

Slow Going

DEEP GOLDSMITH WILDCAT GETS MORE SULPHUR WATER

Gulf No. 421-E Goldsmith, Ellenburger exploration in the Goldsmith shallow field in Northwest Ector County, and 660 feet from east and 1,992 feet from south lines of section 15, block 44, TP survey, T-1-S, was bottomed at 9,798 feet, in Ellenburger lime, waiting for orders.

It ran a 12-hour drillstem test at 9,698-9,798 feet. There was a strong blow of gas at the surface for 25 minutes and then it died.

Recovery was 983 feet of drilling mud and 7,333 feet of sulphur water. No shows of oil or gas were reported.

This prospector has shown for production from the Devonian, and possibly from the Silurian. It is expected that operator will plug back and test in those formations.

UNIVERSITY-FOGELSON PROJECT STILL FLOWS

Gulf No. 1-E-A University-Fogelson, Ellenburger discovery in Southwest Ector, and 680 feet from west and 662 feet from north lines of section 7, block 35, University survey, made a 24-hour flowing test on perforations at 8,925-35 feet, through a 3/16th-inch tubing choke.

The well produced 211.4 barrels of 44.9 gravity oil, plus two per cent water and five-tenths of one per cent sediment. Sources of the water was not reported. Flowing to test was continuing.

This well had previously produced 1,032 barrels of oil and 102 barrels of water, in 24 hours, flowing through open two-inch tubing. Gravity of that oil was 41.6 degrees.

EAST CRANE PROSPECTOR FISHING FOR DRILL PIPE

Gulf No. 1-HH University, East Crane County wildcat, about 11 miles northwest of Crane and in northeast quarter of section 3, block 31, University survey, was bottomed at 10,030 feet in a shale section in the Simpson, middle Ordovician, and was trying to loosen and recover stuck drill pipe.

A core at 10,011-030 feet, recovered 12 feet of shale, with no shows of oil and gas.

An unofficial report indicated that a core at 9-991-10,011 feet, recovered 18 feet of shale, with some shows.

When the drill pipe is recovered it is expected that operator will core ahead. This exploration is about three and one-half miles north of the Block 31 field. It has shown for production from the Devonian and from the Silurian, and is being deepened to test the Ellenburger.

THREE NEW LOCATIONS FOR SOUTHEAST HALE

Locations for three new prospectors have been reported for the Petersburg field in Southeast Hale County.

Standard Oil Company of Texas and Humble Oil & Refining Company have filed an application with the Railroad Commission to start drilling immediately on their No. 1 Sam Hunt.

It will be 660 feet from south and east lines of section 67, block CL, EL survey, and one-quarter of a mile due west of the discovery well for flowing production from the top section of the Pennsylvania lime at 6,805-6,992 feet.

Contract to drill the test with rotary has been let to Prince Bros. of Electra. Material for the rig is now being moved in. Standard of Texas is to have operation of the project.

Unofficial sources report that Stanolind has staked its No. 1 Hale County State Bank, to be 660 feet from south and 1,988 feet from east lines of section 10, block CL, EL survey. It is three quarters of a mile southeast of Stanolind No. 1, Fisher, and one half mile due east of the same company's No. 1 La-Font, which was drilling below 3,363 feet in lime and shale at last report.

Stanolind is also reported to have started digging cellar for No. 1 N. C. Nix, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 10, block CL, EL survey. It is three quarters of a mile southeast of Stanolind No. 1, Fisher, and one half mile due east of the same company's No. 1 La-Font, which was drilling below 3,363 feet in lime and shale at last report.

UNCONFIRMED REPORT ON "TIGHT" WILDCAT

Unconfirmed reports from San Angelo are that Palmer Oil Corporation No. 1 Cates, "tight" wildcat, about 11 miles southeast of that city, had cemented 5-inch casing on a bottom, which is variously reported as somewhere between 5,800 and 6,100 feet.

It is further rumored, without confirmation, that the prospector had drilled through the Ellenburger, and that the formation at total (Continued on page 2)

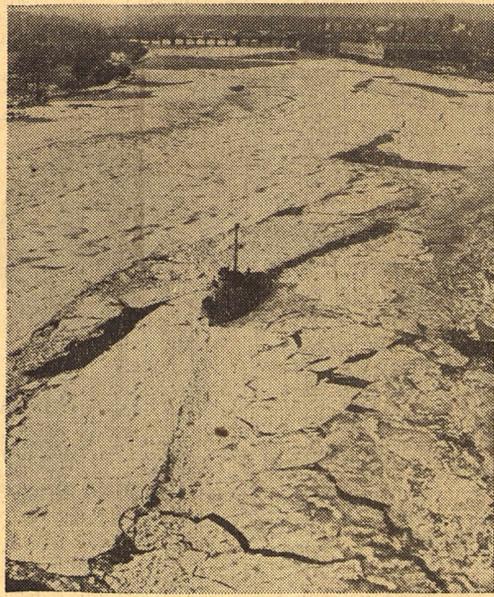
Midlanders' Sister Dies At Cleburne

Funeral services for Velma Morse, a sister of R. W. R. S. and Henry Culp of Midland, who died Friday at Cleburne, will be held at 4 p. m. Saturday in that city.

Other survivors include a sister, Mrs. J. I. Boone of Goldsmith, and a brother, R. V. Culp of Brownwood, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Culp of Brownwood.

COLONEL MARTIN TO HEAD NATIONAL GUARD CAMPAIGN

AUSTIN — (AP) — An intensified campaign to bring the Texas National Guard up to its allotted strength of 30,000 will be led by Col. William H. Martin, assistant state adjutant general, who returned here recently from the annual adjutant general conference in Washington.



(NEA Telephoto) A Coast Guard ice-breaker finds difficult going as it struggles against an ice pack that choked off navigation for over a week in the Delaware River near Trenton, N. J.

Sun Dissipates Snow-Ice Cover

A bright West Texas sun Friday dissipated Midland's covering of from four to six inches of snow and ice.

Snow fell Thursday night for the second time in 24 hours and added two to three inches to the covering.

The temperature dipped to a low of 22 degrees early Friday. And this freezing weather glazed the streets.

The snow was a boon to ranchers and farmers.

Transportation services in and out of Midland, by bus, train, and by air, were operating Friday but did not place the cause as due to epidemics of illness. The weather was blamed.

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False Fire Alarm Sounds Thursday

A false fire alarm was sounded Thursday.

Someone saw a fire at the Midland Building under construction at the intersection of Colorado and Wall Streets, and turned in the alarm.

The fire turned out to be one for keeping concrete from freezing.

Red Cross Donations Exceed \$2,000 Mark

Contributions in the annual Red Cross fund drive Friday totalled \$2,048.65, approximately one-fifth of the goal, John J. Redfern, Jr., campaign chairman, announced.

The drive started Wednesday, with more than 100 volunteer workers participating. Committee chairman said they hoped to complete the canvass in the downtown section by Saturday noon.

Volunteer women workers will launch the campaign in the residential districts Wednesday. Salaried employees in the Petroleum Building subscribed \$1,271 to the Red Cross drive in Midland.

More than 95 per cent of the employees contributed. This figure is near the entire city total for salaried employees last year.

fern urged downtown contributors to place Red Cross stickers in front of their homes so that the women workers will not ask for additional donations.

Alfred Petty, chairman of the drive in the business area, requested persons not contacted by solicitors to leave their contributions at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Three Persons Are Hurt In Accidents

Three persons were injured and hospitalized following accidents in or near Midland Thursday.

Harold Harrison and Herman Weiss of Chicago, traveling on Highway 80 from California, were injured when an automobile they were riding in collided with a truck driven by A. C. Treadway.

Weiss suffered a severe eye injury and further injuries to the two men were being determined Friday by X-rays.

Miss Blix Garvie of Odessa was injured, officers reported, when an automobile hit a culvert near the radio tower. She suffered a leg injury.

