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38 Women Die In Iowa Hospital Fire

Iron Gratings Trap Many In 'Flaming Hell'

DAVENPORT, IOWA—(AP)—The death toll in a fire which struck early Saturday in the psychiatric ward of one of Iowa's major hospitals rose to at least 38 Saturday night when Miss Margaret Woebber, 32, who was carried out of the ward during the blast, died of shock.

DAVENPORT, IOWA—(AP)—A three o'clock in the morning fire that roared through the psychiatric ward of one of Iowa's major hospitals Saturday snuffed out the lives of 37 women.

Coroner C. H. Wildman said 37 bodies had been recovered, and a "piece of a body." He said the toll was being held at 37 until it was determined if the fragment was another body or part of one previously recovered.

The work of probing the debris was halted.

Screams of women patients in St. Elizabeth's Mental Ward Building of the 300-bed Mercy Hospital sounded the alarm as they awakened to find themselves trapped in "a flaming hell."

Within two hours only the charred shell of the building remained.

Fire Chief Lester Schick said "I doubt if we ever find out what caused the fire." He said it started in a room on the east side of the building and spread into the hall, up a dumb waiter shaft, and then spread-eagled over the top of the building.

Bars Halt Firemen Barred windows prevented firemen from reaching many of the victims and they died in their rooms.

State Fire Marshal Zack Cook said in the nearby mink hospital last was inspected about two years ago.

Sister Superior Mary Annunciate, head of the hospital, said 31 other patients were treated for burns or injuries. With 37 presumed dead, she said this accounted for the 66 women and three men known to have been in the destroyed ward.

All of the dead were women. All except Mrs. Anna Neal, 52, a nurse's aide, were patients.

The alarm was sounded when flames broke out on the second floor of the three-story brick structure.

St. Elizabeth's Ward is one of five hospital buildings operated by the Catholic order, Sisters of Mercy, on two blocks in the northwest sector of this Mississippi River city of 70,000.

Screams Of Terror Murray Francis, an orderly on duty in the nearby mink hospital building, said he could hear screams of terror as he ran toward the burning ward.

Terror-stricken women could be seen huddling at the barred and wire-meshed windows of the psychiatric division.

While other hospital attaches called firemen, Francis broke open the ward building's front door. Two nurse's aides joined him in leading the first group of patients to safety.

The flames mushroomed through the wood flooring of the 60-year-old building.

Josephine O'Toole, a nurse's aide, awakened by screams, was one of the first to escape. She ran down a smoke-filled stairway from her third-floor room and escaped by a basement exit.

When firemen and police arrived the interior was a swelling mass of fire.

"It was a flaming hell," said Fire Lieutenant Al Koranda. Firemen used axes and crowbars in their attempts to get through the steel latticework which held the patients imprisoned.

It was pitiful the way the patients waited for firemen to free them from the cell-like rooms," said Fire Chief Schick.

Jimmie Spiva Improves; To Return Here

Little Jimmie Spiva, leukemia victim, to whom kind-hearted Midlanders and West Texans contributed more than \$500 for special treatments, is reported improved.

A letter from his parents, who are at Pasadena, Calif., reads: "We wish to thank the people of Midland again for all the kindness they have extended to us in our need."

"We are happy to report that Jimmie now is walking without the aid of crutches and has only a slight limp."

"The doctor has said that we could be on our way home in early February although Jimmie's treatment must be continued for months to come."

T-P Depot Opening Thursday

Thursday will be "Texas & Pacific Railway Day" in Midland, and the new and attractive T&P station will be dedicated in elaborate ceremonies beginning at 2 p. m. on the concrete platform adjacent to the depot.

An open house will follow the ceremony, with residents of Midland and the Permian Basin Empire invited to see and inspect the completely new, modern and well-equipped building. Agent D. Davis and his staff members will be hosts to the visitors.

The new Railway Express building east of the depot also will observe open house.

A delegation of T&P officials, headed by W. G. Vollmer, president; L. C. Porter, vice president; and J. F. Finegan, assistant to the president, all of Dallas, will be in Midland for the celebration. J. B. Shores, director of public and employee relations; J. T. Suggs, general counsel; Bill Lynde, press representative, and other officials are expected to attend.

The officials will be the guests of honor at an all-civic luncheon sponsored by the Midland Rotary Club at noon in Hotel Scharbauer. Vollmer will be the speaker and will present other members of his party. James N. Allison, director in charge of industrial activity of the Chamber of Commerce, will be in charge of the program.

Mayor William B. Neely, members of the City Council and county officials have been invited to attend as special guests. Fred Wemple, chairman of the Texas Highway Commission, will be among the special guests.

E. L. Head, superintendent, and G. V. Reed, general manager, of the Railway Express Company in Texas, have been invited to be present.

Hilton Kaderly, Rotary Club president, will preside.

Pressure Grows For Legal Steps Against Lewis' Mine Workers

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Biting mid-Winter weather and dwindling coal supplies built up more pressure Saturday behind demands for restoration of full-time soft coal-mining through action by the courts, the Congress or the White House.

President Truman kept his plans to himself.

By midweek however, Robert N. Denham, general counsel of the National Labor Relations Board, is expected to decide whether to do as the mine owners have asked and seek a court injunction to void the three-day work week ordered by John L. Lewis for his United Mine Workers.

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) urged Saturday that the national emergency injunction provisions of the Taft-Hartley Law be invoked against the miners union.

Lucas Threatens Protest Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) the majority leader in the Senate, has informed the White House that the coal situation has become acute in parts of his state. He said that if operators and miners don't soon reach an agreement calling for a five-day work week, he will take the Senate floor and protest conditions.

Lucas' views were laid before Truman by Presidential Assistant John R. Steelman.

Senator Dworshak (R-Idaho) reported fuel shortages in communities in Eastern and Southern Idaho which have been experiencing sub-zero temperatures.

Other demands for action were coming from operators, coal dealers, citizens groups and lawmakers whose constituents were becoming uneasy about the possibility of running out of coal at this time of year.

A group of Midwestern coal retailers arranged to meet Monday with about 50 members of Congress to protest their low supply of fuel.

The Queen Wore Mink



Toddlers' tantrums were an unscheduled feature of the "1950 Diaper Queen" contest in New York. The contestants—some of them reluctant—ranged in age from 17 to 24 months. The winner was little Mary Kennedy, second from left, whose casual costume was a \$12,000 mink diaper.

Cattlemen Pick San Francisco In 1951, Adopt Resolutions

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—The American National Livestock Association elected a Californian president Saturday at the closing session of a convention which called for maintenance of free enterprise.

Speakers and delegates alike expressed opposition to government control at every one of the sessions during the three day 53rd annual meeting.

The 1,115 delegates, representing top cattlemen in 39 states across the nation, unanimously elected Loren C. Bamert, 38, of Lone, Calif., president—the youngest man ever to hold that office.

They also voted to have the 1951 convention in San Francisco after Billings, Mont., and Fort Worth, Texas, withdrew invitations in favor of the California city.

Sam C. Hyatt of Hyattsville, Wyo., was elected first vice president and the following second vice presidents were selected: J. M. Cartwright of Phoenix, Ariz., C. K. Malone of Choteau, Mont., Jack Mansfield of Vega, Texas, Charles Myers of Evanston, Wyo., and Claude Olson of Ludlow, S. D.

Free Enterprise Highlight of the convention was the adoption Thursday of a resolution calling for "reestablishment and maintenance of free and competitive enterprise" and opposing "the falacious philosophies that are beguiling our country into socialism."

Before winding up the final business session, the association adopted resolutions which:

1—Opposed Secretary of Agriculture Brannan's farm program as "unsound economically and entirely impractical."

2—Endorsed the Hoover Commission report for consolidation of all grazing administration under a single agency, provided there be enacted at the same time "federal legislation providing for a single

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Texas Evangelists Tell Of Persecution In Italy

ROME—(AP)—Evangelists from the Protestant Church of Christ, including 11 Texans, said Saturday they had been opposed in Italy and that some of their number had been stoned out of four Italian towns.

The group of 13 evangelists, supported mainly by Texas churches, includes six young married couples who began their work in Rome and surrounding towns just a year ago.

One of them, K. D. Pittman of Corpus Christi, said Saturday: "Priests aroused the people against us." The population of Italy is overwhelmingly Roman Catholic.

Pittman and Mrs. Harold P. Paden of Lubbock, another member of the group, said the evangelists had been driven out of Rocca di Papa, Rocca Priora, Monte Compatri and Castel Gandolfo, Summer home of Pope Pius XII, by crowds, mostly youths, who threw stones at them.

Charged With Heresy A Vatican source said priests in the Castel towns area had for several months complained that the Church of Christ evangelists were "teaching heresy." This source expressed doubt that the priests had aroused the townspeople against the evangelists.

The Castel Gandolfo incident, last month, climaxed the evangelists' troubles, said Pittman. It happened after the group had conducted Bible classes there for several weeks, while the pope was in residence there.

Pittman said the evangelists were told later by Italians that priests had preached against them in the

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'Before Oil' To Be Subject For Lions' Speaker

Addison Wadley, pioneer Midland resident and civic leader, will address the Midland Lions Club at its regular meeting Wednesday noon in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, President Roy Minear announced Saturday.

"B. O. (Before Oil)" will be the subject of Wadley's talk, which will deal with published and unpublished happenings in Midland before the advent of oil in the 1920's.

Wadley, a retired merchant, has had a part in the growth and development of Midland almost from its beginning to the present time. He is an authority on early-day Midland history.

Minear invited members of other service clubs and other interested persons to attend the luncheon.

Now, Remember That Time You Swiped My Suit

By FRANCES HAGAMAN Saturday, for the first time since they were roommates at the University of Missouri 32 years ago, Z. C. Gray of Alaska and J. N. Wilson of Midland ate lunch together.

The two men are cousins, grew up together in Mexico, Mo., and roomed together five years, from 1923 to 1928, in Columbia, Mo., while they were students at MU.

But after that they ways parted. Wilson became an oil man and lived in Wichita Falls and Tyler before coming to Midland 14 years ago.

Gray became interested in mining and went to Montana, living in Miles City 11 years, and then to Alaska. The last 14 years he has been U. S. Commissioner and lives, with his wife and two sons, in Juneau, Alaska.

Mrs. Gray, who is here with her husband, was born in Scotland and came to the United States when she was 14 years old.

Since April, the Grays have been touring Europe and the United States. They visited Scotland, England and France before returning to the U. S., and traveled through several states on their way to Texas.

This is their first visit to Midland, and from here they plan to go to Mexico City and other parts of Mexico before returning to Alaska.

Hear Rimmer today 10:35 a.m.—"Half Baked Christian"—First Baptist Church—(Adv.)

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Panel Report Says Big Tax Cuts Feasible

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Committee for Economic Development (CED) said Saturday tax cuts totaling \$2,250,000,000 are feasible this year.

The planning organization of businessmen, in a policy statement, took a stand squarely opposite that of President Truman.

Truman has asked a "moderate" tax boost. On Monday, he will present a budget message for the fiscal year starting July 1 which, on the basis of forecasts, will show a deficit not importantly less than this year's \$5,500,000,000 gap.

CED proposed a billion-dollar cut in excise taxes, a billion-dollar reduction in the double tax on corporation earnings, and possible other adjustments.

It offered a simultaneous program for federal cost cuts, including veterans' outlays, foreign aid, housing aid and national defense. It claimed this prospective result: If business climbs back to its 1948 level, with unemployment down to about 2,500,000, the government's cash accounts (not the same as the presidential budget) would balance and there would be \$3,000,000,000 in cash left over for payment on the national debt.

If business activity is slower and unemployment much higher, causing smaller revenues, CED's spokesmen said the government should not try to strike a balance. To do so, it was argued, merely would add to deflation.

Under the assumption of improved business, CED estimated the

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Midland Residents Contribute Building To Polio Foundation

Cash contributions totaling \$50,000 from seven Midland residents for the construction of Midland Hall at the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation were announced Saturday by Roy Minear, chairman of the Midland County committee for the foundation.

The donors are Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., Mrs. Ruth Scharbauer, O. C. Harper, Ralph Lowe, R. B. Cowden, John Y. Francis and J. P. Gibbins.

Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, located near Gonzales, Texas, is maintained for the treatment of crippled children and adults of Texas. Several polio victims from Midland were patients at the foundation last year.

Message From Governor Minear Saturday received the following telegram from Gov. Allan Shivers:

"Congratulations to you and your committee and to all whose generous efforts made possible the Midland Hall addition to the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation. Midland Hall will be a one-story fireproof, brick building, of architecture in keeping with other foundation buildings."

Located about the center of the hospital area, Midland Hall will be used as a reception center and for recreation and entertainment events for the patients.

Another 'First' For Reporter-Telegram

Another "first" for The Reporter-Telegram is recorded with this issue.

Today's Reporter-Telegram carries a 19-page special classified section—the first in the history of Midland's newspaper.

The section is issued in connection with the first anniversary of Loma Linda, attractive, new Midland residential addition.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

MOSCOW—(AP)—Informed circles here Saturday night said Mao Tse-tung, Chinese Communist leader, and the Soviet are believed nearing agreement on overall Chinese-Russian relations.

KILGORE, TEXAS—(AP)—The interior of the Kilgore Church of Christ was gutted by fire Saturday night. Firemen said the blaze was started by a gas heater. No estimate of the damage was made immediately.

LONDON—(AP)—Kenneth de Courcy, magazine editor, said late Saturday night an atomic explosion occurred in Soviet Siberia at midnight (Siberian time), just as he has predicted last Thursday.

ATHENS, GREECE—(AP)—King Paul I Saturday signed a decree dissolving the Parliament chosen in March, 1946, and ordering an election February 19 to choose a new one. The election originally was scheduled April 9.

School Membership Shows Big Increase

A total of 131 new students enrolled in the public schools of Midland the week following the Christmas holidays, Supt. Frank Monroe announced Saturday.

The additions pushed the school membership to a record high of 4,188 students, according to a Friday afternoon count. The school membership Dec. 16, 1949, totaled 4,057 students.

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New Texas & Pacific Station To Be Dedicated Thursday

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

John Wayne Kept To Action Pictures And Stayed A Star

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD — John Wayne's summation of his 18 years of movie stardom: "Brother, I've sure been lucky. I call it smart. During all that time he's stuck to action, not dialog. . . . Ann Miller was a very disappointed young lady when Paramount bought 'Look Ma, I'm Dancing' for Betty Hutton. Ann had been campaigning for months to land the part at M-G-M."

Theaters around the country playing Ingrid Bergman's "Under Capricorn" are going back to its original advertising ballyhoo. "Under Capricorn—The Sign of Passion."

There's talk in New York that Jean Arthur will do another play — "Peter Pan." She bowed out of "Born Yesterday" while it was still trying out in Philadelphia. . . . J. Carroll Nash will be starred in "Mister Big Shot," a gangster comedy.

Fashion designer Travis Banton's prediction for 1950: "There will be little change in men's pockets. . . . Well Deserved. The Academy announced that there will be no Irving Thalberg Achievement award for producers this year. So I'm giving the Johnson Achievement award to Stanley Kramer for "Champion" and "Home of the Brave."

There was a special preview the other day of "Never Fear" for the patients of the Kaiser Institute. A great deal of the film was photographed at the Institute and many of the patients play im-

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Dirt, Scurt and Quirt — FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS.

Cotton picking definitely has reached the tapering-off period in Midland County.

Midland's three gins last week processed only 446 bales of cotton, to Friday noon, to bring the season's total to 16,386 bales. Estimates vary greatly as to how much cotton there is left in the fields to be "scrapped." Chances are there is more than the casual observer will predict. At any rate, the picking will continue for several weeks, depending largely on weather conditions. It was a little cold out in the cotton fields last week.

Observers said pickers are being paid from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per hundred.

The annual Midland Livestock Show, a seven-county event, will be held here March 6 and 7, with officers and committees predicting the largest and best show in history. Committees have been appointed and final plans now will take shape rapidly. Entries are expected from Midland, Glasscock, Martin, Upton, Ector, Andrews and Crane Counties.

A. G. Bohannon is president of the show, and Charles Green is secretary-treasurer. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Flynn, all of Midland, are among West Texans attending the annual convention of the American National Livestock Association in Miami, Fla.

The Reagan County Boys Livestock Show will be held February 24 in Big Lake.

Plans are shaping up nicely for the annual Upton County Livestock Show which will be held February 11 in Rankin. W. M. Day, Jr., Upton County agent, in charge of the show, which each year attracts record interests and crowds. Day said premiums and stock this year are outstanding and indications are the 1950 show will be bigger and better than ever.

Soll Conservation Service Notes: J. O. Nobles, Jr., on his ranch 12 miles northwest of Midland, has a section of grass that carries a herd of 150 cows. The pasture, which has rested the previous growing season. This pasture is in good condition now. He expects to carry almost as many cows through the winter due to the great amount of black grama present in this pasture.

The planting of alfalfa made by C. C. Davis on his farm south of Midland has made good growth to date. This planting was made in early October on land which he had leveled and bordered for irrigation. Davis plans to use his alfalfa for hog pasture.

C. S. Anderson, 10 miles east of Stanton, who is cooperating with the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District, started construction of his terraces last week on his two farms. The terraces are part of his coordinated Soil Conservation plan to conserve moisture and soil.

Nancy Binford, Wildorado cow-girl who has participated in several Midland rodeos, has been elected president of the Cowgirl Rodeo Association, succeeding Margaret Montgomery of Ozona, who also is well-known in rodeo circles of the Southwest. Mrs. Montgomery now is publicly agent. Miss Binford is a former physical education teacher at Lubbock High School.

The right place to start young America's education on soil conservation is in the grades and in two Texas Tech professors have agreed.

Dr. Doyle D. Jackson and Dr. A. W. Young both said soil-saving practices should be mentioned to youngsters right along with the ABC's. Dr. Jackson, acting head of the education department, joined Dr. Young, head of the plant industry department, in making the statement.

"All elementary teachers should be required to take courses in agriculture, and soil conservation undoubtedly should be taught from the fourth grade through college," Dr. Jackson said.

Only about 300 Mexican Nationals still are in Martin County, according to officials at Stanton. All contracts will be terminated January 24 when all but 10 of the Nationals will be returned to Mexico. The 10 braceros reportedly have new contracts and will remain in the county.

The Pecos County 4-H Club whose "Judge Roy Bean" was the grand champion steer of the Chicago International, will be trying for like honors at the Southwest Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

The club will have five steers in the boys' livestock show. Should one of their entries capture the championship of the entire exposition, the animal would be eligible to compete against the winners in the open classes for the grand championship of the entire exposition. The Pecos County Club boys also have three steers in the open classes.

"Judge Roy Bean" was reserve champion Hereford steer in the 1948 Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth.

The Pecos County boys, incidentally, will participate in the annual Pecos County Livestock Show Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The exposition is sponsored by the Pecos County Chamber of Commerce, which Paul Counts is manager. A number of new divisions have been added to the 1950 show.



(NEA Telephone)
Dr. and Mrs. Hermann Sander pause during an interview with the press at Candia, N. H. to fondle their pet dog, "Tuffy." The doctor was indicted by a grand jury in the "mercy" death of Mrs. Abbie C. Borroto of Manchester, N. H.

TEXANS IN WASHINGTON— Criticism Of Veterans Training Program Draws Ire Of Texas Legislator

By TEX HASLEY
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Rep. Olin Teague of College Station, deploras criticism of the GI vocational training program. It shouldn't be given a black eye, he says, just because such activities as art and dancing schools have aroused criticism.

"Unfortunately," he says, "one of the most worthy phases of the program has gotten little public attention since it doesn't deal with the glamorous or the unusual."

"That is the agricultural training thousands of young farmers are getting. The Veterans Administration, facing strong criticism because of the operations of some of these phony schools set up to fleece the government, is threatening to end the agricultural training program." Teague says he is going to cite the accomplishments of the numerous Texas GI farm training schools when debate arises in Congress this session on whether the agriculture training program should be continued.

Like Private School. Some of the Texas schools are operated in connection with existing colleges and universities, but a great many have been established by qualified individuals just as you would set up a private business school.

"They are not operated to turn out diplomats or degrees," said Teague. "But to teach a lot of young farmers improved methods that should make their work easier and more productive."

Such schools may be held in converted store buildings or warehouses. Classes often are held at night, so the student can work his own place in the day; many of them are married and have children.

The farmer, who may have little or no formal education, is taught the value of fertilizers and improved varieties of seeds for planting. He learns enough of such trades as welding, so he can repair his farm equipment or build truck beds and trailers.

S. L. Adams, with the Texas State Board for Vocational Education, has written Teague his praise for the program. The board must approve the schools before VA funds can go to students.

Survey Completed. "No doubt you will be interested to know that we have just completed a survey on 32,039 of our men taking agriculture," said Adams. x x x "During the three years of our program these men have invested \$25,380,000 in equities in 750,062 acres of land. With our new state land purchase program in operation, this figure will be stepped up considerably. x x x "Our trainees have bought 12,961 tractors costing \$14,212,043 and 72,501 other items at a cost of \$13,558,378. Our men built 3,400 new homes costing \$10,556,000."

Adams noted that 1,119,543 items of machinery had been repaired in the shops over the state in the past three years, saving farmers \$3,000,000 through repairs while giving training.

"In Brazos County a veteran named Ralph Forbes ran a concentrated fertilizer test on eight acres

Cancer Society Leaders From Wide Area To Meet Here

Leaders from four West Texas districts of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, will convene here Monday to map plans for an intensive program of activities in 1950. The session will be held in the Private Dining Room of Hotel Scharbauer, starting at 11 a.m. A luncheon will be served at noon.

Branch C. Smith of Houston, state president, will attend the session, as will several representatives from the state headquarters office. Triangle Leadership.

The district leaders will represent the three phases of the cancer control program—laymen, professional and Women's Field Army. Districts to be represented here include: One (El Paso); Two (Midland); Three North (Amarillo); Three South (Lubbock); and Four (San Angelo).

H. Winston Hull of Midland is the District Two chairman. He and the official: of the Midland County unit—John P. Butler, lay chairman; Dr. Tom C. Bobo, professional chairman; and Mrs. Paxton Howard, Field Army commander—will be hosts to the gathering.

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Crash Tests By Air Force May Bring 'Backward' Ride

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Airplane passengers of the future may ride backward for protection against crash injuries.

The Air Force disclosed that volunteers "duplicating" plane crashes in a rocket-propelled sled have withstood tremendous forces by facing to the rear.

It said a number of these experimental "crashes" have been made at Edwards Air Force Base, Muroc, Calif. The tests have provided heretofore unobtainable information on just how much of the terrific decelerative force encountered in a crash the human body can safely withstand.

Human Decelerator
Apparently, with proper support, it can withstand plenty.

The contraption used in the experiments was developed for the Air Force by Northrop Aircraft, Inc. Dubbed a "human decelerator," it is a sled which is guided by railway tracks and propelled by solid fuel rockets into a series of mechanical brakes.

The brakes stop the sled with a force equivalent to that experienced in actual crash landings.

Six volunteer airmen, an officer and five enlisted men, have undergone decelerative forces up to 35 times the force of gravity while facing in the forward and backward positions on the sled.

That force is achieved by slowing the carriage and rider from a speed of 150 miles an hour to 75 miles in one-fifth of a second. The result is the same as if an automobile driver traveling at 75 miles an hour should stop his car within nine feet.

Texas Heads Team
Seated in a backward position, the volunteers withstood a force of 35 G's with little difficulty. Facing forward, they had to be strapped in with a special harness.

The volunteer team is headed by Maj. John P. Stapp, an Air Force flight surgeon, who is supervising the aeromedical studies. He is a Texas.

Serving on the team with him is M. Sgt. Lawrence Lambert, Beckley, W. Va., who won the Cheney award in 1946 for his testing of pilot-ejection equipment in an Air Force "Black Widow" night fighter. Other members of the testing group are T/Sgt. William A. Rhea, Derby, Va.; S/Sgt. Richard A. Alligire, Taloga, Okla., and Opl. Raymond L. Leach, Point Pleasant, W. Va.

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Finance Officer To Assume Job Monday

K. A. Moore of University Park, Dallas, Monday will assume his position as finance officer of the City of Midland, City Manager W. H. Os-

Moore said Saturday. The position of finance officer recently was created by the City Council and constitutes an important post in the municipal organizational changes being made here.

Moore's duties will include audit control of the city funds and budget control for all departmental operations. He will be in direct charge of water accounting and collecting.

The new city employee majored in accounting at Southern Methodist University, Dallas, and has had considerable experience in that field since graduating in 1933. A veteran of World War II, Moore is 39 years old. He has been city auditor of University Park the last several years. He is president of the Texas Municipal Finance Officers Association.

Truman's Tiger Is White Elephant

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Along with two gold fish-hooks and a nose ring from Colombia, the Smithsonian Institution now owns a stuffed tiger which it got from President Truman.

They were among the first items trotted out by museum officials in response to a reporter's "what's new?" query.

The institution may have a white elephant in the stuffed tiger. "It is not prepared for exhibition," an official said, "and will not be displayed to the public."

The President got the beast from the Netherlands Embassy, which presented it on behalf of a major in the Royal Netherlands Indonesian Army.

The Smithsonian reported that since last Summer it also has acquired such things as a Chinese embroidered silk robe, of an early Chinese dynasty; a very ancient ceremonial gong from Southeastern Asia; several meteorite specimens from Kearney, Neb.; a wedding dress of the 1880 period and two evening dresses of the late Nineteenth Century.

RETURN FROM TRIP
Sgt. and Mrs. Shelby Wheelus and son, Charles, have returned from Winsboro, La., and Stillwater, Okla., where they visited relative Wheelus is in charge of the U. S. Army and Air Force Recruiting office here.

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Judith Makes Samole Recording



Judith Coplon, mike in hand, makes a sample recording as her attorney, Archibald Palmer, and Studio Director Robert Solby, right, look on. Recordings were made in New York City to assist Federal Judge Sylvester Ryan in listening to FBI wiretap recordings of the former Justice Department employee's telephone conversations.

Services Held For Pioneer Midlander

Funeral services were held at 11 a.m. Saturday for Harley H. Meeks, former Midland resident, who died Thursday at his home in Lovington, N. M. The Rev. Clyde Linsley, pastor of the First Christian Church, conducted the services. Interment was in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Meeks lived in Midland from 1904 until 10 years ago. He was engaged in the real estate and development business in early-day Midland. He was born in Elgin, Texas, in 1901.

Survivors include the widow, the mother, two sons, a daughter and two sisters.

Palbearers were Carl Reeves, Robert Reeves, John Hardin, Jess Harwell, Dunn Reiger and Arthur Purinton. Lenton Brunson, Jack Parker and R. D. Scruggs were honorary palbearers.

Ex-Marine Escapes Electric Chair In Shotgun Slaying

NEW YORK—(AP)—DeWitt Combs, 23-year-old ex-Marine, will not go to the electric chair for killing his sweetheart's father in a blazing duel in the dark.

An all-male jury spared him the extreme penalty Friday night by finding him guilty of manslaughter. He was charged with first degree murder.

Combs blamed his 58-year-old victim, Francis S. Fay, for smashing his romance with Rita Fay, 30, and pleaded innocent by reason of temporary insanity.

The high-strung, red-haired youth paled at the verdict. He will not hear his sentence until January 20. It could be up to 30 years in prison, or less, as the judge sees fit.

Last April 16—carrying a loaded shotgun—Combs broke into Fay's basement and doused the house-lights by pulling the master switch. He said he hoped to find Rita upstairs and talk over a reconciliation.

But instead he was challenged by her father, and the two men shot it out in the dark. Fay's pistol against Combs' shotgun. Fay's bullets went wide and he dropped from the shotgun blast.

Liquor retailers must obtain local licenses before being granted state licenses in Illinois and Georgia.

Webb Jenkins Heads Kermit Chamber Of Commerce For 1950

KERMIT—Webb Jenkins was named president of the Kermit Chamber of Commerce at the first 1950 meeting of its directors. Nev H. Williams was named vice president. Jenkins succeeds Donald Tracy as president.

Jenkins is the immediate past president of Kermit Lions Club and is active in civic affairs.

Three new board members were welcomed by President Tracy before he retired in favor of the incoming president. They are John Hobbs, Dr. John Graves, and B. M. Stodghill. They succeed Hugh Moore, S. M. Halley and Tommy Thompson.

Texans Seek State Department Aid In Orphanage Problem

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Texans discussed the problem of continued operation of an orphanage near Rome, Italy, by the Texas Churches of Christ with State Department officials Friday.

James Wood and J. R. Chisholm, both of Brownfield, and Representatives Mahon and Gossett, Texas Democrats, attended the session.

Wood is connected with the Crescent Hill Church of Christ at Brownfield, and Chisholm is business manager of the Frascati Orphanage in Italy.

Difficulties arose, said Mahon, when the Italian government refused to renew expiring visas of Americans who had been in charge of the orphanage.

State Department officials promised they would check carefully into the matter to see if the individuals involved could not remain in Italy so operation of the orphanage could continue under sponsorship of the Texas Churches of Christ.

Gossett told a reporter he cautioned the State Department officials that "if the Italian government runs this orphanage out of Italy it may have a serious effect on congressional action on European aid funds."

Texan Promoted In State Department

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Thomas C. Mann of Laredo, Texas, has been named director of the State Department's Office of Middle American Affairs.

Mann, now a special assistant in the office, will assume his new duties Monday. He succeeds Paul J. Reveley of Clinton, Conn. Reveley has been transferred to Havana, Cuba, to be first secretary of embassy and consul general.

The Office of Middle American Affairs includes Mexican, Central American and Caribbean affairs.

Midland Shrine Club Election Wednesday

The Midland Shrine Club will elect its 1950 officers at a meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the main studio of KCRS.

A nominating committee is at work.

Reports of activities in 1949 will be made at the meeting and plans for 1950 will be discussed.

All Shriners are urged to attend.

FIRE DAMAGES SCHOOL BUILDING AT SAN ANTONIO
SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Fire Saturday damaged heavily the Lorenz de Zavala Elementary School here, destroying two of the four classrooms, two offices and the library.

Damage to the long wood structure was estimated at \$20,000.

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Murray Asks Return To Rail Commission

AUSTIN—(AP)—William J. (Bill) Murray, Jr., Saturday announced for reelection to the Texas Railroad Commission.

Serving his first elective term, Murray said he wanted the opportunity to continue working for oil and gas conservation in Texas.

When Governor Jester appointed him to the place which he formerly held on the Railroad Commission.

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Holdover directors are Williams, M. H. Alberts, Bill Cameron, Tracy, Jenkins and Ed Smead.

William J. Murray, Jr.

merly held on the Railroad Commission, his one request was that I do my utmost to support the work in oil and gas conservation which he and his colleagues had initiated," Murray said in a statement to the press.

"The progress which has been made in oil and gas conservation during the term that I served by appointment and am now serving by election has been most gratifying, but the task is unfinished and I would like to continue to have a part in this work which is so important to the future of Texas," he continued.

"The constant need for efficient business-like regulation of the railroad, truck and bus industry also presents a considerable opportunity for service."

Madame Chiang To Broadcast Message Before Leaving U. S.

NEW YORK—(AP)—Madame Chiang Kai-Shek will deliver a parting message to America before she starts home for China, probably this week.

The wife of the beleaguered Chinese Nationalist leader will give a 15-minute talk Sunday over the National Broadcasting Company network, starting at 11 a.m.

NBC said it would be her final public speech before she sails for the Island of Formosa, last island stronghold of her husband, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, against the Chinese Communists.

Madame Chiang, a graduate of Wellesley College and frequent visitor to the U. S., will leave "some time this week," her brother-in-law, Dr. H. H. Kung, said.

She has been staying at Kung's Bronx residence since she arrived here in November, 1948, to seek aid for the Nationalist cause. In recent months, she has remained in seclusion.

FORMER RESIDENTS ARE VISITORS IN MIDLAND
M. Sgt. and Mrs. W. A. Stille, who are en route to Fairfield, Calif., where he will be stationed, from Tampa, Fla., are visiting Mrs. E. Jones and daughters, Florene and Lorene, 506 North Marquardt Street. They will leave Sunday.

Stille was stationed in Midland during World War II.

The recent guests in the Jones' home were Mrs. George E. Caple and son, Gene, of Colorado City.

ABRASIONS TREATED
N. E. Jacks of 2601 West Washington Street was treated at Western Clinic-Hospital Friday night for abrasions received in an auto-truck collision.

Slain Man Leaves \$100,000 Estate To Accused Widow

NEW YORK—(AP)—Joseph R. Falla, 39-year-old Bronx manufacturer stabbed to death in his home Christmas morning, left his entire estate to his wife, who is accused of slaying him.

The estate was said to be valued at \$100,000.

Falla's knife-slashed body was found sprawled on a pile of unopened presents spread around the family Christmas tree. Police quoted Mrs. Falla as saying she stabbed her husband repeatedly after an argument over another woman. She gulped a handful of sleeping tablets after the slaying but recovered.

If convicted of the slaying, Mrs. Falla could not inherit the estate. It is public policy of New York state law that no person can benefit by his own criminal act.

Legion To Fete Newspaperboys

That hard-working youngster, your newspaperboy, will have his day January 19.

The Woods W. Lynch American Legion Post of Midland will entertain all newsboys of the city on that date with a big party, food and entertainment in the legion hall.

The event is scheduled at 7:30 p.m.

Legion committees are working hard in preparation for the party. They are urging all newspaperboys to remember the date and the occasion—a big party and all for them.

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Powerful Program Is Needed

Gov. Thomas E. Dewey has done his bit to clear the Republican political atmosphere by announcing he will not be a presidential candidate in 1952, 1956 or 1960.

No defeated nominee ever had won a second Republican nomination. But Dewey broke that precedent in 1948.

There's no great mystery over why he didn't make the grade in 1940 and 1944. He was young, and considered inexperienced for the problems of the great war then raging.

His 1948 failure was something else. It may have been partly a failure of personality, for Dewey does not fall easily into the role of the genial, hearty, bluff politician.

Most experts feel, however, that the 1948 outcome was more a failure of the GOP to develop a program both distinctive from its Democratic counterpart and attractive to the voters.

If that's correct, then whoever takes Dewey's place in 1952 will suffer the same general handicaps unless the party can frame a powerful program.

Handwriting On The Wall?

There is no surprise in the CIO's decision not to press for repeal of the Taft-Hartley act in the 1950 session of Congress. It has been generally assumed that defeat of repeal in 1949 ended any prospect of such action until after the coming general elections.

But the decision does have meaning. It shows that the CIO knows political realities. A great deal of energy which otherwise would be wasted in a futile drive will now be conserved.

Congress does so much that unfortunately comes to naught that any citizen must breathe thanks when some group displays the good sense not to consume public time and money in a fruitless campaign.

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Something Tells Us It's No Match



DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Copyright, 1950, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.) Drew Pearson says: Truman gives pep talk to pessimistic Congressional leaders; Famous Senate gavel gets misplaced; Senate will investigate fat corporate pensions and salaries.

WASHINGTON — As a practical politician who has been through the mill, Harry Truman knows the hazards of legislating in an election year. However, he showed no signs of back-peddling on unpassed portions of his Fair Deal program when he huddled with Vice President Barkley, Speaker Sam Rayburn, Senator Scott Lucas and Congressman John McCormack as the new session opened.

On the optimism—he was full of fight and optimism—qualities somewhat less reflected by his legislative chiefs, who have been worried by a rising trend toward isolation and economy, popular resistance to higher taxes, a rebellious farm bloc, and a Dixie-Republican filibuster on civil rights.

Truman began by congratulating his congressional leaders on the record of the last session: "On the whole, I think we made a pretty good record, and I am confident we will keep it intact during this session," he said. "By that I mean we should get the rest of the 1948 platform on the law books. I don't mean part of it—I mean all of it."

Truman seemed most emphatic about enacting the Fair Employment Practices Bill and other parts of the civil-rights program. Speaker Rayburn and House Majority Leader McCormack predicted the House would act quickly and favorably on FEPC. However, Senate Leader Scott Lucas, wearing his perennial look of a man with his finger in a mousetrap, doilyly replied the odds were against Senate passage.

Lucas' aim was not a full-buster, declared Truman. "If we must go down fighting, let's have it that way. We have got to keep our promises to the people. They will be the best judges of who is right in the next election."

The President made one indirect concession, however, to election-year politics. He did not emphasize a substantial boost in taxes. Instead, he listened silently while leaders explained it would be well-nigh impossible to get a bill raising individual income taxes through Congress this year.

He also criticized the "hysteria" of big business for repealing wartime excise taxes on communications, transportation, luxuries, theater admissions, etc. If excises are repealed, he insisted, there must be an offsetting increase in corporation income taxes.

The historic ivory gavel, used to rattle every Senate to order since Revolutionary Days, almost didn't make it this session. Up until one minute before the opening bang, frantic Senate pages and assistants couldn't find it.

So they say

The economic outlook certainly is a lot better than it was at midyear. —Leon H. Keyserling, acting chairman of President Truman's board of economic advisers.

Unification has about weathered the stormy seas of service controversy. It is now emerging into the comparatively calm waters of greater understanding and acceptance. —Defense Secretary Louis Johnson.

The Soviet Union considers peaceful competition with capitalism fully tenable. —Mrs. Clark Gable, formerly Lady Sylvia Ashley.

I answered "yes" as fast as I possibly could. —Mrs. Clark Gable, formerly Lady Sylvia Ashley.

My feeling is that most congressmen are honest about the payroll. But a few violators have hurt the reputation of all. —Rep. Usher L. Burdick (R) North Dakota.

Furnituremen Will Attend Spring Mart

At least three Midland furniture establishments will send representatives to the American Furniture Mart in Chicago, January 9 to 20. Those who plan to attend are George Stewart of Hardwick-Stewart Furniture Company, Joel Adcock of White's, and John W. Barnett of Midland Hardware and Furniture Company.

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MONAHANS—Bank deposits here are up \$126,189.52 more than Nov. 1, 1949. Total deposits in the two banks here at the close of business Dec. 31, 1949, totaled \$4,550,592.18, as compared with \$4,424,402.66 on Nov. 1, 1949.

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McKenney on Bridge

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

The increasing popularity of bridge each year is due primarily to the fine work of the bridge clubs and duplicate games throughout the nation and I want to wish them continued success and prosperity in 1950.

Bridge score table showing North, South, West, and East scores for various deals.

The stakes they play for in most of the clubs practically are nothing, but it gives people who otherwise could not find a foursome at bridge an opportunity to go to their favorite bridge club for a game.

Every community should have a duplicate game where the element of luck is eliminated and every hand is a lesson.

In rubber bridge you just try to make your contract, but can you imagine the thrilling discussion that comes up after a hand like today's? One declarer bid six spades and made seven when he got a trump opening.

One pair actually got into seven trump and made it with the following line of play: The opening lead of the ten of hearts was won by the king. The nine-spot was then led, East covered with the queen and declarer won the trick with the ace of hearts.

Declarer ran six spade tricks. This left all the players with the cards I have underlined. With the four of spades was led by the declarer and dummy's ten of clubs was discarded. East made a fine defensive play by discarding the ace of spades. The jack of hearts was led and dummy's queen of clubs was discarded.

Now the good nine of clubs was cashed and East was squeezed. If he dropped the queen of diamonds, the dummy's diamonds would be good. If he discarded the eight of hearts, declarer would win the last trick with the three of hearts.

I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins THE STORY: John and I eloped and he spread his doctor's office in the four corners of our apartment. We waited and finally he came. He had a beard and a mustache. He was a doctor. He had many adjustments to make in our individual lives.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

Editors' Opinions On GOP Policy Are Short And Snappy

WASHINGTON — Whether the Republican Party should go right or left in drafting its 1950 platform is a subject of great disagreement among U. S. newspaper editors. Here are some of the answers brought out in a poll of more than 700 newspapers, conducted by this column: "Go more to the right," says the Milwaukee, Wis., Journal. "It might not win, but it would be a start in re-establishing the two-party system, to clarify the issues."

On the other side, papers all across the country want the GOP to go liberal. The Trenton, N. J., Times calls for "a newly developed liberal Republican program." The Buffalo, N. Y., Evening News says, "Its fundamental concern should be the welfare of the broad middle class, \$5,000 a year and below, but \$15,000 and above."

This carries over into the argument of how much of the welfare state the Republicans should adopt as their own. "They can't out-promise the present irresponsibles," says the Centerville, Ill., Sentinel. "So they better try to bring back the fundamentals."

But the St. Paul, Minn., Pioneer Press tells the Republicans to "Stop hammering at the welfare state. Social security is here to stay. Work out a program the party can support, as Taft and Stassen are doing."

Emphasizing this position, the Alpena, Mich., News proposes continuation of "sound New Deal features, managed conservatively." The Athens, Ohio, Messenger asks for "The GOP's own fair deal, without the jackpot." And the Clarksburg, W. Va., Exponent says flatly that the GOP program should be "more like the Democratic platform."

As for other ideas, the newspaper editors have a big load of planks to dump in the platform builders' yard. There are so many that it is impossible in this space to give them all. These are samples:

"Don't try to 'out-fair-deal' Truman."—Haverhill, Mass., Gazette. "Human liberties plus middle-road economics."—Manchester, N. H., Union. "Something to make laboring seem worth-while."—Elizabeth, N. J., Journal. "A strong, educational, public relations program."—Schenectady, N. Y., Star.

"Get rid of the Old Guard, more progressive."—Fayetteville, Ark., Times. "Get more positive approach on domestic issues."—Pensacola, Fla., News. "Cut spending, reduce taxes."—Lexington, Ky., Herald and many others. "Regulate labor monopolies."—Harlan, Ky., Enterprise; Meridian, Miss., Star; Cushing, Okla., Citizen and several others.

