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Ohio Youths Convicted Of Murder



(NEA Telephoto)

Dan Frohner, 16, left, is led from courtroom to jail by Deputy Otis Hillman, center, after a three-judge court pronounced the death sentence for Frohner, in the killing of William S. Spieth last January. Mercy was recommended for Arthur Nel Chapman, 16, right, which makes a life sentence for him mandatory. Both youths are from Youngstown, Ohio.

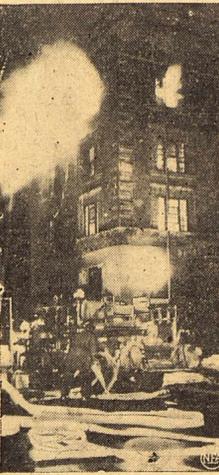
Strike Closes Cotton Mart

NY Exchange Is Closed As Workers Quit

NEW YORK —(P)—The New York Cotton Exchange announced Tuesday it was closing until further notice because of a strike called by the United Financial Employees Local 205 (AFL).

The strike was called, the union said, after a breakdown of negotiations over wages Monday night. A pay increase of 30 per cent is sought, the union said.

Smorgasburnt!



Trenchermen "everywhere will hit belts when they see this picture, Chicago's famous Swedish restaurant, the Kungsholm—where pickled eels and smoked sturgeon fairly swam into your mouth—burns in the early morning. Built in 1881 by Leander McCormick, the old mansion cost \$200,000.

Officials of the exchange said, however, that a closed shop was one of the principal issues involved. Another, the officials said, was a union demand for a 20-day cancellation clause under which the New York exchange would be forced to refuse to handle business of any member firm involved in a strike.

Picket lines established around the building. The union announced it had called a strike of 100 employees of the exchange, and elevator service was suspended immediately. The exchange is on the nineteenth floor of the 23-story building.

Employees affected included clerks on the exchange floor, board markers, elevator operators and other maintenance workers.

Picket lines were established around the building. The union has demanded improved benefits and a 30 per cent increase in pay.

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ADMIRAL REVEALS STORY OF TANG'S DESTRUCTION

Own Torpedo Sank Prize Sub

NEW YORK —(P)—The submarine Tang, holder of a Navy record for destruction of Japanese shipping, "the highest sinking score on a single patrol of any submarine in the war," was lost in battle in 1944 when the 25th—and last—torpedo in her arsenal reversed its course en route to a target and blew her up, a Navy official said Tuesday.

Seventy-eight crew members lost their lives and only nine others survived the freak accident, which was described for the first time by Vice Adm. Charles A. Lockwood, Navy inspector general, at the annual convention of the institute of radio engineers.

Survivors were captured by the Japanese and later released.

The Tang's self-destruction climaxed a 1944 raid off the China Coast in which she sank 110,000 tons of Japanese shipping, "the highest sinking score on a single patrol of any submarine in the war."

Describing the accident, which happened at night, the admiral quoted from the patrol record account of the Tang, which was commanded by Commander Dick O'Kane.

O'Kane's account said: "Fired our 24th torpedo from 900 yards, aimed just forward of the (transport's) forecast. It was seen to be circling back toward the Tang itself.

"It struck the Tang abreast the after torpedo room with a violent explosion about 20 seconds after it had been fired.

"The tops were blown off the after ballast tanks and the three after compartments flooded instantly. The Tang sank so rapidly that there was insufficient time to carry out the last order to close the hatch.

"One consolation for those of us who were washed off the bridge into the water was the explosion of our 23rd torpedo against the last target which immediately settled by the stern.

"Those who escaped from the forward torpedo room were greeted by the transport's bow sticking straight out of the water a thousand yards or so away."

Midland Has Good Report At District Methodist Meeting

The First Methodist Church of Midland, host to the Sweetwater District Meeting here Monday, had an outstanding report presented by its pastor, the Rev. Howard H. Hollowell.

He reported a new Methodist Church would be established in Midland. It will be located in the West sector of the city. Plans for the building have not been completed. The pastor will be the Rev. Lemuel Hester, now assistant to Hollowell at the First Methodist Church. The new church will be at the intersection of B and Indiana Streets.

William D. McReynolds of Midland and a student in McMurry College, was licensed to preach at the session here Monday. His father, H. M. McReynolds, was an official delegate of Midland to the meeting and his mother also was present.

Mrs. Mary Scharbauer of Midland was presented to the district meeting by Roy McKee, Midland district committeeman for the Methodist Home. Mrs. Scharbauer with Mrs. Alma Thomas gave the home \$60.00.

60 Joined Church

Midland reported 60 additions to the church in four months since the annual conference. This was the largest number in the district.

Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, conference chairman of the Greater Wesley Fund of \$440,000 to help Methodist students at state schools, addressed the Midland session.

J. Edmund Kirby, acting president of McMurry College, spoke in behalf of Dr. H. E. Cooke, president, who recently was injured in an accident. He reported Dr. Cooke is improving.

The First Methodist Church choir of Midland gave two special numbers at the meeting. A luncheon was served for visitors at the educational building Monday.

More than 250 delegates and visitors were in Midland from 26 West Texas churches for the district meeting.

Neither House Nor Senate Will Budge On US Budget Deadlock

WASHINGTON —(P)—The House and Senate were \$1,500,000,000 apart on the budget Tuesday and for the moment neither appeared willing to budge a penny.

Senators voted 64 to 20 Monday to hold the next fiscal budget to \$33,000,000,000 or \$4,500,000,000 below President Truman's recommended allowance of \$37,500,000,000.

Two weeks ago the House approved a \$6,000,000,000 slash in the President's budget.

Speaker Martin of the House said in a statement the House does not intend to back up—that the budget can be trimmed \$6,000,000,000 "without endangering national defense or security or sacrificing other essential services."

Chairman Gurney (R-S, D.) of the Senate Armed Services Committee replied that "all my information is that we cannot cut the budget \$6,000,000,000," that the House reduction would slash Army-Navy funds and "it does not seem to me that we can safely cut the funds for the Army and Navy."

May Go to Conference

If the House rejects the Senate version, as appears likely, the matter will go to a 20-man conference committee.

Secretary of State Marshall and his predecessor in office, James Byrnes, went to Capitol Hill to review the Balkan situation before the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Marshall, departing Wednesday for the Foreign Ministers Conference in Moscow, planned only a brief statement, leaving to Byrnes the detailed explanation of the peace treaties with Italy, Rumania, Bulgaria and Hungary which the Senate is to consider.

Byrnes urged quick Senate ratification of the treaties in order to hasten world "stability and peace."

The four defeated nations cannot "look forward to a future free from the possibility of interference in every phase of their national life" as long as the present armistice regimes continued, he said.

Byrnes said the final decision to make Trieste a free territory will "present many serious problems" but that it was a choice of that "or having no agreement at all."

Meanwhile Senator Pepper (D-Fla.) proposed that the critical Greek situation be submitted to the United Nations contending that any U. S. decision to bolster British policy in Greece might be interpreted as an "imperialistic move" directed against Russia.

Predicts Lillenthal Approval

As the Senate Atomic Energy Committee moved to wind up its lengthy hearing on President Truman's nominees for the Atomic Energy Commission, a member predicted not more than one vote on the committee would be cast against confirmation of David E. Lillenthal as commission chairman. Chairman Hickenlooper (R-Iowa) said the committee probably will vote Wednesday or Thursday.

Both the House and Senate Labor Committees resumed their hearings on pending labor bills.

Eric Johnston, president of the Motion Picture Association, was the day's first witness before the House committee.

The Senate committee, opening its final week of hearings on general labor legislation, had Edward A. O'Neil, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, to start the day's testimony.

Senator Morse (R-Ore.), member of the Senate group, told a reporter he plans to introduce a bill Friday calling for extensive revision of the Wagner Act as his plan for ironing out labor-management troubles.

Telephone Strike "Possible"

The House group heard from Joseph A. Beirne, president of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, that a nationwide strike of telephone employees April 7 "is a possibility" and that such a strike would halt "communications throughout the United States and perhaps internationally."

These were other congressional developments:

Draft—Congress may be asked to provide funds—possibly between \$5,000,000 and \$19,000,000 yearly—to preserve Selective Service records when the draft ends March 31. After President Truman Monday proposed that the draft law be allowed to expire Administration officials urged that a "standby" crew of mobilization experts be set up for action in event of an emergency and that files of the 44,000,000 draft registrants be kept under federal supervision.

Rent—Senator Buck (R-Del.) predicted that Congress will hike rent ceilings 15 per cent and extend rent control for six months. A member of a Senate banking subcommittee which approved a bill for a 10 per cent increase, Buck said he personally prefers the smaller figure.

ALDRICH TO DRILL WILDCAT TO 2,500 FEET IN PECOS

G. F. Aldrich of Midland has filed application with the Railroad Commission to start drilling immediately on a 2,500-foot wildcat in North Pecos County, three and one-half miles east of the Shearer field. It will test for pay in the San Andres-Permian.

The prospector will be Aldrich's No. 1 Shell-Mueller, and is 330 feet from southwest and southeast lines of section 118, block 10, H&GN survey. The well is approximately 10 miles southeast of Imperial.

The project will be started with rotary and finished with cable tools. Warren Gann has the rotary contract and Norman Butler is to handle the cable tool digging.

The plat filed with the application show that Humble Oil & Refining Company has the direct offsets to the drillsite. Magnolia Petroleum Company and Gulf Oil Corporation have close in acreage.

SUN STAKES HALF-MILE NORTH STEP-OUT FOR SILVER

Sun Oil Company has authorized the immediate drilling of a one-half mile due north stepout from the discovery well of the Silver field in Northwest Coke County.

It will be Sun's No. 2 Allan-Jameson and is 1,980 feet from west and 3,320 feet from south lines of section 253, block A-1, H&TC survey. It is to drill to 7,000 feet, or thereabouts.

This project will give the Silver area four active explorations—in addition to the discovery—which was completed several weeks ago.

NO. 1 FRED JAMESON MAKES MORE HOLE IN LIME

Sun No. 1 Fred Jameson, one location south of the initial producer in the Northwest Coke district, was drilling ahead below 6,816 feet in lime, understood to still be Pennsylvanian. Many interesting observations show this exploration will find the Ellenburger shortly.

Sun No. 1 H. H. Jameson, one-quarter of a mile due west of the discovery, had reached 911 feet in lime and shale, and was drilling ahead with rotary.

Sun No. 2 Fred Jameson, about one-half mile southeast of the initial producer is still a location. Drilling on it is due to start shortly.

