

Officers For VFW Auxiliary Are Elected

Lola Carter was elected president of the VFW Auxiliary in a meeting in the VFW Hall Thursday night. Other officers elected were Margaret Martin and Frances Bird, vice presidents; June Taunton, treasurer; Phyllis Bennett, chaplain; Margaret Yokum, conductress; Cecilia Taylor, guard, and Eric Cecil, trustee.

Mrs. Payne Is Guest Speaker On Lilies For Tejas Members

Two guest speakers took part on the Tejas Garden Club program Thursday morning, when members met in the home of Mrs. Wallace Ford.

Director-Comedian Seen In 'Snow White'

One of the comedians in the musical play, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," which will be presented here Monday, is Hill Belmont.

Coming Events

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

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Yucca Club Hears Mrs. Schabarum Tell Of Growing Mums

"The 'Hows' and 'Whens' of Mums" was the subject of a talk given by Mrs. B. R. Schabarum at a meeting of the Yucca Garden Club Thursday in the home of Mrs. J. S. Braun.

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NOTICE
Beginning Monday Large Steer-Tender & Juicy Barbecued Chicken

Jack And Jill Show Ticket Reports Due
Members of the St. Ann's Mothers' Club who have tickets to sell for the Jack and Jill Show of March 24 are reminded that they are to report Friday to the ticket chairman, Mrs. Hugh Munn.

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Making And Wearing Of Corsages Is Topic For Midland Club

Flower fashions suited to the occasion, the type of costume worn and the skin tones of the wearer were discussed for the Midland Garden Club Thursday morning by a guest, Mrs. E. F. Fenstermaker.

New Sponsor, Officer Named In Nu Phi Mu

A program on "The World of Books" was presented to the Nu Phi Mu Sorority by Helen White in her home Thursday night.

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The new building is located at the corner of North A and Tennessee Streets.

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Youth Center Plans Semi-Formal Dance For Saturday Night

The Midland Youth Center will have a semi-formal dance in the center from 8 p.m. till midnight Saturday night.

Easter Seal Drive Makes Good Start

Contributions by clubs and church organizations in Midland are being received with donations from individuals as the first week of the annual Easter seal sale to aid crippled children draws to a close.

Bride-Elect Is Complimented

A luncheon in the Midland Officers Club Thursday noon continued the series of parties for small groups of friends being given to compliment Joan Steinberger before her early wedding to David H. Donaldson of Odessa.

Little Diggers Club Has Program On Seed
Bradley Wood was in charge of the program on "Seeds" for the Little Diggers Club at the home of Mrs. Frank Stubbeman Thursday.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE SLATED HERE
A free lecture on Christian Science will be given in the Midland High School Auditorium at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

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And to a voice from heaven, saying, This is my beloved Son, in whom I am well pleased.—Matthew 3:17.

Red Torture System

Michael Shipkov, Bulgarian employe of the American legation in Sofia, Bulgaria, is a hero. Almost certainly at the risk of his life, he told the true story of a Communist-manufactured "confession" of spy guilt.

Shipkov was a translator who had routine, non-confidential duties at the legation. By no stretch of the imagination could he be labeled an American spy.

For 32 hours he was subjected to mental harassment and subtle physical torture that broke him down completely and led him to make a full "confession" satisfactory to the police.

At this point Shipkov shattered the usual pattern by ignoring the Bulgarians' orders and instead dictating a full statement of their "confession" procedure to the American authorities.

U. S. officials tried in vain to get Shipkov out of the country. Finally, he resignedly left the protection of the legation and promptly was re-arrested by the police.

Shipkov's statement is long and rambling, but a few striking things stand out. Though he was slapped and struck in the back of the neck, he never was tortured severely.

This delicate little stunt wasn't wearing at all in the beginning. But eventually Shipkov's fingers grew red and were bent under the strain.

After a time he broke down and said he would tell the police all they wanted. But here came a big surprise. It wasn't enough to tell the truth—for the real truth wasn't damaging to him.

Shipkov got the idea his questioners actually were less interested in what he said, however, than in thoroughly crushing his moral and mental structure.

It is a deep tribute to Shipkov's basic character and moral strength that he was able to refit the pieces of his personality long enough to tell this story to the free world.

Let's not forget the heroic service of this man who spoke out for truth and freedom in the face of sure reprisal.

Splitting A Hair

In the old days even fairly modest homes often had the proportions of a castle. The rooms were wide and deep and the ceilings were high.

Still, until the Supreme Court spoke the other day, a man could continue to think of his place as his castle. But the court changed that.

The Constitution protects him against "unreasonable searches and seizures," but the court majority says a search linked to a lawful arrest is reasonable.

Maybe there is some precedent. But we tend to side with the three-man minority conclusion that this decision does violence to the Constitution.

A bald man with wire-like whiskers can't see anything so very wonderful about nature.

