

Planned Foreign Aid Cuts Raise Hope Of Lower Taxes

WASHINGTON—Senator Ferguson (R-Mich.) said Wednesday reported reduced foreign aid requests by President Eisenhower and sharp cuts in military spending raised prospects for a balanced budget and early tax cuts.

Ferguson referred in an interview to reports from officials that the Administration has decided tentatively to cut foreign aid funds by two billion dollars under former President Truman's recommendation for \$7,600,000,000.

Hearing Set Friday To Determine Cause Of Train Disaster

DILLON, S. C.—What knocked open a switch and sent an Atlantic Coast Line streamliner hurtling off the rails near here Monday night?

3,000 GI's Due To Join In Next Atomic Maneuver

LAS VEGAS—One of the Army's biggest maneuvers in connection with an atomic explosion will be held Saturday with 3,000 troops from all over the nation participating.

The Interstate Commerce Commission will try to tie out the answer at a hearing Friday in Rocky Mount, N. C.

The death toll from the spectacular smashup settled at four as rescue workers and railroad wrecking crews unscrambled the Miami-N.Y. Champion's 12 coaches, two lounge cars, two diners and baggage car. At least 125 were injured. Some remained in critical condition in various hospitals Wednesday.

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Ranking U. S. Trio Arrives in Paris For NATO Meeting

PARIS—Secretary of State John Foster Dulles arrived by plane Wednesday from Washington for the North Atlantic Council meeting in the United States, he said, "great faith in NATO and we want to make it a success."

Perhaps we have a few ideas on how to make it a success which we will discuss with our partners," he told reporters at the airport. With Dulles were Secretary of the Treasury George M. Humphrey and Mutual Security Director Harold E. Stassen.

The three-day NATO meeting opens Thursday. Defense Secretary Charles Wilson and Gen. Omar N. Bradley, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, already are in Europe to attend. Council sources have revealed that the ministers of the 14 nations will be asked to approve a program under which they would build 2,700 more warplanes by the end of 1954. Also in the mill are plans for construction of \$800,000,000 worth of air bases, fuel supply systems and communications and air warning networks to service the Allied air forces in Europe.

Congratulations To Mr. and Mrs. Wesley B. Waddill, 1707 Bryant Street, on the birth Thursday of a son, Daniel Dale, weighing eight pounds. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley N. Martin, 2106 West Louisiana Street, on the birth Saturday of a son, Wesley Homer, weighing seven pounds, 12 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reynolds, 1608 North Lamesa Road, on the birth Monday of a daughter, weighing nine pounds one ounce. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lattimore, 3214 Delano Street, on the birth Monday of a son, weighing six pounds, 15 1/2 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stinson, 1704 West Rhode Island Street, on the birth Monday of a daughter, weighing six pounds, 11 1/2 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. John Warren, Snyder, on the birth Saturday of a son, weighing nine pounds, 12 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Offord, 1401 South Moran Street, on the birth Sunday of a son, weighing eight pounds, one and one-half ounce. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hall, 601 South South Carver Street, on the birth Sunday of a daughter, weighing six pounds, 15 1/2 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Hogue, 306 South California Street, on the birth Sunday of a son, weighing eight pounds, one and one-half ounce. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, 1401 South Colorado Street, on the birth Sunday of a son, weighing six pounds.

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JOHNSON IN HOLLYWOOD Johnson Puts 'Most-Coddled' Tag On Kilbride-Main Team

By ERSKINE JOHNSON NEA Staff Correspondent. Exclusively Yours: Percy Kilbride and Marjorie Main agreed to do "Ma and Pa Kettle Hit the Road" at U-I only after big salary boost. The pair are the most coddled stars in Hollywood, with rights to choose their own days off, an early daily quitting schedule and a say-so on story points.

No. 1 adorer in Margaret Whiting's life—and the reason why intimates are saying that her separation from Lou Busch is permanent—is her young agent, Phil Loeb. Jerry Devine of "This Is Your FBI" fame will produce a movie, "Babe in the Woods," in Ireland this summer. Few people remember, but Jerry played Mary Carr's son in the famous 1920 movie classic, "Over the Hill."

Eye-popping note: Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis will get \$50,000 a week plus a 70-30 split of the gate when they play the New York Paramount theater in August. Dean, an expectant papa for the sixth time, is quipping to pals that the baby will be named Terminate—Italian for "absolutely the end."

Will Rogers, Jr., has the plot of his next movie all picked out—the life story of famous western painter Charles Russell. Now it's up to Warner Brothers. Overheard: "She has a husband? No kidding? Whose?" Jean Simmons still is pining about Teresa Wright playing the role of her mother in MGM's "Fame and Fortune."

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Toscanini Signs. NEW YORK—(AP)—Arturo Toscanini, 66-year-old maestro, will return next Fall for his 16th season as conductor of the National Broadcasting Company Symphony Orchestra, the network announced Tuesday.