WINKLER PROJECT SHOWS WATER IN ELLENBURGER

Santa Fe Petroleum Company No. 1 Wheeler, Central-West Winkler County wildcat, about 12 miles southeast of Midland, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 21, block B-6, psi survey, was running electric log survey, and waiting for orders.

A two-hour drillstem test was taken at 11,869-11,939 feet, in Ellenburger on which top had been picked at 11,895 feet.

A 3,900-foot water blanket was used. When the tool was closed the bottom 2,026 feet of the water blanket was unloaded. Total recovery was the water blanket, 1040 feet of heavily oil and gas cut mud and 282 feet of muddy oil and gas cut salt water.

The hole was drilled ahead to 11,980 feet and a two-hour drillstem test was taken at 11,935-11,980 feet. Recovery was the 3,900-foot water blanket and 3,715 feet of salty, sulphur water, with a small amount of the top of the fluid being slightly cut with oil and gas.

Several days ago it was reported in this column that some geologists had picked the top of the Ellenburger at 11,895 feet. That mark was not from any one officially connected with the wildcat. It was reported from strictly unofficial sources—and the pick was later found to have been in error.

EAST MIDLAND WILDCAT IS DRILLING AHEAD

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Floyd, deep wildcat about 15 miles southeast of Midland, and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 16, block 37, TP survey, T-3-S, was drilling ahead below 10,232 feet in lime.

Plug in 7-inch casing, which had been set at 10,215 feet, with 500 sacks of cement, had been drilled out before operator started making new hole from 10,215 feet.

This prospector had shown slight signs of possible production at 9,475-9,510 feet, in a lime zone.

NORTH GLASSCOCK PROJECT IS TO BE ABANDONED

In North Glasscock County, two and one-half miles south of the Howard-Glasscock field, John F. Camp, et al. No. 1 Kobeg & Andrews, 467 feet from southeast and southwest lines of section 35, block 33, TP survey, T-2-S, failed to develop production, and has been plugged and abandoned on total depth of 3,880 feet, in lime.

Midland Man's Mother Buried In Big Spring

BIG SPRING—Funeral services were held here Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. Frederick Price, 89, who died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. R. L. Howard, in Winters Monday. She was a pioneer West Texas resident and lived in Sweetwater 40 years.

Survivors include four sons, the Rev. John F. Price, Midland; the Rev. Fred H. Price, Boerne; Oak Price, Del Rio, and Bob Price, Highland, Calif.; two daughters, Mrs. Howard of Winters, and Mrs. Lela Mae Walker of Stephenville; 33 grandchildren and 27 great-grandchildren.

VIOLENCE IN HOLY LAND—Underground Declares Open War

JERUSALEM —(P)—Anti-British violence claimed new victims in Palestine Tuesday as the Jewish underground proclaimed the existence of a state of "open war" in the strife-torn Holy Land.

Five British soldiers were wounded—two seriously—when a military truck was wrecked by an explosion near Rishon Le Zion Tuesday morning, and four Arabs were injured when an RAF vehicle was blown up by a road mine near Ramle.

A British military office in Haifa was bombed during the night and an Army camp near Hadera was the target of a "small scale" attack, British authorities said, but no casualties were reported in these incidents.

In the sectors of Jerusalem and the coastal plain where the British proclaimed martial law over the weekend the situation was reported quiet.

Jester Names Stewart To Wemple's Post On Board Of Education

AUSTIN —(P)—The Senate's committee on governor's nominations Monday recommended confirmation of Gov. Beauford Jester's appointments to the board of regents of the University of Texas, the board of directors of A&M College, Maco Stewart of Galveston to the board of education, and of W. A. Lee of Houston to the state prison board.

Appointees to the University of Texas board are James W. Rockwell of Houston, William Edward Darden of Waco and Mrs. Margaret Batts Tobin of San Antonio.

A&M appointees are Tye Bell of Dallas and C. C. Krueger of San Antonio.

Appointment of the four men to the boards had been announced last week to replace appointments which had been rejected by the Senate. Mrs. Tobin's appointment was to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of D. F. Strickland. Jester announced Stewart's appointment Monday.

Stewart's appointment was to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Fred Wemple of Midland, new state highway commissioner, whose appointment was confirmed by the Senate last week.

Truman Lays Wreath On Mexican Monument

MEXICO CITY —(P)—U. S. President Harry S. Truman laid a wreath Tuesday at the foot of Mexico's 150-foot Monument to Independence, honoring the nation's struggle to free herself of Spanish misrule in 1810, and subsequent efforts by other powers to dominate the rising republic.

Placing of the wreath came almost 100 years from the day when U. S. General Winfield Scott was heading troops into Mexico during the war with the United States. On March 9, 1947, Scott landed 12,000 men at Veracruz on the Gulf Coast and six months later captured Mexico City. On September 14, 1847, the United States flag flew from the national palace here.

James Boyd To Attend District PMA Meeting

James A. Boyd, administrative officer of the ACA in Midland, will attend a District 7 meeting of the Production Marketing Administration Wednesday and Thursday in Big Spring. Twenty counties will be represented at the meeting.

Several state officers of the PMA from College Station will discuss the Conservation Material and Services Program of the government.

A statistical report of information on the ACA will be read.

Boyd said his office will be closed until Friday. Mrs. Marie McSpadden, secretary, also will attend the meeting.

Disabled Vets Will Meet Tuesday Night

Disabled veterans wishing to discuss individual claims or receive advice and counsel are invited by DeWitt T. Kirby, adjutant of the Texas division of the Disabled American Veterans organization, to meet with him at the Scharbauer Hotel Tuesday.

He may be reached by consulting the desk clerk.

At 8 p. m. a meeting of disabled veterans will be held in the district courtroom of the courthouse to organize a Midland chapter of the DAV.

Kirby will discuss pending legislation helpful to disabled veterans, and will point out the rights of veterans under existing laws. The state and national DAV organization will be affiliated.

Kirby, who is affiliated with the American Legion and I.O.O.F., has been the national service officer for DAV many years. He was accompanied to Midland by Sol Glickman of Wichita Falls, DAV department chief of staff. Texas DAV headquarters are in Waco.

Frances Dishon Rites Are Conducted Tuesday

Funeral services for Frances Dishon, 7, who was burned to death Sunday in a tragic residence fire, were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday at the Ellis Funeral Chapel.

The Rev. Fred McPherson, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, conducted rites for the little girl. Burial was in Fairview Cemetery.

Monahans Man Victim Of German Attack

American military police authorities disclosed Monday night that they were investigating a gun attack on an American, Murrell Drury, a civilian from Monahans, Texas. He was shot in the thigh as he stepped off a street car near Stuttgart.

Barbara Hutton Marries Prince

CHUR, SWITZERLAND —(P)—Barbara Woolworth Hutton, one of the wealthiest women in the world, was reported honeymooning in the Swiss Alps at Zurich Tuesday with her fourth husband, 34-year-old Prince Igor Troubetzkoy, a descendant of Lithuanian royalty.

The Marriage Registry Bureau in Chur, a town of about 1,000 persons in the valley of the Upper Rhine in Eastern Switzerland, said they were married here last Saturday. Witnesses to the ceremony were Sornie Savely, Russian-born artist, and Anna Lynne, an American, both of Paris.

The registry office said the couple arrived here by taxi from Zurich—a trip of about 150 miles—after the prince telephoned ahead and asked the registrar to keep their plans secret.

The bride—heiress to the Woolworth five and ten-cent store fortune, estimated at upwards of \$20,000,000—listed her name in the Chur records as Barbara Grant Hutton. Her marriage to Movie Star Cary Grant ended in divorce in Los Angeles on Aug. 30, 1945.

Taking Of Midland's 1947 School Census Is Started Tuesday

Midland public schools were dismissed at noon Tuesday, and at 1 p. m. all faculty members started taking Midland's 1947 school census.

A thorough canvass of the school district will be made by the teachers who volunteered their services. Mrs. Clarys L. Tolbert, census director, urged parents not contacted by the census takers Tuesday afternoon to have their children notify home-room teachers Wednesday morning.

The workers hope to complete the canvass Tuesday afternoon. Follow-up work will be done the remainder of the week.

The state school apportionment to Midland is based on the census figures, and Mrs. Tolbert urged the full cooperation of citizens. She said 40 per cent of the income for Midland schools is derived from this source.

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San Angelo Prize Calf Brings \$2.50 Per Pound

SAN ANGELO —(P)—A price of \$500 was paid for the grand champion lamb at the auction concluding the San Angelo Fat Stock Show. The 100-pound crossbred lamb was purchased by a San Angelo restaurateur by Billy Eudy, of Eola.

The grand champion calf Monday sold for \$2.50 a pound to the West Texas Packing Company of San Angelo. Allen Poe, of Goldthwaite exhibited the prize-winning calf.

Stalin Steps Down As Commander Of Red Armed Forces

LONDON —(P)—Prime Minister Stalin has stepped out as minister of Soviet armed forces because of the "executive pressure of his main work," the Moscow radio says, and has handed the job on to Gen. Nikolai A. Bulganin, who is regarded as one of Russia's most skilled administrators.

Unofficial Russian sources in London said they saw no reason to suppose that Monday night's announcement of the change meant anything but what it said—that the pressure of other work forced Stalin to lay aside the job of running the armed forces, now in the " midst of de-emphasis and demobilization."

Continues in Many Jobs

Stalin continues as prime minister, as head of the powerful Politburo and of the Orgburo—supervising organization of the Communist Party, as general secretary of the party and as a member of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet—an executive and directive body of the parliament.

Stalin, who is 67 years old, had held the post for six years, and through the war—and has repeatedly been reported ill since the end of hostilities. Moscow observers, however, have described him in normal good health for a man of his age.

Rabbit Drive Is Very Successful

More than 150 shooters on a big rabbit drive south and east of Midland Tuesday killed plenty of rabbits and the drive continued in the afternoon.

The drivers made four runs in the morning, converged for a barbecue at noon at Cloverdale Park. Driving was scheduled in the afternoon near the Bob Hill place.

The drive started at the Lewis Smith place. Smith and a Mr. Crawford of that area sponsored it. Luther Tidwell and Elmer Bizzell were in charge of arrangements. F. H. (Jack) Wilmoth cooked 700 to 800 pounds of beef. The wives of men on the drive furnished cakes and pies.

Four sections worked in the hunt. Trucks carried the hunters.

Mrs. Mickey's Mother Dies In New Mexico

Mrs. Mary Weathers, 87, mother of Mrs. S. E. Mickey of Midland, died Monday afternoon in a Clovis, N. M., hospital after an illness of several weeks. She was a pioneer resident of Clovis.

