

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★
Pass The Black Ink; Rita's Films Bring Princely Prices



By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD—Just as I suspected (and predicted here) Rita Hayworth's road show romance with Aly Khan has studio auditors clapping their hands in glee and yelling for more black ink.

Columbia's executives figure Rita's headlines have added \$1,000,000 extra to the gross of her currently showing movie, "The Loves of Carmen." (Think what "The Loves of Rita" would do at the box office.) The picture is getting rental fees as high as \$3,000 in theaters where it normally would get only \$1,200. Immediately following her wedding, the studio hopes to hit another Fort Knox by reissuing "Gilda" and "Cover Girl."

Hummmm. While Bud Abbott was denying my story of a professional divorce from Lou Costello, maybe this year, Lou was guessing minus Abbott on Milton Berling's television show.
No Box-Office

A couple of fellows who own a small neighborhood theater in Los Angeles have been thinking about selling out because of poor business. Now they know they will.

As an added attraction to their double bill, newsreel, traveling and popcorn, they recently hired a couple of acts for a special Sun-

day afternoon stage show. Along about 10 p. m. they discovered a horrible mistake. Their marquee sign putter-upper had left out one letter and all afternoon and evening the lights had blinked out: "Stag Show."
"But," they moaned, "we still didn't do any business."

RKO will feature "The Pride of the Yankees" early in April to coincide with the tenth anniversary of Lou Gehrig's last baseball appearance... Mary Pickford is trying to buy out her co-partner, Charles Chaplin, in United Artists... Gene Kelly and Judy Garland will be announced as the co-stars of M-G-M's film version of "Brigadoon."

Gale Storm will star in another Allied Artists musical, "Sweet Molly Malone," before moving to the UI... Stanley "Stash" Clements, the ex-Dead End kid, turns crooner in "Bad Boy" and will go on a singing tour to help exploit the picture.

I guess it was bound to happen sooner or later. The Houston, Texas, Dental Association gave Spike (All I Want for Christmas Is My Two Front Teeth) Jones cuffed links decorated with somebody's two front teeth.
Deanna's Future?

There's still a good deal of speculation over Deanna Durbin's future at UI. She'll be working in Italy on a film being partially financed by UI when her contract expires in August. I doubt whether it will be renewed, but there is a slim chance she studio will hold on to her for maybe one picture a year—all she needs to come back.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Livingston of Seminole on the birth Monday of a son, Jay Don, weighing nine pounds, two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Vest on the birth Sunday of a daughter, Linda Anne, weighing eight pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Tidwell on the birth Sunday of a daughter, not yet named, weighing seven pounds, 15 ounces.

QUIET DISTURBANCE
Police were called to South Pecos Street early Monday to quiet a family disturbance.

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Modern Study Club will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Ivan Hood, 111 Ridges Drive.

Sunday School Officers Council will meet at 8:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church.

Choir rehearsal in the First Methodist Church will start at 7:15 p. m.

Boy Scout Troop 152 will meet at 7:30 p. m. in First Methodist Church.

Junior choir of the Trinity Episcopal Church will practice at 7 p. m., senior choir at 7:45 p. m.

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+ Coming Events +

TUESDAY
Pyracantha Garden Club will meet at 10 a. m. with Mrs. Joe C. Smith, 1602 West Louisiana Street.

Junior High Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 4 p. m. in the school auditorium.

High School Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will meet at 8 p. m.

Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at 7:30 p. m. in Studio A of KCRC.

A vestry meeting is scheduled at 7:30 p. m. in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Board of Education of the First Methodist Church will meet at 7 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. P. Von Olszki, 2004 West Kentucky Street.

Civic Music Club will present John Seagle's San Antonio, baritone, in its annual Texas Day program in the Midland High School auditorium at 8 p. m.

Las Camaradas Club will be entertained with luncheon and bridge in the Ranch House, 1:30 p. m., with Mrs. John B. Mills and Mrs. Frank Paup as hostesses.

WEDNESDAY
Lion Tamers Club will meet for a covered dish luncheon at 1 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. A. Churchill, 706 North Pecos Street. Mrs. J. L. Daugherty and Mrs. Wayne Blankenship are co-hostesses.

Junior Woman's Wednesday Club will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Louis Thomas, 911 West Tennessee Street.

Star Study Club will meet at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. R. R. Frantz, 2700 North Big Spring Street.

North Elementary Parent-Teacher Association's Parent Study Group will meet at 9 a. m. with Mrs. W. E. Crites, 600 West Storey Street.

Lenten observance in Trinity Episcopal Church will start with the Ash Wednesday service of Holy Communion, 10 a. m.

Terminal Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. W. C. Daniel, Building T-326.

Woman's Wednesday Club will meet in Mrs. C. W. Chancellor's home with Mrs. J. M. DeArmond as co-hostess, 3 p. m.

Mrs. E. H. Barron will be hostess and Mrs. Wilmer Stowe of Odessa reader for the Play Readers Club, 3 p. m. in the Barron home, 1909 West Holloway Street.

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Engaged Couple Complimented With Party In Durham Home

Honoring Jean Lewis and her fiancé, Robert G. Peter of Houston, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Durham were hosts Saturday night in their home, 1707 West Holloway Street, with a

cocktail party which preceded the dance at the Midland Country Club to which most of the guests went later.

The engagement of Miss Lewis and Peter was announced on the weekend, with their plans for an April 2 wedding. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lewis. Peter was a weekend visitor in Midland.

Central decorative feature in the Durham home was the mantel, which had an arrangement of white stock and candles. On the large mirror above was written the bridal rhyme, "Something old, something new, something borrowed, something blue." The hosts presented the couple a gift of china in the bride's chosen pattern.

The guest list included the honorees and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wainmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Tarwater, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Eschberger, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kiser, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Throckmorton, Dr. and Mrs. B. G. Craig of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. John DeFord, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ford.

Miss Reising poured punch and was assisted by the other hostesses in serving refreshments from a table covered with a pale blue organdy cloth which hung to the floor and was caught at each corner with a cluster of scabiosa blossoms. The yellow color of the scabiosa was reflected in the centerpiece of jonquils.

Callers who presented gifts to the bride-elect were Francine Jackson, Laveita Tuggle, Miss Fruit, Phyllis Gifford, June Higdon, Mary Davis, Patsy Cline, Rita Livingston, Mrs. Curtis Hicks, Mrs. Gerome Grayum, Mrs. A. R. Snider, Mrs. H. E. Skipper, Mrs. A. P. McKee, Mrs. T. C. Miles, Mrs. M. B. Arick, Mrs. Bill Taylor, Mrs. H. A. Corder, Mrs. Willis Brunson, Mrs. Billy Chesney, Mrs. C. J. Watts, Mrs. L. Hall, Mrs. James N. Howell, Wanda Goodson, Mrs. J. W. Gregston, Mrs. Leo Baldridge, Mrs. L. H. Chivers, Mrs. Mack Richards, Mrs. Fred Jones and Mrs. J. Carl Ward.

Junior Music Club Has Former Member As Meeting Guest

A former student of the Watson School of Music who now lives in Abilene was a guest of the Moment Musical Junior Music Club, which is made up of students in the school, at its Saturday morning meeting in the Watson Studio. The visitor is Zanle Bryant, who was a guest of Judy Orson.

Diane Perkins and John Charles Godwin received birthday greetings from the other club members.

Wanda Lou Moore presided, and Jan Houck and Robert Gray were in charge of the attendance cards.