Committees Meet Jointly To Plan Livestock Event

The seasonal activities and the Midland and FHA committees of the Chamber of Commerce met jointly Thursday at the Scharbauer Hotel to make plans for the approaching Midland Livestock Show, March 17-19.

On March 17 the show will be confined to competition between Midland County clubbers. On the 18th stock of eight surrounding counties will be shown and compete. A horse show will be held the afternoon of March 17. No money prizes will be given but class champion showers will receive merchandise prizes.

These prizes, donated by Midland merchants, went on display Friday at the Chamber of Commerce.

The Chamber of Commerce of Midland will raise \$750 premium money.

Its seasonal committee will solicit the money by these workers: B. D. Scruggs and J. C. Smith, area West of Main Street; Harry Murray and Fred Fromhold, area East of Main Street.

Races To Be Held

Races will be an added attraction. Also a reigning contest will be held. Walker Anguish will secure the prizes in these events. Races and reigning events will be held March 17 in the afternoon.

A cup will be awarded the grand champion horse of the show. This is a prize of the stock show.

R. L. Miller, general chairman of the agriculture committee of the Chamber of Commerce, presided at the Thursday meeting. Attending were: Murray, Scruggs, T. Paul Barron, Fromhold, V. G. Young, Anguish, A. G. Bohannon, Smith, and Delbert Downing.

ARGUMENTS POSTPONED

Arguments for the case of Runnels County vs. Gulf Oil Corporation, et al, scheduled for Friday before Judge Cecil C. Collings in the 70th District Court, were postponed until March 15.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — John L. Lewis, who lost a major labor battle to the government Thursday in Supreme Court, declared Friday it is "hypocrisy" to allow workers to form unions and then restrict their use of the strike.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Senate Atomic Energy Committee Friday postponed until Monday its vote on confirmation of David E. Lighthall and other nominees to the Atomic Energy Commission.

PARIS — (AP) — Fernand de Brinon, Vichy government representative to German occupation authorities in Paris during the war, was sentenced to death by the French High Court in Versailles Friday after being convicted of intelligence with the enemy—treason.

PARIS — (AP) — Secretary of State Marshall Friday placed flowers on the tomb of France's Unknown Soldier under the Arc de Triomphe and then flew to Berlin, en route to the Moscow meeting of the Council of Foreign Ministers.

Dutch Seize U.S. Ship

Odessa Telephone Workers Strike

Walkout Blamed On Management Within City

ODESSA — (AP) — Telephone service in Odessa was disrupted Friday except for emergency calls as members of Southwestern Telephone Workers Union, Local 3063, walked out at 8 a. m., in a strike against local management.

A union spokesman said, "We do not feel that we can work any longer under present management personnel."

Western Electric maintenance and repair men, members of the Association of Communications and Equipment Workers Union, also left their jobs in sympathy with the operators.

Executives were manning switchboards Friday to place emergency calls.

Striking union members met Friday morning in the Ector County Courtroom.

H. F. Fox of Midland, district manager, said the company regrets the work stoppage which has seriously impaired the Odessa telephone service.

"The union has demanded," he said, "that the company demote an evening chief operator who has worked for the telephone company in Odessa 13 years. We have reviewed the complaint of the union at four different levels of management, and based on information available to us have found that we have no justifiable reason for demoting her."

"Every effort will be made to handle emergency calls. During the work stoppage telephone users are urged not to make telephone calls to Odessa except in a real emergency."

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JayCees Conduct Work Meeting For Regional Parley

The Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce at its luncheon meeting Friday made extensive plans for a regional convention to be held in the city, March 29-30. This parley will attract 200 visitors from 36 clubs in Texas.

Ernest Neill is overall chairman. He appointed James Mims and I. B. Ridgeway to a convention entertainment committee; Tommy Henderson and Frank Wood; Lou Frazen and Harlan Howell; prizes; and Bill Neely spoke on "Get Out the Vote" for the coming city and school board elections.

Alfred (Red) Petty spoke on the Red Cross drive now in progress.

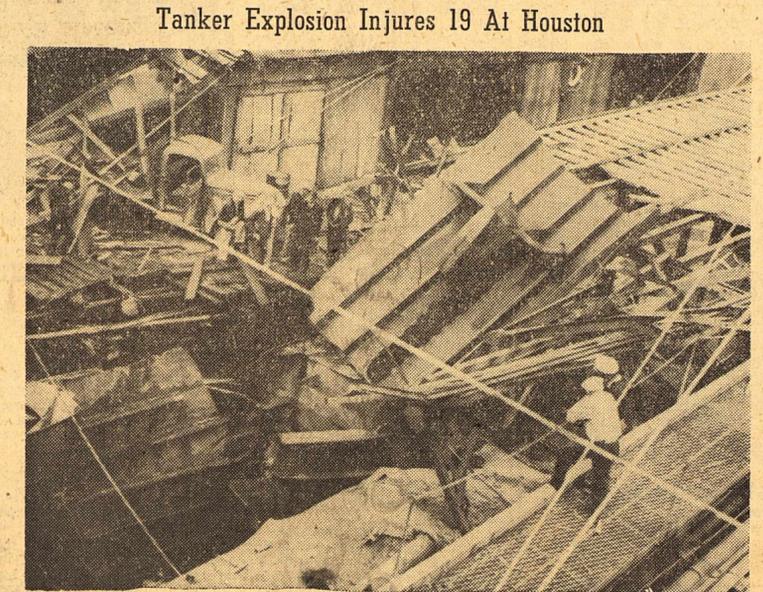
Frank True, Louis Yarbrough and Ernest Nance were appointed program committee for April.

JayCees will assist in numbering houses and marking streets in the South Side area of Midland to help get mail service for that area.

Working on this project will be Rocky Ford, Randy Rubin, Jack Aday, L. W. Sandusky, Jack Simmons, Lou Frazen and Frank Wood.

John Mangrum, state JayCee president, will attend the Midland convention March 29-30.

JayCee directors of Midland will meet at 7 p. m. Tuesday at the City-County Auditorium.



(NEA Telephoto) This gaping hole was blown in the side of the "Lyons Creek", a tanker as she was tied up in the turning basin at Houston. Accumulated gas in several of her mid-ship tanks is said to have caused the blast which injured 19 persons.

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New York City Buses Ply Midland Streets While Hollywood Bound

The old "rubberneck" buses of New York's Fifth Avenue line, plied Midland's Wall Street a few hours Friday morning, and a few hardy citizens took free rides as the welcome West Texas sunshine melted the snow from the rooftops under the decks of the conveyances.

The buses were on their twentieth day out of New York, and had covered 2,012 miles of their transcontinental route to Hollywood. Their journey through Texas is part of a slow race against time for the big buses which are trying to reach Hollywood by March 17, for the movie premiere of a new picture, "It Happened on Fifth Avenue."

The three big buses, which weigh nine tons unloaded, and tower 10 feet 6 inches, are all that are left of an original fleet of 380 open-top, double deck buses that plied the Fifth Avenue passenger line on Manhattan Island 25 years. The line discontinued the double-deckers last December.

Average 19 MPH

The buses seen in Midland were purchased by the Allied Artists Film Productions of Hollywood. They already had traveled 185,000 miles before starting their 3,800-mile trip to the West Coast. They averaged 19 miles an hour from New York to Midland.

The buses tanked up with gasoline and oil here. They get four miles to a gallon of gas. Stops also will be made in Pecos, Van Horn and El Paso.

Weather

Occasional snow East of the Pecos River, not quite so cold, Friday afternoon. Friday night and Saturday partly cloudy and warmer.

Maximum temperature in Midland Thursday was 35 degrees, minimum 24 degrees. Minimum Friday morning was 22 degrees.