The United States has more than 2,000,000 acres of irrigated pastures. "Offer the same program that won it 1948."—Galesburg, Ill., Register.

"Bosh," I answered indignantly. "You doctors just like to sound important. It's almost as bad as a secret code."—Seattle, Wash., Journal. "Look who's talking," laughed John. "What about you lawyers? You take 1000 words to say 'fifty dollars, please,' and twist the English language by some bogus pocus so that it sounds like an exercise in irregular French verbs. At least we doctors put in bona fide substitutes."

HAVING been uncovered in my glass house by John's denunciation of legal talk, and knowing full well the improbability of my ever converting the medical profession to good sense, I set out to learn their code.

In the first excitement of my progress, John exhibited my repertoire wherever we went. Even after the first flush wore off, his Pygmalion pleasure in my new accomplishment never failed. At his insistence, I went to medical conferences, hospital staff rooms, and all professional meetings with him, until gradually, as if to compensate for the greeting grind and improvement of practical doctoring, a whole new world appeared before my eyes.

Where were the lofty, scientific discussions, the perplexing diagnoses, the most recent advances in medicine? Imagine my surprise to discover that these oracular staff-room discussions always included a good, new place to eat: "The lobster was incredible!" a wonderful play they had seen: "Best show on Broadway," a detailed account of the new revue at a local night club: "Mam! Can she sing it?" and the intimate, intricate histories as to the inner workings, parts, and general performances of their most recent automobiles. When they finally got down to trading actual cases, it was never done in the Hippocratic manner of furthering science, but always and strictly in the spirit of "Who caught the biggest fish?"

"Why don't you simply say gall-bladder operation instead of cholecystectomy?" I asked John one night, after he interpreted the word at my request. "Because that's not the medical term," he replied righteously.

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(To Be Continued)

Breed of Dog crossword puzzle with clues and grid. Clues include: 1 Depleted type of dog, 7 It is a breed of —, 13 Expurger, 14 It is a native of —, 15 Dine, 16 Ceremonies, 18 Lieutenants, 19 Slide, 21 Stitch, 22 Endure, 23 Hawaiian bird, 24 Half-sm, 25 Rare, 27 Mine entrance, 30 Art (Latin), 31 Preposition, 32 Of the thing, 33 Sheltered side, 34 Domestic slave, 37 Roman god of war, 38 Diminutive of Edgar, 39 Within, 40 Get up, 42 Suitable, 45 Cease, 46 Worthless morsel, 48 Warning device, 51 Secure, 52 Greater in stature, 54 Approached, 56 Scots, 57 Backbones.

Drilling At Five West Texas Wildcats To Start At Once

Drilling is to be started at once on five new wildcat petroleum explorations in West Texas.

Two of these ventures are to be in North Reeves County to hunt for production in the Delaware sand. Northeast Mitchell County is to have one venture to 7,700 feet to test into the Ellenburger and South-Central Stoneval County gets a 7,000-foot prospector, also scheduled to be an Ellenburger development. The fifth wildcat is to be in extreme Southeast Sutton County, almost on the north line of Edwards County.

William Lanphere of Pecos No. 1 TXL will be one of the North Reeves wildcats. It is 2,310 feet from west and 330 feet from south lines of section 37, block 56, TP survey, T-2.

Two in Reeves County

That makes its five miles southeast or Orla and between the Tunnell and the Dixieland fields, both of which produce from the Delaware.

Rotary tools will be used to drill this development.

C. O. Davis of Dallas, and associates, No. 1 B. G. Lee will be a 3,100-foot Delaware wildcat, three miles northwest of Orla in North Reeves County.

The driller is 330 feet from north and east lines of the east half of the Dixieland field, section 10, block 97, TP survey, T-2. That makes the project approximately three miles west of the nearest completed oil well in the Tunnell field.

Near Colorado City

William Hamm, Jr. of St. Paul, Minn., No. 1 J. Miller will be the Mitchell County exploration. It is two miles east of Colorado City, and 1,930 feet from west and 690 feet from south lines of section 38, block 26, TP survey.

It is slated to dig to 7,700 feet, which should take it into the Ellenburger.

The Ohio Oil Company was due to start Saturday at the Stoneval County prospector. It is Ohio No. 1 Frank Antulley, and others, and is located six miles south of the town of Aspermont.

The driller is 660 feet from the south line of the E. A. Lee pre-emption survey, an 80-acre tract, and it is midway between the east and west lines of that tract.

It is contracted to go to the Ellenburger. It is thought that a 7,000-foot hole will explore that formation. Rotary had been rigged up and actual drilling operations are due to be underway at this time.

In Southeast Sutton County, Nelson Bunker Hunter of Dallas and William Hamm, Jr., are to drill the Southeast Sutton County venture as their No. 1 G. F. Stewart.

It is located in the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of section 5, block A-154, GC&SF survey. That makes it 20 miles south and 18 miles east of Sonora. Contracted depth on the project has not been reported.

The wildcat is on acreage farmed out by Sinclair Oil and Gas Company to Kennard Cook of Dallas. He turned it to Hunt and Hamm to drill the well, and retained an override.

Burdell No. 1 Keller May Prove Extension To North Snyder Field

Burdell Oil Company No. 1 Keller, Central-Northwest Scurry County wildcat, one and three-quarter miles west of the southwest side of the North-Snyder-Canyon field, has indicated a possible extension for that pool.

This project took a three-hour drillstem test in the top of the Canyon reef at 6,851-87 feet, on a corrected measurement.

There was a slight blow of gas at the surface after one hour and 11 minutes. No fluid came to the top while the tester was in the hole.

Still Above Water

Recovery was 280 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud and 15 feet of free oil. There were no signs of formation water. Interested operators figure the prospector is approximately 50 feet above the Canyon water table at total depth of 6,887 feet.

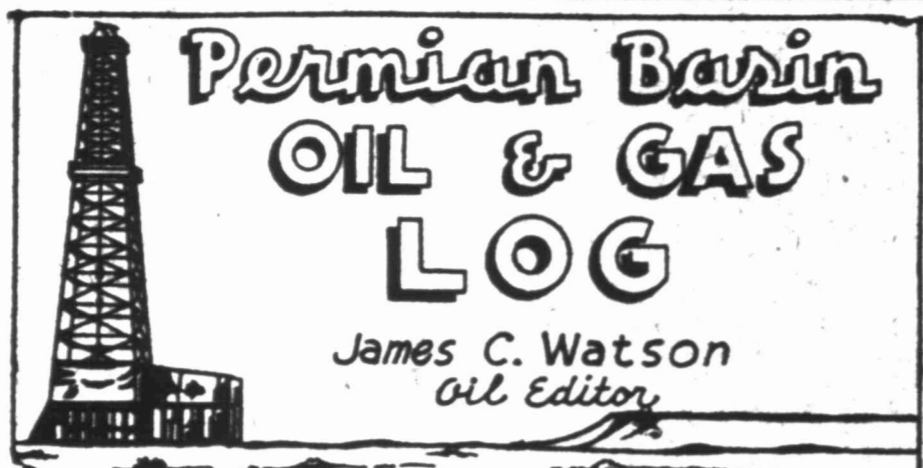
Top of the Canyon lime was at 6,830 feet. Top of the porous zone was at 6,859 feet. Elevation is 2,426 feet.

The exploration is circulating while waiting on orders. Some interested observers think an acid injection would soften the pay zone to where it would produce in commercial amounts.

The development is 660 feet from south and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 340, block 97, H&TC survey.

C-W Scurry Project Finds Canyon Reef

Spartan Drilling Company, and associates No. 1 J. H. Langford, Central-West Scurry County wildcat, 14 miles west of Snyder, and three and one-half miles northwest of the Diamond M-Canyon field, is



reported to have entered the Canyon lime reef at 7,066 feet, on an elevation of 2,403 feet to give it a datum of minus 4,663 feet on that marker.

This venture is being drilled "tight" and no official information on it is available. The foregoing report is not confirmed or verified from any source.

The project is supposed to be coring ahead below 7,066 feet.

Location is 467 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of the southeast quarter of section 240, block 97, H&TC survey.

This prospector was started under a permit to dig to 8,200 feet to explore to the Ellenburger—unless it developed production in a higher horizon.

C-W Fisher Wildcat Acidizes And Swabs

Gem Oil Company No. 1 Medrona, Central-West Fisher County prospector, 21 miles southwest of Rattan, was swabbing on perforated section in the top of the Ellenburger at 6,957-80 feet, after that zone had been treated with 1,500 gallons of regular acid.

Swabbing to 4,000 feet from surface operator had recovered mostly drilling water and acid residue, with a small show of oil. Swabbing was continuing.

Only Small Oil Shows

The venture swabbed natural for six hours on the perforations at 6,957-80 feet. Recovery was about one and one-half barrels of fluid per hour, approximately 20 per cent oil and 80 per cent drilling water.

The exploration has not yet shown for a commercial oil well.

Location is 1,980 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 104, block 2, H&TC survey.

The wildcat topped the Ellenburger at 6,958 feet to have a datum of minus 4,663 feet on that point. It is bottomed at 7,073 feet and the 5 1/2-inch casing is cemented at that point.

In swabbing water was developed in the Ellenburger.

SW Scurry Venture Has Canyon Water

R. C. Lipscomb No. 1 Von Roeder, Southwest Scurry County prospector, 14 miles southwest of Snyder, and two miles south and slightly west of the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field, made more water in the Canyon, and is drilling deeper.

The latest show of water was in a drillstem test at 7,086-7,106 feet. The tool was open 30 minutes. Recovery was 2,080 feet of sulphur water, with no shows of oil or gas.

This venture had its first water in a test at 6,928-37 feet. The tool was open one hour. Recovery was 400 feet of drilling mud and salt water.

Top of the Canyon reef was at 6,928 feet, on a datum of minus

Oil And Gas Deals Lead Upton County 1949 Transactions

McCAMEY — A survey in the county and district clerk's office in Rankin shows a graphic picture of oil and gas transactions within the county for 1949 as well as other statistics. Ralph Daugherty, county and district clerk, released the information.

Approximately 21 books were filled last year covering deeds, oil and gas sales and deeds of trust, with oil, gas and real estate transactions leading.

A total of 25 materialmen's liens comprising some 82 pages. Ten bills of sale were recorded.

A total of 528 pages were consumed with the filing of chattels and chattels on realty.

An estimated 3,000 instruments were filed in the office during the past year. This figure includes deeds, deeds of trust, abstracts of judgment, releases, oil and gas leases, and mineral and royalty deeds. Between 7,500 and 8,000 pages were recorded in the permanent record files of Upton County in the year just ended.

In addition to this recording, the clerk's office showed the following figures regarding cases filed in the courts of Upton County. The county court docket showed a total of 103 cases filed, including 25 probate cases, 69 criminal cases and nine cases in the 82d and 112th District Courts a total of 97 cases were filed, including 50 civil cases. Among them were 22 divorce cases; 16 criminal cases and one juvenile case.

A total of 26 applications for beer, wine and liquor permits were filed. 73 Marriage Licenses.

The records showed that 73 marriage licenses were issued through the clerk's office. Daugherty noted that license issuance had decreased with the passage of the law requiring blood tests in September of 1949.

Records showed that 20 deaths occurred in Upton County during the year, but were more than offset by 82 births that were recorded.

Seven stock brands were recorded in the files.

In addition, the county clerk handled four special elections held in the county during the past year, and noted that it was the first year for the use of the "Secret Ballot Law" in the state as passed by the last legislature.

All minutes of the Upton County Commissioners Court are also maintained and kept in Daugherty's office.

Sara Lee Stephenson is the chief clerk in the office and the only other employe.

Up And Down With The Stock Market

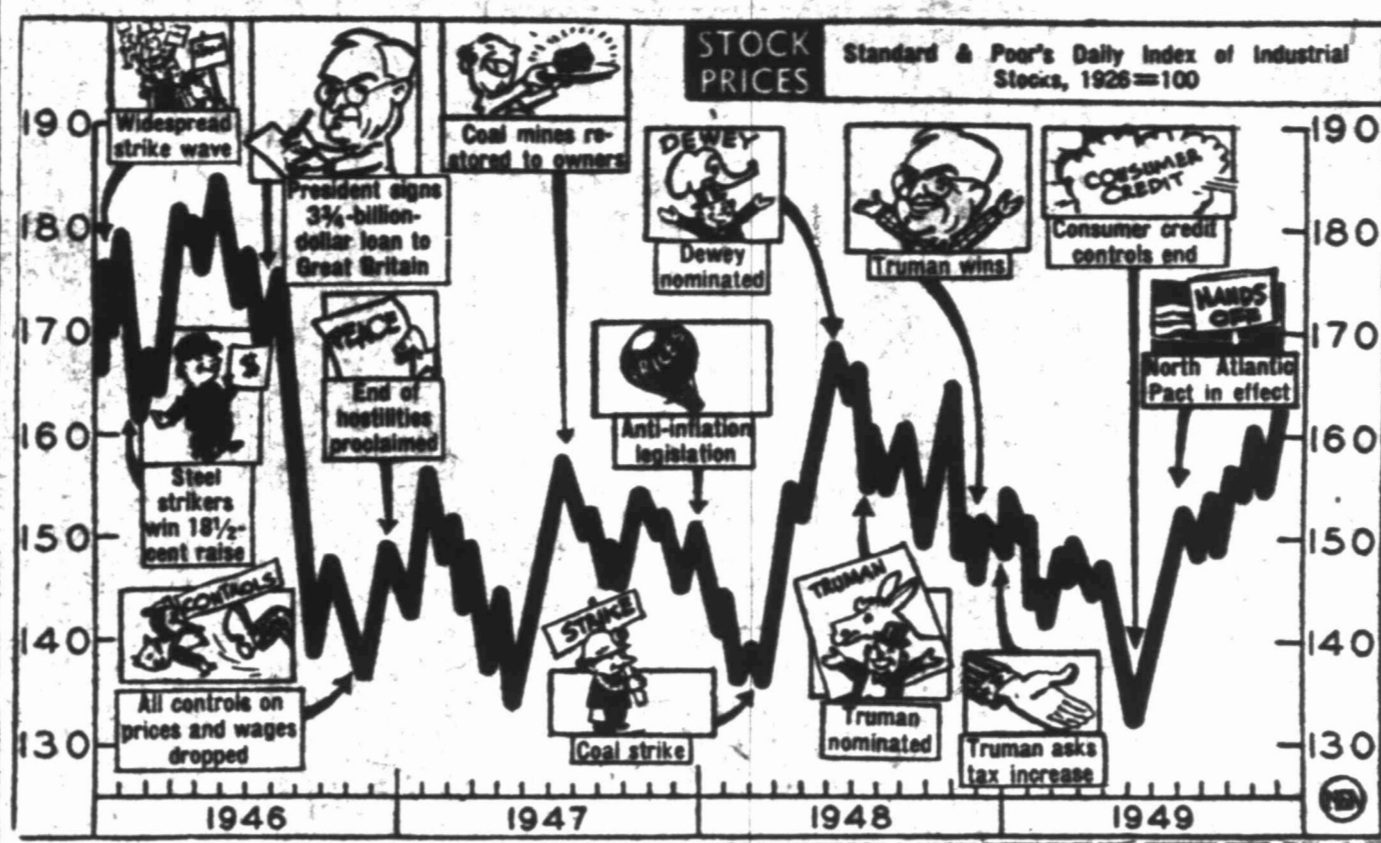


Chart above shows the course of the stock market since the end of the war, and the news events coincident with some of its ups and downs. Economists and businessmen are almost unanimous in their predictions of healthy business and market conditions during at least the first half of 1950.

Soil Conservation Progress Reported At District Meet

STANTON—Progress of the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District was reviewed by the supervisors at their regularly monthly meeting in Stanton Tuesday.

Attending the meeting were Edger Phillips, Joe Carter and Emmet Pittman, supervisors, and E. J. Hughes, district conservator with the Soil Conservation Service. Other members of the board are Frank Lovelless and Warren Skaggs.

The supervisors' report shows 1,260 farmers and ranchers have requested assistance from the district in planning a complete conservation program on more than one and one-quarter million acres of land. The district has made the assistance of the Soil Conservation Service available to 956 of the land owners in planning and applying

a conservative program on almost 1,000,000 acres.

Highlights of the annual report are summarized in the attitude of cooperating farmers and ranchers in carrying out their planned program for coming year. The report points out that "soil conservation" means good soil management to most farmers and ranchers who have studied needs of their land.

The use of adapted legumes and introduced grasses is attracting the attention of many farmers and ranchers throughout the district. The supervisors recommend the use of such crops as sweet clover, rye, vetch, Dixie Wonder peas and other adapted cover crops in rotation with the commonly grown crops of cotton and grain sorghums.

These soil enriching cover crops are needed in rotation to supply organic

matter and nitrogen which is necessary to maintain soil in good condition, the supervisors said. The fertility of the land and resistance to erosion from washing and blowing largely is governed by the presence of adequate amounts of organic matter and nitrogen.

The board reported considerable interest in mechanical measures such as terracing, diversion terraces, deep plowing, contour farming and tanking, but warned that these practices only supplemented good farm management in an erosion control and water conservation program. They recommend the use of mechanical measures where needed, but remind that they often are put on land before the soil has been conditioned enough to be effective in a permanent erosion control program.

Washington Oil—Congressional Inquiries Into Imports, Taxes And British Problems Hinted

By JOSEPH HUTTLINGER
WASHINGTON—President Truman ignored the petroleum industry in his two annual reports to Congress last week, but members of Congress were lining up inquiries into oil imports, oil tax changes and problems with the British.

It was the first time in years the petroleum industry came in for no special attention in presidential state of the union or economic message.

It was in sharp contrast to a year ago. Then, the President asked for federal control over the tidelands, a commercial-sized synthetic petroleum industry, stand-by price control powers, and continued export controls over oil products.

As if to fill the gap, the Congress was active. Some of it promises to be good news, some of it bad.

Three House Committees could look into oil imports. They are the Commerce Committee, Ways and Means Committee, and the Small Business Committee.

One committee promised action—perhaps by the month's end. Rep. Eugene J. Keogh's oil imports subcommittee of the Small Business unit, planned to go to Arkansas, Mississippi and Oklahoma within a month. Louisiana and California might be included. A repeat trip to Texas is under study.

NPC Report

But Rep. Oren Harris (D-Ark) of the oil subcommittee of the Commerce unit said he wanted to wait until January 26 when the National Petroleum Council will bring in suggestions about the imports problem.

Then his group might look into oil imports, but only as part of his big aim to carve out a national petroleum policy for the nation. The House Ways and Means

Committee, which could tinker with the oil imports problem, well may be too busy with tax-revision—a part of which is of vital importance to the petroleum industry.

The committee has said it would look into the depletion allowance granted petroleum. A month may see it well into this study, officials say. The Treasury Department is preparing facts to convince the committee the oil industry, with its 27.5 per cent depletion allowance has too much of a "good deal."

While the Treasury's report is still incomplete, and secret, a first major development in months popped up last week on the subject. Tax Study

A committee of influential businessmen, the Committee for Economic Development, in its annual tax and fiscal study, called for the petroleum industry to pay higher taxes through lowering the depletion allowance.

Here are the words about this in the 50-page report:

"Various other provisions of the federal tax laws should be carefully studied to determine whether it may be possible to improve the fairness of the tax system, prevent tax avoidance, and increase revenue."

"An important example is presented by the special depletion allowances which are granted to oil and gas wells; sulphur, coal and metal mines; and certain other mineral resource industries."

While some 38 business executives and professors made the report, and all are generally respected thinkers, it is significant that two oil industry leaders are trustees of the CED. They are Frank W. Abrams, board chairman of the Standard Oil Company, (NJ) and Alexander Fraser, executive com-

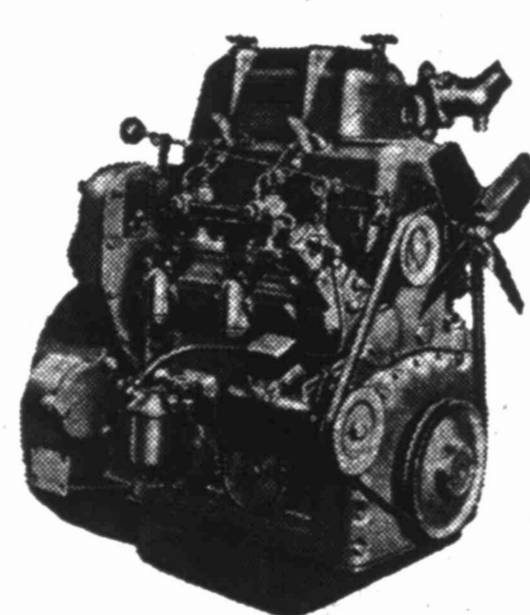
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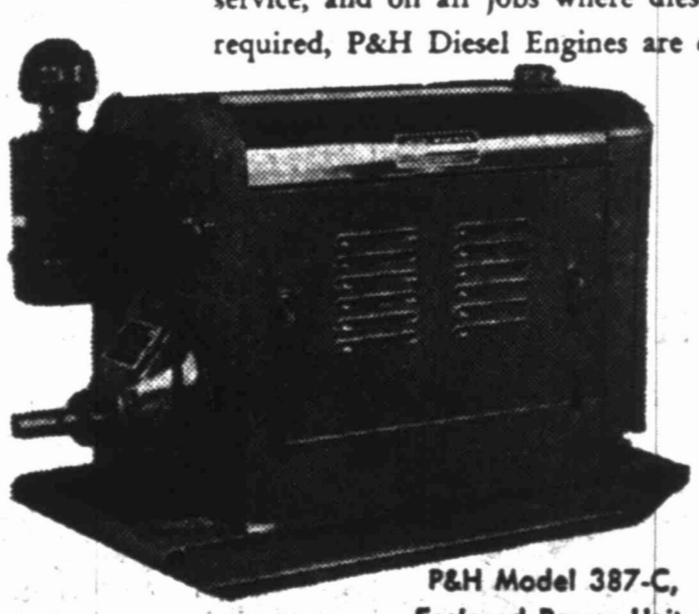
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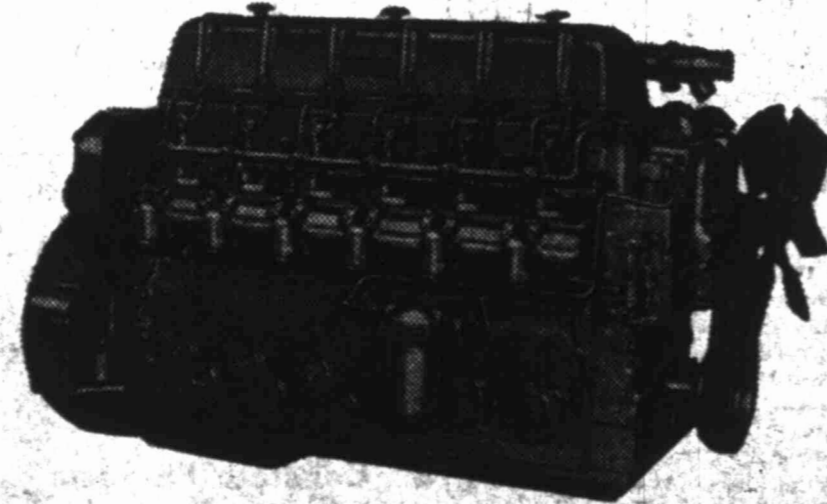
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Stanolind Testing For Production At E-C Lee Prospect

HOBBS, N. M.—Stanolind Oil & Gas Company is continuing to test, to complete a commercial oil and gas producer, and a discovery from the San Andres lime of the Permian, at its No. 1 House, East-Central Lea County wildcat, six miles southeast of Hobbs, and four miles southeast of the old, shallow Hobbs field.

This prospect is located 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 11-20s-38e. It is three-quarters of a mile south of Stanolind and C. L. Norworthy, Jr., No. 1-U State, a small discovery from the Drinkard lime of the lower Permian that opened the House field.

Stanolind No. 1 House is bottomed at 4,440 feet. It has a string of 5 1/2-inch casing cemented at 4,438 feet. That pipe had been perforated at 4,406-30 feet, and that interval was treated with 500 gallons and 1,000 gallons of acid.

Latest Report

On the latest test reported, after the acid load and residue had been swabbed out the prospect swilled plus 98 barrels of salt water in 20 hours. Operator is continuing to test, to try to determine the exact source of the water and to work out the best method of producing the well.

It is generally believed that the water is coming from the bottom of the producing formation. Likely the project will be completed as a pump in the near future.

Another Lea Wildcat

Stanolind No. 1 Foster, another East-Central Lea County wildcat, located four miles south of Hobbs, and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 23-19s-38e, bottomed at 8,021 feet in an unidentified lime, after falling to find any possibilities of production in the lower 600 feet of the hole.

The prospector has been plugged back at 7,560 feet, and it will now make production tests on the section between 6,800 feet and the plugged back top of hole.

That position showed interesting signs of oil and gas in streaks. The formation is the Drinkard zone of the lower Permian.

The No. 1 Foster showed a little sign of gas and a small amount of salt water in a drillstem test at 7,925-69 feet. The tool was open two hours. Recovery was 90 feet of gas cut drilling mud and 720 feet of salt water.

Magnolia Tests

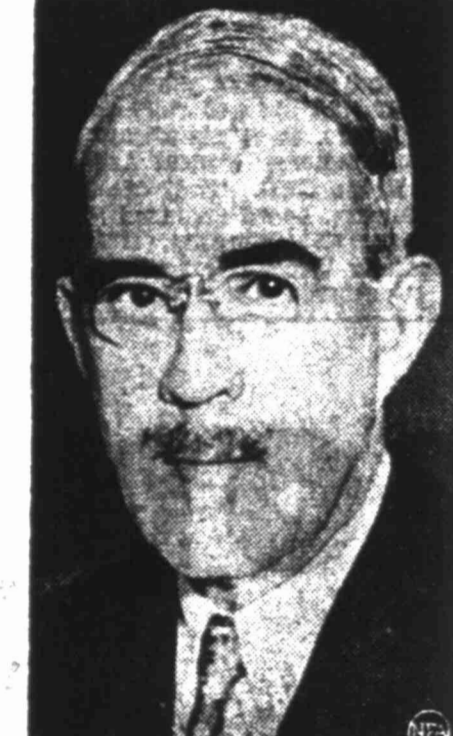
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Walker-Federal, wildcat in Northeast Lea County, two miles east of the Bough field, and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 3-8s-38e, has shown for an extension to the Pennsylvanian producing area of that pool, is to test the pay section through perforations in the casing, and try to complete a commercial oil well.

This position, bottomed at 9,729 feet with a string of 7-inch casing cemented at 9,715 feet. Operator plans to perforate the section between 9,688 feet and 9,715 feet and test early in the week.

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Water Man



Morris L. Cooke, above, prominent Philadelphia engineer, has been named by President Truman to head a seven-member commission to map a federal program to develop and conserve the nation's water supply.

GM&SC To Distribute New-Type Diesel In Permian Basin Area

General Machine & Supply Company, Inc., of Dallas, has been appointed exclusive distributor in the Permian Basin of West Texas and New Mexico for the new P. & H. Diesel engine.

The power unit is a light-weight, heavy-duty diesel of a revolutionary design. It is a two-cycle, blower-scavenger type machine of a low horsepower weight ratio.

The engine features a patented cylinder head and line assembly developed by Harnischfeger Diesel Engine Works.

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The engines are available in one, two, three, four and six cylinders, also in twins and quads. One of the outstanding features of the P. & H. diesels is their light-weight. They are said to average 30 per cent lighter than most diesels of the same power now in use.

General Machine & Supply Company have all types and models of the new engines in stock and available for delivery.

Also Handles LeRoi Engines

That concern will continue to sell and service LeRoi engines in West Texas and New Mexico. Ben O. Morgan is general manager of the company and J. Ed Erwin is sales manager.

The company is distributor for Ensign carburetion equipment and for all types of industrial magnets. It also manufactures and distributes vacuum throttle controls, which are in general use in all the oil fields of the world.

Seaboard Sends Hitt To Abilene Offices

Harry W. Hitt, who has been a landman in the district office of Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware in Midland has been transferred to the concern's sub-district office at Abilene.

On his new assignment Hitt will do land work in the Abilene territory, according to Harry H. Lawson, Seaboard's district manager in Midland.

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The Oil Pusher

Midland Offices Are Opened By Two More Oil Concerns

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Merman and George R. Brown of Houston, have established a geological and development office at 208 Wemple-Avery Building which is located at 110 West Wall.

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On Special Assignment

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Merman and George R. Brown and their affiliated operations, which include Highland Oil Company and

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mittee chairman of the Shell Oil Company is not reported by the CED, but the depletion tax change idea came from Roy Blough, former head of the Treasury's tax research division, who led the vain 1942 attempt to shave down the 27 1/2 per cent allowance for oil production.

A new University of Chicago professor, Blough came to CED policy meetings to argue the changes could mean an added half billion dollars a year to the federal government.

Perhaps in fact, President Truman was thinking of this when he alluded in his two messages to the Congress that his number one program is this:

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Election Of Officers For WTGS For 1950 To Be Held Tuesday

The West Texas Geological Society will have its first meeting of 1950 on Tuesday in the district courtroom of the Midland courthouse.

The program will include the election of officers for 1950, a report on oil production, and the showing of 16-mm kodachrome movies of three West Texas Geological Society field trips.

A nominating committee will submit at least three names for each WTGS office. Other nominations may be made from the floor for the election.

Nominees Listed

The nominating committee's suggestions for 1950 officers are:

For president: George R. Gibson, John M. Hills, and Theodore S. Jones.

For vice president: Jerald H. Barley, Robert E. Leonard, Alan B. Leeper, and Clyde W. Turner.

For secretary: C. H. Atchison, Robert P. Meyer, A. L. Repecka, and Harold L. Williams.

For treasurer: L. Wayne Ashmore, Nugent T. Brasher, Lloyd C. Mills, and Robert N. Watson.

The movies were made last November in connection with the annual meeting of the Geological Society of America in El Paso. The pictures will cover the Big Bend, the Permian and the pre-Permian field trips. The Tuesday meeting will be their first showing.

German Is To Open New Law Offices

W. P. Z. German, Jr., Midland attorney, announced Saturday that he had withdrawn from the firm of Stubbsman, McRae and Sealy, in which he was formerly a partner, and is to open new offices for the general practice of law.

He will specialize in oil and gas matters, particularly on items which are handled before the Railroad Commission of Texas, such as allowables and MER cases.

German will open offices at 415 North Big Spring Street on February 1. He is temporarily located at 415 Permian Building.

A full of approximately 30 tons is exerted on the steel frame by the strings of a grand piano.

French Airmailer

The new 1,000-frame airmail stamp, above, will be issued in Paris by the French postal system on January 14. It is, in fact, the highest denomination of French stamps—but at current exchange rates, 1,000 francs is worth about \$2.26 in American money.

Skelly Adds Two To Geological Staff Of WT-NM District

Addition of two new members to the geological staff of Skelly Oil Company's West Texas-New Mexico district office in Midland, was announced Saturday by Allen Ehlers, district geologist.

John R. Gisborne is to be assistant district geologist. He came from Wichita Falls, where he has been associated with the company since 1947. During his service with Skelly Gisborne worked in the Texas Panhandle, in North Texas and in Oklahoma.

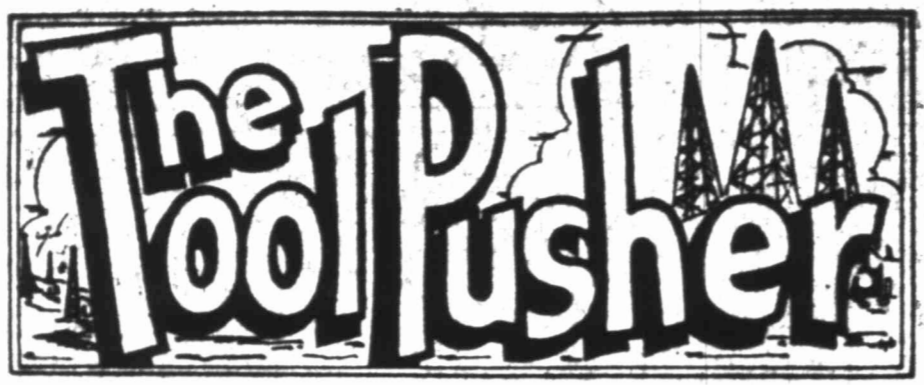
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Frio Oil Company, are active in several Gulf Coast areas. They are currently developing the Buena Vista field, Northwest Garza County and are starting a wildcat in Crane County.

West Texas-Southeast New Mexico headquarters for the operations of J. S. Abercrombie, Houston independent oil operator, have been opened at room 28 McClintic Building in Midland.

Robert H. Reeves is landman and Leon Spivey is drilling and production superintendent. Both men have been living in Midland for some time and have been looking after the Abercrombie interests in this region throughout having the benefit of a downtown office.

Abercrombie owns considerable developed and undeveloped oil property in North Pecos County and currently has five rigs running in Scurry County on leases which are inside the proven areas of Canyon production. He is also drilling a deep wildcat in Schleicher County.

TEXAS OIL ROUNDUP—

Oil Men Show Increased Concern Over Prospects Of Slump In Crude Prices

By MAX B. SKELTON

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Calf Sale Benefits Boys' Ranch



LOU (left), a yearling consigned by Laodie Linthicum of Barnhart, was sold Saturday in San Angelo, with the proceeds going to the West Texas Boys Ranch fund for use toward the establishment and operation of a ranch home for dependent and homeless boys. Linthicum is pictured with Don Randolph.

TEXAS OIL ROUNDUP—

Oil Men Show Increased Concern Over Prospects Of Slump In Crude Prices

By MAX B. SKELTON

HOUSTON—Fear of a crude oil price slump by Spring is causing more and more concern among oil men.

Prospects of continued cutbacks in domestic production, combined with resulting strong competition, fill industry spokesmen with gloom. Oil men now are saying they expect this year the sharpest competition since the war.

Producers in Texas, Oklahoma and Kansas this week began abiding by January allowable cutbacks that threatened to drop domestic output to less than 4,900,000 barrels daily. Production at the end of 1948 was averaging 5,664,000 barrels daily.

The Bureau of Mines last week said domestic crude production last year dropped eight per cent to a total of 1,846,000,000 barrels. It blamed a drop in the postwar trend for increased demand, increased foreign oil imports, and a tendency to reduce additions to stocks.

At the same time, the bureau reported, natural gas production jumped to nearly 6,000,000,000 cubic feet, an increase of about 12 per cent over 1948.

Texas crude production alone dropped from 1948's 598,000,000 barrels to 734,000,000 while its output climbed to a record 3,433,000,000,000 cubic feet.

Most oil men, particularly in Texas, believe a sharp cutback in world crude production brought into the United States would remove most of the threat of a domestic fight over crude prices.

Texas congressmen, now back in Washington promised during the Christmas holidays to seek quick action on legislation limiting imports.

It is unlikely, however, much action, if any, can be expected prior to January 26 when the first quarterly meeting of the National Petroleum Council is scheduled in Washington.

The council is to receive a report from its petroleum imports committee. Industry spokesmen are expected to step into the oil industry squabble undoubtedly still are hopeful the council eventually will offer a formula for solving the imports problem.

Any solution—whether designed by the council or Congress—would be only temporary, insofar as the domestic industry's anxiety over foreign oil is concerned.

Increasingly

Postwar expansion of foreign oil reserves, production and facilities is increasing rapidly. The domestic industry can expect more and more problems to develop with continuation of this trend.

For example, the Bureau of Mines, in announcing that domestic crude output declined eight per cent last year, also estimated that world crude production slipped only 2 1/2 per cent. This means that while United States wells were being shut down or cut back to reduced flow new and old foreign wells were turning out oil at a higher rate.

The Oil and Gas Journal estimates foreign production in 1949 increased 10 per cent over 1948, while United States output dropped nine per cent. The oil publication also says foreign proven petroleum reserves now approximate \$2,000,000,000 barrels, just about twice domestic reserves.

Tidelands

Moving into Washington last week along with the opponents of foreign crude imports were the opponents of federal ownership or control of the oil rich coastal tidelands.

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Another New Tide Water

Tide Water No. 3 Stoker, planned for the North Snyder field, is to be 467 feet from north and west lines of the southeast quarter of section 17, block 1, J. P. Smith survey, two miles north of Snyder. Contracted depth is 6,800 feet.

Amerada Petroleum Corporation has changed the location of its No. 2 G. D. Boyles. It will be 665 feet from south and 662 feet from east lines of the northwest quarter of section 201, block 97, H&TC survey.

That places the No. 2 G. D. Boyles five miles northeast of Knapp. Contracted depth is the usual 7,000 feet for the Diamond M field pay. A Danziger Completion

Danziger Oil & Refining Company No. 4 Permian has been completed in the North Snyder field. On a 24-hour potential, it flowed naturally for 228.24 barrels of 39 gravity oil. Flow was through a 17/64-inch choke, and no water was developed. Tubing pressure was 800 pounds. Gas-oil ratio was 106-1. Pay was topped at 6,945 feet, and total depth was 6,964 feet. A 5 1/2-inch oil string was set at 6,981 feet.

Location of the Danziger producer is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 994, block 97, H&TC survey.

West Texas Daily Oil Allowable Listed At 1,003,273 Barrels

The West Texas district of the Railroad Commission of Texas, oil & gas division, now has a daily crude allowable of over a million barrels.

The Midland office of the division headquarters for District Eight, was informed Saturday that the 24,146 producing wells in the district now have an allowable of 1,003,273 barrels of crude oil per day.

J. L. Greer, supervisor for the West Texas district, stated that to his knowledge, this is the first Texas district to be allowed over a million barrels a day.

However, he qualified his statement by saying that past figures for the East Texas field were not available to him.

Calculating the 17-day allowable to an actual 31-day month, the wells of the area will produce 69,078 barrels a day, under the current schedule.

One of every five British homes has been damaged, more or less, by bombs.

S-C Andrews Field To Get An Outpost

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company has staked an outpost to the Three Bar field in South-Central Andrews County, 17 miles southwest of the town of Andrews.

Deviations production of the field is from around 8,000 feet. The projected depth of Stanolind No. 2-AF University is 8,600 feet, unless it gets production above that level.

Location is to be 660 feet from south and 2,051 feet from west lines of the southwest quarter of section 16, block 11, University survey.

Operations Started On Midland Wildcat

Magnolia Petroleum Company has begun operations on a 13,500 foot Ellenburger wildcat, 11 1/2 miles southwest of Midland.

Operators have completed the spudding operations on the No. 2 Roy Parks. Surface casing was cemented at 453 feet, with the total depth being 468 feet on last report.

As soon as the cement in the casing cures, the plug will be drilled and operation will start making new hole.

Location of the Midland County wildcat is 1,980 feet from west and 660 feet from north lines of section 10, M. Daugherty survey.

Magnolia Completes Pecos Field Stepout

Magnolia Petroleum Company has completed a stepout from the Abell-Shurian-Montoya field in North-Central Pecos County.

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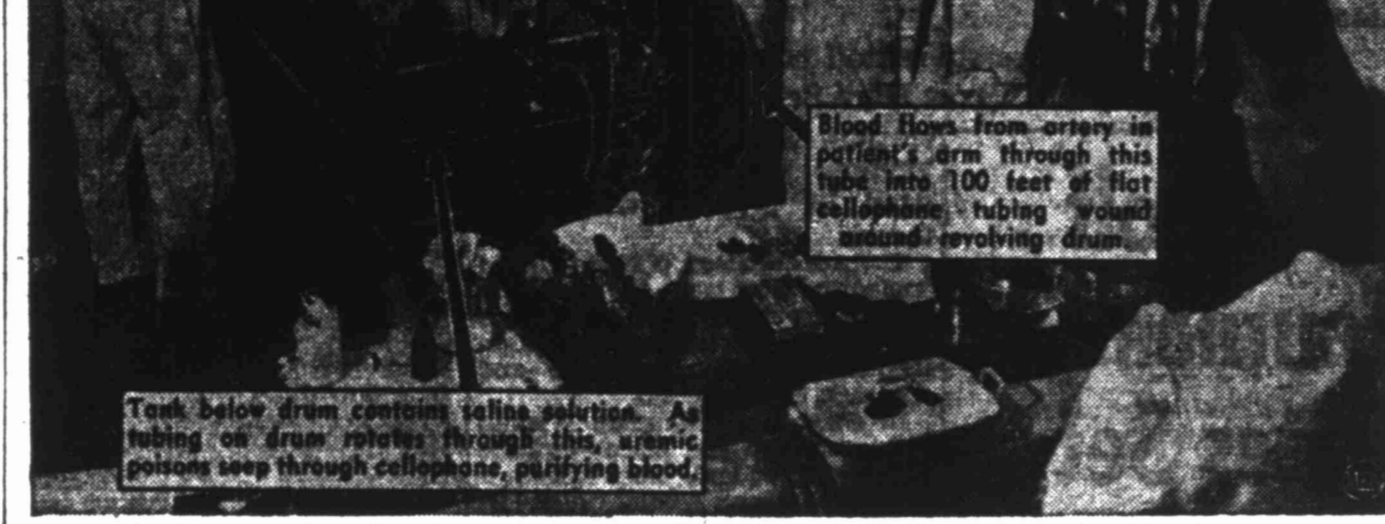
(Continued From Page One) ident, said members of other civic and service clubs and other interested persons are invited to attend.