Mrs. Mickey was at her mother's bedside when she died, and S. E. Mickey left Midland late Monday for Clovis. He had just returned from there Monday morning.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday in Clovis, according to tentative arrangements.

FBI-Police School Opens In Midland

An FBI-Police Training School for area law enforcement officers opened Monday in Midland. It is sponsored by Sheriff Ed Darrell and Chief of Police Jack Ellington.

The first panel-talk was conducted by Special FBI Agent Hugh J. Pharies of El Paso, who discussed practical arrest problems.

The school is being attended by Midland city and county officers and special peace officers. Area officers are urged to attend.

Classes will be conducted each Monday for five weeks. Classes are being held in the county courtroom.

Guerrilla Recruiters Arrested In Athens

ATHENS —(P)—Police announced Tuesday that 200 persons had been arrested in Athens and charged with recruiting youths for guerrilla bands and sending arms to the guerrilla forces, which are battling government troops in Northern Greece.

The arrests were made in a series of raids during the night, the announcement said.

House To Take Up Probation Bill

AUSTIN —(P)—Favorable committee action sent to the House for floor consideration a bill setting up an elaborate state system of probation and parole, patterned somewhat after the federal plan.

The House Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence Monday night gave the bill its approval by a voice vote. Rep. George Parkhouse of Dallas, who told the committee: "This bill is intended to rehabilitate prisoners and protect those trying to make their way under probation or parole, and at the same time protect society from the bad types."

Proponents of the bill have urged it as a means of giving Texas a modern system of probation and parole. Little opposition has developed.

A proposal to base per capita apportionment of the available school fund on average attendance rather than scholastic census also advanced Tuesday to the crowded House calendar of suggested cures for state education's financial ailments.

Hears on Teachers' Pay

At the same time public hearings were set for Wednesday night on two natural resources tax bills, both earmarked as teachers' salary increase measures.

The House Constitutional Amendments Committee voted 9 to 7 Monday for a proposed amendment to change the apportionment system. The committee also passed favorably on a proposed amendment to allow husband and wife to partition community property and evade "double payment" of inheritance taxes on the estate. A House bill to the same effect was approved by the Judiciary Committee last week. The proposed amendment was termed a "safeguard."

Three bills designed to give the Railroad Commission power to fix the price of natural gas when owners and prospective purchasers could not agree were killed outright by the House Oil, Gas and Mining Committee Monday night.

Weather

Partly cloudy Tuesday afternoon, night and Wednesday. Colder in the South Plains and Panhandle Wednesday. Maximum temperature Monday was 71 degrees, minimum 38 degrees. Minimum Tuesday morning was 44 degrees.

Virginia Sale To Be Presented Wednesday In School Auditorium

Virginia Sale, popular solo entertainer and comedienne, will appear in a recital on the stage of the Midland High School Auditorium at 7:45 p. m. Wednesday under the auspices of the Midland Concert-Lecture Association. This will be the final number of the association's 1946-47 season. The recital will dismiss in time for association members to attend the second performance of the Episcopal Style Show starting at 9:30 p. m. Virginia Sale, a sister of the late Chic Sale, has given over 500 performances of her recital which features her Americana character sketches. She is a well-known screen and radio personality, and was a popular entertainer at Army camps and War Bond rallies during the war. Her unique performance appeals to every type of audience.

March Issue Of Ford Times Honors Texas

The current issue of the Ford Times, publication of the Ford Motor Company, does tribute to Texas in commemoration of Texas Independence Day. Much data on Texas and articles with "a Texas flavor" are included and they will be enjoyed by Midlanders, who are always proud of Texas.

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Coming Events

WEDNESDAY

Texas in Today's World will be the theme of the meeting of the Modern Study Club at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. I. E. Hood, 111 Ridgela Drive.

The Woman's Wednesday Club will meet for a Texas Day program at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. George Glass, 911 West Texas Avenue.

Lenten services will be conducted by the Rev. R. J. Snell in the Trinity Episcopal Church, with Holy Communion at 10 a. m. and an evening service at 8 p. m.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will sponsor an "Easter Parade of 1947" in two showings at 7:30 and 9:30 p. m. in the Yucca Theater.

Week of Prayer will be observed by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. in the church.

The Play Reader's Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. John P. Butler, 1603 Holloway Street.

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick will give a demonstration on re-styling hats at 2 p. m. for clothing demonstrators in the assembly room of the courthouse.

The Star Study Club will meet at 1 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

THURSDAY

Using dress forms will be the subject of study at the meeting of the Valley View Home Demonstration Club at 2 p. m. in the Valley View home.

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Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club will have their March luncheon meeting at 12 noon in the Private Dining Room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick will speak on "Common Sprays and Their Uses" and Mrs. W. B. Neely will discuss "Weeds and Weed Killers" at the meeting of the Midland Garden Club at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. A. P. Scharbauer, 1714 West Holloway Street.

Mrs. M. F. King, 507 North Lorraine Avenue, will be the hostess for the meeting of the Needle Craft Club at 3 p. m.

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The Auxiliary of the Veterans of Foreign Wars will meet at 8 p. m. in the Wolfe and Simon Electric Company Building on South Marjorie Street.

FRIDAY

The Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the assembly room of the courthouse.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

Week of Prayer will be observed by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. in the church.

Mrs. Ted Lowe, Mrs. Bill Barker, and Mrs. H. S. Oliver will be hostesses for the luncheon meeting of the Ladies Golf Association of the Country Club at 1 p. m.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. H. E. Skipper, 805 South Weatherford Avenue, at 3 p. m.

SATURDAY

Members of the Midland County 4-H Clubs will entertain new members with a tea from 3 to 5 p. m. in the assembly room of the courthouse.

The Youth Canteen at the Midland High School gymnasium will be open from 2 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 11 p. m.

Children's Theater Group 1 will meet at 10:30 a. m. and Group 2 will meet at 1:30 p. m. The Junior Workshop of the Community Theater will meet at 3:15 p. m.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

The Junior Choir of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 9:30 p. m.

A St. Patrick's Day informal dance will be held at the Midland Country Club at 9 p. m. with music to be furnished by Jack Free and his orchestra of Abilene.

Members of the Eva Cowden Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church will be hostesses for a Silver Tea and book review at 3 p. m. in the ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel. Mrs. J. M. White will review "Charioter" by Gertrude Eberle.

Society

Mrs. Al Boring Elected Head Of Woman's Council

Mrs. Al Boring was elected president of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church when members met Monday afternoon at the church.

Other officers chosen were Mrs. W. E. Price, first vice-president, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, second vice-president, Mrs. Ivan Hood, secretary-reporter and Mrs. Everett Shipp, treasurer.

The meeting opened with a hymn and the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Ed Pierce directed the program on "Walking India's Road." She spoke on "Keeping Pace With Time" and the Rev. LeRoy Castle discussed "Nationalism of India."

Mrs. J. L. Bush gave the devotional.

To Pack Box For Orphans
During the business meeting it was announced that the council will pack a box for Juliette Fowler Orphan's Home March 10 and that a pre-Easter bake sale will be held the Saturday before Easter. The council will also be hostess for the meeting of the Midland Council of Church Women March 31.

The Rijnhart Circle served refreshments.

Others present were Mrs. Paul McHarque, Mrs. Woody Elkin, Mrs. Roger Freeman, Mrs. Sidney P. Hall, Mrs. Nora L. Barber, Mrs. B. W. Reecer, Mrs. R. J. Auld, Mrs. D. B. Snider, Mrs. Stanley Claiborne, Mrs. J. H. Elder, Mrs. Wade Heath, Mrs. G. H. Butler, Mrs. W. S. Dunman, Mrs. E. H. Spaw, Mrs. R. D. McBrian, Mrs. Guy Brennenman, Mrs. Malcolm Brennenman, Mrs. J. Roy Jones, Mrs. Ella Ragsdale, Mrs. J. O. Hyde, Mrs. Delbert Downing and two visitors, the Rev. Clyde Lindsley and Mr. Castle.

Junior High 4-H Club Holds Meeting

A demonstration on making "tubbies" or house shoes was given at the meeting of the Junior High School 4-H Club Monday afternoon at the school. Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, county HD agent, gave the demonstration.

Cotton materials were suggested to make theubbies for easy washing. Also suggested were old felt hats, and old leather jackets.

The next meeting will be March 17. Members are to bring completed tubbies to the meeting and to bring material to practice making button holes.

Present were Unis Hudgins, president, Dorothy Hargrove, Wanda Fain, Madlen Roberts, Betty Dennis, Joan Allen, Frances Bond, Yvonne Shain, Joann Johnson, Patsy Blanscott, Darnell McMillan, Barbara Marie Mouton, Betty Louise Parr, Glynda Lee Feril and Shirley Beauchamp.

Mrs. W. H. Stroud, honored at coffee Monday morning honoring Mrs. W. H. Stroud of Shreveport, La., who has been visiting in Midland. Mrs. Stroud will return to Louisiana next week.

Present were Mrs. B. Dykstra, Mrs. Jack Hazlip, Mrs. R. M. Jones, Mrs. Clifford Keith, Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough, and Mrs. W. P. Goodman. Decorations were in blue candles and ivy.

Final Plans Made For '47 Style Show

Final plans have been made and the stage is set for the "Easter Parade of '47" which will be held in the Yucca Theater Wednesday, officially opening the Spring season in Midland.

The style show is being sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church with two showings scheduled at 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

Children's clothes, active sports, casual clothes, suits, afternoon frocks, formals, hair styles, jewelry, and hats will be included in the review.

John DeFord will be master of ceremonies.

Tickets will be sold at the Yucca Theater all day Wednesday.

REV. SHANNAN TO BECOME RECTOR AT FORT WORTH

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Bishop C. Avery Mason, of the Episcopal Diocese of Dallas, will take part in instituting Rev. W. Landless Shannon as rector of St. John's Episcopal Church here Wednesday night. The Rev. Shannon was formerly in Brownsville.

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Cash	1,875,932.95	2,323,235.01
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Unpaid Interest	7,537.25	6,621.28
Loans Against Cash Value of Policies	12,333,935.37	12,459,977.87
TOTAL ASSETS	\$122,358,515.93	\$137,037,582.66
LIABILITIES		
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MAURICE TYLER FILES DISCHARGE PAPERS

Maurice Tyler, former sergeant with the 838th Engineer Aviation Battalion, filed discharge papers with the Midland County clerk Monday. Sergeant Tyler was in the service 16 months. He was stationed eight months in the European Theater of Operation and awarded the American Theater Ribbon and the World War II Victory Medal.

