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(AP)—Associated Press

Humble To Drill Wildcat South Of Andector Field

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

Humble Oil & Refining Company has filed application to drill an Ellenburger wildcat one and five-eighths miles south, and slightly east of the discovery well of the Andector field, in Northwest Ector County.

The project will be Humble No. 1-G R. B. Cowden, et al, and is 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 1, block 45, TP survey T-2-N.

It is to start drilling at once, to go to 9,100 feet, unless it gets production or water in the Ellenburger, at a lesser depth.

Average 79.3 BOPH

Humble No. 1-F Cowden, one-half mile due south of the initial producer in the Andector area, and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 11, block 45, TP survey, T-2-N, was bottomed at 8,690 feet, in the Ellenburger lime, and had flowed 238 barrels of oil natural, in three hours, through a one-half-inch tubing choke.

That was an average of 79.3 barrels per hour. The shale-out ranged from three per cent down to one and six-tenths of one per cent drilling mud. No water developed. The well is now shut in to take potential and complete.

The production came from 280 perforations in the casing at 8,550-8,655 feet.

Jamezon Flows Clean Oil

Sun Oil Company No. 1 Jamezon, Northwest Ector County discovery for production from the circuloval section of the Pennsylvanian about 19 miles northwest of Robert Lee, and 1,980 feet from west and 660 feet from south lines of section 253, block 1-A H&TC survey, flowed 102 barrels of oil in the 24-hour period ending at 7 a. m. Monday.

There was no water nor mud in the recovery. The flow was through a one-quarter-inch choke. Casing pressure was 770 pounds and tubing pressure was 250 pounds.

Practically all available storage on the lease had been filled. Operator planned to shut in the well to take bottomhole pressure tests, while an additional 1,000 barrels of storage is being erected.

There is a possibility that the well will be completed as it is—and not be given any acid.

Shows in Kermit Wildcat

McDaniel and Beecher No. 1 Barton, Central Winkler County wildcat, in the Kermit townsite, and in section 26, block B-3, ps1 survey, topped the Gloria at 5,025 feet. There was some porosity and oil stains at 5,050-5,081 feet. Operator was preparing to take a drillstem test at last report. Elevation is 2,999 feet.

Humble No. 1-C Sawyer, East-Central Reagan County wildcat, 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 130, block 1, TP survey, about 10 miles northeast of Big Lake, was making hole under 9,925 feet in lime.

No Shows in DST

A drillstem test was taken at 9,865-9,917 feet, for 63 minutes. There was a slight blow of air for a part of the period. Recovery was 90 feet of drilling mud. No shows of oil or gas were reported.

Sunray Oil Corporation No. 1 Sealy-Smith, Southwest Winkler County wildcat, in southeast corner of section 31, block A, G&M&B&Z survey, had taken a Schlumberger survey to 10,010 feet, in lime—possibly still Mississippian—and was drilling ahead. It has not reported having encountered any shows of oil or gas.

Tennie Runs Casing

Lion Oil Company No. 1 Tennie, (Cowden), outcrop to production from the Devonian, on the northwest side of the Dollar Hide field, in Southwest Andrews County, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 6, block A-55, ps1 survey, was to run and cement 5 1/2-inch casing on bottom and will then perforate and test opposite saturated zones in the Devonian which was entered at 7,901 feet.

The top of the formation had shown for flowing oil. A drillstem test was taken at 8,021-82 feet. The tool was open three hours. There was a good flow of sweet gas from the surface after five minutes, which continued the remainder of the period. Recovery was 30 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud, 622 feet of clean oil and 227 feet of black, slightly salty water. Bottom hole pressure was 300 pounds.

McKinley Still Swabs

Sun No. 1-B McKinley, East Lea County possible discovery from the lower Permian, on the north side of the original Hobbs field, swabbed 66 barrels of fluid in 24 hours from the zone at 7,543-7,658 feet, where two shots of acid had been injected.

The recovery was cut with 31 per cent acid water and acid sludge from the last treatment. Operator was continuing to swab to clean-out and thoroughly test.

BARTENDER GIVEN CHANCE TO RE-BUY OWN COAT

ROCKFORT, ILL.—(AP)—Bartender Robert McCarthy said it was bad enough when someone stole his \$20 green topcoat from the tavern where he works, but he felt worse when Frank Jennings tried to sell it back to him for \$1.50 a few hours later.

New Ambassador



Named U. S. Ambassador to the Court of St. James is O. Max Gardner, 64, Under Secretary of the Treasury, Gardner, a former Governor of North Carolina, will go to London to take the politically important \$25,000-a-year post vacated by W. Averell Harriman, who left to become Secretary of Commerce.

11 Persons Killed In Canadian Hotel Fire Sunday

SASKATOON, SASK.—(AP)—Gasoline flames which the fire chief said "moved like a solid wall" swiftly turned the Barry Hotel into an inferno before dawn Sunday, killing 11 persons and injuring 18. The fire was the worst in Saskatchewan history and the worst in Canada since the Queen's Hotel fire in Halifax in 1939 when 28 died.

A can of gasoline in the kitchen of the hotel appeared to have caused the holocaust. Fred Pries, a waiter, said the cook called him to the kitchen where he found the gas range blazing and the can of gasoline shooting flames eight feet high.

Can Rolls into Lobby

Pries grabbed the gasoline can and tried to run into the street with it but bumped into a frightened customer. The can fell and rolled into the hotel lobby. Someone else tried to kick it out through the door, but the draft from a large electric fan sent the flames sprilling inward. Pries said within a minute of the last fumble, "all hell was broke loose" and the fire was beyond control.

Acting Fire Chief E. Clark ordered firefighters to "forget the building; there are lives to be saved."

Firemen visited every one of the 87 rooms while the blaze still burned and found "four or five people wandering around in dazed conditions". Some guests jumped safely from the second and third floors in scanty attire. The weather was mild. Others made escape ropes of sheets and blankets. Some jumped through the rotunda skylight.

Two boys, Joe Harold Barnett, 8, and his brother, Kenneth Wayne Barnett, 5, were killed Saturday when they, family automobile collided with a Texas and Pacific passenger train near Mineola.

Suicide-Murder Verdict

At Houston, the nude, quilt-covered body of a woman tentatively identified as Mrs. Percy Landreane of Houston, was found Saturday in a tourist cabin. Justice of the Peace W. C. Ragan is withholding an inquest verdict pending further investigation.

Ernest L. Ansel, 35, of Fort Worth, a garage owner, was killed Sunday when his motorcycle collided with an automobile one mile south of Adelaide.

Red Habby, 55, a Lampasas fur dealer, was killed Saturday night when his pick-up truck collided with an automobile 10 miles south of Llano.

A verdict of murder and suicide has been returned by Justice of the Peace W. E. Richburg of Dallas in the deaths of Cecil M. Ashworth, 34, and his wife, Kathryn Ashworth, 39.

An accidental drowning verdict has been given by Justice of the Peace Thomas I. Decker of Houston in connection with the death of Beverly H. Gaillard, 47, oil tanker seaman. Gaillard's body was found in the Houston Ship Channel Sunday morning.

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French Liner Sinks In Storm

Eighteen Texans Die In Accidents Over Weekend

By The Associated Press
Highways claimed 10 of 18 lives lost in Texas weekend mishaps. Three deaths resulted from homicides or suicides. Train collisions, plane crashes, drownings and fires were among causes of deaths.

An unidentified man, whose automobile struck a culvert two miles south of Argyle, Texas, on Highway 377, Sunday, was among the casualties.

Miss Nena Bell Nale, 25, of Harlingen, was killed Saturday night when her automobile collided with a parked truck about 14 miles south of Laredo on the Monterey Highway.

Sunday afternoon, the body of J. T. Lacy, 64, Marshall, Texas, insurance adjuster, was recovered from an automobile in 15 feet of water in Rabbit Creek, two miles from Kilgore.

Latest victim was O. R. Workman of Houston, fireman for the Missouri and Pacific Railroad, who was fatally burned Sunday when his passenger train crashed into the rear of a freight train near Refugio. He died Sunday night, several hours after the accidents.

Ernest Brown, 35, of Crawford died in a Waco hospital Sunday of injuries received Friday in a quarry near Crawford.

Charles Patterson Lanford, 16, of Abilene, was killed and Harry Dillashaw, Jr., of Houston injured Sunday when Lanford's plane crashed 18 miles west of Houston.

Also at Houston, W. L. Joyner, 47, received fatal injuries in an automobile accident.

Shot in Back

Miss Anita Hernandez, 25, of San Antonio, received fatal wounds when shot in the back with a .25 caliber bullet. Police are holding a 20-year-old youth in connection with the shooting.

Stanley Moon, 15, of San Antonio was killed Saturday when his motorcycle overturned 11 miles north of there.

The body of Mrs. Georgia Erma Fuller, 23, of Corsicana was found Saturday in a Dallas tourist cabin. The body was partly burned and the bed was on fire. A verdict of death caused by fire was returned by Justice of the Peace W. E. Richburg.

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Alone



In Symbolic Solitude John L. Lewis Brides Down A Washington Street

Inquiries Start In Atlanta Fire

ATLANTA.—(AP)—The Winecoff hotel fire death toll stood at 120 Monday as multiple investigations were ordered into Saturday's disaster which was the nation's most costly hotel conflagration.

