



ROAD MISHAP FATAL
JASPER —(P)— W. C. Baker, about 55, was killed Friday night in a highway accident near Livingston, Texas, his wife was critically injured. He was owner of the Baker Glass Manufacturing Company here and in Nacogdoches.

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★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★
'Underpaid, But Grateful,' Says 'Uncooperative' MacRae

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD—Gordon MacRae, popping the applause meter in his first night club engagement at a Las Vegas hotel, looked blank when I slipped him the flash that the Hollywood Women's Press Club had voted him, along with Bot Mitchum, the "least cooperative actor" of the year.
"I don't have the slightest idea why," was his first reaction followed by:
"Well, maybe I am lazy about fan magazine stories and layouts, but when you have three small children in the family things get complicated.
There are, however, no screams of "un-cooperative" from Gordon's Las Vegas audiences. The singing star punches up his act with friendly chatter, impersonations, a turn at the piano and even soft-shoe dancing. He's a hit—a big one.
MacRae's arrival in Las Vegas was a sight for a camera's eye—a station wagon bulging with his wife, Sheila Stephens, the three kids, a maid, 14 pieces of luggage and an 18-foot boat with an outboard motor. The bass fishing on Lake Mead and the trout in the Colorado River below Boulder Dam, MacRae grinned, "keep me out of trouble."
Vivacious Mrs. MacRae's movie career is progressing as well as Gordon's. He says: "She's the talent in our family. When you meet her, you meet me."

LOOK WHO'S COMING TO MIDLAND — Almost five and a half feet of slow tantalizing curves, plus big blue eyes topped by a cascade of lovely blonde hair—that's Pat Collins, vocalist with the Charlie Spivak orchestra, which plays a dance in Midland December 12 at the VFW Hall.



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One, Only Charles Laughton Will Spend 'Evening' Here

The Midland Business and Professional Women's Club this week is bringing to Midland the one and only Charles Laughton for a program, which the club women term "the most outstanding entertainment ever presented here."
All residents of Midland and the vast Permian Basin Empire are invited to spend "An Evening with



Charles Laughton in the Midland High School Auditorium, beginning at 8:30 p.m. Thursday. It will be Laughton's only appearance in this section of West Texas.
Tickets for the outstanding entertainment will go on sale at 9 a.m. Monday at Tallorline. A capacity attendance is expected for the special event. Proceeds will be used by the B&PW Club in financing its civic and benevolent projects.
When the familiar figure of the world-famed artist lumbers onto the stage Thursday evening, his arms filled to overflowing with

Building Permits Of Week \$51,800; Year \$11,155,876

Building permits issued in Midland during the week ended Saturday totaled \$51,800, according to City Engineer K. D. McFarland. This raised the year's total to \$11,155,876.
The permit total for the last week in November was \$170,800.
Permits issued last week included:
L. H. Pittman, \$2,000, pumice tile washateria, 59 by 48 feet, 900 North Weatherford Street; F. B. Rhoads, \$800, addition to residence, 12 by 17 feet, 721 West Storey Street; G. W. Brenneeman, \$6,800, concrete and frame business building, 30 by 46 feet, 301 South Fort Worth Street; C. W. Brenneeman, \$12,000, brick veneer residence, 39 by 52 feet, 600 North Carrizo Street; W. F. Prothro, \$2,500, addition to residence, 16 by 24 and 8 by 8 feet, 1306 West Missouri Street; F.B.A. Inc., \$8,000, frame residence, 44 by 24 feet, 118 East Cowden Street; W. F. Medart, \$6,000, frame residence; 24 by 32 feet, 930 North Dallas Street; W. F. Medart, \$5,000, frame residence, 24 by 32 feet, 832 North Dallas Street; James K. Boyce, \$8,000, brick residence, 35 by 39 feet, 301 West Hamby Street.

State's Holiday Deaths Expected To Surpass 200

AUSTIN —(P)— The Department of Public Safety Saturday foresaw 211 special Christmas boxes for Texans—coffins!
They will be for the 211 persons department chief statistician M. E. Woerner predicts will die violent deaths during the Yule period—12:01 a.m. December 23 to midnight Jan. 1, 1951.
The predicted heavy toll includes 105 traffic fatalities, 44 suicides and homicides, and 62 accidental deaths from such various causes as fire, drowning and the like.
Forth of the traffic deaths are expected to come in urban areas with the other 65 on the open highways and in rural areas. Eighty of the victims likely will be males and the other 25 females, Woerner said.
Nineteen of the traffic deaths will come on Christmas Eve, he said.

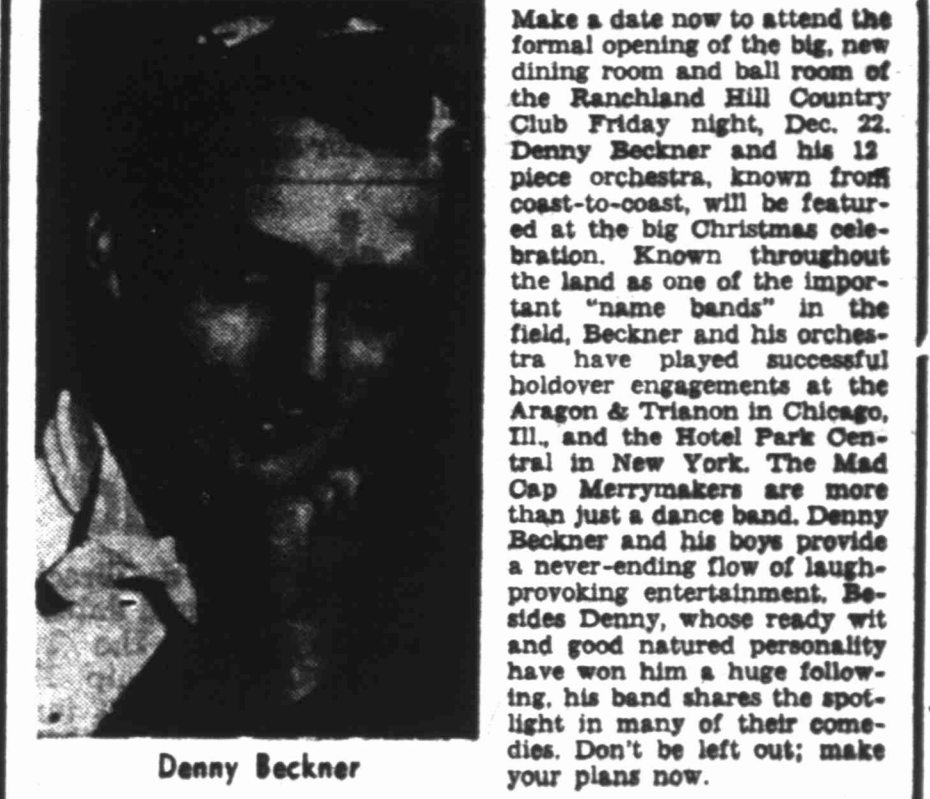
How Legislators Voted On Roll Calls

WASHINGTON —(P)— How Texas members of the House were recorded as voting on recent roll calls:
On motion to send excess profits tax bill back to committee with instructions to submit a Republican-sponsored bill, defeated 253 to 145:
For—Gull.
Against—Beckworth, Bentzen, Burleson, Combs, Fisher, Gossett, Kilday, Lucas, Lyle, Mahon, Pickett, Poague, Regan, Teague, Thomas, Thompson, Thornberry, Wilson.
Not voting: Palman.
On passage, 278 to 20, of excess profits tax bill: All Texas members voting were recorded for the bill, including Gull. Palman recorded as not voting.
On passage, 221 to 152, of bill to extend federal rent control act through March 31, 1951:
For—Beckworth, Combs, Lyle, Patman, Thomas, Thompson, Thornberry.
Against—Bentzen, Burleson, Gossett, Fisher, Gull, Kilday, Lucas, Mahon, Pickett, Poague, Regan, Teague, Wilson.
MARTIN CARMODY DIES
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. —(P)— Martin H. Carmody, former grand knight of the Knights of Columbus, died Saturday at 78. As supreme head of the order, he was active in war work during the first World War. He was a corporation attorney.
U. S. Agriculture Department scientists believe improper storage temperature is the chief cause of eggs' failing to hatch.

Ranchland Hill Country Club Sponsors Name Band For Its Members and Guests

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C. Of C. Members To Consider Proposed Change In By-Laws
Members of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will meet Tuesday noon to determine whether the by-laws of the organization will be amended to provide for the election of directors by ballot of the membership at large as proposed at a recent meeting of the Chamber directors.
Manager Deibert Downing said Saturday all members of the organization have been advised of the special meeting and its purpose. The assembly will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer at noon.
Robert L. Wood, Chamber president, urged as many members as possible to attend the luncheon.
If the members present favor amending the by-laws, Wood said, a proposal concerning the election of directors will be submitted by a committee including R. D. (Bob) Scruggs, John P. Butler, Tom-Sealy and Bill Collins.
Present Procedure Cited
The 40 directors of the Chamber now are elected for one-year terms by those attending the annual meeting of the organization in January of each year.
It was proposed at the November meeting of the directors that one-third of the directors be elected each year for three-year terms. The names of twice the number of nominees to be elected would be submitted to the membership by mail in advance of the annual meetings. Members would mark their ballots and return them in a given period of time. The nominees receiving the greatest number of votes would be declared elected. Write-in ballots would be allowed, according to the proposed plan.
A nominating committee composed of the retiring directors would select the nominees.
Should those attending the Tuesday gathering favor changing the by-laws, the present method of electing directors would be continued.
Estimates of the U. S. dog population run from 15,000,000 to 25,000,000.

### City Pledges Steady, Regular Collection Of Trash, Garbage

Garbage and trash collection on a steady and regular basis by the end of December was promised Saturday by City Manager W. H. Oswalt.

"We have tried to maintain regular service of two garbage and one trash collections weekly," he said, "but through lack of equipment, we sometimes fell behind."

But late this month the city is expecting the delivery of four new garbage trucks and a dozen additional men will be placed on the payroll to operate them.

Addition of the new equipment, he said, will also spell the end of big 50-gallon oil drums which some residents have been using for garbage cans.

"We will begin a gradual campaign to eliminate their use," said Oswalt.

"It takes two men to lift one of those cans," he said, "and we will be able to pick up the garbage and trash faster if smaller cans are used."

Eventually, he said, collectors will be instructed to ignore the larger cans.

**FORMER ODESSAN KILLED**  
HUTCHINSON, KAN. — (AP) — Mrs. Cecil Houser, who moved here from Odessa, Texas, six months ago, was killed in a train-auto accident Friday. She was 32. A Santa Fe train crashed broadside in her car nine miles east of here. She was crushed. Houser is a gas pumping station foreman.

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## Without Fanfare, Air Terminal Has Become Big Business; Has Director

By COPE BOUTH

Along the interior walls of the waiting room and lined up against the big plate-glass picture windows are little wooden boxes filled with cactus plants.

Their needle-sharp leaves frame the view that is the busy landing field at the Midland Municipal Air Terminal.

"How quaint," exclaim incoming passengers. "This is the west and even the waiting room here is decorated in the western motif."

Clyde G. Sharr, chuckles when he hears remarks like that.

"It carries out the western theme all right," the city's aviation director concedes.

"But it has another purpose. Before we put that cactus there, the people used to crowd up against that window and the youngsters would leave not-so-western finger-smudges on the shining surface of the glass."

"You'd be surprised how long that glass stays clean now."

Well, that's just a little thing. Lot Of Little Things

But a lot of such little things are making the air terminal one of the busiest and one of the best in the state—and one of the most profitable.

With little fanfare, that is what is happening to the broad plains that during the war provided the Army Air Force with its biggest bombardier training bases.

It was a thing of efficient beauty and bustle during World War II.

But when there was no longer any need for bombardiers and the last khaki-clad figures trudged away, the field went the way of most such wartime installations.

Its neat buildings began to sag. Its landing field sprouted pesky growths of mesquite and much of its equipment was cold as war surplus.

And no few sticky fingered individuals found it a perfect treasure trove of perfectly good window frames, wooden beams, wall board and other such materials, which seemed to vanish into thin Western air.

The \$8,000,000 installation was just plain going to pot.

It had cost the government that much money to build the base but the City of Midland, which owned the airport before the war, acquired its buildings in lieu of an agreement by the government to restore it to its original condition, plus a cash payment of several thousand dollars.

**City Took Over**

The city took over the operation of the air terminal after the war.

But not until eight months ago did it install a full-time, professionally-trained aviation man to direct its operations.

That man is Clyde G. Sharr, only 33 years old but bustling with the energy of youth and experience based on a wartime job as a B-29 flight engineer followed by training in the operation of peacetime airports.

Today Sharr is a sort of deputy mayor for a community of more than 2,500 people with a police department and a fire department of its own.

Working hand-in-hand with City Manager W. H. Oswalt, and with the backing of the mayor and the city council, Sharr and his force are lifting the face of the rambling old wartime base.

The city aviation director also has supervision over Midland Airport, the city's other airport north of the city.

But his big baby is the Midland Air Terminal.

Located about 10 miles west of the city, on the Odessa highway, it now is valued at about \$5,000,000.

Within its borders are some 1,200 acres of land, almost 24,000 feet of paved runways, four big line hangers with a floor area of 22,080 feet each, 250 housing units and other buildings.

The principal job, naturally, of any air terminal is to handle air traffic.

That is quite a job, too, at the Midland Air Terminal, through

which some 55,000 passengers, according to estimates, will pass this year. Located midway between Midland and Odessa, the three airlines—Continental, Pioneer and American—draw business from both cities.

**Survey Interesting**

Sharr, incidentally, has made a survey of the airline business through the Midland Air Terminal and offers some interesting figures.

During a 15-day period, 74 per cent of the passengers were men, 20 per cent women and six per cent children. Sixty per cent of the airline business comes from those connected with the oil industry and 14 per cent from other businesses.

On flights leaving Midland during that 15-day period, passengers went to eight other major cities and to 83 cities outside of Texas, while there were eight international flights originating here.

Much work has been done during the last few months to clean the airport of mesquite growth.

"A stranger coming to Midland by air gets his first impression from the airport," said Sharr, "and an airport covered with undergrowth, even though the runways themselves are clear, leaves a poor impression."

Only recently, too, has the airport been given aerial identification.

The name "Midland Municipal Air Terminal" has been painted in large letters on the water tower at the air terminal.

"A lot of planes," explained Sharr, "would come within sight of the air terminal and then fly on by, thinking it was still a military installation."

The Civil Aeronautics Administration, which operates the communications station at the terminal, has come through with improvements of its own and they are of a major nature, too.

A year ago, Midland was on only one omni-range high-frequency cross-country airway. That was the Green Five east-west airway that just happened to pass over the city.

**Virtual Hub**

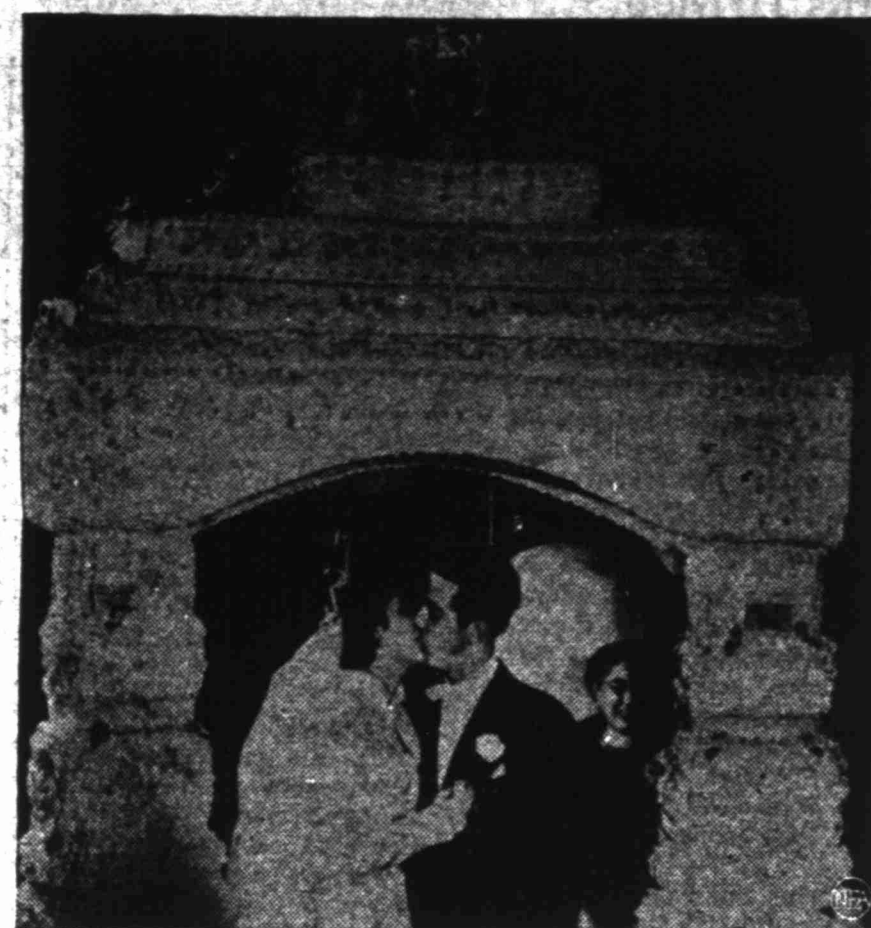
But in the last few months, Midland Air Terminal has become a virtual hub of such airways spreading in every direction.

Its Red Seventy runs north to Amarillo, Blue Sixty-eight runs northwest to Hobbs, and Red Sixty-eight southeast to San Angelo.

Planned for the immediate future is the moving of the control tower, which the CAA won't touch at the present time because some of the runways are hidden from its view.

The tower will be moved close to the main flight apron and raised to a higher vantage point.

But busy as the airport is with its flight operations, they constitute



**CAKE WALK**—The new Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ciolino, Jr., kiss beneath the six-foot arch of their wedding cake following their marriage in Chicago. The giant cake weighed 500 pounds and fed 900 guests at the reception.

only a portion of the activity of the entire Midland Air Terminal.

The city is making good use of the scores of empty barracks and other buildings handed down from the army.

More than 200 housing units have been remodeled and aid materially in easing a tight housing situation in the Midland-Odessa area.

Better still, these buildings have been instrumental in bringing new industries to Midland.

**Families Live Nearby**

At the present time many warehouses, oil field supply and servicing companies are headquartered at the Midland Air Terminal. The families of men employed by these companies live only a few yards away in the converted housing units.

Much progress has been made in utilizing and beautifying the Terminal but much still has to be done.

Already an intensive program to landscape the residential areas is underway. New parking areas are being added to the Terminal administration building and additional housing units are being created as fast as Sharr and his crew can get around to them.

If it has not already done so, Midland appears destined to become the aviation capital of the Permian Basin Empire.

**BORGER BANKER DIES**

**BORGER**—A. R. Jake Stahl, 57, president of the First National Bank here, died Friday after a heart attack.

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### Minister Honored On Anniversary

WACO — (AP) — Dr. William Walter Melton, 71, who got \$5 a month for his first preaching but had to pay out \$2.50 to rent a horse, was honored Saturday night on his fiftieth anniversary as a Baptist minister.

Dr. Melton, formerly executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, was honored at a reception in Karen Temple, Waco's largest banquet hall. He is pastor of Columbus Avenue Baptist Church here.

The minister now is president of the board of trustees of Baylor University. His first pastorate was at the Deep Creek Baptist Church in Wise County. His congregation of 40 paid him \$5 a month but he needed a horse to reach the church. That cost him \$2.50 a month.

St. Francis Xavier was known as the "apostle of the Indies" for his missionary work in the Far East.

### Robert L. Carlin Is Psychologist Here

Robert L. Carlin is associated as clinical psychologist with Dr. Randall E. Cooper, who recently opened offices here for the treatment of nervous and mental illnesses and emotional disorders.

Carlin has gained prominence as co-author of the Carlin-O'Higgins Psychometric Profile Sheets used in the diagnosis of mental disorders and locating areas of maladjustment.

He is a graduate and former instructor of the University of Toledo. He has served as staff psychologist of the Toledo State Hospital, the Western Oklahoma State Hospital and the neuro-psychiatric department of the Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation.

He was worked with the Columbus State Institution for Mental Defectives and the Columbus Bureau for Juvenile Delinquents.

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# Courier For Atomic Spy Ring Is Given 30-Year Sentence

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— Harry Gold, slim, dark haired research chemist, Saturday was sentenced to 30 years in prison as the self-confessed courier of a Russian atomic spy ring—a crime he told the court was a "terrible mistake."

Gold was sentenced by U. S. District Judge James P. McGranery to two terms of 30 years each, to run concurrently. He was charged with espionage in wartime, which carries a maximum penalty of death. The federal government had recommended 25 years in prison.

The soft-spoken 39-year-old Philadelphian received the sentence calmly after a brief statement before the bar. He said: "Nothing has served me since my arrest to prove to me what a terrible mistake I made than the manner in which my court-appointed counsel have worked on my behalf, despite personal criticism and invective."

**Asks To Discuss Points**  
In his statement, Gold told Judge McGranery he wanted to discuss four points which have been "up-permost in my mind" in the past few months. Gold was arrested last May 23.

The first point concerned the work of his counsel, secondly, Gold said, he was "fully aware that I received a fair trial and was accorded fair treatment by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, other agencies of the Justice Department, and the authorities of prisons where I have been confined."

"It couldn't have happened in the Soviet Union or any of Russia's satellite nations," he commented.

"One thing which has hurt most is that those who meant most to me have suffered the most because of what I have done—my country, my family, my friends, x x x deep and horrible is my remorse."

As his fourth point, Gold said he had attempted to make "the greatest possible amends by identifying all involved and disclosing the last possible scrap and shred of evidence."

## Industrialists To Speak At Beaumont Spindletop Event

BEAUMONT —(AP)— Two top industrialists were announced Saturday as speakers for the January 10 celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the discovery of oil at Spindletop.

John W. Newton, chairman of the Anniversary Commission, said Walter S. Carpenter, Jr., chairman of the board of directors of E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Company, Inc. and Charles E. Wilson, president of General Motors Corporation, would speak.

He said their address would be featured at the Spindletop dinner. He said the two men would "trace development of the oil industry and the impact petroleum has had on the prosperity of the entire country since the Lucas gusher roared in 50 years ago."

## Construction Firm Employee Is Killed

HOUSTON —(AP)— Earl Raymond Allen, of Channellview, a 34-year-old construction firm employe, was killed instantly Friday night when he apparently dashed into the path of a pickup truck, the sheriff's office reported.

Friends of Allen reported the accident victim had returned from a job at Rosenberg and was crossing the street to catch a bus when struck.

Justice R. R. Zierlein, of Baytown, returned a verdict of accidental death.

## Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Cattle for stock: 50 cents to \$1 higher; calves fully \$1 higher, butcher hogs up 35 to 50 cents; sows 50 cents per hundred; feeder pigs steady; fat lambs 50 cents higher; other sheep and lambs steady to strong.

Comparative prices: slaughter steers and yearlings 21.00-21.50; slaughter cows 13.00-23.50; bulls 18.00-25.50; slaughter calves 18.00-31.50; stocker calves 22.00-32.00; stocker yearlings 21.00-30.00; stocker heifers 28.00 down; stocker and feeder steers mostly 21.00-28.00; stocker cows 18.00-25.00; closing hog top 18.75; sows 16.50-17.50; pigs 15.00-17.00; stags 15.00 down. Woolled fat lambs 29.00-30.00; shorn fat lambs 27.00-28.00; stocker and feeder lambs 23.00-27.00; fat yearlings 22.00-25.00; feeder yearlings 20.00-22.00; slaughter ewes 12.00-15.00; aged wethers to 18.00; old bucks 11.00-12.00.

## Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)— Cotton futures continued firm Saturday. Trading, however, was slow, in view of uncertainties over price control. Dealers also were inclined to move cautiously in view of the weekend. Price fixing, mostly for domestic mill account had a steady influence on old crop months, while commission houses supported distant contracts.

Future closed \$1.25 a bale higher to 15-cents lower than the previous close. December \$1.80, March \$1.90, May \$1.22.

## Youths To Meet In Austin For Hi-Y Activities

AUSTIN —(AP)— More than 250 teen-age boys and girls from 31 Texas cities are expected here next weekend to participate in the fourth annual Texas Hi-Y Model Legislature.

The youth legislative sessions in the state capital will be preceded by election campaigns and balloting for a youth governor.

Candidates are Bob Hathaway of Dallas, Jimmy Brill of Houston, Bill Bramley of Abilene and Sue Etchison of McAllen.

State officials who will address the model legislature and assist the youths in their project include Gov. Allan Shivers, acting Lieut. Gov. Wardlaw Lane, House Speaker Durwood Manford, Secretary of State John Ben Shepperd, Supreme Court Associate Justice W. St. John Garwood and Rep. Peppy Blount of Big Spring.

Registration will begin Thursday with sessions running through Sunday.

## RATES TO BE STUDIED

AUSTIN —(AP)— Texas windstorm insurance rates will be up for study again on December 30. The Board of Insurance Commissioners announced Saturday a public hearing would be held here that date at 10 a.m.

## West Texas Chamber Names Agricultural Department Manager

ABELLEN — George A. Logan of Waco will be the agricultural department manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, officials announced Saturday. He also will work with local chambers to help them develop agricultural and livestock programs and to further the soil and water conservation activities of the WTCOC.

Logan will assume his duties in a greatly expanded program of activity of the West Texas Chamber, January 1. He has been in charge of agricultural activities of the Waco Chamber of Commerce the last five years.

**A&M Graduate**  
A graduate of Texas A&M College, he spent several years in the extension service and the soil conservation service. At Waco he has received wide recognition for the outstanding work he did in developing the state's first Save-A-Farm Day with the complete rebuilding of a 185-acre worn-out farm, the state's first economy beef program for farm boys and girls, an extensive milk production program, an early cotton stalk destruction project, the development of plans for a \$1,250,000 new agriculture and livestock exposition, and many other agricultural activities new to Central Texas.

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## J. C. Hudman Delivers \$2,275,000 In Bonds

City of Midland bonds totaling \$2,275,000 in value were taken to Austin Friday by City Secretary J. C. Hudman, who was to deliver them to the state comptroller for processing.

Mayor William B. Neely late last week completing the signing of the 2,275 \$1,000 bonds.

The city expects to receive the funds from the record bond sale early this week. City Manager W. H. Oswald said. Issuance of the bonds for municipal improvements was approved by Midland voters in a recent election.

The one-eye weed is related to the sunflower.

## Eight Persons Die In Chicago Blaze

CHICAGO —(AP)— Eight persons—including seven members of one family—perished early Saturday as fire swept a four-story tenement building in the South Side negro district.

Mrs. Mary Mason, 34, identified her husband, Jacob, 38; their five children, and her sister, Mrs. Louedna Simon, at the county morgue.

The eighth body was identified as that of Mrs. Theima Elizabeth Divens. All the victims are negroes.

Residents said some 200 persons lived in the top three floors of the building.

## Well Completions Pass 10,000 Mark

AUSTIN —(AP)— Texas' oil well completions for this year passed the 10,000 mark last week.

The Railroad Commission reported Saturday 214 completions for the week boosted the year's total to 10,037. It was 1,656 more wells than were completed during the comparable period a year ago.

Fifteen gas well completions this week brought the year's total to 708, leading last year's at this date by 34.

Thirteen of the week's oil wells and two of the gas wells were wildcats. There were 54 wildcats reported as dry holes for the week.

Total average calendar day crude oil allowable Saturday was 2,386,948 barrels, up 12,146 barrels from a week ago, the commission said.

**Warren To Address Group At Houston**  
HOUSTON —(AP)— Four officials of the Independent Petroleum Association of America will discuss oil industry problems here this week.

J. Ed Warren, Midland, IPAA president, is to be among the speakers at a noon luncheon Thursday.

## Mild Temperatures Forecast By Bureau

By The Associated Press

Fair, mild weather for the weekend began in Texas Saturday.

