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WEATHER
Fair, continued cold Wednesday night with lowest temperatures 5-15 in South Plains and Panhandle and 15-25 elsewhere. Thursday fair and not quite so cold. Maximum temperature Tuesday 33 degrees, minimum Wednesday 8 degrees.

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Schleicher Prospect Flows Wolfcamp Oil

Frankel Brothers and Shell Oil Company No. 1 Williams, wildcat in Central-North Schleicher County, indicated as a possible discovery from the Wolfcamp of the Permian when it flowed 92 barrels of oil plus two-tenths per cent basic sediment and water natural in 10 hours through a 38/64-inch tubing choke. The flow came through perforations in the 5 1/2-inch casing opposite the zone at 5,320-40 feet in the Wolfcamp lime of the lower Permian.

After the 10 hour test operators shut in the well to test the casing for a leak. After that is found and filled it is planned to test further. Gas-oil ratio of the petroleum produced during the testing was a 45:1.

This project is operating on a plugged back total depth of 5,906 feet. The casing is cemented at that point.

This prospective new field open is 12 miles south of Merton and 660 feet from south and 810 feet from west lines of section 26, HE&WT survey, abstract 1,136.

It drilled to a bottom of 7,241 feet in the Ellenburger. That horizon made sulphur water and had no shows of oil or gas.

Tex-Harvey Outpost Recovers Clean Oil

Ted Weiner and associates No. 1-14 O'Daniel, Central-East Midland County prospect, one and one-quarter miles northeast of the Tex-Harvey field, is credited with recovering 1,080 feet of clean oil during a three and one-half hour drill-test in the Spraberry sand at 7,000-7,265 feet.

Gas surfaced in 35 minutes. There was no gauge or estimate on the gas volume. No water was shown with the oil.

Operator is reported to be preparing to use the Hydracraft treatment on the Spraberry between the top of that formation at 7,000 feet and the total depth at 7,265 feet.

On the top of the Spraberry at 7,000 feet the project has a datum of minus 4,250 feet, which correlates to be 10 feet high to the same marker in the nearest completed producer from the Spraberry in the Tex-Harvey field.

Location is 660 feet from south and 664.7 feet from west lines of section 4, block 37, St Wright survey.

C-W Midland Tester Is Flowing More Oil

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 H. F. Timmerman, Pennsylvania discovery in Central-West Midland County, 11 1/2 miles south and slightly west of the City of Midland, flowed 19 hours through a 28/64-inch tubing choke and made 321 barrels of 44.2-gravity oil.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,770-1. Flowing tubing pressure was from 680 to 500 pounds. The well is still flowing to clean out and complete.

The production was coming from perforated section in the Pennsylvania limestone at 10,440-485 feet. That section had been shot with four jet charges to the foot.

Location is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 8, block 40, T-3-S, T&P survey. It is two and one-quarter miles south and slightly east of the center of the Parks-Ellenburger field.

Glasscock Explorer High On Spraberry

Southern Minerals Corporation No. 1 Houston, wildcat in Northwest Glasscock County six miles southeast of Stanton, is drilling below 6,821 feet in Spraberry sand, which was topped at 6,784 feet.

That is on a datum of minus 4,168 feet and makes it 300 feet high on the top of the Spraberry to the wells in the Germania field in Northeast Midland County.

No drillstem tests have been taken since the Spraberry was reached in the No. 1 Houston.

The Spraberry top in that exploration was picked by electric log. Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of the southeast quarter of section 13, block 38, T&P survey, T-2-S and 10 miles east of Germania and approximately six miles east and slightly north of the Germania-Spraberry field.

SE Scurry Wildcat Is To Drill Deeper

Thomas W. Dowell and T. M. Pettigrew No. 1 G. E. Chorn, post- (Continued On Page 10)

Eighth Army Halts Mass Retreat

Truman, Attlee Put Emphasis On Production

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee Wednesday agreed a vigorous effort must be made to increase production and assure most effective use of scarce raw materials available to the United States and Britain.

After a morning meeting of the two government heads, the White House issued this statement:

"The discussion centered on the economic problems arising from the mutual defense efforts, with particular reference to raw material requirements. "It was agreed that the problem of raw materials shortages was vitally urgent and that vigorous efforts should be made to increase production and to assure the most effective use of the limited supplies available. "A wide area of agreement was apparent, and a working party was established to explore the matter further. "Europe Conflict Center "The meeting was the third conference between the President and the prime minister since the British leader's arrival here Monday. "Before Wednesday's statement, diplomatic informants had said about the firmest point yet developed in the British-American discussions was agreement that Europe is the prime center of conflict with Soviet communism. "By implication, the reported agreement affirms the British view—and one long held by many high officials here—that the Western powers cannot allow a large portion of their military strength to be sucked into a conflict with Red China. "Responsible informants reported the Truman-Attlee session on the Presidential Yacht Williamsburg Tuesday afternoon was concerned with possible military and diplomatic (Continued On Page 11)

Charlie Ross Dies Of Heart Ailment At Desk In White House

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Charlie Ross, 65, President Truman's official voice in day-to-day contacts with newsmen, is dead. "The President's press secretary died at 5:50 p.m. Tuesday of a heart ailment. "As he would have wished it, Ross died at his desk and, more important, as a reporter. "Ross, long an ace reporter for the St. Louis Post-Dispatch—had a just reported to about 40 newsmen on the second conference of the President and Prime Minister Attlee. "When the reporters left to telephone their stories, he lit a cigarette, then slumped over in his chair. He died there, where he had sat for much of the time for five years, giving answers to reporters which were quoted around the globe. Grew Up With Truman "Brig. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, the President's physician, rushed up from the White House basement, but he said later, "He was gone before I got there. "Graham said Ross had had a series of heart attacks, the last major one about two months ago. But not even some of the press secretary's closest friends were aware of this. "The President and Ross grew up together in Independence, Mo., where Ross was born. They and Mrs. Truman graduated together from the Independence High School in 1901. The President turned to him when he needed a press secretary after Franklin D. Roosevelt died. "As a newspaperman, he had won a Pulitzer prize in 1931 for an article on the depression outlook. "Ross is to be interred in Washington. The services probably will be held Thursday.

Police Arrest Eight In Investigation Of Nitro Bomb Slaying

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Squads of Fort Worth plainclothes officers struck swiftly and simultaneously here Wednesday to arrest a group of gamblers and police characters in what police said was the latest development in the Nelson Harris nitro bomb slaying investigation. "Police said the arrests might lead to the unraveling of the explosion here November 22 that killed Harris, ex-convict gambler, and his wife. "It also was believed the roundup might have repercussions throughout the underworld here and other places. "Seized in the raids at mid-morning were: Jim Thomas, 55, ex-convict; Tiffin Hall, 50; Howard L. Stripling, 50; Ernest Woodrow Hayes, 37; John Turner Reynolds, 50; Dick Mallard Crowover, 28; Andrew Robert (Bob) Floyd, 46, and Elmer Sharp, 36. "All were charged on the police blotter as "S/C Fugitive" (suspicious characters), a routine charge placed against persons whom officers want to question before lodging specific complaints. "Seventeen plainclothesmen made the arrests.

Bone Dry Era In Big Spring Starts Wednesday Night

BIG SPRING—(AP)—The last legal liquor and beer was being sold in Big Spring Wednesday. "As a result of a recent local option election, the legal sale of liquor in Howard County ends at 10 p.m. and at midnight for wine and beer. "Tuesday, liquor stores reported their stocks depleted by customers stocking up for the prohibition period. One dealer said he had ordered more whiskey, gin and wine since November 1 than in any two ordinary months.

No 'New Money' In Chest Drive

MIDLAND'S Community Chest campaign had no "new money" to report Wednesday. "The total announced Tuesday was \$44,329 and that still was the amount Wednesday. "Plans are being made to complete the drive and reach quota of \$45,356, workers said Wednesday. "Victor Adding Machines are your best buy. Call Baker Office Equipment Co., Phone 2834, 511 West Texas. (Adv.)



BRITISH BRASS AT CONFERENCE—Air Chief Marshal Arthur Tedder, left, and Field Marshal Sir William Slim, chief of the imperial general staff, right, who accompanied British Prime Minister Attlee to a White House conference with President Truman, leave the White House after a session ended. (NEA Telephoto)

Stassen Calls For Ultimatum To Reds

TOKYO—(AP)—Harold E. Stassen urged Wednesday an immediate cease-fire in Korea—or if that fails—an all-out assault with atomic and other weapons on Red China's military might. "The former Minnesota governor and aspirant for the 1948 Republican nomination for President gave his views at a news conference a day after he had a private talk with General MacArthur. "But with MacArthur's chief press officer at his elbow, Stassen insisted the "cease-fire or else" plan was his own and that he had not discussed it with the UN commander. "Stassen, president of the University of Pennsylvania, is on a personal survey tour. "In a statement circulated at the news conference he did not mention the atomic bomb. But he said if the Reds refuse to cease fire by midnight Friday (9 a.m. CST) MacArthur should be directed to strike "in any manner" at Chinese Communist military targets in Korea or China. "Under questioning of correspondents, Stassen said striking "in any manner" meant use of atomic weapons if feasible. "Stassen suggested that cease-fire should be followed by withdrawal of all non-Korean forces from Korea and UN mediation of differences over the country.

'Operation Democracy' Scheduled

Thursday is Operation Democracy Day for American Legion posts in Texas, and a "Freedom Fire" will climax the observance in Midland sponsored by Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19. The fire will be set at 7 p.m. on the Junior American Legion Park grounds. "Operation Democracy is aimed at boosting our democratic way of life. More than 770 Posts in Texas will set Freedom Fires and Governor Allan Shivers will make an address over a radio network in conjunction with the observance. "The Freedom Fire is a symbol of our fire of freedom, as set forth by Governor Shivers and State Legion Commander Bill Ekins. "Floyd O. Rhoden, adjutant and chairman of the Operation Democracy project in Midland, is enthusiastic about Thursday's program. "Observance of Operation Democracy comes at a crucial time," Rhoden said, "and the freedom loving peoples of the world should realize that democracy is the symbol of devotion for world peace." "Other Midland organizations have been asked to cooperate in the program, including schools and (Continued On Page 11)

Midland Fair, Inc., Sets Annual Meet

Stockholders of Midland Fair, Inc., will hold their annual meeting at noon Saturday in the Private Dining Room of Hotel Scharbauer, J. Homer Epley, secretary-treasurer, announced Wednesday. Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., is president of the organization, which sponsors and stages the annual World Championship Midland Rodeo. "Officers and directors for 1951 will be elected at the Saturday noon gathering. A financial report will be submitted and plans will be discussed for the staging of the 1951 rodeo. "Association officers said all stockholders are invited and urged to attend.

FOOD PRICE INDEX TAKES ANOTHER JUMP

NEW YORK—(AP)—Wholesale food prices, as measured by the Dun & Bradstreet index, this week jumped to the highest level since September 21, 1949. "The index climbed to 84.77 compared with 84.67 last week and was 17.5 per cent above the 83.76 level of a year ago.

Icy Blasts Chill All Of Texas

By The Associated Press "A hard freeze gripped most of Texas Wednesday. Temperatures went to two degrees above zero in the Panhandle. But the lowest tip of the Rio Grande Valley—the rich vegetable and citrus area—missed freezing weather by a degree or so. "But the forecast for the deepest part of the valley for Thursday was for temperatures 30 degrees or lower. "The norther which whipped through the state Tuesday brought insignificant amounts of snow and rain in drouth-staggered Texas. "The 12 degrees recorded at Dallas was the lowest in the city's history for this time of year and was within two degrees of the record for December. "Snowfalls light "Dust and light snow marked the progress of the norther through the state. "Heaviest snows Tuesday occurred in the Vernon-Electra area. Vernon reported two inches and Electra said drifts were a foot deep. Beaumont had 32 inch of rain and traces of rain or snow were reported at Midland, Abilene, Galveston, Wichita Falls, Wink, Texarkana, Dallas and Bonham. "The highest temperature in the state early Wednesday was 35 degrees at Brownsville. "Wednesday night the mercury is expected to sink back to severe levels. The Panhandle and South Plains (Continued On Page 11)

'Old Man Winter' Still Has Chilly Grasp On Midland

Old Man Winter still held Midland and the Permian Basin in his chilly grasp Wednesday, with the mercury tumbling to a season low of eight degrees early in the morning. "Texas Electric Service Company reported power failure in several sections of the city due to the frigid weather. Both Midland radio stations were forced off the air because of power failure. KJCB was silenced from about 7:45 until 9 a.m. KORS lost a little air time earlier in the morning. "The CAA Communications Station at Municipal Airport reported a low temperature of eight degrees between 6 and 7:30 a.m. Wednesday. By 10 a.m., the mercury had risen to 20 degrees, and a high of 35 to 38 degrees was expected. A low of 15 to 18 degrees is in prospect for Wednesday night and Thursday morning. "Gas Service Calls "The City Water Department reported no increase in service calls due to freezing weather, but West Texas Gas Company had a big jump in the number of service calls. Most of the complaints charged low pressure. Servicemen found, however, that improper adjustment of stoves was the principal reason for the "low pressure." "Texas Electric Service Company had circuits down on the San Angelo and Andrews highways, and officials also reported "numerous calls from all over town." Complete service was restored by 10 a.m.

Dr. Kurt Lekisch Named Director Of Cancer Clinic

The appointment of Dr. Kurt Lekisch as executive director of the newly-organized cancer clinic here was announced Wednesday as plans were made for the organization of a Midland Memorial Hospital Cancer Clinic Foundation. "A meeting of persons interested in joining the foundation will be held at 8 p.m. Monday in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church, 1412 West Illinois Street. "The announcement of the appointment of Dr. Lekisch, who has been a Midland physician the last 10 years, was made by Dr. Richard Harrell, administrator of the hospital. "Dr. Lekisch said the announcement, "has outlined an ambitious program for the diagnosis and treatment clinic which will assist the doctors of West Texas and Southern New Mexico in taking care of the diagnosis and treatment of their cancer patients." "The initial meeting of the foundation will feature an address by J. Louis Neff, Houston, executive director for Texas of the American Cancer Society. "The foundation is being organized to aid in financing the clinic. (Continued On Page 11)

New Line Of Defense Set In Northwest

TOKYO—(AP)—Allied Eighth Army forces halted their mass retreat south from Pyongyang Wednesday and dug in for a new Western Korean stand against the on-rushing armies of Red China. "General MacArthur's headquarters kept secret the location of the new line. The Americans, South Koreans, British and Turks of the Eighth Army, with their better transport, had outrun the Chinese and every hour was vital in bulwarking their new positions.

