

Sashaway Holds Dance Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Smith were host couples when the Sashaway Square Dance Club met Friday in the Midland Officers Club.

Dances were called by Mrs. R. E. Morgan, Vic Reinholz, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Troseth, Bill Stout and Jay Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stout were introduced as new members, with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blacklock as guests.

Members attending included Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Brown, III, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Burkett, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Koerner, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ledebur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Morgan, Mrs. Dave Morrison, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Park, Mr. and Mrs. Vic Reinholz, Mr. and Mrs. Harland Shade, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Troseth and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Bagwell.

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THE MIDLAND REPORTER-TELEGRAM, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1953-3

Variety Will Keynote Symphony Concert

A variety in program selections and change in pace of the tempo will add interest and listening pleasure to the Midland concert of the San Antonio Symphony orchestra.

The concert is scheduled for 8:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Midland High School Auditorium, and is being sponsored by the Women's Auxiliary to the Midland Memorial Hospital.

The program will open with the national anthem and will include seven numbers. In the first half of the concert, the orchestra is to play "Adagio" from the "Organ Toccata in C" (Bach-Stokowski), "Sleepers Awake!" (Bach-Ormandy) and "Symphony No. 4" (Tchaikovsky).

outstanding guest conductorships. The Midland appearance will be one of the concerts scheduled by the orchestra for the season in a series of Texas cities, including, among others, Houston, Galveston, Beaumont, San Marcos, Victoria, Lockhart, Bryan, Austin, Orange, Fredericksburg and Big Spring.

Tickets for the Midland concert are \$2.40 each. They may be purchased at Wemple's Music Store, from members of the sponsoring organization, or by telephoning 2-1651 (Bel-Air Courts).

Brunch Fetes Guest From Pennsylvania

Mrs. Norman J. Maberry entertained with a brunch Monday honoring her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary A. Maberry of Allentown, Pa., who has been visiting in Midland.

The party was held in the Maberry home. An arrangement of lavender and white carnations and stock centered the table. Twelve guests attended.



TO LIVE IN SNYDER—Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Molloy, 610 South Fort Worth Street, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Patsy Ruth, to W. C. Orr of Jean, Texas. The wedding is planned for Sunday. Orr is employed by the Charles E. Hipp Drilling Company in Snyder where the couple will live.

WSCS Slates Prayer Services

Plans to hold daily prayer services during the week preceding the church revival were made Monday when the First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service met in the fellowship hall.

The revival, to be conducted by Dr. Clovis Chappie, is scheduled for March 22-27. It was announced an officers report meeting will be held Thursday in the home of Mrs. H. G. Counts, 209 East Cowden Street.

The Belle Bennett Circle, led by Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, gave the program. Members presented recitations prepared by mission school graduates. Those taking part were Mrs. Stacey Allen, Mrs. R. R. Russell, Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Mrs. W. F. Schafer, Mrs. J. P. Carson, Sr., Mrs. J. H. Harrison and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

It was reported five members had attended the jurisdictional conference and the Northwest Texas Conference in Amarillo last week. They were Mrs. Schafer, Mrs. Luther Kirk, Mrs. T. R. McAden, Mrs. Vergil Galloway and Mrs. J. H. Frazier. Also attending was Mrs. J. B. Sharp of the St. Mark's Methodist Church.

A luncheon, with the Edwina Kirk Circle as hostess, followed the program. Thirty-five members attended.

Calvary WMU Has Missionary Program

The Calvary Baptist Woman's Missionary Union held a business and missionary program Monday in the church with Mrs. H. A. Wells presiding.

Mrs. W. H. Varner reviewed the book, "The Mormon Religion." Mrs. Wells gave the scripture, Mrs. A. E. Bowman gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Methel Martin, the concluding prayer.

Others attending were Mrs. Leon P. Woods, Mrs. O. C. Lester, Mrs. Hayden Conine, Mrs. J. B. Lattrell, Mrs. Preston Vest, Mrs. Delmon Thompson, Mrs. H. E. Collins, Mrs. J. H. Beatty, Mrs. C. M. Edwards, Mrs. Vern Dawkins, Mrs. W. H. Lemley, Mrs. Jerry Drinkard, Mrs. Ford Faulkner, Mrs. B. L. Mason and Mrs. Hoyt Burris.

Midlander Named To Service Club

AUSTIN—Jane Stuart of Midland has been elected to membership in Spooks, social and service organization at the University of Texas.

Spooks are chosen for a sense of humor and interest and participation in campus activities.

A member of Kappa Alpha Theta social sorority and a freshman student, Miss Stuart is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Stuart, 611 West Watson Street, Midland.

VISITORS PARENTS IN PLAINVIEW

Mrs. O. F. Mason, 203 East Pine Street, returned Saturday from Plainview where she attended a dinner in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rastetter, on their golden wedding anniversary. The dinner was held Thursday.

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San Jacinto Study Group Will Meet
The Eighth Grady Study Group of the San Jacinto Junior High School will meet at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday in the conference room of the school.

Officers Named By Presbyterian Church Women

New officers were elected when the St. Andrews Presbyterian Women of the Church met Monday night in the church.

They are Mrs. Charles Gaylord, president; Mrs. Ward Hower, historian; Mrs. R. F. Carroll, church extension chairman; Mrs. V. C. Melville, world missions chairman; Mrs. Dorothy Pinkerton, spiritual growth chairman, and Mrs. Claude Neely, annuities and relief chairman.

Guest speaker for the meeting was Mrs. J. C. Carl, whose topic was "John Calvin." She discussed the life and teachings of John Calvin, and Calvin's writings, particularly "The Institutes."

Recommendations from the executive board were accepted during the business session conducted by Mrs. C. E. Bissell, president. Guests were Mrs. Carl, Mrs. Edwin C. Hall, Mrs. Brandon E. Rea, Mrs. Richard Markley and Mrs. Lawrence Myers.

Other members attending included Mrs. Don Crookham, Mrs. Fred Patton, Mrs. Hue Nunnallee, Mrs. James Grimes, Mrs. William Witt, Mrs. John Kershner, Mrs. Max Schulze, Mrs. Jack Clark, Mrs. R. L. Maddox, Mrs. William Caldwell, Mrs. Jerry Covington and Mrs. L. O. Waterstreet.

First Methodist Guild Holds Dinner Meet

The First Methodist Wesleyan Service Guild held a dinner meeting Monday in the educational building of the church.

Hostesses were Josephine Weaver, Mary Louise Yoe, Tommie Smith and Nell Feiler. Mrs. Vera McCleary gave the lesson on the book, "Toward Understanding the Bible." The devotionals was given by Mrs. J. B. McCoy, and Mrs. S. H. Gwyn led the opening prayer. Presiding officer was Theresa Klapproth.

A report was given on the annual guild conference which was held in Plainview February 14-15. Attending from the First Methodist guild here were Fannie Bess Taylor and Gustava Easley.

Those present, in addition to the above-mentioned, were Mrs. Eleanor Luton, Mrs. DeAlva Brown, Mrs. H. G. Counts, T. K. White, Jack Harbison, Mrs. Wilma Roberts, Mrs. Evelyn Miles, Vida Severance, Ruth Donnell, Mrs. Maud Son, Willa Millholland and Gustava Easley.

TO MEET THURSDAY

The Pro and Con Discussion Group of the League of Women Voters will meet at 9:30 a.m. Thursday in the home of Mrs. Rachel Morrison, 113 East Cowden Street.

Midlanders To Sail For Europe Sunday

Mrs. John Perkins III and daughter, Matilda, will sail from New York Sunday enroute to Germany where they will join Captain Perkins. They flew to New York Wednesday.

Captain Perkins is stationed at Würzburg with the engineers section of the Würzburg Military Post. The son of Col. and Mrs. John Perkins, 800 North F Street, Captain Perkins is a 1946 graduate of the United States Military Academy.

Mrs. Perkins is the former Jane McMillan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Guy McMillan, 1201 West Illinois Street.

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Old Theater Gets New Name For Day

NEW YORK—(AP)—The 48th Street Theater has a new name just for Tuesday—the Old Vic Theater. A sign with the new name was hoisted over the marquee in honor of the seventy-sixth birthday of actor Victor Moore, who is starring in the play "On Borrowed Time."

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Murrays Are Hosts To Young Republicans

The Young Republicans Club met Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Murray, Jr., on Princeton Street.

Bellview GA Has Study Meeting

The Intermediate GA of the Bellview Baptist Church met Monday in the home of Mrs. J. H. Goins, 1711 North Main Street.

TO SAN ANGELO

Mrs. Belle Caldwell and daughter, Geneva, 205 East Louisiana Street, and Nell Shaw, have returned from a visit in San Angelo.

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Silver Strings To Give Concert Tuesday Night

A public concert by the Silver Strings of Midland is to be presented at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the North Elementary School under the auspices of the Midland Music Club.

The Silver Strings ensemble was started about seven years ago by Mrs. Benton Howell, Mrs. E. S. Hitchcock and Mrs. Ben Dansby, Jr.

The group now has nine members and its program includes annual concerts, as well as programs for a number of the city's clubs and civic groups.

Included on the Tuesday program will be "Fugue in G Major" (Bach), "Concerto Grosso No. 2" (Handel), "Quintet in C Major" (Schubert), "Dance of the Mirlitons" (Tschalkovsky), "Gopak" (Moussorgsky) and "Plink, Plank, Plunk" (Leroy Anderson).

Queen Decorates Heroic Servicemen

LONDON—(P)—Queen Elizabeth bestowed medals and awards on 290 persons Tuesday at Buckingham Palace.

Emphasis was placed on men who have served heroically in the Korean War.

BUSINESS HERE
Mrs. George Wiley of Big Spring was a business visitor Monday in Midland.

Read The Classifieds



Plaits are used effectively by designer Claire McCardell in this spectator dress (left), shown in the exotic setting of old Spanish Town in Jamaica. The fabric is Hope Skillman's satin-striped cotton. Plaits are pleated to give an all-over color effect; plaits are stitched down the skirt far enough to smooth dress over the hips before it radiates into a rainbow of stripes. Slim silhouette appears (right) in this chambray dress by Var'n. It is stitched all over with braid to emphasize the narrow look.—By Gaille Dugas, NEA Woman's Editor.