City, county and national probes were ordered. They coincided with demands for more stringent safeguards against such tragedies.

Solicitor General E. E. Andrews arranged conferences with the city fire marshal, firemen, fire underwriters and grand jury foreman Henry Chandler. He said a grand jury would study Saturday's pre-dawn fire to determine if there had any criminal negligence.

Mayor William B. Hartsfield called a meeting of the city council's fire committee to question officials about the nation's most deadly hotel fire. The National Fire Prevention Association and the National Conference of Building Officials also planned investigations.

Goodfellow Fund Campaign Opens

Midland County has at least 19 families which will not have a merry Christmas unless Midlanders contribute generously in the Goodfellow Club fund campaign which opened Monday. County Judge Elliott H. Barron said.

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Byrnes, Bevin Hope To Avoid Mistakes In German Treaty

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Secretary of State James F. Byrnes and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin Monday were reported to have endeavored to avoid what they consider the mistakes of the Paris Peace Conference system when it comes to drafting a peace settlement for Germany.

Against the indicated opposition of Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov both the Western power ministers were authoritatively described as ready to insist on the fullest possible hearing for small nations on the German settlement before the Foreign Ministers Council makes any decision at all.

The key to a decision on a meeting on Germany lies in conflicting proposals made by Byrnes and Molotov about hearings for the views of small nations—Belgium, the Netherlands, Canada, Australia and the like—as to the fate of Germany.

FOR NEW GOVERNMENT

CAIRO.—(AP)—King Farouk Monday asked former Premier Mahmoud Fahmy Nokrachi Pascha, leader of the Socialist Party, to form a new Egyptian government to succeed that of Premier Ismail Sidky Pascha, who resigned Sunday.

DAMON RUNYON ILL

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Damon Runyon, author and columnist, is critically ill at Memorial Hospital with a liver ailment, hospital officials said Monday.

Miners Return To Coal Pits

PITTSBURGH.—(AP)—The soft coal miners trooped back to their jobs Monday and resumed production of desperately needed fuel ending a 17-day work stoppage which crippled the nation's economy.

Spear-heading the back-to-work movement by the 400,000 United Mine Workers were the diggers in Pennsylvania and West Virginia, which have about one-half of the soft coal miners. Early reports from these fields showed miners generally obeyed John L. Lewis' order to return to work, although full production may not be reached before Tuesday or Wednesday.

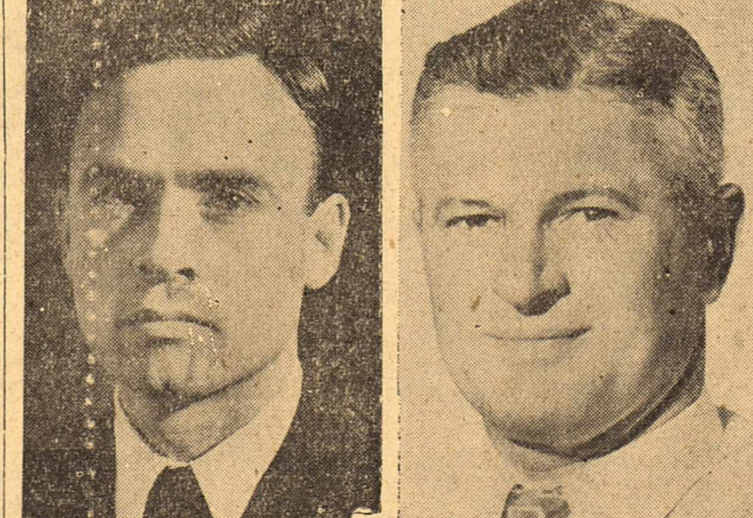
In the coal-rich Pittsburgh area only a couple of large mines were reported idle and union's explaining work would be resumed at these as soon as the official work notice had been received from the union.

Fuel is sorely needed by industry and to warm homes and schools across the country.

The back-to-work movement, which came after nearly 300,000 other workers had been idled and complete economic paralysis was threatened, started Sunday at three small Ohio pits.

Weather

Partly cloudy with scattered showers Monday afternoon and night, and cooler Monday night. Partly cloudy Tuesday. Maximum temperature Sunday was 62 degrees, minimum 55 degrees, minimum Monday was 50 degrees.



H. Grady Chandler, Jr. Harold B. Seifert

Two officials of Pioneer Air Lines, Harold B. Seifert, vice-president in charge of operations, right, and H. Grady Chandler, Jr., general manager, are in Midland to attend an airline-city council conference, and to make certain pre-operating surveys of Midland and vicinity.

Former German Ship Breaks From Moorings In Le Havre Harbor

LE HAVRE.—(AP)—The French-acquired former German luxury liner Europa, re-christened the "Liberte", sank in Le Havre Harbor Monday.

The 49,746-ton transatlantic liner broke its moorings at the French Line docks in a storm and sank at noon, the agency, France-Presse, reported.

The liner broke loose from her moorings and hurtled across the basin in less than three minutes, smashing against the hulk of the sunken French liner "Paris". A gaping hole was stove into the Liberte's side at the level of the machine room.

All aboard were taken ashore at 8 a. m. (2 a. m. EST).

All fire fighting companies in Cherbourg were alerted and stood by.

The ship sank upright in the basin four hours later. Experts on the spot said they "hoped" it could be refloated.

No Hands Missing
No hands were missing. The sinking occurred the day after search ships found an oil spot marking the water 1,000-yard deep grave of the submarine 23-26 which had been unreported since it left Toulon Thursday with 16 men aboard.

Like the Liberte, the 23-26 was a former German craft acquired by the French, leading to speculation whether there might be some connection between the two losses.

Supreme Court Action Awaited In Lewis Case

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The administration, triumphant in its bitter fight to smash the coal strike, counted on a nod from the Supreme Court Monday signaling the next grim round with John L. Lewis.

The high tribunal assembled with this question hanging whether it will by-pass an intermediate court to hear the appeal of Lewis and his United Mine Workers from contempt fines totaling \$3,500,000.

Jubilant over the week-end surrender of Lewis which ended the 17-day walkout, officials familiar with the government's legal strategy expressed confidence that the top court of the land would take jurisdiction for an early showdown.

But these officials as well as union aides said they expected that with the strike over the court probably will put the case on its regular calendar, rather than docket it ahead of other matters. This might put off a decision until February.

In the wake of Lewis' sudden and dramatic capitulation Saturday, the nation hustled to get industrial wheels turning full speed again.

Troop Withdrawal From Foreign Lands Is Asked By Egypt

LAKE SUCCESS.—(AP)—Egypt Monday submitted proposal in the United Nations arms reduction debate calling for member governments to commence a balance withdrawal of all troops stationed outside home territory and to institute a general demobilization of forces.

The proposal, offered as an amendment to a United States resolution, also called for immediate withdrawal of any forces stationed on alien soil without the "free consent" of the government concerned.

Fire Code Of Texas Would Give Persons Chance To Escape

AUSTIN.—(AP)—Commenting on Atlanta's disastrous Winecoff hotel fire of last Saturday morning, Gov. Coke Stevenson Monday said Texas has a strong fire code which would at least give people a chance to escape from fire.

He noted that the Georgia hotel did not have fire escapes, and said the Texas Fire Code requires fire escapes for all buildings where persons sleep above the second floor.

"When you sift all the laws passed for the protection of citizens in Texas, you find Texas is just about the most progressive state in the nation," Stevenson said.

Arrest Is Made After Automobile Collision

City police reported Vestor Edwards of Stanton was arrested here Sunday in connection with an automobile collision.

ACTRESS FUNERAL SERVICES TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY

NEW YORK.—(AP)—Private funeral services will be held Wednesday for Laurette Taylor, 62, noted actress who died Saturday night.

Airline Officials Confer With City And CC Leaders

A conference between officials of three major airlines and city and Chamber of Commerce officials of Midland and Odessa was underway here Monday afternoon.

The three airlines represented are Continental, which already is serving Midland, and American and Pioneer, who recently were granted certificates by the Civil Aeronautics Board to include Midland-Odessa on their routes.

Harold B. Seifert, vice-president in charge of operations, and H. Grady Chandler, Jr., general traffic manager, both of Houston, are representing Pioneer at the conference.

Midland-Odessa Officials
Maury Huffman of Fort Worth is representing American Air Lines.

Continental is represented by Jim C. Carlson, manager of Continental's station here.

Stanley Erskine, Midland city councilman; John W. House, chairman of the aeronautics committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce; Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber; John Wilson, Odessa city manager, and M. J. Benefield, manager of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce, are among the Midland-Odessa officials present.

Airport and terminal facilities to be used by the airlines are being discussed and studied.

Formal Sentencing Of Williams Delayed

District Clerk Nettie Romer said Monday the formal sentencing of Earl Hamilton Williams, convicted of slaying his wife by a 70th District Court jury in Midland last week, has been postponed.

The sentencing originally was set for Monday, but District Judge Cecil C. Collings is holding court in Big Spring this week. He notified the district clerk he would not be in Midland for several days.

The jury assessed a 20-year prison term for Williams.

ARAB COUNTRIES THREATEN TO TERMINATE AGREEMENT

LONDON.—(AP)—Moscow radio, quoting the Baghdad newspaper, "Al Shad," said Monday that Iraq and other Arab countries have threatened to terminate air agreements with the United States "if the latter conducts a policy of hostility towards the Arabs in the Palestinian question."

