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**WEATHER**  
Fair and not quite so warm Friday night and early Saturday. Showers in the Panhandle. Maximum temperature Thursday 97 degrees, minimum 73 degrees. Minimum Friday 70 degrees.

## U. S. Says Red Official Must Leave Country

### Truman Outlines Draft Deferments

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman told Selective Service Boards Friday to start mailing classification questionnaires to single non-veteran draft registrants by September 7.

The order was in a 30-page set of regulations laying down the detailed provisions for putting thousands of young men 19 through 25 into uniform under the new Peacetime Draft Act.

Under the order, as provided by the act, deferments will be given to men with dependents, to almost all veterans, to men in necessary jobs, including farm work, conscientious objectors and some other classes of registrants. Generally, the classes are patterned after those used in the wartime draft setup.

Single non-veteran men will be the first to get their questionnaires, which the boards will use to determine whether a registrant should be called for induction or deferred.

**Oldest Come First**  
The questionnaires, which must be returned in 10 days, will go out in the order of birth dates—with the oldest first.

Beginning September 30, the boards are to start mailing questionnaires to other registrants in the same fashion. Thereafter, the questionnaires will be mailed to each registrant as soon as he reaches the age of 19.

Registration begins August 30 for men born after Aug. 30, 1922, and continues through September 17 for younger men.

The 25-year-olds will be the first inducted. The Army expects to make its first call for about 15,000 men next week and have them in uniform sometime in November.

Under the regulations issued Friday, each registrant 19 through 25 will be considered available for military service until his status in a deferred or exempt classification "is clearly established to the satisfaction of the local board."

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### Red Police Invade U. S. Berlin Zone

BERLIN—(AP)—Russian Military Police and German police they control invaded the American sector of blockaded Berlin Friday on a black-market raid and seized five German police belonging to U. S. sector forces.

An American Military Government official said the action clearly violated U. S. jurisdiction.

It was the second Russian-backed raid near the city borders during the day.

Earlier Russian M. P.'s and Communist-controlled German police raided downtown Potsdamer Platz, where the American, Russian and British zones meet, and arrested about 600 Germans without violence.

This contrasted to an operation Thursday when Germans stoned Communist police, who responded with gunfire which wounded four civilians.

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### Lawyers Refuse To Talk Before Spy Hunt Panel

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Three former New Deal lawyers—Lee Pressman, John Abt and Nathan Witt—refused Friday to tell a congressional committee whether they were members of the Communist underground.

Rep. Nixon (R-Calif.) said the three declined behind closed doors to answer questions concerning accusations made against them in the congressional spy investigations.

Whittaker Chambers has told the House Un-American Activities Committee the three lawyers were members of a Red organization, whose objective was to place Communists in federal jobs in the early 1930s.

Nixon told reporters the three also refused to say:

Whether they had belonged to the Red underground as Chambers has testified; whether they knew Chambers and a half-a-dozen other men named by Chambers as leaders in the "underground"; and whether they were members of the Communist Party at the time Chambers claimed they were.

Nixon also said Friday it has become "imperative" that the Immigration Service quickly produce missing witness J. Peters for the congressional spy hearings.

An admitted former Communist has testified before the House Un-American Activities Committee that Peters headed the entire Red underground in the United States.

The committee contends the Immigration Bureau has promised to produce Peters and that it can in fact do so because he is under \$5,000 bond awaiting deportation action.

Immigration Commissioner Watson Miller said he would talk things over Friday with Nixon and other committee members.

Miller told reporters he doesn't know where the man is but "it is conceivable to me that Peters could not be found."

### Major Airlines Will Boost Fares

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A ten per cent airline fare boost is coming soon—with the added prospect that free meals in flight will be ended.

Present fares average about 5.5 cents a mile. The new rate of just over six cents will be the highest in nearly 15 years. It will take effect either in September or October.

That outlook is the result of a precedent-setting conference called by the Civil Aeronautics Board to talk over the industry's financial crisis.

The five-member CAB met with presidents and other top officials of the 16 trunk airlines Thursday and devoted almost the whole day to the fare increase and free meal problems.

Chairman Joseph J. O'Connell of the CAB told a news conference that while there is no formal agreement on the increase, the board believes all airlines have accepted it.

O'Connell said the understanding at the meeting was that the "Big Five" airlines—American, United, Trans-World, Eastern and Northwest, which carry four-fifths of all the traffic—will raise fares ten per cent across the board.

Other airlines will increase their fares ten per cent on routes where they compete with the "Big Five."

### American Note Is Flat Rejection Of All Soviet Charges

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United States is stripping Jacob M. Lomakin, the Soviet consul general in New York, of his official position because of his conduct in the Kasenkina affair and has demanded that Russia get him out of this country.

This sensational turn in the Soviet-American row over the refugee school teachers was disclosed Friday with publication of an American note handed to the Soviet Embassy Thursday night.

The note flatly rejected Soviet charges that the teachers, Mrs. Oksana Kasenkina and Mr. and Mrs. Mikhail I. Samarin, were abducted by the anti-Soviet Tolstoy Foundation with the connivance of American officials. The three, the note said, wanted to stay in this country.

While recognizing the right of Soviet officials to protect its nationals in this country, the note said they also are entitled to the protection of the "applicable laws of the United States."

Declaring this government will not turn Mrs. Kasenkina over to Russian authorities against her will, the note said:

"The government of the United States cannot permit the exercise within the United States of the police power of any foreign government."

**Under President's Orders**  
Presidential Press Secretary Charles G. Ross told reporters, "The whole thing was done under the President's orders."

Ross first said Truman would sign the revocation of the consul's credentials recovery. Later, however, he said the signing would be delayed several days in order to give Lomakin time to close out his official duties.

The State Department told Soviet Ambassador Alexander S. Panuskin and his government that the Russian charges, including some by Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov, "have been based upon misinformation."

Moreover, the department told the Soviet in effect that the U. S. government holds Consul General Lomakin in New York responsible for this misinformation. He was accused of an "abuse" of his position and a "gross violation" of proper conduct of foreign officials. Conduct "highly improper."

As a result, the note said, the State Department is "requesting" President Truman to revoke credentials granted to Lomakin in this country and wants him to leave the United States "within a reasonable time."

While concentrating its fire on Lomakin, the United States declared its reports on the refugee teacher cases in this country "indicate that officials of the Soviet government have been engaged in conduct which is highly improper."

The note "categorically" rejected all charges made by the Soviet against American authorities.

The United States requested copies of two letters which it said were in the hands of the Soviet Consul in New York and had been written by Mrs. Kasenkina. One was written at the time she decided not to go back to Russia and one a little more than a week ago when she jumped out of the consulate window in New York.

The evidence against Lomakin was based on testimony given to American authorities by Mrs. Kasenkina, who is now in New York. (Continued On Page Nine)



Russian Consulate Secretary Zina Ivanova, center, gives note for Mrs. Oksana Kasenkina, injured school teacher, to a New York City hospital attendant, left, after she and a colleague were refused permission to visit the patient. At right is Maria Kharianova, who left the box of flowers for the injured woman. (NEA Telephoto)

### U. S. Puts Brakes On Credit

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The government Friday pulled a brake on free-wheeling credit.

New rules to stiffen "easy payment" loans and purchases covering most consumer goods costing from \$50 to \$5,000 were posted officially by the Federal Reserve Board. They take effect September 30.

Businessmen were divided. Some thought it "fair and reasonable." One furniture executive denounced it as "rationing the poor."

These are the terms—backed by criminal penalties and the power of the Federal Reserve Board to put a violator out of the credit business:

One-third down on automobiles. Twenty per cent down on stoves, dishwashers, ironers, refrigerators, washing machines, air conditioners, radios, phonographs, television sets, sewing machines, vacuum cleaners, furniture and rugs.

Sherman Bros. Lumber is offering a 15-month time limit to complete payment if the article costs \$1,000 or less.

An 18-month limit on credit over \$1,000, but with a minimum \$70 monthly payment.

Ordinary charge accounts—usually payable in one, two or three months—are not affected. Personal loans, of the type repayable in monthly installments, are subject to the time limits. Single-payment loans and housing loans are exempt.

The order is the first fruit of the new Republican anti-inflation law, signed by President Truman Monday. The law expires next June 30.

### Stanolind To Deepen S-E Sterling Venture

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 R. S. Foster, one location west of the discovery for commercial production from the Wichita-Albany section of the lower Permian, to open the Marvin field in Southeast Sterling County, is bottomed at 4,534 feet in lime, and is shut down for repairs.

This project, located 860 feet from south and east lines of section 11, block 15, H&TC survey, has not reported having encountered any signs of production. It appears to have missed the Wichita-Albany pay.

Operator has filed an amended application with the Railroad Commission, asking for permission to continue drilling on this venture to a possible bottom of 5,500 feet.

That makes it a wildcat to go into the lower Permian. Deepening operations are to start as soon as the current repair job is finished. It is seven and one-half miles south of Sterling City.

### Hunt No. 1 Ellwood Is Taking Drillstem Test

H. L. Hunt No. 1 Ellwood, Southeast Mitchell County wildcat, six and one-half miles northwest of the Jameson field, of Northwest Coke County, the nearest proven producing area, was taking a drillstem test on a Pennsylvania section at 6,275-6,308 feet.

It topped a sand at 6,275 feet, and drilled to that material to 6,288 feet. A core was cut at 6,288-6,301 feet. Recovery was 11 feet, with the top four inches being shale and the remaining 10 feet and six inches being a coarse, white sand, with some porosity, some oil stains, and some bleeding gas in fresh breaks.

There was no water in the core. Another cut was made at 6,301-08 feet. Recovery was seven feet of shale, with no shows.

Operator then went in to take the drillstem test.

This prospector is 860 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 31, J. P. Smith survey.

### S-C Sterling Prospector Logs Porosity, Oil Signs

Cole-Darden Oil Company and Westlund & Johnson, Inc., No. 1 Foster, South-Central Sterling County wildcat, three and one-half miles northwest of the Marvin field, and 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 28, block 13, H&TC survey, logged some indications of porosity and some oil signs in the drilling mud above the current total depth at 4,760 feet, in lower Permian lime.

Operators were preparing to run a drillstem test to check the section which logged the indications of petroleum.

### Midland Deep Wildcat Fishes For Lost Cones

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-E Wilson Bryant, deep wildcat in Central Midland County, 14 miles south of the city of Midland, was on a total depth of 12,539 feet in lime and chert, and was fishing for lost bit cones.

When they are recovered the project will resume drilling.

### Humble's I-A Barnett Recovers Salt Water

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-A Barnett, Ellenburger wildcat in East-Central Upton County, three miles northwest of the initial Ellenburger producer in the (Continued On Page Nine)

### Fire Again Hits Large Warehouse

Fire broke out early Friday in a large sheet metal warehouse at the intersection of Colorado and Washington Streets which had been almost completely destroyed by a fire Wednesday.

No great amount of further damage to the warehouse or its contents was reported. Firemen put out the second fire quickly.

Three companies which stored properties in the warehouse are checking their losses. No overall estimate of damage has been made. Cause of the fire has not been determined.

### Reds Delay Sending Doctor To Consult On Kasenkina Case

NEW YORK—(AP)—Soviet officials have delayed taking advantage of an invitation to send a doctor of their own choosing for consultation in the case of Mrs. Oksana S. Kasenkina, who was critically injured in a leap from the third-story window of the Russian Consulate.

Consul General Jacob M. Lomakin told newsmen he had selected a physician to confer with Roosevelt Hospital doctors about the 52-year-old Russian teacher. He would not, however, identify the doctor or say when he would call.

Early Friday, the hospital reported a slight improvement in Mrs. Kasenkina's condition.

### Forrestal To Confer With Chiefs Of Staff

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Secretary of Defense Forrestal will hold a conference with the joint chiefs of staff at the Naval War College at Newport, R. I., beginning late Friday and continuing through Sunday.

The Defense Department said the conference follows the pattern established at Key West, Fla., March 11-14. Similar meetings are planned at intervals of a few months in the future.

The purpose is to provide an opportunity for extended discussion of important policy questions in an informal atmosphere and at a distance from the routine administrative pressures and interruptions at headquarters in Washington.

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### LATE NEWS FLASHES

**MOSCOW—(AP)—**Western Power diplomatic envoys conferred Friday noon at the French Embassy. Their meeting was believed to be preliminary to another important East-West conference at the Kremlin.

**ATHENS—(AP)—**The last Communist guerrilla defense line in the Grammos Mountains virtually collapsed Friday and Kaifia, the Rebels' last stronghold, fell to Army troops, a Greek general staff spokesman announced.

**LONDON—(AP)—**The London Evening News declared Friday Prime Minister Stalin has ordered the stage set for a coup d'etat in Yugoslavia and already has chosen a successor to Premier Marshal Tito.

**WASHINGTON—(AP)—**President Truman Friday directed Attorney General Clark to seek an 80-day injunction to forestall a threatened strike of 45,000 East Coast dock workers.



