Cowden, now bottomed at 8,662 feet, in the Ellenburger, with casing cemented at total depth. That project has shown for considerable free oil in a drillstem test. The new exploration will start making hole at once.

### Humble No. 1-C Sawyer, East-Central Reagan County wildcat,

about 10 miles northeast of Big Lake tried a drillstem test at 9,815-9,909 feet, in an unidentified lime. The packer failed. There was no test. The hole was deepened to 9,912 feet, and another attempt to get a test will be tried.

### Fullerton Outpost Flows

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 4, Ralph, stepout from productive on the west side of the Fullerton field, in Northwest Andrews County, tested the upper zone of the Fullerton pay, after treating with 6,000 gallons of acid at 6,800-6,915 feet. Tubing pressure varied from 1,300 pounds to 1,200 pounds, and casing pressure gauged 1,500 pounds.

After the acid was pumped in the swab was pulled six times and the well kicked off and flowed to pits for eight and one-quarter hours to clean. In the following hour it flowed to tanks and made 11 barrels of oil, cut with 1.3 per cent acid residue.

It is to drill ahead to explore the full Fullerton producing horizon.

### Unofficial Report

E. E. Fogelson and M. S. Ingelright of Dallas, No. 1 Baum-Swarfild, Southeast Callahan County wildcat, about four miles west of Cross Plains, and 378 feet from south and 389 feet from west lines of section 1, G. M. Vigal survey, No. 798, is reported by unofficial sources to have topped the Ellenburger at 3,841 feet.

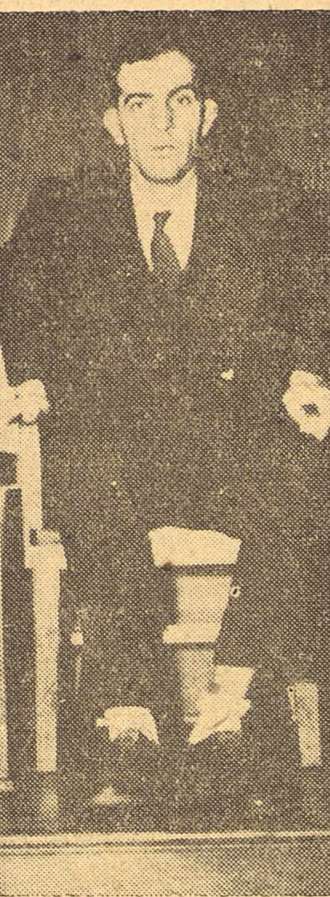
After drilling a short distance into the section the well is reported to have started spraying considerable gas and some oil. Operators shut it in to run casing and install storage.

As soon as that work is completed a production test will be made. Nearest Ellenburger shows, to this possible new discovery, are about 10 miles south, near Cross Cut, in Northwest Brown County.

### HOLLYWOOD PERSONALITIES MAY BE SUBPENAED

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Plans to subpoena Charles Chaplin, film comedian, and other Hollywood personalities for January hearings of the House Committee on Un-American Activities were disclosed Thursday by Ernie Adamson, chief counsel for the committee.

### Policeman Questioned



(NEA Telephoto) Robert L. Williams, 6-foot 6-inch policeman testified before a Senate investigating committee in Jackson, Miss., that he struck R. E. Daniel, negro, after arresting him in connection with disturbance on July 2 primary election in Gulfport, Miss.

### CAP Readies To Clamp New Restrictions On Fuel Use In US

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Civilian Production Administration made ready Friday to clamp a new series of drastic fuel conservation restrictions on the nation Monday unless a soft coal strike settlement is reached beforehand.

Edward Falck, chief of CPA's Office of Emergency Controls, said the new orders will:

1. Extend dimout restrictions to all utilities in the country which derive electricity from soft coal. Florida, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Alabama, Tennessee and Mississippi will be affected most.

2. Require that the more stringent "second phase" of the dimout restrictions, already announced for 21 North and Eastern states and the District of Columbia, be put into operation when coal stocks of utilities have dropped.
3. Require utilities with more than a specified amount of coal—possibly a 60-day supply—to share the remainder with other utilities.

Falck said the new orders, when issued, will become operative "as soon as the groups affected can be notified."

### Bilbo Denies Charge Of Negro Intimidation In Democratic Election

JACKSON, MISS. (AP)—Mississippi's uninhibited Senator Theo G. Bilbo, confident that "everything is lovely—righteousness will prevail," prepared Friday to leave for Washington and a second bout of Senate Committee investigation.

To one committee which spent four days investigating assertions that his campaign speeches incited violence and disfranchisement of negroes, Bilbo Thursday said he had "no apology" for his advocacy of white supremacy and control, but he denied counselling violence or illegal acts in last Summer's Democratic primary.

The senator said that when he recommended visiting negroes the night before an election, he was not suggesting intimidation, but merely that they should be reasoned with to avoid trouble.

### WASHINGTON (AP)—John L. Lewis and his United Mine Workers Friday posted bond to meet the \$3,510,000 in fines levied against them for contempt of court stemming from the coal strike.

WASHINGTON (AP)—OPA Friday authorized producers to increase prices 10 per cent on most types of blended syrups and about 35 per cent on refiners' syrup.

NANKING (AP)—The Chinese Communists offered Friday to make a "fresh start" at peace negotiations but under such rigorous conditions that sources close to Chiang Kai-Shek said there was no possibility the offer would get serious consideration.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Despite an "abrupt and continuing" decline in the number of volunteers, the War Department has announced it will draft men in January 1947.

# Truman Will Speak Sunday

## Earl Williams Sentenced To Twenty Years For Slaying

### Jury Deliberates Three Hours; Two Days Given To Seek Appeal

Earl Hamilton Williams, charged with the ranch slaying of his wife, Beulah, in Glascock County, July 6, 1946, was convicted of murder Thursday evening and sentenced to 20 years in the penitentiary by a Midland jury, which was out three hours.

The case went to the jury at 4:50 p. m. Thursday, and the verdict was announced at 7:50 p. m. A half-filled courtroom sat tense to hear the verdict.

Williams has two days in which to appeal and George Thomas of Big Spring, one of the defense attorneys, said "there probably will be an appeal."

The case was first tried at Garden City in September and resulted in a mistrial when a jury failed to reach a verdict. It then was transferred to Midland County.

It was heard here before District Judge Cecil Collins of 70th District Court, and a jury. Judge Collins also heard the case at Garden City. Defense attorneys then, and for this trial, were Clyde Thomas and George Thomas of Big Spring. Martelle McDonald, district attorney, and Joe Mims, Midland County attorney, represented the state at the trial here.

The case drew much attention here and attracted persons from the wide ranch territory around Midland. It was one of the most sensational ever tried in Midland.

The state hammered with the contention that Williams killed his wife with malice and that he did it by hitting her head against the floor of their house and against an iron bed. The state said he had motive in that he quarreled often with his wife when they were drinking. And it was also pointed out in the trial that she often struck him.

The defense dwelt on testimony that the Williams couple had trouble for a number of years prior to the tragedy, that she joined him in drinking and that she often was the aggressor. The defense contended that the tragedy was not premeditated and that it occurred in a drunken quarrel and fight after Mrs. Williams had cursed and struck her husband. The defense further contended Williams loved his wife. He testified he did. There were several instruments capable of killing in and around the ranch house but these were not used, the defense argued.

### Pleas Presented

In the pleas to the jury and final arguments, the state contended that Williams murdered his wife by hitting her head against the floor of the house and that he dragged her by the hair of the head into another room and hit her head against an iron bed and had so stated in writing after the tragedy, in statements made to law enforcement officers. The defense contended that Williams had "an alcoholic black-out" and he did not murder with malice because he loved his wife and had suffered long at her hands in fights during drunken bouts.

Many witnesses were brought here for the trial, ranging in residence from Washington, D. C., to the state's witnesses were law enforcement officers. Defense witnesses included Williams and many of his relatives and other persons summoned to show there had been trouble between the couple for a long time prior to the tragedy.

