

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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Stanolind Deepening S-C Terry Wildcat To Test Fusselman

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Sawyer, South-Central Terry County wildcat, seven miles south of Brownfield, may drill to 12,000 feet.

This prospector, located 860 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 123, block T, D&W survey, has reached 10,030 feet in black shale and brown lime, and is drilling ahead.

Up to now it has not found any Pennsylvanian. Operator representatives reveal that present plans are for the venture to drill through the Pennsylvanian—if and when it is found—and go on down to explore the Fusselman section of the Silurian.

No shows of oil or gas have been logged in any zone which has been drilled through. Informed sources report that it is low geologically, to other deep zones which have been drilled in that territory.

On the basis of information now available it is not likely that No. 1 Sawyer would reach the Ellenburger—should it dig to 12,000 feet.

West Offset Staked To GAOC No. 1 Peck

Lewis T. Lohman of Dallas is to start operations at once on his No. 1 Mrs. El C. Jostie Peck, which is to be a one location west outpost to the General American Oil Company, and associates No. 1 Peck, three pay discovery in Southwest Midland County.

The Lohman exploration will be 660 feet from north and east lines of section 41, block 20, TP survey, T-4-S. It is projected to 13,300 feet to explore into the Ellenburger.

General American No. 1 Peck, which has already proven for flowing production from the Pennsylvanian lime, the Devonian and the top of the Ellenburger, is making new hole below 13,304 feet in Ellenburger lime.

To Make More Hole

This discovery probably will drill through the full Ellenburger section before it stops and runs casing to complete one or more of the producing strata it has penetrated.

That development is located at the center of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 21, block 41, TP survey, T-4-S. It is 30 miles southwest of the city of Midland.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company owns a direct north offset to the Southwest Midland County discovery on the Tippett land. Some sources have reported that Sinclair is to start drilling on that tract in the near future. That report has not been officially confirmed.

Shallow Prospector Spotted In NW Garza

L. F. Long of Midland has staked a shallow wildcat location in Northwest Garza County, three miles northeast of the P. H. D. field, which produces from the San Andres at 3,400-3,616 feet.

Projected depth for the Long No. 1 W. J. Long is 3,600 feet.

Location is to be 330 feet from north and west lines of the southeast quarter of section 702, block A-665, Jasper Hays Survey. It will be six and one-half miles southeast of the town of Southland.

Drilling is to begin at once on the rotary operation.

Central Ector To Get Clear Fork Venture

W. J. Weaver of Fort Worth has staked a 5,600 foot Clear Fork wildcat in Central Ector County, three-quarters of a mile north of the west side of the Harper pool, which produces from the San Andres.

The venture is Weaver No. 1 J. E. Parker, to be 1,880 feet from east and 860 feet from north lines of the northeast quarter of section 16, block 44, T-2-S, T&P survey.

It is three miles southeast of the Lawson-Simpson field which produces from the Clear Fork.

Acresage on which the prospector is located was obtained by farm-out from The Texas Company which turned the north half of the northeast quarter of section 16 to Weaver for the lease.

Texasco retained deep rights below 5,600 feet, and Weaver is to set 1,500 feet of large size surface pipe for possible deepening should the operation prove a failure in the Clear Fork.

Snyder Townsite Well Produces From Reef

Hiawatha Oil & Gas Company No. 1 J. B. York, one location east of the nearest production from the Canyon reef line on the east side of the Kelley field, in the northwest side of the Snyder townsite in Central Seely County, flowed 389 barrels of oil in 22 hours, and was still flowing to clean out, test and complete.

The production was from perforated section at 6,750-60 feet, which had been treated with 1,500 gallons of mud acid and with 1,500 gallons of low tension acid.

This oil well is 467 feet from north and west lines of a 128-acre ease in the northwest quarter of section 180, block 3, H&GN survey.

It is one location east of the Standard-Fryer Drilling Company, and associates, No. 1 J. B. York, the first oil well to be completed in the Snyder townsite.

Stanolind Gets Half Of King-Cottle Block

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company has taken a one-half interest with Ard Drilling Company in a 50,000-acre block on the E. B. Masterson (Continued On Page Two)

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Atomic Scientist Confesses Guilt

Court Decision May Speed End Of Coal Strike

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A court decision cast doubt Friday on the legality of four of John L. Lewis' contract demands, and a top official expressed hope this might speed an agreement ending the soft coal strike.

NLRB General Counsel Robert N. Denham said the ruling by Federal Judge Richmond B. Keach might narrow the area of disagreement between the United Mine Workers president and the nation's coal operators.

Some sources suggested, however, that by stiffening the miners' resistance it might have just the opposite effect.

It was at Denham's request that Judge Keach agreed late Thursday to issue an injunction against union contract demands which the mine owners complained were illegal.

All four of the contract terms involved were contained in the coal agreements which expired last June 30—setting off the dispute which culminated this week in the walk-out of 370,000 UMW members.

Report Due Saturday

A three-man presidential board is due to report to the White House, possibly Saturday, on the facts of the dispute, thus clearing the way for President Truman to seek an emergency Taft-Hartley Act injunction, aimed at sending the miners back to work for at least 90 days. Truman told his news conference Thursday he doesn't have, and doesn't want, power to seize the coal mines.

The pits have been shut down tight since Monday. Before that some were closed and others worked only three days a week, squeezing the nation's coal stores from more than 75 days' supply a year ago to little more than two weeks' stocks above ground now.

White House action was expected because the soft coal shortage was becoming more critical daily. Thousands of workers in plants and railroads dependent on the mines were being laid off in increasing waves. Violence was reported.

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State Urged To Help On Water Plans

AUSTIN—(AP)—The time has come for the state to help cities and towns develop water supplies, J. E. Sturrock, general manager of the Texas Water Conservation Association, said Friday.

"Unless the state does help," he continued, "we're going to have to turn the whole problem up to Washington."

Sturrock was the first witness before the State Water Code Commission meeting in the Senate Chamber Friday.

The commission called the meeting to hear representatives from various interests concerned with water all over the state. Approximately 100 witnesses were present. The commission is studying and making plans for revision of the state water laws. It has held area meetings in the Rio Grande Valley and in West Texas.

Changes Recommended

"We wanted everybody possible here today," Senator Rogers Kelley of Edinburg, commission chairman, said. "We want you to tell us what you want in the laws and what you don't want."

Sturrock said his group was organized in 1944 to study water problems. He pointed out conflicts and ambiguities in the present laws and then made recommendations for changes. Among these were:

1. Elimination of water rights permits now existing but not being used.
2. Granting seasonal or temporary water permits, such as use of rice irrigation water when it isn't needed for the crops.
3. Permitting cities to estimate their needs in the future and applying for water permits they think they'll need, say in 1975.
4. Requiring the river authorities to get permits for water use from the State Board of Water Engineers.
5. Giving the Board of Water Engineers or a state water commission broad regulatory powers.

Connally Approves Truman Refusal To Reopen Atomic Talks

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman found some solid backing Friday for his statement that a little cooperation from Russia is all that's needed to set up effective world atomic controls.

Truman made clear to his news conference Thursday he isn't budging from the Baruch plan for control through international atomic inspection before the United Nations.

It is named for Bernard M. Baruch, one of its principal architects. Russia has refused its provision for inspection of atomic projects.

The President also endorsed Secretary of State Acheson's statement that Russia keeps agreements only when forced to by existing conditions.

Truman said he sees no reason to set up a commission to re-survey the Baruch plan in the light of his go-ahead order on the H-bomb.

No New Aid Plan

The President also made it plain he intends to disregard a proposal by Senator McMahon (D-Conn.) that this country spend \$50,000,000 on a five-year economic aid plan.

Truman also rejected a plea by Senator Tydings (D-Md) for a call for a world disarmament conference.

Among other lawmakers, there was support of the President's contention that this country has done all it can toward getting international atomic controls.

Chairman Connally (D-Texas) of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee told a reporter he doesn't favor any new plea to the Russians.

"Let's go ahead and build the hydrogen bomb and maybe they will be more reasonable if we do," he said.

The President's stand seemed a likely topic for discussion at a closed meeting of the Senate-House Atomic Committee with the Atomic Energy Commission.

The meeting was called to talk over money matters.

Freezing Temperature Registered Friday

The temperature dropped to an even freezing point here early Friday, giving Midland and area its first cold snap in several days.

The mercury had been in the eighties three times during the week.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

WASHINGTON—(AP)—"We certainly will cooperate in every way with Texas officers" seeking custody of Mrs. Ewald Johnson, wanted in the Tex Thornton murder case, U. S. Attorney Morris Fay said Friday.

GRENOBLE, FRANCE—(AP)—Five persons were killed Friday in the French Alps when a snowslide buried the homes of power plant workers near the Tignes Dam in Savoy. Two other persons are believed still buried.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Tydings (D-Md) said Friday information Russia got from Dr. Klaus Fuchs, British atomic scientist, may speed Soviet development of the hydrogen bomb by a year or more.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United States has protested to the Chinese Nationalists against "deliberate" bombing attacks on American-owned property in Shanghai, the State Department said Friday.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Senate quickly approved and sent to the White House Friday an \$88,000,000 program of economic aid for South Korea and Formosa, passed Thursday by the House.

Top Hands In Coal Dispute



At left, David Cole, chairman of the presidential fact-finding board in the coal dispute, talks with reporters after negotiations between John L. Lewis and the soft coal operators collapsed. Right, Lewis stops to talk with reporters following the talks in which eight hours of discussion failed to bring results. Now Cole and his board members are preparing a report to be submitted to President Truman Saturday.

Suspect Confesses Thornton Murder, Waives Extradition

MUNISING, MICH.—(AP)—Sheriff Arthur Mootie said Friday that Ewald Johnson, 32, has confessed to a Michigan State Trooper that he killed Texas oilman W. A. (Tex) Thornton at Amarillo last June.

MUNISING, MICH.—(AP)—Red-haired Ewald Johnson, 32, waited in jail Friday for Texas officers to come and get him. He's charged with the murder of a world-famed oil field explosives expert in Amarillo, Texas, last year.

In Washington, D. C., his wife sat in jail under the same charge, waiting for additional Texas officers to probe her story of the slaying of W. A. (Tex) Thornton.

It was Johnson's wife who revived the case that had collapsed at Dodge City, Kan., last June 24. That was where Thornton's automobile was found. No trace of the mysterious couple seen with him June 22 was discovered.

Mrs. Johnson, 18, voluntarily implicated her husband and herself in Thornton's tourist cabin murder. Then she tried to jump from a fifth-floor window of police headquarters in Washington.

Johnson was arrested at 1 a. m. Thursday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Anton Louis.

Sheriff Flies North

Policeman T. J. Dowling said he "denied everything" upon his arrest, but refused to go into details.

Sheriff Paul Galtner of Potter County, Texas, and an Amarillo policeman were flying here Friday to bring Johnson back to that Pan- (Continued On Page Two)

Truman Intervenes To Halt T&P Strike

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman Friday created an emergency board to investigate a dispute between the Texas and Pacific Railway System and four unions.

Names of the board members will be announced later.

By issuing an order to create a board, the President brought the Railway Labor Act into force. Under it, there can be no strike or change in working conditions for 60 days. The board has 30 days to report.

Texas and Pacific subsidiaries involved in the dispute include the Fort Worth Belt Railway and the Texas Pacific - Missouri Pacific Terminal Railroad of New Orleans.

Polio Victim Gives Birth To Triplets

LONG BRANCH, N. J.—(AP)—Triplets were born Friday to a woman undergoing daily treatments for infantile paralysis effects.

The mother is Mrs. Elizabeth Warnke, wife of Dr. Fred W. Warnke. The babies, all girls and each weighing about three pounds, were reported doing fairly well. Mrs. Warnke's condition was described as good.

Official Closing Doesn't Stop March Of Dimes Returns

Evidently, Midland isn't satisfied yet with what was contributed to the annual March of Dimes. When the campaign officially closed this week, approximately \$5,000 was reported.

Contributions have continued to come in by mail, totaling \$751. Latest report shows the returns at \$6,279.48.

A special solicitation campaign is underway in office buildings of the city. This may push the mark to \$10,000 and equal to last year's returns.

Rankin Livestock Show Set Saturday

RANKIN—This ranch and oil city will be host Saturday to hundreds of West Texans at the thirteenth annual Upton County Livestock Show. Plans are complete for the staging of morning, afternoon and evening features of the annual attraction.

Walton Harral is general chairman of the show, and W. M. Day, Jr., county agent, is in charge of arrangements.

Judging of fat lambs and capons will be held during the morning, and an auction sale is scheduled Saturday afternoon. A free barbecue, sponsored by the Upton County Sheriff's Posse, is scheduled at 5 p. m. A horse show also is slated.

Twenty-four 4-H Club members will enter 88 head of sheep in the show, Day said.

An assortment of range displays will be exhibited by A. H. Walker of the Texas A&M Extension Service, as a special feature.

Hearing Airs Bizarre Tale Of Espionage

LONDON—(AP)—Klaus Fuchs, brilliant German-born British atom scientist, confessed that since 1942 he knowingly and continuously passed on to Soviet Russia vital British-American atomic secrets, the prosecution told a British court Friday.

Conceivably this could have included information not only on the atom bomb but also the hydrogen bomb.

The Bow Street Court ordered the 38-year-old Fuchs held for formal trial in Old Bailey Criminal Court at the session beginning February 28 on two charges of violating the Official Secrets Acts.

He faces a maximum of 14 years in prison if convicted. A post-war refugee from the Nazis, he was arrested last week after a tip by the FBI.

Fuchs, a reportedly self-admitted "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" among the master minds of the atom, accepted 100 pounds (then \$400) in 1946 as a symbolic payment signifying his subservience to the cause of world communism, a crown witness told the court.

The mid-mannered Fuchs, a wartime fanatic on the Nazis, merely blinked his eyes behind his thick spectacles as the prosecutor, Christmas Humphreys, labeled him a "political fanatic on the payroll of a foreign power."

The prosecution produced a statement it said was signed by Fuchs, describing himself as a "schizophrenic" (split personality) who had divided his mind into two compartments. One permitted him to carry on agreeable contacts with those around him at the Harwell Atom Plant. The other established him as a person completely independent of the forces of society.

Fuchs was the leading atomic researcher during the war at Harwell, Britain's atomic establishment, and was head of the theoretical physics branch, the heart of atomic science in the United Kingdom.

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Four More Tax Plans Introduced

AUSTIN—(AP)—The House Friday began consideration of a bill providing \$20,147,128 for operation of state hospitals and special schools the next fiscal year.

By Rep. W. H. Rampey of Winters, it is slightly less than a similar bill passed by the Senate earlier this week.

Rampey said the measure would allow some expansion of present institutions, increased personnel and improved facilities.