Mrs. Lewis Schrier, 66, of Cincinnati, Ohio, serves home-baked pies to the six members of the Mack, Ohio, Life Squad who have saved her life 10 times. Mrs. Schrier has heart trouble and each time she has had an attack, these six men were on hand with their life-saving equipment. (NEA Telephoto)

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Hear Jimmy Morgan Tonight 8:00 p. m. Open Air Revival. First Baptist Church.—(Adv.)



### St. Anne's Will Be Dedicated October 10

The new St. Anne's Catholic Church at 2000 West Texas Street is nearing completion and will be dedicated in special services October 10, the Rev. Frank Triggs, pastor, said Friday.

Bishop Laurence FitzSimon of Amarillo will bless the new church, and Father Patrick Toomey, a former chaplain at the Midland Army Air Field, will come here from Chicago to participate in the dedication ceremonies.

**LAMESA YOUTH KILLED**  
LAMESA—(P)—L. D. Thomas, 16, was injured fatally in a motorcycle-truck collision here Thursday. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lillard Thomas, who live near here.

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### Three-Way Crash Is Fatal To Five

SAN ANTONIO—(P)—A three-vehicle traffic accident east of here late Thursday took the lives of five persons, four of them members of the same family, and seriously injured two others.

The accident involved an empty gasoline trailer truck, a large acid truck, and an automobile. It occurred 22 miles east of here.

The dead: Darel W. Stites, 23, Houston, truck driver; V. H. Stephenson, 39, San Antonio; his wife, 34; their son, John Stephenson, 10, and their daughter, Joyce Stephenson, 13.

Another daughter of the Stephensons, eight-year-old Mary, was one of the injured. A Rev. Gates of San Antonio suffered a broken back and body bruises and cuts.

The driver of the second truck was not hurt.

Highway patrolmen said the wreck occurred when the gasoline truck, traveling east, was in collision with the other truck and a 1938 model sedan.

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### Atom's Power Shown in Exhibit



Using an insulated ball-topped rod, Dr. Richard C. Hitchcock, director of the Westinghouse atomic energy show, draws a six-inch spark from the dome of a miniature atom smasher in Pittsburgh, Pa. The exhibit will move to New York, where it will be featured in the Golden Anniversary celebration.

### Johnson, Stevenson File Expense Accounts

AUSTIN—(P)—Senatorial Candidates Lyndon Johnson and Coke Stevenson, both claiming that vast amounts are being spent against them, filed their second expense accounts for the second primary with the secretary of state Thursday.

Johnson reported he has spent \$8,988.94 thus far in his campaign for election to the United States Senate. He listed donations totaling \$4,955.

Stevenson's report listed expenses amounting to \$9,018.59. The candidate said donations totaled \$7,225.

### Alcoholics Anonymous

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### Mrs. James Parker Buried At Abilene

Funeral services for Mrs. James Parker, 45, of Midland, who died Thursday morning in an Abilene hospital, were held at 10:30 a. m. Friday in the Heavenly Rest Episcopal Church at Abilene. Bishop George H. Quarterman of Amarillo officiated. Interment was in Abilene's Elmwood Memorial Park.

Mrs. Parker had resided in Midland the last two years, moving here from Abilene. Her husband is a representative of the Arrow Drilling Company here.

Born at Sterling, Okla., Feb. 20, 1903, she was married to Mr. Parker Nov. 17, 1918, at Amarillo. Survivors include the husband; two sons, James Parker, Jr., of Abilene, and Howard W. Parker, a student in the University of Texas; a brother, Gilbert Winn of Duncan, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. O. W. Starr of Drumright, Okla., and a grandchild.

### Bus-Truck Crash Fatal To Seven

SAN AUGUSTINE—(P)—A church bus and a heavy lumber truck sideswiped on a narrow bridge 13 miles south of here Thursday night, killing seven persons and injuring at least three.

The Beaumont Enterprise said the dead were identified as: Ethel Doyena, Chingquapin, Texas, and her son, Raymond, 13.

Norris Brown, about 14, son of Jake Brown, Rosevine, Texas.

Mrs. Betty Ann McBride, Rosevine.

Asbury Oliver, Rosevine.

Mrs. Emma Blankenship, sister-in-law of Oliver, Merrville, La.

A child of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hudson.

C. P. Lawrence, an employee of the Wyman - Roberts Funeral Home here, said the accident occurred 100 yards south of the Rosevine Pentecostal Church. He said occupants of the bus had attended evening services at the church.

Neither the bus driver, Chuck Lanford, nor the truck driver Odesa Oliver, was hurt.

John Starr, employee of the Stringer Funeral Home at Hemphill, said "Lumber was thrown all over the place and through the bus. It was a mess."

### Club Exhibits Will Feature County Fair

All Midland clubs will be invited to have exhibits on display at the annual Midland County Fair, September 30 and October 1-2, members of the Club Exhibits Committee decided Thursday afternoon at a meeting in the Chamber of Commerce.

A committee was named to contact 16 organizations who may wish to arrange displays. Other organizations desiring to have exhibits are requested to contact Mrs. C. E. Bissell, chairman, or the Chamber of Commerce.

Since display space at the fair is limited, applications will be handled on a first come, first served basis.

Present at the Thursday meeting were Mrs. Bissell, Mrs. I. J. Howard, Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, Bernard Barnard, general chairman, and DeWayne Davis, assistant manager of the Chamber of Commerce.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Morren and daughter, Sherlon Sue, are visiting in El Paso.

Kenneth Lay is visiting friends in Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Caffey and Ed Soulon attending a Frigidaire sales meeting in Big Spring Thursday night.

Bobby Hunter and Gordon Mashburn are in Stephenville to enroll in John Tarleton College.

Pete Stewart, Lee O. Manning and Gene Skelton are going to Oklahoma for the weekend.

Billie Dean Alkire will leave Sunday for Ardmore, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Crouch are in Amarillo.

Freddie Bilbo has returned to Midland after spending the Summer in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Joplin and daughter, Betty, and son Billy, of Houston are visiting friends here. The Joplins are former Midland residents.

### Kaderli Entertains Officials Of Rotary

Hilton Kaderli, chairman of the club service division of the Midland Rotary Club, entertained committee chairmen and leaders of committees in his division with a chicken barbecue at his home here Thursday evening.

James T. Smith, president of the club, and Mrs. R. W. Mann, secretary, also attended the event. Others present were Carl Wevat, Roy McKee, Harry Gossett, John Perkins, Ily Pratt, H. A. Thomason, Bob Payne, Hank Avery, the Rev. Howard Hollowell, past president, and James N. Allison.

### FORT WORTH VISITOR

Fred Elliston of Fort Worth, industrial division manager of the Texas Electric Service Company, was a Midland visitor Thursday.

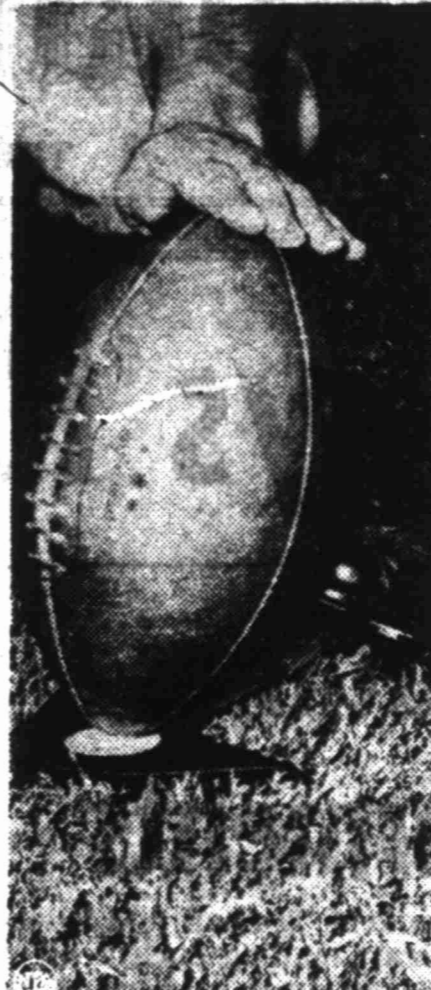
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### A Little Help



This is the place-kick tee that the University of Toledo will use this fall. Developed by head coach Skip Stahley, the tee provides a hard, dry, flat corrugated surface for any kind of weather and provides the kicker with a straight, line-of-sight approach to the ball, Stahley says. The one-inch stand has been approved by the National Collegiate Association.

### Livestock

FORT WORTH—(P)—Cattle 800; calves 300; steady; medium grade steers 29.00; four loads 28.00; beef cows 16.00-21.00; sausage bulls 18.00-21.00; good and choice fat calves 24.00-26.50; common and medium 16.50-23.00.

Hogs 200; butcher hogs 25-75 cents down; sows and pigs unchanged; good and choice butchers 190-240 pounds topped at 29.25; 150-180 pounds and 250-325 pounds 26.50-29.00; sows 22.00-25.00; feeder pigs 26.50 down.

Sheep 1,500; steady; 84 pound clipped Karakul Spring lambs 24.00; cull and common shorn ewes 8.50-9.25.

### Says Prices Not So Bad In Texas

WASHINGTON—(P)—A Texas nurse said Thursday she isn't bothered by the new installment plan curbs—she is heading for a Texas town where she expects things to be cheaper.

Mrs. A. J. Fischer told an Associated Press reporter: "Controls are just something I read about in the papers. If they bring prices down, I'm sure in favor of them. Anyway, I'm going back to my home in Victoria, Texas, soon and prices aren't so bad there."

### Crane Cub Scouts Plan Amarillo Trip

CRANE—The Crane Cub Scouts' dream of the year will become a reality Saturday, August 28 when they take off on a school bus for Boy's Ranch at Amarillo. They will return the following Monday.

Reservations have been made at an Amarillo hotel for 80 Cubs and 16 adults.

A number of Den Mothers and Cub workers will go with the boys. Oran C. Faircloth is Cubmaster; A. L. Hood is assistant, and R. H. Hester is District Cub Commissioner.

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### B&PW Club Enjoys Watermelon Party At Fromhold Home

The B&PW Club members were guests Thursday evening at a watermelon party at the home of Mrs. Mae Fromhold, 904 West Storey Street.

Hostesses were Flossie Vaughn, Nettie B. Messick, Laura Jesse, Glenyth Herring, Jack Harbison, Dick Looby and Clara Gabbert. After the watermelon was served, new members present were introduced. They were Gustava Easley, Evelyn Melear, Julia Pilon, Miri Hall, Della Cooper, Vera Storey, Ann Johnston, Hazel Lyles, Carroll Sanders and Martha Greene.

Guests also were introduced, after which the other club members introduced themselves. Games were played the remainder of the evening.

**Guest List**  
Present were Martha Greene, Neta Stovall, Anne Graham, Jessie K. Baker, Dick Looby, Iva Noyes, Olla Peck, Evelyn Melear, Ruth Donnell, Margaret Frances Barber, Winifred Estill, Della Cooper, Della Hammarford, Vera Bartine, Lillie Rose Meisner, Carroll Sanders, Flossie Vaughn, Calista Christian, Thekla L. Gardner, Audra Bel Chinghill, Tommie Smith, a guest, Daisy McDonald of San Bonita, Texas, Grace S. Wallace, Eleanor S. Luton, Miri Hall, Hazel Lyles, Gustava Easley, DeAlva Brewer, Sue M. Stimmus, Bee Arledge, Glenyth Herring, Cordelia Taylor, Nettie Johnson, Nettie B. Messick, Jack L. Harbison, Laura Smith Seif, Mae Fromhold, Clara Gabbert, Laura Jesse and Ima Joy McCoy.

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### Things to Come



Get a grip on yourselves, men. While Paris fashion designers secretly guard details of their fall styles, this is one of the "tendances" sketches they've issued, hinting of things to come. Designer Carven says this is the way the New Look is going.

### Armstrongs Return From Colorado Trip

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong have returned from a six-week vacation spent at Tineup and Glenwood Springs, Colo. They also spent a few days in Denver visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Setton.

Enroute home, they stopped to visit their son, Jimmie Armstrong, who is working this summer at the McAlpin Ranch near Walsenburg, Colo. They also saw Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Yeager of Midland, who are vacationing at the Brush Ranch near Walsenburg.

### Mrs. Ralph Browne Is Shower Honoree

CRANE—Mrs. Ralph Browne was the honoree at a layette shower Monday afternoon in the community hall when Mrs. O. O. Ervin, Mrs. W. H. Pettit, Mrs. F. O. Perkins, Mrs. O. D. Gaines, Mrs. R. W. Roberts and Mrs. L. D. Ervin were hostesses.

Pink, blue and white were stressed in the decorative theme, dominantly in flowers. Lace covered the gift and tea tables.

A wooden covered guest book was used at the register where Mrs. Pettit presided. The flowers were held in a stork-cradle vase. Approximately 90 guests called. Mrs. O. O. Ervin, and Mrs. D. L. Ervin were at the door. Mrs. Perkins assisted with the gifts.

Mrs. Roberts and Mrs. Gaines poured. The plate of cookies formed a table centerpiece, flanked by candelabra of white tapers. A crystal punch service was used.

**REGULAR LUNCHEON, BRIDGE MEET HELD BY LES CONVIVANTES**

Les Convivantes met Tuesday at the Ranch House for the regular bridge-luncheon. Mrs. G. S. Crawford and Mrs. Nugent Brasler were hostesses.

