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WEATHER

Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday. Showers Tuesday. Wednesday and Thursday. Friday, slightly cooler west of Pecos Valley. Monday. Maximum temperature Saturday 85 degrees. Minimum Saturday 55 degrees.

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Fugitive Red Seized On Polish Ship

Admitted Communist



Austrian-born Hans Freistadt, 23, who recently won a fellowship from the Atomic Energy Commission, admitted at Chapel Hill, N. C., he is a Communist Party member but said "I consider myself a loyal citizen of this country." Hans is taking post-graduate work at the University of North Carolina.

Texas Storms Subside

By The Associated Press
Texas enjoyed calmer weather Saturday. A weak cold front which had spawned five tornadoes, heavy thundershowers and hail as it moved into the Panhandle, hung over the Texas North and South Plains. But the weather apparently had settled down. Only scattered showers were reported during the day to the U. S. Weather Bureau at Dallas. The biggest of five tornadoes which swirled briefly in the wheat country northeast of Amarillo Friday night tore down a ranch house. Showers of rain fell on Midland Friday night, accompanied by strong winds with thunder and lightning. The rain threatened a circus performance, softball and baseball games but they were completed before it fell. CAA communications at Midland Air Terminal reported a trace of precipitation.

Leaders Map Clean-Up Campaign



Plans for staging the most intensive Clean-Up Campaign in Midland's history were mapped by civic leaders at a recent meeting in Hotel Scharbauer. The drive opens Monday and continues through May 31. Seated, left to right, are John B. Mills, Keith Stewart, Dr. George Ulvested, general chairman, Mrs. J. B. McCoy and Irby Dyer. Standing, Wayne Harrell, DeWayne Davis, Dr. F. E. Sadler, Frank Monroe, Jack Wilkinson and H. Winston Hull.

Captain Fails In Attempt To Shield Eisler

SOUTHAMPTON, ENGLAND —(P)— Gearhart Eisler, fugitive Communist from the United States, was arrested and carried off the Polish ship Batory Saturday night by four beefy British policemen. The squat, spectacled Communist who jumped \$23,500 bail in the United States, where two prison sentences are hanging over him, was carried into the tiny cabin of the Tender Romsey. After a swift run from the Batory's anchorage to Southampton docks, he was taken ashore without undue protest. Hatless and wearing a brown jacket, he was led down the gangplank by Inspector W. E. Bray of Scotland Yard in an apparently resigned frame of mind.

East-West Near Total Agreement

BERLIN —(P)—American sources said the three Western powers and Russia reached "almost complete agreement" Saturday on the mechanics of restoring Germany's East-West trade and that a full agreement is likely Wednesday. From then on, said Lawrence F. Wilkinson, economic adviser to the U. S. Military Government, interzonal German commerce should start leaping. At the moment, despite the lifting of the blockade Thursday, it is merely a dribble.

State Department Issues New War Danger Warning

WASHINGTON —(P)— The State Department issued a new warning Saturday of danger of a possible Russian attack on Western Europe, despite the easing of cold war tensions. A new power balance must be created in Europe, the department insisted, because present Western defenses are so weak they actually "invite military aggression."

Pre-Trial Hearing In Gas Price-Fixing Suit Slated Monday

AUSTIN —(P)— Pre-trial hearing in the state's gasoline price-fixing suit against 10 major oil refiners will be held Monday in 98th District Court before Judge Charles O. Betts. Attorney General Price Daniel will return from Washington, where he argued the state's side in the nation's biggest land suit—the tidelands case—to announce he is ready in the state's large anti-trust suit in history. Monday's proceedings will deal with objections and exceptions filed by each of the 10 oil companies against the state's charges. Defendants' motions for separate trials also will be considered. Chief allegation in the attorney general's petition is that the refiners have maintained an artificial uniform tank wagon price per gallon on gasoline in Texas since the end of OPA.

Companies involved are Arkansas Fuel Company, Cities Service Oil Company, Continental Oil Company, Gulf Oil Corporation, Humble Oil and Refining Company, Magnolia Petroleum Company, Standard Oil Company of Texas, The Texas Company, Sinclair Refining Company and Phillips Petroleum Company. At present Western power is centered in the United States, 3,000 miles from Europe. The peoples of Western Europe still are worried about invasion dangers. The United States "must assist" the countries to develop power needed to resist invasion. "As of now," the State Department said, "the inadequate defenses of Western Europe invite military aggression, and increasing prosperity makes it a prize x x x. "Not until we share our strength on a common defensive front can we hope to replace this temptation with a real deterrent to war."

CONDITION CRITICAL

Mrs. I. E. Hood was admitted to the Western Clinic-Hospital Saturday for medical treatment. Her condition at 10 p. m. Saturday was described as critical.

A Proclamation

Whereas, the general health and welfare of our citizens depend upon wholesome surroundings arising from good clean living conditions, and whereas, the lives and property of our citizens are endangered by fire caused by the cluttered conditions in homes, business places, alleys and streets, and whereas, the best effort is required for the future development of our community, now Therefore, I, William B. Neely, Mayor of the City of Midland, Texas, do hereby designate Monday, May 16, 1949, as the official opening day of the Clean Up-Fix Up-Plant Up Campaign sponsored by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce, and call upon all departments of the city, its commercial organizations, civic clubs, schools, churches, boys' and girls' clubs and all other associations, and our citizens in general to take an active part in this program of community improvement to insure its success. (Signed) WILLIAM B. NEELY, Mayor

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Arizona Killer May Be Linked To Two Murders In El Paso

KINGMAN, ARIZ. —(P)—Ivan Leroy Miles, 33, pleaded guilty in Superior Court here Saturday to the murder of a California motorist April 7. Judge J. W. Palkner will sentence Miles on May 23. Miles, who also traveled under the name of William Edward Thorn, was arrested the day after Glen Yarborough, Corcoran, Calif., had been shot and killed by a hitch-hiker at a tourist camp here. He confessed the murder to Mohave County Attorney Carl D. Hammond and Sheriff Frank L. Porter May 1. Sheriff Porter revealed Saturday that efforts are being made to determine where Miles was on Feb. 9, 1947. That was the day two men were killed near El Paso. The mystery of their murder never has been solved. The men were R. D. MacNeil, advertising manager of the El Paso newspapers, and Maurice Reaton, Los Angeles advertising man. Porter said it is known Miles was out of jail at the time, having shortly before been released from the New Mexico prison on completion of a 60-month term for forgery. The sheriff said Miles is "having difficulty" remembering where he was. The sheriff is continuing his investigation, he said.

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Twenty-two cases are on the civil jury trial docket of 79th District Court which opens its May term at 10 a. m. Monday. Judge Paul Moss will be on the bench. The civil cases include 12 damage cases, note and deed of trust, note and foreclosure of lien, set aside deed, one divorce and six compensation cases. Petit jurors called at 11 a. m. include: L. G. Yarborough, Sr., H. H. Woody, D. Wimberly, Thomas M. West, M. S. Wray, A. E. Warner, E. M. Watkins, O. F. Wallington, C. W. Van Alstyne, Eugene Vanderpool, C. R. Vandervoort, O. E. Van Meter, George F. Vannaman, Jr., George E. Votava, Richard L. Trumbull, Ralph Trovelli, Frank L. Truss, W. F. Truslove, Joe S. Truss and Roy G. Tuggle. Clyde W. Turner, George S. Turner, L. H. Tyson, Ted T. Thompson, Walter Thompson, R. E. Throckmorton, M. Y. Stone, E. H. Spear, Robert C. Solvay, Kenneth O. South, R. O. Smith, Carroll W. Smith, Harold A. Smith, Lewis Smith, Paul Smith, Ernest Sidwell, Joel R. Sims, Leonard Skaggs, L. T. Sledge, Jr., George G. Slenka, Ben T. Rogers and R. P. Roock. Bert Rosenbaum, J. P. Rickman, D. G. Roberts, W. H. Rhodes, John J. Redfern, Jr., Oswald Raggett, Russell J. Ramalson, Earl Ray, O. M. Pulliam, George D. Putman, W. E. Frazier, J. G. E. Richardson, G. C. Fonder, Jr., Collin O. Fulkett, L. H. Pittman and L. W. Pitzer.

Newspaper Urges Safety On Bikes

With summer vacation time approaching when many Midland youngsters will be riding bicycles, The Reporter-Telegram is running a series of bike safety do's and don'ts. The first of the series is in Sunday's issue of the newspaper. The series is National Safety Council material.

Pilot Dies When Navy Planes Crash

CORPUS CHRISTI —(P)—Lt. (jg) Paul Adams of Worcester, Mass., was killed Saturday in the air crash of two Navy F4F Bearcat fighter planes. Ensign R. C. Wood of Sandy, Utah, pilot of the other plane, parachuted to safety in a field and was picked up by a helicopter from the Naval Air Station here. Adams' wife lives at Corpus Christi.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

DETROIT —(AP)— The federal government was asked late Saturday by UAW President Walter Reuther to intervene in the 110-day-old Ford strike. Reuther said, after another peace parley failed, the dispute was "no nearer settlement than on the day the strike began."

NEW YORK —(AP)— The United Nations Assembly abandoned Saturday night all attempts to adjourn this weekend. It put over until Monday the last two hot issues—Spain and the former Italian colonies.

SHANGHAI —(AP)— The Chinese Communists, fighting toward Shanghai in confused and fluid attacks, appeared Saturday night to have penetrated the main defense ring, less than ten miles from the city at some places.

Midland Rodeo Booster Trips Are Scheduled

The 15th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo June 1-5, will receive area-wide publicity Tuesday and Wednesday as the JayCee-sponsored goodwill tours visit points north, south, east and west of Midland. The rodeo boosters will travel in a passenger charter bus, leaving Hotel Scharbauer here at 8 a. m. both Tuesday and Wednesday. The trippers will be attired in cowboy clothes and armed with Midland Rodeo literature. The goal of the trippers will be to contact as many area citizens as possible by extending personal invitations to attend the big celebration here the first five days of June. Few Reservations Left Dr. Henry Schlichting tour chairman, said Saturday a few reservations still are open on both trips. He invited merchants to send along souvenirs for distribution at Permian Basin points. Other members of his committee are Red Petty, Thornton Hardie, Dick McKnight, Emil Rasmussen and John Frubis. Meals at each stop will be furnished by E. D. Fitzgerald and his Lone Star Ramblers. A police escort will lead the way for the trippers. Garden City, Sterling City, Water Valley, Carlsbad, San Angelo, Mertzon, Barnhart, Big Lake, Rankin, McCamey, Crane and Odessa will be visited on the Tuesday trip. Lunch will be had in San Angelo. The next day the Midlanders will advertise the rodeo in Stanton, Big Spring, Lamesa, Seminole, Andrews, Kermit, Wink, Pecos, Bartstov, Poyte, Monahans, Penwell and Terminal. The boosters will have lunch in Seminole.

Savings Bond Drive Opens Here Monday

The U. S. Treasury Department's Opportunity Drive opens Monday, and Midland county leaders Saturday said residents here are primed to start off the campaign with a bang in the purchase of Series "E" U. S. Savings Bonds. Midland County last year led other West Texas counties in the purchase of Savings Bonds and leaders are confident this county's \$20,000 goal in the Opportunity Drive will be exceeded promptly. John P. Butler is campaign chairman and Jack Wicker is co-chairman. They urge the cooperation of all citizens in purchasing as many bonds as possible during the June 16-June 30 Opportunity Drives. JayCee Assistance Butler Saturday announced the Savings Bond Committee of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce will be responsible for: (1) Payroll Saving Plan; (2) Bond-A-Month pledges; (3) Contacting farm, ranch and dairying industries with informative literature; (4) Distribution of placards. Kenneth Swanson is chairman of the JayCee committee. "Push more opportunity in your future" is the campaign slogan.

UN Approves News Freedom Treaty

NEW YORK —(P)—The United Nations Assembly Saturday approved a proposed world treaty covering the rights and privileges of foreign news correspondents. The assembly voted, however, not to open the treaty for ratification by individual countries until after action is taken this fall on a companion treaty on freedom of information. The final vote was 33 to 3 with 13 absentions. Only the Soviet bloc countries cast negative votes.

Clean-Up Campaign Will Start Monday

A Spring Clean-Up Campaign, termed by sponsors as the greatest and most far-reaching in Midland's history, opens Monday and continues through May 31. The event is sponsored by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with other civic and service organizations. Dr. George Ulvested, chairman of the JayCee's Health and Sanitation Committee, is the general chairman. Other members of his group are Keith Stuart, Malcolm Brenneman, Clarence Cardwell and Paul Wecker. Mayor William B. Neely has proclaimed Monday as the official opening day of the all-out drive to make Midland the cleanest city in West Texas. Members of the Midland Ministerial Association will announce the campaign and stress its importance from church pulpits Sunday morning. Parade Monday A parade through the downtown streets at 4 p. m. Monday will herald the opening of the two weeks program. Red Petty and Larry Trimble are the marshals. The parade, led by the Midland High School Band, will form at the high school at 3:30 p. m. Organizations and business houses are invited to have entries. The parade lineup as announced Saturday is as follows: Band, fire trucks, police escort, garbage trucks, DDT machine, Midland Hardware (Continued on Page 2)

Electra Mourns New Stanza Lost In Whistle Stop Fight

DALLAS —(P)—The little North Texas town of Electra Saturday lost another stanza in its fight against becoming a whistle stop. Federal Judge W. H. Atwell granted a preliminary injunction against the city's swiftly enacted "four barreled" ordinance. The city by the use of speed limits, sanitary inspections and the like had hoped to make the fast Fort Worth and Denver Zephyr stop there as always. The railroad had won before the Texas Railroad Commission its plea to make Electra and seven other towns "conditional" stops for the streamliner to take on and discharge passengers. Friday was the first day of the new schedule and Electra turned out, thousands strong, to greet the Zephyr when it stopped to discharge Mayor T. Leo Moore, former circus publicity man.

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Hospital Is 35 Per Cent Complete

Construction of the \$1,500,000 Midland Memorial Hospital was approximately 35 per cent complete when this picture was taken late last week. The work is progressing on schedule, and completion of Midland's No. 1 project is scheduled early in 1950. The four-story, 115-bed hospital will be one of the largest, finest, most modern and best equipped general hospitals in the Southwest. It is located at the intersection of Illinois Street and the Andrews Highway in Northwest Midland.

West Diplomats Impose Blackout On Strategy Talks

PARIS —(P)—Diplomats of the United States, Britain and France imposed a news blackout Saturday on their joint strategy talks for the imminent Big Four conference on Germany. The Western officials met two and a half hours in the French Foreign Ministry, then adjourned until Monday. Delegation spokesmen said their chiefs had agreed no information would be given out, not even the topics discussed. This policy apparently was adopted in an effort to keep from tipping off the Russians on possible Western moves when Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei I. Vishinsky joins the U. S., British and French foreign ministers to discuss the future of Germany here May 23.

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Nationally Known Club Woman Dies

WACO —(P)—Miss Kate Harrison Friend, 83, nationally known club woman and Shakespearean expert, died Saturday. She was born in Alabama and moved to Cuero, Texas, while still an infant. She came to Waco in 1888. She was related to the Indian maiden Pocahontas, who saved John Smith's life, and to President William Henry Harrison. Funeral services will be held Monday.

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Naval Commander Takes Own Life



A Naval board of inquiry reported all evidence appeared to indicate Cmdr. Everett O. Rigbee, Jr., who was found dead of a gunshot wound in his quarters aboard the Aircraft Carrier Antietam, took his own life. On his last visit to his home in Fort Stockton, Texas, Rigbee was presented with the Distinguished Flying Cross by Capt. James R. Taque, USN.

12-Year-Old Boy Scout Saves Father From Negro Prowler

PORT WORTH — (AP) — A 12-year-old Everman Boy Scout came to the rescue when his father was being chased by a negro prowler Saturday. Young William D. Taylor shot the negro in the face with a .22 caliber rifle from a distance of 30 feet. He and his father, W. H. Taylor, a Texas and Pacific carman, spotted the negro sitting in the Taylor car near the house. The elder Taylor ordered him out of the vehicle and was assaulted by the negro. As the prowler chased Taylor around the car, William grabbed his target rifle, took careful aim and fired. The bullet entered the negro's left cheek and emerged through the right cheek.

Pilots Make Safe Emergency Landing

LEVELLAND — (AP) — Two Air Force pilots from Lowry Field, Denver, made a successful emergency landing in a field near here at 9:15 p. m. Friday after their plane, an AT-6, ran low on gas in a severe rain storm. The plane, piloted by Lt. H. M. Dunlap and William S. Hartley, suffered only minor damage as it overshot the air strip at the Levelland Airport and landed in a plowed field a quarter-mile beyond. A small fire in the engine was extinguished after landing. The fliers were aided by Levelland residents who drove to the field and turned on their car lights when it became evident the pilots would attempt a landing.

HART NAMED TEXAS COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER

AUSTIN — (AP) — Associate Justice James F. Hart of the State Supreme Court will be the speaker at the University of Texas Commencement May 30. Approximately 2,000 students will be candidates for degrees, the largest number in the school's history.

High School Sets Graduation Dates

Members of the Senior Class of Midland High School will receive their diplomas at commencement exercises scheduled at 8 p. m. May 31. Principal Charles F. Mathews, announced Saturday. The Baccalaureate service will be held at 8 p. m. May 29. Both events will be held in the high school auditorium. The Rev. J. Lennel Hester, pastor of the Ashbury Methodist Church, will preach the baccalaureate sermon. The Rev. Clyde Lindale, pastor of the First Christian Church, will give the invocation, and the Rev. Vernon Yearby, First Baptist Church pastor, will read the scripture. The Rev. F. W. Rogers, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, will give the benediction. Commencement Address The address at the commencement exercises will be by Dr. Don H. Morris, president of Abilene Christian College, Abilene. The Rev. Jim Pickens, assistant pastor of the First Methodist Church, will give the invocation. Public schools throughout the city will dismiss for the Summer May 31, with students to receive their report cards at 1 p. m. that day. Senior Day at the high school will be observed Friday, Mathews said. The Senior Class Day program will be held at 2 p. m., May 30, in the school's auditorium. Final examinations at the high school are scheduled May 25, 26 and 27.

Truck Explodes In Holland Tunnel



Police and firemen examine debris of burned trucks in the blasted Holland Tunnel after a chemical truck caught fire, exploded, and set other trucks on fire. Fifty police and firemen were injured fighting the fire and a dock worker was overcome by smoke and fumes.

Clean-Up—

(Continued from page 1) and Furniture Company, Basin Supply and Hardware, Simmons Paint and Paper Company. The paint-up-fix up angle will be stressed during the campaign. Representatives of various civic and service organizations and municipal departments met Wednesday afternoon to map plans for the community-wide event. Jaycee committee members met Thursday night to complete campaign plans. Organizations represented at the Wednesday session included city, county, health unit, Lions, Rotary, Y and Kiwanis clubs, Garden Club, Business and Professional Women's Club, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, Chamber of Commerce and others. City Manager H. A. Thomason assured the group of the full cooperation of the city and said strict enforcement of the city's garbage collection ordinance will be instituted June 15. He said Midland stores now have garbage containers in sufficient supply to meet a city-wide demand. Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the City-County Health Unit pledged the full support of his organization in seeing that campaign results are maintained. School Supt. Frank Monroe said the schools will cooperate in every way possible. H. Winston Hull, chairman of the City and County Affairs Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, pledged the support of that group. The cooperation of other organizations also were pledged. The cemetery beautification project of the Midland Garden Clubs also will be pushed during the clean up drive. Broadcasts are scheduled Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Put Up Or Shut Up, Says Constable, Now Running For Sheriff

HOUSTON — (AP) — Constable Dale Richardson, beaming at reaction to his candidacy for sheriff, Saturday demanded the county grand jury give him an open trial. He set the good people of Harris County hear the facts for themselves, he said. The rangy raider from La Porte made his demand in a formal statement which he said was in answer to the grand jury. The grand jury, charged to investigate Richardson's out-of-precinct raids in Houston, Friday advised District Judge Frank Willford that the constable is on friendly terms with Houston gamblers. Willford also was advised Richardson has been in token raids accompanied by fanfare and publicity. In conversations with reporters, Richardson replied with a "Put up or shut up" demand. Then he announced he will run for sheriff of Harris County next Summer.

Son Born To Five-Year-Old Mother Has Tenth Birthday

LIMA, PERU — (AP) — Little Gerardo Medina and the mother who gave him birth when she was only five years and eight months old, celebrated his tenth birthday Saturday. Medical science was amazed when on Mother's Day, May 14, 1939, Dr. Gerardo Losada performed an operation delivering a son from a mother not much beyond babyhood herself. Now both are sturdy, healthy children, leading the normal, poverty stricken lives of a million others on the western andean slopes. The son's half-breed grandfather has taught him to herd goats, but the child also attends the same school as his mother, Lima Medina, now nearly 16 years old. Lina now knows the boy is her son, and not a brother, as he first had told her. The boy, however, believes she is his sister. Dr. Losada, who saved both mother and son with a Caesarian operation, is far from popular with the children's grandmothers. He says they resent the fact he overruled their desire to send the children abroad for exhibition, hoping to reap a fortune from those who would pay to see them. Mother is Sensitive It was the doctor who convinced authorities the trip should not be allowed. Losada, now owner of a swank clinic, said he plans some day to write a book about the case, and that he can not understand why it did not draw sustained interest from the medical profession abroad. He said the child-mother is sensitive about the case, and weeps if people question her about it. The birthday observance did not disturb the meek life of the little goat herder, who lives in his grandparents' hut at the little Andean village of Tiarapa, south of here. It was school as usual Saturday morning, but worked among the goats in the afternoon, when school closed for the Saturday half-holiday.

What Price Hero Now it can be told: When David O. Selznick was casting "Duel in the Sun" (sometimes referred to as "Lust in the Dust") he offered Bill (Hopalong Cassidy) Boyd the role played by Charles Bickford. Boyd said: "What's the character like?" "A no-good who gets shot in a saloon," Selznick explained. "No thanks," said Boyd. "My kid fans wouldn't like it." "I'll pay you as much as you make in the Hopalong pictures," said Selznick. "No thanks," said Boyd. "I'd rather be a hero to a lot of kids." Marquee sign: "John Loves Mary for a Second Great Week." Barbara Stanwyck was frankly discussing her chorus girl days in

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(Continued from page 1) land yard to arrest him and hold him for extradition. The arrest was not made until after several hours of negotiation, to iron out what one American official described as "international complications." The Batory dropped anchor off Cowes, Isle of Wight, about 12 miles from Southampton's docks. A tender carrying Bray, another Scotland Yard inspector and immigration port officials set out for the ship's side. Aboard were two Americans, William Beck, Southampton consul general, and Felix Verity, assistant attache of the U. S. Embassy. The tender returned—without Eisler. It was understood Eisler refused to leave the ship voluntarily and the ship's master, Capt. Jan Cwiklinski, refused to surrender him on the grounds he was a paid passenger. A U. S. Embassy spokesman then announced Bray was returning to the Batory with a warrant for Eisler's arrest. He said no attempt would be made to serve the warrant immediately, however, if the ship's master would agree to stay anchored off Cowes until Monday evening. However, the master apparently refused to consider a further delay and Eisler was arrested.

Lions Band To Play At McCamey Monday

The Midland Lions Club International Convention Band will furnish the entertainment at the annual ladies night meeting of the McCamey Lions Club there Monday night. Chairman Carl Hyde announced Saturday the band will be held in the McCamey High School cafeteria at 7:15 p. m., with Wilbur Harris in charge. Several other members of the Midland Lions Club are expected to accompany the band to McCamey. The popular musical organization, which last Summer was the official orchestra of the Texas delegation at the New York convention of Lions International, has made several trips recently in the interest of the Midland club's "Jim Daugherty for Governor" campaign.

Students Attend Junior-Senior Banquet Friday

One of the most important events of the Midland High school-year was held Friday evening in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer—the annual Junior-Senior Banquet. Approximately 300 persons attended the event which was concluded with a dance in the ballroom. Toastmaster was Richard Patton, president of the Junior Class. A response to the welcome was made by Lloyd Henderson, president of the Senior Class. Program Listed The program included: Invocation by Frank Monroe, superintendent; talk by Monroe; reading by Dephane Tabor; piano solo by Lynn Dell Moore; duet by Alex Oates and LaVerne Estes; tap dance by Carolyn Cook; vocal solo by Eddie Darnell, accompanied by Joan Nelson; quartet by Joan Wyche, Betty Wilson, Ann Klebold and LaVerne Stephens; benediction by Charles Mathews, principal. Junior sponsors attending included Mrs. Inez Cheatham, Miss Gwen Gordon, Miss Clyde Patmelly and Miss Fannie Reeves. Senior sponsors attending included Mrs. Elsie McGee, Miss Helen Miley and Miss Jo Weaver.

Latin Americans In Annual May Festival

Midland Latin Americans Saturday night were engaged in their annual religious fiesta which always is held here on May 14 and 15. The celebration is a two-day affair and is scheduled to continue until 4 p. m. Sunday. Dancers in gala costumes and with various colorful accompanists participate in the event.

Storms—

(Continued from page 1) by the hallstorms and tornadoes east of northwest Panhandle. About \$40,000 more was estimated as damage to farms and homes in the same area. Light showers were reported Sunday at Amarillo, Big Spring, Lubbock, and in the Wichita Falls area. The hottest spot was Presidio with 101 degrees. It was 95 at Wink, 91 at Laredo. In the cold front area maximum mostly were in the upper 70's. Elsewhere most readings were in the 80's. Heavy Thunderstorms A 40-mile wide area from 45 miles north, northeast of Wichita Falls to 60 miles south, southeast, El Dorado, Okla., had a six-inch cloudburst, and Hollis, Okla., had 2.5 inches. The Weather Bureau radar at Wichita Falls showed a heavy storm moving on the El Reno section. The forecast for Texas Sunday was a few scattered thundershowers with not much change in temperatures.

Oklahoman Killed In Car-Truck Crash

VERNON — (AP) — E. R. Stine, about 55, of Norman, Okla., was killed Saturday in a car-truck collision four miles east of here on Highway 287. His body was being returned to Norman for funeral services. The driver of the truck, R. H. Bohne of Gatesville, Texas, was not injured.

COLLISION REPORTED

Police Saturday reported a collision in the 700 block of North Dallas Street. One of the parties left the scene before officers arrived and is being sought.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Night Clubs Woo Customers In Hollywood Economy Wave

By ERSKINE JOHNSON NEA Staff Correspondent HOLLYWOOD — All this town needs is a lower-priced ulcer to go with its new economy. Everything is going down. It's as obvious in Hollywood's eat, drink and be merry department as in film budgets. No longer do you have to arrange a bank loan before going to a night club. The giggle water and caviar palaces are coming up with all kinds of tricks to woo back customers lost since the war boom. Phil Ruffin's "No Cover, No Minimum, No Federal Tax" has kept the Somerset House jumping. A new sign just appeared in Preston Sturges' swank Playset Restaurant at a turn on the Sunset Strip. It reads: "You're probably eating too much anyway. Why don't you try a half portion at half price. This goes for anything on the menu." Sturges also assures customers of full bar fighers with a spill-over way to guarantee a trimming measure. He's prouder of the gadget than his latest picture. Hollywood Reconnaissance: John Beal's Actors' Hobby Mart is displaying children's furniture made by Kirk Alyn, who plays Superman, and knitting by former Dead-End Kid Billy Halop. What Price Hero Now it can be told: When David O. Selznick was casting "Duel in the Sun" (sometimes referred to as "Lust in the Dust") he offered Bill (Hopalong Cassidy) Boyd the role played by Charles Bickford. Boyd said: "What's the character like?" "A no-good who gets shot in a saloon," Selznick explained. "No thanks," said Boyd. "My kid fans wouldn't like it." "I'll pay you as much as you make in the Hopalong pictures," said Selznick. "No thanks," said Boyd. "I'd rather be a hero to a lot of kids." Marquee sign: "John Loves Mary for a Second Great Week." Barbara Stanwyck was frankly discussing her chorus girl days in New York. "I was in the 16th row of the chorus, she said, "but I never say that. Always toss it off by saying, 'I was with Ziegfeld.' That does it." I also loved Barbara's comment when she was told someone had written a book about television technique. "Why," said Barbara, "I know a lot of people who don't even know how to work the dial yet." Mary Pickford is ready with the script of the Mary Baker Eddy film-biography with the possibility that she may produce the picture starring herself. . . . Garbo must mean it about her return to the screen this year. She's sitting in with writer Sally Benson on the screenplay of the Balsac story she'll make with Walter Wanger. Safety First Jane Wyman is telling friends that she's taking only two trunks with her when she sails on the Queen Mary in a few weeks to do "Stage Fright" in England. One trunk will carry dinner dresses which she'll wear at the captain's table every night and the other will carry sea-sickness pills to guarantee her appearance at the captain's table every night. Jane's children will spend early Summer with papa Ronald Reagan, and then join Jane for a tour of Europe. Palm Springs Memories postscript: The dude-ranch atmosphere at the Thunderbird, so ably managed by Frank Bogert. The chef even joins in the fun, singing after-dinner songs. . . . A famous western star falling off a bicycle while being photographed at the Wonder Palms. Owner Joe Blumenfeld, who heads the largest independent theater chain in California, telling me that a San Francisco syndicate has perfected color for television. . . . The low key lighting at the Doll House—inspired by movie stars who don't want to be recognized. Flashlight a standard equipment for autograph hounds there. Read the Classifieds.

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Headquarters Staff Members



Members of the Headquarters Staff of the 4607th Logistical Training Division (Organic) Midland, have received their assignments from Fourth Army Headquarters. Pictured, left to right, they are Col. H. W. Mathews, commanding officer; Lt. Col. Raymond A. Lynch, G-4; Lt. Col. F. B. Whitaker, chief of staff; Lt. Col. E. Patterson, G-1; Col. James Parker, deputy chief of staff; Lt. Col. Walter H. Walne, G-3; Lt. Col. Paul Colliston, G-2.

Col. R. R. Lowden Assigned Here As Army Instructor

Col. R. R. Lowden, Regular Army, has succeeded Lt. Col. H. F. Dowd, as the Army's senior instructor in this section of West Texas, it was announced Saturday. Colonel and Mrs. Lowden will reside in Midland.

The new instructor will be introduced at a training meeting scheduled at 2 p. m. Sunday. Applications have been returned from the Austin office concerning the Home Station Training Session to be held here June 12. The applications must be signed during the Sunday meeting. All officers are urged to attend.

Colonel Lowden's last assignment was with the Chief of Staff, Pentagon Building, Washington, D. C. During World War II, his first assignment overseas was the command of the 46th Group and Plymouth Area commander in England. He had charge of Operation Tiger and Operation Overlord. From July 20, 1944, to Nov. 10, 1944, he was located on Utah Beach handling trucking units for the Red Ball Supply Routes. Following that assignment, he was sent to Maraisville on a special transportation mission.

Tyler Oil Man Placed Under \$5,000 Bond

TYLER—(AP)—Chris A. Amos, 48, Tyler oil lease and royalty broker, was released from jail Saturday on \$5,000 bond.

He is charged with opening the safety deposit box of P. G. Lake Tyler oilman who was robbed in his hotel room last Monday night of several hundred dollars.

Officers asserted Saturday an imprint of Lake's key, taken at the time of the hotel robbery, was used to make another for the deposit box.

Amos was arrested soon after he entered his automobile after leaving the bank. Officers said they found \$5,000 marked money on him.

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Louisiana Senator Will Be Co-Sponsor Of GOP Labor Bill

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A Southern Democratic senator said Saturday he has decided to join in sponsoring a Republican-written substitute for the Administration's Taft-Hartley repeal bill.

Senator Ellender (D-La.) said he has accepted an invitation to be a co-sponsor extended to him by Senator Taft (R-Ohio), one of the three GOP authors of the substitute measure.

Ellender predicted that perhaps a half dozen other Southern Democrats in the Senate also probably will put their names on the substitute in a few days.

The measure backed by Taft and Senators Smith (R-N.J.) and Donnell (R-Mo.) would make more than a score of changes in the Taft-Hartley Law, but—in Taft's words—would retain "the best features" of that law.

Five Big Amendments
The Administration bill, on the other hand, would junk the T-H Law and replace it with a modified version of the old Wagner Act. The Taft-Smith-Donnell substitute is in the form of five big amendments to the Administration measure.

The Louisiana senator has forecast that when the showdown comes in the Senate from 14 to 22 Democrats, most of them from the South, will vote for the GOP-authored substitute.

That showdown probably won't occur for another month or six weeks.

McCamey Graduation Scheduled Friday

MCCAMEY—Commencement exercises of McCamey High School will be held at 8 p. m. Friday in the high school auditorium. Robert Lea will give the salutatory address and Wynelle Morgan will give the valedictory.

Miss Ann Hawkins will play the professional, "Largo" by Handel. Helen Sharp will give the invocation. Other program numbers include: clarinet duet by Dale Williamson, Wallace Hudson, accompanied by Claudine Brown; quartet, "Aloha Oe" by Dorothy Todd, Mary Strong, Helen Sharpe and Wanda Duncan. Principal E. R. Sharpe will present school awards; Fletcher R. Stapp will present the Chamber of Commerce Award with H. E. Stoker presenting the diplomas.

The class song written by Beatrice Wolf, a graduate of the McCamey schools, "As the Years Go By" will be sung by the graduating class. Jack Strickland, a graduate will give the benediction.

Approximately forty three students will receive diplomas.

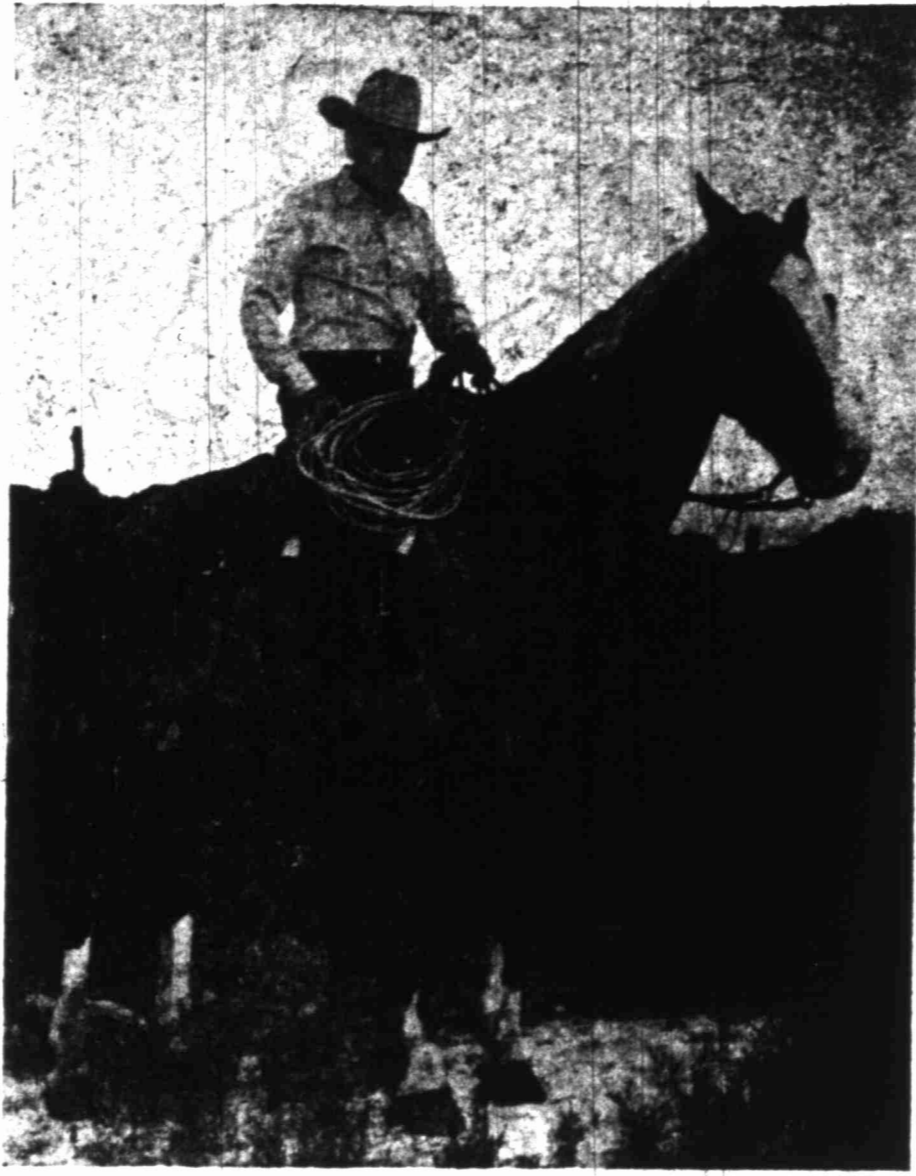
Odessa FFA Team Wins State Contest

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—Odessa won first place Saturday in the team livestock judging contest of the Future Farmers of America. Arlington was second and Claude third.

M. Rodriguez of Arlington was the individual high scorer. Richland Springs won in meats judging, followed by Fredericksburg and Denison. Robert Crane of Richland Springs won the individual high.

Paris captured the dairy cattle judging contest. Commerce was second and Waco Tech third. Earl Schaefer of Waco Tech took individual honors.

Midland Rodeo Arena Director



Everett E. Colborn of Dublin, Texas, manager of the World's Championship Rodeo Corporation, again this year will serve as arena director at the 15th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. Colborn's organization will furnish the rough and tough livestock for the rodeo's cowboy events, including bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, calf roping, bull riding and bulldogging. A Cutting Horse contest also is scheduled. More and better novelty acts and attractions are scheduled this year than ever before.

Texas House Has Set Modern Legislative Record, Asserts Speaker Durwood Manford

By MARTHA COLE
AUSTIN—(AP)—Underneath that froth of hubbub and confusion in the Texas House of Representatives this session is a solid record of hard work.

Speaker Durwood Manford of Smiley pointed it out. "Every day something controversial has come up. There hasn't been a single day when the speaker could sit back and relax."

"You just sit back and think—that House has worked."

To a novice onlooker it's the babble of a thousand tongues—150 to be exact. There's a public address system. The speaker has a microphone and there are two mikes on the floor.

Total Airlift Cost Set At \$190,077,000
WASHINGTON—(AP)—The National Military Establishment estimates the cost to the United States of the Berlin airlift at about \$190,077,000.

This figure includes \$181,307,900 for the air phase carried on by the Air Force and Navy, and \$8,770,000 for the Army, which did the ground job.

The total for the Air Force-Navy operation covers the period from the start of "Operation Vittles" on June 26, 1948, through Thursday.

The Army cost is projected through the year ending June 30, but the announcement said ending of the airlift before that date "would reduce the estimate only slightly."

"At present," the summary said, "it is not known exactly how much longer the air supply of Berlin will continue."

Through Thursday, a total of 1,589,567 tons had been carried by the British and American planes. The American planes ferried 1,221,281 tons of the total.

Dirt, Squirt and Quirt

— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

And still it rains in West Texas. This column is being written late Friday night as the customary weekend rains started falling. We don't know of a better condition under which to write a livestock column than in the rain.

This particular column may not read any better, but the rain beating down on the roof surely lends inspiration. It is sweet music to our ears as it is to the ears of West Texas ranchers who have experienced one of the area's worst droughts during the last eight or nine years.

The range country as a whole looks better than it has since 1941. Prospects for bumper crops this year are excellent. It looks like a banner year for the rancher and the farmer.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture, in its Texas Weekly Crop and Weather Bulletin, said "Range and pasture feed was abundant in all areas excepting the Trans-Pecos. Additional rains in that area as well as in all Plains counties added further to the moisture reserves in those western areas. All classes of livestock were fat and growing rapidly on the luxuriant green feed supply. The Spring movement of big steers to Kansas and Oklahoma was at a peak. Marketing of yearling weaners from the Plateau counties increased sharply as the weather cleared."

The bulletin reported 1.12 inches of precipitation at Midland for the week ended May 9. Lubbock led the field with 5.88 inches.

The rain still is coming down as this column progresses.

Hawley Allen Van Court was in Midland Friday from his ranch in Crane County. He reports fine rains and excellent pasture conditions. Van Court said he has just finished marking his sheep and expects to start shearing soon.

Leonard Proctor has been waiting several days for a sheep-shearing crew to show up at his ranch southeast of Midland. The shearing was to have started last week. Proctor said the crew doubtless is running behind schedule because of the recent rains. He will have to hurry now if he completes the huge task by Midland Rodeo time.

J. H. Crouch and Charley Cox, Glasscock County ranchmen, were in Midland Friday. Both of the prominent and popular ranchers smiled broadly while telling of ample rains and top range conditions in Glasscock County. Crouch said the grass is coming out fine and really is growing. The weeds and wild flowers also are plentiful.

And speaking of Midland Rodeo (we did mention it a few paragraphs back), this rainfall isn't hurting prospects for a record attendance one single bit. Considering the fact that Midland Rodeo since 1941 have smiled broadly in dry years and still have attracted large crowds, it will be expected that the attendance this wet, wild flower year will be the largest in history. The dates are June 1-5.

And the crowds this year will have to be larger if expenses are met. Rodeo officials are spending more than ever before to bring top entertainment to rodeo fans of Midland and the Permian Basin. The show will be by far the best ever staged here.

The rodeo events include a cutting horse contest, bronc riding, wild cow milking, bareback bronc riding, calf roping and bulldogging. Many novelty acts and special events have been contracted. Ray Lackland will announce the show, and George Mills will close it.

Everett Colborn has sent word the rodeo stock is the wildest and meanest ever brought here. He said he has just returned from Florida with a string of bulldogging steers which will be used for the first time in Midland.

"It is safe to say the steers will test any bulldogger's mettle," Colborn said.

The famed Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy Band, assisted by the Midland High School Band, will furnish the best rodeo music available. All in all, Midland Rodeo this year will be tops from every angle. It is World Championship.

The JayCee boosters take to the road this week to tell area citizens all about Midland Rodeo and to invite them here for the major attraction. The goodwill trips will be made in charter buses.

Many Midlanders are in San Angelo this weekend to attend the annual San Angelo Horse Show. A number of Midland animals are being shown.

Upton County Agent W. M. Day and his four-member 4-H Club

Judging team went to San Angelo Saturday to participate in the Districts 6 and 7 wool and mohair judging. Representatives from 14 counties were to compete in the contest, with the first and second place teams becoming eligible to participate in the state meet at College Station June 13.

Members of the Upton County team are Bobby Johnson of McCamey and Loyd Gene Yocham, Ted Yocham and Grover Yocham, all of Rankin.

Brooks sold 51 Palominos and Quarter Horses for an average of \$196.80 per head.

Spres also paid second top price, \$1,000, for Babe Sorrell, a seven-year-old stallion consigned by Brooks.

Members of the West Texas Hereford Association will make their annual tour Monday and Tuesday in the Abilene sector.

The Texas cotton crop in 1948 totaled 3,150,000 bales of 500 pounds gross net weight according to the revised estimate of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics. This is 60,000 bales below the preliminary estimate made last December, and is based on final ginnings reported by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

The acres planted to cotton in 1948 was about four per cent greater than that planted in 1947 and was the largest planted acreage since 1940. Acreage abandonment, while not excessive, was more than the very light abandonment for the previous year. The 8,600,000 acres harvested was only 3 per cent above 1947, and was the largest since 1938.

The harvested yield of 176 pounds of lint cotton per acre compares with the relatively high yield of 198 pounds the previous year and is about six pounds above the average for the ten years 1938-47, the Bureau report said.

Dr. Ide P. Trotter of Texas A&M College will confer with officials of the United States Department of Agriculture, this week, on problems of international trade in cotton. Special emphasis will be placed on problems which affect cotton producers in Texas.

During the Summer of 1948 Dr. Trotter, then director of the Extension Service of the Texas A&M College System, conducted a study of the cotton situation in the Orient. He was loaned to the Office of Foreign Agricultural Relations of the USDA. He visited Japan, China, India, Pakistan and Greece.

Dr. Trotter now is dean of the graduate school and extension consultant in personnel and professional improvement. He goes to Washington in the latter capacity.

Texas dairy producers are poised to make June Dairy Month action time to protect and build the markets for milk and its products in the year ahead.

Dairy leaders from every branch of Texas' great dairy industry are completing plans for the voluntary June ADA advertising set-aside to be made from farmers' milk and cream checks at dairy plants throughout the state.

The directors of the American Dairy Association of Texas are elected annually to represent farmers in every branch of the dairy industry. The directors serve without pay.

Texas is one of 40 states united in action where the dairy farmers set-aside a penny a pound of butterfat during the 30 days of June for dairy product promotion 365 days.

The moisture has stopped at least for the moment, so Dirt, Squirt and Quirt will head for the bunkhouse before the next downpour gets underway. And don't forget the 15th Annual World Championship Rodeo, June 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

Jobless Pay Checks Decline; Claims Rise

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The number of workers drawing jobless insurance pay fell off 57,800 last week, the first drop in a month.

This decline brought the total down to 1,880,000 during the week ended May 7 as compared with 2,037,000 for the preceding period.

But the Federal Security Agency said Friday the number of newly laid-off workers filing claims for unemployment compensation rose from 322,100 to 354,000 in the same period.

The Mann Act commonly known as the "white slave act" was passed by Congress in 1910

Armed Forces Honor Airlift Casualties

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Armed Forces Saturday paid special tribute to the 28 Americans killed in the Berlin airlift who, says Defense Secretary Johnson, "gave their lives for their country in the same spirit as those in World War II."

Johnson announced the National Military Establishment is sending special certificates of honor to the next of kin. These awards were authorized at the suggestion of Senator Wiley (R-Wis.), a member of the Foreign Relations Committee.

Texas airlift casualties and their next of kin receiving the special certificates include:

1st Lt. Ralph H. Boyd, Mrs. Wanda K. Boyd, wife, Fort Worth; Maj. Edwin C. Ditz, Mrs. Doris M. Ditz, wife, Fayetteville; 1st Lt. Willis F. Hargis, Mrs. Euzelia L. Hargis, mother, Nacogdoches; 1st Lt. Royce C. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis D. Stephens, parents, San Antonio; 1st Lt. Lowell A. Whiston, Jr., Mrs. Dorothy Nell Patton Whiston, wife, Corpus Christi; 1st Lt. Leland V. Williams, Mrs. Edith Jeanette Williams, wife, Abilene.

TEXAS SOLDIER IN ALASKA KILLS WIFE, THEN SELF
KODIAK, ALASKA—(AP)—Police reported that Sgt. William Taylor, 30, of Corpus Christi, Texas, shot his wife to death Friday, then died 12 hours later of self-inflicted pistol wounds. Taylor was stationed at Fort Greely.

Police said the Taylors, married less than a year, had been having domestic trouble.

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Our Hospital Will Be Completed

Officials of the Midland Memorial Foundation are definite in their announcement that the Midland Memorial Hospital will be completed at the earliest date possible, perhaps in January, 1950.

Some misunderstanding seems to have resulted from a recent plea urging persons to pay their pledges to our hospital. Work has not slowed on the fine structure and will not be interrupted. But sufficient funds have not been received by the foundation to complete the project.

Records of the foundation show the hospital and necessary equipment will cost \$1,340,000. Of this amount \$436,666 will be received as a grant from the federal government. This leaves a balance of \$903,333 to be provided by citizens.

Funds collected to date by the foundation total \$648,065 and unpaid pledges amount to \$96,165, for a total of \$744,230.

This leaves a balance needed to complete the hospital of \$159,102. Foundation officials also point out that an operating fund of approximately \$50,000 should be on hand when the doors are opened so that our memorial hospital can open debt free and with adequate operating capital.

Hence, \$209,102 are needed to complete our hospital debt free and to give it proper operating capital. So it again is up to Midlanders to contribute generously to their No. 1 project. Several citizens have indicated they will make additional contributions and others will be asked to make donations to the hospital fund.

There is no question concerning the need for the hospital to serve our rapidly growing city and Permian Basin area. Costs of construction and equipment increased considerably from the time of first estimates until contracts were executed and persons who have had occasion in recent years to build or equip businesses or industries thoroughly understand this situation.

