

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG
James C. Watson
Oil Editor

Flowing Strawn Oil Developed On DST In Midland Wildcat

Another flowing discovery has been indicated in Midland County. The Texas Company is preparing to drill ahead after a drillstem test of the Strawn lime developed flowing oil in its No. 1-B Clarence Scharbauer and others, wildcat in the west-central part of the county. Operator has not picked a top on that formation.

A five-hour and 30-minute drillstem test was taken from 10,285 to 10,323 feet. Gas was at the surface in three minutes. Oil and mud flowed in 38 minutes. It flowed to pits for one hour and 42 minutes and then to tanks for three hours. During that period the possible discovery flowed 29.5 barrels of 48.2-gravity oil through a 5/16-inch choke. It flowed 20 1/2 barrels of oil during the last two hours.

No Water
Gas-oil ratio was 2,300-1. Open flowing pressure ranged from 330 to 1,570 pounds.

Operator reversed out the recovery, which was 290 feet of oil and mud.

No water was made on the test. The No. 1-B Scharbauer had previously indicated that it might produce from the Wolfcamp when a drillstem test from 9,600 to 9,790 feet was taken. Recovery was 1,080 feet of heavily oil and gas-cut mud and 540 feet of free oil.

Location is 1,980 feet from east and 1,967 feet from south lines of section 35, block 40, T-2-S, T&P survey and nine miles southwest of the City of Midland.

That puts it three and one-quarter miles northeast of Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 2 Parks, Pennsylvania discovery and producer from that formation. The No. 1-B Scharbauer is also two and one-half miles southwest of Ralph Loo, No. 1 J. E. Hill, discovery and producer from the Dean sand.

C-E Midland Test Swabs 235 Barrels Of Spraberry Oil

El Capitlan Oil Company of Midland No. 1 Mrs. W. A. Hutchison, Central-East Midland County wildcat, two miles south of the Tex-Harvey field, swabbed 235 barrels of new oil, plus a little water in 24 hours from open hole in the top of the Spraberry pay section at 7,027-34 feet.

During the last ten hours of that 24-hour period the wildcat swabbed an average of 7.4 barrels of clean oil per hour, with a very slight water shakeout.

Operator then deepened 10 feet to 7,044 feet. When the cable tool bit had reached that point the well filled up with oil and made a head of oil.

After that head operator started swabbing again. No report has been received on the amount of oil being recovered by the latest swabbing.

The production so far developed has been natural, no Hydrac treatment having been used.

Operator had corrected the figures on this project to make the previously reported total depth of 7,030 feet 7,027 feet.

The 5 1/2-inch casing is cemented at that point. After the plug on the pipe was drilled it was deepened to 7,034 feet on the corrected measurement and it was from the seven feet of open hole that the 235 barrel production in 24 hours was swabbed.

The project may be drilled deeper. Location is 860 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 36, block 37, T-3-S, T&P survey. It is 17 miles southeast of the City of Midland.

Top of the Spraberry is at 7,025 feet. Elevation is 2,659 feet.

Long Extender Is Finaled In Hockley

Honolulu Oil Corporation and Signal Oil & Gas Company have reported potential on a one-mile-long extender to the Ropes-Pennsylvania field of Southeast Hockley County.

The new producer is the concern's No. 3 Underwood, which was completed for a calculated 24-hour potential of 3,928 barrels of 43-gravity oil, flowing through a one-inch choke on two-inch tubing.

The reef was topped at 9,300 feet. Total depth of the oiler is 9,350 feet. Seven-inch casing is cemented at 9,320 feet.

The potential was based on an actual flow of 122 barrels of oil per hour for six hours. The flow was natural.

Gas-oil ratio on the final test was 428-1.

Location is 694 feet from south and west lines of labor 13, league 5, Wilber County school land survey.

The potential for the No. 3 Underwood (Continued On Page Nine)

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UN Allies Launch New Offensive

Hotel Scharbauer Expansion Plans Get NPA Approval

Additional hotel facilities to meet an acute hotel room shortage in ever-growing Midland were in prospect Wednesday with the granting late Tuesday by the National Production Authority in Dallas of a permit for the contemplated remodeling and expanding of the 250-room Hotel Scharbauer here.

Spokesmen for the hotel said the proposed program of expansion is in the formative stage and "may or may not be completed." They said no commitments have been made and there is nothing definite concerning the huge construction project.

Cost of the proposed building program as estimated in the NPA permit is "just under a million dollars."

Tentative plans call for adding 85 to 90 guest rooms, and the remodeling of the first and mezzanine floors.

Mrs. Ruth Scharbauer is president of Hotel Scharbauer, which was erected in 1928. A 100-room annex was added early in the 1930's to make the well-known and popular hostelry the largest in the Permian Basin Empire. F. A. (Frosty) Barnett is manager of the hotel.

Annex Contemplated
The six-story Hotel Scharbauer, air-conditioned, now has 250 rooms and 250 baths.

Hotel officials said three sets of plans are under consideration at this time.

The additional rooms would be situated in a six-story annex to be erected at the southwest corner of the hotel property where the hotel garage now is located. Complete remodeling of the first floor also is contemplated.

The application for a construction permit was filed with the NPA several weeks ago.

The granting of the permit clears the way for providing additional hotel rooms which are much needed in this fast-growing headquarters city. Hotel facilities have been over-taxed in recent years and there have not been sufficient guest rooms to meet ever-increasing demands.

Construction and furnishings of the proposed annex would be in keeping with those of the present hotel building—one of the finest in the Southwest.

OPS Amends Cotton Ceilings; Exchanges To Reopen Thursday

By The Associated Press

The nation's principal cotton exchanges scheduled reopenings Thursday after the Office of Price Stabilization amended a much-criticized order on cotton price ceilings.

However, cotton men still contend the price restriction on raw cotton will hurt long established methods of trading in cotton futures.

In Washington, price control officials were asked to appear before a Senate-House committee Thursday and explain how they determined the "freeze" on cotton prices.

In Texas, the Dallas and Lubbock cotton exchanges planned reopenings Thursday. The Galveston exchange announced no plans to reopen. Officials of the Houston exchange were to decide Wednesday what action to take.

Most exchanges had been idle about six weeks, pending clarification of the government's January 26 price freeze order.

West Texas Protests
G. C. Cochran, Lubbock cotton buyer and member of the Board of Directors of the Lubbock exchange, said he believed the new ceilings would cost South Plains farmers from "45 to 50" a bale. He said he understood some cotton which has been selling in the Lubbock area for 44 cents a pound will be rolled back. Cochran said the ceilings will cause a rollback of seven cents a pound of some of the lower grades of cotton, such as is produced in the Lubbock area. He said the majority of South Plains cotton, now selling from 38 to 41 cents a pound, will bring only from 31 to 35 cents unless the ceilings are changed.

The New York exchange ruled that trading in all deliveries would begin Thursday, but there were some special rulings regarding the March, 1951, contract—the spot month.

The first notice day will be March 9. The final date for trading in the March, 1951, contract will be March 23. The final delivery date will be March 29.

Three Negroes Held For Breaking Into Monahan's Post Office

PEOCOS —(P)— Bonds of \$1,000 each were set Tuesday for three negroes charged with breaking into the Monahan, Texas, Post Office last Saturday.

Lawrence Clarence Wilson, 18; Carl Nelson, 30, and Herbert Smith, 21, all believed to be from Arizona, were arraigned here before U. S. Commissioner John R. Dean. They were arrested in Big Spring.

Food Price Index Again Turns Upward

NEW YORK —(P)— The Dun & Bradstreet wholesale food price index edged up two cents to \$7.27 this week and compared with \$7.08 just before the general price freeze was announced January 26.

The index was 24.3 per cent over the year-ago level of \$5.85. The high this year was \$7.31, reached two weeks ago.

Premier Of Iran Slain By Assassin

TEHRAN, IRAN —(P)— American-supported Premier Ali Razmara was shot to death Wednesday in a Tehran mosque. The government of this politically turbulent neighbor of Russia immediately placed the armed forces of the nation on the alert.

Western sources in London expressed fear that the assassination might increase the political turmoil in the oil-laden but impoverished country, which sprawls along a critical flank of Western defenses against communism.

Apparently the people took the news calmly.

Gunman Seized Quickly
The gunman who pumped four shots into the slim, 50-year-old premier as he entered a bazaar district mosque, was seized quickly. He was identified in a communique only as "a certain man." An informant source said the killer was a member of a small, fanatical religious sect.

The cabinet went into emergency session.

Shah Mohamed Reza Pahlevi quickly called in his advisers and named 70-year-old Kahlil Fahimi acting premier. Fahimi, who has been minister without portfolio under Razmara, is a veteran political figure.

"The country's affairs are to be conducted with the utmost care," the acting premier said in a broadcast to the nation. "It is hereby announced for the information of the public that the governor, generals and governors and all government officials, civil or army, should carry out their duties with the utmost strength."

All sources agreed the Communists were not involved in the assassination.

Although Razmara came to power with American support, he had become increasingly conciliatory to the Soviet Union, Iran's northern neighbor.

Spectators Admire Saint-Lou Painting

The "This Is Midland" painting done by Saint-Lou, noted French Impressionist, and donated to the "good people of Midland," continued to attract crowds of admiring spectators Wednesday to its temporary location in a show window of the Midland Hardware and Furniture Company. Other works of Saint-Lou also are on display in the show window.

Mr. and Mrs. Saint-Lou, who are on a tour of the United States, will be at the hardware and furniture store to visit with citizens who come to see his paintings.

The typical Midland painting will be sold to the highest bidder in a sale to be conducted by The Reporter-Telegram. The entire proceeds from the sale of the typical Midland scene will go to the Midland Memorial Hospital.

The painting will be moved to another downtown location later this week.

Texas Has Balmy Weather As Cold Front Fizzles Out

By The Associated Press

Only two cities reported freezing temperatures Tuesday night as a cold front fizzled out when it entered Texas.

Dalhart's 22 was the lowest in the state and Amarillo had a low of 27.

Other minimums were mostly in the 50's and 60's.

The Weather Bureau said the cool front which spilled over into Texas from a Midwest cold wave was very weak. It was not expected to travel much farther south than the Panhandle and South Plains.

The forecast called for a partly cloudy weather with no decided temperature changes in West Texas Thursday.

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FIRST MARINES HOME ON ROTATION—Amputee veterans of Korea, Sgt. Victor Beauchamp, left, Oakland, Calif., and Lt. F. W. Nuetzel, Spokane, Wash., wave at buddies aboard the USS Breckinridge as it prepares to dock at San Francisco. On board were several hundred Marines, the first to arrive home under the new rotation plan. The two veterans are patients at Oak Knoll Naval Hospital, Oakland, Calif.

Governor Advises \$2,000,000 Fund For Civil Defense

AUSTIN —(P)— Gov. Allan Shivers Wednesday recommended the Legislature appropriate \$2,000,000 for civil defense emergency use.

He told the House Appropriations Committee an additional \$100,000 should be allocated for administration of the state civil defense setup.

The governor said Texas needs a "full-scale war plan that ought to be ready to go into action like that"—and he snapped his fingers.

Shivers, together with State Coordinator of Civil Defense William L. McGill, outlined the state's role in the preparedness program at the request of the committee, which is almost ready to submit the major appropriation bills.

"I know how hard the Legislature is scratching for funds, and two million dollars is two million dollars," said the governor. "But if the money is not available, I hope the Legislature will pass this appropriation as a deficiency."

"I think Texas can and ought to be ready for any emergency that might occur."

"Double Duty" Basis
He suggested that any money appropriated for immediate use should do "double duty" by being used not only for civil defense but for practical, everyday purposes. As an example, he said money for a civil defense communications system would be allocated to the De-

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U. S. Casualties In Korea Reach 52,448

WASHINGTON —(P)— Announced American casualties in the Korean war reached 52,448 Wednesday, an increase of 1,773 in a week.

The total, representing notification to the next of kin through March 2, included 7,857 killed in action, 34,692 wounded and 9,899 missing in action.

The wounded included 911 who died of their wounds and 85 among the missing are known dead, making a total of 8,833 deaths.

The missing figure also included 890 men who have since returned to U. S. military control and 110 known prisoners of war, leaving 8,724 currently missing.

Total Army casualties rose 1,642 during the week, reaching 43,698. Navy losses increased by six to a total of 596. Marine Corps casualties were up 110 to a total of 7,838. Total Air Force casualties reached 415, an increase of 10 over last week.

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FFA and 4-H Club members from seven counties will bring their stock to the Midland show. The counties to be represented are Glasscock, Upton, Ector, Midland, Martin, Andrews and Crane.

Judges Selected
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Cutback On Steel Widened

WASHINGTON —(P)— The government Wednesday greatly expanded the list of items which come under its 20 per cent steel cut program, and put it into effect.

Makers of these items—all consumer durable goods ranging from automobiles to pocket knives—will be limited to using 20 per cent less steel during the second quarter of this year than they used in the average quarter of the first half of last year.

An order from the National Production Authority (NPA) Wednesday put into effect the percentage cut announced February 20 by Manly Fleischmann, NPA chief.

Many Items Added
It lists in detail for the first time the products affected.

In addition to passenger cars, furniture, refrigerators, radios and television sets, which were mentioned in the previous policy announcement, the list includes vacuum cleaners and lawn mowers, cameras and ashtrays, private airplanes, garbage disposal units, burial caskets, and many others.

Also among the additional items affected are porch and lawn furniture, theater seats, telephone booths, fireplace fixtures, lampshades, carpet sweepers, stoves, percolators and other cooking and heating appliances, and dishwashing machines.

Still others listed are fans under 16 inches, floor waxers and polishers, electric mixers, domestic hot water heaters, irons, laundry equipment, phonograph record players and combinations, home and farm freezers, jewelry and cocktail shakers, games and toys and musical instruments.

Mrs. A. M. Oliver Dies Wednesday

Mrs. Arva Mary Oliver, 77, died in a Midland hospital Wednesday morning. She had been ill since September.

She had lived in Midland with her daughter, Faye Fagg, 107 East Ohio Street, the last six years. She came here from Odessa.

Funeral services will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday in the Newell W. Ellis Chapel. Complete arrangements had not been announced at noon Wednesday.

Mrs. Oliver was born May 20, 1873, in Uphur County.

Survivors include two daughters, Faye Fagg of Midland and Mrs. Sallie Couch of Odessa; a son, Oliver of Odessa, and a brother, Lee Ballard of Mexico.

Mrs. Oliver was a member of the First Christian Church.

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Reds Smash Back At ROK Division On Eastern Flank

TOKYO —(P)— Allied forces attacked on a 55-mile front behind a thunderous artillery barrage in Korea Wednesday, but thousands of Reds smashed back on the eastern end of the battlefield.

Elements of all three corps in the U. S. Eighth Army pushed off in clear, crisp weather in a general assault. Taking part were six American and Republic of Korea (ROK) divisions and smaller Allied units.

Scarcely had the push started with crossings of the Han River east of Seoul than two Korean Red corps with an estimated strength of 13,500 counterattacked on the eastern flank of the mountainous battlefield.

AP Correspondent Tom Stone reported "the sudden appearance of the massing Reds all but checkmated a U. S. Seventh Division attack that started earlier in the day." An ROK battalion was unopposed at nightfall.

ROK troops on the American division's right flank were forced to withdraw one to three miles.

Red resistance was bitter elsewhere on the central and west-central fronts.

On the eastern end of the attack line, a battalion of the famous 27th Wolfhound Regiment of the U. S. 25th Division surged across the twisting Han in assault boats.

The battalion shoved off at 6:18 a.m.

Its crossing point was not given. However, the 25th Division was located only last week at near Pungwon, 15 miles east of Seoul.

The Wolfhounds hit the Red side of the stream in three waves. Other American elements surged across on the left and right. Opposition during the first hour was light. But then the Reds opened up with mortars, machine guns and artillery.

East of the crossing points, the U. S. First Marine Division, four American infantry divisions and

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Police Seize Two Men For Quizzing In Co-Ed's Murder

COLUMBIA CITY, IND. —(P)— State Police Lieutenant Gegree Everett Wednesday said two men from Churubusco, Ind., are being held without charge for questioning about the rape-slaying last November 26 of a Western Michigan College co-ed.

Everett identified them as Robert E. Brubaker, 24, and Orville L. Minnick, 31.

He said they were picked up Tuesday by state police and deputy sheriffs from Kalamazoo, Mich.

The slain co-ed was 18-year-old Carolyn Brown.

Two youths are now on trial at Kalamazoo for the slaying. They are Rae Olson and Valorus (Bud) Mattheis, 22-year-old farm hands. Their trial started Tuesday.

Returns In Red Cross Campaign Approach \$3,000

Returns in the Red Cross finance campaign now underway here neared the \$3,000 mark Wednesday as volunteer workers, both men and women, continued the drive in the downtown and residential districts.

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Ministerial Group To Place Testaments In All Hospital Rooms

Midland's hospital patients will be provided with copies of the New Testament at their bedside.

The Midland Ministerial Association announced plans Wednesday for placing copies of the New Testament in each hospital room in Midland.

Plans for distributing the New Testaments were perfected Monday night at a meeting of the group at the Church of the Nazarene, with the Rev. F. W. Rogers presiding.

The association, at its meeting, expressed formal appreciation to The Reporter-Telegram and to Midland merchants for making the Friday church page available.

The group also discussed the Church Softball League planned for this summer.

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★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Mule Trains Peepers on Piper And The Censors Cry 'Balk'

By **ERSKINE JOHNSON**
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD — The Laugh Parade:

It's a strange-are-the-ways-of-endorsement story told about U.I.'s "Francis Goes to the Races."

The scene involved Piper Laurie, wearing a sweater, Donald O'Connor and the long-eared mule star.