A teachers' convention in Cleveland was thoroughly enjoyed by thousands of pupils who had a day off.

If anyone has any 1949 resolutions that haven't been broken, there are only a few weeks left.

Now, all but the people who read them will completely agree with the All-American football choices.

'Free Confessions' Behind The Iron Curtain...



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Drew Pearson says: Truman advisers hold mixed feelings over new peace overture to Russia; President is restless for peace conference; State Department objects to Truman's inconsistency.

WASHINGTON — For some time there has been a running, private debate between the White House and the State Department over the all-important question of whether the United States should make a new, dramatic peace overture to Russia.

This dates back even to the days when Gen. George Marshall was secretary of state. Recently, however, with the advent of the hydrogen bomb and Winston Churchill's demand for a meeting with Stalin, the debate has become more acute.

President Truman long has felt and expressed himself in private that if he could get down with Stalin, he could talk to him in the world's parlors. Yet he can't help being irked at Stalin for being aloof, and for ignoring repeated hints that he, Truman, would be glad to talk to him if he came to the United States.

Overriding this, however, is Truman's mystic sense of his own destiny as a peacemaker. To old friends and members of his staff he speaks of this again and again.

Later he worked out with his intimate adviser, David Noyes, and Chief Justice Fred Vinson the idea of sending the chief justice to Moscow for a talk with Stalin.

In the last few weeks, the president's restlessness for a peace conference has been evident again. A shrewd diviner of public opinion, Truman understands the American public's desire for one more talk with Russia before going full tilt into a hydrogen arms race.

Yet many of his advisers were disappointed when he rushed out an abrupt press release telling the world that the United States would make the hydrogen bomb. They felt that he missed a great opportunity for a world-wide radio broadcast reviewing this country's many, many moves for peace.

The State Department also was upset when Truman hurriedly granted an interview with New York Times correspondent, Arthur Krook, after Krook shrewdly cornered him at a dinner party given by Senator Brien McMahon of Connecticut.

While the State Department isn't going to admit this publicly, what it objects to in regard to current White House peace thinking are two things:

1. The jerky unexpectedness of Truman's ideas. There is no continuity. The President can be bawling out Stalin one day, as he did to the amazement of Winston Churchill and Jimmie Byrnes at the Potsdam Conference.

McKenney on Bridge

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

To New Yorkers, the Vanderbilt Cup Tournament for the national knockout team - of four championship is the most important team-of-four event of the year.

Bridge hand diagram showing cards for Schenken, AQ6, A108, AJ5, A54, and other players.

Schenken, Samuel stayman and George Rapee of New York, John R. Crawford and Sidney Slodoff of Philadelphia.

The end play employed by the declarer to make the contract of six trump on today's hand was important because it was one of the big swing hands of the tournament.

Schenken (North) took inventory before playing to the first trick. He could count five spade tricks, possibly four heart tricks, one diamond and one club.

Declarer then led the club which East was forced to win with the ten, and he then had to lead from his king-jack diamonds into North's ace-jack.

Carnival To Observe 'Youngster Night' 'Youngster Night' will be observed Friday at Harry Craig's Heart-Of-Texas Shows, playing on the State Fair grounds.

Winston Churchill was born Nov. 30, 1874, in Blenheim Palace, the seat of the Duke of Marlborough, in Oxfordshire.

FINGERPRINTS Don't Lie

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THE STORY: Martin Queripel, the private detective, has agreed to investigate the slaying of William Palmer, wealthy Los Angeles man, for whose murder Palmer's daughter's fiancé, the sculptor Paul Moody, is charged.

IT touched rather than amused Martin Queripel to see that, even in this hour of misery, Azalea Palmer was human woman enough to set about repairing her make-up which had been half obliterated by her storm of tears.

He felt like a young Knight of King Arthur's Round Table to whom some beautiful girl has appealed to help her through a dark forest peopled by black ogres.

LATER, he would be almost tempted to wish that Paul Moody might be found guilty and removed from competition, so that he himself might console his lovely client.

Harley Kenyon's rugged and irregular features and forthright expression revealed to Azalea qualities of courage and strength and masculinity that no Greek god, perfect soever in beauty, could have expressed.

The man and the woman studied each the other as strangers, their pasts as unknown as their futures. Kenyon did not even know Azalea's name, though he had seen her pictures in the papers.

WASHINGTON COLUMN

McCarthy May Have Bitten Off More Than He Can Chew

By PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Present indications are that Wisconsin Republican Senator Joseph R. McCarthy is about to have a rug jerked out from under him.

Senator McCarthy may, of course, have a few unrevealed tricks in his hand. If Hickenlooper up with some new case histories, this story may have a different ending.

There are really only 80 cases, since Senator McCarthy used one case twice—his Nos. 9 and 77 being the same individual—David Demarest Ladd. All 80 cases are from the 108 cases investigated by Rep. Karl Stefan, Nebraska Republican, in 1948.