Korean War At A Glance

By The Associated Press "Fighting front—Allied Eighth Army digs in for new stand in West Korea south of Pyongyang. U. S. Army Chief of Staff J. Lawton Collins says troops' morale high and Army is capable of taking care of itself. Situation facing Tenth Corps in northeast "very grave." "United Nations—Thirteen Asian and Middle Eastern nations appeal to Red China to halt troops at 38th parallel. "Washington—President Truman and British Prime Minister Attlee study impact of Korean reverses and means of maintaining United Nations prestige. Speedy buildup of military forces in Western Europe forecast. "The chief of staff said he could see no worthwhile tactical use for the atom bomb in Korea. "Collins plans a flight Wednesday to the northeast front, where 100,000 Chinese were mounting a vast enveloping move around five scattered Allied divisions of the U. S. First Corps. "One Chinese spearhead already had cut the main highway between the two major east coast ports of Hungnam and Wonsan. Hungnam is about 50 air miles north of Wonsan, 16th Corps headquarters. "MacArthur's headquarters reported from Koto that Marines in their darkened tent city there appeared hopelessly trapped but were determined to make a fight for (Continued On Page 11)

High Court Orders Tidelands Refunds To Two Oil Firms

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Supreme Court Wednesday ordered the state to refund \$123,360 in Tidelands rentals to two oil companies that had paid under protest. "It issued a mandamus directing Land Commissioner Bascom Giles and other state officials to give the Ohio Oil Company and the Melben Oil Company their money back. "The oil companies had paid Giles the \$123,360 for annual rental on 123,360 acres of submerged lands in the Gulf of Mexico on Nov. 7, 1949. They put up the cash under protest, claiming that by law they were exempt from such payment while the Tidelands were in litigation. The state had argued the oil companies didn't have to hold the leases if they thought it was too risky during the Tidelands litigation. "The Supreme Court's decision made it clear it was deciding only the question of whether or not the rentals should be paid back, and not the future status of the leases.

Midlander's Brother Killed In Crash

Johnny Trigg, 27-year-old brother of a Midland woman and a frequent visitor here, was killed Tuesday night in an automobile crash near his home in Cisco. "He is a brother of Mrs. J. T. Klingler, 2200 West Brunson Street. "Mrs. Klingler said she had learned none of the details of the accident. "Mr. and Mrs. Klingler and daughter, Nancy, left for Cisco Wednesday morning.

Asphalt Tank Explodes, Burns

A storage tank containing an estimated 800 gallons of asphalt exploded and burned at 11:25 a.m. Wednesday on the Garden City Highway one mile east of the city limits. Neither of the two workmen who were loading a Texas Highway Department truck was injured. "Three fire trucks answered the call, and by 11:40 the fire was under control. The tank was pitched over on its side by the force of the explosion. The truck, which was used for work on state highways, was damaged badly. "A. A. Cook and John W. If were loading the truck with asphalt when the explosion occurred. The cause of the blast was not determined immediately.

Texan Charged In Iowa Bank Burglary

TYLER, TEXAS—(AP)—Yancy Douglas Hardy of Tyler was held in jail in Paris, Texas, Wednesday on charges of burglary of the LaCrosse State Bank at Lattawa, Iowa. "He was arrested here December 2 by FBI agents and Tyler officers. He was arraigned the same day and later transferred to the Paris jail. His bond was set at \$25,000, returnable at Sioux City, Iowa.

15 SHOPPING DAYS LEFT!

Buy Christmas Seals

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Bogart And Helpmann Become Pals After 'Sociable' Game

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—The Laugh Parade: Lauren Bacall dragged Humphrey Bogart to a performance of the Sadlers Wells ballet when it played Los Angeles and he's still yawning. "A little too classical for me." But the other night the Bogart entertained ballet star Robert Helpmann at their home and Bogie liked him much better.

"We shot craps," Bogie whispered to me. . . . There's a big discussion among an Air Force group in a scene for "The Thing" about who will decide what to do with a captured man-from-Mars. A private says: "The captain will consult the major, the major will consult the general and the general will consult the Pentagon and the Pentagon will consult Truman."

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SOCIETY

Jo Spinks, K. Goode Have Home Wedding

Betty Jo Spinks became the bride of Kenneth Goode Monday in a double ring ceremony in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goode, 109 West Florida Street. J. Woodie Holden, minister of the Church of Christ, officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Spinks of Clyde. The ceremony was read before a background arrangement of white gladioli and candelabra. The bride wore a navy blue suit with pink gloves and a gray hat and shoes. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid. Wanda Spinks of Abilene, sister of the bride, was the bridesmaid. She wore a brown suit with a corsage of pink rosebuds. Dunny Goode of Abilene was his brother's best man.

Dinner Honors Couple

A rehearsal dinner honored Dorothy Wolcott and David Wilhelm Tuesday night in the Midland Country Club. The dinner was given by Mrs. Thelma Ross.

The couple was married Wednesday in the home of the bride's parents. The table was centered with an arrangement of white mums and carnations with white satin hearts and white wedding bells.

Those attending were Mrs. Alma Wilhelm, Houston; Mrs. J. O. Kernole, Anderson; Mrs. Wickeye and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wickeye, Anderson; Anne Tolbert and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolcott, parents of the bride-elect.

Mrs. Edwin F. Alstrin gave a tea for Miss Wolcott Saturday in her home. The table was covered with an Italian cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of white mums in a silver bowl and white tapers.

Miss Wolcott and her mother wore corsages of white chrysanthemums. Others attending were Mary Ann Goddard, Mary Nell Moran, Anne Tolbert, Ann Tucker, Barbara Cowden, Frances Puett, Grace Baker, Shirley Lones, Diana Neiss, Virginia Dunagan, Mrs. Dean Baker, Mrs. Alvin Bauman, Mrs. George Glass, Mrs. Guy Cowden, Mrs. Clyde Cowden, Mrs. H. A. Farley, Mrs. Dan Lillis, Mrs. G. H. McClure, Mrs. Steve Currie, Mrs. E. Wheeler and Mrs. Allen Tolbert.

First Baptist WMU Observes Lottie Moon Week Of Prayer

Programs were presented Monday and Tuesday mornings by the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church in observance of the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer. The theme for the week is "The Urgency of World Voices."

The Tuesday program was presented by the Rebecca Circle led by Mrs. Ralph Day. Those participating were Mrs. J. B. Bain, Mrs. C. L. Wristen, Mrs. James T. Windham, Mrs. J. E. McCain and Mrs. R. J. Denton.

Others present were Mrs. Norman Taylor, Mrs. Ernest Neill, Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Mrs. J. W. Schroeder, Mrs. W. C. Voss, Mrs. Morris Hill, Mrs. E. B. Sparks, Mrs. O. E. Phillips, Mrs. E. F. Conner, Mrs. Bernard Alired, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Mrs. Albert Clement, Mrs. C. F. Hunter, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford, Mrs. C. W. Puqua, Alta Merrell, Mrs. Horace Luce, Mrs. C. G. Murray, Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mrs. G. L. Evans and Mrs. J. S. Griffith.

Leads Monday Program The Monday session of the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer was led by the Annie Barron Circle under the direction of Mrs. James Mims. "Voice of the Seeking Multitudes" was the day's topic.

Those taking part in the program were Mrs. Charles Matthews, Mrs. Walton Porter, Mrs. G. L. Evans, Mrs. N. R. Taylor, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, Mrs. Merrell Hutto, Mrs. Don Elliott, Mrs. Ernest Neill, Mrs. Thurman Pylant, Mrs. Vernon Yearby and Mrs. Robert Goff.

Others present were Mrs. E. H. Thacker, Mrs. Morris Hill, Mrs. C. M. Dunagan, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford, Mrs. C. G. Murray, Mrs. J. E. Williamson, Mrs. Horace Luce, Mrs. J. W. Schroeder, Mrs. L. E. Patterson, Mrs. Albert Clement, Mrs. Joe Smith and Mrs. Frank Monroe.

Annual 'Forest' Of Yule Trees Springs Up Here

Fir, spruce and balsam trees from the treed slopes of Washington and the mountains of New Mexico have found their way to Midland. And they won't be used for landscaping or firewood.

It is Christmas tree time, and vendors here have received their supplies. An estimated 3,000 trees already have appeared on the Midland market.

Trees this year are higher in price than in 1949—but what isn't? And on the brighter side, most merchants agree the trees that will brighten up many homes this year are much nicer than last season's offerings.

Trees available in Midland range in size from two feet in height to towering 25-foot firs for use in outside decorations. The price range is from 50 cents to \$10. Although a tree can be purchased for as little as 50 cents or as much as \$10, most of the trees on stands here are in the \$1-2 price range. Most of these trees are from three to six feet high, and the vendors put them on stands.

For folks who prefer a silver or white tree, a few merchants have them available. Most of them are small trees—from 30 to 36 inches in height—and priced from \$1.50 up. The bulk of Christmas trees here came from Tacoma and Hoodport, Wash. Several stands sell their trees by tags, which indicate the different sizes and qualities.

Several merchants have discontinued handling of Christmas trees because the profits are not great and the risk of having several left on hand is ever present.

A grocer who put his trees on sale Monday had a comment on handling them. "Possibly we could sell 200 trees," he said, "but I ordered only 50, and when they are gone we will have no more."

Anyway, Christmas trees are here—in several sizes, colors and price ranges—and come Christmas morning many Midlanders will open their gifts and celebrate around the family Christmas tree.

Cotton NEW YORK (AP)—Wednesday noon cotton prices were 70 cents to \$1.90 a bale higher than the previous close. December 42.34, March 42.14 and May 41.33.

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Garden Club Has Luncheon, Exchanges Gifts

A Christmas luncheon was held by the members of the Pyracontha Garden Club Tuesday in the Midland Officers Club. Mrs. W. L. Johnson read the legend of the Christmas rose.

The members exchanged garden gifts. Mrs. Barney Graff brought a flower arrangement of red carnations. Arrangements of Christmas greenery and red candles decorated the tables. Members of the decoration committee were Mrs. Ed Shakely, Mrs. H. W. Mathews, Mrs. E. V. Mitchell and Mrs. Brutus Hanks.

Others present were Mrs. W. M. Bumpass, Mrs. E. W. Cowden, Mrs. Max David, Mrs. Jack Doran, Mrs. Frank Downey, Mrs. T. P. Drew, Mrs. Waldo Fletcher, Mrs. Fred J. Hill, Mrs. G. O. Hughes, Mrs. I. W. Hynd, Mrs. L. A. Kuykendall, Mrs. Jack Castner, Mrs. R. R. Louden, Mrs. Coe Mills.

Mrs. Harry Murray, Mrs. H. S. McPadden, Mrs. Harry Russell, Mrs. Charles Sherwood, Mrs. F. N. Shriver, Mrs. Stuart Sisley, Mrs. Joe C. Smith, Mrs. R. C. Spivey, Mrs. E. A. Wainwright, Mrs. E. R. Woolfolk and Mrs. Fay Hoffer.

One of the last frontier towns in the Indian country is Gallup, N. M.

STOCKTON GIRL WINS NATIONAL WOOL PRIZE

CASPER, WYO. (AP)—A \$50 savings bond was enroute Wednesday to Barbara Rainwater at Fort Stockton, Texas. She won second prize in the Wool Bureau's contest on "Why I Like to Sew With Wool."



Mrs. Katherine McCubbins, 4468 Louisville Ave., Louisville, Ky., says she feels terribly sorry and wants to extend lots of sympathy to thousands of folks all over the country bothered with vague aches and pains due to a deficiency of Vitamins B1, B2, Niacin and Iron. Mrs. McCubbins says she knows how they feel because it wasn't too long ago she felt that way. Mrs. McCubbins was just beside herself in knowing what to do about such misery. However, Mrs. McCubbins found out she had a deficiency of Vitamins B1, B2, Niacin and Iron and started taking HADACOL.

Here is Mrs. McCubbins' own statement: "My nerves were so bad the least little thing would completely upset me. I was very thin, too—my husband says I was a walking shadow. I was just beside myself in knowing what to do. Then one day a neighbor friend of mine heard how other folks were being helped by HADACOL—she insisted I try it. I started taking HADACOL. Now I feel wonderful for the first time in years and years. I sleep all night long—I eat everything I want and never have a bad effect. I've gained weight—folks are amazed at the change in me. HADACOL is very wonderful—I just can't praise HADACOL enough."

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Lunchroom Workers Attend Workshop

Forty-six lunchroom supervisors or personnel of lunchrooms from Midland, McCombs, Garden City, Crane, Stanton and Greenwood recently attended a workshop held in the Midland High School cafeteria.

Miss Stella Peeks, area lunchroom supervisor, was in charge of the meeting.

Attending were: Mrs. Lucille Howell, Mrs. Annie Mayo, Mrs. Edith Wilson, Mrs. Hamet B. Arnold, Mrs. Martha Stewart, Mrs. Dorothy Colman, Mrs. Ora Aslem, Mrs. Goldie Coonie, Mrs. Emma Lee Nell, Mrs. Lillie Howard, Mrs. Lillie Hobbs, Mrs. Ella Tidwell, Miss Nancy Abbott, Mrs. Nadine Bond, Mrs. Marie Degeba, Mrs. C. W. Ramsey, Mrs. Ida Bourke, Miss Druce Conner, Mrs. Leila Pile, Mrs. Myrtle Schols, Mrs. Altha Webb, Mrs. Florence Patterson, Mrs. Maye Smith and Mrs. Clyde King of Midland; Mrs. Ruby Coola, Mrs. G. C. Ranley, Mrs. Sinia Nowlin, Mrs. T. S. Tension, Mrs. C. A. Weddle and Mrs. F. D. Belcher of McCombs; Mrs. Nettie Kelley, Mrs. D. M. Holcomb, Mrs. Louise Watts, Mrs. Roy F. George, Mrs. C. W. Laird, Mrs. Lona Heard, Mrs. Mildred L. Candler, Mrs. Ruby Dickson, Mrs. Audrey Grissom and Mrs. O. S. Shamrock of Crane; Mrs. Pauline Cam, Mrs. Retta Stephens and Mrs. Alpha Self of Garden City; Mrs. Bill Baggett and Mrs. J. T. Davis of Stanton; and Mrs. Louisa Baxter of Greenwood.

Midlander Passes State Bar Exams WACO — Leonard Howell, Baylor University student from Midland, has passed his state bar examinations, Dean Abner V. McCall of the Baylor Law School, announced.

The barristers took the test in September, Dean McCall said, and the list of those who passed was released this week by Henry L. Steuble, secretary of the State Examining Board. Howell is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Howell, 601 South Fort Street, Midland. He is a member of Alpha Chi, national scholastic honor society, and is listed in Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities.

ADMITTED FOR TREATMENT Harry O'Donnell, Midland Hotel, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

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COMING EVENTS

THURSDAY

The Parent Education Group of the David Crockett Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. W. D. Gill, 1803 North Main Street. Frank Blackwell, principal of David Crockett Elementary School, will speak on "The Kind of Teacher Parents Like."

The VFW Auxiliary will meet at 8 p.m. in the VFW Hall.

The JayCee-ettes will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Howard Ford, 1111 West Wall Street.

The Ranchland Hill Country Club will hold a square dance at 8 p.m. in the clubhouse.

The Lottie Moon and the Lockett Circles of the First Baptist Church will be in charge of the program, "Voice of the Lost Millions," to be held in the church in observance of the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer.

The Young Women's Auxiliary will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Anna Joyce Streeter, 709 North D Street.

The Junior Choir of the Trinity Episcopal Church will practice at 7 p.m. in the church.

The Altrusa Club will have a luncheon at noon in the Blue Room of Hotel Scharbauer.

The Stephens College Alumnae will meet at 8 p.m. for a Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Robert Searles, Jr., 1703 North Sam Houston Street, Odessa. Co-hostess will be Mrs. John Younger of Midland. For reservations and transportation, call Mrs. Gerald Nobles at 9029 or Mrs. Younger at 3342.