The appropriation is approximately two and one-half million dollars more than that passed at the regular session last year and vetoed by the late Gov. Beauford H. Jester for lack of funds.

Backstop Measures

Four more tax bills were introduced in the House Friday. Two are almost identical to omnibus and natural gas tax bills previously introduced. They were to backstop the Fleming-Graham-Briscoe omnibus measure and Rep. Jimmy Horan's gas tax bill if they are ruled out on technical points of order.

By 62 to 52 vote, the House decided a bill by Rep. S. J. Isaacs of El Paso was within Gov. Allan Shivers' special session call and allowed its introduction.

The measure would set up procedure for collection of delinquent taxes on property through summary sale.

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Enforcement Of Sewer Connection Ordinance Ordered

Strict enforcement will be started immediately of an ordinance requiring connection to sanitary sewer lines in all sections of the city where sewer lines exist and where buildings are not now connected, City Manager W. H. Oswalt said Friday.

In announcing the policy, Oswalt said its purpose is to eliminate a possible source of disease, and the city intends to follow the enforcement order through to the courts if necessary.

"The City of Midland is anxious to eliminate all unsanitary conditions in order to prevent a disease epidemic of any kind, the city manager stated, adding that the possibility of infection from inadequate toilet and waste disposal facilities in certain areas of the city is tremendous.

Oswalt pointed out that residents in certain sections never have had their sewer lines even though lines have been laid for years in those areas for several years. Such a practice is not fair from a health standpoint to other residents of the community, he said.

Citizens' duty

"It is the duty of citizens to eliminate all unsanitary conditions where and whenever possible," Oswalt stated. He urged the cooperation of all citizens in the matter.

Explaining that numerous sewer line extensions have been and are being made here, the city manager said lines in all sections will be extended as rapidly as possible.

He called attention to the city's policy of extending sewer lines upon application, when the property to be served is within 150 feet of existing facilities; at no cost, other than a pro rata payment, to the property owner.

In cases where the property is more than 150 feet from present facilities, cost of the extension is advanced by the applicant, who is refunded as other connections are made, Oswalt said.

Detectives Weep, But Not With Joy

CAMDEN, N. J.—(AP)—Six detectives stood in their headquarters at Camden City Hall Thursday with tears streaming down their faces.

A great tragedy? A frustrating crime?

No. Seems Detective Sergeant Clifford Carr opened a tear gas cylinder marked empty.

It wasn't.

Dual-Purpose Heart

What with Boy Scout Week, celebrating the fortieth anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, and St. Valentine's Day being so close together, these Girl Scouts in New York decided to combine their greetings into one oversize heart. Peeking out of the heart at left is Girl Scout Moura Nordquist; at right is Sally Williams, and at bottom, Audrey Krige. The lucky Boy Scout is Barry Bronstein.

First National Bank Gains 80 Places In National Standing

NEW YORK CITY—The First National Bank of Midland, Texas, which reported deposits of \$25,404,937 on December 31, gained 80 places in its standing among the 700 largest banks in the United States during 1949. The bank now ranks as the 642nd largest in size, compared with 722nd place at the end of 1948.

This is revealed in the 1950 annual roll call of the larger banks in the United States published Friday by the Daily American Banker of New York, which is the trade newspaper of the banking business.

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Gulf To Pipe From North Snyder Pool
Construction on another crude oil line for the North Snyder area will begin immediately.

Drillsites For Five Staked In Scurry
Lone Star Producing Company has staked locations for two new projects in the North Snyder field of Central-North Scurry County.

Shell Technicians Conclude Two-Day Midland Meeting
Senior technical personnel from Shell Oil Company's exploration departments in Tulsa and Midland, and from the exploration and production research laboratory and regional staff in Houston closed a two-day meeting in Midland Thursday.

Scurry Oil Pools Get Three Producers
In the various fields surrounding Snyder, three new completions have been reported. The North Snyder field claimed two of these new wells and the Kelly pool received one.

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Interest Applied On 1949 Property Taxes
J. M. Speed, tax assessor-collector, said Friday that one and one-half per cent interest now is being applied against 1949 property taxes.

You Can Prove It By Service Officer
You can take it from Merritt Hines, county service officer, that the GI insurance dividend checks still are arriving here.

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Rescue Party Nears 10 Stranded Airmen

WHITEHORSE, YUKON TERRITORY —(AP)—The prospect of imminent rescue Friday cheered 10 airmen who have been stranded on a snow-capped Yukon mountainside since their U. S. C-47 search plane crashed there three days ago.

Housing Program Gets Setback In Senate Committee
WASHINGTON —(AP)—The \$2,000,000 heart of President Truman's middle-income housing program appeared Friday to be in serious trouble in the Senate Banking Committee.

Chile Walsh Speaks At JayCee Meeting
Charles F. (Chile) Walsh, former grid star at Notre Dame and later coach-owner of professional football team, spoke at a general in an address before the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce in Hotel Scharbauer Friday.

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ported in West Virginia and Kentucky mines as roving pickets kept even maintenance crews out of the pits.

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MOVIES IN HOLLYWOOD

Movies Had Their Fair Share Of Gags During Past Season

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD —I was on my way to Paramount to talk to Alan Ladd. Maybe you remember the last time I was on my way to talk to Alan Ladd. I met a couple of gag writers and wound up writing a column about the season's best radio jokes.

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Vaudeville has returned. It came back to Midland with a bang Thursday night as a crowd packed the big VFW Hall to hear Skinny Ennis's orchestra and to enjoy an elaborate vaudeville program.

Gloria De Haven Is Granted Divorce From Husband John Payne
LOS ANGELES —(AP)—The five-year marriage of Gloria de Haven and John Payne has come to an end for an old Hollywood reason: Two careers in the same family.

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Knife, Fork Club Speaker To Visit Midland Relatives

By FRANCES HAGAMAN
"He's been a story teller all his life and people are his hobby," Mrs. W. W. Studdert says of her cousin, Ed Harding, who will address the Knife and Fork Club at 7 p.m. Saturday in the Midland High School Cafeteria.

Mrs. Studdert and Harding both are natives of Washington, North Carolina, where they grew up. While he is in Midland, Harding will be the Studderts' house guest.

Mrs. Studdert commented that Harding always has been interested in people and always has told stories. "Even in general conversation," she added, "he tells stories with the same mannerisms that he does when he is speaking in public."

Mrs. Studdert explained that when he was a district governor of Rotary International. After this he became more and more in demand as a public speaker. He now devotes most of his time to speaking, which has become his hobby.

Harding is in North Carolina each Fall to supervise the cotton market in his home city.

Civic Worker
"He is very active in civic affairs," she said, "and is a leader in all civic movements in Washington." Mrs. Studdert added that he always has been a forward thinking person and long has worked for civic advancement.

"Much of his activity and interests are centered in doing things for other people," Mrs. Studdert said. These kindnesses, she said, are for all people and include such things as remembering the birthdays of less fortunate and seeing that older people have parties. Many times he goes out of his way in his travels to visit persons who at one time have lived in his home town.

The last time Mrs. Studdert heard her cousin speak formally was during the war, but she heard him informally about two years ago. She and her husband saw him last Fall when they were visiting in North Carolina.

New President Will Entertain Thetas

Mrs. Harold Hood, newly-elected president of Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae, will be hostess to this group at a dinner at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday in her home, 1603 West Kansas Street.

Reservations may be made by calling Mrs. Ralph Lea, telephone No. 923, by Monday.

Founders Day Tea Planned By P-TA

McCAMEY—Mrs. W. O. Kay of Fort Stockton will be the guest speaker for the annual Founders Day of the P-TA of McCamey at 2:45 p.m. February 16 in the High School Cafeteria.

Members of the association are urged to attend.

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Coffee Honors Mrs. Cummings In Farewell

Mrs. A. Knickerbocker and Mrs. P. L. McFarland were hostesses at a morning coffee Thursday honoring Mrs. F. C. Cummings, who is leaving to make her home in Ponca City, Okla. The coffee was in Mrs. Knickerbocker's home.

Pink and rose snapdragons were used for decoration. Mrs. Cummings was presented with a corsage and a gift from the hostesses.

Guests were Mrs. G. S. Merrihon, Mrs. D. M. Aldridge, Mrs. Lamar Lunt, Mrs. C. P. Cummings, Mrs. John Richards, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. Bernice Stevens, Mrs. D. D. Downing, Mrs. Russell Conking, Mrs. John Casselman, Mrs. J. H. Elder, Mrs. John Skinner.

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Mrs. Carter Hostess For Opera Study

Mrs. W. H. Carter was hostess to the Opera Study Group of the American Association of University Women in her home, 403 South J Street, Thursday night.

Mrs. W. T. Tillet directed the opera, "La Boheme," Puccini, and Mrs. R. B. Lambert, "La Traviata," Verdi. Mrs. John Norris was the member present.

The next meeting will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday in the home of Mrs. Lambert, 926 North Edwards Street.

Guests Hear Review With P-TA Members

North Elementary Parent-Teacher Association members and a number of guests heard Mrs. Frank Monroe review John Gunther's timely study of Soviet satellite nations, "Behind the Curtain," in the school auditorium Thursday night.

Mrs. Stanley Erskine, president of the association, introduced the reviewer. North Elementary faculty members acted as hosts for the special program.

Mrs. Moulton Is Hostess To Club

Mrs. J. R. Moulton was hostess to the Star Study Club Thursday night in her home at Airport Number Two.

The group studied for B certificates. Six members were present. The next meeting will be held Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. Johnson, 2601 West Brunson Street.

Mary Fraley Leads Benefit Club Study

CRANE—Mary Fraley led the study at a meeting of the Benefit Club Monday in the home of Mrs. Mabel Glenn. Members attending were Louetta Vinn, Bessie Owens, Sue Shanor and Lillie Belle Lear.

Mrs. Glenn is the newly-elected president of the group. Joe Sawyer is vice president; Mrs. Vinn, secretary-treasurer; and Margaret Modister, reporter.

BRENDA KAY TERRELL IS BIRTHDAY HONOREE

CRANE—Mrs. Horace Terrell honored her daughter, Brenda Kay, with a party on her fourth birthday recently. Patsy Terrell, sister of the honoree, assisted her mother. Guests were Rita Joyce and Butch McCasland, Mike Jones, Butchy Brock, Patricia Chemister and Dixie Sharp.

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Plan Completion Of Girl Scout House



Building committee members for the Girl Scout Little House study plans with the contractor, Berg Goodman, as they stand in front of the partly-remodeled barracks building which is to become the center of Girl Scout activities in Midland. Building funds have been exhausted and approximately \$3,500 is needed to complete the \$11,500 remodeling program. Mrs. Robert M. Payne, building chairman, has announced. Let to right the picture are Goodman, Mrs. S. P. Hazlip, Mrs. Payne, Mrs. Ed Warren and Mrs. Jack Bliss. Committee members have made an appeal for added funds and urge especially that all parents of girls in the Scouting age range, seven to 18 years, contribute. Small contributions will be welcomed, they emphasize, adding the explanation that the building must be financed by gifts because Community Chest funds which support the Girl Scout program here cannot be used for building purposes.

Mrs. B. Self Wins High Score Prize At Merienda Club

Mrs. Burl Self won high score prize at a Merienda Club meeting Thursday in the Ranch House. Mrs. George Stewart and Mrs. Donald N. Johnson were hostesses.

Mrs. Art Cole won second high score. Mrs. A. P. Callahan, third high score. Mrs. Taylor E. Bowers, bingo.

Valentine hearts were the centerpieces of each table and tiny pots of ivy, decorated in the holiday theme, were at each place.

Guests were Mrs. Callahan, Mrs. Bowers, Mrs. Richard Hinkle, Mrs. Oliver Haag, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Frank W. Reeves, and Mrs. J. M. Walston.

Other members attending were Mrs. E. B. Dilley, Mrs. C. H. Aitchison, Mrs. Louis Bartha, Mrs. J. R. Cantrell, Mrs. David Cole, Mrs. Tom Edrington, Mrs. Alan Leeper, Mrs. Irby Dyer, Mrs. Jess Lindsey, Mrs. John Norman, Mrs. S. L. Parham, Mrs. Jesse Rodgers, Mrs. Raymond W. Snyder and Mrs. John Younger.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gwyn, Diana Daugherty and Max Shafer were in Iran Thursday night and visited the youth center there. Mrs. Gwyn is director of the Midland Youth Center and Miss Daugherty and Shafer are junior council members.

The group plans to visit other centers frequently to observe their methods of operation and organization. The director of the Iran Center visited the Midland Center Monday night and is planning to bring groups of members from there to visit the Midland organization.

Other centers in this area are in Lubbock, Sweetwater and Odessa and Mrs. Gwyn plans to visit all these and exchange ideas with them.

Valentine Dance In Youth Center Plans

A semi-formal Valentine dance will be given from 8 p.m. to 12 midnight Saturday in the Midland Youth Center. Optimist Club members and Mrs. Ray Gwyn, director, will be chaperones.

A Valentine theme will be used in the decorations. All Midland young people are invited to the dance.

Mrs. Don Donovan Elected President

McCAMEY—Mrs. Don Donovan was elected president of the Ladies Auxiliary to the Country Club recently. Mrs. H. H. Qualls is the retiring president.

Other officers are Mrs. B. H. Koger, vice president; Mrs. Jay Lane, first vice president; Mrs. Bunk Foster, secretary; and Mrs. Qualls, reporter.

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Dark-haired, friendly Mrs. Albert Morrow, councilor of District One, Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., was the honoree at a coffee in the home of Mrs. Ralph Lowe Thursday morning while she was visiting here from Morton to consult with garden club members of Midland on plans for the annual district convention set for April 14 and 15.

Hostesses for the coffee were members of the Midland Council of Garden Clubs, and guests were members of the six garden clubs of the city and the new Stanton Garden Club. Mrs. Morrow met with council members and convention chairman Wednesday night when initial plans for the April meeting were drafted.

Mrs. J. D. Dillard, council chairman, will be general chairman of convention preparations. She stood with Mrs. Morrow and Mrs. Lowe in the receiving line at the coffee, and presented callers to the district councilor.

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Collection Of Figurines Is Shown Sorority

A collection of figurines which was begun when she was a child and has continued until the present was shown by Mrs. Elice Payne to members of Iota Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Thursday night. The group met with Mrs. W. H. Sloan and then went to Mrs. Payne's home.

During the business session in Mrs. Sloan's home, Cathy Herrington was appointed chairman of a committee to prepare a report of the chapter activities for the area council. Clyde Parmely was appointed chairman of a nominating committee for 1950-51 officers. Committee members are Mrs. James Rogers and Nellie Clark.

Miss Clark reviewed "Maine's Charmstring," the story of a button collection.

Lafara Harrison passed the traditional box of candy announcing her engagement to Ray Phillips.