Coming Events

WEDNESDAY

The Art Group of the AAUW will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Gerald Daniel, 1110 Timber Street.

The Daleth Delphian Society will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, 1710 West Missouri Street.

The BS Chapter of P.E.O. will meet at 1:15 p.m. in the home of Mrs. M. S. Metz, 1706 West Princeton Street.

The sewing room of the Midland Memorial Hospital will be open from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. for anyone interested in sewing for the hospital.

The Fine Arts Club will meet at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Wade Heath, 808 West Tennessee Street.

The Contemporary Literature Group of the AAUW will meet at 9:45 a.m. in the home of Mrs. J. W. Cornwall, 508 West Storey Street.

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the First Christian Church will meet in circles as follows: Young Matrons Circle at 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. E. D. Riddle, Andrews Highway; Henderson Circle at 9:30 a.m.; Mrs. J. C. Snyder, 1704 West Illinois Street.

The Garden Addition Home Demonstration Club will meet in the home of Mrs. K. G. Miller, 2618 Mariana Street.

The First Baptist Choir will practice at 8:15 p.m.

The First Methodist Carol Choir will practice at 4:15 p.m. in the children's building. The Chancel Choir will rehearse at 7:15 p.m. in the children's building. The Boy Scouts will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the fellowship hall.

The Druggists Wives will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. C. C. Tull, 806 West Kansas Street.

The Eighth Grade Study Group of the San Jacinto Junior High School will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the conference room of the school.

THURSDAY

The Welcome Wagon Garden Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Othel Griffin, 1306 West Tennessee Street. Mrs. C. H. Pearson will be co-hostess. Mrs. H. W. Mathews will speak on "How to Grow Roses in Midland."

The Midland Country Club will have family night. Dinner will start at 6:15 p.m., movies at 7 and games at 8:15.

The Ranchland Hill Country Club will have a buffet supper and games for members and their guests.

The Terminal Baptist WMU will meet at 2:30 p.m. in the church.

The PBX Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the City Council Room in the City Hall.

The Tally Hostess Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Ranch House.

The Nu Phi Mu Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m. for pledge training, followed at 8 p.m. by the regular meeting. Rose Tindal will be hostess.

The Afternoon Bridge Group of the AAUW will have a dessert-bridge at 1 p.m. in the Midland Country Club.

The Midland Camera Club will meet at 8:30 p.m. in the Palette Club Studio, 604 North Colorado Street. All who are interested are invited to attend.

The executive board of the First Methodist WSCS will hold a luncheon at 1 p.m. in the home of Mrs. H. G. Counts, 129 West Cowden Street. Mrs. J. B. Reynolds will be co-hostess. The Girls Choir will practice at 4:15 p.m. in the children's building. Intermediate Fun Night will be held at 7 p.m.

The Oil Scouts Wives Association will hold a dessert bridge and canasta party at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Scout Hall. Reservations may be made by telephoning Mrs. Jerry Roberts at 4-5104 or Mrs. H. L. Pyeatt at 4-7613.

The Altrusa Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

The Pro and Con Discussion Group of the League of Women Voters will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Rachel Morrison, 113 East Cowden Street.

Reclamation Bureau Economy Check Due

WASHINGTON—(P)—A tightening up of the 17-state operations of the Reclamation Bureau may be in the works.

Chairman Jensen (R-Iowa) of the House appropriations subcommittee which handles Interior Department funds said Tuesday he has requested a survey to see if the bureau can not eliminate a number of its district offices and consolidate some of its regional offices.

The bureau now maintains regional offices in seven cities. The seven regional offices are at Denver, Billings, Mont.; Boulder City, Nev.; Amarillo, Texas; Sacramento, Calif.; Boise, Idaho; and Salt Lake City, Utah.

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Bridges Asks Look Into Funds Sought By 'Voice' Agency

WASHINGTON—(P)— Senator (R-NH) called Tuesday for full investigation of a Voice of America request for almost four million dollars to equip a ship for beaming broadcasts behind the Iron Curtain. He questioned the technical wisdom of the project and said as chairman of the Senate Appropriation Committee he is opposed to granting the money until the Voice can demonstrate that it would work.

Bridges suggested the Senate investigations subcommittee headed by Senator McCarthy (R-Wis) look into the matter in connection with its probe for waste and subversion in Voice operations.

McCarthy said this would be done. The subcommittee, meanwhile, called another hearing, closed to the public and to newsmen, in an apparent attempt to determine whether any employees of the Voice have Communist ties.

Meanwhile, Dr. Robert L. Johnson, president of Temple University, was offered the job of head of the department's International Information Administration (IIA), which runs the Voice.

Johnson said he agreed to undertake a month-long study of the IIA and then make his decision about whether to accept the post. He said in an interview that at the moment he expects to take the job.

The White House said he would be acting chief of the agency during the study. He would replace Dr. Wilson Compton, former president of Washington State College, whose resignation was announced last week.

Bridges said the Voice now has one ship called Vagabond A which

has electronics equipment for beaming broadcasts into Iron Curtain countries and is installing similar equipment on another ship called Vagabond B.

In the budget requests for the fiscal year starting July 1, Bridges said, the State Department is asking for \$3,714,000 to equip a third ship to be called Vagabond C.

Bridges said that Vagabond A is anchored at the island of Rhodes in the Eastern Mediterranean and broadcasts through antennae supported in the air by a helium-filled balloon.

"It would appear," he told McCarthy, "that we do not actually have mobility in Vagabond A and it seems reasonable therefore that the Voice of America might perfect their original equipment before attempting other experiments."

Junior Red Cross Sends Aid To Dutch

The Junior Red Cross of Midland is sending aid to flood-stricken Holland. It has been announced by Mrs. J. J. Black, Midland County Junior Red Cross chairman.

A sum of \$100 is being sent from the \$337 collected in the Junior Red Cross enrollment held last week in the Midland public schools, including Terminal.

In addition, the Midland High School Junior Red Cross Club has packed 50 gift boxes to be sent to Holland.

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PETER EDSON'S Washington News Notebook

Busy President Declines All Invitations To Speak Now At Nation-Wide Events



WASHINGTON — (NEA) — Republican National Committee headquarters is having its troubles in fighting off requests to have President Eisenhower make speeches and personal appearances at local celebrations all over the country.

The demands were particularly heavy for the current period of Lincoln's birthday GOP celebrations. But the answer given to all invitations was that the President had too much to do in Washington, organizing his administration, and could not be pulled away from the job to make local speeches.

GOP National Chairman C. Wesley Roberts likewise has declined all invitations to make personal appearances. For the time being he figures it is best that he stay in the background, to let the governors and congressmen who will be running for office in 1954 have all the limelight.

The White House will not reveal when nor where President Eisenhower's first major speech will be made, until shortly before the event takes place.

Out In The Cold

Finding a job for Senator Owen Brewster, lame-duck Maine Republican, is one of the tougher assignments faced by the Eisenhower Administration. Because of Senator Brewster's past sponsorship of the one American flag, "chosen instrument" international aviation company, he is opposed for appointment to Civil Aeronautics Board.

The same argument is used against him in connection with a Maritime Administration appointment.

The senator's name has been mentioned as General Services administrator, to succeed Jesse Larson. But others in the race, like acting GSA Administrator Russell Forbes and Harry S. Ehrlicher of General Electric, are considered to have better qualifications. The name of

Dr. Ralph Bunche also has been put in the running for the GSA job.

War Or Peace?

Senator Robert A. Taft is being kidded a little bit about an apparent inconsistency in his answers to two questions on a recent radio quiz program.

On price controls he said, "I am utterly opposed to controls. Controls may be necessary in wartime, but not in peacetime."

On the proposed China blockade he said, "We are already at war with China."

Crowded Lobby

Former Democratic Wisconsin Congressman Andrew J. Biemiller's appointment to the legislative staff of American Federation of Labor has presented an interesting problem in lobbying on Capitol Hill.

As an ex-member of Congress, Biemiller has the privilege of going on the floor of the House at any time, to talk to congressmen. Other lobbyists who don't have congressional background can't do that.

But since the lobby registration section of the congressional reorganization act has been declared unconstitutional by the courts, it is expected that no holds will be barred on lobbying this year.

Past And Present

Gerald D. Morgan, one of several legislative counsels on President Eisenhower's White House staff, has had an interesting background as a registered Washington lobbyist.

Before a congressional committee several years ago, Morgan said that he was hired by former Rep. Fred Hartley of New Jersey to help draft what later became the Taft-Hartley Act. Several months after the bill was passed, Morgan was paid \$7,500 for this work by the Republican National Committee, through the good offices of Rep. Charles Halleck of Indiana, GOP floor leader.

Other accounts which Morgan and his former partner, Leonard J. Calhoun, have handled include National Tax Equality Association, Merchants and Manufacturers of Los Angeles, National Association of Life Underwriters and Western Oil and Gas Association.

Several Means To One End

All kinds of congressional proposals are being made to boost sagging farm prices by government aid.

Senator Thyne (R-Minn) proposes 90 per cent parity supports on oats, rye, barley, grain sorghums and soybeans.

Representative Lovre (R-SD) would continue present 90 per cent supports on wheat, corn, cotton, rice and tobacco through 1957.

Senator Young (R-ND) would up this to 95 per cent.

Senator Kerr (D-Okl) would raise this to 100 per cent and cover all major crops except perishable fruits and vegetables.

Congress Rans Behind Schedule

The plan to adjourn Congress by July 1 means that the lawmakers will have to go a lot faster in the remaining four-and-a-half months than they did in January. In that first month, although 730 new bills were introduced in the Senate and 2,762 in the House—for a grand total of just under 3,500—only one bill was enacted into law.

That bill created a new \$17,500-a-year job as undersecretary of State in charge of administration and economizing. This job has been given to Donald B. Lourie, president of Quaker Oats and a quarterback at Princeton in 1929.

