

WHY SHE SINGS 'DOWN BOY!—

Coburn Discovers Marilyn Makes His Work 'Pleasant'

By BOB THOMAS HOLLYWOOD —(P)— What's it like to co-starring with Jane Russell and Marilyn Monroe? Says Charles Coburn: "I feel 20 years younger!"

friend, Justice Brandeis, who was 70. As they walked along, a pretty girl came toward them. She gave them the eye, and they tipped their hats.

"After she had gone 10 paces past them, they turned, and she gave them the eye again. Then Holmes, turned to Brandeis and sighed, "Ah, to be 70 again!"



STIRRING DRAMA—The story of two persons whose private lives were dramatically affected by the husband's unprecedented war responsibility is brought to the Yucca Theater screen through Tuesday. It is the stirring drama, "Above and Beyond," with Robert Taylor and Eleanor Parker in the starring roles.

JOHNSON IN HOLLYWOOD

Paulette Sniffs At Dye, Bleach; Inner Woman Captivates Men

By ERSKINE JOHNSON NEA Staff Correspondent Exclusively Yours: Blondes and redheads are leading the movie sip parade, but brunette Paulette Goddard, making her first movie in Hollywood in three years, won't be reaching for the peroxide or henna bottles.

Paulette's legal residence but after three years of movie-making in Mexico and Europe she says "Home is wherever my luggage is."

High Time

- HORIZONTAL 3 Sweet potatoes 4 More furtive 5 Seine 6 Declains 7 Leer 8 Nuzzled 9 Fabrics 10 Sea weed 11 Evergreen 12 Marble trees 13 Worms 14 Seasaws 15 Network 16 Dug beetle 17 Dry, as wine 18 Try 19 Hope 20 Gratiety 21 Ester of oleic acid 22 Regard 23 Bank worker 24 Beloved 25 Look over 26 Female saint (ab.) 27 Spanish hero 28 Likewise 29 Applauded 30 Heating devices 31 Meadow 32 Exaggerate 33 Sea eagle 34 Reject 35 Cry of Bachanals 36 Existed 37 In a former time 38 Corded fabrics VERTICAL 1 Canadian perch 2 Prayers

Answer to Previous Puzzle. A crossword puzzle grid with numbers and some filled-in letters.

Two crossword puzzle grids with numbers and some filled-in letters.

Truman Names Third Board To Test Vincent's Loyalty

WASHINGTON—(P)—The question whether diplomat John Carter Vincent shall continue in the foreign service has been handed to a five-man board specially created to examine his loyalty anew.

Vincent, 53, a key figure in shaping U. S. Far Eastern policy in those years, was suspended by the State Department after the loyalty board findings were announced December 18. He was called home from Tangier, where he was U. S. consular agent.

Chambers Reported In Serious Condition After Heart Seizure

WESTMINSTER, MD.—(P)—Whittaker Chambers, who touched off one of the nation's most sensational spy stories after World War II, remained seriously ill at his home near here Monday.

Blonde Beauty, 24, Assailant's Victim, Dies In Tennessee

MEMPHIS—(P)—A 24-year-old Arkansas beauty, brutally slugged as she walked along a dark street Friday, died late Sunday night.

Thousands Attend Funeral Services For Hank Williams

MONTGOMERY, ALA.—(P)—Hank Williams, a top folk singer and song writer, was given Montgomery's biggest funeral Sunday to the tune of screeching fiddles, weeping and the hillbilly yelps of his buddies.

For his last and biggest packed house, the 29-year-old Alabama farm boy drew a crowd estimated by Fire Chief R. L. Lamley at almost 20,000 to the Municipal Auditorium.

Williams was boosting his homespun songs to the top of the hillbilly list and popular singers took up some of his tunes like "Cold, Cold Heart," "Jambalaya" and "Hey, Good Looking."

Marilyn Maxwell Vows Korean Trip If Elected Mayor

UNIVERSAL CITY, CALIF.—(P)—Some 2,000 voters go to the polls Monday to wind up a weird but authentic election campaign.

This tiny community legally is incorporated as a township with its own mayor, post office, fire department and police department.

They will visit wounded veterans of the Korean War in hospitals here. They will go next to Singapore, then return to the U. S. via the Near East and Europe.

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IT'S REALLY VERY SIMPLE MONTREAL —(P)— Members of the Montreal Polar Bear Club took their usual dip in the tea-filled waters of Lake St. Louis at nearby Derval Sunday.

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RITA HAYWORTH GLENN FORD Affair in Trinidad Donald Duck and News

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Say not thou, What is the cause that the former days were better than these? for thou dost not enquire wisely concerning this.—Ecclesiastes 7:10

A Brutal Injustice

When Dr. Karl Gruber, Austrian foreign minister, stood up to address a committee of the United Nations just before the Christmas recess, he was a living reminder of one of the world's worst tragedies of inaction.