Second Reward Is Offered In Auto Window Vandalism

Another reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone guilty of willfully smashing car windows in Midland on the night of December 31, 1959, has been posted in connection with the New Year's Eve vandalism which resulted in the smashing of windows of 35 parked automobiles.

Company Gives Flat 'No' To Demands Of Telephone Workers

ST. LOUIS — (AP) — The Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. Friday flatly rejected union demands for 15-cent hourly wage boosts for 50,000 employees in six states.



When the kidneys fail to function, poisons normally eliminated pile up in the body. This brings on acute uremic poisoning, generally fatal, unless the condition is quickly relieved.

Wide Variance In Water Line Bids Opened By Council

Bids ranging from a low of \$18,419.50 to a high of \$29,992 for the laying of a 12-inch water line in North and West Midland were received and opened Friday afternoon by the City Council, meeting in executive session in the City Hall.

Cattlemen

(Continued From Page One) uniform system of grazing administration is now exists under the Taylor Grazing Act.

Tax Cuts

(Continued From Page One) economies would leave cash income of more than \$45,000,000,000 and outlays of \$40,000,000,000.

Watchman Confesses Abduction Tale Hoax

DETROIT — (AP) — A faked story of abduction and threat spiced the fantastic record of the CIO auto union's troubles Saturday.

Evangelists

(Continued From Page One) four towns near Rome. One of the Italians quoted a priest as saying to his Castel Gandolfo congregation at a Sunday service: "Why don't some 300 of you young men turn their jeeps over so they will know you do not want to become Protestants?"

Soldiers

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Woman Is Slashed; Suspect Arrested

Nedina Mendoza, a Latin American woman, was slashed with a knife at a dance hall about 11 p. m. Saturday and a Latin American youth was arrested a short time later.

Stock Prices Again Soar To New Highs

NEW YORK — (AP) — Low-priced stocks sent the price level upward again Saturday.

Woods Does About Face On Politics

AUSTIN — Dr. L. A. Woods, former state school superintendent, said Friday he made a mistake Thursday when he told the Associated Press he was "out of politics."

Settlement Looms In Milk Buying Dispute

BROWNWOOD — (AP) — A settlement appeared near Saturday night in the fuss between the Central Texas Cooperative Marketing Association and the Banner Creameries.

William Brady, 86, Noted Showman, Dies

NEW YORK — (AP) — William A. Brady, 86-year-old producer and manager of stars, died Friday.

Six Children Die In Flash Home Fire

MEDWAX, MAINE — (AP) — Six children—five of them brothers—died Saturday in a flash fire that raked a rural dwelling in a snowstorm.

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Visiting in Midland

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Stanolind Tests

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Location is 1,900 feet from south and east lines of section 13-115-27e, and about 18 miles southeast of Roswell.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Federal-Wiggs, Central-South Eddy County prospector, 14 miles south of Carlsbad, and 1,900 feet from north and east lines of section 21-24s-27e, had reached 14,872 feet, in an unidentified lime sand and shale and was coring ahead.

Honolulu No. 2 State, one-quarter of a mile north of the same company's No. 1 State, and 1,900 feet from north and east lines of section 13-115-27e, has been plugged and abandoned as a dry hole on a total depth of 2,115 feet in the San Andres lime.

This venture logged some signs of oil and gas in the San Andres, but they could not be developed for commercial production, even after the horizon had been shot with nitro glycerin, and abandonment was ordered.

Honolulu drilled No. 2 State to the San Andres, after the No. 1 State had developed a considerable amount of free oil in a drillstem test of that horizon. If No. 1 State fails to find production in the lower horizons it probably will plug back and complete in the San Andres.

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News Analyst Will Address Knife, Fork Club Thursday Night

Don Bolt, internationally famous news analyst, world traveler and radio commentator, will be the guest speaker at the second meeting of the Midland Knife and Fork Club at 6:30 p. m. Thursday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

Shell Recognizes Long Service Of Seven Employees

Service awards were made to seven Shell Oil Company employees at a recent luncheon at the Midland Country Club. Three of those awards were for twenty-year service. Fifteen-year awards were made to two employees and two persons received ten-year awards.

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Advertisement for 'W.D. TRACTORS' and 'PERMIAN EQUIPMENT CO.' featuring a tractor and various farm equipment. Text includes: 'NEW - W. D. TRACTORS Buy Your All Crop Harvesters Now. See our Model "G" Tractors, special for small acreage.'

Advertisement for 'JOHNSON BROS. BUILDERS' featuring a house and construction services. Text includes: 'Serving The Petroleum Industry ENGINEERS & BUILDERS Registered civil engineers and state land surveyors in Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Texas.'

Advertisement for 'HINE BUSINESS COLLEGE' featuring a graduation cap and text: 'WINTER TERM NOW OPEN Prepare quickly for a business position. Be a secretary, stenographer, accountant, typist-receptionist.'



The Rev. Edwin A. Foley, 75-year-old retired Methodist minister of Huron, S. D., has seen basketball come a long way. He says he participated in the first official basketball game ever played, on Jan. 20, 1892, in the YMCA gymnasium in Springfield, Mass.

Bulldogs Divide With Big Spring

Midland's Bulldogs split another brace of basketball games with the Big Spring Steers Friday night. The 'B' Bulldogs had an easy time winning 24 to 19 but the varsity charges of Coach Jack Mashburn went down by a 39-32 score.

Howard Jones and Harold Rosson led a blistering offense for the varsity Steers. They accounted for 21 of the points scored and passed in the ball for many more.

Walter Spiller was the outstanding threat for Midland. He connected on two free throws and two baskets. His shots were to the point on several other tries but the ball just wouldn't fit the hoop.

David Weaver and Billy Phillips were close behind Spiller for high honors. Both played good defensive ball games.

Reserves shine. The 'B' Bulldogs won their game on free throws. In the last half, after the score had been tied at 13-13, they downed eight free throws without a miss.

John Van Buskirk and Dwane Bush went all out in the tilt. Bush took a dozen rebounds off the backboard and Van Buskirk "stole" the ball time after time.

With a lead of only seven points late in the fourth quarter, Coach Audrey Gill ordered "operation: freeze the ball." For two and a half of the last three minutes the Purple reserves held it. This operation saved the game.

The box scores:

MIDLAND A (22)	fg	ft	tp
E. Phillips	1	3	0
Weaver	2	0	4
Smith	0	0	1
Moss	0	1	0
Spiller	2	0	1
Gilmore	0	1	0
Branch	0	0	0
O. Phillips	0	0	1
Drake	2	0	2
Burks	0	2	1
Totals	7	8	10

BIG SPRING A (39)	fg	ft	tp
Jones	6	2	4
Brown	6	0	3
Leonard	0	1	0
Martin	1	1	3
Washburn	0	0	1
Harris	0	2	0
Rosson	3	1	3
Jones	0	0	1
Totals	16	7	15

MIDLAND B (24)	fg	ft	tp
Kennedy	0	2	4
Weathered	1	0	0
McCormick	2	0	1
Lineberger	0	2	2
Bush	2	3	5
Johnson	2	1	1
Van Buskirk	0	2	1
Stice	0	0	2
Totals	7	10	17

BIG SPRING B (19)	fg	ft	tp
Word	0	1	2
Lawell	0	1	0
Armistead	0	1	4
Choate	0	1	0
Moines	0	1	5
Warren	1	1	0
Blankenship	2	0	4
McBreath	1	1	2
Gross	2	1	3
Warren	0	2	0
Totals	6	7	19

EXTRA-SPECIALIST EAST LANSING, MICH.—(AP)—George Smith, Michigan State's extra-point specialist, converted 38 times in 41 attempts during the 1949 season. In addition, two field goals swelled his point total to 44, third highest on the Spartan team.

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West Texans Land Spots On All-State Schoolboy Elevens

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor
Twenty-six schools landed players on the 1949 all-state schoolboy football teams selected for the City Conference, Class AA and Class A by the Texas Sports Writers Association.

Hundreds of coaches submitted nominations through a poll conducted by the Texas High School Coaches Association. These and the sports writers' nominations were used in picking the three teams.

PGA Golf Tournament Dates Set

Definite dates for the Texas PGA Tournament which will be held at the Midland Country Club this year have been announced by Pro J. C. Hardwicke. Qualifying for the National PGA Tourney will be held May 29. Play will continue through June 4.

At least five golfers will qualify for the national PGA event, Hardwicke said. A pro-amateur event will be conducted May 30 to be followed by a pro-pro May 31. Amateurs will qualify for the state tournament during the pro-amateur event. The top 50 amateurs will be allowed to enter.

Crane Lions Make Grid Banquet Plans

CRANE—Final arrangements for the annual Football Banquet were made by members of the Lions Club at their weekly luncheon meeting. Virgil M. Keyes, is chairman of the committee handling the event, which is scheduled January 17.

Each Lion is to bring one member of the football squad or coaching staff as his guest. Keyes urged the public to attend. Tickets for the banquet will be placed on sale at Keltner Pharmacy, Ogle's Drug, Corner Trucks and the Pettis Grill. The sale of tickets will continue until January 13. Tickets are \$1.75.

WILL SHOW FILM "Bully" Gilstrap, end coach at Texas University, will show a movie of a Longhorn game and will address the group.

O. B. Wagner announced the beginning of the March of Dimes drive, and a motion was passed to contribute all the money collected for fines to this cause.

A proposal was made to purchase a portable "iron lung" for use in cases of suffocation, drowning or polio.

Brady Nix, chairman of the Lions basketball committee, announced dates of games to be played between the House of David team and two Crane teams. The famous travelers will meet Crane High School in the afternoon, February 7, and will play the News Publishing Company Independents at night.

WELL BRID MIAMI—(AP)—There is considerable interest among horsemen at Hialeah in the Menow-Risk yearling colt which Cain Hoy Stable acquired for \$37,500 at the Keeneland Summer Sales. Menow sired Capot, three-year-old champion of 1949, and Risk has produced Sky Larking, Pericles and Beaugay among others.

Stretch Run



Bobby Fernane tries out a hobby-horse at his Jamaica, N. Y., home after long hospital siege with compound leg fracture received in fall at Gulfstream Park last March. Bull unable to bend right leg fully, the popular jockey is exercising in hopes of riding again this Spring.

Tee Talk



Ben Hogan and Bill Seator talk golf at Riviera Country Club, Santa Monica, Calif., where the 12-year-old Bakersfield youth captured the Los Angeles Mascot Tournament. Restricted to golfers 12 and under, Seator became official mascot for Los Angeles Open in which Hogan started on the comeback trail following serious auto accident which sidelined the 1948 U. S. Open champion and leading money-winner.

Pecos, Fort Stockton In 5-A Cage Opener

PECOS—The Pecos Eagles will engage the Fort Stockton Panthers here Tuesday night in the opening game of the District 5-A basketball race.

The first game is scheduled at 7 p.m. Both A and B teams will play.

Johnny Lujack of the Chicago Bears threw 312 passes, more than any other player in the organization.

Pecos Boxers Train For Gloves Tourney

PECOS—A dozen young boxers are holding daily workouts here in preparation for the Pecos Golden Gloves Tournament to be held soon.

A definite tourney date has not been set.

The bill meet will offer divisions for juniors, novices and veterans.

In training now are Bobbie Mallet, Presians Ortega, Bill Bryant, Luffon Hudgens, George Boyd, Bob Huff and several others.

SPORTSLANTS

BY SHORTY SHELburnE

Rumors circulated here have it that Sid Hudson of the Washington Senators has bought, or is buying, an interest in the San Angelo Colts.

We notice Blondy Cross is mentioning Hudson in connection with the Colts, too.

Ernie Nelson, Midland left-hander, was on a team with Hudson in the Army. He said Sid's throwing arm was giving him some trouble then.

Perry Pickett, Midland attorney, relays to us the fact that four former Masonic Home football players who were on the 1932 state championship team now reside in Midland.

Harold McClure, a geologist for Gulf; Donk Roberts, also with Gulf; Leon Pickett, another Gulf employe, and Perry are the four.

McClure and Roberts later played football in college at TCU.

Rusty Russell coached the "Mighty Mites" to several district championships back in those days.

Things have started to develop in District 3-AA basketball. It comes to light the Brownfield Cubs, losers of 10 games on the gridiron, may be the team to beat on the hardwood. The Cubs have won nine and lost one.

At the same time it has been announced from Lubbock that All-Stater Jim Wilson has quit Wo-cage team to look for a job. Wilson was handed high honors last season when Lubbock advanced far in the state basketball race.

Tommy Hart of the Big Spring Herald says Wilson had been riding the bench most of the season before he quit.

He wasn't used when Lubbock played Big Spring, according to Hart. But the Westerners reportedly have plenty of polished material without Wilson.

Up in Lamesa, six boys are back from last season's district championship team.

The Tornados open the conference season in the MHS gym Tuesday night. We probably will be seeing a combination of T. J. Woodcock and several other players.

man, Bobby Hawkins, Bill Hart and Roy King.

Lamesa has suffered only a few set backs in non-conference games this year.

One more note on the Longhorn League meeting in Abilene Sunday. The league members will vote on the bonus rule again. It was retained by a vote of the minor leagues in Baltimore last month but George Trautman has called for another round of balloting.

The major leagues voted to repeal the present rule. That's probably the reason for another vote in the minors.

HALF SLANTS—Bery Mansell of Crane, a junior, and Eimer Six of Kermit, a sophomore, are making the cage team at Sul Ross College.

The Pecos Invitation Cage Tournament was canceled this year because only four teams indicated they would enter.

Edward T. Dicker, Dallas business man, has been pointed out as seeking a professional football franchise for Dallas. He reportedly would like to have his team play in the Cotton Bowl.

Glenn McCarthy also has been after a pro franchise for Houston. Wilford Moore of McMurry and Frank Kimbrough of West Texas State were named "coaches of the year" last week. Kimbrough coached Moore at Hardin-Simmons in the late 1930's.

Elementary Football Team Is Recognized

The South Elementary championship flag football team was given special recognition at halftime ceremonies during the Midland-Big Spring basketball game here Friday night.

Coach Charles McDonald introduced the players. They ran several plays from their regular formations.

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9.95 Men's Shoes	7 ⁴⁰
10.50 Men's Shoes	8 ⁴⁰
11.95 Men's Shoes	8 ⁹⁰
12.85 Men's Shoes	9 ⁹⁰
13.95 Men's Shoes	10 ⁴⁰
15.50 Men's Shoes	11 ⁹⁰
16.95 Men's Shoes	12 ⁹⁰

Sharp Reductions on Many Small Odd Lots to Close Out!

Purple Splits With Badgers

McCAMEY—The Midland Bulldogs and the McCamey Badgers split a basketball double-header here Saturday night. The varsity Badgers measured the visiting Bulldogs 32-25 to avenge an earlier loss to the Purple five at Midland. The B Bulldogs, however, brought Midland its glory for the evening with a 36-27 victory.

The varsity Bulldogs perked up in the last half after being under a 20-10 deficit at the intermission but the rally was not enough. Reed Gilmore of Midland and Brooks of McCamey tied for high-point honors with nine tabs apiece.

Johnson Scores 12
The B Bulldogs purred along smoothly with Dwane Bush and Buddy Johnson sparking the attack. Johnson was high-pointed in the battle with 12 marks. Bush got eight. Davidson of McCamey garnered 11 tallies and his mate Boggs got nine.

The box scores:

MIDLAND B (36)	fg	ft	ft p
Kennedy	0	0	0
Grissett	1	0	0
Weathered	1	0	0
Black	0	0	0
Lineberger	1	0	1
Hatfield	1	0	2
W. Black	0	0	0
Bush	4	0	8
Floyd	0	0	0
Johnson	5	2	12
Wright	1	0	2
Buskirk	1	2	4
Stice	1	0	2
Totals	16	4	13 36

McCAMEY B (27)

Baron	fg	ft	ft p
Baron	0	0	0
Frison	0	0	0
Boggs	3	4	9
Putnam	2	2	6
Patterson	0	0	0
Davidson	4	3	11
Totals	9	9	8 27

MIDLAND A (25)

Weaver	fg	ft	ft p
Weaver	2	2	6
B. Phillips	0	1	2
Moss	0	0	0
Smith	2	0	2
Spiller	1	0	2
Gilmore	3	3	9
Branch	1	1	3
O. Phillips	0	0	0
Burks	0	0	0
Drake	0	0	0
Totals	9	7	13 25

McCAMEY A (32)

Stokes	fg	ft	ft p
Stokes	1	2	4
Camp	3	1	4
Eggs	0	0	0
Brooks	3	3	9
Stokes	3	2	8
Vaughn	2	0	4
Davidson	0	0	0
Totals	12	8	14 32

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Arriving in San Francisco by air from Honolulu Mildred Wong, above, who holds the title "Miss China," was greeted with an armful of roses.

Sports

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Bulldogs To Open Conference Cage Campaign Tuesday

The District 3-AA basketball season officially opened Friday night but the Midland Bulldogs drew a bye in the first round. The season actually will open for them in the Midland High School gymnasium Tuesday night when the Purple engages the defending-champion Lamesa Tornados.

The district schedule calls for two rounds of play on a home and home basis. Midland, Odessa, Lubbock, Lamesa and Brownfield will participate.

Coach Jack Mashburn's varsity Bulldogs are showing steady improvement. They played a tough pre-season schedule and made a fair showing.

Olle and Billy Phillips are improving their floor game all the time and will be counted on to carry a big part of the load in the conference scramble.

Players improving
David Weaver, Robert Burks and Norman Drake have developed into fast ball-handlers and are connecting well at the basket.

Reed Gilmore, although not high among the scorers, is a steady man on the hardwood. His ability as a guard has paid dividends.

Harrie Smith, one of the high-point men, continues to jump center for the Bulldogs.

Corky Moss, Walter Spiller and Jack Mobley saw a lot of action in warm-up games. They are used frequently in Coach Mashburn's platoon system.

Lamesa is reported to have a potent outside attack this season. T. L. Womack and Ronald Chapman lead a blistering offense for the Tornados.

Here are the individual scoring records of the varsity Bulldogs:

Players	Points
Walter Spiller	51
David Weaver	49
Harrie Smith	46
Billy Phillips	46
Olle Phillips	45
Norman Drake	40
Robert Burks	37
Reed Gilmore	17
Corky Moss	16
Bill Branch	9
Jack Mobley	2

The complete schedule for district play:

- January 13—Odessa, there.
- January 24—Lubbock, here.
- January 27—Brownfield, there.
- January 31—Bye.
- February 3—Lamesa, there.
- February 7—Odessa, here.
- February 10—Lubbock, there.
- February 14—Brownfield, here.

OPPONENTS LIKE HIM

EAST LANSING, MICH.—(AP)—Don Coleman, Michigan State's basketball sophomore tackle, was the most respected of all Spartans' 1949 gridders among opponents. He was named on the all-opponent teams of seven of the nine Michigan State rivals.

Ben Hogan Moves Up In LA Tourney

LOS ANGELES.—(AP)—Ben Hogan moved his comeback campaign into contention Saturday but he still was five strokes off the pace and tied for third place at the midway mark of the \$15,000 Los Angeles Open.

The game little belter from Texas blasted out a two-under-par 69 in the second round of the tournament, with a large section of a gallery of 11,500 tagging at his heels for a 36-hole total of 142.

The surprise leader proved to be little known but widely respected Jerry Barber of Pasadena, who shot a 68 to go with his opening round 69 for a total of 137.

Henry Ransom of St. Andrews, Ill., was second with a 72-67-139. Hogan, clipping a stroke off par with a spectacular 60-foot slanting putt on the fifteenth hole and another with an eight-foot putt on the seventeenth, improved on his 73 fired Friday.

Elsworth Vines of Pasadena wound up with a 73 for 142, to share third place with Hogan, and Baltimore's Otto Greiner took a 72 for 143 at the halfway point of the tournament.

Through Fallow Ben The weather was ideal and large galleries turned out to watch the show. Hogan drew by far the largest but sizable throngs followed three-somes that included Sam Snead, Cary Middlecoff and Jimmy Demaret.

Eric Monti of Los Angeles, playing with Hogan, carded a 70 for 143 and the other member of the trio, Johnny Bulla, got a 75 for 149.

National Open Champion Cary Middlecoff from Memphis dropped back with a 76 for 149, and Willie Turnesa of Briarcliff, N. Y., fell further with an 80 for 153. Veteran Dutch Harrison shot a 73 for 147 to trail the leaders, and former PGA Champion Bob Hamilton, Landover, Md., took a 73 for 144.

Amateur Frank Stranahan, Toledo, shot his second 75 for 150, but Bob Duden of Portland, Ore., remained the leading amateur at this stage with a 72 for 147.

Other 36-hole scores included: Bob Watson, Wichita Falls, 144; Jack Harden, El Paso, 145; Shelley Mayfield, Seguin, 150; Fred Hewkins, El Paso, 150; Raymond Gafford, Fort Worth, 152; Tommy Bolt, Houston, 152.

Joe Akins Resigns

Assistant Coach Joe Akins Saturday announced he has resigned his position on the coaching staff at Midland High School to accept a commission in the Army.

Akins, former Abilene Christian College griddler, coached the 'C' Bulldogs football and basketball teams. He also was track coach.

He will report to Fort Benning, Ga., Monday.

Coach Tugboat Jones said an assistant coach to fill the vacancy has not been named. He said no other changes were expected in coaching personnel.

Texas Tech Football Schedule Released

LUBBOCK.—An 11-game football schedule for Texas Technological College with five contests slated for Jones Stadium next fall, including a November 11 homecoming date against the University of Tulsa, has been announced by Morley Jennings, Tech athletic director.

Texas Christian University returns to the Tech schedule replacing the 1949 date with Abilene Christian college.

The complete 1950 schedule:

- Sept. 23—Texas, here.
- Sept. 30—Texas A&M, San Antonio.
- Oct. 7—West Texas State, here.
- Oct. 14—TCU, Fort Worth.
- Oct. 21—Baylor, Waco.
- Oct. 28—Texas Western, here.
- Nov. 4—Rice, Houston.
- Nov. 11—Tulsa, here (homecoming).
- Nov. 18—Arizona, Tucson.
- Nov. 25—New Mexico, here.
- Dec. 2—Hardin-Simmons, Abilene.

Little League Chief Slates Odessa Visit

HOUSTON.—(AP)—Carl E. Stots, Williamsport, Pa., founder and national director of "Little League" baseball for youngsters of from eight to 12 years of age, will be in Texas this week to assist in organizing leagues.

George Kirksey, secretary of the Houston Little League, said Stots' conferences will begin Tuesday at Texarkana and continue Wednesday in Houston, at Victoria Thursday, Austin and Waco Friday, and Odessa Saturday.

House Of David Here Next Month

The famous House of David basketball team has been booked for an appearance in the Midland High School Gym February 9, Principal Charles Mathews announced.

The bearded five will engage a team of Midland all-stars which will be managed by Copper Daugherty.

Mathews said the game is being sponsored by the schools and profits will be used in the purchase of a public address system.

Independent Cage Meet At Andrews

ANDREWS.—A basketball tournament for independent teams in this area will be held here January 19, 20 and 21. The meet will be under the sponsorship of the Andrews Senior Class.

Glenn H. Ivy has been named tournament director. He has invited all independent teams to enter. He may be reached at the school here.

RIKE CHAMPS TO BELGIUM

BRUSSELS.—(AP)—The world road cycling championship will be held in Belgium, August 19-20, this year, round a 55-mile course near Ypres.

A committee delegated by the International Cycling Union has chosen a road which begins at Moorslede. An amateur race of a little more than 100 miles will be held on August 19, and the professionals will peddle 177.2 miles the following day.

Moore Ludka, seven-foot, three-inch center, leads the notables on the David team. He is a former Syracuse University cager.

Bobby Roth, former pro star; "Toss" Heaver; Frank Makula; an All-America guard; and Bud Scott, forward, complete the first team.

Daugherty said his team will include L. C. Neatherlin, Hubert (Duck) Drake, Larry Willes, Barney (Duck) Drake, Frank Arbanas, Jim Smil, and Leonard Shepherd. It will be the same team which played the House of David here last season.

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Sport

'C' Bulldogs Move To Cage Tourney Quarter-Finals

SAN ANGELO—The Midland "C" Bulldogs advanced to the quarterfinals of the San Angelo Junior Invention Basketball Tournament before losing out Friday.

Coach Joe Akins' crew smothered the Rebels of San Angelo's Robert E. Lee Junior High 42 to 25 in the first round.

Box scores follow:

MIDLAND		fg	ft	tp
Whitaker	10	3	6	0
Harris	0	0	0	0
Kimsey	3	2	8	0
Robbins	0	0	0	0
Keisling	4	0	8	0
Kone	2	0	4	0
Friday	4	1	2	0
Padin	1	0	2	0
Orisham	1	1	3	0
Erskine	1	0	2	0
Braun	0	0	0	0
Totals	19	4	42	0
SAN ANGELO REBELS		fg	ft	tp
Jones	2	0	4	0
Dickson	1	2	4	0
Abbott	1	0	2	0
Salles	5	1	10	0
Slaughter	1	2	5	0
Clatterback	2	1	5	0
Nickel	0	0	0	0
Stevens	0	0	0	0
West	0	0	0	0
Buryard	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	3	25	0

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Whitaker	10	3	6	0
Harris	0	0	0	0
Kimsey	3	2	8	0
Robbins	0	0	0	0
Keisling	4	0	8	0
Kone	2	0	4	0
Friday	4	1	2	0
Padin	1	0	2	0
Orisham	1	1	3	0
Erskine	1	0	2	0
Braun	0	0	0	0
Totals	15	3	33	0

Texas Aggies Will Play Michigan State

COLLEGE STATION — (P) — Texas A&M will play Michigan State in football at East Lansing, Mich., October 11, 1952, Athletic Director Barlow Irvin announced Saturday.

Nationalists Send Planes, Guerrillas Against Red Foes

HONG KONG — (P) — The Chinese Nationalists reported increasing air raids and guerrilla operations Saturday against the Communists on the mainland.

Dallas Schoolman Heads National Group

WASHINGTON — (P) — The American Association of School Administrators has elected Warren Travis White of Dallas president to take office March 15, succeeding John L. Bracken, Clayton, Mo.

Goldstone Nag Wins San Pasqual Handicap

ARCADIA, CALIF. — (P) — Solidarity, Mrs. Nat Goldstone's bargain buy, took the lead going into the back stretch Saturday and outlasted Noor to win the \$50,000 Santa Anita San Pasqual Handicap at Santa Anita.

JURY ACQUITS FORMER DALLAS COUNTY OFFICIAL

DALLAS — (P) — A criminal district court jury Saturday acquitted Thomas C. Goforth, former Dallas County commissioner, of a charge he stole public funds.

InAndAround MHS

By CHARLES FARIS

Mr. Bisio started something when he told his biology classes that the heart of the average person beats 72 times per minute. Stung by the proof, so they started taking their heartbeats. Beats ran all the way from 42 to 105 beats per minute. Though Bisio doesn't believe these extremes he gives no explanation for them.

Records show that over the holiday week 40 per cent of the 112 enrolled in Midland High School attended the church of their choice.

When English and math teacher Jere Bass was reading the story "The Lady and the Tiger," he asked his class which they thought came out of the door, the lady or the tiger. Some thought that the tiger would be the choice. He said, "I think that a lady tiger came out."

Maggie Murphy and Cynthia Parker were out part of last week with appendicitis. We are glad to see them back around the halls of MHS.

MHSers will be happy to know that teachers are going to school at 2:30 p.m. on Jan. 23, 1950. This gives poor over-worked MHS students an hour and a half of extra freedom, and gives poor teacher more work.

We're glad to have Frank Ingham back in school after his trip to the Ingham ranch in New Mexico.

Certain teachers want to know where Betty Jean Click and Margaret Thomas were from three to four on January 6.

Mrs. Josephine Parr's Freshman English classes have been hearing records on stories and poems they are studying in their classes.

The name of this column has been changed from "Kenny Kapers" to "In and Around MHS," and will appear as a regular feature in the Bulldog.

Firemen Answer Three Calls Here

Midland firemen were called out three times Saturday morning.

MHS Math Teacher Attends National Meeting in Kansas

Mrs. Elsie Magee, math teacher in Midland High School, attended a meeting of the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics, December 28 and 29 at Wichita, Kansas.

Congratulations

The student body of Midland High School wishes to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Tanner Laine on the birth of an eight-pound, eight-ounce son, Tanner Allison Laine. He was born Monday, Jan. 2, 1950, at 6:23 p.m. at Western Clinic-Hospital.

Christmas Holiday Parties Brighten Yule Season For MHS Students, Exes

Donald, Raymond Doyle, William Emmons, and Ronnie McFadden entertained the gathering with their own musical renditions.

Christmas Holiday Parties Brighten Yule Season For MHS Students, Exes

The program consisted of lectures, discussion groups, and moving picture forums. Mrs. Magee was the only representative of this district, although there were representatives from other parts of Texas and from other states.

Christmas Holiday Parties Brighten Yule Season For MHS Students, Exes

Among those home from Texas State College for Women were Enid Little and Nel Cole.

Christmas Holiday Parties Brighten Yule Season For MHS Students, Exes

Home from New Mexico Military Institute were Camden Chancellor, Bob Holt, George Glass, Watson L. Force, and Al German.

Christmas Holiday Parties Brighten Yule Season For MHS Students, Exes

Students home from Baylor were Jo Ann Montgomery and Howard Bennett.

Looking Ahead—

Monday: Group Two clubs.
Tuesday: Advisory rooms.
Wednesday: Assembly.
Thursday: Clubs.
Friday: Advisory rooms.

Charlton, Gilmore Named Most Popular Students

The student body of MHS voted Peggy Charlton and Reed Gilmore the most popular girl and boy in the school. Both are members of the Junior Class.

Peggy Charlton, in addition, is Junior Class secretary, a majorette in the band, and an attendant in the 1950 Catoico Coronation.



Peggy Charlton

Her courses include band, plane geometry, English, typing, and American history. On Mondays and Thursdays she reports to the band and Science Clubs.

Peggy is 16, and has brown hair and eyes. This five foot, one inch girl has hopes for an architect. To the unscientific, this is a study of bones. She has not decided yet where she will attend college.

Reed Gilmore is Junior class treasurer, and a student council representative.

He is very active in sports, having earned two letters in football and one in basketball. He is on the starting lineup of this year's basketball team and one of two returning lettermen.

This year Reed is taking plane geometry, English, American history, mechanical drawing, and physical education.

He was born in Fort Worth 16 years ago. He has blond hair and blue eyes and is five feet, nine inches tall.

Though he has not decided definitely where he will attend college, he names Texas University or Texas Tech as possible choices. He plans to major in architecture.

Howdy Pardner

(An Editorial)

"Howdy" is the miracle word of the West. A smile is the universal miracle. Only one who has tried both knows the true magic of them. Notice how someone's eyes light up when you smile, say hello, and call them by name.

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My answer to the question, "In an age of science, can an educated man believe in the Bible?" is, at any age no person is educated if he does not believe in the Bible."

The Rev. Vernon Yearby, minister of the First Baptist Church, introduced Dr. Rimmer. Raymond Hall, Educational Director of the Baptist Church, led the student body in "Onward Christian Soldiers."

John House acted as master of ceremonies and led the assembled group in the "Star Spangled Banner" and the Pledge of Allegiance.

Seniors Nominated For Annual DAR Trip

Announcement of 18 Senior Class girls was announced Wednesday, January 4, for the annual Good Citizenship Pilgrimage, sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution.

One girl will be picked from this group to represent MHS in the state selection of a winner to make the trip to Washington, D. C.

One girl from each state is chosen to take the trip, and all expenses of the journey are paid by the DAR.

MHS girls nominated are Carol Glahn, Peggy Minear, Chalk Murray, Maggie Murphy, Betty Wilson, Rosalynn Leggett, Katherine Lewis, Helen Cartwright, Eddie Juan Darnell, Fay Montgomery, Pauline Rasco, Fran Clayton, JoAnn Ragan, Jo Anne Boykin, Nancy Trauber, Janis Slough, Jennell Bolin, and Tina Williams.

Candidates must be senior girls. The qualifications are dependability, service, leadership, patriotism, and scholarship.

No girl who takes the pilgrimage is to be penalized in any way for absence from school during the time needed to complete the trip.

The method of selecting the winner is as follows: The Senior Classes shall select by highest vote three senior girls, who can best fulfill the requirements and the qualifications. A committee of seniors or faculty members will make the final selection.

That girl's name will be sent to Gordon Worley of the State Department of Education. Worley will choose one girl from each supervisory district and will certify her name to L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Education. Woods will choose a final winner and two alternate winners and send their names to Mrs. Ralph O'Mathews, State Chairman, D.A.R.

Exams Approaching; Schedule Is Listed

Under the new Gilmer-Aikin school law, no student will be dismissed from any of the regular school days during semester exams, which will be given on the afternoons of January 18, 19, and 20.

An hour and 10 minutes will be allowed for each exam. Last year all English exams were given at the same time, as were the math, science, typing, etc. This year exams will come according to periods.

The exam schedule is as follows: Wednesday, January 11
First, third and fifth periods will meet in the morning at regular hours; lunch and fourth period will be at the regular time. The second period exam will be from 1:30-2:40 p.m. and sixth period exam from 2:40-3:50 p.m.

Thursday, January 12
First, second and fifth periods will be in the morning. All students will go to lunch from 11:50-12:40 a.m. Third period exams will be from 12:40-1:30 p.m. and fourth period from 1:50-3:00 p.m. The sixth period class will be at the regular time.

Friday, January 13
Second, third and fourth period classes will be in the morning. All students will go to lunch from 11:50-12:40 a.m. First period exams will be from 12:40-1:50 p.m. and the fifth period exam from 1:50-3:00 p.m. The sixth period class will be at the regular time.

Annual Meets To Be Held In March, April

Sites and dates for the 1950 Interscholastic League Meets have been announced and students are busy improving their skills in order to bring honor to their Alma Mater.

District literary events will be held March 18 in Lubbock. This includes one-act plays, spelling, extemporaneous speaking, bookkeeping, number sense, slide rule, shorthand, and typing.

Odessa will be the site of the choral, voice solos, ensembles, and piano contests on March 25th.

Capital's Social Season Has Rumor-Filled Start

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Thrown into high gear by the holiday spirit, Washington's frantic but fabulous winter social season is off to an inspired start.

Over every cocktail glass you hear it whispered: "The coming months are fraught with the most intriguing possibilities." And from all reports it looks like banner competition for all honors.

Here's a list of the vital issues facing the capital's social set:

Will Mrs. Morris Cafritz manage to hang on to her crown as the town's No. 1 hostess?

What impact will the new wife of Vice President Barkley have on capital society?

Will she wed?
Is this the year when a man with the necessary qualifications will claim the hand of Margaret Truman, singer, and daughter of the President?

Which embassy will win the party battle on the diplomatic front?
Will some native Washington lass step forth to bring back to America's possession top debutante honors?

Whether or not Mrs. Cafritz keeps top hostess honors is the top tongue-wagging topic. Wife of the city's wealthiest realtor, she took the honor last Spring when her rival, Mrs. Perle Mesta, left to become U. S. Minister to Luxembourg. According to social-set experts, if Mrs. Cafritz can maintain the same lightning party-throwing pace through the next few months that she set last Spring, the crown is hers with-

out question. Mrs. Cafritz herself demurely says this about the situation:

"What is all this silly business about No. 1 hostess? I just entertain because I love to do it. You know, there's more significant conversation in Washington than in any city in the world. I love significant conversation."

Important Question

Of key importance to the standing of all Washington hostesses is the question of how much party-going and throwing the Veep's new missus decides the Barkleys will do. In order to maintain prestige, a hostess has to produce the vice president at a fair share of her functions. Before Barkley's marriage, Mrs. Cafritz had no trouble along those lines.

The Veep's budget being willing, however, Mrs. Barkley might have some ideas about cutting a path as a hostess on her own. Next to Mrs. Truman—who has disqualified herself from the party scene—official protocol designates the Veep's bride as the socially prominent woman in the city.

Next in fascination as far as cocktail chit-chat goes is the conviction among many insiders that this is the year some eligible man will step forward to claim the hand of Margaret Truman. In two years the "insiders" have had her engaged to two D. C. lawyers, a White House aide, a singer and a newspaperman. Consensus is that one of the D. C. lawyers—unnamed—will win.

Ambitious Mothers

Along the same line is the current irritation among ambitious Washington mothers over the manner in which a daughter and niece of two foreign ambassadors have turned the heads of Washington's eligible swains.

These girls are Sylvia Nabuco, niece of the Brazilian ambassador, and Marjorie Morgenstern, daughter of the Norwegian ambassador. Both girls, debs of this season, love parties and are charming and

pretty. Most important of all, they are exceedingly popular.

In addition to claiming one of the season's outstanding debs, the Brazilian embassy also is involved in what has narrowed down to a three-way race with the Iranian and French embassies for top entertaining honors on diplomatic row. What they are trying to prove with this



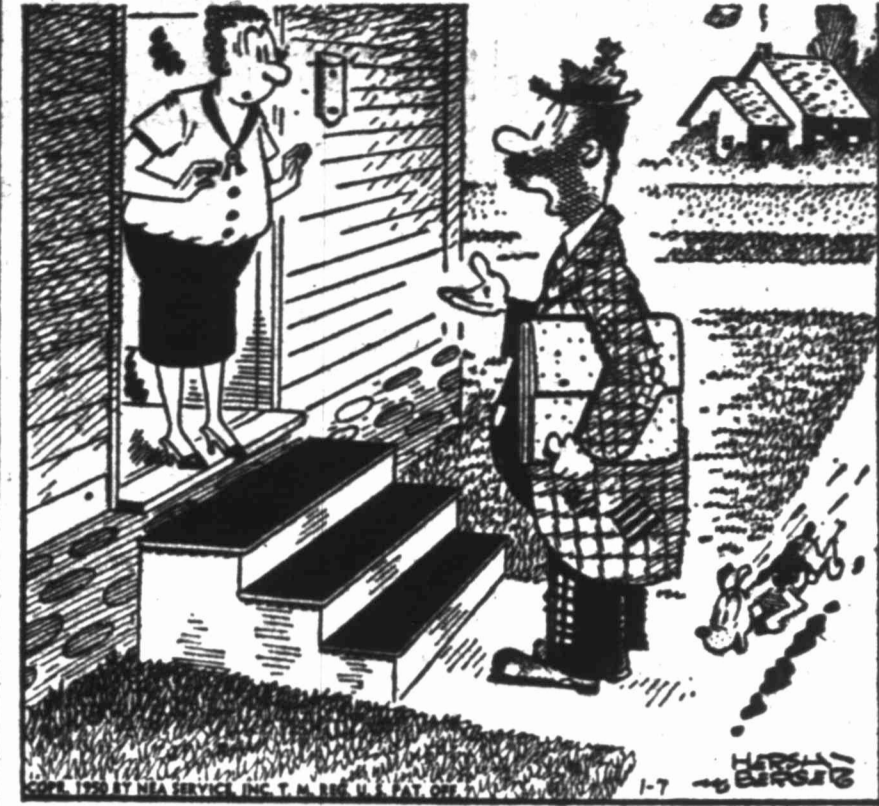
Mrs. Barkley: She might have some ideas of her own. Sudden burst of party-giving isn't quite clear.

This particular phase of the capital's social struggle is making the inveterate party-goers exceedingly happy. It is their fond hope that none of the contestants drop out any time soon.

EELS GET TANKED

TOTON, ENGLAND—(AP)—The water tank at the railway depot here went dry. Engineers and firemen fished in the supply line and pulled out 13 eels. They ate them for supper.

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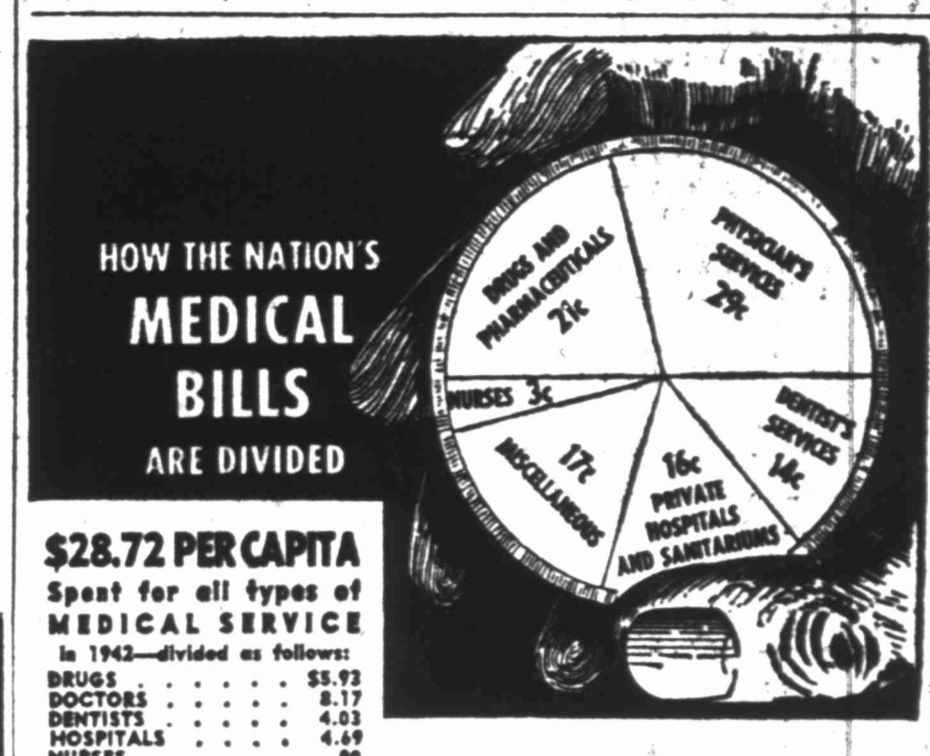
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Abducted Women Yex Government
NEW DELHI, INDIA—(AP)—Two thousand non-Muslim abducted women are being kept by government servants in Pakistan, the government of India claims. Transport Minister N. Gopalaswamy Ayyangar told the legislative assembly that India had sent Pakistan a list of 7,520 abducted women and Pakistan 8,000 Muslim women.