The Women's Missionary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church will meet at 2 p.m. in the church in observance of the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer.

The Girls' Choir of the First Methodist Church will meet at 4:15 p.m. in the primary room. The Vesper Choir will meet at 8:30 p.m.

The Applied Arts Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Palette Club Studio at 604 North Colorado Street.

Social order of the Beauceants will meet at 2 p.m. in the Masonic Hall for the election of officers.

The American Association of University Women will have its annual tea from 3:30-5:30 p.m. in the Ranchland Hill Country Club.

The Xi Theta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. G. B. Hallman, 409 West Dakota Street.

The Midland Garden Club will meet at 10 a.m. in the home of Mrs. W. A. Yeager, 1704 West Missouri Street.

The executive board of the St. Ann's Mothers Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Ed Kent, 418 Andrews Highway.

The Mary Martha Circle of the First Baptist Church will be in charge of the program, "The Voice of the Prince of Peace," to be held in the church at 10 a.m. in observance of the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer.

The Young People's luncheon will be held at noon in the church.

The Sunshine Makers 4-H Club will have a harvest banquet at 7:30 p.m. in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

The Ladies Golf Association of the Midland Country Club will have a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the clubhouse.

The Postal Clerks Auxiliary will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Ray Wright, 800 South Colorado Street.

Mrs. Paul Anderson will have a coffee at 10 a.m. in her home at 612 Outhbert Street honoring the members of Alpha Phi Sorority.

The Moment Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a.m. in the Watson Studio.

The League of Women Voters will meet at 9:15 a.m. in Hotel Scharbauer.

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SATURDAY

The 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 Dunbar branch. At Terminal, the time will be 10 a.m.

The boys' and girls' choirs of the First Methodist Church will practice at 10:30 a.m. in the church.

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SAN ANGELO—A chorus of 189 voices will join the San Angelo Symphony Orchestra here for a Christmas Concert at 3:30 p.m. Sunday.

A program of Christmas music has been arranged for the second concert of the 1950-51 season for the San Angelo Symphony.

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He shall separate himself from wine and strong drink and shall drink no vinegar of wine, or vinegar of strong drink, neither shall he drink any liquor of grapes, nor eat moist grapes, or dried.—Numbers 6:3.

No Moral Issue Involved

A prominent church organization declares that maybe it would be all right for us to use the atomic bomb if it is dropped on our cities first.

This statement unquestionably represents a decision taken after prolonged soul-searching by leading churchmen. But unfortunately it falls into the standard misconception that the atomic bomb involves a great moral issue.

It clearly does not. Except for the killing effects of radiation, the A-bomb differs from other bombs chiefly in the magnitude of its impact. The ways in which it kills are the ways all bombs kill. It simply strikes down many more people at one time.

It is no more immoral to use an A-bomb than to use a pistol if the weapon is employed in pursuit of aggressive aims. That's the point: the real moral offense is aggression, for it is this crime which lets down the bars to violence.

Once we are in a war, it must be left to the discretion of our high command what weapons to use and when. That must be so whether we are fighting the Russians or the Chinese or anybody. There can be no rule that we are free to use the A-bomb against one enemy but not against another.

And we certainly should not have to wait until the enemy employs it, for by that time it might well be too late for us to drop it with the most telling effect.

Suppose for argument's sake that we should become embroiled in full-scale war with Red China. Our leaders should not yield to frantic calls that the A-bomb be promptly dumped on major Chinese cities.

Their decision should be made on the basis of the military realities they then confront. The A-bomb is costly. We don't have an unlimited store. Is the advantage to be gained through dropping it sufficient to offset these factors?

Can the same result be achieved more efficiently by other means? Or is the disposition of enemy resources such that the A-bomb's terrific concentration of force can be applied effectively?

These are the types of questions military men would ask themselves in any big war. A final decision likely would have to be made by the President as commander-in-chief. But the ingredients of that decision should be military—not moral.

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DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND. Includes a small portrait of Drew Pearson.

WASHINGTON — The Right Honorable Clement Attlee, now prime minister of Britain, once served a brief term as dishwasher in the U. S. A. It happened during the United Nations conference in San Francisco in 1945, when Attlee was deputy prime minister.

Reason for the alarm was not only the tragically precarious position of UN troops in Korea, but because allied diplomats knew what the American public didn't—namely, that on three specific occasions, the British made proposals for avoiding a clash with China.

So They Say. A column of short, humorous observations.

What's RIGHT? When dialing a residential telephone number, a voice you do not recognize says, "Hello."

Rank Operates 'Charm' School. LONDON — British mogul J. Arthur Rank has opened a charm school to turn his cinema managers into perfect gentlemen.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE. By OSWALD JACOBY. Includes a table of bridge hands and a short story.

Rank Operates 'Charm' School (continued). The size of your oven should be considered when buying a cookie sheet. Allow for an inch on every side between the edge of the sheet and the sides of the oven.

Have a Laugh. Jones' neighbor was cantankerous but Jones' lawnmower was out of order so he decided to borrow his neighbor's.

WASHINGTON COLUMN. Asian Crisis Creates Need For 'Marshall Plan' There. Includes a table of bridge hands and a long story.

(To Be Continued)

Las Camaradas Club Has Guest Day, Christmas Party

The Las Camaradas Club Christmas party and guest day was held Tuesday in the Ranch House. Hostesses were Mrs. John Younger, Mrs. J. G. Chaucey, Mrs. John E. Cooper, Mrs. T. M. Curtis and Mrs. R. L. Walker.

The tables were centered with arrangements of miniature reindeer and bowls filled with dancing balls in water. Christmas candles completed the table decorations.

Mrs. D. H. Griffith won the high score prize in bridge for guests, while among the members Mrs. Ray Seifert held high score. Mrs. Roy Lockett won second high among members and Mrs. Winston Walker, second high among guests. Third high for members went to Mrs. J. S. Rodden. Mrs. J. T. Willis won the bingo prize.

Other guests were Mrs. Carroll L. Thomas, Mrs. Glenn Shoemaker, Mrs. Raymond Leggett, Mrs. Hastings Pannill, Mrs. Clement George.

Mrs. John W. Skinner, Mrs. Gene Hanes, Mrs. Bob Lacey, Mrs. Hugh Wallace, Mrs. Donald W. Johnson, Mrs. Hilburn Gilliam, Mrs. George Stewart, Mrs. R. A. Laman, Mrs. James C. Blackwood, Mrs. John Fletcher, Mrs. K. E. McFarland, Mrs. Carl W. Covington, Mrs. James Wilson, Mrs. R. E. Gillespie, Mrs. J. P. Wilkinson, Mrs. Delo Douglas, Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, Mrs. J. C. Mayes, Mrs. Peck Hardee, Jr., Mrs. J. P. O'Toole, Mrs. D. W. Murphy, Mrs. Edward N. Gideon and Mrs. Eugene W. Vanderpool.

Members present were Mrs. C. W. Crawley, Mrs. W. E. Crites, Mrs. C. P. Cummings, Mrs. Charles R. Ervin, Mrs. W. A. Forrest, Mrs. Fred W. Forward, Mrs. F. W. Gaarde, Mrs. Audrey L. Gill, Mrs. Gerome Grayum, Mrs. Norman Hoffman, Mrs. Frank Reeves, Mrs. F. A. Scott, Mrs. Mildred Tennis, Mrs. David Johnston, Mrs. J. J. Travis and Mrs. J. A. Graves.

450 Attend Tea Held In The Petroleum Club

Mrs. Warren D. Anderson, Mrs. B. R. Schabertum and Mrs. Richard S. Anderson were hostesses for a tea Tuesday afternoon in the Garden Room of the Petroleum Club.

The table was covered with an Italian outwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of Red De-light roses in a silver bowl. White candles in silver candelabra were on the table.

The front hall was decorated with a fan shaped arrangement of red and white gladioli. In the Garden Room a low arrangement of white mums in a green bowl was on the organ. There also were arrangements of red and white carnations on the buffet and coffee table. Corsages of red roses were worn by the house party.

Organ music was played by Bill Hess.

Mrs. Vaughan C. Maley, Mrs. William L. Kerr, Mrs. Ross E. Williams, Mrs. Foy Proctor, Mrs. Barney Greathouse and Mrs. Percy F. Bridgewater poured.

Those in the house party were Mrs. James M. Armstrong, Mrs. Robert S. Dewey, Mrs. Glen E. Mer-shon, Mrs. Peyton W. Anderson, Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Mrs. Nelson Puetz, Mrs. Peyton V. Anderson, Mrs. Coe S. Mills and Mrs. Paul A. Dickey.

About 450 guests attended.

Beta Deltas Hear Talk By Covington

Jerry Covington spoke at a Beta Delta meeting Tuesday night held in the home of Verda Bartlett.

Covington gave a geological talk on the structure of the Permian Basin and possibilities of oil production in the future.

Mrs. Randolph Rubin, president, announced the Christmas party to be held December 19 in her home. Plans were made to bring books for the Christown library. Beta Sigma Phi is sponsoring the library.

Mrs. F. W. Ficklin, who moved here recently from Big Spring, was a guest.

SOCIETY

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Dorothy Wolcott, David Wilhelm Wed

In a double ring ceremony Wednesday morning Dorothy Rhea Wolcott became the bride of David Wilhelm of Houston. The wedding took place in the home of the bride's parents with the Rev. Frank M. Triggs, O.M.I., of Houston officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Wolcott, 1608 West Texas Street. Wilhelm is the son of Mrs. H. I. Wilhelm of Houston.

The wedding was performed before a mantel banked with white stock, chrysanthemums and white gladioli. White candles and greenery decorated the fireplace.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a navy blue costume suit with navy accessories. She carried a white cattleya orchid on a white Bible.

Anne Tolbert, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. James Wilhelm of Houston, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Miss Tolbert wore a taupe costume suit with taupe and brown accessories. She carried brown and yellow orchids. The mothers of the bride and bridegroom wore deep rose anthurium corsages.

After the wedding a reception was held. The table was covered with an Italian outwork cloth and centered with a wedding band cake. An arrangement of white mums and baby breath and white tapers also were on the table.

Mary Neil Moran poured and Mrs. Allen Tolbert cut the cake.

After the wedding the couple left for a wedding trip to Havana, Cuba. When they return they will be at home at 3427 Purdue Street, Houston.

The bride attended Texas Christian University and the University of Texas. She was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority, Wilhelm is a graduate of the University of Texas where he was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

Out-of-city guests at the wedding were Mrs. H. I. Wilhelm, Houston; Mrs. J. O. Kernole, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Wickey and Mrs. A. H. Wickey, all of Anderson, and James Wilhelm of Houston.

McCullough Is Guest Speaker At P-TA Meet

E. W. McCullough was the guest speaker at the Junior High Parent-Teacher Association meeting Tuesday in the cafeteria.

McCullough spoke on "Modern Drugs and Their Service to Mankind."

Mrs. Clark Mathews gave the devotional on "The Joy of Christmas." Mrs. Robert Wood, president, introduced the sixth grade choir which is under the direction of Dorothy Routh. The choir sang, "Teach Me To Pray," "Christmas Lullaby" and "Away In a Manger."

The treasurer's report was given and a report from the executive board was heard. It was reported that the unit had \$33 members.

The Parent-Teacher Education Study Group meeting was announced for December 19.

Mrs. Wood called attention to the plate offering which goes to the National Building Fund.

Wesley Martin, principal, reported on the Mineral Wells Convention. He also urged all parents to cooperate in supporting the cafeteria and keeping the children on the school grounds at noon.

Mrs. Chaudoin's room won the room count.

Watermelons are grown commercially for the most part in 22 states.

WMU Presents Program Series

"The Voice of Suffering Humanity," the second in a program series in observance of the Lenten Month Week of Prayer, was held by the Women's Missionary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church Tuesday in the church.

Speakers and their subjects were Mrs. A. L. Teaff, Arabia; Mrs. B. L. Mason, China; Mrs. Hoyt Burris, Japan; Mrs. J. C. Crowe, Africa; Mrs. A. E. Bowman, South America, and Mrs. Luther Martin, Israel. The devotional, "The Ministry of the Compassionate Christ," was given by Mrs. Brodie Caudle.

The Rev. A. L. Teaff was a guest.

TSCW CHRISTMAS PAGEANT SLATED SUNDAY, MONDAY

DENTON—Pre-Christmas festivities at Texas State College for Women in Denton will be climaxed with the presentation of the annual Nativity Pageant, "Story of the Christ Child," in the college main auditorium Sunday and Monday.

Written by Dr. L. H. Hubbard, president emeritus, in 1936, the play has been given 45 times before more than 45,000 persons from the North Texas area.

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CRANE GROUP WILL BE GUESTS IN MIDLAND CHURCH

The young peoples department of the Bible Baptist Church will be host Thursday to the young people of the Tabernacle Baptist Church of Crane.

The service will begin at 7:30 p.m. and the guest speaker will be Billy Don Ingram of Crane. He attends Crane High School. A social hour is scheduled to be held after the service.

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Legion Auxiliary Has Program On Americanism

The American Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday in the American Legion Hall. The party given for the patients in the Veterans Hospital in Big Spring was discussed. Forty patients attended. It was reported.

Mary Gay is the newly elected vice president and Kaye Beauchamp was elected historian.

Mrs. Q. M. Shelton gave a report on the Americanism program and flag sale now underway. Midlanders are asked to get their flags before Thursday. Those desiring to have flags delivered may telephone Mrs. Shelton, 282, or Wade Heath, 695.

Mary Gay gave a report on the 16th District Legion Convention held in Monahan last week.

Program Proposed

In cooperation with the Americanism program being backed by the American Legion throughout the country, Mrs. Roberts, of the Amarillo Post and radio chairman of the Fifth Division, requested that each post put on a radio program each month to promote national defense and the Legion's war against communism.

The auxiliary sent a Christmas box to the Veterans Hospital in Waco recently. It was announced the Legion Christmas party will be held December 18.

Members attending were Helen Mayfield, Frances Gallagher, Mary Webb, Mrs. Beauchamp, Ruby Rhoden, Mrs. Kidwell, Mrs. Cardwell, Alverne Sturgis, Ruth Proctor, Mary Lackler, Mrs. Shelton, Jane Heath, Deanie Cope and Mary Buttry.

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B&PW Club Has New Members

Three new members were voted into the Business and Professional Women's Club at its meeting Tuesday night in the KCRS Studio.

New members are Ora Teagarden, Onah Breeze and Monty Hanks.

Plans were made for the Christmas party to be held December 19 in Hotel Scharbauer. The executive committee will be hostess with Ruth Donnell and Colyeta Christian in charge of arrangements.

The club decided to "adopt" a needy family. Nita Stovall and June Baker will be in charge of this.

The resignation of Myrtle Johnston Ortel, secretary, was accepted. She is moving to Tulsa.

Area Students On McMurry Band Tour

ABILENE—Seven Midland area students at McMurry College in Abilene will be among 50 members of the McMurry Indian Band selected to go on the group's annual Fall concert tour which begins Saturday.

Personal for the five-day trip will include Bob Kern of Monahan, Dan Ford of Grandfalls, Doris Johnson of Andrews, Barbara Harris of Garden City, Homer Turner of Kermit, Lou Ann Heath and Wayne Parker of Seminole.

