

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

James C. ...

SE Dawson Wildcat Recovers Free Oil From Pennsylvania

Sunray Oil Corporation and associates No. 1 Robert Brown, southeast Dawson County wildcat, nine miles southeast of Lamesa, developed a large recovery of free oil on a drilling log in the top of the Pennsylvania line reef at 2,400-30 feet.

The tool was open one hour and 45 minutes. Gas showed at the surface in 12 minutes. There was a good blow of gas throughout the remainder of the period.

Recovery was 7,450 feet of pipe line oil, a part of which unloaded from the pipe when it was being pulled; 120 feet of drilling mud and 50 feet of salty water.

Gravity of the oil was 40.8 degrees. Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 1,661 pounds. Shut-in bottom hole pressure after 18 minutes was 2,728 pounds.

Operators are running electric log surveys and will then decide whether to drill deeper or run casing and try to make an oil well from the pay which has already been discovered.

Top of the line reef was called at 2,322 feet. That is on a datum of minus 4,804 feet.

The oil fill up of 7,450 feet during the one hour and 45 minutes the tool was open was calculated to have been approximately 121 barrels.

Location is 600 feet from north and east lines of section 7, T-4S, R-2E, T&P survey, T-4-S, R-2-E, T&P survey, 1/4-4-S, R-2-E, T&P survey. It is three and one-half miles north of Sperryburg.

Glasscock Test Is Swabbing Oil

York & Harper, Inc., of Midland No. 1 E. S. Boone indicated one and one-quarter mile north of Glasscock to Hubbard & Russell No. 1 Wagon-Mendocino, Sperryburg discovery, in Central-West Glasscock County, reported recovery of 151 barrels of oil, cut with one per cent basic sediment and water, from the Sperryburg.

The prospect is at total depth of 7,135 feet in the Sperryburg lead was topped at 8,276 feet.

Operator is continuing to swab the well.

Seven-inch casing is sectioned on top of the Sperryburg. The section from 6,870 to 7,135 feet received a hydrofracture treatment.

Location of the No. 1 E. S. Boone is 1,900 feet from north and east lines of section 17, T-4S, R-2E, T&P survey.

Grayburg Wildcat Staked in Andrews

In the extreme southeast corner of Andrews County and one and one-quarter mile south of production in the Andrews Permian field, Andrews-Edwards Oil Corporation has staked location for a Grayburg wildcat.

It will be drilled at the corner of No. 1-G-45 Fadden, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 45, block 41, T-1-N, O&M&B&A survey.

It will be drilled to around 6,000 feet to test the Midland-Parnas field pay.

The drillsite is 17 miles southeast of Andrews, and three-quarters of one-mile northwest of the northwest corner of Midland County.

Shallow Explorer Scheduled in Crane

Gulf Oil Corporation, No. 1-A Dawson estate is to be drilled as a shallow wildcat in Central Crane County, 12 miles northwest of the town of Crane.

Drillsite is 600 feet from the southeast and southwest lines of section 12, block 4, H&T&O survey. Contracted depth is 2,500 feet with rotary equipment. The No. 1-A Dawson estate location is approximately one-half mile east of Crane Oil Company No. 1. Sperryburg, a recently completed discovery from the San Andre.

Work will start immediately on the No. 1-A Dawson estate.

Discovery Finished In Central Andrews

A discovery from the Oligocene has been completed in the Deep Rock field of Central Andrews County by J. W. Triplehorn.

Site No. 2-B-N. A. King was finished for 59.13 barrels of 37.1 gravity oil, plus 79 per cent water daily on the pump.

Pay section is between 2,115 and 2,300 feet. Total section was acidized with 2,000 gallons.

The new pay opener is in section 11, block A-46, rd survey.

Application Filed For Borden Tester

Victory Petroleum Company has filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas, requesting permission to start drilling on the No. 1 Myrtle McKnight, 7,000-foot wildcat in Borden County.

Application listed the location 2,175 feet from north and south lines of section 37, block 9, H&T&O survey.

The drillsite was previously reported at the center of the north-

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WEATHER
Fair and a little warmer Monday night and Tuesday. Maximum temperature Sunday 52 degrees, minimum Monday 14 degrees.

'We Will Fight,' Truman Declares

Allies Again Pushed Back Toward Pusan

TOKYO—(AP)—Allied rear guard forces yielded the ruins of Wonju to an overwhelming horde of Chinese and North Korean Reds Monday after a bitter holding action that bought precious time.

Red troops entered the burning road and rail center as UN forces withdrew to new positions.

Korean War At A Glance

By The Associated Press

Fighting front — Communist troops occupy key central communications hub of Wonju, 55 miles southeast of Seoul. UN forces back south of Osan, 23 miles south of Seoul. B-2 Superfortresses batter Kimpo Airfield, 12 miles northeast of Seoul, and Red Korean capital of Pyongyang. Allied warships bombard enemy supply and communications points on both coasts.

Diplomatic — British Commonwealth countries reported hesitant over U. S. moves for United Nations condemnation of Communist China as aggressor.

Military — General Eisenhower confers with Paris leaders on French contributions to his Atlantic Army, and reportedly will be offered three French divisions in Germany.

Home front — President Truman goes before divided Congress with requests for greater sacrifices to strengthen the U. S. and Allies against Communist aggression.

Sensory Robert Taft (R-Ohio) says U. S. should withdraw from Korea to Japan and Formosa.

Economic Stabilization Administrator Alan Valentine hints at meat controls and rationing.



GETTING READY FOR MORE REDS—U. S. tanks move along under protection of a railway embankment as they take up positions to fire on advancing Chinese Communist troops. In the foreground, a U. S. soldier huddles close to his fire and reads, ready to spring to his bazooka when things start popping. (NEA—Acme Staff photographer Walter Lea.)

Eisenhower Talks Of Men, Guns With Top French Leaders

PARIS—(AP)—The top military leaders of France met with General of the Army Dwight D. Eisenhower Monday to talk, in terms of men and guns, of their contribution to his Atlantic Army.

Among them was Gen. Alphonse Juin, career soldier and an Eisenhower colleague of World War II, who is reported due to be the Atlantic Army's ground forces commander.

The famous American general paid calls on Premier Rene Pleven and Foreign Minister Robert Schuman early Monday, and then went to the Defense Ministry to get down to work.

Defense Minister Jules Moch was expected to tell him three French divisions, now in Germany, are at his disposal. Similar pledges have been made by the United States, Britain, Italy, Belgium, Canada and other countries.

Warns Would-Be Aggressors

The famed World War II leader arrived in Paris Sunday to head an international force to defend the West against communism. At once he served warning that any nation, tempted to test the power of the West, had better think long and carefully about starting anything.

Eisenhower's arrival here marked his first formal visit to one of the European powers that will give him men and machines for the army the 12-nation Atlantic community has asked him to create to fend off aggression from the East.

After a quick tour of the North Atlantic Treaty countries, Eisenhower is slated to return to Washington late this month. He comes back here around mid-February to begin the task of putting into full operation his Supreme Headquarters Allied Power in Europe (SHAPE).

ESA Chief Hints At Meat Rationing

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Economic Stabilization Administrator Alan Valentine said Monday "a big try" will be made "as soon as we can" to control skyrocketing meat prices.

He hinted broadly that the effort might be accompanied by rationing and "probably subsidies."

"The real fact is we don't know to what extent meat prices can be controlled, but as soon as we can we'll make a try at it, and it will be a big try," Valentine said.

This statement, made in an interview with the weekly news magazine "U. S. News and World Report," coincided significantly with a speedup in the agency's drive to build up a staff big enough for the gigantic job of controlling prices and wages. Valentine ordered the recruiting step.

The ESA chief indicated that he considered food costs a major obstacle in the path of possible new wage controls.

Valentine said he had not "come on a single man in the industry who feels that, without strict rationing and probably subsidies, meat prices can be controlled, really controlled."

And without such control, he said the so-called escalator agreements in some labor contracts might tend to keep wages creeping higher. Escalator agreements call for pay increases to meet rising living costs.

Books Not Ordered

Asked if the goods facing possible rationing might include gasoline, Valentine answered: "I just don't know—yet. But I should think that would probably be a case where rationing helps control price."

In answer to another question, he said his agency has not ordered any ration books printed.

Valentine said he did not think a price-wage freeze "last month would have been a good thing to do" because he did not then have a staff set up to handle complaints. The result of this, he said, would have been...

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Polio Treatment Costs Soar As New Cases Added To Old

The cumulative cost of caring for polio patients soars tremendously each year as new cases are added to old, John P. Butler, March of Dimes campaign treasurer here, said Monday.

Consequently, he added, increasingly larger amounts of money are needed to cope with the ever-all load of new and carry-over cases. As high polio incidence continues—as it has the last three years—the problem becomes increasingly complex, Butler declared.

"There is only one answer to this new polio challenge," the campaign treasurer stated. "That is to make the coming March of Dimes, January 15-31, the greatest on record."

"We now are faced with a staggering polio patient load and no matter what the 1951 polio season may bring in the way of epidemics, we know we will be responsible for thousands of patients from 1950 and earlier years."

"Costs of caring for new cases are high, but old cases usually are more expensive because they are seriously affected long-term cases. We cannot abandon even one of these if there is the slightest hope for improvement."

Butler urges Midlanders to open their hearts as never before in the 1951 March of Dimes.

Two Men Wounded In Blazing Gun Fight

Two Latin Americans were wounded, one critically, in a blazing gun battle Sunday night which police said climaxed a long-standing feud between the pair.

Critically wounded was 42-year-old Pedro Ortiz with bullet wounds in his chest and abdomen.

The other wounded man is Moses Lerma, 38, identified as Ortiz' brother-in-law.

The two are being treated at Western Clinic-Hospital while police are holding a third man pending an investigation.

Lt. Robert Branson, who investigated the shooting just outside the La Hacienda Club on the North Lamesa Road, said the two apparently shot each other.

He said they had been feuding "for some time" over ownership of a piece of property.

Midland Painting Contractor Killed In Highway Crash

Austin E. Rankin, 31-year-old Midland painting contractor, was killed almost instantly Sunday in a head-on automobile collision 11 miles west of Midland on U. S. Highway 80.

Rankin was dead upon arrival at the Ector County Hospital in Odessa, according to reports received here.

State Highway Patrolman John White of Odessa, who investigated the accident, said Rankin was traveling east when his convertible collided head-on with a vehicle driven by Manuel Pineda of Odessa about 3 a.m. Sunday.

Pineda is in a serious condition in an Odessa hospital. He had not regained consciousness Monday morning, according to White.

White said Rankin was thrown into the back seat of his automobile, and Pineda was hurled clear of his car by the impact of the collision.

Funeral arrangements for Rankin had not been announced Monday.

Retired Gulf Oil Vice President Dies

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Walter Braxton Fryon, 68, retired, died in a San Antonio hospital Monday of a heart ailment.

Military funeral services will be held at the Fort Sam Houston Chapel Tuesday.

Fryon came to San Antonio after retiring last May as vice president of the Gulf Oil Corporation in charge of all European operations. He had been with that concern 43 years.

He became a first lieutenant in the Texas National Guard Cavalry in 1921 and advanced to brigadier general in the United States Army.

He was on active duty with the 56th Cavalry Brigade at Fort McIntosh in 1940-41 before being called to Washington for service in the office of the undersecretary of War.

His subsequent service included tours with Army-Navy Petroleum Board and the joint chiefs of staff.

City Again May Delay Action On Annexation Plan

Scattered areas around Midland, which barely missed getting into the city limits last year, may have another delay before annexation finally is voted by the City Council.

The council will meet Tuesday night in regular session, but it appeared Monday, action probably will be deferred on the annexation question.

Here is the reason why, according to City Manager W. H. Cevalat.

If these areas had been annexed before the end of 1950, they would have been taxable this year and the city would have received funds from them for 1951.

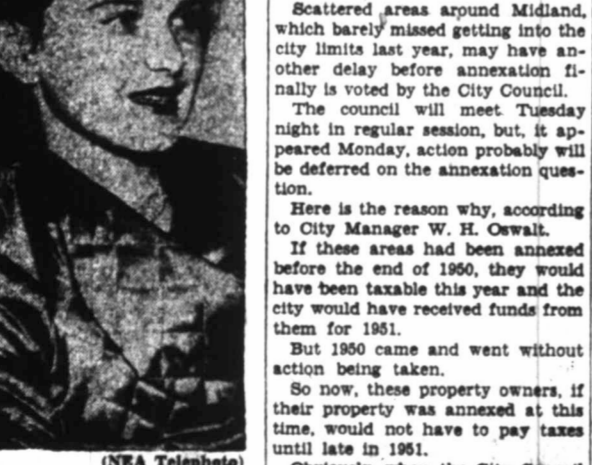
But 1950 came and went without action being taken.

So now, these property owners, if their property was annexed at this time, would not have to pay taxes until late in 1951.

Obviously, when the City Council votes new areas into the city, it faces additional expenses. There is the matter of garbage and trash collection, for instance.

At the same time, the city will lose the premium rate it now charges for water service to customers outside the city limits.

So the council may be reluctant to accept this additional expense until it faces the prospect of getting some revenue in return.



(NEA Telephoto)

THE BIG SLEEP—Pictured in her hospital bed at Indio, Calif., 19-year-old Erica Schmutz has regained consciousness after five months in a coma brought on by an auto accident. She is learning, a little at a time, of past events which she slept through.

Clemency Plea Of Negro Rapist Denied

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Board of Pardons and Paroles Monday declined to give Ben Pickett any additional clemency.

The 35-year-old negro was sentenced to death for raping a 54-year-old Houston woman.

He had been scheduled for execution in the electric chair at Huntsville after midnight, January 2. A last-minute reprieve saved him, and his case was reconsidered by the board Monday.

Pickett has four days remaining of a ten-day stay of execution granted by Gov. Allan Shivers.

\$Dollar Day Gets New Year Shopping Off To Fast Start

It was a busy but painless occasion in the downtown district Monday as Midland observed its first Dollar Day of the New Year.

Shoppers from Midland and area cities were out in unusually large numbers to take advantage of the hundreds of dollar-saving values offered by Midland merchants, who were determined to make the January, 1951, sales event one of the most successful ever staged here.

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New Year shopping definitely is off to a good start in Midland.

Feeder Lambs Bring All-Time High Price

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Feeder lambs Monday scored another all-time high for the Fort Worth market when freshly wooled leaders sold at \$23 a hundred pounds.

Other sheep were strong here with wooled slaughter lambs reaching the same \$23 level, \$1 above last Friday's top price.

Asks Draft Law Changes, Higher Taxes

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman said Monday Russia's leaders are out "to take over the world, step by step" and warned, "We will fight, if fight we must, to keep our freedom and to prevent justice from being destroyed."

