

# Hurricane Death Toll Increases

## Six Proposals In Bond Issue

By BILL COLLINS  
Saturday, October 4, will be election day again in Midland—the day when qualified voters will determine whether the city will issue \$1,385,000 worth of bonds for needed civic improvements.

It is a big bond issue, perhaps the largest in Midland's history, but the major program of civic improvements since the city's founding. It is planned by members of the City Council who say ever-growing Midland is behind in municipal expansion and that the bond election should have been called two or three years ago.

Six separate proposals are included in the election, with the voters to ballot on each individual item. The mayor and councilmen are of the opinion that all urgently needed improvements should be included in the issue so tax-payers may have an opportunity to decide just what should be done to meet the increased needs of the fast-growing community.

The items and amounts: (1) water system improvements—\$750,000; (2) sewer system extensions and additions to disposal plant—\$200,000; (3) drainage program in East Midland—\$30,000; (4) enlargement of city hall and fire station and police station and jail—\$80,000; (5) development of park and playground facilities, including new playgrounds, improvements to Ragoda Swimming Pool, and installation of municipal golf course—\$125,000; (6) streets, street markers and paving—\$200,000.

Members of the council are anxious that citizens become fully acquainted with the bond issue proposals, and are taking advantage of every opportunity to explain the issue to individuals and groups. They stress the fact that capital improvements in recent years have been financed out of current revenues and that operating funds have been depleted and short term borrowing for current expenses has become necessary. They say the demand for capital improvements can be met only by a bond issue.

The bonds, if voted, will be sold at an interest rate not to exceed three per cent.

A breakdown of the six items included in the proposed bond issue follows:

**Water Improvements**  
Water is all-important to West Texas communities, and Midland, one of the area's fastest-growing cities, is no exception. The water problem must be faced, and it is not surprising that more than 50 per cent of the bond issue is for water improvements. Midland's water situation this summer has been critical, and a voluntary rationing program was instituted about two months ago. The present system was designed for a city much smaller than the Midland of today. Additional water must be brought into Midland and the present distribution system enlarged if the situation is to be corrected.

The proposed water improvement bonds total \$750,000 of which officials plan to spend \$180,000 to lay a 12 or 14 inch pipe line connecting the city with the already developed water system at the Midland Air Terminal. The 12 inch line at the terminal, each of which is equipped with a pump, have produced a total of more than 1,000,000 gallons a day during peak consumption. The airfield system also includes a 500,000 gallon overhead storage tank. City officials say this would be the quickest means of bringing additional water into the city.

Another \$489,000 is proposed for paving for and developing the Wadley tract north of the city. The purchase price of the land is \$64,000, with the development costs, including wells, pumps, gathering system, storage pump station, 20 inch line to the north city limit, and three main grids into the city.

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## William Moss Weds Actress Jane Withers

LOS ANGELES —(P)—Jane Withers, 21, former child actress, and Film Producer William Moss, 27, were married Saturday in the First Congregational Church.

The Rev. Louis Evans performed the ceremony before about 2,000 in-vitees.

Betty Moss, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and best man was Ferriss Bracewell of Houston.

Moss is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Moss of Odessa. Miss Withers, who has acted in movies since she was six years old, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Withers.

## Grain Slumps May Puncture Living Costs

By The Associated Press  
Wheat, corn and oats continued their marathon plunge on the nation's major markets Saturday, heralding a possible puncture in the record high cost of living.

The tumble in grain prices—fifth in the last six days on the world's largest exchange at Chicago—was accompanied by declines during the last few days in livestock prices and a long list of commodities.

After soaring to an all time peak on Tuesday, The Associated Press wholesale price index of 35 commodities went into a steady slump for the remainder of the week.

The week-to-week decline in the index, the first in four weeks, was the largest since April.

**Cotton Futures Drop**  
Heavy selling swept cotton futures downward more than \$2 a bale in New York.

Corn headed the grains in the grain collapse, dropping the full eight cent limit in Chicago for the third consecutive day. At Kansas City, the cereal also dropped the eight cent limit permitted under exchange rules.

September corn at Chicago closed at \$2.38 a bushel, with the cereal 28 to 32 cents lower than the peak set last week.

Wheat, which at one time fell the full 10 cents limit at Chicago, closed 3 3/4-7 1/8 lower with September \$2.57 1/4. Since last week's peak, wheat has fallen from 27 to 38 cents.

**Oats Closes Lower**  
Oats closed 3 3/4 to 5 3/8 lower with September \$1.08, for a decline of 16 to 20 cents since last week.

The week long drop in livestock prices ranged from a few cents to several dollars a hundred weight at the nation's 12 principal markets. Wholesale prices for eggs, coffee, butter and four slumped somewhat during the week.

Earlier in the week, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported wholesale prices of food and farm products reached an all time high last weekend. In another report Saturday, the bureau said living costs for city dwellers hit an all-time high in July and probably had climbed "a lot higher" since then.

## Italians Protest In March Of Piazzas

ROME—(P)—Tens of thousands of Italians waving red flags and the tricolor in Rome's Piazza del Popolo Saturday night and in public squares throughout Italy in a leftist-inspired blow at Premier Alcide De Gasperi's government and in protest at skyrocketing prices.

Several hours after the "March of the Piazzas" started there were no reports of violence, though police precautions were light.

The Roman demonstrators carried placards blaming the Christian democratic government for economic ills.

At Naples approximately 30,000 gathered in Piazza Plebiscito at 4 p. m., the same hour as the Rome and other meetings.

The demonstrations occurred on the anniversary of the end of Vatican rule of the Papal States in 1870, a date of anti-clerical significance in Italian history.

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**JUNE CARTWRIGHT, 14 KILLED IN AUTO CRASH**  
DUMAS—(P)—June Cartwright, 14, of Sunray was killed this afternoon near Sunray when she apparently lost control of the automobile she was driving and it overturned. Injured was a companion, Geraldine Turley, also 14.

## Hurricane Rips Through Florida



(NEA Telephoto)  
This is one of the main thoroughfares of St. Petersburg, Fla., as it was lashed by heavy rain and wind. The debris-covered streets were empty and silent as the tropical hurricane tore its way through the city.

## LaGuardia Dies In Sleep Following Long Illness

NEW YORK—(P)—Fiorello H. LaGuardia, 64, the volatile little man who was mayor of the nation's largest city for three terms, died Saturday in his sleep, the victim of a long and wasting illness.

LaGuardia's strength and remarkable energy had been ebbing since last June when an operation disclosed an incurable pancreas condition. Tuesday night he collapsed at his home and since then had been in a coma.

Foreign dignitaries joined with American officials and public in expressing messages of regret at the passing of New York's native-born "Little Flower," who once directed food shipments to hungry millions in other lands as director general of UNRRA.

The United Nations General Assembly passed in a 10-second silent tribute. City flags were lowered to half staff. Andrei Y. Vishinsky, Soviet deputy foreign minister, and Major William O'Dwyer of New York, were among the many who issued statements of mourning.

Two doctors, LaGuardia's wife and his two adopted children, Erik, 15, and Jean, 18, were at the bedside in his home when he died at 7:22 a. m.

**Services Monday**  
Funeral services will be held Monday in the Episcopal Cathedral of St. John the Divine with Bishop Charles K. Gilbert officiating.

LaGuardia was elected mayor as a fusion candidate in 1933 and served until Jan. 1, 1946, when he turned his office over to O'Dwyer.

He went to fires in a fireman's hat, castigated "tin horns" and gamblers, banned burlesque, and was eternally vigilant against dishonesty in city administration. Wide-brimmed hats were his trademark and New Yorkers knew their five-foot three-inch executive as "Butch" or the "Little Flower."

**Served In Congress**  
LaGuardia had been a congressman before running for mayor. He was co-author of the Norris-LaGuardia Anti-Injunction Act and was known as a friend of labor.

LaGuardia was too energetic to stay idle after retiring from the mayoralty. He wrote a weekly column for the newspaper PM and became a radio commentator.

The teeming lower East Side of Manhattan was LaGuardia's birth place. He had been a frontier youth in Arizona, a World War I flyer, lawyer and consular attaché before he became president of the New York Board of Aldermen and a congressman.

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**ELEVEN INJURED WHEN TRUCK OVERTURNS**  
BRCNNWOD—(P)—Eleven persons suffered minor injuries Saturday when a truck carrying 24 cotton pickers from Lamesa to San Ygnacio overturned near here.

## Truman Faces Big Problems

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman waded into a mass of official reports on his arrival from Brazil Saturday and prepared for conferences starting Monday on the pressing problem of feeding and fueling Western Europe without knocking the domestic policy further askew.

The question of a special session was a particularly tough one as Truman found himself in the middle of conflicting advice on whether one is needed. He wants to hear all sides before deciding, but he was described as still believing a meeting before January is unnecessary.

After a 45-minute meeting with members of his White House staff, it was announced he would confer with Secretary of State Marshall Monday, if not sooner, and probably receive other individual cabinet members.

Marshall is coming here Sunday from the United Nations Assembly meeting in New York. Major policy decisions awaited his oral report on the impasse in Soviet-American relations and studies by his department and others on Europe's economic plight.

**Twenty Men Called For Grand Jury Duty Here September 29**  
Twenty Midlanders have been summoned to report in 70th District Court here Monday, Sept. 29, for grand jury duty. The summons were sent out by District Clerk Nettey C. Romer.

The jury will be selected from the following:  
G. Frank Aldrich, E. H. Barron, H. G. Bedford, L. L. Beville, Ben F. Black, Floyd O. Boles, F. D. Breedlove, P. F. Bridgewater, John P. Butler, J. L. Crump, J. P. Carson, John Casselman, C. W. Chancellor, W. E. Chapman, W. N. Cole, H. S. Collins, Russell C. Conkling, John N. Cornwell, Frank Cowden, and I. E. Daniel.

**TRUMAN'S WIFE DAUGHTER FLY TO KANSAS CITY**  
WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman's wife and daughter flew to Kansas City Saturday afternoon, only a few hours after their return from Brazil.

Miss Margaret Truman planned to resume her musical studies. They went in the new presidential plane, The Independence.

**MANILA**—(AP)—Twenty-six of the 28 men who parachuted from a lost U. S. Army transport over Northern Luzon have been found safe, a 13th Air Force spokesman reported Sunday.

**NEW YORK**—(AP)—The old fight between Russia and the United States over the Italian peace treaty flared up again Saturday night when Soviet Delegate Andrei A. Gromyko tried to block a proposal which would call on the United Nations to consider revision of the treaty.

**WASHINGTON**—(AP)—Senator Pepper (D-Fla.), considered by some as a possible candidate for the post himself, said Saturday General Dwight D. Eisenhower would suit him as the Democratic vice-presidential nominee, "if that meets the approval of the President."

**WASHINGTON**—(AP)—The American Red Cross announced Saturday night that disaster funds have been appropriated for the hurricane areas in Florida, Alabama, Mississippi and Louisiana and the governors of those states have been advised by wire. No set sum was fixed for the relief and rehabilitation program.

**NEW ORLEANS**—(AP)—The body of a man drowned by hurricane swept water on the outskirts of New Orleans was recovered late Saturday, and five other persons were reported missing in the same area.

## Winds Become Trash-Moving Whines In Texas

NEW ORLEANS—(P)—A rising death toll from the fearful hurricane which swept the Eastern Gulf Coast was counted Saturday night as ebbing waters permitted a survey of casualties and destruction.

Twenty-three bodies were recovered in the Biloxi-Gulfport vicinity of the Mississippi Coast resort area, where the storm was deadliest. The Red Cross reported as many as 84 persons dead or missing, emphasizing that the reports were not verified. The Gulfport chief of police was quoted as saying 100 bodies were expected to be recovered from the ruins of smashed Pass Christian.

At Biloxi, concern was felt for the safety of many Mississippi Coast fishermen who were reported to have scurried to Louisiana marshes when the hurricane bore down. Cosman Eisenbrath, a Biloxi newspaperman, said that a Coast Guard plane had made contact with 40 of the fishermen, who were safe, and was searching for about 160 others.

In New Orleans, 4,000 volunteers were called to stem the inflow of flood waters pushed up by the storm.

Damage to New Orleans property, the area's crops and the fishing industry was counted in the tens of millions.

**Martial Law Declared**  
The entire Coastal Area was under martial law Saturday night as the storm, which earlier had blasted across Florida, blew itself out harmlessly in Northeast Texas.

The estimated death toll list was swelled by reports, which the Red Cross said were not confirmed, of 16 dead at Waveland, Miss.; five to 12 dead at Pass Christian, and 31 men aboard three missing fishing boats.

Hal Boyle, Associated Press reporter, who flew over the storm-torn area, said "damage may well run into the tens of millions of dollars — a \$6,000,000 estimate is given for the Biloxi shrimp canning industry alone."

**Toll Expected To Increase**  
Residents fear also that as the Gulf winds yield up their dead the death toll will rise much higher than at first believed," Boyle said.

Gov. Fielding H. Wright of Mississippi and his adjutant general sped to the stricken area to investigate and direct law enforcement.

An emergency appeal was made for doctors and nurses at Pass Christian and Bay St. Louis. Rex Thomas, Associated Press reporter, said damage in those two communities seemed to be much heavier than at Gulfport.

The Navy at New Orleans planned to send an LCI (infantry landing craft) to Bay St. Louis Sunday with 5,000 emergency rations and other supplies. Fifty volunteer Marine Reservists were to go to Bay St. Louis in another landing craft for any necessary duty, taking along two portable generators for power as needed.

**Power Is Restored**  
Electric current was restored to the business section of Gulfport Saturday night after being off 24 hours.

Residents of Gulfport were advised to boil all water before drinking.

The threat of wholesale looting was acute, and National Guard and Army troops had orders to shoot to kill.

At Bay Minette, Ala., Sheriff Taylor Wilkins said a National Guard detachment was sent to Alabama Beach after looting occurred.

W. J. Harston, New Orleans air pilot, flew to Biloxi, Miss., and said he was told 21 men aboard three commercial boats were caught in Friday's hurricane and feared lost.

Harston said residents told him the boats had not been heard from since hours before the storm, and a plane was searching for them.

Buster Abadie, manager of the Gulfport Air Service, said the Gulfport chief of police told him he expected 100 bodies to be recovered from the ruins of Pass Christian.

N. Charles Wicker, Times Picayune reporter, said residents of Bay St. Louis believed more than 250 persons were dead in the lowlands.

Meanwhile, an aerial survey of the Mississippi resort area along the Gulf Coast revealed that the area was a shambles.

Dan Galoupe, reporter for the New Orleans States, flew low over the coast and said "The entire area was razed." He said the resort towns of Waveland and Clermont Harbor were "almost destroyed."

Highway 90 was twisted into warped slabs of concrete at spots; sections of the seawall was gone, a railway causeway over Bay St. Louis was "stubs of pilings sticking out of the water." Boats ranging up to 90 feet in length had been blown far inland.

Crop damage was high. William L. Roark, county agent of Rapides Parish, La., estimated damage to Louisiana crops at "more than \$10,000,000."

The same murderous hurricane, born in the Atlantic, killed seven (Continued on Page 5)



### Top Of Ellenburger Has Gas Shows At Texaco Wildcat In NE Crockett Area

The Texas Company No. 1-U State of Texas (University) No. 1-Crockett County deep wildcat, three miles south of Barnhart, and 680 feet from north and 662 feet from west lines of section 22, block 49, University survey, has shown some signs of gas in the top of the Ellenburger, and is being watched with much interest, as it goes deeper into that formation.

Operator ran a one hour and 50 minute drillstem test at 8,675-8,735 feet. There was a fair blow of air at the surface for one hour and 30 minutes, and it then died. Recovery was 3,270 feet of gas in the drill pipe and 18 1/2 feet of gas cut drilling mud. There were no signs of oil or gas.

The project had drilled ahead to 8,745 feet, and was taking another drillstem test, at last report. Operator has not officially reported the top of the Ellenburger. However it is understood that the horizon has only been penetrated a short distance.

#### SOUTH STEPOUT IS STAKED TO MIDWAY LANE FIELD

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 Chambers County Fee, in Chambers County School Land survey, Abstract 1689, but located 660 feet south and 1,780 feet west of the southeast corner of section 30, block 46, University survey, is to be a three-quarter of a mile south stepout from Sinclair Prairie Oil Company and The Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-66 University, the discovery well for flowing production from the Ellenburger field in Northeast Crockett County.

This exploration is slated to start drilling in a short time, to around 7,700 feet, to test into the Ellenburger.

#### D H DEEP DISCOVERY GETS WATER TO BE COMPLETED

The Pure Oil Company and Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-E-A E. P. Cowden, discovery well for flowing production from the northeast and southeast lines of

Ellenburger, on the north side of the Dollar Hide field, in extreme Southwest Andrews County, and 1,970 feet from west and 660 feet from south lines of section 24, block A-52, psi survey, has established the water level for the deep pay zone.

In a drillstem test at 10,169-210 feet a 2,500-foot water blanket was used. That fluid started flowing out in 54 minutes. Oil and gas appeared in the water-blanket at the end of 62 minutes.

The tester was continued open for a total of six hours. During the first hour and 58 minutes after the oil and gas appeared, the flow averaged 50.7 barrels per hour. That fluid was 80 per cent salt water and 20 per cent oil.

It is expected that the water section will be plugged off and the well completed from the oil saturated zone between 9,990 feet, and the point to which the hole will be plugged back.

That section had produced oil in commercial quantities during drillstem tests which were taken while drilling was in progress.

#### SUN TO PLUG WILDCAT IN WEST-CENTRAL GAINES

The Sun Oil Company No. 1 Sparks, wildcat in West-Central Gaines County, 12 miles west and one mile south of Seminole, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 396, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey, has been plugged and abandoned on total depth of 7,290 feet in lower Permian lime.

It had some slight indications of oil and gas in the last formation penetrated, but none of them were sufficient to develop any sort of production.

#### SMC TO TEST OIL SHOWS IN RANNELS PROSPECT

Southern Minerals Corporation No. 1 Northington, South-Central Rannels County wildcat, about one and one-half miles northwest of Balingier, and 1,400 feet from the northeast and southeast lines of

### Any Challengers?



Mrs. James Robinson, of Pottstown, Pa., says she is Mrs. Most-Children-Below-School-Age for 1947. Her claims to the title: the seven youngsters, shown above, who range in age from four months to five years. She has four others in school.

the Northington tract in T. Pratt survey No. 365, was perforating casing opposite saturated section in the top of the Bend lime at 4,108-20 feet, and testing for water.

After the sources of the water, which had shown along with oil, in a drillstem test on that zone, is located, operator will make production tests to determine if the petroleum shows which have been found are sufficient to make a commercial oil well. That investigating is scheduled to be underway early in the week.

#### SW HALE PROSPECTOR IS TO BE PLUGGED AND ABANDONED

Stanclind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Hegi, wildcat in extreme Southeast Hale County, one mile east of the town of Petersburg, and 660 feet from north and east lines of the west half of section 7, block S, Stevenson survey, Abstract 1828, is being plugged and abandoned on total depth of 9,974.5 feet, in red granite.

This project did not report having logged any signs of oil or gas. Stanclind No. 2 Fisher, one location northeast of the discovery well, and up to now, the only producer in the Petersburg field, in Southwest Hale, had reached 8,198

feet in lime and was making more hole.

This exploration has not encountered any possibilities of production. In a drillstem test at 5,918-6,023 feet, recovery was 856 feet of salt water. No shows of oil or gas were developed. The tool was open two hours.

#### ALBAUGH SPOTS STEPOUT TO HOWARD-GLASSCOCK

Ray A. Albaugh of Midland is to start drilling at once on his No. 1 Clayton Stewart, stepout to production on the northwest side of the Howard-Glasscock field, in Southeast Howard County, and one mile north of Forsan.

It will be 330 feet from south and west lines of the east half of section 107, block 29, W&NW survey. It will use cable tools to drill to around 1,550 feet.

#### LACEY IS STILL DIGGING AT NORTH HOWARD PROJECT

A. M. Lacey No. 1 Buchanan, North Howard County prospector, about four miles northwest of Coahoma, and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 29, block 31, TP survey, T-1-N, had reached 4-

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### Northern Mexico's Cattle Situation Is Tense, Cowman Of That Area Says

By STANLEY FRANK  
"Mr. Jones, what is the situation in those parts of Mexico where you ranch?"

George Jones, Marfa cattleman who owns extensive ranch holdings in the states of Chihuahua and Durango, pondered a moment as he watched the crowd thronging the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association meeting last week.

"Well," he began, "did you ever stretch a rubber band until it wouldn't stretch any more? That's the way things are in Northern Mexico. Something's going to break pretty soon if the pressure isn't taken off."

"Those fellows down there can't sell their cattle—at least, they can't sell enough to do much good. The country is full of stock, and there's no place to go with it."

#### Drastic Action

"Now, this is simply one man's opinion, but this is what I'm afraid may happen: Some of those birds down there will do something drastic one of these days, unless they get relief. If cattle with hoof and mouth disease are the only ones that will sell, then some guy is going down in the affected country, get him a bag full of the disease germs or whatever causes it. The first thing you know, he's going to have some cattle for sale to the government, too."

George said he believed a reasonable solution of the problem would be to let cattle nearest the United States border cross to markets on this side. No foot and mouth disease has been found in Northern Mexico, which includes some of the best cattle and grazing land in that country.

As a matter of fact, Chihuahua City itself is as far from the nearest infected area as some cities in the United States—Laredo, for example.

There simply is no way for cattlemen in Northern Mexico to market stock, Jones said. A few are slaughtered in Chihuahua City and Durango. Each ranchman is assigned a quota, depending on the

scale of his operations, and slaughter houses buy only the number of cattle called for by each quota. Prices received for the relatively few animals marketed this way do not compare with United States markets.

Jones said he recently has bought some fairly good quality yearlings, "with white faces, feathers on their

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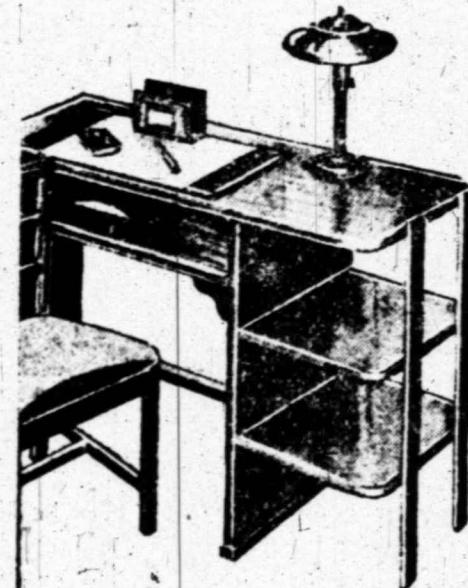
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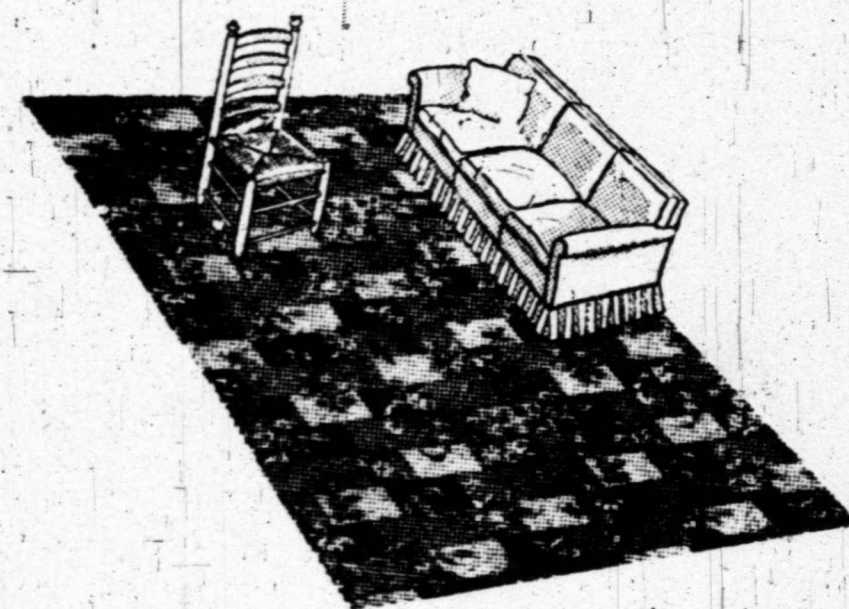
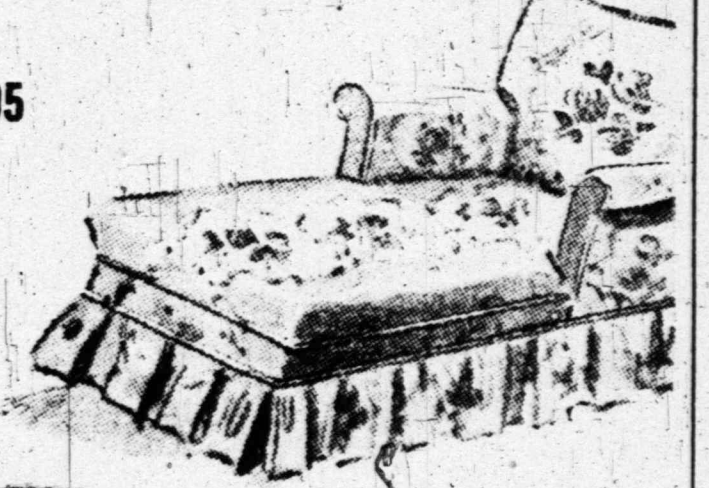
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**WTGS TO HAVE TALK BY WATER SPECIALIST**

C. S. Howard, district chemist for the United States Geological Survey, with headquarters at Albuquerque, N. M., will be the featured speaker at the meeting of the West Texas Geological Society at 8 p. m., September 22.

The session will be held in the district courtroom of the Midland courthouse according to William J. Hileweck, president of the society.

Subject of Howard's lecture will be "Qualities Of Waters Of The Southwest." The talk will cover both surface and underground waters, and will be of interest to the general public as well as to geologists. All persons who desire to attend the lecture are invited to attend.

Hileweck said Howard is recognized as an authority on the subject he will discuss.

The Southland Royalty Company of Fort Worth has recently given the West Texas Geological Society a 16-mm moving picture projector with sound equipment, screen and other accessories.

Fritz L. Aurn, president of that company will attend the September 22 meeting and formally present the machine and the other equipment to the WTGS.

The projector will be used to show a film on modern oil well operations in Texas which is being provided by the Lanchorn Cement Company. That will be the concluding session of the program.

**DILLEY IS A NEW LANDMAN FOR HUNT IN WEST TEXAS**  
E. B. Dilley is a new landman in West Texas for Hunt Oil Company. He plans to move his family to Midland in the near future.

**YANCY-HARRIS HAS BEEN BUYING OIL PROPERTIES**  
Yancy-Harris Company, a recently organized concern, with headquarters in Dallas has acquired producing properties in three sections of the Permian Basin during the last few weeks.

**TEXACO PLANS FOR LARGE NEW CAPITAL EXPENDITURE**  
The Texas Company has announced that an estimate on the new capital expenditures to be made by the concern in the period from May 1 of this year to the first of 1948, currently set at approximately \$112,000,000.

**NMO&G ASSOCIATION NAMES NEW EXECUTIVE SECRETARY**  
Arthur B. McQuiddy of Roswell is to become executive secretary of the New Mexico Oil & Gas Association on October 1.

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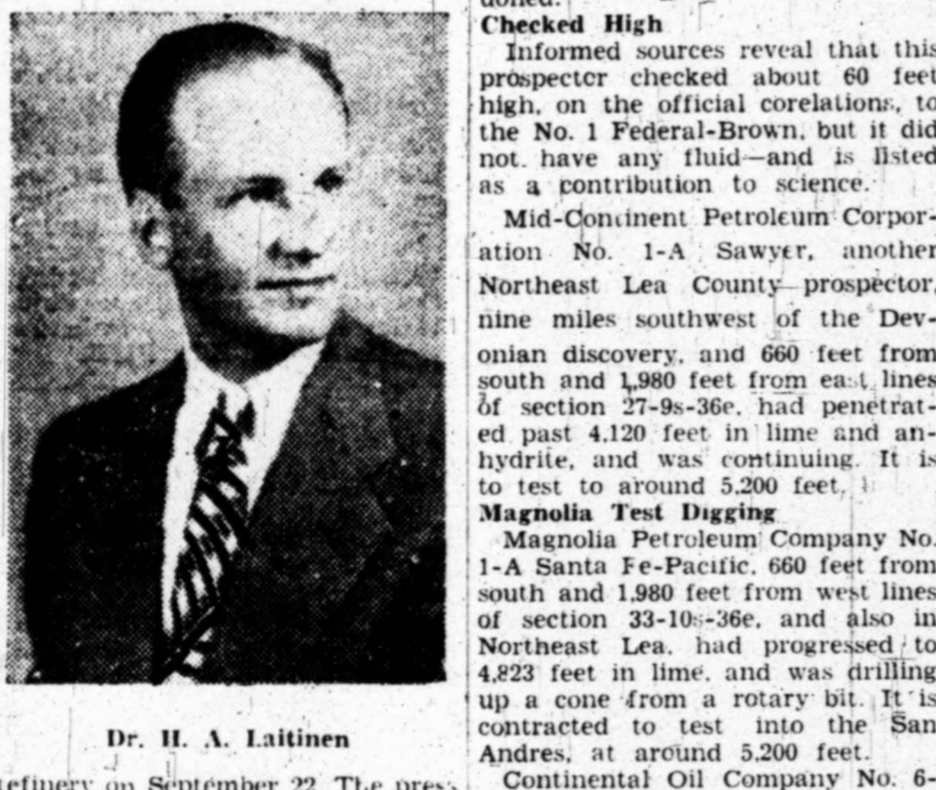
Most maps are pretty dull things, but this one is quite interesting. That large formation shown in the center is Marian Anderson. She's got a right to her location, too. Marian works for the U. S. Board on Geographic Names. She's pictured as, in her stocking feet, she makes important name changes on the large maps.

**Stanolind Completes Wildcat 1 1/2 Miles North Of Drinkard Field As Oil Well**

HOBBES, N.M.—Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Southland Royalty Company fee, wildcat in East-Central Lea County, approximately one and one-half miles north of nearest production from the lower Permian, on the north side of the Drinkard field, has been officially completed as a flowing oil well.

This new discovery, located 1380 feet from north and east lines of section 9-31-37e, flowed 103 barrels of 40-gravity oil, on a 24-hour potential test from pay at 6,555-6,610 feet, and at 6,640-75 feet, in the Drinkard pay zone, through perforations in the casing.

**Illinois Professor To Lecture For Humble**  
HOUSTON—Professor H. A. Laitinen, of the department of chemistry at the University of Illinois, will begin the second half of his three-weeks course of lectures on "Physical Chemical Problems of Analytical Chemistry" at Humble Oil & Refining Company's Baytown



Dr. H. A. Laitinen

refinery on September 22. The press of other duties made it necessary for Professor Laitinen to offer his lectures as a split course, the first half of which was completed on September 10.

**Northern Mexico -**  
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Dolph Bri-coc of Uvalde, who ranches in the Mexican state of Coahuila, reported he has been getting rich buying prices for fat cattle sold to butchers in Monterrey. He recently sold some cows for \$60 to \$70 per head to butchers there.

**F.F.A. Boys Purchase Leonard Proctor Lambs**  
Eleven Midland F.F.A. members have bought 22 crossbred Suffolk-Rambouillet lambs from Leonard Proctor to be fed for next spring's show. J. R. Cuffman, vocational agriculture instructor here, announced.

**Livestock**  
FORT WORTH—P—(USDA)—Cattle—compared week ago; all classes strong with bulls and low grade cows 50 and more higher. Week's tops: beef steers and yearlings 27.50, cows 18.00; bulls 17.00; feeder steers and yearlings 22.50.

**Three Upper Colorado Directors Appointed**  
AUSTIN—P—W. D. Holcombe of San Angelo, Robert E. Bruce of Ballinger and Cumble Ivey of Robert Lee were named by Gov. Beauford H. Jester Saturday as directors of the Upper Colorado River Authority.

**Oil & Gas Log-**  
(Continued from Page 2)  
352 feet and was making more hole in hard, dry lime.  
This prospector is correlated to be high to several dry holes in the surrounding regions—some of which had some indications of possible production, none of which was sufficient to make an oil well.

**TEXACO TO DRILL WILDCAT IN SE CRANE REGION**  
The Texas Company No. 1-G Cordova Union Oil Company fee, is to be a 5,500-foot wildcat in Southeast Crane County, about two and three-quarter miles north and west of the Crosscut field, the first area in the West Texas territory to produce from the Devonian.  
The new prospector will be 660 feet from northwest and northeast lines of section 28, block 35, H&TC survey. Drilling with rotary is to start in the near future.

**Map Shows Nice Terrain**

**GULF TESTS BASAL PERMIAN IN NORTH CRANE PROSPECTOR**  
Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-E-A Connell in North Crane County prospector to 10,000 feet; about three and one-half miles north of the Sand Hills field, and 1,875 feet from south and 661 feet from west lines of section 26, block B-22, psi survey, was taking a drillstem test at 6,900-70 feet in basal Permian.  
A test was run at 6,862-6,902 feet, with the tool open for one hour. Recovery was 30 feet of drilling mud and three feet of black oil.

**ANDECTOR FLANKER HAS GAS IN CLEAR FORK**  
Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1-D R. B. Cowden, stepout to the Andector field, in Northwest Ector County, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 2, block 45, TP survey, T-1-N, was to drill to 6,390 feet, in the Clear Fork-Permian, and take a drillstem test. It took a 60-minute test at 6,239-6,315 feet. There was a steady blow of air through the period. Recovery was 480 feet of drilling mud and 160 feet of gas cut mud. Flowing bottom hole pressure was 250 pounds. Shut in bottom hole pressure was 600 pounds after a ten-minute shut in period. This exploration is slated to go on to around 8,800 feet to test the Eilenburger.

**CROCKETT DISCOVERY WILL DRILL PLUG AND TEST**  
Gray-Tex Drilling Corporation No. 1 Weimer-Vaughn, discovery for some quantity of oil production from the shallow San Andres-Permian pay in Northeast Crockett County, about seven miles east of the Todd Deep field, and 330 feet from north and west lines of southeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 36, block GP, G&SF survey, was waiting for plug to cure on 7-inch casing which had been cemented at 1,494 feet over total depth of 1,495 feet.

