



Tornadoes Kill 29 In Four States

Allies Map Western Strategy On Germany

PARIS—(P)—Warmed by an easing of the cold war, the foreign ministers of Britain, the United States and France met Saturday to organize a Western front for the Big Four conference on a German settlement.

More than four years after the Nazi regime disintegrated before the armed might of Russia and her Western Allies, the victors still are at odds over the political and economic settlement to be handed the German people. Instead, East and West in their own ways have been trying to win support in the nation they jointly defeated.

Their foreign ministers will meet Monday at 5 p. m. in a conference in their sixth post-war conference. It will be their fourth conference on Germany.

Temporary Agreement

Western diplomats expect, however, that at least only a temporary or working agreement can be hammered out at this meeting.

U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson arrived in Paris Saturday morning on President Truman's personal plane, the Independence. He was accompanied by John Foster Dulles, his Republican adviser, and Robert Murphy, the State Department's chief of German affairs.

He met with Dr. Philip C. Jessup, U. S. ambassador at large, and W. Averell Harriman, roving ambassador for the European Recovery Plan.

British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin arrived Friday.

Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky arrived by plane late Saturday, and was escorted three miles with Foreign Minister Robert Schuman of France. Asked for comment on the conference he would only exclaim "Later later."

Acheson keeps silent.

Acheson also declined to make any statement.

A short time after his arrival Acheson met with Bevin and French Foreign Minister Schuman in the latter's office for nearly three hours.

With him was Jessup, Charles E. Bohlen, State Department counselor and Dulles.

The three ministers had before them a report on proposed strategy that had been laid up in week-long meetings by their advisers. The ministers expected to meet again Sunday.

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Midland C. Of C. Gets Its Goat

The Midland Chamber of Commerce got its goat and everyone is happy—with the possible exception of the goat whose future address (correct mailing, that is) will be Bellville, Texas, at least until barbecue time.

And Chamber Manager Delbert Downing says the life of a chamber of commerce executive isn't so bad after all, that is, if he has the aid of a newspaper and an expert pilot.

"There's nothing to it," Downing said.

The Reporter-Telegram Friday afternoon ran a story stating the Chamber of Commerce was in desperate need of a goat, which a group of Midlanders had offered as a prize at a recent convention in Galveston. Gus Schneider of Bellville, won the goat and demanded it be shipped to him at once. The Chamber was called upon to locate an animal of barbecue age and size.

Less than four hours after The Reporter-Telegram hit the streets, Little George McIntire, Midland flyer, rancher, and ex-test pilot, telephoned Downing to say he would deliver a goat from the McIntire Ranch to the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday morning.

"Is it of barbecue age and size?"

"Just like a frying chicken," Little George stated.

A Proclamation

WHEREAS, numerous citizens of Midland County gave their lives in defense of the United States of America in World Wars I and II; and

WHEREAS, Memory of their service and sacrifice is a source of great inspiration to all citizens as our nation faces new difficulties and dangers; and

WHEREAS, This memory is kept bright by the annual wearing of Memorial Poppies in their honor and in honor of all other Americans who died in World War service; now

THEREFORE, I, William B. Neely, Mayor of the City of Midland, Texas, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 28, 1949, to be Poppy Day in the City of Midland, and urge that all citizens observe the day by wearing the Memorial Poppy of the American Legion and American Legion Auxiliary.

(Signed) William B. Neely Mayor

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Striking German Railmen Battle Communist Police

BERLIN—(P)—German police from Russian-occupied Eastern Berlin opened fire Saturday night and early Sunday on striking railway workers at two elevated train stations in the American sector, West Berlin police reported.

Western sector police said several persons were wounded by the gunfire.

A train coming from the adjoining Soviet sector with a large number of Russian zone police and Russian-controlled railway police aboard entered the Neukoeln Station in the American sector about 2:30 a. m. (German Time). Western police said.

The Russian zone police opened fire immediately on strikers in the station, the Western police reported.

The number of casualties could not be determined at once because the strikers occupied the entire station and announced anybody approaching within more than 30 yards would be fired on without warning.

Within minutes after the gunfire, the strikers rallied and attacked Eastern police with heavy clubs, stones and fists. They forced Communist police to reboard their train and withdraw to the Russian sector.

This was done without further shooting. Western police occupied the station for a while. Finding the situation quiet, they turned the building over to the strikers.

Both strikers and police began checking on casualties. Meanwhile, the police reported practically all

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Explosions, Fires Roar In Shanghai

SHANGHAI—(P)—One of Shanghai's biggest arsenals only three miles from the downtown district blew up with a roar Sunday and burned fiercely as other fires sprang up in and around the besieged metropolis.

The explosion was at the huge Kiangnan Arsenal and Dockyard on the Whangpo River about three miles from Shanghai's center.

The blast shook the heart of Shanghai and echoed across the countryside.

The cause of the explosion was not explained. However, fighting has been reported in the vicinity of the arsenal.

The situation was extremely confused. Authorities offered only vague answers to the causes of at least 20 fires that raged in and around Shanghai.

Every type of gunfire boomed and chattered throughout the night. Fires leaped and glowed in many directions. Some were oil tanks. Some were warehouses. Some were dockyards in the Pootung District, across the Whangpo east of Shanghai.

The more distant glows appeared to be suburban villages.

The Reds seemed to be pressing their attack at many points on Shanghai's defense perimeter.

The Chinese Nationalist garrison communico described only minor actions, including a drive by 300 Communists on the lower Pootung dock area directly across the Whangpo River from Shanghai.

This push resulted in destruction of an oil tank at the Standard Vacuum Depot, but the garrison said the Reds were driven back.

It said other Red attacks were repulsed all the way down the river to Kaochiao, nine miles north of Shanghai, near where the Whangpo empties into the Yangtze Estuary.

Bond Purchases In Opportunity Drive Hit \$32,000 Mark

U. S. Savings Bond purchases in Midland during the first week of the Treasury Department's "Opportunity Drive" totaled \$32,662.50, Chairman John P. Butler announced Saturday.

The Midland County quota is \$220,000 in series E Bonds. The national quota is \$1,040,000,000, and Texas, \$36,950,000.

Leaders Optimistic

Jack Wicker is assistant chairman of the Midland County campaign. Both he and Butler predict the Midland quota will be exceeded long before the June 30 deadline. Midland last year led other West Texas counties in bond purchases and leaders are confident this county will repeat in 1949.

A Junior Chamber of Commerce committee, led by Kenneth Swanson, is assisting in the "Opportunity Drive."

Leaders urge the full cooperation of citizens in putting the campaign "over-the-top" promptly.

"Put more opportunity in your future" is the drive slogan.

Garbage Ordinance Text Is Published

To familiarize householders with provisions of the city's garbage collection ordinance which will be put into effect next month, the complete text of the ordinance is printed elsewhere in this issue as a paid advertisement by the City of Midland.

City officials said strict enforcement of the ordinance as a health and sanitation measure will be started June 15.

President Bids Acheson Goodbye



President Truman, right, drove out to the airport at Washington, D. C., to bid farewell to Secretary of State and Mrs. Dean Acheson as they departed for the meeting of the foreign ministers opening Monday in Paris.

Robert E. Beggs, 23, Dies In Auto Crash; Two Others Injured

Robert Edgar Beggs, 23, of 914 North Port Worth Street, was killed at 11:45 p. m. Friday in a two-car collision on U. S. Highway 80 four miles west of Odessa.

Seriously injured in the accident were Beggs' wife, 18, and William Donaghe, 66, of Odessa.

Mrs. Beggs was treated for several cuts and bruises at an Odessa hospital and late Saturday was returned to her home in Midland, where she is under a doctor's care.

Donaghe received a broken left leg and severe cuts and bruises. He is in an Odessa hospital.

Beggs was born Sept. 27, 1925, at Ben Wheeler, Texas, and had resided in Midland about eight years. He was an employee of an El Paso retail credit concern.

Cars Demolished

The Beggs were returning to Midland from Monahan when his auto collided with Donaghe's vehicle, traveling west. Donaghe was enroute to Penwell where he holds a night watchman's job. The front end of Beggs' auto was almost sheared off. Both autos were demolished.

Highway patrolmen who investigated the accident said Beggs auto traveled 188 feet after the collision but did not overturn.

His body is at Rix Funeral Home at Odessa and will be forwarded to Ben Wheeler Sunday for services and interment Monday afternoon.

Beggs served overseas as a member of the Marine Corps during World War II.

Survivors, besides the widow, are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Beggs, of Midland; a brother James A. Beggs of Midland, a Reporter-Telegram employe, and a sister, Mrs. E. B. Cumble of Lamesa.

Grand Jury Will Convene Monday

A 70th District court grand jury will convene here Monday to return indictments for the criminal code term, District Judge Paul Moss said Saturday.

Grand jurors summoned for duty Monday are:

C. P. Yaden, W. A. Yeager, Robert L. Wood, Niles B. Winter, E. J. Wicker, Jack B. Wilkinson, R. E. Williams, Allen Wemple, J. E. Warren, Allen J. Watts, Charles D. Vertrees, W. R. Upham, Fred Turner, Jr., J. Louis Thomas, L. W. Taylor, Roy Stockard, W. L. Simmons, D. C. Sivals, John P. Butler and M. D. Self.

Martelle McDonald, Odessa, 70th Judicial District Attorney, will meet with the grand jury.

The May term of district court has been set for May 30.

* LATE NEWS FLASHES *

NEW YORK—(AP)—An immigration official said Saturday night two stowaways were removed from the ship Federal Pioneer as it left New York Harbor. It was not known immediately if they were U. S. citizens, or aliens.

LONDON—(AP)—The British Council for German Democracy pushed a campaign Saturday night to free German-born Communist Gerhart Eisler, and the British Communist Party also called a protest meeting for Sunday behind Brixton Prison, where the 52-year-old Eisler is held.

TOKYO—(AP)—A slight but persistent earthquake shook Tokyo for five minutes early Sunday. No damage was reported immediately.

TEXARKANA—(AP)—A heavy rain and hail, with hailstones measuring up to an inch and one-half in diameter, fell in this section Saturday night, accompanied by winds reaching 44 miles per hour in gusts.

More Than 250 Others Are Injured

Tornadoes tossed death and destruction at the Midwest Saturday night, killing at least 29 persons and injuring more than 250.

The death count was expected to rise when communications in the shattered areas are restored.

The twisters struck at Illinois, Indiana, Missouri and Iowa. They damaged homes and airplanes, uprooted trees, toppled gravestones, cut power lines, smashed windows and crippled water supplies.

The dead included at least 14 in the Cape Girardeau, Mo., area, at least four at Shelbyville, Ind., although state police reported 10 to 15 dead; two at Terre Haute, Ind.; four near Palestine, Ill.; four in the Wood River, Ill., area and one at Garrettsville, Mo.

From 150 to 220 persons were injured at Cape Girardeau, from 80 to 100 persons at Shelbyville, 40 or more near Wood River, three near Palestine, and two in Witt Springs, Kan., where a tornado-type storm left a two-mile-long path of destruction.

The Indiana twister whipped across the Eastern sector of Terre Haute and then struck at Shelbyville, to the South.

It leveled 200 homes in the West end of Shelbyville. State police, who reported that 12 to 15 persons had been killed, said they had no details.

Early in the evening, 53 persons from Shelbyville were brought in to nearby Sullivan hospitals. A nurse said casualties were "filling the halls and basements."

The twisters struck Illinois from both sides. One hit near Palestine, just across the Illinois-Indiana line, and another skipped across the Mississippi River from the West and struck in the vicinity of Alton, Wood River and Hartford.

Water Supply Knocked Out

The Red Cross estimated damage in the rural area north of Palestine at \$75,000 to \$100,000. The tornado knocked out a water company's power plant serving the towns of Robinson, Orling and Palestine.

With only a 12-hour supply of water remaining, residents were urged by men in loud-speaker trucks to use water sparingly.

The Missouri tornado whined and roared through scattered sections.

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States' Righters Plan Headquarters Offices In Austin

PAMPA—(P)—Plans of the Texas States' Rights Party to establish a permanent headquarters at Austin within 30 days were announced Saturday.

Curtis Douglass, chairman of the party's Executive Committee, said President of the party in Austin yet had been selected.

He said the party will begin publication of a monthly newspaper about the time it sets up headquarters.

He named W. H. Posey of Houston as activities director and R. J. Akroyd as assistant. Douglass said Akroyd formerly was with a special department of the Houston Post.

Wife Of Young FDR Granted Reno Divorce

MINDEN, NEV.—(P)—In a five-minute private hearing Saturday Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt, Jr., received a divorce.

She accused the son of the late President of extreme mental cruelty, an accusation he formally denied.

The former Ethel du Pont, of the great chemical empire, wore a brown suit as she appeared in the little courtroom of District Judge Harry Watson.

JESTER SIGNS LOYALTY BILL INTO STATE LAW

AUSTIN—(P)—Gov. Beauford H. Jester Saturday signed a bill, immediately effective, requiring candidates for political office to sign loyalty affidavits before their names can be placed on the ballot in any Texas election.

Rodeo Edition Next Sunday

The annual Midland Rodeo Edition of The Reporter-Telegram will be published next Sunday, featuring news and advertising concerning the 15th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 1-3.

News and ad copy for the special edition must be received early in the week.

Advance space reservations indicate the edition will be "bigger and better" than in 1948.

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Mayor Gets Memorial Poppy



Mayor William B. Neely receives the first 1949 American Legion and Auxiliary Memorial Poppy issued in Midland, pinned on by little Miss Susan Petzel, daughter of Mrs. Etta Petzel, Susan's father, Lt. Ronald S. Petzel, Jr., was killed in action Oct. 5, 1946, at Goose Bay, Labrador. The mayor proclaimed Saturday as Poppy Day in Midland and urged citizens to wear Memorial Poppies in honor of World Wars I and II dead.

Truman Roasted At Annual Dinner Of Gridiron Club

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman and 500 other dinner guests Saturday night heard the Gridiron Club satirize "the Truman Warfare State," the North Atlantic Pact, and the Republican-Southern Democrat coalition.

The club, composed of Washington newspaper correspondents, also poked fun in song and skit at the Administration's new farm plan, the proposed national health program, and the strife between so-called GOP Progressives and the Party's Old Guard.

After his regime had been roasted during the club's Spring dinner at the Statler Hotel, Truman made the traditional speech at the Gridiron dinner-show. The Republican counter-speech was made by Senator Millikin of Colorado.

By club rule, "Reporters are never present" at the dinner, so both talks were off the record.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Novarro Had To Age To Act; At 50, He's Back On Screen

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
HOLLYWOOD — Discourt those stories you've heard about Ramon Novarro's one-time high temperature love-making.



Novarro played a bedroom scene in a darkened room with only their burning cigarettes discernible. The studio decided the scene was censorable and re-shot it with them sitting on a couch in a well-lighted room.

Watchmaker Guild Officers



Officers of the new Permian Basin Watchmakers Guild were elected at its organization meeting held recently in Midland. They are, left to right, standing, T. L. Basham, Big Spring, secretary; J. B. (Pete) Peterson, Midland, treasurer; and Raymond Jenkins, Midland, reporter.

Fort Worth Flood Creates Carpet 'Run' For Dallas Cleaners

DALLAS — Police literally were trying Saturday night to call someone on the carpet. It started about 10 a. m. when the Paramount Rug & Carpet Cleaning Company got about \$50,000 worth of fine carpets and rugs from Fort Worth firm hit by the flood.

Dr. Rutledge Denies Hatred Of Man Who 'Seduced' His Wife

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA — A firm denial that he "hated" the man he is accused of killing was made Saturday by Dr. Robert C. Rutledge, Jr., 28, of St. Louis. Dr. Rutledge underwent relentless cross-examination by the state during his second day in the witness box.

FIRST LEON RIVER DAM BIDS TO BE OPENED
GALVESTON — Bids will be opened June 8 on the first contract for construction of the Belton Dam on the Leon River about eight miles west of Temple, Col. B. L. Robinson announced Saturday.

Canadians Like Texas Hospitality
OTTAWA — A gun-totin' quartet of Canadian marksmen returned from the streets of Laredo Saturday to report they're right handy with their shootin' arms down Texas way, but mighty neighborly.

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Added: BUGS BUNNY Color Cartoon

Today, at 50 with a gray-tipped goatee, Ramon Novarro is a wealthy actor. He invested wisely in real estate and when he plays a movie role now it is to break the monotony of collecting rent. You'll see him next with Bob Mitchum and Jane Greer in RKO's "The Big Steel."

Two Men Arrested At Crane Following Fight; Woman Hurt
CRANE—An Odessa woman was in a hospital here with a fractured skull Saturday night, following several scenes from under Mr. B's nose, despite all his know-how and experience.

Legislators, Tired of Working For \$5 Daily Pay, Still Have Long Road Ahead

AUSTIN — Legislators tired of working at \$5 a day are looking for a road leading to final adjournment of the 51st session. There was some talk it had been found, but there was more talk that final solution of the finance-taxation issue may take another three or four weeks.

Senate Spy Hunters Issue Subpoenas For Government Records

WASHINGTON — A Senate spy investigating group announced subpoenas for government records Saturday under a threat to disclose confidential and "alarming" information in its own files if the records are not produced.

Queen For Day Cast Lands At Terminal

A large crowd of Terminal, Midland and Odessa residents were at the Midland Air Terminal Saturday morning when the cast of the "Queen for a Day" radio program arrived by plane to make appearances in Odessa Saturday night and Sunday afternoon.

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El Paso Methodist Meet Ends Sunday
EL PASO — Three men were taken into full communion in the New Mexico Methodist Conference Saturday. Bishop W. Angie Smith of Oklahoma City conducted the service for J. Clifton Sprouls of Jayton, Texas, Leland Harrison of Oklahoma City, and Henry Graves of Ruidoso, N.M. All were ordained Friday night.

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Allies Map—Parade—

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day and perhaps Monday morning. Their conference was highly secret.

Their main task, it was reported, was to eliminate a few minor differences which their advisors had not been able to settle.

Diplomatic sources said Britain has suggested the four-power conference be in strict secrecy. Neither the French nor the American liked the idea.

The British view is that secrecy prevents the conference being used as a Soviet propaganda forum and is more conducive to old-fashioned diplomatic bargaining.

The Americans and French, on the other hand, argue the Western case for Germany's future will sound as attractive to the German people as anything Russia may offer.

Official sources predicted Western strategy will be fluid until it is learned what Vishinsky has brought in his brief case.

They are expected to urge the extension of the Bonn Constitution for Western Germany to all Germany. But if Vishinsky rejects this, as is expected, they may offer a working arrangement of which a German liaison committee operating in Berlin would maintain a semblance of East-West German unity.

PATIENT DISCHARGED
Law Alma Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Taft Wilson, has been discharged from Western Clinic hospital, where she underwent surgery.

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providing ample music for both paraders and spectators.
Rodeo officials and judges and local and visiting celebrities will follow the first band.

Rodeo contestants, trick riders and personnel of the Gene Autry Everett Colborn Rodeo organization will follow. Cowgirls, with their ornate Western costumes, hand-some riding gear and well-bred steeds will ride in a group and will not be restricted as in the past to official sponsors.

Midland's new Sheriff's posse, a mounted organization of some three dozen business, oil and professional men, uniformed in maroon Western hats, gold shirts and gabardine pants will ride in a body.

Ranch Cowboys
Next will come the group, which since 1898 has been the backbone of any Midland rodeo parade, the ranch cowboys. Some of these, from spreads such as Scharbauer's, Roy Parks and Poy Proctor's, will keep their crews intact, chuck wagons and all, while punchers from other outfits will intermingling and swap yarns as they proceed over the parade route two abreast.

Youngsters under 15 years will be grouped separately, for safety reasons, with the youngest riders and the smallest horses at the rear. Adults who have small children riding with them are asked to join this group in the parade.

Flynt has asked that everyone with a group to follow the horses, in which vehicles of all kinds may be represented. Flots from business houses and civic organizations, new cars, trucks, farm equipment and such features will be included.

Organizations desiring to have their representatives riding in motor vehicles are invited to join.

Announcements of parade prizes will be made at the opening rodeo show Wednesday night, and winners may call at the center gate in front of grandstand for their gift certificates, presenting them to the business houses the following day.

New Hearing Tests May Save Children

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WASHINGTON—(P)—Newly-developed hearing tests may save untold numbers of unresponsive children from being committed to homes for feeble-minded, a Baltimore specialist says.

Dr. William G. Hardy of Johns Hopkins Hospital told a session of the Middle Atlantic Zone Conference of the American Hearing Society the new tests already have spared 100 children from such a fate.

All of the 100, he said, previously had been diagnosed as feeble-minded.

The new hearing test is based on involuntary responses of the subjects tested. Its chief advantage is that it can be used to test children too young to cooperate in present hearing tests.

He said early diagnosis, between the ages of three to six, is important.

Junior High Graduation Scheduled Friday Night

Graduation exercises for the eighth grade of John M. Cowden Junior High School will be held at 8:15 p. m. Friday in the high school auditorium.

Except for the presentation of awards and diplomas, the program will be presented by students. The processional will be played by Tommy Miller, Dick Spencer will give the invocation. The Girls Chorus will sing two numbers.

Salutatory and valedictory addresses will be given by Clayton Tatom and Sandra Kay Stalcup respectively. Keys Curry will give the benediction. Mary Jane Miller will play the recessional.

Joe Shell will present American Legion awards. R. W. Hamilton will present the Daughters of American Revolution award. Frank Monroe will present diplomas to 224 members of the class.

Ushers Named
Seventh grade girls who will give out programs and ushers include: Sherry Page, Ellen DeChicchis, Charlotte Frasher, Glenda Wright, Ann Billingsley, Carolyn Davis, Nancy Creswell, Tredda Faye Stanley, Eddy Lou Tanner, Margaret Gibson, Mary Dickinson and Roberta Stewart.

Graduates include:
Bill Aldrich, Doris Alexander, Ronald Allison, Faye Anderson, Kitty Anderson, Rosemary Anderson, Winona Armstrong, Barbara Ash, Martha Jo Ball, Patricia Barbee, Charles Barnett, Charles Leon Barron, Louise Cecil Barron, Shirley Beauchamp, Benny Bedford, Winifred Bird, Patsy Blainse, Grace Bole, Helen Bolin, Betty Bolton, Frances Bond, A. W. Booth, Gene Boyd, Melvina Brashears, Roddy Braun, Buzzy Henry Bray, John Breneman, David Bri, Joseph Brodigan, Eva Faye Brown, Pat Bunt, Richard Burke, Treva Burton, Billie Burr, G. H. Cain, Katherine Carter, Bobby Cast, La Vonnie Clark, Betty Clenney, Kenneth Coleman, Roger Col, Drucy Conner, Truman Copelan, Tim Cornwall, George Cox, Russell Cox, Walter Cremin, Nell Curran, Keyes Curry, Betty Dennis, Melly Denzman, Gail Dixon, Anna Bess Doyle, Glenn Duke, Donald Dwyer, Lanetta Earley.

TRAFFIC DEATHS DECLINE
AUSTIN—(P)—Texas traffic deaths totaled 116 in April compared with 138 for the same month last year.

Germans—

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Western Berlin elevated stations either were occupied by strikers or completely deserted.
Earlier German police from the Russian sector had fired pistol shots as railway strikers tried to seize the Wannsee Elevated Station, also in the American sector. There was one casualty, a young man was scratched on the arm.

The gunfire broke out when scores of strikers tried to sneak across darkened railway tracks and break into the Wannsee Station.

The rail strike, by 12,000 West Berlin workers, paralyzed both freight movements and the elevated passenger trains in this divided city of 3,000,000. Most of the strikers are employees of the Soviet-controlled elevated system. But the walkout of a few hundred from the freight yards, also under Soviet control through an old four-power agreement, really staggered the city's economy.

The strikers demanded their wages be in west marks instead of the Soviet zone's east marks to pay for their food and rent. East marks are worth only a quarter of west marks and are not legal currency in West Berlin. The railway officials, however, insist they have to use all available west marks for such things as machinery.

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Tornadoes—

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tornadoes in the eastern part of the state before hopping the Mississippi toward Illinois.
The residential section of Cape Girardeau was smacked, and communication lines were out of commission. Many persons were reported injured, but details were lacking.

In Northwest St. Louis County, a twister struck the Bridgeton area. There were no immediate reports of casualties, but property damage was expected to be heavy. The twister lashed at Cyrene, Eolia, Peery, and Bowling Green, all north of St. Louis, and damaged trees, roofs, and window glass at Hannibal, Mo. At least one home was reported destroyed in both Cyrene and Eolia.

Oklahoma Hit Earlier
Keosauqua, in Southeastern Iowa, was shaken by a tornado which left a narrow path of damaged homes, outbuildings, and uprooted trees. Heavier north and west of the towns were damaged. No one was reported injured. Torrential rains accompanied the twister.

The new tornadoes followed by a day a series of twisters and windstorms which took eight lives Friday night. Oklahoma was hardest hit, but tornadoes also churned scattered communities in Colorado, Kansas and Nebraska Friday night.

An isolated twister whistled through two small Tennessee towns. Heavy rains soaked the smitten localities and floods welled out of choked streams in a widening area.

Five of the deaths resulted from the wind. Three persons were drowned in flood waters.

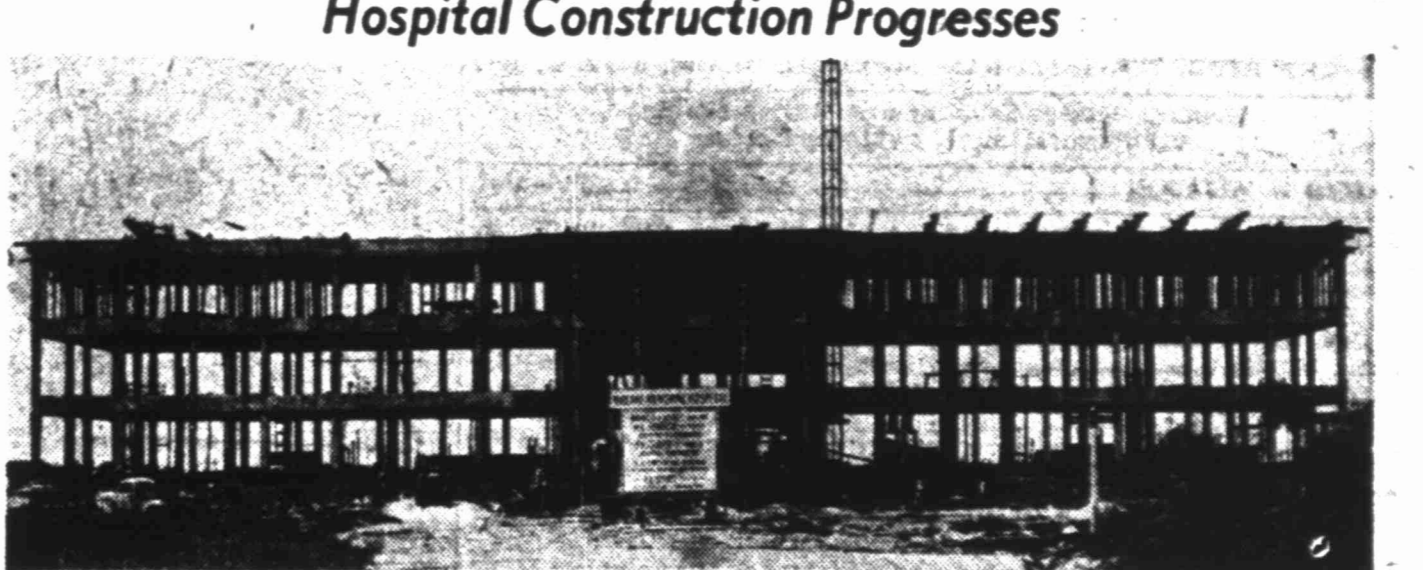
Texas City Disaster Trial To Be Reopened
HOUSTON—(P)—Participants in the \$200,000,000 Texas City disaster damage suit mass trial will get a breathing spell starting Wednesday.

Federal District Judge T. L. Kernerly will recess the trial Tuesday until May 31, when it will be resumed in Galveston.

The trial, to determine the federal government's liability for damages suffered from the disaster, began here April 25.

The "Mosquito Fleet" was a small naval squadron selected by Commodore David Porter, in 1823, to wipe out West Indian pirates.

Hospital Construction Progresses



Construction of the huge Midland Memorial Hospital at the intersection of Illinois Street and the Andrews Highway continues at a rapid pace as contractors and workmen make every effort to speed up the job as much as possible. E. E. Cloer of Fort Worth has the general contract. Construction is on schedule and completion is scheduled early in 1950. Federal and state approval on equipment for the hospital plant has been received and most of the equipment now is on order. Midland Memorial Hospital will cost \$1,340,000.

British To Decorate 21 American Soldiers Waters—

(Continued from page 1)
WASHINGTON—(P)—Twenty-one Americans will be decorated for war services by Sir Oliver Franks, British ambassador, at an embassy ceremony May 24.

They include: Honorary companion of the Distinguished Service Order: Col Ovid T. Forman, U. S. A. Army Field Forces Board No. 4, Fort Bliss, Texas.

(Continued from page 1)
headed by Dr. T. C. Gardner, Dallas—studying the Northern-Southern Baptist situation the last year. Gardner explained that the wartime shift of population had scattered Southern Baptists to all sections of the United States. They have organized churches in the East, the West and in the North, he said, requesting recognition by the Southern Baptist Convention.

Only Friday, the Southern Baptists welcomed 24 churches from Oregon and Washington into the fold. Kansas Baptists joined up last year. Californians in 1942.

The 1950 convention will be held in Chicago, where Northern Baptist churches predominate. In 1951, the Southern Baptists meet in San Francisco—site of the 1948 Northern Baptist Convention.

Dr. Robert G. Lee, Memphis, Tenn., softened talk of an "invasion" of Northern Baptist territory.

Berserk Gunman Is Captured By Friend

McHENRY, N. D.—(P)—A former state hospital inmate who stood off the law with a shotgun and rifle for 30 hours was captured late Saturday by an unarmed friend who leaped through a second story window from an adjoining shed roof.

Merle Hoggarth, about 45, who had fired on a party of officers who tried to take him in early Friday for a sanity hearing, was placed immediately in a straight jacket.

The delayed hearing was held late Saturday afternoon and Hoggarth was immediately recommitted to the state hospital, said M. P. Roberts, Foster County Judge.

Three Persons Die In Crash Near Sunset

WICHITA FALLS—(P)—Three persons were killed Saturday night in an automobile collision near Sunset, Texas.

A funeral home at Bowie identified the dead as Glenn Weldon Selman and Arlie B. Selman of Amarillo and Roy Matheson, 47, of White Deer.

Matheson was the occupant of one of the vehicles.

CHARTER GRANTED

AUSTIN—(P)—Domestic charters granted Saturday include Mineral Investment Corporation, Midland, issuing an additional 369 shares of no-par-value stock (capital stock now 2,000 shares no par value stock) with paid in 871 shares no-par-value stock of \$67,100.

British coal production in 1948 totaled 208 million tons—11 million tons more than 1947 production, but still below the prewar level.

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She stretcheth out her hand to the poor; yea, she reacheth forth her hands to the needy.—Proverbs 31:20.

North Atlantic Treaty

The North Atlantic Treaty got talked about in some plain words the other day when James P. Warburg paid a visit to the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

The dictionary says that deter means "to turn aside or discourage through fear; hence, to prevent from action by fear of consequences."

Right Start, At Least

The new German constitution adopted at Bonn is only a blueprint, though an excellent one, and thus no cause for any extravagant hopes.

Word puzzle section titled 'Bird of Prey' with a grid and a list of words to be found.

Government Game Preserve



Advertisement for 'DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND' by William E. McKenney.

(Copyright, 1949, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.) Drew Pearson says: National Security Resources Board suffered during Wallgren fight; board has held no meetings since battle began; key men have left without replacements.

WASHINGTON—It was Mrs. Mon Wallgren, wife of the likable, buffeted ex-governor of Washington, who finally caused President Truman to withdraw her husband's name as chairman of the National Security Resources Board.

Political trick in the book to get Wallgren confirmed. He wheedled, threatened, even offered job bribes to senators who voted against Wallgren.

Without the frock-coated justices knowing it, and as deftly as John Marshall once inserted his Marbury vs. Madison wedge into the Constitution thereby giving the court the right to rule on acts of Congress.

Underlings have been moved up into the vacancies left by Johnson and Felton. But Gilmore and Grether haven't been replaced.

The board also is looking for replacements for more than 30 lesser lights who became discouraged and quit.

+ Crane News +

CRANE—Mrs. W. R. Woodbury has returned from Crowley, La., where she was called by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Ayers have returned from a vacation spent with relatives in Arkansas.

Mrs. A. H. Reynolds has been called to Shreveport where her father is ill.

Mrs. Vera Birdsong worthy matron presided at a special meeting of the Crane Chapter, O.E.S., when three candidates were initiated into the order.

The Rev. J. N. Whetstone and Mrs. Whetstone attended the annual conference of the Methodist Church held in Rowell, N.C.

Don Pope, 1947 graduate of Crane High School, and now a student at NTSC, won first place in the tennis doubles of the Southwestern Conference held in Arlington, Tex.

Mrs. J. R. Cahill, J. C. Loving and Joe Henderson of McCamey were hospitalized at Crane Memorial Hospital for medical treatment.

Richard Cummins of McCamey underwent a tonsillectomy recently at Crane Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Ruby Hughes was admitted to Crane Memorial Hospital for medical treatment.

Midland Trio Slings: A women's trio from Midland entertained the Baptist Brotherhood at its meeting recently.

George Walters of Midland brought Scripture messages between each number. O. O. Ervin and E. J. Wasson presided at the meeting.

Frank W. Corbell, formerly of Brownfield, has taken over the jewelry and watch repair work in a drugstore here.

James Ward, Myron Holcomb and J. P. Miller, accompanied by Coaches Brady Thomas and Bill Haralson, were guests at the regular meeting and luncheon of the Lions Club recently.

Brady Nix, high school principal, made the introductions. The clean up campaign was placed in the hands of a committee composed of Tom C. Hogan, Sr., Judge Joseph E. Beyer, H. O. Waters and O. B. Wagner.

Lions Jack Porter, Ken G. Spencer and R. E. Westberry were named as the directors meeting to meet with the county commissioners to discuss the securing of a public library for Crane.

So they say: The full value of the (North Atlantic) Pact can not be realized without implementation by arms—not necessarily in anticipation of their use, but the knowledge that if a burglar comes, an armed policeman will be there.

It is our job and our challenge to show that democracy isn't just a word and that it really means what it says. We must show that we care about the kind of liberty that allows people to grow in freedom.

I have an absolute confidence in continued prosperity if we work in an energetic way as we always have. We have purchasing power to continue in a prosperous period for some time to come.

TO FORT WORTH: O. H. Jones and Paul Jones left Saturday for Fort Worth after receiving a message that their father, C. Jones, had suffered a heart attack there.

ISLAND OF ESCAPE: THE STORY: Strange undercurrents threaten the serenity of Spear Island. Already one of the women candidates for the job of housewife has been elected.

It meant even the partial alibis which had been offered so readily were worthless. Lilly Warren with her duties in the kitchen had the best opportunity to discover the automatic.

AND why had Fred Gilwell lied? He, and George Bascombe too for that matter, had examined the automatic when they helped take Lilly's body from the car.

IT'S the same thing as getting back on a horse after he's thrown you," Bea insisted. "If I didn't ride that thing again I'd be scared of it the rest of my life."

"I can't see that it matters," Henry Harding said. "Get in, since you insist. Miss Firch can wait up here with me. There's no reason now to keep the whiskey down below."

"I wouldn't want to ride in that car," Agnes Firch said. "There's still blood on it." Bea climbed in the gondola Harding had partially filled with broken rock and watched the simple operation which set the car in motion.

It could be done all right, Bea decided. Perhaps there was a pool of blood back in some room of the underground storehouse. Certainly there was not enough blood in the car itself.

★ WASHINGTON COLUMN ★

Remember The WOC's When Tempted To Blast Bureaucracy

By PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Next time you're in a mood to cuss out the bureaucrats—the underworked and overpaid employees of the federal government who are supported by the taxpayers—save one or two kind words for the "WOC."

There are about 65,000 of them "on the payrolls." They are technically carried as employees working "With Out Compensation." The initials furnish the name. They are the unsung heroes who contribute as much of their time as they can to various government enterprises, expecting no other reward than the satisfaction of knowing that they're honest citizens doing something for the good of their country.

More than half of the WOC's are the volunteer members of the 400 draft boards operating throughout the country. They haven't been as busy as they were in wartime, because the armed services have been getting all the recruits needed by enlistment.

But the average draft board of three to five members has the important job of local administration of Selective Service regulations. When the armed services call for draft quotas, draft board members meet regularly, go over registrations and decide who in their community is 1-A, and who is 4-F.

Helping out the 13,000 draft board members are some 10,000 volunteer "advisers." Their job is to help the registrants fill out the various Selective Service forms and keep records for the board.

Hardest working members of the draft board staffs, however, are the 7,000 or more doctors who give the preliminary physical examination to every draft registrant. There are an average of two medical officers for every draft board.

Since all these people have to go on living in their own communities, and must make decisions affecting the lives of the young men who come before them, their responsibility is not a small one. That these people work without pay is all the more to their credit.

Veterans' Administration places heavy reliance on its WOC workers. At the head of the procession are some 11,000 "Civil Drivers." They go to school for training, then sign up for regular tours of duty in veterans' hospitals for extra service.

Information on the state of the nation's health, stream pollution and data for use in mortality statistics is furnished by some 4,200 WOC's working for the Federal Security Agency's Public Health Service.