### Crowds Gather For Big Santa Claus Parade

Thousands of children and adults from a wide area of West Texas were gathered in downtown Midland early Friday afternoon anxiously awaiting the arrival of Santa Claus who was scheduled to head a big parade in his honor at 4:30 p. m.

The beloved old gentleman from the North Pole was expected to arrive here by plane shortly before parade time on his annual pre-Christmas Eve visit to the youngsters of Midland and vicinity.

### Christmas Street Lights

The Santa Claus parade was arranged by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce as the first event in its multi-phased Christmas activities program. Graham Smoot is parade chairman. Christmas lights will be turned on Friday evening, officially opening the Christmas season here.

The parade was to form on the 500 block of West Missouri Street at 4 p. m.

The Midland High School band, under the direction of Hardin Lawton, was to lead the procession. Churches, civic and service organizations, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts and business firms have parade entries.

Candy, gum and favors were to be distributed by Santa Claus.

### Texan's Awards



(NEA Telephoto) Harris Hill, Garland, Texas, shows his watch chain with mine International Livestock key awards to other 4-H Club members. The boys are Kenneth McIlvain, left, and Carl Orth. The girls are: reading clockwise from the left, Margaret Bailey, Edith Seyfert, Christine Copelan, and Jo Ann Henquist. International Livestock Show is now being held in Chicago.

### William Murray Is Named Successor Of Jester On Railroad Commission

AUSTIN (AP)—William J. Murray, 32, of Houston, Friday was named by Gov.-Elect Beauford H. Jester to succeed him on the Railroad Commission.

During the critical war period from Oct. 1941 to July, 1943, Murray was conservation engineer for the Petroleum Administration for War in the district comprising Texas, New Mexico, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi and Alabama.

He previously had served as chief enforcement officer for the oil and was division of the Railroad Commission in charge of commission offices at Kilgore, Mount Pleasant, Palestine and Jefferson. He was deputy supervisor in charge of engineering and conservation for the commission's East Texas district and also served as senior petroleum engineer for the oil and gas division.

Murray was expected to take office January 21, when Jester is inaugurated governor. His term would run until the next general election. His formal appointment will be subject to Senate action.

### Is Technical Expert

He is widely known in oil circles as a technical expert on oil and gas, and his function while serving with PAW during the war was to study reserves and availability of petroleum in the fields over his district.

Murray was born in Coleman and attended the public schools in Cisco before entering Hardin-Simmons University and then the University of Texas in 1933. He received the degrees of Bachelor and Master of Science.

## US Labor Unions Join Unified Move To Halt Further Court Action

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Truman counseled top government officials Friday on his Sunday night coal strike broadcast as organized labor marshaled a solid front against ending the walkout by injunction.

Presidential Secretary Charles G. Ross told reporters, as the weekly cabinet meeting convened, that Truman was consulting with Administration officials on the broadcast. Cabinet members would not discuss details of the hour-long conference as they left the President, but Secretary of Commerce Harri-

man told questioners the coal situation was discussed. Truman will speak over all major networks at 8:30 p. m. (CST) Sunday.

Secretary of the Navy Forrestal said the situation at naval coaling stations overseas is "critical."

One cabinet member who declined to be quoted said: "There will be no turning back in this fight."

Actual writing of the speech, Ross said, has not yet begun.

CIO President Philip Murray formally invited the rival AFL and the Independent Railway Brotherhood to join the CIO in "unified action" to combat what he called a "deliberate and monstrous movement" to cripple labor.

In a letter directed to AFL President William Green and to leaders of the railway workers, the CIO chief declared the federal court injunction against John L. Lewis and the "vengeful fine" of \$3,510,000 upon the mine workers is the first step in a campaign of "hysteria" against labor.

### CIO Joins AFL

Murray said Thursday the CIO would join Lewis' AFL Mine Workers in appealing the contempt fines, levied against them for ignoring a federal court order to end the strike.

In addition to Green, the letter went to President A. F. Whitney of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and Chairman T. C. Cashen of the Railway-Labor Executive's Association.

In a series of denunciatory statements, union leaders of all camps turned pressure on the Truman Administration to back away from pressing the legal action which has brought fines of \$3,500,000 on the United Mine Workers and \$10,000 on John L. Lewis, the miners' adamant chief.

### Goldsborough Acts

Goldsborough acted Friday to speed up the appeal, by permitting transfer of the original record of the contempt proceedings to the higher court. Court aides, describing this as "unusual," said that copies of the record are normally made and used in appeals.

Green, in a statement Thursday, proposed that coal operators and Lewis be brought together in an effort to agree on a contract that would put the miners back at work. His move was widely interpreted as a possible "peace feeler" that must have had the approval of Lewis, an AFL vice-president. But weighing against that interpretation was the fact that Green said nothing about the miners going back to work while the negotiations were underway.

### Five British Soldiers Are Injured By Mine

JERUSALEM (AP)—Five British soldiers were injured, one seriously, when a jeep was blown up early Friday by a mine north of Hedera, on the main Tel Aviv-Haifa Road, military headquarters announced.

A highly reliable source says Gen. Sir Alan Cunningham, high commissioner for Palestine, has informed Isaac Ben Tzevi, acting head of the temporary Jewish Agency Executive, that establishment by the British of a military regime over the Palestine Jewish population awaits only a "final decision in London."

It was not known whether imposition of a military regime over Palestine would entail full martial law, the informant said.

### Coordinator Of Affairs For Vets Is Proposed

WASHINGTON (AP)—A federal czar of veterans affairs was proposed Friday in a War Department report which said many former servicemen are bitter over net results of the GI Bill of Rights and other legislation for their benefit.

Lt. Col. Winthrop Rockefeller said a top level coordinator, empowered to "cut red tape and act" is needed. He reported on a six-month survey which he said showed both the federal government and local communities are "confused" for lack of a "master plan" for dealing with veterans' problems.

### 15 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT

BUY CHRISTMAS SEALS

### Allisons Visit Son At Military Academy

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Allison returned to Midland Thursday following a visit to Arkansas, Tennessee and Alabama. They spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their son, Jimmy, who is a student at Sewanee Military Academy in Tennessee.

### Santa Claus Pays Visit To JayCeers

Santa Claus himself visited the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce at its luncheon meeting Friday at the Scharbauer Hotel and promised the organization he would be on time for the parade for Midland youngsters Friday afternoon. Leroy Castle sang two Christmas songs.

Hubert Hopper was presented a past president's pin by President A. A. (Poosty) Jones at the luncheon. Hopper spoke on behalf of a petition, which is being circulated in Midland to call an election to vote on a proposed junior college here.

**Christmas Party Announced**  
Russell Howard announced the annual JayCee-JayShe Christmas party for December 19 at the Log Cabin Inn. Tickets went on sale Friday. Dr. Henry L. Schlichting announced the all-civic luncheon next Friday at the Scharbauer Hotel. Taylor Cole announced an International JayCee convention to be held in Dallas February 16-21. Henry Brooks, Jr. was appointed to arrange sponsorship of an all-star football game January 1.

Ed Metzger, who is leaving Midland and who has been an active JayCee, was given a vote of confidence and thanks by the organization.

All crows are not black. The hooded crow of Europe is mostly gray.

### Congress Will Make Disposition Of 'Inch' Pipelines

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The War Assets Administration checked to Congress Friday the question of eventual disposition of the "inch" pipelines, now beginning to carry natural gas for coal strike emergency relief.

Caught in a conflict between gas and oil interests, War Assets Administrator Robert M. Littlejohn told the House Surplus Property Investigating Committee, "I intend to refer the matter back to Congress".

Economic interests of coal and oil—and the railroads which carry those products—are deeply involved in the wrangle over ultimate disposal of the \$145,000,000 Big Inch and Little Inch pipelines running from Texas 1,500 miles to New Jersey. The huge conduits were constructed in wartime for oil transport when German submarines crippled America's oil tanker fleet.