History And Significance
Mrs. Payne showed the group her figurine collection and explained the history and significance of each piece. The collection includes Dresden, Wedgwood and other English chinias as well as American pieces.

Mrs. Payne also pointed out the features by which particular kinds of figurines are distinguished—coloring, physical features and work on the clothes.

Other members attending the meeting were Mrs. Walter Jasper, Miss Knippling, Myra McReynolds, Mrs. Charles Patterson, Mrs. John Rhoden, Mrs. H. L. Robinson, Dixie Wilson, Mrs. Bryan L. Denson, Mrs. Morris Donelson, Lily Marie Gilbert, Betty McWhorter, Mrs. Gilchrist, Glenda Brown and Mrs. Jack Wood.

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No Substitute For Diplomacy

Having the hydrogen bomb may not keep us out of war, but we cannot risk not having it. So President Truman has made the choice. We are going to build a weapon of almost incredible destructive power.

The decision was inevitable because the basic information needed for the making of the H-bomb is well known to our great potential enemy, the Soviet Union. No moral considerations could overrule that fact.

We should understand what we are undertaking. There is no scientific ceiling on the ferocity of this bomb; it could be possibly 1,000 times more powerful than the A-bomb. Harrison Brown, atomic scientist, says the weapon might destroy an area of 300 square miles. Dropped over New York or Chicago, it could kill 2,000,000 people.

By these measures, the A-bomb now is antiquated, although it is less than five years old.

Of course, most experts do not expect the H-bomb to be built to its maximum. They're talking of a weapon 10 to 100 times more powerful than the A-bomb. For certain practical limits do exist.

One is the size of the planes that can be constructed to deliver the bomb over a target. It may not be feasible to engage bombers much more. Another question is whether plane crews could get safely away from the shock waves produced by a real super-bomb.

Furthermore, despite its name, the proposed new bomb is not actually a hydrogen explosive. Its chief ingredient would be a chemical called tritium, a sort of twin of hydrogen. Tritium is not plentiful. It is found in ordinary water in very minute amounts, and it has been produced synthetically in atomic energy laboratories. But getting enough of it is expected to be the costliest part of the H-bomb project.

Nevertheless our scientists confidently hope they can make an H-bomb within a year. And they doubt the ability of the Russians to match our pace.

It would be a grave mistake, however, for us to pin too much faith on this new device of destruction—frightening as it may be to the world.

A crucial issue, still undecided, is facing the nation's military experts: Is this the best way to spend our defense dollars?

The answer won't be known until the H-bomb project has proceeded far enough to give us an accurate idea how much money and manpower will be involved. Then we will have to measure the bomb's probable worth against other ways of using our resources.

For example, there's a question now whether lightning jet fighter planes may not have the upper hand over even the fastest bombers. If military men decided there was real doubt about our chances of delivering the H-bomb to enemy targets, they might think twice before committing too much money and effort to a highly expensive project.

Furthermore, we cannot rely on this bomb as a substitute for diplomacy. Having it will not justify avoiding the hard work of searching for enduring peace, for a plan to control this and all other destructive weapons.

On the contrary, if we successfully develop the H-bomb it will only increase our responsibility in the tireless quest that will make its use totally unnecessary.

Walking Won't Do It

Just about a year ago Jacob Malik, the Russian UN representative, was engaged in gentle whisperings with Philip Jessup of the United States over plans to end the Berlin blockade. As the agreement was being worked out, Malik overflowed with charm and good will.

But this is another year. Malik is once more stern of countenance. For charm to the Russians is a device of diplomacy, of political intrigue. You might almost say it's a weapon. To be used, of course, at the strategic moment.

This time Malik has resorted to other tactics to accomplish his country's objectives. He has indulged in what appears to be the favorite form of athletics among Russian leaders: a slow walk, with firm stride, out of some international gathering or other.

Malik's spurt of Winter exercise is in protest against the continued presence of the Chinese Nationalist delegate as a member of the UN Security Council.

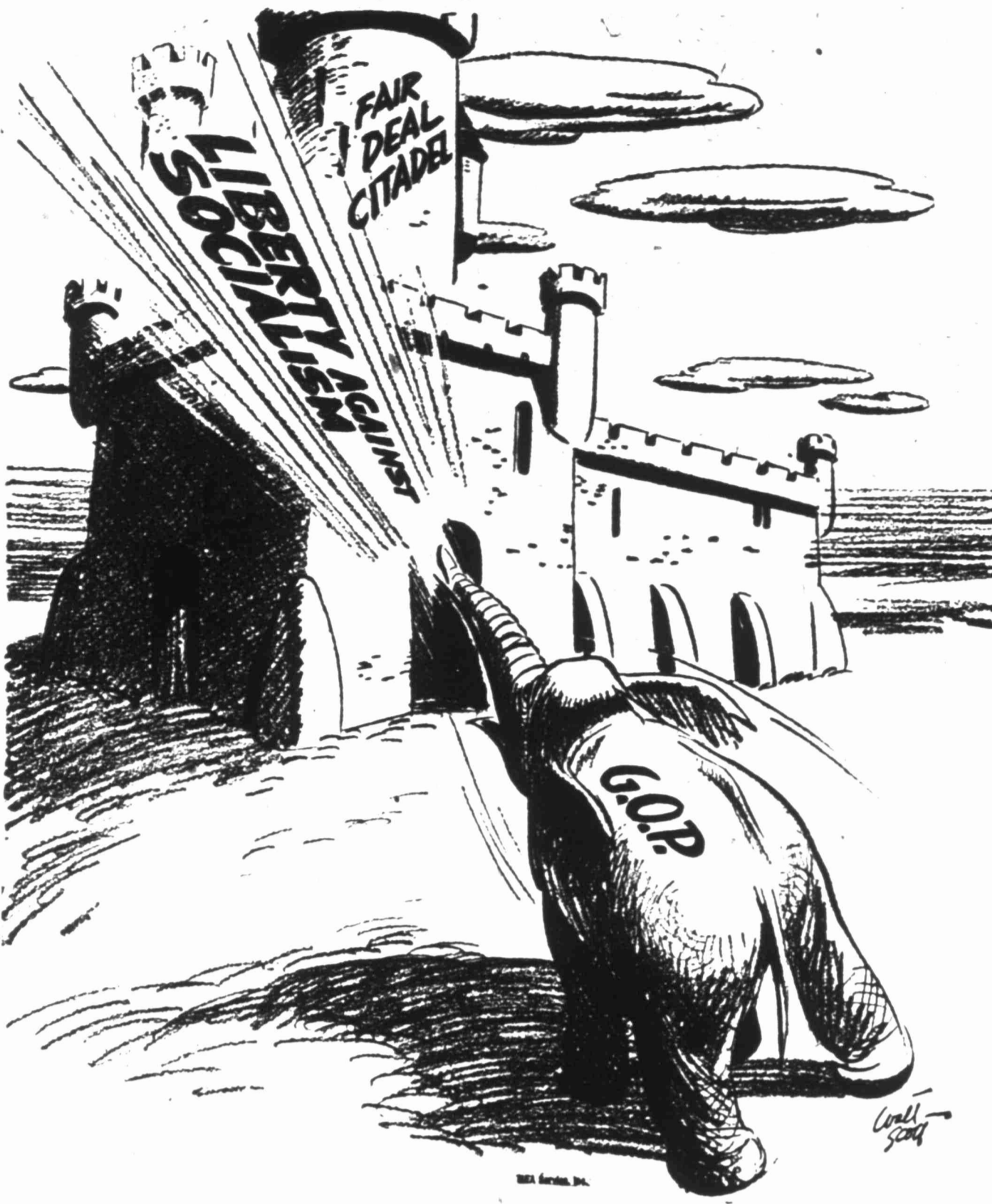
With Britain and many others now recognizing Communist China, the status of the Nationalist delegate is a real problem. But it won't be solved by virtuous performances like Malik's.

Family Affair

Henry Luce, magazine editor, has refused a Republican bid to run for the Senate in Connecticut. He took some samplings of the trend in that state, and presumably didn't like what he found.

Connecticut's Republican leaders, however, are undaunted. With bold imagination and rare economy of effort, they have found their next prospect without even leaving the editor's household. They have offered the nomination to Mrs. Luce.

Trumpeting The Issue



DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Copyright, 1950, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)
Drew Pearson says: Taft-Hartley Act has made John L. Lewis a hero; Republicans complain that Taft monopolizes GOP campaign money; Playboy Communist gets into trouble.

WASHINGTON—Irate coal miners—Use of the Taft-Hartley Act couldn't have come at a better time for John L. Lewis or at a worse time for the country. For the first time in years there was real revolt against John L. in the coal pits. But not now. Now the Taft-Hartley Act has made him a hero. Miners are suffering from the same factor which hit them before the war—overproduction plus increasing use of gas and oil. But they had been on a short week, had been trying to negotiate—which is what the Taft-Hartley Act provides for. Now they're required under a compulsory law to do what they already were willing to do.

Taft's money—Republican National Chairman Guy Gabrielson has received a lot of grapes about the money pouring into Senator Robert Taft's campaign. The complaints come from Republican candidates outside Ohio, who claim they can't raise funds because local fat cats are being touched by Taft's benefit. The Taft crowd is sending out chain letters urging that a Taft defeat would be "a complete surrender to socialism—if not eternal communism."

Playboy communist—The playboy Communist China, Gen. Chen Yi, is in trouble with the more spartan Mao Tze-Tung, because of his lavish parties and a string of concubines. Early in December, General Chen gave the biggest whoopee-do parties Shanghai has seen for a decade. Stories drifting out of Shanghai to U. S. intelligence say General Chen and nine houses and as many concubines before he was dressed down by communist superiors.

Dour but efficient—Senator Scott Lucas of Illinois, who looks as if he were sore at the world, but isn't, is doing a bang-up job as majority leader—though he won't get credit for it. Few majority leaders ever do—until they are promoted upstairs to become Vice President. Even the now beloved Barkley was the object of unceasing brickbats as floor leader. However, Lucas can best be judged by results, and the job he has done of jamming the Truman program through Congress is amazing.

Hopes the lady loses—California's Rep. Dick Nixon, a shrewd and courteous congressman, has indicated that he hopes a lady loses. The lady is Congresswoman Helen Gahagan Douglas, also of California, who is running against Senator Sheridan Downey in the Democratic senatorial primaries. And the reason Nixon hopes she loses is that he, Nixon, is planning to run for the Senate on the Republican ticket. And Downey would be easier to beat. "Douglas stands for something," Nixon told friends recently, "whereas Downey has been on all sides of almost every issue."

No Immigration By Religion
Forrest Donnell, the conscientious Missouri Republican, recently killed a discrimination feature in the Displaced Persons Bill. It happened in a closed-door session of the Senate Judiciary Committee, where Donnell listened carefully while Chairman Pat McCarran explained his D. P. Bill in a piping voice.

After reading the formula for admitting displaced persons in proportion to the per cent of Americans with similar religious and national origins, McCarran wheezed: "Any questions?"
"No object," said Donnell firmly. "McCarran looked as though he had been slapped by his best friend."
"I do not like this religious-proportion thing," spoke up Donnell stoutly. "For 150 years we have had the principle of separation of church and state. Man should be treated as an individual and not as a member of a minority group."

Fired



(NEA Telephoto)
Harold F. Ambrose, a 31,000-a-year assistant to Postmaster Jesse M. Donaldson, has been fired for perpetrating a scheme that milked large sums from "speculators" in fake deals in U. S. stamps, the postmaster has announced. Donaldson said no Post Office Department funds nor actual stamps were involved in the bizarre scheme.

So they say

I haven't lost faith in the people—and I never had time enough to hate anybody.
—House Speaker Sam Rayburn of Texas.

The decision by a government on whether to withhold or grant recognition to a new government is an exercise of a basic sovereign right. Each government must make its own decision in the light of the situation as it sees it and of its own circumstances.
—Michael McDermott, State Department, on British recognition of Red China.

The opportunities of the American way of life are past only for those who cannot recognize them.
—Governor Thomas J. Mabry, New Mexico.

The next 10 years will be one of the richest and most prosperous decades in the history of the nation.
—Governor Frank J. Lausche, Ohio.

We are opposed to imperialism. We flatly and firmly reject it in our own policy. We oppose it when practiced by others.
—Roving Ambassador Philip Jessup, on Red conquest of China.

Monahans C. Of C. Manager Resigns

MONAHANS—Bill Lee has resigned as manager of the Monahans Chamber of Commerce effective April 1.

Lee, who has held the post for two and a half years, plans to "make a personal future more secure in other fields of work."

He was formerly associated with Radio Station KRIG in Odessa and was state editor for The Odessa American before taking the Monahans post in 1947.

Alton Linne, president of the Monahans chamber, has appointed a committee to select a new manager.

TELEGRAPH EDITOR PROMOTED AT ODESSA
ODESSA—(P)—Thomas G. Steph, formerly telegraph editor of the Odessa American, has succeeded James H. Scott as managing editor.

Scott resigned to accept a position with The San Antonio Evening News.

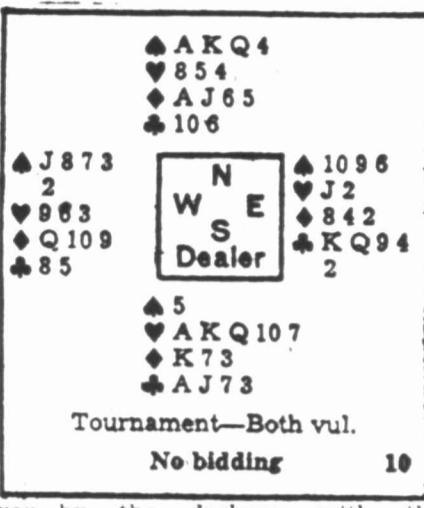
ENTERS HOSPITAL
Billy Critch, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Critch, entered Western Clinic Hospital for surgery Friday morning.

McKenney on Bridge

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

I received a letter recently with today's hand enclosed from Rudolph Mubson, manager of the Cavendish Club in New York. "I have not given you any bidding because I want you to discuss the bidding yourselves. There were nine pairs who played the hand. One pair bid and made seven hearts. Six pairs bid six hearts. One pair only got to five hearts and the other pair, believe it or not, doubled the opponents at two spades."

The pair who bid and made seven hearts got a small trump opening by West. The trick was



Tournament—Both vul.
No bidding 10

won by the declarer with the queen, after East dropped the jack. Declarer took two rounds of trump and then cashed the king of diamonds.

A small diamond was played and the jack finessed. After all his contract was to make seven. When it held he claimed the balance of the tricks.

Of the six pairs who bid six hearts, four of them went down. Most of them made the following mistake: They won the opening heart lead with the queen and led a small club to the ten-spot.

East won it with the queen and returned a small trump, which the declarer won with the king. He cashed the ace of clubs and led a small club, which West ruffed with the nine-spot.