There are about 1,800 state game wardens carried on the WOC rolls of the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service. These men are paid by the states, but they are designated federal employees so that they can help enforce federal game laws—by which they get no extra pay. Many college professors, biologists and scientists also aid the Fish and Wildlife Service as volunteer collaborators.

On the same basis, there are perhaps 100 state health department officers who aid the U. S. Bureau of Indian Affairs on health programs at the various Indian reservations. Success To Bonds Drives: Treasury's Big Savings Bond campaigns each Spring and Fall would be impossible without thousands of WOC's and other volunteer workers.

Last year they sold more than \$7,000,000,000 worth of bonds by house-to-house and office-to-office solicitations. Vernon L. Clark of Iowa, national director of the Savings Bond campaign, is himself working without compensation.

Department of Agriculture has more than 10,000 WOC assistants scattered all over the country. Some 2,100 are agricultural scientists and laboratory workers on state payrolls. But they perform numerous reporting and advisory services for federal experiment stations where soil and plant studies are carried on.

Volunteer weather observers number almost 8,000. They are farmers, school teachers, students, housewives—everything. The government furnishes them with the necessary instruments. They make reports on which weather forecasts and statistics are based.

U. S. Forest Service employees, paid by the Department of Agriculture, also work as WOC's for the Department of Commerce in reporting sawmill and lumber data for Census Bureau reports. Census Bureau also gets WOC help for many of its monthly business reports.

For that matter, anyone willing out a government report helps compile government statistics, even though not listed as a WOC.

Questions and Answers: Q—What is the Rush-Bagot Treaty? A—This treaty, signed in 1817, is one of the most important in American history. It limited naval armaments of the United States and Canada on the Great Lakes.

Q—Is there actually such a snake as "spitting cobra"? A—The Ringhals, a spitting cobra, is the shortest of the cobras, averaging about four feet in length. When disturbed it will eject venom accompanied by expulsion of air, so that the venom is sprayed several feet in a fine shower. The black-necked cobra, larger than the Ringhals, also sprays venom said to be effective up to 12 feet.

Q—Has Canada a definite time for holding elections? A—There is no statutory date for holding elections in Canada as there is in the United States. The only legal requirement is that a general election must be called every five years and the practice has been to call it during the fifth year of a government's tenure.

Q—What is a man called who studies crop production? A—A man who specializes in the theory and practice of field-crop production and soil management is called an agronomist.

TODAY AND TOMORROW: By John P. Butler Chairman, Midland County Savings Bonds Committee

MAY 22, 1949: 16 years ago today, 1933, National Maritime Day, commemorating sailing of Savannah on first successful transoceanic steam voyage, proclaimed.

MAY 22, 1959: 10 years from today you may want dependable, dignified retirement. Regular investment in U. S. Savings Bonds NOW can help you reach that goal.

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Ker-chool And with sneeze No. 134,000 out of the way, Michael Hippley, 14, of London, has nothing to worry about for three seconds—until No. 134,001 comes along. He has sneezed that many times in eight days.

Agnes Firch shook her head. She was pale. Her whole body trembled. "I— I thought it wasn't going to stop! He didn't tell me anything but get it!" (To Be Continued)

Dirt, Squirt and Quirt

FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS

Midland County's 1949 cotton crop will shatter all previous records by a wide margin "if we get any sort of break in the weather," according to County Agent Hubert Martin who Friday completed a regular inspection tour of the county. The present record, established along about 1941, is slightly in excess of 10,000 bales.

Martin, when queried as to this year's cotton acreage, estimated there are 40,000 acres in cotton in Midland County this year. He hastened to add the estimate is a wild guess, but stated the cotton acreage far exceeds last year's 10,000 acres. It will be impossible to cite accurately the number of acres until the end of the planting season, which is between June 10 and 15, Martin said.

Cotton is up and looking good over most of the surrounding farm lands, the county agent discovered on his trip following the recent rains.

Midland County, according to his report, really may be a "cotton county" this fall.

But some of the cotton farmers are having their troubles. It seems that numerous fields have had to be replanted over several times because of rain falling at the wrong time. One farmer has had to replant three times.

We had always been told that rain could not come at an improper time in West Texas, but the farmers who have had to replant their fields doubtless can set us straight on that score.

And the critical thing about it all is that the increased acreage and the necessity of replanting have brought about an acute shortage in the supply of good cottonseed.

Although cotton by far is the leading crop this year, Martin said considerable acreage has been planted to grain sorghums in some parts of the county. He saw some grain sorghums up and at a good stand in East Midland County.

G. W. (Stud) Barnes of Fort Stockton, well-known district agent of the Extension Service, was in Midland the middle of the week to confer with County Agent Martin concerning livestock and agricultural programs. Barnes accompanied Martin on a swing through the county to look at 4-H Club calves which have been placed on feed recently.

Barnes continued on to Upton County Thursday afternoon for a visit with County Agent W. M. Day there.

Twelve Midland County club boys have 15 calves on feed at this time, Martin said. He added the boys are doing fine jobs to date.

Barnes manifested much interest in the proposed erection of a county exhibit building here and said he will be glad to assist in the planning of the multi-purpose structure.

County Agent Martin and two of his club boys will attend the annual 4-H Club Roundup and Conference at College Station June 12. The delegates will be selected at an early date.

Here we have written all of this, still not a word about the 15th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5. But needless to say, the 1949 attraction will be by far the biggest and best World Championship Rodeo ever staged in the Southwest.

Plans practically are complete for the event's staging and nothing is being left undone to assure the success of Midland's big annual celebration.

Interest is at a high pitch over the area, according to JayCee Goodwill trippers who last week completed their annual visits to area cities, and a new attendance record doubtless will be established.

This is a rodeo year and Midland has THE rodeo. The dates are June 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.

Three former Midlanders, Earl Binyon and sons, Earl and Joe, and Captain, N. M., have purchased a big ranch at Corona, N. M. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Binyon, Sr., are slated to move to the new ranch about July 1, while the boys will continue to operate the ranch they have leased at Corona. They run

both sheep and cattle. The Binyons also are former Garden City residents.

A 73 per cent lamb crop average is reported in Upton County this year. W. M. Day, Upton County agent, says stock is in excellent condition and that the 1949 lambs will be extra good.

Wool and mohair judging teams from Glasscock, Coke, Crockett and Menard Counties will represent Districts 6 and 7 in the state contest at College Station June 13. Teams from the four counties emerged victorious over 12 other teams in elimination contests at San Angelo last week.

Members of the Glasscock County team are N. B. Wilkerson, Leonard Hanson, Charles Joe Schaefer, Jack Berry and Charles Cunningham.

And an Odessa FFA livestock judging team finished first in a state judging contest at College Station recently. The team, directed by E. H. Gavin, scored 1,093 points out of a possible 1,200. Members are Jake Lingle, Fred Willis, Virgil Cunningham and Harold Baker.

Glasscock County also has a big cotton acreage this year. Of about 25,000 acres cultivated, approximately 16,000 to 18,000 are planted to cotton, according to County Agent Fitzhugh. Rains up to two and a half inches fell in parts of the county the first of last week, and range conditions throughout the county are said to be excellent.

According to a release from the American Jersey Cattle Club of Columbus, Ohio, J. B. McKee of Midland has purchased the registered Jersey female, Prudence Lura Lucky Girl, from the R. O. Brooks herd of Midland. Purebred Jerseys are registered by the American Jersey Cattle Club.

According to an Associated Press dispatch from Washington, D. C., Texas had a March farm income of \$103,253,000—fourth among all states. The figures were released by the Agriculture Department.

Buck Jackson of Pecos is said to have purchased 162 heads of steers from Louis Wrage of Midland recently. Other Jackson purchases include 100 mixed calves from Mrs. H. T. Collier and Son of Pecos; 156 mixed calves from Ted Harper of Marfa; 180 cows and bulls from Charlie Spencer; J. B. McKee of Midland has purchased the registered Jersey female, Prudence Lura Lucky Girl, from the R. O. Brooks herd of Midland. Purebred Jerseys are registered by the American Jersey Cattle Club.

Last week marked the beginning of the fifth season of operation of the Abilene cotton classing office, according to H. J. Matejowsky, who is in charge of the work of the Cotton Branch, Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

The Abilene office serves cotton farmers in 27 counties in this area, including Andrews, Baylor, Brown, Callahan, Comanche, Concho, Dickens, Fisher, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Kent, Knox, Glasscock, Martin, Midland, Mitchell, Nolan, Runnels, Scheicher, Scurry, Shackelford, Stone, Taylor, Throckmorton and Tom Green.

Last year 80 per cent of the cotton ginned in these counties was classed by the Abilene office, Matejowsky said. This amounted to 191,560 bales.

Farmers belonging to organized cotton improvement groups under the Smith-Doxey Act can get their cotton classed without cost. Also, they can get free market news service.

Applications for these Smith-Doxey Act benefits should be filed immediately after the group members have planted their cotton with the U. S. Department of Agriculture, PMA, Cotton Branch, P. O. Box 2001, Abilene, Texas.

"To make sure farmers obtain all the benefits due them under this program, their group application should reach our office by July 1," Matejowsky said. Applications will be accepted until August 15.

ASSESSORS, COLLECTORS TO MEET AT HOUSTON

HOUSTON (AP)—Tax assessors and collectors in Texas open here Monday for the State Comptroller Robert S. Calvert will be among the Monday speakers. Legislation affecting the tax officials will be discussed by George McQuillar, Kingsville, and Carl S. Smith, Houston.

Soil Conservation Service Studies Range Cover Values

How much grass must be left on the range to protect the soil from the pounding of heavy rains, or to insure that light showers will be absorbed where they fall and do their share in growing feed?

To answer this vital question for ranchmen who are attempting to protect and restore their ranges in soil conservation districts, the Soil Conservation Service has designed and built special equipment for measuring the protective values of different kinds of range cover. Louis P. Merrill, regional conservator, Fort Worth, stated:

A field party will take this equipment into various range areas of Texas and determine the effect of different kinds and amounts of grass and litter on soil erosion and on water intake of soils. The amount of protection required by different soils also will be determined.

This equipment utilizes a principle discovered by Soil Conservation Service research—that a major part of erosion damage results from the force of raindrops striking the soil, rather than a result of running water. No erosion can take place until soil particles have been detached from the soil surface by raindrops.

Water is sprinkled from the top of the tower, drips through a screen which controls the size of the drops, and falls on the plot of ground being studied. Apparatus on the tower, therefore, prevents the first step of erosion. It has been learned, too, that cover affects the rate with which water will enter the soil.

The new equipment consists of a water tower mounted on a truck, which can be taken into the pastures to make direct tests of range covers as they exist under grazing conditions.

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The exhibit building is a major project of the Midland Chamber of Commerce for this year. It would be used for many purposes, including fairs, stock shows, automobile shows, sports events, stage productions, conventions and meetings of various kinds. Construction would be financed through the issuance of county bonds or warrants.

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Cutting Horse Contest Is New Midland Rodeo Feature

The Cutting Horse Contest, a new feature at the 15th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 1-5, is attracting ardent interest and doubtless will be one of the most popular events at this year's show.

The contest will be staged under the rules of the National Cutting Horse Association. A \$40 entrance fee will be charged, and a \$400 purse is added. The Cutting Horse event will mark the first time this contest has been staged here since 1920. It was scheduled this year by popular request, and many of the top Cutting Horses of the nation will be entered. Four contestants will compete at each rodeo performance, with the finals scheduled for the final performance.

Ben Osborn, soil conservationist, assisted by Glen D. Green and John C. Meyer, conservation aides, recently started tests of range cover in the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District. Two plots were laid out and checks made last week on the ranches of Gordon Stone, Edmund and Jim Tom, O. H. McAllister, and Leroy Echoles. The work will continue through the week to May 27, beginning Monday with plots laid out on the George W. Damon place north of Midland.

Wherever cowboys get together for "bull sessions," an argument always comes up as to who has the best cutting horse. Thus the Cutting Horse contest in the rodeo was a natural development.

The cowboy rides his cutting horse into the herd, picks out a likely steer and the horse does the rest. The horse knows the trails of cattle and he moves cautiously in driving or coaxing the animal out of the pack of cattle. Once in the open with the steer, which may break away and attempt to re-enter the herd, there is plenty of fast foot work between the cutting horse and the steer.

The horse may wheel on his hind feet to head off the steer. Only a good rider and one who knows his mount can keep his seat astride a good cutting horse. It is a thrill to watch the wit-matching contest between steer and horse. The good cutting horse is easy to rein, is swift of foot and is intelligent. Most of the top-rated cutting horses are older horses. They learn through years, becoming more proficient with practice and training.

Ranchers and cowboys take pride in their cutting horses. When they meet they are likely to start again the age-old debate "who has the best cutting horse." The argument will be settled, at least for the moment, at the Midland Rodeo.

Two Negroes Confess Rape Of White Girl
HOUSTON (AP)—Bloodhounds from Harlem Prison Farm aided police in a search for a negro suspect in the rape of a 16-year-old white girl.

Sheriff C. V. (Buster) Kern said two negroes now being held without charge have confessed they and the third negro assaulted the girl last Saturday on the Chocolate Bayou road near here.

Crash Proves Fatal To Borger Resident
BORGER (AP)—Clovis Robinson, 24, of Borger was injured fatally Saturday in a collision which wrecked an automobile and panel truck.

The accident occurred on Farm Road 278 some 21 miles north of Borger.

John Wesley Osborne, 18, John Buss, 63, and John Nuttle, 40, were injured. All four casualties are Borger men.

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ATTENTION HOUSEHOLDERS

Strict Enforcement of The City Of Midland's Garbage Collection Ordinance Will Be Inaugurated June 15, 1949.

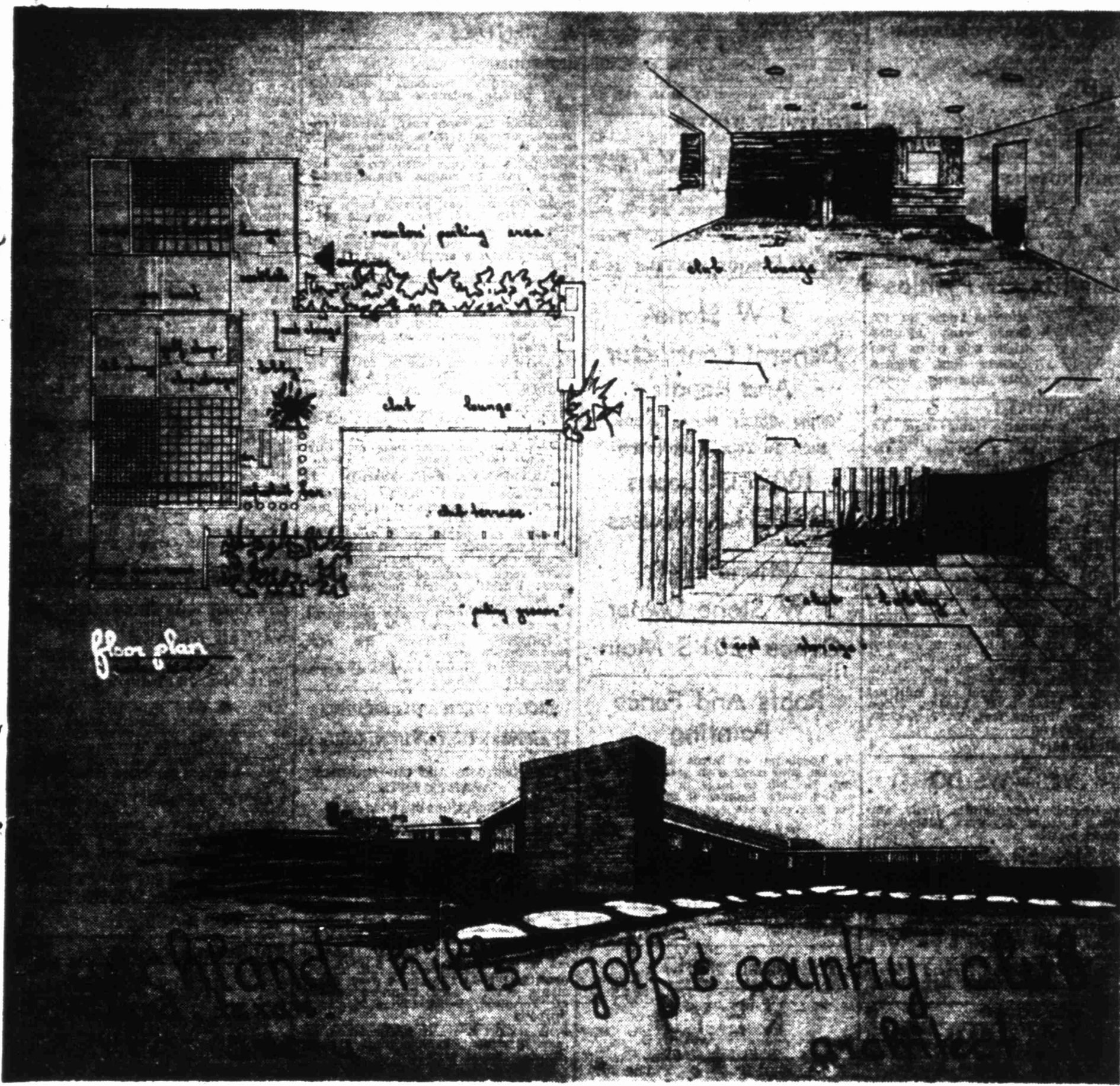
In order that citizens may become familiar with the Ordinance, its regulations and provisions, the text of the Ordinance is reprinted, as follows:

AN ORDINANCE
An ordinance regulating the collection of garbage, brush, and trash in the City of Midland; establishing boundaries of collections; defining garbage, brush, and trash; regulating the type and weight of containers with covers for garbage; specifying that containers be placed at convenient locations on the premises where they may be emptied and the contents removed at regular intervals; providing for the collection of garbage, brush and trash, and other waste materials; requiring the disposal of industrial waste and waste from building operations by owner; regulating the collection from business establishments; regulating the removal of dead animals and poultry; prohibiting accumulations of waste matter; regulating the cutting and disposal of weeds and grass; prohibiting anyone except agents or employees of the City of Midland from emptying containers or receptacles or transporting the contents thereof on the streets and public thoroughfares without a permit from the city; prescribing regulations for the securing of permits; fixing schedules of reasonable charges; requiring the sanitary officer or his authorized representative make periodic inspections of buildings, premises and all places where garbage, brush and trash may accumulate and enforce and administer the provisions of the ordinance; providing penalties; providing a saving clause; repealing all ordinances in conflict herewith.

Section 1. Scope of the Ordinance. The provisions of this ordinance shall apply to all territory within the corporate limits of the City of Midland.

Section 2. Definitions. (a) The term wet garbage as used in this ordinance shall mean all animal or vegetable matter and waste material or matter from kitchen. (b) The term dry garbage as used in this ordinance shall mean tin cans, paper, boxes, grass, shrubs and leaves. (c) The term brush as used in this ordinance shall mean tree trimmings, weeds, large hedge trimmings, and trees not to exceed three inches in diameter and cut in lengths of not to exceed ten feet. (d) The term trash as used in this ordinance shall mean wooden and paper boxes, excelsior or jacking, or any refuse from any commercial or business house not classified as garbage. (e) Garbage containers must be filled with the following requirements: The container shall be a water tight receptacle of solid and durable grade of metal, not to exceed thirty-two (32) gallons in capacity; the combined weight of the garbage and container shall not exceed one hundred (100) pounds. It shall be provided with suitable lifting handle or handles on the outside and close fitting metal cover equipped with a handle. The container must not have any inside structures, such as inside bands and reinforcing angles or anything within the container to prevent the free discharge of the contents. Containers that have deteriorated, or that have been damaged to the extent of having jagged, or sharp, edges capable of causing injury to garbage collectors, or other persons whose duty it is to handle the containers, or to such an extent that the covers will not fit securely, will be condemned by the City of Midland, acting through its Department of Sanitation, and if such containers are not replaced after notice to the owner or user of their defective condition, they shall be confiscated. (f) Persons Required to Keep Containers. It shall be the duty of every owner, agent, lessee, tenant, or occupant of any house, building, flat, apartment or tenement in the City of Midland, where persons reside, board or lodge; where animal or vegetable food is prepared or served, or any private residence, to provide for such house, building, flat, apartment or tenement, and at all times to maintain in good order and repair, a garbage container or containers as herein defined, for the deposit of garbage for collection by the Department of Sanitation of the City of Midland.

Ranchland Hill Country Club House



Above is shown the architect's sketch of the clubhouse for the Ranchland Hill Golf and Country Club on which construction is scheduled to begin this week. Play on the Ranchland course is slated to begin July 1 and the clubhouse is expected to be ready for opening at that time. Complete clubhouse facilities will be available to all mem-

bers when golf play begins. The club membership recently voted to increase, and memberships now are open. Hank Avery, Midland architect, completed plans for the clubhouse and will supervise its construction.

**LONGHORN LEAGUE—
Broncs Lead In Team Batting And Fielding;
Various Loop Department Leaders Are Listed**

The Midland Indians rank sixth in team batting and sixth in team fielding, according to Longhorn League statistics released Saturday including all games through May 18. Here are the team batting marks: Big Spring 298; Odessa 282; Sweetwater 282; Roswell 282; Vernon 279; Midland 278; San Angelo 235 and Ballinger 233. Here are the fielding marks: Big Spring 946; Ballinger 939; Vernon 933; San Angelo 930; Odessa 930; Midland 924; Roswell 915 and Sweetwater 910. Individual batting leader is Scherting of Vernon with a mark of .452. He is followed by Monchak of Odessa with .442; Gyselman of

**Athletics Climb Up
In Loop Standings**

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — The Philadelphia Athletics vaulted into second place in the American League Saturday as they defeated the Detroit Tigers 15-7 to sweep a two-game series. Right-hander Carl Scheib, relieving Starter Phil Marchildon with the score 7-0 against the A's, pitched one-hit ball. Eddie Joost clubbed his seventh homer. The score: R. H. E. Detroit 510 100 000—7 9 3 Philadelphia 000 464 01x—15 15 2 Stuart, Outmann, Grissom, Trout and Swift; Marchildon, Scheib and Guerra.

**Bowie Downs Lamesa
To Cop 3-AAA Title**

LAMESA—The Bowie Bears (El Paso) captured the Districts 3, 4-AA baseball title here Friday afternoon by overwhelming Lamesa's Tornados, 8-0. Errors hurt the Lamesans. They committed five miscues which allowed Bowie seven unearned runs. Bowie beat Lamesa 9-1 in the first game.

**SPORT SLANTS
BY SHORTY SHELBURNE**

Glenn Patton, Midland's sensational young right-hander, was nothing but a victim of circumstances in the game he started in Odessa Wednesday night. He took the mound with a broken blister on his first middle-finger the size of a dime. Two or three pitches and the sore was rubbed raw. By that time Odessa had scored four runs and Patton was on his way to the showers and to being saddled with his first defeat of the season. Midland never tied the score or went ahead. In his first outing here, Patton hurled a brilliant two-hitter up to the ninth inning. That's when he first broke the blister on his finger. He went ahead and won the ball game and allowed only four hits, which was nothing short of sensational. He came back Thursday night and set San Angelo down on five hits with that blister still on his finger.

The reason Patton blistered his finger in the first place was due to a difference in the seams on the ball in the Longhorn League and the one he had been accustomed to tossing in the Arizona-Texas League. The seam on the ball here is a little more raised than the one out there, consequently a blister on the finger of one fine flinger. With a few days off the mound, Patton says the blister will heal over and leave a tough spot. When it does, brother, hold your hat. This man Patton is just as determined to make good as the later General "Blood and Guts" was to win the war. They definitely have something in common.

Johnnie Jones, the baseball comedian who appeared here Friday night to wow the fans, once was connected with the Texas League. He had short stints with Dallas, Shreveport, Fort Worth and Oklahoma City. He also caught on with Los Angeles in the Pacific Coast League for a short time once. He works out of Bakersfield, Calif., at present and is very interested in the accomplishments of young players farmed out from there. He checked up on Bob Rose, Lowell Adams, Gus Pena, Patton and Bill Gilliam while here. The thing that amazes Sports Slants most is how Johnnie does all the tricks with a baseball when he has only three and a third fingers on his right hand. The index finger is off at the bottom joint.

Diek Snider, the Odessa American sports scribe and my good friend, must have been trying to make things look extra good to the Odessa Oilers' 16 to 7 defeat of Midland last week. He listed the score as 16 to 5 and credited Midland with only 7 hits. The truth of the matter is, Midland scored seven runs and got 9 base knocks. Oh, well, Odessa has to win 'em on paper in a big way. They can't do nearly as well on the field.

Aerial photographs of the Ranchland Hill Country Club layout northeast of Midland are being circulated around by Alan Leeper, the club's most staunch backer and hardest worker. The photos show it to be a fine setup with an 18-hole golf course. It'll be a credit to Midland to have another such fine country club. Headline in the Sweetwater Reporter sports page: "Services to be Held For Park Friday." When we first looked at it, we thought someone had died. The second time we looked, we thought maybe they were about to bury the ball park.

We decided that wasn't it, so we thought sure they were going to inter the Sweetwater Swatters, maybe in the ball park. We missed it all the way around. It was notice of the dedication of Sweetwater's new baseball field Friday night. HALF SLANTS... Bruce Averill, one of the rookie leapers in the Longhorn League, is only 19 years of age. Now we know what's the matter. Behind the bat in an umpire's rig ain't no place for a kid... The Lamesa polo team numbers among its members one Gus White, Jr., who once was an all-district halfback when he played for Lamesa High in the early 1940's... Most of the boys who played in 3-AA lines during that time remember him as "Gallop'n" Gus... A. D. Eney says he wouldn't trade Frank Morrin for his capable catcher for Tom Jordan of the Roswell Rockets. Maybe he wouldn't and maybe he won't have as many home runs as Jordan will produce this season, either... Note to Blondy Cross: Will you please relay the information to your left fielder, Jacobson, that he has been rightfully credited with an assist on a putout at home plate in Thursday night's game here. The boy is about to lose his mind over it... Rip Collins, former Midland Indian second baseman has a brother who is managing editor of Clovis, N. M. paper... Rip probably could get plenty of favorable press notices if he played for the Pioneers... Leo Hatley and Rip are on the same semi-pro team in Elk City, Okla., this season.

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Sports

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Hill Country Circuit Is New Semi-Pro Loop
WICHITA, KAN. — (AP) — Another Texas league in the National Baseball Congress has been formed—the Hill Country circuit made up of seven clubs. Boerne, Stonewall, Comfort, Camp Stanley, Harper, Sisterdale and Fredericksburg made up the loop of which Elton Jordan of Fredericksburg is president.

Eighth-Inning Burst Gives Braves 8-2 Win
PITTSBURGH — (AP) — Boston's Braves exploded for seven runs in the eighth inning Saturday to beat the Pittsburgh Pirates 8 to 2. Pete Reiser homered for the Braves in the eighth. Warren Spahn won his fifth game against two losses as Murry Dickson dropped his sixth. The score: R. H. E. Boston 000 000 371—8 13 0 Pittsburgh 000 001 100—2 7 0 Hogue, Spahn and Salkeid, Maa; Dickson, Casey, Chambers and McCullough.

Sens Edge Browns In Wild Contest
WASHINGTON — (AP) — In a wild game cluttered with 19 walks, a hit batter, a wild pitch, a balk and five stolen bases, Washington defeated the St. Louis Browns 7-6 Saturday with a two-run rally in the ninth. The score: R. H. E. St. Louis 101 000 013—6 12 1 Washington 100 000 132—7 8 8 Embree, Ferrick, Papp, Starr and Lollar, Moss; Haefner, Welterroth, Weik, Haynes and Evans, Weigel.

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Jones Shines But Tribe Drops Tilt

Weldon Stewart is scheduled to take the mound for the Midland Indians at 3 p. m. Sunday when they battle the Big Spring Bronces in Indian Park. Manny Rodriguez will hurl for the visitors. The series will continue Monday night.

By SHORTY SHELBERNE
The Midland Indians outdid the Big Spring Bronces everything but runs at Indian Park Saturday and dropped a heartbreaking 9 to 7 decision to the visitors. The tilt opened a three-game series here and was the first meeting of the two teams this season.

Ralph Blair matched pitch for pitch with the Bronces' Freddy Rodriguez for seven innings before being lifted for a pinch hitter. Blair had then up eight runs and nine hits when he was lifted.

Rudy Kellee turned in the finest and of relief roll in the last two innings. He allowed only one hit and one run scored on an error.

Stanley Hughes was like a hog in the field. After being lifted for a pinch hitter, he walked in succession to open the frame and Ramirez singled him around. Valdez singled Ramirez home.

Blair pitched airtight ball until the fifth when Stacey got off base. Three singles and a base on balls gave the Bronces three runs in the sixth. They finished on the eighth with a lone run on a single and two walks.

The Indians made a fight of the ninth all the way. After being batted for three innings, they hammered out two runs in the fourth. Pressley was forced at second by Nipp after he had singled. Pena drew a walk and Marty Pflugman unloaded a blazing double to the wall in booming triple to them around. Bobby Rose singled to keep the rally alive but it ended suddenly when Blair whiffed.

Three In Seventh
The Tribe went on an even larger hitting spree in the seventh. Hughes opened with a booming triple to right-centerfield. Slier singled him and Kennedy Jones hit his second of three doubles to score Slier. Jones singled him home. Nipp and Rose walked to load the bases with two out and pinch-hitter Lowell Adams grounded out short to first.

The Indians made one last desperate try in the eighth but it fell short. Hughes opened with a clean single to left. Slier forced him at second and went to third on a wild pitch. Kennedy Jones bounced a double off the wall in deep leftfield to plate Slier. Pressley singled him home.

Relief Hurler Guerra put the fire out in the ninth with two strike outs. Here is the box score:

	AB	R	H	O	A
Dobson	4	3	2	1	0
Mendez, cf	3	2	2	2	0
Ramirez, lb	5	1	1	7	0
Stacey, rf	4	1	2	2	0
Pascual, 3b	5	0	0	2	0
Valdez, ss	4	0	1	2	0
Hernandez, 2b	5	0	0	4	0
Rodriguez, p	3	0	0	2	0
Guerra, p	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	38	9	10	27	0

	AB	R	H	O	A
Blair	6	1	2	3	0
Hughes, ss	5	2	2	10	0
Slier, lf	5	2	2	10	0
Jones, c	5	2	3	4	0
Pressley, 3b	5	0	3	1	2
Nipp, rf	4	1	2	0	0
Pena, cf	4	0	1	2	0
Pflugman, lf	4	0	1	2	0
Rose, 2b	4	0	2	2	0
Blair, p	3	0	0	1	0
Adams, p	1	0	0	0	0
Kellee, p	0	0	0	0	0
xx-Patton	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	42	7	14	27	13

xx-Grounded out for Blair in 7th. xx-Grounded out for Kellee in 9th. **BIG SPRING** 300 023 010-9. **MIDLAND** 300 203 320-7.

Errors—Gomez, Valdez, Hernandez, Rodriguez, Hughes, Pressley, Pena. Runs batted in—Gomez, Ramirez, 2, Stacey, 2, Valdez, 2, Pressley, 1, Slier, 1, Jones, 2. Two base hits—Jones, 1, Pflugman, 2. Three base hits—Stacey, 1, Hughes. Home runs—Stacey. Stolen bases—Gomez, 2, Mendez, 3. Left on bases—Big Spring 8; Midland 12. Bases on balls—off Rodriguez, 4; Blair, 3; Kellee, 2. Strikeouts—by Rodriguez, 5; Guerra, 2; Blair, 2; Kellee, 2. Hits and runs—off Rodriguez 12 and 7 in 7 1/3 innings. Guerra 2 and 0 in 1 2/3; Blair 9 and 8 in 7; Kellee 1 and 1 in 2. Wild pitch—Rodriguez. Winning pitcher—Rodriguez. Losing pitcher—Blair. Umpire—Hammond and Eiler. Time—2:30.

West Tex Skeet Shoot Continues Through Sunday

The first championship shoot of the West Texas Skeet Shooting Association continues Sunday with the guns to start popping the targets at 9 a. m. on the Midland Gun Club's fine setup at Midland Airpark.

The big stuff is slated Sunday and interest is high. The 12-gauge event is carded and the all-bore will be completed.

Firing started Saturday with shooters here from all over West Texas and representatives from several New Mexico clubs. Shooters are here from San Angelo, Odessa, Sweetwater, Fabens, Morton, Lamesa, Lubbock and from Roswell and Clovis, N. M.

In Saturday's shooting, D. W. Conway and Bill Fields, both of Fabens, tied in the 410-gauge event with 465 and a shootout is booked Sunday.

Glass, Runnerup
Fields won the 28-gauge event Saturday with a 50 straight. George Glass, Sr., of Midland was runnerup with 465 and a shootout is booked Sunday.

In the 20-gauge event, Conway fired a 99 to win. Jim Mascho and Wright Cowden, a couple of Midlanders, tied for runnerup honors with 96 scores.

The Midland Gun Club is host unit. MGC champions for 1949 will be determined at this shoot.

Lubbock Wins Two Softball Games Over Crane Oilers

CRANE—The Crane Golf Oilers dropped both ends of a doubleheader to the potent Lubbock Bluebonnet Sunbeaters in Texas Softball League competition here Saturday night.

The double loss dropped Crane from a tie for first place with the Lubbockites in the league standings. Before Saturday night, each club had won five and lost one.

Lubbock capped the first tilt, which went nine innings, by a 1-0 count. Red Denham of the Oilers had 15 strikeouts, and Lubbock's Stringbean Pope had 18.

Lubbock took the nightcap encounter 6 to 5.

Dobson Hurls Bosox To Win Over Tribe

BOSTON—(P)—Boston's Red Sox got a great pitching job from Joe Dobson Saturday as they defeated the Cleveland Indians 4-0, dumping the world champions into seventh place and taking over as themselves. The paid attendance of 35,961 was the largest at Fenway Park in many years.

The score: R. H. E. Cleveland 000 000 000-7 0 Boston 100 210 00x-4 9 0 Benton, Papias and Hegan; Dobson and Tebbetts.

Legion Bus Arrives

The new bus purchased by the Midland American Legion Post for use by the Junior Legion baseball team arrived here Saturday afternoon.

The vehicle was on display in the downtown section upon arrival.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
Sealed proposals addressed to the City Manager, Midland, Texas, for the construction of water works extensions in Ranch Land Heights, will be received at the Office of the City Secretary, City Hall, Midland, Texas, until 7:00 P. M. Tuesday May 24, 1949, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. The principal items of work are: Furnish and install 165 lin. ft. of six inch cast iron pipe. Furnish and install 1400 lin. ft. of four inch cast iron pipe. Furnish and install 4 1/2 inch double gate valves. Furnish and install 960 pounds of cast iron fittings. Funds are on deposit with the City of Midland and payments will be made in cash each month upon monthly estimates by the Engineer for the Water and Sewer Department of the City of Midland.

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 bids are received.

The right is reserved by the City Council of Midland and/or West Texas Housing and Development Company to reject any or all bids and to accept the bid deemed to represent the best interests of the City of Midland.

Borowy Hurls Phils To Win Over Cubs

CHICAGO—(P)—Hank Borowy batted and pitched the Philadelphia Phillies to a 5-1 victory over his former Chicago Cub mates here Saturday. The slender veteran scattered seven hits and drove in three runs with a double to rout Dutch Leonard in the second inning.

The score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 040 001 000-5 2 0 Chicago 000 000 001-1 7 0 Borowy and Seminick; Leonard, Rush, Adkins and A. Walker.

MISSOURI TIGERS GRAB BIG SEVEN TRACK CROWN

LINCOLN, NEB.—(P)—The Missouri Tigers won their third successive Big Seven Conference outdoor track and field title with an amazing show of team power that clicked for 113 13/45 points on a wet and slow cinder layout Saturday.

Minnesota Gophers Win Western Crown

EVANSTON, ILL.—(P)—Minnesota's Gophers hurled their way, literally and figuratively, to their first Western Conference outdoor track title in history Saturday as a new meet record was set.

The Gophers rolled up 19 points in the 120-high and 220-low hurdles to send them winging to a top total of 49 points in the 49th conference championships at Dyche Stadium, Defenag Champion Ohio State was second with 37 3/4.

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Midland Lodge No. 143 meets each Monday night 8:00 p. m. Odd Fellows Hall, Garden City Highway.

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LOST: Ladies red imitation alligator blizzard. Phone 3478-R.

LOST: Suit with black stripes. Phone 2945-M after 5.