WILL JOIN HUSBAND

Mrs. Alma (Skeet) Wyatt will leave Midland about April 1 to join her husband, S/Sgt. John T. Wyatt, in Berlin. He is with the 3577th Trucking Company.

850 Auto Licenses Issued By Tax Office

Eight hundred and fifty 1947 automobile license plates have been issued by the Midland County tax assessor-collector's office, Mrs. Raynee Carroll, deputy tax collector, said Tuesday. Automobiles by April 1, Mrs. Carroll said. Otherwise an affidavit must be signed that the car was not driven after April 1. If the auto is not registered, the owner is subject to a 20 per cent penalty. She urges all out-of-state car owners to bring 1946 registration receipts and out-of-state certificates of title when registering automobiles.

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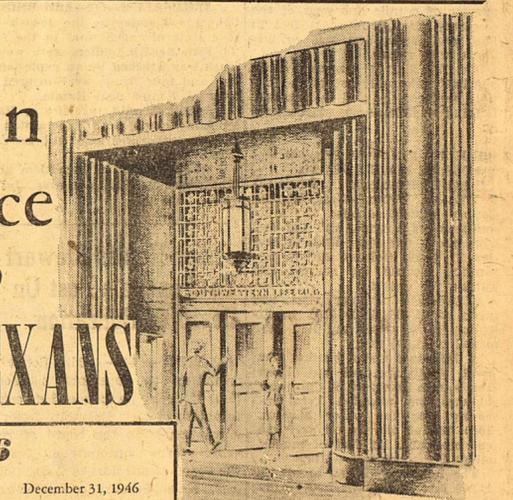
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Mrs. Hugh Tanner Gives Circle Lesson

Mrs. Hugh Tanner taught the lesson on "Facing the Future" Monday when the Esther Circle of the First Presbyterian Church met with Mrs. Frank Manning, 1802 West Missouri Avenue.

Mrs. John Drummond, chairman, directed the meeting. Mrs. Lena Osborne read the Survey article "Stewards for the House of Life and Peace".

Nine members were present.

Miracles Of Calvary Theme For Guild Meet

Mrs. Robert Allen presented a program on "The First Two Miracles of Calvary" at the meeting of the St. Cecilia Guild of the Trinity Episcopal Church Monday.

The guild met with Mrs. J. D. Dillard, 703 North Marienfield Street, with Mrs. Dave Henderson, chairman, directing the program.

Mrs. Hal Peck gave a report on the Auxiliary Style Show, which will be held Wednesday.

The devotional and benediction was given by Mrs. Paul Kolm.

Others present were Mrs. W. M. Dillard, Mrs. Payton Anderson, Mrs. A. T. Barrett, Mrs. H. A. Briggs, Mrs. Dan Hudson, Mrs. John Shipley and Mrs. C. J. Westlund.



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Breakfast For Red Cross Workers Is Slated Wednesday

More than 100 volunteer workers in the 1947 Red Cross fund drive are expected to attend a kickoff breakfast in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel at 7:30 a. m. Wednesday.

John J. Redfern, Jr., campaign chairman, will preside, and Irby Dyer, chairman of the Midland County Chapter of the American Red Cross, will speak.

Assignments will be made, and the workers will be briefed by the various committee chairmen.

Many Clubs To Help

The drive will be conducted by members of Midland's civic and service organizations, including the Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions clubs, Midland Geological Society, American Legion, JayCeers, and Business and Professional Women's Club.

The drive in the residential sections will start March 12, and will be conducted by volunteers from the various women's clubs of the city.

Midland's Red Cross budget this year is \$10,936, and leaders hope to complete the campaign in quick order.

Week Of Prayer Is Observed By First Baptist WMU

"My Savior for All Men" was the theme of the first meeting in observance of a Week of Prayer by the Woman's Missionary Unit of the First Baptist Church.

The WMU met Monday at the church with Mrs. Vernon Yearby in charge of the program. Also on the program were Mrs. Raymond Hall and Mrs. J. R. Cotton. The Mary Martha Circle directed the meeting.

Present were Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mrs. J. E. McCain, Mrs. R. O. Walker, Mrs. Thurman Pylant, Mrs. J. H. Moseley, Mrs. J. M. White, Mrs. John F. Godwin, Mrs. Cecil H. Craft, Mrs. M. D. Cox, Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Mrs. R. E. Aday, Mrs. O. L. Stalcup, Mrs. W. R. Cuffman, Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Mrs. W. T. Catchpole, Mrs. George R. Hyatt, Mrs. O. L. Beville, Mrs. S. L. Alexander, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. H. W. Coker, Mrs. W. T. Hagler, Mrs. Billie Gilbert, Mrs. G. C. Johnson, Mrs. A. E. Houck, Mrs. L. Otis Baggett, Mrs. G. G. Johnson, and Mrs. F. H. Lanham.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Six students from Texas Technological College were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kendrick, 106 South Pecos Avenue. They included their daughter, Jimmie Kathryn and Polly Compsten, Vivian Adamson, Bess Boyd, Harold Fowler and Johnny Adamson.

AMARILLO MAN HERE

Willard W. Phillips of Amarillo, formerly of Midland, is visiting here this week.

Winters Girl Will Marry Midland Man

Announcement has been made in Winters of the engagement and approaching marriage of Jane Hodges, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hodges of Winters, to Joe Howard, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howard of Midland.

The couple will be married April 2.

The announcement was made at a tea given in the Hodges home Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Howard and Jerre Howard, mother and sister of the bridegroom-to-be, were in the receiving line.

Sunday School Class Has Theater Party

The eleven-year-old group of the Junior Department of the First Methodist Church was entertained with a theater party Monday afternoon by Mrs. O. M. Luton substitute teacher.

Present were Barbara Wilson, Barbara Whitson, Winona Armstrong, Ruth Ann Rhodes, Ruth Green, Doris Morningstar, Wanda Beauchamp and a guest, Anna Bess Doyle.

AUDITOR VISITS MIDLAND

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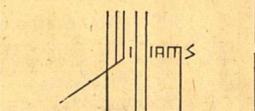
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Circle Program Lead By Mrs. Bill Collins

Selected promises or encouragement in facing the future were read from the book of Isaiah when Mrs. Bill Collins was devotional leader for the meeting of the Dorcas Circle of the First Presbyterian Church Woman's Auxiliary Monday.

Mrs. T. R. Wilson was hostess for the meeting and Mrs. N. D. McKee, chairman, presided.

Mrs. McKee read the Survey article "Stewards for the House of Life and Peace."

Mrs. Wilson reported that three boxes of clothing have been given to the Children's Service League for distribution.

Others present were Mrs. M. B. Bell, Mrs. R. DeChicchi, Mrs. J. M. Devereux, Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, Mrs. Butler Hurley, Mrs. W. P. Knight, Mrs. Paul Lathrop, Mrs. L. A. Robey, Mrs. D. M. Secor, Mrs. Joe Seymour, Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, and Mrs. Vern Cubit.

Mrs. R. E. Morgan Is Guild Hostess

Mrs. R. E. Morgan, 1209 West Kentucky, was hostess for the meeting of the St. Margaret Guild of the Trinity Episcopal Church Monday afternoon.

Mrs. George Turner was in charge of the program, presenting two sermons from the book "The Six Miracles of Calvary" by the late Bishop Nicholson of Philadelphia.

Mrs. C. D. Cantrell, chairman, directed the meeting and Mrs. J. P. Ruckman gave the devotional.

Present were Mrs. John P. Butler, Mrs. Taylor Cole, Mrs. Chapell Davis, Mrs. Roy Douglas, Mrs. J. E. Daniel, Mrs. Roy Kinsey, Mrs. J. G. Firstenberger, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. Huston Huffman, Mrs. Jack Hazlip, Mrs. Clifford Keith, Mrs. M. F. Turner, and Mrs. W. A. Yeager.

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MEETING POSTPONED

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BROADCAST SCHEDULED

Mrs. James D. Martin will review "The Roosevelt I Knew" by Frances Perkins and will give a short discussion of "Mexico South" by Miguel Covarrubias on the Midland County Library radio program on KCRS at 4:15 p. m. Thursday.

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Southwestern Life Reports Big Gain In 1946 Business



R. J. Graham

While the largest gains in the history of legal reserve life insurance were being made nationally last year, Southwestern Life Insurance Company recorded a growth of \$67,345,654 in insurance in force—more than twice the business gain attained during 1945. C. F. O'Donnell of Dallas, president, made the figures known in releasing the

Girl Scouts Assist In Red Cross Drive

More than 50 posters for the 1947 American Red Cross fund campaign have been distributed in the downtown section by members of Girl Troop 7. The Girl Scouts were: Gloria Anguish, Adele Blackman, Jean Blackwell, Peggy Charlton, Sue Corser, June Hazelip, Joyce Hollowell Sue Johnson, and DePhane Tator.

Senior Girl Scouts of Troop 5, including Nell Cole, Joy Guyton, Patsy Bray and Melba Clarke, placed bottles for cash contributions in 14 business establishments.

company's 44th annual financial statement to policyowners. Southwestern Life Insurance Company, he reported, now has a total of \$580,047,004 insurance in force. Assets increased \$14,679,067 during 1946, to a total of \$137,037,582.

During the past decade, 1936-1946, the total gain in insurance in force for all legal reserve life companies in the United States was 66 per cent, according to composite statistics compiled by the Institute of Life Insurance. The comparable gain for Southwestern Life during the same period was 99 per cent. The composite gain in assets for the decade was 95 per cent. That of Southwestern Life was 173 per cent.

Southwestern Life Insurance Company is represented here by R. J. (Doc) Graham, CLU.

They're Coming Home



This spectacular picture arrived in the states as Admiral Byrd's expedition headed north from the Antarctic. Here the icebreaker Northwind leads ships of the central group of Task Force 68 through heavy floes. (U. S. Navy photo from NEA.)

Continental Air Lines Announces Schedule

Continental Air Lines has announced new schedule changes for Midland flights. Flight 29 from Denver, Colo., to San Antonio will arrive at 12:45 p. m. and depart at 12:48 p. m. This flight, which will arrive in San Antonio at 3:07 p. m., makes direct connections with flights to Austin and Houston. Flight 29 replaces Flights 30 and 31. Flight 27 will arrive in Midland at 7:30 p. m. and depart at 7:33 p. m. It arrives in San Antonio at 10:11 p. m. Flight 26, en route to Denver, will

arrive in Midland at 10:53 a. m. and is scheduled to leave at 10:56 a. m. It arrives in Denver at 6:22 p. m. Flight 24, which makes connections with flights to Wichita Falls, Oklahoma City, and Tulsa, will arrive in Midland at 5:44 p. m. and leave at 5:47 p. m. Flight 24 is replacing Flights 21 and 22. N. G. Oates, Midland postmaster, announced that mail destined for San Antonio and Denver should be in the post office one hour prior to departure of planes.

