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WEATHER

Partly cloudy with a few scattered afternoon and evening showers Sunday and Monday. Not so warm in South Plains Monday. Maximum temperature Saturday 93 degrees, minimum 73 degrees.

Ken Regan Beats Paul Moss In Runoff

Ramsey In; White Holds Slim Margin

Ben Ramsey, lanky East Texas lawyer, was elected lieutenant governor in Saturday's second Democratic primary. But a close—and surprising—battle shaped up for agriculture commissioner. John C. White, 25-year-old political newcomer from Wichita Falls, was leading J. E. McDonald, 69-year-old incumbent seeking his eleventh consecutive term. Texas Election Bureau returns showed White's margin was narrow—but that the six-foot redhead was "in" unless there was a sharp reversal in scattered returns still uncounted. The bureau's 1 a. m. Sunday report, final tabulation for the night, gave White a lead of only 7,897. Percentage-wise, White's lead was



BEN RAMSEY
Named Lieutenant Governor



JOHN C. WHITE
Leads J. E. McDonald

Reds Capture Kigye In East Coastal Sector

TOKYO—(P)—North Korean Reds captured Kigye Saturday night in a strong thrust and forced South Koreans to withdraw two miles or more on the northeast end of the battlefield.

But another Red penetration 13 miles northeast of Taegu has been wiped out. And near Changnyong, 23 miles southwest of that supply base, American artillery broke up an attempt to get 16 boatloads of Communists across the Nakdong River.

These overnight developments were disclosed in a dispatch Sunday by Associated Press correspondent Don Huth. He said the reverses on the northeast end of the 120-mile battle perimeter caused Lt. Gen. Walton H. Walker, commander of the Eighth Army, and Lt. Gen. Earle Partridge, commander of the Fifth Air Force, to fly to Pohang to check the situation.

The new Communist blows were struck after the Reds had shifted forces eastward after suffering a costly defeat in trying for seven days to capture Taegu in a frontal attack on the U. S. 27th Regiment. Huth said the South Koreans who yielded Kigye fell back a few miles south and east to a road junction. The South Korean Capital Division is fighting in that sector. Infiltrations Wiped Out On the east coast, defended by the South Korean First Division, the Reds advanced two and a half miles to a point a half-mile south of "Hunghae." That town is eight miles north of Pohang.

Near Tabu, 13 miles northeast of Taegu, remnants of a Red infiltrating force which once totaled 1,000 or more were wiped out, Huth reported. This force had slipped between the South Korean First and Sixth Divisions last week and briefly cut the supply line behind the U. S. 27th Regiment.

Huth also reported a brief night action in a sector which has been comparatively quiet. Near Changnyong, where the battle-hardened U. S. 24th Division is defending, American artillery broke up a move

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Tropical Blow Hits Havana; Warnings Hoisted In Florida

MIAMI, FLA.—(P)—A die-hard tropical storm, remnant of a 120-mile-an-hour hurricane, buffeted Havana with 65 mile an hour winds Saturday night as it showed signs of regenerating into another hurricane. What little movement was noted was in a westerly direction at six miles an hour.

Southeast storm warnings were ordered hoisted at Key West and the lower Florida Keys. Interests and shipping in Western Cuba, the southeastern Gulf of Mexico and Yucatan Channel were warned against dangerous gales and "possible hurricane winds."

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'Get Acquainted Week' Begins In Midland Sunday

"GET ACQUAINTED WEEK" opens Sunday in Midland—the friendly headquarters city of the vast Permian Basin Empire.

And launching the community-wide celebration, The Reporter-Telegram presents a "Get ACQUAINTED" edition of 124 pages. Every phase of home, community, social and business life has joined in the observance. Hundreds of cartoons of Midland residents are presented in advertising and news columns of the special "GET ACQUAINTED" edition.

The week was proclaimed by Mayor William B. Neely and everyone is invited to participate in the special events and festivities planned during "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK." It is the largest and most complete celebration of its kind ever staged here.

Something special has been arranged for each day—Sunday through Saturday—as a means of getting Midlanders better acquainted with each other and with their city, its institutions and facilities.

Friendship Stressed Everything is geared to a "GET ACQUAINTED" theme, with FRIENDSHIP as the major subject. Sponsors seek everything in readiness for the special observance and it now is up to the citizenry to put the finishing touch to the success of the celebration by joining wholeheartedly in the "GET ACQUAINTED" movement.

Special days scheduled during the week include: Sunday—Church Day; Monday—Friendship Day; Tuesday—Neighborhood Day; Wednesday—Family Day; Thursday—Get Acquainted With Midland Day; Friday—School Teacher Day; and Saturday—Business Day.

In addition, many other special and novel events are planned. Persons are urged to use their own initiatives in planning and staging "GET ACQUAINTED" parties, outings and meetings of all kinds. The more citizens entering into the spirit of "GET ACQUAINTED" (Continued On Page 14)

'Get Acquainted Week' Calendar

Here's a calendar for "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK" in Midland: SUNDAY—Church Day. Get acquainted with your church and your fellow church members.

MONDAY—Friendship Day. Everyone shake hands and make up now that the election is over. Let's bury-the-hatchet on Friendship Day.

TUESDAY—Neighborhood Day. Get acquainted with the folks on your block, street and neighborhood.

WEDNESDAY—Family Day. Get better acquainted with your family. Do something unusual that the whole family enjoys. Take the family out to dinner; to the theater, playground or some other entertainment spot. Take a gift to the wife.

THURSDAY—Get Acquainted With Midland Day. Drive over Midland's new paved streets; see the many attractive new homes; visit public institutions—city hall, courthouse, library, in a museum, Chamber of Commerce, water works, parks, schools, etc. "It's great to live in Midland."

FRIDAY—School Teacher Day. Get acquainted with faculty members of Midland schools who are ready to start the 1950-51 school term.

SATURDAY—Business Day. Get acquainted with the merchants and the persons who serve you in Midland's progressive and friendly stores.

Winkler Elects New County Judge

KERMIT—Winkler County voters Saturday elected a new county judge. W. E. Cook beat J. B. Salmon 1,075 to 941.

Results of other county races: County Attorney, John R. Lee of Wink beat W. T. Hair of Kermit 1,089 to 972; Tax Assessor, O. A. Barnard beat C. H. Moore 1,204 to 853; Precinct 2 Commissioners, J. A. Soogen beat Mack Moore 299 to 244; Constable Precinct 4, Oscar Warren beat Alfred Hays 432 to 360.

Dog Show Entries close Sept. 2nd. Phone 385 for Entry Blanks.—(Adv.)



KEN REGAN
Returned To Congress



R. W. (BOB) HAMILTON
Named District Judge

Hamilton Defeats Raymon Stoker For District Judgeship

R. W. (Bob) Hamilton of Midland was elected judge of the 70th Judicial District in Saturday's runoff election, defeating Raymon Stoker of Odessa by a 566 vote margin, according to complete but unofficial returns from Midland and Ector Counties.

The final tabulation gave Hamilton 4,749 votes to 4,183 for Stoker. Stoker telephoned Hamilton from Odessa Saturday night to congratulate him on his (Hamilton's) victory in the election.

It was Hamilton's almost four to one majority in his home county of Midland which won him the Democratic nomination, which in Texas is equivalent to election.

The Midland County vote was 2,283 for Hamilton and 961 for Stoker. In Ector County, Stoker led Hamilton by 1,126 votes, the count being 3,592 for Stoker and 2,466 for Hamilton.

The Midland man will succeed Judge Paul Moss of Odessa as judge of the 70th Judicial District on Jan. 1, 1951.

Hamilton, a Midland attorney, is president of the Board of Education of the Midland Independent School District. Stoker is county judge of Ector County.

Crane Voters Retain Judge; Elect Three New Commissioners

CRANE—Crane County voters Saturday elected three new commissioners and retained a county judge. Incumbent Joe Byer defeated Ken Spencer 614-594 in the judge's race. New commissioners are: C. A. Townsend, who defeated O. S. Reynolds 364-236 in Precinct 1; C. C. Swift, who defeated Lem Neely 201-139 in Precinct 3; Gray Miller, who defeated H. Dawson 108-77 in Precinct 4.

Martin Voters Okay \$80,000 Bond Issue

STANTON—With returns in from nine out of 12 boxes in Martin County, the \$80,000 bond issue for repairing and remodeling the courthouse seemed sure of passing. The vote was 188 for the bond issue and 119 against.

Three small county boxes remained to be counted, but election officials doubted the remaining votes would change the picture on the bond issue.

Incumbent Is Renominated To Congress

Congressman Ken Regan of Midland was reelected to Congress as representative from the 16th Congressional District for a second full term in Saturday's second Democratic primary, according to incomplete and unofficial returns from the 19 counties of the far-flung West Texas district.

He defeated District Judge Paul Moss of Odessa in one of the hottest and most expensive campaigns in the history of the district. Election returns early Sunday from the 19 counties of the district, including 15 complete, gave Regan 22,591 votes to 17,788 for Moss—a majority of 4,803 votes. Counties not complete included Brewster, Culberson, El Paso and Presidio.

Regan led in all but three counties of the district, his home county of Midland giving him a three to one majority—2,161 to 720. Moss received 3,509 votes in his home county of Ector to Regan's 2,596.

Regan "Mighty Proud" In El Paso County, "the vote was neck and neck. The midnight returns from 55 of the county's 58 boxes gave Regan 8,996 votes and Moss 8,056.

Regan issued a victory statement at his home here late Saturday in which he said, "I am mighty proud of the fine vote I received and I am very, very grateful to the fine people of West Texas for their fine support and confidence, which I hope never to betray."

"I will follow the same lines in Congress as in the past—the lines which have won for me the confidence of the people of the 16th Congressional District."

Regan said he will call the Speaker of the House Monday to determine whether Congress will continue in session or recess for Labor Day. He said he will return to Washington promptly if the House plans to continue in session.

Moss conceded defeat Saturday night, according to an Associated Press report. On his ranch outside Odessa, Moss said: "I will be back on the job Monday morning trying a lawsuit as judge of the 70th Judicial District. I have had lots of fun and it has been a wonderful experience and a wonderful race. There were some bad breaks that went against us or we would have won." Moss is scheduled to preside at a court session here Monday.

In the July 22 primary, Regan led in a three-way race. He received 22,114 votes to 17,878 for Moss, and 8,832 for Fred Harvey of El Paso.

Regan was elected to Congress in 1947 to fill out the unexpired term of R. Erving Thomason of El Paso, who resigned to become a federal judge. The Midland man was elected to a full term in 1948.

The vote by counties in Saturday's election was as follows:

County	Regan	Moss
Brewster	607	266
Crane	587	602
Crockett	332	154
Culberson	194	130
El Paso	2,596	3,509
Glascock	80	65
Hudspeth	261	108
Jeff Davis	170	179
Loving	23	14
Midland	2,161	720
Pecos	1,048	763
Presidio	579	570
Regan	519	177
Reeves	828	511
Terrell	151	78
Upton	438	343
Ward	1,670	876
Winkler	1,273	783

TOTAL 22,591 17,788 (* Indicates incomplete returns.)

Milton Ramsey Wins In Andrews County

ANDREWS—County Judge Milton Ramsey was reelected Saturday, defeating A. L. Rhodes 663 to 487. Commissioners elected were: Precinct 2, Gene Erwin 256 over F. F. Trotter 132; Precinct 3, H. B. Walters 149 over S. J. Hinkle 113; Precinct 4, Winifred Hudgens 238 over B. C. Nix 121.

Carl Betenbold won the commissioner's race in Precinct 1 in the first primary.

Voters Like Both Pigg, Davidson; Pigg Wins 155-152

W. E. Pigg voted out J. L. Davidson by three votes for Democratic committeeman of Precinct 5 in Saturday's runoff election. The complete but unofficial tabulation gave Pigg 155 votes to 152 for Davidson.

Regan Leads Vote In Upton County

MCCAMEY—U. S. Representative Ken Regan topped Paul Moss almost two to one in Upton County Saturday in the second primary election. Regan had 439 votes to 242 for Moss.

Mrs. Murry McCain, with 108 votes, outdistanced Charles Campbell for the newly-created Justice of the Peace, Precinct 2, which will serve Rankin, Campbell polled 77 votes. For Commissioner, Precinct 3, incumbent W. J. Price topped J. T. James 100 to 81.

Extra Copies Of 'Get Acquainted' Edition Available

A limited number of extra copies of The Reporter-Telegram's "GET ACQUAINTED" edition are available to readers on a first come-first served basis. The regular charge of five cents per copy will prevail for over-the-counter sales, or copies will be mailed at 25 cents per copy. The Reporter-Telegram office will be open until 11 a. m. Sunday to accommodate those wishing to place orders. Copies of the special edition also may be obtained Monday if the supply lasts. Place your orders by telephoning No. 3096.

+ Howdy, Neighbor—It's 'Get Acquainted Week' In Midland +

Yvonne DeCarlo Is 'Buccaneer's Girl' At Texan Drive-In

Midland's Texan Drive-In Theater, in conjunction with the observance of "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK," invites you to get better acquainted with Yvonne DeCarlo, noted film actress who is starring in "Buccaneer's Girl," showing Sunday and Monday at the Texan.

Yvonne DeCarlo is displayed at her best in this swash-buckling Technicolor story of New Orleans and piracy in the eighteenth century. The film has bat-Yvonne DeCarlo lies at sea and ashore for the youngsters, enough romance to please the women, and for the men—there's Yvonne.



The action is fast, the story good, and it should please all members of the family.

Other actors to be seen in the film include Philip Friend, Elsa Lancaster, Jay C. Flippen, Robert Douglas, Norman Lloyd and Andrea King.

Plane Crash Kills Two Near Odessa

ODSSEA — Two men were killed late Friday when their light cabin airplane crashed about five miles northeast of Odessa.

They were identified as J. R. Brookover, 45, Odessa, and Spencer Herbert McCann, 37, of Route One, Deming, N. M.

Brookover was manager of the West Odessa Airport and head of the Odessa Civil Air Patrol.

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★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Hopkins-Davis Feud Not Funny To Miriam And Phony To Bette

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD—Miriam Hopkins, a movie doll who knows a thing or two about feuding, is all riled up. It's been eight years since Midland was accused by Hollywood of getting herself confused with General Lee and mistaking Bette Davis for General Grant behind the scenes of a picture titled "Old Acquaintance."

But she's still getting the "Past"—here comes Bette, run for your life! routine from the long-memory boys.

It's putting the blaze right back into Miriam's eyes, now that she's back in movietown.

She fumes: "It wasn't a real feud. The studio thought it would be good publicity—they even sent out pictures of us in boxing gloves—but it was Bette's studio and I think I fared badly. It made me look downright rude."

Miriam even has an answer for the celluloid historians who have it jotted down that she lost 11 pounds during the making of "Old Acquaintance," left Hollywood in full-blown anger and told pals she wasn't coming back ever.

"Oh, I was keyed up," she told me. "There was tension on the set. But Bette didn't drive me out of town. I had made up my mind to go back to the theater. Ward Moorehouse told me that I couldn't keep making movies and talking about the day when I would be doing plays again. He made me realize that it had to be one or the other. So I left Hollywood."

No Hemlock For Hopkins
Let other dolls quaff the economy-sized drinking cup of poison, but not Miriam.

"Sure, I'd make another picture with Bette," she winks. "But I wouldn't get down on my knees and ask to."

Miriam, in fact, can't wait to lay a wreath if somebody would spade the earth over the legend that she was the town's most ferocious tigress from the early 1930's to 1948.

"Temperament," she says, "is something that starts with the women who are in pictures with you."

As she sees it:
"When I started I was so excited about myself. Making \$7,500 a week and not knowing what to do with it. I think I was self-centered and selfish. But it was a natural, youthful thing. Now I care more about what happens to the whole world than about myself."

Miriam has been Little Miss Sun-

shine since she started the second phase of her film career.

No door-slammings or stalking off sets.

She didn't once look at Olivia de Havilland's pink scalp longingly in "The Heiress" and Gene Tierney didn't quake when Miriam tossed lines to her in "The Mating Season."

Comeback? Who Left?
The comeback talk, though, irks her. She says:
"How many times can you come back? It's such a tacky phrase. It sounds like you've been in a home for destitute actors and somebody has dragged you out."

Miriam Hopkins was hatched in the same star incubator as Claudette Colbert, Fredric March, Ginger Rogers and Nancy Carroll at Paramount's Astoria, Long Island, studio. She recalls that they were all well-heeled when she was signed to a contract and that she was ashamed of the beat-up old automobile that she owned.

"I hired a taxi driver to be my chauffeur the first day," she recalls. "We rolled up to the studio and the dear boob didn't even know enough to hop out and open the car door for me. I had to tell him, with the gateman listening."

She says she was shipped to Hollywood along with all the electric bulbs and equipment when the Astorian film factory closed and that she was prepared to sit out her contract.

"When five weeks passed and the studio ignored me, I marched in and insisted on testing for the part of a night club singer. In the middle of one of the songs, I broke down and started to bawl. I'd forgotten the lyrics. Marion Gering was so moved that he holered, 'Stop! I've never seen such emotion in my life.' I was in, brother."

Savannah's pride and joy now is playing devoted mamas and fluttering aunts instead of rip-snorting, passion-wracked heroines. She doesn't mind sawing away on the second fiddle except:

"They give me feeble-minded parts. I don't object, you understand, but when the writers tell me they wrote the part with me in mind, I begin to wonder."

Overheard: First blonde: "What do you think of 'The Third Man' theme?"
Second blonde: "Darling, I'm on my sixth one. Don't ask me to regress."



OFF THEY GO—A recent group of Air Force enlistees are shown with the recruiting sergeant just prior to departing for Lackland Air Force Base at San Antonio. They enlisted through the Midland recruiting office. The youths are from Midland and Andrews. Left to right are: Dwayne Hanway, Johnny Walker, Weldon Gregston, Sgt. Shelby Wheeler, Gene Thomas, Bill Adams, Johnny Chesney and Dana Pettis. The recruits will take basic training at Lackland and then be assigned to permanent installations or schools.

City Woman's Club Active Organization

The Midland Woman's Club was organized in 1930 "to bring the varied women's clubs and individual women of Midland County into a closer and more effective unit for the furtherance of their common interests in local, state and national affairs and to afford opportunity for further development of inherent abilities. It is non-partisan, non-sectarian and non-profit."

Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith is president of the group. Other officers are Mrs. Lindsey Latham and Mrs. B. R. Schabaram, vice presidents; Mrs. Bert Goodman, recording secretary; Mrs. James O. Simmons, Jr., corresponding secretary; Mrs. B. R. Mathews, treasurer; Mrs. W. G. Epley, parliamentarian and Mrs. Grace Wallace, auditor.

In addition to a building program that is of major interest, the club this year will present a series of discussions on "Forward Through Education and Community Service."

The Midland Woman's Club, Inc., received its charter from the Secretary of State of the State of Texas on May 24, 1950, for 50 years.

The groups affiliated with the Midland Woman's Club, Inc., and assisting with the building program are Woman's Wednesday Club, Modern Study Club, Fine Arts Club, Business and Professional Woman's Club, Twentieth Century Club, Progressive Study Club, Midland Garden Club, Yucca Garden Club, Tejas Garden Club, Perennial Garden Club, Pyracantha Garden Club and American Association of University Women.

Individual membership in the group is open to any Midland County woman. There is a large individual membership.

Past presidents of the Midland



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New Insurance Firm Opens Offices Here

Announcement of the opening of the Farmers Insurance Group of Los Angeles offices in Midland has been made by Stanley Gump, manager for this district. Gump formerly was associated with the firm in Spokane, Wash.

Offices of the new Midland concern will be located at 701 North Big Spring Street.

The Farmers Company, with assets of more than \$57,000,000, is the largest writer of automobile insurance west of the Mississippi and the fifth largest in the United States. The company also is the largest writer of fleet trucks in the United States and has planned an expansion program of about 90 offices in Texas.

The district office here also will handle claims for the Company's policy holders in order to give them the best service available in insurance.

Rain in the Khaki hills of northeast Indian one totalled 805 inches in a single year.

Woman's Club are Mrs. John A. Haley, Mrs. F. H. Schuster, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, Mrs. H. C. Peck, Mrs. Louis F. Caddell, Mrs. Russell Howard, Mrs. Ernest Neill and Mrs. W. G. Epley.

Marshall Is First In DeMolay Contest

DALLAS —(AP)—Marshall placed first in DeMolay degree team competition Saturday at the Dallas convocation of the Texas State Chapter of DeMolays.

Friday Buddy Hoyt of Fort Worth was elected master counselor. Jane Austin of Lubbock was chosen sweetheart of Texas DeMolays, and Dorrance Guy of Lubbock was given the degree of the chevalier—DeMolay's highest order. He is the son of Charles A. Guy, publisher of The Lubbock Avalanche Journal.

Other officers named include Bobby Burns, Wichita Falls, junior deacon; Jack Mann, Marshall, senior steward; Leonard Davis, Orange, junior steward; Claude Williamson, Henderson, chaplain, and Gene Justice, Odessa, sentinel.

Harry Penn of Dallas was named the most outstanding DeMolay of the 1950 meeting.

Villalobos Decision In Hands Of Aleman

MEXICO CITY —(AP)—President Miguel Aleman of Mexico must decide whether Jose Villalobos will be extradited to Texas, where he is wanted on a charge of slaying a sheriff.

Federal District Court Judge Enrique Azusa Friday ruled against the extradition. He found insufficient evidence to grant it. His ruling puts the extradition question up to President Aleman. The president usually follows the court's recommendation.

Villalobos, 24, is charged with the March 12 slaying of Sheriff O. W. (Blackie) Morrow, of Presidio County. Morrow was shot to death on a lonely road. The slaying touched off a man hunt similar to those of the Old West—mounted, armed men combing the desolate country of the Big Bend of Texas.

Villalobos was arrested in Mexico and jailed at Ojinaga, across the border from Presidio, several days after the shooting.

Texas asked his extradition, but Villalobos meanwhile was released from jail. He came here to give himself up to federal authorities.

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UNDERGOES SURGERY

Peggy Jerome, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Jerome, 1800 West Louisiana Street, was admitted Saturday to Midland Memorial Hospital for minor surgery.

Midlander's Father Dies At Snyder Home

John Moulton of Midland received word Saturday morning of the sudden death of his step-father, Tom C. West, of a heart ailment at his home in Snyder early Saturday. West, who was a pioneer Snyder resident, died soon after receiving word of the death of his brother, John David, in Dallas. Funeral arrangements had not been completed Saturday.

Midland Lions Club Is City's Largest

The Midland Chapter of Lions International, oldest and largest service club here, was organized in April, 1928. The organization has grown from a total of 102 charter members to approximately 210 in 1950.

Homer Rowe was the first president of the Lions Club here. Other officers were R. J. Moore, secretary, and Barney Grafa, treasurer.

In addition to the many activities of the club, such as providing glasses for needy children, assistance to the blind, and help with household expenses

of needy families, the Lions Club donated \$7,500 toward the cost of constructing the Midland Memorial Hospital. The club also set aside \$1,800 to be used in lighting the Junior High School tennis courts. It is the policy of the Lions Club to give due consideration to all worthy causes presented to the various committees.

Present officers of the organization are C. Ed Prichard, president; J. P. Carson, Jr., L. V. Bassham and Duke Jimerson, vice presidents; C. E. Nelson, secretary-treasurer; R. H. (Rusty) Gifford, Lion tamer, and Rocky Ford, tall twister.

The Lions Club sponsors many annual activities as well as a changing program of public presentations each year. The club has sponsored the appearance of the famed United States Navy Band, an internationally famous magician, a headline circus and numerous other attractions. The Lion also have taken the lead in sponsoring and financing Cub Scouting, instituted the organization of the Booster Club and for years has sponsored a Boy Scout troop.

The Lions Club International Convention Band, which has acquired a wide reputation as a snappy and colorful orchestra, again captured honors at the recent Lions International convention in Chicago. The musicians marched in the parade in Chicago and performed at every opportunity. Duke Jimerson is director of the orchestra.

The Lions meet each Wednesday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.



C. Ed Prichard

Scare Buying Passes Peak - Mag Says

NEW YORK — Scare buying has passed the peak, but demand still is strong on many items, especially electrical appliances, says Business Week magazine.

All across the country, it was apparent that the panic buying had topped. From city after city, with few exceptions, the word came "back to normal" on nylons and most foods, according to the magazine.

In most places, however, tires are still short. But in Denver and St. Louis even these are easier and San Francisco shows a downright "slump."

The number one item in most places is electrical appliances, while furniture is another current big scorer. Cars show some signs of letting up, with the used car market sagging a little in Detroit. However, the new car market is as tight as ever. Farm implements are doing a big business in Chicago and in softer lines, sheets and pillowcases are having runs in most places.

Heavy sugar sales partly reflect the canning season while pent up demand is given as the reason for the rush of sales in such lines as TV sets. New houses accounted for a lot of the run on appliances. Some people who had held off in hopes excises would go off luggage and jewelry are back at the counters.

One of the biggest reasons for the food slowdown is the fact that the store shelves don't stay empty. Replacements came in at a clip to defeat all but the most indefatigable hoarder.

Other factors which have helped check sales are voluntary rationing, rising prices, and anti-hoarding drives.

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YOU and the Service

By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Staff Correspondent

Q. Is there any limit on how long the services can keep a reserve officer on active duty after he has been called up?

A. No.
Q. Suppose a man just doesn't answer a call to active duty. Can he do anything to him?

A. Yes. The service can take disciplinary action to fit the particular case.

Q. What is the government's policy on conscientious objectors in the present draft?

A. The law states, in effect, that a man may be deferred if he convinces his local board that he is conscientiously opposed to military service in any form because of his religious training and belief. If he is opposed to combatant service only, he may be inducted and assigned by the armed forces to non-combatant duty. Religious training and belief, as defined by the law, mean an individual's belief in a Supreme Being involving duties superior to those arising from any human relations. However, that does not include essential political, sociological or philosophical views, or a merely personal moral code.

Q. How many times can a man appeal his draft classification?

A. A registrant dissatisfied with his classification may notify his local board within 10 days after his notification of classification that he wishes to appeal. All of his records will be forwarded to the appeal board which will study the records and either keep him in the same classification or put him in another one. Under certain specified conditions, he may appeal from the board of appeals to the President.

Q. Is a reserve enlisted man who is an expert in radar likely to get called into service without offering to do so himself?

A. Yes. That is one of the fields in which the Navy needs trained men.

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Building Permits Near Record High

The Midland building permit total jumped to within hailing distance of the record 1948 year, as \$187,475 in permits were issued during the week ended Saturday, to bring the year's total to \$7,101,321.

The 1948 record total was \$7,272,990—only \$171,669 more than this year's total to date.

A permit for \$70,000 was issued to R. B. Cowden for a brick veneer residence, 140 by 81 feet, at 1507 Cuthbert Street. James K. Boyce received four permits, totaling \$40,000, for new brick veneer residences. The Boyce homes are to be at 1800 Cuthbert, 37 by 47 feet, \$12,000; 1803 Cuthbert Street, 51 by 41 feet, \$11,000; 2602 Franklin Street, 35 by 34 feet, \$5,000; and 2817 Delano Street, 34 by 43 feet, \$9,000.

A permit for \$18,000 was issued to G. C. Ponder for a brick veneer residence, 67 by 63 feet, at 1406 Harvard Street. Other permits of the week included J. C. Ferryman, \$12,000, brick veneer residence, 28 by 68 feet, 2612 West Storey Street; O. Buck Carr, \$12,000, brick veneer residence, 70 by 52 feet, 2004 Harvard Street; O. Buck Carr, \$8,000, brick veneer residence, 50 by 56 feet, 424 East Cedar Street; E. L. Jordan, \$7,000, build frame church, 40 by 80 feet, 201-203 South Carver Street; Bob White, \$3,825, move frame servants quarters, 20 by 24 feet, 511 North Baird Street; Ed Kent, \$3,250, add to pumice and tile auto repair shop, 40 by 34 feet, 418 Andrews Highway; C. L. Cunningham, \$3,000, add to frame residence, 38 by 14 feet, 1000 South Fort Worth Street; Andie Patterson, \$3,000, build frame residence, 22 by 33 feet, 504 South Baird Street; Bob White, \$2,000, move frame servants quarters, 20 by 24 feet, 210 West Parker Street; Bob White, \$2,000, move frame servants quarters, 20 by 24 feet, 400 East Kansas Street; M. R. Bunch, \$2,000, build frame servants quarters, 11 by 25 feet, 1008 West Indiana Street; Ed Kent, \$1,500, add to frame residence, 12 by 30 feet, 507 North Kent Street; Roy R. McKee, \$1,200, add to frame residence, 16 by 35 feet, 907 West Michigan Street; M. R. Rodriguez, \$500, move frame residence, 20 by 14 feet, 812 North Dallas Street; M. R. Rodriguez, \$200, move frame servants quarters, 10 by 20 feet, 809 East Walnut Street.

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Lubbock, Texas

Tot Enters Brother In Pet Show, Wins

McMINNVILLE, ORE. —(AP)—Larry Lowe, 10, won a prize in the city's pet show Friday.

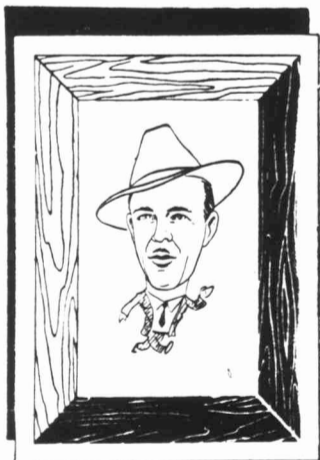
His entry, winning in the "biggest" class, was his four-year-old brother, Johnny.

The judges had approved his request to enter his mother's pet because he had none of his own. And, he said when he showed up with Johnny in tow:

"That's what she calls him — Pet."

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"GET ACQUAINTED" is a phrase—a magical phrase—which can mean so much to the welfare and happiness of an individual, a group or a community. "GETTING ACQUAINTED" is something which can be accomplished with little effort and at no expense by any and everyone.

That is the major objective of "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK," being observed in Midland Sunday through Saturday. The observance is designed to reach every resident of ever-growing Midland. Everyone is invited to participate.

With thousands of persons having moved to Midland within recent years and with newcomers still arriving daily, the observance of "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK" here is a most timely and significant occasion.

"GET ACQUAINTED WEEK" offers a marvelous opportunity for Midlanders to get to know one another better—thereby liking one another better.

The special observance further affords Midland, its organizations, institutions, business firms and individual citizens, the opportunity of welcoming all newcomers to the city.

Midland long has been known as a friendly city, and "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK" is an excellent time for all Midlanders to join in further cementing this city's enviable position among the most friendly communities of the Southwest.

Everyone appreciates being known, recognized and called by his or her name—whether in church, club, neighborhood gathering, canasta party or business institution.

Yes, this business of "GETTING ACQUAINTED" is most important to one and all. It provides fun, fellowship and better living for all who practice it.

Just consider what a change in world conditions would come about if Joe Stalin would let the citizens of his Iron Curtain countries "GET ACQUAINTED" with the peoples of the United States and other democratic nations.

LET'S GET ACQUAINTED DURING "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK"

-In Crisp 'Cello-Phane Bags

The New York Philharmonic-Symphony Orchestra is going to appear on the stage of the Roxy Theater, one of Broadway's top movie houses, for a two-week engagement.

The University of Chicago is going to teach how to live happily 100 years. Leaving only the problem of how to live those 100 years.

The average American gentleman's clothing bill is more than \$500 a year, says a writer. That's a polite way of calling most of us bums.

There'll Come A Day



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

(Copyright, 1950, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.) Jack Anderson and Fred Blumenthal say: Senators engage in bitter tiffs; Feuds have no party lines; Farm land prices boom.

WASHINGTON — The United States Senate is beginning to show signs of overwork. Sessions are growing longer and tempers shorter.

There also is friction between Senators Irving Ives and Herbert Lehman of New York, Joe McCarthy and Alex Wiley of Wisconsin, Henry Dworshak and Glen Taylor of Idaho, Claude Pepper and Spessard Holland of Florida, Mitt Young and Bill Langer of North Dakota, Warren Magnuson and Harry Cain of Washington.

All this feuding has led to such irritation in the Senate that Georgia's Walter George left in disgust the other day, shaking his head. "It's the biggest wonder in the world that we get anything at all done in this bedlam," he complained.

Senate crime investigators are anxious to question Virginia Hill, underworld galmor girl, who has kept company with such notorious racketeers as Joe Epstein and the late Bugsy Siegel. In fact, Bugsy was murdered in Virginia's Beverly Hills, Calif., home.

At this, Senator Ebert Thomas of Utah, whose re-election is opposed by both the A.M.A. and the N.A.M. broke in mournfully: "What are you going to do when you've got both the doctors' lobby and the N.A.M. against you?"

Senator Herbert Lehman was so downhearted last week that he almost withdrew from the New York Senate race. What discouraged him most was the bickering among New York Democrats, also the lack of support from the Democratic National Committee.

Senator Ebert Thomas, Utah Democrat, has been attacked for his "fuzzy philosophy" by his Republican opponent, Wallace Bennett, who resigned as chairman of the National Association of Manufacturers to campaign against Thomas.

However, here is an example of Thomas' so-called "fuzzy philosophy." One of the Senate's outstanding scholars, he has fathered such legislation as unification of the armed services, stockpiling program, minimum wage, federal aid to education, national science foundation, and the educational feature of the G.I. Bill of Rights.

Q—What is the difference between gravitation and gravity? A—Gravitation is a general force by which every particle pulls on every other particle; gravity is the force exerted on a body by the pull of the earth.

Q—What happened to the Lost Colony of Roanoke Island, N. C.? A—The 150 men, women and children sent out by Sir Walter Raleigh in 1587 vanished completely. The only clue to their disappearance was the word "Croatan" carved on a tree.

Q—Are there locks in the Suez Canal? A—This canal is at sea level and contains no locks. It is 103 miles in length and connects the Mediterranean with the Red Sea.

Q—What was the first road to be built by the Federal Government? A—The Old National Pike.

Q—Is there such a thing as a domestic insect? A—The honey bee is classified as a domestic insect, and is the only one so known.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY

Hands that are played at high contracts usually provide more excitement than the lowly part score. However, there can be a tremendous amount of play in a low contract. One of the most action-packed hands I have ever seen was the one shown today, played at only two spades.

Bridge hand diagram showing cards in each hand and the result: West North East South, 1 Pass 2 Pass, 2 Pass 2 Double, 3 Pass Pass, 4 Opening lead—4-2.

South realized that it was necessary to draw trumps quickly to prevent West from getting too many ruffs. Since two spade tricks had to be lost no matter how the trumps were divided, South quite properly began that suit by leading the deuce of spades from his hand.

East won with the jack of spades, cashed the king of clubs, and led the four of clubs for his partner to ruff. The significance of leading the lowest club was that it showed a possible entry in the low side-suit—diamonds.

West ruffed with the ten of spades and promptly returned the three of diamonds. It was obvious to South that West was underleading some top diamonds and it was quite possible that he was underleading the ace-king-queen. South therefore put up dummy's jack of diamonds, hoping to win the trick.

East won with the jack of spades, and South had to make another decision. He finally decided that West would not have been so anxious to give his partner the lead if he held both the ace and queen of spades, since both would be tricks in any case.

South's troubles were not yet over. He had already lost five tricks and needed the rest. With only one trump in dummy and two possible heart losers in his own hand, the situation was ticklish.

After winning the ace of spades, East returned a diamond, and South ruffed. He then cashed the ace and king of hearts and paused for thought.

It was clear that West had started with three spades and one club. The play had also indicated that West had started with five diamonds.

The West hand therefore counted out to exactly four hearts. Those hearts had to include the queen, since otherwise West would not have had enough strength for an opening bid.

With the courage of desperation South led the jack of hearts from his hand, hoping to pick up the ten of hearts in the East hand. West played low, and South led the jack of hearts ride. It was then easy to ruff the nine of hearts in dummy to make sure of the contract.

MISS MYRA SHARPE stood rigidly with the back of her hand pressed over her mouth. She was so tense that her angular figure looked more skinny than ever.

Tom Carson was frankly feeling for his seeing eye dog. "What's the matter with Greta, Miss Myra? Tell me, Roger, what happened?" he pleaded. "Do you know that you can't help her? Do something?"

No one else was doing anything, so I ran over to the dog. A single glance told me there was nothing I could do. Tom found the dog and his hands went quickly and gently over the animal's convulsed body.

Tom's unseeing eyes were blank, but the lines of his face sagged like an old man's. "Not only Greta gone," he said in a dead voice as he straightened up, "my independence too. Without her I'm a helpless blind man tapping with a cane. What happened? Poison again, Doc?"

"Looks like it," I said. "Can't you get another Seeing Eye dog, Tom?" Tom shrugged his shoulders. "They're expensive, but I'll have to. He stopped when he felt the shudders growing fainter and finally ceasing altogether.

When Roger could get the words...

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Korean War Materials Orders Attract 'Influence Peddlers'

By PETER EDSON, NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—"Five Percenters" and "Influence Peddlers" still are doing business in Washington at the same old stand. Prospects of fat national defense orders growing out of the Korean war have, in fact, increased the prospects for a killing by commission men, free lance manufacturers' agents, contact men who claim to be political fixers and new deal lawyers.

In spite of the big exposure of the Five Percenters' racket and the strange doings of Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan and pal John Margon, by Senator Clyde H. Hoey's Expenditures subcommittee a year ago, the fraternity of alleged influence peddlers never left town.

Senators Karl E. Mundt of South Dakota and Homer Ferguson of Michigan introduced bills requiring Five Percenters to register, and to make contractors report on all commissions paid. These bills never were passed.

Defense Secretary Louis Johnson has declared that "the sellers of influence will be driven from the market place. But he apparently did not reckon with the smartness of the fixers and their lawyers.

General Services Administrator Jess Larson has set up other safeguards for government procurement contracts. These safeguards also apply to contracts for military supplies.

Since July 1, every bidder on a government supply contract has been required to sign a statement (Form 30) checking these points: "That he is a () regular dealer in, () manufacturer of, the supplies bid upon.

Contractors must furnish names of these agents, their relationship to the contractor, a copy of the agreement with the agent, his duties, amounts paid or to be paid for securing contract, and statements on whether agents are bona fide employees.

Form 119 will not come into general use until October 1. And there has been so little experience with Form 30 that the Federal Supply Service has had no occasion to check returns.

But already there is evidence that the Five Percenters and Influence Peddlers are trying to find ways to beat this disclosure.

One reported dodge is to make the Washington agent or lawyer a vice president of the firm, or a special assistant to the president. The purpose is to make it appear that he is a "full-time employee." As such,

At a party where the guests are married couples, the husbands get off in one corner of the room and leave the wives in another and the hostess tries to get them all together.

WRONG: Pay no attention to the hostess. RIGHT: The men should join the women out of courtesy to the hostess and to the women guests.

out he said, "Tom believes I poisoned his dog? And what? Miss Myra mean about me being not responsible?" I tossed a small package addressed to Mrs. Muchmore from one hand to the other, wondering what to say to him. Finally I pitched the package into the mail bag and let him have the whole works.

Roger shouldered the mail bag when we got everything picked up and moved off on his route from force of habit. I trotted along beside him for a ways.

"So the town thinks I'm poisoning dogs because they nearly drive me crazy on my route? No. I forgot. I'm already crazy!" Roger's laugh was bitter. "Just a candid! maniac!"

It seemed like a good time to find out if he knew why he was so afraid of dogs. I told him what I'd read about the smell of fear. Roger hadn't heard about that, but he knew why he was afraid. He pulled back his shirt collar to show me the scars on his throat. The white scars were faint and barely visible so I knew they'd been there a long time.

"When I was just a little kid," Roger said soberly, "a big dog nearly tore my throat out. Naturally, I was scared within an inch of my life. And I never got over it. I think now that if my mother had given me a cute fluffy puppy to play with I'd have forgotten the whole thing. But she didn't, and fool that I am, I didn't think about dogs being an occupational hazard for a mailman."

(To Be Continued)



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THE STORY: A wave of dog poisoning strikes big, little in the small town where Doc Ferguson, who tells the story, runs a leading pharmacy. Evidence points to Roger Blensen, a salesman who is afraid of dogs, but Doc doesn't think Roger is guilty. The one warning is Doc starts off to work he sees Roger talking to Tom Carson, blind insurance man. Suddenly, Roger is seen in a car, driving late a fall and goes into convulsions on the sidewalk.

because she showed her teeth at you?" "What do you mean?" Roger stuttered and laid his hand on Tom's arm. "I had nothing to do with—with what happened."

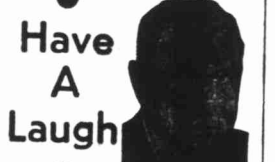
Roger stepped forward again, trying to convince Tom or possibly trying to help the blind man. But Tom Carson wanted no one to help him. He gave Roger a push, possibly harder than he meant to.

Roger was not the most graceful person in the world and he went down. His mailbag spilled letters and small parcels all over the sidewalk.

TOM turned away from Roger contemptuously. "Miss Myra? I'll put Greta on your porch until I can send for her."

"Oh no, I don't want—I mean, wouldn't it be better to carry her around to the grass in the shade?" Miss Myra asked.

"All right, I'll carry her. You go ahead then and show me where to lay her." Tom stooped to pick up the big limp body of his dog and followed the sound of Miss Myra's footsteps.



By BOYCE HOUSE

A lawyer told his client, a rough-looking customer, "We will have to rely on an alibi when your case comes up. You know what an alibi is, don't you?"

The client replied, "Yes, that's when I can prove I was somewhere else when I stole the horse."

The Inter-American Highway in Central America is lined with Copey oaks, a variety of white oak.

Dirt, Squirt and Quirt

— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

By DALMON McNAIR

It's Get Acquainted time in Midland. This is the week all Midlanders are supposed to shake hands, introduce themselves and get acquainted with all other residents in the county.

It's a good time to renew acquaintances, make new ones and have a little down-to-earth good fellowship. We know many Midlanders who aren't acquainted even with their neighbors. The majority of us know very little of the people who live in the next block or over on the next section.

Getting acquainted, getting to know everyone, sharing our every day problems and good fortunes, and cutting loose with a little "Ferman Basin Hospitality," is just the prescription we need for better living and better thinking. Let's all get acquainted with everyone we meet this week. It's Get Acquainted Week.

Midlanders may have been talking politics last week—but a new topic is on their lips this week.

It's the big Labor Day matched roping celebration which the Midland County Sheriff's Posse has carded. It's the one big celebration for the holiday and a crowd approaching 5,000 is expected. Toots Mansfield, Troy Fort, Sonny Edwards and Walton Poage are big names in the rodeo world—and they all will be here to make the big celebration a success.

A gaited horse show, directed by Chappel Davis, and a \$10 jackpot roping contest will spice the big event. The matches start at 2 p.m.

New amendments to the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act make it illegal to employ children under 16 years of age in agriculture during school hours. By "school hours" is

meant the hours when school is in session for the district where the child under 16 currently is living.

The provisions do not apply, however, to the farmer's own children working on their parents' farm. However, they do apply to farmers whose crops or products, either directly or indirectly go into interstate or foreign commerce, as in the case of a farmer who sends his product outside the state or delivers his product to a ginner, processor, canner, or dealer who he knows will send it outside the state, either in its original form or as an ingredient of another product.

Farmers themselves are responsible if they hire under-age children during school hours. That includes children hired either as individuals or as part of a family group directed by labor contractors, processors or others.

The federal law sets no minimum age for the employment of children in agriculture before or after school hours on any school day, or at any time on school holidays, or during school vacations. But most states have school attendance laws and whichever statute, federal or state, sets the higher standard governs the matter in any given state.

The penalty for violation of the child-labor provisions of the federal law is severe. Any person who willfully violates the child-labor provisions of the federal law is subject to a fine of not more than \$10,000, or after a second conviction for a similar offense, a fine of not more than \$10,000 or imprisonment for not more than six months, or both.

Maximum meat production is needed during Fall and Winter to meet current war development as well as prospective further increases in consumer demand, according to National Live Stock Producer, a trade publication. Supply has been running short for domestic needs, which is holding livestock and meat prices on a relatively high level as compared with other agricultural products.

A general uptrend in industrial activity will increase employment in the next 12 months, according to the publication, with the possibility of higher payrolls. This means an increase in consumer purchasing power and an increasing demand for meat, despite higher taxes and increased costs. Fortunately, the prospective Fall supply of meat is relatively large as compared with the Summer season, but the net result will be of considerable support to livestock values.

Approximately \$48,000 in premiums will be offered for livestock for the San Antonio Livestock Exposition to be held Feb. 16-25, 1961, according to an announcement by Perry Shankle, stock show president.

The 10-day exposition will include livestock exposition, rodeo, carnival, boys' auction sale, grass judging contest, two breeding cattle sales,

commercial exhibits, and a farm-ranch machinery and appliance show.

A total of 1.04 inches of rain has fallen in Midland County during the last two weeks, according to the Texas Weekly Crop and Weather Bulletin. In District 1-S, which includes South Plains cities, only Hobbs, N. M., reported a greater fall. The Hobbs figure was 1.84 inches. Lubbock got .48 inch, Lamesa, 40. Big Spring 27, Muleshoe .14 and Crosbyton .52.

Ample supplies of green grass were available on western, northwestern and northern ranges, according to the bulletin. Widely scattered showers in the dry central and southern counties will help temporarily but general rains are needed in that area as well as the southeast to start new feed. Dry grass was getting short on many extreme southern ranges with some supplemental feeding started to hold shrinkage to a minimum. All classes of livestock in the northwest and northern counties were in good condition.

Excellent grain sorghum prospects continued to prevail in the northwest and High Plains areas. Harvest of early sorghums was underway in the north and northwest areas and had started in a few counties in the southern High Plains. Cotton harvest was getting started in central counties where dry conditions hastened maturity and resulted in considerable premature opening. "First bales" were reported in several counties.

Livestock owners have been advised to make sure their farm tanks do not become reservoirs of livestock diseases during Summer dry spells.

An American Foundation for Animal Health bulletin points out low water levels and contamination of farm ponds may cause much sickness among farm animals and bring heavy losses to the owner.

According to the bulletin, stale pond water may bring about, or intensify, coccidiosis, stomach and nodular worms, mouth sores, algae poisoning and scours. This happens so often that veterinarians sometimes refer to these problems as stale pond diseases.

Another dangerous condition arises when shorelines recede due to lower water levels, Foundation authorities said. Cattle walk in the soft mud, leaving holes and sharp ridges which later hinder when exposed to the sun and air.

Veterinarians have found that this washboard ground is a serious hazard to the animals' feet. It may easily cause cuts and bruises. Germs lurk in stagnant water, thus gaining entrance to cause "foul foot."

The bulletin strongly advises livestock raisers either to fence off ponds or to remove cattle when water levels drop, or when scum on the surface indicates ponds are becoming stale. This simple precaution may save livestock owners a heavy toll of dead and diseased animals, according to the bulletin.

A leader in the fight for eradication and control of brush on Texas farms and ranches will become superintendent of the Texas agricul-

Livestock Judging Makes Youths Want Quality, Dean Says

LUBBOCK—City-bred folks sometimes wonder why judging teams are all-important in the agricultural programs at colleges like Texas Tech. Why have judging teams in dairy manufactures, beef cattle, sheep and goats, swine, agronomy and almost every other facet of modern agriculture?

That's the question which was tossed at Dean W. L. Stangel of Tech's agriculture division. His answer might be summed up in one word—quality.

"We think there is nothing that strikes a spark of incentive in a young farmer or rancher as quickly as the opportunity to judge top-flight animals and products," the dean said. "When they become accustomed to think in terms of the best, naturally they are going to want to raise the best when they leave college."

He cited records of past Tech judging teams which have been consistent front-runners in national contests.

"These students are going to be

tural experiment sub-station at Spur.

Charles E. Fisher, one of the state's outstanding scientists in the field, will succeed Ray E. Dickson, head of the Spur station since 1914, who died recently. Fisher has been active director since June 26. Early work on mesquite done under Fisher's supervision at the Spur station and on nearby Rolling Plains ranches was responsible largely for making the Spur unit the center of present mesquite control studies. These studies are coordinated with the overall Texas brush control work conducted through the Department of Range and Forestry.

Mesquite by far is the most widespread brush in Texas. It occurs in varying density on about 55,000,000 of a total of 93,500,000 acres of Texas' potential range land. Fisher already has obtained far-reaching results in the control of mesquite with formulations of the hormone-type chemicals, 2-4-D and 2-4-5-T. He is the author or co-author of many reports on various phases of brush eradication, soil and water conservation, and cattle grazing and fattening investigations conducted at Spur.

A native of Cuba, Kan., Fisher was graduated from Kansas State College in 1934. He has been working on soil conservation and agronomic investigations at Spur since 1936.

working with ordinary steers, hogs and goats and we know it. But by permitting them to travel to these shows they learn the other fellow's point of view and can learn how the upgrading process has taken place in every part of the country."

Dean Stangel, one of the members of the original Tech faculty, said

Daughter Born To Wife Of Roy Rogers

HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—A seven-pound daughter was born Saturday to actress Dale Evans, wife of cowboy actor Roy Rogers.

"She's 20 inches long and a brunette and looks like Dale," said the happy father.

Dr. Benbow Thompson said mother and child are in fine condition. It is the first child for Miss Evans and Rogers. She has a son by a previous marriage and Rogers has three children by a former wife.

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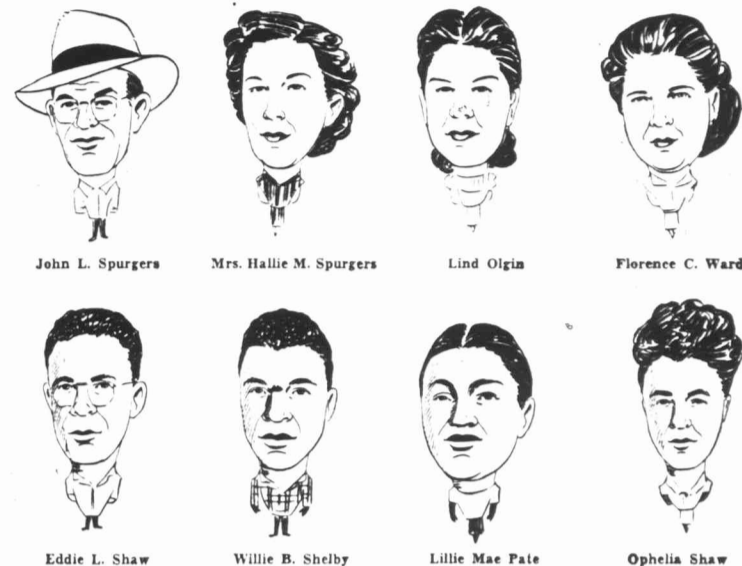
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Humble Recovers Spraberry Oil In SE Midland Wildcat

A Spraberry sand pool in Southeast Midland County possibly has been discovered by Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Lillie Midkiff and others.

The venture, located 25 miles southeast of the city of Midland, recovered 375 feet of 40-gravity oil, and no formation water on a drillstem test at 7,306-30 feet.

On the three hour test, gas surfaced in one hour and 25 minutes. The volume was not gauged or estimated. Besides the free oil, 125 feet of oil and gas cut mud were recovered.

Flowing pressure was 310 pounds, and shutin pressure after 36 minutes was 1,150 pounds.

Will Core Deeper
Operators plan to core deeper, however there also is a possibility that if the pay is widened, casing will be run. Some observers think it can be completed as a commercial producer from the pay already penetrated.

Top of the Spraberry was picked at 7,300 feet, on a minus datum of 4,335 feet.

The No. 1 Midkiff is 15 miles east of the Pegasus multiple field and 13 1/2 miles south of the Tex-Harvey field, the nearest Spraberry production.

This possible Spraberry discovery originally was planned to test all formations down to and including the Ellenburger with a slotted depth of 13,500 feet.

Exact location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 46, block 38, T-4-S, T&P survey.

Wildcat In NW Upton Is Flowing Oil

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company and Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 G. W. Davis, North West Upton County wildcat, headed 20 barrels of oil to tanks in 30 minutes from the Ellenburger after being swabbed for 23 hours.

It then settled down and flowed steadily for four hours at between 10 and 12 1/2 barrels of 55.89-gravity oil per hour. It was still flowing at the end of four hours.

No formation water came with the oil flow.

Flowing tubing pressure is 50 pounds and shutin casing pressure is 600 pounds. Operators likely will re-acidize soon.

This prospect, located six and one-half miles southwest of the Pegasus field had washed perforated zone in the Ellenburger at 13,100-200 feet with 1,000 gallons of mud acid and then treated that same interval with 2,000 gallons of regular acid.

This venture is located 660 feet from north and east lines of section 20, block 41, T-3-S, T&P survey. It drilled to a total depth of 12,363 feet. The zone between 12,238 feet and 12,363 feet made water and logged no shows of oil or gas.

Pipe To Be Run On Terry Opener

Union Oil Company of California is running electric survey preparatory to running five and one-half inch casing on its flush flowing Pennsylvania reef discovery in Central Terry County, the No. 1 Laura Cottam.

The oil string will be set on bottom at 10,182 feet, and the production will be developed through perforations.

On a final drillstem test at 10,123-182 feet the tool was first open 15 minutes. A slight blow of air surfaced for seven minutes and died. The packer was reset at the end of 15 minutes, and the tool remained open for 10 minutes more.

Recovery was 30 feet of mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

The No. 1 Cottam has proven for 213 feet of flowing production from 9,910 to 10,123 feet. It has flowed oil on five drillstem tests over this section. Four of the five gauges were over 100 barrels hourly.

A core from 10,153 to 10,182 feet yielded 10 feet of grey tight crystalline lime, six feet of porous lime.

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three feet of grey tight lime and nine feet of grey porous crystalline lime.

Magnolia Schedules Deep Crockett Test

Magnolia Petroleum Company has staked a 9,000-foot wildcat in Northeast Crockett County, 11 miles northeast of Osona.

The proposed test will be the No. 1 Addie Clayton, located 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 9, block 1, GC&SP survey.

Drillsite is approximately 10 miles north and slightly east of Magnolia No. 1 Clayton Ranch, recently completed gas-distillate discovery from the Ellenburger.

Operations are to begin by August 30.

Prospect In SE Lynn Running 7-Inch Pipe

The possible Pennsylvania lime discovery in Southeast Lynn County was running seven-inch casing, preparatory to making production tests over an indicated pay section at 9,312-80 feet.

The prospective discovery is Houston Oil Company of Texas and Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware No. 1 H. B. Howell.

The casing will be set at the top of the pay at approximately 9,290 feet. It previously had been reported that the pipe would be set at total depth of 9,360 feet. Operators have decided to set it at the top of the pay instead.

Will Swab Naturally
Intention first is to swab the indicated pay naturally, then possibly will acidize later. If commercial production cannot be developed from this section, operators will core deeper.

The No. 1 Howell is seven and one-half miles southeast of Tahoka and 467 feet from north and east lines of section 451, block 1, EL&RR survey.

Cable Tool Venture Staked In E-C Pecos

Carl Engel of Bakersfield has staked a 2,500-foot wildcat in East-Central Pecos County, three and one-half miles south of the town of Bakersfield.

The project will be Engel's No. 1 Westerman, located 1,850 feet from north and east lines of section 8, block 604, GC&SP survey.

Operations on the cable tool venture are to begin immediately.

Third Ellenburger Well In Peck Finaled

General American Oil Company of Dallas, which opened the Sweetie Peck-Ellenburger pool of Southwest Midland County, has completed the third Ellenburger well in the field.

It is the No. 2-E Peck, one location south of the General American No. 1-E Peck, the discovery well.

Drillsite is 660 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of the northwest quarter of section 21, block 41, T&P survey, T-4-S.

It is potential for 803.92 barrels of 52.4-gravity oil on a 24 hour natural flowing test through a one-half inch choke.

Pay was topped at 13,150 feet. Total depth is at 13,300 feet. Five and one-half inch oil string was set at 13,134 feet. Production on the test was from open hole.

C-S Borden Prospect Swabs To Clean Out

L. H. Armer (formerly Castleman & O'Neill) No. 1 Rogers, wildcat in Central-South Borden County, is reported to have swabbed approximately two barrels of fluid hourly for an unreported period. The recovery was 10 to 15 per cent oil. The rest was acid and formation water.

The production is being developed from 7,948 to plugged back total depth of 7,991 feet. The open hole

Derrick Installed On Midland Venture

Ralph Lowe's No. 1 Hill, wildcat in Northwest Midland County, has derrick up and is now moving in rotary rig to commence drilling operations.

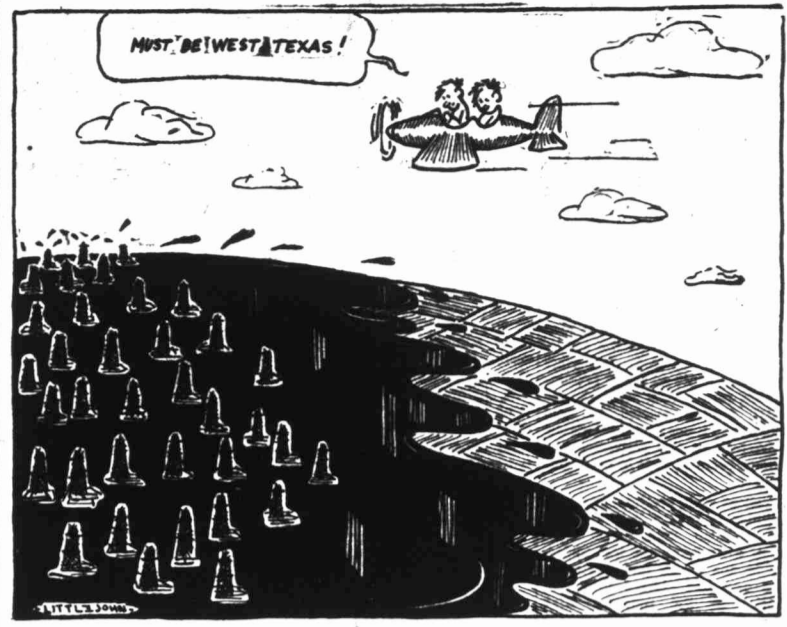
Drillsite is 660 feet from north-west and 1,980 feet from the northeast lines of section 30, block 39, T-2-S, T&P survey. That makes it five and one-half miles southwest of the city of Midland.

It is slated to be drilled to an estimated 12,500-foot depth to explore the Ellenburger.

This prospect is on a lease which has been owned by Magnolia Petroleum Company. Magnolia filed an application with the Railroad Commission of Texas for a permit to drill at this same site.

However, after the application was (Continued on Page Seven)

'Permian Pete' By Littlejohn



Wolfcamp Oil Is Found At Parks Field Outpost

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1, H. S. Collins, Central-West Midland County exploration, 11 miles southwest of the city of Midland, has proven for commercial production from the Wolfcamp lime of the lower Permian.

This prospect, which is one location north of the same company's No. 2 Parks, the opener of the Parks-Ellenburger field, showed its Wolfcamp oil in a two-hour drillstem test at 9,181-9,250 feet.

Gas surface came to the surface while the tool was open.

Unloaded Oil
When five dry strands of drill pipe had been pulled, fluid started unloading. The pipe continued to unload fluid intermittently while the remainder of the string was being pulled.

Total recovery was 500 feet of clean oil, and 8,237 feet of mud cut oil, which was mostly oil.

Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 625 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure was 1,275 pounds, after 15 minutes. There was no formation water in any of the fluid recovered from the drillstem test.

Operator is going to drill ahead until the full thickness of the Wolfcamp pay zone is determined.

Then the 7 5/8ths-inch intermediate casing will be run and cement and the project will drill ahead to the Ellenburger.

Area Rotary Rigs Are Off Slightly, Says Reed Survey

Active rotary rigs in the Permian Basin area on August 15 were slightly less than the August 1 figure, according to the semi-monthly survey of the Reed Roller Bit Company.

The last report lists 551 rigs in the area, as compared with 566 on August 1. But there is still no comparison between this month and on August 15, 1949, when only 343 rigs were operating in West Texas and New Mexico.

Scurry Loses Seven
During the last 15 days, Scurry County has lost seven more rigs, down to 140. Kent County also dropped four, from 35 to 31 rigs.

Borden County gained four rigs, while Howard County lost four during the last 15-day period. Borden now has 27 rigs operating; while Howard only has eight.

Midland County, including the Pegasus-Peck area is reported to have 48 drilling rigs in operation. This total is broken down to: Pegasus area, 21; Peck area, 14; and Tex-Harvey pool, nine. To these four "rank" wildcats in different parts of the county can be added, bringing the total to 48.

Tanner, Veteran Area Geologist, To Join Warren

Hugh A. Tanner, pioneer Permian Basin geologist is moving to the West Texas district office of Warren Oil Corporation in Midland on September 1.

For the past two years he has been in the geological department of Hiawatha Oil & Gas Company in this city.

Prior to his connection with Hiawatha Tanner did consulting work for about two years. Before that, he was in the geological department of The Ohio Oil Company in Midland.

ABELL FIELD HEARING

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Railroad Commission of Texas has scheduled a hearing September 14 of George T. Abell's application for adoption of special field rules on drilling and production in the North Abell-San Andres field in Pecos County.

GEORGE JOINS APO

C. E. (Clem) George, former geologist in the West Texas district office of Stanolind Oil & Gas Company, recently joined the division office of Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation, also in Midland. He is working in the geology department of APOCO.

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Sunray Production In Mid-Continent Realigns Personnel

The Mid-Continent division of Sunray Oil Corporation's production department will be supervised by C. J. (Joe) Kerwin and John H. Douma. It has been announced by H. O. Harder, vice-president and manager of Sunray's production department. Their headquarters will be in the Tulsa office.

Kerwin and Douma have been named assistants to J. R. Vandever, general superintendent of Sunray's producing activities in the Mid-Continent area. This zone comprises Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Illinois, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, New Mexico and Wyoming.

Merger Causes Change
Under the new alignment, resulting from the merger of the former Barnsdall Oil Company properties into Sunray's organization, Kerwin will be assistant superintendent for Kansas, Oklahoma, North and West Texas and New Mexico properties. Douma will supervise production activities in Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi and Gulf Coast and West Texas.

Kerwin joined the Sunray organization in 1948, having formerly been associated with Cities Service and the British America Oil Producing Company. Douma was formerly superintendent of the development and crude oil operations section for Barnsdall, having joined that company in 1938.

Field Supervision
Field supervision for Sunray's producing activities in North and West Texas will include: Perry A. Gill, superintendent; M. S. Patton, engineer, both with headquarters in Midland. Also stationed in Midland will be C. C. Brunton, and F. W. Ficklin, engineers.

J. F. Binkley, district engineer; T. A. Beedillon, engineer; Gordon Hillhouse, engineer, will work out of Snyder.

A. J. McQuiston, district superintendent, will be in Hobbs, N. M.; Lee Pruitt, district superintendent, will be in Odessa, and Vaughn Knight will be district superintendent in the Snyder area.

Skelly's WT Staff Adds Geologists

Two new geologists have been added to the staff of Skelly Oil Company's Permian Basin district office in Midland which is under the supervision of Allen Ehlers.

David Beethman, who formerly was on a surface geology party for the concern, has been moved into the district office. Leon S. Ditzell, who recently secured his master of geology degree from the University of Missouri, is the second new man.

Beethman also holds a degree of master of geology which was secured from the University of Nebraska.

Shell Oil Increases Quarterly Dividend

Shell Oil Company directors Friday declared a regular quarterly dividend of 75 cents a share on the common stock, payable September 29, to stockholders of record of September 13. This represents an increase of 26 cents each, and brings the total distribution for the three quarters to \$1.75 a share. The dividend payments for the full year 1949 aggregated \$3.00 a share.

Earnings for the first half of the current year were \$2.92 a share, compared with \$2.79 a share in 1949.

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Eddy Wildcat Begins Drilling Operations To Explore Delaware

HOBBS, N. M.—Allan Hargrave of Midland, has started drilling at his No. 1 Hanks, which is to be a 2,300-foot wildcat to explore into the Delaware sand in Central-South Eddy County.

It is 2,310 feet from north and west lines of section 9-26-27e, and near the town of Malaga. It has already started drilling and had reached 714 feet in gyp and anhydrite and was making more hole.

New Denton Exploration
The Ohio Oil Company No. 3 Denton is a new exploration for the Denton field of Central-East Lea County, about 15 miles north and slightly east of Lovington.

Location is at the center of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 11-15e-37e. It probably will dig to below 12,000 feet to explore the Devonian.

Earl G. Levick No. 1 Levick-State, wildcat in Central Chaves County about 17 miles northeast of Roswell, has been spudded and is drilling below 200 feet.

This wildcat is scheduled to be drilled to an estimated depth of 1,900 feet.

Drillsite is at the center of the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 36-9s-26e. Mers Pay Found

Amerada Petroleum Corporation has found more pay in the Pennsylvania at its No. 1-SA State, Central-East Lea County wildcat, seven and one-half miles northwest of Lovington.

A four-hour drillstem test at 10,000-10,015 feet developed 9,285 feet of clean oil and 90 feet of water. Operator is now preparing to core deeper.

The No. 1-SA State entered the Pennsylvania at 10,950-10,977 feet. Exact location of the 1-A Brownfield is 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 24-12s-37e.

House Pool Test
Sinclair Oil & Gas Company has scheduled a 7,300-foot test at the southwest side of the House pool in Central-East Lea County.

It is the No. 1 Daisy Blankenship and will be 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 2-20s-35e.

Continental Oil Company will drill its No. 1-30-B Hawk, 660 feet from the north and west lines of section 30-20s-35e in Central-East Lea County on the east side of the Skags pool. This project is to be drilled to an estimated 3,900-foot depth.

Explorer Tops Abo
Ralph Lowe No. 1 Dickinson is drilling below 8,361 feet in lime and shale of the Abo which was topped at 8,020 feet.

This wildcat is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 35-14s-37e and scheduled to 11,500 feet.

Drillsite is two miles north (Continued on Page Seven)

east offset to Gulf's No. 1 Saunders, discovery well of the Saunders field, is drilling below 8,892 feet in dolomite.

This offset is slated to go to 10,000 feet to test the Pennsylvania. It is located 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 34-14s-35e.

Gulf No. 1 Saunders is 1,980 feet from the west and 660 feet from the south lines of section 34-14s-35e.

McAlister Fuel Company No. 1-A Brownfield, wildcat 15 miles north of the Denton multiple field in Central-East Lea County, is drilling below 11,553 feet in Mississippian lime. Top of the Mississippian was picked by electric log to be at 11,045 feet.

This wildcat was originally contracted to 11,500 feet, but a new deal has been worked out to carry it on down to explore the Devonian.

It already has shown for the discovery of flowing production from the Wolfcamp lime of the lower Permian and also from the Pennsylvania lime.

The first show of oil in the Wolfcamp came during a drillstem test at 9,866-9,468 feet. The best show of possible production was developed at 9,575-9,734 feet.

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WRIGHT TO RETIRE—The retirement of Fred S. Wright, which is to become effective September 1, will dissolve his partnership with J. W. McMillen. The two men have been associated as independent oil operators in Midland for the last 14 years.

Wright And McMillen To End 14-Year Midland Partnership

On September 1, a 14-year partnership will be dissolved by Fred S. Wright and J. W. McMillen, Midland independent oil operators. Wright is retiring from active participation in the oil business and is to move to Fort Worth. He is now erecting a new home in that city. He plans to spend considerable time in Midland until the end of the year and will continue to office at the Wright and McMillen suite in the First National Bank Building until January 1. He retains ownership of his oil properties in this area and will continue to operate them—but plans to be less active in new development operations than he has been. McMillen continues alone. McMillen will continue to operate as an individual along the same lines as has been followed by the partnership for the 14 years of its existence.

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filed and before Magnolia started operations on the wildcat, a deal was made between that concern and Lowe for him to drill the well. This exploration will be approximately five miles northeast of Magnolia No. 2 Parks, recently completed flowing discovery from the Ellenburger. Magnolia's No. 1 H. F. Timmerman, wildcat in West Midland County, is drilling below 7,856 feet in lime and shale of the Permian. It is being drilled 660 feet from north and east lines of section 8, block 40, T-3-S, T&P survey and projected to 13,000 feet. Drilliste is 1 1/2 miles south of the city of Midland. C. W. Murchison of Dallas No. 1 Canon, wildcat 660 feet from north and east lines of section 13, block 41, T-4-S, T&P survey, 24 miles southwest of the city of Midland and four miles east of the Sweetie Peck field, is progressing below 8,260 feet in sand and lime. Drilliste is one and three-quarter miles north and one-quarter mile west of the Pegasus field. No. 1 Powell Drilling. Cumberland and Ted Weiner No. 1 Powell is drilling below 4,065 feet in anhydrite. This test is at the center of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 4, block 36, T-2-S, T&P survey. Operators will go to around 13,000 feet or to commercial production with rotary. It is two miles northeast of the Germania discovery. The same operators No. 1-A Faskan is drilling below 5,858 feet in shale. It is at the center of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 8, block 36, T-2-S, T&P survey.

Scurry Oil Fields Get 13 Locations

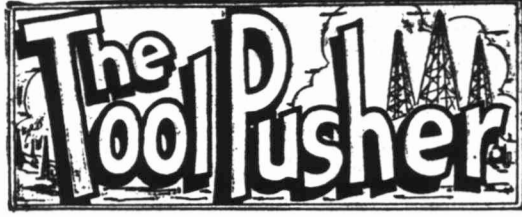
Oil activity in Scurry County has taken a shot in the arm, with the most recent reports from the Railroad Commission of Texas listing 13 new locations in the reef pools of that area. Cogdell pool led the list with six new locations; the Kelley-Snyder was second with five, while the Sharon Ridge-Canyon and Diamond M. Canyon pools had one each. The Texas Company has staked four more locations on its Fuller lease in the Cogdell area of Central-North Scurry. The proposed ventures will be No. 80, 81, 82 and 83 Fuller. All four of the projects will be in block 97, H&TC survey. Locations listed. No. 80 Fuller will be 487 feet from west and 2,055 feet from south lines of section 614; No. 81 Fuller will be 333 feet from west and 1,989 feet from north lines of section 615; No. 82 Fuller will be 487 feet from west and 775 feet from south lines of section 650; and No. 83 Fuller will be 487 feet from north and west lines of section 652. All four will be approximately 15 miles north of Snyder. Stanolind Oil & Gas Company has staked its No. 4-A D. M. Gibson on the south edge of the Cogdell field. Drilliste will be five miles north of Snyder, and 487 feet from south and west lines of northeast quarter of section 550, block 97, H&TC survey, and approxi-

Sun Quits Outpost In C-N Tom Green

Sun Oil Company has abandoned its No. 3 Lintinich, south outpost to the two-well Pulliam-Strawn pool in Central-North Tom Green County. Salt water was developed on a drillstem test of the Strawn at 5,488.95 feet. One the two-hour test, recovery was 45 feet of black salt water cut mud and 60 feet of black salt water. A weak to fair flow of air surfaced throughout the test. The No. 3 Lintinich is one-location south of the same operator's No. 2 Lintinich second well in the field. This new pool is four miles east of San Angelo.

Tom Green Wildcat To Be Abandoned

Shell Oil Company has abandoned its No. 2 Willis Johnson, wildcat in Central-North Tom Green County. The failure, located three miles southeast of the same operator's small Strawn discovery on the same lease, was abandoned at plugged back depth of 3,084 feet. On a final drillstem test at 2,930-3,039 feet, recovery was 660 feet of drilling mud, slightly cut with salty sulphur water and 1,900 feet of black salty, sulphur water. Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 1,250 pounds. The No. 2 Johnson previously had developed salt water in the Strawn and was plugged back in an attempt to make some sort of a well from the higher formation. Total depth was 4,928 feet in Strawn. Shell No. 1 Johnson, small Strawn discovery three miles northwest of the failure, was last reported pumping 19 barrels of oil and six barrels of water daily. The No. 2 Johnson was 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 336 1/2, Mary McMillan survey.



'Get Acquainted'

The seven-day period which starts Sunday has been officially designated "Get Acquainted Week" in Midland. The current edition of The Reporter-Telegram is filled with a wide variety of interesting information which will help all citizens of this city and adjacent areas in becoming better acquainted. All of us feel better, and get along better, if we are acquainted with our neighbors and with those whom we contact in our work and business. "Get Acquainted Week" and the "Get Acquainted Edition" of The Reporter-Telegram offer each of us the opportunity to get to know more about Midland, its people, its institutions and its organizations. The "Get Acquainted" program should be especially beneficial to the many newcomers in Midland, who are connected with various branches of the oil industry. All Midland citizens also are given an opportunity through "Get Acquainted Week," to learn more about the petroleum industry—the activity which is providing a major part of the income of this community. It can be revealed in this connection, also, that definite plans now are in the making for the starting soon of a well-organized program for providing to the public more information about the oil business and what it means to Midland and the Permian Basin. That program will be sponsored by the West Texas district of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association, in cooperation with other organizations in the oil business.