For some reason unfathomable even to the mule's trainer, Francis persisted in staring at Piper's chest throughout the scene.

The footage was snipped at a sneak preview of the picture and Piper was told by a studio executive:

"The public will accept the fact that Francis is intelligent enough to talk. But when Francis looks at Piper Laurie in a tight-fitting sweater, that's too darn intelligent and the public won't believe it."

Anita Martell, the comedienne, says she's very disappointed with two dogs she recently purchased.

"They assured me that the dogs were genuine Boxers. But I've had them three weeks and neither one has been able to lay a glove on me."

James Robertson Justice, the bearded, uninhibited British actor, rehearsed a scene for "The Lady Says No" with Joan Caulfield and David Niven, then said: "I think I need a drink before doing this."

"You are one man," said Director Frank Ross, "who doesn't need a drink."

"I always need one," replied Justice. "My metabolism was born one drink too low."

Sour Critic
Robert Walker saw a copy of Budd Schulberg's "The Disenchanted" on the desk of a Hollywood producer and asked how he had liked the novel about the last days of famous novelist F. Scott Fitzgerald.

The producer, who never has forgiven Schulberg for writing "What Makes Sammy Run," made a sour face and answered:

"Pretty good. But it would have been much better if F. Scott Fitzgerald had written it."

Cartoon producer Walter Lantz tells about being a gag man for Mack Sennett in the days when he was turning out two-reel comedies. Every time a film was completed Sennett took his entire staff to a projection room for a preview.

Sennett always had a big chew of tobacco in his mouth and there was a spittoon beside his chair.

If it was a bad picture, Sennett

worked his tobacco overtime. "But if he sat there chewing and didn't spit," remembers Lantz, "we knew we had a good picture."

It's told about Paramount producer Harry Tugend.

A salesman who had been badgering him for weeks on the purchase of a funeral lot finally cornered him in his office and began a long spiel on the wisdom of purchasing a bit of ground in a famous Hollywood cemetery.

When Tugend shrugged that he wasn't in the market, the salesman began:

"But you're leaving yourself without..."

"My good man," interrupted Tugend. "I just bought an expensive disposal unit for my kitchen sink and you've no idea what fantastic things it can do."

Jack Paar's wail:
"I don't know why they don't use me in more movies. I'm reasonably clean-cut looking. I have the normal amount of teeth—32. Pour on top and 28 on the bottom."

But it's Homebased
Scenarist Carl Foreman, who writes the Stanley Kramer movies in an office five minutes from Hollywood and Vine, framed an audience questionnaire asking why people like "Oyrano de Bergerac."

This particular customer wrote: "I knew I'd like it because it was foreign. Pictures written in Hollywood are never any good."

A movie that had been earmarked a dud by studio high brass surprised everybody by cleaning up at the boxoffice. An executive meeting was called to determine why studio heads had erred in judgment.

"I can't understand it," grunted the president. "It didn't like it."

Other executives, in rapid succession, echoed that they hadn't liked the picture. A secretary taking notes interposed:

"And the critics didn't like it, either."

The studio prexy shook his head sadly and said:
"Gentlemen, it's as clear as mud. Nobody liked the picture but the stinking public."

As Grace Allen sees it:
"I was just saying to George this morning, if they don't reduce the cost of living we'll just have to get along without it."

Band Concert Slated Thursday Afternoon

A concert by the Midland High School Band from 1 to 2 p.m. Thursday on the courthouse lawn will highlight the observance of Public School Week here, sponsors announced Wednesday.

A wide variety of selections will be played by the high school musicians, who are directed by Jerry Hoffman.

The public is invited to attend the concert.

An address by Perry Pickett over Station KCRS at 7:45 p.m. Thursday will be another special feature of the observance, which opened Monday.

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By **ALLEN DUCKWORTH**
When the "Big Grab" scheme was hatched, under the generalship of "Honest Harold" Ickes, there was a lot of flag-waving.

The Navy must have oil to keep Old Glory on high, said some of the original instigators to the "Big Grab." So, said they, those underwater oil lands off the coasts must be taken from the states and made a reserve for emergencies.

And "Honest Harold" said so, too. "These lands should be held as a federal oil reserve," Ickes told a congressional committee in 1944.

This sounded very nice to those who did not recall what a mess there was during the Harding administration when the Navy put certain oil lands in the hands of the Department of the Interior and the Teapot Dome leasing scandal developed.

This time, Navy-owned lands were not involved in the proposed transfer to the Interior Department. Rather, they were lands that did not, under law at the time, belong to Federal Government at all. The land belongs to the states. At least, the Supreme Court had said so up to then.

Some Play Long Shot
In the case of Texas, the lands belonged to the state under the agreement that admitted Texas to the union, and Texas has dedicated the oil-lease income from those lands to the school kids.

While the flag was being waved and the public was being told the influence of the big oil barons must be crushed, some clever moves were being made.

Certain individuals played a long shot. They applied for federal oil leases on submerged lands of the California coast.

The Department of the Interior was not issuing any federal leases on Tidelands, but these individuals put themselves on record as having filed "applications."

These "applications" were long-range speculations. If things worked out all right in the state under the terms of these applications might be able to get high on the hog.

This brings us to a letter read into the record last year before a United States Senate hearing.

The letter would indicate that some of those who hoped to obtain federal leases would be willing to sell them to big oil companies at a handsome profit.

Get Out Or Pay
In other words, big oil companies have been operating under state leases. They have invested a lot of money. But if federal leases are approved, in some instances, the oil companies might find federal permits slipped down on top of their old state permits. They might have to get out or pay those with the new-style permits.

The possibility is stated blandly in the letter the senators had read to them.

Quoting from the letter in the Senate record:
The letter is addressed to Robert E. George of Los Angeles, Calif., and is dated Feb. 10, 1950. It is signed by Robert F. Purvis.

"In recent years," the letter reads, "you have doubtless read and heard a great deal about the Tidelands-oil controversy between the United States and California, the highlight of which was the United States Supreme Court decision in 1947 declaring the United States to

have paramount rights to the submerged lands involved."
Down To Real Business
The letter details the oil riches involved in the lands off the California Coast, and then gets down to the real business:

"My friend and client, Joseph Cunningham, anticipated by thirteen years the Supreme Court decision of 1947 by filling on, with his nominees, some 10,000 acres of submerged lands."

George then is informed, that there is a suit pending to force the Department of the Interior to honor those old applications—those applications filed before the Federal Government was given any power over Tidelands oil by the Supreme Court.

It was revealed that no less a personage than former Senator Burton K. Wheeler now was acting as lawyer and was pressing this "legal" claim.

The letter leads up to an offer to George to invest in an enterprise known as the Shore Line Oil Company. This company, it is indicated, had acquired an interest in some of the old applications.

Purvis, the letter stated, was in need of a bit of ready cash and was willing to part with some of his shares if George was interested.

Magnificent Gamble
Now for the kicker line:
"In my opinion, it is a most magnificent gamble in that all existing law is on our side and the high stakes involved are out of all proportion to the risk of losing."

"If the permits are granted, oil companies will offer fabulous sums either for the stock or for operating agreements or leases bearing handsome royalties."

Little wonder that the Department of the Interior, under Secretary Julius A. Krug, and later under the present Secretary, Oscar L. Chapman, balked at being rushed into granting these lease applications under the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920.

Yet, former Senator Wheeler insists that the applications should be granted.

So does "Honest Harold" Ickes, who fathered the "Big Grab" of lands from the states while he was secretary of the Interior.

The states are trying to get Congress to override the Supreme Court and declare all of the Tidelands the rightful property of individual states. And while that is being considered, Congress also is trying to decide how oil leases shall be made, if the Federal Government retains control.

School Kids Big Lesers
While Congress considers leasing legislation, holders of the old applications demand in District of Columbia Court that the Interior Department be forced to issue leases to them.

Not so long ago, there were whoops and hollers about the menace of the big oil companies.

Now, the record would indicate, the "little fellows" would be willing to sell back the lands to the big boys. If and when that is done, the oil operations would be back where they began—in the hands of the big oil companies.

There would be a major difference, however. The Federal Government will be grabbing the leasing cash and royalties that formerly went to the state treasuries.

As for Texas, the big loser will be the school kids, since all from these lands go to the public school fund.

Eisenhower Fills Six Top Staff Posts

PARIS —(AP)— Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters Tuesday announced the appointment of six Europeans and one American to top posts in the North Atlantic Military Command.

From Europe Eisenhower named three British, two French and one Italian to assist him.

Eisenhower's chief of staff, Lt. Gen. Alfred M. Gruenther, announced these appointments.

Lt. Gen. Marcel-Maurice Carpentier, French Army, to be deputy chief of staff for administration.

Air Vice Marshal E. C. Huddleston, (British) Royal Air Force, deputy chief for plans.

Maj. Gen. Terence Sydney Airey, British Army, assistant chief for intelligence.

Maj. Gen. F. W. Peating, British Army, assistant chief for organization and training.

Rear Adm. Ferrant Capponi, Italian Navy, assistant chief for personnel and administration.

Maj. Gen. Pierre Louis Bodet, French Air Force, assistant chief for plans, policy and operations.

Maj. Gen. Edmond H. Leavey, U. S. Army, assistant chief for logistics.

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Las Vegas Cops 'Go Western'

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The city adopted the new outfit after tourists complained that Las Vegas policemen looked just like ordinary city cops, and...

Oh, yes, fellows, the gal is Ruthanne Welsh, who just dropped by to admire officer Spencer's new get-up. She's dressed in the standard uniform of Las Vegas cuties—brief shorts and halter.



Francis The Mule Wins First Annual AHA Patsy Award
HOLLYWOOD —(AP)— Francis, the talking mule, is the winner of the American Humane Association's first annual "Patsy" award as the best animal actor of 1960.

Francis was awarded a gold-plated statuette in a presentation ceremony at the Carthay Circle Theater.

Bonzo, chimpanzee star of the film "Bedtime for Bonzo," was to have presented the awards, with the aid of actor Ronald Reagan. But Bonzo was succumbed in a fire last Sunday.

Bonzo, whose real name is Tambo, won an award for his work in another picture last year, "My Friend Irma Goes West."

Other award winners Tuesday night were Flame, an acting police dog; Black Diamond, a movie horse; Jackie, a movie lion; Jerry Brown, another horse, and, of course, Lassie.

Film celebrities participating included Diana Lynn, James Stewart, Bill Demarest, Chill Willis and Rex Allen.

The animal Oscars are called Patsys as an abbreviation of the designation picture animal top star of the year. The choices were based on balloting by 800 film critics and columnists.

Male horseflies feed on plants, not horses.

Air Force Changes Rule On Candidates For Aviation Cadet

Prospective aviation cadets will be enlisted in the U. S. Air Force before assignment to cadet training under a new policy announced by the Air Force, T/Sgt. Shelby Wheelus, recruiter here, said Wednesday.

The change, effective immediately, requires enlistment for a four-year period in the grade of private, unless the individual has acquired specialized skills which, under existing Air Force regulations, qualify him for enlistment in a higher grade.

Regardless of the grade at which he enlists, the individual will be appointed an aviation cadet when he enters into flying status, Wheelus said.

The new policy has little significance for cadets who complete pilot or navigator training, since previous policy requires that graduates agree to serve a minimum of three years in commissioned status.

Airman Status
It does affect, however, cadets appointed from civilian status who may be eliminated for academic flying deficiency prior to completion of training. Until now, those individuals were given the opportunity to accept discharge from the service, in contrast to cadets selected from airman ranks who were returned to their former duty assignments.

Under the new policy, all eliminated cadets will revert to airman status in the grade they held immediately prior to their appointments as aviation cadets.

The Air Force emphasizes that cadets eliminated from pilot training are encouraged to apply for other air crew or ground crew specialist training.

Presbyterian Men To Meet Thursday Night

First Presbyterian Men will elect officers for 1961-62 at their meeting scheduled at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the church's Fellowship Hall.

States of officers will be submitted by two nominating committees, one including Ernest Sidwell, D. M. Secor and Harry Gossett, and the other, Tom Sealy, Frank Stubbs and Ray Lynch.

President Al Vineyard will preside at the gathering to which all men of the church are invited.

Four Children, Driver Injured In School Bus Crash

TAYLOR, TEXAS —(AP)— Four school children and a 44-year-old woman bus driver were injured Tuesday afternoon when a bus carrying about 25 students overturned near San Gabriel, Milam County.

Highway patrolmen said the bus collided with a gravel truck, plunged down an embankment and hit a post.

None of the injured was believed hurt critically. Injured are: Mrs. Allen Modesette Conn, the driver; Larry Williams, 12; Yvonne Williams, 15; Johnny Inocencio, 12, and Molly Inocencio.

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Community Theater To Give 'The Hasty Heart' March 14

Charles Dixon will be seen in the central role of the lonely Scottish sergeant, Lachlan MacLachlan, in the Community Theater's presentation of John Patrick's comedy-drama, "The Hasty Heart," which will open March 14.

Dixon's role is of a young soldier who hides his desperate need for love and friendship behind a mask of insolent antagonism. It is a portrayal of such conflicting qualities as bitterness, sensitivity, fierce pride and humor.

The title of the Broadway hit play refers to the brooding MacLachlan's cautious philosophy that "sorrow is born in the hasty heart."

Rejects Friendship
The setting of the play is a British Army hospital in Burma, where MacLachlan meets and rejects the friendship of his fellow-patients and a hospital nurse. When finally the lonely soldier makes friends of the others, he learns he has only a few weeks to live and bitterly he has not been befriended, but rather pitied.

Among those who teach the headstrong MacLachlan the meaning of friendship are an easy-going American called Yank, played by Howard Davis, a tough Australian known as Digger, portrayed by Jim Neuman, and Tommy, an irrepressible cockney, to be played by C. G. Cooper.

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Virginia Dunagan plays the part of Margaret, the nurse who falls in love with the dour Scot. Others in the play include Fred Reiter as the orderly, Lew Hoey as Kiwi, John R. Davis as Blossom, and Wally Jackson as Colonel.

Mrs. Forrest, Mrs. Forward Are Hostesses

Mrs. F. A. Forrest and Mrs. Fred Forward were hostesses to the Las Camaradas Club at its Tuesday meeting in the Ranch House.

The Easter theme was carried out in the decorations. Places were marked with individual Easter baskets. Mrs. Charles C. Worthen and Mrs. Jack Walcher were welcomed into the group as new members.

Mrs. J. A. Graves won high score among the members and Mrs. Peck Hardee received the guest high prize. Second and third high scores went to Mrs. F. A. Scott and Mrs. J. J. Travis. Mrs. Forrest was awarded the bingo prize.

Guests were Mrs. Y. D. McMurry, Mrs. G. L. Shoemaker, Mrs. L. L. Worden, Mrs. Joe Mims, Mrs. Clement George, Mrs. R. D. Myers and Mrs. Hardee.

Other members present were Mrs. C. P. Cummings, Mrs. Norman Hoffman, Mrs. L. C. Tennis, Mrs. W. E. Crites, Mrs. Ray E. Seifert, Mrs. Roy Lockett, Jr., Mrs. J. G. Chaucey, Mrs. Charles R. Ervin, Mrs. C. W. Crawley, Mrs. J. S. Roden, Mrs. John B. Mills, Mrs. John Younger, Mrs. Audrey Gill and Mrs. Frank W. Reeves.

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Girl Scout Meetings Feature Dramatics, Reports, Elections

Paper bag dramatics, cookie sale reports and elections of officers were features of the Girl Scout Troop meetings Monday.

Jean McNally was named president of Brownie Troop 34. Other officers elected were Sunny Graves, secretary; Peggy Mills, treasurer; and Dawn Creighton, reporter. Sunny Graves and Judith Marie Kennedy were hostesses. The girls made Brownie emblems to wear on their lapels.

Others attending were Fray Lee Hardgrave, Frances Ann Miller, Donna Gale Mogle, Pamela Scheurr, Judy Ann Wacker, Pat Webb, Betty Aakew, Diantha Shands, Mrs. F. M. McNally, leader, and Mrs. E. J. Wacker, assistant leader.

Intermediate Troop 20 practiced paper bag dramatics Monday. The group also sang songs and played games.

Those present were Suzanne Deats, Flora Mills, Duane Wilson, Martha Webb, Joan Redding, Sandra Cooper, Eloise Hatfield, Sherry Eden and Mrs. H. H. Redding, assistant leader.

Practises Songs
Brownie Troop 54 practiced its songs for the Girl Scout birthday celebration March 15. The refreshments were sent to the group by Jane Dowdie.

Those present were Molly Ann Harwick, Virginia Johnson, Catherine Morris, Myrtle Jean Rhoden, Patricia Olson, Myrtle Ann Arnold, Lynn Dell Notgrass and Mrs. Emmett Williams, leader.

Cookie sales were checked by Brownie Troop 35 Monday. The girls also sang songs and played games.

Those attending were Verdie Marie Carter, Jeanne Ann Darden, Linda Ryle, Emily Stall, Mary Welcher, Mary Wheeland, Mary Walker, Ruby Jo Brown, Cynthia McDonald, Mrs. J. S. McNulty, leader, and Mrs. T. L. Stall, assistant leader.

Brownie Troop 48 reported on the cookie sale and practiced the flag ceremony Monday. Virginia Ridge transferred her membership to the troop from Troop 52.

Those present were Cynthia Lea Cobb, Cindy Cowan, Jennie Graham, Rebecca Van Hamlin, Franette Hillin, Terry Lynn Miller, Camilla Moore, Carolyn Sue Price, Sharon Snodgrass, Mary Evelyn Snody, Sue Ann Stollenberg, Ann Wood, Trudy Symes, Mrs. Cecil Snodgrass, leader, and Mrs. C. G. Wells, assistant leader.