The two pairs who bid and made six hearts got a spade opening, which was won in dummy with the queen. The ten of clubs was led. East split his honors and the declarer won the trick with the ace. Declarer now took three rounds of trump.

He went over to dummy with the ace of diamonds and cashed the ace-king of spades, discarding a club and a diamond. Declarer then led a small club, which East won with the king and declarer's jack of clubs was good for the needed 12th trick.

Some of the experts, in discussing the hand, agreed that with a trump lead declarer should take three rounds of trump, then play the ace and king of diamonds and lead a small diamond to the jack. West, in this case, has to win the trick with the queen.

However, if West plays a low diamond the jack must be played from dummy. If East wins with the queen, the fourth diamond will be good for a valuable discard of a club.

Now the next time you play a slam contract just remember that even the best of players slips up.

What's RIGHT? advertisement

There is a woman guest and the host is serving the plates. Just as he does when only the family is present.
WRONG WAY: He gives the first plate served to his wife.
RIGHT WAY: He sees that the woman guest is served first.

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End of a Chapter

By Edwin Ruff

THE STORY: Alice Pine, secretary to writer Muriel Halleck, bids herself in an embarrassing position in regard to Muriel's husband Brent, an artist. Alice suspects Brent of cruelty to Muriel. She decides to take a job. Brent had said more than to later that under other circumstances he might have been fond of Alice.

ed to work. He seems to have got his wish.
"Knowing advertising," Alice said, "I'm not surprised. They never hire anyone till they're in spot. Then the new man gets it from all sides."
"Muriel tossed her bright head. "Oh! Too bad for Brent!"
When she got away, Alice took a moment in which to examine herself. She did not like what she found.

Her keen disappointment at not seeing Brent Halleck was both silly and weak.
On Saturday afternoon Muriel worked straight through until 5 o'clock. But she came into the library shortly afterwards. "All right," she said. "The whistle blows. We're having Martinis on the terrace. I could use about four right now."
"I told you—" Alice began.
"That I'd smash myself up? Well, I told you that was nonsense. Come on!"
They had had one drink and Muriel was pouring another when she said suddenly: "Uh-uh! Here comes a disturbance."

THE "disturbance" was, indeed, in the offing. Young Rick, leaving the fat Stella hopelessly behind, cavorted toward them across the lawn.
As he gambled up, Alice decided that Rick was a scavenger by nature. He rarely went anywhere without returning richly laden with whatever caught his eye.

Today it was seashells, an appreciation of which Alice herself had imparted. Both of Rick's hands overflowed with them. He ceased cavorting at the terrace and, with a certain childlike dignity, walked straight toward Alice.
At once she put out a long left arm. "No, darling! Show them to Muriel first."
Alice was looking at Rick. But from one eye-corner she saw Muriel glance up. A little frown

WASHINGTON COLUMN
New Reactors Will Keep U. S. Way Ahead In Atomic Science

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—The United States now has at least nine atomic reactors in operation. It has five more under construction and is doing research on four more. This total of 18 reactors planned, building and in operation represents America's lead in the peacetime development of atomic energy.

The American battery of 18 reactors should be completed and in operation by 1953. It represents an expenditure of \$45,000,000 up to last June 30, with planned program for \$145,000,000 to complete construction within the next three years.

In addition to this \$190,000,000 total, there should be added research costs of \$87,000,000 from fiscal 1949 through 1953.
This brief summary of America's atomic energy "plant" is revealed for the first time in complete form in the seventh semi-annual report of the Atomic Energy Commission, just sent to Congress.

The figures given above do not include operating costs nor complete installations at Hanford, Wash., where plutonium is made for the atomic bomb. The Smyth Report published in 1945 revealed that three reactors were in operation at Hanford. The seventh report reveals only that a new reactor to produce plutonium was completed at Hanford last year. This would bring the Hanford units to four in operation. Total cost of the Hanford development has been estimated at \$336,000,000 as of last June 30.

Both Slow and Fast Reactors
The other reactors listed as in operation include two at Argonne Laboratory, Chicago, one at Oak Ridge, Tenn., and one at Los Alamos, N. M. All these reactors have what is known as slow, or thermal neutron energy range. They are in effect water boilers, meaning that they are kept cool by circulating water through the reactor. Water can't be used because of the high temperatures generated in this type of reactor.

It is in the nine new reactors in various stages of research, design and actual construction that the dreams of harnessing atomic energy for useful power development are beginning to unfold.

Late last year construction was begun on an experimental breeder reactor at the AEC's new testing station, near Arco, Idaho. It is scheduled for completion this year. This reactor is designed to test the feasibility of transmitting non-fissionable material into fissionable material. In this process, it is believed that the reactor can be made to produce more fissionable material than it consumes. It will be in the fast neutron range. It will also experiment with the use of mercury and other liquid metals as the coolant in the reactor. Water can't be used because of the high temperatures generated in this type of reactor.

Another materials testing reactor in the slow neutron range is also being put under construction this year at the Idaho testing center. It will be of particular use in testing materials for the design of aircraft propulsion reactors.

At West Milton, N. Y., construction will start this year on the first intermediate range reactor. It will be a combined power and breeder reactor, producing fissionable material and then using the heat to drive electric generators of conventional design. But this reactor will also use molten metal coolant.

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Questions and Answers

Q—What was the Lafayette Escadrille?
A—The Lafayette Escadrille was a group of volunteer American flyers in the French air service in World War I before United States entrance.

Q—How is wood used chemically?
A—To make charcoal, wood alcohol, acetone, ethyl alcohol, wood-sugar molasses, fodder yeast, synthetic fibers, photographic films, and other molded articles, modified wood products such as compress and impreg and styppak, many specialized products of wood pulp and paper, and a host of other chemical products are used.

Q—In connection with horse racing what is the meaning of the "handle" and "take"?
A—The "handle" is the total amount bet on the parimutuel machines. The "take" is the amount withdrawn from the "handle" by city and state taxes and by the track.

Q—Is it possible for a cocker spaniel to be born with a short tail?
A—Occasionally cockers are born with "natural bobbed tails. But it is extremely rare.

Q—Was Fannie Farmer a real person?
A—Fannie Farmer was born in 1847 and died in 1935. She founded a school of cooking in 1902 and became nationally known as the Editor of the Boston Cooking School Cook Book.

Garden City Stock Show February 17
GARDEN CITY — Glasscock County's annual PFA and 4-H Club Livestock Show will be held in Garden City February 17. It was announced this week.

Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club boys from Glasscock County are eligible to enter as many sheep and calves as they wish in the show.

Approximately 56 lambs and seven calves are expected to be shown. Herman Carter will be in charge. A free barbecue will be given at noon following the judging. Sales will be made in the afternoon. Each club boy is allowed to sell one lamb and one calf.

As a special event, a 600-pound heifer will be given away at the close of the show.

etched Muriel's forehead.
Rick was obedient. He crossed to Muriel. "Snow Muriel," he said, as if he were getting his orders straight.

Muriel examined the loot. "Why, they're lovely, dear. Wherever did you find so many? Now show them to Alice. Then it's supper and bed for yours, young man."

The bovine Stella had puffed up. "Come on, Ricky," she commanded placidly.

"No," said Rick, disinterestedly rather than rudely. He began to arrange his snells in little heaps in the grass.

Muriel reached for her drink. "That wasn't polite, Rick. Please go with Stella."

RICK looked at her in undecided fashion. But, obviously, he felt committed now to a course of action.

"No," he repeated. And with a gesture like an unfortunate afterthought, he stamped his foot.

"Alice," Muriel turned to her, "what do you do in a case like this?"

"I—I don't know," Alice felt strangely apprehensive.

Rick stood stubborn and determined. He was something like Brent—or like Brent might have been when he was four years old. The child's lip moved a little and his eyes filled with tears.

"Neither do I. But I'm afraid it's my responsibility, Rick!" Muriel's silvery eyes narrowed. "Stop this nonsense and go with Stella. At once—do you hear?"

She spoke patiently, but the patience was wasted on Rick. Motivated by heaven-knows-what it could have been, Alice thought, the limelight and an audience—the child went into a sudden tantrum.

Without warning, he plumped himself down on his stomach, small bare legs thrashing the air. "I won't," he yelled, defiantly.

"Stella," Muriel controlled herself, "does this happen often?"
"No'm," said Stella, with oceanic calm. "Just sometimes. When he's tired, maybe."
"Well, he's overtired now. Take him inside."

(To Be Continued)

Church Calendar

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main Street and Illinois
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor
9:00 a.m.: Morning Meditation
10:00 a.m.: Morning worship with
he sermon by the pastor.
6:45 p.m.: Training Union.
8:00 p.m.: Evening service with
he pastor as the speaker.
Wednesday
8:30 p.m.: Choir practice.
8:15 p.m.: Prayer meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Services are held temporarily at 706
West Tennessee Street
I. Woodie Holden, evangelist
10:00 a.m.: Bible Study.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching and com-
munion with "Baptism, Then What?"
is the minister's sermon topic.
6:30 p.m.: Young People's Ser-
vice.
7:30 p.m.: Evening Service. The
minister will speak on "Behold, I
Thought," based on II Kings 5:11.
Wednesday
10:00 a.m.: Women's Bible Class.
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week prayer ser-
vice.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Lorraine and Illinois Streets
Rev. Clyde Lindley, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening service.
8:00 p.m.: Christian Youth Fel-
lowship.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Indiana and Big Spring Streets
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship with
the pastor speaking on the subject,
"Contacting God."
6:45 p.m.: Pre-prayer service.
7:00 p.m.: NYPS.
7:45 p.m.: Evening service. The
pastor will be the speaker.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Prayer service.

**PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS
TABERNACLE**
500 South Colorado Street
O. W. Roberts, Pastor
11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
7:45 p.m.: Preaching.
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Bible Study.
Thursday
8:00 p.m.: Preaching.

**SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST
CHURCH**
Rev. C. A. Holt
West Pennsylvania and Lorraine
Saturday Services
10:00 a.m.: Sabbath School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning service meet-
ing.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 South Baird Street
Rev. Earl Rice, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
8:15 p.m.: Christ Ambassadors
service.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Evening service.
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week service.

**FIRST FREEWILL BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Rev. G. A. C. Hughes, Pastor
1000 South Mineola Street
Saturday
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
Sunday
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week prayer meet-
ing.

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Rev. C. B. Hedges, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

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Washington and Midland Streets
Rev. S. Lara, Pastor
7:30 p.m.: Training Union.

**110 SOUTH COLORADO STREET
CHURCH OF CHRIST**
10:30 a.m.: Preaching and com-
munion service.
7:30 p.m.: Preaching and com-
munion service.

**NORTH MIDLAND BAPTIST
MISSION**
Rev. Jim Golins, Pastor
1800 North Big Spring
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.: Training Union.
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.

**ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC
(L.U.C.H. Latin American)**
Rev. Edward Murray, O. M. L. in
charge of services
Friday
8:00-8:00 p.m.: Novena.
Saturday
5:00-6:00 p.m.: Confessions.
7:00-8:00 p.m.: Confessions.
Sunday
8:00 a.m. and 10:00 a.m.: Masses.
FOLK SQUARE ROSPEL CHURCH
Corner West Indiana and South B
Streets
Pastors: The Revs. Cecil McQuatters
and Esther Hasaland
8:30 a.m.: Radio program over
KCRS.
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:30 p.m.: Crusaders' Meeting.
7:30 p.m.: Evangelistic service.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Bible Study and
prayer meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
903 South Terrell Street
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.: Evening service.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week service.

VALLEY VIEW BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Lenard Leftwich, Pastor
Sunday School is held every Sun-
day at 10:30.
Morning worship at 11:30 and eve-
ning worship service at 7:00 are held
every first and third Sunday of the
month.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 South Main Street
Rev. A. L. Teaff, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
10:55 a.m.: Morning worship. The
sermon, "The Conversion of Zachae-
us," will be by the pastor.
6:30 p.m.: Training Union.
7:30 p.m.: Evening service with
"A Good Appetite" as the sermon
theme of the pastor.
Wednesday
8:45 p.m.: Choir practice.
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week service.
8:15 p.m.: Sunday School teach-
ers' and officers' meeting.

TERMINAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Building T-1, Air Terminal
Rev. Curtis Rogers, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Church service.
7:00 p.m.: Training Union.
8:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Prayer meeting.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
Wall and J Streets
Rev. G. Becker, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School and
Bible Class.
11:00 a.m.: Divine worship.
7:00 p.m.: Bible Hour.

**COTTON FLAT BAPTIST
CHURCH**
Rankin Highway
Rev. James Benfro, Pastor
10:30 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:30 a.m.: Morning service.
7:00 p.m.: Evening service.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
300 North Main Street
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
10:50 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: The Intermediate and
Senior Hi Youth Fellowships are to
meet.
7:00 p.m.: Evening service.
8:00 p.m.: The Older Youth,
Young Adult, and Fellowship Class-
es are scheduled to meet.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SOCIETY
401 North C Street
Saturday
11:30 a.m.: Radio program.
Sunday
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: The Lesson - Sermon
topic for the Church Service will be
on "Soul."
The Golden Text is: "O bless our
God, ye people, and make the voice
of his praise to be heard; which
holdeth our soul in life, and suffer-
eth not our feet to be moved" (Psalms
66:8, 9).
Among the citations which com-
prise the Lesson-Sermon is the fol-
lowing from the Bible: "But he is
in one mind, and who can turn him?
and what his soul desireth even that
he doeth" (Job 23:13).
The Lesson-Sermon also includes
the following passage from the
Christian Science textbook, "Sci-
ence and Health with Key to the
Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:
"Only by losing the false sense of
Soul can we gain the eternal un-
folding of Life as immortality
brought to light" (page 335).
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Service in the church.
Thursday
2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.: The read-
ing room will be open.

ST. ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
2000 West Texas Street
Rev. Francis Taylor, O. M. L., pastor
Saturday
4:30-5:30 p.m.: Confessions.
7:30-8:30 p.m.: Confessions.
Sunday
8:30 a.m.: Mass.
9:30 a.m.: Christian Doctrine
Class for Senior students.
11:00 a.m.: Mass.
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Choir practice.
Thursday
Catechism Classes in Parish
Hall.
3:15-4:15 p.m.: Junior Students.
4:15-5:15 p.m.: Senior Students.

CHURCH OF GOD
200 South Dallas Street
Rev. J. H. Moore, Minister
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship with
sermon by the pastor.
7:45 p.m.: Evangelistic service
in charge of the pastor.
Tuesday
7:45 p.m.: Young People's ser-
vice.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
303 East Washington Street
4:30 p.m.: Watchtower Bible
Study.
Tuesday
8:00 p.m.: Book Study.
Thursday
7:30 p.m.: Service meeting.

GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
Route 1, Midland
Rev. Monroe Teters, Pastor
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
7:30 p.m.: Training Union.
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Mid-week prayer ser-
vice.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Dr. B. Matthew Lynn, Pastor
Corner West Texas and A Streets
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship with
the pastor's sermon on "Give the
Church a Chance."
12:00 noon: The Session is sched-
uled to meet in the parlor.
5:00 p.m.: Choir practice for
Junior Choir.
5:50 p.m.: Family supper to be
held in the fellowship hall.
6:30 p.m.: Evening service.
7:00 p.m.: Children's Story Hour.
The Rev. Harry McDonnell, pastor
of the Normandy Heights Presby-
terian Church in Odessa will speak
in the Adult Fellowship. The Junior,
Pioneer and Senior Fellowships also
will meet.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
1113 South Big Spring Street
J. Marion Hull, Minister
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Young People's Serv-
ice.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
Tuesday
2:00 p.m.: Ladies Bible Class.
Wednesday
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week prayer ser-
vice.
8:00 p.m.: Choir practice.

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Saturday
7:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
Sunday
10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
6:00 p.m.: Young People's Service.
7:30 p.m.: Evening service.
Tuesday
7:30 p.m.: Prayer Meeting.

ASBURY METHODIST CHURCH
South Lorraine at West Dakota
Rev. J. Lenell Hester, Pastor
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
10:30 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:00 p.m.: Methodist Youth Fel-
lowship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening service.
Wednesday
7:00 p.m.: Choir practice.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
I. and Illinois Streets
Rev. R. J. Snell, Rector
8:00 a.m.: Holy Communion.
9:30 a.m.: Church School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning prayer and
sermon by the pastor. His sermon
theme will be "Praising God."

**SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF
CHRIST**
710 South Baird Street
Floyd Stanley, Minister
9:45 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Worship service.
6:30 p.m.: Youth training.
7:30 p.m.: Evening service.
Wednesday
3:00 p.m.: Ladies' Bible Class.
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week Bible
Study.



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sake of his community and nation. (4) For the
sake of the Church itself, which needs his moral
and material support. Plan to go to church regu-
larly and read your Bible daily.

Day	Book	Chapter	Verses
Sunday	II Timothy	2	1-7
Monday	Proverbs	2	13-18
Tuesday	Matthew	7	13-20
Wednesday	Revelation	21	1-7
Thursday	I Thessalonians	5	12-22
Friday	Pain	19	23-40
Saturday	Exodus	20	1-17

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Formal opening of Midland's newest automotive service station, Arrowhead Service No. 2, will be observed Saturday.

The new station, located at 2110 West Wall Street, will offer all types of Gulf oil and gasoline products. R. C. Crabb, Jr., is lessee and operator. Fred Girdley, Gulf distributor, is the station's owner.

Special gifts will be given patrons on opening day.

Latest Equipment

Featuring the latest in equipment, the new station will offer several outstanding services. Crabb and his staff of competent personnel promise to give courteous and well-rounded service to its new patrons. Recapping, air-filter cleaning, lubrication, and radiator flushing are among the many services offered at the new station. Gasoline featured is the famous Gulf No-Nox and Good Gulf.

Gulfpride oil, only alcohol-processed motor oil in the world, will be an outstanding feature of Arrowhead Station No. 2. The new Gulf lubrication gives scientific, tailor-made lubrication at up to 39 chassis points.

Expert service by competent and experienced personnel is promised patrons at the new station. Crabb and his staff have had several years of experience in the automobile servicing field.

Ed Harding To Be K&F Club Speaker

Ed Harding of Washington, North Carolina, noted humorist, will be the speaker at the February dinner-meeting of the Midland Knife and Fork Club at 7 p.m. Saturday in the new Midland High School Cafeteria. The meeting place was changed from Hotel Scharbauer due to a conflict in dates.

A capacity attendance is predicted by J. Don Sadler, club secretary, who said advance reservations have been heavier than usual.

The banquet-style meal will be served by members of the MHS Home Economics Department.

'Tar Heel Humorist'

Harding, widely-known as the "Tar Heel Humorist," is said to be one of the most pleasing and most entertaining speakers in the United States today. He has addressed hundreds of gatherings—never making a serious talk. A former farmer, chamber of commerce secretary and Rotary district governor, Harding has built up a large following of admirers who say he is "tops" in his field. "Is America Losing Its Risibility?" will be the subject of his address here.

William H. Pryor, chairman of the club's reception committee, Friday announced the appointment of a host and hostess group for the Saturday night event. Members are Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Maley, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bridgewater, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Studdert and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Downing.

Mexican Divorce Clears Way For Ingrid To Marry Italian Lover Next Week

ROME —(P)— Jubilant Roberto Rossellini said Friday he and Film Actress Ingrid Bergman would marry "just as quickly as her divorce papers arrive from Mexico."

The Swedish actress, who bore a son, "Roberto," here eight days ago, was granted a divorce in Juarez, Mexico, late Thursday from Dr. Peter Lindstrom of Hollywood.

Lindstrom ignored the Mexican court proceedings and remained in Hollywood.

Rossellini's attorney, Gino Sotis, said Thursday cabled notification of Miss Bergman's divorce would not be sufficient to permit her to marry the Italian film director here. The lawyer said a copy of the decree would have to be received in Rome before the ceremony could take place.

Island Romance

The divorce was granted on grounds of mental cruelty, non-support and incompatibility.

The Bergman-Rossellini romance bloomed on the volcanic Island of Stromboli and name of a motion picture in which he directed her last year. The birth of her son has raised a storm of protest over the showing of "Stromboli" in the United States.

The balding, 43-year-old Rossellini Friday disclosed an extension had been obtained for the 10-day period for civil registration of the birth of Miss Bergman's baby.

"We will have a few extra days for the registration," he told a reporter who talked with him as he left the hospital bedside of the actress and her son Friday morning to motor to the location for his latest picture now being filmed near Rome.

Rossellini said a small private civil

Ingrid Drops Lower In Popularity Poll Of Movie Magazine

HOLLYWOOD —(P)— Ingrid Bergman dropped from first to third place in Photoplay Magazine's annual popularity poll, it was disclosed Friday.

Jane Wyman and James Stewart were the most popular screen performers of 1949 and "The Stratton Story" was the most enjoyed motion picture, according to the results of the magazine's annual poll of the movie-going public.

Miss Bergman, most popular actress in the 1948 poll, was in third place this time behind June Allyson.

Miss Wyman won the public's approval for her portrayal of a deaf-mute in "Johnny Belinda," a role which also won her an Academy award.

Stewart played the part of Monty Stratton, Chicago White Sox pitcher who lost his leg in a hunting accident.

Hungary Sets Trial Date For American

BUDAPEST, HUNGARY — (P)— The Ministry of Justice announced Friday that American Businessman Robert E. Vogeler would be tried February 17 on charges of espionage and sabotage.

Vogeler, European representative of the International Telephone and Telegraph Company, has been held incommunicado since his arrest last November 18.

The ministry announced Edgar Sanders, British subject and local I.T.&T. representative, and five Hungarian nationals also would be tried with Vogeler before a Budapest court of justice.

The dominance of armored knights in warfare was broken when the leaders of French chivalry were slaughtered by British bowmen at Crecy in 1346.

Wheat is attacked by 77 diseases. FBI fingerprint files on "missing persons" help locate many of the 200,000 Americans who disappear annually.

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Separate Schools Is Correct Policy, Daniel Declares

AUSTIN —(P)— Separate and equal schools for the white and negro races, in the opinion of Attorney General Price Daniel, is the expressed policy of Congress.

That was Daniel's comment Thursday after a brief was filed by Solicitor General Philip B. Perlman in the United States Supreme Court.

In support of pleas of Herman Marion Sweatt and G. W. McLaurin to attend all-white state universities unsegregated, Perlman's brief called on the high court to strike down the "separate but equal" doctrine as an unwarranted deviation from the principle of equality under the 14th Amendment.

Sweatt seeks admittance to the University of Texas Law School and McLaurin to the University of Oklahoma. The court will hear the cases next month.

Daniel said Perlman's interpretation of the 14th Amendment is "directly opposed" to that made by the Congress, which Daniel termed "the body charged with making national policy in this country."

The Congress has maintained separate schools for whites and negroes in the District of Columbia from the date of the adoption of the 14th Amendment down to and including the present time," he said.

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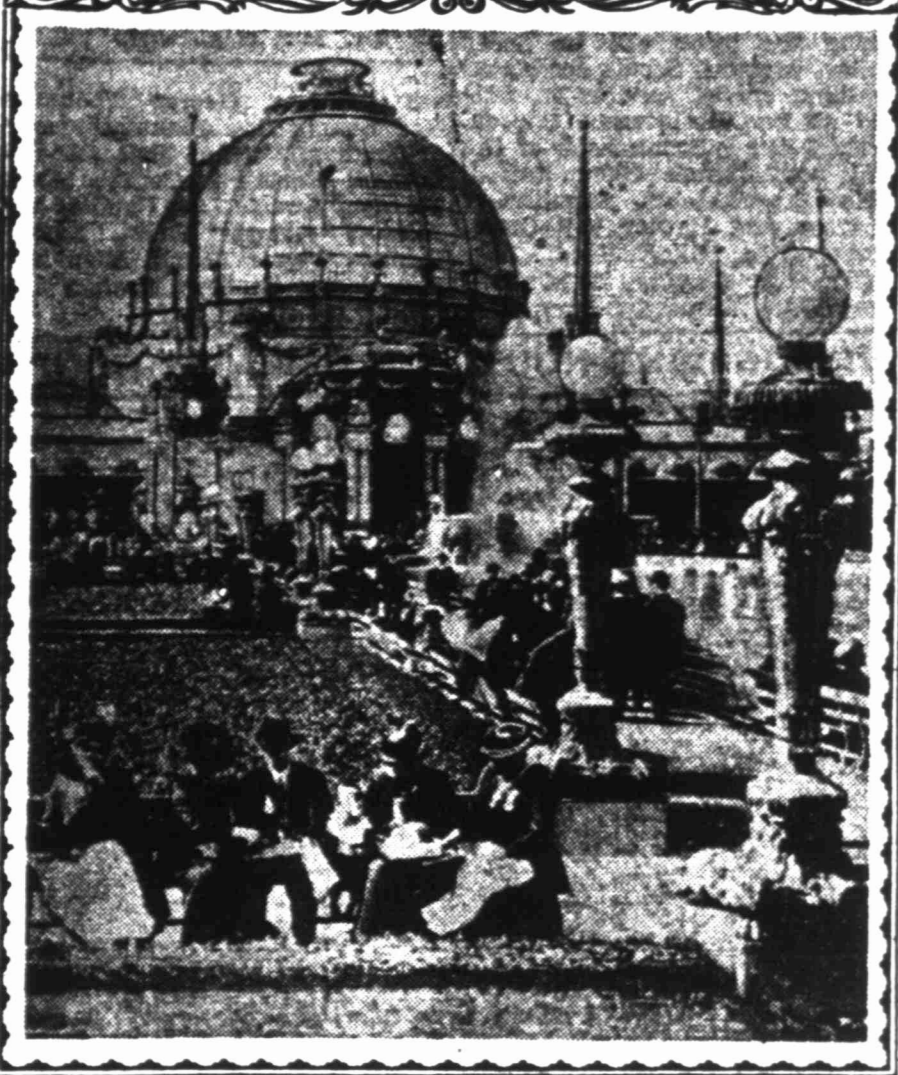
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HALF-CENTURY HIGHLIGHTS



International exposition at San Diego, Calif., celebrated completion of the Panama Canal. It was typical of many elaborate expositions and world's fairs throughout the country during the first half of the twentieth century. The Panama-Pacific Exposition took its architecture from the Spanish Colonial, including the old Mexican cathedrals and the homes of the moors. There was Victorianism aplenty, too, obvious in the elaborate decorations. The ladies in the foreground wore Queen Mary hats and carried shoebox lunches for themselves and their gentlemen friends. The exposition itself included hundreds of exhibits, all the latest in home economics, arts, crafts, science and education, specimens of botany and varied products of commerce and industry.

Two Juveniles Held In Kidnaping Of Officer's Daughter

DEDFHAM, MASS. —(AP)—Two baby-faced juveniles were held Friday in the kidnaping of the daughter of a police sergeant who gave the first tangible clue in the million dollar Brink's robbery.

Dollar Police Lieutenant Benjamin Beere said the kidnaping of Ann McCarty, 22, evidently had no connection with the robbery.

The young woman was released unharmed Thursday night after a high-speed, four-mile police chase which ended in capture of the juveniles.

Police reported a third youth, and possibly a fourth who might have been in a second car, are being sought.

Beere said the young woman's screams as she was forced into a car near her Dedham home touched off the swift chase and speedy seizure of her alleged kidnapers.

The juveniles were booked on charges of delinquency and suspicion of kidnaping. Their names were withheld.

The young woman's father, Sgt. John T. McCarty, turned up the first definite Brink's robbery clue by noting that the serial number of a pistol found in Somerville—not far from the holdup scene—matched an FBI listing of a gun stolen in the sensational raid.

Presbyterian Men Hear Address By George H. McEntire

Interesting happenings and experiences encountered during his service as a Lockheed test pilot during and following World War II, were recalled by George H. McEntire, Jr., veteran Midland aviator, in an address before Presbyterian Men of Midland Thursday night in the First Presbyterian Fellowship Hall. He was introduced by Ernest Sidwell, program chairman.

McEntire, who joined Lockheed in 1941, used "Safety In Test Piloting" as his subject. He said testing is done to make the airplane safe, and that unless someone makes a mistake, the work is "fairly safe. Fire and panic are the major dangers," he said.

He explained the work of a test pilot and told of the various types of service. He described improvements resulting from test flights and mentioned things to come in aviation.

Transit work and the training of new pilots were discussed.

Long Flights

The speaker related incidents which happened on numerous flights to Cuba, Australia, China, India, England and other foreign countries.

Two committees to nominate officers for 1950-51 were appointed by President Bill Collins. Dean Murray and Hugh Gilmore head one committee, and C. Ed Prichard and Harry Gossett, the other. Ray Lynch said a survey members of the organization also will submit a slate of officers.

A financial report was submitted by Bill Blackman, secretary-treasurer.

Clint Ledebur and George Baumgartner made brief talks concerning the church's budget and the annual every-member canvass scheduled next month.

Members of Circle No. 7, Women of the Church, prepared and served the meal.

SMU Dean Slates Careful Probe Of Reported Beatings

DALLAS —(AP)—Southern Methodist University's dean of students promised a careful investigation of charges that three A&M students were beaten here Tuesday night after a basketball game between SMU and A&M.

The A&M student newspaper reported an A&M dean had sent a protest to Willis Tate, dean of students at SMU, saying the beatings were administered by "eight or 10" SMU students.