From early Saturday minimums in the 30's in West and North Texas, and the 40's elsewhere, readings climbed to the 60's or 70's in most of the state.

Afternoon temperatures were in the 80's in the extreme north part of the Panhandle and in the Texas-arkiana region of Northeast Texas.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said bright skies and mild temperatures should prevail Sunday.

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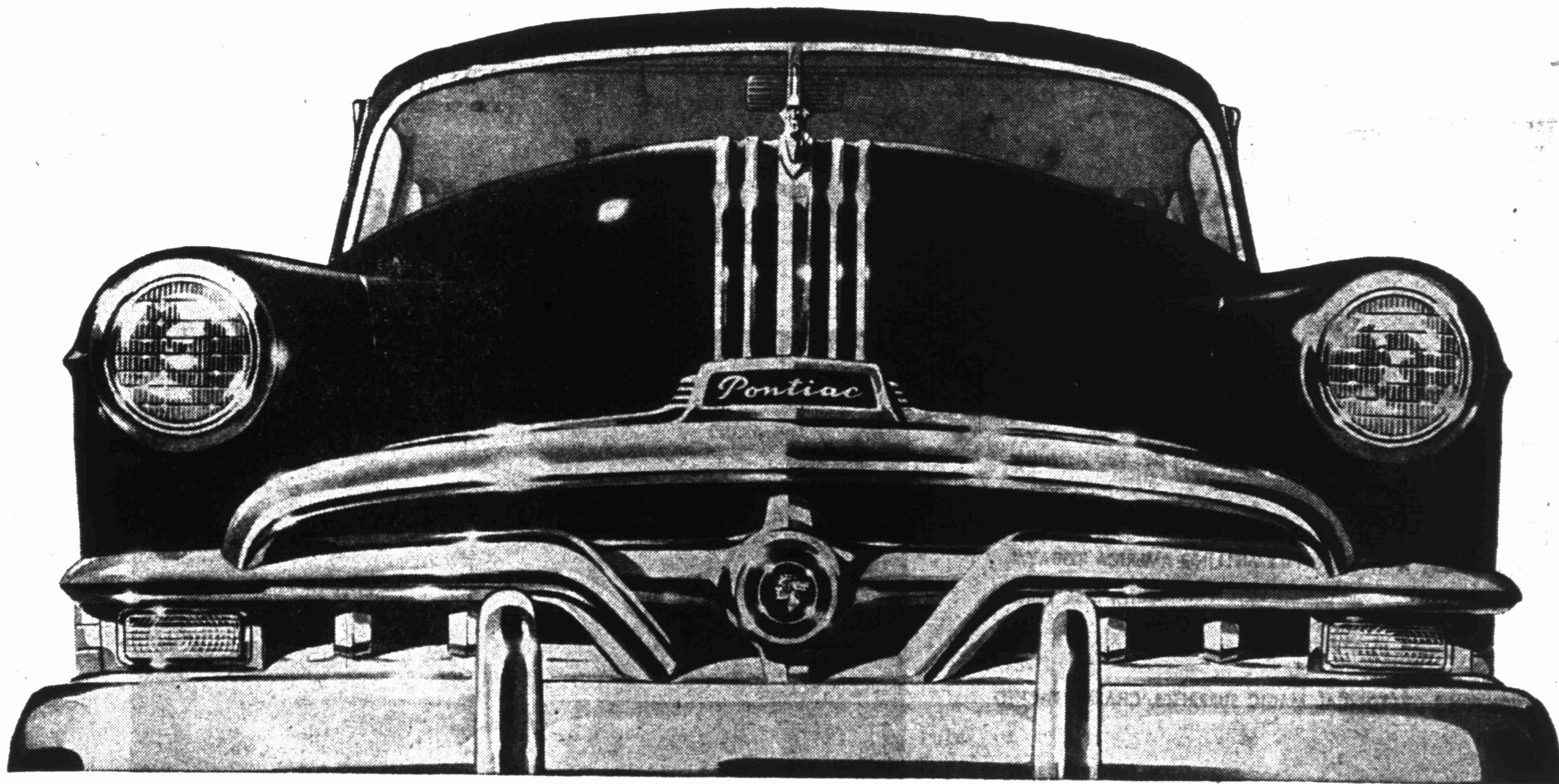
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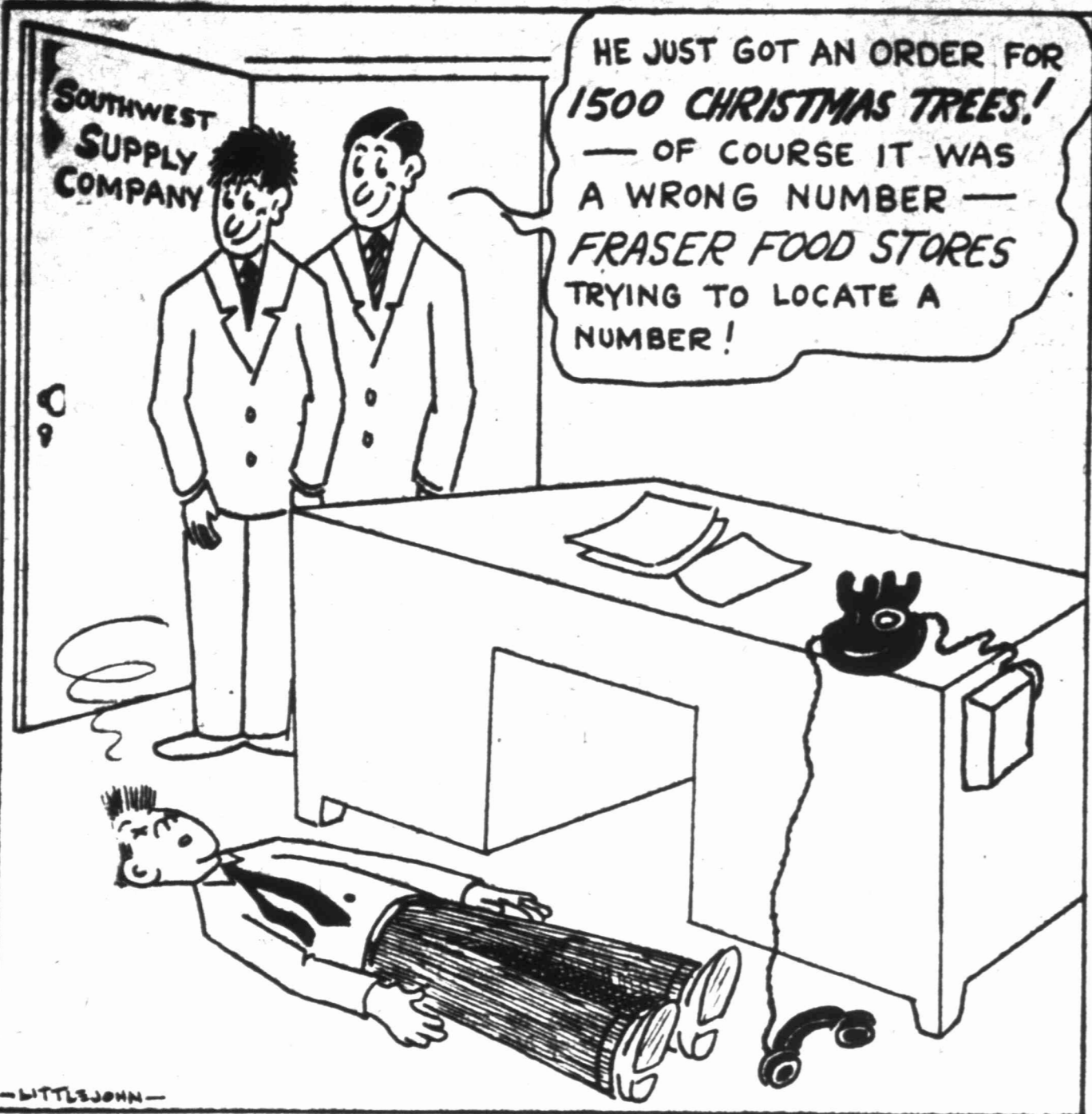
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WTGS Announces Date For Elections

The annual business session and election of officers for the 1951 season of the West Texas Geological Society will be held January 11.

John M. Hills, retiring president of the organization, has asked that all committee chairmen turn in annual reports to him by December 22 so they can be presented to members at the annual meeting.

County Maps advertisement listing various map titles and prices, including 'MIDLAND MAP CORP.' and 'C. E. FRICHARD, Mgr.'

TEXAS OIL ROUNDUP— Shortages Affecting Oil Field Equipment Slated For Study During Week

By MAX B. SKELTON HOUSTON —(AP)— Steel shortages affecting oil field equipment will receive much attention from oil men and state officers here this week.

Ellenburger Prospector In Crockett Logs Show Of Oil

Ted Weiner and associates No. 1 F. L. Mitchell, Northwest Crockett County wildcat, eight miles north of Iraan, and 600 feet from north and east lines of section 48, block H, GC&SF survey, has logged some shows of oil in the Ellenburger and is making more holes.



Fifth Pay Added To Sweetie Peck

Benson-Montin, Inc., No. 1 Josie F. Peck, Ellenburger producer in the Sweetie Peck field of Southwest Midland County, has assured for production from the Fusselman to give the field its fifth pay section.

E-S Terry Wildcat Is Looking For Reef

Wilshire Oil Company No. 1 A. M. Brownfield, East-Central Terry County wildcat, four miles east of the town of Brownfield, is expecting to enter the solid lime of the Pennsylvania reef at any time as it drills ahead below 9,931 feet in lime and shale.

Potential Is Slated For Terry Prospect

Union Oil Company of California No. 2 Christova Stitt, one location southwest of the opener of the Brownfield, South-Canyon field in the Brownfield, South-Canyon field, and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 91, block T, D&W survey.

Explorer In Terry Searching For Reef

Nelson Bunker Hunt Trust Estate No. 1 A. M. Brownfield, East-Central Terry County prospect, three miles southeast of the town of Brownfield, and 1,980 feet from north and west lines of the north half of section 74, block T, D&W survey, had reached 9,908 feet in shale and lime and was drilling deeper and was looking for the Pennsylvania reef solid lime.

Fifth Pay Added To Midland Tex-Harvey

Honolulu Oil Corporation and Signal Oil & Gas Company have completed the fifth producer in the Ropes - Pennsylvania field in Southeast Hockley County.

Possible Pay Shows Logged In Crockett

Oliver and Kotyza of Midland, and associates No. 1-A Todd, shale wildcat in West-Central Crockett County, 20 miles north-northwest of Odessa, is to set 7-inch casing to allow making a production test of a good show of oil which has been logged in an upper Permian sandy lime above the current bottom of 1,330 feet.

Schleicher Wildcat Develops Gas Show

Westbrook Oil Corporation No. 1 A. L. Baugh, Schleicher County wildcat four miles north of the Page-Strawn field, developed shows of gas on a drillstem test in the Strawn reef from 5,738 to 5,760 feet.

Gas, Distillate Are Found In NW Motley

Amerasia Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Elsie Birmie, Northwest Motley County wildcat, nine miles northwest of Matador, is reported by unofficial sources to have developed considerable gas and distillate in a four-hour drillstem test in a zone somewhere between 8,500 feet and 8,600 feet.

NW Borden Wildcat Plugged, Abandoned

H. L. Hunt and others No. 3-B Clayton and Johnson, Northwest Borden County wildcat, has been plugged and abandoned as a dry hole.

Deep Wildcat Is Spotted In Terry

Six miles northeast of Brownfield in East-Central Terry County, Gulf Oil Corporation has spotted location for its No. 1 J. S. Smith, which will be drilled as an 11,700-foot wildcat.

Spraberry To Be Tested In Glasscock

Southern Minerals Corporation No. 1 S. C. Houston, Northwest Glasscock County wildcat, six miles south-southeast of Stanton, and six miles east and slightly north of the Germania field in Northeast Midland County is making the third attempt to run a drillstem test on the Spraberry sand section at 6,374-6,545 feet.

Indian Reservation Lands Up For Sale

The Window Rock, Ariz. area director of the Department of Interior's Bureau of Indian Affairs announced that sealed bids are being accepted for oil and gas leases on Navajo reservation lands, which will be sold at a sale to be held at Window Rock January 2.

Texas, New Mexico Field Maps Available

The 1951 edition of Chester's oil and gas fields map of Texas and Eastern New Mexico is now available from Southwest Mapping Company of Fort Worth.

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**YOUNG SHOPPERS**—Monty Brent Pinnell, left, and sister, Judy Bill, discover the easy way to do their Christmas shopping. While mamma and pappa are busy giving Santa Claus some timely hints, Monty and Judy just relax in this swing in a Midland store. Although they apparently are not concerned with the surrounding wagons and tricycles, it looks as if they wouldn't mind having Santa leave the swing under their tree. Judy and Monty were Midland visitors from Andrews.



**EARLY SHOPPER**—Odell Bishop, 911 South Marienfield Street, is one Midland shopper who won't be caught in the hectic last-minute rush. Not disturbed by Midland's brief cold wave, she pauses on her way down Main Street. The packages in her arms prove she's already given Santa Claus a big helping hand and there still are a reasonable number of shopping days left. Miss Bishop wasn't the only smart shopper, though. Every day last week the stores were crowded with young and old Midlanders who realized the holiday season almost was here. The youngsters looked wistfully at the variety of dolls, toys and games in the city's stores, while mamma and papa made mental notes to tell Santa. Older Midlanders moved more leisurely through the stores, noting happily that a wide selection of gifts still is available. Yes, the Christmas spirit certainly is much in evidence.



**HAPPY SHOPPERS**—Billy Moore, left, and Mrs. E. E. Smith stop in the midst of their Christmas shopping to discuss where to go next to look for a gift for that important person. Smiling happily, they decide that Christmas shopping isn't so bad after you once get started.



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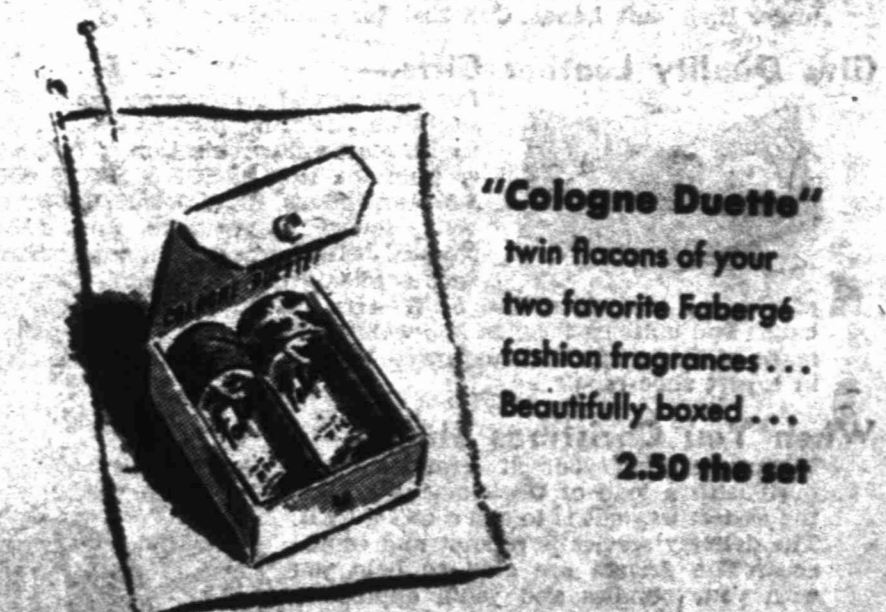
**NEW EXPERIENCE**—Christmas shopping and the rag doll temporarily are forgotten while Angela Ellis and her mother, Mrs. Newnie Ellis, Jr., take time out to view one of the many decorated trees on display in Midland. Christmas still is a little new to Angela and, from the looks of things, she's pretty impressed with the city's holiday trimmings. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis reside at 805 North G Street in Midland.



**SANTA, BRING ME THAT**—These tiny tots are fascinated by this train and think it would be nice if Santa Claus would come down the chimney with one like it. Pictured are Mrs. K. L. Noah and Pamela Jean, left, and Mrs. D. D. Ozman and Dennis doing their Christmas shopping.



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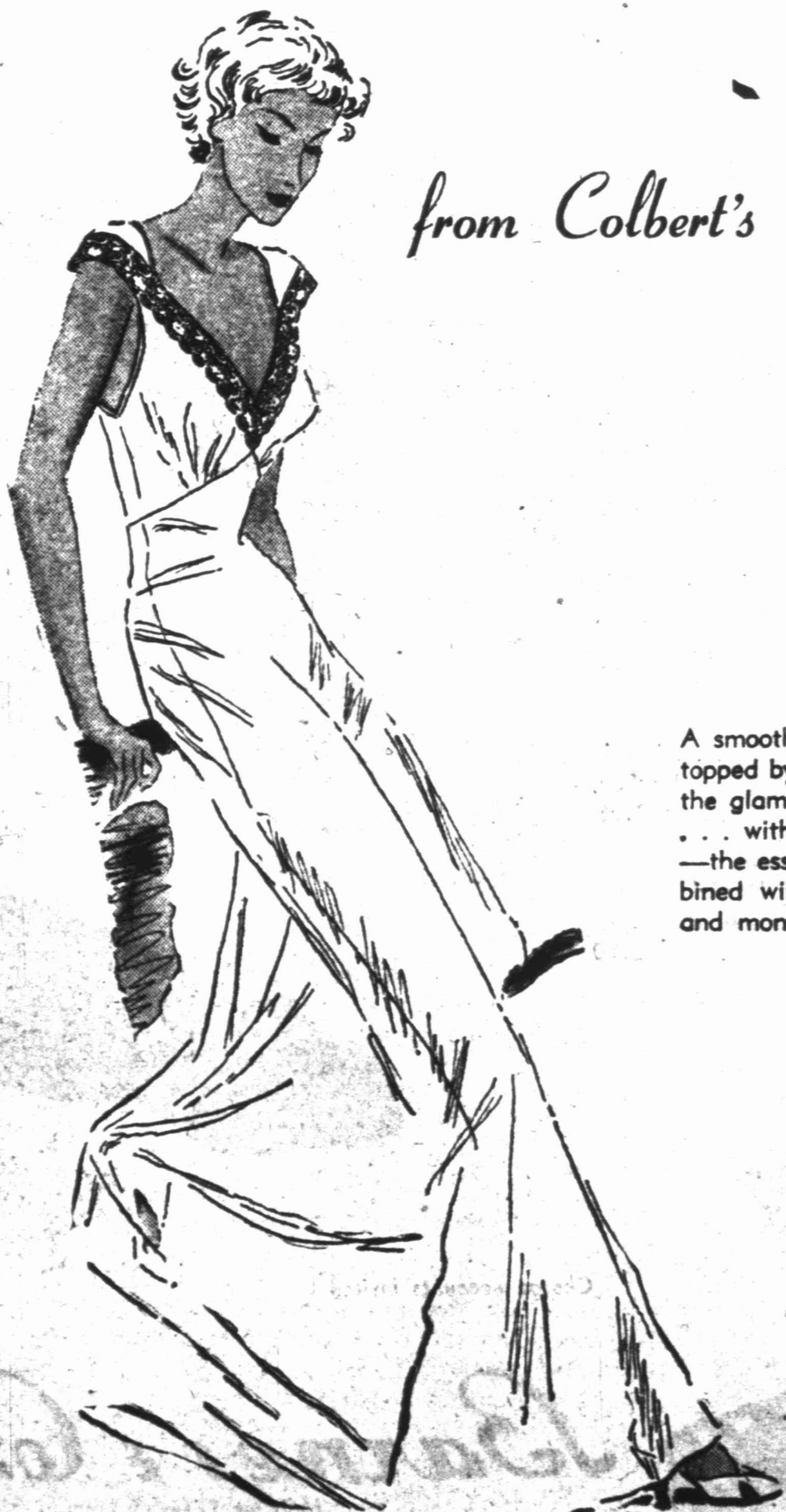
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## New Presbyterian Church Sets Constitution Service

A second Presbyterian Church in Midland will be organized at a constitution service to be held at 7 p.m. Sunday in the First Presbyterian Church, when officers will be elected and a name for the new church selected. The public is invited to attend.

Organization of the new church was approved by the El Paso Presbytery at an adjourned meeting held Tuesday night in Odessa. A commission was appointed to constitute the church and install the pastor. The commission includes the Rev. R. Gage Lloyd and Lee Milling of Big Spring, the Rev. Jack Ramsey of Crane, and Al Vineyard and Dr. R. Matthew Lynn of Midland.

A petition bearing the names of 79 charter members was presented to the Presbytery. The charter list will remain open until Sunday night.

### Sponsored By First Church

The Rev. Lewis O. Waterstreet, assistant pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, is expected to become pastor of the new church, the organization of which is sponsored by the First Church.

Refreshments will be served following the Sunday night meeting. A nursery will be provided.

The new church congregation plans to erect a building on a tract of land immediately across the street north from the David Crockett Elementary School in Northeast Midland. The site was purchased recently.

Organization committees have been appointed as follows: Name—W. H. Crenshaw, Harry Lain, William Caldwell, Mrs. Cliff Torgeson and Mrs. Hue Nunnallee; nominating—Mrs. John Drummond, G. Newman Shell, Cliff Torgeson, Mrs. C. A. McClintic and James Armstead; pulpit—Hue Nunnallee, Raymond Howard, Ernest Barber, Max Schultz and Mrs. G. Newman Shell.

Fruit stains, such as those from pears, peaches, cherries and plums, should be sponged immediately with cold water before they dry. If traces still remain, treat the spot with glycerin or soapless shampoo. Rinse again with cool water.



Mary Catherine Graham

## Graham And Clack Plan June Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Graham of Dallas and formerly of Midland have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Catherine, to James Harry Clack of University City, Mo. Clack is the son of Mrs. Clarence C. Simon of University City.

The wedding date has been set for June 21.

The betrothal was revealed at a party held Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graham. Those in the house party were Mrs. G. E. Cross of Eastland, Mrs. T. C. Graham of Oklahoma City, Bonnie

Boren and Rosellen Brown, Southern Methodist University students. The bride-elect is a graduate of Midland High School and Christian College in Columbia, Mo. She now is attending Southern Methodist University.

Clack is a graduate of the University of Missouri.

### Stanton News

STANTON — Alice Angel was elected noble grand at a recent meeting of the Stanton Rebekah Lodge No. 287. The other officers elected were Edna Davidson, vice grand; Margie Clardy, secretary; Francis Butcher, treasurer; Audrey Louder, team captain; Mildred Hastings, deputy and representative to Grand Lodge; and Francis Butcher, alternate to Grand Lodge.

A youth rally was conducted by the Life Service Band of Hardin-Simmons University here recently at the First Baptist Church. Approximately 100 attended the rally. Mrs. A. C. Fleming recently visited with relatives in San Angelo. Mrs. Edd Jones of Amarillo, an aunt of Mrs. George Cornellum of Stanton, recently died of injuries received in an automobile accident.



ART EXHIBIT—The Palette Club Art Center is sponsoring Ben Turner in a one-man art exhibit this weekend. Exhibitions of oil paintings may be seen in the studio, 604 North Colorado Street, Saturday and Sunday. Turner will be in the studio at 4 p.m. Sunday.

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## Pickett Addresses Life Underwriters

Ferry Pickett, Midland attorney, was the guest speaker Saturday noon at the regular monthly meeting of the Fernian Basin Life Underwriters Association held in Hotel Scharbauer. "The United Nations" was his subject.

The speaker, who was introduced by Roy McKee, reviewed the history, organization, procedure, problems and benefits of the UN, and

gave his ideas as to what must be done to make the organization work. Pickett also related experiences encountered while he was a prisoner of war of the Germans during World War II.

Joe C. Davis, association president, presided at the meeting. Life underwriters from Midland, Big Spring and Odessa were in attendance.

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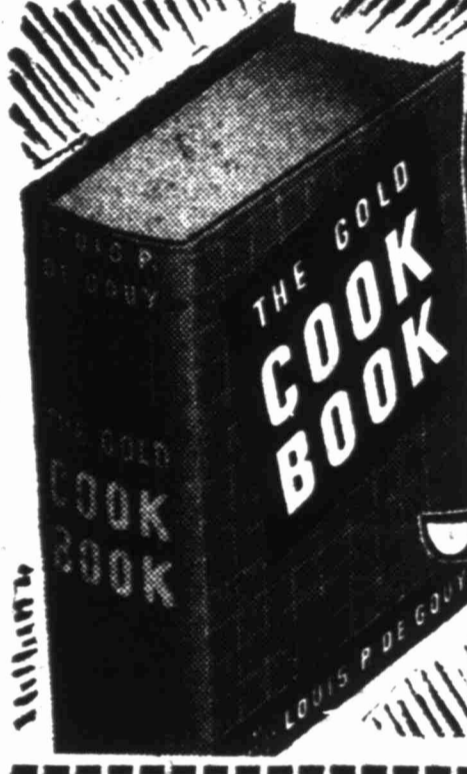
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## Presbyterian Church To Give Pageant December 17, 18

"The Pageant of the Holy Nativity," by Leonard Young and David McK. Williams, will be presented December 17 and 18 by members of the First Presbyterian Church and its choir.

Art Cole is the pageant director and Mrs. Frank Miller is the choir director and organist. Mrs. Hugh Gilmour is assistant choir director and organist.

**Choir Will Sing**

During the pageant, the choir will sing "Hail Thou Holy Maiden," chorus; "Hail, Thou Art Highly Favored," tenor solo by George Van Huse; "My Soul Doth Magnify The Lord," soprano solo by Anne Orashaw; "There Were Shepherds Abiding in the Fields," soprano recitative by Miss Crenshaw; "Glory to God in the Highest," chorus.

"Let Us Now Go Even to Bethlehem," men's chorus with a baritone solo by Allan W. Johnson; "I Would Go To Bethlehem," and "We Three Kings of Orient Are," chorus; "O Holy Night," chorus; night soprano solo by Miss Crenshaw, and "Rest, My Baby Gift of God," contralto solo by Mrs. David S. Googins.

**Choir Members Named**

Others in the choir are Mrs. Lewis Waterstreet, Mrs. Jerry Covington, Mrs. W. H. Carter, Mrs. William H. Norris, Sally Secor and Mary Neill, soprano; Mrs. Paul Anderson, Mrs. Charles Gibbs, Mrs. Gilmour, Mrs. R. Matthew Lynn, Mrs. Coy Watson, Gloria Anguish, Patty Hammon, and Dolores Pattison, alto.

Dodie Howell, Wesley Davis, William Cobb and Frank Miller, tenors; Malcolm O. Gibson, Paul Laverty, Sr., and Paul Laverty, Jr., basses.

**FALLOUT**

Whales, contrary to popular belief, do not spout water. The moist air blown from the whale's lungs condenses into drops of moisture in the colder atmosphere, giving the appearance of a fountain of water.

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Mary Jane Wheeler

## Wheeler, Clingham Make Wedding Plans

Mr. and Mrs. James D. Wheeler, 1000 North A Street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jane, to William H. Clingham, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clingham of Grand Rapids, Mich.

The wedding will take place February 6 in the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Mary Clingham, sister of the future bridegroom, will be maid of honor. Susan and Jane Smith of Dallas will be junior bridesmaids.

Miss Wheeler is a graduate of Grand Rapids High School and attended Stephens College in Columbia, Mo. Both Miss Wheeler and Clingham are attending the University of Michigan.

## Yule Travel Speeds Continental Activity

The Christmas holiday season is causing increased activity for Continental Air Lines.

A special plane, chartered by Reno Oil Company, will leave Midland Air Terminal December 19 for Wichita Falls, according to a Continental Air Lines official.

Three extra sections of Convairs have been added to the December 23 flight to Tulsa, principally because of military men who will be on leave.

If planes are available, several other special flights are anticipated by Midland CAL officials.