In a personally delivered "State of the Union" message to Congress, Truman said, too, the United States is "willing, as we have always been, to negotiate honorable settlements with the Soviet Union."

"But we will not engage in appeasement."

Truman's 3,500-word message first of all was a defense of his foreign policy which is geared to the idea of building American and Western European strength to the point where Russia will respect it.

Second, it was a general outline of what has been done so far in the way of military mobilization and a broad sketching of what is to come.

"We are preparing for full wartime mobilization, if that should become necessary," Truman said.

As part of that preparation, the President said he wants changes in the draft law, higher taxes, greater wage-price controls powers, "improvement" of labor and farm laws, aid to education, and federal aid for training medical men and women.

"Fair Deal" Soft-Pedaled

He gave no details on any of these. Precisely what he proposes will come out piecemeal later in special messages and through submission of specific legislative proposals to the Congress.

Truman omitted any specific mention of many of the proposals he has called the "Fair Deal"—such as civil rights laws—which Congress in the past has refused to give him.

But he emphasized the possible long range nature of the present era of tension and told the legislators they should give continued attention to "the measures which our country will need for the long pull."

He continued:

"To take just one example—we need to continue and complete the work of rounding out our system of social insurance. We still need to improve our protection against unemployment and old age. We still need to provide insurance against loss of earnings through sickness, and against the high costs of modern medical care."

Replying, in effect, to recent demands by former President Herbert Hoover and Republican Senator Robert A. Taft that this country limit its military aid to Western Europe, the President declared America's national security is too deeply involved to allow any withdrawal of help.

50,000 Planes A Year

"Our national security," he said, "would be gravely prejudiced if the Soviet Union were to succeed in harnessing to its war machine the resources and the manpower of the nations on the borders of its empire."

In his report on mobilization efforts, the President said American industry must be made capable of producing 50,000 planes and 35,000 tanks a year. But he said he hoped these never would be an necessity to produce that many.

Much of his address was concerned with the grave international situation and he appealed to the legislators:

"I ask the Congress for unity in these crucial days."

"The President said the threat of world conquest" by Russia is "a total threat and the danger is a common danger."

Then he went on to say:

"We are preparing for full wartime mobilization, if that should become necessary. And we are continuing to..."

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Search For Killer Shifts Into Mexico

BLYTHE, CALIF.—(AP)—The frantic, bloody trail of badman Bill Cook wound through the barren reaches of North western Mexico Monday.

The territorial police of Baja California joined the far-flung search for the sawed-off, boastful killer after the car of one of his victims was found abandoned 40 miles south of the border Sunday.

Officers of the State of Sonora were alerted to watch for the stocky desperado in case he might try to cross the Colorado River and head south deep into Mexico. It was apparent from the tire treads near the abandoned car that Cook had commandeered another vehicle—at the expense of another and perhaps his ninth victim. Officers said the tracks indicate Cook had headed north.

Abandoned Car Found

The 24-year-old ex-convict from Joplin, Mo., the object of one of the West's greatest manhunts, may be forced to turn back toward the U. S. border by the very nature of the barren desert country to which he has fled.

The 1947 blue Buick sedan of Robert H. Dewey, 32, of Seattle, was discovered by Police Chief Guy Woodward of El Centro, Calif., who on a hunch drove south from the...

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Road Employees Of Midland County Get \$30 Wage Increase

A flat \$30-a-month wage increase for county road employees was voted Monday by the Midland County Commissioners Court.

Raises for other county employees were to be discussed at an afternoon session Monday.

The wage increase, which will become effective for January pay checks, affect the 12 road employees now on the county payroll.

The raise was passed by a unanimous vote of commissioners present. Commissioner W. M. Stewart was absent because of illness.

County Judge Clifford C. Keith, said representatives of other employees were to appear before the commissioners Monday afternoon to present their requests for wage increases.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

HOUSTON—(AP)—Darrell E. Hall, 21, of Tulsa, Okla., a hitchhiking tilesetter, told police here Monday he believes he rode from El Paso to Houston Sunday night with W. E. Cook, sought as a suspect in at least eight murders.

LAKE SUCCESS—(AP)—Britain called on the UN Monday to make another effort for a Korean cease-fire, but warned Red China it might force a break with the free world if it insisted on acceptance of its own terms.

HOUSTON—(AP)—The Houston Chronicle Monday quoted a former FBI agent as saying he has turned over to "proper authorities" tape recordings alleging misconduct at a West Texas Summer camp for boys and girls.

AUSTIN—(AP)—The State Board for Hospitals and Special Schools Monday accepted the resignation of Dr. Earl F. Dean, acting superintendent of the Wichita Falls State Hospital who was suspended from his duties on December 29.

KALAMAZOO, MICH.—(AP)—Velorus (Bud) Mattheis Monday confessed, authorities said, that he strangled 19-year-old Carolyn Drawn, Western Michigan College co-ed, after he and a buddy, Raymond Lee Olson, had raped her.

Fair Skies Promise To Warm Up Texas

By The Associated Press

Fair weather Monday and Tuesday is expected to warm up Texas after freezing weather spread over practically all the state early Monday.

No rain fell during the night.

Sunday's highest thermometer reading was 37 degrees at Brownsville, Corpus Christi and Laredo. Lowest maximum was 41 at Dalhart.

The warmest spot early Monday was Brownsville with 37 degrees. Coldest was Ozona with 16.

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Casualties in Korea

WASHINGTON (AP)—Fifty-eight Texans Monday were reported missing in action in two of the longest casualty lists of the Korean conflict.

The lists, No. 184 and 185, include three Texans killed in action, one dead of wounds, 18 wounded and one returned to duty.

Killed in action, Marine Corps: Pfc. Richard Alvarado, San Antonio; Cpl. Benjamin Hulsey, Normangee. Killed in action, Army: Pfc. Durston Gillean, Lubbock.

Died of wounds, Marine Corps: Pfc. Philip Wing, Beaumont.

Wounded, Army: Pfc. Hector Guerrero, Houston; Pfc. Billy Johnston, Paris; Sgt. 1/c John Martin, San Antonio; Sgt. 1/c Herberto Martinez, Jr., Schertz.

Wounded, Marine Corps: Pfc. Billy Bilgrey, Morton; Pfc. John Bruce, Jr., Corpus Christi; Pfc. Everado Bustos, San Antonio; Pfc. Ricardo De La Serda, La Feria; Pfc. Warren Howard, Houston; Cpl. Malcolm Lawson, Houston; Cpl. Raymond Mendoza, San Antonio; Pfc. John Nolan, Silsbee; Pfc. Ralph Timbes, Fort Worth; Sgt. Pascual Ugarte, Jr., Agua Dulce; Pfc. James Umpleby, Austin; Pfc. Charles Wideman, Houston; Staff Sgt. Robert Adams, Dallas; Cpl. Einar Belmar, San Antonio; Cpl. Cameron Cunningham, Rochelle; Pfc. David Goodrich, San Antonio; Pfc. William Keele, La Mesa (Previously wounded and returned to duty); Pfc. Mike Lowe, Joquin; Pfc. Robert Lyons, Texas; Pfc. Marcus Matusek, Hallettsville; Cpl. Kenneth McAlexander, Waco; Pfc. Nicholas Rodriguez, San Antonio; Pfc. Allen Thompson, Austin; Pfc. Frank Valuerra, Fort Worth; Sgt. David Wolff, Fort Worth; Pfc. James Wright, Texarkana.

Wounded, Navy: Larry O'Neal, hospitalman, Waco.

Missing in action, Army: Pfc. Theo Baudoin, Jr., Texas City; Pfc. Charles Alexander, Dublin; Pfc. Walter Allen, San Marcos; Cpl. Salvador Cantu, Weslaco; Capt. Garland Crawford, Fort Worth; Sgt. 1/c Thomas Crayton, Austin; Pfc. Leonard Drummond, Thrall; Pfc. Roberto Falcon, San Antonio; Pfc. Daniel Favella, San Antonio; Pfc. Huey French, Childress; Pfc. Ramon Precas, El Paso; Pfc. Miguel Galvan, Harlingen; Pfc. Abel Garcia, Fort Stockton; Pfc. Starline Geary, Jr., Cooper; Pfc. Raymond Grady, Fort Worth; Cpl. Roberto Guerrero, El Paso; Pfc. Joe Haynes, El Paso; Pfc. Jack Hearne, Dallas; Pfc. John Holickow, Carthage; Cpl. Theodore Jackson, Palestine; Pfc. Lonnie Jackson, Jefferson; Cpl. Bohus Janda, La Grange; Pfc. Johnnie Jayroe, Purdon; Pfc. James Joshua, San Antonio.

Cpl. Wesley Little, Berger; Pfc. Librado Luna, Taylor; Sgt. 1/c Harold Main, Gordon; Cpl. Arturo Martinez, San Antonio; Cpl. Joseph McMurry, Sherman; First Lt. James Mitchell, Jr., Houston; Sgt. Tom Morgan, Kirbyville; Pfc. Clifford Pines, San Antonio; Pfc. M. C. Polk, Palestine; Pfc. Robert Rodriguez, Corpus Christi; Pfc. Philip Sarabia, El Paso; Sgt. Herman Simpkins, Quitman; Pfc. Jack Spencer, Jefferson; Cpl. Willie Spinks, Houston; Pfc. Jimmie Jampaley, Beaumont; Pfc. Harold Thompson, Texline; Cpl. Phil Torres, Henderson; Pfc. Ezell Valentine, Houston; Capt. Joseph Whitehead, San Antonio; Pfc. James Young, Queen City.

Missing in action, Marine Corps: Cpl. Robert Arias, San Antonio; Pfc. Cesar Benauli, San Antonio; Pfc. Grady Crawford, Dallas; Sgt. Morris Estrea, Jr., Amarillo; Pfc. Gene Hargraves, San Antonio; Pfc. James Hester, Fort Worth; Cpl. Frank Medina, Galveston; Pfc. Thurmon Money, Dallas; Pfc. Jonathan Posey, Jr., Dallas; Pfc. Vicente Ramirez, Jr., San Antonio; Pfc. Edwin Kruciak, San Antonio; Pfc. Kenneth McIntosh, Fort Worth; Pfc. Mickey Scott, Hamlin.

Returned to duty, Army: Pfc. William White, Woodville; Second Lt. John Cloninger, Pecos.

Baptists Gather For Membership Meeting

DALLAS (AP)—Representatives of about the 3,000-odd Baptist churches in Texas gathered here Monday for a three-day membership meeting.

They're to study ways of helping the Baptist General Convention of Texas obtain its 1951 goal of 250,000 new members.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Tony Martin Takes Hair Down; He's Out Of Romance Dept.

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—Guys and Dolls: Tony Martin is willing the curling iron they used on him in "Casbah" to any profile king who can sigh into a shell-pink ear without feeling sheepish about the whole thing.

He's not the lover-boy type in "Two Tickets to Broadway" and woe to any producer who tosses flowery dialog at Tony again.

"I'm roughed up and my head's tilted this time," he grinned. "Absolutely no romantic stuff. Eddie Bracken makes a fool out of me all the way through the picture. This I like."

The Benny Fields role in Paramount's "The Blossom Seeley Story" for Tony?

"All I know," he told me, "is that Betty Hutton wants me for it real bad. I imagine Paramount's waiting to see some footage from this picture before it's decided. But I won't do it if they don't buy Benny's voice in on the sound track. I did that once. No more."

Fifi D'Orsay, the fixa girl of Hollywood's golden era, confirms the rumor that she has been huddling with Bing Crosby about a film comeback.

"Et ses steel een talking stage," Fifi enthused. "You know, being he love to make ze jokes weeth French girls."

Fifi's still getting the "I-thought-you-were-an-old-bag" line from movie-town citizens who ogle her shapely chassis and youthful face. She says that "everybody expect me to haff three cheens hanging down" and tells of her appearance at a swank Hollywood party:

"Geener Rogers, she do a double-take wen she see me. And Janet Gaynor, she wave to me and say, 'Fifi, you are better than twelve years ago!'"

Dear Doctor

Maybe Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore don't have any trouble, but Jean Harlow's up to his neck in letters from people who have strange backaches and see spots before their eyes.

Other actors get asked for autographs.

With Jean, it's prescriptions:

At a big Hollywood party celebrating his thirtieth year as star of the "Dr. Christian" radio series, he groaned: "It's getting worse. I spend all my time writing letters and telling people to go to see their local doctor."

Jean returns to the screen in one of the sequels for MGM's "It's

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WORLD NEWS

UN Occupies New Manhattan Building

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. —(AP)—The United Nations moved officially into its \$65,000,000 Manhattan headquarters Monday, but the organization's crowd-drawing activities still will take place at Lake Success.

Meeting rooms for the Security Council, the Economic and Social Council and the six main committees are not yet finished. These bodies will continue to function in one wing of the Sperry Gyroscopic Plant at Lake Success, on Long Island 15 miles from the new building.

The Press and Documents Sections will also remain at the old building.

Although a majority of the UN's 3,300 employees have moved to half-furnished offices in the 39-story Manhattan building, the structure still is largely unfinished. Moving costs already have passed \$300,000. Site cost \$5,500,000.

Diplomats, secretariat and visitors enter over a 1,000-foot swaying wooden catwalk. Underneath is a 250-car garage being built under the 17-acre site which John D. Rockefeller, Jr., purchased for \$8,500,000 and donated to the UN in 1946.

The United States lent the UN the money to meet construction costs. Excavation started Sept. 14, 1948, and the Secretariat Building began receiving its first occupants in July, 1950. Four New York construction firms cooperated.

The site extends from East 42nd to 48th Streets between First Avenue and the East River Drive. New York City so far has spent more than \$26,000,000 to roof over the north-south arteries and make other traffic and utility improvements for the world organization.

The main Secretariat Building already is well worth seeing.

Designed by an international group of architects headed by Wallace K. Harrison, who did much of

Rockefeller Center, the structure represents a radical departure from conventional construction.

Marble And Glass

Its north and south walls are narrow, solid, windowless slabs made of 2,000 tons of grey and white Vermont marble. They often are likened by detractors to giant tombstones and by admirers to noble monuments to peace.

The wide east and west walls are sheer glass—5,400 greenish, glare-proof, weatherized, aluminum-framed windows.

Inside are 880,000 square feet—approximately 20 acres—of office space. Interior finishes mostly are green and grey marble, blue-grey slate, limestone and granite.

The 18-passenger elevators, eight escalators and two stairways are banked in the center of the building, along with such other service units as heat and air-conditioning ducts.