TEXAS OIL ROUNDUP—

Oil Industry Setting Record-Breaking Pace

BY MAX B. SKELTON HOUSTON—(AP)—A new record book will be needed by the oil industry by the end of the year if its present operations pace continues. For a second time this month, new records were set last week for gasoline production and the amount of crude oil processed by refineries. Also last week's crude production daily average was only 14,520 barrels below the daily average peak of 5,722,100 set in December, 1948. Chances are good that each of these records will be broken several times before January. There also is indication 1950 will establish new records for the number of oil wells drilled. The upward trend in operations has spread throughout the world. The Oil and Gas Journal said world crude output in June was 10,438,000 barrels per day, passing the 10,000,000 mark the first time in history. A similar committee for the Independent Petroleum Association of America meets next month to prepare a report for the group's annual meeting at St. Louis October 2-3.

Eddy Wildcat—

(Continued From Page Six) of the McAlester 1-A Denton in North-Central East Lea County, 14 miles northeast of Lovington. The No. 1-A Denton is the discovery well of the Denton field. It was completed from the Devonian for a 24-hour natural flow of 456 barrels of 44-gravity oil per day. Production was through perforations at 11,325 to 11,644 feet. Stanolind's No. 2 Federal-Leonard went to a total depth of 8,590 feet, plugged back to 7,900 feet. Top of the cement is at 8,010 feet. It has been drilled to 8,050 feet and preparations are being made to set wipstock to straighten hole. The No. 2 Federal-Leonard is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 12-26-37e. This wildcat is in extreme Southeast Lea County. It is one mile northeast of the No. 1 Federal-Leonard which was completed from the Devonian from open hole at 9,410 to 9,530 feet which is a plugged back total depth. The No. 1 Federal-Leonard flowed 24 barrels of 38-gravity oil per day after acidizing with 25,000 gallons of acid. Two Plugged And Abandoned. Delfern Oil Company's No. 1 State-Levick in Central Chaves County has been plugged and abandoned at a total depth of 1,772 feet in lime. This dry hole is 1,650 feet from north and west lines of section 25-10s-26e. J. W. Brown No. 2 State, 1,980 feet from north and 2,540 feet from east lines of section 25-10s-26e in Central Chaves County also has been plugged and abandoned as a dry hole. Operator drilled to 800 feet in sand before abandoning the project.

Signal Oil Opens Midland Offices

Signal Oil & Gas Company has established a West Texas-New Mexico district office in the Wemple-Avery Building, Midland. R. R. (Denny) Jackson, formerly associated with Cities Service Oil Company in the area, heads Signal's geological department in West Texas. Jackson reports that Signal will open an area land office shortly, but as yet no landman has been named. Signal's new offices are in rooms 207 and 208 Wemple Avery Building.

Reglin Named Area Chief Of Hiawatha

C. A. (Chuck) Reglin is the new superintendent for Hiawatha Oil & Gas Company in West Texas. He is to be in charge of the concern's drilling and production operations in this region. He came to Midland from La Porte in South Texas, where he had been in the production department of Standard Oil Company of Texas, 207 and 208 Wemple Avery the Permian Basin several years ago.

Five WT Ventures File P&A Forms

Plugging applications for five West Texas wildcats have been filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas office in Midland. In Gaines County, Guilberson Oil Corporation has abandoned its No. 1 R. J. Oil Company total depth of 7,515 feet. Location was in section 22, block A-22, pal survey. In Southwest Kent County, Drilling & Exploration Company No. 1-A Wilson has been plugged and abandoned in the San Andres at 2,271 feet. Drilliste was in section 18, block 5, H&GN survey. O'Neal Drilling Company has officially plugged its No. 1-A Spinning in Southeast Garza County. It was in section 15, block 5, H&GN survey. Total depth was 3,320 feet. In Central Ector County three-quarters of a mile north of the Harper field, W. J. Weaver has plugged and abandoned his No. 1 J. E. Parker. Total depth was 6,016 feet. Location was in section 16, block 41, T-2-S, T&P survey. In East-Central Pecos County, Carl Engel of Bakersfield has plugged his No. 1 Westerman at a total depth of 2,195 feet. Drilliste is in section 2, block 604, G&SF survey.

Washington Oil— Petroleum Payrolls And Incomes Analyzed In National Income Survey

BY JOSEPH HUFFLINGER WASHINGTON—A picture of petroleum producing companies' payrolls and incomes is presented in the Commerce Department's recent "national income" survey.

The report says salaries and wages of the 250,000 petroleum and natural gas production workers employed by companies advanced to the all time high of \$3,736 last year. This was an average of \$190 more per worker than in the preceding year. At the same time, total incomes of companies engaged in petroleum and gas production amounted to only \$448 million, a drop from the 1948 income figure of \$613 million. Of the income, the producing companies paid \$87 million in taxes, \$125 million in corporate dividends, leaving \$236 in undistributed income. While income last year was below that of 1948, it still was the second highest year for petroleum producers in the history of America, according to the report. An estimate of 250,000 production workers is contained in the report, but when executives are added, the total rises to 272,000.

As shown in the Commerce report, here's what happened to average wages of fulltime production employees, and to income after taxes in the last few years:

Year	Average earnings	Income after taxes of producing companies
1942	\$1,940	\$99,000,000
1943	2,299	194,000,000
1944	2,801	221,000,000
1945	2,762	95,000,000
1946	2,819	152,000,000
1947	3,157	296,000,000
1948	3,584	437,000,000
1949	3,736	3,61,000,000

Here's what the companies have been doing with their income, how much they've paid in dividends, how much they've kept, as shown in the report:

Year	Dividends	Undistributed corporate income
1942	\$4,400,000	\$55,000,000
1943	57,000,000	47,000,000
1944	48,000,000	73,000,000
1945	45,000,000	50,000,000
1946	60,000,000	92,000,000
1947	98,000,000	198,000,000
1948	141,000,000	296,000,000
1949	125,000,000	236,000,000

Expenses of production being what they are, thus, retained earnings went up 4.29 times in the seven-year period, while dividends went up only 2.8 times. Middle East Oil. Middle East prices: The Economic Cooperation Administration took another swing this week at the price structure in the Middle East. It said it will finance no more oil products, half of which are fuel oil, unless the price is cut sharply. Behind the complicated figures in which the ECA made its announcement, it appears ECA is asking a price reduction of 10 to 25 per cent. It says it will save \$3,000,000 to \$4,000,000 a year by the movement. The ECA's action is important, because it finances the bulk of the petroleum products coming from the Middle East, and thus it is, in effect setting the price. The big Ras Tanura refinery, owned 60 per cent by Caltex, 30 per cent by Esso Standard, and 10 per cent by Socony-Vacuum, chiefly will be affected. Next Step Cited. Next step in the ECA price cutting drive will be to lower the price for Middle East crude. Basis of ECA's action is that the cost of oil should be related to the cost of producing it; at present, says ECA, Middle East oil prices have been based on U. S. prices. Representatives of independent producers in Washington say there's nothing in this price cutting for Texas, Oklahoma and other domestic producers to fear; the cost would have to drop substantially more before Middle East oil could come to the United States competitively with domestic production.

Manpower

Military calls for reserves already are pinching the petroleum industry. About 250,000 reserves have been called, an equal number more will be called in a few months. Petroleum executives are fearful of "raids" on key personnel by the military, have asked Interior to intercede for them. But there's no machinery for Interior to act, yet, and companies are advised to go directly to the military. In 90 per cent of the cases where reserves have been called up, there have been requests for deferments, and the military is using a meat axe on additional requests. The ancient Romans believed Vulcan, the fire god, was a blacksmith with a forge in the volcano.

WTGS To Make Field Trip In Trans-Pecos Mountains

Final plans of the West Texas Geological Society's Fall field trip have been completed. The trip will cover the Malone, Quitman and Franklin mountain area during a three-day period of October 6, 7 and 8.

Stanolind Awards Safety Citations To WT-NM Areas

FORT WORTH—Two citations for outstanding safety records have been awarded to Stanolind Oil and Gas Company's North Texas-New Mexico division producing department, it was announced Saturday by John R. Evans, division manager. The Joseph A. Holmes Safety Association, which is sponsored by the U. S. Bureau of Mines, awarded the division its Certificate of Honor for having no lost-time accidents in producing operations from March 2, 1949, to Sept. 20, 1949. During this time, 1,087 producing department employees worked 1,144,778 man-hours without a lost-time accident. The second award won by division producing employees is the American Petroleum Institute's accident-prevention award plaque. The plaque was given in recognition of more than 1,000,000 man-hours worked without a lost-time accident from March 2, 1949, to Sept. 1, 1949. Joseph A. Holmes citations have also been given to three producing areas in the North Texas-New Mexico division, Evans said.

Areas Named

The Yates area at Iran, Texas, received a Holmes certificate for having no lost-time accidents from 1936 to 1949; the Hendrick area at Wink, Texas, had no lost-time accidents from 1946 to 1949; and the East Texas area at Longview, Texas, worked from 1948 to 1949 without a lost-time accident. As a company, Stanolind recently won a second Distinguished Service to Safety Award from the National Safety Council. The Hendrick area received the Association's Certificate of Honor for having no lost-time accidents in the period from Dec. 23, 1946, to Dec. 31, 1949. During this time, the area's payroll averaged 94 employees who worked a total of 602,149 man-hours. The Yates area received the Association's Certificate of Honor for having no lost-time accidents in the period from April 21, 1936, to Dec. 31, 1949. During this time, the area's payroll averaged 40 employees who worked a total of 1,183,166 man-hours.

First Canadian Crude Begins Flow To States

EDMONTON, CANADA—(AP)—First Alberta crude oil is flowing today in part of the 1,127-mile international pipeline which eventually will carry the fuel to the Great Lakes at Superior, Wis.

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Game Rained Out; Double Bill Sunday

The Longhorn League baseball game scheduled here Saturday night between the Midland Indians and the Roswell Rockets was called off on account of rain.

The two teams will meet in a doubleheader at Indian Park here Sunday. Starting time for the first game is 2:30 p. m.

Probable starters on the mound will be Leon Hayes for Midland and Ray Drake for Roswell.

Tail-End Pirates Bounce Phils 14-4

PITTSBURGH —(AP)— Philadelphia's National League front runners had one of "those days" Saturday and it was last-place Pittsburgh that fashioned their first loss in six starts as the Bucs downed the Phils 14-4.

Wally Westlake slammed his sixteenth home run for winners in the third, scoring Ralph Kiner and Jack Phillips ahead of him.

Monahans-Colorado City Session Here Is Spirited Affair

The Monahans Lobos and the Colorado City Wolves, Class A teams, went through a spirited scrimmage Saturday afternoon at Memorial Stadium. It was the first football action of the year for the Midland fans who flocked to the stadium to watch the boys in action.

The session was used by the coaches as a training period and was devoted almost entirely to correcting mistakes of linemen and backs.

Monahans appears to have a potent offensive and defensive club. The Lobos shined the Wolves in both departments even though they were fairly, evenly matched.

Cotton Bowl Ticket Sale Dates Announced

DALLAS —(AP)— Applications for tickets to the 1951 Cotton Bowl game will not be accepted until after November 1, Joe C. Thompson, Cotton Bowl president, said Saturday.

Some applications for tickets to next New Year's Day classic already have been received, but these will be returned as the board of directors of the Cotton Bowl Association has decided to continue the sale of tickets to the general public in the same manner in previous years.

This means applications will be accepted by mail only between November 1 and 4, inclusive. No applications will be accepted for more than four tickets.

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Average To Better Dove Shooting Is Outlook For Texas

AUSTIN —(AP)— Average to better mourning dove shooting for Texas' north zone was predicted Saturday by Howard Dodgen, executive secretary of the Game Commission.

North zone shooting begins Friday, one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.

Dodgen anticipated better hunting in the western and northern part of the state where hunters did not have too much luck last year. Field men have reported a superior outlook in the southern and eastern sectors of the state.

The north zone season is from September 1 through October 15. The southern zone shooting begins October 20 and continues through December 3.

Bag limit is 10 per day and 10 in possession. Ten-gauge shotguns are the largest that may be used. All shotguns must be permanently plugged to a three-shell limit.

Houston's Entry Wins Little League World Series Toga

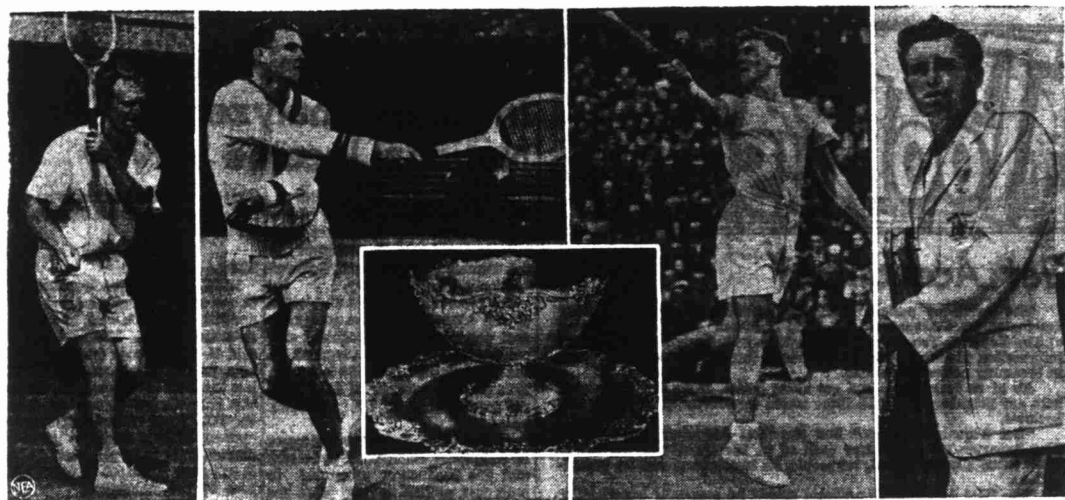
WILLIAMSPORT, PA. —(AP)— With pitcher Billy Martin hurling beautiful one-hit ball, Houston, Texas, won the Little League World Series here Saturday afternoon, defeating Bridgeport, Conn., 2-1 before a crowd of more than 10,000.

The 12-year-old righthander previously had tossed a no-hit, no-run game to defeat Westerly, R. I., 3-0. It was his second no-hitter in a row. He defeated San Diego, Calif., in regional playoffs at Austin, Texas, last Friday.

Senators Conquer White Sox 7 To 6

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Relief pitcher Howie Judson walked Cass Michaels with the bases loaded to force across the winning run in the eighth inning Saturday as Washington defeated Chicago 7-6. It ended a seven-game losing streak for Washington.

The score: R H E Chicago 100 500 000—6 11 2 Washington 004 000 03x—7 10 0 Wright, Judson and Mas; Beardson, Sims, Consuegra and Okrie, Grasso.



CHALLENGERS — The veteran Jack Bronwich and the youngsters, Ken McGregor, Frank Sedgman and George Worthington, left to right, seek to return the Davis Cup to Australia in the Challenge Round with the American team at Forest Hills, Aug. 25-27.

STANDINGS

SATURDAY'S RESULTS
Longhorn League
ROSWELL at MIDLAND, rain.
San Angelo 14, Big Spring 1.
Odessa 14, Sweetwater 13.
Vernon 5, Ballinger 3.

WT-NM League
Albuquerque 7, Borger 2.
Clovis 7, Amarillo 4.
Lamesa at Lubbock, rain.
Pampa-Abilene, unreported.

Texas League
Beaumont 1, Fort Worth 0.
Tulsa 3, San Antonio 3.
Dallas 4, Shreveport 2.
Oklahoma City 5, Houston 3.

National League
Pittsburgh 14, Philadelphia 4.
Brooklyn 7, Cincinnati 5.
New York 3, St. Louis 0.
Boston 12, Chicago 4.

American League
Detroit 8, Boston 6.
New York 3, St. Louis 2.
Cleveland 5, Philadelphia 4.
Washington 7, Chicago 6.

SUNDAY'S STANDINGS
Longhorn League
Odessa 88 50 638
Roswell 79 57 581
Big Spring 76 61 555
Vernon 74 61 548
San Angelo 69 65 515
Sweetwater 61 76 445
MIDLAND 60 76 441
Ballinger 36 97 271

WT-NM League
W. L. Pct.
x-Pampa 78 50 609
Lubbock 72 54 571
Albuquerque 74 56 569
Lamesa 71 57 555
Amarillo 65 60 544
x-Abilene 48 81 372
Clovis 48 83 366
x—Not including Saturday's game.

Texas League
W. L. Pct.
Fort Worth 83 54 606
Beaumont 83 55 601
Tulsa 74 64 536
San Antonio 68 70 493
Dallas 68 70 493
Oklahoma City 65 72 474
Shreveport 56 82 406
Houston 54 84 391

National League
W. L. Pct.
Philadelphia 74 46 617
Brooklyn 67 47 568
Boston 64 53 547
St. Louis 63 55 534
New York 61 55 526
Chicago 52 67 437
Cincinnati 47 70 402
Pittsburgh 42 77 353

American League
W. L. Pct.
Detroit 75 42 641
New York 75 45 625
Cleveland 76 46 623
Boston 73 49 598
Washington 51 66 436
Chicago 49 73 402
Philadelphia 41 80 339
St. Louis 39 78 339

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Sam Urzetta, Janitor's Son, Wins Amateur

MINNEAPOLIS —(AP)— Sammy Urzetta, son of a Rochester, N. Y., janitor, won the U. S. Amateur golf crown Saturday on the thirty-ninth hole of the longest match ever played to decide the title.

His victim was Frank Stranahan, millionaire son of a millionaire father, who pushed his tee shot out of bounds on the 537-yard thirty-ninth hole and then gamely played out the hole in hopes of staying even with the 24-year old youth from New York.

"I knew I could get him," was all the affable Urzetta had to say as he started the long trek back to the clubhouse of the Minneapolis Golf Club, where he was presented with the trophy. Stranahan said nothing. Urzetta advanced to the sixth round with a 2 and 1 defeat of Raleigh Selby, Kilgore, Texas.

The finished the hole with Urzetta getting a par five and Stranahan a six.

For the long day, Urzetta was even with the par of 71 while Stranahan was one over—the one blow that cost him the crown both he and his father had made it their purpose to win.

Papa Stranahan Looks On
Papa Stranahan, wealthy Ohio automobile parts manufacturer, was here to see his son lose. Papa Urzetta received the word of his boy's triumph by telephone.

The golf of the two combatants Saturday differed as greatly as their financial backgrounds. Urzetta, who paid for a part of his schooling by caddying, was quick but straight from tee to pin. Stranahan, born with a golden putter in his mouth, was deliberate but erratic.

But when the day's play was over it was the black-haired Sammy who was handed the huge gold trophy that had been won in the past by such greats as Bob Jones, Lawson Little, Chick Evans, Francis Ouimet and Willie Turnesa.

The defeat was especially bitter to Stranahan, who has toured the world since the war hunting golf victories. Already the winner of the 1950 British Amateur title, he wanted the amateur links crown of his own country to go along side it. It always has eluded him.

Kyle Rote of SMU scored more touchdowns during the 1949 season than any other player in the Southwest Conference—12.

SMU Signs Series With Notre Dame

DALLAS —(AP)— Southern Methodist University and Notre Dame have agreed upon a series of four football games beginning in 1953. Matty Bell, SMU athletic director, announced Saturday.

Last season, the Mustangs gave the Irish their biggest scare of the season when they held the mighty Notre Dame eleven to a 27-20 score. The nations No. 1 team was forced to use its first stringers throughout most of the contest in contrast to previous games when second, third and even fourth stringers usually finished out the contest.

The Irish and Mustangs already are scheduled to play in South Bend Dec. 5, 1953. The game will be in Dallas on Dec. 4 in 1954. In 1955, the teams will meet in South Bend September 24. The 1956 contest will be in Dallas September 23.

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New York Giants Erase Cards 3-0

ST. LOUIS —(AP)— Sal Maglie turned in his seventh straight victory Saturday in pitching the New York Giants to a 3-0 triumph over the St. Louis Cardinals. The Cards hit safely in every inning, piling up 11 blows. Three double plays eased Maglie's task.

The score: R H E New York 000 110 010—3 8 0 St. Louis 000 000 000—0 11 1 Maglie and Westrum; Brecheen and Bucha.

Yanks Nudge Brown 3-2 In Ninth Frame

NEW YORK —(AP)— Yogi Berra scored from second on an infield hit by Hank Bauer with two out in the ninth Saturday to give the New York Yankees a 3-2 win over the St. Louis Browns.

The score: R H E St. Louis 000 000 002—2 10 2 New York 200 000 001—3 10 1 Overmire, Garver and Moss, Lollar; Lopat, Ferrick and Berra.

Thomas-Fenton Bout Here Is Postponed

The scheduled wrestling bout between Umpire George Thomas and Red Fenton on September 12 here has been postponed, the promoters announced Saturday.

Fenton is unavailable due to an injury and Thomas will be working the Longhorn League playoffs at that time.

The bout will be scheduled at a later date, probably September 23.

Hill Prince Wins American Derby

CHICAGO —(AP)— Hill Prince, expertly ridden by jockey Eddie Arcaro, Saturday galloped to a length and a quarter victory in the \$78,375 American Derby before 20,740 at Washington Park.

The winner, a 3-2 favorite, ran the mile and a quarter in 2:01 1/5. Calumet Farm's All Blue finished second, with Your Host third and Theory, another Calumet speedster, fourth in a field of nine.

BREAKS ARM
Bob Drake, 311 North Fort Worth Street, was admitted Friday night to Western Clinic-Hospital for emergency treatment of a broken arm, suffered when he fell from a runaway horse.

Charity Runs Help Tigers Beat Bosox

BOSTON —(AP)— Detroit's first-place Tigers scored four unearned runs in the ninth inning Saturday for an 8-6 victory over Boston's Red Sox.

The Sox scored twice in their half of the ninth, but ran out of gas.

Fred Hutchinson, who replaced starter Hal Witte with none out in the first inning, lasted until the start of the Boston ninth for his fourteenth victory. Rookie Martin Stuart and Hal Newhouse came to his aid.

The Sox scored twice in the eighth to knot the score at 4-4.

Vic Wertz doubled to start Detroit's ninth. Hoot Evers tried to sacrifice but Walt Droth took his pop bunt. Johnny Groth walked, and Don Kolloway hit a grounder toward third, a potential double play ball which went through Johnny Pesky for an error. Connie Berry, running for Wertz, scored and Groth took second.

Johnny Lipon sent home the third and fourth Detroit runs with a two-bagger.

Walt Masterson was charged with the defeat.

The score: R H E Detroit 012 001 004—8 13 1 Boston 200 000 022—6 14 2 White, Hutchinson, Stuart, Newhouse and Swift; Robinson, Dobson, Kinder, Masterson and Batts.

Lemon Wins No. 20 As Tribe Edges A's

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— Bob Lemon Saturday became the first major league pitcher to win 20 games this season when he stopped Philadelphia in eighth-inning relief while Cleveland eked out a 5-4 victory. The A's outhit the Indians. One of Cleveland's hits was a three-run homer by Bob Kennedy, his ninth.

The score: R H E Cleveland 203 000 000—5 8 0 Philadelphia 010 100 200—4 12 1 Flores, Gromek, Benton, Zolidak, Lemon and Hegan; Coleman, Murray, Hooper and Astroth.

Braves Clobber Cubs In Two Big Rallies

CHICAGO —(AP)— The Boston Braves knocked Johnny Schmitz and Doyle Lade out of the box during a five-run second inning then scored seven runs off Johnny Klippstein Saturday to beat Chicago 12 to 4.

The score: R H E Boston 050 070 000—12 14 0 Chicago 010 000 201—4 8 2 Bickford and Cooper; Schmitz, Lade, Klippstein and Sawatski.

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Catcher



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Short Stop



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Pitcher



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Pitcher



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Pitcher



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Left Field



Mike Bellona
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Pro Baseball In Fourth Year Here

Professional baseball has done a four-year hitch in Midland this trip after a long layoff during the war and the man who has made it tick is Harold F. Webb, co-owner and former field manager of the Midland Indians. Webb owned and operated the club as well as managing it during the first three years of Longhorn League play. He was joined this season by H. W. Donohoo, who purchased an interest in the club.



Webb has retired from active field work with the Indians. Ralph Blair, veteran pitcher, managed the club during the first part of the season and Jim Prince, slugging first baseman, now it at the helm.

The Indians have made their poorest showing in the history of the Longhorn League this season but H. W. Donohoo Webb and Donohoo have let it be known they'll be back next season with a strong club. That is, if the world situation doesn't take the toll of Class D baseball.

Story Of Club Told
When Webb moved into Midland to set up his first club in 1947 he didn't have even a ball park. He immediately went to work in his well-known energetic way and the

SPORTS SLANTS

by SHORTHY SHELburnE

The big stretch for the Midland coaches will get underway Friday when the Bulldogs report for the first workout. It'll be a grind for both the team and the mentors for three months.

The real grind will come between Friday and September 22, when the Purple opens the season, however. Getting ready for that first game always is the big thing.

Off hand, we can't think of a guy in any profession who earns his money more than a high school coach. Some folks think he has a heavy train but it's not so.

A high school coach has a lot more to do than just coach. He must teach, too, you know.

Considering that generally he gets to school early, teaches his classes during the day and then goes out and works the football team three or four hours, we believe you'll agree he earns his money.

This is Get Acquainted Week in Midland and there is no better time than now to get acquainted with the new coaches and to renew acquaintances with the old fellows.

You'll be seeing Tugboat Jones, Audrey Gill, Red Rutledge, John Higdon, Pat Patterson and Bob Cochran around. You probably already know those fellows because they were here last year.

But let's meet the new men and let 'em know they are welcome to Midland and we are behind them.

Kath Bobo will work with the B Bulldogs at the high school and he leads a group of former grid stars from Midwestern University who have come here to coach this season.

Jack Russell and Don Powers are new junior high coaches. They'll be producing teams of tomorrow.

Edwin Nixon, Don Stringer, James Williams and O. C. Penn, elementary school mentors, will be doing the same thing. They also are new here.

Let's get acquainted with these fellows and really back the Midland sports teams this season.

A good way to back them, incidentally, is to purchase a season ticket or two when they go on sale Friday morning at the Chamber of Commerce.

Joe Akins, former Midland High School coach, has arrived in Japan, according to word received here. He returned to the service last year.

Mrs. Akins is in Seattle and sent the word about Joe. He's with the Eighth Army.

result was amazing to most folks. Webb prevailed upon the city to construct a park and it was ready by opening day. He had one of his strongest teams on the field when the season got underway.

The Indians finished second that year and went to the final round of the playoffs. Jim Prince won the minor league batting crown with a .429 mark.

In 1948 the Indians were stronger than ever before. They copped the pennant that year in a thrilling finish and playoff.

The Tribe put on a whirlwind finish to cap second place in 1949 and lost to Big Spring in the playoffs.

Webb has led a strong fight for baseball in West Texas and his promise of a strong club next season is good enough for most folks.

Midland Explorers, Kermit Take Swim Meet Division

Midland Explorer Scouts copped the first-place trophy in the senior division of the Buffalo Trail Council swimming meet Saturday morning at Pagoda pool, while Boy Scouts from Kermit Troop 366 won the trophy in the Scout group.

The meet included teams from Odessa, Monahans, Kermit and Midland.

In the Explorer division, Midland's Troop 85 won with 52 points, Monahans was second with 32, Odessa third with 20 and Kermit trailed with 12 points.

In the Scout division, Kermit had 35 points, Odessa was second with 31, Midland and Monahans tied with 24 points for third place, but Midland won a flip for the ribbon.

The meet was followed by a barbecue at the Pagoda Park site. Guy Brenneman is in charge of the barbecue, and awards for the meet were presented by J. M. McDonald, chairman of the El Centro District committee. Trophies were awarded to the winning Scout and Explorer teams, and ribbons went to all other winners.

J. C. Brooks, Midland county farmer, donated the wood for the barbecue and the Kimbell-Midland Company donated the beans.

Scout Division
The winners in the Scout division: Breast stroke, 40-yards; Downey, Odessa, 2; Steading, Odessa, 3; Splers, Kermit, Time 28.

Free Style, 40-yards; Howard, Midland, 2; Earle, Kermit; 3. Summers, Monahans, Time 26.2.

Free Style, 100-yards; Howard, Midland, 2; Earle, Kermit; 3. Stewart, Monahans, Time 1:23.3.

Back Stroke, 40-yards; Howard, Midland, 2; McNabb, Kermit; 3. Stewart, Monahans, Time 33.6.

Medley Relay, 120-yards; Bean, McNabb, Earle, of Kermit; 2. Stewart, Hilburn, Summers of Monahans; 3. Brown, Bosman, Marks of Kermit, Time 1:50.

Cross Chest Carry was won by Wayne Miller of Odessa.

Free Style Relay, 160-yards; Bean, McNabb, Earle, Lyon of Kermit; 2. Miller, King, Steading, Fountain of Odessa; 3. Bosmas, Marks, Smith, Henrichs of Kermit, Time 2:9.8.

Diving; Howard, Midland, 2. King, Odessa; 3. Henrichs, Kermit.

Explorer Division
Winners in the Explorer Division: Breast Stroke, 100-yards; Kinsey, Midland; 2. Wills, Kermit; 3. Davis, Monahans, Time 1:21.5.

Back Stroke, 100-yards; Mims, Midland; 2. Cornwall, Midland; 3. Chambers, Monahans, Time 1:30.7.

Free Style, 100-yards; Erskine, Midland; 2. Pine, Midland; 3. Harvill, Odessa, Time 1:10.8.

Free Style, 200-yards; Cornwall, Midland; 2. Pine, Midland; 3. Harvill, Odessa, Time 2:59.

Cross Chest Carry; Wills, Kermit; 2. Bush, Odessa; 3. Pine, Midland, Time 44.5.

Medley Relay, 180-yards; Davis, Neil, Chamber of Monahans; 2. Leggett, Crenshaw, Cornwall of Midland, Time 2:55.5.

Free Style Relay, 160-yards; Erskine, Turner, Kinsey, Mims, of Midland; 2. Chambers, Jordan, Harper, Davis of Monahans; 3. Bush, Harvill, Rogers, McLaughlin of Odessa, Time 1:07.

Diving; Kinsey, Midland; 2. Davis, Monahans; 3. Sneed, Midland.

Officials for the meet were: Wayne Miller of Odessa, head judge; Newell Hughes, Terminal; Ted Thorson, Bob Pine, the Rev. Clyde Lindsley, all of Midland, and W. C. McLaughlin of Odessa, judges; Dick Kneld of Odessa, recorder; Malcolm Brenneman, announcer; S. G. Painter, starter.

Texas Swelters On Runoff Primary Day

By The Associated Press
Texas had hot weather for the second Democratic primary election Saturday—and more such weather was in prospect through Sunday.

Temperatures went generally into the 90's again Saturday. There were a few scattered showers — among them one at Beaumont—but there was plenty of sunshine, too.

The forecast was for a few showers along the coast and in the Panhandle—but no great change in temperatures.

UNDERGOES MINOR SURGERY
Dorothy Landwermyer, seven-year-old daughter of Mrs. I. R. Odum, was admitted Saturday to Midland Memorial Hospital for minor surgery.

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Scribes Again Put Texas Steers Into Role Of Favorites

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor
Southwest Conference football busts out all over this week as the seven veteran-bulging squads swing into Fall practice.

More than 150 men who have earned their standings in varsity fire will be present when the coaches call the rolls.



BACK AGAIN — Dunny Goode of Midland, one of the nation's top pass receivers last season, will be back with the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys again this year. He snagged 11 passes for touchdowns last Fall.

Sugar Ray Kayoes Jose Basora In 52-Second Melee

SCRANTON, PA. —(AP)— They jeered Sugar Ray Robinson his last time out, but there was nothing but cheers for the Harlem dandy Saturday.

Robinson proved for all time Friday night that he ranks with the ring's great boxers as he ripped and slashed Jose Basora with a ferocious assault that earned the Sugar a 52-second knockout in the first round of a scheduled 15-round championship bout.

Basora was seeking Robinson's middleweight title, Pennsylvania version.

Two weeks ago Robinson looked unimpressive in winning a 15-round decision over Charley Fusari.

Basora entered the ring at 159 3/4 to Robinson's 154 3/4.

This is "Get Acquainted" Week!

A gaudy interseasonal schedule starts the touch-down parade September 23. Every team except defending champion Rice has a game on that date.

Practice officially begins next Friday and will be on the usual two-day basis.

Rice will be back with a fair nucleus of its great team to win the title without a conference loss and walloped North Carolina in the Cotton Bowl. But the Owls aren't being rated higher than fifth in any quarter this season except by some of the coaches. Rice is lean on manpower, particularly in the line.

Texas is one of the strongest favorites in history. A great line which even Texas coaches admit is the main reason for the Longhorns to be accorded their high rank.

Aerial Circus To Swirl
Southern Methodist, with its aerial circus due to swirl madder than ever; Arkansas, with the best distribution of veterans in the circuit—the Razorbacks are deep at all positions—and Texas Christian, with a balanced squad, are expected to offer the strongest fight for Texas in its search for its first title in five years.

Texas A&M, which hasn't won a conference game since 1947—and has won only one game of any kind—has the most lettermen. There are 30 with 19 of them juniors and 11 seniors. The Aggies, it is freely predicted, will leave the cellar this time.

Which gets down to Baylor. The Bears are expected to be stronger defensively than last year but no one expects them to do better offensively with the kipnap of the 1949 whirlwind attack—tail Adrian Burk—no longer with Baylor.

Shell, Rendezvous Begin Playoff Tilts

Shell and Rendezvous, who tied for fourth place in the regular season City Major League standings, will tangle Monday night for the right to meet Western Plastic in a best two-out-of-three series for a semi-final spot in the playoffs.

Western Plastic finished atop the eight-team loop.

Standard and Rotary will meet Tuesday for the right to a berth in the championship finals.

Texas Schoolboys Start Grind Friday

By The Associated Press
The legions of Texas schoolboy football swing into their thirty-first annual campaign Friday.

From Panhandle to Gulf, from the Piney Woods to the far Western border they will be at it hot and heavy in Fall practice. A smattering of games also is scheduled.

Part of the field of 851 teams that will play in the five divisions of the Interscholastic League has been at work since August 15. Those were the Class A teams, which do not have Spring training, thus open practice 15 days ahead of the others.

This year there will be 27 teams in the City Conference, 79 in Class AA and 226 in Class A. These three divisions establish state champions.

Class B, which decides only regional champions, has 360 teams. Six-man football, which also goes only to regional playoffs, boasts 160.

The first games will be played by the Class A teams. Two contests are scheduled Friday with Colorado City at Wink and Cleveland at Port Arches (Port Arthur). Saturday Lockney goes to Siamrock, Freer to Donna and Crosbyton to Littlefield.

First AA Contests
Class AA plays its first games September 8 with Stephenville at Sweetwater, Denton at Longview, Henderson at Gladewater, Palestine at Tyler, Fair Park (Shreveport) at Marshall, Kilgore at Freepport, Kerrville at Port Arthur, Kirwin (Galveston) at Beaumont, Laredo at Mercedes and Weslaco at Brownsville.

City Conference teams do not begin play until September 15. It will be September 22 before all schools of the state have swung into the schedule.

Favorites are pronounced in the state championship races.

Lamar of Houston has been put on the spot in the four-district City Conference with Sunset (Dallas), Paschal (Fort Worth), and Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) the other district favorites.

In Class AA Odessa, Sherman, Highland Park, Conroe, Port Arthur and Miller (Corpus Christi) get the chief mention. Class A has many top teams including New Braunfels, Sulphur Springs, Mt. Vernon, Dalhart, Andrews and Littlefield.

Regular monthly matches are held at the Midland Air Terminal with events are scheduled monthly for both bench rest rifles and hunting rifles.

An annual bench rest tournament is held at the Air Terminal range, with contestants entering from several adjoining states. A new world record at 200 yards was set in the 1950 match by Bill Guse of Del Rio.

Visitors always are welcome to make use of the facilities provided at each range.

Rain Washes Out Semi-Pro Tournament

WICHITA, KANS. —(AP)— Heavy rain caused the postponement of all games scheduled Saturday night in the National Sempiro Baseball Tournament.

The tournament will be resumed Sunday afternoon.

The revised schedule: Monday—Alpine (Texas) Cowboys vs. Worland (Wyoming) Indians. Tuesday—Sinton (Texas) Plymouth Oilers vs. Loser (Alpine) Cowboys-Worland Indians).

Goodfellow Licks McCamey For Title

SAN ANGELO —(AP)— Goodfellow Air Force Base won the championship of the first Texas Fastball Tournament Saturday night. The Skyhawks put on a last-inning, three-run rally to down the McCamey Rockets 4-2.

Ladies Bowling Loop To Hold Meeting Here

Plans for organization of the Ladies Bowling League will be discussed at a meeting at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday at Flamingo Lanes. Billy Roy announced Saturday.

She urged all bowlers and representatives of prospective teams to attend.

Maryland is the only newcomer on the 1950 North Carolina football schedule.

Dot Kieley Annexes Canadian Golf Title

WINNIPEG —(AP)— Dot Kieley of Los Angeles won the Canadian Women's Open golf championship Saturday for her second major golf title in three weeks.

Miss Kieley bested the defending champion—Grace De Moss of Corvallis, Ore.—4 and 5 in a scheduled 36-hole final.

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Kermit 'Jackets' Are Fortified With Seven Lettermen

By SHORRY SHELBURNE
Reporter-Telegram Sports Editor

KERMIT—The Kermit Yellowjackets, fortified with seven returning lettermen and some good reserves, will get more than a passing glance when the District 5-A football race is run this season. Although not picked by many as a title favorite, the 'Jackets can cause a lot of trouble for the pre-season picks—Andrews and Pecos.

Coach Derrell Mayer, shifting his material so as to get the maximum out of it, has come up with Wayne Culvahouse at fullback. That is one maneuver which may pay off in touchdowns galore.

Culvahouse was an end last year but even then he developed a reputation as being a hard runner. He weighs in at 175 pounds—enough to make him a power runner.

The brilliant backfield star of last season's Kermit eleven, Rick Spinks, is back to pack the mail again. He rated All-District honors last year and was picked as probably the outstanding ball carrier in the conference.

Spinks has a little added weight to go with his flashing speed this year. He's a 175-pounder now but still is fast and shifty. He runs from a halfback slot.

Haygood Back Pat Haygood, a speedster of note and another letterman, will be at the other halfback spot. He is a little light—135—but is fast enough to be a break-away threat. Sammy Wood and Don Handlin are battling it out for the quarter-

back position. Chances are both will see a lot of duty there when the season gets underway.

Wood was a squadman last year and weighs 145. He'll do a good job as the man under in the Kermit T formation when he gets a little more ball-handling experience.

Handlin is a sophomore up from last year's Junior High School team. He is developing fast.

Coach Mayer is fortunate to have D. K. Brown, center; D. W. Pendleton, guard; K. D. Ives, tackle; and Jack Smith, end, around which to mold his forward wall. All are lettermen and Brown, Pendleton and Ives are plenty hefty.

Brown weighs 190 pounds and Pendleton and Ives tip the scales at 195. Smith is lighter at 150. To go with these veterans, the Yellowjackets have a good crop up from the B team of 1949.

Hefty Reserves Move Up Keith Clark and Dale Williams, 175-pound tackles, and Benny Carr, 170-pound guard, will add punch to the line. All are up from the B squad.

Martin Beede and James Burkhardt, a pair of 170-pound ends, also are shaping up nicely.

Courtney Holt, a lightweight at 125 but a boy with ability, is understudying Rick Spinks and may prove valuable before the season is completed. He'll be around in case he is needed.

Jerry Marshall, a speedy 160-pound back, is nursing a shoulder injury and may not be able to play regularly this year. He is a fine prospect and the coaches speak highly of his possibilities if he comes around.

Coach Mayer will retain about 25 of the 54 boys now working out on turned over to B team Coach Bob Hill. A squad and the others will be Shelton.

Coach Neal Dillman handles the line for the varsity.

Coach T. W. Key is to call his junior high charges Saturday for their first drill.

Grid Rules Clinic Stated September 3; Poss Yeary Speaker

Poss Yeary, widely known Fort Worth football official, will conduct a football rules interpretation clinic under the sponsorship of the Midland-Odessa Football Coaches and Officials Association Sunday, September 3 in Hotel Scharbauer. The meeting will open at 10 a. m. and continue throughout the day.

The officials organization annually is host to football officials and coaches from West Texas at a rules interpretation session.

The Midland Bulldog Booster Club is cooperating in holding the clinic.

Pete Gillespi of Odessa is president of the Midland-Odessa Association and has invited all interested persons to attend the meeting.

Ben Schwartzwalder, Syracuse football coach, has never had a team in a tie. In four years of coaching his clubs have won 20 and lost 10.



MAKING A POINT—Del Rice tries to sway Dusty Boggess' decision by pointing to a spot on the wall, where the Cardinals claimed the Cubs' Andy Pafko's 27th home run bounced off and onto the field at Chicago's Wrigley Field. The umpire ruled that the sphere went into the stand and bounced out again. Prototyping with the catcher are Stan Musial, foreground, and Marty Marion.

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Bulldogs Open Drills Friday

The 1950 edition of the Midland Bulldogs, stocked with several lettermen and plenty of weight in the line, will open training at 9 a. m. Friday in Memorial Stadium. Athletic Director Tugboat Jones said two workouts a day will be held until school starts.

Most of the players are expected to report in good shape and workouts will reach the "rough" stage within a week. Coach Jones said the sessions will be two and a half hours both in the morning and the afternoon. The afternoon workouts will start at 3:30 p. m.

Coach Jones said 37 candidates for the varsity will turn out and the B and C teams probably will have more than 50 each.

When school takes up, Coach Jones will work his young backfield men in the gymnasium for an hour each morning before school time. He plans to start these periods about 7 a. m.

The Bulldogs this year will have one of the heaviest lines in the conference and the backfield will be hefty but not too fast.

By Line The varsity line will average more than 170 pounds and will have lettermen at all positions. The backs will average near 160 pounds and also will be experienced hands.

The coaching staff this season will consist of Head Coach Jones, Red Rutledge, end coach; Audrey Gill, line coach; John Higdon and Keith Bobo, B team coaches and Pat Patterson, C team coach. Rutledge and Gill will handle most of the scouting.

The Junior High School coaches are Bob Cochran, eighth grade; Jack Russell, seventh grade; and Don Powers, sixth grade.

Elementary school coaches include Edwin Nixon, Don Stringer, James Williams and O. C. Penn.

The Bulldog team roster follows: Reed Gilmore, Jack Purris, Charles Crowley, Johnny Kennedy, L. C. Thomas, Gaylon Strickland, Larry Lynn, Jimmy Lineberger, Freddie Bilbo, Jimmy Adams, Bill Spence, Charles Jones, Graham Mackey, Jimmy O'Neal, Pete English.

Dalton Byerley, Bob Woods, Stan Coker, Robert Melton, Dan Black, Bill Madart, Larry Friday, Jimmy Locke, Roy Kinsey, Bill Grissett, V. H. Black, Harold Hensley, Robert Kealing.

Ralph Brooks, Bob Burks, Loren Roberts, Jerry Culp, Glenn Baker, Leo Hatfield, Dwane Bush, Charles Hendrix, Al Scoggins, Fred Underwood, David Lavery and Guy Vanderpool.

WIDENER COLT WINS SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y. — (AP)—George D. Widener's Battleground won the \$58,750 Hopeful Stakes Saturday at Saratoga and established himself as the leading two-year-old of the season.

TEXAS LEAGUE Fort Worth 1, Shreveport 0. Beaumont 7, Dallas 1. Tulsa 4, Houston 2. San Antonio 4, Oklahoma City 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE Philadelphia 9, Pittsburgh 7 (15 innings). Chicago 7, Boston 6. Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 0. St. Louis 7, New York 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE Boston 6, Detroit 2. New York 10, St. Louis 0. Cleveland 6, Philadelphia 1-5. Chicago 6-10, Washington 1-5.

The Universities of Washington and California have tangled 35 times on the football field and each has 16 wins to show for it. Three games ended in ties.

Colts Take Finals To Sweep Series

The Midland Indians dropped another ball game to the San Angelo Colts Friday night. The 8-5 win gave the Colts a clean sweep of the three game series in Indian Park.

Glen Patton and LeRoy Jari shared the hurling chores for the Indians. Patton got rough treatment, lasting only three innings. Jari hurled four-hit ball the remainder of the way. He gave up two runs but they were unearned.

San Angelo jumped on Patton for five big ones in the second. Three extra-base hits and three singles plus an error did the job. Ken Kowalik and Bob Cruces hit consecutive triples to spark the big rally.

Midland picked up one in the first on a triple by Lou Dawson and a single by Kenny Jones and another in the third on a homer by Dawson but those two weren't nearly enough to catch up.

Bob Cruces hit his third homer in two days in the fourth to give the Colts a 6-3 lead. That just about finished the game.

Tribe Adds Two Midland picked up two in the sixth on a walk to Dawson and singles by Jim Prince, Kenny Jones and Bob Phillips. That still wasn't enough to get back in the ball game.

In the fifth, the Tribe might have had two more and might have gone ahead except for a boner on the part of someone coaching the bases. LeRoy Jari was on third and Mike Bellone stole third and both he and Jari were tagged out by Dutch Punderburk in a moment of confusion.

San Angelo counted two more in the eighth on two singles and a pair of errors. The hits were bunts. Soother Hughes singled to open Midland's ninth and Bellone and Quentin Basco, playing first in the place of Jim Prince, followed suit but it was no dice. The next two men went out. Basco's single drove in Hughes with Midland's final run.

The box score: San Angelo AB R H O A Guerrero, ss 5 0 0 1 0 Caballero, lf 4 2 2 1 0 Kowalik, 3b 6 2 2 1 3 Cruces, cf 4 1 2 2 0 Smith, 2b 4 0 1 5 6 Punderburk, c 2 0 1 3 0 Pollett, rf 5 1 1 2 0 Wallace, lb 5 1 2 1 0 Ewen, p 5 1 3 1 1 Totals 40 8 13 27 18

Midland AB R H O A Hughes, ss 5 1 1 4 7 Bellone, 3b 5 0 3 2 4 Dawson, lf 4 3 2 2 1 RBi-Caballero, Kowalik, Cruces 2, Wallace 2, Dawson, Basco, Jones 2, Phillips, rf 4 0 1 3 0 Punderburk, c 3 0 1 2 0 Teel, 2b 3 0 0 2 1 Patton, p 2 0 0 0 2 Jari, p 2 0 0 0 2 Totals 36 5 13 27 18

Petroleum Bowling League Meet Slated New officers for the Petroleum Bowling League will be elected at a meeting at 7:30 p. m. Monday at Pioneer Lanes, Don Emmert announced Saturday.

Emmert said the meeting will include other important business and urged a large attendance. He said the league possibly will include 20 teams this winter.

1951 STATE GOLDEN GLOVES DATES SET PORT WORTH —(AP)—Dates for the 1951 Texas Golden Gloves State Tournament will be February 14, 15, 16, 17 and 18, it was announced from state headquarters here Saturday. The meet will be held in Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum here.

Australian Netters Win Davis Cup

FOREST HILLS, N. Y. —(AP)—After a lapse of 11 years, Australia again became the world's tennis capital Saturday as its brilliant Davis Cup team swept to its third straight victory over this nation's stars and clinched the international trophy.

With more than 11,000 thrilled fans sitting in on the kill, John Bromwich and Frank Sedgman completed the rout with a twinging, five-set win over Ted Schroeder and Gardner Mulloy. The scores were 4-6, 6-4, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4, and it was a humdinger of a struggle.

Two more singles will be played Sunday, but only for the record. The Aussies were congratulated and told the cup was theirs in a lively ceremony on the stadium court immediately after they quit knocking our lads around Saturday.

Clean Sweep Possible As the challengers captured both of Friday's singles without loss of a set, thanks largely to the sensational play of a youngster named Ken McGregor, the count in sets Saturday night stood at 9-2 in their favor. Such a decisive margin of victory could not have been imagined before the series began.

If they win both of Sunday's singles, the boys from down under will match the feat of the American team which matched the cup from them in the first post-war matches at Melbourne in 1946. The next challenge round, incidentally, will be played in Sydney in the winter of 1951.

Prince Clings To Loop Baffling Lead Midland's Big Jim Prince slumped another three percentage points the last week but maintained his hold on the Longhorn League leading batman with a .394 mark, according to the weekly averages released Saturday.

Prince, who has been playing only part time the last 10 days due to an injured leg, collected just three hits during the last week's play in 16 times at the plate. Manager Tom Jordan of Rowell stayed in hot pursuit of Prince, upping his average to .389 to rank second.

Leaders in each offensive department are: Jordan in homers, 38; total bases, 249; hits, 191; and runs batted-in, 159; Leo Eastham of Odessa in runs, 147, and bases on balls, 147; Prince in doubles, 49; Arnold Davis of Vernon in triples, 15.

Cotton Russell of Vernon and Frank Hill of Rowell lead the league pitchers with 21 wins each.

Larry Doby of the Cleveland Indians struck out five times in one game in 1948.



HE CAN'T USE THEM—Bob Wilkinson apparently can't wait for the season to begin, so UCLA's pass-catching end goes water-skiing in a football uniform at his Lake Arrowhead, Calif., home.

Andrews Player Is Injured In Workout

ANDREWS — Carl Hughen, who will play end this year for the Andrews Mustangs, suffered a brain concussion Thursday in scrimmage. Thursday night, he was reported resting well in the Andrews Hospital. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughen.

Coach Francis Tubbs has announced that eight lettermen will play on his squad this year. They are Bob Summerwell and Hughen, ends; Billy Phillips and Robert Forbes, tackles; Pat Wright, center; Ernie Reid, Jack Smith and Don Floyd backfield.

Andrews' first game will be Sept. 8, in Andrews when the team will play Dalhart. The first conference game will be with Pecos September 15, in Andrews.

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Longhorn League—Tom Jordan Clouts Homer To Tie Mark

By The Associated Press
Odessa's Olers are among the heaviest winners in baseball. They have taken 87 decisions in leading the Longhorn League and there are few clubs can boast such an accomplishment.

Friday night the Olers beat Vernon, 4-1, coming from behind to do it. Vernon scored first but Odessa tied it up and then went ahead to stay in the fourth on three singles and a walk.

Second-place Rowell fell seven and a half games back by losing to Sweetwater, 14-7. The Swatters ripped over seven runs in the fourth to turn the game into a rout.

Tom Jordan of Rowell tied the league record for home runs as he clouted his thirty-seventh.

San Angelo beat Midland, 8-5, blasting over five runs in the second inning on six hits. Bob Cruces homered for San Angelo and Lou Dawson for Midland.

Big Spring rallied for three runs in the ninth to decision Ballinger, 5-4. Pat Stasey and Maney Junco hit homers in the uprising.

The scores:
San Angelo 050 100 020—8 13 1
Midland 101 002 001—5 13 4
Ewen and Punderburk; Patton, Jari and Jones.

Big Spring 000 000 022—5 9 3
Ballinger 100 000 111—4 8 3
Jiminez, Uley and Junco, Calvinio; Jacobs, Davis and Garcia.

Odessa 001 200 010—4 8 0
Vernon 100 000 000—1 8 0
Dugger and Hernandez; Russell and Herring.

Rowell 000 122 101—7 14 4
Sweetwater 200 713 01x—14 16 2
Hill, Hess and Souza; Jones and Pinley.

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Season Grid Tickets On Sale Friday

Season tickets for the home games of the Midland Bulldogs will go on sale at 8 a. m. Friday at the Chamber of Commerce and football fans are reminded to take advantage of the advance sale. The duets will remain on sale only until noon Saturday.

This year the tickets also will be sold in blocks to oil companies and business firms here. Most of the tickets remaining from the open sale to the public on Friday and Saturday are expected to be disposed of in the block sales.

The Midland Bulldog Booster Club, the Chamber of Commerce and several individuals will assist in the ticket sales.

It is hoped that a record number of season duets can be sold this year to support a fine looking Bulldog eleven.

The Bulldogs will play five home games. Odessa and Big Spring will be conference foes playing here. Plainview, Mineral Wells and Yaleta are the non-conference teams which will appear in Memorial Stadium.

The season will open September 22 with Yaleta here.

Baseball Roundup

By The Associated Press
FRIDAY'S RESULTS
Longhorn League
SAN ANGELO 4, MIDLAND 5.
Big Spring 5, Ballinger 4.
Sweetwater 14, Rowell 7.
Odessa 4, Vernon 1.

WT-NM LEAGUE
Pampa 17, Abilene 1.
Lubbock 9, Lamesa 5.
Albuquerque 8-4, Borger 2-3.
Clovis 12-7, Amarillo 8-4.

TEXAS LEAGUE
Fort Worth 1, Shreveport 0.
Beaumont 7, Dallas 1.
Tulsa 4, Houston 2.
San Antonio 4, Oklahoma City 3.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Philadelphia 9, Pittsburgh 7 (15 innings).
Chicago 7, Boston 6.
Brooklyn 6, Cincinnati 0.
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Midland Gun Club One Of Best In State

Interest in all sports is high in Midland and one of the biggest and most active sporting organizations in the area is the Midland Gun Club, specializing in skeet shooting.

Organized in the 1940's, the Midland Gun Club has undergone continuous development and is numbered among the best in the state.

The club boasts the most modern of facilities at its ranges at the Midland Airpark in North Midland.

Four skeet ranges George Glass, Sr. are maintained with constant care and provide ample equipment to accommodate a large number of shooters. More ranges will be added as the need arises.

A large clubhouse is on the site.

The Midland Gun Club has several outstanding skeet shooters to match its excellent facilities. George



Glass, Jr., blasted his way to the National Junior Championship in 1948 and held the Texas Junior titles in 1948-49. Teamed with his father, George Glass, Sr., the youth has shared in many two-man victories.

James Mascho and Wright and Clyde Cowden are among others who have won high honors under the club banner.

The West Texas Open Skeet Shoot, scheduled for early September, is one of the four big meets annually staged by the 150 members of the Midland Gun Club. Skeet shooters

of international rank are regularly attracted to these events.

Glass, Sr., is president of the club. Other officers are: Mascho, vice president, and C. K. (Ted) Lowe, secretary-treasurer.

Directors are Allen Cowden, Paul Davis, Phil Yeckel, Bob White, Carl Westlund, R. R. Harrell, Mascho, Lowe, R. B. Cowden, Wright Cowden, W. G. Epley, Pat Ruckman, H. J. Phillips, Jack Goddard, Watson LaForce, Glass, Jr., Glass, Sr., J. C. Bertrand, W. C. Chancellor and Ish McKnight.

DAV Chapter Here Holds Family Night

Members of the Midland chapter of Disabled Veterans and their families recently enjoyed the first "Family Night" event of the organization at a free barbecue held in the American Legion Hall.

Approximately 50 persons attended. Music was furnished by the H. L. Price Orchestra of station KJBC. Senior Vice Commander Ben Stanley was in charge of a business meeting held in connection with the special night.

It was announced a location for a DAV Hall had been obtained. Use of the site was discussed. Building committee for the new hall is composed of F. D. Reven, Pleas Curd,

Floyd Rhoden and E. N. Beauchamp. Post officers are: Dave Allen, commander; Stanley, senior vice commander; Cal Gallagher, junior vice commander; Curd, chaplain; Warren Sullins, adjutant-treasurer; Dutch Mayfield, sergeant-at-arms; Rhoden, historian; John R. Proctor, officer of the day.

Entertainment committee of the unit is composed of Allen, Mayfield, Proctor and Reven.

A special meeting for DAV members of the Midland unit has been called at 4 p.m. Sunday in the American Legion Hall. The meeting will be held to discuss the new hall and future plans of the organization.

Andrews Has First 1950 Polio Case

ANDREWS — Andrews County's first polio case for 1950 is in Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She is Sandra Everetts, 11-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Everetts of the Stanolind Camp in Andrews.

Her parents took her to Abilene where doctors diagnosed her case as polio. She has been placed in a cast.

ADMITTED FOR TREATMENT — Mrs. E. O. Vogt of Terminal was admitted Friday to Midland Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

Absentee Bond Vote Ballots Available

Absentee ballots for the September 9 Midland County bond issue vote are available at Midland County Courthouse, according to Lucille Johnson, County Clerk.

Voters may vote absentee at the clerk's office at any time between now and September 5, three days before the election, Mrs. Johnson said.

SURGICAL PATIENT — Marlin Ray Lanford, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Scott, 1301 South Colorado Street, was admitted Saturday to Midland Memorial Hospital for minor surgery.

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Optimist Club Is Midland's Newest Service Group

The Optimist Club, Midland's newest service organization, has accomplished much in its youth work since it was chartered March 31, 1949, with 65 members.

The club, whose slogan is "Friend to the Boy," probably can list at the top of its worthwhile activities the sponsorship of a boys' softball league. This has provided many hours of wholesome entertainment for scores of youths.

The Optimist Club, in cooperation with The Reporter-Telegram, sent two deserving boys to the Optimist Camp near Fort Worth last Summer and sponsored a boy to Boys Ranch near San Angelo.

Among the activities sponsored to raise funds for boys work were the sale of residence markers, the appearance of Coleman Brothers Millionaires, the "Stars of Tomorrow" and a "Judge Bean" court during rodeo week.

This Fall the club will sponsor a football game here between Sul Ross College and Abilene Christian College as another method of raising funds for its boys work.

First Officers — First officers to serve the Optimist Club were W. P. Z. German, Jr., president; M. A. Roberts, vice president; George Park, vice president; Warren Stafford, vice president; J. C. Velvin, Jr., sergeant-at-arms; C. O. Torgeson, treasurer; and Dr. C. S. Britt, V. H. VanHorn, L. Nichols, H. C. Jones, W. N. Orson and Jack Chase, directors.

Present officers are VanHorn, president; R. S. McKnight, vice president; T. C. Witte, Jr., vice president; Jack Chase, vice president; Torgeson, treasurer; David Cole, sergeant-at-arms; the Rev. Francis Taylor, chaplain, and H. C. Jones, Jr., Britt, J. T. Monroe, German, Arlo Forrest and Ben Bland, directors.

The membership has approved plans for a boys' workshop project. A building will be erected on a plot of land which the club hopes to obtain from the City of Midland.

Postal Receipts In Texas Register Gain

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas postal receipts for 78 cities last month climbed 12 per cent above the comparable month a year ago, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported Saturday.

July receipts totaled \$3,712,770. The receipts amounted to \$971,541 in Dallas, \$631,201 in Houston, \$371,260 in Fort Worth, \$341,811 in San Antonio, and \$152,286 in Austin.

Snyder, with a 192-per-cent jump, continued to make the biggest gains over year-earlier levels. Other notable increases over July, 1949, were in Lufkin, 54 per cent; Childress, 46 per cent; Big Spring and New Braunfels, 36 per cent; Midland, 32 per cent; Lubbock, 28 per cent; Texas City, 27 per cent, and Wichita Falls, 24 per cent. Declines varied from fractional dips in Jacksonville and Laredo to 24 per cent in Brownfield.

July receipts were three per cent below June's but several cities had notable monthly increases, topped by Lufkin's 49 per cent. Other June-to-July gains included: Littlefield, 41 per cent; Raymondville, 40 per cent; Orange, 24 per cent; Lubbock, 21 per cent; Pampa, 18 per cent, and Cuero and Graham, 18 per cent. Monthly declines ranged from one per cent in Amarillo, Del Rio, Texas City, Waco and Victoria to 27 per cent in Luling.

Texas Construction Keeps Steady Pace

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas construction work continued its steady pace last week, new awards totalling \$17,810,825.

Non-residential building accounted for \$10,686,182, more than double the amount for residential contracts. Engineering awards added \$1,988,263. The Texas Contractor, building trade journal, reported.

Lettings for 570 homes totaled \$5,005,400.

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WORLD CHAMPION—Troy Fort, Lovington, N. M., will be a featured performer here September 4 when the Midland County Sheriff's Posse stages a big Labor Day matched roping contest at the Midland Rodeo Grounds. Fort will be paired against Toots Mansfield, of Big Spring. Each roper will lasso 12 calves.



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Labor Day Matched Roping

Interest is mounting for the big Labor Day celebration, September 4, when four of the Southwest's top calf ropers face off in one of the best roping duels of the season.

A big matched roping contest, topped with the pairing of Toots Mansfield of Big Spring against Troy Fort of Lovington, N. M., current world's champion, will be staged under the sponsorship of the Midland County Sheriff's Posse. Sonny Edwards of Big Spring and Walton Poage of Rankin also are matched.

Cal Boykin, captain of the posse, says plans are being readied to accommodate a crowd in the neighborhood of 5,000 for the big Labor Day event.

A galloped horse show, calculated to attract some of the finest stock in this area, and a \$10 jackpot roping contest also will be staged during the big celebration.

The horse show will be under the direction of Chappell Davis, prominent West Texas horseman.

Members of the Sheriff's Posse already are selling tickets for the big event. It is the chief Labor Day celebration on tap for this area. The show will be staged at the Midland rodeo arena on East Highway 80. It will begin at 2 p. m.

Fort and Mansfield will rope 12 calves each. Edwards and Poage will lasso six apiece.

Poage and Edwards have distinguished themselves this year by capturing the top roping purses in the Pecos and Big Spring rodeos. Mansfield held the world championship several years before giving way to Fort.

Livestock Roundup

FORT WORK —(P)— Livestock compared with week ago:

Most cattle and calves strong to 50 higher with cows and fat calves 50 to \$1 higher. Butcher hogs 80 to 75 higher.

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Army Organization To Take Over U. S. Railroads Sunday

WASHINGTON —(P)—The Army set up a skeleton organization of fewer than 50 men Saturday to take over the nation's major railroads Sunday and see that their normal operations go on without a break. Karl R. Bendetsen, assistant secretary, announced all necessary steps have been taken to carry out President Truman's order that the Army seize the railroads at 4 p. m. EST Sunday to avert a threatened strike.

He emphasized that the Army wants sufficient reports to be sure normal operations are maintained but that it will not interfere in operations if they are carried on normally.

Bendetsen announced these steps to carry out the seizure: 1. Maj. Gen. Frank A. Helleman, a veteran engineer officer who is the Army's chief of transportation, has been appointed director of operations. Brig. Gen. Andrew F. McIntyre of Philadelphia, a reserve officer on leave from the Pennsylvania, will be General Helleman's executive.

2. Seven regional offices with staffs of five officers each, and three sub-regional offices with staffs of two each, will be open for business Sunday morning in key cities over the United States. The regional offices will be in charge of railway presidents, who are also reserve officers and are being called to active duty. The sub-regional directors will be officers already on duty with the Transportation Corps.

3. The Army has sent both telegrams and registered letters to the presidents of 195 major railroads, advising them of the impending seizure and directing them to post notice of it at major stations. Assurance Given

4. Bendetsen told reporters he had been in touch with officials of the railroads and of the railway brotherhoods involved in the current dispute—the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen and the Order of Railway Conductors. He said both assured him "of continued operation of the railroads without impairment of service."

The seven regional offices and their directors include: Southwestern Region, St. Louis—Col. Clark Hungerford, president of the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Company, regional director. Office: Frisco Building. The sub-regional offices and their directors include: Houston, Texas—Lt. Col. Cyril Millson, from the Army Post of Embarkation at New Orleans.

18 Dead--

(Continued From Page One) better, about 30, of Chillicothe, Texas. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ledbetter, were informed of her death. Survivors described her as "a wonderful little girl from Texas" who died as she was pulled from the water by an Army tug. She had been in the Navy seven years.

Capt. Barton E. Bacon, 49, skipper of the hospital ship, was on the bridge with Capt. Lyle J. Havens, harbor pilot. Captain Bacon said Havens shouted, "I hear a whistle!"

The flash went to the engine room "Full stop. Full right rudder." "Then the ship appeared," Captain Bacon related. "While we were making the turn it hit us."

"Ring Around The Rosy" Havens was one of the dead brought ashore that night. Those who did not die were saved in a multitude of manners. One boy told of playing a grim game of "ring around the rosey" in the cold water with the fog dripping around them, waiting for rescue.

"We formed a circle with our hands to stay afloat," he said. "The ring got bigger and bigger. When one guy got a cramp or started to go down, we hauled him over our arms and held him till he was better."

The Benevolence and the Mary Luckenbach each carried radar equipment. One of the survivors was a young electrician's mate—reporters didn't get his name—who said, as he was warming up on coffee, "I don't know what happened. We had five ships on that radar screen and not one was near us, and all of a sudden we got rammed."

On Trial Run Because it was only a trial run after the ship had been taken from mothballs, the list of those aboard was not authoritative. The Navy was pretty sure how many men and nurses it had the ship. When it came to the personnel of the Military Sea Transport Service, things got confused. There could have been anywhere between 180 and 190 of these men on the ship. They didn't have to go on the cruise.

The 522-foot Benevolence lay on her side Saturday, with the big red crosses on her white hull showing through the waves washing over her. Survivors were scattered. "Thank God she wasn't returning from Korea," said Capt. T. R. Wirth, chief of staff of the 12th Naval District. "Normally there might have been 1,500 patients aboard, maybe even as many as 3,000."

Most aboard had just gone along for the ride.

Club Omissions Unintentional

In gathering information on Midland organizations for this "GET ACQUAINTED" edition—the most complete such compilation ever made here —The Reporter-Telegram acknowledges with gratitude the excellent assistance given by officers of the various organizations.

There perhaps are some omissions, but if so, they have been unintentional. Stories on some of the organizations may not appear in this issue because of space limitations. Those omitted Sunday will appear in other issues during "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK."

Shirley May Quits Coach's Home, But Still Mad At Papa

SOMERSET, MASS. —(P)— Shirley May France, 12-year-old unsuccessful channel swimmer, Saturday night left her coach's home to live with other friends—still determined she would not go back to her parents.

Her father, J. Walter France, with whom she had a loud and public dispute, expressed satisfaction at Shirley's move. "I feel better," he told reporters, "that she decided to go elsewhere. I did not want her to live with the Boudakians."

The father referred to Coach Harry Boudakian and his wife, with whom the disappointed channel swimmer made her home since she stormed out of her parents' home last Wednesday just after a public celebration attended by some 10,000 persons.

Earlier, Shirley's father threatened to bring court action against Boudakian, telling reporters: "I don't want her staying with Boudakian. She's going to leave that house. I'm going to fight for my kid whether she likes me or not."

When informed, however, that his daughter had moved in with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ayash in nearby Fall River, France said he probably would not seek court action.

Reds--

(Continued From Page One) by the Reds to slip 16 boatloads of soldiers across the Nakdong River. That is the sector where the North Korean Fourth Division was cut up a week ago after building up a menacing bridgehead on the east side.

Taegu Safe For Present In the center the Reds eased off after nearly a week of bloody, futile attacks down the 12-mile corridor from Kimhwa towards Taegu. Officers said the effectiveness of the three Red divisions which tried to squeeze Taegu had been "cut in half."

A report from U. S. Eighth Army Headquarters said defensive victories over the Reds in the corridor may have marked the final critical test for the Allies.

It was the third major crisis weathered by the defenders since they withdrew behind the Nakdong River line August 4, and it may prove to be the last.

On the southwest front, where the Reds are nearest Pusan, American negro troops, fighting shoulder to shoulder with South Korean infantrymen, secured the last blood-stained ground on the ridge and belief Battle Mountain. The Americans used flame-throwers and high explosives Saturday night to seal caves into which the Reds have fled for shelter from heavy American artillery and airpower.

Beachhead Front Stable Battle Mountain, two miles west of Haman on the Masan front, has changed hands six times in a week. The U. S. victory Saturday night was against slight opposition.

The Hawaiian Fifth Regimental Combat Team threw back a Red attack in battalion strength to keep control of Sobuk, another key mountain.

The Reds were building up strength well behind the lines, but American power appeared to be blunting Communist efforts to get moving for another drive on Pusan.

Thirty-Fifth Infantry Regiment patrols probed for two miles in front of Haman without meeting the foe.

The entire beachhead front, a headquarters spokesman said, was pretty well stabilized. He said that although the Communists still outnumbered Allied forces and retained the ability of attacking at several places at once, "We have been able to meet these attacks on pretty even terms," the last few weeks.



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MIDLAND'S CITY COUNCILMEN—City councilmen always lead fast, furious, busy and sometimes complicated lives—particularly in ever-growing Midland, whose rapid growth and expansion places a complex burden on the City Council as it strives to keep the city abreast with the fast growth. Although the problems and demands of the council are many and varied, its members always have time to GET ACQUAINTED. The council members, in addition to Mayor William B. Neely who is pictured elsewhere in this issue, are Councilmen Frank N. Shriver, H. E. Chiles, Jr., W. F. Hejl, J. W. McMillen and Jack B. Wilkinson.

Philippines Rebels Terrorize 11 Towns And Leave 167 Dead

MANILA —(P)— Five thousand rebels shouting opposition to the Philippine entry into the Korea war, burned and killed Friday night and Saturday in terror raids on 11 Central Luzon towns. They left 167 dead and scores wounded.

Heavy police guards were thrown around Manila, the capital. A national defense headquarters spokesman said the Hukbalahap raids would not change plans to send a Filipino combat team to Korea as soon as transportation is available.

The Hukbalahaps, peasant guerrillas who fought the Japanese throughout World War II, stormed out of canebrakes and foothills in their worst rampage. In their bloodiest foray, they killed 100 persons at Tarlac, 70 miles north of Manila. Many were civilians. Philippine Army tanks were rushed to Tarlac.

Charged With Defense The Huks also roared into Uray, only 10 miles from the U. S. Air Force Base at Clark Field, northwest of Manila. Planes of the U. S. 13th Air Force stationed there are charged with the defense of the Philippines as well as Formosa.

At Camp Macabulos, Philippines Constabulary headquarters, the Huks massacred 10 troopers in their beds. They also killed 16 enlisted men and four officers, including two women officers.

Defense Secretary Ruperto Kangleon called the raids a concerted attack upon the government. An Intelligence Service spokesman said its agents recently had found Chinese language handbills urging the Huks to strike in aid of Communists on the Asiatic mainland.

These dodgers were signed "Mao," the spokesman said. Mao Tse-Tung is leader of the Chinese Communists.

754 High School Students Register; Process Continues

School officials announced Saturday that 754 high school students had registered through Friday. One hundred more are expected to be registered prior to the opening of classes September 5.

A breakdown of students registered showed these totals: 267 freshmen, 203 sophomores, 141 juniors and 143 seniors.

All seniors who have not registered are urged to do so Tuesday morning of this week. Juniors not registered will do so Tuesday afternoon. Sophomores will register Tuesday afternoon with freshmen registering Monday or Tuesday afternoons.

Draft Age Men Must Report Marriages

Young men of draft age who have not recorded their marriages with the Selective Service Board are urged by Dr. J. O. Shannon, director of Selective Service Board 132 here, to do so immediately.

"If a person fails to record his marriage with us before his call to report for a physical examination, he will be called anyway," Dr. Shannon said. He has received orders from the state director authorizing all Selective Service boards to go ahead and call up married men who have not recorded their marriages with their local boards.

A copy of the marriage certificate must be on file with the board if a young man wishes to be deferred. Dr. Shannon said 30 Midland, Glasscock and Sterling County youths will be sent to Abilene Monday for pre-induction physicals. A call also has been received for 50 from this district to be examined in September.

First Christian Church Occupies New Building

In the Fall of the year 1890, a group of Disciples met for the purpose of organizing a Christian Church in Midland. They were assisted by Brother Thurman, minister in Big Spring, who came to Midland occasionally on week nights to conduct services. These were charter members at the original organization: L. W. Vaughn, Elder; Mrs. L. W. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Smart, Mr. and Mrs. E. Townsend, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Johnson and Mary, B. W. Lee, Professor Bell, Mrs. M. E. Ellis, Mrs. Kendall, Mrs. H. M. Horton, Mrs. W. E. Connell, Mr. and Mrs. Hampton and Mrs. J. V. Stokes, Sr.

Early in 1891 the young congregation was more fully organized by Brother J. B. Sweeney at the closing of a protracted meeting. Growing in numbers, the group built a frame church building at the corner of Loraine and Illinois Streets in 1892. Brother J. B. Sweeney was the dedicator. During the time between the organization and the completion of the first building, services were held in the home of members, with an occasional Sunday afternoon service in the Methodist Church.

Red Brick Structure The old red brick church building, abandoned only this year, was begun in 1907 and finished to be dedicated on Easter Sunday of 1908. The county courthouse served as a meeting place during the wrecking of the first building and the erection of the second.