The need for hospital facilities is much greater now than when the project was originated. Let's complete our hospital free from the burden of mortgage or debt.

Andrew Carnegie once said "Surplus wealth is a sacred trust which its possessor is bound to administer in his lifetime for the good of the community."

Drop The Knife, Louie

Knife-and-fork eating has a bad effect on our molars, says a Canadian dental professor. When we cut our food in small pieces we only use our back teeth to chew. On the other hand, food stuffed in the face by the fingers permits gnawing and gives the teeth and gums good exercise.

Manners aside, we're surprised to learn that a hand-to-mouth existence is so healthful.

The simile "pretty as a picture" lost some of its effectiveness with the development of modern art.

Folk who are glad to get up in the morning usually find it a lot easier to get up in the world.

A Kansas woman has jazz music played for her cows to increase the milk output. From hay, hay to hey, hey!

Eight hours work, eight hours sleep and eight hours play—and you have no time left for worry.

A French boxer kissed his opponent after losing to him. He got in one good smack, anyway.

Pretty Insect

Word search puzzle with a butterfly illustration. Includes a list of insects and words to find in the grid.

Gentlemen, Be Seated



McKENNEY on Bridge

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

When I received an invitation recently from Dong Kingman to see the exhibition of his paintings at the Midtown Galleries in New York City, I did not at first connect the name with the Chinese boy I knew as a bridge player.

I went over to the exhibition and found Dong enthusiastic because one of his watercolors had won the 1949 American Watercolor Society prize. Dong was born in Oakland, Calif., but at the age of 5, he went to China and stayed there until he was 18. Then he returned to the U. S., married, and his 18-year-old son is now in the Marine Reserve. Dong teaches art at Columbia University and at Hunter College in New York.

A great many doctors and professional men paint for relaxation, but Dong's relaxation is bridge. He thought he was lucky on to-

Bridge hand diagram showing cards for Mr. Kingman and Dealer. Includes a tournament table for 'Neither vul.' with columns for South, West, North, and East, and rows for 1♥, 2♣, 3♦, 4♠, 5♣, and Opening.

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Impossible Work Load Faces Congress Bound By Red Tape

By PETER EDSON, NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—The job now before the 81st Congress is impossible. An unofficial inventory of the congressional work load as of May 1 reveals that fact all too clearly.

In the first four months of this session, roughly 2,000 bills have been introduced in the Senate and 5,000 in the House. The average is 11 per congressman, though this includes many duplicates.

But of all these 7,000 bills introduced, less than 200 can be considered of top importance. Where Congress bogs down is in its inability to give priority to the most important bills, and then handle them. The fault is not all with the congressmen. No group of men on earth could dig through this straw stack of bills, sift the wheat from the chaff and make good loaves of nourishing bread to keep the national body from starving. It is with the system that something seems to be wrong. What seems to be needed is something that will permit Congress to concentrate on the important things, and handle them.

As good an index as any on what may be considered important can be made by a study of the President's messages to Congress on State of the Union, and the budget and the economic reports. In addition to these three messages, the President has this year sent up 12 special messages asking Congress for legislation not ready at the opening of the session.

Analysis by competent legislative experts reveals that in all these messages, the President has listed more than 10 subjects on which he thought new legislation was advisable. The appropriation bills and major legislative proposals by congressmen and by the executive agencies of the government provide the other half of the picture. There are 200 top-priority matters mentioned above.

This entirely unofficial designation of what is important is by no means an effort to say that all of the bills proposed by the President should be passed. Some are long-range proposals which obviously require more study. Some of them—perhaps many of them—should be defeated because they are bad legislation. But certainly none of them and none of the top congressional agenda should be permitted to die on the vine. The bad ones should be taken up, debated and then defeated by a record vote.

Up to May 1, the 81st Congress has passed only 55 public laws plus 37 private bills of lesser importance. This isn't the whole story. Actually the House has passed 395 measures and the Senate 251. But because these haven't been the same measures, the bulk of what has been passed by one House is unfinished business for the other.

Many measures die at the end of every session of Congress because they have been half-passed in this manner by only one House. This is merely further evidence that the present congressional machinery is not geared for efficient production. Only 12 measures have been passed since the last session.

A check of the 100 most important measures requested of Congress in presidential messages shows that only 12 have been enacted into law. "The list is worth a quick run-down: European Recovery Program authorization. (Appropriation is still to come.) Relief for Arab victims of the Palestine war. Creation of the office of undersecretary of national defense. Creation of a radar defense network against aerial attack. Alaska housing legislation. Extension of Maritime Commission

Questions and Answers

- Q—Who invented the saxophone? A—The saxophone was invented by and named after Antoine-Joseph Sax, a Belgian instrument maker. Just when he invented the saxophone is not known, but he registered it in June, 1846.
Q—Who served as both president and chief justice? A—William Howard Taft has been the only person to occupy the two highest offices in the federal government. From 1909 to 1913 he served as the 27th President of the United States and from 1921 to the time of his death he served as chief justice of the United States.
Q—Do moths eat clothes? A—A—Moths do not eat woollens, furs and other fabrics, as popularly supposed. They do, however, lay their eggs on such materials and the fabric provides the larvae with their food supply.
Q—What was the lost island of Atlantis? A—Atlantis was a mythical island which the ancients believed was engulfed by the Atlantic Ocean in prehistoric times. It is mentioned by Homer, Horace and Plato who regarded it as inhabited. Many have tried to prove its existence, but according to late geologists the "lost continent" of Atlantis never existed.
Q—Where is the Cathedral of St. Peter and St. Paul? A—This is the correct name for the National Cathedral in Washington, D. C.
China's Empress Dowager Tzu Hsi outlawed the ancient practice of binding women's feet to keep them tiny.

DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Copyright, 1949, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)
Drew Pearson says: FDR Jr. battles strange coalition in his fight for Congress; Earl Browder admits U. S. is fair; Latin Americans skeptical about U. S. help.

WASHINGTON—Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., is facing somewhat the same type of coalition in his battle to win Sol Bloom's old seat in New York's 20th Congressional District as the Communists have staged in parts of Europe. In Rumania, for instance, the Communists teamed up with the Fascist iron guard and even tried to get exiled King Carol back to rule under the wing of the Soviet.

In New York, likewise, the Communist-dominated American Labor Party has made an under-the-table deal with the old guard leaders of Tammany to knife FDR, Jr., under cover, the American Labor party is working for Tammany's Judge Shaleck, which is the payoff for a secret deal last year whereby Tammany knifed its own candidate in favor of Congressman Vito Marcantonio, only Labor Party member now serving in Congress.

The alliance would make Jimmy Walker turn over in his grave. But despite bitter attacks from both the Daily Worker and old guard Tammanyites, FDR, Jr., is making real progress. In fact, he has Tammany in a state of jitters. His chief backers are the Liberal Party plus a great many regular Democrats who have bolted Tammany to send another Roosevelt to Washington.

"When Frankie Costello (the big gambler) can tell a Roosevelt that he can't run on the Democratic ticket," says FDR, Jr., "then I thank God for the Liberal Party." Note—FDR, Jr., is staging a bang-up campaign, is drawing enthusiastic crowds, and is showing a lot of his father's political "U. S. A." Earl Browder, former head of the Communist Party, was talking with Lawrence Spivak the other day prior to a "Meet the Press" radio program.

Spivak asked Browder whether any of the former Communist boss' children have been harmed by their father's political activity. Browder replied that his oldest son is a brilliant mathematician and is now teaching at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Continued Browder: "You know, this is the only nation in the world where someone like my son could go so far despite his father's political views." Latin-American Skepticism

Public hopes for American money under President Truman's "Point Four" plan are growing daily in Latin America. This is the plan for aiding underdeveloped areas. However, there are also some mental reservations. Latin Americans are much more aware of all this history than we are, and feel that we have a moral responsibility—to do something constructive toward helping the republics whom we divided 100 years ago. The Truman "Point Four" program may be the answer.

Atomic Secrets The Senate Foreign Relations Committee likes to appear united behind the bipartisan foreign policy. But privately, some members have been slipping critical questions to Senator Donnell of Missouri and Senator Watkins of Utah, the two Republican critics who have been sitting in on the North Atlantic Pact hearings.

The other day Senator Brian McMahon of Connecticut passed some questions on atomic energy to Watkins to be asked of Secretary of Defense Johnson. McMahon had tried to get atomic-energy data from Johnson on these same questions at a closed-door hearing, but the secretary of Defense wouldn't talk. Watkins had no better luck, and McMahon leaned over and grumbled in Watkins' ear: "He won't tell me, he won't tell you and he won't tell the people." GOP Economy

Because of dwindling contributions, GOP leaders may be forced to practice some of the economy they always preach. It hasn't been advertised outside the party, but

Typographical Error Cited in Photograph Of Published Letter

WASHINGTON—A letter from President Truman that appeared to rebuke Speaker Rayburn and other Democratic House leaders was all mixed up by "typographical errors," the White House said Saturday.

"No slap at any person was intended," it was emphasized. A picture of the letter, which spoke sharply of "compromisers" on the labor bill in Congress, was published in a union newspaper. It mentioned no names. Rayburn and other friends of the President in the House recently tried, without success, to engineer a compromise to get a Taft-Hartley Act repealer through the House.

When the photographic reproduction of the letter was called to the attention of White House Press Secretary Charles Q. Ross Saturday, he said he discovered some "typographical errors." One paragraph of the communication addressed to A. F. Whitney, president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, read: "The compromisers got nowhere, as I was sure they wouldn't, and they never had any consideration whatever for me."

Ross said the President meant "compromisers" instead of "compromisers," and that the end of the sentence should have been "never had any consideration whatever (instead of 'for') me."

Cancer Victim Dies In Spite Of Atomic Chemical Treatment

LONDON—(AP)—Iris Davis died Saturday of a brain cancer. One of the new wonders of the world—a radioactive chemical from the atomic ovens in Tennessee—had little to do with the growing tumor that sapped her life. Iris, the pretty 24-year-old daughter of a New York newsreel theater operator, was stricken last Autumn while on a tour of Europe.

At a hospital overlooking the dry winter scene of suburban Hammersmith, doctors advised that a radioactive chemical might save or prolong her life. Her father, Jack Davis, appealed to the U. S. Atomic Energy Commission, "The chemical, carrying the rays that can mean death or the hope of life, was flown from Oak Ridge, Tenn., to London.

The British Medical Research Society agreed to take it in custody and rush it to the hospital. Iris lived on five months and 25 days. Saturday morning, while Londoners were sitting down to breakfast, her father telephoned The Associated Press. "Iris died this morning," he said simply.

Texas Tack Eater Leaves Hospital

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Bobby Sanders of Orwell, Texas, who had a tack removed from his lung Thursday, was discharged from Temple University Hospital Saturday.

The boy swallowed the upholstery tack last Sunday. After medical treatment at Wichita Falls failed to dislodge it, he was flown to Temple's bronchoscopic clinic. Hospital officials said Bobby was in good condition and would return home Monday.

Midlander's Mother Dies; Service Held At Sterling City

STERLING CITY—Mrs. W. G. Welch, 76, mother of Owen Welch of Midland, died May 12 at Springfield, Ark., and funeral services were held Saturday here. The Rev. E. H. Lovelace, pastor, officiated at the services at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Welch died while visiting a daughter in Arkansas. She had been a resident of Sterling City 33 years.

Other survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Ray Knight of Springfield, Ark., and a son, Earl Welch of Water Valley.

ISLAND OF ESCAPE

By Hugh Lawrence Nelson
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THE STORY: Four new arrivals on Spore Island complete Henry George Harding's attempt to establish a "New Eden." The newcomers consist of a small group which was shipwrecked on the island. Fred Stillwell, the leader of the group, is grumpy and tries to deal with Bea Cosgrove, who is in charge of supplies, to get him some. Bea, reflected and goes with George Bascombe, Stillwell's aide, to search for a pair of glasses on the beach. He finds them and discovers that Bea Cosgrove is more beautiful, and not as old as he had been led to believe.

XII GEORGE capered up and down the beach, pulling at timbers rescuing odds and ends, and screaming back at protesting sea birds. He stopped suddenly, pulled a heavy wooden case from the grip of the sand. He stood staring down at it until Bea walked over to him. "What's that?" George said reverently. "The Gullwing really broke up all right. Here's a part of her ballast!"

"Bea there's another. And another," Bea pointed. "Our fortune is made," George said. "It's simple as ABC. A. We have found the whiskey. B. Stillwell loves whiskey. C. Stillwell has money in that belt of his."

"But it's his money, isn't it?" Bea asked. George Bascombe rolled off the case onto the sand. He clutched his stomach, released his hold and pounded gently with his fists. "What a character! All right you got your belly laugh. You rolled sent him in the alphas. So fill up on another plane for you. Fill it up to your sense of humor. Think how much fun it would be to sell old pal Stillwell his own whiskey, at well say \$100 a bottle. Isn't that funny? Or do you think two hundred would be funnier?"

Miss Cosgrove said, "I don't want any part of it. But I won't stop you if you want to do that to your friend."

"He plays for keeps," George amended. "And he always has plenty of money. That's where I come in. I hang around him and do this and that and a few crumbs come my way." He laughed. "That's it! I get the crumbs from the rich man's table." Bea corrected automatically. "Not with Fred," Bascombe said. "Now look, you don't happen to know a safe place we could stow the booty away? So I could dish it out a bottle at a time and not flood the market?"

"I know a place," Bea said slowly. "A cave." "Let's get going then." "We'll need a light." "I saw a couple cases of matches," George said. "They'll be all right. Everything on the Gullwing was waterproofed. She was a wet boat."

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BEA found the matches and led the way up the trail to the Cave of Gulls with George puffing behind her with a case of whiskey. Between Bascombe's trips Bea Cosgrove used the matches for exploration. Beside the small cul-de-sac near the entrance were two more short side passages that led only a few feet back from the main cave. The floor was covered with fine white sand, undisturbed, until a hundred feet from the entrance the floor dropped too sharply and was of bare, slippery rock.

She tossed lighted matches down the steep incline until one burned long enough in the still air for her to get a fleeting impression of the long drop ending in a huge rock around its balanced base.

She was in the cave entrance when George came up with the last of six cases. His face was lobster colored.

"That's all I can do," he said. "There's a couple more but we'll let Harding have them. Who else knows about this cave?" "Harding," Bea said. "I don't know any others. But it's got a bad name. It's haunted."

know of any others. But it's got a bad name. It's haunted. "Oh fine," George said. He laughed. "Well, it's a good place then to lay the spirits. That's a joke, son."

"Very funny," Bea admitted. "There's one thing you've forgotten though. Your competition."

"Lilly Warren? She can't steal enough to keep Fred way human and she charged him plenty."

MABEL JONES divided her time between the care of her flock of sheep and care of Mollie Stark. Bea Cosgrove sometimes heard them laughing together.

She finally asked the older woman a blunt question. "You like Mollie, don't you?" Mabel Jones smiled. "He likes her. Mabel Jones can see that. But he's worried too."

"Worried?" "He can't make out why a nice girl like Mollie would be sailing with another girl and two men. He wants to think she's sweet and innocent."

"What do you think?" "Don't get me wrong," Mabel said quickly. "I'm just as anxious as you are to marry Harding and spend the rest of my life on his island. Maybe more anxious. It's ugly, but I've buried two husbands. I had to learn how to get a man must have his bit of snuff." Miss Cosgrove looked at her in surprise. "Somehow I wouldn't have expected you to be so cynical."

Equipment Men Predict Wells To 25,000 Feet

By MAX B. SKELTON

HOUSTON —(AP)— Oil men are learning more and more about the interior of the earth.

A Superior Oil Company wildcat well in Wyoming has passed a depth of 15,000 feet, a world's record, and the well still is being.

Oil well equipment manufacturers predict it will not be long before the bits are probing 25,000 feet.

The American Petroleum Institute estimates the American oil industry, since the first well was brought in at Titusville, Pa., in 1859, has drilled 1,250,000 wells with total drilling footage surpassing 2,500,000,000 feet.

TIDELANDS

Oil companies hoping for early settlement of the tidelands ownership controversy are receiving little encouragement from Washington.

Louisiana and Texas attorneys general this week asked the Supreme Court not to authorize the federal government to file suit seeking recognition of paramount rights to the tidelands of the two states.

Louisiana contended the federal government cannot sue a state without the state's consent.

Texas pointed to its 10-year status as a republic and to an annexation treaty in which the federal government recognized the state's ownership of its public lands.

CRUDE PRODUCTION

Texas oil men next Thursday will know whether the five-month-old downward trend in the state's crude oil production is to continue or begin an upward climb.

The state's Railroad Commission

Committees Formed For AAODC Meet Set For September

The American Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors is to hold its ninth annual meeting in Dallas September 19-22. Advance registrations have promised a new attendance record. Appointments have been made to important working committees.

The general arrangements committee is made up of Louis A. Beecher, chairman, McDaniel and Beecher Drilling Company, Dallas; J. E. Brantly, Drilling & Exploration Company, Dallas; F. W. Brigrance, Rowan Drilling Company, Fort Worth; Warren S. Churchill, Arrow Drilling Company, Dallas; C. J. Davidson, Davidson Drilling Company, Fort Worth; Harold R. Delaney, M. J. Delaney Company, Dallas; Howard P. Holmes, Two States Drilling Company, Dallas; George F. McQueen, McQueen & Clevenger, Fort Worth; C. J. Paine, Paine Drilling Company, Dallas; A. H. Rowan, Rowan Drilling Company, Fort Worth; R. L. Rush, Trinity Drilling Company, Dallas.

On the program committee are J. E. Brantly, chairman, Drilling & Exploration Company, Dallas; Harold R. Delaney, M. J. Delaney Company, Dallas; John Fleet, Fleet Drilling Company, Dallas; George F. McQueen, McQueen & Clevenger, Fort Worth; Warren S. Churchill, Arrow Drilling Company, Dallas; C. J. Davidson, Davidson Drilling Company, Fort Worth; Bert Fields, Bert Fields, Dallas; George B. Magruder, Danciger Oil & Refining Company, Fort Worth; F. John, Midcontinent Supply Company, Fort Worth; L. E. Tracy, Oil Well Supply Company, Dallas; J. M. Thompson, National Supply Company, Fort Worth; Jack Musler, Continental Supply Company, Dallas; C. A. McClain, International Derrick & Equipment Co., Dallas.

The entertainment committee is made up of C. J. Paine, chairman, Paine Drilling Company, Dallas; Haynes B. Ownby, Haynes B. Ownby Drilling Company, Dallas; C. L. Rowan, Rowan Drilling Company, Fort Worth; J. C. Hawkins, J. C. Hawkins, Dallas; J. C. Baseheart, The Buda Company, Dallas.

J. E. Everrood, Cummins Sales & Service, Inc., Fort Worth; W. D. McBea, M. J. Delaney Company, Dallas.

On the banquet committee are Thomas J. Carter, chairman, Thomas J. Carter Drilling Company, Dallas; C. E. Dinitz, Decca Drilling Corporation, Dallas; R. U. Maddox, Big West Drilling Company, Dallas; E. Dale Mount, Harry Bass Drilling Company, Dallas; G. H. Vaughn, Jr., Spartan Drilling Company, Dallas.

The publicity committee is made up of Roy Guffey, chairman, Roy Guffey Drilling Company, Dallas; Howard P. Holmes, Two States Drilling Company, Dallas; C. J. Davidson, Davidson Drilling Company, Fort Worth; C. O. Phillips, Whitley-Phillips Drilling Company, Dallas; Milton E. Price, Gardner Brothers, Dallas.

The transportation committee consists of George B. Rice, chairman, West Central Drilling Company, Inc., Dallas; C. A. Dechner, Continental Supply Company, Dallas; M. F. Hazel, Oil Well Supply Company, Dallas; C. B. Caldwell, Hughes Tool Company, Dallas; E. S. Willis, Texas Employers Insurance Ass'n, Dallas.

The ladies entertainment committee consists of Mrs. W. S. Churchill, chairman, Dallas; Mrs. L. A. Beecher, Dallas; Mrs. C. J. Davidson, Fort Worth; Mrs. J. C. Hawkins, Dallas; Mrs. Howard P. Holmes, Dallas; Mrs. George F. McQueen, Fort Worth; Mrs. C. J. Paine, Dallas; Mrs. A. H. Rowan, Fort Worth.

will set the June daily production allowances at a hearing in Corpus Christi.

Production in Texas average 1-8,800 barrels daily for the week ended May 7 compared to 2,500,200 on January 1.

Last month the commission indicated reduced foreign crude imports and improved domestic stocks might justify an increase in production in June.

Domestic production for the week ended May 7 averaged 4,896,750 barrels daily, a decline of 25,300 from the previous week. A year ago production averaged 5,412,750 barrels daily.

NACE To Sponsor Corrosion Program Slated For Midland

The West Texas Chapter of the National Association of Corrosion Engineers is sponsoring the fourth annual corrosion tour to be held September 27-30 at Midland.

Plans are being made to have available for inspection in the field a larger number of exhibits with greater variety than ever before. Three outstanding corrosion engineers will be asked as speakers during the program. Open forum discussions will be conducted in the evening following each daily field tour.

Manufacturers and applicators are being asked to exhibit their products and processes for the prevention and control of corrosion. This exhibit will be open to the public.

Air conditioned buses will transport visitors throughout the tour, which is open to anyone interested in corrosion problems.

Transportation is under arrangement of the steering committee, consisting of William H. Crenshaw of American Inspection Service in Midland; H. D. Murray of The Texas Company in Midland; Jimmy McRae with A. J. Hunt Contracting Company in Odessa; A. Gensberg with Gulf Oil Corporation in Odessa, and Roy Zuefelt of The Texas Company in Jal. N. M.

Reservations may be addressed to Registration Committee, Box 789, Midland. A fee of \$15 is being charged to cover cost of the tour. Attendance is expected to greatly exceed previous years. Hotel reservations should be made as early as possible.

Griffith Made Area Superintendent For Wilshire In Midland

A. N. Griffith has joined the Wilshire Oil Company and is to be superintendent of that concern's Texas division with headquarters in Midland. Offices are in the Leggett Building.

In his new job Griffith will work with Frank Lake of Los Angeles, Wilshire's assistant general manager. Lake has been spending practically all of his time during the last several months in this area.

Lake will continue to direct the company's operations in West Texas, but with Griffith on the job, he will be able to spend more of his time in Los Angeles and in Wyoming, where the concern is carrying on development operations.

Griffith recently resigned as drilling and production superintendent in West Texas for Hunt Oil Company and affiliated organizations. He was with Hunt more than four years.

Prior to taking that position he was production superintendent in this region for Globe Oil & Refining Company.

Midlanders Urge Passage Of Gas Measurement Bill

Criticism of the stand of State Senator Hill Hudson, of Pecos, from the 29th district of Texas, on the Standard Gas Measurement Bill, (HB 159), was voiced in Midland Saturday by Ralph U. Fitting, consulting engineer and Walter H. Walne, Jr., vice president of Moore Exploration Company.

Fitting and Walne have just returned from Austin where they urged passage of the bill.

The State Senate last week, by a margin of one-third of a vote, failed to suspend the regular order of business to take up the gas measurement proposal. Fitting reported.

A two-thirds majority is necessary under the rules and the vote was 19 for suspension and 10 against.

Senators voting against the suspension were Hudson; Bullock of Colorado City; Wetmore of Seguin; Cousens of Beaumont; Kelley of Edinburg; Lock of Lufkin; Moffett of Chillicothe; Proffer of Justin; Vick of Waco, and Mrs. Colson of Navasota, Walne said.

Hudson Opposed Bill

Senator Hudson voted against suspension of the rules, and also made a speech against the bill, prior to the voting, Walne added.

"In his speech Hudson stated, categorically," Fitting said, "that both the major companies and the independents in West Texas are opposed to the bill."

Walne and Fitting said Saturday that all independent oil operators of their acquaintance are in accord with the provisions of the Standard Gas Measurement Bill.

Supporters of the proposal say it provides essentially that gas purchased from the producers should be measured on the same basis as the gas sold to consumers.

"This bill, if passed," Fitting and Walne said, "will in no way affect consumer prices. We consider that its passage is of vital importance to the oil industry."

Mud School Series Planned As Canada Oil Play Increases

To keep pace with expanding Canadian oil development, which currently is reported to have 115 rigs actively operating, The University of Alberta in cooperation with the American Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors, has initiated a series of mud schools at Edmonton, Alberta.

Designed specifically for rough-necks, derrickmen, tool-pushers and others interested in drilling fluid handling and control, as applied to Canadian operations, the first schools will be held May 16 through 27.

Instruction on the function of drilling fluids, standard mud tests, good mud practice in the area, use of chemicals and weighting materials in controlling mud quality, etc., will be given by James E. Conway, drilling fluid specialist of the University of Texas, and by members

Four-Day Advance Cheers Stock Market

NEW YORK —(AP)— Fresh buying power filtered into the stock market Saturday as an advance went into its fourth day.

The overall rise in prices was the largest in ten days. Trading was at the fastest Saturday rate in the last four weeks.

Copper and rail shares were easy favorites, with the copper group in front of the market for the second day in a row.

Saturday's rise stirred up fresh speculation in Wall Street over the possibility of a long-heralded rise.

The Associated Press average of 50 stocks advanced three tenths of a point to 63.4.

Livestock Roundup

PORT WORTH —(AP)— Cattle, calf and sheep receipts reflected sharp seasonal gains for week; hog receipts declined. Swine prices weakened to hit new low points since price controls were removed. Spring lambs and shorn old crop lambs 50 cents to \$1 lower. Other sheep and feeders steady. Good and choice fed steers and yearlings and top grade calves steady, some calves strong. Common and medium kinds in these classes weak, fat cows higher in spots; stocker trade more active.

Slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers 17-26.75, slaughter cows 11-20, slaughter calves 14-28, stocker calves 19-26.25, heifer yearlings 19-25.50, heifer yearlings 23.00 down, stocker steers 18-24.50, stocker cows 16-20, hog top 17.75, sows 13-15, pigs 14-17, Spring lambs 20-29, stock Spring lambs 20-22, shorn lambs 18-27, feeders 24.25 down, slaughter sheep 7-13, two-year-olds 17-23.

A Proclamation

The principle of kindness to animals being one to which all humanity does subscribe.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM B. NEELY, Mayor of the City of Midland, do hereby proclaim, designate and declare the week commencing May 15, 1948, as "Be Kind to Animals Week" in the City of Midland, Texas.

(Signed) William B. Neely, Mayor

Sponsors Be Kind To Animals Week

The Midland SPCA chapter (Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals) is sponsoring observance of Be Kind to Animals Week in Midland, beginning Sunday.

Special events of the week include a citywide rabies vaccination campaign and money raising projects of the SPCA to carry on its work here.

Mrs. Hudkins Rites Scheduled Sunday

Funeral services for Mrs. S. H. Hudkins, 47, of 1200 West Kentucky Street, who died at her home here early Friday, will be held at 2 p. m. Sunday in the First Methodist Church with the Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, pastor, officiating. Interment under direction of Ellis Funeral Home will be in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Rites Held Friday For Elliott Barron

Funeral services were held at 4 p. m. Friday for Elliott H. Barron, 56, former Midland County Judge and business and civic leader.

The rites were conducted in the First Baptist Church, with the Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor, officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery.

A native of Midland, Barron died in a Galveston hospital.

Barron, a veteran of World War I, also was active in ranching circles.

Survivors include the widow; a son, James; a brother, T. Paul Barron, all of Midland; a sister, Mrs. Mary Spaulding of Clovis, N. M., and three cousins, Ralph M. Barron of Midland, Clyde Barron of Grand Junction, Colo., and Mrs. Hope Storey of Dallas.

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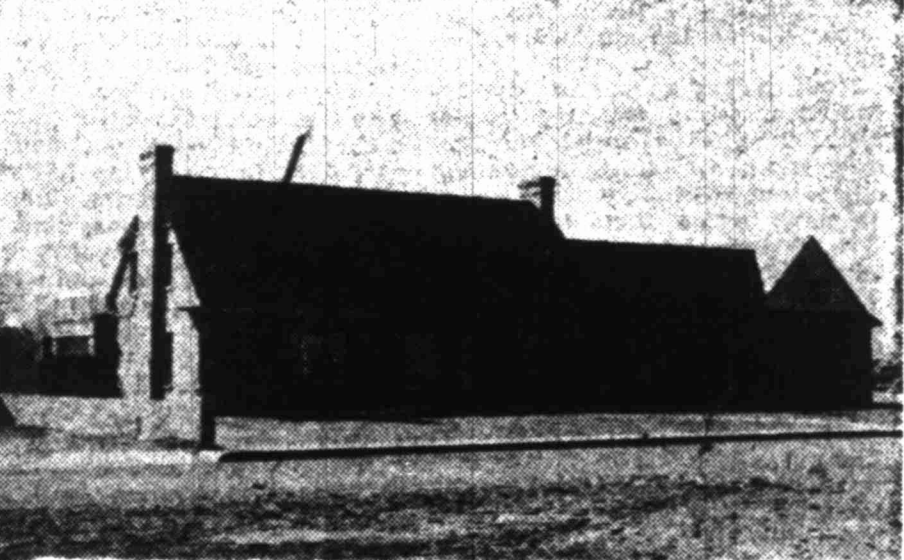
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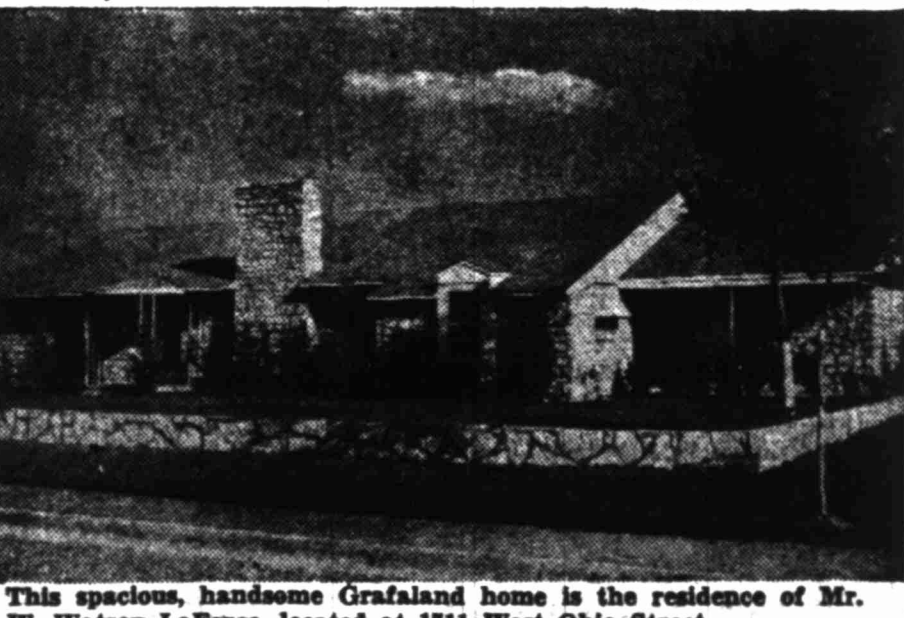
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Magnolia Completes Wildcat In Central Scurry Canyon Reef

Official completion of an oil well in Central Scurry County, one and one-half miles northwest of the nearest producer, has been reported for Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Ecker.

This development, located four miles west of Snyder, and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 208, block 97, H&TC survey, made a 24-hour potential of 166 barrels of 41-gravity oil, and water flowing through a 10/64th inch tubing choke.

Gas-oil ratio was 806-1. Flowing tubing pressure was from 775 pounds to 786 pounds.

The production is coming from four feet of pay between 6,774 feet and total depth of 6,778 feet. A string of 7-inch casing is cemented at 6,770 feet. The pay had been washed with 200 gallons of mud acid.

This new producer is one and one-half miles northwest of the same company's No. 1 Moore, a Canyon producer on the west side of the Kelly field. The oil in No. 1 Ecker is also coming from the Canyon.

Hiawatha Swabs To Test Scurry Canyon

Hiawatha Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Wilson, Southwest Scurry County exploration, in the undeveloped area between the Diamond M field and the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field, and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 182, block 97, H&TC survey, was swabbing to clean out, try to kick off to flowing, and test.

This exploration had drilled out plug on 1 1/2-inch casing which had been cemented at 6,745 feet. Total depth is 6,761 feet, in the Canyon lime.

The section being tested developed considerable free oil and no water on a drillstem test run before the casing was cemented.

The latest swabbing was still recovering some drilling mud, along with some new oil. No gauge or estimate on the amount of new oil being swabbed out had been made.

Interested observers expect the project to kick off and flow oil in commercial quantities in a short time.

Sinclair Makes Hole At Borden Wildcat

In Northwest Borden County, 11 miles northwest of Gall, Sinclair Prairie Oil Company was drilling ahead with its No. 1 Sterling Williams, deep wildcat, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 45, block 32, T-4-N, EL&RR survey.

Last report had it below 9,446 feet in lime.

Benedum-Ellenburger Extension Completes

Ellenburger prospect in the Benedum field of East-Central Upton County has been spread three-eighths of a mile northeast by the

completion of Slick-Urschel Oil Company No. 1-B J. S. Elliott, 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 46, block Y, OCS&RGNG survey.

Flowing through a one-half-inch choke, the well was completed for 532.18 barrels of 60.1-gravity oil per day, with gas-oil ratio 3,850-1. Production was natural with no water from the open hole at 11,440-11,525 feet.

Humble Runs DST In Benedum Region

Humble Oil & Refining Company drillstem tested in lower Permian lime and shale at its No. 1 First National Bank of San Angelo, one-mile west outpost to the same company's No. 1-B Barnett, Fossilman producer in the Benedum area of East-Central Upton County.

The examination was for 38 minutes at 7,213-7,310 feet, recovering 45 feet of drilling mud with no shows. More hole was being made under 7,360 feet in lime and shale.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 5, block Y, GC&SF survey.

Tom Green Wildcat Taking Canyon Test

M. E. Davis and Hiawatha No. 1 Jones, Southeast Tom Green County wildcat, eight miles southwest of Wall, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 190, district 11, SPRR survey, was bottomed at 4,501 feet in Canyon lime, and was taking a drillstem test.

A Schlumberger survey had been run, and it had indicated possibilities of fluid in the zone above the current total depth. Sidewall cores had some signs of fluorescence and stain.

Outpost To Borden Strike Gets Water

Water resulted from a drillstem test of Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware and Pan American Production Company No. 2 T. J. Good, west offset to the same concerns' recent discovery from the Canyon line of the Pennsylvania in South-Central Borden County, six miles northwest of the Vealmoor field in North-Central Howard County.

With the tool open one hour at 3,348-3,421 feet, recovery was 330 feet of sulphur water. There were no shows of oil or gas.

This exploration, at the center of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 37, block 23, T-4-N, TP survey, was drilling ahead from 8,458 feet in lime. It is to go to about 8,000 feet.

Dollarhide Outpost Prepares To Acidize

Preparations were being made to acidize in the Fossilman section of the Silurian at Cities Service Oil

Sterling Prospect Finds Water Table

Attempting to log more Wolfcamp-Permian pay section, Pan American Production Company and Taylor Refining Company deepened their No. 2 R. W. Foster, discovery prospect in the Central Sterling County Wolfcamp, to 5,586 feet and bailed sulphur water.

Operators plugged back to 5,466 feet, squeezed cement below casing set at 5,462 feet and was waiting for cement to cure on the squeeze job. Testing is to be resumed.

Location is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 10, block 13, SPRR survey about nine miles southwest of Sterling City.

Cedar Lake Wildcat Waiting For Orders

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 15 American Warehouse, deep wildcat in the Cedar Lake area of Northeast Gaines County, was bottomed at 12,187 feet in Ellenburger lime, running surveys and waiting on orders.

Top of the deep zone has made water at this prospect. The venture probably will plug back into the Devonian for further testing. That formation yielded free oil when drilled through.

Location is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 5, block H, D&W survey.

Two Explorations Deepen In Cochran

More hole was being made toward the Devonian in Cochran County by two explorations.

In the southwest part of the county, 14 miles southwest of Morton, Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Masten, deep wildcat, lay beyond 8,150 feet, penetrating lime.

It is 660 feet from north and west lines of labor 18 league 135, Armstrong OSL survey.

Offsetting the recently opened Landon-Devonian of South-Central Cochran County, Stanolind No. 1 Byers, was drilling from south and east lines of section 3, block L, pal survey, was boring on from 7,594 feet in lime.

Drilling Continues In Flanagan Outposts

Drilling was continuing at three outposts to the Flanagan field of South-Central Gaines County.

George P. Livermore No. 1 Head, 631 feet from north and 610 feet from west lines of section 12, block A-23, pal survey, was beyond 10,012 feet, making hole in lime.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Flanagan, another flanker, had reached 9,856 feet and was continuing in lime.

It is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 9, block A-23, pal survey.

The other Flanagan outpost, Shell Oil Company, Inc. No. 1 Selma Andrews, et al, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 2, block A-23, pal survey, was deepening from 5,587 feet in lime.

Vealmoor Flankers Making More Hole

Three flankers to the Vealmoor field were making more hole toward 8,000 feet for tests of the Canyon-Pennsylvanian, regular pay of the pool.

Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware No. 5 H. N. Zant, was drilling below 6,275 feet.

This prospect is 660 feet from east and 662.8 feet from north lines of southwest quarter of section 28, block 22, T-3-N, TP survey.

Seaboard No. 1 Long, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 23, block 22, T-3-N, TP survey, was below 6,426 feet, penetrating lime.

Seaboard No. 2 Hodnett had reached 6,426 feet.

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Devonian Oil Company Stakes 5,000-Foot Wildcat In Lea

HOBBS, N. M.—Location for a 5,000-foot wildcat to test into the San Andres-Permian lime in extreme Northeast Lea County, was reported Saturday.

The new venture will be Devonian Oil Company No. 2 Santa Fe. It is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 9-24-37e. Operations are to start at once. This exploration is one mile west of Devonian's No. 1 Santa Fe, a dry hole in the San Andres. The nearest production is three and three-quarter miles to the southeast in the Sawyer field, where

there are two small oil wells and one gas well from the San Andres lime.

McAlester Fuel Company No. 1-A Denton, East-Central Lea County wildcat to go to about 1,500 feet to explore into the Devonian, had reached 15,300 feet in lime and shale, and was drilling ahead.

Continental Oil Company No. 1-A-29 Warren, wildcat between Hobbs and Eunice, and 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 28-20e-38e, and which is slated to go to the granite, had reached 4,658 feet in dolomite, and was boring deeper.

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West Texas Leases Bring High Bids In 33,090-Acre Sale By University Lands

AUSTIN — Oil and gas leases were sold on a total 33,090 acres of University of Texas lands in West Texas, at an auction sale here Friday.

Bids totalling \$1,508,000 were accepted on the 121 tracts which were sold. A total of 129 tracts, with aggregate acreage of 34,562.9 acres were offered at the sale. No bids were rejected, but eight tracts were passed without bids being made.

Average bonus paid for the leases sold in the Friday session was \$45.57 per acre.

Three Drilling Blocks Highest bid turned in at the sale was The Texas Company's \$280,000 offer on a 2,560-acre tract, located in the North-Central Andrews and Northwest Martin Counties. This acreage lying in block 7, calls for a test to 5,700 feet within 180 days from the date of sale.

Two other drilling blocks also were offered, one in Andrews and the other in Upton County. Evert M. Byers of San Antonio bid \$7,500 for the 2,567.4-acre block in North-Central Andrews, located in blocks 6, 7 and 8. R. R. Herrall of Midland entered a bid of \$6,000 for the 1,943.3-acre Upton block, all in block 1.

The Andrews block requires a 5,700-foot test to be started within 180 days and the Upton block a 2,800-foot test, also within 180 days from date of sale. Part of the acreage in the Upton block tract was included in one purchased by the Frank Brothers of Houston for a bonus of \$8,000 at the June

1948 auction. It was never developed.

Second highest bid at the auction was made by Phillips Petroleum Company, which offered a bonus of \$110,000 for lease on 322.6 acres, comprising the west half of section 17, block 12, offsetting production in the Block 12 pool of Andrews County.

Tracts in Reagan County brought spirited bidding, with Gulf Oil offering a bonus of \$80,000 for a 159.9-acre plot, northeast quarter of section 31, block 58; C. H. Murphy, Jr., El Dorado, Ark., bidding \$62,000 on a lease on a like tract, northeast quarter of section 30, block 58, and Humble Oil & Refining Company entering a bid of \$40,000 for a 159.8-acre tract, northeast quarter of section 29.

Texas-Gulf Producing Company bid \$40,000 on an 83-acre tract, west half of northeast quarter of section 1, block 48, also in Reagan.

Other Sales Made Friday's lease sale also brought bids by other companies. Martin—\$26,000 by Tide Water Associated Oil Company on 160 acres, northwest quarter of section 26, block 7; \$23,000 by Seaboard Oil Company on 160 acres, southwest quarter of section 2, block 7; Crockett and Upton—\$22,000 by Gulf on 326.6 acres, west half of section 23, block 5.

Upton—\$27,500 by W. A. Yeager and J. M. Armstrong on 326.6 acres, southeast quarter of section 14, block 5.

Reagan—\$35,000 by Gulf on 156.5 acres, northeast quarter of section 32, block 58.

National Magazine Features New Mexico Oil Association

The New Mexico Oil and Gas Association will be described in a feature article to appear in the May issue of "The Independent Monthly," official publication of the Independent Petroleum Association of America.

The article by Executive Secretary Art McQuiddy of the New Mexico Association with headquarters at Roswell, will tell of the formation of N. M. O. G. A. and its program of service to operators of the state, and to other industry.

It points out that not only does the state association benefit those directly engaged in petroleum development, but by its activities is of assistance to each oil producing community and contributes materially to the economic growth of the entire state.

First Production

Petroleum development in New Mexico, the article points out, followed by about 60 years the birth of the industry in Pennsylvania. It was not until commercial development at Artesia, in 1924, that the state industry actually became important, although indications of oil were recognized as early as 1882.

The state's oil association came into existence in 1929. It so happens that it was also in 1929 that the national association, Independent Petroleum Association of America, with which N. M. O. G. A. cooperates but is unaffiliated, was formed in Colorado Springs. Also, in that year, the nationally famous Hobbs field was discovered.

Organization of Association W. A. Nicholas was elected temporary chairman at the first meeting of the fledgling organization. Under his direction the founders developed a constitution expressing the purpose of the association as being for the protection of interests of lessees, royalty holders, permittees, operators and producers so far as it would affect the oil and gas industry within the State of New Mexico. The present day constitution has been revised only slightly but now stresses that the association is to be primarily and principally to the oil and gas development of the oil industry in the state.

Many names famous in the petroleum history of New Mexico, and included in the early roster of the association, are also famous in other avenues of state development. To name a few there are H. B. Wright, Bob Atha, Ross L. Malone, W. A. Moore, Van S. Welch, V. D. Bodie, Senator T. E. Julian and many others.

Favors Conservation

One of the first efforts of the state association was to achieve a basic oil and gas conservation act. The association was eventually successful in obtaining this necessary to orderly development in 1935 when the state legislature set up an Oil Conservation Commission. New Mexico, through its interests in petroleum development, became one of the first states to join Interstate Oil Company Commission.

At the present time the association is diligent in its effort to maintain the petroleum industry as one of the greatest assets of the state. In this manner it is serving the needs of the oil and gas operators and at the same time is assuring progressive economic development of the state's natural resources.

Directing the Association at Present

Directing the association at present is Emery Carper, Artesia, as president and Van S. Welch, also of Artesia, as vice president. Treasurer is Harry Leonard, Roswell. The author of the article referred to is Art McQuiddy, secretary, also of Roswell. Members of the executive committee of the association are D. D. Bodie, Jim Dulaney, Ralph Hendrickson, Jack Dangleide, Bill Macey and John Kelly.

Stanolind Appoints Roach To New Post

FORT WORTH—J. W. Roach has been named division gas superintendent for Stanolind Oil and Gas Company at Fort Worth.

In the newly created post, Roach will be responsible for the technical phase of the operation of Stanolind's natural gasolines, cycling and pressure maintenance plants in the division. These plants include the Slanging gasoline plant near Sundown, and the North Cowden and South Fullerton plants now being built. Roach also will be responsible for the sale of products from these plants.

Prior to coming to Fort Worth, Roach was chief project engineer for the manufacturing department in Tulsa.

He has a degree from the University of Texas and also attended New Mexico A&M College.

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Washington Oil—Senate Committee Launches Gasoline Price Investigation

By JOSEPH HUTTLINGER

WASHINGTON — If plans go as scheduled, the inquiry into "high prices" for gasoline by Senator Burnett R. Maybank (D-GC) will be a humdinger.

The chairman of the Senate Banking and Currency Committee frankly says "this will be a big investigation and a thorough one" because the price of gasoline is important.

Armed with \$60,000 in spending money for this and other purposes just voted, the senator is building a staff to conduct the inquiry. He says:

for investigation does not prejudice in any way future consideration of the question of petroleum imports as related to the "escape clause."

The American Petroleum Institute is paying Max O. Ball, former director of the Interior Department's Oil and Gas Division, \$20,000 to edit three books on the oil industry.

"They are being prepared by a staff of six at Yale University, which will publish them. The subjects are investigation, prices and profits, and production and conservation.

The APTI's executive committee approved the fund, explaining that the work would take about 80 days. This is payment at the rate of \$250 daily.

It was Yale which published Prof. Eugene Rostow's book, "A National Policy for the Oil Industry" a year ago. This found fault with many phrases of the industry.

Since leaving as OGD director last January, Ball has been a consultant serving several companies.

"With farm incomes coming down and other prices coming down, I can't see why gasoline prices should be going up. Gasoline is quite a factor in the cost of operating a farm."

He referred to a recent price increase of one-half a cent a gallon by three major companies.

The South Carolina senator called the boost "unwarranted and unjustified with the oil surplus we have today and in light of the big profits of the big oil companies."

The American Automobile Association, which recently protested the high price of gasoline, is urging the senator on with the price study.

The committee has no power over prices, but a public hearing tends to put the brakes on price hikes.

While Senator Maybank rarely has been unfriendly toward the oil industry, automobile associations are spurring him on toward an investigation. Further, there has been more than one request to the Justice Department and the Federal Trade Commission to look into gasoline prices.

It hasn't made headlines, but two members of the U.S. Tariff Commission want a full-scale fact-finding inquiry into petroleum imports.

The two are Commissioners Edgar B. Brossard and John Prince Gregg. Republican members of the six-man bipartisan commission.

"This is a big matter and involves hundreds of thousands of persons," said Brossard.

"It is so important, it deserves a public hearing to get the facts and a report on the facts, letting the chips fall where they may."

The Independent Petroleum Association of America on February 15 asked the commission for a hearing. It wants a doubling of the tariff on crude oil and products imports to 21 cents a barrel and a quantitative limit on imports.

It acted under the "escape clause" of trade agreements, which allows industries to petition for relief when they are being harmed by imports.

Try Again Invite

In a four to two vote this month, the commission rejected the IPAA plea, although it virtually invited the IPAA to try again later on.

The terse majority opinion, a milestone in the important import situation, stated:

"The present situation with respect to inventories, which has resulted in some current scaling down of both production and imports, thus appears to have been almost wholly due to factors other than past changes in this duty."

"The commission will continue to observe closely further developments in the industry, and its action in dismissing the present application

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Construction Begins On Two Pipe Lines To Scurry Oil Pools

Construction has started on two new pipe lines to serve recently opened oil fields in Scurry County. Both the new crude petroleum transporting units will be completed in operation before the end of July.

Magnolia Pipe Line Company is laying 25.5 miles of 8-inch line from its later station in West Mitchell County, to a point in section 188, block 97, H&TC survey, north of the Sharon Ridge field, in Southwest Scurry County.

From there, 11 miles of 6-inch line will be laid to a point in section 285, block 97, in the North Snyder-Canyon field in North-Central Scurry County.

Gathering lines will be run out from both the 8-inch and the 6-inch sections of the line to all producing leases in Scurry County from which Magnolia is taking oil. The concern is now ouying considerable oil in Scurry County. That petroleum is being trucked to the later station. Magnolia recently opened the Kelly field in Central Scurry County.