Countless birds, bears and caribou were killed by the Mt. Katmai, Alaska, eruption in 1912, but no humans lived close enough to be hurt.

## Mallie Jackson Weds C. R. Vandervoort

Mallie Lou Jackson became the bride of Chadwick R. Vandervoort Saturday in the First Presbyterian Church in Santa Fe, N. M.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crouch of Midland.

For her wedding the bride chose a blue suit with a beige beaver hat and brown accessories. She carried brown orchids.

Jo Winders was maid of honor and M. H. Brinkerhoff was best man. Both are from Midland.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Jackson chose a dark blue suit with navy accessories.

**To Be Here**

After December 16 the couple will be at home in Midland.

Out-of-city guests at the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Jackson and Bobby, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Beall and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Phillips of Odessa; Mrs. O. V. Vandervoort, Fort Worth; Arnold Brown and J. R. Crouch of Midland.

The bride is a graduate of Phillips High School and attended West Texas State College and Texas Technological College. She is employed by the Stubbeman, McRae and Sealy law firm here.

Vandervoort attended Texas Wesleyan College and Texas Christian University. He is an independent oil operator.

## Calvary Baptist WMU Has Meeting

The Women's Missionary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church met Friday in the church to observe the Lottie Moon Week of Prayer.

The topic of discussion was "The Voice of The Prince of Peace."

Mrs. Hoyt Burris gave the devotional, "Fulfilling of the Promise." Other speakers and their topics were Mrs. B. L. Mason, Africa; Mrs. J. C. Crow, Brazil; Mrs. Pate, Europe; Mrs. Lory Absher, Near East, and Mrs. Claude St. John, Korea.

Others attending the meeting were Mrs. W. G. Flournoy, Mrs. V. O. Barber, Mrs. Brodie Caudle, Mrs. A. L. Teaf, Mrs. A. E. Bauman and Mrs. J. B. Jordan.

## Old, New Club Officers Meet

Old and new officers of the Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Margaret Frances Barber. Plans were made for the Christmas luncheon and for an informal Christmas tea to be held December 15 in the home of Mrs. W. H. Oswalt at the Midland Air Terminal.

New officers present were Mrs. C. G. Snarrer, president; Mrs. K. A. Moore, vice president; Mrs. J. T. Sikes, secretary, and Mrs. B. C. Rogers, treasurer.

Past officers attending were Mrs. Oswalt, president; Mrs. W. S. Key, Jr., vice president; Mrs. R. A. Wright, secretary, and Mrs. W. D. Gill, treasurer.

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### Mrs. Hester Is Shower Honoree

CRANE—Mrs. Nari Hester was the honoree Wednesday at a layette shower in the Community Hall. Hostesses were Mrs. O. D. Gaines, Mrs. J. C. Prince, Mrs. C. G. Robinson and Mrs. B. T. North.

Mrs. Prince presided at the gift table, which was centered with a stork, and Mrs. Robinson was at the registry. The serving table was covered with a net and lace cloth over blue. The white cake squares were topped with a miniature pink bootie and blue flower. Mrs. Gaines and Mrs. North served.

Guests listed

Guests were Mrs. Otney Miller, Mrs. Ardith Allman, Dora Nunn, Mrs. W. G. Pettit, Louise Mathis, Mona Watkins, Jewel Hogan, Mrs. Pete Lovelace, Billie Koonce, Sammie Brunette, Mrs. Leon Neeley, Betty Cook, Mrs. Charles Lovelace.

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### Brownie, Intermediate Troops Meet In Girl Scout House

Five Brownie and two Intermediate Girl Scout Troops met Thursday and Friday in the Girl Scout Little House.

The members of Brownie Troop 41, under the supervision of Mrs. Ralph Evans, worked on Christmas presents for their mothers during their Thursday meeting.

Those present were Linda Bowers, Marjorie Orsman, Kathleen Cunningham, Louise Gibson, Sus Ellen McGray, Marian McGowan, Kay Obercamp, Rebecca Payne, Barbara Ponder, Patricia Stafford, Verna Ann Wells, Diana Wells, Mrs. C. P. Cunningham, leader, and Mrs. M. O. Gibson, assistant leader.

Plans Christmas Party

Plans for a Christmas party to be held December 15 were made by Intermediate Troop 21 in its Friday meeting. The mothers of the girls will be guests. Each member brought a Christmas decoration for the room. The group sang Christmas carols.

Refreshments were served by Mary Revee, Francilla Brooks and Glenda Brookshire to Zeba Flynn, Charlotte Craig, Brenda Gouchie.

### Midland Student In College 'Who's Who'

ALPINE—William (Bill) Pate, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pate of 417 South Fort Worth Street, Midland, has been named a member of WHO'S WHO Among Students in American Universities and Colleges for the year 1960-61. A certificate of this award was presented to Pate in a recent all-student assembly by Dr. R. M. Hawkins, president of Sul Ross State College, where Pate is a senior student.

He is a graduate of Midland High School, where he served as vice president of his junior class, historian of F. F. A., and a member of the Model Airplane Club and Glee Club. He entered the United States Marine Corps and received his honorable discharge with the rank of sergeant.

Active Student

Since coming to Sul Ross in 1949, Pate has taken an active part in many campus activities. He served as president of the sophomore class and holds memberships in the Hard Rock Club (Geology), Press Club, Future Teachers of America, Gavel Club (debate, Mask and Slipper, and Alpha Chi, (national honorary society). In addition, he is a student member of the important School Assembly Planning Committee, and School Cafeteria Committee, and is on the SKYLINE (newspaper) staff. He currently is serving as head cheerleader for the college.

Pate is majoring in geology and will receive his degree in May, 1961.

### Correct Clothes Point Up Importance Of Homemaking

By ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

Many women belittle their jobs as homemakers, which accounts in part for the sloppy clothes so many of them wear around the house. "Nobody ever sees me anyway," they mourn. "It doesn't matter what I wear."

Actually, it matters a great deal in terms of self-esteem and day-by-day efficiency. Anyone who has ever devoted herself wholeheartedly to housekeeping knows it's a big job—important as well as difficult. And housewives should dress the part.

This calls for planning your house-clothes as carefully as if you were actually going out to work. Fortunately, your budget need only be a fraction of that of the average career woman.

The basis of the homemaker's wardrobe should be house-dresses. However, many women dislike "wasting" their money on this type of clothes. When their church or afternoon dresses become tight, worn or out-of-style, they are mis-cast in the role of house-dresses. Those who practice this "economy" create an impression of ragamuffin tastelessness.

It's better to remake your dressy clothes in order to prolong their usefulness, and channel part of your regular clothes budget into house-dresses. Choose in expensive, easily-laundered nylons or seersuckers, and you can limit your house-dresses to only two or three. Wise homemakers use aprons to protect their dresses from soil and to add a gay color note as well.

Shoes are an important item in the homemaker's wardrobe. Women who "wear out" their rundown, squiffed-up shoes around the house often succeed in wearing out their feet, too. Wearing bedroom slippers all day is equally bad.

Another practice which creates a bad impression is that of truffling about in negligees while cooking breakfast and doing the early morning housework. If the pressure of getting your husband off to work or your children off to school leaves no time for you to dress before breakfast, try wearing a colorful cotton kimono coat. Save your lacy robes for bedroom and bath.

### Baptist Choir To Present Choral Cantata

The First Baptist Church will present "The Music of Christmas," a cantata, by the Sanctuary Choir, at 8 p.m. Sunday in the church.

The program is under the direction of Wesley May. Mrs. Joe Mims is the organist and Mrs. E. L. Denton, pianist.

Numbers included in the program are "Holy Night," "He Shall Feed His Flock," "Come Thou Long Expected Jesus," "O Little Town of Bethlehem," "Good Tidings," "O Holy Be To God," "The Mass," "The Little Lord Jesus," "In Our Hearts" and "The Living Song."

Soloists will be Arma Joyce Street, Wanda Slocum, Mrs. Robert Goff, Leo Meers and Duke Jimmison.



### Joseph Beyer, Lucille Lucas Plan December Wedding

CRANE—The engagement and approaching marriage of Lucille Lucas of Odessa and Joseph A. Beyer, Crane County judge, was announced recently at a morning coffee held in the home of Mrs. L. H. Giddens, Odessa.

The wedding will take place December 22 in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wooten of McAdoo.

Guest Register

Rita Zo Davis presided at the guest register. The room was decorated with yellow fugli mums and pompons.

The coffee table was covered with

ODESSA CHOIR WILL PRESENT 'THE MESSIAH'

ODESSA—The third annual presentation of "The Messiah" will be held at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, December 16, in the Odessa High School Auditorium. The Odessa Community Choir, organized this year, augmented by the Odessa College Concert Choir, will sing the Christmas section of the oratorio under the direction of Robert Page, Odessa College choral director.

Light of the Cuban firefly is so bright that a few of these insects produce enough illumination to serve as a lantern.

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## Tournament Winners Named At Golf Association Luncheon

Ringer Tournament winners were presented prizes by Mrs. Herschel Esell, golf chairman, at the Ladies Golf Association luncheon Friday in the Midland Country Club.

Winners were Gloria Esell, medalist; Sybil Flournoy, low ringer, first flight; Jane Baubens and Marceline White, most improved; Rachel Hornbeck, low ringer, second flight; Elsie Ashby, most improved, second flight; Betty Fitzgerald, low ringer, third flight; Novadean Hogan, most improved, third flight; Grace Sientz, low ringer, fourth flight; Jane Lockett, most improved, fourth flight; Hazel Knickerbocker, low ringer, fifth flight and Alegal Davison, most improved fifth flight.

Hostesses for the luncheon were Mrs. L. F. Peterson and Mrs. W. A. Keller.

The luncheon table was decorated with tall red candles and holly. The centerpiece was an arrangement of poinsettias, white carnations and spruce. Mrs. Onan Vaudell played the organ during the lunch hour.

Guests at the meeting were Mrs. Harry Briggs of Albany, Mrs. Mearns of Little Rock, Ark., Mrs. Pittman of Eastland, Mrs. Joe Ward, Mrs. W. A. Yeager, Mrs. Clarence Nelson and Mrs. Lennie Davidson.

Other members present were Mrs. Neal Marks, Mrs. Earl Wilson, Mrs. J. J. Travis, Mrs. Frank Downey, Mrs. H. B. Dunagan, Mrs. Bob Franklin, Mrs. I. E. Daniel, Mrs. J. C. Carner, Mrs. C. C. Cool, Mrs. Harry Miller, Mrs. Frank Aldrich, Mrs. Lelf Olsen, Mrs. Roy Douglas, Mrs. R. K. White and Mrs. Roy Kinsey.



**RECENTLY MARRIED** — Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Goode are at home at 411 South Main Street after a wedding trip to Alpine. The couple was married Monday in the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goode. Mrs. Goode is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Spinks of Clyde.



**Patty Lou Reynolds And William A. McClatchy Wed**

LUBBOCK—Patty Lou Reynolds and William A. McClatchy were married December 2 in the St. Paul's Episcopal Church in Lubbock. The Rev. Claude E. Canterbury officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Reynolds of Midland. McClatchy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McClatchy of Midland.

The double-ring ceremony was performed before an altar decorated with white mums. Candles were placed at the altar and in all the windows.

Mrs. Ploewman Flays, organist, played "Meditation," "Evening Star," "Ave Maria," and "Intermezzo." Mrs. Ploewman sang "Oh, Perfect Love."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a ballerina length shadow lace gown. She wore a lace Juliet cap and carried a white orchid with white net tufts and satin leaves.

Betty Boone of Seminole was maid of honor. She wore a pink satin dress and carried bronze and gold mums.

Attendants Named  
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## Postal Clerks Have Meeting

The Postal Clerks Auxiliary had its Christmas meeting Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wright, 600 South Colorado Street. The house and yard were decorated with lights in Christmas colors.

Following the business session presided over by Mrs. Ed Zantow, president, the members played canasta.

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## Women's Missionary Union Finishes Program Series

Completing the series of programs in observance of the Little Moon Week of Prayer, the Women's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday, Thursday and Friday in the church.

"The Voice of the Prince of Peace," the Friday program, was sponsored by the Mary Martha Circle.

Those participating were Mrs. O. R. Phillips, Mrs. Joe Smith, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford, Mrs. C. F. Hunter, Mrs. H. S. Collings, Mrs. Dub Hager, Mrs. Roy Herrington and Mrs. H. B. Spears.

Others attending were Mrs. J. S. Griffith, Mrs. G. L. Evans, Mrs. L. E. Paterson, Mrs. Ernest Neill, Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Mrs. Vernon Yearby, Mrs. Norman Taylor, Lula Peeler and Mrs. Morris Hill.

The Thursday program sponsored by the Little Moon and the Lockett Circles was on the subject, "The Voice of the Lost Millions."

Mrs. Frank Monroe gave the devotional. Others participating in the program were Mrs. Henry Glass, Mrs. Paul Beaver, Mrs. Cecil Craft, Mrs. W. S. Helm, Mrs. Albert Clement, Mrs. Griffith, Mrs. Jim Schroeder, Mrs. E. H. Thacker and Mrs. J. C. Hudman.

Others present were Mrs. E. F. Conner, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, Mrs. Ben Kelton, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Neill, Mrs. James Mims, Mrs. S. C. Dougherty, Mrs. John F. Godwin, Mrs. C. F. Hunter, Mrs. Herrington, Mrs. H. A. Palmer, Mrs. Norman Taylor, Mrs. J. H. Williamson, Mrs. Yearby and Mrs. Griffith.

## Miss Maberry, Shirley Hedrick Plan Wedding

Mrs. Lucille Maberry of Sweetwater, announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Zonelle, to Shirley M. Hedrick, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hedrick of Sweetwater.

The wedding will take place December 24 in the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater.

Miss Maberry is a graduate of Newman High School, Sweetwater, and now is employed by A. A. Bradford in Midland.

Hedrick also is a graduate of Newman High School. He attended Texas A&M, Hardin-Simmons University and West Texas State College before entering the Army in September. He is stationed in Fort Benning, Ga.

### CARD OF THANKS

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### MIDLAND VISITORS

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## Community Theater Will Give 'Harvey'

The Midland Community Theater will open its 1951 season and its sixth year of activity in February with the production of the comedy, "Harvey." The former Broadway hit will be presented for Midlanders February 1, 2 and 3.

Climaxing the 1950 season Saturday night was the final production of George Bernard Shaw's "Arms and the Man" staged in the City-County Auditorium.

New memberships for the forthcoming year are being sold at the theater office, 301 West Missouri Street. Memberships are classified as regular, sponsor and patron. The first entitles the holder to 16 admissions to the six major plays of 1951, while the second grants 24 admissions.

Privileges extended to members include advance notice of productions and the opportunity to enroll children in the Children's Theater operated in cooperation with the Midland Service League. The children's organization, under the direction of Art Cole, is divided into three groups, each meeting once a week. Members also elect members of

the Board of Governors at an annual meeting scheduled in January. Paxton Howard, president, is available at all times for conferences with members.

**MARRIAGE LICENSE**  
A marriage license was issued Friday by County Clerk Lucille Johnson to Jasper Jed Friday and Alice Marie Snyder.

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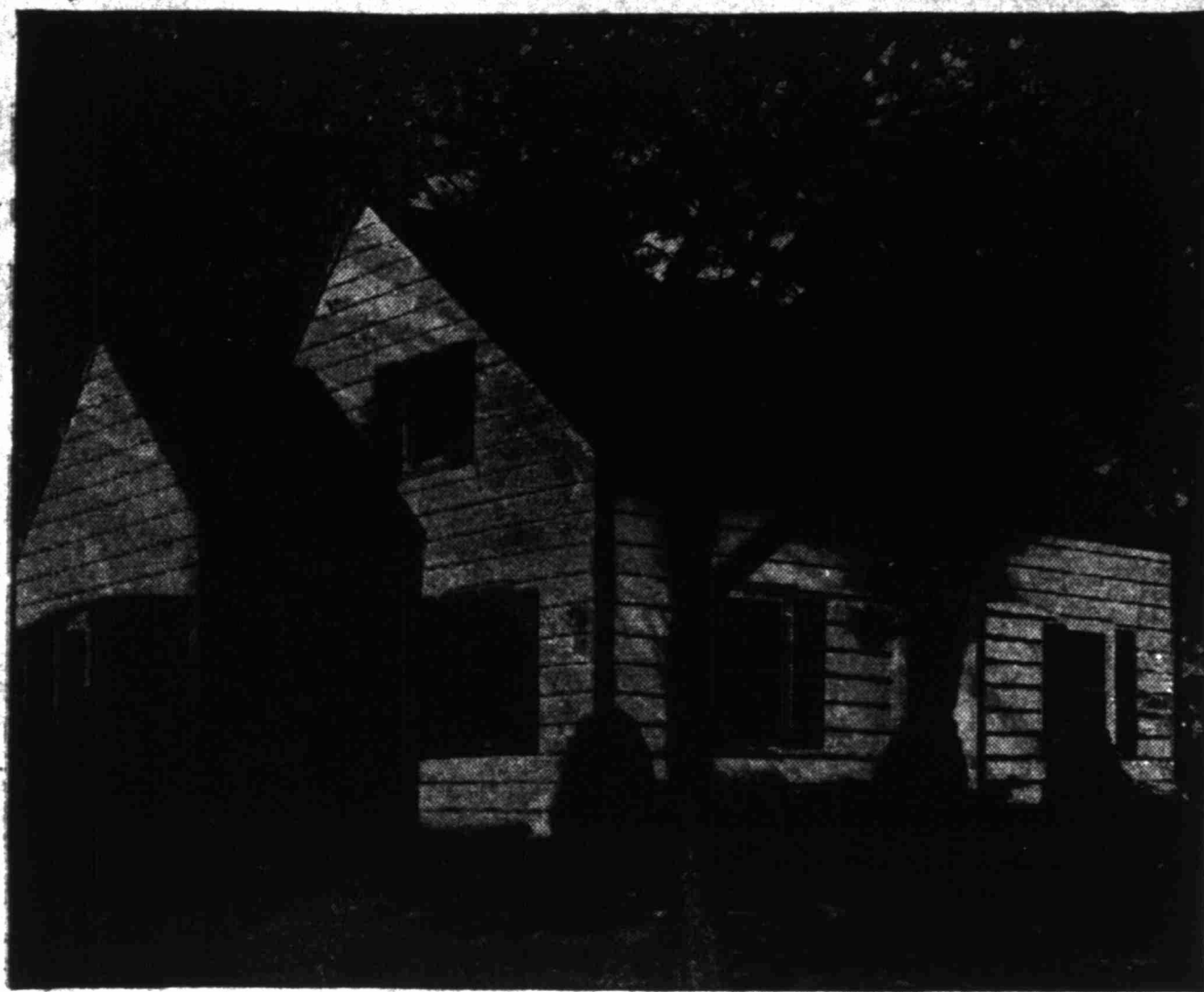
### Long Life Makes Hardwood Flooring Low Cost 'Luxury'

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The advantages of selecting quality materials is especially evident in such basic parts as the flooring, which should last the life of a house. One reason for the general preference for floors of oak, for example, is their long-run economy. Panned for their durability and resistance to wear, they seldom if ever require major repair. Routine maintenance expense is negligible. Given moderate care, oak floors retain their initial cost varies somewhat in different sections of the country.



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### E. L. Ford Is Midland Country Club Manager

E. L. Ford of Enid, Okla., has assumed his new duties as manager of the Midland Country Club, succeeding Jack Swift, who resigned effective December 1.

Ford had been manager of the Oakwood Country Club at Enid the last two and a half years. He formerly has served 12 years as assistant manager of the Blackstone Hotel in Fort Worth and then as assistant manager of the Rivercrest Country Club in Fort Worth for two years.

A veteran of World War II, he spent three of his four years of service overseas.  
He is married and has a 12-year-old daughter.

### Family's Welfare, Disposition Dependent Upon Kitchen Plan

The kitchen is a very important unit in the family home. It is so important, that Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home management for the Texas A&M College Extension Service, says that the whole family's welfare—and disposition—largely is dependent upon how well it is planned and used.

"Housewives in these days don't just walk into the kitchen and start impulsively to work," Mrs. Claytor says, "because they have found that they can work with more efficiency if proper arrangement has been made as to the kind of work and where it can be done best." Preparing the food, cooking, serving, and cleaning and washing dishes are the four phases of activity in the kitchen outlined by the specialist.

Mrs. Claytor suggests that the kitchen sink, for example, be well lighted, preferably with a window in the wall which is at right angles to the sink. Dishes stored in the kitchen should be above the working surface at the left of the sink or within easy reach of it. The range may be at right angles to the sink or directly opposite. Working surface is needed on both sides of the range. As for the refrigerator, the specialist thinks that it should be given a central location and easily accessible.

Light and ventilation are two items planners of future kitchens should keep in mind, Mrs. Claytor points out. Windows should be placed on two sides of the kitchen and light fixtures should be located so that the light will fall on the work areas. For the average-size kitchen, Mrs. Claytor advocates a 12-inch globe equipped with a 160-watt bulb.

A rectangular kitchen is recommended because it provides more wall space than a square one. The working portion, the specialist says, should be kept free from doorways to avoid traffic.

**Surface Heights**  
A correct height for various working centers in the kitchen enables one to maintain good posture and lessen fatigue. Mrs. Claytor suggests that each homemaker experiment with different surface heights until the most comfortable one for dishwashing, rolling, beating and stirring is found.

Cabinet space should be arranged with reference to the activities of the kitchen and equipment to be stored. Shelves should be removable and adjustable as to the distance apart. Mrs. Claytor believes that metal shelf stripping is one of the best devices for adjustable shelves.

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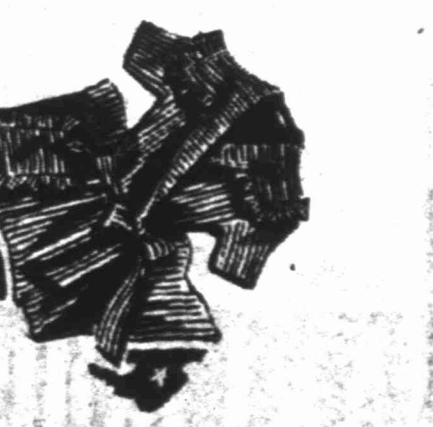
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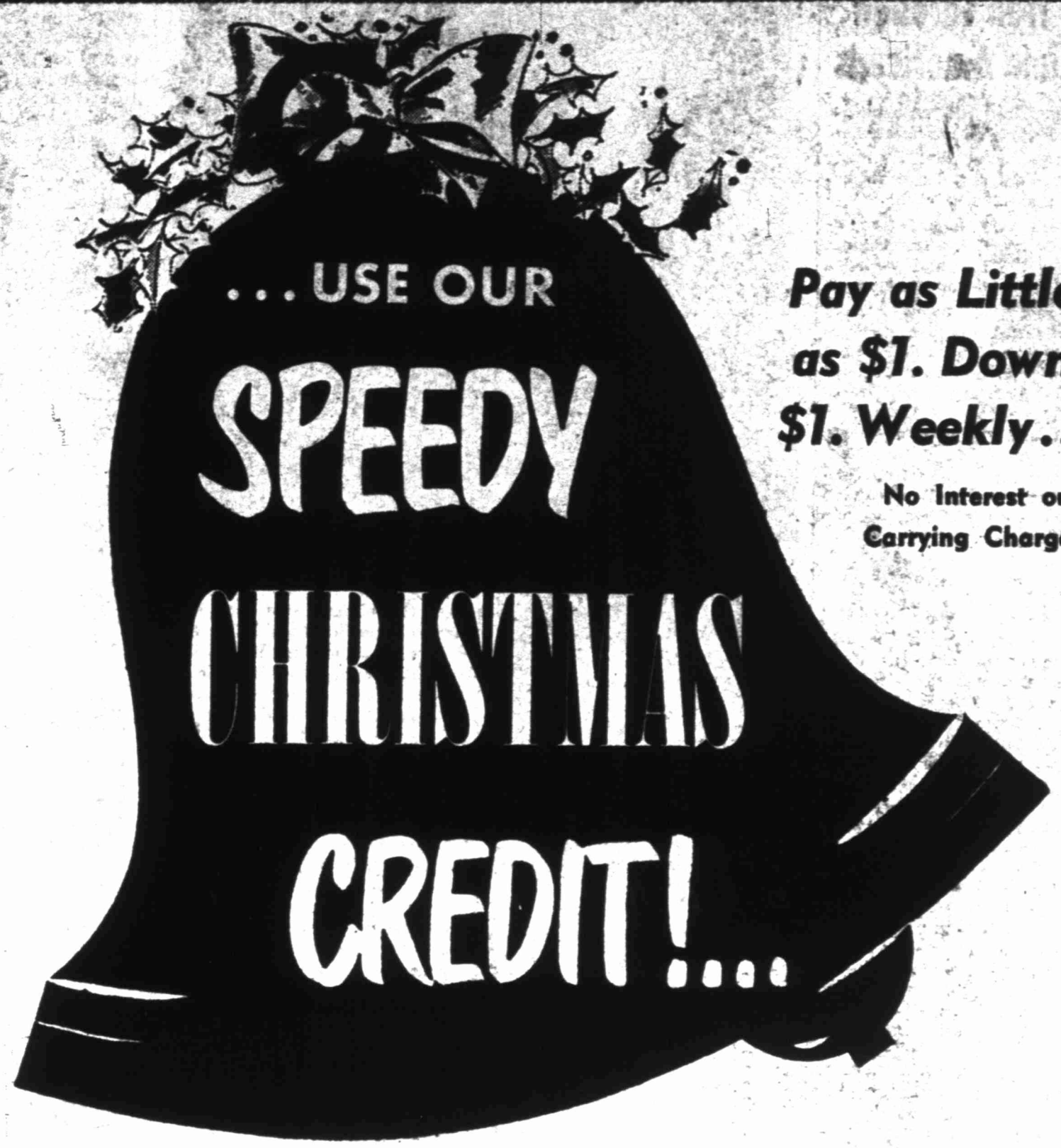
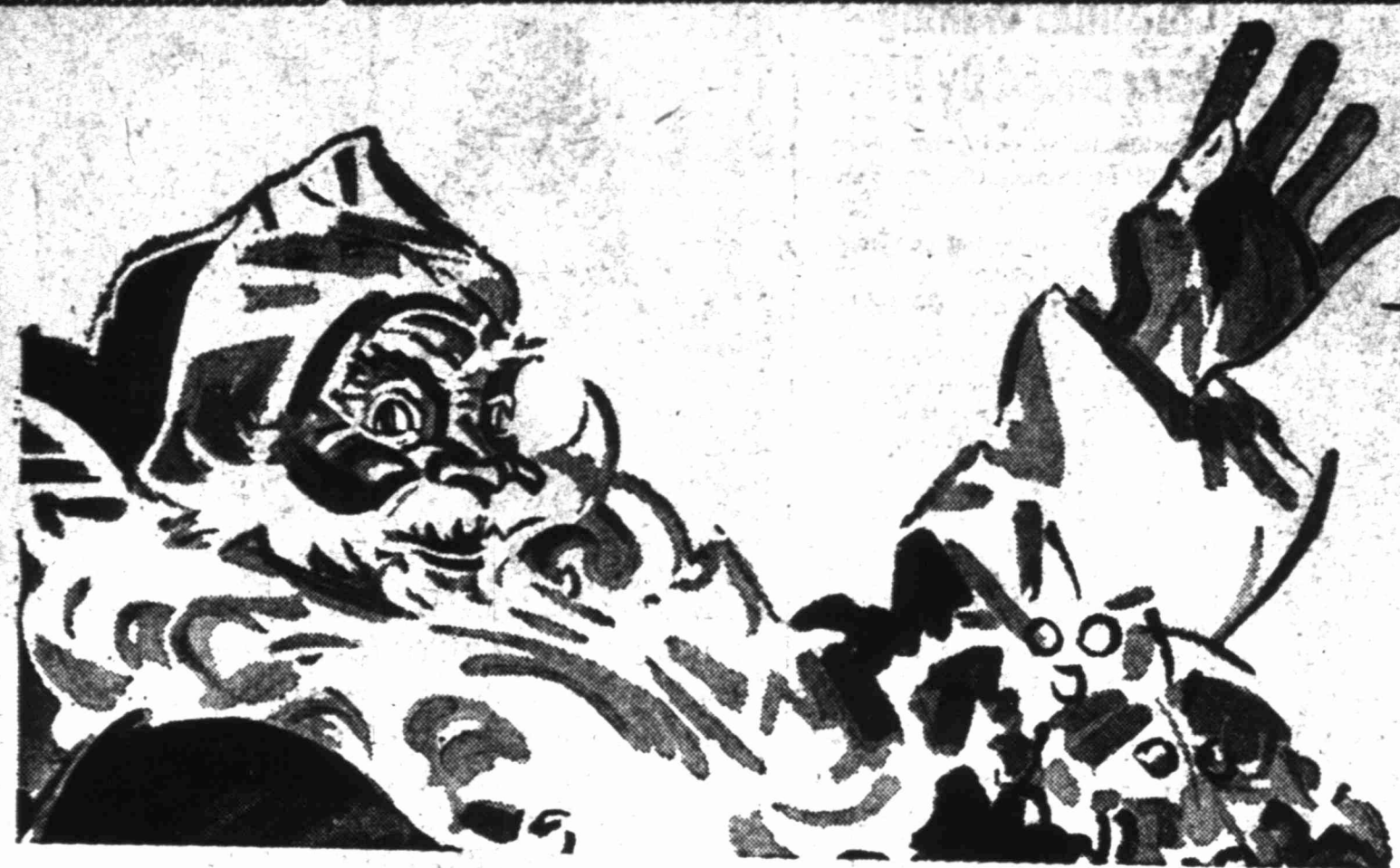
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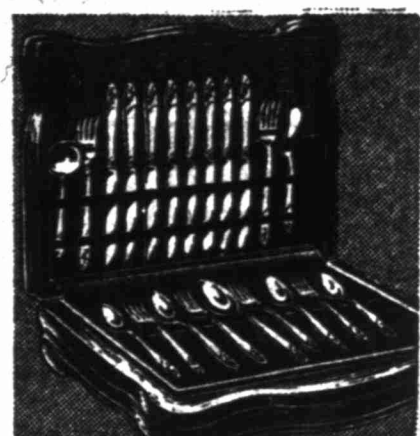
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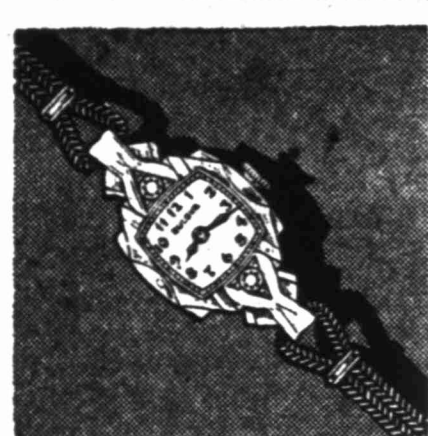
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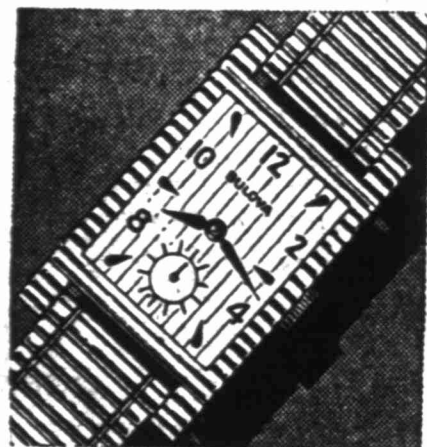