On Feb. 17, 1946, the congregation approved a recommendation of the Board of Directors that a new location be selected farther from the business district rather than add to the facilities at the original location. Block two of the new Park Hill Addition was purchased that year. Various factors delayed construction until 1949 when plans for the present structure were submitted and accepted. Ground-breaking services were held Sunday, July 24, 1949, and construction work started the following day. The completed church building was dedicated Sunday, May 28, 1950.

Sixty Years Service The First Christian Church has carried on its local program of evangelism and Christian nurture now for sixty years. But her vision is world-wide. Thousands of dollars have been sent out to foreign mission fields in various parts of the world.

Members of the staff, besides the minister, the Rev. Clyde Lindsay, are Mrs. Marian Alles, director of music, and J. M. Hughes, janitor. Josephine Guly is week-time nursery attendant. The organist at the present time is Nancy Webb. Hilory G. Bedford is the chairman of the Board of Directors of the congregation. I. E. Hood is Bible School Superintendent, and the president of the Woman's Council is Mrs. E. D. Riddle.

Hamilton--

(Continued From Page One) J. L. Davidson by a 155 to 152 vote for Democratic committeeman. Louis A. Bartha, chairman of the Midland County Democratic Executive Committee, Saturday night expressed appreciation to election workers at each of the voting precincts for holding the election and for the prompt tabulation of returns. Bartha said the results will be canvassed Sunday morning at a meeting of his committee.

Precinct Balloting Regan carried each of the county's seven voting precincts with the exception of No. 4, which gave Moss 37 votes and Regan 32.

Hamilton carried all the county boxes by substantial majorities. The county vote in the state races was as follows: For Lieutenant Governor—Pierce P. Brooks 813, Ben Ramsey 2,040; For Associate Justice of Supreme Court (Place No. 1)—Will Wilson 1,734, Fagan Dickson 1,047; For Associate Justice of Supreme Court (Place No. 3)—Meade F. Griffin 2,045, George W. Harwood 653; For Judge Court of Criminal Appeals—Robert L. Lattimore 1,464, W. A. Morrison 1,235; For Commissioner of Agriculture—John C. White 1,320, J. E. McDonald 1,451.

Precinct No. 7 led in the balloting with 1,184 votes. Precinct No. 1 had 535 votes; No. 2—29; No. 3—13; No. 4—69; No. 5—357; and No. 6—715.

NO PETTICOAT RULE AT JACKSONVILLE POLLS JACKSONVILLE —(P)— Precinct Chairman A. N. Barber posted a sign Box 3 in Jacksonville Saturday for the benefit of second democratic primary voters.

It read: "No coaching please—wife should have informed husband before coming to polls."

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First Presbyterian Church To Observe Its Sixty-Fifth Birthday In December

December 22, 1885 was the date of organization of the First Presbyterian Church of Midland. It was a small but determined group of nine persons.

They were assisted in their organization by a commission from the Dallas Presbytery. This commission was composed of two nearest Presbyterian ministers, the Rev. O. F. Rogers of Colorado City and the Rev. E. P. Palmer of Abilene.

Dr. E. C. Coleman, an elder in the Colorado City church also as-Dr. R. Matthew Lynn

Not a one of the charter members or any member of their families is now connected with the church. The McClintic and the Miller families have had the longest connection with the church. Charlie McClintic has been a member longer

Phillips Interred At Favorite Hideaway BARTLESVILLE, OKLA. —(P)— Millionaire oil man Frank Phillips, who died Wednesday, was laid to rest Saturday at his favorite hideaway, the 4,000-acre Woolaroc Ranch 14 miles southwest of here.

Business in his home town came to a halt as the 76-year-old Phillips Petroleum Company founder was entombed beside his late wife.

A public funeral first was held at the family's town residence. The private interment service followed.

BIGAMY CHARGE FILED AGAINST ABILENE MAN ABILENE —Lloyd A. Discus of Abilene, charged with bigamy, was in the Taylor County jail Friday. His bond set at \$1,000, had not been posted Friday night.

A charge of bigamy was filed against the 24-year-old man earlier in the week after one of two women whom he allegedly married and the brother of his other alleged wife complained to District Attorney Wiley Caffey that Discus had married both of the women without obtaining a divorce.

It requires a ton of water to finish the woollens for a three-piece suit.

UNDERGOES MAJOR SURGERY L. E. Warren, 2000 West Kentucky Street, was admitted Saturday to Midland Memorial Hospital for major surgery.

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Hedy La Marr Gems Valued At \$250,000 Reported Missing

NEW YORK —(AP)—Jewels owned by film actress Hedy La Marr and valued at \$250,000 were reported missing Saturday.

The loss was reported by the management of the Hotel Sherry Netherland.

Disappearance of the jewels was discovered, police said, after Miss La Marr returned to her hotel room Thursday night after attending a show.

A small bag, in which she carried the gems, was open on a dresser table.

Police said the loss was not reported at first because Miss La Marr thought she might have left the jewels at her summer home in Southampton, N. Y.

Later she found she had not done so.

Reactions Before Camera Are Remarkably Uniform

Taking pictures of the hundreds of persons whose sketches appear in this issue of the Reporter-Telegram has been a novel experience—for those who had their picture taken.

But not for the photographer. Each individual is a different personality, to be sure—but that's where the difference ends. The fables and observations are uncommonly similar.

For instance, among the women there is the inclination to be gay. Sometimes this is expressed by a coy giggle, sometimes with some well-turned flippancy, or sometimes by a dry chuckle. Statisticians have revealed that women over 35 (and few ever exceed that age) are more apt to indulge in mirth or in witticisms at the moment they are having their picture taken than those under that age.

One remark, which has lost some of its edge, goes something like this: "Tee hee, I'll break the camera." Research shows that the identical conclusion was expressed rather cleverly by great grandfather when he had his old tin-type made on his wedding day.

Nor are the girls under 35 free of their idiosyncrasies. There is a faint suspicion that perhaps a Hollywood talent scout is lurking behind the tiny confines of the high-powered Leica.

Hair Combing
This leads to such sly sayings as "Just a minute while I duck in and comb my hair," or "oh dear, my nose is shining," or "can you spare just a moment while I touch up my make-up?" There's no point explaining that when the artist makes the sketch, using the photograph only for outline and feature purposes, all the complexion, make-up, are left white as snow, and hair can be sketched neatly into place.

The men are not without their peculiarities, too. They have been known (on 99.9 per cent of occasions) to indulge in the same conjecture about "breaking the camera" as do the women.

As a class, men are more apt to be sorous when it comes to posing. Others glower like a banker at a client who is several weeks overdue on a shaky note.

Dentifrice Ad
Then there are those who have the idea they are posing for a dentifrice advertisement. There is an irresistible temptation to present a solid front (of teeth) to the cameraman. Added to this group is the "prematurely" bald brethren. The cameraman loses quite as much time with shining noses. They have to take the few remaining hairs and spread them over as much space as humanly possible in the vain hope that the pate won't show through—which it will.

Of course, both men and women will brighten proceedings by asking: "Is this for the comic page?"

The cameraman, however, is not deeply stirred to mirth. He's heard it before—and often.

TO UNDERGO SURGERY
Mrs. Norman Hines, 607 South Main Street, was admitted Friday to Midland Memorial Hospital as a medical patient, and is to undergo surgery Monday.

Presbyterian Men's Club Active In 'Get Acquainted' Work

Presbyterian Men of Midland, one of the city's leading church laymen groups, was organized in 1940, with a nucleus of 15 men.

During its first five years, the club held meetings only as the need was indicated, but beginning in 1945, the program was revised and monthly dinner-meetings have been held regularly since that time.

Interesting programs of a A. H. Vineyard varied nature are presented at each meeting.

It is one of the most active "get acquainted" groups in Midland's First Presbyterian Church.

The organization is set up for the purpose of (a) worshipping God, (b) evangelism and missions, (c) Christian nurture, (d) Christian stewardship, and (e) Christian fellowship.

Officers Listed
Al H. Vineyard heads the group's officers for 1950-51. Nelson Puett is vice president, and Sol Bunnell is secretary-treasurer.

Ernest Sidwell, one of the founders of the association, served as its first president.

Dinner meetings are held the second Thursday of each month, beginning at 6:30 p. m., in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church.

The organization is open to all members of the church.

Blinded Vets Honor Texan Paul R. Grant

INDIANAPOLIS —(AP)—A disabled war veteran from Texas, was honored Saturday night by the Blinded Veterans Association.

The association named Paul R. Grant of Corsicana winner of its annual achievement award.

The award was presented at a banquet marking the closing of the association's fifth annual national convention.

Grant, who suffered loss of both eyes, facial injuries and impaired hearing in a land mine explosion in France early in 1945, was honored for proving himself in his field of employment and in his adjustment to daily living.



How has it been done?—the presentation of the cartoons of local personalities. The cartoons of members of organizations, of civic, religious and social leaders of Midland, the personnel of business establishments has been done by artists with only a picture of the individual to follow. Pictures were taken, sent to the artists and from the pictures miniature cartoon drawings were made.

War Correspondent Hurt In Jeep Mishap

U. S. EIGHTH ARMY HEAD-QUARTERS IN KOREA —(AP)—Marguerite Higgins, war correspondent for the New York Herald-Tribune, received minor injuries in a jeep accident Friday night.

The woman reporter sustained a bump on her forehead and a possible fractured nose when the brakes failed and the driver crashed into a wall to stop the car.

She had attended a dinner at the American Embassy at Pusan and was enroute to her billet when the mishap occurred.

Slayer Who Gets Religion Is Given 50-Year Sentence

PAULS VALLEY, OKLA. —(AP)—An Ada, Okla., welder who said he got religion in jail faces 50 years in the state penitentiary at McAlester for manslaughter.

Elmer Lee Haggard, 48, had pleaded innocent to murder charges in the January 6 slaying of J. H. Baugh, Wynnewood farmer. Then he did a lot of thinking during seven months in the Garvin County jail.

Haggard was to face trial Monday along with Mildred Dejackimo, 28, Ada, who also was charged with murder.

After the defendant had been de-

Stab Wounds Fatal To Big Spring Man

BIG SPRING —(AP)—George M. Copeland, 26, a hotel bell captain here, died early Saturday of stab wounds.

Officers were questioning Robert Gonnale, 17, Copeland is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Copeland of Ropesville.

nied a change of venue Friday, he suddenly called County Attorney Gilmer Long.

Haggard said he realized he had sinned and didn't want to lie about it. He expressed his wish to plead guilty to first degree manslaughter. Long recommended the change and a sentence of 50 years. District Judge Ben T. Williams passed sentence.

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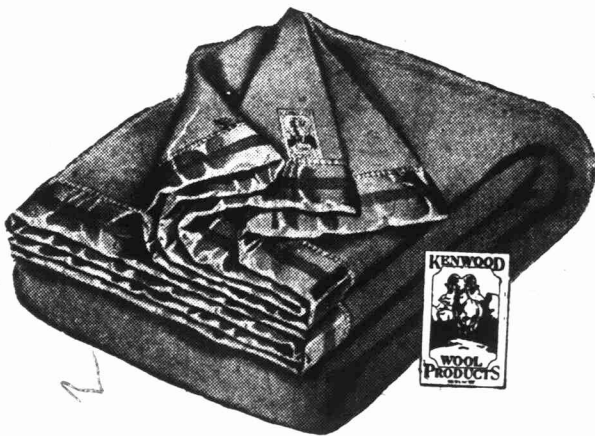
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Mayor's Proclamation On Get Acquainted Week

WHEREAS, Midland has developed a tradition of friendliness and western hospitality in the spirit of the good neighbor; and WHEREAS, this quality is indispensable to the preserving of a vigorous personality as a community; and WHEREAS, there arises a constant need of reviving and refreshing the tides of acquaintanceship and understanding, friendship and concern; and WHEREAS, many new citizens have been attracted to our city within recent months and years and ought to be made to feel at once that this truly is their home and a place where their friends abide; NOW, therefore I, William B. Neely, Jr., by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Midland, Texas, do hereby proclaim the week of August 27 to September 2 as "Get Acquainted Week" in hope that this special season will encourage all citizens to demonstrate the qualities of friendliness, hospitality and neighborliness; to meet those whom they do not know; to make all persons feel they are a part of the community; to join together in the bonds of mutual good feeling, one for the other.

(Signed) WILLIAM B. NEELY, Mayor of the City of Midland.

Know Names Of People Who Serve You In Your Stores

Get acquainted with your merchants and with Midland industry on Saturday. Saturday, the final day of Get Acquainted Week, is set apart as a special opportunity for customers to get to know their merchants, and their helpers, better.

The vast majority of business houses are cooperating this week in identifying themselves to the public. One means is the use of badges which bear the name of the manager, department head, clerk, or what-have-you. This is to make it easy for the customer to learn the name of the clerk or the butcher or the checker who has been waiting on them all these many months.

Official Opening Snyder-Big Spring Road Scheduled

BIG SPRING — Texas Highway Commission Chairman Fred A. Wemple of Midland Tuesday will cut the ribbon, officially opening the new road from Big Spring to Snyder.

The route, designated as State Highway No. 350, provides a direct paved road between the two cities. Representatives of both Snyder and Big Spring will participate in the ceremonies with a caravan to arrive in Big Spring from Snyder at 5 p. m. Tuesday. The combined motorcade then will drive over the new route, stopping at the Colorado River bridge for the ribbon cutting ceremonies.

Following this the group will proceed to Snyder where a barbecue will be held celebrating the occasion. Distance between the two cities has been reduced from 70 to 46 miles by the new road.



GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY—And after the services are over, why not linger a while to make the acquaintance of the visitors with whom you worshiped and to speak a word of cheerful greeting to old acquaintances. Of course it may be almost time to enjoy that Sunday dinner which was planned the day before, but a few minutes of hearty conversation, a word of appreciation to the minister and a hand shake of congratulations to the choir will put you in the right spirit to really enjoy that special meal.

Tips, Proven And Otherwise, On How To Meet People

There is a right way to go about this "Get Acquainted" business, and fortunately it has many angles.

Some are a little unusual, others trite and threadbare but they have one thing in common—they turn the key to new friendship. The simplest, and by far the most effective, method is to introduce yourself by merely saying, "My name is Whistlebrook—Elmer Whistlebrook." The other person's mouth may drop open for a few seconds, but he (or she) usually will recover from the spell of astonishment, and mutter in innocent confusion: "Glad to know you, I'm Pickins—E. Z. Pickins."

Introducing Mr. Brown to Mr. Jones that each be told a fact or two—about occupation, mission, etc.—about the other. For instance, if you meet a doctor, your face will brighten and you can say: "Why, doctor, what a coincidence, I've been having the most mysterious pain."

One approach that has been kicked around a lot, yet is indestructible, is that of dragging the weather into the picture. "What lovely weather we're having" or "Sure been dry, ain't it?" are calculated to completely disarm the stranger. The reply will be a weak, "I can't remember when it's been so nice (or dry)," but the conversational ice will have been broken. Ultimately, the party of first part can blurt out: "I'm Bill Smith!" Thus, friendly entry has been gained via the backdoor.

When the girl is taking the initiative in getting acquainted, she must be subtle about it in most cases. The definition of "subtle" usually is as follows: A method by which a young woman pursues a young man and makes it appear that he is pursuing her. A musty technique is to drop the handkerchief under the guy's nose, or backing off and fluttering the eye lashes. It is always possible to "mistake" the object for someone else or to turn on the weaker-sex camouflage by commenting on his intelligence or strength, etc.

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DAY OF MOURNING BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA — (P)—President Juan D. Peron has decreed Sunday as a day of national mourning for Arturo Alessandri, former president of Chile, who died Thursday.

Still another means is the little gimmick which has broken ice on other occasions. It is the timepiece approach. For instance: "What time do you have?" Or perhaps "Pardon me, do you have a watch?" or "could you tell me the way to Main Street or by any chance could I be standing upon it this very minute?" These always bring out the Boy Scout nature in individuals, and in their helpful spirit, they are easy targets for introduction.

For the younger generation, there is nothing like the blind date to get acquainted. Of course, that method is not always limited to youngsters. If you are an eligible bachelor (or an eager maiden), there is usually someone who is forever trying to get you acquainted with the right Jane or Joe. Some people can't bear the thought (Continued On Page Two)

Chief Cites Rules For Special Week

You don't have to be a newcomer seeking directions or a law violator to get to know the policemen on the corner, according to Police Chief Jack Ellington. It's as easy to become acquainted with an officer as it is with your neighbor or the fellow with the familiar face you meet every day on the street, Chief Ellington said. Include policemen on the list of those you are going to make it a point to meet during "Get-Acquainted Week." Chief Ellington has set down the procedure of widening your circle of acquaintances in six easy steps applicable not only to policemen, but to every walk of life. He lists them thusly: 1. Try and meet at least ten new

persons every day during Get Acquainted Week. 2. Smile—don't turn your head aside—when you pass people. Then everyone will smile. And, Ellington says, in these days, that's something. 3. Make visitors welcome. People will like to come to Midland if they know they're welcome. 4. Enjoy getting acquainted with people. Don't be a Casper Milquetoast. Cast aside timidity and inferiority complexes. 5. Be neighborly. A good place to begin is your own block. 6. Report non-cooperators with Get-Acquainted Week to Chief Ellington. He has promised an enforcement campaign. The police official believes his department is making lots of friends with newcomers—friends for Midland. "Hundreds get their only impression of this city through the officer from whom they seek directions or ask advice," Ellington stated. "It's part of our job to make that impression highly favorable."

Five Dollar Handshakes Will Spice 'Get Acquainted Week'

Getting acquainted may be worth crisscrossing \$5 bills to two Midlanders each day this week. Friendships, of course, are not to be valued in terms of money, but

it's not every day that a person can turn a handshake into ready cash. In connection with "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK," The Reporter-Telegram this week is sponsoring a

special feature in meeting people. It works like this: Each day this week there will be a Mr. Get Acquainted and a Mrs. or Miss Get Acquainted. These persons will be known only to one Reporter-Telegram staff member. Moreover, they will be relatively newcomers to Midland.

'Get Acquainted' Barbecue Will Honor Faculty Members

The annual Chamber of Commerce-sponsored barbecue, honoring faculty members of the Midland

public schools and their families, to be held at Cole Park at 6:30 p.m. Friday will be a major event of GET ACQUAINTED WEEK.

Friday has been designated as Teachers' Day in Midland, with all residents urged to GET ACQUAINTED with faculty members and the public school system.

Badges To Aid In Identifying Business Folk

"You know, the most pleasant young lady always waits on me at that store."

The barbecue is expected to attract more than 750 persons, including teachers and members of their families and Chamber of Commerce members and their families.

If that's the first time it has happened to either of the Get Acquainted newcomers for the day, they will hand envelopes to the persons extending the greetings. The envelopes will contain certificates, which when presented to The Reporter-Telegram, will be worth \$5 each on Monday.

"I've paid my bill at that girl's desk for a long time and I can't begin to tell you her name, although she has always been so very courteous to me and the public generally."

The affair will be a strictly informal GET ACQUAINTED party designed primarily to welcome school teachers to Midland and to offer an opportunity for them to become acquainted with other residents.

And so it will go throughout the week. Different Persons Monday there will be different persons selected as the mystery Get Acquainted individuals. Tuesday there will be still different newcomers. They may be in stores; they may be at club meetings; they may be in homes; they might even be on street corners. But every day this week there will be different persons ready and anxious to hand notes worth \$5 each to those who clasp their hands in friendship.

"I sorta feel embarrassed. That young fellow with the friendly smile who calls me by my name when I enter the store—for, for the life of me, I can't begin to remember his name."

No doubt you've heard many other such expressions from individuals who do not know the employees at local stores and service institutions.

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This "name business" is most important. It's human nature for one to like being called by his or her name.

The barbecue is sponsored by the Education Committee of the C. of C. Bert Ayan is general chairman. Other members of the committee are James L. Daugherty, Cal Glass, Frank Monroe, Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., V. G. Maley, Charles F. Mathews and Ted Davidson.

So, don't let strangers go unnoticed or un-greeted this week.

YOU WILL SEE THEIR NAMES



Here you will see reproduction in illustration, the personnel badge which will be worn at places of business—by those who call at your home—by service concerns.

Bollworm Increase Seen In South Texas

COLLEGE STATION — (P)—An increase in bollworms has been noted in South Texas cotton fields. L. F. Curl, pink bollworm expert for the U. S. Department of Agriculture, said.

Calhoun Won't Ask Another Term

CORSICANA — (P)—John C. Calhoun, chairman of the State Democratic Party Executive Committee, said Saturday he will not be a candidate for another term. He said he believed the job should be passed around to deserving Democrats.

WILKERSON RETURNS

J. H. Wilkerson has returned to Midland after instructing a Summer school course in federal taxation at the University of Texas, School of Law. He is a tax attorney and CPA.

Nueces and Cameron Counties Have Been Hit Especially Hard

Examinations of gin trash showed pink bollworms first in Bexar, Caldwell, Gonzales, Dewitt and Guadalupe Counties.

Advertisement for Eubanks Auto Parts. Includes text: 'During Get Acquainted Week Meet The People Who Furnish Your Auto Parts!' and portraits of J. M. Sheen, H. C. (Son) Cloninger, Ed Eubanks, L. S. Sparks, and James Colvin.

Advertisement for Butane Service. Includes text: 'LET'S GET ACQUAINTED WITH THE PEOPLE WHO SERVE YOU WITH Butane Service' and portraits of A. W. Jones, T. D. Jones, Jr., Mrs. Eriene Jones, and Mrs. Mamie Jones.

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Community Theater Organized In 1946

Midland Community Theater, Inc., dedicated to community service, was incorporated under the laws of the State of Texas as a non-profit corporation. The charter was granted to the theater April 20, 1946.



Paxton Howard
Theater is Art Cole, a professional theatrical director. During the war, Cole was stationed at Midland Army Air Field, and while there conceived the idea of presenting a real community theater for Midland.

The theater's productions are given in the City-County Auditorium. It seats approximately 300. Because of limitations for storage space, dressing rooms and work shop, the theater's members are discussing plans for the construction of a building tailor-made for finished production and audience comfort.

The present board of governors of the theater includes Paxton Howard, president and board chairman; Norris Creath, vice president in charge of business; William H. Pomeroy, Jr., vice president in charge of production; Betty Gaines, secretary; F. B. Kingston, treasurer; William A. Waldschmidt, Mrs. John P. Butler, Mrs. I. A. Searles, W. Dave Henderson, and William F. Pennebaker. Mrs. Butler has been a member of the Board of Governors since the theater was organized.

Memberships in the theater are sold on a calendar-year basis, the sale beginning each November for the following year. A season membership entitles the holder to 16 admissions to the six plays, with membership for two children in the Children's Theater which is sponsored by the community group.

The Children's Theater has produced in recent months, Rip Van Winkle and Tom Sawyer. More than 100 children are trained each year in the Children's Theater.

The Community Theater is supported by sales of memberships, income for admissions, and sale of advertising in "The Prompter," the play bill of the theater. The income is devoted to the production expense of each play, royalties, purchase of new equipment and costumes, rental of costumes and the director's salary.

The theater has endeavored to produce only recognized Broadway stage successes. It has attempted to be a community theater in every respect from selection of plays, through selection of cast, to service to the community and general area in things theatrical and recreative.

Commodity Index Shows New Gains

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Associated Press wholesale commodity index advanced last week for the tenth weekend in a row—to the highest level since Aug. 13, 1948. At 186.26, the index compared with 186.00 a week ago and 186.21 a year ago.

The base year of the index of 35 important wholesale commodity prices is 1926 which equals 100.

MINEOLA MAN KILLED
TYLER—(AP)—Alvis A. Wilson, 42, of Mineola was killed Friday when he was knocked off the highway road roller he was operating. A truck hit the rear of the roller.

MEDICAL PATIENT
J. W. McAlester of Odessa was admitted Friday to Midland Memorial Hospital as a medical patient.

Midland DAR Bands Together To Remember Great Cause

The L. William Brewer Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution originally banded together to keep bright the memory of a great cause.



Officers of the Midland chapter are Mrs. Nelson F. Puetz, regent; Mrs. C. L. Davenport, first vice-regent; Mrs. J. McKinley, second vice-regent; Mrs. Frank E. Kinn, chaplain; Mrs. G. Kidd, historian; Mrs. George Abell, registrar; Mrs. Charles Sherwood, Mrs. Nelson F. Puetz, librarian; Mrs. G. C. Hughes, recording secretary; Mrs. J. C. Watson, corresponding secretary and Mrs. John P. Butler, treasurer.

The Midland DAR chapter is giving financial aid to many worthwhile organizations. Among these are schools for underprivileged children which are entirely owned and operated by the DAR. They are the Kate Duncan Smith DAR School at Grant, Ala., and the Tamasee DAR School at Tamasee, South Carolina. Fourteen other approved schools also receive financial aid from the DAR.

The Midland group also is donating money to help furnish the Texas Room in the DAR Memorial Continental Hall in Washington, D. C. This hall is one of the three buildings

in Washington which are owned and operated by the DAR. The L. William Brewer Chapter will continue to give DAR medals to those junior and senior high school students who write the best essays on some phase of Americanism. It also will continue to present the DAR Good Citizenship Award to the senior high school girl who possesses the most outstanding qualities of dependability, service, leadership, patriotism and scholarship.

In addition to these projects, the DAR will give aid to the Boy Scouts, Future Homemakers of America, the Pollo Fund for the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation and other groups, all with an eye toward the future.

OIL OPERATOR DIES
DALLAS—(AP)—James C. Ellis, 66, independent oil operator, died Friday in his office here. He suffered a heart attack.

Frank Monroe Heads School System Here

Frank Monroe, superintendent of Midland public schools, is all set to "Get Acquainted" with more and more students and patrons of the school system during the 1950-51 term.



Monroe has served as superintendent during the greatest period of growth in the history of Midland schools, and already is acquainted with the problems of the ever-growing system. The many and varied problems are being met as promptly as possible by the superintendent and members of the Board of Education of the Midland Independent School District. Two new buildings will be occupied at the beginning of the new school term next month. A new \$1,000,000 high school building was occupied last year.

Frank Monroe is one of the most popular and best-known school administrators in the Southwest. He is a former president of the West Texas School Teachers Association and currently is serving as president of the Texas School Administrators Conference. He recently was appointed a member of a special committee formed by the Texas commissioner of education to study school planning on the state level.

He is active in civic and church affairs of the community.

'Get Acquainted' With Your Senator And Representative

Representing the Midland district in the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Texas are Senator Hill D. Hudson of Pecos and Rep. J. T. Rutherford of Odessa.



Hudson, a long-time Pecos attorney, was elected to the Senate in 1948 for a four-year term. He holds several important committee assignments and is a prominent member of the Upper House. He is active in civic affairs in his home city and section.

Rutherford was elected a state representative in 1948 and was re-elected to a second term this year. He established an enviable record during his first term in office.

A World War II veteran of the Marine Corps, Rutherford long has been active in veterans affairs, and this year was J. T. Rutherford elected Department of Texas Commander of Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Getting acquainted with and serving citizens of their districts are major objectives of the two West Texas legislators.

High School Diploma Sufficient For Army

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—If you've had 12 years of schooling or have a high school diploma, the Army figures you can pass the mental test given drafts.

A directive from Fourth Army at Fort Sam Houston Friday said men meeting these qualifications are mentally eligible to serve in the Army regardless of whether they pass the test.

The Federal Communications Commission, which regulates radio and other communication systems, has a chairman and six members, all appointed by the president.

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Acheson, Truman Play Navy Secretary For Policy Speech

WASHINGTON —(P)— Secretary of State Acheson, with an assist from President Truman, cracked down hard on Navy Secretary Matthews Saturday for saying the United States should be willing to institute a war "to compel cooperation for peace."

The action not only precipitated the first wide open cabinet split on foreign policy since the row between James F. Byrnes and Henry A. Wallace in September, 1946—it also seemed to make inevitable a public debate on a preventive war with Russia.

Matthews expressed his view in a

speech at the Boston Navy Yard Friday night. Saturday the State Department was asked whether what he said represented government policy—or was perhaps some sort of policy-making trial balloon.

Press Office Roger Tubby, in a statement initiated by Acheson and reportedly okayed by the President, asserted:

"The speech was not cleared by the Department of State. Mr. Matthews' remarks about instituting a war for peace do not represent United States policy. The United States government does not favor instituting a war of any kind."

And in a further evidence of White House-State Department cooperation, the White House Press Office promptly added that the Matthews speech was not cleared by the White House.

Wallace was fired by Truman in 1946 after making a speech advocating a softer policy toward Russia. The President at that time laid down orders that no official should make speeches in conflict with established foreign policy.

Whether the Administration's prompt reaction against Matthews' opinion would cause him to resign was a question of immediate speculation in Washington.

Thief Grabs Purse But No Charge Filed

PORT WORTH —(P)— A thief stole a purse containing approximately \$1,250 in cash and checks here Saturday, but no charges will be filed.

City detectives said Mrs. Mayme Weaver Baly laid her purse on a lawn chair outside her apartment house Saturday morning while she backed her car out of the garage. When she returned to the chair the purse was missing.

A few minutes later the police caught the thief three houses away with the loot still in his possession.

The thief, who refused to identify himself, was a mongrel pup.

European Assembly Okays Schuman Plan

STRASBOURG, FRANCE —(P)— The European Consultative Assembly Saturday endorsed the Schuman Plan by a 73 to 0 vote but with 32 abstentions — mostly British Laborites.

Just before the final vote the assembly inserted a proviso that the Six Schuman Plan nations again ask Britain to join. The Laborites objected vigorously to this action but were voted down, 66 to 19.

Hugh Dalton, British Laborite leader, said he would have supported the resolution without this proviso but was reluctantly forced to abstain on the final vote.

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Paul Corser, Pharmacist
Cameron's Pharmacy

Paul Corser is a reformed Kansas Jay-hawker, who after having drunk West Texas water for the past 8 years says he can't stand Kansas water now for over two weeks out of the year. He has been pharmacist and assistant manager of Cameron's since coming here. He and Mrs. Corser (who keeps house and pinch hits at Cameron's) have one daughter, Sue, who is a senior in Midland high this year.

Mrs. Johnnie Bryan
Sales, Cameron's Pharmacy

Mrs. Bryan, who is completing her second year at Cameron's, has worked in retail stores here for the past several years. She says her work is a pleasure because she meets so many nice folks. She and Mr. Bryan (who works for an oil company) have a son, Jack, and daughter, Eddie Jo, who are both employed locally.

Mrs. Avenell Coker
Sales, Cameron's Pharmacy

Mrs. Coker joined Cameron's staff only recently, but she says she likes her job fine. She has been employed in other retail stores since moving here from Abilene seven years ago. She and Mr. Coker (who is watchmaker at Cam-Worth Drugs) chose Midland for their home because of the good schools, churches and fine folks they met. They have two sons, Jimmy is now in the Marines, and Stanley is in high school.

A. E. Cameron
Owner Cameron's Pharmacy
Co-Owner Cam-Worth Drugs

A. E. Cameron came to Midland in 1938 and established Cameron's Pharmacy in its present location. Prior to coming here, he operated drug stores at Monahan and Wink, but he and Mrs. Cameron were attracted to Midland because of the fine schools and churches and friendly folk. Their daughter, Sara Ann is a freshman in Midland high this year. Cameron invites you to drop in during Get Acquainted Week and give him an opportunity to show you how much he appreciates the fine business he has enjoyed here.

Chas. Worthen
Co-Owner Cam-Worth Drugs

Charley Worthen moved to Midland from Lamesa when he and Mr. Cameron opened Cam-Worth Drugs a few months ago. Besides having operated a drug store in Lamesa, he was West Texas salesman for a drug firm for about 15 years. He says he and Mrs. Worthen like Midland so well that they decided several years ago that eventually they would make this their home. Their son, Charles Allen is in high school, and daughter Ann is going to school for the first time this fall.

Mrs. Lucille Roach
Sales, Cam-Worth Drugs

Mrs. Roach moved here with her family from Dallas only last Spring. She said they just didn't like living in a larger city so they moved to Midland where they could again enjoy the many advantages of a smaller city. Mr. Roach is employed by a local motor company. Their daughter, Martha, is a junior in high school.

H. W. Coker, Watchmaker
Cam-Worth Drugs

Mr. Coker established his watchmaking business at Cam-Worth Drugs when this store opened recently. He had been employed by a local jewelry firm since moving here seven years ago. Mrs. Coker is now employed at Cameron's. Because of his wide knowledge of the trade he has enjoyed a nice business in his new location.

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LODGE NOTICES

Midland Lodge No. 623, A. F. & A. M. Thursday, August 24, stated meeting, 8 P. M. O. J. Hubbard, W.M.; L. C. Stephenson, Secy.

'Get Acquainted With Midland Day' Slated Thursday.

Thursday will be an excellent time for everyone to become better acquainted with Midland. Thursday is "Get Acquainted With Midland Day"—a special "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK" feature.

Midland has grown so much in recent months and years that many citizens, even the long-time residents, no longer are as well acquainted with their home town as they once were. Newcomers, particularly, will welcome the opportunity of getting acquainted with Midland.

New Homes

The city's 500-block paving program is nearing completion and citizens can ride over paved streets as they see and inspect the hundreds of new homes in the scores of new additions to the city. Everyone will be surprised at the development and expansion in all directions.

Citizens also are invited to visit public buildings, facilities and institutions during the special observance. The city hall, courthouse, fire station, museum, library, Chamber of Commerce, water works, parks, schools—any and all will welcome visitors Thursday, or any other day for that matter.

Thursday is "Get Acquainted With Midland Day."

Tips—
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of a friend being unencumbered. But the blind date, while adventure-some, does have its points, provided you insist on a good description before hand. In that way, if you are five - feet - two, you may avoid spending an evening with someone six - feet - six, or vice-versa.

Parties are good acquaintance promoters. Just invite all your friends in and play blind man's bluff, post office, or something. Anything to mix 'em up and to stimulate new friendships. If there's enough moving around, everybody usually becomes acquainted with everyone else by the time the party breaks up. Besides, they may find that they both know Joe Doaks, who doesn't matter except she's something to talk about.

But regardless of what method you use, these or one of your own innovations, the idea is to "Get Acquainted." If you're normal you'll get a big kick out of it. If the experience you're not normal will do much to make you so.

CONVALESCENT HOMES 6-A
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MIDLAND Humane Society would like to find homes for a number of nice dogs and cats. The animal shelter is at 1702 E. Wall.

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FALL TERM opens September 8th. Complete or brush-up courses, day and evening session.

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Air Force Hospital To Be Reactivated
WASHINGTON —(P)— The Air Force Hospital at Lackland Field, Texas, will be reactivated, and its 425 beds made available to war casualties.

Representative Brooks (D-La) announced Saturday the opening of the Texas hospital along with seven other Air Force and 13 Army hospitals throughout the country. He said the program will put 3,925 beds in use.

Some 5,850 more beds are called for under a prompt expansion program.

The House Armed Services Committee member said the Navy has not yet completed plans for reopening its hospitals, adding that most of them already are in use.

Man Offers Advice On 70th Anniversary
MARTINSVILLE, IND. —(P)— Levi Sylvester Fowler passed on his wedding anniversary Saturday and passed a bit of advice along to new-lyweds:

"All you got to do is behave yourself."

Fowler, who is 92, should know. He and his wife, Rachel Emily, who's 86, observed their seventh wedding anniversary.

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Lady to operate popcorn machine. Age 18-34. Good salary, short hours. Apply in person.

TOWER THEATER
EXPERIENCED waitress wanted at Park Inn. Apply in person. West Highway 80.

WATERS and car hop wanted. Must be experienced and neat in appearance. Phone 969.

WANTED Colored woman for general house work. Hours 9 to 5. References. Phone 2777.

WANTED—Laundry press operator. Oriental Cleaners. Phone 12.

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SALES CLERKS WANTED: Male or female. Apply at West Texas Office Supply.

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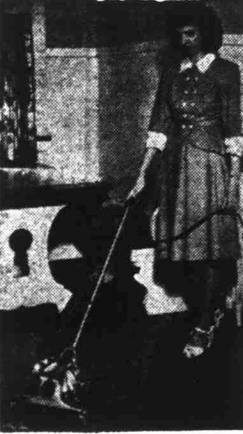
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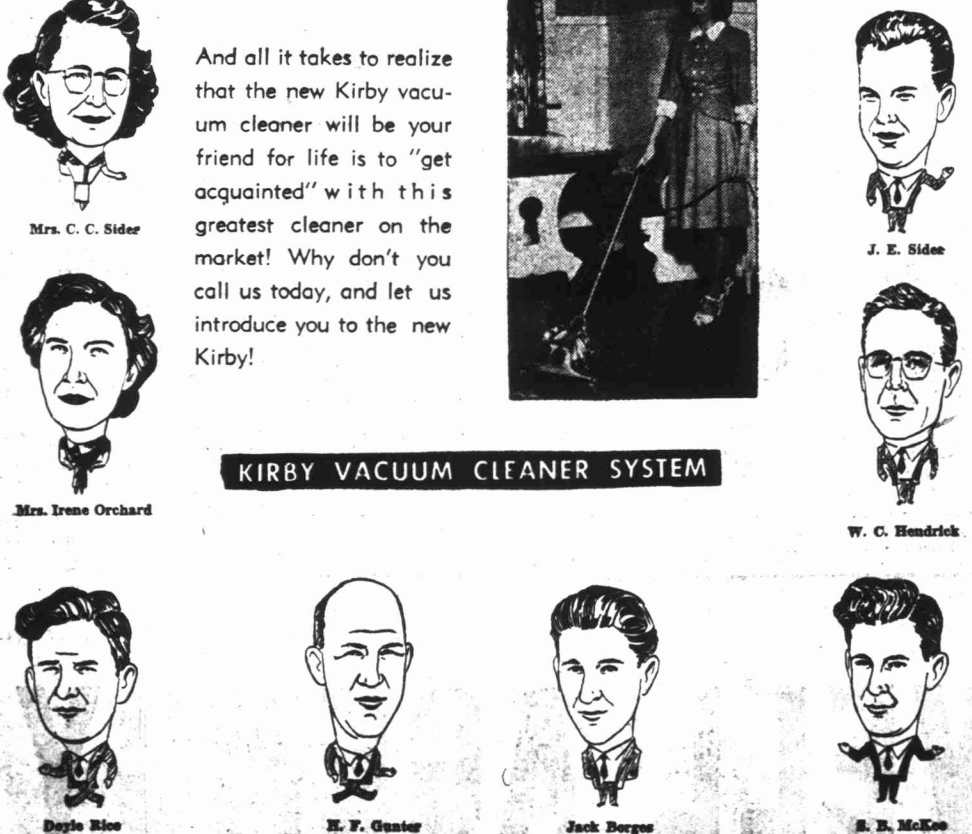
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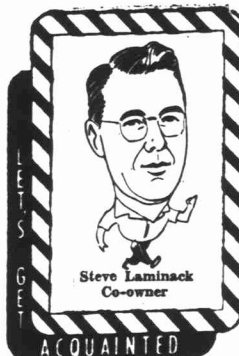
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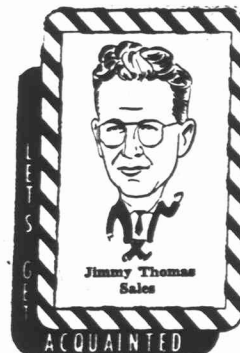


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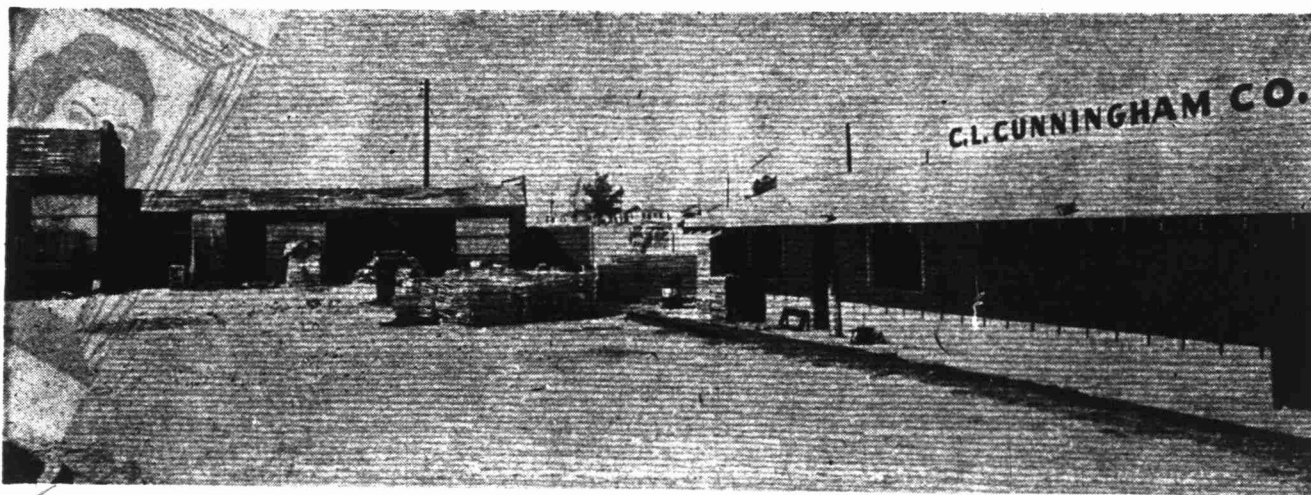
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Another rush of brides, unusual for the last days of Summer, is filling Midland.

War and rumors of war which may take many men—the end of Summer school and graduation—the rush and strain of a desperate world—these may be the reasons.

But, whatever the cause, many girls are choosing this as their wedding time while others are announcing their plans for a near-future marriage.

With her father reading the ceremony Saturday, the first anniversary of her sister's marriage, Betty Pickering became the bride of Royal Wheeler King, Jr., in the First Christian Church. She is the daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. John E. Pickering of Houston, formerly of Midland. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Royal Wheeler King, Sr., of San Antonio. The bride's sister, Mrs. D. D. Van Fossan of Galveston, was her matron of honor.

Helen Frances Caffey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Caffey, was married to Robert Williams Hunter,

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Sarah Mary Hunter and John Mills Scrogin, Jr., were married Saturday morning in the First Baptist Church. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hunter. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Scrogin. The Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor, officiated during the ceremony.

In a ceremony read Saturday evening in Dimmit, Johnnie Bice of Dimmit, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Bice of Dimmit, was married to Richard Brooks Berry of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Berry of Midland. The Rev. E. Lee Stanford read the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mabee are on a wedding trip to Northern New Mexico after their marriage Wednesday in the First Methodist Church. The bride is the former Billie Prothro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Prothro. Mabee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Mabee. The Rev. J. P. Terry of Donna, uncle of the bride, read the ceremony. On returning, the couple will be at home in Abilene, where Mabee is a student at McMurry College.

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Carolyn Oates Honors Sister With Coffee

Honoring her sister, Mrs. Tom B. Watson of Ash Grove, Mo., Carolyn Oates entertained with an informal coffee Saturday morning in her home at 610 North Main Street.

An English ivy motif was used in the tablecloth and napkins used in the dining room, and a centerpiece of ivy was used on the buffet.

Those attending were Mrs. W. B. Preston, Mrs. C. C. Watson, Mrs. Stacy Allen, Mrs. Felix Stonebocker, Mrs. Charles Reeder, Mrs. Gene Roderick, Mrs. Delton Strickland, Mrs. W. E. Shipp, Jr., Mrs. Ronald Frantz and Mrs. Ralph Troseth. Mrs. Lamar Koepcke, Mrs. Hugh Bliss, Mrs. Avid Augustson, Mrs. Paul Bowman, Mrs. Neva Smith, Mrs. Calvin Campbell of Odessa, Mrs. Robert Fry of Andrews, Lotta Williams, Lily Gilbert, Joyce Hendrick, Martha Preston, Alberta Smith and Mrs. John Owings.

4-H Group Has Reward Trip

A group of Midland 4-H Club boys and girls were taken on a reward trip last week. The trip was in recognition of outstanding 4-H work. Pauline McWilliams and Charles Green, county agents, and Mrs. Bennie Bizzell accompanied the group.

The group went through the caverns at Carlsbad, N. M., spent a night in Roswell and spent a day and night in Ruidoso, where they rode horses, and went swimming, bowling and hiking.

Girls who went were Betty O'Neal, Donna Howard, Betty Acker, Wanda Kain, Marjorie Wise, Linda Breith, Martha Nell Chastain, Florence Ann Taylor, Sandra Norwood, Jo Ann Clark and Jerry Faye Bizzell. Boys were Bobby Howard, Frank and Charles Locklar, Rayford Calhoun, Thomas Glenn, Jackie Reinhart and Ronnie Graham.



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O Promise Me

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and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nelda Joyce, to John Edward Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cooper. The ceremony will be read at 4:30 p.m. Saturday in the First Methodist Church with the Rev. Howard H. Hollowell officiating.

Pickering-King

Miss Pickering and Mr. King were married before an altar illuminated by white cathedral tapers in a branched floor candelabra. Baskets of white mums were interspersed with a background of greenery and white Marooni daisies outlined the chancel rail.

Wallace Wimberly, organist, played a medley of pre-nuptial selections and accompanied Patsy Lou Arrington, who sang "O Promise Me," "De-Koven," and "Because." O'Hardelot, before the ceremony, and "The Lord's Prayer," Malotte, as a benediction. He also played the traditional wedding marches and "Clare de Lune," Debussy, during the ceremony.

Best Man Mrs. Van Fossan was the matron of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Jr., of Springer, N. M., Billie Walker, Betty Cooke and Mary Conley Jones.

Sonny Stolz of LaGrange was best man and L. D. Smyth, Bill Albright and Walter C. Pope, III, of San Angelo and Claude Ross of San Antonio were groomsmen.

The bride, who entered alone, wore a white satin bridal gown overlaid with Point de Game lace. The elongated moulded lace bodice featured a scalloped yoke of illusion edged with a tiny pleated ruffle. The long, tight-fitting sleeves were of lace and the full, bouffant skirt extended into a cathedral-length train.

Her fingertip-length veil of imported English illusion fell from a tiara of pearls and seed pearls. She carried a cascade bouquet of lilies of the valley and stephanotis centered with white orchids on a white Bible.

The bridal attendants wore identical gowns of aqua marquisette over aqua satin. The dresses were designed with satin boleros and full marquisette skirts. The attendants wore matching net mitts and sweetheart hats of shirred nylon net over satin. All carried shower bouquets

Caffey-Hunter

Emerald green foliage and palms formed the background for the Caffey-Hunter ceremony. The couple stood in front of a white wrought-iron archway which had a wedding bell extending from the top. On either side of the archway were candelabra with white tapers and baskets of large white mums.

For pre-nuptial music Mrs. Joseph Mims, organist, played "O Promise Me," "DeKoven," "Thine Alone," "Herbert," and "I Love Thee." Greig. She played "Clare de Lune," Debussy, during the ceremony and "Always," Berlin while the candles were lighted.

She played the traditional wedding marches for the professional and recessional. Ruth Hall sang "Through the Years," Youmans, and "Because," D'Hardelot, before the ceremony.

Peggy Caffey, sister of the bride, was the maid of honor and Mary Thompson and Winifred Yates of Breckenridge were bridesmaids. Barbara Haag, cousin of the bride, was the flower girl and Lois Sheldahl and Maurine Carille of Stamford lighted the candles.

J. G. Hunter of Austin, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man and L. C. Hobbs, brother-in-law of the bride, and David Hunter, cousin of the bridegroom, were ushers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a gown of white

marooning mitts and hat. She carried a white satin basket filled with white petals.

Mrs. Caffey chose a brown lace dress with brown and white accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias. Mrs. Hunter wore a dress of Mascarade Chartilly lace and black velvet accessories. Her corsage was pink rambur lilies.

A reception was held in the church parlor after the ceremony. The table was centered with an arrangement of pink carnations.

The house party included Mrs. L. C. Hobbs, sister of the bride, Anna Upham, Betty Bobo, Betty Young of Breckenridge, Jere Beard of Tyler, Mrs. Barry Boone, Mrs. T. E. Whitehead, Mrs. J. G. White and Mrs. Merwin Haag.

Hunter-Scrogin

Miss Hunter and Scrogin repeated wedding vows before an altar decorated with baskets of white gladioli flanking an arch covered with ferns and white gladioli. The chancel rail was covered with palms, ferns and white flowers.

Patsy Killings was maid of honor and Margaret Baker of Uvalde, Genora Brown and Lois White of Albany were bridesmaids. All wore orchid-colored gowns of nylon net over satin. They carried bouquets of orchid asters.

Shella Sue Smith of Midland was the flower girl.

Best Man John M. Scrogin was his son's best man and C. C. Tull, Frank Shepard, Dean Cox and David Hyatt were ushers.

Mrs. Joseph Mims was at the organ and played "At Dawning," Cadman; "L'Amour," Primi; "Until," Sanderson; "Yours Is My Heart Alone," Lehar; and "Pale Moon," Logan as a pre-nuptial medley.

Mrs. Joe Brooks of Big Spring sang "Because," D'Hardelot and read the sonnet "How Do I Love Thee," Elizabeth Barrett Browning, while Mrs. Mims played "Wedding Prayer," Dunlap. Mrs. Mims also played the traditional wedding marches and "Take Thee Dear," Carter-Johnson during the ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a formal gown of Chantilly lace over slipper satin. It was fashioned with a fitted bodice and a paneled skirt which extended to a chapel-length train.

The elbow-length veil of tiered illusion extended from a satin Juliet

Bice-Berry

Miss Bice and Berry were married in a double-ring ceremony before an altar decorated with baskets of white gladioli and mums on either side and a large bouquet of gladioli and mums in the center. The background was decorated with palms and double candles on the pews.

Mrs. Swain Burkett, organist, accompanied Wanda Gallehow as she sang "I Love Thee," Greig and "Yours."

Anne Sheffy was maid of honor and the bridesmaids were Janice Baston and Charlotte Lippard. L. B. Berry, father of the groom, was best man and the groomsmen were Charles S. Hunter and Stanley W. Hall. Ushers were C. E. Clark and John R. Hinchey of Lubbock.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a white satin gown with a bodice of Chantilly lace and a full skirt forming a chapel-length train. The gown was fashioned with a high neckline and long sleeves coming to a point over the hands. Her veil was of illusion with a Juliet cap of satin surrounded with rows of pearls.

The bride carried a crescent shape

Batson, Stumberg To Be Married

CRANE—The engagement and approaching marriage of Naomi Jeanine Batson to Temple Stumberg of Sanderson recently has been announced.

Miss Batson is the daughter of E. H. Batson of Crane and Stumberg is the son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Stumberg of Sanderson.

The wedding will take place August 30 in the Stumberg Ranch home.

Miss Batson is a graduate of Sul Ross State College. Stumberg also attended Sul Ross.

The couple will live in Clint where Miss Batson is employed as public school music and choral work teacher. Stumberg will work in El Paso.

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Midland Delegates Return From HD Meet In Big Spring

Midland County delegates have returned from the Texas Home Demonstration Association meeting in Big Spring. Mr. O. R. Phillips, Mrs. D. M. Bizzell, Mrs. I. J. Howard and Mrs. B. L. Mason were Midland County women who remained in Big Spring during the whole meet. Mrs. J. C. Hudman and Pauline McWilliams, Midland County home demonstration agent, were in Big Spring for the sessions Friday.

The association meets every two years. Mrs. R. L. Almanrode of Monday was elected president of THDA and was installed during the meeting.

END OF PELICAN

SYDNEY, N. S.—(AP)—The once-proud wooden flagship of the British fleet, the Pelican, which has protruded from Halifax harbor since 1923, is going to be removed. The harbor board announced that divers will seal the hull and it will be towed out to sea and sunk.

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League Of Women Voters Is Active Group In Midland

The Midland League of Women Voters was begun in 1940, with Mrs. Hilda Blair Ray, attorney, as its first president. The league is a national organization with branches in all states of the United States except five.

At the time of the organization of the Midland group, the league was a new idea and it was a struggle to keep it alive the first few years. At one time the membership dropped to five persons. The present membership averages 140 persons. League members are women with a purpose. "To promote political re-Mrs. J. F. Beakey responsibility through informed and active participation of citizens in government." Mrs. J. L. Beakey is the current president.

The league is a non-partisan organization and never under any circumstances endorses a candidate, but it does support issues. In 1949 the Texas league sponsored two bills, "a secret ballot for the State of Texas," and "state laws to facilitate the establishment of family relations courts in Texas." Both bills were passed.

The league cannot support a candidate but members who are not officers or on the board are urged to be active in their parties and to actively support the candidate of their choice.

The Midland league provides a "Voters' Guide," which is sent to all qualified voters in Midland County before each election. It provides non-partisan, factual information concerning poll tax payments, voting, candidates and issues.

The Midland Country Club was organized in 1927, with an initial membership of 100.

It's Get Acquainted Week!

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MONDAY

Single Saddle Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the City-County Auditorium.

Ceramics and Contemporary Painters Groups of the American Association of University Women and the Midland Palette Club Art Center will meet at 7 p. m. in the Palette Club Studio.

Rebekah Lodge will meet at 8 p. m. in the Odd Fellows Hall.

Silver Spur Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the Midland Officers Club.

Circles of the First Baptist Women's Missionary Society will meet at 3 p. m. as follows: Lottie Moon with Mrs. Burnard Allred, 2401 West Kansas Street; Rebekah with Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, 118 Maiden Lane; Mary Martha with Mrs. N. P. Taylor, 204-A East Kansas Street; Lockie with Mrs. Paul Beaver, 706 North Weatherford Street; Annie Barron with Alta Merrill, 609 North Main Street. The Sunbeams will meet at 3 p. m. in the GA at 4 p. m. and the Training Union Monthly Plan Meeting will be held at 7:30 p. m.

Afternoon and morning Circles of Women's Society Christian Service of the First Methodist Church will meet together at the church at 9:30 a. m. The music committee will meet to consider applications for the position of Minister of Music in the church at 2 p. m. Night circles of WSCS will meet in the church at 7:30 p. m. The Wesleyan Service Guild will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. O. M. Luten, 1901 North Main Street. All women of the church are invited to attend the informal panel discussion on the needs of youth in the community, which will be held at 3 p. m. in the First Presbyterian Church.

The Women's Missionary Union of Calvary Baptist Church will meet at 2 p. m. in the church for a community missions program.

The Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church will have

a general meeting at 3 p. m. The panel discussion will be about the youth needs of the city. Members of the panel will be Mrs. Willie Harding, Mrs. R. E. Morgan, Mrs. James M. Hill, County Judge C. C. Keith, Jr., R. Matthew Lynn and H. Winston Hull.

TUESDAY

Promenaders Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the Midland Officers Club.

The First Baptist Brotherhood luncheon will be held at 12 noon in the Recreation Hall.

WEDNESDAY

Delta Gamma Alumnae will meet at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Ellison Muldrow, 411 South M Street.

The Boone Bible Class of the First Methodist Church will have an ice cream supper at 7 p. m. on the church lawn. Choir rehearsal will be held at 7:15 p. m.

The First Baptist Sunday School monthly workers supper will be held at 6:45 p. m. in the Recreation Hall. Adult 4 will serve. Departmental meetings will be held at 7:30 p. m.

THURSDAY

Palette Club Studio will be open all day for members who wish to paint. A potluck luncheon will be served at noon.

FRIDAY

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

The First Baptist Church Young Peoples luncheon will be held at 12 noon in the Recreation Hall.

The Ladies' Golf Association of Midland Country Club will meet for luncheon at 1 p. m. Frid in the clubhouse. Hostesses will be Mrs. J. J. Travis and Mrs. Bob Franklin.

The Chamber of Commerce-sponsored "Get Acquainted" barbecue honoring faculty members of the Midland public schools and their families, will be held at 6:30 p. m. at Cole Park.

SATURDAY

The Rainbow Girls will meet at 3 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

Children's Story Hours will be held at 10:30 a. m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library and in the library's Terminal and Dunbar branches.

All groups of the Children's Theater will meet at 9:30 a. m. in the Community Theater to discuss the first play of the season.

Four Girls Return From Kickapoo Camp

Darlene and Mary Jane Aldridge, Charley Hayes and Susan Hill returned Tuesday from the Kickapoo Camp in Kerrville, Texas.

Darlene Aldridge, a third-year camper, received a Red Cross Swimming Certificate and was awarded "fire lighter, girl of the week." She also received awards in music and dramatics.

Mary Jane Aldridge, a second-year camper, received a Red Cross Beginners Swimming Certificate and an award in dramatics.

A first-year camper, Charley Hayes, also received a Beginners Swimming Certificate and an award in dramatics.

Susan Hill, another second-year camper, received a Red Cross Intermediate Swimming Certificate and awards in ping pong and dramatics.

With the entry of Newfoundland into confederation, Canada became the main fish producing country in the world in terms of dollar value.

Ministerial Association Sponsors Varied Projects

The Midland Ministerial Association was organized in 1937. Its aim is to provide fellowship among the clergymen of the city and to offer an opportunity for cooperation in certain community-wide Christian undertakings.



The first president was the Rev. J. W. Coleman of the First Presbyterian Church, who was the senior minister of the city at the time of its organization. He served until Dr. R. M. Lynn in 1941. He was succeeded by the Rev. John E. Pickering of the First Christian Church, who served until 1944.

Succeeding presidents have been: 1944—the Rev. Hubert H. Hooper, First Presbyterian Church; 1945—Dr. Will C. House, First Methodist Church; 1946—the Rev. Vernon Yearby, First Baptist Church; 1947—the Rev. Clyde Lindsley, First Christian Church; 1948—the Rev. Robert J. Snell, Trinity Episcopal Church; 1949—the Rev. Howard Hollowell, First Methodist Church; and 1950—Dr. R. Matthew Lynn, First Presbyterian Church.

In 1941 the association cooperated with the Chamber of Commerce in the publishing of a "Welcome to

Midland" bulletin which carried information about the churches. Morning devotionals over KCRS were conducted for years. At present the Ministerial Association cooperates with KCRS in a five minute "Call to Prayer" each week day morning at 6:55.

Evangelistic Services In 1942 simultaneous evangelistic services were arranged in all the churches immediately preceding Easter. During the war the association provided services at Midland Air Field No. 2 where there was no chaplain.

Since 1943 the association has paid the salary of a Bible teacher to offer elective courses in the Midland High School. The Rev. W. R. Mann was the first teacher. He has been succeeded by various ministers and lay people who could meet the qualifications for this course.

The association now sponsors "Go To Church" publicity and cooperates in social service work in the community. It sponsors a Church Football League, union services on special days, and an annual community religious census.

Present Members The present membership includes the Rev. Gilbert C. Becker, Grace Lutheran Church; the Rev. C. L. Hedges, Trinity Baptist Church; the Rev. H. H. Hollowell, First Methodist Church; the Rev. Clyde Lindsley, First Christian Church; Dr. Matthew Lynn, First Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. W. R. Mann, Presbyterian Sunday School missionary; the Rev. F. W. Rogers, Church of the Nazarene; the Rev. J. B. Sharp, St. Mark's Methodist Church; the Rev. Robert J. Snell, Trinity Episcopal Church; and the Rev. J. B. Stewart, Asbury Methodist Church.

Chi Omega Alumnae Began Meetings In Spring Of 1947

With the purpose of creating better friendships among members and establishing an organization which would aid Midland girls going away to school, Chi Omega alumnae began meeting in the early Spring of 1947.

The first meetings were in the homes of Mrs. Lamar Eschberger and Mrs. W. P. Beckers. Mrs. J. N. Walston was the first president of the group.

The eight charter members planned an organization which would aid Midland girls going away to schools where sororities existed, to know about Chi Omega and to furnish them an introduction to their chosen campus.

Charter Members The charter members were Mrs. Beckers, Mrs. Eschberger, Mrs. Walston, Mrs. William Pryor, Mrs. Julian Muller, Mrs. Murray Pasken, Mrs. Robert Turpin and Mrs. D. Russell Dickson. The present membership total is 25.

Present officers are Mrs. Herbert Marshall, president; Mrs. John Miller, vice president; Mrs. Fred Wright, secretary; Mrs. Fred Forward, treasurer; Mrs. Herschel Ezell, reporter; and Mrs. Clem George, Panhellenic representative.

Formation Of Elks Lodge Is Planned

Petitions requesting the formation of an Elks Lodge in Midland are being circulated, according to Percy L. Prout, chairman of the organization committee, and a date for the first meeting is to be set soon.

Prout is being assisted in the organization work by E. C. Bunch, exalted ruler of the Odessa Elks.

Petitions are being signed by persons who have belonged to the Elks in other cities and by persons who are interested in joining for the first time, Prout said.

Application blanks may be obtained from Prout, who is associated with the American Republics Corporation, with offices in the basement of the Crawford Hotel. His telephone number is 3062.

Bank deposits in Midland in 1940 were \$4,982,968.55. By 1949, deposits totaled \$56,239,373.12.



AT HOME IN MIDLAND—Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gray are at home at 609 North Main Street after their marriage August 18 and a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N. M. The bride is the former Sarah Kreischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Kreischer. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gray.

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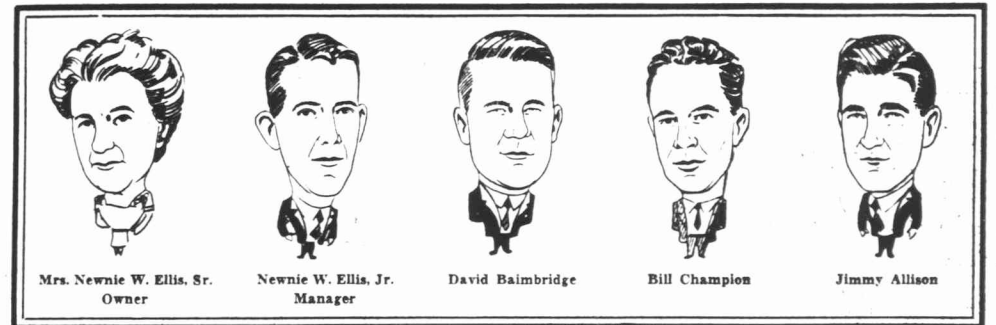
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Rann, Mrs. Gladys Palmer, Mrs. Ethel L. King and Mrs. Netty C. Romer. Mrs. T. E. Steele is the current president.

The auxiliary was formed for the one purpose of aiding the American Legion in carrying out the great program of peace and wartime service to America to which the Legion is dedicated. Its program includes rehabilitation, child welfare and Americanism.

Purpose Cited
The Americanism program is constituted by "the care of the disabled of both wars; the education and welfare of the children of the veterans who have given their health for their country; the securing of adequate national security against all possible enemies; the betterment and beautification of the communities in which we live; the advocacy of a return to greater spiritual influence in the home and lives of our people; a true spirit of fellowship and co-operation with all peoples for world development." Mrs. Vivian Steele is the president of the Midland unit.

The poppy sales on Memorial Day aid in this program. The present membership is 118 persons.

Midland SPCA Group Organized In 1947; Seeks 500 Members

A group of Midland citizens, prompted by extensive dog poisoning, held a meeting in 1947 and organized the Midland chapter of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.



Objectives of the organization, as outlined by the first members, were to prevent cruelty to animals; provide a shelter for stray, injured, sick, or unwanted animals; provide a means of collection service for gathering in such animals; establish a humane way to destroy hopelessly sick, maimed, aged, or dangerous animals; find suitable homes for as many animals as possible; provide medical service for homeless animals, and adopt and enforce state laws concerning animal welfare and protection.

Since that inaugural meeting much has been done toward accomplishing those objectives. The group has grown to 350 members and the 1950 goal is for an additional 150 members.

Don DeVito is the 1950 president of SPCA. Other officers include Bill Schneider, vice president; Mrs. Alden Donnelly, treasurer, and Mrs. Lee Floyd, secretary.

Standing Reward
The SPCA believes that poisoning is vicious as well as cruel. No measure is overlooked in an effort to prevent its use. The SPCA offers a standing reward for the apprehension and conviction of a dog poisoner.

The SPCA has sponsored the issuance of dog license. In 1949 a total of 600 were issued.

The Midland chapter of the SPCA is a chartered organization. It has become well known in West Texas and has found homes for dogs in Odessa, Andrews, Stanton, Sundown, and Jal. N. M. It also has cared for and treated a great many sick and injured animals and helped many people recover lost pets.

The chapter has worked closely with the city in all matters pertaining to animal care, and sponsored the establishment of one of the most complete and most modern animal shelters in West Texas.

Exam Announced For Engineering Aid

The Civil Service Commission announces an examination for filling the position of engineering aid (all branches of engineering except cartographic and agricultural) at entrance salary ranging from \$2,200 to \$3,225 per annum.

Employment will be with Federal agencies in Texas. Information may be obtained at the Midland Post Office or regional director, U. S. Civil Service, 210 South Harwood Street, Dallas 1, Texas.

Catoos, the Midland High School annual, gets its name from the three dominant products of the Permian Basin Empire, cattle, oil and cotton.

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WSCS Will Celebrate Tenth Birthday This September

The Women's Society of Christian Service will celebrate its tenth birthday in September. It was organized September 18, 1940, and its initial service was held in the Christian Church as the present First Methodist Church was in construction at that time.

Mrs. R. A. P. Simpson, now of Stanton, was the first president. Serving under her were Mrs. George P. Bradbury, vice president; Mrs. Hugh Walker, recording secretary; Mrs. S. F. Hazlip, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Sam Preston, treasurer.

The Methodist Aid Society was first organized in 1894 with Mrs. Will Lancaster as president. In 1913 it was changed to Women's Missionary Society with Mrs. W. H. Brunson as president.

The Women's Missionary Society served the First Methodist Church until 1949 when all societies of the

Methodist Churches were organized into the Women's Society of Christian Service.

Present officers in the WSCS are Mrs. E. A. Crisman, president; Mrs. Edwin C. Hall, vice president; Mrs. Jeff Montgomery, recording secretary; Mrs. George P. Bradbury, promotion secretary, and Mrs. Sam Preston, treasurer.

The WSCS is divided into eight circles. The chairmen are Mrs. O. L. Crooks, Mae Tidwell circle; Mrs. Ralph McClesky, Irene Nix circle; Mrs. Hugh Bliss, Kate Oates circle; Mrs. Gene Noah, Eleanor Luton circle; Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Mary Scharbauer circle; Mrs. W. F. Prothro, Belle Bennett circle; Mrs. W. M. Ford, Laura Haygood circle; Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Winnie Prothro circle.

These circles sponsor various projects, such as equipment to Midland Memorial Hospital and to the negro day nursery. The work of the whole society is more universal than local. Its money and gifts go to support missionaries, teachers, nurses, deaconesses, and to building and maintaining health centers, community centers, missions, hospitals, schools.



Mrs. Crisman

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

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Fred Blumenthal says: Russians quit broadcasting weather information; Lucas and Rayburn differ on congressional adjournment; Ohio Republican hopes Democrats win this fall.
 (Ed. Note—Drew Pearson will be back from his vacation and writing the Washington Merry-Go-Round Monday.)

WASHINGTON — The Russians abruptly stopped broadcasting weather information last week from their weather stations north of Korea. This apparently was done to hinder U. S. airmen, who had been using the Soviet weather broadcasts to help plan their raids. These Soviet stations are part of an international network which exchanges weather information in peacetime. However, the Russians apparently decided to help the North Koreans and put the weather stations under a wartime blackout.

Democrats Tangle
 Speaker Sam Rayburn and Senate Majority Leader Scott Lucas of Illinois tangled hotly on the "adjournment" question at the big four leaders' meeting with President Truman last week.

Rayburn insisted that Congress should adjourn "sine die" when all emergency bills have been passed early next month. This would mean a complete shutdown until next January 3, barring a recall by the President.

"It would be better for the country if we adjourned and let things settle down," argued the speaker. "Also, the rest of the world would get the impression that we aren't fearful of a third world war."

However, Lucas strongly urged that Congress remain formally in session, but institute "three-day recesses" to give members of both Houses time to campaign.

"We are in an emergency and the country expects Congress to remain on the job," declared the Senate leader. "The recess plan would keep us on a standby basis."

"The House won't agree to anything but a sine die adjournment," Rayburn firmly insisted. The speaker didn't have to add that the reason his colleagues are itching to adjourn is because all House members have reelection campaigns, as compared with only a third of the Senate.

"This is something you will have to decide yourselves," the President said, adding that he still could recall Congress "within 24 hours" whether it adjourned sine die or invoked three-day recesses.

Washington Pipe Line
 President Truman soon will put all Pacific Coast ports under wartime security. His authority is contained in the new law passed through Congress by Senator Magnuson of Washington . . . The Senate Agriculture Committee is investigating a sub rosa oil deal, involving employees of the government-owned Farm Mortgage Corporation. A group of employees heard about oil on federal land, and quietly bought up the mineral rights from their own agency . . . In spite of the lessons of the Berlin Airlift, the Air Force was caught short of transport planes at the Korean outbreak. One reason was the opposi-

tion of the big airlines and the Civil Aeronautics Board. Exactly one month before the Korean invasion, the CAB told Congress that "the board believes the (bill) relating to the establishment of a government pool of cargo aircraft is unnecessary and undesirable at the present time." . . . The FBI has been tipped off that a meeting of mob leaders is scheduled in Cleveland next week . . . The price of crude rubber has jumped 300 per cent since the Korean war . . . D. Worth Clark, who nosed out Senator Glen Taylor for the Democratic senatorial nomination in Idaho, is almost sure to be knocked off by the Republicans. They have a recording of his last radio speech before the primary. He was supposed to speak 15 minutes, but lasted only four. The remaining time had to be filled in with music . . . Prompt action by the Philippine government in sending troops into Korea has made a big hit with key Washington officials. Best U. S. investment in the Far East today would be broad-gauged economic aid to the Philippine people.

Splitting Hairs
 Congressman Jack Anderson's bald head got involved the other day in a House hearing over whether free hospital care should be provided for servicemen's dependents.

Speaking for the American Medical Association, Dr. Walter Martin of Norfolk, Va., contended that such a medical aid program would be "discriminatory" against dependents who couldn't afford to travel long distances to government hospitals.

"That argument doesn't stand up," disagreed Anderson, a California Republican. "I pay the same taxes as a person who lives next door to a fire house, but he gets better protection."

"I think that is sort of splitting hairs . . . is it not?" snapped Dr. Martin.

Doubtful Republican
 Anderson ran a hand mournfully over his hairless dome and replied: "Doctor, I don't have any hair to split."

Ohio's hefty Congressman Clar-

ence Brown, a big noise in the Republican Party, would just as soon see the Republicans lose the November elections.

"I am by no means sure it would be a good thing for the Republicans to win this fall," Brown told GOP intimates the other day. "It would commit us to a lot of responsibility without any of the authority of administration."

"It also might give Truman a perfect alibi in 1952 for any of his blunders, just as he blamed the Republicans in the 80th Congress. In fact, he got reelected for that reason. We would be foolish if we jeopardized our opportunity in 1952 by taking over the legislative branch now."

"I think the Republicans will make some gains in this election," Brown added, "but I am not yet convinced it would be good for them to win control of Congress."

Legless Veterans
 Several years back Congress appropriated funds to purchase automobiles for legless veterans, who find public transportation extremely difficult. Recently, however, the money ran out, and no provision has been made to buy automobiles for 150 remaining applicants approved by the Veterans Administration.

To make matters worse, no new bill has been passed by either the House or Senate to provide for an anticipated 500 service men and women who will be eligible for this assistance in the coming year. Ironically, these are the most seriously wounded cases, some of whom have spent six or seven years in veterans hospitals.

Kindly Congresswoman Edith Nourse Rogers of Massachusetts has been demanding action in the House; so has Florida's Senator Claude Pepper in the Senate. But congressional leaders are too busy with other things to rectify the tragic oversight.

"This is one of the things that must be passed before any congressional recess," Mrs. Rogers insists. "It's a debt that the United States Government owes the boys. It will be a rank injustice if action is not taken."

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Kappa Alumnae Unit Installed In 1946

The Midland Alumnae Club of Kappa Kappa Gamma Sorority was installed April 30, 1946, in the home of Mrs. E. A. Culbertson. Mrs. Robert W. Hutchinson of Denison, regional assistant to the director of Kappa Kappa Gamma Alumnae, installed the group.

The first officers were Mrs. J. H. Herd, president; Mrs. R. T. Gates, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. C. R. Steinberger, rush chairman.

The group has been active in supporting the Rose McGill Fund—a philanthropic Mrs. Shackelford fund sponsored by the sorority. In 1949, the Kappa Club joined Midland City Panhellenic.

Present Officers
 Present officers are Mrs. Shackelford Reeder, president; Mrs. Norman Hoffman, vice president; Mrs. Turner Wynn, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Herd, rush chairman; and Mrs. Jack Bliss, Panhellenic representative.

Other members are Mrs. Walter P. Buckthal, Mrs. Robert E. Clark, Mrs. R. L. Conyers, Mrs. Charles F. DeBarrie, Mrs. John M. FitzGerald, Mrs. Raymond A. Lynch, Mrs. D. F. Lillis, Mrs. Lamar McLennan, Mrs. Walter P. Parr, Jr., Mrs. W. H. Thama, Mrs. F. L. True, Jr., Mrs. W. B. Yarborough, Mrs. Robert Zonne, Mrs. M. C. Parrish, Jr., Linda Ann Parrish and Mrs. David Johnson.