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Big Spring Air Field Facilities To Be Sold

DALLAS — (AP) — Improvements at the Army Air Field at Big Spring will be advertised for sale at an early date, it has been learned from the Office of Real Property Disposals of the Grand Prairie Region's office of War Assets Administration.

The land comprising the airport proper is owned by the City of Big Spring, which is expected to be an active bidder on the hangars, utilities and other airport facilities soon to be advertised.

President Of State Republican Club To Speak Here Friday

Capt. J. F. Lucey of Dallas, president of the Republican Club of Texas, will be the speaker at a dinner-meeting in the Scharbauer Hotel at 6 p. m. Friday.

A representative group of citizens has been invited to attend the session, at which a Midland Republican unit may be formed.

W. F. Tucker of Dallas, field representative of the Republican Club of Texas, has been here several days perfecting arrangements for the proposed unit's organization.

R. V. Lawrence is the Midland Republican county chairman.

Tucker said all Republicans and other interested persons will be invited to affiliate with the organization. Women's clubs also will be organized later, he said.

To make Texas a two-party state is the one objective of the state group.

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Bill To Increase Salaries Of State Judges On Agenda

AUSTIN — (AP) — Bills to increase salaries for state judges and to establish a state director of budget were added to the House calendar Friday as representatives marked time during a one-day recess period.

The House will meet again Saturday in what is expected to be a brief session before adjourning until Monday.

The Senate adjourned Thursday until Monday.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Reid on the birth, Thursday, of a son, Ronald Egleton, weighing five pounds, 14 ounces.

OZARKA WATER CO. welcomes these new arrivals. Phone 111 and a bottle of OZARKA will be delivered to you free—Adv.

Small Crowd Hears Mansfield Concert

The snow and freezing temperature limited attendance to fewer than 100 persons at the concert given by Emanuel Mansfield, noted negro tenor, in the City-County Auditorium Thursday evening.

However, the weather and the small attendance did not detract from the presentations of the artist who sang a group of American folk songs and negro spirituals.

The piano selections of Robert Evans, American Indian, who accompanied Mansfield, also were well received.

The Parent-Teacher Association of Carver School, sponsoring the organization, did not realize a financial profit from the concert, but members said they felt the program was beneficial and inspiring to the youths and adults of Midland.

The tea, an annual event for the class, will be at 3 p. m. Saturday. Members of the class will be in the house party and decorations will feature the class colors of yellow and white.

Sir Walter Raleigh introduced potatoes and tobacco to the Old World in 1586, on his return to Ireland from Virginia.

Internal Revenue Office To Remain Open Saturday

W. H. Harrison, internal revenue collector, with offices on the second floor of the Midland County Courthouse, announced Friday his office would be open to the public for help in making out income tax returns Saturday and all next week. The deadline for making the return is March 15.

Harrison said that in order to receive assistance in preparing income tax returns, a person must:

1. Bring all withholding receipts of both husband and wife to the office;
2. All rental incomes must be itemized and listed separately and a copy of the depreciation schedule must be furnished. The cost of improvements must be known;
3. All items of dividend income (bank and stock dividends) should be listed in total;
4. All interest income, including notes and bonds, should be totaled; and,
5. All other income should be separately itemized, including capital transactions or trade of personal property.

Three forms can be used in making out income tax returns, Harrison pointed out. The long form of 1040 is for itemized deductions; the short form of 1040 is for standard deductions, limited to table on back of forms; and withholding receipts. In this the collector figures the tax deductions.

Harrison said that if the long form is used—where the deductions are itemized and claimed—all deductions should be specifically listed as:

1. Contributions—name and address of church, Red Cross chapter, or other charity organizations and amounts given to each;
2. Interest—name and address of bank and other lending institutions and the exact amount of interest paid;
3. Taxes—kind of taxes paid, address of receiving collector, and amount paid;
4. Casualty losses—cost of the articles burned or lost, description, amount covered by insurance, and salvage value of that recovered; and,
5. Medical and dental expenses—name and address of doctors, hospitals, and drug stores paid. Medical expenses must exceed five per cent of the income to have any deduction. They must be exact.

Harrison requested that Midland citizens not wait until the March 15 deadline, but come to his office at the earliest opportunity. "Otherwise, I may be unable to give you the necessary attention," he said.

Oil & Gas News—

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THIRD ACID SHOT FAILED TO HELP GAINES PROSPECT
Cities Service Oil Company No. 1 Riley, West Gaines County wildcat, 15 miles west and a little south of Seminole, and four and one-half miles north of the Doss field, was swabbed to test, after third stage acid treatment. That injection was 7,000 gallons, and was put in open hole at 7,040-7,251 feet.

After the treatment the well swabbed to pits seven hours and reworked most of the load and residue. It then swabbed 10 hours to tanks and made 73 barrels of fluid, cut from six to 80 per cent basic sediment and water. Sources of the water has not been revealed.

This production is no improvement over the prospect prior to the last acid treatment.

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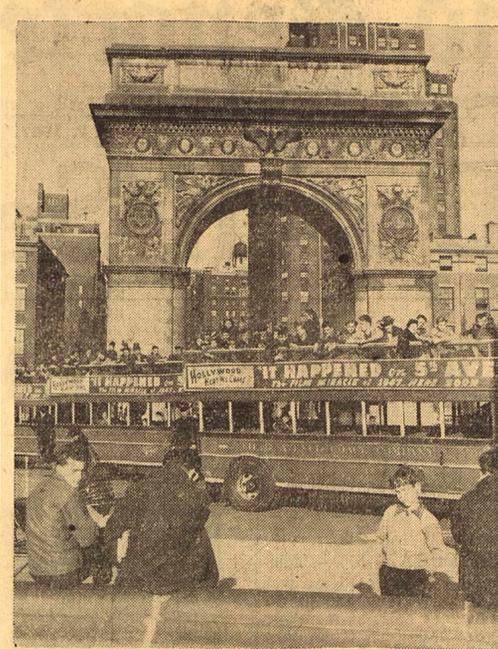
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Double-Deckers Crawl Midland Streets



These are the "rubberneck" buses which Friday morning caused Midlanders to think they were on New York's Fifth Avenue. The buses crawled into Midland on their transcontinental trip from New York to Hollywood where they will enter the movies.

4-H Club Girls Give Radio Program

In celebration of National 4-H Club week, the Midland County 4-H Club girls, in a program over KORS Thursday afternoon, told of their activities during the last year and plans for the future.

Ninety-one girls are enrolled in 4-H Club work in Midland, it was announced. There are four 4-H Clubs and enrollment has increased 100 per cent since January 1.

Janie Manning, president of the Sunshine Makers Club and Gold Star girl of the year, told of her activities during the year. Others on the program were Eunice Hudgins, president of the 8th Grade Club; Silvia Friday, president of the 7th and 8th Grade Club; Julia Edith Midkiff, Betty Louise Parr, Martha Olliff, Virginia Brooks, Pauline Norwood, Mary Lynn Manning, Wanda Smith, and Francis Bond.

Lanelle Howard lead the group in the 4-H Club motto and pledge. Mrs. Nettie Messick is Midland County home demonstration agent.

James Raney Files Discharge Papers

Corporal James T. Raney filed discharge papers Thursday with the county clerk's office. Raney entered the service in September, 1942, and was discharged November, 1945. He served with I Squadron, 112th AAF.

Raney served 18 months in the European Theater of Operations. He was in the battle of the Rhineland and fought in Central Europe. He was awarded the Good Conduct Medal and the European-African-Middle Eastern Medal with two battle stars.

ATTENDS MEETING

Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the Midland-Howard-Ector Counties Health Department, attended a meeting of doctors in Big Spring Thursday night.

Hospital Medical Staff Has Meeting

The medical staff of the Western Clinic Hospital met Thursday evening at the hospital with Dr. W. G. Whitehouse, president.