Tate said Thursday he had not received the protest and had heard nothing of the fight, which reportedly occurred a short distance from the entrance of Perkins Gymnasium on the SMU campus.

"If I get a protest, we will investigate the matter carefully," said Tate. "It is surprising to me, however, that something like that could occur without news of it spreading around the campus."

The A&M newspaper said the Dallas students were trying to kidnap an Aggie mascot, a live bulldog.

Two American GI's Confess Kidnaping Austrian For Reds

VIENNA, AUSTRIA —(AP)—The U. S. Army announced Friday that two American soldiers have confessed they kidnaped an Austrian citizen for a Soviet-directed agency last November.

The soldiers, the Army reported, said they were paid 7,000 schillings (\$250) for the abduction. The Army identified them as Sgt. John Franky, 29, of Brockton, Mass., and Paul Abel, 26, of Bolivar, Mo.

The men, both members of a Military Police battalion, said they abducted 39-year-old Oswald Eder in the British sector of Vienna and took him in an Army jeep to a rendezvous point in the Soviet zone of Austria.

Officers quoted the two as saying they voluntarily gave themselves up "because the recent expose of the Soviet-controlled abduction ring in Austria convinced us we would be caught sooner or later."

The Army said a preliminary investigation had failed to disclose the soldiers had other than a monetary motive for the abduction.

Fire Routs Patients From Ennis Hospital

ENNIS, TEXAS —(AP)—Fire on the roof of the Municipal Hospital Thursday forced the evacuation of 10 patients.

The blaze was caused by a motor in the elevator shaft, panel on top of the three-story structure. It was brought under control by firemen within a short time.

TAX CONFERENCE

DALLAS —(AP)—Lawyers from six Southwestern states met here Friday for a conference on federal taxes.

TAKE BUSINESS TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Rubin left Wednesday by automobile on a business trip to Rochester, N. Y. Rubin will attend a sales conference at the Eastman Kodak Company and will make a tour through the plant to see the manufacture of cameras and color film.

Political Announcements

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B. W. (BOOTS) BROWN
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For County Commissioner Precinct No. 4
W. B. STEWART (Re-election)
For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1
JACK MERRITT
JOHN HEMINGWAY, JR. (Re-election)

Stringed Instrument

- HORIZONTAL
- 1 Dejected musical instrument
- 8 Stale
- 13 Lasted
- 14 Happen again
- 15 Finish
- 18 Get up
- 18 Age
- 19 Egyptian sun god
- 20 Connived
- 22 Plural ending
- 23 Volcano in Sicily
- 25 Curved molding
- 27 Beloved
- 28 Repair
- 29 Hypothetical structural unit
- 30 It is used
- 31 Behold!
- 32 Nickel (symbol)
- 33 Prayer ending
- 35 Eviat
- 38 Vein of ore
- 39 Domestic slave
- 40 Not (prefix)
- 41 Monsters
- 47 Half an em
- 48 It is played with a
- 50 Over
- 51 Spread to dry
- 52 Jacob's father
- 54 Understand
- 56 Rushlike plant
- 57 Lurer

Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 3 Peculiar
- 4 Lutecium (ab.)
- 5 Spoken
- 6 Roman emperor
- 7 Redact
- 8 Woody plant
- 9 Concerning
- 10 Frozen water
- 11 Soup-holder
- 12 Expunged
- 17 Street (ab.)
- 20 Excused
- 21 Loose cloaks
- 24 Fastened with brads
- 26 Gifted person
- 33 Legal pleas
- 45 Baking chamber of a stove
- 46 Tidy
- 49 Stuff
- 51 Twitching
- 53 Silver (symbol)
- 55 Measure

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Abundant Living

By E. STANLEY JONES

To brother all the souls on earth...

O glory of the lighted mind. How dead I'd been, how dumb, how blind. The station brook to my new eyes. Was babbling out of Paradise. The waters rushing from the rain. Were singing Christ has risen again. I thought all earthly creatures knelt. From rapture of the joy I felt. O God, these words echo what I feel. And yet I do not depend upon my fleeting feelings. I depend upon the certain faith that Thou art and that I am, and that we have come together to be knit together in a common purpose and a common life. This is the rock beneath my feet. Amen.

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DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And The Flabbergaster

A flabbergaster is anyone who likes to say things you hope are not true, things that make you say, "oh me, and oh my, and imagine that!"... because you think maybe they might be true.

really was a flabbergaster, even though he was a monkey too. He met Daddy Ringtail, one day, when Daddy Ringtail was walking along the Elephant Path. Daddy Ringtail was thinking about whatever it is you think about when you're not thinking about anything much.

"Happy day there, Flabbergaster!" said Daddy Ringtail, very friendly, because he hadn't seen

"oh me, and oh my, and imagine that!"... which is what a Flabbergaster always likes to hear. Daddy Ringtail sat down too. He curled his long tail around the rock, and sat so very still, waiting for Flabbergaster to do his flabbergasting. But Flabbergaster didn't talk any more at first. He curled his tail around the rock too, and he sat very still until at last he said: "Look over there!" The Flabbergaster pointed to the ground, and said: "Isn't that a bug crawling around on the end of your tail?"

"Oh me, and oh my, and imagine that!" Daddy Ringtail said, just as the Flabbergaster wanted him to say. "I hope it isn't a bug!" He looked where the Flabbergaster pointed and there was a bug sure enough, crawling around on the end of a certain somebody's tail. Daddy Ringtail said: "It's a bug all right, but that is the end of your tail!"

It was the Flabbergaster then who did the jumping and the saying of "oh me and oh my, and imagine that!" Then he laughed, because he was flabbergasted as much as he had ever flabbergasted anyone in his whole life. Daddy Ringtail laughed with him, and everything was all right, because there can never be unhappy thoughts when you laugh with a friend. Happy day!



the Flabbergaster in such a very long time.

"Happy day, Daddy Ringtail!" the Flabbergaster said, and then he sat down on a rock, trying to think of something to say, something to make Daddy Ringtail say

Freddie

I FAIL TO UNDERSTAND YOUR ASTONISHMENT. DOESN'T EVERYBODY REACH FOR DELICIOUS MRS. BAIRD'S BREAD?

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McCamey News

McCamey—Members of the McCamey Cemetery Association at a recent meeting heard details of the cemetery improvement program which was completed in January. Improvements made included the filling of a ditch to provide parking space, planting of shrubs, and general landscaping.

Landscaping was handled by W. M. Day, city agent, and Myrna Holman, County Home Demonstration agent. The McCamey Garden Club assisted in the beautification project. Silas Pittman donated his services in surveying and marking the ground.

Mrs. J. W. C. Hays is president of the Cemetery Association. Other officers are: Mrs. George Ramer, vice president; Mrs. H. W. Ames, secretary; Tom Spalding, treasurer; Mrs. Burly McCollum, publicity.

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Crane News

CRANE—Mrs. Selman Cook and daughter, Vickie, of Lubbock, spent the weekend with her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. S. C. Barnard. She was accompanied on her return to Lubbock by Donald Barnard, who entered Texas Tech for the next semester. Mrs. Cook also is a student there.

Billy Marlowe, a student at Arlington State College, was home for a few days visiting his parents and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Finley and son, Genie, and Miss Lenell Walker spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Westmoreland and Frieda Walker.

The minister of the Church of Christ has announced that a meeting will be held here beginning March 5 and continuing through March 15. Morning services are scheduled at 10 a.m., and evening services at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Roy H. Lanier of Abilene, a widely-known evangelist, will conduct the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Hayes Dameron and son, Douglas, visited Mrs. Luke Shira in Abilene recently. Mrs. Shira and son, Mickey, returned with them for a visit in Crane.

Scouts Observe Week Celebrating the 40th Anniversary of Scouting from February 6 to 12, Crane Boy Scouts have activities scheduled throughout the week. A Court of Honor was held Thursday night, when awards were made to Scouts who have advanced during the last two months. A Campfire and Community Sing are to be held Friday night. On Saturday, Scouts will parade at 9 a.m., and will take over the reins of the city for the day. A Father and Son Banquet is planned for Saturday night at the Community Hall. Climaxing the week will be Scout Sunday, when all Scouts are slated to attend special services in uniform at the Presbyterian Church. Harold Pettit is Scoutmaster of the troop, with Jimmie Glenn and J. A. Hood as assistants. Members of the troop are: Hawley Van Court, George Omo, Riley Hood, Billy Preslar, Billy Gregory, D. H. Culp, James Ware, Leonard Barker, Mel-

vin DeLaney, George Thompson, Ned Bunch, Roy Johnson, Frank Willingham, Gene Hall, Edward Lowery, Robert McConley, Wayne Blanton, Jimmie Don Caudie, John Mobley, Allen Hollis, Richard Praloy, Wayne Young, Allen Morgan, James Brunson, Stanley Holcomb and Dean Mann.

SNELLS OF RANKIN HAVE NEW DAUGHTER

RANKIN—Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Spell of Rankin are parents of a daughter, born February 6, in a San Angelo hospital. She was named Dora Olivia.

Maternal grandparents are Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. R. C. Schlagal. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Snell.

OUT OUR WAY

YES, I SAID IT'S NOT AS GOOD AS THE SHOP AS SOME MEN ARE MAKING ON AND I SAID A LITTLE COUNTER-ACTION MIGHT HELP—BUT I DON'T WANT TO GO AROUND NAKED, FANNING YOURSELF WITH YOUR HAT.

WELL, IF HE WAS ONLY FANNING HIMSELF, HE'S REALLY WARM NOW—BUT I'LL BET TH' FATHEAD WILL BUMBLE UP AND WHEN HE SHOULD TAKE MORE OFF.

OVERCOOKED

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE

WE'VE FOULLED YOUR PERSONAL FISSURE AROUND THE POPCORN BOWL, MAJOR! DON'T TELL ME YOU'VE BEEN DOWN HERE STARING AT A SHOE!—WHAT'S UP? ARE YOU PLANNING TO PROCESS IT TO TAKE THE PAIN OUT OF A KICK IN THE PANTS?

EGAD, NO, TWIGGS! MY SCIENTIFIC MIND IS GRAPPLING WITH AN INTRICATE PROBLEM—AND ONLY BY TURNING ON THE FULL POWER OF CONCENTRATION CAN I SOLVE IT!—PLEASE DON'T ASK ME TO DIVULGE IT UNTIL I IRON IT OUT!

COULD IT BE AN AUTO-MATIC SHOE-TYER FOR FAT MEN?

2-10

VIC FLINT

I WAS READING A NEWSPAPER AND MINING MY OWN BUSINESS WHEN—

JUST THE MAN I'M LOOKING FOR. YOU'VE GOT TO BE A CONTESTANT!

HEY! WHAT GIVES? MY FRIEND, YOU'RE A TREMENDOUSLY LUCKY MAN. YOUR NAME?

2-10

By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

HURRY UP, PLEASE, WHAT'S YOUR NAME?

WHO ARE YOU, THE FBI?

NO, NO, NO! I'M BILLINGTON MERLE, THE FAMOUS TV COMEDIAN, AND YOU'RE OUR NEXT CONTESTANT ON OUR SIDEWALK GIVEAWAY CONTEST!

YEAH? WELL, YOU CAN KEEP THE TV COMEDIAN, AND I'D WANT IT.

2-10

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

TWO BUCKS AND TWO DOLLARS AND A QUARTER IS BID FOR THIS DELECTABLE LUNCH. DO I HEAR MORE? GOING—GOING—

GONE! I GUESS THAT FIXES US UP, JUNIE!

NOW IF LARD CAN BUY HILDA'S LUNCH, EVERYTHING WILL BE SWELL!

2-10

By MERRILL ROSSER

HE CAN'T REMEMBER WHAT HILDA'S LUNCH LOOKS LIKE!

WITH MY LUCK, I'LL PROBABLY WIND UP WITH—

—FRANKENSTEIN'S MOTHER-IN-LAW!

2-10

PRISCILLA'S POP

THAT'S WHAT I CALL HANDSOME! DIGNIFIED, BUT NOT STUFFY!

I GUESS I CAN PICK 'EM AS WELL AS THE NEXT GALS!

ER... AH... YOU SEEM PRETTY PROUD OF YOURSELF TONIGHT, HAIR!

YES, I WAS JUST ADMIRING THE NEAT FRAME BOUGHT FOR YOUR PICTURE!

2-10

By AL VEEMER

YOU MEAN I'M TO WRITE A NOTE ASSIGNING THE STAGE LINE TO YOU?

YES, THEN WE CUT THE CARDS. IF YOU GET HIGH CARD.

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2-10

HOMER HOOPEE

COME FLEE WITH ME, HUBERT, WHILE YOUR WIFE IS OUT SHOPPING IN THE SUPERMARKET.

BUT THE MAID!

THE MAID—HA-HA! I WILL STEAL HER, TOO—TWICE HER PRESENT WAGES.

HA-HA-HA!

THAT HUSSY!

END OF A TWO AND HOMER IS STILL MISSING!

2-10

By RAND TAYLOR

DAN MEET OUR GENIAL SCIENTIST DR. SMITH.

PARDON OUR LITTLE ACT, MR. FLYNN!

WE HAD A SHOCK COMING AFTER THAT NOTE WE LEFT FOR YOU TO DIG UP!

WE'RE SQUARE NOW! I'M MARK—ABLE—WILL KILL!

WHAT SAY WE SETTLE THIS MEN-TO-MEN?

AGREED 100%! HE WANT TO BE FAR, SO WHAT'S YOUR CASE?

THAT WAS OUR MAP YOU FOUND IN YOUR SIDE!

*FINDERS KEEPERS, LOSERS WEEPERS!

2-10

DICKIE DARE

GLUTZIE'S IN TH' BACK ROOM, SO I MIGHT AS WELL START TH' DAY RIGHT, WITH A YELLOW YUMMIE!

I WONDER WHO'S DOING ALL THAT BELL RINGIN'? IT'S NOISY!

PR-RING!

DROP THAT CARROT! I CAUGHT YOU THIS TIME... HOW LOAFER! DID YOU KNOW I FISHED A ROBBER? CRUNCHIE! YOU WAS IN TH' BACK ROOM!

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2-10

By FRAN MATERA

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WASH TUBBS

MISS CUNYER ISN'T WONT' THINK I'M FRANK IN '3 JUST TRYING TO MAKE A PICK-UP WITH THESE KIDS ALONG! THEY CAN HELP BREAK THE ICE AND I'LL—

AH, HERE COMES THE GIRL I WANT TO BOAT WITH!

BUT—OKAY, UNCLE EASY!

THAT'S THREE TRASH CANS TOMMY'S FELL TODAY, LADY!

MY WORD! CAN'T YOUR FATHER WATCH AFTER YOU BOYS BETTER THAN THAT?

OUR POP? AW, I DUNNO, MOM ALWAYS TELLS US KIDS TO LOOK AFTER HIM!