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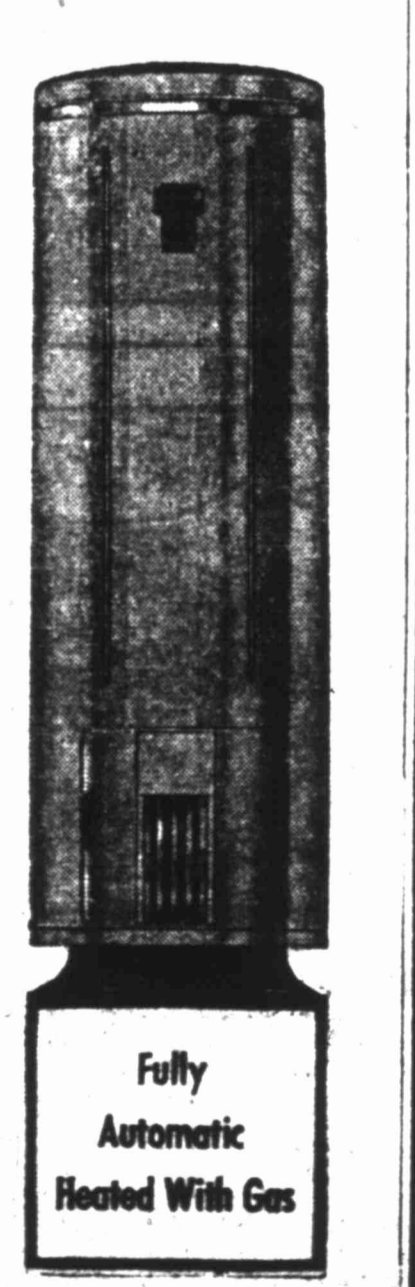
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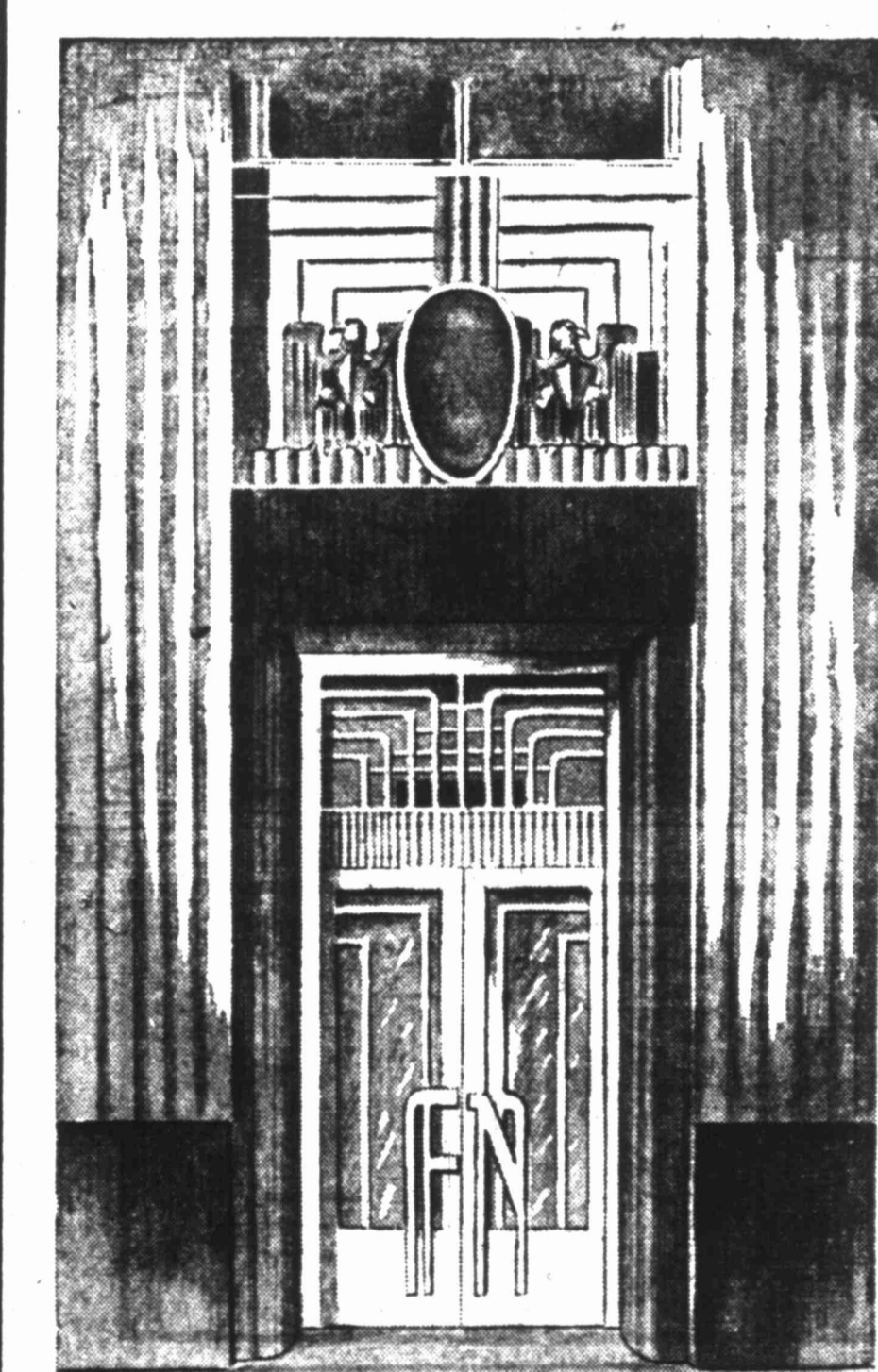


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DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And The Good Cry

Pattycake, the little monkey girl who lived with Daddy Ringtail, loved Daddy Ringtail very much. She never liked to do anything that she thought would make him unhappy. Pattycake knew that Daddy Ringtail loved her, too, and wouldn't want her to get into mischief.

But sometimes little monkeys don't always know just how long they can swing on a vine from a tree without having the vine break. That's what happened to Pattycake. She had found a nice long vine hanging down from a tree and she had been swinging on it for a long time.

It was such fun to swing way up high and float down and then up again! When Pattycake's vine-swing broke, she fell and skinned her knee. My, how it hurt! Remember a time when maybe it happened to you?

Pattycake went up to Daddy Ringtail's monkey house, even though it hurt to climb up. She put some medicine on it, because

that's what Daddy Ringtail always did to skinned knees, to make them well.

Just as she put the medicine on, Daddy Ringtail came in and saw



that she was hurt. It made him feel and look very sad. Pattycake thought if she cried about her hurting knee it would make him feel even sadder. So even though the tears were filling up her eyes so much that she could feel them, she blinked hard to keep them from falling down her cheeks.

But Daddy Ringtail saw the tears, even if they didn't roll down her cheeks and he knew that she was trying not to cry for fear

it would make him unhappy. And so he smiled and hugged Pattycake up close to him and said: "Pattycake, what would you do if you had very dirty hands?"

"Why, Daddy Ringtail," said Pattycake, "I would wash the dirt off them."

"Well, then," said Daddy Ringtail, "I think you have a very hurtful knee. Yes, and maybe if you would have a good cry, your tears would wash some hurt away. Of course, you have to be careful not to cry too much, or you might use up all your tears."

And after Pattycake had cried a little, sure enough, the knee seemed to feel better. And that's the way it is sometimes when you have a very hurtful knee, especially if you are a girl. Happy day!

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SIDE GLANCES



"If they ask us to play Canasta, I want you to keep the peace—we don't know these people well enough to argue with them yet!"

Greek Ike?



Field Marshal Alexander Papagos, above, who came out of retirement to lead the Greek army to victory over the Communists, is reported in some quarters to be emerging as the leading Greek statesman of the future.

Rail Board Orders Two Area Hearings

AUSTIN — (AP) — The Railroad Commission Friday scheduled a public hearing for April 19 to determine if waste is occurring in the Shafter-Lake Devonian field, Andrews County.

The commission ordered operators in the field to show why pressure maintenance operations should not be instituted.

Among other hearings scheduled was:

March 1—Application of the J. A. Chapman Producing Company for discovery allowable rights and a new field designation for the reservoir of its Cogdell well No. 1, Kent County.

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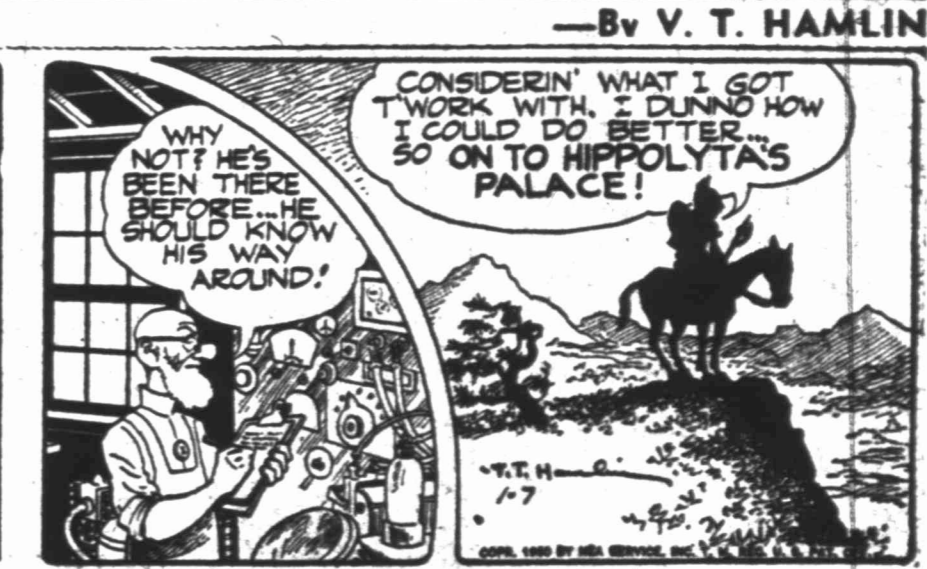


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Building Permits Total \$97,000 For First Week Of 1950

Building permits in Midland for the first week of 1950 totaled \$97,000, to give the city a good start. Of the 17 permits issued, 14 were for residences, totaling \$74,000.

Felix W. Stonehocker was issued an \$18,000 permit for construction of a brick veneer dental clinic at 2111 West Illinois Street. Size will be 28 by 56 feet.

O. H. (Buck) Carr received two permits, totaling \$29,500, for brick veneer residences. One to be located at 1202 Bedford Street, was for \$15,000, and will be 35 by 47 feet. The other, located at 1207 Bedford Street, was for \$14,500. It will be 34 by 55 feet.

A permit was issued to E. D. Snoddy for a brick veneer residence at 2213 West Louisiana Street. Size will be 40 by 43 feet. The permit was for \$6,000.

In New Addition

The first permit to be issued for construction in the newly annexed area in North Midland was granted to Velvin Construction Company. The permit, for \$5,500, was for a frame residence at 402 East Cottonwood Street. Size will be 34 by 27 feet.

Eight permits of \$3,500 each, totaling \$28,000 were issued to United Construction Company. All were for frame residences, 30 by 22 feet each. Locations will be 506, 511, 601, 603, 605, 607, 609 and 611 South Carver Street.

Other permits issued included: W. N. Avery, \$3,500, radio sales and service shop, 25 by 50 feet, 700 South Main Street; W. Stonehocker, \$2,500, frame residence, 32 by 40 feet, 401 South Madison Street; United Construction Company, \$2,500, frame and rock veneer servant's quarters, 24 by 24, 1811 West Ohio Street and J. F. Freetag, \$1,500, alter office building with sheet rock partitions, 25 by 70 feet, 110 North Big Spring Street.

Kermit Firms Hit Hard By Bad Checks

KERMIT — Officers throughout the state have alerted to be on the lookout for a man who cashed \$1,656.20 worth of bogus checks here Thursday. The checks were made out in the amount of \$165.62 each, and were for the Kermit Drilling Company.

Officers said the checks were on an Odessa drilling company and were drawn on the First National Bank of Dallas. H. A. Fausett's name was forged on each. He signs payroll checks for the company.

The Winkler County Sheriff's Department sent out a description of the man after it was discovered the checks were no good. All were cashed at downtown business places here.

The drilling company reported about 200 payroll checks had been stolen recently.

Midland Officers To Attend Police School In Dallas

The City of Midland is arranging with the City of Dallas to have members of the Midland Police Department attend the Dallas Police School from time to time in the future. City Manager W. H. Oswald said Saturday. The Dallas school offers a six-week course which is reported to be one of the best in the Southwest for police officers.

The city also is setting up physical and mental standards for police officers, Oswald said. He said the plan is part of an overall program to make the Midland Police Department one of the most adequate and best trained in West Texas. The results of the program will be evidenced by the policemen in the performance of their duties, and will reflect credit on the department and upon the citizens of the city, the manager stated.

Arrangements also are being made for in-service training for all city employees. The first course in personal efficiency and public relations in general will be for city hall personnel.

Communicable Cases Down, Says Sadler

Communicable diseases in Midland are at a low ebb, probably attributed to cold weather, Dr. E. Sadler, director of the Midland City-County Health Unit, reported Saturday.

Reported were seven cases of chicken pox, three of mumps, one of pneumonia, six of influenza and 13 of diarrhea.

Political Announcements

Charges for publication in this column:

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Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election Saturday, July 22, 1950.

For District Clerk: **NETTIE C. ROMER**

For County Judge: **CLIFFORD C. KEITH** (Re-election)

For Sheriff: **KD DARNELL** (Re-election)

For County Attorney: **JOE MIMS** (Re-election)

For County Clerk: **LUCILLE JOHNSON** (Re-election)

For County Treasurer: **MRS. MINNIE E. DOZIER** (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor and Collector: **J. M. SPEED** (Re-election)

For County Surveyor: **PAT STANFORD** (Re-election)

For County Commissioners: Precinct No. 1: **REXWOOD ONAL** (Re-election); Precinct No. 2: **ALVET BRYANT** (Re-election); Precinct No. 3: **WARREN SKAGGS** (Re-election); Precinct No. 4: **W. M. STEWART** (Re-election); For Constable: Precinct No. 1: **JACK MERRITT**

List Rules, Regulations Of 1950 Livestock Show; Work Committees Named

Rules and regulations were adopted and committees named for the Midland Livestock Show at a meeting Saturday morning in the commissioners courtroom of the Midland County Courthouse, Charles Green, Midland County agent, presiding in the absence of A. G. Bohannon, president of the show.

Green is secretary. Other officers are R. L. Miller, vice president; Kit Carson, treasurer; R. C. Vest, Jr., recording secretary; and Les Floyd, general superintendent.

Committee appointments announced at the Saturday meeting are as follows:

Club calf division—Raymond McCarter, chairman; Dick Midkiff and Glenn Drake.

Fat barrow division—Kelley Llewellen, chairman; Eugene Jones and L. J. Howard.

Fat lamb division—Warren Skags, chairman; Charlie Cox and A. Roberts.

Publicity—Delbert Downing, chairman; Bill Collins, J. M. McDonald, Jim Kelly and Bill Moore.

Grounds Committee—Future Farmers of America, Alumni, headed by Roy Frasier, Jr., president.

Display pens—Perry Collins, Gordon Holcomb and Bill Moore.

Finance committee—Forrest King, chairman; Tom Sloan, Les Floyd, Ben Danby and Hilary Bradford.

Sales Committee—Sam Preston, chairman; Bob Hill, George Glass, Harris Eastham, Andrew Fasken and Percy Bridgewater.

Prizes—Retail Committee of the Chamber of Commerce.

The group decided on 3 p.m. February 2 as the time and date for the next meeting, which is to determine the number of entries and complete other business.

The livestock show is to be held March 6 and 7 at the Midland Fairgrounds, east of the city.

Attending the Saturday meeting were Vocational Agriculture Teachers J. R. Cuffman of Midland, Jay Booth of Garden City and E. H. Cavin of Odessa, Martin County Agent Ralph Jones, Green, Miller, Llewellyn, Warren Skags, Midland County rancher, and H. M. Fitzhugh, Glasscock County agent.

Judges for the show will be L. M. Hargraves of Texas Technological College, hogs; Herman Carter of San Angelo, lambs; and Freese Newsom of Alpine, district steer show. A judge for the county steer show is to be named.

The sale is to be held on the second day of the show.

Following are the rules and regulations approved Saturday:

- The show shall be known as the Midland Livestock Show.
- Entry in the show will be limited to the following counties: Martin, Upton, Glasscock, Midland and the counties served by the county agent of Ector County.
- All animals shall be weighed, entered and in the barn by 4 p.m. Sunday, March 5, with a period of grace for entries coming from other shows.
- The show reserves to the show committee the final and absolute right to interpret these rules and regulations and arbitrate any questions or differences in regard thereto, or otherwise arising out of, or connected with or incident to the show.
- All calves entered in the dry lot division must have been taken off their mothers or nurse cows by Nov. 1, 1949.
- All calves entered in the show must have been born after Sept. 1, 1948, and prior to September 1, 1949.
- Classes will be provided for dry lot fed and milk fed calves.
- All animals exhibited in the show must be owned by a regularly enrolled 4-H Club or vocational agriculture member. He must have personally fed and tended to his animals, under the supervision of the county agent, a staff member of the extension service or a teacher of vocational agriculture.
- All lambs or hogs entered in the show must have been owned by the exhibitor since Dec. 1, 1949.
- Date of the show is March 6, 1950, and the sale will be March 7, 1950.
- County and District Shows
- Judging for the Midland County Livestock Show will begin at 9 a.m., March 6. Judging for the district show will begin at 1 p.m., March 6.
- All protests must be made in writing to the show committee and accompanied by \$15. If the protest is proved, the money will be returned to the one making the protest. If the protest is not proved, the money goes into the general show fund.
- All sheep entered in the show must be wether lambs of either fine wool or fine wool cross breeding. Southdown excluded. Only first crosses in cross breeds will be shown. A lamb to be eligible for the show must retain all of his lamb teeth.
- All hogs entered in the show must be top market hogs and shall weigh 160 pounds to 325 pounds.
- Competent judges have been secured for the placing of all animals and the judges' decision is final in the placing of all animals in the show.
- A sifting committee will examine all animals in the show, and animals unworthy of exhibition must be removed from the barn by 8 a.m., March 6.
- All animals must be shown by the owner except when a boy has more than one entry in a class or cannot be present to show his animal. In these cases any regular 4-H Club or vocational agriculture student taking part in the show may show the animals.
- An auction sale will be held. The sale will be handled by the Midland Livestock Auction and Commission Company. There will be a standard charge on the different kinds of animals and it will be optional whether the owner sells or not. Buyers will be entitled to a three per cent shrink from the official sale weights.
- Stalls will be assigned by the superintendent.
- Prize money will be awarded.
- Baby Beef Division
- Baby beef division: Calves will be weighed on arrival. Scales will be at show grounds. Calves weighing average and above will be in the heavy classes. Those weighing below average will be in the light classes. A champion in each division will be determined and a suitable award will be made.
- Fat lamb division: There will be classes for cross bred and fine wool lambs. Lambs will be weighed. Lambs weighing average and above will be in the heavy classes. Each boy will be allowed to sell two lambs regardless of class but not more than two. However any number may be shown. A champion will be determined in each division.
- Hog division: There will be two classes of fat barrows. Barrows weighing average and above will be in the heavy classes. Barrows weighing below average will be in the light classes. A champion will be determined and a suitable award made.

Three Weeks Left To Pay Poll Taxes

Three weeks remain for persons who have not paid poll tax to meet this voting requirement, was the reminder offered Saturday by J. M. Speed, Midland County tax assessor-collector.

Poll taxes must be paid before February 1 or otherwise the citizen will not be permitted to vote in the important 1950 elections, the official said.

Payment of the tax is on a voluntary basis and is not assessed. It is not included in tax statements.

Speed said the last few days have shown an increase in poll tax payments in his office but that a late rush is certain unless the payments speed up even more in the next few days.

Air Force Enlisted Reserves May Take Courses, Get Pay

Capt. Cliff Hogue has been appointed Air Force reserves enlisting officer for the 9816th Volunteer Air Reserve Training unit here.

An announcement of interest to enlisted reserves personnel has been made. It lists a number of USAF short courses now open. These courses include supply technician, control tower operator, airplane and engine mechanic, weather observer, aircraft power plant mechanic, aircraft hydraulic mechanic, aircraft electrical mechanic, aircraft instrument mechanic, aircraft propeller mechanic and armament technician.

Each course is for two weeks duration and enlisted reservists will be recalled to temporary active duty for the purpose of the courses with full pay and allowances granted. Courses will begin April 12 and will continue through June 21. Courses are available to all USAF enlisted reservists. To enroll, contact Captain Hogue or Col. E. F. Perrin at number 2684.

San Angeloan Heads Texas Association Of Fairs, Expositions

DALLAS —(P)—The Texas Association of Fairs and Expositions Saturday elected M. D. Fanning of the W. Texas Fair and Race Meet at San Angelo president.

Winding up the annual meeting here, the association chose Fanning to succeed Mrs. Neely Huffines of Richardson, long connected with the State Fair of Texas and the Richardson Community Fair.

R. C. (Tommy) Tompkins of the South Texas Fair and Livestock Exposition, Kingsville, was named secretary, succeeding Rex Baxter of the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo.

Maurice Turner of the Walker County Fair at Humpville was named secretary-treasurer, succeeding W. T. Randolph of the Gladewater Roundup.

Named directors were Fred Yates, Comroe; Bob Murdock, Gainesville; C. R. Heaton, Tyler, and Will Watson, Abilene.

Old-Time Ranchman Dies At Knox City

KNOX CITY, TEXAS —(P)—Richard Stanley Brannin, 74, old-time cowboy and rancher, died Friday night.

Brannin retired in 1937 as division foreman of the Four Six Ranch near here. He was the son of A. E. Brannin, who helped organize the County and the Town of Benjamin.

Funeral services will be held in Benjamin Sunday.

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Grandma To The Rescue



Felix Perilloux, a retired Army warrant officer, gives with a big grin as he learns his six children all will be taken care of by his mother. Perilloux offered all the children to anyone who'd look after them, and was swamped with calls from New Orleans families. His mother convinced him the children must stay together, so they will move to St. Charles Parish to live with Grandma, including Ferilloux.

"Frosted Coin," "Star and Punty," and "Frosted Lion" are terms to designate types of syrup pitchers in which many collectors of American glassware specialize.

OUT OF HOSPITAL
Mrs. E. H. Dipple has been dismissed from Western Clinic-Hospital, where she underwent medical treatment.

Committee To Map CC Banquet Plans

Plans for the staging of the annual banquet and membership meeting of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, January 24, will be mapped by members of the Chamber's general meetings committee at a session to be held at 4 p.m. Monday in the Chamber of Commerce office.

Carl Wevat heads the committee. Other members are R. J. (Doc) Graham, Dr. C. S. Britt, Larry Burnside, Lester Short and D. A. Campbell.

The committee also will plan for the sale of tickets to the annual event. Attendance will be limited to the capacity of Hotel Scharbauer's Crystal Ballroom.

Wes Isard, editor-in-chief of the Amarillo Globe-News, will be the principal speaker. Other program features will be announced soon. M. C. Ulmer is chairman of the program committee.

Officers of the Chamber of Commerce for 1950 will be elected at the session, and the "Top Wrangler of 1949" will be named.

Straight, Narrow Path Proves Hilly

SAN ANTONIO—(P)—A middle-aged woman stopped her shiny yellow convertible at a stop light here. But not until the car had rolled forward into the pedestrian lane marked by white stripes.

"Why don't you back up where you're supposed to be," asked an angry man clad in work clothing and heavy shoes.

"Why don't you mind your own business," she retorted.

The man then stepped onto the running board, up on the fender, onto the hood and down the other side. His heavy shoes left visible dents on the shiny hood.

CARETAKER SUFFERS MINOR BURNS IN FIRE

McCAMEY—J. T. Gibbs, caretaker of the McCamey Park Building, suffered burns on his hand in a minor weekend fire at the Park Building.

The fire is believed to have started in a storage room. Little damage was reported.

MAN LOSES FINGER IN FARM ACCIDENT

Curtis Plicher of Route 1, Midland, was treated at Western Clinic-Hospital Friday afternoon for hand injuries suffered in a farm accident.

A finger was amputated and other lacerations to the hand were treated. The hospital report shows Plicher's hand was caught in the gears of a cotton picking machine.

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Montag Stationery Reg. \$1.00 Value 2 Boxes \$1.00	Lucien Lelong Soap Regular \$1.50 Box Only \$1.00	Baume Ben-Gay 75c Size 2 for \$1.00
\$1.50 Ortho Gynol Jelly \$1.00	Wind and Weather \$1.00 Tussy Lotion 2 for \$1.00	Halo Shampoo \$1.00 Size 2 for \$1.00
60c Alka-Seltzer 3 Pkgs. \$1.00	Pepsodent Antiseptic Mouth Wash, 75c Size 2 for \$1.00	Band-aids 49c Size 3 for \$1.00
\$1.39 TYSON Hot Water Bottle \$1.00	Chamberlain's Lotion 50c Size (limit 3) 3 for \$1.00	Rhinall Drops 75c Size 2 for \$1.00
\$1.50 Amphojel \$1.00 (Limit 1)	\$1.25 Jeris Hair Brush and 75c Jeris Hair Tonic Both 99c	Q Tips 49c Size 2 pkg. \$1.00
	60c Anahist Tablets 3 For \$1.00	Revlon Aquamarine Lotion and Bar Soap \$1.00
	Double Deck Canasta Cards \$1.19	
	75c Bottle of 50 Anacin Tablets 2 For \$1.00	
	Johnson Baby Cream 50c Size 3 jars \$1.00	
	Burma Shave (Tubes) 40c Size 3 for \$1.00	
	Old Spice Shave Lotion \$1.00 Size Only 79c	
	Old Spice Toilet Water \$1.00 Size (Early American) Only 79c	
	Canasta Score Pads Dollar Day Special Only 23c	
	Playtex Baby Pants Dollar Day Special Only 69c	

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25c Pkg. Gillette Shave Cream Free with purchase of 98c Pkg. Blue Blades

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In balbriggan, shantung, broadcloth, crepe, and tricot. Colors of navy, red, gold, pink, aqua, blue or yellow. Broken styles and sizes. Values to \$8.95 **\$4⁰⁰**
- NYLON BRIEF PANTIES—
Dainty garments it will be a delight to wear. Choose from colors of white, pink, yellow or blue. A special value for Dollar Day only PAIR **\$1⁰⁰**
- LADIES' BEDJACKETS—
Make your selections from either satin or crepe, in colors of blue, pink, ivory or white. All have beautiful lace trim. Values to \$7.90 **\$5⁰⁰**
- GROUP OF LADIES' SLIPS—
Made of crepe and taffeta in colors of navy, beige, black, brown or yellow. Selected from our regular stock and specially priced for Dollar Day at **\$3⁰⁰**
- MUNSINGWEAR RAYON BRIEF PANTIES—
You can choose from colors of turquoise or white. These panties are our regular 85¢ quality. Reduced for Dollar Day only 2 Pair For **\$1⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP NYLON GOWNS—
Delicately trimmed with lace in colors of pink, black, blue, or white. Regularly priced at \$19.95, they have been reduced for Dollar Day to **\$14⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP SLIPS AND PETTICOATS—
Beautifully trimmed with lace and embroidery. Colors of blue, pink, black and white. Regular values to \$6.95—Special for Dollar Day **\$4⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP OF LADIES' GOWNS—
These are trimmed with lace and applique. They are available in colors of pink, blue, yellow, black and white. Values to \$8.95—now only **\$5⁰⁰**
- SPECIAL GROUP OF LADIES' PURSES—
Suedes, fannies or leather in green, brown, black or tan. Values to \$24.50. On sale for Dollar Day only at (plus tax) **\$9⁰⁰**
- LADIES' LEATHER GLOVES—
Available in colors of brown, tan, black, cherry red or white. Originally priced to \$8.50, they have been reduced for Dollar Day to **\$4⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP OF COSTUME JEWELRY—
Specially priced for Dollar Day (plus tax) **\$1⁰⁰**
- GROUP OF SUEDE AND LEATHER PURSES—
Marvelous values, in colors of tile, green, tan and brown. Regularly priced to \$10.95, they have been reduced for Dollar Day to (plus tax) **\$4⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP OF BEAUTIFUL COMPACTS—
These are in jewel tone and gold finish, specially priced for Dollar Day at EACH **\$1⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP OF NARROW LEATHER BELTS—
Specially priced for Dollar Day at EACH **\$1⁰⁰**
- CHILDREN'S TAFFETA DRESSES—
These pretty little frocks are in either prints or solid colors. Sizes 1, 2 and 3. A special Dollar Day value for only **\$2⁰⁰**
- ONE GROUP CHILDREN'S SWEATERS—
In soft pastel shades and sizes 1, 2 and 3. Another special value for January Dollar Day, at just **\$2⁰⁰**
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A nationally recognized product. Size 27x27. Specially priced for Dollar Day at DOZEN **\$2⁰⁰**

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- CHENILLE BEDSPREADS—
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- SPECIAL GROUP OF OUTING—
This outing is 36 inches in width and comes in colors of pink, blue and white. Priced specially for Dollar Day at 3 Yards For **\$1⁰⁰**
- CREPE BACK SATIN—
A beautiful material, 42 inches in width, in colors of sand, brown, red, wine, green, black and pink. Regular price \$2.25 per yard. Special \$ Day at 2 Yards For **\$3⁰⁰**
- SOLID COLOR CREPES—
These crepes are 42 inches in width and come in colors of blue, brown, green, red, toast, navy and white. Regular \$2.25 per yard—Now only YARD **\$1⁰⁰**
- ABC PRINTS AND GINGHAMS—
In stripes, plaids and figures. Regular selling price to 95¢ per yard—Reduced for Dollar Day selling to only 2 Yards For **\$1⁰⁰**
- BEAUTIFUL CHAMBRAY—
In solids and matching stripes. Regularly priced at \$1.75 per yard—Now only YARD **\$1⁰⁰**
- FAST COLOR PRINTS—
These popular prints are in checks and florals. They sell regularly for 39¢ per yard—Now only 5 Yards For **\$1⁰⁰**
- GARZA SHEETS—
These are in sizes 81x99, and the Dollar Day price is only EACH **\$1⁶⁷**
- MATLASSE AND CORNSTALK CREPE—
40 inches in width, in colors of wine, brown and white. The regular price has been to \$3.25 per yard—Reduced for Dollar Day selling to YARD **\$2⁰⁰**
- DRAPERY MATERIALS—
These lovely 48-inch drapery materials are in florals, figures and stripes. Formerly priced to \$1.95 per yard—Dollar Day price now only YARD **\$1⁴⁵**

Men's Topcoats

Men! This is it. Deeper cuts in our entire stock of famous label topcoats. There is plenty of rough weather ahead and the savings will be welcome when most of us still have unpaid Santa Claus bills to think of. Look at these savings and then come in Monday and take advantage of them!

Regular \$39.50 Values, Now	Regular \$49.50 Values, Now	Regular \$59.50 Values, Now
\$30⁰⁰	\$35⁰⁰	\$40⁰⁰
Regular \$75.00 Values, Now	Regular \$90.00 Values, Now	Regular \$115.00 Values, Now
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Choose from either plain or French cuffs in pastels, stripes and fancies. These are real values in a wide range of sizes.

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Boy's Sport Shirts

Long sleeve sport shirts in soft pastel colors for boys from 2 to 10. These are values you will instantly appreciate when you see them!

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Boys' Sport Shirts

Another group of boys' long sleeve sport shirts for the older boys. Available in sizes 14 to 18 in beautiful soft pastel colors.

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Ladies' Suede Shoes

Val. to \$7.95 Now Only	Val. to \$12.95 Now Only	Val. to \$17.95 Now Only
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Ladies' Play Shoes

A special group of play shoes reduced for quick sale Dollar Day **\$1⁰⁰ Per Pair**

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Values to \$4.50 Now Only	Values to \$2.95 Now Only
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Cowboy Boots

Men's, Regular \$35.00 Values, Now	Children's, Regular \$14.95 Values, Now
\$24⁵⁰	\$10⁹⁵

LADIES' DRESSES

Only 16 dresses left in this group, but what values they are! Choose from crepes, dresses with wool jackets, prints with velvet jackets and pretty basic dresses. See them Monday sure!

Formerly priced up to \$59.95—
Special for Dollar Day—Now **\$19⁰⁰**

LADIES' FORMALS

A marvelous group of pretty marquisette, net and taffeta formals. If we can fit you, they are a real "steal." Only 4 left, so you had better plan to shop early Monday!

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Special for Dollar Day—Now **\$19⁰⁰**

DINNER DRESSES

Have you been wanting a new dinner or cocktail dress? Well, we have only 4 left, but what values they are ... crepes, satin and chiffon. See them on the ready-to-wear balcony Monday.

Formerly priced up to \$85.00—
Special for Dollar Day—Now **\$25⁰⁰**

LADIES' CREPE DRESSES

Here is a Dollar Day value extraordinary! There are just 12 of these crepe dresses left in this group and the prices have been literally cut to the bone. Choose from green, navy, brown or black. See them early Monday morning.

Formerly priced up to \$35.00—
Special for Dollar Day—Now **\$10⁰⁰**

ONE RACK OF DRESSES

Here is another value you can expect to see only at Dunlap's. One rack of Nelly Don, Doris Dodson and other good name brand dresses at astounding savings!

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Special for Dollar Day—Now **\$8⁰⁰**

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A special group of Doris Dodson dresses in satins. Two piece dresses and dresses with boleros are also included in this group. We urge you to shop early.

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LADIES' SHORTIE COATS

Just a few of these popular shortie coats remain in stock. If we have your size you can make a nice saving on your purchase right at the time it will do you the most good.

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CARDIGAN SWEATERS

Have you been longing for one of these soft cashmere sweaters and thought the price more than you could afford? We have just 5 left, in yellow, pink, and black and the price is right.

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CASHMERE SWEATERS

Don't fail to see this group of pretty cashmere sweaters in slip-over style, in colors of grey, white, pink and blue. The prices have been reduced for Dollar Day to save you plenty!

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\$14.95—Now **\$9⁰⁰**

LADIES' FANCY ROBES

See these values in pretty robes! Included are crepes with lace trim, satin quilted corduroy and cotton quilted brunch coats.

Reg. \$14.95 Values	Reg. \$16.95 Values	Reg. \$25.00 Values	Reg. \$35.00 Values
\$9⁰⁰	\$10⁰⁰	\$13⁰⁰	\$19⁰⁰