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true that we have tried to write something else there—incompatible ways, ways of sin. These incompatible ways of sin set up a conflict between themselves and the Kingdom within and the Kingdom without. Inner conflict ensues. The Kingdom without heightens that tension and brings it to crisis. That crisis demands that we repent, that we submit, that we be changed, that we be converted, that we let this Kingdom without invade us with its healing, its reconciliation, its life. When we fling open the doors of our being and let this Kingdom invasion possess us, we are not letting in something strange, something alien. We are letting in the very Fact for which we are made. The Kingdom within rises up to meet the Kingdom without us, and together they cast out the unnatural kingdom of sin and evil. The coming of this invading Kingdom has the feel of a home-coming about it. There is a sense that estrangement is over, that reconciliation has taken place, that the Homeland of the soul has been found. Why? Well, when we welcome the Kingdom, we welcome that for which we are made. The Kingdom within and the Kingdom without are counterparts, are one. So we feel a deep sense of unity and universal Being.

O Christ-Kingdom. Thou art the Love of my love, the Joy of my joy, the Peace of my peace, the Being of my being. When I welcome Thee, I welcome my long-estranged self—the prodigal come home. And now I am at rest, at peace, at adjustment, at home. I thank Thee. Amen.

(From the book "Abundant Living," published by Abingdon-Cokesbury Press of New York and Nashville. Copyright. Released by NEA Service.)

In 1949, 16,397,889 feet of hole were drilled in 2,261 petroleum explorations in West Texas.

Women's Auxiliary Of Episcopal Church Organized In 1929

On July 15, 1929, the Midland branch of the Women's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church was organized. At that first meeting, Mrs. I. E. Daniels was elected president; Emily Bird Smith, vice president; and Mrs. John P. Butler, secretary-treasurer.

The present officers are Mrs. W. H. Potts, president; Mrs. Carl J. Westlund, first vice president; Mrs. Jack Bliss, second vice president; Mrs. W. D. Hamm, secretary; Mrs. S. F. Hadlip, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. F. N. Shriver, treasurer.



Mrs. W. H. Potts which developed a desire to have a Church building and Parish House such as St. Mary's in Big Spring. With the help of the Auxiliary the project was completed with the first service in the Trinity Chapel being held January 1, 1930.

The next goal was the Parish House. The Auxiliary had rummage sales in the Spring and Fall and fashion shows in the Spring along with other projects. The goal was reached in August of 1948.

In 1948 the members of the Auxiliary were separated into two units called St. Margaret's Guild and St. Cecilia's Guild. The Auxiliary, which included both, continued to meet on the fourth Monday of each month. Later a night Guild called St. Agnes was formed and this year a young married woman's Guild, St. Clare's, was organized.

At present there are four Guilds—All Saints, St. Catherine's, St. Agnes' and St. Clare's.

Later the need arose for an adult clothing center. This was started by Mrs. J. P. Ruckman. The Auxiliary will conduct a survey of the needs of the aged in our community soon in compliance with a request from the District Social Service chairman.

The presidents of the Auxiliary to date have been Mrs. I. E. Daniels, Mrs. John E. Adams, Mrs. Joe Crump, Mrs. A. N. Hendrickson, Mrs. E. M. Miller, Mrs. C. D. Ver-trees, Mrs. J. P. Butler, Mrs. George Kidd, Mrs. D. C. Sivalla, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. Chappel Davis, Mrs. J. N. Allison, Mrs. Paul Kohn, Mrs. S. J. Lones, Mrs. H. C. Peck, Mrs. J. F. Ruckman, Mrs. W. L. Kerr, Mrs. John M. Fitzgerald and Mrs. W. H. Potts.

Alpha Psi Chapter Of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Begun In 1948

Alpha Psi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha was organized in Midland in February, 1948, with approximately 30 members under the leadership of Marianna Mosley, who was elected president.

Other charter officers included Mrs. David Cole, sponsor; Pat Brewer, recording secretary; Dorothy Watson, corresponding secretary; Billie Walker, social chairman; Littlejohn, publicity chairman; and Flo Hayes, vice president.

Mrs. Newt Rabensburg is the president now. Other officers include Sylvia Cearley, vice president; Mrs. Roger Sidwell, recording secretary; Mrs. J. J. DeBarbie, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Gus Gianik-hel, treasurer.

Epsilon Sigma Alpha helps in benevolent work such as the Red Cross, the adoption of war orphans from foreign countries, contributions to veteran hospitals and the Auricular Foundation, a national organization dedicated to the care of children with crippled hearing. The national organization was established in 1929.

LUBBOCK FINANCE FIRM HIRES CAPITAL STOCK

LUBBOCK — The growing need for and the importance of additional regional financing in the Southwest has been emphasized by the Western Acceptance Corporation of Lubbock. Stockholders at their August meeting voted to increase the capital stock by \$1,500,000. This brings the company's capital stock to \$1,800,000.

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FLORENCE, TEXAS—(P)—There's a doctor in Florence for the first time since 1945.

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At a formal dedication of the clinic Friday, Secretary of State John Ben Shepperd termed the building America's answer to any threat of socialized medicine or socialized anything else.

The 566 residents of Florence opened their pocketbooks to buy 500 shares in the hospital corporation and make possible its construction.

They decided to build the hospital after trying unsuccessfully since 1945 to secure a physician for the town.

E. J. Cleveland, Jr. Joins TE Office

E. J. Cleveland, Jr., has joined the sales staff in the Midland office of Texas Employers Insurance Association and Employers Casualty Company, Alton Brown, manager of the district office, announced Saturday.

A member of the dual insurance organization since 1946, Cleveland served as a payroll auditor until 1948. At that time he was transferred to the companies' underwriting division and promoted to the position of district underwriter in the firm's San Antonio office.

Cleveland is a native of Buda, Texas, and was graduated from public schools there. He later attended San Marcos Academy and Baylor University.

Woodson Garney, Jr., Weds Beaumont Girl

Married in a single-ring ceremony Saturday evening in Beaumont were Bettie Doris Morrison of Beaumont and Woodson M. Garney, Jr., of Midland.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison of Beaumont. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Garney of Midland.

Reading the ceremony was the Rev. Wayne Buchanan. Baskets of white gladiolus and fern with white carnations and candelabra formed the background for the ceremony in St. Mark's Church.

The organist was Dr. Lawrence Meteyard. Elsie Dvorak of Houston and Paul Hickfang of Bonham were vocalists. They were classmates of the bride. Hickfang sang "O Perfect Love," Barby, and "The Lord's Prayer," Malotte.

The bride was wearing a gown of ice-blue Skinnier's satin. The chantilly lace yoke and long pointed sleeves were trimmed with 72 satin buttons. A crown of seed pearls and orange blossoms held the finger-tip length veil of ice blue illusion and chantilly lace.

Grandmother of the bridegroom, Mrs. R. L. LeBlanc of Houston, styled and created the bride's veil and bridesmaids' hats. Flowers carried by the bride were white gladiolus centered with a white orchid attached to a white Bible.

Matron of honor was Mrs. Ross S. Hennigan of Beaumont, who carried an arm bouquet of gold chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids, who carried bouquets of bronze chrysanthemums, were Elizabeth Jeannine Netterville, Beaumont, cousin of the

bride; Patricia Ann Beck, Austin; Peggy Jean Wain, Beaumont, and Nancy Sue Pate, El Dorado, Ark.

The bridesmaids' ballerina-length dresses were taffeta in fall colors of coffee, shading through off-white with matching capote hats, snow-length gloves and shoes.

Patricia Ann Garney, sister of the bridegroom, Midland, was flower girl. She was dressed in a full length off-white tulle gown and carried a miniature arm bouquet of bronze chrysanthemums. Brother of the bride, James Bruce Morrison, Jr., of Beaumont, was ring bearer. Best man was Andrew Jackson Shepherd, Houston, chairman of the bridegroom. Groomsmen were Patricia Garney, uncle of the bridegroom; Benny H. Hibbler, George S. Kadera, Tommy T. Childress, all of Houston, and Ross S. Hennigan of Beaumont. Ushers were Kenneth R. Netterville and Sam Netterville, Beaumont, cousins of the bride.

The bride's mother was dressed in an aqua crepe and lace dress with black velvet accessories and an orchid corsage. The mother of the bridegroom wore a beige lace dress and pheasant hat with brown accessories and orchid corsage.

Reception held

After the ceremony, a reception was held in the church parlor with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison as hosts. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Garney, Sr., and bridesmaids and groomsmen assisted in receiving. Out-of-city guests were from Houston, Austin, Midland and Louisiana.

For a wedding trip to Ruidoso, N. M., the bride wore a dark green suit adorned with a white orchid corsage, brown lizard shoes, bag and canary red hat. The couple will be home at 311 West California Street, Midland, after September 9.

The bride attended French High School, Lamar College, and was graduated from the University of Texas in June with a bachelor of music degree. She is a member of the Phi Mu Sorority, and in school belonged to the University Singers and the University Opera Club. She is a former member of the Beaumont Melody Maids.

The bridegroom attended John H. Reagan High School of Houston and Texas A&M College, graduating in June with a bachelor of science degree in business administration. He was a member of the Houston A&M Club, Business Society and Texas A&M track team.

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Star Study Club Is Teaching Unit

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Charter members include Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Mrs. Dewey Pope, Mrs. Minnie Crumley, Mrs. Sallie T. Orson, Mrs. H. M. Spangler, Mrs. Bertha Jones, Mrs. Mary L. Wyatt, Mrs. Tom Nipp, Jerry Cavellier, Mrs. Celestia E. Johnston, Mrs. Fred Wycoff, Mrs. J. C. Luccous, Mrs. J. O. Hyde, Mrs. Lou Ella Hyde, Mrs. M. A. Floyd, Mrs. Nora Barber and Mrs. Dobson.



Mrs. Dobson was the first president and Mrs. Tom Nipp is the current president. The club has equipped the Eastern Star kitchen with dishes, crystal and silver. It adopted Mrs. Essie Berryhill of Arlington as its Star mother. She has visited Midland several times.

In the Fall of 1949 an evening group was added to the club to aid the working members who could not attend the afternoon meetings. On March 8 members of the club attended the school of instruction in Big Spring and 12 were awarded certificates and 23 B certificates. During the summer the club disbanded regular meetings and has a family picnic once a month.

The Rotary Club and the Lions Club were organized in Midland in 1928.

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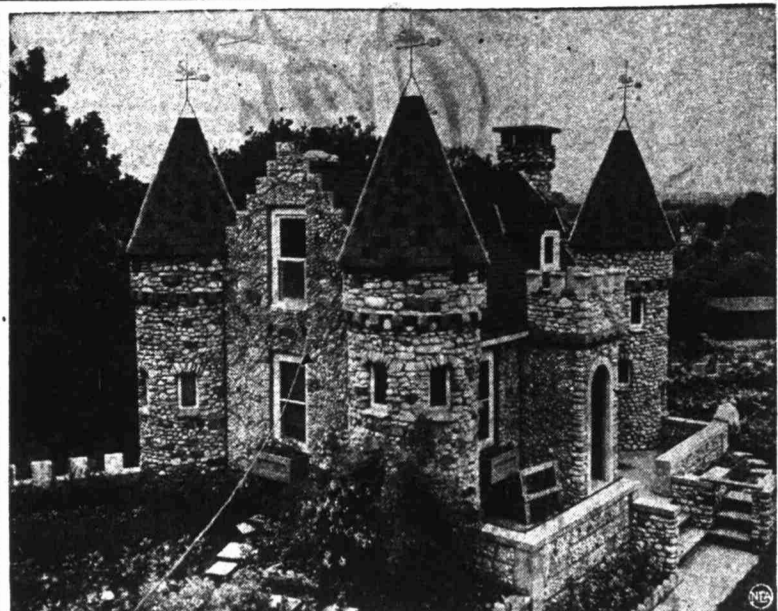
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Modern Study Club Follows Motto Toward Advancement

"The World Advances—Advance With It" has been the motto of the Modern Study Club this year.

Although the Modern Study Club's course of study for this year is "Thoughts for Our Times," much of its work has gone into the advancement of art. Members have had several guest speakers on subjects pertaining to art and a special program included an art exhibit furnished by the Texas Fine Arts Association.



Officers of the club are Mrs. Carl Westlund, president; Mrs. Charles Sherrod, first vice president; Mrs. F. R. Schenck, second vice president; Mrs. Harrie A. Smith, treasurer; Mrs. C. C. Keith, recording secretary; Mrs. H. L. Goodman, corresponding secretary; Mrs. R. E. Morgan, parliamentarian and Mrs. Brandon E. Rae, reporter.

Building Fund
 The club also is taking an active interest in the proposed Woman's Club Building. A contribution has been made toward assessments of the building fund. Mrs. Earl Johnson is chairman of the planning committee of the building, Mrs. Lamar Lunt, chairman of finance committee, and Mrs. C. H. Shepard, member of the Advisory Council of the building fund.

Among the federation projects is a "World Cooperation" project. In December, 1949, a picture was sent

to the Dutch Countrywoman's Club at Orentse, Holland. In May, of this year the club sent this group a "May Basket" filled with gifts consisting of materials, knitting supplies, needles, thread and other articles for sewing.

A shipment of books and magazines was made in January to the Bureau of Public Libraries in Manila under the "Books for Peace" project of the General Federation.

Local Projects
 Among local projects, the club gave a butane gas heater to the Dunbar Branch Library in 1948.

In March, 1949, as its chief money raising project, the club sponsored an Antique and Hobby Show. In addition to the display of hobbies and collections, the show featured antiques from private collections and also displays of local dealers. Proceeds from the show were used for club projects, including assistance to Dunbar Library and a contribution to the fund for the Woman's Club Building.

Another contribution to the club building came from the proceeds of the Easter "Bonnet Brunch" in April.

"In Our Image" written by Houston Harte, was placed on the Memorial Shelf of the Midland County Library in memory of Mrs. Ivan Hood, who died in 1949.

During the drive for the Midland Memorial Hospital, the club contributed \$350 to the fund.

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Navy Chief To Visit In Midland Monday

QMG C. R. Isaacks, of the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, San Angelo, will visit Midland Monday to talk to prospective enlistees about the advantages of the Navy. Isaacks will be located in the basement of the post office between the hours of 11 a. m. and 5 p. m. The Navy still is accepting as many men as it can get, as long as the applicants can qualify.

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The West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association was organized Sept. 24, 1946. The principal at that time was Wesley Martin, who was succeeded last year by Leslie R. Hinds.

First officers of the organization were Mrs. Tom Parker, president; Mrs. George Bennett, first vice president;

Mrs. J. C. Ratliff, second vice president; Mrs. Don Oliver, secretary, and Mrs. E. Hazel Wood, treasurer.

Present officers are Mrs. E. J. Murphy, president; Mrs. T. N. Littlejohn, first vice president; Mrs. Harvey Hard, second vice president; Mrs. Jack Chase, secretary; Mrs. Le-

roy Butler, treasurer; Mrs. Robert Morgan, parliamentarian; Mrs. R. D. Hurt, historian, and Mrs. J. C. Rinker, city council delegate.

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Two Midland and three Stanton youths are to complete their work at the meeting.

The next regular meeting date falls on Labor Day, therefore it has been set ahead to September 18, officials said. Officers will be elected at that time.

All Master Masons are invited to attend the meetings.

Sugar Pine cones hang from the extreme tips of upper branches like ornaments on a Christmas tree.

Two Texas Firms Are Low Bidders

GALVESTON (AP)—Two Texas firms apparently bid low on certain phases of rehabilitating North Camp Polk at Leesville, La.

Burrus Lumber Company of Beaumont had a low bid of \$71,475 on re-roofing and eave extension.

Lawless & Alfred of Austin bid \$106,579.97 for repair and installation of plumbing. This firm also submitted the low figure of \$25,698.80 on repairing and installing water and sewage system and one of \$5,866 for installation of food service equipment.

Six Americans in every ten live in cities.



BURY THE HATCHET—Old friends are burying the hatchet and becoming better friends than ever as Midland once again lives up to its reputation as "the friendliest city," during Get Acquainted Week. There is no greater pleasure than talking over old times with old friends. This is the time for it.

Credit Grantors Is New Organization

One of Midland's newest organizations is the Credit Grantors Association, which was organized here last June 28.

Membership in the new organization is composed of merchants interested in bringing about closer relationship between themselves for the purpose of interchanging ideas and providing mutual assistance.

L. V. Baasham is president of the Midland Credit Grantors, which is affiliated with the state and national associations. Richard Kitchens is L. V. Baasham vice president; Mrs. Mae Baumgartner is secretary and George Stewart is treasurer. Quay Hamblett heads the membership committee.

The objective of the organization are: To eliminate the undesirable credit customer; promote prompt payment of accounts; stop the bad check passer; locate missing debtors; provide legislation for the protection of credit grantors; promote retail credit procedure educational course, and provide a training course to promote greater volume of credit business.

Regular Meetings
The members meet regularly to exchange credit information among themselves and to adopt such measures as will work for uniformity and protection in granting credit, coordinate and improve the methods of consumer credit granting, promote such publicity as will educate the public to the necessity of prompt payment of bills, and promote a good fellowship among all credit grantors.

The Midland chapter of the credit grantors was organized under the sponsorship of the Odessa chapter. Annual membership fees are collected from members, part of which go to the state and national organizations.

Tejas Club Begun Three Years Ago

The Tejas Garden Club was organized April 17, 1947, with a membership of 25 persons. The purpose of the club is to study horticulture and flower arrangements and to cooperate in city beautification.

Mrs. W. D. Lane is the current president. Other charter officers were Mrs. J. D. Dillard and Mrs. J. C. Velvin, vice presidents; Mrs. Roy Minear, recording secretary; Mrs. Bert Goodman, treasurer; and Mrs. John L. Smith, corresponding secretary.

This year, the Tejas Club won second place in the scrapbook division at the convention of District 1, Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., in Midland, and first place in the yearbook section at the state convention in Tyler. The state awards were for clubs in cities in the same population division as Midland.

The club planted shrubs around the Girl Scout Little House last year and its project for the coming year is the Carver Park. It has also sponsored various projects to raise funds for the erection of the Midland Woman's Club building. It has cooperated with other garden clubs in the city in the beautification of Fairview Cemetery, of the entrance to the city and of the alleys of the city.

Current officers include Mrs. John B. Mills and Mrs. W. M. Ford, vice presidents; Mrs. J. A. Eubank, recording secretary; Mrs. Sam Preston, treasurer; and Mrs. Frank Wood, corresponding secretary. Membership has been increased to 35 persons.

STOCKMAN DIES

CARTHAGE (AP)—Lee J. Akins, 84, prominent Panola County retired stockman and farmer, died Friday night at his home in nearby Beckville. He suffered a heart attack. Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at Beckville.

St. Mark's Methodist Church Holds First Service July 16

St. Mark's Methodist Church, Main and Hamby held its first services July 16, 1950, with the Rev. J. B. Sharp, pastor, presiding. The first Sunday 43 persons became charter members. Charter membership is being held open until after the second Sunday in September. Four adult baptisms were recorded the first day. The evening service that day was attended by members of the First Methodist Church.

The idea for a St. Mark's Church in North Midland originated with the First Methodist Church. Land was donated by Jack Goddard, Rev. J. B. Sharp, Barney Grafa and Ellis Conner of the First Church. Conference approval of the idea and \$6,000 was raised by the First Methodist in an appeal for funds Easter Sunday. The building was moved from Terminal the first week in July and remodeling started at once.

Mr. Sharp was assigned to the pastorate by the Conference in June. Mr. and Mrs. Sharp came to Midland from Corsicana, where he was associate pastor. Mr. Sharp is a graduate of McMurry College and Southern Methodist University. Mrs. J. C. Miles donated the piano to the church and the Irene Nix Circle of WSCS, First Methodist, gave the collection plates. An ice cream supper by a First Methodist Sunday School class was given July 31 to raise money to buy a typewriter and mimeograph machine for the church. Members of St. Mark's have been invited to purchase hymnals in memory of some loved one and donate them to the church.

Sunday School started the second Sunday with four departments—nursery, kindergarten, primary and junior.

About 15 women members of the church met July 26 to discuss the organization of a Woman's Society of Christian Service. A meeting to form such a society took place July 31 in the home of Mrs. Ellwood Kinney.

The building, a former barracks, was broken into an L-shape. It is covered with buff brick. The interior is being worked on by volunteer church members and it is to be completed soon.

'Family Day' Will Be Observed In Midland Wednesday

A busy housewife leaves her dish-washing or cleaning to answer the telephone. It is hubby on the other end of the line.

"Hello, Dear," hubby says. "Do you know what week this is?"

"Sure, it's GET ACQUAINTED WEEK," the good wife answers.

"Do you know what day this is?"

"Yes, it is Wednesday."

"But, Darling, it also is Family Day, when everyone is expected to get better acquainted with his family. How about going out to dinner tonight, and then perhaps to the theater, park or playground? Have the kids ready and I'll be home early. Or even better, I will be there even earlier to get the children ready. You just take it easy."

"Yes, Dear," says wifey as she drops the receiver.

Similar conversations by the hundreds likely will be heard Wednesday as Family Day is observed throughout the community. It is a special feature of "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK." It is a long past due opportunity for all busy Midlanders to "GET ACQUAINTED" with their families.

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Midland Group Hears State TB Secretary

"Most needed for the progress of tuberculosis control in the state are beds, trained nurses, clinical and case-finding equipment," Fanny Nichols, executive secretary for the Texas Tuberculosis Association, told Midland County TB Board members Saturday at a breakfast in Hotel Scharbauer.

Miss Nichols has been visiting county TB chapters in Lubbock, Potter, Moore, Hutchinson, Carson and Howard Counties, studying their work and progress in the mass X-ray survey program.



Fanny Nichols

"By 1951, Texas will have more than double the present number of hospital beds," she said. But the shortage now is the reason there is a waiting list of two to three months for sanatorium care, Miss Nichols added. Lung surgery will repair some of the lungs of the disease, which would otherwise cause the patient to be bedridden for months, perhaps years. This will relieve the short hospital bed space somewhat, but not entirely, she explained.

In the last five years, bed space has been doubled. "Texas was one of the last states to discontinue preventorium care," Miss Nichols said. At present, there is a need for 3,000 more beds for tuberculosis use.

Costly Disease

Another major problem for the TB control is some form of economic relief for the families whose wage-earner is stricken with the disease. "Tuberculosis is a costly disease and a burden to the taxpayers. Ninety-six per cent of the afflicted are not able to pay for the length of time they need to stay in the hospital. Prevention costs much less than cure. A health education program is necessary to the solution of the problem," Miss Nichols stated. Tuberculosis kills more persons than any other contagious disease and it affects more persons between the ages of 15 and 34 than other diseases. There were nine deaths in Midland last year, which mean there probably are 90 active cases here. In the state in Texas in 1948 there were 2,834 deaths; 43,000 in the United States. The death rate between December, 1947 and the same month of 1948 declined 10 per cent. But the death rate in Texas is still 5.7 per cent higher than the U. S. death rate.

In 1949, the state hospital board met and lifted the nine-month limit which patient could stay in hospitals, lifted the age limit and made provision to furnish the drugs necessary for state sanatoriums.

"Midland is to be commended on the fact that it is one of the few counties which had a ten per cent increase last year in the sale of TB seals," Miss Nichols said.

Seal Sales

"One of the best and biggest health education programs the TB Association sponsors is the sale of the seals," John Redfern, vice president of the Midland County TB Association, believes that because the seal attracts not only the sender's eye but also that of the recipient the Christmas seal drive is one of the most practical ways to raise funds.

Eighty-two per cent of the money raised from the drives is spent at the local office. Six per cent is sent to the national fund, of which one per cent is used for medical research.

Delbert Downing, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, welcomed Miss Nichols to the city, giving her

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a brief "history" of Midland. Introducing the speaker was John Redfern. Miss Linnie Davidson is secretary of the Midland County Chapter of the Association.

Present for the breakfast were Frank Monroe, F. B. Rhodes, Mrs. Carl Westlund, Mrs. F. R. Schenck, Mrs. Charles Romer, Mrs. Lee Flood, Mrs. Ruby Rubin, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Willie Harding, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, Mrs. James Melton, Mrs. Tom Sealy, Mrs. Jack Mashburn, C. C. Keith, W. Dave Henderson, Mrs. Elma R. Willingham, Robert Payne and Mrs. Davidson.

Coffee Will Honor Girl Scout Workers

One hundred and fifty persons are expected at a coffee to be given from 10 to 12 Friday morning in the lounge of the Midland Country Club honoring Girl Scout workers.

The coffee will be given for all those who helped with Girl Scouts last year. The Girl Scout colors, yellow and green, will be used for decorations.

Mrs. Howard Ford will be hostess and program chairman. The first hour Mrs. R. E. Morgan and Mrs. W. W. Wilson will pour and Mrs. J. C. Rinker and Mrs. Dan Johnson will pour the second hour.

Mrs. Ford, Mrs. Vernon Bottoms and Mrs. I. A. Searies will be in the receiving line.

The house party will include Mrs. Robert Payne, Mrs. Charles Horton, Mrs. M. W. Collie, Mrs. Stanley Erskine, Mrs. J. J. Black, Mrs. Jack Bliss and Mrs. S. P. Hazlip.

Mrs. Brenneman To Leave For Italy

Mrs. Malcolm Brenneman and daughter, Brenda, will leave this week for Florence, Italy, where she will spend three months visiting her family.

On her way to New York, she will visit friends in Fort Worth. After sailing from New York on September 3, she will stop in France before continuing to Italy.

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Reagan H. Legg

Your Next County Attorney

If I haven't met you, come by the office in the Court House after January 1st and let's get better acquainted. I'm always your servant.

Tea Honors Mrs. Fleming

ORANE—A miscellaneous tea honored Mrs. Johnny Fleming, the former Earlene Canon, recently in the Community Hall.

Hostesses were Mrs. J. L. Goble, Mrs. R. L. Bardin, Mrs. R. B. Boche, Mrs. Tiny Karp, Mrs. W. J. Mathis, Mrs. John Martin, Joyce Sharp and Jackie Mathis.

A lace ecru-colored cloth over yellow covered the refreshment table. The centerpiece for this table, the registry table and gift table was of garden cut flowers.

Mrs. Booth and Mrs. Bardin presided at the refreshment table. Mrs. Mathis was at the gift table and Mrs. Martin at the registry table.

White carnation corsages were worn by those in the receiving line. They were Mrs. Fleming, Mrs. J. W. Fleming, Mrs. R. E. Cannon and Mrs. J. L. Goble. Miss Mathis entertained with piano selections.

Those attending were Mrs. Sam Nolan, Eunice, N. M.; Mrs. Joyce Lynn Mackey Perrell, Austin; Mrs. W. A. Mackey, Odessa; Mary Bone, Mrs. Erlene Thomas, Mrs. J. W. Fleming and Wanda, Mrs. Leslie Fambrough, Mrs. Ben Woods, Jr., Mrs. Jim Shaw, Mrs. Joyce and Babe, Mrs. C. A. Skains, Mrs. D. L. Wallace, Mrs. A. W. Gilbow, Mrs. C. F. Gilbert, Mrs. Joe E. Conger, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott and Dorothy of Odessa.

Mrs. C. K. West, Mrs. H. S. Huffaker, Mrs. Doc Carroll, Mr. and Mrs. John Martin, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Guyton, Mrs. Clinton Carroll, Mrs. Ben Woods, Mrs. V. H. Russell, Mrs. L. E. Russell (Mrs. Leon Nealey), Mrs. Jack Allen, Mrs. Wayne Ewin, Lola Faye Holt, Chloee Boothe, Mrs. Clarence Keyes, Mrs. J. R. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mathis and family, Mrs. Queen Hawthorne, Mrs. E. H. Garner, Lanell Murrell, Mrs. Betty Waggoner, Mrs. Lofton Bragg and daughters, Mrs. Walter Putman and Patricia, Mrs. B. R. Perkins, Mrs. Harry Leaman, Lola Green, Mrs. Gay Miller, Mrs. L. L. Martin, Mrs. Joel Williams, Mrs. George Ashburn, Coylene Pope, Mrs. Quin Sharp and Peggy, Mrs. J. E. White, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cannon and Bobby and Linda, Mrs. S. G. Barnard, Mrs. Thomas Knaell and Betty, Mrs. Brady Nix, Mrs. John Clark, Mrs. A. B. Corley, Mrs. John Alexander, Mrs. H. D. Christian and Mrs. R. V. Wilson, Sr.

Midland postal receipts climbed from \$26,147.02 in 1951 to \$254,965.58 in 1949.

Hospital Auxiliary Meets

The Women's Auxiliary to the Midland Memorial Hospital met Friday morning in the Nurses Home. Mrs. R. M. Barron presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. L. W. Sager.

It was voted to furnish the kitchen on the second floor of the home. The Personnel Activities Committee, with Mrs. R. A. Estes as chairman, will be in charge of this project.

Mrs. Kate Black, chairman of the sewing committee, announced one week in September will be designated as Sewing Week. All members will be asked to work in the sewing room in the hospital.

Mrs. Bill Glasscock announced the library cart will be in operation in the hospital soon.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sharrer, 410 East Cedar Street, on the birth Friday, of a daughter, Patricia, weighing eight pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Klinger, 511 West Texas Street, on the birth Friday of a daughter, not yet named, weighing seven pounds, one ounce.

Mr. and Mrs. James Armstrong, 308 West Hamby Street, on the birth Friday of a son, not yet named, weighing nine pounds, three ounces.

Mexico Lifts Auto Output Restrictions

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Mexico has lifted its automobile industry to build all the cars it can.

Treasury Secretary Ramon Beteta Friday announced all restrictions on the output of auto assembly plants had been lifted.

Dwindling dollar reserves and an unfavorable trade balance caused Mexico to prohibit the import of automobiles and other luxuries July 11, 1946.

It's Get Acquainted Week!

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12-Year-Old Kermit Girl Gets Letter From White House

KERMIT—The parents of 12-year-old Vera Anne Baldwin were pushed this week when their daughter received a letter from the White House in Washington, D. C. Vera Anne is visiting relatives near Bronite, so her mother opened the letter and read:

"The President deeply appreciates your letter. He wants you to know that he is grateful for your confidence and support and asks me to express his thanks." The letter was signed, "William D. Hassett, secretary to the President."

Vera Anne's mother and dad have figured it out that she heard a radio appeal for all Americans to stand behind the President and the government in its struggle with Communist aggression in Russia. Unknown to her parents, she wrote to the President, assuring him of her confidence and support.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Baldwin.

Ray Rhodes Are Home From Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rhodes and daughter, have returned from Europe, where they spent almost a year. They headquartered in Lausanne, Switzerland, and from there made side trips from "South Africa to north of the Arctic Circle."

The Rhodes were planning to remain a full year, but moved their reservations up 30 days because of the international situation.

Rhodes said, "Being in Europe today is like sitting on a powder keg. Most tourists are getting out. I'd rather be interned in West Texas than in Europe in case of another war."

In the parlance of radio, an amateur is one "interested in radio technique solely with a personal aim and without pecuniary interest."

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Shirley Lones Mrs. Howard Ford

PROMINENT—Two prominent Midland club presidents are Mrs. Howard Ford and Shirley Lones. Mrs. Ford is president of the Midland Jay-Cee-ettes, an organization of the wives of Midland Jay-Cees. Miss Lones is president of the French Heels Club, a group of Midland young women whose purpose is to aid Midland young people.

It's Get Acquainted Week!

MEET

Lucille Johnson

County Clerk
Midland County

If I can be of service to you in any way... please call on me.

MEET

J. M. SPEED

Tax Assessor and Collector

If I don't know you, I would like to meet you... if I do know you, I would like to know you better.

MEET

Nettye C. Romer

District Clerk

You are cordially invited to come in... whether business or pleasure. I would like to meet you.

Two Couples Are Honored At Rehearsal Dinners

Rehearsal dinners honored two couples before their weddings Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Hunter were given a rehearsal dinner Friday evening at the Ranch House. It was given by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil E. Caffey, the bride's parents.

A centerpiece of pink carnations and greenery adorned the table. The bride, Mrs. Jaffey and Mrs. Hunter wore corsages of pink carnations. Guests were the Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Hollowell, the Rev. and Mrs.

Vernon Yearby, Mrs. J. H. Mima, Ruth Hall, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hunter, David Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hunter of Austin, Winifred Yates, Mary Thompson, Mrs. Mervin Haag and Barbara, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hobbs and Lois Shelburne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Scrogin were honored with a rehearsal dinner given by Mrs. H. S. Collings and Pat Thursday evening in the Blue Room of Hotel Scharbauer.

The table was decorated with orchid asters and small mums. The bride wore a corsage of orchid asters.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Scrogin, Mrs. Roy Baker and Margaret Baker of Uvalde, Lois White of Albany, Genora Brown, C. C. Tull, Frank Shepard, David Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Cox, the Rev. and Mrs. Yearby, Mrs. Joe Mims, Mrs. A. C. Smith and Sheila Sue, Edith Collings, Eulis Hunter of Los Angeles, Lillian Tamstitt of Big Spring and Mrs. Joe Brooks.

Bible Class Plans Ice Cream Supper

The Boone Bible Class of the First Methodist Church will sponsor a benefit ice cream supper at 7 p. m. Wednesday.

The supper will be held on the church lawn and all proceeds will go to the St. Mark's Methodist Church.

Dog Show Entries Deadline Listed

September 2 has been set as the deadline date for entries in the West Texas Kennel Club Dog Show to be held September 15 in Odessa.

George Woodford may be contacted for information about entries and for entry blanks. Any dog that is over six months old and is registered with the American Kennel Club is eligible to enter the show.

The show will be the fourth annual one to be given by the West Texas Kennel Club and will be an American Kennel Club show. It will be held in the City Pavilion, West Tenth Street, Odessa. Between 700 and 800 dogs will be shown.

chairman of the show and Albert Laest of Kansas City, Mo., is superintendent. Judges will be Selwyn Harris of Santa Monica, Calif., Anton Rost of New York City and Lewis Spence of Dallas. W. B. Mason, Jr., of Amarillo will judge the children's handling classes.

In these classes the child and his handling of the dog, rather than the dog itself, is judged. During the next two Sunday afternoons, Mrs. Angus Smith, 1208 West Louisiana Street, will teach any child the principles of dog handling so that he may show an animal.

MacArthur Report Features Exploits Of Texas Airmen

TOKYO — (AP) — The exploits of four flying Texans were featured Saturday in Gen. MacArthur's Headquarters daily report on the Korean air phases of the war.

Lt. Col. Robert B. Jarrell, Waxahachie, led a B-26 flight to a pontoon bridge on the west side of Seoul. After dropping 1,000 pound bombs on the target, Colonel Jarrell reported, "We made eight direct hits on the bridge and put it out of commission."

Another pontoon bridge, also near Seoul, was hit by B-26's in a flight led by Capt. James H. Morrow of Sweetwater. The Texan reported, "We damaged the approach to the north side of the bridge."

Capt. Luther L. Hampton of Houston, in another B-26 raid, bombed a train near Sangjin. He said he hit the locomotive and six boxcars, inflicting heavy damage.

Enemy supplies moving by rail from Kumchon to Kwanni were damaged seriously by additional B-26 attacks, according to Jayne A. Yooman of Austin, crewman aboard one of the bombers.

The first zoo in the United States was established in Philadelphia in 1874.



GERMANY'S "NATURE BOY" — Seventy-year-old Arthur Graeser, philosopher and writer, of Munich, Germany, has severed almost all connection with the outside world and is now living an outdoor life indoors. Graeser brought trees, flowers, fruits and other vegetation to place around his bed, giving him a rather odd boudoir.

Shower In Andrews Honors Betty Ramsey

ANDREWS — Betty Ramsey, bride-elect of Raymond Burton of Mount Vernon, Texas, was honored at a shower given Thursday night in the Community Hall.

The honoree is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Ramsey and Burton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Burton. The couple will be married September 3 in the home of the bride-elect's parents.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. M. M. Fisher, Jr., Mrs. Bill Pinnell, Mrs. Irwin, Mrs. J. D. Huckabee and Bill Sue Patterson.

Mrs. Irwin was at the register. Mrs. Fisher served cake and Mrs. Pinnell poured punch.

Guests were Mrs. C. E. Robertson, Mrs. Bob Dillard, Jr., Mrs. Howard Booth, Mrs. D. M. Woolam, Mrs. J. W. Pinnel, Mrs. G. N. Brown, Mrs. Walton Creech, Mrs. Doyle Ashley, Mrs. Bernie Simpson, Mrs. Howard Tucker, Mrs. Charles A. Dean, Mrs. Lloyd Ford, Mrs. H. T. Wilson, Mrs. Carmen Skousen and daughter, Sharon; Mrs. Othell Ogden, Mrs. Dixie Ogden, Mrs. Knox Irwin, Jr., and Mrs. Bill Farmer.

Out-of-city guests were Mrs. V. H. Cummings, Mrs. Mosies Laws and Mrs. W. E. Maypole of Odessa, Mrs. Joe Jay of Abilene and Mrs. C. F. Sulzburger of New York.

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Mrs. Lancaster To Arrive In States

Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, who has been in Europe for the last six months, will arrive in New York City Friday.

Her daughter, Mrs. William Y. Penn, received a cable from her last week in which Mrs. Lancaster said she will arrive Friday on the New Amsterdam. Mrs. Penn will fly to New York City to meet Mrs. Lancaster.

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KOLLEGE KIDS' KAPERS

BY BETTY BOBO

The weather man doesn't seem to realize what time of year it's getting to be. But that doesn't stop our college co-eds from hauling out their woollens, corduroys and velveteens in preparation for a new year of college life. Sports magazine readers are feeling pretty gay if they're heading for Texas University, Hardin-Simmons, SMU or TCU, all of which are supposed to have "knock-out" football squads this year. Baylorites are praying for another Adrian Burk and the Aggies are just praying. Personally we don't pay too much attention to the pre-season forecasts since "up-

set" is the rule in the Southwest Conference. Dummy Goodie, Jimmy Edwards, Barney Hightower, Bill Little and Donald Deel are expected to star for their respective schools. Dummy and Donald are heading for "Hard-on-Sinners" (Hardin - Simmons to you); Jimmy and Barney are going back to Austin College, and Bill Little will enroll in Kilgore Junior College to play for the Rangers down there.

"Visions Of . . ." Of course, all of our thoughts haven't turned to football. In unguarded moments visions of schedules, registration lines, books, chow lines, eight o'clock classes and bookstore jams rise to haunt us. The future freshmen smile innocently, never dreaming that the blood-thirsty tales of fish hosing are all true. (Don't let us scare you! Ha!)

Although our thoughts have turned to school, there still is some last minute vacationing being done. Mumsey Cowden had as a guest from Houston, Louise Baker, a college friend from Texas University. Mumsey Cowden had as a guest from party for her Monday morning.

Mrs. Robert Hunter, who was Helen Caffey before her marriage Saturday night, had as her guests, Misses Winifred Yates and Betty Young from Breckenridge, Maurice and Maria Carlile and Sunny Jo Meredith from Stamford, and Jerre Beard from Tyler. Helen and Bob will live in Abilene while Bob attends McMurry College.

Another couple who were married recently and will live in Abilene are Billie and Joe Mabree. He also will attend McMurry.

Alpine will be the home of Sarah and John Scroggin, who also were married Saturday.

Calf Ropers
Harley May and Bub Evans were in town Thursday to rope a calf. Along with John Casselman, John Dublin, Courtney Cowden and Bobby Holt, they put on quite a show.

Well, the summer is over. It's been wonderful to be home for a few months. Before we all go back to our various campuses, we should stop to remember one thing: There are nine months in front of us. Nine months in which we will determine what will happen to us. We all should try to make the best of this next school year. So long for now. Be seeing you at the ball games.

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Austrian Visitor From Midland Sends Books For City Library

By ANN CABOTHERS

From Austria to the Midland County Library have come two books, examples of foreign book-making, publishing color, and format. These were sent to the library by Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, 1705 West Indiana Street, from Salzburg, Austria, one of the cities she is visiting on her European tour. The books are "Wiener Mode" and "Die Spanische Hafretschule."

"Wiener Mode" by Von Leopoldine Springschitz, has the foreign similarity to "Godey's Ladies' Book." Completely written in the German language, the flyleaf has this paragraph: "A contribution to the civilization of old Vienna with 32 colored and 32 black art prints added." The book was published in 1949 by the Vienna Publishers.

Detailed drawings show what was in vogue during the 1790's, 1830's, and up until about the middle of the nineteenth century. Shoes, hats, gloves, fans and hair styles are shown.

One illustration shows the outrageous sky-scraper plumes, sometimes as many as three or four to the hat. Bustles and bows of wide striped taffetas and satin make the women look somewhat topeavy, almost as loaded as native women who carry the baskets of fruit and supplies on their heads.

For the younger set, bedtime robbing is pictured. The "cover-all" fashion was popular, with the ruffles, frills, and pantaloons ever present even in "Sleepytime" apparels. Here again was the high, high neckline.

Profusely Illustrated
Bonnets, softly but luxuriously illustrated, are all of the feminine appeal. Pink shades, abundantly scattered with roses, sprigs of fern and berries were shown for 1822.

Before 1830, from the high waist the dress skirt dropped straight. Tight sleeves, puffed at shoulder, were adorned with braid, duplicated down the front of the dress. Tall narrow bonnets decorated with ribbons, birds, bows, or braid matched the straight dress lines.

One outfit, listed above the 1830 dateline, is entirely in blue and yellow . . . all shades. The bonnet, in dark blue is covered with large blue taffeta bows jutting out on all sides.

In 1820, the waistline was almost too high to call a waistline. It made the Empire waistline look absolutely "long-waisted."

Men were not excluded in the fashion show. Great fitted overcoats, velvet collars, covered buttons, puffed sleeves fitted over the wrist were pictured for 1827. And the trousers were always very fitted over the hips. They were frilled blouses, high throat scarfs tied into bow knot, and two vests.

By 1830, waistlines had dropped almost to normal, but hats still obliterated the majority of the head and collar and cuffs finished what the hat and dress left uncovered.

An almost duplicate of some of the evening gowns of today was a dress pictured for 1836. Brightly shown in yellow, the only differ-

ence in today and yesterday in the model was the sleeves. They were ruffled, puffed. But the neckline was low, the waistline snugly fitted. Pull skirt and soft folds followed the low neckline. Placed on the skirt were two rosettes caught with a sprig of green and maroon flowers. Black crocheted mitts covered the hands. Of course there was a fan. Hairstyle showed the abundant curls over the ears, with a back topknot piled high and adorned with flowers.

Afternoon Stroll
Scenes shown in the black and white were what to wear for a flower show, a tea, a marriage ceremony, a Sunday afternoon stroll and a visit to the swimming pool.

Bright red, black, green and rose plaid pictured would put to shame some of our charrusee or fuchsia gowns of today. The stole was in the same colors.

One page was devoted to hairstyles and hair adornment with flowers, pearls, combs and bands.

For the horse lovers, there is the book "Die Spanische Hafretschule" or "The Spanish Riding School," by Alois Podhajsky. This book was written in three languages, French, German and English. The first picture showed the Austrian ceremony with the manager of the Imperial Riding School requesting from General Patton particular protection for his institute in order to save it for the new Austria.

Horses were shown, some for entertainment, for show, for work; all colors, breeds, and ages. Horses were pictured jumping, feeding, working, resting and prancing.

The Saddle Room was pictured, polished, immaculate and brightly illuminated. Emperor Charles VII was named as the man who built the Spanish Court Riding School. Marriage festivities given for Archduchess Maria Anna in 1744 were held in the Riding Hall, which was converted into a fairylike ballroom.

One picture of the Lipizzan stallion, is "An outstanding representation of classical equestrian art for hundreds of years. The rider wears traditional uniform."

The latter half of the book gives pictures, both in color and black and white, of Xenophon, author of the first riding book, riding masters, brood mares, dark foals, young stallions and the Passade (Spanish Walk).

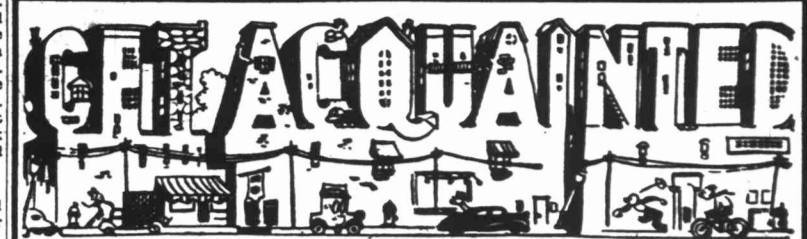
Mrs. Lucille Carroll, librarian, believes the costumes illustrated in "Wiener Mode" will be helpful to the Community Theater, for their authenticity. "You don't have to read German or French to enjoy the books," she said.

TO KEEP PARKING METERS

QUANAH—(AP)—Residents here voted, nearly 3 to 1, to keep parking meters as permanent fixtures on city streets. In a special election Friday, 300 voted for the meters and 101 against.

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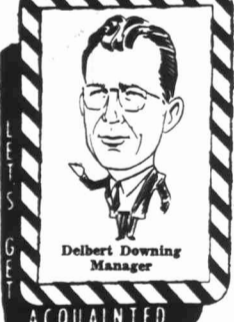


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During Get Acquainted Week

Home Refurnishing Ideas For Fall Listed By Experts

No matter how old-fashioned a house is, it has hidden possibilities. Ruthless clearing-out of over-ornamentation will make the most out-of-date room look new-fashioned at small cost. These remodeling ideas of leading designers will bring dated interiors in step with the times.

Get rid of heavy, ungraceful banisters and handrails on stairs; semi-partitions with columns between rooms or in a hall; ugly mantels; and you will have a good foundation for re-decorating as you modernize. Don't discard old furniture which appears outmoded. A Victorian chair will lend glamour to a room if the frame is bleached or painted, the seat covered with a modern fabric. A square piano or a towering old upright will lose its bulky look when repainted oyster-white. If a tall cabinet or heavy bookcase overpowers a small room, paint it the color of the walls.

Old-Style Door
An old-style door with no character can be replaced with a multi-paneled one finished to match the room interior. If it needs more emphasis, individual panels can be decorated with appropriate designs. If a room has too many doors, minimize them. Choose solid flush doors; fit them with simple, unornamented hardware and paint all the same color as the walls.

Any uninteresting doorway can be given distinction by framing it with built-in shelves. Choose a simple pattern and avoid conspicuous trim. A 12-inch plywood shelf is wide enough to accommodate books, decorative glassware pieces, pewter and pottery. Vertical partitions across the top shelf will give added support and provide individual niches for display or ornamental pieces. Paint the interior of the shelves a contrasting color or give them a flat coat of paint to match walls and woodwork.

Sweetwater Sets Dam Ceremonies

SWEETWATER —(P)— Ground-breaking ceremonies are to be held Sunday for the multi-million dollar Oak Creek Lake dam south of here. The dam will back up water for Sweetwater's municipal water supply.

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First Class Roof Is Important In Home Construction

By HENRY J. WINGATE
Nationally-Known Architect and Engineer

Next to the foundation, the roof of a house is about as important as any other one part of the structure. The home-owner who has a first-class roof will have fewer repair problems, while a poor roof can be the source of continuing expense and trouble.

A roof has three primary specifications: (1) it must be absolutely wind and weather tight; (2) it should be highly resistant to fire; and (3) it should be strong, adequately pitched and drained.

Roofing is available in a wide variety of materials, including asbestos, asphalt, metal, slate and wood shingles, sheet metal, clay tile, tarred felt and gravel or roof roofing. Shingles or tiles are most generally used on a home. The other materials are largely confined to multi-family buildings, garages and commercial structures.

For strength, roof rafters should be no farther apart than 16 inches center to center. The roof covering is laid on sheathing nailed to the rafters. In the case of wood shingles, the sheathing boards are laid two inches or three inches apart to permit air circulation and retard rot in the shingles. For all other types of roof covering, the sheathing is laid tight, board to board.

More homes have wood shingles than any other roofing. A properly-laid wood shingle roof will provide long and satisfactory service. Clay tile and the asbestos, asphalt, metal and slate shingles are highly fire-resistant and long-lasting. On an old house, these materials often are laid successfully right over the old wood shingles.

Governor Of Kansas Says Rule Unjustified

TOPEKA, KANS. —(P)— Kansas' governor says a Colorado executive order to guard against importation of scabies-infested sheep from Kansas is not justified.

The order, directed against Kansas and Texas, was issued August 2 by Gov. Walter Johnson of Colorado.

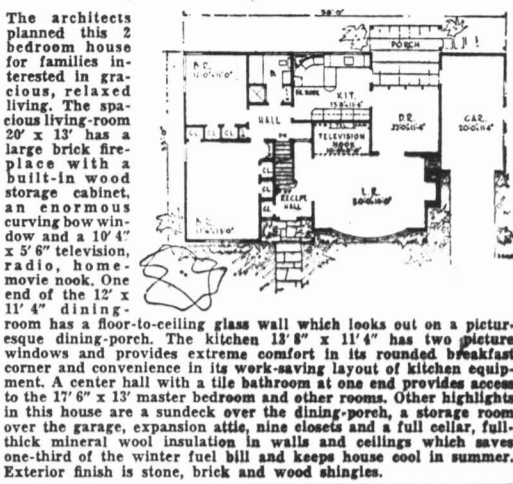
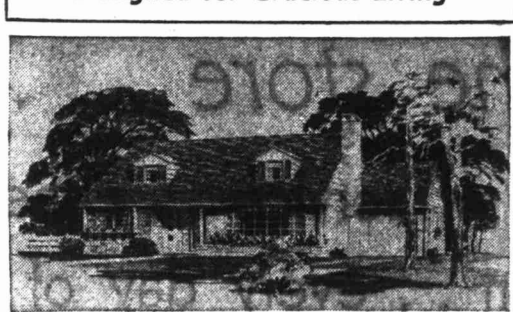
Gov. Frank Carlson of Kansas said Friday in a telegram to Johnson:

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The defense production program now under way will not require any such drastic curtailment of home building and other civilian construction as was put into effect during World War II, according to Paul McHargue, vice president and general manager of the A & L Housing and Lumber Company here, and a member of the National Retail Lumber Dealers Association.

"Although the supply of steel, copper, lumber and other strategic materials used in housing and other buildings will be lower than in the last few years, because of the allocation program, there should be enough of all materials to permit a considerable amount of civilian construction, including repair and modernization work, unless defense production is stepped considerably beyond the levels now being contemplated in Washington," McHargue said.

"The latest information indicates that the partial mobilization program now under way will require construction of relatively few large war plants and far fewer barracks and war housing developments than were put up during the second World War, because most of these facilities remain available for use in this emergency. Thus, the demand for building materials for defense purposes promises to be considerably less than it was then."

John H. Lummas Dies At Kermit

KERMIT — John Harrison Lummas, 46, contractor who moved here in July from Houston, died suddenly at his home here Friday. His death was attributed to a heart attack.

His body was carried overland Friday by Maples Funeral Home to Midway in Mr. Lummas' native county of Madison. Funeral arrangements were to be made there.

Survivors include his wife, Clara Mae Lummas, and a daughter, Mrs. J. B. Jenkins of Kermit. One son, Ernest L. Lummas, lives in Houston. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. J. B. Truelove, of Freeport, and a brother, Everest Lummas, of Houston.

Order Halts Issuance Of Boat Licenses

AUSTIN —(P)— The Texas Fisherman's Association, Inc., secured a court order Friday temporarily halting issuance of commercial fishing boat licenses by the State, Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

The temporary restraining order was granted by the 98th District Court. The fisherman's association said the commission exceeded its authority when it increased the quota of licenses from 1,550 to 2,325 for the conservation year beginning September 1.

Such an increase would endanger the maximum point of production for edible aquatic life in Texas waters, the commercial fisherman's group said. It charged the commission with failure to determine the maximum poundage of edible aquatic life which may be caught without danger to that maximum production point.

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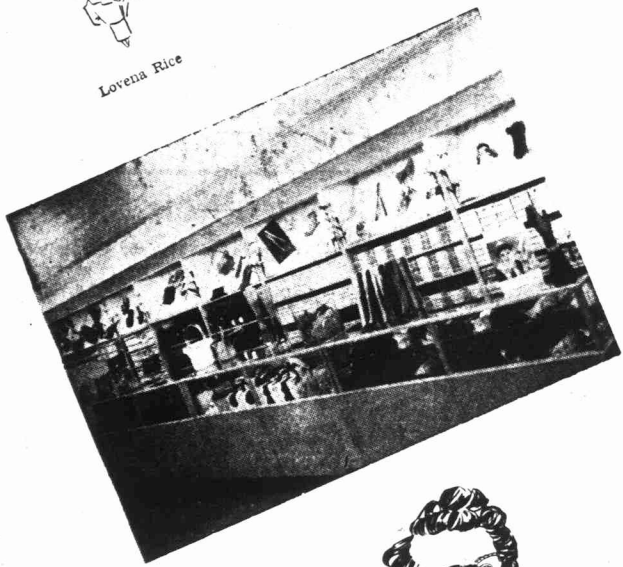
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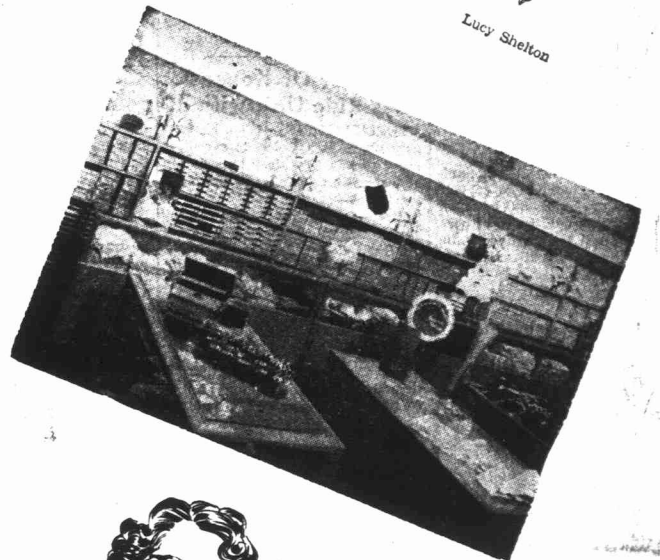
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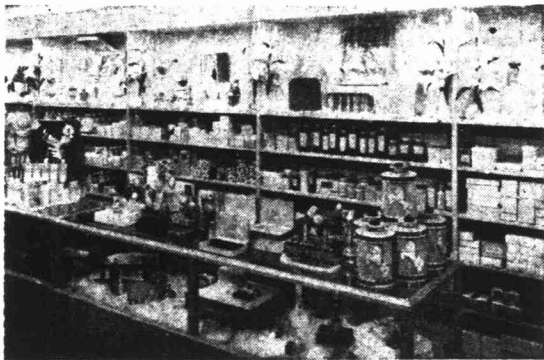
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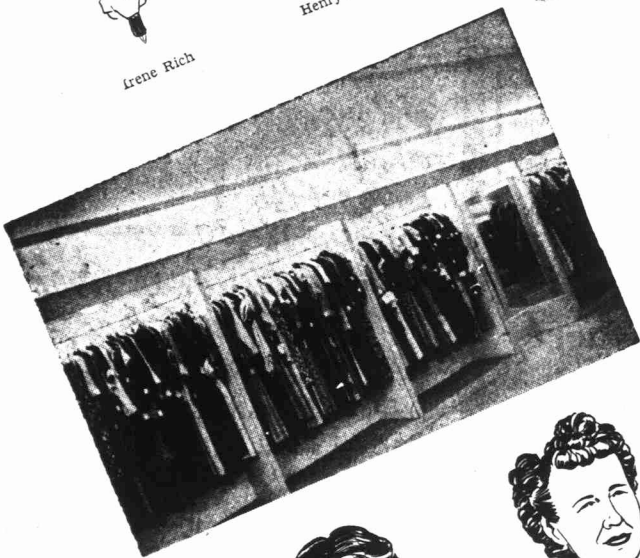
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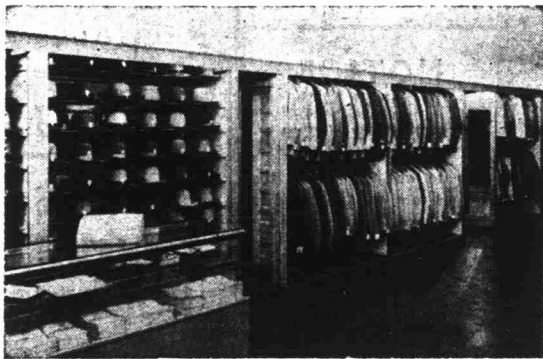
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It's Get Acquainted Week For Midland

To Know Folks Of Your Town Better Is To Like Them Better—And This Is The Week

Most of our troubles never happen and we fear the unknown more than we fear the known.

We are prejudiced against the things we don't know and therefore don't understand. It's like peopling a dark room with bogobolins and ogres that aren't there. Snap on a light and the terrors disappear.

It is then we come to realize they never were present in the first place

and it is only our distrust, our ignorance, that made them evident.

Knowing people is a profitable experience in everybody's life. Whether or not they have a warm or distant personality, a new acquaintance makes an impression with you of some sort and you are better for it.

Will Rogers said

Will Rogers used to say he never met a man he didn't like. And the Oklahoma sage probably met more people from all parts of the world and from all walks of life than any other man of his generation.

Will lives on as a man of stature and high regard, because people admired him and trusted him. They might never have met him but most felt they knew him intimately, which is a tremendous tribute to his personality.

Rogers wore his heart on his sleeve, so to speak instead of a chip on his shoulder. Had he approached people with a bellicose and cold attitude, his great wit and ingenuity could not have made him the great man he was.

One of the great secrets of his personality—and it wasn't exactly a secret—was his overwhelming charm, the kind that flowed straight into the heart of people.

It was a genuine trait, not affected with false cordiality.

To know people is to like them. Ignorance of the other person breeds distrust and suspicion and in turn, these breed wars.

Get acquainted. Know people better and you are bound to like them more.

It's Important To Learn Names

Get Acquainted Week is designed for those individuals who like to say "Hello" to acquaintances and friends, but who have difficulty in recalling names.

In business and social contacts one of the best habits that can be formed is that of remembering individuals' real names and addressing them properly.

How can this be accomplished?

One may find a method which is helpful to him alone. Some repeat a new name mentally three or four times after meeting a person.

Still others write a new acquaintance's name down on paper shortly after an introduction. Then there are those that make mental notes and, at the end of the day, try to repeat in writing the newly-made acquaintances' names.

Some may find it an easy method to associate something distinctive about a person in his mind and designating it in association with the person's name.

However you do it, it's a good habit to maintain and improve upon. And it's sure to pay you dividends, wherever you go.

Good Neighbors To Be Selected In Contest This Week

Three very good neighbors of Midland will be selected this week in a contest sponsored by The Reporter-Telegram in conjunction with "GET ACQUAINTED WEEK."

The contest is open to everyone with the exception of Reporter-Telegram employees and members of their families. Fifty dollars in prizes will be awarded the three winning Good Neighbor nominees.

"My favorite Good Neighbor is _____" is the subject of the letter contest. Entries are requested to nominate their favorite neighbors, stating their reasons for nominating the Good Neighbors in 50 words or less.

The contest opens Sunday and will close at 12 o'clock noon Friday. Entry letters may be mailed or brought to The Reporter-Telegram before the Friday noon deadline.

The entries, with the names of nominees blanked out, will be judged by a secret committee, the members of which in no way will be connected with The Reporter-Telegram.

The first place winner will receive a \$25 prize; second, \$15, and third, \$10.

Midland originally was called Midway for its location halfway between Fort Worth and El Paso.

"Get Acquainted," the basis of friendship and understanding, is being emphasized in Midland this week.

Because of the importance of people knowing one another, Mayor William B. Neely has proclaimed this as "Get Acquainted Week" and has called upon residents to erase the meaning of the word stranger in the city.

Object of the week is simple — just as it implies. Everywhere people are being encouraged to come out of their shells and meet new people and make new friends. A number of clubs are planning special emphasis on members knowing one another. Several ministers have indicated plans for highlighting recognition of visitors and, in some cases, for making friendship and understanding the basis of sermons.

There will be other observances throughout the week. One is the "mystery" angle of "Mr or Mrs. Get Acquainted" for each day of the week, with an award to the first person to meet the mystery personality each day. Another is the contest to name "my favorite good neighbor."

Know Institutions

In addition, there will be occasions for people to get to know their schools and public institutions better. Certainly, merchants and industrial operators are seizing upon the week as a chance for people to know their staff members and modes of operation.

This "Get Acquainted" edition is the opening wedge for the week. Through the novel approach of photo-sketches, hundreds of faces many of the familiar and yet not associated with a specific name are presented in such a way to be of maximum interest.

There are stories about scores of organizations, clubs, institutions, etc., each carrying the likeness of the chief officer. Besides these, large numbers of business firms have taken occasion to present department heads, and in some instances, their entire staff, in novel mesaps.

Contained also in this issue are suggestions on how to get acquainted.

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DETROIT—(P)—When asked for the most unusual play during his four years of football at the University of Michigan, Dick Rifenburg, newly-signed Detroit Lions end, said: "That forward pass which I caught, dropped, and then dribbled across for a touchdown in the 1948 Minnesota game." Michigan won, 27-13.

It's Get Acquainted Week!

Chicago Curator Calls Owl Stupid

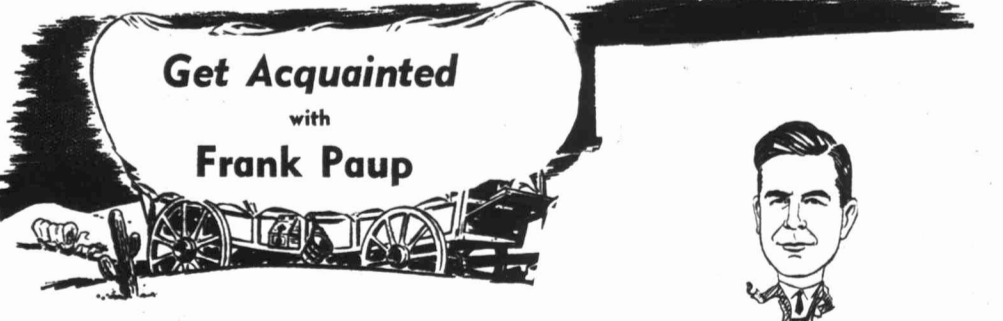
CHICAGO—(P)—The owl isn't so smart. Austin L. Rand, curator of birds at the Chicago Natural History Museum, grants that they make quite an impressive appearance.

"But owls don't seem to have much behind the front they put up," he says. "People who have studied them find that the young are very slow to learn to feed themselves. One saw-whet owl that was kept captive refused to eat liver put into its cage, apparently not recognizing the meat as food. But when the liver was crammed into an empty mouse skin the owl ate it at once.

"The crows and their relatives, the jays, are the birds that are really intelligent."

RELAXES WORK RULES

BEIRUT, LEBANON —(P)— Lebanon has relaxed its long-time rule that Arab refugees from Palestine could not work in the country. A United Nations source said that Lebanese officials now have agreed to permit refugees to work on UN works projects under the Kennedy Mission, which is trying to employ refugees in a program aimed at improving the economy of Arab nations.



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Perennial Garden Club First Organized For Business Women

The Perennial Garden Club was organized in October, 1947, with the following officers: Mrs. Nita Stovall, president; Mrs. C. A. McCamy and Mrs. George B. Christy, vice presidents; Mrs. J. B. Branham, treasurer; and Wilma Ruth Holman, secretary-reporter.

Eagles Order Here Organized In 1949

The Fraternal Order of Eagles was instituted in Midland on July 12, 1949, with a total of 80 charter members. Since its organization here, the Eagles chapter has done considerable charitable work.

Mack Richard is 1950 president of the Fraternal Order of Eagles. Other officers include Edward Jones, past worthy president; Don Schuyler, worthy vice president; L. L. Miller, worthy chaplain; J. W. Leftwich, secretary; T. H. Wilson, conductor; Mack Richard, tor; Melvin Haney, inside guard, and Lester Scott, outside guard. Trustees for the 1950 term are John Weathers, Joe Mims and O. E. Read.

The Eagles organization is a fraternal organization which was organized for the good of Midland and the community. The Eagles Order was begun near the end of the 19th century in Seattle, Washington. The Eagles Order currently has a foundation set up which helps care for orphans of members of the armed forces who were killed in World War II.

The Midland chapter has helped 12 needy families in Midland. It has donated more than \$3,000 to help sponsor the Girls Scouts and boys clubs here. Recently the Eagles Order donated \$1,000 to furnish a room in the new Midland Memorial Hospital.

The Eagles meet each Monday night in their quarters on North Weatherford Street. Before each meeting a free buffet lunch and drinks are served to all members.

COLLECT THRESHERS
FRANKLIN, ILL. —(P)—Milford Rees is a modern farmer who collects old steam threshing machines as a hobby. Once a year he invites his neighbors over and fires up the quaint contraptions. His prize showpiece is a wood burning thresher made in 1883.

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Other charter members were Mrs. Bertie Boone, Mrs. J. C. Miles, Mrs. J. W. Christian, Mrs. O. R. Sharp, Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Mrs. O. W. Roberts, Jr., and Mrs. Jack Prothro.

The Perennial Garden Club was originally composed of business women and the purpose of the club was to learn to grow plants and flowers that would take the minimum amount of attention due to the limited time the business woman has to spend in her yard. The gladiolus was chosen as the club flower.

Since its organ- Mrs. A. L. Gill has participated in the various projects sponsored by the Midland Council of Garden Clubs, such as annual flower shows, Gun Club meets, beautification of Fairview Cemetery, clean-up campaigns and beautification of alleys. The club has had several projects to raise money for the proposed Woman's Club Building, and is current in its dues to the fund. The club's civic project has been the beautification of the fieldhouse grounds at Memorial Stadium.

State Affiliated
The Perennial Garden Club is affiliated with The Texas Federation of Garden Clubs, Inc., District One of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., Midland Council of Garden Clubs, and the Woman's Club. The club now has a membership quota of 22, made up about equally of business women and housewives.

The present officers of the Perennial Garden Club are Mrs. A. L. Gill, president; Mrs. W. M. Garney and Mrs. Stovall, vice presidents; Mrs. Lucille Johnson, secretary; Mrs. Robert Reeves, treasurer; and Mrs. J. E. Sanders, reporter.

Other members are Mrs. Earl Bird, Mrs. Branham, Mrs. Christian, Mrs. Christy, Mrs. R. R. Holster, Mrs. C. D. Johnson, Mrs. McCamy, Mrs. Prothro, Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Bud Wilson, Mrs. Wilbur Ray, Mrs. W. W. Weems, Mrs. T. A. Fraser, Mrs. W. G. Murray, Mrs. D. C. Baldwin and Mrs. J. T. Klingler.

Roundup Is One Of Oldest Dance Groups

The Roundup Square Dance Club was organized in 1939, with Mrs. Bill Wyche as president. Mrs. Guy Cowden was the first secretary.

Charter members were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ulmer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. George Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Wyche, and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Cowden.

Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. C. Cowden, John P. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. George McEntire, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Black joined the club several years later.

Present members are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, Mr. and Mrs. George Abell, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turpin, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Neely, Mr. and Mrs. Don Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. George Byrne.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Lea, Mr. and Mrs. Ish McKnight, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. LaForce, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Phil Yeckel, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sealy, Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton McRae and Mrs. Louis Thomas.

Get Acquainted Week—

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ed (along with some precautionary tips on how not to get acquainted). These comes from various sources and range from the serious to the facetious.

Back of it all, however, is the purpose of stimulating interest of people in people. Out of the week community leaders hope will come a habit on the part of all citizens to be more friendly and more forward in meeting people whom they do not know.

Midland's reputation as a friendly city has arrived at a critical point. The rate of growth has become so steady and rapid that many of the long-time residents are seeing faces unknown to them. They may be on the same block—maybe on the same bus—in the same office, shop or business. But they are strangers. The specific remedy is "Get Acquainted". And this week, every one is urged to cast aside timidity reserve or undue dignity and boldly try to meet as many people as possible. It's easy and its fun.

City Bowling Association In National Bowling Congress

The City Bowling Association, Midland's affiliate with the National Bowling Congress, is charged with one of the biggest jobs in sports here.

It is the business of the association to coordinate the entire bowling program of the city with the national organization and to see that all national rules and regulations are observed in all leagues.

The association, headed by Presl-Jack Mashburn, has an ever increasing job. Bowling long has been a favorite winter sport in Midland and it is gaining in popularity each year. The construction of the new Pimlor Lanes early this year was a big aid to the bowling activity here.

Five leagues were organized last Winter and each had a banner season. Some of the tightest races ever seen here developed.

The City Major League, Petroleum League, Civic League, Fratern League, Automotive League and Ladies League are the more prominent circuits.

Coordination in all leagues and representation of them with the national association is the job of the Midland City Bowling Association.

It's Get Acquainted Week!

Midland Alumnae Group Of Gamma Phi Beta Was Organized Two Years Ago

Gamma Phi Beta Sorority was founded Nov. 11, 1874, at Syracuse University, Syracuse, N. Y. There are at present 58 collegiate chapters and almost 100 alumnae chapters scattered throughout the United States and Canada.

The Midland Alumnae group was organized in July, 1948, and its activities include business meetings, parties and constructive programs. The Midland group also cooperates with the international organization in all its projects and undertakings. Mrs. Sol Bunnell is president of the local organization. Assisting her are Mrs. Roger Northup, vice president; Mrs. Graham Land, secretary, and Mrs. Ray Standley, treasurer.

Gamma Phi Beta's chief philanthropic project is the ownership and maintenance of two camps for underprivileged girls—one near Denver, Colo., and the other at Vancouver, B.C. These camps are staffed by members of the sorority—girls who volunteer their time, their transportation and their talents to help make possible a vacation for needy little girls. Since the opening of the first camp in 1925, several thousand little girls who otherwise would have had no Summer vacation have enjoyed the privileges of Gamma Phi Beta Summer camps.

Relief was given \$1,000. During World War II, contributions were made to both the American Red Cross and the Canadian Red Cross and a Mobile Canteen Unit was donated to Great Britain. In 1944, Gamma Phi Beta launched the first of her four drives to assist the United States Treasury Department in the sale of war bonds. The "Bonds Buy Mercy" campaign achieved the grand total of \$14,745, 191.75, and won for the sorority citations for "distinguished services rendered in behalf of the War Finance Program."

Midland members of the sorority include Mrs. Fred Korty, Mrs. John B. Richards, Mrs. John Cornwall, Mrs. H. W. Stoltenberg, Mrs. Norris Cresth, Mrs. Allen Flaherty, Mrs. Northup, Mrs. Land, Mrs. Standley, Mrs. James Marberry, Mrs. Russell J. Ramsland and Mrs. Bunnell.