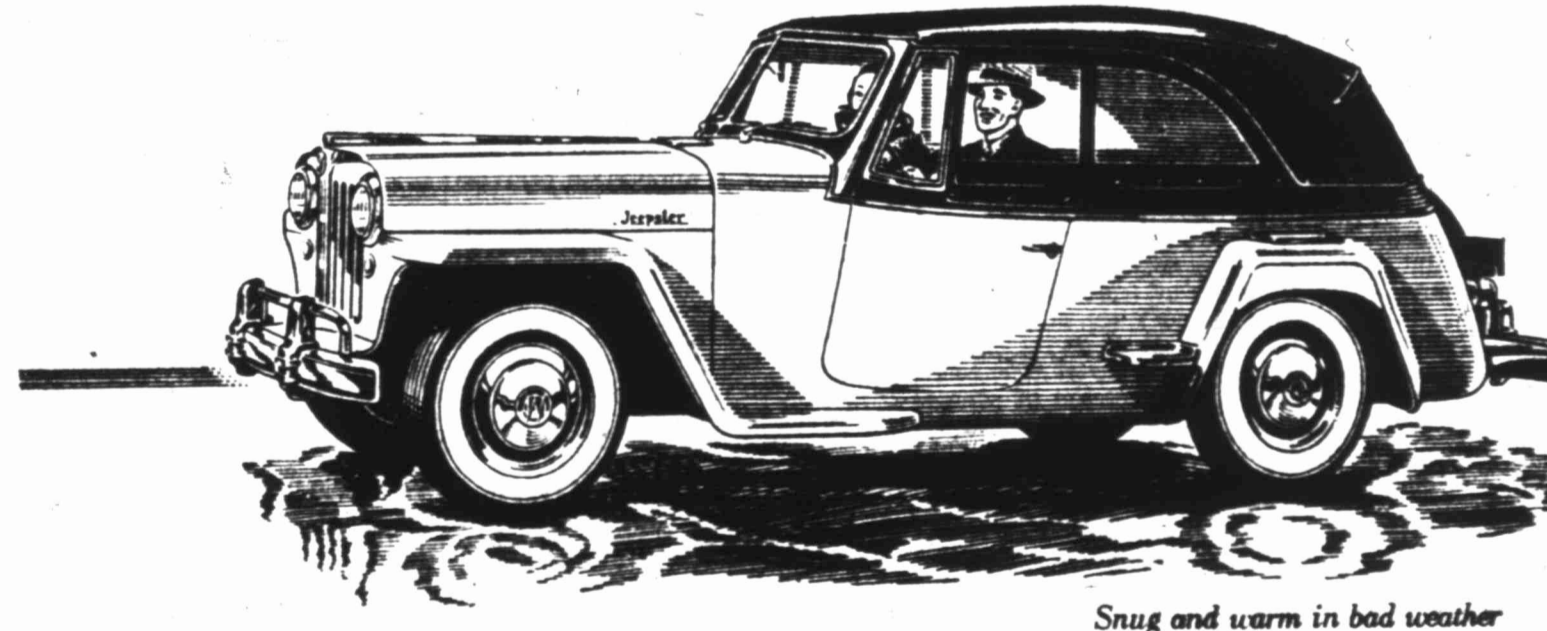
Allen McCree was leader of the program which included a piano solo, "The Clown," by Jimmy Mashburn; an accordion and viola duet, "Whispering Hope," by Barry McGowan and Ned Watson; a biographical sketch of Johann Strauss by Judy Cole, and a solo, "Flight of the Bumblebee," by Carolyn Gray.

Other members who received good stars for answering roll call with musical terms were Dineva Merrill, Janelle Clominger, Marian McGowan, Trudy Symes, Linda Breth, Robinette Curry, Patricia Wilkerson, Roger Walker, Patty Chambers, Edy Eubanks, Juanda Bradshaw, Jan Houck.

Barbara Timmons, Hope Russell, Cynthia Dupuy, Wanda Steele, Catherine Barnes, Loraine Carlson, Louise Ervin, Marjorie Walker, Charles E. Fredegrill, Gwendolyn Campbell, Martha Nell Chastain and Katrina Shelburne.

MAN SUFFERS EAR INJURY WHEN STRUCK
James S. Jones of Midland suffered lacerations of the left ear about 2 a. m. Monday when hit by an unknown and unseen assailant at a Midland cafe. He was given treatment at a Midland hospital and released.

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Tickets On Sale In Civic Music Club For Texas Concert

Tickets for the Civic Music Club's annual Texas Day concert, which will be presented at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the High School auditorium with John Seagle, baritone, as soloist, are on sale now by members of the club or may be obtained at the door.

Seagle, instructor in the voice department of Trinity University at San Antonio, was chosen as the Texas artist for this year's open program at the meeting date nearest Texas Independence Day. Each year the club features a musician residing in Texas, or the works of a Texas composer.

Mrs. Hermann Williams, club president, the other officers and members are cooperating with ticket sales.

TEXAS WILL GET 68 NEW DOCTORS
PORT WORTH—(AP)—Sixty-eight new out-of-state doctors have approval to practice in Texas.

Applications of the 68 for Texas licenses were approved Sunday in a meeting here of the Texas Board of Medical Examiners. Two others were denied.

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Building Committee To Report At Women's Club Open Meeting

Findings of a committee appointed last month to investigate the possibilities for a Women's Club Building in Midland will be reported to members of the Midland Women's Club and other interested women of the city at an open meeting in the City-County Auditorium at 2 p. m. Thursday.

Mrs. W. G. Epley, president of the Women's Club, announced the meeting after the committee members advised her they have a report to make. The Women's Club, before adopting a change of name this month, was known as the City-County Federation of Women's Clubs. Members of the 17 clubs which make up the federation are leaders in the movement for a building to serve all women's clubs of the city.

and recent growth of the city has made the need more evident as the number of clubs has grown faster than the number of available public meeting rooms. Membership in many organizations has increased so that meeting in homes is not feasible.

Contributions Made
Plans for a building took more definite form when the federation adopted it as a project for the year and various clubs started making contributions to the building fund. Organizations not in the federation indicated their interest in the plan until there now are 22 clubs which have made or scheduled definite contributions to the fund.

Because of widespread interest in the plans, Mrs. Epley said, the meeting Thursday afternoon is scheduled in the City-County Auditorium, where seats will be available for a large number.

Library Is Given 18 Memorial Books During Past Week

Gifts to the Memorial Book Section of the Midland County Library the past week totaled 18, Mrs. Lucille Carroll, librarian, announced Saturday. The number of memorial books has been increasing this month, due to the emphasis placed by the Woman's Wednesday Club on February as Memorial Book Month.

The list for the past week includes the following gifts:

"The Taste of Angels," a history of art collecting from Remes to Napoleon by Francis H. Taylor, given by Mrs. Thomas R. Wilson in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Heatley.

"The Alternative to Futility" by Dr. Elton Trueblood, given by Mrs. R. L. Miller in memory of Frank L. Miller.

"The Mission and Message of Jesus," Henry D. Major, given by Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Hodge in memory of Mrs. H. T. Hodge.

"The Manhood of the Master," Harry Emerson Fosdick, given by Bertie Sexton in memory of her brother, J. C. Sexton.

"Blessed Among Women," Arnold Michale, given by Mrs. Mollie McCormick in memory of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Vest.

"Western Words," a dictionary of the range, cow camp and trail, by Ramon F. Adams, given by Mrs. Wilson Bryant in memory of her father, W. F. McCormick.

"In His Steps," Charles M. Sheldon, given by Belmont Bible Class in memory of Mrs. W. L. Fickett and Mrs. Florence Rison, former teachers of the class.

"Grandma Moses, American Primitive," 40 paintings with comments and Grandma Moses' autobiography, given by Mrs. Joseph A. Seymour in memory of her mother, Mrs. Eliza Jane Fusselman.

"Abingdon Bible Commentary," edited by F. C. Eiselein, given by C. A. and H. L. McClellin in memory of Willa Kate and George T. McClellin.

"American Peter," John B. Kerfoot, given by Mrs. C. A. McClellin in memory of Mrs. A. Harry Anderson.

Barrie Plays
"Plays of James M. Barrie," given by Mrs. Andrew Pasken in memory of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott.

"Leaves of Gold," an anthology of prayers given by Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rettig and Mrs. Andrew Pasken in memory of Mrs. W. L. Breyfogel.

"400 Years of a Doctor's Life," excerpts from the autobiographies of prominent physicians of the past 400 years, edited by George Rosen, was given by Mrs. Quincy Belle Ryan in memory of Dr. William E. Ryan.

"Wildwood Wisdom," Elsworth Jaeger, was given by Quincy Belle Fenstermaker in memory of her father, Dr. William E. Ryan.