Troop 47 learned the Kookabura song Monday. Mrs. King C. Light, Jr., assistant leader, was in charge of the meeting in the absence of the leader, Mrs. W. C. Tillett.

Members present were Melinda Mayhew, Nelda Jean Kendrick, Linda McCall, Judy Edman, Linda Nuttall, Diane Kerth, Lorene Corbett, Sherry Reeves, Ruth Dumanan, Nancy Scott, Rita Bleyberg and a new member, Lily Rice. Mrs. A. H. Bleyberg was a guest.

Reports On Cookie Sale
Brownie Troop 49 reported on the cookie sale Monday. Mrs. T. L. DeArmon was a guest.

Those attending were Alva Jean Boyd, Beverly Beuck, June Ellen DeArmon, Gloria June Gann, Sandra Lovejoy, Sue Mast, Judy McKnight, Nan Newton, Iris Nell, Nancy Sealy, Sally Senning, Betty Ann Stallings, Nila Lee Smith, Donna Wiet, Peggy Jerome, Julia Herrell, Mrs. T. L. DeArmon and Mrs. R. C. Senning, leader.

Betsy Sadler was elected chairman of Brownie Troop 33 Monday. Other officers chosen were Linda Smith, secretary; Mary Pat Speed, treasurer; and Margaret Scooby, reporter and historian. The group played games and made reports on the cookie sale.

Others attending were Patricia Ann Aday, Mary Jane Aldridge, Mary Ann Breedlove, Carolyn Kay Cole, Paula Jean Crites, Ruth Ann Erskine, Georgia Grimm, Martha Holden, Suzanne Martin, Priscilla Nichols, Mary Lynn Osborn, Janet Seawright, Mrs. B. B. Seawright, Ranelle Rhodes, Betty Jane Walden, Sandra Seawright and Mrs. J. Martin, leader.

Plans were made by Senior Troop 4 Monday for a supper and square dance to be held at 7 p.m. March 8 in the Little House. T. C. Frick will call for the dancing. The meeting was closed with "Taps."

Those present were Nancy Klingler, Yvonne Shain, Agatha Tabor, Martha Frick, Shirley Beauchamp, Barbara Ware, Mary Jane Miller, Nell Curran, Deane McDonald and Marilyn Miller, leader.

Others attending were Mrs. Jim Horton, Mrs. C. W. Lawrence, Mrs. Bill Rutherford, Mrs. Lucille Howell, Mrs. Charles Blakely and June Pirtle.

IN CHARGE — Dr. Susanne Polsterer is in charge of the Austrian students and teachers who will present a two-hour musical program at 8 p.m. Friday in the Midland High School Auditorium. Dr. Polsterer acts as mistress of ceremonies in the show, which is sponsored by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Service League Sponsors Easter Seal Campaign

The Easter Seal Campaign is underway. With the money raised through the campaign crippled children in Midland and all over Texas will learn to lead a normal, happy life.

In Midland the campaign is being sponsored by the Children's Service League. Sixty per cent of the money raised will remain in Midland and 40 per cent will be sent to the state fund.

The Children's Service League spends countless hours the year around helping the handicapped children of Midland.

Cases reported to them are investigated and assigned to a league member and the league gives the child food, clothing and medical care if necessary.

Donations for the Easter Seal Campaign may be sent to Mrs. Allan Leeper, 1808 West Texas Street.

Mrs. Andrews Is Circle Hostess

Mrs. J. A. Andrews was hostess to the Willing Workers Circle of the Asbury Methodist Church when it met Tuesday in her home.

Mrs. John Henderson opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. Jewel Tanner gave the devotional and "Why We Worship." Mrs. Carmel Pirtle spoke on "Why Make a Study of Worship."

Others attending were Mrs. Jim Horton, Mrs. C. W. Lawrence, Mrs. Bill Rutherford, Mrs. Lucille Howell, Mrs. Charles Blakely and June Pirtle.

DAR Meeting Has Program Of American Music

A program on "American Music" was given at the Tuesday meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. Harvey Herd.

The musical program included "Improvisation," McDonald, played by Wanda Burnside; "Scotch Poem," McDonald, Mary Jane Miller; "Old Kentucky Home" and "Smilin' Through," cello solos by Mrs. Bruton.

Mrs. Frank Thompson sang songs by American composers including "The Little Hills Are Calling," Morris, "The Cuckoo," Lehman, and "The Jasmine Door," Scott. Mrs. Thompson was accompanied by piano solo, was played by Evelyn Heil, Anne Crenshaw, accompanied by Mary Jane Miller, sang "Summer Time," Gershwin, and "Little Worm."

During the business meeting the chapter voted to accept the transfers of Mrs. Mulvaney and Mrs. Waterbury. It was announced that the April meeting would be held in the Midland County Club with Mrs. George Weddell, DAR state librarian, as guest speaker.

After the program a social was held. Mrs. Herd and Mrs. Jack Kelsey poured.

Guests attending were Mrs. C. L. Ferrers and Mrs. Dan Purvis.

Other members present were Mrs. Frank Aldrich, Mrs. C. L. Davenport, Mrs. Frank Elkin, Mrs. John FitzGerald, Mrs. B. W. Golladay, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. W. T. Harris, Mrs. G. C. Hughes, Mrs. George Kidd, Mrs. H. C. Wheeler, Mrs. Ted Love, Mrs. Erma Manich, Mrs. W. B. Neely, Mrs. L. B. Park, Mrs. Erle Payne, Mrs. John Perkins, Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. Emil Rasmann, Mrs. Eugene Russell and Mrs. Charles Sherwood.

Seminole Club Attends Meet

Members of the Hobby Club of Seminole were guests in the home of Mrs. W. R. Upham for a luncheon Tuesday.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. G. W. Brennehan, Mrs. J. P. Carson, Sr., Mrs. B. H. Spaw and Mrs. A. P. McKee.

Mrs. C. E. Rollings, president of the Seminole Club, spoke on the organization of the Hobby Club and other members spoke on their hobbies.

The table was covered with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of Spring flowers.

Guests from Seminole attending were Mrs. Bill Munnerlyn, Mrs. B. B. Curry, Mrs. T. O. Stork, Mrs. T. D. Stork, Mrs. F. F. Lindley, Mrs. H. N. Spone and Mrs. E. C. Rollins.

Midland guests were Mrs. W. W. Waddell, Mrs. W. F. Prothro, Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Mrs. M. S. Doss, Mrs. G. T. McAlpin and Mrs. A. L. Duff.

B&W Elects New Members

Nell Blade, Julia Pilson and Anna Meyers were voted in as new members of the Business and Professional Women's Club when it met Tuesday night in KCRS. A future radio program was discussed.

Andrews Club Will Hold Amateur Night

ANDREWS—The Andrews Lion's Club will sponsor its fifth annual amateur night Thursday in the high school auditorium. In conjunction with the show, the club will choose a "Lioness," an Andrews girl who will represent the group at the District 2-T-2 convention to be held in Midland.

The winner will be sent to the state convention where she will compete for the chance to go to the national convention in Atlantic City, N. J. Only single girls are eligible to enter.

Dr. E. W. Hutchinson will be the Lions' master of ceremonies. J. Lee Smith, J. R. Bills and the Rev. Raymond Vanzandt will register the amateur night contestants. A five minute time limit has been set on all acts.

Permittances belong to the ebony family.

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Four Presbyterian Circles Meet For Luncheon, Study

Four circles of the First Presbyterian Church met Tuesday for luncheons and Bible study on "Paul's Prayers." The monthly emphasis was on "Program of Progress."

Mrs. H. D. Heffen was hostess to Circle 7 when it met in her home for Bible study and a luncheon.

Those attending were Mrs. J. M. Hawkins, Mrs. C. W. Ledebur, Mrs. H. E. Bahr, Mrs. Lindley Latham, Mrs. W. B. Neely, Mrs. L. B. Berry, Mrs. Butler Hurley, Mrs. W. T. Hays, Mrs. W. F. Maxwell, Mrs. M. O. Oltson and Mrs. W. C. Mitchell.

Circle 5 Has Luncheon
Circle 5 members met in the home of Mrs. L. C. Link for a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. L. A. Roby, chairman, opened the meeting with prayer and presided for business. Sixteen calls were reported during roll call.

Mrs. J. Clifford Hall presented the Bible study on "Paul's Prayers."

Others present included Mrs. R. F. Carroll, Mrs. M. S. Dickerson, Mrs. W. M. Osborn, Mrs. L. W. Sager, Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, Mrs. Clarence Mast, Mrs. William H. Norris and Mrs. Bill Collyns.

Mrs. Henri Mast was hostess to Circle 9 at its Tuesday meeting. The lesson, "Paul's Prayers for the Family of God," was given by Mrs. Roy Davis.

Others present were Mrs. H. H. Hensley, Mrs. Murray Pasken, Mrs. Sam Ponds, Mrs. F. D. Rutledge, Mrs. R. B. Dickey and Mrs. W. N. Little.

Mrs. Reid Is Chairman
Mrs. John E. Reid was elected chairman of the Evening Circle when it met for a potluck supper Tuesday in the church. Hostesses were Mrs. E. W. Anguish and Gladys Woener.

Other officers named were Alma Heard, vice chairman; Pauline Schatz, secretary; Dora Evans, treasurer; Maedelee Roberts, reporter, and Mrs. Matthew Lynn, Bible teacher.

Following the supper, a gift of Franciscan pottery was presented to Mrs. Roy Davis, the outgoing Bible teacher. Mrs. Davis gave the program on "Paul's Prayers for the Family of God." A talk of "Protestantism in the United States" was given by Mrs. J. H. Fine.

Mrs. Lynn, Mrs. C. H. Ervin, Mrs. R. L. Foulks of Austin College in Sherman and Mrs. Charles Gould of Columbus, Ohio, were guests at the meeting. Others present were Dell Stiel, Mrs. J. L. Greene, Mrs. Ida Bodine, Madeline Dickson, Gertrude Witt, Vye Knight, Susan Gould, Mrs. A. L. Barr, Rosemary Hamit, Lucy Moore, Mrs. Nolan Hirsch, Mrs. Hollis Roberts, Mrs. D. P. Caruthers and a new member, Mrs. Kate Self.

'South America' Is Program Topic

Lillie May VanHorn talked to the Xi Alpha Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Tuesday night on "South America." The meeting was held in the home of the president, Elizabeth Knox.

In a short business meeting, Miss Knox was chosen as delegate to the state convention which will be held May 19-20 in Fort Worth.

Others present were Elizabeth Ayles, Reta Beights, Aileen Maddox, Carolyn Peterson, Marian Reeder, Harriette Reeves and Mrs. Sam Preston, sponsor.

MRS. RAGSDALE RETURNS

Mrs. Luella Ragdale, 407 North Marienfield Street, has returned from Spreckels, Calif., where she stayed four months with her sister, who was ill.

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Mrs. Claude St. John was in charge of the program which dealt with the work the church is doing in Canada and the Panama Canal Zone. Others taking part were Mrs. J. T. Meeks, Mrs. B. L. Mason and Mrs. Hoyt Burris.

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The Real Revolutionaries

The dictionary defines "revolution" as a fundamental change in government or political organization. And history is, of course, full of such changes.

But not all revolutions spell forward progress for mankind. Many are backward steps. Since propaganda came of age as a political weapon, it has not always been so easy for the peoples of the world to measure the true direction of particular upheavals.

The editors of Fortune Magazine, in an ambitious issue aimed at defining the nature and character of American life, have come up with an idea that should help us to gauge readily the direction of any revolution.

The key to this notion is in the magazine's title for the issue: "U. S. A., The Permanent Revolution."

What Fortune contends is that in a very real sense there has been only ONE revolution. That revolution, say the editors, is man's casting off of the shackles of enslavement.

It began with the Christian assertion of man's individual dignity, and the brotherhood of man. It progressed unevenly and yet steadily as man gained his basic economic and political freedoms and surrounded them with the safeguards of law and custom.

Infors as man is still bound by economic limitations, by prejudice, by unwise governmental restriction, he continues to strive for the enlargement of his liberty. Thus the ONE revolution goes on, as the frontiers of freedom are pushed forward.

Fortune sees the United States as the outpost of this unending struggle, the scene where the "permanent revolution" is pressed most energetically.

In this view, every revolution that has contributed to man's emancipation is but a part of the one great advance toward the fulfillment of the individual's richest capacities.

Conversely, every revolution which has reversed the tide and led man back toward enslavement more properly is labeled "counter-revolution."

That is the simple guide the Fortune idea offers. Looking at any revolution, ask yourself: "Does this mean more—or less—freedom for individual men? Does it or does it not mean a better chance for man to develop his own powers as he wishes, within the limits necessary to protect the same rights for all other individuals?"

If the answer to such questions is "no," then you are plainly dealing with a counter-revolution.

By this measure, the Communist revolution of 1917, carried out in the name of the "people," unmistakably is a counter-revolution. Communism does not exalt the individual. It declares that he exists for the state, and that the state—the community of individuals—is all important. It does not even talk of people as individuals; it treats of them as "masses."

Run through every category of life in Soviet Russia or any other Communist nation. You will find that the area of man's freedom is far smaller than in the countries which subscribe to individual liberties. Men under communism have little real choice in deciding their own course. The decisions are made elsewhere—by the "state."

This is something we must never forget as we search for means to combat the too often highly successful Soviet propaganda. WE, not the Communists, are the real revolutionaries. We have the only cause worth having in this world—man himself. So let us not cringe before a doctrine which tries to make of slavery something humanly desirable.

Method In Their Madness

If the Chinese Reds begin to make a noise that sounds like a genuine peace offer, we need not glibly assume it's because they suddenly have developed charitable tendencies. They're about as kindly as a crocodile on a starvation diet.

Probably much closer to the point is the fact that the Chinese have been taking a drubbing lately in Korea, especially in the air. Gen. Lawton Collins, chief of staff of the Army, made this clear recently to the tough-minded senators on the Senate Preparedness Committee.

Collins told the senators that field officers believe the Reds may have shot their bolt in Korea for quite a while and are currently unable to mount a major drive. He added that Red losses have been severe enough to hurt morale.

Said the general: "They've taken a terrific battering. They've been cut up like they've never been cut up before, and it's keeping up every day." Not the soft talk of conciliation but the rough talk of bombs and guns may persuade the Chinese that enough is enough.

A couple on the west coast were married by phone. Here's a wish for long happiness—with nobody else on the line.



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

(Copyright, 1951, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.) Drew Pearson Staff says: Army still holds back on casualties in Korea war; FCC afraid to investigate interstate telephone rates; No fire at the Achesons; Soviet action on Sakhalin sends U.S. troops to Japan.

WASHINGTON — It may be denied, but the Army still is holding back the true casualty figures of our troops in Korea from the public. For example, almost 12,000 men are missing who have not been listed in the casualty reports.

The latest official casualty list is 56,675. However, by omitting everyone not killed or injured as a result of direct enemy action, the Army has given a false picture of our casualty losses. These noncombat casualties plus the 12,000 unreported missing men would increase our casualty figures by almost 50 per cent.

This column believes the American people can take the truth without sugar-coating from the Army. Note — Meanwhile, the State Department is negotiating secretly through the Swedish Foreign Office to exchange Chinese prisoners for American prisoners.

Rate Hearing Postponed The public set a record last year in long-distance telephoning, particularly G. I.'s calling home. As a result, Bell System profits were the highest in 21 years. Yet a move to share the benefits with the public by reducing long-distance rates has been knifed by Senate Majority Leader Ernest McFarland.

The inside story is that the Federal Communications Commission is trying to reduce the public telephone bill. Yet two weeks after the FCC ordered a hearing into interstate rates, McFarland sent acting Commissioner Paul Walker a sharp letter of protest.

This had the effect of an ultimatum to the FCC, since McFarland is not only Senate leader but also second in command of the Senate Commerce Committee, which has life-and-death power over the FCC.

As a result the FCC postponed the hearing from April 16 to August 20, and is nervous about going ahead with an investigation.

Because of past FCC policing, the coast-to-coast day rate for three minutes has been reduced from \$10.25 in 1938 to \$2.50 today.

Long-distance telephone service at rates which could be paid by the small users was a godsend to the men and women in the armed services during the war, and likewise to the parents whose principal contact during this trying period was through the long-distance telephone.

Walker wrote back to McFarland: "It will likewise be true in the present national emergency when the long-distance telephone will furnish the principal dependable person-to-person contact between parents and sons and daughters."

Acheson's Address Dinner guests at Secretary of State Acheson's home got to swapping amusing experiences the other evening.

Starting off, Senator Magnuson of Washington told of an incident on the way to the Achesons. His cab was flagged down, he related by the driver of a stalled gasoline truck. Sheepishly the driver admitted he was hauling 5,000 gallons of gasoline but had let his own tank run dry. Since he had no way to siphon gas from his cargo tank, he begged for a ride to the nearest gas station.

Acheson, amused by the story, was reminded of an incident that his night-secretary had just reported over the phone. Quoting the secretary, Acheson said that a reporter had called his office and inquired excitedly whether the secretary of State lived at 2839 P Street, N. W. The answer was that Acheson lived at 2805 P Street, N. W.

"Oh," sighed the reporter, obviously disappointed. "There's a big fire at 2839 P Street."

Insight Building Soviet Russia reports the Joint Chiefs of Staff abruptly ordered the 40th and 46th National Guard Divisions to Japan in the recent Soviet buildup on Sakhalin Island, just 40 miles north of Japan.

Reports from Japanese prisoners of war, released by the Russians, claim the daggerlike island has been converted into an air, submarine and amphibious training base.

Last December General MacArthur became alarmed at this menacing Soviet buildup and urgently cabled Washington for four National Guard divisions to be sent to Japan. The joint chiefs turned MacArthur down, claiming Europe had priority on new troops from the United States.