For almost eight years, tiny Austria has suffered the occupation of foreign soldiers from Soviet Russia on the one hand and the Western allies on the other.

At first, Russia energetically went through the motions of seeking an Austrian peace treaty. There were endless sessions with representatives of France, Britain and the United States.

But then the talks broke down. Nothing seemed to get them effectively under way again. To break the impasse, the Western powers last Spring suggested a short treaty with only eight articles.

It is pointless to search for the explanation in the East-West differences over specific treaty articles. The real reason lies elsewhere.

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Air Defense Alert

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Why French Cabinets Collapse So Readily



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

Washington — New Attorney General Herbert Brownell is going to specialize in picking top-notch U. S. attorneys throughout the country.

Some years ago, Younger worked for the FBI and was the FBI's secret agent inside the Longshoremen's Union and the office of Harry Bridges.

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JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY

Monday is bridge lesson day, and as usual I will discuss bidding according to the point-count method so that beginners and average players can see how the experts bid.

Table with columns for NORTH, WEST, EAST, SOUTH, and various card suits (K, Q, J, A, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2).

South West North East N.T. Pass 3.N.T. Pass

Opening lead—4 10

raise to three no-trump with a count of 10 points. North knows that the combined count is between 26 and 28 points, which is ample for game but not enough for slam.

Now observe what happens if declarer makes the mistake of playing the jack of spades from the dummy at the first trick.

CARD Sense

Q—The bidding has been: North East South West 1 Club Pass 1 Diamond Pass

Search for a Hero

By Thomas Hal Phillips

WHEN I heard the first sound of steps, something surged in me and I thought: Everything is going to be all right. My back was to the door but I turned enough to see Mama's hand open the screen.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

Officials Report That NATO Is Better Off Than It Seems

By PETER EDSON

WASHINGTON—Several misconceptions about progress of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization have been spread on the record, according to American officials returning from the Paris NATO council meeting.

The general impression is that NATO is falling apart, and has made no progress at all. European governments have cut back their defense programs disastrously, in effect sabotaging the European Defense Community.

The second slice came the next year, after NATO was established. It was \$220,000,000 with the U. S. contributing 48 per cent or about \$105,000,000.

Frank C. Nash, Lovett's deputy for military assistance programs, takes up the defense of NATO here with the explanation that the cut in General Ridgway's proposed \$429,000,000 million budget was much the same kind of an arrangement.

What's RIGHT?

Friends you have not seen in a long time drop by to call on you. WRONG: Spend the whole evening watching television. RIGHT: Leave at least some of the evening for conversation.

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"They didn't aim to come. But your daddy's all up in the air—thinks they're about to be drafted. And then the talk's going around that Lambert's going to get beat for Congress, which has got your daddy upset all over again."

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★ Daddy Ringtail ★

Daddy Ringtail And I Shot An Arrow

The Huffen Puffen, the friendly wolf, had a bow and arrow. The Huffen went with the bow and arrow out on the Elephant Path. He put the arrow to the bow

and shot it—high, high into the air. It went up and up toward the sun. The Huffen couldn't see where the arrow came down. He waited and waited to hear it fall, but all he heard was the roar of a lion, far out in the forest.

Said the Huffen to himself: "I shot an arrow into the air. It fell to earth. I know not where." The Huffen laughed and chuckled to himself. He liked the saying of what he had said. He said it again. "I shot an arrow into the air. It fell to earth. I know not where."

Yes, the Huffen liked the saying of the words he had said. He hurried away to say them to Daddy Ringtail, your monkey friend.

But wait! There was Daddy Ringtail now. He had come to visit the Huffen. "Happy day, Huffen Puffen," Daddy Ringtail said. The Huffen answered: "I shot an arrow into the air. It fell to earth. I know not where." He ex-

plained what had happened. Daddy Ringtail listened.

The Huffen told of shooting the arrow up and up toward the sun. He had explained he couldn't see where the arrow came down. He



had looked and listened for it to fall, but he had seen nothing and he had heard nothing—nothing but the roar of a lion. Daddy Ringtail shook his head to hear about it. He explained that people should know where an arrow is coming down, if they shoot it. The arrow might hit someone. But the Huffen (Poor boy!) wouldn't listen. Again he said: "I shot an arrow into the air. It fell to earth. I know not where."

And just then—a deep voice spoke out from the bushes nearby—and said: "You shot an arrow into the air. It came to earth—and I know where." And out from the bushes came a lion with the arrow in his hand, and "Oooooooh!" cried the Huffen in a fright, and tomorrow I'll tell you what happened next. Happy days!