135 Electric Clocks Taken From Auto

CHICAGO.—(AP)—Someone with time on his hands broke into the car of Robert Ellsworth Sunday night.

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City Police Report
Very Busy Weekend

City police had a busy weekend. Officers made 21 arrests with charges ranging from investigation to violation of the law of the road. Charges also included drunkenness, disturbing the peace, and affray.

HOPPER IS STANTON SPEAKER
The Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Midland, will be the guest speaker at a meeting of the Lions Club in Stanton Monday night.

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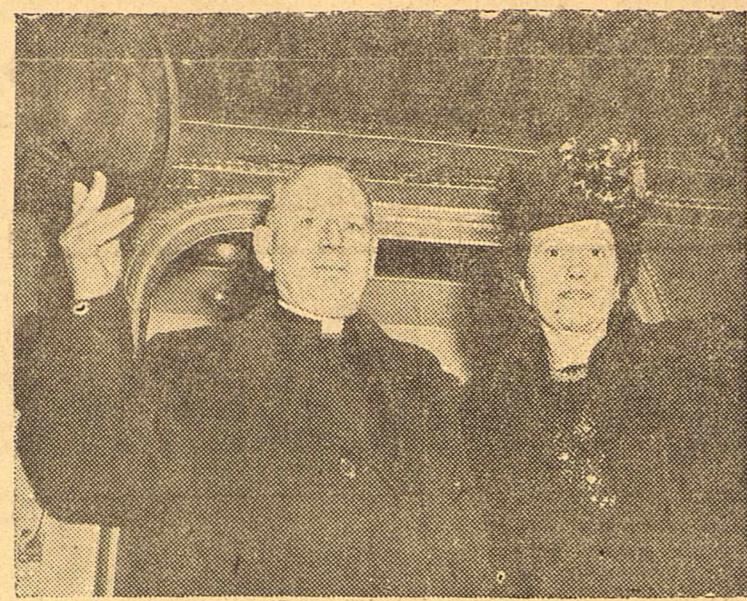
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Fly To India



Bishop and Mrs. Angie Smith of Oklahoma City take off by plane from New York for an official visitation of Methodist mission stations, colleges and hospitals in India, Burma and Malaysia. Their itinerary included brief stops in Newfoundland, Paris, Geneva, Rome, Athens, and Cairo. In Cairo they planned to rest two days, then proceed by British plane to Bombay where their mission, representing the Council of Bishops, will begin. Bishop and Mrs. Smith formerly resided in Midland where Bishop Smith held one of his first pastorates. Both are well-known here.

Professor Learns
About Kilroy

In Calling Roll
SHERMAN — (P)— Kilroy is just another name to an Austin College professor.
He wondered why his class broke into gales of laughter when he was calling the roll and, after calling Kilroy and receiving no answer, asked seriously if anyone knew him.
"He hasn't been here since he registered," the professor said.

Rodent Control
Drive To Open

Carl Jacobs and Charles Aday of the U. S. Field and Wildlife Service, Rodent Control Division, were scheduled to arrive in Midland Monday to direct the JayCee-sponsored anti-rodent campaign to be conducted during the next week or 10 days.
The block-by-block system will be used as the experts set out 1030 in the business district.
Business owners not contacted by Graham Smoot, chairman of the drive for the JayCees, are asked to contact the Health Unit, phone 178.

16 Aboard French
Sub Believed Lost

TOULON, FRANCE — (P)— The fate of 16 men aboard the French submarine 23-26 appeared definitely sealed Sunday as search planes and vessels discovered an oil spot 300 yards across over a depth of 800 to 1,000 yards.
Naval authorities said samples of the oil left little doubt it came from the former German U-boat, unheard from since the French took it on a test run Thursday with 16 men aboard.

Midland Photographer Appointed To
Position On Atomic Research Staff

By CROM HOLMES
The atomic bomb is a family affair with William E. de Alva, who served as a photographer at MAAF from September, 1945, to March, 1946, after which he made his home in Midland.

He worked for a studio in Midland, then set up the Deol Photographers here, but he had an interest in the atomic bomb—a desire to help carry on the work of his brother, Louis de Alva, an atomic bomb research physicist who was killed in 1944 at Elgin Field, Fla. while working on a special project for the Office of Strategic Services.

Two months ago De Alva, through a cousin, Rudolph Velasco, a plant engineer at the Los Alamos Atomic Research Laboratory, applied for a position in the research photography department filming explosives in the atomic bomb program.

FBI Checks Life Record
The FBI went to work studying De Alva's life history and service record. On November 25, he was notified of his appointment. He went to Los Alamos and began work on the project, which still is under strict wartime censorship and security measures.

De Alva returned to Midland to move part of his personal photographic supplies to the town of Los Alamos, where he has received permission to set up a non-military studio as a side-line and hobby. He will retain his interest in the studio in Midland.

De Alva explained that work on the atomic project as a family affair is not unusual. Before anyone is employed he must be known and recommended by someone already connected with the select group of

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H. B. Seifert Is
Kiwanis Speaker

Harold B. Seifert, vice-president in charge of operations for Pioneer Air Lines, Inc., was the guest speaker at the luncheon of the Midland Kiwanis Club in Hotel Scharbauer Monday noon.

The speaker, who was assigned, while on Army duty in the Middle East, the task of flying Haile Selassie, emperor of Ethiopia, from his capital in Addis Ababa to Cairo for the historic conference with President Roosevelt following the Yalta Conference, related interesting incidents which happened on the trip.

Decorated by Emperor
The emperor later decorated Seifert with the Star of Ethiopia. He related customs and habits of the people of Ethiopia, and told interesting facts about the emperor. He was introduced by Delbert Downing, Chamber of Commerce manager.

Members voted to sponsor a weekly vocational guidance class at Midland High School. The Rev. Fred McPherson, chairman of the club's vocational guidance committee, recommended the movement.
Approval of an increase in dues to meet the increased cost of luncheons was voted.

City Police Alerted
To Watch For Burglar

Midland city police Sunday were alerted to watch for a man with a small sack containing loot taken in a jewelry store burglary at Odessa.
A description of the man was furnished by Odessa police. They said he was traveling on foot.

BIG, LITTLE INCH PIPES
TO CONTINUE TO CARRY GAS

WASHINGTON — (P)— A War Assets Administration official said Monday that the end of the coal strike would not change the government's agreement for temporary use of the big and little inch pipe lines to carry natural gas to the Midwest.

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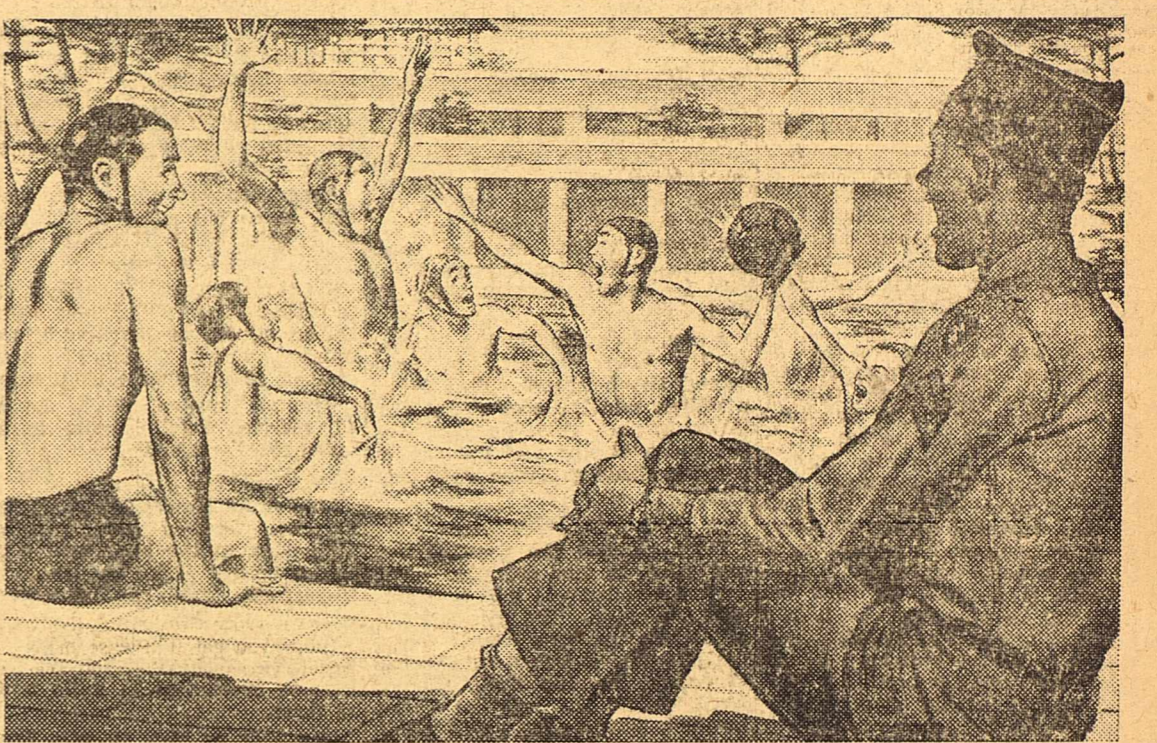
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Wanda Bradshaw Leads Christian Endeavor

Wanda Bradshaw was the leader for the program at the meeting of the Junior Christian Endeavor of the First Christian Church, Sunday evening.