However, after the Russians seized a group of small islands off the northeast coast of Japan, the joint chiefs hastily reconsidered. These islands constitute the Habomai group, which Russia apparently will claim as part of the Kurile chain.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY Written for NEA Service "What is a forcing pass?" asks a Pontiac, Mich., correspondent. "I can understand a bid being forcing, and I can understand a pass showing weakness. But I cannot understand a pass that is strong enough to force the partner."

The term "forcing pass" is usually applied when both sides have bid up to a high contract. In this kind of situation, a player often is in doubt whether to double for penalties or to go on. Sometimes he can afford to pass and let his partner decide. Such a pass is called a forcing pass.

Even experts sometimes misread this type of bid. A much-discussed

Bridge hand diagram showing North, West, East, and South cards and a bidding sequence.

case took place in the Masters Individual Tournament of 1950, as shown in today's hand.

West felt justified in reopening the bidding, when two hearts was passed around to him. He was quite right, of course, since his side could make four spades. Curiously enough, however, South could take 11 tricks at hearts.

West bid up to four spades singlehanded, but then properly decided to pass over five hearts. It was quite possible that his partner had enough defensive strength to double this bid.

Actually, East had almost worthless hands. He failed to realize that West's pass was forcing. It was inconceivable that West could bid as he had without being willing to sacrifice at five spades against a vulnerable game in hearts.

Partner, double five hearts if you have some defensive strength. Otherwise, make a further bid in spades or clubs. In short, the pass forced East to take some action, and East was very wrong in passing.

South easily made five hearts, for a score of 650 points. Had East gone to five spades, his side would have lost only 100 points.

CARD Sense

Q—What is the best vulnerable, you deal yourself these cards: Spades A-J-3, Hearts K-10-5, Diamonds Q-9-8, Clubs A-J-7-2. What do you do?

A—Bid one club. The hand is not strong enough for an opening bid of one no-trump. If you don't count the clubs, the hand has average strength (one ace, one king, one queen, one jack, and one ten).

The clubs are "extra," but are not quite enough. You need at least an ace and a queen better than average for an opening bid of one no-trump.

TODAY'S QUESTION With neither side vulnerable, you deal yourself these cards: Spades K-7-3, Hearts Q-10-4, Diamonds A-Q-J-3, Clubs A-J-2. What do you do?

Answer Tomorrow

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Report On Migratory Labor Puts Spotlight On Abuses

By PETER EDSON NEA Washington Correspondent WASHINGTON—A red hot report on the problems of U. S. migratory farm labor is being filed at the White House early in March. The report will contain strong recommendations for correcting some of the worst abuses, in temporary, seasonal domestic employment by the big "factory" farms.

It will cover employment of "wetbacks," "stoop labor," Mexican workers who have illegally entered the United States and child labor, in addition to alien workers legally brought to this country under government supervised international agreements.

This latest report on the employment and living conditions of an estimated million farm workers, first given national publicity through the plight of the "Okies" and "Arkies" of depression days, is being filed by the President's Commission on Migratory Labor. This commission was appointed last June. It was supposed to report by the end of 1950, but was given two additional months to complete its studies.

Chairman of the commission is Maurice T. Van Hecke, professor of law at University of North Carolina. Other members are William Leiserson, labor relations authority of Johns Hopkins and a former chairman of National Mediation Board; Archbishop Robert E. Lucey of San Antonio; Noble Clark, a deputy director of Forest and Agriculture Organization; Peter H. Odegaard, head of political science at University of California. Secretary of the commission is Varden Fuller.

Ten Areas Are Surveyed From July to October the commission held hearings in 10 areas, covering the various farm economies that depend on migratory labor. Cities where there were formal regional hearings were West Palm Beach, Fla.; Trenton, N. J.; Saginaw, Mich.; Memphis, Tenn.; Phoenix, Ariz.; Fort Collins, Colo. El Paso and Brownsville on the Mexican border and Los Angeles and Portland, Ore., on the West Coast. National aspects of the problem were probed in Washington hearings.

A Department of Agriculture survey in 1949 put the number of migratory farm workers at 1,000,000. It gave average employment at 100 days a year, average earnings at about \$5 a day, \$500 a year.

Much of the testimony given to the President's Commission was conflicting. From Edwin C. Miller of the Farm Labor Union, AFL, the commission heard that the number of migrant workers might run from 1,500,000 to 3,700,000, depending on how they were classified.

"All social legislation adopted by Congress in the last 16 years has excluded farm workers," said Mitchell. This was before passage of the last Social Security amendments which took in farm workers. Billions have been spent for farm subsidies, said Mitchell, farm labor costs are included in calculating parity prices, but only the Sugar Act of 1937 attempted to set a minimum wage for farm workers.

George Fischer, Jr., California farm employment official, estimated the migrant workers in his state varied from 325,000 in March to 525,000 in October. Many, he said, were employed in family units. He gave one breakdown of 194,000 men, 47,000 women, 13,000 under 18 and 8,000 girls under 18. In two months of 1949, he said, 12,000 alien migrants, illegally in the country, had to be deported.

Delmar Roberts, president of New Mexico Farm and Livestock Bureau, said the 18,000 Mexicans employed in his state enjoyed the work and the 6,000 farmers needed the workers. With millions of U. S. unemployed last Summer, none would take farm work. He complained of too much government interference and too many bonds and regulations. He favored a simpler system of "crossing cards," which would identify Mexican farm workers desiring to enter the U. S. for temporary farm work.

J. F. Delaney of U. S. Immigration Service, Los Angeles, testified that 55,000 migrant workers requested in 1949 for Delta cotton picking, 25,000 immigrants were approved, 21,000 admitted. Of these, 5,000 deserted and only 1,500 were caught and deported at U. S. expense.

LaMonte Graw, manager of Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association, characterized the migrant labor on the East Coast as 60 per cent native, 40 per cent foreign, and most of it shiftless. Migrants came down not as general farm labor, but as "bean pickers." They'd pick beans at \$15 a day in season, they live off relief.

Wage differentials of 20 cents an hour less for general labor, or \$1 a hundredweight less for cotton pickers, were reported in some southern areas.

The President's Commission is expected to recommend changes in the laws to provide for a more orderly movement of migratory labor, and to set minimum standards for its employment.

So They Say

If we are going to place restraints and regulations on the worker and on the employer, then the government ought to practice the same restraint.

—Rep. Charles A. Halleck (R-Ind).

In appeasement there can be no "just and everlasting peace." You can't just tell a bull he's a bad, bad boy. There must be no more kowtow to Moscow.

—Erie Cooke, Jr., national commander of American Legion.

I would rather be banished from public life forever than be responsible for the action (proposed) of nationalization of British steel industry which the prime minister (Clement Attlee) is taking.

—Winston Churchill.

Perhaps the saddest commentary upon us is that even the churches have had to hire public relation experts.

—Howard Mumford Jones, professor, Harvard U.

Even if a man can't read Latin or Greek, he can do a little fighting.

—Rep. Carl Vinson (D-Ga.) on service induction.

OIL SEEKER DROWNS BAYTOWN, TEXAS —(P)—Gerald Banta, 27, Baytown seismograph crew worker, drowned Tuesday after falling into Trinity Bay from an oil exploration boat.

"He's the proprietor. Paul Panciera." She shrugged, was very offhand. "He pays the bills."

"I see." He mused. "He uses only his first name for the firm. Where does the Jean come from? You?"

"Uh-huh." She was even more offhand. "Mr. Panciera thinks I'm good luck."

"I'll bet you are. You didn't give him your last name, did you?" "You mean—?" She laughed at the preposterousness of the idea. "Of all the ridiculous things married to Mr. Panciera? You ought to see him! She was too beautiful for him to hear the hypocrisy in her laughter. "You really have an imagination, haven't you?"

The Gold Mannequin By Myles Connolly COPYRIGHT 1951 BY NEA SERVICE, INC.

THE STORY: An artist knows only as "Teresa, General Delivery, El Paso," she had served the exclusive gown shop of "Jean Paul" from Spanish designer, Paul Poiret and traits alike, the fashion world, when suddenly the new model Jean Paul had chosen. His partner, the model Jean Paul, sends a darcy envelope to the artist's home. The envelope contains a letter from the artist's partner, the model Jean Paul, who has been chosen to design a gown for the artist's partner, the model Jean Paul. The operation had not been successful and Tim had been given up his calling.

Have a Laugh

By BOYCE HOUSE A sports editor out for a walk passed an insane asylum. An inmate was outside whitewashing the fence. In his pocket was a copy of the Racing Form. The newspaperman asked, "Are you interested in horse races?"

"Yes."

"Well, who do you think will win the fifth race at Latonia tomorrow?" "High Flyer," was the answer.

On a high, the sports writer wagered \$25 on High Flyer—and the horse came in last. Next day, he saw the man still whitewashing the fence and the sports writer said, "A fine expert you are. You said High Flyer would win and I lost \$25 on him."

The man asked, "You bet \$25 on the advice of a crazy man? Here, you take the brush and whitewash a while."

MARSHAL CONFIRMED WASHINGTON —(P)—James R. Wright was confirmed by the Senate Tuesday as U. S. Marshal for North Texas. His previous term expired January 24.

New York, California, Ohio, and Pennsylvania are the largest collectors of state gasoline taxes.

Mrs. Halfast Calls For Promenaders

Mrs. Ed Halfast called for the Promenaders Square Dance Club at a meeting Tuesday night in the TO MEET THURSDAY

The Trinity Episcopal Church will have a covered dish luncheon at 6:30 p.m. in the parish house. The church service will be held at 7:30 p.m.

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P-T-A Organizes Study Group

A Homemaking Study Group was organized Tuesday morning by the Terminal Parent-Teacher Association.

Meetings will be held at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday and Thursday of each week. The study will be completed in 12 hours.

Anyone interested may attend the next meeting which will be held at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the home of Mrs. T. McElligott. Mrs. Jimmy Carter will give a demonstration on sewing machine attachments.

Others attending the meeting were Mrs. W. C. Daniel, Mrs. O. H. Renfro, Mrs. T. Matlock, Mrs. J. B. Gunn, Mrs. N. E. VanPoy and Mrs. McElligott.

Beta Deltas Discuss Friends

"Happiness Through Enjoyment of People" was discussed at the Beta Delta meeting Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Cecil Elder.

After the general discussion the Beta Delta pledges answered specific questions regarding their experiences with both young and old friends.

Others attending the meeting were Mrs. Gilliam Abbott, Johnnie Anderson, Novella Bailey, Mrs. Bill Bohon, Betty Jo Greene, Dortha Hendrick, Mary Katherine Mc-Dade, Mrs. Lee Roy Woodard, Verda Bartlett, Mrs. E. W. Bodenman, Mrs. Leroy Butler, Mrs. J. L. Crittenden, Mrs. Jimmie Furman, Mrs. R. N. Hillin, Mrs. Joseph Hullum, Anne Hubbard, Sara Johnson, Mrs. Gerald Keeler, Mrs. W. I. Pratt, Sr., Mrs. Rudolph Rubin, Mrs. Randolph Rubin, Billie Walker, Lunelle Zeek, Mrs. Leonard Foy and Mrs. A. V. Reid.

WILL MEET THURSDAY

Nu Phi Mu will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the home of June Higdon and Betty Wilson, 207 West Michigan Street.

Three Give Reports On District Meeting

The Alpha Psi Chapter of Epilon Sigma Alpha heard reports Tuesday from the three club representatives who attended the district meeting recently in Big Spring. Mrs. John Moffett was hostess to the group in her home.

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Jamie Green And Bruce Patterson Exchange Vows

CRANE—In a single ring ceremony Sunday afternoon Jamie Sue Green became the bride of Bruce Patterson. The ceremony took place in the Church of Christ with Dan Clark, minister, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Green. Patterson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Patterson.

Shirley Green was her sister's attendant and Earl Husted was best man.

The ceremony took place under an arch covered with plumosis and acacia with arrangements of white stock and yellow carnations on either side.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a light beige suit with navy accessories and a corsage of yellow roses.

Miss Green wore a navy suit with white accessories and a pink carnation corsage.

After the wedding a reception was held in the Gulf Recreation Hall. The table was centered with a cake topped with miniature bride and bridegroom figurines. Others in the houseparty were Mrs. Jack Mathis, Mrs. George McCorkle, Mrs. B. J. Jones, Mrs. A. R. Townsend and Mrs. Frank Hall.

The couple took a wedding trip to El Paso. After returning Mrs. Patterson will continue her studies at Crane High School while Patterson will return to Lackland Field where he is in the U. S. Air Corp.

Out-of-city guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Green, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Elland and Don of Fort Worth, Mrs. J. W. Rogers, Mrs. H. Lincoln and Judy, Mrs. Haden Puckett and Zella of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rogers of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Harley Rogers, Scottie and Ginger, Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Atkins, Glenda and Milburn Lee of Midland and Mrs. Kinerd and Stanley of Odessa.

SOCIETY

Junior High P-T-A Has Panel Discussion

A panel discussion on "How Important Are the Whims and Opinions of Teen-agers?" was given at the Junior High School Parent-Teacher meeting Tuesday in the school cafeteria.

Mrs. I. A. Seales was in charge of the program. In the panel were Mrs. O. J. Golwick, representing the mother; the Rev. R. J. Snell, pastor of the Trinity Episcopal Church, the father; Peggy O'Neal, the girl, and Jackie Mathews, the boy.

Mrs. Ben Black led the group in the P-T-A prayer. Senior Scout Troop 12 sang a group of popular songs. Mary Ann Seales gave several accordion selections and accompanied the group in singing "This Is My Country."

Mrs. Clark Mathews gave the devotional.

During the business meeting treasury and committee reports were given. Mrs. H. H. Redding stressed the final membership drive.

Mrs. Johnnie Ratliff urged more magazine subscriptions and Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal announced the next study group meeting to be held March 20.

Wesley Martin, principal, invited the parents to visit the school and eat in the cafeteria in observance of public school week. He also gave a report on the activity fund and outlined the workshop to be held August 6-24.

Mrs. R. L. Wood, president, announced the district convention will be held April 27-28 in Odessa. Mrs. C. W. Chancellor reported library books had been bought.

Beas Thurman's room won the room count.

The executive board meeting was held Monday in the cafeteria. Mrs. Ratliff gave the opening prayer and the city council report. Martin urged parents' support of the cafeteria. Chairmen's reports were given.

Legion Auxiliary To Sponsor Representative

The American Legion Auxiliary voted Tuesday night to sponsor a girl at "Blue Bonnet Girls' State" which will be held June 18-24 on the campus of the Texas School for the Deaf in Austin. The meeting was held in the American Legion Hall.

Poppies were ordered for the annual sale scheduled for May 28. Those present were Jamie Heath, Alverne Sturges, Dorothy Robinson, Berly Anderle, Ruby Rhoden, Deanie Cope, Ruth Proctor, Vivian Steel, Ethel Shelton, Mary Webb, Mary Locklar, Helen Mayfield, Frances Gallagher, Pearl Cardwell, Maxine Drury and Ruby Inman.

Joyce Rasco Is Shower Honoree

ANDREWS—Joyce Rasco, bride-elect of Bryan Baker, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Saturday in the Community Building.

Hostesses were Juanita Nixon, Abell Harrell, Jo Reynolds, Mrs. B. F. Seay, Mrs. Virgil Reed, Mrs. Andy Horn, Mrs. Dave Siebold and Mrs. T. D. Hamilton.

A wishing well theme was used in the decorations. The table was covered with a linen cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of daisies, candy and greenery in a wishing well container, flanked on either side with white tapers.

Approximately 35 guests attended.

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When kidney function slows down, many folks complain of nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headaches and dizziness. Don't suffer longer with these discomforts if reduced kidney function is getting you down—due to such common causes as stress and strain, over-exertion or exposure to cold. Minor bladder irritations due to cold or wrong diet may cause getting up nights or frequent passages.

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'Hennessy On Roses' Reviewed For Club

A review of the book, "Hennessy on Roses," was given by Mrs. F. N. Shriver at the Tuesday meeting of the Pyraantha Garden Club. The group met in the Midland Officers Club. Hostesses were Mrs. F. N. Littlejohn and Mrs. W. L. Johnson.

The flower arrangement was a line mass of yellow daffodils in a basket.

Mrs. J. D. Wheeler was voted in as a new member. Approximately 40 members were present.

Country Club Names Officers, Directors

ANDREWS—The Andrews Country Club elected officers and directors at a recent meeting in the commissioners court room. John E. Smith was chosen president.

Other officers are M. L. Everts, secretary, and Charles A. Dean, treasurer. Directors to serve one year are Charles Thorpe and N. N. Jones, while two year directors are C. V. Campbell, Charles Carruth and J. P. Roach.

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DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

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Daddy Ringtail And Return Of Eany Meany

Eany Meany Bug is a very unusual bug. He laughs a meanish mischievous laugh. He says in his meanish voice: "I'm the easiest, and the meanest, somebody in the whole forest!" He is, too.

Yes, because there he was on the Elephant Path, down beneath the very tall tree that has the monkey house in the top. He laughed

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his eany meany mischievous laugh to himself. He saw Daddy Ringtail out on the porch up there. Daddy Ringtail hadn't seen Eany Meany. Very quietly, the eany meany bug began to climb up and up to the monkey house. He wasn't going to

Little Mugwump Monkey came out the door just then. Said he: "Daddy Ringtail."

"I hear you, Mugwump," Daddy Ringtail said.

And then Mugwump asked if he could please, pretty please have a cookie from the plate of scrambled coconut cookies that were cooling on the kitchen table.

Well-l-l yes, and of course he could, Daddy Ringtail said, just as soon as the cookies were cool. But first, Mugwump ought to go back and close the door that he hadn't closed very well. It was the door right there to the porch that Daddy Ringtail was talking about. Yeah, the Spring of the year had come back again, and people should be especially careful to keep the doors all closed without any cracks. Why, bugs came again in the Spring of the year to look for mischief and a chance to come in.