"A History of the Colt Revolver," Charles T. Haven, was given by Bill and Charles Ryan in memory of their father, Dr. William E. Ryan.

"The Oxford Book of Christian Verse," and "Painting for Enjoyment," Lee Blanch, given by Mrs. N. G. McKee in memory of her daughter, Frances Mary McKee Hart.

Dr. B. E. Rea Opens Optometric Offices
The opening here of optometric offices by Brandon E. Rea, O. D., was announced Monday. The new office is located at 210 North Big Spring Street, and offers all services of the profession including visual training.

Dr. Rea received his degree from Northern Illinois College of Optometry in Chicago, and has since been on the staff. He organized the alumni association and worked as co-editor of its publication, "Elsworth," a charter member of the Undergraduate Council on Ethics at the college, he served as its first president for two terms. He is also a member of the Tomb and Key honorary scholastic fraternity and of Omega Epsilon Phi.

Dr. Rea served with the Army four years, two of which were spent overseas. He was discharged early in 1946 with the rank of captain.

The new optometric office houses the finest in equipment for the care of the visual functions.

Mrs. Rea, who received her degree from Lake Forest College, has done graduate work in the Medill School of Journalism, Northwestern University. She resigned February 1 as editor of the Monticore-Leyden Herald, a Chicago community newspaper, having held the editorship for five years.

Across The Nation



...MEMBER... THE RED CROSS IS ON THE SCENE HERE ON THE JOB WITH emergency relief for victims and supplies, food and assistance to rescuers. Last year the Red Cross acted in 303 disaster operations—almost one a day. It now is doing tremendous work in the blizzard-stricken areas of the West. The annual Red Cross finance campaign opens Tuesday in Midland and across the nation. The goal here is \$13,000. The national goal is \$60,000,000.

McCamey News

MCCAMEY—Mrs. Thelma Minnick and Mrs. Walt Fernald of Iraan, were McCamey visitors Friday.

H. E. Stoker, superintendent of McCamey public schools, left Thursday for Dallas where he will go by train to St. Louis to attend the National Educators Association meet. Coach Wesley Piy, Miss Wanda Duncan and Miss Pat Peardon left Friday for Fort Worth. Coach Piy will visit with his daughter and wife and Miss Duncan and Miss Peardon will visit Miss Peardon's aunt, Mrs. Fred Meredith.

Guests in the T. A. Spalding home this weekend are Mrs. Spalding's sisters, Mrs. Roger Frank, Cornelia Christi, Mrs. John Fimmel, Birmingham, Ala., and Mrs. J. H. Duncan, Shreveport, La. They also are visiting their father, C. W. Moores, who celebrated his 84th birthday Friday. Mr. Moores makes his home with Mrs. Spalding.

Mrs. R. A. Webb of Pampa was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Donovan recently.

Johnny Hurst of Rankin was a McCamey visitor Tuesday.

Ray Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Windham and son were recent visitors in Whitesboro and Dennison.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and son, Kenny, were San Angelo visitors last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Noel and children visited Midland last week.

Mrs. Roy Johnson and son Kenny are visiting friends and relatives in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Stice and children were in Sheffield recently visiting Mrs. Stice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Merck and daughter, Mary Lee, were in So. Texas recently visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. V. N. Rice are the parents of a daughter born in a San Angelo hospital. She weighed six pounds and 10 ounces and has been named Leslie Cheryl.

Mrs. Minnie Beebe of Amarillo, mother of Mrs. Rice, has been visiting in the Rice home for a month. She returned home Thursday.

Jack Harry Dibrell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dibrell of McCamey, and recent graduate of Texas A&M College, has joined the U. S. Army. He departed Thursday for Camp Chaffee, Ark., where he will be stationed.

Robert Lawrence Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Smith, of McCamey, has been named night telegraph editor of the Daily Texan, University of Texas student newspaper. He is a journalism student there.

STANTON NEWS

STANTON—Audrey Louder, noble grand, presided at the recent formal initiation services of Stanton Rebekah Lodge No. 287 at the IOOF hall. Initiated into the order were Lila Flanagan, Cora Vaughn and Dail Morgan. Those elected to receive the Rebekah Degree were Lizzie Smith and Minnie Lee Wilbarrs. Refreshments were served to Ruby Vena McCoy, Virgie Johnson, Bell Frances Butcher, Lillian Coggins, Georgia Gray, Pearl Payton, Dail Morgan, Joana Webb, Mildred Hastings, Dail Baker, Obera Angle, Pauline Graves, Loretta McReynolds, Vera McCoy, Virgie Johnson, Bell Sneed, Margie Clardy, Syble Bickley, Zilla Angle, Leta Shankle, Alice Angle, Herbert Shipp, Jess Angle, Lila Flanagan, Cora Vaughn, Ola Clements, Evarene Christopher, Anna McReynolds, Edna Davidson, Lettie Fleming, Syble Deavenport, A. C. Fleming, Charley Christopher and Pearl Laird.

R. S. Higgins, Sr., departed recently for Missouri, where he has purchased a farm after selling his place here last Fall. Mrs. Higgins and two children will remain here until school is out.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robnett and family have moved into the Morris Zimmerman home. Mrs. Zimmerman moved last week to Monahans after locating a house there. Her daughter, Sue Jane, will remain here until school is out.

Two new geophysical crews moving their headquarters here last week and will operate out of here for a few months.

Pi Beta Phi Group To Meet Wednesday

A luncheon-meeting of Pi Beta Phi Alumna will be held at 1 p. m. Wednesday in the Ranch House, Mrs. Donald Oliver, president, announced Monday.

The unit was formed several weeks ago and organization will be perfected at the Wednesday meeting. All Pi Beta Phi members in Midland and vicinity are invited to attend.

Reservations may be made with Mrs. Oliver at telephone 165, by Tuesday.

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Rankin News

RANKIN—J. W. Robbins has returned to his home here from a San Angelo hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Price had as their guests recently Mrs. Price's mother, Mrs. Myrtle Garner, and sister and brother, Wanda Dean and John of Lubbock.

Mrs. Elizabeth Rains left Thursday to spend the weekend with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Max Schultz, in Artesia N. M.

The Rankin Rebekah Lodge had a social meeting and "Penny Supper" in the lodge hall Monday night.

Texas members of the lodge presented a skit, "No Back Seat For Grandma." Mrs. Doris Adams gave two readings and a ladies' trio sang a group of western songs, accompanied by J. J. Adams on the guitar.

Crane News

CRANE—J. L. Goble, Tiny Earp, N. L. Crowover and son, Norris, made a fishing trip to Lake Walk near Del Rio last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bryan of Garden City and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bryan of Big Lake were recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Newland for a birthday dinner in honor of Mr. Bryan.

Tuesday was the birthday anniversary of Cliff Newland and Mrs. Newland served a special dinner for him and their children. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Newland and Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Blank and daughter Sue, of Odessa.

Mrs. J. D. Bonner is in Sherman at the bedside of her brother G. W. Hestand who is seriously ill. Mrs. Bonner was called to Sherman two weeks ago at the death of another brother, Buck Hestand, also of Sherman.

Mrs. Walter Fort and Mrs. Nellie Hemmington of Hobbs, N. M., sisters of Mrs. Doran E. Nunn, were recent visitors in the Nunn home.

Mrs. Kathryn Lewis Broyles, daughter of Mrs. Glad Lewis, was honored with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. K. P. Looney recently. Hostesses were Mrs. G. M. Smith, Mrs. Sue Shanor, Mrs. Gooch, and Mrs. Browne.

Mr. and Mrs. K. J. Harrold were visitors in San Angelo recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Birdsong and children, Carol Jean and Gary Mac, visited San Angelo and Sweetwater last week.

Rita Ann Ward celebrated her ninth birthday with a party at the Community hall recently. Refreshments were served to Nancy Willmoth, Ginger Maxwell, Etta Mae Miller, Ray Nell Tooke, J. F. Henderson and Anna Ruth Gibson, and the honoree, Rita Ann.

Mrs. M. G. Damron and daughter, Mrs. Frank Landham, were visitors in Ozona last week.