The cleanout of the old gang in Washington got off to a fair start in January, with 827 nominations sent to the Senate by President Eisenhower, of which 333 were confirmed. No postmaster appointments were made.

Too Young To Die

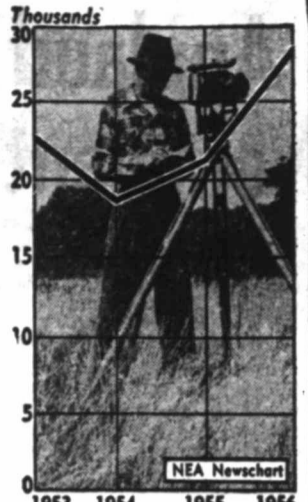
William T. Fairicy, president of the Association of American Railroads, used a fancy example in emphasizing the railway safety record of only one fatality for each 2,400,000 passenger miles in 1952.

"If Noah could have stepped out of his ark and boarded a train," said Fairicy, "and if the train could have been going day and night ever since at the rate of a mile a minute... he still would not have traveled 2,400,000 miles. Noah, by now a venerable individual 40 centuries old, still would have several hundred years to go before meeting with a fatal accident as a railroad passenger."

Reason To Fight

Korean Ambassador You Chang Yang isn't too enthusiastic about having Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist troops brought to Korea to fight the Communists. His reasoning is that if Chinese Communist armies were to be put in action against Chinese Nationalists, the Reds would have some excuse for fighting in Korea. Now they have none.

Soap is made from fat or oil and alkali.



SLIP-STICK FAMINE—Newschart above shows the present and future critical shortage of engineering students graduating from American universities and colleges. Industry will need at least 30,000 new engineers each year for a long time to come.

According to the Engineers' Joint Council, contrasted with Russia's increase in engineering and technical graduates, the U. S. shortage is viewed by experts as a security threat.

Gang Of Teenagers Accused In \$75,000 La Jolla Gem Thefts

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—A shoe box in a vacant lot has yielded up \$75,000 worth of jewels taken in recent robberies from ex-actress Arline Judge and a La Jolla hotel.

Deputy Police Chief Thad Brown said a tip led detectives to the gems, which had been removed from their settings. Most of the Casa de Manana Hotel, La Jolla, February 19, Brown said. About \$5,000 worth belonged to Miss Judge.

Harry Meyerhoff, 19, and his 15-year-old wife Claudette are held here on suspicion of the January 22 robbery of Miss Judge. A San Diego complaint is expected Tuesday charging the hotel robbery to Walter Bastie, 24, La Jolla; Eddie Vaughan, 19, St. Louis; and Don Holcomb, 17, Southgate, Calif. They were arrested here and removed to San Diego last weekend.

Regarding the find, Deputy Chief Brown said only "A member of the gang tipped us off to be at the lot at a certain time." San Diego officers say a sixth member of the gang is at large.

An acre first was defined as the amount of land a yoke of oxen could plow in a day.

Eisenhower's Budget-Balancing Policy Promises No Quick Shift To Low Taxes

By FRANK O'BRIEN

WASHINGTON —(AP)— In his State of the Union message, President Eisenhower told Congress: "the tax structure as a whole demands review."

The review is under way. What sort of tax policy will emerge from it as yet is unknown and the situation might stay that way two or three months.

Federal agencies have been given until April to come up with new estimates of spending for fiscal 1954, which begins July 1. Speaker Martin (R-Mass) has promised the House will not consider tax reduction bills before May 1.

In the meantime, Eisenhower's statements and those of his tax specialists can be considered. On the basis of these, the main policy lines of the Administration's tax program might be expected to be:

1. The nation has large financial commitments, for services at home and for mutual defense security, which are to be maintained. Taxes now are "too high" but they will remain "stiff" for the foreseeable future.
2. The tax system must encourage enterprise, reward hard work and encourage general economic growth.
3. The excess profits tax on corporations must go, if not when it is due to expire June 30, then soon afterward.
4. The higher bracket personal income tax rates must be revised downward.
5. If tax cutbacks, considered necessary to encourage general economic growth and personal endeavor, reduce revenues below the level needed, "lower income" sources of revenue must be tapped. Perhaps this might be done through a sales tax exempting food and rent, new excise taxes, or higher basic rates of individual income taxes. Also, regular corporation income taxes must be raised.
6. The tax system should go hand in hand with monetary policy to ward off "boom and bust" economic swings.

In his State of the Union address, Eisenhower said a review would be aimed at:

"A system of taxation that will impose the least possible obstacle to

the dynamic growth of the country... real opportunity for the growth of small businesses."

In the message and again in his first news conference, he said he thought there should be no tax reduction until it was known how much spending could be cut.

He also said he thought there should be a substitute for revenues from the excess profits tax on corporations, which will expire June 30 unless extended.

Consumption Tax

Undersecretary of the Treasury Marion Folsom, testifying before a House committee a year ago recommended balancing the budget by economies. But if that was not possible, he said, "consideration should be given to the enactment of a broad-based consumption tax."

Dan Throop Smith, a Harvard Business School professor, has been made head of a new Treasury analysis staff which will hammer out policy recommendations.

As an index to Smith's tax theories, here are some of the points he made in a speech at Dallas in 1951 and another at Princeton last November 20:

1. "Taxation in the top brackets has been pushed very considerably beyond the level consistent with my personal concepts of social justice... The individual income tax has become a mass tax in its coverage, but remains a class tax in its application."
2. "Most countries are apparently doomed to live with high taxation for the indefinite future."
3. "To secure large revenues with minimum oppressive influences, favorable treatment would have to be given to risky uses of capital, with penalties perhaps imposed on uses of capital which do not foster economic growth... Extra exertion should be allowed to receive extra net rewards."
4. "Under such a tax structure it would be possible to become rich."

... It might, however, be harder to stay rich over several generations."

5. "In this country the dogma of progressive taxation and the obsession against sales and excise taxation are especially serious."

6. The excess profits tax (and additional tax on corporation profits above a certain average) encourages waste (large expense accounts, for instance, to write off the extra profits), hits small companies and new companies which do not have a big profit average to start from and is inflationary because it encourages spending money without better reason than not to pay more taxes.

In the Harvard Business Review for January, 1951, Smith and others proposed raising extra defense revenue by increasing the rate on corporate earnings above \$25,000 to 60 per cent. It now is 52 per cent.

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Hard-Hit Cattlemen Applaud Benson's Stand, Want No Government Subsidies

By DON WHITEHEAD

FORT WORTH—(AP)—The nation's cattlemen are taking a price beating today but their leaders here insist the Eisenhower Administration is on the right track to bring stability to the giant cattle industry.

The story they tell you is this: Despite heavy price drops in cattle, there is greater confidence in the industry since President Eisenhower's inauguration.

Cattle prices have skidded drastically in the last two years from peaks which brought fat profits to almost everybody in the business. Prices continued to fall after Eisenhower took office. This has touched off a furor in Washington among politicians with an eye on the 1954 elections.

Some cattlemen are disgruntled. Some are critical of the GOP farm policies and fearful of the future. They would like to have the security of government price props under their cattle—something they never have had. But it's safe to say these stockmen represent a minority.

Probably Good Thing
Most prominent cattlemen take the view that the price shakedown probably is a good thing over the long haul for themselves and the nation. They want no part of government price supports, subsidies or controls.

Again and again in this country you hear cattlemen and others say something like this:

"Naturally we don't like to take these losses. It hurts. But a price adjustment had to come. If Washington will just leave us alone, we'll work it out ourselves."

"Down this way, stockmen generally voice considerably more faith and confidence in the Eisenhower farm policy than you hear in Congress. They are gleeful over the dropping of price controls on beef. They approve the attitude taken by Secretary of Agriculture Benson, who has said farmers in the future are going to have to depend more on themselves than on government subsidies."

Two years ago cattle were selling at \$36 for 100 pounds (more for top-grade beef steers). Now the price is off around \$10 or more a hundred.

Production Soars
In the Summer of 1951, the high price of beef was causing cries of anguish from consumers having a hard time finding a good steak in the butcher shop. The supply just couldn't meet the demand.

The government had slapped on price ceilings and even ordered rollbacks in the prices of beef cattle. Some cattlemen said then it would take from three to five years for production to catch up with the demand.

But production has outstripped expectations. Today there is a record number of cattle on the range and, in feeder lots. The last Department of Agriculture report

showed a cattle population of 63,696,000 on Jan. 1, 1953. This is an increase of more than five million head over the same period last year and a rise of 11,600,000 above 1951.

But the farm value per head on January 1 was only \$128 compared to \$179 on the same date a year ago. However, it was \$31 better than the average value from 1942 to 1951.

The high-profit period for cattlemen has been wiped out. Some of the losses involved were paper losses. But in many cases there has been a real financial squeeze on those who don't have the cash or the credit to tide them over the rough spot.

Kerr Proposal Unpopular
The heavy flow of cattle to market, depressing prices, resulted from heavy production plus a drought and the high cost of feed in relation to cattle prices. The combination has forced growers and feeder to unload their cattle even at unfavorable prices.

Oddly enough, out here one gets the impression cattlemen are doing less squawking than some of those outside the industry. This has brought some unusual results.

Recently Senator Robert S. Kerr (D-Okla.) introduced a bill in Congress to force Benson to use up to 25 million dollars to support beef cattle at 100 per cent of parity.

On the face of it, it would appear to be a move that would win wide support among the top cattlemen.

But it hasn't worked out that way. Jack Roach of Amarillo, president of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association, called Kerr's proposal "essentially a control program from another approach." He and his organization oppose it.

"We have always felt," he said, "that there can be no satisfactory or workable solution to our problems that would substitute subsidies for a fair and open market price."