Caste System Looms

The unusual design has already given rise to a caste system in the Democratic organization. One's social position is judged by whether one occupies a windowed office or one sealed away in the building's interior. This is complicated further by ambitious employees pulling all sort of strings for a river view.

Topping all others, both literally and figuratively, are the offices and living quarters of Secretary General Trygve Lie on the thirty-eighth floor.

He has a 30 by 20-foot living room with a wood-burning fireplace, a black-marble and glass bathroom, fully equipped electric kitchen, bedroom and a mahogany paneled conference room decorated in mulberry leather.

Lie's official residence is in Long Island's nearby Forest Hills. He also has elaborate offices adjoining the apartment.

Abundant Living

By E. STANLEY JONES

Acts 14:22-23; 1 Cor. 1:2; Heb. 2:11-12

THE CHURCH—THE MOTHER OF MOVEMENTS

We gather up some concluding meditations on the Church.

1. The Church has been and is the mother of movements. It is a creative society. It gave birth to the arts, to education, to reform, to missionary movements, to democracy. Democracy is a child of the Christian faith. Rhode Island gave to the world democracy, and Christian thinking gave democracy to Rhode Island. The Baptists and the Quakers thought of God as Father, then of men as brothers, and then of democracy as expressing that egalitarian attitude in government. Democracy is founded on a view of God, and hence of man, and hence of government. "Democracy," says Thomas Mann, "is the political expression of Christianity." If the root of democracy decays, the fruit will die.

10. The denomination is not the Church. The Church is bigger than the denomination. I stood on top of a hill overlooking a valley. Here and there I could see isolated ponds of water. But they were not isolated ponds; they were portions of one winding river, only parts of which I could see at one time. The denominations are parts of a continuous river—the Church. The Church is bigger than the denominations. To think that we have roped off the grace of God and confined it within our denomination is as absurd as to say that the areas roped off for swimmers on the seabeaches are the ocean.

11. As the denomination is not the Church, so the Church is not the Kingdom. The Church contains the best life of the Kingdom, but is not synonymous with the Kingdom. It is a means to the ends of the Kingdom, and not an end in itself. It must lose its life for King-

Actor's Son Is Wounded Critically In Gun Accident

OSSINGIN, N. Y. —(AP)—Actor Henry Fonda's ten-year-old son, Peter, who shot himself accidentally on a target range Saturday, was reported in critical condition Monday at Ossining Hospital.

A bullet from a .22 caliber pistol pierced the boy's liver and a kidney. He had come to an estate near here with two young friends from his home in Greenwich, Conn.

His mother, Mrs. Frances Seymour Fonda, committed suicide last April 14 at Beacon, N. Y., sanitarium while separated from the actor.

The father, who was on a wedding trip in the Virgin Islands at the time of the accident, was expected to arrive here by plane Monday. He and Susan Blanchard, 22, step-daughter of the theatrical producer Oscar Hammerstein II, were married last December 29.

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Remember Mental Illness Is Not Patient's Fault

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

If an airplane accident or train wreck occurs anywhere in the world, or any other kind of disaster strikes, we hear about it on the radio or read it in the newspapers almost at once. And it is well known that news is usually bad—good news isn't often worth reporting. This keeps us all stirred up about something or other practically all the time.

It is reasonable to suppose, though hard to prove, that this constant barrage on our nerves has something to do with the enormous amount of mental illness which exists today. At any rate it is a sure thing there is a lot of mental trouble all stirred up about something or other practically all the time.

During the last war it was brought out that one out of seven of those who were physically fit for the service had to be rejected because of mental unfitness. It also has been calculated that one person in every 17 will sometimes have to be confined to a public or private institution for mental reasons.

All this is rather frightening, but there are encouraging signs to the picture. For one thing there is more work going on now than ever before to study the problem and to devise ways to prevent nervous ills and to cure those who do develop such difficulties. In fact encouraging progress already has been made in this direction. Also many people are only temporarily afflicted and recover entirely.

Not A Disgrace

One thing which should be said now and never forgotten is that mental illness, whether it is a mild nervous breakdown or a serious insanity, is not the fault of the patient. Family and friends should remember this and that no one tries to become mentally sick any more than they try to break a bone or develop a gall bladder attack. In other words it is not a disgrace and mental illness should be treated in the best way possible just as any other disease is treated.

Because of the importance of this subject the other columns this week will deal with a few important kinds of mental disorders.

Cardinal Blasts New Film, 'The Miracle,' By Roberto Rossellini

NEW YORK (AP)—Francis Cardinal Spellman Sunday summoned every Catholic in the nation to boycott "The Miracle," the newest controversial film offering from Roberto Rossellini.

"It is a mockery of our faith," the prelate said to the nation's 26,000,000 Catholics. "We believe in miracles. This picture ridicules that belief."

Cardinal Spellman, in a statement read at all masses in St. Patrick's Cathedral, said:

"Since the civil law sustains the showing of such a vile and harmful picture, we, as the guardians of the moral law, must summon all people with a sense of decency to refrain from seeing it and supporting the venal purveyors of such pictures which are so harmful to morality and the public welfare."

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HAPPY REUNION—Ilona Gyorgyi Szabo, left, is shown with her mother and sister, Anna, before their debarkation from Bremerhaven, Germany. Ilona now lives with Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Golladay here. Shortly before this picture was taken, Ilona and Mrs. Szabo saw Anna for the first time in almost five years.

'MIDLAND IS VERY PRETTY'—Hungarian Woman Finds End Of Rainbow In Midland Home

By JIM LAWSON
A slight, undernourished, 32-year-old Hungarian woman has found the end of her rainbow—in Midland.
After a 5,000-mile trek from a crowded displaced persons camp in Austria, Ilona Gyorgyi Szabo has found a home with Dr. and Mrs. R. M. Golladay, 1007 West Kansas Street.
Ilona is proud of her new home, and grateful to the Golladays for lifting her from the turmoil of a DP camp and giving her a home and employment here.
The refugee smiled happily as she sat in the Golladay home and struggled with conversation in broken English. But the lines in her face and the uncertain look in her eyes go a long way toward telling of the years she spent in a DP camp. The food there was insufficient, the diet was poorly balanced and as many as 20 persons lived in a single room. Ilona never knew from one day to the next what would happen to her.
Ilona's mother and sister, Anna, came to the U.S. aboard the same ship. They were sponsored by Dallas families. Ilona's brother is expected to come to Dallas later.
Story Behind Reunion
When Ilona, Anna and Mrs. Szabo met at Bremerhaven, Germany, just before their departure to the United States, it was the first time they had been together since 1945. And there is quite a story behind the separation of the Szabo family and how it was reunited.
The winter of 1945 was a bad one for most Hungarians. Their country had become a battlefield and people were dying on all sides. In March, the Gyorgyi Szabos fled for their lives.
As Allied and German guns boomed around them one night, they piled into a trailer truck with dozens of other refugees. Mrs. Szabo and Ilona were in the trailer; the father, Anna and Joseph were in the truck.
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Coming Events

TUESDAY
The Twentieth Century Study Club will meet at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. B. R. Mathews, 1901 West Ohio Street.
The Symphonic Music Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L. H. Anderson, 1212 Country Club Drive. All interested persons are invited.
The Iota Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Fred McMurry, 1408 West Missouri Street. The program topic will be "Music Into Drama and Dance."
The Welcome Wagon Newcomers Club will meet at 1 p.m. in the Ranch House.
The Perennial Garden Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Jack Prothro, 410 North Marlenfield Street.
The officers of the South Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 2:45 p.m. in the principal's office of the school. The regular P-TA meeting will follow at 3:45 p.m. in the auditorium.
The Daletch Delphian Society will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. H. F. Kelly, 1010 West Michigan Street.
The Women of the Church of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 9:30 a.m. in circles as follows: Circle 6 in the church; Circle 7, Mrs. C. W. Ledebur, 1508 West College Street; Circle 8, Mrs. W. M. Caborn, 1403 Bedford Drive; Circle 9, Mrs. Roy Davis, 2103 North Colorado Street. The Evening circle will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the church. Girl Scout Troop 13 will have a meeting at 4:15 p.m. in the church.
The Order of the Eastern Star will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.
The Circle Eight Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.
The Promenaders Square Dance Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Midland Officers Club.
The Midland Stamp Club will meet for a swap session at 7:30 p.m. on the second floor of the court house.
The Intermediate Girls Auxiliary of the Calvary Baptist Church will meet at 5:15 p.m. in the church.
The Sunday School teachers of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the parish house.
The Women's Golf Association of the Ranchland Hill Country Club will have a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the club dining room. Hostesses will be Mrs. James Mims, Mrs. Tom Cole and Mrs. John M. Ormiland. Following the luncheon the members will play bridge and canasta.

Laymen's League To Honor Left-Handers At Monday Meeting
Left-handed men of Midland will have their night Monday at the January meeting of the Laymen's League of the First Christian Church. They will be the guests of honor at the organization's dinner-meeting to be held in the church's Fellowship Hall at 6:45 p.m.
The Rev. Jim Goins, left-handed minister of the Bellevue Baptist Church, will address the gathering. "The Left-Handed Man" will be his subject.
Left-Hander Robert C. Michener, director of music in the Midland High School, will lead the singing, and Malcolm Brenneman, another port-sider, will be the toastmaster. The left-handed program was arranged by Delbert Downing, a right-hander.
All port-siders of Midland are invited and urged to attend. They will be seated at a special table.

Recklessness Main Traffic Mishap Cause
CHICAGO — (AP) — Just plain reckless, but sober, drivers caused most of the New Year's holiday traffic deaths for which specific causes are known.
A nationwide survey by The Associated Press shows that of the 394 traffic fatalities for the period, definite causes were given for 186. Of these drunken driving was blamed directly for only seven, while 108 were ascribed to recklessness.

PARENTS GET CHRISTMAS CARD FROM BATTLEFRONT
It was Christmas all over again Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCroy received an elaborate U. S. Marine Christmas card from their son, T. Sgt. J. R. McCroy, USMC, from the battlefield in Korea. The card was postmarked December 10.
Sergeant McCroy is assigned to the 1st Marine Division, which fought its way out of the Communist trap in North Korea. He now is in a hospital in Japan, the pending treatment for frost bite, according to information received last week by his parents.

Supper Menu
For Friday night supper serve oyster stew with pilot crackers and a tossed green salad with crusty French garlic bread. Make the dessert for this menu a hearty, filling one: gingerbread and apple sauce would be a good choice. You can use packaged gingerbread mix and canned apple sauce to lighten your kitchen labors.

WEDNESDAY
The Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 9:45 a.m. in the home of Mrs. W. E. Cox, 1206 Country Club Drive. A book review will be given by Mrs. J. W. Carrell.
The Zeta Tau Alpha Alumnae Group will have a luncheon at noon in the home of Mrs. A. E. Pettit, 1901 West Michigan Street. All Zetas are invited to call Mrs. Pettit at 3570-J or to come to the meeting.
The Fine Arts Club will meet at 2:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L. G.

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Program Given By Midlanders In Vets Hospital

The Veterans of Foreign Wars and the auxiliary members took a group of entertainers to the Veterans Administration Hospital in Big Spring Sunday afternoon to entertain the patients.
Jimmie Thomas was master of ceremonies and gave a magic show. Paula Jean Smith, Jann Ball, Bobbie Ann Majors, Audrey Young and Sharon Shaw danced. They were accompanied by Rosemary Bohl, Mrs. J. L. Willford also was one of the performers. The entertainers were from Bob's School of Dance.
After the show VFW members passed out candy and gum to the 152 patients.

Association Will Elect Directors

The Midland Girl Scout Association will elect a Board of Directors at 8 p.m. Monday in the Girl Scout Little House. The chairmen of the standing committees and the board officers also will give reports of the past year and plans and policies will be formed for 1951.

One of the problems under discussion will be that of extending the scouting opportunity to more girls through the finding of new troop leaders. The problem has arisen, Mrs. I. A. Searles of the Scout Association said, because existing troop membership is full and there have not been leaders to form new troops.
Approximately 800 girls and 200 adults are registered with the organization in addition to the parents who assist with the troops but are not registered.
All interested persons are invited to attend the meeting.

HD Club Meets With Mrs. Eppler

ANDREWS—The new officers took over at the Fullerton Home Demonstration Club meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. Buck Eppler.
The new officers are Mrs. H. C. Taylor, president; Mrs. L. L. Sharple, vice president; Mrs. E. G. Stephenson, secretary; Mrs. H. B. Graves, treasurer; Mrs. Percy Morrison, recreation leader; Mrs. C. D. Summerville, parliamentarian; Mrs. J. F. Stephenson and Mrs. J. B. Millspaugh, Sr., council delegates.
Mrs. Stephenson, outgoing treasurer, gave the treasurer's report. Mrs. Taylor appointed committees for 1951 and yearbooks were filled in.
Other members present were Mrs. B. F. Blanton, Mrs. Kelly Stewart and Mrs. George Sheldon.

Children Hear Four Stories

Mrs. Lamar Eschberger told the stories at the Children's Story Hour held Saturday morning in the children's room of the Midland County Library.
The stories told were "Little Circus Dog," by Barr; "Wild Horse Roundup," by Martin; "Taming of Giants," Gordon, and "Runaway Toys," Hogan.
Those attending were Carol Ann Leake, Mary Helen Leake, Jo Anne Rust, Diane Barber, Jean Ann Darden, Diane and Jerry Lee McMullan, Judy Lindsey, Linda Kay Tillson and Evelyn Schafer.

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Couple To Live In Wichita Falls

ANDREWS—Mr. and Mrs. Bob Turnage are at home in Wichita Falls following a short wedding trip.

The recent wedding, which was read in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Lee in Hobbs, N. M., was announced recently by the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lee of Brownfield. The Rev. John Ferguson of the bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Turnage, Sr., formerly of Andrews.
The bride wore a grey wool suit with a bluish pink blouse and navy accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.
Mrs. T. G. Turnage, Jr., of Austin was the bride's only attendant. She wore a navy crepe suit dress with pink accessories and a pink carnation corsage.
Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. Lee and Lewis Rals Lee of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Turnage of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Turnage, Jr., of Austin, Pvt. Wayne Gilliland and Pfc. Bobby Watkins of Wichita Falls and Mary Sue Adams of Andrews.
The bride is a graduate of William High School.
Turnage was graduated from Andrews High School and attended Odessa Junior College for one year. Now a member of the Air Force, he is stationed at Sheppard Field in Wichita Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Have Card Party

ANDREWS—Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Tom, Jr., entertained recently in their home with a canasta party. Mrs. Carl Sealy was co-hostess. Knox Irwin and Mrs. Derrell Woolman won high scores.
Others attending were Derrell Woolman, Mr. and Mrs. Byford Sealy, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Barnes, Mrs. Knox Irwin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cox, Woodward Weatherly, Jerry Price, David Moore, Kenneth St. Clair and Mrs. Richard Cherry of Midland.