Mrs. David Chambers won the high score prize, Mrs. Crawford second high, and Mrs. Charles Snure the traveling prize.

Guests present were Mrs. Snure, Mrs. H. A. Lund, Mrs. Olin Prather and Mrs. Zay Kimberlin. Members present were Mrs. Chambers, Mrs. Crawford, Mrs. Brasler, Mrs. Clyde Davidson, Mrs. W. E. Lyle, Jr., Mrs. Jack M. Moore, Mrs. H. L. Huffman, Mrs. Norman Hoffman, Mrs. R. E. Morgan, Mrs. Clarence Symes and Mrs. Alvin L. Attaway.

### Dinner Party Given By Mr. and Mrs. Botts

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Botts, Andrews Highway, who are moving to Nowley, Mo., September 1, entertained a number of friends Wednesday with a dinner party.

Out of town guests were Mrs. Joe Keeton of Fort Worth, Mrs. Botts' mother; Mrs. Botts' sister, Mrs. Homa S. Hill, and children, Cleve Jo and Johnny, also of Fort Worth; and Mr. and Mrs. Edd Terrill of Odessa. Mrs. Terrill also is a sister of Mrs. Botts.

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### Flown From Trieste for Operation



Michael Shannon, 8 months, held by student nurse Margaret Stumpf in a Chicago hospital, was flown from Trieste for a "blue baby" operation. His father, Maj. Leland Shannon, of Wichita, Kan., is stationed in Trieste. The other children, Mary Lou Nicholson (in bed), of Decatur, Ill., and Julia Borden of Piedmont, Ala., underwent similar surgery.

### McCamey News

McCAMEY—The Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Mann and family attended Boy's Camp meeting at Fort Davis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence English had as their recent guests Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Garner and son of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Al F. Andrews and son, Charlie, left recently on the first lap of their two week's vacation.

The executive committee of the McCamey Parent-Teacher Association had a called meeting in the home of Mrs. James Gaddy recently, when plans were formulated for the program for the coming year. Those in attendance were Mrs. Leonard Schaefer, Mrs. Burt Williams, Mrs. Dee Locklin, Mrs. Robert Slagle, and the hostess.

Mrs. Ross Litz is entertaining her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Amos B. Grenmore, and their three children, of Sapulpa, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Forbes announce the arrival of a son, Terry Allen, Friday, August 13th, at Jal, N. M. He weighed 8 pounds, 4 ounces. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bud Teel of Jal, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Forbes of McCamey.

Miss Dolly Currie, formerly of McCamey and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Currie, Sr., of Fort Worth, was united in marriage to J. C. Locklin of Midland, Friday, August 13, in a double ring ceremony in Weatherford. They are to make their home in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Keffer and daughter, Mona Jean, left recently for the Panhandle of Texas and Colorado Springs, Colorado, on a two-weeks vacation.

W. D. Noel was in Tulsa on business Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Jim C. Langdon and son, Jim, are in San Angelo, where Jim is under medical treatment for a respiratory infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Langdon spent last weekend in Austin visiting friends. Both Mr. and Mrs. Langdon are former students at the University of Texas.

The Order of Eastern Star held a call meeting recently in the Masonic Hall for the purpose of initiation. Degrees were conferred upon Mrs. Johnnie Joyce Echols.

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### Funeral Services For R. E. Guyger Held Here

Funeral services for Ralph E. Guyger, 37, Midland oil well servicing firm employe who died early Thursday at his home, 1411 West College Street here, were held at 9 a. m. Friday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating.

Following the services here, the body was sent to Proctor, Texas, for interment late Friday afternoon.

Guyger was born Jan. 22, 1911, at Proctor, and came to Midland in 1938. He was a World War II veteran.

A graduate of Bangs High School, he also attended Howard Payne College at Brownwood and Texas Tech at Lubbock. He was married to Miss Buriyus McCollum in Midland Nov. 27, 1940.

Survivors include the widow; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Guyger of Proctor, and a brother, M. M. Guyger of Proctor.

### Coming Events

**SATURDAY**  
The regular Children's Story Hour will be held at 9:30 a. m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

**TO VISIT IN NEW YORK**  
Jimmie Kathryn Kendrick, a senior at Texas Tech, was here recently visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kendrick. Mrs. Kendrick will leave Friday for New York City, where she will visit her son-in-law and daughter, Captain and Mrs. Al Feldman.

### Police Seek Slayer Of Cleveland Woman

CLEVELAND—(P)—Police searched Friday for the slayer of Mrs. Mary Balynt, 21, who was found stabbed to death in her bedroom Thursday night.

Mrs. Mary Yuhas, 51, mother of Mrs. Balynt, and Margaret Balynt, 23, sister-in-law of the victim, also were stabbed by the man before he escaped through a rear door, detectives said.

Mrs. Yuhas and Margaret Balynt interrupted the man as he was plunging a long-bladed pocket knife into Mrs. Balynt, detectives reported, and the two older women were cut on the arms and hands before the slayer escaped.

**DAV ASKS INCREASE IN DISABILITY BENEFITS**

NEW YORK—(P)—The disabled American Veterans called Thursday for a 25 per cent increase in all pensions and compensation benefits to disabled veterans to meet increased living costs.

The proposal was made at the DAV's 27th national convention.

The Statue of Liberty was unveiled more than a half century ago.

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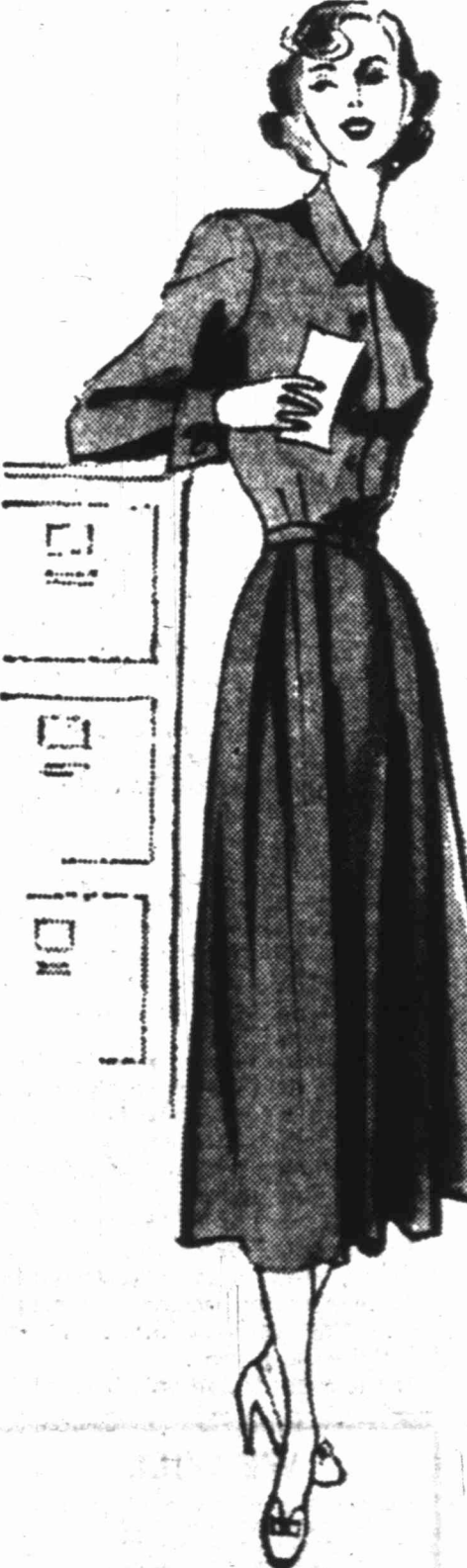
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More Facts Are Needed

The Thomas Committee's newest Communist investigation, with its sub-plot of the Mystery of the Russian School Teachers, has revealed a talent in some of our lawmakers that few of us had suspected. They're born showmen. It is clear, as this production unfolds, that beneath the facade of congressional dignity lurk the instincts of a P. T. Barnum.

The investigation has combined the absorbing mystery of Miss Hush and the Walking Man with the can't-let-it-alone appeal of a soap opera plot. New thrills and revelations are promised almost daily.

If one mystery man turns out to be rather prosaic and unmysterious, no matter. He becomes the bird dog who will lead us to another anonymous man of mystery who will tell all. If the blond menace doesn't turn out to be quite the glamorous Mata Hari that the barker outside promised, don't despair. Step into the next tent, folks, and for 25 cents more you'll really see something.

Thus far the targets of the investigation have been most helpful. By standing on their constitutional rights and refusing to answer almost all questions—including one as to whether a witness had ever visited Niagara Falls—they have kept the show almost constantly clear of the reefs of anti-climax. Thanks to their silence, the investigators have been able to continue their bright promises of revelation and dark hints of mystery.

Even when the committee is unable to come up with a star performer, we are regrettably informed that the missing act surely would have quickened the public pulse. Such was the case with Oksana Stepanovna Kosenkina, the Soviet schoolmarm. The committee was trying to book her when she muscled in on some publicity by being rescued or kidnapped by the White Russians and re-rescued or re-kidnaped by the Reds. Her "leap to freedom" from the Soviet consulate kept the suspense at fever pitch.

One committee member said she is ready and able to "talk about the whole Soviet system of world controls." That really would be something—if the committee could get its audience in a proper mood.

But first the audience would have had to believe that a middle-aged lady chemistry teacher from the world's most tightly controlled dictatorship really knew about "the whole Soviet system of world controls."

Perhaps the committeemen would be wise to sell the scenario of their investigation to the movies and bow out. Their promotion has been hotter than dog days in Washington and they've got themselves reams of front-page publicity. But behind the publicity is a serious and potentially dangerous situation involving national security. They haven't done much about that.

Their wisest move now might be to adjourn and start pasting their clippings in their scrapbooks. And their investigation might be continued, as has been suggested before, by a top-level, non-political group that would give the country more facts and less showmanship and ballyhoo.

Good Job If You Want It

At first thought it might seem as though President Einaudi of Italy is stepping into a pretty plush job, with an annual income of \$321,000, a house and a 10,000-acre hunting preserve. The President of the United States gets only \$75,000 and a traveling allowance of \$25,000, plus use of the 150-year-old White House. But it is going to take a lot of that \$321,000 to maintain the 1,000-room cottage in which the Einaudi family will rattle around. And there has to be enough left over to finance safaris to rescue members of the family who get lost enroute from bedroom to the breakfast table.

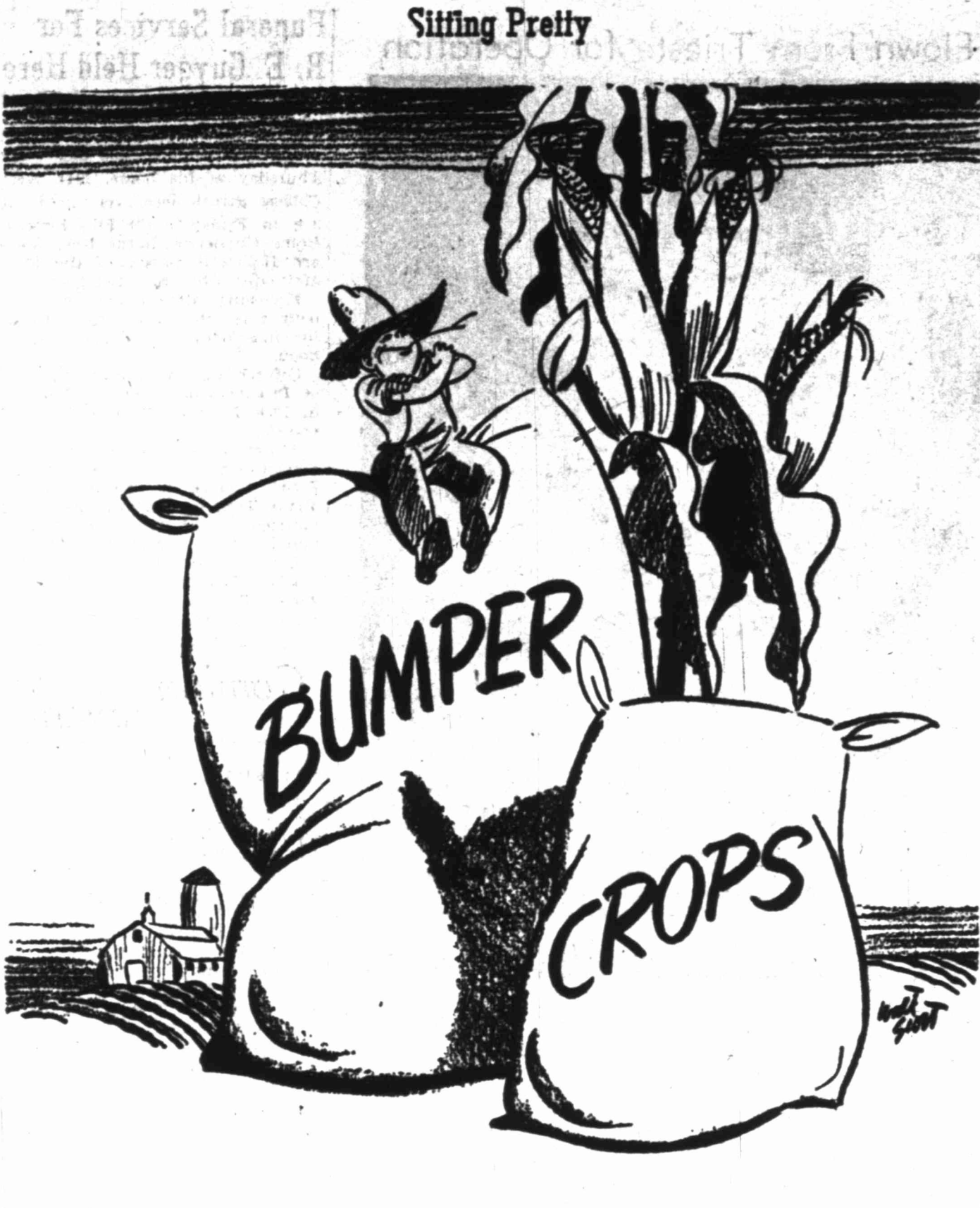
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Now, With Business Booming, Is Time To Reduce The Debt

By PETER EDSON  
 NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Most significant statement in President Truman's budget review, covering 80th Congress appropriations, is this:  
 "The public debt was reduced by \$6,000,000,000 in (the fiscal year ending June 30) 1948," he says. Then he adds: "Present estimates indicate that no further reduction in the public debt will be possible in 1949."