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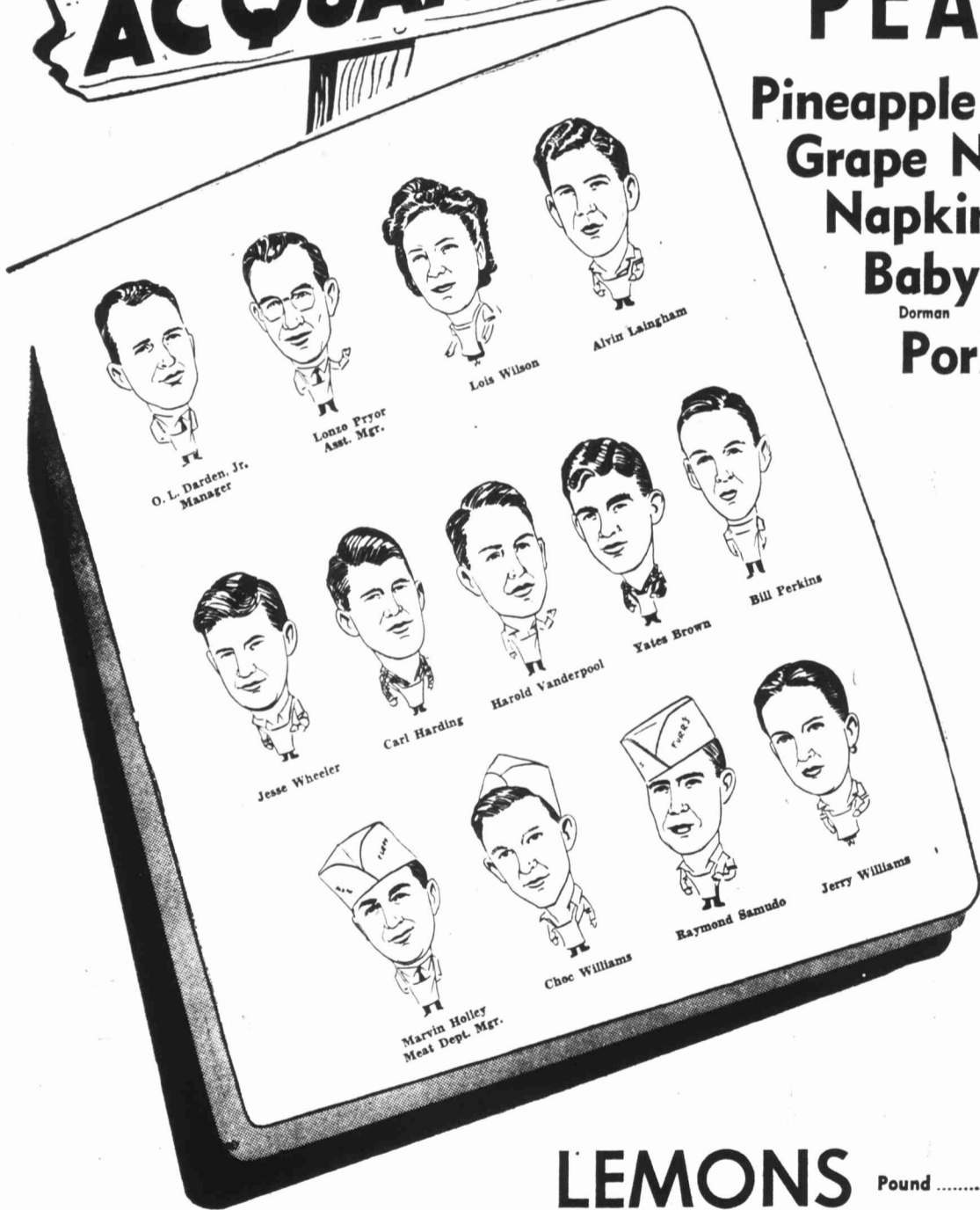
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Altrusa Is Active In Many Projects

The latest accomplishment of the Midland Altrusa Club, unusual for a club just completing its second year, was the organization of Altrusa Clubs in two neighboring cities, Odessa and Big Spring.

At the request of women in those towns who are eligible for Altrusa membership, the Midland members sponsored the formation of clubs. Grace Wallace, immediate past president, acted as organizer.

Fifteen members are required for a new Altrusa club but both these groups had more than 20 charter members. Organization at Odessa was completed in June, the charter at Big Spring was presented at a dinner July 8.

Since its organization, the Midland club has been especially interested in international relations and for the past year Ada Phillips has been chairman of this phase of study.

Members have corresponded with residents of Mexico, programs on Mexico have been given and while Mrs. Wallace was president she accompanied the district governor, Willie Walker of Texarkana, on an official visit to the Altrusa Club at Chihuahua and later, at an inter-

club meeting in El Paso, the Midland club presented an Altrusa pin to each member of the Chihuahua club as a gesture of friendship.

Also, the club became interested in In-Al Yang, scholarship student from Seoul, Korea, who studied at Vanderbilt University the last two years on a scholarship provided by Seventh District clubs, of which the Midland club is one. Members sent her gifts, wrote to her while she was in school, and entertained her briefly as she passed through here on her way to the West coast to sail for Korea.

Annual Contribution
The Midland group makes an annual contribution to the Seventh District Scholarship Fund as well as to the grants-in-aid fund of Altrusa International, which provides other scholarships for women from various nations for advance study in their professions.

The Midland club's major project is an aid program for the Midland County Library. The club has formed the nucleus of a Friends of the Library organization for Midland by securing a charter of incorporation, and plans to sponsor the organization of a Friends group this year, open to all Midland County residents, of all ages, who are interested in the library's progress. Altrusa also has given the library a typewriter and mimeograph equipment to supply needs for office equipment to carry on the usual work.

Present officers of the club are Bertie Boone, president; Linnie Davidson, vice president; Iva Cox, treasurer; Kathrine Shriver, corresponding secretary; Lucy Mashburn, recording secretary; Ada Phillips, Maurine Mims, Geraldine Simmons and Mrs. Wallace, directors.

ROMANS CUT WINE USE

ROME—(AP)—Wine growers of the Rome area say that average per person consumption of wine in the province has dropped more than 60 per cent since World War II and have asked the government for a drastic reduction in taxes. The request is being considered by the provincial council.



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Bill Oswalt Is City Manager Of Midland

W. H. (Bill) Oswalt has been Midland's city manager since October, 1949, when he moved here from Jacksonville, Texas, where he had been city manager more than two years. He is a former assistant city manager of Dallas.

A registered professional engineer, Oswalt received his BS degree in Civil Engineering from Texas A&M College in 1940, and studied law at Southern Methodist University from 1940 to 1942. He served with the U. S. Army Corps of En-

gineers from 1942 until 1946, several years having been spent overseas. He was assigned as commanding officer of a Military Government Detachment performing civil affairs and military government operations through France and Germany.

Oswalt has brought about numerous changes in the operation of municipal affairs since coming to Midland, and only last week was commended by the City Council for effecting financial savings and improvements in city operations during his administration.

TOYS EDUCATE

Even today's toys are geared to the education of children. And the newest designs afford fine opportunity for the kindergarten to rapidly develop coordination and muscles.

South Elementary P-TA Began In Old Building 22 Years Ago

The South Elementary Parent-Teacher Association was organized in 1928 in the old building on South Main and Dakota Streets. Meetings were held in classrooms since there was no auditorium. Currently, meetings are at 3:45 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month during the school year in the auditorium of the new building.

The South Elementary P-TA helped to sponsor the first cafeteria in the Midland schools. The luncheon was in a small room in Mrs. Clyde Gwyn's basement. Members of the P-TA helped serve the meals. The P-TA sponsors a carnival on Halloween night. The funds raised from the carnival have provided many useful things for the school including a piano for the auditor-

ium, books for the library, a ditto machine and a record player and records.

Some of the past presidents were Mrs. C. S. Longscope, Mrs. J. S. Grimes, Mrs. Leland Ball and Mrs. Coren Stephenson. The present officers are president, Mrs. Clyde Gwyn; vice president, Mrs. R. E. Hubbard; second vice president, Mrs. W. D. Engle; secretary, Mrs. J. T. Cox; treasurer, Mrs. G. C. Johnson; parliamentarian, Mrs. L. D. Johnston; and historian, Mrs. Arthur Green.

Committee chairmen are: membership, Mrs. Gene Roderick; social, Mrs. Kelly; ways and means, Mrs. J. T. Cox; scrapbook, Mrs. Leeman Jones; health, Mrs. Coren Stephenson; publicity, Mrs. Vinton Newberry; publications, Mrs. C. E. Williams; program, Mrs. R. E. Hubbard; pre-school and elementary study course, Mrs. Garney.

Ships Powered By Coal Fading

LONDON—(AP)—The sweating coal heaver with the blacksmith muscles who used to be a fixture in front of the boiler of almost every steamship in the world is on his way to join the dodo as an extinct creature.

Coal itself is being shoved aside as a ship fuel. Almost all ships being built now will burn oil, and of all ships in the world only about one in four still uses coal.

Before World War II about 60 per cent of the world's shipping was powered with coal generated steam. The world steamer tonnage was a little less than 52,000,000 tons. Now, says a survey by the Lon-

don Financial Times, steamer tonnage has climbed to more than 63,000,000 tons but only about 27 per cent of this tonnage is moved by coal-steam power.

There also is a trend away from steamships of all kinds. Motorships are becoming more and more common. In 1939 there were 7,561 of them on the world's shipping routes. Now there are nearly 11,000 with a total tonnage equal to one third of all the world's steamships.

The Midland Chapter of the P. O., national women's secret organization, was founded in 1948 with 14 members.

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Zeta Tau Alpha Alumnae Club Was First In Midland To Have Regular Meetings

The first college sorority affiliated with the National Panhellenic to organize an alumnae group in Midland was Zeta Tau Alpha. The Zeta Club also was the first in Midland to receive a charter from the national sorority and become an alumnae association.



Mrs. L. H. Michaelson

The Zeta Tau Alpha Alumnae Club was organized March 5, 1945, in the home of Mrs. L. M. Freela. Seven members were present and Mrs. Freela was elected temporary chairman.

The first officers were Sue Miles (now Mrs. Howard Chamlee of Denver, Colo.) president; Mrs. Frank Cowden, Jr., vice president; Jane Ferrel, recording secretary; Mrs. W. S. Nelson, corresponding secretary; Montes Downey (now Mrs. J. Frank Johnson), treasurer; and Gene Ann Cowden (now Mrs. A. E. Pettit), reporter.

Charter members Other charter members were Mrs. Harris Eastham, Mrs. H. S. Ferguson, Mrs. W. D. Horton, Mrs. E. E. Payne, Mrs. Tom Sloan, Mrs. H. H. Toone and Mrs. W. W. Walmaley.

The Zeta Club became a chartered alumnae association April 13, 1946. About this time, the group was active in initiating the movement to organize a Midland City Panhellenic. Mrs. Chamlee was chairman of the organizing group and Mrs. Pettit was the first Panhellenic president. The chapter contributes annually

to the Zeta Tau Alpha national project for the treatment and training of paraplegic children and assists in the work of Zeta Tau Alpha supported mountain schools.

The group has taken an active part in fund-raising drives for both local and national charitable and relief organizations.

College Chapters Another aim of the chapter is to assist active college chapters of the sorority in every way possible and to promote friendship and fellowship among members of the local group.

Various members are contributing as individuals to building funds for Zeta chapter houses on college campuses. Combined business and social meetings are held throughout the year on the second Wednesday of each month. A Christmas party and a Spring picnic are held annually for members, their husbands and friends.

The present membership total is 24, and 1950-51 officers are Mrs. L. H. Michaelson, president; Mrs. William Byrd, vice president; Mrs. Byrd and Mrs. F. B. Cochran, rush chairman; Mrs. Joe Keyser, recording secretary; Mrs. Nelson, corresponding secretary; Miss Ferrel, treasurer and Mrs. E. E. Payne, historian.

STATES SPARE TAXPAYERS

CHICAGO — (AP) — Legislatures met in 24 states this year, but most of them went easy on the taxpayers. The Federation of Tax Administrators says there were major tax rate increases in four states—Kentucky, Mississippi, South Carolina and Texas.

RRC Setup Here Serves Wide Area; Largest In State

District Eight of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas, with headquarters in Midland, supervises oil drilling and production in the largest oil producing area in the state.

The Midland office, headed by District Supervisor J. L. (Joe) Greer, is made up of 41 counties, totaling 58,448 square miles or a little more than one-fourth the area of Texas.

It extends from Cottle County on the north to the border in Brewster County; and from Mitchell County on the east to El Paso on the west. It is 400 miles J. L. (Joe) Greer across and produces about one-third of the oil of Texas.

Big Oil Fields Some of this district's oil fields, such as the Kelley-Snyder in Scurry County, and the shallow Yates area in Pecos County, are among the largest and most prolific producing areas of the United States. The Pegasus field in Midland and Upton Counties is one of the outstanding fields of the world, in that

it has production from five different pay horizons.

Primary purpose of the District 8 office is to regulate drilling and production in these and the many other fields of the area in such a manner as to prevent waste of oil and gas.

The office has a staff of 16 engineers, accountants, inspectors and clerks with wide experience in all phases of the oil and gas industry.

Three Divisions It is divided into three divisions; engineering, production and tender.

These three departments see that all regulations and laws governing and exploration and production are carried out.

Nothing of major importance can be done in the oil industry in this area without first being approved by the Railroad Commission office here. Through this office pass all applications to drill in the district, records of production, permits for transportation of oil by any means, and many other routine matters concerning the oil industry.

Staff Listed On the staff at the office here are petroleum engineers C. F. Qualls, Albert Metcalfe, James B. Roche and Rudy Watlington.

The engineering department is made up of C. T. Slack, district engineer in charge of the engineering

department; J. B. Thomas, junior engineer, and L. J. Slents, junior engineer who heads a branch office in Lubbock.

J. V. Lee is director of personnel, in charge of the tender department. Grady D. Lobley is assistant supervisor of the department.

The production department is made up of Mrs. Catherine Self, who is in charge, N. D. McKee, junior accountant and Mrs. Shirley Underwood, accountant.

Miss Glenda Shoemaker is secretary-receptionist of the office.

L. M. Pittman, field inspector, is in charge of a branch office in Oran.

Greer, deputy supervisor, has been employed by the Railroad Commission for 18 years, of which the last three have been in the Midland office.

Lobsters are more closely related to spiders than to fish.

LEADING DAIRY STATES

Wisconsin had a total of 2,417,000 dairy cattle on its farms during 1947, leading the nation in this respect. Minnesota ranked second with a herd of 1,530,000 cows.

EARLY SCRAP DRIVES

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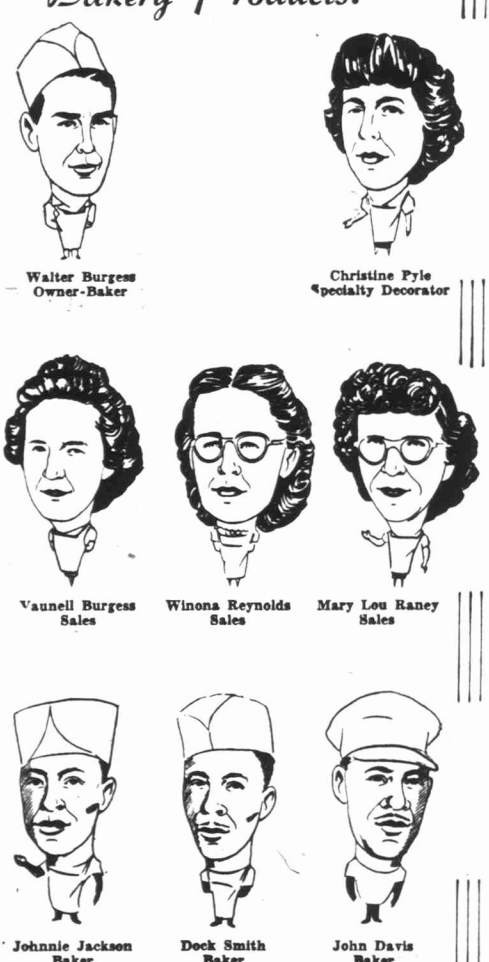
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Progressive Club Organized For Cultural Development

The Progressive Study Club was organized in 1941 to further cultural knowledge and to aid in the development of the community. Ten persons who composed the charter membership were Mrs. Sol Bunnell, Mrs. G. B. Ross, Mrs. J. W. Hunt, Mrs. H. E. Berg, Mrs. A. B. Cole, Jr., Mrs. G. J. Byrne, Mrs. H. Hopper, Mrs. K. Germond, Mrs. J. Wilson, Jr., and Mrs. R. B. Hammond. Mrs. Byrne was the first president. The club was affiliated with the state and general fed-Mrs. John DeFord on April 26, 1942. In 1942 the club accepted the responsibility for the Silk Stocking Drive. Silk and rayon hose were sent to war production manufacturers to make gun powder bags. It

also worked with the OPA. The club has contributed to the Midland Memorial Hospital fund, the Junior Canteen, and other organizations. In 1947-48 the club sponsored the local Girl Scout organization. Money was raised and donated to the Scouts to purchase art and craft materials. The project for the 1948-49 year was to raise funds for the Midland Woman's Club building. The same project was adopted for the year 1949-50. Study Course The club has just completed a study of "The Pursuit of Happiness." The next course of study will be "The American Home." The club flower is the yucca and the colors are gold and white. The motto is "Through discussion as a group we shall develop as individuals." The officers for the coming year are Mrs. John DeFord, president; Mrs. Bunnell, vice president; Mrs. John Lydecker, recording secretary; Mrs. W. B. Yarbrough, correspond-



ing secretary; and Mrs. Haden Upchurch, treasurer. Other members include Mrs. L. Otis Baggett, Mrs. James C. Clary, Mrs. W. E. Cox, Mrs. J. Wilmont Hunt, Mrs. A. A. Jones, Mrs. W. C. Kimball, Mrs. Lindley Latham, E. A. McCullough, Mrs. V. E. Hanes, Mrs. Kenneth Newton, Mrs. John V. Norman, Jr., Mrs. Burl H. Self, Mrs. John Thomas, Jr., Mrs. Pete Tyler, Mrs. Thomas M. West, Mrs. R. A. Estes, Mrs. Perry Pickett, Mrs. Donald Johnson and Mrs. George J. Hells.

Man Receives Bomb With Home Purchase

SAN BERNARDINO, CALIF.—(AP)—E. S. Winter got more than he bargained for when he bought his new home. He decided to clean out a closet. Reaching up to remove some junk from a shelf, his hand brushed a cold, hard, unfamiliar object. It was a live bomb. Police officers, to whom Winters took the bomb, said it was the type used by the Air Force for bomb practice. It was about 16 inches long and weighed 13 pounds.

Meet Good Friends In Church Sunday

One of the best places in the world to get acquainted with some of the best people in town is in the church. That's why Sunday is being designated as "Get Acquainted Day" in the churches of Midland. While there will be special mention of the occasion made from

Lutheran Services Held Since 1922

Although the Grace Lutheran Church was not organized until January 26, 1930, the first Lutheran service held in Midland was in 1922 with the Rev. A. J. F. Meyer of Lorraine in charge. Until 1928 services were held in the homes of the members including Herman Jesse, Gerhard Synatsch, C. J. Lowke, Gus Melsner, Charles Biescher, Mrs. Gus Phillips, Frank Marquardt and Gus Baumann. In 1928 the Rev. W. G. Buchschacher served Big Spring and Midland, holding services twice a month in the First Presbyterian Church. In 1930 the Grace Lutheran Church was organized with 26 members. Charter members were Melsner, Synatsch, Lowke, John Riethmayer and J. S. Schow. In 1935 the Rev. T. H. Graalmann became the pastor of the Big Spring, Midland and Lorraine churches. In the Spring of 1939 services were changed to the Seventh Day Adventist Church and in 1943 they were held in the Trinity Episcopal Church. Church Dedicated The present church property was purchased in 1944 and on May 25, 1947, the completed church was dedicated. Gilbert C. Becker, the pastor today, was ordained and installed as the first resident pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church in 1945. On January 6, 1946, Pastor Becker began holding services in Odessa in the Seventh Day Adventist Church. In November, 1946, the Redeemer Lutheran Church was organized and in one day the Grace Lutheran Church lost more than one third of its members. Today the Grace Lutheran Church has 108 communicant and 147 baptized members. Present officers are Lowke, W. V. Linde, N. F. Harms, elders; H. B. Schauer, president; Harms, vice president; Robert Meyer, secretary; E. O. Vogt, treasurer; and F. M. Haase, Sunday School Superintendent. A brick-veneer parsonage is under construction and will be completed soon. Pastor Becker and Mrs. Becker have two children.



the pulpit of many churches, the day is not planned as something that requires special promotion. Rather, it is to encourage in members of the congregation a desire to know other members — or to know them better. The church should be the easiest place in which to get acquainted — because old members are preoccupied with trying to see each other and get dinner on the table, often they rush off without having greeted the visitor or new member. And, believe it or not, some congregations have been known to get a bit clannish, making it difficult for new personalities to break the crust and get into the fold. The Spirit That's not the spirit of churches, of course. The spirit is the same as the Psalmist when he said "I was glad when they said unto me: 'Let us go into the house of the Lord.'" With the idea of making that thought warm every heart, church members are urged today to linger and visit. Especially are they urged to inquire about — and then to visit (or meet) the persons they may know by face but not by name. And make sure that when the visitors stand for special recognition that you spot them — and then make it a point to meet them and shake their hands, before they leave the house of the Lord. In other words, make them "glad."

First Baptist WMU Traced Back To Ladies Aid Society

The earliest obtainable record of the First Baptist Church Woman's Missionary Union was the entry in the minutes of 1912 concerning the Ladies Aid Society. The earliest records of an organized WMU was in October, 1917, when Mrs. L. G. Finney was elected president. Mrs. George G. Johnson is the president of the organization now. Other officers are Mrs. Charles Matthews, recording secretary; Mrs. Billie Gilbert, G. Johnson, corresponding secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. R. A. Wright, young peoples secretary. Chairmen who were appointed by the president include Mrs. J. S. Griffith, enlistment; Mrs. J. R. Cotton, program and literature; Mrs. J. E. McCain, community missions; Mrs. W. H. Hall, benevolence; Mrs. Albert Clement, stewardship; Mrs. D. E. Jimeron, mission study; Mrs. H. A. Palmer, Bible study; and Mrs. Raymond Leggett, social. In addition to the Woman's Missionary Society, which is divided into five circles, the union includes the Margie Shumate Young Woman's Auxiliary, two Girls' Auxiliary



groups, Royal Ambassador group, and two Sunbeam Bands. Circle chairmen include Mrs. E. H. Thacker, Rebekah; Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Annie Barron; Mrs. Cecil Craft, Lockett; Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mary Martha; and Mrs. John Godwin, Lottie Moon. A negro kindergarten is sponsored by the WMU and the church. Two teachers are employed and the enrollment has reached as high as 60 children. The Kindergarten Board includes Mrs. Stanley Erskine, Mrs. Johnson, Mrs. Gilbert, Mrs. McCain, Mrs. J. H. Schroeder and Mrs. Wright. Plans are being made for a Latin American kindergarten at the Mexican Mission. The present building will be expanded to house a kitchen, a room for a paid worker, a bath and an enlarged auditorium.

Schools In Florida Teaching Banking

TALLAHASSEE, FLA. — (AP) — Florida schools are adding practical instruction in banking to mathematics courses. The youngsters will start in the seventh grade with the purpose an use of bank books. Instruction will continue through the 12th grade when the course will get around to a discussion of investments. The Florida Bankers' Association led a campaign to make instruction in banking part of the school program. GOVERNOR FAVORS BEARDS LUCKNOW, INDIA — (AP) — The governor of Uttar Pradesh states threatens to start a "grow more beards" campaign if the razor blade prices do not come down. Addressing a traders' conference here recently, Gov. Sir Homy Mody warned the businessmen that he himself would go from door to door urging men to grow beards until profiteering on razor blades was stopped.

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United States Looks For Wasp In Siam

BANGKOK — (AP) — The United States Department of Agriculture has started a one-year investigation of fruit flies and their enemies in Siam in the hopes it will find a Siamese wasp to defeat a plague of fruit flies in Hawaii. The Hawaiian fruit fly is believed to have started during the war with the introduction of some infested fruit. Insecticides have failed to eradicate it. INDIA FINDS MANGANESE NEW DELHI, INDIA — (AP) — Reserves of manganese estimated at 1,000,000 tons have been discovered in Kalahandri, Bihar State, the Geological Survey of India reports. The Survey also announces that the search for oil has been carried to the Andaman Islands.

Jack Ellington, Midland police chief, joined the force in 1942. He was made chief Jan. 1, 1943.

City Horses Given Holiday In Country

COPENHAGEN — (AP) — Denmark now has a hotel which consists of a large shelter and a big field of juicy grass. The host is a veterinary surgeon and the guests are cart-horses. The hotel has been established by an animal welfare association to give city horses a needed holiday in the country. The idea was born last Summer after the newspapers had published a story of a Copenhagen carter who was permitted by his firm to take his horse with him into the country during his Summer vacation.

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Rotary Club Represents Cross Section Of City

A cross section of all business and professional men in the city is included in the membership of the Rotary Club, Midland's second largest service organization.

The club long has been one of the most active organizations in ever growing Midland, and the well-known Rotary wheel, emblematic of service, well might be stamped on many worthwhile civic accomplishments sponsored by the Midland unit of Rotary International.

Organization of the unit here. The Midland club was sponsored by the Sweetwater club, and was started with 24 charter members, who were eligible under the classification principle of Rotary. The present membership is approximately 100.

Seven of the charter members still are active in the club. They are R. M. Barron, T. Paul Barron, J. E. (Bob) Hill, Pratt, Addison Wadley, Fred Wemple and W. A. Yeager.

Pratt served as the first president of the club.

Present officers are James N. Allison, president; Hilton Kaderli, vice president, and the Rev. W. R. Mann, secretary-treasurer. Directors include Paul Davis, Ralph Troseth, C. W. Chancellor, Jr., and Dr. J. O. Shannon.

All members of the club serve in various assignments, pointing up the club's motto, "He Profits Most Who Serves Best."

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Midland Is Becoming One Of Major Golfing Centers

Midland, fast becoming one of the major golfing centers of Texas, is blessed with two fine golf courses and a third under construction plus two of the top club professionals in the state. Assistant pros here also are some of the coming professional golfers in the area.

Midland Country Club, the oldest and largest golf club in the city, currently is expanding for even greater emphasis in golf. A new 18-hole course is under construction three miles north of the city. It will be one of the finest in West Texas when completed and opened next year.

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"I have never enjoyed anything more than these contacts with the real thing," Barker said.

Picture making here has its drawbacks, however. One day an elephant charged the camp, dislocating the shooting schedule. It did no serious damage, however.

Young Leaders Are Hard To Find In India

NEW DELHI, INDIA—(AP)—Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru has expressed concern over the dearth of young leaders in congress party ranks. Most of the prominent men now are more than 60 and some more than 70.

Members of Parliament, composed mostly of congressmen, shared this anxiety and suggested junior ministers of state and deputy ministers be recruited and trained for future leadership.

Nehru replied some steps should be taken in the near future but did not favor the suggestion ministers be appointed on a mass scale.

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Boy Scout District For Midland County Called El Centro

The El Centro District of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America is composed of Midland County, and is one of the 10 districts of the council.

The name El Centro—The Center—was chosen in 1948 because Midland is the largest community nearest the geographical center of the 17-county area of the council.

J. M. McDonald, manager of Radio Station KCRS, is present chairman of the district. The district was organized in 1930 when the district plan was being promoted throughout the United States. Scouting was active in the county many years before the district was organized. Several troops had been active here before the district was formed.

With the formation of a district committee, the Scouting program and membership became more stabilized, with a resulting increase in membership and interest of citizens.

Many leading Midland citizens have served in the several leadership capacities and as members of the district committee. Records reveal the following men have served as district chairmen: George Heath, John P. Howe, Claude Crane, Dana Secor, Clint Lackey, George Abell, Guy Breneman, Ray Upham, Dewey Jordan, Earl Statton, Delbert Downing, Frank Ashby, Dr. H. A. Ireland, Ralph Smith, Dr. H. Glenn Walker and McDonald.

There are now 18 organized units—troops, packs and Explorer units—with a membership of 501 boys. Several new units are in the process of organizing, and expect to register before year's end.

The El Centro District committee is organized fully, with committee chairmen appointed. They are: McDonald, chairman; Clyde Lindsey and Ray Upham, vice chairmen; A. N. Griffith, commissioner; R. H. Fine, organization and extension chairman; Malcolm Breneman, advancement chairman; Hermann D. Williams, camping and activities chairman; P. F. Bridgewater, finance chairman; Dr. Doyle Patton, health and safety chairman, Ed Pierce, leadership training chairman; Don McGregor, public relations chairman.

The El Centro District, together with council headquarters, is located at 318 North Colorado Street in Midland. The building is the site of many meetings and conferences, for the entire 17-county area. The district also is host for the annual council swimming meet in August. Plans of the district for Fall and Winter contemplate the most active

First Baptist Grows Rapidly In Sixty-Four Years

The formal organization of the First Baptist Church in Midland was held Jan. 10, 1886. There were 24 Baptist people who joined the church to make the roster of charter members.

The church has grown so rapidly that it never has been able to adequately house its organizations and take care of its membership in proper building facilities.

After leaving the small frame building at the corner of Illinois and Marlenfield Streets, the church moved to the brick building at Main and Illinois.

The Rev. Vernonnos Streets. The Yearly church has acquired property until it now owns all but 100x140 feet of the entire city block. In 1940 the church erected a modern three-story Educational Building to take care of "present and future needs" but within the space of a few months these buildings were not adequate. In 1947 the church provided 10,000 square feet of floor space in temporary Army buildings. These buildings have been crowded since they were placed on the property. In addition the church has a pastor's home at 311 North Main Street, and the associate pastor's home is located at 905 West Kansas Street. The Rev. Vernon Yearby is the pastor and at the present time there is no associate pastor.

The church has begun a building program for a new sanctuary and additional educational facilities. Mark Lemon of Dallas has been

New Lamp Detects Sloppy Dishwashing

PASADENA, CALIF.—(AP)—Greasy spoon restaurants and hen-pecked husbands may soon be at the mercy of a new type lamp.

The lamp—using "black light" mercury—can detect sloppy dishwashing.

It was explained in an illuminating talk to lighting engineers recently by Alston Rodgers, who helped design the lamp for use by Cleveland Health Department inspectors.

"A dish may look perfectly clean," said Rodgers, "but unless dish washers have been careful, the lamp's ultra-violet rays will show it to be dotted with particles that shine in the dark."

If the little woman starts using it—husbands, beware!

program ever conducted, including training courses, civic service project, a large activity such as a circus or merit badge show, organization of new units, annual roll call and inventory, Winter camp and first aid meet. The district is served by S. G. Painter, field executive, and by P. V. Thorson, council executive.

employed as the contractor. A steering committee composed of T. Paul Barron, Mrs. Clyde Cowden, Frank Cowden, Mrs. J. E. McCain, C. G. Murray, L. E. Patterson, Jr., and Roy Stockard guides the plans of the program.

In addition to this program the church is seeking to establish more Baptist Churches in Midland. In 1949 the church purchased property and erected the first unit of a church building at 1710 North Big Spring Street. The mission was begun and sponsored by the First

Baptist Church. Now it is a self-supporting church, the Bellview Baptist Church, with the Rev. J. H. Goins as pastor.

Plans are being made to begin another church in another section of the city. The church was instrumental in organizing the Terminal Baptist Church, of which the Rev. Curtis Rogers is pastor.

The church owns property in the Latin American section of the city and carries on a full church program among Latin Americans, with the Rev. Silvano Lara as pastor.

JayCee-ettes One Of The Newer Organizations In City

The JayCee-ettes, one of the newest organizations in Midland, was organized on October 28, 1949. The main purpose of this group is to assist the Junior Chamber of Commerce with the various projects they

undertake. Membership is limited to wives of JayCees.

Mrs. C. J. Kerth was elected to serve as the first president of the JayCee-ettes. Serving with her were Mrs. Dick McKnight, vice president; Mrs. James Mims, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. W. M. Johnson, reporter-historian. Directors were Mrs. Howard Ford, Mrs. Irby Dyer, Mrs. Jack Huff and Mrs. Frank Wood.

Other charter members of the group were Mrs. H. N. Burton, Mrs. J. M. Grimland, Mrs. Reagan Legg,

Mrs. A. V. Johnson, Mrs. W. E. Nance, Mrs. Frank Hawk, Mrs. John Rhoden, Jr., Mrs. Charles Patterson, Mrs. Bill Pittman, Mrs. W. G. Ray and Mrs. Charles McDonald.

The JayCee-ettes have been active in the Christmas program sponsored by the JayCees; by helping with the Goodfellow boxes, packing candy for the JayCee sponsored show for the children, planning the food and entertainment for the Christmas party, and entering a float in the parade. They have helped in obtaining the greatest number of poll taxes to be paid in Midland County, aiding the JayCees in the Clean-Up Campaign, selling rodeo banners to the business establishments, selling hot dogs at the rodeo and assisting

the JayCees with other concessions. The new officers of the organization will take office August 1. They include Mrs. Howard Ford, president; Mrs. Frank Hawk, vice president; Mrs. John Rhoden, secretary; Mrs. Robert G. Cobb, reporter-historian; and Mrs. Robert Watson, Mrs. John Friberg, Mrs. Dick McKnight and Mrs. James Mims, directors; and Mrs. C. J. Kerth, state director.

Mrs. Hershel Ewell, Mrs. John Friberg and Mrs. Charles Patterson form a committee engaged in selecting a civic project to be sponsored by the JayCee-ettes.

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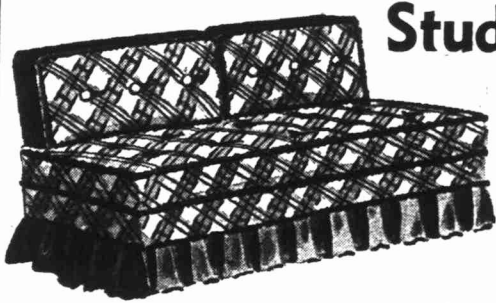
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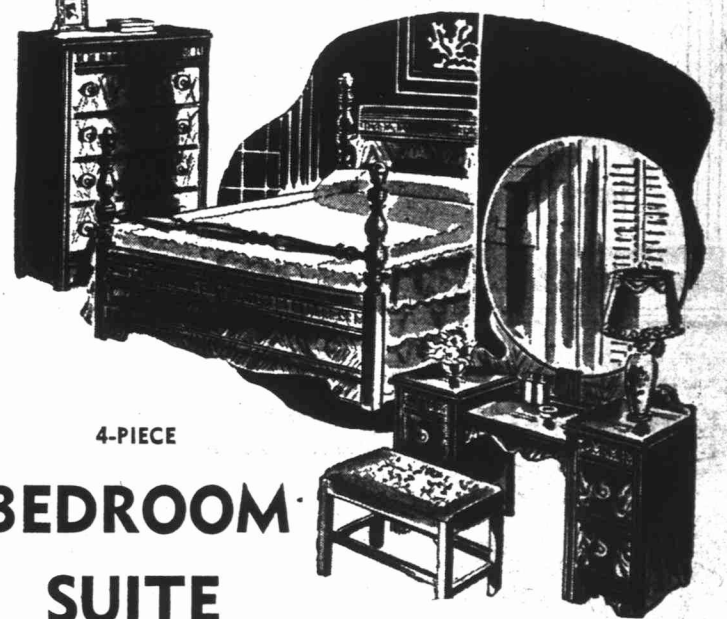


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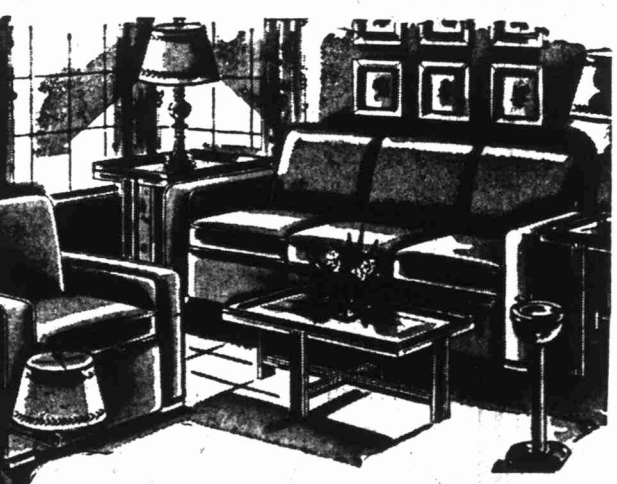
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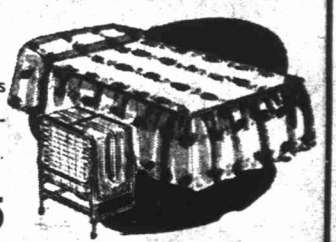
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Meet People In Your Block On 'Good Neighborhood Day'

Do you know who lives next door? Sure. Well, how about across the street? You think so. The second house down the street? You're not so sure. Across the alley? Just don't know. Tuesday would be a swell time to brush up on the names of your neighbors—if you don't know them.

Tuesday is Neighborhood Day during Get Acquainted Week. A suggestion for the day — and no one is going to come around and knock on your door to see if you're doing anything about it — is that neighborhoods organize little get-togethers. It may be that you like to play

host to a gathering around your barbecue pit; if the weather is pleasant. Or maybe some of your neighbors would like to join you in preparing a few sandwiches, cookies or refreshments.

Others may find it more practical to have small, informal game parties or just old fashioned visitation in the homes. If it's cool, there's nothing better than a pop corn popping to touch off good feeling among the oldsters and youngsters alike.

"Ice-Breaker" Of course, these may not be practical ideas. It may be that social calls upon your neighbors during the day, will serve the purpose better. Comparatively new folks in the neighborhood would appreciate that courtesy ice-breaking call you've made to make but haven't got around to so far.

And don't forget the old standbys. Some of our dearest friends are those who live across the fence or across the street and whom we never really see and talk to except as we yell a greeting or wave as we both go to work.

Tuesday would be a great time to stir the embers of a warm and intimate friendship again.

Sheriff's Posse Spreads Good Word About Midland

One of Midland's greatest boosting organizations is the crack Midland County Sheriff's Posse.

Posse members spread the good word about Midland throughout the Permian Basin Empire. They ride in parades, participate in roping events, help with the annual World Championship Rodeo here, and perform many other valuable services for their community.



Cal Boykin

The Sheriff's Posse was re-organized here in 1948, after the organization had been inactive for several years. Headquarters of the group are located at the Midland Fair, Inc., rodeo grounds. Ed Darnell is the sheriff and Cal Boykin is captain of the Posse. Other officers include Herb Franklin, adjutant; Bob White, lieutenant; John Dublin, Jr., and Jay Ford, drill sergeants, and L. E. Cook, corral boss. The organization now has 78 members.

While helping to retain the "Old West" spirit in the Permian Basin, many of the posse members are accomplished ropers and all are capable horsemen. During the 16th Annual World Championship Rodeo the mounted possemen directed the heavy traffic to parking space near the rodeo stadium. They also rode in the long rodeo parade, sponsored a booster trip which helped advertise the rodeo in other Permian Basin cities, and helped with other arrangements in the staging of the big rodeo.

The posse now is mapping plans for a Big Labor Day celebration here September 4. Toots Mansfield, Sonny Edwards, Walton Poase and Troy Fort, four of the top calf ropers in the business, will be engaged in a matched roping contest at the rodeo arena under the sponsorship of the Midland Sheriff's Posse.

Midland DeMolay Chapter Had 46 Charter Members

Forty-six charter members were initiated into the Midland DeMolay Chapter at the organizational meeting held Nov. 19, 1949 in the Masonic Hall. An Odessa degree team administered the rites.

Richard Patton was installed as first master counselor of the chapter and Jimmy O'Neal was selected as senior counselor the following day in the gymnasium of John M. Cowden Junior High School, with the Texian DeMolay Chapter de-

Johnny Spruell greo team from Fort Worth conducting the installation. The ceremony was climaxed by the impressive Flower Sermon, given by a visiting DeMolay, Dorrance Guy, past master counselor of the Lubbock chapter.

The original slate of officers were elected by the DeMolay Advisory Council, headed by Lester Short.

Johnny Spruell, present master counselor, was the first officer selected by the chapter members themselves. He was installed March 27, 1950. Other officers elected at that time included Jimmy O'Neal, senior counselor; Bill Franklin, junior counselor; Bill Burnside, senior deacon; Neal Stovall, junior deacon; Wesley Pittman, senior steward; Amos (Pete) English, junior steward; John Klingler, orator; Roane Puett, sentinel; Clayton Tatom, chaplain; Jack Anderson, marshal; R. V. Higgins, standard bearer; and Richard Patton, almoner.

Charter Members Listed Preceptors chosen included Jimmy Lock, Robert Keisling, James Johnson, Tommy Vannaman, David Breith, Nick Harrison and Waldo Leggett.

All were elected at a barbecue-meeting of DeMolays and Master Masons in the Masonic Hall. Charter members of the Midland DeMolay Chapter include: Jack Anderson, James Adams, Henry Bray, David Breith, Sadler Bridges, Bill Burnside, Robert Butler, James Chauncey, Albert Cole, Amos (Pete) English, Jack Ewing, William Franklin, Marguis Gilmore, Louis Griffith, Carl Harding, John Harrison, Rufus Higgins, Robert Jenkins, James Johnson, Robert Keisling, Donald Kirk, John Klingler, Lloyd Leggett.

James Lock, Jerry McDonald, George Mayes, Lynn Nicholson, Jimmy O'Neal, Richard Patton, Leonard Pemberton, Robert Pine, Terrel Pinkston, Wesley Pittman, Roane Puett, Dennis Rhodes, J. Dow Scott, Ray Simpson, Johnnie Spruell, Cecil Stovall, Clayton Tatom, L. C. Thomas, William Thompson, Charles Trauber, Thomas Vannaman, Glenn Baker and Morris Kerr.

Built in 1821, the mission of San Miguel, in Santa Fe, N. M., is considered the oldest mission church in the United States.

ABOUT HANDKERCHIEFS

Perhaps the most difficult thing to teach young children and this must be done at home, the habit of starting the day with a clean fresh handkerchief.

RAILROAD MILEAGE

Texas has 15,681 miles of railroad lines within its borders; Illinois, 11,742; Pennsylvania, 9,900; Iowa, 8,775; Kansas, 8,444; Ohio, 8,416; and Minnesota, 8,245.

Locomotive's Voice Undergoes Change

CHICAGO—(AP)—The voice of Santa Fe locomotive No. 29 has changed. The switch was made on the diesel locomotive in an experiment. The railroad explains it this way:

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Lumena will be on view at the British Food Fair at Olympia, London, after which she will be shipped or flown to the Cleveland Health Museum, Ohio. Dr. Charles Hill, member of Parliament, who gained fame as Britain's "radio doctor," will use this transparent model woman, whose "organs" light up at the touch of a switch, to demonstrate daily health talks at the food fair.

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Midland Geologists Organized in 1927

The Midland Geological Society was formed in 1927 as a result of a rather intense rivalry between the original West Texas Geological Society, then of San Angelo, and a group of Midland geologists.

Function of the Midland organization was primarily that of a luncheon and social group. Max David is president of the organization.

At present, the Midland Geological Society is synonymous with the West Texas Society. It is an organization without authority, having no dues, constitution or by-laws. It has remained to function in one degree or another up to the present time and now is stronger than ever before.

The Midland society suspends activities during the Summer months. However, the organization reactivates each September and members meet twice each month during the Fall, Winter and Spring months for luncheons in Hotel Scharbauer.

Programs at the luncheons are planned for their appeal and interest to the group with the main thought in mind being entertainment. The organization has been very beneficial to incoming geologists, allowing them to become better acquainted and to promote mutual fellowship of every member.



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MHS P-TA Has Grown From 18 To 308 Members

The Midland High School Parent-Teacher Association has grown from 18 members in 1936, to the present membership of 308.

In the winter of 1936, high school parents and teachers organized the unit to combine the efforts of the community toward a greater school system. Mrs. L. G. Lewis was the first president.

Mrs. Ernest Sidwell was vice president, and among the early workers were Mrs. Joe Haygood, Mrs. Percy Bridgewater, Mrs. Kenneth Mrs. M. B. Arick Ferguson, Mrs. Otis Kelly, Mrs. Ralph McBrien, Mrs. Clyde Barron, Mrs. E. H. Oriswood and Mrs. E. M. Braselton.

In 1939, Mrs. Sidwell was president and the group sponsored an open house to inspect the new gymnasium. Mrs. Glenn Brunson was president from 1940-42, and the unit bought visual-aid equipment for the school.

A series of four paid assembly programs featuring out-of-city art-

ists was the project for the 1942-43 year, when Mrs. Watson LaPorce was president.

The next year was active with projects including the purchase of dishes for the homemaking department, sponsoring class play-nights in the gym, a swimming project for high school girls and the beginning of plans for an adolescent recreation center outside of the school. Mrs. Seiman J. Lanes was president.

Mrs. R. L. Denton, 1944-45 president, led the unit that year in work for the furtherance of visual education. Mrs. W. C. Fritz was president during the next school year and the unit purchased an inter-communication system for the school.

Program Theme

"Laying Firm Foundations" was the 1946-47 program theme. Mrs. J. M. Devereux was unit president and the group sponsored a Halloween carnival.

The next year, the unit concentrated on establishing a Youth Center for Midland and contributed \$1,000 dollars for this purpose. Mrs. W. H. Rhodes was president.

One aim of the 1948-49 school year, when Mrs. J. J. Black was unit president, was furthering safety among the student body. The ex-



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Midland Stamp Club Meets Regularly In County Courthouse

In November, 1948, a group of 13 stamp collectors and enthusiasts banded together and organized the Midland Stamp Club. Since that time the club has grown to a membership of 40 persons.

The club constitution states that the object of the society shall be "to promote and encourage among the residents of Midland and vicinity the collection and study of postage stamps and to establish and maintain a philatelic reference shelf in the Midland County Library."

Regular meetings of the club W. T. Wynn are held at 7:30 p.m. the first Tuesday of each month in the commissioners courtroom. Attendance has been good, averaging 20 members at each session. A Program Committee provides entertainment at each meeting.

Excellent papers, requiring considerable research, have been prepared and presented at the meetings by Bill Butler, who had as a topic "Methods of Printing United States Stamps;" Robert L. Clarke, who presented "Notes on New Zealand," later published in the Weekly Philatelic Gossip, Howard Davis, who told of "The History of Central Europe as Portrayed by the Stamps of Germany and German Satellite Nations;" Louis Michaelson, who presented a treatise on "Ascension Island;" and R. V. Hollingsworth, who explained "The Munzell Color-Classification System."

Exciting Auction

Glen George and Bill Key have conducted an exciting auction and quiz show. Future topics for the sessions include "A Discussion of Stamp Albums and Their Selection," by William M. Sanden and "18th Century United States Stamps," by Albert S. Kelley.

A special meeting was held July 22 in the West Elementary School Auditorium. Harry Weiss of Houston, Kan., nationally-recognized stamp authority and managing editor of the Weekly Philatelic Gossip, presented his show, "The Inside Straight." Aided by color slides and a stage covered with laboratory equipment, Weiss revealed the methods and products of a number of notorious stamp forgers and demonstrated the techniques used in detecting these fakes. The program was attended by approximately 50 persons, including visitors from San Marcos, San Angelo, Brownfield,



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Community Chest Has Been Great Success Since Inauguration

The Midland Community Chest, organized in 1947 under the sponsorship of the Chamber of Commerce, has had three annual financial drives, all of which were most successful.

The first board of directors for the Community Chest included Robert L. Diekey, Dave Handberg, Don Johnson, Tom Sloan, P. V. Thorson, Winston Hull, Ily Pratt, Mary M. Dunn Carrol Thomas and Mrs. Fred Fromhold. Diekey served as the first chairman of the board.

In 1948 the Community Chest had as its goal \$32,000. This amount was over-subscribed.

Six agencies participate in the annual Community Chest program. They are the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Youth Center, USO, Good Fellows and the Salvation Army.

Carroll Thomas is the president of the Midland Community Chest. Dr. Henry Schlichting is vice president; W. A. Hutcheson is treasurer, and Mrs. Weta Stovall, secretary. Directors include W. D. Anderson, Dr. Norman J. Maberry, P. E. Hargrove, Percy Bridgewater and the Rev. Robert J. Snell.

Chairman of the annual financial drives made by the Chest have been Max David in 1947, Reese Cleveland in 1948 and Bert Ryan in 1949.

Lubbock, Big Spring, Stephenville and Stanton.

Plans are being laid for an exhibition auction and dinner to be held in October. It is expected that this meeting also will attract a number of out-of-town collectors.

W. R. Mann is chairman of the Library Committee of the Midland Stamp Club, which has added a number of catalogs and philatelic publications to the Midland County Library.

An active Membership Committee is composed of two competing teams: headed by Reo Goodwin and Glen George, an Expertising Committee, of which Albert S. Kelley is chairman, aids members with stamp identification problems, and a Sales Circuit recently formed by Louis Michaelson provides a means for exchange of stamps between members. Howard Davis is manager of the Stamp Circuit.

W. Turner Wynn is the 1950 president of the ever-growing Midland Stamp Club. Other officers are Bill Rutter, vice president; Robert L. Clarke, secretary; and Clement E. George, treasurer.



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Tri Delts Have Doubled Members

Begun in August, 1948, the Delta Delta Delta alumnae club has doubled its membership since it was organized. It now has 15 members.

The first officers were Mrs. R. E. Throckmorton president; Mrs. D. A. Bliven, vice president; Mrs. George Turner secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. George Abell Panhellenic representative.

Other charter Mrs. D. A. Bliven members were Mrs. Bob Parker, Mrs. Charles Linehan and Mrs. Meador.

Present officers are Mrs. Bliven, president; Mrs. Charles Grice, vice president; Mrs. Lockart Stepar, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Abell, Panhellenic representative.

Each year at Christmas time, the group "adopts" a family to which it gives clothing, food and other needed articles.

Delta Delta Delta was founded at Boston University on Nov. 23, 1888. It has about 98 college chapters.



Present officers are Mrs. Bliven, president; Mrs. Charles Grice, vice president; Mrs. Lockart Stepar, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. Abell, Panhellenic representative.

Seventh-Day Adventist Will Build

The Seventh-day Adventist congregation in Midland held its first meetings in 1934.

The chapel now in use at West Pennsylvania and Loraine Streets was begun in 1937 in connection with the evangelistic work of Pastor Lee Carter. Emil Hockendorf, contractor, was foremost in bringing about the erection of the chapel, and headed the laymen's activities of the church a number of years.

The congregation, Rev. C. A. Holt numbers 90 persons. The chapel has been outgrown, and a building program is underway to renovate and finish the present building, provide an educational unit, and as soon as possible, a church building. Paul James is head of the building committee.

Activities of the church include a weekly Bible school headed by Dr. Norman Maberry; Young People's Society with Mrs. William James, leader; and Dorcas (Welfare) Society with Mrs. Maberry leader. The Rev. C. A. Holt is the pastor.

Character Training

A school is conducted in which character training is stressed, together with faith in God and the Bible. Warren Matheson of Riverside, Calif., and Mrs. Earl Robertson of Washington, D. C., head the school the coming year.

The church participates in a yearly camp for juniors, and gives active support to the denomination's world humanitarian work of health, mental and spiritual betterment. This work is supported largely by tithes and offerings of the membership.

Local lay leaders are Herman Dunn and Wesley Spiva.



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Midland Knife And Fork Club Organized In 1949

One of the newest in a growing list of Midland cultural organizations is the Knife and Fork Club, formed here in November, 1949, with James C. Watson as president.

The club was formed to provide an opportunity for an exchange of ideas between local and national leaders in business, public affairs and the professions.

The Midland chapter was the twenty-ninth to be organized in Texas and one of the more than 350 units in the United States. It is affiliated with Knife and Fork Club International.

Dinner meetings are held monthly during the seven-month season, opening in October and running through April. Membership in the group James C. Watson now stands at 175 dual, or husband and wife, memberships and 25 single memberships. There is a waiting list for membership, Watson reported.

The club is not a classification, civic, sectarian or political organization, but is a social dinner club which meets in the evening for the purpose of entertaining distinguished guests of outstanding reputation.

Other officers, beside Watson, serving their first term, are: Lionel

Craver and John R. Parker, vice presidents; J. Don Sadler, secretary, and Jack Wicker, treasurer.

Directors, in addition to the officers, are Otto Deats, W. H. Thams, Mrs. Erma Mancill, C. E. Nelson, W. H. Pryor and Carroll Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Pryor are co-chairmen of the club's reception and host committee, and Deats and Mrs. Mancill head the meeting place and arrangements committee.

Several outstanding speakers already are lined up for the 1950-51 season, including Robert Kazmayer, world traveler, writer, publisher and lecturer, who will speak on "Things to Watch and Watch For." Another outstanding lecturer to speak before the group will be James Young, a war correspondent who was in Japan at the outbreak of World War II.

A husband-wife team, Robert and Nita Magidoff, also are scheduled. Magidoff was a correspondent in Russia for 12 years before being expelled from the country. The two will speak on "Daily Life in Russia."



Minuet Club Is Strictly Social Group

The Minuet Dancing Club was organized in 1931 as a purely social organization. It was composed of 50 married couples with Mrs. Leon Goodman as the president.

Dances were held in the Hotel Scharbauer Ballroom on the last Saturday of each month. During the war the number of dances was cut to five or six a year.

Since orchestras were not always available, this method still is being used. The club has increased its membership to 97 couples. Mrs. John Cornwall is the president. The board of directors include: Mrs. W. F. Pennebaker, Mrs. A. H. Hedden, Mrs. H. C. Hood, Mrs. W. W. Studert, Mrs. R. M. Payne, Mrs. John Hillis and Mrs. Joseph O'Neil.

Other charter members of the group are Ed T. Anderson, O. C. Arnold, Fred Burleson, Joe Canon, K. M. Cole, Sr., B. A. Kelly, H. F. Kelly, T. W. Knops, M. L. McGee, W. Ray Mann, George A. Messier, P. J. Reppman, J. P. Reppman, A. C. Richards, Jr., L. G. Simon, Chester F. Straback, F. G. Wethersbee, J. E. Beakey, David E. Crawford, N. C. Dragisic, Ed J. Flannery, Pat Fletcher, H. S. Forgeron, Dewitt G. Hasken, Charles H. Hatfield, Albert S. Kelley, Ray T. Kelly, Edward G. Kent, Arthur C. Nohlman, the Rev. R. S. Miller, O.M.I., Francis H. Morris, Tom J. Murphy, Jr., James A. Rupel, J. Alfred Tom, the Rev. Frank Triggs, O.M.I., Charles N. Wallace, Fred S. Wright and Thomas R. Wright.



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Knights Of Columbus Formed Here In 1947; Now Has 67 Members

The Knights of Columbus, a Catholic men's organization, was formed in Midland in 1947, and has grown to a membership of 67 active members.

The group, with Nick C. Dragisic as grand knight, is active in charitable work, and has taken an active part in the growth and development of St. Ann's parish.

The Knights of Columbus also sponsor an annual Christmas party with other Catholic church societies for the benefit of Latin-American children, and have been active in support of the Latin-American Youth Center, located behind St. George's Catholic Church.

Other activities during the year Nick C. Dragisic include dances and parties. An annual dance is sponsored on St. Patrick's Day.

Other officers of the group for 1950 are: Leon Fischer, deputy grand knight; J. A. Koegler, chancellor; A. P. Callahan, warden; James Ash, recorder; J. B. Price, treasurer; Walter C. Beardsley, advocate; J. B. Ruppe, inner guard; Lloyd Adams, outer guard; M. W. Kennedy, J. E. Beakey and F. J. Hencke, trustees, and Maurice W. Kennedy, lecturer.

Original officers of the group, elected when the K. of C. was formed, were: Maurice W. Kennedy, grand knight; Leo Gallagher, deputy grand knight; J. R. Preetag, chancellor; F. M. Kreidel, warden; James Price, recorder; John Scarich, treasurer; Henry D. Murphey, advocate; Henry A. Goulet, inner guard; John A. Connolly, outer guard; Lamar Lunt, Ben Dansby and J. A. Koegler, trustees, and W. B. Cheatham, lecturer.

Other charter members of the group are Ed T. Anderson, O. C. Arnold, Fred Burleson, Joe Canon, K. M. Cole, Sr., B. A. Kelly, H. F. Kelly, T. W. Knops, M. L. McGee, W. Ray Mann, George A. Messier, P. J. Reppman, J. P. Reppman, A. C. Richards, Jr., L. G. Simon, Chester F. Straback, F. G. Wethersbee, J. E. Beakey, David E. Crawford, N. C. Dragisic, Ed J. Flannery, Pat Fletcher, H. S. Forgeron, Dewitt G. Hasken, Charles H. Hatfield, Albert S. Kelley, Ray T. Kelly, Edward G. Kent, Arthur C. Nohlman, the Rev. R. S. Miller, O.M.I., Francis H. Morris, Tom J. Murphy, Jr., James A. Rupel, J. Alfred Tom, the Rev. Frank Triggs, O.M.I., Charles N. Wallace, Fred S. Wright and Thomas R. Wright.



Delta Zeta Has Been Meeting Ten Years

Alumnae of Delta Zeta Sorority who live in Midland have been meeting the last 10 years. Mrs. Paul Schlosser, now of Houston, was the first president.

During the war the group was inactive for a time, but meetings now have been resumed.

Mrs. F. C. Cummings was president of the group last year. She now is living in Ponca City, Okla.

Mrs. C. M. Chase Present officers are Mrs. C. M. Chase, president; Mrs. E. A. Wahlstrom, vice president; and Mrs. W. B. Fletcher, secretary-treasurer.

Delta Zeta Sorority was founded at Miami University in Oxford, Ohio, on October 24, 1902. It now has 69 active college chapters.

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Twentieth Century Study Club Has Been Organized More Than 12 Years

With the purpose, "To strengthen the intellectual, physical and moral advancement of members as a means of furthering their common interest," the Twentieth Century Study Club was organized on Feb. 8, 1938.

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge sponsored the club.

Mrs. I. I. Payne served as president for the first full term of the club. Mrs. Joseph Adams was the president for the 1940-41 term. Mrs. W. G. Epley is the current president.

In 1940 the club sponsored the or-Mrs. W. G. Epley gave action of the Progressive Study Club. The club has been active in all civic affairs for the betterment of the city. It cooperated with the OPA during World War II and helped raise funds for the Midland Memorial Hospital. More than \$2,000 have been raised for the pro-

posed Midland Woman's Club building.

Present officers working with Mrs. Epley are Mrs. C. E. Nelson and Mrs. H. H. Redding, vice presidents; Mrs. Tom Edrington, recording secretary; Mrs. Edwin C. Hall, corresponding secretary; Mrs. B. R. Matthews, treasurer; Mrs. A. C. Elliott, reporter; Mrs. Harlan Howell, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. B. Bain, federation representative; and Mrs. James L. Daugherty, historian. 1950-51 Plans

The plan of study for the coming year will be discussion of the Emerging Worlds including the advancements of modern science and government.

Other members of the club include Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. Robert Donnell, Mrs. C. E. George, Mrs. Ray Howard, Mrs. Carl Hyde, Mrs. D. E. Jimeron, Mrs. Raymond Leggett, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Mrs. W. E. Shipp, Jr., Mrs. Charles Snure, and Mrs. H. S. Collings. Three associate members are Mrs. Harry Rhodes, Mrs. James O. Simmons and Mrs. J. R. Cotten.

Bellview Baptist Church Is Outgrowth Of North Mission

The Bellview Baptist Church was organized in 1946 as the North Baptist Mission, under the sponsorship of the Midland First Baptist Church.

On Easter Sunday, 1950, the mission was organized into a church with the Rev. J. H. Goins, who had pastored the mission since November, as the first pastor.

The North Baptist Mission got its material start by the donation of a building lot on North Big Spring Street by Mr. and Mrs. John O. Nobles.

A revival meeting Rev. J. H. Goins was conducted in July on the lot and building program was begun. In August, Mr. and Mrs. Ro. Stockard purchased a small block of land on Main Street to complete the en-

tire property program. In October, the building was completed and the North Baptist Mission continued to grow. The building of the labor was donated by members. More than 150 of them had a part in the construction of the building.

Growth Continues In November, the Rev. J. H. Goins was called as mission pastor. Under his leadership the mission grew into a full-fledged church and continues to grow, serving North Midland Baptists. The church now has 190 members.

Sunday School superintendent for the Bellview Church is R. B. Allen. W. H. Measures is Training Union director. Mrs. Mae Ward heads the Woman's Missionary Union and G. E. Maasey is president of the Brotherhood.

Deacons are Leon Arnett, Massey, Measures, Yates Brown, Don McGregor, L. O. Justice, LeRoy McFarland and R. O. Walker.



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Pi Beta Phi Established Here In '49

In the Spring of 1949, the Midland Alumnae Club of Pi Beta Phi Sorority was established and officers for the first year elected.

They were Mrs. Don Oliver, president; Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, vice president; Mrs. H. E. Chiles, Jr., secretary; and Mrs. C. A. Haynes, Jr., treasurer.

In the Summer of 1949, the group applied for affiliation with National Pi Beta Phi. Mrs. H. H. Hedden and received an official charter as an Alumnae Club on June 15.

New Officers Officers were elected at the beginning of the second year, in the Spring of 1950. Still in office, they are Mrs. A. H. Hedden, president; Mrs. Emil Rassman, vice president; Mrs. E. K. Dodson, secretary; Mrs. J. K. Lydecker, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. W. C. Tillet, treasurer.

Tripled In Size The club has tripled in size during the last year and now has 28 active members. It is an active member of Midland City Panhellenic and in harmony with that group makes its plans for rushing girls who will attend college in the Fall.

The organization's purpose is to further the friendship of members of Pi Beta Phi, and to strengthen the national organization and to aid in the Pi Beta Phi Settlement School and other Pi Beta Phi projects.



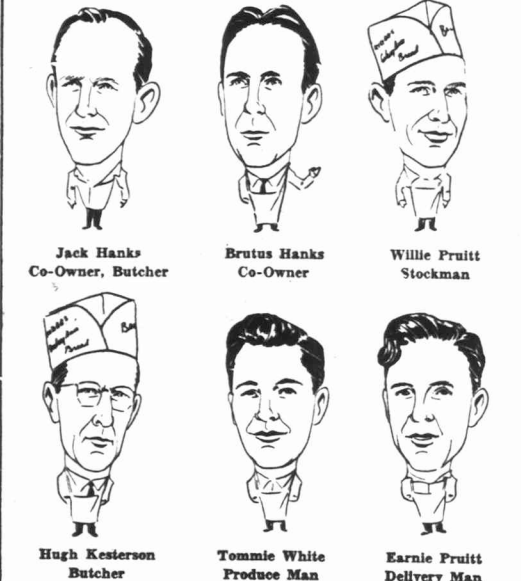
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During World War II, Mr. Crawley served with the U. S. Army in Germany and Belgium and on his return to Midland re-entered the Reproduction business.



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Mrs. Charlene Koonce

Mrs. Charlene Koonce, sister of Mr. Crawley, also came to Midland in 1926 from Tyler and after attending school, joined the West Texas Reproduction Co., in 1944. She is married and has one daughter, Susan.

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Ants have been observed to set broken legs of injured companions in a kind of plaster.

St. Ann's Altar Society Has 45 Members

The St. Ann's Altar Society can be traced back to an organization which took care of the needs of the church when the Catholic Church in Midland was a mission of the church in Stanton. Mrs. Sarah Dorsey was the president with Mrs. Allen Tolbert, Mrs. W. J. Moran, Mrs. John Pliska and Elizabeth Garrett, working with her.

In 1933 when the church in Mrs. D. F. Lillis Midland was established the Altar Society was established officially with Mrs. George Tom as president and Mrs. Sam Cummings as secretary. Other charter members included Mrs. Dorsey, Mrs. Fred Wright, Mrs. Russell Lloyd, Mrs. Tolbert, Mrs. Henry Wolcott, Mrs. Moran and Mrs. W. T. Walsh.

The present St. Ann's Altar Society of 45 members is the outgrowth of the previous Altar Society. Mrs. D. F. Lillis is the president. Other officers are Mrs. J. M. McMillen, vice president; Mrs. O. C. Arnold, secretary; Mrs. J. A. Moorehouse, treasurer; and Mrs. Ralph Geisler, altar chairman. The purpose of the society is to take care of the needs of the sanctuary.



Charles "Dub" Wallis

Midland League Is Service Organization

The Midland Service League was organized in March, 1949, with the following listed as charter members: Mrs. W. P. Becker, Mrs. Ben Black, Mrs. George Byrne, Mrs. W. P. Castleman, Mrs. Lynn Durham, Mrs. Walter Duesee, Mrs. Lamar Eschberger, Mrs. Frank Essex, Mrs. Murray Fasken, Mrs. John Fitzgerald, Mrs. Thornton Hardie, Jr., Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mrs. J. M. Hewgley, Jr., Mrs. W. A. Hover, Mrs. Paxton Howard, Mrs. Watson LaForce, Mrs. J. Hugh Liedtke, Mrs. A. E. Pettit, Mrs. Norman Sax, Mrs. Tom Sealy, Mrs. James T. Smith, Mrs. J. L. Sleeper, Mrs. J. W. Starr, Mrs. Frank Thompson, Mrs. Leland Thompson, Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, Mrs. W. B. Yarborough and Mrs. John Thomas.

Of the 28 charter members, 15 had been members of Junior Leagues in other cities and 13 were Midland women interested in community welfare and service.

The purpose of this organization is to foster among its members interest in the social, economic, educational, cultural and civic conditions of the community and to endeavor to make efficient their volunteer service.

Service Group
Because the idea of a service group of this type was new in Midland, Service League members began by studying the city and its welfare needs. This study was enhanced by visits to service agencies and talks by agency representatives at League meetings.

The first project of the Midland Service League was the setting up of a card catalog system for Midland social service agencies. This was placed in the Child Welfare Office and each week a member keeps the file up to date by adding new cases and discarding old ones.

The first officers of the Midland Service League were Mrs. Paxton Howard, president; Mrs. Tom Sealy, vice president; Mrs. J. M. Hewgley, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. W. A. Hover, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, treasurer.

Present officers are Mrs. Sealy, president; Mrs. J. Harvey Herd, vice president; Mrs. Leland Thompson, recording secretary; Mrs. Thornton Hardie, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Wilkinson, treasurer.

In addition to the projects initiated by the Service League, members have assisted other organizations in their work. The clean-up campaign sponsored by the JayCees, the Red Cross drive, polio emergency drive, and a large part of

the paper work for the Community Chest campaign are listed among the league's projects.

Members counted money for the March of Dimes drive and manned booths for distributing information for the cancer drive. Members also helped the Mobile Tuberculosis X-Ray Unit.

Other Work
The second major project was a library on wheels for the Western-Clinic Hospital. This was operated each week by members until June, when it was discontinued.

The project which has taken the most time and energy was begun with the Latin Americans to provide recreational facilities. This was started in Juarez Hall, but the group now is using a newly constructed hall, Guadalupe Hall.

With a Settlement House as their final goal, and temporary relief of a recreational problem as their immediate aim, Midland Service League members are continuing this project. The center is open on Monday and Wednesday evenings. The members have helped with redecorating and furnishings, such a curtains for the windows, ice box and recreational equipment for children, ranging in age from five to 20 years.

The Service League sponsored the Dr. I. Q. Quiz Show last March as its principal project to finance various charitable projects throughout the community.

Theater Work
Another project the League has undertaken is assisting Art Cole with the Children's Theater.

The Terminal Library was started and is maintained by League members. A children's story hour is held each Saturday and stories there and in the Midland County Library are told by members.

Two 13-week series of educational recordings for elementary school children were broadcast over KCRS the last school year. Plans are being made to continue this program.

Hospital Fund
The Midland Service League is the originator and sponsor of a Memorial Hospital Fund. The fund was established so persons desiring to make contributions as lasting tributes to friends or loved ones may do so through a central agency. The contributions will be used for specific pieces of equipment most needed in the hospital. Two incubators have been placed in the hospital in the last few months from this fund.

Scientist Hoping To Get Climate's Secrets From Ice

AP Newfeature
NEW YORK—To wrest from a glacier some of the climatic secrets of a thousand years, William O. Field, Jr., of the American Geographical Society has returned once more to Alaska.

Field, head of the AGS department of exploration and field research, will visit the 15-man team operating from the glaciological laboratories set up June 22 near the center of a 700-square mile expanse of snow and ice near Juneau in Southeastern Alaska.

The project is sponsored by federal agencies, including the U. S.

Forest Service and U. S. Geological Survey, and its findings will be made available to the government Representatives of several U. S. agencies are visiting the project this Summer.

New Information

Now in its second year, the project seeks new information on the physical properties of ice and the climate controls affecting glacier expansion and recession.

The party is measuring the snowfall which forms the glacier in its upper levels, the flow of ice to lower levels, and its final disappearance by melting. It drills several

hundred feet to study the crystal structure of the ice deep in the glacier. Surveyors are mapping the whole region, and other scientists are studying vegetation near the ice to determine past variations of glaciers.

One specific glacier (the Taku) is advancing several hundred feet a year and topping trees 150 years old in its path.

"The Juneau ice field is one of the most accessible extensive glacier systems in the world," Field said.

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Midland Girl Scouts Have Grown Through Effort Of Leaders

By GENIE BLISS
To know the Midland Girl Scouts, one must know the leaders for to the leaders belong all the credit for the phenomenal growth of the organization.

Thus Mrs. Robert Morgan, president of the Midland Girl Scout Association, gives credit where credit is due to the 1950 adult workers who direct the scouting activities of fifty per cent of the girls in Midland of scouting age. The Girl Scout organization has expanded from a mere ten in 1934 to the complex and coordinated organization of more than 700 girls.

Following the national Girl Scout Association procedure, Midland Girl Scout activities are directed by a council composed of 20 adults. These council members each have certain phases of directional work as their responsibility. Other adult workers serve as individual leaders of the Girl Scouts.

Present Council
The present council of the Midland Girl Scout Association includes the following members: Mrs. Morgan, president; Mrs. W. W. Wilson, vice president; Mrs. W. E. Crites, secretary; Mrs. Charles Horton, treasurer.

Mrs. Don Johnson, registrar; Mrs. Vernon Bottoms, organization chairman; Mrs. J. C. Rinker, training chairman; Mrs. Robert M. Payne, building chairman; E. J. Murphy, finance chairman; Mrs. Jack Bliss, public relations; Mrs. J. J. Black, Mitre Peak Camp chairman.

Mrs. Stanley Erskine and Mrs. Leonard Thomas, day camp chairman; Mrs. H. E. Redding, nominating chairman; the Rev. R. J. Snell, member at large. Leaders' representatives are Mrs. R. L. Goss, West Elementary; Mrs. H. T. Brady, North Elementary; Mrs. C. O. Fredregill, South Elementary; Mrs. C. P. TenEycke, Junior High School; and Mrs. M. B. Arick, Senior High School.

Four women pioneered Girl Scouting for Midland girls in 1934. They were Mrs. Edith Lawrence and Mrs. Melvin R. Hill who led the younger girls; and Mrs. L. G. Lewis and Mrs. Leslie Page, who piloted activities of the older Scouts. Records now available list 10 girls as the first Girl Scouts.

The Little House and Park were dedicated April 30 of this year as a climax to a building program first set out in 1943. Impetus was placed on the building as of prime importance by the January, 1949, council. Mrs. Robert M. Payne was named chairman. Mrs. Payne with her committee including Mrs. S. P. Hazlip, Mrs. Jack Bliss and Mrs. Ed Warren collected funds and directed construction of the facilities. Midland's first Girl Scouts were Betty Joe Greene, Liza Jane Law-

rence, Jane Hill, Margaret Ann West, Frances Ellen Link, Myrtle Lee Tillman, Anne Tolbert, Jean Lewis, Wilma Mahoney and Alberta Smith. These Girl Scouts disbanded as they passed the age of scouting interest. For awhile there were no Girl Scouts in Midland.

From the leadership of the Junior High School Parent - Teacher Association stems the present Girl Scout organization. In 1939 this organization sponsored establishment of Girl Scout troops. There were three 1939 leaders, Mrs. E. R. Osburn, Mrs. J. L. Green, and Mrs. P. B. Kingdon. Constant growth from this nucleus has expanded the organization to 46 troops.

Girl Scouting was placed on a permanent basis in Midland only eight years ago. At that time the first Girl Scout Council was elected. Mrs. A. P. Shirey was president. Other commissioners have been Mrs. Stephen Leach, Mrs. S. P. Hazlip, Mrs. C. E. Bissell and Mrs. Morgan.

First Methodist Church Organized Here In 1885

The first church organized in the City of Midland was founded August 23, 1885—the First Methodist Church. Seven members united with the church that first Sunday, six women and one man.

Membership of First Methodist Church has grown from the original seven to a total of 1,666 members.

A site now occupied by Dunlap's Department Store was bought by the Methodist for \$10 and here it was that the first church building was erected. The Methodist congregation now is in its third sanctuary, having outgrown the previous two. The First Methodist Church is located on Main Street at Illinois Avenue.

The First Methodist Church now is in process of building a \$150,000 children's educational building. It will be one of the most complete buildings of its kind in all Methodism. Designed to meet the needs of modern teaching methods, the educational building will accommodate 500 children without crowding.

In 1946, the First Methodist Church sponsored the organization of an Asbury Methodist Church, which now has more than 400 members. The First Methodists now are engaged in organizing a St. Mark's Methodist Church in the 1700 block of North Main Street. The Rev. J. B. Sharp is its first pastor.

The Rev. Howard H. Hollowell now is in his sixth year as pastor of the First Methodist Church. During his pastorate, a beautiful new parsonage was erected at 310 North Main Street by Mrs. Alma Thomas, now of Austin, and Mrs. Phil Scharbauer.

The First Methodist Church sponsors a missionary to Japan, who is ministering in Nagasaki—site of the atomic bomb explosion.

SELF DEFENSE!

CHICAGO—(AP)—Mrs. Mary Dickson thinks individuals, as well as nations, should be armed against aggressors. She was on her way home from her job as a waitress one night when a man tried to grab her. She took a firm grip on her black-jack and struck him a half dozen blows. The man beat a staggering retreat.

Midland County 4-H Clubs Train Girls In Sewing, Cooking And Homemaking

The activities of the three 4-H Clubs in Midland County are coordinated by the Midland County 4-H Council. Its officers are Betty O'Neal, chairman, and Lella Norwood, secretary-treasurer.