YES, I CAN SEE WHY.

HOLY SMOKE... NOW SHE'LL THINK I'M A MARRIED MAN WITH A COUPLE O' KIDS!

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By LESLIE TURNER

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Ready For Friday Night Tilt Here



Here they are! The House of David cagers take the floor against Ted Thompson's Terrors in the exhibition of the year, slated at 8 p.m. Friday in the MHS Gym. The bearded boys, left to right, are Bud Scott, "Toss" Heavner, Bobby Roth, Moose Ludka and Frank Mekules.

Citation, Ponder Are Double Threat In San Antonio

ARCADIA, CALIF.—(AP)—The supporting cast remains to be determined when entries are filed, but the dominant role in Saturday's \$50,000 San Antonio Handicap belongs to the feared Calumet Stable and its wonder horse, Citation.

A dozen horses, more or less, are expected to accept the challenge of the San Antonio and its mile and one-eighth test. Holding a pat hand of at least two aces and possibly three will be Warren Wright's Calumet Farm — Citation, Ponder and Zenit.

That's a powerful entry, potentially the strongest ever sent postward in any of Santa Anita's rich history of stakes, but there will be others on deck to contest the Calumets.

There will be Mico, the slight, soft grey from the Argentine, who handed Citation his third defeat in his 31 races late last month. There's Charles S. Howard's expensive buy from the fabulous Aga Khan, Nour, California-bred Solidarity and On Trust, as well as Moonrush, Old Rockport, Mocoop and others.

Sports
Haas, Palmer Top 308-Man Field In Open

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—There was a tight three-stroke spread among 34 sharp-shooters Friday as the \$10,000 Texas Open golf tournament moved into its second 18-hole round.

Out front were Fred Haas, Jr., of New Orleans and Johnny Palmer of Badin, N. C., but they were only one stroke to the good over seven hot pursuers and just two strokes better than 11 more.

Haas and Palmer whipped the bustling Fort Sam Houston course with three-under-par 68 performances Thursday to lead a field of 308 seeking the gold and glory in the twenty-third Texas Open.

They topped 20 par-busters. Fourteen more equaled regulation figures on two courses. Half the field played at Fort Sam Houston's 6,420-yard layout. The others were at Brackenridge Park's 6,400-yard stretch. Brackenridge, like Sam Houston, has a 71 par.

After Friday the low 60 and ties will be sent into the final 36 holes. The next two rounds are scheduled Saturday and Sunday over the Brackenridge course.

A biting wind skidding temperatures had little effect on the record Texas Open field. This time not even the amateurs were daunted. Four simon-pures were among the top 20. Two of them, both from San Antonio, were just a stroke off the pace set by Palmer and Haas. They were Dwight Weir, 17-year-old schoolboy, and Harold B. Ridgley, soldier at Lackland Air Force Base.

Bunched Closely

Tied at 69 with Weir and Ridgley were professionals Al Brosh of Garden City, Long Island, N. Y.; Lew Worsham of Oakmont, Pa.; jaunty Jimmy Demaret of Ojai, Calif.; and J. T. Hammett of Breckenridge, Texas.

At even 70 were Pros Rod Munday of York, Pa.; Toney Penna of Cincinnati; Bob Hamilton of Landover, Md.; Ted Gwin of Tulsa; Cary Middlecott of Ormond Beach, Fla.; George Fazio of Conshohocken, Pa.; Dick Metz of Virginia Beach, Va.; Iverson Martin of Graham, Texas, and Gene Dalbender of Mamaronock, N. Y., and Amateurs L. C. Netherlin, Duck Drake, Copeland, Dusherty, Doug Dyess, Ken Baker, Jim Walker, James Hill, Bill Cook and Jim White.

Bulldogs Go To Lubbock For District 3-AA Game

The Midland Bulldog caged teams travel to Lubbock Friday night for a double-header with the league leading Westerners.

It will be the last meeting of the season for the two teams. Lubbock won the first contest played here.

Coach Jack Mashburn is expected to use the same combinations he used in defeating Odessa's Bronchos Tuesday night.

Reed Gilmore, Ralph Brooks, Buddy Johnson, Ollie Phillips, David Weaver, Norman Drake, Billy Phillips, Harrie Smith and Walter Spiller are slated for duty.

Bauers Gain Palm Beach Semi-Finals

PALM BEACH, FLA.—(AP)—Semi-finals were on the program in the fortieth annual Women's Championship of the Palm Beach golf tournament Friday after a day of upsets.

Mary Agnes Wall of Menominee, Mich., faced Alice Bauer of Midland, Texas, in the upper bracket while Marjorie Lindsay of Decatur, Ill., plays the younger Bauer sister, Marlene, in the other match.

They started 18-hole rounds Friday with the finals, also over the 18-hole route, scheduled Saturday.

Miss Wall upset Defending Champion Peggy Kirk of Findlay, Ohio, 5 and 4 Thursday and set a new record for women with a brilliant 69, three under women's par. Men's par for the Palm Beach Golf Club course is 70.

Claire Doran, Cleveland, Ohio, scored an upset in the morning round when she eliminated Polly Riley of Fort Worth 3 and 2.

After her sparkling morning round, Miss Doran went down before 15-year-old Marlene Bauer 4 and 3.

Alice Bauer, 22, defeated Carol Dinger, Tiffin, Ohio, one up in the afternoon round after eliminating Helen Hampton, Chattanooga, Tenn., 4 and 3 earlier in the day.

Marlene Bauer ousted Betty Dodd, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, 5 and 4, while Miss Kirk had reached the quarter-finals by winning from Edean Anderson, Helena, Mont., 4 and 2.

Miss Wall advanced with a 2 and 1 triumph over Betty Mackinnon of Mount Pleasant, Texas, and Miss Lindsay defeated Mrs. James D. Platt, Jr., Miami, 5 and 4.

SPORTS SLANTS

by SHORTY SHELburne

Sam Harshaney, former manager of the San Angelo Colts, was named manager of the Harlingen Capitols of the Lower Rio Grande Valley League.

Sam Long, a figure in the Longhorn League at Del Rio and San Angelo, immediately announced Spring training for March 12.

His background in baseball runs all the way down from the St. Louis Browns to San Antonio, Austin, San Angelo and Del Rio.

—SS—

When the Midland Bulldogs defeated the Odessa Bronchos here Tuesday night, it knocked the Red Hoes right out of the District 3-AA race.

—SS—

The Odessans had a record of three wins and two defeats previous to that. They still had a chance to tie for the district crown.

But not any more. That left-handed push shot Bones Johnson poured through the hoop blasted all hopes.

—SS—

The conference race presently is in a middle with Lubbock and Lamesa tied for the top spot.

Lamesa whipped the Westerners Tuesday night to move into a tie. Each has won five and lost two.

Odessa rides in third place. Brownfield has a record of two wins and four defeats, which is good for fourth.

Midland is at the bottom of the standings with a single win and five defeats.

But, brother, what a win that was!

—SS—

It won't be long until every scribe in the district will be picking an all-conference cage team. We can pick ours right now.

Wallace McNeil of Lamesa and Jimmy Sexton of Lubbock at forwards, Walter Norton of Lubbock at center, and Reed Gilmore of Midland and Bob Hooper of Odessa at guards.

Gilmore demonstrated his right to an all-conference berth Tuesday night. He blitzed the Odessa Bronchos all the way.

—SS—

HALF SLANTS—According to reports the Kentucky Derby longer will be the richest horse race. The Santa Anita Maturity is certain to rank tops by 1951. Gross value will reach \$200,000 or more. A record crop of foals has been reported for 1949 with a total of 8482 having been registered. The New York Bulldogs apparently will rely on Coach Red Strader's ability to ferret out great football players. They traded away their first and third draft choices. When Strader was with the Yankees he proved his ability. He took a fellow nobody wanted much and by the end of the 1949 season that player, Arnie Weinberger, polled more votes than any other lineman. The Lamesa Lobos will open Spring training at home March 25. Jay Haney has signed to manage the WT-NM entry again. Henry Armstrong, former Alice line coach, has been named assistant to Pete Sikes at San Angelo. Andrew J. Earls, the bubble gum king, may back another franchise in the Class C Rio Grande League. He had McAllen for a while last season but pulled out. Don Herman, son of the east Babe, will be a first base candidate at Southern Cal this season. Leland Huffman has run his scoring in six City League games to a total of 94. That's an average of 15.6 points per game.

Bearded Davids Meet Teds Here

The House of David, studded with real basketball stars, makes its annual appearance here Friday night against Ted Thompson's Terrors of the VFW City League.

The tilt is slated for 8 p.m. and indications are it will be the best of the season.

The fun loving Davids, known all over the world for their tricks and antics on the hardwood, are more colorful than ever this season.

The whiskered boys have a new trick at every dribble. Bobby Roth, the greatest point-maker of the era, leads the comedy show.

He gets help from Frank Mekules who is one of the highest scorers of all time.

Ludka Is Back

Long Moose Ludka, seven feet, three inches of human flesh, jumps center for the Hirsute casters. He is big all over, tipping the scales at 265 and wearing a size 15 shoe.

"Toss" Heavner, rollicking laugh-producer, makes the opposition take notice with his control of the backboards.

Bud Scott is opposite the famous Roth at a forward position. He is a one-handed push shot artist.

The appearance here is sponsored by the public schools and proceeds will be used to purchase a public address system.

Ted Thompson's roster includes L. C. Netherlin, Duck Drake, Copeland, Dusherty, Doug Dyess, Ken Baker, Jim Walker, James Hill, Bill Cook and Jim White.

Arizona Cage Team Has Inside Track To NCAA Tourney Bid

HOUSTON—(AP)—The Houston Post says the University of Arizona may get the bid to the Southwest NCAA Regional Basketball Tournament without a sectional playoff.

The newspaper Thursday night quoted Jack Gray, University of Texas basketball coach and chairman of the Southwest NCAA Basketball Selection Committee, as saying he personally favors Arizona.

Gray had been asked about the chances of the University of Houston, new champions of the Gulf Coast Conference, qualifying for an NCAA playoff.

Harry Pouike, University of Houston athletic director, earlier Thursday had said he would try to have the Houston school considered by NCAA officials.

Houston's record so far is 14 victories and six defeats.

Gray was quoted by the Post as saying "It would be difficult for the University of Houston to participate in the NCAA eliminations this year."

He gave these reasons: 1. Houston lost earlier this season to the University of Texas, a team Gray termed one of the weaker teams in the Southwest Conference. 2. There likely won't be a playoff anyway because Arizona, with a 18-2 record, looks like the top team in the area.

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Calumet Entries Face Showdown At Hialeah Saturday

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—Can Calumet Farm's Coalton carry 132 pounds and whip a class field at a mile and a half when a tune-up race after a three months layoff?

That question will be answered Saturday in the \$25,000 added McLennan Handicap at Hialeah Park.

Calumet Trainer Ben Jones announced Coalton definitely will go, and so will his aging stablemate, Armed, now nine years old.

Handicappers have established Warren Wright's entry as a 1-to-2 favorite despite such competition as Mrs. E. L. Hopkins' Three Rings, Mrs. E. D. Weir's Royal Governor, Mrs. Tilyou Christopher's Renown II, Arnold Hanger's Balan and John Marsch's Ol' Skipper.

HARDWICKE SHOOTS 78 IN TEXAS OPEN GOLF TOURNEY

J. C. Hardwicke, Midland Country Club pro, fired a 39-39 in the opening round of the Texas Open Golf Tournament Thursday.

The score of 78 left the Midlander far back in the field of more than 300 top notch golfers.

Stanton To Battle Forsan In Tourney

STANTON—The Stanton Buffaloes will meet the Forsan Buffaloes in the opening round of the District 23-B Basketball Tournament which opened Friday in Forsan. The tilt is set for 8 p.m.

Coach Leo Fields and his talented Buffs are favored to cop the district title.

Stanton's probable starting lineup will be Leroy Gibson, Kenneth Henson, Bobby McClain, James Tunnell and Gerald Cook.

Baylor Slates Split Spring Grid Training

WACO—(AP)—Baylor University's Spring football training will be split into two periods, new Coach George Sauer has announced.

The first period will be from February 17 through February 25. The gridlers will take time out for final examinations, report back March 5 and drill until March 25.

Sauer said he hoped to have an announcement regarding his assistants this weekend.

Gunpowder is a mixture of saltpetre, sulphur and charcoal.

Crane News

CRANE—The Men's Downtown Bible Class, after a record attendance of 44 last week has set its goal at 55 this Sunday. At services last Sunday, music was presented by Jackie Lou Mackey, Lila Kinsey and Katherine Smith. Hayden Wilmoth presided, and Superintendent L. L. Martin is teacher. Members of the class have extended invitations to new men in town, as well as men who have not been attending regularly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughkins, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hughkins, Jr., attended a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Oliver in Monahan, honoring Hughkins, Sr., and Mrs. Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Renshaw and son, Benny, spent a recent weekend visiting Mrs. Addie Bell and Mrs. J. H. Barnett. Mrs. Bell and Mrs. Barnett are grandmother and great-grandmother of three-week-old Benny.

The Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Dunn and daughter, Judy, left recently for Coleman. Dunn attended a Fellowship meeting in San Angelo Tuesday night and was to return with his family Wednesday.

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Dempsey-Firpo Brawl Is Voted Top Sports Drama

NEW YORK—(AP)—For throbbing sports drama, the primitive Dempsey-Firpo brawl of Sept. 14, 1923, ranked tops in The Associated Press' mid-century poll.

Almost 27 years later, the events of that savage first round still pack the raw drama of a life-or-death struggle between two jungle beasts.

When Luis Angel Firpo rose from his seventh knockdown to bull Dempsey across the ring and knock the press section, he touched off an argument that may simmer for another 50 years.

Did Firpo, the huge "Wild Bull of the Pampa," actually win the title that wild night at the Polo Grounds?

The record books say "No." Many ringsiders say "Yes." They insist Dempsey never would have "climbed" back into the ring if friendly boxing writers hadn't helped.

Here's what Dempsey said recently when interviewed after he was named the best fighter of the last 40 years.

"I didn't even know he had knocked me out of the ring until I came to on my stool between rounds," said Jack. "I thought I had been knocked out."

Dempsey wasted no time in the second.

He floored Firpo for a five-count and then stretched him out with a left to the head followed by a chilling right to the chin.

Here is the vote:

1. Dempsey-Firpo fight, 1923, 70 votes.
2. Babe Ruth "calling" series homer, 1932, 66 votes.
3. Dempsey-Tunney "long count" fight, 1927, 43 votes.
4. Lou Gehrig's farewell appearance, 1939, 23 votes.
5. Grover Alexander's strikeout of Tony Lazzeri in series, 1926, 21 votes.
6. Notre Dame's win over Ohio State, 1935, 17 votes.
7. Red Grange's feats against Michigan, 1925, 13 votes.
8. Ruth's farewell, 1948, 13 votes.
9. Floyd Bevens' near-no hitter in series, 1947, 12 votes.
10. Joe Louis' knockout of Max Baer, 1937, 12 votes.