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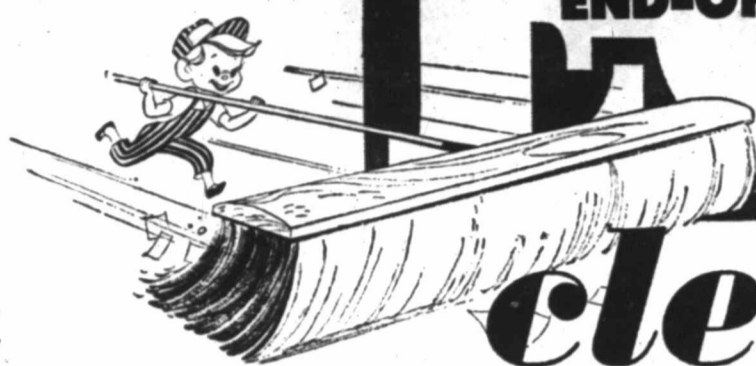
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Process Of Putting New Laws In Books Halts 'Railroading'

AUSTIN—(P)—If a bill you are particularly interested in has been introduced in the Legislature, you may be wondering why it takes so long for it to become law.

Maybe you've read stories that said the bill was "introduced," that a committee had "approved" it, that the House had "passed" the bill on second reading but failed to vote on final passage.

Sounds like a lot of gobbledegook, doesn't it?

Basically, the reason for making a bill go through so many steps is to give some assurance that proposed legislation won't be "railroaded through" before the lawmakers have time to study its merits.

How does a bill become law?

1. A bill may be filed in the House or Senate, except that all tax bills must originate in the House. Assume that the bill you are interested in is filed in the House.

Hearings Held

2. The bill is introduced "on first reading" and the speaker of the House immediately sends it to a committee.

3. The committee chairman schedules the bill for public hearing. Generally, at least 48 hours public notice is given by posting announcement of the hearing on the bulletin boards outside the House and Senate chambers. The average citizen has to rely on newspapers, radio and television to pass along the word that hearing has been scheduled. Trade association representatives and lobbyists are here to watch the bulletin boards.

Must Wait Turn

4. The committee hears proponents and opponents, then votes on whether to delay it or to recommend passage or non-passing by the House.

5. Assuming the bill wins committee approval, it goes to the House floor. There it must await its turn on the "calendar"—business docket. Ordinarily, bills are considered by the House in numerical order in which they originally were filed. However, there are numerous parliamentary and political tricks by which a bill can be delayed.

6. The bill finally comes up for House consideration. If a simple majority vote for the bill, it is "passed on second reading." But the rules require it also to be approved on "third reading," which means final passage.

Same Steps In Senate

To secure a vote on final passage the same day a bill is passed on second reading, the author first must get the House to authorize the final vote by a four-fifths majority. If he fails to secure the four-fifths majority, consideration of the bill is delayed until a later date.

7. The bill finally is passed by the House on "third reading" by a simple majority and sent to the Senate. There it goes to a committee. It follows the same process as in the House to win final Senate passage. If the Senate amends the bill, the measure must go back to the House for approval of the change. House and Senate must agree on the entire bill in its final form.

8. The bill goes to the governor. He may sign it into law, veto it or let it become law without his signature by letting it lie on his desk 10 days.

If the governor vetoes a bill, the House and Senate can override his veto by giving the bill a two-thirds majority vote of each chamber.

ANY GOP JOB HUNTERS HERE?

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'Copter Saves Clever Marine In Brave Dash Behind Lines'

SEOUL—(P)—A U. S. Air Force helicopter Tuesday braved Communist gunfire and snatched to safety a Marine pilot downed 60 miles behind the Red lines.

Corsair fighter-bombers buzzed angrily overhead, their chattering guns driving back frantic efforts by Communist infantrymen to capture the Leatherneck flyer.

The Reds couldn't get close, but their shells repeatedly hit the helicopter as it hovered one foot off the ground to rescue Maj. David Cleland of Santa Ana, Calif.

Cleland was hit in the ankle. Another Communist bullet pierced the hand of A/2c Thomas C. Thornton of Hempstead, Texas, an Air Force medic. Thornton got his when he reached out to pull Cleland into the 'copter. Neither man was injured seriously.

Cleland was on his 101st Korean mission when Red groundfire hit his plane.

After he crash-landed, he fooled the Red soldiers by wadding his parachute into a semihuman shape and crowning it with his helmet.

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Ironic Fate Nails Mollie

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They didn't know what was wrong with her until veterinarian Harry Sherman found the trouble with a mine detector.

He operated—extracted a nail in her second stomach. But Mollie failed to respond. They tried penicillin, sulfa drugs, intravenous glucose and dextrose feedings. It was no use.

Mollie was sent to the slaughter house Monday. A post mortem examination showed she had another nail in another stomach.



(NEA Telephone)
PICKED UP—Louis Albert Sturgis, left, sits handcuffed in a jail cell after being picked up with his girl friend, Virginia Mae Iser, right, by police in Pueblo, Colo., in connection with a double murder and \$48,000 bank robbery in Kansas City, Kan.

U. S. Crude Oil Production Slumps

TULSA—(P)—U. S. crude oil and condensate production fell an average of 3,450 barrels daily during the week ended February 21, the Oil and Gas Journal reported Tuesday.

Total daily average for the week, the Journal said, was 6,550,200 barrels, making cumulative production for the year 328,990,825 barrels compared to 326,474,400 at this time last year.

Kansas led the downward turn, dropping 13,400 barrels to 340,900. New Mexico was off 200 to 179,150. Louisiana had the biggest increase, up 5,300 barrels to 702,450. Oklahoma gained 4,400 to 837,600 and Arkansas advanced 1,150 to 79,000.

Production was unchanged in Texas, 2,939,250.

Cabinet Member Says 'Break Bank' Game Nearing End

MARIETTA, OHIO—(P)—The postmaster general says "the national game of 'break the bank' is about to come to a merciful end."

Arthur E. Summerfield, in his first major address since becoming a Cabinet member, spoke Monday night before a Chamber of Commerce dinner meeting celebrating Ohio's sesquicentennial.

Summerfield, former chairman of the Republican National Committee, said the government had increased its "take" of American income from 15 per cent to 31 per cent in the last 12 years.

This has placed the American citizen in a position where "he must look to government for help," he asserted. But he said this will end under the present Republican Administration.

Jealous Husband Kills 68-Year-Old Wife By Stabbing

NEW YORK—(P)—A marriage of 49 years ended in blood and death Monday, police said, with a 73-year-old husband fatally stabbing the 68-year-old wife he believed "unfaithful."

The husband, Abraham Sperber, was accused of killing his wife Sarah with an ice pick in their apartment.

Police said he left a note addressed to a sister and the couple's five grown children, saying: "This act which I am committing is due to the fault of my unfaithful wife."

Assistant District Atty. David Getzoff said he knew of no reason for Sperber's jealousy.

OKLAHOMAN HERE

Mrs. Lela Elrod of Lawton, Okla., is a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Viola Cunningham, 1411 South Loraine Street.

SNOW STYMIES DROUTH STORY

LUBBOCK—(P)—Note to the managing editor:

That story on the drouth in the South Plains won't be coming up Tuesday.

A Lubbock Avalanche staffer sent to Lamesa Monday to get a story on the long dry spell almost didn't make it back because of a blinding snowfall.

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The earth is the Lord's, and the fullness thereof; the world and they that dwell therein.—Psalm 24:1.

Today's Message

In periods of pessimism and an atmosphere of moral depression a multitude of people—some of them good, some of them bad—as good and as bad as I—become very doubtful about this being of God's world. Many declare in effect: "If this world is God's world, the job can stand improvement."

However this may be, with the late Maltbie Babcock, poet-preacher, I confess my faith: "This is my Father's world." The sweet singer of ancient Israel adds his authoritative experience when his voice and harp declare: "The earth is the Lord's and the fullness thereof; the world and they that dwell therein."

This is not to indulge oneself in any shallow optimism. Most certainly there are in this world evidences of evil that test one's faith in a personal Providence. Many know—how well some of us know!—the moments when the skies are black and the heavens brass. Maltbie Babcock knew this as well as anyone, for he was a chronic sufferer from physical disease. Yet, he could create this lifting, soul-lifting hymn "This is my Father's world."

—STANLEY MARPLE

Today's Prayer

Heavenly Father, give us that complete trust in Thee which neither sorrow nor disaster can shake. May we rejoice in the knowledge that this is Thy world, and may we pray that Thy will, not ours, be done. Amen.

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Special Week For Veterans Of Korean War Designated

The Texas American Legion has set the week of March 15 to 22 as "Korean Veteran Appreciation Week," a time for honoring Texans who have died in or returned from the Korean War. State Legion Commander Albert D. Brown has asked all Texans to join in the plan.

Midland Legionnaires will join their fellow vets in the program, W. G. Abbott, Midland commander said Monday, but have not yet completed plans for the week.

Returned Korean veterans will be issued Appreciation Certificates from the American Legion and families of those who did not return will be presented certificates also.

The Legion will mark its thirty-fifth birthday March 15, the day the appreciation week is to start. State Commander Brown has put more than 800 Texas posts in the plan to honor Korean veterans. Pastors of all Texas faiths will be called upon by the Rev. Henry F. Seiler of Marshall, state chaplain, to honor the veterans at church services March 15.

Commenting on the honor week, the Midland commander said, "Our Korean veterans have been leaving Texas by the thousands and returning the same way, but with little or no notice being taken of what they have done for our country. It is far past time for us to show these men that we are aware of their efforts."

U. S.—Russian War Coming, Says Korean

WASHINGTON—(P)—If Russia decides on all-out war, "she is going to jump right on the United States," says South Korean Foreign Minister Y. T. Pyun.

But he added, in a copyrighted interview published Monday in U. S. News and World Report, he thought United Nations forces could bomb Manchurian bases without touching off a general war. He said he thought a U. S.—Russian war eventually was inevitable.