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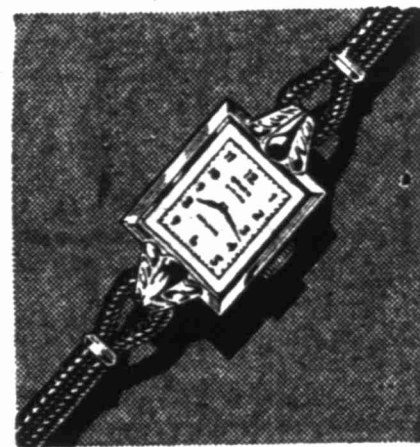


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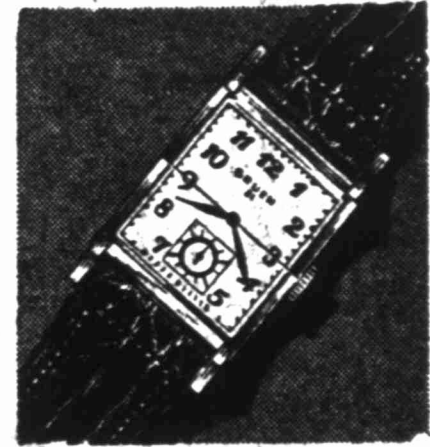
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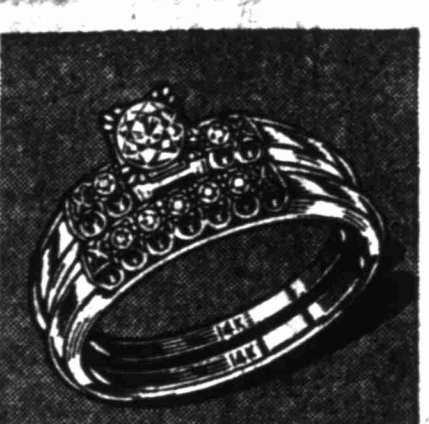
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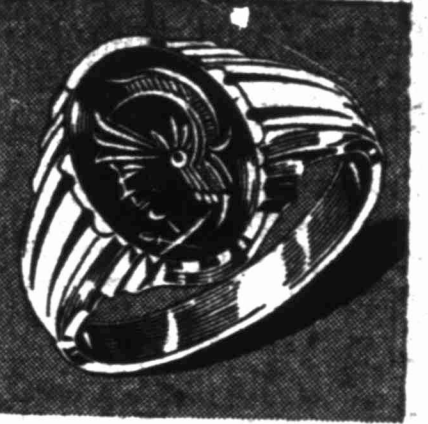
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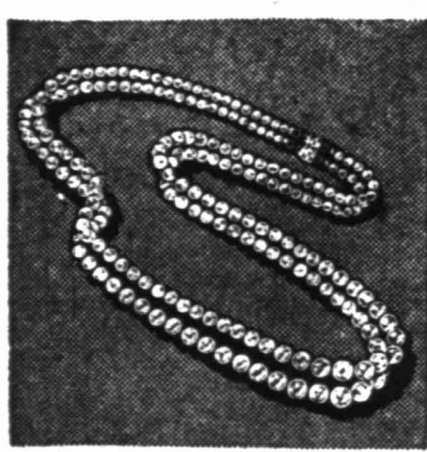
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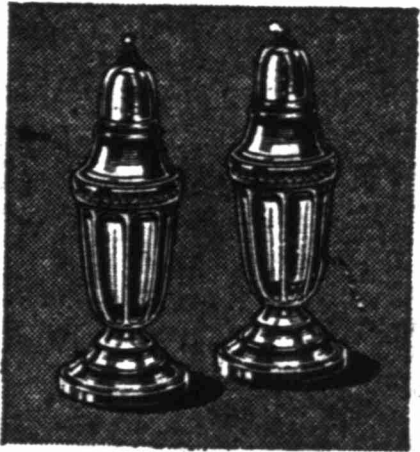
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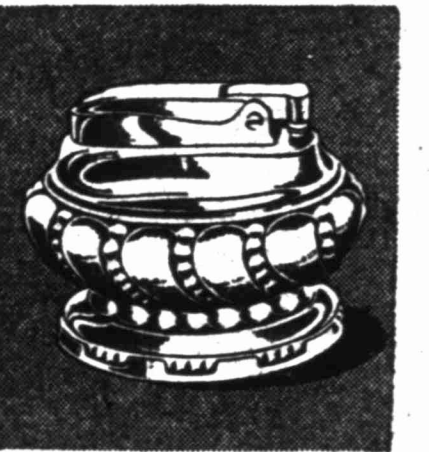
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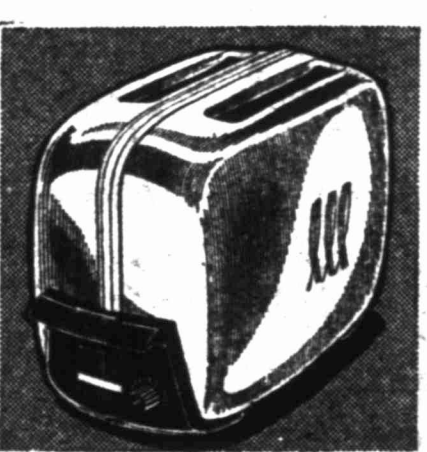
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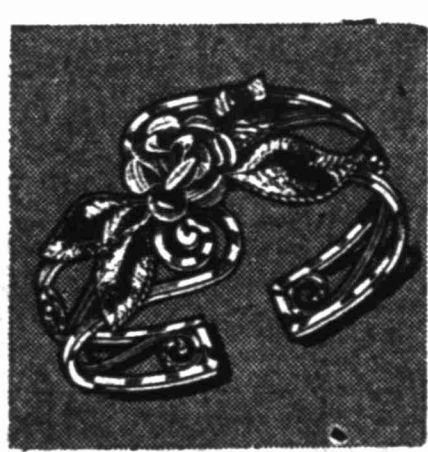
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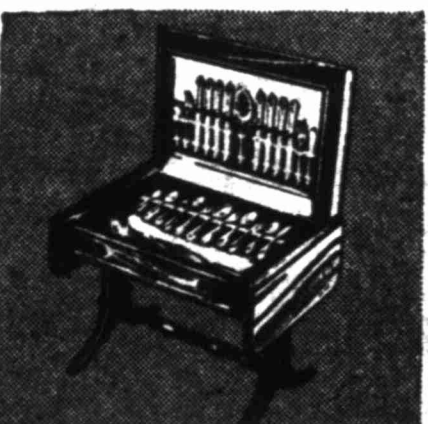
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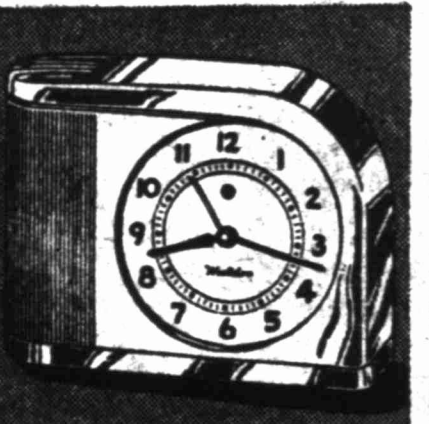
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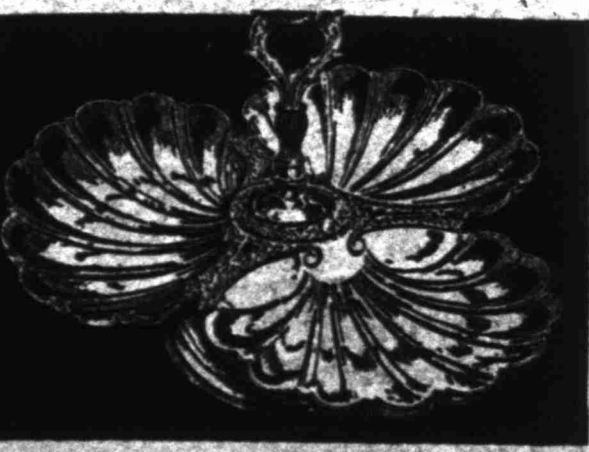
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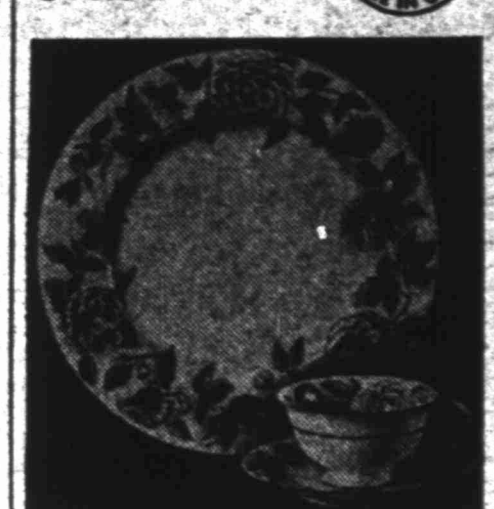
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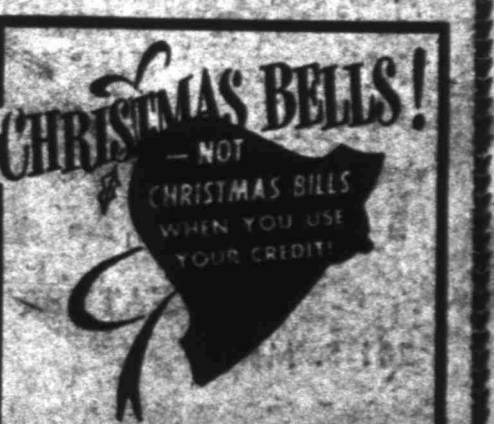
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## Weird Convoy Beats Bloody Trail Through Flaming Roadblock To Evacuate Americans

By DON HUTB  
WITH U. S. SECOND DIVISION, KOREA —(AP)—The weird convoy beat a bloody trail through a flaming five-mile roadblock.

It was the night, evacuating men of the American Second Division trapped in the Chinese Red breakthrough of the Chongchon River line in Northwest Korea.

Two ambulances, three general field vans and four commandeered trucks were used to bring the men out. The division's headquarters company ran a gauntlet of withering fire.

"To the best of my knowledge we didn't leave a wounded man behind," said Capt. W. O. Buria, 48, of Los Angeles.

The lanky, gray-haired captain directed the rescue. He said:

"It was wonderful to see how those men—the wounded and those who helped them—conducted themselves. It made a man proud to do what little he could to help."

The decision to evacuate the headquarters command post came about noon November 29.

Efforts to crack the roadblock had been unsuccessful. The command post had been under fire the previous night. There were at least 28 wounded to move.

"We lined up the ambulances, trucks and vans," Buria related.

"The two ambulances already full. They were crowded with between 10 and 12 men each.

"It wasn't very long before we ran into heavy fire. The column slowed down. Killed and wounded men were lying all along the road."

Buria said the medics "were really wonderful. Gunfire was going on all around us, they worked among the men doing as much as they could for them. They worked like Trojans."

The wounded men were coming so fast the trucks filled up quickly. The side guard rails from disabled trucks were used to make a second tier so each vehicle could handle more men.

"We just kept loading the wounded as we moved slowly along," Buria said.

"The boys would work alongside the road to determine if the men lying there were alive or dead. Sometimes it was hard to tell.

"It was pitiful to see some of those boys. Their face were white with shock. But when they opened their eyes you could see how grateful they were. It made you almost want to cry. But it gave them confidence and you could see the color come back to their faces.

Wounded Try To Help

"Why I even saw some boys who were wounded themselves helping other wounded boys get aboard the trucks. It seemed everybody that could was helping someone else."

It was a long and rough trip through the Chinese hall of fire which poured into the trucks as they moved south.

"Some men who were wounded in action were wounded again after they had been loaded into the ambulance convoy. The generals' vans were splattered with blood.

Buria said:

"It was pretty tough to have to walk by those trucks and have one of the wounded stop you and say 'Captain, how much farther do we have to go?' You could hear some of the wounded moan but I didn't hear a single soldier who complained."

Buria said two corporals from Fox Company of the 38th Regiment "were the heroes of that drive." He identified them as Robert R. Calvert and Harry B. Talcott (addresses unavailable). He said:

"They were driving trucks and were as cool as they could be. They never panicked or hurried. With bullets flying all around, they drove their trucks slowly while we made sure we hadn't missed anyone. They would stop and wait until the wounded were all loaded before they continued down the road."

## Linen Gifts Turn Up In Smart New Ideas



Ranking high among always-welcome gifts of linen are such pieces as this hand-embroidered cloth, which adds a touch of elegance



Candy stripes on this fingertip towel are in keeping with the holiday spirit.

By ANNE LARSEN

Being snowed under with gifts of linen is the average homemaker's dream of a perfect White Christmas.

Gifts for the linen closet, whether your taste runs to the practical or the frankly luxurious, are available in great variety this year.

On the elegant side are hand-worked pieces in Irish linen. Especially outstanding in this group are tea-cloths adorned with delicate drawn-work insets and Chinese embroidery in pastel shades, as well as formal dinner cloths made lavish with Madeira cutwork.

Outstanding among utilitarian linens are sheets with pre-mixed corners. Designed for use as bottom sheets, these form-fitting linens not only save time and effort in bed-making, but also insure a taut sheet all night long.

For the practical-minded, too, are dust-ruffles which slip beneath the mattress to add petticoat-pretentious to a bed without fuss and bother.

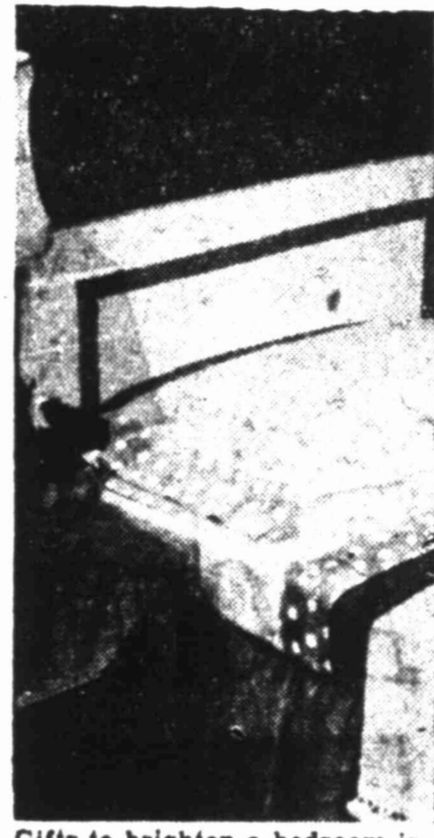
Emphasis is on beauty in this year's bedspreads. New weaving techniques have produced in one attractive spread a puffed-pattern design that resembles hand-stitched trapunto work.

Among eye-catchers in bed linens are sheets and pillow cases with pastel borders gaily splashed with white polka dots. Also available are striped sheets with matching-bordered pillow cases.

Candy stripes are popular this year. Also featuring this motif are fingertip towels which come six in a box as gifts for the Yuletide season.



A linen tablecloth adorned with cut-work adds to festive party air.



Gifts to brighten a bedroom include this gay polka-dot bordered sheet and pillow case, colorful dust ruffle and puffed-pattern spread.

## 'Critical Days' For Christmas Mailing Announced By PM

Postmaster N. G. Oates warned Sunday that unless Christmas mailings mount sharply this week, Midland deliveries may not be completed before the holiday.

"The next few days are critical," he said.

"Please mail your Christmas cards as rapidly as you can get them ready. If too many people wait until the week before Christmas, we'll be hopelessly swamped."

Holiday parcel post is jamming rail facilities all over the country, with many thousands of packages heading here for delivery the week before Christmas, the postmaster pointed out.

If you're still wrapping gift parcels, the postmaster observed, you should send them Special Handling or by Air Parcel Post to be sure of beating Santa.

Deadlines Cited

Christmas cards for out-of-state delivery should be on their way by Friday, December 15, the postmaster warned. Holiday greetings for Midland delivery should be posted at least a week before Christmas.

Postal workers will be grateful if you'll tie your cards in bundles, with all envelopes facing the same way and the stamps in the same corner. This speeds cancellation, the postmaster explained.

Clear, accurate, and complete addresses will save your Christmas cards time-consuming detours. "And if your handwriting isn't completely legible, please print," the postmaster added. "Many cards must be delivered by temporary employes who lack a veteran mail carrier's patient skill in puzzling out uncertain abbreviations and penmanship."



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## + McCamey News +

McCAMEY—The McCamey Garden Club, sponsor of the Christmas Beautification Contest, has announced it will give three prizes totaling \$17 in each division. Entries must be in by December 17, and judging will be held December 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Burley McCollum have returned from a trip to Fort Worth, Dallas and Austin.

Mrs. Hal Holmes, Mrs. Bob Leuschner, Mrs. Delphia Koger and Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Dendy visited San Angelo recently.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Stark are moving to Grandfalls. Stark worked for Reno Oil Company here.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Russell of Denver City visited with friends and relatives here recently.

A crowd estimated at 3,000 greeted Santa Claus and his reindeer as they paraded through downtown McCamey officially opening the Christmas season. Santa's sleigh was drawn by four real reindeer.

Mrs. F. M. Vaughan and children, John and Mark, visited in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Dwight, recently. The Vaughans are from Fort Worth.

Mary Dean Wisener had as her guests recently her brother, Gerald; her mother, Mrs. Glenn Jameson, and Sheri Winstead and Margie Thompson of Coleman.

The final lesson on the study of the Near East was given by Mrs. C. L. Arnold in a recent meeting of the WBS.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Hanson of Continental Oil Camp announce the birth of a son, Donald.

Mrs. Fay Fleming of Porter, N. M., visited with her daughter and family, the Eddie Hansons, for two weeks.

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# The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson -  
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Drew Pearson says: Attlee samples Wisconsin bleu cheese; Pentagon has its second bomb scare; Admiral Sherman warns congressmen of likely evacuation of troops from Korea.

**WASHINGTON** — The White House chief scored a great victory for a bipartisan foreign policy at the President's luncheon for Britain's Clement Attlee and congressional leaders on the yacht Williamsburg. The atmosphere was somewhat stiff until Jolly Senator Alex Wiley, ranking Republican on the Foreign Relations Committee, spied the dessert. Glowing with a huge smile, he told Attlee: "Mr. Prime Minister, you are privileged to eat America's choice dessert." It was bleu cheese from Wisconsin. **Phony Air Raid** The Pentagon Building, home of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, had another bombing scare this week. An unidentified plane was picked up on the radar screen along the Canadian and Maine border. At the first report some officers at the Pentagon got so excited that they actually called their wives and told them to take their kids and go down in the basement. However, a jet interceptor flew up and identified the plane as merely an American C-47 coming in from Labrador. **Grave Naval Warfare** While President Truman and Attlee were conferring on what to do about it, the House Armed Services Committee was hearing a grim

closed-door report on the debacle in Korea. Adm. Forrest Sherman, efficient chief of naval operations and a member of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, tersely reported: "We've got to face the facts. Our military position today is worse than it was after Pearl Harbor."

Sherman revealed that the Seventh Infantry Division, stranded in Northeast Korea, had been "cut to ribbons and no longer exists as a unified fighting force." Marines in the same area, he added, were in better shape, and had been able to hold their lines together for evacuation purposes. "It looks like we will have to evacuate and I think the Navy can handle its end of the job," Sherman said. He added, however, that there might be "losses" if the Navy had to contend with Russian attack planes and submarines. "But even if that happens we'll still get the job done," the admiral predicted. **Lagging Airplane Production** Sherman's realistic report had an electrifying effect on the committee and its salty chairman, Rep. Carl Vinson of Georgia. Vinson announced that he wouldn't stand for any more "business as usual" in the war production program. The Georgian spoke his piece when William J. McNeill, assistant secretary of Defense, advised the committee behind closed doors that aircraft production wasn't moving too fast because of delays in getting airplane engines. "Plants producing engines are on an eight-hour work day and at this rate it will be 18 months before warplane production will be at a peak," McNeill reported. "Well, those plants ought to be working on a 24-hour basis," shot back Vinson. "We've got to get the job done now—not 18 months from now. We won't get it done with men working only eight hours a day. Money is not the object now. Our liberty and the freedom of the world is at stake." **Coalition Government??** Whenever friends urged President Truman to form a coalition government, he throws up his hands and wails: "But where can I get good men to come into government?" This column, which has urged bringing topflight Republicans into the administration, herewith presents four experienced and able Republicans: Paul Hoffman—Ex-ECA administrator who put across the Marshall Plan in Europe. He would be a natural for a Cabinet post or for a high position in the State Department. Hoffman now is touring Europe for the Ford Foundation. Lewis Strauss—Ex-Secretary to Herbert Hoover in World War I, World War II admiral, and recently retired from the Atomic Energy Commission. President Truman sided with Strauss in the debate over making the hydrogen bomb. Charles Taft—Cincinnati lawyer and brother of Senator Robert Taft. Charles Taft served in both the Federal Security Agency and State Department during World War II. General "Wild Bill" Donovan—War-time director of the Office of Strategic Services. He organized U. S. spying and behind-the-lines activities, and was assistant attorney general in the Coolidge Administration. Some of Truman's closest advisers, including Democratic Chairman Bill Boyle, tried to persuade the President to make Donovan secretary of Defense instead of General Marshall, but the inside fact is that Truman doesn't like him. All the above are Republicans; all are both able and patriotic. **Barren-Beaked Senators** Colorado's GOP Senator Eugene Millikin, whose head is as smooth as a Colorado boulder, gave his opinion the other day of senators who try to conceal their baldness. Millikin took the floor in self-defense at a closed-door Republican caucus, after Maine's Senator Owen Brewster made a crack about the bald-headed old-timers. Mischievously Millikin accused Brewster of trying to cover his bald head with "slicked overs," or strands of strategically combed hair. "But the greater deceptionist is Bob Taft," grinned Millikin with a

glance at Senator Taft's thinly camouflaged head.

**Headlines And Headaches** Rumors that Bill Boyle is resigning as Democratic national chairman are about as accurate as General MacArthur's bring-the-boys-home-by-Christmas promise. Boyle can only resign to the full Democratic committee at a meeting which he must call himself. . . . Backstage fact is that some of the Ed Pauley oil boys have been gunning for Boyle ever since he persuaded the President to veto the Kerr Natural Gas Bill; also since he encouraged HRT to be tough on Tidelands oil. . . . It's now becoming clearer why Senator Downey, Democrat, ducked out of the Senate early to make room for Senator-Elect Nixon, Republican, a friend of the oil lobby. Downey will not only represent the city of Long Beach, Calif., which owns a stack of Tidelands oil leases along the edge of the Pacific, but also will represent San Diego and Oakland. Long Beach, however, will pay most of the freight—total of \$1,500 monthly plus \$15,000 monthly expenses or \$36,000 a year. Long Beach Harbor commissioners at first told the press to withhold any mention of their hiring the ex-senator. **Smiling Lame Ducks** Senator Millard Tydings, swept out of office in the Maryland election, has developed considerable acting ability recently. Walking down the corridors of Congress, Tydings spotted a crowd of reporters, senators and hangers-on mingling outside the Senate Chamber. Putting on a broad grin, Tydings strode into the throng and singled out glum Scott Lucas, the majority floor leader, defeated in the Illinois election. "Never felt so good in all my life," he said, pumping Lucas' hand. "We can have some fun now, eh, Scott?"



THE COLONEL IS A FRESHMAN — Continuing his formal education, which was interrupted by 32 years of Army service, retired Col. Henry E. Tisdale, 62, is enrolled as a freshman at Hofstra College, Jamaica, N. Y. The colonel, whose four sons are Army officers, is seen discussing his chemistry and science problems over a cup of coffee with coeds Carolie Wellander, left, and Helen Buckner.

## Chennault Has No Claim In Company

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — The office of Robert Prescott, president of the Flying Tiger Freight Line, says Gen. Claire Chennault, who commanded the famed Flying Tigers in China during World War II, has nothing to do with that company. A recent Associated Press dispatch telling how the Flying Tiger airline was ferrying refugees through Singapore from Germany to Australia named Chennault as operator of the line. President Brewer Cleveland's home "Gray Gables," at Buzzards Bay, Mass., was insulated with mineral wool a quarter-century after the material was first produced from smelter slag.