Rainbow Girls Name Officers

Barbara Long was named Faith in an election of officers held by the Rainbow Girls Saturday in the Masonic Hall. Others elected to office are Ann Billingsley, reporter, and Mary Sue Adams, treasurer.
Mrs. W. N. Keating, chairman of the Rainbow Girls Board, gave a talk on "The True Meaning of Rainbows." Plans were made for a covered dish supper to be held January 19.
Mrs. J. B. McCoy of the Order of the Eastern Star served refreshments to Swan Hagler, Wanelle Greene, Peggy Greathouse, Nancy Klingler, Sue Talkington, Carolyn Kroenlein, Ruth Ann Rhodes, Mary Ann Searles, Simone Walker, Wanda Lou Steele, Deneva Merrill, Wanda Burnside, Mrs. Opie Pope, Mrs. Jesse Baker, Mrs. Ed Edwards, Mrs. H. B. McNeil, D. R. Carter, James Johnson, G. G. Hazel and Mrs. Walton Cates, mother advisor.

NEWCOMERS CLUB TO MEET
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MIGRAINE HEADACHE
CASE NO. 202: Woman 38. Suffered with migraine headaches, kidney trouble, rheumatism, and a numbness of the hands. All of this trouble was tolerated over a period of years. Her uterus had been removed in an effort to correct some of the trouble but to no avail. The reason for all of this ill health was an abnormal nervous system controlling the functions of the various parts of her body. She was discharged when it was restored to normal, at which time she had no pains and said she felt completely well.
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Guided Missile Program

No military man belittles the value of the atomic bomb. But more than a few of them persistently declare that it should not be regarded as a "new" weapon.

The military's greatest enthusiasm these days is reserved for something else—the guided missile. The idea of delivering an explosive more or less exactly on target from distances ranging from a few hundred feet to perhaps 1,000 miles is revolutionary.

There aren't any guided missiles capable of use at long distances yet. And only our high military men know what we have developed at shorter range.

Air Secretary Thomas Finletter recently told a congressional group that guided missiles are our greatest hope for effective air defense of the American mainland.

Great faith is placed on a guided artillery missile, too. Before the Korean War some promising things were said about this type of weapon.

Earlier evidence shows, furthermore, that extensive experimenting with long-range guided missiles has been going on. This is possibly the toughest aspect of the problem, and progress likely is still slow.

The United States brought over some German specialists who had worked on the Nazis' V-1 and V-2 weapons. Neither of these can be considered "guided" missiles.

All these efforts have acquired marked urgency not alone because of their inherent value in the minds of our military men, but because the Russians also are believed to be pushing guided missile work at a fast pace.

We've all done much worrying about whether the Soviet Union has the atomic bomb in any quantity. If our top soldiers are right, we might be as much or more concerned over their development of guided missiles.

Moreover, there's a feeling the Russians may be concentrating on guided weapons for their own rapidly developing air defenses. If they should succeed in this effort, it might go far toward nullifying the great advantage we now have from superiority in atomic bombs.

The general reaction was that the Korean war debunked the idea of "push-button" warfare such as might be waged with guided missiles. But the fact that fighting there has been remarkably like the traditional combat of old should not blind us to the need for going at full speed in the development of these advanced weapons.

If and when a test comes, it'll be safer for us if we have the most buttons to push.

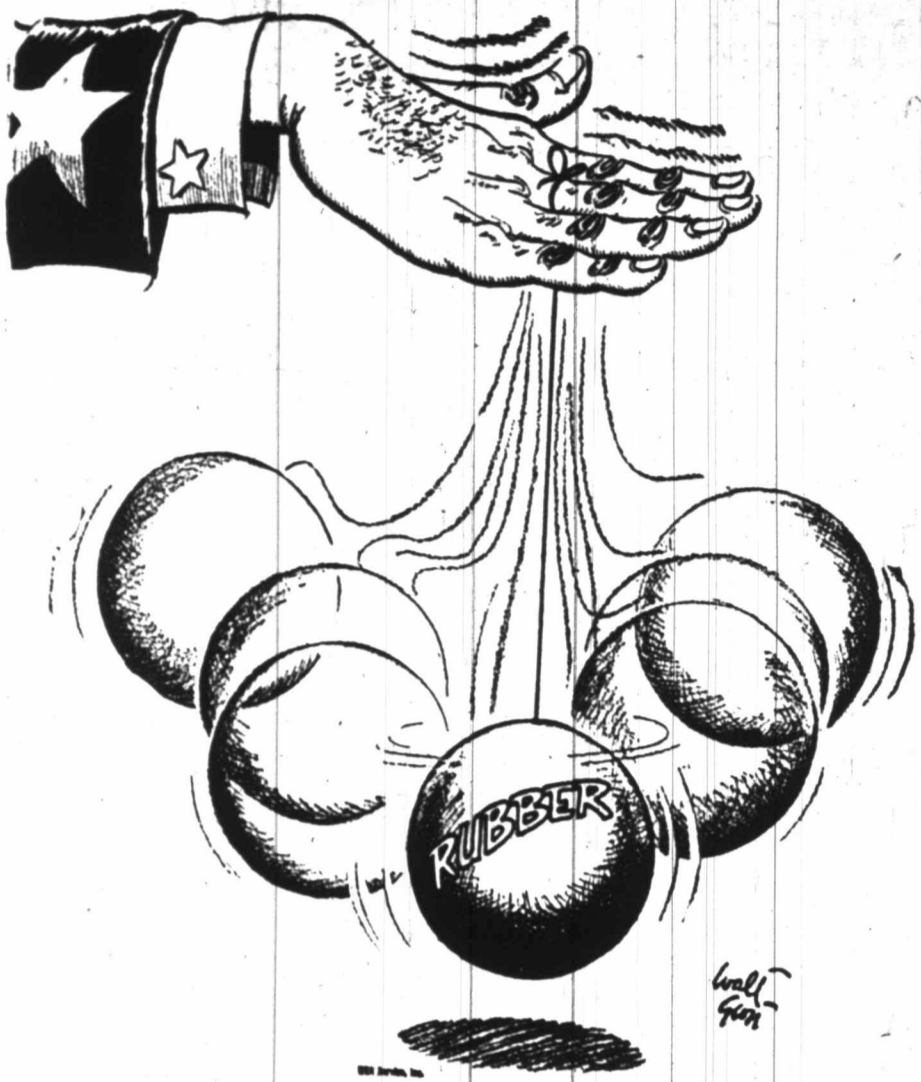
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

Grid puzzle with answers: MUM, GARDEN, MOUNTAIN, JAPANESE, BUNTING, SWISS, NEW ENGLAND, RUN, NOTE OF SCALE, TEXAS, HEROIC, IN THIS PLACE, JAPANESE, NOT, APPEAR, THEBAN, OLDER, HEAP, INCITE, UNITS, ACTUAL, CERTUM, STAGE, GREEK LETTER, WILE, INVENT, COLOR, REAR, RELEASE, BEG, SULLY, MEDICINES, DISAPPEAR, SHOW.

Uncle Sam Takes The Ball



DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Copyright, 1951, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.) Drew Pearson says: Pentagon officials get tough with MacArthur; Turks criticize our Korean strategy; Truman held his temper on appointment of Burr Harrison to Ways and Means Committee.

WASHINGTON — To understand fully the tragic headlines from Korea it is necessary to know the main strategy being followed in the Peninsula. Moreover, the UN enjoyed a highly superior air force, and this headquarters was able to provide for a repulsion of such an offensive.

One factor is that, whereas the joint chiefs were lax in letting MacArthur spread his troops out over North Manchuria as easy prey to the Chinese last November, they now are leaning over backward to be tough. Some observers believe that if they had kept a tighter check-rein on MacArthur last November, and a looser check-rein on him now, things might be better.

For today he is getting no reinforcements from the United States. Second factor is that Pentagon leaders decided some time ago that our most practical move in Korea was to retire. While this was not a hard-and-fast decision, it probably explains our current withdrawals.

In brief, our policy is to let MacArthur make a stand with the troops he now has on hand. If he cannot do so, he is to execute a series of orderly withdrawals. This is pretty much the military strategy we now are following.

Recently, MacArthur asked for four new divisions to hold a line north of Seoul. In fact, he literally burned up the teletype begging for them.

The request was denied for several reasons. First, there is a great disinclination to waste more American lives in what appears to be the bottomless military pit of Asia. Second, more American troops, when available, are needed in Europe.

Third, there is a strong feeling that MacArthur has enough troops, even now, to defend South Korea. According to estimates of enemy strength cabled to the joint chiefs of staff by MacArthur's own intelligence, the Chinese are not attacking in anywhere near the force indicated by the press communiques issued in Tokyo.

Furthermore, we have complete superiority in the air, a superior firepower of 10 to one, and a mobility of 100 to one. The latter means that, when attacked on one part of the front, we have far greater means of rushing troops to reinforce that front.

Intelligence estimates cabled Washington by MacArthur's own intelligence indicate that the Chinese are slightly superior in numbers but do not have the three-to-one superiority generally considered necessary for a successful offensive.

Unencensored European News It isn't always pleasant to face these facts, but our United Nations allies in Europe probably are getting a less censored and more unvarnished picture of the Korean military situation than we are. And the truth is not helping us. Even in Turkey, for instance, there has been harsh criticism of MacArthur, and the publication "Turk" recently featured the following:

"General MacArthur declared it was not possible to foresee the Chinese offensive because his airplanes were not allowed to make air reconnaissance over Manchuria. But the Chinese authorities repeatedly announced they would not let the American forces camp on the Manchurian frontiers. Therefore, there is no justification for the statement the UN forces were surprised.

"Also, the numerical superiority of the Chinese army was not such an important factor as some people stress. It did not exceed 250,000 soldiers, while the UN forces reached 150,000. Moreover, the UN enjoyed a highly superior air force, and this headquarters was able to provide for a repulsion of such an offensive.

Actual fact is that the Turkish appraisal is substantiated by the figures which Gen. Charles Willoughby, MacArthur's chief of intelligence, has cabled Washington—namely, that during the disastrous 120-mile retreat from North Korea the Chinese did not attack in anywhere near the overwhelming numbers the press communiques indicated.

While these facts are not pleasant, they have been widely published in the European press, and there is no reason why the American people should not know them. Incidentally, they are one vitally important reason for the wave of uncertainty and skepticism now sweeping Europe.

Stymied Program Though President Truman kept his temper, he was furious about the election of Rep. Burr Harrison of Virginia to the powerful House Ways and Means Committee. This is the committee which writes the tax laws, nominates Democratic members to all other committees and indirectly controls the legislative wheels of the House of Representatives. Harrison's appointment, therefore, was a severe blow to the President's program.

Have a Laugh

By BOYCE HOUSE Abbott and Costello do an old burlesque routine in which Abbott says, "Suppose a girl was 10 and you were 40, you couldn't marry her."

The chubby one replies, "Not unless I was from the mountains." Impatiently, Abbott says, "No, you couldn't marry her; you are four times as old as she is."

"But wait five years, and you will be 45 and she will be 15; you will be only three times as old as she is."

"Wait 15 years, and you then will be just twice as old as she is."

"Now the question is, How long would you have to wait before you and she were the same age?"

So They Say

If you wait until you have perfect allies... you will be very lonely. —Sen. Paul Douglas (D-Ill), urging P. S. accept Chiang Kai-shek's offer of troops for Korea.

Studio audiences don't bother me. I can take 'em or leave 'em. If the folks want to come instead of stin' home, I got no objections. —Comedian Jimmy Durante.

For the common defense we have thrown up a chicken-wire defense, not a wall of armed might. —Sen. L. B. Johnson (D-Texas).

There are four human cravings which can never be satisfied: acquiescence, desire to compete, vanity and lust for power. —British philosopher Earl Bertrand Russell.

If Christians are to be effective in public affairs, they must not be mere spectators, but actors in an arena where it may be necessary to seek and accept, provisionally, what is less than Christian perfection. —John Foster Dulles.

West Texas To Hold Water Rights Says WTCC Boss

ABILENE — The West Texas Chamber of Commerce claimed the Texas Water Code Committee will not change existing laws protecting West Texas water users.

Fred Hubands, general manager of the WTCC, Sunday said he believed West Texas had won a victory in their fight to retain these provisions after talking to State Senator George Moffett of Chihuahua.

Moffett, Hubands said, had advised the WTCC the Texas Water Code Committee had adopted a subcommittee recommendation that will protect West Texas against any repeal of the existing municipal prior rights law, provided recommendations of the full committee are adopted by the Legislature.

The recommendations provide that all areas of the state with a 20-year average rainfall of 30 inches or less are exempt from revision of the present law.

West Texas and part of South Texas are in rainfall deficient areas, Hubands said.

UP, DOWN AND AROUND

Express elevator operators in any of the four or five tallest buildings in New York City travel a distance many times that of the distance around the earth in a year's time.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY Written for NEA Service

There is practically no such thing as an unbreakable contract, as long as there is any sort of guess in the hand. The play may develop in some peculiar way, and suddenly what seems like an absolute cinch turns out to be a problem.

The hand shown today, played in a team event, is a case in point. The bidding was substantially the same in both rooms. Six hearts was an optimistic contract, perhaps, but not unreasonable.

In the first room South won the opening lead with the ace of spades. He led to the ace of hearts, cashed the ace of diamonds, and ruffed a diamond to regain the lead. He then drew the rest of East's trumps.

This declarer next led a club to dummy's king, and East won with the ace. East returned a diamond, and South ruffed. Declarer then led a spade to the king and returned

Bridge hand diagram showing North (D) and South hands with cards and suits.

Opening lead—4♣

ed a club in order to finesse the ten. This finesse succeeded, of course, and the slam contract was therefore fulfilled.

There was nothing to the hand, apparently. Declarer must finesse for the ten of clubs, and the finesse succeeds.

In the other room, the play was not so open-and-shut. South won the opening lead with the ace of spades and proceeded, as in the other room, to cash both red aces, ruff a diamond, and draw trumps.

Then this South decided to lead an extra trump in the hope of squeezing West. He succeeded only too well.

When South finally led a club, and East took the ace, East returned a diamond to make South ruff. By this time West had only two spades and two clubs, and he discarded the nine of clubs.

South led a spade to dummy's king, discovering that West had the last missing spade and, therefore only one club. Declarer reasoned that West's remaining club must be the jack since his earlier discard had been the nine of clubs.

He therefore led a club and played the queen from his hand—only to discover that West's remaining club was the eight. East took the setting trick with the jack of clubs, not without a murmur of thanks to his partner.