Mrs. R. B. Boothe and Mrs. Clarence Key drove to Pampa recently taking with them Miss Rose Wade and Horace Wade, aunt and uncle of Mrs. Boothe.

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Major Loops Start Spring Drill Tuesday

NEW YORK—(AP)—The major leagues will begin spring baseball rehearsals on scattered warm weather fronts Tuesday with seven of the 16 clubs under managers who weren't barking orders a year ago.

The National managers who will be supervising Spring drills of their particular clubs for the first time are Leo Durocher of the New York Giants and Burt Shotton of the Brooklyn Dodgers, who figured in the sensational switch last July; Ed Sawyer of the Philadelphia Phillies, and Bucky Walters of the Cincinnati Reds.

The American's new brain trusters, all appointed at the close of the 1948 campaign, are Casey Stengel of the New York Yankees, Red Rolfe of the Detroit Tigers and Jack Onslow of the Chicago White Sox.

Here's the Spring training layout:

- NATIONAL LEAGUE**
- Boston Braves — Bradenton, Fla.
 - New York Giants — Phoenix, Ariz.
 - Pittsburgh Pirates — San Bernardino, Calif.
 - St. Louis Cardinals — St. Petersburg, Fla.
 - Philadelphia Phillies — Clearwater, Fla.
 - Cincinnati Reds — Tampa, Fla.
 - Chicago Cubs — Los Angeles.
 - Brooklyn Dodgers — Vero Beach, Fla.
- AMERICAN LEAGUE**
- Cleveland Indians — Tucson, Ariz.
 - New York Yankees — St. Petersburg, Fla.
 - St. Louis Browns — Burbank, Calif.
 - Boston Red Sox — Sarasota, Fla.
 - Detroit Tigers — Lakeland, Fla.
 - Philadelphia Athletics — West Palm Beach, Fla.
 - Chicago White Sox — Pasadena, Calif.
 - Washington Senators — Orlando, Fla.

ACC Enjoys Perfect Season In Loop Play

By The Associated Press

Ablene Christian College had a perfect season in Texas Conference basketball and won its second straight championship in eight victories against no defeats.

The Wildcats clinched the title last week, beating Howard Payne 57-54. The Yellowjackets of Howard Payne finished in second place. They made their record six victories and two defeats by defeating Southwestern 60-51 in the final week of play.

In another conference game last week, McMurry nosed out Austin 57-54.

Final conference standings:

Team	W	L	Pts.	Op.	Pct.
ACC	8	0	499	379	1.000
Howard Payne	6	2	429	395	750
McMurry	4	4	421	417	500
Austin	2	6	394	416	250
Southwestern	0	8	343	442	.000

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MONDAY MORNING ROUNDUP

Baseball practice for Midland High opens Tuesday. So does track. And any day now will come word that Audrey Gill's golfers are getting ready for their Spring matches. . . . Eleven Abilene High cagers won letters for the 1948-49 season. . . . Abilene beat Lubbock in high school golf matches Saturday last. . . . San Angelo High netters won over Odessa. . . . James H. Stewart, executive secretary of the SWC, is to referee the 22nd annual Texas Relays in Austin April 1-2. . . . Over the weekend, Pete Harris won the annual National Baseball Players Tournament at Miami with a 36-hole triumph. . . . Marjorie Lind say and Henry Picard won the international mixed four-ball tourney at Orlando, beating Louise Suggs and Gus Novotny, 2 and 1. . . . Nebraska won its first Big Seven track crown since 1942, upsetting highly-favored Missouri and the rest of the contenders. . . . Jack Everett is new head coach at Cisco High. . . . And Stormy Davis is new coach at Cisco Junior College. . . . Fordham has a new line coach—Lou DeFilippo, who was line mentor of the Baltimore Colts (pro) last season. . . . Horace (Cap) Shelton, track coach at Howard-Payne College, is to be referee of the 26th annual Southwestern Recreation meet at Fort Worth March 18-19. . . . Seven universities, nine college, nine junior colleges and 40 high schools have entered the 17th annual Border Olympics to be held at Laredo March 11-12. . . . The Southwest representative in the regional NCAA basketball tourney at Kansas City will be selected by a district committee. . . . Normally, the Southwest Conference champion gets the invitation. . . . A prominent high school coach in Alabama has said: "We here in Alabama are jealous of the football setup in Texas". . . . Grant Hlegg of Houston was the top Texas skeet shooter in 1948 with a mark of 9880 on 2,400 registered targets. . . . And there are Midland shooters who can give him a run for his money. . . . Blame the banquet circuit if the Cleveland Indian's glomour boys—Gene Bearden and Lou Broudeau—look slightly out of shape as they start Spring training. . . . Both had a rough time in the mashed potato league during the winter. . . . Between the two, they took a wagon load of trophies from admiring fans and writers. . . . 30 for strays, boring a hole, pouring in kerosene and killing out mesquites.

Policemen Learn About Firecrackers

PORT WORTH—(AP)—Four Fort Worth policemen know firecrackers can be dangerous.

Officers J. D. Dean, C. M. Lewis, W. Smith and R. R. Coffman received hospital treatment for shocked eardrums.

They were injured Sunday when someone threw a firecracker into the police assembly room.

Imperial Cagers Win Invite Meet

PORT STOCKTON—The Imperial Independents won the championship of the Fort Stockton Gold Medal invitation basketball tournament Saturday.

Imperial put the skids under News Publishing Company of McCamey 53 to 32.

The Alpine Hawks shaded the Lipham Oilers of Kermit 51 to 50 for the third place slot.

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Split Title Looms In SWC Cage Race

By The Associated Press

Arkansas and Baylor can claim part of the Southwest Conference basketball championship Monday night by winning final games.

The Razorbacks close their season against Texas A&M at College Station and Baylor ends against Texas Christian at Fort Worth.

Rice, the third team now tied for the lead, can make it a three-way tie for the title by whipping A&M Friday at College Station.

"It looks very complicated indeed at this time," said Dr. Eugene Lambert.

Lambert was answering a question as to how the District Six NCAA selection committee would pick a representative for the Western regional playoff at Kansas City early next month.

The Arkansas coach and chairman of the selection committee brought out just how complicated it is by figuring Texas could slip in for a fourth share of the crown if the results broke right this week.

Lambert, Jack Gray, University of Texas coach, and Jim McKale, Arizona University athletic director, form the committee.

Lambert's Razorbacks are heavy favorites to beat A&M and come up for consideration.

Arizona is leading the Border Conference race, looks like a good bet to win the title and is in Region Six of the NCAA.

Texas can only hope.

Outside of the all-important games among the "big three" this week, Texas takes on Southern Methodist at Austin Tuesday night. For Texas to go "fourths" on the championship, Texas Christian will have to beat Baylor, Texas beat Southern Methodist and A&M knock off both Arkansas and Rice.

James H. Stewart, executive director of the Southwest Conference, has said there will be no playoff should the race end in a tie. There will be co-champions or tri-champions or quaduple-champions.

In a wild week, Rice thumped Texas 65-49 and Arkansas 64-48 to cause the three-way tie for the lead. Other results were not unexpected, one instance excepted: Texas' 81-60 victory over Texas Christian.

Cary Middlecoff To Slick To Pro Trail After Valley Victory

HARLINGEN—(AP)—Cary Middlecoff, who left a career in dentistry for golf's tournament trail, hears end of his trial period pretty well convinced he won't have to return to the business of extracting teeth.

In March of 1947 when the Memphis, Tenn., links star turned professional, he said he'd make the end of his trial period, two years and if at the end of that time he was convinced he could not be one of the top three players in the country he would return to the dental profession.

The tall, black-haired 28-year-old won the \$10,000 Rio Grande Valley Open with a 17-under-par 287 for 72 holes, finishing ahead by two strokes in a dramatic finish. It boosted Middlecoff to fourth place among the money-winners of golf.

Tom has 379 points in season play and 207 in the conference. Dolnic has 178 points in loop action and Martin 163.

Demaret Ties For Sixth

Closing out in second place was big Bob Hamilton of Landover, Md. who shot a 68 on his final round and had a 72-hole total of 269. E. J. Harrison of Little Rock wound up third, tied with 270 on the strength of a 67 on his final 18 holes.