The clubs are Greenwood, Sunshine Makers and Junior High. Greenwood officers are Marjorie Wise, president; Betty Jean Hughes, vice president; Sandra Jean Roberts, reporter and Mrs. J. C. Bennett, adult leader.

Officers of the Sunshine Makers are Barbara King, president; Betty Aker, vice president; Lella Norwood, secretary; Betty O'Neal, reporter; and Mrs. Bonnie Bissell, adult leader.

Junior High officers are Beulah Collier, president; Marilyn Kock, vice president; Wanda Towery, reporter; Linda Breith, secretary; and Mrs. Floy Brown, adult leader.

Activities Listed

Among the activities in which the girls participate each year is the dress revue, when a girl is selected to represent Midland County at the dress revue at the state meeting. This year, 41 dresses were completed and Wanda Fain represented the county.

She, Barbara King and Donna Howard were county delegates to the state meeting in June in College Station.

Another annual event is the district camp in Fort Stockton. Attending from Midland this year were Betty O'Neal, Barbara King, Martha Chastain, Dee Ann Belcher, Joyce Graham, Ada Jane Mettamer, Yvonne Jones, Esie Raggett and Ruth Bennett. Mrs. Pat Merritt, Mrs. Bennie Bissell and Pauline McWilliams were adult sponsors.

Events yet to come are County Camp, County Fair, Dallas Fair, Better Methods Contest, Harvest Banquet, and Thanksgiving and Christmas parties.

Harvest Banquet

Each year at the Harvest Banquet the Gold Star Girl and Boy are named. The Gold Star Girls in the past have been: 1949—Lella Norwood, 1948—Betty O'Neal, 1947—Mary Lynn Manning, 1946—Jane Manning and 1945—Julie Midkiff.

The two main demonstrations conducted in the clubs this year were in clothing and food preparation. Girls who were enrolled for their first year made a plain gathered skirt, plain blouse, pair of embroidered pillow slips and two pot holders; prepared vegetable salad

ten times, baked simple cookies five times, cooked cereal ten times, planned ten breakfast menus, and canned four containers of fruit and two of jelly or preserves.

The goals grow in difficulty each year, until a girl in her fifth year has made a two-piece cotton dress, a slack suit or bathing suit, pajamas, a party dress, a shoe rack and some articles for home improvement; prepared luncheon for her family five times, prepared yeast bread six times and yeast bread variations four times, planned menus for dinner and supper for one week using the Texas Food Standard as a guide, prepared layer cake five times, canned 20 jars of fruit, 20 of vegetables, two of meat and ten of jelly, jam or preserves.

Full effect of the boom in the national birthrate is not anticipated as far as schools are concerned for another year or two. With the number of children per family sharply rising, the grade school peak is yet to come.

PEAK YET TO COME
The organization is affiliated with the National Lutheran Women's Missionary League of the Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. As a part of this group it has been able to participate in activities, such as building chapels.

The organization purchased the shrubbery that is around the church, bought the piano and the rug for the chancel candelabra for the altar and a coffee urn for the use of the church.

Mrs. A. C. Teinert is president. Other officers are Mrs. E. O. Voge, vice president; Mrs. James K. Hartman, secretary; and Mrs. C. J. Lowe, treasurer. The present membership is 13 persons.

The organization also serves as an altar guide, taking care of the altar

Parish Workers Organized In Schulz Home In June, 1942

The Grace Lutheran Parish Workers, the women's organization of the church, was organized June 4, 1942, in the home of Dr. Eva Schulz. Dr. Schulz was the first president; Mrs. Fred Krause, secretary; and Mrs. W. A. Baumann, treasurer.

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Pakistani Pilgrims To Mecca Banned

KARACHI—(AP)—A ban on Pakistani pilgrims to Mecca has been imposed at the request of Egypt, Syed Abdul Hamid El Khatib, Saudi Arabian minister, told a press conference here.

He said the ban would be lifted as soon as the World Health Organization informed his government that Pakistan would abide by the International Health Convention of 1926. Egypt, he said, feared its nationals might be contaminated by Pakistanis infected with cholera.

Junior Woman's Wednesday Club Begun By 16 Women More Than 16 Years Ago

The Junior Woman's Wednesday Club was organized on January 17, 1934, by 16 young women who had been friends from childhood, had gone through Midland schools together and whose parents were pioneers in Midland.

Martha Louise Nobles was the first president.

Charter members included Julia Aycock, Mary Belle Pratt, Dorothy Ratliff, Bennie Sue Ratliff, Mrs. John McKinley, Mrs. John Kinley, Beth Cowden, Nancy Rankin, Ruby Hodges, Lucille Thomas, Martha Louise Nobles, Annie Laurie Hix, Eulalia Whitefield, Helen Margaret Ulmer, Marian Wadley, Janelle Edwards and Margaret Francis. The names have been changed by marriage but, with few exceptions, are still members of the club.

The club was federated in 1935 and sponsored by the Women's Wednesday Club. Mrs. J. M. Caldwell called the first meeting and helped with the group for several years.

Present Officers
Mrs. John McKinley is the current president. Other officers include Mrs. Bill German, vice president; Mrs. Thornton Hardie, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Oliver Haag, parliamentarian; Mrs. Fred Kotyza, historian; and Mrs. D. G. Roberts, corresponding secretary.

For service projects, the members principally have been interested in charities. Funds for early projects were raised by sponsored dances in Hotel Scharbauer. Contributions to a student loan fund was one of the club's earliest projects. During the war years half of its meetings were devoted to war work. Last year the club contributed to the Midland Youth Center and made final payment on a pledge to furnish a room in the Midland Memorial Hospital. The club contributes each year to various federation projects as well as to the Red Cross and Goodfellow.

Other members of the club are Mrs. Walter Cremin, Mrs. Wright Cowden, Mrs. Irby Dyer, Mrs. Charles Edwards, Jr., Mrs. Allen Flaherty, Mrs. Frank Miller, Mrs. Don Oliver, Mrs. J. C. Ratliff, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Starr, Mrs. H. L. Straughan, Jr., Mrs. James Smith, Mrs. Louis Thomas and Mrs. Hugh West.



Scottish Rite Club Here Is Among Most Active In Nation

The Midland Scottish Rite Club is one of the oldest such organizations in Texas and boasts one of the largest memberships of any Scottish Rite organization in the South.

Current membership in the Midland organization is approximately 150 persons, most of whom have been active and instrumental in the growth and development of the organization and the worthy work which the club seeks to promote.

Chief work of the Scottish Rite organization is to help needy and destitute families and crippled children. All members take pride in the huge Scottish Rite Hospital for crippled children, which is located in Dallas.

Ed Edwards, deputy sheriff, is president of the organization here. Other officers include Larry Burnside, vice president; Emil Rasmann, secretary-treasurer, and John P. Butler, almoner.

Top Honors
The members here are proud of the work and growth of the organization and point with pride to Ed M. Whitaker, Sheriff Ed Darnell and Bob Scruggs, who have climbed the Scottish degree ladder to the top. Whitaker is a 33rd degree member, the highest position one can obtain in the organization. Darnell and Scruggs have passed their 32nd degree work. Darnell is believed to be the only sheriff in the state to have attained this honor.

The Scottish Rite members hold regular meetings twice each year when they observe the Passover and the Feast of the Tabernacle. However, the work of the organization continues on a year-around basis, and its goal is to help all families in need of assistance and to assist in the care of destitute and crippled children.

The eyes of the nation's Masons have been turned on the Midland unit from time to time as the organization here has grown from an early-day founding to one of the top clubs in the nation.



Midland Council Of Church Women Officially Organized Eight Years

Although the Midland Council of Church Women was organized officially in 1942, a group similar to it has been active in Midland since 1933.

World Day of Prayer has been observed by such a group since 1933, and before affiliating with the Texas and United Council of Church Women, the organization was known as the Fifth Monday Union.

Active in the early days of Fifth Monday meetings Mrs. F. N. Shriver were churchwomen including Mrs. J. M. Prothro, Mrs. W. P. Knight, Mrs. Charles L. Klapproth, Mrs. J. L. Greene, Mrs. Glenn Brunson, Mrs. J. H. Chapple, Mrs. John P. Butler, and Mrs. W. L. Miller.

Out of the 1933 observance of World Day of Prayer came the custom of having joint meetings of various missionary societies on fifth Mondays.

First President
In July, 1942, a meeting was held in the home of Mrs. S. H. Hudkins and Mrs. Louis Caddell, now of Plainview, was elected president of the Midland Council of Church Women. The purpose and program of the United Council of Church



Women was adopted and still is used by the local group.

The council, during the years of its existence, has emphasized and assisted with improved sanitation and recreational facilities for negroes and Latin Americans in Midland. The group was active in the beginning of a recreational park for negro children in the Moody Addition. Many negro and Latin American families have been fed, clothed and housed with council donations.

Welfare Work
It worked in cooperation with the Midland Army Air Field in the opening of Pagoda Swimming Pool. During the war years, thousands of pounds of clothing, shoes, bedding, toys and food were packed and sent to Church World Service for distribution. This work is continuing.

The group has been active in many other welfare projects, both in Midland and other areas. It also has been interested in Leper and Migrant Work and in Vacation Bible Schools in Midland.

World Day of Prayer and World Community Day annually are observed by the group. Early in 1960, the "Ecumenical Register" drive was launched by the United Council and the Midland group will begin its drive in September when Mrs. John Hanna of Dallas, vice president of the National Council, will visit Midland.

The Midland Council is composed of members of the First Presby-

terian, First Christian, Trinity Episcopal and First and Asbury Methodist churches. It is open to all denominations.

Present officers are Mrs. F. N. Shriver, president; Mrs. J. M. Ratcliff, Mrs. A. P. Shirey, Mrs. J. O. Hyde, Mrs. Edgar Tanner and Mrs. W. F. Schaffer, vice presidents; Mrs. Willard Bumpass, secretary; Mrs. Bernice Stevens, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Klapproth, reporter; Mrs. Joe Birdwell, councillor; and Mrs. L. G. Byrley, historian.

GAS TAXES GOING UP
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Midland Palette Club - Art Center Organized As Group In 1935

The Midland Palette Club-Art Center was organized as the Art Club on September 16, 1935, with 12 charter members. The first officers were Mrs. Ralph Barron, president and Mrs. John Hix, secretary-treasurer.



The name was changed to the Palette Club in 1938 and in 1948 the club was reorganized and incorporated with the name, Midland Palette Club - Art Center. It consists of three groups: Palette Club, Contemporary Painters and Ceramic Arts.

In the beginning the Art Club had difficulty in finding a place large enough to accommodate the members and equipment. The club decided to buy or build a studio. To make money for this project the members conducted hat sales, bake sales and game parties. In 1940 Mrs. R. M. Barron deeded a lot to the club. A contract was let for one large room and later a kitchen and lounge were added to the studio. To pay for this the club rented the building to study clubs and square dance clubs and had game parties and exhibit sales. In September, 1941, the club was out of debt. Since 1948 a work

room and storage closets have been added. The club has sponsored a Spring exhibit of local artists every year until 1949 when it was joined by the AAUW in sponsoring the Spring Festival of Art. The organization offers student membership for one dollar and active members for six dollars a year. The membership is 85 persons now. Mrs. G. H. Butler is president and Mrs. Ralph Barron is secretary.

Mrs. R. L. Clarke, chairman of the Contemporary Painters Group, also works with the publicity for the Palette Club Art Center and for its Ceramic Arts Group, as well as on arrangements for special artists and their exhibits.

Single Saddle Is Youngest Dance Club

The Single Saddle Square Dance Club is the youngest Square Dance Club in the city. It was organized Jan. 20, 1950.

The purpose of the organization is to furnish a square dance club for single people who ordinarily are barred from other square dance clubs because their constitutions call for married couples only.

The club meets twice a month in the City-County Auditorium. D. W. Peterson, Jr. is the president. Other officers include Carl Nance, vice president; Juanita Anderson, secretary-treasurer; Carolyn Oates, reporter; W. E. Brown, constitution and by-laws chairman; Willard Bryant, program chairman; and Leon Miles, membership chairman.

Other members include Judy Ballew, Frances Bishop, John Casselman, Jr., Betty Erdman, Jan Fuller, Bob Gay, Lily Gilbert, Al Gill, Louise Harless, Joyce Hendrick, Clifford Howell, Edna Lomax, Gordon Landwermyer, Bud Lindsey, Doyle Lowery, Evelyn Martin, Earl Monteith, Jim Moore, Dick McDonald, Billy Nickels, Joe Paine, Curtis Regan, Lillie Reithmayer, Leriene Reid, Robert Schultz, Jeanne Slaughter, Price Street, Buddy Scarborough, Natalie Walton, Norma Weatherall, Georgia Wise, Larry Yeager, Evelyn Young and Hermina Barnes.

Because mountains affect gravity, ordinary surveying instruments shift several miles off its true parallel of latitude.

Marine Corps Builds Up Strength Faster Than Other Services; Goal Is 75 Per Cent Increase

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Marine Corps is building up its strength faster than any of the other services. Its present goal is to increase manpower by about 75 per cent, according to congressional sources. That will bring the corps up to about 130,000. Its strength was 74,200 before Korea.

Expansion is primarily in ground forces. The corps has called to active duty all of its organized reserve ground units—the reserves who keep in training and are paid for their military work. It has also announced that it will call up 50,000 of its volunteer reserves by October 30. Volunteers do no peacetime training. They are mostly war veterans. Informed persons say it is likely that in time almost all the volunteer reserves will be called up.

Neither the Army, Navy nor Air Force has issued any general call for volunteer reserves, and none has launched such a sweeping mobilization of organized reserves as the Marine Corps. The only reserve Marine Corps units for which no plans for active duty have yet been announced are some organized reserve air units.

It has long been the contention of some high officials in the Defense Department that the Marine Corps does not need such a large proportion of air strength to ground troops as it has had in the past. Each division has attached an entire aircraft wing—about nine to 12 squadrons, comprising about 7,000 men.

The Marines now fighting in Korea are elements of the First Division and elements of the First Wing. A second division and wing still are intact on the East Coast. It appears likely that the First Division, on the West Coast, will once more be brought up to strength and that the First Wing will be once again filled out.

The first volunteer reserves to be brought back into uniform primarily will be enlisted men, since the corps is fairly well supplied with officers at present.

Deferments Table
Reserves, volunteer or organized, have no choice but to go if called. A man or woman called up, however, might obtain a six-month deferment if it is proved he or she holds an essential or critical job.

No deferments of reserves are permitted in any of the armed services for financial reasons, such as having to support dependents. Men drafted under selective service, however, still can obtain such deferments and exemptions as the law allows.

After the Marine Corps takes in the first 50,000 volunteer reserves, it will still have about 30,000 of that group to call in. How soon these are called or how many are ever taken depends on the extent to which Marine aviation is expanded and on how many persons volunteer for active duty in the corps.

The corps has announced that very few senior officers among the volunteer reserves will be taken in. Among such reserves are James Roosevelt, candidate for governor of California and Senator Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.).

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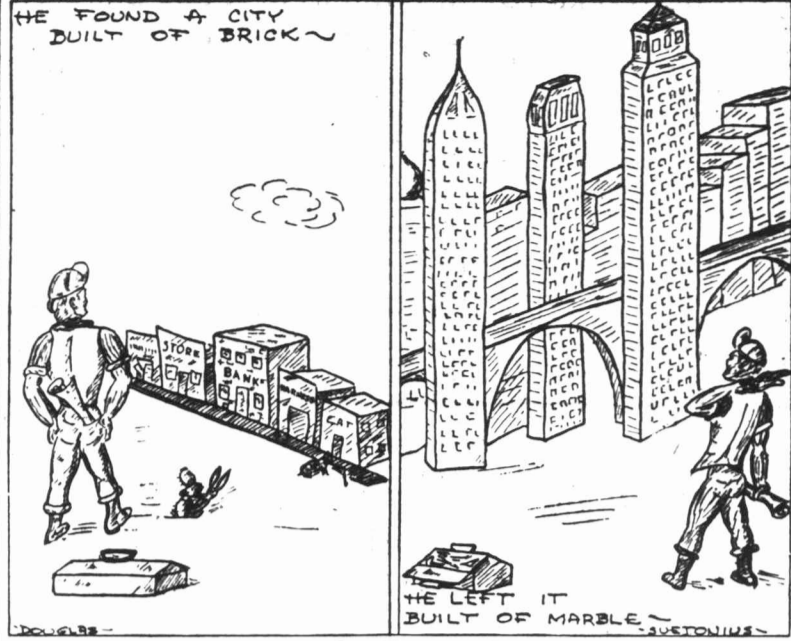
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Oscar Has Attended His Share Of Fairs

DES MOINES, IOWA—(P)—Oscar, a big fish, has been to more state fairs than most people. The black sturgeon, believed to be 50 years old, will be on exhibition for the twenty-fifth straight year at the Iowa State Fair. He has been an attraction at the Iowa fair annually since 1925 when the state conservation commission acquired him from a Wisconsin fish hatchery. Oscar weighs .30 pounds and is five feet long.

Israel Government Pushes Farm Plan

TEL AVIV, ISRAEL—(P)—The National Conference of Israeli Farmers is backing the government's plan to double the area under cultivation by 1953. The scheme, part of the government's four-year economic recovery program, calls for increasing the total arable land from 700,000 acres to 1,250,000 acres. Women in Southern France voted as early as the fourteenth century. The revolution abolished woman suffrage in that country.



Midland JayCees 'Get the Job Done'

JayCees Work Hard In Civic Affairs—And They Love It

By The JayCees
It's not that we have anything against bricks as such—they sure have improved since the day when Suetonius made the statement in the accompanying cartoon about Caesar Augustus, but the sense of constant improvement and the desire to make the world a better place in which to live is right up our alley. Aside from taking trowel, saw and hammer in hand, there are many ways to increase the enjoyment of living in a community, and the JayCees, already having tried with success a good many of them, ever are willing to work on more. We're "George," as in "Let George do it." And we love it!

or Clarence Cardwell hawking snoco cones at the rodeo, or Duffy Stanley working on city sanitation, or Irby Dyer losing his tickets at the state convention. George considers no task too small if, in the end, it fits in with his ideals, which are indeed very big. He's in everything, from City Beautification to Christmas Activities, from Fire Prevention to Air Shows, from Youth Welfare to Public Health, from Government Affairs to Safety Programs. All these projects and many others give the JayCee not only enough to do, but in the right direction—community betterment and improved living conditions. Leadership Training
George does not go unpaid for all this work, although he does not have the doubtful pleasure of filling out a withholding statement because of it. There are few places indeed where a young man has such a quick route to positions of responsibility, where the ideas and aims of young men are given such a fair trial. The contacts and friendships made will last a lifetime; the training and practice in leadership can prove invaluable; the help of experienced men and the opinions of his own age group are very good guides in business and social ventures; the working with a group gives him a sense of belonging and is a fast and sure method of orientation in a constantly changing community and economy.

ing the JayCees in their program for a better Midland are these officers: Arthur Joseph, president; Emil Rassman, first vice president; Jeff Montgomery, second vice president; Frank Hawk, secretary; and Lee Wood, treasurer; assisted by nine directors. Members are in the age group of 21-35 inclusive, with older men welcomed as associate members. We are not content. History, however praiseworthy, is nonetheless history. The forward looking young men of Midland, through cooperation and teamwork, will write the history of the future.

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Fine Arts Club Has Record Of Progress

Organized and federated in 1926, the Fine Arts Club can look back on 24 years of progress as it looks forward to many more.

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, has been a Fine Arts Club member for 17 years.

The club had 34 members when it was organized, and the 1926-27 officers were Mrs. Roy Parks, president; Mrs. Foy Proctor, vice president; Miss Lois Patterson, secretary; Mrs. Fred Cowden, parliamentary, and Miss Lydia Watson, reporter.

The other charter members were Mrs. A. P. Baker, Quinzie Cordill, Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith, Mrs. O. E. Holt, Sr., Mrs. Donald Hutt, Annie Merel Moran (now Mrs. Henry Wolcott), Mrs. J. M. Speed, Lotta Williams, Ann Wall (now Mrs. Yates Brown).

Wranglers Club Is CC's Official 'Get Acquainted' Unit

The official "get acquainted" section of the Midland Chamber of Commerce is the Wranglers Club, which serves as the Chamber's membership and greeters division.

The Western-type organization, which meets monthly at a "chuck-wagon" breakfast in Hotel Scharbauer, was organized in 1946 by the late Clint Dunagan.

Its major purposes are to conduct a year-round membership program for the Bill Collins Chamber of Commerce, to contact new business firms, welcoming them to Midland, and to represent the Chamber in an official capacity at meetings and gatherings of various kinds.

Colorful cowboy shirts, with "Wranglers" stitched on the backs, are worn by the "cowboys" when they are working as a group and in an official capacity. Cowboy trousers, boots and big hats complete the Wrangler uniform.

Since its organization, the Wranglers have averaged more than 100 new Chamber of Commerce memberships each year, and indications are the 1950 total will be above the average.

"Top Wrangler"
The Wranglers compete against each other in C. of C. membership work on a point basis, with a "Top Wrangler" being named each month. A "Top Wrangler of the Year" is named annually, with special awards presented at the Chamber's annual banquet. C. E. (Bud) Bissell has annexed the annual award three times and Fred Fromhold, one time.

Bill Collins is the foreman of the Wranglers Club, and Delbert Downing and Burvin Hines, C. of C. staff members, are the wagon bosses. Robert L. Wood, Chamber president, is an honorary member.

Active Wranglers are John P. Butler, Cal Boykin, Ted Thompson, Al Boring, Eddie Jones, Fred Fromhold, Albert Kelley, W. E. King, George Philippus, Big Jack Ellington and Bob Scruggs.

LEARNING AMERICANISM

Field trips by upper class high school groups to national and state capitols and industrial centers are gaining in popularity as means for giving young people a better understanding of the American System.

Juliette Wolcott, Mrs. Tom White, Mrs. Frank Aldridge, Mrs. T. Paul Barron, Carolyn Caldwell, Mrs. W. R. Chancellor, Mrs. Ellis Cowden, Mrs. Elliott Cowden, Mrs. R. Ed. Cowden, Mrs. O. B. Holt, Jr., Leona McCormick (now Mrs. Wilson Bryant), Mrs. Earl Moran, Mrs. W. E. Ryan, Mrs. T. Paul Vickers, Lillie B. Williams (now Mrs. Holt Jowell), Thelma White, Mrs. W. E. Wallace and Mrs. Earl Hyde.

Of this group, 30 still are living, 21 of them residing in Midland. Four, Mrs. Bryant, Mrs. Parks, Mrs. Proctor and Miss Watson, still are members of the Fine Arts Club.

1950-51 officers, who will take over in September, are Mrs. Proctor, president; Mrs. B. R. Schabarum and Mrs. Dewitt C. Haskin, vice presidents; Mrs. Harry Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. Fred Wemple, corresponding secretary; Mrs. O. J. Hubbard, treasurer; Mrs. Bryant, historian and Mrs. J. G. Carner, critic. Mrs. George Kidd has been appointed reporter and Mrs. Parks, parliamentary referee.

Present Members
Other present members are Mrs. E. H. Barron, Mrs. Tom C. Bobo, Mrs. L. G. Byerley, Mrs. Clifford Hall, Mrs. S. J. Lones, Mrs. Neal Marks, Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, Mrs. Henry D. Murphey, Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. W. H. Sloan, Mrs. Fred Wemple and Mrs. J. M. White.

The accomplishments of Fine Arts Club members during the last 24 years include much work for cultural betterment of Midland. In 1926, the club joined the small and struggling Library Association.

Many years later, after the library had been moved from its small, grey building to the basement of the courthouse, Fine Arts members spent a day redecorating the walls of the Children's Room. Mrs. P. D. Moore supervised this work.

In 1945, the club began a movement for a new library building and gave a silver tea to begin a building fund.

In 1933, the club joined with other Midland federated clubs to entertain the District Six, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. Midland, now a part of District Eight, then was in District Six.

The money left from the entertainment fund was given to the Midland Woman's Club as the beginning of a scholarship fund for girls. This fund has helped six girls with their education and still is in operation.

In 1927, the club started a clean-up week which was Midland's first clean-up campaign. Midland's first home-talent play was held in the Ritz Theater under the direction of the club members.

Each Christmas, the club gives money, toys and baskets to a welfare association for distribution. During the past years, the group has sponsored the observance of a number of national "weeks," and contributed large amounts to the building fund of the TFWC.

Members also have contributed to the local student loan fund, the District Eight Student Loan Fund and the Latin American and Carver School Libraries as well as the Dunbar Branch of the Midland County Library.

They sponsored a Bible Study course in Midland High School and donated fifty dollars toward buying an artificial limb for a Midland woman.

During the war, members bought and sold thousands of dollars worth of war bonds, made surgical dressings, helped with work at the Midland Army Air Field, and taught first aid classes in Texas, New Mexico and Arizona.

After the war, the Fine Arts Club adopted a four-member Finnish family and sent them food, clothing and money.

Locally, the club is working with the Midland Youth Center, the Children's Service League, the Boy and Girl Scouts and the Midland County Library.

Children's Service League Works To Help County's Needy Children

With the assisting of children as its sole purpose, the Children's Service League has, since 1939, been working to help Midland youth.

Since it was organized, the league's scope of work has widened until the list of activities for 1949 included the following:

Arranging transportation to school for crippled children so they could attend regular classes.

Repairing and distributing clothing collected in a drive by Midland Girl Scouts.

Buying new clothing and shoes for needy children.

Sponsoring a clinic for crippled children of the county.

Supplying transportation for crippled children to hospitals and to a cerebral palsy clinic for children.

Conferring with school officials on provisions for teaching crippled and handicapped children and with officials of the Midland Memorial Hospital on hospital facilities for children.

In addition, the league has sponsored annual Easter Seal Sales in cooperation with the National Society for Crippled Children and Adults since 1941.

The Kiwanis and Lions Clubs assisted the league in obtaining transportation for crippled children, and the Business and Pro-

fessional Women's Club contributed \$147.00 for the purchase of clothing.

Groups from several churches have made layettes to be distributed through the league.

Mrs. Robert S. Dewey is president of the league. Other officers are Mrs. C. H. Atchison, vice president; Mrs. John Coulter, secretary; Mrs. W. A. Waldschmidt, treasurer; and Mrs. Alan Leeper, crippled children's fund chairman.

Mrs. W. A. Waldschmidt, Mrs. Atchison and Mrs. C. H. Ervin are members of the executive committee for Mrs. Dewey's administration.

Mrs. Cooper Hyde was the first president of the Children's Service League. Other first officers were Mrs. W. T. Schneider, treasurer; Mrs. Richard Blunden, secretary;

and Mrs. John M. Hills, publicity chairman.

Other charter members were Mrs. T. S. Jones, Mrs. L. S. Page, Mrs. Ralph Fitting, Mrs. R. M. Jones, Mrs. Don Gray, Mrs. J. R. Jones, Mrs. Harold Voight and Mrs. John Herald.

During World War II, league members gave three out of every four meetings to volunteer work for the Red Cross. Later, they aided in a United Nations clothing drive for families overseas and "adopted" a family which they assisted in various ways.

The organization sends representatives to meetings of the Texas Society for Crippled Children, and in 1947, Mrs. Fred Cassidy, a past league president, was named to the society's board.

West Texas Geological Society Has 448 Members

One of the largest and most influential organizations for oil men in the Permian Basin Empire is the West Texas Geological Society.

Midland, being the headquarters for almost 400 geologists, was chosen as the meeting place for this group which has members throughout West Texas.

The WTGS sponsors numerous study groups to advance the knowledge of geology in the Permian Basin area.

Current officers of the WTGS are John M. Hills, president; Gerald H. Bartley, vice-president; Harold L. Williams, secretary; and Lloyd C. Mills, treasurer.

The society periodically publishes informative bulletins on the geologic peculiarities of West Texas.

Each year, as the importance of the Permian Basin as an oil area increases, the WTGS becomes more active.

































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A resident and businessman of Midland more than a quarter of a century, Wemple long has been interested in the development of good roads in West Texas and throughout the state. He served as president of the Texas Good Roads Association before being



named to the Highway Commission by the late Gov. Beauford Jester in 1947. He also was a member of the Highway Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce a number of years before assuming the state office.

As chairman of the Highway Commission, Wemple is called upon to represent the Highway Department at frequent gatherings and meetings of various kinds over the state, constantly "getting acquainted" with more and more citizens of Texas and other states.

A charter member of the Midland Rotary Club, Fred Wemple is a past president of the organization and also served as district governor of Rotary. He is a veteran of World War I and is a past commander of the Midland American Legion Post. He is active in other civic and church affairs.

Spicy Foods Cause Cancer, Says Doctor

LOS ANGELES—(P)—Hot and spicy foods probably are one cause of cancer of the stomach, says Dr. Claude E. Welch of Harvard University. He is here teaching in the University of California Summer Session.

He says stomach cancer is common in Mexico where spiced foods are the rule. He also says that Japanese women who wait until their husbands eat before serving themselves escape such cancer. Their food cools before they eat it.

B&PW Club Is Fourteen Years Old

Twelve women met March 11, 1936, to discuss the organization of the Midland Business and Professional Women's Club, Virginia Cowan and Alma Graves acted as chairmen for organization.

Four members of the Sweetwater club met with the group to help in the organization. Midland women attending were: Leora Cooper, Iva Noyes, Suzie Noble, Gertrude Duffield, Frances Stallworth, Lydie Watson, Lottie Freeman and Drucilla Ford.

Fannie Bess Taylor was elected president. Added to the charter roll were Bertha McGrew, Jewel Midkiff, Dee Midkiff, Bertie Mitchell, Ethel Long, Laura Jesse, Juanita Perkins, Marian O'Connor, Nettie C. Romer, Maria Spencer, Elizabeth Wilson, Eva Batchelor, Marguerite Bivens, Lois Frazier, Kathleen Eiland, Dorris Hillier and Virginia Loughlin. Of these Miss Jesse, Mrs. Noyes (Mrs. R. C. Maxson), Miss Spencer and Miss Taylor still are members of the club.



Thelma L. Gardner

Doctors' Wives Club Is Only Year Old

The Midland Doctors' Wives Club was organized in April, 1949, "to promote fellowship among doctors' families and to extend the aims of the medical profession to other organizations which look to advancement in health and education."

A Speakers' Bureau has been set up as the club project for 1950-\$1. All civic and federated clubs in Midland have been contacted and given the opportunity to have speakers from the club list.



The present Mrs. L. W. Leggett speakers' list, which will be added to and amended, includes Dr. F. E. Sadler speaking on "Topics Pertinent to Public Health"; Dr. E. W. McCullough on "What's New in Medicine"; Dr. Dorothy Wyvell on "Topics Pertinent to Pediatrics"; Dr. R. M. Golladay on "Sex Education"; and Mrs. W. F. Pennebaker on "Current Legislation Affecting Medicine."

Dr. L. B. Smith, Dr. F. W. Gaarde, and Dr. H. Glenn Walker will speak on other topics pertinent to medicine. A reviewer will be available for the book, "The Road Ahead."

It is the club plan to add speakers to this list and to procure films and recordings which also will be available to interested clubs.

The Doctors' Wives Club has asked two-week notice from clubs requesting speakers. With confirmation notice of the talk, the club receives information about the speaker.

Another project of the Doctors' Wives, carried out in cooperation with the county and state medical auxiliary, is the promotion of

resolutions against socialized medicine. These resolutions are passed by civic organizations.

Mrs. L. W. Leggett is president of the Doctors' Wives. She succeeded Mrs. C. S. Britt. Mrs. A. J. Cooper was the first president of the group and was the organizational chairman in 1949, when the club was formed. At that time, she was councilwoman for the Second District of the Medical Auxiliary of Texas.

Committee Heads
Mrs. F. E. Sadler was the first secretary - treasurer, and Mrs. R. M. Golladay, the first reporter. Other present officers, elected in April, are Mrs. Golladay, vice president; Mrs. Kurt Lekisch, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Johnson, reporter; and Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, parliamentarian.

Mrs. T. J. Melton, Jr., is health chairman with Mrs. F. E. Sadler, Mrs. H. Glenn Walker and Mrs. E. W. McCullough as her assistants.

The social committee is headed by Mrs. James H. Chapple and Mrs. Henry Leigh and Mrs. Jack Walton are committee members.

Mrs. Britt is chairman of the public relations committee and has Mrs. Milton J. Loring, Mrs. John Leigh and Mrs. J. S. Roden assisting her.

Mrs. Golladay is legislative chairman with Mrs. F. M. Middlebrook and Mrs. Lex E. Smith as committee members. Mrs. M. S. Dickerson heads the credentials group with Mrs. W. R. Snow and Mrs. Tom C. Bobo as members.

Mrs. F. W. Gaarde is the year-book chairman and Mrs. Doyle Patton is her assistant.

The club meets once a month with the decision as to type of meeting and program left to the hostesses.

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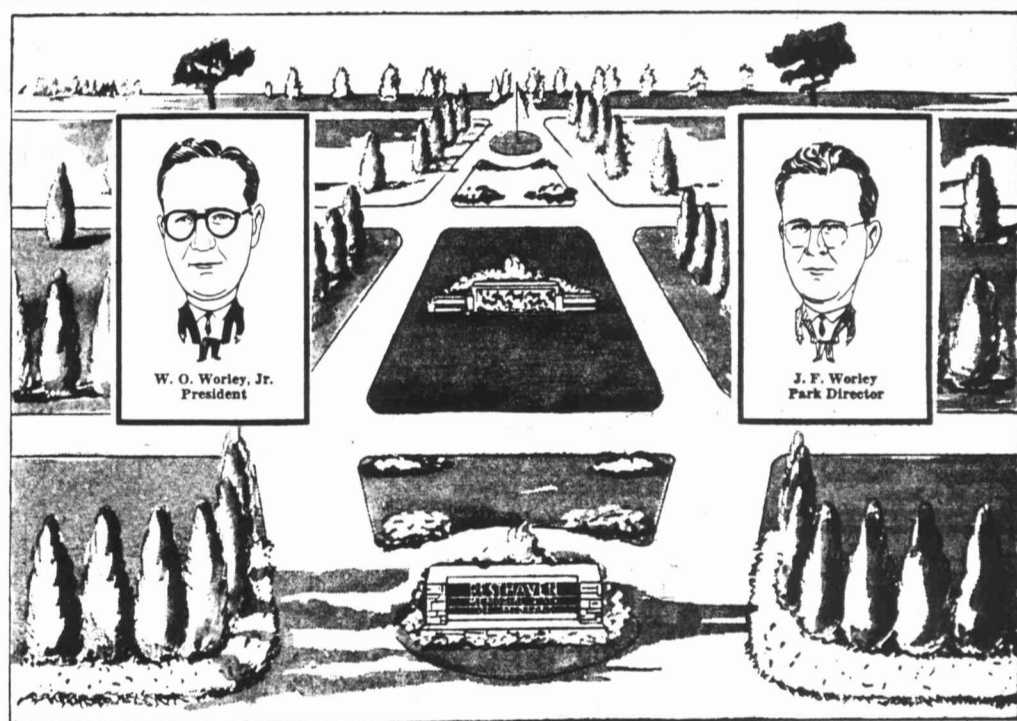
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Bulldog Mascot Gets Chowhound Rating

CUMBERLAND, MD.—(P)—Private Striker, seven-month-old bulldog mascot of the Cumberland Marine reserves, looked down in the mouth when his unit shipped out and left him behind. But he perked up again when Navy reservists adopted him, outfitted him with a dog's cap and put him in training.

The Navy reservists say ex-Private Striker seems quite adjusted now to his new unit and new rating—Chowhound.



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Mrs. Hodge Enjoys TFWC Presidency

"Education For World Citizenship" was the theme chosen by Mrs. J. Howard Hodge for her administration as president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs.

Her election as president last Fall gave Veda Wells Hodge top claim on the title "Woman of the Year in Midland," and placed her in a high position among women of Texas.

A graduate of Mrs. J. Howard Howard Payne Hodge College, Mrs. Hodge has served on

the board of trustees eight years. She also taught there.

Her childhood was spent in a West Texas town as the youngest child of a Baptist minister who considered a good education the best heritage he could give his children. Besides studying, he considered good reading and wide contacts with people important to education.

Childhood Acquaintances

Mrs. Hodge remembers such acquaintances of her childhood as students from Tibet and missionaries from Africa and South America, as well as visiting ministers, politicians and lecturers who came to her home.

She still likes to meet all kinds of people and that is one of the many things she enjoys so much in her job as federation president.

Before becoming president Mrs.

Hodge served as a local president, district president and member of the state executive board.

Her years of experience in the lesser tasks, prepared her for the president's chair, but she admits that "it isn't possible to realize quite how big the job of federation business is until you face it firsthand."

Traveling almost constantly, she has made several major trips with stops in many places to speak or to confer on club business.

Main Problem

Because of the volume of correspondence she receives, an overseas mail box was installed at her front door—it is filled to the top almost every day.

Her main administrative problem is making ends meet financially. With the general increase in costs

of all operation phases, the federation had not raised its members' dues until the convention at which Mrs. Hodge was elected.

Another task of the president was the organization of the board of directors for her administration, by appointment of department and committee chairmen and two executive board members. This was accomplished in the first few days of her term.

Women who have worked with Veda Hodge as she carried out responsibilities of former offices predict she will achieve her highest aims for the club with the full cooperation of board members and just plain club members.

She and her husband, a Midland theater owner-operator, have a mutual appreciation for each other's work and accomplishments, so she finds it possible to fit the demands of her club work into the framework of her life at home to the advantage of both.





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Midland's PM Has 26 Years Service In Postal Work

Noel G. Oates, Midland postmaster, has been an employe in Uncle Sam's postal department for 26 years.

Born in Gober, Fannin County, Texas, Oates became a substitute clerk in the Dallas Post Office July 1, 1924. In 1928 he had worked himself into a regular clerk's position and came to Midland. He traded jobs with Norman Benedict, a native Midlander who wanted to try life in the city.

On February 15, 1944, Oates became superintendent of mails for the Midland post office and on June 11 of the same year, he was appointed acting postmaster. He became the permanent postmaster July 3, 1947 and has served in that capacity every since.

Midland has had 12 postmasters since the first mail service began here. The first one was C. H. Welch, who was appointed on July 14, 1885. Welch served until the end of the year and was succeeded by B. K. Brant.

Other PM's Listed

Other postmasters in Midland history were Lizzie Davis, J. W. Hollingsworth, C. P. Fuller, H. M. Horton, Thomas Ray, J. Wiley Taylor, Mary S. Ray, John P. Howe and Allen Tolbert.

When Oates came to work in the Midland office seven employes were on duty here. The number of employes gradually rose and in 1950 the post office here employs 67.

Postal receipts have grown with Midland. In 1920 the receipts for the entire year were \$10,182. In 1930 the figure had risen to \$36,026.97. The 1935 figure was \$39,700.89 and in 1940 the 12-month total was \$76,953.17. By 1945 the receipts had passed the \$100,000 mark and in 1950 Oates estimates the total receipts may reach \$300,000. For the first seven months this year the total was \$169,920.99.

Scientists use the micron (one-millionth of a meter) as a unit for measuring the diameter of drops of liquid. An inch is roughly 25,000 microns.

Discrimination In India Is Unlawful

MADRAS, INDIA —(AP)—Barring anyone from colleges on grounds of community, caste or religious violates India's constitution, a full bench of the local high court recently ruled.

The case arose out of a Madras government order fixing the ratio for admission of major religious communities into government colleges. The government said this was necessary to prevent highly intellectual minority communities from standing in the way of progress of the backward majority.

The Brahmin community which forms only three per cent of Madras state's 55,000,000 people was able, because of superior intelligence, to capture most of the admissions into the colleges. The government, therefore, fixed two seats for the Brahmins out of every 14 vacancies. The Madras government is appealing to the Supreme Court of India against the decision.

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Midland Music Club Members Cooperate With Local Groups

The Midland Music Club, organized in 1937, is formed of members who are actively interested in music and who participate in programs during the year. The club is an organization with the purpose of bringing nationally known musicians to Midland for a series of concerts each season.

Officers of the club are M. O. Gibson, president; Mrs. I. S. Meizer and Mrs. Benton Howell, vice president; M. O. Gibson, secretary; Mrs. Frank Miller, recording secretary; Mrs. Gibson, corresponding secretary; Lotta Williams, treasurer; Mrs. Frank Thompson, historian and Mrs. Sam Geffen, reporter.

May 16 the club members voted



to change the name of the club from Midland Civic Music Club to Midland Music Club.

Encouragement of string music in the schools and among adult factions in Midland; aid to talented, but underprivileged persons; presentation of "big-name" artists, and continued sponsorship of an annual musical review are a few of the goals of the club.

The club has sponsored movies in past seasons. During 1949 the presentation of "Carnegie Hall" was a project and indicated that Midland music-lovers want more musical movies.

Program innovations were included under the club's progress since 1937. Among those have been the introduction of all open programs. The club, while encouraging a large membership does not limit attendance and welcomes guests at all programs. During the 1949-50 season the club presented a ballet number and a square dance in March.

Jazz Music
Jazz music probably will come into the limelight during the 1950-51 season. Although club members admittedly prefer the more classical type of music it is conceded that swing, be-bop and boogie woogie comes under the heading of modern music and should not be ignored.

Last year the club, during National Music Week, presented a children's concert as well as a resume of outstanding numbers which had been given during the year. The club plans to make this an annual affair.

During the past seasons the club has purchased several musical instruments. Almost all members of the club own pianos and are encouraged to make use of the instruments, thus increasing the potential musicianship of the club. It is the goal of the organization to continue with its musical cooperation of local groups. In the past (and in the future) members will assist in various church choirs and Christmas and Easter programs. Members have, and will continue to, participate in minstrel shows and community projects.

Professions Still Popular With Czechs

PRAGUE—(AP)—Though miners and factory workers enjoy a relatively high social and economic status in Czechoslovakia, young people are still eager to enter the professions.

The Prague newspaper "Lidova Demokracie" has reported that so many tried to enroll for medicine and pharmacy in the Fall semester that the universities cannot take all of them. On the other hand, it said, classes in mining, iron engineering and electrotechnical studies still are not full.

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Just any time you have a printing problem, or need some competent advice on office furniture, or some expert advice on office routine you'll find that Ray and Johnny are specialists (sort of Chic style). They have had a hand in furnishing some of the finest offices in Midland, and more of the better companies depend on them. Back to printing, the Howard Company is the largest in this area, and in charge of it is Allen Hall, the handsome fellow in our organization. He can turn out a top-quality printing job while most fellows are studying the copy. He has a real crew, too, and most of them are draft exempt.

Looks like Hall will be doing Midland's printing for a long time to come.

PRAGUE—(AP)—It's seldom we make a mistake, but from time to time we do. The person most likely to correct one is Gracie Acker, bookkeeper and girl Friday to the boys. A veteran with the company, Gracie is getting good on office supplies, and she'll sell you your Christmas cards if you come in early.

Now here's our boy "over there," Felix Sommers, who thought a recruiting sergeant could be trusted. He volunteered for the coast artillery, but he's in the 22nd Infantry. If he does as good in the Army as he did here, he might even wind up a shave-a-tail. We hope he'll be back with us before too long.

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We probably could fill this page, but the space ain't for free... so come down to 114 South Loraine, and come in with your hand out, 'cause we really want to know everyone in town. If you can't come, just call 2517 (weekdays) and we'll come to see you.—(adv.)

Church Of Christ First Met In Old Courthouse

The congregation of the Church of Christ, now meeting for worship in a fine new building at North A and Tennessee Streets in Midland, had its beginning in 1925 as a few pioneer families met for worship in the old court-house.



In 1930 the church erected a brick veneer building to seat about 250 persons on the wedge between North San Angelo and A Streets at Tennes-J. Woodie Holden sees. This building was replaced with the present church structure, which was completed early in 1950.

In the meanwhile, an annex building was erected in 1946 across the street east, and this building still is maintained for varied activities of the church. Bible study groups meet there, the women of the congregation quilt, mend and prepare clothing for benevolent work, and various groups meet there for "dinner on the ground" and similar gatherings.

In 1949 a new residence for the minister was erected at 504 North San Angelo Street, which also is across the street east from the church building.

J. A. McCall, T. H. Bass, Curtis Camp, Kenneth Tucker, Harvey Childress, C. C. Morgan, Herbert Newman and Leonard Bankhead have served with this congregation as local evangelists. J. Woodie Holden, the present minister, came to Midland from Abilene in September, 1946. Present membership of the church is about 375.

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Delta Gamma Alumnae Association Active Sorority Group In City; Has Projects

The Delta Gamma Alumnae Association, organized in 1948, is one of Midland's most active sorority groups.

In June, Mrs. R. C. Byars, one of its members, was elected president of the international organization of Delta Gamma Sorority. The election took place at the biennial convention, held in the Banff Springs Hotel in Banff, Alberta, Canada. Six hundred official delegates attended.

Delta Gamma, one of the oldest of women's fraternities, was organized in 1874 at the Lewis School

for Girls in Oxford, Mass. It has collegiate chapters in the United States and Canada and alumnae groups in the U. S., Canada, Hawaii, and other countries where alumnae are active.

Among its major projects are the student exchange program, through which foreign students study in United States colleges and universities and live in Delta Gamma houses, and the sight conservation program. The sight conservation work is carried on throughout the United States for school children. Also a part of it are pre-school nurseries, the largest of which is located in Los Angeles, Calif.

Outstanding Members
Outstanding members of Delta Gamma include Judge Sarah T. Hughes of Dallas, who recently was elected president of the International Business and Professional Women's Clubs and the late Hazel Vandenburg, daughter of Senator Arthur Vandenburg. At the recent convention, a memorial fellowship honoring Miss Vandenburg was established. Mrs. Ruth Bryan Owen Rhode, prominent stateswoman, also is in Delta Gamma.

Mrs. Byars, a graduate of the University of Missouri, lived in Houston before moving to Midland three years ago. Before being elected president of Delta Gamma, she was alumnae vice president and was on the national council.

In Houston, she was president of Houston Panhellenic and was Delta Gamma alternate delegate to Panhellenic conventions in 1947 in Colorado Springs, Colo., and in 1949 in Skytop, Pa.

Province President
She also has been president of this province of Delta Gamma, which includes Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Tennessee and Oklahoma. In this capacity she worked with collegiate chapters and university officials as well as alumnae groups.

Mrs. Byars also is a member of Gamma Alpha Chi, honorary journalism fraternity, the Captain James Lawrence Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution in Ohio, the Monday Club of St. Louis and the College Club of Houston.

The present president of the Midland group of Delta Gamma is Mrs. Tom Flewharty. Other officers are Mrs. Fred Gaarde, vice president, and Mrs. G. T. Bowen, secretary-treasurer. The group meets once a month and is affiliated with Midland City Panhellenic.



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The quick success of the PBGS proved the need for such an organization in Midland. Already its membership is nearing the 300 mark.

The PBGS came into being to advance the science of geophysics and to promote fellowship and cooperation among geophysicists and geologists in the Permian Basin Empire.

This area society is the seventh regional group of Society of Exploration Geophysicists, a national organization.

Officers Listed
Present officers of the PBGS are Lorenz Shock, district supervisor for National Geophysical Company, president; G. W. Payne, division seismologist for The Pure Oil Company, first vice president; J. E. Worley, sales manager for Strawn Merchandise Company, second vice president; W. L. Homan, district seismologist for Republic Exploration Company, secretary; and E. L.



Lorenz Shock

Mount, seismic supervisor for Continental Oil Company, treasurer.

Almost 100 seismograph crews are reported operating in the Permian Basin. Each of these crews comprise between 12 and 25 men. This shows the extent to which this newly organized group can expand.

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"It means 'tov meod-mezuyan!' they shouted back.

He got the Hebrew words translated. 'Tov meod means "very good." Mezuyan is "excellent."

So he gave another "encore."

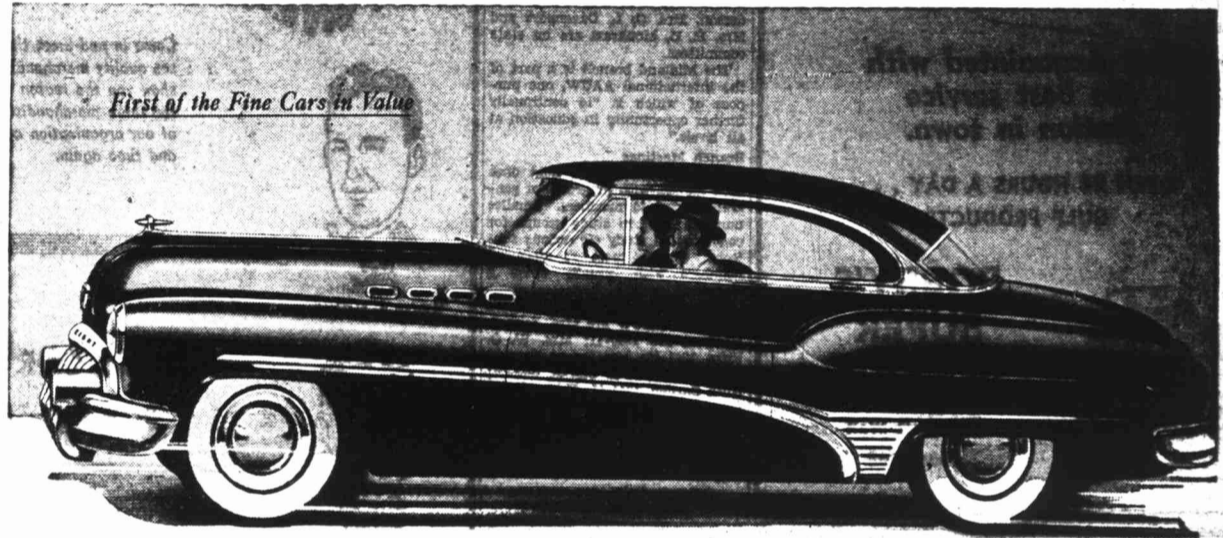
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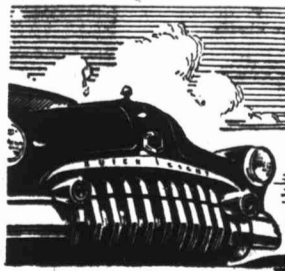
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The Midland branch of the American Association of University Women was organized in 1940. The 1949-50 treasurer's report reveals that it now has 108 national members and 18 associate members. Suggestions for additions to branch activities during the coming year include the formation of a French group, one or two new music groups and a study of problems in clerical training. An applied arts course may be held through the Fall for those wishing to make Christmas gifts. During 1949-50, the branch paid \$135 into the na-Mrs. R. F. Carroll national fellowship fund and gave two \$100 scholarships to local girls. The bridge and opera groups made contributions to the Carver scholarship and the branch donated to an art exhibit in Midland. Two memorial books were given to the Midland County Library and a radio election broadcast was financed. The



branch contributed \$600 to the Midland Woman's Club Building Fund. Present officers are Mrs. R. F. Carroll, president; Mrs. A. D. Slover, vice president and chairman of branch meetings; Mrs. Brandon E. Res, vice president and program chairman; Mrs. R. B. Lambert, treasurer; Mrs. James Marberry, recording secretary; Mrs. Robert Patterson, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Max Hendrick, parliamentarian. National chairmen are Mrs. Clarke Robert, arts; Mrs. C. L. Davenport, international relations; Mrs. Carl O. Hyde, legislative and status of women; Mrs. Ray E. Seifert, membership; Mrs. William Sandeen, fellowship and scholarship; Mrs. G. C. McNary, social studies; and Mrs. Sam Geffen and Frances Hagaman, publicity. Standing committee chairmen are Mrs. R. D. Monkress, historian; Mrs. R. V. Hollingsworth, remembrances; Mrs. W. P. VonOelski, telephone; Mrs. K. E. McFarland, hospitality; Mrs. Terry Tidwell, yearbook; Mrs. John Norris, music; Mrs. B. W. Davis, social; and Mrs. Russell Ramsland, business and finance. Group chairmen are Mrs. F. L. Conyers, creative writing; Mrs. Frank Ashby, Spanish; Mrs. D. W. St. Clair, bridge; Mrs. Lambert and Mrs. W. H. Carter, opera; Mrs. Dave Pennel, piano for fun; and Mrs. Marberry, problems in child training.

Children's Concerts
During 1948-49, a series of children's concerts was presented with duo pianists, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Orr, in charge. Proceeds went to the Carver scholarship fund and a record player and five albums of records were purchased for the Latin American School.

Four members of the local branch, Mrs. R. L. Clarke, Mrs. C. F. Henderson, Mrs. C. L. Davenport and Mrs. R. D. Monkress are on state committees.

The Midland branch is a part of the international AAUW, one purpose of which is "to continually further opportunity in education at all levels."

Branch Meetings
Branch meetings are held once each month, with programs of general interest to members. Smaller numbers meet in study groups for concentrated study on various subjects. Groups meet as often as members wish, usually twice a month.

Past presidents of the Midland branch of AAUW are Mrs. John J. Redfern, Jr., 1940-41; Mrs. W. C. Fritz, 1941-42; Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, 1942-43; Mrs. R. L. Clarke, 1943-44; Ruth Carden, 1944-45; Katherine T. Greason, 1945-46; Mrs. E. H. Scooby, 1946-47; Mrs. Earl Johnson, 1947-48; Mrs. C. L. Davenport, 1948-49, and Mrs. Leonard Thomas, 1949-50.

Read The Classifieds

API Chapter Is World's Largest

The Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute is the largest local chapter in the world.

The object of the API is to foster a spirit of economic cooperation among those directly engaged in the production of oil and gas by promoting a free exchange of ideas among its members. Midland oil men long have been leaders of this group. At present, half the advisory committee of the Permian Basin Chapter are Midlanders. They are: M. C. Brunner, Shell Oil Company; T. P. Drew, The Texas Company; T. C. Frick, Atlantic Refining Company; T. B. Campbell, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company; B. E. McDonald, Gulf Oil Corporation; W. D. Lane, Plymouth Oil Company; Jack E. Elias, Rotary Engineers; Roy Derrick, King, Warren & Dye; H. H. Mayfield, Magnolia Petroleum Company; and Roy Minear, J. P. (Bum) Gibbins, Inc.

Chapter president is C. R. Smith of Odessa, with Cities Service Oil Company.

Other officers are: E. N. Spiars of Midland, first vice chairman; Roy E. Cortez, of Kermit, Amos G. Carter Foundation, second vice chairman; Jay E. Wooten of Lubbock, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company, third vice chairman; and Tom W. Flewharty of Midland, secretary-treasurer, The Western Company.

North Elementary P-TA Unit Has Contributed Much For Children

The North Elementary Parent-Teacher Association is 20 years old in 1950, and can look back on a record of service to the school and the community.

Organized in '30 with 53 members, the group elected Mrs. Percy Mims the first president. Officers who will take over in September are Mrs. Hal Rachal, president; Mrs. John J. Redfern, Jr., and Mrs. H. Hilton Kaderli, vice presidents; Mrs. Robert Don-Mrs. Hal Rachal, secretary; and Mrs. H. Tate Brady, treasurer.

In the way of major accomplishments, the group has, since its organization, paid for six tonal operations, and numerous eye tests, provided a fire escape for the school building, supplied the school with first aid kits. It also has supplied underprivileged children with school supplies, carried on a program annually to supply milk and crackers at recess, bought numerous pieces of playground equipment including saws, slides, swings, whirls and action bars.

It has given tables to the junior high school, bought rhythm band

instruments, presented radio programs, bought stage curtains and auditorium drapes, purchased three radio-phonograph combinations and numbers of records, bought visual-education equipment, such as projector and stand and a curtain and screen.

The P-TA has equipped a first-aid room, purchased two radio and record players for Carver School and the Latin American School, bought hundreds of dollars worth of library books, bought two transcription record players at a cost of more than \$300 and \$50 worth of records.

Other accomplishments include the purchase of a record cabinet, contribution to the national headquarters building. It also has distributed mimeographed copies of movie classifications, been responsible for the erection of four traffic signal lights near the school, furnished a teachers' lounge, bought an oil painting for the school foyer, and cooperated in welfare drives.

CAVEMAN REMAINS FOUND

PISA, ITALY —(AP)—Traces of cave-men who lived 10,000 years ago were discovered in a cave near this famed town of the leaning tower. Two skulls, some reindeer bones, pieces of earthenware vases and points of spears characteristic of that period, were found.

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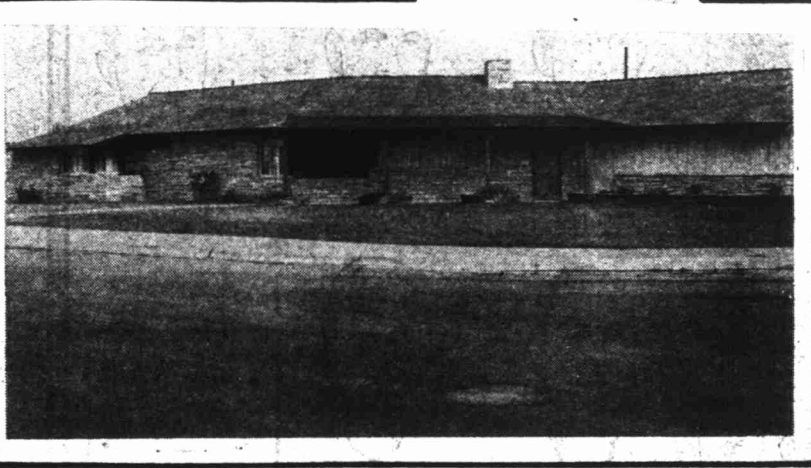
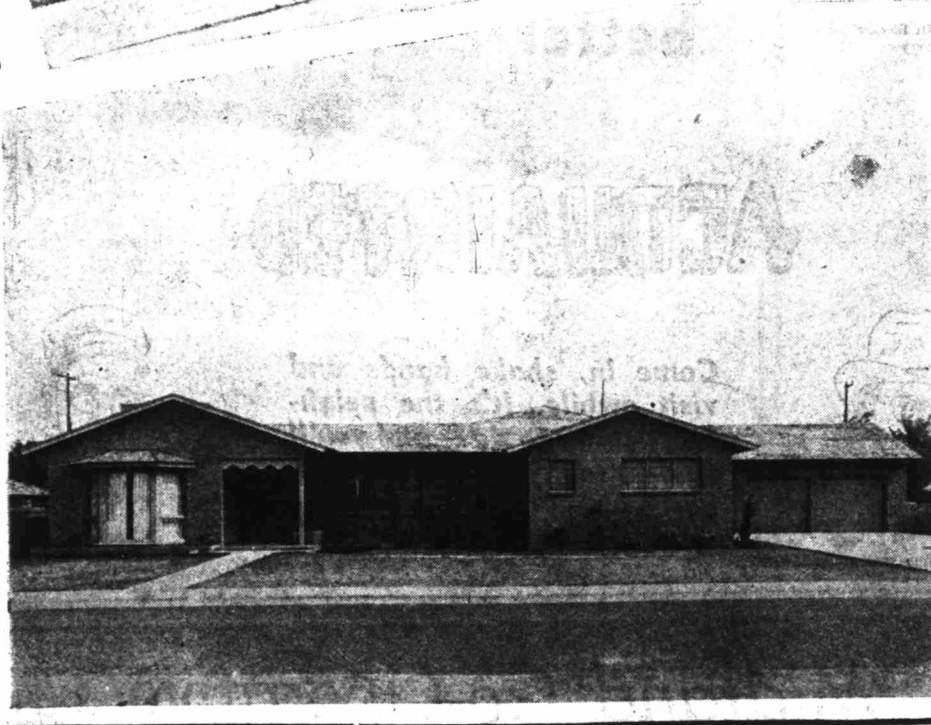
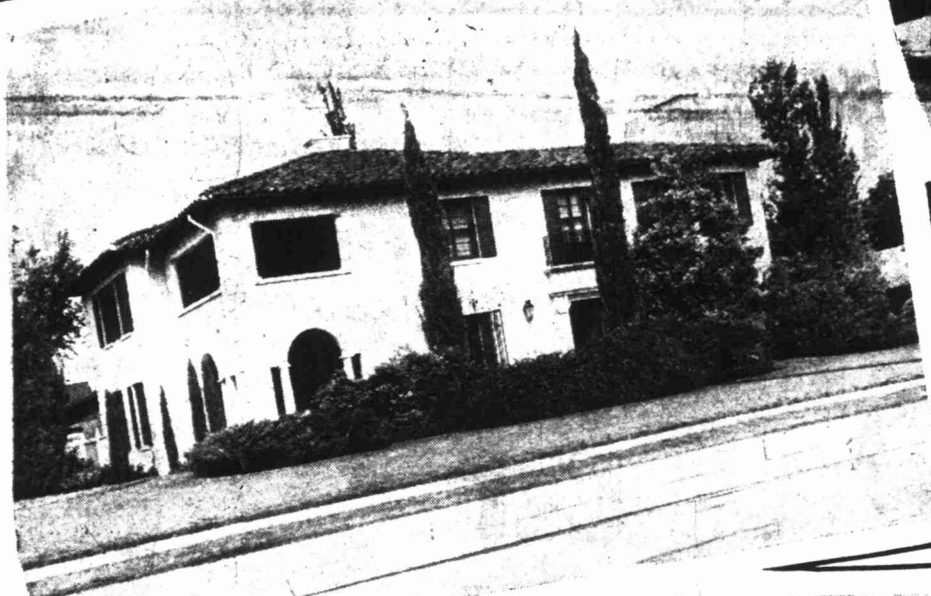
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Letter Carriers Organize In 1940

Midland Branch 3792, of the National Association of Letter Carriers, was organized in 1940 with four members who were Midland's first letter carriers.

The association now has 10 members. Paul L. Dillon is president of the group.

The Midland letter carriers hold meetings monthly for the purpose of helping with the work and problems of the carriers, their supervisors, the postmaster, and the entire postal department.

First members of the Midland association were D. K. Ham, James H. Walker, A. B. Cole, Jr., and Maurice Conrad. Ham now is a supervisor in the Midland Post Office. The latter three now are out of postal service.

The Midland unit is affiliated with the State and National Letter Carrier Associations.

The first oil well drilled in West Texas was drilled in Midland County in 1920. It was drilled nine miles south of Midland on what was the old Bryant ranch.

Holiness Mission Church Was Formed In Midland In '43

The Holiness Mission Church of Midland was formed in 1943 by the Rev. R. C. Jones. Since that time it has had a steady growth.

Mr. Jones served as pastor of the church until 1946. He was succeeded in the pastoral duties by his brother, the Rev. E. M. Jones, the present minister.

Located at 209 East Pennsylvania Street, the Holiness Mission Church boasts a Sunday School building with four class rooms.

The church contributes to foreign and home mission Rev. E. M. Jones work and also has sponsored two successful healing campaigns.

The church has an average attendance of approximately 95 persons at each service.

President of the active Young People's Class is Alton Collier, who also is the church's song leader. N. G. Baker is president of the Sunday School, which consists of seven classes.

Teachers in the church school at Holiness Mission Church are D. Branch, Men's Class; Mrs. L. H. Pittman, Women's Class; Mrs. Alton Collier, Young Married People's Class; L. P. Henley, Teenage Boys' Class; Mrs. E. M. Jones, Teenage Girls' Class; Mrs. H. O. Fawks, Junior Class, and Mrs. B. Henley, Card Class.

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Midland County Library Offers Varied Services To Citizens

The Midland County Library was established in April, 1929, with Emily Bird Smith as librarian. Clubs which sponsored a public library in Midland were the leaders in the movement to found a county library, and after its establishment, donated books.

The county library first was housed in a building on West Wall Street, but in December, 1930, was moved to the quarters in the courthouse, which had just been completed.

In January, 1931, Marguerite L. Hester became county librarian. During her 12 years as librarian, Miss Hester did a great deal of work with the schools, started the story hour in the children's library, and began the geology library.

Coming to Midland in 1943 as librarian, Mrs. Rosita H. Hollar continued the work begun by Miss Hester. The library's services were expanded; the library had a regular weekly radio program; the library served the soldiers and their families; and the murals were painted on the walls of the children's library. In August, 1945, Mrs. Hollar left Midland to become librarian at McMurry College.

October Will Mark Two Years For Promenaders Club

The Promenaders Square Dance Club was organized in October, 1948, with eight charter members. G. H. Blankenhip was the first president. Other charter officers included H. L. Robinson, vice president; Lillie Marie Gilbert, treasurer; and Mrs. Floyd Shirley, secretary.

Meetings were held in the City-County Auditorium for several months and then they were moved to the Midland Officers Club, the present meeting place. The club meets each Tuesday night with Mrs. Ed Halfast as caller on alternate meeting nights.

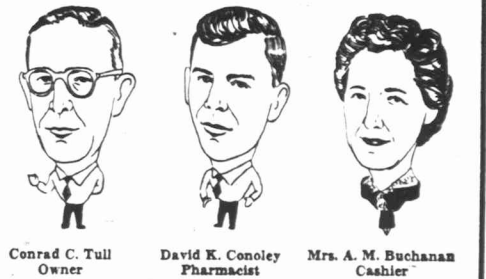
H. J. Russell, Jr., is the current president. Other officers include R. C. Spivey, vice president; Mrs. A. C. Reeves, treasurer; and Mrs. W. E. Cowan, secretary. Membership totals 86 persons at the present.

Midland County was organized in 1885. It originally was a part of Tom Green County.



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Italy's Parliament Aids Housing Program

ROME —(AP)— A \$40,000,000 home-building assistance program designed to ease Italy's war-born housing shortage was approved by the Parliament on the eve of adjournment for the summer vacation.

Under the measure, \$16,000,000 will be available to private builders during the remainder of 1950 and \$17,000,000 a year during 1951 and 1952. The measure specifies that houses or apartments have a minimum of two and a maximum of five rooms (in Italy the kitchen and bath are not counted as room).

Persons owning adequate living quarters are excluded from the benefits of the measure.

HOT WEATHER INQUIRY

CHICAGO —(AP)— In the midst of one of the summer's hot spells the Chicago Association of Commerce received a letter inquiring about prospective prices of Christmas trees.

Chamber Of Commerce Is Clearing House For Ideas In Progressive Midland

What county is Seattle in? How do you address a letter to Lyndon Johnson? When is the Cheyenne Rodeo? What is the origin of the Palomino horse? Which state has the most money in it? . . . and a thousand other such questions are asked the Chamber of Commerce office every year. It is all right. Chambers of Commerce make every effort to find an answer, according to President Robert L. Wood and Manager Delbert Downing of the Midland C. of C.

What are your postal receipts . . . bank deposits . . . building permits . . . tax rates . . . Robert L. Wood etc. And thousands of times each year those questions are answered. It is the kind of information a prospective business or professional man must have to aid him in making a decision.

Service clubs, garden clubs and women's clubs ask for assistance with their projects and it is part of the job of the Chamber of Commerce to lend every possible aid.

The City Council and Commissioners Court ask the opinion of the Chamber directors on certain proposals, and that, too, is proper because the 40 members of the board represent a cross section of the business and professional men of the community.

In turn, the Chamber of Commerce asks its share of the Delbert Downing questions. Questions directed to the Post Office Department and questions asked of the Civil Aeronautics Administration and the Civil Aeronautics Board. Out of the questioning, discussions are started and, sometimes, improvements are made.

The Chamber of Commerce is a clearing house for ideas. Since its beginning, which was near the turn of the century, many ideas too numerous to mention have been discussed. They all had something in common . . . that is . . . each of them had as its purpose the betterment of Midland.

For instance, one time the chamber promoted the purchase of a motorized magnet. It served its purpose in picking up nails and other metal objects along the dirt roads. And the organization led a fight on the pink boll worm that invaded West Texas. Then, too, there was a section of land purchased for use as an over-night stopping place for cattle herds. It was a good idea, and it worked; but years later, when it had no more value as stock pens, it was for sale and gave some purchaser a headache because it was owned by more than 100 individuals who had contributed to it.

Sometime during the "roaring twenties" the chamber instigated a research on potash deposits in Midland County. A lot of it was found, too, and a great deal of promotional literature went out about it. The potash is still around; but there are other deposits of it which are far more economical to mine, and to date it has not been

a sound economic investment locally.

During the depression years the chamber operated a stock listing agency for ranchers. They could list the stock which they had for sale at the chamber office. In turn it was advertised and purchaser and rancher got together.

Even before Pearl Harbor the chamber went into action to obtain the bombardier school, which was the largest in the world. A number of men who long had been interested in aviation arranged for the delivery of old Sloan Field plus additional space, and in less than a year from the time negotiations started a class of bombardiers had graduated.

It was in a meeting of the board of directors that the idea of the Memorial Hospital was born. From there it became a reality and the first donation to it was offered in a chamber board meeting.

Other Projects

The paved roads from Midland to Rankin, from Midland to Sterling City and from Midland to Andrews are the result of work done by various Highway Committees of the Chamber of Commerce. Such work never is completed. Many worthy projects are in the program of work now and progress is being made.

The Club Calf Shows and County Fair are cooperative projects of the Chamber and county demonstration agents. There is no limit to the scope of projects undertaken by the Chamber. The only criterion is whether or not it is progressive . . . and will leave Midland a better place in which to live.

TSPE Unit Plans Civic Activities

Membership in the Texas Society of Professional Engineers is restricted to engineers who are registered as such under the laws of the State of Texas.

The Permian Basin Chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers was organized in 1946 in Odessa. M. E. Spry of Odessa was the president of the chapter. It is not a technical society, H. E. Bahr but one which was organized to advance the social and ethical standards of its members in all fields of engineering.

In the four years since its formation, chapter activities largely have been confined to matters pertaining strictly to the members. This year, however, emphasis is being placed on civic activities.

One project now underway is a study of the proposed Midland Civic Center. W. H. Herndon is chairman of the committee making the study.

H. E. Bahr of Midland is the present chapter president. Other officers for 1950 include C. W. Yarbrough, Odessa, vice-president; S. P. Kroeker, Odessa, secretary-treasurer; and S. C. Dougherty, Midland, director.

Postal receipts in Midland in 1949 were \$254,965.58.

VFW Auxiliary Group Has Varied Duties

The Temple and Weldon Harris Auxiliary to the Veterans of Foreign Wars Post 4149, Midland, was organized Nov. 14, 1946, with 23 charter members. Mrs. Lige Midkiff was the organization's first president.

Present officers include Mrs. Johnny Carter, president; Mrs. Tommy Martin, senior vice president; Mrs. Minter King, junior vice president; Mrs. Leonard Miller, chaplain; Mrs. Cecil Taunton, treasurer; Mrs. W. G. Ray, secretary; Mrs. Frank Yankum, conductress, and Mrs. Beulah Taylor, guard.

Each year the Auxiliary makes donations to the Cancer Research fund, polio drive, Community Chest, Girl Scouts, veterans hospital, and the national home for orphans and widows of veterans. The auxiliary also has furnished a room for the new Midland Memorial Hospital, presented a flag to Explorer Scout Troop 152, outfitted an underprivileged child for school, and purchased a portable wheelchair to be used free by any Midland resident needing one temporarily.

Memorial Services
Armistice and Memorial Day memorial services are held by the auxiliary when flowers are placed on graves of veterans.

The auxiliary sponsors a student nurse's loan fund for use by any girl needing financial assistance for schooling.

The auxiliary's primary duty is to help the VFW in all projects and to help all veterans and their families to establish themselves in jobs, homes and help build morale and confidence.

Membership in the auxiliary is open to all mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of veterans who served overseas.



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Calvary Church Begun In Tent

The Calvary Baptist Church, located at 1001 South Main Street, was organized in a tent Dec. 1, 1940, with 70 charter members.

Today its members worship in a modern church plant which was completed in 1945 and has a membership of approximately 650 persons. The three men who have been pastors of the church are the Rev. Fred Mc-Rev. A. L. Teaff, its organizer; the Rev. A.

W. Smith; and the Rev. A. L. Teaff, the present pastor. All three pastors are active in the Southern Baptist denominational work, and the church has been cooperating with the convention since its beginning.

The Sunday School has as its general superintendent Mrs. J. R. (Rex) Richardson and has an enrollment of 554. Although the Training Union has no director, its enrollment is 235. Mrs. A. E. Bowman is the president of the Woman's Missionary Union and Hershel Besty is the president of the Brotherhood.

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England's Death Rate Decreases

LONDON —(AP)—The death rate of England and Wales in 1948 was the lowest ever recorded, but the cancer toll is increasing. The registrar general's statistical review of the year just published here shows deaths of 468,848, a rate of 11 per thousand of the civilian population and a decrease of 46,946 on the previous year. Previous lowest rate was 11.4 per thousand in 1930, or 16.9 per cent, compared with 15.1 per cent in 1947 and 13.9 per cent in 1938.