Natural gas began flowing through the system Thursday at a rate of 50,000,000 cubic feet a day, under an emergency lease as the government sought to relieve the fuel shortage resulting from the coal strike.

### Auditor Assumes Duties At Unemployment Office

Mrs. Grace S. Wallace, former Texas Unemployment Compensation auditor at Dallas and for seven months an employee in the Texas Unemployment office in Austin, Friday assumed duties as an auditor in the Midland District Unemployment office.

The district consists of 36 counties, and Mrs. Wallace will work with employers who qualify under the Compensation Act in the 17 northern counties in the district. An auditor for the southern half is stationed in San Angelo.

### AAF Seeks To Contact Former Corps Members

Postcards were placed on the counters in the Post Office and banks Friday by the Midland unit of the Civil Air Patrol to be filled out by former Army Air Corps members who wish to keep in contact with the activities of the Air Forces.

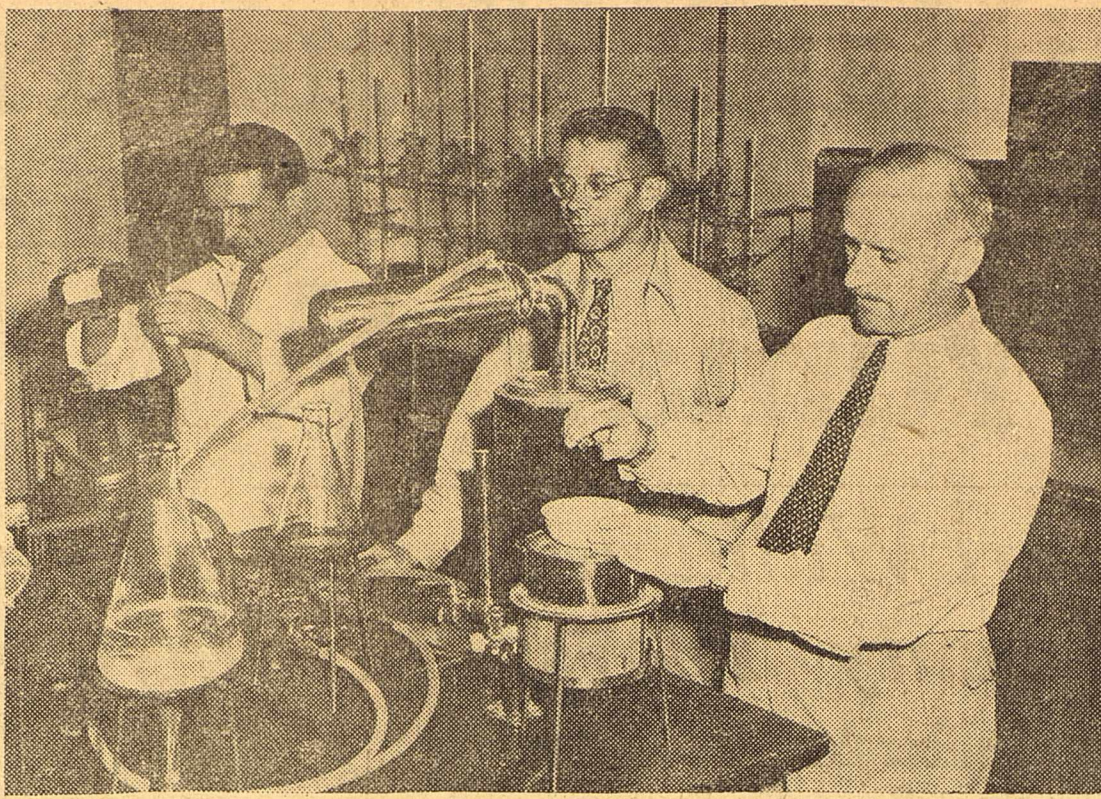
Gen. Carl Spaatz, commanding general of the AAF, has pointed out the needs for research and development for the Air Reserve and Air National Guard.

The postcard is to be mailed to General Spaatz in Washington.

### RECEIVE MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued Thursday to Eddie James Cobb and Artie Pearl McNeese.

### German Scientists Work In Texas



German scientists work in the chemical lab at U. S. Army Ordnance Laboratory at William Beaumont General Hospital Annex, El Paso, Texas. Left to right: D. John G. Tchinkel, Dr. Joseph Michel and Dr. Carl Heger, who is in charge of the lab.

### Pronto Pup, Eating Place, Burglarized

City police reported Thursday a burglary of the Pronto Pup House, eating place on Highway 80 west of Midland.

Officers said approximately seven dollars in coins were taken from a rickelodion.

### VISITOR FROM DALLAS

L. Roy Klein of Dallas is visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Hopper, 1210 West Missouri Street, here.

### RETURNS TO NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. Ed M. Whitaker and son, E. H., have returned to the ranch in Fort Sumner, N. M., after visiting several days in Midland.

### MISS TODD IS ILL

Miss Patty Todd, niece of Mr. and Mrs. George Todd of Midland, is in a hospital in Houston. Miss Todd spent the summer with her aunt and uncle in Midland.

### Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Green on the birth, Wednesday, of a daughter, Patricia Earle, weighing seven pounds, seven ounces.

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### Examiner Recommends Permanent Certificate To Continental Airline

WASHINGTON —(AP)—F. A. Law, Jr., a Civil Aeronautical Board examiner, has recommended that the board grant Continental Air Lines, Inc., a permanent certification to operate between San Antonio, Texas, Hobbs, N. M., with service to the intermediate points of Midland, Odessa, Big Spring and San Angelo.

Continental has been operating between San Antonio and Hobbs, under a temporary certificate since 1944.

The hearing on Continental's application for permanent certification was held November 4 in Washington, D. C. The Midland Chamber of Commerce, supporting Continental, was an intervenor in the case. Bill Coihins represented the Midland Chamber at the Washington hearing.

### RETURNS FROM DALLAS

Ronald Jarrett returned to Midland Thursday after a business trip to Dallas.

### Midlanders Return From Masonic Meet

Four Midland Masons returned Thursday from the meeting of the Texas Grand Lodge in Waco at which the Rev. R. Bruce Brannon of Commerce was installed Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons.

Representing Midland were Sherwood C. Neal, senior warden of the Midland Lodge, George Vannaman, R. L. Cline and C. T. Allen. Albert Delange, Houston attorney, was elected grand junior warden from which post he will eventually be elevated to grand master through other offices of the Grand Lodge.

Horace K. Jackson of Gatesville was elected deputy grand master; Hugh M. Craig, Fort Worth, was elevated to the post of grand senior warden, and George H. Below and J. J. Gallaher, both of Waco, were re-elected grand secretary and grand treasurer.

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**FUNERAL SERVICES HELD**

Funeral services for Gale Richard, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hozie Rumfield of the Courtney community were held Wednesday in the First Baptist Church of Stanton.

The Rev. T. R. Hawkins and the Rev. C. B. Hedges officiated at the services. Interment was in Stanton City Cemetery.

The infant died of pneumonia. He was ill 10 days.

**Delbert Downing Speaks To B&PW**

Delbert Downing, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, spoke briefly on "finding a method for making Midland known 5,000 miles away" at the luncheon meeting of the Business and Professional Women's Club, Thursday, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Following Mr. Downing's talk, the club, which is a member of the Chamber of Commerce, voted to adopt Mr. Downing's suggestions as one of their projects for the year.

Mary Louise Rhodes, president, directed the meeting. A treasurer's report was made by Mrs. J. B. McCoy and Ernestine Hough, vice-president, read "The Measuring Rod," the goal for the year.