## CONSIDERS WHALE STEAKS

SYDNEY — (AP) — Whale meat eventually may be provided for Australians. It has been pointed out that much of the whales now caught in the Antarctic is wasted. Members of the Australian parliament recently sat down to a meal of whale steak. Their reaction has not been recorded.

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### A CHRISTMAS CAROL

BY CHARLES DICKENS



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"Spirit," said Scrooge, with an interest he had never felt before, "tell me if Tiny Tim will live?"



"I see a vacant seat," replied the Spirit of Christmas Present, "in the poor chimney corner, and a crutch without an owner, carefully preserved. If these shadows remain unaltered by the future, the child will die."

### Sun Carnival Is Southwest's Big New Year's Event

EL PASO—Take one of your oldest post-season bowl games, toss in a gigantic parade, mix in a collegiate basketball tourney and tennis meet, add a colorful bull fight and you have a good idea of El Paso's Southwestern Sun Carnival.

Jam-packed into the week between Christmas and New Year's Day, the Sun Carnival has played host to thousands of Sun Country visitors for 15 years. That experience is going to pay off with the "biggest and best yet" in the opinion of Sun Carnival officials.

Located within a stone's throw of Juarez, Mexico, El Paso and the Sun Carnival dip deeply into their neighbor's customs to give a uniqueness to the celebration which can not be duplicated anywhere.

Bull Fight Blasted. Perhaps the most singular attraction which Mexico provides is the annual Sun Carnival bull fight, held in historic Plaza de Toros in Juarez.

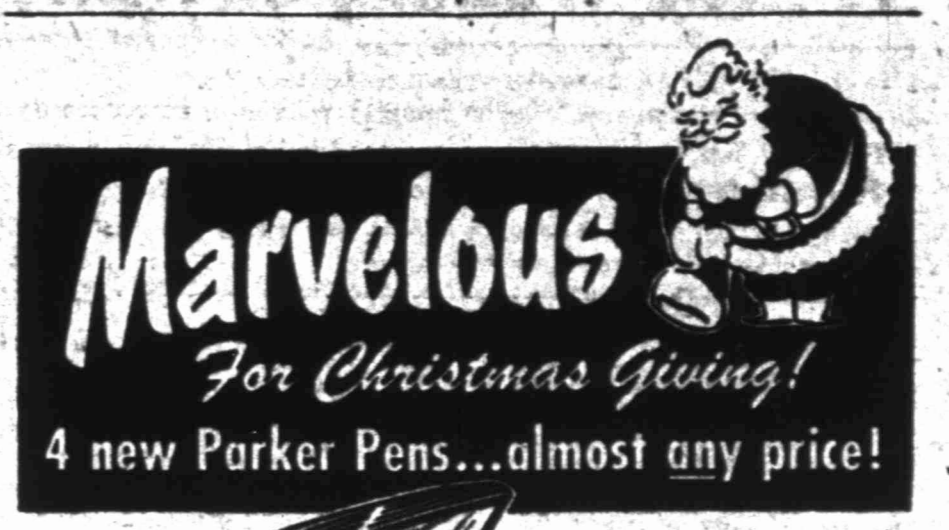
From the opening event of the coronation of the Sun Queen, the Sun Carnival is geared to a week of action and fun making. There's a basketball tourney, street carnival, symphony, tennis tournament, coronation ball with a big-name band, pageant and a host of other activities.

The whole shindig comes to a side-winding climax on New Year's Day with the mammoth Sun Parade in the morning and the Sun Bowl game between Cincinnati University and West Texas State College in the afternoon.

America's first handmade pressed glass was made in the early 1800's at Cape Cod's Sandwich factory.

Office Supply advertisement for the Howard Company, listing various office supplies and services.

In an effort to prevent knots in the lumber, foresters are experimentally removing buds more than 2 1/2 inches high on young pines.



Marvelous For Christmas Giving! 4 new Parker Pens...almost any price!

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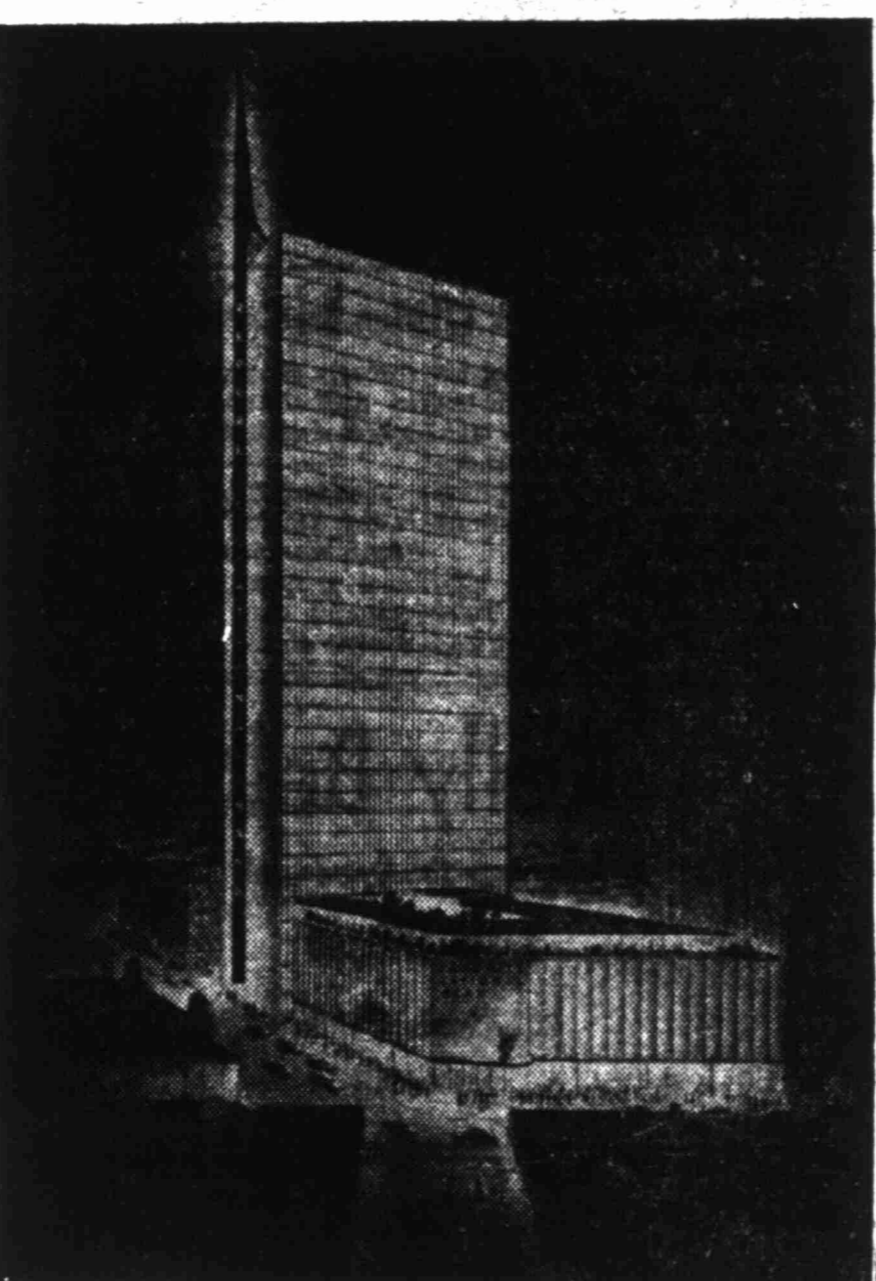
Concrete, Paving Breaking and Sand Blasting Work. Washed Sand and Gravel. All work guaranteed satisfactory.

Here's A SPECIAL GIFT NEW PARKER "51" SPECIAL \$10. Pen and Pencil Set \$15.00. KRUGER JEWELRY CO.

Holiday Cards Are Morale Builders. TOKYO—(AP)—The chief of Army chaplains here says Christmas cards will be an important morale factor with American troops in Korea.

Alcoholics Anonymous Closed Meeting Tues. Night Open Meeting Sat. Night.

XMAS CARDS. It's later than you think! Order now from best selection in town. Gift Suggestions: Pen and Pencil Sets, Portable Typewriters, etc.



PROPOSED DALLAS SKYSCRAPER—Construction work is underway on the \$17,500,000 Republic National Bank Building in Dallas. The J. W. Bateson Company, Inc., of Dallas has the general contract.

### 18-Month-Old Doe Must Go Back To Game Preserve

SAN ANGELO—(AP)—They've named her Silly, but perhaps she's a lot smarter than other deer now roaming the wilds and dodging hunters' bullets.

Silly is an 18-month-old doe which lives unmolested in the 3600 block of Sprague Street, making friends with humans and dogs.

She was found by O. B. Thornton, sick and half starved beside the road near Christoval where Thornton was squirrel hunting. She was only two weeks old.

Thornton brought her home and attempted to feed her with a bottle and nipple. She refused the nipple. Thornton called her Silly, and that became her name.

Thornton's mother remembered an old western trick for feeding maverick calves. They stuffed a rag into the bottle and let the milk soak through. Silly dribbled but she drank and soon she started taking milk through the nipple.

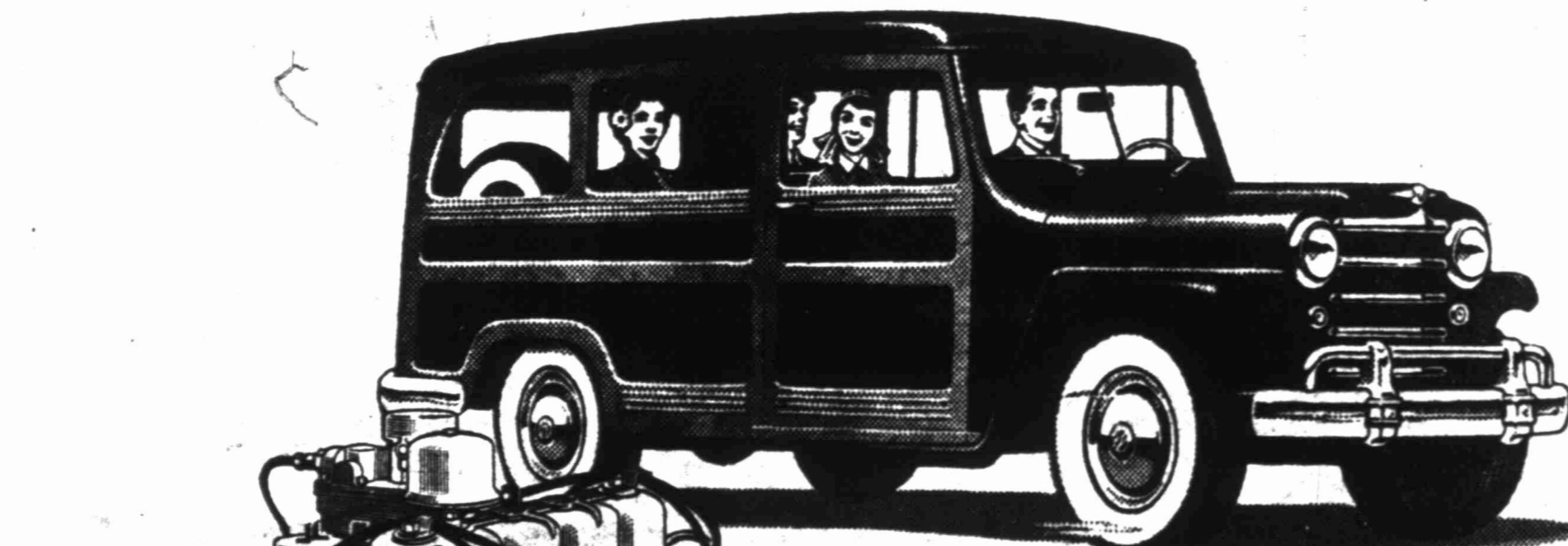
There's little chance of her being shot by a hunter. Does are protected by state law. The best guide is that does normally do not have more than two points to their antlers.

Silly, being pretty smart after all, doesn't show any ambition to grow even one point.

So she wanders the neighborhood without danger. Even the two Thornton dogs, Sue, a chow, and Woblenok, a bulldog, accept the doe.

SELF-GOVERNMENT. JESSELTON, NORTH BORNEO—(AP)—Another British colony is on the way to self-government. The first steps in that direction have just been taken here with the creation of an executive and legislative council and the introduction of a new constitution.

# HIGHER COMPRESSION Means Performance and Mileage!



## WILLYS HURRICANE —highest-compression engine

in any standard-tread American car in the low-priced field!

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THE WILLYS HURRICANE is an F-head engine, with valve-in-head intake and valve-in-block exhaust —one of the world's most efficient engines. With its higher compression, the HURRICANE gives top mileage on regular-grade gasoline.

The Willys HURRICANE is also available with 7.8 compression for high-altitude country. (Figures from MOTOR Magazine, May, 1959)

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"Red" Cruse Jeweler. 120 W. Wall Across from Scharbauer

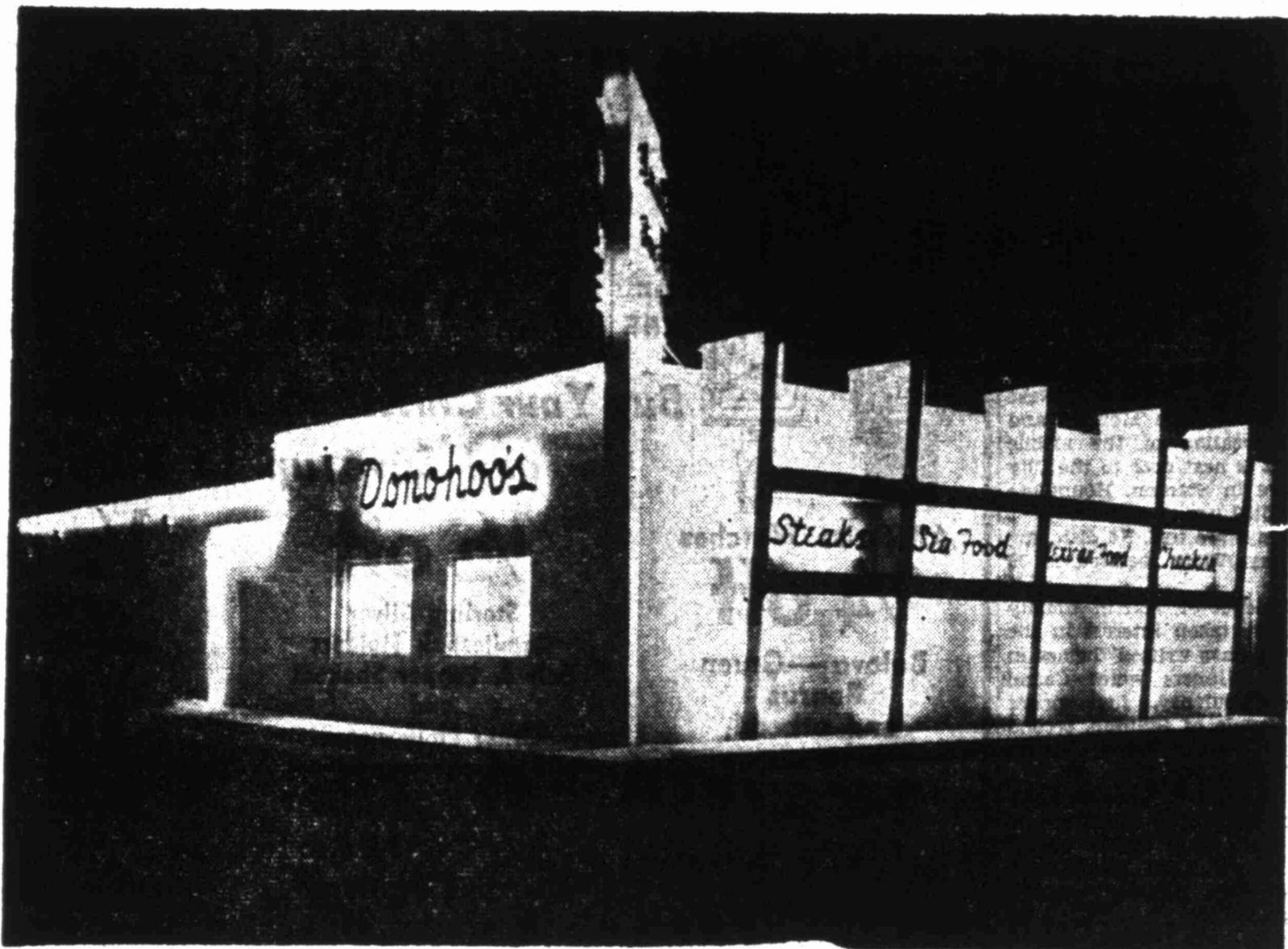
Jewelry advertisement for Hughes Jewelry Co. featuring various diamond rings and watches. Includes a large illustration of a woman's face and a list of jewelry items with prices. Hughes JEWELRY CO. 203 W. Wall Phone 134



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Now Special for Kiddies!

THEIR OWN MENU

*Tiny Tot  
Specials*

NO. 1—  
ROAST BEEF  
Vegetable, Salad  
Toast or Hot Rolls  
Milk Ice Cream  
8 and 1/2 Dimes

NO. 2—  
FRUIT PLATE  
Asstd. Chilled Fruits  
Dry Toast or  
Graham Crackers  
Milk Sherbet  
7 and 1/2 Dimes

NO. 4—  
BROILED FILET  
OF SOLE  
Vegetable  
Sliced Tomato  
Milk Ice Cream  
7 and 1/2 Dimes

NO. 3—  
TWO PIECES  
CHICKEN  
Fried Golden Brown  
French Fried  
Potatoes  
Salad Hot Rolls  
Drink Ice Cream  
10 Dimes

NO. 5—  
BROILED VEAL CUTLET—  
CREAM SAUCE  
Vegetable — Fruit Salad  
Drink — Ice Cream  
9 and 1/2 Dimes

NO. 6—  
TWO DRUMSTICKS OF  
CHICKEN  
Fried Golden Brown  
English Peas or Potatoes  
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Milk or Ice Cream  
12 and 1/2 Dimes

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**December 11th**

A PERSONAL INVITATION IS  
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"OPEN HOUSE!" SEE AND INSPECT WEST  
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**December 10**  
**7:00 p. m.**

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OUR MODERN KITCHEN.  
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Start the day with a good, hearty breakfast for the energy your body needs to perform properly. We specialize in delicious breakfasts prepared and served to please the most finicky tastes!

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DALLAS, TEXAS

# Donohoo Restaurant Open House Slated



**KITCHEN GIFTS**—Christmas gifts need not be limited to the purely pretty or decorative. Mother, or any woman who likes to cook, will be equally pleased with practical kitchen gifts. Every cook, for example, needs a good set of cooking thermometers. Shown above are four types of thermometers. In the foreground is a thermometer for roasting meats and one for deep fat frying and candy making. The black pedestal-type thermometer checks oven temperatures; the white one is for the refrigerator and home freezer.

Donohoo's Restaurant, one of the Southwest's finest eating places, will open its doors Sunday to the public.

An open house will be featured Sunday, while the restaurant will be open for business Monday. It is an event which has been awaited by discriminating diners of the Midland area.

"We have shared no expense," explained H. W. Donohoo, owner and operator of the restaurant, "in making this one of the finest places of its kind."

"We've tried to overlook no detail that will assure the people of this area the best food that can be bought and prepared with all the skill of a master chef."

The open house will be held from 2 p. m. until 7 p. m. Sunday and the public is invited to attend.

They will be shown the spacious but restful main dining room, the smaller rooms for private dinner parties, the gleaming kitchen with its modern, new equipment, and the unique styling of the building itself.

Coffee and doughnuts will be served to visitors and there will be gifts for the whole family.

"See What We Have"

"We're particularly proud of our new place," said Donohoo, "and would like to have Midland visit us Sunday and see what we have."

Of course, the welcome mat will be out everyday.

During the week, the restaurant will be open from 7 a. m. until midnight.

Donohoo's name long has been associated with fine food in the Midland area and he will attempt to surpass even his epicurean reputation.

Specialty of the house will be the seafood dishes, rushed to Midland from the Gulf Coast or from other points throughout the United States which may furnish some particular sectional delicacy of the sea.

Thick, juicy steaks will be one of the main items on the menu.

Only the finest aged meats are used—meats such as those incomparable morsels supplied by Kansas City's famed Williams Packing Company or by Peyton's of El Paso.

Then, of course, there will be Mexican dishes created with all the loving care that will delight the most uncompromising gourmet.

Donohoo has planned his restaurant for the convenience and enjoyment of his guests.

**Parking Area**

Outside there will be a paved parking space for 300 automobiles. Inside the building, designed and built by J. C. Velvin, is the front dining room, with a few intimate and charming booths.

Then, there is the main dining room, softly lighted and filled with restful background music, with its capacity of some 250 diners.

In the rear is one long private dining room which will accommodate 60 persons. It can be partitioned to provide two private dining rooms, each with a capacity of 30 persons.

Over all this will preside Donohoo, veteran of 20 years in the restaurant business, who will direct the trained staff of cooks, waitresses and other personnel.

### MYSTERY

The Latin words on the seal which appears on U. S. paper money mean "Seal of the Treasury of North America," and this seal is the last thing placed on the money. Why the words North America were used instead of United States is unknown.

### Wounded Brothers Meet In Hospital

**WITH THE FIRST MARINE DIVISION IN NORTH KOREA**—Two Marine brothers met for the first time in two years, at the Naval Hospital in Yokosuka, Japan, recently. Privates First Class George and Michael Kacmarek of Buffalo, N. Y., both members of the famed First Marine Division, were wounded in the fight for the liberation of Seoul.

The Kacmareks were wounded on the same hour, of the same day, while fighting with the same division in the same battle.

Nevada has more than 400 acres per inhabitant.

FORM PAYMENT OF SERVANTS' SOCIAL SECURITY

**Employer's Quarterly Tax Return for Household Employees**  
(ORIGINAL COPY-AGE AND SURVIVORS BENEFITS)

Employer's Name and Address:  Returns for Calendar Quarter:

Fill in one line for each household employee to whom you paid \$50 or more cash wages in the calendar quarter covered by this return, if the employee worked for you on 24 or more different days in that quarter or on 24 or more different days in the preceding quarter. *Please see instructions.*

Employee's Social Security Number	Name of Employee (PLEASE PRINT AS SHOWN ON ACCOUNT NUMBER CARD)	Cash Wages Paid to Employee in the Quarter (EXPANDED TAX DEFERRED)
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$
		\$

Total Cash Wages: \$

Make check or money order payable to:  COLLECTOR OF INTERNAL REVENUE

12-5020-4

Taxes Due—3% of total cash wages. Enter total here

(1% EMPLOYER TAX PLUS 1% EMPLOYEE TAX)

Employer's Name and Address:  Returns for Calendar Quarter:

I declare under the penalties of perjury that this is a true, correct, and complete return to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Date)  (Signature of Employer)

12-5020-4

**FORM PAYMENT OF SERVANTS' SOCIAL SECURITY**—The Bureau of Internal Revenue and the Social Security Administration have revealed the new combination envelope and report form by which housewives will be expected to report their servants' earnings every three months and to make payment of payroll deductions for social security. The flap of the envelope, at top, constitutes the report form. One line must be filled out for every maid, chauffeur, gardener, or other household employe earning more than \$50 and working more than 24 days in every three months. Housewives are supposed to deduct 1 1/2 per cent of each servant's wage, and make a similar 1 1/2 per cent payment themselves, as the employer. Housewives who prefer may pay the whole three per cent tax themselves without making deduction from employees' wages. The new social security law provisions covering domestic workers takes effect on Jan. 1, 1951. First payment is due to be mailed to nearest Collector of Internal Revenue within 30 days after the close of the first quarter-year which ends March 31. Thereafter the form must be sent in every three months.

*Best Wishes*  
to  
H. W. Donohoo  
on the opening of the fine, new  
**Donohoo Restaurant**  
Office Equipment  
by  
Remington Rand  
from  
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AND BEST WISHES  
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To Be Formally Opened  
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Your Morton's Food Distributor  
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**Atmosphere To Be Quiet At Donohoo's**

There'll be no loud music with a crescendo of clinking glasses and clattering plates at Donohoo's Restaurant on West Highway 80.

There will be the soft strains of background music playing continuously over the hidden sound system.

And all service will originate in the kitchen. In the kitchen are located the water fountains, the supplies of chinaware, glassware and cutlery.

In the dining rooms there will be only the quiet restful surrounding—and the finest of foods.

To add a decorator's touch to your bedroom, try dyeing your white bed sheet—the color of your choice. Or leave the sheets white, and dye the pillowcases for contrast.

Advertise or Be Forgotten

### Donohoo No Stranger To Fine Food

H. W. Donohoo is no stranger to Midland.

Nor is he a stranger to fine food. For the owner and operator of Donohoo's Restaurant has been in the business for more than a score of years.

For the last dozen years he has operated fine eating establishments and Midland long has been familiar with his outstanding cuisine.

For several years during the war, he was operating the Log Cabin Inn here and it was a mecca of people seeking the best in food. At Country Club.

For the last three years, he was manager and operator of the Midland Country Club.

Now he has brought his skills to the general public again.

He'll be on hand Sunday to welcome the guests at the open house between 2 p. m. and 7 p. m.

**FOG PLAYS TRIFLE**  
PASADENA, CALIF.—(AP)—The fog was so thick it was mistaken for a burglar. Police reported to a building where an automatic burglar alarm was ringing but found everything in order. They called an engineer from the alarm company. His diagnosis: heavy fog had cut the beam between two electric eyes, setting off the alarm.

Our  
*Congratulations*  
and Sincere  
*Best Wishes*  
to the New  
**DONOHOO RESTAURANT**  
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To H. W. Donohoo—Owner of  
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204 S. Main Phone 3019

*Presenting* another outstanding display of light and color

Designed, manufactured, and installed by  
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*Best Wishes for SUCCESS* TO  
**DONOHOO'S RESTAURANT**

We extend our sincere congratulations to H. W. Donohoo on the formal opening of his new, modern restaurant. Make your plans now to attend his Open House Sunday afternoon.

508 W. Indiana Phone 944  
**Pylant**  
SIGN ADVERTISING

**DISLIKES PRESSURE**

**SASKATOON, SASKATCHEWAN**—(AP)—The Saskatoon and District Labor Council at a recent meeting said school children are being "pressured" into giving money to charitable organizations because the donations are made public. It passed a resolution urging all donations to be anonymous.

**NOT ALWAYS SHORTEST**

A straight line is not always the shortest distance between two points. On the earth's globe, the shortest distance between any two points is a curved line, a line which, if continued to make a complete circle, would divide the earth into two exactly equal portions.

Read the Classifieds

### Dub Lewis Chef For Donohoo's

Dub Lewis is no stranger around Midland and the mention of his name stirs up an appetite for the tantalizing foods he prepares.

Lewis is the chef at the new Donohoo's Restaurant which will hold open house Sunday and be open for business Monday morning.

A native of Wichita Falls, the 42-year-old artist of the stove has been whipping up tasty meals for the last quarter of a century.

He has gained experience throughout the country, working in fine restaurants in every section.

**Since The War**

Since the end of World War II he has been in Midland and has cooked at numerous spots in this area.

He has been with H. W. Donohoo, owner of the new restaurant on West Highway 80, intermittently for the last dozen years.

And when Donohoo began making plans for the new place, he called in Lewis. Together they worked out plans for a model kitchen.

The kitchen has been equipped to his specifications and there, surrounded by the most modern equipment, he will perform his culinary magic for the benefit of Midland's discriminating diners.

To prevent the formation of rust on nailheads that protrude through thin plaster, coat them with a touch of shellac.



**WISE MEN**—This beautiful gift jacket is available at banks and post offices for those buying the present with a future—U. S. Savings Bonds. The folder is in four colors and shows the Wise Men on their way to visit the Holy Child. Today's wise men give Savings Bonds as gifts because they know that they mean many Merry Christmases and Happy New Years.