Britisher Planning For His Third War

LONDON —(AP)—Edwin Bell, 74, has joined Britain's Civil Defense Corps and began a refresher course showing air raid wardens how to deal with atom bombs. He's getting ready for his third war. He was senior air raid warden at suburban Wimbledon during the Nazi blitz and headed a group of volunteer wardens in London during the Zeppelin raids in World War I.

Read the Classifieds.

New Retail Store Will Aid Disabled

MOOSE JAW, SASKATCHEWAN —(AP)—A new retail store will sell merchandise manufactured at the disabled civilians' workshop here. It employs a staff of 24, of whom 20 are disabled, and produces about \$48,000 worth of goods a year. These include silk and rayon dresses, cotton house dresses, sheets, pillow slips, coveralls, babies' diapers, nurses' and waiters' uniforms, and hospital garments. Both the store and workshop are jointly owned by the Saskatchewan government and the handicapped Civilians' Association of Saskatchewan.

West Texas Kennel Club Formed In '46

The West Texas Kennel Club was organized April 7, 1946, for the purpose of "promoting and encouraging the breeding of pure-bred dogs, good sportsmanship and good fellowship among all lovers of dogs, and the holding of such shows, matches and field trials as shall be deemed advisable."

The West Texas Kennel Club is a member of the West Texas Dog Show Circuit, which includes clubs in Abilene, Amarillo, Lubbock, San Angelo, C. L. Davenport and Wichita Falls, and is a link in a chain of some 800 dog clubs in the United States.

The club has held two matches sanctioned by the American Kennel Club, and in 1948 the members held their first licensed all-breed show in Odessa. E. T. Adair, Philadelphia, Pa., and Dr. Rae Evans Smith, Portland, Ore., served as judges. There were 250 dogs entered from 15 states.

Two shows were held in 1949. George Woodford of Midland, chairman of the Bench Show Committee, is in charge of the next American Kennel Club licensed show to be held September 15 in Odessa.

The American Kennel Club recognizes 112 breeds of dogs, all of which are exhibited at some time or another every year in the United States.

Regular Meetings
All persons interested in pure-bred dogs are eligible for membership in the West Texas Kennel Club regardless of their ownership of a dog, subject to approval of the Executive Board and club members.

Meetings are held the first Sunday in each month, either in Midland or in Odessa.

C. L. Davenport of Midland is the 1950 president of the West Texas Kennel Club. Other officers are William D. Cargill, North Cowden, vice president; Mrs. Homer Poe, Odessa, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Angus Smith, Midland, parliamentarian.

Directors of the club include Mrs. Marcella Andrews, Odessa; L. P. Conno, Odessa; W. E. Fincher, Midland; Harrison Truck, Odessa; and George Woodford, Midland.

SWIMMING BECOMES LEGEND

LOWELL, MASS. —(AP)—Swimming feats of Mike Rynne, a former policeman, are becoming a living legend here. Rynne now is 70 years old. But he still can tow a boat containing five 200-pound men with his arms and legs tied. He can still swim after being tied to a chair and shoved off the dock. He can carry a 200-pound dead weight strapped to his back and still swim. At 70 he swims more than a mile a day just for exercise.

BS Chapter Of P. E. O. Here Is Seventieth Unit In State

The Midland unit of P. E. O. chapter BS, was organized May 6, 1948, in the home of Mrs. Clint Dugan.



Mrs. John Casselman

The charter list included seven demits from other states, including Mrs. James Sprinkle, Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Jr., Mrs. Joe Norman, Mrs. Paul H. Kohn, Mrs. Tom L. Ingram, Mrs. John Casselman and Dr. Louise Fillman. Initiates included on the charter list were Mrs. James N. Allison, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. J. M. Devereux, Mrs. Dugan, Mrs. Herbert A. Hemphill, Mrs. W. D. Henderson and Mrs. G. E. Merabon.

First Officers
The first officers were Mrs. Kohn, president; Mrs. Joe Norman, vice president; Mrs. Ingram, secretary;

Mrs. Sprinkle, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Casselman, treasurer; Mrs. Dugan, chaplain; and Mrs. Allison, guard.
P. E. O. is a secret organization for women. Seven women students at a teachers' college in Mount Pleasant, La., set up the organization in 1889. The object of P. E. O. is the physical, moral, social and intellectual improvement of women and to aid in charitable and benevolent purposes.

Locally, P. E. O. members are active in church, school and civic affairs. A reciprocity meeting is held annually for neighboring city chapters and unaffiliated members of the area.

Mrs. John Casselman now is the president of the chapter. Other officers are Mrs. Kohn, vice president; Mrs. T. W. Flewarty, recording secretary; Mrs. Herbert A. Hemphill, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. David Henderson, treasurer; Mrs. Clark Mathews, chaplain; and Mrs. Allison, guard.
Other members include Mrs. J. L. Brown, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. T. S. Head, Mrs. H. L. Skinner, Jr., Mrs. George S. Turner, Mrs. Vernon Yearby, Mrs. R. E. Hubbard, Mrs. D. A. Ross, Mrs. Marshal Bailey, Mrs. W. B. Buckthal and Mrs. R. S. Guenther, Jr.

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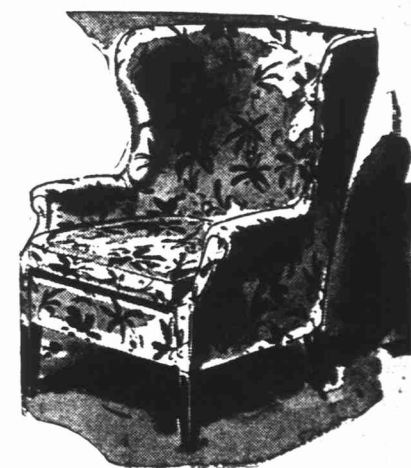


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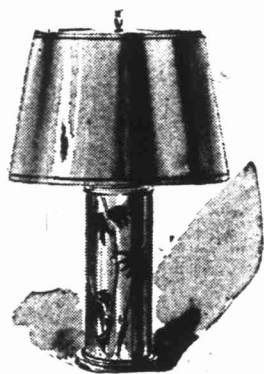
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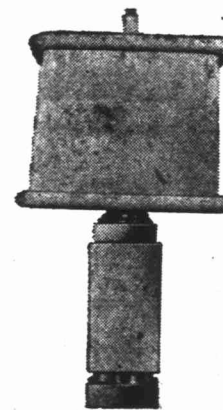
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Hospital Auxiliary Is Active Association

One of the newest and most active organizations in Midland is the Women's Auxiliary to the Midland Memorial Hospital. It was organized in 1948, just a little over seven months old.

The organization began Jan. women met in the ECRS studio and heard E. R. Andres, administrator of the Midland Memorial Hospital, explain the purpose of a hospital auxiliary.



Mrs. Leslie W. Sager

Mrs. Hal C. Peck was elected temporary chairman and steps necessary to the formation of an auxiliary were taken. At the second meeting, January 26, a constitution was adopted and officers elected.

Officers Listed:

They were Mrs. Leslie W. Sager, president; Mrs. Ralph Barron and Mrs. John P. Butler, vice presidents; Mrs. R. A. Estes, secretary; and Mrs. C. J. Kerth, treasurer.

Mrs. W. S. Key, Jr., Mrs. Annie Ford and Mrs. Dan Hudson were elected to act with the officers as an Executive Board.

Charter memberships were closed at the May meeting with a total of 130 members. Regular memberships still are open to women interested in helping with various auxiliary projects and contributing memberships for those who wish to give only financial help.

Among the committees at work now is the Personnel Committee, which will help provide entertainment and a contact between the community and the hospital personnel.

The Library Committee will furnish and take care of books and magazines at the hospital and will have charge of a book cart for patients as well as materials supplied for the waiting rooms.

The Sewing Committee, headed by Mrs. Kate Black, already has completed more than 1,000 articles, mostly sterilizing bags. When this is completed, the group will fill other sewing needs of the hospital as they arise.

The sewing room in the basement of the hospital has been furnished with funds from the auxiliary treasury and contains shelves for materials, sewing machines, sewing and cutting tables and chairs.

Mrs. Hugh Munn, Mrs. Watson LaForce and Mrs. Ralph Geisler were in charge of arrangements for drapes and accessories for the Nurses' Home. The materials also were bought with auxiliary money.

The auxiliary also has given the hospital the furnishings for a child's room.

Hospital Opening

At the hospital opening, several members assisted the hospital staff in acting as guides and in answering questions.

Auxiliary funds have been earned under the direction of the Ways and Means committee, with Mrs. Milton Loring as chairman. The first project was the "Fashion Is Magic" style show given March 3 and 4. Almost \$2,000 was raised at the show.

The only other money-making project the group has had was a talk by Robert E. Stripling, when a silver offering was taken. Mrs. Albert Kelley was chairman of the talk.

City Parent-Teacher Council Coordinates Work Of Units In Six Midland Schools

The City Council of Parents and Teachers was organized Jan. 23, 1939, with a representative membership from four local units.

The by-laws stated the organization's purpose as follows: "To create public opinion in the interest of child welfare, to stimulate child welfare projects in local units, assist in the formation of new units, and otherwise promote the objects of the National Congress of Parents and Teachers."

During the first year they met only three times, but they sponsored an old clothing exchange, made talks to local units and to the Odessa school, and entertained the school board members. They served as hosts to the District 6 Conference held in Midland. Officers that first year were: Mrs. L. G. Yerley, president; Mrs. Paul Schlosser, vice president; Mrs. H. R. Brazeal, secretary and Mrs. D. G. Stookey, treasurer.

Hallowe'en Carnival

The annual Hallowe'en Carnival has been recognized for several years as a major project of the City Council, but it really began in the North Elementary unit. In 1945 that group

requested the council to take over the project and to encourage each school to have carnivals, which would more nearly meet the needs of their children's age levels.

The primary purpose of the carnival always has been to entertain the children and parents on Hallowe'en night, but it also has become the principal money raising project of all Midland Parent-Teacher units as well as an event to which the entire community looks forward from year to year.

In 1946-47, the council voted to coordinate the efforts of all units in sponsoring the Summer Health Round-Up for pre-school children. A new unit was organized at West Elementary School. The council and local units were hosts that year to the first conference of the newly organized Sixteenth District of the Texas Congress. The following year the organization of a new unit at Terminal brought the units participating in the council to the six which are active at this time.

The council continued the projects of previous years in 1948-49 and added the sponsoring of open house in all the schools in observance of American Education Week and the organization of three study groups for parents on the "Psychology of the Child."

By the end of the school term of 1950 there were 14 of these study groups meeting each month in Midland, with trained leaders to study and discuss the problems of Midland children.

New Project

A new project — Movie Listings Graded—made available to every parent in Midland a Parent-Teacher rated list of all movies coming to Midland a month in advance. Parents are urged to select more carefully the pictures their children are allowed to see and to go with them as much as possible.

Plans for the 1950-51 year include a continuation of each of the projects of last year, with particular attention to the work of the Library and Reading Service Committee in each school.

Present officers of the City Council are: Mrs. Stanley Erskine, president; Mrs. Raymond Leggett, vice president; Mrs. Malcolm Gibson, secretary; Mrs. Al Cowden, treasurer.

Mrs. J. J. Black, who was elected Sixteenth District president, is the retiring first vice president of the unit. Mrs. Raymond Leggett is the retiring president.

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Junior High P-TA Has Given School Many Useful Gifts

The Parent-Teacher Association of the John M. Cowden Junior High School was organized in 1936 with 22 members.

Mrs. W. T. Walsh was the first president of the organization.

Now, the P-TA has 591 members and is the second largest in District Sixteen, Texas Parent-Teacher Association. At the District Conference in Abilene last Spring, the unit received high ratings on its yearbook and scrapbook.

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Do-Si-Do Club Was Year Old In June

The Do-Si-Do Square Dance Club was organized in June, 1949. The first officers were Mrs. Robert Rood, president; Mrs. Ed Prichard, vice president; and Mrs. John Parker, secretary and treasurer.

The club meets the second and fourth Wednesday of the month in the American Legion Hall with Mrs. Ed Halfast as the regular caller. Membership is limited to 50 couples.

Officers who will take office in September are Mrs. Prichard, president; Mrs. R. S. Dewey, vice president; and Mrs. Harry Gossett, secretary and treasurer.

Midland County Museum Needs Space For Expansion

The Midland County Museum is located in the basement of the Court House. Mrs. Mary Connor is in charge of it and Mrs. S. H. Gwyn and Mrs. Ruth Stumbo are her assistants.

More than 1,700 persons have visited the museum during 1950. There are hundreds of items on display and many more that are stored due to the lack of space.

There is a display of old pictures which are of much interest to old-timers in Midland. Other relics of early Midland included in the museum are guns, branding irons, horse and ox shoes and saddle bags. There is a collection of rocks and arrowheads and a collection of old money, both paper and coins. A collection of old books and papers include a copy of the Ustler County

Gazette, dated January 4, 1890, containing an account of the death of George Washington.

Stuffed birds, animals and fish may be seen. In the display of the musical instruments and music boxes may be found an Edison phonograph which used a cylinder record. The clothing display includes dresses, shawls, lingerie, gloves, shoes and accessories. One

scarf made in Germany more than 300 years old.

There is a large collection of Indian relics, items from the Civil War, Spanish American War and World War I and II.

Marguerite Hester, the librarian at the time, began the museum with one case. Mrs. Hester is now working with the Texas State Library in Austin.



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When the new high school auditorium was built, membership was expanded to 1,411 E. L. Stephens in a one-week drive. Membership will be limited to 1,825 for the coming season, and less than 500 new memberships are expected to be made available.

Officers and founders of the organization were Eric Bucher, president; R. L. Hughton, J. A. Koegler, Mrs. F. B. Essex, Jr., Edwin L. Stephens, Mrs. J. O. Simmons, Jr., H. Winston Hull, Neil Shaw and J. T. Baker.

Through the organization of the Civic Music Association, Midlanders hear outstanding music talent at a low cost. Without such a group, cost of bringing such artists to the city would be prohibitive. Membership for a season, including four to six concerts, cost six dollars for adults and three dollars for students and children. Costs average a dollar and a quarter per concert.

The 1950 membership campaign is slated to be held October 16 to 21. Interested Midlanders are urged to contact Mrs. P. J. Lea, secretary, at 609 Outhbert Street for membership in advance of the campaign.

Other officers are: Edwin L. Stephen, president; Mrs. J. E. Beakey, first vice president; Mrs. W. Y. Penn, second vice president; Mrs. Frank Miller, third vice president; Mrs. John Galley, fourth vice president; and J. T. Baker, treasurer.

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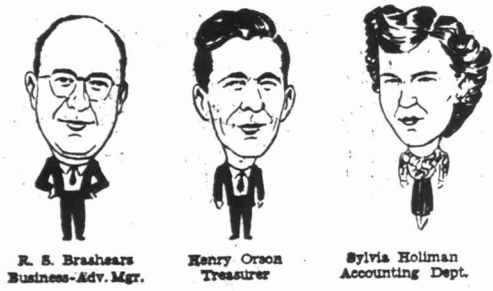


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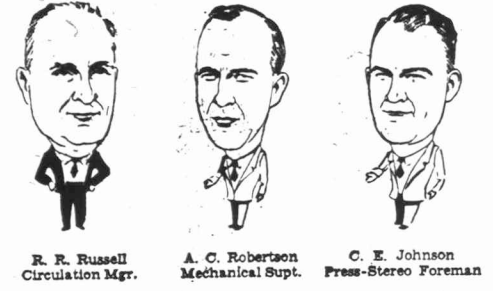
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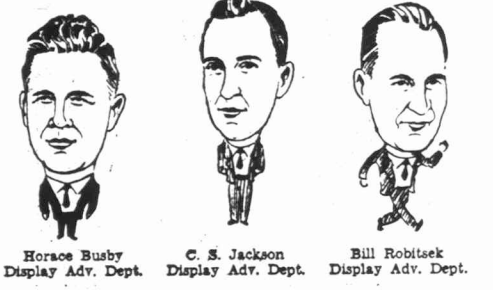
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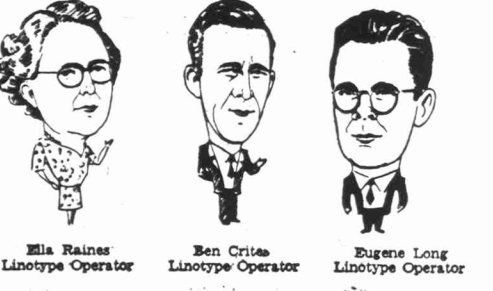
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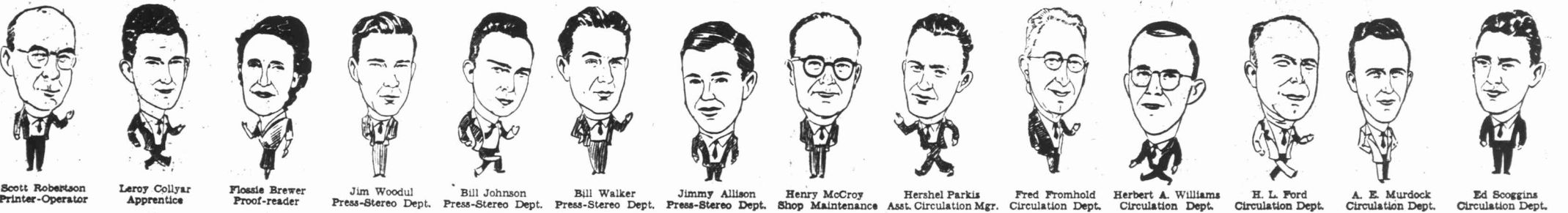
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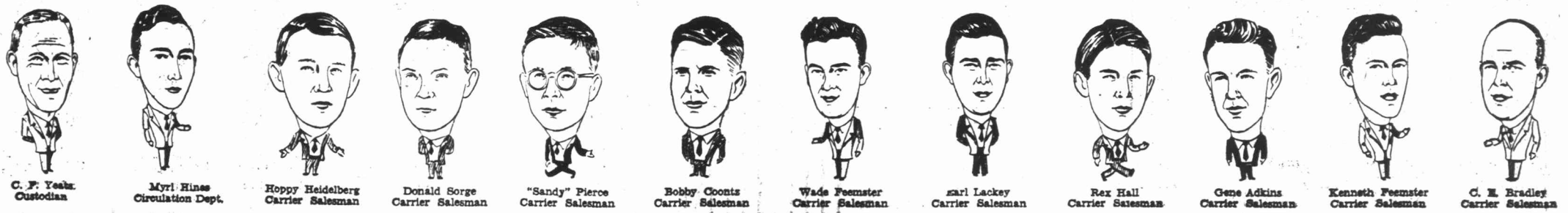
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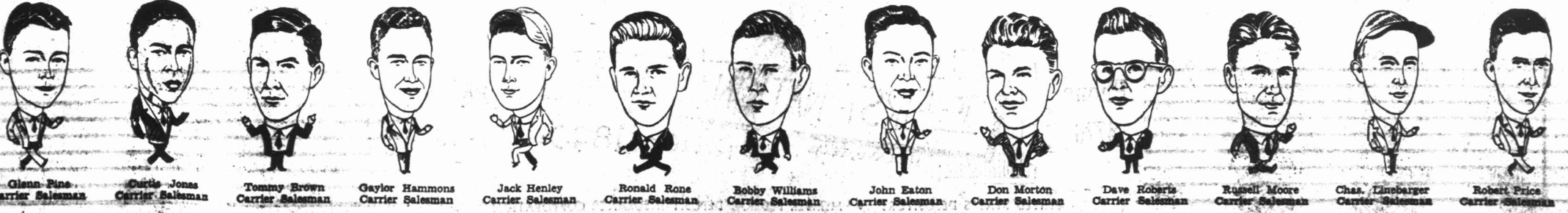
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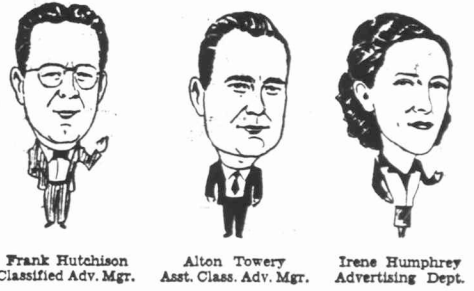
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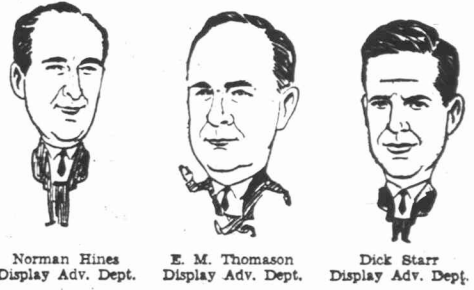
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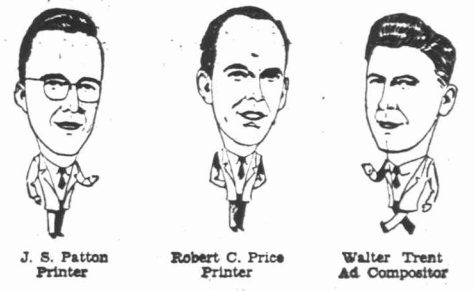
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In Peace As In War, Legion Posts Serves Midland Vets

With the slogan "In Peace as in War—We Serve," the Woods W. Lynch Post 19, American Legion, was organized in 1921 as the 19th post in Texas. In the intervening 28 years, the Post has grown and served the Midland community.

The late Percy J. Mims was the first post commander, elected from charter members whose names are familiar to Midlanders.



T. E. Steele

Other charter members included Leonard Proctor, Foy Proctor, W. H. Ramsey, J. C. Forey, C. B. Ligon, W. F. Roberts, Fred Lundy,

Lon M. White, J. M. Shelburne, Clyde W. Barron, Otis W. Ligon, Jr., Earl J. Moran, Holley E. Roberts, M. H. Laney, Troy N. Elland, J. V. Grammer, A. J. Cliff, A. Tolbert, R. V. Hyatt, George D. McCormick, W. F. Fleener, Ben W. Dublin, D. W. Kerr, Joe Joiner, Hollis Scarborough, Herbert Patterson, N. W. Ellis, R. V. Lawrence, E. H. Barron, Norman Benedict, John F. Halsey, J. G. Stout, Dick Ethredge, W. B. Preston and Edd Cole.

Many of the original charter members still are active members of the unit they helped form.

T. E. (Red) Steele recently was reelected post commander for a second term.

Other officers for 1950-51 are Q. V. (Shine) Shelton, first vice commander; Dave Allen, second vice commander; John Proctor, third vice commander; Ployd O. Rhoden,

adjutant; Dave Allen, finance officer; H. C. Cope, service officer; J. R. Dameron, chaplain; Ralph Davis, historian; Lowell Webb, child welfare chairman; and Henry O. (Dutch) Mayfield, sergeant at arms.

Throughout its 29 years history, the Midland Legion post has sought to assist disabled veterans financially and in filing claims, hospitalization and other worthwhile assistance. All other veterans also are eligible for Post assistance.

Children are another primary concern of the Post. The Woods W. Lynch Post sponsors a junior baseball team, an Explorer Scout Squadron and Midland youth in general.

As a part of the youth program, the group purchased a bus for use in transporting the baseball team. It is one of the few posts in the state so equipped.

Another civic endeavor of the American Legion was the wholehearted support of the blood bank established at Western Clinic-Hospital. Initial donors to the bank were members of the Post.

An outstanding feature of the Midland Legion Post is the commissary operated in the Legion Hall at 206 South Colorado Street.

The Post home is a memorial to the foresightedness of early members of the Legion. Built several years ago, the building is one of the most modern and best equipped in the state.

Social functions also have a place in Post activities. The third Monday night of each month is family night, with bountiful meals for all Post members and their families. Post meetings are held the first Tuesday in each month. Membership in the Midland Post now is 1,070 members.

Midland Lions Band Is Colorful Group

One of the most colorful organizations in the entire Permian Basin Empire is the Midland Lions Club International Convention Band.

Organized in 1948 as a three-piece band, the organization now has grown to 19 members and has played more engagements than members can recall.

Shortly after its organization, the orchestra's personnel claimed it had "traveled 10,000 miles and played before 10,000 people." But this claim was outmoded in 1948. Duke Jimerson, the orchestra's director, is the official orchestra for the Texas delegation to the Lions International Convention in New York City. This year the colorful musical group traveled to Chicago where again it was an official orchestra for Texas.

John Biggs organized the orchestra in 1948. Duke Jimerson now is the director and Biggs handles one of the "meanest bull fiddles in West Texas."

Dr. T. J. Inman, a saxophone-clarineteer, does all the arranging for the band. The orchestra's repertoire includes western and popular tunes, plus novelties and specialties.

15,000 Miles
Jimerson estimates the band has traveled 15,000 miles in the last three years, appearing before more than 80,000 persons. The group currently has an invitation to perform in November for the state convention of Women Federated Clubs in Fort Worth.

The musicians have played for various benefits and have spread the good word about Midland and the Permian Basin all over Texas.

Each member owns a wardrobe of five colorful western shirts and usually wears blue jeans and cowboy boots.

The Lions Orchestra does not accept engagements to play for dances; neither does it accept pay for its services. The group is interested only in obtaining enough funds to meet expenses. A fund raising drive usually is held twice a year to help pay for new uniforms and to finance long trips made by the organization.

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Junior SPCA Group Active In Work Here

The junior chapter of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was organized in 1948 to assist a and co-operate with city authorities to prevent cruelty to animals.

Any child between the ages of nine and 15 years is eligible for membership in the organization.

A study program on care of animals, reading of animal stories, and showing of

animal films, is conducted for the junior members. Mrs. Alden Donnelly is sponsor for the group.

Officers of the organization include Lee Wood, president, and Mike Gifford, vice president. The organization now has 38 members.

In addition to the study course for the youngsters, the members have painted signs which have been placed at the animal shelter. They also have entered floats in parades and have donated work toward gathering toys for distribution by the Children's Service League.

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Permian Basin AIME Organized In 1945; Has Monthly Meets

The Permian Basin Chapter of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers was organized in November, 1945, and includes West Texas and Southeast New Mexico. It is associated with the petroleum branch of the Institute only.

Members of the Permian Basin Chapter must be petroleum engineers or in the practice of petroleum production. To be eligible for membership a person must have had six years of experience in the W. N. Little profession with the last three years being occupied in positions of responsibility in connection with his work. Also, members must be at least 27 years of age.

The chapter meets monthly except in July and August. The meetings usually are of the social period and dinner type, followed by the presentation of a technical paper or discussion. The meetings usually alternate between Midland and Odessa, and the average attendance is about 150.

The Institute enables members to have the opportunity to establish their standing in their presentation and gives them an opportunity to hear prominent experts of the industry discuss specific phases of drilling production and reservoir engineering. They also are able to keep in touch with all phases of the industry.

All-State Meet
An all-state meeting is held each year in Texas. The meeting this year will be held in December on the campus of Texas Technological College in Lubbock.

W. N. Little, of Midland, is chairman of the Permian Basin Chapter. Other officers include L. M. LaLonde, Odessa, vice chairman; Joe Chastain, Midland, secretary-treasurer, and T. C. Frick, Jack Moore, and D. V. Kitley, all of Midland, directors.

A membership committee, headed by R. S. Onsteroth, Odessa, and a program committee, chaired by C. M. LaDone, Odessa, are responsible for the continued growth and success of the organization.

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Beauceants Are Newly-Organized

The Midland chapter of the Beauceant, a national organization for the wives and widows of Knights Templar, members of the Commandry, was formed Jan. 28, 1950, at a meeting in the Masonic Temple.

Mrs. Chester G. Evans, supreme worthy president, was in charge. Mrs. Dewey Pope was elected president. The first elective officers still are active.

The Beauceants Mrs. Dewey Pope stated purpose is to promote friendship among the wives of Knights Templar and to provide entertainment for its members. Whenever requested to do so, members give aid to Knights Templar.

Other Officers are Mrs. Floyd Boles and Mrs. D. R. Carter, vice presidents; and Mrs. R. L. McCormick, Mrs. W. G. Epley, Mrs. Bert Goodman, Mrs. George Glass, Mrs. Cecil Pope, Mrs. John Hughes, Mrs. G. G. Hazel, Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Mrs. H. M. Sangler, Mrs. James Mims, Mrs. William Cole, Mrs. J. B. McCoy, Mrs. Riley Parr and Mrs. Earl Ray.

Other members are Mrs. R. B. Cowden, Mrs. J. Homer Epley, Mrs. W. R. Upham, Mrs. W. B. Hunter, Mrs. W. H. Rhodes, Mrs. James Simmons, Mrs. Roy McKee, Mrs. Joe Shell, Mrs. Lester Short, Mrs. M. A. Floyd, Mrs. G. C. Driver, Mrs. R. D. Scruggs, Mrs. Joe Roberson.

Mrs. O. J. Hubbard, Mrs. Barney Grafa, Mrs. Larry Burnside, Mrs. Walt Goodman, Mrs. Percy Bridgewater, Mrs. H. B. McNeil and Mrs. R. D. Monkress.

Midland Florists Organized In 1950; Meet Each Month

The Midland Florist Association was organized March 15, 1950 for purpose of bringing the city's florists together once a month to discuss the betterment of florist service in Midland.

Members of the organization are Barnard's Flowers, Buddy's Flowers, Midland Floral Company, Quincy Belle's Flowers and Mc-Gattis Barnard Donald's Green House.

Gattis Barnard is president of the organization and Quincy Belle Fenstermaker is secretary.

Members meet the third Wednesday of each month. Common problems and new ideas associated with the profession are discussed at the meetings.

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Women Of Church Of Presbyterian Church Have More Than 400 Members

The Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church are more than 400 in number and the organization is growing rapidly. They are organized into 11 circles.

One of three meetings a month is a general meeting and one is circle meetings. The third Monday of each month is called "Visitation Monday," at which time an organized group of women go out to call on the new members of the church and new Mrs. C. H. Ervin comes and visitors in the city.

Mrs. C. H. Ervin is the president of the organization. Officers assisting her are Mrs. D. N. Johnson, vice president; Mrs. Henry M. Spauler, secretary; Mrs. John Mills, treasurer; Mrs. Harry Gossett, historian; Mrs. Paul Lavery, chairman of spiritual growth; Mrs. William Carter, chairman of world missions; Mrs. C. E. Bissell, chairman of church extension; Mrs. Sol Burnett, chairman of education; Mrs. R. L. Lambert, chairman of annuities and relief; Mrs. W. P. Knight, chairman of stewardship; Mrs. J. A. Matthews, chairman of special causes; Mrs. M. F. Dickinson, flower chairman; Uola Hopkins, chairman of remembrances to shut-ins; Mrs. W. H. Pryor, pastor's assistant; Mrs. J. M. Ratcliff, program chairman; Mrs. L. C. Link, advisor; Mrs. J. L. Greene, counselor; Mrs. A. P. Shirey, counselor, and Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, chairman of budget.

The women assist with the socials held in the Fellowship Hall and have many socials of their own.

Some of the past presidents of the organization are still active members of the church. They include T. R. Wilson, 1935-36; Mrs. Lena Osborne, 1936-37; Mrs. A. P. Shirey, 1937-38; Mrs. Butler Hurley, 1939-41; Mrs. W. P. Knight, 1941-43; Mrs. J. L. Greene, 1943-44; Mrs. L. C. Mills, 1944-45; Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, 1945-46; Mrs. M. T. Hartwell (now Mrs. Walt Goodman of Dallas), 1946-47;

Mrs. R. P. Peters, 1947-48; and Mrs. J. Clifford Hall, 1949-50. Mrs. Virginia Jeffers who has moved from Midland served in 1938 and 1939.

Many of the earlier residents are remembered with praise and admiration. Mrs. W. W. Jordan, mother of Mrs. R. S. Miller and grandmother of Frank Miller, was president of the Women of the Church around the turn of the century.

Mrs. J. K. Knowles, a past president, was sent to El Paso to represent the women of the church during her term of office. She prepared a speech to be delivered there. When she rose to speak a gust of wind blew away all of her notes. Mrs. Knowles said, "I simply talked to the Presbyterian women gathered from all over this area about how hard it was to raise chickens and flowers in Midland and what faith it took to keep on with the endeavor."

Mrs. A. P. Willis, wife of a Presbyterian supply pastor who served several small missionary churches, served as president in 1916. Mrs. W. K. Sinclair, who lives in Midland now, was president during the war years of 1917 and 1918. The women sewed for the soldiers, made bandages and clothed two orphan girls. There were 12 members at this time. In 1919 and 1920 Mrs. J. M. Caldwell, the former Harriet Hanna, served as president. Mrs. Andrew Pasken, who came to Midland from Canada, was elected president in 1929 and served through 1932. The church was very small and only eight women were active in the organization.

Mrs. J. M. DeArmond, who still lives in Midland, is remembered for her long service as treasurer of the organization.

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Bissell's staff consists of: Maj. Patrick Fletcher, executive officer; Capt. James T. Morris, adjutant; Maj. John W. Thomas, plans and training officer; Maj. H. Glenn Walker, flight surgeon; First Lt. Henry E. Goulet, public relations officer; Maj. Homer D. Bushnell, personnel officer; Maj. M. B. Arick, logistics officer; Maj. Wilbur H. Greenstreet, Flight A commanding officer; Maj. William Cargill, Flight B commanding officer; Maj. Albert W. Dillon, Flight C commanding officer.

The squadron meets weekly. Separate flight sessions are held at the three different cities on occasions.

In addition to his staff, Colonel Bissell has appointed a citizens committee to support the program and act as liaison between the community and the squadron. It includes: James W. Allison, John P. Butler, John W. House, Delbert Downing and Warren Anderson.



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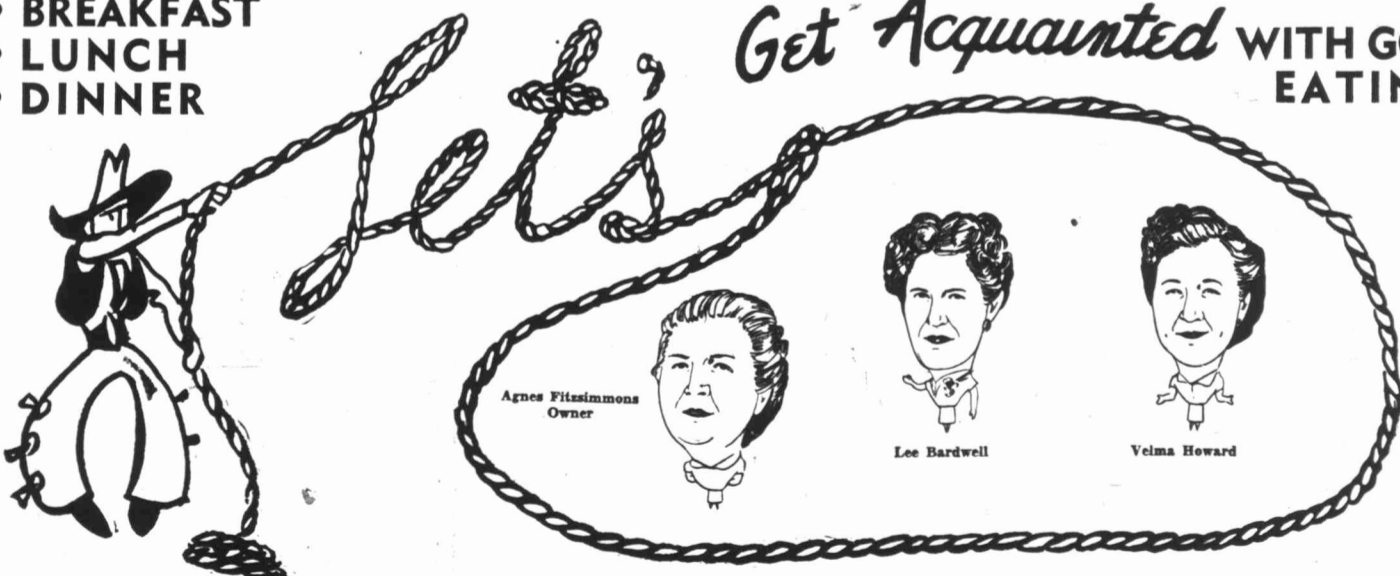
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TB Association Conducts Year-Round Health Program

In 1929 the Midland Lions Club conducted vision tests in all the schools as part of the Lions International program for prevention of blindness. Mrs. W. H. Sloan made the survey for the Lions and in her report she urged that the club sponsor a movement for a public health nurse for the community.

That same year the Federated Women's Club made the employment of a public nurse its major project. In 1931 Dr. C. S. Britt, a registered nurse arrived and set up a county public health service. Upon the arrival of the nurse, County Judge M. R. Hill formed a

public health board. Mrs. Sloan was elected chairman of the group.

From 1934 until 1940 the board sponsored the sale of Christmas seals with the privilege of retaining 80 per cent of the net returns for use in tuberculosis prevention and health education. Work then Mrs. Linnie Davidson was started to

separate the tuberculosis board from the public health board. In March, 1941, the old Midland County Public Health Board was dissolved by the membership and re-formed into two groups, the Midland County Tuberculosis Association and the Midland County Public Health Council.

H. S. Forgeron was elected president in 1942 and Mrs. Mayme Kroenlein was employed as the first executive secretary.

In 1943, Mrs. J. M. Devereux became executive secretary and John J. Redfern, Jr., was appointed chairman of seal sales. By this time the Midland County Tuberculosis Association had become a recognized health and educational organization.

The present executive secretary, Mrs. Linnie H. Davidson, was employed in 1945 and an office was established in the Midland County Health Unit Building. Activities of the association include the sponsoring of health education programs and motion pictures, health literature distribution, patch testing of school students, arranging for hospitalization in state sanatoriums, giving aid to tuberculous families, and staging an annual mass X-ray of Midland County residents.

The entire program of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association is financed by the sale of Christmas Seals each year. The president for 1950 is Dr. C. S. Britt. F. B. Rhodes has been named a director of the Texas Tuberculosis Association.

Other 1950 officers are John J. Redfern, Jr., first vice president; Mrs. F. R. Schenck, second vice president; Mrs. Lucy Mashburn, secretary; and James A. Lore, treasurer. The officers, with Dr. R. M. Golladay and W. Dave Henderson, comprise the executive committee. Directors are Floyd Bell, R. S. Brashears, Mrs. Max David, Mrs. B. R. Greathouse, Dr. Homer B. Johnson, Mr. M. L. Magee, F. B. Rhodes, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, Mrs. Nettie Romer, Mrs. Annie Ford and Mrs. Linnie Davidson.

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Sashaway Club Started With 26 Members

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Charter members included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Troseth, Mr. and Mrs. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Max David, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Halfast, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maboe, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McDonald and Mr. and Mrs. Ken Slough.

The membership has been increased to 50 couples now. J. J. Fletcher, Jr., is the president; J. B. Mills, vice president; and Mrs. H. L. Straughan, secretary-treasurer. Regular dances are held the first Friday in each month and additional dances on the third Wednesday of the month.

During 1948 and part of 1949 the club engaged Herb Greggerson of El Paso to call one dance each quarter. Now the club provides its own callers from its membership.



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Kiwanis Club Works With Boys And Girls

Kiwanis International—with the slogan "We Build"—has grown in Midland from an original membership of 28 in October, 1946, to more than 80 at present.

Albert Kelley is president of the group. Other officers are: Reese Cleveland, first vice president; Herschel Esell, second vice president; Harvey Herd, secretary, and Wesley Martin, treasurer.

Directors are Frank Whitaker, Wilmont Hunt, Tom Frick, Herd, Henry Conkling, Lester Short and J. G. McMillian.

Past presidents of the organization are H. A. Ireland, who served two terms, in 1946 and 1947; Joe Koegler, who served in 1948, and L. R. Matthew Lynn, president in 1949.

The club functions as a non-profit service club for Midland and vicinity, with particular emphasis on work for underprivileged children. Year round work with boys and girls is the aim of the club.

The chief fund raising project of the Midland Kiwanis Club is the annual Kiwanis Minstrel, given in

connection with the Community Theater. In recent months, the club raised additional funds by bringing to Midland the first indoor circus ever presented here.

The club meets at noon each Monday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

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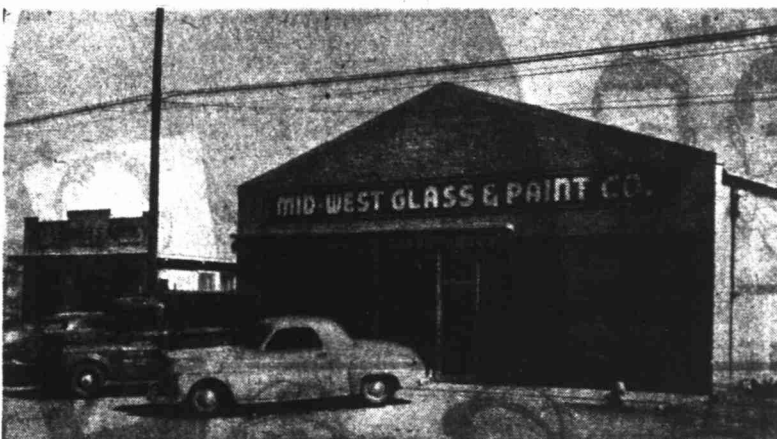
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Terminal Organized P-TA Two Years Ago

The Terminal Parent-Teacher Association was organized February 24, 1948. The organization took place at the Terminal Baptist Church. Present officers are Mrs. J. A. Wilton, president; Mrs. T. McElligatt, first vice president; Mrs. Gene Campbell, second vice president; Mrs. G. Burgess, secretary; Mrs. J. R. Shadden, treasurer; Mrs. George Logan, parliamentarian and Mrs. Fox, historian. Chairmen are Mrs. J. R. Flowers, room mother chairman; Mrs. J. V. Gunn, goals; Mrs. Vogt, publicity; Mrs. Neal Van Fasson, publicity, and Mrs.

Matlock, health. The first officers were Mrs. Frank Segrest, president; Mrs. Dowell Goodyear, first vice president; Mrs. Clarence Givens, Jr., second vice president; Mrs. L. M. Porter, secretary and Mrs. L. B. Plummer, treasurer. After a membership drive in March, 1948 there were 59 members. The organization's first money raising project was a Box Supper in April and a Halloween Carnival in October. Proceeds from these were used to buy needs for the school. A membership drive in 1949 yielded 98 members. In the Halloween Carnival that year Sherry Tanner was crowned queen and Neal Van Fasson was crowned king of the carnival. Two study groups were held—preschool and elementary. Chairmen were Mrs. J. V. Gunn and Mrs. T. McElligatt. Twelve completed the courses. Mrs. Neal Van Fasson conducted a Summer Roundup. The first and fifth grades were given the T. B. patch tests. A speaker from the Cancer Society gave a talk showing a film on cancer in the school for parents and teachers. Mrs. J. Nelson was delegate to the state convention in Waco this year. Terminal received one of the highest grades on their 1949-50 yearbook.

In the two years of the Terminal P-TA they have purchased things for the school such as play ground equipment, records, record player and library books. The Lions Club sponsored two booths at the Halloween Carnival giving the proceeds to the P-TA.

West Side Baptist Church Organized Early This Year

Among the newest church groups in Midland is the West Side Baptist Church, organized in February, 1950. The church is located at 1400 West Carter Street, where a new building is under construction. Pastor of the church is the Rev. Alton E. Towery.

The new church building is expected to be completed by September 15. The front of the building will be finished in stucco and the remainder will be painted white. Dressing rooms and a baptistry are included in the building program. Services in the newly formed church are held at 10 a.m. Sunday, Rev. Alton Towery for Sunday School classes, at 11 a.m. for morning worship and at 8 p.m. for evening worship.

A mid-week prayer service is held at 8 p.m. Wednesday. The Ladies Auxiliary meets at 4 p.m. Thursday, and choir practice is held at 8 p.m. Friday. At 8 p.m. Saturday, a men's prayer service is held. Church Officials: Church officials are: E. I. Boyce, Sunday School superintendent; Ludley Towery, assistant Sunday School superintendent; and Mrs. E. I. Boyce, church clerk, secretary and treasurer.

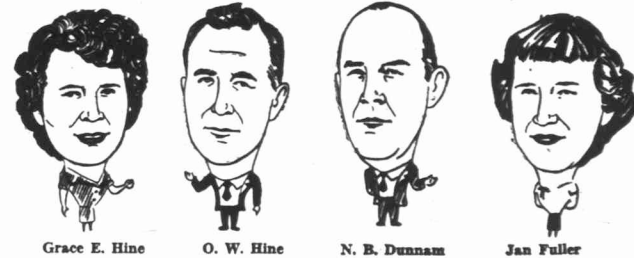
Teachers in the Sunday School are: E. I. Boyce, Jr., adult class; Frank Whitley, young people's class; Mrs. T. A. Aideron, intermediate class, and Mrs. J. A. Bradley, primary class. Whitley is choir director, and Mrs. Whitley is pianist. One of the major activities of the church is support of missions. Ten per cent of monthly collections are given to mission work.

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Midland Garden Club Organized In 1941

Organized in 1941, the Midland Garden Club is the original garden club of the city. It had its start on the foundations laid by an earlier club, then disbanded. It is still the largest with an active membership of around 40. Mrs. C. F. Henderson is president. The club's civic project this year is the beautification of alleys at the homes of club members. Its club project, a flower show judging school conducted by accredited instructors, was completed last Fall. Its conservation project is a contribution to the Audubon Nature Camp near Kerrville. Other garden clubs of the city have been organized with the help of the Midland Garden Club and it sponsors the Little Diggers Junior Garden Club, which was organized last season under the supervision of Mrs. Frank Stubbeman.

The first cattle ranch in the Midland area was started by T. J. Martin in 1886. It was located 15 miles south of the city.



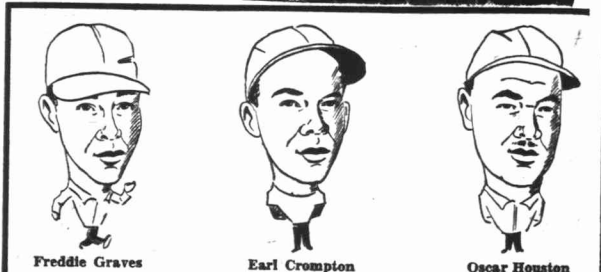
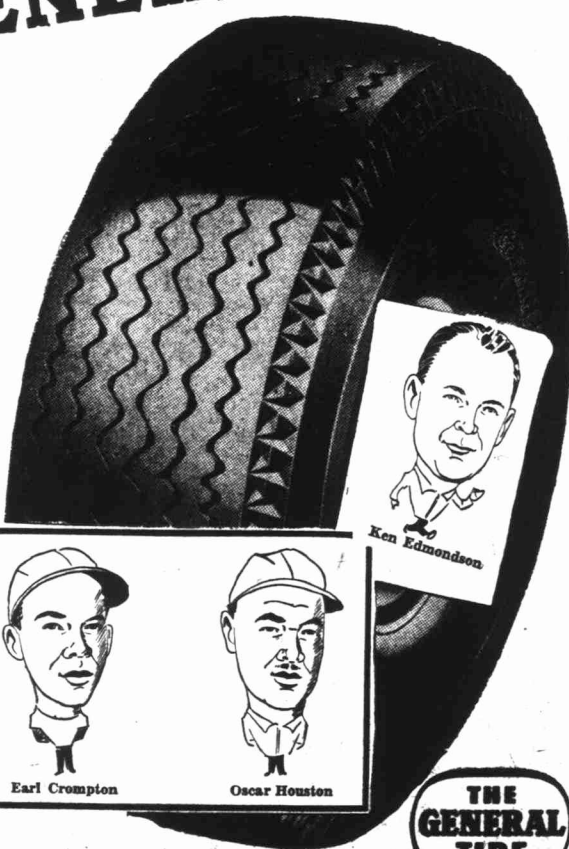
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Daddy Ringtail And The Broken Mug

When Mugwump, the monkey boy, was a very little monkey, someone gave him a beautiful mug. From that day on, Mugwump always drank his milk from out of the mug—morning, noon and night. It became his favorite mug, as the days and weeks went by, because it was such a pretty thing, and because he had had it such a long time.

day—one terrible day—it happened. Mugwump wasn't thinking very much about what he was doing. He turned around in his chair real



about, his elbow hit the mug, and knocked it off on the floor. The mug was broken half-in-two, and the milk was spilled on the floor. This was a terrible thing that had happened, and Mugwump tried hard to keep from crying, while Mother Ringtail went to the kitchen to get some thing to wipe the milk up with. "Don't cry, Mugwump!" Daddy Ringtail said. "No need to cry over split milk." Daddy Ringtail meant that milk once split is split forever. Crying will never unsplit it, and so there's no need to cry.

"But Mugwump explained he wasn't unhappy about the milk too much. He was unhappy about the mug. 'Now, now, now,' Daddy Ringtail said. 'I'll get you another mug.' But Mugwump said: 'I don't want another mug. I want my mug that's broken!'"

"Now I want my little monkey to act like a big monkey," Daddy Ring-

tall said. "I'll try to fix your mug, but if I can't, you must promise me that you won't cry over something that can't be helped."

Mugwump promised, because he did want to act like a big monkey. And Daddy Ringtail got out the glue and worked hard—until the mug was fixed at last.

Mugwump smiled. He knew that the mug would always have a crack in it, but he didn't care. The mug was his. He wanted it more than any new one. Happy day!

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St. Ann's Mothers Club Was Organized As Confraternity

St. Ann's Mothers Club was organized in January, 1948, as the Mothers' Confraternity and consisted of 12 charter members. Mrs. G. E. Sweeney was the first president of the organization, with Mrs. Henry Murphy as vice-president; Mrs. Tom Eddleman, recording secretary; Mrs. Fred Burleson, treasurer; and Mrs. W. P. Von Otsnki, reporter.



The main objective of the organization was to assist the missionary sisters of Our Lady of Victory, Sister Carmelita and Sister Isabelle, of Big Spring, with the Christian Doctrine classes for children of the parish. Father Frank Triggs, O.M.I., pastor of St. George's parish was the director.

Charter members of the confraternity were: Mrs. Sweeney, Mrs. Murphy, Mrs. Eddleman, Mrs. Von Otsnki, Mrs. Fred Burleson, Mrs. Ray Kelly, Mrs. J. J. Kelly, Mrs. Harold Kelly, Mrs. Tom Murphy, Mrs. Lamar Lunt, Mrs. Margaret Coughlin and Mrs. Doyle Patton.

The group met once a month with Father Triggs and Sister Carmelita and Sister Isabelle to learn how to be of assistance with the classes held for the children.

Several months later Mrs. Sweeney moved to Dallas and Mrs. Murphy became president, with Mrs. Burleson as vice president and Mrs. Eddleman and Mrs. Von Otsnki continued as secretary-treasurer and reporter, respectively.

The group did not meet during the summer months and did not meet again as a group until January, 1949, when they met at the home of Mrs.

Louis Chase for reorganization. The following slate of officers was elected at that time: Mrs. Murphy, president; Mrs. Ralph Geisler, vice president; Mrs. Louis Chase, recording secretary; Mrs. Burleson, treasurer; Mrs. James Price as appointed corresponding secretary and Mrs. Eddleman, reporter.

It was then that the name of the organization was changed to St. Ann's Mothers' Club and the activities of the club enlarged to instruct the pre-school child in Christian Doctrine. The group then had grown to approximately 28 members.

Pre-School Classes
Sponsoring the Junior Sodality of the Children of Mary also was undertaken at this time. With Mrs. Lillian Arledge as moderator. Later classes were added for the pre-school children and held every Sunday at North Elementary School with Mrs. V. E. Collins as chairman.

In the Fall of 1949 Mrs. Chase became president, Mrs. Joe Cannon, vice president; Mrs. Pat A. Manna, secretary; Mrs. Burleson, treasurer; Mrs. Price, corresponding secretary.

The group became very active due to increased membership and the realization that the parochial school of which they all had dreamed was fast becoming a reality. So successful were their efforts that the ground was broken for the school on May 21, 1950.

Sixty-Two Members
In keeping with the growth of Midland the group now has approximately 62 active members. Proposed activities for the club await the approval of the Missionary Sisters of the Immaculate Conception Order from Paterson, N. J., who are scheduled to arrive in August to staff St. Ann's parochial school. Christian Doctrine classes for children for the first through the sixth grades will be undertaken by them. Classes for the pre-school children probably will be the responsibility of the Mothers' Club as will classes for the older children of the parish.

The Mothers' Club now is meeting for the first time during the summer months primarily because the three parish organizations are working on a bazaar which will be known as a Family Fair and tentatively is set for the second week in September, after school opens.

Present officers of the club are Mrs. Frederic S. McLaren, president; Mrs. Joe Brodigan, vice president; Mrs. Fred Wright, Jr., recording secretary; Mrs. Joseph I. O'Neill, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Manna, treasurer; Mrs. Geisler, reporter; Mrs. James Ash, historian; and Mrs. Lunt, parliamentarian. Father Francis Taylor, O.M.I., is director.

The five standing committee chairmen and their duties are: Program, Mrs. Brodigan; Ways and Means, Mrs. Ray Kelly; Hospitality, Mrs. Paul Calahan; Telephone, Mrs. Ed Kent; and Welfare, Mrs. Burleson.

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Midland Red Cross Chapter Has Long History As Relief, Service Group

Perhaps the best known agency to victims of disaster, to soldiers and to veterans, is the American Red Cross, which comes to the aid of many thousands of persons.

For many years, the Midland Chapter of the ARC has been active in this area in home service, civilian emergency and disaster, fund drives, and volunteer services.

Prominent Midlanders long have been active in the work, and volunteer workers always are available for the great work of the Red Cross.

Present officers of the Midland chapter are: John M. Hills, chairman; L. E. Patterson, vice chairman; Mrs. W. A. Waldschmidt, treasurer; and Mrs. W. W. Rogers, secretary. Mrs. Rosebud Hoy is the executive secretary. Board members are Henry Murphy, Thornton Hardie, Jr., and Jerome Grayum.

Former Chairmen
A partial list of former chairmen of the Midland chapter includes the names of many prominent Midlanders. Among them are Mrs. J. C. Haley, W. I. Pratt, Delbert Downing, John P. Butler, Dick Prather, Paul F. Osborne, W. B. Harkrider, the Rev. H. H. Hopper, E. M. Funkhouser, the Rev. R. J. Snell, C. V. (Cap) Lyman, Mrs. W. H. Sloan, Fred Hogan, Irvy Dyer, H. Winston Hull, Frank C. Ashby and W. F. Hejl.

An outstanding local example of Red Cross activity occurred in Midland in 1939 when the Latin American community was flooded. Many people were removed from their homes and emergency housing procured. The ARC served more than 2,800 meals in Benito Juarez hall during the emergency.

Another important activity of the ARC is in home service. Aid to servicemen and their families is included under this heading. Financial aid is given, and emergency communication for verification of need for leave or furlough is a part of the Red Cross function.

Activities Cited
Aid and counseling of veterans, financial aid, and procuring of documentary evidence in cases of compensation, pension and insurance all are part of the pattern of Red Cross activity.

In the national and international scene, the Red Cross is active in communicating with persons in war torn areas. An ARC directive concerning inquiries regarding persons in Korea recently has been received by the Midland Chapter, and assistance is being given wherever possible.

Among the volunteer services of the Midland chapter are Nurses Aides, Gray Ladies, canteen workers, water safety instructors, first aid instructors, home nursing volunteers, disaster relief workers and workers on surgical dressings, knitting, sewing and camp and hospital service. Many of these services were active during the war, and others are active now.

The Midland chapter is housed in a building formerly located at the Midland Army Air Field. The National Red Cross had occupied the

building during the war. It was moved to 619 West Indiana Street. One room is used as a clothes closet, for use of all agencies in Midland in emergencies.

Fund drives always have met with enthusiastic response from Midlanders. In the early days, disaster relief was accomplished by special fund drives. Now, one centralized drive is conducted, with a part of funds collected going to the National Red Cross for allocation as needed. Most funds collected remain in the community.



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Gas Turbine Engines For Autos Predicted

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Addressing 300 delegates to the West Coast Meeting of the Society of Automotive Engineers, recently, Brown said turbines being tested in trucks have only 10 per cent as many

moving parts as ordinary motors. They also are smokeless and operate without vibration, he said. Brown's report dealt with experimental truck operation. Other engineers at the meeting predicted the revolutionary power system will be generally available for passenger autos within six or eight years.

Poll tax payments in Midland rose from 2,136 in 1936 to 6,342 in 1950.

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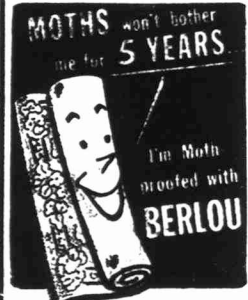
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Bulldog Booster Club Is Headed By Russell Cotton

The Midland Bulldog Booster Club, organized in 1945 to help promote Midland High School sports and other activities, this year is headed by an ex-Texas College of Mines and Brooklyn Dodgers football player, Russell Cotton.

Cotton was elected early this year and now is planning a strong program of assistance for the Midland Bulldogs in all sports and for the schools in all activities.

Al Vineyard is vice president of the club, and Victor Horne is secretary - treasurer. They are aiding Cotton in preparing for the coming school year.



Russell Cotton

The Booster Club meets each week during the football season and less often during the Spring and Summer. However, it is in close contact with school officials student activities at all times.

Last year the Boosters promoted the purchase of band uniforms and gold jackets for the MHS Drill Squad. It presented the Athletic Department a diathermy machine, one of the latest pieces of training apparatus for use on athletes who have leg, back or arm injuries.

Other Activities

The club is active in other phases of the school program besides sports as was shown through a contribution toward the purchase of a tractor for the school.

The membership of the organization was small when it was organized. John Scrogin was the first president, J. M. McDonald the first vice president and C. H. Shepard, secretary-treasurer. Charter members included these men and Al Borling, Ellis Conner, J. L. Cox, James L. Daugherty, Clint Dunagan, Lawrence Evans, S. B. Fowler, C. E. Garrison, Jack Jones, Ed Metzger, Ernest Neill, Carl Peay, C. G. Roberts, L. W. Sandusky, Ted Thompson and C. C. Worley.

The membership now totals more than 75 and the club is looking forward to a banner year in aiding the Midland schools in all activities.

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SECTION FOUR

Permian Basin CPA Chapter Organized In Midland In 1949

The Permian Basin Chapter of the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants was organized here in May, 1949. Membership in the organization is composed of practicing certified public accountants in Midland, Big Spring and Odessa.

Purpose of the Permian Basin chapter is to promote good fellowship among the individual certified public accountants in this area and to form a close association with the Texas Society and the Benton Howell American Institute of Accountants.

During the first year of activity, several authoritative speakers addressed the chapter at its monthly meetings on technical subjects which are of great importance to the accounting profession in its work.

Exchange Ideas

Open discussions at each meeting enable the individuals to exchange technical and professional ideas which broaden their accounting and income tax knowledge.

Present officers of the organization include Benton Howell, chairman; H. Carlson Hamilton, vice chairman; Lee Criswell, vice chairman; Loyd G. Whitley, secretary, and M. A. Murphree, treasurer.

Charter officers were Max Hendrick, Jr., chairman; J. W. Burrell and Lee Criswell, vice chairmen; D. C. Baldwin, secretary, and M. A. Murphree, treasurer.

The current membership of the Permian Basin CPA chapter is 21.

Bob Hope was born at Etham, England, in 1903.

Oil Scouts Association Organized Here In 1931

The Midland Oil Scouts Association was formed in 1931 as the result of consolidating "checks" in Pecos, Fort Stockton, San Angelo and Big Spring.

Early duties of the oil scouts were to gather drilling and lease information and to "cut," or label and file, oil well samples for their companies. This was performed in a group and called the "check" or "scout check."

A. W. (Bones) Wyatt was the first president of the Midland Oil Scouts Association. The original Cliff Wilderspin membership included Wyatt, R. E. Witty, Jim Wood, Dave Finley, George Shelton, Earl Payne, L. C. Link, S. S. (Si) Stinson, Harry H. Johnson, "Stud" Watson, Ford Turner, Allen Watts, Herman Pontius and Aiden S. Donnelly.

At that time the "check" was held at the Scharbauer Hotel, and later was moved to the Leggett Building. Now it is held in the Midland Oil Scouts Association Building in South Midland.

The Midland Oil Scouts Association is a non-profit organization and is responsible for obtaining and cutting the major portion of the oil well samples in the Permian Basin Empire. A full-time staff of trained employees is retained to "cut" the samples, which are made available on request to all member companies.

Expenses Skyrocket

Since 1931, the cost of operation of the organization has increased proportionately with the number of oil wells drilled in the area. The cost was \$500 in 1934, compared to about \$4,000 per year at the present time.

Membership in the Midland Oil Scouts Association has grown from 14 charter scouts of 1931 to 75 members in 1950.

Cliff Wilderspin is president for 1950. Other officers are LeRoy Gibson, first vice-president; Jess Robbins, second vice-president; W. W. Walker, secretary-treasurer; and G. B. Hallman, editor.

Midland Is Fine City In Which And With Which To 'GET ACQUAINTED'

While Midlanders this week are GETTING ACQUAINTED with each other, the occasion offers an excellent opportunity for everyone to GET ACQUAINTED with MIDLAND, the headquarters center of the vast Permian Basin Empire of West Texas and Southeast New Mexico.

Most Midlanders and many other persons over the nation already are acquainted with Midland—its remarkable growth and development—but perhaps there are those who are not familiar with The Midland Story—a story which cannot be repeated too often.

But back to the beginning. Midland was established in 1884 as a cattle shipping point on the Texas & Pacific Railway, which then was building through West Texas.

Halfway Location

Named for its halfway location between Fort Worth and El Paso, the little city first was named Midway and then Midland—a name which has become famous throughout the width and breadth of the land.

Midland, in its early days, was settled by vigorous and far-sighted pioneers who laid the foundation and set a progressive pace for an enterprising Midland which continues to develop and expand at a record-breaking clip.

Progress, although steady, was at a slower pace in the early days than it is today. But even in those early times, citizens ever had their eyes on the future—planning continuously the development of today's headquarters city and taking full advantage of each and every opportunity for the building of a bigger and better Midland.

The long-range vision and determination of those pioneer residents must be credited to a large extent with the remarkable growth and development of the Midland of the 1950's.

It was in the early 1920's that Midland's progress gained real momentum. The growth continued with an ever-accelerating speed. It never slowed.

Major Factor

Oil is the major factor in this rapid growth. It first was discovered in commercial quantities in this im-

mediate sector in 1921, and the discovery of new fields has continued through the years and still is continuing today.

Formerly known as a ranch center, the Midland of 1950 is known as a ranch and oil center. Ranchers now are oil men and oil men are ranchers—all traveling the highway of continued progress and prosperity.

Although the development of Midland was rapid prior to and during World War II, the tremendous growth along all lines has come since the war years. Things popped wide open and they still are popping.

Whereas Midland's population increased from less than 5,000 to 9,352 between 1930 and 1940, the city now has 22,000 residents, with new citizens arriving daily.

Homes, Buildings

Homes and business buildings to care for the ever-increasing population have been provided as promptly as possible. Building permits jumped from \$131,055 in 1935 to \$7,273,990 in 1948 and \$5,252,406 in 1949. Permit totals the first six months of 1950 are in excess of \$5,000,000.

Midland leads other West Texas cities in the amount of office space

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Million Or So Worms Make Garden Spot

NINETY SIX, S. C.—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Gunter and a million or so earthworms have changed a drab clay hill into a garden spot. Mrs. Gunter got the idea of enlisting earthworm aid two years ago after discouraging attempts to make things grow in the eroded, washed-out soil near her new home.

A magazine article told her how worms enrich soil. She ordered 750 wrigglers and encouraged them to multiply. Meanwhile, she and her husband began distributing earthworm castings and worms from place to place. The castings are rich in phosphorus, potash, nitrogen and magnesium.

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'Keep 'Em Moving' Policy Of Police

WINNIPEG —(P)—"Keeping 'em moving" is the policy of Winnipeg cops. Veteran officers say there was a time when Winnipeg was the rendezvous of wanted criminals from all parts of Canada and the Northwestern United States.

But no more, they say. Detectives keep close tabs on all arrivals, advise them to "move on."

Chief Constable Charles MacIver said the Winnipeg method has come

in for some criticism in the courts and from police departments in other cities. But to Chief MacIver it's the "mark of an efficient police force."

Manpower provided 15 per cent of farm labor energy in 1880, animals 79 per cent, and machines only six per cent. Now, machines do an estimated 92 per cent of all farm work.

Midland Is Fine City

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—having more than 378,000 square feet of space provided in numerous office buildings ranging from two to 12 stories in height. Offices of the more than 200 oil concerns headquarters here occupy most of the space.

Tremendous increases in utility connections also are indicative of the city's growth.

Bank Deposits

Midland's bank deposits in 1950 total \$39,965,163.19. The total in 1932 was \$1,273,832.01.

Postal receipts have jumped from \$28,147.02 in 1931 to \$284,965.58 in 1949.

Growth in other things has been just as remarkable.

The public school enrollment, for instance, has increased from 1,386 in 1931 to 5,250 in 1950. The increased enrollment has necessitated the erection of several new buildings and two more now are being constructed. Midland's public school system boasts the finest and most modern buildings and facilities.

Churches have experienced the same growth, and most denominations have erected or are building or planning new church plants. No

finer church buildings are found anywhere.

New Buildings

The erection of new business buildings and the enlarging and modernizing of others also are indicative of the city's development.

But it is the fine and well-kept residential sections of the city which continue to attract the attention of visitors here. Midland long has been known as a city of fine homes, and the new development has strengthened that claim. The permanency of the city is reflected in the type and quality of the many new homes being erected here.

A 500-block paving program will be completed in 1950, making Midland the best paved city in West Texas.

A new and complete system of street lighting was installed last year.

The City of Midland recently completed a huge water improvement and expansion program, assuring an adequate supply of water in future years. Construction of a new sewage disposal plant and work on a drainage program now are in the planning stage.

Midland is an excellent city with which to GET ACQUAINTED.

Midland Is Headquarters For Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts Of America

Administrative head of a 17-county area including more than 5,000 active Explorer Scouts, and Cub Scouts, P. V. Thorson, Scout executive, is a trained Scout leader with many years of experience.

Thorson is the top full-time administrative head of the Buffalo Trail Council, Inc. Boy Scouts of America, the nerve center of which is located at Scout Headquarters, 318 N. Colorado Street, Midland.

Six other men are employed by the council to give technical guidance to the more than 1,200 volunteers who serve as Scoutmasters, Cubmasters, advisors and in various committee capacities. A seventh paid staff member has been authorized, and will live in Midland when he is employed.

Council headquarters, located in Sweetwater until 1947, were moved to Midland to be nearer the center of the wide area served by the council. Counties included in the council area are: Midland, Sterling, Glasscock, Martin, Howard, Mitchell, Nolan, Stonewall, Kent, Scurry, Ector, Ward, Winkler, Reeves, Fisher, Andrews and Loving.

Records are maintained in the Midland headquarters on each of the more than 7,000 boys who are registered during the year. Active membership totals more than 5,000 at present.

In the 26-year history of the council, more than 25,000 West Texas boys have been registered members, showing an increase in membership each year.

Volunteer workers, however, are the backbone of the Scouting move-

ment, together with the sponsoring organizations. More than 200 Midland men and women are actively engaged in Scouting as Scoutmasters, advisors, Cubmasters and committee workers.

Midland organizations sponsoring units include: First Baptist Church, First Christian Church, First Methodist Church, First Presbyterian Church, Trinity Episcopal Church, Rotary Club, Lions Club, Terminal Lions Club, IOOF Lodge, Rebekas, American Legion and his negro chamber of commerce. Some organizations sponsor more than one unit.

Volunteer Leaders

Volunteer leaders in Midland are public-spirited citizens interested in youth. Members of the executive council from Midland are George Abell, Ray Upham, Dr. H. Glenn Walker, G. W. Brennehan, J. T. Baker, J. M. McDonald and the Rev. Clyde Lindsey. Dr. W. B. Hardy of Big Spring is council president.

Scoutmasters of Midland units are: Hugh T. Bias, Squadron 19; Samuel T. Cherry, Post 53; R. E. Goff, Post 85; Hugh E. Julian, Post 151; Robert C. Senning, Troop 51; G. N. Hughes, Troop 53; L. E. Patterson, Troop 54; John H. Nicholson, Troop 85; Lewis H. Richerson, Troop 104; Clyde A. Johnson, Troop 151; Gilbert H. Blankenship, Troop 152; Richard W. Smith, Troop 153; Jack E. Blake, Troop 154; Dr. Doyle L. Patton, Pack 6; W. N. Little, Pack 31; Thomas McElliott, Pack 53; Wendell B. Mitchell, Pack 104 and A. F. Gates, Pack 151.

Scout Ranch

One of the primary activities in Scouting is the program of camping. To further this program, the council in 1947 acquired the 6,000-acre Buffalo Trail Scout Ranch in the Davis Mountains, near Balmo-

ries. Each Summer, Scouts fill the camp to capacity.

Another outstanding Scout activity was held this Summer, with the meeting of 47,000 Scouts at Valley Forge, Pa., for the National Scout Jamboree. Twenty-three Midland Scouts were among the 121 from the

area attending the Jamboree. Midland citizens have given enthusiastic support to the Boy Scout movement and have played a large part in the progress and development of the Buffalo Trail Council.



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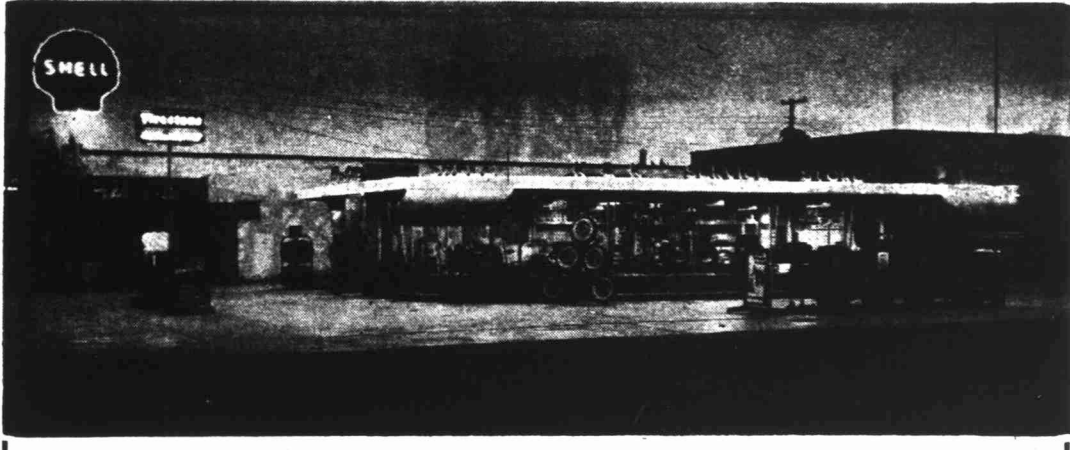
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Margie Shumate YWA Will Celebrate Its Sixth Anniversary In September

The Margie Shumate Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church was organized in September, 1944, as an auxiliary of the Woman's Missionary Union, and is sponsored directly by the Mary Martha Circle. Mrs. E. R. Powell, then Young People's secretary, worked to interest the following girls as charter members: Corrine Akins, Nell Shattuck, Alma Ruth Streeter, Polly Allgood, Lurline Ponder, Gladine Newsome, Betty Wood, Geraldine Calico, Ruby Hale, Dorothy Wendenburg, Margaret Jo Bennett and Mrs. R. W. Harris.

The first officers to serve the auxiliary were Mrs. R. W. Harris, counselor; Corrine Akins, president; Nell Shattuck, vice president; Alma Ruth Streeter, secretary; Betty Wood, program chairman; Gladly Wendenburg, community missions chairman; Ruby Hale, mission study chairman; Lurline Ponder, stewardship chairman; Nadine Newsome, lit. Dorothy Raines, literature chairman; Margaret Jo Bennett, social chairman.

The present officers are Mrs. J. O. Simmons, Jr., counselor; Dorothy Raines, president; Wilda Drake, vice president; Edith Collings, secretary and stewardship chairman; Jean Godfrey, program chairman; Betty Clark, community missions chairman; Jane Mintz, publicity chairman; Faye Gregston, literature chairman; Nellivee Clark, social chairman.

Growth Cited
The YWA grew under the guidance of Mrs. J. S. Griffith as counselor from July, 1945, until September, 1949.

At the time of organization, the name Margie Shumate Young Women's Auxiliary was chosen in honor of Margie Shumate who was appointed to the Southern Baptist foreign mission field of China in 1914 and who, due to the upheaval in that country, now is in Hong Kong. The YWA corresponds with Miss Shumate regularly and keeps a scrapbook of her letters and other important data.

The enrollment now stands at 20 with regular meetings held on the first and third Thursdays of each month.