During the business meeting two committees were named. They are the professional committee, including Dr. Tom C. Bobo, Dr. H. B. Johnson and Dr. James H. Chapple, and the executive committee including Dr. C. S. Britt, Dr. L. W. Leggett and Dr. Doyle L. Patton.

Dr. J. M. Devereux was elected vice-chairman.

The draft of the by-laws was presented and discussed. Present were Dr. Bobo, Dr. H. W. Briggs, Dr. Britt, Dr. Chapple, Dr. A. J. Cooper, Dr. Devereux, Dr. M. A. Dickerson, Dr. R. M. Golladay, Dr. Johnson, Dr. Leggett, Dr. Kurt Lekisch, Dr. Whitehouse, Dr. Patton and J. W. Erickson.

James Boyd Returns From PMA Meeting

James A. Boyd, Midland County supervisor of the Farm Security Administration, returned Thursday from a Production Marketing Administration meeting of District 7 in Big Spring. The meeting was held Wednesday and Thursday.

At the meeting state and federal representatives of the PMA discussed with District 7 supervisors the work being done in this area of Texas. Wednesday was devoted to an explanation of the conservation, materials and services program. Gerald Wakefield, administrative officer from College Station in charge of this program for Texas, told the group that not much was being done in this field for West Texas.

W. E. Pigg, chairman of the Midland County ACA Committee, and Mrs. Marie McSpadden, secretary for Boyd, also attended the meeting.

Truman, Jester, Clark Commend Court Decision

TEMPLE—Gov. Beauford H. Jester termed significant President Truman's reaction to news of the Supreme Court decision in the John L. Lewis coal case.

After quoting Truman as saying, "I am glad we still have a government in the United States," Governor Jester declared:

"That is a significant remark. Thank God we have in the United States a government of checks and balances."

Attending a dinner in honor of U. S. Attorney General Tom Clark Thursday night, Jester described how he was sitting in a cloakroom at Baylor University with Truman when the news of the decision was learned. Truman was awarded an honorary degree at the Waco college Thursday.

Clark declared he was gratified at the decision, saying:

"I am glad that the Supreme Court approved the theory that we of the Department of Justice presented to it 'that no person is above the law in the United States.'"

To Aid Small Business
Pledging himself to aid small business, Clark declared that "I shall see to it that small business men are able to operate without having to pay tribute."

He had described the importance of the anti-trust laws and told of a tendency toward monopoly during the war.

The Texan praised Truman and said he was "proud to be his lawyer."

Clark hit at assertions by some members of Congress that there are Communists in the government. He said that as long as Truman was president and he was attorney general, there would be no Communists in the government.

Cong. W. R. Poage joined Jester in paying tribute to Clark and hailed his part in getting the Supreme Court decision.

Poage said that the "decision said no organization can be created prior to the government of the United States."

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Boy Scout Event Scheduled Friday

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J. M. McDonald is in charge of arrangements. The event was postponed because of bad weather during the recent observance of Scout week.

Persons attending the event are asked to bring mess kits.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED
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Carl Wevat is in Birkhamton, N. Y., where he was called early this week by the serious illness of his father, Alfred Wevat.

FROM GOLDSMITH

Jim Barden and son, John, of Goldsmith were Midland visitors Friday.

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Coming Events

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.

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Business, Professional Women Urged To Support Equal Rights Amendment

"If we achieve our legislative, or any other objectives, we must read, think, work and act together... all at the same time," Ernestine Hough, president of the Midland Business and Professional Women's Club, said during the discussed equal rights for women at the meeting of the B&PW club.

The club met in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel Thursday for the March luncheon meeting.

"Only by legislation will women ever assume equality before the law with men," Miss Hough said. She urged members of the club to contact state senators and representatives asking their stand on the women equality question.

Juror Service Stressed

The president pointed out that juror service is a special legislative item of Texas B&PW. Texas is one of 17 states which does not allow women to sit on juries. For several years the state B&PW has sponsored an amendment to the state constitution allowing women to sit on juries.

For many years the National B&PW Club has attempted to get the equal rights amendment passed by the United States Congress. It will come up again in the 80th Congressional session.

"Although women were granted suffrage in 1919 there are yet 1,000 discriminatory laws against women in the 48 states. The passage of the amendment would wipe out all those 1,000 laws," she said.

The meeting of the club opening with the singing of "Happy Birthday" to T. K. White, a member of the club celebrating her birthday Thursday.

Charlotte Posey, acting as secretary pro tem, was requested to send a telegram supporting Mrs. George T. Jester as the "Texas Mother of 1947".

A portrait of "The Pioneer Women" was presented to the club by George R. McDonald. The picture, by the American sculptor, Bryant Baker, pays honor and perpetuate to the memory of women who helped build the West. It will be placed in the Chamber of Commerce.

Fannie Bess Taylor, chairman of the finance committee, presented amendments to the budget which were accepted by the club.

The Odessa B&PW Club, which is sponsored by the Midland club, has elected officers. At a meeting March 10 the Midland club will present a panel discussion setting up the duties and activities of the various officers and committees.

Hester Williams was appointed chairman of a committee to make magazines available to overseas members of the club who are eager to keep in touch with the best in American thought.

Ruth Donnell was appointed chairman of a committee to assist the Midland Chamber of Commerce in its observance of Texas Chamber of Commerce week.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Fred Wemple, Mrs. Norma Lee McMillan, and Sybil Sneed.

CHORAL CLUB MEETING

The Midland Choral Club will meet at 8 p. m. Monday in the First Christian Church. The meeting was previously scheduled at the home of Mrs. Ben Dansby.

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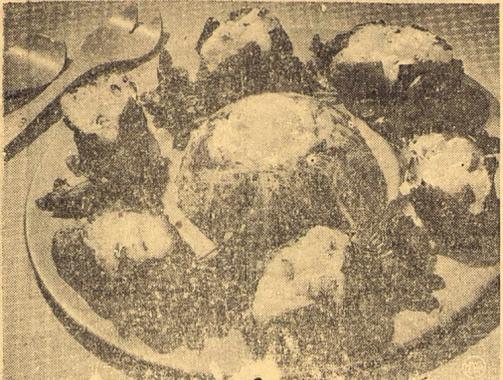
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By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

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Scotch Stuffed Potatoes (Serves 6)

Six baking potatoes, fortified margarine, 1 pound finnan haddie, 1 1/2 cups milk, 3 tablespoons fortified margarine, 3 tablespoons flour, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 6 tablespoons grated cheese.

Wash large baking potatoes, rub with margarine and bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) 40 to 45 minutes. While potatoes are baking, dice fish, cover with milk and heat. Melt the 3 tablespoons margarine, add flour and blend. Pour hot milk from fish slowly into flour mixture. Stir smooth and cook until smooth and thickened. Add fish. Cut large cross in top of potato and scoop out middle in good-sized pieces, leaving enough to have potato hold shape. Add to fish. Stir together and refill potatoes. Sprinkle with cheese and return to oven for about 10 minutes or until hot and light brown. Serve at once with a molded mixed greens salad topped with mayonnaise.

Midland Garden Club Hears Discussion By County HD Agent

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, Midland County home demonstration agent, discussed "Common Sprays and Their Uses" at the March meeting of the Midland Garden Club Thursday morning.

The club met in the home of Mrs. A. P. Scharbauer, 1714 West Holloway Street.

Two new members were voted into the club. They are Mrs. John J. Redfern, Jr., and Mrs. Bob Clark.

Amendments to the constitution were read and discussed.

Mrs. J. Hollis Roberts was in charge of the flower arrangements on display.

Others present were Mrs. George Abell, Mrs. L. W. Leggett, Mrs. Lloyd C. Mills, Mrs. W. B. Neely, Mrs. A. L. Repecka, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. R. E. Throckmorton, Mrs. Ralph Trost, Mrs. Fay Coil, Mrs. R. T. German, Mrs. T. A. Golladay, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, Mrs. A. P. Shirey, Mrs. W. I. West and Mrs. Redfern, a guest.