Passot Pipe Line Company, a subsidiary of Standard Oil Company of Texas, is laying 22 miles of 6-inch line from the North Snyder field, to a connection with the Basin Pipe Line System in Southeast Scurry County. Passot has erected two 10,000 barrel storage tanks in the North Snyder field, and is now laying a gathering system in that area.

Standard of Texas is the discoverer of the North Snyder field and is currently the largest crude oil producer in that area.

Murray To Speak At AIME Meeting Monday In Midland

H. D. Murray of Midland, district petroleum engineer for The Texas Company will present a paper entitled "Selection and Maintenance of Lease Production Panks in Sulphide Areas" at a meeting of the Permian Basin Section of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers to be held at the Scharbauer Hotel Monday at 8:15 p.m.

The paper previously was presented at the Spring meeting of the Southwestern District of American Petroleum Institute's Division of Production at Galveston. Slides will be used to illustrate the talk.

J. W. Graybeal, of Midland, assistant division petroleum engineer with Humble Oil & Refining Company, will lead a discussion following Murray's talk. In addition, prepared discussions on the subject will be given by Aaron Ginsburg, of Odessa, with Gulf Oil Corporation; Ken Williams, of Odessa, with Shell Oil Company; and Ike Mayfield, of Odessa, with Sivalis Tanks, Inc.

Tom C. Frick, section chairman, will preside. A get-together and dinner will precede the program. There will be an assessment of \$2.00 for the dinner.

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NEW YORK —(AP)— Cotton futures closed weak Saturday with losses of 80 cents to \$1.76 a bale, July 32.62-64, October 29.00-01 and December 28.79.

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(Continued from page 6) ed 7,775 feet and was continuing. It is 660 feet from south and west lines of the northeast quarter of section 29, block 32, T-3-N, TP survey.

Magnolia Continues Pegasus Operations

In the Pegasus area of Southwest Midland County, Magnolia Petroleum Company is trying to re-open circulation at its No. 2-30 Roy Glass, north flanker to the No. 1-A TXL. Total depth is 8,864 feet in lime and shale.

It is 1,980 feet from west and 660 feet from south lines of section 30, block 40, T-4-S, TP survey.

Magnolia No. 1-36 Glass, a southwest extension try to the Pegasus discovery in Northwest Upton County, and 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 36, block 41, T-4-S, TP survey, was making hole below 6,220 feet in lime.

Both these explorations are due to drill to about 13,000 feet to explore the Ellenburger.

Locations Made For Two Benedum Tests

Location was made for two explorations in the Benedum area of East-Central Upton County. Both are projected to 12,500 feet with rotary tools to test into the Ellenburger.

Slick-Urschel Oil Company and Plymouth Oil Company No. 2 Standefer, is 660 feet from south and east lines of the west half of lot 3, section 50 1/2, P. B. Scott survey. That puts it in the area of the Bend-Pennsylvanian production.

Preparations were being made to drill rat hole.

Cox & Hanon were preparing to spud their No. 1 Dixon, the other new location. The drillsite is 330 feet from north and east lines of the south half of the north half of the west half of Criss Bendie survey 3. It is one-half mile south and a little east of Slick-Urschel No. 1 Dixon, now drilling.

Operator was preparing to spud.

Flanker To Benedum Gets Ellenburger Oil

The Benedum-Ellenburger has shown production for Slick-Urschel and Plymouth No. 2 Alford, flanker to the discovery well of the field.

After topping the Ellenburger on 11,140 feet, the venture made hole to 11,500 feet and drillstem tested for 32 minutes with packer at 11,295. After tool was open nine minutes, 1,000-foot water blanket began flowing at surface.

The well flowed for the remainder of the period, making water blanket, drilling mud and oil along with gas. Upon pulling drill pipe, recovery was 600 feet of clean oil.

The exploration was drilling ahead under 11,940 feet in lime. It is due to test again shortly.

Location is 1,980 feet from west and 660 feet from south lines of lot 2, section 50 1/2, P. B. Scott survey.

No Shows Result In Lynn Wildcat Test

No shows resulted on a drillstem test at Sinclair Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Lindly, South-Central Lynn County wildcat, one mile north of O'Donnell and 660 feet from south and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 47, block 8, EL&RR survey.

The tool was open 45 minutes on an unidentified lime formation at 9,245-9,290 feet. Recovery was a 1,000-foot water blanket and 150 feet of drilling mud, with no signs of oil, gas or water.

Drilling was continuing. The current horizon is thought by some observers to be Pennsylvanian.

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L. E. Floyd is in Lubbock, where he entered a medical clinic Saturday.

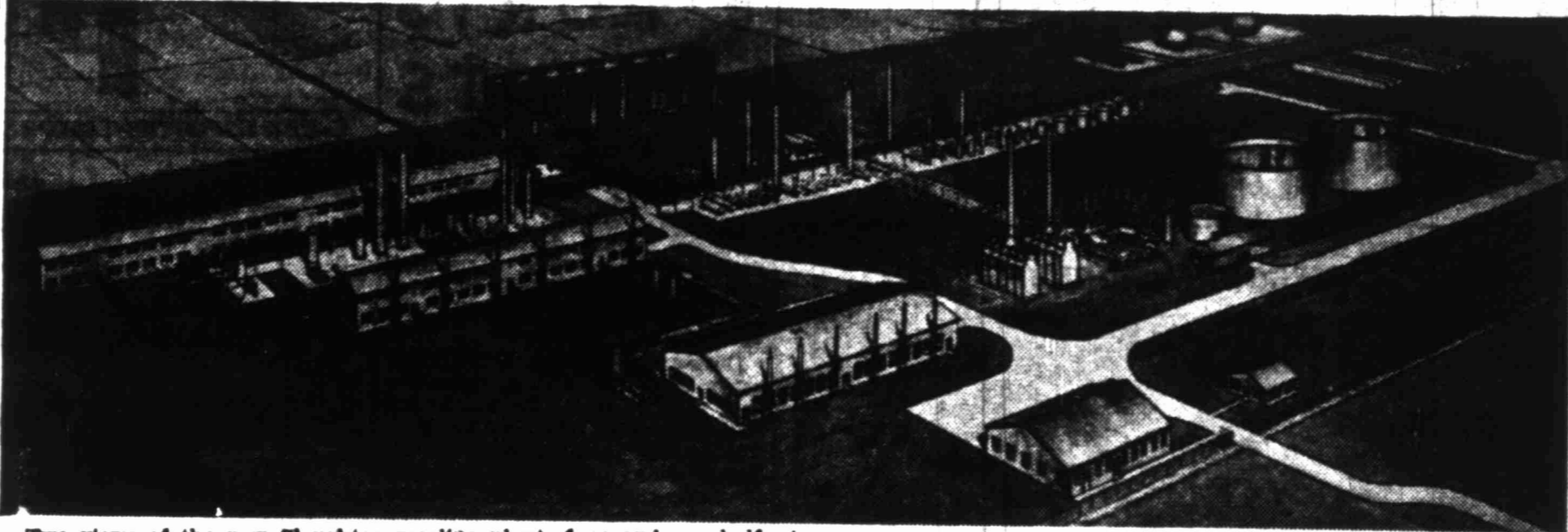
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Big Gas Processing Installation Is Opened



Two views of the new Slaughter gasoline plant, four and one-half miles west of Sundown, in Southwest Hockley County. Top shows an architect's drawing of the entire plant, made before construction was started. The finished plant is practically identical with the drawing. Lower is a photograph of a general view of the process area of the plant. The installation was formally opened with a special program Saturday. It processes casinghead gas from Slaughter oil field to extract butane, propane and natural gasoline. Capacity is 90,000,000 cubic feet of gas every day. It can produce as much as 100,000 gallons of gasoline, 92,000 gallons of butane, and 50,000 gallons of propane daily. Plant will employ more than 100 men whose annual payroll is more than \$350,000. It will be operated by Stanolind Oil and Gas Company for eight co-owners: Stanolind, The Texas Company, Honolulu Oil Corporation, Magnolia Petroleum Company, The Devonian Company, the Atlantic Refining Company, Saltmount Oil Company and Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation.

Opening Ceremonies Held For New Slaughter Plant

SUNDOWN—The Slaughter gasoline plant—a major gas conservation project on the plains of West Texas—was formally opened Saturday.

Designed and built to help conserve the resources of Texas, the plant will process casinghead gas from the Slaughter oil field. Formerly this gas was flared because there was no use for it in West Texas.

Natural gasoline will be shipped to refineries to be blended into motor fuels. The remaining "dry" gas is being sold to a gas pipeline.

The plant's compressor system has a total horsepower of 25,000 — or slightly more than the power of four modern diesel freight locomotives. This is one of the world's largest compressor installations devoted to the processing of casinghead gas. Slaughter's generators can produce power equivalent to that used by the combined populations of nearby Levelland, Sundown and Brownfield, and its four water wells supply enough water every day for a city of 20,000 persons.

E. R. Wagner is plant superintendent and N. S. Whitmore is assistant superintendent.

Devonian—

(Continued from page 6)

H. Osmond No. 1-A Levick State. The venture will be at the center of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 30-128-30e. That puts it 10 miles northwest of the Caprock field, which produces from the Queen sand of the Permian.

Roads to the drillsite are being built and Sam Sanders, of Artesia, cable tool contractor, will shortly move in equipment and start making hole.

Flamingo Job

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-BTA State, flowing strike from a deep dolomite formation in Northwest Lea County, 15 miles west and three miles north of the town of Tatum, was fishing. Total depth is 11,985 feet in lime. It is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 2-128-33e.

Amerada is drilling below 11,958 feet in lime on its No. 1-CA State, three miles south of the Crossroads field and 660 feet from south and east lines of section 9-108-36e.

Amerada No. 1-BTB State, North-Central Lea County wildcat, was making hole below 7,423 feet in shale and gyp. Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 25-128-33e.

Amerada No. 1-A Caudle, Northwest Lea County wildcat, 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 10-128-33e, had progressed past 8,195 feet in lime and was continuing.

Ralph Lowe No. Frank Selman, two miles southeast of the south end of the Hobbs field and 660 feet from south and 740 feet from west lines of section 11-198-38e, is drilling below 7,092 feet in lime.

The prospector drillstem tested for three hours and 15 minutes at 8,947-9,022 feet, recovering 300 feet of oil and gas out drilling mud. There was no water.

Magnolia is making hole below 6,810 feet in lime on its No. 1-B Santa Fe, one-half mile west of Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Dessie Sawyer, a flowing producer from the Devonian.

It is 660 feet from east and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 28-9e-36e.

Magnolia attempted to drillstem test when total depth was 12,852 feet in lime on its No. 1 Cox-Federal wildcat four and one-half miles north and one-half mile east of the initial producer from the Devonian in the Crossroads field.

Packer and test tool stuck on bottom and operator is now trying to free them.

This project is 660 feet from east and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 28-9e-36e.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 1-D U. D. Sawyer, on the northeast side of the Crossroads area, and 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 37-9e-36e, was drilling below 9,405 feet in lime.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Federal-Wiggs, South-Central Eddy County wildcat, 16 miles due south of Garisbad, had reached 2,130 feet in lime and anhydrite and was boring ahead.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 31-34e-27e.

TEXAS CITY MANAGERS CONVENE AT SHERMAN

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas City managers will talk over their problems at a three-day meeting starting Sunday in Sherman.

Pending legislation, problems of finance and general management of city affairs top the agenda. Presiding will be President G. O. Summers of Waxahatchie.

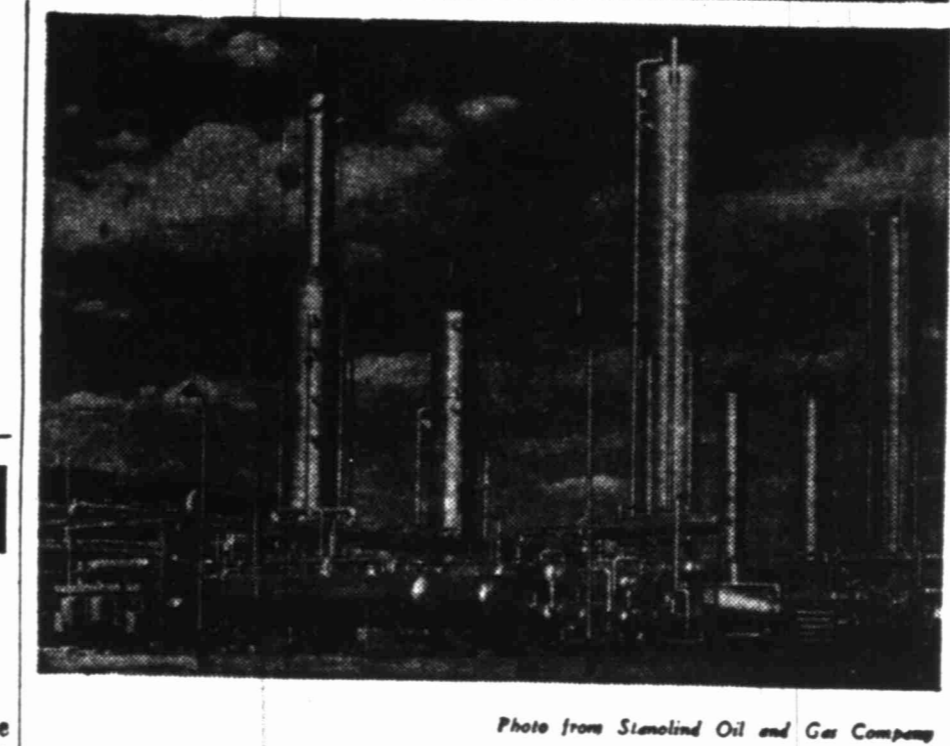


Photo from Stanolind Oil and Gas Company

HEALTH UNIT REPORT

Communicable diseases reported last week to Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the Midland County Health Unit, include the following cases: measles, 29; chicken pox, eight; influenza, three; streptococcal throat, three, and mumps, one.

JAYCEES WILL STUDY TEXAS MENTAL HOSPITALS

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—The Junior Chamber of Commerce in Texas will study and make public conditions in state mental hospitals, Melvin C. Evans of Wichita Falls, state Jaycee president, announced Saturday.

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SCHOOL LAND ROYALTY FOR SALE

The Commissioners Court of Parmer County, Texas, will, at Farwell, Texas, at 10 A.M. on Monday, May 23, 1949, at the courthouse in Farwell, Texas, receive open bids for a one-fourth undivided interest in its royalty in the Gaines and Andrews County School Land, being Leagues 315, 316 and 317, for a term of fifteen years.

Women's Invitation Golf Tourney Will Get Underway Here Tuesday

Record Field Of Entries Is Seen For Annual Meet

Entries in the Midland Country Club Annual Women's Invitation Golf Tournament will tee off Tuesday morning in qualifying rounds and medal play. Practice rounds are scheduled Monday. Play will continue through Saturday.

A field of more than 100 of West Texas' top women golfers is expected here for the annual event.

Defending Champion Mrs. Gloria Strom Eszell will defend her title in the tournament. Mrs. Francis Flournoy and Mrs. Essie Stafford, former Midland Country Club champions, also will enter the meet.

A full slate of activity is scheduled each day. Registration, qualifying rounds and medal play will be held Tuesday. Also, a barbecue is scheduled at 6:30 p.m.

Although qualifying is scheduled officially for Tuesday, golfers not wishing to qualify for medal play may make their qualifying round Monday, according to officials. The tournament is scheduled for 18 holes.

Wednesday, first round play in all flights and the long driving contest will be held. A social hour also is scheduled.

Second round match play and first round consolation will be held Thursday with a dance to follow.

Third round match play, second round consolation play in all flights and a Ladies' Golf Association luncheon are to be held Friday.

Saturday, the last day of the tournament, all final matches will be played. Presentation of prizes will be held at the clubhouse.

Prizes Listed
Prizes and trophies to be awarded include those for low medal qualifying round, long driving contest winner and runner-up, runner-up and consolation winner in each flight.

Mrs. Frank Ashby, Fred Hogan and Vann Ligon are on the tournament committee. Mrs. N. B. Gardner is in charge of registration. Other tournament officials include:

Entertainment committee — Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. Harold Shanks, Mrs. Foy Proctor, Mrs. M. E. Hayden, Mrs. N. B. Gardner, Mrs. L. M. Freels, Mrs. Mike Brumbelow and Mrs. Frank Downey.

Rules committee — Marion Sexton and Fred Hogan.
Reservations — Mrs. A. Knickerbocker.
H. L. Winkler will be the official starter.

Entries from out of town golfers are coming in at a fast clip, indicating a record number of contestants this year. Cities to be represented other than Midland are Fort Worth, Odessa, Lubbock, San Angelo, Big Spring, Roswell, N. M., Hobbs, N. M., and others.

Midland entries include: Mrs. Peyton Anderson, Mrs. Richard Anderson, Mrs. Frank Ashby, Mrs. Gordon Bird, Miss Estella Brown, Mrs. William Casselman, Mrs. Clifford Cool, Mrs. Glennis Conine, Mrs. Wright Cowden, Miss Shirley Culbertson, Mrs. Leland Davison, Mrs. Bill Paris, Mrs. Frank Flournoy, Mrs. Frances Goodman, Mrs. Charles Green, Mrs. Bob Hamilton, Mrs. William Harricker, Mrs. Rachel Hornebeck, Mrs. Paxton Howard, Mrs. Charles Pierce, Mrs. Bob Jones.

More Entries Listed
Mrs. Hazel Knickerbocker, Mrs. Vann Ligon, Mrs. V. P. Neisel, Mrs. Lief Olson, Mrs. Doyle Patton, Mrs. Joe O'Neill, Mrs. Robert Payne, Mrs. John Parker, Mrs. Johnson Phillips, Mrs. William Potts, Mrs. Bruno Scharborum, Mrs. George Shelton, Jr., Mrs. Bernice Smith, Mrs. George Lentz, Mrs. Roy Lockett, Mrs. Essie Stafford, Mrs. J. C. Velvin, Mrs. Robert Walker, Mrs. Robert White, Mrs. James White, Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mrs. Phil Yeckel, Mrs. Galvin Glass, Mrs. Fred Hogan, Mrs. Gerald Fitz Gerald, Mrs. Olin Prather and Mrs. A. A. Jones.

Mrs. Lucille Morris and Mrs. Giles Day are among the entries from Fort Worth.
Because the Midland Country Club is without the services of a golf professional at this time, guest pros will be invited here for each day of the women's tourney.

Guest pros will include: H. T. (Shorty) Hornbuckle of Odessa; Shirley Robbins of Big Spring; Dede Forrester of Hobbs; N. M. Red Boat of San Angelo; and Shanty Hozan of Lamesa.
They will assist H. L. Winkler, the official starter.

Annual Gymboree Scheduled Tuesday At MHS Gymnasium
The third Annual Midland High School Gymboree will be held at the MHS gymnasium Tuesday night with one of the top programs in the history of the event scheduled.

Big Spring and Odessa High Schools will send gym teams here for the program. Starting time will be 8:15 p.m.
More than 180 high school students are scheduled to participate. The Midland presentation will include rhythmic folk games, acrobatics, pyramid building, bar stunts, tumbling, tap routines and boxing. The Midland High FFA Band will furnish music.

Big Spring will bring tumbling and dancing acts and Odessa will give modern dances with members of the Odessa High School Band furnishing the music.

Junior Legion Team To Be Organized At Meet Here Tuesday
A meeting for the organization of the 1949 Junior American Legion Baseball Team will be held at the practice field at Memorial Stadium at 8 p.m. Tuesday, according to Joe Shell, team manager. All Midland boys who have not reached their seventeenth birthday are eligible for the team and are urged to attend the meeting.

The Junior Legion team here annually is one of the finest in West Texas and Coach Joe Roberson has expressed hopes of having the best ever this year.
Arrangements have been made to have full insurance coverage on every member of the team in case of accident.
Shell and Roberson attended a meeting of American Legion officials connected with the youth program in Odessa Friday night. Initial plans for conducting the usual district race were discussed.

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Vernon Wallops Indians By 9-0

VERNON—The Vernon Dusters welcomed the Midland Indians to Vernon with a sound thrashing in a 9 to 0 Longhorn League shutout here Friday night. The Indians' defense fell to pieces at various times and the offensive never did click.

Pitcher Chrisco was spotted a three-run margin to work on in the first inning when the Dusters scored a trio of runs on one hit, two bases on balls, a hit batter and a Midland error.

They came back with two more in the fourth on two hits, a sacrifice and another error.
Slitter Thumbed
Umpire Cook heaved Warren Slitter from the game when he protested a decision at first base. Adams took over and completed one double play which was started by Stanley Hughes to Bob Rose. Even so, the infield was not at its best as it was plainly seen in the sixth inning.

Vernon put together two walks and two hits and the Indians gave them four runs on three errors. Rudy Kellee was the victim of the last two runs when he relieved Stewart with one out in the sixth.
"Gallop" Gonzalez, the brilliant Duster second baseman, played a fine defense game. He figured in one double play.

The win made it three straight for Vernon over the Indians this season. They took both ends of a double-header here last Sunday.
Here is the box score:

| Midland | A | B | R | H | O | A |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|
| Hughes, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Slitter, 1b | 2 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Pilligamo, cf | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Presley, rf | 3 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Nipp, lf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Pena, 3b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Adams, 1b-cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Rose, 2b | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 |
| Stewart, p | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Kellee, p | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| X Patton | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 30 | 0 | 5 | 24 | 10 | 0 |

x-Grounded out for Pilligamo in ninth.
Vernon

| Vernon | A | B | R | H | O | A |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|----|---|
| Souquet, ss | 5 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 0 |
| Gonzalez, 2b | 3 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 0 |
| Scherling, lf | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| McCasky, 1b | 5 | 1 | 0 | 12 | 0 | 0 |
| Simons, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Moon, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Ehlinger, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Huntley, 3b | 4 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 |
| Chrisco, p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 9 | 8 | 27 | 12 | 0 |

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Errors—Hughes, Rose 2, Slitter, Pena, Kellee; Huntley, Runs batted in—Souquet, Scherling, McCasky, Moon. Two base hit—K. Jones. Stolen bases—Souquet, McCasky, Moon. Sacrifices—Chrisco 2, Double plays—Hughes to Rose to Adams; Souquet to Gonzalez to McCasky. Left on base—Midland 4; Vernon 5. Bases on balls—off Stewart 4, Kellee 1; Chrisco 5. Hits and runs—off Stewart 8 for 7 in 5 1/3, Kellee 3 for 2 in 1 2/3, Chrisco 3 for 4 in 1 1/3. Hit by pitcher—by Stewart (Scherling). Winning pitcher—Chrisco. Losing pitcher—Stewart. Umpires—Averill and Cook.

Tempe Teachers Are Border Track Kings; Texas Tech Is Third
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Advertisements to be forgotten

SPORTS SLANTS

by SHORTY SHELburne

Charlie English, manager of the Ballinger Gats, was somewhat peeved at Harold Webb following the baseball game here Wednesday night.

During the contest, a Ballinger batter hit a ball directly down the base path to first. He ran in the base path and failed to get outside in the lead. English said the first baseman might have a chance to field the ball. Base Umpire Dorothy waved the man safe and Webb and Ernie Nelson charged Plate Umpire Sykes on the decision. Sykes, acting as umpire-in-chief, reversed the decision and declared the batter out for interference.

—SS—
In commenting on the incident Thursday morning, English said, "Yeah, we had that umpire last night. Webb was helping out on the calls."

"If that happens again, I'll pull the Ballinger team off the field," he concluded.

English must have heard about the play from his ball players because he had been tossed from the field by Umpire Sykes earlier in the night.

If he chooses to take his team from the field when Webb protests a decision which definitely is wrong and gets the umpire to rule on it correctly—more power to him.

Ballinger is a pretty potent ball club. But even so, they can't win being pulled off the field.

Confidentially, we think Charlie was just blowing off steam.

—SS—
Here's a note of warning to lady golfers who enter the Midland Country Club Annual Women's Invitation Golf Tournament which opens Tuesday.

Mrs. Clifford C. Cool, prominent Midland golfer and a tournament entry, scored a hole-in-one on the No. 7 hole here Friday morning.

Cool used a No. 5 iron on the 123-yard shot.
Playing with Mrs. Cool when she accomplished the "golfer's dream" were Mrs. Vann Ligon and Mrs. J. H. Phillips.

Joe Shell and Joe Roberson are very anxious to have a good turnout of boys at the meeting Tuesday afternoon for the organization of this year's Junior American Legion baseball team. Time will be 8 p.m.

Parents who have boys old enough to play baseball, and who still are under 17 years of age are urged to accompany them to the meeting at the practice diamond at Memorial Stadium.

There is no reason to fear the association or the environment in which the boys will be. Joe Shell and Joe Roberson both are of excellent character and will do a fine job with the team.

Every boy on the squad will be fully covered by insurance in case of injury.
Sports Slants is for backing the Junior Legion baseball team to the hit.

—SS—
Joe Coleman, Odessa Broncho mentor, speaking before an Odessa club recently, said, "The Odessa High School Bronchos will be a rough and ready team this year."

Coleman says he will have 10 lettermen and 22 squadmen back from last season's team.
He'll probably have just what he says he will. He's had it over and over in years gone by.

—SS—
Maybe the pitchers are tough in the Tri-State League. Harvel Jakes, last season's centerfielder for the Indians, had hit .000 up until last Sunday.

He is with Spartanburg, N. C., and Leland Crisman, also with Spartanburg, hadn't won a game. He was shelled from the mound by Asheville in a recent contest.

President Hal Sayles of the Longhorn League has taken action on the case of Williams included here. Here is the text of his telegram to Manager Harold Webb: "For conduct unbecoming to a professional baseball player, I am firing player Stu Williams of the Ballinger Club 1949, and have requested that he apologize to the fans concerned for remarks he made at game in Midland May 4. It is the duty of both players and fans to refrain from abusive language, which is not to be construed as friendly ranting. Mr. Williams has apologized to me as a representative of league and I feel that the good Midland fans will accept his apologies in the same straightforward manner that he offered them to me. We hope that it is taken care of because it almost was a very nasty incident for everyone involved. . . . Lee Valarde, Latin American youngster, hit four home runs and a single in five trips to the plate in a softball game against South Elementary Thursday. There's a boy for the scouts to watch. . . . University of Texas fans now are saying 'as Charlie Parker and John Robertson go, so goes the University of Texas in track.' That's just about right. . . . Ray Coos and Host Alvis were the only two Indians left behind when the Redskins departed for Vernon. Both are working to correct their physical handicaps. The Roswell Rockets are in the same boat as Midland only in reverse. The Roswell Rockets need pitching. Midland needs hitting. . . . Prizes to be awarded in the Midland Women's Invitation Golf Tourney are on display at the Gumbury Club Friday night's Longhorn League scores: San Angelo 4, Sweetwater 3 (10 innings); Odessa 2, Roswell 3; Big Spring 8, Ballinger 2; Midland 0, Vernon 9.

Midland Colts To Battle In Slaton
The Latin American Midland Colts travel to Slaton Sunday for a return engagement with the Latin American Slaton Tigers. Game time is 3:30 p.m.
Manager Juan Lopez said Saturday a double-header may be undecided.

The Colts will play the tough Big Spring Tigers week from Sunday at Big Spring.
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Sports

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Capot Sets New Track Record In Preakness Win

BALTIMORE (AP)—Capot sizzled through a light shower to a new track record Saturday as he won the Preakness Stakes by the margin of a damp head in one of the most thrilling finishes in the long history of the classic.

The Greentree Stable three-year-old star, second in last week's Kentucky Derby, showed them who was boss this time as he outlasted Isidor Bieber's Palestinian in the drive for the wire in the mile and three-sixteenths event.

—SS—
Crispin Ogilby's Noble Impulse was third, Calumet Farm's Derby winner—Fonder—never got in the act and wound up fifth in the field of nine starters. Mrs. E. H. Ellison, Jr., Sun Bahram was fourth.

Capot, given a brilliant ride by Toronto Teddy Atkinson, blazed under the wire in 1:56 flat, wiping two-fifths of a second off the track record set by Riverland in the 1943 Dixie handicap.

The time also was a full second faster than the old Preakness record of 1:57 made by Alsab in 1942. A steaming crowd of 38,184 persons, who first basked in a hot sun and then 27 minutes before post time suffered before a shower, roared approval of Capot—this despite the fact the crowd had made Fonder the favorite at a little better than 2 to 1.

Capot was second choice at 5 to 2 as he gave his famous racing stable its first Preakness victory.
He paid off at the rate of \$7.00, \$3.50 and \$2.50 for \$2 in the multiples.

It also was the initial Preakness victory for Atkinson.
Palestinian, who was ridden by Eddie Arcaro, might have grabbed it all in a few more jumps, but there wasn't enough real estate left at the finish.

The Bieber colt, third in the Derby, returned \$4.50 and \$3.20, while Noble Impulse paid \$3.40 for show.

Notre Dame is preparing for its sixty-first football season this year.

Carver Hornets In Easy Victory Over San Angelo Team

The Carver High School Hornets of Midland jumped on three Blackshear Leopard hurlers from San Angelo and battered the visitors 17 to 4 in a game at Indian Park Friday night.

James Banks hurled the easy victory for Carver, striking out 14 and walking only 3.
W. Taylor hit three for five, including a double and a triple. W. Storms had three for six, Tommie Phillips hit five for six and A. L. Sam hit three for four.

Foursomes Slated At Country Club
Golfers who plan to enter the Midland Invitation Tournament for women may play in foursomes on the Country Club course between 11:30 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

The mixed foursomes already scheduled will be held, Mrs. Mike Brumbelow announced Saturday.

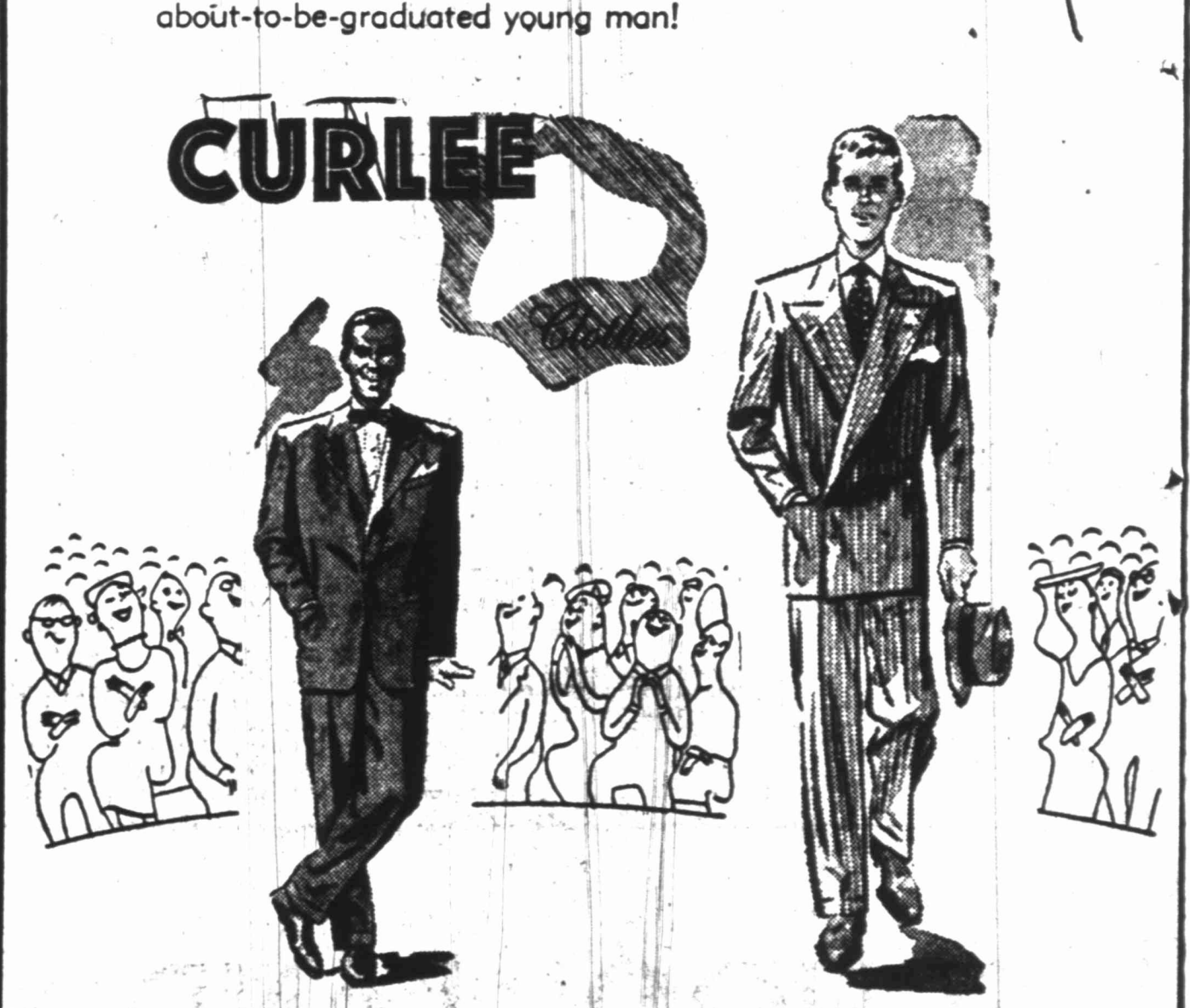
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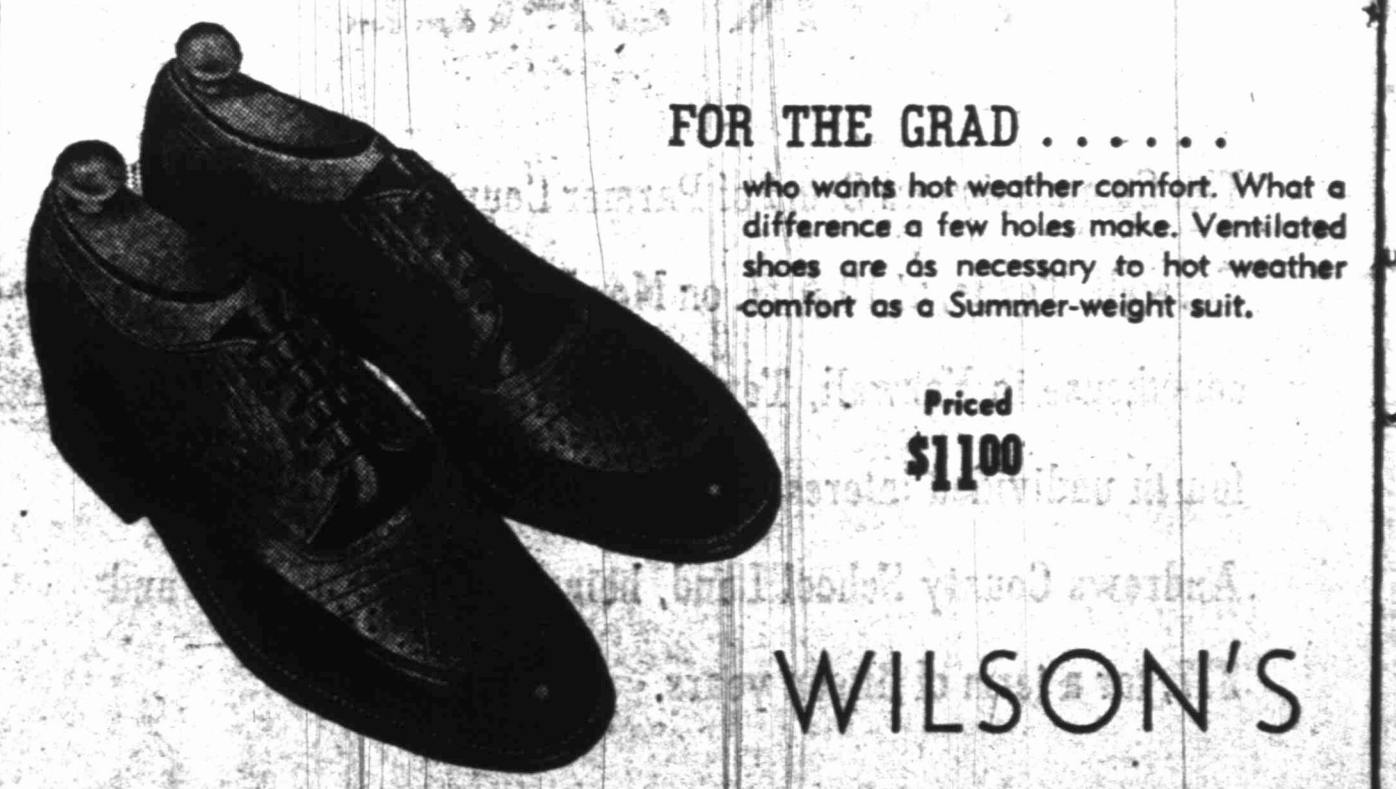
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Indians Dampen Dusters 9 To 6 As Gilliam Shines

Rookie Hurler Fashions Five-Hitter For Victory

The Midland Indians are scheduled to complete their three-game series with the Vernon Dusters in Vernon Sunday. Sam Van Hooser is the probable starting pitcher. The Tribe moves to Odessa for three games, starting Monday night.

VERNON—The Midland Indians had a great night Saturday. They rose up with booming bats to plaster the Vernon Dusters 9 to 6 and Manager Harold Webb found another starting hurler who can get the job done. Rookie Bill Gilliam tossed a five hitter at the Dusters and would have made a better showing in the run column except for inopportune errors by his mates.

The hitting power of Julian Pressley, absent for more than a week, was felt plenty. He drove in four of the Midland runs with a double and a single. Carriel Nipp also had a big night at the plate, going three for five with a double and two singles. Lead-off man Stanley Hughes had three singles. How They Scored

The Tribe opened the scoring early with two runs in the first. Hughes led off with a single. Kenny Jones walked and Pressley doubled them home. Vernon went ahead with three runs in the last of the first, when Gilliam walked the sacks full. The Indians came back with three more in the second. Rose and Gilliam walked, Hughes singled. Slitter singled and Pressley drove two more with a single. It was pretty smooth sailing

STANDINGS

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

MIDLAND 9, VERNON 6.
Ballinger 7, Big Spring 1.
Odessa 16, Roswell 5.
Sweetwater 10, San Angelo 7.

West Texas-New Mexico League
Albuquerque 8, Abilene 7.
Pampa 10, Borger 9.
Amarillo 18, Lubbock 9.
Lamesa at Clovis, unreported.

Texas League
Shreveport 7, Fort Worth 3.
Beaumont 7, Dallas 1.
San Antonio at Tulsa, rain.
Houston at Oklahoma City, rain.

American League
Philadelphia 8, New York 5.
Washington 5, Boston 4.
St. Louis 8, Detroit 3.
Only games scheduled.

National League
St. Louis 4, Pittsburgh 3.
New York 12, Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 13, Cincinnati 1.
Boston 7, Brooklyn 6 (12 inn-ings).

SUNDAY'S STANDINGS
Longhorn League
W L Pct.
Big Spring 13 4 .765
Vernon 10 6 .625
Odessa 11 7 .611
MIDLAND 10 8 .556
San Angelo 9 9 .500
Ballinger 9 10 .472
Roswell 6 10 .375
Sweetwater 3 15 .167

West Texas-New Mexico League
W L Pct.
Albuquerque 14 3 .824
Borger 12 5 .706
Abilene 12 5 .706
Amarillo 10 9 .526
x-Lamesa 11 11 .500
Pampa 8 14 .364
Lubbock 8 15 .348
x-Clovis 4 14 .222
x-Not including Saturday's games.

Texas League
W L Pct.
Dallas 22 9 .710
Shreveport 17 11 .607
San Antonio 18 13 .581
Fort Worth 15 15 .500
Oklahoma City 14 18 .467
Tulsa 13 19 .419
Beaumont 12 17 .414
Houston 8 20 .286

National League
W L Pct.
New York 15 9 .625
Boston 15 9 .625
Cincinnati 12 11 .522
Brooklyn 12 12 .500
Philadelphia 11 14 .440
Pittsburgh 11 14 .440
St. Louis 9 12 .429
Chicago 9 13 .409

American League
W L Pct.
New York 16 7 .696
Detroit 13 10 .565
Cleveland 10 8 .556
Washington 13 12 .520
Chicago 12 12 .500
Philadelphia 12 13 .480
Boston 9 12 .429
St. Louis 7 18 .280

SUNDAY'S SCHEDULE
Longhorn League
MIDLAND at VERNON.
San Angelo at Sweetwater.
Big Spring at Ballinger.
Roswell at Odessa.

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Sports

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McKnight Ties For Second In Oleander Shoot At Galveston

GALVESTON—(P)—Benny Bickers of Dallas won the 30 gauge championship Saturday in the second annual Oleander Open skeet shoot. He broke 100 targets in a row.

Bickers fired Friday, but the field in the event did not finish shooting until Saturday.

Mickey Michaels, Jr., Galveston, defending champion in three events, grabbed the lead in the all gauge division by breaking 125 consecutive targets.

D. Lee Braun, Dallas, had a 100x100 score to win the 20-gauge title for professionals.

Six tied for second in the 30 gauge open shoot. They were Oscar Lange, Galveston; Grant Iseng, Houston; Ish McKnight, Midland; Joe Frost, Jr., San Antonio; Bud Price, Dallas, and D. W. Conway, Clint, all with scores of 99/100.

Tied at 98 were G. Stratton, Waco; Herman Ehler, Dallas, and Col. Pete Read, San Angelo. Those tied at 96 included George Glass, Jr., Midland, and Wright Cowden, Texarkana.

Sens Beat Red Sox 5-4 For Tenth Win In Last 11 Starts

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Washington Senators got back into their winning stride Saturday with a 5-4 win over the Boston Red Sox. President Truman showed up at the game as an unexpected fan.

Washington has lost only one game in its last eleven.

It was Eddie Robinson's single with two out in the seventh, however, which was the big blow for Washington. Boston had grasped a 4-3 lead when Clyde Volmer walked and Eddie Yost doubled in the seventh with two down. In that situation Robinson delivered a single to right which scored both runners and presented Ray Scarborough his third triumph of the season.

Washington grasped a 3-0 lead off Mickey Harris in the first two innings.

The score: R H E
Boston 001 000 300—4 9 0
Washington 120 000 208—5 12 3

Harris, Kinder, Johnson and Tebbetts, Batts; Scarborough and Evans.

Speedway Prelims Set Red-Hot Pace

INDIANAPOLIS—(P)—The biggest pre-race crowd in Indianapolis Motor Speedway history—variously estimated at 40,000 to 50,000—saw all this Saturday:

1. Duke Nalon, Sherman Oaks, Calif., drove his \$75,000 Novi Mobil Special almost 133 miles an hour to take the pole position for the 500-mile race May 30.

2. Bill Cantrell, Louisville boat racer and salvage diver, set a new 10-mile speedway record of 125.022 miles an hour for a semi-stock car. He drove the bus-engine powered Fageol Twin-Coach Special.

3. The 13 qualifiers were so fast Mauri Rose of South Bend, Ind., the "500" winner the last two years, was shoved clear back to the ninth starting position—the outside of the third row.

4. The bottom fell out of two boxes in Grandstand "B" injuring two persons severely and 27 others less seriously. Only 12 people were supposed to be in the boxes.

Papal Hurls Browns To Win Over Tigers

ST. LOUIS—(P)—Rookie Roy Sievers slammed a home run and a double to bat in four runs as the St. Louis Browns trounced the Detroit Tigers 8 to 3 Saturday. Al Papal allowed 11 hits as he pitched the nine innings for the Browns.

The score: R H E
Detroit 200 000 001—3 11 2
St. Louis 001 012 408—8 14 2
Hutchinson, Trout, Ragovin and Robinson; Papal and Lollar.

Five Records Fall As Aggies Garner Third Track Crown

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.—(P)—Blond J. D. Hampton shattered two distance records in leading Texas A&M to its third consecutive Southwest Conference track and field championship here Saturday.

Three other records were set—all by Aggie performers—and another tied in the two-day meet.

A&M compiled 55 1/4 points. Texas, with 49 1/4, was second and Rice, with 36, third, followed by Arkansas with 12 3/4. Southern Methodist, 12, Baylor 9 3/4 and Texas Christian one.

Hampton, a skinny junior from Brady, first established a new mark of four minutes 17 1/2 seconds in the mile run. After resting 70 minutes, he ran the two mile grind in nine minutes 30.7 seconds. He finished far ahead in both races and his ten points gave him individual honors.

His two mile mark erased the 9:32.4 standard set up in 1925 by Sandi Esquivel of Texas and his mile jaunt created by three seconds the record made last year by little Jerry Thompson of Texas.

Other record-breaking performances: Ray Holbrook's 47.3 seconds for the 440-yard dash, eclipsing the

47.8 mark of Harold Hall, Rice, set in 1941.
The Aggie mile relay team's three minutes, 14.1 seconds, bettering the old mark of 3:16.7 by Texas in 1938.
Bob Hall's 22.5 seconds for the 220-yard low hurdles, established in Friday's preliminaries.
Texas' Perry Samuels tied the 100-yard dash mark of 9.5 seconds held by several men.
A crowd of about 2,750 watched the second conference meet to be held here and the first since 1922 and saw the well-balanced Aggies win seven events and score in all but three.

Bobby Locke Looks Like Shoo-In To Win Goodall Round Robin

NEW ROCHELLE—(P)—The task of standing off Bobby Locke plainly is too much for the current crop of American professionals, and as the methodical shotmaker from South Africa almost surely will tuck away a check for \$3,000 when the Goodall Round Robin tournament winds up Sunday night.

The silent man from the dard continent virtually sewed it up Saturday when he shot his fourth straight sub-par round over the Wykagyl Country Club course to boost his "plus" score to 43.

His closest rival, 40-year-old Herman Barron of nearby White Plains, owned a plus of only 34 and his chances of catching Locke on Sunday's final round appeared to be negligible.

Standing third Saturday night was Sammy Sneed, the balding mountaineer, with plus 32, and fourth was Byron Nelson, the honest Texas farmer, plus 31.

DALLAS NEWS TO ISSUE 400-PAGE EDITION
DALLAS — (P) — The Dallas Morning News will publish next Sunday an edition of 400 or more pages which it calls "the biggest and most unusual newspaper ever to roll out of a Southwestern plant."

The edition, weighing five to six pounds per copy, will be called "Texas Unlimited." It has been in production eight months.

STANOLIND NAMES NEW TWO-STATE GAS CHIEF
HOUSTON—(P)—Appointment of E. A. Benfro, Houston, as Texas-Louisiana gas superintendent for Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, was announced Saturday by R. E. Nelson, Jr., division manager.

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| Player | AB | R | H | O | A |
|--------------|----|---|---|---|---|
| Hughes, ss | 5 | 3 | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Slitter, 1b | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Jones, c | 3 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Pressley, rf | 4 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Nipp, lf | 5 | 1 | 3 | 2 | 0 |
| Pena, 3b | 5 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Gilliam, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| Rose, 2b | 4 | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Gilliam, p | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 5 |

| Player | AB | R | H | O | A |
|---------------|----|---|---|---|---|
| Souquet, ss | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 3 |
| Gonzales, 2b | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Scherding, lf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| McCasky, 1b | 5 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 |
| Simons, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Moon, c | 3 | 0 | 1 | 4 | 2 |
| Ehlinger, cf | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 |
| Huntley, 3b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |
| Whittaker, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Blanco, p | 3 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 |

| Player | AB | R | H | O | A |
|---------|-----|-----|-----|---|---|
| Midland | 230 | 300 | 010 | — | 9 |
| Vernon | 300 | 000 | 201 | — | 6 |

Errors—Hughes, Jones, Nipp, Pena; Souquet, Simons, McCasky, Ehlinger, Huntley, Blanco. Runs batted in—Slitter, Pressley, 4, Nipp 2; Gonzalez 2, Scherding, McCasky, Moon. Two base hit—Pressley, Nipp; Gonzalez, Moon. Sacrifices—K. Jones, Gilliam; Blanco. Double plays—Gilliam to Hughes; Slitter, Left on bases—Midland 9; Vernon 5. Bases on balls—off Gilliam 6; Whittaker 5. Strikeouts—by Gilliam 4; Whittaker 2, Blanco 2. Hits and runs—off Gilliam 5 for 6 in 9; off Whittaker 5 in 2; off Blanco 6 for 4 in 7. Winning pitcher—Gilliam. Losing pitcher—Whittaker. Umpires—Cook and Averill. Time—2:20.