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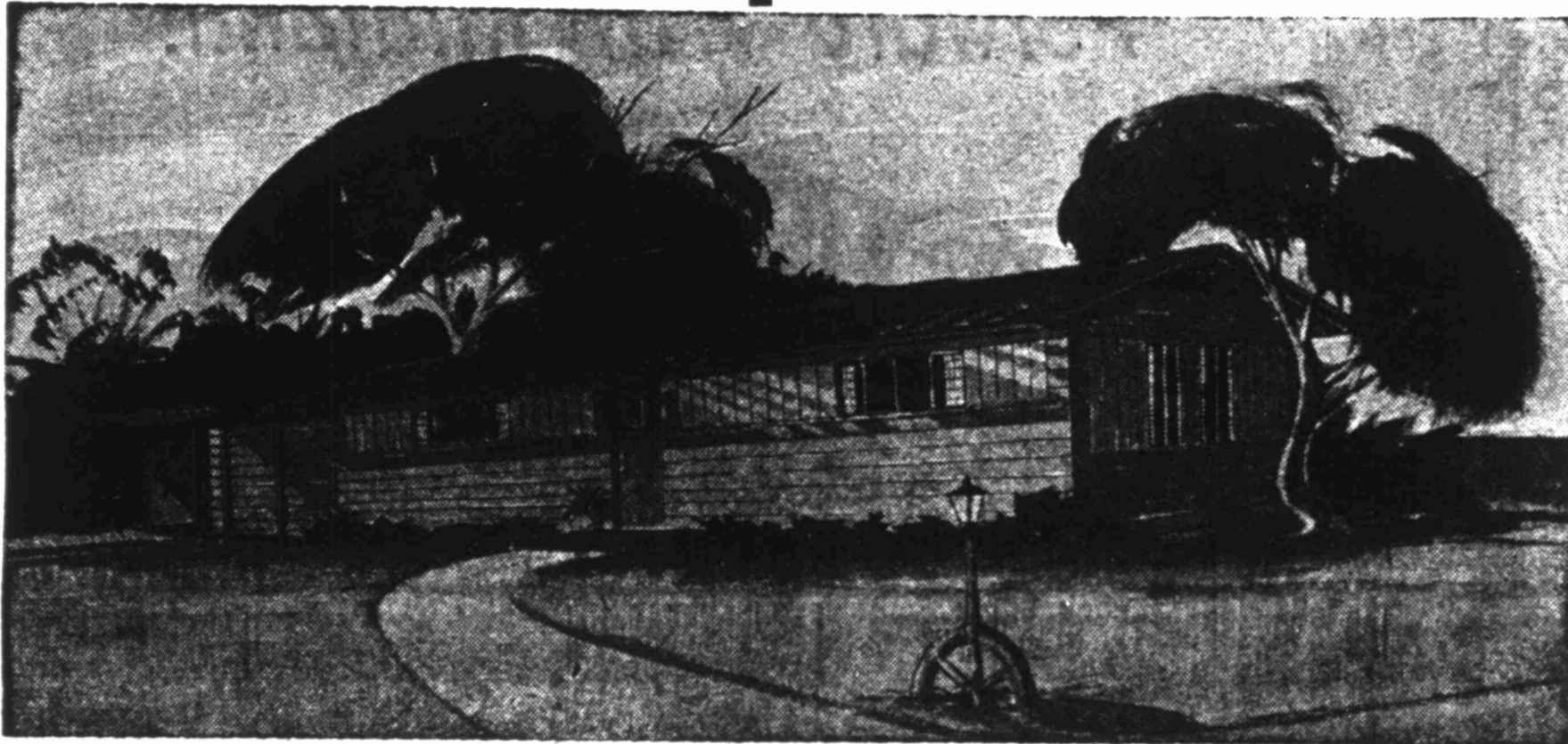
- DOROTHY PERKINS CREAM OF ROSES CLEANSING CREAM—
Regular \$2.00 jar—Special Dollar Day (plus tax) **\$1⁰⁰**
- DOROTHY PERKINS NEW PLEX FACIAL MASQUE—
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- DOROTHY GRAY DRY SKIN CLEANSER—
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Regular \$4.00 size—Just (plus tax) **\$2⁰⁰**
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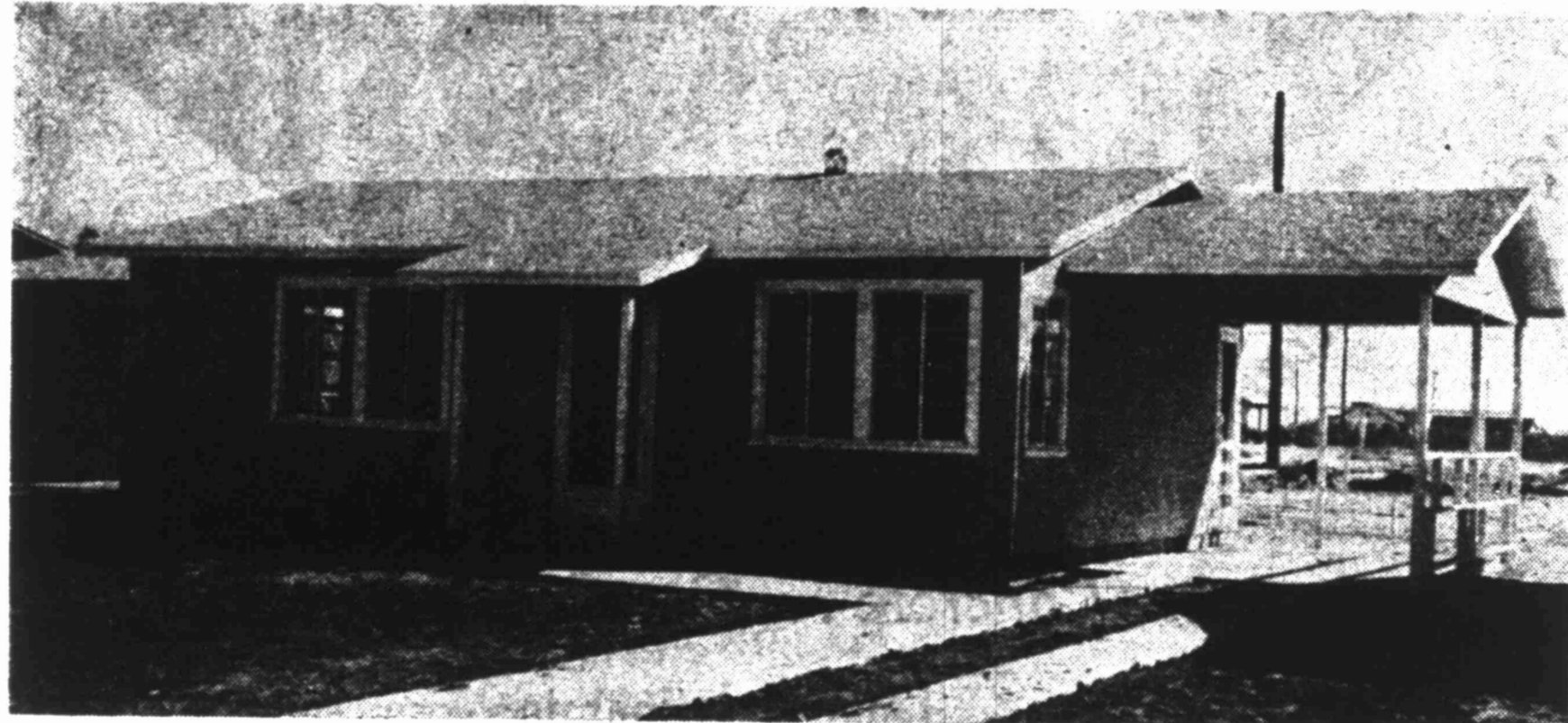
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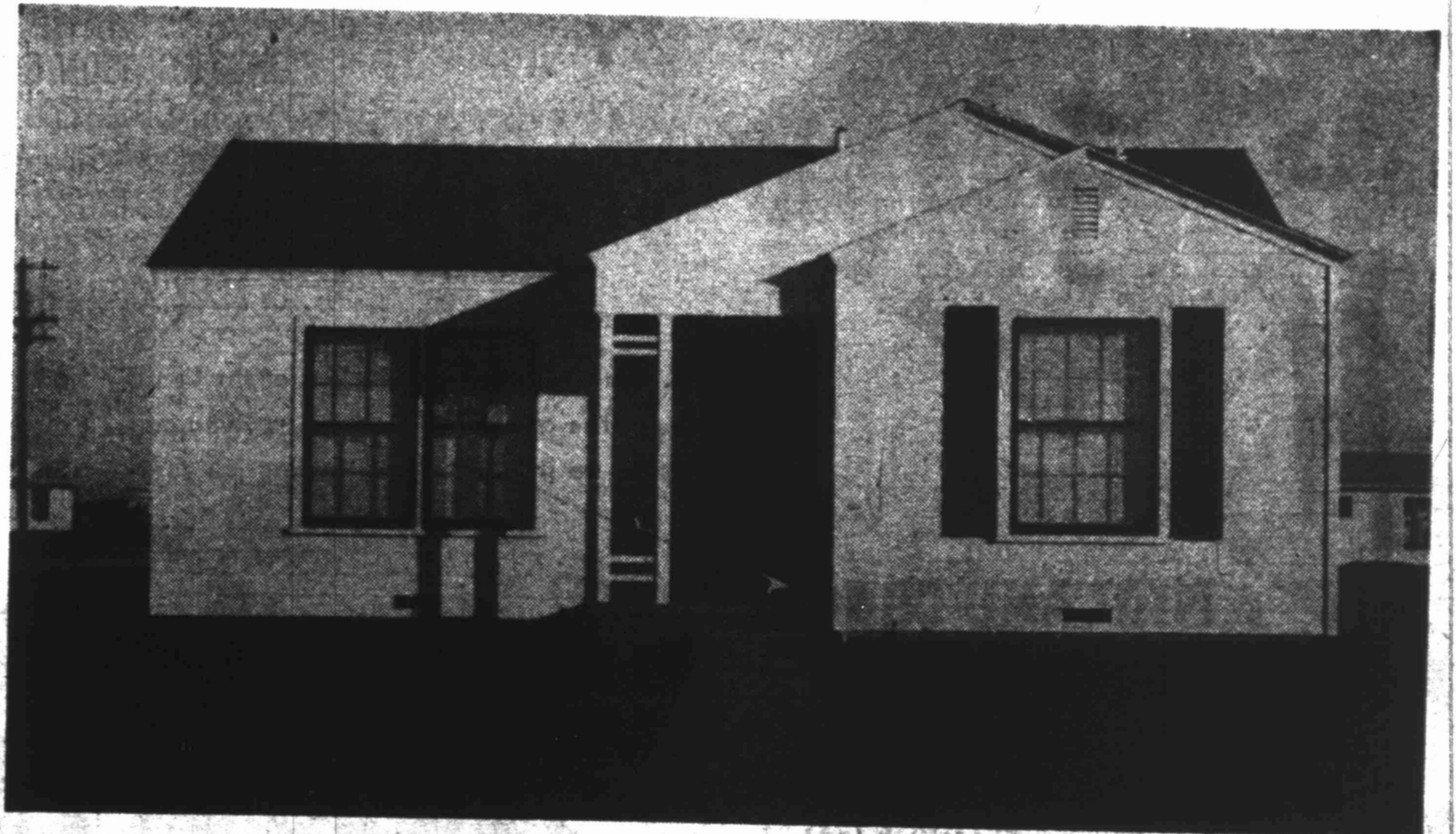
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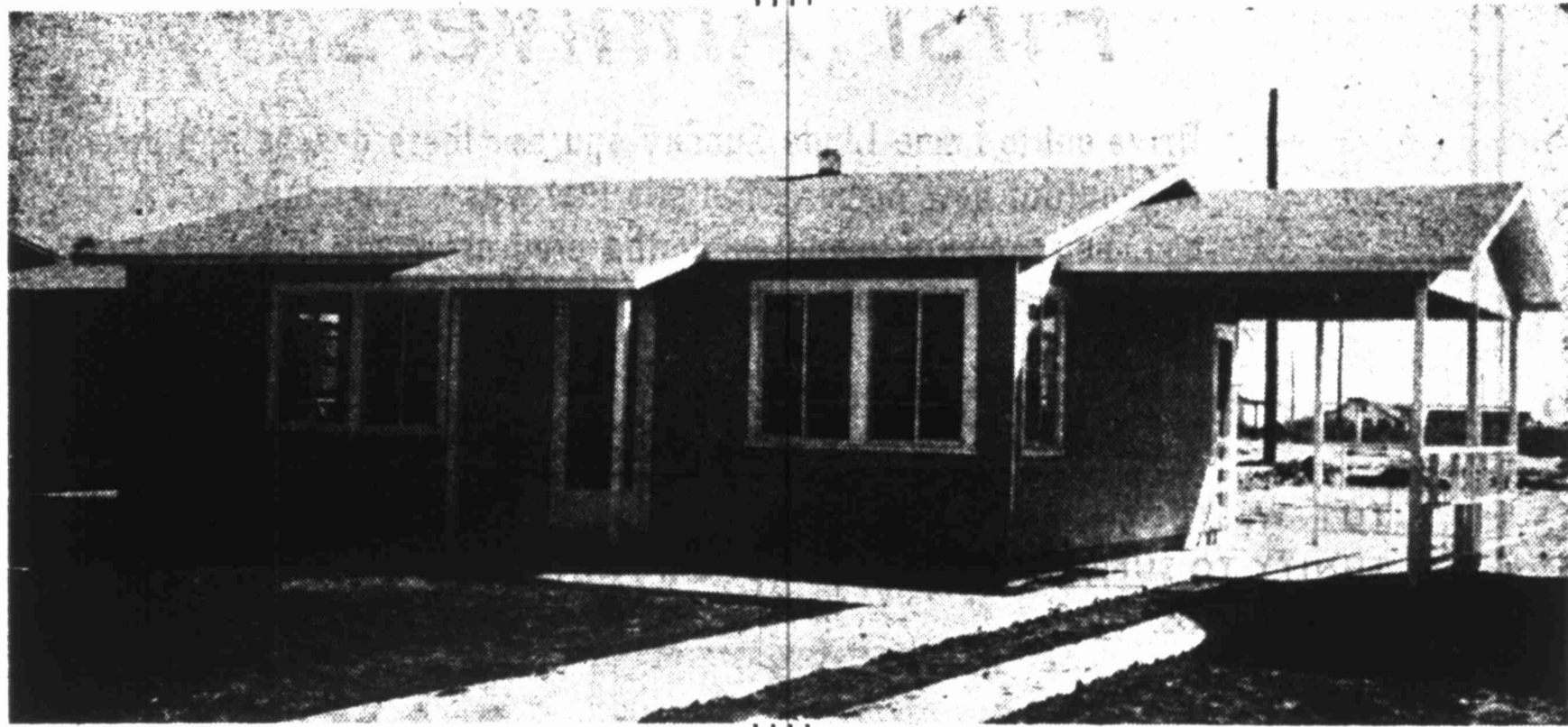
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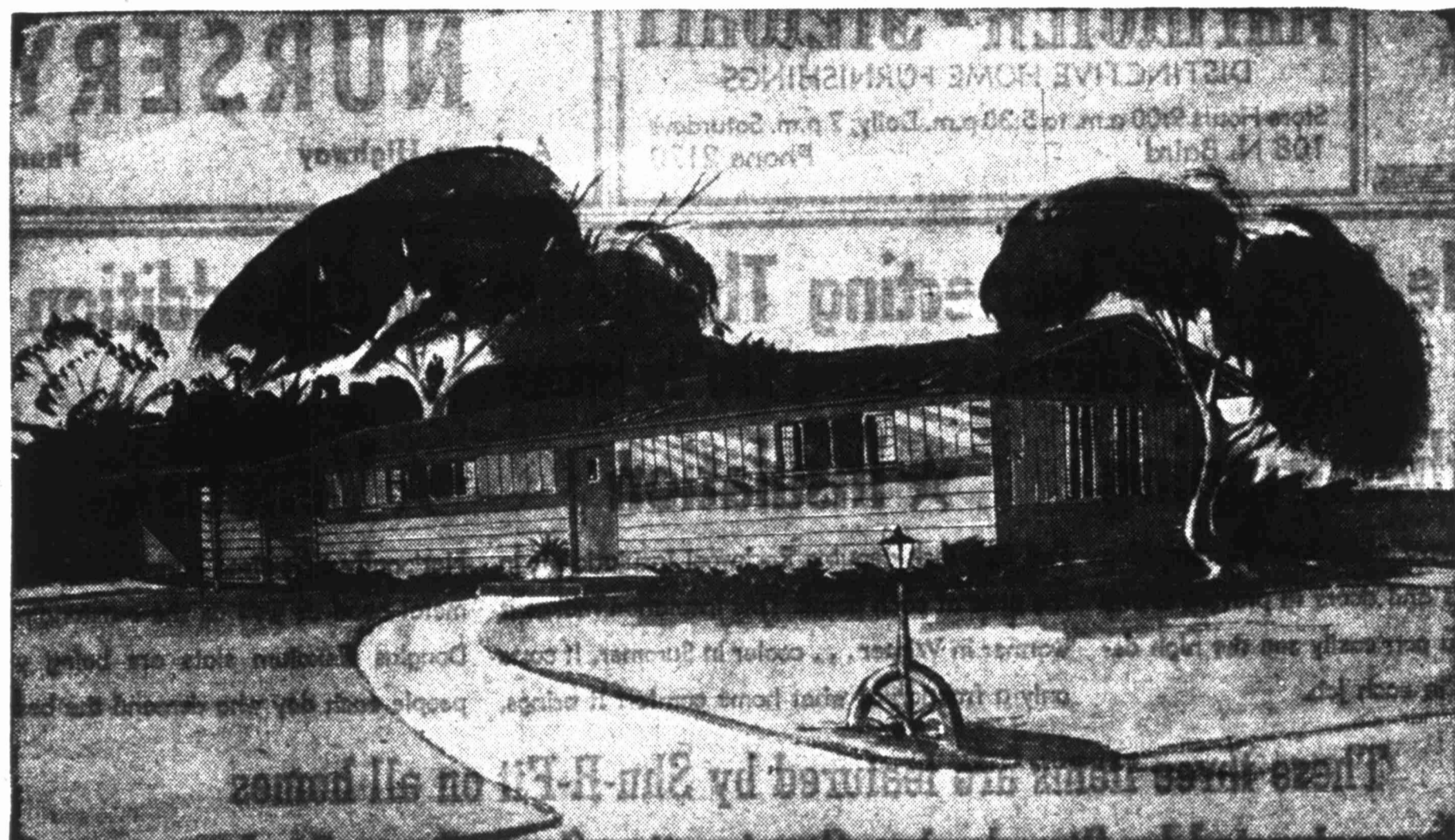
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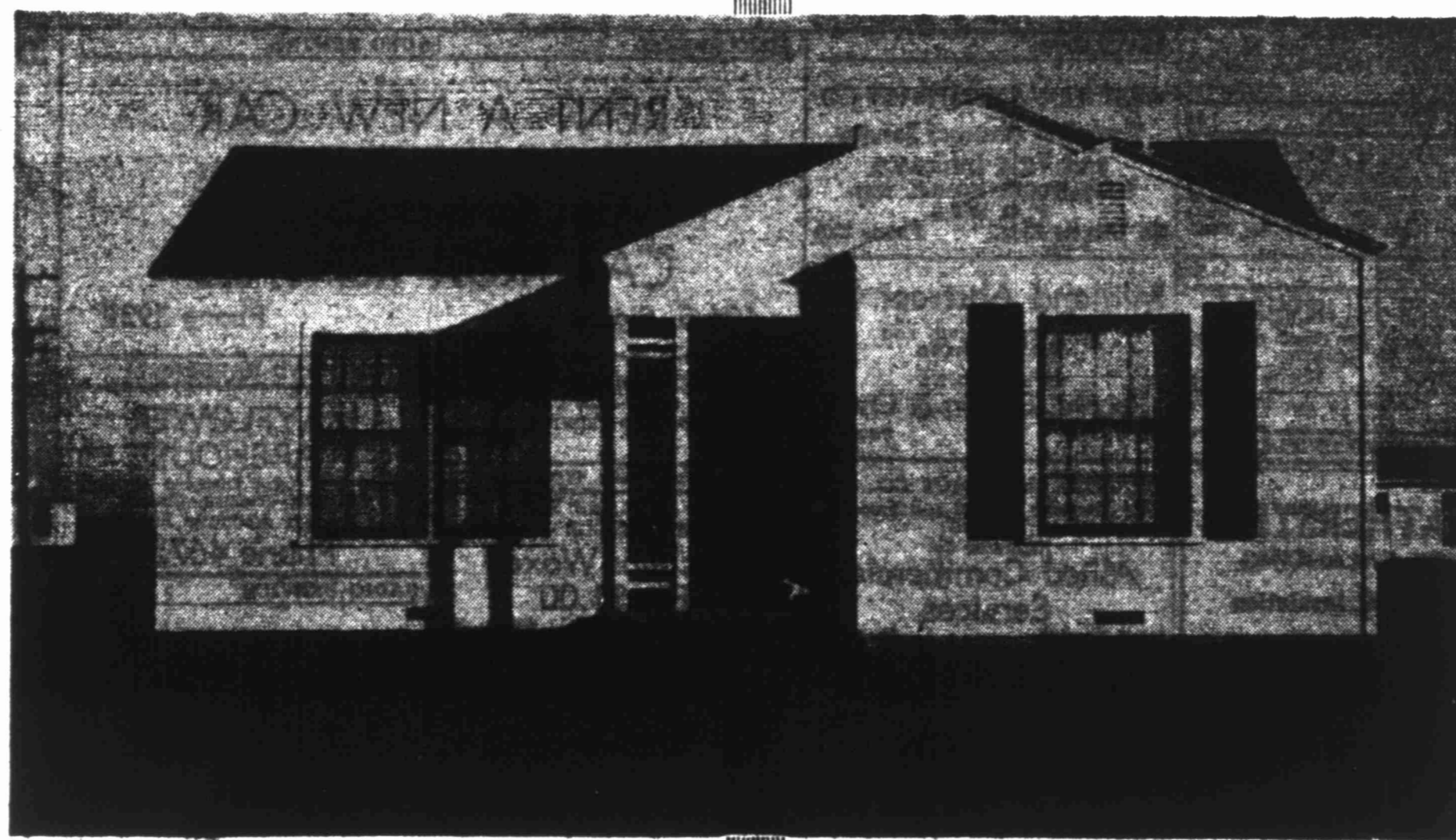
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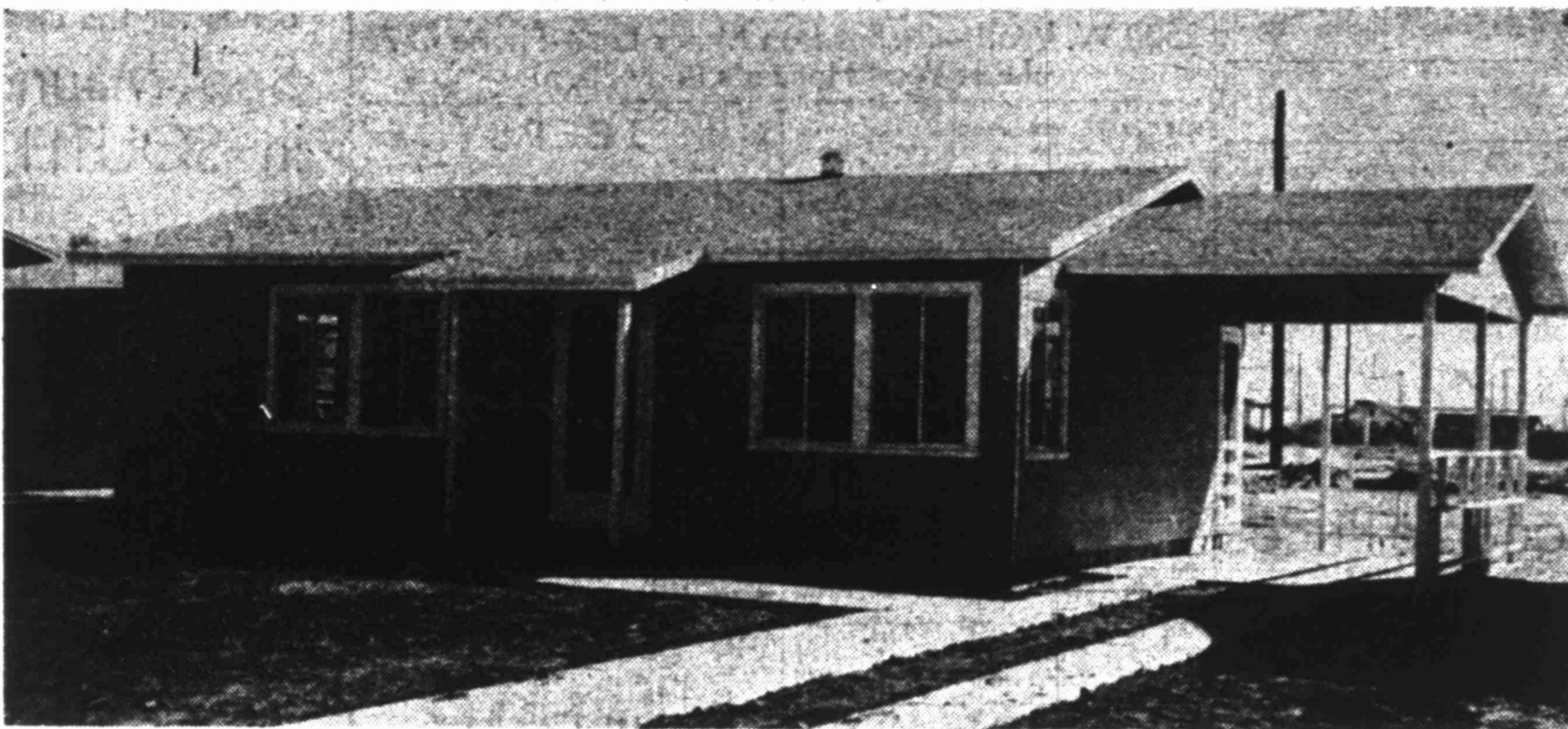
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Loma Linda, Fastest Growing Development, Celebrates Its First Anniversary Sunday

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Three Houses Open To Public For Inspection

Midland's largest and fastest growing housing development—Loma Linda—is celebrating its first anniversary by growing faster than ever.

With 143 houses built or building in the first year, Loma Linda far outstrips its nearest rival. And 80 acres of the development yet are to be opened.

Frank True, developer of Loma Linda, named Sunday as the first anniversary of the development. Three houses will be open for inspection by the public.

Developers



Frank True



C. L. Cunningham



J. T. Champion

"We cordially invite residents of Midland to come out and see the houses and talk to our staff members. We are glad to answer your questions and show you around, because we're proud of Loma Linda, and we're sure that Midland will be proud of it too," True said.

Houses to be open for inspection Sunday will be at 401 Elm Street, built by Felix W. Stonehocker Construction Company; at 401 Magnolia Street, built by J. T. Champion Construction Company, Ltd.; and at 300 Maple Street, built by C. L. Cunningham, contractor. The Maple Street home will be furnished completely by Hardwick-Stewart Furniture Company. The three houses are sold, and are being shown by permission of the owners, True said.

Credits Contractors
True, owner of Allied Commercial Services, 108 South Loraine Street, mortgage loan brokerage company which has backed the development of Loma Linda, said that three contractors, Cunningham, Stonehocker and Champion have been responsible for the success of the addition. He credited the builders with achieving sound, attractively decorated homes at low cost. "We consistently have built the least expensive houses in town, consistent with our restriction of not less than 700 square feet," True said.

"It has been our aim to furnish medium price homes to veterans and middle income group families, and to avoid the familiar sameness which can creep into a development unless builders constantly are alert for new ideas," he continued.

True came to Midland in October, 1946, from Dallas, where he was affiliated with the Mortgage Loan Department of the Prudential Insurance Company of America. He purchased the Security Abstract Company and opened a mortgage loan brokerage agency with it.

Land Negotiations
In September, 1948, True began negotiations with the Barber family for rights to the land. It formerly had been the farm of the late Fred Barber, pioneer Midland County farmer.

True subdivided the land, arranged for contractors to build on the development, and contracted with R. C. Maxson to act as general sales manager of the new addition. Maxson, who has sold all of the Loma Linda houses built or building to date, left a successful real estate career in Coffeyville, Kan., to take over the sales management of Loma Linda.

Maxson has been a large factor in the success of the development. He will be on hand Sunday with his staff to show our friends around the area. There is no one who knows the development better than he does," True said.

All houses in Loma Linda have been sold before they were built, True said. Usually, from six to 15 houses are sold before they are started.

Largest builder in the development is C. L. Cunningham, who has constructed 90 dwellings in the first year. He was the original builder and constructed the first 16 houses in Loma Linda.

Many New Features
Cunningham, who came to Midland from Odessa in December, 1948, specializes in modern construction, and has pioneered many new features.

He favors unusual placement on the lot, to avoid the stereotyped look of sameness. Houses are placed at odd angles and take advantage of unusual color treatments to lend distinction. Each Cunningham house features four colors outside, a result of extensive research and experiment by the Lambert Paint Company of Houston.

Other features of Cunningham houses include large north windows, a feature always incorporated into artist's studios to give an even, non-glaring light. Flat roofs and carports are typically modern touches used in these smart homes.

Central heating, a feature usually found only in higher priced homes, is used in Cunningham construction. Ducts carry heat to all parts of the house from a concealed gas heater. Aluminum windows and all steel kitchens are other desirable features of the homes.

The J. T. Champion Construction Company, Ltd., the second Loma Linda builder, has built 25 homes in the development. Champion, who was in the construction business in Austin during the war, was a Navy Seabee during the war. He came to Midland in February, 1949, from the Alpi-Maria area.

Issues No Changes
Champion specializes in construction of semi-modern homes, with asbestos shingle siding the outstanding feature. Attached carports are another Champion idea.

Felix W. Stonehocker Construction Company, third of the Loma Linda builders, is an old Midland company, responsible for much of the commercial and residential building in the expansion of Midland. Stonehocker has built 24 homes in Loma Linda. Stonehocker homes are of the conventional four, four and a half and five-room styles,

popular with many builders and buyers.

Sales Manager Maxson pointed out that by using three contractors, with different approaches, it has been possible to build homes to suit any taste, and to create a development which gets away from the familiar pattern encountered in many new developments.

Annexation of the present section of Loma Linda to the city of Midland has been completed, and residents are assured of police and fire protection, and full utility services.

Bus service to the area now is in effect, and as the development continues to grow, bus service will be expanded to include the new area, True said.

Foot mail delivery has been instituted in Loma Linda, and will include expansion as it occurs, he said.

Boundaries of Loma Linda are 18 blocks north of Wall Street. The development includes the area from Hart Street north, from North Edwards to North Lamesa Road. It is two blocks east of North Big Spring Street.

Extension Asked For Border Claim Filing

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Legislation was introduced Friday extending another two years the time in which applications may be filed for patents to land along the Western Oklahoma-Texas line.

The plan was sponsored by Rep. George Howard Wilson (D-Okl.). Congress passed a law in 1946 correcting a strip of boundary line along the Western Oklahoma line. Property owners were given until November, 1948, to file applications for patents to the land.

Wilson said some Western Oklahoma landowners informed him recently they had been unaware of the law until it was too late to file and asked an extension. The bill would extend the time until November, 1951.

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STANTON NEWS
STANTON—Tommy Clayton Taylor, Stanton's first 1950 baby, was born at 1:05 a.m. Thursday. The baby's parents are Mr. and Mrs. C. Taylor of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kelly of Hereford, Texas, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Patsy Jeanne, to R. P. Odom, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Odom, Stanton. The wedding will take place the latter part of this month.

Mildred Chapman, home demonstration agent, was a recent visitor of relatives in Macglochlin, Stanton. Mr. and Mrs. Fillmore Epley and sons visited her mother in Ballinger recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Foreman and sons, Oliver and George, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gipson in Texon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellmore Johnson and children, Alfred and Leta, have returned from Turkey where they visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn L. Brown have returned from a short visit in Boulder, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Tom took their daughter, Leslie Jean, and Franchelle Moore back to TSGW where Miss Moore is a junior and Miss Tom is a freshman.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bentley and son, Mark, are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Bentley.

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CHEAP—1941 Studebaker, good condition. New paint and radiator. 2018 North Big Spring. Phone 3418-W

Faye Expects Divorce Within Three Weeks
MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Actress Faye Emerson waited in Cuernavaca Saturday for a divorce from Elliott Roosevelt, son of the late U. S. President.

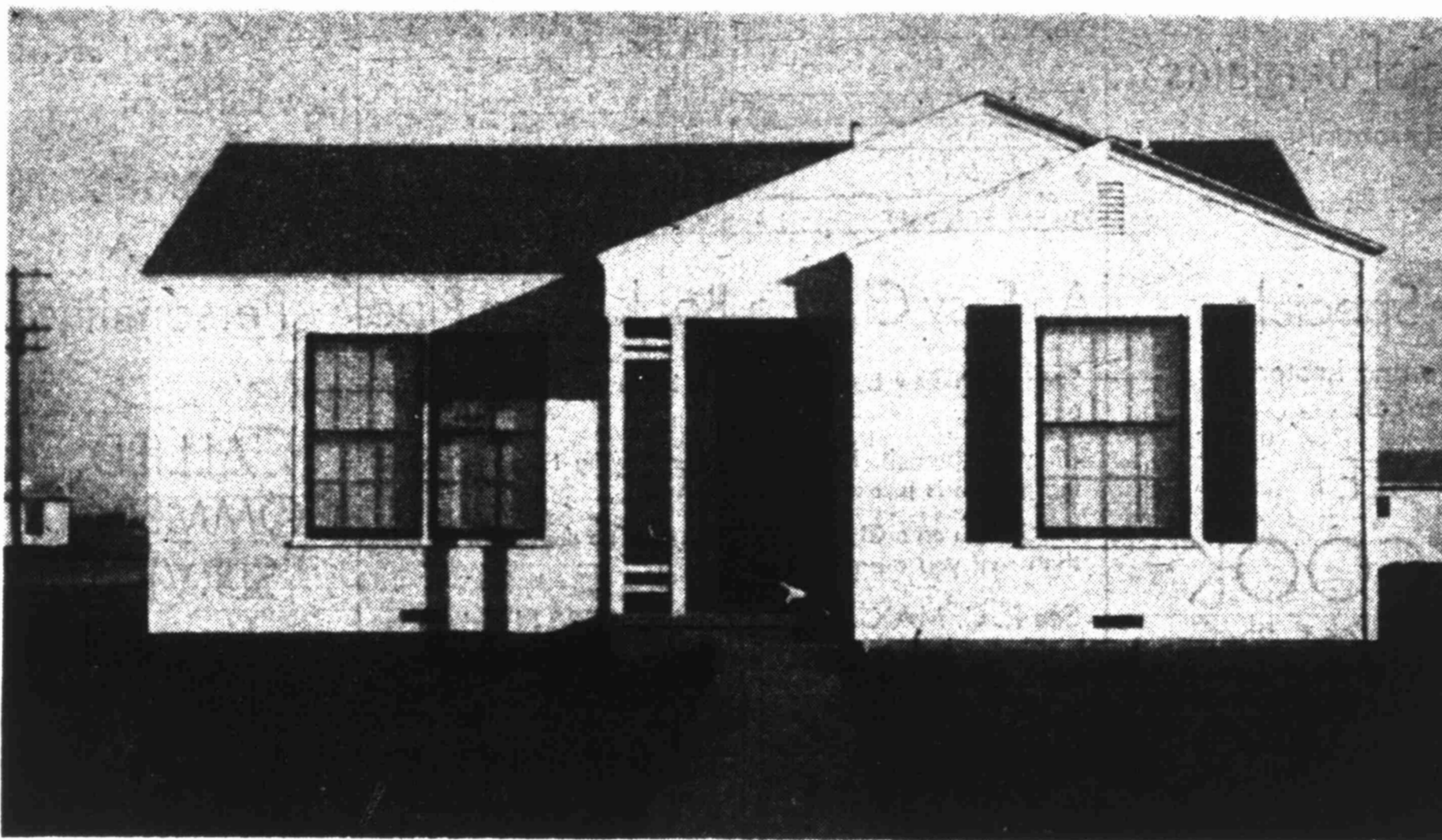
She will file her petition this week, probably in Cuernavaca, charging "mental cruelty." Under Mexican state law, she only has to be present for the filing. After that her attorney and the lawyer for Elliott can do the rest.

The attorney, Francisco Lopez Figueroa, said the divorce probably would be granted about three weeks after filing.

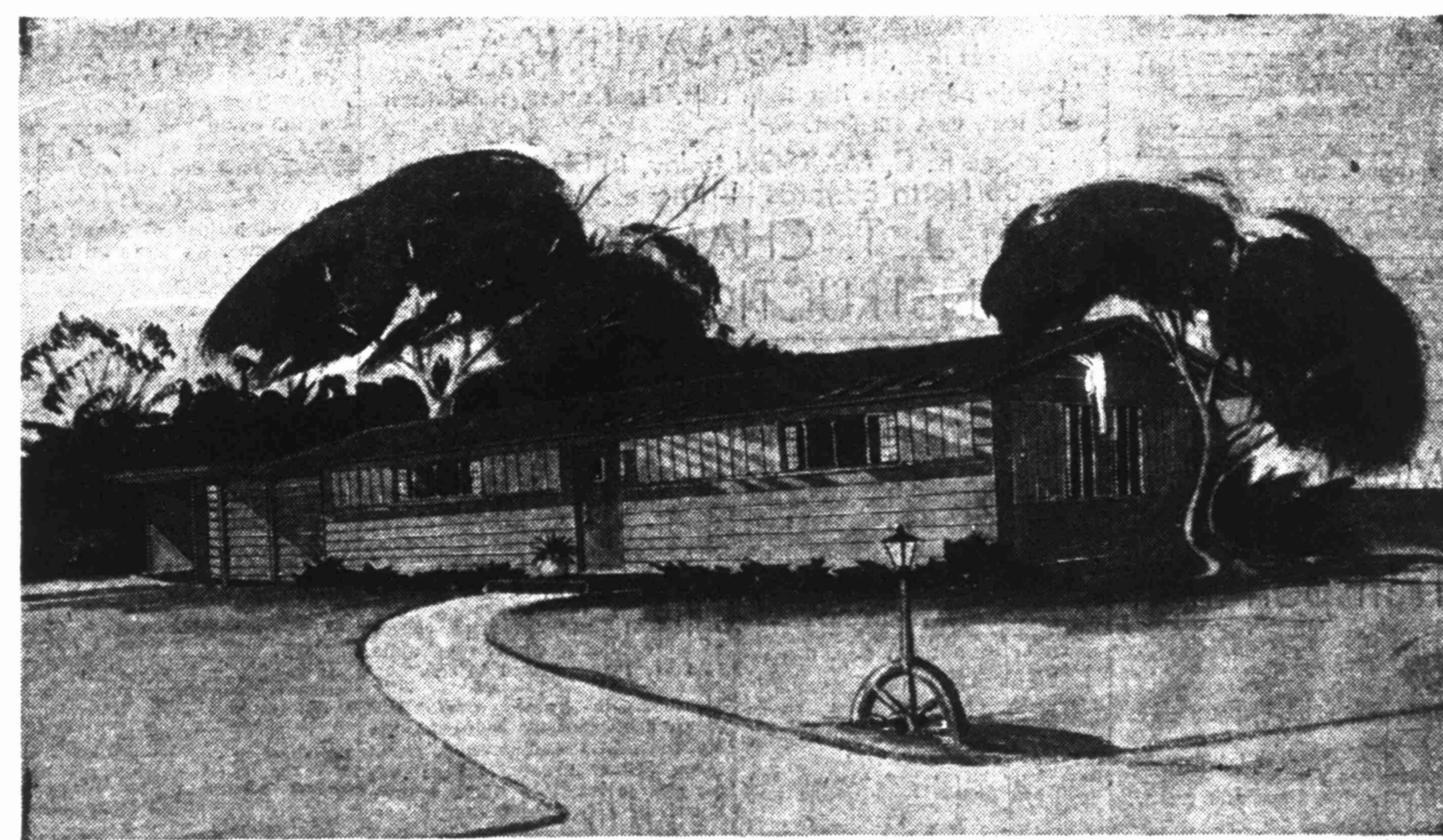
Venus No Saucer, Says Angelo Man
SAN ANGELO—(P)—It wasn't a flying saucer that folks here saw Friday in the clear blue sky—it was the planet Venus.

Frank Friend, amateur astronomer, identified the object, a silvery body, looking much like the moon in quarter state.

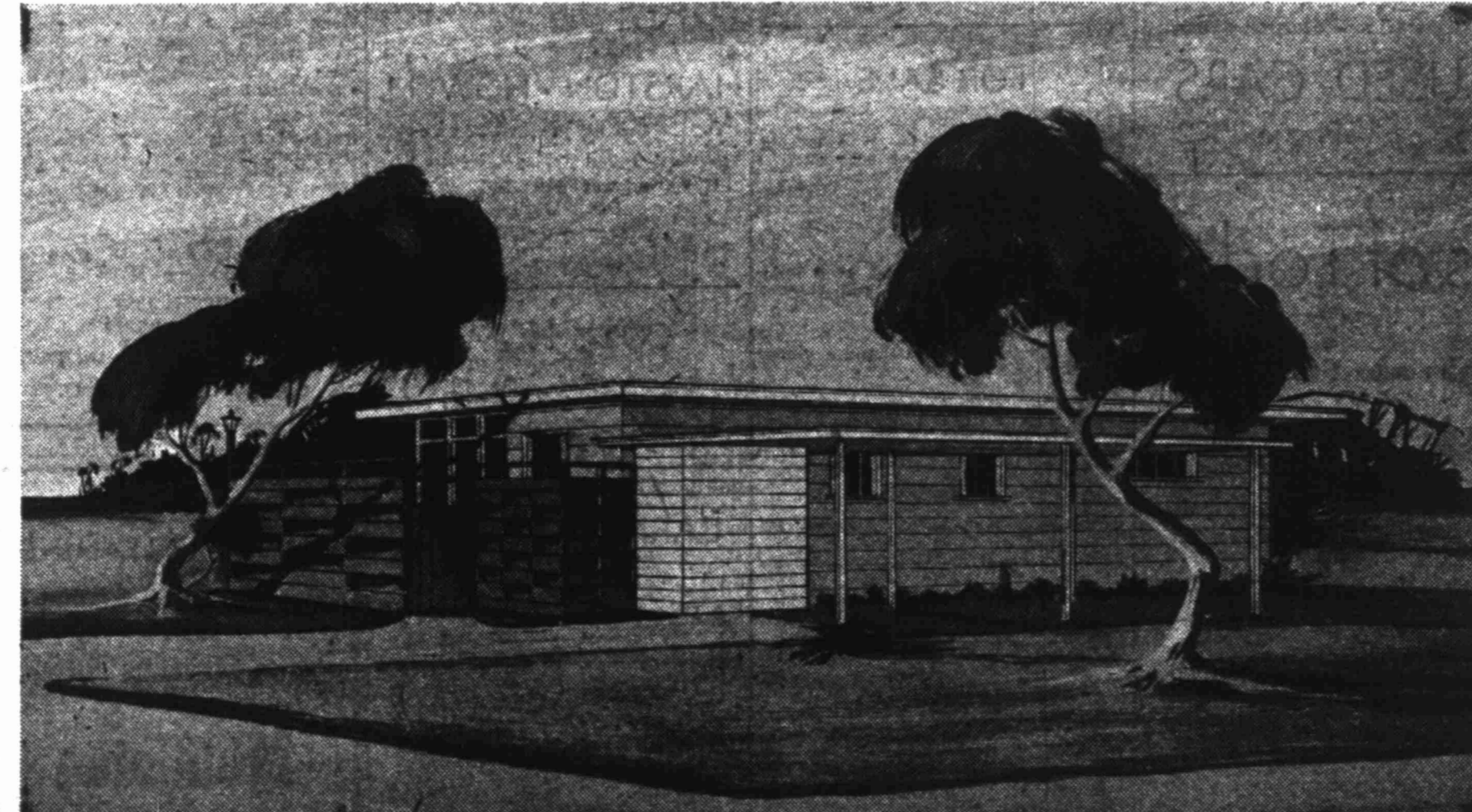
Venus sometimes is visible in the daytime.
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Miss Theis Honored At Pre-Nuptial Tea

Jaqueline Theis, a January bride-elect whose engagement to Miles Pierce of Ozona and Alpine was announced, was complimented with a tea Saturday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, 1301 West Missouri Street.

Mrs. Raymond Leggett, Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett, Mrs. Tom Bobo and Mrs. Jack Nobles were hostesses with Mrs. Hodge. Miss Theis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Theis, Midland, and Pierce are to be married at high noon next Saturday in the First Methodist Church here and will reside on the Altuda Ranch near Alpine.

Others in the house party were Mrs. S. M. Harvick and Mrs. Jim Ad Harvick of Ozona, Mrs. John Priddy, Jr., of Odessa and Dorothy Barron. Miss Theis resigned her position as instructor in public school work on the faculty of San Angelo schools at the start of the recent holiday period.

She was chosen by Mrs. Hodge, when the latter took office in November as president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, to be the vocal soloist on the inauguration program at federation headquarters in Austin.

Guest To Sing As Music Club Gives Program

A guest soloist and vocal and instrumental numbers by members will be on the Civic Music Club program Tuesday night. This meeting, the club's first since November, will begin at 8 p. m. in the North Elementary School Auditorium.

Mrs. Victor I. Pierce of Ozona, mother of the prospective bridegroom, was in the receiving line at the party with Miss Theis, her mother and Mrs. Hodge, and was presented to Theis family friends who called.

Pink Color Note

As Miss Theis greeted guests she was wearing a black marquisette gown trimmed with pink satin ribbon at the top of the bodice and in two diagonal rows around the skirt. Black lace was stitched on the rows of ribbon. Mrs. Theis' dress was of navy blue ankle length, with sweetheart neckline. She wore silver slippers and rhinestone earrings and necklace, and a corsage of pink flowers.

The bride-elect's corsage was of pale pink and white rosebuds, setting the color note for the party decorations. Pink and white carnations were the flowers used.

Mrs. Fred Wemple, Mrs. Eugene Miller of Ozona, Mrs. T. L. Miller of Odessa and Mrs. Nobles poured tea. The table was covered with blue pink net over satin, caught at the corners with white ribbons and centered with an arrangement of carnations and candles.

Rosalynn Leggett presided at the bride's book where guests registered.

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Founder's Day Plans Begun In P.E.O. Chapter

Dr. Louise Fillman spoke on "Women in Geology" at a meeting of the BS chapter of P.E.O. Friday night in the home of Mrs. J. L. Brown.

During the business session, plans for the annual Founders' Day Tea, which will be held in February, were begun. It was announced that the next meeting will be at 1:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Vernon Yearby.

Mrs. George Turner read the state by-laws.

Guests of the group were Mrs. J. W. Kenney of Checotah, Okla., Mrs. Turner's mother, and Mrs. Clara Gissels of California, Mrs. Brown's mother.

Other members attending were Mrs. James N. Allison, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. John Casselman, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. W. David Henderson, Mrs. Tom L. Ingram, Mrs. Paul Kolm, Mrs. T. W. Flew-harty, Mrs. Joe Norman, Mrs. H. L. Skinner and Mrs. James Sprinkle.

Officers Named For Newly-Organized Junior Garden Club

A junior garden club which already had chosen the name, Young Sprouters, completed organization at a meeting in the home of Mrs. C. E. Nelson, sponsor, Saturday morning. Officers were elected and meeting dates were set for the second and fourth Thursday of each month.