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But what happens now, if a state can set a minimum rate for natural gas at the well head, and the Federal Power Commission sets a different and perhaps a lower rate for gas moving in interstate pipe lines?

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

'State's Rights' Decision May Spark Gas Rate Battle

By PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—A little-noticed Supreme Court decision in the state of Oklahoma and Cities Service Gas Company cases may turn out to have considerable effect on raising the prices of natural gas which people burn in their ranges and heaters.

And from the legal standpoint, it may have the indirect effect of giving independent natural gas producers—the well owners—some of the protection against Federal Power Commission rate regulation, which they sought under the controversial Kerr bill.

President Truman vetoed this bill last April. It had been introduced by Oklahoma Senator Robert S. Kerr, himself a natural gas producer. The bill was opposed by representatives of some 18 big cities in the Northeast and the South. They claimed it would pave the way for gas rate increases to their citizens.

Senator Kerr claimed the bill eventually would lower the price of gas. The recent Supreme Court decision in the Cities Service Gas Company case was not a direct ruling on the rate-regulating authority of the Federal Power Commission under the Natural Gas Act of 1938. The court noted an exception that FPC was not involved in the Cities Service case. If FPC had been in it, the decision might have been otherwise.

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Questions and Answers

Q—How does U. S. steel production compare with Russia's? A—The U. S. steel industry now is pouring three tons of steel for every ton poured in Russia and her satellite countries. Our capacity is 100 million tons a year—five million tons more than at the end of World War II.

Q—What proportion of our coal now is mined by machine in this country? A—In 1949, 60 per cent was machine-mined, compared to 26 per cent in 1939.

Q—How many men did merchant ships transport overseas during World War II? A—Despite the loss of more than 700 ships and 6,000 seamen, privately-owned merchant ships carried almost 10,000,000 troops overseas.

Q—Does coke burn like coal? A—No, coke is porous, thus it most bakes air by volume. This property makes it an ideal fuel for blast furnaces.

Q—Where is the Union Truck Terminal? A—In New York City, where it was built by the Port of New York Authority at a cost of \$9,000,000. The building's second largest clearing house for over-the-road cargoes, it can handle 1,600 to 2,000 tons of freight a day.

though the answers were few and not too satisfying. After driving for what seemed like hours, the traffic thinned out, the great electric signs became smaller and fewer. May saw a policeman standing at an intersection directing traffic. She pulled up beside him and asked where they might look for a room.

The policeman put his weather-beaten face into the car and glowered at her. "Watcher looking for, lady, a hotel?"

"May gulped. "A furnished room if I could find one."

"Well, you ain't gonna find one on Riverside Drive. Go over to Amsterdam or Columbus. Run up and down the side streets. Look for a sign in a window."

May guessed from the direction in which he had pointed where Amsterdam and Columbus might be. After an hour of cruising, watching for signs in windows, May finally rang the doorbell of a brown stone house that had a card in the front window reading "VACANCY."

A stout, matronly woman responded to the ring. As the door opened, a stale, dank smell assailed May.

While May and Judy climbed the stairs to the second floor and then stood inspecting the diminutive front room and its dowdy furniture the landlady kept up a running string of comment on the rarity of a vacant room these days, offering not one but several verbose explanations as to why this room was unoccupied, and what clean, neat tenants it had had before. May was worn out from the long drive and the terrifying experience of confronting Manhattan traffic.

"How much is it?" she sighed. "And where's the bathroom?"

"The bath's down the hall. I'll show you. The room's \$14 a week. You pay a week in advance."

"What if I don't stay a week?" The woman sniffed. "We rent all our rooms on a weekly basis." She looked at May appraisingly.

May fumbled in her bag and took out her purse. "All right. We'll take it."

She counted out \$14.

(To Be Continued)

This Last Night

By Ford Nashelm Copyright 1951, by NEA Service, Inc.

THE STORY: Paul Twing, a former Navy officer, has kidnaped Judy Twing, 8-year-old daughter of his dead brother. Judy had been living with her stepmother who had been molesting her and in spite of the fact that Paul is a kidnaper, much public sympathy has been aroused in his favor. He meets May Jenkins, a waitress in a coal mining town, and when May expresses sympathy for Paul, he discloses his identity. May has a plan to get to New York, where Paul has a friend, Martin Jensen, a coal miner who might take them somewhere to begin a new life. Judy is to be dressed as a boy and May will pose as her mother. Officers are looking for a man and a small girl, dressed as a man, woman and boy. As they start out for New York, they read the papers and learn that authorities are tracking down more than 100 leads supplied by private citizens all over the nation. But there is a cheering note—more than 10 "Justice for Twing" clubs have been formed. "Will you give yourself up, Paul?" May asks.

"They're funny people," Paul laughed. He became serious then and turned to May to discuss their next move. He feared that the approach to New York might be watched. His suggestion was that May drop him off in Jersey City and then take the Holland Tunnel into the city. He would cross by ferry.

"When you get into New York, drive around uptown until you find a place with a furnished room of some kind, or a little out-of-the-way hotel. I'll find some place to put up. Tomorrow I'll see what I can learn about the ship and I'll meet you in the evening. I'll fish his wallet out and give you \$50. This ought to take care of you until we get together. You two go out and have a good time tomorrow. Neither of you has seen New York. There's plenty to see. We'll meet at 5 o'clock. There's a little triangular park, it's just a block long, up at 106th Street and Broadway. You be there on one of the benches at 5 and I'll join you."

"THE endless tiled tunnel they sped through under the Hudson River frightened Judy. May was intimidated by it too, but she didn't admit it. They rolled out into a confusion of cars, trucks, and the white-marked traffic lanes, into the roar of New York at night. May was completely bewildered, but, just in time, she saw an overhead sign, "UPTOWN—WEST SIDE."

She swung into that lane and followed the cars ahead of her. With growing panic she drove uptown. The careening cabs, the distracting electric signs, the darting pedestrians, and the bedeviling traffic lights had her dazed. Judy bounced up and down on the seat beside her filled with wonder and delight. Everything she saw, elicited a dozen questions.

"What are crackpots?" Judy asked. Paul laughed. "Your question, May. You answer it."

"It isn't a very nice word, I shouldn't have said it, but a crackpot is somebody who hasn't very good sense. They aren't very nice people. They don't know how to run their own lives very well, so they try to run other people's lives."

"But why do you call them crackpots? That's a funny name."

Permian Basin Oil And Gas Log- (Continued From Page One) west quarter of the northeast quarter of the same section, block and survey. That was in error.

Union Abandons Pecos Venture

Union Oil Company of California has plugged and abandoned its No. 1 J. S. Anderson, and others in Central-North Pecos County.

C-W Sterling Try Plugged, Abandoned

R. R. Herrell and S. C. Curtis, No. 1 J. L. Clear estate, one location offset to the discovery well of the Herrell shallow field in Central-West Sterling County has been plugged and abandoned at total depth of 2,503 feet in sandy lime.

Gas Field Opened In NE King Sector

A Strawn reef lime gas area has been opened in Northeast King County by Ard Drilling Company and Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 7-W R. B. Masterson.

The discovery was completed for a flow of 204,000 cubic feet of gas per day from the Strawn through casing perforations at 5,427-5,437 feet, 5,439-5,443 feet, 5,448-5,452 feet and 5,453-5,460 feet, which is the total depth.

SE Castro Area Gets Deep Tester

In Southeast Castro County, and five miles northeast of the town of Hart, Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation, Forest Oil Corporation and Stanolind Gas & Oil Company No. 1 Fowler-McDaniel will be drilled as a 9,800-foot wildcat.

Deep Exploration Spudded In Briscoe

Midstates Oil Corporation has spudded its No. 1 Hickok & Reynolds, wildcat in Briscoe County.

DISTRIBUTOR FRANCHISE

One of the world's largest manufacturers of mechanical refrigeration and air conditioning equipment desires to contact persons or firms interested in contracting and distribution of a complete line of packaged air conditioning, commercial refrigeration, and ice making equipment for the Midland-Odessa area.

COUNTY OWNERSHIP MAPS

New Ready - New, up-to-date Hockley County Map Other Maps Available: HOWARD DAWSON, DICKENS CROSBY, GLASSCOCK KENT, KING MIDLAND MITCHELL, MARTIN STONEWALL TERRY, Paper \$18.00, Cloth \$18.00

Prospect Set For SE Scurry Sector

Amerada Petroleum Corporation has made location for an Ellenburger wildcat in Southeast Scurry County.

Wildcat Slated In NW Terry Region

Two and one-half miles northwest of Meadow in Central-North Terry County, Lynn D. Durham will drill his No. 1 H. V. West as a 11,500-foot wildcat.

San Andres Test Spotted In Gaines

W. A. Moncrief of Fort Worth and others will drill a San Andres wildcat in Northwest Gaines County, two miles north and a little east of the Cedar Lake field.

Wranglers Club To Meet Thursday

Members of the Wranglers Club, the membership division of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, will attend a "chuckwagon" breakfast at 7:30 a.m. Thursday in the Private Dining Room of Hotel Scharbauer.

Tickets For Scout Banquet On Sale Here

Tickets for the Buffalo Trail Council banquet to be held January 18 at the Settles Hotel in Big Spring are on sale at the Scout office here and at KCRS.

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP)—Monday noon cotton prices were 10 cents to \$1.10 a bale higher than the previous close. March 43.04, May 42.76 and July 42.34.

SCHOOL TRUSTEES TO MEET

The Board of Education of the Midland Independent School District will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the board room at the high school.

Advertisement for J. J. McKean Advertising Agency, listing services like Public Relations, Advertising Art, Brochures, and Oil Publications.



LIFE UNDERWRITERS SPEAKER—V. W. Kelley of Abilene will address the January meeting of the Permian Basin Life Underwriters Association Saturday noon in Hotel Scharbauer here.

Snooky, A Very Youthful Beauty Who Runs Away, Has Adventurous Life

By HAL BOYLE TAEQU, KOREA. (AP)—Shinn Chung Sook is one of the prettiest girls in all Korea. I never will forget the hour I held her in my arms as we flew together out of Seoul, ahead of maddening Chinese Reds.

Kiwanis Committee Chairmen Named

Henry Conkling, president-elect of the Kiwanis Club, announced the committee appointments for 1951 at the club's luncheon Monday noon in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

Refuses Bargain On Own Shotgun

WOODBOURNE, N. Y. (AP)—Enroute to his home here at an early morning hour, Burton McGray, New York City reservoir project worker, was halted by a man standing in the highway who offered to sell him a shotgun at a bargain price.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL Mrs. Aldredge Estes, Jr., Route 2, Midland, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Sunday as a medical patient.

ALBERT IN HOSPITAL John Henry Albert, 211 North Madison Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Sunday, as a medical patient.

ADMITTED FOR TREATMENT Mrs. Ada Loftis, 511 North Dallas Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Sunday as a medical patient.

ADMITTED FOR SURGERY Mrs. Max W. Cooper, 1702 North Terrell Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Saturday for surgery.

TERMINAL WOMAN ADMITTED Mrs. E. W. Mason, Terminal, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Sunday for medical treatment.

CHILD IN HOSPITAL Lloyd Turner, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Turner, 304 East Noble Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Sunday as a medical patient.

100 Legislators Eye Posts On Un-American Activities Committee

WASHINGTON (AP)—An estimated 100 House members this year are seeking membership on the Un-American Activities Committee, once widely avoided.

Scouters Schedule Meeting Thursday

The first regular joint meeting of the Scouters Roundtable and the district committee is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. Thursday, District Commissioner Ray Upham announced Monday.

Allies—

(Continued From Page One) Wnju area, east and west of the city. Still Fighting Desperately One battalion counterattacked Monday morning, but pulled back after a brief fight.

Thorson Announces Council Staff Meet

A staff meeting of the Buffalo Trail Council will be held in the Trail Council headquarters office here Friday and Saturday, Scout Executive P. V. Thorson announced Monday.

Fire Is Extinguished

City firemen were called to the Sky Haven Courts late Sunday but the fire in a wash house was extinguished when they arrived.

Visiting Child Ill

Freddie Shuffler, Dallas, three-year-old visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Prizell, was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Sunday with pneumonia.

Injured While Working

H. A. Lowe, 1300 North Lamesa Road, suffered injury to both hands Monday when they were caught in the generator belt of an automobile on which he was working.

Admitted For Surgery

Mrs. J. L. Thompson, 310 North Weatherford Street, was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Sunday for surgery.

Odessa Woman Admitted

Mrs. W. E. Bates, Odessa, was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Sunday as a medical patient.



SUCCEEDS RIDGWAY—Lt. Gen. John E. Hull, above, director of the Army's weapons evaluation group, has been named deputy Army chief of staff for administration. He succeeds Lt. Gen. Matthew B. Ridgway, who heads the 8th Army in Korea succeeding Gen. Walton Walker.

Grandstaff Weds Former Sweetheart

FORT WAYNE, IND. (AP)—Frank M. Grandstaff, the convicted composer who got a Christmas pardon from the Tennessee State Prison, was married Sunday at Angola, Ind., to his childhood sweetheart, Mrs. Mildred McConkey of Fort Wayne.

Killer Hunted—

(Continued From Page One) border town of Mexical, toward San Felipe, Sunday afternoon. Woodward reported to the FBI that there were bloodstains on the front seat and the license plates were missing from the car.

ESA Chief—

(Continued From Page One) been "a build-up of ill feeling and impairment of production, because we couldn't cope with the situation." But he added: "I hope definitely we will be able to cope by mid-1951, if necessary."

Charter No. 6410 Reserve District No. 11

MIDLAND NATIONAL BANK

Table showing financial details of Midland National Bank, including assets, liabilities, and capital accounts.

Advertisement for Vicks VapoRub, featuring a mother and child, and text: "MOM! MY COLD NEEDS VICKS VAPORUB IN STEAM. DEEP-ACTION relief from coughs, chokey stuffiness with every breath!"

Republicans Name Truman Critics On Policy Committee

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senate Republicans Monday named four outspoken critics of the Administration's Far Eastern program to their 11-member policy group.

Loretta Fae Monzingo Fails To Gain Release From Training School

GAINESVILLE (AP)—Loretta Fae Monzingo, involved in the hitchhike slaying of Brady reitor Lewis Patterson, Monday failed to obtain her release from the State Training School for Girls.

Stanton Man To Be Indicted Into AF

Luke W. Cathey of Stanton left Midland Monday for Abilene, where he will be inducted into the U. S. Air Force.

Odessa In Hospital

Mrs. James I. Wooley, Odessa, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Sunday for surgery.

Child In Hospital

Judy Mitchell, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell, 1406 West College Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Monday for a tonsillectomy.

DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And Dream-A-Dary

"I'm your old friend, the Huffen Puffen, I am, I am," said the Huffen Puffen, the friendly wolf. "Sure," said Mugwump, "but Huffen Puffen, we didn't ask who you are."

we're going to play-like I am Jack, and so the story will have to be the one about Mugwump Monkey and the beanstalk.

"Yes, Huffen," Daddy Ringtail hurried to say, "you remember the story of the boy and the cow he had to sell. He traded the cow for magic beans that grew a beanstalk up to the land of the giants. Yes, and the boy climbs up the beanstalk, up through the blue of the sky, and he had many, marvelous adventures up there in the land of the giants."

"Uhh," said Mugwump, "and Huffen Puffen, you can climb up the beanstalk with me, if you want to."

The Huffen laughed and chuckled to hear these words of the play-like story about the beanstalk. But how do you climb up the beanstalk? Well, they couldn't the Huffen was thinking, and they had no magic beans at all.

Daddy Ringtail was the one who laughed now, and then he said: "Huffen, we don't need any magic

beans, because we have a dream-a-dary for the daylight dreaming of dream dreams. It will make the beanstalk story really happen for us."

Yes, and so Daddy Ringtail showed the Huffen the dream-a-dary right there in the bushes. It really looked like a cash register in a store, but when Daddy Ringtail pushed the button—a bell rang and a drawer came open and blue smoke came out to fill the air with magic.

Uh-oh, because when the smoke had blown away, Daddy Ringtail was gone too as though in a great mystery. Where oh where had he gone? Had something terrible happened to him? Well, that's the story I'll tell you tomorrow, but don't you worry. Nossir, don't you worry. Worry never does a bit of good. Happy day!

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Schooling Offered Atom Bomb Workers

RICHLAND, WASH. — (AP) — A new kind of university has been started for men and women who make plutonium for atom bombs in the Hanford Works in this new city.

The atomic workers can stay right here on the job while also rating officially as students at any one of five northwestern universities. Each university sends officials here to enter the atomic students. Each qualifies the professors here as competent for its own faculty. The professors are scientists who work on the plutonium projects. The new institution is called the Graduate School of Nuclear Engineering, and is open to all Hanford Works employees and their wives and to all employees of the Atomic Energy Commission and of the General Electric Company which operates the Hanford Works for the Commission.

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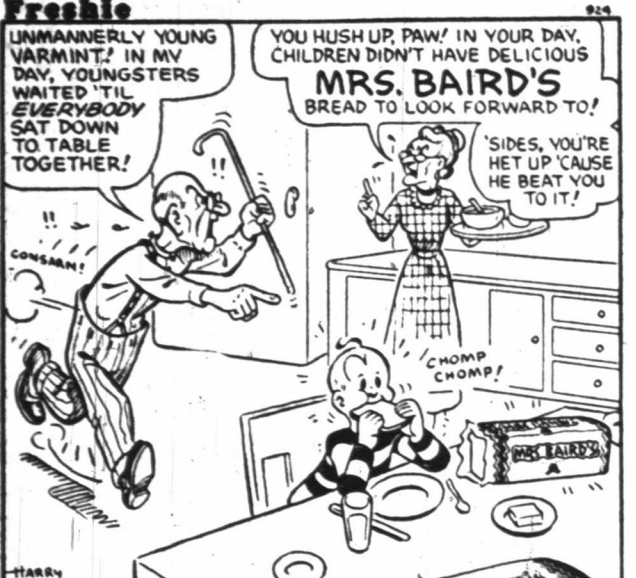
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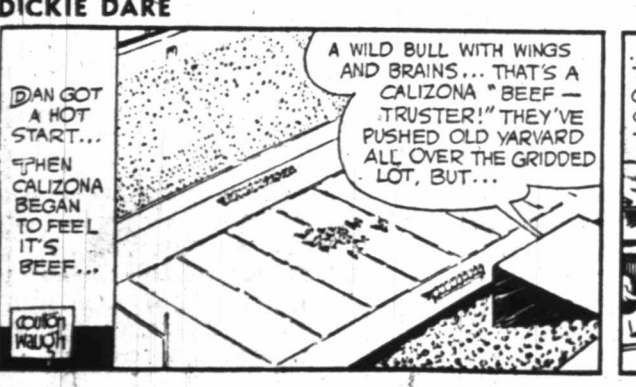
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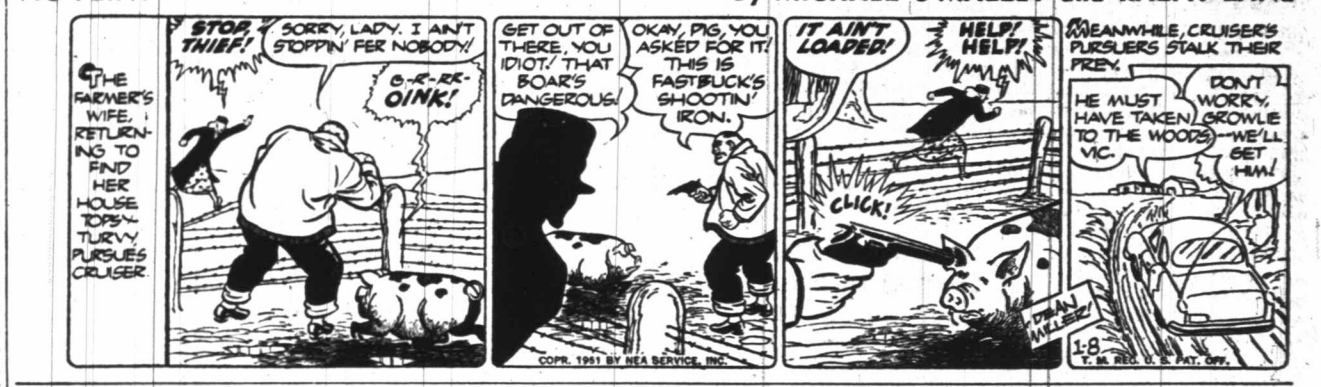
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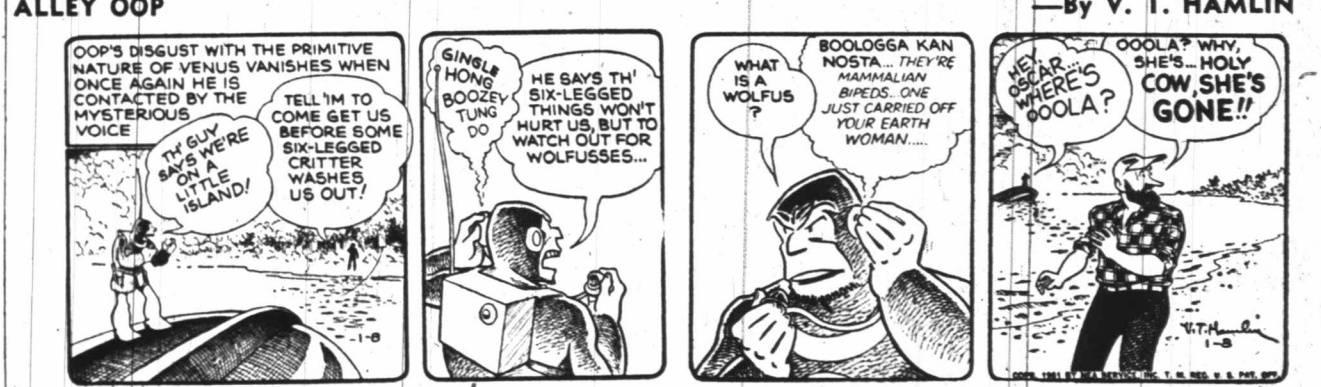
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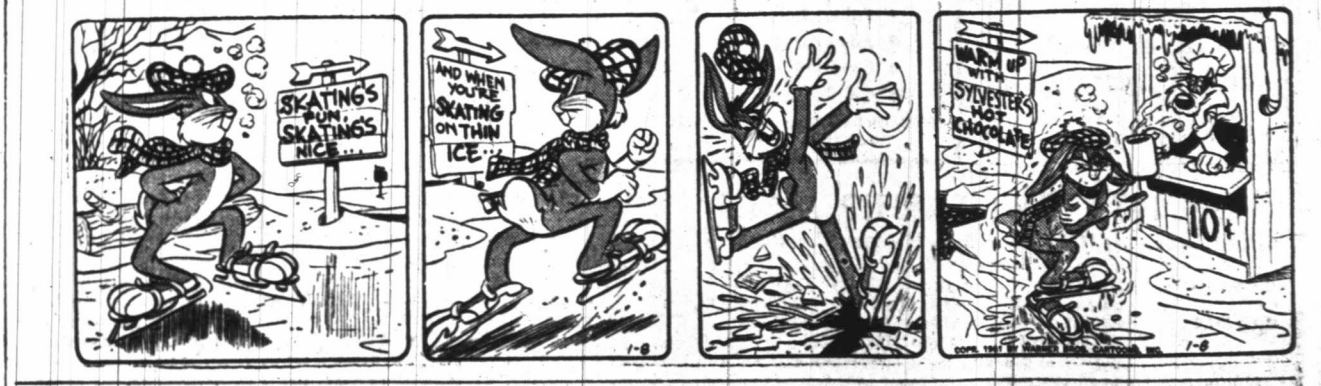


BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

—By EDGAR MARTIN



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Babe Again Chosen Best Fem Athlete; Bauers Share Third

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, FLA.—(AP)—“It's a great thing to be named woman athlete of the year!” Babe Zaharias means sincerely.

The Babe has been a big name in women's athletics since 1932, when—as a 16-year-old kid from Dallas—she won two events in the Olympics.

The award in The Associated Press poll as woman athlete of the year is hers for the fifth time for 1950. She also got it for 1932, 1945, 1946 and 1947. A year ago she was selected woman athlete of the first half of the twentieth century.

“Yet every time is a thrill to this friendly, completely unaffected woman. She goes right on trying to win them.”

“If I can impress sports writers and the sports public 15 or 20 years more I'll enjoy it,” she said. “In fact I'm working on the second half of the twentieth century. And like Port wine, the older I get the better I get.”

She's off to a good start in 1951. Sunday she won the Ponte Vedra Club Women's Golf Open with a 54-hole score of 228. In the last round Mrs. Zaharias met and turned back a stiff challenge from 17-year-old Marlene Bauer of Midland, Texas.

Miss Bauer, who was top woman athlete of 1949, and her older sister, Alice, shared third place in the 1950 poll. Gussie Moran, tennis player with the lace panties, finished second.

The 188 sports writers and broadcasters voting in the poll gave Mrs. Zaharias 313 points, figured on a basis of three for first, two for second and one for third. She had 94 firsts.

Second largest number of first place votes—23—went to the Bauer sisters. But their total vote of 124 was topped by Miss Moran's 126. She had 21 firsts.

Florence Chadwick, who swam the English Channel in record time, got 30 firsts and 91 points for fourth place.

After the top four came three first place votes in parenthesis: Beverly Hanson, golf, (12) 51; Margaret Osborne duPont, tennis, (3) 45; Pauline Betz Addie, tennis, (3) 32; Louise Brough, tennis, (2) 31; Patty Berg, golf, (2) 24; Althea Gibson, (1) 23.

Baylor Coach Says He'll Stick To T Formation In 1951

WACO —(AP)—O. K., so Tennessee, Michigan and Wyoming and Clemson, single wing teams, won bowl games over the T teams.

Do you think that has changed the views of George Sauer, Baylor coach who was named coach of the year in Texas college football?

Sauer said Monday he planned to stick with the T in 1951. And he doesn't expect a big trend toward the single wing this year because Tennessee beat Texas, Michigan whipped California, Wyoming licked Washington and Lee and Clemson downed Miami in the January 1 bowl battles.

“Sure, the wing teams enjoyed much success in the bowl games,” he said. “They were standout clubs, but there were some good T teams last season, too. It's not the formation you use. It's the boys you have and the spirit of the team.”

The Baylor coach, who carried his team to a 7-3 record last campaign after Baylor was generally picked to wind up in the Southwest Conference cellar, observed further: “They're all talking about the bruising, crushing blocks thrown by the linemen on the wingback team. There's nothing to keep the linemen on a T team from clearing the way for a teammate with a down-to-earth, rock 'em, sock 'em block.”

Sophomore Haywood Sullivan, Florida's great football pitcher, will be a catcher when the Ostor baseballers take the field next Spring.

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Three Upstarts Set Pace In First Week Of SWC Cage Tussle

By The Associated Press
It required only one week of play to put three upstarts on top in the Southwest Conference basketball race.

Arkansas, the pre-season championship favorite, lost its first game, and Southern Methodist, rated just behind Arkansas, did the same.

Texas, not supposed to cut much ice, and Texas Christian and Texas A&M, expected to be first-division contenders, are undefeated.

It was Texas Christian that clipped Arkansas the first time the Razorbacks showed their snouts in Texas. The Horned Frogs did it 42-31.

Texas beat Baylor 59-58 and Rice 56-54 while Texas A&M whipped Rice 51-39. Southern Methodist, which lost to Texas Christian 57-46 in the conference opener, licked Baylor 66-37.

Six Games On Tap
It's all-out conference play this week with six games on the schedule.

Southern Methodist and Arkansas seek to eliminate each other at Dallas Monday night.

Tuesday night, Rice and Texas Christian clash at Fort Worth while Baylor and Texas A&M play at Waco.

Friday night, Southern Methodist gets together with Texas at Austin.

Saturday night, Rice journeys to Fayetteville to play Arkansas while Texas Christian and Texas A&M battle at College Station.

Joe McDermott, Rice center, leads the scoring over the season route with 185 points—17 more than runner-up Jim Dowies of Texas.

Grid Writers Honor Slain Army Officer As 'Man Of The Year'

DES MOINES —(AP)—Football's “Man of the Year” is Lt. John Trent, who died a hero's death on the battlefields of Korea.

Selection of Trent as winner of the annual award of the Football Writers Association of America was announced Monday by Bert McGraw, secretary of the organization.

Trent, captain of the 1949 Army team, went to Korea as a second lieutenant following his graduation from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point last Spring.

He died November 15 on a Korean hillside crawling from foxhole to foxhole to alert his weary men. An Associated Press report of his death said:

“The whole hillside exploded with Communists as Trent half crawled, half slid around, warning his men to stay awake, despite the fact they hadn't slept for three days.”

The football writers said Trent carried the spirit of football into battle.

San Angelo Edison Cops Junior Tourney

SAN ANGELO — Thomas A. Edison Junior High School of San Angelo edged Robert E. Lee Junior High here Saturday night 31-30 to capture the San Angelo Junior High Basketball Tournament.