Texas League—Beaumont Shippers Sweep Series From High-Flying Eagles

By The Associated Press
Beaumont Saturday night became the first Texas League ball club to sweep a series from the first-place Dallas Eagles, cutting them down 7 to 1.

The Exporters ganged Starter Tommy Finger for four quick runs in the first inning and then coasted to their third straight triumph over the Eagles behind the fourth-hit pitching of Righthander Carl Ray.

Until Ben Guintini knocked a home run over the left field wall with one out in the fifth, the Eagles didn't have a hit. Ralph Rahmes followed with a double to left, but he was left stranded.

The other two hits off Ray came in the ninth. Bill Serena slapping a single past third base to lead off. George Scharen following with a single to left.

The Eagles missed golden opportunities during the first three frames when Ray walked eight men. In both the second and third three Eagles were left on bases.

Sports Trip Cats
Seven-hit pitching by Hugh Sooter earned Shreveport a 7-3 victory over the Fort Worth Cats in the deciding game of their series Saturday night.

The Sports nicked Eddie Chandler for two runs in the first and knocked him out in the fifth.

Two scheduled games, San Antonio at Tulsa and Houston at Oklahoma City, were postponed by rain and wet grounds.

MUSTANGS LOSE SEASON FINALE TO BAYLOR 12-5
DALLAS—(P)—Baylor clipped three SMU pitchers for 12 hits and a dozen runs to win a Southwest Conference baseball game Saturday 12-5.

The loss ended SMU's season. They finished fourth for the second year in a row.



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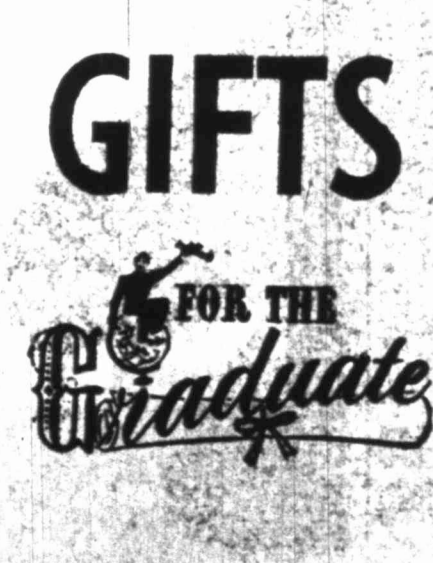
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Longhorn League's Leading Hitters

(OFFICIAL LONGHORN LEAGUE AVERAGES)

| Player | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | SB | RBI | Pct. |
|----------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|------|
| Oyselman, SW | 44 | 13 | 23 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 12 | 444 | .500 |
| Grimes, Od. | 49 | 15 | 25 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 11 | 444 | .488 |
| Grimes, B. S. | 44 | 15 | 19 | 8 | 1 | 2 | 11 | 432 | .482 |
| Jordan, T. R. | 57 | 17 | 24 | 7 | 1 | 4 | 17 | 421 | .478 |
| Monchak, Od. | 50 | 15 | 21 | 4 | 3 | 2 | 19 | 420 | .476 |
| Hyde, Vn. | 5 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 400 | .400 |
| Nipp, Md. | 46 | 15 | 19 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 13 | 396 | .429 |
| Scherling, Vn. | 51 | 20 | 22 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 19 | 322 | .432 |
| Morino, Od. | 51 | 7 | 20 | 6 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 26 | .392 |
| Cato, R. | 11 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 384 | .392 |
| Ramos, B. S. | 11 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 384 | .392 |
| Gonzales, Vn. | 45 | 11 | 16 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 362 | .400 |
| Valdes, B. S. | 47 | 8 | 17 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 362 | .382 |
| Etherton, Od. | 17 | 2 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 352 | .352 |
| Hughes, Md. | 54 | 11 | 19 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 10 | .352 |

CLUB HITTING

| Club | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | SB | RBI | Pct. |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|----|----|----|----|-----|------|
| Big Spring | 408 | 81 | 121 | 19 | 2 | 4 | 10 | 66 | .297 |
| Vernon | 441 | 99 | 130 | 15 | 6 | 8 | 7 | 75 | .295 |
| Odessa | 468 | 102 | 137 | 25 | 9 | 11 | 8 | 89 | .293 |
| Sweetwater | 416 | 76 | 121 | 17 | 4 | 1 | 10 | 66 | .291 |
| Midland | 449 | 79 | 126 | 22 | 5 | 3 | 15 | 66 | .291 |
| Roswell | 429 | 83 | 119 | 24 | 7 | 9 | 2 | 65 | .277 |
| San Angelo | 461 | 84 | 114 | 18 | 1 | 8 | 12 | 71 | .247 |
| Bellinger | 464 | 67 | 113 | 19 | 3 | 10 | 5 | 59 | .244 |

CLUB FIELDING

| Club | PO | A | E | DP | PB | Pct. |
|------------|-----|-----|----|----|----|------|
| San Angelo | 368 | 180 | 34 | 7 | 1 | .942 |
| Bellinger | 342 | 142 | 34 | 7 | 1 | .934 |
| Vernon | 298 | 136 | 32 | 9 | 2 | .931 |
| Big Spring | 282 | 104 | 29 | 3 | 3 | .930 |
| Odessa | 327 | 129 | 42 | 10 | 1 | .916 |
| Midland | 336 | 157 | 46 | 15 | 5 | .915 |
| Sweetwater | 297 | 141 | 42 | 8 | 3 | .914 |
| Roswell | 314 | 148 | 46 | 5 | 2 | .910 |

How Indians Hit, Pitch

| Player | AB | R | H | 2B | 3B | HR | SB | RBI | Pct. |
|------------|----|----|----|----|----|----|-----|------|------|
| Nipp | 48 | 15 | 19 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 13 | .396 |
| Hughes | 54 | 11 | 19 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 352 | .352 |
| Jena | 23 | 5 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 348 | .348 |
| Pena | 48 | 12 | 16 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 333 | .333 | |
| Silber | 57 | 10 | 18 | 5 | 1 | 6 | 8 | 316 | .316 |
| Filigamo | 32 | 2 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 221 | .221 | |
| Adams | 48 | 7 | 12 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 2 | 278 | .278 |
| Rose | 53 | 8 | 14 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 9 | 264 | .264 |
| Kelley | 4 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 250 | .250 |
| Van Hoozer | 11 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 182 | .182 |
| Alvis | 25 | 1 | 4 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 169 | .169 | |
| Blair | 13 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 107 | .107 |
| Nelson | 6 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 | .100 |
| May | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 | .100 |
| Clay | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 100 | .100 |

Minister, Gravely Ill, Performs Marriage To Close 15-Year-Old Bargain With Nephew

DALLAS —(AP)—A 53-year-old minister too ill to read the rest of the marriage service lay on his sick bed Saturday and pronounced the words that married a favorite nephew.

It closed a sort of bargain of fifteen years. When the Rev. Henry W. Jordan first met his nephew, Tommie Nations, then 25, he half-jokingly asked: "When are you going to get married?" Tommie vowed that when he did get married, Uncle Henry would do the job.

When the time finally came Saturday, Jordan was too weak to read the whole service. A minister son, Jack Jordan, hurried down from Oklahoma City to do that. Jordan read the words beginning with "Forasmuch as" and ending "I pronounce they are husband and wife."

And so, Tommie Nations, 40, of Sweetwater, married Mrs. Mildred Baker of Big Spring.

During the 15 years, Jordan built eight Methodist churches from scratch in the South and East.

Tommie spent four years with the Navy in New Caledonia and Guam. He went back to Sweetwater, where he met his bride.

He brought her to Dallas for the wedding.

Shortly after 6 p. m., the bridal party filed into Jordan's bedroom.

The younger Jordan read the service in a clear, quiet voice. His father took the hands of the bride and groom in his and said the end.

Nations is the son of Mrs. Tommie Nations of Sweetwater. Mrs. Nations is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hudgins of Cleburne.

Midlanders Attend Watchmakers Meet

Midlanders were among West Texas members of the Texas Watchmakers Association attending a recent meeting in San Angelo. Steps were taken toward organizing a regional guild at the meeting.

Attending from Midland were J. B. Peterson, Raymond Jenkins, Bill Leavitt, A. E. Houck, Pete Schwaller and Henry Bowman.

More than 400,000 men and women found employment in the cutlery, furniture, and carpet industries of England in 1934.

Medalist Is Beaten In McCamey Tourney

MCCAMEY — Jelly Alford of Iran, who won medalist honors in the McCamey Invitation Golf Tournament Friday, was beaten in the second round here Saturday by R. H. Modisett of Crane. Alford had topped Don Frye of Odessa in the first round while Modisett was beating E. D. Leach of McCamey.

Play will continue in the tourney throughout the day Sunday with the champion to be named in the final Sunday afternoon.

A total of 51 golfers from throughout West Texas are entered in the meet.

University Coed Wins TWGA Title

FORT WORTH —(AP)—Betsy Rawls, the young University of Texas student from Austin, won a hard-fought one-up victory over Betty MacKinnon of Mount Pleasant Saturday in the 36-hole finals of the Women's Texas Golf Association state tournament at River Crest Country Club here.

After going down through the first four holes, Miss Rawls captured the lead on number seven, and never relinquished it, although Miss MacKinnon squared the match several times.

Rice's Chick Harris Captures Southwest Loop Singles Crown

AUSTIN —(AP)—Rice Institute's Chick Harris, whose frail frame belies his enormous tennis tenacity, captured the Southwest Conference singles championship here Saturday.

Harris, a slender red-faced blond from Corpus Christi, defeated Felix Kelley of Texas 6-6, 6-4, 6-0, 6-1, recovering from an erratic start.

Kelley teamed with left-handed Bobby Goldfarb to overpower their Texas teammates, Ed Brabwell and Howard Startzman, and win the conference doubles 3-6, 6-4, 6-0, 4-6, 6-1.

Toots Mansfield Ties Six Calves In 88.6 Seconds At Bandera

BANDERA —(AP)—Toots Mansfield, world champion calf roper, won a two-night match Saturday night and \$1,000 by roping and tying six calves in the phenomenal time of 88.6 seconds.

He defeated Tony Salinas, South Texas champion, who bundled up his calves in 133.5 seconds. Mansfield's total time for the two nights was 198.6 seconds against 282.2 seconds for Salinas.

Braves Edge Dodgers 7 To 6 In Twelfth

BOSTON —(AP)—Sibby Sisti's pinch-hit single drove in Jim Russell with the twelfth inning run that gave the Boston Braves a 7-6 win over the Brooklyn Dodgers Saturday night. It enabled the National League champions to continue in a first place tie with the New York Giants.

The score: R. H. E. Brooklyn 000 100 040 001—6 11 3 Boston 022 000 001 002—7 11 0

Hatten, Podbielniak, Barney, Minner and Campanella; Voiselle, Hogue, Potter and Masi.

Area Students Will Receive ACC Degrees

Charles Hinds of Midland is among the 285 students who will be graduated this year at Abilene Christian College in the largest class in the school's 42-year history. Hinds is a general business major.

Other area students who are candidates for ACC degrees include Glenda Roberts, Kermit, art; Anita Anderson, Grandfalls, general business; and Charles Dunn, Pecos, psychology.

Pollet Wins No. 1 As Cards Nip Pirates

PITTSBURGH —(AP)—Howie Pollet notched his first victory of the season Saturday as he pitched the St. Louis Cardinals to a 4 to 3 win over the Pittsburgh Pirates. The Pirates scored all their runs on homers. Wally Westlake hit a home run in the second and Monday Basgall homered with one aboard in the ninth.

The score: R. H. E. St. Louis 000 000 211—4 9 0 Pittsburgh 010 000 002—3 7 1

Pollet, Wilks and Garagiola; Dickson and Fitzgerald.

Chicago Cubs Pound Cincinnati 13 To 1

CINCINNATI —(AP)—The Chicago Cubs batted Johnny Vander Meer, Ewell Blackwell and Millard Howell all over the lot Saturday to defeat Cincinnati 13 to 1. Three of Chicago's 15 hits were homers. Dutch Leonard was the winning pitcher.

The score: R. H. E. Chicago 000 722 002—13 15 0 Cincinnati 000 000 010—1 5 1

Leonard and Scheffing; Vander Meer, Blackwell, M. Howell and Muller, Francesa.

One Killed, Eight Hurt In Auto Crash

PAMPA —(AP)—Mrs. Ettie E. Tyler, 26, of Pampa, was killed and eight other persons were injured in an auto collision on a slippery road near Wheeler Friday night.

The injured included Mrs. Tyler's three children. Wheeler is 30 miles east of Pampa. Mrs. Tyler was a native of Sayre, Okla. Funeral services will be held there.

Injured were Walton Barnett of Pampa, Mrs. Tyler's brother-in-law; his wife, Edith; their daughter, Reva Gail, two; the Tyler children, Wilma Jean, five, Charles Wayne, two, and Carol, one, and Royce Davis and Stewart Anglin, both of Wheeler.

Club Meetings To Be Held As Usual

John Casselman, owner of the Scharbauer Hotel Coffee Shop, said Saturday the cafe will continue to serve luncheon and dinner meetings of civic and service organizations despite the fact the coffee shop proper will be closed for renovation this week.

Club meetings are held in the Crystal Ballroom and Private Dining Room on the hotel's mezzanine floor.

Bus Strike Threatens Beaumont, Port Arthur

BEAUMONT —(AP)—Port Arthur and Beaumont are threatened with city bus strikes Monday.

Negotiations between officials of the National City Lines, Inc., parent firm of the two city bus companies, and Local 1021, Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railroad and Motor Coach Employees, collapsed Saturday.

VFW Hall Burglarized Second Time In Month

Bud Hudleston, manager of the Midland VFW Hall Saturday reported to police the club had been burglarized Friday night or early Saturday. A quantity of money and some property was stolen.

It was the second time this month the club had been burglarized.

Former Ranger Dies

BIG SPRING —(AP)—William J. LePeve, 77, retired Texas Ranger, died Saturday of a heart attack. He operated markets in Fort Worth and Cleburne after retiring from the Rangers. He moved to Big Spring nine years ago.

From Fort Worth

Mike Coston of Fort Worth, formerly of Midland, is a weekend visitor here.

The small companion star of the giant star, Sirius, weighs 27,000 times as much as a globe of water of equal size would weigh.

Recreation Program Is Slated Here

Plans for the biggest and best Summer recreation program ever held are taking shape here. Coach Garvin Beauchamp has been named general director of the program. Joe Atkins and E. L. Jordan will assist him.

The activities are to get underway June 6 and will continue through July 15. Softball, tennis, tumbling, relays, track, ring games, ping pong, volleyball, swimming and playground activities are scheduled.

Enrollment cards will be passed out at the various schools in order to get as many children as possible in the program. Swimming will be held each day from 9 a. m. to 11 a. m. A qualified lifeguard will be on duty at all times.

Coach Beauchamp has announced the high school, Latin American school, Carver School and possibly other playgrounds will be used. Each playground will be open from 7 a. m. to 7 p. m.

Beauchamp also announced plans for a midgeet baseball team to be formed for boys under 10 years of age.

City manager H. A. Thomson is cooperating in planning the program.

Giant Bats Crackle To Bury Phils 12-2

NEW YORK —(AP)—The New York Giants cracked, base hits like pop corn at the Polo Grounds Saturday as they thundered to a 12-2 victory over the Philadelphia Phillies.

Johnny Mize, Whitey Lockman and Willard Marshall spearheaded the 16-hit attack with homers. Marshall, who drove in three runs, also stroked three singles, while Bobby Thomson chipped in with a single and a triple. Every Giant hit safely except Pitcher Sheldon Jones and Auggie Galan, who didn't have an opportunity to bat.

Robin Roberts was rapped for three runs in two singles, a walk and Thomson's three-bagger. In the seventh inning they tagged Russ Meyer, victim of Friday night's 9-1 beating, for four runs including Mize's two-run homer.

The score: R. H. E. New York 010 100—12 10 0 Philadelphia 010 000 4—2 16 0

Roberts, Meyer, Donnelly and Lopata; S. Jones and Cooper.

Odessa Advances To Final Round In Albuquerque Play

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. —(AP)—The two favorites — Mrs. Sam O'Neal, Odessa, and Mrs. Jean Bauer Glantz, Albuquerque and Providence, R. I., have reached the final round in the Southwestern Women's Golf Tournament.

They play Sunday for the title now held by Mrs. O'Neal. Mrs. Glantz is tourney medalist.

The defending champion Saturday defeated Mrs. D. Lee, El Paso, in 13 holes in the semi-finals. Mrs. Glantz won over K. A. Martin Boswell, Roswell, N. M., state champion.

Mrs. J. R. Turner, El Paso, and Mrs. T. C. Wilmoth, Phoenix, Ariz., went into the championship consolation finals, defeating Mrs. Nolan Walter, Albuquerque, and Mrs. F. Chapman, El Paso.

Joost Homers As A's Trample Yanks

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)—Eddie Joost hammered a three-run homer into the upper left field stands with two out in the eighth inning Saturday to provide the Philadelphia Athletics with a 8-5 triumph over the New York Yankees.

The score: R. H. E. New York 000 005 000—5 7 1 Philadelphia 100 100 33—8 8 2

Page, Lindell, Raschi, Porterfield, Shea and Berra, Niarhos; McCahan, Kellner, Harris, Brissie and Guerra.

Dies Of Injuries

WICHITA FALLS —(AP)—Woodford C. Lynch, 24, Hobbs, N. M., carpenter, died here Saturday of injuries received in a car-truck collision two miles west of Holliday.

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Furnish and install 1800 lbs. ft. of six inch vit. clay pipe.
Furnish and build 8 standard manholes (four feet deep).
Furnish and build 12 feet additional depth to manholes.
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A certified check or Bidder's Bond executed by a reliable surety company, authorized to do business in the State of Texas, in amount of five per cent (5%) of the amount of the total bid, must accompany the proposal, as a guaranty that the Bidder will enter into a contract and execute the required performance bond and guaranty on the terms provided, within ten (10) days after notice of award of the contract to him.
Complete copies of the Plans and Specifications may be examined at the Office of the Engineer for the City Water and Sewer Department, and may be obtained upon deposit of three dollars (\$3.00) which will be refunded upon return of the documents in good condition within ten (10) days after bid opening.
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Furnish and install 185 lbs. ft. of six inch cast iron pipe.
Furnish and install 1400 lbs. ft. of four inch cast iron pipe.
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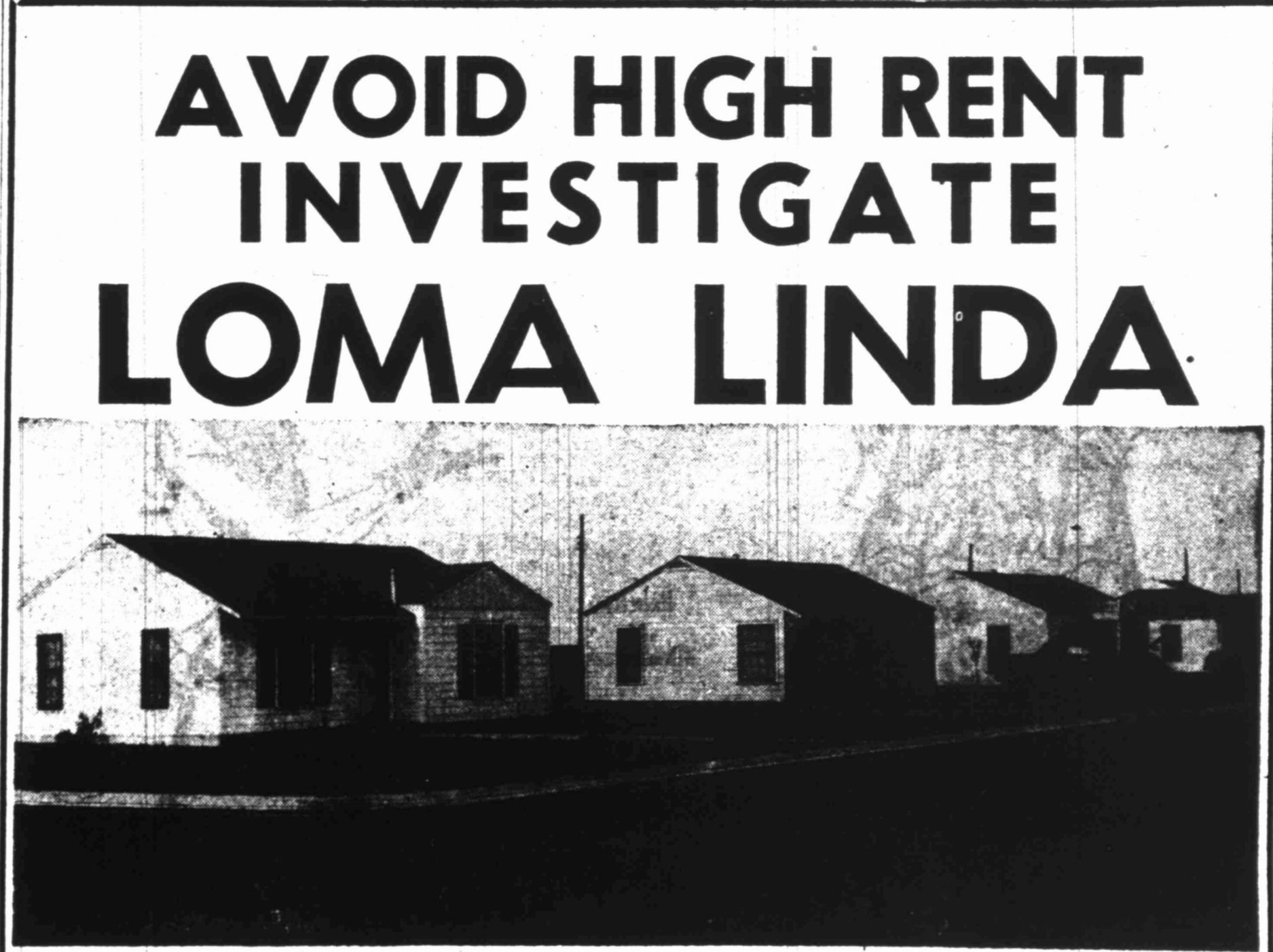
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Dorothy Watson

Dorothy Watson To Marry James F. Lane

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Watson announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy Ann, to James F. Lane of Rankin, son of Mr. and Mrs. William D. Lane of Midland. The summer wedding is planned for July 9, in the First Methodist Church.

It will be an afternoon ceremony with the Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, pastor of the church, officiating. The couple will live in Rankin, where Lane is associated with his brother, William C. Lane, in the oilfield service and supply business. The bride-elect was graduated from Midland High School and from the University of Texas with a bachelor of journalism degree. She is a member of Theta Sigma Phi, national honorary professional organization for women. For the last year she has been employed with the Humble Oil and Refining Company in its Midland offices.

After graduation from Brownfield High School, Lane attended Texas A&M College and then served four years in the Navy. He was discharged in July, 1946, with the rank of lieutenant junior grade in the United States Naval Reserve. He was graduated from A&M with a bachelor of science degree after his period of Navy service.

Girl Graduate Is Complimented With Luncheon By Trio

Complimenting Patricia Pryor, one of the girl graduates of the Midland High School Class of '49, Mrs. Robert Gates, Mrs. Paxton Howard and Mrs. John FitzGerald entertained with a luncheon in the Country Club Saturday at noon. Maypoles wound with pastel colors, and arrangements of pink roses decorated the table. Place cards were in the shape of miniature diplomas, and each guest received a nosegay of May flowers.

Present were Miss Pryor and her mother, Mrs. Harry Pryor, Sarah Lew Link, Royce Raye McKee, Peggy Lou Whitson, Sara Kreisler, Janis Slough, Carolyn Schaeffer, Jo Ann Boykin, Margaret and Theresse Finch.

TULSA ALUMNI TO MEET

Former students of the University of Tulsa are invited to a meeting in the Midland Officers Club at 8 p. m. Friday, when an alumni chapter is to be organized.



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Ruth Melton Is Honoree At Bridal Shower

A surprise shower Saturday afternoon complimented Ruth Melton, whose marriage to W. F. Chumney of Odessa is planned for June 5. The party was given in the home of Dorothy Raines, 1009 West Illinois Street, with all decorations in pink and white.

Hostesses with Miss Raines were Ruby Gilbert, Jean Godfrey, Norma Middlebrooks and Dixie Wilson. Bouquets of pink roses were arranged through the house, framing one door from the main entrance was a pink heart outline edged with a ruffle of white net. Miss Melton was directed through this door to the room where the gifts were placed, with white streamers extended to the packages from a pink Maypole. Centering the table was a smaller heart matching the one at the door with an arrangement of roses. A pink rosebud centered each cake square, and the punch was pink. Mrs. J. B. Wright and Mrs. J. S. Griffith served the refreshments. Miss Melton wore a corsage of pink carnations presented by the hostesses.

Guests were invited to the shower with notes lettered in pink and decorated with pink hearts and arrows. Approximately 40 persons called.

Trip To Europe Is On Vacation Agenda Of Two Midlanders

Exciting vacation plans are being made by Mrs. D. C. Sivals and daughter, Mary Martha, who are going to spend about six weeks in Europe.

Mrs. Sivals will leave Midland the last week in May for St. Louis to meet her daughter, who is completing her sophomore year in Lindenwood College.

After a week's visit in New York City, they will join Mrs. Sivals' brother, Joe Earnest of Colorado City, who will accompany them on their trip.

The group will board the "Holland News Amsterdam" June 19. Trips to England, Scotland, Holland, Belgium, Italy, France and Switzerland will be included in the European tour.

They will return to New York on the "Le de France" early in August.

Scotch Foursomes Scheduled At Club

Scotch foursomes with a buffet dinner to follow are scheduled for Sunday afternoon on the Midland Country Club golf course. All members of the club and their out-of-city guests are invited to participate.

This is a monthly entertainment at the Country Club, sponsored by the Ladies Golf Association of which Mrs. A. Knickerbocker is president.

Chi Omega Alumnae To Have Luncheon
A luncheon for the Chi Omega alumnae group is announced for 12 noon Tuesday, and eligibles who plan to attend are asked to make reservations by telephone to Mrs. C. E. George, No. 2226-J.

Mrs. George asks all Chi Omega alumnae to telephone her so their names may be listed, whether or not they can be at the luncheon. Members of the group here wish to reach others, including the newcomers to Midland who are eligible for membership in the alumnae association.

Announce Engagement



Betty Baldwin of Midland and C. R. (Bud) Springs of Denver City will be married early in June, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Baldwin of San Angelo, announce. Springer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Springer of 804 West Michigan Street, Midland. He is with the National Supply Company at Denver City, where the couple will make their home. Miss Baldwin is employed by the Shell Oil Company here. Date of the wedding has not been set.

Wedding Date Is Set



Jean Schooler's engagement and approaching marriage to A. Bill Williams is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Schooler of Park Terrace Apartments. June 18 is set for the wedding date, and the couple will make their home in Midland. Miss Schooler attended schools in Dallas and Houston. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Williams of Carlsbad, N. M., attended school there and is now office manager for the B-Q Clothiers.

To Marry In Minnesota



Nadine Manning

Parents Announce Manning-Lane Troth

The name of Nadine Manning is added to the list of June brides-elect in Midland with the announcement by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Manning, of her engagement to Walter Leslie Lane of St. Paul, Minn., son of Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Simms of Midland.

The wedding is to take place in a Presbyterian church in St. Paul on June 4, and the couple will make their home there. Lane is attending an art school in the Minnesota city. Miss Manning and her fiancé are both graduates of Midland High School. She continued her studies at the Texas State College for Women in Denton, and now is employed with the Grammer-Murphy store here. Lane has attended Peacock Military Academy in San Antonio, as well as Midland schools.

Tea Is Postponed Because Of Death

The silver tea planned by the Irene Nix Circle of the First Methodist Women's Society for Sunday afternoon has been postponed because of the death of Mrs. S. H. Hudkins, a long-time member of the society. Announcement of the date of the tea, planned to benefit the circle's fund for foreign missions, will be made later.

Will Be June Bride



Dorothy Lee Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Smith, will be married on June 11 to Bobby Gene Dement of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Dement of Roscoe, her parents have announced. Miss Smith, a graduate of Midland High School, now is a student in North Texas State College, where she is a music major. Dement was graduated from Roscoe High School and is employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company. The couple will be married in Midland and will reside here.

September Bride-Elect



Alma Henson is planning a Fall wedding to Charles V. Mahaffey in the Little Chapel-in-the-Woods on the Texas State College for Women campus at Denton. The engagement and the wedding date, September 30, were announced at a party given for the couple Thursday, when each guest was given a tiny card to which a "dime-store solitaire" was tied with blue ribbon, and which bore the names and date. Miss Henson is the daughter of Robert L. Henson, Mahaffey, an employe of the Cities Service Oil Company in Midland, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Mahaffey, Eagle Mountain Lake Addition, Fort Worth.

Announce Betrothal Of Couple

The engagement of their daughter, Janie, to Troy D. Etheredge is being announced by Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Manning. The marriage will add another to the growing list of June weddings planned by Midland couples, as the date is June 3. After their marriage the couple will be at home at 409 West Estes Street in Midland.

Both Miss Manning and Etheredge are graduates of Midland High School. She later attended Sul Ross College at Alpine and is employed in the First National Bank here. Etheredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Etheredge, is a veteran of Navy service, and is an employe of the Dunagan Sales Company.

Miss Manning is a cousin of Nadine Manning, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee O. Manning, whose engagement also is being announced. Nadine Manning's wedding to Walter L. Lane of St. Paul, Minn., is scheduled for June 4.

Civic Music Club Sets Last Meeting

Civic Music Club members formally will close their season with a business meeting Tuesday night, and a number of the members will accept an invitation of the Stanton Study Club to attend a tea in that city Wednesday afternoon.

New officers of the club, headed by Mrs. J. B. Koenig as president, will take up their duties at the business meeting, which will start at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the home of Miss Lotta Williams, 521 West Texas Street.

The Stanton club has invited members of a number of clubs in the district to its annual Spring tea at 4 p. m. Wednesday. It will be held in the new home of Mrs. Phil Berry. Civic Music Club members who plan to go are asked to notify Mrs. Hermann D. Williams, who is arranging transportation.

Seniors To Be Complimented At Open House

One of the gala pre-graduation occasions for Senior Class members of Midland High School will be the open house and Cataloo party Sunday afternoon at which Patricia Pryor and Sarah Lew Link will be hostesses in the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Link.

Faculty members are included with seniors on the guest list. Mr. and Mrs. W. Harry Pryor, Patricia's parents, and the Links will assist the girls in entertaining. The party will be an informal one, with calling hours from 3 to 6 p. m. Exchanging autographs in the Cataloo, school annual, will occupy the guests.

A mortar board cap, emblem of the graduate, will center the refreshment table with flowers in the senior colors, gold and green. On the buffet a covered wagon centerpiece will be another symbol of "the '49ers."

Serving at the refreshment table will be Miss Josephine Weaver, Miss Verna Harris, Miss Minnie Jackson, Miss Owen Gordon, Mrs. Elsie Magee and Mrs. W. J. Parr, faculty members.

Included in the house party are Royce Raye McKee, Peggy Lou Whitson, Sara Kreisler and Carolyn Schaeffer.

Lion Tamers Will Install Officers At Wednesday Meet

Officers of the Midland Lion Tamers Club for 1949-50 will be installed at a picnic and program to be held at 12:30 p. m. Wednesday at Cloverdale Park.

The new officers are Mrs. L. V. Bushman, president; Mrs. John A. Sewell, vice president; Mrs. E. R. Andrus, secretary; and Mrs. John B. Mills, treasurer. Directors are Mrs. J. P. Oaron, Mrs. Frank Stubbman and Mrs. John Biegs. The retiring officers are Mrs. James S. Noland, president; Mrs. Bushman, vice president, and Mrs. W. Gerald Keeler, secretary. Members of Mrs. Ken Edmondson's losing side in a recent membership contest will be the hostesses to the winning team members at the barbecue. Mrs. Bill Collins is captain of the victorious group.

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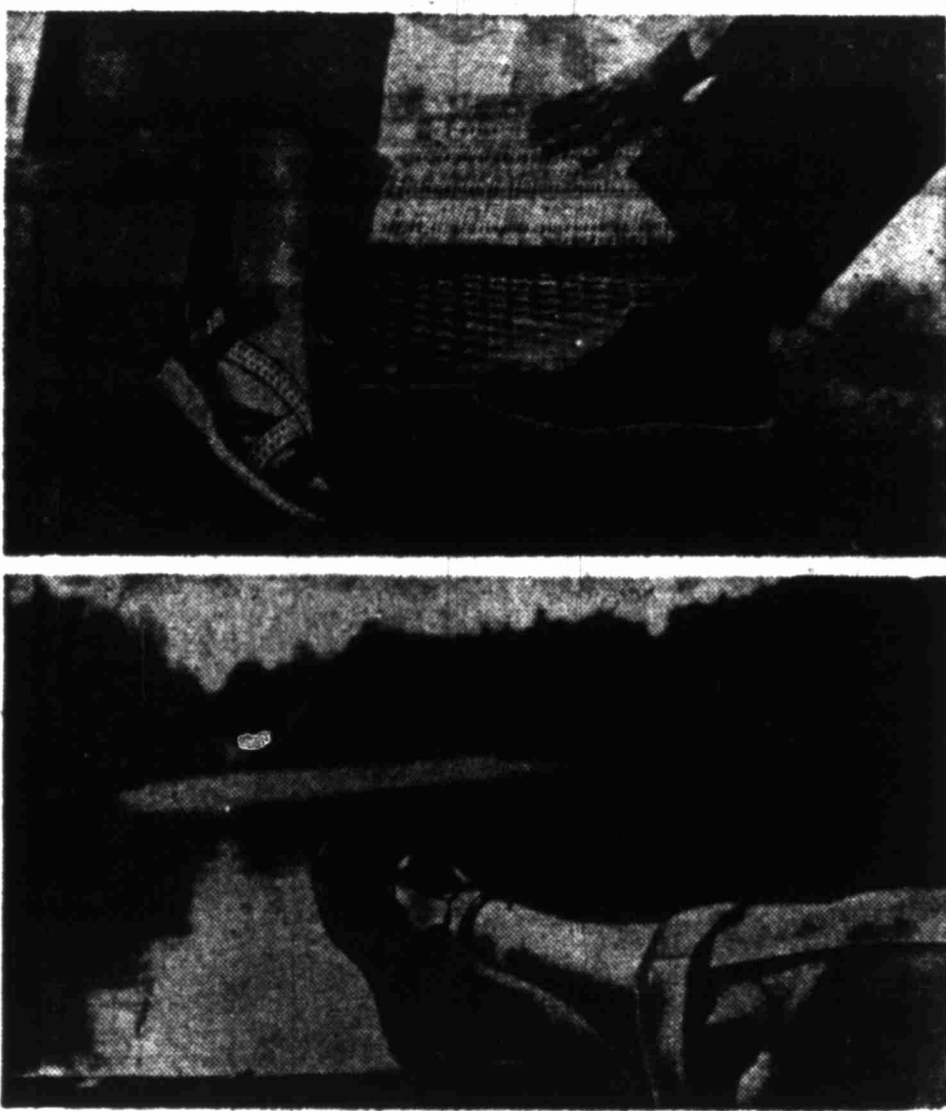
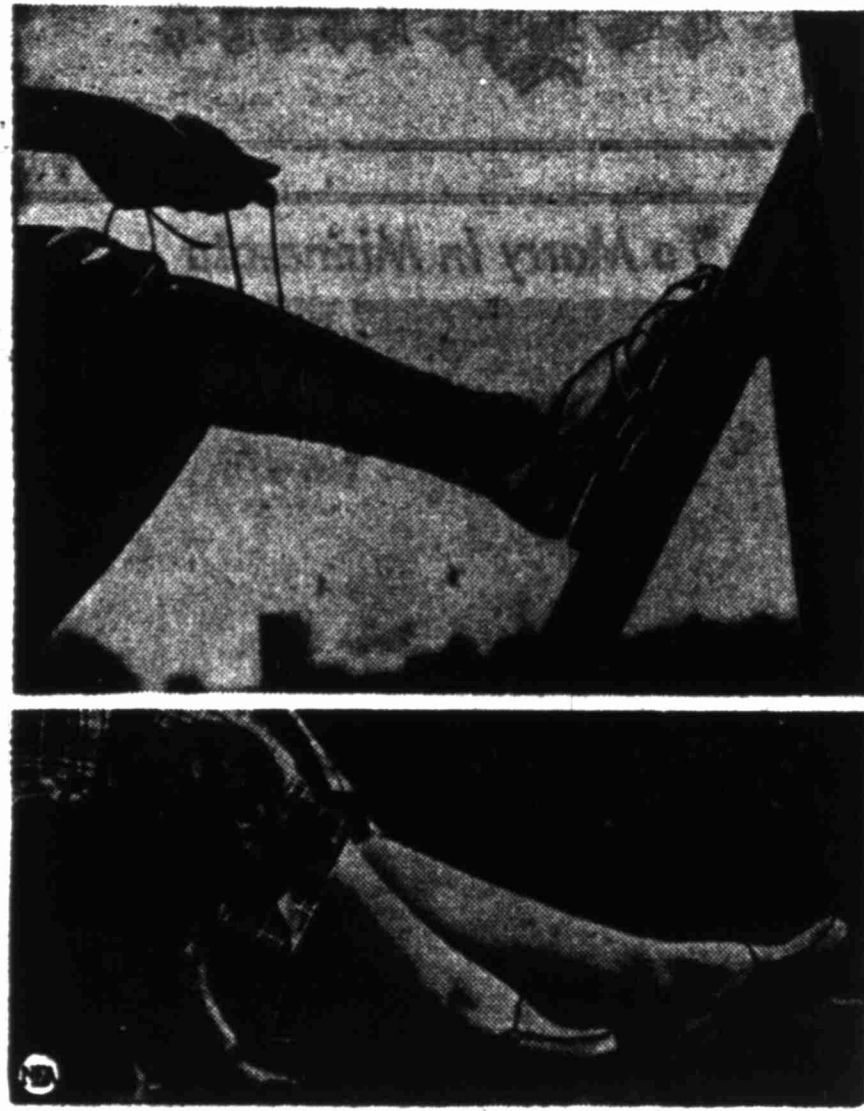
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Airy Shoes March Lightly Into Summer



By EPIE KINARD
NEA Fashion Editor
NEW YORK—Designed to lighten the load on women's feet, summer shoes for casual wear offer a minimum of leather, a maximum of strappings.

Feet are elevated for cooler comfort by moderate platforms. Over many platforms, straps of eyelid leather swirl like lace. An example of such footwear is seen on the girl picnicker (upper right), whose sandals of multicolored buck are airily strapped over crepe platform soles.

The girl lolling in the boat (lower right), wears wedges of half natural linen, half brown calf. Linen is slashed into the calf to lift the burden of leather and to create a chic scalloped effect across the vamp of the shoe which is held firmly to the foot by an instep strap.

Summer weight tan suede contri-

butes its light touch and smart finish to moccasin-type loafers like those shown (lower left). These typify the styling which cuts shoes low at the sides, and high at the back, where looped tabs along with all-around white stitching add a filippic flourish.

The shoe which is marching into the summer scene with the airiest tread of all is shown (upper left). Made of natural leather straps and laces, the sandal is reminiscent of those worn by ancient Roman senators. These, as their modern counterparts show, were a combination of leather straps that crossed the feet, leather strings that crossed the ankles and legs.

Grand Canyon of the Colorado is 278 miles long, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica. At one point it is 13 miles wide and 6000 feet deep.

Mrs. J. C. Veivin Is Hostess For Golf Association Luncheon

Garden flowers in mass arrangements decorated the tables for the Ladies Golf Association luncheon in the Midland Country Club Friday. A variety of blossoms grown in the city were used. Mrs. J. C. Veivin was the luncheon hostess.

Announcement of the monthly Scotch foursomes and buffet supper Sunday afternoon was made with announcement of plans for the Country Club's annual Ladies Invitation Golf Tournament this week. Awards for the members who participated in Ladies Day play on the club golf course Wednesday were made on Tuesday. Mrs. J. C. Veivin was the hostess.

Next Friday's luncheon will be a party of the entertainment for 50 transients in the annual tournament, and will be served buffet style from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. so that players may have their luncheon between matches. Officers of the association will be hostesses.

Guests Friday from out of the city were Mrs. J. E. Mason of Searcy, Ark.; Mrs. Souter of London, England; Mrs. E. C. Applier of Hot Springs, Ark.; Mrs. Elliott Miller and Mrs. B. K. Pond, both of Houston; Mrs. Lane Taylor, Br. of San Antonio; and Mrs. Bart Mann of San Angelo.

Other Guests
Midland guests were Mrs. Eric Payne, Mrs. John P. Butler, Mrs. R. Bogardus, Mrs. Homer Epley, Mrs. C. T. Cooper, Mrs. E. C. Hitchcock, Miss Iola Hopkins, Mrs. Matthew R. I. Weaver, Mrs. Lane Taylor, Mrs. Selman Lones, Mrs. Lennie Davidson, Mrs. Carroll Thomas, Mrs. Frank Reeves and Mrs. L. R. Cobb.

Members present were Mrs. A. Knickerbocker, Mrs. Tex Carlston, Mrs. Vann Ligon, Mrs. Bert Goodman, Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Jr., Mrs. N. B. Garner, Mrs. Fred Kotysa, Mrs. John J. Redfern, Jr., Mrs. Mike Brumelow, Mrs. Robert Turpin, Mrs. Frank Downey, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. W. D. Lane, Mrs. J. Earl Wilson, Mrs. Payton Anderson, Mrs. John Younger, Mrs. Louis Ayres, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. C. M. Ashby, Jr., Mrs. F. L. McFarland, Mrs. Nelson Puetz, Mrs. J. J. Travis and Mrs. Gene Golf.

Doctor's Wives Are Forming Club; Meet In C. S. Britt Home

Mrs. C. S. Britt entertained with a luncheon in her home Thursday for the Midland Doctors' Wives, a group which is in the process of organization. Mrs. A. J. Cooper has been elected president and Mrs. F. E. Sadler, secretary.

The group has chosen the second Thursday in each month as its regular meeting time.

Present for the luncheon were Mrs. Boyd Patton, Mrs. R. L. Penn, Mrs. William W. Moore, Mrs. E. A. McCullough, Mrs. L. W. Leggett, Mrs. R. M. Golladay, Mrs. J. H. Chappie, Mrs. H. G. Walker, Mrs. T. J. Melton, Mrs. R. C. Noble, Mrs. Cooper and Mrs. Sadler.

Sara Kramer Is New Manager At Franklin's

Sara Kramer recently has assumed her duties as manager of the Franklin Store in Midland. She came here from Odessa, where she has lived the last three years and has been employed with Franklin's. Formerly employed in New York, Mrs. Kramer has had a number of years of experience in selling women's clothing as well as children's wear. She states that she hopes to meet many Midland women as she gets acquainted with her new job.

McCamey Bride-Elect



The engagement of Shirley Pulley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pulley of McCamey, and Bob Kellerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kellerman of McCamey, has been announced by the bride-elect's parents. Miss Pulley received her Bachelor of Journalism Degree from the University of Texas in January, and Kellerman will receive a degree in Petroleum Engineering from the University in June. The wedding date has been set for September 3.

Church Women Hold Supper As Benefit

CRANE—The ladies of the Assembly with Mrs. Raymond Willing-embly of God Church held a chicken supper in the Community Room Friday to raise money with which to enlarge the Sunday School department rooms of their church. Mrs. Nosa Osborne and Mrs. Louis St. The Woman's Council met Wednesday with Mrs. Raymond Willing-embly as hostess. Present were Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Henry Wade, Mrs. L. C. Brown, Mrs. P. C. Gibson, Mrs. Nosa Osborne and Mrs. Louis St. The Women's Council met Wednesday with Mrs. Raymond Willing-embly as hostess. Present were Mrs. Griffin, Mrs. Henry Wade, Mrs. L. C. Brown, Mrs. P. C. Gibson, Mrs. Nosa Osborne and Mrs. Louis St.

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Gifts Of Good Taste—

Graduation gifts are enumerable at THE BOOK STALL. Among the varied assortment are plastic luggage tags—a practical and thoughtful gift that is smart and appropriate. Thank you notes and fine Crane's, Mongag's and Rytex stationery would delight the young graduates, either boys or girls. Accompany your gift with a beautiful Hallmark card with the right message of congratulations.

Soft, Lovely Hands—

That's the way your hands will be if you use Dorothy Gray's Hormone Hand Cream, featured at DUNLAP'S. You can look your youngest, happiest and loveliest. Tell tale hands show birthdays. Keep them young with this marvelous beauty aid that contains 10,000 units of Estrogenic Hormones per ounce. Uncared for hands always look older. Get the 4-ounce jar and begin using it now so your hands will look glamorous and lovely.

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Love just "happens to the girl who Kares." Kare is a marvelous new odorant, featured at CAMERON'S, that is the first major improvement in 14 years. It is easily applied as it is in the form of a lotion and dries quickly creating no sticky unpleasant feeling. It doesn't irritate and is harmless to fabrics. Absolutely safe and dependable it will protect your feminine charms. From the moment you use it you're safe for it lasts indefinitely.

Glamour For The Graduate—

Make this day even more memorable—take advantage of the glamorous beauty treatments at FASHION BEAUTY SHOP, 206 North Martinefield. The natural looking Superionic permanent leaves your hair more beautiful than you ever dreamed it could be. There's a Superionic for every type hair. Get this curl control permanent for long lasting hair beauty. Complete your grooming with a beautiful manicure.

Congratulate The Graduate With Flowers—

It's time to think about graduation gifts. Remember it's a pleasure to give as well as to receive and if you wait to make a girl graduate feel proud and successful on her big day, convey your congratulations with flowers from Buddy's. A member of PTD Association, BUDDY'S FLOWERS has prompt delivery service to fill all your floral needs. A gift of flowers expresses sentiment more appropriately than anything.

Moved To New Location—

MELTON'S CUSTOM HATS, now located at Francis Dress Shop, 406 West Wall, offers you the talents of an expert designer. Mrs. Melton is a genius at creating original hats to suit your individual taste and preference. Hats of all styles are designed and trimmed to your specifications. She has buckram shapes for pique hats and lovely flowers for hats or corsages.

For Creative Hobbies—

Give your creative urge full sway. Many interesting hobbies develop from experimenting. With Frank's Desk-All featured at WESTEX GLIDDEN PAINT STORE you can decorate ceramics, china, glassware, bottles and many other objects to beautify your home. There are Tempera colors for decorating show cards. Frank's Textile colors are also available, and a full line of Grumbacher and Devco oils and art supplies. Who knows what inspiration you may find.

The Bulb Garden—

There's still time to beautify your yard for a season of color and glorious blooms. SCRIVENER'S BULB GARDEN, 102 South Johnson, has a wide assortment of bulbs, including gladiolus and other bulbs. Fine sturdy plants include snapdragons, carnations, grass plants and May daisies. Call 3754-W for more information. These bulbs and plants can be transplanted to your yard now with the season just right for rapid growth and survival.

For Daughter's Room—

Match your daughter's youthful personality by creating a setting for her girlish charms with a bedroom ensemble from MIDLAND HARDWARE LINEN DEPARTMENT. Bedspreads in pastel dotted Swiss, percale or crinkle crepe are monogrammed with eyelid embroidery. Designed by Kenneth Miller of New York, they can be obtained in your own monogram in any shade. They are practical as well as lovely for they can be easily laundered.