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The BIBLIE

-Can You Quote It?

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1. I heard a voice from heaven as the voice of many.
Revelation 14:2
2. Who warned Joseph to take the infant Jesus and flee into Egypt?
St. Matthew 2:13
3. In Rama was there a voice heard, lamentation, and wailing.
St. Matthew 2:18
4. Yea, the darkness hideth not from thee; but the darkness is hideth not from thee; but the darkness is hideth not from thee.
Psalms 139:12
5. To depart from evil is my desire.
Job 28:28
6. I will remember their sins no more.
Jeremiah 31:34

Sit thou on my right hand, till I make thine enemies thy footstool.
St. Mark 12:36

Six correct... excellent. Four correct... good. For wisdom, courage and peace read the Bible daily.

In ancient Rome it was the custom for a girl to offer her dolls on the altar of Diana when she reached maturity.



LINED UP—Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower is the most ardent golfer ever elected President of the United States. (NEA)

OUR BOARDING HOUSE With MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS

EGAD, MARTHA! YOU MUST SHARE MY SOON AND ACCOMPANY ME TO THE CORONATION OF QUEEN ELIZABETH!—LIM! YOU'LL NEED A BLACK SILK GOWN, A ROPE OF PEARLS, AND A TIARA AND SLIPPERS ENCRUSTED WITH JEWELS!

GRAB YOUR LANCE AND GO JUMP ON YOUR HORSE SIR LANCELOT—AND TAKE THE SNATCH OFF THOSE MUFFINS!—NO, MY REGAL CHUM, I'M STAYING RIGHT HERE TO WAIVE THE SCEPTER OVER MY RETINUE OF HUNGRY SUBJECTS AND DEAD BEATS!

IF SHE WENT AWAY THEY'D EAT THE WAX FRUIT!

ISN'T SKATING RAPTUREOUS! LOOK AT THE GOLD OF THE FIRELIGHT BLENDING WITH THE SILVER OF THE MOON! LOOK AT THE REFLECTIONS—LOOK AT—

WHEN YOU'D LOVE TO LIVE FOREVER

SMILE YOUR PRETTIEST!



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UNCLE EF

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I APPEAL TO YOU AS A GENTLEMAN—A LITTLE READY CASH, PLEASE!

I INSIST!

YOU FLATTER ME, LIM! FINANCIALLY I'M A WET FIRE-CRACKER—THE BLACK AND I ARE STRANGERS!

HONEST, FRAND, I'M AS FLAT AS A BOOKMARK!

ALL I HAVE BETWEEN MYSELF AND STARVATION IS A MEASLY HALF A ROCK!

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PRISCILLA, WHY DO YOU DISAPPOINT ME LIKE THIS...?

YOU MADE A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION NOT TO BE KEPT AFTER SCHOOL AND YOU'VE BROKEN IT ALREADY!

GOSH, MOM, I DIDN'T BREAK IT.

MY TEACHER DID!

I HAVE AN EXCELLENT SUGGESTION!

OH-OH!

BEING THAT YOU AND HOMER ARE HAVING COMPANY TONIGHT, I'LL TAKE IN A MOVIE!

OH, MA! YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO OUT JUST BECAUSE WE'RE HAVING COMPANY!

COURSE NOT, MA!

BUT WHAT TIME ARE YOU LEAVING?

MA—!

GET ON WITH YOUR WORK, DAN SAID... OKAY!

...IT'S A NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTION! FROM NOW ON I KEEP LOOKING...

STRAIGHT AHEAD... THAT IS, AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE...

HEY, WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH ME? I FEEL FAINT—KIND OF DIZZY!

AFTER HE BOARDED OUR SHIP, THIS JOKER SHOT SOME KIND OF GAS IN OUR FACES AND WE PASSED OUT!

ANY IDEA WHERE HE WAS FROM, BARRIE?

NO-O-O. HE WAS BUILT LIKE A WRESTLER—TOO STOCKY FOR A MARTIAN. WAGN'T HE BRANDY?

YEAH, AND HE DIDN'T RIDE A FLYING SAUCER, SO HE'S NOT FROM CALLISTO.

MEANWHILE...

...FOUR HUNDRED, FIVE HUNDRED! OKAY MISTER—I HOPE YOU'VE WHAT YOU'RE LOOKING FOR.

ALL RIGHT, MR. FLINT, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FIRST?

WE MIGHT AS WELL BEGIN WITH YOU—NAME AND SERIAL NUMBER.