Varied Activities
The auxiliary cooperates with the Southern Baptist Convention in observing the foreign, home, and state mission weeks of prayer as well as YWA Focus Week each year. The Annual Installation and Birthday Tea, Christmas party and other socials brighten the year's activities. From time to time boxes are packed for Margie Shumate, European children, and several others, as well as helping needy families, Mexican mission work and other needs of the home community.

The aim of the auxiliary is to unite young women of the Southern Baptist churches in an enduring missionary enterprise. The work through the year may be summed up in the ideals of the YWA: "Thoughtful study of the missionary message of the Bible; prayer for missions and missionaries; comprehensive study of missions; devoted community missions activity for the spiritually and physically needy around us; regular and proportionate giving to worldwide missions."

Dog Hasn't Heard About 40-Hour Week

BEVERLY HILLS, CALIF.—(AP)—Isobel H. Bowers has sued her neighbors for \$10,000 damages on the ground their barking dog doesn't observe a 40-hour week.

The complaint, directed at Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lyons, alleges that the Lyons' dog "barks at all hours of the night up to midnight and from 4 a.m. until after daylight."

It asks that the defendants be enjoined permanently from keeping a dog on the premises, "which is permitted to bark between 8 p.m. and 8 a.m. on successive days."

Crude oil production in Japan totaled 1,556,000 barrels in the fiscal year ended March 31, 1950 a 40 per cent increase over the previous year.

Midland County 4-H Boys' Club Is 10 Years Old

Midland's County's 4-H Boys Club was organized about 10 years ago. The 4-H Club work for the rural youth is a part of the national agricultural extension system, and is conducted under the immediate supervision of county extension agents.

Each 4-H Club on a project which will teach or demonstrate modern and efficient agriculture methods. Each member keeps a record of costs, labor, and results, explains the work to others, makes an exhibit, and writes a final report which summarizes the whole year's work and activities.

Midland County 4-H Clubs now have a total of 33 members who are engaged actively in agricultural projects. These demonstrations include beef cattle, swine, dairy and sheep production and truck and field crop demonstrations.

Norman Drake currently is president of the Midland Boys 4-H Club. He has established several records in his club work. He was named a Gold Star boy in 1946 and also is a winner of the Thomas E. Wilson award for outstanding meat production.

Medals And Awards
Various achievement awards on a county, state and national basis are offered each year. Among them are medals, cash awards, and scholarships.

Highlight for the 4-H Clubbers in Midland County is the annual Harvest Banquet, which usually is held in the Scharbauer Hotel. Awards in the various contests and the Gold Star medals are presented at the event. Bobby Howard was the Gold Star boy of 1949.

The climax for the livestock feeding projects occurs each March when the annual Junior Livestock Show is held at the Midland Fair Grounds.

Two 4-H delegates are sent each year to the annual 4-H Club Round-up at Texas A&M College. This event usually is held in June. Other trips to points of interest in the Southwest are scheduled for the Clubbers each year.

Circle Eight Club Has 100 Members

The Circle Eight Square Dance Club was organized by the Lion Tamers Club and for several months was a function of Midland Lions and their wives.

Then the name was changed to the present one. Barney Barnard was the first president, T. B. Edgington, the second, and R. D. Madland, the present one. The club is more than two years old. It R. D. Madland has 50 couple members and meets the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month in the American Legion Hall. Mrs. Ed Halfast calls for the dances and the George Glynn orchestra plays. Mrs. Dean Corley is the secretary-treasurer and Ernest Neill, vice president.

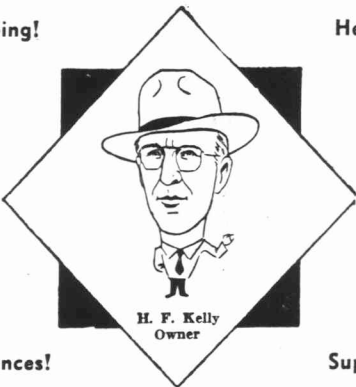
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Picture Windows For Pigs In Ohio

TOLEDO (AP)— Cows, chickens and pigs soon will be gazing out of big picture-windows just like city folks do, if farmers take the advice of agricultural engineers.

They may not enjoy the view any more than if they were peering through small, dirty panes, but the animals will be healthier, according to Everett Eakin, Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Company director of farm research. Studies on experimental farms during the last year show livestock fares better in buildings that have windows big enough to admit germ-killing sunshine.

History Matches MacArthur's Age

NEW YORK (AP)— Douglas MacArthur at 70 is one of a number of generals who have maintained great military reputations at an age when most commanders have retired.

According to Col. Roswell P. Rosengren, chief of Army Information in New York, Charlemagne at 72 was converting the Saxons to Christianity with the sword. Frederick the Great of Prussia was giving a good account of himself in the field up to the 74th and last year of his life. Paul von Hindenburg was nearly 67 at the time of his victory at Tannenberg, and was chief of the German staff at 70.

All Estates Over 125 Acres Nabbed

SHRINAGAR, KASHMIR (AP)— The Buddhist gompas (monasteries) of Ladakh, the northern territory of Indian-held Kashmir bordering Tibet, have been deprived of their large estates under the recent state government order confiscating all agricultural holdings of more than 125 acres. The land is to be transferred to the ownership of the workers who farm it.

The gompas, like the other dispossessed owners, can retain 20 acres, but the monks themselves must farm such remaining holdings. Having abolished the large estates, the Jammu and Kashmir state government now is reported to be preparing a plan for redistribution of holdings of less than 125 acres. The smaller farm owners, however, will receive compensation for land forfeited under this plan. The large estates were taken without compensation.

If this scheme is carried, it will mean that no person or institution in the state will own more than 20 acres of farm land.

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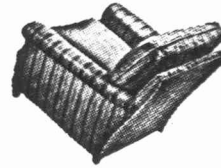
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Missing Inner Tubes Blamed On Teacher

GLENDALE, CALIF. — If fathers of children in the R. D. White Elementary School find the inner tubes missing from their car tires, they can blame it on teacher Mrs. C. Juanita McGowan, handicraft superintendent, has the children making beach and play shoes out of inner tubes.

The shoes are sewed with yarn but fastened with metal clips at strategic points and decorated with wooden beads. Cost of the shoes is nominal, the teacher pointed out, since the material comes from discarded old tubes.

Four-Square Church Organized In 1948

In November, 1948, the Rev. and Mrs. Cecil McQuatters and Albert Johnson held a series of outdoor services at a site at West Indiana and South B Streets. That was the real beginning of the Foursquare Church of Midland.

For several years Foursquare Church evangelists had held revivals in Midland, but a church never was started. Rev. Lloyd A. Post



Rev. Lloyd A. Post

Shortly after the open-air meetings were begun, a building was obtained and placed on the original site at West Indiana and South B. It has served as a church building since that time, though it is considered temporary.

Plans for the future include a larger, permanent building and remodeling of the present sanctuary into a young people's chapel.

The Rev. Lloyd A. Post is the present pastor of the Foursquare Church of Midland.

Comstock Lode, the great Nevada silver mine, was discovered in 1859.

Midland VFW Post Has Had Four Commanders

The Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States was organized in 1899 by veterans of the Spanish-American war and were chartered



by an act of the National Congress. The VFW currently is the oldest and largest organization of overseas veterans in the United States.

Chief requirement for membership is possession of an honorable discharge of the armed forces of John Henderson the United States after having served during time of war.

Some of the prime purposes of the organization are the encouragement of better comradeship and fraternalism between overseas veterans, maintain a state and national organization to safeguard veterans' rights and benefits, actively participate in local civic enterprises for the betterment of the community, and to support a national veterans' orphans home.

The Midland Post of the VFW was organized and chartered June 13, 1946. It is incorporated under Texas law as a non-profit corporation. Pat McMullan of Midland was instrumental in the organization of the post here and was elected commander for the term of 1946-47.

Charter members voted to name the post the Temple and Weldon Harris Post in honor of two Midland brothers who lost their lives in World War II. The bodies of the brothers are interred in Fairview Cemetery here.

For several months following the formation of the VFW here, members held meetings in the county courthouse. Later the group met in the Odd Fellows Hall. In 1947, a contract was entered into with the City of Midland for the leasing of the enlisted men's club and swimming pool at the Midland Air Terminal. This still is the home of the Midland post.

Leonard Miller served the organization as commander in 1947, Irby Dyer in 1948, and John D. Henderson in 1949. Henderson recently was reelected to the post for the 1950 year.

The VFW chapter here has handled several military funerals for returned overseas war dead, sold buddy poppies for the disabled veterans and has taken part in numerous memorial services.

At the present time, the VFW has turned its home into a public entertainment center for the citizens of Midland and Ector counties. All of its facilities, including the swimming pool and dance hall, now are open to the public.

Any funds raised by the organization are used to aid veterans' in Midland County and for a building fund for a planned permanent home in Midland. The club will continue to operate the present facilities for the above purposes as long as its lease is valid.

Recently a pup tent for the Military Order of the Cootie, a fraternal order within the VFW, was organized here. Leonard Miller was elected Seam Squirrel, which is the Cootie equivalent to commander. The purposes of the Cootie organization are to visit, provide gifts and entertainments for patients in veterans hospitals in the area and to aid the VFW in the support of its national orphans home at Eaton Rapids, Mich.

Rev. C. B. Hedges Is Pastor Of Trinity Baptist Church

The Trinity Baptist Church was organized Sept. 17, 1939, as the result of a revival meeting conducted by the Rev. Charles B. Hedges. The church membership has increased from six charter members in 1939 to its present size. Located at the intersection of North Fort Worth Street and Tennessee Avenue, the total church property is valued at approximately \$15,000.

Mr. Hedges has held the pastorate at Trinity Baptist Church since its founding, except for a three-year span in the Armed Forces. The Rev. H. Wren was pastor during that time.

The present building program was begun after Mr. Hedges returned from the Army.

The continued growth of the Trinity Baptist Church is ample testimony to the need it has fulfilled.

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Europe Is Short Of Singers, Says Bing

EDINBURGH, SCOTLAND—(AP)—"The time when the New York 'Met' had to look to Europe for most of its singers is definitely over," said Rudolf Bing, general manager of the Metropolitan Opera Company, when he arrived here after a four week talent search in Austria, Switzerland, Italy, Germany, France and England.

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Duties Of Midland County Agent Are Many And Varied

Duties of a county agriculture agent are many and varied. The county agent represents the state agricultural college and the United States Department of Agriculture. He studies his county, its people, and its agriculture, to ascertain its problems and possibilities.



A county agent develops the necessary organization of rural real-estate to help determine and carry out the county extension program. He develops with the citizens of the county long-range and current agricultural and rural life educational programs based on major needs and problems.

He is responsible for the county 4-H program and puts in many hours of work with the youth of the county. He develops rural lead-

ership. Other duties of a county agent include assisting local farm organizations and other nonpolitical and nonsectarian groups, sponsoring approved community and country-life activities, with their educational programs; promoting friendly relationships and the coordination of activities of all agricultural and country-life groups with the county.

Other Duties
He maintains a public office where farmers and others may call, telephone, or write for information on problems relating to agricultural and rural life; assists locally with the state and national programs for agriculture; keeps records of extension activities and accomplishments and makes all reports requested by the state agricultural college and the United States Department of Agriculture; keeps informed regarding social and economic changes affecting the farms and homes of the county, and through attendance at conferences, reading, participation in service training courses, and otherwise keeps up to date professionally.

Charles W. Green, a graduate of Texas A&M College, is the agri-

cultural agent for Midland County. He maintains an office on the third floor of the court house. A veteran of World War II, Green was associated with the agent of Ector County before assuming his duties here in September, 1949. Green was instrumental in the staging of the annual Junior Livestock Show for Midland County last Spring. He is a leader in the 4-H Club work and sponsors feeding and various other programs among the youth of the county.

Government Of India Fights High Prices

NEW DELHI, INDIA—(AP)—The government is trying to beat down commodity prices that have soared since the Korean war began. It is consulting the states on a program to combat hoarding and black-marketing. The program calls for imposition of controls on prices and distribution. Increased imports and stepped-up domestic production. Spices, non-ferrous metals, industrial chemicals and drugs have skyrocketed in price, in some cases by 100 per cent.

Theta Alum Group Is Two Years Old

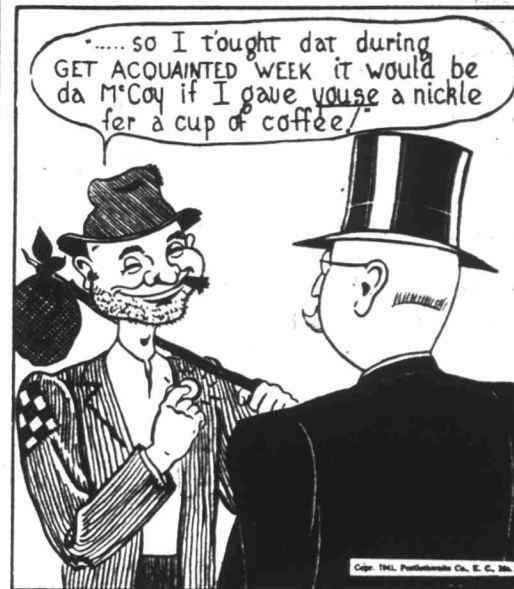
Organized June 1, 1948, the Kappa Alpha Theta alumnae group contributes each year to local and national projects.



Donations have been made to sorority fellowship funds, and to Kappa Alpha Theta national projects, as well as to the Midland Girl Scouts and the Midland Youth Center. Each year, the group selects a special project.

The group has Mrs. H. C. Hood combined social and business meetings once each month. Mrs. Reese Cleveland was the first president. Present officers are Mrs. H. C. Hood, president; Mrs. R. W. Paterson, vice president; Mrs. Ralph Lee, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Frank Paup, Panhellenic representative; and Mrs. Robert N. Conkling, rush chairman.

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Church Of Nazarene Organized In 1942; Membership Grows

The First Church of the Nazarene was organized in Midland in 1942 with the Rev. R. M. Hocker as the first pastor and H. R. Mann as first Sunday School superintendent.



Mr. Hocker continued as pastor of the church until July 15, 1945, when he was succeeded by the Rev. F. W. Rogers who is the current pastor.

Construction of a church building Rev. F. W. Rogers was begun in December, 1945. In addition to the main auditorium, 12 Sunday School rooms comprise the educational unit of the church.

Membership in the church and Sunday School has shown an increase year by year since the founding of the church here. There have been three Sunday School superintendents of the adult department in the history of the church. Mrs. F. W. Rogers succeeded H. R. Mann and served for one year. Jim Potter, who replaced Mrs. Rogers, is the present superintendent. Mrs. Ethel Collins is head of the junior department of the church.

HORSE'S NECK NOT HIGH ON TAVERN'S WINE LIST

CHICAGO—(AP)—A horse's neck does not have a prominent place on the wine list of Louis Kurat's west side tavern. But, of course, a good host should be prepared.

Kurat wasn't. He was drawing beer when he heard a crash and a tinkling of shattered glass. He looked up and saw the head and shoulders of a junk dealer's runaway horse pop in through the front window.



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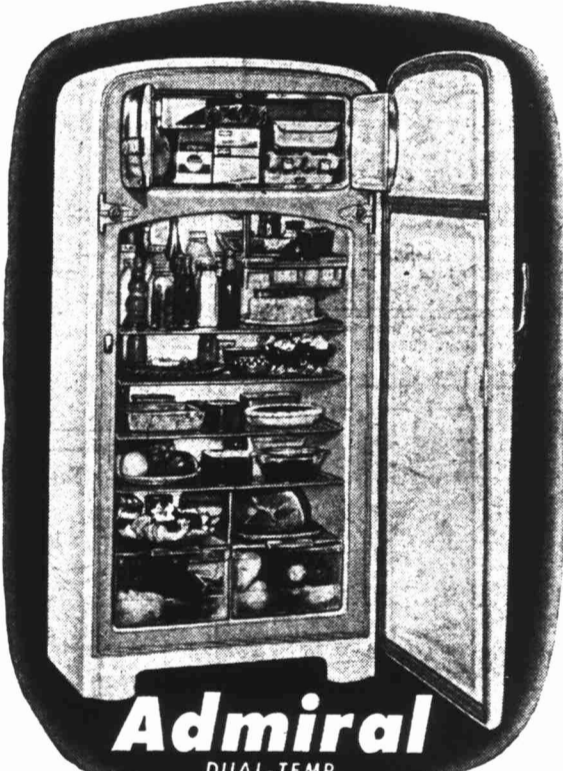


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Real Estate Board Shows Rapid Growth

A vitally important organization in a city which has grown as rapidly as has Midland is the Midland Real Estate Board, organized in 1946 with six active members, two associate members and three affiliate members.



Heading the organization as it goes into its fifth year is C. E. Nelson, Midland realtor. Other officers are Harlan Howell, vice president; G. C. Boles, secretary, and Leonard Miller, treasurer.

The group's founding officers were B. O. Grafa, president; Ray Upham, vice president, and Floyd Boles, secretary.

In 1948, Larry Burnside served as president, Upham as vice president, and James Mims as secretary. There were 17 active, two associate and four affiliate members that year.

In 1949, Floyd Boles became president; Larry Burnside, vice president; Clifford Hogue, secretary, and Laura Jesse, treasurer. Membership included 16 active, three associate and four affiliate members.

Present membership stands at 20 active, three associate and 10 affiliate members.

Active members are R. W. Allen, Floyd O. Boles, L. R. Burnside, W. F. Chesnut, Charles R. Ervin, John F. Friberg, Barney G. Grafa, Clifford E. Hogue, Harlan Howell, Laura Jesse, Roy McKee, Frank True, Ted Thompson, W. R. Upham, J. C. Wil-

son, R. C. Maxson, Cecil Snodgrass, George Park, Leonard Miller and C. E. Nelson.

Associates are C. G. Boles, Alva McKee and Rusty Russell.

Affiliate members are Harry Reynolds, Mims and Stephens, The Reporter-Telegram, Guarantee Title Company, West Texas Abstract Company, Stubbeman, McRae and Sealy, Midland Federal Savings and Loan Association, the First National Bank, J. C. Velvin Lumber Company, and Whitaker, Turpin, Kerr, Smith and Brooks.

Barney Grafa, one of the founders of the group, is a director of the Texas Real Estate Association.

The group has been active in working for strict zoning regulations, and has worked with the state organization to affect the passage of the Texas Real Estate Act, which passed in October 1949, to license real estate dealers.

Kiddies To Build Model 'Saucers'

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—Remember way back when the kids used to make model airplanes—plain, old-fashioned airplanes?

Officials at the Lawton Public School playground had scheduled a model building contest—models of flying saucers.

First prize was to go to the boy or girl who exhibited the most plausible and best constructed interpretation of the mysterious aerial craft.

Huge bonfires are lighted and fireworks shot off in England on Guy Fawkes Day, Nov. 5.

Growth Of Asbury Methodist Church Has Been Phenomenal

At the end of the six-week charter membership period there were 173 members of the Asbury Methodist Church. Fifty-three persons joined the church at the initial service, May 25, 1947. This phenomenal growth has continued until today there are 398 members.



That is the outstanding record of growth of the new church, which was sponsored by the First Methodist Church of Midland and the Board of Missions and Church Extension of the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church.

The Rev. J. B. Stewart not Hester was the church's first minister. He was followed by the Rev. J. B. Stewart, the present pastor.

The Asbury Methodist Church originally was located at 501 South Lorraine Street, but a new site was purchased at South Lorraine Street and West Dakota Avenue, just north of the South Elementary School. The church was moved to the new location and an additional brick building was erected to provide assembly and Church School class rooms.

Addition of a larger, permanent auditorium on the present building is planned for the future.

Dr. O. P. Clark, superintendent of the Sweetwater District of the Methodist Church, has commended Asbury Methodist Church for the phenomenal progress it has made.

Trustees Listed
Members of the five-man board of trustees are J. P. Carson, Jr., Floyd Countiss, Clyde Gwyn, O. M. Pulliam and W. A. Hughes.

Gwyn is general superintendent of the Church School. Mrs. George Damron is superintendent of the Home Department and Pulliam is superintendent of the Youth Division. Mrs. J. P. Carson, Jr., is superintendent of the Children's Division. Other officials of the Asbury

Eiffel Tower Draws Crowds

PARIS—(AP)—More people than ever are visiting the Eiffel Tower, Paris' famed landmark.

The big steel cloud-scraper attracted 1,143,000 visitors last year. This beat the 1948 total by 185,000 and the previous post-inauguration record of 1,025,000 visitors set in 1900. The 985-foot tower was inaugurated in 1889 during the Paris International Exposition when a total of 1,968,000 visitors were counted.

All Paris grammar school children can take a free ride to the tower's observation platform—provided they bring along a certificate showing they passed their yearly examinations.

Property damage from tornadoes averages about \$12,000,000 a year in the U. S.

Pipeline Workers To Conserve Soil

HOUSTON—(AP)—Soil conservation work now is being done by the big pipe line companies in cooperation with farmers. One firm, the Texas-Illinois Natural Gas Pipe Line Company, has a special department to save soil. It develops plants to hold it in place, terraces hillsides, plants grass and develops other practices.

E. D. Warren, a company executive, explains most pipe line companies have discovered that their lines face extensive damage when the soil washes away. It is cheaper to keep the soil in place than to repair washed out lines, he indicates.

SHOULDN'T HAPPEN TO A DOG!

PEORIA, ILL.—(AP)—Man can be a dog's best friend, too. The hound in this case stuck his head into a foot-long drain tile and couldn't get it out. D. O. Wineland, a painter, heard a whimpering and took the dog and its ceramic collar to a veterinarian. A little liquid soap, a gentle pull and the dog was free.

Easter week is the big time for fireworks in Latin America.

Free Will Baptist Auxiliary Active In Church Affairs

The Women's Auxiliary of the First Free Will Baptist Church was organized Jan. 9, 1946, with Mrs. Bert S. Onley as president.

Other officers are Mrs. F. D. Spratt, vice president; Mrs. Ritenour, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. J. D. Rodgers, missionary chairman.

The auxiliary is an organization for the women and girls of the Mrs. Bert S. Onley church. The purpose of the auxiliary is to promote Christianity and to assist the main church body in every way possible. The first Monday of the month is devoted to missionary study in the church. The remaining Mondays are used for various kinds of work, such as gathering clothing and making soap for the Free Will Baptist Orphanage at Ringling, Okla.



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MORE FISH THAN ANGLERS

ST. JOHN'S, NEWFOUNDLAND—(P)—Fish were never more plentiful in Labrador waters, fleet captains say, but fishermen are scarce. Despite the possibility of bountiful catches fishermen are boycotting the waters after failure to get a set price for their catch established.

The old courthouse from which Billy the Kid made his famous escape in 1881 is now a New Mexico State Monument. It is in the little frontier town of Lincoln, N. M.

SMOKY FRANK

WINNIPEG—(P)—Visitors at the Canadian Pacific Railway Station here were surprised to see smoke curling from the funnel of the Countess of Dufferin, Western Canada's pioneer locomotive, on permanent display here. Police said some child pranksters had been burning rubbish in the fire box.

Some of the new flexible plastic ware is excellent for refrigerator storage dishes, since the lids fit with an air-tight seal, protecting the contents from other food odors.

TESTS AIE RAID SIRENS

JERUSALEM—(P)—Israeli authorities are testing Jerusalem's air raid sirens. Police clear the streets when the warning blast goes and require all Israelis to remain indoors until the "all clear" is sounded.

Latest improvements in lubrication is an oil that can be compressed and squirted under pressure into oil valves. Then, as part of this oil wears away with use, the rest expands and keeps the moving mechanical parts evenly lubricated.

Midland Bar Association Has 72 Members, Many Activities

The Midland Bar Association is composed of all licensed lawyers residing in Midland County.

The early history of the association is vague because the organization was very informal and consisted of only the four or five lawyers then practicing in Midland. Judge J. M. DeArmond, who moved to Midland in 1912, is the oldest member. Another veteran member is Charles R. A. Lynch L. Klapproth, who started his practice here in 1918. During the early years, the lawyers met occasionally, but did not organize formally into a bar association until 1936. Raymond A. Lynch is the current president of the Midland Bar Association. Other officers include W. J. Montgomery, vice president; and J. M. Heidelberg, secretary-treasurer. Presidents since the war have been John Perkins, Paxton, Howard and James A. Lore.



Rapid Growth
The association carried on normal activities from 1936, when it was organized formally, until 1942. There was little activity during World War II, however, because so many of the members were in the Armed Forces.

With the return of lawyers from the war, and the influx of many new lawyers, the membership has increased the activities of the association the last five years. There currently are 72 members of the organization.

In October, 1949, the association was host to directors of the State Bar Association of Texas, who met in Midland.

Where Reds 'Sign Off'

AP Newsfeatures
COBURG, GERMANY—The Communists always have been great devotees of signs, pamphlets and placards. Some people think they use them to convince themselves as much as anyone else.

Up in this West German border city, smack against the Russian zone, the Communists aren't convincing anybody. Take the new

border propaganda signs recently put up.

The signs have their backs to the Russian zone, so "the Communists can't enjoy their own handiwork."

Some East Zone Communists—and a few from the west, too—have a great time painting signs on walls and fences around border towns at night. These usually read: "Ami (American) Go Home!" They are apparently supposed to convince the

people that the Communists are busy at the job of running the Americans out of the country.

A German border policeman who watched the propaganda boards get up pointed to a Russian soldier moving through the brush about 100 yards away, and said:

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Bible Baptist Church Points To Numerous Accomplishments

From a rented building in 1948 to a new church building and property valued at more than \$10,000 is the record of progress of a growing Midland church, the Bible Baptist Church.

Seven charter members organized the church in February, 1948. The early members were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stansell, the Rev. and Mrs. Ernest Rev. J. Marion Sweatman, the Rev. and Mrs. Matlock and M. E. Payne.

Mr. Sweatman was designated as pastor, and the church rented a building at 710 South Colorado Street. In July, 1948, the Rev. J. Marion Hull was called as pastor, a post he still holds.

Mr. Hull commuted from Big Spring until March, 1949, when he moved to Midland. Later in 1949, the rented building was sold, and arrangements were made to use the auditorium of South Elementary School.

New Church Plant
Soon after this, L. M. Willaby, a carpenter-contractor, who had been baptized into the fellowship of the church in March, 1949, left his job and began construction of a new church building at 1113 South Big Spring Street.

Sunday School attendance at the first service at which Mr. Hull officiated was 13. It since has passed the 100 mark. B. A. Dunn now leads the Sunday School class, and plans are being drawn for a 16-room Sunday School building.

ROYALTY SAYS IT'S BROKE
RANGOON—(P)—Burma's aging princes and princesses, hard hit by high living costs in the Republic of Burma, want increased Royal pensions to help them get by. These descendants of the once mighty King Mindon who ruled Burma before the British, banded themselves into the Burmese Royal Family Association and decided to approach the Burmese government for "sympathetic consideration" because they are unable to earn a livelihood.

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Midland Rodeo Is Area's Big Annual Celebration

Yes, Midland has an annual rodeo—a World Championship Rodeo, which is recognized as one of the nation's biggest and best western-type attractions.

It is a top-ranking "Get Acquainted" event, attended each year by thousands of rodeo fans from over a wide area.

The World Championship Rodeo is presented the first week in June each year by Midland Fair, Inc., of which Clarence Scharbauer, Jr. is president. It is Mid-Clarence Scharbauer, Jr.'s annual celebration, and is staged in the arena at Midland Fair Park on East Highway 80. More than 20,000 persons attended the 1950 rodeo here.

A non-profit association, Midland Fair, Inc., was organized to sponsor and produce rodeos, ropings, horse races, stock shows, fairs and other typical West Texas entertainments and events.

Organized in 1935

It was back in 1935 when interested citizens, ranchers, oil men and merchants, gathered in the Chamber of Commerce at the call of the late Dr. W. E. Ryan, then president of the C. of C., to discuss the formation of an association to sponsor and stage special events and celebrations in fast-growing Midland. Those attending the session got the job done that very day, and Midland Fair, Inc., has been a going concern ever since. Its annual rodeo is one of the few big-time rodeos which never has lost money.

The rodeo each year is produced by Everett Colborn of the Lightning C Ranch at Dublin, Texas.

Officers of Midland Fair, Inc., are Scharbauer, president; Roy Parks, Jr., vice president; and J. Homer Epley, secretary-treasurer. Honorary vice presidents include

Foy Proctor, Roy Parks, Sr., Leonard Proctor and George W. Glass, all of whom are past presidents of the association.

Directors Listed

Directors include James N. Allison, T. Paul Barron, Buster Cole, John Dublin, Jr., Tom Nance, Scharbauer, Marion Flynt, A. P. Scharbauer, F. A. Bird, E. B. Dickenson, John P. Butler, John B. Mills, Jack Wicker, James Franklin Cowden, Jr., J. C. Sale, J. P. Gibbins, Roy Parks, Jr., J. E. Hill, Jr., and H. G. Bedford.

Members of the Rodeo Committee are Leonard Proctor, chairman, Roy Parks, Jr., Dublin, Cole and Flynt.

'PRETZEL' ON WHEELS

CHICAGO—Four time a day Glenn Sunbury squeezes his six foot, two inch frame into an automobile that is only 26 inches high and 48 inches long. He does his "human pretzel" stuff at the Chicago Fair. The tiny vehicle has a sign painted on it. It reads: "Squat Car."

In 1949 the U. S. Government Printing Office handled 2,000 carloads of paper and printed 3,217 million postal cards, according to the Encyclopaedia Americana.

Midland Memorial Foundation, Hospital Non-Profit Association

Dr. John B. Thomas, veteran Midland physician and surgeon, is the president of the Midland Memorial Foundation, parent organization of the new \$1,500,000 Midland Memorial Hospital, which opened for service early in July.

Officers, trustees and founders of the foundation administer the affairs of the four-story, 100-bed general hospital, which is one of the largest, finest, most modern and best-equipped in the Southwest.



Midland Memorial Foundation, a non-profit organization, was chartered in July, 1945, after the Midland Chamber of Commerce, in 1944, had launched a drive for a new and modern general hospital in Midland. The recommendation of the Chamber of Commerce for establishing an organization to receive funds and construct and operate the hospital resulted in the chartering of the foundation. The original hospital founders were named by the Chamber.

An initial finance campaign was staged in 1946, but it was in 1947 that the big and successful drive for funds for the new hospital was conducted.

Community Project

Practically everyone contributed to the hospital, which truly is a community institution.

Construction of the huge hospital was started in the late Spring of 1948, and it opened for service July 11, 1950.

Officers of the foundation are Dr. Thomas, president; George T. Abell, vice president; John P. Butler,

treasurer; and E. R. Andres, administrator-secretary. Frank Stubbeman is chairman of the founders group.

Trustees Listed

Trustees are Abell, James N. Allison, R. M. Barron, H. G. Bedford, Butler, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, John W. House, Mrs. Ruth Scharbauer, Stubbeman, Doctor Thomas and Fred Wright.

The 1950-51 founders are Abell, Allison, Barron, Bedford, Butler, R. B. Cowden, G. W. Glass, Lester Grant, O. C. Harper, A. N. Hendrickson, Mrs. Hodge, House, W. L. Kerr, Ralph Lowe, R. L. Miller, James S. Noland, Foy Proctor, Mrs. Scharbauer, Stubbeman, Doctor Thomas, Fred Turner, M. C. Ulmer, Fred Wemple, Wright and W. A. Yeager.

St. George's Church Was One Of First Built In Midland

St. George's Catholic Church is one of the oldest churches in Midland, having been organized in 1899.

For many years the church was attended by the pastor who lived in Stanton and came to Midland each week to hold Sunday services.



It was not until 1933 that the first Catholic priest took up residence in Midland. Since that time the parish here has grown with the city, and because many Catholic families moved to Midland the church became too small, necessitating the erection of a second Catholic church here.

Today, beautiful St. Ann's Church serves the American congregation and St. George's is the parish church of the Latin American people of Midland. Father Edward Murray, Oblate of Mary Immaculate, is pastor of the congregation of the St. George's Church.

Youth Work

Father Murray is concerned chiefly with the Latin American youth of Midland and it is his aim to make available to them the recreational facilities which are a vital part of the American way of life.

The City of Midland made it possible to purchase a barracks from the Midland Air Terminal for a Latin American Youth Center, and with the help of the Midland Service League, a program of activities is being carried out. The large vacant lot adjacent to the Youth Center is being converted into a playground and equipment is being purchased.

Silver Spur Club Formed For Dancing

The principal activity of the Silver Spur Square Dance Club is square dancing and related social activities. The club was organized January 1 of this year.

Prior to the organization of the club, the charter members attended a square dance class conducted by Jay Johnson for a period of ten weeks.



Meeting on Haden J. Upchurch is president of the club. Other officers include D. L. McKibbin, vice president; Mrs. Floyd Boles, secretary-treasurer; and Mrs. Pat Hitt, reporter. Dr. E. W. McCullough and Jack Felton and the officers compose the board of directors.

Members Listed

Members of the club include Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bienvu, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Blackwood, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Boles, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cantrell, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Colvey, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Donovan, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Dueth, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Eschberger, Mr. and Mrs. Felton, Mr. and Mrs. Hitt, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jeter, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Laminack, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Merriman, Dr. and Mrs. McCullough, Mr. and Mrs. McKibbin, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Skags, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allen Scott, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stall and Mr. and Mrs. Upchurch. Mr. and Mrs. Gil Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Van-Fossan are inactive members.

Postal Auxiliary Is Not A Year Old

The Woman's Auxiliary to the National Federation of Post Office Clerks was organized Nov. 30, 1949. Mrs. Edwin Zantow is the president. The object of the auxiliary is to unite women interested in the efforts of the Post Office Clerks for better working conditions; to extend a knowledge of desired remedial legislation and assist in obtaining its passage; and to support postal employees in their efforts to obtain a high standard of living.

Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month. Other officers of the club include Mrs. Bernice Seawright, vice president; Mrs. Charles Campanella, secretary; Mrs. Roy Hall, treasurer; and Mrs. Carl Hyde, chaplain.

Charter members include Mrs. Hugh Bliss, Mrs. Franklyn Boyles, Mrs. Campanella, Mrs. Wayne Campbell, Mrs. Hyde, Mrs. Leonard Robey, Mrs. Seawright, Mrs. Ralph Stubblesfield and Mrs. Zantow.

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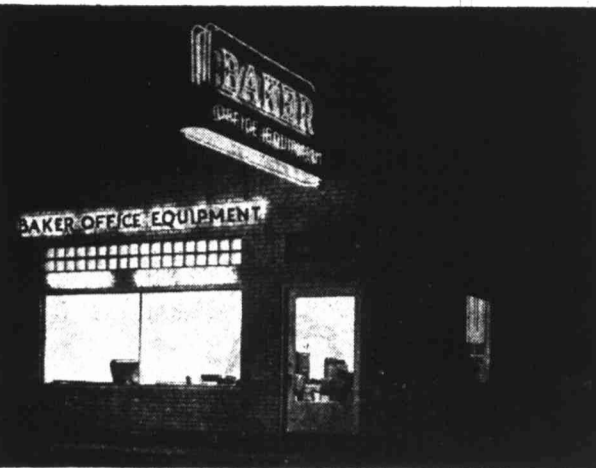
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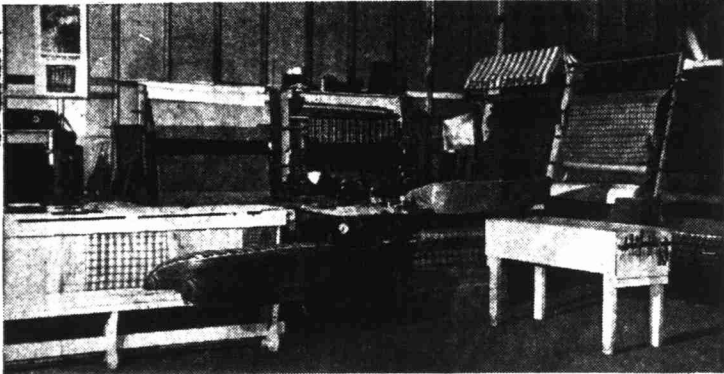
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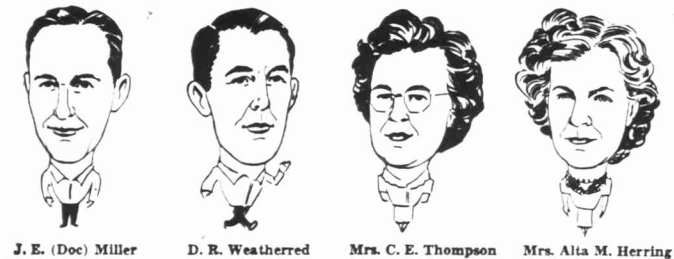
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**First Eastern Star Chapter Here
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The Eastern Star first began in Midland February 7, 1888, when J. Kashly, worthy grand patron of Texas, instituted Midland Chapter 66.

The next day, the first stated meeting was held and the following officers chosen: Mattie Briggs, worthy matron; George Briggs, worthy patron; Elma Zane, associate matron; Clara Brant, secretary; Addie Cranson, treasurer; Lillian Mud-Ima Joy McCoy, conductress; Minnie Cranson, associate conductress.

J. C. Kerr, chaplain; Emma Hollingsworth, Adah; Nancy Estes, Ruth; Lillian Gray, Esther; Mary Petty, Martha; Lida Edwards, Electra; Libbie Rathbun, warden; and M. B. Cranson, sentinel.

Charter Members

Other charter members were W. E. Bally, Lizzie Bally, J. C. Rathbun, T. B. Wadley, Mattie Wadley, J. W. Hollingsworth, M. B. Cranson, W. D. Allison, R. H. Zane, B. K. Brant, E. H. Estes, W. E. Connell, Mattie Connell, W. G. Meicher, Val Goetz, W. C. Petty, Eva Petty, Minnie Petty, J. J. Springer, Theo Ray, Fannie Ray, Inez Rathbun, F. E. Kelly, Matilda Kelly, Lillian Mudgett, Martha Deardorff, J. L. Edwards, C. H. Welch, John Tolbert, Belle Tolbert, A. B. Rountree, M. A. Rountree, George Gray, Eliza White and L. D. Wimberly.

This chapter was active until 1895, when it was disbanded. The present group, Midland Chapter 253, was reorganized and instituted in 1904 and was constituted in 1905.

Charter members of this group are Lula Bush, Annie Curtis, Mintie Estes, Ada Estes, Lizzie Estes, Hattie Inman, Beulah Johnston, Perrell Lewis, Charlie Moony, Jimmie B. Moony, Annie Patterson, America Phea, Kate Robinson, W. K. Curtis, S. R. McKinney, L. M. Murphy, J. A. Robinson, T. P. Smalling, J. W. Taylor, and E. M. Whitaker.

Mrs. Rhea was the first worthy matron and Murphy, the first worthy patron.

200 Members

The chapter has grown to a membership of 200 and the present worthy matron is Ima Joy McCoy. Carl O. Hyde is worthy patron.

Other officers are Ophie Pope, associate matron; James J. Johnson, associate patron; Louise Jones, conductress; Zora Hamilton, associate conductress; Vera McLeRoy, secretary; Virginia Autry, treasurer; Lorene Edwards, chaplain; Cora Moulton, marshal.

Stella Barber, organist; Jessie Baker, Adah; Thelma Gardner, Ruth; Beverly Holster, Esther; Ruth Donnell, Martha; Caroline Keisling, Electra; Nellie Roberson, warden; and Ann Johnson, sentinel.

For the first time, the chapter now has a monthly publication—"Star Rays"—to inform members of chapter activities. Caroline Keisling is in charge of the publication.

The chapter also has a Drill Team which has stimulated interest and added color to the work.

**PMA Organized In
1933; Active Here**

The U. S. Production Marketing Administration was placed into effect here in 1933, and was first known as the AAA. W. E. Pigg is the chairman.

Purpose of the PMA is to try to adjust production of farm products to supply and demand. Controlling of acreage of farm crops is affected by the PMA in order to stabilize farm prices. The PMA guarantees prices on farm crops. W. E. Pigg which are restricted.

Charles Champion is administrative officer of the PMA for Midland County. The offices of the organization are on the second floor of the court house.

Other duties of the PMA are to assist the farmer in conserving his soil, aid in soil building practices, help protect grazing lands and aid in development of water wells for better distribution of livestock, water and deferred grazing.

The first PMA committee for Midland County included J. C. Miles, A. M. Stanley and C. H. O'Neal.

Champion has been with the PMA committee since 1939.

**Everyman's Bible
Class Meets In
Legion Building**

The Everyman's Bible Class, which meets each Sunday morning in the American Legion Hall, is sponsored jointly by the First Christian Church and the American Legion. No records are kept on attendance, but an average of 80 men attend the class each Sunday.

Col. John Perkins, city attorney, is the teacher for the Everyman's Bible Class. The class operates as an interdenominational class and every man, regardless of denomination, is invited to join.

The class was organized as the Everyman's Bible Class in 1942. Ray Weaver was the first teacher. Ralph Auld followed Weaver as teacher, and Delbert Downing was named to replace Auld.

Officers Listed
Dr. Henry Schlichting is president of the class. Other officers include Otis Kelley, vice-president; G. W. Breneman, secretary-treasurer and J. R. Damron, sergeant-at-arms. Carl Weat heads the Fellowship Committee.

The group meets at 9:30 each Sunday. Coffee and doughnuts usually are served members before the lesson begins. The class dismisses promptly at 10:30 a. m., in order that members may attend regular church services.

Cubans fire shells and rockets on their independence night, May 20.



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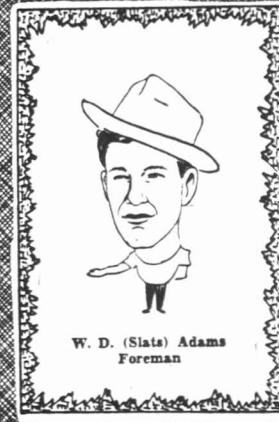
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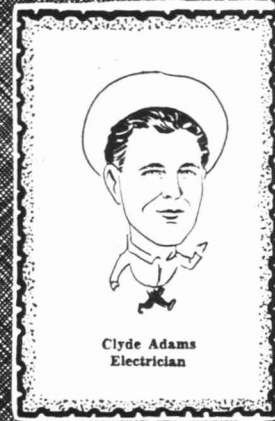
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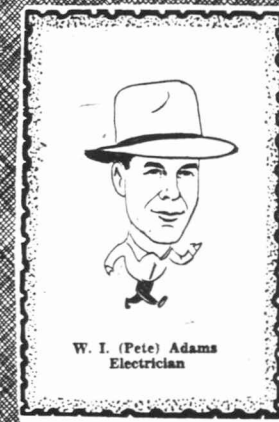
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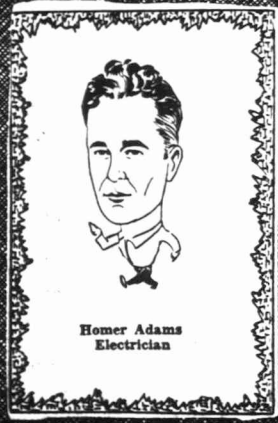
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Permian Basin Underwriters Meet Monthly In Midland

The Permian Basin Life Underwriters Association, which includes members from Midland, Big Spring, Odessa, Lamesa, Kermit, Pecos and Monahans, is affiliated with the State and National Associations of Life Underwriters.



The purpose of the organization is to professionally serve the insurance-buying public, to protect the client's interests, and to respect his confidence at all times.

Training and educational courses for members are sponsored by the association through the Life Underwriters Training Course and sales congresses.

The Permian Basin unit originally was organized in Big Spring in 1938 as the Big Spring Life Underwriters Association. Meetings were held in Big Spring until 1947, when the monthly meetings were alternated between Big Spring, Midland and Odessa.

In June, 1949, the name of the organization was changed to the Permian Basin Life Underwriters Association and it was decided to hold all meetings in Midland, which is centrally located in the area.

Past presidents of the association are W. W. Inkman, R. W. Ogden, Joe Pon, Dalton Mitchell, C. E. Higginbotham, T. A. Thigpen and Lib

Coffey, all of Big Spring; Roy McKee, Midland; O. A. Hickman, Odessa, and R. J. (Doc) Graham and W. W. Harkrider, both of Midland.

The present officers are Joe Davis, Midland, president; Dan P. English, Kermit, vice president, and Walt Bodenman, Midland, secretary-treasurer.

Outstanding speakers in the insurance field address the association members at their regular meetings, which are held in Hotel Scharbauer.

Members Listed
Members of the association include Walt Bodenman, William F. Chesnut, Richard A. Connolly, Joe C. Davis, Herschel Ezell, Rodney E. Vick, W. B. Harkrider, Joseph S. Hullum, Laura H. Jesse, Alva F. McKee, Roy McKee, E. L. Swalm, George Vannaman and H. M. Webb, all of Midland.

John T. Agee, Lamesa; Julia J. Boyce, Troy M. Harrell, Dalton Mitchell and Herman McNabb, all of Big Spring; O. A. Hickman, James C. Moore and Pierce Welby, of Odessa; Joe W. Camp, Pecos; Dan P. English, Kermit, and R. J. Ream, Monahans.

Women's Fellowship Had Several Names

Mrs. S. W. Estes was the first president of the Christian Women's Board of Missions of the First Christian Church, an organization which now is called the Christian Women's Fellowship.

The organization is designed to give each member the rich fellowship of praying together, studying together, serving together, and growing together.

Mrs. E. D. Riddle is the president of the group. Other officers include Mrs. W. P. Z. German, Jr., Mrs. Clarence Symes, Jr., and Mrs. Charles Sherwood, vice Mrs. E. D. Riddle; presidents: Mrs. David C. Smith, III, secretary; Mrs. E. J. Pierce, treasurer; and Mrs. Delbert Downing, advisor.

Projects Listed
Each year in addition to the study of home and foreign missions, the fellowship has at least two projects. Last year these included sending several boxes of clothing and other articles to Japan, a large package of linens and silver to Jarvis Christian College in Hawkins, a box of new clothing at Easter to the Juliette Fowler Home for orphans in Dallas, and presents at Mothers and Fathers Days to the older men and women at the Juliette Fowler Home for aged. Homemade cookies are packed and sent to the children at the Juliette Fowler Home each fourth Monday.

The fellowship was called the Women's Council until last year. It is divided into three circles, the Henderson, the Rijnhart and the Young Matrons. Every woman who is a member of the church automatically is a member of the fellowship.

Israel Reds Protest British Naval Visit

JERUSALEM—(AP)—Mapam, the leftist and pro-Communist political party of Israel, bitterly criticized in the Israeli Parliament here the recent courtesy visit to Israel's ports by Admiral Sir John Edleston, commander of the British Mediterranean Fleet.

Moshe Erem, a Mapam spokesman, said the British Navy "had served as an instrument for the immigrant hunt and had blockaded the country during the struggle for liberation."

Premier David Ben Gurion replied "we prefer to forget the past, not only in our relations with England, but also with all states which in the past acted against the Zionist movement."

Diathermy, as applied to medicine, actually is an ultra short wave machine of low range which generates heat within the human body and thereby aids nature in restoring normal conditions.

Man Falls 150 Feet And Only Gets Wet

SAN PEDRO, CALIF.—(AP)—Fred Ferrall was strolling along a cliff-top at the edge of Point Fermin Park, which faces the Pacific Ocean. He slipped on a round stone and plunged over the sheer 150-foot drop, headed for water-washed, jagged rocks below.

He hit in water two feet deep between two boulders. A life guard pulled him out. At the receiving hospital doctors found only two small head cuts. They sent him home—to get out of those wet clothes.

Texas Girl Relates Dramatic Escape From South Korea

By WILLIAM C. BARNARD
Associated Press Staff
"I suppose I'm lucky to be alive," a pretty Kilgore, Texas, girl wrote her parents after a dramatic escape from Korea.

She is Elizabeth Abercrombie, a member of the State Department staff at Seoul. Before she left Seoul, North Korean guns could be heard plainly in the distance and she rescued some children from the danger of strafing planes.

The North Koreans invaded across the 38th parallel on Sunday, June 25. From 3:30 p.m. that afternoon until 11 a.m. Monday, Elizabeth

worked at State Department headquarters, helping to destroy secret information, she wrote her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Abercrombie of Kilgore.

"At that time we could hear gunfire in the distance and the airport had been strafed," the Texas girl said in her letter which was published in the Kilgore Herald.

Elizabeth went home and had some sleep. About 4 p.m. she went outdoors for a look when I heard some coming over. Two planes circled fairly high over the area. I decided they

were South Korean. I changed my mind however when I heard the sound of bullets just as I stepped in front of the house. It sounded as if they were right in the front yard but I heard later it was just across the street.

"I remembered seeing a group of children in the road beside the house. I immediately dashed out and got them down into the bomb shelter which was just underneath our house. We were strafed one more time by more planes than came over the first time. As far as I could tell, the bullets did not hit very near the house."

That night Elizabeth received orders to pack one bag and was told a car would bring her here and two other State Department employees to the Embassy.

Lights were off. We had one small flashlight. What an eerie ride that was. There wasn't a light anywhere—not even on any of the vehicles on the street.

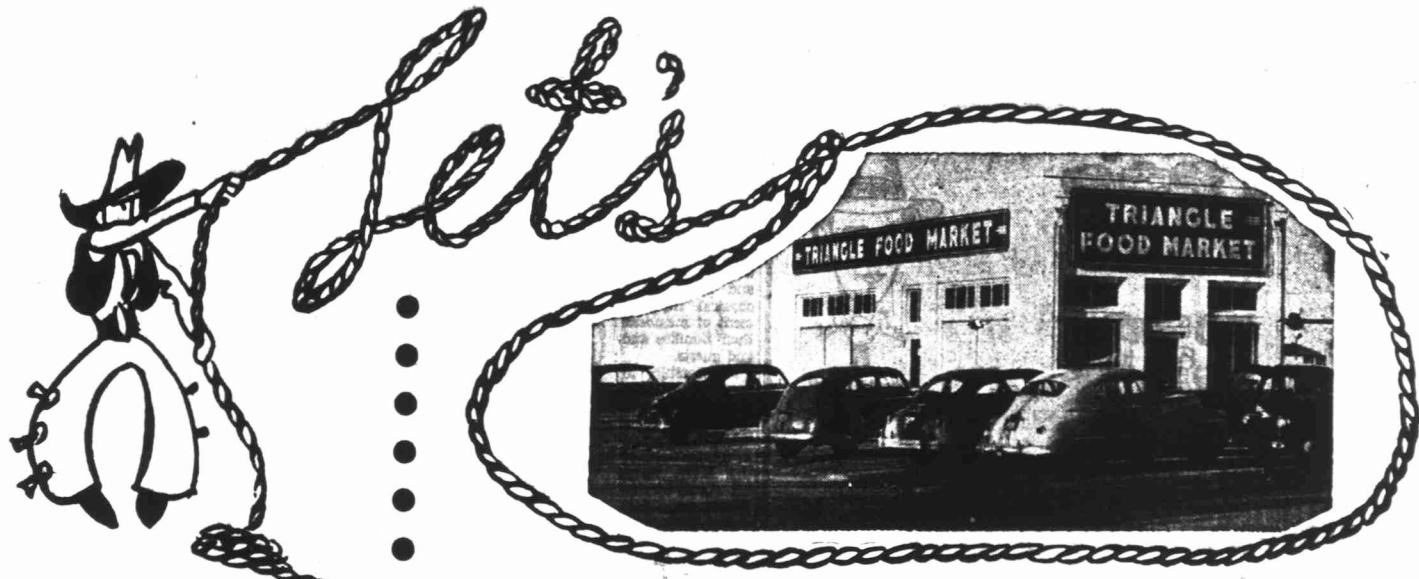
"We went down to the Embassy, completely destroying the records by about 1 a.m. (Tuesday, June 27) and at 4:30 a.m. we took off in buses for the airport. We arrived there at 5:30 and waited till 7 when the first planes appeared. They were

transport planes with escorting fighters. I got aboard the fourth plane to leave."

The plane took Elizabeth to safety in Japan.

"Our trip was uneventful except for the fact that the fighters covering our flight knocked down a couple of Russian planes right after we took off," the Texas girl wrote.

"Don't worry about me," she concluded. "I'm fine and not even the worst for wear."



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Church Of God Has New Building Here

Organized in September, 1947, with six charter members, The Church of God has grown to a membership of 21 since its beginning. First services were held in the home of Ocie Wright at 400 South Terrell Street. The charter members are Mrs. W. L. Skipworth, Mrs. Lucy Barron, Dewey H. Fuller, Mrs. Sarah E. Fuller, and Mr. and Mrs. Ocie Wright. Mrs. Wright was the first clerk of the church and trustees were Wright, Fuller and N. L. Sutter. A new building at 200 South Dallas Street now houses the church. Rev. J. H. Moore The Rev. J. H. Moore is the pastor. Mr. Moore was appointed in September, 1948.



New England caught nearly a million tons of commercial fish in 1949. The U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service says New England accounts for one-fifth of the nation's fish catch.

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Midland Officers Club Now Has More Than 250 Members

The Midland Officers Club was organized in the Summer of 1947 for the purpose of providing and maintaining facilities which contribute to the comfort, pleasure, contentment and mental and physical improvement of members, their families and guests. Membership in the organization is open to all reserve and former commissioned and warrant officers of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard who reside in Midland and surrounding areas. The organization has grown from a group of 20 organizers to a present membership of more than 250. The establishment of the group was promulgated by such members as Frank Essex, John Perkins, Frank Whitaker, Phil Yeckel, J. N. Walston, Clifford Cool, Bob Schmidt, Lane Taylor, H. W. Mathews, Pat Patterson, Walter Walne, Boyd Laughlin, Jack Felton and many others. Since its formation the club has grown to a point that it now occupies a large air-conditioned building at Midland Airport. H. W. Mathews is president of the Midland Officers Club. Other officers include Warner Beardsley, secretary-treasurer, and John Lindsey, vice president. Directors are: Bob Schmidt, Don McKibbin, Frank Whitaker, Dr. E. W. McCullough, Ursula Hays and Dr. George Ulvestad.



Toastmasters Club Is New Organization

The Toastmasters Club, a new unit founded in Midland May 23, 1950, is an organized group of ambitious men who seek to improve themselves in the art of speech, both in conversation and public address, as a means of increasing their usefulness in business, social and civic relations. The club, headed by Austin J. Six, has applied for a charter in Austin J. Six order to gain membership in the ranks of Toastmasters International, the parent group which was formed in 1932. Meetings are held each Tuesday in Hotel Scharbauer, with programs arranged so that each member is given the opportunity to participate by speaking before other members once every three weeks. Membership is restricted to 30 active members, to insure each member of being able to participate frequently. Other officers, elected temporarily until national recognition is granted, are Russell Hayes, vice president; George B. McBride, secretary-treasurer; W. L. Faller, sergeant-at-arms, and Burvin Hines, educational director.



An imported Hindu temple is located in the Garden of Meditation on the Florida Southern College campus at Lakeland.

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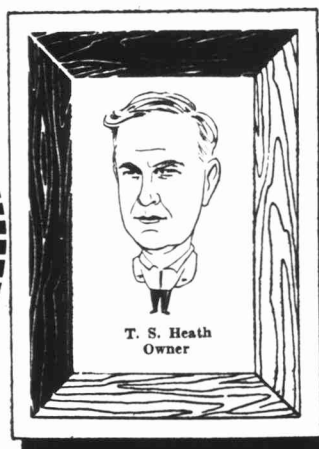
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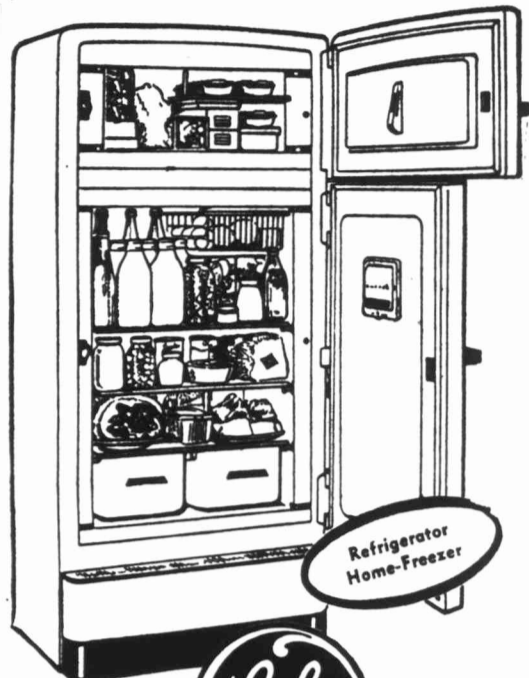
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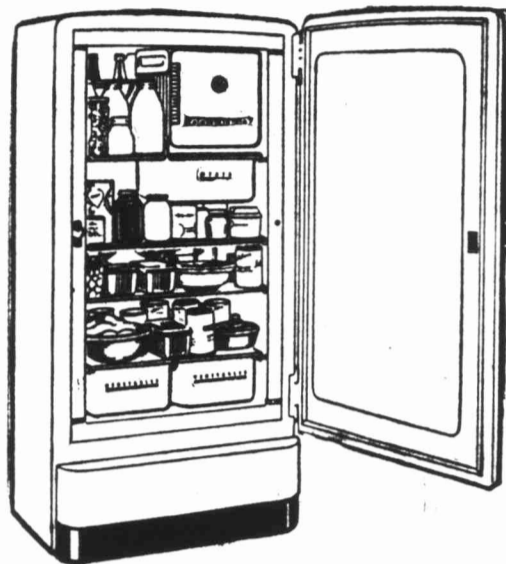
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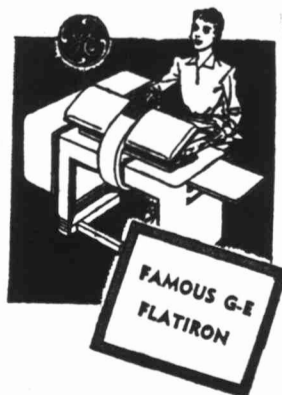
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Los Angeles Man Carves Out Hobby

LOS ANGELES —(P)— By day, Peter Zeolla fashions fireplaces of marble for the homes of the wealthy. By night, the 52-year-old stone cutter relaxes with a hobby—chip-ping stone. His idea of resting is to fetch his tools and chisel delicate designs on a rough slab of marble or onyx. Handmade ashtrays, bookends and lamp stands are his specialty. His latest creation: a scale model of a C-47 twin-engined transport plane fashioned out of brittle onyx—even to the wings. It took him two months to complete.

The Midland JayCees, completing their first year in October, are wives of JayCees whose purpose is to assist their husbands in social and civil projects.

Advertise or be forgotten

Midland Assembly Of Rainbow Girls Has Been Active Since November, 1948

Under the sponsorship of the Midland Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star, the Midland Assembly of the Order for Rainbow Girls was instituted on Nov. 13, 1948.

Willette Parr, worthy matron of the Eastern Star, and Riley Parr, worthy patron were active in leading the group. Under the direction of Martha Marie Whitfield, supreme deputy of the supreme assembly of the Rainbow Girls, the first officers were installed.

They were Royce Rae McKee, worthy advisor; Peggy Lou Whitson, worthy assistant advisor; Beverly Keisling, chair; Janis Slough, hope; Corinne Cowan, faith; Peggy Charlton, recorder; Glenda Hambleton, treasurer; Joan Wyche, chaplain; Patsy Bray, drill leader.

More Officers
Peggy Minear, musician; Arliss Ann Klebold, love; Martha Scharbauer, religion; Norma Krause, nature; Pat Emmons, immortality; Irma Driver, fidelity; Deneva Merrell, patriotism; Nelda McDuffy, service; Virginia Breedlove, confidential observer; Margie Carter, outer observer; and Lynn Griffith, choir director.



Betty Marie Nix

Other charter members were Mary Joyce Andrews, Wanda Burnside, Adele Blackman, Ann Boring, Donna Rae Dunn, Marilyn Dunagan, Jean Ferguson, Vie Jean Fuglaar, Wanelle Green, Shirley Rae Harrison, Swan Hagler, Sue Johnson, Annel Kinard, Norma Krause, Densil Ann Kemp, Virginia Kroenlein, Barbara Long, Betty Luckett, Rosalyn Leggett, Deneva Merrell, Betty Marie Nix, Pauline Norwood, Betty Reeves, Wanda Lou Steele, Jo Ann Thomas, Barbara Whitson.

Mother Advisor
Mrs. Fred Wycoff was the first mother advisor. Mrs. Clyde Hambleton is the present mother advisor. On Dec. 15, 1949, the assembly was constituted and received a number.

Worthy advisors since the organization of the assembly have been Miss McKee, Peggy Whitson, Miss Keisling, Miss Burnside and Miss Nix.

Tarche Fenoglio Heads Permian Basin Secretaries Group

Tarche Fenoglio is the president of the Permian Basin Chapter of the National Secretaries Association. The motto of the organization is "Better Living, Better Learning, Better Letters."

The aim of the association is to elevate the standards of the secretarial profession and to sponsor civic and cultural activities. It is the hope and plan of the National Secretaries Tarche Fenoglio to have legislation passed to provide a CPS rating—Certified Professional Secretary—such as the well-known CPA for accountants. The entire organization is working on a suitable bill.

The association helps in the employment of well-trained and experienced secretaries. Employers who need secretaries are asked to contact any member of the organization in order to contact the available secretaries. This service is not limited to members.

Worthy Projects
Besides educational and social activities, the association is willing to help any worthy cause. It has contributed to the Cancer Society and participated in the Midland Clean-Up campaign.

Other officers of the association are Evelyn Aiken, vice president; Frances Luchini, corresponding secretary; Lucille Smith, recording secretary; and Evelyn Dunlap, treasurer.

Other members include Ann Bates, Jane Beatty, Evelyn Cherry, Marie Coleman, Mary Doyle, Betty Goulet, Marjorie Hedges, Grace Hine, Brittle Holster, June Keel, Nadine Lewis, Lorene Marchionni, Myra McReynolds, Lorene Miller, Laura S. Self, Sally Temple, Betty Weeks, Elizabeth Williams and Annabelle Walker.



Shrine Club Is Active Group Here

The Midland Shrine Club, re-activated in 1947 after having been dormant through the war years, now has more than 200 members and continues to grow as a result of a current membership program.

A. A. (Poosty) Jones is president of the club, which is sanctioned by El Maida Shrine Temple of El Paso. Other officers include Lester Short, vice president; R. H. (Rusty) Gifford, secretary; and James Mims, treasurer.

Directors are James N. Allison, Bert Goodman, Otis Kelly, Ed Edwards, W. D. (Bill) Lane, Robert Payne, Dr. Henry Schlichting, W. W. (Bill) Wilson, Allen J. Watts, H. N. (Phil) Phillips, Paul McHargue and L. R. (Larry) Burnside.

Activities Cited
Regular entertainment and social events for Shriners of Midland and vicinity are staged by the Shrine Club.

The club also sponsors top-notch circuses and other events, with proceeds going to its special funds for charitable work.

Special projects have been completed within recent months in the Latin American and negro sections of the city.

The Midland Shrine Club is one of the most active and best "Get Acquainted" organizations in Midland.



A. A. Jones

Chicago Swimmer Piles Up The Miles

CHICAGO —(P)— If you ever see a big, bronzed fellow swimming far off the Chicago shore, chances are it will be William Lewis Gifford. Gifford—he's 58 and weighs 200 pounds—has been stroking through Lake Michigan's waters for 15 years. His season begins in April and ends in November.

The temperature of the water determines the length of his swim. He carries a thermometer around his waist. The warmer the water, the farther he goes. He figures he has swum 500 miles a year and now is well past the 7,000-mile mark. No, he's not a candidate for an English Channel crossing.

Play Readers Club Is Twenty Years Old

The Play Readers Club celebrates its twentieth anniversary this year. It was founded by Mrs. Tom Flood in 1930.

Mrs. Flood had belonged to a similar organization in another city and began the Midland club with five members. Two of the five who still are members of the club are Mrs. William Penn and Mrs. Elliott Barron.

The purpose of the club is to read and discuss modern plays. Once a year each member must brief a modern play to one hour and read it to the membership. A reader from the membership is elected each year to read at the annual Play Readers Tea, an annual event for guests.

The membership is limited to 20 members who must have mutual interest and training or experience in some field of dramatics. The group takes a deep interest in the Community Theater and all plays read during the year are presented to the theater for possible use.

Mrs. John Fitzgerald is the president, and other officers include Mrs. James Martin, vice president; Mrs. Wade Heath, secretary; Mrs. R. D. Scruggs, treasurer; and Mrs. Ralph Barron, historian. Other members include Mrs. Wallace Irwin, Mrs. DeLo Douglas, Mrs. Ray Howard, Mrs. Bill Bryant, Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mrs. W. B. Stowe, Mrs. William Pennebaker, Mrs. J. S. Roden, Mrs. Charles Marsh, Mrs. Charles Klapproth, Mrs. William Schneider and Mrs. J. E. Benkey.



Mrs. John Fitzgerald

LARGEST PYRAMID

The ancient Toltec pyramid at Cholula, Mexico, covers 45 acres and is the largest of its kind in the world, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

More than 36 per cent of all women working in Canadian factories are employed in the textile industry.

GOMBRON WARE

Chinaware was called gombroon ware until 1640, after a trading post on the Persian Gulf, through which porcelains were shipped to the Western world from China.

The National Geographic Society says Japanese men average five feet three inches in height, women four inches less.

HIDDEN IDENTITY

The "man in the iron mask" served 42 years in two French prisons, with his face hidden in an iron mask. Only a few high government officials knew who he was. He died in prison, and wore the mask to his grave. To this day his identity is a secret.

Menhaden fish meal is widely used in poultry and stock feeds.

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HAIFA, ISRAEL —(P)— Israelis are going in for something new — Mediterranean cruises without any ports of call. Almost 300 tourists left in the steamer "Artza" recently for a five-day pleasure voyage, but the vessel did not put in at any foreign port.

The national treasury imposed the restriction to save foreign currency.

The word "paradise" first was used by Xenophon, Greek historian and general, referring to a Persian enclosed park or pleasure ground.

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La Merienda Club Meets Once A Month

La Merienda Bridge Club was organized in September, 1946, with Mrs. George Byrne as the first president.

Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month from 1:30 to 3:00 p. m., in the Ranch House.

Two members act as hostesses for each meeting and make the necessary arrangements.

Mrs. Tom Edrington is the current president, and will be succeeded by Mrs. Louis A. Bartha in September.

Other past presidents are Mrs. Earl Ridge and Mrs. John V. Norman, Jr.

The club has made cash donations to various welfare organizations, including the Red Cross, Children's Service League, Goodfellow's, Infantile Paralysis Fund and the Community Chest.

Members Listed

Members include Mrs. C. H. Atchison, Mrs. Bartha, Mrs. Leo Brady, Mrs. J. R. Cantrell, Mrs. David Cole, Mrs. Arthur Cole, Mrs. Alan Leeper, Mrs. George Stewart, Mrs. Edrington, Mrs. Robert Pitting, Mrs. J. Wilmont Hunt, Mrs. Donald N. Johnson, Mrs. Maurice W. Kennedy, Mrs. Jess V. Lindsey, Mrs. F. A. Nelson, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Hastings Pannill, Mrs. S. L. Parham, Mrs. E. Dilley, Mrs. Jesse A. Rodgers, Mrs. Burl H. Self, Mrs. Raymond W. Snyder, Mrs. John Younger and Mrs. Frank Reeves.



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Midland Council Of Garden Clubs Serves Five Groups

Luncheon Club Aids Newcomers In City

The Welcome Wagon Newcomers Luncheon Club was organized by Mrs. Margaret Frances Barber, May 12, 1949. A tea was held for the first meeting with representatives from each church of the city acting as members of the house party.

Mrs. Lester Pierson was elected the first president. Other charter officers were Mrs. J. L. Brown, vice president; Mrs. Robert A. Bonnell, Jr., secretary; and Mrs. E. P. Puller, treasurer. Mrs. W. H. Oswalt now is the president. Other officers are Mrs. W. S. Key, vice president; Mrs. R. A. Wright, secretary; and Mrs. W. D. Gill, treasurer.

The club meets the second Tuesday of each month in the Ranch House for luncheon and card games. The purpose of the club is to help the newcomers of Midland to become better acquainted with Midland stores, churches, schools, library, and recreation centers. There now are more than 60 members of the club.

The Midland Council of Garden Clubs was organized by Mrs. Waldo Leggett and Mrs. J. C. Smith, May 24, 1947.

The executive boards of the Midland Garden Club, the Tejas Garden Club, and the Yucca Garden Club were present for the meeting.

Mrs. A. P. Shirley was elected the first chairman and Mrs. Roy Minear, secretary.

Mrs. J. D. Dillard will serve her second term as chairman this coming year.

The present membership includes representatives from the Midland, Yucca, Tejas, Perennial and Pyracantha Garden Clubs. Officers for the coming year include, Mrs. Richard Hinkle and Mrs. J. A. Koegler, vice chairmen; Mrs. John J. Reeves, secretary; Mrs. John J. Fletcher, Jr., treasurer; and Mrs. Sol Bunnell, corresponding secretary.

One of the projects each year has been serving food for the Midland Gun Club's West Texas Open Skeet Shoot. Money made from this has been put into the Midland Woman's Club Building fund. An annual flower show is sponsored each Fall and will be held October 25 of this year.

A special fund for cemetery beautification was established in October, 1948, and the beautification of Fairview Cemetery has been a major project of the council.

The president of each club and the council chairmen were asked to work as the official garden committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce in citywide beautification. A booklet concerning growing plants and shrubs and climatic and soil conditions was published by the Chamber of Commerce, which received a large part of its information from the garden clubs.

District One of Texas Garden Clubs, Incorporated, held its Spring convention in Midland, April 14-15. Each year the council cooperates with the Junior Chamber of Commerce in the National Clean-Up drive. Teams of workers are furnished for the Red Cross drive.

The main projects for the coming year are the annual flower show in October, presenting an outstanding guest speaker when the council entertains the Woman's Club in January, and serving food at the Fall skeet shoot.

Baptist Brotherhood Dedicated To Service

An opportunity for men to serve more fully in Christian service is afforded members of the Brotherhood of the First Baptist Church.

The First Baptist Brotherhood was organized in 1940, with C. G. Murray as the first president. It was founded to help provide a closer fellowship for the men of the First Baptist Church and serves as a Christian or Wesley Martin church civic club.

The Brotherhood meets each Tuesday noon in the First Baptist Church Recreation Hall. These weekly luncheon meetings were started in January, 1950.

Wesley Martin is president of the Brotherhood.

Harlan Howell, L. E. Patterson, Jr., Walter Weems and Dr. Glenn Walker comprise the membership committee, and Noel Carson, O. J. Hubbard, Thurman Pylant and Ernest Neill are members of the Program Committee.

Midland ranked fifth in West Texas in the total units value of new dwelling constructed in 1949, according to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research. Midland, with 695 dwelling units, ranked behind Lubbock, El Paso, Odessa and Abilene.

More than 60,000,000 barrels of oil have been discovered since 1859, the year of the industry's birth at Titusville, Pa.

Coterie Club Formed For Social Purposes

The Coterie Club, a group of persons meeting for social purposes, was organized and had its first social function, a dinner dance, at Christmas, 1946.

A. E. Pettit is the current president. R. E. LeBlond was the charter president. Other charter officers included Mrs. J. N. Walton, secretary and Walter Walne, treasurer. Current officers are Thornton Hardie, Jr. vice president; Mrs. Sol Brunnell, secretary; and Mrs. Ronald Jarrett, treasurer.

The charter members included Mr. and Mrs. LeBlond, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Durham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Walton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton, Mr. and Mrs. David Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Tarwater, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Walne and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walmsley.

The club now has a membership of 75 couples. Five dances are held each year, two of which are formal guest dances.

Lion Tamers Club Works With Lions

The Lion Tamer Club, composed of the wives of the members of the Midland Lions Club, was organized Nov. 12, 1947. Mrs. Jim Nolan was the first president, and working with her were Mrs. John H. Biggs, vice president; Mrs. Kit Carson, reporter; and Mrs. Russell Conkling, treasurer.

The purpose of the club is to promote fellowship and aid the Lions Club in any way possible. A ny wife of a member of the Lions Club is eligible for membership.

Mrs. James L. Daugherty is the current president. Other officers include Mrs. W. C. Kimball, vice president; Mrs. Lex C. Smith, reporter; and Mrs. Leroy Butler, treasurer.

Meetings are held the first Wednesday of each month.

The Nunatagmiut Eskimos, once numerous in Alaska, are believed to have been part Athabaskan Indian.

The oil industry is replacing exhausted wells at such a swift pace that a new producer is brought in every 23 minutes, according to a survey made by the American Petroleum Institute.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, AUG. 27, 1950-15

The United States, Canada, Australia and Argentina produced 89 per cent of the world's exportable grains last year, says the Encyclopedia Americana.

The Republic of Korea (South Korea) was formally inaugurated Aug. 15, 1948, and the American Military Government came to an end.

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