**JAMESON OUTPOST SHOWS OIL; TO DRILL DEEPER**  
Sun-Oil Company No. 4 Fred Jameson, stepout to the Jameson field in Northwest Coke County, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 315, block 1-A, H&TC survey, took a 35-minute drillstem test at 4,175-6,200 feet. Gas showed at the surface in eight minutes. Volume of the flow was not reported. Recovery was 450 feet of clean oil and 850 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud.

**SO&GO TO DRILL STEP-OUT TO DOLLAR HIDE FIELD**  
Stanolind No. 1-AQ University, 660 feet from north and 2,051 feet from east lines of the north half of section 20, block 11, University survey, is a stepout to the Three Bar field in Central-Southwest Andrews County. It will drill to around 8,500 feet, starting at once, to explore into the Devonian.

**ANTIQUE EXHIBITS**  
First: Mrs. H. L. Seavenport, showing a China platter, 65 years old, small plate with stand, marked on back, 1745.  
Second: Mrs. A. P. Jordan, waiving case, 105 years old, carving done by blind man.  
Third: Mrs. Allen Watts, fan belonging to her grandmother.

**CANNED FOOD AND DAIRY PRODUCTS**  
Tomatoes: Mrs. A. P. Jordan. String beans: Mrs. Charles Styrton.  
Soup peas: Mrs. Styrton.  
Corn: Mrs. Jordan.  
Peach halves: Mrs. Jordan.  
Pineapple: Mrs. H. O. Allen.  
Sweet cucumber pickles: Mrs. H. L. Deavenport.  
Peach pickles: Mrs. N. W. Talkington.  
Pickle peppers: Mrs. Deavenport.  
Watermelon preserves: Mrs. Deavenport.  
Tomato preserves: Mrs. Styrton.  
Peach preserves: Cordelia Taylor.  
Pum jelly: Miss Taylor.  
Milk: Mrs. J. E. Wallace.  
Butter: Mrs. H. R. Solomon.  
Eggs: Mrs. Wallace.

**4-H Club Girls**  
First year: Tomatoes—Eunice Hudgins, first; Eddie Mae Hamlin, second; Okra—Eddie Mae Hamlin, second; Eunice Hudgins, third; Carrots—Eddie Mae Hamlin, first; Eunice Hudgins, second; Peaches—Lawanda Huckleby, first; Eunice Hudgins, second; Eddie Mae Hamlin, third; Canned grapes—Eunice Hudgins, only exhibitor; Pineapple—Eddie Mae Hamlin, second; Peas—Wanda Fain, second; Peach preserves—Wanda Fain, first; also in 1-p. preserves. String beans—Lawanda Huckleby—also first in greens and peas, and second in Eggplant. Apron—Ruth Bennett, first; Barbara Clem, second; Eunice Hudgins, third; Pillow slips—Lawanda Huckleby, first; Ruth Bennett, second; Wanda Fain, third; Cup towels—Ruth Bennett, first; Wanda Fain, second; Head scarf—Ruth Bennett, first; Lawanda

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Jewish refugees, forcibly returned by the British to the Oppendorf Camp near Luebeck, Germany, after an unsuccessful attempt to enter Palestine via the SS Exodus 1947, unpack their belongings outside a hut in which they will be quartered. Photo by Al Cocking, NEA-Acme staff correspondent.

**Winners At County Fair**

Winners at the two-day Midland County Fair which closed Saturday included:  
**CLUB BOOTHS**  
Garden Addition Club, first; West Side Club, second; and the Busy Wives Club, third.

**FLOWERS**  
Cut, and special arrangements: Fetunias: Mrs. Clint Dunagan, first; Mrs. E. E. Cecil, second.  
Verbenas: Mrs. Charles Henderson, second.

**Special array, mixed flowers:** Mrs. Ollie Jones, first; Mrs. Bob Clarke, second; Mrs. Walter Anquish, third.  
Floating flower: Mrs. Luthie-Tidwell, first.

**FIELD CROPS**  
Grain sorghum heads (open class): Bobby Manning, first; Leland Howland, second.  
Cotton stalks: H. R. Solomon, first, second, third and fourth.  
Pumpkin: Ralph Pohl.

**Adult Exhibitions**  
Home Demonstration Clubs—Garden Addition, first; West Side, second; Busy Wives, third.  
Individual canned goods exhibit—Mrs. Solomon, first; H. D. Hamlin, second; Mrs. S. H. Gwyn, third.  
Antiques—Mrs. H. L. Deavenport, first; Mrs. A. P. Jordan, second; Mrs. Allan Watts, third.

**Adult Exhibitions**  
Ladies over 70 years old—Appique quilt: Mrs. Brooks Pemberton, first; Mrs. Mary Louise Wyatt, second; Mrs. D. D. Martin, third.  
Patchwork quilt—Mrs. Frank Ingham, first; Mrs. N. L. Jones, second; Crocheted Afghan—Mrs. Brooks Pemberton, first; Sweaters—Mrs. May Sammons, third; Needlepoint—Mrs. J. H. Bowen, first; Pillow cases—Mrs. Mary Louise Wyatt, first; Mrs. May Sammons, second; Mrs. D. D. Martin, third; Miscellaneous—Mrs. N. L. Jones, first; Miss Cla Hopkins, purses and hats; Mrs. G. H. Butler, shell jewelry; Mrs. G. H. Butler, hand paintings; Mrs. M. L. Wyatt, hand made dresses; Mrs. N. L. Wyatt, table cloths; Mrs. J. H. Barron, Normandie lace.

**Clothing Department**  
Lunch sets—Mrs. Loy Busby, first; Mrs. Eugene Vandervoort, second; Mrs. Lyman Moncrief, third; Napkins—Mrs. Eugene Vandervoort, first; Pillow slips—Mrs. Dwight Mauk, first; Mrs. J. W. Campbell, second; Mrs. L. T. Brown, third; Dresser scarfs—Mrs. O. M. Lutton, first; Mrs. John Davis, second; Mrs. Bill Connors, third; Chair sets—Mrs. G. A. Bird, second.

**Squeezing Squash Louisiana Crop Loss Faced: \$10,000,000**



That thing Barbara Peletta is squeezing is a squash. The monster is 5 feet high, and weighs all of 125 pounds. It was grown by Barbara's grandfather in Sacramento, Calif., who is probably wondering why.

ALEXANDRIA, LA.—(P)—The hurricane destroyed more than \$10,000,000 of Louisiana's agricultural income, County Agent William L. Roark estimated here Saturday.  
The wind-swept, rain-beaten hurricane path through this farming state is ugly with flattened sugar cane, ruined cotton, uprooted corn and battered rice, the crop expert said.

"I'm not counting the citrus losses," he added, "since my reports are insufficient."  
"Thirty to forty per cent of Louisiana cotton had not been picked and rice, unharvested because of lack of storage facilities, was caught in the field," Roark explained. "All along the hurricane path, corn was flattened and is a total loss."  
"The storm no doubt will delay harvest of sugar cane."

**Sydney S. Millspaugh Dies In San Angelo**

SAN ANGELO—Sydney Sanderson Millspaugh, 64, native of old Fort Concho and member of a pioneer West Texas ranching family, died here Friday night of a heart ailment. He began his ranching career in Glasscock County, but since 1916 has operated in Crockett County, 24 miles southwest of Ozona. Burial was in Fairmont Cemetery, San Angelo, Saturday afternoon.  
Survivors include the widow, two sons, Sydney S. Millspaugh, Jr., and Austin C. Millspaugh, Ozona; three sisters, Mrs. Dwight L. Hunter, Sr., and Mrs. Mammie Frances Westbrook, both of San Angelo, and Mrs. R. Stewart Adams, San Antonio; a maternal aunt, Mrs. Charles W. Hobbs, San Angelo, and a granddaughter, Linda Millspaugh.

and Knitting—Mrs. Joe Chastain, first and second in sweaters; Mrs. Catchpole, third in baby suits. Bedspread (crocheted)—Mrs. L. H. Davenport, first; Mrs. Jeanett Whitmore, second.  
Chair sets—Mrs. L. H. Pittman, first; Mrs. John Davis, second. Crocheted table cloths—Mrs. May Sammons, first; Mrs. L. H. Gwyn, second; Dollies—Mrs. L. T. Brown, first; Mrs. B. L. Mason, second.  
H. Pittman, third. Tufted bedspread—Mrs. S. H. Gwyn, first. Patchwork quilts—Mrs. Lay Busby, first; Mrs. Whitmore, second; Mrs. Gwyn, third. Applique quilts—Mrs. Webb, first; Mrs. H. O. Allen, second. Yarn thread hooked rugs—Mrs. John McKinley, first. Faerie hooked rugs—Mrs. Gwyn, first; Mrs. C. M. Lutton, second. Crochet wool yarn rugs—Mrs. Charles Styrton, first. Crochet baby sets—Mrs. Du-kworth, first; Mrs. Robert Hood, third.  
Bag of tricks (clothing made of feed sacks); Dresses—Mrs. R. G. West, Sr., first. Child's dress—Mrs. Campbell, first; Pajamas—Mrs. Floyd Courtiss, Jr., first; Aprons—Mrs. John Davis, first; Mrs. A. C. Matlock, second; Mrs. John Davis, third. Bedspread—Mrs. Preston Vest, Jr., first. Prayer picture—Mrs. Campbell, second. Tatted dress—Mrs. H. O. Allen, second. Crochet dress—Mrs. Loy Busby, second. Child's wool suit—Mrs. Gerald Hyde, first. Bed jacket—Mrs. E. E. Cecil, second. Crocheted sweater—Mrs. J. M. Strawn, third.

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# Bulldogs Hold Off Cubs; Winning Game, 13-7

## Count Twice In First Half

Midland's 3-AA Bulldogs fought off the heavier Brownfield Cubs from District 1-AA time after time here Friday night and won a soundly-contested football game, 13 to 7, in the high school stadium before a large opening home game crowd.

The embattled Bulldogs scored first midway of the first quarter after a series of fumbles by both teams, back and forth. Dunny Goode, fullback, lunged over from the one-yard line for the tally after Midland had driven there following the recovery of a Brownfield fumble on the Cubs' 17-yard line. Goode placed the extra point to give the Purple a 7-0 advantage.

Brownfield came back strong and quickly. Midland kicked off to the Cub 20. The visitors worked the ball to their own 48-yard line. Tankersley, quarterback, shot a pass to Johnson, and in the clear and pass Midland's defense and he ran for a touchdown. The pass play was good for 52 yards, 30 yards in the air. Martin, fullback, plunged for the extra point. This knotted the contest, 7-7.

Bill Little, halfback, scored the winning touchdown for Midland early in the second quarter. He lunged over tackle, cut back and fell over from 11 yards out after a beautiful lateral pass-play had carried to that point. Goode missed the extra-point kick. Score: Midland 13, Brownfield 7.

Midland actually drove 60 yards or the counter. Brownfield kicked off to the Purple 20. Dave Hyatt, fullback, returned to the 37-yard line of Midland; Hyatt ran to the 1 on a thrust, and then he broke into the open and lateraled off to Little, who scampered to the Brownfield 11-yard line.

Little broke into the open again in the second quarter and lateraled off to Goode, who scampered for a rally, but the play was called back and officials ruled the first Midland under stepped out of bounds on the Brownfield 20-yard line. The play was good for 80 yards.

Brownfield with a hand-off power burst threatened Midland all night. The hefty Cubs bruised to the Midland 12-yard line as the half ended. Then in the second half they battered to the Midland nine-yard line near the one-yard line, but fumbled a loss of ball on downs held them back.

Midland's out-weighted but not out-fought line played a surging game of rack-em-back. This line asked occasionally to let through the beefy Cub backs but when the hips were down, the Midland line was all there.

Captain Warren B. Woodson has indicated that Boles likely will see plenty of action all season. Boles, who has been working out with two other end lettermen and several new ends, has worked his way into a leading contender for a starting position. Although his small stature, 5 feet 10 inches, does not measure up to his competitors, his speed and passing ability have aided him greatly.

A former Abilene High School athlete where he earned two football letters before entering service, Boles reported to Hardin-Simmons with considerable experience behind him. His brilliant play at end last season was an important factor in the undefeated march of the Cowboys. In a post-season game with Denver University, Boles caught a long touchdown pass thrown by the Cowboy quarterback, Al Johnson.

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Jimmy's article shows that there were 111 undefeated, undefeated and unscored teams in conference history. Those were Texas A&M's eleven of 1917 and 1919.

However, it was not until 1932 that a Southwest Conference team defeated all six of the other members of the circuit in taking the title. The reason was that only a

### Fighting Irish



This trio, all Irish, will be strong factors in Notre Dame's bid for the season's top grid honors. Captain Moose Connor, left, for leadership, Coach Frank Leahy, right, for strategy, and Irish terrier, Mascot Mike II, for morale.

## Sports

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### Down SPORTS Lane

with TANNER LAINE

Jack Boles, of Midland, who played end for the undefeated Hardin-Simmons Cowboys last Fall, is back in harness and seeking his second letter this campaign. He is the son of Mrs. Ola Boles.

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### PERMIAN BASIN ROUNDUP—

## Monahans, Wink, Pecos, Lead Area Grid Parade

## Football Experts Eye Notre Dame

NEW YORK —(AP)—Indications are that no luck of the Irish will be needed to determine the national collegiate football championship of the season which got off to a hesitant start Saturday but has its universal opening on the coming Saturday.

From every direction come reports of the sterling Notre Dame football machine Coach Frank Leahy is welding together on the South Bend campus. Midwestern expert, who saw the Irish in a workout, is being quoted as saying that he rated Sid Luckman, Chicago Bear who was helping Leahy coach that day, as only the "fourth best passer on the field."

Probably no team in recent years has been the subject of more pre-season rumors than the 1947 aggregation.

But despite all the reports and hints, not one of the 700-plus other colleges fielding football teams has cancelled a single game. In fact, there are dreams in some quarters of beating out the Irish for the mythical national championships.

Most of the dreams are centered in the Southern and Southeastern conferences, that vast area in which four bowl teams were spawned last season.

Powerful Teams North Carolina, with its famed Charles Justice, looms as the No. 1 team in the Southern Conference with North Carolina State, William & Mary and Duke not too far behind.

Alabama has 10 veterans who will be playing their fourth year together plus Harry Gilmer, but it is Louisiana State and its horde of talented backs that was voted the team most likely to succeed at a recent meeting of the league's coaches. Tennessee, Georgia, Georgia Tech, Kentucky and Mississippi State are others in the limelight.

In the Southwest Conference, Texas, with Blair Cherry at the helm, has switched to the T and the new coach has the fabulous Bobby Layne around to make the offense click. Denver looms as the best in the Rocky Mountain area with Utah and Utah State ready and willing to dispute the general feeling.

Rice Is Favorite Tulsa and Oklahoma A&M, as usual, have the Missouri Valley Conference race to themselves and Rice, which shut out Tennessee in the Orange Bowl, is the Southwest Conference title favorite although Clyde Scott still is at Arkansas.

Insiders say that Michigan, Iowa, Illinois and Ohio State will be the order of finish in the Big Nine.

Illinois, the Rose Bowl king, will be minus Buddy Young, Julie Rykovich and Alex Agase but retains the core of its great machine. Minnesota will be using the same freshmen and sophomores who won the final three games of the 1946 campaign. Ohio State, now bossed by Wes Fesler, is heavily stocked with backs.

Army, of course, is the question mark in the sprawling Middle Atlantic region where Pennsylvania, Columbia, Harvard and Yale are picked to fight it out for the Ivy league crown.

The cadets have a string of 28 games without a loss and now must carry on without Felix (Doc) Blanchard, Glenn Davis, Arnold Tucker and virtually all the members of the rock-ribbed line.

As much a mystery as Army is Navy squad, which came within three yards of defeating the Cadets and now is training on an island on the Pacific Coast.

Kansas and Nebraska may be the one-two teams in the Big Six now that Plato Andros and Joe Golding have left Oklahoma for the pro ranks. Ray Evans, the Kansas half-back, was good enough to outshine the famed Glenn Dobbs in several service rushes.

Along the West Coast Southern California is reported as manly and Ten Tannehill is back in shape after suffering a broken collar-bone in the opening game a year ago.

## Red Sox And Nats Split Doubleheader

BOSTON—(AP)—Slugging out 14 hits the Boston Red Sox Saturday beat the Washington Senators 7-2 in the second game of a doubleheader after losing the opener to the Nats 6-3. Ted Williams binged out two tri-ples, and a single and drove home three runs in the nightcap.

The score: R H E Washington 300 990 903-6 11 0 Boston 100 100 001-3 8 0

Wynn and Evans; Johnson, Dorish, Ferris, Smith and Tebbets, McGah. Second game: Washington 002 000 000-2 9 0 Boston 102 021 10x-7 14 0

Toenes, Candini and Evans; Galehouse and Swift.

## Monahans Roms On Colorado City, 25-6

MONAHANS — Monahans High School defeated Colorado City 25 to 6 in a non-conference game filled with penalties here Friday night.

Monahans scored twice the first two times it had the ball. The first score came after an 80-yard drive when Carl Griffin plunged over from the 10-yard line. Griffin made the second score on a 30-yard run after a 57-yard march.

Colorado City scored in the second quarter with a pass from Brown to Broadwell, making the score 19 to 6 at the half.

Monahans marched 88 yards in the last quarter with Griffin scoring on a pass from Wendell Uechi.

## Pecos Eagles Claw Fort Stockton, 26-0

PECOS — The Pecos Eagles of District 7-A scored in every quarter here Friday night to hand the Fort Stockton Panthers of District 5-B a 26-to-0 setback.

Charles Titus and Arnold Fairley led the Pecos offense and captain Johnny Wallace starred for the Eagles on defense. The Eagles were runners-up in the district last year.

## Wink 'Cats Wallop Seagraves, 46-0

WINK — The Wink Wildcats trampled Seagraves, 46 to 0, here Friday night in the District 7-A opener for the two clubs. Wink scored almost at will and substituted freely, holding a 33 to 0 advantage at the halftime rest period.

George Dennis, Wildcat end, accounted for two touchdowns, taking a pass for one and scored another on an end-around maneuver.

## Arkansas Swamps Demons, 64 To 0

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.—(AP)—Arkansas' Southwest Conference co-champion Razorbacks used a powerful rushing attack to subdue the Northwestern Louisiana State College Demons, 64 to 0, in a rain-soaked football season opener here Saturday.

The Razorbacks' spectacular scoring plays kept most of the crowd, out to about 7,500 by a steady, driving rain, in the stands until the end, which came earlier than scheduled as the third and fourth quarters were cut to 12 minutes each by agreement of the two teams.

Arkansas turned loose an offense which was smooth despite the loose footing and wet ball. Its defense was good enough to hold the Demons to a net gain of minus two yards and no first downs.

Arkansas registered 17 first downs, rolled up 503 yards rushing and completed two of three forward passes for 24 yards.

## Unexpected Antics In Baldame Handicap

NEW YORK—(AP)—As might be expected when the fair sex gets together, the ladies of the turf popped up with some unexpected antics in the Baldame Handicap at Aqueduct Saturday, but thanks to But Why Not, queen of the three-year old fillies, the day didn't get completely out of hand.

It started out as if the entire proceedings were headed for a merry-go-round ride when Snow Goose, a 17-odd outsider who had never won a race until last May, compounded the 39,569 customers by whipping Gallorette and Honey-moon handily in the first section. Then however, But Why Not, the sturdy Texas miss who stands right up front and center with the best of the boys in the three-year old championship scramble, came along to take the second half by a whisker.

Gallorette finished a well-waloped second in the first half, beaten three lengths by Snow Goose, but the mighty Maryland mare managed to save something from the wreckage with the \$10,000 second money. This boosted her earnings to \$37,685 and thus she became the queen of all the galloping goldiggers, passing the \$34,035 bankroll that Busher had piled up to be the top money-winning member of her sex.

The Baldame, richest race of the season for the girl gallopers, drew 21 starters and the race had to be split into two \$50,000 halves.

## St. Louis Browns Defeat White Sox

CHICAGO—(AP)—Ellis Kinder loved the Chicago White Sox eleven hits Saturday but managed to lead the St. Louis Browns to a 5-3 victory before 2,687 persons. St. Louis scored all its runs off Pete Gebrian, first of three Chicago pitchers, during the first five innings.

The score: R H E St. Louis 120 110 000-5 8 0 Chicago 000 101 001-3 11 3

Kinder and Early; Gebrian, Harrist, Caldwell and Tresh.

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Well, all you fellows who have been looking for this column to show up in the classified ad section hold on to your sombrero for a quick trip through these pages; for since this column was started with the thought of giving you Midlanders sporting information, we feel that you are entitled to the information regarding where you can get the most of sporting goods, arms, ammunition, and other products for your hard-earned and shrunken buck.

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| 12 ga. low power..... | \$1.75 |
| 16 ga. low power..... | \$1.60 |
| 20 ga. low power..... | \$1.55 |
| 22 shorts.....        | .30    |
| 22 longs.....         | .45    |
| 22 long rifle.....    | .55    |

Give a gander at the ammunition prices listed below, which are not a Saturday special but are every day Carleton & Brumbelow prices. Compare them:

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| 12 ga. hi-power.....  | \$2.05 |
| 16 ga. hi-power.....  | \$1.95 |
| 20 ga. hi-power.....  | \$1.75 |
| 28 ga. hi-power.....  | \$1.95 |
| 410 ga. 3-inch.....   | \$1.65 |
| 12 ga. low power..... | \$1.75 |
| 16 ga. low power..... | \$1.60 |
| 20 ga. low power..... | \$1.55 |
| 22 shorts.....        | .30    |
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We also have the following Sporting Scopes: Argus, 218 B and Mossberg Draw Tube Scopes.

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In addition to the few new guns that we have for sale at catalogue prices, we will buy or trade for any model shotgun, pistol or rifle. And at this time we would like to state the policy that we have always operated under and this is Carleton & Brumbelow have never paid a premium for any merchandise and we charge no premiums on short items.

Our gun shop is equipped to do most repair jobs, bluing, refinishing and restocking, and at the present time we have a few custom grade rifles nearing completion. 257 Roberts, 30-06, and 300 H. & H. Magnum.



We are running a special this week on Dunlop and Wright & Edison tennis balls, these well known balls are this year's stock and are packaged three to the bag. On sale this week at 15 cents, 2 for 25¢—one quarter of a dollar.

We also have a special on baseballs, gloves, mitts and tennis racquets — all well known standard brands and models — on sale at twenty-five per cent off. We need the room for current sporting goods and some people are going to save some money. Folks, this is twenty-five per cent off of standard nationally advertised prices and not marked-up, premium prices.

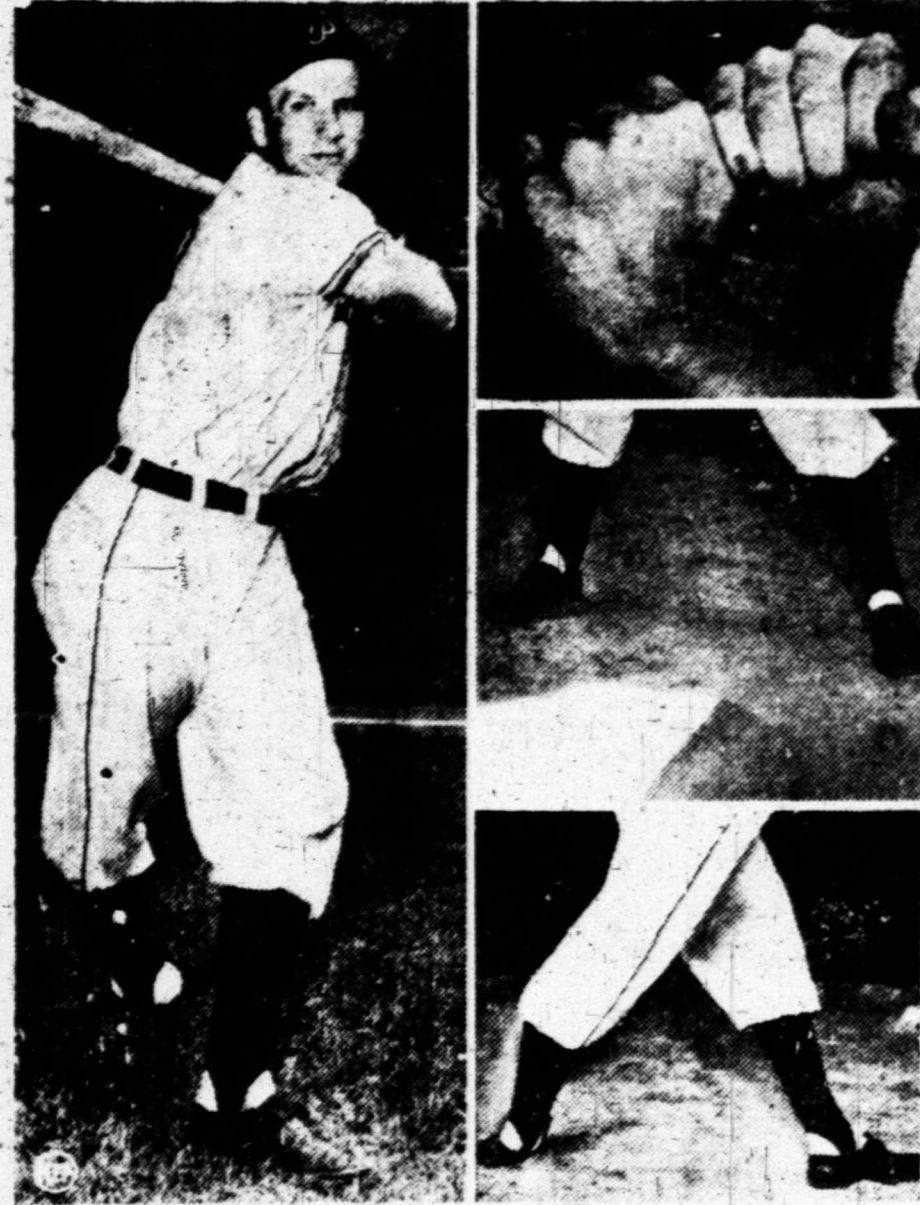
And fellows, don't forget to come by for your 1947-48 hunting and fishing licenses as your old ones expired on September 1st.

As we were ready to go to press, the freight company rolled in fifteen (yes, I do mean fifteen cases) of three-inch 410 gauge shotgun shells, so come on down, you 410 shooters, and pick up a few boxes.

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The New Sultan of Swat



Baseball men agree that if Babe Ruth's major-league home-run record of 60 is broken, the feat will be performed by Ralph McPherran Kiner, who established a new mark by manufacturing eight in four consecutive games enroute to his second National League and the 1947 big league championship. Here you see the finish of the young Pittsburgh outfielder's swing, his grip, stance and the position of the feet as he belts the ball out of sight.

Winkler Country Club Has New Pro

KERMIT—Resignation of Frank Standard, pro-manager of Winkler Country Club, was accepted this week by the board of directors, and Gid Faircloth, formerly at Ranger, is to take over duties here October 1, according to Steve Neely, club president.

Faircloth met recently with the board of directors, and a number of changes in operation are to be set up. The board also voted to lower the recently increased monthly membership dues from \$8 to \$5 per month, retroactive to September 1, when the increased dues went into effect.

A house rules committee is to be named by President Neely, and is soon to report to the board with recommended changes in operation of the clubhouse.

Plainview Drops Lamesa By 32-0

LAMESA—Plainview's Bulldogs scored in every quarter here Saturday night to beat the Lamesa Tornados, 32-0. Meyers and Bogie were the big guns for Plainview.

BOWLING

Casey Jones of Mackey Motors rolled a high series of 367 and E. Jones of Murray-Young Motors rolled high game with 213 in the Automotive League matches of last week.

Competition is getting keener in the league and interest is picking up fast. Matches are rolled in Plamor Palace.

Here are the results of last week's matches:

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

Seneca Motors

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

Team No. 8

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

Mackey Motors

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

E. Jones

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

Curtis Pontiac

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

May Motors

Table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

Totals

Summary table with columns for Player, 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, and Total scores.

Sports

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Little Bulldogs (B) Lose By 13-0 To Little Bronchos Saturday Night

ODESSA—The little Bulldogs, Midland's "B" team, lost to the little Bronchos, 13-0, here Saturday night in a contest of thrills and spills and good football.

Odezza won with two tallies in the last quarter. The first touchdown came on a 41-yard drive after recovery of a Midland fumble. The other came after interception of a Midland lateral.

Cardinals Remain In Pennant Race

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals, stubbornly refusing to bow completely out of the National League pennant picture, again defeated the Chicago Cubs Saturday night, 5 to 0, thus retaining their mathematical chance of finishing in tie with the Brooklyn Dodgers.

The score: R H E Chicago 000 000 000-0 3 0 St. Louis 000 102 02x-5 10 0 Chipman, Borowy and Scheffing, McCullough; Munger and Rice.

Midland Colts End Successful Season

The Midland Colts, Latin-American baseball team, completed the season with 22 wins against seven losses.

A manager Lopez says the team will play again next summer. Two of the best Colt players will try out for the Midland Indians team next season.

Beating Piedras Negras, Old Mexico, two out of three games highlighted the season.

San Angelo Ties Lubbock, 13-13

SAN ANGELO—The San Angelo Bobcats rallied in the second half to gain a 13-13 tie with the Lubbock Westerners here Friday night in a non-conference grid skirmish.

The District 3-AA Cats, badly outclassed in the first half by the aerial-minded Westerners, looked like a different outfit after the intermission.

Lanny McKinney scored both of the San Angelo touchdowns.

Mize Gets Homer And Giants Win

NEW YORK—(AP)—Johnny Mize hit his fiftieth home run Saturday, tying Ralph Kiner of Pittsburgh in the National League home run derby, as the New York Giants downed the Philadelphia Phillies, 5-3, behind Andy Hansens five-hit pitching.

The score: R H E Philadelphia 100 020 000-3 5 0 New York 200 100 02x-5 7 3 Heintzelman and Lakeman; Hansen and Cooper.



SATURDAY'S RESULTS

TEXAS LEAGUE (Championships) Houston-Dallas, postponed, rain. American League Philadelphia 3, New York 2. St. Louis 5, Chicago 3. Washington 6-2, Boston 3-7. Detroit 3-5, Cleveland 2-5. Called end of ninth, darkness. National League New York 5, Philadelphia 3. Boston 8, Brooklyn 1. St. Louis 5, Chicago 0. (Only games scheduled).

Table with columns for Team, W., L., Pct. for American League and National League.

Jester Abandons Any Plans For Settling Sweetwater Dispute

AUSTIN—(AP)—Gov. Beauford H. Jester said Saturday he has no further plans for settling the labor-management dispute at the United Gypsum Company at Sweetwater, following a report from Labor Commissioner M. B. Morgan that negotiations appear to be completely deadlocked.

The dispute between the company and the United States Cement, Lime and Gypsum Workers has resulted in a strike at the Sweetwater plant delaying production of wallboard.

Gov. Jester had offered the services of the State Industrial Commission in settling the dispute. The union agreed but the company refused the offer.

Morgan said the points in controversy are requests of the union for the following: 20 cents an hour increase; right of arbitration in future disputes; dues checkoff; job posting.

HERE FROM WINK

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Henderson of Wink were Midland visitors Saturday. Henderson is principal and head coach of the Wink High School.

A rise of fifty-one degree in the mean annual temperature of the globe would free the polar regions of their ice.

Champagne for All



When the New York Yankees were assured they had the American League pennant clinched President Larry MacPhail brought out the champagne. Shortstop Phil Rizzuto drinks from the cup the Bombers won last spring from the Dodgers in Caracas. Entering in the celebration are, left to right, first baseman George McQuinn, coach Chuck Dressen, manager Bucky Harris, pitcher Joe Page, MacPhail and coach Red Corriden.

West Texas Kennel Club Is Saluted-National Dog Week

Doing a fine job of creating interest in better bred dogs and training persons to train any dog is the West Texas Kennel Club. The club has a Midland unit. George Woodford is local president and Carl Wevat is a director in the West Texas organization. Other officers for West Texas Kennel Club include: T. A. Ayers of Odessa, vice president; Mrs. Aletha M. Coomer of Monahans, secretary-treasurer.

The West Texas Kennel Club meets once each month at some city in the state.

Woods Defends Elective Office

AUSTIN—(AP)—Dr. L. A. Woods, state superintendent of public state system of electing a state superintendent rather than making the position appointive.

He also described the racial problem as a major factor retarding progress in Texas education. Talking to the Gilmer-Aikin Committee which is surveying Texas education, Woods said nine of the ten states rated highest in the field of public education elect their state superintendents by popular vote.

Seven of the next ten elect state superintendents. As you go on down to the lower brackets, appointment of superintendent gets heavier and election gets lighter.

"Now does that prove anything to you," Woods asked, his question provoking laughter on the part of most committee members.

Friday, school superintendent Henry Stillwell of Texarkana, a member of the Gilmer-Aikin Committee, declared he would advocate the appointment of the state superintendent by the State Board of Education.

Woods, who appeared before the committee to present his suggestions for improvement of the Texas school system, urged three things:

- 1. Establishment of a law which would "get negroes together under one unit of administration." 2. Consolidation of school districts into independent school districts of not less than 1,000 students, unless a whole county is included. 3. Ironing out of tax inequalities between districts.

Storm Kills 12 In Mississippi Area

BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS.—(AP)—At least 12 persons were killed in the hurricane in the Bay St. Louis area—including five at Clermont Harbor, five at Waveland and two at Lake Shore.

A national guardsman reported that he saw two bodies on the beach at Long Beach.

One hundred persons were treated at the King's Daughters Hospital at Bay St. Louis for various injuries.

John Kotky, New Orleans, States reporter, made his way nearly 100 miles to Covington to telephone the news of the casualties to New Orleans.

He said that only one house remains standing at Clermont Harbor, and that 175 to 200 houses were destroyed in the Waveland-Clermont Harbor area.

In Metairie, residential suburb immediately west of the city limits, water began to recede. Army trucks and school buses had been evacuating residents, but Army engineers said the water was going down as the wind subsided.

The port of New Orleans suffered comparatively minor damage. Principal loss along the 22 miles of docks was the destruction of a wharf owned by The Southern Cific Lines.

Some 60-ocean going vessels rode out the storm undamaged.

Advertisement for Borden's Home Freezers, featuring a cow illustration and text: 'Congratulations and Best Wishes to the SOUTH MAIN DRUG ON THEIR FORMAL OPENING We agree and you'll find that— IF IT'S Borden's IT'S GOT TO BE GOOD Borden's PASTEURIZED MILK . . . ICE CREAM'.