**Christmas Dinner Planned**

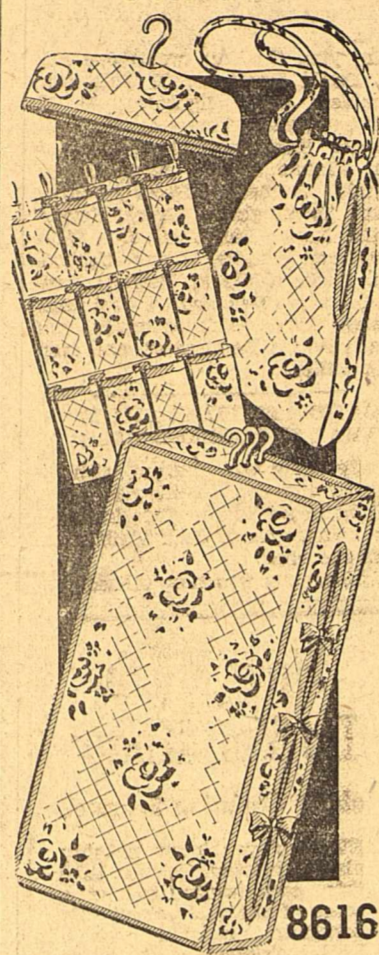
A Christmas dinner will be held by the club Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. in the Crystal Ballroom. An expensive gift is to be brought which will be contributed to the Chamber of Commerce for their Goodfellow baskets.

Members and guests were Mrs. J. W. Christian, Mrs. H. C. Watson, Hester Williams, Ophelia Greene, Marie Stoopman, Mrs. Floyd Rhoden, Mrs. Marion Taylor, Cordelia Taylor, Mrs. Dagmar M. Busick, T. K. White, Vivian Lafferty, Mrs. F. B. Fromhold, Mrs. J. E. Simms, Mrs. O. M. Lutton, Faye Fagg, Mrs. Bertha Kenney, Maude Prather, Mrs. Iva M. Noyes, Nettie Johnson, Laura Jesse, Ann Sherwood, Eulah Hardy, Zena M. Raleigh, Betty Kurfess, Flossie Vaughn, Mrs. Coy L. Watson and Fannie Bess Taylor.

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**MASONIC GRAND MASTER**

WACO (AP)—Bruce Brannon, Presbyterian minister, was installed as Grand Master of the Texas Masonic Grand Lodge at a public ceremony here Thursday ending the lodge's 111th Communication.

**Bible Class Has Kidnap Breakfast**

Members and guests of the Boone Bible Class were entertained with a kidnap breakfast, Wednesday morning, at the home of Mrs. H. H. Hollowell, 301 North Baird Avenue.

Hostesses for the breakfast were Mrs. Roy McKee, Mrs. F. A. Thurman and Mrs. O. S. Barnard.

Guests were Mrs. J. A. Sewell, Mrs. E. P. Birkhead, Mrs. O. L. Crooks, Mrs. Jack Roten, Mrs. T. W. Sandusky, Mrs. J. P. Carson, Jr., and Mrs. Hugh Duncan.

Members present were Mrs. W. E. Crites, Mrs. Jim Moore, Mrs. Lenora Hester, Mrs. Keith Stuart, Mrs. Everett Klebold, Mrs. A. J. Hill, Mrs. Paul C. Smith, Mrs. H. Hilton Kaderli, Mrs. W. C. Chapman, Mrs. F. A. Crockett, Mrs. Basil Hudson, Mrs. Alton Brown, Mrs. George G. Jones, Mrs. W. C. Cartwright, Mrs. J. Wayne Campbell, Mrs. L. R. Logsdon, Mrs. W. C. Cardwell, Mrs. G. L. Kirk, Mrs. J. C. Hathaway, Mrs. J. E. Lowe, Mrs. Tom Edrington, Mrs. C. H. Shepard, Mrs. W. C. Taom, Mrs. W. M. Sartain, Mrs. R. L. McCormick, and Mrs. Joe V. Birdwell.

**GIRL SCOUT TROOP MAKES YULE GIFTS**

Christmas presents for their mothers were made by members of Brownie Troop 14 when they met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Campbell, 206 West Louisiana Avenue, Wednesday afternoon.

Plans also were discussed for the Santa Claus parade and for the Christmas party.

Present were Nimi Speed, Gwendolyn Campbell, Barbara Munson, Betty Sue Crump, Peggy O'Neal, Lanette Howell, Carol Ann Walker, Nancy Guyton, Julia Ridge, Ritta Hazlip, Patsy Curran, Juanda Bradshaw, Linda Sue Wilkerson, Janice Stalcup and the leaders, Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal and Mrs. O. L. Stalcup.

**WTSC Teacher Is Winner Of Novel Writing Event**

NEW YORK (AP)—Loula Grace Erdman, creative writing teacher of West Texas State College, paid a visit to New York Thursday and, although it wasn't her first, it provided a thrill none of the other trips did—a \$10,000 prize.

Miss Erdman won first prize in the Red Book Magazine-Dodd, Mead competition with her new novel, "The Years of the Locust."

**Coming Events**

**SATURDAY**

Group One of the Children's Theatre will meet at 9 a. m. at the City-County Auditorium and Group Two will meet at 1:30 p. m.

The Junior Workshop of the Children's Theatre will meet at 10 a. m. at the City-County Auditorium.

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

Mrs. Alma Thomas will direct a panel discussion at the December luncheon meeting of the American Association of University Women at 1 p. m. in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel. Music will be furnished by a string ensemble presented by the Civic Music Club.

**Needlecraft Club Meets With Mrs. B. C. Girdley**

Mrs. B. C. Girdley was hostess at a meeting, Thursday afternoon, of the Needlecraft Club at her home, 1900 West Missouri Avenue.

Ivy and roses were used to decorate the entertainment rooms where members embroidered and did needle point.

Present were Mrs. H. E. Bedford, Mrs. John Dunagan, Mrs. M. F. King, Mrs. O. Nobles, Mrs. J. O. Vance, Mrs. J. A. Tuttle, Mrs. George Phillips, Mrs. Addison Wadley, and Mrs. H. H. Watson.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. George Phillips, 200 South L Street, at 3 p. m. Thursday.

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**THIRD TEXAN RESIGNS FROM COLLEGE BOARD**

DALLAS (AP)—Tom Leachman, Dallas laundry owner, has submitted to Stephens College, Columbia, Mo., his resignation as adviser to the college's board of trustees.

**McREYNOLDS ATTENDS STUDENT CONFERENCE**

William McReynolds of Midland was among 12 McMurry College students who attended the recent Texas Methodist Student Movement conference in Hillsboro.

The first settler of Boston was William Blackstone, who built a hut on what is now known as Beacon Hill and planted an orchard on what is now Boston Common.

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## Embarrassing Possibility

The UN General Assembly has adopted an Egyptian proposal of a resolution calling on all UN members to take immediate steps to end religious and racial discrimination and persecution. Earlier in the General Assembly meeting Russia and the Ukraine had objected to the resolution. But, as an Indian delegate said in supporting the Egyptian proposal, "Is there any member state here who is in favor of persecution and discrimination?"

- The answer to such a rhetorical question would naturally be a hasty no. But it's a safe bet that, once the resolution was adopted, there would be plenty of accusations. Various delegates would be bound to say that:
1. Britain is persecuting Jewish refugees and Jews in Palestine.
2. Proposals of Jewish immigration into Palestine constitute discrimination against Palestinian Arabs.
3. The fascist regime in Spain persecutes democratic citizens.
4. The fascist regime in Argentina, ditto.
5. The dictatorial governments of Russia, Yugoslavia and Poland are persecuting and discriminating against political opponents.
6. Fascist elements in Yugoslavia and Poland have persecuted the democratic elements in those countries.

And if the United States should happen to make some such accusation against a government which is looking for chinks in our armor of righteousness, there might even be:

7. The United States government permits persecution of and discrimination against racial minorities.

By an interesting coincidence, newspaper stories appeared on the day after this Egyptian proposal was accepted which told of progress in the state of Georgia's suit to revoke the Ku Klux Klan charter in that state. But some stories remarked that time was short, since Governor-elect Eugene Talmadge has announced that he will drop the suit after he takes office in January.