"Yes sir," said Mugwump, and back he went to the door to close it, but then it was much too late. Eany Meany had slipped into the house. How sad, too bad. Tomorrow I'll tell you what happened. Happy day!

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fly, oh on. His wings made a flying noise when he flew, and he didn't want anyone to know he was anywhere around. No sir, because he had been away all Winter long, and no one knew he was back. He was going to get into mischief to make an unhappy surprise for the Ringtail folks. Eany laughed to himself his meanest laugh.

Up an up he went until at last he was hiding beneath the swing on the porch where Daddy Ringtail sat. Daddy Ringtail was reading his newspaper while Eany mischievous tried to see what kind of mischief might cause the most trouble for him to get into.

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SIDE GLANCES

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"Why is it, whenever there's something to take back to a store, you're always the shy, retiring, defenseless type!"

PRISCILLA'S POP

By AL YEEMER

DON'T SPEAK TO HER, JENNY LU!! SHE THINKS YOU'RE FUNNY LOOKING!

OH, SHE DOES, DOES SHE?

AT LEAST YOU'RE MY FRIEND, PRISCILLA! MY VERY BEST PAL!

I SURE AM, PAL.

TELL ME, PAL! JUST WHAT DID SHE SAY ABOUT ME?

WELL, I SAID TO HER "WOW! ISN'T JENNY LU FUNNY LOOKING?"

AND SHE SAID, "YES."

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HOMER HOOPEE

By RAND TAYLOR

I BUSTED MY BUTTIONS!

OH PSHAW, WILLIE!

YOU'RE AS WEAK AS WATER MILK!

I LIFTED MA, MY LOVE - I WILL THE WEIGHT-LIFTING CONTEST!

NEVER MIND WILLIE! YOU PICKED UP MA EASILY ENOUGH WHEN WE ARRIVED AT THE FARM!

WE'RE PROUD OF YOU, BUSTER!

SO THAT EXPLAINING IT, MA - YOU'VE BEEN EATING LIKE A FARMHAND AND LOST YOUR FIGURE AGAIN!

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DICKIE DARE

By FRAN MATERA

HELLO, LOVELY!

WE TAKE A CLOSER LOOK AT YOU

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NOBODY'S AROUND! I'LL SNEAK IN A SLUG AN' GET SOME GUM!

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TH' SLUG WENT IN ALL RIGHT, WHY DON'T TH' GUM COME OUT?

YI-PE!

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OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

OH, YEH-- NOW I REMEMBER WHERE I LEFT 'EM LAST NIGHT!

ME, TOO-- I JUST COME TO ME!

YES--AND I HAVE A CROWD TO PICK WITH ALL OF YOU ABOUT THAT!

SAY, STUPE! AN OLD PAL O' MINE IS BRINGIN' ME A TWO-CARAT HUNK OF ICE--THAT WOULD BE A DIAMOND TO YOU!--IT'S A LITTLE ON THE HOT SIDE, AND I'M GIVIN' HIM 55 BUCKS FOR IT--WAIT! BEFORE YOU SHAKE OFF THE SIGNAL, HERE'S THE DOUGH!

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WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

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VIC FLINT

By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

VIC FLINTS AT THE FREDST WAREHOUSE UNWARE THAT THE MAN HE SEEKS HAS BEEN KILLED.

KEEP THE CHANGE, MAC, AND DON'T WAIT.

THANK YOU, SIR!

SOMEBODY'S HERE, ALL RIGHT, DOOR'S UNLOCKED!

WHO'S THERE?

REDDY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE, FLINT?

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WASH TUBBS

By LESLIE TURNER

WE AIN'T DONE NOTHIN' THIS TIME, BUT THEY'RE AFTER SOMEBODY! AN WE CAN'T BE CAUGHT 'ERE, NOW!

I HEARD SOMEONE RUNNING, OFFICER, BUT-- HEY, LISTEN! A CAR IS STARTING UP!

WERE TOO LATE, CAPTIN! EASY, THEY'RE ROARING OFF NOW! I'LL GO CALL IN AN ALARM!

BLAZES, I MUST'VE MISJUDGED BRIC! HE WASN'T FITTING ON AN ACT ABOUT THOSE THINGS TRYING TO GET HIM AGAIN!

THERE'S A BIT O' LUCK, I HADN'T COUNTED ON IT! NOW NO ONE CAN DOUBT THAT THEY GOT THE PEARLS!

OH, BRIC... THANK HEAVENS YOU'RE SAFE! SHE DUDLEY'S GONE TO SEE IF ANY WILBES ARE MISSING!

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RED RYDER

By FRED HARMAN

HOW YOU AND SHERIFF CATCH UP HOODES TO PUT IN JAIL, RED RYDER? HIM YAMOOSE!

WHEN A MAN COMMITS A CRIME, HE USUALLY LEAVES A DIRTY TRAIL, SAN'T?

YOU BETCHUM ME SAN'T! PEOPLE-FOLKS WHO WALK IN MUD MAKE DEEP TRACK!

YEP! GET YOUR POINT-- WE'RE GOIN' TO RIMROCK AN' TRY TO FIND SOME WET GROUND!

WHILE IN RIMROCK TRAIN PULLS TO A STOP AS TOWN FOLKS WAIT FOR MAIL.

AND BRENT HOOKER GETS A LETTER.

THAT NIXIT SON O' MINE IS IN TROUBLE AGAIN! WANTS MORE MONEY!

I DON'T SEND! BUT I'LL HAVE TO! NO I WON'T! BUT IF I DON'T--

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ALLEY OOP

By V. T. HAMLIN

I'VE GOT IT BEARIN' ON TH' MOON, OOOOLA, BUT TH' GEES ARE KILLIN' ME!

OKAY, EASE OFF! WE'VE GOT IT! NOW WE KNOW HOW TO SLOW DOWN AND LAND THIS SAUCER.

NOW HOLD THIS SPIRAL TO EARTH... I'LL JUGGLE THE ANGLES!

WE'RE COMIN' IN... WITH A PLUS GRAVITY PULL!

TAKE IT EASY, ALLEY... TOO MUCH SPEED AND WE'RE JUST ANOTHER METEOR IN SOMEBODY'S EVENING SKY!

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By EDGAR MARTIN

OH, WELL, TO HECK WITH DUD AND HIS PROBLEMS! HE'LL NEVER CHANGE-- ALWAYS HAPPY GO LUCKY-- AND BROVE--

I'LL MAKE A DEAL WITH YOU!

HMPH! A LADY ACTUALLY NOT KNOWING WHAT'S GOING ON IN HER OWN HOME!!

LET'S STOP WORRYING, BOO! ABOUT EVERYTHING!

WHO'S WORRYIN'? I AIN'T WORRIED ABOUT NOTHIN'!

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If more folks would remember the old saying, "Don't put off until tomorrow what you can do today," there's no telling how much better off they'd all be. And the worst thing about it all is that folks usually put off the most important things until a later date. For instance, there are a lot of folks who don't feel like they should who put off doing something about it. Luther Harris, 518 Chestnut St., Bowling Green, Kentucky, didn't feel good for a time, but he acted when he heard how HADACOL was helping people suffering from nervousness, aches and pains and run-down conditions caused by deficiencies of Vitamins B1, B2, Iron and Niacin. Yes, Mr. Harris started taking HADACOL and now he says he feels good.

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THE WAY TO CALVARY



Angered by the people's acceptance of Ann, Pharisees sought to entrap Him. Accompanied by Herodians, they asked if it was lawful to give tribute to Caesar.

Answering the Pharisees



Christ called them hypocrites, pointed to Caesar's image as a money they brought Him, and said: "Render unto Caesar the things which are Caesar's, and unto God the things that are God's."

About this time a lawyer asked Him to define "the great commandment," and Christ replied with the simple admonition to love God, and "thy neighbor as thyself."

★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

**Blood Cancer Seems To Be
Increasing All Too Rapidly**

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

Almost anything would be easier to discuss than leukemia. This is a condition which sometimes is called cancer of the blood, because like the latter disease the cells multiply and grow wild. But unlike most cancers, leukemia often attacks in youth and childhood; perhaps nothing is so distressing to a family. Leukemia used to be considered a rare disease, but many of those interested in it have felt for the last 20 or 30 years that it was increasing. In fact there are several signs leading to this conclusion and indeed the rate of increase seems to have been all too rapid.

There are several forms of leukemia but it is not possible to discuss them all here. In all of them, however, the difficulty lies in the manufacture of abnormal white blood cells or leukocytes which are shoved into the blood, usually in excessive numbers. The disease almost always produces anemia, too, because the manufacture of red blood cells is interfered with. Among other common effects of the disease are lessened resistance to infection, a tendency to easy bleeding, and interference with some of the functions of other tissues.

Again like cancer the exact cause of leukemia is not clear. As in can-

cer there is some tendency for leukemia to run in families but this, if meaningful at all, is a lowered resistance to the disease rather than a true inheritance. Another influence which may possibly have to do with developing leukemia is overexposure to X-rays. This does not mean that an X-ray film or two would cause any trouble, but physicians specializing in this field seem to have had more leukemia, for example, than those whose work has not brought them in contact with X-rays so much.

Search Goes On
We should aim at being able to prevent leukemia entirely, but for the time being that happy event seems to lie rather far in the future. But treatment looks more hopeful.

In some kinds of leukemia X-rays or radium have produced good improvement. Phosphorus which has been made radioactive also has been useful. Blood transfusions and the use of penicillin or its relatives to control infection help a lot. Experiments are going on constantly with these methods and others. Even if the first big step is only one which makes it possible to turn an acute leukemia into a chronic one we shall have to recognize progress.

Read The Classifieds.

Bird

- HORIZONTAL**
- 1 Depicted bird
 - 7 It is one of the
 - 13 Arrow poison
 - 14 Department in Italy
 - 15 Hurry
 - 16 Harden
 - 18 River barrier
 - 19 Atop
 - 20 Scooped
 - 22 Compare (ab.)
 - 23 Eight (s.mix)
 - 25 Scold
 - 27 Ogle
 - 28 Sea eagle
 - 29 "Palmetto State" (ab.)
 - 30 Part of "be"
 - 31 Tellurium (symbol)
 - 32 Parent (ab.)
 - 33 One who (suffix)
 - 35 Redact
 - 38 Mind
 - 39 Chest rattle
 - 40 Silver (symbol)
 - 41 Hold down
 - 47 Lord provost (ab.)
 - 48 Fabulous bird
 - 50 It has a black
 - 51 Beg
 - 52 Soon
 - 54 Knotty
 - 56 Infrequently
 - 57 Lyric poems



- VERTICAL**
- 1 Group of norseless

Answer to Previous Puzzle



**The MATURE PARENT
Parents' Praise Can
Nourish - Or Intoxicate**

By MURIEL LAWRENCE
Parents' praise is a powerful stimulant to children. It can intoxicate, stimulating an appetite for admiration. It can nourish, stimulating sturdy growth. We can make praise nourish, not by giving it for a smart answer, a pretty painting or a home run, but by giving it for the qualities of character which make these achievements possible. This is putting first things first. From early childhood, Roy had been encouraged by his music teacher-mother to expect great things of his talent as a pianist. When he was 12, he lost two fingers in an automobile accident. When he was 14, his parents had to ask help from the authorities for their uncontrollable son.

Praise for a talent had made Roy dependent upon it for sense of confidence. His parents' praise should have been directed to the traits of accuracy, patience, perseverance and self-discipline which had produced Roy's musical skill.

By intoxicating her boy instead of nourishing him with praise, his mother had narrowed his interests and obstructed his discovery of his unsuspected skill for mathematics. Roy was led to this discovery by guidance that encouraged a stressed good attitudes as the basis for all real and permanent achievement. Now a teacher of physics, he

takes care to make his praise nourish, not intoxicate. When talents are not rooted in stable qualities of character—and consciously so—they can lay waste the lives of our children instead of enriching them. In our personal experience, almost all of us have had occasion to wonder at some tragedy of surrender and defeat that overtakes an adult whose youth has been gifted and promising. Examination of their lives only too often reveals an instability of character as the cause of their wasted talent. Praise for a child's accomplishments is often motivated by parents' selfish pride in those accomplishments. Years later this may prove to have been the pride that went before a fall.

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**GM Profits Set
All-Time Record**

NEW YORK — (AP) — General Motors Corporation made a profit in 1950 of \$894,044,039, the highest in history for any corporation, the annual report to stockholders disclosed.

The giant manufacturing concern, which made 45 per cent of the cars and trucks produced in the United States and Canada in 1950, had record sales of \$7,531,086,846. It had payrolls of \$7,531,086,846. Its 1950 taxes amounted to \$1,119,000,000 or \$2.38 for each dollar in dividends paid to stockholders and 83 cents for each dollar of payrolls.

Despite the record earnings, C. E. Wilson, president, and Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., board chairman, said 1950 net income amounted to 11.1 per cent of sales compared with 11.5 per cent in 1949. They attributed the decline primarily to higher taxes.

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Grandfalls Youth's Lamb Dies At Monahans, Then Brings Higher Price Than Show Champ

MONAHANS—The lamb of a Grandfalls boy which placed fifth in the judging and that died soon thereafter, brought a higher price than the champion lamb in the auction of the Monahans Livestock Show Tuesday.

Bill Dokins' lamb died, and the audience insisted the lamb be sold. A collection was taken and the high bidder, Williamson Pontiac Company, paid the difference between the bid and the collection. The 97-pound lamb sold at \$130.

The champion lamb was shown by Maxine Oliver, Toyahvale, and was sold to O'Quinn Motor Company for \$1 a pound. Paul Snelson of Monahans sold the reserve champion to O'Quinn Motors for \$5 cent a pound. Other lamb prices ranged from \$0 cents up.

Top price of \$110 was paid by the First National Bank of Monahans for the champion steer, shown by Sue Wilson of Fayette. The reserve champion, shown by Billie Jo Needles and Otis Lee Henson of Pecos, brought \$1 a pound on a bid by Richardson and Bass of Monahans.

All other club calves sold from \$0 to \$0 cents a pound, with the exception of the fourth-place calf, which was shown by Lolita Waddell of Kermit. Her calf brought \$1.05 from Richardson and Bass.

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SKIING SHAH—Honeymooning in Iran's northern provinces, the shah of Iran, Mohammed Pahlevi, and his bride, Soraya, walk in the snow-covered mountains in preparation for skiing near Demavend. The royal couple is followed by a large official retinue, and many friends who attended their wedding in Teheran.

Abundant Living

By **E. STANLEY JONES**

Rom. 8:26, 28, 35-37; II Cor. 12:7-10

FINDING FREEDOM THROUGH LIMITATIONS

We continue our thought of "grace in the dungeon." All our limitations, our dungeons, can be places where we find grace. I always have been grateful that I went to a small, obscure college, for it left me with the sense of being uneducated. I suppose that those who go to great institutions feel secure; to mention the name of the great university what they attended brands them as educated. I have felt no such security; so I have endeavored all my life to become an educated person. I gather from every moment, every occasion, and every conversation something that will help educate me. On the

George M. Boles, 84, Early Rancher, Dies

LUBBOCK — (P) — George M. Boles, 84, oldtime rancher, died here Tuesday. He fractured a hip last Thursday.

Boles introduced Hereford cattle to the Texas South Plains. He donated toward the establishment of Texas Tech and was active in the development of this area for 60 years.

Services were scheduled here Wednesday.

tombstone of a man were these words: "He died climbing." I would like to have this inscription on mine: "He died learning." The limitation has been a liberty. I have found grace in the dungeon.

The person who has discovered and revealed to the people of Arkansas their wild flowers is a shut-in, a woman crippled with arthritis. Although her hands are gnarled and twisted, she has painted exquisitely five hundred specimens. Harvard University wants to buy the collection, but there is a public movement on foot to buy them for the state of Arkansas. Miss Whitfield cheerfully held up her twisted fingers and told how, by the law of compensation, she was enabled to paint those delicate lines. Her cheer and her skill are beyond words. She has found grace in the dungeon. A shut-in knows more about the wild flowers and where they grow than anyone in the state!

I want to pay my tribute of gratitude to the single women of the world for whom life might have been a dungeon of loneliness had they not made it into something else. Around the world they have married themselves to human need; have made every wild child their own; have brightened families, while they themselves were familyless; have lifted crosses from the burdened bodies and souls of people, while they themselves have carried the cross of aloneness. They have found grace in the dungeon and have given it. Bless them!

O Christ, Thou has shown me how to take hold of the nettle of life when it stings, and make those very stings into sensitiveness to the hurts of others. I am plunged into a dungeon. Perhaps I am in this dungeon so that I can see the stars. For I know that nothing can defeat me if I remain undefeated within. I thank Thee, Amen.

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10 Counties Start Preparing For Big Castor Bean Crop

BROWNWOOD — (P) — Work toward producing Texas' first substantial crop of castor beans is underway.

The beans will be grown on about 15,400 acres of a 10-county area in a project sponsored by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Oil from the castor beans is needed for hydraulic systems and as a high viscosity lubricant in aircraft.

About 70 county agricultural agents and administrative agents meet here Tuesday with Agricultural Department specialists to learn the latest research information on castor bean production. The information will be passed on to farmers.

Dr. D. L. Van Horn of Stillwater, Okla., USDA agronomist in charge of castor bean research, Wednesday began looking for a site for a hulling plant in the Brownwood area to process this year's crop.

The Agricultural Department has approved a proposed procurement contract that would guarantee growers 10 cents a pound. The current market price is about 12 cents. Growers would have the option of selling to the government or on the open market.

Counties in the Brownwood area where acreage will be allotted are Brown, Comanche, Hamilton, San Saba, Eastland, Erath, Mills, Calahan, McCulloch and Coleman.