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LODGE NOTICES

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7:15 WAKE UP AND LIVE	ABC
7:30 COFFEE CONCENTS	ABC
8:00 SUNDAY MORNING MUSIC	ABC
8:30 HALL	ABC
9:30 CHURCH OF CHRIST (Stanton)	ABC
9:30 FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH	ABC
9:30 OLD FASHIONED REVIVAL	ABC
9:30 NEWS	ABC
9:45 HAWAIIAN AIRS	ABC
9:50 MUSICAL TIDBITS	ABC
10:15 GOSPEL MELODIES	ABC
10:30 ORGAN MUSIC	ABC
10:45 NEWS	ABC
10:50 LUTHERAN HOUR	ABC
11:00 MR. PRESIDENT	ABC
11:30 THE CHANGING WORLD	ABC
12:15 BING CROSBY SINGS	ABC
12:30 TABERNACLE BAPTIST CHURCH	ABC
1:00 TED MALONE	ABC
1:15 DICK TODD SHOW	ABC
1:30 GEMS OF MUSIC	ABC
1:45 MUSIC BY MARTIN	ABC
2:00 MUSIC FOR TODAY	ABC
2:30 CURT MASSEY SHOW	ABC
2:50 DREW PEARSON	ABC
3:15 MONDAY MORNING HEADLINES	ABC
3:30 GREATEST STORY	ABC
4:00 STOP THE MUSIC	ABC
4:30 CANDLELIGHT SERENADE	ABC
4:55 TEXAS FORUM OF THE AIR TSN	ABC
5:30 WALTZ TIME	ABC
6:00 HOSPITALITY TIME	ABC
6:30 WALTER WINCHELL	ABC
6:45 JERGENS-WOODBURY JOURNAL	ABC
7:00 THEATER GUILD	ABC
7:30 ACCENT ON MELODY	ABC
7:45 GED. E. SOKOLSKY	ABC
8:00 NEWS OF TOMORROW	ABC
8:15 THOUGHTS—PASSING	ABC
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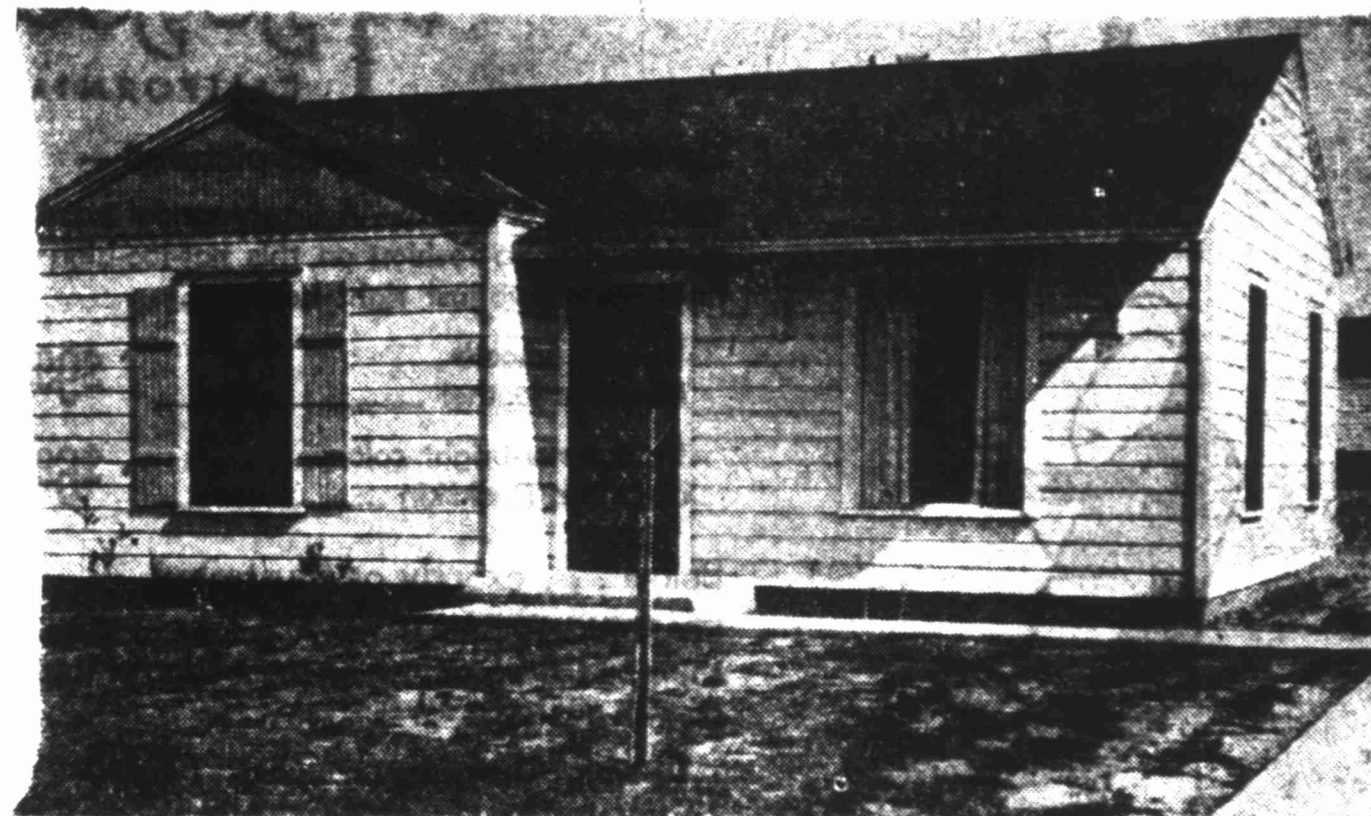
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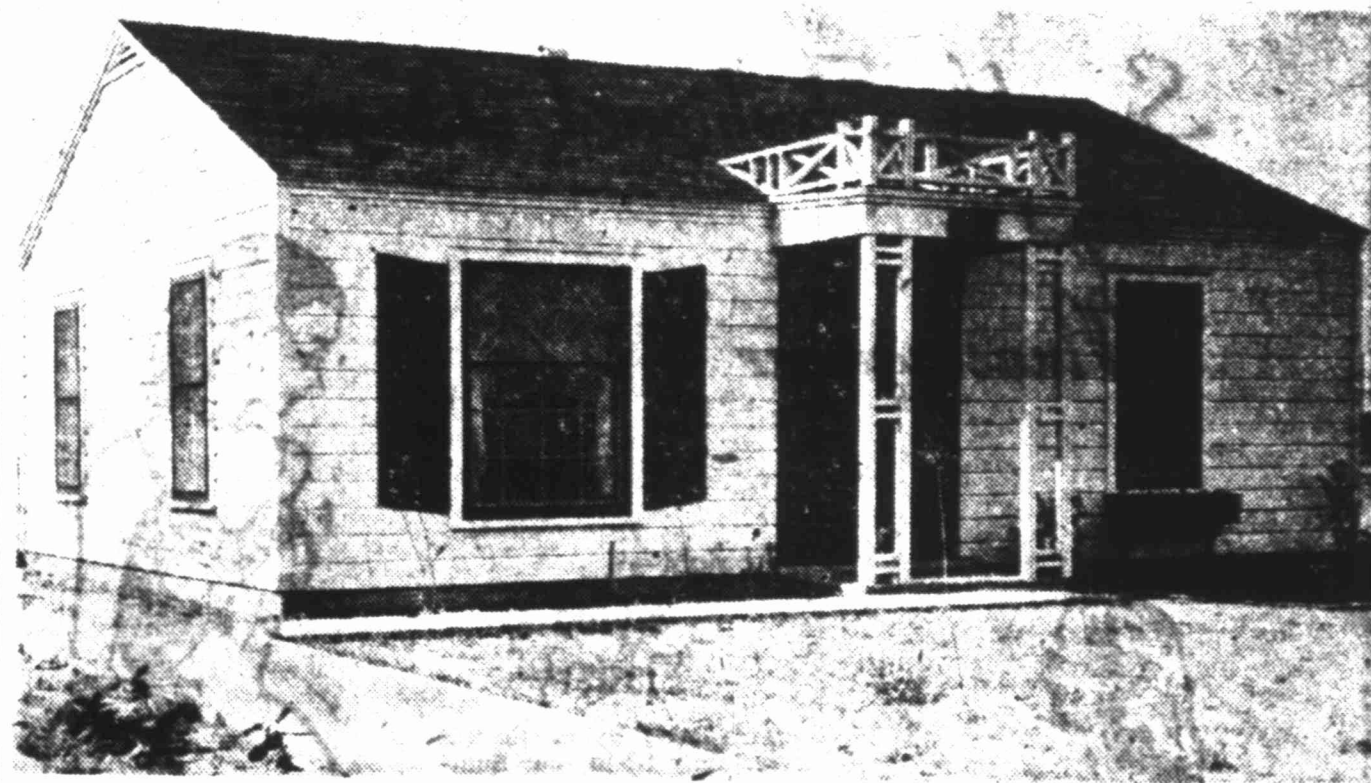


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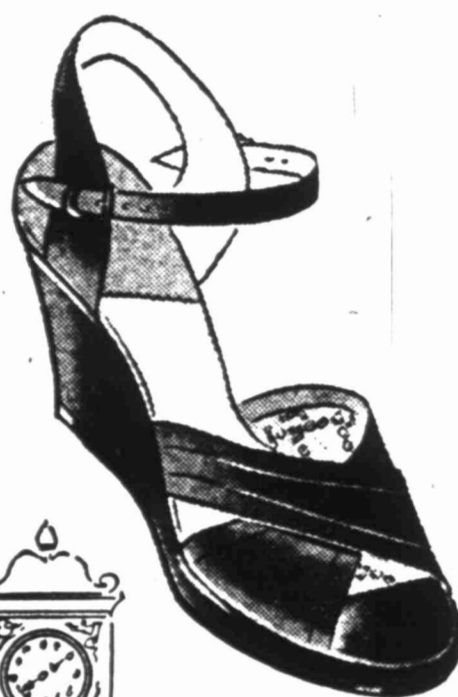


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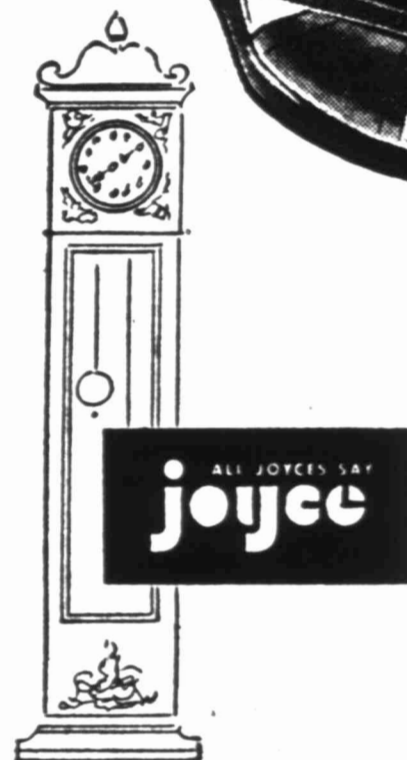
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Betty Putnam Weds Victor A. Campbell

Betty Ann Putnam became the bride of Victor Allen Campbell of Oklahoma City Saturday, in a mid-afternoon ceremony in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Conant, 406 West Cowden Street.

B&PW Club To Be Entertained With Progressive Meal

A progressive dinner for the Business and Professional Women's Club is planned for Sunday, sponsored by the finance committee. It will start at 6 p. m. in the home of Colysta Christian, club president, at 1017 North Main Street.

After the cocktail course there, the diners will go to the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. O. Shannon, 1002 North A Street, where Dr. K. White will be hostess; then to the home of Mrs. Locksley Hall, 106 South Marlenfield Street, where Nettie Johnson will be hostess for the main course; and for dessert to the John B. Mills home, 500 East Broadway, with Grace Wallace as hostess.

The hostesses are members of the finance committee. They have announced that no advance reservation is necessary for the diners, and that tickets may be obtained at the Christian home.

Bookshelf Is New West P-TA Project

The Bookshelf Committee of West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association met in the home of the chairman, Mrs. E. Elder, Thursday to start its work, a new project for the association and the first of its kind in Midland.

Books were selected to start the shelf for association members. It will include reference material for programs and study courses. Committee members are Mrs. Lynn Metcalf, Mrs. Howard Jones and Mrs. Bert Cole, Jr.

MOTHER IS GUEST

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Skinner, 803 Cuthbert Street, have as their guest his mother, Mrs. John W. Skinner, of Blackwell, Okla.

June 4 Is Date For Wedding

Announcement of June wedding plans for another Midland couple is made by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Vanlandingham of Seminole, whose daughter, Cordelia Lou, of Midland, is to marry Lealand Wayne Ashmore of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Ashmore of Corsicana.

The wedding date has been set for June 4, and the ceremony will be solemnized in Seminole. The couple plan to reside here.

The bride-elect was graduated from Texas Technological College, Lubbock, and has lived in Midland the last two years. Ashmore is a graduate of the University of Texas. Both are employed with the Magnolia Petroleum Company.

Mrs. McGuigan Is New Head Of Minuet Club

Mrs. F. H. McGuigan was introduced as the new president of the Minuet Club for 1949-50, at the club's last dance of the season, Friday night. She took office succeeding Mrs. P. J. Lea, and a new board will be named soon.

The dance was in the American Legion Hall, which was decorated with May blossoms. Larkspur, pom-pom flowers and candytuft were arranged on the tables surrounding the dance floor.

Guests of the club were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lloyd of Fayette, Mo., and Forrest Smythe. Members present were Mr. and Mrs. George Turner, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Waite, Mr. and Mrs. Lindley Latham, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bastha, Mr. and Mrs. Lea.

Other members dancing were Mr. and Mrs. Art Cole, Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Morrison, Mrs. Robert Dickey, Mr. and Mrs. John Cornwell, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McGee, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cassidy, Mr. and Mrs. McGuigan, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Creath, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph O'Neal.

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Informal Tea Honors Visitor

Mrs. J. R. King of Southland, house guest of Mrs. Malcolm Brenneman, was introduced to a group of her hostess' friends Friday afternoon when Mrs. G. W. Brenneman entertained with an informal tea in her home.

Both Mrs. King and Mrs. Malcolm Brenneman are "war brides" who came to this country from Europe. Mrs. Brenneman from Florence, Italy, and her visitor, who is also of Italian ancestry, from Paris. The two young women met at a ball game in Lubbock after coming to Texas and have become good friends.

Spring flowers decorated the G. W. Brenneman home for the party and refreshments were served to the callers during a two-hour period. Guests included Mrs. Bill Laine, Mrs. Wayne R. Hammond, Mrs. Clyde Lindsley, Mrs. Ike Whitehead, Mrs. E. H. Pierce, Mrs. Clarence Symes, Jr., Mrs. Bob Reeves, Mrs. Bob Watson, Lou Anice Lassell, Mrs. Duffy Stanley, Mrs. Ray Seifert and Mrs. Jack Parker.

Election of new officers, with Mrs. Fred Fromhold as president, featured the meeting of the Friendly Builders Class of the First Methodist Church Friday. Mrs. O. M. Luton and Mrs. Velma Smith were hostesses in Mrs. Luton's home.

Officers elected with Mrs. Fromhold were Mrs. Smith, vice president, Mrs. R. P. Duffield, secretary; Mrs. Walter Beacham, treasurer; Mrs. J. P. Carson, reporter; Mrs. Elsie McGee, teacher; and Mrs. C. W. Post, assistant teacher.

Pyraantha Officers Installed



New officers of the Pyraantha Garden Club, one of the two new garden clubs organized in Midland this year, were photographed after their installation Tuesday at a meeting in Mrs. E. G. Graf's home. Seated on the floor at front are the two vice presidents, Mrs. C. M. Chase, left, and Mrs. C. E. Oberholzer. On the sofa, left to right, are Mrs. E. W. Cowden, president; Mrs. R. F. Duffield, recording secretary; and Mrs. W. T. Graham, corresponding secretary. Standing, left to right, are Mrs. Brutus Hanks, treasurer; Mrs. Jack Doran, historian; and Mrs. Frank W. Reeves, parliamentarian.

Church Ceremony Read For Couple

White tapers lighted the altar of the First Methodist Church Saturday night for the wedding of Dorothy Pio Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim C. Johnson of 1001 North Loraine Street, and Wayne Roberts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Powell Roberts, Rankin Highway.

The double-ring ceremony was read by the Rev. Lennox Hester, pastor of the Asbury Methodist Church, after a program of wedding music. The altar rail was covered with greenery and studded with white flowers, and white stock and gladioli filled tall baskets.

Mrs. Charles Reeder, organist, played "Poeme," "Fibich," "Memorial," "Kahn-Van Alstyne," and "Violence Refrain." The accompanist was Mrs. J. H. Deaton, sister of the bride, who sang "Always," "Berlin," and "I Love You Truly," Jacobs-Bond. The traditional wedding marches were played by the organist, and she continued during the ceremony with "A! Sweet Mystery of Life," Herbert.

Girls Light Candles. Joan Roberts, sister of the bridegroom, and Wanda Lou Moore lighted the candles at the altar. They were dressed alike in aqua frocks made with fitted bodices and peplums flared over long, full skirts. Each had a corsage of pink flowers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was gowned in white satin. The long fitted bodice had a berth collar below a lace yoke with high neckline, and was buttoned down the front. Long sleeves, buttoned at the wrists, (Continued on Page 8)

Parents Announce Engagement

Hazel Christine Yocham of Rankin will be married, on June 28 to W. M. Day, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Day of Ralls, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Yocham of Rankin, announce. The wedding will be solemnized in the First Baptist Church at Rankin.



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Engaged Girl Is Honoree

Dorothy Hamilton, bride-elect, was complimented with a coffee Saturday morning by Mrs. Alden Donnelly, who entertained in her home, 1505 West Ohio Street. Miss Hamilton and DeWayn Davis are to be married in Stanton on June 11.

Approximately 80 guests were invited to call between the hours of 10 a. m. and noon. They included friends from Stanton, Miss Hamilton's home town, and Odessa. Her mother, Mrs. Horace Hamilton of Stanton, and Davis' mother, Mrs. Cecil Davis of Midland, were present.

Rose sweet peas centered the dining table, and a rose and silver color motif was stressed in appointments. Alleen Maxwell poured coffee at one side of the table, and Lillie Mae Stovall served Cokes at the other. Mrs. R. W. Hamilton and Mrs. Jack Stackpole assisted in serving.

In charge of the bride's book was Mrs. Wayne Moore. The honoree and members of the house party wore colorful Summer dresses, each with a matching corsage.

Betty O'Neal First In 4-H Dress Contest

Betty O'Neal, a member of the Sunshine Makers 4-H Club who is doing fourth-year work, was winner of first place in the annual county dress contest Friday night, and is to represent Midland county in the dress revue at the State 4-H Club Roundup June 15.

E. L. Norwood, also of the Sunshine Makers Club and a fifth-year club member, placed second. The contest was held in the Midland High School Auditorium, and was part of a dress revue in which first and second year clothing classes of the High School Homemaking Department cooperated.

Visitors Are Judges. Myrna Holman of Rankin, a county home demonstration agent, and Rena Rendell of Stanton, home making teacher, were contest judges.

Dresses made by girls with the same length of time in club work were modeled and judged together. For first-year girls, Barbara Porter of Terminal placed first, Ada Jane Melson of Prairie Lea Club was second, and Wanda Lou Steele of Junior High Club was third.

Other first-year entrants were Paula Jane King and Lena Marie Price of Prairie Lea; Winona Newman, Sherrill Yancey and Hortencia Robledo of Junior High; and Evelyn Love of Terminal.

More Winners. For second-year girls, Dottie Snead took first place and Audrey Young second. Both are in Junior High Club. Donna Howard of Sunshine Makers Club was first, for third-year girls; Barbara Clemm of Junior High Club was second and Joan Sellers of the same club, third. Darlene Brunson took second place to Miss O'Neal for fourth-year girls, and Miss Norwood had no competition in the five-year class.

Girls of the high school classes modeled play togs, cotton dresses, tailored frocks and coats, church and date dresses. Their appearance was directed by Mrs. Faye Massey, homemaking teacher, and the 4-H Club revue by Mrs. Nettie Messick, county home demonstration agent.

The revue program, with Miss O'Neal as master of ceremonies, Helen Hollowell as pianist and Mrs. Sylvan Horn as commentator, included an accordion solo by Miss Snead, a tap dance by Miss Young and a vocal solo by Eddie Juan Darnell with Joan Nelson as accompanist.

Children's Service League Committees For Year Announced

Committees for a new year of work in the Children's Service League were appointed by Mrs. C. H. Atchison, 1949-50 president, at a meeting Friday in the home of Mrs. Walter Collins.

On the publicity committee are Mrs. C. H. Ervin, Mrs. Robert Fitting and Mrs. T. S. Jones. The telephone committee includes Mrs. L. S. Page, Mrs. Cooper Hyde and Mrs. Fred Cassidy. Mrs. C. P. Yaden is to serve as reporter, and Mrs. Alan Leeper as assistant treasurer for the crippled children's fund.

Mrs. Norris Creath is to be chairman of the clothing room, and on the clothing collection committee are Mrs. Collins, Mrs. H. L. Beckmann and Mrs. John M. Hills.

Executive Committee. Executive committee members are Mrs. Atchison, Mrs. W. A. Waldschmidt, Mrs. Vaughn Maley, Mrs. Page and Mrs. Yaden.

The league voted to sponsor locally a program in which the manufacturers of Swan soap will send a cake of soap to Europe, where soap shortages is a threat to health, for every two soap wrappers of their brand mailed to CARE in Boston.

Discussion of cases and other routine business completed the meeting. In addition to those named on committees, members present were Mrs. Ralph Fitting, Jr., Mrs. Robert Dewey, Mrs. Lee Flood and Mrs. Coe Mills.

Committee Plans Tea



Committee members for the silver tea which the Irene Nix Circle of the Woman's Society will sponsor in the First Methodist Educational Building Sunday afternoon were selecting flowers for decoration from the yard of Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, 316 South Big Spring, when this photograph was made. Left to right are Mrs. A. V. Johnson, Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mrs. William Sandeen and Mrs. W. M. Johnson with Mrs. Nat Terry seated in front. Mrs. McDonald, chairman of room decorations, plans to use roses in an epergne on the tea table and other flowers on small tables where the guests will be seated. Tea hours are from 3 to 5 p. m., with the public invited.

Woman's Club Roll For Year In Making

Shifting the emphasis on membership from Fall to Spring for the 1949-50 season, the Midland Woman's Club will enroll as many of its members as possible within the next few weeks so their names may be listed in its new yearbook.

The Woman's Club, formerly the City-County Federation of Women's Clubs, has not issued a yearbook for several seasons but its members voted at a recent meeting to compile a book with program and membership list for the next season.

Individuals May Enroll. In order to be listed in the book, clubs and individual members must be enrolled now instead of waiting until time for the club year to start in September. Each member club pays a yearly fee of five dollars which entitles it to two voting representatives at each Woman's Club meeting. Membership fee for individuals is one dollar a year.

Women who are enrolled in the member clubs may attend Woman's Club meetings, but unless they are designated as representatives of their clubs, may not vote. However,

individual memberships are open to them as well as to women who are not members of the separate clubs. Enrollment fees for either individuals or clubs are to be sent to Mrs. B. R. Mathews, Woman's Club treasurer, whose postoffice box number is 1827, or to Mrs. Lindley Latham, vice president, 610 West Kansas Street.

Seventeen clubs are affiliated with the Woman's Club, of which Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith is president. The member clubs take turns serving as hostess for its monthly meetings.

The affiliated groups are the Fine Arts Club, Junior Woman's Wednesday Club, Modern Study Club, Progressive Study Club, Twentieth Century Club, Woman's Wednesday Club, Midland Garden Club, Tejas Garden Club, Yucca Garden Club, Business and Professional Women's Club, Altrusa Club, Beta Delta and Xi Theta Chapters of Beta Sigma Phi, and the Westside, Valley View, Prairie Lee and Garden Addition Home Demonstration Clubs.

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Wranglers To Meet Tuesday Morning

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"Top Wrangler of the Month" will be named, and plans for the club's participation in the 19th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 1-8, will be mapped.

The Wranglers Club is the official membership and executive division of the Midland Chamber of Commerce. It has 14 members, divided into two groups—Cowhands and Bronco Busters.

The foreman urged a full attendance of cowpokes at the Tuesday breakfast.

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Experts Say 'Feet First' For Child's Health And Comfort

By DAVID TAYLOR MARKE AP Newsfeatures

When a child has poor posture, feels listless and tires easily, look to his feet, advises Dr. Benjamin Kauth, Director of the American Foot Care Institute and of the Podiatry Society of the State of New York.

Cooperating with the health education department of New York's school system, podiatrists already have examined the feet of 350,000 school children, says Dr. Kauth.

His plans call for 1,000,000 examinations before they are through. Thus far, he says, they have found that foot troubles develop according to age at the following ratio: At age 1, 8 per cent have signs of weakness; at age 2, 22 per cent; at age 3, 35 per cent; at age 4, 41 per cent; at age 5, 53 per cent; at age 6, 70 per cent.

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are defective are wearing outgrown shoes." Hard as it may seem to parents, says Dr. Kauth, between the ages of 2 and 5, children's shoes should be changed every six weeks.

Parents can do much to keep their children's feet healthy, says Dr. Kauth. He advises: 1. Watch growing feet. Replace shoes with a larger size as soon as needed.

Teach Correct Walk 2. Teach children to toe straight ahead when walking. Toeing out weakens the ankles and arches and ruins a graceful stride.

Discard stockings which are crowding the toes and might cause ingrown nails and large joints. 4. Bathe feet daily in warm water with a good grade of soap, brushing the toe nails.

Cut toe nails straight across, not shorter than the flesh at the end of the toes. 6. Never cut corns or callouses unless certain the cutting instrument has been thoroughly sterilized.

Keep the heels of shoes straight. Worn over heels cause weak ankles and foot strain. 8. Buy shoes for comfort as well as style. Never permit tight shoes to be worn.

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Keep your youngsters safe and happy playing in the back yard. Get a play gym set from MIDLAND HARDWARE. The all-metal slides are safe fun. There are two sizes, 12-foot and 8-foot slides of ladder type with arched guards at top. There are kiddie play gym sets with trapeze, swings, chains, rings and acting bars, and ladder with "see-saw." These play sets come already assembled. Your youngsters won't need any encouragement to play out in the sun. They'll have many happy hours of amusement right in their own back yard.

An expert paint job can enhance the value of your car as well as transform its appearance. PRINGLE'S BODY SHOP, 807 East Florida, does an expert job with a spray gun. They also offer 24-hour wrecker service. They have used cars for sale including late models, and new and used parts. These can be installed by the shop at reasonable cost. Drive by and let them give you an estimate on a re-paint job. Telephone 219.

MILLER BROTHERS TRIM SHOP, 114 East Wall (rear), makes custom made seat covers to fit your car and your budget. They have fabrics that are serviceable and attractive. Their new fabrics include Sun Shure and Twichell for moderately priced seat covers. They are custom made and installed for \$22.50. You'll like these for cool Summer driving. Protect your upholstery with these attractive and practical seat covers. A crew of expert technicians design and make seat covers from your choice of materials.

Bowling is the sport for every age, boy or girl. That means you! Whether you knock down a tournament score or never have played before, FLAMOR PALACE is your alley. So come along, children and grown-ups, too. The alley is open every night for open bowling. Improve your score so you'll be right up there with the best of them and have the time of your life while learning. Capable instructors will be there to teach you the game if you are a beginner.

Don't have your vacation trip spoiled by engine trouble. Drive by MURRAY-YOUNG MOTORS, LTD., and learn about their vacation special. Their protective maintenance service includes lubrication, checking brakes, lights and steering. Trained specialists go over your automobile and locate any lurking trouble. Stop by before you go—for this protective maintenance service that will insure you of a pleasant trip. "Holdups," can be mighty unpleasant, when they're on simmering highways.

It's a show place at MIDLAND HARDWARE where sportsmen swap tales and buy the finest fishing tackle offered for sale. Fishing is more fun with good equipment. Be "sporty" this vacation and select your equipment from Midland Hardware where you'll find anything in the sports line you desire. Croquet sets, baseball equipment, air rifles and picnic ice boxes are a few suggestions that will help the whole family enjoy the great outdoors.

Clothes may not make the man but the way he wears them is decidedly important to his self esteem and his feeling fine and fit. If your suit does not fit the way you want it to, take it to YATES ALTERATION SHOP, 1018 West Wall. Mrs. Yates does expert alterations on men's, women's and children's clothes. Suits and dresses, trousers, skirt hems—any kind of tailoring is done here. Call 491.

Clumsy Hands And Feet Mar Charm Of Woman In Crowds

By ALICIA HART NEA Staff Writer

The most serious indictment of a woman's charms is made when you say that she is clumsy. As serious as this charge is, no one who travels on packed public conveyances or walks into crowded buildings can fail to level it at many women.

A man's clumsiness is quite of an excuse. A woman's never is. There seems to be more of an obligation upon a woman's part to discipline her hands and feet.

The woman who hasn't educated her hand not to jab bus passengers with her fingers, or her feet not to trample over everything in her path as she teeters down the aisle needs badly to train these clumsy members.

The need would be to realize that hands and feet are pushovers for mischief, unless their owner watches over them. Control over any wild tendencies to jab other people or step on them is necessary until a woman can feel confident of the good behavior of her feet and hands in crowded places, and again in the more intimate social gatherings where their bad behavior is certain to annoy friends.

To Wed June 15



Miss Jane McLean, commercial art teacher in the McCamey High School, and Kennard Cody of Osona will be married June 15 in the home of her parents in Dilley, Texas. Cody is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cody of Clyde, Texas. Following the wedding, the couple will be at home in Osona.

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Get Rid Of Decorating Gremlins—

If your home is haunted by out-of-date decorating crimes, you can eliminate these decorating gremlins with bright new chintzes, fallies, and gaily printed cottons from MIDLAND HARDWARE LINEN DEPARTMENT. They have just received a new shipment of Michiel Josef fabrics. Examine the swatches—make your selections now from this gala assortment. These lovely fabrics will bring out your decorative talents. You'll enjoy planning new draperies and slipcovers for your home.

For Vacation Reading—

Books always make nice gifts for any occasion. For graduation you can find a book that will suit the individual boy or girl at the BOOK STALL. You may choose from such titles as "Best Sport Stories of 1947," edited by Ervin T. Marsh and Edward Ehrer. "Complete Works of O'Henry." "You Can Always Tell a Freshman," by Elizabeth Ann Hudnut and other gift ideas. This assortment includes photo albums, memory books, book plates and film stationery.

Like Fragrant Snow—

The infallible way to say "Congratulations" to a girl graduate is to make her a present of a fine cologne in a decorative bottle that she'll be proud to keep on her dressing table. DUNLAP'S is featuring a special on Dorothy Gray's Hot Weather Cologne. There are five exquisite fragrances to choose from. They include June Bouquet, Jasmine, Banquet, Sweet Spice, Natural and Summer Breeze. They will make her feel "like fragrant snow, from head to toe."

Perfection Please—

On the big occasion everything must be perfect—right to her cottage. Be sure to order it from BUDDY'S FLOWERS. If you don't know quite how to put it into words—send the medium—flowers, on anniversaries, holidays, birthdays or just when you're thinking of her. Buddy's delivers fragrant, lovely flowers, artistically arranged. Buddy's is prepared to fill all floral needs.

Artistic Hair Styling—

Your graduation day is the most thrilling achievement of your life. You'll want to look your prettiest on this memorable occasion. Call MOZELLE'S BEAUTY SHOP, telephone 1324, and make your appointment for your graduation hair-do. Your busy social season calls for a lot of grooming. Mozelle's Beauty Shop can give you a hair style that will be lovely and easy to manage with a minimum of care. Expert hair stylists will create a coiffure that will be your "crowning glory."

Make Her Feel Charming—

Rare compliments to the girl graduate who receives a gift from CAMERON'S. Shining sphereshaped atomizers by Xpray and the most heavenly perfumes and colognes to put in them! Graduation is a wonderful achievement and a gift in keeping with the occasion can be found among Cameron's selection. Lovely compacts, manicure sets, comb and brush sets and cameras are a few you'll find here. Beautiful Hallmark cards of congratulation to accompany your gift add the touch of perfection to an appropriate choice.

Stored In Correct Humidity—

Don't let your furs be robbed of their natural beauty and highlights. Certified cold storage keeps the natural oils in furs, also they will remain glossy and will not shed. At MIDDLETON CLEANERS, 109 SOUTH Cartzco, your furs are handled with care and stored in correct humidity so ideal for fur protection. You'll spend a carefree Summer when you know your winter clothes have been properly cleaned and stored through Summer months. Middleton Cleaners uses only the most modern methods.

Beautiful Picture Moldings—

You'll want a special frame for that graduation picture. Just any old frame won't do. At SIMMONS' PAINT AND PAPER COMPANY, you'll find an unusual selection of moldings to choose from. Just the right color, weight and style for that precious graduation portrait, diploma or certificate. Simmons' Paint and Paper Company will frame them for you with the molding you select from their varied assortment. They have just unpacked this new selection of moldings in preparation for graduation.

St. Augustine Grass For A Beautiful Lawn—

An attractive lawn depends upon the type of grass you choose. In this climate St. Augustine is recommended by horticulturists as a fast growing grass that thrives in dry weather, covers quickly and grows in shaded spots and doesn't require the mowing that other grass does. St. Augustine grass does not cause hay fever. WALKER NURSERY has this grass for sale along with a fine stock of tomato plants that can be planted now. These tomato plants will bear early as they are hardy, well-developed plants.

Refreshingly Yours—

Here's a grand idea for a desert-bridge party—or for brightening any meal! Stop at THE DAIRY QUEEN, on West Highway, and get a generous sized carton of that wholesome new taste treat—Dairy Queen. It's tops for a frozen dessert, so rich and so satisfying—the dessert that has "more" appeal. Your family will relish this delicious, new-to-serve dessert. Serve it any time.

Kruger's Marks The Milestone—

Graduation gifts from KRUGER'S take their place on the honor roll for they are of lasting beauty and will bring unlimited pleasure to the boy or girl graduate. Mark this milestone in your graduate's life with a fine watch, diamond, bracelet, ring, necklace, compact or any other gift from Kruger's. For boys you'll find watches, rings, lighters, pen and pencils sets, tie chain sets, and many other things to express your love and hopes for their future.

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Playing In The Backyard—

Keep your youngsters safe and happy playing in the back yard. Get a play gym set from MIDLAND HARDWARE. The all-metal slides are safe fun. There are two sizes, 12-foot and 8-foot slides of ladder type with arched guards at top. There are kiddie play gym sets with trapeze, swings, chains, rings and acting bars, and ladder with "see-saw." These play sets come already assembled. Your youngsters won't need any encouragement to play out in the sun. They'll have many happy hours of amusement right in their own back yard.

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An expert paint job can enhance the value of your car as well as transform its appearance. PRINGLE'S BODY SHOP, 807 East Florida, does an expert job with a spray gun. They also offer 24-hour wrecker service. They have used cars for sale including late models, and new and used parts. These can be installed by the shop at reasonable cost. Drive by and let them give you an estimate on a re-paint job. Telephone 219.

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Expert Alterations—

Clothes may not make the man but the way he wears them is decidedly important to his self esteem and his feeling fine and fit. If your suit does not fit the way you want it to, take it to YATES ALTERATION SHOP, 1018 West Wall. Mrs. Yates does expert alterations on men's, women's and children's clothes. Suits and dresses, trousers, skirt hems—any kind of tailoring is done here. Call 491.

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The name "Case" long has been the brand that represented fine knives. You couldn't have finer cutting tools in your kitchen if you were a millionaire. At MIDLAND HARDWARE HOUSEWARE DEPARTMENT you'll find them in open stock. There are paring knives, butcher knives, meat cleavers, meat forks, and steaks. They come with crown or blade handles with blades of stainless steel. Look for Case Knives for knives that stay sharp.

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Your Picture In The Paper—

You still have 'til Tuesday to have a sitting for your graduation picture to be published in The Reporter-Telegram. MIDLAND STUDIO is furnishing a cap and gown for the free sitting. However, if you wish prints from this sitting you're privileged to order them at a 10 per cent discount. The time has been extended through Tuesday to give all seniors an opportunity for a sitting. Hurry to the studio tomorrow or Tuesday. The cap and gown provided by the studio for the sitting has the white collar for girl graduates.

Make A Date For Breakfast—

It's waiting time at THE MANHATTAN RESTAURANT, on West Highway. Why not make a Sunday morning date to have a waffle. The Manhattan dining room is open at 8 a.m. every Sunday morning. Those crisp, golden brown waffles will simply melt in your mouth and with each waffle breakfast, fresh orange juice is served free. Make this Sunday a real treat. Make a date for breakfast—today at the Manhattan.

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"Parasol" Hats—

Women of glamor have chosen the "parasol" hats for this Summer. HATTIES MILLINERY SALON, 1019 West Wall, offers you these jumbo leghorns in soft pastels or dark colors. Also, there is a sale on Spring hats. You might find just the chapeau you want to complete that new ensemble. There are all kinds of gorgeous flowers to adorn your Summer hats. The salon will restyle and retrim your favorite last season model and make a stunning creation from it.

Human Race Is Sad Sight To Humorist

By HAL BOYLE
 NEW YORK—A lady poet once wrote: "Laugh and the world laughs with you."
 If this only were true, H. Allen Smith—who certainly is no lady and probably no poet—would be a happy man indeed.
 For his job is to make as much of the world laugh as he can. He writes funny books for a living. Smith should be in a position to give a formula on how to be funny in print. Beginning in 1941 with "Low Man on a Totem Pole," his books have sold some 2,600,000 copies. His publisher says he is "the best-selling humorist since Mark Twain."
 "The problem a humorist faces," he said, "is that people are on different wave lengths. The public reacts differently. Humor is the most difficult form of expression for the reason that you are never sure of it. And there is nothing sorer than a joke that doesn't go."

The humor wave lengths at his own four-acre homestead collide head on. Smith's daughter, Nancy, 20, likes his writing, out he doubts if his son, Allen, 21, has ever read one of his 11 books clear through. Smith began his career by shining shoes and sweeping up hair in a barber shop. He worked on a dozen papers as a wandering newspaperman, a career in which he felt a grammar school education was no real handicap.
Writes Each Book Twice
 "The thing I am proudest of in my newspaper life is that I was a helluva good rewrite man," he said.
 He still is. He rewrites each book twice. The first time he races through as quickly as he can hit the keys. The second time he puts on the verbal polish.
 His latest book, "Low and Inside," is a collection of baseball anecdotes co-authored with Ira Smith. "I think a guy who can write humor contributes more than 50 per cent of the serious writers," he said.