Larry Lindsley read the scripture and Dwight Lindsley played a piano solo.

Others taking part on the program were Harold Reecer, Grace Morrow, Paul Reecer, Annette Hayes, Suzanne Hood, Pat Anderson, and Melissa Heidelberg.

Also present at the meeting were Bobby Chaucey, Tinker Downing, Billie Heidelberg, Lila Heidelberg, Betty Sue Crump, Carolyn Crump, Loraine Carlson, Donna Lee Ingram, and the sponsors, Mrs. Clyde Lindsley and Mrs. B. W. Reecer.

Approximately 20 members of the Junior Endeavor were entertained with a weiner roast, Friday evening, by the sponsors at the home of Mrs. Lindsley.

VISIT DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Ernst of San Diego, Calif., are visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. H. Parkis, 1202 West Washington Avenue.

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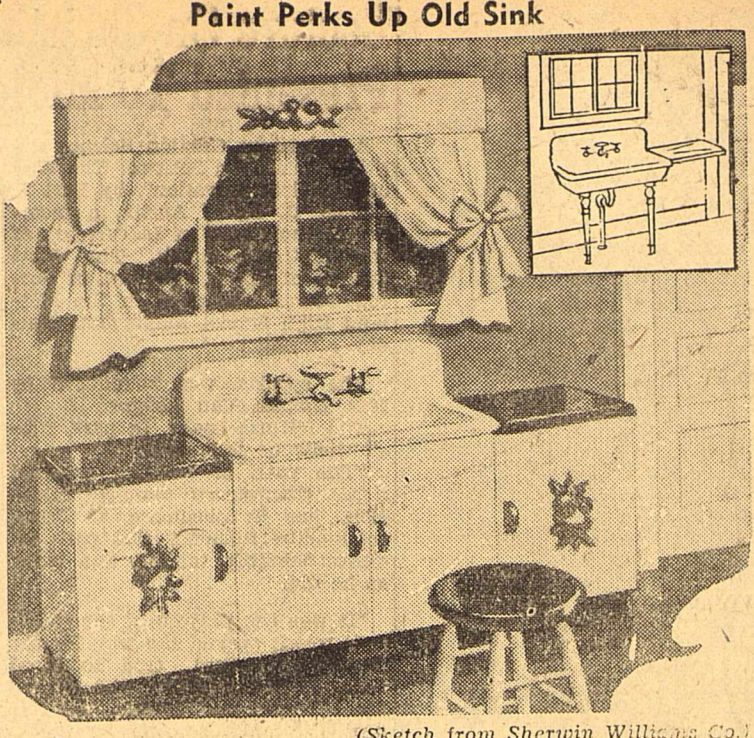
Gift Party Honors Mrs. James Hubbard, Recent Wink Bride

WINK—Mrs. James E. Hubbard, the former Billie Marie Marsh, was complimented with a gift party when Mrs. G. S. Taylor, Mrs. G. C. Brazzeal, Mrs. Earl McBee and Mrs. Lee White entertained at the home of Mrs. R. E. Cannon.

Mary Hubbard presided at the refreshment table and Mrs. Sam Stroder, aunt of the bride, presided at the guest book.

Guests included Mmes. Fronie Hill, Elizabeth Herring, Stanley Hill, R. A. Leck, Brad Leck, A. H. Brown, L. F. Jones, Jr., Jack Mathes, Roy Owens, Sr., Roy Owens, Jr., Frank Mullican, Steve Leach, B. B. Welch, B. L. Cooke, Lula Cooper, C. L. Swafford, A. C. Hecht, Sloan Paxton, W. L. Brown, Juden Godfrey, Creek Brown, D. A. McClatchy, Clarence Peck, J. E. Bucy, Harry Tipps, O. L. Pittman, Fred Herring, R. A. Lipscomb, G. P. Laughlin, Troy Warren, Milton Howard, Bryan C. Henderson, C. C. Gower, J. B. Eastbrook, W. J. Smith, P. A. Holcombe, Dee Wright, Mary Edwards, V. A. Ripper Joe Byarby, John Elliott, W. R. Sleh, C. P. Hoskins, Irene Carroll, O. C. Lester, Cody Pondren, O. L. Jenkins, Bill Norris, Jackie Barton, O. C. Terrell, L. S. Jenkins, S. F. Hartman, Reeta Lee, J. A. Blackburn, Ruben Brinkley, J. A. Dickerson, S. M. Talten, I. C. Shaw, B. M. Stodghill, Fred Keene, C. B. Shults, J. W. Bradberry, L. M. Feyen, Hugh Sisson, Charles Woods, F. W. Tollison, L. B. Eddins, George Betterline, A. J. Bailey, E. L. Walling, H. E. Norris, Lee Coleman, L. F. Wolf, H. P. LIONS, Jess Gage, J. D. Crawford, V. W. Weger, Walter Reumund, Mable Gehr, Roy C. Priebe, Forest Green, J. B. Barrett, H. J. Smith, Reno Bell, Lewis Grey, G. Evans, L. V. Gills, J. S. Peebles, C. D. Hubbard, Pete Marsh.

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SOCIETY

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Attendants For Barbara Cowden, Sebert L. Pate Wedding Announced

Wedding attendants for the marriage December 21 at the First Methodist Church of Barbara June Cowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cowden, of Midland, and Sebert Lansden Pate, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pate of Oak Hill Farms, Fort Worth, have been announced.

Mrs. A. M. Pate, Jr., of Fort Worth will be matron of honor and Anne Ulmer of Midland, maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be Alma Faye Cowden, Elizabeth Anne Cowden, Dorothy Wolcott, all of Midland, and Marge Harris of Centerline, A. M. Pate, Jr. of Fort Worth will serve as his brother's best man. Groomsman will be Jim Henderson, John McCrimmon, Charles Hargis of Fort Worth; Bob Hyatt of Midland and Gus Vietas of Abilene.

A series of parties in Fort Worth will begin Wednesday with a luncheon at the Colonial Country Club by Mrs. A. B. Canning and Mrs. J. F. Canning. A homemaker's gift party will be given Wednesday evening by Mrs. A. M. Pate, Jr. Luncheons will also be given at the Colonial Club Thursday by Mrs. E. L. Byers and Friday by Mrs. H. E. Ware and Mrs. F. H. Shouten.

A college chum luncheon will be given Saturday by Mrs. W. L. Pier and Charlotte Pier at their home in Fort Worth. Mr. and Mrs. Pate will give the rehearsal dinner December 20 in Midland.

Santa Claus Letters

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl four years old and my mother tells me I have been a good girl.

Will you please remember me at Christmas time.

I would like you to bring me a doll, baby buggy, and some dishes.

Love,

Annette Tucker, 117 South Main.

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a baby doll and tricycle. I have been pretty good this year. I wrote this letter myself and I hope you get it. Please bring my three sisters a thing or two, my Moma, a piano, and bring Daddy a new car.

I like some nuts and candy and fruit.

Love,

Dephane Taber, P. S.: I live at 716 West Louisiana.

Coming Events

TUESDAY

A Christmas social will be held by members of the Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist Church at the home of Mrs. John Ficke, 902 North Pecos Avenue, at 1 p. m. A covered dish luncheon will be served and gifts exchanged.

Christmas in the Fine Arts will be studied at the meeting of Civic Music Club at 8 p. m. at the North Elementary School Auditorium.

The West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 4 p. m. at the North Elementary Auditorium.

The South Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 4 p. m. in Room 102 of the school. The Rev. R. L. Hewgley will be the guest speaker.

Members of the Twentieth Century Club will have a guest day Christmas tea at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, 1714 Holloway Street.

The Lydia Circle of the First Presbyterian Church will have a Christmas banquet at 7:30 p. m. at the Scharbauer Hotel.

A Christmas program will be pre-

sented and gifts exchanged at the stated meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star at 7:30 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

WEDNESDAY

Holy Communion will be conducted by the Rev. R. J. Snell, Trinity Episcopal Church, at 10 a. m.

Members of the Fine Arts Club will meet with Mrs. L. G. Byerley, 1802 West Wall Street, at 3 p. m.

Mrs. W. E. Cox will review "Sergeant Mickey and General Ike" by Michael McKeogh and Richard Lockridge at the meeting of the Progressive Study Club when Mrs. A. A. Jones is hostess at the home of Mrs. Hugh Dunagan, 1904 West Wall Street, at 3 p. m.

A Christmas dinner will be held at 7:30 p. m. in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel by the Business and Professional Women's Club. Members are to make reservations.

The Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p. m. with Mrs. J. W. Carroll, 410 North Loraine Avenue.

THURSDAY

The annual Christmas banquet of the Lula Brunson Class of the First Baptist Church will be held at 7 p. m. at the church.

Mrs. Clint Buffington and Mrs. J. P. Cantrell will be the hostesses for the meeting of the La Merienda Club at 1 p. m. at the Ranch House.

FRIDAY

Members of the Belmont Bible Class will have a Christmas party at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. R. Chanslor, 605 West Ohio Avenue.

Mrs. W. D. Lane, Mrs. Ed Kent, Mrs. Glenn Grays and Mrs. L. F. Shiplet will be hostesses for the Christmas party of the Ladies Association of the Country Club at 1 p. m. at the Country Club. Gifts will be exchanged.