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Members Of Concert-Lecture Association Renew Memberships

Present members of the Midland Concert and Lecture Association have until March 20 to renew their memberships for the 1947-48 season, before new member applications will be received, association officers announced.

The seating capacity of the Midland High School Auditorium limits the association to approximately 300 dual memberships, and present members will be given first chance for next season.

The association ended its 1946-47 season with the Virginia Sale recital Wednesday evening.

All memberships not reserved by present members will be available to the general public on a first come first served basis after March 20.

Study Club Members Have 'Texas' Program

Members of the Modern Study Club met with Mrs. Ivan Hood, 111 Ridgely Drive, Wednesday afternoon for a program on "Texas in Today's World" directed by Mrs. J. M. Devereux.

Roll call was answered with "something new on Texas legislation." Mrs. Al Boring spoke on "Texas Under Six Flags" and Mrs. F. R. Schenck gave "The History of Texas Artists and Sculptors."

"A Texan in England" by J. Frank Dobie was presented by Mrs. Lamar Lamb. Mrs. W. E. Price gave "Outstanding Women of the Texas Federation."

Mrs. M. S. Dickerson, president, directed the meeting.

Members who volunteered to do Red Cross work were Mrs. Austin Flint, Mrs. Devereux, and Mrs. Graham Smoot.

Others present were Mrs. W. C. Cartwright, Mrs. B. W. Reecer, Mrs. Kenneth Slough, Mrs. Paul C. Smith and Mrs. Earl Statton.

PLAY READER'S CLUB HAS MEETING IN J. P. BUTLER HOME

Mrs. Charles Klapproth read "Alice, Sit by the Fire" by J. M. Barrie at the meeting of the Play Readers' Club Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. John P. Butler, 1609 Holloway Street.

Tentative plans were made for a Spring tea.

The next meeting will be March 19 in the home of Mrs. T. R. Parker.

Others present at the meeting were Mrs. E. H. Barron, Mrs. R. Barron, Mrs. DeLo Douglas, Mrs. F. H. Fuhrman, Mrs. Wallace Irvin, Mrs. William Y. Penn, Mrs. W. T. Schneider, Mrs. R. R. Struggs, and Mrs. Wade Heath.

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Crane News

GRANE — The Rev. Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. Gray, and Mrs. Griffin attended the worker's conference at the First Baptist Church in Royalty Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Foster were hosts to a party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bahan at the Foster home in the Texas-New Mexico Camp this week. The Bahans are moving from Crane soon.

Norman Mullin is confined to his home because of illness.

Mrs. Jim Brannam is back at her home after being dismissed from the hospital.

Lee Turner is visiting his mother in McKinney.

Mrs. Florence and Mrs. Dale Lewis were Odessa visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. M. G. Damron and Mrs. R. L. Damron were Midland shoppers Wednesday.

Training Course On Re-Styling Hats Held

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, Midland County home demonstration agent, assisted by Mrs. L. H. Moncrief, Wednesday conducted a training course on re-styling hats for clothing demonstrators of Midland Home Demonstration Clubs.

Mrs. Moncrief discussed Spring fashions and demonstrated making feather flowers and berets. Mrs. Messick said that "a hat fulfills its whole purpose only if it adds to the wearer's appearance."

Facts to consider in selecting hats also were given.

Present were Mrs. J. D. Bartlett, Valley View HD Club, Mrs. Moncrief, West Side Club, Mrs. Loraine Suchman and Mrs. A. P. Jordon, Garden Addition Club, Mrs. A. S. Norwood, Mrs. J. C. Bradley and Mrs. J. W. McKenzie, Busy Wives Club, and Clyde Parmely, home economics teacher in Midland High School.

BROADCAST SCHEDULED

The radio and health committees of the Business and Professional Women's Club will sponsor a program "Protecting Your Health," at 9 a. m. Saturday, Agnes Foelker, registered nurse and a member of the club, will be the speaker.

Home Demonstration Club Meets At Tarzan

TARZAN—The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. H. R. Howard for an all-day demonstration on making dress forms.

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Russia's Atomic Secrets

The statement of Dr. Werner Heisenberg, German atomic scientist, that three of his most eminent German colleagues are working for the Russians is not unbelievable, or even surprising. Neither is his claim that after reading the Smythe report he knew "exactly what was done, except for some small technical details", in making the American atomic bomb.

There is an interesting comment on this piece of news—though the comment preceded the news—in Louis Ridenour's review of a new biography of Albert Einstein in the New York Times.

Said Ridenour: "Nuclear physics, one of the most recalcitrant branches of fundamental science, is currently a political football. We are now beset with spy-mania and love of secrecy to such an extent that it will come as a distinct shock to the public, three or four years hence, when the first atomic bomb is set off by Russia."

"This phenomenon will be attributed to 'leaks' of information from disaffected scientists, not to the well-known fact that men who ask a given question of nature always get the same answer, whatever their nationality."

One may disagree with Ridenour's dim view of the future without quarreling with the soundness of his observation. For it does seem evident that most of our atomic secrets must be in the fields of engineering and production, rather than on physical reaction.

Even those of us who know as little about isotopes and neutrons as Senator McKellar must suspect at times that the Russians at least know how to make an atomic bomb. It would be more pertinent, perhaps, to know whether they have the raw materials, power, and huge industrial setup necessary for the undertaking.

Then, there is always the possibility that Russian scientists, with German help, are seeking a different source of atomic energy and cheaper ways of releasing and controlling it.

In other words, Russia has some atomic secrets of her own. And it is up to our own scientists to keep alert and on the job until an international system of atomic energy control is set up and functioning. If we are ahead, we must keep ahead. And perhaps our continuing intensive research will be the best form of espionage as long as secrets about atomic matters exist.

Debunking A 'Hero'

We are aware that our military authorities had bigger gangsters to worry about during the war than Charles "Lucky" Luciano. But it does seem too bad that the Army, the Navy, and the OSS let the rumor spread that this king of the panderers was released from prison and shipped to Italy because of valuable information he gave the government before the Italian invasion. It seems doubly too bad that the governor of New York, who wasn't fighting a war, didn't destroy this picture of the gangster as a hero.

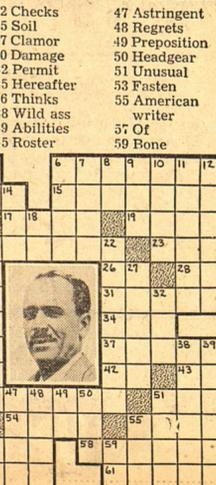
But the carefully planted rumor flourished and had wide circulation. Only now, thanks to a New York columnist's enterprise, do we learn that Luciano gave the government no helpful information. He was simply deported as an undesirable alien after 10 years in prison to save taxpayers the cost of his room and board.

Nothing seems to be quite as good as new after being broken—including your word!