Time To Remember—

Make graduation a time to remember! Mark the precious moments of your youngsters growing up with a gift they'll cherish through the years! KRUGER'S has on display a beautiful selection of wrist watches in a wide range of styles and prices. Choose your gift now with confidence. Take advantage of Kruger's easy payment plan. You can choose from nationally famous name brand watches such as Bulova, Elgin, Gruen, Wittnauer, Hamilton, Waltham, Longine and many others.

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Flowers For Her Graduation—

What more sincere tribute to her achievement than a beautiful fresh bouquet of flowers from McDONALD GREEN HOUSE? Every girl graduate likes to receive a gift like this. McDonald Green House, 1308 South Martinefield, is prepared for this thrilling occasion with an assortment of gorgeous cut flowers, fragrant and dewy-fresh. Just call 3618 and they'll make up a bouquet.

Advantages Of Correct Make-Up—

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Antiques—Mary Hoover—

A fascinating collection of antiques are displayed by MRS. MARY HOOVER at 1211 West Kentucky. She has in her collection china plates, cups and saucers, old copper items and student lamps. There are other rare antiques but you'll enjoy seeing them for yourself. For more information on this collection call 362-W. Collectors will find many delightful and rare objects. Visit at 1211 West Kentucky and browse through this interesting display.

"Putting On The Dog"—

It's not "putting on the dog" to choose a good dry cleaner. Your assurance of being well-dressed comes from the knowledge that your clothes have been properly cleaned and pressed. The life of a garment depends on the care it receives at the cleaners. LAVELLE CLEANERS has a reputation of long standing. They employ only the best and most modern methods. They have a supply of moth-proof storage bags for your winter clothes.

Solving An Age-Old Problem—

What could be more thrilling than a plane or train trip during vacation? But, there's always the problem of wardrobe transportation. To solve this age-old problem, MIDLAND HARDWARE LINEN DEPARTMENT provides the plastic garment bag that holds four suits or six dresses. Of heavy dust-proof plastic it zips up the side. The short bags are \$4.75 and the long ones \$5.75. Use them on auto trips, too, or at home for storage bags.

The Miracle Of The Paint Brush—

Words cannot describe the loveliness possible by dressing your walls in Cook's Coroc Wall Paint, featured at SIMMONS' PAINT AND PAPER COMPANY. It can easily be applied over any surface, including wallpaper. Also Veitax, the vulcanized wall finish, insures lasting beauty. Its tones are restful. You can finish your walls and hang your pictures in one day. Cook's Rapidly Enamel, in a wide selection of colors, Cook's Scuff Proof Floor Enamel dries overnight and stands up under severe service.

Your Yard A Show Place—

What greater luxury for the family gardener than a Johnson 18-inch or 20-inch Gasoline Power Lawn Mower from MIDLAND HARDWARE. The clean shearing action of an easy to handle Johnson Mower makes cutting grass mere fun or pleasant exercise. Your yard can be the show place of the neighborhood with little effort on your part. It's fast and requires a minimum of effort to use. You'll enjoy caring for your lawn when you have a Johnson Power Mower.

Luggage—The Practical Gift—

For the graduate, luggage is the perfect and thoughtful gift. ARL'S has a fine line of luggage made of genuine California Saddle Leather in a beautiful natural finish. You'll find matched sets or single pieces for boys and girls. Other quality leather gifts featured for boys are billfolds, leather back brushes, dress kits, belts and many other useful things. Girl graduates will appreciate hand tooled purses, billfolds and jewel boxes of this beautiful leather.

End Washday Weariness—

Don't do another wash until you compare all the features of the marvelous Thor Washing Machine at MIDLAND HARDWARE APPLIANCE DEPARTMENT. Every feature of Thor is designed to save you time and effort. It is designed to get clothes cleaner and whiter with less time and effort. It loads from the top permitting easy loading. Agitator Action is the most efficient known—washes faster yet is safe for finest lace, lingerie and linens. You rinse in water that's constantly changing. The spin-dryer gets clothes better than wringer dry.

New Sewing Machines At Singer's—

The new machines featured at SINGER SEWING CENTER, respond to your lightest touch. They stitch forward or backward, fast or slow. There are all kinds of attachments to make sewing easy. There is the new cabinet model of lovely walnut finish and stitching machine it encloses and many other fine models including the desk model.

APCO—

Modern factories have created America's finest window—APCO Aluminum Windows, featured at AMERICAN BUILDING MATERIALS, 411 West Wall. Offer the maximum of beauty, durability and economy. These fine aluminum windows feature low cost and no maintenance because they're constructed of heavy extruded aluminum sections. The metal backed weather stripping assures perfect weather proofing. APCO Windows are delivered complete with glass, screen and hardware and are easily and economically installed.

Golden Jubilee Packard—

Marking the 50-year "Saga of Packards," WILLIS SALES COMPANY displays the latest Packard model, the proudest achievement in Packard's 50 years of fine car leadership. (Confidentially it's terrific!) New, sleeker, more massive styling. New, smoother, quieter, more powerful performance—with no sacrifice of Packard's brilliant postwar gasoline economy. New luxurious interior, with all-over sound-proofing, and high visibility. New, smoother "limousine" ride! This model offers ultramatic drive—the last word in automobile no-shift control.

Lamp Shades In New Colors—

Smart accessories in the home are the keynote of your decor. For color drama choose lamp shades from PHILLIPS' ELECTRIC COMPANY. They have a brand new shipment of beautiful shades of wrinkle proof rayon taffeta for modern furniture and new decorative color schemes. They're available in exciting colors of mist grey, hunter green, cherry rose, and Spring green. They are pillow piped and come in medium and extra large sizes.

Floor Covering And Installation—

For a perfect floor covering installation see MODERN FLOORS, 308 North Main. They maintain a crew for this service and their work is fast and efficient. Modern Floors carries a fine line of floor covering to highlight your decorating scheme. With Kentele you have an easy-to-keep floor and it retains its beauty for longer go right through each tile. Pabco and Armstrong's Linoleum come in inlaid or printed patterns.

Carefree Traveling—

You've planned and saved for this vacation trip. Nothing must spoil it. Let MILLER BROTHERS tailor seat covers to protect your automobile upholstery and provide comfortable traveling. Plastic seat cover fabrics are washable and sun and dust proof. They resist scuffing and hard use. Grease spots do not affect them. Just wipe and grime off with a damp cloth. Let the kiddies eat popcorn or have the dog in the car. Dog hairs brush right off.

Year 'Round Beauty And Comfort—

For permanent window installation that retains its service and attractiveness through all seasons, SHUR-FIT VENETIAN BLIND FACTORY, 900 North Weatherford, offers custom made aluminum awnings that are weather proof and give you control of light, ventilation and visibility. All type Venetian blinds are custom made by SHUR-FIT Venetian Blind Factory, including outside blinds. There is a choice of materials, also. Custom made blinds and awnings make your home more attractive and livable.

New Body Shop Addition—

Now you get a better automobile paint job in one day! At MURRAY-YOUNG MOTORS, LTD., a new bake-oven has been added to the body shop. Baked enamel auto refinishes save you dollars and time! With this new method, they are sold with a long life and the highest quality, durable, factory approved finish—scientifically applied by specialists. Every paint job is guaranteed for one year and there are 3,700 colors to choose from.

Furniture With A Future—

Here is open stock bedroom furniture priced to fit your budget. MIDLAND HARDWARE FURNITURE DEPARTMENT is displaying the Mathes Mastercraft bedroom furniture. Simplicity of design in the modern manner, lend itself to so many practical arrangements in the smallest apartment or largest home. Furnish your rooms to fit your individual taste with this versatile furniture, available in limed oak or maple.

Experience Is Important—

Clothes just can't make a co-gar out of a tenderfoot. It's experience that counts. The same applies to automobile glass installation. If you get a broken window or a cracked windshield, let SERVICE GLASS COMPANY, 500 North Weatherford, replace it. They're skilled technicians and can replace broken glass quickly and efficiently at reasonable costs. Broken glass is a menace to safe driving. Have it replaced before starting on your vacation trip.

The Ideal Wedding Present—

For the bride on your list, a Coffematic is the nicest wedding present you can give. Featured at WESTERN APPLIANCE, it's a beautiful coffemakeer anyone will be proud to own. It makes perfect coffee—every cup automatically to your taste. Set the Flavor Selector to the strength you want. When coffee's ready the percolator stops and the Redi-Lite tells you it's ready. It's of chrome plated coronet pattern with non-drip pouring spout.

Automatic Laundry Service—

The right way to do your family wash is to take it to the LAUNDERETTE, 413 West Texas. Now opening 7:45 a.m. 'til 6 p.m., the Launderette provides starching facilities and does all the hard work of washing clothes. You can relax, shop or just wait while the machine washes your clothes and spins them damp-dry. On Tuesdays the Launderette is open 'til 9 p.m., giving working people a chance to avail themselves of this advantage.

It Could Happen To You—

It would be a tragedy if your guests just ran out of ice. To avoid this fatal mistake take a portable ice chest from SCOTT'S ICE COMPANY. They hold 50 pounds of ice and accommodate those bottled beverages that take up space in the refrigerator. Attractive, too, they're solid white enameled bondersized metal.

For Spring Cleaning—

Make Spring house cleaning less of a task with the cleaning aids supplied by MIDLAND HARDWARE HOUSEWARES DEPARTMENT. Bruce liquid cleaner makes wood and linoleum sparkle without scrubbing. Also Bruce Wax in paste and liquid form and Johnson's Wax and paste wax makes floors and woodwork sparkle with little effort. There are O'cedar dust mops in all sizes to make your work easier and lighter. No need for dirty drudgery with these convenient aids.

Take The "Work" Out Of Housework—

If the "March of Time" should feature the progress of housekeeping it would be interesting, indeed. From spinning wheels and hand turned coffee grinders to modern streamlined electrical appliances like those featured at MLJWEST ELECTRIC COMPANY, 219 South Lorraine, would be a far cry. Today's housewife finds her work a pleasant routine. Push button control takes the "work" out of housework. Waffle irons, toasters, Eveready and GE Irons that emit steam are only a few.

Bank The Tenpins!—

There are as many women in the bowling field now as men. Neither age nor muscle determines the accuracy of a bowler. At PALOMAR PALACE instructors give free lessons to the ladies and you can rent bowling shoes. Bowling opens a new field of fun and extends your social contacts. You can become a champion, make new friends, be popular!

New Beauty For Old Furniture—

The miracle of fabric is told in the transformation effected by DAVIE UPFOLSTERING COMPANY. From a wide selection of finest upholstery fabrics they can transform that worn out dated suite of yours into a thing of beauty. You'll be amazed at the result. In comparison to buying new furniture the saving is tremendous. They can bring new beauty into your home and at the same time restore those favorite pieces to their original appearance and usefulness.

The Sports World Is Buzzing—

For smooth, dependable performance, sportsmen prefer the new Scott-Atwater outboard motor at MIDLAND HARDWARE SPORTING GOODS DEPARTMENT. Here is luxury boat maneuverability and long range cruising. This model retails for \$149.50. It is a light model with automatic air vent, and automatic gas shutoff. Shift to warm up motor in neutral; shift to back away from dock; shift to make an "eggshell" landing.



Jannine Stephens, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Kenneth P. Smith is announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Stephens, has set June 14 as her wedding date. The ceremony is to be read in the Lovers Lane Methodist Church of Dallas. Miss Stephens attended Dallas schools and was graduated from Midland High School, then was a student in Southern Methodist University where she was a member of Chi Omega Sorority. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Amarillo, is to be graduated in June from Texas A&M College.

Wally's Choice



Rusty, a cairn terrier pup, waits in the radio room of a cargo plane in New York for his flight to Paris and his new mistress, the Duchess of Windsor. The dog was bred by Elizabeth Braun, of Pittsburgh, Pa., who was contacted by the duchess, who saw a picture of one of the terriers in a magazine.

Delegates Return From State Garden Club Convention

Delegates from the Garden clubs of Midland returned Friday from San Antonio, where they attended the annual convention of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc. A report was given from each of the Midland clubs. Visits to the homes and gardens of San Antonio on tours arranged for the convention delegates especially interested the Midland women. A feature of the program was the appearance of J. Gregory Conroe, expert on flower arrangement, who lectured and demonstrated that art. Going from Midland were Mrs. J. D. Dillard, representing the Council of Garden Clubs; Mrs. H. E. Bahr, Mrs. I. E. Daniel and Mrs. Frank Aldrich from the Midland Garden Club; Mrs. Russell Holster of the Perennial Club; Mrs. C. M. Chase and Mrs. Harry Murray of the Pyrantha Club; Mrs. Lee Conroe of the Tejas Club and Mrs. Carl Westlund of the Yucca Club.

TO RETURN FROM HOSPITAL
Mrs. James L. Daugherty is expected to return to her home here Sunday from a Lubbock hospital where she underwent surgery recently. Her condition is said to be "much improved."

+ Coming Events +

MONDAY

Women of the First Presbyterian Church will meet in the home of Mrs. J. Clifford Hall, 204 East Ohio Street, at 9:30 a.m. to do White Cross work.

Women of the First Free Will Baptist Church will have an all-day meeting with Mrs. Jessie Friday, 808 South Marshall Street. Members are to bring sewing, quilting and a covered dish for luncheon.

The Woman's Society of the Asbury Methodist Church will have a study program in the church at 3 p.m.

Woman's Council of the First Christian Church will have a luncheon in the church at 1 p.m. A round-table discussion on the church convention held in Waco recently will be the program.

The Laura Haygood Circle of the First Methodist Woman's Society will meet with Mrs. E. L. Koepcke, 317 South Big Spring Street, at 3:15 p.m. The Mary Scharbauer Circle will have a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the home of Mrs. J. C. Smith, 1001 West Kansas Street; Winnie Prothro Circle a luncheon at 1 p.m. in Mrs. Sam Preston's home, 405 North Loraine Street; Belle Bennett Circle will meet with Mrs. Howard Hollowell, 310 North Main Street at 3:15 p.m.; May Tidwell Circle with Mrs. Guy Creighton, 1409 West Louisiana Street at 9:30 a.m.

Trinity Episcopal Church Guilds will meet as follows: St. Catherine's will have a guest day luncheon in the Parish House at 1 p.m.; St. Margaret's will meet with Mrs. V. E. Hanes, 205 Cowden Street, at 3:30 p.m.; and St. Cecilia's will meet in the home of Mrs. Oliver Morgan, 1008 West Illinois, at 3:30 p.m.

Circles of First Baptist Missionary Society will meet at 3 p.m. for Bible Study: Mary Elizabeth Truly Circle with Mrs. H. M. Glass, 1202 West Ohio Street; Mary-Martha Circle with Mrs. Billie Gilbert, 1502 North D Street; Lockett Circle with Mrs. Neal Dilday, 1705 West Texas Street; Rebekah Circle with Mrs. W. B. Preston, 707 North Martenfield Street; Annie Barron Circle with Mrs. J. S. Griffith, 200 Club Drive; Lottie Moon Circle with Miss Alta Merrell, 609 North Main Street.

Room mothers and officers who have served the past year in West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association, and officers for next year, will be entertained with a coffee at 10 a.m. in the home of the retiring president, Mrs. Noel Cason, 1901 West Texas Street.

TUESDAY
Midland Service League will meet with Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, 1311 West Missouri Street, for a business session at 1:30 p.m.

Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for dinner in the Scharbauer Hotel at 7:30 p.m.

Les Convivantes Bridge-Luncheon Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Ranch House. Mrs. A. L. Attaway and Mrs. W. W. Wilson will be hostesses.

A barbecue dinner will be held in the Midland Country Club at 6:30 p.m. to honor participants in the Ladies Invitation Golf Tournament.

Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will meet with Mrs. Burns Crotty, 2300 West College Street, at 8 p.m.

Workers Conference of First Methodist Church will start at 7:20 p.m. in the Church.

Civic Music Club will have a business meeting at 8 p.m. in the home of Miss Lotia Williams, 521 West Texas Street.

WEDNESDAY

Woman's Wednesday Club will meet for luncheon at 1 p.m. in the Private Dining Room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Star Study Club will meet in the Masonic Hall for a luncheon at 1 p.m. Mrs. J. B. Wright and Mrs. Minnie Crumley will be hostesses.

Sentosa Garden Club will meet with Mrs. W. T. Harris, 1107 West Illinois Street, at 9:30 a.m.

Delta Zeta Alumnae Group will meet in the home of Mrs. E. A. Wahlstrom, 400 East Broadway, at 10 a.m.

Modern Study Club will have a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Lamar Lunt, 510 West Holmesley.

Terminal Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. W. L. Savage, Building T-36, at 2 p.m.

Play Readers Club will meet with Mrs. J. E. Beakey, Andrews Highway, at 3 p.m.

A cocktail party, in the Midland Country Club from 6 p.m. until 7 p.m., will entertain the participants in the Ladies Invitation Golf Tournament.

Social Studies Group of the American Association of University Women will have a meeting in the home of Mrs. E. H. Scooby, 807 Juthbert Street, at 8 p.m. Guests are invited to this meeting.

Holy Communion will be held in the Trinity Episcopal Church at 10 a.m. Choir practice and a supper will be held in the church at 6:30 p.m.

Little Diggers Junior Garden Club will meet at 4 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, 1502 West Texas Street, to start a garden pilgrimage.

Choir of First Methodist Church will meet at 7:15 p.m. for rehearsal.

The Lion Tamers Club will install officers at a barbecue to be

held at 12:30 p.m. at Cloverdale Park.

Junior choir of the First Presbyterian Church will practice at 7 p.m. in the West Elementary School, and the adult choir practice will start at 7:30 p.m. in the same place.

THURSDAY

Order of Rainbow For Girls will meet in the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p.m.

Palette Club Studio will be open all day to members. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Tejas Garden Club will meet with Mrs. W. M. Ford, 712 Cuthbert Street, at 9:30 a.m. Each member is to bring a flower arrangement. Mrs. A. P. Shirey will judge the arrangements.

Yucca Garden Club will have a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Clint Duagan, 1508 West Missouri Street.

Nu Phi Mu rushees will be pledged to the colors at a meeting in the home of Louise Harless, 110 South D Street, at 7:30 p.m.

Participants in the Ladies Invitation Golf Tournament will be guests at a dance in the Midland Country Club. The dance will begin at 9 p.m. Jimmie Free's Orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. J. B. Koehig will present piano students in a public recital in the First Methodist Educational Building at 8 p.m.

Margie Shumate Young Women's Auxiliary will meet at 8:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church to go on a picnic to Cloverdale Park.

FRIDAY

Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. Walter Collins, 901 North G Street, at 3 p.m.

University of Tulsa Alumni will have a meeting in the Midland Officers' Club at 8 p.m. to organize an alumni club.

A buffet luncheon will be served in the Midland Country Club from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. to the participants in the Ladies Invitation Golf Tournament and to members of the Ladies Golf Association, whose officers will be hostesses.

Square dancing in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church will begin at 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

Prizes will be presented to the winners of the Ladies Invitation Golf Tournament at 5:30 p.m. in the Midland Country Club.

Children's Story will start at 10:30 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

Moment Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a.m. in the Watson Studio.

Piano Pupils Get Medals At Recital

Medals were presented to pupils who have earned highest ratings in a contest conducted through the year, at the Spring recital by Howard Orr's piano pupils Friday night. Parents and friends of the pupils attended the program in the North Elementary School auditorium.

The award for the best all-round pupil went to Lallajo Wright. Medals for second rating were presented to Bill Robitsek and Jimmy Jones; third, to Linda Stephenson, Lorraine Collins and Dolores Walton; fourth, to Sue Schneider, Kay Thomas and Claudine Hamner; fifth, to Jill Beshell and Don Drummond.

Other pupils taking part in the recital were Betty Soles, Danna Sue Wright, Billy Helbert, Becky Beckmann, Billie and Roberta Donnell, Gloria Hicks, Pat Whitaker, LuWertha Hiett, Charles Conner and Carolyn Boies.

You Know How It Is, Judge

LOS ANGELES — A Kaiser O. New 22, faces trial as a traffic violation after telling the judge:

"Your honor, even though I was driving with one arm around my girl friend, everything was under control."

Replied Municipal Judge Roger A. Pfaff:

"Young man, I was young once myself. Everything can not be under control under those circumstances."

The legislature of Illinois first passed an act on division fences in 1818.

Bike Safety



DO use arm signals to warn those behind you intend to slow down, stop or turn. Bicyclists must follow road rules just like motorists.

Mrs. Breith Hostess For Westside Club

Meeting in the home of Mrs. David Breith Friday, the Westside Home Demonstration Club had a lesson on tailoring by Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, county home demonstration agent. She showed a number of tailored finishes for dresses and suits.

Mrs. J. C. Hudman and Mrs. E. Calhoun were guests. Members present were Mrs. Joe Chastain, Mrs. P. L. Crowley, Mrs. Guy Creighton, Mrs. L. H. Moncrief, Mrs. O. R. Phillips, Mrs. H. B. Spears, Mrs. J. D. Webb, Mrs. Johnny Reid, and Mrs. Howard Palmer.

Hospital Equipment List Is Approved

The equipment list for the Midland Memorial Hospital has been approved by the regional office of the U. S. Public Health Service, and the hospital now may proceed in ordering the equipment for the new plant. E. R. Andres, hospital administrator, has been advised by the Texas State Department of Health.

Mildred W. Roberts, consultant of the hospital survey and construction division of the Health Department, advised Andres the equipment list was "one of the best we have received." She expressed appreciation for the

promptness and cooperation of the Midland hospital staff. "The Midland Memorial Hospital Board is to be commended for the early employment of a competent administrator to handle the selection, the placing of orders, and the inspection, storage and placement of the equipment," the letter stated.

TO FOOT WORTH
DeWayne Davis, assistant manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, is spending the weekend in Fort Worth.

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FASHION SALON

New Location Will Be 106 North Loraine Next to Midland National Bank

Fur Necklace New Luxury Item



Chin-shucking necklace furs and embroidered jackets wrap their luxurious charms around spring and summer fashions. The rope of starlight mink which the model (center) wears double-looped and knotted at the neckline is brightened by a pink rose tucked in the knot. Sheared pearl gray fox scarf (top left) is long enough so that it may be wound around neck and shoulders. White American broadtail jacket banded with gold embroidery (top right) makes a handsome wrap for day or evening.

By EPIE KINARD
NEA Fashion Editor
NEW YORK—"Little furs" for the season ahead take their fashion cues from necklaces that tie, loop

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or twist in ingenious ways.

One so-called "little fur" of starlight mink, which strings out its lavish look to two and one-half yards, is designed to be looped and knotted at the throat like a string of pearls. To replace heads, tails and claws which are noticeably missing from neck pieces styled by Esther Dorothy, this designer suggests tucking a pink rose into a fur-looped knot.

Another "necklace fur" winds around the throat and again around the shoulders. To give this scarf the look of a newcomer fur, shaggy fox is sheared down to its guard hairs to reveal unsuspected depths of silvery luster. This scarf, with a uniform width of seven inches and a length of 78 inches, can be spirally wound or looped in a variety of ways.

Not to be eclipsed by "necklace furs" are fur jackets with a bejeweled look. Examples are jackets which button up with jet or rhinestones. Even more bejeweled is a jacket of white American broadtail bordered and beited with gold galleon embroidery.

BRIDGE CLUB MEETS

CRANE — The Wednesday Club met for an afternoon of bridge with Mrs. Ida Whittenburg as hostess in the J. E. Clark home. Mrs. J. M. Coffey won high score. Mrs. B. E. McDonald, second high and Mrs. Clark, bingo. Others present were Mrs. W. R. Hamblett, Mrs. H. O. Waters, Mrs. W. S. Johnstone, Mrs. E. R. Pettis and Mrs. Ray Frazee.

The sun constantly is losing weight.

Heads Newcomers



Mrs. Lester Pierson was elected president of the Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club formed at a tea in the Ranch House Thursday afternoon. The club will meet monthly for luncheons. Mrs. Pierson, who lives at 300 East Cowden Street, moved to Midland March 28 from Oklahoma City. She is a member of the Church of Christ. The Piersons have two children, Bob, a student in Oklahoma University, and Molly, enrolled in 8th Elementary School.

Vaughn-Sides Wedding Plans Are Announced

McCAMEY—The Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Vaughn announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Gwendolyn, to Lawton M. Sides, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sides. The bride's father, pastor of the Assembly of God Church, will read the double-ring ceremony in the church at 7:30 p.m. May 23.

Miss Vaughn is a junior student in McCamey High School and plans to complete her high school work next year. Sides, a graduate of McCamey schools, served three years in the Navy and is now employed in the post office here. The couple plans a brief wedding trip, then will be at home in McCamey.

Terminal Lions Receive Charter At Special Meet

The recently organized Terminal Lions Club received its charter at a special ladies night event Friday night at Midland Air Terminal. The unit was sponsored by the Midland Lions Club, which was in charge of the chartering program. James L. Daugherty of Midland, deputy district governor, made the principal address and presented the charter to the Rev. Curtis Rogers, Terminal club president.

The Midland Lions Club International Convention Band furnished music for the event. Duke Jimerson and John Biggs were the featured vocalists.

Tail Twister Bill Whiles conducted a lively auction sale following the dinner.

Guest List
Visitors from Midland included J. S. Hullum, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Howard, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Horn, Jimerson, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry J. Duncan, Mrs. Jack Ellington, Larry Tumble, Dr. S. B. Shannon, Mrs. Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Green, Mrs. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carson, Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Bassham, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Fitzgerald, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Inman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Strassner, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Fitzgerald, B. C. Vincent, C. H. Cook, W. G. Pritchell, Carl O. Hyde and Biggs.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Brunson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Cherry, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Green, Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hubbard, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Johnson, Thomas McElligott, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Pirtle, Mr. and Mrs. Arl J. Pittman, Mrs. Lavern Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. James M. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Renhiser, Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Segrest, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Shadden, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Theoford, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Turner, Whiles, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Wilmon, and Virginia Smith. The Midland club presented a bell and gavel to the new Lions unit.

Road Commissioners Pictured In Magazine

Fred Wemple of Midland, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, and Commissioners A. F. Mitchell of Corsicana and R. J. Pettis of Harlingen are pictured with D. O. Greer, state highway engineer, in the May issue of Texas Parade.

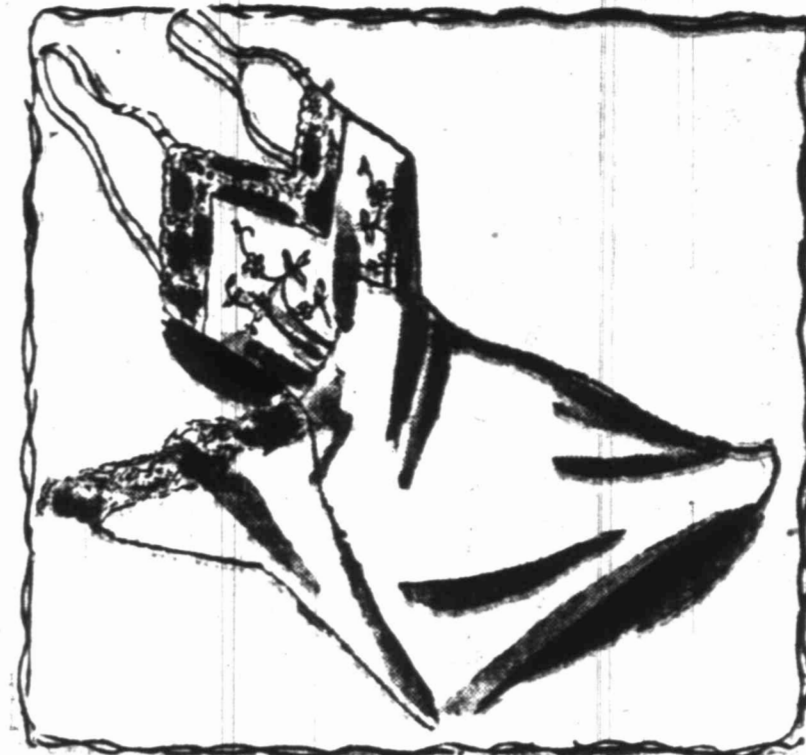
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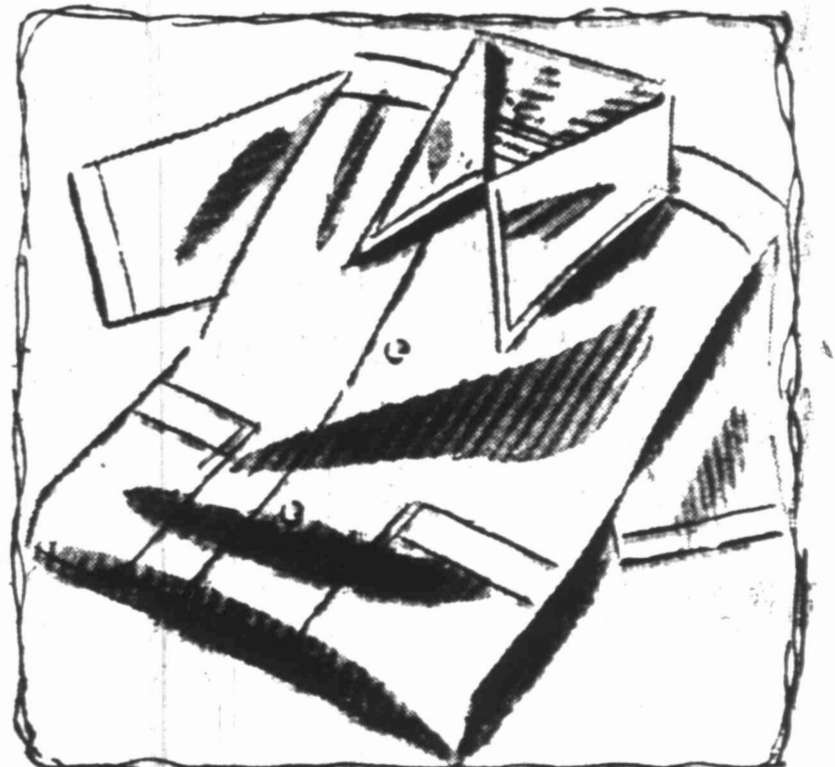
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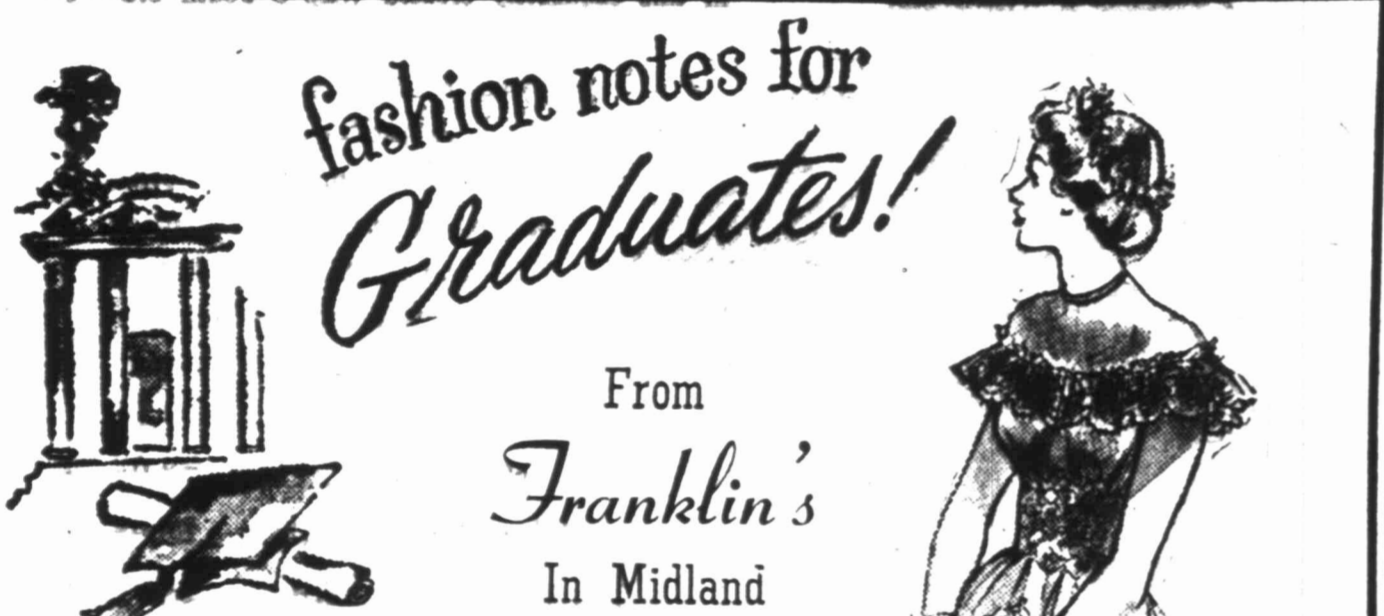
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Mothers Club Ends Year With Meeting

St. Ann's Mother's Club had its final meeting of the season in the home of Mrs. Ralph Getaler Thursday morning with Mrs. Fred Burleson as co-hostess. New officers were installed, and the Rev. Francis Taylor addressed the new and re-installing officers.

Mrs. C. L. Chase took office as president; Mrs. Joe Canon, vice president; Mrs. P. A. Manns, secretary; Mrs. James Price, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Tom Edgeman, reporter; and Mrs. Fred Burleson, treasurer.

Mrs. V. E. Collins, chairman of a Sunday School project, announced that pre-school classes will be held in the North Elementary School from 10:45 a. m. to 12:15 p. m. Sundays. Tentative plans were made for a Christian Doctrine vacation school to be held early in June.

Sister Carmelita and Sister Isabella of Big Spring presented Ann Canon, Mary Ann Price, Sharon and Ann Kelly and Mary Helen Moreno in a program appropriate to May, the month dedicated to the Blessed Mother.

Club Activities
A calendar of club activities for the coming year was approved. Mrs. George Grimm was named chairman of a committee to plan the May Crowning.

Other members present were Mrs. Ed Kent, Mrs. Lorraine Feely, Mrs. Pat Stanford, Mrs. Max Schumann, Mrs. Joe Brodigan, Mrs. George Byrne, Mrs. Joe Kelly, Mrs. W. M. Jarney, Mrs. Ray Kelly, Mrs. Albert Kelley, Mrs. Lamar Lunt, Mrs. Harold Kelly, Mrs. C. H. Turner, Mrs. W. J. Sowers, Mrs. Mike Brumbelow, Mrs. Russell Wright, Mrs. Dan Lillis and Mrs. Chambers.

Kidskin Accents Summer White



Stark white kidskin which can be wiped free of smudges makes practical and smart accessories for summer prints. Pictured against a background of flowering trees, the model wears a white glazed kidskin coat and carries an umbrella sheathed in more of the leather. Snowy suede kid bonnet has a cuffed crown and navy veil. Swirled strips of kid caught with colored bands form the vamp of platform sandals. Drawstring carry-all of white crushed kid is lined with bright India print.

By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Fashion Editor

NEW YORK—Blue Monday will be a rozier day for women in white this Summer, thanks to white kidskin.

This lady's leather which can put its stark white accent on print costumes all along the line from hats to shoes can be kept clean by wiping off smudges with a damp cloth. The softness and flexibility of kidskin has made it a designer's choice for the immaculate white coat which is this Summer's favorite topper for the bright print dress.

Besides making smart coats, kidskin makes hats which can be kept as spotless. Hats of white leather look as feminine as hats of straw and take as nicely to veils, chin ties, buttons and bows. The umbrella sheathe that rarely dares to take white because of the hazards of handling can take it in white kidskin. So can handbags and shoes. When used for smartly-styled shoes, the porous quality of white leather is also a promise of more Summer comfort for feet.

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Vacation School At Rankin Is Planned

RANKIN—Plans have been completed and workers announced for the First Baptist Church Vacation Bible School to be held at the church May 22-27.

Workers for the school are announced as follows: Principal, Mrs. Joy C. James; secretary, Mrs. Romine; music, Mrs. Irene Nettleship; intermediate superintendent, Mrs. Nettleship assisted by Mrs. A. D. Zachary, Mrs. John D. Hurst and Mrs. Marcus Price; junior superintendent, Mrs. Neal Wakeman, assisted by Mrs. Lewis Milton Smith, Mrs. Nixon and Mrs. Roy Priest; primary superintendent, Mrs. Alvin Bushong, assisted by Mrs. J. T. Bushong, Mrs. Omar Warren and Mrs. Huddleston; beginners superintendent, Mrs. Prim Roady, assisted by Mrs. Snow, Mrs. Willis and Mrs. Sam Holmes.

Mrs. Ralph Daugherty will tell the Bible story in each morning's opening assembly. The refreshment committee for the school is composed of Mrs. H. Wheeler, Mrs. C. G. Taylor and Mrs. Dave Gentry.

Officers Installed In Crane WSCS

CRANE—The Rev. J. N. Whetstone installed new officers of the Woman's Society of Christian Service recently in the Crane Methodist Church. Mrs. J. E. Clark took office as president.

... playlet, "By His Light Shall the Nations Walk," was presented afterward to open a pledge service. Mrs. Wayne Brown was pianist, Mrs. L. A. Williams soloist and Mrs. C. A. Shaffer reader. Mrs. Whetstone, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Cecil West, Mrs. Hugo Huffman, and Mrs. J. E. Davis and Mrs. Guy Bosworth took part. Mrs. E. P. Thompson spoke on the need for mission work as members pledged contributions to home and foreign missions.

Mrs. H. G. Bell was leader of the opening devotional period. Tea was served in the church annex by Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Huffman. Mrs. C. K. Peak of Dallas was a special guest.

Others installed were Mrs. Shaffer, vice president; Mrs. Whetstone, recording secretary; Mrs. F. D. Husted, treasurer; Mrs. Davis, confectional treasurer. Secretaries of various divisions are: Mrs. B. S. Barnett, status of women; Mrs. H. G. Huffman, Christian social relations and local church activities; Mrs. Nolan Vickers, youth and student work; Mrs. H. G. Bell, children's work; Mrs. Cecil West, spiritual life; Mrs. Fred Fields, supplies; Mrs. E. P. Thompson, literature and publications, and Mrs. Cecil Snead, promotion secretary.

Girl Scouts Need Cans, Glasses And Plates For Camp

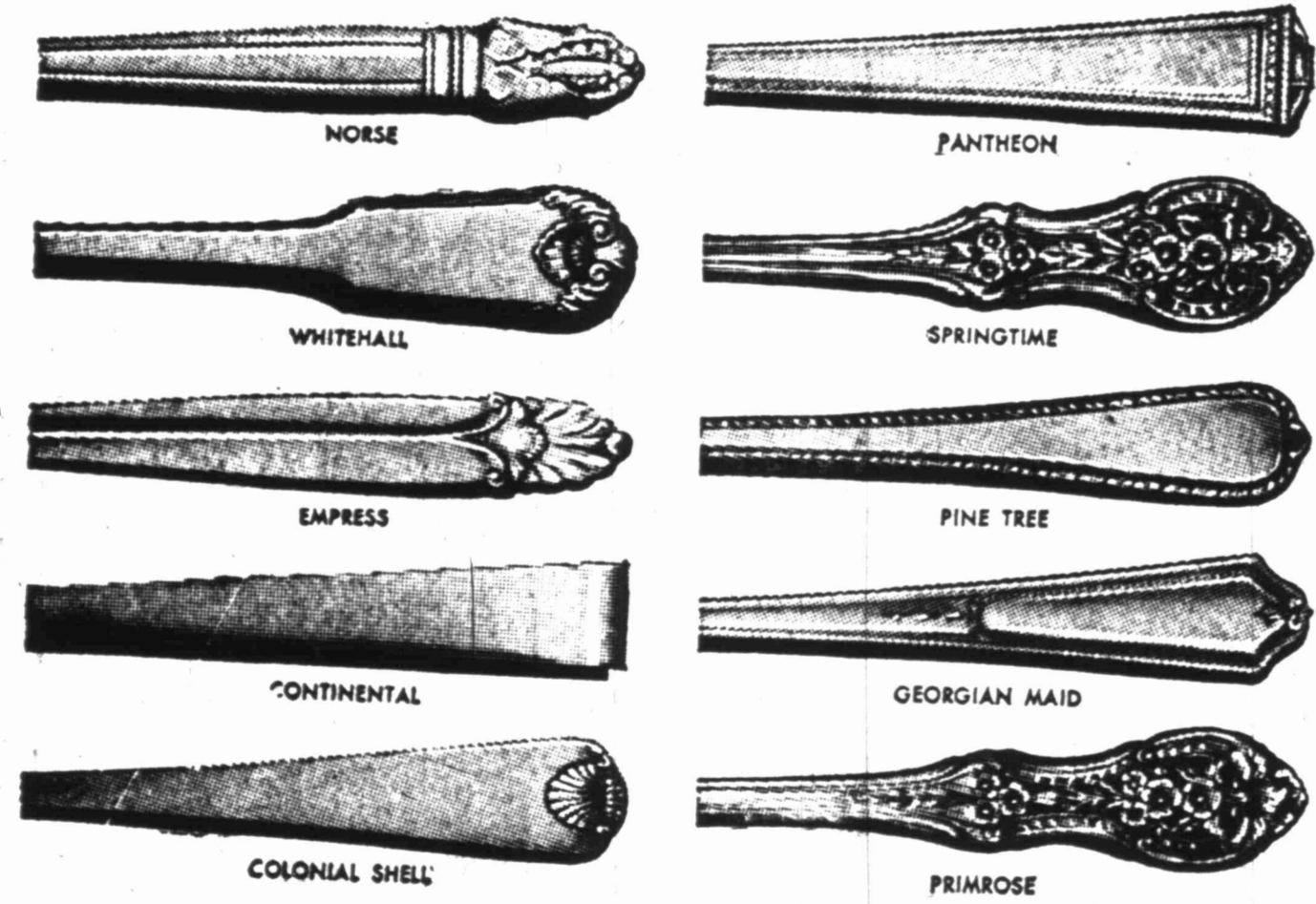
Mrs. J. J. Black of Midland, director of the Permian Basin Area Girl Scout Camp at Mitre Peak in the Davis Mountains, Saturday sounded an urgent plea for one-pound coffee cans with lids, cheese glasses and dinner plates for use at the camp. The camp opens early next month.

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| Dinner knife | 6.00 | 5.50 | Table spoon | 11.00 | 9.00 |
| Dinner fork | 7.75 | 6.67 | Pastry server H.H. | 8.00 | 7.00 |
| Dessert or Cereal spoon | 5.50 | 4.83 | Roast set, 2 pc. H.H.* | 27.50 | 25.00 |
| Coffee spoon, A. D. | 2.33 | 1.83 | Steak set, 2 pc. H.H. | 17.50 | 15.00 |

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Hardwick-Stewart Adds Department To Midland Store

Opening of a new department for the display of furniture and interior decorating materials, and the addition to the staff of Sydnie Hallum, Dallas decorator, is announced by the Hardwick-Stewart Furniture Company.

The rear of the store has been remodeled to comprise a series of individual display rooms, approximating the size of rooms in a home, all opening to a large center space. Each has a different wall treatment to provide a variety of backgrounds from ranch style to formal Georgian, including one suitable for kitchen furniture and one for office furnishings.

Mrs. Hallum, who is a graduate of the University of Texas and holds a Masters Degree from Purdue University, has been a member of the Purdue faculty. She recently completed a study of color for modern housing.

She will consult with customers of the store on home decoration problems, and assist them in creating the mood they wish in their rooms. Almost any feeling can be achieved through skillful use of colors, fabrics, accessories and a few key pieces of furniture, she believes.

"One need not live with his decorating mistakes," Mrs. Hallum adds. "They can be adapted to new and attractive uses, often with small expenditure of money." Mrs. Hallum has designed interiors for clubs and offices as well as homes, and was the decorator of the model home at the Texas State Fair in Dallas.

She will be joined here by her young son, John, at the close of the school term.

DYT Members Meet In Roy McKee Home

Mrs. Roy McKee was hostess to the DYT Sewing Circle in her home Thursday afternoon, when members sewed and chatted for an hour, and were served refreshments.

Present were Mrs. Elmo Birkhead, Mrs. John Sewell, Mrs. E. M. Watkins, Mrs. Glenn Shoemaker, Mrs. Joe Roberson, Mrs. L. V. Basham, Mrs. J. P. Carson, Jr., and Mrs. Tommy Henderson.

The machine gun is the greatest killer of all man's war devices. Its daily use became more extensive in World War I.

New Labor-Savers Lessen Summer Upkeep

By KAY SHERWOOD
NEA Staff Writer

What American spit-and-polish enthusiasts will cheer this Spring are quicker and better labor-saving devices and the longer-lasting results which many aids promise.

A unique water-powered scrubbing brush, for example, whisks dirt or oily soot stains from windows, screens, painted or clapped.



Inner circle of bristles on this new scrubbing brush is rotated by pressure of water flowing through garden hose to which the device is attached.

board exterior walls or porches with no more effort than it takes to guide bristles over the surface. This brush, which may be equipped

with a three-foot aluminum extension for high-reaching, is attached to the nozzle of a garden



Liquid masking tape brushed on window panes (top) protects glass from paint splatters. When painting is finished, tape peels off easily (bottom).

hose. Water pressure rotates an inner circle of bristles at a furious pace and a stationary outer row of bristles prevents splashbacks.

Promising quicker cleanups along the rug routes are new vacuum cleaners, both upright and tank-type models, which are equipped with disposable paper bags instead of conventional cloth bags or paper filters. When filled with dirt, bags may be slipped off vacuum and tossed away without soiling hands or rugs.

Simplifying work for the amateur painter is a new liquid masking tape. When brushed over surfaces such as glass window panes, the liquid tape protects these from



Fine spray of clear plastic evenly coats surfaces of garden tools to make metal more resistant to corrosion.

splatters of paint applied to narrow frames. The vinyl resin-based solution dries in 10 seconds and peels off like adhesive tape when painting is finished.

Worth noting, too, by the amateur touch-up artist, is a new synthetic luster finish for use on wood or metal, indoors or outdoors. One coat covers most surfaces without need for prime or undercoat. The resulting finish boasts the gleam and easy washability of baked-on enamel.

Longer-lasting effects from a home clean-up campaign are promised by a clear plastic protective finish which can be sprayed on everything from freshly polished garden tools and lawn furniture to decorative accessories and newly-enamelled woodwork. Packaged in a can with a spray-top for easy application, the plastic coat, will, according to manufacturers' claims, make surfaces resistant to tarnish, water, oil, grease and alkalis.

May Luncheon Given For Club

Members of La Merienda Luncheon-Bridge Club met in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Hotel Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Murray Paskan and Mrs. F. A. Nelson as hostesses.

The tables were centered with miniature Maypoles made of pastel candies wrapped with ribbon. From each ribbon streamer fell a tiny bouquet of Spring flowers.

Mrs. Maurice W. Kennedy received the high score prize; Mrs. Louis A. Barlow, second; Mrs. Hastings Fannill, third, and Mrs. Burt Self, bingo prize.

Guest List

Guests attending the luncheon and bridge party were Mrs. William E. Cox, Mrs. DeLo Douglas and Mrs. Russell Hayes. Other club members attending were Mrs. C. H. Atchison, Mrs. Jess V. Lindsey, Mrs. Raymond Snyder, Mrs. Leo M. Brady, Mrs. J. K. Cantrell, Mrs. Arthur Cole, Mrs. George S. Corey, Mrs. T. S. Edrington, Mrs. Robert D. Fitting, Mrs. Joy H. Floyd, Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, Mrs. John V. Norman, Mrs. Earl S. Ridge, Mrs. L. M. Freels and Mrs. Jesse A. Rogers.

Brownies Of Troop 17 Have Cook-Out

A cook-out for Brownies of Troop 17 was held Saturday at Cloverdale Park, with troop members preparing and serving the noon meal under the direction of leaders and troop committee members. The cook-out is an annual event.

Brownies present were Marilyn Johnson, Sassy Rinker, Betty Sue Bounman, Patsy Kimball, Kay McCoy, Lorraine Collins, Gretchen Misenheimer, Janet Huffman, Andrea Bea Cole, Teresa McNeal, Kay Stall, Bonnie Gay Blackwood, Sue Lynn Gregory, Jane Armontrout, Sharon Evans, Virginia Warren, Sandra Kay Aycock and Sally Glass. Troop committee members present were Mrs. H. L. Huffman, Mrs. George Johnson and Mrs. J. C. Rinker. The leaders are Mrs. Bill Collins and Mrs. Howard McKoy.