SATURDAY

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

Groups One and Two of the Children's Theater will meet at the City-County Auditorium.

The Junior Workshop of the Children's Theater will meet at the City-County Auditorium. Meeting times will be announced later.

Alumni and ex-students of Texas Tech from Midland and other West Texas cities will hold a Christmas party at 8 p. m. at the City-County Auditorium.

District Legion Convention Ends

MONAHANS —(Sp)—The Sixteenth District of the American Legion concluded its annual fall convention here Sunday afternoon. Registrations at the meeting which opened Saturday totaled 175.

An address by Bert Geisecke, state department commander, on "Veterans' Problems and Problems Confronting the Legion Today," highlighted the convention program.

Geisecke outlined plans for an American Legion college to be established in the fifth division of the Legion.

Resolutions adopted

Other speakers included George Berry, fifth division commander; Jim Wilson, division membership chairman; Fred Young, Veterans Administration representative, all of Lubbock; William Sohl of Alpine, and Tom Sailing of Dallas.

The convention adopted resolutions favoring the transfer of GI ambulances to each county in the district for the purpose of transporting eligible veterans to veterans' hospitals; recommending that buildings at the de-activated Pecos Army Air Field be made available to veterans for housing instead of being sold as surplus property; and urging the State Department to take all necessary steps to expedite the execution of the veterans land amendment passed in special election November 7.

The Monahans Neal Huffaker Post No. 473 was host to the convention, and B. A. Nunley, district commander, presided.

Girl Scout Troop To Decorate Tree

Girl Scout Troop No. 12 will be entertained with a tea party Tuesday afternoon after school when they meet to decorate the Christmas tree in the Children's Library. The decorations to be used were made by the Scouts.

Mrs. W. C. Cartwright will tell a story, "This Is the Christmas," a Serbian folk tale by Ruth Sawyer.

Mrs. W. I. Searles is leader of the troop.

MRS. J. W. COYNE HONORED AT PARTY

WINK—Mrs. J. W. Coyne was complimented with a pink and blue gift party, Saturday, at the home of Mrs. C. D. Hubbard.

Mrs. J. E. Hubbard and Mrs. J. V. Ogle presided at the lace-laid tea table centered with an arrangement of pastel flowers in a baby cradle.

Mrs. Ruby Blair, sister of the honoree, presided at the guest book.

Midland Girl Becomes Member Of Library Group

DENTON —Martha Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Preston, and a student at North Texas State College, has been named among the 25 students initiated into the Sigma Alpha Lambda, library service organization.

Miss Preston, a senior library science service major, is a member of the Senior Mary Arden Club and the McCracken Club at NTSC.

COMMISSIONERS' COURT HOLDS ROUTINE SESSION

The Commissioners' Court held a routine meeting in the Midland County courthouse Monday. County Judge E. H. Earron and Commissioners Frank Midkiff, A. G. Bohannon, J. C. Roberts and J. C. Brooks took part in the meeting.

4-H CLUB PLANS PARTY

Members of the Girls' 4-H Club of Prairie Lea will have a Christmas party at the school at 2 p. m. Tuesday.

VISITS FROM COLORADO CITY

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Old Story Of An Old Evil

The story of the inadequacy of public school teachers' salaries is not a new one. In fact, the only excuse for retelling it is that it seems to be as consistently forgotten as it is frequently told, and also because the situation is passing from that of a national disgrace to that of a national problem.

Recent figures indicate that 350,000 teachers have left their jobs since the war began. Some 60,000 of them have not been replaced. An additional 109,000 teaching jobs are being filled by persons who could not qualify for the jobs except under emergency conditions.

The reasons for this exodus are not hard to find. During the war teachers received an average pay increase of 11 per cent, as against 56 per cent for industrial workers. That brought their average annual salary at the war's end to \$1786, or about \$34 a week. This compares unfavorably with the average pay of domestics, manicurists, hat-check girls and others whose jobs scarcely can match the teachers' as contributions to the country's advancement.

Even the average salary quoted above, low as it is, is misleading on the plus side. During the last year of the war half the country's teachers were averaging less than \$1625 a year, a fifth were getting less than \$1200, and 44,000 received less than \$600 annually.

Perhaps one of the chief causes of this shameful condition is an outmoded attitude which many of us have toward the profession of teaching—an attitude that sits in a back corner of our mind like an inherited piece of antique furniture.

A century ago, and less, school teaching was the most respectable of the few professions open to women. Only the very young, the very zealous, or the very disappointedly unattractive chose it. Little training was demanded. Little pay was expected or received. Teaching was recognized as necessary, but as a profession for women it was tolerated as the first step in search of a husband, or the last refuge of a misfit spinster who had to make her own way in a man's world.

Today, of course, teaching is but one of hundreds of professions from which a woman may choose. The standards and requirements are high. The training is specialized and costly. Yet we continue to underpay those to whom we entrust the most important years of our children's training. Worse, we continue the old practice of feeling free to criticize teachers' manners, personal habits, dress and mode of living—under threat of firing them.

Most teachers love their work. (How else could they put up with what they do?) But more than a third of the teachers employed in our public school system have had to find other work in order to live and eat decently.

What we shall be faced with, if this continues, is a school system staffed not by teachers equipped for their work by temperament and training, but by ill-trained persons who otherwise could not even earn the teacher's pittance.

The public schools are traditionally and rightly the concern of the states, not the federal government. But certainly the states stand to lose their authority if they do not assume the responsibility of bettering the lot of their public educators.

There are few states that did not grow richer during the war years. It is time that all our states took thought of their own teachers and arranged more adequate compensation for them, or we shall find ourselves with a badly-educated, badly-equipped generation of future citizens.

Bad Description—Bad Approach

A correspondent for an American newspaper was writing the other day about "a smashing victory for the United States delegation" at the international committee meeting in London which is seeking to draft a world trade charter. There have been various other news paper references to "victories" and "defeats" for this nation or that in the recent efforts to write peace treaties and insure world peace.

It is, of course, absurd to speak of nationalistic victories or defeats in conferences designed to find a means of ending nationalistic disagreements. There can be only victories or defeats for the cause of wisdom in the nations' search for peace.

Yet the old diplomatic habits of thinking are hard to break. The result, if not the avowed purpose, of other peace conferences has been victory for some powers and defeat for others. But such thinking won't do this time. Until it is abandoned there will be little progress. And if it is not, you can take your choice from words like tragic or fatal to predict the result.

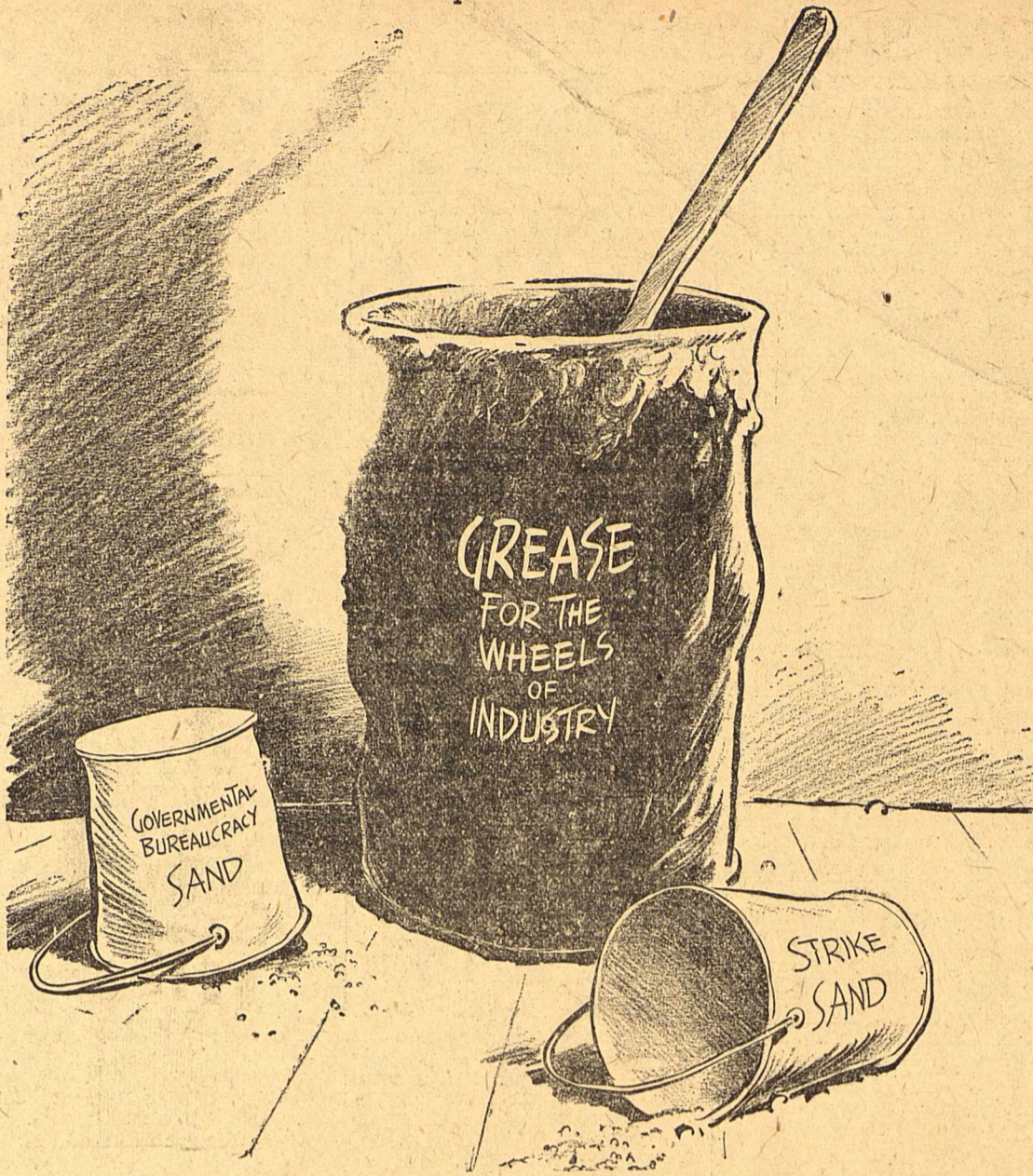
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Lecture On Christian Science Presented To Midlanders Sunday

A lecture on Christian Science entitled, "Christian Science: The Way of Complete Salvation", by Earl E. Simms, C. S., of Austin, a member of the Board of Lecturers of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass., was given in the Midland High School Auditorium Sunday afternoon.