It's the last sentence that needs some worrying about. The national debt is now \$252,000,000,000. That is a reduction of \$26,000,000,000 from the peak of \$278,000,000,000, December, 1945. But, if there are to be no further reductions next year, there should be a full realization of just what that implies.

The public debt in 1919 was \$25,000,000,000—just 10 per cent of the present indebtedness. The debt was reduced to just under \$16,000,000,000 in 1930, but had risen to \$19,000,000,000 by 1933, when Franklin D. Roosevelt took office as President. The debt rose to \$37,000,000,000 at the end of FDR's first term and to \$47,000,000,000 by the end of his second term in 1940.

When the debt limit was raised to \$65,000,000,000 in 1941 and to \$125,000,000,000 in 1942, it was looked on as a terrible. But the handling of a debt twice this latter figure is now so good that nobody bothers about the burden of it. Logically, there should be five times as much yelling from the financial community over today's debt as there was in 1940 over a debt of less than \$50,000,000,000.

Best Debt-Reduction Time  
 The time to reduce the national debt is when business is booming and it is possible to collect high taxes. This has been Truman and Treasury policy since the end of the war.

If now that policy is to be changed, and the country is to go back to deficit financing, with government expenses greater than tax collections and nothing set aside for payment on the national debt, it will be difficult to get back into the debt-paying habit.

History also teaches that the time to pay off debts is when the dollar is inflated and money is easy, as they are today. If debt payment is to be postponed until the dollar is sounder and money is tighter, it will be all the harder to pay off. Let a little depression hit this country, and that \$252,000,000,000 debt may easily become unmanageable. The interest alone is over \$5,000,000,000 a year. If the country had only been smart

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Uncle Sam's SELECTIVE SERVICE

(One of a series of questions and answers on the second peacetime military training program. The information was prepared under the direction of Maj. Gen. K. L. Berry, Texas Director of Selective Service.)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Q—What is the purpose of the new Selective Service law?  
 A—To train a body of men capable of defending the nation and to select the men for this duty by the fairest method possible—registration of every man 18 through 25 years old, regardless of wealth, influence or social position. From this registration will be chosen those men 19 through 25 years of age who are deemed best fitted to receive 21 months of training.

Q—Is this the first peacetime draft?  
 A—No. The first was in 1940.

Q—How many men will be affected by the Selective Service law?  
 A—Military authorities estimate 9,600,000 men will be registered in the United States and its possessions. In Texas between 550,000 and 575,000 men are expected to register.

Q—Who administers the program?  
 A—President Truman has named Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey as national director of the Selective Service System. In each state the governor acts as co-ordinating head and names a state director. Gov. Beauford H. Jester has named Maj. Gen. K. L. Berry, state adjutant general, to hold this position in Texas.

Registration Dates  
 Q—When will the Selective Service law go into effect?  
 A—President Truman has issued a call for the registration of all men 18 through 25 years of age who are living in the U. S. and its possessions. Registration in Texas will take place on the following days: On August 30 persons born in 1922 after Aug. 30, 1922, will register; on September 8 and 9 persons born in 1926 will register; on September 10 and 11 persons born in 1927 will register; on September 13 and 14 persons born in 1928 will register; on September 15 and 16 persons born in 1929 will register; on September 17 and 18 persons born in 1930 before Sept. 19, 1930, will register. Persons born on the day they are 18 years old or within five days after they are 18.

Q—How long will the law be in effect?  
 A—Until June 24, 1950, unless sooner terminated by the two houses of Congress.

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By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.  
 Written for NEA Service

In recent years, treatment by physical means has proven of tremendous value in the rehabilitation of the sick and injured. Heat and cold influence the circulation, thus changing many functions of the body. Cold applications, which decrease the flow of blood through the blood vessels, are used to treat such conditions as injuries and sprains, in which there is danger of bleeding into the tissues. The use of light treatment, or ultra-violet rays, is, on the whole, in its infancy and it is still somewhat difficult to say definitely for which conditions it should be used and for which it has no value. Diathermy Used  
 The use of electricity in the treatment of disease is also complicated. Electricity, in the form of diathermy, is used to stimulate muscles and heal the deeper tissues. On the whole, diathermy appears to be the

most valuable form of electric treatment available today, but it should be avoided except when it is definitely indicated. Treatment with water may be either general or local. Hot or cold wet packs may be employed to relieve localized muscular aches or pains. Hot or cold baths are frequently used to stimulate the circulation. Swimming pools for victims of infantile paralysis have proved valuable in assisting damaged muscles.

Finally, massage, exercise and mechanical apparatus all have a useful place in physical medicine. Whichever is used of this type must be carefully adjusted to the individual needs of the patient, and depends on the disease or injury at which treatment is aimed.

Questions and Answers

Q—What are passquines?  
 A—They are anonymous publications, either printed or written or posted up, having for their object defamation of character or the turning of a person into ridicule. The statue of Pasquin in Rome is a famous place for placards of this description.

Q—In the theater, what is "upstage"?  
 A—It is that part of the stage farthest from the audience.

Q—Who are the Nibelungs?  
 A—The Nibelungs in German mythology were a race of dwarfs or demonic beings, the original possessors of the famous hoard and ring won by Siegfried. They are so called from their king's name, Nibelung.

Q—What is the origin of the saying, "Robbing Peter to pay Paul"?  
 A—This saying has its origin in the rivalry between St. Paul's Cathedral and St. Peter's Cathedral in London. In the early 18th century an appropriation was made from St. Peter's to make up a deficiency in the accounts of St. Paul's. This action met with great opposition from the people who said, "Why rob St. Peter to pay St. Paul?"

Q—Near what coast is there a longitude 0, latitude 0?  
 A—Near the coast of Africa.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.  
 QUESTION: What is the cause of recurring canker sores in the mouth?

ANSWER: There are several possible causes of canker sores. Some are believed to be due to low-grade infection, some to allergy and some possibly to vitamin deficiency.

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# Indians Top Oilers 7-6

The Midland Indians and the Odessa Oilers complete an important three-game series Friday night at Odessa. The winner Friday night will take the series as the count is knotted at one win each. Odessa is in second place in the Longhorn League standings and Midland is breathing on the neck of the Oiler entry.

The Tribe moves back home Saturday night to open a two-game series with the Improved Del Rio Cowboys. "Harold Webb Night" will be held Saturday. The second battle is carded Sunday afternoon.

ODESSA — Tony Fiorito, Indian shortstop, golf-clubbed a home run in the seventh inning Thursday night to break up a tight ball game and give Midland a win over Odessa 7-6.

The battle was a thriller-diller and vastly different from the previous evening when Odessa stomped Midland 25-6.

## Arrows --

Here are the fielding averages of the Midland Indians (not including Thursday night's game):

	O	A	E	FA
Prince	.929	.33	.21	.979
Van Hooser	.838	.18	.17	.979
Specht	.551	.48	.16	.974
Fiorito	.12	.17	.1	.967
Jakes	.297	.9	.13	.959
Nipp	.243	.14	.14	.948
Blair	.14	.41	.4	.932
Presley	.77	.20	.9	.915
Collins	.321	.294	.61	.910
Ferry	.196	.303	.53	.904
Nelson	.9	.9	.2	.900
Mellilo	.113	.271	.45	.895
Willenberg	.14	.20	.4	.895
Jones	.37	.4	.5	.891
Clay	.7	.33	.5	.889
Shepherd	.6	.0	.7	.887
Crisman	.5	.30	.7	.883
Guy	.0	.0	.0	.000

Odessa was hard to beat. The Oilers tied up the game three times. The score was knotted at 2-2, 3-3 and 6-6, before Midland eked out to win.

Leland Crisman, Tribe hurler, was wild and walked 10 Oilers but he had the stuff in the clutch. He struck out Leo Rheingans, heavy-hitting Oiler outfielder, twice with payoff runs on the sack. Odessa had 15 men left stranded on base.

Prince and Mellilo hit two doubles each for Midland. Presley got two safe knocks and drove in three runs. Every Indian hit safely except Clyde Perry, who returned to the lineup after an injury. He plugged the left field gap very nicely.

Knoblauch's loss. Herbie Pitts, full-blood Indian, started on the hill for Odessa. He went out in favor of Knoblauch in the fifth frame. The Oilers tied up the game in the sixth so it was Knoblauch's loss. Fiorito's homer did the damage.

The box score:

MIDLAND	AB	R	H	O	A
Collins, 2b	5	1	1	1	4
Jakes, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Fiorito, ss	4	1	1	0	2
Prince, 1b	5	3	2	1	0
Mellilo, 3b	4	1	2	1	2
Presley, rf	4	1	1	1	1
Ferry, lf	3	0	3	0	0
Jones, c	3	0	1	0	0
Crisman, p	4	0	1	0	3
Totals	35	7	11	27	11

ODESSA	AB	R	H	O	A
Rheingans, cf	5	0	2	2	0
Wells, 2b	3	0	0	0	0
Brinkopf, 3b	5	1	1	2	3
Martin, lf	5	1	1	2	0
Moody, rf	4	1	1	1	1
Kennedy, 1b	4	1	1	3	2
Fardus, 1b	3	2	3	8	2
Proulx, ss	3	0	1	2	2
Pitts, p	1	0	0	1	1
Knoblauch, p	2	0	0	1	3
*Grimes	1	0	1	0	0
*Faucett	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	6	10	27	14

Errors—Wells, Pitts. Runs batted in—Fiorito, Prince, Mellilo, Presley, 3; Rheingans, 2; Wells, Kennedy, Fardus, 2. Two base hits—Prince, 2; Mellilo, 2. Home run—Fiorito. Sacrifices—Fiorito, Pitts. Stolen bases—Rheingans, Wells. Left on bases—Midland 6, Odessa 13. Strikeouts—Crisman 8, Pitts 2, Knoblauch 1. Bases on balls—off Crisman 10; 10, Pitts 1, Knoblauch 3. Hits and runs off—Pitts 8 and 6 in 4 innings. Wild pitch—Knoblauch. Losing pitcher—Knoblauch. Umpires—Eilers and Snow. Time—2:23. Attendance—1,400.

**Oklahoman Wins Southpaw Golf Title**

FRENCH LICK, IND.—(AP)—Lodie Kempa of Stillwater, Okla., was national lefthanded golf champion Friday.

Kempa, student at Oklahoma A&M, won the title Thursday by outclassing Don Scott of Linworth, Ohio, 9 and 7.

Cookie Lavagetto and Al Glonfrido, two of the Brooklyn Dodger stars in the 1947 World Series, are playing for Oakland, Calif., and Montreal, respectively.

## Coming Through



Former Tulsa halfback J. R. Boone, 5 feet 9 inches, scoots through legs of 6 foot 10 inch lineman Ed Januszek at practice session of Chicago Bears. These men represent extremes in height at Col legeville, Ind., camp of National Football League team.

## SPORTSLANE

The world today is like a bunch of boys playing sandlot baseball. Everybody wants to pitch. Everybody wants to bat. And all at the same time. Nobody wants to pitch the ball for the others.

America is the good-natured big boy with most of the equipment. And he would treat the whole gang to ice cream sodas 'til the world looked level. He owns the ball and the bat; and most of the gloves. He likes fair play and wishes the other boys did. But he is afraid to trust any of them. One time the little boy Germany tried to make different rules. All look to him for decisions which will make the game so better.

Russia also is a big boy. This boy is powerful and is jealous of America. He would like to be the center of attraction. If he could just get hold of the ball and the bat and equipment, he would run the ball game. He would toss the smaller fellows about and make them play where he wished. He would bat all the time; that is, when he wasn't pitching. He is a bluff. He is not yet ready to challenge the boy America for the captainship with his fist but he threatens with his mouth.