TO COLORADO CITY

Dr. H. A. Ireland, president of the Midland Kiwanis Club, attended a meeting of the new Colorado City Kiwanis Club there Tuesday noon.

HOT AND COLD

Heavy bombing planes are built to withstand temperature changes of 200 degrees F—from the 130-degree heat of India's runways to the 70-below of the upper air.

FIRST AUTO LICENSES

New York was the first state to require automobile owners to register their cars and attach license plates—back in 1901.

When Truman Flies To Waco Thursday He Will Be Fourth U. S. President To Visit Texas While In Office

By WILBUR MARTIN

DALLAS —(P)— When Harry S. Truman flies to Waco Thursday to receive a degree from Baylor University, he will be the fourth President to visit Texas while in office, best available records show.

Four other former Chief Executives saw the Lone Star State before or after serving their terms.

The Roosevelts—Theodore and Franklin D.—dropped in on Texas while president, as did William H. Taft.

Each time the nation's titular head came to Texas, the folks outdid themselves. Dallas, Waco, San Antonio and several border points have decked themselves in Sunday best for the occasion.

The late Franklin D. Roosevelt holds the record for number of trips. He popped into political limelight when he nominated Al Smith for President at the National Dem-

ocratic Convention in Houston in 1928. That was the year traditionally Democratic Texas went for the Republican candidate, Herbert Hoover.

The Texas Centennial in 1936 brought him back as President and he delivered an address at Dallas. In 1938, he put into Fort Aransas on a fishing trip. He did not touch land, however, but fished Texas waters as far as Port Isabelle.

In the middle of World War II, April, 1943, Roosevelt and then president of Mexico, Manuel Avila Camacho, met at Monterey, Mexico. On the return trip, Camacho accompanied him through Brownsville and up to Corpus Christi. But this wartime visit was a very quiet affair.

A reunion with his Rough Riders in San Antonio in 1905 brought President Theodore Roosevelt to Texas.

"Teddy" had declined an invitation to stop and chat awhile at Temple, so the city put through an ordinance requiring all presidential trains to stop at least five minutes. The old Rough Rider took matters in good spirit and even made a short speech.

Temple's city attorney a few days back was wondering if the same ordinance could apply to Truman's airplane.

The first Roosevelt came back again in 1911 as a private citizen on a vacation. Taft Visits Dallas In 1909

Taft was honored at a whopping \$25 per plate dinner in Dallas in 1909. He was on his way back to Washington from Juarez, Mexico, where he had met and talked with Mexico's president, General Diaz, on the international bridge.

Taft again visited Texas in 1920 (Continued on Page 8)

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V. L. Case No. 11,544, woman, age 52, had severe headaches, was quite nervous, felt dizzy, and was a restless sleeper. She also had stomach trouble pains in the chest, and hurting between the shoulders. She said she simply had no energy at all, yet under Chiropractic care the woman was soon feeling like a different person.

V. L. Case No. 11,488, woman, age 30, was nervous and had a pain in the back of the neck that made her tense and unable to sleep. She was tired all the time and sometimes would have cramps. After regular health methods had failed, she gave Chiropractic a trial and was delighted with the results.

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For all this they sinned still, and believed not for his wondrous works. Therefore their days did he consume in vanity, and their years in trouble.—Psalms 78:32-33.

Action On A Passive Resolution

A Bridgeport, Conn., local of the CIO United Electrical Workers has refused a place on its executive board to a member who, though otherwise qualified, is a member of the Communist Party.

It is good to see that this passive resolution does not prevent an independent, democratic action by members of local or national unions who do not wish to see their welfare and interests neglected by an officer in favor of promoting Communist doctrine.

And we think a word might be said for Mrs. Josephine Willard, the unsuccessful candidate for board membership. At least she made no bones about her affiliations, since she ran for the Connecticut State Legislature last Fall on the Communist ticket.

Such frankness is surely preferable to the actions of other Communists who seek union power by shouting democracy and posing as saviors of American labor, meanwhile industriously following the party line.

Shotgun Wedding

The great merger of the armed services can be put down as a shotgun wedding. The shotgun was carried by Harry S. Truman. In effect, he told these quarrelsome Army and Navy lovers who had been carrying on an affair all during the war to start living together or else.

The hope is that real love will come to the contracting parties. What remains now is for Congress to issue a license that will make the union legal.

As in every union of this kind, there seems to be a number of predictions that it won't work and it can't last. Military experts who were a dime a dozen during the war but haven't been heard from much lately may contend that under the plan drawn up in the letter signed by Secretary of War Robert P. Patterson and Secretary of the Navy James Forrestal, the lines of authority are not clearly drawn.

It will be argued that old and new service rivalries are bound to stir up dissension between the secretary of the Army, the secretary of the Air Force and the secretary of the Navy, and that these three will be constantly appealing their cases directly to the President over the head of the top secretary of National Defense.

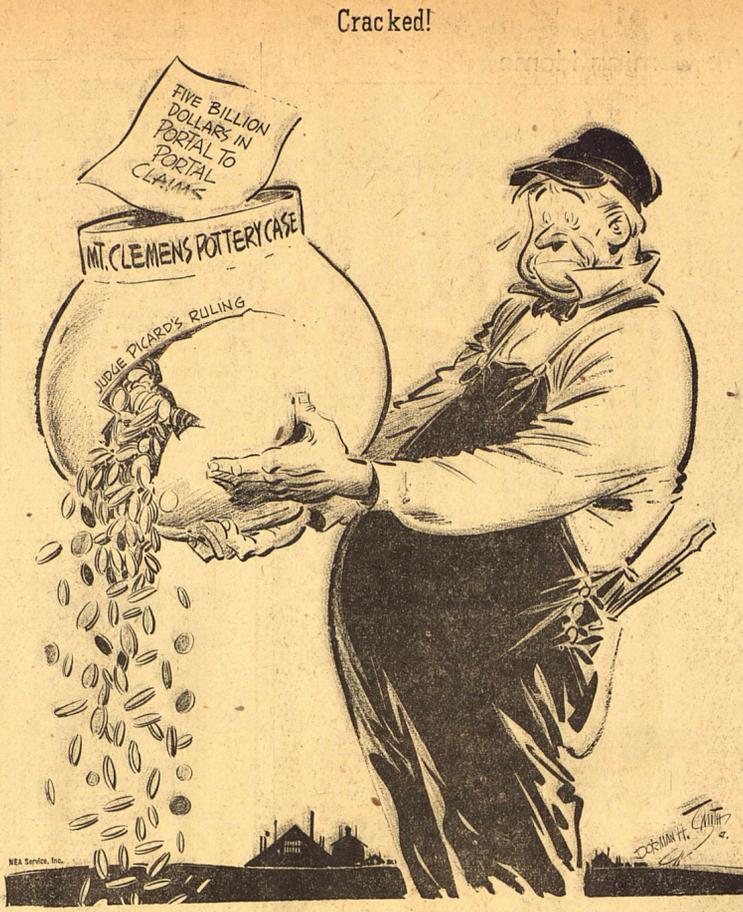
Also, the lines of authority for the joint chiefs of staff, the President's chief of staff, the director of the general staff of 100 officers from the three arms, and the Central Intelligence Agency may shape up a little vaguely and be hard to follow.

Symptom Of Maturity

A college dean says that, because of the returned veteran's changed outlook, fraternities are taking a more mature view of campus and world affairs.

That's not surprising news to us. We knew that things were different when the country went through the entire meat shortage without one single report of a college student having swallowed a goldfish.

Early Statesman crossword puzzle with clues and grid



Peggy Bennett, Author Of 'Varmints' Shuns Glamour, No Time For Makeup

By WILLIAM GOBER, JR. JACKSONVILLE, FLA. — (AP) — From her elfishly demure looks, you'd never think that Peggy Bennett, 21, could write a novel like "The Varmints," a lusty tale of small-town life in Florida.

She doesn't go to movies because "they are too artificial." "I love to write," she explains simply. "I think if I did not have my writing I would melt away."

Miss Bennett would not have to go far to melt away. She is barely five feet tall and weighs 100 pounds. She has light brown hair and dark brown eyes.

Miss Bennett is descended from a long line of Southern Baptists who were "definitely non-literary."

Next Book Planned
Already she has her next book blocked out; one that will deal with modern business. "I have an idea

Two Texas University Students Will Make Day Dreams Come True

AUSTIN—(AP)—Two University of Texas students, stationed together in the Navy, will make their day dreams come true when they stage a three-day rodeo here, March 28-30.

C. C. (Pete) Sublett of Austin and Barfoot Sanders of Beaumont said they started their "serious day dreaming while in the Everglades of Florida, just waiting to get back to the plains of Texas."

The rodeo is not only staged by university students but includes special events in junior bull riding and junior bronc riding, open to all university students who care to enter.

While not an official part of the University of Texas Spring Round-up, the rodeo is expected to furnish entertainment for the many ex-students who will return to the campus at that time.

Social Situations

The situation: You answer the telephone, and the call is for a member of your family who is in another part of the house at the moment.

Wrong way: Say, "Just a moment, please," then yell, "Jim, telephone!"
Right way: Say, "Just a moment, please," then go and tell Jim he is wanted on the telephone.

GIVE YOUR FORD NEW-CAR PEP advertisement for Murray-Young Motors, Ltd.

COLIN'S CAFE CHICKEN LUNCH advertisement with menu and address.

USE TRANSIT-MIXED CONCRETE advertisement for Pannell Brothers.

Representative George Mahon Of Colorado City Is Chairman Of Texas Congressional Delegation

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The chairman of the 23-man Texas congressional delegation for the next two years is Rep. George Mahon of Colorado City.

It is the duty of the friendly 46-year-old, Sunday School teaching legislator to get his fellow Texans together whenever anything arises affecting Texas and on which they may wish to take action as a body.

It also is his duty to preside at the regular Wednesday luncheons of the delegation in the House restaurant.

At the first of these luncheons over which he presided a situation arose which caused the always agreeable Mahon a moment of embarrassment—to the amusement of his colleagues.

It was a matter of little interest except here in a city where people become accustomed to all the niceties of rank and protocol.

The entire delegation was present, including both senators. It was the first time in two years that Senator W. Lee O'Daniel had shown up. And it was the first time in six years that Bonham's Congressman Sam Rayburn had appeared in a role other than that of speaker.