The initial concert program is slated for Saturday night in the Abernathy High School Auditorium. Other cities to be visited by the band include Plainview, Dimmitt, Canyon, Amarillo, Phillips, Pampa, Shamrock, Canadian, Wellington, Childress and Memphis.

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Daddy Ringtail, your monkey friend was walking along the Elephant Path with the Huffen Puffen, the friendly wolf.

"Worry, worry, and worry," said the Huffen.

"Oh now, Huffen," said Daddy Ringtail, "you mustn't worry. You will find a name for your dog all right, all right. Think hard."

The Huffen thought and suddenly he shouted: "I know! I know! Daddy Ringtail, what do you think of 'Sweet William'?"

"Oh, but whoever heard of 'Sweet William' for a name for a dog? Daddy Ringtail hadn't. And where

the churchmouse, and so why not the Huffen use the same name for his dog?

But there our friends in their walking had now stopped right in front of the hollow log where the churchmouse lived, and so Daddy Ringtail knocked on her door. He asked the churchmouse what she thought of "Sweet William" as a name for a dog. Yes, and the churchmouse told him. She said that she liked the name just fine, but her dog didn't, and so she didn't call him Sweet William any more. Nosir, because now she called him just plain Bill.

Ah me, and the Huffen decided that "Bill" would be a fine name for his dog too, and wasn't the Huffen a silly rascal to worry or fret about it at all? Of course he was, poor boy, because naming a dog should be fun. Happy day!

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had the Huffen ever heard of such a name? Why, there was once a beautiful flower, there was, and the name was Sweet William. Yes, and the monstrous dog was pretty, too, and so why couldn't "Sweet William" be his name?

Daddy Ringtail explained. He told the Huffen exactly what he thought. He said that a big, big dog like the Huffen's dog ought to have a fine name like the fine watchdog he was. Why, the Huffen's dog was indeed a watchdog, wasn't he?

Oh, but of course the dog was a watchdog, said the Huffen, but "Sweet William" was the name of another watchdog who belonged to

Pipes Thrown Out In Great Britain

LONDON—(P)—Britons, from Bond Street gentlemen to gruff Cockney dockworkers are laying aside the pipes which once were closely linked to their way of living. An ounce of tobacco costs 86 cents, seven cents more than a pack of 20 cigarettes. So more men are smoking cigarettes.

The men who make and sell pipes and tobacco are highly disturbed. They've formed the national pipe smoking conference from representatives of associations of retail tobacconists, pipe and pipe tobacco manufacturers and other allied industries.

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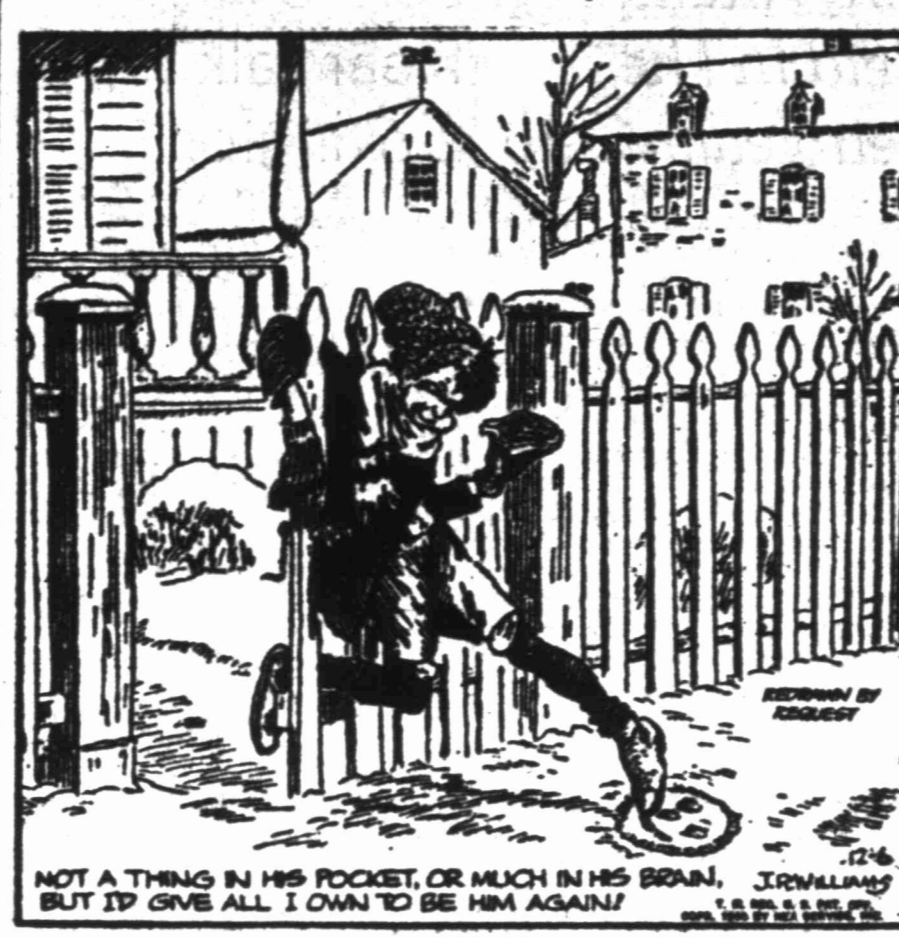
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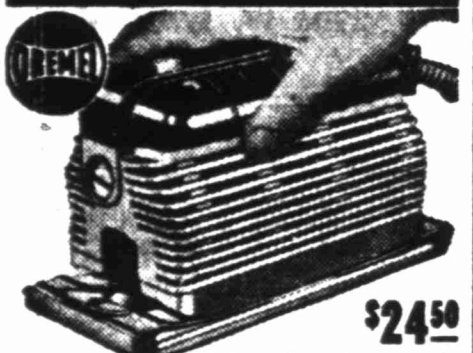
C. H. ROBUECK HEADS INSURANCE DIVISION

AUSTIN—Announcement of the resignation of Dean A. Whiffen as director of the General Liability Section of the Texas Casualty Insurance Division and the appointment of Charles H. Robueck, Jr., as his successor, has been made by J. P. Gibbs, casualty insurance commissioner.

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BY CHARLES DICKENS

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, DEC. 6, 1956-7

Texas Publisher Wins Hawks Award
NEW YORK —(AP)—The Frank W. Hawks Memorial award for "contributions to the development of aviation" Wednesday belonged to Alton G. Carter.
The Fort Worth Star-Telegram publisher received the honor Tuesday night from the Air Service Post of the American Legion. Carter spoke a few words of gratitude but made no formal speech.
Vice Adm. Charles E. Rosendahl, retired, a former award winner, made the presentation at a dinner attended by 150.

VANDENBERG'S CONDITION TERMED SATISFACTORY
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. —(AP)—Senator Vandenberg's condition was described by his physician Wednesday as "relatively good."
Michigan's Republican veteran of Congress entered Butterworth Hospital last Thursday for a checkup on his lung operation. He hopes to be present in Washington when Congress convenes January 1.

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General Advocates Use Of T-Bomb On Massed Red Troops
By DREW PEARSON
WASHINGTON — Chief advocate for using the A-bomb in Korea—the big issue now being debated by President Truman and Prime Minister Attlee—is Maj. Gen. James M. Gavin, former commander of the 82nd Airborne Division, and now a member of the weapons evaluation group for the secretary of Defense.
General Gavin proposes using the now relatively old-fashioned Hiroshima bomb, not against civilian populations as at Hiroshima, but against massed enemy troops. He estimates that this bomb, dropped from an altitude of only 2,000 feet, can wipe out one whole division of enemy troops. Furthermore he estimates that the radioactivity in the wake of the bomb would linger only a matter of minutes thus troops could come forward in only a short time.
Those who oppose General Gavin's argument point out that Russia, which now possesses the A-bomb, could be expected to retaliate against American cities, now a long way from being ready for A-bomb attack. Also the effect on European public opinion would be disastrous.
Results Cited
General Gavin also estimates that one T-bomb, which is the Army designation of the Hiroshima type, is equal to 8,000 medium artillery shells per square mile. He also has worked out for the Joint Chiefs of Staff a survey showing what one atomic bomb of this type would have done in the battle of Okinawa. In this battle, he points out, the United States had 36 ships sunk, 368 ships damaged, 736 planes lost and 48,025 battle casualties. These losses he estimates, could have been avoided by one atomic bomb.
Meanwhile it is no longer a secret that atomic bombs, presumably of this type, have been sent to American bases in the Far East and Europe, and that knowledge of this fact, coupled with President Truman's statement that we are considering using the bomb was what disturbed the British.
One Air Force plane carrying atomic bombs to the Far East cracked up last Summer near Sacramento, Calif., killing Brig. Gen. Robert F. Travis.



INSTITUTE SPEAKER—J. Henry Wilkinson, Jr., Midland attorney and tax consultant, will speak on recent developments of the federal income tax law at a tax institute to be held Saturday in San Angelo under the sponsorship of that city's Junior Bar Association.

Deanna Durbin To Wed Film Director

PARIS —(AP)—Film actress Deanna Durbin and director Charles David posted notice Wednesday they plan to marry December 16.
The wedding is planned at Sarreguemines on the Franco-Saar border, the home town of the 44-year-old French-born bridegroom-to-be.
Miss Durbin, 28, has been living in Paris with her young daughter for the last several months.
It will be Miss Durbin's third marriage and David's second.

'Miss Wisconsin' Is Midland Visitor

Among Midland's fairest visitors this week is Marvene Fischer, recent holder of the Miss Wisconsin beauty title, who is visiting here on behalf of Armour's Miss Wisconsin Cheese. Her stay in the city will be marked by personal appearances Thursday at several food stores. She also will be a guest of the Midland Rotary Club at its Thursday noon meeting.
Miss Fischer is a tall, attractive brunette, whose striking features and wholesome appearance won her the 1948 beauty crown of the Dairyland State and a trip to the famed Miss America Contest at Atlantic City. A native of Milwaukee, Miss Fischer is a strong supporter of the virtues of her great agricultural state.
She has been an ardent lover of cheese since childhood and justifiably was able to accept an offer from Armour to represent that company in the promotion of its Miss Wisconsin Cheese, every piece of which is a product of that famous dairy state. During the last year, Miss Fischer has traveled extensively throughout the United States, pointing out the merits of Wisconsin-made cheeses to consumers and merchants alike via appearances at store demonstrations, women's club meetings, radio programs and cooking schools. She has met such prominent people as mayors, governors, congressmen, movie stars and leading figures in the food field.
She is scheduled to make a radio appearance here Wednesday night.

Texas Christianity Study Will Be Made By Baptist Leaders

DALLAS —(AP)—A group of Baptist preachers will study moral problems facing Christianity as a whole in Texas.
The group, called the Christian Life Commission, was appointed Tuesday by the executive board of the Baptist General Convention at its annual meeting here.
The commission was asked to see what Christianity can do about such things as gambling, drinking, bad literature, and indecent movies. It also will study the problem of broken homes and race relations concerning religion.
James Is President
Dr. E. S. James of Vernon was elected president of the state executive board.
Dr. Morris Ford, Longview, was named vice chairman succeeding James R. H. Springer, Dallas, was named to his fourteenth successive term as secretary. Dr. J. Howard Williams, Dallas, was renamed executive secretary, and the 11 department heads, all Dallas residents, were reelected.
The Christian Life Commission members are Dr. S. A. Newman, Fort Worth; the Rev. George Stewart, San Marcos; the Rev. Grady Metcalf, Temple; Dr. T. B. Maston, Fort Worth; Dr. A. B. Rutledge, Marshall; Dr. Herbert Hayward, Dallas; Dr. W. R. White, Baylor University president, Waco; Dr. W. Boyd Hunt, Houston, and Dr. Carl Bates, Amarillo.



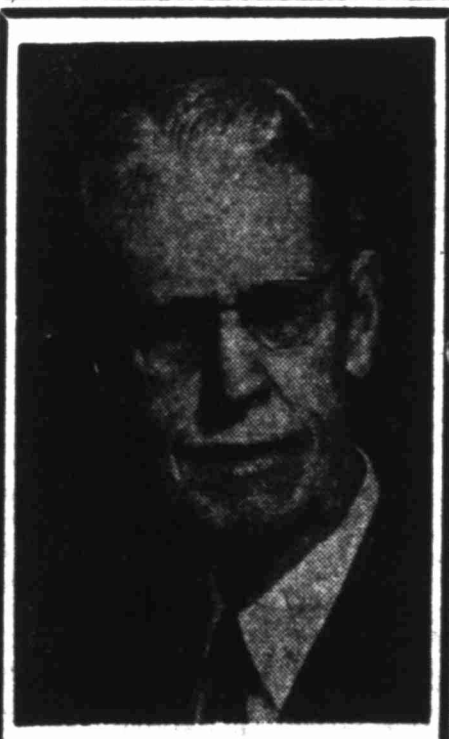
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Casualties in Korea

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Killed in action (Army): M/Sgt. Melvin M. Johnson, Abilene (previously reported missing); Second Lt. Roy R. Watkins, San Angelo; Sgt. James Harris, Belton; Cpl. Ray M. Morris, Beaumont (previously reported missing); Pvt. Manuel G. Reyes, San Antonio (previously reported missing).
Killed in action (Marine Corps): M/Sgt. William T. Baxter, Costa Mesa.
Died of wounds (Marine Corps): Pfc. Manuel F. Hernandez, Houston.
Wounded (Army): Cpl. Elasar Capuchino, Houston; Pvt. Charles L. Clark, Marshall; M/Sgt. Joseph R. Warren, DeLeon.
Wounded (Marine Corps): Pfc. Manuel F. Hernandez, Houston; Pfc. James D. Holt, Grapeland; M/Sgt. Robert B. Lacy, Fort Worth; Sgt. Armstead W. Self, Silverton.
Wounded (Navy): Hospital Corpsman 2/c William E. Moffett, Rio Rico.
Returned to duty (Army): Cpl. George A. Miles, Brenham (previously wounded).
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GOP-Southern Coalition Delays Rent Control Vote

WASHINGTON —(AP)—A coalition of House Republicans and Southern Democrats threatened Wednesday to stymie rent control extension unless general wage and price curbs are imposed.
Teamed up in the House Rules Committee, Dixie and GOP members tossed a monkey wrench into plans of House leaders to bring a 90-day extension of federal rent controls to a vote and probably passage Wednesday.
Voting six to five, the Rules Committee late Tuesday refused—for the moment, anyway—to clear the bill for House consideration. Some Southern members took a stand for total mobilization of the nation's economy.
While their stand delayed the bill's progress, it didn't kill it. Chairman Sabath (D - Ill.) planned to recall the Rules Committee to reconsider its vote to postpone action. Leaders also were expected to bring pressure to clear the bill, which Truman asked Congress to pass this year.
While the House thus was stalled temporarily, the Senate went into another day of debate on a similar bill extending the rent law for 60 days. It has agreed to vote Thursday.

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Official Says Housing For Pilgrims Poor

SINGAPORE —(P)— Moslem pilgrims to Mecca have to put up with dark, stuffy rooms, totally inadequate sanitary arrangements, lack of ambulances and doctors, a Malayan Federal Councillor charged on his return from Mecca.