Jimmie Demaret of Ojai, Calif. got a tie for sixth and earned \$520 to put him back at the top in money-winning, replacing Lloyd Mangrum of Niles, Ill., the defending champion here who failed to finish in the money.

Demaret now has \$6,382.50 while Mangrum has \$6,170 and Harrison is third with \$4,725. Middlecoff's earnings for the year total \$4,656.66. Thus he may vault into first, second or third place this week in the St. Petersburg, Fla. Open. Middlecoff left Sunday by plane for the Florida city.

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Schoolboy Cage Card Completed

By The Associated Press

Twenty-four schoolboy basketball teams converge on Austin this week to battle for state titles in Class AA, A and B divisions.

Action in the three eight-team meets opens Thursday. Champions will be crowned Saturday.

Brand new titlists will come out of the three tournaments. The last defending champion with a chance for a return trip to Austin was Maydelle, Class B. kingpin in 1948. Martins Mill beat Maydelle in the Region 4-B finals 35-26.

Crozier Tech, defending Class AA champion, failed to place in the

Dallas city race of the City Conference, and Mt. Vernon, defending Class A titlist, didn't scatch in its division.

City Conference schools (San Antonio, Dallas, Houston and Fort Worth) will compete in their own tournament March 11-12 at Houston.

The lineup for the state tournaments:

Class AA—Lubbock, Bowie of El Paso, Highland Park of Dallas, Brownwood, Waco, Port Arthur, Texas City and Austin.

Class A—Memphis, Coleman, Nacoma, Gaston, Madisonville, Lampasas, French (Beaumont), Uvalde.

Class B—Shallowwater, Gustine, Sildell, Martins Mill, Big Sandy, Waelder, Woodsboro, Marfa.

Signs Of Spring



With baseball's Spring training season about to swing into high gear, the first St. Louis Cardinals report to their St. Petersburg, Fla., camp. Buzzy Wares, center, Card coach, holds a jacket against Red Schoendienst, Redbird second baseman, as club house attendant Butch Yatkeman watches.

City Cage Card

Three nights of City League basketball are scheduled this week. Monday night, West Texas Off-five Supply meets VFW in the first game with JayCees playing the Ranch House in the second. Wednesday night, VFW engages Ted Thompson in the first game with Magnolia playing the Ranch House in the second. Friday night, West Texas meets Ted Thompson in the first game with Magnolia and the JayCees tangling in the second. Games will be played in the MHS gym starting at 8 p. m. each night.

New York Amateur Wins Houston Tourney

HOUSTON—(AP)—Doug Ford of Larchmont, N. Y., is the Houston Country Club invitation tournament golf champion for this year.

Ford, one of the top amateurs, defeated Jimmie Hebert, former Louisiana State University star, 4 and 3 in the 36-hole finals here Sunday. Hebert recently moved to Houston.

Odessa Uninjured When B-29 Crashes

OGDEN, UTAH—(AP)—A B-29 crashed at the Hill Field Army Air Base, near here Saturday night injuring only one of the 10 men aboard. Capt. H. L. Stewart, public relations officer said.

The four-motored plane was completely demolished.

Lt. Lawrence A. Whitehead of New Jersey received lacerations and bruises but his condition was not serious, officers reported.

Others aboard the plane included Capt. Henry B. Tyra, Odessa copilot.

Insect Life

Queen ants may live as long as 16 years as adults, while the adult life of the mayfly lasts only 20 minutes, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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Kentucky Wildcats Have Open Path To Two Top Tournaments

NEW YORK—(AP)—Kentucky's mighty Wildcats Monday appeared to have a clear path to both the National Invitation and NCAA post season basketball tournaments. Kentucky, overwhelmingly voted the No. 1 team in the country in the latest Associated Press poll, is a cinch for a bid to the Invitation. It starts March 12 in New York's Madison Square Garden.

The Wildcats probably will accept, since it will give them the only chance to avenge their lone defeat of the season. St. Louis, defending Invitation champion, beat Kentucky 42-40 in the Sugar Bowl finals. And St. Louis will be back.

Kentucky also is interested in the NCAA merry-go-round in which it is the defending champion. Any doubts that it would be welcome in the NCAA if it played in the NIT apparently were dispelled by A. K. Tebell of the University of Virginia, chairman of the NCAA District Three Selection Committee.

Kentucky ended its eighth unbroken Southeastern Conference season Saturday night by trouncing Vanderbilt 70-37 for its 25th victory against the single loss.

St. Louis (18-3) and Kentucky, naturally, are the top choices for the Invitation. But the New York tourney still is hopeful of luring Oklahoma A&M (19-3) to the big city. The Aggies whipped St. Louis 40-37 Saturday night and also hold a 29-27 overtime decision over the Billikens. St. Louis' other loss was to Ohio State.

Jenkins Faces Stiff Comeback Opposition

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Former lightweight champion Law Jenkins faces the toughest battle of his ring comeback Monday night when he squares off for a scheduled 10 rounds of action against young Percy Basset.

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By WESLEY DAVIS

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is a big, big monkey boy. He is the huffiest and the toughest somebody in the whole forest, he says.

"Hah!" said Mugwump to himself. He said it when he started out the door of his monkey house with a biscuit in his hand.

"Hey! Hey, you!" said a someone standing near.

"Happy day!" said Mugwump. "I have a biscuit in my hand, and I'm going to give it to a friend."

"On no you're not!" said Huffy Tuffy.

Huffy Tuffy came walking out from the tree to the middle of the Elephant Path where Mugwump was standing with the biscuit in his hand.

"Give it to me!" said Huffy Tuffy.

"But the biscuit's for a friend of mine," Mugwump explained.

"Give it to me!" Huffy Tuffy said again. He said it in his huffiest and toughest voice.

Huffy Tuffy began to eat. "It's a funny tasting biscuit, Huffy Tuffy said."

"Sure," said Mugwump, "because it's a dog biscuit that came out of a dog biscuit box, and I was going to give it to Striped, my striped dog."

Huffy Tuffy's stomach did a flip flop when he heard that. He was eating a dog biscuit. It didn't hurt him, but nobody wants to eat a dog biscuit; and it wouldn't have happened at all, if Huffy hadn't been so huffy and toughy.

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By RUTH MILLET, NEA Staff Writer

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FOR SALE FOUR ROOM HOUSE \$1,000.00 See at I-Way Grocery, City Limits, Rankin Highway. 721 CUTHBERT CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

Edwards Addition All masonry house, 2 bedrooms, attached garage, F. H. A., excellent loan already on house, \$48.13 per month—\$8,950.00.

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South Side—fully furnished, 4 rooms and bath, corner lot, total price—\$5,000.00.

Phoned For Quick Sale Very nice 2-bedroom frame home, on N. Big Spring, 1133 square feet livable floor space, large double garage with room on back, \$11,800. Terms: \$2,000.00 cash, balance monthly.

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Nice two bedroom FHA dwelling located in College Heights addition, completed last year. \$2,140 lot. Immediate possession.

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Two bedroom frame house just completed. Built under FHA supervision. Venetian blinds, floor furnace, and attached garage. This house is insulated in both the walls and ceiling. Financed through FHA.