—SL—

The boy Great Britain is the diplomat. He will make one concession to gain three. He used to own the equipment and make the rules. Why, once he owned the boy America who now owns the ball and bat. He would influence the young giant he once owned. If he gets in a scrap with any of the boys—the yell for young giant America to help him. He says "America, if you do not fight my battles, we all lose." He is sort of the buffer between America and the boys because they come from his neighborhood.

The boy France once was a great player but he is now much covered. He is hungry and weak from many scraps on the diamond of the world. He is easily swayed by whichever boy seems most powerful. He has been invaded by good and bad thoughts as to which side he is on. He has no voice in the game but leans toward the power.

The boy Italy fell in with the boy Germany when he tried to change the rules and take over. He is trying to regain strength from that and the boy America treats him pretty good, so he is for the boy America. He dreams of once-great power in the game but now is more concerned with the ice cream boy America will treat him to and fill his stomach.

The boys Germany and Japan are not allowed in the game. The other boys are trying to decide their punishment for interrupting the game and trying to change it. These boys grab for the scraps of candy that the boy America will give them. "You gotta feed us, we are your problem," they yell.

—SL—

The boys Czechoslovakia, Austria, Greece, Holland, Sweden, Norway, Finland, and on and on, look in wide-eyed admiration at the strong boy America. He has the ball as far as they are concerned and can do what he wishes. He will say if they can play or not. The strong boy Russia has been angling for some of their support.

"Look fellows, we could get this giant American down and then look what we could do—play ball any way we wanted," says the shrewd boy Russia.

Over on another side of the sandlot are future great ball players—India, Mexico, Argentina. Will they ever become a power in the game? Who knows? They need good coaching.

Anyway, all is confusion after the boy Germany's try to change the rules. And at this point, the strong boy America should clamp down and say "Look fellows, let's play ball and fair, if anybody thinks differently he can answer to me."

The boy Russia sneaks of too the side behind his "iron curtain." Is he plotting or plotting?

## Area Fighters Exhibit Wares In TAAF Meet

FORT WORTH.—(AP)—The Texas Amateur Athletic Federation boxing tournament goes through the half-way point here Friday night.

Wallace Willard, who won the welterweight title last year, made an impressive middleweight debut in Thursday night's tournament-opening bouts with a first-round TKO over Tom Jones of Odessa.

Jack Lawrence of Fort Worth, Billy Burkhardt of Fort Worth, and Pete Gil of Austin were outstanding welterweights.

Harold Kilman, 202, TCU football player last fall, made a successful start toward defending his heavyweight title by beating tough Steven Lopez, 218-pounder from Austin.

Other results included: Bantamweights—James Fowler, 117, Odessa, defeated Richard Garnica, 119, Dallas (3); Henry Leura, 116, Houston, scored TKO over James Cupp, 119, Sweetwater (1). Featherweights: Robert Holden, 126, Odessa, defeated Raymond Mental, 123, Dallas (3). Lightweight: Winston Lackey, 134, Odessa, scored TKO over Bud Wortham, 132, Sweetwater (1). Welterweights: Jack Lawrence, Fort Worth, outpointed Lou Mend, 146, Odessa (3); Billy Burkhardt, 146, Fort Worth, outpointed Ray Cruz, 140, San Angelo, (3); Pete Gil, 148, Austin, knocked out Coy Moore, 145, Sweetwater (1). Middleweights: Gene Deas, 159, San Angelo, scored TKO (cut eye) over Wayne Hayes, 150, Cisco (2). Light-heavyweights: John Willingham, 174, Cleburne, scored TKO over Jack Schnopp, 164, Sweetwater (1).

## Sports

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## 100,000 To See All-Star Grid Battle

CHICAGO.—(AP)—The annual Lake-Front Football Pageant will be on display in Soldier Field Friday night when the College All-Stars meet the champion Chicago Cardinals in the fifteenth annual game of the series.

A crowd of 100,000 or more is expected to watch the collegians attempt to make it three victories in a row over the professional champions. Last year the Stars defeated the Chicago Bears 16 to 0, while in 1946 they blanked the Los Angeles Rams by the same score.

The National Football League champions, however, hold the edge in the series with seven victories, five defeats and two ties. Friday night marks the first appearance of Coach Jimmy Conzelman's Chicago Cardinals in the pre-season football spectacle.

Notre Dame's Frank Leahy, coach of the All-Star Squad for the second consecutive year, will aim a twin offensive at the Cardinals in the form of a T-formation unit led by Notre Dame's Johnny Lujack and a single wing combination spearheaded by Charlie Conerly, Mississippi's great passer. On the single wing side also will be such expert passers as Bob Chappuis, Michigan; Herman Wedemeyer, St. Mary's; and Edward Yerges, also of Michigan.

The college squad of 71 players numbers 14 men from last season's undefeated Notre Dame squad. Michigan placed nine men.

The collegians are expected to fill the air with passes. Included among the squad's talented receivers are Bob Mann and Len Ford of Michigan; Bill Swiacki, Columbia; Tom Fears, UCLA, and Paul Cleary of Southern California.

## The STANDINGS

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Longhorn League

MIDLAND 7, ODESSA 6  
Sweetwater 11, Big Spring 10  
Vernon 11, Del Rio 2  
San Angelo 11, Ballinger 3  
West Texas-New Mexico League  
Lubbock 6, Albuquerque 4  
Amarillo 16, Lamesa 11  
Pampa 9, Clovis 7  
Ablene 9, Borger 5

Texas League

Fort Worth 14, Beaumont 1  
Houston 3, Tulsa 2  
San Antonio 2, Oklahoma City 1  
Shreveport 4, Dallas 0

National League

St. Louis 4, Cincinnati 0  
Pittsburgh 2, Chicago 1  
Boston at New York, rain  
(Only games scheduled).

American League

Philadelphia 10, Boston 3  
New York 8, Washington 1  
(Only games scheduled).

FRIDAY'S STANDINGS

Longhorn League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Big Spring	7	6	.538
Odessa	6	8	.431
MIDLAND	6	6	.500
Vernon	6	5	.545
Ballinger	6	5	.545
Sweetwater	5	6	.455
San Antonio	5	6	.455
Del Rio	3	5	.385

West Texas-New Mexico League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Albuquerque	7	4	.636
Amarillo	7	0	.875
Lubbock	6	3	.667
Pampa	6	3	.667
Ablene	5	6	.455
Borger	5	6	.455
Clovis	5	1	.833
Lamesa	4	1	.800

Texas League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Fort Worth	7	0	.875
Tulsa	7	0	.875
Houston	7	1	.875
San Antonio	6	5	.545
Shreveport	6	5	.545
Dallas	5	7	.417
Oklahoma City	5	7	.417
Beaumont	5	7	.417

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	6	3	.667
Brooklyn	6	0	.875
St. Louis	6	0	.875
Pittsburgh	5	0	.833
New York	5	0	.833
Philadelphia	5	0	.833
Cincinnati	4	7	.364
Chicago	4	7	.364

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	6	2	.750
Philadelphia	6	2	.750
Boston	6	2	.750
New York	6	2	.750
Detroit	5	3	.625
St. Louis	4	6	.400
Washington	4	6	.400
Chicago	3	7	.300

## Major Leagues— Brecheen Beats Daytime Jinx To Blank Reds

By JOE REICHLER

Associated Press Sports Writer

Now that Harry (The Cat) Brecheen has demonstrated he can puzzle the hitters during the daytime as well as at night, the St. Louis Cardinals' ace hurler appears a cinch to realize his ambition to become a 20-game winner.

For years the slender 33-year-old southpaw from Ada, Okla., has been known as a whiz at night, but no more than a good pitcher under the sunlight.

Now the daytime jinx seems to be conquered. Brecheen pitched one of his best games of the year Thursday, shutting out the Cincinnati Reds on four scattered hits 4-0.

It was his fourth victory against two losses in day games and his fifteenth triumph of the year. He has won 11 and lost two at night.

The triumph pushed the three-place Cardinals within two games of the leading Boston Braves.

Rip Sewell hurled his fifth victory of the season over the Chicago Cubs as the fourth-place Pittsburgh Pirates prevailed 2-1.

The Philadelphia Athletics regained second place in the American League race, turning back the Boston Red Sox 10-3. They now trail the pace-setting Cleveland Indians by two and a half games.

Allie Reynolds held the Washington Senators to five hits in pitching the fourth-place New York Yankees to an easy 8-1 victory.

A scheduled game between the Braves and Giants at New York was postponed by rain. All remaining teams were idle.

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## Webb Night Ducats Are Available

"Harold Webb Night" tickets are on sale at several points in Midland: the Chamber of Commerce office, Smith's Men Store, Carleton & Brumbelow, Basin Supply and Melvin Haney's service station (Bumble).

Fans are urged to buy these tickets before the event Saturday night. A full stand is the desire of the sponsors as one of the best compliments to pay Webb.

"Harold Webb Night" will be held at Indian Park. A pre-game ceremony honoring Webb will be held at home plate at 8:15 p. m. This will immediately precede the Midland-Del Rio game.

This special night honoring the popular manager of the Indians is sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce because Harold Webb brought baseball to Midland on a business-like basis and has fielded good teams. It is designated as one night set aside to pay tribute to the colorful Midland Indian manager.

The event was begun last season and probably will become an annual observance.

There is no advance in ticket prices for the special night.

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# Housing Act Is Program For 'Average Man'

By STERLING F. GREEN  
WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Housing Act is an "average man" program. It doesn't try to reach the lowest-income families by public housing. Nor will it build any expensive dream houses.

But in thousands of words and with millions of dollars, the new act seeks to get decent homes built, both for sale and for rent, that the ordinary citizen can afford.

By prewar standards they will not be cheap. But at least they may be available.

There are three major lines of attack:

1. To provide more financing help for the small-home buyer. When the government insures his mortgage, the little fellow becomes a better risk.
2. To cut the basic cost of houses. Mainly, this means to bring out more pre-fabs and mass-built dwellings.
3. To encourage more rental housing, so that the family of modest means won't be forced to buy something it can't afford just to get a shelter.

**Mass Production Stressed**  
This article will lead with points two and three—with getting the cheaper houses and apartments built.

First, basic cost. The government can't do much about the house put together with hammer, saw and bricks.

So the emphasis shifts to the mass-producer. He becomes eligible for Federal Housing Administration aid—the same sort of FHA mortgage insurance familiar to home-buyers.

If a pre-fab maker needs money to get into mass production, the government will insure up to 90 percent of his loan at a bank.

The dealer also gets help. If he needs money, the government will insure his notes to the bank for six months.

The dealer can then borrow the money to buy a house from the factory. He sells it to you. Then he pays off the bank.

Next, the law encourages big-scale developers—the builders who put up 25 or more single-family houses at once. Houses valued at up to \$7,500 qualify for help.

Until now, only a well-heeled contractor had the money to tie up in such a development.

Here the limit of federal aid is 80 percent, with a top of \$8,000. That, in effect, puts a \$7,500 limit on the value of each dwelling, under FHA valuation.

The builder conceivably could ask more from the buyer. But the buyer, would know it is a \$7,500 house and that other builders offer it at that price. He isn't likely to be charged more.

As for rental housing: Here the government not only can give financial aid to get apartment projects built but, as a condition of that aid, also can regulate the rent to be charged.

Too, it can and does take care of families with children. A landlord who discriminates against them can be fined \$500.

# Air Force Cadet Procurers In Area

Midlanders are reminded that an Air Force Aviation Cadet Procurement Board will be at the Big Spring recruiting station August 24 and 25.

Advance representatives of the board are Lt. Col. D. K. Lyster, Jr., and Major Julian Dendy, Jr. The placement team includes Major George Owens and 1st Lt. Arlo Pasenhofer.

Recruiting sergeant Ted Dykes of Midland can give information regarding the program. His office is on the third floor of the Midland County Courthouse.

# Lyndon Johnson Says Stevenson Stalls, Dodges

FORT WORTH — (AP) — Lyndon Johnson, who says money is being spent like water to defeat him in the U. S. Senate race, turned his course Friday to Southeast Texas.

After a mid-day radio speech here, he said he would make afternoon stops in Kilgore and Gladewater, enroute to Longview for a night rally.

Johnson made two speeches here Thursday and issued a statement saying his opposition is "spending money like water to raise a smoke screen and divert attention from the real issues."

Johnson called his opponent, Coke Stevenson, "the granddaddy of all mudslingers."

In a radio broadcast, he accused Stevenson of "stalling, dodging and pussyfooting," and said, "Thousands of those who supported him in the first primary are leaving him in disgust."

Johnson's night speech was a "non-political" discussion of air power before members of the Fort Worth Chapter of the Air Reserve Association. He said the future of U. S. air power lies more with civilians than with military men.

**Charges Labor Slush Fund**  
Johnson told reporters during an afternoon conference that the figures from "the high-priced advertisements in newspapers, the large billboard ads, and the smear sheets, reveal that the black bag of the labor bosses has finally arrived from the North to swell the slush fund being spent to purge Lyndon Johnson."

The congressman said Stevenson should answer one question for the voters:

"Is the Taft-Hartley Labor Law, which curbs the Communist labor bosses, good or bad?"