The winners had beaten South Abilene 29-28, McCamey 50-21 and Midland 42-27 to gain the finals. Coleman ousted Big Lake 30-26 for consolation honors.

The 1950 University of Arizona baseball team posted a squad batting average of .326.

Rival Rodeo Groups To Pick Single Champ

DENVER —(AP)—The rodeo world soon hopes to have just one champion all-around cowboy, instead of the usual two.

At present the Rodeo Cowboys Association selects a champion and so does the International Rodeo Association—an organization of the promoters of most big rodeos.

Representatives of both organizations are meeting here this week to iron out details of a plan for a single champion.

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OFFICIAL APPROVAL—Stanley Musial gets a good look at his batting stance and it's OK with the Cardinals' slugger. The National League's four-time batting champion is the subject of the mural on the wall of his St. Louis restaurant.

NCAA Delegates Pour Into Dallas

DALLAS—Delegates to the National Collegiate Athletic Association convention, headed by President Hugh Willet of Southern California, streamed into Dallas Monday. A few came to town Sunday night but none of the officials was on hand to comment on the first controversial question to be projected—negroes in an NCAA meeting in Texas.

Texas Mentor Blasts Ball-Control Style Of Hardwood Play

HOUSTON —(AP)—Much as he respects Henry Iba, master and originator of slow death on hardwood courts, Jack Gray believes basketball has been controlled too long by the ball-control boys.

The dapper Gray, as mean a figure around a rules committee table as at a fashion show, envisions the curbing of what he says is one of the game's newest evils.

The University of Texas coach predicts a rule change to limit the amount of time a team can control the ball without shooting at the basket.

“The rule may not come immediately but I expect to see it adopted within the next few years, along with the elimination of the 10-second rule in bringing the ball across the center line,” Gray said.

Gray is a vice president of the National Basketball Coaches Association and a member of the game's rules committee.

His comments on ball control were straight from the shoulder: “The Oklahoma City tournament 10 days ago was one of the dullest you ever saw, principally because there were five ball-control teams in the tournament.”

“Texas, Baylor and Vanderbilt were the only teams which didn't play this type of game.”

“Iba had his Oklahoma A&M team there and they won the title. Oklahoma City, Alabama, Arkansas and Tulsa all aped Henry's style of play.”

Baylor Now Has New Bear Cub For Mascot

WACO —(AP)—Baylor University has a new bear cub mascot, born to Josephine, one of the school's three adult bears.

There would have been three new cubs—but two male bears at two of the cubs shortly after their birth Sunday.

The third was saved by Tommy Lechridge of Houston and Ben Ferrell of Tyler, students.

Veteran Horseman Samuel Riddle Dies

MEDIA, PA.—(AP)—Samuel D. Riddle, 88, veteran horseman and owner of the famous thoroughbred Man o'War, died Monday at his home.

Riddle had been in ill health for some time. He suffered a heart attack two weeks ago.

Sports

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, JAN. 8, 1951—7

Bulldog-Red Hoss To Tangle Tuesday

The 3-AA basketball teams designated in pre-season ratings as “also rans”—Midland and Odessa—tangle in Odessa's new and modern gym Tuesday night, each hoping to get into the district win column and to bolster sagging records.

Both teams dropped conference openers last Friday.

Midland fell victim to Lamesa 48-37. Odessa was surprised by Big Spring, a team it held a 31-18 non-conference win over, to the tune of 50-43.

Neither team has an impressive record over the season. Midland has won but three of nine contests. The Bronchos have broken even in 14 starts.

Odessa's most impressive showing was in the Howard Payne College Invitational Basketball meet. The Bronchos dropped their first game of the tournament to North Side (Fort Worth) but bounced back to win the consolation championship.

The Bronchos have displayed an ability to play in fast company on occasion. After dropping their first four contests, they have bounced back to win seven of 10 games. But the Red Hoss record is spotty and leaves many fans wondering as to the team's true strength.

Midland has looked good in spots but without necessary experience and height, seems to be building only toward a better season next year. However, Coach P. D. (Red) Rutledge insists the Bulldogs still can win some ball games this year, and the Purple cagers will be shooting the works.

Rutledge probably will go with the lineup that has started the recent Midland games: Corky Moss at center, Bob Burks and Reed Gilmore, guards, Robert Kiesling and Roy Kinsey at forwards.

Ralph Brooks, Winfield Brinson, Buddy Johnson, Dale Stice and John Van Buskirk also will see action.

The Midland and Odessa “B” teams will tangle in the curtain raiser at 6:30 p. m. Midland has won six of seven “B” games. Odessa is reported have a “B” team that is tall and fast.

Immediately following the “B” game—at approximately 8 p. m.—the Midland and Odessa varsity fives will have a chance to break into the loop win ledger.

He said in a letter to Kenneth L. (Tug) Wilson of Chicago, secretary-treasurer of the NCAA who arrives Monday, that he would not be in Dallas “to subject myself to the social indignities that Texas law declares I deserve because of my ancestry.”

Greene declared Willet previously had told him there would be free access to meeting rooms without discrimination but that the discrimination already had come—the NCAA moved its convention into an area “where the social patterns are openly and pointedly against part of its membership, without giving the adversely affected members an opportunity in open meeting to express their approval or disapproval.”

He said some negro members had been told they would have to ride freight elevators while others said they had been advised they would not be welcome at a coaches' banquet.

350 Schools Expected
First arrivals for the convention included Dean Stanley Freeborn and Athletic Director Brutus Hamilton of the University of California; John Curley, athletic director of Boston College, and Walter Byers of Chicago, NCAA publicity director.

Byers said he expected at least 350 colleges to be represented at the week-long convention at which the sanity code of the NCAA controlling financial aid to athletes, will be the hottest topic and may meet its Waterloo. Already the Southwest and Southern Conferences have an amendment to the NCAA Constitution in the hopper that would take enforcement of the sanity code from the NCAA and leave it up to the respective conferences.

The first meeting on the schedule is Monday night when the American Association of College Baseball Coaches Executive Committee gets together. The baseball mentors are leveling off at professional baseball for raiding the campuses.

Pete Newell, Michigan State's head basketball coach, is chairman of the press and radio committee of the Association of College Basketball coaches.

STRIKE UP THE BAND!—C. V. Whitney's Mahmoud celebrates his 18th birthday dancing a jig at his owner's farm hard by Lexington, Ky. Since his importation from England in 1940, the high-spirited fellow has maintained a top spot among the United States sires. Caste Jones, the Blue Grass' crack amateur photographer, a craggie by trade, took this ungracious snapshot. (Photo from The Thoroughbred Record.)



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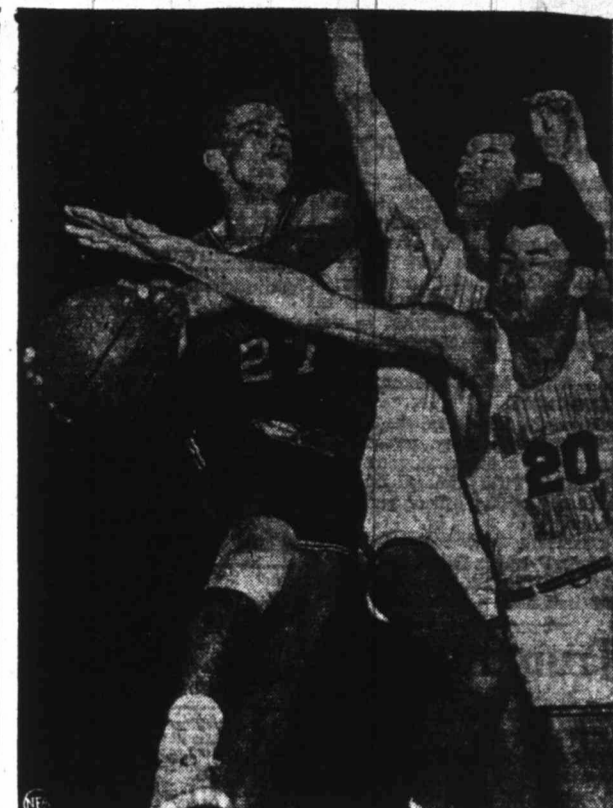
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Babe Bests Marlene In Florida Tourney

PONTE VEDRA BEACH, FLA.—(AP)—Babe Zaharias, whose name and women's golf championships have become virtually synonymous in the last few years, added another tournament victory Sunday with a 54-hole score of 228 in the first annual Ponte Vedra Club Open.

A southwest wind raised final round scores, but the Babe came through under pressure applied by 17-year-old Marlene Bauer of Midland, Texas. Miss Bauer pulled within two strokes of the Babe with nine holes left but lost her touch and finished second with 233.

Betty Jameson of San Antonio, Texas, was steadiest of the field in the last round, her 77 giving her third place at 234.



RED LIGHT—Jim Holstein had no choice but to obey the stop signal of William and Mary's Jim Forrest, center, and Jim Butler. The Cincinnati player was going to shoot, but passed. The Home Bearcats scalped the Indians, 89-60, setting a Cincinnati Garden scoring record.

King's Row

By LARRY KING

Odessa's regional Golden Gloves meet will be held January 17-18-19, and that affords us a chance to talk some boxing.

Midland is going in for the meet in a big way this year. More interest is being shown in Golden Gloves fistcluffs than in any time previously.

A lot of this probably can be traced to the hard work of Bill Gildewell, Youth Center director and coach of the boxing team.

Boxing is looked upon as a game full of crooks, robbers and other “gentlemen” of dubious character. Perhaps, speaking of the professional mittmen, it's true.

But not so in Golden Gloves competition. Many a fond mother frowns upon the idea of her son taking part in a sport that has, as its sole object, the infliction of punishment upon the foe until the opponent is no longer able to continue. But in Golden Gloves fighting, strange as it may seem, that is not exactly the purpose.

Rather, it is to teach boys coordination and a form of grace, as well as to teach them to “take their lumps.” And no serious “lumps” are likely to be taken in Golden Gloves boxing.

There are very few knockouts in Golden Gloves rings. First, because the 12-ounce gloves make it next to impossible to deal a knockout blow. And second, because the officials are quick to stop a bout if one of the competing fighters seems to be “in trouble.”

Therefore, quite a few TKO's (Technical knockouts, another are registered. Anytime a fight is stopped and awarded to one boy, a technical knockout is registered against his opponent. And, to keep anyone from getting hurt, the officials leap in and stop many a fist-cliff affair and give the TKO signal.

So, if you look over a list of decisions at the Golden Glove fights, you'll see many TKO's registered. But don't be alarmed. It isn't as brutal as the record would indicate.

Professional boxing deals with punishing the foe. Amateur boxing, such as the Golden Gloves, deals with preventing punishment from being inflicted.

That's why you'll see a lot of wild swings, some good blows landing but many more going astray, and hardly any serious injuries.

We think it's a great game—this amateur boxing. And we like to see Midland entering a team.

Bill Gildewell is to be congratulated for his hard work. And, he is doing his bit to prevent any injuries by getting the boys in condition. A well-conditioned fighter will suffer no injuries in GG meets. And the Midland fighters will be in the peak of trim.

Now, let junior put the gloves on. It won't hurt him at all. And we'll wager a dollar to a doughnut it will help him—win, lose or draw.

Midland will get a look-see at Odessa's new super basketball court and field house Tuesday night when the Broncho and Bulldog cagers hook up in a conference affair in Broncho City.

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THE TONGUE—Leland Norris of the University of Dayton, O., was all out in his play all right, but no one but the photographer noticed that it also included his tongue. Shooting, fighting for possession, scrambling after a loose ball or dribbling, Junior Norris literally sticks out his tongue at the opposition. Guard Norris has great speed for a youngster standing six-one and weighing 226 pounds.

Infantry Officer Indignant At Story Of Recall By Navy

CAMP CHAFFEE, ARK. — Indignation ran high in the breast of one officer at Camp Chaffee, Ark., when he read in his home town newspaper that he had been recalled to active duty in the Navy.

The officer, 1st Lt. Charles L. Chambers, former assistant to the city manager of Midland, read the news story in The Reporter-Telegram telling of the appointment of his successor.

Chambers, who wears the crossed rifles of the infantry, presently is assigned as assistant adjutant general of the Fifth Armored Division, in charge of the officer personnel section.

Chambers, now referred to as "Admiral" by his fellow Midlanders at Camp Chaffee, vehemently denies that he is a "swabbie."

Truman—

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build a strong and growing economy, able to maintain whatever effort may be required for as long as necessary.

10-Point Program

Truman submitted a 10-point legislative program calling for:

"First, appropriations for our military build-up.

"Second, extension and revision of the Selective Service Act.

"Third, military and economic aid to help build up the strength of the free world.

"Fourth, revision and extension of the authority to expand production and to stabilize prices, wages, and rents.

"Fifth, improvement of our agricultural laws to help obtain the kinds of farm products we need for the defense effort.

"Sixth, improvement of our labor laws to help provide stable labor-management relations and to make sure that we have steady production in this emergency.

"Seventh, housing and training of defense workers, and the full use of all our manpower resources.

"Eighth, means for increasing the supply of doctors, nurses, and other trained medical personnel critically needed for the defense effort.

"Ninth, aid to the states to meet the most urgent needs of our elementary and secondary schools.

"Tenth, a major increase in taxes to meet the cost of the defense effort."

Appeal For Unity

In his appeal for "unity" to a Congress, many of whose members have been sharply critical of Administration foreign policy, the President asserted:

"Make no mistake about my meaning. I do not ask, or expect, unanimity. I do not ask for an end to debate. Only by debate can we arrive at decisions which are wise, and which reflect the desires of the American people. We do not have dictatorship in this country, and we will never have it.

"When I request unity, what I am really asking for is a sense of responsibility on the part of every member of this Congress. Let us debate the issues, but let every man among us weigh his words and deeds. There is a sharp difference between harmful criticism and constructive criticism. If we are truly responsible as individuals, I am sure that we will be unified as a government."

Facing Grave Task

The President said the 82nd Congress "faces as grave a task as any Congress in the history of our republic."

He said its actions will measure the ability of a free people "to meet a deadly challenge to their way of life."

The President said our troops are fighting in Korea with United Nations Allies because the aggression in that country "is part of the attempt of the Russian Communist leadership to take over the world, step by step."

And he declared:

"Peace is precious to us. It is the way of life we strive for with all the strength and wisdom we possess. But more precious than peace are freedom and justice.

"We will fight, if fight we must, to keep our freedom and to prevent justice from being destroyed."

When he spoke of an industry capable of producing 50,000 war planes and 35,000 tanks a year, Truman went on to explain:

"We are not now ordering that many planes or tanks, and we hope that we never have to, but we mean to be able to turn them out if we need them."