To him the funniest sight beneath the sun is the normal cemetery of any kind, because it shows mankind pretending to be more than it is. The "ism" he hates most is stuffed-shirtism.
 I asked him what was the saddest thing he had ever seen.
 "The human race," he said.
 Most humorists reach that conclusion.

Tommy Steele Gives Party On Birthday

Tommy Steele was host on his ninth birthday with a party at Pagoda Park Wednesday. His mother, Mrs. T. E. Steele, helped him entertain. Baseball and other games were played, pictures were taken, and a Mexican custom was followed when a penata, or bag filled with favors, was broken and the guests scrambled for its contents. Refreshments were served to Diane Burnside, Joe Taylor, John Tice, Mike Miller, Hugh F. West, Norma Grimm, Huey Eastie, Jerry Young, Eddie Klebold, Charley Hamner, Roger Walker, Dick Kelsey, Sandra Kirby, Dash Golf, Mike Miller, Gay Dover, Wright Cowden, Bobby Kuykendall.
 Earlene Watson, Mary Ella Hamner, Molly Person, Linda Sue Williams, Charles Thomas, Ann Bledins, Marcille Shock, Derby Munson, Joe Jay Steele, Ace Jean Hurley, Deneva Merrell, Wanda Lou Steele and Mrs. Spec Hurley.

CUB SUPPER PLANNED

A box supper will be held for Cub Scouts of Den 6 and their parents at 5:30 p. m. next Saturday in Pagoda Park. Plans are to be made for the Cub Scout camping program of this Summer. Each person is to bring a box for the supper.

Brownies Ready For Cook-Out Meal



Members of Midland Brownie Troop 17 line up for the noon day meal at their annual cook-out held recently at Cloverdale Park. Left to right, they are Kay McKay, Sandra Kay Aycock, Sassy Rinker, Bonnie Gay Blackwood, Jane Armontrout, Betty Sue Bowman, Sue Lynn Gregory, Sharon Evans, Lorraine Collins, Teresa McNeal, Janet Huffman, Patsy Stall, Sally Glass, Marilyn Johnson, Gretchen Meisenheimer, Andrea Bea Cole and Virginia Warren. The Brownies prepared the meal under the direction of Mrs. H. L. Huffman, Mrs. George Johnson and Mrs. J. C. Rinker, Troop Committee members, and Mrs. Bill Collins and Mrs. Howard McKay, leaders.

Tea-Dance Honors Two MHS Graduates

Patricia Benedict, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Benedict, and Joy Anne Guyton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Guyton were honorees at a tea-dance given by their mothers Wednesday. The girls are members of the graduating class of Midland High School this Spring.

Miss Guyton wore a white linen dress with white accessories and was escorted by Mickey McGee. Miss Benedict wore an aqua dress with white and black accessories. She was escorted by Alex Oates. The honored graduates each were presented a gift.

Members of the house party included Mrs. A. G. Grill of Houston and Mrs. A. W. Tweeling of North Cowden, assisted by Mrs. Frances Martin at the piano. They all wore sweet pea corsages.

Music for dancing was recorded and other selections were presented by the pianist. As the guests arrived motion pictures were taken. Each of the honorees presided at a book where she asked all the guests to register.

Spring Flower Decorations

Rooms of the Guyton home, 1108 West Illinois Street, were decorated with Spring flowers. The dining table was covered with an aqua and silver cloth. Silver candle holders were placed on the table holding aqua candles. The napkins also were aqua and the punch was served from a silver bowl by Mrs. Grill. An arrangement of white daisies and phlox decorated the table.

Guests calling during the three hours were Billie Prothro, Joe Mabbe, Glenda Shoemaker, Jimmie Conine, Jo Ann Nelson, Lloyd Henderson, Jean Blackwell, Bob Short, Theresa Finch, Joel Simms, Margaret Finch, Jack Lynch, Melba Clarke, Bill Little, Kent Miller, Janice Slough, John Green, Larry Buckingham.

Lavern Estes, Peggy Lou Whitson, James Barber, Sarah Lew Link, Louis Black, Goss Yeager, Toya Chapman, Bonnie McFadden, Bill Secor, Nancy Guyton and Patricia Guyton.

STRETCH LEFTOVER HAM

To stretch a small amount of leftover ham mix it with cooked elbow macaroni and a cheese sauce for a supper dish. Or use the ham for luncheon sandwiches by grinding it with American cheese and seasoning the mixture with sweet pickle relish and mayonnaise.

Read the Classifieds.

+ Coming Events +

MONDAY

Women's Society of the Asbury Methodist Church will meet in the Church at 3 p. m.

Calvary Baptist Women's Missionary Union will meet in the church at 2 p. m.

Rebekah Lodge will meet in the I.O.O.F. Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Women's Society of the First Methodist Church will have a general meeting in the church at 3:15 p. m., following an executive meeting at 2:30 p. m. Officers will be elected.

The Kate Oates and Irene Nix Circles will have a covered dish supper in the Educational Building at 7 p. m. Husbands of the members will be guests. The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet at 7 p. m. with Mrs. Pauline Kirk, 1119 North Colorado Street, to install officers.

Boots and Slippers Square Dance Club will meet in the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m.

Women of the First Presbyterian Church will have a birthday party in Mrs. Fred Turner's home, 1700 West Missouri Street, at 3 p. m.

Lockett Circle of the First Baptist Women's Missionary Society will meet with Mrs. Noel D. Cason, 1901 West Texas Street; Annie Barron Circle will meet in the home of Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, 1714 West Holloway Street; Mary Elizabeth Truly Circle will meet with Mrs. Richard Hinkle, 103 Club Drive; Lottie Moon Circle with Mrs. Mae Ward, 1209 North Big Spring Street; Mary-Martha Circle with Mrs. S. C. Dougherty, 1701 West College Street and Rebekah Circle with Mrs. W. T. Hagler, 503 North F Street, all at 3 p. m. for visits.

Joyce Crawford, 310 East Ohio Street will be hostess to the final regular meeting of Epsilon Sigma Alpha. The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Woman's Council of the First Christian Church will meet in the church at 3 p. m. to hear a report on the church convention held recently in Waco. Members are reminded to bring miscellaneous items to be sent to the Philippines.

Executive Board of the Trinity

Episcopal Auxiliary will meet at 2 p. m. in the Parish House. A general meeting of the auxiliary will begin at 3:30 p. m. in the Parish House. Mrs. William Potts and Mrs. James Brown will be hostesses. St. Agnes Guild will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the Parish House with Pauline Shelton as hostess.

TUESDAY

Daletth Delphian Society will meet at 9:30 a. m. in the Palette Club, 604 North Colorado Street.

Altusa Club will meet at noon for a luncheon in the Scharbauer Hotel. Officers will be elected at this meeting.

Twentieth Century Study Club will meet at 1 p. m. for a luncheon in the home of Mrs. W. H. Rhodes, 500 North Pecos Street.

Order of Eastern Star will meet in the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Circle Eight Square Dance Club will meet in the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m.

Planning committee meeting of the Woman's Club Building will be at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Earl Johnson, 2303 West College Street.

Men's Club of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet for supper at 7 p. m. in the Parish House. Reservations may be made by telephoning E. C. Rassman, No. 1234.

Methodist Men will meet for breakfast at 7 a. m. in the First Methodist Church.

International Relations Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of E. J. Elliott, 1602 West Kentucky Street.

WEDNESDAY

Progressive Study Club will have a luncheon in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Hotel at 1:30 p. m.

A barbecue and dance, sponsored by the French Heels Club to benefit the Midland South Center, will be held in the American Legion Hall at 7 p. m.

Holy Communion will be observed in the Trinity Episcopal Church at 10 a. m. Choir practice will begin at 7:45 p. m. in the church.

Fine Arts Club will have its final meeting of the year at a luncheon in the Ranch House at 1:30 p. m., with Mrs. Wilson Bryant as hostess.

Choir of the First Methodist Church will hold rehearsal in the church at 7 p. m.

THURSDAY

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

Westside Home Demonstration Club will meet in the home of Mrs. P. L. Crowley, 1008 North Loraine Street at 2 p. m.

DVT Club will meet with Mrs. Tommy Henderson at 3 p. m.

Forty-Niners Square Dance Club will meet in the Officers' Club at 8 p. m.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will honor Mrs. O. E. Dewey of Dallas, department president, with a banquet in the Ranch House.

Mary Immaculate Study Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the James B. Price home, 1007 North Big Spring Street.

FRIDAY

Ladies Golf Association will have its weekly luncheon in the Midland Country Club, 1 p. m.

Lucky 13 Club will meet in the home of Mrs. J. H. Walker on the Andrews Highway at 7:30 p. m.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. W. G. Attaway 510 West Louisiana Street, at 7:30 p. m.

SATURDAY

A formal dance will be given in the Midland Country Club for members and out-of-city guests. Jack Free's Orchestra will play for the dance which will begin at 9 p. m.

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

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

Cub Scouts of Den 4, West Elementary School, and their parents will have a box supper at 5:30 p. m. in Pagoda Park.

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SEATTLE—(AP)—"There's nothing like a bear to make you bear down!"

That was the observation of First Lieutenant Melvin Whatley, after watching one of his rifle squads go through an attack problem at Fort Lawton.

He noticed a large black bear, much taller than an infiltrating ground-bound soldier, was following the group.

The bear, he said, took a position some 20 yards behind the men, and from then on showed considerable curiosity as to how the problem would go.

The squad zigged. So did the bear. The squad zagged. Likewise Mr. Bruin.

After the problem was completed Whatley said he called the squad leader over and asked him if he knew the squad had a fur-bearing observer.

"Huck no!" exclaimed the wide-eyed soldier. "If I had, I would have reached my objective much sooner than I did!"

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Matinee Sunday To End Run Of 'Laura'; Children's Show Set

A matinee performance at 2:30 p.m. Sunday will close the run of "Laura," mystery-drama currently being presented by the Midland Community Theater. Planned primarily for the convenience of out-

Randy Rubin Extends Deadline For Making Graduate Pictures

Due to the fact that members of the Senior Class of Midland High School are out of the city this weekend on the annual senior trip, Randy Rubin, owner of the Midland Studio and Camera Shop, has extended the deadline for making free pictures of the graduates through Monday and Tuesday.

The picture taking is an annual courtesy of the Midland Studio. They will be published in The Reporter-Telegram.

Only 84 members of the class have visited the studio to have their pictures made, Rubin said. He urged other graduates to stop by the studio either Monday or Tuesday.

Tangy Pickles Add Touch To Salads



Film star Robert Sterling is a cold-cut and pickle fan.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

Like pickles? If you do, read on and enjoy yourself.

Pickle Chicken Salad
(4 servings)
Two cups cooked cubed chicken, 2 chopped hard-cooked eggs, 1 1/2 cups diced celery, 1/2 cup chopped cross-cut sweet pickles, 1/2 cup mayonnaise, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper, lettuce.

Combine chicken, eggs, celery and pickles; mix well. Add mayonnaise, salt and pepper. Mix together

Betrothal Cited



Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Collis of McCamey have announced the engagement of their daughter, Dolores Rose Collis, to Bill M. Dukes, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dukes of Iraan. Miss Collis is a graduate of Iraan High School and Draughn's Business College and now is employed in Lubbock. Dukes also is a graduate of Iraan High School and is attending Texas Tech. The couple is planning a June wedding.

thoroughly. Chill. Serve on beds of crisp lettuce. Garnish with whole pickle slices.

Pickle Pizza Pies
(6 servings)

Six tablespoons tomato paste, 3 tablespoons Italian-style grated cheese, 3 tablespoons sweet pickle relish, 1 small garlic clove, minced, 1 1/4 teaspoon salt, 6 English muffins, butter or fortified margarine.

Combine tomato paste, cheese, pickle relish, garlic and salt; blend well. Cut English muffins in half cross-wise and spread with butter or margarine. Spread tomato mixture on halves of English muffins and toast in preheated broiler until muffins are slightly browned or about 3 minutes.

An easy meal can be put together in record time with cold cuts, Swiss cheese, pickles, man-size cups of coffee, enriched rye bread and poppy seed rolls plus a hearty tossed green salad mixed with a real Tangy Salad Dressing for extra zip.

To arrange the platter, place alternate layers of meat and Swiss cheese fan fashion around the shoulder of the plate, and pile the center high with a variety of pickles.

A good assortment of pickles consists of sweet gherkins, dill and sweet cucumber pickles.

Tangy Salad Dressing for Hearty Tossed Green Salad
(Makes about 1 cup dressing)

Three-quarters cup salad oil, 1/4 cup vinegar, 2 tablespoons sweet pickle relish, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper, 1 teaspoon sugar (optional).

Combine all ingredients and mix together well. Chill thoroughly. Serve on tossed green salad.

Young And Older Readers Can Find New Library Books

A large number of new books, including fiction ready for Summer reading, has been added to the Midland County Library in the last week, Mrs. Lucile Carroll, librarian, announces. She invites all Midland residents to use the library, which is open every week day on the first floor of the courthouse.

Adult fiction includes The Trembling Year (Barber), Opus 21 (Wylie), The Fires of Spring (Michener), Pride's Castle (Yerby), The Gentle Heart (Hamilton), Dark Wanton (Cneyney), Dying Echo (Knight), The Golden Warrior (Muniz), The Happy Tree (Kays-Smith), The Girl on the Via Flaminia (Hayes), The White Mountain (McNaughton), High Holiday (Norris), The Great Betrayal (Gardner), Come Clean My Love (Taylor), Pleasure Island (Maier), The Three Musketeers (Dumas).

Non-Fiction For Adults
Books of adult non-fiction are: Father of the Bride (Streeter), Vic-

tory in My Hands (Russell), 16 Self Sketches (Shaw), Modern Wonders and How They Work (Leyons), Fishing in Troubled Waters (Chapman), American Pewter (Kerfoot), If Russia Strikes (Eliot), You Can Change the World (Keller), The Voice of the Coyote (Dobie), Look at America: The Central Northwest ('ook-Periodical).

A Little Democracy Is a Dangerous Thing (Ferguson), The Great Pierpont Morgan (Allen), Annapolis Today (Banning), Directory of Medical Specialists, Current Biography, 1948, The Making of Man (Calverton), A House in the Cevennes (Salle), Albert Einstein (Levinger), Beau James, the Life of Jimmy Walker (Walker), The Making of Mirrors by the Deposition of Metal o' Glass (Gardner), American Medicinal Plants of Commercial Importance (Siewers), Fireplaces and Chimneys (U. S. Dept. of Agriculture Bulletin), The Writer's Market, 12th Edition.

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House Bill Would Lift Pay Limit For Juvenile Officers

House Bill No. 54, which passed the Texas House of Representatives last week, will, if finally adopted, alleviate Midland County's problem of compensation for a county juvenile officer, Rep. J. T. Rutherford has advised James S. Noland of Midland.

Rutherford said the bill provides that there will be no ceiling placed on salaries of juvenile officers, but that a Juvenile Council or Commissioners Court may set a sum they think proper and just.

Heretofore, the Midland district representative told Noland, all statutes have had salary limitations for juvenile officers, but the new bill would permit Midland or any other Texas county to compensate the officers by any sum they think proper.

Awaits Senate Action

The bill now is awaiting Senate action, Rutherford said.

He assured Noland of his sincere desire to serve Midlanders in this and other matters.

A Midland County grand jury several weeks ago recommended to the Commissioners Court that a county juvenile officer be employed here. It then developed that state statutes provide a ceiling on the salaries of such officers and that a suitable officer could not be obtained at the prescribed salary.

A bill exempting Midland County from the regulation was prepared and placed in the legislative hopper at Austin.

Noland, a member of the grand jury which made the recommendation, has been active in the legislative angle of the juvenile officer salary problem.

Individual portions of potato salad are attractive when they are served in large lettuce cups and topped with a tiny sweet pickle. In making the salad, marinate the potatoes in French dressing, then add mayonnaise just before serving. To give the salad a crisp touch add finely diced celery or sliced radishes with the mayonnaise.

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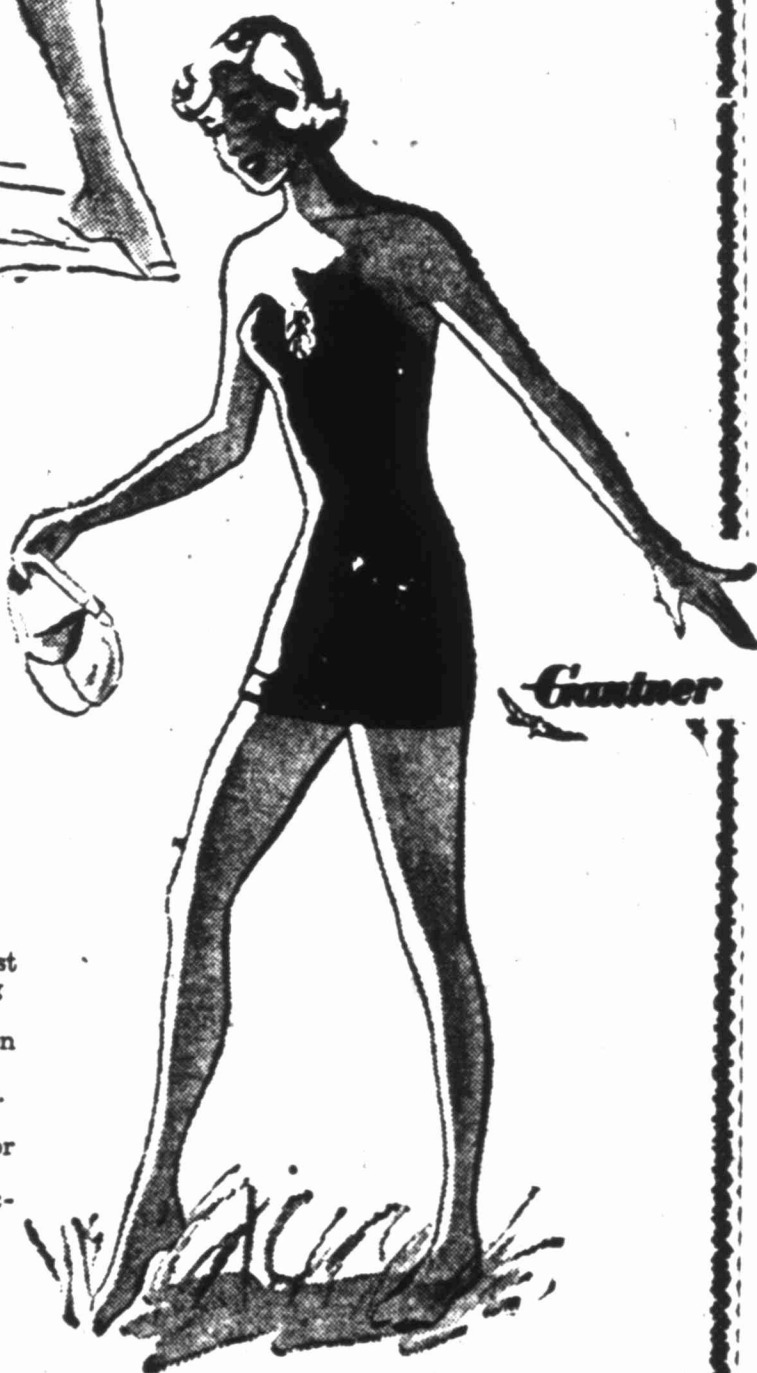
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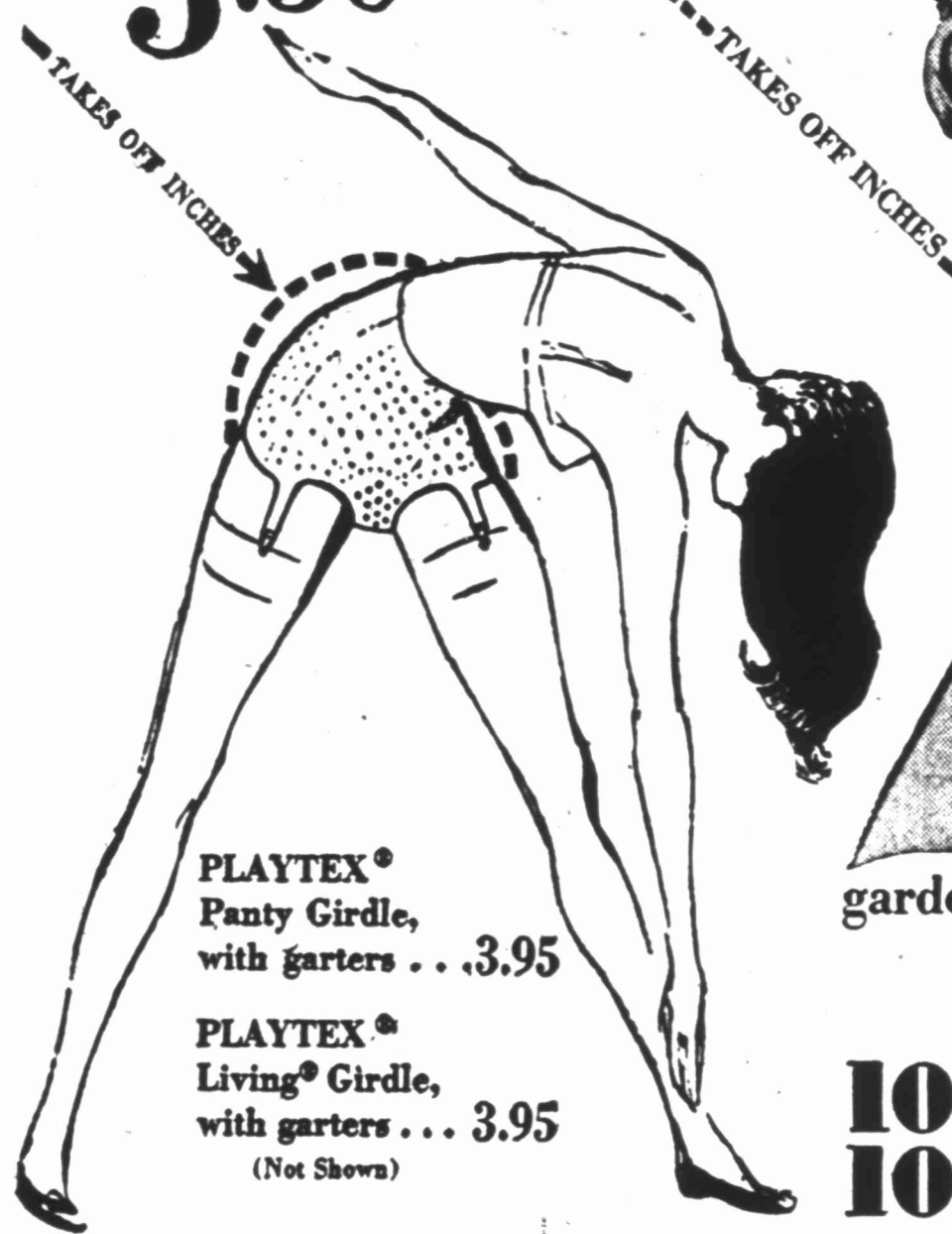
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Named the prettiest girls of their respective classes at Texas State College for Women, Denton, reading from top left clockwise, are Agnes Haynes, Orange, freshman; Laura Sessions, Waxahachie, senior; Evelyn Balcar, Beaumont, junior; and Jeannine Holland, Houston, sophomore.

English Chic



By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Fashion Editor
NEW YORK—The 1949 "Maid of Cotton" is back from her gypsy trek to England with her all-cotton wardrobe enriched by six British-designed dresses.
The International wardrobe of Sue Howell, King Cotton's good-will ambassador, now boasts the pick of the cotton crop of the U. S., France and England. As guest of the Cotton Board of England, the "Maid" modeled her cotton duds and posed for photographers against historic London back-grounds.

Pictured (right) at Big Ben's side and in front of the Houses of Parliament the "Maid" wears an afternoon dress of black and white striped cotton designed by Horrocks of England. The novelty stripe design suggests the threaded edge of picoté ribbon.
Pictured (left) near the statue of Arthur Sullivan of Gilbert and Sullivan fame is a Lawton Lewis designed sun dress fashion of novelty print lawn of navy and white. This dress has a full skirt, a sun-back top and a brief cover-up jacket styled like a cape.

1949 Building Mark Nears Two Millions

Midland construction for 1949 pushed close to the two millions mark during the week ended Saturday when \$94,000 in permits were issued. The year's total now is \$1,954,045.
Progressive Builders Association, a firm, took out 13 permits for as many frame residences with garages attached, each \$5,000, total \$65,000. Size of each will be 22 by 22 feet. Locations will be in the 900 and 1,000 blocks of North Colorado Street.
W. B. Zachry Construction Company was issued a permit for \$7,700 for a steel, sheet metal and concrete warehouse at 807 Connell Street. Size will be 125 by 36 feet.
Other Permits Listed
Other permits of the week included: F. W. Stonehocker, \$6,000, concrete, steel and sheet metal bulk oil storage structure, 30 by 40 feet; Shelby Davis, \$4,000, frame residence at 909 South Colorado Street, 28 by 28 feet; Scharbauer Coffee Shop, \$3,000, repairs; H. S. Marrell, \$2,900, frame residence with asbestos siding at 308 South Lee Street, 24 by 24 feet; Rockwell Brothers, \$2,800, frame apartment structure at 807 West Kansas, 16 by 29 feet; L. L. Huggins, \$1,800, frame residence at 1213 South Lorraine Street, 20 by 24 feet; H. E. Hall, \$44, frame structure (garage and auto repairing) at 210 South Fort Worth Street, 20 by 20 feet; B. F. Buffington, \$400, frame structure at 703 South Weatherford Street.

UNIFORM COOKIES
In making cookies, be sure that the pan is not so large that the cookies touch the oven edges, or the cookies placed in the center of the pan will not bake as successfully as they should. Those at the sides of the pan will probably burn.

District School Is Scheduled Thursday For Eastern Star

CRANE—Mrs. Lela Wilson of Crane, deputy grand matron of the Order of Eastern Star in District Two, has announced a school of instruction to be held in Big Spring Thursday. Mrs. Esther Baldwin, worthy grand matron, will be the special guest.
She will be accompanied by Mrs. Pauline Smith of Amarillo, grand examiner, and other grand officers. Chapters of the order from Midland, Lamesa, Coahoma, Garden City, Odessa, Goldsmith, Denver City, Seminole, Seagraves, Stanton, Andrews, Crane and Big Spring will take part in the day's program, which will start at 9:30 a. m.
A banquet is scheduled for the evening. Reservations for it are to be made with Mrs. Gladys Dalmont at Big Spring. Mrs. Fannie Mae Eakers is serving as worthy matron of the Big Spring chapter.
The school of instruction was scheduled for this section in January when snow and freezing weather made travel impossible, so Mrs. Baldwin has scheduled this special visit.
Members of the Past Matrons Club of Crane made favors for the banquet after a dinner at their latest meeting. Mrs. Hope Pettis was dinner hostess at The Grill, and the work session was held in her home. Mrs. Bessie True will be next hostess, on June 16.
Present were Mrs. Vella Mitchell, Mrs. Stella Shaffer, Mrs. Fern Johnston, Mrs. Maude Hubbard, Mrs. Wilson and Mrs. True.

Medicated Lotion Is Mask For Blemishes

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer
The girl who dreads to look in the mirror every morning for fear that she'll be greeted by a skin blemish can solve that plaguing problem.
She can provide herself with a medicated make-up to use for just such an emergency. Such a make-up, which is available in the form of medicated foundation lotions, helps to heal skin eruptions while it masks these little beauty blights from view. What acts as a blessed mask is a complexion tint with which these opaque hygienic lotions veil the skin.

Blue Cross Opens Regional Office Here

Regional offices for Group Hospital Service, Inc., and Group Medical and Surgical Service, the official Texas Blue Cross and Blue Shield plans, have been established in the McClinic Building here, it was announced Saturday.
Officials also announced the appointment of George Walters as regional director of the Midland area. He will be in charge of the Midland office.
The Blue Cross Services, it was stated, are guaranteed by 365 Texas hospitals and by 4,000 hospitals across the nation. Blue Shield services are given by any registered doctor of medicine.

Guest In Home At Crane Complimented

CRANE—Mrs. H. G. Waters was hostess at a bridge party in her home in the Texas Camp Wednesday afternoon honoring her house guest, Mrs. Jim Coffey. High score was won by Mrs. W. R. Hamblett, with Mrs. J. E. Clark winning second high and Mrs. Pete Parrott winning bingo.
Refreshments were served to Mrs. Ida Whittenburg, Mrs. E. R. Pettis, Mrs. R. V. Wilson, Mrs. B. E. McDonald, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Ray Frazer, Mrs. Hamblett, Mrs. Parrott, Mrs. R. T. Hubbard, Mrs. Wallace Johnston and Mrs. Coffey.

San Angelo Student Honored At Oxford

SAN ANGELO —(AP)—Joe Webb McKnight, Rhodes scholar attending Magdalen College, Oxford University England, has been elected president of the Oxford Law Society.
McKnight is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John McKnight, San Angelo. He is the first American student to be named head of the Oxford University Law Society. Last year he was the first American secretary of the group. There are five American students and 75 English students in the society.
McKnight is a graduate of the University of Texas and was a Lieutenant (JG) in the Navy during World War II. He was selected a Rhodes scholar in December, 1946. The scholarship to Oxford calls for

two years work only but McKnight has been asked by Oxford faculty to remain here for the third year to continue his studies.
ATTRACTIVE CENTERPIECE
Try mixing fruits with vegetables for an interesting and attractive centerpiece for a supper party. Green artichokes look charming teamed with yellow bananas in a white compote, or use green peppers and oranges in a straw-colored bread basket.
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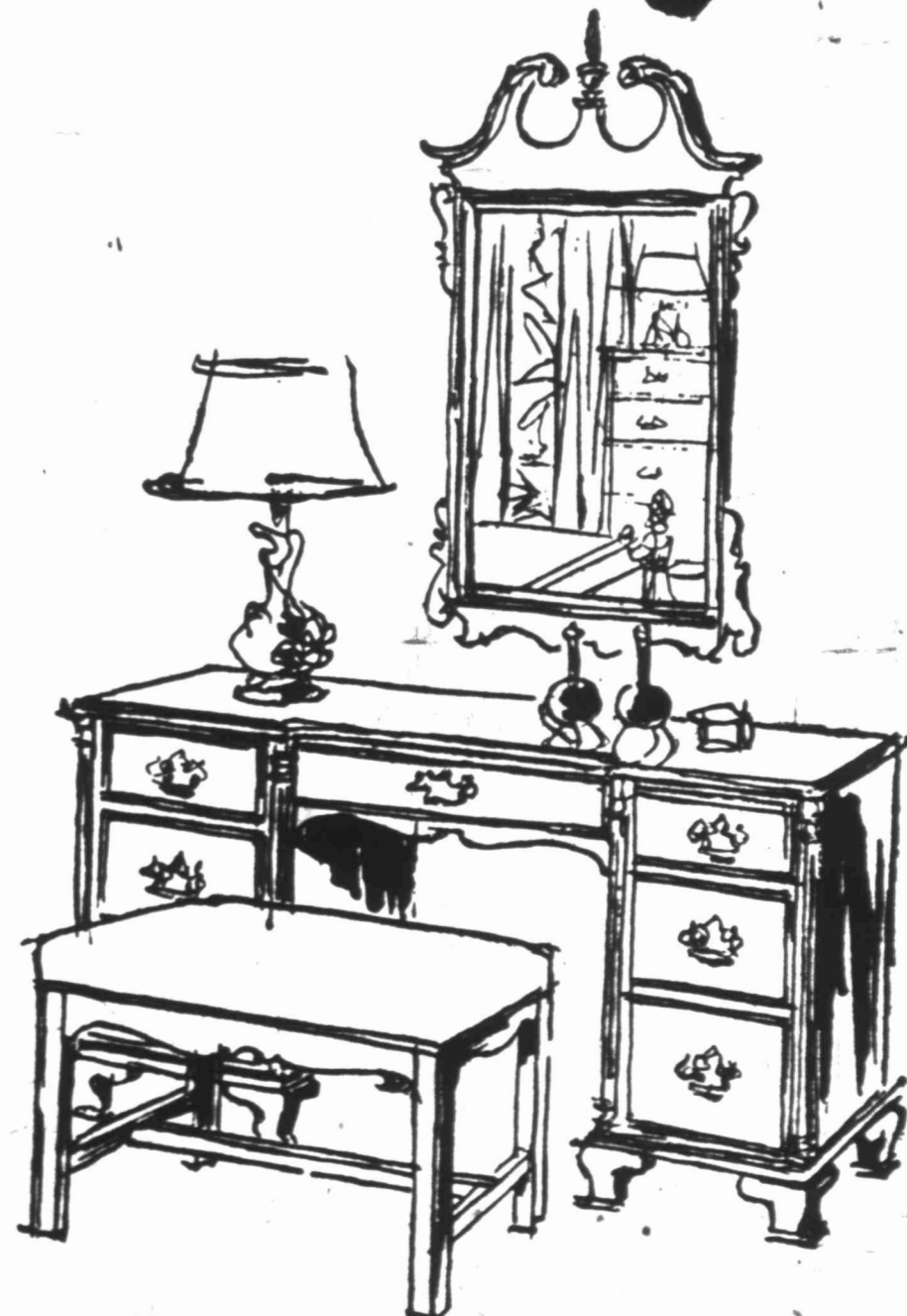
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Young People's TU Enjoys Kid Party

A kid party Friday night in the backyard of the Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Yearby's home entertained the Young People's Training Union of the First Baptist Church. Approximately 30 members were present.

Prizes were awarded to Nellive Clark as the prettiest kid, Lamoyne Labor as the healthiest kid, Louise Morris as the cutest kid, Jim Webb as the kid with the biggest feet, and W. E. Brown as the kid with the biggest waistline.

The costume guests played children's games and were served cake and ice cream.

Public libraries in 94 large United States cities house more than 44 million volumes.

Travel Expert To Bring Vacation Tips To Women In Two Programs Here June 2

The importance of women as planners of 83 per cent of the nation's vacation travel will be emphasized by Carol Lane, touring authority and speaker, when she addresses members and guests of two women's organizations here June 2.

A morning appearance, at 10 a.m. in the Tower Theater, will be sponsored by the Midland Woman's Club, and Miss Lane will speak again at 8 p.m. in the West Elementary School auditorium with the Altrusa Club as hostess.

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, program chairman for the Woman's Club, and Grace Wallace, who has the same position in the Altrusa Club,

have announced that her subject will be "Touring Gets a Woman's Touch."

Tests Travel Ideas

Miss Lane comes to Midland from New York, where she is Woman's Travel Director of Shell Oil Company's Touring Service. She has tested her theories of travel comfort in more than 50,000 miles of research trips last year, and has given personal help to thousands of women throughout the country in getting more pleasure from motor trips.

Miss Lane began her career in a minor position in the department she now heads. Although her department's services to women motorists have increased several hundred per cent in the last three years, she still finds time to test personally almost all the advice she gives. Her most recent investigating trip was conducted last Summer, when she drove over 11,000 miles, visited 12 National Parks, and gathered research material from 18 states.

She Can Fly, Too

A travel-minded Midwesterner by birth and background, Miss Lane is also an experienced pilot, holding two "firsts" for women aviators—in 1941 she was the first woman to make the round trip to Alaska in a two-seater plane and three years later she was first to fly a small airplane over the mountains into Mexico City.

A journalism graduate of the University of Wisconsin, she was the war-time aviation editor of a well-known picture magazine and on that job had occasion to test the problems of hot and cold weather travel during trips to the Yucatan Peninsula and to Labrador and Greenland.

Miss Lane is a member of the New York League of Business and Professional Women, the AAUW, the American Association for the United Nations, the "99's" Licensed Women Pilots Association, and Theta Sigma Phi, national honorary and professional journalism fraternity for women.

Junior Class Favorites At TCU



Favorites of the Junior Class at Texas Christian University, Fort Worth, are, left to right, Georgia Mixon, Plainview; Katherine Ann Frank, Fort Worth; and Pat Miller, Fort Worth. They will be featured in the "Favorites" section of the Horned Frog, Campus yearbook.

Troop 16 Sponsors Fly-Up For Brownies

An impressive candle light "fly-up" ceremony was sponsored by Girl Scout Troop 16 for Brownie Troop 9 Wednesday for the last meeting of both troops until the beginning of school in the Fall. The ceremony was held in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Mrs. J. C. McEachern is the troop leader for the promoted girls who received pins and wig at the ceremony. Members present were Janice J. Burke, Bobbie Jo Walden, Sandra Sandford, Cynthia Dupuy, Delores Walton, Annette Chaddock, Judy Pogue, Julia Marberry and Von Dean Hearren.

Present from Troop 16 were Shannon McEachern, Roberts Donnell, Mary Jane Cox, Sharron Fink, Jonanna Sewell, Mary Belle Ten Eyck, Nancy Mayfield, May Whitson, Janice Robertson, Gayle Peters, Patsy Guyton, Lawertha Hiett, Beulah Pittman, Connie Kitley and Mrs. R. F. Carroll, leader.

Others present were Mrs. E. O. Sandford, Mrs. James Marberry, Mrs. Dean Chaddock and daughter, Milanda; Mrs. R. E. Dupuy, Mrs. R. L. Burke, Mrs. B. W. Walton, Mrs. E. J. Walden and Mrs. J. C. Pogue.