At the head table with Mahon were Senators Tom Connally and O'Daniel and Representative Rayburn. In the last six years Rayburn would have been no question whom he should introduce first.

Without hesitation, Mahon introduced Connally, asking him to say a few words of welcome to the four new members of the delegation. Then came the question: Should he introduce the other senator next, or Rayburn?

He picked Rayburn. Mahon's selection as chairman came from the fact that he had seniority (he entered Congress Jan. 3, 1935) over all other members of the delegation except those who previously served as chairman.

Every two years a new chairman is selected, and the man with the most seniority who has not served previously takes over.

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Magnavox advertisement for musical instruments and furniture.

Burns Baby Carriages



Miss Tillie Ranhofer, 52, covers her face upon being arrested in New York City after firemen answered four midtown fires where they found baby carriages burning. She admitted she "just had the urge", police said.

Frank Miller Studio and Hobby Shop advertisement.

Banner Milk advertisement with images of a milk bottle and a sundae.

Truman -

(Continued from page 7) when Baylor awarded him an honorary degree.

Calvin Coolidge paused at San Antonio long enough to ask then Gov. Dan Moody "what the Alamo was built for?"

Warren G. Harding sampled Gulf Coast fishing after his election in 1920, a few months before he took the oath of office.

Texas along the international border was familiar ground to the 12th president of the U. S. before he gained office.

Ulysses S. Grant was another who served on the border before winning fame as a Civil War general with the Union army, and later, two terms as President.

If Truman follows the pattern of past Presidents who have visited Texas while in office, he'll be back again. That is, if history repeats itself.

Comfort-Aire advertisement for evaporative cooling systems.

Take the Laughter

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THE STORY: Sherry and Mona rent a cottage together in one of Hollywood's beautiful courts. Mona is sleek and sophisticated. She works in an insurance office and is making a play for her married boss, George Brothers. Sherry keeps house, wants to write, worries about Mona's interest in Brothers. She becomes friendly with the three boys who live at the end of the court, Sandro, who is French, wants to act in the movies; Antrim Tony wants to direct and Danish Kris hopes to become a producer.

HALLOWEEN night Mona was dressing to go out to a party with George Brothers when the telephone rang.

Sherry answered. It was Tony. "Are you busy?" he wanted to know. "Kris and Sandro are out and I've got the car. Would you like to do something?"

"I'd love to!" Sherry told him. "Come over in about 20 minutes." And she hung up.

"I'm going to dress," she said to Mona. "We'll probably only go to a movie but I feel like dressing. Tony has the car."

Mona laughed. She said, "You hadn't better go out of walking distance in that jalopy."

George Brothers came while Sherry was changing her dress. Mona shut the bedroom door and called, "Good night, darling; have a good time."

Sherry put on a well-worn black velvet, but it had been a good dress and she always felt comfortable in it. Then she slipped on her squirrel jacket that she kept for very best.

When Tony came to the door he looked surprised and a little worried.

He said, "I just thought we might take a ride," very quickly. Sherry nodded.

"That's why I dressed so warmly," she told him. Tony seemed relieved.

He said, "You look lovely."

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SIDE GLANCES



"You know how a girl likes compliments, George—do you honestly think I'm as pretty as I really am?"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



"How about a ride home from school in your chariot, Ben Hur?"

OKAY, MIDGE! AM I INCLUDED, FRECK? I SIMPLY ADORE SURREYS— I MEAN I DEFINITELY DO!

I DON'T THINK A CAR IS EVEN IN IT WITH A SURREY. MAY I GO FOR AN ITSY BITSY RIDE?

IT'S YOUR PERSONALITY THAT DOES IT, DROOPY. YOU KNOCK EM FOR A ROW OF DATE-BAIT!

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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

Before the war a new scoring system for knockout teams-of-four was introduced in Europe known as the Vienna point count. While we did some research work with it in this country, it has never been used here to any extent. The American team of Mrs. Helen Sobel and E. Jay Becker of New York, Sidney Silodor and Charles H. Goren of Philadelphia, flew to Brazil recently and played several friendly challenge matches with local teams there, using the Vienna point count, which is given in the box below.

He had returned home to Vienna in the snow to find that his brothers had been killed and his father had died. The tenants on their estate were taking care of his mother. His beautiful, proud mother had been grateful for their charity.

After a while his mother had sent him to Italy. She was Italian and had relatives there. He had never seen her again. She had died a few months later.

SUDDENLY Tony stopped talking and for a moment he was still with embarrassment.

"I don't know why I told you all that!" he said angrily. "I never told anybody before. It was an awful bore. I'm sorry."

Something warm and happy flooded over Sherry. He had never told anybody before!

"I'm glad you told me!" she said.

They were at the beach now and had a hot dog. Then they sat and watched the dark water.

Sherry said, "When you're a great director, you'll know how to make people feel the things you've felt."

Tony said, "And you will write my stories!"

They made a lot of plans. Now it all seemed so easy to do, so simple to achieve. Sherry sighed a long sigh that stuck now and then in her stomach.

Tony said, "Happy?" Sherry smiled.

She said, "I never was so happy in my life."

For a minute Tony looked as if he was going to say something. Sherry hoped that he would kiss her, but he said, "It's pretty late. I'd better take you back."

They did not talk much on the way home. Sherry had a lot of time to think. Love would be like this, she thought. That's what had happened to her! She was in love!

(To Be Continued)

GI's Hear Classics In Munich Beer Cellar

MUNICH, GERMANY — (P) — Clustered around the fireplace of the 600-year-old beer cellar where Germans listened to Hitler on the night of the "putsch" of 1923, American occupation soldiers today are hearing—and liking—classical music.

Billed by the American Red Cross girls in charge of recreation at the Burgerbraukeller Club as "Coffee and Classics," the weekly program brings to newly-converted GI music lovers a kind of music many of them never heard before and artists of a caliber they might never hear at home — members of the Bavarian State Opera, soloists from the Munich State Opera House, musicians from the Munich Philharmonic.

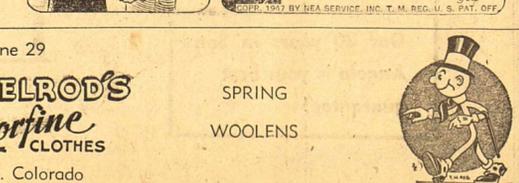
There is only one marsupial animal, one which carries its young in a pouch, in the United States—the opossum.

CARNIVAL By Dick Turner



"Then let's put it this way—how far is the nearest gas station if the crow has to walk?"

RED RYDER By Fred Harman



"I'll try talkin' Norse and his daughter out of their fool notions about Red before they get everybody believe' he's an outlaw."

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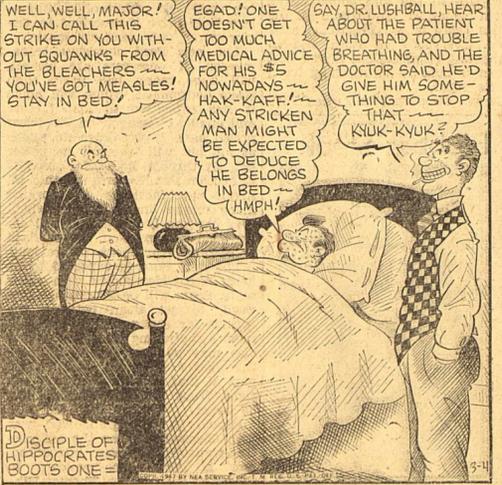
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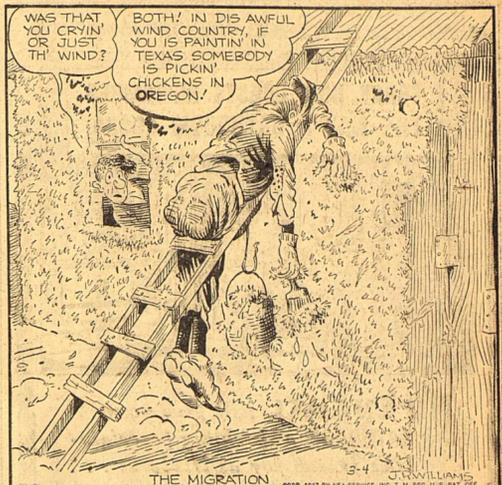


WELL, WELL, MAJOR! I CAN CALL THIS STRIKE ON YOU WITHOUT GUAUNKS FROM THE BLEACHERS! YOU'VE GOT MEASLES! STAY IN BED!

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GAY DR. LUSHBALL, HEAR ABOUT THE PATIENT WHO HAD TROUBLE BREATHING, AND THE DOCTOR SAID HE'D GIVE HIM SOMETHING TO STOP THAT KLUK-KYUK?

DISCIPLINE OF HIPPOCRATES BOOTS ONE!

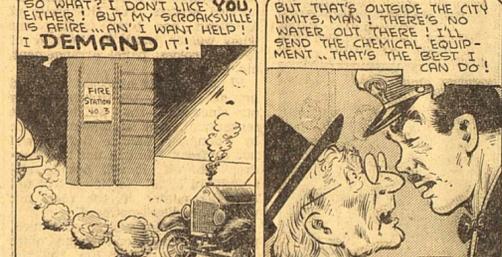


WAS THAT YOU CRVIN' OR JUST TH' WIND?

BOTH! IN DIS AWFUL WIND COUNTRY IF YOU IS PAINTIN' IN TEXAS SOMEBODY IS PICKIN' CHICKENS IN OREGON!

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By EDGAR MARTIN



SO WHAT? I DON'T LIKE YOU EITHER! BUT MY SPOOKSVILLE IS FIRE ON! I DEMAND IT!

BUT THAT'S OUTSIDE THE CITY LIMITS, MAN! THERE'S NO WATER OUT THERE! I'LL SEND THE CHEMICAL EQUIPMENT—THAT'S THE BEST I CAN DO!



ROD! ROD! I JUST HEARD THAT THERE'S TROUBLE AT BUDDVILLE! DRIVE ME OUT QUICK!

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PRINCIPALLY FROM A PLANT THAT GROWS PROFUSELY IN CUBA, IN FACT, I... FUNNY... I KEEP FEELING SORT OF DIZZY...

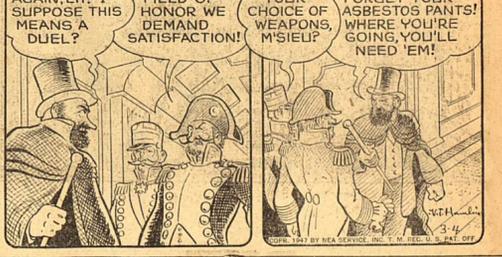
HERE, I'LL HELP YOU, FELLA!