Wayne Dickerson was named president; Charles Leeper, vice president; Carolyn Nelson, secretary; Linda Bowers, treasurer. On the flower exchange committee are Cor-dell Thomas, Margie Crisman, Ann Allen and Glen White; the telephone committee includes Georgene Peters, Martha Bowden and Patricia Ann Stafford.

Meetings will be from 3:15 to 4:15 p. m. in Mrs. Nelson's home. Mrs. Nelson is a member of the Yuca Garden Club, which is sponsoring the new junior club.

In addition to officers and committee members, those present for the first meeting were James and Edwin Thackrey, Cathy Nelson, Corky Moore and June Melton.

Bob Brights Living Here After Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bright are at home at 1004 1/2 West Michigan Street after their marriage on December 30 in the First Methodist Church of Tucuman, N. M. Bright has been a Midland resident four years, and his bride is the former Merry Jo Foster of Houston.

She is the daughter of Mrs. E. A. Coel and of John L. Foster, both of Houston, and has been a hostess with Pioneer Air Lines. Bright is a salesman with the Burkett Paper Company of Amarillo.

The Rev. E. A. McGrew, pastor of the church, read the single-ring wedding ceremony. The couple was attended by Mrs. Pat Ray and D. E. Glenn, both of Amarillo.

Training Class Set For HD Officers

Training for their new jobs will be given officers and committee chairmen of Midland County Home Demonstration Clubs at the beginning of a year Monday afternoon. Leaders from each of the clubs and from the County Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2 p. m. in the assembly room on the third floor of the courthouse.

Discussion of duties in the various offices and committee chairmanships will be conducted; members who have held the offices will give advice from their experience and those new to the offices will have the opportunity of asking questions.

A new year starts in the entire organization this month. Officers elected in the group in her home at 408 North D Street and will be assisted by Mrs. James L. Daugherty.

Mrs. B. L. Mason is starting her second term as president of the Home Demonstration Council this month. Mrs. L. H. Moncrief is vice chairman; Mrs. J. C. Stevens, secretary, and Mrs. A. L. Repecka, treasurer.

The clubs and their officers—president, vice president and secretary—discuss their duties respectively: Terminal, Mrs. Walter Snead, Mrs. Tom Starnes and Mrs. L. T. Der-rington; Garden Addition, Mrs. Truman Whitaker, Mrs. Edgar Galle and Mrs. E. O. Messersmith; Greenwood, Mrs. Verne Dawkins, Mrs. N. E. Benton and Mrs. Neal Stason; Valley View, Mrs. D. M. Bissell, Mrs. Benny Bissell and Mrs. Green Drake; Westside, Mrs. O. R. Phillips, Mrs. J. C. Hudman and Mrs. Guy Creighton; Friendly Builders, Mrs. T. L. Lineberry, Mrs. Charles Bush, and Mrs. William Maxwell.

Jeanette Roberts, assistant home demonstration agent, has been acting county agent since the resignation last month of Mrs. Clay Miller, the former Nettie B. Messick, and is assisting the council and clubs in launching their 1950 programs.

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SECTION THREE

Lady Golfers Hear Officer Nominations

Nominations for 1950 officers were made in the Ladies Golf Association at a business meeting and luncheon in the Midland Country Club Friday. The nominating committee named two candidates for each office, and members will cast their votes at another business meeting on January 20.

Mrs. Vann Ligon and Mrs. Earl Wilson were nominated as presidential candidates. Mrs. A. Knickerbocker is the present association president.

Other nominations are as follows: Vice president, Mrs. Mike Brum-below and Mrs. Harold Hood; golf chairman, Mrs. Herschel Ezell and Shirley Culbertson; secretary, Mrs. J. I. O'Neill and Mrs. C. W. Chancellor; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Beakey and Mrs. J. Redfern, social chairman, Mrs. Winston Hull and Mrs. Frank Johnson; hostess chairman, Mrs. J. J. Travis and Mrs. Charles Davis.

Mrs. D. Dilla, chairman of the nominating committee, made the report. The list of candidates will be posted on the clubhouse bulletin board. Nominations still are open for each office under association by-laws.

The members present Friday voted to have the constitution and by-laws of the association printed, and to give a copy to each member. They also decided to have the constitution read at the first meeting of each year. Mrs. M. R. Hayes, secretary, gave the first reading.

Mrs. Hood, speaking for the association membership, expressed appreciation for the services of the 1949 officers.

Other members present were Mrs. Hugh Munn, Mrs. Ida Fay Cowden, Mrs. Bob Franklin, Mrs. Edwin Stephens, Mrs. Paxton Howard, Mrs. Francis Flournoy, Mrs. Wright Cowden, Mrs. Frank Downey, Mrs. N. B. Garner, Mrs. Bob White, Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Mrs. Gene Goff and Mrs. Nelson Puett.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Pledges



New Epsilon Sigma Alpha pledges pictured at the sorority's recent dance are, left to right, Mrs. Thomas Brown, Myrtle Brown, Mrs. J. J. DeBarbie, Bobby Watson and Mrs. Dayton Bliven. New members not in the picture are Patty Beal, Sylvia Cearley, Mrs. Charles DeBarbie, Martha Elder, Peggy Heyser, Elsie McRae and Mrs. V. E. Ogden. The sorority will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday with Mrs. H. G. Brewer, 210 North Big Spring Street.

Holidays Over, Clubs Return To Their Schedules This Week

The holidays are over for women's organizations in Midland, and this week a "down to business" attitude will replace the off-schedule entertainments and postponements of the vacation period.

Programs will be resumed in study clubs and regular projects will be taken up again after recesses for special Christmas activities. Some meetings postponed from last week because of the New Year holiday are slated early in the week.

Organizations began their return to schedule last week, with meetings of three garden clubs and three federated study clubs. One group, the Midland chapter of the Daughters of American Revolution, already has elected its officers for next session; it chose Mrs. Nelson Puett as regent at a Tuesday meeting.

Wednesday and Junior Women's Wednesday Clubs are to name officers later in January, the Modern and Twentieth Century Clubs in February and the Fine Arts Club in March.

Two meetings postponed from last Monday are to be held Monday night—the Beta Sigma Phi City Council in Mrs. A. R. Aytes' home and the Midland Girl Scout Association in the Trinity Episcopal Parish House.

Clubs Invite Public To See Texas Art

Selected paintings by Texas artists, assembled by the Texas Fine Arts Association in a traveling exhibit, will be displayed to the public in the Palette Club Studio, 804 North Colorado Street, Sunday afternoon and night. The Modern Study Club and Palette Club will be hostesses.

Open hours are from 3 to 5 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. Members of the two clubs will take turns greeting visitors during the two periods. Mrs. F. R. Schenck, president of the Modern Study Club, Mrs. R. L. Clarke, Mrs. Leonard Swords, Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer and Lucy Moore of the Palette Club will be the afternoon hostesses. Mrs. C. C. Keith will represent the Modern Study Club Sunday night and Bonny Bogardus and others will be from the Palette Club.

The exhibit is of wide interest. Paintings include "Old Wives' Tale," Elizabeth Lewis, a composition of bold color and line; "Snorting Bull," Della Landers, an ink sketch of strong blacks and whites; "Arrangement With Wooden Ducks," Frances Skinner, a still life of oil with rich colors.

"Deserted," Adalea Thomson; "Sculpture," Robert E. Reed, which features dramatic lines; "Drying Nets," Polly Howerton, a beach scene with delicate colors; "The Pines," E. M. Frassell, a forest scene with vivid colors; "Pomegranates," Sara Enidler, a still life of somber tone.

"Saturday Morning," Florence Coleman; "Austin Dam," Arline Smith; "Chickens at Roost," William Lester; "Down by the Riverside," Eloia Mueller, and a group of prints by Violet J. Adkins, Correen Mary Spellman, Florence Miller, Emilio Caballero, Willie Reed Rowen and Polly Howerton.

Church societies of the city will have their regular meetings Monday, some starting a new business year with the calendar year.

On Tuesday morning the Dalet Delphian Society will resume its study course at a meeting in the Palette Club Studio. Twentieth Century Club will hear a play reviewed in the home of Mrs. Duke Jimerson that afternoon. Tuesday night will bring meetings of the Altrusa Club for dinner at 7:30 p. m., Perennial Garden Club in the home of Mrs. W. G. Ray and the Civic Music Club with one of its open-to-the-public programs in the North Elementary School auditorium, the first since November.

Women's Auxiliary To Memorial Hospital To Be Organized Here

A women's auxiliary to the Midland Memorial Hospital will be organized at a meeting open to all Midland women Friday. It will begin at 10 a. m. in the main study of KORS.

Members of all women's clubs are being invited to join the auxiliary and other women of the city are urged to attend the organization meeting. Purpose of a hospital auxiliary will be explained and a tentative program outlined.

Griffin-Beardsley Troth Is Announced

A February wedding date is set with the announcement of the engagement of Helen Rose Griffin and Walter Collins Beardsley, both of Midland. They plan to be married February 20 in the Holy Family Cathedral at Tulsa, Okla., home of the bride-elect's parents.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Griffin of Tulsa, and Beardsley's parents are Mrs. Paul Mrs. C. H. Beardsley of Algona, Iowa.

A morning ceremony will be solemnized in the cathedral by the Rev. Mr. Hayes of Tulsa. The bride has chosen as her only attendant her sister, Mary J. Griffin, and the best man will be Beardsley's brother, C. H. Beardsley, Jr., of Austin.

Reception Planned

There will be a reception after the wedding in the Griffin home, 1311 South Galveston Street in Tulsa, and the couple will return to Midland after a short trip and make their home here.

Miss Griffin, who has been employed in Midland recently, was educated in Tulsa schools. Beardsley is a graduate of the University of Texas and holds a law degree from the Harvard Law School. He is with the law firm of Stubbeman, McRae and Sealy. He has been active in the Midland Community Theater during his residence in the city.

Episcopal Women To Begin New Meeting Schedule For 1950

A new year for the Women's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church starts with the calendar year, and initial meetings of re-organized guilds are scheduled for Monday. All the guilds have new officers, as has the auxiliary. Mrs. W. H. Potts heads the organization.

Mrs. C. J. Westlund and Mrs. Jack E. Bliss are vice presidents of the auxiliary; Mrs. W. D. Hamm, secretary; Mrs. S. P. Haslip, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. P. N. Shriver, treasurer. In 1950 the auxiliary will meet on fourth Mondays and guilds on second Mondays each month.

Sashaway Club Has Guests At Monthly Dance

Two new members and two guest couples were welcomed by the Sashaway Square Dance Club at its monthly dance Friday night in the American Legion Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones are new members of the club and were sponsored by Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Straughan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Corley brought the R. F. Roods as their guests and Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Tomlinson of Cran were guests of the Ralph Troseths.

Mrs. Ed Halfast, R. F. Bruthertine and John Mills called and George Glenn's orchestra furnished the music.

Others Present

Other members at the dance were Mrs. Bruthertine, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crothers, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chastain, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Max David, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Daugherty, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Edrington, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Fletcher, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Z. German.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hardy, Mr. Halfast, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hayes, Mrs. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. John Sewell, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Shoade and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Shoemaker.

Altrusa Club Will Meet In New Place

A change in the meeting place for the Altrusa Club is announced by Grace Wallace, president, for the regular January dinner Tuesday. It will be held in Mrs. Atwood's Dining Room, 222 North Weatherford Street, at 7:30 p. m.

This first meeting of 1950 will be devoted to business, Mrs. Wallace said, and all members are asked to be present.

Special Introductory Offer!

Limited Time Only!

A meeting out of its usual order will be that of the American Association of University Women at 8 p. m. Thursday in the West Elementary School auditorium. The AAUW usually has luncheon meetings on the first Saturday of each month, but this program is to be a special one with musical films shown.

Xi Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will have its regular meeting Thursday, as will the Iota Beta Chapter in the home of Clyde Parmally. The Beta Delta Chapter returned to its meeting schedule last week.



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First step in faking a short bob, using a phony bang is to comb long hair well back and anchor it securely, as this girl is doing.

Next, pin on a false bang perfectly matched to real hair in both texture and color (above). Third step is to pull on a close fitting cap or cloche (left) which guards girl's secret.

Training for their new jobs will be given officers and committee chairmen of Midland County Home Demonstration Clubs at the beginning of a year Monday afternoon. Leaders from each of the clubs and from the County Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2 p. m. in the assembly room on the third floor of the courthouse.

Discussion of duties in the various offices and committee chairmanships will be conducted; members who have held the offices will give advice from their experience and those new to the offices will have the opportunity of asking questions.

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★ RUTH MILLETT ★

Why Some Folks Get Known As Bore Some 'Ear-Benders'

By RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer

There are some subjects that undoubtedly are fascinating to you but you can bank on it that they aren't fascinating to anyone else. Especially when you use them as the basis of a monologue.

One. Your health. When someone asks "How are you?" the briefest answer the better.

Two. Your pet peeves. This isn't only dull ground—but sometimes dangerous if you want to keep your friends. For people stay away from the person who is too eager to let them in on all the things he doesn't like.

Three. Your busy, busy life. It may seem to you that a monologue about all you did today and all you have to do tomorrow is impressive—but it's only so in its dullness to someone else.

Four. Your diet. This subject naturally looms large in your own mind, but a diet is interesting only to the person who is living on it.

Others Have Children, Too

Five. Your children. If you have to talk about your children. It fills an important need. But there ought to be a time limit on how long any one parent can talk about his own offspring.

Six. Your important connections. If you have them, you don't need to mention it. If you don't, you're marked down as a phony.

Seven. Your problems. Don't talk about them unless you honestly are seeking advice and intend to take it. If it's only sympathy you want, watch out.

Eight. Your faults. They might make for good conversation if your listener could agree with you and offer some suggestions for overcoming them. But he can't, of course. He has to try to convince you that they aren't faults at all and keep at it until you admit that maybe he is right, at that.

Nine. Your virtues. When you invite you to drop in and look over the house, he has to try to convince you that they aren't faults at all and keep at it until you admit that maybe he is right, at that.

Let's suppose you are invited to a dinner party. You are to serve a delicious soup when combined with chicken stock or bouillon and milk. Season well with salt and pepper, an herb or two, and a sliver of garlic. Remove the garlic before serving.

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Abundant Living

By E. STANLEY JONES

Job 38:31-33; 42:1-6
COULD THE UNIVERSE HAVE HAPPENED BY CHANCE?

The situation is clearing for the modern man. He sees more and more that he must affirm something about the universe, and that "Yes" may be God. For how could this universe come by chance into a cosmic orderliness that stretches from the molecule to the outermost star, and controls everything between? And how could this orderliness just happen to stay by chance through millions of years? That would be a stark materialistic miracle—universal chaos by changes gives birth to universal order! The one who believes that must spell his "chance" with a capital "C" and mean by it—God.

How long do you think it would take for you to throw up a font of type into the air and have it come down by chance into a poem of Browning? I asked a printer that question and he replied with some more confidence—I begin to see Thee; help me to act as though Thou art. Thou art beginning to come into my intelligence. Help me this day to take Thee into the rest of my life. Amen.

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a hundred thousand monkeys, pecking at random on a hundred thousand typewriters, to happen by chance upon the plays of Shakespeare. And then, after they had happened upon the arrangement of the letters, they wouldn't know what the letters meant!

When I pick up a book and see that there is intelligence in it—that sometimes does happen—then I know that behind that intelligence is an intelligent mind expressing itself through that intelligence. When I look at the universe, I find that it responds to intelligence—in an intelligently studied. Intelligence has gone into it—into its very structure. Then the simple conclusion must be that behind that intelligence, which is built into the structure of things, is an intelligent mind, and since that built-in intelligence seems to be universal, I will have to spell it in capitals—a Universal Mind.

O God—I say it the word now with more confidence—I begin to see Thee; help me to act as though Thou art. Thou art beginning to come into my intelligence. Help me this day to take Thee into the rest of my life. Amen.

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Going To



Drama and sparkle characterize these show-stopping hats. One cap (left) is dotted with twinkling rhinestones and has four high-rising, pointed quills. The cartwheel (center) has a transparent brim studded with large velvet dots. Copied from a casary's plumage (right) is this light-hearted cap with graceful feather trim set off by a velvet bow.

NEW YORK (NEA)—Having a "feather in her cap" is a claim which a girl wearing a holiday hat can make without boasting. Some caps, especially the little eggshell halves which hug the head, like close-cropped hair are paved with feathers. One featured star of Erik Braagard's mid-season collection is a cap inspired by the "Black Swan" ballet, current New York hit. Dotted with

rhinestones to twinkle like a starlit sky, this all-leather cap owes its dramatic silhouette to four up-sweeping coq quills. Feather cap of canary yellow dotted with rhinestones and trimmed with a side-sweeping plume is another holiday whimsy which carries fine feathers and sparkle to a girl's head. Sweeping plumage also trims hats of felt. A spray of long white

feathers, to cite one treatment used, falls like a pendant earring from a cap-like cloche of Winter-white felt, trimmed with a brown velvet bow.

One of the season's show-stoppers, however—a whooping big halo of black net—is unfeathered. This Braagard design owes its drama to coin-sized velvet dots scattered over a tautly wired transparent brim.

TIERGARTEN REPLANTED BERLIN—(AP)—The city of Bremen shipped 38,000 oak and linden seedling trees to Berlin to replant the once-famed "Tiergarten" which was blackened by war and then denuded by freezing Berliners for firewood.

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Be On Time!

No possession is so closely associated with your daily living as a timepiece. Therefore, you want to choose one that is absolutely reliable. KRUGER'S line of nationally advertised brands of watches they are now featuring. Be on time with the new 1950 watch! Kruger's is featuring men's and ladies' watches including Bulova, Omega, Hamilton, Elgin, Gruen, Benrus, Waltham and others.

Authentic Ranch Style Fixtures

If you plan to build, remodel or redecorate, take into consideration your light fixtures. Remember, they can do a lot for your decorative scheme. For instance, if you are building a ranch style home, see BURTON ELECTRIC COMPANY, 103 North Pecos, for authentic ranch style fixtures. You'll find light fixtures, nostalgic of the old West with completely modern lighting technique. They'll add a distinctive note of decoration to your home.

Chase Chills From Your Home

Check your heating system now for top efficiency—save fuel now and labor later. Install a new, safe furnace for comfortable all-over warmth. Enjoy new winter comfort with a modern wall heater. SANITARY PLUMBING COMPANY, 2818 West, Waller, is featuring automatic, thermostatic control heaters including Commonwealth Mission and Utility for clean, healthful heating. You can sit back and relax in complete comfort with one of these modern automatic wall heaters.

A More Romantic Skin

After thirty, the nourishing circulation which keeps the skin supplied with estrogenic hormones tends to lessen and once youthful, vibrant skin shows deficiencies. Ageless Beauty Program by Dermetics comes to the rescue. It aids in increasing circulation and makes available a reservoir of estrogenic hormones. The course is simple. Just use Reincarnation Hydro-cream Oil as directed. Follow with Ageless Natural Estrogenic Hormone Oil. The two, a \$4.50 value, are now featured at WOODFORD-DRUGS for \$1.95.

Sew And Save

Of course, every woman wants to be smartly dressed and this is that "in-between" season when you feel that your wardrobe needs spicing up with something new. You can save money and have plenty of new clothes if you have a sewing machine. You may rent one or buy one on terms. COLONEL WRIGHT, 505 East Florida, has a wide selection of machines both electric and treadle. If you have a treadle machine and want it converted to an electric machine, call 2453-J and a machine will be delivered to your home.

Fashion Notes

Here's your chance to get a new dress to bridge the in-between season. THE UNITED, INC., will feature a sale on their dresses beginning Monday. Every dress is in high fashion. But wonderfully enough, every dress in the exciting group is at a budget price you can afford. You'll want several. \$9.95 dresses are selling for \$3.98. Prints, suitable for now through summer, classics that go from the office to dates—in exciting styles with a cracked and broken new necklines. Crepes, taffetas, crushed satins, gabardines and failles are featured.

Everybody's Favorite

Keep plenty of rich, wholesome Banner Ice Cream in your freezer. It's easy to serve and always a favorite with everyone. Your guests will praise your incredible variety with their Banner Ice Cream Cake. It is so easy to serve. Get it at your grocery store or drug store. It is made by BANNER DAIRIES from delicious chocolate cake with ice cream inside like a jelly roll. You can have your favorite ice cream 'n' cake without any fuss or bother.

Savory Mexican Foods

There's nothing better than savory Mexican food these cold winter days. Treat yourself to a Mexican dinner at KING'S COVE. Enjoy delicious enchiladas, tacos, chili and tamales or a whole Mexican dinner. Why not break the monotony of eating at home and take the wife to King's Cove for a Mexican dinner? Make it a special occasion. She'll be delighted with the service and the superbly cooked foods. Dine in the attractive dining room or drive up and be served in your car.

Replace Broken Glass

Don't put off having that broken windshield replaced. Shattered glass may cause accidents, not to mention the discomfort of driving in winter weather with a cracked and broken windshield. SERVICE GLASS COMPANY, 500 North Weatherford, will replace auto glass at a reasonable price. They are experienced and reliable. Just call 2452 for an estimate or visit their shop. In a short time they can have your car looking smart again and eliminate the menace of broken glass.

Complete Building Service

Make your dreams come true! You can stop wishing and really have that extra room, sun-porch, garage or complete new house. Contact WESTERN LUMBER COMPANY, East Highway, and discuss a conditional loan. They offer complete building service and will contract to remodel or build your home. You can arrange for an FHA Repair Loan with no down payment and 36 months to pay on a loan up to \$2500. Call 2812 for further details.

Child Development

Enroll now for the new term at PROGRESSIVE TINY TOT ART SCHOOL, 1008 West Indiana. The school does not aim to develop artists, it develops children. However, when children have the experience in the creative arts under proper supervision they have an excellent foundation for a career in any of the fine arts, including painting, drawing, modeling, music or dancing. Creative arts are used to help us understand children, their needs and desires. Call 798 Mrs. W. M. Thompson, B. S. degree, first grade, kindergarten and nursery school.

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Your dressmaking to MRS. FRANK WHITLEY, 409 West New York. She is an expert seamstress and also does tailored suits, makes bound buttonholes and worked buttonholes, covers buttons, buckles and makes belts. She also does alterations on men's and women's clothes. She will take your measurements and make your tailored suit according to measure. Mrs. Whitley guarantees her work assures satisfaction. Call 451-W for more information.

Designed To Fit Your Home

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Comfortable, Clean Warmth

Warm up to a dependable heating system. Check your present furnace for safety and top efficiency now—save fuel and labor later. Install a new, safe furnace for comfortable clean warmth. The heating systems featured by AUSTIN SHEET METAL COMPANY, 2201 West Waller, are designed for basement or non-basement homes. They can be recessed in the wall or they are attractive enough to be placed anywhere in your home. Warm air is discharged through grills to all parts of the house. Austin Sheet Metal Company features Payne, Mueller and G-B Heating Systems.

Save On Your Clothing Budget

Oh, what a shame—a runner in your best nylon! Mrs. Clark here's how you can save those nylons for many more wearings. Just take them to MRS. E. J. CLARK, 1007 West Illinois, and she will repair them so expertly that you can get double the wear out of them. This will save dollars for other things and stretch your clothing budget. Mrs. Clark has the equipment for this type work and does it quickly and skillfully that you can hardly see the repaired place.

Even The Menu Is Different

Make a date for dinner at the MANHATTAN RESTAURANT. Your best girl will be impressed with your good taste. She'll enjoy the picturesque surroundings, the romantic atmosphere. For you who appreciate the difference in eating and dining, you'll find the Manhattan meets you—exacting specifications. Even the menus are different and attractive and full of interesting new food thrills. Ever on the alert to please their patrons the Manhattan always has something new and different to offer.

The All-Purpose Cleaner

Make your after-the-holidays house cleaning easy by getting a new Air-Way Vacuum Cleaner. It's the all-purpose cleaner with the "throw-away" bag. Call 3563 for a free demonstration. AIR-WAY BRANCHES, INC., 510 South Big Spring, is the authorized service for this wonderful cleaner and also parts for all Air-Way models. Start the New Year out right by providing yourself with this new all-purpose cleaner that turns your housework into play. It comes complete with attachments. Remember you have no messy dust bag to empty. Just throw away the bag of dust.

Mr. Spudnut Says:

Try those light-as-a-leather, golden-crust spudnuts—glazed, sugared and chocolate loed—truly a new eating treat for every member of the family! Spudnuts are perfect for party treats and they are made up in special "party size" for 40¢ per dozen; 50¢ for the regular size. The shop, now managed by Mr. and Mrs. Willoughby, is open from 7:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m. every week day, closed Sundays.

A Precious Necessity

Handsome! Dependable! Correct — always. A wrist watch is always a precious necessity. Visit LEAVITT JEWELERS, Crawford Hotel Building, and see the quality name brand watches—many with Swiss movements. All are guaranteed to give lengthy, proud, good looking use. You'll find nationally advertised brands including Bulova and Hamilton in men's and ladies' watches. Also, see the distinctive group of diamonds now featured. No matter the occasion diamonds are always perfect and you'll admire the exquisite beauty and superb quality of the diamond rings waiting your selection.

Freedom From The Kitchen

Your family needs plenty of wholesome, energy building foods during these cold winter days—but that doesn't mean you have to be a slave to a schedule of three hot meals a day. Take the morning or afternoon off for social engagements, shopping or a movie, then stop by WEG-TEX FOOD MART and pick up a complete, full course meal ready cooked! The cooked foods department features meats, vegetables, desserts and rich, nourishing stew. Take your choice of these tasty, delicious foods with the "home cooked" flavor.

Knitting Supplies

Girls, the HOBBY HOUSE announces the arrival of those Argyle sock kits you've been waiting for. The Hobby House also has a new supply of dress yarns and baby yarns. Now located at 1307 West Tennessee, the Hobby House is open week days from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and 'til 2 o'clock every Saturday. Get your knitting supplies here. Botany and Bernat yarns for knitting are also featured and Dritz rugs and yarns. Also, leather and leather tools and copper foil are available with instructions for use. Telephone 324.

Madam, Are Your Birthdays Shaving?

It is possible for you to obtain that look known to women who never look their age. Specially compounded cosmetic preparations can bring about a decided improvement in the appearance of skin starved for the necessary elements that keep it fresh and youthful. Dorothy Gray's Celogen Cream, specially compounded for women over thirty, is specially priced for the first time. DUN-LAPS is featuring Dorothy Gray's Celogen Cream and Dry Skin Cleansing Cream. This low price for a limited time. The Celogen Cream, regularly priced at \$3.50, now sells for \$1.75 and Dorothy Gray's Special Dry Skin Cleanser, regularly priced \$4.00, now sells for \$2.00. The \$2.00 size is only \$1.00.

A Fine Selection Of Lamps

Why not have that lamp you've wanted so long? PHILLIPS ELECTRIC COMPANY has a beautiful selection with pottery bases and hand-painted decor. Shades are of silk or antique gold colored paper. The ceramic bases have gilt trim. There are reading lamps as tall as 33" and 36". Picture your living room with one or a pair of these charming lamps. They would just "make" your room. They blend with period or modern furnishings and the shades, either ruffled or tailored, are available in colors to match your decorative scheme.

The Superlative Look

Dermatologists have proved that application of BONNE BELL'S Plus 30 Cream effects a definite improvement in the skin of women over thirty. This actual change is identified as a revitalization of the skin. Application of cosmetic hormones is perfectly safe. No unusual cell development or malignant condition can develop. You can be sure of a more youthful looking skin in a few days. Take advantage of CAMERON'S special featuring Bonne Bell Plus 30 Cream and Plus 30 Lotion, in the \$4.50 value for \$2.50.

A Convenient Shopping Center

There are three things a housewife has in mind when shopping for groceries—variety, quality and economy. You can fill your cupboard with quality groceries, reasonably priced, at TOMMY HENDERSON'S GROCERY, 1411 North Big Spring. You'll find it a convenient shopping center with a wide selection of choice foods with which to create tempting winter meals. Stock your box with plenty of crisp vegetables from the modern market. There is plenty of convenient parking space.

Paint 'Em Like New

It would take an expert to tell the difference between a moderately old car with a super-fine paint job applied by BOYCE AUTO SALVAGE AND BODY SHOP, from a brand new car! They use guaranteed factory methods. Their prices are reasonable and their work is the very best. A new paint job to face the New Year is something to feel proud of. Years will drop from your car's age. Drive by the shop on West Highway and let them give you an estimate. They also buy used or wrecked cars.

Furniture Re-Upholstered, Rebuilt

If you want new furniture you can save money by having your old suite re-upholstered at MIDLAND FURNITURE STUDIO, 106 West Kentucky. Colorful upholstery fabrics will remake your home and breathe new life and color into your rooms. You can choose from a wide selection, including matlasse, brocatelle, antique velvet and other popular fabrics. The studio specializes in custom built furniture, restoration of antiques, upholstery and tufting. Mr. Marlowe has had fifteen years experience in designing and building furniture. He was formerly located in Lubbock. Call 1067.

Make "A Clean Sweep"

Singer Vacuum Cleaners, featured at SINGER SEWING CENTER, are advanced models for easier, quicker, more thorough cleaning. There is a headlight to brighten corners and the low housing enables you to clean under chairs and other furniture without moving them. The mid-way carrying handle allows easy transportation up and down stairs and to all parts of the house. A handy aluminum-light hand cleaner is also available for above-the-floor cleaning. There is a long extension tube for reaching top of drapes and high moldings and down to floor-level baseboards without stretching or stooping.

Use Boltflex For Color And Durability

Chase the winter doldrums from your home by decorating with Boltflex. This is the marvelous new plastic featured at MILLER BROTHERS. It is ideal for upholstering furniture or automobile interiors. Use Boltflex for color and durability. It takes hard wear and rough treatment and comes up smiling. The exciting new colors at Miller Brothers will inspire you to original decorative schemes. Color combinations are interesting and easily accomplished with the wide range of colors. There is Boltflex quilted or plain in colors to dramatize your rooms.

Bored With Dull, Drab Walls?

Let McNEAL PAINT AND SUPPLY COMPANY show you how to add color and charm by painting walls and woodwork with Eagle Picher Lead or Oil Paints. The company, located at 508 South Loraine, deals in finest interior and exterior paints. You can hide many architectural faults with paint. Rooms can be made to look smaller or larger—ceilings higher or lower, with the magic of a paint brush. Eagle Picher paints are fire proof and can be obtained in flat or gloss finish.

Mid-Winter Skin Care

In winter months there's a lot to be said for the beauty of your skin. In winter winds take their toll of the oils that nourish the skin, leaving it dry and sensitive. Then fine lines appear, making you look older than your years. MERLE NORMAN COSMETIC STUDIO, 405 West Waller, features a complete line of beauty aids for all skin types. Visit the studio and let the Merle Norman Consultant aid you in selecting a mid-winter beauty treatment.

Home Loans

That cozy little dream home needn't remain a dream! At CONNER'S INSURANCE AGENCY, home loan plans are designed to fit every budget. Drop in and discuss simple terms. There's no red tape—and monthly payments include principal, interest and insurance. Stop paying rent and put that money into a home of your own! Start a new life in a new home. You can own a home on terms cheaper than rent. Call 1873 for more information or stop at 209 East Wall. For a quick sale, list your property with this agency.

Keep That Schoolgirl Figure

With all these holidays coming so close together, it's possible to include a little in over-eating and put on a few extra pounds. To keep that schoolgirl figure, try bowling at PLAMOR PALACE. You'll find it a delightful pastime and you'll meet new friends and make new contacts. Bowling is healthful exercise that puts a sparkle in your eyes and color in your cheeks. Plamor lanes are polished to perfection and you'll find it a modern and well equipped alley with plenty of room, to accommodate as many as want to play.

Rock Wool Insulation

Was your family warm enough last winter? No matter what type heating system you own, you can't hope to have complete comfort unless your home is properly insulated. See SHEPARD ROOFING COMPANY about rock wool insulation. Your home can be insulated any time with no trouble to you because this type insulation is blown in from outside. It is your best insurance for it is fireproof and prevents warm room "stealing" in winter. This protects the beauty of your wallpaper. Your home is cooler in summer as well as warmer in winter.

For Out-Of-Town Contacts

There's a right way to do everything, including buying and selling of property. If you have property you wish to dispose of at maximum profit, you'll do well to list said property with a reliable real estate agent. LEONARD MILLER, REAL ESTATE, 501 East Waller, will accept the responsibility of selling your house, business property or lot. List your property, with this reliable firm for out-of-town contacts. Call 2757 for more information.

Can You Make A Speech?

With proper coaching, children take to dramatics easily and naturally. Give your child the advantage of this training at THE SPEECH AND DRAMATICS STUDIO, under the professional guidance of Miss Dick Looby. Special instructions are provided for pre-school children and especially those with speech difficulties. Also, adult classes in speech are available. It will be to your advantage, if you are a club member or a man or woman of profession which requires public speaking. Radio dramatics, story telling and interpretation of dramatics of all types are taught. Call 2963-W.

Fancy Cakes

If it's a special occasion, let TERMINAL BAKERY bake the cake, specially, and ice it with suitable decorations. Build your winter menus around an exciting array of baked goods. Terminal Bakery supplies all sorts of wonderful baked goods, golden-crusted bread, feathery light rolls, rich,iced cakes and a list of other things that stretch from breakfast to midnight snack. For healthful nourishment and tasty contributions to a well-balanced diet, serve goodies from Terminal Bakery. Telephone 8501.

Don't Fuss With Fuses

Be sure your home has plenty of outlets, switches and receptacles for convenient modern living. Call WEST ELECTRIC COMPANY, 3431, to check your present wiring. They are expert electricians and will make service calls and installations. They carry a wide selection of fixtures of all types. If you want to avoid further danger, fire and the annoyance of bad, unsafe electrical connections and wiring. Replace old electrical fixtures with new modern lighting.

Get Rid Of Household Pests

Are you troubled with household pests? MR. R. O. TAGGART guarantees the elimination of roaches, ants and silverfish from your home with complete extermination. This treatment is effective from eight months to a year. Just call 1408-W or stop at 1504 South Big Spring and Mr. Taggart will make you an estimate. Don't put up with this nuisance when you can rid your home easily and quickly of all household pests.

Hunters' Headquarters

CURTIS C. ROGERS GUN SHOP, now located at 203 South Main, is headquarters for hunting supplies. As you know, the quail season lasts until January 16, so you still have time to bag a few. Mr. Rogers has recoil pads and shotgun parts and will make any repairs or adjustments on your hunting piece. He will install Federal 2-shot traps—when you furnish the plug. He has the plugs in stock for \$1.00. Call 1182.

New Buildings, New Teachers Announced By Andrews Schools

ANDREWS—Construction on the east wing of the new primary school building has been completed and now is occupied by teachers and pupils who have operated in over-crowded classrooms since school opened, September 5.

The enrollment of more than 1,200 students in the Andrews public schools this year has been by far the largest in the school's history. Showing the greatest increase in enrollment was the Junior high school with 229 students, compared to 166 last year.

With the addition of new rooms came the addition of new teachers, seven of which joined the faculty Monday. Others are expected to join the staff within the next week. There are 63 teachers in the Andrews School system at present.

The new teachers are: Mrs. Anna S. Blake, Mrs. Youngblood, Mrs. Dollie Ben Dean, Mrs. Thomas B. Ingram, Thomas B. Ingram, and Mrs. Nellie B. Kilpatrick.

Boyle Lists 10 Avenues To Greatness

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK—(P)—The air has been full of lists of the ten most influential figures of the last 50 years.

What every ambitious American boy or girl today wants to know is, "What can I do to become one of the most influential persons of the next 50 years?"

The big fields of the future are politics, science, literature, religion—and motherhood.

Here are ten ways to make a name for yourself that will ring in the mind of mankind for a long long time—if you can do them:

1. Unify the world under a single government by peaceful means—not by conquest.
2. Outfigure Einstein.
3. Solve the national debt. Even Einstein hasn't done that.
4. Invent a robot which—when you put a quarter in the slot—will figure out your income tax and give you back fifteen cents in change.
5. Write a book with a belly laugh so big it'll give folks a

chuckle the rest of their lifetime.

6. Discover a single drug that will cure cancer, ulcers, constipation, hangovers, the common cold and ordinary impoliteness.
7. Either found a new religion or dramatize an old religion that will take people's minds off themselves.
8. Invent a plastic folding auto to solve the parking problem, a car that will go 100 miles on a thimble of fuel.
9. Develop an essential product that can be made out of silk but can't be made out of nylon—maybe a silk beer mug. No one can be at ease in a world where the silk-worm has an inferiority complex.
10. Discover a gravity eradicator. This will rid man of the burden of carrying his own weight around, end the present apoplexy over traffic jams, and free barbers of various veins.

The tenth avenue to fame? I was going to suggest the invention of a cream that would make everyone really beautiful—not only in his own but in all eyes.

"That would be dreadful," objected my wife, Frances.

"Everybody would be bored to death."

She said there should be a place on the list for mothers.

"A mother who figured out a formula for raising a son to be a perfect husband for any woman ought to go down in history," she said.

Janitor Cuts Lights To Shorten Meeting

BETHESDA, MD.—(P)—The Montgomery County Civic Federation is looking around for a new meeting place—one where it can meet after 11 p.m.

It has been meeting in the Bethesda Elementary School auditorium, but the janitor has lowered the boom. When a meeting started running around midnight he began cutting off the lights, one by one. He said he had to get up early in the morning and needed his sleep. School authorities upheld him.

Bank Deposits On Increase At Pecos

PECOS—Pecos' two banks had a total of \$7,794,138.23 on deposits and \$2,243,066.64 out on loan as of December 31, figures released by the two banks show.

Between June 30, 1949, and Dec. 31, 1949, there was an increase in deposits in the amount of \$945,186.51. There was a decrease in loans of \$782,469.84 during the same period.

At the Security State, there was a decrease in loans of \$553,124.59 during the same period.

At the First National Bank, there was an increase of \$377,066.81 in deposits and a decrease of \$200,345.25 in loans.

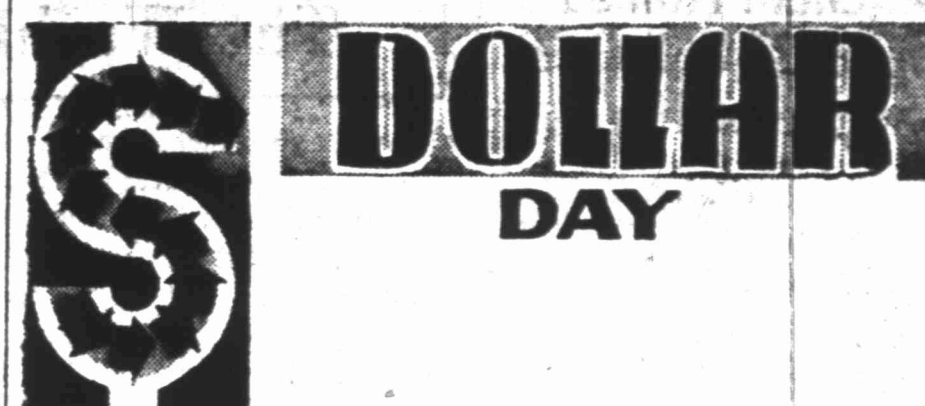
The First National increased its capital stock from \$50,000 to \$100,000. During the same period of time the undivided profits account increased from \$43,632.07 to \$75,471.38. At the Security State Bank the "undivided profits" account increased from \$61,869.95 as of June 30 to \$65,715.80 as of December 31.

New York Sidewalk Still Going To Sea

NEW YORK—(P)—The sidewalks of New York, which began going to sea when placed aboard the bridge of the Liberty ship Alfred E. Smith, still are popping up in the ports of the world, the American Merchant Marine Institute discloses. When commissioned in 1945, the Alfred E. Smith had installed on its bridge a section of the sidewalk from in front of the East Side birthplace of the famous governor and presidential candidate.

The Smith was sold by the Maritime Commission in 1949. On a recent voyage, it carried cargo for U. S. armed forces in Korea.

Make a stuffed teddy bear for to" tribe by cutting out a teddy bear with a pattern and a terry cloth towel. Dye the towel a good rich brown, or a delicate pastel, and follow instructions for fast dyeing. Stuff the bear with cotton. Tie a red ribbon with a bell around his neck and sew on button eyes and a red ribbon tongue.



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ALL NEW SHADES \$1 Pair First Quality

- 60 and 51 Gauge
- 15 Denier

Regular 1.50 to 1.95

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30 Ladies' Hats

Values to 10.00

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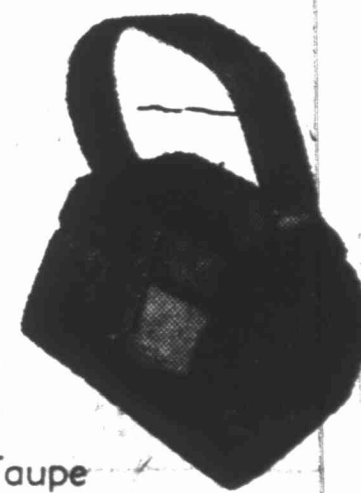
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12.95	8.95	29.95	18.95
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Colbert's
MIDLAND

Mitcham Named Head Of Colbert's Shoe Salon Here

Eddie Mitcham has arrived in Midland to assume the management of Colbert's Shoe Salon, which will open Monday. The salon has a stock of new shoes and coordinated handbags.



Eddie Mitcham

Mitcham has had several years experience in the management of shoe stores and has worked in Oakland and San Francisco, Calif., as well as Corpus Christi.