VERONICA, WHETHER THE LAST NAME WAS SCRIBBLE OR GRIBBLE, I WAS NEVER QUITE SURE. I WAS THE POOR LITTLE GUY'S WIFE. THAT'S ALL I CARED ABOUT.

THEN F.J. SCRIBBLE AND I WERE GRIBBLE WERE THE SAME PERSON!

MEANWHILE, AT THE BOSTON AIRPORT...

...THEY'VE BEEN SO KIND TO ME... BUT I'VE KILLED 'EM...

I DIDN'T GET A GOOD LOOK AT HER FACE TILL NOW, WASH! SHE'S TYKE ROMAN—THE EX-CIRCUS AERIALIST!

YOU MEAN TH' GIRL WHO WON THAT RADIO CONTEST A FEW YEARS AGO—TH' ORIGINAL MODEL FOR THOSE FAMOUS "KINGLIE BABY" ADS?

YES... LATER STARRED HER ON TH' SCREEN IN SEVERAL MOVIES! SHE'S DONE RATHER WELL IN HOLLYWOOD.

SURE, I'VE SEEN HER ON TH' SCREEN LATELY, BUT NOT WAS SHE DOWN IN THAT TENEMENT FIRE AN' WHY'D SHE JUMP IN TH' RIVER?

I CAN'T IMAGINE! BUT SHE'S COMING TO, AND WILL CLEAR IT UP. TYKE'S A SWELL KID!

YOUR LITTLE FRENCH FIGGER, MCGOY'S BEEN HERE TWICE, RED!

WHAT'D HE WANT, DUCHESS?

HE WOULDN'T SAY, BUT HE SURE ACTED SCARED!

LITTLE BEAVER BE SCARED TO HANDLE ALL BANK MONEY FIGGER, MCGOY GOTTA COUNT!

YOU'VE BEEN HELPIN' FIGGER SINCE HE WAS A RUNTY KID? BIG BOYS ALWAYS PICKED ON HIM, DIDN'T THEY?

RECKON I BETTER RIDE TO RIMROCK ANY SEE WHO'S PICKIN' ON HIM THIS TIME!

ALLEY OOP, A BURLY CITIZEN OF A PREHISTORIC ERA, WHO FOR MANY YEARS HAS SERVED AS DR. WORMMUG'S RIGHT-HAND MAN IN THE FIELD OF TIME-RESEARCH, HAS HUNG UP HIS AX AND RETIRED.

MY STARS, WHAT GAVE OOP THE IDEA OF RETIRING? DID HE GET SORE ABOUT SOMETHING?

NOT THAT I KNOW OF, I'D JUST GIVEN HIM A NICE OUTFIT OF CLOTHING FOR CHRISTMAS.

SO NOW I GOTTA WEAR CLOTHES, EH?

WELL, IF LOOKIN' PRETTY IS SO ALL-FIRED IMPORTANT, DOC CAN JUST GO GET SOMEBODY ELSE TO DO HIS TIME EXPLORIN'.

YEEZZZ... HE DANG WELL CAN!

MR. SPANGLER WILL SEE YOU NOW, MISS LAWSON!

GOOD MORNING, MR. SPANGLER! YOU SENT FOR ME?

I DO!

AND OH, CONFOUND IT ALL ANYWAY! * STOP LOOKING AT ME LIKE THAT !!!

LISTEN, YA ALLEY CAT BUM, QUIT CHISELIN' IN ON MY CUSTOMERS!

FEAR NOT, GUVNOR!

I AM NOT COMPETING WITH YOUR LINE!

HMMMM!

INCIDENTALLY, WHAT ARE YA PEDDLIN' THESE DAYS?

A LIL' ITEM WITH I'VE BEEN QUITE SUCCESSFUL...

...EARNUFFS!

DICKIE DARE

BUGS BUNNY

BOOTS

ALLEY OOP

RED RYDER

WASH TUBBS

VIC FLINT

CHRIS WELKIN

HOMER HOOPER

PRISCILLA

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Midland Fire Chief Praises Public On December Record

Midland is in certain possession of one of the finest records of fire prevention in West Texas for the last month of 1952.

43 runs were made by the Midland Fire Department in December. Surprisingly enough, the first half of December brought 31 of them, while the last half only produced 12, less than half of the total.

The drop in fire runs is made more impressive when it is considered that the final two weeks in

HURRY, ROBIN, HURRY!— Winter Doldrums Wax More Acute

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK—(AP)— This is the season when the average man would trade a future year in a future heaven just to see the first robin of Spring fly into his backyard right now.

It is the winter of our discontent the last carol has been sung.

Births, Deaths Climb In City

Adult deaths in Midland numbered 134 in 1952, and during the year 92 infants died, Newmie Ellis, deputy registrar here for the Bureau of Vital Statistics, announced Monday.