The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Bernice Van Alstyne. The lecturer spoke, in part, substantially as follows: "The path of inspired spiritual living, the way of complete salvation, lies in obedience to Jesus' commands; following this path requires thinking, talking, and living as he did."

"It was the prayers of the righteous which opened the way for the Saviour's coming! God so loved those righteous, those who prayed for a better way of life, that He sent His only begotten Son into the world, that the world through him might be saved." (John 3:17)

"The Christian Scientist acknowledges Jesus the Christ to be the Son of God. The Christian Science textbook, 'Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures' by Mary Baker Eddy, defines 'Christ' (p. 583) as 'The divine manifestation of God, which comes to the flesh to destroy incarnate error.' Jesus referred to the ever-present, ever-operative Christ, along with His divine Principle, God, when He declared, 'Before Abraham was, I am' (John 8:58); and, 'I and my Father are one.' (John 10:30)"

Oil Compact Commission Opens Session Monday

DALLAS—(P)—The Interstate Oil Compact Commission was to open its quarterly meeting here Monday.

Among the early arrivals was Earl Foster, executive secretary, who stated Sunday that cooperation between states can forestall further federal controls.

"There are many areas of regulation, such as conservation, traffic banking procedures, where uniformity is necessary in all parts of the country," Foster said. "The states can cooperate to get their laws and practices in line with each other and obtain this uniformity or they can let the federal government prescribe the rules. Cooperation seems to be the better way."

DOW CHEMICAL WORKERS CALL END OF STRIKE

HOUSTON—(P)—A 21-day strike at the Dow Chemical Company's Freepport and Westlaco plants was to end early Monday with the return to work of 6,000 employees.

make extensive use of these holy names for our dear heavenly Father—Mother. "Christian Science teaches that prayer is constant spiritual thinking. Effectual prayer comes from a heart filled with an unquenchable desire for righteousness, purity, and holiness. It is the prayer of denial of error as well as affirmation of the truth. It declares what God is, and identifies man as the perfect expression of his creator."

"Does God answer prayer? Indeed He does! Scientific prayer acknowledges divine law as ever present, ever operative, and supreme over all material so-called law. Such prayer lifts us above material sense testimony; it delivers us into the beatific presence of infinite Mind where good is supreme; it recopies us to God, whereby we become conscious of the all-presence of infinite perfection."

Lucky The Paper Man's Ears Open

Just by chance a Reporter-Telegram employe heard about a new electric appliance being left on a back porch of a Midland residence, where it had never been ordered nor anticipated.

"Value of the appliance was \$300, model was the latest, demand for it—terrific!"

Later in the day the same news employe was in a store where the staff was literally tearing out its hair trying to find out where a delivery had gone wrong. For the delivery-maker could not remember at which of thousands of houses he had delivered the appliance wrongly.

So the aforementioned employe of the newspaper remembered what he had heard by chance and could tell the location. So the store got its appliance back, delivered to the right place, and everybody's happy.

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And here's a tip, if you're looking for a job. More operators are needed right now. Experience isn't necessary because you learn as you go along.

The chief operator at the telephone office will be glad to tell you all about it. Why not see her?

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Gather Ye Rosebuds

By JEANNETTE COVERT NOLAN

THE STORY: Major Cameron, veteran of the Lost Cause, is a man who believes the spirit of the Old South can never die. He scorns the Yankee town he lives in, dreams idly of being able to take his family to more elegant surroundings, hates drumming Spunky Maie tobacco, Miss Amy, kindly wife and mother, never questions anything he does. Their children include beautiful, trusting Rose who has had an "adventure" involving a strange young man, which she is keeping secret; Sidney, 10, a decisive realist; Beau, 10, Hannah, 12; and Jeff, 22. The year is 1910.

AFTER supper, with the dishes washed and kitchen straightened, Miss Amy sat in the parlor. This was the best hour of the day, all the children in the house and accounted for, the Major dozing over his evening newspaper. It was one of those minor miracles so lavishly enriching her life—a train of miracles which had begun the night she had first been introduced to William Cameron (years ago, simply years, at a church social in Bowling Green; and who would have supposed a man, so superior in every way, would glance twice in her direction!) and encompassing her marriage, the births of her children, indeed almost every incident of the years ensuing. Given the power, Miss Amy wouldn't have changed any circumstance of her life, except perhaps to wish for just a little more cash in her housekeeping purse.

She sat in her rocker under the lamp, the darned basket in her lap, and listened to Sidney, who was at the piano, playing and singing. The Rosary was lovely and quite adapted to Miss Amy's mood; but the piano was really terribly old, some of the white keys sticking, the pedals squeaking. The piano should be tuned. "Now, Sidney," Miss Amy said, "the Holy City." Sidney obligingly glided into it:

"Jerusalem, Je-ROOS-alem." Beauregard lounged against the piano stool. "I don't like Je-ros-alem! I like My Bonnie Lies Over the Ocean, Sid."

"Scat!" Sidney ran a brilliant arpeggio. "Skidoo. You smell bad, Goaty!"

Beau laughed and pressed closer, burrowing his rough head in her shoulder. "Play My Bonnie." "Oh, all right. Will you sing it?" "No," said Beau. "I'll sing." Hannah said timidly. As she sang, Miss Amy tapped her foot to the rhythm. Humming softly, she thought about new curtains for the parlor. There was no doubt that the parlor could do with a little refurbishing.

NOT for her own sake would Miss Amy like to have the parlor looking more fashionable. No, for Rose's and Sidney's. Perhaps with a nice room in which to entertain, they would have more company of their age and sex. She sometimes worried that they had so few girl friends, because in high school they'd both been so popular. It was probably, she thought, only due to the fact that after they were graduated, the other girls went on to boarding-school or to the state university, and former contacts were lost.

Smiling, Miss Amy thought that at least the Cameron girls had never lacked for young men friends. They came in swarms, like bees to molasses. And there was one of Sidney's high school intimacies which hadn't languished. Norma Lyon—such a nice, conservative little thing, and her father a Baptist clergyman. A shame that last year the Lyons had moved across the Ohio to Henderson, Ky. But Sidney had often visited them since then, and Norma was a good cor-

respondent, really a prolific letter-writer. Several days each week Sidney got a letter from Norma; she would take the letters up to her bedroom to read, and then dash off an answer.

"What in the world do you write about?" Miss Amy had asked.

"Just nothing," Sidney said.

"Just craziness. . . ." The doorbell rang, and Miss Amy knew it must be Ted Lenpert and that her lovely hour was over. She got up, beckoning to Hannah and Beau. In the hall she said a welcoming word to Ted, who was a pleasant boy, quite presentable, considering that his father was president of a brewing corporation. Through the open door, she could see Basil Earle getting out of his phaeton. Basil, now, was presentable without qualification; his parents had been born in Virginia and his father was one of Blakesville's prominent lawyers.

MISS AMY went upstairs, to the door of Jeff's room. He was at the mirror, combing his hair. "Aren't you going to bed, Jeff? You must be worn out."

"Well, Mamma, I said I'd shoot a few games of pool with some of the fellows. I won't be late."

Miss Amy hesitated. "But isn't pool a gambling game, Jeff?"

He smiled and his arms enveloped her in a quick hug. "Not with me. It's a science."

Jeff ran down the stairs, passing the Major, who was on his way up, yawning and grumbling. That Lenpert boy had brought a guitar; they were in for a session of caterwauling.

"Damnable!" said the Major. "Umm!"

What with pacifying the Major and supervising the younger children's Saturday night baths, Miss Amy was very busy; it was all of 10 o'clock before she herself was undressed and ready for bed, climbing into the big four-poster, where the Major snored noisily. She had meant to lie awake until Jeff returned, but she didn't; she dropped right off to sleep, to the strumming of Ted Lenpert's guitar below. . . .

(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Carli Authority
(Written for NEA Service)

to the ace-queen-nine, and dummy held three to the king, would you lead to the king or to the ace of trumps? Many players have the habit of leading an honor from the hand containing two honors, but the correct play is given in today's hand.