Masterpiece of a Centenarian



Mrs. Adelaide Johnson, 100-year-old sculptor now living in Washington on a welfare grant, proudly stands before the statue she sculptured and donated to the Capitol in 1921 as a tribute to suffragettes. Mrs. Johnson spent most of her life and all of her resources in the cause of woman's suffrage. She worked closely with the suffragettes portrayed in her statue, Lucretia B. Mott (not shown); Elizabeth Cady Stanton, left, and Susan B. Anthony. The work, largest in the Capitol, took 20 years to complete and another 20 years to have it placed in the Capitol.

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Discussion Series For Youth Starting

Discussion groups for teen-agers, in a series to be directed by Bob Goff, will start at 6 p.m. Sunday in the First Methodist Church. The program, planned earlier this month, was postponed two weeks. It is to continue through five meetings.

Goff is an experienced leader of such groups. He conducted similar discussions in the Union Church of Hinsdale, Ill., the First Baptist Church of Oak Park, Ill., and in other school and church groups. He was on the staff of the Chicago Association for Family Living for two years. He now is training representative for the Shell Oil Company here.

The discussions will stress boy-and-girl relationships, but also will include relationships of teen-agers to their parents and community. All teen-agers of the city are invited.

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STATE HEAD TO SPEAK

Mrs. O. E. Dewey of Dallas, department president of the American Legion Auxiliary, will be the guest speaker for the auxiliary here Thursday, when members entertain with a banquet in the Ranch House.

The Pentagon has a gross floor area of more than six million feet—three times that of the Empire State Building.

Ceremony—

(Continued from Page 1)
 formed points over the hands. The skirt, forming a full circle, was shaped at the back into a short train. Her fingertip length veil fell from a halo of orange blossoms. Her only piece of jewelry was a single strand of pearls, and she carried a colonial bouquet of gardenias circled with white carnations with satin streamers.

Color 'n' Maids' Frocks
 Her attendants were Beth Bills of Midland, maid of honor; Lois Francis of Fort Worth and Billie Jane Johnson of Lubbock. Miss Johnson is the bride's cousin. Robert Peyton served as best man; Francis Stickney and Tucker Johnson, brother of the bride, as ushers.

Miss Bills' frock was of orchid taffeta, styled similarly to that of the bride but without sleeves. The scalloped bertha collar covered the shoulders, and the skirt was gathered.

Miss Francis wore a peach frock, and Miss Johnson was dressed in green, both with bouffant skirts and fitted bodices. All the attendants carried colonial nosegays of white carnations, with ribbon streamers matching their dresses.

The bride's mother wore a dress of grey sheer lumina with black and white accessories and a corsage of white flowers. The bridegroom's mother was dressed in grey sheer with navy accessories, and her corsage was pink and white.

After the wedding the couple and their mothers received guests at an

informal reception in the church parlor. Baskets of white gladiolus and stock decorated the room, and white flowers centered the white satin-covered table where Mrs. L. S. Sparks, sister of the bridegroom, cut the three-tiered wedding cake. A miniature bridal couple topped the cake, which was decorated in a design of white roses. Mrs. Tucker Johnson poured punch.

Leaving for a week's trip to Denver, Mrs. Roberts wore a navy flower-trimmed Panama hat and other accessories of navy. Her corsage was of gardenias.

When they return from the trip the couple will reside at 1002 South Colorado Street. Both are graduates of Midland High School and both are employees of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here.

Wedding Guests

Wedding guests from other cities included C. A. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Johnson of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Greenway and Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Greenway of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Rogers and Mrs. John Johnson of Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Naymon Everett of O'Donnell, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hughes of Knott, Mrs. Roland Hamilton and daughter, Linda Frances, of Lamesa.

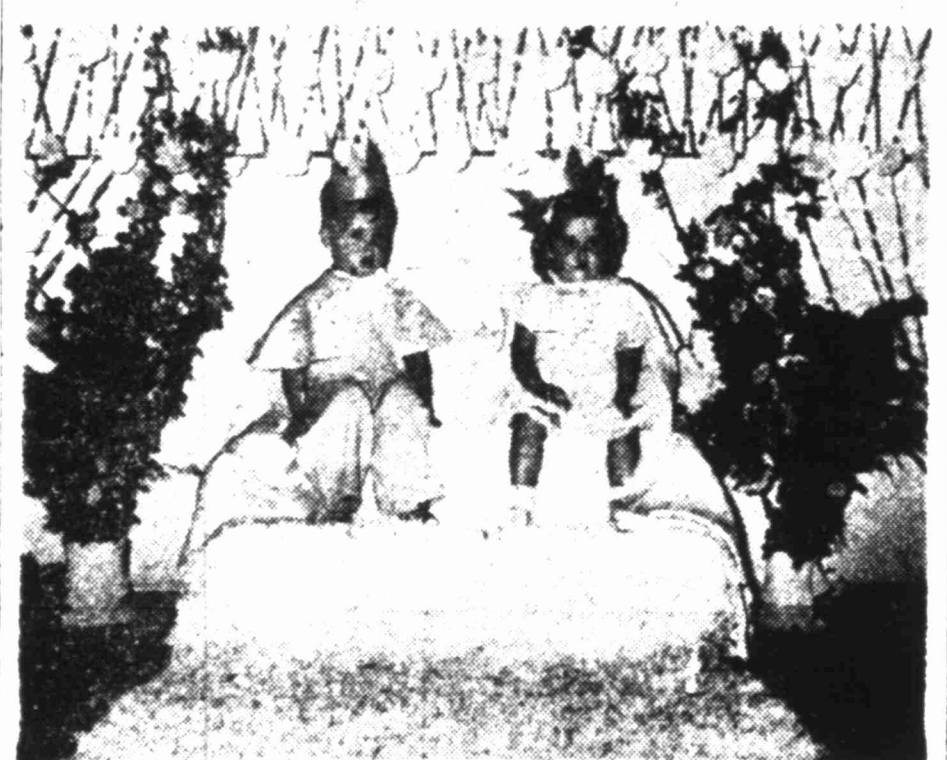
Mrs. Lucie Rogers, Lanetta Rogers, Jo Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rogers, Jackie and Sue Rogers, Mrs. LaVern Rogers, Sonny and Bob Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Roddie Rogers, Ar. and Mrs. John Romer, all of Big Spring.

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Tiny Tot Royalty Crowned In Baby Contest



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Winners in the three age divisions of the baby contest staged recently by the American Legion Auxiliary are pictured, some in the crowns and robes they wore in the Tiny Tot Coronation ceremony which closed the contest. Loving cups were presented to the youngsters who were crowned in the program at the American Legion Hall.

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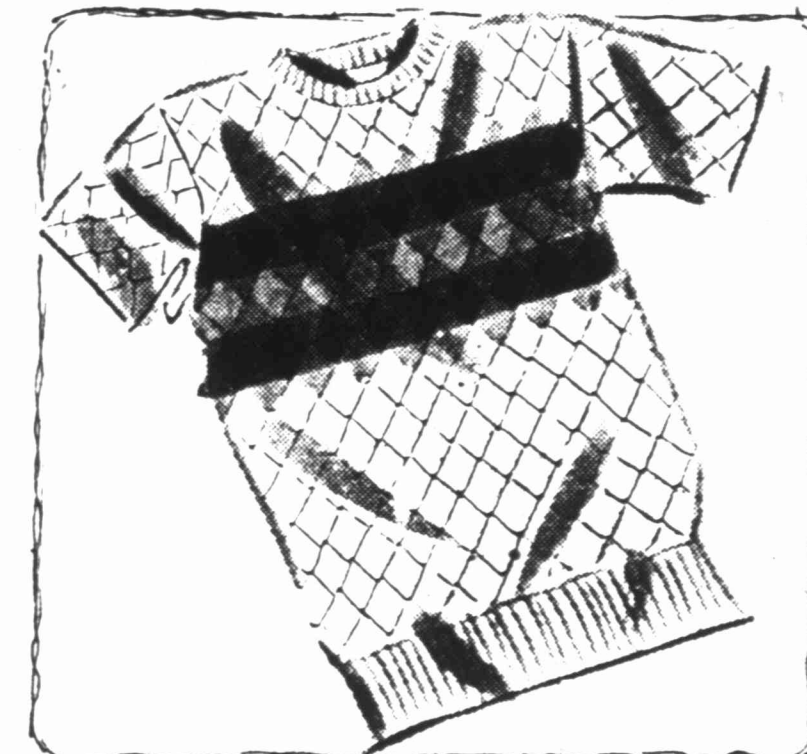
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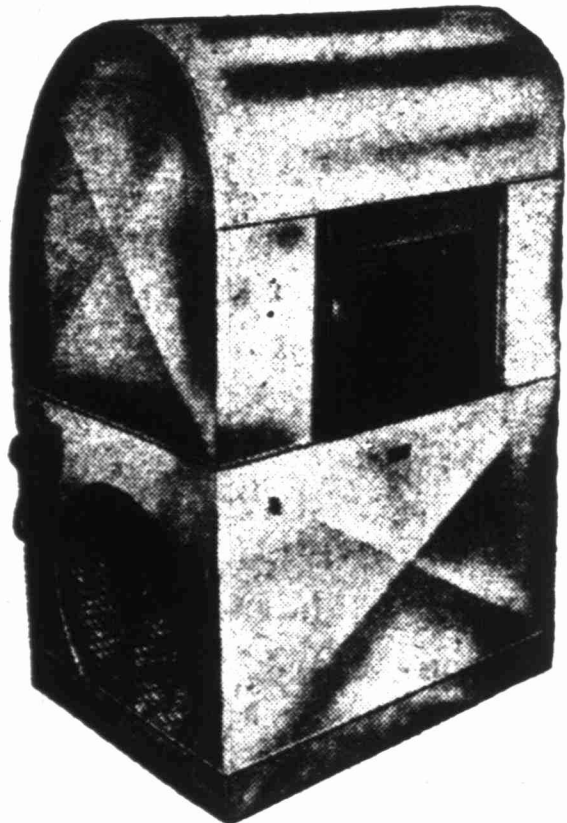
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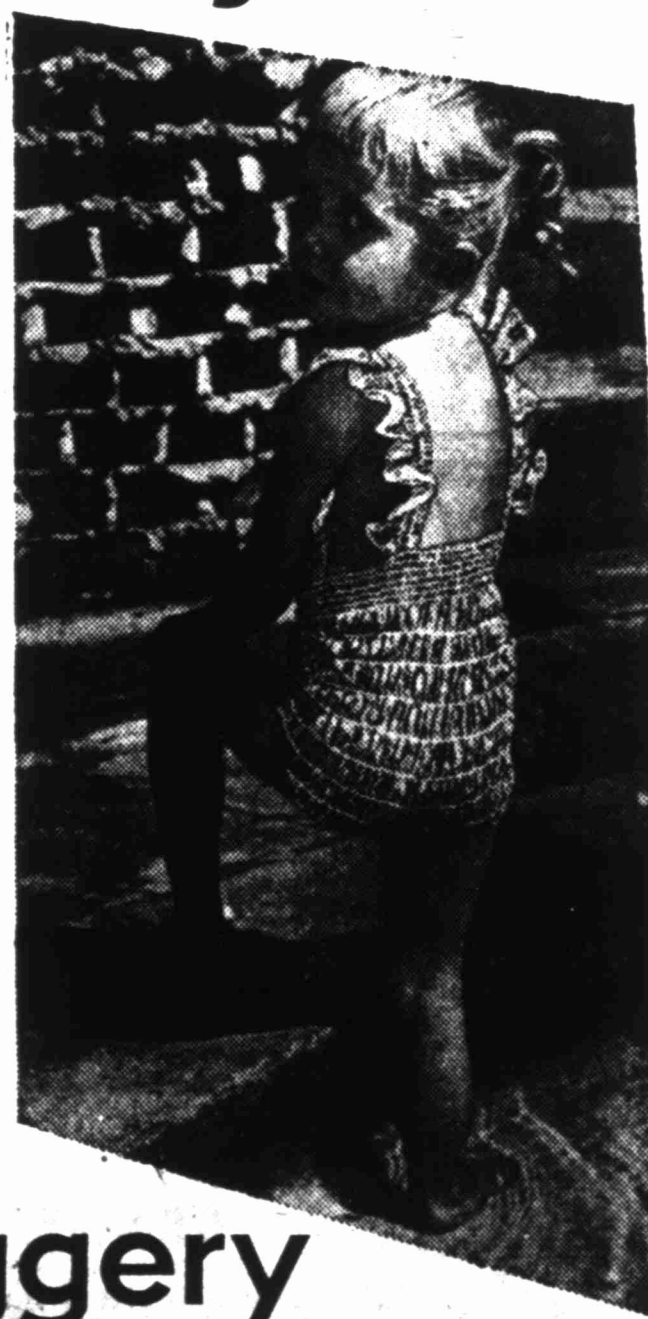
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QVV Club's Summer Plans Are Outlined

Plans for the Summer were made by members of the QVV Club, high school girls' social organization, in a series of recent meetings. New officers were in charge at the most recent, in the home of Katherine Lewis Wednesday, and none of the members who are graduating from high school this year were present.

A meeting was planned for June 6 at the home of Beverly Keisling, Atlantic Tank Farm, to be followed by a swimming party. Club sweaters were received last week. The QVV initials and the member's name are lettered in blue on each white sweater, carrying out club colors. At a previous meeting in the home of the new president, Margie Carter, the group autographed school yearbooks.

Girls who have taken part in these meetings were Nell Cole, Sue Corser, Jean Ferguson, Joy Guyton, Shirley Harrison, Miss Keisling, Pat Boles, Betty Campbell, Marijann Forrest, Chalkley Murray, Carolyn Cook, Peggy Minear, Maggie Lee Murphey, Peggy Caffey, Enid Little and the two hostesses.

N. B. WINTERS RETURN
 Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Winter have returned from Woodward, Okla., after attending the funeral of his mother, Mrs. G. S. Winter, on Monday. They left last Friday on being notified of the critical illness of Mrs. Winter, who died Saturday in a hospital at Shattuck, Okla. She had made her home on the S-Bar Ranch, southeast of Woodward.

The average life span was about 23 years in ancient Rome.

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Band Sweetheart



Jo Evalyn Fonville, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Fonville of Pecos, has been selected as sweetheart of the Pecos High School Band for 1949-50. She will be a member of the school's senior class next year.

Navy Recruiter To Visit Midland Grads

Franklin Stewart, GMC, USN, a Navy Recruiting representative, will be in Midland from noon until 5 p.m. Monday to confer with high school graduates and others concerning enlistment in the U. S. Navy. He may be contacted in the basement of the Midland Post Office.

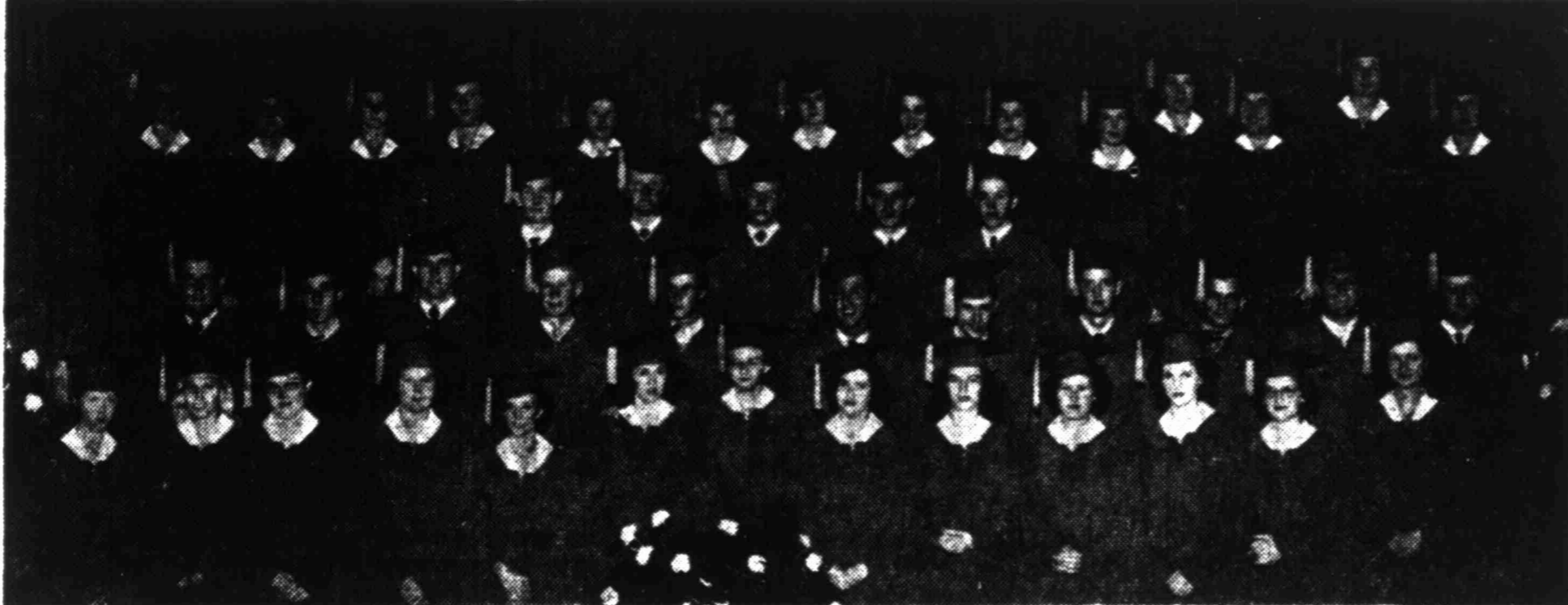
High School graduates especially are urged to investigate the opportunities offered by the Navy. The graduate are assured of attending one of the Navy's many trade schools providing they can qualify for the special courses. The Navy has more than 60 trades to offer interested persons.

Stewart is in Midland the second and fourth Monday of each month.

Episcopal Men To Meet Tuesday Night

The May meeting of the Men's Club of the Trinity Episcopal Church will be held at 7 p. m. Tuesday in the Parish House, Emil Rassman, president, announced Saturday. Dinner will be served and an interesting program will be presented. Reservations for the dinner-meeting should be made with Rassman.

McCamey High School Graduates Receive Diplomas



Forty-four McCamey High School graduates received diplomas in commencement exercises held Friday night in the high school auditorium. Robert Lea was the class salutatorian and Wynelle Morgan, the valedictorian. Supt. H. E. Stoker presented the diplomas and Principal E. R. Sharpe presented the school awards. The American Legion awards were presented by John Buchanan, and Fletcher R. Stapp made the Chamber of Commerce award presentation. The invocation was by Helen Sharpe and the benediction by Jack Strickland. Ann Hawkins played the processional. Dale Williamson and Wallace Hudson played a clarinet duet, accompanied by Claudine Brown. A quartet, Dorothy Todd, Mary Strong, Helen Sharpe and Wanda Duncan, was presented in a selection, "Aloha Oe."

Blouses Are Summer Show-Offs



Summer square dance companions are off-shoulder blouses of white broadcloth which are mated with plaid cotton skirts. Red embroidery points up neckline and sleeves of blouse (above). Starched eyelet ruffle encircles the neckline of blouse (top right). Bright plaid gingham strips which ring neckline (bottom right) match plaid of skirt.

NEW YORK—Blouse and skirt fashions come together as a team to pull kiting prices down to earth for this Summer's budget-minded Cinderellas.

Fine white broadcloth makes lace-trimmed or be-ruffled blouses which induce a pair of pretty shoulders to become ardent show-offs. The companion skirts are

made of plaid or solid-color cottons with elasticized waistbands which keep a good grip on the flighty shirt-tails of tuck-in blouses.

This team is heading for the nation's grange halls, school gyms and rumpus rooms where this Summer the stamp of feet will be drowned out by whoops of the square dance caller—EPISTLE KINARD, NEA Fashion Editor.

Monahans' VJ Day Gets Recognition

MONAHANS—Monahans' annual V-J Day celebration got official recognition recently from the Texas House of Representatives. The recognition came in the form of a resolution offered by Rep. J. T. Rutherford.

Citing Monahans as "the only place in the United States that has faithfully, sincerely, loyally, and respectfully observed this date in appropriate manner," the resolution extended "sincere appreciation to this community, Gold Star Mothers, Veterans, and all persons who have worked faithfully for this annual event."

The annual Ward County observance is celebrated August 14 of each year and began the first year after victory over the Japanese. The date marks the date of cessation of hostilities between Japan and the United States. The date is an annual holiday in the city of Monahans for which all business establishments close, banks included.

The Pentagon, the world's largest office building, is only five stories high, but consists of 16 rings of buildings connected by 10 corridors.

McCamey News

McCAMEY—The McCamey Board of Equalization is scheduled to be in session Tuesday and Wednesday in the City Hall and will hear protests from citizens or explain the new city tax setup. The rate recently was lowered and the property valuation increased here.

The board is composed of H. H. Rains, E. P. Halameck, A. O. Beavers and John Fussell.

Upton County officers this week recovered an assortment of pocket knives, rings, watches watch chains and a small amount of cash, all in pennies. They have been unable to locate where the apparent loot came from as yet.

Miller Hudson, an oil field worker, discovered the contraband and notified authorities. It was found on a dirt road north of McCamey.

J. W. Gaddy, Jr., was installed as president of the McCamey P-TA at a meeting here Thursday. Other officers installed include Mrs. F. E. Carter, vice president; Mrs. Lawrence English vice president; Mrs. J. M. Poe, president; Mrs. Lloyd Bowden, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Yale Key, treasurer.

R. H. Shraeder of Rankin was hospitalized last week for treatment of a back injury.

H. W. Bolivar of Rankin suffered a broken arm while at work last week. He was brought to the Cooper hospital for treatment.

A capacity crowd attended the first annual Spring dance program of the Bingham Dance Studio recently in the High School auditorium.

Mrs. Fred Harris was pianist for the occasion. The theme of the program was "The Garden of Dreams Come True." The following students presented tap and ballet numbers: Johnnie Wade, Ann Van Atta, Janice Carolyn Clinton, Mary Lois Houston, Judy Williams, Sandra Howard, Gay Carter, Sherry Babcock, Martha Lee Looney, Susan Haesly, Prudence Ramsey, Kay Windham, Sharon Reeves, John McAdon, Mary Alice Gillett, Ramona Meek, Sally Reeves, Carol Key and Sheri Fisher.

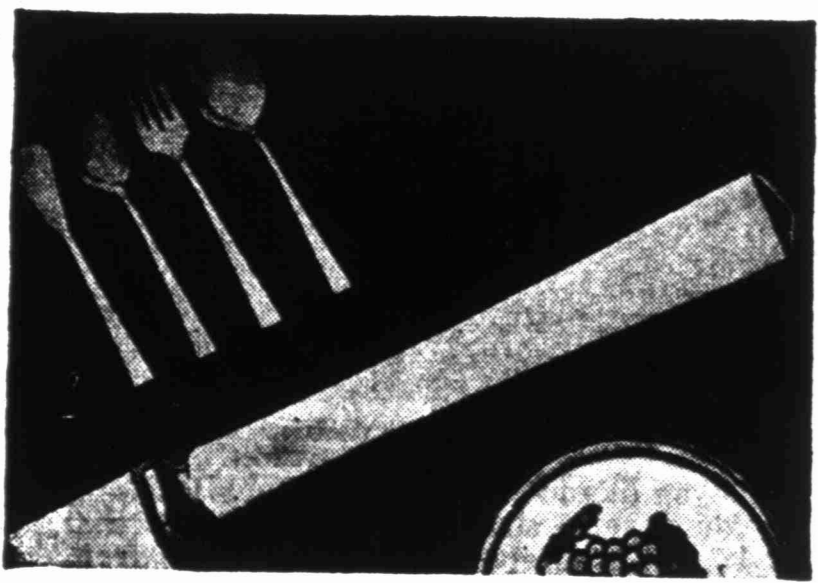
Mrs. W. L. Van Atta acted as sponsor for the occasion.

A pink and blue shower was given for Mrs. C. R. Ellis in the home of Mrs. J. M. Pirkle recently with Mrs. Perkie and Mrs. Dee Lockin as hostesses.

Those present were: Mmes. J. M. Williams, Booth Russon, Donald Pipes, J. Marshall Reeves, Curtis Winfield, Bill Nelson, C. R. Walker, Lee Shipman, W. I. Lee, W. O. Holmes and the hostesses.

Sending gifts were: Mmes. Dave Price, Roy Orchard, Burley McColum, C. C. Roberts, Hollis Huffaker, Charlie Martin, S. R. Braly and Miss Ruby Nell Braly.

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TERMINAL TATTLER

By GENE CAMPBELL

Mrs. Betty Crescent from Iowa is visiting her mother, Mrs. O. Upchurch.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Clark and family made a trip to the Davis Mountains recently.

Mrs. Ralph Skelton's mother, Mrs. W. P. Geasin, of Sanderson, is visiting with her.

Mrs. Forrest Wilemon entertained with a dinner recently for Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wilemon, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hubbard, and Mrs. J. J. Wilemon.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Evans have guests from Harrisville, Pa. They are Mrs. Evans' mother, Mrs. R. B. Campbell, and a brother, R. W. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Murpree have been visiting in Lubbock. Ronnie, their young son, is spending a week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Dixon have been visiting friends in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Schroeder are visiting in Oklahoma.

Wilbur Ash has received his license to practice Civil Engineering independently.

Mr. and Mrs. David Crump have moved to Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Everett have been visiting in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Counts are spending the weekend in Abilene, visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Freeman of Big Spring visited Mr. and Mrs. Woody Campbell recently. Freeman is Howard County tax collector.

Lee Snead celebrated his fourteenth birthday the past week. His mother invited friends in for a dinner, and an ice cream supper later.

Mrs. Bill Broxson is visiting in Abilene.

James Smith has sold the Terminal Cafe. W. D. Gober, formerly of Odessa, is the new owner.

The Terminal Lions Club met Thursday evening for election of officers. The officers named, when the Club organized recently, were renamed to their respective offices. They are the Rev. Curtis Rogers, president; Jay Clark, vice president; Woody Campbell, secretary-treasurer; Bill Whiles, tall twister; L. A. Rodeniser, A. J. Pittman and Frank Segrest, directors; Bob Shadden, second vice president; Jack Turner, third vice president; Virginia Smith is club sweetheart.

Mrs. W. O. Howard has returned from the hospital to her home, after undergoing surgery.

Mrs. S. B. Audas, Pat Audas, and Mrs. Jeunell Ray are Terminal visitors from Espanola, N. M. They are staying with the W. O. Howards, while Mrs. Howard is ill.

From West Coast
Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hancock have his mother, Mrs. Etta Hancock, of Long Beach, Calif., visiting with them.

Wanda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barnett, had a tonsillectomy Friday.

Mrs. L. W. Lanier is spending a few days in Childress.

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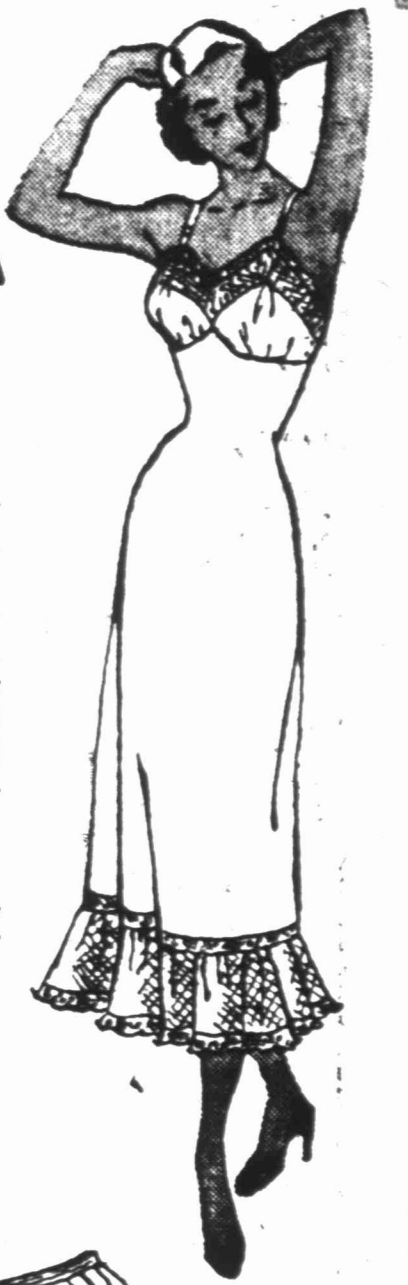
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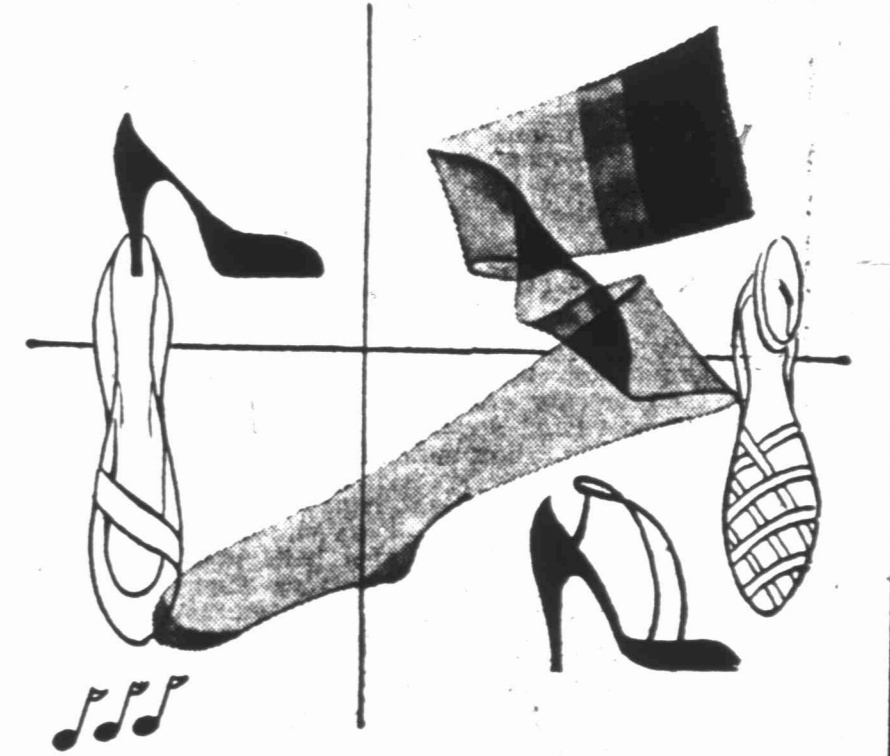


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Archie Rowe Places Second In State Judging Contest



Archie Rowe, High School Judger

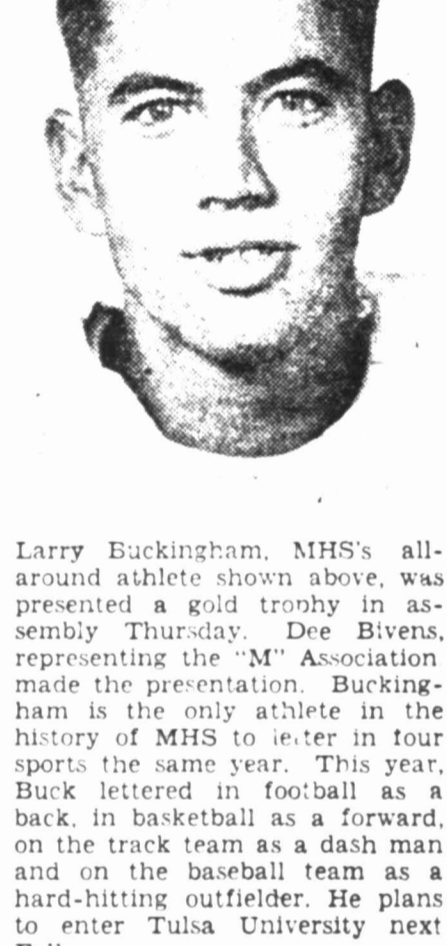
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MHS's PE Department Presents Third Annual Gymboree Tuesday Night

Highlighting the year work the PE Department of Midland High School presented its third annual gymboree at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday. Guest schools participating were Odessa and Big Spring.

boy attire, the Midland girls presented "Pistol Packing Mama," a tap routine.



Four Star

Larry Buckingham, MHS's all-around athlete shown above, was presented a gold trophy in assembly Thursday.

Following the Grand March were these numbers: "Around That Couple-Through That Couple," a folk song; "Schottische," "Little Brown Jug" and "Black Joe" by Mary Ann Scaries; Square-figures from "Sally Goddin," "Take A Peak," "Golden Slippers" and "Bird in The Cage," "Vargsouriana" and "Glorious" all by Midland girls.

Dianna Daugherty was the pianist for the tap routines.

Summer School, 1949 Schedule

Enrollment—On or before Wednesday, June 1.

Now We Know

At a bridge party May 14 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Riley of Rotan, the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss La Vera Riley to Brooks Middleton of Haskell, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Middleton, were announced.

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The Senior Class thanks the Juniors for a super banquet. It really was a treat.

Calendar

Monday—Home rooms at 10:30 a.m.

'His First Shave' Is Assembly Play

"His First Shave," a one-act play, was presented Tuesday in assembly by the Thespian Society of Midland High School.

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THE BULLDOG

Written By The Journalism Class Of Midland High School



JUNIOR HOSTS AT BANQUET— Seniors Honored At Annual Event

Last Friday, seniors as well as juniors were getting highly excited over the fact that only a few hours away was the long-awaited and anticipated Junior-Senior Banquet. At exactly 7:30 p.m., well almost exactly in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel, the event commenced.

The juniors worked hard to give the seniors a wonderful banquet—one to remember—and their work was not in vain. It was excellently planned and came off perfectly.

Down Bob's Boulevard

With BOB SHORT It has been suggested by several of our faithful readers that we ask: "Whom do you admire most and why?"

Strange-Looking Creatures Enjoy Eating Bananas



Here's a trio of South American opossums.

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Social Situations

SITUATION: At a dinner party you are not certain how to eat a food which you are not familiar with.

Three More Subjects Affiliated At MHS; Total Now Is 56 1-2

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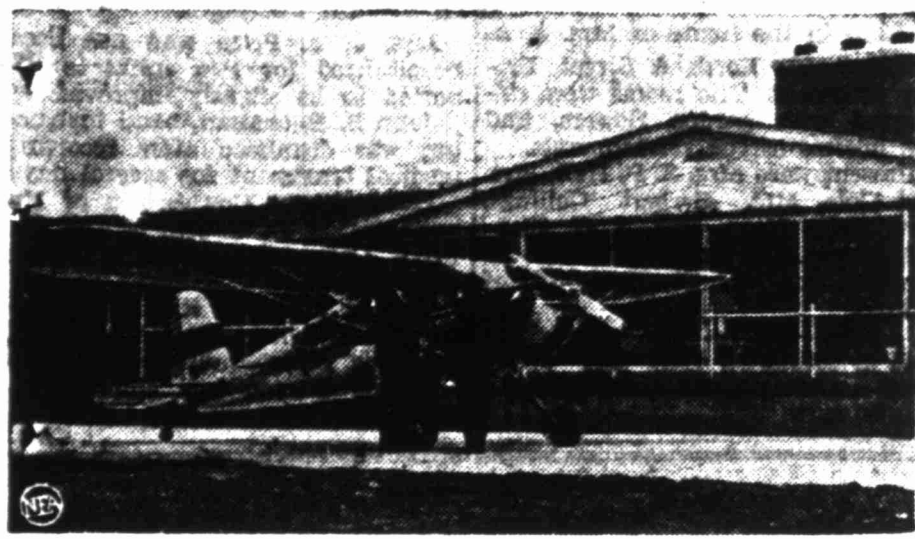
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Ex-Sea Dog Trains Guns On Crime To Sink West Coast Boom Underworld

SAN FRANCISCO—(NEA)—The underworld, from coast to coast, is keeping a wary lookout these days on California and the towering figure of a 76-year-old retired admiral who has sworn to smash organized crime and its masters.

As a boy, Admiral William H. Standley used to tag along with posses organized by his father, then sheriff of Mendocino County, in pursuit of desperate criminals.

As a man, he lost sight of his childhood ambition to fight crime and fought war instead. He served in the Spanish-American war, Philippine insurrection, Boxer uprising, Vera Cruz landings and World War I. His career ended when he retired to San Diego after being President Roosevelt's ambassador to Moscow during the crucial period of World War II, and a member of the high-level board which investigated the Pearl Harbor disaster.

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The commission has urged the Federal Communications Commission to stop the nationwide bookie racing wire, and recommended adoption of a law already on the Minnesota statute books which would make mere possession of a slot machine a crime, and automatically revoke the license of any premises on which one-armed bandits operated.

Admiral Standley's investigation has already resulted in conviction of four men for slot machine conspiracy, indictment of two others, and discharge of a sergeant from the Los Angeles police force. But these are small fry, not higher-ups.

Still hunting "big game," the admiral said, the commission has asked the Legislature to extend the crime commission's life another year to permit completion of the investigation.



Admiral Standley: As a boy, he followed the sheriff.

Coast, muscling into local rackets, and busily setting up new ones.

The commission's job would not be easy. It had no authority to make arrests or to prosecute anyone. Its assignment was to uncover the facts about organized crime—the identity of its kingpins, the sources of its political protection—and report them to the public and legislature, along with recommendations for punitive action.

Because organized crime has nationwide ramifications, the commission put a staff of former FBI agents and Navy and Marine Corps combat intelligence officers to work tracing the carefully camouflaged links of the national crime setup.

They concluded that big time New York and Chicago mobs, which had their inception in the Prohibition era are still functioning—and

still capitalizing on public opinion. But the 1946 racket empires have a new base—gambling.

Slot Machine Syndicate
A tightly organized nationwide slot machine syndicate rakes in two billion dollars a year income, the commission reported, and shells out an annual \$400,000,000 in bribes and inducements to local law enforcement officials for the privilege of operating without too much harassment.