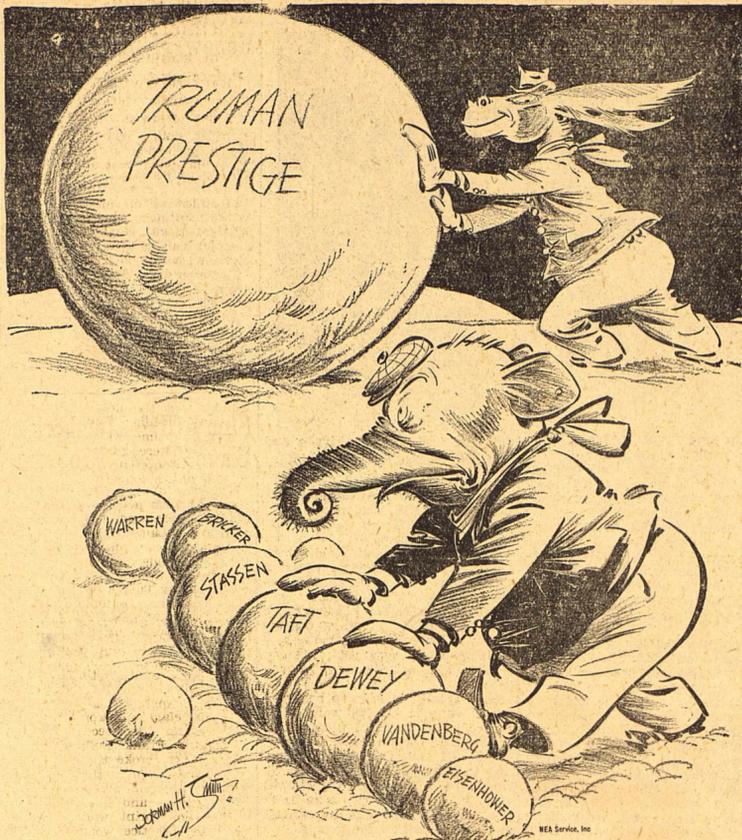
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LEGAL NOTICES

NO. 4475
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You are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Midland County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, that is to say, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. on Monday the 14th day of April, 1947, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 25th day of February, 1947, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 4475, wherein Cynthia Houston and Chuck Houston, Guardian of the Estate of J. E. Houston, a person of unsound mind, are Plaintiffs and the parties above named and to whom this citation is issued are Defendants and the nature of said suit is as follows: Plaintiffs allege ownership of lands in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of Blocks 36 and 38, Moody's Addition to the town of Midland, Midland County, Texas.

Said action is, in part, a suit in trespass to try title by Plaintiffs for title and possession of said lands above described. The action is brought as well to try title as for damages in the sum of \$2,000.00.

Plaintiffs pray in said petition for recovery of title and possession of said land, for damages, costs of suit and for further relief, special and general, in law and in equity.

Issued this 27th day of February, 1947.

NETTIE C. ROMER
Clerk of the District Court of Midland County, Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office this 27th day of February, 1947.
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Lamesa Voters To Elect Councilmen

LAMESA—An election to fill two places on the Lamesa city council will be held April 1. Applications of candidates must be filed with Jack N. Goodloe, city secretary, by closing time March 11.

A vacancy has existed on the council since Henry Norris resigned February 12. He held place No. 5. The term of George Norman, councilman, place No. 4, expires in April.

Texas Is Sworn Into U. S. Foreign Service

WASHINGTON—(P)—Thomas A. Mann of Laredo, Texas, was one of nine young men sworn in recently as officers of the foreign service, the State Department announced.

All of the men saw wartime service with the government. Under provisions of an act passed by the 79th Congress, they were appointed to the middle and upper grades of the foreign service.

50 Persons Bitten By Rabid Foxes Treated

BEAUMONT—(P)—Citizens of Jasper County were scheduled to meet Friday night in Jasper to plan action against rabid foxes in the area.

Fifty persons in Sabine, Newton and Jasper Counties are under treatment for rabies as the result of being bitten. A meeting has been scheduled Monday night at Newton and in Sabine Tuesday night.

Tentative date for the start of an extermination campaign is March 17.

Spanish Stowaways To Be Deported

BROWNSVILLE—(P)—Two stowaways arrived here on the steamship Charles Lykes.

The two were described by ship's officers as Spaniards who succeeded in getting aboard the ship at Bordeaux, France. The pair gave their names as Florencio Jose Redonda, 22, and Antonio Teller-Pina, 24.

At an immigration hearing they were excluded from the United States, and placed under guard on ship for return to Bordeaux.

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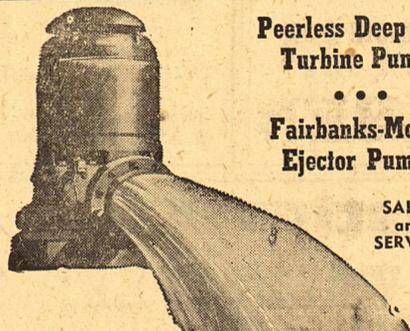


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Flu Epidemic In Monahans Closes Public Schools

MONAHANS—The closing of all schools in the Monahans district Thursday because of a flu epidemic was announced by R. D. Lee, superintendent. He estimated about one-third of the 1,450 student enrollment has been affected.

The schools will remain closed until Monday when another check will be taken. If the flu conditions still are present, the closing will be extended, Superintendent Lee said. A girls' volleyball game with Midland, scheduled here Thursday night, was cancelled.

All business houses were operating as usual.

Geologist's Father Dies At Hays, Kansas

James P. Neilson, father of Harry (Swede) Neilson, formerly a geologist with Plymouth Oil Company here, died Thursday at Hays, Kan., according to information received here.

Harry Neilson now is a consulting geologist at Durango, Colo. Services for the elder Neilson were scheduled Friday at Hays.

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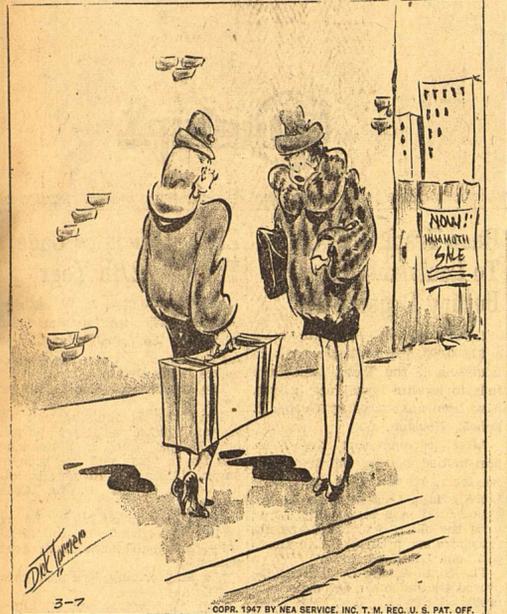
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VIII NEW YEAR'S had come and gone.

Sherry and Mona were having dinner in the breakfast nook and Mona was eating listlessly. She was pale and looked a little tired. After the coffee she got up.

"Do you mind if I don't help with the dishes tonight, honey? I've got a headache." "Oh, I'm sorry!" Sherry said. "Why don't you go lie down?"

Mona went into the bedroom and Sherry started clearing up the dishes. Why was it, she wondered, that when you were unhappy you felt a little sick. But what was the matter with Mona? What was happening to her? It was George Brothers, of course. Sherry knew that. Mona had gone to a New Year's Eve party with him and had not come home all night.

She had explained that the party had been given by a woman she knew at the Ambassador, and that it had broken up so late the woman had insisted on Mona staying.

Sherry had believed her because she wanted to believe her. Mona had not elaborated on the party though, which was funny. Usually she remembered all sorts of little things to tell Sherry, and it was since that night that she had been listless and edgy by turns.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By Merrill Blosser

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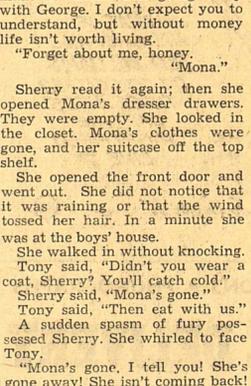
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WILSON NAMED TO STATE FAIR STAFF

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An original grove of seven orange trees in the Lower Rio Grande Valley gave rise to the giant Texas citrus industry.

RED RYDER



By Fred Harman

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McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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

The president of the American Contract Bridge League, Raymond J. McGrover of Brooklyn, N. Y., rates himself as just an average player. He claims it is not important to play expert bridge so far as the enjoyment of tournament is concerned. The social meetings and companionship that tournaments provide come first with him. However, I think that today's hand puts "Ray" into the expert class. His bid of five clubs might

seem a little bold, but it was not, in view of the fact that South had opened the bidding and McGrover (North) had an opening bid of his own.