Shower Is Courtesy For Julia Tullis, June Bride-Elect

McCAMEY—Julia Tullis, bride-elect of Carl Dorris, was honored with a shower in the Methodist Church Annex recently.

The refreshment table was laid with a white linen cutwork cloth over yellow. An arrangement of yellow snapdragons and carnations flanked with yellow candies was used for the centerpiece. Refreshments were served to 42 guests.

Hostesses were Mrs. George Rainer, Mrs. C. W. Brown, Mrs. H. W. Adams, Mrs. Roy Johnson, Mrs. R. L. Smith, Mrs. Don Cook, Mrs. J. G. Herrington, Mrs. Bill Ramsey, Mrs. Leo Plumlee, Ruby Nell Braly, Eleanor Voigt and Jani McLean. Miss Tullis and Carl Dorris have their wedding date set for June 1.

To Live In San Angelo



Mrs. Glynn S. Teague, the former Lillie Bell Bell of Crane, was married Thursday in the Trinity Methodist Church at San Angelo. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cody M. Bell of Crane and Teague is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Teague of San Angelo. After a week's wedding trip, the couple will be at home in San Angelo.

Josephine Cowden Is Breakfast Honoree

PECOS—Josephine Cowden, bride-elect of Bruce Edgar Marek of El Campo, was honoree Thursday morning when Mrs. Pat Watts, Mrs. Rube Partillo, Mrs. Louis Wood, Mrs. S. D. Fields and Mrs. A. O. Parrack entertained with a breakfast in the home of Mrs. Parrack.

Admission was by kitchen gadget and each of the hostesses wore a kitchen apron, which with a matching pot holder, was presented the honoree.

The bride's table was centered with a wedding bell arrangement from which yellow and green streamers reached to each place setting. Favors were plastic spoons and forks tied with green ribbons.

BACK FROM SALES MEETING IN DENVER

H. O. Whiles, station manager for Continental Air Lines, has returned from Denver, Colo., where he attended the annual joint sales and flight service meeting of the airline.

While in Denver, Whiles met with top management executives of Continental and with other officials from the 27 cities in the Southwest which the airline serves.

Constant brown or black discoloration of the skin about the ankles is characteristic of venous circulation deficiency.

Forty-Niners Club Guest Teaches Steps

New steps were learned under the tutelage of J. Johnson, a guest, who also called some of the dances for the Forty-Niners Square Dance Club Thursday night. The club met in the Midland Officers Club building.

Members present were Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. M. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Sandeen, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gillis, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Galloup, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reeder, Mr. and Mrs. Augie Auguston, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wecker, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Richeson, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Mackey, Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Galtner, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McCleskey, Mrs. Clarence Caldwell and Charles Jones.

Troop 16 To Sponsor 'Flyup' Of Brownies

Girl Scouts of Troop 16 will sponsor the "flyup" of Brownie Troop 9 Wednesday, when the Brownies become Intermediate Scouts. Plans for the occasion were made at a recent meeting of Troop 16 in the Trinity Episcopal Parish House.

Gold stars were presented to the members to mark the close of one year in Scouting, by Mrs. R. F. Carroll, troop leader. The girls presented a program for several mothers who were guests.

Members present were Janis Robinson, Shannon McEachen, Jonathan Sewell, Luvertha Hiett, Mary Belle Ten Eyck, Nancy Mayfield, Mary Jane Cox, Roberta Donnell, Faley Guyton, Sharon Pink, Maple Spilars, Beulah Pittman, Gail Petera, Vicki Hilltop, Connie Kitley, and Mae Whitson.

ON BUSINESS TRIP

Mrs. Maurine Newsom, manager of the Myrna-Lynn Shop, is in Dallas this weekend on business.

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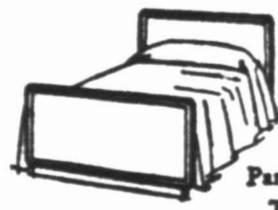


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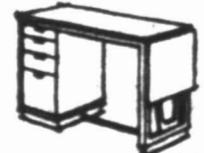
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Carol Lane, Travel Expert, Will Speak To Two Women's Organizations June 2

Two appearances of Carol Lane, young woman who makes a career of traveling and advising travelers, have been announced for June 2 in Midland. She will speak to members of the Midland Woman's Club at a daytime meeting in the Tower Theater, and to the Altrusa Club in the West Elementary School auditorium that night.

Her subject will be "Touring Gets a Woman's Touch," and she will discuss the average woman's problems in planning vacation motoring trips. Among the headaches for which Miss Lane prescribes practical solutions are budgeting vacation expenses, obtaining accommodations, choosing a wardrobe, packing, and keeping children amused on trips.

As Woman's Travel Director of the Shell Oil Company Touring Service in New York, Miss Lane is one

of the leading women authorities on travel by automobile in the United States. To gain information for her travel advice, Miss Lane travels. She drives hundreds of miles a year, testing road conditions, visiting tourist camps, resorts, roadside inns and hotels. This experience, plus talks with other women travelers, gives her practical knowledge on which to base her talks.

Guests will be invited to hear her with the clubs which are sponsoring her appearances in Midland.

VISITOR LEAVES

Mrs. Robert Paul left Friday for her home in New Orleans. For two weeks she had been the house guest of her mother, Mrs. Annie F. Smith, and her sister, Mrs. Willard Opp, 408 South Terrell Street.

Installed In Midland P-TA Offices



Officers of Midland Parent-Teacher Associations for next term, installed in a program in the South Elementary Auditorium Tuesday, are pictured after taking office. Left to right, they are Mrs. T. McElligott, treasurer, Terminal; Mrs. Coren Stephenson, president, South Elementary; Mrs. Robert Donnell, second vice president, North Elementary; Mrs. Frank Segrest, second vice president, Terminal; Mrs. J. E. Nelson, first vice president, Terminal; Mrs. A. E. Faucett, president, Terminal; Mrs. Charles Shaw, first vice president, North Elementary; Mrs. Stanley Erskine, president, North Elementary; Mrs. T. Withrow, secretary, West Elementary; Mrs. M. B. Arick, secretary, High School; Mrs. O. H. Beshell, secretary, Junior High; Mrs. J. B. Elder, second vice president, West Elementary; Mrs. Bill Collins, first vice president, West Elementary; Mrs. M. O. Gibson, president, West Elementary; Mrs. Holt Jowell, second vice president, High School; Mrs. J. R. Long, parliamentarian, South Elementary; Mrs. O. L. Stalcup, president, High School; Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, treasurer, Council; Mrs. Leeman Jones, treasurer, South Elementary; Mrs. J. L. Metcalfe, vice president, Council; Mrs. Venton Newberry, secretary, South Elementary; Mrs. Bert Cole, president, Council; Mrs. Paul Martin, first vice president, South Elementary.

Midlanders To Get Degrees At H-SU

ABILENE — Glen Murray, Garland H. Erwin and Oene Estes, all of Midland are among the 253 seniors of the Hardin-Simmons University graduating class who will receive their diplomas May 30.

Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Murray, will receive a Bachelor of Arts degree in sociology, with minors in English and voice.

While in school he was a member of the B.S.U. greater council, Junior Class social chairman, Ministerial Council, Life Service Band, University Male Chorus, a Cappella Choir, Student Council and the Midland Club.

Erwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Erwin, will get a Bachelor of Science degree in Physical Education with a minor in biology. His campus activities include Archery Club president, Players Club, Sophomore Class favorite, Junior Class president, Yell Leader, P. E. Club, Who's Who, and Intramural football.

Estes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Estes, will receive a B.B.A. degree in Business Administration with a minor in Economics. He is a member of the Business Administration club, and a transfer from Southwestern University.

Speakers listed for the commencement exercises will be William J. (Bill) Murray, Jr., chairman of the Texas Railroad Commission since 1947 and former student at Hardin-Simmons from 1931 to 1933.

Baccalaureate services will be held Sunday morning and night May 29, with Dr. Perry F. Webb, pastor of the First Baptist Church of San Antonio, delivering the sermons.

While at Hardin-Simmons, Commissioner Murray served as president of the Science club and was awarded the Minter medal, offered annually to the student possessing the highest academic average. Upon completion of his pre-engineering at Hardin-Simmons Murray enrolled at the University of Texas to complete his bachelor and master degrees in petroleum engineering.

Midland's Bob Dozier Wins Sul Ross Honors

ALPINE — Bob Dozier of Midland, editor of this year's Brand, Sul Ross College campus yearbook, received a signal honor recently when his publication was selected by the Wallace Engraving Company of Austin as the "model" yearbook which will be used for demonstration purposes as an example of what a college annual should be.

In conferring the honor on Dozier's book, a representative of the publishing firm offered Dozier a position with the company upon receipt of his degree this month. Dozier has not announced his decision.

The Brand editor is the son of Mrs. Ed Dozier, 200 South A Street, Midland.

Announcement of the honor paid the '49 Brand was made by Johnnie Powell, assistant editor of the publication.

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 6:45 P.M. Training Union
 8:00 P.M. Evening Worship
 Observance of LORD'S SUPPER
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State B&PW President To Make Visits

Making a round of official visits to clubs of District Eight, Charley Ward of Houston, state president of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will make Midland her headquarters this week while she visits four nearby clubs.

Iva Noyes of the Midland B&PW Club, director of District Eight, will accompany Mrs. Ward on her trips to the neighboring cities. Other Midland members are expected to join them for each visit.

Mrs. Ward is in San Angelo Sunday, and will come here Monday. The Rankin Club will be hostess that night in the Community Building, with members expected from Crane, McCamey, Iranan and a newly organized club in Big Lake as well as from Midland. An informal program is planned, and refreshments are to be served.

At noon Tuesday the state president will be the honor guest at a luncheon of the Odessa club, and Tuesday night she will attend a meeting in Big Spring. She will leave Wednesday for a night meeting in Monahan, and from there will go on to El Paso.

Members of the Midland club who wish to join the groups going to the various meetings are asked by Colysta Christian, president, to notify committee members. Vera McElroy, at the office of Stubbeman, McRae and Sealy, is to be notified concerning the Monday night trip; Neta Stovall, A&L Lumber Company, the Tuesday luncheon; Floeste Vaughn, Klapproth and Hamilton, the Big Spring visit; and Alberta McInnis, Palace Drug, the Wednesday night meeting.

Kiwanis Barbecue Scheduled Monday

The annual barbecue of the Midland Kiwanis Club will be held at 7 p.m. Monday at the Officers Club at Midland Airport north of the city, with a record attendance of Kiwanians, their ladies and special guests expected. The Rev. R. Matthew Lynn is president of the club. J. Harvey Herd and Albert Kelley are general chairmen in charge of the event.

Square dancing will feature the entertainment following the barbecue. Music will be furnished by the Copeland Brothers Band.

The club's regular weekly meeting will not be held Monday noon, officials said. They urged all members to attend the night event and to bring guests.

Cookout Entertains Brownie Troop 21

Brownie Troop 21 had a cookout recently in the home of their leader, Mrs. Fred Burleson, 1100 South Marienfield Street.

Those present were Barbara Miller, Carol Madison, Brenda Gottlieb, Glenda Jo Lesley, Francella Brooks, Patsy McKinley, Frances Cavitt, Sharon Shaw, Sue Thompson, Edith Nichols, Zebra Flint, Marjorie Pate Davis, and Beverly Burleson.

Lacia Zarate, who measured 30 inches in height, was the smallest person on record.

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Almost up to their eyebrows in traditional leis, Adm. and Mrs. D. C. Ramsey wave goodbye to friends in Honolulu as they prepare to board a plane for Washington. The admiral retired as head of the U. S. Pacific Fleet and was elected president of the Aviation Industrial Association.

Delighted Youngsters See Circus, Thanks To Benevolence By Midland Organizations

By DICK VENATOR

Friday and Saturday were circus days in Midland and if there was a child in shouting distance who didn't attend it can't be blamed on civic and benevolent organizations.

Blocks of tickets were purchased by civic clubs, other organizations and individuals so that underprivileged children might attend.

It was the first annual Shrine Club Circus to show here and its clean, sparkling acts delighted the children and won the enthusiastic acclaim of the adults.

The Midland Shrine club sponsored the appearance of the Polack Brothers Circus and proceeds will help to pay for treatment of crippled children in many hospitals.

The performances were held at Memorial Stadium, with the first on Friday afternoon. The show wound up with its 8:15 p.m. performance on Saturday night.

Not only should the Shriners receive high praise for the benevolent motive behind the sponsoring of the circus, but also for the high type of performances brought here by the traveling troupe.

Delighted Youngsters
 The large array of clowns delighted the kiddies with their hilarious antics which were interspersed throughout the performance. No doubt, several of the acts will find repetition in no other circus other than Ringling Brothers, possibly.

Mabel Stark with her cage of trained Bengal and Sumatran tigers performed what was termed impossible in the taming and training of the ferocious animals by a woman.

Among other attractions to which Midland circus-goers thrilled were the Sikorkas, iron-jaw marvels; Adrianna and Charley, bounding table champions; Miss Malkova, top-ranking feminine acrobat; the Four Flying Wards, trapeze stars; the Charltons, who swayed breathtakingly in the sky at the dizzy height of 100 feet, and Hubert Castle, tight-wire walker.

There were the usual elephants which stood upon the big wooden tub in the garden of her ban. Other acts put on by the performers were original to say the least.

Roland Tiebor's educated sea lions played a recognizable tune on a musical instrument and Dwight Moore's dimestyle music were other features which helped to delight and entertain the audiences which were reported at all four performances.

Ex Mrs. Mickey Rooney To Wed

HOLLYWOOD — (AP) — Mickey Rooney's ex, beautiful Betty Jane Rase, plans to be the June bride of musician Buddy Baker.

The former "Miss Birmingham" said she and Baker, 31, will be wed in the garden of her San Fernando Valley home June 11. Her divorce decree from Rooney becomes final May 28. She obtained a \$100,000 settlement and custody of two young sons, Mickey, Jr., and Timothy.

Miss Rase, 22, met Baker, a conductor-arranger, here about 18 months ago. Rooney plans to marry Martha Vickers as soon as that actress gets a Nevada divorce.

PRESBYTERIAN MEN TO MEET MONDAY MORNING
 A special meeting of a committee of Presbyterian laymen named Saturday by Robert L. Wood and Tom Sealy, will be held at 7 a.m. Monday in Hotel Schlarbauer.

The committee is to start work on a special project of the church following the early morning session.

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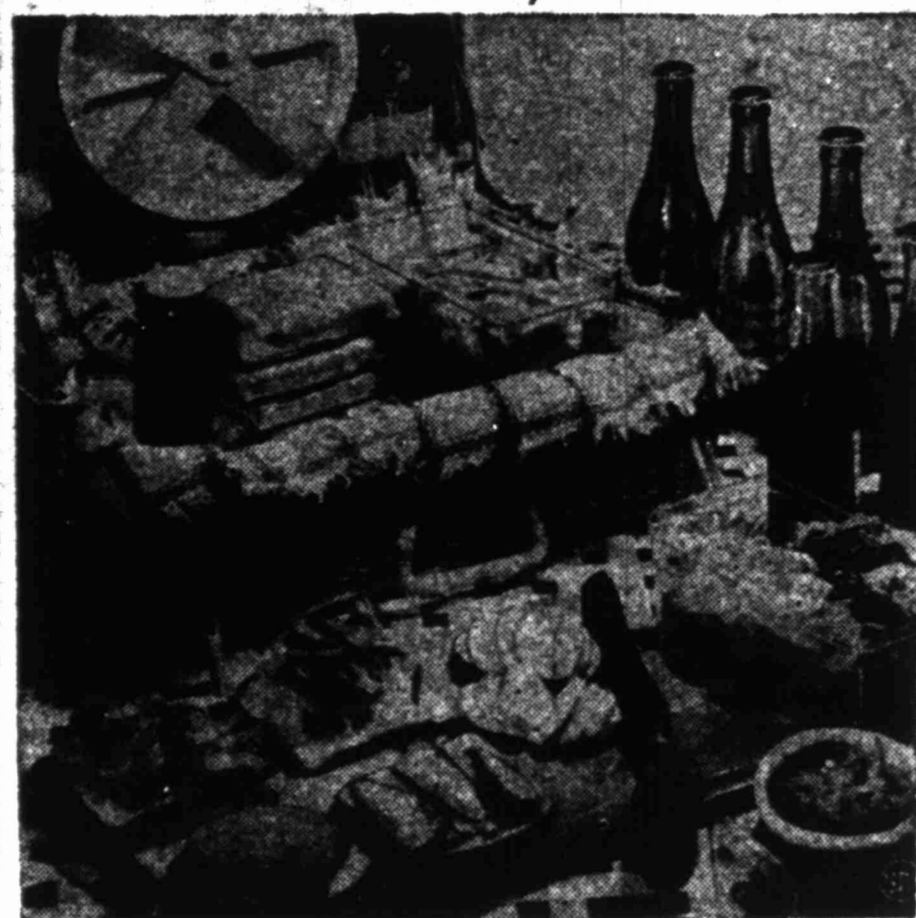
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Chill Your Holiday Picnic Meal



Chill soft drinks and food before packing picnic basket.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

Newspapers, wax paper, refrigerator boxes and a long chilling in the refrigerator can get your picnic food and beverages cold enough to be served that way at the picnic.

Food can be prepared the night before. Wrap it in heavy waxed paper or place in refrigerator boxes with tight-fitting covers and chill overnight. This works for prepared dishes, salads, cakes and of course fruit. Pre-chilled thirst-quenching soft drinks liven every picnic. (And don't forget to take along the bottle opener.)

Wrap individual soft drink bottles in newspapers the night before and chill all night. Just before leaving in the morning, line the picnic hamper first with a newspaper, then with a picnic cloth and pack in the chilled food.

To keep sandwiches fresh, spread each slice of bread with softened butter all the way to the crust; add the filling, then wrap each sandwich in heavy wax paper. Place in a covered refrigerator box, or wrap in a towel, and chill overnight.

Here are a few fine sandwich fillings:

- Chopped cheese moistened with chili sauce (on rye bread).
- Chopped boned chicken with thinly sliced celery and mayonnaise.
- Sliced hard-cooked eggs on bread spread with deviled ham.
- Sardines and sliced tomatoes and mustard butter.
- Bologna with grated horseradish (on rye bread).
- Delicious Picnic Salad (Serves 6)

Three cups diced cooked potatoes, 2 cups cooked mixed vegetables, 1 cup thinly-sliced celery, 2 tablespoons minced onion, 1/3 cup shredded salted almonds, 1/2 cup thick sour cream, 1/2 cup mayonnaise, 2 tablespoons vinegar, salt, pepper, lettuce.

Mix potatoes with vegetables, celery, onion and almonds, taking care not to mash the potatoes. Mix the sour cream with mayonnaise, vinegar and salt and pepper to season. Pour over the vegetable mixture, toss lightly with a fork, cover and chill thoroughly, overnight if possible. Garnish with lettuce for serving.

Pack the lettuce separately in a plastic bag that can be fastened securely, and put half a dozen ice cubes in the bag to keep the lettuce crisp and cold.

Arthritis Victim Receives Treatment



Dickie Reidel, an arthritis victim and the son of Dick Reidel, co-holder of the light plane endurance flight record, receives his first treatment in the Leo N. Levi Memorial Hospital therapeutic pool at Hot Springs, Ark. Standing by to help keep his spirits up are his parents. The Hot Springs Chapter of the Optimists Club sponsored the Reidel's trip to the spa for Dickie's treatments.

Color To Reflect Lipstick Suggested For Costume Note

By BETTY CLARKE
AP Newsfeatures Beauty Editor

While it is no longer considered ladylike to wear dark-as-night smears for lipstick, you still can get deep red glowing lipsticks that are beauty-wise and fashion right.

Spring costume colors such as taupe, beige, gray and navy, amber, copper and spice brown all can be flattered with a warm lipstick shade that borrows its color from the rose geranium or other Spring flowers.

Color experts advise that a small cluster of rose geraniums, fresh or artificial, can dress up a simple navy dress or suit in a jiffy. Also they suggest pinning the flowers to your large black Summer straw cartwheel for an added flourish.

You will find that a small bunch of fresh flowers worn at the lapel is a gay note in the Spring or Summer. If you can't get daisies, marigolds or roses out of your garden to flatter your costume of the day, you can make a small investment in a bunch of violets or some small tea roses.

Your lipstick and fingernail polish should match. There is nothing worse than a pink-toned lipstick with an orange nail polish. If you plan to go barelegged, wearing sandals, shoes, of course your toenails must be in color harmony with fingertips and lips. In any event you probably will go to the beach or pool this Summer and you will need to shine up your toenails. Many women have ugly, misshapen toenails. A pedicure and nailpolish can help make twinkle.

Casual Suit Back To Camouflage The Solider Waistline

By FLORENCE MILLS
AP Newsfeatures

PARIS—The casual fitting tailored suit is definitely back in the news this Summer. Jean Patou, an old stager on the French fashion scene, is showing suits that fit loose enough to camouflage even the most recalcitrant waistline.

This doesn't mean to say that the tightly nipped-in waistlines for suits are out of vogue but simply that they are no longer the "must" that they were last year.

Patou shows in his summer fashions a bevy of excellent tailormades with jackets that fit the hips but have no pronounced waistline.

Colored Embroidery

He uses grey pinstripe flannel and neutral colored gabardine for sport and town wear. For dressier occasions he has heavy slub linen in stone and natural shades and embroiders the jackets all over with brilliantly colored silk thread worked in floral design.

All these suits have roomy pleated and neutral colored gabardine for sport and town wear. For dressier occasions he has heavy slub linen in stone and natural shades and embroiders the jackets all over with brilliantly colored silk thread worked in floral design.

Another number in heavy white tulle had a raised hemline at both sides. Very thick Irish-green rope encircled the waist and was used for a halter neckline.

Patou even shows a flying panel. This was seen on a bright green, grey and white plaid taffeta hobble skirted affair. The panel had gathered fullness and fell loose from the waist, trailing the ground like a train at the back.

Patou hats this Summer are saucy doughboy types made to match many of his outfits.

Saranac Lake Rites For Francis Buckley

The body of Francis E. Buckley, 31, was sent to Saranac Lake, N. Y., by the Ellis Funeral Home Saturday for services and interment.

Buckley died of a pistol wound here Wednesday. He had been employed in Andrews County and was living at Seminole.

Survivors include the widow and three children of Saranac Lake, and the mother, of New York City.

The area of the Sahara desert is said to be more than 3,500,000 square miles.

White polka dotted cotton and puts a whacking amount of fullness into the skirts.

Unseen Hemlines

Graduated hemlines, which are getting to be very popular here, also are seen in his show.

One full skirted dance dress of white organdy, with an overall print of huge lilacs, was nearly knee length in front and dipped to sweep the ground at the back. It had a sage green organdie halter neck finished in a fabulous butterfly bow.

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Scouters Pledge Support Of 40th Crusade



Committeemen of El Centro (Midland) District, Boy Scouts of America, sign promissory notes pledging their support to the 40th Crusade movement, now underway. Joe R. Shell is pictured signing as chairman of the Organization and Extension Committee. Dr. H. Glen Walker, district chairman, holds additional notes to be signed by himself and these committee heads: John Husted, leadership training; J. M. McDonald, camping; Charles L. Klapproth, advancement; P. F. Bridgewater, finance; Dr. Doyce L. Patton, health and safety; Ed Edwards, activities; L. E. Patterson, Jr., chief commissioner, and J. M. Ratchiff, public relations. The District Committee also pledged active participation of Midland Scouts in the coming city-wide clean-up campaign. Other Scout leaders witness the ceremony.

Historic Aircraft To Be Scrapped At Arizona Air Base

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—The famous "Liberator Express" that carried Wendell Willkie around the world on his "One World" crusade of 1942 is headed for the scrap heap.

The converted B-24, now in storage at the 3040th Aircraft Storage Depot at Davis-Montham Air Force Base, Arizona, is in the process of dismantlement, the San Antonio Air Materiel Office announced.

The only part which will be saved will be the pilot's control wheel, which will be sent to Willkie's alma mater—Indiana University, Bloomington.

Other historic aircraft at Davis-Montham also are being dismantled. Next to go may be the "Bockscar," the B-29 that dropped the second atomic bomb on Nagasaki. The "Enola Gay," which dropped the first atomic bomb on Japan, also is there, doomed for the scrapheap, the Air Materiel Office said.

Parking Bees-ness Is Buzzing



Going to pick up a car for a customer, Harold Williams, Memphis, Tenn., parking lot attendant, finds it already occupied—by a huge swarm of bees. The surprised Williams left this particular parking problem to more capable hands.

Interviews Slated For Pilot Training

Young men of the Midland area interested in pilot training and a career as an officer in the U. S. Air Force will be interviewed Tuesday by Capt. John G. Henry, aviation cadet project officer of the El Paso Recruiting District.

The visiting Air Force officer will set up his headquarters at the Big Spring Recruiting Station to explain requirements and administer qualifying examinations to applicants, according to Sgt. Shelby Wheelus, in charge of the Midland Recruiting Station.

Applicants for cadet training must be between the ages of 17 and 26 1-2, must have two years of college or be able to pass an equivalent examination. Both single and married men are eligible.

Doing Housework Is Aid To Young Look

NEA Staff Writer

"I think that among my patients the youngest-looking women are those who do their own housework," says a doctor of my acquaintance.

When asked why, he said: "They get the exercise they need and they take it day in, day out."

This doctor also points out that the advantage of working at housework is that when it is finished, a woman can take time out for her well-earned rest.

Grabbing time out for a mid-afternoon rest can help greatly to renew the energies of any woman in particular those of the middle-aged woman. So this doctor friend contends. He claims that he encourages his patients to take time out once every day to "be lazy."

"Be lazy for 15 minutes or a half hour," he says he tells them, "no matter how many stacked-up chores stare you in the face."

HOSTS NAMED FOR EVENT AT OFFICERS CLUB SUNDAY

Hosts at the supper event for the Midland Officers Club from 5:30 to 9:30 p. m. Sunday will be Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walpe and Mrs. Al Hedden.

Sunday night events are held weekly at the club, which is located at Midland Airpark.

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W. O. WORLEY, JR., President

Tourists Surprised That President Has No Office In The National Capitol

By **TEX EASLEY**
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Tourists often are surprised to learn that the President has no office at the Capitol and, in fact, seldom visits there.
 His close contact with the lawmakers is through their personal visits to the White House, almost two miles distant from the Capitol.
 Congressmen sometimes go to the White House singly, particularly if it's about a matter of interest only to their district. They often go in groups. Some are arranged at the legislative request, some by the President.
 Rep. Ed Gossett of Wichita Falls, in a news letter to constituents, tells the how and why of one such meeting.
 "At the behest of Congressman Emanuel Celler of New York, chairman of the House Judiciary Committee, the President called to the White House all of us Democratic members of such committee," wrote Gossett.
 "His object was to sell us on his

proposal to bring 400,000 so-called DP's from the DP camps of Europe. He was partially successful since the Judiciary Committee May 5 reported out a bill to bring in 339,000 of such individuals.
 "There were nine of us in the committee who voted against the bill. This whole plan has been promoted and sponsored primarily by the Zionist Organizations of America. They have succeeded in getting a great many prominent churchmen and organizations to join in these demands to bring these people to our shores.
 "I shall oppose this bill as effectively as possible. However, proponents of this dangerous and un-

fair legislation have tremendous organization, money and propaganda behind them."
 Around the capital: Twenty years ago May 6 the Texas Congressional Wives organized as a social group for monthly luncheons at which no subject more serious than hats and children could be discussed.
 Politics and legislative matters were taboo, likewise speeches. That's still the policy, and it must be a good one because the group is considered the outstanding woman's organization of its kind in Washington.
 The anniversary luncheon was called in honor of Mrs. Tom Connally, wife of the senior Texas senator, who founded the club. She then was the wife of Texas Senator Morris Sheppard, who died in 1941.
 Mrs. Frances Cotton Poage, wife of Rep. Bob Poage of Waco, was chosen to serve as toastmistress. Mrs. Lady Bird Johnson, wife of Texas Junior Senator Lyndon B. Johnson, was chosen to present a silver gift to Mrs. Connally.
 Only Texas congressional wives, or women whose husbands have served in Congress from Texas, are club members. This latter category includes Mrs. Luther A. Johnson, wife of the former Corsicana congressman who now is a judge on the U. S. Tax Court; Mrs. Jack Beall, widow of the one-time Dallas congressman; Mrs. Fritz Lanham, wife of the former Fort Worth representative; Mrs. Eugene O. Black, whose husband represented an East Texas congressional district before assuming a federal judgeship here.
 Only Texas women can be invited to the monthly luncheons as guests. The affairs usually are held at various small but well-known inns.

Heading for Truman's Mailbox



Remember all those letters sent by Americans urging Italians not to vote Communist in the 1948 elections? Well, here's a new twist to the same theme. Renata Bruni checks some of the 450,000 post cards in Rome that are being sent to President Truman urging the return of Italy's colonies. The drive is being sponsored by a Rome newspaper.

The joint U. S.-Mexican fight against the foot-and-mouth disease in the neighboring republic is making good headway, according to

McCamey News

McCAMEY—Det. S. of the Cub Scouts met last week to work on their farming project.
 Patty Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Johnson, and Roger Melton, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Melton, have been confined to a San Angelo hospital for treatment.
 Mrs. W. B. Shart of Rankin and R. T. Woodrow are others recently admitted to the hospital here.
 Mrs. Victor Randall and daughter, Joy, visited friends in Fort Stockton Wednesday.
 Visits in Midland
 V. V. Randall was in Midland on business last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Jacobsen had as their guest last week Mrs. Jacobsen's sister, Mrs. Olga Gray of Odessa.
 Mrs. E. B. Knollhoff and Mrs. Sarah Knollhoff of Quitaque, were guests in the home of Mrs. Knollhoff's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lorenze.
 Dorothy St. John recently visited in Fort Worth with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. St. John.
 Mr. and Mrs. Thurmon Windham and son, Kenny recently were in Denison where they visited their parents.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Pinkerton visited their son, David Bruce, in San Angelo last week.
 Mrs. Frank Carroll of Bastrop was a guest Wednesday night of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sudderth.
 Visiting in the home of Mrs. Dovie Teel last week were Mr. and Mrs. Val Gauvain and Mrs. Nora Gauvain of Big Lake. Other guests in Mrs. Teel's home were Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Currie, Jr., of Midland.

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Municipal Concerts Association Formed In Winkler County

KERMIT — Organization of the Winkler County Municipal Concerts Association was formed here last week when temporary officers were elected. A membership drive is to be held early in August, with members from Kermit, Wink, and Jal, N. M.

Mrs. David E. Sauer and Webb Jenkins were named co-chairmen, and other officers are: Mrs. G. C. Smith, first vice president; Mrs. Laura Purgason, executive secretary; Miss Eddie Mae Mosley, treasurer; and Mrs. R. J. Findley, director of publicity.

William Z. Rozan, president of Municipal Concerts met with the group and explained the purpose of his organization.

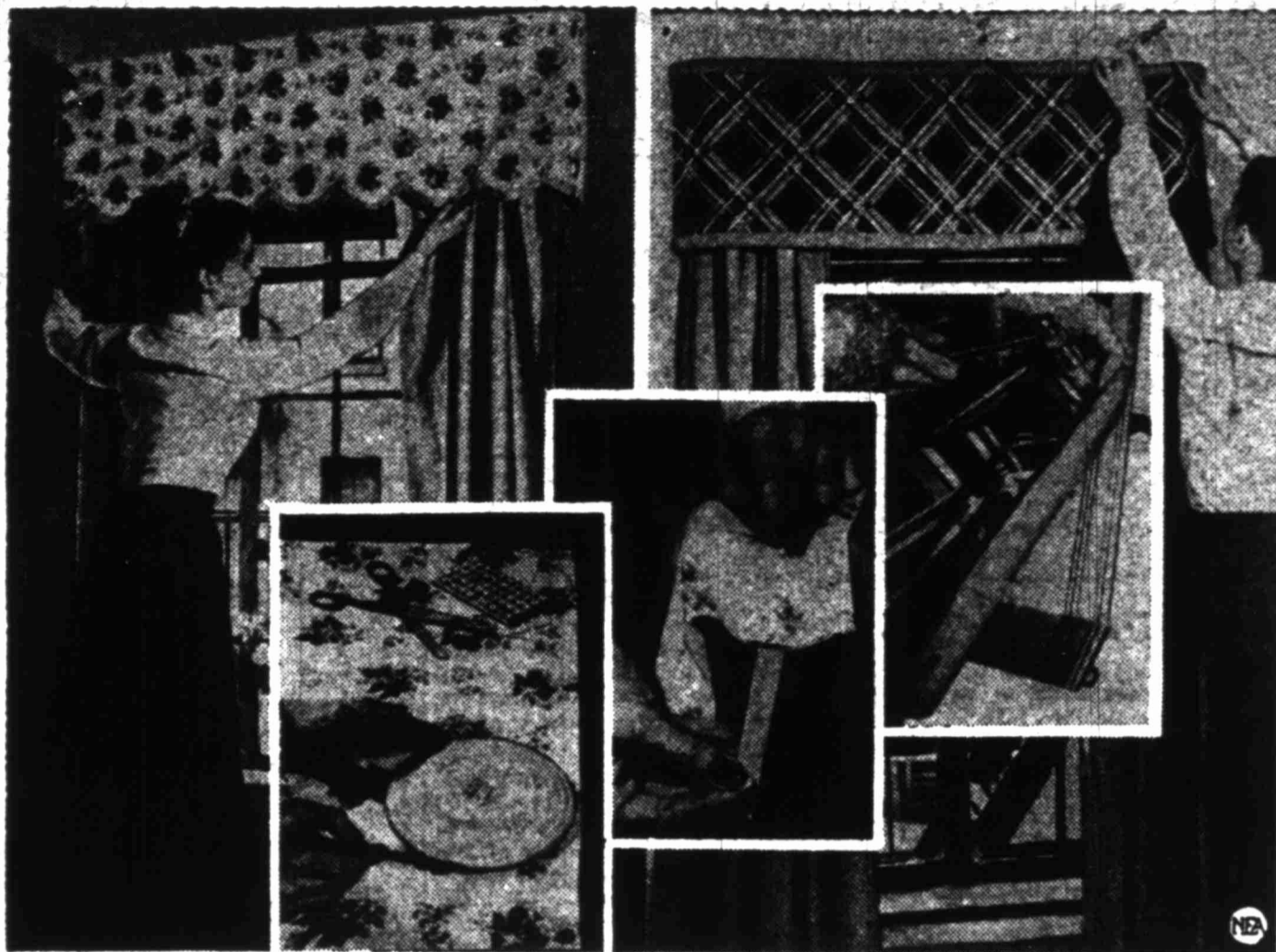
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Tailored valances such as these are smart, easy-to-make frames for windows. For slower-sprigged chintz valance (left), plate serves as guide for outlining half-circle scallops along edge (inset left). Elastic, slipped through pocket along back of valance, is thumb-tacked to narrow wood frame (inset center) to hold fabric taut. Heavier plaid cotton valance with padded edge (right) is nailed to frame.

By KAY SHERWOOD
NEA Staff Writer

Want to frame your windows for Spring with the kind of full-dress valances which decorators use?

You can, and at little expense, says Kay Hardy, author of "How to Make Your Own Draperies."

This expert, who knows all the short cuts, will guide your hand in making straight, tailored valances with a professional-looking padded or scalloped edge. For these, she says, a yard or two of

fabric and only the skill of an amateur are needed.

To ensemble a new valance with old draperies, choose a fabric that picks up the color of drapery material. One expert suggests teaming a patterned fabric with solid-color curtains or vice versa.

The board to which finished valance is attached need be nothing

more elaborate than a narrow wood frame which a husband-handyman can make. As effective, says Miss Hardy, is a shelf set on bracket supports placed at each side of window frame.

To make valance, measure length and sides of valance board, allowing an extra inch at each end for hems. Proportion your valance

width to the height of your windows—wide valances for tall windows, narrow valances for low windows. Cutting a paper pattern to follow when you snip out the fabric is advised. Using the same pattern to cut out a lining from cotton or saten to give valance more body is also advisable.

To outline even half-circle scallops on fabric, Miss Hardy suggests using a plate as your guide and drawing around the edge with a soft lead pencil.

If you want to finish your valance with a puffy, padded edge, Miss Hardy says to wrap a strip of fabric about five inches wide around a narrow roll of cotton batting. Next, pull the raw edges together evenly and pin between the turned-under edges of valance and valance lining. Now, stitch the four thicknesses of fabric together, and it's ready to hang.

To attach finished valance to the board so that it is taut, you may tack the fabric to the wood. Tack from the center of the board towards the ends, smoothing fabric as you go. Or, if valance is of a light-weight material, such as chintz, Miss Hardy recommends using elastic to hold fabric taut by tension. This is done by running elastic band the length of valance in a pocket made by sewing lining to valance in two parallel rows of stitching an inch or so apart. Elastic is then stitched around ends of valance board and thumbtacked down.

LATIN AMERICAN PUPILS ENJOY SHRINE CIRCUS

Students of the Latin American School Saturday expressed appreciation to individual firms, organizations and particularly the Shrine Club for complimentary tickets to the Shrine Club Circus here this weekend.

Mrs. Jack Mashburn, principal, said more than 800 Latin American youngsters attended the circus Friday. She said it was a highlight of their young lives.

Story Teller



Shirley Fay Bickley, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bickley, was the winner in the recent Interscholastic League story-telling contest in Midland schools. She is a first grade pupil at South Elementary School and a speech pupil of Dick Looby, Shirley Fay previously has won amateur contests with readings, and has appeared in radio programs here.

Cafeteria Menus For Week Are Announced

Public school cafeterias of Midland this week will feature the following menus, according to Mrs. Edith Wilson, cafeteria supervisor.

Monday—Sliced cheese, potatoes, blackeyed peas, tomatoes, lettuce salad, hot rolls, jello, milk.

Tuesday—Meat balls and spaghetti, green beans, combination salad, hot rolls, cake, milk.

Wednesday—Country sausage, mashed potatoes, buttered beets, lettuce salad, stewed fruit, milk.

Thursday—Vienna sausage, beans, stewed cabbage, apple and celery salad, cornbread, fruit cobbler, milk.

Friday—Salmon salad, potatoes, carrot and raisin salad, spinach, hot rolls, brownies, milk.

Plans Complete For 'Queen For Day' Shows

ODESSA—Arrangements are complete for the staging of the "Queen for a Day" show to be presented in B-oncho Stadium here at 7:30 p.m. May 21, and 2 p.m. May 22.

Proceeds from the famed Jack Bailey radio show will be used by the Odessa Lions Club in sending the Odessa High School Band to New York City in July as the official band of the Texas delegation at the annual convention of Lions International.

"Queens for a Day" will be selected at both Odessa performances. They will receive all-expense-paid trips to Hollywood, with thrills-packed schedules during their stay in the movie headquarters.

Each of the two shows here will be two hours in length rather than the usual 30-minute program as broadcast.

Tickets may be obtained by mailing check or money order to "Queen for a Day," Box 1548, Odessa. Stamped and addressed envelope should be enclosed with the order.

Marble is so plentiful in Proctor, Vt., that house foundations frequently use the stuff and butchers cut their chops on a marble slab.

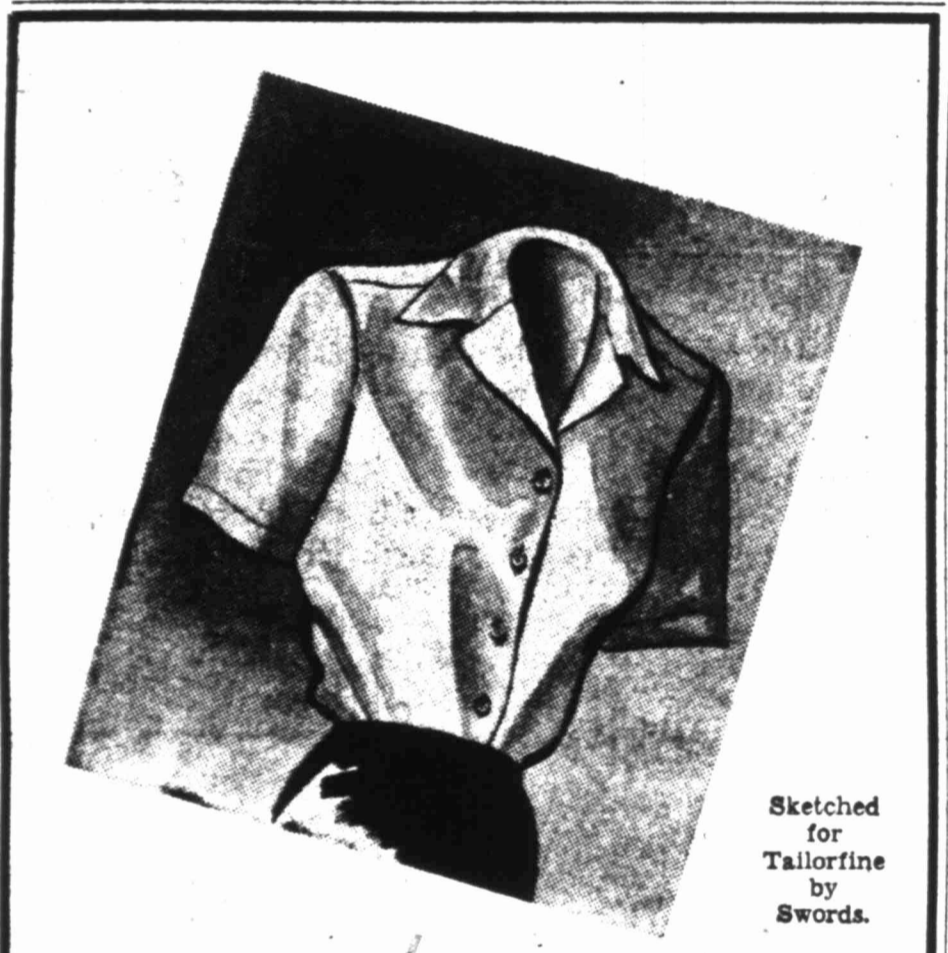
MOTHERS ENTERTAINED

MCCAMEY—Girl Scout Troop 8 entertained mothers of members recently in the Little House. Roses were presented to the mothers. Housekeeper's badges were presented to 18 girls of the troop. Mrs. Mabry and Mrs. Alford served as hostesses, assisted by their daughters, Beverly and Daryne.

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Betty E. Comer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Comer of Mount Pleasant formerly of Midland, and Dan McKenzie of Carlsbad, N. M., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McKenzie of Alder, Mont., were married on May 7 in the Church of Christ at Carlsbad.

The minister, Mr. O. H. Tabor,

Area Students Get U. Of T. Degrees

Eleven students from Midland and vicinity are among the 504 candidates for degrees from the University of Texas College of Business Administration at the May 30 commencement exercises in Austin.

The students are William Floyd Smith, Midland; Betty Belle Penn and Jack Donald Riggs, Big Spring; Jerry Leonard Coleman, Denver City; Nev Hopson Williams, Jr., Kermit; Billie Joe Vaughn, Lamesa; James Edward Gentry and James Aubrey Nicholas, McCamey; Paul William Williams, Jr., and John Jerome Willis, Jr., Odessa; and James Charles Wilson, Jr., Pecos.

Beulah Pittman Is State Winner For Fire Safety Poster

Beulah Pittman, a fifth grade pupil in the North Elementary School, has received a certificate of honorable mention won on her entry in a state fire prevention poster contest.

All schools in Texas are eligible to enter the contest, and a poster may be entered from each room. Beulah's poster was chosen as one of the best from her school to be submitted in the state contest.

Betrothal Revealed For Pecos Couple

PECOS—Announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Genora, to Neil H. Frewitt of Pecos Mrs. John G. Burkholder entertained Tuesday afternoon at the Barstow Community Center with a tea.

Guests were met by Mrs. L. H. Nutt of Pecos. Receiving were the hostess, the honoree, Leola Hunt and Snooky Sherrill of Pecos, Mrs. W. D. Frewitt, mother of the bridegroom-elect, and Mrs. W. I. Burkholder, grandmother of the honoree. Bobby Majors of Barstow presided at the bride's book in which 150 guests were registered.

Mrs. Jack Hayes of Barstow directed guests to the refreshment table, presided over by Mrs. George Briggs of Barstow and Marilee Finley of Pecos.

The table, laid with a lace cloth, was centered with a reflector. From an orchid bow radiated orchid satin streamers lettered in silver, "Genora and Skeeter, June 12." Floral decorations for the table were orchid carnations and baby breath, with tiny orchid candles.

Musical selections were by Mrs. Billy F. Smith of Barstow, vocalist; Mrs. Bill Scott of Pecos, pianist; and Mrs. John Wilson of Barstow, violinist.

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Telephone Answering Service Is New Here

Another new and unique service now available in Midland is the "telephone answering" idea. The set-up is operated by Grace Hoffman in connection with her Secretarial Service in the McClintic Building.

The telephoning answering service is identical with those operated in Fort Worth, Dallas and other Texas cities, where not only business and professional persons, but club women, social leaders and even housewives avail themselves of the deluxe service. The operation is simple. The persons wishing the service merely has the telephone company connect an extension from the client's telephone to the telephone answering contrivance.

The client flips a switch button when he does not wish to answer his telephone. The calls then are flashed to the answering service.

Miss Hoffman also operates a mail forwarding service for persons wishing to have their mail received at a post office box number and held or forwarded as directed.

Greater improvement in methods of cooking was made in the century just past than all previous years, according to Encyclopedia Britannica.

Eight West Texans Become Citizens Of U. S.; Naturalized In Federal Court At Pecos

PECOS—Eight persons of West Texas now are new citizens of the United States.

They pledged allegiance to the United States in an impressive ceremony in Federal Court here, May 10, with Judge Ewing Thomason of El Paso presiding.

These new citizens include: Mrs. Nanette Lekisch of Midland, formerly of Mainz, Germany and Rheims, France; Mrs. Marie Turner of Midland, war bride, formerly of Toronto, Canada; Mrs. Doris Kensing of Andrews war bride, formerly of Northford, England; Mrs. Noel McKinney of Pecos, war bride, formerly of Brisbane, Australia; Pedro Maria of Pecos, formerly of Villa Acuna, Mexico; Martin Hernandez of Pecos, formerly of Verjil, Durango, Mexico; Grover Cleveland Dickerson of Midland, formerly of Toronto, Canada; Juan Esteban Carlos, Chihuahua, Mexico.

It is interesting to note that three of the persons naturalized had sons in the U. S. Army during World War II. Mrs. Lekisch's son is Dr. Kurt Lekisch. He and his wife were naturalized in this same court several years ago.

Lelia Workman Is Relected To Head Rankin B&PW Club

RANKIN—Lelia Workman was reelected president for a second year when the Rankin Business & Professional Women's Club met Thursday noon for its business luncheon. Other officers are Nan Daugherty, vice president; Helen Ross, recording secretary; Lelia King, corresponding secretary, and Edna Mae Patton, treasurer. Installation of officers will be held May 28.

Reports of officers for the last year were heard and Mrs. Workman and Myrna Holman were elected delegate and alternate to the state convention in Houston June 10-12. Mrs. Beary Grandell was elected to membership.

The report of the secretary revealed 27 voted to membership in the last year, making a present membership of 47.

Announcement was made concerning the meeting to be held in the Community Building Monday at 8 p.m. when the state president, Charley Ward of Houston, will be present.

Other guests will be the district director, Iva Noyes, and club president, Colysta Christian, of Midland, and club members from Crane, McCombs and Iran. There also will be a representation from the group in Big Lake now organizing a B&PW club under the sponsorship of the Rankin club.

Twenty-four attended Thursday's luncheon including two guests, Helen Reynolds of the high school faculty and Doris Clemens of the First State Bank personnel.

Water Service Firm Opens Here Monday

John J. Chauncey, Lubbock, owner of the Mountain View Drinking Water Service, announces the opening of a Midland plant with J. B. Hanks as owner and operator. Hanks has been a Midland resident for several years.