It is not beyond the realm of embarrassing possibility that some member of the United Nations might call attention at some future date to the fact that the Klan was still going full blast in Georgia and elsewhere.

Such accusations would redden the faces of our UN representatives. They would make some of our speeches about freedom and democracy sound a little hollow.

Of course, our representatives could make counter-accusations. They could cite the charter clause which forbids the UN "to intervene in matters which are essentially within the domestic jurisdiction of any state."

But that wouldn't be of much help to American prestige. So perhaps it would be well if people like Governor Gene and Senator Bilbo would remember that millions of friends—and critics—from other lands are watching them closely, and judging America's words by their actions.

## Helping Hand

Britain's Socialist government has announced its plans for taking over the country's transportation system. Perhaps America might help Prime Minister Attlee speed up the process of seizure by lending him A. F. Whitney and John L. Lewis.

A bridge expert says there are no natural players. It takes practice to kick the right person under the table.

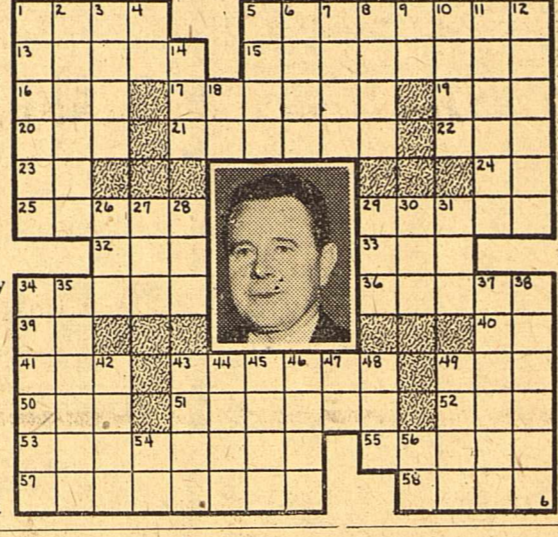
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## U. S. Order Limits Parcel Post Mailing

Postmaster N. G. Oates reminded citizens that the U. S. order limiting the weight of parcel post packages to five pounds went into effect at 12:01 a. m. Friday.

Packages of Christmas or otherwise must not measure more than 18 inches in width and 60 inches in length and girth combined.

The order was an emergency directive designed to assure that coal-burning locomotives can be kept burning on reduced schedules. At the same time an embargo went into effect on all rail freight and express shipments with the exception of commodities and supplies of public health and safety.

## Rat Control Program To Start Here Monday

All merchants and businessmen interested in cooperating in the JayCee sponsored rat control campaign which will get underway here Monday are urged to phone No. 178 for information and instructions on the campaign.

A representative of the Rodent Control Division of the U. S. Fish and Wild Life Commission will be in Midland Monday to launch the program.

JayCee representatives said the control of rats will save Midland store owners \$25,000 annually, since it is estimated that a rat will eat or destroy \$20 worth of merchandise a year. This financial saving is in addition to the prevention of diseases spread by rats.

## 20 Maytag Dealers Meet In Midland

Twenty Maytag dealers from a wide West Texas area attended a district meeting in the Scharbauer Hotel Thursday.

Glenn Turly, district manager, explained the operation and sales points of two new Maytag products, the Maytag Dutchoven stove and the DeFreeze home cooling system for packing meats.

Dealers attended from Big Spring, Tahoka, Crane, McCamey, Odessa, Monahans, Wink, Kermit, Brownfield, Seminole, Seagraves, Lamesa, Sanderson and Midland.

## VICTORIA OIL MAN AND RANCHER DEAD

VICTORIA —(P)—Thomas M. O'Connor, Sr., rancher and owner of extensive oil holdings in South Texas, died Thursday following a heart attack.

## Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus:  
I think I have been a fairly good boy. I am three and one-half years old. I go to Bible school every Sunday and to church. Santa won't you please bring me a piano, steam shovel, dump truck, 'til Abner's dog-patch band, building bricks and ABC blocks, fruit, nuts and candy. I have a real good playmate named Hal Alexander, age 5. Please bring him something.  
Thanks,  
Roger W. Jackson.

P. S.: I will be looking for you Christmas Eve.  
Dear Santa:  
Will you please bring me a table and chairs, rubber doll and doll chair, also some plastic dishes, ironing board and iron.  
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Dear Santa:  
Please bring me a cowboy suit, gun and holster and a dump truck. Goodbye until Christmas.  
Ronald Branch,  
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Dear Santa:  
I am five years old and have been a good girl. Please bring me a pair of majorette boots, bicycle, skates and a set of dishes.  
I love you lots,  
Ann Garrison,  
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## LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH —(P)— Cattle 1,400; calves 1,000; fully steady; low grade offerings making up most of the receipts; beef steers and yearlings scarce; few medium and good cows 12.00-15.00; bulls 9.00-14.00; good and choice fat calves sparingly 15.50-17.00; common and medium largely 10.60-15.00; most culls 8.00-9.00; medium and good stocker calves and yearlings 15.50-16.00; s'ocker cows 9.00-10.50.  
Hogs 800; mostly 50c lower; sows steady to 50c lower; few pigs steady; extreme top of 24.00 paid for a few butchers weighing around 400 lbs; most good 180-370 lb butchers 19.50-23.00; sows 21.00-22.00; few good stocker pigs 18.00.  
Sheep 1,800; slaughter kinds steady; feeder lambs weak to lower; good and choice fat lambs 19.00-21.00; common to medium kinds 14.00-18.00; medium to good yearlings 13.00-15.00; medium to good ewes 6.50-7.25; feeder lambs 15.00 down.

## Midlanders Attend Funeral Services Of Bellevue Man

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pou of Midland are in Bellevue to attend funeral services for City Marshal D. C. Earley of Bellevue whose body was found Wednesday in a dry creek six miles north of Henrietta after he apparently had been slain.

Earley was the brother of Mrs. Pou.

Murder charges were filed in Henrietta Wednesday against L. T. Barnett, 24, also of Bellevue, in connection with the slaying of Earley. Barnett was arrested Wednesday night as he sat in a car at a filling station at Hastings, Okla.

Earley was last seen alive at noon Tuesday with Barnett, wanted for questioning in a forgery case. Neither Barnett nor the car had been seen until his body was discovered in the creek.

Mrs. Van Davis of Bellevue, Earley's daughter, Tuesday night asked Clay County officers to search for her father when he failed to return home.

A watch and about \$30 in cash were found in Earley's clothing, but his .38 caliber revolver was missing. Justice of the Peace O. D. Worsham conducted an inquest and said Earley died of bullet wounds in the head and neck, apparently inflicted early Tuesday night.

Earley formerly was a constable at Denton and had been city marshal at Bellevue for more than a year.

Great Britain, not the United States, is the largest creditor nation.

## "B" Bulldogs Enjoy Night Wiener Roast

The "B" Bulldogs of Midland High were entertained with a wiener roast at a lake east of Midland Thursday night with J. E. Dickenson and J. A. Richardson as hosts.

Enjoying the feed were: Joe Miller, David Hyatt, C. C. Tull, Don Hamblett, Jack Hightower, B. H. Spaw, Charles Tom, Al German, Charles Fackman, Lloyd Henderson, Jimmie Coker, Ken Goode, Donald Johnson, Oscar Cooper, Larry Buckingham, Larry Messersmith, James Dickenson, Don Morrow, Dean Waddle, Wayne Richardson, Richard Clark, Howard Bennett, Jimmie Deavenport, Joel Sims, Donald Deal, Dick Morrison, and Coach Aubra Nqoncaster, and Norbett Miller.

MAN HOSPITALIZED AFTER AFFRAY IN MIDLAND CAFE  
Billy Craig was charged with affray in city court Friday following a fight in a Midland Cafe in which the owner struck Jack Thibodeaux over the head.  
Thibodeaux was hospitalized.