This compares to a total of 210 deaths during 1951 or 16 fewer than 1952, Ellis pointed out.

At the same time, Ellis issued 1962 birth figures. He said there were 1,421 births in 1952 in Midland compared to 1,115 the year before.

The following is a breakdown of the own diseases which caused 1962 adult deaths here, according to Ellis:

Fifty-one deaths (due to heart disease).
Thirteen deaths due to cancer.
Thirty-one violent deaths.
Thirty-nine deaths due to other causes.

Ellis said that 30 deaths took place in November, the top month. The least number of deaths—10—occurred in March.

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December are usually productive of the most fires, and also the biggest ones.

Chief J. M. Little of the Midland Fire Department gave full credit to the public for the drop in number of fires over the holiday period. He praised Midlanders for safety measures observed in preventing fires.

"Everybody was more careful," said Little. "Or we would have had more fires in December, and many serious ones."

Fire Marshal Bill Klatt expressed the opinion that December of 1952 was the lightest month in number of fires for Midland over a three-year period, using 1951 and 1950 as examples.

Klatt quoted figures on the reduced financial loss for Midland in December, 1952. His estimated insured loss from fires for the final month of 1952 is \$4,000, although the amount is not finally established.

In December, 1951, the insured fire loss fell just short of \$9,000, while in December, 1950 it was more than \$17,000.

The saving in loss of life and fire injuries, which cannot be reduced to statistics was evident in the decreased number of Midland fires.

Two men received minor burns in the Midland city limits during December, 1952. There were no deaths, compared to December, 1951 when one person was burned to death in a home.

Ed Carroll, an employe of the Bud Wilson Service Station, was burned on the face and arms in a grease rack fire on December 13, 1952.

The other injured man was Joe C. Wilson, who received burns on the hands at his home, 114 East Parker Street, on the last day of December, 1952.

Two oil field workers were seriously burned in an explosion and fire on Dec. 14, 1952; but the blaze occurred 20 miles from Midland.

The Midland Fire Department was called in to combat the flames in the oil field, but the fire was under control before they arrived.

The most serious loss in property damage came on Dec. 18, 1952, when the home of John E. Long, 1209 South Fort Worth Street, was extensively damaged by fire and smoke. Estimated damage ran well over a thousand dollars. Mrs. Long and her three children had a narrow escape from the conflagration, running from the house as the flames mounted.

In number of runs during December, 1952, Midland had one more than in December, 1951: 43 as compared to 42.

But this does not take into account the growth of a city in a period of a year.

For December, 1950, the Midland Fire Department experienced a total of 49 fire runs.

the Christmas tree is burnt. There is a false cheeriness to the mailman's "hello" as he stamps up the walk. He knows there is nothing but bad news in all those envelopes he brings—the envelopes with windows.

Only Calendar Fresh
The pages on the calendar say the year is fresh and new. But the calendar is a liar. The calendar of the spirit says the year is old and tired and shabby—just about the way the average man feels himself.

The party-giving is over. Now comes the letdown. He feels the heavy hand of time upon him.

What's wrong with everybody? The boss is grouchy. The wife says an angel in Paradise couldn't run a kitchenette apartment on the money you give her, let alone try to keep up a six-room house. The children's noses are running, the family pooch is fighting the family cat, the canary has worms. Your brother-in-law is out of work again and needs help.

Everything's Wrong
An acquaintance says, "I got a big Christmas bonus and a 15 buck a week raise. What did you get? Oh, come now. Really? Nothing. How come—you slipping on the job? Ha, ha, ha."

Everything's wrong. You put on your shoes and the string snaps. You go out to lunch and gravy drips on your new necktie. You sit down in the evening to read and the light bulb burns out.

Hurry, robin, hurry! Once you're here we know everything will be all right again. Our faith rides on your feathers.

Solitary Patient Rules \$6,800,000 Veterans Hospital
PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—No hospital patient ever had it better than wuz.

He's had some weekend, with four nurses and an entire nine-story, \$6,800,000 hospital at his beck and call.

Lemanowicz, wounded in Korea in 1950, was the only patient at the Veterans Administration Hospital here, which opened officially Monday.

From now on he'll have plenty of service buddies as hospital companions.

The V. A. invited Lemanowicz in a few days early so the hospital staff of 27 could "dry run" their equipment with one patient on hand.

Children In Tropics Plan Snowball Fight
NEW YORK—(AP)— New England snow sped through the skies to Puerto Rico Monday—in the belly of an airplane—for a children's snowball fight.

Two tons of it arrived by truck from Mt. Washington, near Pittsfield, Mass., and was loaded into an Eastern Airlines plane at Idlewild Airport.