**WOULD FLOW NORTH**

If the earth were not rotating, the Mississippi River would flow north, since the mouth of the river is several miles farther from the center of the earth than its source.

The housewife who lives in a two-story house will find that two closets or center for storing cleaning equipment and supplies—one upstairs and one down—will save many steps and much energy while doing the daily and weekly cleaning tasks.

**THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, DEC. 10, 1960-9**

### Potato Keeps Fresh, Firm For 26 Years

**LOS ANGELES**—(AP)—In November of 1934 a member of the staff of the California State Exposition dropped a potato in a jar of fluid. Today the potato, which has been on display ever since, looks as fresh and firm as ever.

The formula of the preservative, which makes possible permanent exhibits of fruits and vegetables of all types has remained a secret of the exhibit staff for more than a quarter century. Only two members at a time know it, according to Exposition Manager Louis V. Vinator who doesn't. The secret is passed to another only upon the death, retirement or resignation of one of the pair.

The crater of volcano Mt. Katmai, Alaska, is three miles wide.

## Congratulations TO Donohoo's Restaurant

West Highway 80  
Attend Their Open House Today

ELECTRICAL WORK BY  
**Burton Electrical Co.**  
103 N. Pecos Phone 2840

### Donohoo's Has Appeal To Junior

The whole family is welcome at Donohoo's Restaurant.

Everybody from grandpa down to Junior are invited to be guests at the new restaurant which opens Sunday on West Highway 80.

As a matter of fact, Donohoo's has prepared a separate menu for the youngsters.

It is a fascinating little menu, decorated with elephants and cowboys and lions and the such.

And special dinners for the youngsters are printed on it.

Even the prices are listed in simple terms.

Take the Dinner No. 4, for instance: "Two Drumsticks fried golden brown, English Peas or Potatoes, Fruit Salad, Milk or Ice Cream."

The price? Well, its "12 and 1/2 Dimes," reads the menu.

Little grubs that later turn into fluttery moths thrive on stained or soiled clothing. To guard against moth damage to your summer wools, have them dry-cleaned before these pests get in their dirty work, and store carefully. If you do not store garments commercially, be sure that garment bags or containers in which they are home stored are tightly sealed.

### How's This For Giant Job Of Dish Washing?

The next time sister balks at washing the dishes, tell her about Donohoo's Restaurant.

Her job is nothing compared to the task that faced the kitchen crew as they readied things for the big open house on Sunday.

The kitchen force had to unpack, wash, dry and shine exactly 7,200 pieces of brand new Chinaware which will be used by the new eating place.

### PETROLEUM CLUB SETS DECEMBER ENTERTAINMENTS

Three special entertainments for December have been announced by the Entertainment Committee of the Petroleum Club of Midland.

Cocktails and dancing, with the Judy Peacock Trio furnishing the music, are scheduled December 15, with the annual Christmas cocktail party to be held December 23. The Judy Peacock Trio will furnish the music for another dance and cocktail party on December 29.

### PROLIFIC PUBLICATION

"Arcadia," a pastoral romance published in 1504, went through 60 editions in less than a century and prompted imitations in every European literature, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

The South American hoatzin bird can climb trees before it can fly.

## Congratulations

## to DONOHOO'S RESTAURANT

WEST HIGHWAY 80  
On Their Formal Opening.

Our Materials Are Helping Midland Grow.  
**J. C. Velvin Lumber Co.**  
204 N. Ft. Worth Phone 1534

## Our Congratulations And Best Wishes

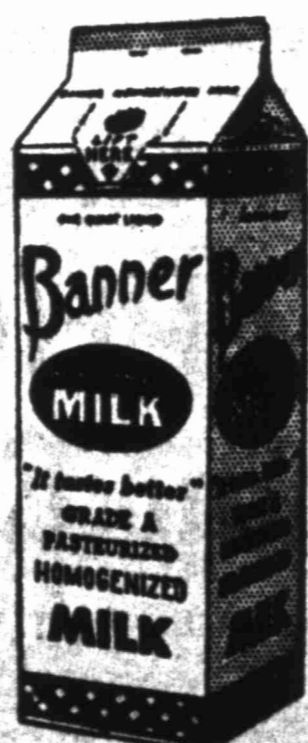
## to the new Donohoo Restaurant

VISIT AND INSPECT THIS FINE, NEW EATING PLACE DURING THEIR OPEN HOUSE TODAY!

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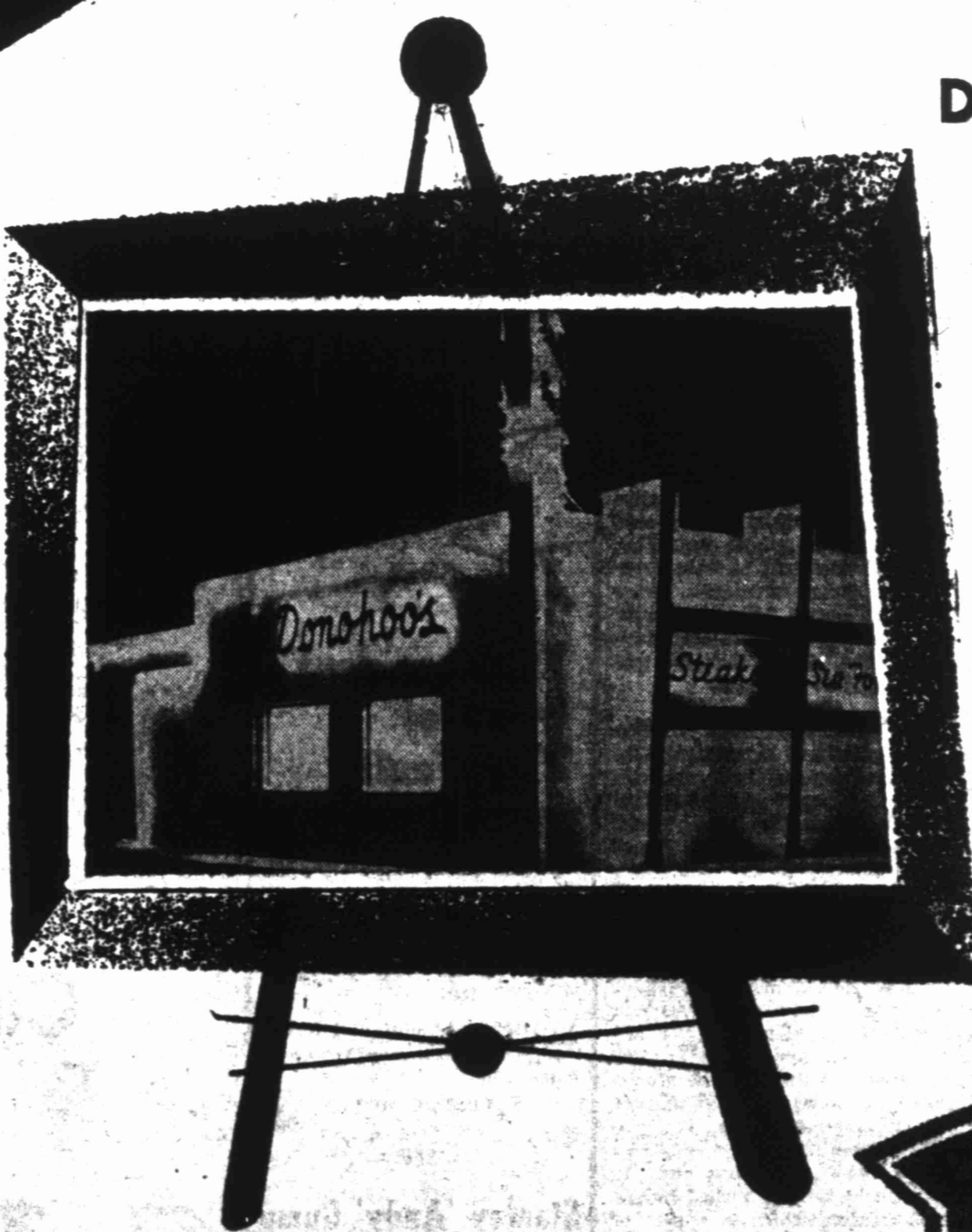
300 East Texas Phone 1137



WE EXTEND

# Best Wishes....

## to DONOHOO'S RESTAURANT



The McGuire Sales Company of Lubbock . . . equippers of the new Donohoo's Restaurant in Midland . . . wish tremendous success for this modern star on Midland's horizon! The attractive building, with luxurious interior and convenient location, makes success a sure thing for the beautiful new Donohoo's Restaurant. We extend our congratulations and very best wishes to Mr. H. W. Donohoo and his staff!

CAFE FIXTURES, EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES



1924 CLOVIS ROAD LUBBOCK

Dirt, Squirt and Quirt
— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

Strong competitive bidding, especially for feeders and feeder calves, boosted prices...

As an indication of the strength of the market, O. T. Haden of Tarzan got \$36.75 for a package of good quality Hereford heifer calves...

Other Prices Listed
Fat calves and yearlings sold for \$26 to \$30, medium \$22 to \$25, commons and culls \$20 to \$23...

Stocker steer calves auctioned for \$30 to \$34 and heifer calves for \$29 to \$34, except the groups mentioned above and other light kinds...

Dalmon McNair, who has been conducting this column the last several months, has been rounded up by his uncle—Sam, that is—and soon will be shipped to parts unknown, no farther than the Corn Belt, we hope.

Mac, a Navy Reserve, will check in at a Naval station sometime this week for assignment. A physical examination recently showed him to be in top shape.

But before reporting for military duty, McNair took unto himself a bride, Miss Ann Caruthers, who has been working on the society desk at The Reporter-Telegram...

E. B. Dickenson, Midland and Martin County ranchman, still gets quite a kick out of telling about a "news" story he gave DQ one cold morning several years ago.

County Commissioners Warren Skaggs and Sherwood O'Neal, in a coffee shop huddle with County Judge C. C. Keith Thursday afternoon, said the freezing weather was harmful to livestock...

Frank Williamson reportedly has sold 850 head of two and three-year old dehorned cows to Russell Hays and E. B. Pinson of San Angelo for delivery up to March 1.

Dell City, the little farm community which sprang out of the desert some 80 miles east of El Paso on the Carlsbad highway...

Texas Tech's livestock judging team placed 27th at the recent International Intercollegiate Live-

stock Judging Contest at Chicago. Team members are: Glen Johnson, Old Glory; William McMillan, Snyder; Bobby Gray, Snyder; William Piper, Walnut Springs; Alvin Davis, Post, and Cecil Mardis, Muleshoe.

Crops judging team from Texas Technological College placed second in two national contests, the National Intercollegiate Crops Contest at Kansas City and the Annual Collegiate Crops Judging Contest at Chicago.

Tech's team lost the Kansas City meet by 54 points. Edgar Hawkins, Lamesa, was second high scorer. Victor Herring, Brownfield, placed fifth, and Jack Greathouse, Floyd, N. M., was tenth.

At the Chicago contest, Herring placed second in total points. In the identification phase of the contest, Herring and Robert Kral, Sweetwater, tied for first place. Horace Mitchell, Winters, was the other team member.

Judd Morrow, assistant professor of agronomy, was an official judge at both contests.

A record number of livestock will be exhibited at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition according to Mark Browne, general livestock superintendent.

The February 16-25 stock show, to be held at San Antonio's new Coliseum, will feature 14 performances of the Everett Colborn World's Championship Rodeo...

An important new book on land management and successful farm management has just been issued by the Exposition Press of New York.

First prize of a \$100 U. S. Savings Bond in The Wool Bureau's 1950 "Why I Like to Sew With Wool" essay contest has been awarded to Mrs. Lorraine Hulet, Moscow, Idaho.

Second prize, a \$50 Savings Bond, went to Barbara Rainwater, Fort Stockton, Texas. Three third prizes of \$25 Savings Bonds were awarded to Louise Reed, Corine, Utah; Vesta Gardner, Lund, Nevada; and Nancy Ann Fore, Estancia, N. M.

Swine will compete for \$12,755 in awards at Fort Worth's Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, January 26 through February 4.

In the open competition, premiums offered amount to \$10,070. Seven breeds of swine will show in the breeding classes — Berkshire, Chester White, Duroc, Hampshire, O.J.C., Poland China and Spotted Poland China.

In each breed, the judges will name the senior Fall boar pig, Junior Fall boar pig, senior Fall sow pig, Junior Fall sow pig, champion boar, reserve champion sow, get of sire, produce of dam and breeder feeder litter.

The seven breeds also will be shown in the fat classes where prizes will go to barrows, 190-220 pounds; barrows, 221-250 pounds; barrows, 251-280 pounds; pen of three barrows in each of these weight divisions...

For the first time in their young lives, many of the boys at the fa-

TEXANS IN WASHINGTON

Two Texans Will Share Guayule Industry Credit If Program Is Success

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The only latex-yielding plant which apparently can be grown in this country on a practical scale, and which produces as good quality natural rubber as the hevea tree, is guayule.

Rep. W. R. (Bob) Poage of Waco, more than any other individual was responsible for the World War II program in which millions of dollars was spent to plant thousands of acres in the rubber-bearing shrub.

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson of Austin and Johnson City, as head of the new Senate Preparedness Committee, recently urged immediate revival of the guayule program.

Guayule, pronounced "yoo-lee," is a hip-high shrub that grows wild in arid sections of the Southwest. At about seven years' growth it contains about the maximum amount of latex it will bear.

Former Rep. Maury Maverick of San Antonio, who served as mayor of the Alamo city after leaving the House, has been back in the capital for a visit.

Asked about a private talk he had had with President Truman at the White House, he replied: "I'm just not talking. People who come away from there doing a lot of commenting usually don't go back."

Dungaree Trousers Are Traded For Pork
WITH THE FIRST MARINE AIRCRAFT WING IN NORTH KOREA—(AP)—A dozen Leathernecks of the First Marine Air Wing feasted on roast pork recently.

While on a mission, they spotted an 80-pound pig and despite the language barrier and lack of 'trade goods,' a deal was made. All the Marines had, besides their weapons, were their dungaree trousers—and they proved sufficient.

FARM PLAN 567 YEARS OLD
ROME—(AP)—The little farms of old San Giovanni in Persiceto, in the province of Bologna, have just changed owners again for the sixty-third time in a land rotation scheme unbroken for more than 500 years.

Major accomplishments of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, during the last three years are covered in a report now being furnished agricultural leaders of Texas.

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There are only 20 field laboratories and 10 field stations which are owned by the Texas Station, which is a part of the Texas A&M College System.

At the end of 1949, the Texas station had 200 active projects directed toward the solution of important fundamental and practical problems of Texas agriculture.



LOOKS DOWN IN THE MOUTH—At Salonika, Greece, Dr. Exmanouil Dermintzakis checks the teeth of a horse, one of thousands of farm animals to benefit from new veterinary clinics built with Marshall Plan aid.

Marines Use Their Noggins In Korea
WONSAN, NORTH KOREA—(AP)—During World War II, war-weary Marines on Pacific islands were referred to by their shipmates as being "rock happy"...

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Advertisement for Midland Livestock Auction Company, featuring a cow's head and text about sales every Thursday.

Advertisement for Triangle Food Market, featuring a cartoon of a man with a fish and text about quality service.

Advertisement for Bob Grubb, featuring a truck and text about the Triangle Food Market and service hours.



# Q. and A. You and the Service

By DOUGLAS LARSEN  
NEA Staff Correspondent



**WASHINGTON — (NEA) —** An appeal the classification with a letter from your regular doctor.

**Q. I passed my pre-induction physical but was given a deferment until June to finish this year in college. When June comes will I have to take another physical? And will I have to report the day after graduation?**

**A. It is the policy of Selective Service headquarters to give another pre-induction physical. And you will get the usual several weeks after that physical before having to report.**

**Q. I am 19. My systolic blood pressure is 110. And my diastolic is 68. Will they take me in the Army?**

**A. As stated here before, answering that type of query requires medical interpretation.**

**Q. I was married after the Korean fighting started. But the ladies on my draft board say that it doesn't make any difference and that I will be taken soon. What can I do? Are they wrong?**

**A. You can appeal your board's decision. And it is up to the board whether or not it reclassifies men who marry after having once been classified in 1-A.**

**Q. I got an honorable discharge from the Army a few months ago because I was too young. I had served on active duty six months, however. Does that make me eligible for any GI benefits?**

**A. Not under the present law. But there is sentiment to give all men in service during the Korean fighting full GI benefits. Even if that law passed, yours will be a borderline case.**

**Q. Suppose you are receiving a pension for a disability you got during World War II. Does that keep you from trying to get back in?**

**A. Nothing can keep you from trying to get back in service. And if your disability isn't serious and if the service needs your specialty, the chances of your getting back in are good. Your pension will be stopped, however.**



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**COST OF CHRISTMAS UP—**As Newschart above shows, Americans are expected to go on a record spending spree which will cost them 11 per cent more than the 1949 Christmas shopping season did. The reason for all this, the U.S. Commerce Department explained, is that prices are up about six per cent over last year and disposable income has increased nine per cent.

## For The Girl Thinking About The Future, WAC Officer Corps Lists Advantages It Can Offer

**AUSTIN—**If a girl college graduate could lay away her cap and gown, be assured of a \$315.75 monthly pay check, get free medical and dental care, have 30 days annual vacation, and know that retirement pay was being set up without deductions from her pay, she would do considerable thinking about such a future—a job with the WAC Officer Corps.

Those are a few of the drawing cards appealing to the girl graduates of 63 accredited schools, colleges and universities in the Fourth Army area, if they desire to apply and are otherwise qualified for a second lieutenant's commission in the Regular Women's Army Corps.

And they don't stop there. Promotions come at regular intervals, three years to first lieutenant and seven years to captain. Outstanding ability is rewarded by faster promotions up to and including the grade of colonel. Pay hikes come every two years, regardless of promotions.

It's no push-over to attain one of these commissions in the Women's Army Corps. Only a limited number of girls are appointed each year.

No particular type college degree is required. Versatility in handling interesting assignments is given primary consideration.

Applications are to be accompanied by a recent photograph not smaller than 3 x 5, signed certificate of graduation from an accredited college, birth certificate, evidence of discharge for personnel with prior military service, personal history and loyalty certificate.

**Application Deadline:**  
Applications must arrive at Fourth Army Headquarters by Jan. 15, 1951.

The selection of the candidates for commissions will be competitive. They will be determined by the Department of Army, after thorough screening, which includes investigations and interviews.

Selected individuals will be tendered direct appointments as second lieutenants in the WAC Reserve and ordered to extended active duty for attendance at the basic course at Fort Lee, Va. During the training period they will receive the pay and allowances of second lieutenants.

Upon completion of the training course, officers may apply for commissions in the Regular Army. If qualified they will be appointed.

## Marine Corps Lists Acceptance Changes

**SAN ANGELO—**The Marines are now accepting men with or without dependents into the Marine Corps Reserve for immediate active duty, announced M/Sgt. Boyd Knowles, Marine recruiter.

These enlistments are not for a regular three or four year period, but for an indefinite period. In other words, these men will serve until the present world situation makes their release practical.

Such men will receive all the benefits due regular Marines. They will compete for promotion in rank with regular Marines and their pay and privileges will be the same.

Those men who enlist for this class of the Marine Corps will be assigned to active duty immediately and sent to recruit depot at San Diego, Calif.

Men 19 through 26 who are eligible for the draft must apply before receiving notice to report for pre-induction examination.

Men 17 through 18, interested in the Marine Corps, may receive further information at the Marine Corps recruiting station in the Post Office Building at San Angelo.

## Enlistment Changes Announced By Navy

**LA. Cmdr. J. E. Callan,** officer in charge of the Houston Navy Recruiting District, announced two major changes in the requirements for enlistment in the U. S. Navy.

First, Commander Callan said, the dependency restrictions have been lifted to allow men to enlist in the first two pay grades, Seaman Recruit and Seaman Apprentice, if they have no more than one dependent. There are no dependency restrictions for applicants for the rating of Seaman (formerly known as Seaman First Class) or above.

Commander Callan also said that the Navy has lowered the passing grade of the qualification test. Many who were previously rejected because of a low grade may now be accepted.

The Navy Recruiting officer added that service men now receive extra allowance for their dependents which in some cases amount to as much as \$85 a month.

Those persons who previously failed the entrance examination are urged to contact the Navy Recruiting Station in the Post Office Building at San Angelo for more details.

## R. N. Higgs Serves Aboard Destroyer

**GREAT LAKES, ILL.—**Royce N. Higgs, radioman, third class, USN son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Higgs of 906 South Mainfield Street, Midland, Texas, is serving aboard the destroyer USS Taussig which has taken part in every amphibious landing during the Korean war.

In addition to covering these landings the Taussig has acted as a destroyer screen for the aircraft carriers off shore of the Korean coast.

## Two Men Sought By Draft Board

**Lost—**two men, wanted by the Midland County Draft Board.

Jose Riquier Flores and Guadalupe Ramirez are being sought by draft board officials to take their physical examinations.

If anyone knows the whereabouts of either man, please call the Draft Board.