When East cashed first the ace and then the king of spades, McGrover knew that he had no more spades. East shifted to a heart and McGrover went up with dummy's ace, catching West's singleton king, which did him no good. He led a small club from dummy, and to his amazement, East showed out.

Now McGrover was confronted with the job of keeping West from making a trump trick. His next play was a small diamond, finessing dummy's ten-spot, which held the trick. The ten of clubs was led, West covered with the jack and McGrover won with the king. He led a small diamond to dummy's queen, then led dummy's third club.

Now he cashed all his clubs, and at the last club lead, East was down to the jack and one diamond and the queen of hearts. If he discarded a diamond, McGrover would discard the jack of hearts from dummy and win the last two tricks with the ace and seven of diamonds. If East discarded the queen of hearts, McGrover would win the last two tricks with the jack of hearts and ace of diamonds.

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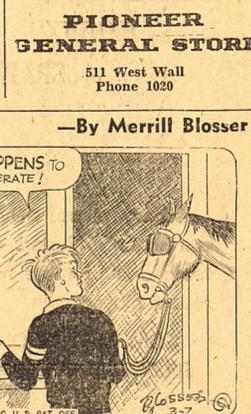
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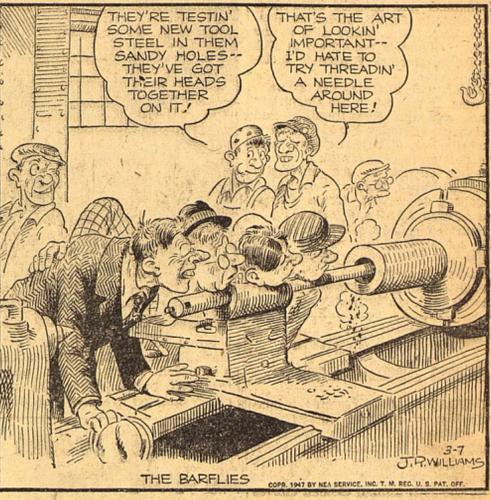


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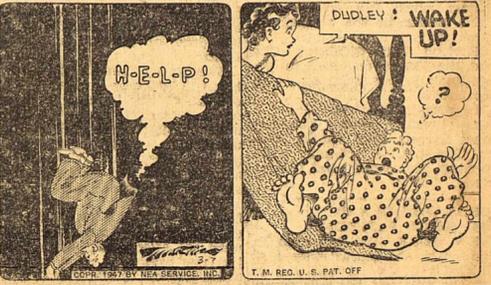
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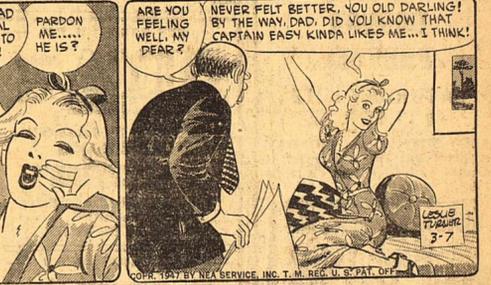
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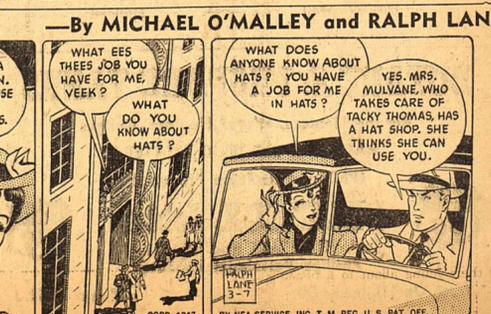
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Parker And Texas U. Track Mates Favored In Border Olympics

LAREDO — (AP) — Charley Parker, the University of Texas sprinter who has not lost a race in five years, was the center of interest here Friday on the eve of the fifteenth annual Border Olympics which has attracted approximately 700 college and high school track and field athletes from four states.

Parker, who entered collegiate competition three weeks ago by winning the 75-yard dash in Michigan state indoor relays, will face the Southwest's best in the way of opposition Saturday when he lines up against Jim Metcalf of Oklahoma A.&M. Bill Martenson of Baylor and his own teammates, Perry Samuels and Allen Lawler.

Samuels and Metcalf have done the century in 9.5, which is Parker's best. The figure also is the Border Olympics' record set in 1933 by Ralph Carr of Schreiner Institute.

Texas, with an entry list of twenty men, is favored in the University class, although Rice Institute and Oklahoma's Aggies have entered a like number. The Longhorns also are defending champions.

Other entries in the university division are Baylor, Arkansas, Southern Methodist, Texas Christian, Texas A&M and Tulane.

Fourteen schools, all from Texas, will compete in the college class, while the high school division has attracted 31 schools.

High school preliminaries got underway Friday afternoon.

Ridin' High



Meriam Witt, a student at Fort Hays Kansas State College, adds a modern touch to this old-fashioned high-wheeler bike recently donated to school museum.

Texan Will Fight In Gloves Semi-Finals

CHICAGO — (AP) — In amateur boxing's biggest show 31 survivors of an original field of thousands of youths from 29 states Friday night in Chicago Stadium will box 15 semi-final and eight final bouts to close the 20th annual Golden Gloves tournament.

The eighth championship winners will make up Chicago's team of fighters which will engage New York's titlists in the stadium on March 28.

Cleveland and Oklahoma City head the list of qualifiers in the semi-finals Friday night, each with four boxers.

The semi-finalists include: One hundred twelve pounds—James Bargett, Fort Worth; Robert Holliday, Cincinnati; Bill Guernsey, Minneapolis; Pat Lowery, Toledo.

DODDS WILL RUN IN TWO RACES SATURDAY

NEW YORK — (AP) — Unbeaten in 17 races on the boards since 1943, Gil Dodds of Boston will run in both the mile and two-mile events in the Knights of Columbus meet at Madison Square Garden Saturday night.

Pat Murphy To Coach Big Spring Steers

BIG SPRING — Edward S. (Pat) Murphy, Abilene High School assistant coach, has officially accepted the Big Spring head coaching job, W. C. Blankenship, superintendent of schools announced Thursday.

Blankenship said that Murphy hoped to take over in 10 days and that Spring training, originally set for March 1, would not begin until Murphy arrived. The delay was caused by selection of a successor to John Dibrell, who resigned as head coach last month effective at end of the school year.

Murphy coached at Big Spring from 1937 through 1941. He was selected over 31 other candidates a week ago after saying his application was contingent upon adoption of his proposed system wide "feeder" plan for high school athletics.

Herschel "Mule" Stockton will be retained as assistant to Murphy.

Santa Anita Saturday

ARCADIA, CALIF. — (AP) — With a comparatively small field of 10 or more three-year-olds expected to be named, entries were awaited Friday for the 10th running of the \$100,000 Santa Anita Derby Saturday.

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Weather Chases Gridders Inside

Weather drove the Midland Bulldogs inside Thursday for a "blackboard" session and the study of a football film.

With the stadium snow-packed and iced over, the "Spring" training gridders got an indoor session with the coaches lecturing and showing the film.

Friday's drill depended on the weather. Coaches believed the playing field still was too snow-covered for use.

If conditions outside were too adverse the grid tutors planned another inside session.

Greenberg Trains Hard For Pirates

By GAYLE TALBOT
MIAMI BEACH — (AP) — Hank Greenberg aches in every muscle and joint these days, and his manner of running is not a thing of grace and beauty, but the big home-run king is a happy man as he works out with his new owners, the Pittsburgh Pirates.

"I don't know how Pittsburgh feels about having me," he smiled through rivulets of perspiration, "but I know I'm mighty glad to be with this outfit."

"I guess they thought out in Detroit they were fixing me up properly when they sold me, but the way it is turning out it might prove to have been the greatest break of my life."