His wife will arrive in Midland some time next week. Ernest Cardinal, owner of the Corpus Christi store, and Delane Shofner, its manager, accompanied Mitcham here for the salon's opening Monday.

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The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

(Copyright, 1950, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)
Drew Pearson says: Senator Taft predicts GOP will fail to recapture Congress this November; Senator Lodge urges restatement of Republican aims; Lillenthal to draft new A-bomb plan.

WASHINGTON — For Republican ears only, Senator Taft gloomily predicted that the GOP will not recapture Congress this November, and as a result the issue of the "social state" won't be decided until the 1952 presidential election.

Talking shop with GOP senators behind closed doors, Taft solemnly added that he himself didn't care to come back to the Senate "if the Republican membership is decreased."

Taft took the floor after colleagues hailed his reelection as the most important to the Republican cause. New Hampshire's tart-tongued Senator Charles Tobey almost turned the meeting into a Taft rally with an emotional speech.

"The most important thing to the Senate and the country is to elect a man who has had guts to vote how he stood," rang out Tobey, who disagrees with Taft as often as any Republican in the Senate.

Tobey even offered to "talk to

some of the people of Ohio—some of the humble people."

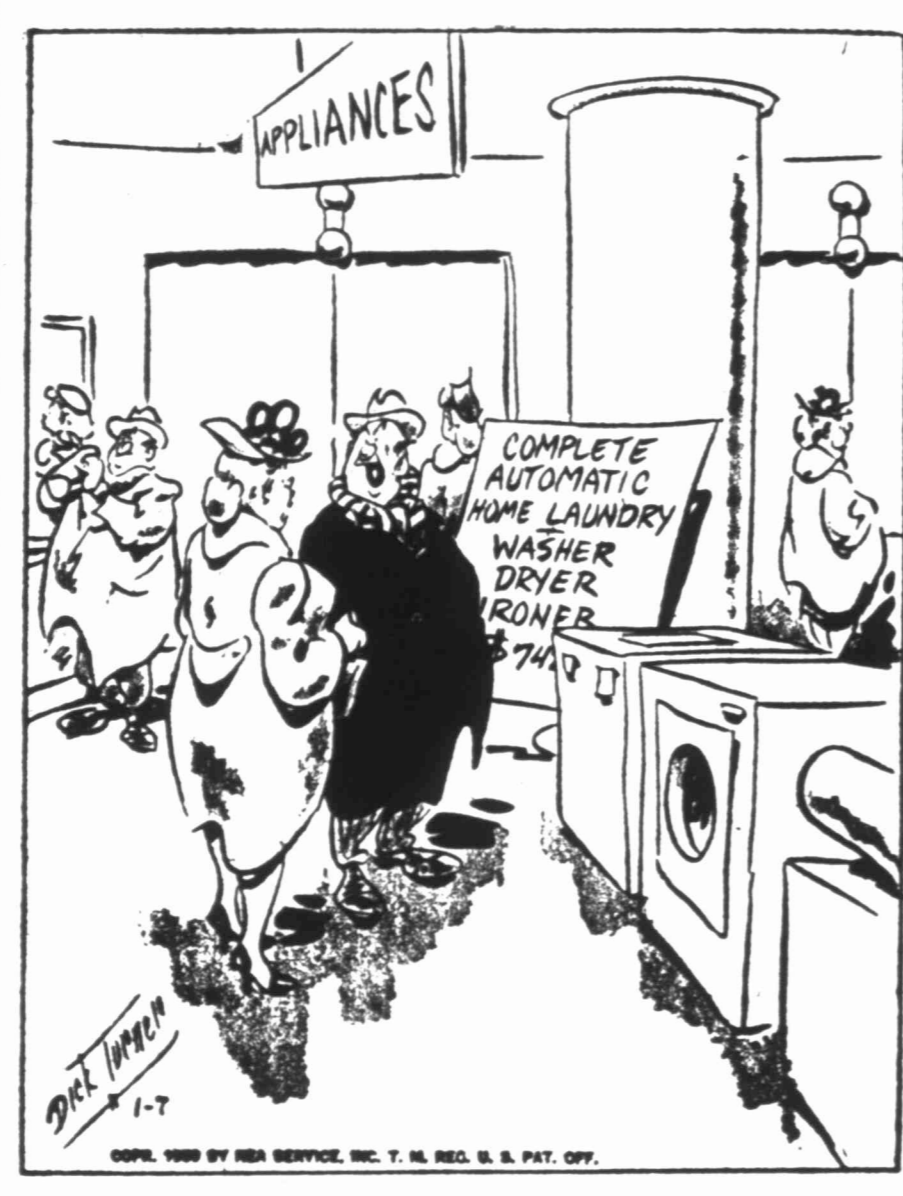
"All the people of Ohio are humble," chirped Taft's junior colleague from Ohio, "Faddism's John" Bricker.

Taft then stood up and told applauding senators: "I don't want to come back if the Republican membership is decreased. I want to see all of you come back who are here now—and a few more. I don't expect the Republicans to get a majority in November, but the important thing is to win some gains. The whole issue of the social state won't be settled anyhow until 1952."

Bare GOP Cupboard

Main issue of the GOP senatorial meeting was whether to draft a statement of GOP "aims and purposes" for the 1950 campaign. Opinion on this was by no means unanimous. Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, Jr., astute Massachusetts blue blood, spoke for the majority when he reluctantly agreed to a statement of

CARNIVAL



"Maybe they would make heaven out of washday—but then they'd make payday something else again!"

Sales Training Lectures Open Here Monday Night

More than 300 merchants, retail sales persons, office personnel and professional people are expected to hear a lecture, "The Way to Win," by E. C. House, sales training expert and inspirational lecturer of New York City, at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the junior high school auditorium.

The unusual success of similar series of lectures in other Texas cities and the national reputation of House as a sales expert and inspirational lecturer have contributed to the keen interest in the series here.

The lecture will be the first in a series of three sponsored by the Retailers' Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce in sales and personal efficiency.

The second lecture at the same hour Tuesday night will be on "Good Sales Technique." The final message Wednesday night will be on "Extensive and Intensive Selling."

Registrations Open

Persons attending the lectures are requested to equip themselves with a notebook and pencils. Those wishing to attend the lectures may register at the Chamber of Commerce Monday or at the auditorium door before 7:30 p.m. Monday. School teachers, students not employed in stores, and ministers may

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Mrs. Neal Honored At McCamey Shower

McCAMEY—Mrs. George Neal was honored with a surprise pink-and-blue shower Tuesday afternoon in the Humble Recreation Hall. Hostesses were Mrs. W. G. Ingram, Mrs. J. A. Boltz and Mrs. R. M. Zimmerman. Mrs. Neal was presented with gifts from the guests and a corsage from the hostesses. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. G. McAdon, Mrs. Fred Harris, Mrs. F. W. Payne, Mrs. C. A. Skains, Mrs. P. M. McFadden, Mrs. A. D. McCallan, Mrs. A. J. Tidale, Mrs. C. L. Arnold, Mrs. Jack Newton, Mrs. Bill Nelson, Mrs. R. N. Tallferro, Mrs. C. C. Hawks of Odessa, Mrs. D. L. Wallace, Mrs. Raymond Smith, Mrs. A. D. Duncan, Mrs. R. L. Smith, Mrs. Jim Shaw, Mrs. O. D. Russian, Mrs. Joe O'Callaghan and Mrs. C. D. Jones.

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WOMEN'S PRINTED **RAYON BLOUSE**

Yes, you will marvel at this value! Several styles... many color combinations in printed rayon crepe! Every one brand new! Sizes 32 thru 38

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Run-Resistant Rayon Knit Gowns

Every one run-resistant rayon tricot knit. Trimmed with lace or net. In white, blue, pink or maize... Sizes 32 to 40

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ALL WOOL BLANKETS

New dark colors... Size 72"x90... 3 1/2 lbs.

6.00

Rayon Marquisette PANELS

Very special low price! In green, rose, gold, grey and eggshell.

88¢ each

WASH CLOTHS

White, solids, checks... size 12"x12.

12 for 1.00

DRESSMAKERS' SHEARS

That's right, just 1.00 for these quality shears! Featherlight with razor sharp hard chrome cutting edges. Easy-to-grip plastic handles.

1.00

FABRIC GLOVES

Pastel shades. Limited sizes.

Regular \$1.00 Regular \$1.98
2 pair \$1.00 2 pair \$1.50

ANGORA GLOVES

Also in soft pastel shades.

Regular \$2.25 Regular \$2.50
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Pop Corn Company Extends Advertising

SIoux CITY, IOWA

Newspaper advertising has given the major portion of the credit in making Jolly Time Pop Corn "The most preferred pop corn in the world" by Howard C. Smith, president of the American Pop Corn Company. He announced an extension of the company's advertising in the newspapers of all 48 states, Hawaii and Canada for the year 1950.

"Our advertising in local newspapers is the backbone of all Jolly Time sales promotion," Smith said. "Year after year, sales surveys show that in cities where Jolly Time Pop Corn is continually advertised, it is also first in sales. We ask for no better proof of the power of newspaper advertising than what is shown in our sales records."

PILLOWS

Fancy ticks... medium size... limited stock.

1.00

WOMEN'S HALF SLIPS

White and colors.

1.00

DISH CLOTHS

15x17 mesh weave... multi-color stripes.

5¢ each

Plastic Drapes

Washable... printed design... ready to hang.

1.00 pair

Kem Tissues

2 boxes 35¢

400 sheets in white or colors

LOWEST PRICES IN YEARS

NATION-WIDE* SHEETS 167

Down... way down... go Penney's prices on famous Nation-Wides, our own service quality sheets and cases!

No change in quality! Stock up now and save!

72"x108", 1.67 72"x99", 1.59 42"x36" cases, 37¢

*reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

SHOP PENNEY'S

BUY CASH—CARRY IT! BE THRIFTY!

Shop Penney's Dollar Day!

Women's Rayon PANTIES

3 pair 1.00

Elastic leg briefs. Fine rayon knit. In your 6 favorite colors.

Monday, January 8th, is DOLLAR DAY

One Rack of CHILDREN'S DRESSES

You have velvets, taffetas and cottons to choose from...

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GIRLS' PANTIES

Colored cotton. Sizes 2 to 12.
Reg. 69¢ **2 pair \$1.00** to \$1.25

ALL GIRL'S Hats, Bags and Scarfs

Specially Priced!

Wool Slip-On and CARDIGAN SWEATERS

Sizes 3 to 6x

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Good size range

Regular \$2.98 **\$1.98**

BOYS' CARDIGAN TYPE SWEATERS

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1.98 2.59 2.98 4.98

Special \$ Day Clearance on Boys' Sweaters!

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+ + COMING EVENTS + +

MONDAY

Midland Girl Scout Association will meet at 8 p.m. in the Trinity Episcopal Parish House.

Children's Theater, Group I, will meet at 4 p.m. in the City-County Auditorium.

Home Demonstration Council and club officers training course will begin at 2 p.m. in the Assembly Room of the Midland County Courthouse.

Rebekah Lodge will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Odd Fellows Hall.

Asbury Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet at 3 p.m. in the church.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. H. G. Brewer, 210 North Big Spring Street.

St. Ann's Altar Society will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Ralph Geisler, 1304 West Ohio Street, with Mrs. Joe Canon assisting as a hostess.

First Christian Woman's Council will meet at 3 p.m. in the church.

St. Ann's Social Group will meet at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

Beta Sigma Phi City Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. A. R. Aytes, 1408 West Ohio Street.

American Association of University Women executive meeting will be from 7:45 to 9 p.m. with Mrs. L. C. Thomas, 1610 West Texas Street. All chairmen are urged to be present.

Trinity Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary will meet in guilds as follows: St. Catherine's at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. Franklin Whitaker, 104 Club Drive; All Saints' at 3:30 p.m. with Mrs. Payton Anderson, 504 West Holmesley Street; and St. Clare's at 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. John Butler, 1603 West Holloway Street with Mrs. Emil Rasmussen as hostess.

First Baptist Woman's Mission-

ary Society will meet at 3 p.m. in the church for business; the Sunbeam Band will meet at the same hour, the GA and RA at 4 p.m. and all girl choir at 5:15 p.m.

First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service circles will meet as follows: May Tidwell at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. R. H. McCoy, 2308 West Brunson Street, Bell Bennett and Winnie Prothro in joint session at 2:15 p.m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building; Laura Haygood at 3:15 p.m. with Mrs. J. M. Prothro, 1900 North Big Spring Street; Wesleyan Service Guild at 7 p.m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building; Irene Nix at 7:45 p.m. with Mrs. Brandon Rea, 210 North Big Spring Street; and Kate Oates at 7:45 p.m. with Mrs. E. B. Dillard, 602 North Pecos Street.

Non-Denominational Church Society for Business and Professional Women will meet at the First Christian Church.

First Presbyterian Women of the Church circles will meet at 3 p.m. as follows: No. 1 with Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, 1408 West Missouri Street; No. 2 with Mrs. Nelson Puett, 612 West Storey Street; No. 3 with Mrs. Arthur Stout, 1601 West Texas Street; No. 4 with Mrs. Paul Laverty, Andrews Highway; and the Training Circle in the church parlor. The Home Mission Committee of the El Paso Presbytery will meet at 10 a.m. in the church and the weekly square dance will be at 7:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

TUESDAY

Promenaders Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club.

Welcome Wagon Newcomers Luncheon will be at 1 p.m. in the Ranch House.

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

Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. H. Don Johnson, 1210 West Louisiana Street.

Daletth Delphian Society will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the Palette Club studio.

Altrusa Club will meet for dinner at 7:30 p.m. in Mrs. Atwood's Dining Room, 222 North Weatherford Street.

Twentieth Century Club will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Duke Jimerson, 403 North D Street. Mrs. James L. Daugherty will assist Mrs. Jimerson as hostess.

Cub Scout Pack 6 committee meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. Ebb White, 1810 West Texas Street.

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

American Association of University Women Contemporary Literature Group No. 1, will meet at 8 p.m. with Mrs. James Marberry, 814 1/2 North Lorraine Street.

Civic Music Club will meet at 8 p.m. in North Elementary School.

Perennial Garden Club will meet at 8 p.m. with Mrs. W. G. Ray, 2101 West Washington Street.

West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium. The Executive Board meeting will be at 2:30 p.m.

Trinity Episcopal Sunday School teachers meeting will be at 7:30 p.m. in the Parish House.

Chi Omega Alumnae will have a coffee at 10 a.m. in the home of Mrs. C. E. George, 807 West Michigan Street.

South Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 3:45 p.m. after the Executive Board meeting at 2:45 p.m.

First Methodist Men's Breakfast will be at 7 a.m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

First Baptist junior choir will rehearse at 4 p.m. and the male chorus at 8 p.m.

First Presbyterian Women of the Church circles will meet as follows: No. 5 at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. C. H. Ervin, 611 North Lorraine Street; No. 6 at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. A. H. Vineyard, Andrews Highway; No. 7 at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. R. F. Carroll, 1113 North Colorado Street; and the Evening Circle at 7:30 p.m. in the church parlor.

WEDNESDAY

Children's Theater, Group II, will meet at 4 p.m. in the City-County Auditorium.

American Association of University Women Contemporary Literature Group No. II, will meet at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. R. V. Hollingsworth, 512 West Kansas Street.

Do-Si-Do Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

Fine Arts Club will meet at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. L. G. Byerley, 1802 West Wall Street.

American Association of University Women Creative Writing Group will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Mrs. John Powell, Garden Addition.

First Methodist Boone Bible Class covered-dish luncheon will be at 12:30 p.m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

Progressive Study Club will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Jr., 708 North Marientfeld Street.

Trinity Episcopal Holy Communion service will be at 10 a.m., and senior choir practice at 7:30 p.m. Altar Group of the Woman's Auxiliary will meet at 10 a.m. for communion and a work meeting with lunch afterwards in the Parish House.

First Baptist sanctuary choir rehearsal will be at 8:30 p.m., and the teachers' and officers' meeting at 7:30 p.m.

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First Methodist choir rehearsal will be at 8:30 p.m. after a service conducted by the Rev. Durwood Fleming.

Delta Gamma Alumnae will meet at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. G. T. Bowen, 1807 West Wall Street.

First Presbyterian choir practice will be at 7:30 p.m. in the church.

THURSDAY

St. Ann's Mothers Club will meet at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. Lamar Lumt, 510 West Holmesley Street. Mrs. Harold Kelly will assist as a hostess.

Xi Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will have a regular meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Iota Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. with Clyde Parnelly, 717 West Kansas Street.

La Merienda Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Ranch House with Mrs. Hastings Pannill and Mrs. Leo Brady as hostesses.

Trinity Episcopal Junior Choir practice will be at 7 p.m.

American Association of Univer-

sity Women will meet at 8 p.m. in the West Elementary School auditorium.

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

DYT Sewing Circle will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. John Sewell, 1402 West Ohio Street.

First Presbyterian Board of Deacons will meet at 5 p.m. and the Men of the Church supper will be at 6:30 p.m., both in the church.

FRIDAY

Children's Theater, Group III, will meet at 4 p.m. in the City-County Auditorium.

County Home Demonstration Council will meet at 2 p.m. in the

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Assembly Room of the Midland County Courthouse.

Lucky 13 Club will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Ellis Conner, 1011 West College Street.

SATURDAY

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

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

Children's Theater, all groups, will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the City-County Auditorium.

League of Women Voters luncheon will be at 1 p.m. in Hotel Scharbauer.

Puett Will Address Presbyterian Men

The January meeting of Presbyterian Men of Midland will be held at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the church's Fellowship Hall, officers announced Saturday.

Nelson Puett will address the meeting, speaking on "Unpublished Texas History." Puett long has been a student of Texas history and folklore, and his lecture will be interesting, entertaining and educational. Ernest Sidwell is the program chairman.

All men of the church are invited to attend.

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Midland's 'Little Miss 1950'



Little Miss Cecelia Kay Wilson, Midland County's first white baby of 1950, was more or less unconcerned as she posed for her first picture with her mother, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, in the Western Clinic-Hospital here. Cecelia Kay was born at 11:30 a.m., New Year's Day. She is the third daughter of the Wilsons, who have resided in Midland 11 years. She and her parents are receiving many valuable gifts from Midland merchants.

small TALK

By SUE COLEMAN

Southern origins are quite evident in the voices of Mrs. C. W. Chau-collor, who comes from Louisiana, and Lydia Watson, whose pioneering in Midland a good many years ago didn't take all the soft Arkansas accent from her voice.

Speaking of voices, Jane Mini's voice reduces to practically a whisper the other day and she explained the hoarseness with "It's just one of those colds that's going around now." And sounded unhappy about it.

The Fred Kotyzas are located again, for a while at least, and Billie is emphatic about her eagerness for the house they are building to be completed so she can feel completely at home again. She is a little tired of being a displaced person after her recent experience with house-hunting in this crowded city. The family has leased the Ken Regan home while the Regans are in Washington for the congressional session—hoping that congress will continue to meet until the new house can be built.

Nobody working on a newspaper ever takes names lightly, and efforts to spell each person's name as that person wants it spelled account for a good deal of a reporter's work. So it is easy to work up sympathy for a person whose name has an unusual spelling and who must struggle all his life to keep "Behar" from being spelled plain "Bear."

Equally in trouble are the women whose names are more commonly given to men, Dick Looby and T. K. White, for instance, and men with first names like Marion or Vivian, and all the host of Jeans, Jimmies and Johnnys whose names may denote either sex.

People still ask about the secret of a clever centerpiece that was used at the Home Demonstration Clubs' party for Nettie Messick and Clay Miller just before their marriage, in the Lee Thackrey home. It was an under-water scene of a snowman being pelted with "snowballs" that moved about in the water, and the question is, what made the balls move?

The snowman was a candle and the balls were plain moth balls (no, they don't melt in the water). The secret was the treatment given the water and Mrs. B. L. Mason, who helped arrange it, says it is a very simple formula. The effect was all that hostess could expect of a centerpiece.

When the Community Theater board selected plays for 1950 last week, each member reviewed briefly one of the dramas which rated highest in the audience vote of proposed productions for the year so that everybody would have an idea of all the plays before a decision was made.

Norris Creath, reading an English play, came to a reference to "the canon" and somebody asked, "Who's the canon?" Explained Gracie Waldschmidt, "Why, a canon is a big gun in the church." It was she who, reviewing the play assigned to her, said at one point, "This is a pretty robust play, and right here it gets a little robust."

Two more attractive mother-daughter teams: Blonde Mary Caroline Keisling and equally blonde Beverly, and dark-haired Cindy Sprinkle and ditto Elizabeth, both look-alike pairs.

Former newspaperwomen seem to be plentiful in Midland, and we keep meeting women who have worked on papers here and there over the United States. The list includes Thelma Gardner, Geraldine Chastain, Koree Geffen, Kay Williams, Dorothy Rea, Genie Bliss and Hal Bess Murphree. And in addition there are dozens who studied journalism and worked on college papers or otherwise got a whiff of printers ink.

A new shampoo shade makes baby's hair washing more fun. It helps keep the soap out of the toddler's eyes and mouth. The shade is available in clear pink, blue, yellow or green.

Dieting With Patricia Morison—Key To Proper Weight Control: Stop Before 'Just Enough'



There's no starvation on this seven-day diet, as Patricia Morison, musical comedy star, is discovering. She leaves the table just before she feels she's had enough to eat.

By PATRICIA MORISON
Written for NEA Service

Don't give in to friends who coaxingly say: "Aw, go on and have the pie. You can make up for it tomorrow." Or who try to make you feel as though you are rather odd because you are disciplining yourself.

I've discovered that the way to avoid alienating friends when you're dieting is not to advertise the fact that you are. If they don't know that you're dieting, they don't seem to be nearly so irked by refusals of food as they are when they know that you're reducing.

This is the slimming program for the fifth day.

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

Stop eating just before you feel that you've had enough. That's really the key to weight control. The stomach is an elastic organ. It soon becomes accustomed to any volume of food that is regularly put into it.

Hunger does not necessarily mean that the body is in need of food. It means that the old habit of over-indulging is announcing its appearance. Unless you are firm, it will gnaw away at you until you give in.

Don't give in. And don't give in to friends who try to make you break your diet by wheedling "just this once."

FIFTH DAY'S DIET

Breakfast

Baked apple (medium) — 2 oz.
milk
Egg (1) coddled
Whole wheat bread or toast—1/2 slice
Coffee or tea with skimmed milk — 1 cup

Lunch

Beef tongue sandwich (2 thin slices bread—no butter)
Lettuce and tomato
Buttermilk or skim milk — 1 glass

Dinner

Tomato juice—6 oz.
Haddock, halibut, codfish — 4 oz. broiled or boiled
Brussels sprouts—1/2 cup
String beans—1/2 cup
Whole wheat bread—1 slice
Orange—
Coffee or tea with skimmed milk — 1 cup

Kiwanis Officer Installation Meet Set Monday Night

Dr. James Boren, president of Hardin College at Wichita Falls, will be the guest speaker at the annual officer installation meeting of the Midland Kiwanis Club at 7 p.m. Monday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. It will be a ladies night affair.



Dr. James Boren

Dr. Boren is widely-known as one of the Southwest's most outstanding inspirational speakers. He has spoken before gatherings of all kinds in various parts of the United States during the last several years, his services being in almost constant demand.

Albert S. Kelley will be installed as Kiwanis president for 1960, succeeding Dr. R. Matthew Lynn, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. H. W. Smith of Big Spring, lieutenant governor of Division 12, will install the new officials.

Other new officers include Reese Cleveland and Herschel F. Esell, vice presidents; Marie Coleman, secretary; and Wesley Martin, treasurer. Directors are Lester Short, J. Harvey Herd, W. Henry Conkling and J. G. McMillian.

Retiring officers and directors include Dr. Lynn, Lionel Craver, Ammon Bradshaw, Jr., Sam Salt and R. Russell.

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High School P-TA To Meet In Crane

CRANE—The newly-organized High School Parent-Teacher Association will meet Thursday with Mrs. R. D. Shaffer, vice president in charge of the program. Mrs. W. B. Gunn is president of the organization and Mrs. W. D. Gooch, hospitality chairman.

The P-TA meets on the second Thursday of each month. The roll will remain open for charter memberships until the end of January.

Crane OES Members Visit At Imperial

CRANE—Members of the Crane Eastern Star Chapter were among visitors to the Imperial Chapter Tuesday when Ruth Cothrum of Pecos, deputy grand matron, made her official visit. Lela Wilson, former deputy grand matron, Stella Shaffer and Thelma Buchanan went from Crane.

Mrs. Cothrum will make her official visit to Crane on January 23, and to Iran the next day. A buffet supper is being planned to honor her here, and committees will be appointed at a regular Eastern Star meeting Monday night.

Good In West Texas—Chili Recipe Is Favorite Of Mrs. Ralph Lowe --And Guests

Spanish and Mexican influence is shown not only in West Texas architecture and speech, but in the love of its citizens for the spicy foods from across-the-border. Possibly the best liked of all those foods is chili.

Friends of the Ralph Lowes always look forward to an invitation to "come and eat chili in the back yard." Mrs. Lowe cooks her chili slowly in a large iron pot, "the heavier the pot the better it is," she says.

And she emphasizes the slow cooking which, she adds, "is the secret of good chili."

The ingredients of Mrs. Lowe's chili are as follows:
1 large onion
4 buttons garlic
2 large red peppers
4 small red hot peppers
1 pound chili meat
1 teaspoon salt
1 can chili powder
1 can of tomatoes
1 quart water

Method: Grind onion, garlic and peppers and fry in deep fat. Drain and add chili meat, salt and chili

powder. Add tomatoes. Add water and cook slowly for two hours.

This recipe will, Mrs. Lowe said, serve four people. She suggested serving it with combination salad and garlic bread or crackers.

This recipe is the first in a series of "Favorite Recipes of West Texans" with "this tastes good in West Texas" as its theme.

The recipes will be written and submitted by Midland and Permian Basin Empire residents, who are asked to send them to Recipe Editor, Reporter-Telegram, Midland, Texas.

There are many recipes which have originated in West Texas and all men, women and children are invited to send in their favorite ones.

The recipes will be published in The Reporter-Telegram with the names and addresses of the contributors.

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Fenske Television Chair	149.50	109.50	
1 pair Modern Amsterdam Chairs, in black satin print and black laquer	279.00	200.00	
Simmons Duplex Bed, wool mohair cover	275.00	225.00	
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Crane News

CRANE—Work on curbs and gutters on Sixth Street will be completed this week. According to the terms of a contract, all work will be completed before the end of January. To date, \$2,843.82 has been paid into the fund for the work, with approximately \$17,000 due and payable when the work is completed. This will fit into the State Highway department program for widening and repaving the highway from the Ector County line through crane to the Upton County line.

A. J. Blanton has been employed by the Southern Union Gas Company as salesman for the Crane-McCamey territory.

The First State Bank of Crane has announced the payment of a five per cent dividend to stockholders as of January 1. After 20 months of operation, the bank has shown a steady growth and now has approximately 1,000 depositors. A. L. Hood is president of the bank.

Dwayne and Joyce Parker recently visited in Big Spring.

The Second Chapter of the Book of Revelations recently was studied at Young People's Bible Study Class of the First Baptist Church. The Rev. H. D. Christian led the study. Present were: Irma Lee McKay, Dolores White, Evelyn McKay, Bobbie Mason, Iva Lou Sims, Maxine Williams, Chloe Boothe, Bobby North, Elias Williams, Howard Christian, Ward Christian, Art Boothe and George Ashburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cranfill of the Kewanee Camp had as their guests last week: Mrs. J. B. Swenson, Mrs. Alex Anderson and her son, Don, both of Clifton; Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Smith of Chicago and G. B. Cranfill of Odessa. Mrs. Swenson is Mrs. Cranfill's mother. Mrs. Anderson is her sister, and Smith is a nephew.

Student Visits Parents
Thomas (Nubbins) Reynolds spent two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Reynolds in the Tidewater Camp. Reynolds is a student at Draughon's Business College in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Westbrook and daughter Lynette spent the Christmas holidays with relatives in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stewart of Presidio, and Mr. and Mrs. Julius Meaght and children of Milledge, Kan., visited during the holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Deax. Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Meaght are the mother and sister of Mrs. Deax.

Beverly Young, 11-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Young, is a medical patient in Crane Memorial Hospital.

Howard Evans also has been admitted to the hospital as a medical patient.

E. H. Harding and R. P. Clements are medical patients in Crane Memorial Hospital.

E. R. Arent is a patient in Crane Hospital.

Upton County HD Council Committees For Year Appointed

MCCAMEY—Organizing for a new year of work, the Upton County Home Demonstration Council had committees for 1950 appointed at a meeting Thursday afternoon in the Park Building. Mrs. J. R. Sumrall, chairman, was in charge.

Committees named were: Exhibit, Mrs. J. T. Gibbs, Mrs. J. M. Poe and Mrs. R. L. Brown; finance, Mrs. G. W. Huffman, Mrs. J. R. O'Callaghan and Mrs. J. T. Gibbs; education and expansion, Mrs. William Wolfe, Mrs. Wilbur Harris and Mrs. N. C. House; yearbook, Mrs. E. R. Sullivan, Mrs. J. W. C. Hayes and Mrs. F. Grizzle.

The 4-H Club, Mrs. O'Callaghan; marketing, Mrs. F. R. Stapp, Mrs. T. Hogg and Mrs. A. W. Fisher; reporter, Mrs. F. Reimers, Mrs. O'Callaghan and Mrs. Sumrall; recreation, Mrs. Ewing Grizzle, Mrs. C. N. Anderson and Mrs. G. B. Henderson.

The 4-H Club chairman asked for volunteer committee workers and said that leaders are needed to assist with 4-H girls' clubs. If leaders become available, a junior 4-H Club may be formed in McCamey, she said.

Short Cuts For

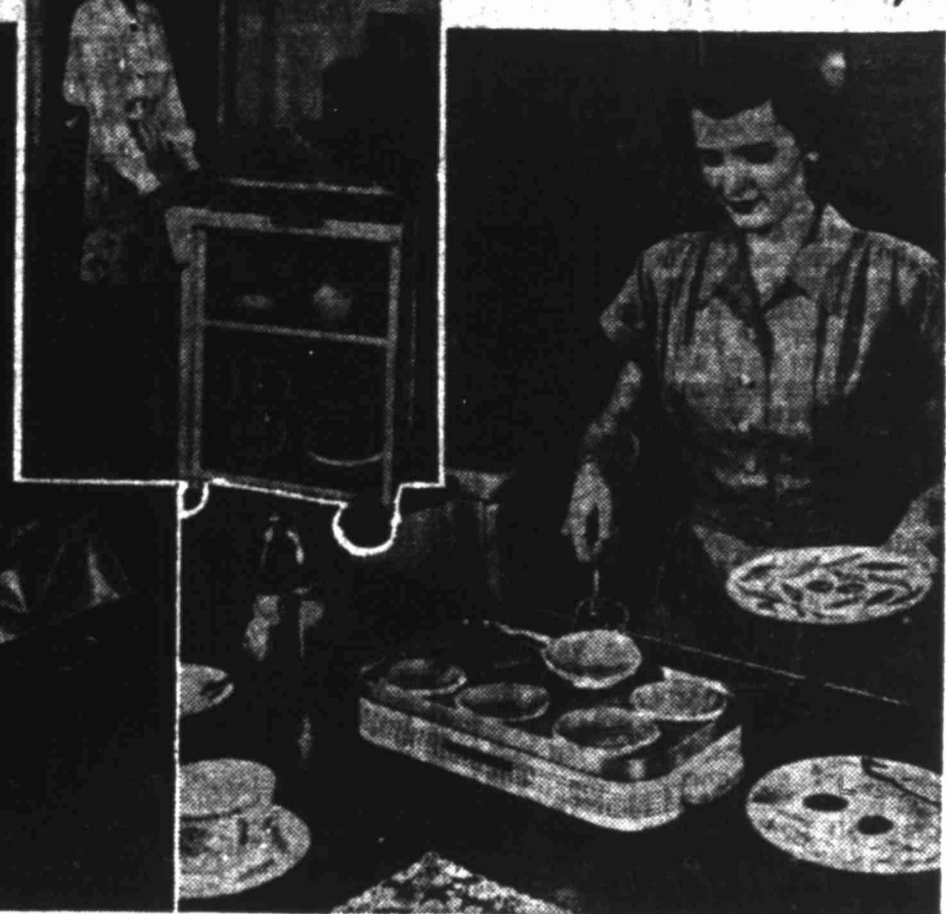


These homemakers have their load lightened by new inventions. The plastic mop cover (left) is a guard that makes mop shaking possible without dust hazards. The serving cart (center) saves steps in wheeling dishes to and from dining-room. The electric griddle (right) acts as short-order cook, making light lunches, breakfast, snacks and even regular meals quickly and easily.

BY GAILE DUGAS
NEA Staff Writer
Friend of the woman who cooks three meals a day, carts food from stove to table, and frisks a mop, is the postwar inventor who keeps dreaming up ways to save her steps and simplify her tasks.

A new electric griddle doubles as short-order cook or an auxiliary unit to the kitchen stove. Quick and handy for late suppers, snacks, fast breakfasts, light lunches, it grills sandwiches, fries eggs, bacon and pancakes and cooks hamburgers. The griddle also stores away in small space. It can even be stashed away in the electric range.

Home Efficiency



Its good-looking enough to rate a place at a "short-order" breakfast or luncheon. Easy to clean, it has a base of white enamel, white plastic handles and smooth-finish, roomy aluminum grid.

Newest invention to lighten the homemaking load is a metal serving cart which will carry everything needed for a meal from stove to table. When not in use, this two-tray table on wheels can be used for a mobile storage cabinet or it can be stored away in a minimum of space under kitchen sink or broom closet.

For apartment dwellers and all other householders who don't find it convenient to shake a mop out the window and risk dusting a neighbor's head, there's a plastic cover which takes care of this problem. This cover slides over the mop handle and covers the mop head up to a point where it permits the dust to be shaken into a garbage can or wastepaper basket.

Another boon to the housewives is the new nylon broom, which sweeps with thoroughness and raises less dust. Another virtue is the broom's light weight, which makes it easy to handle. Washable, it can be easily cleaned by simply ducking it in suds and rinsing.

The problem of keeping food hot for tardy husbands is solved by a new electric hot tray. This little helper looks like a serving tray but has a radiant glass heated top, is shatterproof and maintains a temperature of about 200 degrees. It's hot stuff for snacks, breakfast in bed, afternoon tea, and leisurely dining.

Crane Church Group Hears Dr. Rimmer

CRANE—A group of members from the Church of Christ here drove to Midland Friday night to attend the lecture of Dr. Harry Rimmer in the First Baptist Church. The Ladies Bible Study Group of the church had its weekly lesson Wednesday, taught by Dan Clark, minister. Present were Mrs. Maude McDougal, Mrs. Allie Justice, Mrs. Leslie Napier, Mrs. W. G. Brent, Mrs. Fred Basham, Mrs. G. W. Crawford, Mrs. Ray Townsend, Mrs. Herman Atchison, Mrs. Hays Darron, Mrs. Nora Butler, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Wallace.

Mrs. Whittenburg Is Crane Club Hostess In John Clark Home

CRANE—The Wednesday Club met with Mrs. Ida Whittenburg as hostess at the John E. Clark home Wednesday. Mrs. H. G. Parrott was awarded the prize for high score; Mrs. Ray Fraze, second high and Mrs. W. E. Morton, bingo.

Others present were Mrs. R. R. Pettis, Mrs. J. O. Coffey, Mrs. R. V. Wilson, Mrs. W. R. Hamblett, Mrs. C. A. Shaffer, Mrs. W. W. Allman, Mrs. Clark and Mrs. H. Bushager of Goldsmith.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Allman.

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Durwood Fleming Is Youth Week Speaker In Methodist Church

Youth week will be observed in the First Methodist Church with daily services starting Monday, conducted by the Rev. Durwood Fleming, pastor of St. Luke's Methodist Church of Houston.

The speaker is an outstanding youth minister and youth worker of Texas Methodism, the Rev. H.



Durwood Fleming, H. Hollowell, pastor of the Midland Church, says. He formerly was pastor of the Eastland Methodist Church and is a graduate of Southern Methodist University, Dallas.

A dinner meeting for young people is scheduled at 6:15 p.m. each day during the week, with Fleming as the speaker. He will speak also at a meeting open to the public, to be held in the church sanctuary at 7:30 p.m. daily.

He is to be the speaker at both regular church services next Sunday, and will address the Methodist Men at a breakfast Tuesday.

The visiting pastor is the brother of Mrs. Rex Stults of Dallas, the former Alice Fleming, who was church secretary in the First Methodist Church here a few years ago.

Chairmen For 1950 Are Appointed For Valley View Club

Committee chairmen for 1950 were appointed in a business meeting of the Valley View Home Demonstration Club, the first session of the year, in the home of Mrs. Bennie Bizzell Friday afternoon. Mrs. D. M. Bizzell, president, made the following appointments:

Program committee, Mrs. Bennie Bizzell, chairman, Mrs. B. L. Mason and the president as other members; marketing chairman, Mrs. J. D. Bartlett; exhibit chairman, Mrs. J. C. Stevens, Jr.; finance chairman, Mrs. Glen Drake; reporter, Mrs. Mason.

Chairmen of the education, expansion and recreation committees are to be named at the next meeting, and other members will be added to all the committees.

New year books were given to the members who wrote in the names of appointees and program information. A club constitution was read and approved.

In addition to the appointees, Mrs. I. J. Howard and Mrs. T. O. Midkiff were present. Refreshments were served after the business hour.

Square Dance Class For Beginners Will Be Started Soon

Midland residents who wish to learn square dancing are invited to join a class which is being formed for a 12-week instruction period, with weekly meetings in the Midland Officers Clubhouse. J. Johnson will be the instructor.

Johnson has conducted a series of similar classes to teach the fundamentals of square dancing and old-time folk dancing. The class can accommodate 24 couples, and about half the number already is enrolled. Exact meeting days will be set after enrollment is completed.

Persons interested in class membership are invited to call Juanita Anderson at telephone numbers 121-W or 890, or Johnson at No. 2936-J.

Country Club Sets Annual Meet Tuesday

The annual meeting of stockholders of the Midland Country Club will be held in the clubhouse at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday when officers for 1950 will be elected and other business transacted.

Roy Meinar is the retiring president and W. I. Pratt is secretary.

A nominating committee, appointed by the directors, has submitted to the members a list of nominees for the offices to be filled. A president, vice president and three directors are to be elected.

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Cities Arm For Another Legislative Fight

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas cities are arming themselves for a new major legislative effort along two broad general lines.

They will try again for passage of laws to relieve their financial distress. They will oppose bills they believe are new threats to their autonomy.

The new president of the League of Texas Municipalities sounded the keynote in the November issue of "Texas Municipalities." He is Mayor George D. Barber of Mineral Wells, who had this to say about the league's Galveston convention:

"There was no doubting the tenor of the meeting and the expressed feeling of those in attendance that

diligent efforts must be made during the coming year to prepare our city officials for concerted and unified action before opening of the next regular session of the Legislature. x x x

"Next year is election year. It is imperative that city officials determine how all candidates for state office stand on municipal affairs—what these candidates think about the growing tendency of the Legislature to encroach on the governing rights of municipalities. It is better to know before they are elected than to learn with regret after they are elected."

The retiring president of the league, H. P. Kucera of Dallas, has often emphasized what he calls the growing tendency of the state government to muscle in on municipal affairs.

"We have people in high positions who travel over the state, and over the nation, and shed copious tears over the infringement by the federal government on state's rights," Kucera told the convention.

"And yet, being in the position that they occupy, they exercise the same authority to centralize power and control over local governments of both the cities and counties.

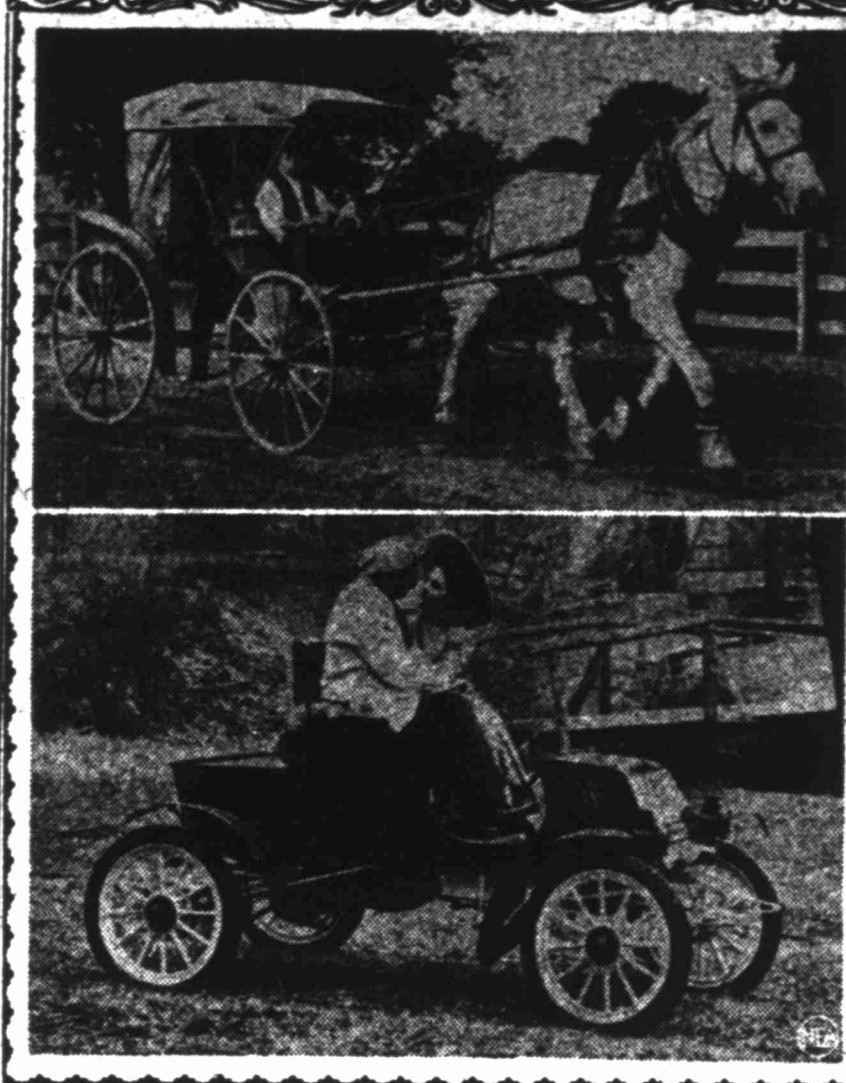
"The Legislature has initiated a legislative pattern which has a goal of centralizing control over municipal governments through bureaus established in Austin, laws patterned in Austin on state level, and laws passed and imposed upon municipal corporations affecting purely local matters, and necessarily paid for by local taxation."