ALLEY OOP —By V. T. HAMLIN



I REGRET YOUR DIFFICULTY WITH MY ORDINANCE OFFICERS, BUT IT WON'T HAPPEN AGAIN!

GOOD... NOW IF THINGS GO OKAY, I'LL BE READY FOR GUN TESTS NEXT WEEK!



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RED RYDER —By FRED HARMAN



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IF RYDER COMES HERE, I'LL BE OUTSIDE TO SURPRISE HIM!

DON'T TAKE ANY CHANCES, NEVA!



TEN MINUTES LATER...

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RYDER'S AUNT—THE DUCHESS OF PAINTED VALLEY—MAYBE SHE'S IN THIS TOO!

VIC FLINT —By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



WHEN THE TIME COMES, FLUKE, YOU WILL KNOW MORE ABOUT THIS FORMULA WHICH THE LITTLE BRUNET SO CARELESSLY LEFT HERE. BUT LET'S GET ON WITH OUR BUSINESS.

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Battle To Come in 1948 Henry Ford II Stands Ready To Challenge GMC For Top Place In Automobile Industry

By S. BURTON HEATH
DETROIT—(NEA)—Henry Ford II is ready to challenge General Motors for top place in the automobile industry.

He has been president of the Ford Motor Company for almost 17 months. He has built up around himself an almost entirely new organization. The engineering staff is three times as large as it was a year before the 29-year-old hustler took over the reins from his famous grandfather. The styling department is almost four times as large.

There's a new spirit in the organization that for so many years set the pace in the automobile world. From Henry, Jr., down through the ranks there is a "go-getter" attitude. Everybody in Ford and in competing organizations knows that the zero hour is approaching for a battle royal.

It will come next fall, when Ford

unveils the 1948 model—the first created by his own organization under his leadership. Both in styling and in mechanical features Ford intends to give all rivals something to shoot at.

The details of any new automobile are a jealously-guarded trade secret. Nobody at River Rouge is talking about the 1948 Ford. But a lot of well-informed observers will be surprised if it does not offer automatic or "clutchless" transmission.

Only General Motors has fully automatic transmission now. This is the hydromatic, offered in nothing under the Oldsmobile. Chrysler's fluid drive is described by engineers as only semi-automatic.

The new Ford clutchless transmission, if observers are correct, will have many less parts than GM's hydromatic, which will make it less expensive to manufacture and enable offering it on the lower priced cars. It will have no plates at all, but will transmit its power entirely through liquid, for smoother acceleration. Experts say that all major manufacturers are working along similar lines, and that whatever car you buy probably will offer such transmission, as standard or optional equipment, before long.

The new Ford is expected to be lower and wider-bodied with wider seats. Seats will be set further forward, to get them between the springs for easier riding. This will require shortening the motor, which also may be lower—in which case the shorter, lower hood will reduce part of that bad blind spot off the right front fender. Windows will be larger.

Harold T. Youngren, who was with Oldsmobile when the automatic transmission was introduced, now is Ford's vice-president in charge of engineering. Thomas Hibbard, long famous as a builder of custom bodies for the most expensive American and European cars, is in charge of a corps of custom-trained stylists. The University of Michigan has been finding out what women want in the way of fabrics, colors, panel arrangement, etc.

From these is expected a brand new automobile—the first really new one since 1941—that will be almost sensational. But statements made by Youngren indicate that it will not be freaky. It will not be "teardrop" shaped; it will not be all-aluminum or all-plastic; it will not have its engine in the rear, nor will it be diesel-powered.

The V-8 motor will be continued, with refinements for economy, quiet operation and longer life. But the six-cylinder motor will be pushed, with double the present capacity, for those who want lower fuel consumption and consider 70 to 75 miles an hour plenty of speed.

Neither General Motors nor Chrysler will even hint what their answer to the Ford of Tomorrow is going to be. They are taking great pains to keep such information from anybody who might let it leak out.

The machine tool industry let it

TAKE KEYS OUT OF CAR

Motorists who leave keys in the ignition switch actually help make irresponsible children into juvenile delinquents, says the FBI.

ALTITUDE BY SOUND

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A New York corn farmer rigged up an exploding scarecrow—every three minutes a carbide gas blast crowd-proof within a 10-acre radius went off.

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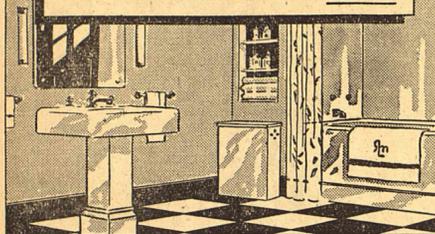
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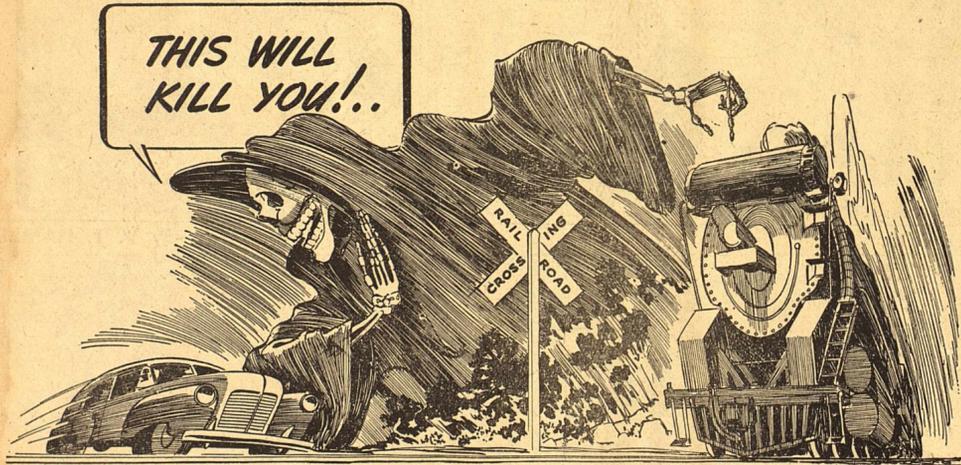
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Rubinoff Plays To Appreciative Midland Audience

Exhibiting superb showmanship along with his masterful talent as a violinist, Dave Rubinoff played before a capacity crowd of appreciative citizens in the Midland High School Auditorium Monday evening.

Rubinoff and his violin were presented under the auspices of the Civic Music Club of Midland. The house was sold out in advance and many were turned away at the door.

He presented as violin solos, Ad-dinsell's "Warsaw Concerto", Ger-shwin's "Rhapsody in Blue", and Chopin's "Polonaise, Opus 53", each to the delight and admiration of his listeners.

His own composition, "Fiddlin' the Fiddle", brought a tremendous ovation, as did Katscher's "When Day Is Done", and Cole Porter's "Don't Fence Me In".

Varied Selections
Other numbers on the program included "Dance of the Russian Peasant", "Intermezzo", "Tango Tzigane", "Clair de Lune", "Sourvenir", and "Dance Russe".

Rubinoff dedicated one of three encores, "Ah! Sweet Mystery of Life", by Victor Herbert, to his audience and to the people of Midland as a whole.

He concluded the concert by asking the audience to sing the national anthem.

Makofka Alexander, Rubinoff's accompanist, also was popular with the audience. His two piano solo groups were excellent and well received. The numbers were: "Concerto in G Minor (First Movement)", "Fantasie Impromptu", "Ritual Fire Dance", "Rounamanian Rhapsody", "Love Death", and "Boogie Woogie Etude".

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Formal Opening Of South Side Service Station Held Monday

The formal opening of the new South Side Service Station at 423 South Main Street was held Monday by the owners, N. G. Baker and his son, Rodney D. Baker.

The firm's ad in Sunday's Reporter-Telegram reported the opening date as Sunday, which was in error.

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The station has been remodeled and a new wash and grease house constructed.

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Presbyterian Deacons Elect New Officers

William M. Osborn was elected chairman of the board of deacons of the First Presbyterian Church at a deacon's meeting in the church Monday afternoon. He succeeds Robert L. Wood.

Clint W. Ledebur was named vice-chairman and Harry A. Gossett, secretary. Bill Collins was re-elected treasurer, and W. J. Sparks, assistant treasurer.

FIRST NEGRO SERVES ON JURY AT SAN ANGELO

SAN ANGELO—(AP)—Johnnie L. Foster, San Angelo, Monday became the first negro to sit on a Tom Green County jury. He was selected to serve in hearing a case involving a defendant charged with driving while intoxicated.

American Legion To Meet Tuesday

Important business is on the agenda and members are urged to be present for a meeting of the Woods W. Lynch Post Number 19, American Legion, of Midland in the county courtroom at 8 p. m. Tuesday.

Commander J. F. Friberg announced the meeting. He stressed the importance of regular attendance by members to keep the Legion alive in Midland.

Rites Scheduled For T. H. Adams Tuesday

Funeral services for Thurman H. Adams, 37, who died early Sunday at his residence in Midland, were scheduled at 4 p. m. Tuesday in the Ellis Funeral Chapel.

Interment was to follow in Fairview Cemetery.

American Airlines Men Visit Midland

Two representatives of American Airlines visited Midland Tuesday and conferred with Chamber of Commerce and city officials.

They were J. Harry Wiseman, sales manager of American Airlines, and Woody Campbell, in charge of station operations at Big Spring.

Postal Receipts Show \$3,000 Decrease

February postal receipts at the Midland Post Office were \$3,267.62 below the January total. The February total was \$11,940.64 as compared to \$15,108.26 for January.

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Jack Bryan Calls Parents From Japan

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Bryan talked by telephone with their son, Cpl. Jack H. Bryan, stationed with the 11th Airborne Division in Sandai, Japan, Monday night.

Corporal Bryan has been overseas two years and in Japan since November of 1945. He told his parents that he would leave for replacement camp April 11 and would sail for the United States April 19.

Bryan told his parents that the weather in Japan was very good and he liked the country very much. He said there were so many American civilians there that he felt right at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan received a call from a San Francisco operator Monday morning informing them that the call had been placed for 9 p. m. Monday night. At 9:15 the Bryans were talking with their son. The time in Japan was 12:15 p. m., Tuesday.

Corporal Bryan was a 1944 graduate of Midland High School. He entered the service in August, 1944.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(P)— Cattle 2,000; calves 650; active, fully steady; good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings 19.00-26.00; medium to good fat cows 12.50-15.00; cutter and common cows 10.00-12.50; canners 9.00-10.50; 10.00-14.50; good and choice fat calves 17.00-21.00; common to medium 12.00-17.00.