Besides a home delivery service, the Midland plant will serve three food stores here with Mountain View drinking water.

The Mountain View service is one of the two setups in the Southwest registered for bottled water service. The Midland plant will be inspected at regular intervals. Samples will be sent to the state health department for inspection each month.

The Midland service will begin Monday. The plant is completely equipped with germicidal lamps and other modern bottling equipment.

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New President Receives Gavel



Mrs. C. L. Davenport, left, hands the gavel of office to Mrs. Robert F. Meador, who succeeded her as president of the Midland Branch, American Association of University Women, when officers for next season were installed recently. The installation was a part of the program at a luncheon in the Ranch House.

Bi-County Parent, Teacher Unit Has Officer Election

MCCAMEY—Mrs. Walton Harral was elected president of the Bi-County Parent-Teacher Association in a recent meeting held at Fort Stockton. Mrs. W. A. Kay of Fort Stockton served as temporary president at the meeting. Other officers elected were: Mrs. Dee Locklin, first vice president; Mrs. George Baker, second vice president; R. A. Payne, secretary, all of Fort Stockton, and Hamilton Hill of Rankin, treasurer.

Mrs. Warren Freund of Austin, state vice president of the association, installed the officers in an impressive ceremony, using as her theme "The Flight of an Airplane." She also was guest speaker.

By-laws of the organization were read and adopted. Mrs. Harral appointed a rules committee consisting of Mrs. George Atkins of Fort Stockton; Mrs. G. L. Shafer, McCamey; Mrs. Leidon Clifton, Imperial, and Mrs. D. A. Anderson of Rankin.

Lunch was served at the Rooney Hotel. The next meeting will be held October 6 at Rankin.

Delegates from McCamey were Mrs. Dee Locklin, Mrs. Shafer, Mrs. J. W. Gaddy, Jr., Mrs. Lawrence English, Mrs. A. D. Thurmond and Mrs. Buri Williams.

South Elementary Is Rhythm Band Contest Winner

Results and ratings of recent elementary schools rhythm band contests were: South Elementary's first band, superior; South Elementary's second band, good; West Elementary, good; North Elementary, fair.

More than 500 school children were included in four bands. South Elementary's bands were under direction of Miss Joia Stiles, Mrs. Van Meisenheimer, Mrs. Blurton and Mrs. Straener. Mrs. Jack Ellington assisted when Mrs. Meisenheimer was absent. West Elementary's band was supervised by Mrs. Grenade Peters, Mrs. June Boggs and Mrs. Lena Fay Gilmore. North Elementary's band was directed and supervised by Mrs. George Grant, Mrs. Marvin McCrease and Miss Leila Robins.

Judges were Jerry Hoffman, Mrs. Ramsland and T. J. Inman.

MOTOR FIRM OPENS NEW KERMIT BUILDING

KERMIT—Formal opening of Stoghill-McAdoo Chevrolet Company was held Saturday in the recently completed \$3,850 building here.

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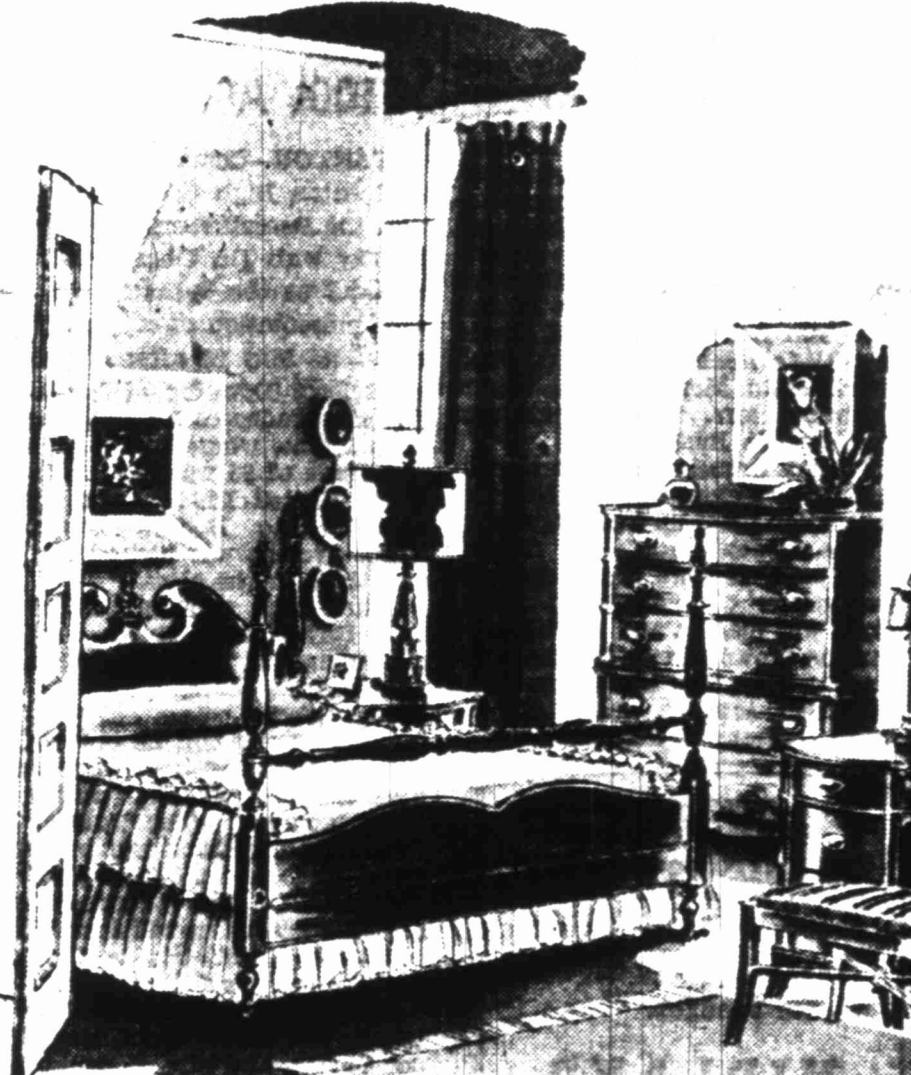
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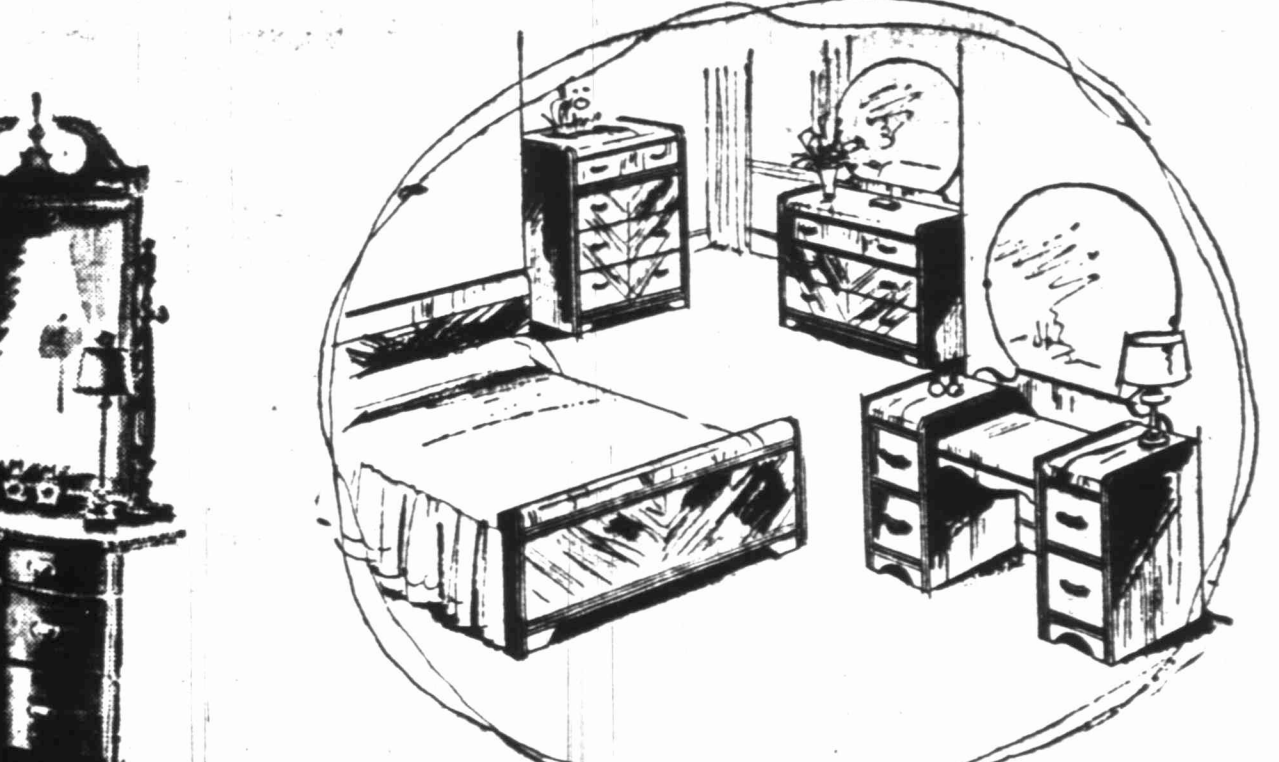
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Four-year-old Larry Page, youngster who was revived 10 minutes after he was pronounced dead following an automobile accident in Pasadena, Calif., is visited by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Page of Mojave, Calif. This is the first visit since the lad regained consciousness. His broken leg is in a traction splint.

The new Theodore Roosevelt National Memorial Park covers 58,000 acres along the Little Missouri River in North Dakota.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture says that both ripe and green olives contain an abundance of vitamin A.

What Really Is Happening To Mankind?

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—The poor man's philosopher asks: "Is mankind getting more cruel?" This is a question in many minds today. And many have decided in their own hearts that the answer is: "Yes."

Such a conclusion is had indeed for the world. For if a majority of people really believed mankind were getting more cruel, then mankind soon actually would be more cruel. For what men believe they are, they tend in time to become.

But most people just wonder about whether cruelty is dying or growing. Here is what a few have said to me:

A negro steward—"People are more cruel, because they aren't as polite as they were even 20 years ago. And how about these stories in the papers of children killing other children? Isn't that a terrible sign of what's wrong?"

A combat veteran—"I don't know. But I do know we had more fellow feeling between men fighting overseas than we do now at home in peace."

A businessman—"People aren't getting more cruel. They're just being crowded harder—that's all."

Just Plain Cussedness—An experienced editor—"The cussedness man was born with just has more chance to show itself now."

A salesgirl—"When I get up in the morning, I don't think people are getting any more cruel. But by 5 o'clock in the afternoon I'm not so sure. I guess how you feel about that depends on what's happened to you."

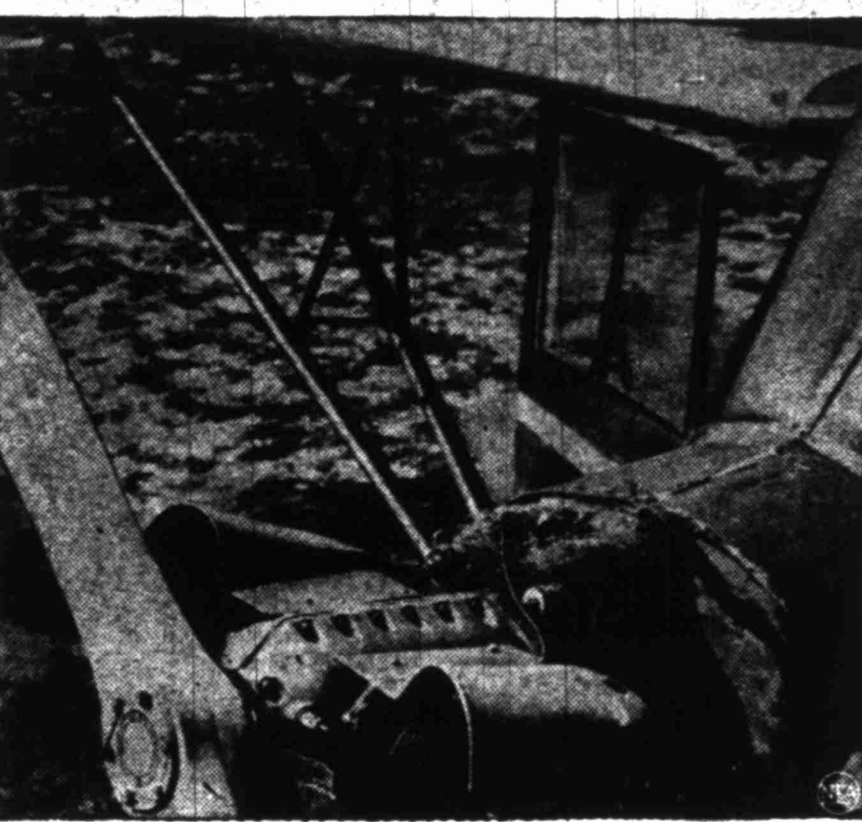
It is a mixed up question at best. Perhaps in no other generation in history have the devil and the angel in man's dual nature contended harder for the mastery of his soul.

In what other 35-year period have more people been starved to death, destroyed in warfare, executed in mass murders, or killed by accidents?

Yet in what other similar period have more people won or sustained political independence? In what other period has mankind made more social progress, achieved greater economic freedom, or made such startling conquests over disease?

It is hard to decide whether many of mankind's steps are forward or backward. Life grinds people differently than it did a century ago. The wears and tears are different.

Bird Builds Its 'Castle' in the Air



James Worsham, of Powhatan, Va., was more than a little surprised to find a bird's nest under the cowl of his private plane, top. He discovered the nest, complete with three eggs (below), when he landed in Richmond, Va., to have his motor checked. Twigs, straw and feathers were wound tightly around ignition wires to make the nest secure. Worsham took his plane back to Powhatan and parked it in the same spot, hoping the air-minded mother bird would come back to it.

Kermitt Sets Hotel Stock Selling Drive

KERMITT—The months of September and October have been set by the 30-man committee in charge of preliminaries, to stage a stock selling drive for a modern hotel in Kermitt.

This action was taken after the final report from Hookerbury System, Inc., of Harrisburg, Pa., which had been contracted by the Kermitt Chamber of Commerce to conduct a survey to determine local hotel needs.

The report recommended a 60-room modern hotel, 20 office spaces, and commercial facilities on the ground floor.

Estimated cost of the building was set at \$655,000. Of this amount \$375,000, or 60 per cent, is to be raised by sale of local stock, with the remaining 40 per cent to be financed through mortgage or bond issue.

Many Midlanders Entered Art Show

Most of the visitors to the Midland Art Festival early last week remarked that the number of entries was surprising for a first attempt at such a showing. Sponsoring organizations, the American Association of University Women and Palette Club, were pleased at the number and variety of entries.

The complete list of entrants in the adult division includes Nina Krabis, Viola Lindeblad, Barbara Wall, Bob Walker, Audrey Chanslor, Mrs. Birdwell, Helen Anderson, Mrs. Messersmith, Mrs. Otis Fuller, Patty Murphy, Cheryl Lee Grimm, Toni Redden, Diane Perkins.

Mrs. Joe Chastain, Mrs. F. H. Latham, George Putnam, Florence Graham, Frank Jackson, Dee Jackson, Mrs. Shipley, Betty Swords, Jo Smith, Conner Haynes, Mrs. R. L. Turpin, Mrs. W. Lumpkin, Mrs. Ralph Barron, Mrs. Clarence Hale, J. P. Shirroff, Thelma Swift, Marceline White.

Mrs. W. Wilcox, Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, Patsy Cline, Virginia James, John Redfern, Tommy Thompson, Dora Clarke, Mrs. G. H. Butler, Mrs. D. B. Snider, Olivia Smith, A. T. Barrett, Jr., Mrs. T. J. Walker, Mrs. Deavenport, Mrs. J. Engel, Art Cole, Dorothy E. Lawton and F. Kyle.

In the student division, scores of pictures were entered through school representatives to make up an interesting display.

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Picnic Closes Year For Brownie Troop

A picnic in Cloverdale Park Wednesday ended the year for Brownie Troop 23. Members presented gifts of appreciation to the leaders, Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal and Mrs. E. D. Williams.

Members and their mothers present were Mrs. A. T. Barrett, Betty and Martha Barrett, Mrs. H. L. Beckmann, Barbara and Vicki Beckmann, Mrs. H. G. Parkinson, Miriam and Cynthia Parkinson, Billie Donnell, Mimi Green, Ardis Griffin, Vina Mayfield, Judy O'Neal, Mary Pace, Sara Pickett, Mrs. T. W. Pitzer and Barbara, Mrs. Don Sadler, Kay and Betty Sadler, and Billie Shock, Mrs. D. W. St. Clair and Donna, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, Sally and Sue Taylor, Judy Walker, Linda Williams, Mrs. Emmett Williams and Billy, Joan Kitley and Janice Carpenter.

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Committee Thanks Helpers In Legion Auxiliary Project

After completion of a baby contest and program which was planned as the first annual Spring Baby Show sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, committee members Saturday expressed appreciation to all who assisted in the event.

Mrs. H. Pope Stearns was general chairman of the show, and the committee included Mrs. Etta Petzel, Mrs. Sam Kelton, Mrs. T. E. Steeles, Mrs. Dave Allen, Mrs. H. C. Pope, Mrs. Martin Morran, Mrs. Venton Newberry, Mrs. Fae Bownds and Mrs. Charlie Bush.

Contest winners in three age divisions were crowned in a Tiny Tot Coronation program Thursday night in the Legion Hall. Mrs. Stearns introduced Delbert Downing, who was master of ceremonies. Betty Stultz was pianist, and H. C. Hurley was the crown bearer for the coronation. The stage was decorated in a garden setting, where all the young contestants were presented.

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Stanton High Plans Numerous 'End Of School' Activities

STANTON—Commencement Week in Stanton High School will begin with the Baccalaureate service next Sunday with Dr. Glenn Walker of Midland as the speaker, and close with presentation of diplomas to 30 graduates May 28 after an address by Delbert Downing of Midland.

Honor graduates for this year are Leon Payne, whose four-year average grade of 95 was highest in the class; Harrell Holder, who ranked second; and Bobby Davenport, whose average was highest for girls and third in the class.

Other high ranking seniors are Billy Ray Hamm, who is president of the class of '49, Neva Sue Fisher and Jo Anne Jones.

Senior Week will be observed by the graduates with entertainments alternating with the commencement programs. The Tuesday before commencement will be Senior Day, and an all-day picnic is planned. On the following Saturday, the graduates will leave on an eight-day senior trip to San Antonio, Austin and Galveston.

They will be accompanied on the trip by the class sponsor, Mrs. Frances Carter, and Mrs. Edmond Tom, Mrs. James Jones and Mrs. Russell. Funds for the trip will be swelled by a benefit party at which Mrs. Tom will be hostess, and by half the proceeds of a program by the Junior Class will sponsor Tuesday night in the school auditorium.

New Bulletins Are Received In Library

A number of government bulletins of general interest have been received lately in the Midland County Library, Mrs. Lucille Carroll, librarian, announced.

From the Children's Bureau are the booklets, "Infant Care," "Your Child from One to Six," and "Your Child from Six to Twelve." Department of Agriculture publications are "Fireplaces and Chimneys" and "American Medicinal Plants of Commercial Importance."

Bulletins issued by the Committee on Un-American Activities are "One Hundred Things You Should Know About Communism and Education," "One Hundred Things You Should Know About Communism and Government," and "Investigation of Un-American Propaganda Activities in the United States."

Congratulations To: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Vaughn on the birth Friday of a daughter, Myrtha Louise, weighing six pounds, nine ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Wallis on the birth Wednesday of a son, Joseph Thurman, weighing eight pounds, eight ounces.

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These three kittens, born recently behind the Trans World Airline ticket counter at New York's LaGuardia Field, try out a traveling bag for size before leaving for their new homes. Christened "T," "W" and "A," they will serve as mascots at TWA stations at Topeka, Kan., Williamsport, Pa., and Albuquerque, N. M.

Arrangements Complete For Lions Convention At Pecos

PECOS—Several hundred Lions Club members are expected to attend the second annual convention of District 2-T-2, Lions International, here May 29 and 30.

Headliner speakers are Herb C. Petry, Jr., of Carrizo Springs, Texas, second vice president of Lions International, and S. A. Dodge, Detroit, Mich., Lions International director.

A full program has been arranged for the Lions. Registration will get underway Sunday afternoon, May 29.

Buck Jackson, rancher, will serve as master of ceremonies at the Monday breakfast. Paul D. Dowling, president of the local club, will preside at the business sessions. Both will be held at the Community Center.

Mayor E. G. Stafford will deliver the address of welcome while the response will be made by W. A. Shafer of Odessa.

Reports during the morning will be punctuated with entertainment of various kinds. A highlight of the morning's program will be the nominations for district governor and nominations for the next convention city. Those nominations are to be made at 11:15 o'clock.

Presentation of awards by District Governor Schley Riley of Big Spring, a school for secretaries and presidents under the direction of Joe Pond of Big Spring, and the election will feature the afternoon session.

The governor's banquet at the

Community Center, at 7:30 p. m., and a dance at Pecos Valley Country Club, at 9:30 p. m., will round out the program.

Special entertainment has been arranged for visiting women. A special feature of the convention will be an exhibit of articles sent to America on the French Gratitude Train.

Convention committee chairmen include, E. G. Stafford, general chairman; I. G. Lunday, finance; L. R. Hudson, registration; H. L. Teaney, housing; W. W. Douglas, transportation; Bob Hays, decoration; T. R. Smith, properties; Glenn Hunt, reception; Ben Fridge, entertainment; W. D. Turpin ladies; W. Ray Horton, ticket sales; and Club plans its annual square dance and banquet.

District convention chairmen include, rules, Jim Daugherty, Midland; resolutions, Matt Dillingham, McCamey; nominations, Ross Harding, El Paso; elections, Roy Carter, Kermit; sergeant-at-arms, M/Sgt. A. W. Beakes, Pecos; song leader, Guy Walker, Pecos; and necrology ceremony, Dale Johnson, Lorraine.

Members of the District 2-T-2 cabinet include, Governor Riley; Jack Smith, cabinet secretary; Harding, region one deputy governor; Dillingham, region two deputy district governor; and Daugherty, region three deputy district governor; and the following zone chairmen, John T. Bean, Marvin Kay, Fred Farmer, Roy Carter, Cliff Henry, and Dale Johnson.

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SECTION THREE

Stanton News

STANTON—Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Barfield and children of Clovis, N. M., are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Prentice Bristow.

Mrs. Andy Widner, Mrs. Lawrence Black and their children visited relatives here Friday.

Mrs. Sam Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Casey Jones and family of Midland visited in Haskell recently.

Mrs. J. J. Coates is here for an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bentley.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleland Atchison and family visited his mother, Mrs. Clara Atchison here recently.

Mrs. Johnny Kinmer of Oklahoma is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charlie Craven.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Newland, Jr., of Andrews recently visited her mother, Mrs. Eula Eubanks.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Howard have as their guest their daughter from California.

Mrs. Henry Houston and daughter are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Zimmerman in Monahan.

Ogal Avery has returned from Missouri. He has changed his plans about moving there. He and his family made business trips to Tullia and Kermit early this week.

Nurse Honored

Miss Gladys Johnson, who has been on the staff at Martin County Memorial Hospital more than a year, has announced her resignation. She plans to attend nurses school in Lubbock. Friends honored her with a picnic at the city park last week. More than fifty persons were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Ohmer Kelly honored Miss Willie McCudilla of Lamesa with a birthday party recently. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Wilson of Big Spring, Martha Denton and Jo Ann Wooten, also of Big Spring and Patsy and John Dale Kelly.

Miss Sarah Bowman of Abilene, area executive director of Girl Scouts, spoke and showed a movie at a special meeting of Girl Scouts and their parents here Tuesday night. Plans for the Summer camp at Buffalo Gap, Texas, were discussed. Mrs. Jim McCoy is a member of the area camp committee.

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By an ancient superstition for testing a lover's faithfulness, girls used to pierce a lighted candle with a pin, then let the flame burn down around it. If the pin remained in the charred wick, the boy friend was faithful. If the pin fell from the burned wick, he was a two-timer.

Midland Bond Drive Chairmen



John P. Butler



Jack Wicker

John P. Butler, vice president and cashier of the First National Bank, and Jack Wicker, vice president of the Midland National Bank, are chairman and vice chairman, respectively, of the U. S. Treasury Department's Opportunity Drive in Midland County. The Series E Savings Bond campaign opens Sunday and continues through June 30. The Midland County goal is \$220,000.

Possibilities Unlimited Like AA In Its Unity

CLEVELAND—(AP)—What would be your reaction if you had just lost a leg or an arm?

Most persons prescribe the physical and mental shock as terrific. Plenty of help and encouragement are needed before life again looks worthwhile.

Because this feeling is common among amputees, an unusual organization has sprung up here to give them a helping hand.

It is called Possibilities Unlimited, and in many ways it is similar to Alcoholics Anonymous. In the latter, those who have been cured of drinking help those who want to be cured. In Possibilities Unlimited, those who have made adjustments help new and other amputees who have found the going tough.

Started Five Years Ago

It was started five years ago by George Krueger, now the owner of a furniture and appliance store, to aid war veterans with empty sleeves and pants legs. The veterans thought it was a fine idea, but insisted that civilian amputees also be admitted.

The organization now has about 1,000 members, with about half of

+Pecos News+

PECOS—Pecos Valley Country Club held its annual square dance celebration Saturday night. Area square dance teams are invited. Herb Gregston of El Paso will call. Music is by Glenn's Oldtime Orchestras of Midland.

Sister Frances and Sister Aloysius of Pecos will leave soon for Europe on a Catholic Church mission. Sister Frances will gather material for a book and Sister Aloysius will serve as her secretary. The book will be about Saint Angela who died some 400 years ago at Brescia, in Northern Italy. Sister Angela was foundress of the Ursuline Order to which the two Pecos sisters belong. They plan to visit Switzerland and France before returning to America.

John P. Dennison, attorney who recently moved to Pecos from Austin, has been named assistant city attorney here, it was announced by Mayor E. G. Stafford. James Willis is city attorney.

"Old Brass Backs," the first practical pumping fire engine, was devised by Thomas Lote, cooper and boat builder, and given to New York City in 1743.

They in Cleveland. Other chapters are in Youngstown and Columbus. Amputees all over the world have endorsed the program and have been accepted as members.

U. S. Maps Great Bond Drive; Opportunity Campaign Theme

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—One of the greatest peacetime promotions ever let loose in the U. S. has been prepared for the government's 1949 savings bond drive, which will start Sunday and last through June 30.

In many respects this campaign will be bigger than the war bond drive. It is the first time since the war that the government has ventured to set a quota—\$1,040,000,000 in Series E Bonds.

The name of the campaign is "Opportunity Drive." The slogan is "Put More Opportunity In Your Future."

Needs The Money

The main reason for the big drive this year is that the U. S. Treasury needs the money. Government expenditures are up and the income from taxes is down. The Treasury's own explanation elaborates:

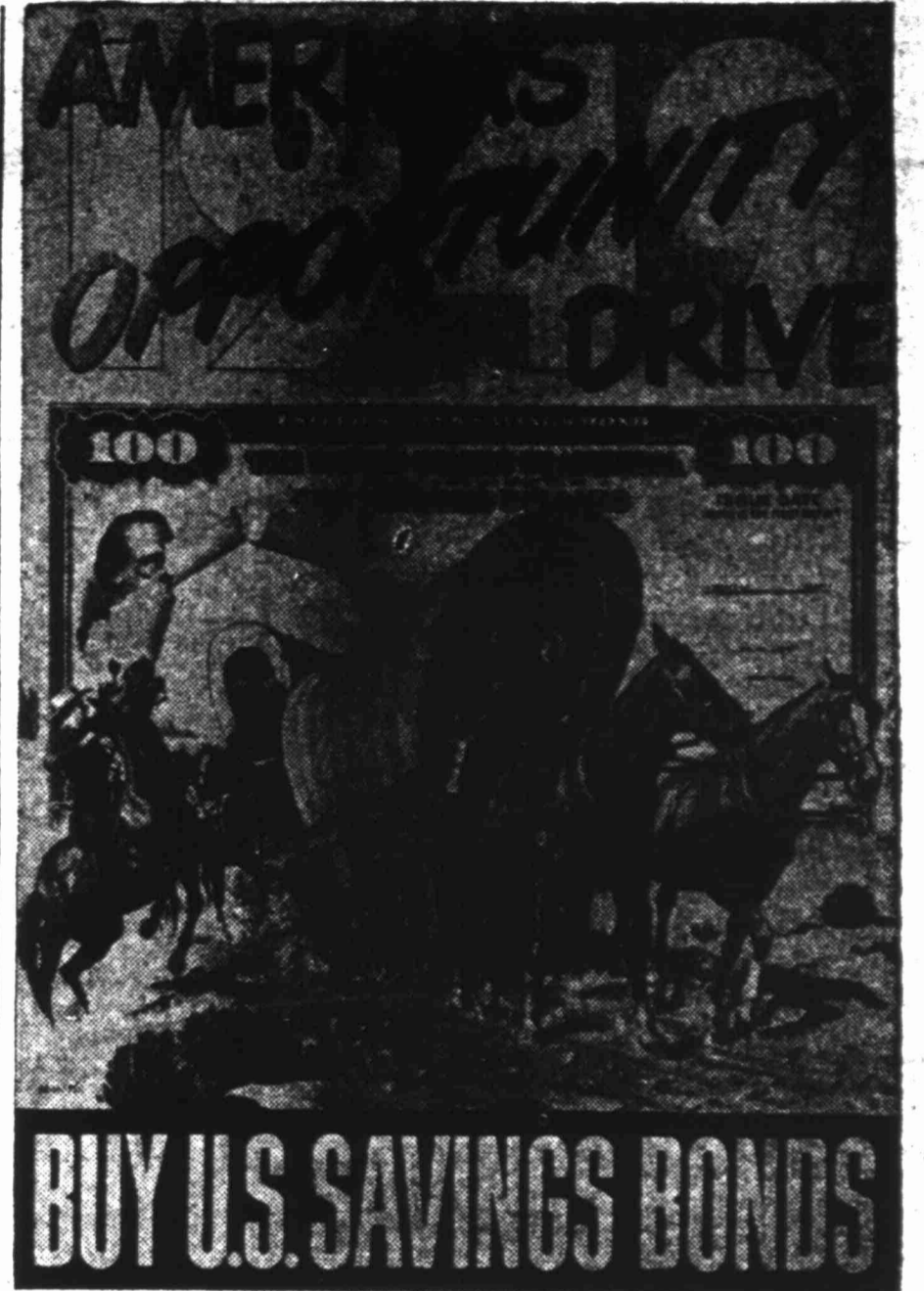
"The widest possible distribution of our national debt is the responsibility of all of us. Through continued investment in these bonds by individuals we distribute the debt as widely as possible rather than concentrate it in banks, thus securing a better balanced ownership and a less volatile debt. Further, as the debt shifts from banks to persons, billions of dollars of interest go into American homes."

It is expected that newspapers, radio and magazines will donate close to \$50,000,000 worth of space and time to the campaign. More than 200,000 newboys have been enlisted to help in the sale and to distribute forms for payroll savings deductions.

For the first time since the war practically the whole motion picture industry has been mustered behind the campaign. One hundred bond premieres are planned for 100 of the largest U. S. cities, with seats going only to purchasers of \$100 bonds. Big Hollywood names will be part of this hoopla.

A movie short, "Covered Wagon," is being produced to symbolize the effort and will be shown at most of the theaters in the U. S. during the drive. This film, as well as the contributions of newspapers, radio and magazines, is being given free as a public service by the industry.

The U. S. Air Force will contribute its share to dramatize the drive by "air lifting" 50 original covered wagons from Cedar City, Utah, to Independence, Mo., home town of the President, Sunday. Later, they will be flown to 50 different cities. Independence will be the hub of



the whole campaign. Sunday the President will fly there and officially launch "Opportunity Drive" with a speech on the four major radio networks. This will be followed by elaborate programs on each network. Speaking with the President on the big show will be Gov. Earl Warren of California and Gov. Paul A. Dever of Massachusetts, representing the East and West coasts.

Quotas Listed

The five top quotas set for states are New York, \$127,830,000; Illinois, \$90,000,000; Pennsylvania, \$82,000,000; California, \$72,800,000; and Ohio, \$62,630,000. Nevada has the smallest quota, \$950,000. Quotas

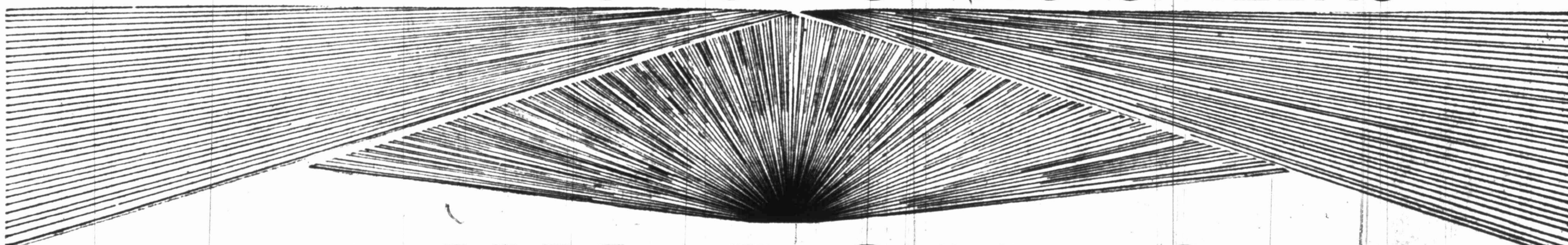
for the individual cities are being set by the various states.

To date, about 60,000,000 Americans hold approximately \$32,000,000,000 in Series E Bonds. This is greater than at the peak of wartime savings. The treasury reports that saving through government bond purchases is now the most popular method saving by American families.

One of the most encouraging facts about the whole government savings bond business since the war, according to Treasury officials, has been the steady decline in the number of persons cashing them in. The first year after the war

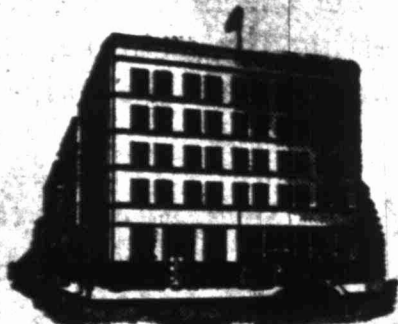
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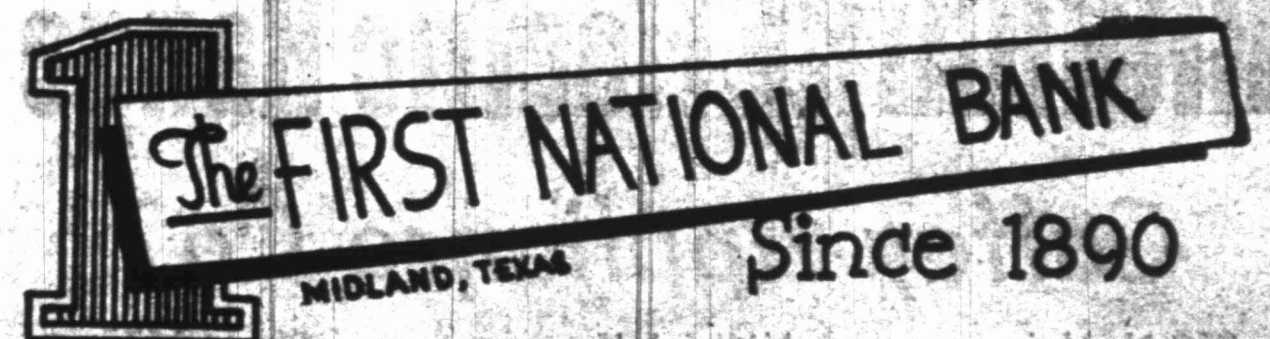
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 was the worst, with redemptions exceeding E Bond sales by \$987,000,000.
Redemption Rates
 The redemption rate in 1948 was lower than in 1947. The net of E bond sales above redemptions in 1948 was 219 per cent of that of 1947. Cash-ins for the past three years have averaged less than one per cent a month of the total outstanding.
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Turns The Voice Of America Into Story Of America Using Pictures



Assistant Secretary of State George V. Allen inspects one of 65 jeeps, which will carry motion picture projectors, radio, recording and public address equipment to the far corners of the globe.

WASHINGTON (NEA)—The State Department will soon have 65 potent packages of propaganda in action selling the story of America, in pictures, to more than 100,000,000 people around the world. The packages are jeeps loaded with every kind of picture projector ever dreamed up, plus elaborate radio and recording equipment and a complete public address system. The idea is to turn the Voice of America into the "View of America" and take it to the people in every far corner of the globe.
Cold War - Our Side
 A Congressional committee which toured Europe in 1947 to see how effective the Voice and other prop-

aganda efforts of the State Department were discovered that only a handful of the people were being reached with the story. Audiences were mostly limited to those who owned radios and could read. The great mass of the people, including many workers and farmers, just weren't getting America's side of the argument in the cold war. The picture- and movie-laden jeep is the State Department's answer to the problem. Movies and still pictures, it has been discovered, are excellent mediums for mass education. And when they are brought right to backyards, where it requires only a minimum effort to see them, they're twice as effective.
 In addition to telling the story of democracy with movies and slides, the jeep is equipped with powerful short wave radio for picking up actual Voice of America broadcasts. The public address system lets any sized audience in on the programs, giving millions a chance to hear them who wouldn't have been able to otherwise. Transcribed music and educational programs can also be provided for great numbers of people in this way.
For Later Study
 Another use for the unit is to record the propaganda programs and speeches of the other countries for later study and analysis. One or two men will travel with each jeep as it takes its story to the far reaches, depending upon how far from the home base it must go. It is equipped with air mattresses, camping equipment, cooking gear, large drinking-water

can and an 80-gallon gas tank. This permits operators to camp out when no other lodging is available.
 An operator of one of these compact units must be a competent camera technician, sound man, radio engineer, public relations expert and master of ceremonies.
For Entertainment
 Films will not be shown simply for entertainment. The film library on each jeep will consist of travelogues, educational films, shorts showing America's manufacturing plants and farms, and newsreels. Slides for presenting various types of lectures are also part of the equipment. The sound, accompanying all the slides and movies will be translated into the native language of the area.
 The State Department hopes to have all 65 of these units in operation by the middle of July. They will be operating in 44 different countries on every continent. Each one costs approximately \$4,500, including the equipment.

TERMINAL TATTLER
 By GENE CAMPBELL

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wattlely have had Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Wattlely of Dickens, Texas, as their guests.
 Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Johnson were called to El Paso Friday, due to the illness of his mother.
 Sandra Clark celebrated her eighth birthday Thursday. Her mother honored her with a party. Fifty children attended.
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lee Gentry have moved to Odessa.
 The Rev. and Mrs. Curtis Rogers and Mrs. J. C. Love went to Big Spring Thursday to assist in planning for a Baptist Youth Camp this Summer.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Williams are going on vacation to Freer, Texas. They will visit friends and relatives there.
 Hal Stevens has returned from a business trip to Fort Stockton. The Stevens plan to spend the weekend in San Angelo visiting relatives. Jack Ward has been ill.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Redwine of Abilene are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Robert Womack.
 Mrs. R. A. Connolly has returned from Pittsburgh and Greensburg, Pa.
 Mrs. J. B. Ratto is visiting relatives in Tyler.
 Melvina Brashears of Midland is a guest of Gail Dixon. They and a group of their friends enjoyed an old fashioned hayride Friday evening; and later the girls had a slumber party.
 Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Dixon and family have been visiting in Dallas. Mrs. Ted Grissom's mother, Mrs. Sarah Henderson, is seriously ill in an Odessa hospital.
 Mrs. W. G. Johnson and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Belvidere, N. D.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heap, Sr. of Tulsa, Okla., have been visiting with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heap, Jr.
 Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Marker attended a barbecue in Odessa Thursday evening, at which time Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore entertained Mrs. Weldon Kibler on her birthday.

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Has Alcatraz Outlived Its Usefulness? Few Prisoners

WASHINGTON (AP)—Has Alcatraz outlived its usefulness? Fewer prisoners than ever before are now being held in the escape-proof federal prison in San Francisco Bay, and it's very expensive to operate—\$8 a day to maintain each desperate guest. In other federal prisons the "bean money" is only \$3.
 But the main consideration is the restraining effect of Alcatraz on the inmates of other jails and on men outside who might be plotting a great crime and yet decide against it because of their dread of "The Rock."
 The issue is now being pondered by the House Judiciary Committee. James V. Bennett, director of the U. S. Bureau of Prisons, has made no firm recommendation. He has only pointed out that one or more federal prisons must be closed to keep within the proposed budget, that operation costs at Alcatraz are excessively high but that the psychological factor behind Alcatraz is the big question-mark.
 Abandonment of Alcatraz wouldn't be a total saving in any case. The Federal government still would have to establish in one of its 25 other prisons a "maximum security block" where incorrigible prisoners could be kept safely and apart from other prisoners for whom there is some hope of rehabilitation. All large penal institutions have such dungeons—called by criminals "Klondike," "Siberia," "solitary" or "deadlock."
 Alcatraz was established in 1934, when the government was at the peak of its battle against kidnapers, racketeers, bank robbers and imperious gangs. Hosts of the underworld were slain or imprisoned. By 1939 J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, was able to say that not one nationally organized gang was left.
 What part did Alcatraz play in the victory? Will criminals become smart if there is no more Alcatraz? No one really knows. That's why Congress intends to do a lot of thinking before it lets Alcatraz go.
 As to whether Alcatraz, or any other prison, deters criminals, Director Bennett has only two broad convictions: (1) That they do not deter those who commit accidental crime or crimes of passion, psychopaths or alcoholics; (2) That they do deter many persons who are tempted to do such things as steal or file fraudulent tax returns. "But

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UN Board Studies Population Increase In Many Sectors

GENEVA —(AP)— The spectacular reduction in death rates in the last two years and the steady increase of population in many parts of the world may lead to a stupendous problem in social and economic readjustment, some sociologists of the United Nations believe.

The World Health Organization reported recently that the area of the world in which deaths are recorded is "enjoying the lowest mortality ever recorded." While this reduction is most pronounced in Europe, a similar reduction was recorded in India, Ceylon and Japan. Although the rate remains comparatively high in Egypt, there has been a reduction there too. The United Nations Population Commission has given "first priority" to a study of the interrelationship of economic, social and population changes. Officials here say this is a "major scientific study." The commission will seek to discover the conditions under which populations grow faster than the economic resources of the area involved. They want to know also what steps can be taken to keep population growth within bounds. A study already is under way in India where the population increased by 50,000,000 persons between 1930 and 1940.

The population commission, although well aware that its study will take years, hopes to obtain information which will help improve the welfare of the world's people. The secretariat of the commission is engaged in a survey of all available literature and statistics on the subject from which it will soon prepare a summary for the commission.

In Lay Terms
One official, in trying to put the problem of the commission in lay terms, said it was to discover "how economic and social policies may be used to influence population changes so as to avoid unfortunate results." The ideal, proportional relationship between population and economic resources, is "such an abstraction it has no meaning," this official said.

"If everything were static, then we could determine what should be the proper number of people to be provided with the best possible living conditions," he said. "But that is unrealistic."
A paper submitted to the commission says "the entire make-up of society is in a state of continual change. The economic, demographic and social structure rarely remains constant. Changes in any one of its components are accompanied by changes in the others."

The population commission is seeking the key to a better living for the people of the world in the exact working of these components and their effect on each other. The experts point to Java as an illustration of the problem. The Dutch have been in Java for a century. They have been raising the conditions of living, improving agri-

'Ma' Goes to Bat for Her Son



Grim-faced Mrs. Ada Carter gets set to shoulder an outsized sign to picket the picketing the Cleveland, O., bakery shop owned by her son Lee. A local of the AFL Retail Food Clerks wants to organize Mrs. Carter and the shop's five other employees over her son's refusal. "Me join a union? No!" snapped "Ma" Carter.

McCamey News

McCAMEY—Mrs. Lee Roy Smith and children of Phoenix, Ariz., arrived here Thursday night to join the Rev. Smith who has been conducting a revival at the First Baptist Church. They will leave Monday for Oklahoma City to attend the Southern Baptist Convention.

McCamey Girl Scout Troop Eight met in the Little House recently for a party. Mothers at the party were presented corsages. Housekeeper badges were awarded to 18 intermediate Girl Scouts and assistant leaders, Mrs. Grizzle and Mrs. Sullivan. The registration of three new troops was announced. Mrs. Mark Haesley and Mrs. T. A. Payne are leaders of two of the new troops. Mrs. Claudia Watts is leader of a new troop for negro girls.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Nelson have returned from a trip to Clifton and Temple. His sister, Mrs. Alice Shanklin of Temple, is visiting here now. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schnaubert of McCamey are the grandparents of a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Schnaubert of Fort Stockton recently.

Mrs. J. A. Price was admitted to a McCamey hospital for medical treatment last week.

cultural methods and modernizing the country. But the population has increased enormously, perhaps as a result of these improvements, and it is regarded as debatable whether the people are better off than they were before.

Tell 'Inside Story' Of U. S. Reds



The American Communist Party, already jittery from learning the FBI has undercover agents within its ranks, received an additional double blow by the revelation that Paul Crouch, left of Miami, Fla., has been testifying in secret hearings before the House Un-American Activities Committee. A Miami, Fla., newspaperman, Crouch was a Communist Party member for 17 years, so highly regarded he was made an honorary officer in the Red Army. U. S. Reds got another shock when they learned that Thomas A. Younglove, right, was an FBI undercover agent. A key government witness in the trial of 11 Communist leaders in New York, he described the party's operations in the Midwest.

Stowaway



(NEA Telephone)
Gearhart Eisler, admitted Communist, was seized by Scotland Yard detectives when he arrived at Southampton, England, as a stowaway aboard the SS Batory, which sailed from New York on May 8. Eisler fled the United States pending deportation hearings scheduled by the Justice Department.

MAKES OFFICIAL VISIT
CRANE—Mrs. Lois Wilson, deputy grand matron of the Order of Eastern Star, made an official visit to Garden City Chapter OES on Wednesday afternoon. A luncheon preceded the meeting. Mrs. Wilson was a guest of Mrs. Mrs. Parker while in Garden City. A gift was presented the guest in honor of the case of her instructions.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

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Drew Pearson says: Tammany politicians fear FDR, Jr., with "Old man's charm," will run off with New York congressional election; Truman forced General Clay's retirement; President gives private views on congressmen.

WASHINGTON — Tammany politicians who have kibitzed the Manhattan rallies of Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., definitely are worried. They have been forced to admit he has inherited the old man's charm.

In fact, they are beginning to wonder if he may not run off with the election in the late Congressional Sol Bloom's seat when the votes are counted next Tuesday.

Here is the sort of thing that happens when "Junior"—as Tammany calls him — stumps Manhattan's mid-town Twentieth district: A lady with a baby, after Franklin passed, cried in ecstasy to the child, "He saw you; he spoke to you! My child, he spoke to you!"

A crowd of a thousand negroes and Puerto Ricans, on Columbus Avenue, crowded around his sound truck and kept him answering questions for an hour.

A wounded sailor who served on the same destroyer with young Roosevelt, called from a crowd: "I want to see my old 'Exec' elected!"

A Puerto Rican woman, as a meeting broke up, cried: "I pray he gets elected; he's our hero!"

At the end of a day of this sort of campaigning, Franklin implored liberal party worker, Mrs. Benjamin Pollack, his law partner's wife, "Listen, you got to do something to protect me from the women!"

Inside East about Gen. Lucius Clay's retirement as U. S. Military governor of Germany was that he didn't want to be retired at this time at all. Truman forced his hand.

Clay had been sending messages to Chief of Staff Omar Bradley, complaining that he was becoming ill and wanted to come home. But close friends say the general had expected Bradley to see him to stay on. He wanted to see the new German republic finally set up. So Clay got the shock of his life when, slipping from a train in Germany May 3, he was informed that his retirement had been officially announced by the White House.