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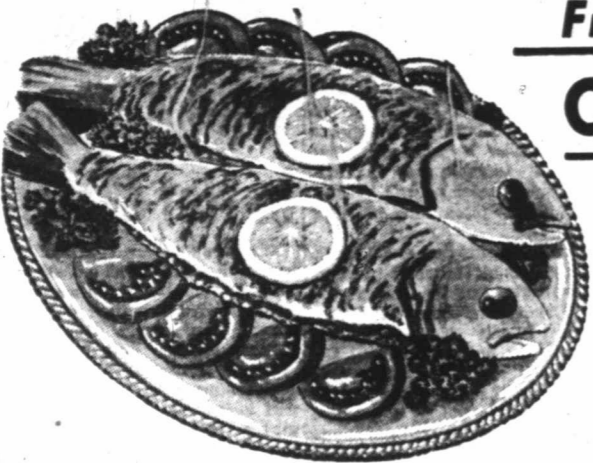
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Permian Basin Oil And Gas Log—

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for about 24 hours when it lost the swab line. It had averaged around 11 barrels of oil per hour during the entire period. The oil had been cut heavier with mud and sediment at the start of the swabbing.

Operator representatives expect the well to clean itself of the mud and basic sediment in a short time after it resumes swabbing following the shut-in.

This wildcat is bottomed at 4,534 feet in the lower Wolfcamp-Permian. The 1 7/8-inch casing is cemented on bottom. A water zone at 4,446-47 feet has been squeezed off with cement.

Location is at the center of the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 162, block 1, H&TC survey. It is four miles northwest of Girard and 12 miles northeast of Spur.

Operator representatives have reported the following picks on formation markers. The tops were called from electric log surveys:
Elevation is 2,238 feet. Tops are: San Angelo, 1,520 feet; Clear Fork, 1,840 feet; Tubb sand, 2,238 feet; Bull Wagon, 2,230 feet; Yale, 2,548 feet; Wichita-Albany, 2,708 feet; Valerian, 3,254 feet; base of Coleman Junction limestone, 3,890 feet. More Markers

Dothan, 4,130 feet; Noodle Creek, 4,237 feet; Stock Weather, 4,350 feet; Tannehill sand, 4,408 feet; Saddle Creek, 4,470 feet. (This is the base of the Tannehill sand); Total depth 4,534 feet in lower Wolfcamp. Operator representatives say the No. 1 Smith did not enter any Pennsylvanian formations.

When the wildcat had its first show of oil in the sand some observers thought the pay was the Cisco sand of the Pennsylvanian.

The electric logs and the study of the samples showed that supposition to be incorrect.

Vickers To Drill Ellenburger Test In C-W Borden

The Vickers Petroleum Company of Oklahoma City and Wichita, Kan., is to start operations at once on its No. 1 W. C. Orson, scheduled to be a 10,500-foot wildcat in Central-West Borden County to test the Ellenburger.

Location is 14 miles west of Gall and about 30 miles east of Lamesa. It is slightly more than one mile east of the Dawson County line. Drill site is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 11, block 33, T-5-N, T&P survey.

It is to be drilled on a lease secured by Vickers on a farmout deal with Magnolia Petroleum Company. That concern and Amerasia Petroleum Corporation are supporting it.

Cabot Carbon Gets Possible Discovery In Tubb In Yoakum

Cabot Carbon Company has a possible Tubb sand discovery and new test for the Prentice (multipay) field of Northeast Yoakum County at No. 7 Johnnie Elizabeth Wright.

Two drillstem tests have been completed in the Tubb sand, which was topped at 7,180 feet, elevation 3,560 feet. First was from 7,893 to 7,980 feet. Tool was open two hours. There was a steady blow of air throughout the test. Recovery was 180 feet of slightly mud-cut oil, 90 feet of very heavily oil and gas-cut mud, 206 feet of slightly oil and gas-cut mud and no water. Open flowing pressure was 125 pounds and shut-in pressure after 15 minutes was 300 pounds.

Another Tubb Test
The second Tubb sand drillstem test was from 7,980 to 8,055 feet. Tool was open two hours. There was a fair blow of air throughout the test. Recovery was three stands of free gas, seven feet of free oil, 228 feet of slightly oil and gas-cut mud and no water. Flowing pressure was zero and shut-in pressure after 15 minutes was 125 pounds.

Operator started making more hole after the test on total depth 8,055 feet.

Twin To Producer
No. 7 Wright is a twin to Glorieta production in the Prentice field. It drilled at least 500 feet of Clear Fork pay, one of the regular Prentice payout formations. A drillstem test was taken each 50 feet in the Clear Fork.

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N-C Andrews Test Waiting On Orders

Neville O. Penrose, Inc., of Fort Worth No. 1 M. M. Fisher, wildcat in North-Central Andrews County, is at total depth of 4,554 feet and is shut down waiting on orders. Seven-inch casing is set at 4,458 feet.

The San Andres was tested through open hole and made only water.

The project may be drilled deeper. Operator should determine within a few days whether it will go deeper or be plugged and abandoned at the present bottom.

Location of No. 1 Fisher is 660 feet from south and 900 feet from east lines of section 8, block A-36, psi survey and six and one-half miles northwest of the town of Andrews.

Kidd Stakes Offset To Grayburg Opener In Crockett Region

Barron Kidd of Dallas and Midland has staked a diagonal northwest offset to his No. 1-A Bear-Pure, a recently completed Grayburg discovery in Northeast Crockett County.

The new project is No. 1-C Bear-Pure and is located 2,470 feet from west and 1,013 feet from north lines of section 81, block OP, GC&SF survey. That makes it two and one-half miles southeast of the Vaughn pool.

Cable tools will be used to drill to 1,500 feet, beginning at once.

Honolulu And Signal Develop Salt Water In Hockley Tester

Honolulu Oil Corporation and Signal Oil & Gas Company were waiting on orders at No. 2 Matthews, one-location northeast offset to their No. 1 Matthews, Pennsylvanian discovery in Southeast Hockley County, after finding salt water on total depth of 9,450 feet.

Drillstem test was taken in the interval from 9,430 to 9,450 feet. Tool was open seven hours. Recovery was 90 feet of oil-cut water blanket, 710 feet of salt water.

The prospector had shown for production from the Pennsylvanian on several drillstem tests in the section above the water.

Location is 525 feet from north and 1,305 feet from west lines of labor 11, league 13, Howard County School Land survey.

N-C Schleicher Field Gets New Explorer

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company will drill No. 4 McClatchey Estate as a project at the west side of the Huldale (Pennsylvanian field of North-Central Schleicher County.

Drill site is 1,100 feet from north and 467 feet from west lines of section 43, block M, GH&SA survey and seven miles north of Eldorado.

It is slated for a 5,800-foot bottom.

Tom Green Gets Shallow Wildcat

John Odstell of San Angelo has filed application with the Railroad Commission of Texas for permission to drill a 400-foot cable tool wildcat in Central-West Tom Green County.

It is No. 1 E. D. Jones and is located 1,213.83 feet from north (Spring Creek) and 330 feet from west lines of section 758, J. C. Heiber survey.

That makes it one and three-quarters miles southeast of Tankersley. Drilling will begin immediately.

Barstow Residence Destroyed By Fire

BARSTOW—Flames swept the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar F. Croft, pioneers of this area, Saturday. Fortunately nobody was injured as fire completely destroyed the home.

The freak fire started when three-year-old "Skipper" Croft, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Croft of Barstow, was "helping Grandma" with her chores. He was sweeping the kitchen when apparently the unwieldy broom brushed a stove, immediately bursting into flames. The lad thrust the broom into a well-filled trash basket and soon the kitchen was ablaze.

Mrs. Croft and a neighbor carried the tiny boy and his brother, Jimmy Roy, out of the house. Before Croft, owner of the Barstow Garage, could reach his home, it had been destroyed.

RETURN TO PENNSYLVANIA
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peterson left Tuesday by plane for their home in Beaver, Pa., following a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Anderson, 1003 West Storey Street, and Mrs. Marge Anderson.

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RELAXING JOB—Salesman Ken Lodge, of Southampton, England, believes in giving his customers practical demonstrations while trying to sell them second-hand furniture. He literally lies down on the job to show off the merits of his bed.

Bids On Monahans Bank Are Delayed

MONAHANS — Bidding on construction of the First State Bank at Monahans has been delayed until March 2. Bids originally were to have been received February 23, but technical difficulties forced the delay.

J. J. Black of Midland is architect for the new structure, which is to be a one-story building with masonry. The building will be built of skeleton structural steel for the central part and face brick and haydite tile for the load-bearing exterior walls. The new building will feature acoustic plaster walls, terrazzo tile floor and mechanical refrigeration and heating.

Bidders on the job will be Harold Diller, W and D Construction Company of Kermit; Faulkner Construction Company of Pecos; E. E. Hixon of Kermit; Tubb-Watt Company of Monahans; Clyde Hall, Lee Ligon, Newton Construction Company and Smith and Cooper, Inc., all of Odessa.

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Frightened Teenagers Find Young Woman Shot Fatally

SAN ANTONIO — (AP) — Three frightened teen-age girls Monday reported to a theater's assistant manager that a young woman was dying in the movie house restroom.

Military authorities later in the day identified the beautiful, blue-eyed "brownette" as Josephine Margaret Wood, 24, officer candidate at Lackland AFB here.

She died in Brooke Army Hospital shortly after the frightened girls found her with a pistol bullet wound in the head.

A note addressed to Milwaukee, Wis., was found in the wallet of her purse. It read:

"Dear Mom and Dad: Thank you for everything. Please forgive me. Love, Jo. I love you dearly."

Still strapped to her shoulder, the mortally wounded girl's purse contained \$53 in cash.

A .22 caliber revolver, discharged once, was found under her body in the restroom and it was this

weapon that police believed to be the death gun. It apparently had just been purchased. A paper bag containing the gun box was found in the room, along with a box of cartridges.

Patrolman T. T. Finley of the San Antonio police said the note found in the young woman's purse obviously was several weeks old. Finley said it was creased and apparently had been folded and refolded again and again.

Officers found the girl's hat placed neatly on a shelf in the adjoining powder room.

Red's Money Shunned
TAIPEH, FORMOSA—(AP)— Nationalist Chinese guerrillas in a mountainous coastal region of Communist China are issuing their own currency for local use, the official Nationalist Centray News Agency said Tuesday.