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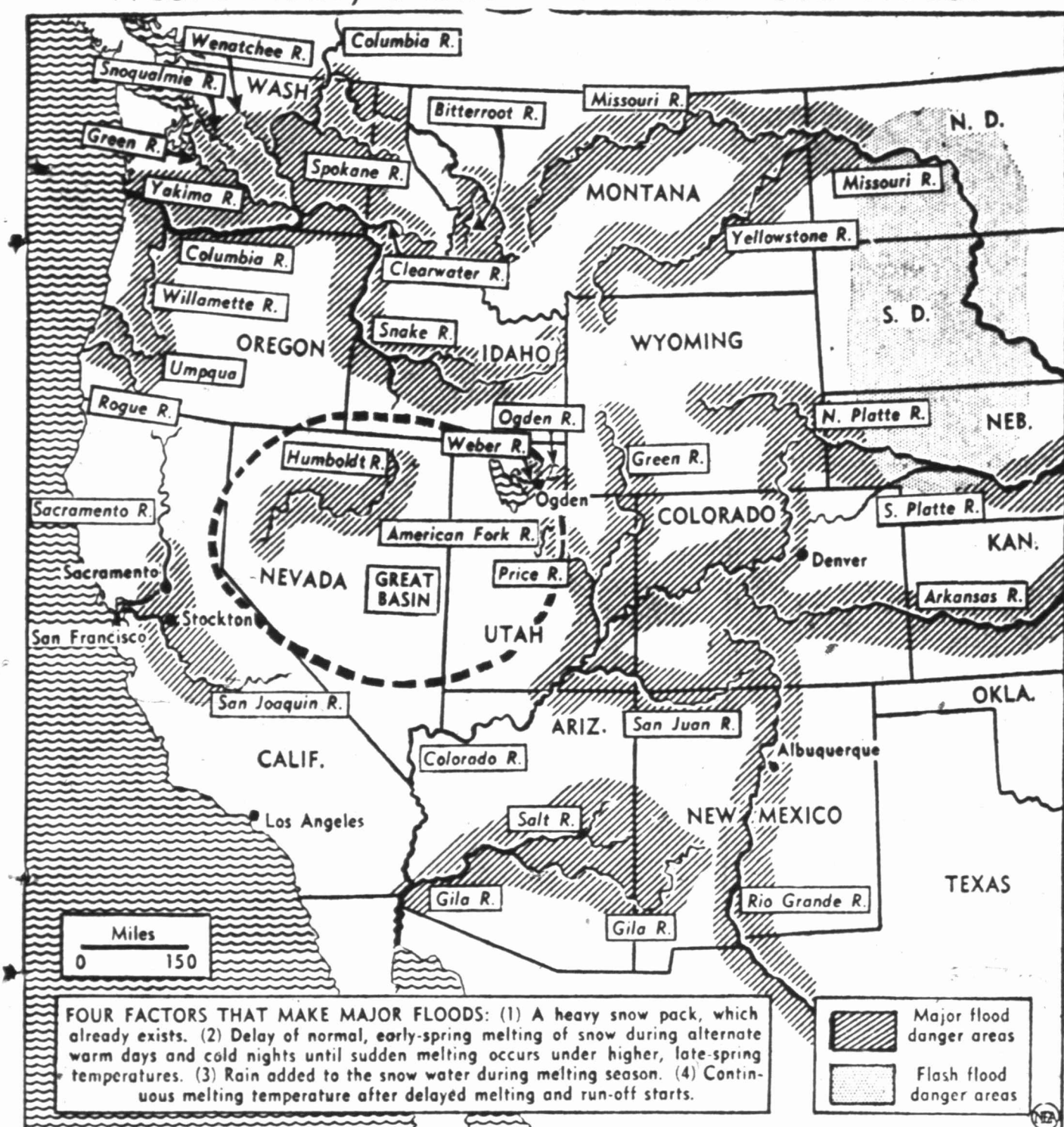
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West's Heavy Snows Now Hold Flood Threat



Threat of disastrous floods is the evil legacy left by the worst blizzards in the history of the West. Map above shows where flood potential is greatest. Snow cover in most major watersheds is above normal. Water content of the cover in the Columbia Basin is 200 per cent of normal; at the headwaters of the Missouri River, 150 per cent; and in the Great Basin and upper Colorado, 175 per cent. But the heavy snows also bring a blessing—sufficient water supply for this summer is assured for practically all parts of the West. Arizona's six-year drought is nearing an end, says the Irrigation and Water Conservation Division of the Soil Conservation Service, which made the snow surveys on which map is based. An exception is California, where the snowpack is deficient. But the outlook is described as "good" in the central area and "fair" elsewhere.

13 Texans Listed As Victims Of Violence In Weekend Mishaps

By The Associated Press
The toll of violent deaths in Texas over the weekend stood at 13 Monday.

Six persons died in traffic accidents, five were shot, one was killed in a plane crash and one died while trying to lift his rowboat to higher ground.

At San Antonio, Mrs. Jesusa Navarro, 53, died of injuries suffered when she was hit by a car. Three persons are held under investigation.

Three-year-old John G. Montemayor died in a San Antonio hospital of a pistol wound in his left chest.

Homicide Detective Fred San Miguel said the child was shot accidentally when he picked up his father's pistol.

Struck By Three Cars
Staff Sgt. Marcel J. Martineau, Somerville, Mass., soldier stationed at Sheppard Air Base near Wichita Falls, was hit by three cars in rapid succession Sunday morning as he stood beside a foggy street. He died enroute to a hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John B. Dewald of Lubbock were killed instantly early Sunday morning when their car struck a parked truck near Hermitage.

John R. Drane, 24, Alabama Polytechnic Institute medical student, was found shot to death in the home of his parents at Houston. He had been cleaning a German pistol.

Philip Nicholson, 58, a Houston vegetable peddler, died from injuries suffered in a wagon-truck collision.

Shooting Victims
Two Dallas negroes, E. L. Newton, 44, and Earnest Carraway, 25, were shot and killed Sunday.

Pete Coffey, cafe operator at Wylie, in Collin County near McKinney, was shot to death as he left a telephone booth Saturday afternoon. Five bullets pierced his body. District attorney Paul Worden said, Andrew J. Taylor, 29, of Wylie was charged with murder.

Lt. Edward G. Ogle, from March Air Force Base at Riverside, Calif., was killed in an airplane crash near Gholson, northeast of Waco.

Charles A. Thompson, 41, Houston, died from injuries suffered in a car crash.

James Edward Johnson, 61, Houston, died while trying to pull his rowboat to high ground to save it from flood waters. Lt. Ed White of the sheriff's office of Harris County said the strain must have killed Johnson.

New Chennault



(NEA Telephoto)
Mrs. Anna Chennault, wife of Maj. Gen. Claire L. Chennault, wartime leader of the famous Flying Tigers, holds her one-week-old daughter, Claire Anna Chennault, in a Canton, China, hospital.

Midlander Heads Finance Drive Of Austin College Exes

SHERMAN—The opening of a campaign for \$150,000 for a Student Union building for Austin College was announced recently by a group of active alumni in recognition of the 100th birthday year of the pioneer Presbyterian institution in Sherman, oldest college in Texas operating under original charter.

The campaign organization is headed by Glen Woodson, Fort Worth and Robert L. Wood, Midland.

The proposal of the ex-students organization is to raise \$150,000 by individual contribution by former students, to present to the college as a Centennial gift this year, with the college administration to supply additional necessary funds to build on the campus a modern Student Union Memorial Building. The structure would memorialize all Austin College men who gave their lives in the two world wars or in the Spanish American war.

Pastor Reelect



The Rev. Earl Rice was reelected pastor of the First Assembly of God Church here at a recent business meeting of the congregation. Before coming to Midland, Mr. Rice was pastor of the Assembly of God Church in Pawnee, Okla.

Midland Woman's Grandmother Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucian Love, 88, pioneer resident of Coleman, and grandmother of Miss Nell Shaw of Midland, were to be held Monday at Coleman. Mrs. Love died Saturday night at her home.

She had resided in Coleman longer than any other living person at the time of her death.

Survivors include 10 children and numerous grandchildren.

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL IN TROUBLE/AGAIN

Principal Charlie Mathews of Midland High School again is in trouble—housing trouble.

He must find a house or apartment for a new faculty member, Red Rutledge, who has been employed as an assistant coach.

Mathews said he will appreciate assistance in finding living quarters for the new teacher.

He may be reached at telephone No. 207.

WANTED FOR MURDER

Lubbock police Sunday issued a radio message that a 30-year-old Mexican man was wanted for murder. Midland police took a description but the man was not seen here.

Jurors For Criminal Case Being Selected

The selection of jurors for duty in the case of the State of Texas versus R. L. Nelson was underway in 70th District Court here Monday.

Nelson is charged by indictment with assault with intent to rob.

Testimony in the case was expected to begin during the afternoon.

Judge Paul Moss indicated several criminal cases will be disposed of this week.