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## COLLISION REPORTED

City police Thursday reported an automobile collision at the intersection of Big Spring and Texas Streets between machines driven by Jessie Spradling of Odessa and Charles Collier of Midland.

## AUTOMOBILES COLLIDE

Jack Dickerson and Marshall Wilburne were drivers of automobiles figuring in a collision at the intersection of Illinois and Missouri Streets in Midland Thursday, city police reported.

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### Building, Equipment Financing Plans Are Ready For Amendment

AUSTIN—(AP)—Plans for financing building and equipment needs of 16 state-supported institutions of higher learning were ready Friday for submission to the 50th Legislature in the form of a constitutional amendment.

Final action came Wednesday at a Waco conference of the Steering Committee for the 16 schools, according to Walter Woodruff of Houston, committee chairman.

The committee voted:

- To finance the program for 14 of the colleges (excluding the University of Texas and Texas A&M College) from proceeds of a 5-cent portion of the presently-authorized 35-cent maximum state property tax for general fund purposes, instead of from five cents of the presently-authorized 7-cent state property tax for Confederate pensions.

- To combine the proposal for building and equipment financing in a single amendment. Thus the proposal to authorize the university to issue \$10,000,000 in bonds and Texas A&M to issue \$5,000,000 in bonds, the bonds to be paid out of income from the university permanent fund, will be inseparably linked with the proposal to finance the program of the 14 colleges from tax revenue.

### TRY TO AVERT STRIKE

DALLAS—(AP)—Union and freight line representatives meet here Friday in an effort to avert a general strike of motor freight line employees in five Southwestern states December 18.

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### All's Well That Ends Well



Mrs. George Washington Kavanaugh has regained the \$5000 diamond and emerald bracelet she lost at the recent opening of the Metropolitan Opera in New York and Mrs. Mina Schraff, left, above, Brooklyn housekeeper who found it in the Met's lobby, has a \$250 reward. Above, the ladies are pictured admiring the bracelet. When asked what she would do with the reward, Mrs. Schraff pointed to Mrs. Kavanaugh's platinum jacket and said "Buy a coat like that." She changed her mind when told jacket cost over \$3000.

### Legion Luncheon Is Scheduled Saturday

Expecting a large attendance of Legionnaires, the first monthly luncheon of the Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19 of the American Legion will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer at noon Saturday.

Tom Sealy, first vice-commander of the Midland post, said an interesting and entertaining program has been arranged. He urged all Legion members to attend.

Midland Legionnaires voted recently to hold monthly membership luncheons in addition to regular business meetings.

### 'Gravest Consequences' Threaten Europe From American Coal Strike

LONDON—(AP)—Food Minister John Strachey told the House of Commons Friday that the American coal strike threatened the "gravest consequences" to Great Britain and all other countries depending on North America for food supplies.

Unless the situation improves, Britain "almost certainly" must cut its bread ration from the present nine ounces a day and "it may well not prove possible to maintain the present bacon ration" of three ounces a week, Strachey said.

### HERSHEL KIMBRELL IS McMURRY VARSITY CAGER

Hershel Kimbrell of Midland is a member of the varsity basketball team at McMurry College, Abilene. McMurry has played Wayland College, Daniel Baker, and John Tarleton this season. Games also are scheduled this month with Texas Tech, New Mexico A&M, and Oklahoma Tech.

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### 1,759 Military Buildings To Be Offered For Sale

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The buildings are at Fort Sill, Okla.; Camp Swift, near Austin; Camp Barkeley, near Abilene; the Matagorda Bombing Range and Fort Bliss, near El Paso.

### Grand Champion Steer Sells For \$10.50 Per Pound At Stock Show

CHICAGO—(AP)—The grand champion steer of the 47th International Livestock Exposition sold at auction Thursday for \$10.50 a pound, an all-time record for the Chicago show.

The steer, Royal Jupiter, a 1,380-pound Shorthorn bred and exhibited by Oklahoma A&M College, Stillwater, was purchased by the Firestone Tire & Rubber Company which also bought Loyal Alumnus 4th, an Aberdeen Angus, at the last international.

### Texas Steer Sold For \$3 Per Pound On Coast

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—Royal Esar Jr., grand champion steer of the twenty-first annual Great Western Livestock Show exhibited by Jack MacArthur, 14, San Antonio, was auctioned Thursday at \$3 a pound.

### DALLAS BANKER HERE

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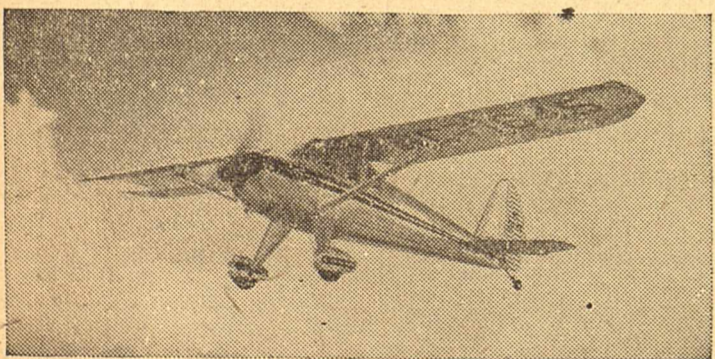


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# Gather Ye Rosebuds

By JEANNETTE COVERT NOLAN

**THE STORY:** Beautiful Rose Cameron has had an "adventure" having gone downtown to match some thread for Mamma, she collided head-on with a young man when her arms were full of packages. The packages spilled all over the young man before she picked them up. It was only polite to speak to him. The young man was both handsome and nervous. "From now on, it's you and me—together," he said. Rose is convinced that Fate arranged the whole thing and can't wait to tell her sister, Sidney, about it. When she gets home, Major Cameron is just taking down the Stars and Bars. This Anniversary Day of 1910, he has sat on the front porch all day in his Confederate uniform. Rose wishes her father wouldn't make such a spectacle of himself.

ROSE went slowly up the steps. "Hello, Papa. Is Sidney home?" "I haven't seen Sidney all the afternoon. Or Hannah. Your brother Beauregard is in the back yard, I believe. With his goat. Your brother Jefferson Davis Cameron—" "Yes, I know. Jeff's out on your route this week." His route? The Major winced. Even the mention of it was offensive, that tedious round made during one week of each month to crossroad villages in the southern Indiana counties, soliciting orders for Spunky Mule Plug tobacco. Ten years ago, in a period of aberration never afterward to be adequately explained, the Major had accepted the agency for Spunky Mule and become—well, a drummer. But he'd never been reconciled to it and never would be. The alternative was to believe, during the month's other three weeks, that there was no such thing as Spunky Mule Plug. This he did even now, smoothing over Rose's reference as a lapse of etiquette which he would courteously disregard. "I let Jeff go," he said gently, "as a little diversion for him."

## McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
(Written for NEA Service)

Last May a group of Eastern bridge players flew in a chartered plane to California to attend Bridge Week. This group formed a little club known as the Bridgairs and now they have chartered a plane to fly to Hollywood, Fla., for the national tournament at the Hollywood Beach Hotel Dec. 8 to 15. They are making plans for a chartered flight to South America next year to play against the outstanding players there.

It is always interesting to listen to an explanation of a hand by Harry J. Fishbein of New York, one of the Bridgairs. He has a style all his own and his explanation is always very clear.

We were discussing today's hand on one of our recent plane trips, and Harry said, "What does the declarer have to know about squeezes and end plays? He trumps the third diamond and takes two rounds of trumps. He still has a losing heart and a possible club loser. The player who refuses to think takes the club finesse, it loses, he goes down, and says 'hard luck.' If the king of clubs had been right, he would have made it."

"But declarer should know from the bidding that West does not have the king of clubs, because he would not bid three with a six-card suit headed by the ace-king-queen and a side king. So the only thing to do is to cash the ace and king of hearts and lead the third heart, hoping that East will have to win."