Naturally with declarer's trump holding, the only way he can lose a trick in trumps is to find one of the opponent's with all of those missing. If West holds all four, there is no way for declarer to avoid the loss of a trick. There-

South ♠ 10 9
♥ A 9 6 5
♦ 3
♣ 9 4 2
None

North ♠ A J 7 2
♥ K J 7
♦ 5 3
♣ J 10 7 5

Dealer

♠ 6 4
♥ 8
♦ AK 8 7
♣ A Q 9 6 4 2

Rubber—Both vul.

South West North East
1 ♠ Pass 1 ♠ T. Pass
2 ♣ Pass 2 ♠ T. Pass
3 ♣ Pass 4 ♣ Pass
4 ♣ Pass 5 ♣ Pass

Opening—♥ A 9

fore the correct play is to guard against the possibility that East has all four. To do this declarer would trump the second heart lead and lead a small club to dummy's king.

West having shown out, dummy returns the small club, and when East splits his honors, declarer wins with the queen. A small diamond is led to dummy and the eight of clubs is led. Now East is helpless, and declarer loses only a heart and a spade.

One of the most difficult contracts to reach is five in a minor. With only two spades and a singleton heart, South would not be interested in contracting for game at no trump. When he shows no inclination to do so, North correctly allows the hand to be played at clubs, even though game at no trump is possible.

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ELLIOTT ROOSEVELT, WIFE VISIT STALIN BIRTHPLACE
MOSCOW —(P)—A Tass dispatch from Georgia Monday said Elliott Roosevelt and his wife had visited Mtsketa, the ancient capital of Georgia, and Gori, birthplace of Prime Minister Stalin.

Read the Classifieds for Results

C. T. WATSON RECOMMENDED FOR REGIONAL FHA POST
DALLAS —C. T. Watson, a former manager of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce, has been endorsed by Senator Tom Connally for appointment as Southwest regional director of the Federal Housing Administration.

Watson now is acting state director of the Farm Security Administration. He has been with the government in FSA work since 1935.

There are 378 waterfalls in Brazil, 164 of which have a potential power of at least 5,000,000 horsepower.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

Quoting Odds
"A ROLL OF FILMS, WHEN SEALED, IS EXPOSED," says E. HANSBUE, Dayton, Ohio.

TEN MILES UP
THERE ARE NO CLOUDS, NO STORMS, NO "WEATHER" ... NEVER EVEN A MIST, EVERY DAY IS IDENTICAL, EACH EXACTLY LIKE THE ONE THAT PRECEDED IT; THE SUN AND STARS BLAZE BRILLIANTLY IN A BLACK SKY.

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Next: Long years on Neptune.

CARNIVAL By DICK TURNER

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"Well, maybe married life is like a drama, but why do I get all the bit parts and my wife all the leads?"

SIDE GLANCES

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"Yes, I bought those white shirts for you the other day, but you can't wear them till I manage to find some laundry soap!"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By Merrill Blosser

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NAMED JUVENILE KING, QUEEN OF AGGIELAND
COLLEGE STATION —(P)—William Terry Marx, 28 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Marx of Houston, and Nell Kathleen Martin, 39 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Martin of Fort Worth and Edinburg, have been named Juvenile King and Queen of Aggieland's Doll and Diaper Parade.

WILL TRY TO OBTAIN LOWER FREIGHT RATES
FORT WORTH —(P)—Steps will be taken at the annual convention of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association to obtain lower freight rates for sheep and wool shipments originating in the Southwest.

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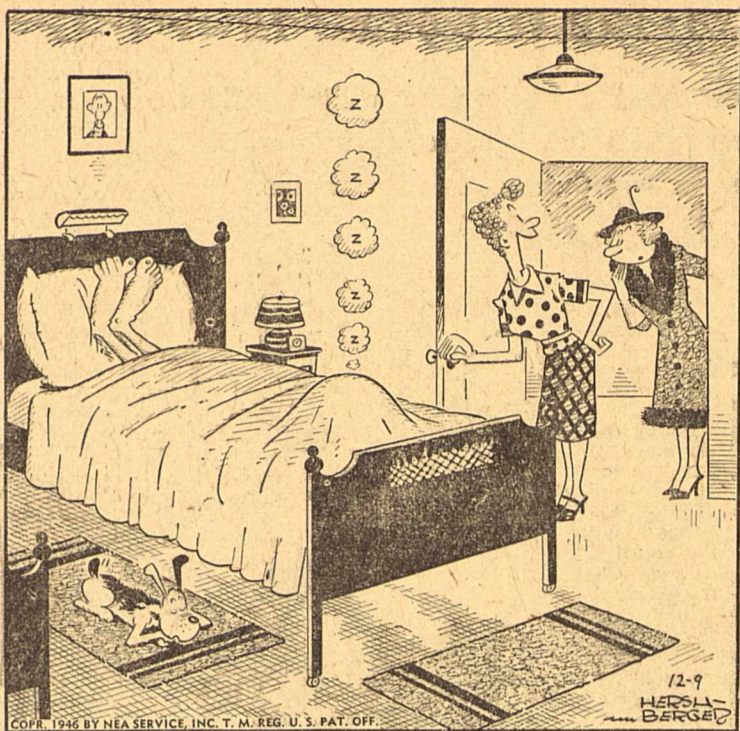
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COTTON

NEW YORK — (P) — Monday noon cotton prices were \$2.95 to \$3.20 a bale higher than the previous close. December 31.54; March 31.35, and May 30.77.

Stice Named Officer Of Grocer Association

O. W. Stice, owner of the Cash and Carry Grocery, has been elected vice-president of a West Texas chapter of the Texas Grocers Association which was organized recently in Odessa.

Plans to conduct an active program of mutual benefit were outlined by M. A. Nicholson of Odessa was named president.

Other officers elected were Dale Sloan of Monahans, secretary and treasurer, and six directors. Lester Short, president of the West Texas Drug Association, addressed the group on advantages of working together in an association.

No Hits Result From Two Negro Shootings

Two shootings among negroes during the weekend resulted in no injuries.

Johnnie Colter shot at Estel Blacklock, in the negro section of the city, officers said. And two miles out of Midland on the Andrews Highway, Watt Simmons shot at Louis Leonard, officers reported. Simmons was turned over to the sheriff's department.

YOUNG ON VACATION

County Agent Vernon Young is on an annual vacation and will not be in his office at the courthouse this week.

Presbyterians Exceed Huge Campaign Quota

The First Presbyterian Church of Midland exceeded its \$25,000 quota in the Synod's \$1,000,000 campaign for Presbyterian educational institutions in Texas, it was announced in a final report issued Sunday.

Cash and pledges obtained by the Midland church amounted to \$26,182, Tom Sealy, Midland campaign chairman, said. The quota for the church here was the largest of any church in the El Paso Presbytery.

Robert L. Wood was special gifts chairman.

The \$1,000,000 quota was over subscribed by the Synod of Texas, according to reports reaching Midland.

HARRY HOLT IS VISITOR

Harry Holt, livestock editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, was a Midland visitor Saturday.

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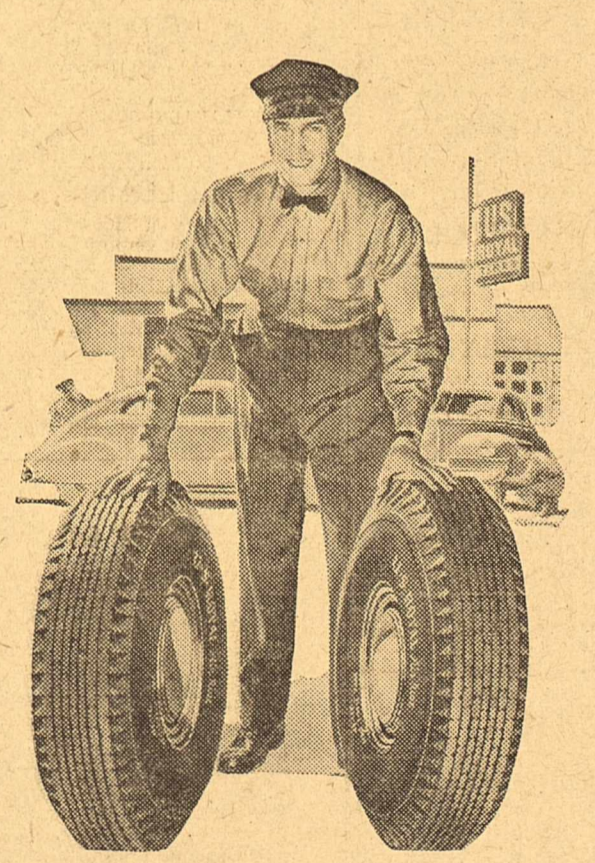
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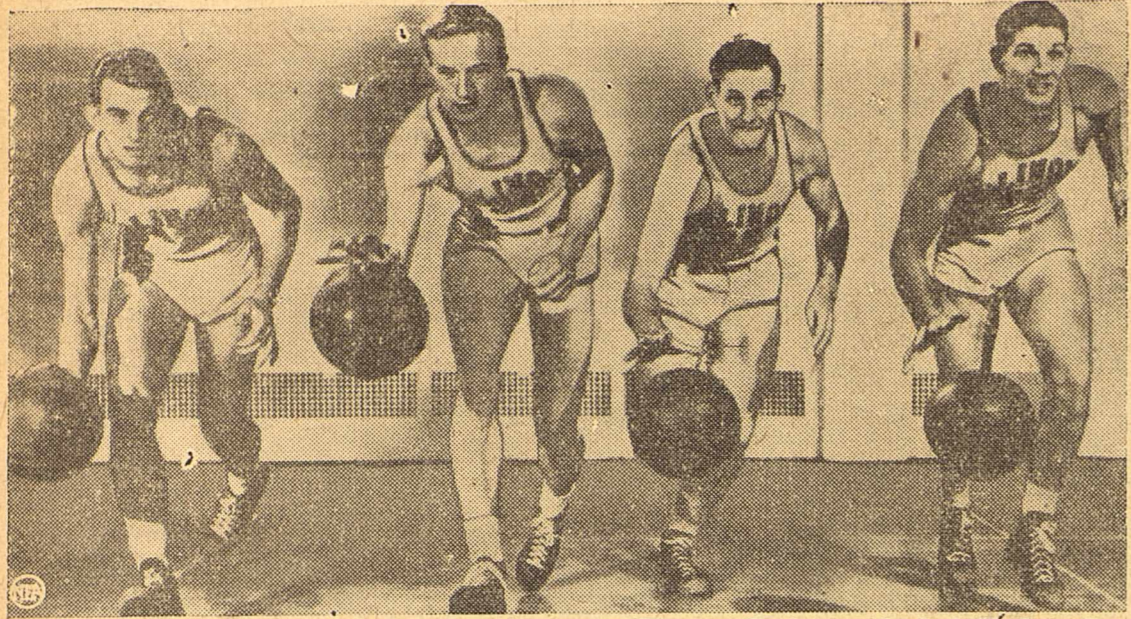
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Whiz Kids Whiz Again