Thence it took off for San Juan, insulated to keep at 15 degrees for the six and one-half-hour trip.

The snowball fight will help celebrate a holiday.

Financial Statement
MIDLAND SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION
MIDLAND, TEXAS
December 31, 1952

Assets	
First Mortgage Loans	\$3,435,419.84
FHA Title I Loans	399,550.65
Loans on Saving Accounts	36,590.00
Stock in Federal Home Loan Bank	90,500.00
U. S. Government Bonds	243,812.50
Cash on Hand and in Banks	436,754.40
Office Fixtures and Equipment	—
Less Depreciation	9,596.36
Office Building	—
Less Depreciation	100,408.50
TOTAL	\$4,752,632.25
Liabilities	
Capital	\$4,437,775.90
Reserved for Uncollected Interest	2,095.38
Reserved for Unearned Discount	33,692.05
General Reserves	177,907.32
Advance Payments by Borrowers for Taxes and Insurance	31,511.74
Surplus	69,012.14
Other Liabilities	637.72
TOTAL	\$4,752,632.25

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Minnesotan Demands Ouster Of Socialized Medicine Bloc



BERLIN CHIEF—Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Timberman, above, has been appointed to succeed Maj. Gen. Lemuel Mathewson as Berlin Commandant. General Timberman, a top World War II staff planner, has been commander of the U. S. 1st Infantry Division in Germany.

WASHINGTON—(AP)— A demand for the ouster of "socialized medicine crusaders" from government came from Representative Judd (R-Minn) Monday with the change of national administrations still two weeks off.

As leaders in the new GOP-controlled Congress made clear they would have no truck with "Fair Deal" proposals for compulsory federal health insurance or related programs, Judd told a reporter: "We need a housecleaning in the whole Federal Security Administration, and people placed in charge who will cooperate with the American Medical Association on a program for better distribution of a higher grade of medical care."

What irked Judd and some other GOP lawmakers was a report by the Federal Security Agency (FSA), headed by Oscar Ewing, saying that during 1951 private insurance met only about 13 per cent of the nation's personal costs of sickness, including loss of income.

The combined total of private expenditures for medical care and loss of income due to sickness was put at \$14,200,000,000. The report said the nation paid \$2,400,000,000 in health insurance premiums and got back in benefits \$600,000,000 less.

President Truman and the FSA several times have recommended that Congress enact a system of prepaid health insurance for employed persons, the cost to be financed by payroll levies. Just as consistently, Congress has refused. "Statistical Perversions"

The American Medical Association called the FSA report, issued Saturday night, a "perversion of statistical information" and an "obvious attempt by a lame-duck administration to discredit the voluntary health insurance programs."

Dr. George F. Lull of Chicago, the AMA's secretary and general manager, said, "Someone played with statistics and presented them in a way that implied there was a dire need for compulsory health insurance."

Republican House Leader Hallett of Indiana said the House was "not going to get into the field of compulsory government insurance."

Recently a health commission appointed by Truman sought to compromise the compulsory health insurance dispute.

It proposed federal grants to the states to help finance insurance for individuals unable to pay the cost of the premiums themselves. It also proposed that recipients of federal old age and survivors benefits have their medical insurance costs paid from Social Security funds.

Judd, a physician and one time missionary doctor, declared the medical profession is "against any totalitarian system of government-financed and operated medical care—and that's what their system is, whatever they call it."

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First MIG Of Year Tumbles From Skies During Bomb Strike

SEOUL—(AP)—An American Sabre jet pilot bagged the first Communist MIG-15 jet of the year Monday in a battle 35,000 feet above North-west Korea. The ground war was stalled by the bitter Korean Winter.

The Fifth Air Force reported the Red jet fighter was shot down in flames by Second Lt. William R. Bowman of Sarasota, Fla., his first kill. Bowman was in a flight of Sabres flying a protective screen for fighter-bombers striking through snow flurries at Communist supply targets.

Pilots reported destroying at least 70 Communist vehicles.

Several sharp clashes along the front in below-freezing cold were reported Sunday night and Monday before the skies clouded.

On Sniper Ridge, some 175 Chinese stormed up the slopes of Pin-point Hill under ear-splitting artillery cover. They hit the ridge position in two waves but dropped back after less than an hour—leaving an estimated 35 dead and 20 wounded.

On the far western front, almost two days of no contact was ended by sharp patrol clashes.

Elks To Expand Children's Hospital
DALLAS—(AP)— A contract has been awarded for a \$20,000 addition to the Elks' Children's Hospital at Ottine, Gonzales County.