Communist in the State Department. I think without any trouble at all, with sufficient investigation, we can find the 205 for the senator.

Questions and Answers Q—How many Rocky Mountain goats are left? A—It is estimated that there are 14,000 Rocky Mountain goats in the Continental United States.

Q—Can mineral deposits in the Antarctic be detected from the air? A—Scientists are now locating ore deposits by aerial photography.

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DADDY RINGTAIL

Daddy Ringtail And Weatherman's Dept.

The Rainmaker's department is to make the rain rain from the sky. The Weatherman's department is to say what the weather is going to do. Oh, but sometimes they get their departments all mixed up. Trouble, trouble, trouble. Daddy Ringtail slid down to the ground in a hurry. He asked what

the trouble was about. Said the Rainmaker: "I can tell whether the weather—and whether the rain is going to fall up or down!" Said the Weatherman: "Can't either! That's my department."

"Well now," said Daddy Ringtail. "I do know that the Rainmaker can make the rain rain from the sky. I've seen him do it."

And the Rainmaker said: "Een teen, leather feather drip!" Those were his magic words to make the rain fall up, up where you can't see it. The thunder thundered when the Rainmaker said the magic words, and the rain fell up where no one could see it. "Yes,"

said the Rainmaker, "and I say the rain will never fall down—not today."

"Oh yes it will!" shouted the Weatherman. "It's my department to say what the rain is going to do. Rainmaker, it's your department to make the rain do its raining up or down."

And I don't know how it happened—but something happened to make the rain start falling down. Maybe the Rainmaker forgot and said the magic words that made the rain rain down, or maybe he didn't, but falling down is what the rain did.

And so the Weatherman was right. Saying what the rain was going to do was his department, and he knew more about his department than anybody else—even the Rainmaker. And after that, I can tell you, the Rainmaker stuck to the business of making the rain fall up or down—and not saying which way the rain was going to fall.

And I guess the thing to remember is: each of us can do our best at doing the things in our own department. It's a happy thing to remember, while you let other people look after their business, and you are happy with yours. Happy day! Happy birthday today, too, to all the Campfire Girls. (Copyright 1950, General Features Corp.)



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11:00 a.m.: Worship service. This service will be the first in the revival services to be held for eight days. The evangelist, Luther G. Roberts, minister of Church of Christ in Clovis, N. M., will be the speaker.
6:30 p.m.: Youth Training.
7:30 p.m.: Evening service with the sermon by the evangelist.
Tuesday
10:15 a.m.: Radio program over KCRS.
Wednesday
3:30 p.m.: Ladies' Bible Class.
Thursday
10:15 a.m.: Radio program over KCRS.

Crane News

CRANE—John Bindman, chairman of the Red Cross drive in Crane, reported that one-third of the goal had been reached. More than \$500 has been turned in by six of the 17 field workers. The quota for Crane is \$1,375. Services were held March 12 for Diane Elaine Wofford, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wofford, Jr., who died in Crane Memorial hospital. The Rev. H. D. Christian conducted services. Funeral services were held March 13 for Mrs. Nettie May Shingleton, who died March 8 at the home of her son, Warney Shingleton in Fremont, Tex. Mrs. Shingleton formerly resided in Crane. Services were held in the First Baptist Church here, with the Rev. H. D. Christian, pastor, and the Rev. J. F. Kendrick, pastor of the First Christian Church, officiating. Out of Hospital
Mrs. Emma Owen has been dismissed from a San Angelo hospital, and is recuperating in the home of her daughter, Mrs. K. J. Harrod, in the Gulf Sandhills Camp. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Crane and their daughter, Linda, were guests last weekend of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Carroll. Crane is a former Crane school teacher, and now is superintendent of schools in Blanket, Tex. Mrs. John E. Clark and son, John,

made a business trip to San Angelo Saturday.
The Crane American Legion Post was scheduled to celebrate the Legion's forty-first birthday Thursday night with a covered dish supper in the Legion Hall.
Joe and Jack Boyd were called to Lubbock by the serious illness of their father, F. L. Boyd.
D. B. Taylor, of the school division of the State Health Department, spoke at a recent meeting of the elementary Parent-Teacher Association. Taylor was in Crane to speak before a teachers' group, but agreed to include the parents in his talk, said Virgil Keys, principal.
Mrs. S. S. Bangman, president, called the meeting to order.
Taylor spoke on the plan for a health program recently begun in Crane schools.
Dental checks of school students had been completed, according to Dr. Gordon Smith. He reported a good response from reports given by teachers.
Hearing defects of students are to be checked with the use of an audiometer, according to Keys. Together with Mrs. Ethel Owens, school nurse, Keys attended a meeting in McCamey and heard detailed explanation of the operation of the machine from a manufacturer's representative. The machine has been purchased by Crane schools, and promises to be of great benefit in locating and aiding in treatment of students with a noticeable loss of hearing. Keys said.

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