Called Whiz Kids when they won 25 of 27 to acquire Western Conference basketball championships in 1942-43, Rudy Phillip, Ken Menke, Jack Smiley and Gene Vance, left to right, are back from the wars to again play basketball for Illinois.

Bulldogs Drop Cage Opener In Crane, 26 To 18

CRANE — The Crane Golden Cranes beat the Midland High School Bulldog cagers, 26 to 18, here Saturday night.

Crane "B" took the Bulldog "B" to the tune of 29 to 19. It was the opening game of the season for the Bulldogs and they showed it on the court. Without any tall lads the Bulldogs still are a hustling five. They show promise and will come along, according to Coach Jack Mashburn. A return game between Midland and Crane at Midland will be played December 17. Midland opens the home stand Wednesday night with Kermit.

OMAHA WILL ENTERTAIN NEXT AAU CONVENTION

SAN ANTONIO — (P) — The National AAU, gearing its 1947 program around preparations for participation in the coming Olympic games, has chosen centrally-located Omaha for its next convention so every delegate possible may attend.

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S'West Conference Court Strength Soon To Be Known

By The Associated Press A twenty-three game schedule that will carry all seven teams up against strong inter-sectional opposition should lift the haze that has surrounded Southwest Conference basketball potential powers. The wide-spread schedule will present excellent comparisons of the strength of the respective teams. Texas, with three wins recorded, leads the field, followed by Arkansas, with two victories, and Rice, who had a narrow escape in its opener against Sam Houston State. Texas Christian and Southern Methodist lost both ends of the twin bills in Dallas against Loyola of Chicago and the University of Oklahoma, and Texas A&M was a victim of North Texas State. Baylor's Bears, the defending champions, continued idle and do not open their schedule until Tuesday night when they entertain the North Texas Eagles. Full season's standing:

Team	GP	W	L	TP.	Op.
Texas	3	3	0	182	104
Arkansas	2	2	0	118	76
Rice	1	1	0	51	46
Texas A&M	1	0	1	49	59
Texas Christian	2	0	2	95	123
Southern Meth.	2	0	2	90	125
Baylor	0	0	0	0	0

VARIPIPA WINS BOWLING CHAMPIONSHIP IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO — (P) — Andy Varipapa, 52-year-old Hempstead, N. Y., bowling proprietor and one of the sport's top trick-shot stars, Monday has proven his worth as a leading tournament competitor as well. He won 213.5 pins through a grueling 64-game, four-day final.

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BOWLING

Last week's results in the Women's bowling league of Midland at Plamor Palace:

Hoover Body	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Ware	149	165	161	475
Dale	87	136	88	311
Becker	84	144	122	350
Lightfoot	152	144	172	468
Robison	186	128	143	457
Totals	658	717	683	2061

Hughes Jewelry 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

Shaffer	138	125	155	418
Davis	101	95	121	317
Selby	99	118	111	328
Blind	116	116	116	348
Blind	113	113	113	339
Handicap	8	8	8	24
Totals	575	575	624	1774

Ted Thompson 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

Beals	147	111	140	398
Callaway	135	96	148	379
Locklin	128	145	131	404
Crabb	145	146	107	398
Harris	143	162	142	447
Totals	698	600	668	2026

Tullis Drug 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

D. Parkis	165	121	102	388
T. Parkis	144	117	102	423
Woolsey	121	104	98	323
Wright	75	51	79	205
Davidson	151	132	117	400
Handicap	72	72	72	216
Totals	728	597	630	1955

Petroleum Drug 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

Merwin	81	138	116	335
Beall	104	115	102	321
Gunn	64	69	79	212
Blind	93	93	93	279
Blind	101	101	101	303
Blind	70	70	70	210
Totals	513	586	561	1660

Steak House 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

Wallace	92	98	145	335
Blind	108	108	108	324
Lovelace	112	113	137	362
Comer	137	153	140	430
Spears	150	130	133	413
Totals	599	602	663	1864

WT Reproduction 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

Koontze	136	133	131	400
Early	90	131	122	343
Riddle	120	126	122	368
Blind	92	92	92	276
Blind	108	108	108	324
Totals	546	590	575	1720

Checker Cab 1st. 2nd. 3rd. Tot.

Vaughan	122	129	130	381
Taylor	133	112	151	396
Whitmire	138	112	103	353
Blind	93	93	93	279
Blancett	133	143	147	423
Handicap	29	29	29	87
Totals	148	618	653	1919

Eight Teams In Quarter-Finals In State Grid Circles

By MAX B. SKELTON Associated Press Staff Writer Favorites will not be too obvious this week in the quarter-final round of the Texas schoolboy football chase but the opposite will be true when it comes to backfield stars.

Each of the eight teams surviving bi-district play, while receiving excellent line support on both offense and defense, produced at least one back that figured in practically every scoring drive.

Of last week's eight games, defeated teams scored a combined total of only 30 points and in no case did a loser score more than one touchdown. Wichita Falls and Highland Park had the narrowest calls but their games with Amarillo and Denison had been rated as the two near toss-ups on the schedule.

Full season records of the eight teams in the quarter-finals are:

Team	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	Op.
Odesa	11	0	0	337	45
North Side (FW)	11	0	0	212	55
T. Jefferson (SA)	11	0	1	304	47
Lamar (Houston)	10	0	1	248	32
Waco	10	1	0	237	51
Lufkin	9	2	0	287	21
Highland Park	9	2	0	275	64
Wichita Falls	8	1	2	206	84

This week's quarter-final schedule:

Odesa vs. Wichita Falls at Odesa, Saturday afternoon.

North Side (Fort Worth) vs. Highland Park (Dallas), Saturday afternoon, Cowby Stadium, Southwestern Methodist University.

Waco vs. Lufkin at Lufkin, Friday afternoon.

Lamar (Houston) vs. Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio), Saturday afternoon, Alamo Stadium, San Antonio.

Baylor University Council Scheduled To Choose New Coach

WACO — (P) — The Athletic Council of Baylor University will meet Tuesday at which time a new football coach is due to be named with Harry Stiteler, now assistant at Rice Institute, reported to have the inside track.

Frank Kimbrough, present head coach, isn't expected to be retained by the university in any capacity.

Dim Ticket Story Is Told Midland

The story of football tickets to the Odesa-Wichita Falls game is: Tickets go on sale in Odesa and Wichita Falls Wednesday at 1 p. m. There will be a limit in Odesa and the place of sale was not announced. Cost of a duat is \$1.80.

Courthouse Workers Set Up Christmas Tree

Workers in the Midland County Courthouse have set up a large Christmas tree in the first-floor hallway.

Each year the workers contribute to a fund to set up a tree, and it is traditional that as many of the employees in the county offices as possible have a part in decorating it. The public is invited to come by and see the tree.

Special Officers To Aid McCamey Agencies

McCAMEY — In a move to curb a rising tide of robberies here, the McCamey City Council has authorized the naming of 12 war veterans as special deputies who will have full police power, but who will serve without pay.

The action was announced by Mayor Earl C. Bone, following a meeting of the council and the Veterans of Foreign Wars. The special officers will be members of the McCamey post of the VFW. Their names will not be divulged. Several McCamey business houses have been burglarized recently.

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Stanton Buffs Win Honors At Tourney

COAHOMA — Stanton won all honors in the Coahoma invitational tourney here Saturday night. The boys' quintet outshot Sterling City, 23-11, after the girls had pushed aside Coahoma, 38 to 20. The Buffs advanced in the tourney by halting Courtney, 29 to 17, while Sterling disposed of Garden City, 31-26. Billy Avery sparked the Bison attack. Tight defensive play characterized the Stantons.

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