Uncle Sam Protects Money In Post Office Buildings

Do you get goose pimples when you were working in a Post Office? Can you "feel" a stare on the back of your neck?

Then imagine your sensations if you were working in a Post Office or other federal building where important mail and money are handled. Such buildings are equipped with dark, silent places of concealment from which unseen investigators can watch your every move.

That was what got the janitor of the Midland Post Office in trouble a number of years ago. Somebody was getting off with registered mail. Nobody around the Post Office knew who it was or what it was or what was being done to find out who it was, until one day federal investigators put the janitor in jail. Then, it was revealed the whole postal crew had been watched for several days.

There's a sort of turret-like affair in the Post Office. You can see it anytime you walk up to one of the stamp windows. A federal investigator can enter the Post Office any time through a door to which he has a key. He can climb to the turret and peer down into the Post Office without anybody knowing he's there. A narrow strip of glass through which the occupant of the turret can see you merely casts back your own reflection when you attempt to peer up through it.

Well, back to the janitor again. He had a pretty slick way of getting away with registered mail. He would sweep up a bunch of trash on the floor. Then, when nobody was looking, he would grab a bunch of registered letters, put them in his basket, and pile the trash on top of them. He would take the basket down in the basement to burn the trash. He'd burn the registered letters, too—all except the greenbacks that some of them contained.

The janitor got away with this until some of Uncle Sam's men slipped into their secret spying place.

The strange thing about this was that the janitor was about the only person regularly employed by the Post Office who ever thought about the secret watching place. He had a key to it, because he had to clean it up occasionally.

Some Buildings Wired In some federal buildings there are very elaborate tunnels which investigators can enter some distance from the building. Or, at least, that's what a Midlander who used to work on such buildings says. He was a painter, and at one time or another has worked in many such buildings. He said, "I decline to be named. Nobody seems interested in becoming known as an authority on the architectural secrets of federal buildings."

Some such buildings are wired so investigators can record every whisper in them, the ex-painter declared.

All of which, when you think about it, gives federal buildings an air of brooding mystery, and brings up the ever-present question: Is there somebody watching this place? And all of which is just another reason why it seldom pays to try to gyp Uncle Sam out of his dough.

College Football

TCU 0, Kansas 0 (tie). Texas 33, Texas Tech 0. Texas A&M 48, Southwestern 0. Arkansas 64, Northwestern La. 0. Baylor 34, Stephen F. Austin 0. McMurry 22, N. M. Aggies 7. Mississippi 14, Kentucky 7. South Carolina 27, Newbury 6. Iowa State 31, Iowa Teachers 14. Villanova 60, Kings Point 0. Penn. State 27, Washington State 6. Missouri 19, St. Louis 0. Iowa 59, North Dakota 0. Nevada 50, Arizona State 0. Tulsa 26, West Texas State 13. Alabama 34, Mississippi Southern 7. Abilene Christian 19, Southwest Texas State 13. Hardin-Simmons 39, Trinity 0.

QUADRUPLETS BORN IN ARGENTINA, BUT ONE DIES TUCUMAN, ARGENTINA—(AP)—Quadruplets were born here Saturday to Mrs. Maria Angelica Pedraza de Sorja, but the mother and one of the four infants, all boys, died a few hours after birth of the last.

Steady rains were falling here Texarkana, and winds were mere trash-moving whiffes. Highest last night was 38 miles in gusts. Shreveport reported 50 mile winds, with over two inches of rain. Flood threats to New Orleans waned Saturday. At dawn the situation was serious when Lake Borgne backed into Bayou Bienvenue, broke through a railroad embankment and flooded much of the eastern part of the city.

Police said 2,000 persons had been evacuated from an area 25 blocks long and 16 blocks wide. Many familiar landmarks were blown down in New Orleans, and property damage may be high. Adequate warnings enabled residents to seek safety, and casualties were low. Twenty persons were treated for minor injuries. Most were caused by flying glass and debris.

Another major threat was fire. Between 200 and 300 fires were extinguished during the storm, the Central Fire Station said. The entire Gulf Coast area suffered from the blow, but this area was hardest hit.

Thousands remained homeless Saturday, and Red Cross and other relief agencies were active.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT SUFFERS LEG FRACTURE DUMAS—(AP)—Walter B. Travis, Dumas superintendent of schools, suffered a compound fracture of his left arm, shock and severe lacerations when his automobile and another collided here Saturday. He was taken to an Amarillo hospital.



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During August, durable goods sales showed their first decline of the year, falling three per cent below July, the bureau said. Non-durable goods stores registered a 10 per cent monthly sales hike.  
The bureau interpreted the data as showing that "the ratio of durable and non-durable goods sales is beginning to return to normal."  
Women's specialty shops showed a 33 per cent August sales gain. Shoe stores sales were up 27 per cent; jewelry sales, 11 per cent; and furniture stores one per cent.  
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Frank Stubbs, chairman of the hospital's shareholders, announced a special meeting of all shareholders will be held at 8 p.m. Monday, September 29, on the mezzanine floor of the Scharbauer Hotel.  
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By DEWITT MACKENZIE, AP Foreign Affairs Analyst  
As the signs read, the battle is about to be joined between the Eastern Bloc (headed by Russia) and the Western Bloc led by America to determine whether Italy shall become another satellite of the Soviet Union or whether she shall be an independent democracy.  
It's an ironic circumstance that this free-tribulation should descend on the beaten and distraught Romans just as the signing of the Peace Treaty by the Allies formally signalled the end of World War II for Italy.  
Striped of much money and territory, and what hurts worst, her government now is facing a fight for its life with a powerful Communist party.  
The Allies signed treaties with four other nations—besides Italy—Finland, Hungary, Rumania and Bulgaria. All except Italy already are within the Russian zone of influence. That circumstance isn't a happy omen for Italy. It means that the forthcoming fight between Communism and the anti-Red forces is going to be a tough one.  
With the hope of forcing the issue in Italy before the Marshall Plan can become effective, the Communists are adopting drastic measures. On the eve of the formal ratification of the Italian Peace Treaty, Palmiro Togliatti, Russian-

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**TEXAS FIRE LOSSES INCREASE 32 PER CENT**  
AUSTIN—Fire losses during the first six months of 1947, at \$11,000,000, are 32 per cent above losses for the same period last year, Fire Insurance Commissioner Marvin Hall said Saturday.  
Warning Texans again to guard carefully against fires, Hall said that this six-month figure is greater than that of any entire year during the period from 1932 to 1943.  
The butterfish, or spotted gunnel, rolls its eggs into a ball and coils itself around them to protect them.

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**First Steps—on Hated German Soil**  
Backgrounded by barbed wire, a Jewish refugee father helps his child take its first steps in Oppendorf Camp, near Luebeck, Germany. The father was one of hundreds of Jewish refugees forcibly returned to Germany after their unsuccessful attempt to land in Palestine from the SS Exodus 1947.



**Plays Golf, Too**  
Bing Crosby golfed as well as he sings winning the 18th annual Totsam Pole International Tournament at Jasper National Park in the Canadian Rockies. Der Bingle defeated G. Verley of Victoria for the trophy with a birdie on the 36th hole.

**TEXAS RETAIL SALES CLIMB IN AUGUST**  
AUSTIN—Texas retail sales last month showed a four per cent gain over July but rising prices confused comparisons with year-ago figures, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported Saturday.  
Preliminary tabulations showed August sales marked up a fractional gain over year-ago figures, but actual volume of goods sold was down, because prices have shown steady increases since last year, the report said.  
During August, durable goods sales showed their first decline of the year, falling three per cent below July, the bureau said. Non-durable goods stores registered a 10 per cent monthly sales hike.  
The bureau interpreted the data as showing that "the ratio of durable and non-durable goods sales is beginning to return to normal."  
Women's specialty shops showed a 33 per cent August sales gain. Shoe stores sales were up 27 per cent; jewelry sales, 11 per cent; and furniture stores one per cent.  
Almost all non-durable goods stores reported monthly gains, the report said.  
Greatest monthly drop was the 14 per cent sag reported in farm implement sales.

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### Hurricane Busters Ready For Action

MIAMI—(AP)—Army and Navy hurricane busters were reported Saturday ready to put "Operation Cirrus" into action, but all sides clamped down on information and no confirmation could be obtained. In "Operation Cirrus" one or more weather-science planes will seed a tropical disturbance with rainmaking chemicals including dry ice. It appeared that nature was in a mood to lend a hand to the military men and cooperating scientists, for a potential tropical storm appeared to be developing from a squall wave in the Caribbean Sea. Another squall wave was in the Atlantic off Trinidad, some 2,000 miles southeast of Miami. There are phantasies of "Operation Cirrus" which are military secrets. In addition to changing clouds—possibly even hurricane clouds—into rain, it is rumored that it may be possible some day to make a clear day cloudy and then precipitate the clouds as rain. This could mess up anybody's military campaigns with plans based on clear weather.

### Bonds-

(Continued from Page 1)  
distribution system, estimated at \$425,000. Engineers estimate the tract will produce from three to five million gallons of water daily.  
**Plan Extensions**  
This would leave \$81,000 for water line extensions in all sections and for replacing small lines in areas where pressure has been low for that reason. The inadequate distribution system and the connecting of new additions to the water system have been major problems confronting the municipality. City officials believe the situation can be corrected and all sections adequately served with completion of the proposed program.

On peak days this summer, residents used between four and five million gallons and would have used much more had it been available. The present source of supply is Cloverdale (eight wells) and Rosedale (six wells) southeast of the city. A 10 inch line runs from Cloverdale to Rosedale and a 16 inch line from there into the city.

The program is based on long-range estimates and officials believe the plan, if carried out, will be adequate for years of normal growth. Water from three directions would eliminate the hazards of a one-line system such as Midland now has.

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Other proposed bond issue items will be discussed in succeeding articles.

### Oil Man Bequeaths \$600,000 To School

SHERMAN—(AP)—Gift of \$600,000 to Austin College, 99-year-old Presbyterian institution here, has been made from the estate of the late M. B. Hughey of Charlotte, Texas, Dr. W. B. Guerrant, college president, announced Saturday.

Hughey, wealthy oil and cattle man, had announced last June gift of approximately \$250,000 for the college. He died August 12. When his will was probated Saturday it was disclosed that the original amount had been increased to \$600,000.

Hughey was an elder in the Presbyterian Church at Kilgore and held large oil properties in the East Texas field.

### Mississippi Communities Are Smashed

By HAL BOYLE  
BILOXI, MISS.—(AP)—A hundred-mile aerial survey Saturday disclosed that "old double debble eye," the Caribbean hurricane, has converted the Mississippi Gulf Coast area into a flooded and catastrophic ruin.  
Damage may well run into the tens of millions of dollars—a \$4,000,000 estimate is given for the Biloxi shrimp canning industry alone. Residents fear also that as the Gulf waters yield up their dead

tree death toll will rise much higher than at first believed.  
Flying from New Orleans in a light plane piloted by William Harston, we passed over half a dozen communities flailed to earth by the hurricane's hammer of wind.  
Seen from the air, the Gulf Coast stretched for scores of miles in a panorama of awesome destruction. In that vast arena of desolation hundreds of people remain stranded by high waters 24 hours after the hurricane passed.

**Rains Add To Misery**  
Intermittent rain squalls and high winds which bounced our plane around added to the misery of men, women and children below isolated from rescue workers.

The slowly falling waters still hide much of the damage. Ground rescue workers moving into the area are hampered by the fact that the two chief channels of movement—highway 90 and the Louisville and Nashville Railroad—have been cut in several places by tidal waves.

We flew northeast from New Orleans across miles of dreary marshland in which floated the splintered wreckage of fishing camps.

At a highway intersection several dozen marooned motorists and bus passengers waved signals of distress. Some had stripped off their wet clothing and laid it out on a patch of dry concrete pavement to dry.  
Dozens of cars were abandoned and others had skidded into ditches. Hundreds of small pleasure craft had been blown into the marshes, some lifted bodily across the highway and dumped in the fields. Livestock wandered aimlessly in pastures of salt water which held no forage. Others trapped by the swift flooding, drowned.

As our plane swung over wind-leveled pine forests and flew along parallel to the beach, the full story of the hurricane's incredible damage unfolded.  
Clermont Harbor, Waveland, Bay St. Louis, and Pass Christian—the beach residential area of each of these pleasant summer resorts had been smashed to kindling wood. Houses had been dropped into the middle of the road. Others had simply disintegrated into splinters.

### Big Spring Teachers May Take Action On Sub-Standard Pay

BIG SPRING—(AP)—In an extraordinary meeting Saturday classroom teachers of the Big Spring Independent School District informed the board of trustees they would not continue indefinitely to serve for less than state minimum salary schedules.

Miss Jo Hestand, president of the Classroom Teachers Association, said, after leaving a closed session of teachers which followed an open meeting with the board, there would be no further announcement from the teachers before Wednesday.

Big Spring's minimum base pay is \$1,850 per annum as compared with \$2,007 required by the state for starting degree teachers. On Sept. 9, voters defeated by 399 to 398 a proposal to authorize raising of the school tax rate from \$1 to \$1.50.

On invitation, the trustees met with approximately 100 teachers here Saturday when Miss Hestand, acting as spokesmen, told them that the teachers had decided to take action, which she said might be drastic, in protest of sub-standard salaries.

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### Dobie's Status Up To President Painter

AUSTIN—(AP)—The University of Texas Board of Regents Saturday apparently left the status of J. Frank "Pancho" Dobie's professorship strictly a matter for University President T. S. Painter and Dobie to decide.  
Regent Chairman Dudley K. Woodward said after a meeting Saturday that the matter had not come before the board at any time during closed sessions the past two days.  
He termed the situation "an ad-

ministration matter" rather than a board matter, and said he knew of no provisions that would allow Dobie an appeal from Painter's decision.

Dobie said Friday that he does not intend to teach in the Fall semester nor does he intend to resign. University classes begin Monday.

Lop-sided meteors wobble through the air like a poorly rifled high-explosive shell.

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SECTION TWO

Several Hundred Attend Tea Here Honoring Mrs. Thornton Hardie, Jr.

Mrs. Thornton Hardie, Jr. who recently moved from El Paso to Midland, where her husband is associated with a law firm, and her mother, Mrs. J. W. Whitaker, also of El Paso, were honored Thursday afternoon with a tea given by five hostesses and attended by several hundred guests on the lawn of the home of Mrs. William Kerr, Urbandale.

A yellow, green, and brown color scheme was carried out with a yellow organdy cloth covering the table, which was centered with an arrangement of bronze chrysanthemums and appointed with crystal punch bowls at each end. Presiding over the punch bowls were Mrs. Ruth Scharbauer, Mrs. J. C. Smith, and Mrs. W. I. Pratt. The honoree wore a large bronze mum corsage and her mother wore a corsage of tulle roses.

GS Troop Committee Plans Fall Activities

Girl Scout Troop 12's committee met Friday at the Ranch House for a coffee, during which plans for the troop were discussed and activities, which each member will sponsor, were selected. Members of the committee are Mrs. J. E. Beakey, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. A. Yeager, Mrs. J. S. Griffith, Mrs. L. S. Page, and Mrs. I. A. Searles, troop leader. Troop 12 held its regular meeting Wednesday at the First Presbyterian Church. After the meeting was opened with the forming of the horseshoe and the recitation of the laws and promises, Betty Pitzer read a message from Mrs. Juliette Low, founder of the Girl Scouts, and Patsy Yeager read from the handbook the preface by Lord Baden-Powell.

After the presentation of nominations by Sherry Page, chairman, the following officers were elected: Lela Norwood, chairman; Madelon Scharbarum, membership chairman; Betty Pitzer, program chairman; Joan Turner, secretary; and Barbara Long, historian. Those attending the meeting were Jane Beakey, Shirley Pulliam, Betty Pitzer, Joan Turner, Patsy Yeager, Sherry Page, Mary Ann Searles, Lynn Griffith, Madelon Scharbarum, Marilyn Little, and Janet Hoffer.

High School P-TA To Give Reception Honoring Faculty

The High School P-TA will hold its annual informal reception honoring high school teachers at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the North Elementary School cafeteria. The program will open with an address by Frank Monroe, superintendent, followed by the introduction of teachers by the principal, Charles F. Mathews. Special music will be presented by the Silver String Quintet of the Music Club, and Homer Meek, Jr., will furnish music throughout the reception.

Sub-Debs Give Dance Friday Honoring Cubs

An all-school dance was given by the Sub-Deb Club Friday night at the Civic Auditorium in honor of the Brownfield Cubs. Music was furnished by Jack Cecil. Chaperones were Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Puetz, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. Guy McMillan.

Wolfe - Webster Nuptial Vows Read In Lovington Rites

Miss Frances Wolfe, an employe at Midland's Western Union office, and Richard Webster, also employed in Midland, exchanged vows September 13 in Lovington, N. M., with the Rev. King of the First Christian Church of Hobbs, N. M., officiating at the marriage ceremony. Mrs. Webster is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wolfe of Woodson, Texas, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Webster of Vesperon. The couple will live in Midland.

250 Attend Open House At North Elementary

An estimated 250 parents attended the North Elementary School open house last week, with Mrs. Marvin McCree's room and Mrs. Annie Frank Stout's room sharing attendance honors. The room mothers and teachers were hostesses. Mrs. Charles Edwards, president of the North Elementary P-TA unit, together with the room mothers, served punch and cookies in the downstairs hall. Mrs. Gordon Bird was in charge of the refreshments.

Women Voters' League Resumes Luncheon Meets

The League of Women Voters opened its Fall season Saturday with a luncheon in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel, with discussions on the proposed city bond issue highlighting the meeting. Mayor R. H. Gifford introduced City Manager R. C. Hoppe and council members W. F. Hejl, Ben Black, R. S. Dewey, R. I. Dickey, and S. M. Erskine, who spoke on various phases of the issue.

Lyska Mae Brown, Bud Vaughan Exchange Vows In Crane Wedding

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Rehearsals Underway For Kiwanis-Community Theater Show



Art Cole, Community Theater director, discusses the script for the Kiwanis Club-Community Theater production, 'Ruhnan' H., with members of the cast at a recent rehearsal in the City-County Auditorium. The minstrel revue will be presented September 29-30 and October 1-2. Left to right: L. W. Meador, Bill Pomeroy, Jeff Williams, John DeFord, Albert K. Kelly, Sam Salt, Gerald Kubic, Hoot Gibson, Don Moore, Andy Ireland, Joe Koeber, Jim Morris, Art Cole, Dr. L. W. Leggett, Larry Burnside, Duke Jamerson, Cliff Hogue, Lee Flood and Dave Cole.

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Jack Feltons Return From Wedding Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Felton will return Tuesday from a wedding trip in Colorado Springs to make their home in Midland. The young couple was married September 6 at the First Christian Church in Teague, Texas.

What's New And Where To Find It

BY BARBARA

Keynotes Of Color—There's nothing mysterious about interior decoration. Apply a few basic principles, and your home can have all the distinction and charm of the picture book house in your dreams. At SIMMONS PAINT AND PAPER COMPANY you'll find a beautiful book entitled "Color Keynote of Interior Decoration." This book contains pages of material on furniture grouping, achieving color harmony, effective color combinations, and other valuable information. Get your copy this week.

For Security's Sake—Life so often rocks along in a pleasant little groove, that folks tend to grow complacent and neglect the one thing that is of utmost importance—security. A home, for instance, should be protected against any unforeseen happening. You should be sure that any mortgage is covered by an adequate insurance policy. C. E. (BUD) BISSELL, at 492-W, will be happy to talk with you about protecting your home and family through the safest medium—life insurance. Families throughout the Permian Basin have taken advantage of the friendly, interested service Bud Biswell offers.

Fashions For Fall—Colors this year seem to be richer and more beautiful than ever before. You'll think so, too, when you visit EVERYBODY'S and inspect their array of hats in the dashing fall shades—elephant gray, victorian green, and red wine. Just the thing to add a bit of flash to your new dress or suit. You'll find sophisticated stitched woollens, lush beavers and velveteens. While the stock is complete be sure to see these high fashion chapeaus at Everybody's.

Hurry, Hurry, Hurry—It's time now to start making plans for Christmas—especially since you'll save money. For just eight more days, you can select personalized Christmas cards at THE BOOK STALL and take advantage of the 10 per cent discount given September orders. If you like greetings that capture the spirit of the West, be sure to look over the Tex-Craft sample book. Sketches of friendly cow-hands, proud stallions, and other familiar ranch figures distinguish these custom-made cards. Call 1165 or stop by The Book Stall this week to order your personal Christmas greetings.

Times Have Changed—Not so many years ago a man's horse was his prized possession. He spent hours brushing the trusty's mane until it glistened. Now those days are past, but folks attach that same importance to the appearance of their cars. That's where MILLER BROTHERS TRIM SHOP, 114 E. Wall street, can help you. They'll design seat covers especially for your car—covers that hug the cushions, minus unsightly wrinkles. Drop in and inspect their fine quality work.

Sewing That Saves—How many times have you said, "If I could only sew, I'd... Remember? Now you can be an expert. Trained, capable teachers are on hand at the SINGER SEWING CENTER to give you the professional instructions you've been wanting. In their smart new home at 115 South Main, you can master the art of transforming a bolt of cloth into a distinctive fall ensemble. A whole new wardrobe can be yours for half the normal price—so, here's a way to cut your cost of living. Call 1488 or visit the Sewing Center for details about the new class that will be organized soon.

Quality Handbags At Cameron's—If you're looking for a handsome leather handbag to carry you and "yours" through the winter season, visit CAMERON'S PHARMACY. You'll find 12 styles designed by Meeker in the finest quality of leather. There are round ones, squire ones, under arm envelopes, and the favorite shoulder; strap versions—designed in black, brown, or tan. You'll also be glad to know that each has a detachable, all leather coin purse. Priced from \$20 to \$30, these Meeker Bags promise years of service and satisfaction.

Three Little Words—Sterling... China... Crystal—three words that stand for gracious living. During the Thanksgiving season, you'll view your table with pride if it's laden with fine dishes and silver from KRUGER'S. Such names as Cambridge, Rock Sparke, Tiffin, and Glastonbury crystal; Royal Dolton, Castleton, and Haviland china; Gorham, International, Wallace, Whiting, Alvin, Watson, Blackington, and Smith sterling, stand as your assurance of the very finest quality workmanship. Best of all, these are available to you on Kruger's easy payment plan.

Chicken With Style—Say, partner, have you tried that delicious barbecued chicken at the RODEO-TEL CAFE? If not, us drive out East Highway 80 about noon Sunday and give yourself a treat. It tastes mighty good! Or if it's fried chicken you want—they have that too—juicy meat beneath a crisp golden crust. Other specialties on the menu include tender steaks, extra light waffles, and omelets—any kind you want. Be sure to visit the Rodeo-Tel Cafe soon.

Franklin's Fur Sizes—It's a gay day at FRANKLIN'S for ladies who wear dresses sized from 38 to 52. Fashions designed especially for the buxum Miss or Mrs. are on display—soft folds draped to give you that exciting "new look," skirts cut with figure-flattering lines. You'll also find an abundant supply of gowns, extra-long slips, b.u.s. and hose to brighten your winter wardrobe. Slips and gowns are available in satin, crepe, and jersey. One visit will convince you that Franklin's has the right fashion, in the size you've been wanting.

Mrs. Herbert Emery, Noted Book Reviewer, To Appear Tuesday

Mrs. Herbert Emery, noted book reviewer of Dallas, will appear at the Yucca Theater at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday in a review, which is being sponsored by the City-County Federation, of Samuel Shellabarger's best seller novel, "Prince of Foxes." Mrs. Emery, well known throughout Texas; was in Midland last Spring.

Concert-Lecture Group Directors Will Meet

A meeting of officers and directors of the Midland Concert and Lecture Association will be held at 7:30 p. m. Monday in the directors' room of the First National Bank, H. Winston Hull, president, announced Saturday.

Visiting J. V. Hobbs

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hobbs, 101 East Chio Street, are a daughter, Mrs. F. B. Macatee, and family of Lovington, N. M., and a son, Frank Hobbs, and family of Abilene. Also a visitor in the Hobbs home was Mrs. G. R. Brumley of Wink who returned home Friday.

State Federation Directors To Have November Meet

The Board of Directors of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs will have its annual Fall meeting November 17 and 18, it was announced last week when the State Executive Committee, which includes Mrs. J. Howard Hodges of Midland, met in the Headquarters Building at Austin.

Jack Feltons Return From Wedding Trip

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Felton will return Tuesday from a wedding trip in Colorado Springs to make their home in Midland. The young couple was married September 6 at the First Christian Church in Teague, Texas.

FLIES TO OKLAHOMA CITY

Mrs. Joe Taylor will fly to Oklahoma City Monday to attend the wedding of her brother, J. L. Guiles.

Helena Rubinstein CREAM TINT FOUNDATION advertisement. Features a woman's face, a product jar, and text describing the foundation's benefits for skin protection and beauty.

Midland Drug Co. advertisement. Promotes "Three Little Words" perfume and "Santal de Indes" perfume, featuring images of perfume bottles and decorative elements.

Large advertisement for Kruger's department store. Includes sections for Christmas gifts, security services, fashions for fall, sewing classes, quality handbags, fall fashions for mothers-to-be, and home fashions.

MIDLAND CAREER WOMEN—

**Mrs. Minta Ervin: It Takes Personality, Initiative, Smiles**

Here is a job that requires plenty of personality, initiative and a mile a minute tempo. It is the job of a manager of Everybody's Store, comes in contact with a greater part of Midland's female population—and that's a job. She must know everything, well enough to know that when a customer job is to keep them looking beautiful.

Creating beauty, as far as Mrs. Ervin's job goes, requires more than just a study of every individual. She says a department store manager must be able to do everything from advertising, window

display and personnel to unpacking, pressing, and sweeping. And, of course, there is the business end which is as intricate as that done by any man in town. With all those clothes, a personnel of 20, and the many customers to please them is part of her job, her position is a responsible one.

"It takes checking, double-checking, and always being around," Mrs. Ervin explains.

Mrs. Ervin, who is from Center, Texas, first entered department store work when she went to work for J. C. Penney's in Odessa. It was, in fact, the first job she had and she "loved it." Later, she became associated with Consolidated Millinery, and for three and one-half years worked at Rothchild's in Kansas City. After that, she moved to Memphis-Wells in San Angelo, which was followed by buying millinery for the three Everybody Stores in Lubbock, Odessa, and Midland. Mrs. Ervin, who has been manager here almost two years, now does not think it is difficult to work your way up in department store work. "The main thing is determination," Mrs. Ervin says, "and then comes initiative."

The philosophy of Mrs. Ervin, who enjoys dancing and games of bridge and golf, is that if you are going to work you should do something that makes you happy. One look at Everybody's tall, well-dressed, trim manager dashing around the store convinces the spectator she really gets a thrill out of her work.

Three times yearly, Mrs. Ervin goes to the markets either in Dallas, Fort Worth, or perhaps New York, St. Louis, or California, but even these trips mean hard work for her. "I have just the same work and difficulty as any customer who is trying to buy a dress or suit," says Mrs. Ervin explaining her market trips.

Mrs. Ervin, who lives at 505 North Colorado Street, loves Midland. When comparing it to Kansas City and her work there, she says that although department store fundamentals vary very little, the interests certainly vary. In Kansas City, she explains, you can't know the people personally as you do in Midland, and that is such a big part of Mrs. Ervin's work that she wouldn't think of being without it, because she likes people. So she will continue to add to the beautiful.

**Special Services To Mark Opening Of New Church**

Commemorating the completion of the new and attractive building of the South Side Church of Christ, formal opening services will be held at 10 o'clock Sunday, Pastor J. V. Davis announced Saturday.

The new building, erected in two months at a cost of \$29,500, is at the corner of East California and East 14th Sts.

There will be a barbecue at noon at Everybody's Park. Mr. Davis called on speakers at the afternoon service, which will be J. Wood, Holden, pastor of Midland's North Side Church of Christ, as well as other local pastors.

The new building, which auditorium will seat approximately 200 persons, is of wood and brick construction. Felix Stohrer was contractor, and Paul Avery, architect.

**Glenna Johnson Opens Violin Studio Here**

Miss Glenna Johnson, formerly of Eastland, has moved to Midland and is opening a violin studio Monday, Sept. 22, at 506 West Illinois. Her telephone number is 2723-J.



Glenna Johnson

Miss Johnson studied 11 years with Wilda Drago of Eastland, and during the summers of 10 years studied with Francis Macmillen, renowned American violinist and teacher, in his master class at Texas Christian University, and in New York City.

She spent two years at North Texas State Teacher College, Denton, transferred to TCU and graduated with a bachelor of arts degree in 1944. After six months with Macmillen in New York, she joined a USO concert unit and appeared in Italy, Sicily, Greece, Egypt, French Morocco and Lybia.

**LITERATURE GROUP OF AAUW TO READ NEW NON-FICTION**

The Contemporary Literature Group of the AAUW will read in review current non-fiction for the coming year. It was decided Wednesday night in a meeting at the home of Mrs. J. W. Carroll, 410 North Loraine Street. The meeting dates voted by the group were the first and third Wednesdays of each month.

During the session, members discussed books read since the last meeting.

Those present included Mrs. W. P. Von Osinski, Mrs. V. M. Crotty, Miss E. J. Elliott, Mrs. C. F. Henderson, Mrs. M. C. Minton, Mrs. Earl A. Johnson, Theresa Cromwell, Mrs. Ray Seifert, Mrs. Max Hendrick, Mrs. Hugh Puckett, Mrs. Carroll, Mrs. J. Wayne Campbell, Mrs. J. V. Hartwick, Mrs. S. P. Ellison, Mrs. J. A. Dolman, Mrs. F. Hazen Woods, Mary Lee Cooper, and Mrs. Rex Russell.

Guests included Mrs. W. C. Cartwright and Ruth Baden.

**Publisher Gives One-Word Speech**

BILLINGS, MONT.—(AP)—Shortest speech of the Montana Press Association meeting was made by C. J. Doherty, Missoula publisher assigned the subject "What can we expect in printing equipment?"

His full text: "Nothing."

**Mrs. J. L. Norton Council Chairman For Child Clinics**

The advisory council for the Well-Child Clinics to be held in Midland met at the Health Unit Saturday morning and elected Mrs. J. L. Norton of the South Elementary School P-TA unit chairman of the conference, with Mrs. Allen Leeper secretary.

The advisory council is composed of a representative from each sponsoring agency and each interested civic group. The clinics for the Latin-American and colored people are ready to function, it was reported, with clinics for indigent white children in the South and West sections of the city being organized.

Citizens present were Mrs. T. E. Jones, who presided, Mrs. Cooper Hyde, Mrs. John Hill, Mrs. Norton, Mrs. Pharris, Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. K. B. Coughlin, Dr. L. B. Pemberton, Dr. F. E. Sadler, and Mrs. Leeper.

**Mrs. S. P. Hazlip Chosen Hostess For GS Luncheon**

Mrs. S. P. Hazlip was appointed hostess for the luncheon which will highlight the Senior Girl Scout Conference to be held in Midland Saturday for girls from over the Permian Basin Area.

Registration for the conference will begin at 11 a. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building at the First Methodist Church.

Following the luncheon and afternoon session, the girls will attend a steak-fry given at Cloverdale at 6 p. m., with fathers of Senior Girl Scouts serving the food. Roy McKee will be host for the steak-fry.

**Dr. Patton Speaks At B&PW Dinner**

Dr. Doyle Patton, guest speaker, was featured at the Business and Professional Women's business-dinner Friday night in the Scharbauer Hotel. Dr. Patton was introduced by T. K. White, health chairman.

Mrs. Betty Kurpees, vice president, presided during the business session in which committee reports were given by Hester Williams on international relations, T. K. White on health, Mrs. Fred Fromhold on public affairs, Cordelia Taylor on activities, Neta Stovall on group activities, and Fannie Bess Taylor on the Dr. Minnie Maffett Fund.

The following new members were voted on: Mariana Moseley, Jack L. Harbinson, Jenie Barnes, Bee Stewart, and Susie Noble.

B&PW members attending the dinner were Mrs. George McDonald, Marie Shoopman, Laura Jesse, Fannie Bess Taylor, Mrs. W. N. Keisling, Mrs. J. W. Christian, Mrs. D. R. Carter, Mrs. Fred Fromhold, Mrs. Ima Watson, DeAlva Brewer, Patsy Brewer, Glensy Herring, Sibyl Sneed, Jack Harbinson, Clara Gabbert, Flossie Vaughn, Mary Louise Rhodes, Bertha Kenney, Sue M. Simms, Lois Johnson, Maude Prather, Juanita Collins, Hester Williams, Mrs. Doyle Patton, T. K. White, Mrs. Betty Kurpees, Ernestine Hough, Neta Stovall, Cordelia Taylor, Vera McLeroy, Susie G. Noble, and Frances Ford.

A cactus plant will take root and grow again after having been hung up in dry air for six years.

Trains from London to Edinburgh have phonographs and play records describing points of interest en route for the passengers.

**Big Elephants At Lions Club Circus**



Happy is one of the big elephants which will be seen in Midland September 27-28 at a big circus being brought here under the auspices of the Midland Lions Club. The circus features 35 big acts, including tigers, horses, dogs, ponies and clowns galore. The show, better known as the Shrine Circus since it plays annually for 57 Shrine Temples and 35 Shrine clubs. Proceeds from the show here will go to the Lions Club's charity and welfare fund. Two performances will be given next Saturday, at 2:15 and 8:15 p. m., and two Sunday, at 2:15 and 8:45 p. m.

**Building Permits Climb Steadily**

Building in Midland continued on its rapid rate toward three millions in permits during the week ending Saturday with the week's total amounting to \$22,300.

The 1947 total of building permits issued in Midland now is \$2,932,870.

Permits for the week included: J. R. Freitag, \$8,000, to build a brick and frame residence at 1504 Illinois Street, size 35 by 59 feet; Cliff Roberts, \$5,000, to build a dwelling at 2211 Brunson Street, 40 by 34 feet; Mrs. Don Hyatt, \$3,500, to build a residence at 2505 Roosevelt Blvd., of concrete and tile size 24 by 30 feet; T. J. Watlington, \$1,500, to build a frame dwelling at 506 South B Street, size 14 by 34 feet; R. L. Hughton, \$1,500, to build a garage at 605 West Broadway Street, size 20 by 16 feet, concrete blocks; T. D. White, \$1,000, to build a residence at 302 North Carrizo Street, size 12 by 28 feet, lumber; Ellen Kiser, \$1,000, to build a dwelling at 200 West Florida Street, size 14 by 26 feet, lumber; H. C. Stringer, \$500, to add a room, 14 by 16 feet, at 900 North Fort Worth Street; and Mrs. Guy Spinks, \$300, to build a garage at 2400 West Holloway Street, size 14 by 20 feet, lumber.