The commission named Frank Costello of New York, one-time associate of Charles (Lucky) Luciano and Louis (Lepke) Buchalter, as the head of "The Combination"—a charge which Costello's attorney promptly denied. Costello himself claimed he couldn't even fix a traffic ticket in New York.

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Extortion is the favorite game of the crime syndicates—with local gamblers and racketeers who are loathe to "holler copper" the primary targets. Later, the commission said, the gangsters extend their field to prey on legitimate business, too.

"Organized crime cannot exist without political protection," Admiral Standley declared. "We are out to expose the higher-ups as well as the general pattern."

The commission has urged the Federal Communications Commission to stop the nationwide bookie racing wire, and recommended adoption of a law already on the Minnesota statute books which would make mere possession of a slot machine a crime, and automatically revoke the license of any premises on which one-armed bandits operated.

Admiral Standley's investigation has already resulted in conviction of four men for slot machine conspiracy, indictment of two others, and discharge of a sergeant from the Los Angeles police force. But these are small fry, not higher-ups.

Still hunting "big game," the admiral said, the commission has asked the Legislature to extend the crime commission's life another year to permit completion of the investigation.

All Girl Scouts and Brownies are requested by the council to wear their uniforms Tuesday while reminding housewives of the Jay-Cee-sponsored Clean Up Campaign. The house to house canvas is slated for the after school hours only.

Community participation and responsibility has been stressed throughout this year's troop meetings. Mrs. R. E. Morgan, council president, said, and the girls appreciate taking a part in this community project.

"When your bell rings Tuesday afternoon, and you find a little girl uniformed in green or brown, greet her as your friend. She is selling nothing; she is reminding that Midland must be clean to be healthful," Mrs. Morgan stated.

Girl Scouts To Ring Doorbells Tuesday In Clean Up Campaign

Bells all over Midland will ring out Tuesday, the day set when Girl Scouts and Brownies take to doorbells and telephones reminding their neighbors it is "Clean Up" time in Midland.

'Acheson' Gets an Assist



"Winston Churchill," complete with cigar and siren suit, holds the mirror for "Secretary of State Dean Acheson." This burlesque pose took place backstage during a skit at the Women's National Press Club annual dinner in Washington, impersonating Churchill is Mary Pauline Perry, while Acheson's "double" is Elizabeth Churchill, both club member.

TEXANS IN WASHINGTON—Republicans Cast Eyes At Texas And Florida

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Republican bigwigs here have their eyes on Texas.

Chairman Hugh D. Scott Jr. of the party's national committee set that he would be in an aside observation the other day while discussing Virginia politics.

The GOP chief, who also serves in Congress as a Pennsylvania representative, had been meeting with Virginians whose names will be entered on the August 2 primary election ballots in that state.

It will be the first time since the Civil War that the primary in Virginia has been anything but a Democratic affair.

"It seems to me that this is a natural step in the process of giving Virginia the competitive benefits of a two-party state," Scott said. "Texas is fertile."

After elaborating a bit on this point, he added:

"If we are successful in Virginia, we'll go into Florida and Texas primaries. You know Texas is fertile ground. We polled 100,000 votes there last November."

In a remark obviously intended to wean followers away from opposition party ranks, Scott said regarding Southern Democrats:

"If they believe in socialism then they should vote the Democratic ticket. Then the Northern Democrats will get the benefit of their vote and will call them brother or maybe comrade."

Around the Capital:
Texans figured prominently in the recent annual meeting here of the Civil Air Patrol.

Col. D. Harold Byrd of Dallas, vice chairman of the National Executive Board, submitted to the gathering an illustrated annual report showing work done last year by the CPA's southwest regional organization: Arkansas, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Oklahoma and Texas are in the region.

Attorney for the national CPA organization is former Dallas Congressman Hatton W. Summers, who holds the rank of colonel.

The veteran of 34 years in the House sat at the head table of

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the CAP congressional night banquet, wearing a borrowed tuxedo which he scraped up when he learned it was dress affair for those not in uniform. Elmore Whitehurst, a former Dallasite who holds down a top administrative job in the Supreme Court, came to his rescue.

President Truman dropped by the banquet to say a few words of praise for the CAP. When he came up to the microphone at the center of the long headtable he spotted "Judge" Summers and, with a big smile, reached over and shook hands with the Texan.

The editor of a Texas weekly newspaper has gone to Germany to help American Military Government authorities in their relations with the German press.

He is FRANK W. Zeiske of the Bellville Times. The son of a German-born father, Zeiske grew up in the weekly newspaper business. He will do what he can to inject some of the American methods and Democratic attitudes into the weekly publications of the Rhineland.

The Texas editor speaks and writes German. The Army asked him to work with it for 90 days in an advisory capacity. Enroute to Germany, he stopped over here for a talk with Rep. Clark Thompson of Galveston.

Speaker Sam Rayburn intends to show his appreciation to the folks in his hometown of Bonham "who have voted for me 22 times." Before coming to Congress in 1913 he had served 6 years in the state legislature.

Rayburn, who recently won one of the two Colliers Magazine \$10,000 awards for outstanding public service in 1945, plans to take the money, add to it some of his own and erect a library in Bonham.

In the library will be a collection of the many historical documents and papers he has accumulated during the past four decades of service in the state and national legislatures. He was speaker of the House his last two years in that body. He was elected speaker of the National House in 1940, a post he had to surrender for two years during the Republican-controlled 80th Congress.

Among other documents that will go in the museum will be all the volumes of the Congressional Record published since Rayburn took his seat in 1913. In these pages students and others can read the verbatim account of debates on such historical matters as World Wars One and Two, the League of Nations and the United Nations.

Necessary preliminary steps now are underway in the establishment of a foundation to administer the funds and transform the Rayburn library and museum plan into reality.

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Twenty-Seven Area Students Will Get Sul Ross Degrees

ALPINE—Twenty-seven students from the Midland area are among the Sul Ross State College students who will be awarded baccalaureate degrees at the school's twenty-ninth commencement here May 29 and 30.

They are Frank B. Warnock, Fort Stockton, Master of Arts; June Barbee of Texon, Jean Lewis Birschwald of Wink, and Peggy Lavigne Pouncey of Fort Stockton, Bachelor of Arts.

Frank Ray Barton of Big Spring, Jack Dugger Belcher of McCamey, Thomas M. Connor of Imperial, Charles W. Cox of McCamey, Irvin Currie of Stanton, Kathryn Frances Daughette of Barstow, William Douglas Fernandes of Odessa, Edward Scott Hammond of Monahans, Joe H. Hayer of Fort Stockton, Lurline Fitzgerald Johnson of Fort Stockton, Dexter S. Nichols, Jr., of Grandfalls, Eddie K. Norris of Kermit, Betsy Grant Palmer of Monahans, and Clifford J. Watts, Jr., of Midland, Bachelor of Science.

Robert Elbridge Dotter of Midland, Herman A. Connor of Imperial, Ray Weldon Evans of Crane, Raymond A. Hatch of Lamesa, Jack Bailey Ireton of Lamesa, William J. McMillan of Wink, Billie J. Moore of Pecos, Myrtle Lillian Gates of Balmorhea, and Byron Southard, Jr., of Lamesa, Bachelor of Business Administration.

The school's baccalaureate service is scheduled May 29, with commencement exercises to be held May 30.

Leftover gelatin may be cut in small cubes and served as a colorful topping for tapioca pudding. Children in particular enjoy this garnish. The tapioca pudding itself has to be stretched, add sliced bananas or peaches or some other fruit.

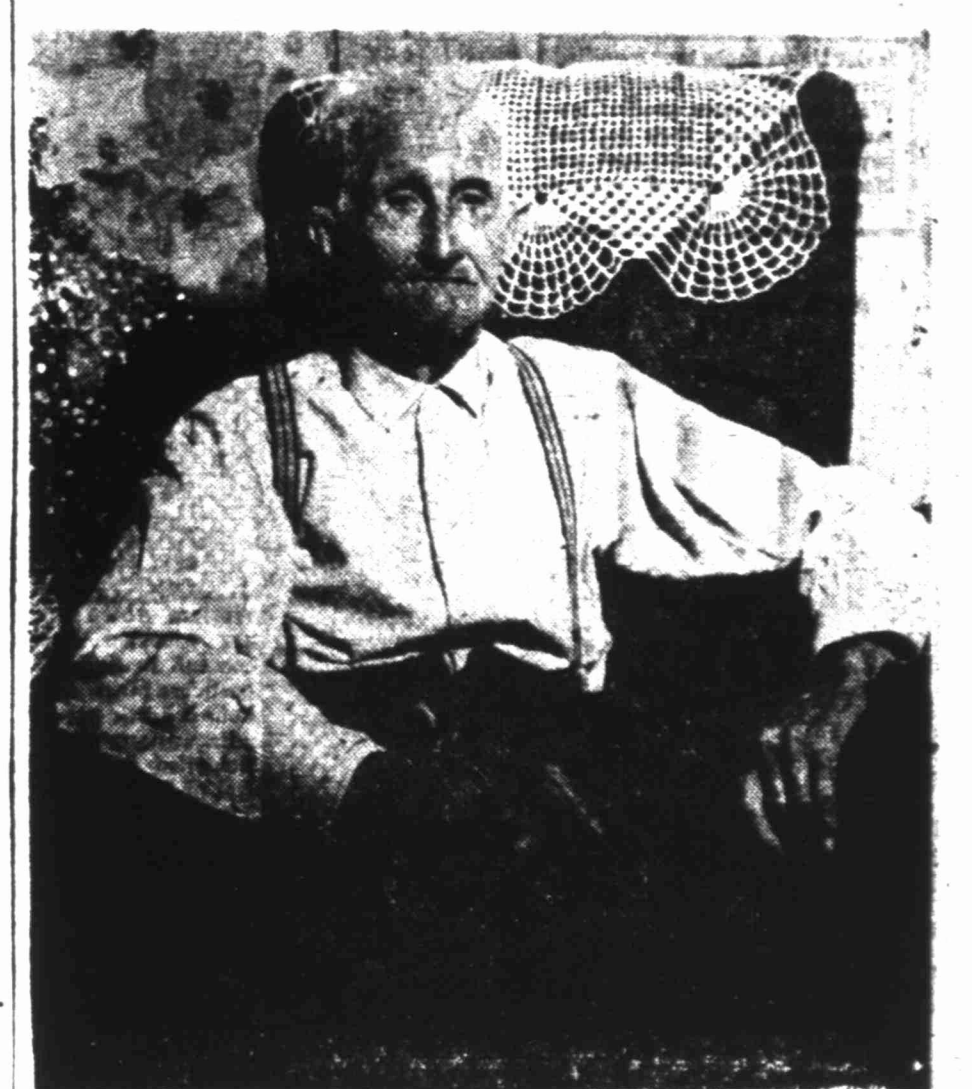
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95-Year-Old David Rhodes



Here is shown David I. Rhodes of Midland, who recently celebrated his ninety-fifth birthday. Rhodes remembers that he shot a white buffalo in the days of the early West where now is the townsite of Midland. He said there were bands of Indians around here at the time. Rhodes lives at the home of his daughter here, Mrs. E. B. Patterson of 704 South Marienfield Street.

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What The Big Four Will Argue About



This map highlights the major proposals and problems facing the Big Four foreign ministers at their Paris conference. It is the first attempt to settle Germany's future since the failure of the London conference in December, 1947.

Residence Markers Missing; Optimists Urge Cooperation

The Midland Optimist Club Saturday issued an urgent plea to youths and other citizens to please cooperate in a project sponsored by the club to raise funds for boys work in the city.

The Optimists are sponsoring the sale of special "night light" residence numbers as a project to finance a boys' softball league and other activities, and also to provide money for the boy salesmen, who place the markers on the lawns.

W. P. Z. German, Jr., club president, said the sales have been excellent and the response of citizens most generous until the markers started disappearing two or three nights ago.

Seven in One Block. Friday night, the theft of seven color markers in one block was reported. The markers had been anchored and a car apparently was used to pull them out of the ground. Youths were reported to have been "active" in that particular neighborhood Friday night.

Club officers said youths or others taking the markers perhaps are not aware of the real harm they are causing. The project does not profit the club one dime, since all the money goes to Midland boys. They urged the full cooperation of citizens.

Order Of Eagles Plans Organization Of Midland Unit

Plans for the organization of a new Aerie of the Fraternal Order of the Eagles in Midland were announced Saturday by Dewey Shelton of Odessa, an organizer for the order.

Eddie Jones has started the compilation of a charter list for the new Aerie. He may be contacted at the Planor Palace.

A meeting of all interested persons will be held at 7:30 p. m. in the county courtroom of the Midland County Courthouse.

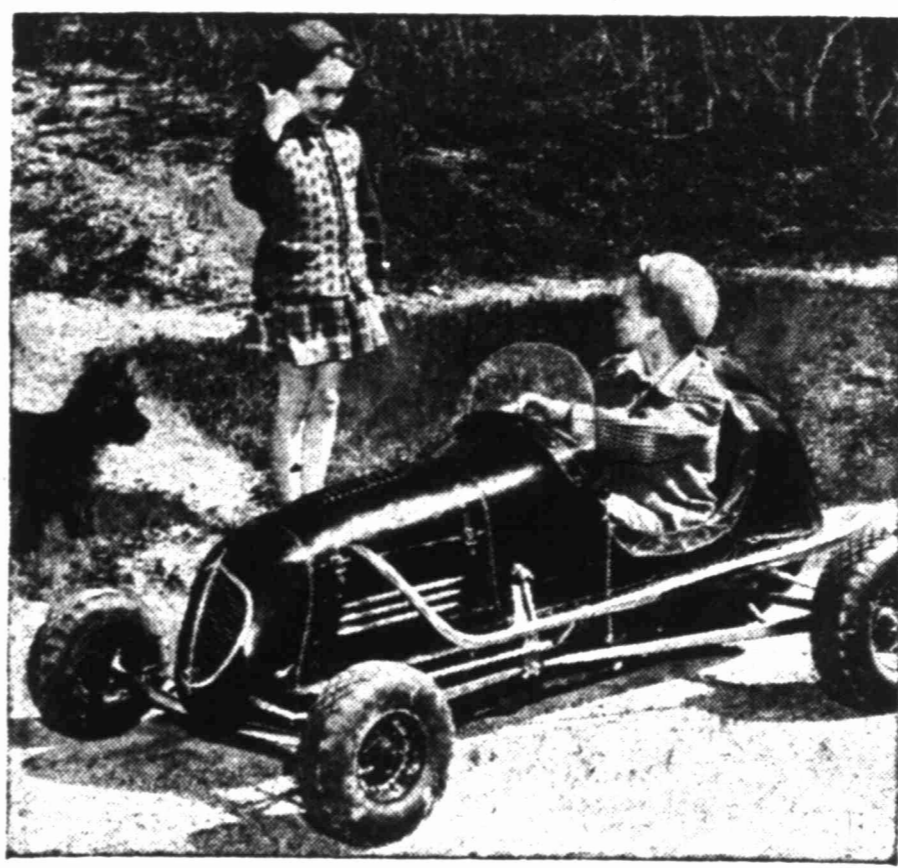
The Eagles, Shelton explained, are a beneficial fraternal organization. Aerie homes are maintained in all the principal cities of the nation, and in Canada.

The Order also is active in social welfare work, being primarily responsible for the spread of the old age pension and workmen's compensation movement in the United States.

Series of the Eagles also are active in civic projects in the cities in which they are located, Shelton explained, these activities being varied in nature.

"The Eagles are the fastest growing fraternity in America today," he said.

He's Mr. Big Of His Block



Joe Fisher, 8, is a big man in his Cleveland, O., neighborhood. He's the proud owner of a one-cylinder midget racer his father made from old metal and spare parts. The pint-sized auto has forward, reverse and neutral gears and hydraulic brakes. Like all Joe's friends, Judy Wise, 8, would like to take a turn around the block in his racer. Here, she tries to hitch a ride with a fetching smile, but Joe looks undecided.

Examinations For Internal Revenue Jobs Are Announced

DALLAS — Collector of Internal Revenue John B. Dunlap stated Saturday that examinations for filling vacancies in the positions of zone deputy collector and office auditor in the Internal Revenue Service will be conducted by the Civil Service Commission soon. These are career positions and pay starting salaries of \$2,974.80 per annum, he stated.

The examination will be held in various cities convenient to the applicants simultaneously on the same date.

Applications from persons who wish to take the examination must be mailed to the 14th Regional Office, Civil Service Commission, Dallas, in time to reach that office before the close of business June 7.

Full information and proper application forms may be obtained from any first- or second-class Post Office in Texas, or from any local office of the Collector of Internal Revenue.

The list of eligibles established as a result of this examination will be used to fill positions of Deputy Collectors of Internal Revenue at such offices as Lubbock, Amarillo, Wichita Falls, Abilene, San Angelo, Big Spring, Odessa, Tyler, Longview, Sherman, Texarkana, Paris, Dallas, Fort Worth, and may other cities. Only the Dallas office employs Office Auditors.

Church Women Plan Fellowship Meeting

Plans for the May fellowship meeting of the Midland Council of Church Women have been announced. The meeting will be on May 30, with women of the First Christian Church as hostesses.

Instead of the usual afternoon program, this will be a family basket picnic in Cloverdale Park, starting at 6:30 p. m.

Girl Scout Leaders To Be Tea Honorees

Members of the Midland Girl Scout Association will be entertained with a tea next Friday by adult leaders of the negro Girl Scout troops of Midland, in the Dunbar Branch Library. Tea hours are from 4 to 5:30 p. m.

The hostesses are inviting association members to the tea as an expression of appreciation for assistance given to their troops in the past year's program.

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Mrs. McClurg Is Hostess To Club

Games of 84 entertained the Lucky 13 Club in the home of Mrs. J. A. McClurg, 403 North A Street, Friday afternoon. The rooms were decorated with garden flowers, and the hostess served refreshments.

Present were Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. Bill Cole, Mrs. Herbert Collings, Mrs. Brice Hays, Mrs. J. C. Hudson, Mrs. Ellis Conner, Mrs. C. H. Shepard and Mrs. Houston Sikes of Odessa.

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McCamey News

McCAMEY—Mrs. W. H. Capps of Rankin was admitted to a hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. J. A. Price who has been hospitalized for two weeks is reported to be slightly improved.

John S. Buchanan, band instructor, was dismissed after receiving medical treatment for several days.

Larry Wayne Cowles, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cowles of the Rio Pecos Camp, underwent a recent tonsilectomy.

The condition of R. T. Woodrow who has been hospitalized two weeks is reported improved.

Jimmy Horton was admitted to the hospital for medical treatment.

Auxiliary Slates Annual Poppy Sale For Next Saturday

Annual observance of Poppy Day has been planned by the American Legion Auxiliary here for next Saturday, when the memorial flowers will be sold on the streets by a volunteer group of young women.

Mrs. T. E. Steele is poppy chairman in the auxiliary this year, and is organizing committees to carry on the sale. The poppies, made by disabled war veterans in hospitals, have arrived and are ready for distribution.

Contributions received from sale of the flowers will be used in the auxiliary work for veterans and their families during the next year. The Poppy Day contributions provide a large part of the financial support for the auxiliary's rehabilitation and child welfare programs.

Marjorie Cramer Is Outstanding Student At El Paso School

EL PASO — Marjorie Cramer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Cramer of Midland, outstanding sophomore at the Radford School for Girls in El Paso, was awarded prizes by Dr. Lucinda de Lettwich Templin, principal, during annual Class Day exercises held Friday.

Miss Cramer received the annual State Award for an eight-piece memorized program given in the National Guild of Piano Teachers Audition. She also received the second-year District Award in the same audition.

She was given a Latin Certificate of Award and is a member of La Junta Espanola, the honorary Spanish Club. To be a member of the society a student must maintain a "B" average in all subjects throughout the year.

The Midland girl was elected "most outstanding student in the sophomore class," chosen by her fellow students on the basis of honesty, leadership, scholarship and services.

She received honorable mention as Best Athlete in the Upper School.

If green snap beans or yellow wax beans are not to be cooked immediately they should be stored in a covered container in the refrigerator. The snap beans are delicious when cooked and served with herb butter; the wax beans taste good with a little sauteed onion and sour cream.

Clean Up Campaign Support Urged By Polio Unit Officer

Ray Gwyn, vice chairman of the Midland Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, said Saturday that if Midland residents will follow through on the JayCee-sponsored Clean-Up Campaign, "we may be able to prevent the spread of polio this season, thereby gaining the reward for the effort expended."

"If we can save the life of one child, or prevent one from becoming crippled, we should all work together most industriously toward cleaning up our premises," Gwyn said.

According to information received by Gwyn, the National Foundation has made a March of Dimes grant of \$18,000 to Baylor University, and four college of medicine scientists will seek to ferret out where the polio virus is harbored during off-epidemic seasons.

The search, if successful, might lead to finding a means of preventing infantile paralysis. Research will be headed by Dr. Russell J. Blattner, Baylor professor of pediatrics, assisted by Drs. Florence M. Heys, Fred M. Taylor, and David Schrum.

Message To Parents. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis has sent the following "Message to Parents":

"If polio hits your area—

"Avoid crowds and new contacts in trains, buses or boats, if possible; avoid crowded places where you may be close to another's breath or cough."

"Avoid over-fatigue. Too active play, late hours, worry, irregular living schedules invite a more serious form of the disease."

"Avoid swimming in water which has not been declared safe by your health department."

"Avoid chilling. Take off wet clothes and shoes at once. Keep dry shoes, sweaters, blankets and coats handy for sudden weather changes."

"Keep clean. Wash hands after going to toilet and before eating. Keep food covered and free from flies and other insects. Burn or bury garbage not tightly covered. Avoid using another's pencil, handkerchief, utensil or food touched by soiled hands."

Quick Action. "Call your doctor at once if there are symptoms of headache, nausea, upset stomach, muscle soreness or stiffness, or unexplained fever."

"Take his advice if he orders hospital care; early diagnosis and prompt treatment are important and may prevent crippling."

"Consult your chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis for help. Your chapter is prepared to pay that part of the cost of care and treatment you cannot meet—including transportation, after-care, and such aids as wheel chairs, braces and other orthopedic equipment. This service is made possible by the March of Dimes."

"Remember, facts fight fears. Half or more of those having the disease show no after-effects; another fourth recover with very slight crippling. A happy state of mind tends toward health and recovery. Don't let your anxiety or fear reach your children. Your confidence makes things easier for you and for others."

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South Elementary Pupils Give Final Programs Of Term

Closing programs of the school year for South Elementary pupils were presented Thursday and Friday nights in the school building with large audiences of parents and friends.

The program Friday night opened with selections by the Rhythm Band, directed by Mrs. R. H. Burton and Mrs. E. N. Stracener. Paula Smith presented a tap dance. Shirley Bickley a story. Robert and Carolyn Gray a duet and Barton Jones a piano solo.

"Bicycle Built for Two" was directed by Miss Lida Beasley and Mrs. Ophia Lindeblad. Mrs. Doris Aldridge directed the choral numbers, and a sextet selection, and Mrs. Jack Ellington Western melodies sung by the second grade. Beulah Collier was the announcer for the program.

An address to the parents by Frank Monroe, superintendent of schools, featured the Thursday program, preceded by piano solos by Dixie Lou Wilson. The Rhythm Band under direction of Mrs. Van D. Meisenheimer and Miss Iola Stiles presented a number, and a chorus of fourth and fifth grade pupils sang.

Mary Ann Alderson played piano selections; Mrs. Wood and Fay McMillan gave a choral reading with Mrs. Wesley Martin directing; John England played a guitar solo, and Mrs. Wilson Blurton, sang two solos.

Under supervision of Mrs. L. M. Aldridge and Charles McDonald, the fifth grade presented folk dances.

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Urges Citizen Cooperation



Patsy Bray, a member of Midland Senior Girl Scout Troop No. 5, uses the telephone in urging the full cooperation of Midlanders in the Spring Clean Up-Paint Up-Fix Up Campaign sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce. Other Girl Scouts also are engaged in the telephone program being staged in connection with the Clean Up Drive, which will continue through May 31.

Kermit High School Sets Commencement Exercises

KERMIT—The names of two honor students and dates of graduation exercises for the 64 seniors of Kermit High School have been announced by Principal Gerald McGuire.

The honor students are D. Otis Galias, valedictorian, and Erwin Dee Davlin, salutatorian.

Baccalaureate services are to be held at 8:30 p. m. Sunday in the high school auditorium. The Rev. Straus Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will deliver the sermon. Mr. George True Baker, minister of the Church of Christ, will give the invocation, and the Rev. E. E. Mason, pastor of Assembly of God Church, will give the benediction.

John Ben Sheppard of Glade-water, past president of the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce, will be the speaker at commencement exercises to be held at 8:30 p. m. Tuesday in the auditorium.

Awards Presentation

Principal McGuire will make presentation of awards, and F. L. Ledbetter, president of the Kermit School Board, will present the diplomas. The invocation will be by the Rev. M. V. Williams of the First Methodist Church, and the benediction by Dr. Joe R. Hunter, minister of the West Side Church of Christ.

Ethel Faye Mitchell is president of the senior class; Paul Stephens, vice president; and Norma Faye Baird, secretary-treasurer.

Members of this year's graduating class are: Joyce Arnold, Norma Faye Baird, Jo Ann Barnes, Virginia Allene Bell, Patsy Ruth Callaway, Mary Elizabeth Griffin, Betty Charlene Harbin, Jerry Ann Hayes, Sarah Sibley Higgins, Onedia Hilderbrand, Betty Lou Horner, Mary M. Koch, Frances Loraine

Miller, Ethel Faye Mitchell, Betty Jean Mounce, Frances Ann Myers, Eulalia Ratliff Nutt, W. Loretta Rash, Jenny Lynn Rucker, Betty Sadtdefur, Mary Lou Satterfield.

More Graduates

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Wilbur Jett, Donald L. Kirken-dall, James Lipham, Marshall L. Maness, Jimmy Marks, Wayne Edward McClintock, Walter C. McGee, Boyd C. Mosley, Garland Peacock, Jimmy P. Platt, H. Dan Sangel, James Larry Smoot, Bill Sparks, Billy Joe Spinks, Paul Stephens, Johnny Stout, Robert N. Stewart, Robert E. Talley, Charles D. Teasley, Homer Turner, Jr., and Billy Dean Wallace.

POLICE DEPARTMENT HAS BEEN OVER COURTEOUS

STILLWATER, OKLA.—(AP)—The Stillwater Police department has been too courteous—so it's going to stop. Mayor A. B. Alcott has ordered police to discontinue the courtesy of inserting coins in parking meters for motorists who leave the money attached to windshield wipers.

It seems motorists would not slug the meters when they park. Instead, they leave the coins for the officers—thus getting free time.

Buttons apparently were used purely as ornaments long before they became fasteners, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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SECTION THREE

Chief Jim Walker Suggests 'Fire Safety' Home Check

How much would your home cost to build today?

The question was asked Saturday by Fire Chief Jim Walker in commenting on the importance of the Junior Chamber of Commerce-sponsored Clean Up-Fix Up-Paint Up campaign, which will continue in Midland through May 31.

"Building costs have increased 100 per cent above those of 1938," Walker said, "making it more important than ever that homeowners protect their property."

He stated the fire prevention angle is equally as important as the health and beauty angles of the Clean Up Drive, and urged the cooperation of all residents during the community-wide campaign.

The house that cost \$5,000 before the war, he added, would cost \$10,450 to build today.

Many home-owners may not have increased their insurance proportionately, and fire would be a double tragedy in the loss of the home and greatly increased costs of rebuilding, the chief warned in his request that householders start their home check-up.

Here's How To Begin

Outlining a systematic clean-up, the chief suggested:

Work from the basement up. Get rid of all rubbish, old newspapers, magazines, odd pieces of furniture or clothes, that may have collected in the cellar, in the yard or garage, in closets or the attic.

Clean out the furnace and other heaters throughout the house.

See that the ceiling and walls near the furnace are properly insulated with asbestos or other non-combustible material, leaving at least an inch of air-space.

Home Cleaning

Don't use gasoline, benzine or naphtha for home cleaning. It is safer to send clothes out to professional cleaners, but if cleaning must be done at home, be sure it's with fluids listed by Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.

Literally Took—'Please Take One'

JERSEY CITY, N. J.—(AP)—Central Railroad of New Jersey ferry boats between here and New York have little boxes containing literature screwed to the walls.

On each box is a sign: "Please Take One."

Railroad police Saturday are looking for 12 missing boxes, taken by literal-minded passengers.

Put all oily rags and mops where air can circulate freely about them. Placing oily mops in hot water closets is one of the main causes of home fires.

Matches should be kept in metal containers out of the reach of young children. Enough ash trays should be distributed about the house for all smokers.

Repair Wiring

Look over electrical wiring for signs of fraying. Don't run them under rugs or through doorways. Buy only those cords and fuses which bear the Underwriters Laboratories label. Never bridge fuses with pennies or other metal bits, which prevent them from operating properly as "safety valves" to warn against shorts or overloaded circuits.

By Cracky, If He Were Just Younger, 60 Years, That Is

LARFEO—(AP)—"If I were only 60 years younger," sighed 97-year-old Noah Armstrong.

He had just been kissed by Movie Actresses Mona Freeman and Corinne Calvet.

All three are honored guests at the Streets of Laredo founding fiesta. Armstrong, a retired Coleman rancher, was selected America's oldest living former Texas ranger.

WMU MEETS FOR STUDY

CRANE—The Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Tuesday. Mrs. Vernon Steel conducted the Bible study and Mrs. J. R. Boyd and Mrs. R. G. Taylor led in the prayers. Others present were Mrs. Roy Hazle, Mrs. Ted Green, Mrs. Jack White, Mrs. Vernon Hagler, Mrs. Leon Neeley, Mrs. H. D. Christian and a visitor, Mrs. Lula Chaney.

Rankin Students Get Awards At Commencement Program

RANKIN—District Judge Allen Frazer was the principal speaker when the Rankin High School Senior Class of 1949 graduated in exercises held Thursday night in the high school auditorium.

Valedictorian of this year's class was Mary Virginia Still, and Theo Blue was salutatorian. Music for the graduation exercises was furnished by Miss Cleona Quitt; and the High School Choral Club.

Scholarship certificates were awarded to the following pupils having the highest averages in the grade school: Charlotte Woolsey, Beverly Blount, Rhoda McSpadden, Ruth McGill, Debb Gambin, Coxie Wheeler, Mary Anderson, Ann Shaw and Mayetta Higgins.

Medals were awarded to high school pupils holding the highest averages, as follows: Jean Shaw, Bill Hurn, Jimmy Workman and Virginia Still.

More Awards

Miss Still also received the college and university scholarship awards for the senior girl ranking highest, the valedictorian award and the athletic award for girls.

Don Still was presented the athletic award for the high school boys.

An award was presented to Priscilla Walcher for having placed first in story-telling in the District 83B Interscholastic League meet.

Perfect attendance awards went to William Ray Moxley, Rhoda McSpadden, Rovena Langford and Jan Daugherty.

The American Legion presented awards to two grade school students, Elsie Boatman and Gentry Holmes, and to two high school students, Miss Still and James Gambin. The Stanley Eddins annual award in memory of Phillip Eddins went to Frank Boyd, Jr., a first grade pupil.

Graduating Thursday night were Virginia Still, Norma Jo Stephenson, Joyce Franklin, Martha Schlagal Snel, Donald McEwen, Grover Yocham, Fields Branch, Bill Davee, James Gambin and Theo Blue.

The class, accompanied by their sponsors, left Saturday for a trip to New Orleans and other points.

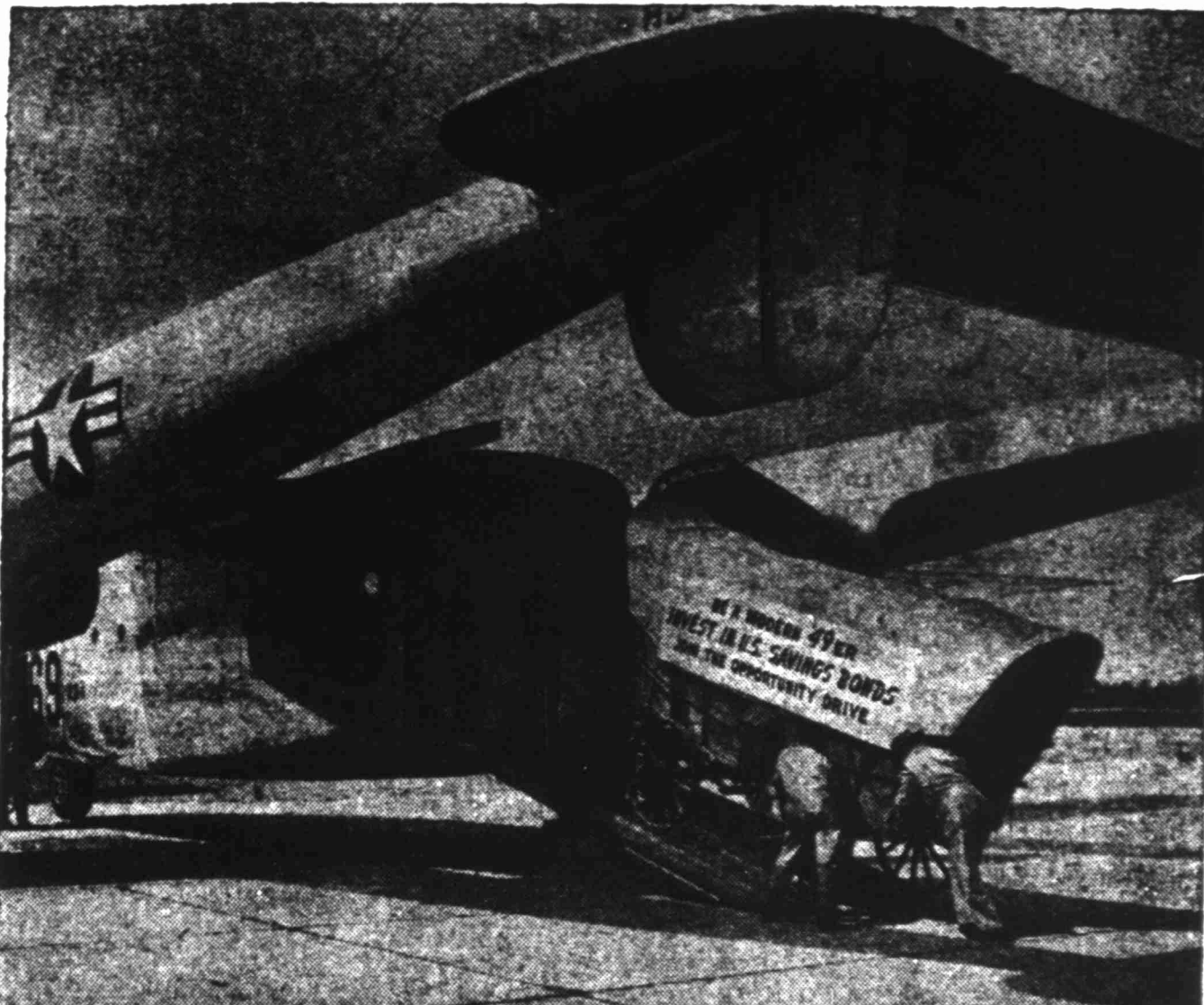
Could Have Taken Guest To Cleaners

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Bellhop John Ferrell, 24, took a suit to the cleaners for a guest. A less honest man might have taken the guest to the cleaners, too.

When Ferrell found fifty-five \$1,000 bills in the pocket of the suit, he hustled them back to the guest.

He was rewarded with a crisp \$20 bill.

'Operation Savings Bonds' Is Underway



Covered wagons, bearing Savings Bonds slogans, are being flown to 30 cities from coast to coast during the U. S. Treasury Department's Opportunity Bond Drive, which opened last week and which will continue through June 30. The campaign features covered wagons as a reminder that U. S. Savings Bonds offer opportunity today in a way that Americans who sought opportunity in 1849 in covered wagon treks never dreamed about. A flying boxcar taking on a covered wagon at South Bend, Ind., is pictured above. The Opportunity Drive in Midland County opened last Monday and leaders, John F. Butler and Jack Wicker, Saturday predicted the county's \$220,000 quota will be over subscribed long before the campaign deadline.

+ Pecos News +

PECOS—Two changes have been made in the annual bathing beauty contest to be staged here early in June, according to Al Cook, who is in charge.

The contest has been postponed one week, to June 8, and it has been decided to include married women. The postponement was decided so that college girls may enter the contest.

"Miss Pecos" will be named on the night of June 8 and the winner and runner-up will receive nice awards as well as an expense-paid trip to the Fort Stockton water carnival the following day.

"Miss Southwest" will be selected from a senior group of Fort

Stockton and out of town entries on Saturday night, June 11, and will be crowned following the Comanche Springs Aquacade. A loving cup and trip to Hollywood are in store for the beauty winning the "Miss Southwest" title. Merchants are sponsoring contestants for the "Miss Pecos" contest.

A Law Enforcement Officers Training School will be held in the district courtroom here May 23 through May 27, under the sponsorship of Sheriff Charles Fitzgerald, Jr., and Chief of Police Curtis McElroy. The school will be presented through the cooperation of J. Edgar Hoover, FBI director.

Three seniors and a junior of Pecos High School are owners of awards presented at Senior Day services Tuesday.

The Bill Dean Memorial award was presented to Bobby Bell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bell, by Eddy Daniel, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Daniel, Jr. Eddy Daniel received the award last year and, following custom, presented the cup to his successor.

Eddy Daniel was presented the Nell Chism Ross Memorial award by Mrs. Sam Ewins.

Supt. Ray Whitley presented the Letha Prewitt Memorial award to Sara Sample, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sample.