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SPORTS

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97 Hopefuls Open Spring Football Drills

They didn't waste a minute! They will be scrimmaging by Friday.

The Midland High School Bulldogs opened Spring football training Monday with a record crop of gridders on hand—77 youngsters were running signals and at least 20 more were holding headgears and rarin' to go.

Things shaped up quickly under the coxswain coaching of Head Coach Barnes Milam, and his corps of assistants, Jack Mashburn, Earl Glassie, Aubra Nooncaster, Ken Kearns and Cameron Neal.

How quickly? Well, sprouting from the T-formation a tentative blue-ribbon lineup (first team) was in hot, dummy scrimmage with a crew of probable reserves before the three-hour drill was an hour old. They blocked, ran plays, and they may be tackling before sundown Wednesday for all we know. It's strictly business. Football business! The coaches have a big job. The material is young and green, but is willing.

It May Look Like This

A team you will likely see in starting Purple next Fall included: Ken Goode and Fred Dunn, ends; John Scrogins and Don Deel, tackles; R. A. Whitson and Howard Bennett, guards; Charles Moncrief, center; Cecil Stevens, Dunny Goode, Bill Little and Dave Hyatt, backs.

Ken Goode is up from the "B" team. Dunn was a reserve letter winner last year. Scrogins is a big, burly letterman. Deel is a tough newcomer from off the "B" lineup. Whitson, a very good boy, lettered in the varsity last year.

Bennett, a red-hot prospect in the line, was ineligible last Fall and played with the "B". Moncrief earned a letter as utility back and center and end last season. Stevens, signal caller, ran the "B" outfit last Fall. Goode, a speedster, and Little, a sturdy runner, are lettered backs. Hyatt, a whale of a boy, was injured last season but did get in some "B" work.

Facing this question-mark first team was an outfit composed of Cecil Wells, Bob Johnson, ends; Lloyd Henderson and Ed Pritchard, tackles; Artie Leftwich and Richard Clark, guards; Dennis Rhodes, center; Don Hamblet, Dee Bevins, Eddie Richardson, and Larry Messersmith, backs. Also Center Oscar Cooper worked with the seconds. He is perhaps the best pivot next to Moncrief. C. C. Tull is a center.

No Place Is Filled

No place on any team is filled. The coaches say hustle and improvement can win any boy a starting slot.

Very much around and meaning business are these boys: Stewart Melton, Maurice Cox, Bobby Roundtree, Bill Bissell, Alfred Baze, Dan Brannon, Billy Briggs, Jimmy Colvine, Bill Burnsides, Donald Clark, Micky Curry, Richard Patton, Jimmy Deavenport, Ray Douglas, Don Dickerson, Bill Gilmore, John Green, Lew Ground, Jimmy Chauncey, Max Harris, Leonard Harris, Douglas Hedges, Jack Hightower, Dicky Jackson, Dick Monroe, Don Morrow, Alex Oates, Don Downing, Roland O'Donnell, Don Pyle, Bill Reeves, John Richardson.

Wayne Richardson, Doyle Roberts, Robert Roripaugh, Joel Sims, B. E. Spaw, Don Smith, Tim Stringer, John Steinbock, P. D. Smith, Robert Webb, Billy Velvin, Dean Waddle, Charles Wheat, and others.

Four Team Managers

The team managers are John Francis, Bob English, John Harvard, and Jerry Webb.

Daily drills will be held for 30 times. Scrimmages are on tap each Friday under game conditions.

An eleven of Junior High graders mixing with the big boys contained a backfield which well may be Midland's greatest in history in three years. Boys in it are Bobby Holt, Roy Mann, Frank Olgin and Arnold Drake.

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A Good Name



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Longhorns To Play All-Stars In Game To Aid Red Cross

AUSTIN —(P)— The Southwest Conference basketball champion, the University of Texas, can look forward to a couple of days rest.

Coach Jack Gray said Tuesday that the Longhorns would take it easy until Monday after Tuesday night's all-star charity game.

At Dallas, James H. Stewart, executive secretary of the conference, said the Longhorns had been authorized to play three additional games before going to Kansas City for the National Collegiate Athletic Association's Western regional tournament, March 21-22.

Gray said he would like to play a couple of practice games, but had no idea whom he would schedule.

The first of the three authorized games will be Tuesday night, when the Longhorns take on an all-star conference team. Proceeds will go to the American Red Cross.

ACC Loses Chance To Win Conference

GEORGETOWN —(P)— Abilene Christian College lost its chance at the Texas Conference basketball championship when it lost to Southwestern University, 51-34.

ACC tied the score twice, but could never get ahead.

ACC closes its conference season Tuesday night against Howard Payne in Abilene.

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McCamey Draws Plano In State Cage Tourney

By The Associated Press

Twenty-four schoolboy basketball teams start moving into Austin Wednesday for the three-way Texas Interscholastic League tournament with the Class B squads to fire the opening guns.

Pairings released by R. J. Kidd, athletic director of the league, send Crozier Tech's Wolves, defending Class AA champions, against a highly-rated El Paso team in the first Class AA round.

Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio, the title favorite, is in the lower bracket but meets a tough Waco team in the opening melee.

A Tech-Jefferson battle in the finals would be a natural. A lot of talk has gone under the bridge since last year when Tech edged Jefferson in the first round. The fans figured the San Antonio quintet deserved at least a finals berth.

Here are the pairings for the three days and nights of battling:

Thursday—9 a. m., Avinger vs. Burkett; 10:15 a. m., Marfa vs. Sugar Land; 11:30 a. m., Gruver vs. Pettus; 2 p. m., Prairie Valley (Nocena) vs. Johnson City (all Class B teams).

McCamey Plays At 4:30 P. M.

Thursday—3:15 p. m., Bowie vs. Beeville; 4:30 p. m., Plano vs. McCamey; 7:15 p. m., Alvin vs. Leveland; 8:30 p. m., Lockhart vs. East Mountain (Gilmer) (all Class A teams).

Friday—9 a. m., Avinger-Burkett winner vs. Marfa-Sugar Land winner; 10:15 a. m., Gruver-Pettus winner vs. Prairie Valley-Johnson City winner; 11:30 a. m., Bowie-Beeville winner vs. Plano-McCamey winner; 2 p. m., Alvin-Leveland winner vs. Lockhart-East Mountain winner.

Friday—3:15 p. m., Crozier Tech (Dallas) vs. El Paso; 4:30 p. m., Bryan vs. Greenville; 7:15 p. m., Sam Houston (Houston) vs. Amarillo; 8:30 p. m., Waco vs. Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) (all Class A teams).

Saturday—9 a. m., consolation Class B; 10:15 a. m., Crozier Tech-El Paso winner vs. Bryan-Greenville winner; 11:30 a. m., Sam Houston-Amarillo winner vs. Waco-Thomas Jefferson winner; 2:05 p. m., finals in Class B; 3:25 p. m., finals Class A; 6:45 p. m., consolation Class A; 8 p. m., consolation Class AA; 9:20 p. m., finals, Class AA.

Weidman Will Coach At Daniel Baker

BROWNWOOD —(P)— Daniel Baker College has hired Chester Weidman, of Marshall High School, as athletic director and football coach in moving to resume intercollegiate sports. The school dropped competition in 1941.

Mrs. J. W. Trapp, president of the college, said Weidman would begin work this month.

Daniel Baker, now a branch of Southwestern University at Georgetown, has applied for readmission to the Texas Conference.

Weidman formerly coached at Olney, Gainesville, Childress and Brownwood High Schools.

SOCIAL SECURITY WORKER VISITS IN MIDLAND

Jack Calvert, Social Security administrator from San Angelo, was a visitor in Midland Tuesday. Calvert comes to the courthouse on the first and third Tuesdays of each month to assist claimants in developing claims, to secure wage information from employers, and to generally assist Midland citizens in Social Security problems.

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Automotive Bowling

Two records were cracked in the automotive bowling league of Midland in last week's matches at Plamor Palace. Murray-Young Motors set a 2,718 team series record and Lee Tharp of the MY five rolled a 241 individual record game. The Motors won three games from Curtis Pontiac.

Murray-Young did just about everything but set the pins that night. They rolled high team game with 936 and Crites of the team had high individual series with 618.

The standing:

Team	Won	Lost
Murray-Young Motors	35	25
Ace Motors	34	26
Eubanks Parts	32	28
Mackey Motors	30	30
Willis-White Motors	28	32
Curtis Pontiac	28	32
Firestone	27	33
Elder Chevrolet	26	34

Thursday night results:

Murray-Young Players	1st	2nd	3rd	Total
Tharp	173	241	184	598
Jones	179	140	181	500
Mechling	156	151	172	485
Crites	202	234	182	618
Boothe	168	164	185	517
	878	936	904	2718

Curtis Pontiac Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Pratt	167	159	185	511
Prothro	143	160	134	437
Clark	179	127	169	475
Thompson	152	142	157	451
Stanley	162	149	148	459
Handicap	17	17	17	51
	820	754	810	2384

Elder Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Spears	154	223	138	515
Berg	144	114	156	414
Angel	116	158	91	365
Parham	143	129	149	421
Hoekendorf	167	172	219	558
Handicap	49	49	49	147
	773	845	802	2420

Ace Motors Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Prothro	235	152	177	564
Hyatt	156	144	170	470
Blind	144	144	144	432
Borneman	192	193	156	541
Albright	160	184	186	530
	887	817	833	2537

Willis-White Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Hall	129	148	142	419
Forest	164	179	138	481
Euber	98	142	98	318
Seagins	106	119	156	381
Mitchell	143	136	149	428
Handicap	71	71	71	213
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Mackey Motor Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Clement	169	130	158	457
Jones	193	137	151	481
Speed	121	179	107	407
Purvis	143	110	169	462
Hall	145	182	137	464
	726	624	717	2117

Eubanks Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Stall	140	144	168	452
Slaughter	161	123	157	441
Cox	138	125	146	409
Wilgus	96	91	114	301
Doyle	191	191	132	514
	726	624	717	2117

Firestone Players

1st	2nd	3rd	Total	
Butler	143	167	144	454
Stallings	136	180	125	441
Kizer	139	138	145	422
Lanham	135	158	209	502
Keeler	169	160	199	528
	721	803	822	2346

Southwest Golf Open Slated In Wichita Falls

WICHITA FALLS —(P)— The third annual All-Southwest Professional Golf tournament will be held at the Wichita Falls Country Club April 30, May 1 and 2, Ray Garrett, club professional, announces.

There will be an 18-hole pro-amateur team event April 30 with the 54 holes of open play set for the next two days. Approximately \$500 in prizes will go to the amateurs with \$1,500 in cash for the professionals.



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