Fish life depends upon a very small concentration of dissolved oxygen in water.

There were 5,725,692 motor trucks registered in the United States in 1946 compared with 4,877,054 in 1941.

**Name Dance Band To Play Firemen Dance**

Bob Peters, whose name dance band appears in Midland October 11, for a dance sponsored by the Midland Fire Department, has played successful engagements at many famous clubs.

Some of these include: The Plantation in Dallas; River Oaks Country Club in Houston; Rainbow Dinner Club in Vicksburg, Miss.; Heidelberg Roof of Jackson, Miss.; and others.

Tickets for the dance here to be held at the VFW recreation hall at Midland Air Terminal are on sale by firemen.

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A dashing swing-skirted frock with shirtwaist top and shirt maker sleeves with cuff links. A Charmaine fine quality gabardine that takes you out on dates beautifully... stays at home with you at study-time... comfortably.



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# Exhibits At County Fair Show 'What Midland Is Making To Make Midland'

BY TANNER LAINE

It takes a Midland County Fair to surprise you at what is produced right here at home. And you get pride at the exhibits of "what Midland is making to make Midland." We went to the Fair.

Not all you see is soil-produce, for there are the many exhibits of cooking, sewing and other handicraft of Midland County women. They bring out many "ohs" and "ahs" for sheer beauty and workmanship.

Then there are the various exhibits and the products of the members—making, growing, creating. We saw roses grown by Mrs. Olive Jones, a German rifle exhibited by Lyle Middiff, napkins made by Mrs. Bob Clarke, and cookies baked by 4-H Club girls of all the county clubs.

We saw a hooked rug made by Mrs. S. H. Gwyn and one by Mrs. John McKinley. We saw hand-knitted jackets by Mrs. Joe Chastain and a pillow slip made by Mrs. Davis. We saw an all-over knitted dress, the work of Mrs. H. O. Allen, and it was a beauty.

We saw a quilt, a hand-made tie, and a boy's knitted suit. These were not store bought. These were made.

**Want'd To Eat**  
We saw pickled peaches that we wanted to eat and butter (some children) that was a joy to see, but it would be to taste.

We saw handwork articles by ladies over 70 years of age, including articles by Miss Ola Hopkins, Mrs. Mar Lou Wyatt, Mrs. Brooks Penberton, Mrs. Frank Ingham, Mrs. Charles Syron, Mrs. J. H. Barron, Mrs. E. H. Butler, Mrs. May Sammonds, Mrs. D. D. Martin, Mrs. Tom West, Mrs. R. L. McFadden and Mrs. Calhoun.

We saw a Future Farmers of America exhibit by the boys from the FFA Club at Midland High School. And there was livestock. It was a registered gilt, one of five contributed by Midland merchants to increase pork production in this county.

Among the antiques, we saw: a walking cane shown by Mrs. A. P. Jordap, that is 105 years old, the carving done by a blind man; a fan belonging to Mrs. Allen White's grandmother; a china platter, 65 years old; a clock shown by Mrs. Eugene Russell, given to Mrs. Russell's grandmother by her mother as a wedding present in 1853; perfume bottles, silver, buried to hide during the Civil War; two dolls, shown by Sherry Page, one of them

## Kermit Girl Scout Leaders Are Named

KERMIT—Election of officers to head local Girl Scout activities was held Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the Girl Scout Leaders Club in the American Legion Hut. Mrs. R. H. Hall was named president; Mrs. N. B. Holder, vice president, and Mrs. Vernon Lawrence, secretary-treasurer.

Plans were made for a get-acquainted meeting of all adult Girl Scout workers. This social affair is to be held Tuesday, September 30, in the Legion Hut, and also will give opportunity for outlining the year's work.

Leaders discussed carnival attractions sponsored by the girl's troops, to be held in connection with the Firemen's carnival. Activities during National Girl Scout Week, late in October, also were discussed.

Present were: Mrs. S. M. Melton, Mrs. Jim Ramsey, Mrs. K. D. Bryan, Mrs. C. C. Barton, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Alvin Johnson, Mrs. P. L. Daniel, Mrs. W. N. DeVany, Mrs. Leo Clark, Mrs. Holder, Mrs. Raymond Lyne, Mrs. R. H. Gerds, Mrs. W. A. Crowley, Mrs. Neely, and Mrs. W. H. Wilson.

Among the war souvenirs, we saw: a Jap doll sent to Mrs. Howard Atwater by Lige Middiff from the Firemen's carnival. A Jap pilot mask, shown by Buddy Harris; foreign newspapers, money, flags.

**Businessmen Cooperate**  
We saw in the club booths, educational exhibits, for example—a plant was shown which had been attacked by the scissor bee, and then an explanation that if you wish your plants to be free of attack from scissor bee, keep them nutritionally strong. And we saw upholstering and furniture decorating educational exhibits.

We saw interesting exhibits by Midland merchants and business firms including: Allen Water Well Service, Texas Electric Service, Shur-R-Fit Venetian Blinds, Ray Gwyn's Office Supplies, Midland Tractor Company, West-Tex Equipment Company, Wemplex.

And when the Fair visitor got tired and wanted to rest—The First National Bank had provided a rest spot with soft, comfortable chairs—ah, it was nice.

We went to the Fair. And if you did, weren't you glad?

## Hollywood Heroine Has Hairy Hat

Curling her hair around Joan Crawford's neck is Josephine, an organ grinder's monkey. At a gala Beverly Hills toy shop opening, Joan came with her two children, Christina and Christopher. The monkey came, too. The two were introduced, and as Joan went to shake hands with Josephine, it promptly bounded from hand to shoulder to head. And there it sat, making like a hat, while the crowd roared. Nonchalant, the screen actress said, "It's nothing at all. I always wear a monkey on my head when I go to a kiddie party." Josephine finally deserted Joan's head and the two parted good friends.



## Rev. A. L. Teaff Is New Calvary Baptist Pastor

Midland's Calvary Baptist Church has called the Rev. A. L. Teaff to fill the pastorate vacancy left by the Rev. Fred McPherson who recently went to the South Side Baptist Church in Lubbock.

He will preach his first sermon October 12, following the conclusion of a revival he will conduct at the North Park Baptist Church in Sherman, October 1-9.

Mr. Teaff, who is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene and the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth was pastor at Denver City, Texas, three years and eight months. He is active in the G. A. Y. Association and served as association moderator. He also is a past-president of District 8.

The new pastor will move here Monday with his wife and three children. A. L. Jr., who is 11 years old, LaLee who is 12, and Saralyn who is entering her freshman year at Hardin-Simmons. Mrs. Teaff is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons and the Baptist Theological Seminary, and is active in all phases of church work.

## Scout Commissioners Meet Here Tuesday

District commissioners of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will hold a conference in the Scharbauer Hotel here Tuesday, P. V. Thorsen, executive, said Saturday.

The purpose of the meeting is to plan ways and means to operate the council's participation in the second Annual National-Wide Round-Up. The Round-Up is designed to intensify and enrich the Scout and Cub programs and to extend membership to all boys.

Charles Watson of Big Spring, council commissioner, will preside. District commissioners are: M. L. Kirchbaum, Colorado City; George Melear, Big Spring; Wayne Boren, Snyder; Johnny Ammons, Roby; Paul Terrell, Sweetwater; Atkin Cook, Kermit; Glen Hunt, Pecos; W. A. Shoemaker, Wickert; J. R. Templeton, Odessa; and Ralph E. Smith, Midland.

Mrs. Carter attended Texas University this summer, studying English and journalism for her M. A. degree. Margie Carter is a sophomore in high school and last year was selected as the "friendliest freshman." Mrs. Carter has been active in P-TA and B&PW Club work.

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## Kermit Bridge Club Has Regular Meeting

KERMIT—Mrs. Lawrence Mills was hostess this week to the Wednesday Bridge Club. The party, a dessert-bridge, was held in the Mills home, and decorations featured bouquets centered on the tables.

Mrs. Frank Dickerson and Mrs. Dorrell Mayer were high and second high players, respectively, with bingo award going to Mrs. Charles Hickman.

Others present were Mrs. J. M. Waddell, Mrs. John Moore, Mrs. Oscar Maples, Mrs. W. A. Langbier, Mrs. Elmo Glass, Mrs. Ed Bircher, Mrs. E. J. Reaser, and Mrs. B. Baird.

## Former Residents Return To Midland

TAYLOR—Mrs. Frances Carter, head of the English department, teacher of journalism and sponsor of the school paper at Taylor High School, left recently for Midland to join her husband, R. D. Carter, and daughter, Margie. The Carters formerly resided in Midland.

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## Odd Fellows Lodge Started At McCamey

McCAMEY—Whitey Proctor of this city, deputy district grand master of Odd Fellows, has announced that a McCamey Odd Fellows Lodge now is in the process of being organized. Proctor requests all members now residing in the McCamey territory and wishing to become members of the lodge to meet at the McCamey Scout House at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, October 1.

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d. Gabardine in colors of spruce green, brown and winter wine, this suit with bucket pockets flatters every figure. Five jewelry buttons on each great pocket match the buttons over hand sewn button holes. Sizes 10 to 18. No. 117-872. \$55.00

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**Geraldine McNew Is Pep Squad President**

GARDEN CITY—Geraldine McNew is president of the pep squad of Garden City High School which was organized recently to promote school spirit and to support the football team.

Other officers are Emma Cline, vice-president; Barbara Harris, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Gordon Griggs, sponsor. Leaders are Juanita Rathff, Anita Calverley and Helen Hightower.

There are about 15 pounds of air above every square inch of the earth's surface.

**Crane P-TA Has Initial Meeting**

CRANE—The Crane P-TA, in its first business meeting of the school term, voted Thursday to have a Halloween carnival this Fall.

It also was voted to give \$1.50 each month to each department—elementary, junior high, and high school, to be presented to the room that has the most mothers present at the P-TA meetings.

The mothers who have children in school for the first year were special guests. Ninety-two registered, with Mrs. G. H. Weimoth, president, presiding.

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**Beach Clothes Take To Cover**



PARIS—(NEA)—Best-dressed Parisiennes think it is inelegant to parade "atomic attire" on the summer beaches.

Hence, the flock of cover-up fashions—example is the Schiaparelli ensemble shown—which is being seen this summer on the Riviera and at other smart resorts.

A full skirt of striped blue and white linen, right modestly steps out with a sun-back overblouse of bright blue linen.

Remove the skirt, as shown left, and the overblouse teams up with a pair of brief white linen shorts, trimmed with striped linen to match the skirt.

**Class Officers Named At Garden City High**

GARDEN CITY—Students of the Garden City High School have elected officers as follows:

Seniors—William Weyman, president; Leroy Linney, vice president; Charlie Schafer, secretary-treasurer; Basil Keathley, reporter; and Mrs. Gordon Griggs, sponsor.

Juniors—Helen Hightower, president; Barbara Harris, vice president; Frances Robinson, secretary; Ann Frizzell, treasurer; Jack McDaniel, reporter; L. O. Shelley, sponsor.

Sophomores—Edward Weyman, president; C. B. Fisher, vice president; Frances Linney, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Rube Ricker, sponsor.

Freshmen—Wendell Hahn, president; Barbara Lu Currie, vice president; Lue Low, secretary-treasurer; and Dalton Sheffield, sponsor.

Eighth Graders—Johnnie Fay McHenry, president; Bonnetta Cox, vice president; Jimmy Robinson, secretary; Curtis McLaren, treasurer; Troy Cline, reporter; and Mrs. C. H. Neely, sponsor.

About 75 per cent of the steam locomotives in service on class one railroads in the United States are more than 22 years old.

**Kermit Legion And Auxiliary Members Have Entertainment**

KERMIT—Approximately 50 persons were present Tuesday night for the entertainment-play night meeting of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary. Miss Faye Harland, physical education teacher in Kermit schools, gave instructions in folk and square dances.

Raymond Lyne was in charge of the program, and he and Mrs. Lyne served refreshments.

Entertainment nights of the two organizations are held the third Tuesday of each month, and business sessions the first Tuesday nights. Committees are named to plan and supervise each entertainment program.

The committee for October includes: H. L. Roberson, Dick Unstot, and Bill Cameron.

**RETURN FROM VACATION**

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Murray have returned from a four-week vacation. Murray's sister, Miss Edna Murray, returned with them for a brief visit.

The doodlebug, airborne magnetometer used to spot U-boats during the war, is now being used on aerial surveys that may unlock secrets of volcanoes.

**Mrs. Fred Cook Is Shower Honoree**

STANTON—Mrs. B. P. Eidson gave a bridal shower at her home recently honoring Mrs. Fred Cook. Mrs. R. V. Robinson registered guests and Erlene Wright presented corsages to the hostesses. Mrs. Eull Ferguson and Verla Ray Anderson served at the punch bowl.

The bride wore a beige dress with brown accessories and a corsage of yellow roses. Mrs. Davie, mother of the bride, wore a sheer printed dress. Mrs. Joe Cook, the groom's mother wore a black dress.

Among the 150 gifts were a set of silver and a down comfort from

parents of the bride and groom. The hostess gave the couple a silver cream and sugar service.

Other hostesses were Verla Anderson, Erlene Wright, Mrs. R. V. Robinson, Mrs. Mace Howard, Mrs. Hoyt Gilbreath, Mrs. Eull Ferguson, Mrs. J. A. Wilson, Mrs. George Lewis, Mrs. Ray Wright, and Mrs. Dee Rogers.

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**Hopper To Preach At Meeting In Clovis**

The Rev. Hubert Hopper, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, will preach the moderator's sermon at the regular Fall meeting of the El Paso Presbytery, U. S., in Clovis, N. M., Wednesday, Frank Stubbeman, an elder of the Midland church, also will attend the meeting which opens Tuesday.

The Rev. R. Matthew Lynn of Houston, who will assume the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church here October 15, will come to Midland Monday to accompany Hopper and Stubbeman to Clovis. Mr. Hopper's resignation and Mr. Lynn's call to the Midland church will be acted upon at the meeting of Pres-bytery.

**Friday Shower Fetes Mrs. Glenn L. Broun**

STANTON—A bridal shower honoring Mrs. Glenn L. Broun was given at the home of Mrs. J. J. Mills from 4 to 6 p. m. Saturday, Sept. 13. Assisting Mrs. Mills as hostess were Mesdames Calvin Jones, Wilmer Jones, Allen Kaderli, John Priddy, Bill Clements, Dave Foreman, James Jones, Elmore Johnson and Dale Kelly.

Guests were greeted by Nina Cason and registered in the bride's book by Bernice Cason. Mrs. Leo Turner ushered the guests into the dining room where Patsy Kelly, Jo Ann Jones, Patricia Rougemore and Betty Carroll Bennet served punch and cakes from a lace-covered table and crystal punch bowl. A lovely arrangement of sweet peas formed the centerpiece.

Mrs. Printice Bristow conducted guests throughout the house to see the display of gifts.

Mrs. Broun wore a white formal with necklace and bracelet of yellow rose buds and gold ribbon. Mrs. Story, the bride's mother, wore a black sheer dress with corsage of white gardenias.

During the receiving hour Mrs. Calvin Jones read "How Do I Love Thee" by Elizabeth Barrett Browning, Mrs. Broun's favorite sonnet. Jo Ann Jones sang "I Love You Truly," accompanied by her mother on the accordion.

Members of the house party were Mrs. J. A. Jates of Big Spring, Mrs. L. L. Williams, Mrs. Leo Turner, Mrs. Printice Bristow, Nina Cason, Bernice Cason, Patricia Rougemore, Jo Ann Jones, Beckey Bentley, Betty Carroll Bennet, Patsy Kelly and Jo Jon Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Broun left immediately following the shower for Boulder, Colo., where Mr. Broun will continue his study of pharmacy at the University of Colorado.

**Eighty-Four Pass in Foodhandlers School**

Of the 124 enrollees in the foodhandlers school conducted by the Midland-Ector-Howard County Health Unit here last week, 84 passed the course and received certificates. Dr. F. E. Sautler, director, announced Saturday.

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### Area Cities Talk Highway Matters

McCAMEY—Members of the McCamey Lions Club will go to Crane Tuesday to be guests of the Crane Lions Club, which also will have as its guests chamber of commerce representatives from Fort Stockton, Odessa and other cities to discuss highway matters.

It is hoped to get a highway designated from Amarillo to Crane to McCamey, to Stockton, and then leading on to the Big Bend National Park.

Crane County Commissioner Oscar Reynolds has done considerable work on the project and at the last meeting of the Crane Lions Club, he displayed maps and preliminary plans for the proposed road project.

Bagdad, once the fabulous city of the Arabian Nights and now capital of modern Iraq—known as the city of silks and ties because the art of making these materials has flourished there for 2,000 years.

### McCamey Business Firm Changes Hands

McCAMEY—Dee Locklin, of the Jacobsen-Locklin Company, announced he had sold his half interest in the firm to Randolph W. Moore.

Moore is a native of Bell County, and graduated from high school at Port Lavaca. He attended Southern University, Georgetown.

Moore entered the armed services November 11, 1941, serving four years overseas. He saw 11 months service in the Pacific and 14 months service in the European Theater. He was discharged November 25, 1945, as a captain.

He is a member of Oil City Lodge No. 1251, A.F.A.M. and a member of the First Methodist Church, Mr. and Mrs. Moore have been ranchmen near McCamey the last two years.

Jacobsen and Moore announced the name of the firm will be Jacobsen-Moore Company. Moore will be an active partner in the business.

Some butterflies migrate in swarms.

### Hold That Cuff-Line



One is low and one is high, but which is in style. Barney Starnes, a Houston clothing salesman, had Houston women in a dither when he appeared on the street with his pants 14 inches from the ground. The suit is called, "The New Look for Men." Black nylon hose are worn with the eye-catching garb.

### STANTON NEWS

STANTON — Calvin Scroggins, Charles W. Baker and Cecil J. Hopper, all of Stanton, joined the Army Monday. Each enlisted for three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd B'oomer went to El Paso to take their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Burk B'oomer, and family home. Bloomer returned home Sunday and Mrs. Bloomer remained for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward T. Hale from Tulsa, Okla., brought Jon Rodney Thornton, grandson of Ector Thornton, to visit a few days with Mr. Thornton and other relatives. Mrs. Jack Thornton, Jon Rodney's mother, is enrolled at the University of Tulsa, completing her degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mims visited friends in Brownfield last week and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Eastman, formerly of Stanton, now living in Andrews.

Attending the Big Spring Baptist Association meeting at the First Baptist Church in Big Spring Monday were the Rev. and Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. J. F. Oray, Mrs. J. C. Sales, Mrs. Stovall, Mrs. Whitaker, and Mrs. Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ham of Lenora gave a chicken barbecue supper at their home Sunday afternoon. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fleming, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Standefer, Mr. and Mrs. S. Higgins, and Mrs. James Jones of Stanton. Children present were Billy Ray Ham, Betty C. Bennett, Jo Anna Jones, R. S. Higgins, Patricia Roquemore, and Jackie Fleming.

The Melody Music Club held an organization meeting Thursday. The following officers were elected: President, John Dale Kelly; vice president, Corene Herrington; secretary, Patsy Madison; treasurer, Evelyn Mills; reporter, Anita Shankle, and parliamentarian, Belle Jones. The club meets every first and third Thursday of each month.

### South Main Drug Open For Business

Robert Hord announced Saturday the opening of his new drug store, South Main Drug, at 601 South Main Street in Midland.

In addition to a complete line of drugs and accessories, the new store will feature hamburgers, sandwiches and soft drinks. A complete news and magazine stand also will be a feature.

Hord invites citizens to visit him in his new store.

About five tons of iron must be blown through a blast furnace for every ton of iron produced in the furnace.

### Council Scout Office Is In School Building

The office of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, now is located in the old South Elementary School building on South Main Street, it was announced Saturday.

The quarters are ample for the present, but Scout officials emphasize that permanent office space will be obtained as soon as possible. The Scout office serves 15 counties of West Texas.

### Visits Eastern Star Members In Midland

Mrs. Berryhill of the Eastern Star Home at Arlington arrived here Friday to visit Midland's Eastern Star Club which has adopted her as its club mother.

She is the weekend guest of Col. and Mrs. J. B. Wright and will visit in the homes of other club members during her stay in Midland. It is her first trip to West Texas and she is much impressed with the area and its vast possibilities.

### MR. AND MRS. GIRDLEY RETURN FROM WASHINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Girdley returned Wednesday from Washington, D. C., where they visited with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Girdley, Jr., and their granddaughter, Beverly Carol. Mrs. Girdley went to Washington several weeks ago, while Mr. Girdley went a week ago. Their son is assistant chief of staff, officers division, personnel, in the Army Airway's Communication System.

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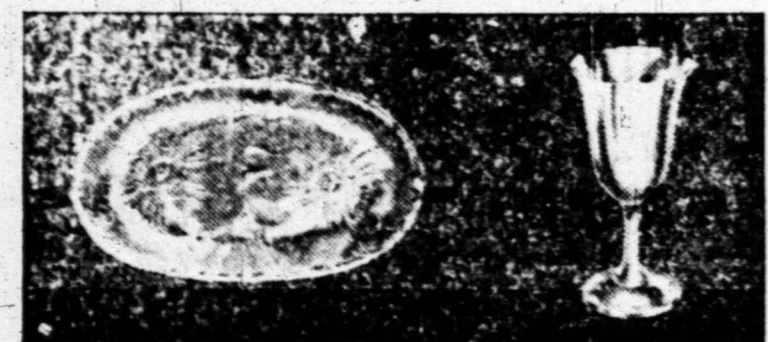
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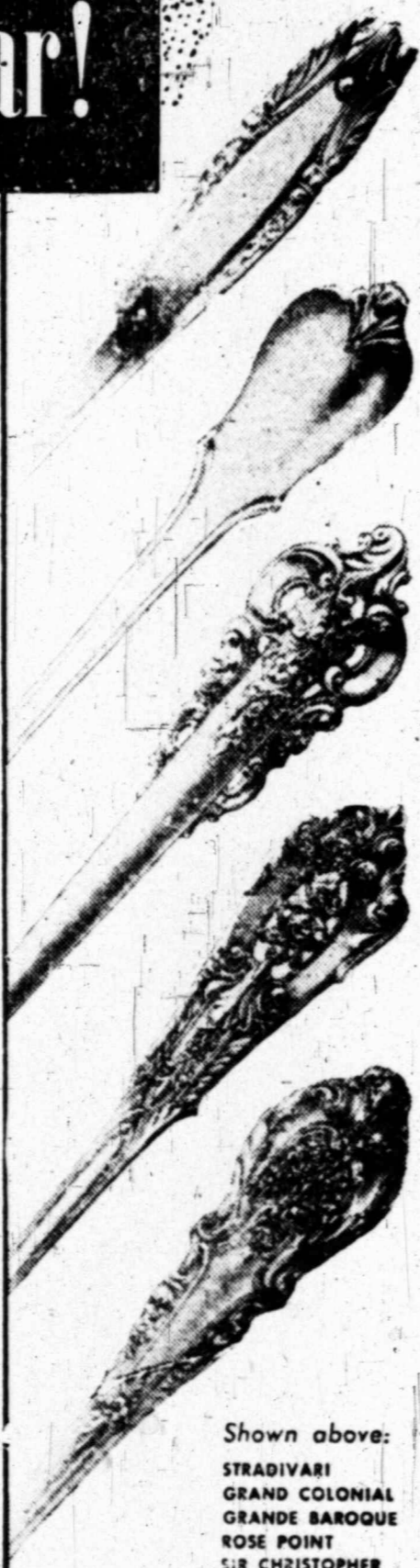
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# Wardrobe



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# Budget



# New Era In Television Approaches As Stations, Receiving Sets Multiply

By MAX HALL  
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Things are stirring in television. Television stations will blossom out in 32 new cities within the next year or so. Receiving sets are coming out of the factories at better than 400 a day.

Don't expect miracles. It may be many years before television reaches your living room—depending on where you are and how much spending money you have. It will take time, and the era of mass television is in the future.

Just now, television is still concentrated in eight metropolitan areas. Two-thirds of all television sets are still in New York City.

**Stations Being Constructed**  
But those statements won't be true very long.

Here is a quick summary of the new stations:

1. The Federal Communications Commission says 11 commercial stations are in operation today and 52 more are under construction.

2. The Radio Manufacturers Association says nearly 70,000 receiving sets have been produced so far this year—compared with about 15,000 produced in all previous years together.

3. The publication "Television" says about 61,800 receiving sets were being operated in August and they were divided as follows among the eight areas that have sending stations: New York 40,000; Philadelphia 8,500; Chicago 5,100; Los Angeles 3,000; Detroit 2,000; Washington 1,500; St. Louis 1,000; Schenectady 700.

4. Television's No. 1 problem perhaps, is that of developing networks.

**Networks Are Needed**  
Networks are needed because elaborate studio programs will be too costly for most individual stations to produce alone.

Also, they are needed so that people throughout the country can be treated to big events like the World Series, a championship boxing match, or a President's speech before Congress.

The range of each station is short, covering only a single metropolitan area.

When all television stations now under construction are in operation,

**Lightning Strikes Twice In Same Spot**

SOMERSET, PA.—(AP)—People who say lightning doesn't strike twice in the same place will have an argument if they talk to the Reed Welmer family near here.

On August 16, 1943, the Welmer barn was struck by lightning and the loss was \$13,000.

This month lightning struck a new barn on the same spot. The loss was \$25,000.

tion, 40 cities will have stations in 1948 or 1949.

But it won't be easy to link groups of these stations together. Coaxial Cable Is Expensive

Radio networks are linked together by ordinary telephone wire, but a television broadcast won't go over an ordinary telephone wire.

One way of doing it is through an expensive thing called a coaxial cable. New York and Washington are already linked in this manner.

The American Telephone & Telegraph Company now is extending its coaxial cable system to all large cities of the country, but this is a slow process.

## Vets Get Credit For Flunk-Out Slump

BERKELEY, CALIF.—(AP)—Dean Edwin D. Dickinson credits "the greater maturity and seriousness of the veterans" for a great share of the market slump in "flunk-outs" among first-year law students at the University of California.

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## Sergeants Differ In Name Only

CHICAGO—(AP)—A change was made recently at the New City police station, but it probably was noticed only by the most observant detectives.

Sergeant Doonan, 41, 6 feet 1 inch, 245 pounds, was succeeded by Sergeant Doonan, 41, 6 feet 1

inch, 245 pounds. The Doonans are identical twins, and the only major difference is that one is firstnamed Chester and the other Warren.

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## Wranglers Schedule Tuesday Breakfast

Members of the Wranglers Club membership division of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, will attend a church wagon breakfast on the Blue Room of the Schaubauer Hotel Collier Shop at 7:30 a. m. Tuesday, Bill Cojens, club Wrangler, said Saturday.

## Fair Is Success; 1948 Date Is Set

The 1947 Midland County Fair was history Sunday and already the date has been set for the 1948 affair. It will be held in 1948, September 17 and 18. Sponsor of the 1947 Fair, the Midland Chamber of Commerce, termed it a great success with the largest attendance in history.

## COLLISION REPORTED

Police reported a collision Friday between cars of Mrs. Felix Summers and Mrs. Florence Aldredge on South Colorado Street. No injuries were reported.

## Out Wedding-Gown Shopping?



Queen Elizabeth, right, whose daughter, Princess Elizabeth, will marry Lieut. Philip Mountbatten this fall, is shown with her younger daughter, Princess Margaret Rose, examining an original 1770 wedding dress at a recent Edinburgh exhibition.

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# WILSON'S

# Coming Events

**MONDAY**  
 The executive board of the First Methodist Church's W.S.C.S. will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the Educational Building, followed by a usual meeting at 3:15 p. m.  
 Both units of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. J. L. Crump, 811 West Kansas Street, with the Auxiliary of the St. John's Church in charge of the program.  
 A meeting will be held in the west wing of the church during the meeting.  
 The Women's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will meet in the church at 3 p. m. for its regular meeting, under the leadership of Mrs. Tom Sealy. Hostesses will be Mrs. W. T. Hays, Mrs. W. N. Little, and Mrs. Robert Payne.  
 All circles of the W.M.U. of the First Baptist Church will meet at the church at 10 a. m. each day of the week to observe the Week of Prayer for State Missions. Different circles will be in charge each day.  
 The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will meet in the Schaubauer Educational Building at 4:30 p. m.  
 The Methodist Young People's Sub-District meeting will be held

at 7:30 p. m. in Big Spring.  
 The following circles of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church will meet at 3 p. m.: Young Matrons at the home of Mrs. E. J. Pierce, 508 Holmesley Street, and Henderson Circle at the home of Mrs. Ella Ragsdale, 407 North Marienfield Street.

**TUESDAY**  
 The Y.W.A. of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the church for planning of the Week of Prayer for State Missions program.  
 The City-County Federation will bring to the Yucca Theater stage a review of "Prince of Foxes" by Mrs. Herbert Emery, noted Dallas book reviewer.

**WEDNESDAY**  
 The St. Cecilia's Guild of the Women's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will entertain the church membership at 6:30 p. m. with a lawn supper, at the home of Mrs. Ralph Lowe, 1801 West Missouri Street.  
 The First Presbyterian Church choir will practice at 7:30 p. m.  
 The Progressive Study Club will meet at 3 p. m. at the home of Mrs. W. E. Cox, 2068 West Holloway Street.

**THURSDAY**  
 The Lula Brunson Class of the First Baptist Church will install officers for the coming year at 7:15 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Mae Lunagan, 1508 West Missouri Street.  
 Dusting of furniture might be eliminated if furniture carried a slight negative electric charge which would repel all dust particles.

# Hankies Leaving Handbags For Wardrobe Whirl

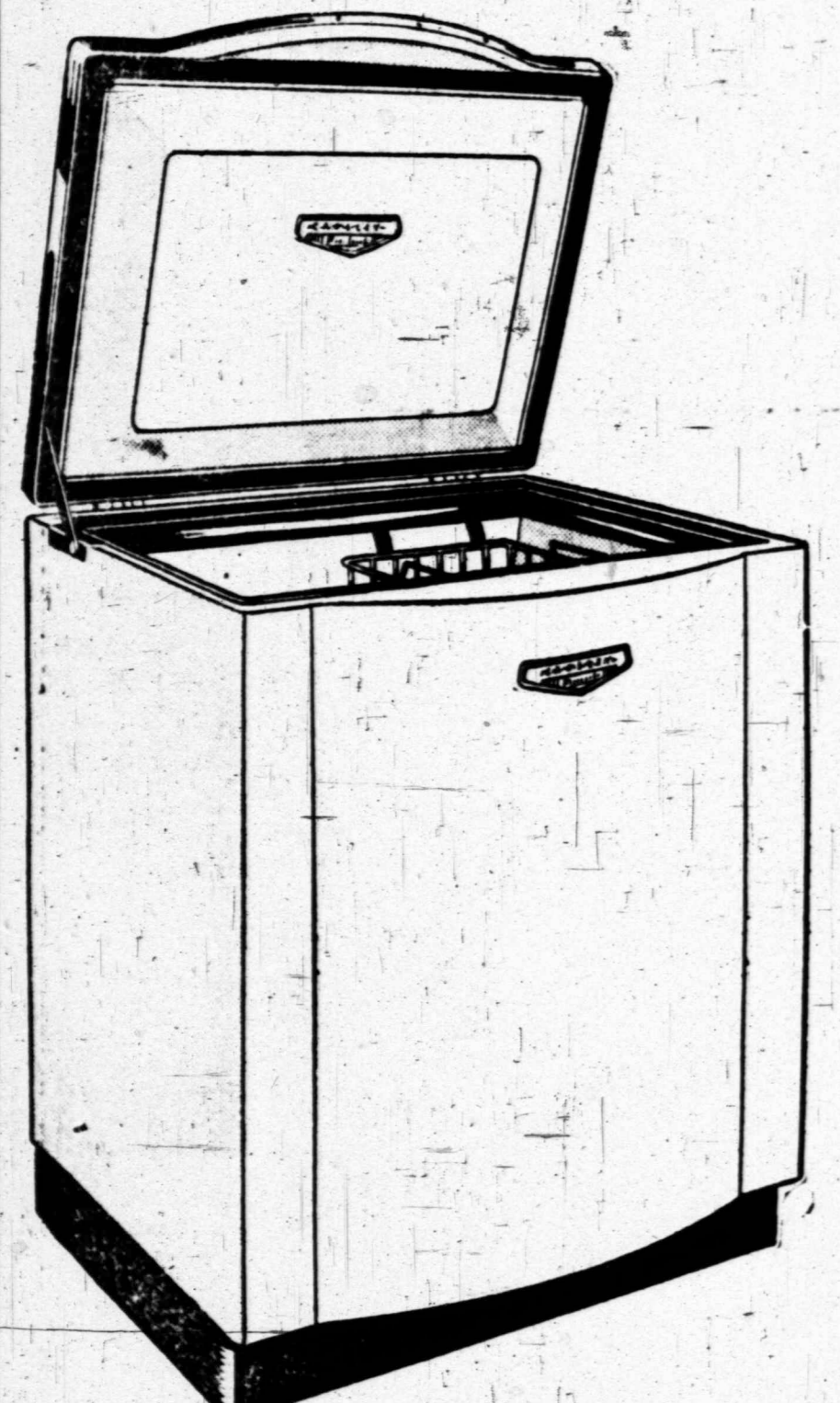


There's good reason why lovely lace handkerchiefs are leaving a girl's handbag for a fashionable whirl in her wardrobe. They are being replaced by wintery clothes. For proof, look at the frilly handkerchiefs here shown in their new roles as "cavalier's" cuff, Elizabeth-styled collar. The cuff, left, which enfolds the wrist diagonally and ties at two points, cavalier fashion, is made of one lacy Irish linen handkerchief. The collar, right, is made of two net-ruffled hankies, placed together, folded diagonally, and used to top a neckline. Black velvet ribbons keep collar in place.—EPSIE KINARD, NEA Fashion Editor.

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## Minstrel Rehearsals Enter Final Stages

Rehearsals for the Kiwanis Club Community Theater Minstrel Revue "Kummin' Hi" are entering the final stages according to Director Art Cole. The show is scheduled September 29, 30 and October 1 and 2. A cast of approximately 75 citizens will present a musical and minstrel that shows promise of being one of the best productions of its type ever to be shown in Midland.  
 Eli Fomeroy has written some original music for the production, including the theme song "Kummin' Hi" and also a number entitled "Headin' Back to Midland" which promises to be the hit of the show. The date for ticket sales will be announced later. General Chairman Joe Kogler said.