Officer Faces Trial For Prisoner Abuse

FORT MEADE, MD.—(AP)—Col. Henry H. McClure, San Antonio, was scheduled to face military trial here Monday on charges of mistreating American soldiers at the Wurzburg, German, disciplinary camp.

Three other Army officers tried a similar charges here were acquitted by court martials. The trio served under McClure.

Previously witnesses claimed they were not given enough blankets and clothing to keep warm when confined in solitary in January of 1947.

STEALING NEWSPAPERS

Three Midland youths were reported to police Sunday for stealing newspapers and selling them. Officers warned the offenders, reminding them arrests would be made if the practice continued.

LOTS FOR SALE

COMMERCIAL lots for sale, 25 ft. to 186 ft. front, 90 ft. deep 2419 W. Indiana.

LOT for sale—Large lot in Cowden Addition. Strictly residential. See J. B. Peterson at 708 W. Illinois or call 972.

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Sevting Course Class To Be Held In Church

The third session of the 10-hour retail selling course being conducted under the sponsorship of the distributive education department of Midland High School and the Division of Extension of the University of Texas will be held at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the First Christian Church. Miss Ruth Donnell, coordinator, said.

The initial meetings were held in Studio A of KCRS, but increased attendance necessitated moving to larger quarters.

Deibert Downing is the instructor of the course. His subject Tuesday night will be "Knowing What To Say and Knowing How To Say It."

The school is open to all interested persons.

Red Cross Chapter Gives Blood Plasma

The Midland County Chapter of the American Red Cross, during the last 18 months, has made available, without cost, 100,500-cc vacolliters of blood plasma for Midland citizens who could not otherwise obtain the plasma in various emergencies, Henry Murphey, chapter chairman, said.

The plasma was obtained through the Red Cross Blood Bank in Dallas. Its commercial value was \$6,000, Murphey stated.

The Red Cross leader pointed out this is but one of the many services extended daily by the Red Cross Chapter here.

He urged Midlanders to give liberally during the annual Red Cross roll call which opens Tuesday.

Crane News

CRANE—Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hubbard are spending the week in Phillips, visiting their son, Del, and family.

M. D. Morton was called to Dallas Thursday at the death of his mother, Mrs. E. M. Morton.

Seventy-one members and guests were present at a "Ladies Night" event of the Lions Club Thursday. Cecil Bushager related some of his experiences during his stay in Arabia where he was sent by an oil company.

Mrs. Otis Cranfill entertained a number of her friends with a party Friday afternoon in her home in the Kiwanee Oil Camp. Refreshments were served to Mrs. M. M. O'Neal, Mrs. R. A. Carter, Mrs. T. C. Jewell, Mrs. A. F. McCastland, Mrs. D. W. White and Miss Effie Lane.

Mrs. Allie Justice has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. O. Butler, and family in Penwell this week.

Mrs. Allman spent Tuesday to Thursday in Lovington, N. M., visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Alexander.

Little Miss Barbara Jean Pettit has returned to her home after a week's visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rogers in Odessa.

PERMIAN VILLAGE HOUSES BEING MOVED

The work of dismantling and shipping the trailer houses at the Permian Village, government housing project, on the Andrews highway started Monday morning and is to be completed by March 19.

A detachment of 40 men and two officers from Camp Hood are here to handle the job. The trailer houses will be shipped to Fort Sill, Okla.

AERONAUTICS GROUP TO MEET TUESDAY

The Aeronautics Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will meet at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday in the Chamber office, officials said.

Members of the committee are Stanley Erskine, chairman, John W. House, George Glass, M. T. Smith, W. W. LaForce, R. B. Cowden and Bill Globber.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Marriage licenses have been issued at the Midland County clerk's office to Morris Clayton Howell and Betty Joyce Richards and to James William Dorris and Mary Elizabeth Carrigan.

Stanton News

STANTON—The new \$45,000 Texas Theater was jammed to capacity by persons from throughout the area on opening night Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Whitaker are the owners.

Former Martin County Judge B. F. White and his brother, Phillip White, of Lamesa, have purchased the Eliland Motor Company here.

J. L. Hall, pioneer Stanton druggist, recently observed his 42nd anniversary in business here.

Mrs. Edna Davidson has returned from a visit with her sister, Mrs. A. B. Frankling at Sulphur Springs.

T. W. Haynie is in a Big Spring hospital for surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Hill visited relatives in Lubbock recently.

Debo Sneed, Fattie Kessing and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, all students at John Tarleton College in Stephenville, visited relatives here last week.

Miss Edith Davis of Canyon City has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Fred Cook, here.

Visits Mother

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newland, Jr., of Big Spring visited her mother, Mrs. Edna Eubank last week.

Lt. and Mrs. J. W. Stephens and son, Joey, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kelly. They have been residents of Japan for the last two years where he was on duty with the U. S. Army. They will leave for Salina, Kansas, his new duty station, at the expiration of his furlough.

Mrs. Harry Glass of Midland was a recent visitor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Penny Stroud, in the Courtney Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Kelly and children visited in Levelland last week.

Mrs. J. N. Clark and daughter of Kermit, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kelly.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Brown visited friends and relatives at Ackery recently.

The Southern Geophysical Company has announced the removal of its headquarters to Seagraves. The company has maintained offices in Stanton several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Reed are in Stamford at the bedside of her mother who is critically ill.

Patsy and John Dale Kelly visited their parents in Hereford last week.

Livestock

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 1,800; calves 600; cattle and calf trade active at strong prices, some sales in all classes unevenly higher; good and choice steers and yearlings 22.50-24.75; a few light yearlings at 25.00; common to medium kinds 18.00-22.50; butcher and beef cows 16.50-18.50; canners and cutters mostly 12.00-16.50; bulls 15.00-20.50 and choice fat calves 23.00-25.00; culs 17.00-19.00; stocker steer calves 20.00-25.00, a few higher; stocker steer yearlings 19.00-24.50; stocker cows 16.00-19.00.

Hogs 1,500; butchers and sows mostly 50c above last Friday; feeder pigs 1.00 higher; top 21.00 paid sparingly; most good and choice 190-260-pound butchers 20.75; good and choice 150-180 pounds and 290-400 pounds 18.00-20.25; sows 15.50-16.50; pigs mostly 14.00-18.00.

Sheep 1,700; shorn lambs active and strong to 50c higher; shorn sheep scarce; choice club lambs 25.00; good and choice shorn lambs with fresh-shorn to No. 3 pelts 22.00-23.50; a few common and medium kinds 19.00.

Cotton

NEW YORK—(AP)—Monday noon cotton prices were unchanged to .5 cents a bale lower than the previous close. March 32.46, May 32.26 and July 31.08.

ORTHOPEDIC SURGERY INSTRUCTOR SUCCUMBS

DALLAS—(AP)—Dr. Slim Driver, 58, orthopedic surgeon and surgical instructor, died here Sunday.

Dr. Driver taught surgery at the Baylor University School of Medicine from 1922 until it was moved to Houston in 1943. Later he was associate professor of orthopedic surgery at Southwestern Medical College here.

Chinese Are Trapped in a Bank



When the Chinese Nationalist government announced in Shanghai that each Manchurian refugee would be given cash relief of 20,000 gold yuan (\$20), a crowd of 5000—including many nonrefugees—jammed the scene. When the distribution was halted, the mob occupied the Central Bank, demanding financial aid. They were locked inside the bank. Some, like those shown here, had to entreat passersby to buy them some biscuits. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Warren Lee.)

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Your buying habits are well established, insofar as brand-name merchandise is concerned, but you need to know where to find the things you need and find the best values in them, almost by the time you have located the Post Office.

Certainly, you will look to your daily newspaper for most of the answers, rather than bother neighbors with hundreds of annoying questions; and you will be amazed at the number of the answers these people find daily in The Reporter-Telegram.

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A. B. Weiss Services Are Held In Midland

Funeral services for Alfred Bailey Weiss, 43, production superintendent for the Pure Oil Company here, were to be held at 3 p. m. Monday in the Ellis Funeral Home Chapel, with the Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor of the First Methodist Church, officiating. Interment was to be in Fairview Cemetery.

Weiss died suddenly at his home, 2308 West Michigan Street, Saturday afternoon of a heart ailment.