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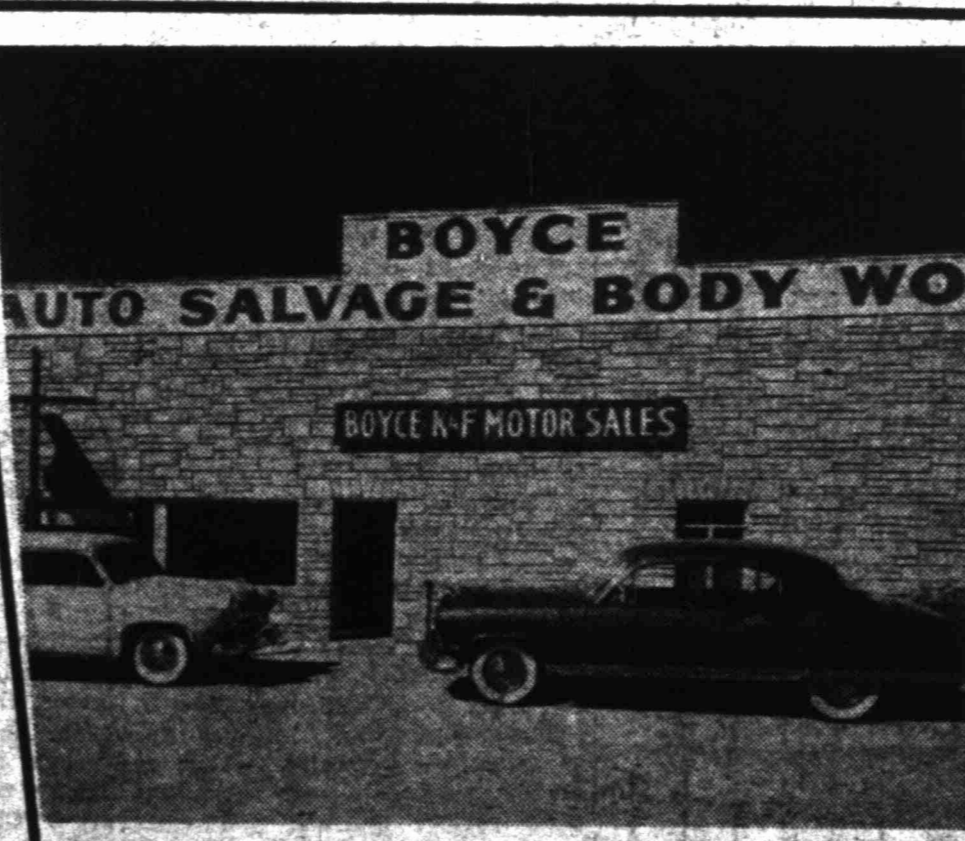
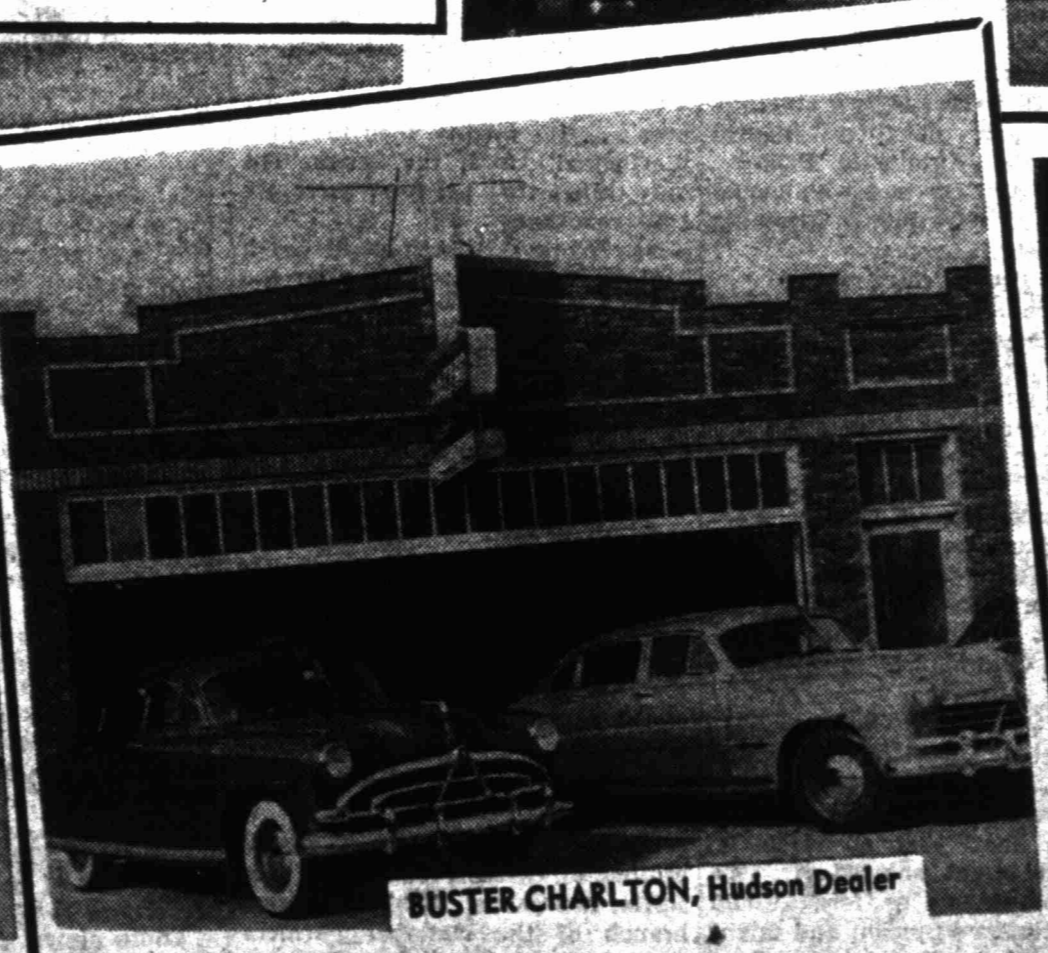
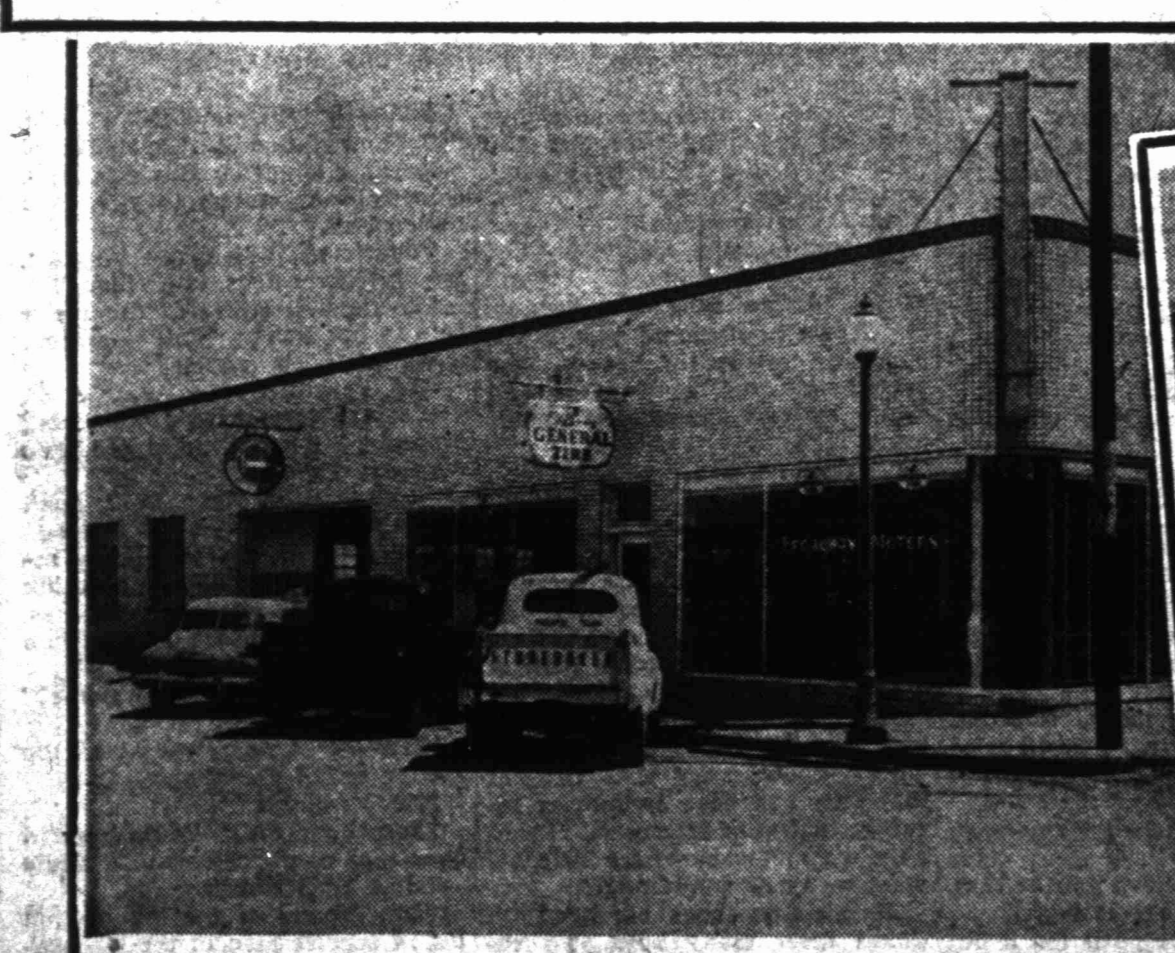
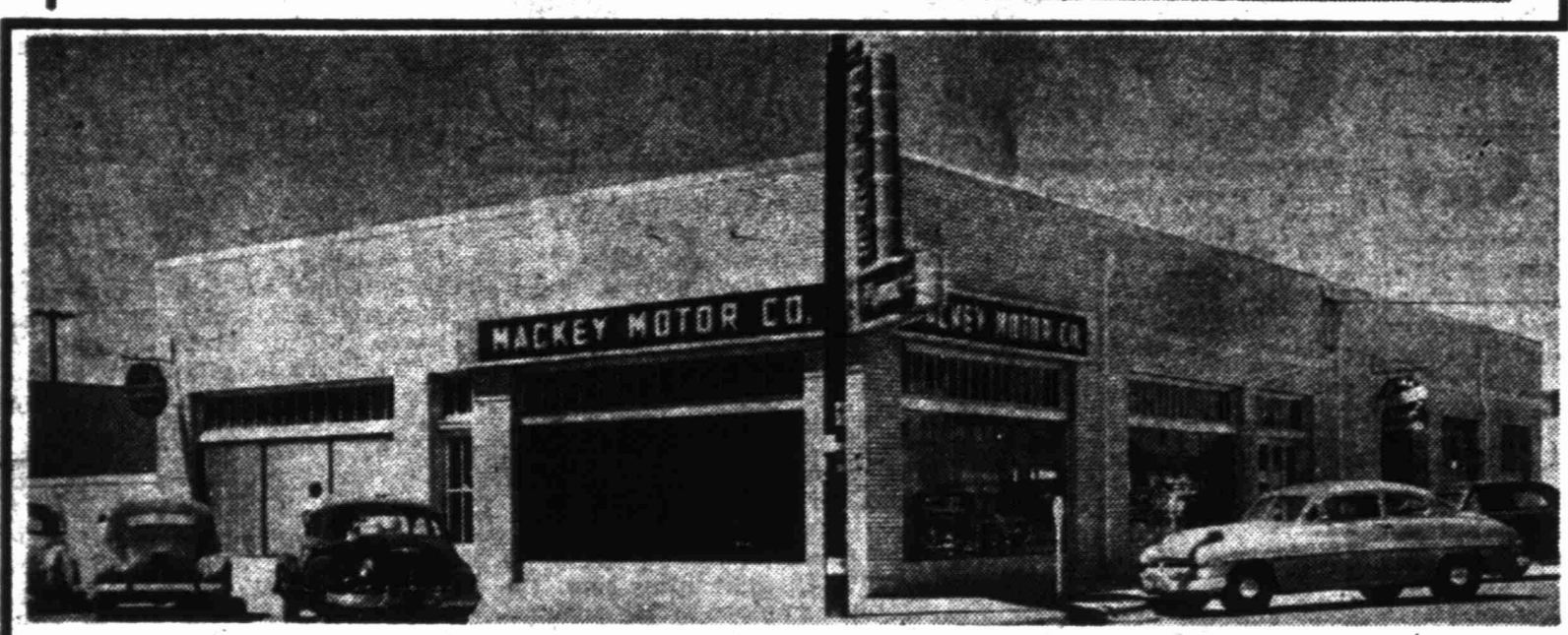
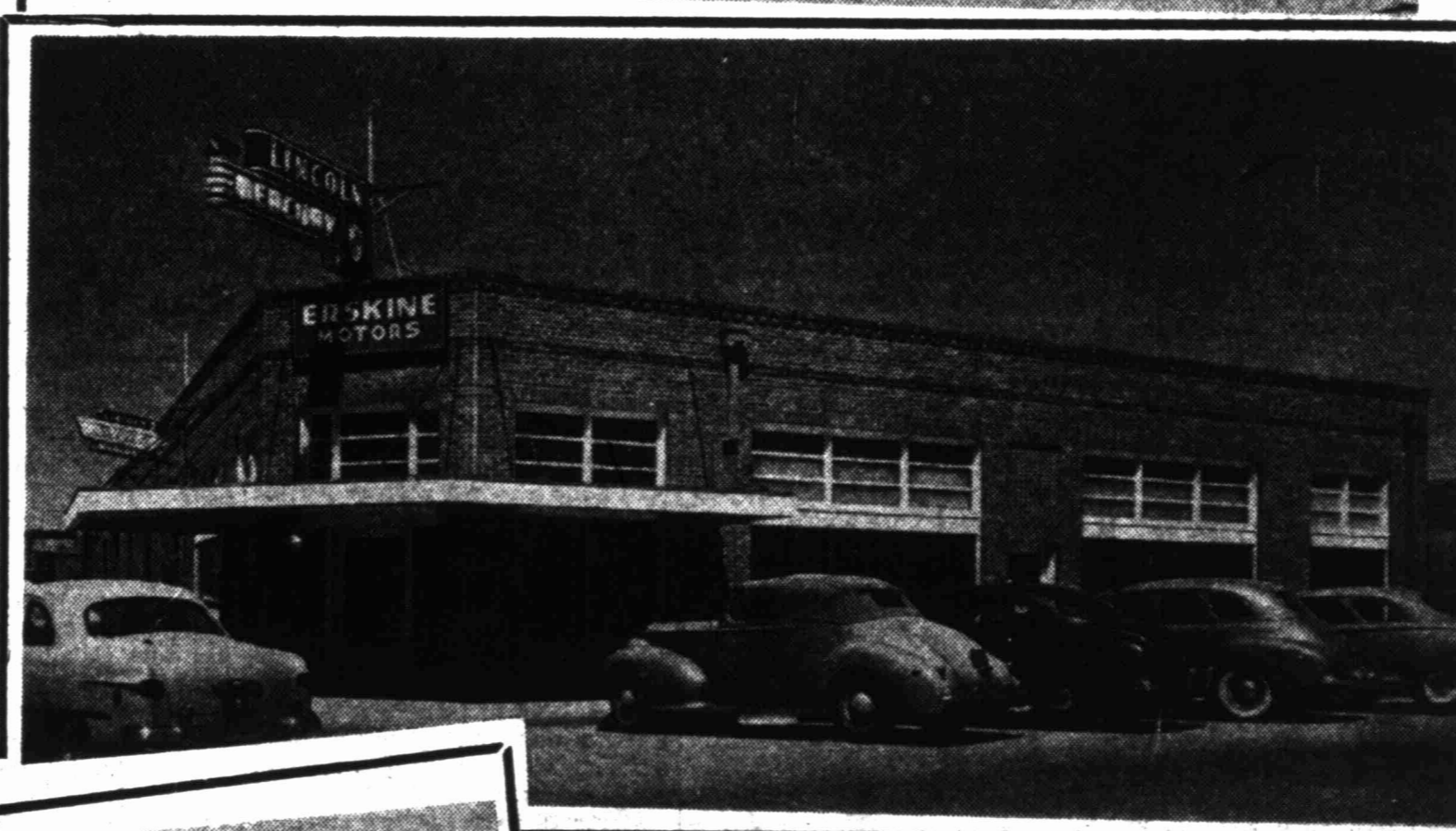
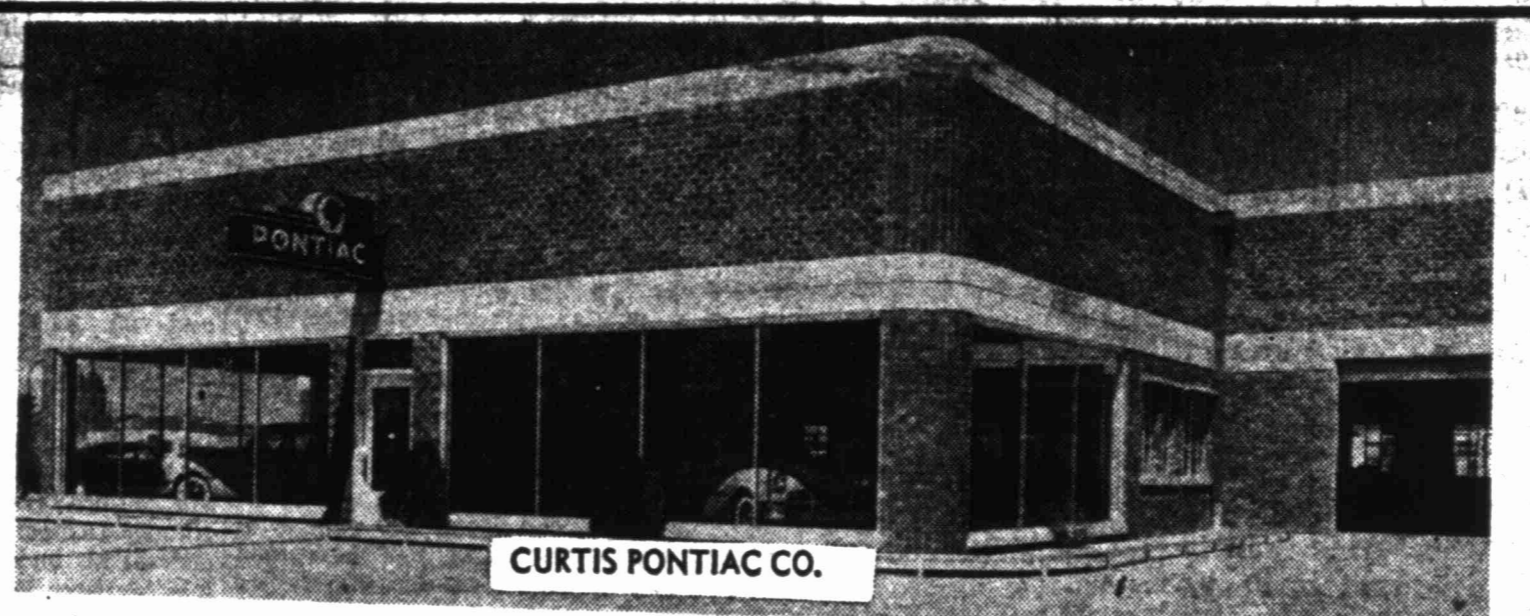
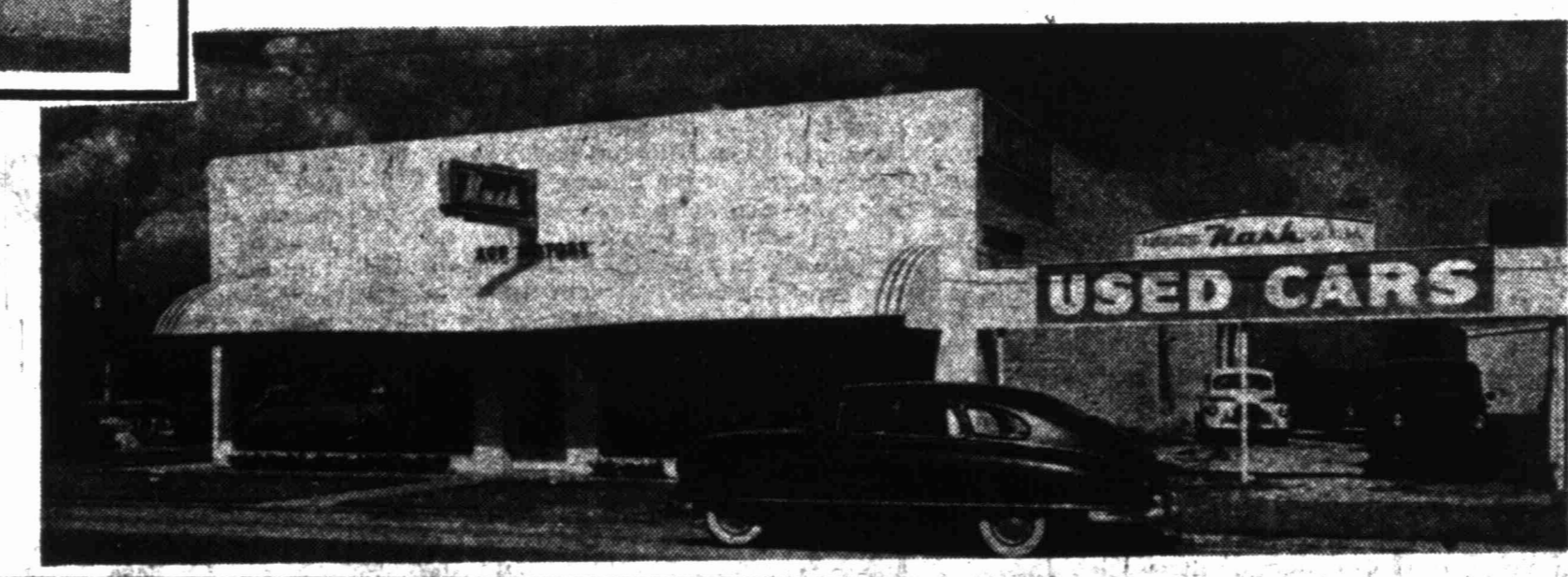
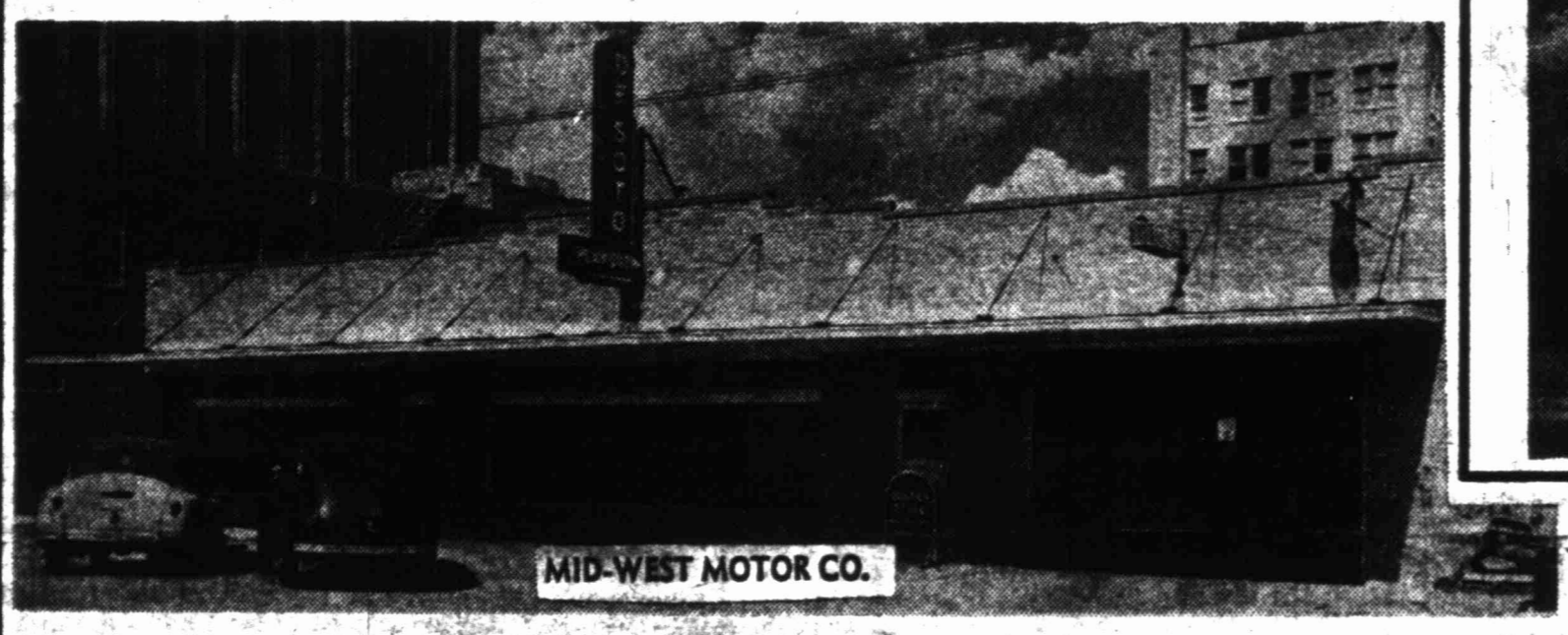
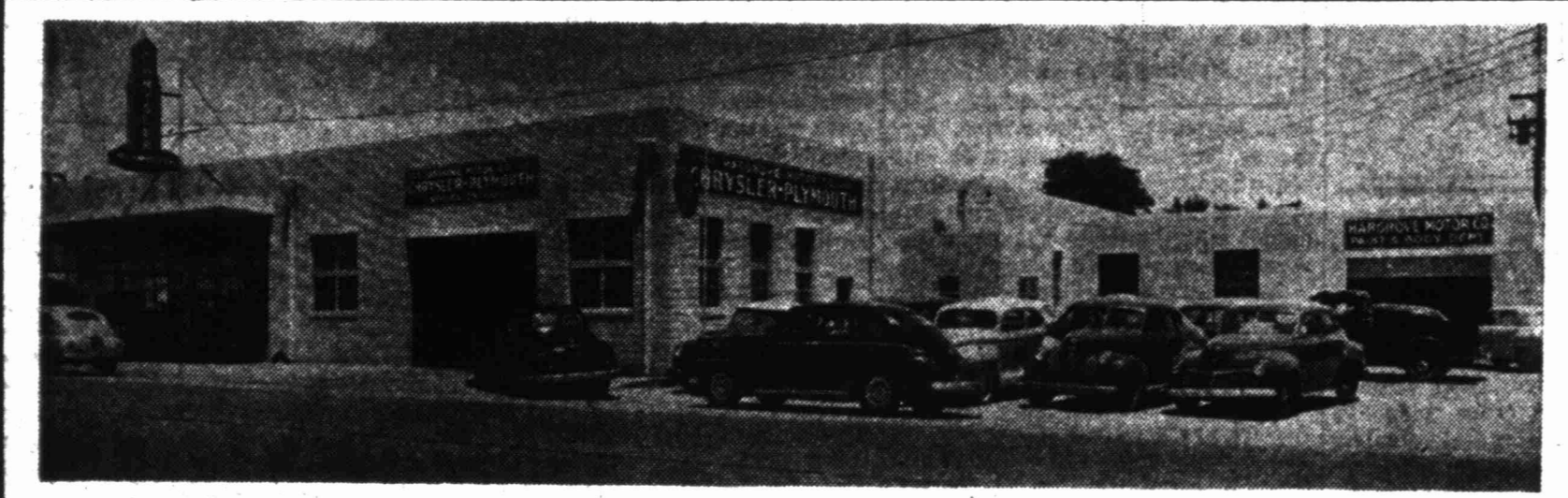
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Plight Of Fighting GI (continued)
Every American ought certainly to hope, however, that when reserves are available they are employed with greater concern for the welfare and effectiveness of the individual fighting man than was shown in World War II.

Plight Of Fighting GI (continued)
In the big war the U. S. had something like 100 divisions in being. Of these, 64 saw battle action. In case you may not have realized what happens to men who do the actual fighting, consider these figures from an instructor at the Army Command and General Staff School in Fort Leavenworth, Kan.

Plight Of Fighting GI (continued)
Said an Army report, "Under present policy no man is removed from combat until he has become worthless. The infantryman considers this a bitter injustice."

Large Insect Answer to Previous Puzzle
HORIZONTAL: 2 Heap, 3 Repeat, 4 Delirium, 5 Enthusiastic ardor, 6 Nevada city, 7 Its nest in the ground has a top, 8 Small, 9 Indolent, 10 Brew made with malt, 11 Aromatic herb, 12 God of flocks, 13 Through, 14 Proboscis, 15 Bude house, 16 Pronoun, 17 Value, 18 Operatic solo, 19 Encourage, 20 Debit, 21 Symbol for lithium, 22 Portrait statue, 23 College official, 24 Play part, 25 Universal language, 26 Half, 27 Felina, 28 Sticky substance, 29 Light knock, 30 Friendly (Fr.), 31 Protective covering, 32 Note in Guido's scale, 33 Refuge, 34 Elevated, 35 Penetrates, 36 Puffs up, 37 Hit with the open hand



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

Washington Merry-Go-Round
The British Foreign Office and U. S. State Department, and London hoped a cease-fire order could be arranged and a buffer state created.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round (continued)
WASHINGTON—One of the most important things to be remembered about North Korea is that there are five Red Army infantry divisions just a few miles away at Vladivostok, plus another three Red Army infantry divisions at Dairen in Manchuria, and a total of about 1,000,000 Red army troops in Siberia generally.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round (continued)
Two airbase divisions are located at the extreme northeast tip of Siberia just across the Bering Strait from Alaska. Another airbase division is located on Kamchatska, not far from the Aleutian Islands.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

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By OSWALD JACOBY
Written for NEA Service
You often write about some players' mistakes. Comments a Pittsburgh reader: "The mistakes usually cost a game or a slam. Are all mistakes as costly as that?"

JACOBY ON BRIDGE (continued)
North's bid of five diamonds was part of the Blackwood Convention. South, by bidding four no-trump, had asked how many aces North had.

Bridge score table with columns: NORTH (♠ J 9 5 2, ♣ 10 9 8 4 3, ♠ 8 4, ♣ A J 10 7 6 2), WEST (♠ 6, ♣ 10 9 8 4 3, ♠ 10 8 5 2, ♣ K 8 4), EAST (♠ Q 8 4, ♣ K Q J 8 3, ♠ Q 9 5 3), SOUTH (♠ A K 10 7 3, ♣ A K Q J 5 2, ♠ A 7, ♣ None), and a section for 'Opening lead'.

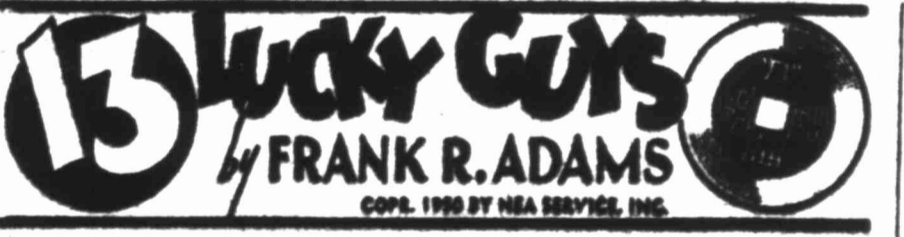
JACOBY ON BRIDGE (continued)
had North, by bidding five diamonds, replied that he had one ace (not necessarily in diamonds, of course). East's double of five diamonds was meant to suggest a favorable opening lead to his partner.

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Critical Power Shortage Surrounds New H-Bomb Site
By PETER EDSON
WASHINGTON—Location of the new H-bomb materials plant in the Augusta, Ga.,-Aiken, S. C., vicinity, raises many problems on electric power shortage in this area.

Questions and Answers

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Q—Who popularized the phrase "weasel words"?
A—"Weasel words" is an expression that describes the hair-splitting and equivocation which suck the life and meaning out of a statement.



LUCKY GUY
By FRANK R. ADAMS
THE STORY: Sgt. Eddie Magstrom's squad is wiped out in action and the men believe they are dead.

LUCKY GUY (continued)
Margie Lou looked at him in amazement at what she had in her hand. "I wonder how I ever happened to do that!"
"Look out!" warned Eddie. "You'll wrap this piece of junk around a telegraph pole."

Have a Laugh

Have a Laugh
By BOYCE HOUSE
Two Scotchmen, adrift in a small boat after the steamer on which they were passengers had gone down, decided that prayer was the only resource left, and so one began praying fervently: "Oh, Lord, if You will just save us, we will do anything You ask."



### Aluminum Walls For Skyscraper

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cast aluminum panels are taking the place of brick facing in enclosing New York's newest skyscrapers, a 24-story structure at 655 Madison Avenue.

Reflective insulation in connection with the air-conditioning of the building is one of the purposes. Modern appearance is another.

Louis Kats, the builder, says 80 tons of aluminum, acquired before the freeze, are being used.

### Professor Studies Malayan Religion

SINGAPORE—(AP)—Dr. Paul B. Means, professor of religion at the University of Oregon, is the first American to receive an award under the Fulbright Act to do research work in Malaya during the 1950-51 academic year at the University of Malaya.

Dr. Means spent 10 years as a missionary in Malaya and Sumatra before World War II. He has been engaged for several months in a study of changes in religious thought in Southeast Asia and in furthering a literacy campaign in Malaya.

### Gas Seen As Giant By California Expert

BERKELEY, CALIF.—(AP)—Natural gas may soon be more important than oil in the United States, says James J. Parsons of the University of California. He estimates that six trillion cubic feet were taken from the ground in 1949. Known gas reserves are bigger than oil reserves, he says.

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## Silver's A Gift With Tradition



This happy young homemaker examines a Sheraton-style silverware chest which doubles as occasional table or lamp table. It holds a sterling-inlaid silverplate service for eight or twelve persons.

By GAILE DUGAS

Silver, be it a fish fork or a magnificent and elaborate tea service, is a traditional Christmas gift. It can be a gift from husband to wife; from children to parents, from mother to daughter. And because silverplate can be bought on a budget and is lasting, it's a practical gift.

New designs, in sterling-inlaid silverplate, are ready in time for Christmas giving and are packaged festively. Most elaborate packaging, probably, is in the form of a brand-new silverware chest which doubles as a handsome Sheraton-style occasional table.