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Shah, Mossadegh Huddle In Attempt To Settle Dispute

TEHRAN, IRAN —(AP)— Premier Mohammed Mossadegh met with Shah Mohammed Reza Pahlavi Tuesday, apparently in an attempt to settle a major dispute that reportedly has developed recently between the government and the royal court.

Tidelands—

(Continued From Page One) sovereignty involving the utilization of the territorial waters and the high seas which lie above the continental shelf.

Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)— Noon cotton prices Tuesday were 15 to 65 cents a bale higher than the previous close.

STRIKE GROUND PLANES

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Reds' Growing Germ Warfare Charges Anger General Clark

By SAM SUMMERLIN TOKYO —(AP)— Gen. Mark Clark Tuesday blasted Communist propagandists for their "fantastic and utterly false charges" about UN germ warfare and angrily accused the Reds of extorting "confessions" from captured Americans.

Water Usage Bill Gathers Support In Public Hearing

AUSTIN —(AP)— Backers of a financing plan to help save water for Texas called for adoption of Senator John Bell's proposed constitutional amendment Tuesday. They said it would help prevent federal control.

\$250,000 Fire Hits East Texas Village

STAFFORD —(AP)— A \$250,000 fire destroyed four business buildings in the East Texas village of Stafford Tuesday.

House Battle On Optometry Bill Moves Into Second Day

AUSTIN —(AP)— The House resumed its wrangle over the optometry bill Tuesday while a Senate committee heard a plea to save water resources from federal control.

Former Bible Dean To Return To TCU

WILSON, N. C. —(AP)— Dr. D. Ray Lindley resigned Tuesday as president of Atlantic Christian College here to become administrative vice president of Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. The resignation is effective June 1.

Chinese Prisoner Is Hanging Victim

TOKYO —(AP)— The UN Prisoner of War Command Tuesday reported a Chinese Communist POW was found hanging in a bath house at the Cheju Island prison camp Sunday.

Death Of Texline's Mayor Ruled Suicide

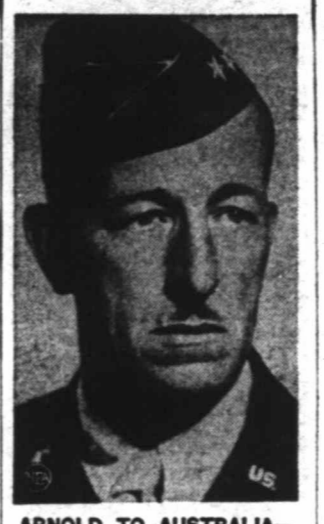
TEXLINE —(AP)— A verdict of "apparent suicide" was returned Monday in the death of former Mayor Larry Kehoe, 45, of Texline.

UN Patrol Blasts Out Of Red Trap

SEOUL —(AP)— Allied tank and infantry raiders, trapped and virtually surrounded by a Chinese Red ambush, blasted their way back to UN lines on the Korean western front early Tuesday after a bitter, five-hour fight.

Church Dedication Planned At Crane

CRANE —(AP)— The newly completed Missionary Baptist Church on McElroy Street will be dedicated March 8, the Rev. M. A. McCasland, pastor, has announced.



ARNOLD TO AUSTRALIA—Maj.-Gen. William H. Arnold, 52, above, at present chief of the joint American military mission for aid to Turkey, will assume command of U. S. forces in Australia in April. He will replace Gen. George P. Hays, who will retire in April.

Tariff Union Wins Accord Among Allies

ROME —(AP)— Holland's plan for an eventual tariff union appeared to meet general agreement at a meeting of the foreign ministers of six West European countries Tuesday.

Investment Advisor Addresses Optimist Club; Tourney Set

"America is the greatest nation of grub-stakers in the world," said New Walker, speaking before the noon meeting of Optimists Tuesday in Jimmy's Bar-B-Q.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. Freddy S. Samples, 806 West Dakota Street, on the birth Monday of a daughter, Glenda Louise, weighing five pounds, three ounces.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Cattle 2,500; calves 500; slow and weak; good and choice slaughter steers and yearlings \$19-\$23; common to medium \$12-\$19; fat cows \$14-\$16; good and choice slaughter calves \$19-\$23.50; common and medium \$12-\$19; stocker calves \$15-\$23; stocker yearlings \$22 down; cows \$12-\$18.50.

Two Men Charged In Narcotics Case

HOUSTON —(AP)— Narcotics charges were filed Monday against two San Antonio men accused of possessing heroin.

Church Dedication Planned At Crane

CRANE —(AP)— The newly completed Missionary Baptist Church on McElroy Street will be dedicated March 8, the Rev. M. A. McCasland, pastor, has announced.

Banker Visits Here

William J. Woodward, assistant vice president of the National Bank of Commerce, San Antonio, was a Midland visitor Tuesday.

WOMAN ASPHYXIATED

LAMESA —(AP)— A woman asphyxiated in a closed tourist cabin Monday was identified from letters as Mrs. J. D. Blain, 37, of Lubbock. A heater apparently exhausted oxygen in the room.

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Forecaster Views Future But Overlooks Main Item

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Louis H. Bean, the election forecaster who didn't foresee the end of his own job in the Department of Agriculture, can look forward to a new one.

Midland TV Dealers Elect Hester As First President

An organization designed to protect Midlanders from unscrupulous television dealers came into being Monday night at the Chamber of Commerce office with Bill Hester elected its first president.

Odessa Rig Worker Dies In Fall At Clovis

CLOVIS, N. M. —(AP)— Bruce Clayton Frost, 36, was killed Monday when he fell from an oil well rig north of here.

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Texas Doctor In Europe Praises Troops; San Angelo Twins 'Dress Alike' In Army

By GRACE HALSELL
Reporter-Telegram Special
Correspondent

MUNICH, GERMANY — While there are some cases of "mommy boys" cracking up away from home in Germany, most of the boys suffering from "momism" benefit from overseas duty, Col. James D. Gardner, commanding officer of the big 98th General Hospital here declared.

The colonel is a native Texan, and took his medical work at the Baylor University School of Medicine in Dallas.

Generally, the medical officer sees "little or no difference" between stateside and overseas health conditions among the Americans.

Those Who Drink
As far as alcoholism is concerned among service men and officers, "it is no better and no worse" than in America, he observed.

Before coming to the 98th, he was commanding officer of the U. S. Army Hospital at Fort Hood from 1948, when it had 150 beds, until 1952, when it had 1,000 beds.

"That was a dry territory, and here the men can get all they want to drink, but there is no difference in the amount consumed. A certain percentage are going to drink."

The colonel added the alcoholism problem "isn't bad in either place."

While the 98th General Hospital here takes care of all types of illnesses, with patients "coming from all over the world—from Finland, Africa, Turkey and Iran to name a few of the countries, the plant does have three specialties, Colonel Gardner pointed out.

These are neuro-psychiatric, hepatitis and cardiac cases.

Yellow Jaundice

Most illnesses run "about the same as in the States," with a few exceptions, notably hepatitis, a virus condition affecting the liver and following the same pattern as "yellow jaundice" only more severe.

The colonel said because it was more prevalent here than in the States, "we have set up our own research program here, and found out a lot about it."

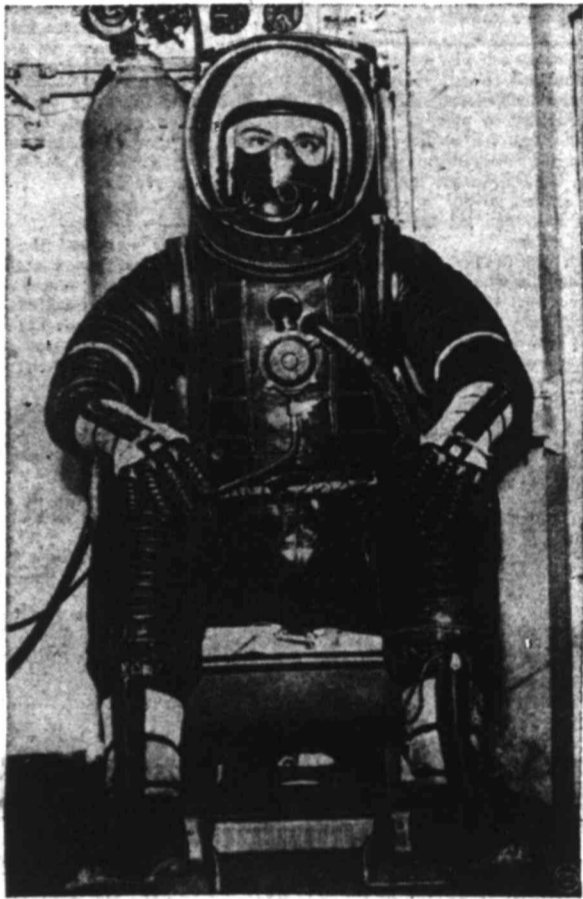
Period of hospitalization for hepatitis patients averages 75 days, he said.

The hospital employs more than 1,000 persons, both Germans and Americans, but "primarily American doctors are used" with German doctors assisting, he said.

Files Lone Star
Asked what he thought about German doctors and medicine as compared with American, he said: "I would rather not be quoted on my opinion." Then he added: "But

I would take the American doctors and medicine."
The colonel, gray-haired but with a face free of any wrinkles, occupies a large, cheerful office, made attractive by its carpeting and drapes, and numerous flowers and plants. Behind his desk are the American and Red Cross flags, and placed on his desk is the "Lone Star" flag of Texas.

A friendly man with a slow Texas talk, the commanding officer is known to his staff as an "avid Texan." He is a bit on the rotund side, and a far cry from his predecessor at the hospital who kept a sharp eye out for any hospital worker tending to be on the overweight side. Regular weighing ses-



OUT OF THE COMIC STRIPS—Lt. Commander Harry Peck, of Dekalb, Ill., models the first "full pressure" flying suit which will provide pilots with their own earthly atmosphere when flying at extreme altitudes or even in outer space. The suit, developed by the B. F. Goodrich Co., at Akron, Ohio, is made of rubber, with a plexiglass helmet and has its own oxygen and pressurizing system. It has been successfully tested in altitude pressure chambers at a simulated height of 70,000 feet.

sions were held, and anyone weighing more than he should was given a strict diet, and ordered to follow it.