He had resided in Midland 15 months, coming here from Paul Valley, Okla., in 1947.

He was born Nov. 1, 1906 at McAlester, Okla.

Survivors include the widow; a daughter, Mrs. Betty Howdyshell of Jal, N. M.; three sons, James R. Leland and Monty Paul Weiss, all of Midland; the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weiss of Springdale, Ark.; two brothers, J. R. Weiss of the U. S. Navy, and C. C. Weiss of Oklahoma City, and two sisters, Mrs. James Greathouse of Springdale, Ark., and Mrs. Cliff Masoner of Borger.

Palbearers were to be Charles Rubin, G. J. Sevier, W. P. Schaefer, E. E. Staton, Earl Sandy, John Singleton, Neal Marks and Charles Odum.

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Missile Mystery



American authorities in Germany are baffled over the origin of four mysterious projectiles, which have landed and exploded in the same area, just east of Schweinfurt, since October, 1946. The last of the rocket- or jet-propelled missiles landed last Jan. 31, 1949, and eye-witnesses said it came from the northeast and had a 20-foot-long flaming tail. Experts have so far been unable to reconstruct the projectiles from the small bits recovered from the craters.

Prime Minister Backs Sports For Malayan Women

KUALA LUMPUR.—(P)—The Prime Minister of Johore has come to the support of Muslim girls who want to come out of seclusion and play a part in the sports life of Malaya.

Dato Onn Bin Jaafar, a Muslim who is also president of the United Malaya National Organization (a leading Malay political party in the federation) urged Malay women to prepare for the time when they will play an equally important part with men in molding the future of this country.

His action came in the midst of a dispute that developed in Muslim circles after the Malay girls formed the Kuala Lumpur Malay women's hockey association and soon became the object of criticism by certain members of the UMNO.

Onn said the emergence of Malay women from their seclusion was an inevitable social development. It is a sign of the times, he commented, and unfavorable criticism is only a "storm in a teacup."

Go ahead with your sports activities, he wrote one of the team members, "I am right behind you." He also donated \$50 to the team.

Everything—including Kitchen Sink



Here's the answer for people with a tiny kitchen area. It's a new compact unit, including refrigerator, range, oven, sink, shelves, and drawers all in one piece. It's displayed at the National Association of Home Builders' convention and exposition in Chicago, where Dee Balla looks it over.

IN HOLLYWOOD Censors Require Sex Omission Even If Star's An Apparition

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—Now it's ghosts and mermaids and not Jane Russell or Rita Hayworth the movie censors are worried about.

The mermaid is "Miranda," from the English movie of the same name about a mermaid from Capri who goes to London on a spree. But the final scene will be missing, cut by the Johnston office censors, when the film plays American theaters.

The scene was an epilogue, showing the mermaid (lust Glynis Johns) back on the beach at Capri nestling a little mermaid in her arms.

The Film Production Code about babies born out of wedlock, the censors said, also applies to mermaids on Capri or anywhere else.

Now about the ghost—that's Jennifer Jones in "Portrait of Jennie." Or is she a ghost? You

have your choice when you see the picture.

One scene intimated that Jennifer had spent the night in Joe Cotton's apartment. The censors questioned it because Jennifer and Joe are not married.

Only a Ghost. The studio laughed and said, "It's all right. She's only a ghost. She's only in his mind."

But the censors thought it over and told the studio to reshoot the scene. There were two empty teacups on a table, you see, and the censors said if a ghost can drink a cup of tea, well then...

I think you see what I mean.

Robert Rossellini, the Italian director who snagged Ingrid Bergman for a picture to be made in Italy, employed a translator for his Hollywood press interviews merely for protection. He speaks fairly good English but had the translator to give me time to think.

During his talks with Sam Goldwyn, Sam, of course, referred to him as "Moseellini."

It's Gregory Peck for the lead in "Quo Vadis"... Maureen O'Hara, just out of a sick bed, will do an airshow, a film: "Father Was a Fullback," and rehearsals for the stage play, "What Price Glory," which John Ford is staging on the coast for charity. What price stardom? ... Walter Lantz is headed for a world circuit before he stars Woody Woodpecker in a full-length feature. He'll check audience reaction in every country he visits.

Martha Mellows. Martha Raye is switching to ballads instead of scat songs... UI is talking about buying the film rights to "Sam Spade" for Howard Duff.

Progress note: A local theater has a sign on its boxoffice: "No Popcorn Allowed."

Van Johnson and Deborah Kerr will be co-starred in "Please Believe Me." Van plays a lawyer. If her baby is a girl, Esther Williams will name her Tenny. If it's a boy, he'll be Ben, after pappy Ben Gage.

Everlasting Signs
Now Being Produced

AUSTIN—Now they're building billboard signs that are supposed to last forever!

P. K. Pence, University of Texas ceramic engineering department chairman, says new emphasis recently has been placed on porcelain enamel products in the Southwest, particularly on the manufacture of billboard signs.

Several new porcelain enamel industries have opened in the state and are doing a good business in the manufacture of small gas heaters as well as signs, he explains.

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DeNazification In U. S. Zone Grinds Toward Shut-Down

BERLIN.—(P)—The vast deNazification program in the U. S. zone is grinding toward a stop.

Theo E. Hall, the American official in charge of deNazification, says:

"We consider that the primary mission of deNazification has been accomplished in the U. S. zone. From May, 1945, Nazis were kept out of office until their cases were disposed of. The majority are now eligible to hold office."

"During this critical three-year period, however, the Land (state) constitutions were written and elections held. This gave the new governments a chance to take root—and the Nazis had no part in their formation."

Each state enacted an identical law which requires every one over 18 years of age in the U. S. zone to register. About 13,000,000 persons in the U. S. zone have registered.

Some 3,500,000 were listed as "incriminated." Of these, 2,500,000 small fry Nazis were granted amnesty without trial. The trials of 924,616 have been completed. The remainder have died. About 25,000 cases remain to be handled. Most of these are "new registers," that is, persons who have entered Germany recently.

Of the 924,000 Nazis who were tried 22,000 were deprived of their civil rights. Some 103,000 others were placed on probation by the courts. About 47,000 were classed as "followers" and fined. About 17,000 were freed. The remainder were granted amnesties.

Hall believes that the British, French and Russian deNazification programs have loopholes for Nazis to positions of power in government and industry. Only the U. S. zone made an effort to screen the entire population.

Cub Scouts Present Kiwanis Program

Members of Den 3, Cub Scout Pack 6, presented an "Extravaganza" as the program feature at the regular meeting of the Midland Kiwanis Club Monday noon in Hotel Scharbauer.

Jack Crockett was the master of ceremonies. Other Cub taking part were Joe Griffith, Kurt Von Ossink, Gene Paul Scott, Joe Koegler, Jerry FitzGerald, Don Henderson, David Duffield, John Redfern, Noland Duncan, Bobby Smith, Jerrell Bolton and Bill Lees.

The Cub Pack is sponsored by the Kiwanis Club. Mrs. Kenneth Newton and Mrs. Bob Duffield are the Den Mothers.

W. P. Z. German, Jr., spoke briefly concerning the Red Cross finance campaign, which opens Tuesday. He outlined the varied activities of the Red Cross Chapter here, and asked club members to contribute generously to the worthy cause.

The Rev. R. Matthew Lynn, president, presided, and Louis Bartha introduced the program.

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Violence Prompts Heavy Rewards In Texas City Strike

TEXAS CITY.—(P)—Two instances of violence prompted offering of rewards totaling \$10,000 for identification, arrest and conviction of men for assaulting workers of the struck Carbide and Carbon Chemicals Corporation here.

The rewards were offered Sunday by the carbide company after an attack upon two company men Saturday night. A \$5,000 reward was offered in each case.

R. H. Mariani, industrial relations manager of the company, was stopped at the entrance of his home by a car loaded with six or seven men, he said. Mariani said he was struck several times. A physician said the plant official suffered a broken nose.

R. G. Temple, plant guard, said he had been beaten by a carload of men when he was on his way home from the plant.

Approximately 1,400 union men walked out of the plant five weeks ago in a dispute over wages.

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