What actually happened was this: President Truman just happens to have been one of the Senate crusaders against cartels and monopolies. In fact, it was his exposure of Germany's I. G. Farben and its conspiracy to control rubber and synthetic gasoline with Standard Oil of New Jersey which first shot the Truman War Investigating Committee into the headlines.

An April 29, therefore, the President read the report of Federal Trade Commissioner Garland Ferguson on the U. S. Army's failure under Clay to disband I. G. Farben and other Nazi cartels. Calling in an aide, Truman said:

"Now is the time to get rid of that top sergeant in Germany."

Three days later, and much to the dismay of the general himself, the White House announced that Clay would be relieved on May 15. Clay's friends and advisers immediately started some backstage wirepulling to keep the general in office, but when Truman makes up his mind,

and 5-year-old Marlyce "Candy" Cain. Mrs. Cain often pleads with the senator that the children want to see him, and once shrewdly took off for New York for six weeks, leaving Cain at home as baby-sitter. This brought him closer to his children though when Mrs. Cain returned, he moved back to his hotel.

All of which leaves the question of whether Cain will go back to his wife or marry Miss Hall as one which probably the senator from Washington himself cannot answer.

Note—Washington's other senator, bachelor Warren Magnuson, is also up to his heart in romance. This time he's really serious about glamor girl Tony Seven, and the next time the rumor is printed that they've been secretly married, the story will probably be true.

U. S. Press Controversy
The arrogance displayed by the State Department regarding Mexico's amendment to the U. N. convention on freedom of information has shocked some of our best friends in Latin America.

The UN's 58-member social committee has been working for some weeks to draft a satisfactory convention to cover the activities of foreign correspondents and press agencies in the gathering and transmission of news. Basis for their studies were the recommendations adopted by last year's conference on freedom of information at Geneva.

However, in the present committee, various modifications and amendments to that draft have been proposed. One of these was a Mexican amendment which would impose certain obligations on newsmen operating in foreign lands, along with the rights and privileges granted them in the convention.

This proposal stirred up lively controversy in the committee, and debate continued on it for more than a week. Finally, a vote was taken on each sentence of the suggested amendment, and then on the whole thing. By 27-17, with seven abstentions, it was approved.

U. S. Delegate Erwin D. Canham, the able, earnest editor of the "Christian Science Monitor," had taken a leading role in opposition to this amendment. That was his contention. "It should be," he felt the proposal was wrong—so long as debate on the subject was wide open.

State Department Cracks Whip
But what does not seem correct, to our Latin neighbors, is the angry, offensively worded statement issued by Assistant Secretary of State George V. Allen, the day after the amendment was passed.

Allen declared that unless the amendment it removed, it will be "impossible for the American government to support or sign the convention." Later he said the U. S. would "insist upon a reconsideration of this amendment" at a General Assembly plenary session.

He further stated that he hoped "many delegations, after calm deliberation on the merits, will vote in the plenary for the position which we believe more accurately reflects their true points of view."

Latin American delegates had voted 13-2 in favor of the amendment with one abstaining and four absent. Immediate reaction to Allen's statement was summed up by one South American foreign minister, who said:

"It is kind indeed of the assistant secretary to point out to us that we do not know our own minds."

"Very poor sportsmanship," commented another Latin diplomat who has served his country at many international conferences. "After years of vigorously criticizing the Russians for their failure to abide by democratic principles and respect the will of the majority, this is a singular about-face."

But the sharpest appraisal of all came from U. S.-educated President Galo Plaza of Ecuador, whose firm friendship for the U. S. is so well known that he can afford to be blunt on such matters.

"The Mexicans are perfectly right, and the United States is behaving stupidly," he said. "They should have the tact and good sense to accept the amendment, which is a sound one."

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Berlin Zoo Gets Ready For Summer, Animals Or No

BERLIN—(AP)—The Berlin Zoo (population) is scrubbing the front stoop for the Summer trade. It is a brave try. A few workmen are patching up a few of the hundreds of holes in the buildings. The keepers are rearranging the cages. The management is looking forward to a crowd that doesn't seem to care whether a zoo has animals or not.

The zoo's who of Berlin is a pretty short list . . . four lions, a brown bear, a camel, a South American llama, three monkeys, a chimpanzee, a hippopotamus and a goat. Once there were hundreds. In the bomb raids of November, 1944, a spot ran screaming up and down the Kurfurstendamm. Crocodiles alighted into Wilhelm's bedroom. It was a mess. And the zoo has been a mess ever since.

This having been one of the most famous zoos, the Berlin zoo men have kept it going on faith, hope and some occasional charity. Why do Berliners go to an empty zoo? Because they always went to the zoo. They walked in its gardens. They danced, free, Sunday mornings and heard free band concerts. They bought ice creams and nuts and candied apples.

The zoo once took in two million marks (\$600,000) a season by charging only 20 pfennig (six cents) for each adult and allowing the children free admission. After last Summer's currency reform, attendance dwindled to a trickle and last Winter it was fifty to a hundred daily, which zoo men call "nothing."

The zoo struggled through the Winter not as a zoo but as a pretty busy saloon. City authorities allowed the zoo restaurant to operate all night for private parties. One could buy champagne, cognac, almost anything in the way of drinks if he had the necessary money.

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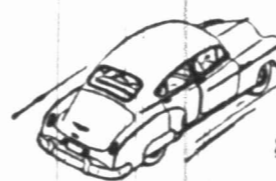
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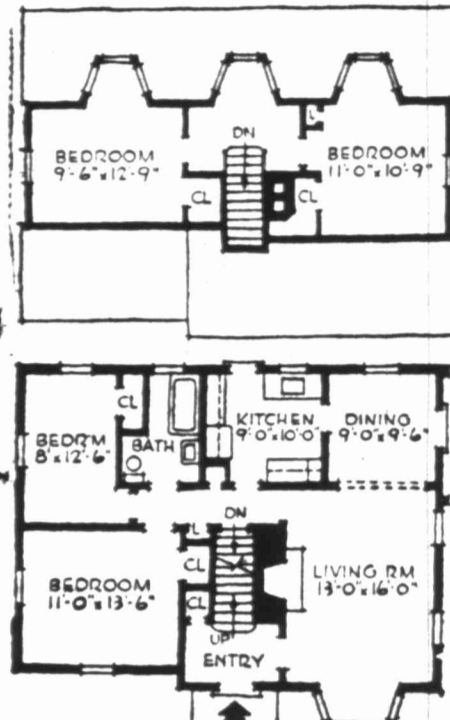
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John A. Deel was issued an \$18,000 permit to build a five-unit brick veneer dwelling structure at 2001 West Kentucky Street. Size will be 38 by 58 feet.

A. B. Cole, Jr., took a \$10,000 permit to build a concrete and tile business structure at 314 North Marienfeld Street. Size will be 25 by 120 feet. The structure will be used as a sub-post office.

Douglas Nix received a permit to build a \$10,000 brick veneer residence at 1202 West Storey Street. Size will be 30 by 61 feet.

A permit for a \$5,000 frame residence with attached garage at 203 West Estes Street was issued to J. Roy Jones. Size will be 34 by 24 feet.

Other Permits Listed

Other permits of the week included: S. A. McBride, \$2,500, brick veneer structure at 503 East Florida Street, 20 by 50 feet; B. F. Davidson, \$1,800, alter brick, tile and glass business structure at 106 North Lorraine Street, 25 by 100 feet; H. A. Lowe, \$1,000, frame structure at 1300 North Lanesa Road, 18 by 24 feet; John O. Dell, \$800, frame structure at 2001 West Kentucky Street, 10 by 20 feet; H. B. Mills, \$600, alter dog kennel at location on Andrews Highway, tile construction, 28 by 26 feet; Joaquin Rubio, \$350, tile and frame storage room and storm cellar, 12 by 16 feet; L. E. Hardy, \$200, frame and sheet metal garage at 806 West Collins Street, 10 by 20 feet.

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Buyer Urged To Examine House For Hidden Details To Avoid Future Trouble

Close examination of a house to detect flaws before it is purchased will save future trouble and expense, it was pointed out by the Construction Research Bureau, New York clearing house for building information.

It is especially important that the buyer assure himself that hidden construction details and materials actually are present and of the best quality.

If purchase of a house under construction is contemplated, examination is easy by visiting the house at intervals during construction.

Details To Be Sought

Note whether wall studs, floor joists and roof rafters are closely spaced at a maximum of 16 inches center-to-center; that sheathing and sub-flooring is applied diagonally for strength; that joists are braced with bridging at least eight feet apart; that both the center and the sides of the house are supported by strong beams. Note whether full-thick mineral wool insulation is placed within walls and between roof and top-floor ceiling, for such insulation makes the house cooler in Summer, cuts fuel bills in Winter. Note whether copper and brass plumbing pipe is used to avoid future rusting and leaks. At least two baseboard electrical outlets should be provided for each room before the wall finish is applied.

In an old house, it is somewhat more difficult to check on hidden details, but there are many ways to determine workmanship and materials. To ascertain floor strength, jump up and down in the middle of the room. If this causes undue vibration, strength is lacking.

If the attic is unfinished, measure rafter spacing and wall stud spacing. Presence of mineral wool insulation in the walls usually can be determined by looking under the attic eaves at the point where studs and roof plates join. If the attic is floored it is worth while to pull up a board to see if the house is insulated.

Test the plumbing by opening faucets in kitchen and bathroom at the same time. If water flow is meagre, or flows sluggishly down drains, pipes are either clogged or too small. Water stains on walls or ceilings indicate plumbing or roof leaks.

On the exterior, examine the roof for split or curled shingles. Test mortar joints by scratching with a hard instrument. If the mortar falls away easily, it means a future repair bill.

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Careful Selection Of Materials Is Urged

If you are planning to re-side or re-roof your home, or perhaps remodel the interior, it is wise to learn something about the materials that might be used before making your selections.

Experts in remodeling point out that it pays to choose materials on the basis of serviceability, durability, appearance and economy of maintenance. Information necessary to help you in selection ordinarily can be obtained from manufacturers and building material dealers.

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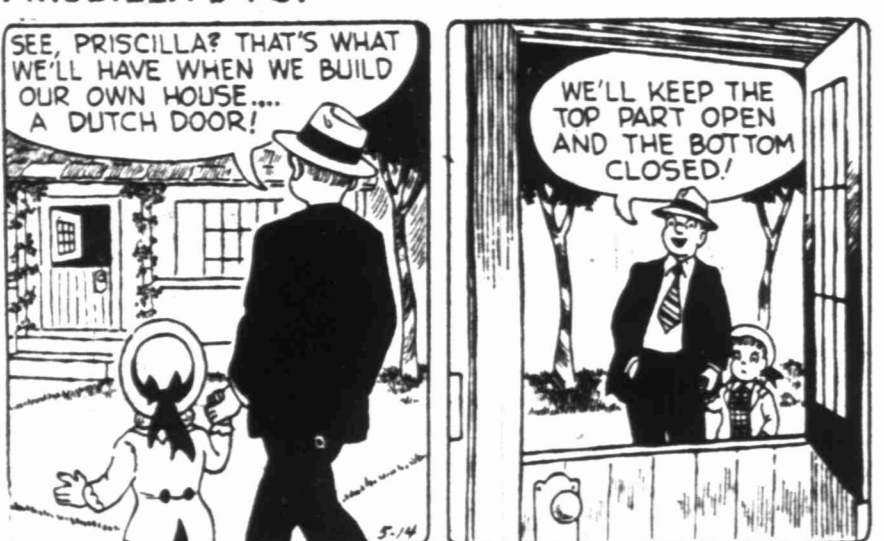


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Bans Bubble Gum Trouble

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— Judge Harry S. McDevitt granted a temporary injunction restraining distributors from using names and pictures of baseball players on bubble-gum cards.

The injunction was sought by the Bowman Gum Company and six players—Warren Spahn, Boston Braves; Elmer Valo, San Chapman, Buddy Rosar and Lou Brissie, Philadelphia Athletics, and Al Evans, Washington Senators.

Bowman claimed it paid 272 players \$25,000 a year for use of their names and pictures on its bubble-gum product.

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The mother bird stopped her running. She stopped dragging her leg and wing behind her, and Daddy Ringtail knew that she had only pretended to be hurt.

"It's a trick," the mother bird explained. "When anyone is after us, if I pretend I'm hurt, they try to chase me, and my little birds have a chance to hide."

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Daddy Ringtail

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And Bird Tricks

Daddy Ringtail, your monkey friend, was lying on the ground by the very tall tree, where the monkey house was up in the top. He was almost asleep, but not quite, and just then he heard little footsteps in the grass. At first the footsteps sounded like the soft murmur of the wind perhaps. Then Daddy Ringtail saw who it was.

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"Watch me call my children." She whistled. The whistle said: "Bob-white! Bob-white!" And the little birds came running. Bob-white was their name, and the name of the mother bird too. You'll hear them whistle in the country sometime: "Bob-white! Bob-white!" And you'll know about it, because you are a friend of the birds, I am sure. Happy day!

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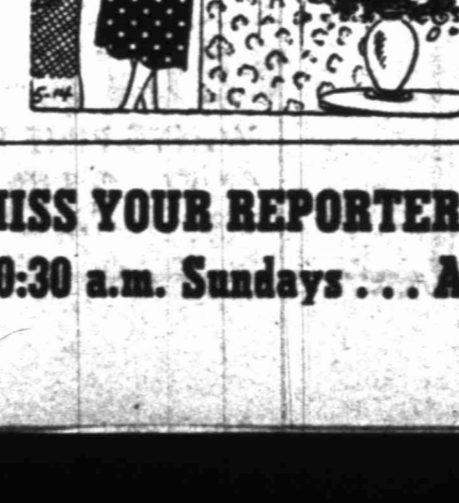
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YOU FELLOWS HAVE WORKED A MIRACLE WITH GIG, BEN. IT'S JUST A QUESTION OF TIME NOW! THE TRAGEDY IS THAT SO MANY OF US HAD TO HIT ROCK BOTTOM BEFORE WE WERE DESPERATE ENOUGH TO DO MUCH ABOUT IT, RIGGS. AA. CAN'T HELP THOSE WHO ONLY WANT TO WANT TO QUIT! GIG'S CHIEF DANGER NOW IS A FALSE SENSE OF SECURITY, AS HE GRADUALLY LOSES HIS URGE TO DRINK... UNLESS WE HELP HIM KEEP ON GUARD, AN EMOTIONAL UPSET, FATIGUE, AN IMPULSE TO JOIN FRIENDS IN A "SHUCK ONE" OR EVEN A SUDDEN PIECE OF GOOD LUCK COULD CAUSE A RELAPSE!

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SO LONG SALT MINE! OKAY, LET'S GO! AH! NOW MY FIRST HOLIDAY IN YEARS!

STRANGE! I DIDN'T KNOW PUG HAD A DATE THIS EVENING! YOU KNOW, YOU AREN'T A BIT LIKE I'D PICTURED YOU! NO? NO? HOW HAD YOU PICTURED ME? OH-H, FROM WHAT I'D HEARD - TWO, PLEASE!

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It is not the custom of The Bulldog to feature its staff members, but this week and in the case of Bob Short, shown above, the precedent is broken. Robert Lester Short is going to take a trip. Bob's trip will be unusual in that it is a geology field trip and natural science junket. The trip will require two weeks starting June 29. Bob was chosen to make it because of his scholastic record and other school achievements.

Down Bob's Boulevard

With BOB SHORT

As strange as it may seem, MHS students have faulted the same as anyone. A few students are afraid to take inventory on themselves for fear they might find they are spotted brats. However, most students consider themselves almost perfect and a great deal of mental strain is caused when students sit down to enumerate their deficiencies.

So on fighting our way down Bob's Boulevard this week, your inquiring reporter thought it might prove interesting to ask: "What is your main fault?"

Mickey McGee—"Not being able to make up my mind."
Eugene Hejl—"Talking to myself."
James Barber—"Being too slow."
Margaret Finch—"Getting angry too quickly."
Carolyn Schaeffer—"Bull-headedness."
Jerry Webb—"Making jokes in Miss Riley's class."
Geneese Finch—"I drink too much."

Peggy Minear—"Being a girl."
Jack Lynch—"Living."
Demall Ann Kemp—"Keeping late hours."
Red Bivens—"Making teachers angry."
Pina McGraw—"I have no faults."
Glenda Hambleton—"Believing everything everyone tells me."
Modena Phillips—"Not having my lessons in on time."
Nada Bramlett—"Not getting enough sleep."
Dale Slice—"Living the way I do."
Don Drummond—"Instability."
Dorothy Allen—"Biting my finger nails."
Wilma Fugua—"Not having a boy friend."
Sue Corser—"Lack of will-power."
Adele Blackman—"Not sending 'Blubber-boy' home early enough."
Gloria Anguish—"Studying too hard."
Bobby Jenkins—"Not paying attention to what's being said, and paying attention to what's not being said."
Wilma Green—"Speaking before I think."
Ann Boring—"My entire future clouded by the fact that I'm so gorgeous, so lovable so irresistible, and so sick at my stomach!"

Peggy Caffey—"Eating too much."
Joyce Howell—"Being sarcastic."
Leon Measures—"Being so doggone lazy."
Daisy Merritt—"Not paying attention in Mrs. Penn's class."
Geneese Bailey—"Blushing too easily."
Joyce Jones—"Being born."
Billy Crites—"Not being able to keep my mouth shut."
Jo Ann Drake—"Saying catty things."
Carroll Graves—"Doing things I'm not supposed to."
Virginia Garrett—"Chewing gum."
Billy Evans—"Sleeping at the wrong place."
Jerry Webb—"Inattention to relevant situations whereby I could apply them to elucidate myself concerning applicable situations."
VJean Fuglaar—"Jumping to conclusions."
Tina Williams—"I'm too fat and I chew gum."
Betty Studdert—"I have a deficiency in my friends."
Wayne Richardson—"Not being born a millionaire."
Frank Merritt—"My bashfulness around girls."
Betty Wilson—"Being calm, cool, and sea-otter-brained."
Betty Parker—"Telling people what I think of them."
Wanda Wise—"Over-crowding my stomach."
Nick Harrison—"Lack of interest."
Marion Aze—"Playing 'ditchem' in my mother's car."
Glenda Shoemaker—"Freelias."
Darlene Livingston—"Working too hard."
Fol Benedict—"My mouth."
Johnny Patterson—"My use of grammar."
Donald Nichols—"I'm afraid of girls—also bears."
Maggie Murphy—"My IQ is below the moron level."
Billie Frantz—"Popping my gum."
Jo Ann Montgomery—"Stubbornness."

Lost And Found Drawer Amusing, Raider Discovers

By PAT PRYOR

When we raided the Lost and Found drawer we were tempted to make off with some of its contents—which were amazing. To begin with there are 17 fountain pens. Four are green, four black, three grey, two blue, one gold, one mottled, and one maroon with gold top. Two of the black ones are minus their tops and there are also two tops without pens. The gold pen is on a key ring.

Then comes the seven eversharp pencils. Two are green, one is yellow, one red and black, one yellow and black, one red mottled, and one black.

There are two plastic rulers, three erasers (one with P. Simmons on it), and four glass cases. One case is blue with a snap, one brown, one dark blue with a yellow trim and one for clip-on colored glasses.

To add to the confusion there is one ear screw, one small pin, one scarf holder with a painted house on it, one watch crystal, one button, one compass, pencil attached, five green stamps, one Sweet-talk lipstick, two clothes-pins, one green girl Scout key chain with a house key on it, one package containing five needles, another key chain with a plastic "D" on it, one black holder of something which snaps over a belt, one good-luck piece with "C. S. Hardy, and Midland, Texas" on it, two gloves—one brown and one yellow, and two head scarves—one grey, blue and yellow and a square dance scene, and one white with colored sequins.

Why have you read this silly article? In hopes your billfold has been found? Well let's hope it answers one of the following descriptions:

There are six purses and billfolds in the drawer. One is red silk with a brown flowered hankiechief in it. Another is a brown zipper coin purse. There are two tan billfolds, one with Donald Webb's name in it, a brown key holder with three keys and two knives in it, and to top it off—one dark brown Mexican style purse containing one very large safety pin.

Hurry right down and claim your belongings.

Kennel Kapers

By SARAH LEW LINK

Catolico! The magic word which makes everyone excited. At long last, the awaited annuals are here. And were they ever nice. The 1948-49 staff is to be congratulated for an excellent work. The book is the best yet.

Peggy Whitson, Royce Raye McKee, Billie Prothro, Joe Mabey, Joel Simms, Alex Oates, Dorothy Wolfe and Bob Short were in Abilene Monday. They were accompanied by the Rev. Howard Hollowell. The group visited McMurry College.

Flag pole sitters on our MHS flag pole? Well, not exactly! Only Eugene Hejl, Bill Secord, Ted Bevins, Don Downing and Max Allen carried on getting a flag up. They carry chain had broken down from an extra hard yank when lowering the flag the previous day.

Excitement reigned Monday when the Seniors got their long-awaited invitations and the Catolico rumors were buzzing.

We were happy to learn that Bill Little received a scholarship to Wyoming University. The Four O'clock Bell Although the four o'clock bell has sounded as usual this week, few students left before 4:46 p.m. and the reason is annual signing. It's a popular pastime which almost is driving the teachers mad. The Juniors worked hard all week getting ready for the big banquet. The Seniors are getting ready for their trip to Junction next weekend.

Joyce Howell frantically is searching for a name for her brand new little brother. If anyone has an idea, please tell her.

Arnold Drake is going to Kerrville this weekend to visit John Scrogin and Frank Shepard.

Mrs. Parr informs us that the loss she was picking in that Catolico snapshot were inquired through the Journalism class. Type lice, no doubt!

Meet Your Bulldogs-

Ronnie Estell, a Junior, is a catcher on the MHS baseball team. Ronnie is a nice average kind of person because he likes fried chicken, reading, baseball, the color blue, Gene Kelly, and the song "Embraceable You." His favorite saying is "Gee Whiz" and his ideal girl is about 5 feet, one inch, with brown hair and eyes. Ronnie moved to Midland about June 9 from Borger, Texas. TOU may be the school of his choice after graduation next year. Here's wishing Ronnie luck for next year as he starts on his senior year in MHS.

Roy Mann is another Junior in MHS and plays first base position on the baseball team. Roy likes the color blue, dark-haired girls, fried potatoes, and going to picture shows and of course, baseball. "Far Away Places" is his best-liked song and Gary Cooper is his favorite actor. His favorite saying is "That's a good one" referring to his baseball, of course. Roy was born in Big Spring, August 4, 1932, and has lived in Midland for "goin'" on nine years. When Roy graduates he might be interested in the University of Texas.

MHS Requirements Are Listed For Student Review

Some students go through their freshman, sophomore and junior years, just drifting. They float along taking whatever subjects they like. When they become seniors, they find they do not have the right credits and neither do they graduate and must go to Summer school.

In order for these students to know what is required, we present the following list of credits and requirements:

| FRESHMAN | | |
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| Required | Credit | Optional |
| English | 1 | 1 |
| Math | 1 | |
| PE | 1 1/4 | |
| World History | 1 | |
| Total 4 1/4 | | |

| SOPHOMORE | | |
|-------------|--------|----------|
| Required | Credit | Optional |
| English | 1 | 2 |
| Math | 1 | |
| PE | 1 1/4 | |
| Total 4 1/4 | | |

| JUNIOR | | |
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| Required | Credit | Optional |
| English | 1 | 1 |
| Am. History | 1 | |
| PE | 1 1/4 | |
| Math | 1 | |
| Total 4 1/4 | | |

| SENIOR | | |
|-------------|--------|----------|
| Required | Credit | Optional |
| English | 1 | 3 |
| PE | 1 1/4 | |
| Total 4 1/4 | | |

A's, B's and C's are accepted as college entrance credit. D's are not, although they are acceptable for high school credit.

Sport Spoutings

By NEAL ADAMS

Spring sports are over. The Midland Bulldogs ended the season in fine style by defeating the Sweetwater Mustangs 7-6. In reviewing the just-completed season, we can say: man for man, player for player, MHS had as fine a team any in the district. It just so happens the winning spark never was discovered.

Somehow, the winning combination lacked a link. Midland had catching, pitching, infield and outfield on par with any in the conference. Sure the Purple made errors. But what team in 3-AA didn't. Midland's errors all seemed to be clustered in a given inning and this spelled doom.

Maybe next year? Everyone should be sure and attend the Gymboree. It's a swell show and you will enjoy it. Some of the kids really are talented.

Perhaps the most exciting thing in sports now is the softball games, which take place daily during the sixth period PE class. Sometimes Coach Carl Knox takes part. That man can do something with the ball.

High schoolers took part in the elementary schools softball program. Do not worry, they served as "blind toms"—umps to you.

The A and B volleyball teams will receive volleyball awards but these have not yet arrived.

Nichols, Glass Honor Students

The senior class honors of valedictorian and salutatorian for the class of 1949 have been earned by Ken Nichols and Joann Glass, respectively, it was announced Tuesday.

Ken received the valedictorian award with an average of 94.5416. Joann's average was 94.1971. All six weeks grades for this year except the last six weeks were averaged together to give the above figures and honors.

The next eight highest averages were earned by the following: Patsy Bray, 92.8200; Mary Helen Whitmire, 92.9166; W. L. Thompson, 92.881; Peggy Lou Whitson, 92.828; Lois Black, 92.823; Shirley Bunt, 92.818; Max Allen 92.626; and Carolyn Schaeffer, 91.988.

Sir Francis Drake in 1579 went ashore in Martin county, California, and named a metal plate to a post, claiming that region for Queen Elizabeth of England.

THE BULLDOG

Written By The Journalism Class Of Midland High School

Annual Gymboree Slated Tuesday

With more than 200 participants the 1949 Gymboree will get under way in MHS's Gym at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday. Big Spring and Odessa are bringing over a program for this third annual bang-up, Gymboree, under the supervision of Mrs. Inez Cheatham.

To set the pace for this fast moving extravaganza, will be the opening Grand March.

Odessa will then present a thirty minute program consisting of a modern dance and some folk games. The Odessa Band will accompany. This will be under the direction of Miss Dorothy Brown. To bring in the spice of variety there will be tumbling teams from Big Spring with "The Black Hawk Waltz" and "Laces and Graces" as a dancing routine. Miss Arsh Phillips is the instructor from that section of the country.

Then Midland! With an entry of tap routines, boxing, tumbling, (both boys and girls teams) folk games of pioneer days, and the FFA band to play. Tina Williams, Caller Tina Williams will be the caller in the gaily be-decked folk games. Just to give you an insight on the fun to be had there will be a costumed tap routine on "Sailing," "Corn a Poppin'," "Pistol Packin' Mama" and last but not least will be the "Coquettes."

The PE instructors, Garvin Beauchamp, Audrey Gill, and Carl Knox, along with Mrs. Inez Cheatham, extend an invitation to all the oldest and youngsters to come spend a jam-packed, mile-a-minute evening of fun.

Admission: children 20 cents; adults 40 cents.

Down Future Farmer Row

By PAULINE NORWOOD

The FFA members gave their instructor, Mr. J. R. Outfman, a coffee maker in appreciation for what he has done for them this year.

Wayne Richardson gave the Future Farmers Club a report on the selling of Southern Agriculturalist magazine subscriptions, during its meeting last Wednesday.

The FFA meat judging team, accompanied by Outfman, left Midland Thursday for Fort Worth. It continued to A&M College Friday, where the team entered the state finals in meat judging.

Officers of the Midland chapter were appointed as a committee to select the place where the FFA members will make their summer trip this year.

World History Classes Compile Film For Files

By PEGGY WHITSON

"Gee, he must have been deformed to wear a hat like that!" "Golly." "Sure is ugly." "Ah, I don't believe that!" These comments came from the Ag room where a picture show was shown to the World History classes. The remarkable thing about this is the classes had made their own movie!

Each student brought pictures that were especially good, and in keeping with their studies and together, under Miss Miley's supervision, mounted the pictures on cardboard. These pictures are shown with a machine which shows them on a screen, highly-magnified. The picture show starts with prehistoric pictures and comes on up through the Egyptian, Greek, Roman, and Middle Ages down to our present time. Some very beautifully colored religious pictures have also been collected. Besides famous men, the movie has famous buildings, games, and religions of the times.

A permanent file of this movie is to be kept in increased as years go by. Individual classes may take sections from the file after it has been completed, and have them corresponding with their studies. For example, the Latin classes would be interested in taking out the Roman age and studying it.

Those responsible for this movie are to be appreciated for the work they have done on this nice file.

Calendar

Monday—A representative from Odessa Junior College will speak in assembly.
Tuesday—Gymboree at 8:15 p.m. in MHS gym; assembly at regular period.
Wednesday—No clubs; seniors practice commencement exercises during home room period; freshmen, sophomore and juniors to fill out preference cards of next year's subjects.
Thursday—No clubs; seniors practice commencement exercises during home room period; other classes fill out preference cards.
Friday—Senior Day (not to be confused with Class Day); Senior trip begins. Hooray!

Films Add Interest To Biology Classes

Making the sciences and biology classes more interesting and adding a touch of pleasure, Dan Boyd, instructor, has been showing films to his classes.

Four films have been shown. These include: Reproduction of the Flowers, Importance of Leaves, Importance of Roots, and Robin Red Breast.

Golf Team, Coach



Shown are members and coach of the Midland High school golf team, which made a fine showing at the state high school golf tournament at Dallas. Left to right, kneeling, are Johnny Ward and Roane Puetz; left to right, standing, are Graham Mackey, Coach Audrey Gill and Kent Miller. At the state tourney, Mackey won the championship flight consolation title and Puetz took the first flight consolation championship. Other members of the team won matches during the season of district competition.

Watch The Splinters While Sliding Down Banisters Of Life

Monday morning, Midland High School students were eagerly awaiting the Catolico, which were rumored to be here. Tuesday morning found the students still without their yearbooks. However, the situation was remedied at exactly 11:30 a.m. that same morning.

Ever since receiving the annuals, students have been fogging around between classes, at noon, before and after school and even any seconds extra in a class period trying to get their classmates to endorse their books.

Some of the more unusual endorsements are as follows: "I hope you live all the days of your life." "While sliding down the banister of life, I hope you get a splinter of success." "Please try to be a better person." "You are crazy as a loon."

Others which many will recognize are "Best wishes and good luck." "You're a good kid!" "Be sweet and have fun!" "Remember So-and-So."

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Neal Adams Sports Editor
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Sarah Lew Link Exchange Editor
Bob Short Photographer
La Verne Estes, Mary Faye Ingham, Pauline Norwood, Joan Wyche and Billie Love, reporters.

Quill And Scroll Initiation Held In Special Assembly

The formal initiation ceremony of the Midland Quill and Scroll Chapter was held in a special assembly Wednesday.

Tanner Laine of The Reporter-Telegram gave a short congratulatory address to the 11 students initiated. He told of Chuck Yeager, a soldier he knew overseas.

The speaker said the secret of good journalism, or life, comes in one short recipe of two ingredients: 1. be accurate; 2. be fair. He praised the Bulldog and Catolico published this year.

Charles F. Mathews, principal, congratulated the journalists and Mrs. Parr, their adviser, for a job well done.

He presented gold Quill and Scroll key pins to new members: Shirley Bunt, Max Allen, Patricia Pryor, Neal Adams, Peggy Lou Whitson, Sarah Lew Link, LaVerne Estes, Joan Wyche, Mary Fay Ingham and Pauline Norwood.

Bob Short, Journalism student, was introduced as a two-year member of Quill and Scroll. Billie Love, a transfer from Waco, did not qualify for membership only because of a lack of required time.

Journalists Accepted

Because they are in the upper third of their class, are dependable and have been approved by the Journalism instructor, these students tentatively have been accepted for the 1948-49 Journalism class of MHS:

Jo Ann Boykin, Tina Williams, Sara Kreischer, Dan Dickinson, Nancy Trauber, Maggie Murphy, Carol Glahn, Helen Cartwright, Bet Studdert, Chabry Murray, Jim Kennedy, Peggy Minear, Betty Jean Wilson and Billie Love.

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+ McCamey News +

McCAMEY — Reorganization of the Upton County local unit of the Texas State Teachers Association was voted by the 23 teachers present at a recent meeting in the McCamey High School Homemaking Building. Lois Gray of Fort Worth, field representative of the association, explained the functions of a local unit. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected:

H. R. Green, president; Mrs. Elizabeth Tallafiero, first vice president; Hamilton Still, Rankin, second vice president; E. R. Sharpe, secretary; and Mrs. E. E. Riddle, treasurer. The McCamey homemaking students, under the supervision of Mrs. H. E. Stoker, instructor, served refreshments to the group. "Nevertheless, They Will Be Done" is the sermon topic chosen by the Rev. W. L. Lee, pastor of the First Baptist Church, for the baccalaureate services for McCamey High School graduates at 8 p.m. Sunday in the auditorium.

The Rev. G. C. Hamilton, pastor of the Methodist Church, will give the Scripture reading. Others on the program include Zeta Faye Anderson who will play the processional; song, "God of Our Fathers," by the high school mixed choir; hymn, "Holy, Holy, Holy," by choir and congregation; recessional, by Zeta Faye Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rambo spent last weekend in Junction where they met Mrs. Rambo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Goodwin.

Guests in the Rambo home this week were Mrs. Rambo's sister, Mrs. C. S. Hanna, Lieutenant Hanna and daughter Sandra. The Hannas have recently returned from Japan. They plan to leave Monday for Virginia where Lieutenant Hanna will be stationed.

Revival Continues

The Gospel tent revival will continue through next week with Rev. Raymond Dunn, pastor of the Crane Tabernacle Church, in charge, with the exception of services Saturday night and Sunday when M. A. Clements will officiate.

Mr. and Mrs. Eiden Harrison have returned from Alpine, where they attended funeral services for his father, Millam Harrison. He was an oldtime resident of Alpine, having resided there since 1902. Funeral services were held in the family home and interment was in Elm Grove Cemetery, Alpine.

Survivors include the widow; his mother, Mrs. Lottie David of San Antonio; three sons, Claude and Byrl of Pecos, and Eiden of McCamey; three sisters, three brothers, 11 grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Jacobsen had as their guest recently Mrs. Olga Gray of Odessa, sister of Mrs. Jacobsen.

Mrs. E. B. Knollhoff and Mrs. Sarah Knollhoff of Quitaque, are guests in the home of Mrs. E. B. Knollhoff's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Lorenza.

'The Gift Of Freedom' Refutes Charge

To counter Communist propaganda that the American worker is a slave, the U. S. government has prepared a booklet called "The Gift of Freedom" to tell the foreign worker how his American counterpart lives. The 142-page booklet tells its story precisely and without frills in text, diagrams, charts and pictures. Prepared by the Bureau of Labor Statistics at the request of the State Department, "The Gift of Freedom" will be used in publications and radio broadcasts all over the world. Below are some of the photographs from the booklet which will give the Frenchman, the Hungarian, the Indonesian and the German the picture story of the conditions under which the American worker lives, works and eats.



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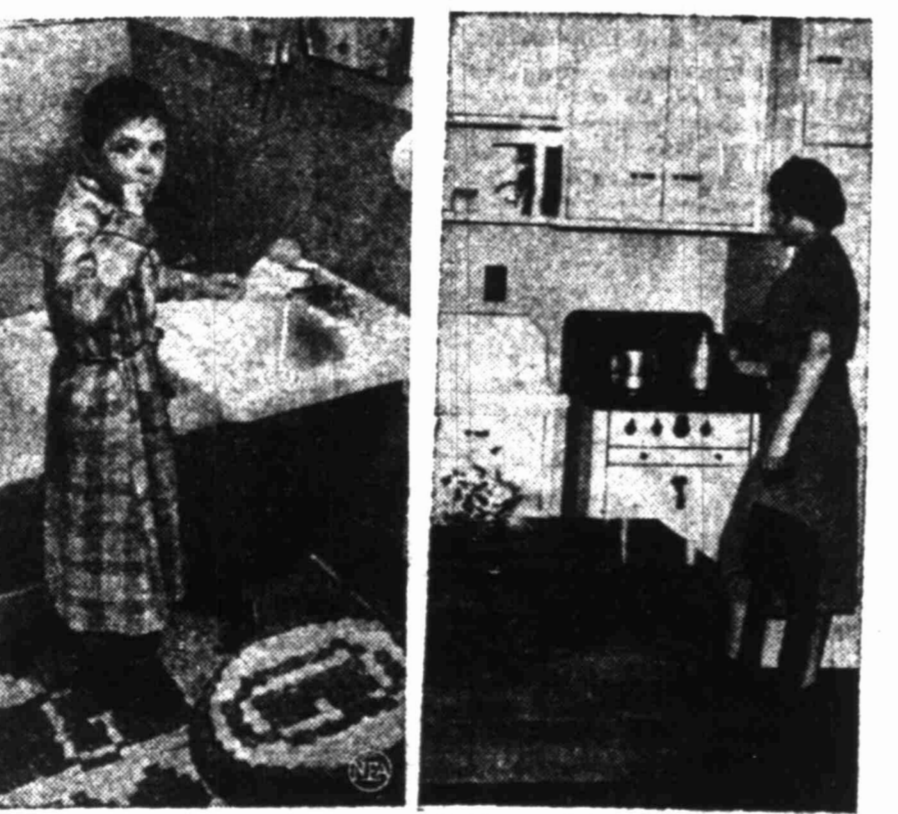
Food stores in working-class neighborhoods offer wide variety.



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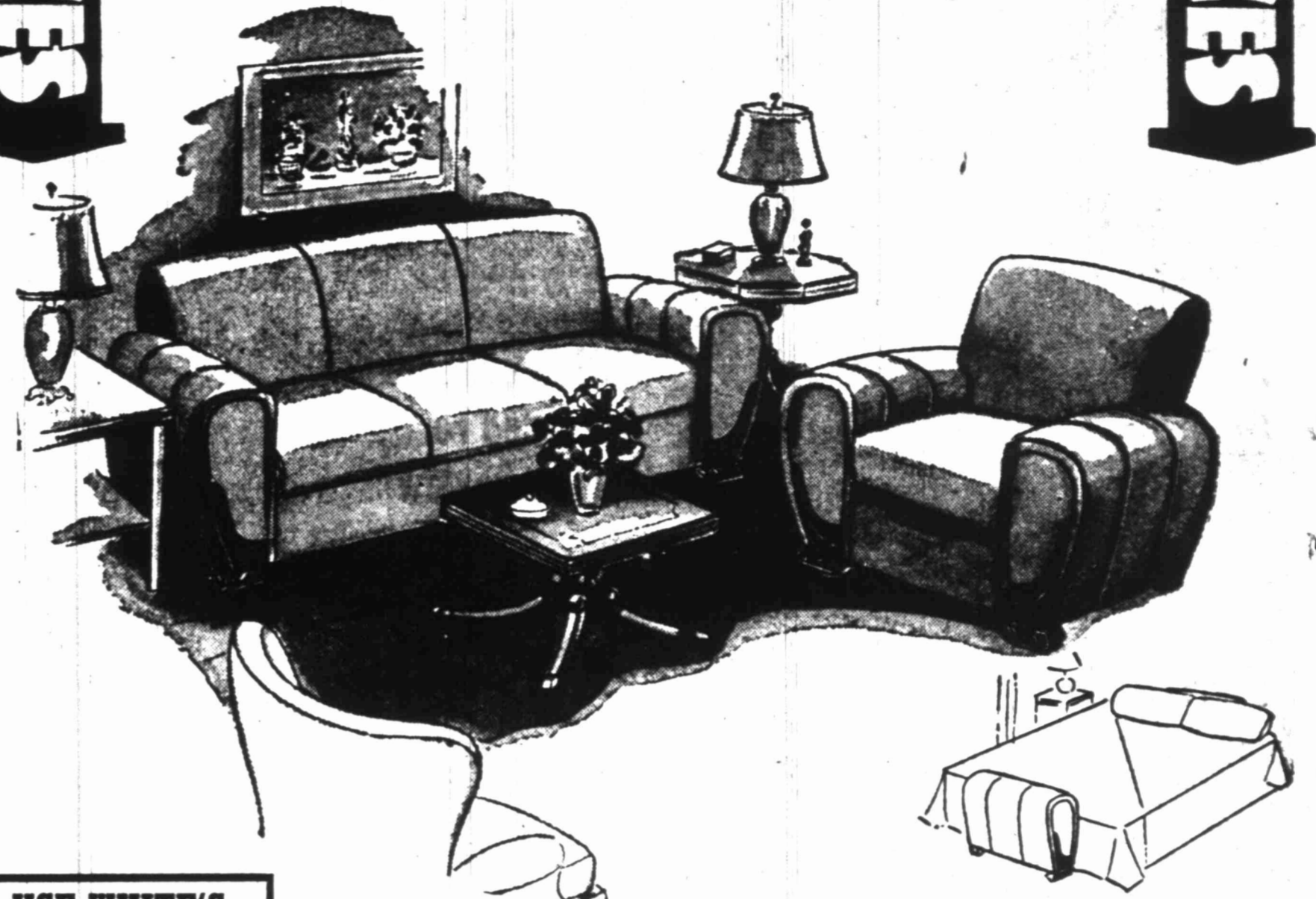


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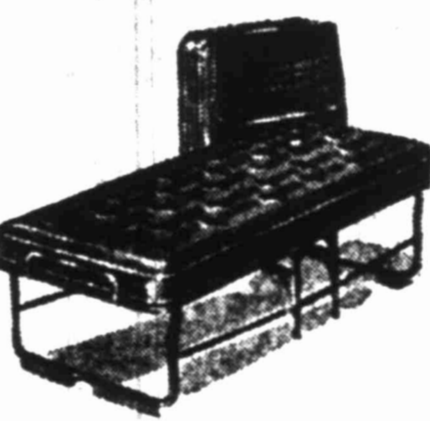
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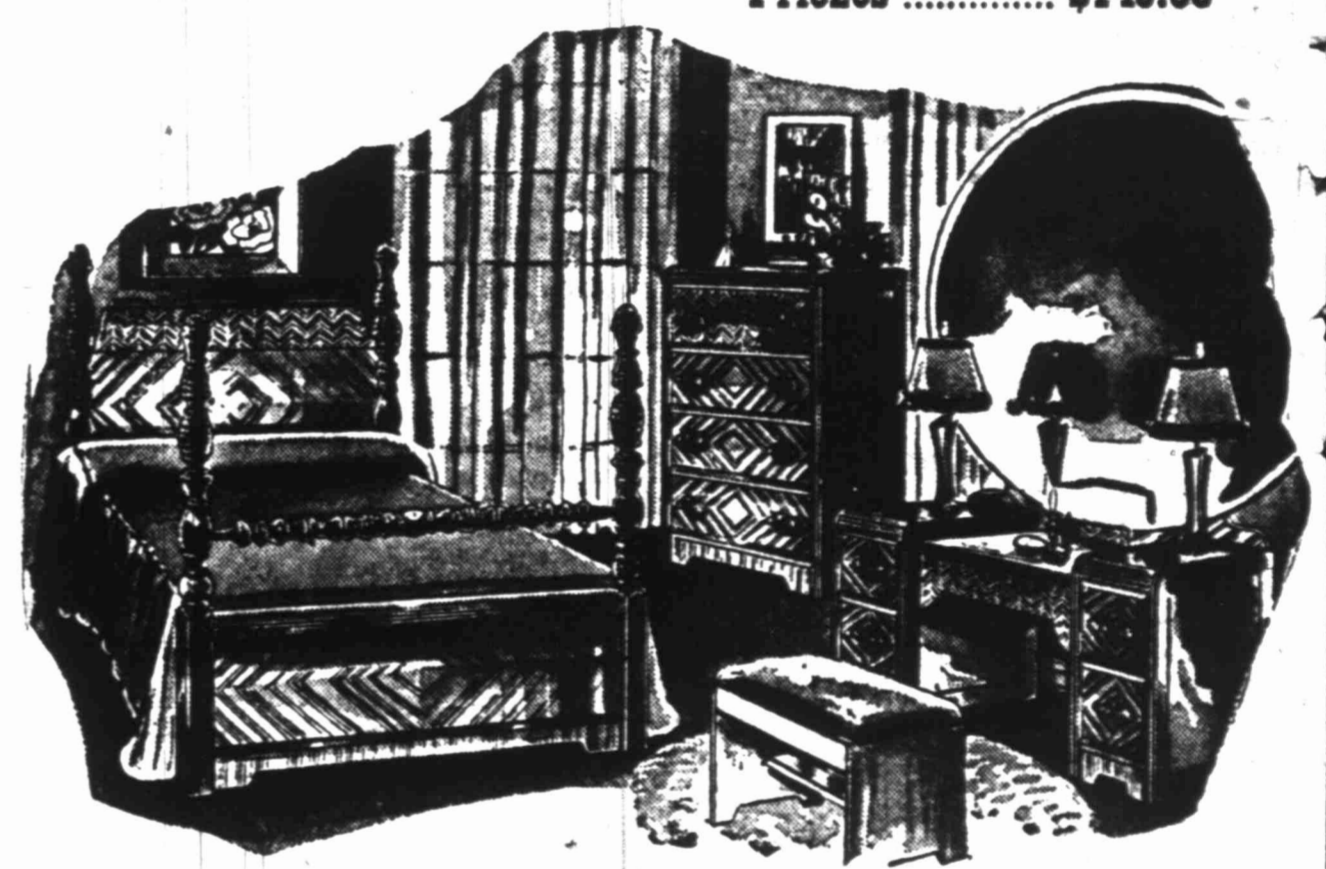
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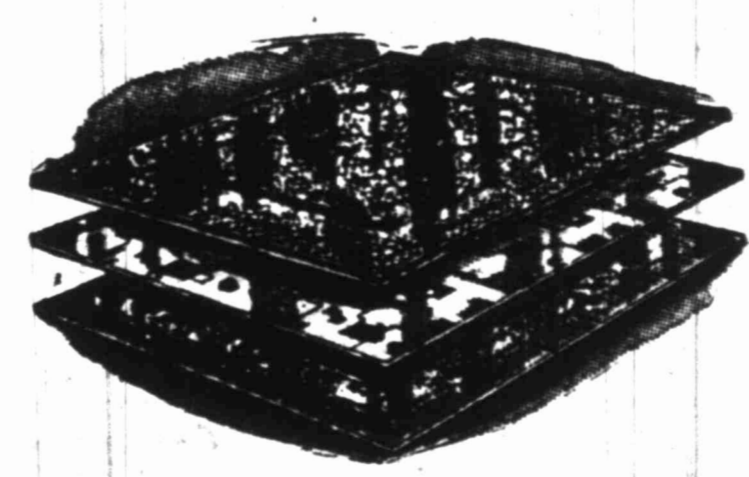
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Life stories of 343 persons who figured in the news of 1948 appear in Current Biography 1948, just added to the reference collection of the Midland County Library, according to Mrs. Lucile Carroll, librarian.

Since much of the limelight of 1948 focused on the election, many new U. S. senators, representatives are included. Political leaders and heads of states abroad, among them Robert Schuman and Chaim Weizmann, and world figures such as Albert Schweitzer and Ralph J. Bunche, appear in this yearbook.

Also featured are other persons important in the fields of science, art, literature, labor and industry, the social sciences, education and the rest of the 32 classifications.

Also in the volume is a cumulation of articles and obituary notices that appeared in the monthly issues during the year, revised and brought up to date as of December 1948. Each sketch includes a photograph and reference to additional material.

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Then, in broad daylight, they began walking a stipulated three blocks. McCordie courteously offering a \$1 bill to the first pedestrian they met.

The first pedestrian glared and wouldn't accept. They stopped some more. Several already had a buck. Several figured McCordie had a gimmick. He tried ten times and found no takers.

The eleventh, however, took McCordie. He was a cop who formed a notion that McCordie was trying to move the dollar into the other direction, for reasons of his own.

So, McCordie, who lives at Norristown, Pa., was hailed into magistrate's court. The charge: Parading.

McCordie told his strange story. The magistrate dismissed the charge. The buck wound up in the police poor box.

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