"I would not be surprised," he said in his radio speech, "if before the end of this fight, my opponent jumps on the band wagon and comes out and says he is now for the Taft-Hartley Bill—lock, stock, and barrel."

"But he has waited too long, he has calculated too long, he has cooled his coffee too much to get by with any such statement."

First recorded instance of a photograph being taken from an airplane was at Genoa, Italy. Orville Wright snapped the picture.

# 1,316 Vets' Housing Complaints On File

DALLAS — (AP) — Veterans' complaints about 1,316 housing units in the Southeast are on file here with the regional compliance directors of the Office of the Housing Expediter.

Compliance Director Perry N. Moore said most of the complaints are from Dallas, St. Louis, Houston, Denver, Fort Smith, Ark., and New Orleans—the six cities where the building program is the largest.

Moore said his office is taking complaints on grounds of side payments or overvaluing sales, deviation from specifications, and faulty construction.

Largest conical prehistoric Indian burial mound is located at Moundsville, W. Va.

# Perryton To Choose Nation's 'Wheatearl'

PERRYTON, TEXAS — (AP) — The nation's "Wheatearl" will be selected here Saturday.

If you think that's corny, don't let it chaff you. Shuck it, it's wheat and the 29th anniversary of this

Learn That Son Is Real Cowboy  
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bissell of Midland were notified of their son's entry in the bronc riding contests of the recent Western Gateway Rodeo at Newcastle, Wyo.

North Plains wheat center that are being honored.

Twenty-nine candidates from Texas Panhandle, Oklahoma and Kansas towns will try to reap the glory of the title. It may be quite a shock to the ones who lose.

The two-day celebration got underway Friday.

The girls will appear before the judges at the climax of a parade Saturday.

A free barbecue will be served at noon Saturday. Ochiltree County farmers and stockmen have contributed enough beef and mutton to serve 15,000 people.

That ain't hay.

The horned toad uses its plow-shaped head to bore his way into the soft sand whenever he wishes to hide.

## Church Calendar

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
510 South Baird Street  
Rev. Earl Rice, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.: Preaching service.  
6:15 p. m.: Christ's Ambassadors.  
7:30 p. m.: Evangelistic services.  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. m.: Midweek services.

**SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
719 South Baird Street  
J. V. Davis, Minister  
8:45 a. m. KORS radio broadcast.  
10:30 a. m. Morning Worship.  
7:30 p. m. Young People's Study.  
8:00 p. m. Evening Worship.  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m. Bible Study.  
Thursday  
2:30 p. m. Ladies' Bible Class.

**FIRST FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
1000 South Minneola Street  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
8:00 p. m. Evening Service.  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting.

**FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**  
Rev. E. Matthew Lym, Pastor  
Services scheduled temporarily in West Elementary School  
2100 West Missouri Street  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship when Dr. L. Ross Lynn will speak on "Religion in the Home."  
8:00 p. m. The Presbyterian Youth Fellowship will meet at 1011 West Illinois Street. Walter Rubie will be the leader.

**PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE**  
600 South Colorado Street  
O. W. Roberts, Pastor  
11:00 a. m.: Preaching.  
7:45 p. m.: Preaching.  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m.: Bible Study.  
Thursday  
8:00 p. m.: Preaching.

**ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC**  
Father Frank Triggs, Pastor  
Rev. Raymond Miller, O.M.I., Associate Pastor  
7:00 a. m.: Mass with the sermon conducted in English.  
8:30 a. m.: Mass with the sermon conducted in Spanish.  
10:00 a. m.: Mass with the sermon conducted in English.  
7:00 p. m.: Rosary and Novena.

**TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Fort Worth and Tennessee  
Rev. C. B. Hedges, Pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
7:30 p. m. Evening Worship.

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Corner North A and Tennessee  
J. Woodie Holden, Evangelist  
Sunday  
10:00 a. m.: Bible Study.  
10:50 a. m.: Preaching and Communion.  
8:40 p. m.: Young People's Service.  
7:30 p. m.: Preaching.  
Monday  
7:30 p. m.: Men's Meeting.  
Tuesday  
8:00 p. m.: Ladies' Bible Class.  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. m.: Midweek prayer service.

**TERMINAL BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Building T-1, Air Terminal  
Rev. Curtis Rogers, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School  
11:00 a. m.: Church Service  
8:30 p. m.: Training Union.  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship.  
Wednesday  
7:30 p. m.: Prayer Meeting.

**FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH**  
Lorraine and Illinois Streets  
Rev. Clyde Lindsay, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship with a sermon by the pastor.  
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship with a sermon by the pastor.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH**  
Rev. C. A. Holt  
West Pennsylvania and Lorraine  
Saturday Services:  
10:00 a. m.: Sabbath School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning service meeting.

**GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Wall and J Streets  
Rev. G. Becken, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Devine Worship.

**THE HOLINESS MISSION**  
East Pennsylvania and South Terrell  
R. S. Jones, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.: Preaching.  
7:45 p. m.: Evening service.  
Tuesday  
8:00 p. m.: Young People's Meeting.  
Thursday  
8:00 p. m.: Prayer Meeting.

**TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH**  
H and Illinois Streets  
Rev. E. J. Snell, Rector  
9:30 a. m.: Church School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning prayer and sermon.

**COTTON FLAT BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Rankin Highway  
Rev. Bob Campbell, Pastor  
10:30 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:30 a. m.: Morning Service.  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Service

**PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Garden City Road at City Limits  
Elder B. R. Browne, Big Spring, Pastor  
Regular services at 11 o'clock on second and fourth Sunday mornings. Services at 11 a. m. on second Saturdays.

**MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION**  
Washington and Midland Streets  
Rev. S. Lara, Pastor

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY**  
Private Dining Room  
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8:00 p. m. Second Wednesday evening.  
SATURDAY  
11:30 a. m. Radio program.  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. Church service and the Lesson-Sermon, "Mind."

The Golden Text is: "The Lord giveth wisdom; out of his mouth cometh knowledge and understanding" (Proverbs 2:6).  
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct him? But we have the mind of Christ (1 Corinthians 2:16).  
The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Infinite Mind is the creator, and creation is the infinite image or idea emanating from this Mind" (page 256).

**GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Route 1, Midland  
Rev. Lee Bailey, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship.  
7:30 p. m.: Training Union.  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m.: Midweek prayer service.

**CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE**  
Indiana and Big Spring Streets  
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship.  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship.  
Wednesday  
8:00 p. m.: Prayer service.

**CHURCH OF GOD**  
200 South Dallas Street  
Rev. R. D. Ashcraft, Minister  
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship.  
7:45 p. m.: Evangelistic service.  
Wednesday  
7:45 p. m.: Young People's service.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
1001 South Main Street  
Rev. A. L. Teaff, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship with a sermon by the pastor.  
7:00 p. m.: Training Union.  
8:00 p. m.: Evening Worship with a sermon by the pastor.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Main Street and Illinois  
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:55 a. m. Morning Worship with the pastor preaching the revival sermon.  
8:45 p. m. Training unions meet.  
8:00 p. m. Evening services and revival sermon by the pastor.

**ABSBURY METHODIST CHURCH**  
712 South Colorado  
Rev. J. Lemuel Hester, Pastor  
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.  
10:50 a. m.: Morning Worship with a sermon by the pastor.  
7:00 p. m.: M.Y.P.  
8:00 p. m.: Evening Worship with a sermon by the pastor.

**FIRST METHODIST CHURCH**  
209 North Main Street  
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School.  
10:50 a. m. Morning Worship when the pastor will speak on "Religion Under Difficulties."  
7:00 p. m. M.Y.P.  
7:00 p. m. Evening worship with a sermon by the pastor.

**BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH**  
712 South Colorado Street  
Ernest Westman, Minister  
10:00 a. m.: Bible School.  
11:00 a. m.: Morning Worship.  
4:30 p. m.: Radio program.  
7:30 p. m.: Evening Worship.

# Elementary, my dear Watson...



The clues point—unquestionably—to my own Mama and Daddy. And the victim, Watson... it looks as though I am doomed to be the victim.

No... there is no evidence of foul play... just CRIMINAL NEGLIGENCE!

You see, my dear Watson, I am approaching the age when a young fellow ought to begin attending Sunday School. But my parents haven't made any plans for my religious training!

Surprising? Not at all; an inevitable consequence. My parents, Watson, have not been giving sufficient thought to their own spiritual needs.

Ah, but there is still time to prevent the crime! We will warn my parents by noting our deductions here in the newspaper.

And then, Watson, we may jolly well be certain that my parents' affection for me will make apparent to them the only sensible solution.

See you in Sunday School, Watson!

**THE CHURCH FOR ALL... ALL FOR THE CHURCH**  
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Sunday	Matthew 5:13-17
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Wednesday	Matthew 5:13-17
Thursday	Matthew 5:13-17
Friday	Matthew 5:13-17
Saturday	Matthew 5:13-17

If you desire a schedule of readings for the year write to American Bible Society, Dept. U, 450 Park Ave., N. Y. 22, N. Y.

## Crane News

**CRANE**—Mrs. Mattie McCorkle of Shreveport, La., is visiting her son, George McCorkle, at the Gulf Camp. She also is visiting her daughters, Mrs. J. F. Wallender and Mrs. E. C. Wallender.

Other guests in the McCorkle home are Barbara June Wallace of Seminole and Jaapen McCorkle of Fort Worth.

Billy Rhea Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Wright of Crane, was married last Saturday afternoon to Mary Jo Burr of Midland in the Midland Methodist Church. The couple is on a wedding trip to Denver, Colo.

Bobby Strain of Indian Gap is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Lou Strain, of Crane.

The Rev. H. D. Christian, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is conducting a revival at Friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Jones were in Sweetwater Tuesday to attend funeral services for the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Palmer of Eastland. Mrs. Palmer and Mrs. Jones are sisters.

**Vacation Trip**  
Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Hoenehs left Monday on a vacation trip.

Bill Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Johnson of the Gulf Camp, underwent surgery recently in a Midland hospital.

Mrs. O. W. Mitchell and sons of Austin are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Tomlinson and David flew to San Angelo Sunday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McGuffin.

Mrs. S. M. Adams and daughter, Angie Lou, of Lorraine were recent visitors in the F. F. and G. W. Adams homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Grimes are the parents of a son born at 7:45 a. m. Wednesday. He weighed seven pounds. Mrs. Grimes is the former Mary Nell Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen of the Humble Camp. The baby's paternal grandparents are residents of the Gulf Camp.

The Rebekah Lodge held its regular meeting Tuesday night. Next Tuesday night the Rebekahs plan to practice initiation. Mrs. Clyde Orr is noble grand and Mrs. Bud Horn, vice grand.

A special Crane guest this week is Dorothy Harper, 16, from the Waco Orphanage. She arrived here Friday in company of the Methodist pastor, the Rev. J. M. Whitestone, and family, who were in Waco on business last week. Dorothy is the "adopted daughter" of the L. & S. Sunday School Class of the Methodist Church.

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# TRYST

By Elswyth Thane

SABRINA had never picked a lock in her life, but it was done every day in books. She tiptoed along the carpeted upper passage and whisked round the corner to the second flight of stairs leading to the top floor of the house. Gripped tightly in one hand she carried her burglar tools—hall-scissors with curved points, a button-hook, and some wire thinpins stolen from Aunt Effie's dressing-table.



She climbed the stairs stealthily, step by step, and the fine old oak never creaked once under her scant 90 pounds. Sabrina at 17 had lost her baby fat, but she was not yet begun, as Aunt Effie was fond of remarking, to fill out.

At the top of the stairs she stopped to listen, bending perilously double over the bannisters. Not a sound from below. They would think she was reading in her room, which was only natural because it was raining. She was free, reasonably so, till tea time. With a long-drawn breath she faced the locked door, dropped to her knees in front of the keyhole, and set to work.

She bent the hairpins in various ways, patiently. She tried the button-hook from all angles. She tried both hairpin and button-hook together. Nothing happened at all, and the small scraping noises she made seemed to reverberate through the tranquil silence of the house. Just as she was about to give up, the hairpin caught and lodged. She exerted cautious pressure with the button-hook. Something clicked. She had done it. The lock had turned.

She knelt there, staring at the door, wide-eyed and shaken. The first thing that occurred to her was that now she could never get it locked again. And then she didn't care, for the knob turned easily under her hand, and the door moved two inches inward. The crack went on widening before her fascinated gaze until, still kneeling, she beheld the forbidden room. With a quick glance behind her at the empty stairs, she snatched up her tools and got to her feet—stepped across the threshold swiftly and closed the door, shutting herself inside.

THE day they had arrived to take possession of the house, a month ago at the end of March, Sabrina on her early explorations had run up the last flight of stairs because there was that closed door at the top and she naturally wondered what was behind it. To her surprise, when she laid her hand on the knob the door would not open.

A locked room. How mysterious. Sabrina at once tried to see through the keyhole, but Aunt Effie called to her from below and told her to come away. There was something in the lease about their not having the use of that room, she said.