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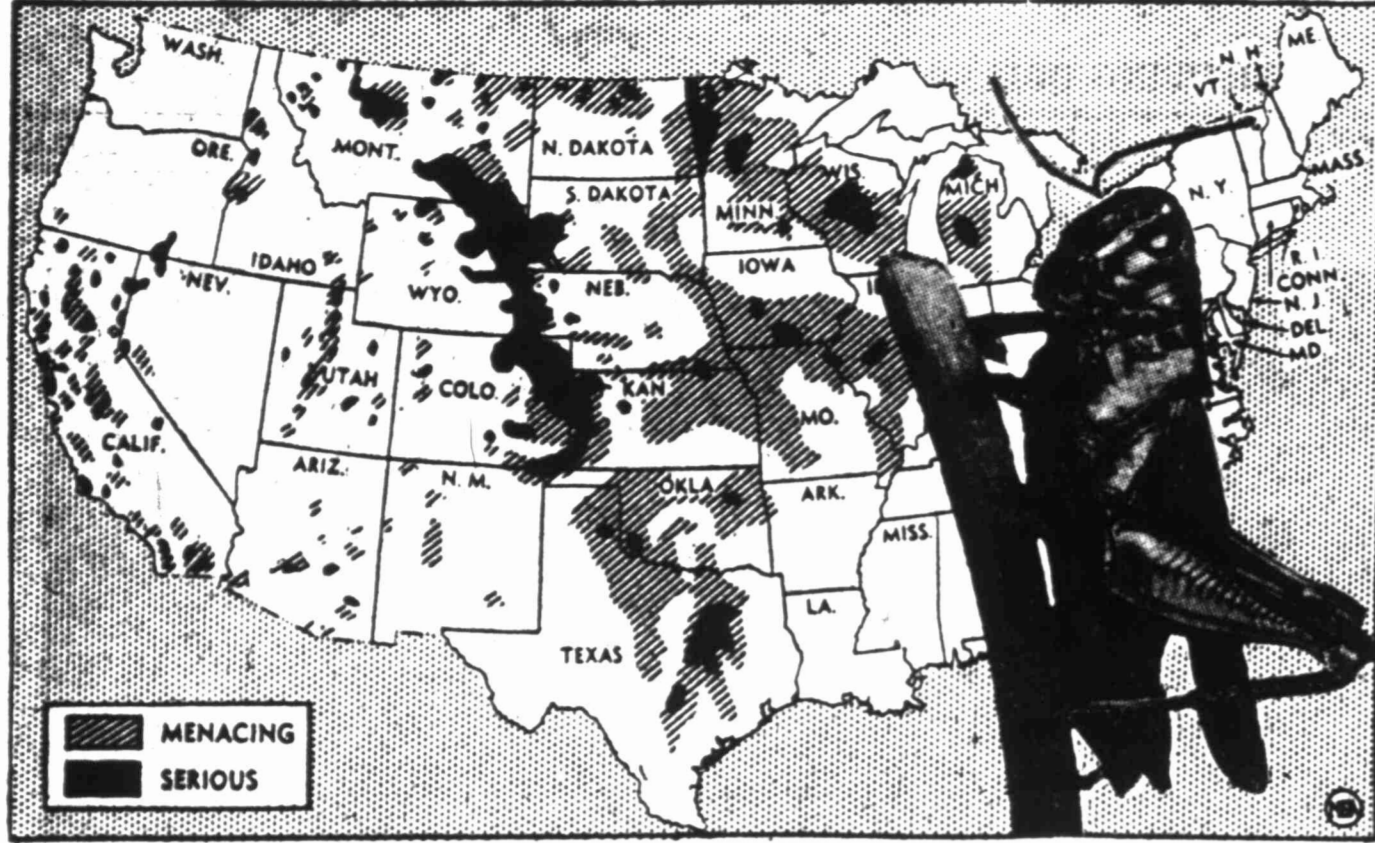
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'Hopper Plague May Menace U. S. Crops This Year



Great grasshopper outbreaks—hoppers by the billions—are expected to menace crops and grasslands in wide areas from Michigan to California and Texas to Canada this year. Black areas on this map are regions where Department of Agriculture entomologists say infestation may be especially severe. Hatching periods start early in May in southern states and continue through the middle of June throughout most of the midwest.

Three Billions Spent For Flood Control Buys Only Feeble Protection For Nation



NEWEST THEORY of flood control includes department of agriculture soil conservation program aimed at curbing badly eroded pasture, severe gullies and sheet erosion etched by the snow on the slopes of this New York farm.

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Although the U. S. government has spent close to \$3,000,000,000 to protect its citizens against floods, progress has been negligible in achieving maximum flood control for the country.

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Why You Will Have To Wait For Atomic Power

CHICAGO—(NEA)—It will be about ten years before the first moderately efficient nuclear power plant can be built. It will be perhaps 20 years before nuclear power could be made available in considerable quantities.

These estimates, on which most competent experts agree, take account of only the technical problems involved. They make no assumption whether or not it will be economically desirable to provide nuclear power for general use.

A public relations spokesman for the Atomic Energy Commission's office here, which has charge of atomic power development, says it is "highly unlikely" that such power will be economically practicable. But leading scientists in the field are less pessimistic. Warning that for the present we can only guess, most of them believe it is quite possible that nuclear power eventually may be able to compete with the cost of power from coal.

Since nuclear fission produces much heat, and since we know very well how to generate electricity and do other things with heat, why can't we go ahead with nuclear power?

Reasons Listed
There are several reasons: First, because there are no metals or alloys available that can withstand as high a temperature as an efficient power reactor should be permitted to develop.

The power plant's efficiency—and perhaps our ability to make nuclear power at a price we can afford to pay—depends on our ability to turn as much as possible of the available heat energy into work.

So it is necessary to seek alloys, ceramics or other compounds that will stand much higher temperatures than those used in present power plants. The search for such materials is already under way.

There must be found, also, liquids or gases capable of using these unusual temperatures, and turning their heat into pressure against the blades of turbines or the piston heads of reciprocating engines.

Second—because the radiation in a nuclear reactor changes the chemical and physical properties of metals and gases and liquids. Substances must be found which will transfer the reactor's heat to the engine or turbine, yet not be

damaged by the neutrons released during fission.

Third—because many otherwise suitable materials absorb neutrons and thus steal them from the reactor. If enough neutrons were thus stolen, the reactor would slow down or even practically stop. It is by stealing neutrons, with control rods, that the



Highup Closeup
Circus star Johann K. Petrusson of Iceland, the world's tallest man (eight-foot-eight-inches), was a problem patient when he reported to the Massachusetts Eye and Ear Infirmary in Boston with an ear ache. But nurse Genevieve Pozen makes a close-up examination by scaling table.

action of the pile is kept from reaching dangerous levels.

Materials must be found, for the reactor proper, which absorb as few neutrons as possible.

Fourth—suitable materials must be found to serve as moderators to slow down the neutrons. For this, up to now, graphite and heavy water have been used. Some of the materials under consideration are hard to work with.

Seek Alloys
Scientists are seeking alloys and ceramics, liquid metals and gases, that will withstand neutron bombardment and will stand up under very high temperatures. They are considering common metals and some that are little known to laymen, including many that are scarce and expensive and some that are dangerous.

Beryllium, which is being tested as a possible moderator, can cause a deadly disease similar to silicosis. Zirconium costs \$1 a gram, or more than \$450 a pound. Gallium, a possible "coolant" and heat transfer agent, is very scarce and costs \$1350 a pound.

At the same time, they are on the lookout for materials other than concrete or lead that will stop or absorb neutrons, alpha particles, beta and gamma rays, from which shields can be made to protect those who must be near the reactors.

Experimental reactors now being built will be used to study the serious problem of fuel supply and fuel cost, which may prove to go together.

We do not know whether there is enough uranium to make commercial nuclear power possible. We do not know at what cost uranium—or power from it—can be produced.

Should Be Cheaper
At pre-war prices, nuclear power would have been cheaper than power from coal or oil. The little uranium used then could be gotten from high-grade, low-cost ore. Large use might drive us to low-grade, high-cost ore.

In theory it should be possible to make more than one atom of plutonium out of U-238 for every atom of U-235 fissioned in a reactor. That would make the whole of our uranium metal useful, instead of only one-fourth of it. And, theoretically, it should be possible to make U-233, a nuclear fuel, from thorium, of which there is

four times as much as of uranium. The new reactors will be used to try to work out this process of "breeding" in practice. Upon their success may depend whether enough fuel could be found to provide nuclear power, at any cost, for general use.

Few experts believe that nuclear power can compete with conventional power, in cost, without breeding. Dr. T. R. Hogness, director of the University of Chicago's Institute of Radiobiology and Biophysics, thinks that, with breeding, nuclear fuel might be made for as little as \$10,000 a ton, which would be equivalent to about \$7 a ton for coal. Large users now are paying \$6 to \$7 for coal.

Spokesmen for the Argonne Laboratory do not dispute Dr. Hogness, but they say they don't know and they don't see how he can.

In Greenland, until the white man came, Eskimos depended on meteors to furnish them with iron for making tools.

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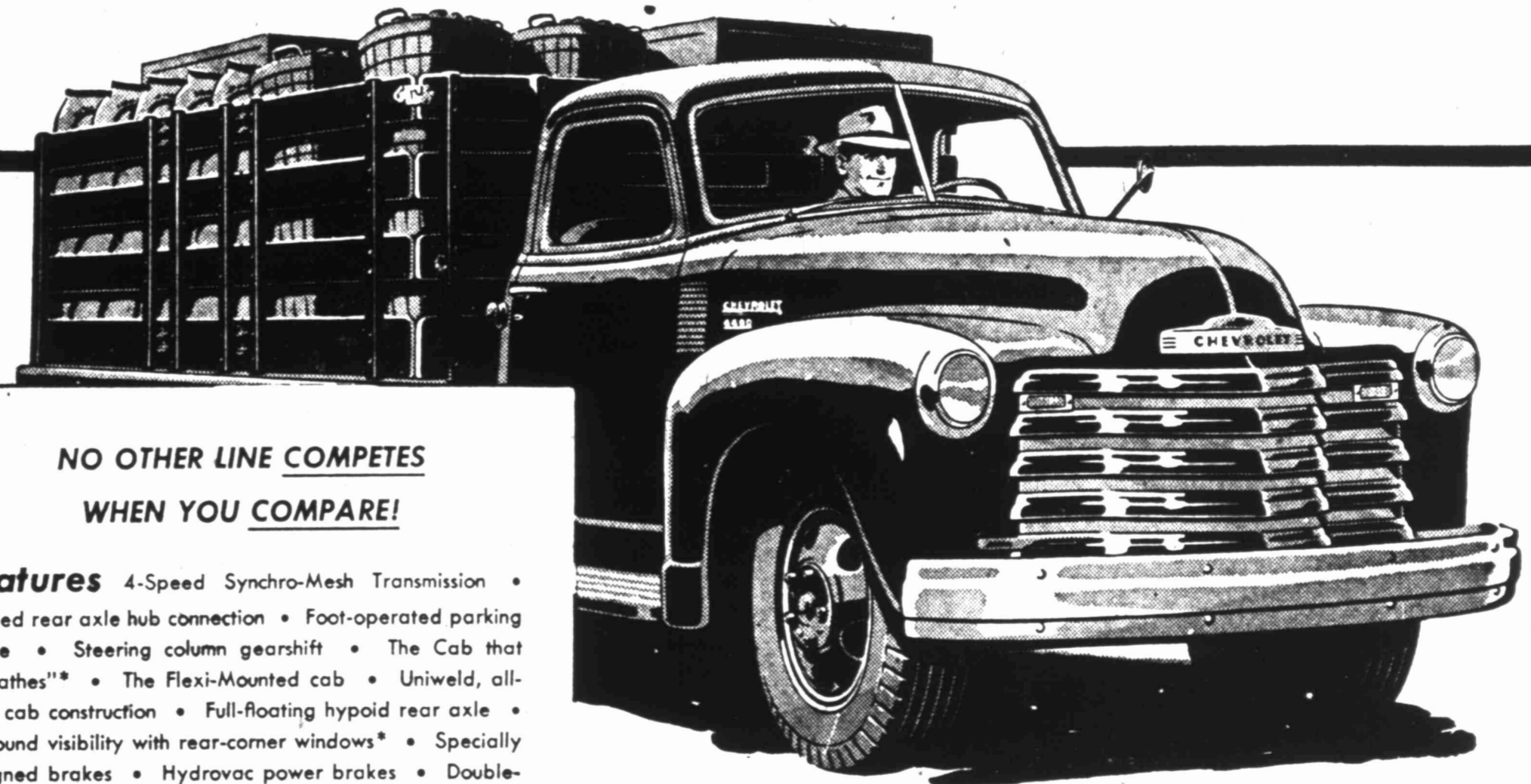
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Maj. Stephen J. Nesbitt examines one of the packages of Louisiana bonds which have been an Army headache for 84 years. While they stay in the vault, he wishes he'd stayed in Korea.

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — In a telegram dated July 13, 1865, Gen. U. S. Grant promised Gen. P. H. Sheridan that a "future decision" would be made on what to do with \$4,500,000 worth of bonds which Sheridan had captured in Louisiana the day before. Grant ordered Sheridan to send them to Washington.

It now appears up to the new Secretary of Defense, Louis Johnson, to make the "future decision" for Gen. Grant. The Army has been working diligently on the decision for 84 years.

A study of the records in the National Archives reveals that the

Fought For Mere

After the last delivery in 1884 Louisiana State officials fought valiantly, but in vain, to get the last batch handed over to them. On May 10, 1912, they got a bill introduced in Congress which would have forced the War Department to return them, but the measure never came up for a vote. Then, for many years they contented themselves with periodic form letters to the effect that the State's audits showed a \$545,480 shortage and would the War Department please do something about it. And the War Department would reply that the matter was under study.

But lately the problem erupted again on two fronts. The Treasury Department sent a curt note to the Secretary of the Army on Oct. 27, 1948, reminding him that the captured Louisiana bonds were taking up valuable space in the crowded Treasury vaults and would he please look into the matter. And on Jan. 27, 1949, Lionel G. Ott, Commissioner of Public Finance, New Orleans, wrote to the Treasury Department serving notice that he was going all out to get possession of the bonds and demanding to know just how he should go about the job.

At this point, Maj. Stephen J. Nesbitt, just returned from Korea and assigned to the Army's finance office for duty, was thrust into the matter and told to try to settle it. He is now in the process of carrying on an extensive exchange of letters with Ott and the Treasury Department, with no significant step yet accomplished.

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PISTOL-SHAPED PENINSULA

Florida is a pistol-shaped peninsula, extending out into the Atlantic ocean and the Gulf of Mexico, with a shoreline of 3750 miles.

Bamboo is used as a symbol of constancy and fidelity in Japanese art.

Door Never Shuts On 'Dying-House'

SINGAPORE — (P) — The door never shuts on a "dying house" in Singapore's Sago Lane.

Once inside a "House of Great Suffering," as the Chinese call the nightmare institution, eight of every ten arrivals go out in a coffin. A joint hospital-mortuary, this product of an ancient superstition and unspeakable housing conditions in Singapore's Chinatown is a home of misery and human despair.

Centuries ago, Chinese legend grew that death in a house lured bad luck to it for all time. Today the chief tenants (sub-letters) of the crowded wooden buildings that hundreds of thousands call homes drive out all who seem at death's door.

There is nothing to stop them from going to a government hospital to die, but the Chinese inherently distrust western institutions with their rules and regulations. There is always Sago Lane, a half dozen or so houses whose doors are never open and whose rules are very few.

And when a man dies, the same stocky fellow who sat so stolidly at the open door waiting to help the ailing one up the ugly steps will appear at his side. Then, this silent fellow will lift the body over his shoulders and carry it downstairs to the waiting morgue. He has done the same for years.

Acute Housing Shortage

Almost a half century ago, the first dying house was started as the result of lack of decent housing. In 1949, they are even more a tragic necessity. The housing shortage has become more acute.

The British government of this crown colony has sought somehow to lessen the horror of these houses. It has set up a licensing system, ordering daily visits by physicians, a nurse for every four inmates, cleaner premises and the name of "Sick Receiving Houses."

The dying pay \$4.75 for a month or a month stay. There isn't much profit from the sick room. However, the operator sells the coffins, the wreaths, the flowers, joss sticks and paper, the candles and the hundreds of other things required for a Chinese funeral. He gets his share of the pay to the corpse-dressers, brass bands, gong and cymbal orchestras, as well as the devil-dispelling lion dances.

Comes The Payoff After 25 Years

MCCOOK, NEB. — (P) — Twenty-five years ago, when St. Catherine's Hospital was organized here, hospital officials decreed that the first set of triplets born in the hospital would get all expenses paid.

Came the "payoff." Triplets, two sons and a daughter, were born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Vise of Wilsonville, Neb. Each baby weighed between four and five pounds.

Throw Away Your Woolies, Grandpappy; Here Comes Light, But Warmer X-Cloth

CLEVELAND — (NEA) — On a bitter cold morning in January, 1951, Hans Olafsson, a farmer near Prosen Rock, Minn., heard the jangling of his alarm clock. He bounced out of bed, slipped into a feather-light pair of barnyard shoes, pulled on a sheer pair of coveralls and a paper-thin coat about a third as heavy as a transparent plastic raincoat.

Thus clad in some four pounds of clothing—in contrast to the 20 or 25 pounds he had worn in Winters before — Hans stepped out into the 30-below zero Minnesota morning and set about his farm chores.

Was Hans mad? Did he freeze solid on the spot?

Not at all. In fact, that mythical situation may, by 1951, be so commonplace as not to be news at all. At least that is the enthusiastic belief of a wealthy young Cleveland inventor, who is perfecting lightweight winter fabrics and materials so novel that they weren't even dreamed of a few months ago.

The fabric is so new that it hasn't even been given a name. Call it X-cloth.

James H. Rand III, scientist, inventor and industrial designer, has developed X-cloth and its companion, X-paint, in his converted stable laboratory at Bratenahl, a Cleveland suburb.

X-cloth, which Rand fully believes can revolutionize the clothing industry, is made from powdered aluminum with a vinylite plastic base. Rand and his chief project engineer, Wallace H. Nichols, began working on the problem of keeping the body warm several months ago, after a client requested them to develop an overcoat with an electrically-heated lining.

By Radiation

In the course of his experiments and study, Rand observed that the body loses the major portion of its heat through radiation.

"Why is wool so much more warming than cotton of the same weight?" Rand wondered. Because the surface is such that it reflects back the radiant heat of the body. Why not, then, he reasoned, use the most effective radiating material possible to turn the body's heat—thrown off by radiation—back to the body itself?

"It was an idea so simple it was astounding," Rand says. "The wonder was that no one had made use of it before."

Rand and his crew of a dozen men set to work in the Bratenahl lab using the powdered aluminum to make a light flexible, plastic-like material.

"The first material was too good," says Rand. "It was so warm you couldn't wear it." This in spite of its almost tissue thinness and weight.



HOT ENOUGH FOR YOU? James C. Flickinger, a polio victim who works for inventor James H. Rand III, tests the mechanical sleeve he devised for measuring the heating capabilities of new X-cloth. Rand, at left, and project engineer Wallace H. Nichols watch the test.

One cold night with an ordinary bed sheet and an eight-ounce sheet of the X-cloth. (The cotton sheet was the heavier of the two.)

"Within an hour I had perspired so much that I couldn't stay under it," Nichols says.

Proceeding from his "too successful" radiant X-cloth, Rand developed a heat-reflecting paint of the same materials. He plans to coat ordinary fabrics with just enough of the paint to give the desired amount of reflection.

With this paint, Rand says he can turn an ordinary bed sheet—or any lighter fabric—into an overcoat that will keep you warm in zero weather.

"The reason this new fabric idea is so impressive to me," Rand says, "is that it's universal. This material will affect the lives of everyone in the world. It can be used for decorating houses so they will be comfortable with no more

than 40 degrees of artificial heat." One of the advantages of X-cloth is its low cost, as compared to conventional fabrics. Rand predicts that the new fabric will sell for as little as one-tenth the cost of wool.

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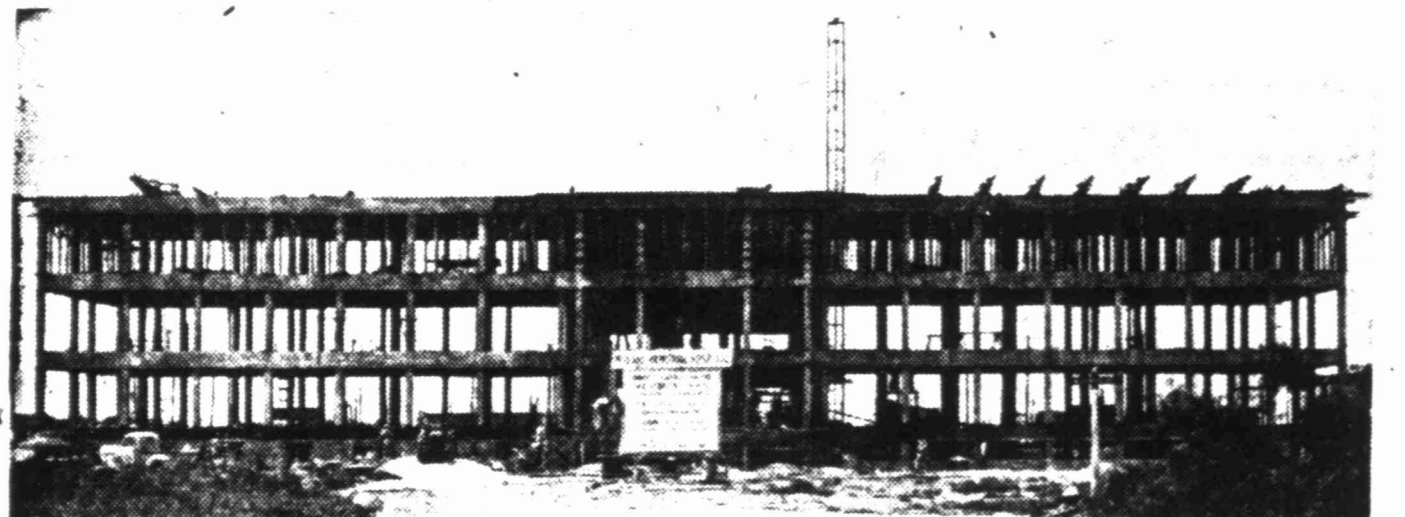
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are one of those who pledged money months ago to build our new Memorial Hospital and, if you have neglected, forgotten or postponed your payments, please, for your own sake, write out the check and mail it in . . . Or, if you haven't made a pledge, please do so.

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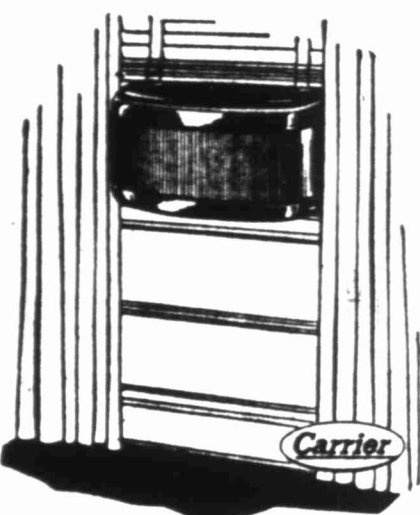
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 5. Get all trash, dead weeds, and other unsightly debris to the alley for convenient removal.
 6. Cut all limbs, for removal, into five-foot lengths. Remove all low hanging limbs from your trees along the sidewalk that make walking unpleasant.
 7. Clean up your garage, your attic, your washhouse or basement and discard all useless, unsightly and unhealthy accumulation.
 8. Plan to paint where needed and repair that which is broken.
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There's No Place Like Home—In a Jail



This, in case you don't recognize it, is a cell in the county jail, Cleveland, O. Its occupant is George Stewart, 39, doing a year as an habitual offender on disorderly conduct charges. The sheriff allowed Stewart, an artist, to decorate his cell as he pleased. So Stewart obtained materials from friends, draped the bars and bed, constructed knick-knack shelves, plastered the walls with photos—and this is the result. In the picture, deputy Joe Uccello grins as he examines a cardboard telephone which Stewart made.

Youth Club Gives Box Supper For Terminal Lions

The Terminal Lions Club enjoyed a box supper event Friday evening given by the Youth Club. Officers report that \$115 was realized from the event and these funds will be used in youth work by the Lions Club at Terminal. Duke Jimerson of the Midland Lions Club was auctioneer at the box supper. The Youth Club at Terminal was organized last Fall. It provides recreation and entertainment for youths of the settlement, both boys and girls. Terminal's Lions Club recently took over sponsorship of the Youth Club.

MIDLAND WOMAN IS BACK FROM EUROPE
NEW YORK—Mrs. Hilda Graham of 106 West Pennsylvania Avenue, Midland, Texas, was among the 1,500 passengers who arrived here late Wednesday on board the Cunard White Star liner Queen Mary, which docked at Pier 90 in the North River following a five day voyage from Southampton and Cherbourg.

Before World War II, about 40 per cent of all U. S. exports went to the British Empire.

China At Depth Of Confusion—What To Do About Herself

SHANGHAI (AP)—China is at a new depth of confusion in trying to decide what to do about herself. The average American in China, knowing China's needs and the United States' limitations, is the most confused of all. China wallows in difficulties which set a record even for a country that is expert at getting herself into difficulties. China is divided more ways than between Nationalists and Communists. China is hungry, yet much of her land (and it never did yield enough to feed her) is out of cultivation because of the civil war. China is dizzy with inflation. Printing presses cannot grind out enough money even by working day and night. China's leadership is so split that half the crises that beset her are simply ignored.

Americans in China read of congressional debates centered on stopping Communism and wonder anew how it can be done in this huge, crowded land without getting caught in collateral problems that might not be solved even with the expenditure of billions of dollars.

Most Americans in China feel that Communism, like every other revolutionary movement in the country's history, was brought on by internal conditions which the West always over-simplifies. They feel that, until those conditions are rectified, China is doomed to turmoil and to one revolutionary movement after another.

Renewed suggestions from Washington that the Red tide can be halted by more American money sounds to the average American in China like suggestions that the same old mistakes be repeated.

There is also the problem, who will get the money? Chiang Kai-shek and the dispersed remnant of his Kuomintang government? Or Li Tsung-jen and his new regime, which has its eyes on only one objective—some sort of peace with the Reds?

A McArthur Plan
Harold Stassen's recent suggestion for what he called a "MacArthur plan" for Asia has made the American in China scratch his head harder. Would that mean putting a few hundred thousand American troops in China to run the show—and to intervene directly in the civil war? Or would it mean another "Stillwell affair?" A new American commander would be subject to the same obstructions and frustrations as the late Gen. Joseph Stilwell met during the Japanese war. They are inherent in China for any foreign leader who has a lot of money to spend.

Will Uncle Sam take on a job like that on the one hand while cutting back his own military expenditures elsewhere? If it is decided to underwrite the Nationalists and try to save the day that way, how about the additional millions or billions needed to solve the land problem, to feed the people while more war devastates the country, to stop inflation which breeds misery and spreads Communism every day?

Will the United States step in and take over direction of China's falling commerce? Lack of trade will continue to nurture unrest and Communist until restored. To that end, will the United States reorganize China's ports, which are so jammed and disorganized that they couldn't handle a good volume of commerce even if they got it?

Will the United States undertake all these things six years after abandoning extra-territoriality and becoming a rigid espouser of sovereignty?

The American in China, who never had any stomach for Communism, has even less now that he has seen the Peiping-Tientsin pattern: The autocratic, bureaucratic suppression of personal liberties, of the press, and of everything else that the Reds fear or dislike. No, the American in China realizes that Communism may mean the end of him in China, too; but he cannot see how more dollars can stop it.

The American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Mass., has one of the country's largest reference libraries of American history and printing covering 11 miles of shelving.

Kindness Produces Million-Dollar Institute; Ex-Russian Refugee Pays Welcome With It

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.—(NEA)—Almost 40 years ago, Rutgers University welcomed a young Russian immigrant, who couldn't get the education he wanted in his own country, because he was a Jew.

As a direct result, Rutgers, the New Jersey state university, is getting a \$1,000,000 new Institute of Microbiology—the science that is conquering a wide variety of deadly germ diseases—plus \$250,000 a year toward its operating expenses.

Selman A. Waksman, the young Russian who came "to a land where democracy and opportunity were not mere words," used his



DR. SELMAN WAKSMAN: Democracy and opportunity are not mere words.

Rutgers education to discover streptomycin, which cures many types of tuberculosis, and then neomycin, which shows promise in the laboratory of going even further.

Could Be Rich
He could have become rich out of his work. Under university regulations the patents on the antibiotics belonged to him, and the royalties from 13 companies already producing streptomycin in this country and Europe—and four soon to make it in Europe and Japan—were his. But he chose to turn them over to the university's non-profit Research and Endowment Foundation, which is financing the new Institute that hopes to open for business in the Spring of 1951.

Waksman was 22 when he came to this country in 1910. He had a diploma from the Fifth Gymnasium in Odessa, a cross between a prep school and junior college, although he had not studied there. His kind was "too lowly" to be acceptable. He did his studying outside, and then was permitted to take the examination for graduation.

He might have got into a Russian university, in the limited quota of Jews accepted, because he was very smart. But he could not have become a research scientist, which was his ambition.

Over here, working on the farm of a cousin near New Brunswick, he got acquainted with another Russian immigrant, Dr. Jacob Lipman, then dean of Rutgers College of Agriculture and director of the state agricultural experiment sta-

tion. Dr. Lipman got him a state scholarship that covered tuition and fees.

He had a little money. He eked it out working in the botany department, in spare time, at 20 cents an hour Mondays through Fridays, 30 cents an hour Saturdays. Every Sunday he earned \$2 substituting for a caretaker at the university's poultry farm; once a month another \$3 replacing a night watchman.

Nevertheless, he found time to study effectively enough to be elected to the honorary scholastic society, Phi Beta Kappa; to win a research assistantship in microbiology; and to start a career that made him one of the world's recognized leaders in his field.

The groundwork for streptomycin was laid by Waksman and an associate, R. E. Curtis, the same year he received his Bachelor of Science Degree. They isolated an organism known as actinomycetes griseus, from which, in 1943, after years of apparent successes and disheartening reverses, streptomycin was evolved.

Streptomycin has shown remarkable results against several types of tuberculosis, one of the great killer diseases, as well as against other germ diseases that penicillin and other drugs wouldn't help. But it produced unpleasant toxic effects in patients, and it created in the body a resistance against itself that lessened its effectiveness.

If it lives up to its promise, the Foundation will get all the profits from it, too, with the same sole stipulation that Dr. Waksman made in the case of streptomycin—that the net proceeds shall go to finance further research, particularly in his field.

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Cash Down Payments On Title I Loans Eliminated By FHA

WASHINGTON — Commissioner Franklin D. Richards of the FHA announced he has notified all qualified private lending institutions that the 10 per cent cash down payment on Title I loans for repair and modernization has been eliminated. The formal amendment to this effect was signed by Commissioner Richards.

More than 5,900 lending institutions, together with 4,000 branches, under this change can resume normal lending practices with the removal of FHA's emergency 10 per cent down payment requirement on property improvement loans.

From FHA's inception in 1934 modernization and repair loans were made to borrowers by private lending institutions, under the FHA plan without down payment until April 20, 1948, when the 10 per cent down payment was instituted. Credit Standards.

In making the announcement to all lending institutions Commissioner Richards pointed out that removal of the 10 per cent down payment is not to be considered as a relaxation of the responsibility of the insured lending institution to determine that the borrower is able to pay the obligation and in other respects is an acceptable credit risk. This is an appropriate time, he pointed out, for each lender to review its credit standards and procedures and to impress upon responsible personnel the importance of exercising the care that would be pursued by a prudent lender.

During the 15 years that FHA has been insuring Title I loans 9,968,000 have been made with a total volume of \$3,358,983,000 through last March 31. The Title I is self supporting, its 1.2 to 3.4 per cent per annum charge on the net proceeds of each loan, pays for all salaries as well as costs of operation; this is true also of the entire FHA program under all titles of the Act.

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Reversing the trend that has continued since 1941, each of the first three months of 1949 shows less fire damage than the corresponding month in 1948. Losses during the first quarter of 1949 totaled \$187,568,000 compared with \$208,767,000 in 1948 and \$193,862,000 in 1947.

Home Location In Community Value Factor

Location of the home and of community services and facilities is as important to value as quality of construction and is usually the factor that accounts for the hundred of dollars difference in the price of two identical houses.

A "yes" in answer to all or a majority of these questions is imperative for highest value in building or buying:

- Are churches, schools, stores, parks, playgrounds, recreation and transportation facilities easily accessible and are transportation costs reasonable?
- Are utilities such as gas, water, electricity and sewers present and paid for?
- Is the neighborhood improving; are property values rising? Are adjoining homes well-maintained? Is the neighborhood attractive, free of objectionable noises, smoke or odors? Is vehicular traffic light?
- Are there adequate police and fire protection, garbage and rubbish removal? Are streets well-lighted? Is the nearby school in the same district as the home? (Sometimes it is not; children must attend a distant one.)
- Do zoning restrictions protect against undesirable uses? Is the area zoned for residential use only?

Texas Called Most Air Conditioned Place In World

Texas is the most completely air-conditioned region in the world, John E. Haines, vice president of Minneapolis-Honeywell Regulator Company, has concluded after a study of construction activity in the state.

Haines, who began the survey after addressing the South Texas Chapter, American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers, in Houston, said that every sizable city in the state was far ahead of comparable places in other sections of the country. Orders for air-conditioning equipment in Texas the first three months of this year increased 50 per cent over the corresponding quarter of 1948, he said.

"Texans have learned that Summer air conditioning is not a luxury, but a business necessity," Haines said. "In addition, many colleges and schools are installing air conditioning for the comfort, health and mental alertness of students."

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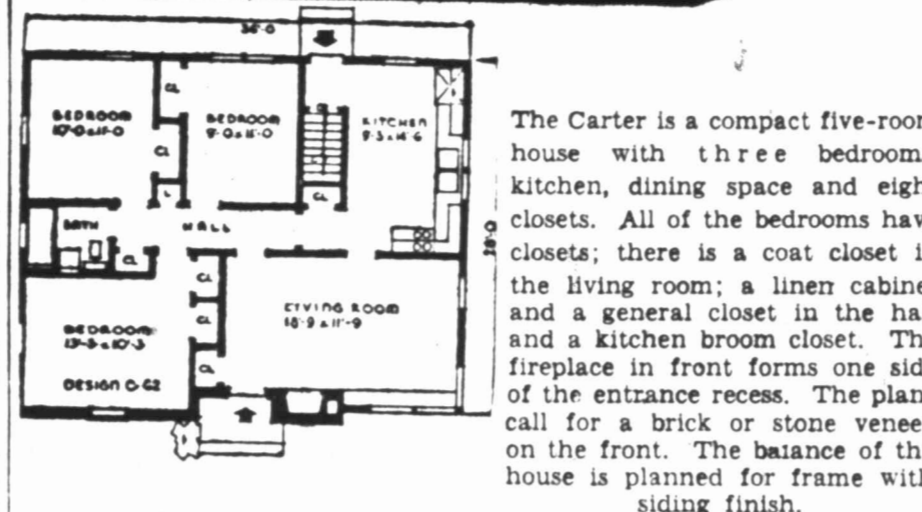
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Fix Up-Paint Up Go Hand In Hand With Clean Up

Leaders in the Junior Chamber of Commerce-sponsored Clean Up-Fix Up-Paint Up Campaign now underway here said Saturday there is no time like the present to repair, improve and beautify homes and other properties.

They said one of the prime purposes of the Spring drive is to improve the appearance of the city's residential sections by urging residents to Paint Up and Fix Up as well as Clean Up their properties.

"A little fixing here and a little painting there will work wonders in improving the looks of any neighborhood," the leaders said.

Projects Started

It was pointed out that many citizens already have taken steps to improve their houses, garages and other buildings. The JayCees expressed appreciation to the leaders in this movement, which they hope will become city-wide.

It was pointed out that lumber yards, hardware stores, paint firms, carpenters and painters and others engaged in the building trades will be glad to consult with homeowners concerning planned repairs and improvements. Materials in most instances are available in bountiful supply, they said.

The support and cooperation of all citizens in the Clean Up-Paint Up-Fix Up Campaign is urged.

Clean Up-Fix Up Week Suggestion Offered

A coat of cement paint can work wonders during Clean-Up Week by adding lasting beauty and protection to various applications of concrete construction around the house and yard.

When the house has been scrubbed and painted from cellar to garret and the yard sparkles with freshness, one more step can add charm to the homestead and simplify future maintenance.

Many home owners have taken the precaution to color-ize and weather-proof the walls and foundations of the house, yet few of them take advantage of this type of paint to protect and beautify other concrete such as the garage foundation, the asphalt, the bird-bath, the barbecue pit and similar garden and playground gadgets.

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Paint Removal With Blow Torch Requires Extra Precautions

Householders planning to repaint their homes as part of the annual Clean-Up campaign are urged to use caution in removing the present coat of paint.

The National Board of Fire Underwriters points out that the following precautions should be taken if a blow-torch is used:

1. The flame of the blow-torch should be directed downward rather than upward. This prevents flames from penetrating spaces beneath the clap boards.
2. A garden hose should be attached to the nearest faucet and kept close at hand throughout the period of paint removal.
3. The householder and the painter should make thorough inspections of the area involved immediately after each day's work is finished, and also the first thing the following morning. This is important because fires sometimes smoulder within the walls under the clapboard out of sight. The painter should be constantly alert for any unusual heating of the wood.