Tuan Sheif Ahamad asserted "as every pilgrim paid \$56 to the Saudi Arabian Government, it should be the duty of that government to provide sanitary comforts." He added this was a matter for the respective Moslem governments to appeal to the Saudi Arabia Government.

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Browning Chapel's Dedication Is Held

LONDON —(P)— Poetry lovers now can go to church amid relics of Robert Browning. A Browning chapel, furnished with his study table as an altar, his chair, and other items from the Venetian home where he died, has just been dedicated at St. Marylebone parish church. The church parish includes Wimpole Street, where Browning lived and from where he courted Elizabeth Barrett.

The building of the chapel was supported by John Massfield, Britain's poet laureate, the Poetry Society of Great Britain, and ten Browning societies in the United States.

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Crane Nips Purple; B Team Wins One

Midland's Bulldogs and Crane's Golden Cranes ushered in the 1950-51 basketball season in Midland Tuesday night in the Midland High gym and when the firing was over each team had won a game and lost a game. The Crane varsity tipped the Bulldogs 46-40, but the Bulldog B salvaged a win for Midland, taking a 33-31 contest.

It was easy to see the games were of the early season variety. Fouls were frequent and successful free throws were sparse. The Bulldog A team made but eight of 20 free tosses, while the Crane varsity made 10 of 22. The Bulldog B team cashed but five of 18 gratis tosses but Crane was even worse—its B could hit but 11 of 26.

The Crane regulars called on six-foot-plus Center Don Johnston for 14 points and Forward Clark Pressley for 16 as it beat a Midland A team that had the first-game jitters and missed six free shots before hitting the basket. Forward Robert Keisling led the Bulldog charge with 16 points and had some nice floor help from Reed Gilmore and Buddy Johnson. But the smooth-working Crane five came through when it was close and earned its victory.

6-9 Crane Lead
Crane boomed out in front 6-0 before Dale Stice hit a one-hander from near mid-court to break the scoring ice for Midland. Keisling and Gilmore dumped in a couple of field goals to cut Crane's lead to 10-6 at the end of the first quarter. Keisling went on a six-point spree late in the half to cut the Crane intermission lead to 19-16.

Norman Drake and Keisling carried on the scoring for Midland in the third stanza, and Crane still held its three point margin—32-29—at the end of the three quarter mark. Midland moved to within 35-36 early in the fourth, but Pressley scored four successive crisp shots to give Crane a commanding 44-36 lead that Midland could not overcome. The Bulldogs never led in the ball game.

The box score:

Midland	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Van Buskirk	1	0	2	2
Keisling	6	4	1	16
Stice	2	0	5	4
Moss	0	0	1	0
Gilmore	1	0	2	2
Johnson	2	3	2	7
Drake	3	0	0	6
Burks	1	1	3	3
Brooks	0	0	0	0
Totals	16	8	16	40

Crane	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Pressley	8	0	1	16
Taylor	0	3	2	3
Clark	1	4	2	6
Johnston	7	0	4	14
Pendleton	0	3	5	3
Gunter	1	0	0	2
Garrett	1	0	0	2
Hall	0	0	0	0
Totals	18	10	14	46

Coach John Higdon's B quintet fell behind at the end of the first quarter, 8-6, but Bobby Cuipepper started hitting in the second stanza to move Midland into a halftime lead of 17-12. The Bulldog B built up a lead of 27-18 at the end of the third quarter, and saw it dwindle to 28-27 in the fourth frame. But Cuipepper sank two baskets in the final stanza to give the B its win.

Midland	Fg	Ft	F	Tp
Hatfield	5	1	4	11
Friday	0	1	5	1
Cuipepper	8	1	2	17
Erskine	1	1	2	3
Bradley	0	1	1	1
Bland	0	0	1	0
Paden	0	0	4	0
Blake	0	0	2	0
Johnson	0	0	3	0
Totals	14	5	24	33

'House On Fire,' But It Wasn't
Mrs. Neal Marks saw wisps of smoke seeping down early Wednesday from the ceiling of her home at 2000 West Indiana Street. She hastily summoned the fire department.

Firemen reported they found no fire and no smoke, only wisps of vapor arising from a floor furnace vent passing through the attic's sub-freezing air.

Sports

King's Row

By LARRY KING

Coach F. D. (Red) Rutledge was right. He told us last week: "We may not win many ball games, but we'll be interesting to watch." And he seems to be right—at least about being interesting to watch. But we wouldn't say the Bulldogs won't win many games. They looked pretty good in their first basketball game of the season Tuesday night, despite being on the short end of a 46-40 score.

The Bulldogs run, run, run. That's why they are interesting to watch. None of this slow-down-and-wait-for-me type of basketball for the Purple. Some one is on the go at all times.

Robert Keisling was in there for tip-ins and rebounds Tuesday night and snared 16 points for the Purple cause. Bob Burks, Reed Gilmore and Buddy Johnson looked good as play makers. Take our word for it—Midland will win some ball games this year.

Speaking of winning ball games, we seem to have given you a bum steer on the record of the Bulldogs last season. Not being here, we didn't know the record and took the word of someone who was supposed to know about such things when they told us Midland won but two games.

But it isn't so! The 1949 Bulldogs won eight contests. They also earned a handsome trophy for finishing second in a tournament at Big Lake, competing against some of the best outfits in West Texas.

Our apologies to the 1949 Bulldogs and their fine coach, Jack Mashburn. Mashburn turned out some fine teams in the years he tutored the Bulldog cagers, finishing in the runner-up slot in the District in 1946, and being hard to handle always. He always got the maximum out of his material. We were casting no stones at Mashburn and his forty-niners when we reported they won but two games. It was an honest mistake. Hereafter, guess we'll check the record.

Coach Thurmon L. (Tugboat) Jones was at the ball game Tuesday night, wearing a smile from here to here. Tug was exhibiting the watch presented to him by the Op-

Permian Basin Oil And Gas Log

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sible Ellenburger discovery in Southeast Scurry County, is to be drilled deeper from 7,832 feet. The exploration is now swabbing to clean out before deepening. Swabbing tests of open hole had recovered and average of two barrels of oil hourly after acidizing with 1,000 gallons.

Exact location of the No. 1 Chorn is 600 feet from north and east lines of section 59, block 3, H&GN survey and six and one-half miles east and slightly south of Snyder.

Two Prospectors Staked In Stonewall
Cities Service Oil Company, Signal Oil & Gas Company and Lone Star Producing Company announced locations for two Ellenburger wildcats in Stonewall County.

Eight miles south and one mile east of Old Glory, the operators will drill their No. 1-161 Flat Top, 2,150 feet north and 100 feet east of southwest corner of section 161, BBB&C survey.

It is to go to 6,500 feet. Drillsite is five miles northeast of the recently opened Swastika pool in the southeast part of the county.

Two miles east of Old Glory and nine miles northeast of the No. 1-161 Flat Top, the operators set location for the No. 1 Baliz, 467 feet from north and west lines of a 200-acre lease in section 27, BBB&C survey.

This explore is also scheduled to be drilled to around 6,500 feet.

Offset Spotted To Glasscock Opener
Amerada Petroleum Corporation spotted location for a north offset to a recently completed Spraberry discovery in Central-West Glasscock County.

It will be drilled as No. 1 K. S. Boone, at the center of the southwest quarter of section 17, block 38, T-3-S, T&P survey.

It will offset Hubbard S. Russell No. 1-20 Wraga-Hendrickson recent discovery three miles east of the Tex-Harvey field in Central-East Midland County.

Champlin Is To Drill NW Crockett Test
Champlin Refining Company has filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas for permit to drill a 6,000-foot rotary test in the Tippet field of extreme Northwest Crockett County, 12 miles southeast of McCamey.

It will be No. 1 Tippet and is located 1,172 feet from south and 440 feet from east lines of section 26, block 36, H&TC survey.

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Operator perforated casing at 7-

768-78 feet with 40 holes and ran a drillstem test through those perforations. The testing tool was open for seven and one-half hours. Gas was to the surface in one hour and 12 minutes. No fluid surfaced during the time the tool was open.

Recovery was 90 feet of oil and 270 feet of drilling mud. Bottomhole flowing pressure was zero to 200 pounds. Buildup after six and one-half hours was 1,325 pounds.

Location is at the center of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 5, block 25, H&TC survey.

Hockley Ropes Field Gets Two Explorers
Honolulu Oil Corporation and Signal Oil & Gas Company are building derrick for one prospector in the four-well Ropes-Pennsylvanian field of Southwest Hockley County, and have spotted location for another.

Rig is being installed for their No. 3 Underwood, three-quarters of one mile south of their No. 2 Underwood, a drilling project, and 694 feet from west and south lines of labor 13, league 5, Wilbarger County school land survey.

Location was made for the same concerns' No. 2 Burleson, three-quarters of one mile east of their No. 1 Burleson, which is in the process of completion.

The No. 2 Burleson will be drilled 694 feet from east and south lines of labor 9, league 5, Wilbarger County school land survey.

Both prospectors are to be drilled to around 9,500 feet, which is calculated to test the regular Pennsylvanian pay in the recently opened Ropes field.

The drillsites are approximately five miles south of Smyer.

New Depth Asked For Lubbock Test
A supplemental application has been filed with the Railroad Commission of Texas by Bankline Oil Company, Wilshire Oil Company and Basin Oil Company requesting permission to continue drilling to 12,000 feet at their No. 1 Earl E. Elliott, wildcat in West-Central Lubbock County.

The prospector is now drilling below 10,783 feet in lower Pennsylvanian lime and shale.

No shows of possible commercial production have been encountered in the prospector thus far.

Location is 1,980 feet from east-

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Midland Officers Will Attend Two State Conferences

The City of Midland will be represented at two important conferences to be held in Austin this week and next, City Manager W. H. Oswalt said Wednesday.

Col. Milan N. Plavsic, director of the Department of Public Safety, and Lt. Jim Wilkerson, traffic officer, will attend the governor's emergency traffic safety conference in Austin Friday.

A conference on methods of operation of burglars and armed robbers, scheduled in Austin December 13-15, will be attended by Police Chief Jack Ellington and Lt. Bob Branson, identification officer. The conference is sponsored by the State Department of Public Safety, in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

and 660 feet from south lines of section 33, block JS, EL&RR survey.

Tubb Is To Drill Wildcat In Pecos
J. B. Tubb has staked location for a 3,000-foot cable tool wildcat in North Pecos County 13 miles southwest of Imperial.

It is No. 1 P. R. Robertson and is located 330 feet from northwest and 1,980 feet from southwest lines of section 12, block 10, H&GN survey.

Operations on this test will begin immediately.

TB Association Officers See Films At Tuesday Meeting

Officers and directors of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association, at their December meeting Tuesday night, saw two educational films on "You Can Help" and "This Is TB."

A preliminary report of the Christmas Seal Sale results was heard and routine business matters were discussed at a business session presided over by Dr. C. S. Britt, president.

A resolution expressing gratitude to Mrs. F. R. Schenck, a board member who is moving to Lubbock, for untiring work in behalf of the association, was adopted.

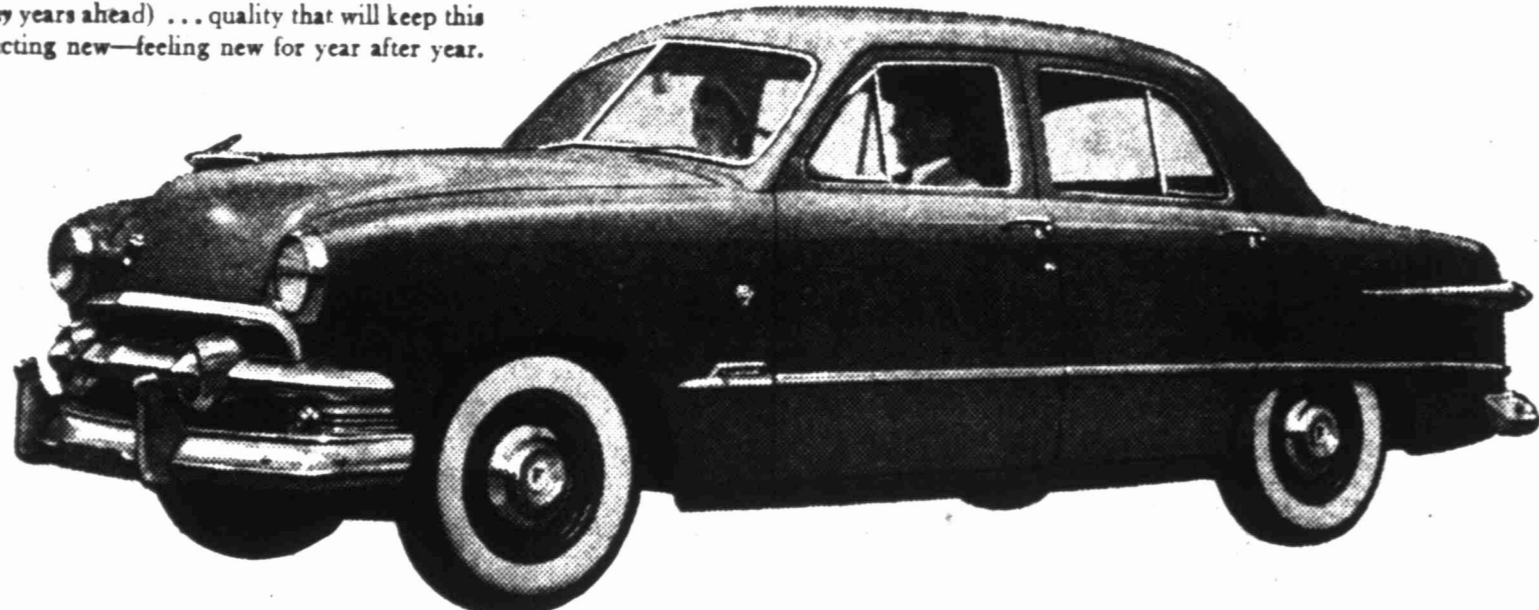
Those present were Dr. Britt, John J. Redfern, Jr., Dr. Homer B. Johnson, Mrs. Nettie Romer, Mrs. Carl Westlund, Mrs. T. J. Melton, Mrs. Lucy Mashburn, F. B. Rhodes, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor and Mrs. Linnie Davidson.

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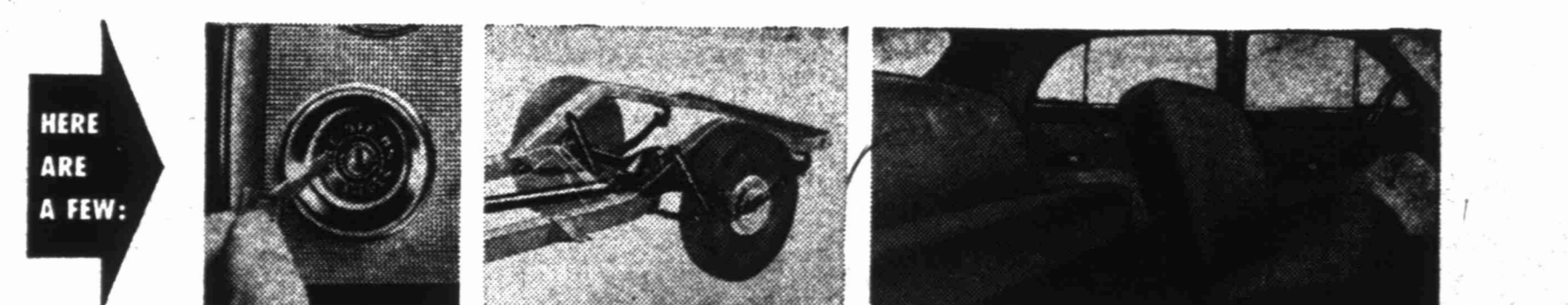
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Church Organization Plan Approved By El Paso Presbytery

The proposed organization of a second Presbyterian Church in Midland was approved by the El Paso Presbytery at an adjourned meeting held Tuesday night in Odessa, after a session bearing the names of 79 charter members had been presented.