## Speech Class Members Have Entertainment

GARDEN CITY—The speech class of the Garden City High School was given a "wienie" roast Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. Gordon Griggs, Leroy Linnay, Lael Roberts and Anita Calverley were the members of the social committee planning the entertainment.  
 After roasting "wienies" and freeing cream, the group scattered over town hunting for various articles in a scavenger hunt.

## Ladies' Golf Association Meets At Country Club

Mrs. W. B. Harkrider and Mrs. Robert Payne took top game honors Friday morning when the Ladies' Golf Association met at the Country Club.  
 There were 20 members present.

## Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Kemp on the birth, Friday, of a daughter, Linda Joyce, weighing six pounds, four ounces.  
 Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Maury on the birth, Friday, of twins, a son, Gerald, weighing eight pounds, four ounces, and a daughter, Meryl, weighing seven pounds, two ounces.

## WACs To Take Part In Princess' Wedding

LONDON—Feminine military uniforms will be conspicuous in the guard of honor at Westminster Abbey on November 20 when Princess Elizabeth is married to Lieut. Philip Mountbatten.  
 The Lord Chamberlain announced that the Auxiliary Territorial Service (British WACs) in which thousands of British women, including the princess, performed wartime service will be given a coveted place among detachments of famous regiments which will take a colorful part in the ceremony.

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## Wonder if Elizabeth Will Like it?



Joanne Backus, right, 18, and Charlene Wills, 20, are having fun shopping for a wedding present for Princess Elizabeth, of England. The two Ypsilanti, Mich., girls wrote the royal bride-to-be that they wanted to give her something, and the princess replied that she would be pleased to accept a small gift from you, and feels sure that whatever you send will be charming.

## FRESHMAN CO-ED'S HIGH SCHOOL RECORD DOESN'T IMPRESS UNIVERSITY CHUMS

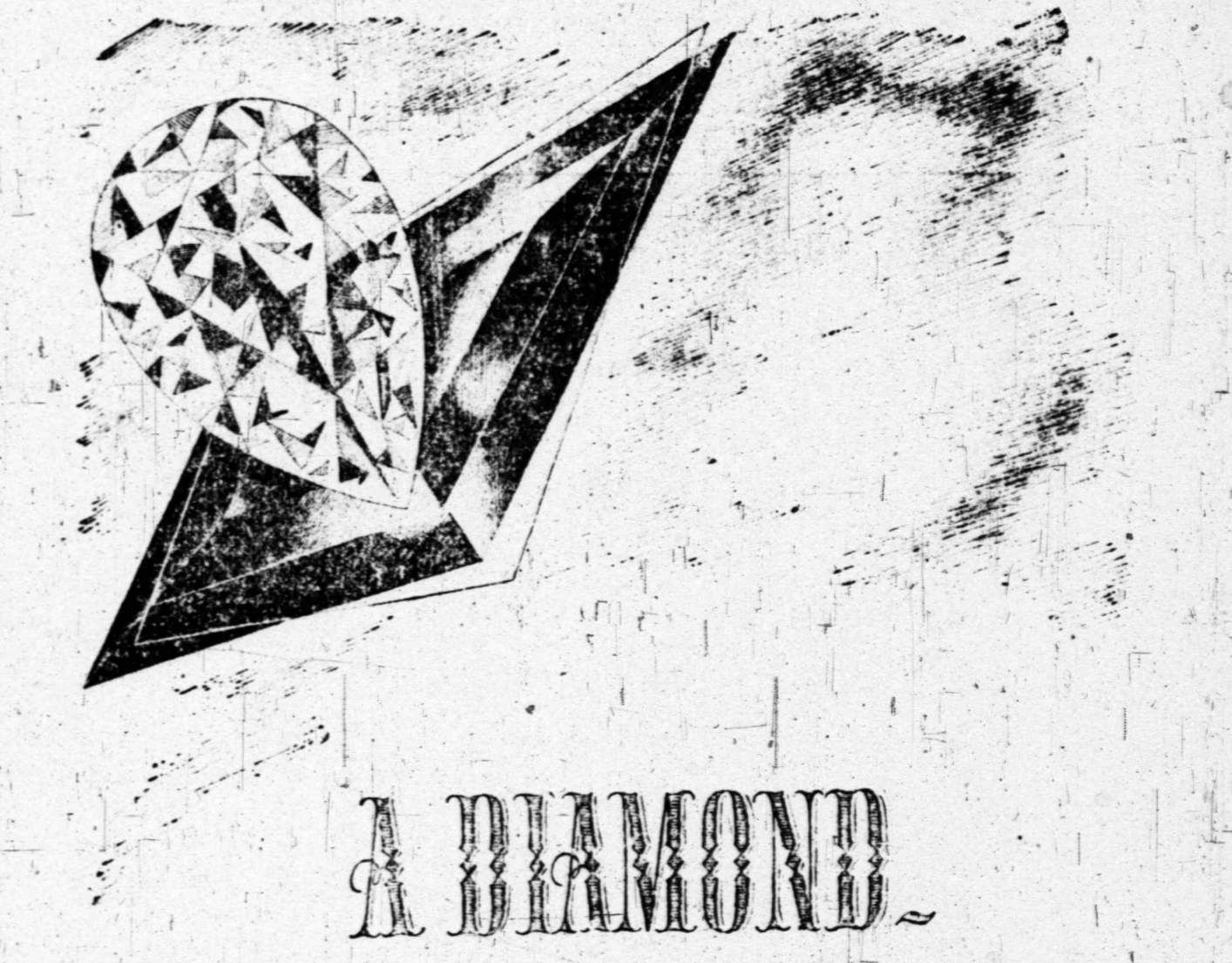
By ALICIA HART NEA Staff Writer  
 The freshman co-ed who expects her high school popularity rating to carry over on the college campus is in for a big let-down. So say university deans who cite this as a common failing of the newcomers. Popularity must be won from scratch, say these counselors.  
 To earn popularity with newly acquired chums, you'll have to let current actions speak for you, and not rely on past achievements to boost your rating.  
 Some hints? Size up college activities and see what you can contribute. Perhaps you're proud of your dramatic ability. Well, don't sulk if you're not chosen to star in the class play. You'll rate as much applause from fellow students if you cheerfully accept any task assigned to you. That goes whether it's painting scenery, sewing costumes or hauling stage sets.  
 Let's say your high school forte was campus politics. Don't withdraw from the college scene in a temper if you're not nominated freshman class president. Volunteer to help with balloting, work on committees, help stage election rallies. You'll get to know the girls and by the time the next elections roll around, you'll be in a better position to cop top honors.

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## Classic Styles Survive Fall Fashion Upheavals



By EPIE KINARD  
NEA Fashion Editor

**NEW YORK—(NEA)—**The gal who's afraid that the slim basic dress is doomed to disappear in the new fashion shuffle can stop fretting.

The classic dress has survived too many past fashion upheavals not to be able to buck this one, say designers. The classic stands

## Does Stomach Gas and Bloat Make You Feel Miserable?

If so, here is how you may get blessed relief in freeing your stomach from this nervous distress. It works this way: Everytime food enters the stomach a vital gastric juice must flow normally to break-up certain food particles, else the food may ferment. Sour food, acid indigestion and gas frequently cause a morbid, tetchy, fretful nervous, nervous condition, loss of appetite, underweight, restless sleep, weakness.

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strong, serene and slim in many high fashion collections. Often its shimmery and simplicity stand out as welcome relief in showings where over-stated fullness and repetitious whoop-de-do sate the eye.

The styles of classic background dresses, like the year-in and year-out versions of good stories, vary only in details. On the simple structural lines variations of detail may be ruffled in with stylized belts or elasticized waistbands. Collars may vary in shape or size or yield their place entirely to chunky necklaces, pearl bibs, bright scarves or sumptuous furs. Bright buttons may parade up and down a classic dress, and invite recruits to join up from a gal's jewelry box. Basic lines of such dresses, however, remain faithful to a classical concept of fashion design.

Examples of these in fall collections are numerous. However, two



New details on classic-styled dresses for fall are the easy-fitting elasticized waistband on the white waistband, above, and the insignia-embroidered leather belt on the black, rust and gray striped wool, left.

budget-price fashions are outstanding for their good values and particularly distinctive styling.

One such dress is a long-sleeved, club-collared, fly-front wool model vertically striped in black, rust and gray. Smart new touch is a leather belt with a Phelps-type metal insignia.

The second of the two outstanding classics cited is a white wool-knit which succumbs to the season's fever for white but remains immune to the new fullness, with the exception of an elasticized waistband that insures easy fit. New details are inverted chevrons pleats and gold buttons which close a front opening and provide cues for choices of costume jewelry.

## Early Files Of Texas Spur Give Colorful Texas History

**LUBBOCK—(P)—**Colorful history of early days in West Texas is revealed in a complete file of the Texas Spur, weekly newspaper established at Spur by the late Oran McClure in 1909, which has been given to the Texas Technological College Library.

The paper was established at the time the town was founded, when S. M. Swenson and Sons of New York offered half their 673-square-mile ranch for sale to prospective farmers.

Phenomenal growth of the little town is described in the Texas Spur on Dec. 3, 1909, one month after the boom began. Within 30 days, according to the paper, 50 business houses had opened, 60 firms were in operation, 60 residences were

completed and many people were living in tents while their homes were under construction.

**Population Grows To 700**  
A telephone system came into operation, a water works system had been built, one and one-half miles of concrete sidewalks were laid, a public school was built and in session, and several churches had been organized. The paper estimated the population as exceeding 700.

The newspaper files were discovered, stored in a garage, by Neal Chastain who had purchased the old McClure home. The papers had been moved to the garage when fire destroyed the McClure home in 1941. Through arrangements with George S. Link, Jr., and the editor the files are to be brought up to date.

**Land Sold For \$12 An Acre**  
The file shows that in 1909 land was selling for \$12 to \$17.50 per acre, but by 1912 choice acreage was offered at \$25.

Politicians were active from the start, as shown by regular notices on meetings of Democratic, Republican and Socialist committees.

Among services advertised in the early issues were those of a water hauler and a horse dentist.

## Car Damaged But Horse Was Not

The car was damaged some but the horse was not.

Police reported a collision Friday at Missouri and C streets between an automobile and a horse. The car driven by C. P. Robertson was slightly damaged. The horse was okay.

## A Statistic Is What You Are Whether You Like It Or Not

By ARTHUR EDSON

**WASHINGTON—(P)—**Greetings, you chubby little statistic you. For a statistic is what you are, whether you like it or not.

This gruesome thought crept up and tackled me during a session of the International Statistical Institute, which is holding a two-week meeting in Washington.

In just a moment we'll drop in on this conference. But first, fellow statisticians, let's look at you and me.

**Statistical Wheels Grind**  
We're born, go to school, join a church, draw a paycheck, buy insurance, get married, have kids—and the statistical wheels grind conscientiously.

And when we die, ah, what excitement, what turmoil in statistical circles.

Erase one from U.S. pop! Erase one policyholder. Erase, erase, erase!

And now, shall we drop in on our keepers, the statisticians? A girl in blue ushered me in and pointed to the subject under discussion.

**"Prediction From Autoregressive Schemes and Linear Stochastic Difference Systems."**

**Translators Keep Busy**  
The speech was in English, but with translators busy, and with each delegate equipped with earphone, it also came out in Spanish and French.

I soon picked up a large enough supply of autoregression to last me through the winter.

While I was sneaking out, I passed the girl in blue. She had on earphones. When I motioned, questioning, from the English speaker to her covered ears, she nodded

and whispered:

"Sounds better in French."

In the hall a fellow was standing in front of a machine that looked like an overstuffed drinking fountain.

"Look at the machine, friend," said the man. "It speaks a universal language."

"Hello," I said. The machine made no reply. Sulking, probably.

"Suppose you go to a dentist, friend," said the man. "Okay, it's all punched in the card—your address, your age, the work already done on your teeth, and so on."

"Okay, six months later you're back. More work to be done. The new work is punched on a new card. The machine then hunts up your old card, and transfers the old information to the new card. All automatically."

**Possible But Not Practical**  
"I suppose every dentist soon will have a machine like this," said I, anxious to please.

"No," said the man gloomily. "They're too expensive."

I went out and caught a taxi. Statistics show there are 6,973 taxicabs in Washington.

They expect to take in \$31,500,000 a year. I presume that includes my 60 cents.

## Limousine Service To Be Inaugurated To-From Air Field

In keeping with a growing Midland, a new service is being inaugurated for the city.

It is the Midland Limousine Service to and from the city and Midland Air Terminal. Owner is Alfred (Red) Petty.

The service will be available at all times, meeting all-scheduled air line flights.

A station wagon automobile will be used for the transportation service.

It will leave downtown Midland 45 minutes before each air line flight from Midland Air Terminal. The service becomes available at the time of air line reservation.

Information regarding it may be obtained by calling telephone number 600.

Klaes, Martensen van Roosevelt who arrived in what is now the United States from The Netherlands some time between 1644 and 1649 was the ancestor of seven American presidents: James Madison, Martin van Buren, Zachary Taylor, Ulysses S. Grant, William H. Taft, Theodore Roosevelt and Franklin D. Roosevelt.

## Newspapers Will Keep Step With Times, Says Veteran Teacher

**WACO—(P)—**America's newspaper of tomorrow backed by better staffs, constant research, and improved schools of journalism, can and will be better than today's, says Frank E. Burkhalter, chairman of the department of journalism of Baylor University.

In a statement prepared for The Associated Press on the occasion of his retirement from active teaching, the veteran educator states:

"The better present-day American newspaper is undoubtedly the best the world has ever seen. But excellent as it is, it is not as good as tomorrow's will need to be and can become."

"Our papers must become better and better," he adds, "in order to adequately meet the demands of their readers whose culture and tastes are becoming broader and broader with each passing day."

As requisites for the better newspaper of tomorrow, Burkhalter lists: A broader social vision and keener social conscience on the part of publishers; more cultured staff members; editors with more imagination, courage, and resourcefulness; and larger financial assets for at least the majority of the papers."

## Social Situation

Situation: You are a house guest, and wonder if you should offer to do an errand for your host or hostess which would necessitate your driving their automobile.

Wrong way: Say "if you don't mind my driving your car I'll be glad to do such-and-such for you."

Right way: Don't suggest driving their car, since if you do they will probably feel that they can't say anything but "go ahead," even though they may not like to have someone else drive their car.

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| 1.20 CALDWELL'S SYRUP PEPSIN   | 89¢ |
| 35¢ ENERGINE                   | 29¢ |
| 1 PINT MEFFLIN ALCOHOL         | 29¢ |
| WILDROOT CREAM OIL             | 54¢ |
| 50¢ CONTE SHAMPOO              | 39¢ |

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| 60¢ AMOLIN DEODORANT     | 43¢   |
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| B & B BALL POINT PENS    | 1.00  |
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**Here Is Proof**  
"When I started taking Barcetrate, I weighed 212 pounds and wore size 46 dresses. Now I wear size 18 and weigh 165 pounds. I started taking Barcetrate in March and by June I had lost 47 pounds. I would have lost more weight had I left off fattening foods, but I was anemic at that time and afraid to diet. People who knew me before I started taking Barcetrate are amazed at the weight I have lost. My flesh is firm; I have never become flabby or wrinkled and I am 40 years old.

"Before taking Barcetrate I couldn't do my house work without becoming exhausted; had dizzy spells and my head and back hurt me constantly. I was so short winded, I was miserable. But now all those things have gone and it is really a pleasure to do the chores I once dreaded.

"Three years ago I nearly died with Typhus fever and it left me anemic and I could never get my blood count up again or get back my energy. After taking Barcetrate my blood count started up and is now normal. So you see why I praise Barcetrate so highly and recommend it. Any praise I can give Barcetrate is small compared to the relief and happiness it has brought me." — Mrs. Ella Whitehead, 509 Harmon, Corpus Christi, Texas.

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Alexine Westhoff, of San Francisco, the young lady on the bike, is a gal who takes a vacation what is a vacation. She is cycling from her home town to New York and back, and expects to travel 10,000 miles before returning.

Kermit Church Is Host To El Paso Presbytery Meeting

KERMIT—The Kermit Community Church was host Wednesday to the El Paso Presbytery, U. S. A. for the regular Fall meeting.

Kermit Lions Club Entertains Teachers At Barbecue-Party

KERMIT—Members of Kermit school faculty, with their wives or husbands, were guests of the Lions Club here Thursday night at a barbecue and western style party held in the Legion Hut.

Ridgeway Purchases King's Original Cafe

Boyd Ridgeway has announced the purchase of King's Original Cafe and now is the sole owner of the popular eating place which is located at 403 West Wall Street.

Denver Toddler Gives Repeat Performance

DENVER—A two-year-old Richard Salas of Denver is a lad who can take it.

Dirt, Squirt And Quirt

FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS

One statement was heard frequently during the cattle raisers meeting here Friday. It concerned Roy Parks. After the directors, their wives and visitors had enjoyed big steaks in the crystal ballroom of the Scharbauer Thursday night, many of them commented on the quality of Midland hospitality.

When visitors went to the Parks ranch for the barbecue Friday, they had a chance to see some fine Herefords and Quarter Horses there.

A. E. Gates was here last week from Laredo to attend the cattle raisers meeting. He said general conditions in that end of the state are good.

Leonard Proctor, last week was busy delivering his lambs, which were contracted several months ago to Roy Barton of the Texas Livestock Marketing Association.

W. M. Doughty of Edinburg, here for the cattlemen's meeting, said he had been selling cattle 50 years but had never seen them bring so much money as they are now.

Ralph Harris, Jr., who flew with Dolph Briscoe from Uvalde to attend the cattle raisers' meeting here, reported Uvalde County is in excellent shape, having received more rain than most areas of the state.

John and W. D. Reynolds of Kent, members of the big cattle firm known as Reynolds Cattle Company, were here for the cattle raisers meeting last week.

Approximately 350 cattle were sold Thursday at the Midland Livestock Auction. Prices were steady with those of the previous week, though the feeder calf market was a shade on the weaker side.

Clayton Puckett of Fort Stockton, during a business visit in Midland Thursday, said he was going to deliver his calves Friday at 22 cents a pound. He figured they would weigh 500 pounds.

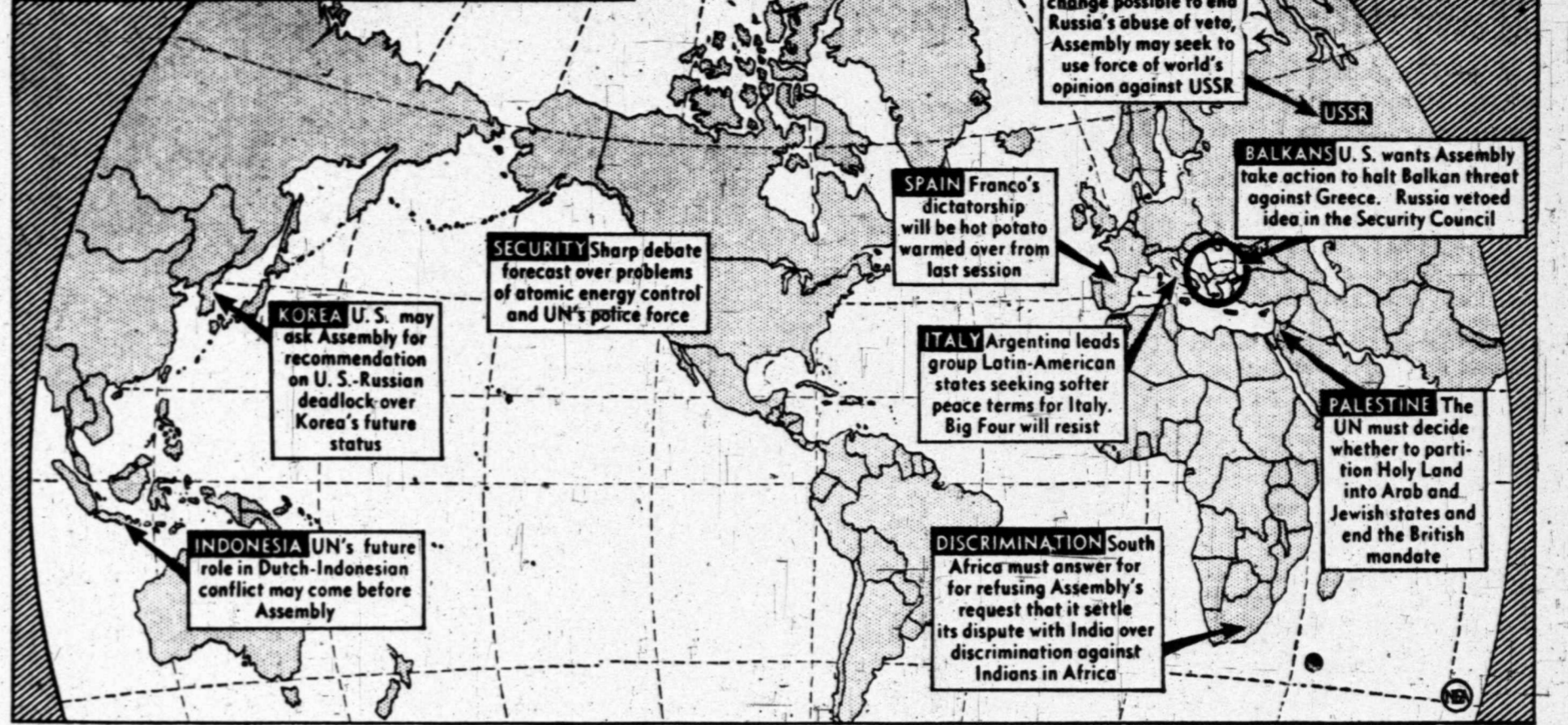
T. H. Buckingham, district salesman for Purina Mills, said here last week that Lit Carruthers, who ranches just north of Barnhart, recently delivered a bunch of 533-pound calves at 24 cents a pound.

Soviets Cut Prices Twice In Three Weeks MOSCOW—A second cut within three weeks in the prices of potatoes and vegetables at Russian commercial stores—where ration points are not required—has been announced by the periodical Moscow Bolshevik.

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SUBJECTS FOR DEBATE



Aches On The Agenda of the United Nations General Assembly meeting in New York are spotted on the map above. Hot debates are expected on these questions.

British Hope There Will Always Be An Ireland—And Five Meals A Day

By BERT BRANDT FOYNES, IRELAND—(NEA)—British austerity has brought a boom to the finest hotel in Ireland. Two months ago the Foynes Country Club, which once thrived on overseas flying boat passengers, was down to its last handful of guests.

Italian Red Chief



Palmiro Togliatti, above, is leader of the Italian Communists, who are becoming increasingly important in the nation. Trained for 15 years in Moscow, Togliatti has admitted his aim is to overthrow the government of Premier Alcide DeGasperri.

Van Natta Purchase Checker Cab Company

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Advertisement for Launderall by Jacobs, featuring a woman washing clothes and a washing machine. Text includes 'LOOK- at the new Launderall by Jacobs' and 'The COMPLETELY AUTOMATIC HOME LAUNDRY'.

Large advertisement for PRODUCERS LIVESTOCK AUCTION CO. featuring 'SPECIAL FEEDER LAMB SALE Every Wednesday Through The Rush Season' and 'REGULAR SHEEP SALE EVERY TUESDAY'.

Increased Cub Scout Program Is Planned

KERMIT—Initial plans for an active and increased Cub Scouting program during the coming months were made Tuesday when a group of Den Mothers met at Junior High School with Al Hand, Cub Scoutmaster.

Persons 21 Arrested Most Frequently

WASHINGTON—(AP)—J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said that persons aged 21 were arrested more frequently than any other age group during the first six months of this year.

Novelist James M. Cain To Wed Opera Singer

HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—Novelist James M. Cain and opera singer Florence MacBeth will be married here in mid-October.

Advertisement for FISK Safti-Flight tires, featuring a large tire image and text: 'STOP WITH SAFETY STRIPES', 'HOW TO "STOP-ON-A-DIME"', and 'FISK Safti-Flight THE SAFETY STRIPE TIRE'.



# THE BULLDOG

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## Majorettes, Band And Drill Squad Give Performance In New Uniforms

Prancing and twirling silver batons, ten Midland High School majorettes made their first appearance Friday night. The girls marched on Lackey Field between halves of the game wearing white satin uniforms trimmed in the school colors, purple and gold.

After leading the Gold Jackets on the field, Jean McMillian, Betty Bobo, Peggy Whitson, and Joan McDonald took their places before the crowd and did a twirling routine.

The Color Squad preceded the band with Dorothy Turner carrying the American flag and Betty Joyce Gerald and Sonya Little carrying the Texas flag and school flag, respectively. Next came Jerry McDonald, temporary drum major of the band. Following him were Sarah Hunter, Patsy Collins, Joy Clayton, Lois Black, and Genora Brown who performed a twirling routine as the band and Gold Jackets made formations.

The Midland High School band and drill squad made three formations during the half. Their first formation was a school hour. The drill squad made the house and the band formed a fence. Their second formation was a football with a "C" in the center, for the Cubs. The last formation was another football with a "B" in the center, for Brownfield.

Mr. H. N. Lawton is band director and Mrs. Inez Cheatham is sponsor of the drill squad.

## 1947 Graduates Enter College

Graduates of 1947 are attending various schools in Texas and in other states.

Harold Barber, Ervin Reecer, and Jack Cox are attending Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Margaret Dougherty and Lois DeEll are at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

Midland students attending Sul Ross in Alpine are Maydelle Midkiff, Janie Manning, and Julia Edith Midkiff.

Tommy Darnell is enrolled at Texas University at Austin.

Attending Howard Payne in Brownwood is Bob Cole.

David Dickinson is attending Texas Christian University in Fort Worth.

Loyce Midkiff is attending North Texas State Teachers College in Denton.

Jeanne Stevens is enrolled in Southern Methodist University in Dallas.

Charles Spivey is attending Rice Institute in Houston.

Sunny Stewart is attending Draughan's Business College in Dallas.

Billy Wolfe is at McMurry in Abilene.

Frances Gibbens is attending Ward Belmont in Nashville, Tenn.

Gordon Reagle is enrolled in Army and Navy School in California.

Virginia Stewart is attending Stephens in Missouri.

## Club News

Plans are being made for Midland High School to establish a troop of the National Thespian Club. Best of luck to all our high school actors!

The Student Council met Thursday and planned a dance following the El Paso football game.

The Stamp Club elected the following officers: Camden Chancellor, president; Kenneth Wright, vice president; Peggy McFar, secretary-treasurer; and Bill Gilmore, program chairman. Other members are Charles Shepard, Clifford Wilcox, Jayne J. Wilke, Bill Burnside, Charles Howard, Johnny Murray, Wanda Burnside and Duane Fritz.

After electing officers, the club played a game of identifying countries by their first and last letters.

## Midland Students Look For Warmer Winter

Midland High School can look forward to a warmer winter.

Announcement of the installation of a new boiler in the basement came from the executive offices.

The old boiler has been in use since 1926, when Midland High School was erected. This boiler was cut into small pieces and carried through the doors.

However, to install the new boiler, the brick wall had to be broken open and a tunnel dug to the boiler room. It took three weeks to install the new boiler.

Walter Wilson, janitor, said, "This will save me a lot of trouble. Now I won't have to be at school at 5 a.m. because the pilot will automatically turn the heat on."

## Freshmen Learning To Use Library

Do you know how to use the library?

The freshmen of Midland High School are learning the correct use of the library in their English classes. They are learning the rules of the library, the use of the card catalogue, the location of the books, and the Dewey Decimal System. They are being taught the value of the dictionary and encyclopedia, how to make a bibliography, parts of a book, and the use of the periodical index.

Miss Betty Crouch, librarian of Midland High School, is teaching these classes.

## Buy That Catoico

Annals were put on sale last Monday and will be on sale until October 10. They will be sold in advisory rooms during advisory period. The price is \$3. All students are urged to buy them as soon as possible.

The name of the annual, for the benefit of the new students, is the Catoico. The "cat" stands for cattle, the "oi" for oil, and the "ico" for cotton. These industries are the most predominant around Midland.

These annals will contain many pictures and features typical of life at Midland High School in 1947.

## Bulldog 'Strong Men' Lend Helping Hands

The "Strong Men" football players of Midland High School did their good deed for the day on their return trip from El Paso.

A man, his wife, and two small dogs were riding along the highway in their car, pulling their trailerhouse behind them. One of the rear tires on the car blew out. The car and trailerhouse careened into the ditch, both turning over on their sides.

Fortunately, the man, woman and the two small dogs were not hurt, but scratched.

The "Strong Men" climbed out of the bus, lifted the car and trailerhouse "like feathers" put them rightside up, and calmly marched back to their bus.

## Williams Outlines Year's Program

W. E. Williams, supervisor of vocational agriculture, set up a program of work for the new year at a meeting of the Midland FFA district chapter Thursday night.

Williams complimented the chapter on past accomplishments and a large enrollment of 50 members.

The following program of work for the year was adopted: Summer camp, officers training school, chapter farmers conducting contest, Green Hands chapter conducting contest, public speaking, farm demonstration, news writing, meeting to check degree work, district banquet and baseball tournament.

The program also includes conducting of contests in judging of dairy cattle, poultry, livestock, crops and contests in meat and dairy production.

## Treadway Receives Future Farmer Award

A. C. Treadway, Jr., was awarded the Lone Star Future Farmer Thursday night by Hollis Ellis, state vice president from Sweetwater, at a meeting of the Midland Future Farmers of America District chapter.

Ellis commended Treadway on his leadership ability and his supervised practice program, both of which must be outstanding to receive the degree.

Treadway has been active in agriculture for several years. He was chosen chairman of supervised farming program in 1943-44, chairman of cooperative activities in 1944-45, secretary of the Midland FFA chapter in 1945-46, and president of the chapter in 1946-47.

The Green Hand Degree was awarded him in 1944, and in 1945 he received the Chapter Farmer Degree.

Treadway went to Alpine in 1945 and again in 1946 to a meeting of Area II, attending officers training school there.

## Former Bulldogs Play For College Teams

Former Midland athletes are reported doing well in colleges as they start the football season.

Bobby Cole, outstanding tailback for the Bulldogs last year, is playing first-string quarterback at Howard Payne College in Brownwood.

Bob Drake, Barney Hightower, and Jimmy Edwards, Bulldog regulars last year, are attending Austin College in Sherman, where Drake is playing fullback, Barney has been switched from the backfield to a guard position in the line and Jimmy Edwards is doing his usual outstanding job at center.

## Safety Education Is On New Curriculum

C. F. Mathews, principal, announces that driver education under Mrs. W. J. Farr has been affiliated with the State Department of Education.

In the new Standards and Activities Bulletin, the State Department of Education announced that safety education is a part of the Midland High School curriculum.

Mrs. Parr states that the driving class will begin work for licenses after the new laws are published. The class has been studying traffic laws of other states and comparing them to Texas laws.

Engineers are working on a device to eject pilots through the bottom instead of the top of super-speed plane cockpits.

## Senior Class Officers



So far the Senior Class has all boys on the staff of officers for the new year. C. L. Lee is elected in special meeting Monday. He is left to right, R. A. Whitson, president; Charles McNeil, secretary, and John Scrogins, vice president. Other officers are to be elected Wednesday.

## Bulldogs To Meet Panthers Friday

The Bulldogs hope for victory over the Panthers when they come to Midland September 26. Many El Paso fans will be in Midland to back their team, so let's all be out there Friday night and support our Bulldogs.

Last year the Bulldogs scored a 21-12 victory over the Austin High (El Paso) Panthers. Two Bulldog touchdowns were made on pass plays from Bob Cole to Dunny Goode. Goode, aided by Barney Hightower's blocking, made a long run to score the third Bulldog touchdown.

R. A. Whitson, Royce Higgs and Ben Olliff did fine jobs on the line.

## Students Give Teacher Statues From Mexico

Statues of Popocatepetl and Ixtacihuatl were presented to Miss Minnie Jackson, head of the Spanish department, by a group of students who visited Juarez, Mexico, while attending the football game at El Paso.

"Popo" and "Ixy" were Indian lovers, according to legend, who angered the gods and as punishment were turned into volcanoes. Ixtacihuatl is in the shape of a sleeping lady and Popocatepetl sits at her side grieving for his lost lover.

Students who presented the statues are: Enid Wheeler, Jean McMillian, Dorothy Turner, Bernice Pemberton, Billy Veivin, and George Mayes.

## Assembly To Present Guest Musician

In assembly Tuesday Miss Glenna Johnson, a Midland music teacher, will present several violin numbers. Virginia Bleedlove will give a reading and an impersonation will be given by Donald Droppelman. Bob Short will give a phonetic punctuation. Neil Adams will act as master of ceremonies.

Miss Johnson is from Eastland, Texas, where she studied under Miss Wilda Drago. She has also studied under McMillian from New York.

## Emma Sue Cowden Is New Society Prexy

The Midland Chapter of the National Honor Society elected officers Thursday morning.

Emma Sue Cowden is the new president. Betty Joyce Gerald is vice-president; Pansy Burrus, secretary, and Maurine Denton, treasurer.

Members of the society this year are: Bill Gilmore, Pansy Burrus, Emma Sue Cowden, Maurine Denton, Charlotte Schaefer, Mona McJraw, Betty Joyce Gerald, Miss Upham and Genora Brown. Miss Theresa Klapproth is the sponsor.

## Midland 'C' Squad Loses To Odessa

Midland had its first home football game Thursday when the "C" squad played the Odessa 9th graders.

The Midland boys showed grand spirit and spunk against the much heavier "Colts", who returned to Odessa with a 21-0 victory. A 70-yard punt by Roy Mann and a successful quarterback sneak for eight yards by Dan Dickinson featured the Midland play.

Odessa's Junior Band and Drill Squad accompanied their team to Midland.

## P-TA To Hold Open House For Faculty

The Midland High School Parent-Teachers Association will hold open house at North Elementary for the high school faculty at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

## Student Council Gives Party Friday Night

A party will be given by the Student Council in the gym next Friday following the El Paso game.

No admission charge. Refreshments will be served.

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## It's Up To You

(An Editorial)

How can you tell a student how important his time in high school is and how direct an effect it has on his future?

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This is a new school year. Will you waste it or will you get a foundation for a better life? It's up to you!