"East does win, and has to lead either the fourth heart, which gives declarer a ruff and a ruff, or a club right in the ace-queen."

We often cry "hard luck" on a hand when a simple play like this would give us the contract.

mean, suppose Beau had come plunging in?" "Beau? He's looking at his goat—and would rather. Not much of a compliment, is it?" "Suppose," Rose said, "Papa should just happen to walk upstairs and open the door and see you?" "There isn't a chance. Papa is busily enacting the role of the old guard which dies but never surrenders."

"Not now, he isn't." Rose sat on the edge of her own bed. "He's in the house... Sidney, I'm afraid people will think Papa is crazy."

"Oh, let them," Sidney said. "Most of the people around here are absolute nincompoops, anyway. Why care what they think? I don't."

SIDNEY was 19, considerably taller and more muscular than Rose, her features less regular, complexion less delicate.

Now she scrambled off the bed and began to dress, snatching up garments at random, pulling on a gauze vest, stepping into ruffled umbrella drawers, pulling on lisle stockings, bending to button her cloth-topped shoes.

"What'll we do tonight?" "Oh, yes. Basil called at Mrs. Kerr's. He's coming to take you riding."

"I won't go. Basil's a nitwit. Didn't anybody else phone?" "No."

"Are you sure?" "Mrs. Kerr only said Basil. 'Maybe she forgot... But no, I guess not,' Sidney shrugged. 'Well, then, it's an evening with Basil. He's better than nothing; he just gets in under the wire. And I must do something... Who's your date with, Rose?' "Ted Leaming's coming, and probably Sol Jacoby," Rose spoke listlessly, even the remnants of her enthusiasm fled now. Why had she ever thought she could tell Sidney? Her adventure was much too precious, and Sidney too unpredictable. Sidney, lying naked on the bed, was someone alien. . . .

Rose sighed. "I must go down and help Mamma with supper."

"Do," Sidney said. "Then Hannah and I will wash the dishes." (To Be Continued)

**TUCKER IS MIDLAND VISITOR**  
Bob Tucker of Lubbock was a business visitor in Midland Friday. He formerly resided here.

At a single meal, an African pigmy will eat as many as 60 bananas.

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FINLAND, RUSSIA MAKE TRADE AGREEMENT  
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J. W. CAMPBELL IS VISITOR  
J. Wray Campbell of Sonora, formerly of Midland, was visiting friends here Friday.

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### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Merrill Blosser

ARE YOU POSITIVE? YOU'RE SURE YOU WEREN'T JUST SEEING THINGS?

THE GUY SAID HE REALLY SAW IT! I HOPE IT'S NOT JUST A GAG! WE GOTTA CHECK ON IT TO MAKE SURE I GET ON THE MIKE, ED, AND BROADCAST THIS TO CAR. 4!

OKAY---BUT THEY WON'T BELIEVE IT!

--- CAR. 4 --- SEARCH THE RIVER ROAD FOR A RUNAWAY HORSE! THE JOCKEY IS PAUL REVERE!

I HEAR EM, BUBBLE!... FLINT, YOU TOLD THEM SOMETHING ON THE PHONE! I'M GONNA--

NOT YET, SHIV! WE HAVEN'T GOT TIME TO COVER UP!

GET IN THE TANK WITH FLINT, SHIV! KEEP FEEDING HIM THIS EITHER UNTIL HE'S OUT AND THEN SOME! I'LL STALL THEM OFF!

OKAY, BUBBLE! BUT LET'S PUT HIM TO SLEEP FAST---JUST TO MAKE SURE!

I didn't hear the pepper shaker fall into the tank. I went out like a light.

### JAPANESE REPATRIATES RETURNED TO JAPAN

MAIZURA, JAPAN—(P)—The 10,000-ton Ohisa Maru, first Japanese ship to bring repatriates from Nakhodka, Siberia, southeast of Vladivostok, is scheduled to dock here Sunday or Monday with 2,515 former soldiers and 40 women nurses.

### NEW RESIDENTS HERE

New residents of Midland are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Seifert and daughter, Rebecca Jane, formerly of Chadron, Neb.

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with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAM

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By EDGAR MARTIN

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### ALLEY OOP

By V. T. HAMLIN

POP'S IDEA OF JOINING THE BANDIT GANGS TO LEARN THE HIDING PLACE OF THE LOOT IS CLEVER, BUT WILL IT WORK?

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SEARCHERS GIVE UP HUNT FOR STAGE LOOT

GORY GULCH, DECIS- OFFICIALS OF THE WELLS-FARGO EXPRESS COMPANY TODAY GAVE UP THE SEARCH OF THE BASCAL RIVER CANYON AREA FOR THE 2500 SOUVENIR GOLD TAKEN IN THE AUGUST TENTH HOLDUP OF THE GORY GULCH STAGE.

HOPE FOR THE LOOTS RECOVERY WHICH RAN HIGH WITH THE ANNihilation OF THE BANDIT GANG FLEW WHEN IT WAS CONCLUDED THE HEAVY BOX MUST HAVE BEEN DUMPED IN SOME DEEP HOLE IN THE TURBULENT BASCAL RIVER.

AHH! MY GLAMOR BOY'S REALLY A KING NOW-- KING OF THE COWBOYS!

IS THERE ANY DAMES IN GORY GULCH, POP?

NOT AS I KNOW OF!

WHAT A HEAVENLY PLACE! C'MON, LET'S GET THERE QUICK!

### RED RYDER

By FRED HARMAN

AROUSSED REVEREND PERCEPTION BY TUBBY MCKEEN, A BIG WANCHEER, THE NESTERS BAND TOGETHER

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YOU'RE RIGHT, DAVE!

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MCKEEN AIN'T ABOVE HIRIN' GUNMEN TO DRIFT INTO THE VALLEY AND STAGE A MASSACRE!

### VIC FLINT

By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH L'ANF

HEAR THOSE MOTORS, SHIV? THAT'S THE LIET'S BOAT! IT'S COMING THIS WAY!

NOT YET, SHIV! WE HAVEN'T GOT TIME TO COVER UP!

I HEAR EM, BUBBLE!... FLINT, YOU TOLD THEM SOMETHING ON THE PHONE! I'M GONNA--

GET IN THE TANK WITH FLINT, SHIV! KEEP FEEDING HIM THIS EITHER UNTIL HE'S OUT AND THEN SOME! I'LL STALL THEM OFF!

OKAY, BUBBLE! BUT LET'S PUT HIM TO SLEEP FAST---JUST TO MAKE SURE!

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**YANKEES MAKE TRADE WITH CLEVELAND INDIANS**

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— The New York Yankees Friday traded two pitchers and outfielder Hal Peck to the Cleveland Indians for second baseman Ray Mack and a catcher in the biggest deal so far of the winter baseball meetings.

**BABE RUTH'S CONDITION REPORTED JUST FAIR**

NEW YORK —(AP)— The condition of Babe Ruth, famed "Sultan of Swat," who was admitted to French Hospital nine days ago for treatment of a sinus infection was reported Friday as "just fair, not much improvement."

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**Kilgore, Compton Colleges To Open Little Rose Bowl**

PASADENA, CALIF. —(AP)— The mythical national junior college championship is at stake Saturday as the Kilgore, Texas, Rangers, undefeated and untied in 10 games, meet once-beaten Compton, California's pride, in the first Little Rose Bowl game.

The rugged Rangers, Texas champions for the fifth time in 11 years, arrived by train Thursday, 39 strong, and impressed observers with their speed, kicking and passing ability in a brisk workout at the Rose Bowl. Coach Jimmie Parks' boys poured 204 points across the goal line to opponents' meager 19 this season.

A high-scoring game loomed, for Compton's Tartars rolled up 265 points to '94 for the opposition in winning nine and losing only to Los Angeles City College, 19-6, in a late season upset.