A commission, including the Rev. Gage Lloyd and Lee Milling of Big Spring, the Rev. Jack Ramsay of Crane, and Al Vineyard and Dr. R. Matthew Lynn of Midland, was appointed to constitute the church and install the pastor.

The Rev. Lewis O. Waterstreet, assistant pastor of Midland's First Presbyterian Church and who is expected to become pastor of the new church, said the charter membership roster will be held open until Sunday night when a constitution service will be held at 7 p.m. in the First Church.

A name for the new church will be selected and officers will be elected at the Sunday night service, which is open to the public. Organization of the new church here is sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church.

New Building Planned

A tract of land on which the congregation will erect a new church plant, has been purchased and building plans are underway. The location is across the street north from the David Crockett Elementary School in Northeast Midland.

Reports from an officer nominating committee and a pulpit committee will be heard Sunday night. Members of the nominating committee are Mrs. John Drummond, chairman, G. Newman Shell, Cliff Torgerson, Mrs. E. A. McClinck and James Armstead. Hue Nunnallee heads the pulpit committee.

Other members are Raymond Howard, Ernest Barber, Max Schultz and Mrs. G. Newman Shell.

Following the meeting, refreshments will be served by a committee headed by Mrs. Raymond Howard.

A nursery will be provided, Mr. Waterstreet said.

Truman—

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matic move growing out of the critical situation in which Communist Chinese forces have placed UN troops in Korea. Among diplomats talk of possible fighting evacuation—a kind of Korean Dunkerque—continues although the U. S. Defense Department has made efforts to minimize any such talk at this time.

Whole World Waiting

The way the whole world is waiting intently for what may come from the Truman-Alicia relationship is pointed up by an address Prime Minister Nehru made to the Indian Parliament at New Delhi.

Nehru said he could not make "profitable suggestions" at the moment, and that the only hope was that the talks between the British prime minister and the American President "will lead to a peaceful way out of this situation."

It was emphasized, too, by a statement from Prime Minister Robert Menzies in Canberra that Australia must be ready for a major war, that "the danger is acute."

Otherwise, developments in the background of the continuing talks here included:

1. United Nations forces in Korea halted their mass retreat south of Pyongyang and dug in for a stand against the Chinese Reds.

2. At Lake Success, N. Y., 13 Asian and Middle Eastern nations asked that Communist China halt its troops at the 38th parallel—the old boundary between North Korea and South Korea—and permit United Nations negotiations to avert a third world war.

3. Harold E. Stassen, who was a 1948 Republican presidential aspirant, proposed in Tokyo that an immediate cease-fire in Korea be asked—and if it was refused—an all-out assault be begun with atomic and other weapons on Red China.

4. In Congress, various suggestions for action were coming from legislators plainly growing impatient with the present situation. Senator Kilgore (D-WVa) proposed that President Truman appoint Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower Pacific commander and send more troops to Korea.

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House Sends Excess Profits Tax Bill To Senate For Action

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A huge excess profits tax bill bearing 378-20 House approval faced the prospect Wednesday of major operations in the Senate.

Senator George (D-Ga.), chairman of the tax-writing Senate Finance Committee, predicted some drastic changes for the measure in the Senate, but he voiced confidence Congress still will send the measure to President Truman before the New Year.

Lopsided House passage came late Tuesday. The real test came on a Republican effort to substitute a GOP-drafted tax bill for that being pushed by the Administration. Voting on party lines, the House beat down the GOP version 232 to 145.

The 20 who voted "no" on final passage all were Republicans. The House bill would impose a 75 per cent tax on corporation profits which exceed 85 per cent of the average earnings in the three best of the four years 1946 through 1949. The levy would apply to earnings since last July 1.

The Senate Finance Committee is known to be taking a long look at the House formula. George said he has not changed his view that the excess profits tax should apply only to earnings above the full 100 per cent average for the 1946-49 base period.

Coplon's Conviction Of Spying Reversed

NEW YORK —(AP)— The conviction of Judith Coplon on charges of being a Russian spy has been reversed by a federal court of appeals. However, the court declared her "guilt is plain" and refused to dismiss the indictment. It ordered a new trial.

The Second Circuit Court of Appeals Tuesday ordered the new trial for the comely, 29-year-old Brooklyn resident on grounds her arrest without a warrant was illegal. FBI wiretapping also was a factor in the reversal.

Texas To Furnish 2,559 Draftees As Quota For February

AUSTIN —(AP)— Texas will send 2,559 draftees to military service in February. The draft call was announced Tuesday by State Selective Service Director Paul L. Wakefield. It was 522 higher than the January quota.

Enough men already have been examined and accepted for service to fill all quotas through February, Wakefield said. To fill expected quotas beyond February, another 7,500 draft registrants will be given pre-induction examinations next month, he said.

Local board quotas for the February call are to be made up and sent to local boards sometime after the first of the year.

Legion Post—

(Continued From Page One) churches, clubs meeting on Thursday have been asked to "boost democracy" at their meeting.

In cooperation with Thursday's program, the Legion is asking for the display by Midlanders of the American flag.

Supt. Frank Monroe of Midland schools gives enthusiastic support to the American Legion's second statewide observance.

Plans have been made for students to meet in a special assembly at 10 a.m. Thursday in the high school and junior high auditoriums to hear programs on the theme of "Operation Democracy."

At the high school, Miss Verna Harris's second-year drama class will present a play, "This Night Shall Pass," a story of a war-torn city. It is a one-act play consisting of three characters. Also on the program will be a speaker, Raymond Legg, Midland attorney, whose topic will be "Democracy." Robert Stubben will be master of ceremonies of the program.

In addition to an assembly program, John M. Cowden Junior High also will have an exhibit art work done by the sixth graders in connection with the "Operation Democracy" program.

"Operation Democracy" is held in commemoration of Pearl Harbor day.

Icy Blast—

(Continued From Page One) are expected to record 5-15 degrees. The rest of West Texas is due to have 15 to 25-degree temperatures. Skies were clear by midmorning over all the state, after South Texas clouds disappeared. Clear weather is predicted for Thursday with somewhat warmer temperatures.

Here are representative minimum temperatures Wednesday morning: Dalhart 2, Lubbock and Amarillo 3, Big Spring 9, Dalmas and Marfa 12, Odessa and Corsicana 13, Sherman, Bonham, Vernon and Childress 7, Midland and Wichita Falls 8, Wink, Mineral Wells, Fort Worth and Abilene 11; Junction, Tyler and San Angelo 14.

San Antonio 21, Corpus Christi and Laredo 29, Del Rio, Cotulla and Galveston 28, Alice 28, Victoria 25, Palacios 24, Texarkana and Austin 18, Waco 16, Beaumont 27, Houston 23, El Paso 19 and Bryan 17.

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\$1,000 Check Given Taxi Driver As Tip Proves To Be Good

DALLAS —(AP)— Dallas taxi driver D. L. Grizzle is paying off some bills and setting up a checking account with the \$1,000 tip he received.

Grizzle received the tip, in the form of a check on a Chicago bank, two weeks ago. Tuesday the check was returned here approved for payment.

About two weeks ago two men asked a Dallas taxicab company for a limousine to take them to Temple, about 130 miles south of here. Grizzle was selected as the driver.

One of the passengers wanted to find his girl who lived on a farm near Temple and ask her to marry him.

After a brief visit at the farm, the man came out all smiles. Grizzle drove the two to a Temple hotel—and received the check as a tip, plus the regular fare.

Mrs. Grizzle said Tuesday night they planned to "pay bills and we're going to keep some in the bank as a checking account."

Warm Springs Film Shown To Lions

A color film, "Courage Triumphs," was shown at the luncheon meeting of the Midland Lions Club Wednesday in Hotel Scharbauer. The film was presented by the Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation Treatment Center.

Roy Minear was program chairman. Ed Prichard presided at the luncheon. A Lions Club "Ladies Night Christmas Party" was announced for December 14. It will be held at 7:30 p.m. in Hotel Scharbauer.

James Weathered was introduced as the Junior Lion of the Week. The secretary announced the club realized \$118.81 from the recent play, "Glass Menagerie." H. D. Bushnell spoke briefly for Community Chest.

150 Brahman Cattle Freeze Near Amarillo

AMARILLO —(AP)— George Pote, living 20 miles west of here, reported Wednesday that 150 head of Brahman cattle froze to death Tuesday in the northern which swept Texas. He estimated his loss at \$20,000 to \$30,000.

No other livestock losses in the Panhandle had been reported Wednesday.

GREER GARSON FOGELSON IS MIDLAND VISITOR Greer Garson, the movie actor, and his husband, Buddy Fogelson, prominent Texas and California oil man, arrived here Wednesday on a business trip. They are registered at Hotel Scharbauer.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Cattle 650; calves 400; poorly tested; common to medium slaughter yearlings and heifers 22.00-28.00; beef cows 20.00-25.00; canners and cutters 13.00-20.00; sausage bulls 19.00-25.00; good and choice slaughter calves 27.00-31.00; common and medium calves 20.00-27.00; medium and good calves 20.00-27.00; culls 13.00-20.00; medium and good stocker steer yearlings 25.00-29.50; common to medium stocker cows 19.00-23.00; good and choice stocker calves 28.00-31.50.

Hogs 600; butchers and sows steady to 25c higher; good and choice 190-270 lb butchers 18.50-75; good and choice 150-185 lb hogs 17.25-18.25; sows 16.00-17.25.

Sheep 500; killing sheep and lambs steady; feeders scarce; good and choice Summer-Short slaughter lambs 28.00; good and choice shorn slaughter yearlings with No. 3 pelts 23.50.

Reprieve Granted Condemned Murderer

AUSTIN —(AP)— A stay of execution for Thomas Jefferson Price, sentenced to death in the fatal shooting of a Dallas drug store operator, was granted by Gov. Allan Shivers Tuesday.

The routine, constitutional, reprieve delays Price's date of execution from January 2 to February 1. Price was found guilty by a Dallas County jury in connection with the slaying of Ed F. Williams Nov. 20, 1945.

TO VISIT PARENTS

Mrs. Roy Gardner left Wednesday for San Angelo, where she will spend several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leuzler.

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Mary Ellen Richerson, Abernathy, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Tuesday for surgery.

INFANT IN HOSPITAL

David Allen Lucas, 11-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Lucas, was admitted to Western Clinic Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

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Ancient Egyptians and Assyrians kept dogs of recognizable breeds, including greyhounds and mastiffs.

Midland Scouts Cop Honors At Council First Aid Contest

Midland Scouts walked off with top honors in both divisions of the Buffalo Trail Council first aid contest Tuesday night in the County Auditorium at Odessa.

Troop 54 of the First Baptist Church won in the Scout bracket, and First Methodist Church's Troop 152 copped the laurels in the Explorer division.

Scoutmaster L. E. Patterson's Troop 54, captained by Don Hargrove, compiled 290 points compared to second-place Odessa's 283.

Troop 152, under Scoutmaster Foster Hedrick, had a point total of 296, with Monahans second with 294. Gene Hunter, Dwayne Chesnut, Vernon Carpenter, Tommy Edgington and Don Clay competed for the Explorers.

Jimmy Garvin, Sonley Roush, Edwin Patterson, John Walker and Hargrove made up the Troop 54 team.

Teams from Kermit, Pecos, Monahans, Odessa and Midland entered the competition.

Dr. Lekisch—

(Continued From Page One) "When the clinic has proven its efficiency and value in this area," said Dr. Harrell, "we can expect to obtain funds from the American Cancer Society to assist in its operation."

"In the meantime, the expense of the clinic will have to be carried by Midland.

Dr. Harrell said every doctor in Midland has been invited to participate as a consultant in his particular field of medicine in the clinic. The hospital itself already has most of the equipment needed for the diagnosis and treatment of cancer.

Contributed For Radium "Radium," said the hospital administrator, "was obtained through the generosity of two Midland women who contributed \$300.

"Another generous citizen has given \$500, part of which was used for X-ray treatments for an emergency case."

He pointed out that a survey made six months ago revealed there are approximately 100 known cancer patients in Midland. For X-ray and radium treatment, they formerly had to go out of the city.

At the meeting Monday night, policies for the operation of the clinic and foundation will be outlined and trustees will be elected to handle the funds which may be contributed at that time.

Eighth Army—

(Continued From Page One) freedom. Stone flew into besieged Koto by special military plane and then flew out with his dispatch. He quoted Col. Lewis (Chastay) Puller, commander of the First Marine Regiment:

"We will suffer heavier losses. The enemy greatly outnumber us. They have blown the bridges and blocked the roads. Our vehicles may not get through, but we will make it somehow."

Facing the Marines there and at Hagaru, six or seven miles to the north, was a fight down 50 miles of a river gorge road. Chinese Reds held hills flanking the road for much of the way.

Elements of the Fifth and Seventh Marine Regiments and the 31st and 32nd Regiments of the U. S. Army's Seventh Division were cut off in the frigid wasteland. They were being supplied by air. Planes were removing wounded who had survived a five-day fighting retreat down both sides of Changjin Reservoir.

Planes blast enemy While ground forces saw little action, Allied planes rocketed and bombed the enemy all the way from the fronts to the Yalu River boundary of Manchuria.

The Fifth Air Force said its airmen had killed or wounded 1,500 Reds up to 1 p.m. Wednesday. These included 150 killed in Pyongyang, the Red Korean capital abandoned Tuesday by Allied troops, and another 420 near the city.

The planes in 250 sorties struck 13 enemy towns and destroyed 33 vehicles, 16 boxcars, several tanks, 44 cars, five supply dumps and other installations.

Marine Corsairs sprayed proximity-fuse bombs for the first time in the Korean war on the northeast front. The bombs detonate before they hit the ground, spraying metal effectively against enemy troops, particularly in foxholes.

Three Marine Corsair took time out to guide Jeep rescue parties to wounded and frostbitten American infantrymen stumbling across the windswept ice of Changjin Reservoir.

CHILD INJURED HEAD

Beulah May Collier, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Collier, 606 West New Jersey Street, suffered a head laceration early Wednesday when a chair in which she was sitting overturned and her head struck a radiator. She was treated at Western Clinic Hospital.

TREATED FOR EYE INJURY

R. J. Soowden, 904 South Lorraine Street, a mechanic for the Texas Flange Company of Odessa, was given emergency treatment Tuesday at Midland Memorial Hospital for an eye injury.