## Music Clubs Elect Heads

The A Capella Choir and Choral Club have elected officers for the first semester.

New A Capella president is Virginia Ireland; vice president, La Verne Estes; secretary-treasurer, La Vella Tuggle, and advertising manager, Anne Upham. Lynna Dell Moore is pianist.

Susan Hemphill is president of the Choral Club. Vice-president is Joan Lee; secretary-treasurer, Rita Dunlap, and advertising manager, Mary Faye Ingham. Sue Johnson is the pianist.

Mr. Don Moore, director of both groups, will choose librarians to keep each group's music in order. Tryouts will be held for student conductors to be elected later.

Both groups have a system of grade points much like that of the band—90-100 is A; 80-90, B; 70-80, C; 65-70, D, and all below 65 is failure.

Anyone who makes 125 points each six-weeks, or 750 points a year, is entitled to a sweater with a letter to symbolize the A Capella Choir or Choral Club. A stripe will be added on the sleeve for each year in the choir.

The A Capella Choir plans to get robes in the school colors this year.

## Girls' Club To Give Special Awards

The Girls Physical Education Club plans to give awards to its members for extra hours of sports participated in after school. These awards will be charms, suitable to the particular sport to be worn on charm bracelets.

Club members also plan to collect pictures on health and P. E. subjects, mount them on cards, and catalogue them to be used in visual aid teaching.

P. E. classes will have new regulation gym uniforms this year. These blue shorts and blouses are expected to arrive by October 1.

## Personals

Cecil Stevens was out of school two days with strep throat.

Helen Caffey went to Abilene for the weekend.

Buddy Norton was home from Texas University last week.

Helen Whitley spent Saturday in Big Spring.

Bob Johnston, senior, has a big laudage on his right eye. He was burned by ashes from his pipe.

## Some Day You May Be Washing By Sound

STATE COLLEGE, PA. (AP)—Sound may some day replace the fury of wash day.

Two Pennsylvania State College natural scientists—Dr. Pauline Peery Mack and Dr. Harold K. Schilling—reported that in a recent display at the College a soiled cloth in a bucket of soapy water was exposed to ultrasonic sound waves of 18,000 frequency with the result that the cloth came out of the water adequately laundered.

In the fifteenth century the Belgian territories formed a whole with Holland.

## China Relief Program To Be Signed Soon

NANKING—(AP)—A \$30 million American relief program for China is expected to be signed before the end of the month.

Sources which said protracted negotiations were about finished reported that the United States had insisted on strict control of the distribution by "hard-headed" American businessmen and had reserved the right to designate where relief would be given, while acknowledging that practical physical difficulties would prevent extending much aid to communist-held areas.

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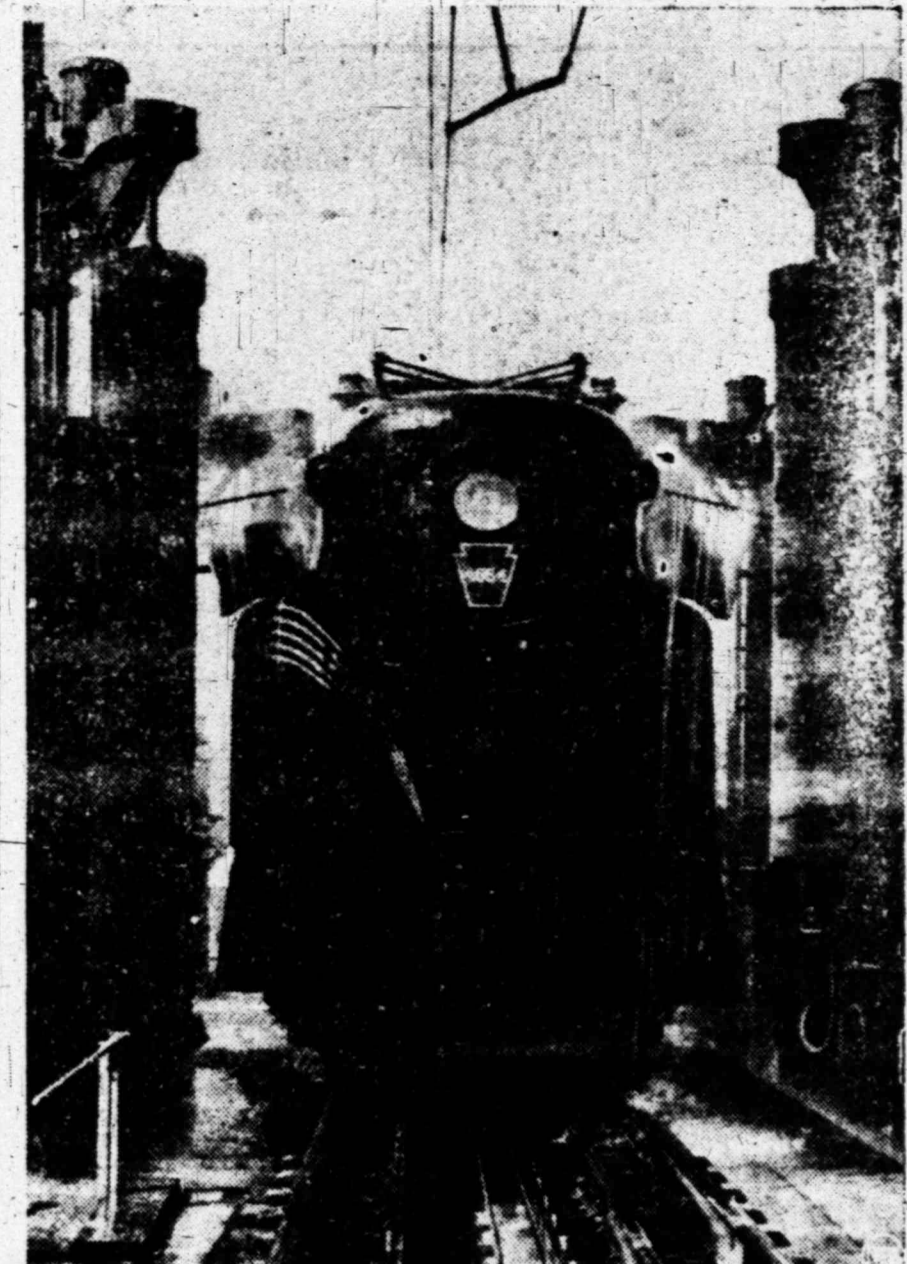
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## LONGER ECLIPSE

An eclipse lasts longer at the equator, due to the fact that the earth spins faster here and the observer keeps up with the moon's shadow for a longer period.

The highest free leaping waterfall in the world is the Yosemite Fall in Yosemite Valley, which drops 1,430 feet.

## Church Members Buy Food Wholesale

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J.—(AP)—Members of the congregation of the South Orange Methodist Church may purchase food at wholesale prices under a plan announced by the pastor, the Rev. Dr. A. Boylan Fitzgerald, Jr.

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**Girl Weds First Love When Second Forgets**

NEW YORK (AP)—A 19-year-old English girl who canceled her engagement to one American and came here to marry his friend, was wed to her original choice.

Sheila Hynes arrived aboard the Queen Elizabeth last month, betrothed to ex-Coast Guardsman Harold Conley with whom she had carried on a mail romance, although she never had met him.

Waiting on the dock for her, however, was Carl Wesch, 29, an earlier fiance who had met Sheila in England and suggested she and Conley correspond. Conley had forgotten his pier pass.

Wesch married Sheila Conley was not present.

Coyotes, hunted and killed as pests, are pest-removers themselves—they kill rodents and remove offensive carrion.

**She Just Keeps Weaving Her Rugs**



(NEA Telephoto)

Mrs. Effie Rodgers, elderly Ottawa, Kan., woman whose rug-weaving in her own home is her sole support, placidly sticks to her loom while debate rages over a proposed city zoning ordinance, which would prevent her from making rugs in her home. Mrs. Rodgers and 200 other Ottawa small business people have staged public hearings to protest the measure.

People of the United States are estimated to own 21 per cent of the business capital invested in Canada.

**London And Moscow Exchange Zoo Gifts**

MOSCOW (AP)—Last spring Moscow Zoo received a gift from the London Zoo of two Australian kangaroos. In return the Muscovites sent to the British capital a gift of valuable reptiles.

Now the London Zoo has sent six South American snakes, two young African pythons, two mother-of-pearl lizards, blunt-nosed crocodiles, and Mississippi alligators.

The mother-of-pearl lizards are getting plenty of attention. In nature these animals, according to Evening Moscow, feed on sweet berries. In Moscow Zoo they live on apple jam.

**Modern Irish Play To Be Groomed In U. S.**

NEW YORK (AP)—Lennox Robinson, noted Irish playwright, brought along a drama from the old sea called "The Magic Finger," which he terms simply a "modern Irish play." He'll polish it to a fitting Gaelic sheen in Bowling Green, Ohio, between lectures at Ohio State university.

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**Autumn Weather Brings Farmers Three-Way Threat**

By EDWARD L. A. WAGNER  
WASHINGTON (NEA)—The same prospect of autumn weather which will lift the Central States out of the frying pan now threatens to toss them into the fire.

Swept by floods and abnormal rains last Spring, seared by a drought all Summer, the area that lies between the Rockies and the Mississippi has become the big worry of the two governments departments vitally concerned with national crops and resources.

Actually, it is a three-way weather threat. The tinderbox forests and plains could be easy prey for lightning which might touch off devastating fires. Soil moisture depletion has left the vast prairies vulnerable to wind erosion that could grow into dread dust storms. And late planting has left the northern plains open to severe crop damage should an outbreak of Canadian cold air suddenly swing southward.

Forest Rangers have been alerted to the fire threat, particularly in the northern and central Rockies, where treetops are withered after a summer rainfall that was only 30 to 40 per cent of normal.

Those familiar with weather patterns know that two major pressure systems produce forest fires from lightning when dry fronts move in from the Pacific and unstable, moist southerly winds clash with cold Canadian air.

Lightning starts one-third of all forest fires, experts report.

Soil conservation officials already have voiced alarm at the low soil moisture from the Rockies to the Mississippi. Weather Bureau reports show an average of 1.50 to 2 inches of rainfall in the plains states since July 1, against a normal of 5 to 7 inches.

Dust Storms May Return  
Still further depletion of soil moisture has taken place by evaporation under abnormally high temperatures. In the central plains, currently the driest non-desert region of the nation, temperatures have reached 90 or higher daily with few exceptions for the past 10 weeks; normally such high temperatures would occur only for 25 to 30 days during this period.

Thus strong southwest winds could strike away the central plains topsoil to create dread dust storms like those of the mid-thirties, in which blinding, billowing dust clouds hid the sun, buried farms, and carried soil from Texas to as far away as the Ohio Valley.

Any one—or all three—of these weather conditions may develop if vigorous high pressure cells build up over the Pacific or central Canada during September.

**Female Welles To Stop For Visit In Houston**

NEW YORK (AP)—After holidaying with Greer Garson in Hollywood, Agna Enters, a young lady with more professional arrows to her theatrical bow than anyone around the theater, even including Crson Welles, will make her annual American and Canadian tour in the solo production, "The Theater, of Agna Enters."

Meanwhile, she'll stop off in Houston to see the premiere there of her new play, "The Unknown Lover."

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**Who Is 'Linda'?**



(NEA Telephoto)

Lt. A. W. Rainey of the Houston crime prevention bureau holds a little year-old girl who was abandoned in Houston without even a goodbye kiss. The child's mother left the baby with the driver of a car who had given her a lift to Galveston and returned to Houston. The child was named "Linda" by a Houston couple who kept her overnight before the police were informed.

**100,000 U. S. War Dead To Be Returned**

ST. LAURENT, FRANCE (AP)—Brig. Gen. Henry L. Peckham, head of the U. S. Army's graves Registration Command, said 70 per cent of the nearest of kin of the 144,000 American soldier dead in Europe have asked that the bodies be returned home.

General Peckham explained to a visiting American Legion Delegation how the task of exhuming and sending 100,000 of the dead home would be carried out. Only American hands will touch the dead, he said, and specialists will make careful and thorough checks to make certain the identity of each is correct.

"I am satisfied the job will be handled right," said Paul H. Griffith, Uniontown, Pa., immediate past commander of the legion.

After the legion delegation of 90 members and 40 wives departed, the gates of St. Laurent cemetery were locked and exhumation begun.

In "supersonic flying a "Mach Number" is the ratio of a plane's speed to that of sound at a particular altitude.

**13 Nations To Launch Union For Self-Help**

LONDON (AP)—Thirteen nations in the Paris economic conference are going to study setting up a customs union as a self-help move under the Marshall Plan for American aid to Europe.

Britain, France, and Italy are included. Invitations to participate will be sent to Russia, two Soviet republics, and 12 other nations, most of them in eastern Europe. Included in the newly launched project also are Austria, Denmark, Greece, Iceland, Eire, Portugal, Turkey, Belgium, the Netherlands, and Luxembourg.

**Beach Gas Puzzles Florida Officials**

JACKSONVILLE, FLA. (AP)—Examination of water and air samples failed to clear up the puzzle of an irritating gas that appeared on beaches in this vicinity the state health department reported. The department found traces of a gas that tended to irritate the eyes, nose and throat but said its concentration was so slight that its nature or origin could not be determined. The gas appeared after a thunderstorm; it disappeared rapidly.

The jet-propelled Skystrak which set a speed mark of 650 mph is known in the Navy as a D-58.

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## Rags, Switchyard Mascot, Has Sharp Eye, Ready Bark



A dog's-eye view of railroadmen? Rags rides with C. E. Reed in the cab of his engine. He's keeping his eyes open for the man who stole his medal.

CHICAGO — (NEA) — A heavy haze hung over the switchyards here.

Perched on the fireman's seat, peering intently ahead through the cab window was a brown and white fox terrier.

The engineer paid little attention to the dog. He had enough to watch for without watching the pup. Suddenly, the dog leaped through the cab window, raced ahead of the engine and began barking furiously. The engineer slammed on his brakes. The train screeched to a stop. The engineer jumped from his cab and ran to the dog.

Rags Wins Award

There on the track lay an unconscious man, sprawled across one

of the rails. Seconds later he would have been ground to death under the engine's wheels.

For his alertness, Rags won an honor award. But even more, he won the heart of every railroadman in the yard.

From that day on he had the run of the yards and the engines. He slept in the yard master's office, and barked furiously at any non-railroader who entered his domain. On his collar he proudly wore his medal.

**Thief May Return**

A few months ago, a stranger wandered through the yards. He apparently was quicker than Rags. Or, maybe Rags' one blind eye handicapped him. In any case, when the switchmen finally found Rags, he was badly beaten. His collar and medal were missing.

Today, Rags still rides the engines. He is still top dog of the yards. But both railroad men and Rags are keeping an eye open for the man who stole that medal. The switchmen believe Rags will find him if he ever returns to the yards. They'll take over from there.

## Washington Faces No Shortage Of Organizations

BY ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON — (AP) — If there's one thing Washington, D. C., has plenty of, it's national organizations.

Man, have we got national organizations! Get three Americans together, and they probably will organize. That's why it takes more than four pages in the Washington phone book just to list them.

**From Cradle To Grave**

I am pleased to report that we are now prepared to care for you, national organizationally speaking, from the cradle to the grave.

The cradle? The National Child Research Center is on the job, with a demonstration nursery and kindergarten.

The grave? Let's look no farther than the National Cemetery association.

How is every little thing, National Association?

"Good," said Martin F. Gaudian, its executive secretary.

"As you know, we sell in advance of need. So when business is good, our business is good."

You probably never heard of some of our national organizations. Such as the American Box Shook Export Association.

A "box shook" is made up of the parts that go into a wooden box. They're shipped, knocked down, all over the world, there to be assembled into all types of boxes.

As to be expected, there was a lot of cooperation from the American Institute of Cooperation.

"What we're interested in," said Thomas L. Cleary, its editorial director, "are the economic, legal and sociological phases of agriculture cooperation."

"We're a non-resolution passing group. We're not for or against anything."

That's not true of the National Committee To Defeat the Un-Equal Right Amendment.

It's against any so-called Equal Rights Amendment to the U. S. Constitution, has been since 1923.

At least one organization has accomplished its mission and departed.

It's still listed in the book, but the phone has been disconnected.

**'A Simple-Track Mind'**

A combat disability and a long terminal leave gave Driscoll time to survey the baby-sitting field in New York, Washington, Philadelphia and other large cities. He found it ranged from bad to worse.

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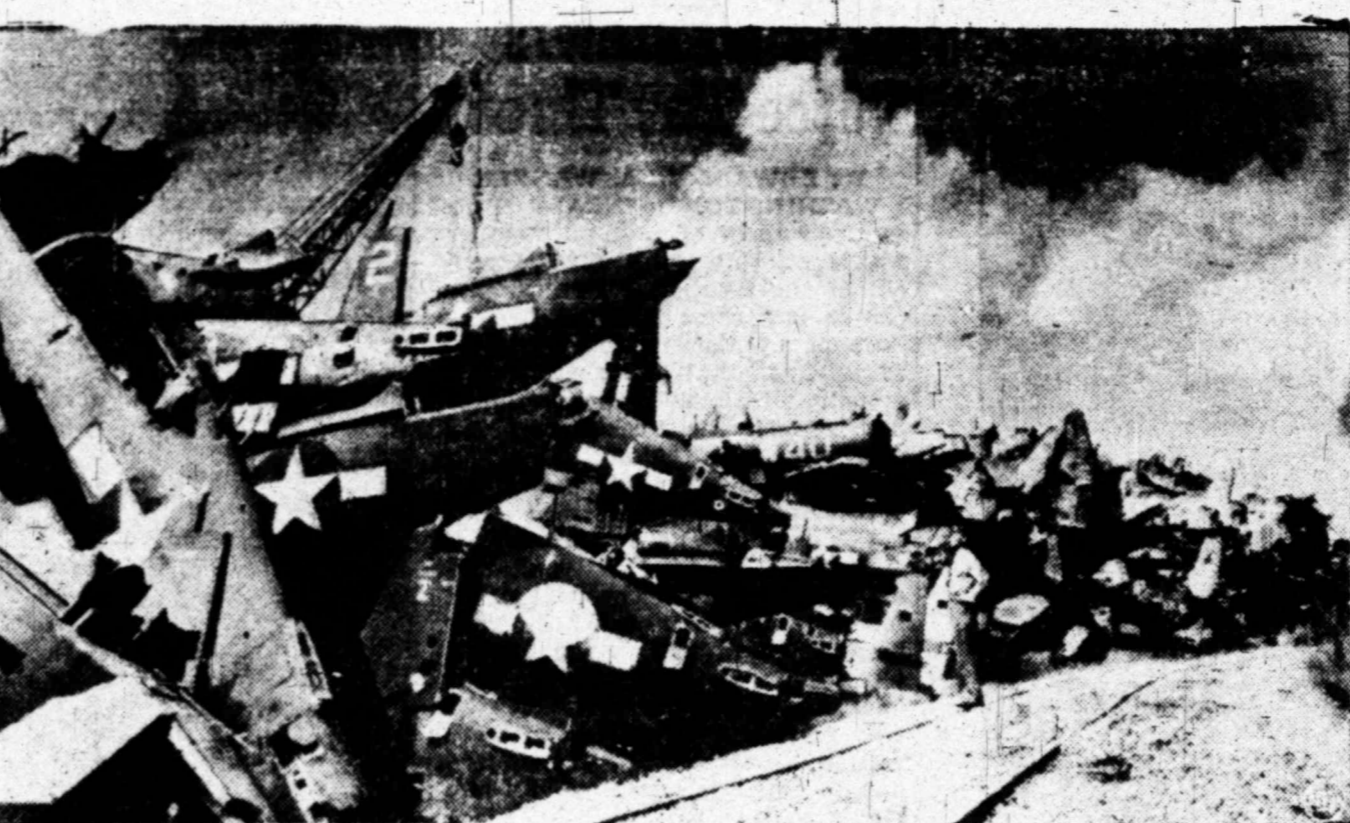
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The knowledge that one's children are in good hands, that expert medical and nursing care are quickly available, if necessary, and that each child is well protected by insurance, can go a long way to make a theater party more enjoyable for conscientious parents, Driscoll says.

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## Graveyard for Once-Mighty Navy Planes



This pile of wreckage contains the remains of 500 planes, which once soared aloft, as part of the wartime Navy Air Force. Here, at Norfolk Naval Base, Norfolk, Va., the wrecked planes are taken to the salvage depot, where they are dismantled and melted down for aluminum and iron. In the past year, 3,120,000 pounds of metal for making future equipment has been recovered in this manner.

## Ex-GI Blazes Trail As Boss Of Baby-Sitting Business

By GRACE DESCHAMPS

BOSTON — (NEA) — I have gleaned what you could call a wealth of experience," the deep baritone voice booms.

Ex-Marine Lt. Joseph L. Driscoll isn't talking about fighter planes. He means babies.

Driscoll has made baby-sitting big business. Grateful Boston parents keep his telephone ringing demanding the services of his hundred or so A-1 carefully screened baby sitters.

He started thinking about a post-war career as a baby-sitting specialist while still shooting Japanese. He had found his own brief war-time leaves fouled up because he and his wife couldn't find a satisfactory baby sitter.

One they hired turned their home into a temporary jive hall and left the baby to its own devices—the child was trying to swallow a marble when the Driscolls returned.

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are quite willing to engage in a part-time activity which entails little or no real work.

Most of the sitters are so popular there's a steady demand for their services if they wish to work.

Out of the 15 cents an hour remaining, Driscoll pays his own salary and defrays the cost of office rent, insurance, telephones, secretarial service and incidentals.

"It's mass production," he explains. "Ford made his fortune by taking only a slim margin of profit on each car."

When a popular show comes to town, Driscoll's phones are ringing all day.

"If I ran out of sitters," he says, "I'd go out myself! Our motto is 'Every call answered.' Some day baby-sitting will be as efficiently organized as diaper service. We're blazing the trail."

## Early Bird Needs To Keep Shirt On

DANVERS, MASS. — (AP) — In the middle of the night, Patrolman Raymond Cashman met an early bird.

"Easy does it, chum," said the policeman as the man raced toward him, stuffing a shirt-tail into his trousers.

"What time is it?" the runner gasped.

"Just 1:40," Cashman told him. "What happened?"

"Sorry," said the man sheepishly. "My clock stopped and I thought I'd missed the six o'clock bus."

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## FBI Law Enforcement Conference To Be Held In Midland September 30

The annual district Law Enforcement Conference will be held in Midland September 30, final day of the FBI sponsored Law Enforcement Officers Training School which opens here Monday. It was announced in El Paso by R. C. Suran, special agent in charge of the El Paso Division of the FBI.

The conference will open at 2 p. m. with the address of welcome by Sheriff Ed Darnell of Midland. Jack Ellington, Midland chief of police, will make a brief talk, following which Special Agent Suran will discuss "Coordination in Law Enforcement." Expert revolver shooting will be exhibited in a motion picture film, "Margin of Victory."

**Barbecue Is Feature**

Demonstrations in police photography and ultra-violet light usages will be given by Roy C. Dahl and A. T. Potter, special agents of the FBI, El Paso. The meeting will be held in the district courtroom of the Midland County Courthouse. Following the afternoon session,

Darnell and Ellington will be hosts to a barbecue honoring the visiting officers. All law enforcement officers in West Texas are urged to attend.

The first two days of the officers school opening here Monday will be devoted to instruction in the Texas Uniform Traffic Code, and the last four classes will be devoted to instruction in Modern Investigation Techniques, and Methods by F. T. McIntyre, assistant special agent in charge of the FBI at El Paso. Capt. C. O. Layne of Pecos and Patrolman Royce Blackmon of Midland, both of the Texas Highway Patrol, will conduct the traffic code discussions.

The classes will be held at 2 p. m. daily, excepting Saturday and Sunday in the courthouse here.

A record attendance of West Texas peace officers is expected.

Read The Classifieds

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8:15 A. M. Sunday Morning  
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9:45 A. M. Sunday School  
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## Crane News

CRANE—The Crane Lions Club has \$54 to begin its street marker and sign project, for which more money will be raised through benefits now being planned.

The WMU of the First Baptist Church entertained the Brotherhood on its regular meeting night with a steak barbecue at the Community Park. Chloe Booth gave the devotional, and H. D. Christian offered the prayer. Those attending included Joe Byers, Neal Lauderback, Gene Wasson, Stanley Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Griffen, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. George Ashburn, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. John Hanyton, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stiel, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Crowover, and Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Hart.

Mrs. Susie Gassott is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Zarateneis, and family, and her son, Billie Carroll, and family. Mrs. Gassott lives with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Todt, of Odessa.

Mrs. E. R. Avent was dismissed Thursday from the hospital after a tonsillectomy.

Mrs. I. C. Crowover of Ector Station underwent surgery in a Lubbock hospital Wednesday.

John Quincy Adams was the son of John Adams, Benjamin Harrison was the grandson of William Henry Harrison, all four U. S. presidents.

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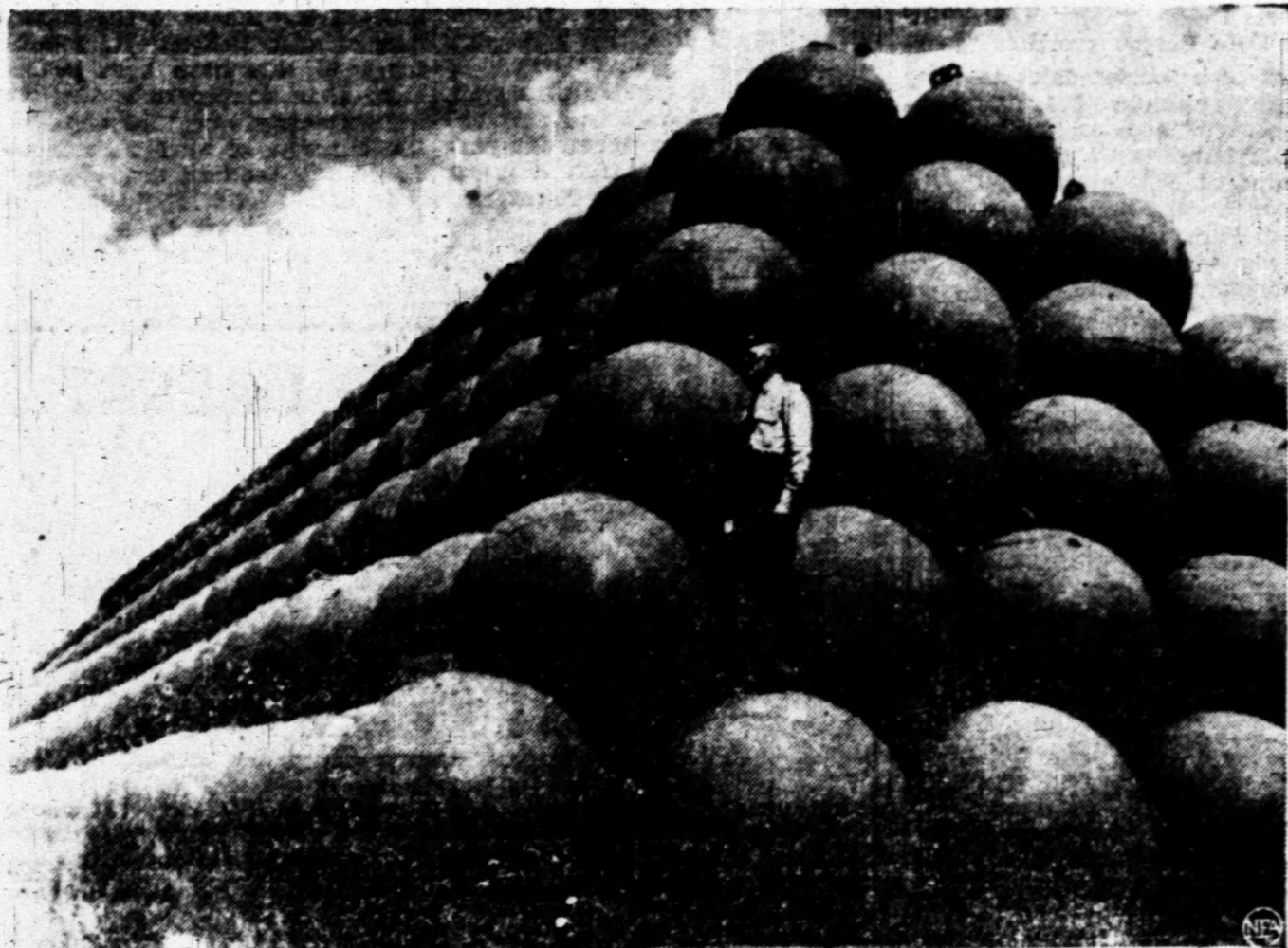
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## Crane Teachers Are Feted At Reception

CRANE-P-TA sponsored reception for the introduction of 33 teachers and three administrators to the parents was held recently. The welcome address was given by the program chairman, Mrs. Quay Clark, with the response by Erady Nix, following the opening song under the direction of Mrs. A. E. Galloway. After two vocal numbers by Dixie Shaver, Superintendent L. L. Martin introduced the faculty members. The table was centered with an arrangement of large marigolds and dahlias on a reflector. Punch was served from a crystal service in cups inscribed with "Welcome Teachers." Other refreshments were cupcakes and pastel-shaded mints.

### SAFER IN CITIES

City streets are safer for night driving than country roads. In 1945, 9500 fatalities occurred on rural highways at night, while in the cities the night death rate was 8000.

In the international alphabet flags, the colored flag representing N flying over flag C means the ship is in distress.

### INTERRUPTED MESSAGE

Messages were sent across country by semaphore telegraph 150-odd years ago. The towers were set upon hilltops within sight of each other. Once, when England was at war with Spain, the tower at Plymouth started sending the results of the battle to London, but fog hid the signal after the two words "Wellington defeated" had been spelled out, and Londoners were downcast. Later, the fog cleared and the message was completed. It read "—the French at Salamanca."

Sequia National Park, has more than 40 peaks over 13,000 feet high, including the nation's tallest, Mount Whitney, 14,495 feet.

### Nice Work If You Can Get It

CHICAGO—(AP)—In the middle of an evening of fun in a roadhouse, a young mother telephoned her home to find out whether her youngster was slumbering peacefully. She was shocked when the child answered the call. "Where," the mother asked, "is the sitter?" "Oh," the tyke replied, "she's sleeping."

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## Future Farmers Will Be Just White Collar Workers

By JACK RUTLEDGE

Push-button farming is so near, gentlemen of the soil smell the day they may sit under a tree and direct operations by radar.

Already many of the slow and costly chores are being done by machines. A demonstration of new equipment indicates that in the future, farmers will be just another bunch of white-collar workers. We are no farm expert, but we accompanied about 500 county agents on a tour of Texas A&M College Brazos River Plantation and watched with sagging jaw as Buck Rogers type machines did everything but teach cows how to talk.

### Fog Replaces Dinking

For example: The days of dinking cattle in trenches full of chemically-treated water are gone. They get rid of cattle lice, ticks, other parasites now by fog. Yes, fog. A machine called an Aerosol Generator machine vaporizes water and chemicals, produces something that looks like a smoke screen, and bingo—clean cattle.

Mechanical cotton picking isn't particularly new, but we saw one of the big machines in operation for the first time, and believe me it

works—and works fast. There are several types, but the kind apparently best adapted for Texas use is one about the size of a well-developed tank with a second story attached. It rolls down the field at about the speed you navigate traffic and picks cotton as neat as you'd want.

### Chop Cotton With Flames

Flame chopping of cotton is something else—they really use flames from butane gas, and go up and down the field thinning out your cotton, killing weeds, etc. It doesn't cost much.

Another machine, operated by one man, rolls along picking up and baling hay, dumping the completed bales every few hundred feet.

There are also hay driers, and grain driers that save moist crops in a few hours time. And, plows that do two and three things at a time. And, planters that plant and coax growth simultaneously. And—

Well, just like we said, it won't be long before a farmer can assemble his machines, sit back and say "Sit em."

## Kermit News

KERMIT—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Langbien entertained Tuesday night with a covered-dish supper and bridge party. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hickman, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schlottman, Mr. and Mrs. Grayson Smith, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Reaser, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Jenkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mills.

Mrs. S. E. Burnett was honored recently by members of the Community Church Sunday School class with a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Frank Dickerson. Approximately 100 women were present or sent gifts.

The Entre Nous Bridge Club was entertained recently in the home of Mrs. V. K. Lambert. Favors were miniature high hats which served as nut cups. Mrs. Joel Moore, who is moving with her husband to Idaho, was presented a gift.

Seventy-seven young people of the Subdistrict of Methodist Youth Fellowship met here last Sunday, with Mrs. Otto Jenkins in charge of the day's program. Representatives were present from Hobbs, Jal. Eunice, Lovington, N. M., and Wink. Supper was served by members of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Regular meeting of Girl Scout Troop No. 3 was held recently with 21 girls present. Mrs. R. L. Daniel, troop leader, was present, and two members, Kenney Williams and Bettilynn Houston, were initiated. Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cloud are Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Mitchell of Hot Springs, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Barton, New Orleans, La., are visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Barton.

Floydann Wilburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony B. Wilburn, left early last week for Lubbock where she is enrolled in Texas Tech.

Paschal Kirkpatrick, who has been visiting here with his mother, Mrs. Era Kirkpatrick, had returned to A&M College where he is a student.

Mr. and Mrs. Vic Davis had as their guest recently D. R. Carmichael of Laurel, Miss.

The Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, Mrs. Atkinson and their two daughters have returned from a two weeks vacation trip in Ruidoso, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Phillips and son, Harold Van, have returned from a vacation trip into Northern New Mexico, Colorado, and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore were in Denton recently when their daughter, Joy, enrolled in North Texas State Teachers College. Also going to Denton with the Moores, and enrolling in NTSTC, was Mary Sue McLemore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl McLemore.

Mr. and Mrs. John Nuchols have returned from a two week's vacation in Lubbock, San Angelo, and Fort Worth.

Jewett Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Williams, left recently to enroll in Texas Christian University.

### Methodists Of Kermit Stage Family Picnic

KERMIT—A church-wide, family affair picnic for members of the Methodist Church and their guests is to be held at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the County Barn Park. The picnic is planned by the two circles of the Women's Society of Christian Service.