Future Takes On Brighter Hue For Soldier Who Lost All His Limbs In North Korean Cold

WASHINGTON — (P) — There's a future for Pfc. Robert L. Smith just about as sunny as it can be for a young man who lost both hands and both feet in the searing cold of North Korea.

It's a future peopled with pretty girls who have written proposals of marriage to him; secured financially with a \$100,000 trust fund, and warmed by the thought of a little business of his own with his brother.

Perhaps best of all, 20-year-old Bob Smith, of Middleburg, Pa., can confidently look forward to doing for himself almost all the things people with their own hands and feet can do. And, very important for his future is something the hell-hole of Korea did not take from him along with his limbs—the good cheer with which he looks out on life.

It was last November when Bob, downed by a wound, lay in an icy ditch of a North Korean village until his hands and feet froze past saving. The Army flew him here late in December.

In Person And By Letter
Since then a world of friendly people have come to him, in person or by letter, at the Army Medical Center. And Bob, a thin, black-haired boy, has travelled far on the road back to the world of normal people.

Mixed in with the thousands of letters, post cards and telegrams addressed to him, he disclosed shyly in an interview, were "quite a few" proposals. Some of the girls included photographs.

"Some were right pretty," said Smith, "but you know how girls are. They said in the letters the pictures didn't do them justice... It might be fun to look them up after I get out and see how nice they are." The proposals came "from all over."

Eager To Demonstrate
He hasn't had his steel-hook mechanical hands long, and his artificial legs are yet to come, but Bob was eager to demonstrate what he can already do for himself. He took a cigarette from a pack, put it in his lips, accepted a light, tapped the ashes off in a tray and stumped the smoked cigarette out. He is convinced he will be able to do almost anything later. "I'm sure I'll be able to handle a deer rifle," and shoot pool and drive a car.

The Pennsylvania Department of the American Legion has established a trust fund for him expected to total \$100,000. The Legion, a silk mill and a radio cabinet maker have offered him jobs. His brother Howard has been released from the Army—in Korea—to be with Bob and his widow's mother. Bob is thinking of some kind of small business with his brother as a partner.

His natural cheerfulness already has put the horror of what he endured far behind him. It is the future, rich with the care and rehabilitation his nation assures him and brightened by his own good spirits to which Bob Smith, quadruple amputee, has turned.

TB Group Names Nominating Panel

A nominating committee including R. S. Brahears, Mrs. John Hillis and Mrs. Charles Romer was appointed by Dr. C. S. Britt, president, at the March meeting of officers and directors of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association held Tuesday night in the organization's office.

The committee will report at the annual membership meeting in April.

Mrs. Linnie Davidson reported approximately 2,000 patch tests were given school students, faculty members and food handlers during the last month.

Dr. Britt urged board members to attend a regional conference with representatives of the state association to be held March 22 in Big Spring.

Attending the Tuesday night session were Dr. Britt, Brahears, Ferd Rhodes, Mrs. T. J. Melton, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, Mrs. Jack Mashburn and Mrs. Davidson.

Farmers represent nearly 30 per cent of the population and 20 per cent of the wealth of the United States.

Hunting Accidents Are Fatal To 400 In United States

By The Associated Press
Approximately 400 persons died in hunting accidents in the United States last season, during which licenses were issued to an army of hunters estimated to number more than 12,000,000.

This is the finding of an Associated Press survey, which disclosed that 340 persons died in 42 states of accidental gunshot wounds directly related to hunting.

In six states—Louisiana, Mississippi, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Carolina and Texas—no records are kept or the count of hunting fatalities has not been completed.

In the preceding (1949-50) hunting season, accidental gunshot wounds killed at least 390 persons in 35 states.

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+ Crane News +
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Several members of the Buttons and Bows Square Dance Club of Crane attended a dance in Goldsmith recently. They included Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Robbins, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Lovelace, Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hester, Mr. and Mrs. Revis Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schur, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Tension, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Brunette and Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Mayfield.

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wood is the second largest reported in the Ropes field, which has six producers.

Stepout Staked To Hockley Extension

One location southwest of an assured one-mile south extension to the Ropes-Pennsylvanian field of Southeast Hockley County, Honolulu Oil Corporation and Signal Oil & Gas Company have staked location for their No. 1 J. E. Armes. The prospector will be drilled 694 feet from north and east lines of labor 17, league 5, Wilbarger County school land survey and five miles south of Smyer. The same operators' No. 3 Underwood, one location to the northeast has just been potentialized from the Pennsylvanian.

SE Midland Test Drilling After DST

James H. Snowden and Sergeant & Rutter No. 1 W. M. Schrock, et al, has taken a drillstem test at 3,800-40 feet in the top of the Grayburg-Permian lime on a section which logged a good oil odor and some live oil in samples. The tester was open 45 minutes. There was a weak blow of air for seven minutes and it then died. Operators were pulling the test tool at last report. The Grayburg was topped at 3,805 feet, to give it a datum of minus 1,985 feet on that marker. Location is 680 feet from north and east lines of section 34, block 37, T-4-S, T&P survey. That makes it 25 miles southeast of the City of Midland. This wildcat is three miles southeast of the Driver-Spraberry field. It was started to go to 3,500 feet to explore the Spraberry pay.

Tom Green Wildcat Logs Signs Of Oil

American Republics Corporation and Cities Service Oil Company No. 1 Mrs. J. V. Ketchum, Southeast Tom Green County wildcat has shown some signs of oil and gas and of water in the top of the Ellenburger.

This prospector is five miles southwest of Wall and 3,843.4 feet from south and 960 feet from west lines of section 7, John O. White survey. That makes it seven miles northwest of the Susan Peak field. No. 1 Ketchum topped the Ellenburger at 5,895 feet. Elevation is 2,912 feet. The first drillstem test in the Ellenburger was at 5,660-5,738 feet. The tool was open 32 minutes. Recovery was 100 feet of slightly gas cut drilling mud, 600 feet of heavily oil and gas cut mud and 300 feet of salt water.

There was a blow of gas at the surface for a part of the period. The second drillstem test was at 5,666-5,738 feet. The tool was open three and one-half hours. Gas surfaced in two minutes.

Recovery was 185 feet of slightly oil and gas cut mud, 1,710 feet of heavily oil and gas cut mud, 270 feet of free oil and 540 feet of salt water.

Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 800 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure was 1,425 pounds. Length of shutin was no reported.

At last report operators were preparing to run another drillstem test. That investigation was to be taken with the bottom 13 feet of the hole shutoff with a packer. The test was therefore to be run on the zone above 5,725 feet.

Tester In Tom Green Is To Be Deepened

John K. Dorrance, trustee, of Houston, No. 1 Atkins, Southwest Tom Green County wildcat is to be deepened to 7,200 feet from its present bottom of 3,256 feet, where it has stood as temporarily abandoned for about a year.

This prospector is five miles west-northwest of Christoval, and 466.6 feet south of the north lines and 466.6 feet west of the west line of the Robert Smith survey No. 98, but in section 949 1/2, P. H. Johnson survey. Rotary tools are being moved in to deepen the wildcat.

Discovery Finaled In C-W Runnels

John B. Ashmun and H. T. (Toby) Hilliard, both of Midland have completed their No. 1 Mrs. Nora McCaughan, Central-West Runnels County wildcat as a discovery from the Gardner sand. The new field opener reported a 24-hour potential of 83.16 barrels of

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choke and open hole between 7,017 and 7,046 feet.

The producer is 960 feet from north and east lines of the Elmer 277-B-acre lease in the southwest quarter of section 1, block X, DeWitt survey.

Havenstrite Oil Company No. 3-B Pembroke-Beal is to be a one location south stepout to production on the south side of the field. It will be 600 feet from south and east lines of the 130-acre lease in the south half of section 1, block X, DeWitt survey and 1,300 feet south of the same operator's No. 3-B Pembroke-Beal.

Humble Oil & Refining Company is to drill its No. 6 Ralph Pembroke 330 feet from north line of the south half and 600 feet from west lines of the lease in the south half of the DeWitt survey. It will be 2,000 feet west and slightly north of Havenstrite No. 1-B Pembroke-Beal, a producer.

Shallow Wildcat Staked In Runnels

Thomas Bomar of Talps and associates No. 1 Hubert Herring is to be a 2,500-foot wildcat in Central-East Runnels County. Drillsite is 820 feet from north and 7,700 feet from west lines of the O. B. Wilson survey No. 42. That makes it three-quarters of a mile northwest of the Saxon-Serratt sand field.

It is three miles west and slightly north of the town of Talpa. Drilling is to start in the near future.

Pegasus-Ellenburger Gets New Producer

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2-DD TXL in the Pegasus-Ellenburger field along the line of Upton and Midland Counties, and in the Upton County side of the reservoir, has been completed for a 24-hour potential of 48.38 barrels of 33.5-gravity oil and no water.

The potential test gauge was flowing through a one-half-inch tubing choke. Gas-oil ratio was 1.873-1. The production was through perforations in the casing at 13,073-123 feet, and from open hole at 13,148-200 feet. Total depth is 13,200 feet. The production is coming from the Ellenburger.

The pay section had been treated with 12,000 gallons of acid. The new producer is in section 31, block 40, T-4-S, T&P survey, and two locations southeast of the discovery well of the Pegasus field.

Sulphur Water Is Found In Castro

Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation, Forest Oil Corporation and Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Fowler-McDaniel, wildcat in Southeast Castro County, is drilling below 7,054 feet after a drillstem test in an unidentified lime developed sulphur water.

The interval from 6,974 to 7,054 feet was tested for 30 minutes. Total recovery was 630 feet of mud and 4,844 feet of slightly gas-cut sulphur water with no shows of oil.

The prospector is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 12, block 9-T, T&N survey and five miles northeast of Hart.

Offset Is Staked To Midland Prospector

One location north of Ted Weiner et al No. 1-1 O'Daniel, Spraberry wildcat one and one-eighth miles north and slightly west of production in the Tex-Harvey field, Glendale Oil Corporation has made location for its No. 1-1 O'Daniel.

It will be drilled at the center of the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter of section 1, block 37, T-2-S, S. Wright survey. The No. 1-1 O'Daniel being drilled by Weiner, et al is at total depth of 7,200 feet in the Spraberry with five and one-half inch liner cemented at 7,117 feet.

Operator is conditioning hole for a Hydracraft treatment. The five and one-half inch casing was cemented on top of the Spraberry.

Tex-Harvey Extender Gets SW Stepout

A. N. Hendrickson has staked location for a one-location southwest offset to his No. 1-32 Wraga-Hendrickson, recently completed one and one-half mile south extension to the Tex-Harvey field of Central-West Glasscock County.

The new project is No. 3-32 Wraga-Hendrickson. It is located 672.5 feet from southwest and 663.9 feet from south lines of north half of southwest quarter of section 32, block 36, T-3-S, T&P survey.

Rotary tools will be used in drilling to 8,000 feet. Operations will begin immediately. Drillsite is 20 miles southeast of Midland.

Midland Tex-Harvey Gets New Location

El Tee Oil Company has spotted location for its No. 1-10 B. W. Floyd estate, which is to be drilled as a prospect inside production on the north side of the Tex-Harvey field of Central-East Midland County.

Drillsite has been set at the center of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 10, block 37, T-3-S, T&P survey and 17 miles southeast of Midland.

It will be drilled to a possible bottom of 8,500 feet to test the regular Spraberry pay of the Tex-Harvey field.

Upton Pembroke Gets Producer, Drillsites

One producer and drillsites for two explorations have been added to the Pembroke field of East-Central Upton County. The new Spraberry oil is Hubbard S. Russell and others No. 1 Russell-Beal, which was finished for a 24-hour potential of 228 barrels of 36.5-gravity oil flowing. Gas-oil ratio was 815-1. The flow was gauged through a 24/64-inch

in for several weeks. Unofficial sources had reported that it had logged some good shows of oil in at least two different sections. No information regarding those reported shows have been released by official sources.

It is thought that the No. 1 Robertson was low geologically to the No. 1 Harmel. Some sources report that Although probably will run casing in the No. 1 Harmel and make production tests on it at some time in the near future.

Scurry Reef Gets Two More Locations

Two new locations have been spotted for immediate drilling in Scurry County. The Superior Oil Company is scheduled to drill No. 3-179 C. T. McLaughlin in the Sharon Ridge-Canyon field of Southwest Scurry County.

Location is 1,000 feet from west and 1,600 feet from north lines of section 179, block 97, H&TC survey. Rotary tools will be used in drilling to 7,400 feet. Drillsite is 15 miles southwest of Snyder.

In the Kelley-Snyder field Cities Service Oil Company No. 4-B Popnoe is a new 7,500-foot test. Location is 971.8 feet from south and 956.7 feet from east lines of northeast quarter of section 158, block 3, H&GN survey and five miles north of Snyder.

SE Ford Project Plugged, Abandoned

The British-American Oil Producing Company and The Wilshire Oil Company No. 1 Johnson, wildcat in Southeast Ford County, has been plugged and abandoned on total depth of 6,581 feet in the Ellenburger.

No shows of production were developed. Top of the Mississippian was at

6,070 feet, top of the Mississippian short was at 6,450 feet and top of Ellenburger was at 6,800 feet. Elevation has not been reported. Operator took a drillstem test at 6,515-36 feet. Tool was open one hour. Recovery was 15 feet of mud with no shows.

On a 45-minute drillstem test from 6,538 feet to 6,581 feet, recovery was 40 feet of water cut mud and 840 feet of salt water with no shows of oil or gas.

Location was 1,600 feet from south and west lines of section 8, block O, H&GN survey and 30 miles southeast of Orpwell.

SE Stonewall Test Is Quit As Failure

W. D. McBea and others No. 1 Phumphy heirs, Southeast Stonewall County wildcat two and one-quarter miles west of the Old Glory field, has been plugged and abandoned at 8,095 feet.

Location was in section 1, block C, AB&M survey.

SW Reagan Duster Is To Be Plugged

Union Oil Company of California is pulling casing in preparation for plugging its No. 1-76 University, wildcat in Southwest Reagan County, three miles west of Big Lake.

The last formation tested was the Spraberry. During the last 24-hours swabbed, the failure made 30 barrels of fluid, cut with 12 per cent water and 3 per cent basic sediment. The rest was oil.

The exploration was quit at plugged back total depth of 6,320 feet in the Spraberry. All formations below the Spraberry, including the Ellenburger were tested extensively. No possibilities of commercial production were found in any of them.

The failure is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 10, block 11, University survey.

11 Midlanders Enrolled At H-SU

ABILENE—Eleven students from Midland are among the 1,400 students who are enrolled this Spring at Hardin-Simmons University.

They are: Sara Genora Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Yates Brown; William Burton, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Burton; Margaret B. Dougherty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Dougherty; Joy Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Graham; William Frank Goode, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Goode; William Melvin Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hill; David Lee Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hunter; Mrs. Helen Gertrude Leftwich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Whitley; Lenard Olen Leftwich, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Leftwich; Roy Bert Scrivner, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Scrivner; Lois Shelburne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Shelburne, and Mrs. Nadine Clement Wingo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Clement.

MISSIONARY TO RETURN

KITCHENER—(P)—Greta Clark, Anglican missionary in China for about 35 years, has written a sister that she is returning to Canada shortly. Miss Clark said she received an exit visa from the Communist Government without difficulty.

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Two Texans Held In Kidnaping Flee From Oklahoma Jail

PRYOR, OKLA.—(P)—An overnight hunt was underway Wednesday in hill country 25 miles south of here for two Texans who Tuesday escaped from the Mayes County jail.

The brothers, Chester Lee and Norman Davenport, overpowered a jailer and fled in his automobile which was found abandoned on Spring Creek which runs through the area under search.

Bloodhounds late Tuesday found a trail to some caves in the area, and wary officers waited until daybreak to resume the hunt for the fugitives, described as dangerous.

They were armed with a .38 caliber pistol taken from the turnkey. Farmers, warned by officers, locked up their cars and trucks. Many joined the posse.

The Davenports, from Wichita Falls, were being held here on armed robbery charges filed in connection with the abduction February 13 of Highway Patrolman Loyd Francisco. He was released unharmed after a six-hour ride at gunpoint.

Alaska is about 586,4000 square miles in area, or one-fifth the size of the United States.

Brochure Compiled On Facts Involving Air Field At Pyote

MONAHANS—An elaborate brochure of facts and figures which will be involved in the reactivation of the Pyote Air Field is nearing completion.

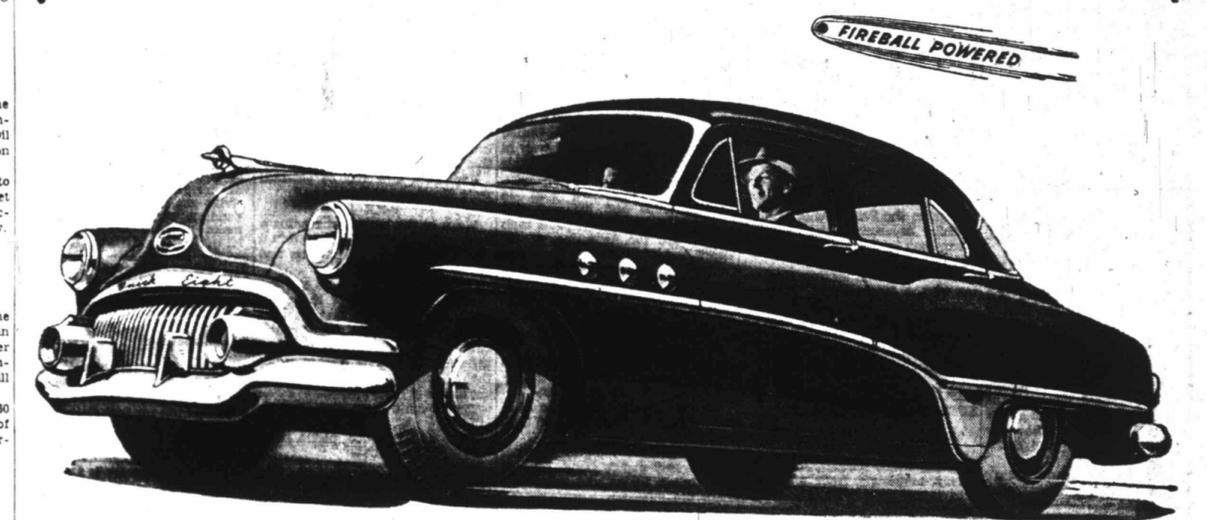
Charles Stuckey, head of the Military Affairs Committee of the Monahans Chamber of Commerce, said Wednesday the brochure will include information on Wink, Kermit, Peecos and Monahans, with a supplement on Odessa.