Despite his many pains, including a stiff right arm, Hank is working probably harder than he has in many a Spring. He is determined to repay the men who talked him out of retiring. Even his team-mates don't realize how seriously he is taking his conditioning.

Last Sunday, when a cold wind caused Manager Billy Herman to call off regular practice, Greenberg went over to Flamingo Park by himself and put in nearly two hours of running and tossing a ball to a park attendant. The gates were locked and nobody saw him, and the other Pirates don't know about it yet.

Kilgore And Brenham To Play For Title

KILGORE — (AP) — Kilgore Junior College will tackle Blinn College of Brenham for the Texas Junior College conference basketball title.

The Rangers advanced to the finals Thursday night by defeating North Texas Agricultural College, 37-32.

Paul Mitchell, NTAC, was high scorer of the game with 17 points. George Daniels, led Kilgore with 10.

Contract Let On Texas Tech Stadium

LUBBOCK — (AP) — Texas Tech College will have a new football stadium this fall. Construction contract for the 15,700-seat affair was let Thursday.

F. S. Oldt said that work on the project would start as soon as machinery and materials can be assembled.

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Livestock Judging At Exposition Friday

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Livestock judging occupied the top spot of the Southwestern Exposition and Fair Stock Show Friday.

The Aberdeen-Angus and Short-horn steers in the boys' baby beef show and open classes will be judged by A. D. Weber, of the Kansas State College of Agriculture.

Friday will officially be "Dublin" Day at the Show. Miss Martha Keller of that Comanche County town will act as queen of the day.

BOWLING

It was two-to-one night Wednesday in the major bowling league of Midland. In matches at Plamor Palace Tot's Gulf took two from Continental Airlines; Scharbauer Hotel notched two from Honolulu Oil; Burl's Standard added a couple at the expense of Permian Well; and Midland Tire won two-to-one over Maybee Drilling.

Tot's team rolled high team series score with 2,533. The Airliners kegger high team game with 902. B. Young of Tot's bowled a 572 high individual series. Mitchell of Burl's Standard had high individual game with 226.

The league standing:

Team	Won	Lost
Continental Airlines	38	28
Tot's Gulf	38	28
Honolulu Oil	35	31
Permian Well	32	34
Burl's Standard	31	35
Scharbauer Hotel	31	35
Midland Tire	31	35
Maybee Drilling Co.	28	38

Wednesday night results:

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Tot's Gulf	167	220	185	572
Young	143	153	129	425
Howard	201	161	183	545
Girdley	177	161	181	509
Watlington	125	166	140	431
Davidson	17	17	17	51
Handicap				
Totals	830	868	835	2533

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Continental Air	145	170	150	465
Roberts	151	171	180	502
Pratt	161	200	158	519
Boothe	157	172	175	504
Clark	106	189	141	436
Totals	702	902	804	2408

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Honolulu Oil	146	132	146	424
Gibson	145	167	179	491
J. Prothro	173	166	186	525
White	135	147	144	426
Schneider	171	157	128	456
Handicap	14	14	14	42
Totals	784	783	797	2364

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Scharbauer	161	143	209	513
Haigh	155	157	123	435
Scharbauer	147	129	157	433
Prothro	154	154	154	462
Albright (bid)	196	178	169	543
Tharp				
Totals	813	761	812	2386

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Maybee Drilling	123	126	136	385
Mathews	188	168	150	506
Polston	159	121	156	436
Stanley	155	148	157	460
Leeper	119	122	167	408
Brewer				
Totals	769	710	791	2260

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Permian Well	172	186	150	508
Lovering	90	124	131	345
Brainard	163	199	148	510
Clark	147	152	132	431
Watson	179	141	155	475
McKinnon	74	74	74	222
Handicap				
Totals	825	876	790	2491

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Self Standard	159	168	155	482
Borneman	137	226	193	556
Mitchell	144	148	117	409
Self	170	173	144	487
Prothro	176	169	182	527
Mashburn				
Totals	786	884	791	2461

Marfa Reaches Finals In State Cage Tournament

AUSTIN — (AP) — The undefeated Marfa Shorthorns moved into the finals of Class B competition in the Interscholastic League basketball tournament here Friday by downing Avinger, 32-26, in the opening game of the day.

The AA squads were not scheduled to play before mid-afternoon and Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio found itself the favorite to battle its way to the finals against the winner of the Tech-El Paso game. Bryan meets Greenville, Sam Houston (Houston) tackles Amarillo and Waco engages Jefferson in the opening round that runs through Friday night.

Gruber and Johnson City get together in the second game Friday. McCamey Plays Bowls

Class A semi-finals followed with Bowie tangling with McCamey and East Mountain of Gilmer taking on Alvin.

East Mountain proved the sensation of the tournament Thursday night as it crushed hitherto unbeaten Lockhart, 62-32, and sent Junior Carrington to a new tournament individual scoring record of 33 points. The East Mountain star also set a new record for Gregory Gym where the University of Texas plays its Southwest Conference games. The gym record until Thursday night was 32 points, made by Jack Gray, present University of Texas coach, more than a decade ago.

In the Class B first round Avinger defeated Burkett, 30-26. Marfa beat Sugarland, 33-22 to remain undefeated for the season—the only team with such a record left in the state—while Gruber downed Pettus, 48-22 and Johnson City defeated Prairie Valley of Nocona, 40-27.

In the Class A first round Bowie beat Beeville, 47-40, McCamey edged Plano, 29-26, Alvin licked Levelland 28-23 and East Mountain swamped Lockhart.

The only upset—and it was a rather mild one—was the defeat of Levelland, a slight tournament favorite.

A total of 7,500 fans turned out for the first day and night of play.

Before the white man came to the Americas, the Indians cooked wild and tamed turkey for feasts.

'Iron Hindenburg' Makes Fire Wood

BERLIN — (AP) — The huge "Iron Hindenburg," heroic-size wooden statue of the late German field marshal and president, Paul von Hindenburg, has been split up and fed into the furnaces of shivering Berliners during the cold wave.

The "Iron Hindenburg" was built during the first World War to raise funds for the Kaiser's army. Berliners were allowed to pound iron, silver or gold nails into the statue, depending on the size of their contribution. More than 1,500,000 nails were driven into the statue.

Railroads get about one-fourth of their operating revenue from hauling agricultural products.

Race Track Will Go To Louisiana Unless Betting Legalized

HOUSTON — (AP) — Plans to build a \$3,000,000 quarter horse track in Louisiana if the Texas Legislature fails to legalize horse race betting, have been announced by George E. Echols, Houston.

After learning that the Texas pari-mutuel betting bill had been set for a rehearing by the House State Affairs Committee in Austin, Echols said in a statement:

"If the bill is defeated, I and my associates are prepared to go ahead with our Louisiana track."

The State Affairs Committee approved the bill once, but opponents protested they had not been given adequate notice of the first hearing.

Echols, already building a \$1,250,000 racing plant six miles from Houston, said he had already bought the land for a Louisiana track. He declined to give the exact location.

He said his proposed track would be for quarter horses. "It won't be for big time racing, but just for the ranchers, cowboys and such who like to see their horses run."

Ziggy Officiates Cage Tourney 27th Year

AUSTIN — (AP) — J. W. (Ziggy) Sears is officiating in the Texas schoolboy basketball tournament for the twenty-seventh time, which makes it unanimous.

The tournament also is just 27 years old.

Sears also is rounding out 38 years in baseball, as player and umpire. He performed in professional ball for 20 years and has been an umpire 18 seasons. He now is calling them in the Pacific Coast League.

Asked how much longer he expected to officiate in the Texas state basketball tournament, Sears replied:

"As long as my legs will carry me."

They almost gave out on him a couple of years ago. He had a siege of arthritis, but Ziggy is back in top condition now. He's 55 years old.

The flea, world's champion jumper, is one-tenth of an inch long but can leap eight inches vertically and 13 inches laterally.

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