No Appeasement

As to negotiations for peaceful settlements with Russia, Truman said:

"We are willing, as we have always been, to negotiate honorable settlements with the Soviet Union. But we will not engage in appeasement.

"The Soviet rulers have made it clear that we must have strength as well as right on our side. If we build our strength—and we are building it—the Soviet rulers may face the facts and lay aside their plans to take over the world.

"That is what we hope will happen, and that is what we are trying to bring about.

"That is the only realistic road to peace."

Noted Oil Writer Dies In Washington

WASHINGTON — Lawrence E. Smith, 54, petroleum writer the last 32 years and as widely-known in the oil fields as in Washington, died Saturday afternoon on a bus taking him home from his office.

Funeral services are set Tuesday noon in the Hines Funeral Home here, with interment in Arlington National Cemetery.

Smith was research director for IPAA, an organization he had served the last 12 years, first in Tulsa then in Washington. Prior to that he had spent almost two decades with the National Petroleum News.

Illinois born, Smith went on the Cherokee Strip run as a babe in arms. His parents settled in Oklahoma and he grew up in Oklahoma.

He attended the University of Kansas three years, but entered the Army during World War I before graduation.

His widow, the former Lillian Moody, was a soprano with the Chicago Grand Opera Company until their marriage 30 years ago.

Other survivors include a son, Sheldon M. Smith of Chicago, and six sisters living in Oklahoma, Kansas and California.

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Wind-Lashed Flames Cause Million-Dollar Damage In Virginia

MARTINSVILLE, VA. — (AP) — A wind-lashed blaze cut a million-dollar hole in the heart of this South Central Virginia furniture center Sunday night and early Monday before it was brought under control.

Embattled firemen mastered the flames about 2 a.m. Monday after a four-hour fight which left most of one large block a mass of smoking rubble. The whole business district was threatened for some three hours.

Driven by winds of 25 to 30 miles per hour, the fire spread quickly after starting shortly before 10 p.m. in a large tobacco warehouse in this community of 17,000 persons about 50 miles south of Roanoke and just north of the North Carolina line.

Damage May Be Million

In ruins at the finish were the warehouse, three three-story buildings and a two-floor structure, as well as a number of small shacks. Unofficial damage estimates ran as high as \$1,000,000.

Believed under control shortly before midnight, the surging flames made a spectacular comeback only a few minutes later to eat away at several structures which had escaped previous damage.

Smoke and water damage was fairly heavy in a number of concerns adjacent to the burned-out area, and the roofs of a paint supply establishment and a hardware store were singed in the fire's last stand.

Hardest hit financially were two large furniture firms whose buildings were across an alley from the warehouse. The latter structure, a large frame building housed a number of businesses and also served as a storage space for hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of merchandise.

Rome is the largest city in Italy.

Texas Widow Held On Suspicion Of Slaying Californian

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — A brunette Texas widow was held in city jail Monday on suspicion of murdering the man she says she loved.

Mrs. Tott M. Johnson, 36, denied shooting Richard E. Collins, 35, Saturday night in the liquor store where he clerks.

Police quoted Mrs. Johnson, a slim, five-foot, nine-inch photo finisher:

"I couldn't have killed him. You don't kill someone you love."

She did admit officers say, quarreling with Collins over another woman.

Collins first was thought to be a victim of a holdup. Then the store manager told police he had seen Mrs. Johnson with Collins in the store, and a witness said he had seen a brunette struggle with Collins and run from the store after he was shot.

Besides the Collins slaying, police said they will "look into" the death of Mrs. Johnson's third husband, Robert, who died of poison here two years ago.

A 1948 coroner's jury found him a victim of mercury poisoning received in a "manner unknown."

She listed her first two husbands as Andrew Buckner, a Houston attorney she divorced in 1937, and Basil McCormick, a Houston oil man.

Vickers To Address Big Spring C. Of C.

Paul Vickers of McAllen, a former manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, will be the speaker at the annual banquet of the Big Spring Chamber of Commerce there February 15. J. H. Greene is manager of the Big Spring Chamber.

Vickers served as manager of the Midland C. of C. from 1925 until 1934, when he resigned to become manager of the McAllen Chamber of Commerce. He is a past president of Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers and is well-known here and throughout the state.



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Lawmakers To Face Delayed Showdown On Spending, Taxes

AUSTIN — (AP) — A long-delayed showdown on state spending and taxation faces Texas lawmakers when they meet in fifty-second biennial session Tuesday.

The closely-linked dual problems of how much, and where to spend the money, and where it's coming from, loom as the biggest task in a session which Gov. Allan Shivers believes will be one of the most important in Texas history.

While money, redistricting, and yet-undefined civil defense legislation stand out sharply as the most vital issues, the session faces a mountain of other work. It has dozens of ready-made issues, including the greatest accumulation of pre-digested research ever prepared for the Texas Legislature.

These have grown out of between-session studies of the Legislative Council, created by the 51st session, and several interim committees. They take in such important areas of service as higher education and water control.

Scores of additional measures, including the usual run of freak legislation, are ready for introduction. If this session matches the last regular one, more than 1,500 House and Senate bills will be introduced. And if it follows the usual pattern, less than a third of these will make the grade.

Lawmakers were slow in arriving. Oldtimers around the Capitol figured out it was because they were putting off until the last minute the unpleasant prospect of coming to grips with difficult problems.

Early arrivals were not surprised at Comptroller Robert S. Calvert's estimate that the Legislature somewhere would have to dig up 110 million dollars in new money if it maintains state services at the current level during the next two fiscal years.

All of the legislators knew every cent of the new money would have to come out of some taxpayer's pocket, or it would have to take the form of chopping down, or trimming some already established public service. Deficit financing was possible, but not probable.

More Money Demands

They also knew they would have before them demands for additional spending which would be hard to deny.

Among these was a request of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles for a boost of \$482,008 over the current outlay. It includes 47 new positions in establishment of a probation and parole office set up, but not financed, by the 51st session.

Senator George Parkhouse of Dallas, daddy of the modernized parole legislation urged on Texas by professional penologists, said he would sponsor the bill to provide for paid parole supervisors to replace the present volunteers.

The Prison Board wants about a million dollars more than it now is getting, to hire the additional persons needed to man the new and modernized isolation system authorized by the 51st session.

These were typical. On the average, state departments want 20.7 per cent more money. Colleges and universities have asked for an increase of 38.3 per cent, and the judiciary for 8.3 per cent more.

Figures for state hospitals and special schools were not yet complete. Nor was the Board of Control ready to make its recommendations to the Legislature on these requests.

Session Open Tuesday

The control board furnishes the governor with his budget estimates. This session, a new agency will make a separate recommendation. It is the Legislative Budget Board, which may have different ideas.

The session will open formally at noon Tuesday, with Secretary of State John Ben Shepperd presiding until the House goes through the formality of electing Rep. Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba as speaker. He is unopposed.

President Pro Tem Wardlow Lane of Center will call the Senate to order immediately after this branch of the Legislature holds its usual caucus to nominate a new president pro tem. Senator Pat Bullock of Colorado City was being mentioned widely for this post.

The new president pro tem will preside until the inauguration, January 16, of former Senator Ben Ramsey of San Augustine as lieutenant governor.



WANTED BY FBI—Edgar Leak, 25, is being sought by the Federal Bureau of Investigation on charges of impersonation and interstate transportation of stolen property. He is said to be armed and dangerous. Persons having information which may assist in locating this person are asked to telephone the FBI number listed on the first page of the telephone directory.

Bullets, Flames Top Traffic Mishaps As Texas Death Causes

By The Associated Press

Bullets and flames were worst killers over the weekend as at least 12 Texans died violently. A thirteenth was believed drowned.

Only two persons died in traffic accidents, while six died by shooting, and four in fires.

Don Moore, 27, of Houston, a deck hand, hasn't been seen since the tug on which he was working went down in the Houston Ship Channel Saturday night.

Frank W. Hoffman, 18, was found shot to death Sunday afternoon in a woods near Houston's Ellington Air Force Base. He had been shot through the neck. Relatives said he had gone hunting with his 22 caliber rifle. Justice of the Peace Neal Shurtleff said he thought the death was accidental.

Hit-Run Victim

Trinidad Perez, 27, of Houston was killed by a hit-run driver.

Surphenia Simms, 42, Mrs. Amelia Bridget, 49, and Mrs. Bridget's 11-year-old grandson, Wilford Mitchell, negroes, died as fire destroyed their Houston home early Sunday.

An unidentified 70-year-old white man burned to death in his two-room cottage in Dallas Sunday.

Norman Garrard, 21, of San Angelo, shot his wife to death, then himself Saturday night. Justice of the Peace Glenn Jenkins returned a murder and suicide verdict.

Herbert Broussard, 30, shot himself to death in his Beaumont home Saturday. Justice of the Peace Horace Blades ruled it was suicide.

Hal Glen Matthews, 20, of Corsicana died Sunday of injuries received Saturday in an automobile accident near Wortham.

A 17-year-old youth tentatively identified by police as Mike Hernandez was wounded fatally by a shotgun blast shortly after a cafe was held up in Fort Worth Sunday night.

Rites Held For Mother And Son

COLORADO CITY — Joint funeral services were held here Sunday afternoon for Mrs. J. M. Terry, 76, and her 41-year-old son, L. Roy (Jack) Terry, victim of an automobile accident last Thursday.

The services were held at the First Baptist Church with the Rev. R. Y. Bradford, pastor, officiating. Ed Johnston, minister of the Colorado City Church of Christ, assisted.

Interment was in the Colorado City Cemetery.

Terry is survived by his widow, a daughter and a son, his father, three brothers and two sisters, including Mrs. Mennie Lee Waddill of Midland.

Search For Slayer Of Coed Is Narrowed Down To Two Youths

EAST LANSING, MICH. — (AP) — One of two husky farm buddies, police were convinced Monday, is the killer of pretty, 19-year-old Carolyn Drown.

But finding out which one will require more questioning, officers said.

Kalamazoo County Sheriff Otto K. Buder and Kalamazoo Police Chief Howard Hoyt said they will continue the grilling of Rae Olson and Valorus Matthies, both 22 and, both from Vicksburg, Mich.

The officers said Sunday each confessed the youths had when they stopped at his home near Ludington, Mich., on the way home from a hunting trip several weeks ago.

Olson was taken into custody just after joining the Marine Corps in Detroit. Matthies was arrested at Vicksburg.

Body Found In Field

Carolyn's frozen body was found in a snowy field outside Kalamazoo December 3. Olson and Matthies admitted dumping her there, the officers reported. They said the youths told them they got the girl into the car by offering her a ride to her dormitory from a downtown theater.

"The case is closed as far as we are concerned," Buder said. "We are sure we have the right solution but we may not have the right story yet."

Lie detector tests given Olson and Matthies at Michigan State Police headquarters here brought out their admissions, Buder said.

Both were arrested Saturday night on the tip of farmer Alfred Davis, who overheard a conversation the youths had when they stopped at his home near Ludington, Mich., on the way home from a hunting trip several weeks ago.

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Dave Moody, Odessa Hotel Owner, Dies

ODESSA — Funeral services were held Monday for Dave Moody, 43-year-old Odessa businessman and hotel owner, who died Saturday of a heart ailment.

The services were held in the First Presbyterian Church with the Rev. Joe M. Brown officiating. Burial was in an Odessa cemetery.

Moody, a former employe of the Gulf Oil Corporation, entered the hotel business here in 1944. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge, El Maida Shrine Temple, Elks Club and Lions Club.

Surviving are his widow, the former Floy O'Neal; a son, Dave, Jr.; a brother, Elmer Moody of Wichita Falls, and a cousin, Wallace Carr of Big Spring.

Palace Drug Store Observes Birthday

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Ex-GI Kills Buddy In Fuss Over Whose Army Outfit Better

BOSTON — (AP) — Two young friends who'd seen Army service had a boyish argument Sunday over whose outfit was better and police said it ended with one dead and the other sobbing—"I killed my best friend."

Dead from a stab wound was George Engley, 17, who had two years in the infantry after enlisting at 15 by concealing his age.

Held by police was 19-year-old Robert O'Rourke, a paratrooper private. Police Capt. Francis G. Wilson said he would seek a murder complaint against O'Rourke. He added the pair had quarreled over the merits of the infantry and the paratroopers.

Wilson said O'Rourke collapsed in his cell when told his friend had died and cried out:

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Authorities Check On Tales Of 'Shocking Sex Misconduct' At Texas Summer Camp

AUSTIN — (AP) — Attorney General Price Daniel is investigating tales of "shocking sex misconduct" at a summer camp for boys and girls. That blanket parties three or four nights a week were part of the camp program, with boys and girls being paired off to share blankets while the woman operator of the camp played "soft, sweet music" on a phonograph.

Mock Marriage Rites

That boys and girls were paired off when they came to camp and told they were "engaged." The woman operator is said to have supplied cheap rings for the couples to use as engagement rings.

That the same couples were paired together if they returned the following summer.

That mock wedding ceremonies were held for many of the couples.

That some older teen-age couples were allowed to camp out overnight without chaperones.

That parents who visited the camp were ridiculed by the woman operator as soon as they left, in front of the whole camp population. Children were told that their parents didn't want them and that's why they were in the camp, it was said.

Daniel's office is studying the matter to see what charges can be filed against the woman. He said she can be charged with contributing to the delinquency of a minor, a criminal offense.

Neither Daniel nor Bracewell would name the camp or the woman. But it is believed to be located in Southwest Texas. Children of a number of prominent Texas families are reported to be involved.

Daniel said he understood the grand jury in the district involved is to investigate the case in February, but that he does not believe any charges yet have been filed against the woman.

Bracewell said some of the charges

Young Research Physicist Missing From Resort Hotel

ASPEN, COLO. — (AP) — Sheriff's officers Monday awaited word from the Navy before continuing their search for a young physicist who was doing secret research on guided missiles.

The scientist, Ralph Smith, 27, has been missing from his hotel at this mountain ski resort since Friday. Sheriff Leonard Johnson said:

"He isn't anywhere around here; he just disappeared into thin air."

Johnson said: "I've notified the Navy and the FBI and am waiting to hear from them."

"It appears he met with foul play."

From Test Station

Smith and Gordon Bangs, 26, came here from the Naval Test Station at China Lake, Calif., where both are research physicists, for a skiing vacation.

Bangs said Smith disappeared without taking his clothing or personal belongings. Neither had any secret papers, he said. He did not know the exact nature of Smith's work, he said, "since we have sort of an unwritten law not to discuss it with anybody."

Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith of Florence, Kan., were expected here late Monday. They could give Johnson no reason for their son's disappearance.

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