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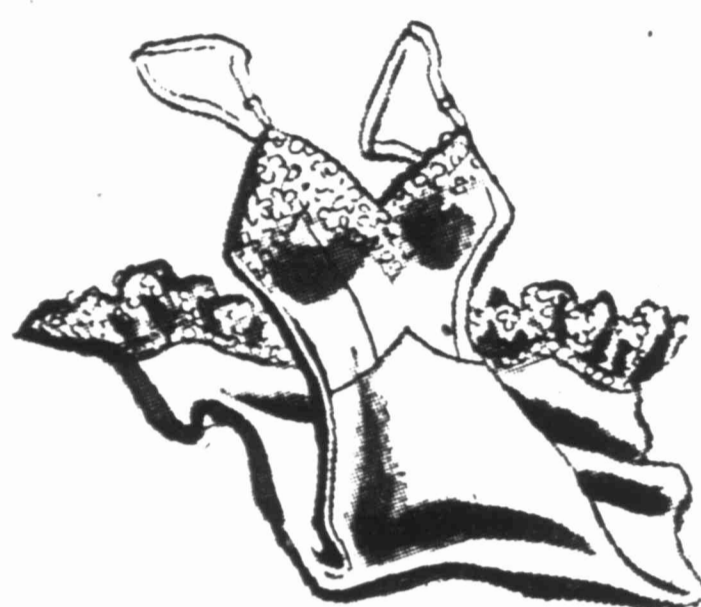
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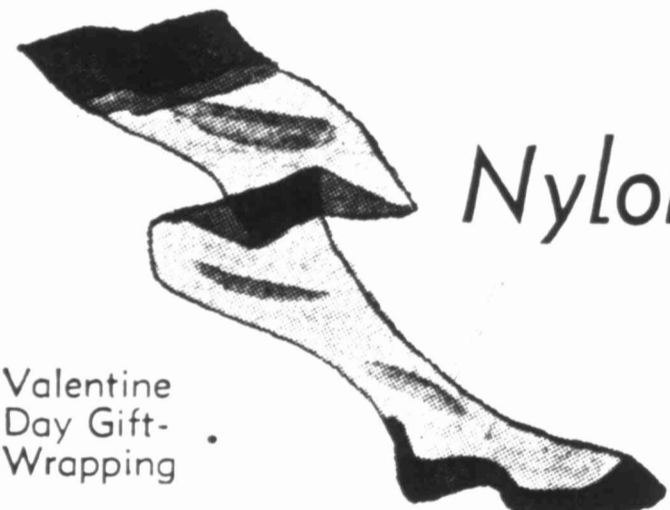


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Best Climate For Sinus Sufferers Determined By Trial And Error

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

Trouble with the sinuses is a miserable thing and many people try all kinds of ways to treat it or escape from it. Recently I have had a number of questions asking what climate is best for a patient with sinus.

Q—In your article on sinusitis you mentioned parts of Florida and Southern California as being good for a patient. What parts of these states did you mean?

A—Apparently there is no one part of Florida or Southern California, or anywhere else, that is good for all patients with sinus difficulty. Some people do better at sea level with a good deal of moisture. Others do best above sea level but away from the coast. Still

others improve most inland in a dry climate such as Arizona or New Mexico.

There is no way of telling in advance which of these climates, if any—and please remember the "if any"—will be good for the sinus sufferer. The only suggestion which seems to stand up is that a person who is seeking a climatic relief for sinusitis try one climate for several months; if this does not work some other can be tried also for a period of several months. This is a difficult and expensive system without any guaranteed success, but it is the only thing which one honestly can say about climate and sinusitis at the present time.

Q—I have read articles about the value of ozone inhalations for sinus trouble. What is your opinion in this matter?

A—Ozone treatments had quite a vogue 30 or 35 years ago. They were studied carefully at that time and it was concluded that there was no scientific reason for believing that they were of any value to sinus sufferers or for anything else.

Q—Is it true that a tablespoon or two of pure olive oil would make a good substitute for meat?

A—It is not true. Olive oil is principally fat and meat contains mostly protein. Not only does the thought of eating olive oil in place of a steak make me slightly sick, but it also is not a good substitute from a dietary standpoint.

Q—Would you recommend taking raw yeast to relieve a vitamin B-1 deficiency?

A—If you have vitamin B-1 deficiency and are sure of it, the answer is yes. But how do you know?

When the basal metabolism is minus 24 what symptoms would be apparent?

A—There probably would be no symptoms at all. Sometimes people with a metabolism at this level show easy fatigability, slight anemia, and a slow pulse. If activity of the thyroid gland is completely absent, the basal metabolism is likely to be minus 30 or lower and in this condition other symptoms, such as loss of hair and thickening of the skin, can occur.

Q—I have asthma. Can you recommend a remedy and also how to relieve my hard breathing?

A—I do not recommend remedies or treatments for particular diseases, or suggest possible methods of relief. For individual problems of this kind the only safe procedure is to be thoroughly examined by a physician, and to follow his advice regarding drugs and other forms of management.

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Here's Where Your Taxes Go



Here's how the government's plan to give away \$116,000,000-worth of surplus milk and eggs, bought at support prices, looks to one artist.

Unabashed Blonde Admits Deep-Vees Are Drafty, But Still She Likes 'Em

HOLLYWOOD —(AP)—If low-cut gowns need support, you can count on Marie Wilson. She's all for 'em.

"You might call me a pioneer," remarked the unabashed blonde from Anaheim, "I started wearing low-cut gowns years ago, before they became the rage of Paris.

"They're a little drafty, but I like them. And I think the men do too. They're the ones we dress to please."

Marie's main trouble is with corsos. This pains her deeply.

She reports her latest tussle. In "My Friend Irma Goes West," she

wears a deep-cut gown. The censor wants her to add a lace dicky. She's also supposed to wear a bathing suit. Not a French bathing suit, but a real honest-to-goodness American one. But for Marie, the censor wants some lace added to the top of the suit.

"My goodness," she remarked, "how can you add anything to a standard bathing suit? It should cover the whole situation.

"I don't want to star in French postcards or anything like that," she added. "I just want to add a little life to the American postcards."

Census-Taking Force Numbers 125 Persons

A force of approximately 125 persons will be employed to take the seventeenth decennial census in this census district, according to District Supervisor George J. Kesler for the United States Bureau of the Census at Odessa. This force will be responsible for taking the 1950 Census in April in Brewster, Crane, Crockett, Ector, Glasscock, Loving, Midland, Pecos, Reagan, Terrell, Upton, Ward and Winkler Counties.

The largest segment of employees for the census in the district consists of the enumerators, of whom there will be 105. These enumerators will make the house to house calls in the work of collecting official Census information regarding the population and housing in urban areas, and additionally, agricultural activities in the rural areas. Their work in the field will be supervised and checked by a force of 10 crew leaders.

At the Census District Office headquarters, 10 persons will compose the staff to edit the enumerators' reports, make preliminary tabulations, and perform other office work in connection with the Census.

Provisional results of the population count will be announced by Kesler when the district office staff has completed the preliminary tabulations.

Midlanders Attend District PMA Meet

Five representatives of the Midland County Production and Marketing Administration attended a district PMA meeting Thursday in Big Spring.

Attending from Midland were Charles Champion, W. E. Pigg, Terry Elkin, Joe Davenport and Juanita Anderson.

Instructions on the soil practices program were detailed at the meeting.

Livestock

PORT WORTH —(AP)—Cattle 50; calves 25; steady; butcher yearlings 17.00-17.00; feeders 17.00-24.00; beef cows 15.50-17.00; canners and cutters 11.00-15.50; bulls 15.00-19.00; common to good calves 17.00-24.00.

Hogs 400; steady; good and choice 19.00-29.00; barrows and gilts 16.75-17.00; good and choice 15.00-18.00 lb. and 280-375 lb. 14.50-16.50; sows 13.00-14.00; feeder pigs 11.00-14.00; common butcher pigs 8.00-11.00.

Sheep 300; slaughter lambs steady; two decks good and choice 95 lb. lambs carrying No. 3 pelts 23.50.

Mayer's Electrical Bid Only \$18,859

The bid of Mayer Electrical Electric Company of Midland for electrical work of the new school buildings here, as carried in a news story Thursday, should have read \$18,859.

The story incorrectly gave the bid as \$28,859.

C-54 Transport Crash Kills Three Crewmen

GREAT FALLS, MONT.—(AP)—An A-1 Force C-54 transport plane from a Great Falls Air Base crashed into a mountain about 40 miles southeast of here Thursday night, killing its three crewmen.

Lt. Birney Burke, base information officer, said the names of the victims would be released Friday afternoon.

Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)—Friday noon cotton prices were 15 cents a bale higher to five cents lower than the previous close. March 31.71, May 31.71 and July 31.28.

TO MINERAL WELLS

Mr. and Mrs. T. Elmer Bizzell will leave Saturday for Mineral Wells, where they will enter a hospital for physical checkups.

ENROLLMENT UP

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Steel To Girlies—

Business Morals, Like Manners, Are Subject To Change

By SAM DAWSON

NEW YORK—(AP)—Word Friday that congressmen may renew an inquiry into "concentration of economic power," all along the line from steel to girlie-girlie shows, startles many businessmen a little.

The charge against some industries and a Broadway theater chain, it appears to them, is aimed more against bigness in itself, which needn't be harmful, than against monopoly, which many regard as even more significant, it brings into focus changing times, changing ideas.

Business morals, like social manners, are transformed over the years. Some corporations with a venerable history get a little red-faced when their practices of 50 or 100 years ago are discussed. Firms, in that area of dog-eat-dog, did things which junior executives today wouldn't consider cricket—and besides they aren't legal any more.

But they were legal then, and considered ethical, too. And some industrial leaders say business should stop being defensive about its past and pay more attention to selling its future to the American public.

Another item in the day's news points up this newer attitude by some business leaders. The American Brass Association, formed in 1850, long has been castigated by some as the grand-daddy of the trusts of the last century. But the Bristol, Mass. corporation, formed in the same year and an early and wholehearted member of that now-defunct association, is celebrating its 100th birthday with the boast that, unlike most companies, it has kept its complete records intact over the century.

"Much of New England's industrial history has been lost," says a spokesman for Bristol, "because modern examination has revealed business transactions which would not be tolerated today. Executives, fearful that such history might come to light, have ordered old books destroyed.

"But what would be considered dubious methods at the present time were good business ethics in the latter half of the Nineteenth Century. It is quite possible that a century hence some of our present day business procedure may be looked upon with disapproval."

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Kerr To Speak At Alpine Ceremonies

ALPINE —(AP)—Ground-breaking ceremonies will be held February 23 for construction of three new buildings at Sul Ross State College.

The three buildings, already under construction, are a Fine Arts Building, a girls' dormitory and a dining hall. They will cost almost \$800,000.

President R. M. Hawkins will sink the first spade. Judge William L. Kerr of Midland, representing the Board of Regents, and Bill Warner, contractor from San Angelo, will speak.

Snyder Expands Telephone Service

SNYDER — In this city's telephone expansion program, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company is adding eight new long distance boards, and three local or combination local and toll call boards, according to R. E. Peterson of Sweetwater, district manager.

Peterson says Snyder's tremendous load on long distance lines has been considerably relieved by addition of two more circuits to Lubbock, one each to Midland, Dallas, Abilene and Odessa, and two circuits to Fort Worth.

It is understood more circuits are due to go into service soon.

Two Scouts Honored With Court Awards

Two Midland Boy Scouts were given special awards at a Court of Honor held in the Midland County Courthouse Thursday night.

Bill Aldrich was awarded three merit badges for automobile, athletics and photography. He also was presented a Life Scout award.

Tom Vannaman was presented a merit badge denoting outstanding dog care service.

A Court of Honor, composed of Jack Huff, Hastings, Pannill, Perry Pickett, William Pennybaker and Kenneth G. Miller, was presided over by the court's chairman, Col. John Perkins. Pannill made the merit badge awards. Pickett presented the Life Scout award.

Bold Gunmen Get \$98 At Odessa

ODESSA — Two gunmen pulled a stickup in Odessa and escaped while two policemen were less than a half block away.

The daring men held up the desk clerk at the Lynn Motor Inn, located on West Second Street, shortly before midnight Wednesday and got away with about \$98 in cash.

A lone gunman walked into the office. The other man waited outside the Motor Inn. Held up by the night clerk, W. E. Currie, six-five dollars of the money taken in the holdup belonged to Currie, who said the robber, after taking the money, made him lie down on the floor.

The two policemen near the scene were busy writing a traffic ticket to a speeding motorist.

Midland Banks Will Be Closed Monday

Midland's two banks, The First National and The Midland National, will be closed Monday in observance of Lincoln's birthday, which this year falls on Sunday, officials announced Friday.

Several officers of the two banks plan to attend a state banker's meeting in Dallas Monday.

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Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Uermohle, Jr., on the birth Thursday of a son, Charles James, weighing five pounds and seven ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Maddox on the birth Wednesday of a son, not yet named, weighing six pounds and four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Atchison, on the birth Wednesday of a daughter, not yet named, weighing eight pounds and two ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Long on the birth Tuesday of a son, John Pierre, weighing five pounds and five ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. LaFoy on the birth Friday of a son, Jimmy Wade, weighing six pounds and four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen on the birth Thursday of a daughter, Linda Sue, weighing seven pounds four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Ware on the birth Friday of a daughter, Rhonda Fay, weighing six pounds, 12 ounces.

Stanton News

STANTON—Mrs. R. A. Bennett and Mrs. Walter Henson have returned from a two-week trip to Weslaco, Corpus Christi and other points in the Rio Grande Valley in Weslaco, they visited Mrs. Henson's son, Buck Henson. Mrs. Penny Stroud, who also was visiting in South Texas, accompanied them back to Stanton.

Mrs. Nobby Hamilton and Lela were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Wayne Davis in Tulsa recently.

The Stanton High School Junior Class play, "The Absent-Minded Professor," will be presented at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium March 3. The cast for the play almost is complete and practice will begin immediately. Members of the Junior Class who have been designated parts in the play include: James McCoy, Terrell Pinkston, Guy Elland, Sadler Bridges, Bobby Lindley, Bob Barne, Madeline Graves, Donnie Rae Keele, Patsy Reed, Jimmie Ashley, Jo Ann Polk, and Ermine Haynie. The play is under the direction of the class sponsor, A. Ellmore Johnson.

HIT-RUN REPORTED

A Midland resident Thursday reported to police his automobile had been struck by a hit and run driver. He said considerable damage was done.

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