Trustees of the Texas Elk State Association and the Texas Elks Crippled Children Institution, in a joint meeting here Sunday, awarded the contract to W. P. Howie, Wichita Falls.

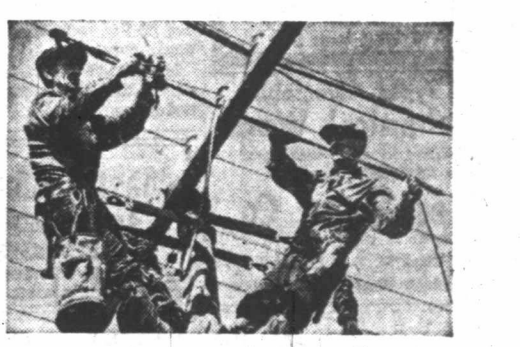
The addition is to be used for a school and is expected to be completed in the Spring.

Trustees also decided to hold the next state convention in Houston June 3-6.

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 - 385 good telephone jobs for Midland people.
 - Annual tax payments to the city of \$26,700—enough to send 140 Midland children to school for a full year.
 - Regular dividend payments to many Midland residents who own stock in the telephone company.

The telephone company has spent almost \$4,500,000 to expand and improve service here in the last four years. The modern dial system has been installed in the new two-story telephone building, and new wire has been added to the outside network of lines and cables.

The telephone payroll is now \$940,000 annually, seven times greater than at the end of World War II. Telephone taxes (\$26,700) contribute almost five times as much support for local government and schools as in 1946.

Employer, taxpayer, and dividend payer—the telephone company is a partner in the progress of growing Midland.

Growing, too, is the number of your friends and neighbors in Midland who have invested savings in the telephone business and now share in the ownership of the telephone company.

A daily average of 78,500 local calls is being made in Midland, almost three times as many as in 1946. There have been 11,600 telephones added here since the end of World War II.

Partners in Progress Midland and Its Telephone System

Reclamation Bureau Lists West Texas River Projects

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Four Oklahoma and two Texas projects which would cost an estimated \$101,585,000 are under investigation by the Reclamation Bureau for a proposed seven-year reclamation program. None are yet authorized.

Phillips Honors Four Employees For Long Service

During December Phillips Petroleum Company and its wholly-owned subsidiary, Phillips Pipe Line Company, honored four Odessa-Midland area men in recognition of their long service with the firm. William F. Jamison, Box 66, Penwell, and Samuel S. Millwee, 816 North McKinney Street, Odessa, received 30-year service awards; Terry O. Posey, 307 North Amburger Street, Odessa, and Alfred F. Stevens of Fullerton, received 25-year awards.

Jamison's entire service has been in the gasoline department, where he has served as chemist, rickman, chief operator, and plant foreman. His first job with Phillips was chief engineer at the old Frankell plant, Stevens County, Texas, and his present position is superintendent of the Juddkins plant in Ector County.

Millwee joined Phillips natural gasoline department as an order at the Pioneer plant in Eastland County. After serving in various capacities at the McCamery and Juddkins plants, he became chief engineer at the Hobbs plant and is now chief engineer, mechanical maintenance section, of the entire western district.

Increased Senatorial Expense Funds Urged

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Action to increase the office expense allowance of senators from large states was urged Monday by a senator from a small one, John J. Williams (R-De).

Williams told a reporter the need for such an increase was emphasized during the recent presidential campaign by the publicity over the privately-raised expense funds for Vice President-elect Richard M. Nixon.

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Bright Shirt Leads To Rescue Of Child

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—A bright shirt saved six-year-old Jimmy DePalmer's life.

Jimmy and Roger Green, eight, were fishing from a canal bank Sunday when Jimmy fell in. He sank. Roger ran, shouting for help. W. E. Finn, who lives nearby, said: "I heard the boy yelling and I thought he said something about a dog falling in the canal. I knew dogs could swim, but I walked over anyway."

"I looked into the water and caught a glimpse of what looked like a brightly colored shirt about 10 feet under water. Finn jumped into the canal and pulled the unconscious Jimmy out. He was revived by artificial respiration."

Beef Producer Holds 'High Hopes' For GOP

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Jay Taylor, Amarillo, Texas, first vice president of the American Cattlemen's Association, says beef growers have high hopes for better government under Republicans.

"We don't believe we'll get any advantages with the Republicans," he said in an interview Sunday night, "but we don't want any advantages. Cattlemen want a chance to be listened to. And more than that, they want a good leaving alone."

FLYNN STILL SICK MAN NAPLES, ITALY—(AP)—Errol Flynn's doctors reported Sunday the film star, suffering from jaundice, is "still a very sick man."