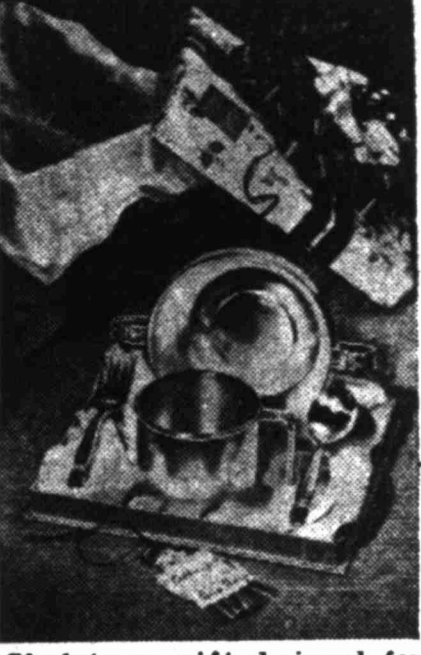
It comes filled with a complete service for eight or 12 persons. The silverware fits neatly into slotted racks in two drawers which have tarnish-resistant linings and durable padding. The table can be used as handsome lamp or occasional table in any part of the living room.

Moderately priced hollow-handle serving pieces such as a punch ladle in the "Lovely Lady" pattern and a soup ladle in the "Danish Princess" pattern are ideal gifts for a favorite hostess. The packaging here, for each, is a clear cellophane Christmas candle with red ribbon wick and plastic base.

For the small fry, a happy Christmas choice is a four-piece "service" in, of course, silverplate. The porringer and cup are scientifically designed, with spill-resistant flat bottoms. A miniature fork and spoon are exactly right for small hands to hold with ease.

Versatile Christmas gifts are the cold meat fork and large serving spoon in a new "Spring Garden" pattern. The spoon has a pierced bowl. This pair can also double up as a salad set.

Two handsome, classic pieces in silverplated hollowware in a new pattern are a large well-and-tree dish and a covered vegetable dish which can be used as two separate serving pieces. Both have rich design and fine detail but are moderately priced. Both are, like the other pieces, lasting gifts designed for many years of service.



Christmas gift designed for small fry is this four-piece set which includes porringer, cup, fork and spoon.



Traditional well-and-tree dish and covered vegetable dish in silverplated hollowware are ready for Christmas in new pattern.

## Crane News

CRANE—J. F. Kendrick and Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Allman recently attended the 24th annual meeting of the Concho Valley Council, Boy Scouts of America, held in San Angelo. Allman was elected one of the five vice presidents of the council.

The holiday season in Crane was officially opened recently when the lights on the Christmas tree on the courthouse lawn and the colored street lights were turned on.

In the store window decorating contest, the Louella Shop won first prize. Tied for second place were Corner Drug and Ray's Dry Goods. Keltner Drug and Crane Flower Shop were in third place. Pete Lovelace Barber Shop, Robinson Jewelry, Wacker's and Lesaman's Dry Goods also were cited for their displays.

Mrs. Louetta Vines of the Gulf Camp was host to the Benefit Club recently. District Deputy President Mrs. Jewell Mulvey had charge of an hour's study.

Mrs. Leonard Sawyer and Clyde Doolen have received a message of the death of their aunt, Mrs. S. A. Humphreys of Corsicana.

A joint meeting of the high school and elementary P-TAs will be held December 14 in the high school auditorium.

Mrs. Dorothy Pettit has been elected noble grand of the Crane Rebekah Lodge No. 192. Others elected were: Mrs. Jo Sawyer, vice grand; Georgia Orr, recording secretary; Cleo Taylor, financial secretary; Mabel Darr, treasurer; Lillie Belle Lear, lodge deputy; Garnet Lambley, team captain.

Mrs. P. F. Carson and children of Midland visited in the Lidah Caldwell home and with other friends in Crane recently.

The WSCS will hold its annual Christmas party December 19 in the home of Mrs. R. E. Weesberry, Jr.

Virgil (Spike) Jones received deep facial lacerations in an auto accident here recently.

Leonard Hollenback was a visitor here recently. He is stationed at Camp Hood.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Poole are new residents of Crane.

Mrs. Vurdor Stepp of Los Angeles and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stepp and family of Odessa recently visited Mrs. E. M. Frost.

Donald D. Barnard is visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Barnard. He has completed leadership school at Fort Ord and is en route to Fort Bragg, North Carolina.

Postmaster A. T. Carroll announced that the Post Office will be open all day December 18 but on December 23 the regular hours will be in effect and the office will close at 12 noon.

Mrs. H. A. Satterwhite is reported recovering after a major operation in the Crane Memorial Hospital.

The U. S. Forest Service estimates profit from national forests at \$354,000,000 a year, \$36,000,000, in cash and the rest in improved recreational facilities, etc.

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Two changes in the Texas and Pacific Railway schedule affecting Midland have been announced by D. Davis, T&P agent here. The changes go into effect December 11.

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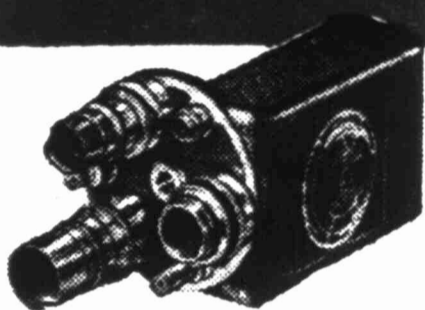
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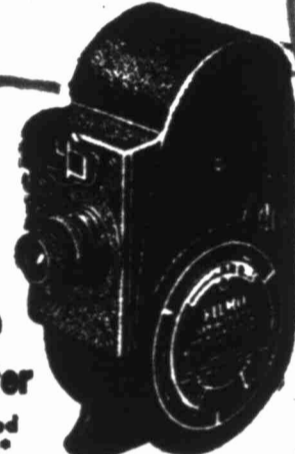
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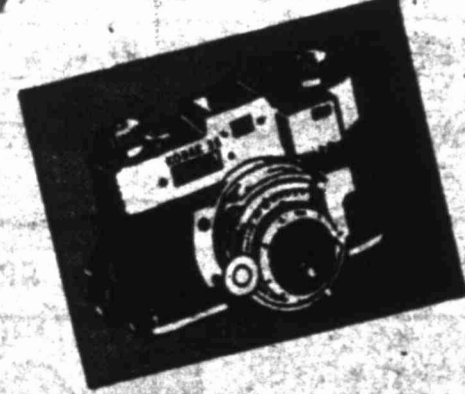
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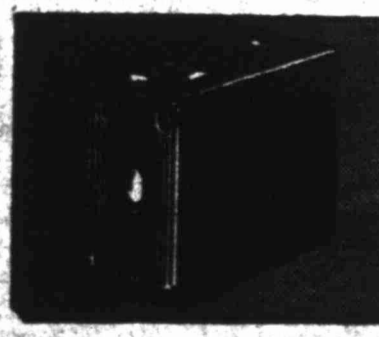
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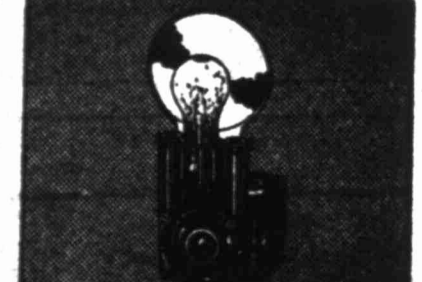


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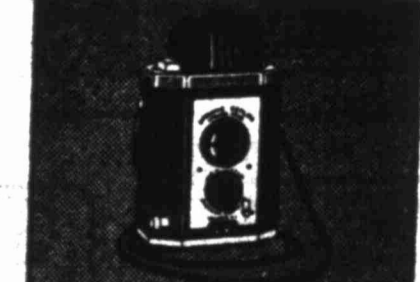


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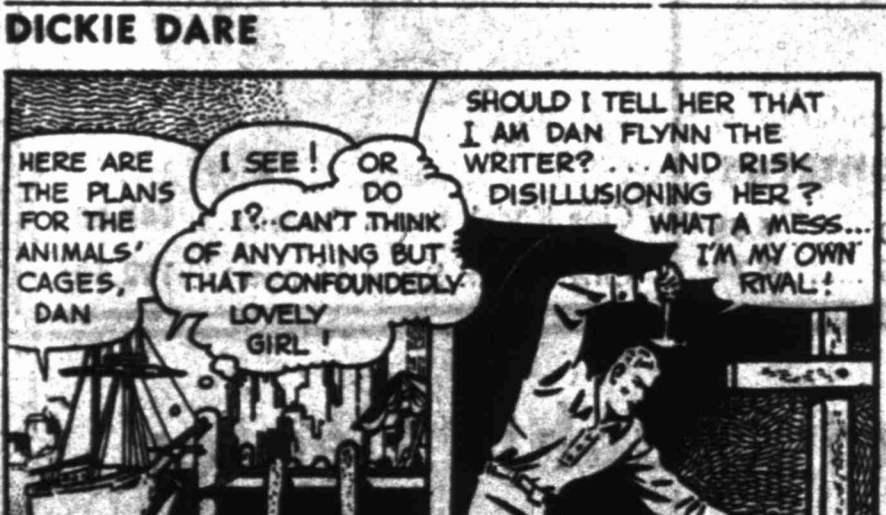
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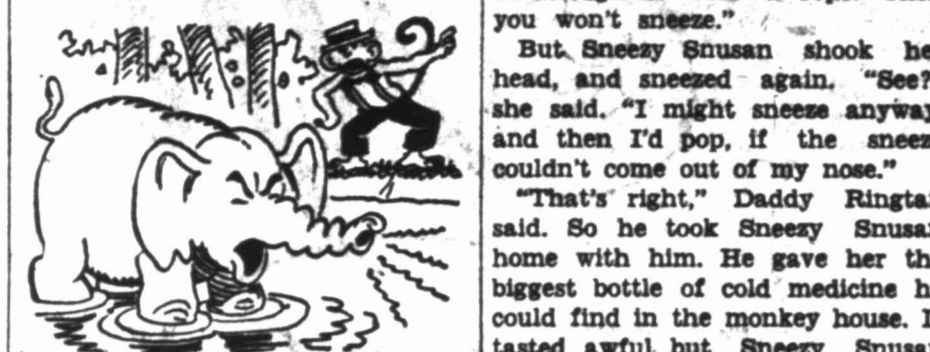
DICKIE DARE



Daddy Ringtail :: By Wesley Davis

Daddy Ringtail And Elephant Sneezes

The warm days of summer were gone at last, and the rain and snow were not far away. It was much too cold for anyone to play in the water, and so Daddy Ringtail said: "I'm going for a walk along by the Whispering River to see about Sneezy Snusnan."



With those words, Daddy Ringtail climbed down from the monkey house and walked away toward the river. Sneezy Snusnan was very fond of playing there in the water, but if the water was the least bit cool, Sneezy Snusnan would catch a cold. She would blow and blow and sneeze and sneeze.

Sneezy Snusnan was an elephant girl, little and fat and cute. She had great big ears, because an elephant's ears are always big. She also had a very long nose which was called a trunk. But you know how long an elephant's nose is. So an elephant with a cold and a nose full of sneezes is a dreadful thing. But there was Sneezy Snusnan playing with her feet in the river. She smiled when she saw Daddy Ringtail.

"Sneezy Snusnan!" Daddy Ringtail said. "Come out of that water this minute! You'll catch your death of cold!"

"I won't catch cold," Sneezy

Snusnan said. And then Sneezy Snusnan sneezed. "Kerchoo!" And then she sneezed again. "Ah -- Ah -- Achoo!" What a big sneeze! It almost blew the leaves off the trees of the Great Forest.

Sneezy Snusnan came out of the water then, and Daddy Ringtail sat down on a rock, trying to think of some way to keep Sneezy Snusnan from sneezing. He thought and thought, and at last he began to smile.

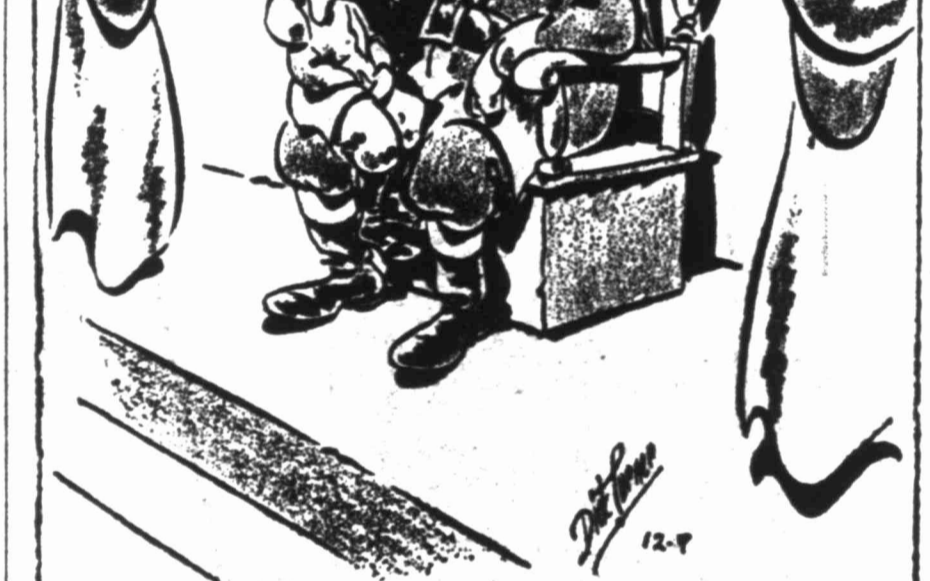
"We can tie a knot in your trunk," Daddy Ringtail said, "just as though it were a rope. Then you won't sneeze."

But Sneezy Snusnan shook her head, and sneezed again. "See?" she said. "I might sneeze anyway, and then I'd pop, if the sneeze couldn't come out of my nose."

"That's right," Daddy Ringtail said. So he took Sneezy Snusnan home with him. He gave her the biggest bottle of cold medicine he could find in the monkey house. It tasted awful but Sneezy Snusnan drank it anyway, because she wanted to stop her sneezes. She promised she would not play in the river any more until summer came and the water was warm again. Happy day!

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The Department of Agriculture says 283,000 acres were planted to watermelons in the U. S. in 1948.

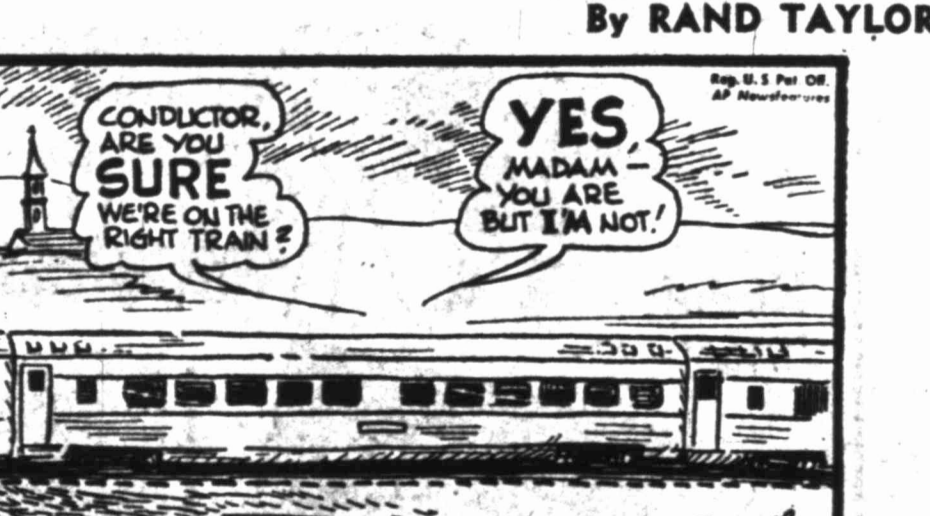


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### This Is Written in Fun—But They Make For A Serious Problem—Amateur Fire-Watchers

There's nothing so exciting as a big fire and every curious citizen in town likes to be among the spectators.

Fire Chief Jim Walker doesn't think that's such a hot idea.

But, anyway, he came through this week with this list of instructions for amateur fire-watchers:

"As soon as the fire alarm sounds jump into your car and get it started.

"While you are backing out of the yard, have your wife look for smoke so you can know which way to go.

"If you have two cars, have some other member of your family bring the other one with all possible speed. Thus, you can park one on each side of the street at the scene of the fire. This will enable your neighbor, who should be right behind you, to park in the middle.

"Whatever you do, don't fall to get to the fire before the fire truck does (this is imperative).

"In case you are late and can't get right up to the fire, dash madly back and forth on the street in the vicinity.

"In case you are the first one there, dash up to the house and break out all the windows. This way, you can see better and the bigger flames make a prettier sight.

"In the event that you suddenly decide to leave and find yourself hemmed in by other cars, this is the procedure you should follow.

Run your car madly ahead and back a few times until you finally run over the fire hose. This important move should be accompanied by continuous blowing of your horn.

"Don't pay any attention to the firemen. If they get in your way, run over them. They are just there through curiosity, while your presence is important; besides, they don't know what they're doing.

"And, finally, before you leave, don't fail to make some comparison with our fire department with one you saw in New York or in some other city you may once have visited."

### +Rankin News+

RANKIN—Al Turner of Fort Worth was a recent Rankin visitor. Mrs. Turner is here for a few weeks looking after rent property.

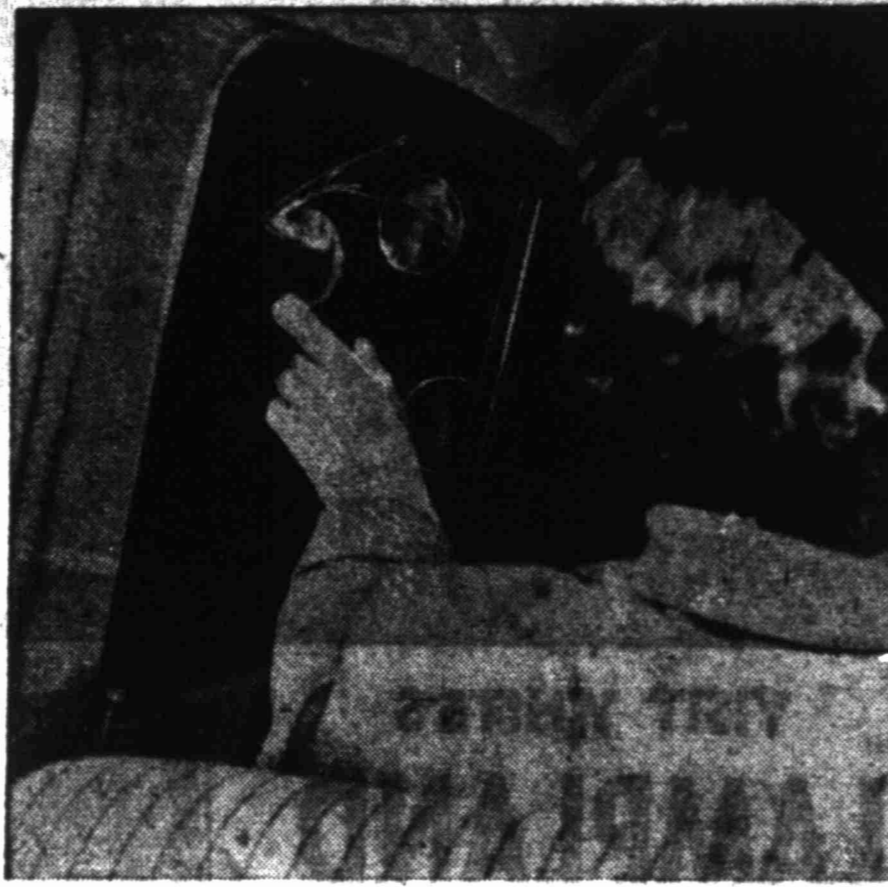
Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Patterson have received a telephone message from their son, Gordon Lee, stating he was shipping out with U. S. forces for a draft replacement center in Japan.

The Rankin 4-H Club met in the Park Building recently. The group studied range grasses. Those present were Ruth McGill, Linda Haral, Barbara Haral, Amariyllis Haral, Mary Anderson, Mae Yocham, Gene Yocham, Elbert Eckols and George Broyles.

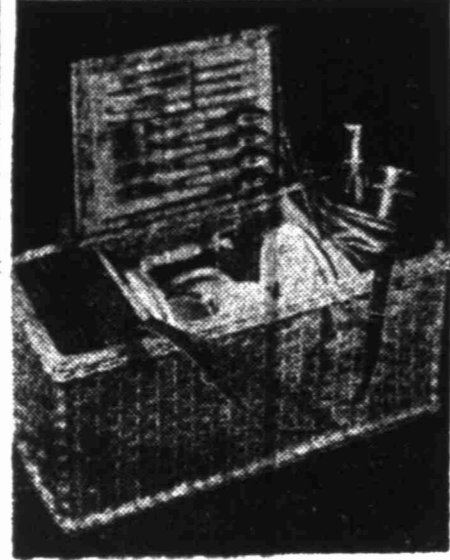
### Motorists' Presents Go Riding



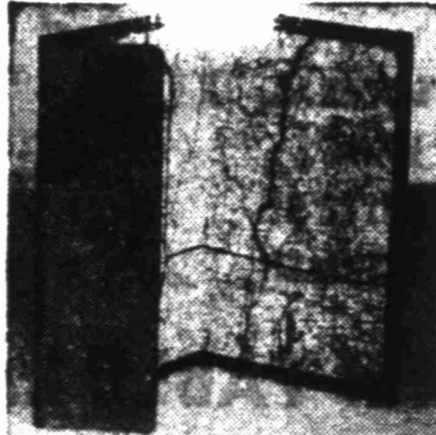
Fringed woolen auto robe fits into zippered case which can double as cushion. Carrying strap is adjustable.



Useful Christmas gift which this motorist tries out is a specially designed mirror which allows her to see around the car in front of her. New gloves she wears shine in the dark.



Handsome picnic basket for the traveler is fitted with service for four and two insulated bags to keep food warm or cold.



Tan pigskin case with cellophane window keeps the motorist's map clean and visible.



Handy aid for a forgetful driver is this key holder which springs out of the ignition with a click when the motor is shut off.

By KAY SHERWOOD

Earmarked for the motorist's Christmas are new devices that add safety features to the appeal of clever design at moderate prices.

Ready with suggestions is motor travel expert Carol Lane who has unofficially checked many of the gadgets as gifts for fellow travelers on her Christmas list.

A passing eye mirror, for example, which enables a driver to see around the car ahead, gets her vote. So do pigskin gloves treated so that they reflect light and make hand signals clearly visible at night.

Another safety gift on her list is a new shield which flips down over the mirror to reduce blinding glare of reflected lights or sun. For the man who smokes while he drives, Miss Lane suggests oversized ash trays which clamp to the steering column, or automatic lighters which deliver a lighted cigar.

Novel reminder to a driver to remove the ignition key when the motor is switched off is taken care

of by a chrome-plated brass ejector. The ejector fits over the key and flips it out of the ignition into the driver's hand.

Another gift which forecasts easier traveling is a map case with cellophane window and spare pockets to keep maps neatly corralled and show the driver his route with a minimum of fuss. And a warm woolen auto robe when zipped into its snug leather and fabric case doubles its usefulness by serving as an extra cushion.

Traveling gifts the whole family will enjoy include picnic baskets fitted with service for four and two fiberglass insulated bags to keep food warm or cold. Portable cooking stoves, folding camp stools and water jugs are items which will also find favor with the vacationing traveler. Useful, too, for trips is a motoring log book in which expenses, mileage and other pertinent information can be recorded.

Aimed to please the lady motorist is a visor mirror which has a push button light for making up. Little gifts that make a big hit with feminine travelers are non-breakable plastic bottles for cosmetics; lightweight traveling irons and miniature ironing boards; and travel sewing kits for quick repairs.

### Andrews News

ANDREWS—Joyce Dunn, Sue Stephenson and Donna Houston were hostesses recently at a "Come Western" party at the Fullerton Camp recreation center. Refreshments were served by Mrs. J. F. Stephenson, Mrs. Curtis Dunn and Mrs. Phil Houston. Attending the party were: Pat Pikes of Goldsmith, John Thames, Don Huestis, Richard Louthier, Peggy Ellis, Rita Dunn, Carolyn Morrison, Alma Smith, Larry Bradford, Max Ragdale, Janna Lou Way, Sara Jackson, Ronny Ruckabee, Frank Bradford, Carl Hollowell, Charlene McNeil, Gene Ellis, Buddy Ham, James Heinrich, Donnell Ragsdale, Janie Dyer, George Carruth, Pat Allen, Geneane Montgomery, Barbara Strickland, Wade Graham, Thomas Scott, Wilber Floyd, Phillip Houston, Carol Ann Farris, Choc Carruth, Jimmie Doreland, Orville Burks and Benny Bradford.

The Phillips 66 basketball team here met recently and organized, with Benny Maher being named manager. The team works out twice a week. The team roster includes Max Hensley, T. C. Young, Carol Yates, A. B. Hungerford, Andy Andrews, Bob Skinner, Robert Bacon, W. O. Wylie, Troy Langford, Benny Hogard, J. Williams, Bert Thomas, James Willett, Johnnie Hogard, Joe Dillard and Blackie Smyers.

**WORLD'S SMALLEST FIELD PRODUCES OIL AND FUN**

What is possibly the world's smallest oil field is being operated in Kansas. There, three wells produce a total of four barrels daily. The deepest well goes down only 11 feet. Reservoir energy is believed to be supplied by water drive, since the wells produce only when it rains. The wells were drilled with a post hole digger, and their producing equipment consists of two-inch water pumps powered by washing-machine engines. Exact source of the oil is a mystery. Three nearby crude oil pipe lines were checked and showed no leaks. The owner, a drilling contractor, reports little profit, but a lot of fun.

**TO NATIONALIZE TRANSPORT KARACHI, PAKISTAN**—The central government has decided to nationalize road transport throughout the country. Provincial governments have suggested that income from such operations be spent on improvement and construction of roads.

### Santa Has Been Bathing Since November 28

A laughing, talking, stinging Santa has been bathing since the night of November 28.

And Midland Hardware and Furniture Company intends to keep him in the tub through Christmas Eve.

Thousands of Midlanders and visitors from nearby towns have stopped to view the colorful window display that shows Santa Claus taking a bath, aided by four picturesque little Gnomes.

One of Santa's helpers scrubs his back, another tries to pick up an elusive bar of soap while the other two pour water into the tub from a huge, ornamental container.

1,000 Daily Estimated

As Santa laughs, sings and talks, passersby pause to witness the colorful Yuletide feature. When the weather isn't too bad, more than 1,000 people stop to watch the display daily. It has been estimated. It is a popular attraction at night, too, when mom and dad bring the kiddies to town to see Santa Claus take a bath.

The mechanical window display operates from 10 to 12 a.m., 3 to 5:30 p.m., and 7 to 9 p.m. daily. On Thursdays and Saturdays it runs from about 10 a.m. until the store closes at night.

Carl White, advertising and display manager at Midland Hardware and Furniture, is responsible for bringing the clever attraction to Midland. And he says he hopes to have a bigger and better display next year.

**IT WAS HARMLESS**

CORNERBROOK, NEWFOUNDLAND—A small snake found when a crate of bananas was unpacked caused much excitement here. It was sent to St. John's and thence to Toronto, where a museum expert has found it was a small type of box constrictor, harmless except for its sharp teeth.

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### Tot Was Right, Santa Had Grandpa's Sleigh

KANSAS CITY — (AP) — Santa Claus was greeting children as he sat in a big sleigh in a department store.

Bright-eyed three-year-old Jeffrey Miller stepped up and declared: "I have!"

"You've got Grandpa's sleigh," Santa Claus.

"Yes," the boy said, "and I want you to be careful with it."

Santa eased through the ticklish situation by promising to treat the sleigh carefully.

Jeffrey was right. His grandfather, Everett Miller, had rented the sleigh to Santa.

### Children Pay Visit To Iceland's Chief

REYKJAVIK, ICELAND — (AP) — The president of Iceland, Sveinn Bjornsson invited the children of Keflavik Airport, who are mostly American and Icelandic-American parents, to his country residence the other day.

The home, which is over 200 years old and was formerly the residence of the Danish governor, is furnished with many hand-carved pieces in a traditional Icelandic style.

Bjornsson invited the children into his study where he showed them his collection of photographs of European Royalty as well as many notable of the United States government.

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