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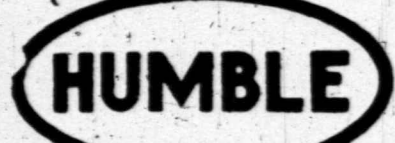
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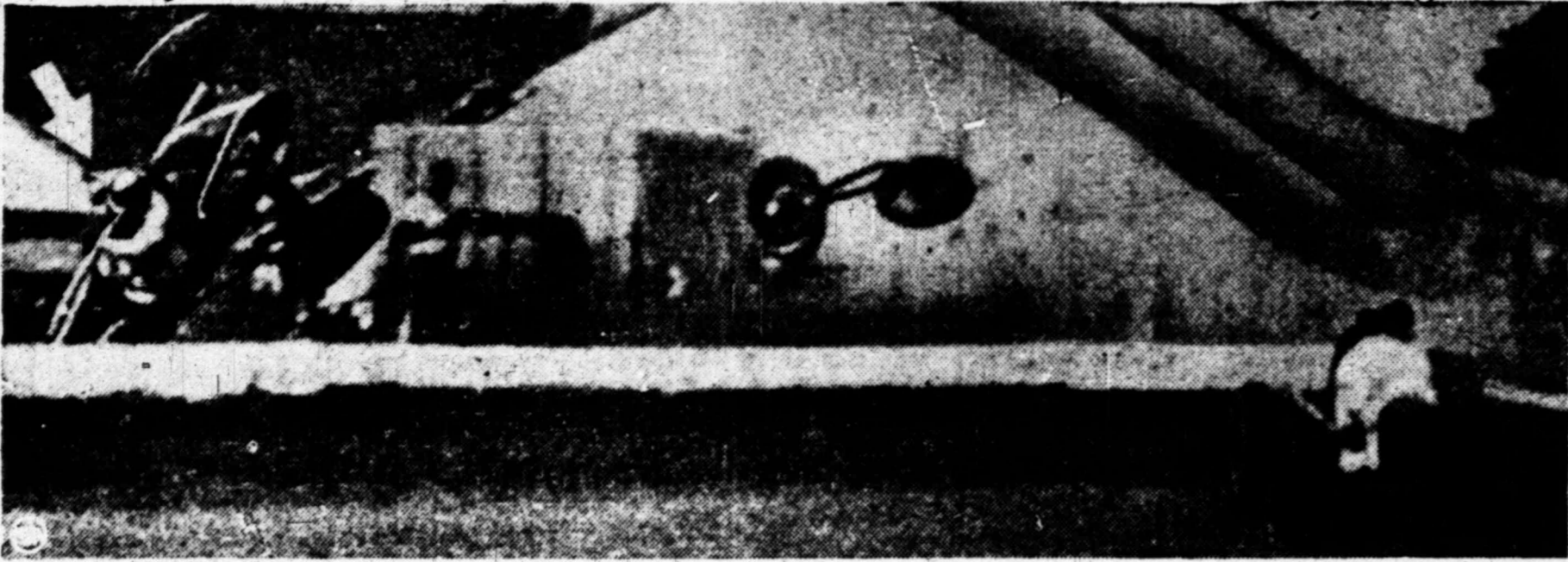
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### Death on the Dirt Track



Dueling for position with Hank Gritzback, right, Jake Pickler, arrow, of Bethlehem, Pa., loses control of this car, plunges over the fence and is crushed to death in a big car dirt track race at Alamogordo, N.Y. Note the front axle and wheels detached from chassis flying through the air. Gritzback manages to spin his car around and avoid a crash.

### Man Plus Mechanics Tops All Nature's Speed Records

By MAX HALL.  
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Mankind moving on his own legs is not one of the fastest animals. The cheetah can run 70 miles an hour, more than three times as fast as a human sprinter.  
But mankind riding in contraptions is hurtling over the globe at utterly shocking speeds.  
Recently an automobile exceeded 400 miles an hour for the first time. Several weeks ago an airplane set a record of 650.6 miles an hour.  
**With Mechanical Help**  
Let's see what people can do without mechanical help:  
In the fastest two-mile walk on

record, a Swede averaged about 9.12 miles an hour. Running at top speed, the world's fastest sprinters have averaged 21.7 miles an hour for 100 yards. The best 100-yard swim on record was a little over four miles an hour.  
Compare these feats with the performance of other creatures:  
Record books indicate that a horse named Big Racket galloped 43 miles an hour for a quarter of a mile in 1945. The Great Equipoise averaged 38.1 miles an hour for a whole mile in 1932.  
**Birds Clocked At 200**  
As for swimming, the fastest fish is believed to be the tuna, which can do about 60 miles an hour.  
Among birds, the fastest known to Smithsonian experts is the swift. In 1922 a flock of swifts was clocked in India at from 171 to 200 miles an hour over a two-mile course.  
Now let us see what man can do with his brains as well as his feet.  
By fastening metal blades to his shoes, he has been known to average 24.9 miles an hour for 220 yards on the ice—considerably faster than he could have run the same distance.  
**Man's All-Time Record**  
A man riding a bicycle in 1922 averaged 30.6 miles an hour for a quarter of a mile.  
Four men in a bobsled can zip down a mountainside at around 60 miles an hour.  
A German rode a motorcycle at 174 miles an hour in 1937.  
A new automobile record of 394.196 miles an hour was set by John Cobb of England.  
On the water, it was the speedboats that really left the fish behind. Sir Malcolm Campbell set the present world record of 141.74 miles an hour in his Blue Bird II. On August 25, a U. S. Marine officer in a tiny, red, jet-powered plane averaged 650.6 miles an hour at Muroc, California.  
This is the fastest that mankind has yet propelled himself.

### China Faces Acute Shortage Of Coal

NANKING—(AP)—Chinese government officials with supervisory powers over the nation's coal mines predicted an acute fuel shortage in the coming winter, further aggravating living conditions already made almost unbearable by civil war and inflation.  
First to feel the impact of a coal shortage would be transport business. Many shipping firms probably would have to curtail schedules or operate on schedules heavily cut by government coal rationing. It is expected many would have to close.

### Buyers Strike Cuts Prices In Baltimore

BALTIMORE—(AP)—Baltimore retailers reported a growing movement by housewives to join a buyers' strike against the price of butter, which was falling from 90 cents to \$1 a pound.  
The strike was being pushed by the Americans for Democratic Action (ADA), which was distributing hand-bills in shopping districts asking consumers to refuse to buy butter and eggs.  
Signs in the window of one store advertised 91-cent butter and 80-cent eggs. When the ADA leaflets showed up, the clerks changed the prices to 79 and 59.  
"Will that be satisfactory?" asked the clerks.  
"It will if they stay that way," was the reply.  
One egg dealer volunteered to help distribute the leaflets.

### One Family To 'Swell' U. S. Occupation Force

SEATTLE—(AP)—The Fergusons from down on the farm at Kewa are all set to move in on Japan as a one-man's-family second wave occupation force.  
Mama Ferguson and her brood of nine from a Northwestern Washington farm have arrived at Fort Lawton to embark for Japan to join Staff Sgt. Joseph D. Ferguson of the First Cavalry Division.  
Fort Lawton officers said they are undisputed claimants to the title of biggest military dependent family to go to Japan.  
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### Woman, 52, Devotes Life To Molokai Lepers

CHICAGO—(AP)—A 52-year-old retired Chicago telephone operator has gone to the Molokai Island leper colony in the Pacific to devote her remaining years to the fulfillment of a lifetime dream of some day ministering to the leper. She is Margaret Haven, who, with her late sister, Mary, had planned to work together for the welfare of a group of 60 lepers living in isolation in the Hawaiian group.

### Bureau Guarantees 'Compatible' Dates

NEW YORK—(AP)—The House Plan Date Bureau promises "guaranteed compatible" dates to City College students, but, its announcement adds solemnly, they must behave "with the propriety expected of college students."  
Using a card index, the school's dating bureau strives to match students with similar ratings for "talkability," "danceability" or "sociability."

Read The Classifieds

### FRUITFULNESS KILLS IT

Hawaii has an abundance of banana plants. A giant vegetable rather than a tree, this plant dies after bearing a single bunch of fruit. A bunch consists of a stalk bearing many "hands," as they are known in groceries. When the parent plant has borne fruit, it is cut down and new plants grown from shoots at the base.

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### MILK BOOTLEGGING INCREASES IN PARIS

PARIS—(AP)—This summer's drought has increased the bootlegging of milk. Deliveries to retailers for legal sale, have been reduced more than 50 per cent. The war in Normandy and Brittany and the shortage of feed were factors in cutting production.  
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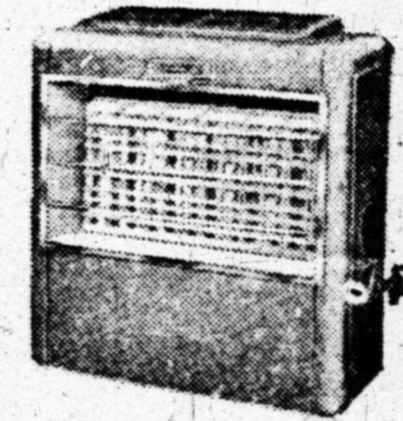
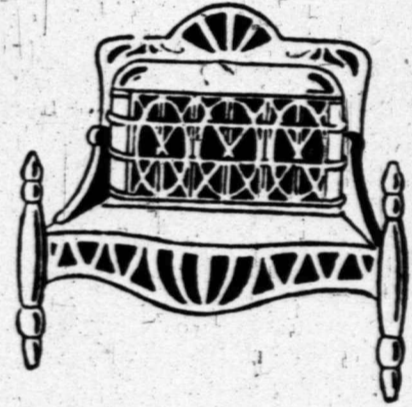
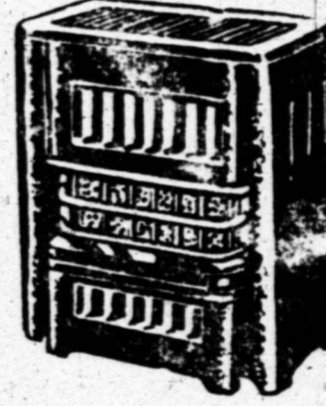
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Most Fishermen Agree With This Arkansas

PINE BLUFF, ARK.—(AP)—Silent fishing long has been the practice of most followers of the sport. It would appear one owner of property near here insisted on it. A large sign posted on his land reads: "Keep out. No fishing allowed."

ACCUMULATING TIME

Under the Gregorian calendar we use today, the year is 26 seconds too long, and since adoption of the system, we have accumulated about three hours.

California Reactors Feud With Neckties

SAN JOSE, CALIF.—(AP)—Reactor Elmer R. Cooksey had an artist paint an original necktie—a picture of a house, complete with "For Sale" sign beside it. So Reactor L. Louis Gairaud is having one painted—just like it, except the sign on his little house will be: "Sold"

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SECTION FOUR

The Borden Company Will Erect New And Modern Plant In Midland



Construction will be started this week on the new plant of The Borden Company which will be located at the intersection of Missouri Street and West Highway 87 in Midland. The H. K. Ferguson Construction Company of Houston has the building contract, and A. Hays Town of Baton Rouge, La., and Wyatt C. Hedrick of Midland and Fert Worth are the architects. The new building and equipment will cost approximately \$200,000. The Colonial-type structure will be of brick, painted white. It will have 11,000 square feet of floor space. When completed, the plant will be one of the most modern and best equipped in West Texas. H. B. Schauer is the firm's general manager here.

Experts Say Cost Of Living Is Up To Stay For Years

By S. BURTON HEATH

NEW YORK.—(NEA)—The cost of living is up to stay. The current crisis in food prices will pass—some time—and the cost of steaks and eggs and tomatoes will settle back. But living costs never in our time, will return to what the American consumer likes to think of as "no malady."

That is the almost unanimous opinion of a variety of experts consulted in an attempt to find out why the cost of living—and particularly the cost of food—is skyrocketing so fast that it already has broken through all previous ceilings.

No Clearcut Explanation Even the brightest expert admits that he can not give a clearcut explanation of what is happening to prices, or put the finger on any villain who is even principally responsible.

But most of those consulted agree that certain factors are very important. These—not necessarily in order of their importance—are: High Consumer's Demand

During and since the war the incomes of workers have been built to levels that, not long before, would have been considered fantastic. Even with wartime rationing and shortages, workers' families learned to use and want, regularly, food items that used to be rare luxuries.

Output of many food items is at record high level. But it has not risen enough to satisfy the increased demand bred by full employment at high wages. This creates scarcity, and scarcity always brings high prices.

Foreign Situation As the only nation with even relative plenty, we are called upon to help feed the distressed peoples of the Old World. We already have shipped quite a lot, but probably not enough to light such a fire under domestic prices. However, we probably are going to be asked for a lot more in future.

The Marshall plan would give Europe dollars. But Europeans can't eat dollars. They must be spent—mostly here. Both government and private interests already are thinking in terms of the foodstuffs we must be prepared to take out of domestic stores and send abroad. Farmers' New Prosperity

For the first time in years the American farmer is sitting on top of the world. The prices he is getting have risen more, by all indices, than the prices he is paying—and more than the prices city folk are paying for farm products.

To that extent, he is to blame for at least part of the high cost of food. But even city economists agree that the level from which he started was below that from which urban workers started. Thus, while the farmer never was so prosperous in history, he still is no more prosperous than the factory workers.

He can begin buying labor-saving machinery for himself and his wife, for the first time. But its cost is up from 60 to 75 per cent. He must compete with factories, to a considerable extent, for labor. He is going to resist bitterly any attempt to put him back, economically, where he was before the war.

Summer's Drought A cold, wet Spring delayed corn planting. Then floods washed out a lot of the rooting crop and forced a second, late planting. Before this late crop could mature it was hit by the worst drought since dust-bowl days.

As a result, the government corn estimate made Sept. 10 predicts a drop of about 27 per cent from last year's crop. Each new estimate is gloomier than the one before.

Corn is close to 75 per cent of the grain fed to farm animals. When corn is scarce or high priced, this directly affects the cost of meat, fats, milk, butter, eggs, poultry, cheese. Indirectly it affects the cost of bread, flour, macaroni, cereals—anything made from grain—because wheat, oats, barley, etc., have to be diverted from human food to animal food.

There are other factors mentioned by economists, marketers and government observers. The 18 1/2 per cent freight-rate rise is one. The 200 per cent increase in the cost of wooden shipping crates is another.

But the principal elements of the picture can be summarized in this way: Permanent inflation of the American price structure is here. Six months ago economists expected it to level off at around 50 per cent above 1939. Now they are sure this was over-optimistic, and they don't dare make a substitute guess.

It is caused by full employment, high wages, an improved standard of living in cities and on farms. It will fluctuate, perhaps considerably, but in our time at least it won't go away.

Read The Classifieds

South Seeks Perfect Hybrid Corn To Compete In Livestock Industry

By HENRY LESENE

ATLANTA, GA.—(NEA)—Can the Southeast ever become a corn belt and thereby become a great livestock country—forever the dream of the economic planners for the South?

An agricultural scientist, a Russian by birth, who is half-finished with an eight-year test of 2,000 strains of corn to obtain the perfect hybrid, believes that it can.

With the Mid-West's corn crop badly hit by weather this year, this scientist's experiments take on a new importance.

The drawback of the region already has been the problem of feed, most of which has to be imported. Because of climate and other conditions, it can't grow corn economically like the Midwest.

Livestock Industry Increases Yet, despite this great handicap, the Southeast has built up a considerable livestock industry as it has learned, in a decade, to grow as much cotton as formerly on half the acreage.

Pastureland acreage has increased enormously. Today Georgia farmers, for instance, derive as much income from livestock as from cotton. The situation is not greatly different in other parts of the Southeast.

The farmers have learned, too, to grow grain sorghums, hitherto confined mostly to semi-arid areas of the west, as a supplement to corn. There has also been considerable use recently of dehydrated sweet potatoes as a corn substitute.

While the Southeast can't grow corn economically, it can produce sweet potatoes easily and prolifically. A discouraging factor, though, is that sweet potato production requires considerable cheap hand labor.

Hybrid Corn May Change Things A hybrid corn particularly suited to the region may change the whole picture of livestock production.

The experiments are being made by Dr. G. A. Lebedeff, a Russian-born associate agronomist, at the Georgia State Experiment Station. He thinks that within a few years Georgia farmers may be able to compete with the Corn Belt.

Dr. Lebedeff came to America in 1925 with a group on tour, has degrees from the University of Connecticut and Cornell, and joined the Agriculture Experiment Station in 1940. His aim is to get the four best strains out of the 2,000 and cross them to form a top-producing hybrid.

Teacher Saves 400 When Roof Collapses

MIDVALE, UTAH.—(AP)—The roof on the West Jordan junior high school collapsed less than five minutes after an alert teacher noticed it sagging and sounded a fire drill alarm.

Nearly 400 students marched to safety and were standing in the school yard when the roof fell in. No one was hurt.

Sixty-five students were in the school auditorium for a music class when their teacher, Lowell Hicks, heard "a cracking noise" and ordered them outdoors in the belief an earthquake was beginning, the Jordan district superintendent's office here was informed.

Hicks then sounded the fire alarm and the entire student body marched out in formation. Within five minutes the entire auditorium roof fell in.

Pupils in a third grade room adjoining the school library also were evacuated ahead of the alarm when chunks of plaster fell from the library roof and cascaded into their room.

Veteran Showman



Harley Sadler, veteran West Texas showman and member of the state legislature, will bring his popular tent theater to Midland September 29 for a three-day stand, under the auspices of the Midland VFW Post. The show, back on the road after a three year absence, will present an outstanding array of talent, featuring Sadler in his famous Tobey roles.

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## Challenge Of The Marshall Plan

There has been much talk about how much the Marshall Plan is going to cost the United States, or rather how much Congress will be willing to appropriate. There has been considerably less discussion of how much the plan is going to cost this country in production.

Certainly many of the billions of dollars to be lent under this plan will be spent in the U. S. They will doubtless be spent, and spent heavily in the first year or two, on such things as food and clothing, and machinery for farms and factories. This might place something of a strain on our productive capacity, unless America's ability to supply is as carefully inventoried as are Europe's needs for recovery.

Russian propaganda has tried to break up the Marshall Plan before it gets under way by two accusations—that the plan is an instrument of American imperialism, and that it will be used to dispose of vast American surpluses and thus stave off a major depression in this country.

The second charge is as senseless as the first. With manufacturers trying vainly to catch up with the demand in many lines, there seems little likelihood of our having to dump industrial or agricultural surpluses on Europe in order to keep the farm and factory workers busy.

In fact, the Marshall Plan may present American industry with its biggest peacetime challenge to date. And it might be that the main burden of meeting it will fall upon the farmers and steelmakers.

America's agricultural population has been declining steadily for the past hundred years. But the productive capacity of our farms has steadily increased. During the war, while millions of young farm workers were in the service or in factories, there was an actual improvement in Americans' diet. At the same time American farmers were able to make major contributions of food to our principal allies.

There are several reasons for this. But probably the two most important ones are the development of farm machinery and an improvement in the knowledge of how to maintain and enrich the soil.

The first steel plow was made 110 years ago. Three years later came the discovery of how plants feed, which laid the foundation for modern soil science and the chemical fertilizer industry. Since then the remarkable advance of scientific and mechanical aids has permitted fewer and fewer persons to produce more and more food. This has freed an increasing number of workers for other fields, and has had much to do with making the United States the industrial nation that it is.

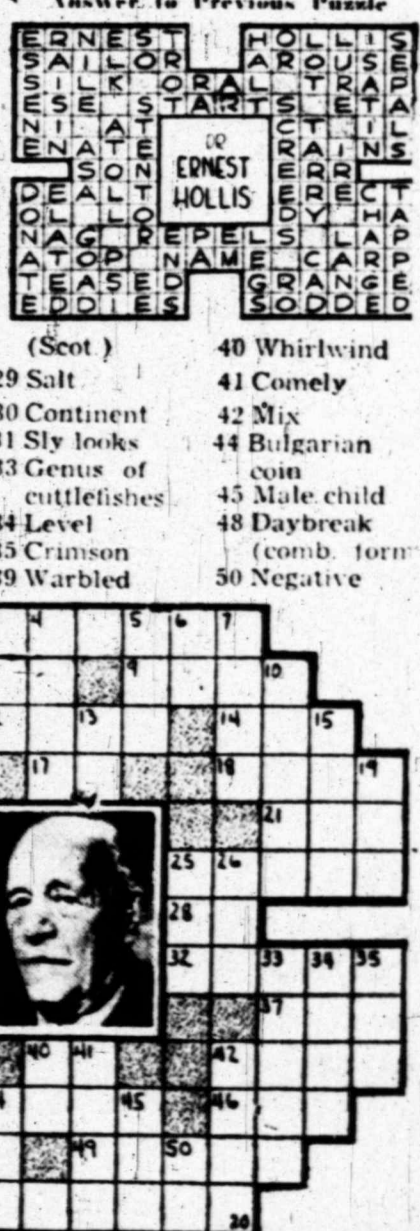
The trend away from the farm was accelerated by the war, and the coming of peace did not reverse the migration. Some 2,000,000 who went from farms to other jobs did not return afterwards. Yet this situation need not be alarming unless production slumps and selfish factionalism increases.

Class consciousness and a philosophy of every man for himself among farmers, industrialists and workers could play havoc with our domestic stability and wreck the Marshall Plan. But if labor, agriculture and industry—especially steel—will cooperate in full knowledge of their interdependence, there is no reason to fear that the combination of American skill, productive capacity and continued effort cannot win the peacetime battle ahead as it did the more difficult battle against the armed oppressors of mankind.

Every man should read this to his wife: A Kentucky man broke his collarbone while beating a rug.

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## What A Life!



### Police Find Sisters Helpless and Starving

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—Two aged and enfeebled sisters, forcibly removed by police from their junk-littered apartment in the residential Squirrel Hill section, were reported in serious condition from malnutrition.

For 10 days the once-prosperous seamstresses, Frances Bittner, 89, and Molly Bittner, 91, had proudly shunned offers of kindly neighbors to feed and aid them.

Police who broke into the apartment found one entirely helpless, the other barely able to move. Neither weighed more than 65 pounds, officers who immediately hospitalized them said.

"They were too proud to ask for help," said the sisters' attorney. "I think their only income was their old-age pensions."

### Lords May Go Informal To Royal Wedding

LONDON—(AP)—Britain's lords may wear street clothes to Princess Elizabeth's wedding without raising an eyebrow.

The Earl of Clarendon, Lord Chamberlain, who rules on such matters with the advice of King George, announced:

"The dress for those attending the ceremony in Westminster Abbey will be: Ladies—morning dress with hats; gentlemen—morning dress, lounge suits or service dress."

Customarily, guests at such royal ceremonies wear court dress or full dress uniforms, but court clothes in many cases are moth eaten. There is no indication clothes rationing will be relaxed before the November 20 wedding.

Mississippi expects to double its prewar \$120,000,000 tourist business in 1947-48.

### Gen. Roosevelt's Body Will Remain in France

ST. LAURENT, FRANCE—(AP)—Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., made a private visit to the grave of her soldier husband and said later America's reburial program for war dead would be dropped if relatives could see the care being given bodies in military cemeteries abroad.

"I found his grave in a beautiful and quiet place," she said. "I could ask no better care than that now being given and I will leave my husband's body in France." Brig. Gen. Roosevelt died in 1944.

### ENEMIES OF WILDLIFE

Uncontrolled house cats are one of the greatest enemies of wildlife game conservationists. Wild predators generally restrict their hunting to night time, but house cats may prowl and kill at any hour of the day or night.

## Committee Urges Fire Watches And Smoking Bans On Nitrate Ships

WASHINGTON—(AP)—As a result of the Texas City disaster last spring, a government committee has recommended fire watches, smoking bans, and other precautions when vessels carrying ammonium nitrate are in port.

Two ships loaded with the fertilizer exploded at Texas City, with a heavy toll of fatalities and property damage in the town.

The report by 14 representatives of various government agencies accepted the opinion of a Coast Guard investigating board that the first explosion aboard the S. S. Grandcamp was caused by "careless disposal of cigarette butts."

An explosion 16 hours later aboard the S. S. Highflyer, the board said, "resulted from fire and the possible contamination of ammonium nitrate with sulphur" which also was aboard the ship.

### Fire Is Major Hazard

The committee saw no reason to recommend that shipments of ammonium nitrate by water be forbidden, since it "feels that with proper precautions and adequate supervision of all phases of loading, storage and transportation on board vessels, ammonium nitrate fertilizer can be transported with reasonable safety."

"The principal hazard to guard against on board vessels is fire," the committee stated.

So, in the interests of greater safety it recommended:

1. That the Coast Guard require by regulation that vessels loading or unloading a cargo of ammonium nitrate "provide a fire watch."

2. That the Coast Guard suggest methods of preventing and extinguishing fires on such ships.

3. That the loading or unloading be done only at places designated by the Coast Guard.

4. That municipal port authorities take steps to "prevent smoking at waterfront facilities" except at near-by authorized areas.

5. That the Coast Guard propose fire safeguards for ammonium nitrate stored in shore facilities.

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## He Didn't Say What Kind Of Fish, So—

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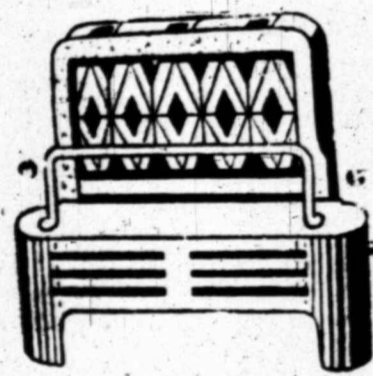
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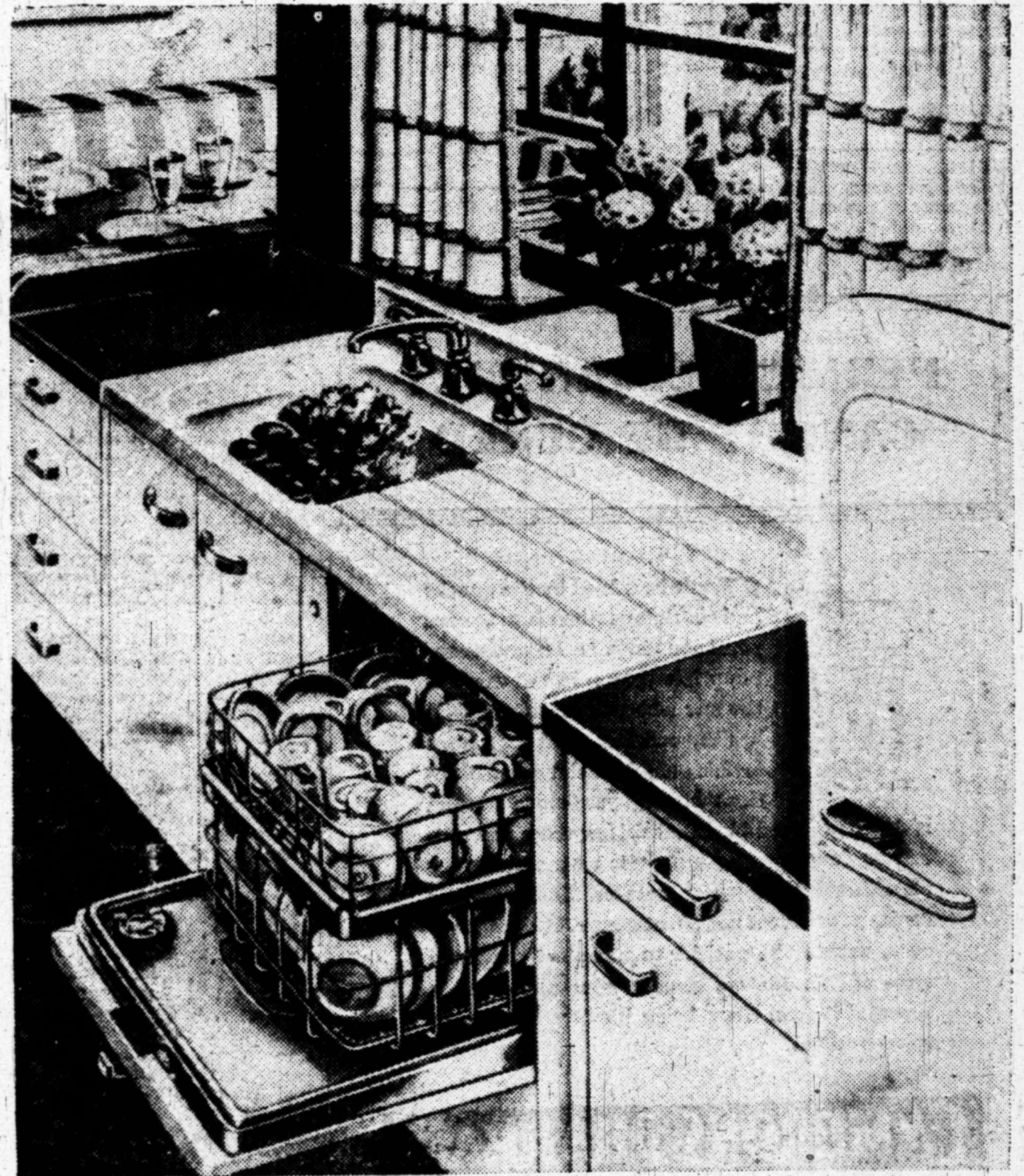
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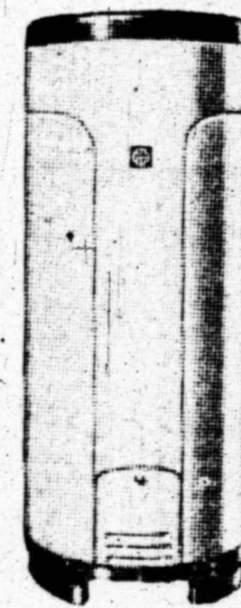
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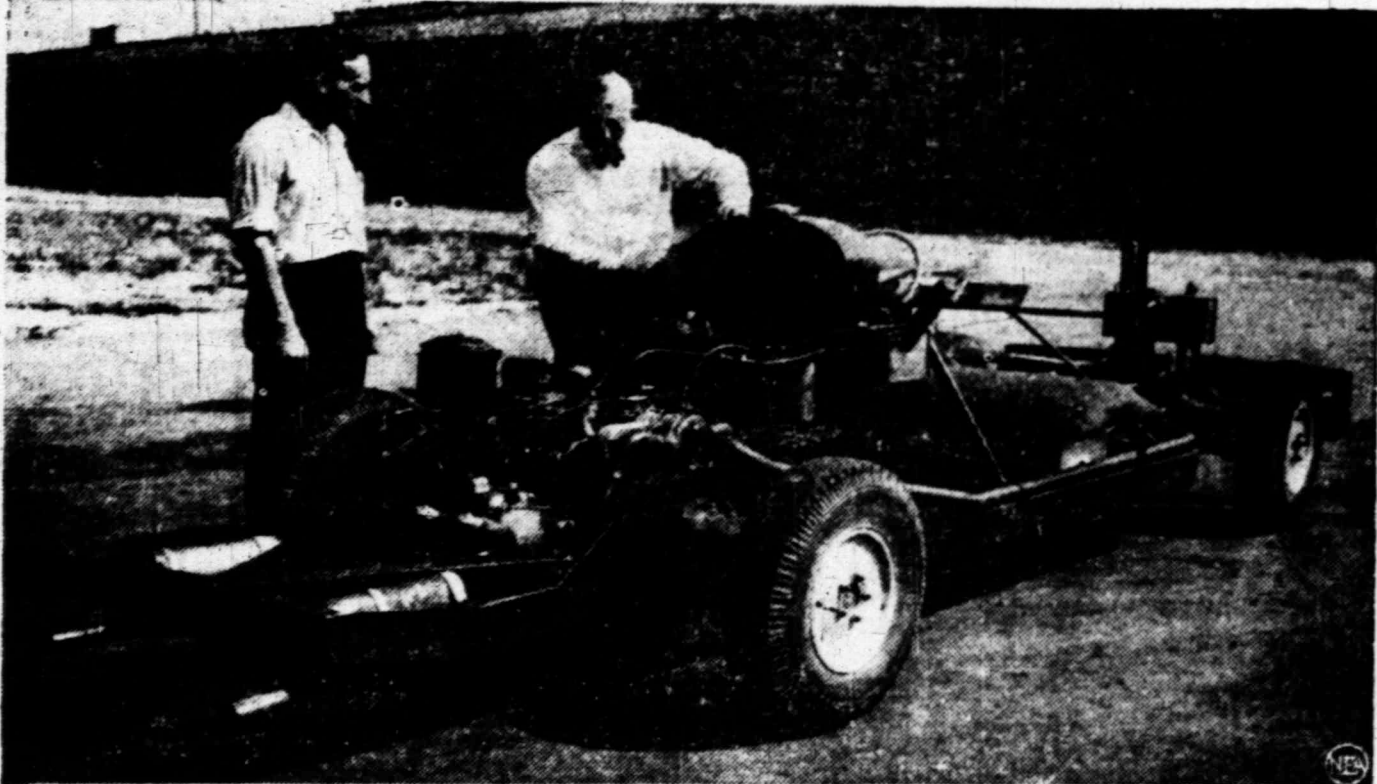


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## Attu, First Line Of Defense, Actually Is Weakest Link

By JACK HOLPER  
ATTU—(NEA)—One hundred enemy soldiers, combat-trained and equipped, could seize Attu any time they chose—almost without resistance. Probably they would need no sea or air cover.

Attu is just a little rocky island far out in the Pacific, closer to Siberia than to the mainland of North America. But there are a lot of American graves on Attu—the graves of men of the Seventh Division, who paid a high price in May, 1943, to recapture Attu from the Japs.

There are 1,000 Americans here now—600 Navy, 200 Army who are moving out whatever military property is worth taking, and 200 civilians building a permanent weather observatory for either the Navy or the CAA to operate.

But by the end of November all but 100 will be gone. And even today there are only 40 men—teen age Marine boots on guard duty—who are trained to shoot guns. For they have an old PBV and a cadet training type plane. That's all.

News dispatches from Washington

## Joe Says GOP Congress Is No Improvement

By ARTHUR EDSON  
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Ever since Congress went home, politicians have been marking up their own report cards.

Take Rep. Halleck. This modest Republican from Indiana has carefully studied the efforts of the Republican Congress. His verdict: A straight "A" in everything. Halleck is GOP House leader.

Take Senator Barkley. This modest Democrat from Kentucky has carefully studied the efforts of the Republican Congress. His verdict: Unsatisfactory, probably have to be set back a grade. Barkley is minority leader of the Senate.