**Trautman Is Elected President Of Baseball Association**

LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Minor leaguers' resentment against their big brothers disappeared Friday under the general influence of George Trautman, new boss of all baseball outside the National and American Leagues.

Trautman, 55-year-old executive vice president of the Detroit Tigers, divided his attention between the separate major and minor meetings. Bramham remains as "consultant" at \$10,000 yearly.

The majors, after announcing a general 1947 opening date of April 15, and a closing date of September 28, thereby fixing the season again at 154 games, took up minor league proposals for revision of existing rules. The proposal for 168 games in 1947 had developed strong opposition, chiefly because it would upset all records.

The present major-minor working agreement expires January 12, 1947, and unless a new one is adopted the old one will be automatically renewed. This agreement covers waivers, options, rights of players and clubs and the general legislative side of baseball.

**U. S. DOUBLES TEAM DEFEATED BY AUSTRALIANS**  
MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA —(AP)— Australia's stellar doubles team of Jack Bromwich and Colin Long defeated Gardner Mulloy and Billy Talbot, United States champions, 6-3, 6-4, 3-6, 6-3 Friday in the finals of the Victorian championships.

**CINCINNATI CONSIDERS SUN BOWL INVITATION**  
CINCINNATI —(AP)— The University of Cincinnati Bearcats Friday considered an invitation to meet Virginia Polytechnic Institute's (VPI) Gobblers in the Sun Bowl football game at El Paso, Texas, New Year's Day.

**JACOBS SLIGHTLY IMPROVED**  
NEW YORK —(AP)— Physicians attending Mike Jacobs, 66-year-old fight promoter, Friday again termed his condition "slightly improved" although Dr. Vincent Nardiello said "he is not yet out of the woods."

Experimenter's in the growing of cotton in various colors are being conducted both in the United States and in Russia.

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Bert VanderClute	Wesleyan	Guard
Cliff Rothrock	N. Dakota State	Center
Mike Reed	Louisiana Tech	Guard
Tony Stalloni	Delaware	Tackle
Martin Goodman	Williamette	End
Doc Mobley	Hardin-Simmons	Back
Phil Colella	St. Bonaventure	Back
Gene Roberts	Chattanooga	Back
Hank Caver	Presbyterian	Back

**Fifty-Eighth National AAU Meet Opened Friday In San Antonio; Fight Of Factions For Presidency Predicted**

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF  
SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— The fifty-eighth annual convention of the National AAU opened here Friday with a hot fight forecast for the presidency as three factions put candidates into the field.

Tied in with political moves was a proposed rule that would prohibit succession in office. This proposal, put forward by the Carolinas Association, would limit the term of the president to two years.

Willard N. Greim of Denver, who now is in his second year as head of the far-flung organization, has not announced himself as a candidate but has the backing of a large faction. Eugene C. Bonniwell of Philadelphia, now first vice-president, has publicly entered the race. The other candidate, a somewhat reluctant one—is James A. Rhodes

of Columbus, Ohio, the second vice-president, who at first said he would throw his support to Greim but soon after found himself drafted by a group and pushed into the race.

**225 Delegates Due**  
The convention, which extends through Sunday, is due to attract 225 delegates from 39 associations and the Territory of Hawaii. More than 200 had registered through Thursday night.

Seeking the 1947 convention are San Diego, Omaha, Boston and Lake Placid, N. Y. and it was also anticipated that Miami, which sought the meeting last year would be back in the bidding.

Championships in the various sports events will be awarded Saturday. The Inter-Mountain Association of Salt Lake City and Lincoln, Neb., are after track and field—the prize plum. Hawaii has four delegates here seeking the senior boxing championships and Boston also is bidding for it while Kansas City wants the junior boxing meet.

Denver is asking for the basketball tournament; New York, Chicago, Philadelphia and Los Angeles are after the handball meet. Seatons wants women's indoor swimming and Miami outdoors, while Tyler, Texas, is expected to bid for the men's outdoor swimming and New York and Ohio State University to go after the men's indoor swimming. Oklahoma City and Lancaster, Pa., are seeking the wrestling meet.

**BOWLING**

Burl's Standard won two games from the league leading Continental Airlines to feature rolling in the major bowling league of Midland Wednesday night at Plamor Palace.

Scharbauer Hotel won two from Permian Well; Tot's Gulf nabbed a couple from Midland Tire; and Honolulu Oil grabbed two from Mabee Drilling.

Burl's Standard team rolled 2,518 for high team series and Honolulu Oil kegger 841 for high team game. Jack Mashburn of Burl's Standard rolled 590 for high individual series and 213 for high game.

League standing:

Team	Won	Lost
Continental Airlines	23	10
Permian Well	19	14
Tot's Gulf Service	14	14
Burl's Standard	16	17
Scharbauer Hotel	16	17
Honolulu Oil Co.	16	17
Midland Tire Co.	12	21
Guy Mabee Drilling	11	22

Wednesday night results:

Continentals	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Roberts	140	206	148	494
Jones	180	171	173	524
Pratt	193	168	166	527
Boothe	178	133	133	444
Crites	154	154	132	440
Totals	845	832	752	2429

Burl's Standard

Borneman	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Cox	148	161	160	469
Self	135	174	116	425
Prothro	178	175	175	528
Mashburn	212	165	213	590
Handicap	25	25	25	75
Totals	828	844	846	2518

Scharbauer Hotel

Haigh	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Prothro	168	157	177	502
Carpenter	147	166	127	440
Albright	145	173	145	463
Tharp	205	172	149	526
Tharp	166	158	192	516
Totals	831	826	790	2447

Permian Well

Lovering	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Goodpasture	174	165	150	489
Falcon	149	129	166	444
Clark	147	165	146	458
McKinnon	167	151	111	429
Handicap	155	142	157	454
Handicap	44	44	44	132
Totals	836	796	774	2406

Maybee Drilling

Matthews	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Mabee	90	89	154	333
Pelton	108	138	93	339
Brewer	172	138	155	465
Chapman	161	175	149	485
Handicap	139	129	191	459
Handicap	25	25	25	75
Totals	695	692	767	2154

Honolulu Oil

Hallman	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Spears	132	117	185	434
Gifford	111	114	151	366
Conroe	123	163	148	434
Hytat	141	132	126	399
Handicap	163	212	157	532
Handicap	52	52	52	156
Totals	722	790	819	2331

Tot's Gulf

Watlington	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Girdley	195	192	179	566
Howard	187	136	114	437
Young	112	165	133	410
Davidson	137	154	138	429
Handicap	166	179	179	524
Totals	777	826	743	2346

**Schoolboy Grid Playoffs Get Started Saturday**

By MAX E. SKELTON  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
The pay-off rounds of Texas schoolboy football get underway Friday with four games of the first round of the 1946 championship play-off on schedule.

Four other games will be played Saturday afternoon, with the weekend's eight winners to be matched next week in the quarter-finals.

Capacity crowds that are expected to total well over the 100,000 mark will attend games Friday and Saturday, with most tilts having posted standing-room-only signs early this week.

**Largest Crowds**  
Largest crowds are indicated Friday night at Dallas and Houston. Dallas expects 25,000 to witness the struggle between the Adamson Leopards and North Side, an undefeated, untied Fort Worth eleven.

At Houston, 22,000 will jam the high school stadium to see two of the state's five undefeated teams of the regular season in a bi-district struggle. Lamar, the Houston and District 13 champion, tied once in ten games, will clash with Pasadena, District 14 titleholder. Pasadena, playing its first year in Class AA competition, has won seven games and played three scoreless ties.

In another night game, Highland Park, co-defending state champion along with Waco's Tigers, will be at Denison.

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Whiteoak 21, Atlanta 14 (21-22A Bi-District championship).

**TO HOLD GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
BROWNSVILLE —(AP)— Officials of the Brownsville Charro Days Fiesta's plan to hold an amateur golf tournament, in connection with the annual celebration next year. The Fiesta is scheduled for February 14-17.

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