Sabrina was asking excited questions over the bannisters such as Why not, and What was in it, and Whose room was it, when she became aware of the housekeeper—a dour middle-aged woman who went with the house, like the furniture, when you let it—standing at the bottom of the stairs looking up at her. Somehow at sight of the woman's still, watchful face the questions died on Sabrina's lips and she came back down the stairs, one foot slowly at a time, towards where Mrs. Pilton stood. And as she reached the bottom—

"That room is kept locked when he's not at home," said Mrs. Pilton in her quiet country voice, and she turned without smiling and went away down the back stairs toward the kitchen.

After that, Sabrina had gone round calling it the Bluebeard Chamber until Father heard and said Nonsense, and explained irritably that the locked room merely belonged to one of the sons who

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was not available to clear out his possessions from the cupboards and drawers and empty the place for the use of a tenant.

FATHER had retired that winter from his professorship in London, in order to write a book about prehistoric England and those of its inhabitants who were responsible for the long barrows, and the mysterious hilltop camps, and the stone circles. The Mendip Hills and surrounding country abound in barrows and stones and ancient mines and encampments, and Father's intention was to live amongst them while he wrote, making excursions by car to neighboring sites when he felt like it, or when the weather was particularly fine, or his desk work palled, or his womenfolk obtruded themselves too much on his notice. Having been without a wife ever since Sabrina was born, Father was not well broken in as regards womenfolk. Aunt Effie and Sabrina bored him, and kept out of his way as much as possible, which only spoiled him. But Aunt Effie, who had never been married, believed that all men were pretty much alike. Unless, of course, they were Rakes, she would add. Father wasn't a Rake.

Sabrina's ideas of life were necessarily, in these circumstances, rather constricted, and her experience, compared to that of most girls of her enlightened generation, was calamitously small. Once she had been sent to a fashionable school in Sussex. To Sabrina, an only child accustomed either to solitude or to adult society, it was a captivity full of horror.

She could not fit in, she did everything out of turn, she was stricken dumb in the classrooms, and failed miserably at games. Every now and then she cried herself sick and begged to go home. Eventually Aunt Effie came and took Sabrina away—when a new term had just been paid for, too—and there was another governess. But governesses, said Aunt Effie, were not what they had been in her day.

THE governess was let go when they came to Nuns Farthing, as it would soon be Easter anyhow, and time for a holiday. They had never lived in the country before, because Father needed to

be near the British Museum Reading-Room and the University, but in her youth Aunt Effie had been a fervid gardener, and Sabrina was hoping to own a kitten. She did not want a dog, on account of Aunt Effie's Bella, a jealous barrel-shaped fox terrier who got older and crosser and fatter each year, and who in Aunt Effie's eyes could do no wrong.

It was typical of the way Father did things that neither Aunt Effie nor Sabrina had seen the house before they arrived from London prepared to stay in it for an indefinite period of time. "I have taken a house in the Mendip Hills," said Father one night in London at the end of dinner. "Not far from Dolebury Camp," he added, as though that explained everything.

"Well, really, Alan, you might have told me! That is, I'd like to have known!" Aunt Effie remonstrated.

Father looked at her patiently over his spectacles and pointed out with great reasonableness that she knew now.

"Has it got a garden?" she demanded at once.

Father said Yes, he believed things grew.

"And has it got bathrooms?" persisted Aunt Effie in the order of their importance.

He set down his after-dinner coffee cup with a small irritable clink.

"My dear Effie," he said, for she was after all his own sister, "there is no reason for you to suppose that I would take a lease on Dolebury Camp itself for a home. The house has three bathrooms, and is otherwise adequately furnished. It is called Nuns Farthing. And don't ask me why," he continued hastily as both their mouths came open, "because I don't know. Wells is the nearest town of any size. I shall be able to use the museum there."

He rose then, and left them, disappearing behind the closed door of his den.

"Men!" said Aunt Effie hopelessly, to the astonished air.

Sabrina was delighted, and began at once to pack.

## McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY  
America's Card Authority

Today's hand was sent to me by Henry Auslander of Pittsburgh, Pa., who is one of the outstanding rubber bridge players of the middle west.

Auslander (South) won the opening lead of the jack of spades with the queen. In order to guard against a four-one break in trumps, he led a small club toward dummy. West played low and

♠ A432	♥ QJ32	♦ Q108	♣ J9
♠ J109	♥ K97	♦ K86	♣ Q1054
♠ 8754	♥ 8654	♦ 75432	♣ 3
Dealer			
♠ KQ6	♥ A10	♦ AJ	♣ AK8762
Rubber—Neither vul.			
South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	1 ♠	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 N.T.	Pass	5 ♣	Pass
6 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass
Opening—♠ J			

dummy's jack held the trick. Auslander then cashed the two high clubs and led a small club, throwing West in the lead.

He knew that one of the two kings was off-side, and to avoid having to guess which one it was, he hoped they were both off-side, knowing that he could develop a squeeze. When West returned the ten of spades, Auslander won with the king and cashed the ace of diamonds. Now he cashed two more rounds of clubs, discarding a diamond and all but the last heart from dummy. The six of spades was led to dummy's ace, and when both East and West followed, dummy's last spade was led, declarer discarding the jack of diamonds.

West was in a tight squeeze. He had to keep the king of diamonds, as otherwise dummy's queen would be good. This meant that he had to bare down to the king of hearts and king of diamonds. Then all Auslander had to do was to lead a heart from dummy and go up with the ace. When the blank king fell, declarer cashed the ten of hearts for the 12th trick.

### CARLSON BACK FROM PECOS AIR HEARING

Jim C. Carlson, station manager for Continental Air Lines here, returned Thursday from El Paso, where he attended a Civil Aeronautics Board hearing on the applications of Continental, Pioneer and Trans-Texas airlines to serve Pecos. Although a CAB decision will not be announced until later, Carlson said the chances of Continental's application being approved are most favorable.

### Insurance—Your Silent Partner

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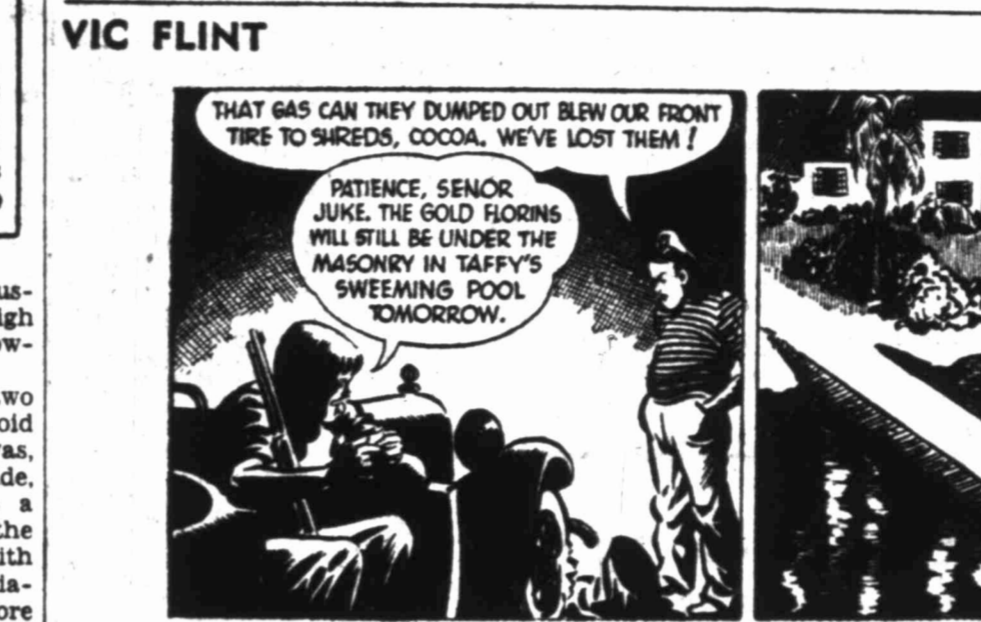
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NOT A BAD DAY FOR OLD SKEE HOOPLE... THEN I GOT OLD BILLY THE KID ALL SEWED UP FOR A SIDESHOW!... LIM! HOW ABOUT A LITTLE SHELL GAME WITH THE SHOW?



IT SEEMS TO JAM IN HERE, BUT I GUESS MACHINES WEREN'T SO COMPLICATED WHEN YOU WORKED AT IT. WERE THEY? NICE WAY OF TELLING 'TH' OLD BOY THAT HE CAME UP WHEN YOU DIDN'T NEED TO KNOW MUCH! YOU DID 'TH' SAME WORK WITH LESS CONVENIENCES, BUT I GUESS YOU DO HAVE TO KNOW MORE TO HANDLE 'TH' CONVENIENCES!



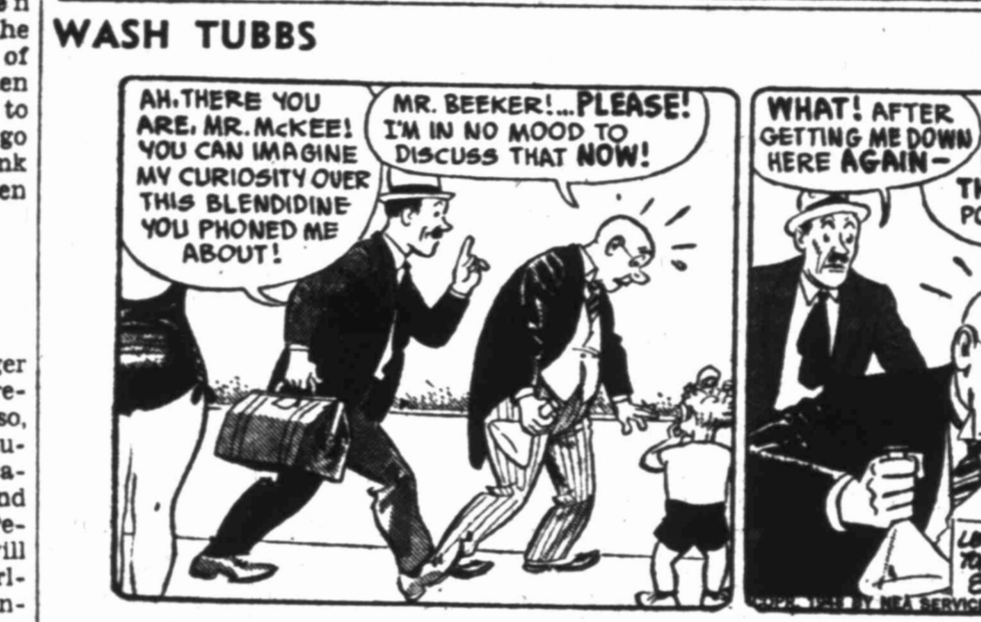
THAT GAS CAN THEY DUMPED OUT BLEW OUR FRONT TIRE TO SHREDS, COCOA. WE'VE LOST THEM! PATIENCE, SENOR. JUNE THE OLD FLOORS WILL STILL BE UNDER THE MASONRY IN TAFFY'S SWEEMING POOL TOMORROW. WELL, VIC, THERE IT IS. WELCOME TO SPANISH CHEST! HOW DID THE ISLAND GET ITS NAME, TAFFY? NO TAFFY? WMM! PENNY, INDEED!



LEGEND HAS IT THAT IN THE DAYS OF BUCCANERS, JEAN LAFITTE LAID DOWN SIMPLY SCADS OF LOOT ON THIS ISLAND. BUT NOBODY HAS YET TURNED UP SO MUCH AS A SINGLE PENNY.

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THIS IS QUITE DISCOURAGING, MR. SUELL! BUT IF TUBBS REALLY TRIES TO BUY OUR FORMULA, THERE'S ONE OTHER HOPE! MEANWHILE, HONEST JOHN FELONY IS HAVING NO LUCK.



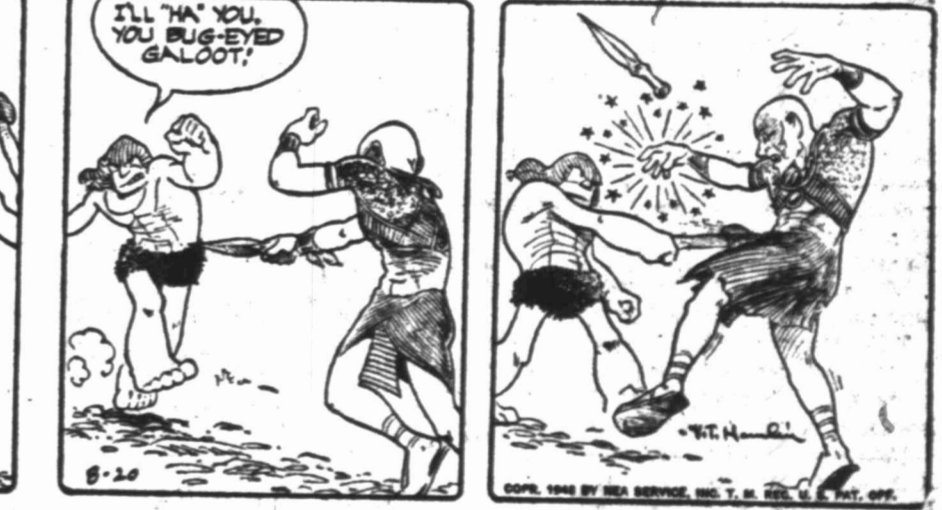
DOC COLD'S 'TAME' COYOTE, FANG, GOES LOCO AT THE SOUND OF GUN-FIRE AND NEARLY BREAKS UP DOC'S MEDICINE SHOW. I CAUGHT HIM JUST IN TIME! YOU SHOULDN'T HAVE FIRED THAT GUN—SHOOTIN' SETS HIM CRAZY! I'LL KILL THAT CRITTER!