Mother And Jet Pilot Son Meet Again After 21 Years

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—"He's just the kind of son any mother would want. I couldn't be more pleased," said Mrs. Margaret Sarns, 44.

"She's wonderful. It's hard to believe we're finally together," said Second Lt. Gerald Whitney, a jet pilot.

These were the words of a mother and son reunited Sunday after a 21-year separation.

Whitney, of Albany, Texas, thought for years his mother was dead. Mrs. Sarns lost track of her boy after she divorced his father when the child was two.

Veep Says Future Won't Be 'Private' WASHINGTON—(AP)—After 40 years in public service, says retiring Vice President Alben Barkley, how can he retire to a private life?

Such a man "may not hold office but he will not be private," the 75-year-old Veep told interviewers Sunday.

Texan Becomes Chief Truce Liaison Officer MUNSAN, KOREA—(AP)—Col. Charles W. McCarthy, Chevy Chase, Md., chief liaison officer of the UN Command armistice delegation since last June, left Monday for Tokyo and the U. S.

Rhee Enters Japan To Talk With Clark TOKYO—(AP)—President Syngman Rhee of the Republic of Korea arrived by plane Monday for a visit with Gen. Mark Clark, U. S. Far Eastern commander. His flight from Korea was shrouded with secrecy.

Two Workers Killed In Warehouse Blast MUNCIE, IND.—(AP)—An explosion demolished a wholesale fruit warehouse Sunday, killing two banana cutters and injuring eight others.

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DOG STORY—Snooky, the Pekingese held by Mrs. B. L. Biggs of Memphis, Tenn., wandered into neighbor John Trippeer's yard the umpteenth time; Trippeer penned him up, and Mrs. Biggs came to his rescue. Trippeer says Mrs. Biggs bit him on the knee. Mrs. Biggs says Trippeer kicked her in the face with his knee. The judge said the case was dismissed—insufficient proof.

Father Uses Auto's Power To Save Tots From Flames

MEMPHIS, TENN.—(AP)—A terrified father, unable to enter his flaming home, used the power of his automobile and the strength of a steel chain to save his two tiny children from a fiery death Sunday.

Harold Wilkerson returned from a drive to find his home lathered in flames. The fire blocked Wilkerson's attempt to enter through a door and all windows were guarded by iron bars.

War Plan Clearance By Russian Denied WASHINGTON—(AP)—The U. S. is running military operations in Korea, says the State Department, and never clears them first through a Russian member of the UN secretariat.

Midland Service Clubs Return To Regular Schedule Midland service clubs, some of which have not met the last three weeks because of the Christmas-New Year holiday conflicts, will be back on regular schedules this week.

'Stricken' Ship Sails GIBRALTAR—(AP)—The 7,256-ton American freighter Western Rancher arrived here Sunday unaided and left again for Hampton Roads, Va., despite earlier reports she was in distress off the coast of Spain.

Anti-Filibuster Move Doomed To Failure, Says Louisianan

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Ellender (D-La.) predicted Monday that a projected move to revise Senate rules so as to make it easier to halt filibusters "will be beaten by better than a two to one margin."

12 From Midland Join Navy In '52

Out of the 160 Navy volunteer enlistments for the San Angelo recruiting area during 1952, twelve came from Midland, recruiting substation leaders announced Monday.

The Midlanders were Henry Gilbert Bell, Lawrence Neal Watts, Olen Cecil O'Neal, Russell Cox, Billy Scoggins, Elwood Carl Carlson, Hyram Tabor and Charles Lovering.

U. S. Turkey Show To Open In Dallas DALLAS—(AP)—The National Turkey Federation Show opens here Tuesday with the nation's prize birds trying to outstrip a Texas turkey.

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Senator Anderson (D-NM), acting for the group, made the initial move Saturday, proposing that the Senate consider adoption of rules for the next two years. Without such consideration, the Senate would operate under the same rules it used last year.

Co-sponsors of this effort to get new rules include 14 Democrats, four Republicans and one independent.

Air Base Skipper Says No Boiling Oil Due Tardy Students

AMARILLO—(AP)—Maj. John T. Alder, commanding officer of the 39th Student Squadron at Amarillo Air Force Base, says a group of tardy students need have no fear of "being boiled in oil."

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Taft said any senator could cut off debate on the proposed rules change simply by asking that Anderson's motion be tabled. Taft said he probably would do this after a brief debate—probably two hours for each side.

Most senators agreed that a combine of most Republicans and Southern Democrats would table the effort quickly, although not all put the prospective margin as high as Ellender did in talking to a reporter.

Taft said he believes the filibuster rule governing debate limitations never has had a fair trial. He contended that civil rights measures could be considered under present Senate Rules. He did not amplify this.

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