Baylor Graduate
Colonel Gardner's parents died when he was young, and he was reared by an uncle, D. N. King, who still resides in Greenville. He was graduated in 1921 from Greenville High School, in 1925 from Baylor University, Waco, getting AB and MD degrees in 1929 from the Baylor University School of Medicine in Dallas.

The colonel is married to the former Pat Shook of Greenville. They have a girl, Cynthia, 19, who has had two years at the University of Texas and will return there this

Fall, and a boy, Donely, 14, in Munich High School.

Texas Over Paris
Mollie S. Brown has seen the styles of Paris—and likes the clothes she gets in Texas better.

"The materials are beautiful in Paris," she admitted, but she still thinks American clothes "wear better, clean better, and are designed better" for American women.

Paris designers make beautiful creations, she said, "at beautiful prices."

Miss Brown lives in Dallas and when I talked with her at her librarian's desk, Allied Air Forces headquarters, just out of Paris, she said she planned to be "going back to Texas" this month.

She has traveled "over the whole of Europe." Her favorite spot? It's Italy.

How To Please

One good reason why Germany today is so well off is that they know how to cater to the American customer, Capt. C. A. (Andy) Jackson of Houston points out.

"All the stores have at least one clerk who speaks English," he observed.

"When an American comes in, they have that girl ready and at the counter to serve him," he continued.

Some of their department stores are like Foley's in Houston, the captain continued.

He has respect for the German industry, their great love for work, Captain Jackson, in command of an ambulance company in Munich, has been in Germany since July, 1951. He recently was joined here by his wife, the former Ruth Tew of Alta Loma, graduate of the John Sealy College of Nursing in Galveston and former nurse at Houston's Memorial Hospital.

The two met at Fort Sam Houston. They have three children, Gary, five, Leonard, four, and Gayle, three.

On Choosing A Wife

The first thing Elvis, Bob and Dick Keahey, twins from Texas, noticed after their arrival in Germany was that women "pull plows" over here.

"I thought that little fad had gone out years ago," Bob (or at least I think it was Bob) said.

Then Dick chimed in: "The two basic requirements over here in a wife is that she know how to pull a plow and cook."

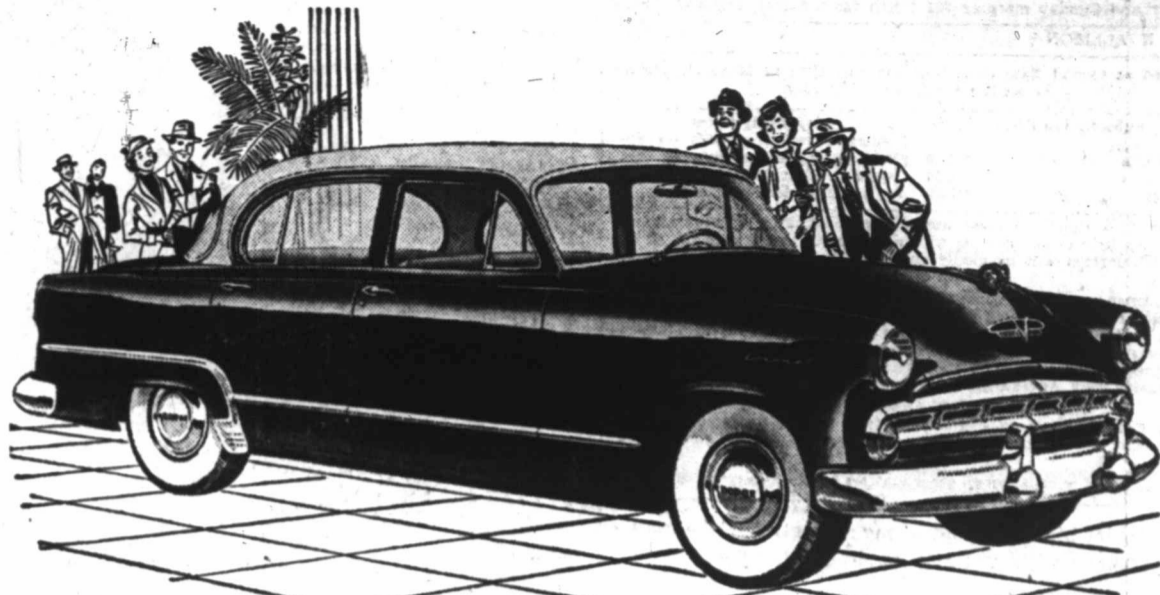
The German food is "awfully good" the Texas twins admitted, "and there is so much of it." Bob added: "Notice how slim the German girls are? Over here is where (Continued On Page Five)

The human embryo floats in a bag of water which usually breaks just before birth but in cases where it does not break the infant is said to be born in a caul.

Although Carthage was destroyed by the Romans in 146 B. C., the Punic language continued to be spoken in wide areas of North Africa until the Sixth Century A. D.

The Winter at Valley Forge was only one in a series of dreadful Winters endured by Continental troops in the Revolution. Others at Morristown were as bad or worse.

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B. and B. still has a plentiful install butane fuel tanks for automobiles. He reported that many car owners are switching to butane for better mileage and freedom from the annoyance of stopping often to have the gas tank filled. He urged Midlanders interested in butane motor tanks to telephone him at 33451 for information.

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MORTALITY RATE DROPS

TAIPEH, FORMOSA.—(AP)—The mortality rate on Formosa Island, Nationalist China stronghold, in the first six months of 1952 was the lowest in 50 years, says Yen Chun-Hui, commissioner of health. He reports the deaths of 9.98 per 1,000 population.

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Major Projects In Area Directed By Houston Hill

Houston Hill, Inc., prominent Midland construction firm, recently began construction on four major school projects here which are scheduled to be completed by the beginning of the school term in September.

Another major job, the erection of the First Baptist Church of Midland, is expected to be finished by January, 1954, according to James H. Hill, office manager of Houston Hill, Inc.

Less than two weeks ago the firm started work on classroom additions and a new shop building for the Midland High School.

Two new elementary schools being put up by Houston Hill are the William B. Travis School and the Booker T. Washington School for negroes.

The construction company also is making additions to the De Zavala Elementary School for Latin American children.

A total of 110 men are employed by Houston Hill to keep pace with Midland's rapid expansion.

Another construction job underway for the past four months is the new Masonic Temple which should be finished by March 25.

Hill, who has been in the construction business since 1923 has been located in Midland since 1936 and has gained recognition for fine, durable buildings.

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"Big Bounder" is a secret name to call someone who had done a something much worse than the name the someone really is. What has this Big Bounder done? Why, he teased a friendly cat who was sleeping a happy cat-sleep, and minding his very own cat business. He had barked like a dog and frightened the cat, and made it run away.

That isn't all this Big Bounder had done. He had teased a friendly dog who was sleeping a happy dog-sleep, and minding his very own dog-business. The Big Bounder had yowled a terrible yowl like a ter-



rible dangerous cat to frighten the dog, and the dog had run away. "So," said Daddy Ringtail, "the Big Bounder was a very Big Bounder indeed for doing all those unhappy things."
(Remember, please, that a Big Bounder is someone who does such things that he shouldn't).
The telephone rang. The Huffen Puffen, the friendly wolf, was calling. "I hear you, Huffen," Daddy Ringtail said into the telephone. The Huffen explained that a Little Bounder had just passed the Huffen's house. The Little Bounder would soon be passing

By Wesley Davis

the Ringtail house, and everyone should run out and see him, the Huffen said.
"We'll do it, Huffen," Daddy Ringtail said into the telephone. "Has the Little Bounder been teasing dogs and cats?" asked Mugwump.
"We'll see," said Daddy Ringtail, and they did. They all went out to watch for the Little Bounder, and there came the Little Bounder now, bounding along like a rubber ball.

The Little Bounder never walked. The Little Bounder never ran. Instead he bounded along like a rubber ball that he was, bouncing and bounding on and away, forever and a day. Happy day!
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2. Who was Simeon? St. Luke 2:35
3. Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace according to thy word. St. Luke 2:29
4. Rejoice with them that do rejoice, and weep with Romans 12:15
5. Wash me thoroughly from mine iniquity, and cleanse me. Psalms 51:2
6. Thou hast not given water to the weary to drink, and thou hast withholden bread from them. Job 22:7
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REDS PARCEL OUT LAND

HONG KONG (AP)—Chinese Communist press reports say the Red land-redistribution program in Kwangtung province has parceled 667,000 acres of land to 4,800,000 peasants.



UNDER FIRE—W. Bradley Connors, the Voice of America's policy chief, denies to a Senate investigating committee that he ever leaked secrets to the Reds during the postwar struggle for the control of Asia. The purported charge goes back to 1946, when Connors was press adviser to Gen. George Marshall on Marshall's peacemaking mission to divided China.