YOU KILL FANG, ME KILL YOU! SHOW'S OVER, FOLKS! LET THE CONHAND GO, KILL BEAR, AND START PACKIN'! WE'RE GETTIN' OUTA THIS TOWN!



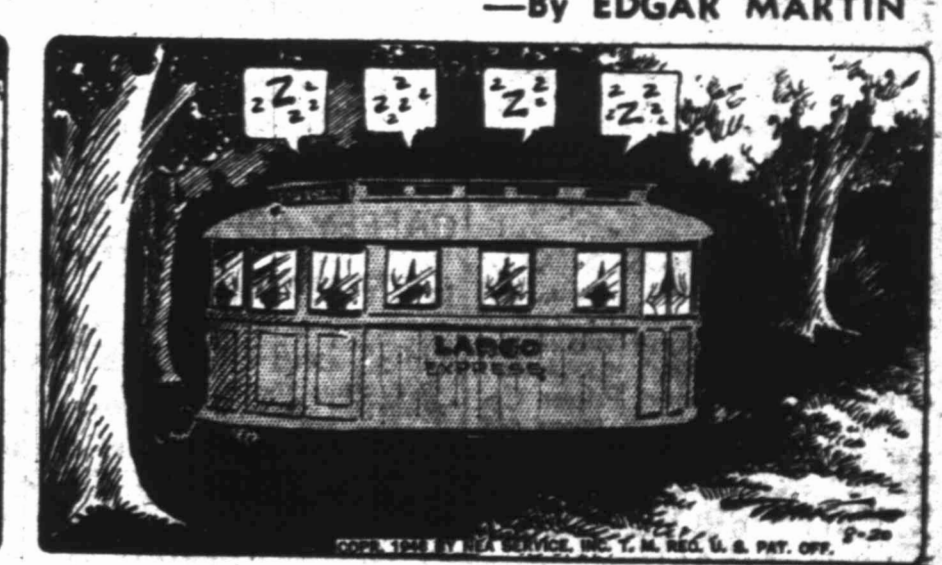
LOOKING UNDER THE ARC OF THE FLASHING AT THE PHAROCH KHAFRA RAKED OFF WITH A STINGING BACK-HANDED SLASH. HA! WHY YOU? I'LL 'HA' YOU, YOU BUG-EYED GALLOP!



—By J. V. HAMLIN



G'VE: G'VE: SEE YOU TONIGHT!



—By EDGAR MARTIN



SURE, I'LL SELL YOU A GALLON OF ICE CREAM WHOLESALE! WHEN I LOOK INTO YOUR BIG BUCKS, YOU'LL BE COME TUMBLING DOWN! OLD PRICE-BUSTING SMITH! I OUGHTA HIRE OUT TO THE GOVERNMENT AS A ONE-MAN DEFLECTOR! WELL, I'M OFF TO THE JOLLY PRUNE PICNIC! WAIT A MINUTE!



I'M TAKING THE AFTERNOON OFF! HOW COME? YOU'RE SUCH A KIDDER! WELL, ON TO THE PICNIC! Y-YOU-M-M-M-HEN WITH MEE YI-KE!

### MORE EFFICIENT

In 1890, one agricultural worker could produce food for only one person, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica, but by 1940, each farm worker could produce food for 18 people.

### TRANSPLANTING HINT

In transplanting trees, it is advisable to prune off about one-third of the branches of the tree, because a large part of the root system is cut off, upsetting the normal balance.

### FOUND: WOODEN LEG

ROME (AP)—Rome's municipal lost-and-found office reported Friday that somebody could have his wooden leg back if he'd hop around and get it.

### SIDE GLANCES



"One thing about eating outdoors—with a crowd like this we'll have to watch our manners closer than in the house!"

### CARNIVAL



"Physically you're in fine shape, Mrs. Axley—and as for your absentmindedness, we all have a touch of that now and then!"

### —By DICK TURNER

### FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

—By MERRILL BLOUSER







CLASSIFIED DISPLAY KCRS 550 WATTS 550 K. TODAY STARTING AT 6 P. M. 6:30 NEWS 6:35 ELMER DAVIS ABC 6:40 KRAZY TRADER'S 550 ROUND-UP

V. C. King Is New Midland Sanitarian V. C. King has been transferred here by the State Health Department to serve as Midland County sanitarian, Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the Midland-Ector-Howard County Health Unit, announced Friday.



The Sreadwinner

Wrecker Lifts Car From Tracks Here A wrecker was used to lift an automobile off the railroad tracks at the Big Spring Street crossing Thursday.

Oil & Gas Log- Arkansas Farmer Shoots Two Officers, Holds Posse At Bay (Continued from page 1) Benedict field, ran a one-hour drill-tem test at 12,245-267 feet in the Ellenburger.

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Army Warns Against Sending Information To Overseas Areas WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Army said Friday it is warning business and industry to be wary of requests for information coming from overseas, especially from Russian-dominated areas.

Bill Sauri Speaks At JayCee Meeting Bill Sauri of Peru, who is a geologist for Skelly Oil Company and is now a citizen of Midland, spoke to members of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon meeting Friday in the Scharbauer Hotel.

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Championship Kibitzers



The first world's championship checker tournament at Brownwood gets plenty of kibitzers. Here J. T. Hanson, Tacoma, Wash., left, the Pacific Coast champ, plays Earl Ingram, West Palm Beach, Fla., one of the South's highest ranking players.

Army In Japan Has Encephalitis Case TOKYO—(AP)—The first positive case of sleeping sickness among American occupation personnel and 64 cases of polio were reported Friday by the Army.

Take The SIMMER out of Summer Driving! A sea urchin produces as many eggs annually as there are people in New York City.

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Oil & Gas Log- Arkansas Farmer Shoots Two Officers, Holds Posse At Bay (Continued from page 1) There was a good blow of air throughout the period. Recovery was the 2,268-foot water blanket, 120 feet of drilling mud, and 2,264 feet of salt water.

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**Texas League—**

**Bufs, Sports, Cats, Missions Tab Loop Wins**

By The Associated Press  
Leading Fort Worth strapped cellar-dwelling Beaumont 14-1 and Houston pulled within three games of runner-up Tulsa by trimming the Oklahoma outfit 3-2 in Thursday night games.

San Antonio clung to its position with a 2-1 triumph over Oklahoma City.

Shreveport held the pace by downing the Dallas Rebels 4-0.

Houston won dramatically—Solly Hemus socking a homer in the tenth for the pay-off. The Bufs had tied the score in the same way—Jerry Burmeister parking one in the sixth.

Beaumont could get only four hits off Dwain Sloat as Fort Worth whammed the Exporters, pounding four Beaumont pitchers.

**Longhorn League—**

**Dusters Join Select Circle**

By The Associated Press  
Vernon was in fourth place in the Longhorn League Friday.

The Dusters replaced the Ballinger Cats Thursday night as they walloped Del Rio 11-2 while Ballinger was taking it on the chin 11-3 from San Angelo.

Top-running Big Spring was edged 11-10 by Sweetwater, and second-place Odessa fell before Midland 7-6.

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**Stevenson Raps Lyndon Johnson Expense Account**

AUSTIN—(AP)—Senatorial Candidate Coke Stevenson plugged for votes in Central and North Central Texas Friday after a blast at his opponent on the subject of campaign expenditures.

In a radio speech here Thursday night, the former governor said he had kept his own campaign on a modest scale, but that Lyndon Johnson's campaign "is probably the most expensive" ever waged in the history of Texas politics.

"I know you are not going to allow the office of United States senator to be bought and paid for, regardless of whether the money comes from self-seeking millionaires, self-seeking out-of-state CIO bosses, or self-seeking and mysterious backers of Henry Wallace," Stevenson said.

He had this to say about a speech made recently at San Angelo by Lt. Gen. Ira C. Eaker, retired, for Johnson:

"Just this week General Eaker, retired Army officer, now employed by one of the large aircraft manufacturing companies on the West Coast, flew to Texas to make a speech for my opponent. The other candidate in this race brags about how he has got more business for the airplane manufacturers. Could it be that his huge slush fund is coming from these big interests? Is that why the retired Army general came here from the West Coast to make a speech for my opponent?"

Stevenson asked, "Where is the money coming from?" adding, "Could it be coming from a few millionaires who owe past political debts to the other candidate, and hope for future political favors from him?"

To this and other questions along the same line, he gave this reply: "I don't know. You don't know. The other candidate knows, but he hasn't said."

"Where is the money coming from—these multiplied thousands of dollars being spent for expensive printing, and newspaper advertising, and many radio broadcasts, and scores of paid workers? Could the money be coming from the same sources that are backing Henry Wallace in his attempt to become dictator-President of the United States?"

**TO EL PASO**

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kimball and children, 1808 West Kentucky Street, left Friday on a vacation trip to El Paso, where they will visit relatives.

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Elaine Joyce is all smiles after landing 19-pound striped bass in surf at Newport, R. I. Miss Joyce is a member of cast at Newport's summer theatre.

**Bubonic Plague Bacilli Found In West Texas**

AUSTIN—(AP)—Citizens in the Gaines County area had been warned Friday to avoid contact with sick or dying rodents or their fleas after a prairie dog with bubonic plague was found on the edge of Cedar Lake.

"Bubonic plague is not directly communicable from man to man," State Health Officer George W. Cox said. "It is transmitted by rodents, particularly rats and ground squirrels, and their fleas."

Plague bacilli have been found recently in pools of fleas collected from field rodents in Dawson, Cochran and Gaines counties.

**Negro Boys Blamed For Big Reno Fire**

RENO, NEV.—(AP)—Two nine-year-old Negro boys, who were playing with matches, started the disastrous downtown fire Sunday that killed five persons and sent 137 others to hospitals, Chief of Police L. R. Gresson announced Thursday.

But the cause of an explosion which hurled flaming debris among crowds of spectators remains unexplained.

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**Plans Readied For Big Masonic Meet At Crane**

CRANE—The Crane Masonic Lodge No. 1262, inviting 18 other West Texas lodges to participate in sponsoring the event, has completed final arrangements for the annual Hill Top Meeting for Master Masons Saturday. More than 1,400 Masons attended last year's event.

Many dignitaries have accepted invitations to be present Saturday. A degree will not be conferred this year, but an outstanding program has been arranged, Worshipful Master O. C. Faircloth of Crane said. Registration will start at 3 p. m. and a barbecue supper will be served at 6 p. m. Families of the Masons will be served and entertained by the OES at the Community Hall.

The open meetings are held under special dispensation from the grand master. The sessions were started in 1931. The amphitheater in which the meetings are held is a caliche pit on the top of a hill six miles south of Crane.

Attendance this year is expected to break all previous records.

**Warrant Issued For Alleged Mail Swindler**

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Federal officers Friday held a warrant for the arrest of a 51-year-old San Antonio man charged with using the mails to defraud a number of banks and stores.

U. S. Commissioner A. V. Knight issued the warrant Thursday after postal inspectors filed a complaint. Postal Inspector J. H. Osborn said the man swindled at least eight Texas banks and several San Antonio stores of about \$3,000.

He said the banks are in Brownsville, McAllen, Harlingen, Beaumont, Odessa, Amarillo, Fort Stockton and Midland.

The Queen Mary, British liner has four of the largest propellers ever constructed. They each weigh 35 tons.

**Robbers' 'Fish' Story Fails To Hold Water**

YOUNGSTOWN, OHIO—(AP)—Two "fish-carrying" suspects were behind bars Friday, arrested in rapid-fire action by a patrolman who recovered \$1,204 in loot before owners of a South Side supermarket knew they had been robbed.

Patrolman Martin Krohn noticed an automobile parked illegally, approached the car and spotted a large money bag in the lap of one of two men in the auto.

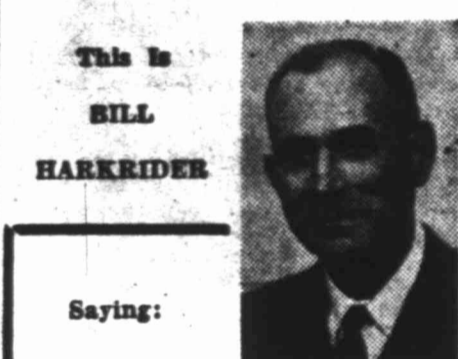
"I just carry fish in it," the man told Krohn. The dubious patrolman searched the car, however, found several hundred dollars in the bag, in a handkerchief and under the seats. Krohn arrested the pair—and then delivered the recovered \$1,204 to the supermarket.

**WORK PERMIT REQUIRED**

AUSTIN—(AP)—Children between the ages of 12 and 15 must have a work permit from the county judge if they wish to work after September 1, the State Bureau of Labor Statistics reminds parents and guardians.

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