The data will be furnished Air Force officers and members of the congressional delegation.

Take Off Ugly Fat With This Home Recipe

Here is an inexpensive home recipe for taking off unwanted weight and helping to bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Just get from your drugstore, four ounces of liquid Barometer. Add enough grapefruit juice to make a pint. Then just take two tablespoons twice a day. Wonderful results may be obtained quickly. Now you may slim down your figure and lose pounds of ugly fat without back-breaking exercise or starvation diet. It's easy to make and easy to take. Contains nothing harmful. If the very best bottle doesn't show you the simple, easy way to lose bulky weight and help regain slender, more graceful curves, return the empty bottle and get your money back.

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College Scandals Revived As Fifth 'Briber' Is Jailed

NEW YORK —(P)— College basketball's greatest scandal went back to its starting point early Wednesday and dug up another alleged briber—previously identified as the "mysterious Stanley."

The newest puncture to deflate the college basketball world brings to five the total number of alleged bribers or "fixers" involved in the mess.

Bronx District Attorney George B. De Luca said Leon Rappaport, 25, was arrested as the "mysterious Stanley" mentioned in January, when the reported attempt to fix a Manhattan College game started the scandal ball rolling.

Since that time, in addition to the five alleged bribers, 13 players and former players at four New York colleges have been accused of "dumping" in at least 16 Madison Square Garden games over the last three seasons.

Rappaport, Brooklyn button manufacturer, was charged specifically with conspiracy and bribery in an attempted fix of a game last January 16 between Manhattan and De Paul of Chicago.

De Luca said Rappaport and Irving Schwartz discussed the fix with former Manhattan Star Henry Poppe the night of the game.

The two men, De Luca said, told Poppe he should see that Manhattan lost by 11 points. Poppe, who did not play this year, is charged with offering a \$1,000 "fix" bribe to Manhattan Center Junius Kellogg.

Player Informs Police

However, Kellogg informed police and only pretended to go along with the fix. The result was a 62-59 Manhattan victory and the start of the cage probe.

Rappaport was taken into custody late Tuesday after the detective, Howard Phelan, recognized him in the Manhattan garment district.

Poppe was questioned Tuesday night along with Rappaport.

John A. Byrnes and Poppe, Manhattan co-players last year, were to appear with Schwartzberg and two other men in Bronx County Court Wednesday to have a date set for their trial on various bribery indictments.

These indictments, handed up by a Bronx grand jury, name the five variously on charges involving the De Paul attempted bribe and games played by Manhattan last year against Siena, Bradley and Santa Clara.

The other two are Schwartzberg's brother, Benjamin, and Cornelius Keliher.

Wharton JC Wins South Texas Crown

VICTORIA, TEXAS —(P)— Wharton Junior College won the South Texas Conference basketball title Tuesday night with a 50-48 win over Victoria College in the deciding game of a three-game playoff.

Wharton led 30-20 at halftime. Charles Brown of Wharton and Norman Milsch and George Gordon of Victoria each tallied 15 points.

College Basketball

By The Associated Press

Texas A&M 50, TCU 44.
Eastern NM 42, New Mexico A&M 33.
Loyola (Chicago) 69, Valparaiso 67.
Temple 70, Kings 69.
Providence 54, St. Anselms 50.
Miss. Southern 74, Delta State 62.

McMurry Tracksters Outscore Horned Frogs

ABILENE —(P)— McMurry College outscored Texas Christian 97-29 in a track and field meet here Tuesday.

Bill Moring of McMurry was high man with 12 1/2 points.

If the earth were flat, identical time would prevail all over the world.

Aggies Bop Froggies In Playoff Tilt

WACO —(P)— Texas A&M pushed Texas Christian out of the running for a spot in the NCAA Regional Tournament at Kansas City March 21 by downing the Horned Frogs 50-44 here Tuesday night.

The Aggies, TCU and Texas tied for the championship of the South-west Conference.

Texas and A&M open a three-game series Friday night to decide the conference entry at the NCAA meet. The first game will be played in College Station and the others in Austin.

Cadets Finish Strong

The Cadets pulled out of a 41-41 deadlock with nine minutes to play in Tuesday night's game. Walker Davis scored two field goals and a free throw and little Don Heft scored one field goal to provide the win.

After getting off to a fast start, A&M trailed 29-27 at the half. TCU pulled up a 17-10 lead in the first 10 minutes of play.

Three quick field goals by Jewell McDowell and Davis put A&M on top 33-29 early in the second half, and the Aggies fought off TCU's furious finish to keep the victory.

George McLeod of TCU led the scoring with 16 points. McDowell tallied 15 points and played a brilliant all-around floor game.

Track Wins Console U. S. For Trailing In Argentine Games

BUENOS AIRES —(P)— The first Pan American Games, narrowed down to swimming, boxing, and basketball, prepared to close Friday night in a burst of pageantry and ceremonies.

By any form of reckoning, Argentina has taken the lion's share of honors. However, the United States came out on top decisively in track, which is the center of this program, just as in the Olympics.

Uncle Sam's lads have won 14 championships and amassed 221 points on the unofficial point basis against 158 for Argentina, 51 for Brazil and Chile, and 40 for Cuba.

The huge home crowd—about 70,000—had little to cheer about Tuesday, with the United States winning four track titles and Ecuador taking its first.

Cabrera Wins Marathon

But Delfo Cabrera, Argentina's Olympic hero, atoned for everything. He won the marathon.

In women's track the three leaders were Chile with 57 and the U. S. and Argentina, each 53.

In basketball, everything points to Thursday night's game between the United States and Argentina. Both are unbeaten.

The unofficial point totals now stand Argentina 907, U.S.A. 688 1/2, Chile 230, Mexico 216 1/2, Brazil 212, Cuba 106, Peru 85, Guatemala 28, Trinidad 28, Ecuador 20, Colombia 19, Venezuela 16 1/2, Jamaica 12, Panama 11, Haiti 7, Paraguay 4, Nicaragua 2 1/2 and El Salvador 1.

1955 Games To Be Staged In Mexico

BUENOS AIRES —(P)— The 1955 Pan American Games will be staged in Mexico.

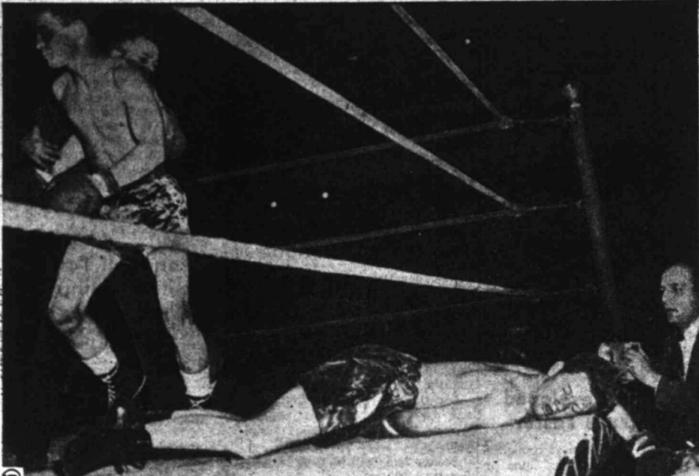
The 18 members of the Pan American Sports Committee decided on this late Tuesday night. Mexico was favored in a vote 15 to 2, with El Salvador abstaining.

Biblical Site To Be Turned Into Resort

TEL AVIV —(P)— Tiberias, on the western shores of the Sea of Galilee, is to be developed into a winter spa and a health resort.

Plans submitted by the Tiberias Municipality stress that the Biblical and historic sites in the area shall be protected. Tiberias lies 682 ft. below sea level. It has hot springs with good anti-rheumatic effects.

John Howard Payne wrote "Home, Sweet Home," while in Paris in 1822.



GOOD NIGHT, IRENE—Dick Steinhoff of Grand Rapids, Mich., is going to fight again, no doubt, but no more tonight. His chore done in an amateur bout in Chicago, Nashville's Kenneth Garrett nonchalantly heads for a neutral corner. The cameraman is knocked out of the picture, too. (NEA)

King's Row

By LARRY KING

Lou Dawson, former outfielder with the Midland Indians, has returned his contract to the club unsigned—but not because he is displeased with the terms.

Dawson pens: "I'd like to sign this contract, but I don't guess I can. You see, I'm due to report March 15 for Army service."

He joins four other '50 Midland Indians in the Army. Mike Bellone, Ralph Blair, Bob Phillipon and Tex Stephenson already are doing time for Uncle Sam.

If you are an American Legion member, like to work with boys and like baseball, then there is a place for you in Midland.

T. E. (Red) Steele, Commander of the Legion Post, is looking for such a man to manage the American Legion Junior baseball team this Summer.

Additional info may be obtained from Steele at the Legion hall.

We're in the process of reading a book called "So You Want to Run a Ball Club" which gives hints and advice to owners.

Of special interest to us was the section on treatment of the press. The booklet states that "A coke and a hot dog nightly for press-book occupants always is a sound investment." And it further states that "A weekly dinner for the writers also is practical."

That oughta help the grocery bill.

Webb and Donohoo, please note!

Dean Franks, pitcher, and Ray Hill, outfielder, have been signed for the '51 diamond batties by the Roswell Rockets.

Franks, who has averaged 15 winning games the last two years with Roswell, reports he is "ready to win 20 games this year."

The Rockets have given vet Pitcher Frank Parker his unconditional release at his own request. He was purchased from Borger of the West Texas-New Mexico loop.

DOTS AND DASHES: It's a little early, but we've been notified that the National Open Golf Tournament will be played at Northwood Country Club, Dallas, June 12-13-14, 1952.

Corlis Holt, former sports-writer at Abilene and Fort Worth now is sports ed of the Texas City Sun.

Tugboat Jones approves the signing of Dixie White by Midwestern as its new grid coach.

Jones thinks White is a fine mentor. From the way Sweetwater Scribe Bud Worsham is penning, we'll bet Sweetwater baseball officials vote an emphatic "No" as to raising the class limit in the Longhorn League.

So will Artesia and Vernon. We look for "Yes" votes from Odessa, Roswell, San Angelo and Midland.

Big Springs, perhaps, will vote against the motion. If so, loop prey Hal Sayles would voice the deciding vote.

We think it'll be "Yes" . . . Indian Business Manager Horace Busby thinks the vote will be about 6-2, for . . . End of the Row for now!



GADGET — Coach Phil Page and Eddie Erault adjust a control board at Tampa's Plant Field, where the Cincinnati Reds are training. The average-sized strike zone is cut out, and the padding can be switched to make pitchers keep the ball low. (NEA)

Incidence Of Flu In Texas Reported Unusually Heavy

AUSTIN —(P)—Highly-contagious influenza swept over Texas in late February at a rate more than triple the usual toll for that time of year.

For the week ended February 24, 11,902 cases were reported to the State Health Department. The past average for that week is 3,035 cases.

A short incubation period makes the illness highly communicable, a Health Department report stated.

The prevalent type of influenza is marked with sudden attack, fever, general aching and feeling bad, plus various respiratory complications.

Jefferson led the list of counties reporting influenza with 2,791 cases. Nueces and Galveston counties followed with 712 and 674 respectively.

The Health Department also reported incidence of chickenpox to be about double the average, with 1,569 cases in the week ending February 24. Measles was more than four times the average with 2,968 cases.

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Charles Top-Heavy Favorite To Thump Jersey Joe Walcott

DETROIT —(P)—Old Jersey Joe Walcott, who seems to be fighting for the heavyweight title every time you look around, hopes to put a permanent crimp in the plans for a lucrative Joe Louis-Ezzard Charles return bout by whipping Charles Wednesday night.

The odds here are at least 7 to 2 against the 37-year-old Walcott's chances. In New York, the bookmakers have listed it as a 5 to 1 and "out" fight. That means you can bet on Walcott but you can't wager on Charles. He's considered that much of a cinch.

Yet Detroit is taking the 15-round in the Olympia Stadium very seriously. Although there is practically no wagering, the customers are rushing to put their cash on the line for the first vanishing pastebards.

This comes, mind you, after a dismal effort by Walcott last November 24 when he was upset by vigorous, young Rex Layne of Utah, and after a far from spectacular display by Charles in stopping Lee Oma January 12. Both fights were held in New York's Madison Square Garden and were sent over the coaxial cable to Detroit TV lookers.

"I'll knock him out within seven rounds," said Jersey Joe and he didn't even smile. "I weighed 200 pounds for Layne and was out of shape. I'm down to 194 now and I'm ready."

The 29-year-old champion from Cincinnati made no rash predictions, as usual.

"I expect to win," said the lean, little titleholder. "If the opportunity presents itself, I'll try and win by a 'knockout'."

Riley Is Florida East Coast Medalist

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA. —(P)— With medalist honors already tucked away, Polly Riley of Fort Worth, Texas, Wednesday began a bid for her third Florida East Coast women's golf title.

She faced Marie Polk of Chattanooga, Tenn., in first-round match play.

The Texas star shot a one-under-par 71 Tuesday to lead the qualifying field. Miss Polk had a 79.

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SECRET WEAPON—Unveiling what may be a new secret weapon for the Dodgers—the dumb-bell man is considered by many to be too strong to be human, desires to start the baseball season that way. Drensen could use a little exercise, probably will need all his strength and more in his first effort as the Brooks' manager. (NEA)

One-A-Day Triplets Celebrate Birthday

By DAVE TAYLOR

JONESVILLE, LA.—(P)—Friends from neighboring households tied up at Lester Hardie's floating home on the Ouachita River Wednesday to help the one-a-day Hardie triplets celebrate their first birthday.

Jodie, the only boy of the three, was born at 8 a.m. one year ago Wednesday. Julie followed at 9 a.m. the next day. Judie, the last, was born early the third day, at 12:15 a.m.

Although Jodie is the only one whose birthday is Wednesday, the party was for all three. Dr. N. G. Nasif, the physician who attended their births, wasn't able to get to the party. He has influenza.

Despite all sorts of weather extremes, the triplets have made rapid progress. They were born during a flood that covered a million acres of land last Spring. They went through the worst ice storm of recent years during the early part of last month.

Picture Of Health
But they are pictures of health now, although two of them were ill during the winter. Jodie had flu and Judie had pneumonia.

Jodie is the heavyweight at 22 pounds. Judie weighs 19 pounds and Julie 18.

All three have curly hair, almost white in color. They have blue eyes that sparkle. They walk and talk and all have enough teeth to do a lot of damage to their birthday cake.

Jodie, who cut his teeth first, has a downy nose. Judie has eight Julie trails with seven.

Jodie talks more than the others, although all are able to beg a taste of coffee when papa and mama have a cup. Judie likes to sit in her father's lap. When he lights a cigarette, she points at it and says "hot."

Hardie is a commercial fisherman who spends a lot of his time tending his equipment. His 98-pound wife, a meticulous housekeeper, has her hands full tending their ten children.

But she gets help from the older children. The oldest is 17-year-old Edna.

The triplets' birth caused quite a stir last year, but the Hardies haven't let the publicity bother them. They just kept their same pattern of life, a contented and happy life typical of river fishermen and their families.

East Texans Set Mass Meeting On Rabid Fox Menace

By The Associated Press
East Texas farmers and ranchers are worried over the fast spread of rabid foxes in at least seven counties.

Tyler County has scheduled a mass meeting of farmers and ranchers at 7:30 p.m. Friday to map a control program.

Dr. Kenneth S. Young of the State Health Department Tuesday said rabid foxes had caused the death of four head of high grade Brangus cattle on Gov. Allan Shivers' farm near Woodville. One rabid fox was caught alive on the governor's place.

"Rabid foxes spread destruction as far south as Angulina and Polk counties last year," Dr. Young said, "and an outbreak in those areas and around Woodville means the state will be in danger if the animals are not brought under control."

He said the hottest spots of infestation are in Tyler, Rusk, Cherokee, Nacogdoches and Harrison Counties.

Dr. Young has set up temporary headquarters in Tyler County and will preside at the Friday night meeting in Woodville.

Highest tide in the world is in the Bay of Fundy, Canada, where there is a rise of 53 feet.

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West Deputies Face Deadlock With Reds In Big Four Talks

PARIS —(P)—United States, British and French deputies faced the Russians Wednesday with a solid front against proposed Soviet wording for a foreign ministers' meeting agenda.

As the third session of the deputies meeting got underway, informed sources said the West was determined not to give ground on the phrasing of the German issue.

The Russians have proposed that a future foreign ministers' meeting discuss fulfillment by the four powers of the Potsdam Agreement regarding the demilitarization and the prohibition of remilitarization of Germany.

Propaganda Battles
The sources said that to accept this, the West would have to abandon in advance any plans for re-arming Western Germany against the threat of Communist aggression.

This would amount to accepting the entire Soviet point of view on Germany.

Ambassadors in Paris of the U. S., Russia and Britain accompanied the deputies Wednesday at the meeting started under the chairmanship of Soviet Deputy Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko. The Western deputies had consulted earlier.