Bureau Lists Tips On House Painting

Too-frequent painting of a house is not recommended, says the Construction Research Bureau, New York clearing house for building information. If painted oftener than every three years, a thick paint film may build up and this will soon crack and peel.

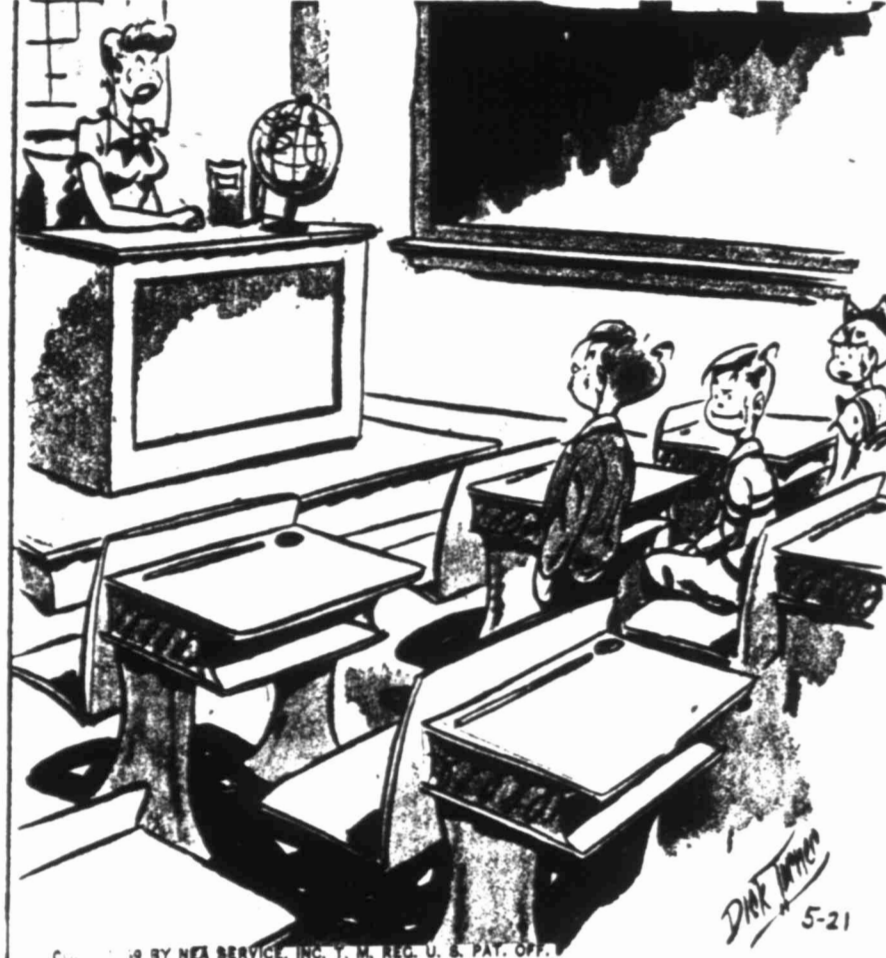
It is necessary, however, to keep the paint film intact and it is time to repaint when cracks extend almost through the film or if the paint is so eroded that the underlying surface is visible in spots. Where paint has peeled or blistered, repainting should not be delayed.

FUNNY BUSINESS



"The meat's okay—he just came to work dressed like that so he wouldn't be late for the masquerade tonight!"

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Don't Worry And Keep Your Teeth Out Water Glass

VANCOUVER, B. C.—If you want to keep your teeth where they belong—and not in a glass of water—just stop worrying. It seems the United States is becoming a nation of teeth-gritters. Dr. Merrill G. Swenson of the University of Oregon, a speaker at the 33rd annual convention of the British Columbia Dental Association, said: "Under tension, the first thing you do is set your teeth. Then you gnash and grind them and weaken the bone. Next time you eat you're on a diet of French toast and milk." Worst teeth-gritters, he said, are motorists. But just how you're going to stop worrying, Dr. Swenson doesn't know. He isn't worrying about it. He wants to preserve his teeth.

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Daddy Ringtail

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And Big Ears

Sonny Bunny was a rabbit boy who lived far away in the Great Forest. He had very long ears. One day, Sonny Bunny was waiting down on the ground for Bobby Ringtail, the monkey boy, to come out and play. "Booby!" Daddy Ringtail whistled. "You may go out now, and play with Sonny Bunny. But whatever you do, don't tease him about his big, long ears. You might hurt his feelings." Bobby laughed. "Oh, Daddy Ringtail!" he said. "Did you ever see such very long ears? I think they're funny!" "Shh!" Daddy Ringtail said. "H'll hear you, and it might make him unhappy! Now if you'll re-

said: "I heard everything Daddy Ringtail said about my ears, but you can tease me about them if you want to. I don't care. Big ears are good to hear with, and that's how I knew about the scrambled coconut." So I never tease anyone who has big ears. They are good to hear with, and who knows when I might want a friend with big ears to do some hearing for me? Happy day until Monday! JACK RABBIT (Copyright 1949, General Features Corp.)

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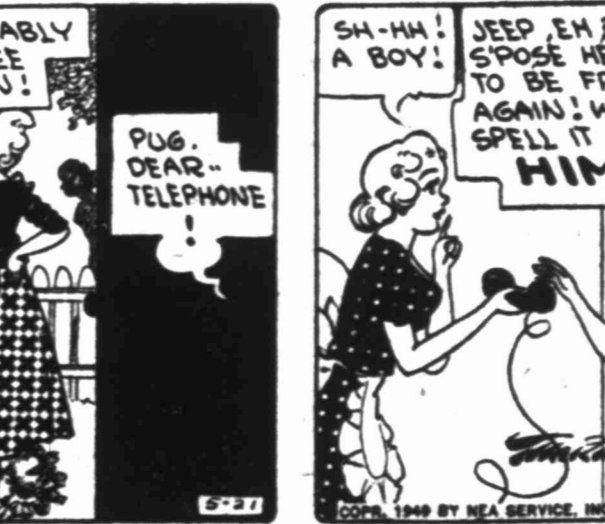
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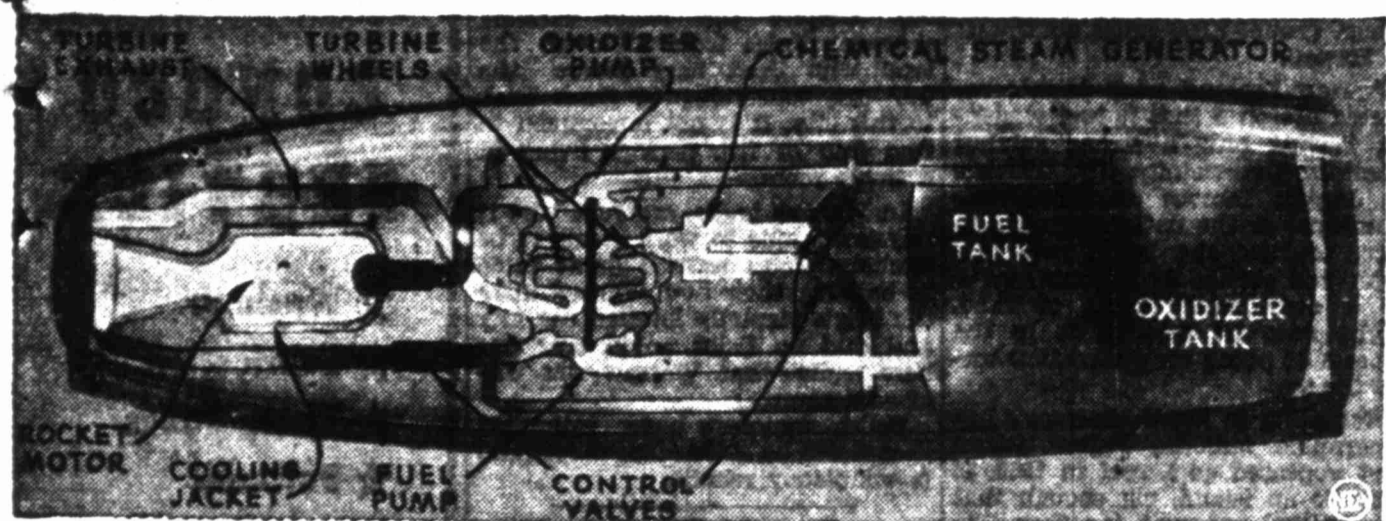
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The demand for speed is producing some strange engines for tomorrow's air picture—and some startling ideas of what tomorrow's speed may be. One power plant that goes with the fantastic-sounding ideas of scientists is the rocket engine, the inner workings of which are exposed in schematic form.

NEW YORK —(NEA)— This may sound like somebody's pipe dream—but:

Solemn scientists and engineers actually are talking about the possibility of man-carrying airplanes that will fly at 25,000 miles an hour—planes that could go outside the earth's atmosphere, where no air friction would slow their speed that could circle the earth at such speed their centrifugal force would offset the pull of gravity.

Out in sub-stellar regions, somewhere between here and the moon, the engineer could cut his engines. Then plane and crew could circle the earth forever—or, at least, until they got hungry and lonely and bored—without using any power.

When their job was done, or the crew members couldn't tolerate one another any longer, the engineer could start his engines, and the plane could fly back to where gravity took control. From there on the trip back to earth could be a coast-in.

"There are lots of things to be licked before we could do that," remarks Robert D. Grange, project engineer in the Wright Aeronautical Corp.'s gas turbine division, "but there's nothing that says it's impossible."

The experts do not flirt with such ideas out of idle curiosity, or even to provide future escape for folks who get fed up with human society. The military thinks such

a "space ship" would be a valuable weapon.

It could hang in the sky, overlooking a full half of the earth's surface at once. With electronic devices, the crew could take control over atomic missiles, launched from the earth, and guide them unerringly to explode in the Times Square, the Wall Street, the Pennsylvania Avenue, the Willow Run of any enemy country that was no more than half a world away.

Not Around Corner. Obviously, nothing like this is just around the corner. But the rocket engine, perhaps even more than the possibility of atomic power, makes it an idea from which scientists of substance do not turn scornfully away.

Ignoring atomic power for the time being, the rocket engine is the only power plant that might make such a venture conceivable. For one thing, only the rocket engine could provide speeds from 23,000 to 25,000 miles an hour necessary to break through the earth's gravitational pull, so that the ship could coast along through space.

For another, engines and turbines and jets need air, as a source of oxygen to support combustion. But the rocket engine carries its own oxygen supply, and it alone can operate above the 80,000-to-100,000 foot level at which the earth's atmosphere becomes too thin to support combustion efficiently.

There are several obvious major problems in connection with

such a space ship. They start with the designing of a plane capable of building up, in a few hundred miles, to a speed of 25,000 miles an hour.

Great Pressure
The cabin would have to stand a pressure of 14.7 pounds to the square inch, inside, against no pressure at all, outside, without exploding. Insulation would be needed against heat generated by air friction while moving 25,000 miles an hour in the earth's atmosphere, and also against the fact that in space there would be no atmosphere to temper the sun's heat by day or to hold and distribute remnants of that heat by night.

In the absence of gravity's pull, there would be nothing to hold down the crew, or anything else that was loose.

The rocket engine still is in its infancy. It has been used on experimental fighter planes chiefly because, at the time, no turbo-jets powerful enough were available; its principal immediate interest is in connection with missile: of the V-2 type. It has helped to achieve manned-plane speeds unofficially estimated to have approached 1700 miles an hour—unmanned missile speeds up to about 4000 miles an hour.

It has at least one major defect thus far. Its fuel consumption is so enormous that a rocket-powered plane can stay in the air only a few minutes. The name "rocket" is deceiving. Its power does not come from a series of explosions from rockets, but from the continuous burning of a mixture of ethyl alcohol and liquid oxygen at a temperature around 5000 degrees Fahrenheit.

Kick Plane Along
The rocket engine actually is another jet engine that carries its own oxidizer instead of depending on the air. Like any jet, it expels high pressure, superheated gases from a rear nozzle, and these kick the plane along with the same reaction a heavy gauge shotgun applies to the hunter's aching shoulder.

Very secret work is being done on new propellants to replace ethyl alcohol and liquid oxygen. Most are very poisonous and highly corrosive. Some will ignite with explosive suddenness the instant they come together, which creates a hazard to experimenters and adds to the problem of finding new materials to contain and utilize them. The rocket engine can operate at any speed, but—unless working beyond the atmosphere at 16 to 20 mile altitudes—there is no excuse for using it until speeds from 2000 miles up are required. Any use at lower speed, now that turbo-jet and ram-jet are available, is not because of the rocket's own virtues, but merely to permit study and experiment with rockets before really speedy planes become available.

The famous astronomer, Galileo, disliked science when he studied it as a schoolboy, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Medico Bobs Bulgy Bosoms, Bulbous Beaks

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK —(AP)— More men than women are giving themselves a change of pace today by getting themselves a change of face.

They get a new outlook on life by going to a plastic surgeon to have an objectionable facial feature remedied.

"Since the war we have more men than women patients," said Dr. Gregory L. Pollock, a pioneer specialist in this form of human sculpture.

In the last 30 years he has operated on some 5,000 persons. Among them were the widow of a U. S. President—she had her face lifted—and scores of society, theatrical and movie celebrities.

Dr. Pollock is something of a Broadway notable himself. He went from book-keeping to medicine.

The science of plastic surgery has undergone significant change in three decades. At present it is a mushrooming branch of medicine, allied in some ways to psychiatry. "It used to be a hush-hush matter, done in strictest privacy. People were ashamed to admit they wanted to try to improve on the face that their parents—or life—had given them."

"Today they want to brag about it. They even throw cocktail parties to unveil their new nose."

And the patients no longer are merely the idle wealthy, seeking to hide the traces of age. Most are working people.

"Plastic surgery isn't a foolish luxury," said Dr. Pollock. "In an overwhelming number of cases it is an economic investment. It isn't just vanity that impels them to want their faces changed."

"Lawyers, entertainers, school-teachers, beauty parlor operators, salesgirls, waitresses—any people who meet the public—find their incomes suffer from facial disfigurements. So they have them removed."

"The improvement of their features also helps them in personality ways. They lose lifelong feelings of inferiority and regain self-confidence."

The feature most people find fault with about their anatomy is the nose. Then come the ears—too much like Peter Rabbit or a pair of swinging doors. And then, in order, are wrinkles, oversized bosoms and weak chins.

On the Job



Mixing some more paint for his job on the Summer White House in Independence, Mo., John Moler, 67-year-old non-union painter, is undisturbed by a letter sent President Truman by the AFL Painters Council in Kansas City, Mo. The painters want Moler taken off the job and a union man hired.

UP AND DOWN

As a person leaves the earth's surface and ascends into the air, the temperature falls an average of about one degree Fahrenheit each 300 feet, until the stratosphere is reached. Here the temperature ceases to fall, and, sometimes, actually rises.

Read the Classifieds.

McCamey News

McCAMEY—Mrs. H. W. Driskill presented her musical students in a candlelight recital at the First Christian Church recently.

The McCamey Home Demonstration Club met recently in the Maxcey Hotel, with Mrs. H. R. Maxcey acting as hostess. A program of work simplification was given by Myrna Holman. Cakes, coffee and cookies were served to Mrs. John Ganit, Mrs. C. K. West, Mrs. G. W. Huffman, Mrs. Ida Holt, Mrs. J. L. Werst, Mrs. Leon Townsend, Mrs. F. C. Reimers, Mrs. J. R. O'Callaghan, Mrs. Ralph Jackson, Molly Yates and Mrs. J. F. Gibbs.

The recently organized Brownie Girl Scout Troop held an investiture service recently at the Dunbar School. Mrs. Claudia Watts, troop leader, invested the following Brownies: Lillian Baughman, Susan Baughman, Beulah Carter, Frances Carter, Faye Croft, Minnie Sue Croft, Leola Gilbert and Betty Ruth Wallace.

Mrs. Watts also invested the following committee members: Mrs. Grady Baughman, Mrs. Abbie Baughman and Mrs. Susie Wallace.

Business Visitor

Fred Casey of El Paso was a business visitor here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Baumgardner and daughter Nancy were guests of the O. O. Jacobsens last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Sharp were Crane visitors in the Q. N. Sharp home last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoot Partain, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard St. John, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Rockett, Dorothy St. John and Ray Phillips spent last weekend fishing at Merton.

Ruby Nell Braly and mother, Mrs. S. R. Braly, were visitors in Lafer Harbison's home in Midland recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ingram attended the Square Dance Festival in El Paso recently.

Charles Harry Pickett of Dallas was a business visitor here this week.

UNDERGROUND TREE

The Andra Laurifolia, a Brazilian tree, has its trunk underground, and what appears to be surface roots really are its branches.

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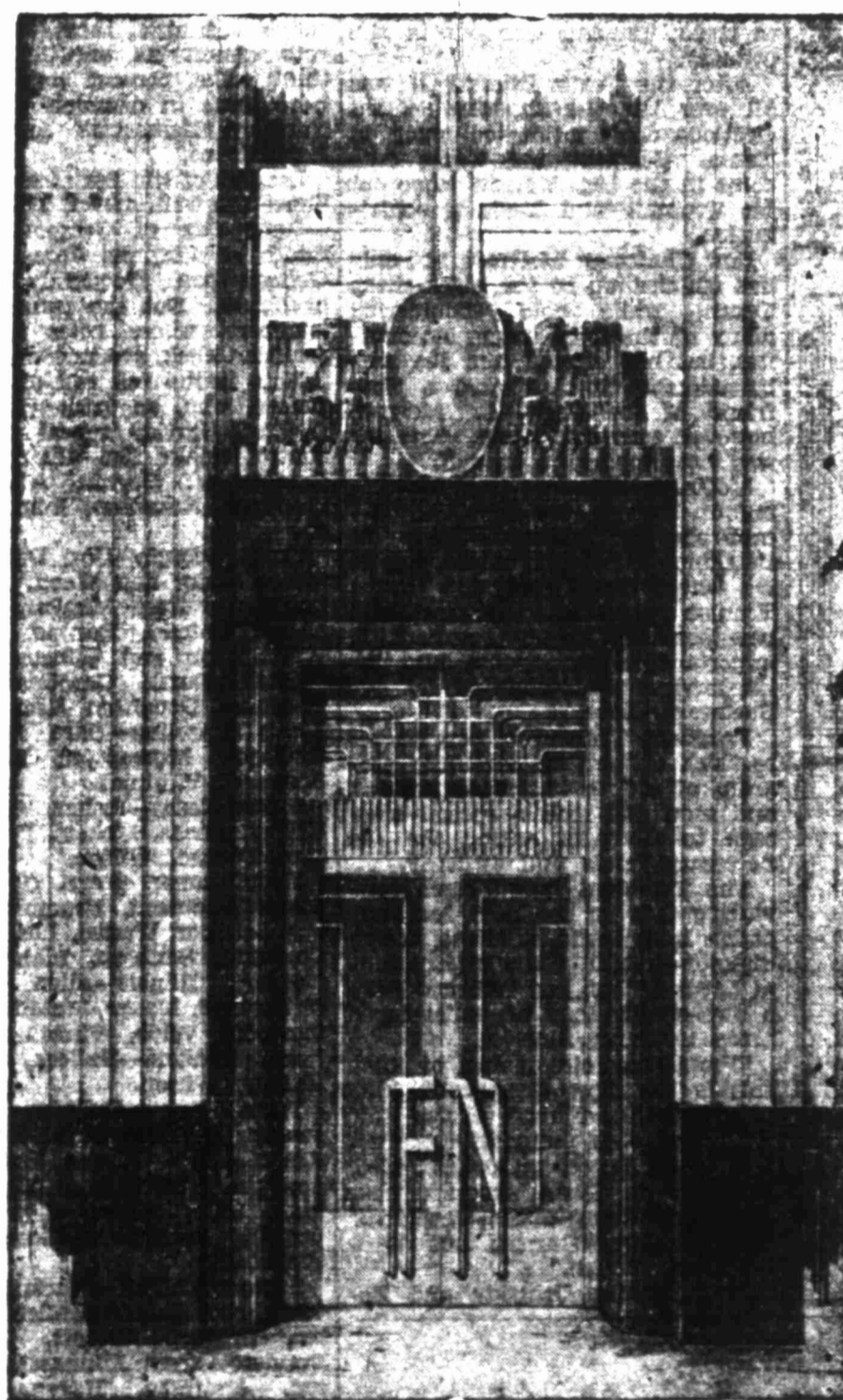
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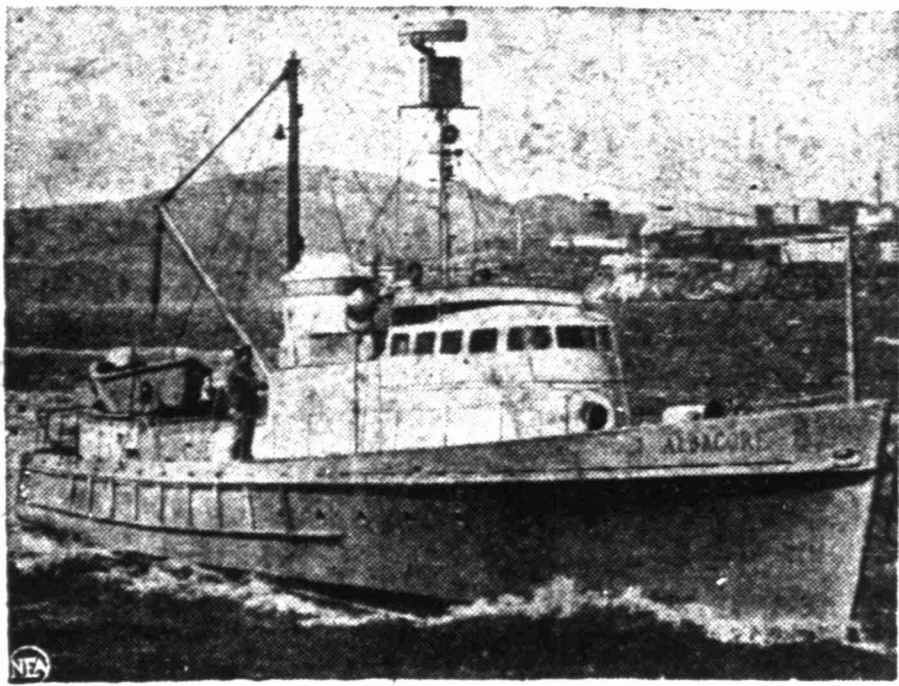
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Patrol Boat Goes 'Fishing' With Radar To Hook Fishermen Who Are Violating The Law



RADAR GEAR atop mast of California fishing patrol boat Albacore helps nab fishermen operating in illegal waters.

SAN FRANCISCO—(NEA)—Radar, which helped win the battle of freedom, is now hard at work in the battle of fish.

The Albacore, newest patrol boat of the California Fish and Game Commission, is using a radar set to detect violators of the state's fishing laws.

Specifically, the new equipment will aid the fight against commercial boats fishing inside the three-mile limit and those using a drag net in illegal waters.

Throws Scare

Already, the presence of mysterious radar on the Albacore has thrown a scare into California fishermen. They seem to think it possesses powers even more potent than it actually does.

"There's a great deal of speculation going on among commercial fishermen in Northern California," says the patrol boat's skipper, Captain Ralph W. Dale, "over just what we can see on the Albacore's radar screen.

"There's talk along the wharves that we know just how many fish are aboard, or whether the legal limit of 500 pounds of crab per boat has been exceeded. Some of the men are sure that the very kinds of fish and size of catch can be seen as they are brought aboard, although we may be many miles away with fog and darkness making visibility zero.

Even though the Albacore's

General Electric radar set can't do those things, it has proven a big help in the conservation fight. It enables the 83-foot boat to be out in any kind of weather, night and day. Previously, patrol boats sometimes stayed in port a month or more in bad weather.

"Blob" of Light

The viewing screen is calibrated so that the radar operator—and every member of the crew except the cook is an operator—can take drag reckoning. The little "blob" of light on the screen tells him whether a boat is a fisher or a coastwise tanker or an ocean-going vessel.

"Our boats are now much more effective," says Chief LaRue Chappell of the Commission's Bureau of Patrol and Law Enforcement, "especially in determining whether or not a boat is using a drag net within illegal waters. We can see whether they are clustered within a certain area, which usually means the drag nets are out."

Fish Depleted

Poor enforcement of conservation laws has resulted in a depletion of fish along the Northern California shelf. Where once a catch was spoken of in tons and could be made within an hour, now it takes perhaps four hours to bring in a few hundred pounds.

Captain Dale thinks that the radar equipment will prevent violations, as well as result in the capture of violators. He adds that he would much rather prevent a violation of fishing regulations than catch an offender. With radar, he says, the Albacore will be able to move more quickly and surely.

The Commission, too, with an eye to the fall of fishing to fifth place in the state's industries, is interested primarily in conservation, not punishment.

"There is room for all, commercial and sports fishermen alike," says Chief Chappell. "Both businesses are valuable to the state, and we must not neglect or ignore ruin our good bounty."

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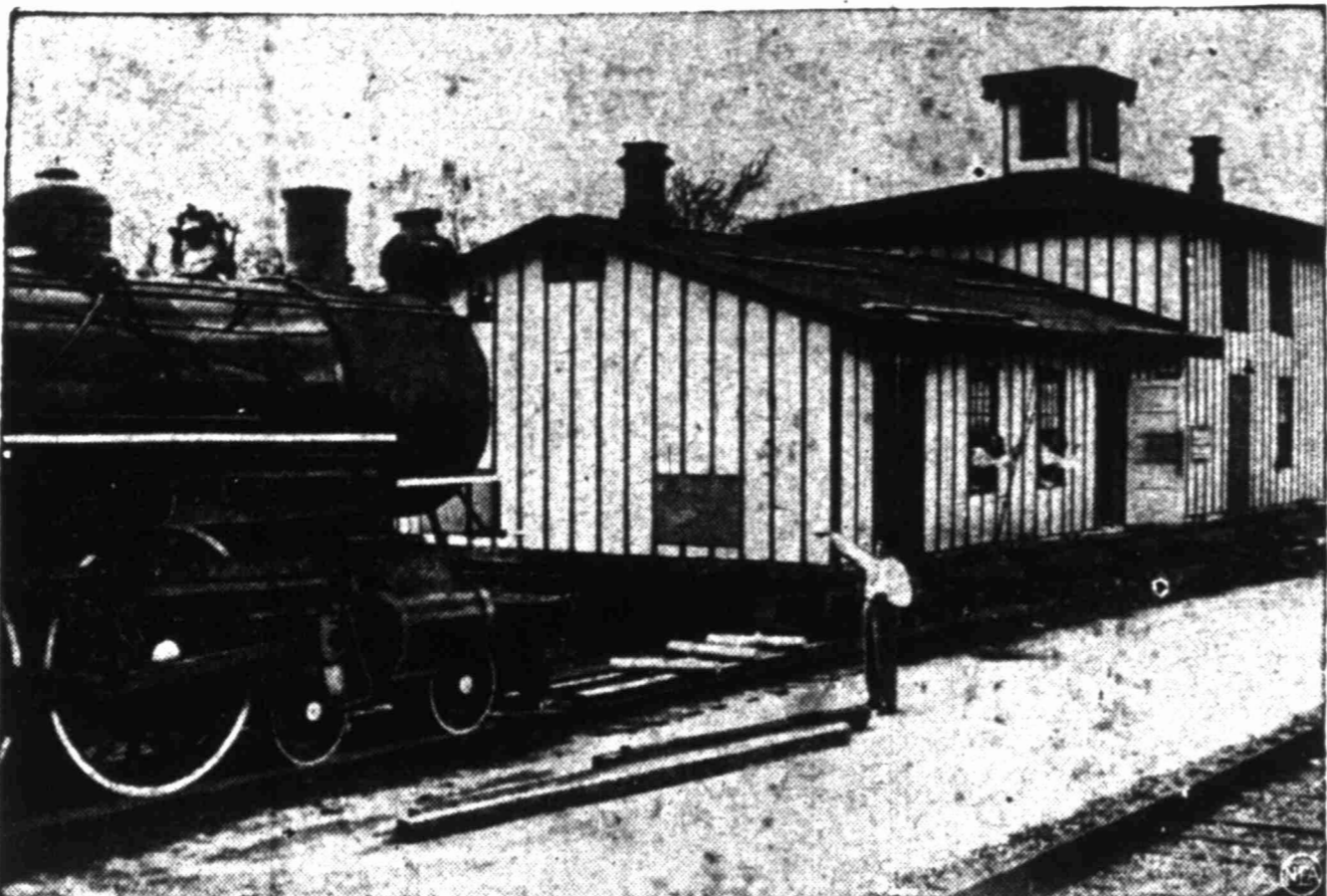
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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

Drew Pearson says: President Truman's "BC" Democrats; International Labor Office head urges aid to undeveloped areas; North-South Congressional Alliance operates smoothly.

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt used to have a file of what he called "BC" Democrats—meaning those who had the courage to be for him "before the Chicago convention." With President Truman, however, friends say that "BC" means "Big Contribution" no matter when the money comes in.

Curtis Calder, now asked to be secretary of the Army, made his contribution of \$3,000 on November 23—well after the election. Another Texan, Wright Morrow, now is getting the royal plush-carpet treatment, though he did his best to block Truman's nomination.

Morrow still has the technical title of Democratic National Committeeman from Texas, due only to the fact that Chairman McGrath snuggled him to his breast after election. McGrath, however, staged his cuddling act despite the fact that Morrow was thrown out by the second Democratic convention in Texas because he had teamed up with the Dixiecrats. What Morrow said about Truman at that time couldn't be printed.

Finally, pro-Truman Democrats, led by Mayor Tom Miller of Austin, Judge Clancy of Brownsville, Harry Sey of Dallas, with Maury Maverick and Woodville Rogers of San Antonio, managed to put Morrow in his place. Thanks partly to them, Truman won out in the primary.

After the Texas Primary it was all over but the shouting. Final elections don't mean too much in Texas. So, with the Texas outcome in the bag, Morrow came out for Truman—and made a contribution.

Now Chairman McGrath not only has cuddled up to the black-sheep Texan, while cold shouldering many of the loyal Texas Trumanites, but has offered him the ambassadorship to Australia, a close friend of the U. S. A. Morrow, however, turned it down. The job was not important enough.

McGrath therefore now is coming up with a new appointment—probably the ambassadorship to Belgium. It will be interesting to see whether the man who fought Truman when it hurt most will now consider Belgium sufficiently important to recompense him for his services to Truman.

Backward Areas

President Truman is now all set to "kick off" on his far-flung program of aid to backward nations, and soon will send a special message to Congress asking for the necessary funds and authority.

The President heard some convincing talk on the need for early action from David A. Morse, brainy director-general of the International Labor Office, just returned from a two-month tour of undeveloped areas in Latin America.

"From the standpoint of cost, this is the most inexpensive kind of foreign relations," Morse told him, "but it is the most constructive of all in getting results. Most countries in Latin America have done something about developing their backward areas, but it is far from enough."

Brazil, Chile, Uruguay and Bo-

livia have a crying need for industrial development and the situation is much worse in most of Asia and the Middle and Near East, Morse told the President.

He added that the first phase of the Truman program, which will be directed by the International Labor Office in cooperation with the United Nations and the World Bank, should be the training of backward-area peoples in working skills, so they can take jobs in new industries to be set up.

This, he said, would mean the establishment of vocational schools and other training centers in undeveloped countries.

"Your program will be a God-send in lifting the living standards of those parts of the world that can't help themselves and it will more than pay for itself in promoting good-will and new trade markets for America," predicted Morse.

Note—While Truman and Morse were posing for pictures, a photographer's flash bulb exploded. "Help! Get the Secret Service," exclaimed the President, with mock dismay, "somebody wants to shoot me."

North-South Alliance

Dixiecrats and old-guard Republicans now have organized one of the smoothest working alliances on Capitol Hill. With many signals across the aisle, these two groups vote almost as one. They also think alike, consort together, and have more in common than most Northern Democrats and Liberal Republicans.

Leaders of the Dixiecrat-GOP alliance are well known. Their names—Gene Cox of Georgia, Howard Smith of Virginia, John Wood of Georgia—are frequently in the headlines. But the rank and file members, whose votes make the coalition click, are not well known.

Here is the roll call of the gentlemen who, on such vital issues as Taft-Hartley repeal and rent control, make the alliance work: Democrats: Boykin, Alabama; Gathings, Arkansas; Rogers, Florida.

From Georgia—Cox, Davis, Preston, Wheeler and Wood; Passman, Louisiana; from Mississippi—Abernathy, Colmer, Rankin, Whitte, Whittington and Winstead.

From North Carolina—Barden, Chatham, Doughton, Redden; from South Carolina—Hare, McMillan, Richards; Murray of Tennessee; Smith of Virginia.

From Texas—Fisher, Gossett, Kilday, Lucas, Pickett, Poage, Reagan, Teague, Wilson.

Republicans: From California—Allen, Anderson, Bramblett, Phillips, Scudder, Werdell, Jackson; Hill, Colorado; Sanborn, Idaho.

From Illinois—Allen, Arends, Chipperfield, Mason, McMillen, Reed, Simpson, Yelke, Fursell, Church; from Indiana—Halleck, Harden, Harvey, Wilson.

From Iowa—Dolliver, Hoveen, Jensen, Le Compte, Martin; from Kansas—Cole, Meyer, Hope, Rees, Scrivner, Smith; from Maine—Fellows; Hale, Miller of Maryland; from Massachusetts—Goodwin and Nicholson.

From Michigan—Blackney, Crawford, Ford, Hoffman, Michener, Potter, Shafer, Wolcott, Woodruff, Dondero; from Minnesota—Anderson, Anderson, Eagen, O'Hara, Short of Missouri; D'Ewart of Montana; from Nebraska—Curtis, Miller, Stefan; from New Hampshire—Cotton and Merrow.

From New Jersey—Eaton, Towe; from New York—Gwinn, Macy, Reed, Taber, Wadsworth; from Ohio—Bolton, Brown, Elston, Jenkins, McCulloch, McGregor, Vorys, Welchel; from Oregon—Ellsworth and Stockman.

From Pennsylvania—Dague, Gavin, Gillette, Graham, Rich, Simp-

son; from South Dakota—Case, Lovre; Jennings of Tennessee; from Wisconsin—Byrnes, Davis, Keefe, Murray, Smith; Barrett of Wyoming.

Raising Senate Roof

Senate leaders have been served notice that they must wind up this session by July 1, because that's the day labor will start raising the roof—of the Capitol Building.

To put it literally, the Senate roof is to be reconstructed. The work will be done by Consolidated Engineering Company of Baltimore which has contracted to finish the job in six months, beginning July 1.

In notifying senators of this date, David Lynn, capitol architect, painted a strange picture of what will take place in the stately Senate Chamber.

"It is necessary," Lynn explained, "to construct an entrance to the building for the use of the workmen traveling to and from the roof with their tools and equipment. It being proposed to construct a stairway and entrance into the building through one of the windows in the senators' restricted, private dining room, and to reserve for use of the workmen the senators' private elevator."

Because legislation has been bogging down, Rules Chairman Carl Hayden of Arizona tried to get an extra month's grace before the Senate would have to vacate its chambers. But Consolidated Engineering Company replied bluntly: "If full access is not had to the Senate Chamber by July 1, 1949, it will be impossible to complete the work by January 1, 1950, as contemplated."

In case of a prolonged Summer session or extra session in the Fall, the Senate will convene in the Senate Caucus Room across the court from the Capitol Building.

Note—Once finished with the Senate roof, Consolidated Engineering Company will come back during the last half of 1950 to remodel the Senate floor.

Falcon Island Disappears For The Fourth Time

HONOLULU—(AP)—Falcon island has disappeared, for the fourth time in its recorded history—but a man who ought to know says it will rise again some day, bigger and better than ever. The island is (or was) a small, volcanic member of the Tonga group, 2,600 miles southwest of Hawaii.

A New Zealand navy frigate reported March 3 that it had vanished, leaving only a strong sulphur smell in the vicinity. Dr. Thomas A. Jaggar, famous American volcanologist of the national park service, predicts the island will rise again and eventually will grow up to be a considerable piece of land. Right now, he says, it is in the process of piling up a lava flow under the sea.

According to the U. S. Navy's hydrographic bulletin, Falcon island first appeared as a reef in 1865. It grew to a small island, big enough that the British surveyed it. Then, in 1894, it vanished.

Later the same year it reappeared, rose to an altitude of 50 feet then disappeared again four years later.

In 1900 a shoal was discovered at its site. By 1913 the shoal was gone. It came up again in 1927, one mile long. The following year it rose 600 feet, and spread out to two miles.

By 1936 it had subsided to an altitude of 200 feet, and was down to 30 feet by 1938. Last March it was entirely gone again.

"It's a continual battle between the volcano and the sea," Dr. Jaggar says. "The volcano gradually builds up, and storms wash it away. In the end, the volcano will win."

Polish City Pushes Rebuilding Program

WARSAW, POLAND.—(AP)—Poland's capital, rising rapidly anew from wartime ruins, is pushing a big new building program this year calling for expenditures of \$62,500,000.

Warsaw's population now is over 610,000. The pre-war top was 1,280,000. Despite the acute housing shortage, Poles from all over the land who lived here before the war are continuing to flock back to this city. It is not uncommon to find four or five persons living in a single room.

In Warsaw today, everyone who is physically able to work seems to be working. Poles have a great pride in building their new Warsaw after the Nazis virtually leveled the city and said no Poles would ever live here again—that Warsaw was finished forever.

Polish engineers have estimated that it will be 1965 before the capital is completely rebuilt.

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