HOBBS WOMAN ADMITTED

Mrs. May L. Gray, Hobbs, N. M., was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

Looked Like A Bad Situation

The motor was running and the windows were closed tight late Tuesday on the automobile parked in the 100 block of West Wall Street.

Passerby saw inside the still form of the man, his head rolled back on the seat and his mouth hanging open.

Someone called police, reported the man either dead or unconscious.

Patrolmen Jack Tranum and Otis Davidson investigated. They found the man only asleep, however, and explained to him it might be less dangerous if he didn't go to sleep in a closed car with the engine running.

Midlander Heads Laymen's Group Of El Paso Presbytery

William H. Crenshaw of Midland was elected president of Men of the El Paso Presbytery at its annual meeting held Tuesday night in Odessa. He succeeds Shelby Read of Big Spring.

The organization is composed of laymen representing the various Presbyterian Churches in the El Paso Presbytery, which includes West Texas and Southeast New Mexico.

Crenshaw and Al Vineyard, also of Midland, were among those appearing on the program at the Tuesday night session. Other speakers included Dick Yates, Odessa; the Rev. Homer Akers, Portales, N. M.; Phil Sterret, Clovis, N. M.; and Martin L. Cole, dean of the Eastern New Mexico University. "A Christian Challenge to Laymen" was the subject of Cole's address.

Among other Midland men attending the meeting were Dr. R. Matthew Lynn, the Rev. Lewis O. Waterstreet, James Armstead and John Drummond.

Sam Smithwick Loses Second Appeal

AUSTIN —(AP)— Sam Smithwick Wednesday lost his second appeal from a life sentence.

The Court of Criminal Appeals turned down the former deputy sheriff's motion for rehearing of the Bell County trial proceedings that found him guilty of murder in the 1949 slaying of Radio Commentator W. H. (Bill) Mason in Alice.

LEGAL NOTICES

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION Sealed proposals for constructing 7.087 miles of Gr., Str., Pvd. Cra. & C. S. of Midland to State of Texas, P.M. 307, 132 mi. E. of Midland to P.M. 41 mi. & from a pt. on SH 158, 4.2 mi. S. of Midland to 104 mi. South on Highway No. PM 307 & 1213, covered by R 887-1-2 & R 1369-1-1, in Midland County shall be received by the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., Dec. 12, 1950, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" project, as defined in House Bill No. 34 of the 53rd Legislature of the State of Texas, and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said House Bills. No provision herein is intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates for each craft or type of workman employed on the project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal, whether by type or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

A legal holiday will be paid for at the regular governing rates. Plans and specifications available at the U. S. Army's Seventh Division Engineer, Midland, Texas, and Texas Highway Department, Austin, Texas (Nov. 29, Dec. 6).

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Pablo Leon, Greeting: You are cited to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of January, A. D. 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 29th day of November, 1950. The file number of said suit being No. 5775.

The names of the parties in said suit are: Pablo Leon, as Plaintiff, and Pablo Leon as Defendant.

It is ordered that you appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 15th day of January, A. D. 1951, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 29th day of November, 1950. The file number of said suit being No. 1932.

The names of the parties in said suit are: TIDY-DIDDY SERVICE, as Plaintiff, and MARTIN WILSON, d/b/a TIDY-DIDDY SERVICE, as Defendant.

The status of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: TO foreclose landlord's lien for rent on defendant's property situated in Building on Lot 8, Block 3, Parkside Addition to the City of Midland, County of Midland, Texas.

If this Notice is not served within 42 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. It is issued this 28th day of November, 1950.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Midland, Texas, this 28th day of November, A. D. 1950.

LOUISE JOHNSON Court Clerk, Midland County, Texas. BY: LUTWELL MADDOX Deputy. (Nov. 15, 22, 29 - Dec. 6).

PHONE 3000 FOR CLASSIFIED AD-TAKER

RATES: 10¢ a word a day. 10¢ a word three days. MINIMUM CHARGES: 1 day 60¢. 3 days \$1.50. CLASSIFIEDS will be accepted until 10:30 a.m. on week days and 6 p.m. Saturday for Sunday issues.

LODGE NOTICES

Keystone Chapter No. 172—R. A. M. WEDNESDAY, DEC. 6, 6 p.m. Work in Royal Arch Degree. Members urged to attend. Visitors welcome.

Midland Lodge No. 623. No. work this week. O. J. Hubbard, W.M. L. C. Stephenson, Secy.

PUBLIC NOTICES

SEWING LESSONS

Fall sewing class now starting. Enroll now. For information consult your local Singer Sewing Center. 115 S. Main Phone 1488

POSTED: Positively no hunting nor trespassing on Beach near in Midland and Martin Counties. All such will be prosecuted to fullest extent of the law Snyder and Arnet.

PERSONAL

Did you know? Your local Singer Sewing Center makes buckles, belts, covered buttons and hem-stitching. 24-HOUR SERVICE 115 S. Main Phone 1488

CONVALESCENT HOMES 6-A LAWSON Rest Home, 24 hour nursing service for elderly people, invalids and convalescents. 1217 Ave. B. Brownwood, Texas. Phone 9324.

LOST AND FOUND

SPCA WOULD like to find homes for a number of nice dogs and cats. The animals shelter at 1702 East Wall is opened Monday and Thursday afternoon from 1 to 5 p.m. LOST: Red male Irish setter. Lost Articles license on collar. Please call 517 between 8 and 5. Reward.

SCHOOLS, INSTRUCTION

ENROLL NOW MORNING OR EVENING CLASSES Brush up on Greek, English, Spelling, Stenographic, Typing, Bookkeeping, Filing. Free Placement Service—Hine Business College 706 WEST OHIO PHONE 945

FIRST GRADE AND KINDERGARTEN

DAY school offering first grade and kindergarten Nursery for children of working mothers. Phone 1881-3. 1405 West Kentucky.

LAST CALL

Enroll this week, limited number will be accepted. Hine Business College 706 W. Ohio Phone 945

WILL give private lessons to children who need help in grades one through five. Call 4660-W after 4 p.m. HELP WANTED, FEMALE 5

TELEPHONE OPERATORS WANTED

Girls, if you are over 16 years of age and want a good job in pleasant surroundings with lots of other nice girls and with considerate supervisors, there is an opportunity for you at the Telephone Company. The pay is good and you'll earn \$135.00 monthly rent from the start. You'll get 4 raises in your first year. Extra pay for Sunday and evening work. Why not drop by and talk it over with Mrs. Ruth Baker, Chief Operator, 123 S. Big Spring, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

WANTED EXPERIENCED WAITRESSES

Must be neat, clean, attractive. Good money. Call Mrs. Donohoo, 1371-J or 547

Wanted SECRETARY

Age 20 to 38, Hours 10

SOMEONE EXPECTS A CHRISTMAS GIFT FROM YOU—IT IS IN SANTA'S CLASSIFIED GIFT GUIDE—CHECK IT NOW!

Table listing various classified sections: Two-Year-Old Boy, DOGGONE BARGAINS!, CHRISTMAS GIFTS, HOUSEHOLD GOODS, MISCELLANEOUS, BUILDING MATERIALS, BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES, AUTOMOBILE AGENCY, etc.

SANTA'S GIFT GUIDE

KIRBY VACUUM CLEANER SYSTEM advertisement featuring an image of the vacuum and text describing its features and availability at The Kirby Co.

WESTERN AUTO Associate Store advertisement listing various gifts like dolls, chairs, and toys with prices.

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTS advertisement listing indoor and individual burning light sets with prices.

PERPAPER'S advertisement for Christmas gifts, featuring a list of items like toasters, mixers, and grills.

TEEN-HAVEN advertisement for children's platform and occasional rockers.

COX APPLIANCE CO. advertisement listing various gifts like typewriters, refrigerators, and ranges.

CAMERON'S PHARMACY advertisement for Christmas gifts like watches, cosmetics, and books.

THE BOOK STALL advertisement for adult reading books like 'High Adventure Stories' and 'Famous Big Treasure Books'.

BASIN SUPPLY advertisement for Christmas gifts like dishes, pottery, and extra pieces.

PHILLIPS ELECTRIC advertisement for gifts like coffee makers, mixers, and irons.

CAMERON'S PHARMACY advertisement for Christmas candies and gifts like cameras and fountain pens.

BEAUCHAMP'S advertisement for home gifts like refrigerators, ranges, and furniture.

PIANOS advertisement listing various models like Wempe's and Cox's, with prices and contact information.

BLACK CAT CAFE advertisement for cold beer and hamburgers.

WEARING APPAREL advertisement for good clean used clothing.

FEED advertisement for veterinary supplies and farm equipment.

MISCELLANEOUS advertisement for various household and business items.

WANTED TO BUY advertisement for old buildings and materials.

HEARING AIDS advertisement for various models and services.

BOBBIE'S BEAUTY SHOP advertisement for hair services and beauty products.

SPORTING GOODS advertisement for fishing equipment and photography supplies.

BUILDING MATERIALS advertisement for lumber and construction supplies.

Compare advertisement for window treatments and doors.

COMPLETE LINES OF BUILDERS' HARDWARE advertisement for various construction materials.

WE MAKE TITLE 1 LOANS advertisement for home financing services.

WESTERN LUMBER COMPANY advertisement for lumber and building materials.

GENERAL MILL WORK advertisement for window units and mill work.

ABELL - McHARGUE Lumber Co. Ltd. advertisement for lumber and building materials.

WISE PENNIES Grow Up To Be WISE DOLLARS advertisement for investment services.

MANAGER WANTED MAN OR WOMAN advertisement for a business opportunity.

LAUGHLIN MOTOR CO. advertisement for used cars and trucks.

REFRIGERATOR SERVICE advertisement for repair and maintenance.

SAW FILING advertisement for saw blade sharpening services.

SEWING MACHINES advertisement for new and used machines.

USED FURNITURE advertisement for various home furnishings.

NEW & USED FURNITURE advertisement for a wide variety of furniture.

SEWING MACHINES advertisement for Singer and other brands.

AUTOMOBILE AGENCY IN MIDLAND advertisement for car sales and services.

FOR SALE advertisement for a small apartment or house.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a garage.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a swimming pool.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a large lot.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a fireplace.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a view.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a porch.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a garden.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a balcony.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a patio.

FOR SALE advertisement for a house with a pool.

Additional Classified Ads On Page 11 advertisement.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES advertisement for various business ventures.

FOR LEASE advertisement for a building or office space.

FOR LEASE advertisement for a house or apartment.

FOR LEASE advertisement for a commercial property.

FOR LEASE advertisement for a large industrial building.

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WHO'S WHO FOR SERVICE - CONSULT YOUR CLASSIFIED BUSINESS SERVICE DIRECTORY

CAR & TRUCKS RENTAL CO. advertisement for car and truck rentals.

CONSTRUCTION WORK advertisement for various construction services.

FLOOR SANDING, WAXING advertisement for floor maintenance services.

REFRIGERATOR SERVICE advertisement for repair and maintenance.

QUICKIES advertisement for various services and products.

WEST TEXAS ABSTRACT CO. advertisement for abstract services.

MIDLAND ABSTRACT CO. advertisement for abstract services.

SAUNDERS FURNITURE SHOP advertisement for furniture and drapery.

SEWING MACHINES advertisement for new and used machines.

VACUUM CLEANERS advertisement for various vacuum models.

SECURITY ABSTRACT CO. advertisement for abstract services.

TRAVIS BROWN BUILDING CONTRACTOR advertisement for construction services.

REFRIGERATOR SERVICE advertisement for repair and maintenance.

SEWING MACHINES advertisement for new and used machines.

VACUUM CLEANERS advertisement for various vacuum models.

APPRaisal SERVICE advertisement for property appraisals.

HELBERT & HELBERT advertisement for sand and gravel division.

REFRIGERATOR SERVICE advertisement for repair and maintenance.

SEWING MACHINES advertisement for new and used machines.

VACUUM CLEANERS advertisement for various vacuum models.

YOU ALWAYS FIND TOP REAL ESTATE LISTINGS IN THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM CLASSIFIED ADS—CHECK THEM TODAY

A-1 + FORD + A-1
Buy now and save!
Come in today and see these bargains!

— CARS —

1950 Ford Custom Club Coupe, Radio and Heater, A-1	\$550 down
1949 Ford Custom Club Coupe, Radio and Heater, A-1	\$500 down
1949 Plymouth Special 4-Door, Radio and Heater, A-1	\$465 down
1949 Chevrolet Club Coupe	\$435 down
1949 Dodge 4-Door	\$400 down, \$67.29 a month
1949 Plymouth 4-Door	\$400 down, \$67.29 a month
1948 Plymouth 4-Door	\$300 down, \$52.89 a month
1948 Plymouth 3-Door	\$300 down, \$52.89 a month
1947 Chevrolet Aero	\$365 down, \$62.31 a month

— TRUCKS —

1950 Ford F-1 Panel—10,000 miles.	
1948 Ford F-1 Pickup—\$300 down.	
1947 Dodge 1/2-ton Pickup.	
1942 Dodge 1/2-ton Pickup.	
1941 Ford 1/2-ton Pickup.	

Many other cars and trucks to choose from.

OPEN EVENINGS

Murray-Young
USED CAR AND TRUCK MARKET
301 E. Wall Phone 3510

Better Cars for Less Money

1948 Chrysler, 4 door Highlander, Radio heater. One owner. Low mileage \$1,395.

1949 Dodge 4 door, R.H. seat covers, white tires. \$1,295.

1949 DeSoto 4 door custom, Radio, heater, seat covers, white tires.

1950 Ford pickup. \$1,295.

— CAR LOT 214 NORTH MAIN —

CONNER INVESTMENT CO.
309 E. Wall Phone 1973

MUST SELL BEFORE CHRISTMAS

1941 Chevrolet tudor, black, new radiator, good motor. A clean car priced right. See at 204 W. Jax after 5 o'clock. Phone 1182-W.

FOR SALE: 1948 4 door Buick Wildcat, DeLuxe Chevrolet 11,000 miles. Nylon seat covers, undercoat, large radio, deluxe heater, oil filter, fuel filter etc. \$1,395. 2000 West Rowland.

ABSOLUTELY the best buy in town. \$300 gets this clean 1948 Hudson club coupe. Radio and heater. Terms if needed. See Brantley, 319 North Colorado.

\$1,150 buys a 1950 Nash Statesman with overdrive and weather eye. A very clean car. Less than 22,000 actual miles. See Brantley, 319 North Colorado.

1949 Plymouth 4 door sedan, radio and heater, new seat covers. 1950 Dodge engine. Contact N. C. Stewart, Yellow Cab Company.

1950 Chevrolet club coupe, 10,200 actual miles. Radio and heater. Perfect condition. Jim Lee, Reporter-Telegram.

1941 Oldsmobile "61" club coupe. Radio and heater. \$350. 2200 West Kentucky.

FREE! Quickest way to secure office, factory store or domestic help is through Reporter-Telegram Classified Ads. Just phone 3000.

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★ REAL ESTATE

HOUSES FOR SALE

THREE BEDROOMS

Nice three bedroom, one bath home in nice neighborhood. About \$4,000 cash will handle. Shown by appointment only. Exclusive with

BARNEY GRAFA REALTOR
Serving West Texans for 25 Years
Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg.