Disturber by Gromyko's propaganda-making tactics, the Western deputies were reported contemplating whether to turn these meetings into a knock-down and drag-out propaganda battle with Russia.

Wednesday's meeting might supply the answer.

UN Allies—

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Their attached Allied elements pushed off.

The U. S. 24th Division, on the Wolfhound right flank, took one hill but encountered stiff Chinese opposition on two others.

On the 24th's right flank, British troops ran into dug-in Reds north of the lateral Yongdu-Hoengsong road.

Artillery Thunders
AP Correspondent William C. Barnard reported, "The thunder of artillery was constant all along the front backing up the attack. Planes were swooping down on the battle line from early morning."

Allied big guns on the western front pounded the Chinese Reds east of Seoul with 50,000 rounds. Shortly before the assault boats poured off, 148 artillery pieces shovelled 7,000 rounds into the Reds in 20 minutes.

A field dispatch said the barrage stunned the Chinese on the north bank of the river, and added that they "began surrendering in groups."

U. S. 10th Corps headquarters reported the Marines, in the mid-section of the central front, had advanced more than a mile along ridges paralleling the road north of Hoengsong.

AP Correspondent John Randolph said the Marines, five miles north of Hoengsong, were attacking crests 1,000 feet above the valley floor. He said the dug-in Chinese were fighting a savage rearguard action.

South Koreans withdrew. The battle was fought over hard-packed snow remaining from a six-inch snowfall Tuesday.

General MacArthur visited the front shortly after the push began. The attack line ran from several Han River crossing points east of Seoul to an area north of Pangnim, some 55 miles to the east.

Only on the extreme eastern end of the line did the UN forces run into serious trouble at the outset. There powerful Korean Red attacks forced South Korean troops to withdraw one to three miles on the right flank of the attacking U. S. Seventh Division.

There was speculation at first that the Red counterthrust, which preceded news of the general Allied attack, might be the forerunner of an expected Red counteroffensive.

However, AP Correspondent Tom Stone reported that the Red attacks seemed aimed at relieving pressure on the badly-mauled North Korean Third Corps in front of the U. S. Seventh Division.

He said South Korean Seventh Division troops fell back to new lines to stabilize and protect the United Nations line northeast of Amidong on the east-central front.

FORMER RESIDENTS ARE PARENTS OF DAUGHTER
Mr. and Mrs. Ed Keeling of Carlsbad, N. M., formerly of Midland, are the parents of a daughter, Karen Ann, born last week in a Carlsbad hospital, according to information received by friends here.

Neighbors said the flames started while Mrs. Armstrong and the children were outside.

No one was injured, but all the belongings of the family were destroyed in the blaze.

ENTERS FOR TREATMENT
Mrs. A. H. Dimney, 119 East Cowden Street, was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

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Police Activities Include Much More Than Just Crime

Police activities are supposed to be tough and fearless cookies who keep the city free of crime. But sometimes they wonder whether they shouldn't trade their guns and handcuffs for a crying towel and a book of advice to the lovelorn.

They admit they are kept pretty busy hauling in drunks, trying to figure out who knocked over a grocery store and keeping traffic from getting into a hopeless snarl.

But, sometimes they get the darnedest assignments that have nothing whatever to do with crime or violence.

One night last month a woman called the police station and demanded that Night Dispatcher Mary Gay send a policeman to see her.

Officers Jess Cabanis and Leo Green made the call but came back in a few minutes with a disgusted report.

How T. Leave Husband
"The lady wanted some advice on how to leave her husband," Belcher wrote, and he continued: "He was rewarded by an acid letter from the husband, who informed his congressman that he had joined the Army to get away from his wife, and would be in the future please mind his own business."

Davidson stopped the truck, obligingly helped the driver unload the burning crates of eggs.

No crime had been committed and the only damage—outside of four crates of scrambled eggs, without butter—was Officer Davidson's dirty uniform.

But it was another "public service" call called up by the police.

The official report of the police department's activities during February, released Wednesday by Col. Milan N. Plavac, director of the department of public safety, showed that 65 such "public service" calls were made during the month.

That's an average of at least two a night—most of them come in at night—so the policemen never know what to expect next.

"A lot of them," explained Police Chief Jack Ellington, "aren't even reported."

"We're glad to be of whatever service we can and try to fill any reasonable request."

"Turn Off The Iron"
"One lady, for instance, left town for a visit and called us long distance, worried that she had left her iron burning in her house. We checked and found everything was all right, though."

Only a couple of Saturday nights ago, Ellington was walking down Main Street when he noticed a 10-year-old youngster, sobbing to himself and trying to wipe away the blood that was flowing from his nose.

"The boy was afraid to go home because his parents might not let him come back to town and there was a good cowboy picture he wanted to see," explained the chief.

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Late one night, Officer Willard Opp was on routine patrol when he noticed bright lights burning in a normally darkened warehouse.

He informed Dispatcher Sabre Thorne Brady over the police radio. She immediately found out who owned the warehouse and notified him by telephone.

"So It Goes"
"He thanked us for calling," said her official report, "and said he'd just forgotten to turn them out. Said he'd take care of it immediately."

So it goes, night after night, as the police sandwich in their good deeds with the job of controlling violence.

There was, of course, plenty of the latter to keep them busy, according to report.

During the course of the month they traveled 13,812 miles, arrested 179 persons, investigated 84 accidents, recovered \$22,700 worth of stolen automobiles and handed out 60 summons for moving traffic violations.

Toastmasters Club Names Michelson As New President

Louis J. Michelson was named president of the Toastmasters Club of Midland at its weekly dinner meeting Tuesday night in Hotel Scharbauer.

Michelson will take offices April 1, succeeding Malcolm Brenneman. Other officers named at the meeting include Paul Hicks, deputy governor; Dr. Henry Schlichting, vice president; L. R. Shaddix, secretary; W. L. Faller, treasurer, and R. A. Connolly, sergeant-at-arms.

At the previous meeting Hicks was named winner of the after-dinner speaking contest to represent the club in competition with the Big Spring group. Reagan Legg was selected as alternate.

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Congressman Finds One Can Be Too Helpful

WASHINGTON —(P)—A Congressman can be just too helpful, Representative Belcher (R-Okla.) decided Wednesday.

Without mentioning any names, he related in a weekly news letter to constituents that one of his colleagues went to the aid of a woman who said her service man husband was needed desperately at home.

The representative "cut his eye through a mountain of red tape and got her man returned to her," Belcher wrote, and he continued:

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Siam's Regent Dies Of Heart Ailment

BANGKOK, THAILAND —(P)—The regent of Thailand, Prince Rangsit of Chaiyathai, died at his palace Tuesday night of a heart ailment.

The acting ruler was 67 years old and last surviving of 85 sons of the late King Chulalongkorn.

After Thailand's liberation from Japan in 1945, Prince Rangsit went into retirement but on the accession of King Phumiphon Aduldet in 1946, he was appointed regent of the Siamese realm.

Navy Orders More Anti-Sub Seaplanes

WASHINGTON —(P)—The Navy said Wednesday it has placed a new order—the fourth—with the Glenn L. Martin Company of Baltimore for production of Martin anti-submarine seaplanes.

The order calls for doubling the previously planned rate of production of planes, the Navy said, but it withheld figures on numbers of craft or dollar value involved.

Babs' Divorce Suit Tossed Out Of Court

SAN FRANCISCO —(P)—Attorney Melvin Belli said Tuesday night heires Barbara Hutton's attempt to grab a "quickie divorce" in Cuernavaca, Mexico, has been thrown "completely out of court."

Belli, attorney for her husband, said the heires suit would get similar treatment anywhere else in the world.

MINOR SURGERY
Marilyn Eider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Eider, 1311 West Washington Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Wednesday for a tonsillectomy.

ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL
Mrs. J. C. Cunningham of Midland was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Wednesday as a medical patient.

WOMAN HOSPITALIZED
Mrs. David Bainbridge, 411 1/2 North Main Street, was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Tuesday as a medical patient.

ADMITTED FOR TREATMENT
Mrs. Richard S. Rector, 508 South Main Street, was admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Tuesday for medical treatment.

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VA Hospital Setup Described To Lions; Officers Nominated

Dr. Edwin B. Groner of the Veterans Hospital at Big Spring was guest speaker at the Midland Lions Club luncheon Wednesday noon in Hotel Scharbauer.

Dr. Groner traced a patient's progress into and through the hospital. He said the hospital, which was opened in July, 1950, has 170 patients at the present time. Capacity is 250 beds. The hospital has handled 1,025 cases since it opened. The average patient stay is 22 days.

He said the hospital has two staffs, medical and administrative. Territory served extends from Abilene to the east to El Paso on the west, from San Angelo to the south to Lubbock and Hobbs, N. M., to the north.

Emergencies are handled first at the hospital, the doctor said. If the hospital is unable to serve the patient with its existing facilities, he is sent to another hospital, he explained.

J. B. Richards was program chairman and introduced the doctor. Earl Chapman was introduced as Junior Lion of the Week.

A nominating committee reported the following nominations for 1951-52 officers: J. P. Carson, Jr., president; L. V. Basaham, first vice president; Duke Jmerson, second vice president; Bob Pine, third vice president; C. E. Nelson, secretary-treasurer; Wesley May, Lion Tamer; Harry Rhodes and Gerome Grayum, two-year directors; Bob Baker to fill unexpired one-year director term of H. Winston Hull.

Tailwater nominations, made from the floor, included: Carl Hyde, Steve Shannon, Frank Stubbeman and Clarence Symes.

Voting will take place next week at the regular luncheon meeting.

A director's meeting was called following the luncheon.

A Convention Committee meeting was called for Wednesday night at 7:30 p.m. at Hotel Scharbauer.

J. P. Carson, Jr., reported charter membership will be closed in a new Lions club for Midland at a meeting scheduled at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the South Elementary School Cafeteria. Prospective members are invited to attend.

GOP Solon Invites Truman Back Home For Housecleaning

WASHINGTON —(P)—President Truman Wednesday had a long-range Republican invitation to hurry home from Florida and fire officials who have figured in Senate inquiries.

All the signs indicated that Truman, working and vacationing at Key West, would ignore a demand aimed at him by Senator Knowland (R-Calif.) in the course of a political flareup in the Senate Tuesday night.

Knowland said the President ought to pay some attention to recent disclosures of "mink coats in the White House, conditions in the RFO and in regard to the buying of jobs in Mississippi."

"It seems to me," the California senator declared, "that in the light of these conditions which strike at the very moral fabric of America, the President of the United States should return from his Florida vacation and clean house."

TO UNDERGO SURGERY
Mike McCullough, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCullough, 103 Club Drive, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Wednesday for a tonsillectomy.

ADMITTED FOR SURGERY
Mrs. R. L. Davis, 301 East Hart Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Wednesday for surgery.

TONSILLECTOMY PATIENT
Nita Jo DePrang, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. DePrang, 18 South Marinfeld Street, was admitted to Midland Memorial Hospital Wednesday for a tonsillectomy.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Cantrell, 1208 West Ohio Street, on the birth Wednesday of a daughter weighing seven pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Page, 418 North Main Street, on the birth Monday of a daughter, Ruth Toinette, weighing seven pounds, 13 ounces.

TARZAN YOUTH RECEIVES EMERGENCY TREATMENT
Wilson Lee Stewart, three-year-old son of Woodrow Stewart of Tarzan, received emergency treatment Tuesday night at Western Clinic-Hospital.

The youth fell from a pickup truck, suffering minor head injuries. He was hospitalized for observation.

ADMITTED FOR TREATMENT
Mrs. Bell Farris and her small son, Homer, were admitted to Western Clinic-Hospital Tuesday. Mrs. Farris is being treated for pneumonia, and her son was hospitalized with mumps.

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Protest Of Proposed Depletion Rate Cut Gets Good Reaction

WASHINGTON —(P)— Members of the House Ways and Means Committee appeared to give friendly consideration Tuesday to protests of oil men against a depletion allowance cut.

The Treasury had proposed that the income tax allowance for depletion be trimmed from 27 1/2 to 15 per cent.

Representative Simpson (R-NY) said Ernest O. Thompson, Texas Railroad Commission member who was testifying, he thinks Texas is right in striving to retain the depletion allowance on a defense basis.

Simpson recalled that the 27 1/2 per cent figure was set by deliberate action of Congress. He said it was not a "loophole," as the Treasury asserts.

Representative Mason (R-Ill.) said he thought there was small chance the tax committee would reverse its decision of last year. It rejected proposed cuts in the allowance then.

S. A. Swensrud, president of Gulf Oil Corporation, testified: "The depletion allowance has become as much a part of the oil industry as the rotary rig."

Russell B. Brown, general counsel of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, said the principle has become "so valuable as an incentive in the search for oil that I shouldn't be surprised some day to hear that the Russians have claimed they invented it." It has been in practice a quarter-century.

Stricken Valley Folk To Receive Free Beans

WASHINGTON —(P)— Half a million pounds of free beans are enroute to sufferers of the recent Rio Grande Valley freeze.

The Commodity Credit Corporation made them available Tuesday night for persons in Cameron, Wilbrey, Starr, Hidalgo, San Patricio, Duval and Jim Wells Counties.

Counties which also can share in the bean allocation if requests are made are Nueces, Kenedy, Kleberg, Live Oak, Brooks and McMullen.

Direct current requires a higher voltage to produce death than does alternating current.

House Committee Fails To Agree On How To Control Promiscuous Use Of BB Guns

By MARTHA COLE
AUSTIN —(P)— A House committee couldn't decide whether the state, a city, or parents should control the use of BB guns.

They sent the problem to a subcommittee with no instructions on when to report back.

West Texas Peace Officers Invited To Midland Meeting

Peace officers from throughout West Texas will meet in Midland March 14 to compare notes on criminal investigation problems.

Invitations to police departments between Abilene and El Paso have been sent out by Police Chief Jack Ellington.

The conference will take up the problem of investigation of burglary and armed robberies along with studies of the modus operandi of various criminals.

Lt. Robert Branson, director of the Midland Bureau of Identification and Records, will be in charge of the meeting, which will be held in the Police Officers Club at the Midland Air Terminal.

Speakers will include Glenn H. McLaughlin, Austin, director of the Department of Public Safety's Bureau of Identification and Records.

Third Extension Of State Tidelands Permits Announced

WASHINGTON —(P)— State-licensed oil and gas operators in the Tidelands off the Texas and Louisiana gulf coasts may continue operations on present terms through May 8.

The extension was authorized Tuesday by Secretary of Interior Chapman. Chapman first allowed continuation of operations on December 11 for 90 days and then allowed a 30-day extension February 20.

The original extension was granted on the day the U. S. Supreme Court held that the Federal Government had paramount rights in the submerged lands.

Proceeds from the operations are being held for final disposition of the Tidelands cases. No new drilling or production has been permitted since December 11.

The Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence argued for almost three hours Tuesday night on what to do about promiscuous use of air rifles.

Rep. Harley Sadler of Abilene had a bill prohibiting shooting an air rifle within the limits of any incorporated city.

"Don't punish a child," said Rep. W. B. Fields of Athens. "He hasn't got sense enough to know what he's doing anyway. Put it in the hands of the parents."

"Parents aren't teaching their children how to use the guns given as toys," said Mrs. Wilma Lucas of Abilene, whose six-year-old daughter was shot in the neck by a BB pellet on New Year's Day.

"Air guns now are as powerful as a .22 rifle."

Under questioning, Gus Dittmar of Waco, president of the Texas Wholesale Hardware Association, said there was a pump air gun that had a high velocity. But he said 95 per cent of the air rifles sold were of the spring variety and relatively harmless.

Dittmar insisted use of air rifles should and could be controlled by city ordinances.

Henry Hanke, Austin secretary of the Texas Rifle Association, said he thought the pump air gun of a certain variety was dangerous and should be controlled, but as for other BB guns, he said, "I want to preserve for kids the pleasure I had 45 years ago in owning an air rifle."

Diagnostic Clinic Speakers Named

Speakers for the next three months in the educational program conducted by the Midland Diagnostic Cancer Clinic were announced Wednesday.

The meetings will be held in the reception room of the Nurses Home at Midland Memorial Hospital at 7:30 p.m.

The dates and the speakers are as follows:

March 20—Dr. Robert R. Shaw, professor of thoracic surgery, at the Southwestern Medical School, Dallas; "Differential Diagnosis of Mediastinal Tumors."

April 23—Dr. J. P. North, chief, surgical service, Veterans Administration Hospital, Big Spring; "Cancer of the Stomach."

May 25—Dr. John C. Long, Jr., Plainview Hospital and Clinic Foundation, Plainview.

Doctors from throughout this area are invited to attend the meetings.

ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jordan left Tuesday for Lott, Texas, where they will attend the funeral of Jordan's sister, Mrs. R. E. Moore. Mrs. Moore died Monday.

Emergency clean-up jobs in your refrigerator should be done with warm, not hot, sudsy, water. Too much heat is likely to crack glass trays of shelves.

Queuille Accepts New Bid To Form Cabinet In France

PARIS —(P)— Former Premier Henri Queuille Wednesday agreed to try and form a cabinet to end France's week-old governmental crisis.

He was asked Wednesday for the second time by President Vincent Auriol to make the try and agreed after getting the consent of his Radical Socialist Party.

Parliamentary sources said a reported break in the long deadlock among the centrist parties over the election reform question—which last week brought the downfall of Premier Rene Pleven's coalition—indicated Queuille's chances of getting a cabinet were good.

MO-PAC BUS DRIVERS VOTE TO STAGE STRIKE

ST. LOUIS —(P)— Missouri Pacific Bus Lines drivers in Texas and nine other states have voted to strike for an 18-cent wage increase.

The AFL union will set the walk-out date Thursday. About 300 drivers are affected. They want \$1.38 an hour.

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