Joe's A Regular

You can't miss Joe. He's been a regular—and conspicuous congressional visitor since 1938. Usually he's on the front row at important committee hearings, weighing, accepting, discarding the evidence.

Joe looks like an ancient prophet, with his bushy beard, his long gray hair and his cotton suit which appears to be the direct descendant of a feed sack.

Okay, Joe. What's the lowdown on Congress?

"No different from the others," said Joe.

And when he gave his reason, it turned out that Joe isn't any more unprejudiced than Halleck or Barkley.

"I couldn't get anyone to introduce my bill," said Joe sadly.

Born in Hungary in 1882, Joe came to this country in 1907. He worked in the Middle West as a carpenter, farm hand, laborer.

Then, in 1938, he had his big idea. "Wouldn't it be nice," Joe thought, "if everybody had a job? He had the answer, too—cooperatives, set up by the government under the Molnar system.

No Luck Yet

"So he started work on a bill that now fills three typewritten pages. Naturally, this was too good a thing to keep to himself. He hurried to Washington to share his discovery with Congress.

Any luck?

"There was a time," he said, "when I thought Senator Taft was interested. He was real nice when I talked to him. Now, I don't know. He always seems busy when I come around."

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ton say the Army is going to make Alaska the first line of defense for the United States. The Aleutians—stretching westward so far that the international date line makes a sharp jog to keep them in the same calendar day with the rest of the U.S.—are Alaska's first line of defense.

You never would think it, seeing what I have seen. And what I think is rank optimism contrasted with what the officers and men stationed up here say out loud about Congress.

Adak and Kodiak are stronger, defensively than Attu, observers here say. Fort Glenn, Fort Randall, Shemya, Amchitka and Dutch Harbor have more modern planes, but otherwise are weaker than Attu.

Where Weather "Cooks Up"

For one thing, Attu is located where the weather "cooks up." From it, low pressure areas can be spotted in their beginning and their course predicted. Observations made here serve as weather guides not only to Alaska but even to the United States proper.

Billy Mitchell is credited with pointing out that "whoever holds the Aleutian (and Alaska) controls the Pacific." But long before Billy Mitchell's day—back about 1790—one of the first white men to visit the Aleutians said it. He was a Russian named Baranov.

Today—while American fliers are forbidden to cross the 180th meridian unless bound for Japan—our men on Attu listen to radio conversations of Russians flying practically overhead.

A modern bomber can reach Attu in about four hours from Russian bases on the Okhotsk peninsula, and more quickly from the Komandorskie Islands. From Attu, modern bombers can get to Fairbanks, Alaska, in six hours.

Very Real Menace

From Fairbanks, wherever you live in the U.S., modern bombers probably can reach your home town in not more than eight hours. A B-29 based on Fairbanks could carry a heavy bomb-load, drop it on any major American city, and get back to its home field without refueling.

Back in the states, when I left, the idea that we might ever fight Russia was just a subject of conversation, discouraged by government officials as vicious. Up here, among the officers and men serving in the Aleutians, it is a very real menace. If such a war should come, they have no doubt at all that they will be the first to fight and die.

They're puzzled and depressed about their defenseless condition. They can't understand why Congress doesn't do something to strengthen them—why the people at home, including their own families and friends, are so utterly disinterested after the lessons that should have been taught by Corregidor, Bataan, Wake, and even by Attu itself.

## Student Thinks Music Is Somewhat Lacking

FAIRBURY, NEB.—(AP)—Curtis Kroetsching, Fairbury High School student, took his portable radio to the municipal band concert.

Kroetsching said he wanted to listen to his favorite "whodunit" as well as to the concert.

## MADE OWN DESSERT

English tommies made their own dessert in World War I. They concocted "trench pudding" by boiling broken biscuits, condensed milk, jam, and water until it was of a jelly-like consistency.

## WHENCE HIS IDEA

Mohandas Gandhi derived the idea of non-violent resistance from reading Henry Thoreau's "On the Duty of Civil Disobedience," written when the latter was jailed for non-payment of taxes on his cabin at Walden Pond.

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Bagshot Park, Surrey, pictured above, has been suggested as a future home for Princess Elizabeth and Liem Philip Mountbatten after the royal couple's November wedding. Their first choice, Sunninghill Mansion, burned recently. Bagshot Park was once the home of the Duke of Connaught.

Dancing Girls Petition China's First Lady

SHANGHAI — (AP) — Some 3,000 dancing girls facing loss of jobs under the government's new "austerity" program petitioned Madame Chiang Kai-Shek recently to help them retain their livelihood.

BRITTLE BONES BREAK

Ernest Gardner, youth of Buckinghamshire, England, by the time he reached his 16th birthday, had suffered breaks of his left arm, six fractures of his right leg, a fracture of his right arm, a fracture of the collarbone, and a fractured left leg, all due to brittle bones.

India Migration Tops 1,000,000 In One Week

NEW DELHI — (AP) — Two of the greatest migrations in modern times, led by maulana columns of 400,000, are in progress both ways across the riot-torn border area in Punjab between Moslem Pakistan and Hindu India. The ministry of relief and rehabilitation said that more than 1,000,000 refugees from communal warfare have crossed the border in the last eight days. The exchange of refugees is expected to total 4,000,000 persons before it is over.

In the symbolism of heraldry, a white or silver is the color of faith and purity.

Highway Talks Back To Careless Drivers

TRENTON, N.J. — (AP) — If you're humming along a New Jersey highway and your hum echoes back, move your car over, chum; you're driving out of the lane. The State Highway Department recently disclosed that the "humming" which motorists have reported hearing along the newly completed section of Route 6 in Totowa is merely an audible warning resulting from the suction of tires when they run over the special lane separators there. The separators, State Highway Commissioner Spencer Miller, Jr., explained, are 24-inch-wide strips of white cement with scored surfaces—slight elevations and depressions. They were designed to keep drivers alert and within a lane of traffic, he said. Highway engineers, the department added, are now "toying with the idea of having the scoring or depressions so spaced that they will sing out 'Get over, get over.'"

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority

Are you familiar with the expression, "He led from fright"? The bridge player who reaches in and gets a card because it is his turn to play will never be a good player. He should have a reason for every play he makes, though of course his reasoning may not always be correct. When today's hand was played, the opening leader, who was a good sound player, selected a lead which gave declarer a correct reading on the hand.

When declarer played low from dummy on the opening spade lead, East won with the king and returned a spade. Dummy won and South led a low club from Dummy, which was a nice play. East played low, declarer played the Jack and West's queen won. Another spade came back and South had to win with the queen. Then he led a small club and West put on the king. Now what should declarer do? If he went up with the ace, the club suit would not be established and East would get in on the third round.

The question was, who held the rest of the spades, and the open-

♠ A 3  
♥ 10 9 5 3  
♦ 8 6  
♣ A 8 7 4 2

♠ K 8 6  
♥ J 8 4  
♦ 9 2  
♣ 10 9 3

W N E S  
W S Dealer ♠ 10 9 3  
♥ J 8 4  
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♣ 10 9 3

♠ Q 10 4  
♥ A K 7  
♦ A K J 5  
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AW, IT'S NOT FATAL, MAJOR! BUSTER AND I WERE RASSLING AND I GOT GLOOPY AND HE SWUNG ME LIKE A COWBOY'S LASSO!

GOOD HEAVENS, BURKE! DO ENGAGE IN ANY MORE IMPROMPTU SOUBTS BEFORE YOU MEET 'BIG SLY' SCHULTZ! —IF YOU ENTERED THE RING ALREADY MANGLED, IT WOULD BE BAD PSYCHOLOGY! —BESIDES, THINK OF MY EMBARRASSMENT!

ALSO IT WOULDN'T LOOK GOOD =

HERE HE IS, DODE! SAY, MR. WENTWORTH, WHICH ONE OF THEM HOLES IN THE BUSHES DID YOU ROPE THAT WILD ONE THROUGH?

NEITHER O' THEM, BOY—TH' HOLE-I USED 'CLOGGED'—RIGHT BACK UP BEHIND TH' ROPE!

THE PUNCH BOARD

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By EDGAR MARTIN

I TELL YOU IT'S NO GO, ROD! I'M GOING TO TURN YOUR TURTLE INTO THAT BUGGY FACTORY! IT'S SURE TO FOLD ANYWAY!

I DON'T AGREE AT ALL! I SAY YOU SHOULD GIVE IT A CAREFUL INVESTIGATION BEFORE TURNING IT DOWN!

YOU'VE BEEN ARGUING ALL TOGETHER! YOU'RE ABOUT TIME FOR SANDWICHES?

LET THEM ARGUE, BOOTS! THEY'RE ONLY DISCUSSING OUR FUTURE! WHAT I'M REALLY INTERESTED IN IS THIS BUSINESS ABOUT LONGER SKIRTS!

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ing lead told declarer the story. West had started off with the Jack of spades, and then played the seven and five. If West had held four spades originally, he would have had led the fourth best. Declarer therefore reasoned that his correct play was to let the king of clubs hold the trick. There was now no play that West could make that would endanger South's contract. Some players made the mistake of going up with the ace of clubs and then trying the diamond finesse for the ninth trick. If West had opened the five of spades instead of the Jack, declarer would have had a problem. He might well reason that West held the spade suit, and that his proper play was to win the second club trick and take the diamond finesse.

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AH! GENTLEMEN, I'M GOING TO BE QUITE FRANK! I KNOW YOU'VE BEEN PUZZLED OVER AN UNFORTUNATE INCIDENT THAT BEFELL ME LAST YEAR

I DON'T BLAME YOU, SINCE YOU COULDN'T KNOW THE REAL FACTS. BUT THIS STATEMENT BY DR. MCADDLE, HEAD OF THE INSTITUTION, WILL SHOW THE UNDESERVED INDIGNITIES I SUFFERED!

LATER, AS MCKEE CHATS WITH ROHATCH AND MCADDLE

My Dear Mr. McKee:  
While it is true that you were released from Los Loco upon proof of your identity, an examination of your file has been the victim of a clerical error. In view of the grave oversight, we were grieved to have you released from the institution. In all my years of dealing with the unfortunates who have fallen into a sore calloused attitude toward the gentler sex, my heart goes out to the noble who perhaps by now has fallen into your clutches—mistakenly, because that succession of mistreated females that preceded you.

Let me implore you to place yourself in the hands of a good psychiatrist at once before it's too late!

Very truly yours,  
DR. FENWICK MCADDLE, Superintendent, Los Loco

WHY, MR. MCKEE! IS ANYTHING WRONG?

CARNIVAL —By DICK TURNER

"That's the third million she's taken out of Wall Street."

SIDE GLANCES

"Dorothy is very disappointed in her first impression of college—she says the boys at school are twice as lopsided as the ones at home!"

ALLEY OOP —By V. T. HAMLIN

SO COPS COME BACK—OHAY! BUT WHY COME OUT HERE WITH BLOOD IN YOUR EYES?

HERE TSET OL'DINNY, WHICH WOULD MAKE A BEATERS-UPPER AN DESERTERS? ARE SOMMA RUN LOOSE IN MY KINGDOM?

ON HIS NUMBER TWO KING JOB, OOP MAY HAVE RUN OUT, BUT ARE SOMMA RUN LAMP DID MY PAL EVER CLOUT?

THE DAME HERSELF TOLD ME HE DONE IT!

I DON'T CARE, IT ISN'T SO! WHY HE BLAMED HIM I WOULDN'T KNOW! THERE'S MORE T'IS THAN MEETS TH' EYE, AN I'M GONNA DIG TILL I FIND OUT WHY!

GOOD OL' FOOZY! BUT IT'LL TAKE MORE THAN TALK T' GET ME OUTA THIS JAM!

RED RYDER —By FRED HARMAN

I DROPPED BY TO TELL YOU I CAN'T COME TO NIGHT SCHOOL, MISS SUNNY! I GOT WORK TO DO AT THE LAZY-Y!

I'M SO SORRY, SANDALL!

WE'VE BEEN BOTHERED BY RUSTLERS, MA'AM, AND I AM TO CATCH 'EM!

MEANWHILE: LOOK-UM, RED RYDER! FIRE!

MAYBE IT RUSTLER BRAND-UM FIRE!

SOMEBODY MAY BE PLANNIN' TRICKS WITH MY BRAND-UM LITTLE BEANERS! I'M GOING TO INVESTIGATE!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

LARD CHARGED YOU INTEREST FOR BORROWING A DOLLAR! HONESTLY, THAT SLAYS ME!

AND HE TOOK SILVESTER'S JACKET FOR SECURITY, CAN YOU BEAR IT?

—By MERRILL BLOSSER

NOT THAT I CARE WHAT HAPPENS TO VOID FLOYD ANYMORE, BUT ISN'T IT SIMPLY PATHETIC?

WITH SLOW MUSIC!

I JUST DON'T GET IT! WHY SHOULD HAVING A LITTLE DOUGH GET LARD IN SUCH AN UPROAR?

AHH, NOW I SEE! HE SAID SOMETHING, THERE'S MORE TO THIS THAN MEETS THE EYE!

THIS IS A JOB FOR SHERLOCK-COOK, QUICK WATSON, MY POGO STICK!

VIC FLINT —By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

CHIMES, YOU'VE BEEN MY BROTHER JANUS'S LAWYER FOR YEARS. YOU DREW THE WILL DIS-INHERITING HIS DAUGHTER ANITA AND LEAVING ALL OF HIS MONEY TO ME.

JANUS HAS A VERY BAD HEART. IF HE SHOULD DIE TODAY, THAT HALF MILLION WOULD BE MINE. IS THAT RIGHT?

THAT IS CORRECT, MINUS CERTAIN LEGAL EXPENSES.

BE A KID. IT WOULD BE A PITY IF ALL THAT MONEY SHOULD SLIP THROUGH OUR FINGERS.

I'M A LAWYER, LUCRETIA. LET'S GET DOWN TO FACTS. WHAT'S HAPPENED BETWEEN YOU AND JANUS?

A COOL HALF MILLION, LUCRETIA, HIDDEN SOMEWHERE IN THAT HOUSE ACROSS THE STREET!

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**Man Waits 45 Years To Wed 'His Only Girl'**

PORT WORTH—(AP)—After three engagements and 45 years, Morris Bales, 77, finally married his gal. The bride, now 81, twice broke engagements when the romance had its beginning in Oak Grove community. "I was only 15," she explains. "I just wasn't ready."

Bales went to California. Last month he returned to Tarrant County to find "his only girl." He found her a widow. Two hours later they were engaged for the third time. Then they were married.

The next day they began build-

ing their home. "Morris was bound he wouldn't start the house until we were really married," Mrs. Bales chuckled.

**STRANGE MILITARY ORDER**

The strangest official order of the Civil War, issued by Gen. Ulysses Grant, ordered Lieutenant Wickfield, who had eaten everything in Mrs. Selvidge's home except a pumpkin pie, to return there with an escort of 100 cavalry and "eat that pie."

**His Hat May Be in Senatorial Ring**



Informing that a campaign to make him Democratic candidate for senator from Texas was gaining momentum, Gen. Jonathan M. Wainwright, right, said, "If the people of Texas want me, I'll be very happy to serve." The retired hero of Corregidor, now in the hardware business, is pictured above comparing hardware items with Dudley Steele in Chicago, where they attended a convention.

**Blind Youth Serves Term So Dog May Eat**

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.—(AP)—A blind youth who admitted smashing a store window so he and his seeing eye dog "could be cared for in jail," was serving a 60-day sentence on his plea of guilty to destruction of property.

Sylvester Esquize, 21, told Judge Fred Neergaard that he was penniless and unable to feed either himself or his dog. Judge Neergaard ordered that the dog be cared for in a veterinary hospital while his master is serving his term, but a group of citizens is urging that Esquize be transferred to the county industrial farm so the animal could be with him.

**'No License For Me', Blond Orders Clerk**

HATTIESBURG, MISS.—(AP)—A small, trim blond woman wearing a smart green suit appeared in the Circuit Court clerk's office here recently and said: "Where's the man who sells the marriage licenses?"

Someone in the office stepped forward and asked the usual what-can-we-do-for-you question. "I just want to tell you," the neat blond said with a shake of her golden head, "that if anybody tries to get a marriage license to marry me—don't you dare issue it."

She wheeled and walked to the door, then explained before leaving: "I've been married six times. And now I want the men to leave me alone!"

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**U. S. Wild West Was Born In 1660 On Long Island**

By HAL BOYLE  
NEW YORK—(AP)—The American Wild West was born here in the East—on Long Island. Cattle drives, cowboys and Indians were old stuff on Montauk Point at the eastern tip of Long Island nearly two hundred years before a steer ever saw Dodge City or Abilene, Kan.

This grass and shrub-covered headland—slightly larger than Manhattan Island—is probably America's first major grazing range, and they still have annual cattle drives just as they have had almost every year since 1660.

**Paid Indians For Range**

In those days the settlers had to take turns herding the cattle. It was a public responsibility then such as jury duty is now. Instead of warring with the native Montauk Indians the settlers paid them a fifty-cent fee for each steer grazed on their hunting grounds.

It still is a community gala day each spring when Phineas Dickinson, a young war veteran who is Montauk's only remaining rancher, drives his Western-bought cattle from the railroad out to the sea swept moors upon which they fatten all Summer.

"Sometimes there are more people to help us herd than there are cattle to herd," said Frank Dickinson, Jr., brother of the rancher. Native Easterner Still Ranches

They, like their father who started the ranching business after the first World War, are native Easterners and have had no experience on Western ranches.

"We don't need branding irons as we have the only herd out here," said Frank, Jr. "This year we're fattening about 100 head."

Colonial ranchers two hundred years ago, however, were plagued both by wolves and rustlers. Each family had its own distinctive earmark for its cattle, and the earmarks were registered with town officials.

At one period up to six thousand cattle grazed annually on Montauk, but the industry declined rapidly as the area became a sport fishing and yachting resort.

**WAA Offers Solution To 'Battle Of Bulge'**

CHICAGO—(AP)—The War Assets Administration, surplus property disposal agency, has the darndest things to dispose of.

You wouldn't think that a war could leave the country with 15,000 tearose girdles in its warehouses. But the WAA announced the girdles will be offered to women with some surplus property of their own—around the hipline—October 10 and October 20.

In addition, 38,000 broadcloth garter belts will be offered to gals who scorn girdles. The garments, originally bought to battle the bulge among the WACs, cost the government \$310,000. Veterans—male and female—get first chance to buy October 10 and commercial buyers may purchase the underthings October 20.

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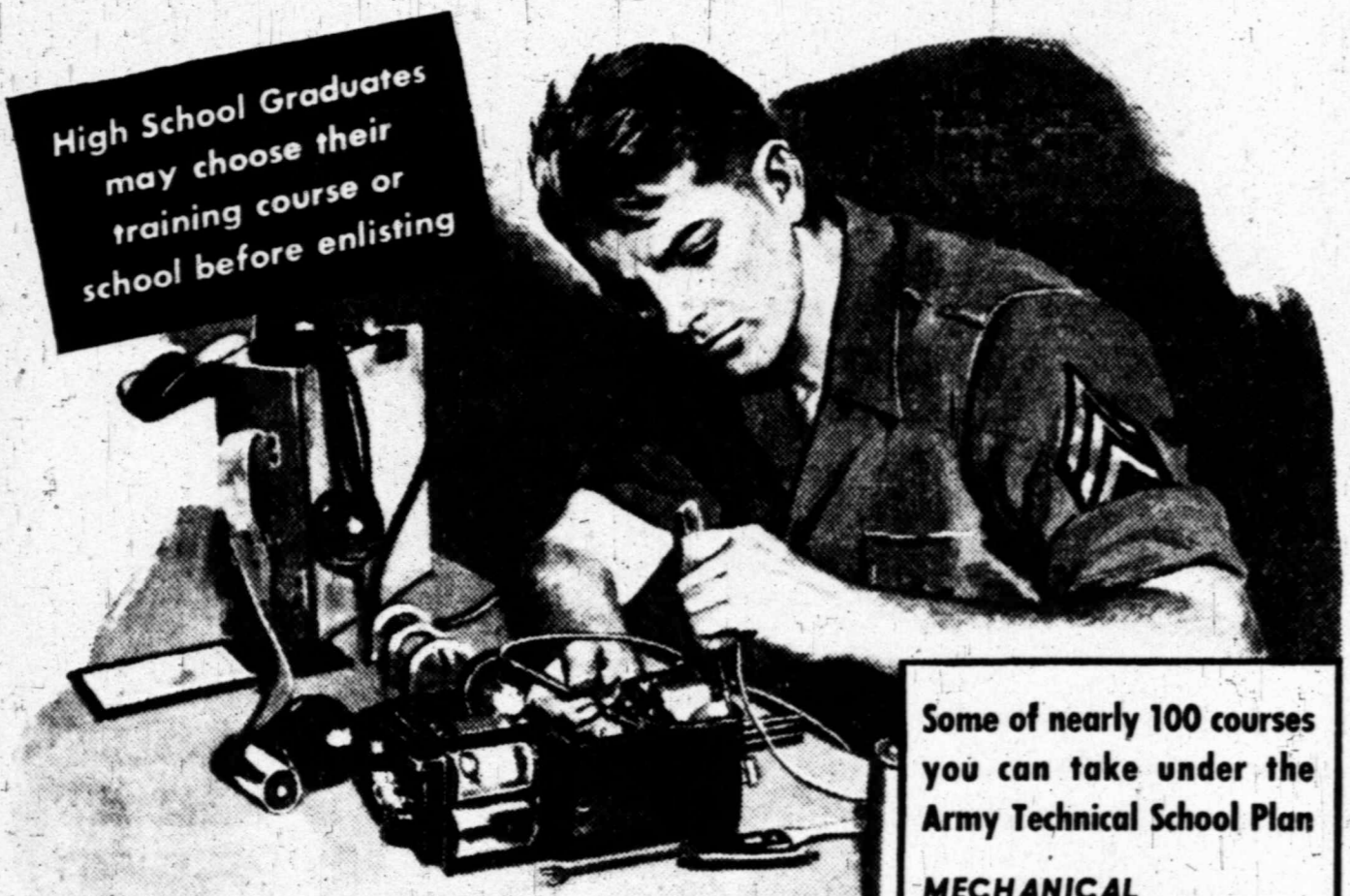
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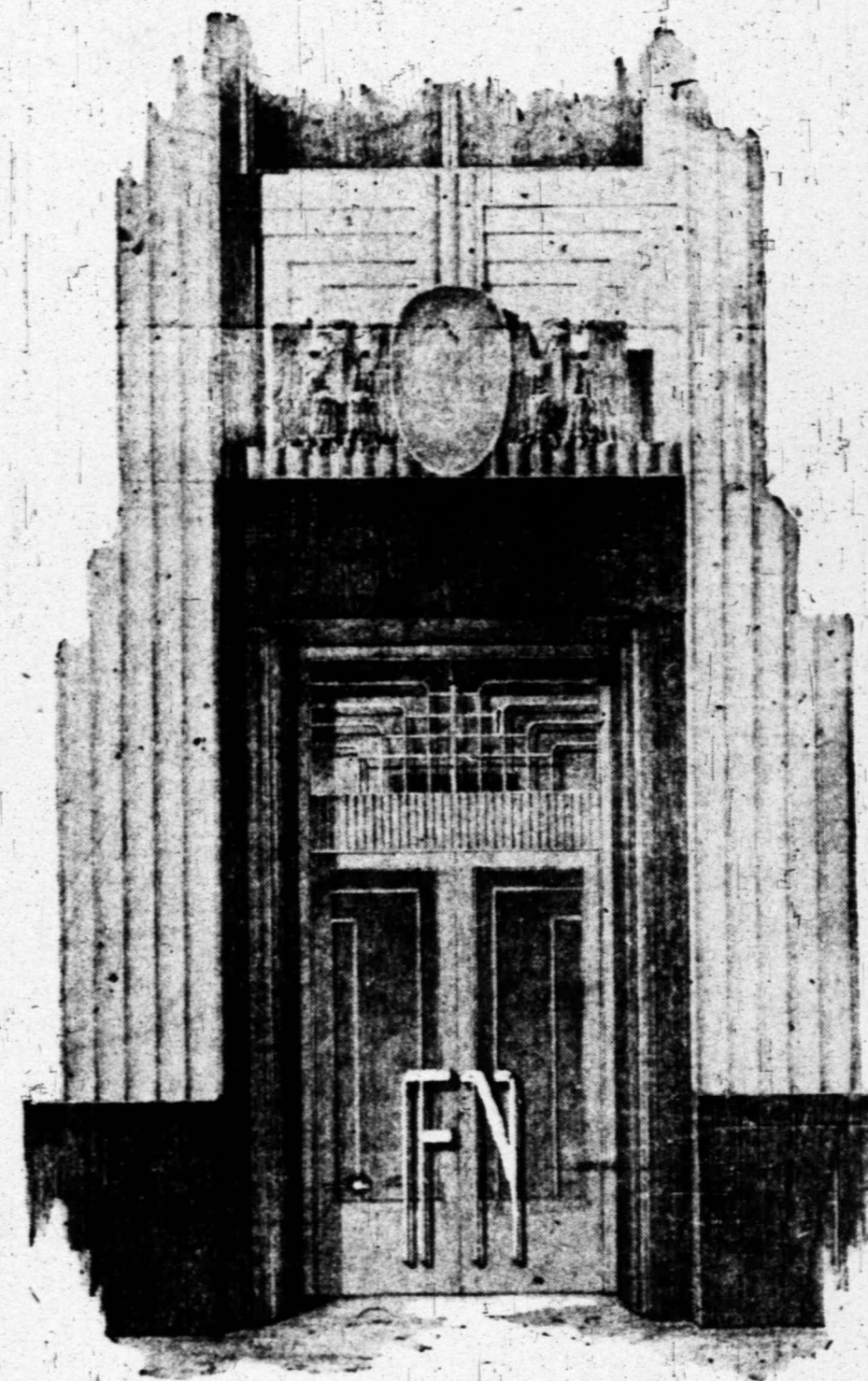
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He called a contractor friend, Trigg Bell. On Monday, they poured the concrete foundation. Work progressed enthusiastically—so enthusiastically that carpenters, in their hurry, sealed a plumber under the kitchen floor.

The work was completed in the allotted time, but they had to get another plumber. The one they sealed up, and had to rescue by ripping up the floor, quit cold.

"You fellows are in too damn big a hurry for me," he said.

Bell says he believes this was the fastest dwelling construction job ever completed under FHA specifications in Dallas.

### Bear Fails To Follow Photographer's Plot

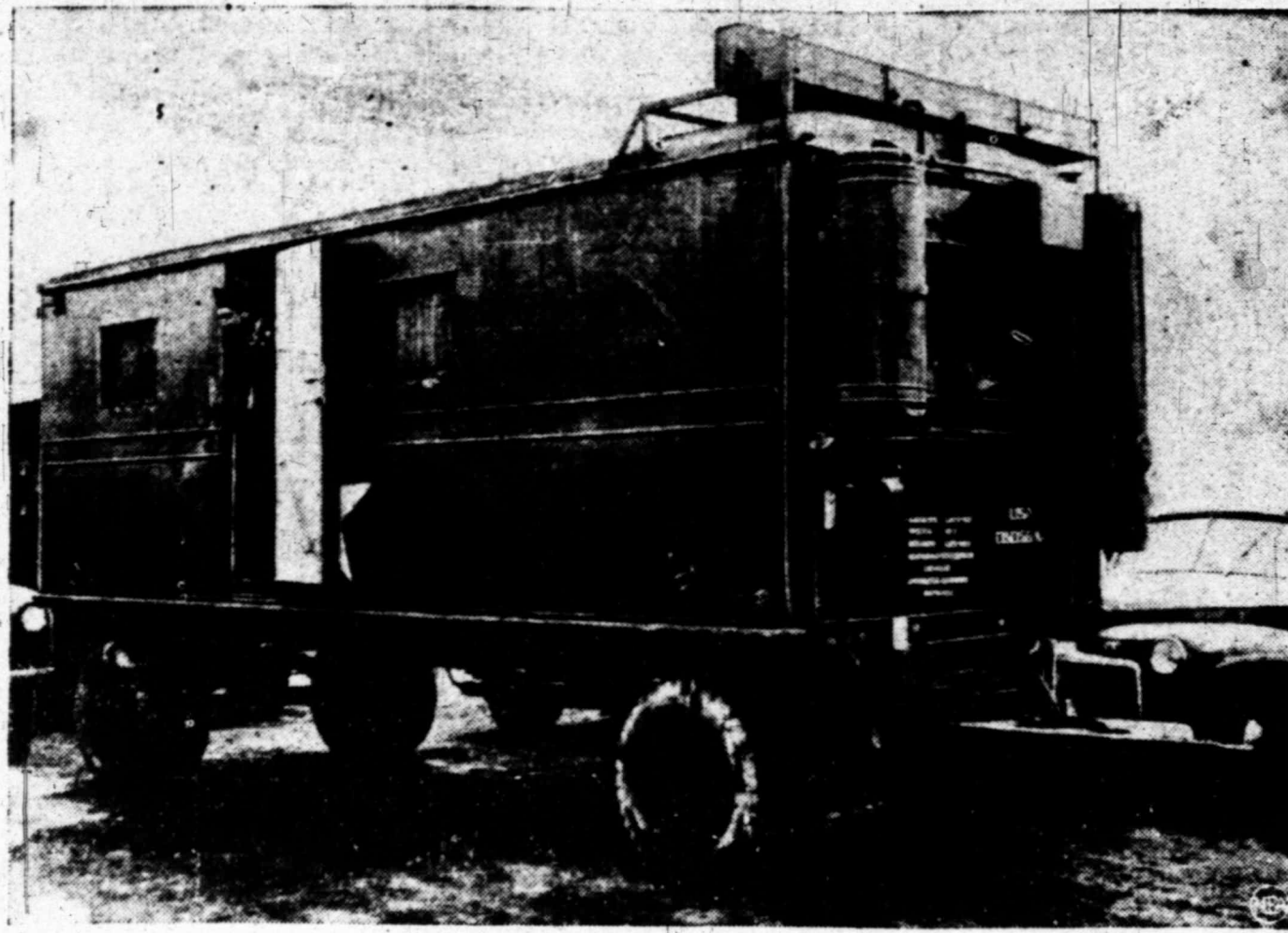
CORSICANA—(P)—Mr. and Mrs. Julius Jacobs of Corsicana were vacationing in Yellowstone Park. Mr. Jacobs, city attorney, decided it would be nice to have a picture of his wife and a bear. The plot he had in mind was something like—wife likes bear, bear likes wife, wife pets bear.

But the bear wouldn't play. In fact, he grabbed Mrs. Jacobs by the leg, tossed her to the ground, and the sequence that followed didn't exactly fit Mr. Jacobs' script. The animal ripped her boots, tore her slacks, and bruised her.

The Jacobs left for Lake Louise in Canada to take some more pictures.

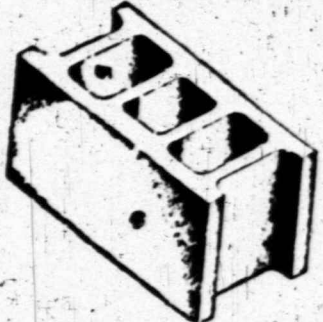
An all-time high of 25,200,000,000 gallons of gasoline was burned by motorists in 1946, up 4 per cent from the previous high in 1941.

### This Is General Lee's Famous Trailer



The much-publicized trailer of Gen. John C. H. Lee, Mediterranean theater commander, has turned up at San Francisco's Presidio, after being declared surplus. The vehicle, converted from a standard commercial-type cargo trailer, was featured in columnist Robert Ruark's articles about Lee's luxurious living. The trailer, similar to others used by staff officers in the field, contains an office and bedroom, with built-in furniture, and a tiny bathroom.

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### Ancient Drink Takes New Lease On Life

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A firm here has concocted—from honey, water and yeast—a batch of this kinsman of John Barleycorn and believes it can produce 3,000 gallons a month, most of it for export.

Some insects have four wings, others have two, and still others have none at all.

### Jap Farming Must Change To Feed Hungry Millions

By ARTHUR RICKERBY

OMIYA, JAPAN—(NEA)—The drive from modern Tokyo to Shin-oyama-san's farm in Omiya prefecture takes an hour. Sixty short minutes. And in that time, one moves backward almost 15 centuries.

Japanese hands have erected tall buildings and created thriving industries in Tokyo and other cities. But farm life and farm methods, from field, shadowed by snow-capped Fujiyama to those on the

shores of northernmost Hokkaido, have changed very little since Japan's record began in 400 A.D.

The Japanese farmer, his living conditions, his productivity concern Americans today. We are paying the bill to feed Japan, and we shall continue to do so for a long time unless one of two things should happen:

Congress ends our support, which seems unlikely right now. That would send the Nipponese headlong into the arms of any power that would feed them.

Or agricultural methods are improved to increase crop production and raise Shin-oyama-san's living standard, so that he and fellow-farmers can fill the hungry mouths of the Japanese people.

**Typical Japanese Farmer**  
Shin-oyama-san is a typical Japanese farmer. He and his wife rise at five in the morning. They eat a scant meal of thin soup, rice and radishes. By the time the sun is up they are at work in their two and a half acres of field.

They never have seen a tractor or a harvester. They use the crude tools of their forbears, from dawn to dusk, in rice paddies and fields of barley, potatoes and onions.

Their home is as primitive as their farm equipment. The Shin-oyas and their six children share three rooms in a tile-roofed wood and straw hut. The kitchen consists of a small open fireplace, over which hangs a pot for cooking rice, plus a few shelves for rice bowls, chopsticks and dishes.

There is no plumbing. There is an outhouse in the backyard, and drinking water comes from a nearby well. There is no heating. Two low-wattage bulbs supply light. The only bright spot in the whole home is its typical Japanese cleanliness.

**No Crop Insurance**  
Shin-oyama never heard of crop insurance. His production last year was high and prices now are good, so he is rather prosperous. Give him a bad crop, family sickness, declining prices, and he has nothing to fall back on.

Even before the war Japan was a large importer of food. Now she has nothing but what she can raise, and what the U.S. gives. Thus far she has not been able to supply her own needs.

One of the Japanese farmer's permanent handicaps has been the feudal system, which held about 46 per cent of the arable land—and 70 per cent of the farm families—in its grip for centuries. The renter-farmer never was able to improve his lot, or his methods.

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### How Young Can An Old Fiddler Be?

DALLAS—(P)—The Dallas State Fair is pondering a difficult problem: One of the features it offers is an old fiddlers' contest. Gerald Wise entered. Gerald is 15.

How young, officials want to know, can an old fiddler be?

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