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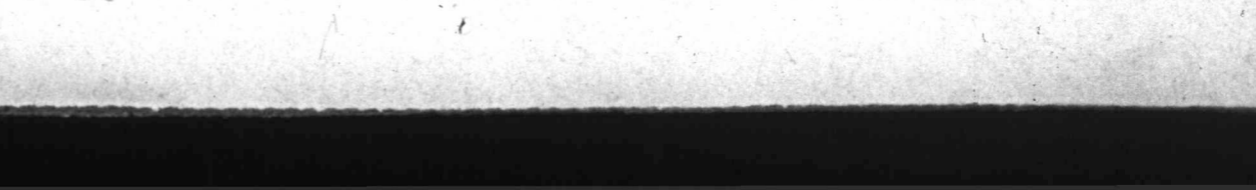
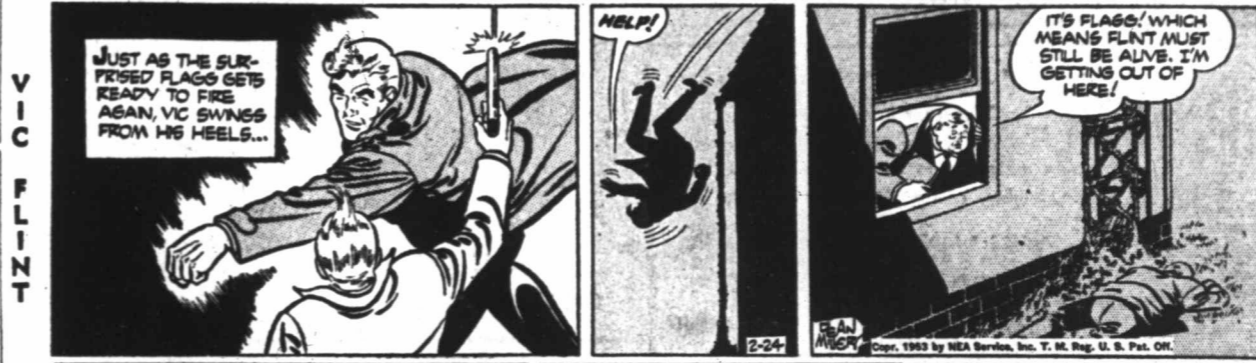


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**By DOUGLAS LARSEN
NEA Staff Correspondent**

WASHINGTON — Charles Eustis Bohlen's rise to become Ambassador (to Russia) is the true U. S. State Department version of the Horatio Alger tradition.

Bohlen's diplomatic start was about as humble as one as you can make in the State Department and still get on the payroll. When he entered the career service in 1929, grade eight was the lowest rank you could have. He started below that in sort of an unclassified status and worked five years as a Vice Consul in Paris, Prague and Moscow before he got promoted to bottom grade eight.

That Nickname

After that, however, he began jumping a grade every two years.

About the time he made eight, it is reported, he managed to get his nickname "Chipper" shortened to the more dignified "Chip," which is today "Chipper" was being on him by fellow members of one of his Harvard clubs in those pre-cold-war, carefree days when they say that he did cut quite a chipper figure.

Colorful Career

Today, "Chip" Bohlen is one of the best-informed U. S. diplomats on Russia. Even for a State Department official he had a colorful career which led him from obscurity to the much-disputed Yalta negotiations.

He looks like a gracefully maturing all-American boy—still plenty of wavy brown hair, a square jaw and clean-cut features just beginning to get padded. His clothes are slightly more casual than the neat, blue serge or gray flannel uniforms of America's foreign service men. He prides himself in keeping his weight down to 175 pounds, making him slim for his six feet one inch. He was only a few pounds lighter when he played on Harvard's second-string football team.

"Chip Bohlen was never a cookie-pusher, cocktail-lounge-bound or drawing room darling," says a friend who has known him a long time. "He got where he is mostly by common sense and hard work." Bohlen's record bears this out.

Knows Russians

Even before he first got to Moscow, in the struggling days before class eight, Bohlen had become interested in Russian literature and language. His first service there solidified that interest into a life work. He knows Russian history. His knowledge of the Russian idiom astonishes most Russians. He also speaks French fluently.

His familiarity with the Russian language first got him assigned to the staff of William C. Bullitt when the latter was the American Ambassador in Moscow.

At the Teheran and Yalta conferences Bohlen was officially President Roosevelt's interpreter. Actually he was more than that. His deep insight into the intricate minds of the Kremlin oligarchy soon made him an invaluable adviser.

Although Chip Bohlen felt obligated to defend the Yalta agreement—now repudiated by President Eisenhower—he always had misgivings about our agreement with the crafty dictator of the Kremlin. On Russian Desk

He went to Moscow with former Secretary of State Cordell Hull on an important mission, as adviser and interpreter, and accompanied Harry Hopkins on several Soviet visits in the same capacity. At San Francisco he helped to translate the UN charter from English to Russian. That eventually led to his taking over the Russian desk at the State Department.

Even romance came into Bohlen's life in Russia. His roommate when he was second secretary in the Embassy at Moscow in 1937 was Charles W. Thayer of Philadelphia. When Charles' pretty sister, Avis, visited the Embassy, Bohlen fell in love with her. They were married several months later when Bohlen returned to the U. S. They now have an eight-year-old daughter and an 18-month-old son.

**Business-Like Drive Set
By Community Chest Head**

Midland's 1953 Community Chest will conduct a "business-like campaign for community service" next fall, Donald M. Oliver, new pilot of the group, said Monday.



Donald M. Oliver led that each contributor will get "full value received" from his aid to the campaign.

New directors also will be elected at the annual meeting. Now serving as directors are Hargrove, Hutchinson, Neta Stovall, Miles Hall, John Reed, Charles Knorr, Mrs. W. A. Pomeroy, Perry Gill and Oliver.

Oliver said Community Chest plans for 1953 are still in the planning stage and delayed setting any definite program from the group. The annual drive does not take place until Fall but Oliver said the program would be mapped and announced in the near future. Last year's campaign netted \$77,000—considerably more than the Midland goal.

Joe T. Dickerson was campaign chairman last year.

**HE DIDN'T
LEAVE A TIP**

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—A man carrying his lunch in a paper bag walked into a restaurant, sat down at a table and ordered coffee. After the coffee was served he complained it didn't have enough cream in it.

While eating his lunch he spilled coffee and cottage cheese on the tablecloth. Then he put the unconsumed part of his lunch back in the bag and told the proprietor to put it in the icebox and he would return tomorrow to finish it.

Texas Doctor—

(Continued from Page One) they grow the women wrestlers." The boys, who look alike, joke: "For the last 10 months we've been dressing alike."

Ten months ago was when they were drafted. They are sons of Mrs. Tom Keahey, San Angelo. A sister, Patricia McReynolds, lives in Dallas.

The 21-year-old, six-footers are stationed with Headquarters detachment, 7809 Station Complement Unit of Headquarters Area Command, and are located just outside Heidelberg.

They are learning the German language, and both admit they like their overseas duty "a lot better than we thought we would."

SEVENTH FLAG OVER TEXAS?—

**Rio Grande Republic Was
Old States 'Righters' Joy**

LAREDO—(AP)—A shadowy chapter in Texas' past—the rise and quick fall of the Republic of the Rio Grande—has been illumined by a scholar's research.

The republic was carved in 1840 from Northern Mexico and Southwest Texas by a group of rebels who in our time would be called States' Righters. Laredo was its capital.

The short-lived nation had a flag. Old-timers in this Southwest Texas border city contend, therefore, that seven flags have flown over Texas instead of the long-accepted figure of six.

The Seventh Flag

They say that although the republic didn't encompass all Texas, its flag should take its place beside other banners which have waved over the state—those of France, Spain, Mexico, the Republic of Texas, the U. S. A. and the Confederacy.

Jack Yeaman, Laredo editor, has written an account of the little-known nation based on documented reports by Dr. David Martell Vigness, Schreiner Institute professor. In a dissertation finished a year ago, Vigness reportedly authenticates every detail of the republic, which came into being early in 1840 and died in the waning months of the same year.

The leaders met in Laredo in January, 1840, and organized the Republic of the Rio Grande. Laredo was named the capital and D. Jesus Cardenas, attorney from Camargo, elected president.

The republic's territory was defined as including the Mexican states of Tamaulipas, Nuevo Leon and Coahuila and the Texas territory between the Nueces River and the Rio Grande.

As its troops gathered in Laredo's old San Augustine Plaza, the republic's new flag was hoisted over the capital building, which still stands. The flag bore the numerals, 1824—identifying the year of the constitution the rebels were fighting for.

On January 23 the new government issued a decree calling for a constitutional convention to assemble May 28. But the meeting never was held.

After a series of military reverses by the central government's superior forces, the revolutionary movement deteriorated rapidly. On November 2 Cardenas agreed to submit to the authority of Mexico's Central government and on November 6 the terms of surrender were signed at Camargo.

So died the Republic of the Rio Grande.

The Indian villages destroyed by General Sullivan in the region of Elmina, N. Y., during the Revolution consisted not of rude huts but of neat wooden dwellings with extensive orchards, gardens and grain fields.

★ DR. JORDAN SAYS ★



**Cats Gain Wide 'Prominence'
As Cause Of Scratch Disease**

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

Perhaps it is hardly correct to speak of a disease as "new" when it has been known for 20 years. Nevertheless, although this is the case, I should water that very few readers of this column ever have paid any attention to a condition known as cat-scratch disease.

In the last 20 years several hundred cases have been described in Europe and the United States. Recently, a review of 60 cases of cat-scratch disease has been published in one of our medical journals. Of this number more than half the cases gave a history of having been scratched by a cat, and in only five was there no known contact with cats.

There appears to be a period of about three to seven days between

the time of the scratch, or original injury, and inflammation at the place where it occurred. This is followed by a further delay of somewhere around two weeks before the appearance of the typical sign, which consists of enlargement of some of the lymph glands, draining the area originally injured.

Most commonly, it would appear that the glands in the armpit are involved, and this is not surprising since one would expect the hands or arms to be scratched more often than any other part of the body.

However, lymph glands in the neck or in the groin are affected also sometimes.

About two-thirds of the patients afflicted with cat-scratch disease have fever. Some of them have general symptoms, as well—such as headache, weakness, aching, chilly sensations and the like.

The outlook for someone who has cat-scratch disease is good. In most the illness is short and mild, though the lymph glands may be enlarged and possibly contain pus for months. The cause of this disease, however, has not been discovered, but does not seem to be a germ, parasite or fungus. It possibly is caused by a virus.

Skin Test Is Used

A skin test has been devised which seems to be rather accurate in making a diagnosis. This is important, since cat-scratch disease can be confused with many other conditions in which there is enlargement of the lymph glands.

The greater recognition which is being given to this disease now certainly does not mean that people who own cats should give up their pets. But since this is recognized as being a rather common, widespread and frequently undiagnosed condition, more care to avoid scratching by cats or other too-intimate contact with these animals, and watchfulness, particularly over children who might acquire this disease, certainly is in order.

All the signs point to the likelihood that we shall hear much more of cat-scratch disease over the next few years.

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