The cities are bucking such legislation as the already effective fireman and policeman civil service and minimum wage bills and revenue acts that fence cities out of such tax resources as gasoline and automobile license fees.

They want repeal of state laws under which they could not accept tax payments from the federal government even if Congress permitted such payments. They want a bill requiring that ad valorem taxes on automobiles must be paid before license plates are issued by the state. They want a law providing for summary sales for collection of delinquent taxes. The last session refused to approve such proposals by the cities.

In general, the cities want a complete study and readjustment of the state structure to give the fast-growing cities more of the operating funds they need.

HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



Horse and buggy age" was still in its heyday when the twentieth century was new. Some kind of "rig" powered by faithful Dobbin, still was the common way for the family to get about. Few villages, however small, were without a livery stable that rented horses and rigs to those who did not own their own and blacksmithing was a profitable trade. Buggy drivers, livermen and blacksmiths heard an annoying, popping noise—but they didn't know it sounded their doom. It was the gasoline motor. Pioneers of the auto age—Duryea, Olds, Ford and others—were to revolutionize our way of life. Their autos looked like buggies—were, in fact, "horseless carriages." But Grandpa quickly learned that the new-fangled contraption was just perfect for courtin' Grandma.

Chicago Business Man Inherits Four Egyptian Beauties

CHICAGO—(AP)—What would you do if you inherited four beautiful Egyptian dancing girls?

A married Chicago business man, who says he is in that fix, thinks he might have the answer.

"If worse comes to worse," said Christopher G. Janus, "I might bring them to Chicago to act as baby sitters."

Janus, 38, is in the general exporting and importing business. He is the present owner of Adolf Hitler's armored car. He gave this summary of his pleasant plight:

His uncle, P. Z. Aristophron, died in Egypt in 1944, leaving Janus' late mother one-third of his estate including some cotton plantations.

Under Egyptian custom, a property owner is responsible for the welfare of all his workers and their families.

The families include 12 dancing girls, from 16 to 22 years of age. "My mother's share of the estate includes four of these girls," said Janus.

"I don't know what to do about them and my wife doesn't either. I don't think Mrs. Janus is very keen on the idea of bringing them over here."

Roast a loin of pork for Sunday dinner and serve with a fruit garnish. For the garnish choose cinnamon apples, minced pears, or canned peach halves filled with currant jelly.

Maritime Nations Start Tanker Race

NEW YORK—(AP)—Leading maritime nations are racing to turn out the biggest tanker, according to the American Merchant Marine Institute. Prior to the war, the French had the largest, the Sheherazade. At 18,000 deadweight tons, she was considered mammoth, but today this size is only average. However, building in a French yard are a pair of giants of 31,285 tons which will gain place France at the lead in the race.

Liberia presently boasts the largest tankers afloat—30,000 tons. But by mid-1950 the United States will take the lead temporarily with a trio of 30,350-ton giants to join several 28,000-tonners in active service. Panama and Honduras have 28,000-ton tankers. Vessels of 40,000 tons now are in the drafting stage.

Medical Librarian Exams Listed By CSC

The Civil Service Commission announces examinations for filling vacancies in the position of medical record librarian at entrance salaries ranging from \$3100 to \$3825 per annum. Employment will be with various Federal agencies in the state of Texas.

Application forms may be secured from the Midland post office.

When using a rich dough for rolled cookies chill thoroughly in the refrigerator, then spoon off a very small amount of the dough at a time to roll and cut.

Capital Firemen Nab High Climber

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Firemen are handy sometimes even when there's no fire.

Two passersby were impressed with the agility of a man they saw scaling a seven-foot fence, especially in view of the hour, 2:30 a.m. They called police. Eventually two scout cars, a paddy wagon and cruisers from the narcotics, safe and general assignment squads arrived.

The man by this time was on the roof. Viewing the situation with some alarm, he leaped an airway and landed on another roof six feet away and six feet down. Firemen of No. 3 Truck Company got to him.

Ex-Sailor Constructs His Own Pipe Organ

SALT LAKE CITY—(AP)—A patient sailor dreamed while aboard ship during the war of owning a pipe organ. The ex-Navy man knew nothing of organ construction and never studied music. But in Salt Lake City and Ogden he found two pipe organs that had been discarded by theaters. They looked like heaps of torn junk.

For two years he repaired and assembled 2,000 pipes, thousands of electrical wires, 87 stops, 154 keys and other parts. Now he has an instrument valued at many thousands of dollars—and he's still improving it and adding effects.

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Indian Leader Off Suspicious List

NEW DELHI, INDIA—(AP)—The former Indian ambassador to the United States is no longer regarded as a "suspicious character" by Delhi Police. The name of Jassaf Ali, now governor of Orissa Province, was removed only recently from a police list of persons on whom an eye should be kept. He had been on the list since 1919, when he started taking an active part in the Congress movement against British rule.

Delhi police explained that they hadn't had time in the two years since independence to bring the list up to date.

Next time you make oatmeal muffins try adding some finely-cut dates to the batter.

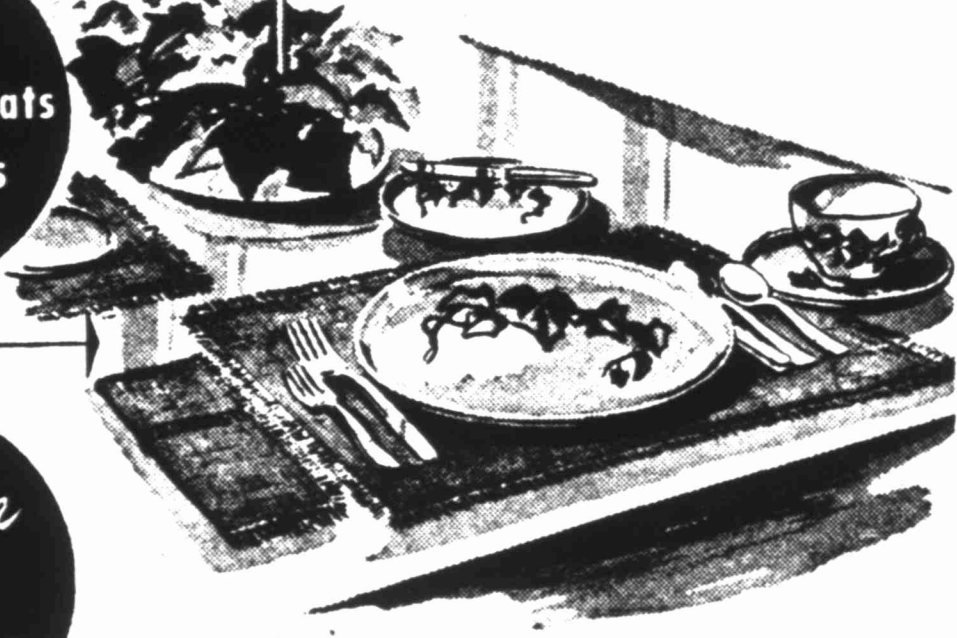
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ANDREWS—The United Supply Store in the Fullerton Field at Frankel City called up its supplies last week after moving its supplies to Eunice, N. M.
Vera Hayes spent the holidays with relatives in New York.
Mrs. R. R. Ramsey was an Odessa visitor Wednesday.
Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cozen are Mrs. Cozen's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Naylor from El Reno, Okla.
Thomas D. Hamilton is in Austin attending a meeting for school su-

perintendents.
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd W. Morgan spent Sunday through Thursday in Fort Worth.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckley of Odessa were visitors Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ham.
Mrs. Roger Heinrich and her mother, Mrs. Cris Quante, returned Tuesday from Mineral Wells where they spent the last several weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wilson of Oil Center, N. M., were Tuesday night visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Gavitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Anderson spent last weekend with Anderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Matt Anderson, in Nowice, Texas, and with other relatives in Brownwood, Coleman and Cisco.
Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hallmark and Bill Hallmark of Odessa visited recently with their sister and family, the "Red" Aldredges.
Joe Tom Weaver of Kermit visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Weaver, recently.
Recent guests in the W. R. Foster home were their two sons and their

families, Ray, from Eunice and Thurman from Hobbs. Also Mr. and Mrs. B. Jackson and family from Seminole were visitors.
Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Trotter were recent guests of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Stoner in Odessa.
Mr. and Mrs. Coy Knight of Midland and Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Jones of Big Spring were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Knight.
Mr. and Mrs. Al Hayes spent the last 10 days visiting Mrs. Hayes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Turnbough in Quanah, and with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl C. Hayes in Clyde.
Mrs. J. W. Harlan has returned

to her home in Turkey, Texas, after an extended visit with a daughter, Mrs. Lee Ferrin, and family.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pinnell entertained recently with a dinner and Canasta party. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Gene Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Knox Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pinnell, Joyce Alexander, Wanda Alexander, Bob Locke and Mrs. D. M. Pinnell.
The marriage of Mrs. Thelma Davis to S. H. Fennel on December 24 has been announced. Mrs. Davis is science teacher in the Andrews High School.
Birds sing while flying; try to imagine a human being singing while running at full speed.

Storms Main Cause Of Jap Ship Losses
TOKYO—(P)—Shipwrecks cost 5,410 vessels—mostly fishing boats—in Japanese waters last year—an average of almost 15 craft a day.
The Marine Safety Board blamed typhoons and other "irresistible forces of nature" for 40 per cent of the losses. Careless navigation was listed as the cause of 26 per cent, faulty design or obsolescence 15 per cent; and the remainder miscellaneous.
A national shrine has been made of the home of Roald Amundsen in Oslo, Norway.

Maryland Fights Adoption Racket
BALTIMORE—(P)—Maryland is moving to tighten its adoption laws after investigators reported they uncovered a flourishing baby racket here.
Anselm Sodaro, assistant state's attorney for Baltimore, told an interim fact-finding council of the Legislature that the city is "a hotbed of black market activities in babies."
Haphazard placements, he said, often resulted in children being put into homes of persons mentally and physically unfit to care for them. Altogether, the volume of irregular adoptions here is "tremendous," the prosecutor declared.
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Counteract winter stiffness with massage, as this girl is doing. She uses a chap cream, working it on as she would gloves.

though they were mops you wanted to shake free of dust. That simple routine will banish stiffness. So will hand exercises for which you spread fingers over a real or an imaginary tennis ball. Thumping a real or imaginary piano or typewriter keyboard is also good exercise to keep fingers and wrists more flexible.

When you've run through a few hand exercises, rub on a hand cream—an anti-chap cream is a good one to use this time of year—and massage your hands. There's more value to be received from the routine daily creaming if it's accompanied by massage which warms up the skin and makes it more receptive to lubricating oils. Best way to massage is to put elbows up on a table, as you do at a glove counter when you're about to be fitted. Press cream down from finger tips to wrist—taking one finger at a time, just as the saleswoman does who forces on a pair of snug kid gloves.

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Washington Payroll Padding Difficult To Prove On Solon

WASHINGTON—If Congressional committees ever try to ferret out all the facts about payroll padding on Capitol Hill they won't have an easy time. Most of the information about salaries there is readily available. But the really hot stuff is buried.

Interest in the subject was aroused when former Rep. J. Parnell Thomas went to jail for pocketing money ostensibly going to employees of his office. Rep. Burdick (R-ND) happened to be in his home district about the time Thomas entered the clink and was shocked to find that folks out there were wondering just how many other members of the national legislature were dishonest.

He demanded that Congress make a thorough investigation to weed out any other payroll manipulators and clear Congress' name.

The overwhelming majority of the members are honest, says Burdick. "But the crooks have done more damage than Communists could have done in 20 years."

Thomas was once chairman of the House Committee on Un-American Activities. At first glance it would appear simple to find out who is getting away with payroll padding. On the House side of the Capitol a photostatic copy of the entire payroll is publicly available each month. The name of each clerk, secretary, administrative assistant or other employee appears along with his salary. The record shows in which committee or congressman's office he or she works.

Maybe On Research
If you smell something fishy about some of the entries, you can go to the office in question and ask if so-and-so works there. If he isn't there, other employees or the congressman might explain that he is doing some research at the Congressional Library, is ill at home, is on vacation or works in the congressman's office in his home town. All of which might be quite true.

If you find so-and-so actually working there, you have no assurance that he and the rest of the employees there are not kicking back part of their salaries to the congressman.

The correct answers might be obtained by an investigating committee. Committee witnesses must testify under oath. But old timers on the Hill say an investigation would be a painful proceeding to many members, and they'll bet 10 to one that the matter never will reach the investigating stage. **Senate Not So Frank**

The Senate is not quite so frank about publishing its payroll as the House. It is made public only once a year, and there is an important omission. The Senate does not publish names and salaries of employees of particular senators. There is a breakdown by committees, but not by senators' offices.

No one who is reported questioned was able to explain why this was done. But one seasoned official of the Senate said he believed it was just a matter of personnel policy in the offices. The senators didn't want their employees to know what other employees were making. In the matter of their own expense allowances, the senators, incidentally are somewhat more generous to themselves than the representatives.

Members of both bodies have voted themselves substantial allowances in addition to \$2,500-a-year tax-free expense allowances. On the House side every member is given a flat sum of \$500 each fiscal year for stationery and another \$500 for telegrams and long distance telephone calls. The senators get \$500 a year for stationery, can send any number of official telegrams, and may make 50 free long distance telephone calls a month. Both senators and congressmen get a mileage allowance to and from Washington. Their expenses are paid on official trips abroad.

Monahans Expects Large Crowd At Area Lions Meet
MONAHANS—Lions Club members from Midland, Odessa, Pecos, Kermit, Wink, Wickett, Crane, McCamey and other area cities are expected to join Monahans Lions in honoring H. C. Petry, Jr., of Carrizo Springs, Texas, first vice president of Lions International, at a ladies night banquet-meeting at 8 p.m. Thursday in the school cafeteria here.

Petry is expected to be elected president of Lions International at its annual convention in July. He will be the principal speaker at the Thursday night meet.

Other Lions officials who have accepted invitations to attend the area gathering are James L. Daugherty of Midland, governor of District 2-T-2; Deputy Governor Roy Carter of Kermit; and Zone Chairman Andy Anderson of Wink.

Dr. Glen Stone, president of the Monahans Club, will preside.

Dan Eddy Is Named To Salvation Army Campaign Department

Dan Eddy of Dallas has been appointed director of the Salvation Army's Community Service Units in Texas and head of its campaign department, Lt. Col. John A. Morrison, Texas divisional commander, announced. Eddy conducted the Community Chest finance campaign here in 1948.

He received his education at Southern Methodist University and the University of Texas, spent three years in USO work in the Southwest during the war and during the last two and a half years has been engaged in community campaign work for the Salvation Army.

Through its Community Service Units the Salvation Army is active in more than 50 Texas cities and communities which find it financially impossible to maintain a resident Salvation Army program.

Midlanders Announce Daughter's Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. James Travis Caldwell are at home in Big Spring after their marriage there New Year's Eve and a wedding trip to New Mexico.

She is the former Gertrude Hull, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Joe Hull, 1300 South Big Spring Street. Her mother is Mrs. H. Smith of Knott, Texas.

The bride-elect's father read the double-ring ceremony in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hull, in Big Spring, with family and friends attending.

Mrs. Caldwell wore a blue dress and white flowers. She is a graduate of Big Spring High School and is employed at the Retail Merchants Association there. He is attending mechanics' school.

Americans spend \$32,500,000 a day, an average, on meat.

Water For Displaced Texans



New Yorker Joe Casey samples the tank truckload of water sent to drought-stricken New York by thoughtful Texans. The water was earmarked for "displaced Texans," who are "suffering" through New York's shortage.

Kermit CC Banquet Set Thursday Night

KERMIT—A capacity crowd is indicated for the Kermit Chamber of Commerce annual banquet Thursday night, as ticket sales got underway, according to M. H. Alberts, chairman. Since the banquet is to be held in the recently completed school cafeteria, attendance must be limited to 300. This will be the first public function in the cafeteria, which is the most modern and well equipped of any school in the southwest.

speaker, Tommy Thompson, program chairman, also has arranged an outstanding entertainment program. The dance will follow immediately the banquet and will be in the American Legion Hall. The Bailey Ireland band of Lubbock will furnish dance music. A number of out-of-city guests have been invited, according to Charlie Green, Chamber of Commerce manager. A strand of glass may be 15 times finer than human hair and have a greater tensile strength than steel.

+ McCamey News +

MCCAMEY—According to information received from the War Department by J. A. (Whitey) Taylor of McCamey, the body of his brother, Maj. Arthur G. Taylor of Roff, Okla., has been found. He was killed in an airplane crash, Sept. 10, 1945. Major Taylor's body was among 10 which were recovered. The major was reported missing on a flight to Palawan Island in the Pacific.

Two membership teams were appointed at a recent meeting of the Price Pool American Legion Post. Neely Moore heads one team and A. M. Coplen leads the other. A membership campaign ends January 24. Also the women's auxiliary of the legion unit will conduct a membership drive.

Bill Moore, chairman of the McCamey Youth Program, announces a party, suggested by the McCamey High School Student Council, will be held January 14. School Board Meets

Proposals submitted and discussed at a recent meeting of the McCamey school board included repairs to Westover School; need for lighting under the football stadium stands; need for rest rooms at the stadium; aid for exceptional children in McCamey schools; need for encouragement to participation in speech events of the Inter-school League competition.

LUNCHEON TIME CHANGED
A change in time for the luncheons of the Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club is announced to start Tuesday. The luncheon will begin at 1 p.m. instead of the previous hour, 1:30 p.m. It will be in the Ranch House, and reservations may be made by notifying Mrs. J. W. Brown at telephone number 2131-J.

Kermit Fire Losses Are At All-Time Low

KERMIT—While other statistical records for Kermit have shown increases for 1949, one went to an all time low.

Fire loss in Kermit last year, according to Fire Chief Fred Pearson, was estimated at \$9,730. This is \$20,604.81 below the 1948 total of \$30,334.81.

Blazes in cars and trucks counted for 14 runs made by the Volunteer Fire Department. Thirteen runs were made to dwellings and five to commercial and business houses. Gas and oil field fires counted for three of the runs.

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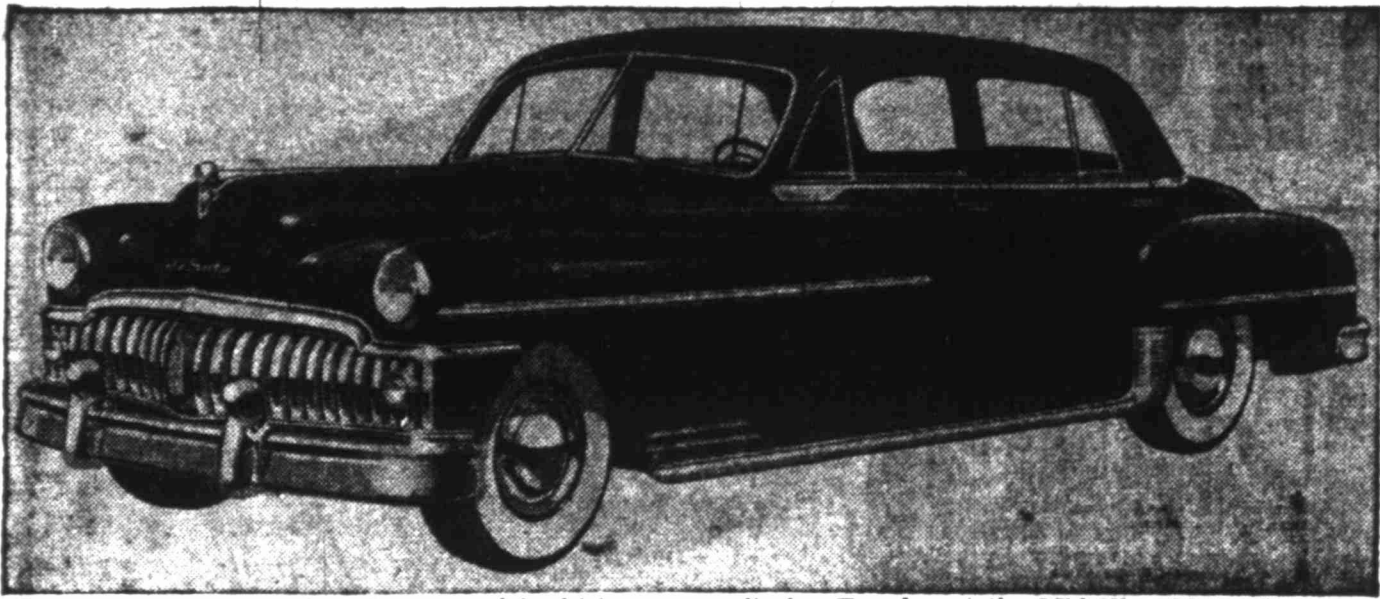
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De Soto Announces Brand New Model



De Soto announces a brand new model which goes on display Tuesday at the Mid-West Motor Company in Midland. The new De Soto will introduce a long list of new style and performance features.

New Model De Sotos Will Be Shown Tuesday In Midland

De Soto announces a brand new model which will introduce a long list of new style and performance features to give added beauty, comfort, convenience, safety, and economy of operation.

The new model will be shown to the public for the first time Tuesday in the showroom of the Mid-West Motor Company, 107 South Colorado Street.

New exterior styling of the De Soto gives the new car a longer, lower, wider look. The rear of the car is completely new. The rear window, now 33 per cent larger, not only adds distinctive beauty to the design, but gives wide-angle visibility.

Rear fenders have been lengthened and retain their full height almost to the rear of the car. They have been peak-crowned and are a major contribution to the whole new conception of the De Soto's appearance.

Added Protection
The rear bumper has been deepened and widened to conform with over-all design and to give more protection to the new fenders. New, sturdier bumper guards are provided.

The tail light, stop light, and directional turn light have been combined in single units mounted on each rear fender, adding still more to the widened look.

Horizontal chrome trim adds length to the car's appearance and it has been lowered to give a road-hugging look. An entirely new grille gives an impressive, more massive head-on look to the newly-styled front end of the new De Soto.

New interior styling adds more luxury to the new De Soto and gives more comfort and convenience for driver and passengers.

Mechanical Advances
Greatest mechanical advance in the new De Soto is the new, large brake. No car in America has larger brakes. The new brake drums are 12 inches in diameter. Servicing of the transmission has been made easier and more economical.

College President Will Be Speaker At Annual Council Meet

Dr. J. W. Marshall, president of Wayland College at Plainview, will be the principal speaker at the 27th Annual Meeting of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, to be held January 19 in Hotel Scharbauer. This will mark the first time an annual meeting has been held in Midland.

The banquet, scheduled at 6 p.m. will be preceded by a business meeting at 4:30 p.m., at which officers for 1950 for the council will be elected. Other business to come before the council will be the application for a 1950 charter, the reading of annual reports and adoption of a program and objectives.

A capacity crowd of 250 persons is expected at the banquet, including members of the executive council, district council representatives, Scout leaders and their wives.

Dr. Marshall was named president of Wayland College in 1947. He was formerly overseas personnel secretary of the Baptist

MCKENNEY Answers Your CANASTA Questions

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

As I dictate today's article I have in front of me a book entitled "How to Play Canasta" by Richard L. Frey. "Dick" Frey is no newcomer among card players. He is one of the original 15 life masters in bridge, and some time ago he wrote a book entitled "The Complete Hoyle."

He is very thorough in his writing, and has a number of illustrative hands in his book on Canasta. Today I am going to give you a couple of them, dealing with the initial meld and what to discard.

YOUR HAND
A - K K K - 9 9 9 - 7 7 - J - 10 - 4
Four-handed—Both sides need 50 for initial meld.

Discard pile—Up-card Q.
You have made your draw.

Q—Should you make an initial meld of the three kings and three nines?
A—No. As a rule you should not use more than four cards to make an initial meld of 50. Frey points out that a hand depleted to less than seven cards has little prospect of contributing to the subsequent earnings of the partnership.

Q—What should you discard?
A—You have 2 trice of high cards in what is a poor hand. Your chances of getting the pack are small. If you discard a king or nine, and your opponent takes the pack, your chance of building a canasta has been reduced; and from then on a discard from either of the trice will be a dangerous discard.

Frey says that the best play is to discard the four; but he also says that if there is only one card in the discard pile at this point this is the place to throw a loose high card, even the ace.

In his hand No. 2 Frey brings out a very interesting point. Here is the hand:

A - A - 7 - 8 - 8 - 8 - K - Q - J - 10 - 7
Four-handed—Both sides need 50 for an initial meld.
Discard pile—Up-card 8.

The average person, after drawing, might meld the three aces immediately. Frey points out that you should not meld the three aces on the first round. However, on the second round, if there are four five cards in the pack, make your meld even though you cannot get the pack.

The melding of three aces is the most economical meld that you can make. The reason that you should hold up the melding of the aces for at least one round is that your opponent, not knowing that you have three aces, may discard an ace at his first opportunity.

Also, by letting the pile build up a little before you meld your three aces, you put your partner in a position to pick up the discard pile more easily.

The next question is what to discard. As I have repeatedly said, discard one of your high cards in the early stages. You do not lose much if your opponents pick it up; it is better to let one of them go in the early stages than later on.

Auxiliary Officers Will Be Installed In Church Service

Officers of the Woman's Auxiliary will be installed in the morning service at the Trinity Episcopal Church Sunday, the Rev. R. J. Snell, rector, announced Saturday. Mrs. William H. Potts, president, heads the new 1950 officers.

The service will start at 11 a.m. with Holy Communion. The sermon subject is "Good Will."

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Dr. J. W. Marshall, President Truman's Foreign Mission Board. He is an alumnus of Texas Christian University, Baylor and Southwestern Baptist Seminary. He also has received a Doctor of Divinity degree from Hardin-Simmons University.

Formosan Policy Is Denial Of Imperialist Ambitions In America

By DeWITT MCKENZIE
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

President Truman's blunt declaration of American intentions to keep hands off the controversial island of Formosa strikes us as calculated to prevent over-zealous individuals from rocking the international boat in Asiatic waters.

It is flat notice to the world that America has no imperialist ambitions.

The President's statement also will tend to counter-balance Britain's recognition of the Chinese Communist regime before Washington. It will make clear that there is no connection between Formosa and American non-recognition.

There are those who place a high military value on the great island of Formosa. However, the Washington Administration obviously doesn't believe the strategic worth is sufficient to warrant the United States getting involved militarily.

Boost To Nationalism
American military intervention in Formosa could produce open conflict between Russia and the United States.

Did you ever stop to think what that would mean? It would mean America would have to operate from sea and air, far from home, against an enemy strongly entrenched on the Asiatic continent.

Anyway America doesn't want war. There are other ways of settling world affairs.

One is to continue encouragement of nationalism. President Truman's announcement is, I take it, calculated to reaffirm America's stand against imperialism and for national sovereignty.

This whole, vast Asiatic political problem revolves about the question of nationalism. The Russian brand of communism is internationalism under which all nations would place their sovereignty in the hands of Moscow.

The many countries of Asia which now are emerging into political consciousness are nationalistic. Complete self-determination and absolute sovereignty are their aims. The more nationalism there is in Asia, the greater the barrier against the advance of communism. Therefore democracy's cue is to boost nationalism.

VFW Auxiliary Buys Wheel Chair To Be Available On Need

A wheel chair, which has been purchased by the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary, will arrive here soon and be available for any person needing it.

The auxiliary met Thursday night in the VFW Hall, and it was announced that the chair has been ordered. It will be kept in a member's home and be listed with all Midland physicians to be available for use.

It also was announced at the meeting that \$1 is being given to the Cancer Relief Fund for each auxiliary member.

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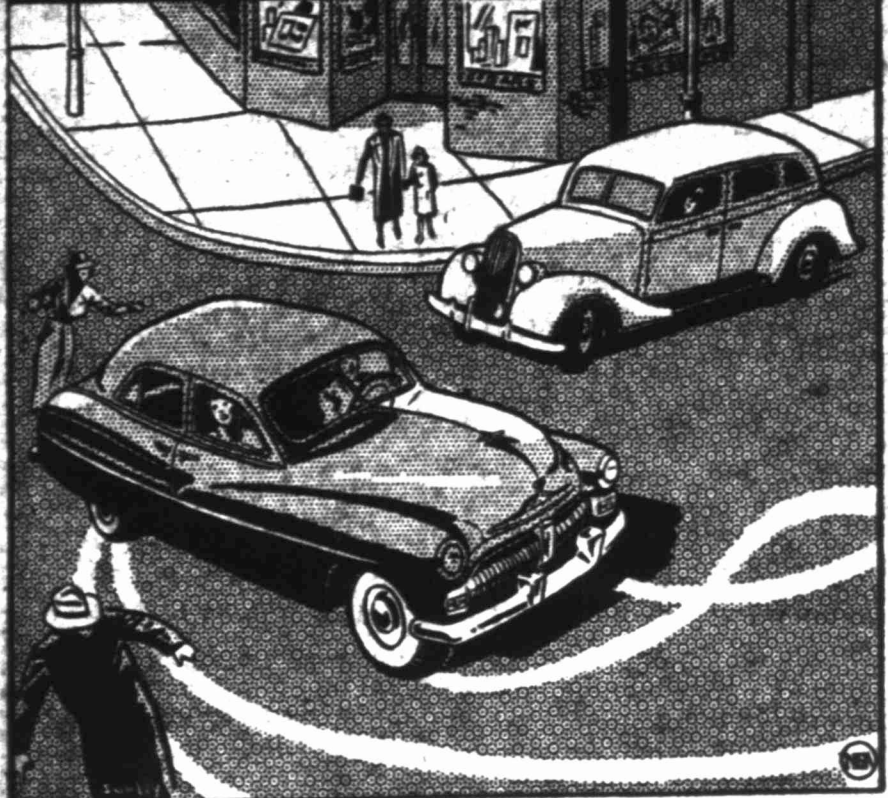
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Headlight Glare Reduced By New Windshield Glass



Windshield girls Ellene and Elaine Helme of Toledo, Ohio, face photographer's bright lights to demonstrate new windshield glass (right) which cuts down usual bright glare (left).

NEW YORK—(NEA)—A glass-maker has come up with a new automobile windshield glass that will take some of the sting out of the glaring headlights of oncoming cars.

Since "sealed beam" headlights were developed some years back, the average car's main lights have been so dazzling they are nearly always a great annoyance to motorists and often a serious danger on the roads.

To meet this problem at least part way, the Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Company has produced a new glare-reducing safety plate glass for windshields. It has a slight bluish-green tint. Iron added to the raw material mixture largely does the trick.

The new glass has been road-tested and has been found to cut glare materially, whether from headlights or the sun. No claim is made, however, that the product will do too much toward protecting a driver's eyes from the direct rays of a rising or setting sun.

Glare Softened
Drivers who have used the glass say they don't particularly care any more whether oncoming cars at night dim their headlights or not. They say the tinted windshield softens the glare considerably.

Regular windshield glass allows 88 per cent of available light to pass through. Libbey's new product lowers this figure to 82 per cent. That is just four per cent above the minimum demanded by state laws for safety's sake.

The new glass has a second feature—it blocks about 15 per cent of the sun's heat-producing infra-red rays.

Not too many realize that doctors believe actual physical damage is done to the eyes by the direct rays of bright headlights. And according to the Automobile Club of New York, such glare can cause temporary blindness for as long as three seconds.

Big Difficulty
The National Safety Council says the high beams most drivers use on the roads constitute a major difficulty in night driving safety. "Annoyance due to glare is frequent in many accidents," it adds.

Connecticut found that in one year 35 per cent of its highway mishaps could be ascribed directly to blinding headlights. Illinois recorded a figure of around three per cent, and Minnesota and New Jersey of about two per cent. Most other states lumped these accidents with others caused by different kinds of obstructed vision.

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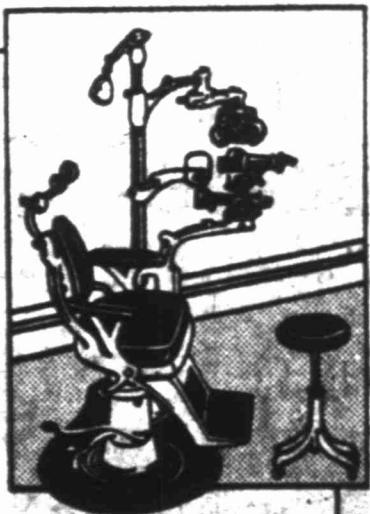
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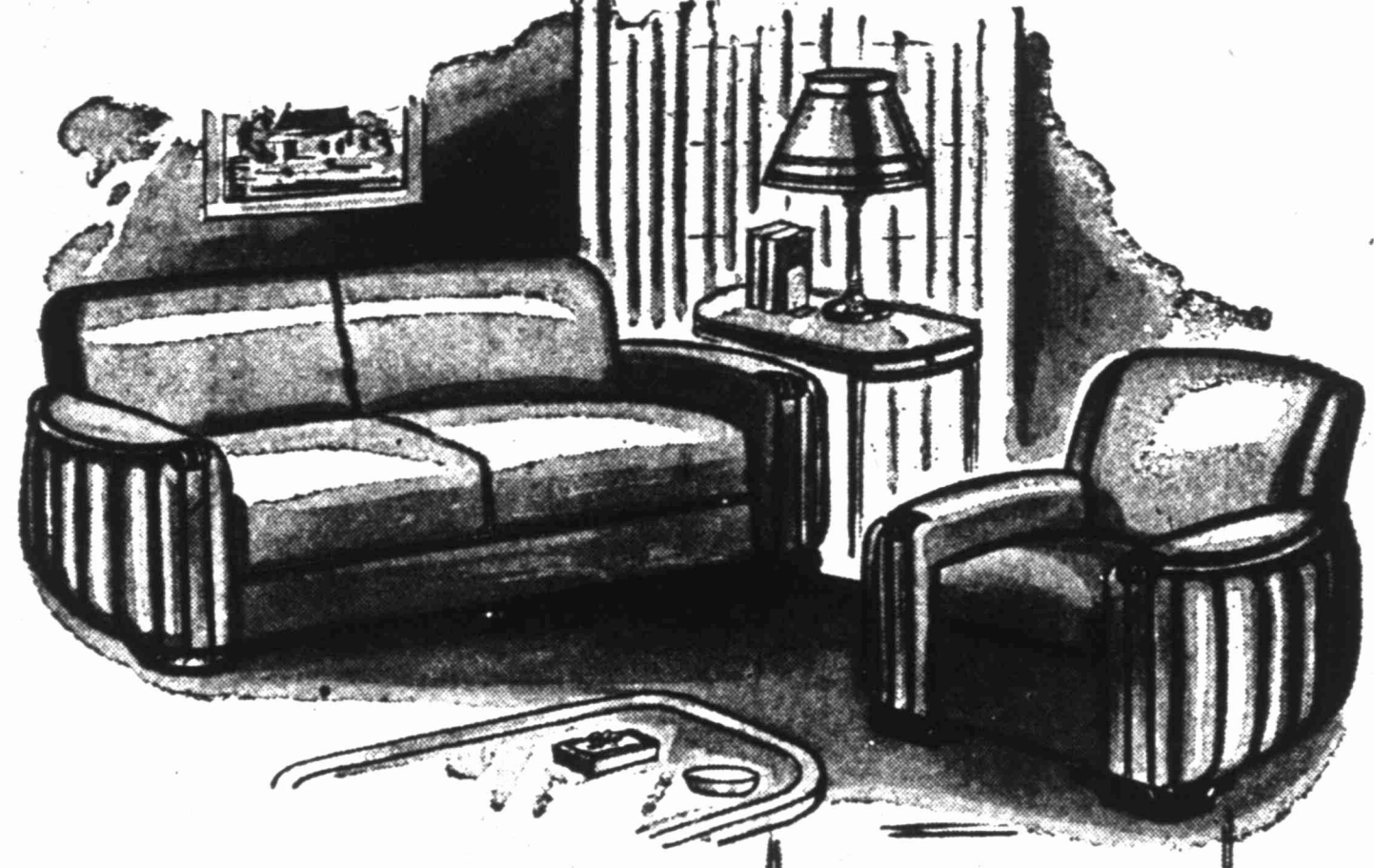
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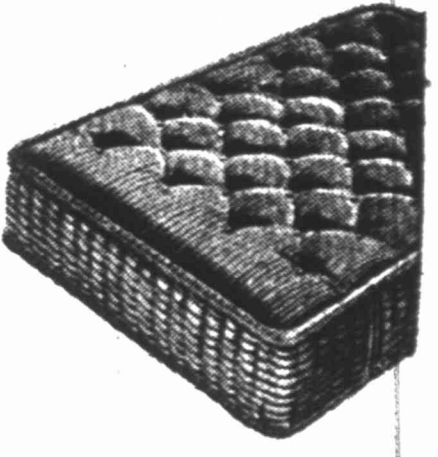
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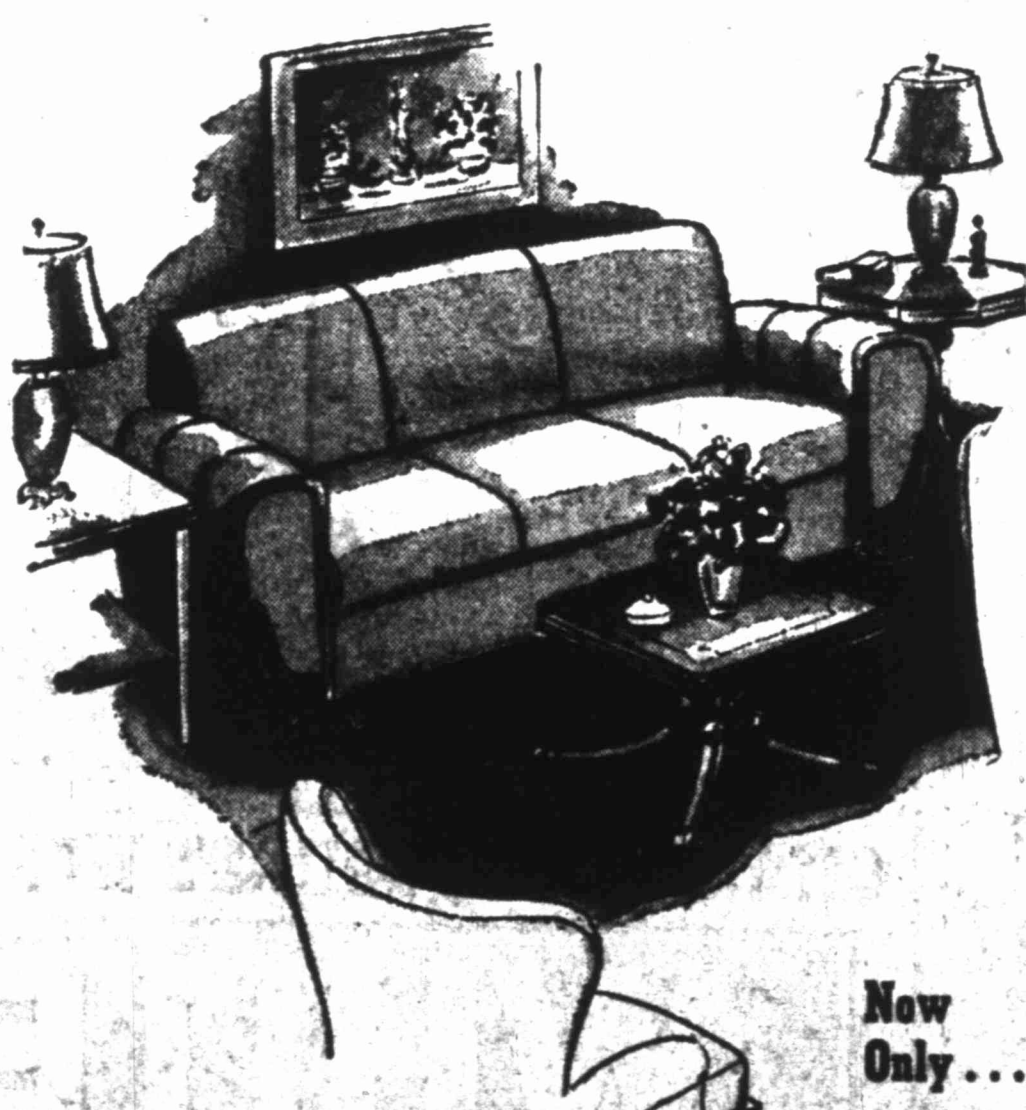
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