3-BEDROOM HOME NEAR COUNTRY CLUB

Full price, \$16,500. \$2,500 cash; balance, loan. Here's one you can get into in 48 hours. Hurry! Call

Key, Wilson & Maxson REALTORS
Loans Insurance
112 W. Wall Phone 3305

CLASSIFIED DISPLAY

HOME OF "Red End" Lumber

Quality Lumber at Reasonable Prices

Midland Lumber Company
Phone 3610

THIS IS FOR YOU

New 3 Bedroom Brick Veneer Home. Attached Garage. 130' front lot. Own water system. One of the nicest suburban areas of the city.

T. E. NEELY Insurance — Loans
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NEW HOMES and REMODELING of All Kinds

GENE BROWN General Contractor
Telephone 3857-W

See The 1951 GOSHEN TRAILER

BUY — SELL — TRADE — TERMS

MUZNY TRAILER SALES
2710 W. Wall

BUILDING OF ALL KINDS

Whatever your needs may be in the way of construction... a modest home... a magnificent residence... an office building... any type or size of building, check with us for quick, efficient work and best materials. We can handle all phases of the job for you at a minimum of cost.

Complete Facilities For Residential, Commercial, Oil Field & Concrete Work

C. L. Cunningham Company
2404 W. Wall Phone 3924

TRADE

Have a nice 2-bedroom brick home on North side to trade on 40 acre or more good farm land.

One small house on corner lot, South side—\$4,850.

One small house, built of baked tile—\$4,950.

Small home and shop on 140 ft. pavement. Only \$7,500 complete.

Small home and shop building on corner lot on West California Street—\$8,000.

Apartment house for sale, trade, cash or terms.

LEONARD H. MILLER — REALTOR —
104 East Maiden Lane
Ten Blocks Out North Main
ERIE V. CECIL
Sales, Rentals and Listings
Phone 449-W

ATTENTION USED CAR DEALERS

Most Select Stock Of Used Cars In Texas!

150 car stock! All makes, all models! Prices are right! Two locations: 3000 North Olive and 4023 Oak Lawn

WHOLESALE — RETAIL

VAN WINKLE MOTOR COMPANY
DALLAS, TEXAS.

For Prices Your Pocketbook Will Stand, Come to 214 N. Main and See Tom Land!

AUTO PARTS

1937 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup parts for sale. Also 5x11 steel frame farm trailer. See at 1211 South McKenna.

TRAILERS FOR SALE

NEW custom built two-wheel trailer with low level load axle. See Graham, rear apartment, 811 South Mainfield after 5 p.m.

27-foot trailer, electric refrigerator, good all-around condition. \$650. Space 15. Young's Trailer Courts, 23-PT. Mainline trailer, 1948 model, perfect condition, with all connections. See Bill Mattox, Oilfield Trailer Court.

REAL ESTATE

GRAFALAND

Three bedrooms, two baths, separate dining room. Built in dressing table in master bedroom. Paved street, double garage. Brick construction. Call today. This home is not under new credit regulation.

BARNEY GRAFA REALTOR
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BRAND NEW

Big 2-bedroom home. This home has been built without any regards for profit. Owner wants to move this property in the next few days, and the price will indicate that. Call us for price, terms and location.

Key, Wilson & Maxson REALTORS
Loans Insurance
112 W. Wall Phone 3305

3 BEDROOMS \$3000 Down Payment

Brick construction, brand new. Located west of town. Separate dining room. Best of the high cost of renting. Own your own home. Call our salesman, today.

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THREE BEDROOM BRICK UNDER CONSTRUCTION

Ready for interior paint. Buy now and select colors. Abundant closet, paved street. \$12,900.

Nice two bedroom stucco, new, ready to be occupied, wall to wall carpet throughout.

One bedroom suburban on two acres, natural gas, excellent location. \$6,800.

Two bedroom frame, \$6,900. \$1,500 cash and \$44 monthly payments.

Two bedroom home, combination. FEA-OF loan. \$97 monthly payments. \$1,800 cash.

Two bedroom brick, plus rental unit, one year old, nice. \$11,500.

NELSON & HOGUE
413 West Texas Phone 4474

ONE BLOCK WEST OF COUNTRY CLUB

This home is so new that it's not quite finished yet. It has three bedrooms, two tile baths, modern kitchen. Double garage. Paved street.

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G. I. or F. H. A. Financing AVAILABLE ON SOUTH PARK HOMES

Closest Subdivision to Downtown Midland
Paved Streets — Close to School
No Better Value in Midland Area

Sales By
Harston-Howell Agency
415 W. Texas 2704—Phone—3038-J

Better Homes For Sale

307 E. Maiden Lane—very nice 3 bedroom frame — detached garage—fenced back yard—well landscaped — \$2,500.00 — \$1,000.00 down payment.

601 E. Banner — 3 bedroom frame — asbestos siding — nice lawn — priced to sell

501 E. Banner — 1 bedroom frame — asbestos siding — nice lawn — priced to sell

3012 W. Ohio — very nice 2 bedroom frame — \$10,500.00

203 West Nobles Ave — 2 bedroom masonry constructed home — attached carport

Choice residential lots in rapidly developing addition in North East section of city — average width 70' — inside lots \$350.00 — corner lots \$450.00

Let us show you our nice building sites West of the football stadium. We have some nice homes under construction and others to be built. For the price these sites cannot be equalled in Midland.

Walter Hemingway REPRESENTATIVE

NIGHT PHONE 1036 SUNDAY

The Allen Company
R. W. (Sonkey) ALLEN, Owner
General Insurance — Mortgage Loans
Avery-Wang-Biggs
Day or Night—Phone 3337

EXTRA NICE FEATURES

Make this 2-bedroom home an exceptionally good value. 24-foot living room opens on 24-foot porch. Venetian blinds throughout. Utilities accommodate electric range and automatic washer. Plenty of closet space. Located in nice West area, on corner lot. No closing costs — already financed!

MIDLAND REALETERIA
Rhea Paschall, Manager
Affiliated With Allied Commercial Services
Phone 2388 or 236 — Night 2180-J

T. E. NEELY Insurance — Loans
Phone 1850 Crawford Hotel

One bedroom duplex and a 2 bedroom duplex for rent.

2 bedroom house for rent.

Well located residential and business lots at a reasonable price.

Several well located two and three bedroom homes. 52 FEA small homes will be ready soon. Let us tell you about them while they are being built.

—Please Call For Appointment—
WES-TEX REALTY & INSURANCE CO.
Phone 158 Night 3173-J
511 West Wall

NEED A BIG ROOMY HOME?

Here's a 7-room frame house, in good condition, with new roof and asbestos siding. Extra large lot in established residential section. House may easily be turned into 3 complete living units, in case you desire income from it. Good loan available.

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BRICK DUPLEX

Located in north part of town on paved street. Living room, dining room-kitchen combination, bedroom, bath and two large closets on each side. Room on back of lot for additional rental unit. Shown by appointment only.

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For Quick Sale Cheap

Completely furnished, duplex, including piano and electrical appliances.

See after 6
610 South Lamesa Road.

UNABLE to get telephone to transfer oil field construction business. Forced to sell 2 bedroom brick house, 1953 North Edwards.
SOUTH TEXAS TRADING COMPANY, 202 Banner Ave.

Have You Waited Too Long? NOT IF YOU WANT A BRICK HOME!

In many cases, Regulation "X" is not as bad as you might have thought. As an example, a down payment of about \$2,500 is all you need in the purchase of one of the very nice brick homes now being built by The Boyce Company in Parklea Place. Several floor plans from which to choose YOUR NEW HOME!

FOR COMPLETE INFORMATION, CALL
JOHN FRIBERG or JIM KELLY
The BOYCE Company
JAMES K. BOYCE, Building Contractor
W. Highway 80 Phone 3910, 4594

LARRY BURNSIDE Realtor

New 3 bedroom brick veneer home, double garage, lovely closets, 108' lot on paved street in Grafaland. 3 baths, separate dining room—shown by appointment only — not under Regulation X \$25,000.00

Immediate possession, 2 bedroom brick, corner 75' lot, paved on both sides on W. Texas, close to new Parochial school, separate apartment and garage — shown by appointment only

Asbestos siding, 4 room home, paneled walls, floors carpeted, walk-in closet, about 900 square feet of floor space, separate garage with room, fenced yard — shown by appointment only \$8,250.00

Five acres in city limits, well located with well \$10,000.00

Frame 2 bedroom home, owner leaving town, fenced yard, price asked is less than owner paid 2 years ago — by appointment only \$7,950.00

Brick, 3 bedrooms, 4 acres at edge of city limits \$8,500.00

West Pennsylvania, 2 bedroom home, fenced yard, house is insulated. Shown by appointment only—\$4,550.

PHONE 1337
212 Leggett Building
LOANS INSURANCE

MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK!

The owner told us we had to sell this very nice 2-bedroom home by Sunday. Located in good North area on a corner lot, 100x150, and already financed. Living room 22x18 with separate dining room and 10x12 utility room. Venetian blinds. Nice lawns, front and rear, with 4 1/2 foot fence around back yard. Double garage. One of the best home values in Midland.

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HANG THE KEY ON THE XMAS TREE!

If you're one of those who want to be in their own homes before Christmas, here's a real opportunity. It's a new 2-bedroom home—been lived in only a few months—in a good North location. Furniture included in the deal, and at a price you won't quibble with! Already financed at low interest. This home is way above average on all counts. Phone us and let us show it to you.

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Santa and the COWBOY

By LUCRECE HUDGINS



SYNOPSIS—His mother calls him Georgie but seven-year-old George Harold Sanders has a better name for himself. It is "Kid Buckaroo, the Terror of the West." His father told him Santa could bring most anything. So . . .

CHAPTER TWO BUCKY GETS AN ANSWER

KID Buckaroo wrote a letter to Santa Claus asking for some real live fighting Indians for Christmas. He left the letter for his father to mail and went to bed.

Now, parents have to read letters to Santa before they mail them to be sure there are no misspelled words. So Bucky's father read his letter.

"Good heavens!" he exclaimed. "All he wants for Christmas are some Indians to fight!"
"Mercy!" cried Bucky's mother. "Whatever shall we do?"
"I don't know. Maybe I better dress up like an Indian Chief. But one thing is certain—here's one letter that will never reach Santa Claus, thank goodness!"

He tossed the letter into the waste basket. But what strange things happened to that letter!
The next morning the waste basket was emptied by the trash man and taken away in a big truck. As the truck rumbled through the streets, the wind loosened the paper and blew it onto the sidewalk.

A man walking to work kicked the paper into an alley. There a small boy snatched it, wadded it up and batted it across the street like a ping pong ball.

THIS time it landed right at the feet of Mortimer Moonface who was sitting on the curbstone resting. Few people could see Mortimer because he was a brownie. He was on his way home from the bakery where he worked putting holes in doughnuts.

I guess you know that fairies and elves and such are not just creatures to be found in forests and books. No, indeed. Every city is filled with them—tiny men and women, not six inches tall, making a living in the city just like everyone else.

Now Mortimer Moonface carried a wee loaf of bread under his arm. When he saw the crumpled paper at his feet he picked it up and wrapped it around the bread



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to keep it clean. When he reached home (behind the face of the big City Hall clock) Mrs. Moonface unwrapped the bread. As she did so she cried out, "Why—Santa's name is written here!"

"So it is," said Mortimer, peering over her shoulder. "Let's see. It says 'Dear Santa, I'd be so happy forever if you'd please bring me some real live Indians to fight. Kid Buckaroo, Terror of the West.'"

"Say!" cried Mrs. Moonface. "Wasn't Herbert telling us something about Indians in Santa Land last week?"

(Herbert, a brownie who worked on a newspaper, knew about everything that went on in the whole world.)
"That was Jindians," remembered Mortimer. "But Indians and Jindians are probably the same thing. Anyway, if Santa is having trouble I should think he needs some big strong fellow like this

Kid Buckaroo to help him. I'm going to write Kid Buckaroo a letter. Look, his address is right on here."

When Kid Buckaroo (known as Bucky) went to the mail box he found a letter for himself that said: "Dear Mr. Buckaroo, Santa is having trouble with real live fighting Indians in Santa Land and he could sure use your help. Mortimer Moonface."

Bucky's heart thundered with excitement. So there were some fighting Indians left in the world! And in Santa Land of all places! Why, Santa's very life was probably in danger!

A cowboy certainly knew what he had to do. He belted on his two six-shooters, yanked his faithful stick horse from under the bed and grabbed his lasso. "Don't worry, Santa," he whispered. "Kid Buckaroo is on the way!"

(Next: Bucky Meets Snow Bird)



★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

Fear Without Due Cause Is An Abnormal Reaction

By EDWIN F. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service
Not long ago a pathetic letter came in from a woman who said that for 20 years she had been deathly afraid of being alone and that she had done everything to keep company around her.

Now everyone, including this woman, knows that just being alone for a while brings no harm. This distressing state of mind, therefore, is a phobia or an obsession.

Fear is indeed a strange emotion. Only a fool never has been afraid. Most people, however, when they are frightened, have some good reason.

On the other hand fear when there is nothing actually to be afraid of is abnormal. There are many kinds of such abnormal fears and they undoubtedly cause a lot of suffering to those so afflicted and are not exactly pleasant for family and friends.

One of the most common phobias is fear of heights. This carries the impressive name of acrophobia. Many people shudder and turn away rather than look down from some tall building or over a cliff. Although this is called a phobia there is actually some doubt as to whether it really is because great heights are associated with some danger, and perhaps fear is normal where there is danger.

There are, however, other obsessions which certainly are not normal. Among these are autophobia or the fear of being dirty; cerophobia or fear of galety; and bibliophobia or dislike of books.

Bathophobia would certainly be common among children if it meant what it sounds like—but it doesn't. It means fear of great depths and is therefore much like acrophobia.

Don't Make Fun Of Phobias
One should not make fun of persons who have phobias or obsessions. They can't help it and are in great distress of mind. The cause sometimes can be traced to some shock sustained in childhood but often no cause can be discovered. What to do about a severe phobia is quite a problem. The victim often realizes that the fear is not justified by the facts but remains unable to do anything about it unless aided. Medical advice is often equally ineffective. In severe cases, however, phobias may be only one symptom of some mental disease. In such cases, a psychiatrist should be consulted.



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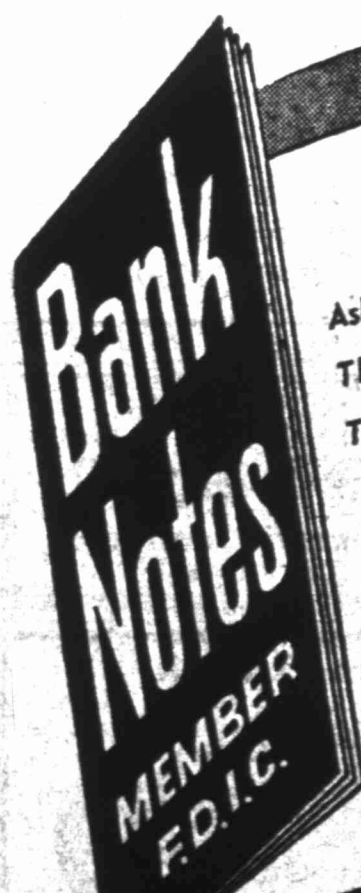
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