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Publisher Refutes Charges Press Is 'One-Party' Deal

NEW YORK—(AP)—The president of the American Newspaper Publishers Association struck back Wednesday at charges stemming from the presidential campaign that the United States has a "one-party press."

Charles F. McCahill, publisher of the Cleveland News, replied in an address prepared for delivery at the ANPA convention to criticism of the press by some followers of Adlai E. Stevenson, the Democratic candidate.

Stevenson, in a speech at Portland, Ore. last September, expressed concern that the nation was developing a one-party press. He added, however, that he had been "impressed by the fair treatment accorded to me by most newspapers, including those aligned editorially with the opposition."

McCahill said Wednesday he thinks, with the months gone by, "it can be said confidently that the political attack on the 'one-party press' has been effectively dissipated."

"We were by no means 'one party,'" he said. "If the majority were for the successful presidential candidate, it cannot be denied that the opposition had powerful and able representation."

He said it would be a sad day if fear of anything prevented a single newspaper from declaring itself honestly.

"Neither the majority nor the minority was afraid to speak out on this critical issue of American leadership," he said. "Let us be grateful that this was abundantly proved."

ATTENDING ORGANIST GUILD MEETING IN LOUISIANA

George L. DeHart, minister of music at the First Methodist Church, is attending the regional convention of the American Guild of Organists in Shreveport, La.

TEACHER PAY LEFT HANGING—

House Takes Swipe At Dope Addicts, Off-Color Taverns

By MARTHA COLE
AUSTIN—(AP)—The House took a healthy swipe Tuesday at incident taverns and narcotics addicts. It passed and sent to the Senate one bill adding about 15 more reasons for suspending a liquor or beer retailer's license.

It passed and sent to the Senate another bill authorizing a judge to compel a narcotics addict to go to a hospital and stay there until doctors say he is cured.

These were two of 78 bills passed Tuesday. Most were minor ones affecting game and fish laws and clarifying present laws.

When it got through with them, it decided quickly to pass a resolution to consider the revision of the election code, with its cross-filing 'snag, Wednesday or Thursday.

Then it decided to set the judicial redistricting bill—with its break-up of the quarreling South Texas 79th District—for special order of business Thursday.

Teachers Pay
That left the backers of a teacher pay raise spinning. The backers had hoped to get the bill up for debate by Thursday at least.

"Let's slow down here and see what we're doing," Rep. Lamar Zivley of Temple, champion of the pay raise, admonished them.

The liquor bill was a lengthy one sponsored by Rep. Obie Bristow of Big Spring, a former member of the Liquor Control Board.

It says the board can suspend or cancel a license if the license owner has contributed money toward the campaign expenses of any candidate for office, if the place is of such a nature that it's against the public sense of decency, health, peace, morals and safety of the people.

Narcotics Bill
That's just a few of the reasons for a crackdown.

The narcotics bill was sponsored by a Houston legislator, Rep. Farth Bates. Addicts can go voluntarily to a hospital now but can leave whenever they want to leave.

Among House bills approved and sent to the Senate are ones that would:

- Raise renewal, examination and reciprocity fees for licensed physicians.
- Exempt dentists from jury service.
- Regulate fishing in the Brazos River and Lake Whitney and tributaries in Bosque, Hill, Somervell and Johnson Counties.
- Allow the Liquor Control Board to cancel a liquor permit if the licensee is caught with drugs in his place or if the shop is declared a

threat to public health, morals and decency.

Put a four-year statute of limitations on property taxes on motor vehicles.

THERE AIN'T NO SUCH THING

CANTON, OHIO—(AP)—In a stunt by the Chamber of Commerce and the Timken Roller Bearing Company, Wednesday is "Freedom from Taxes Day" in Canton.

The sponsors figure the average American works three months and 22 days to pay for his annual federal tax bill. The rest of the year he will be working for himself.

Student Abandons Azores Odyssey

LEWES, DEL.—(AP)—Cold, wet work has dampened a University of Maryland student's desire to sail to the Azores in a 21-foot sloop.

CWO Francis A. Massey, commanding officer of the Lewes Coast Guard Station, said Paul M. Anderson, 24, sent him a card Tuesday from Gwynn Halland, Hudgins, Va.

The card read: "Given up Azores voyage, only get cold work, met a gal from the north."

Anderson, who lives with his mother, Mrs. Ester Anderson in Baltimore, left here April 2.

Navy Destroyer, Freighter Collide

LONG BEACH, CALIF.—(AP)—The U. S. destroyer Kidd and the Swedish freighter Hainan collided off the harbor entrance Tuesday night, but there were no injuries to crewmen aboard either ship.

A Navy spokesman said the freighter's bow tore a 10-foot hole in the Kidd's starboard side just forward of the superstructure. The Hainan's bow was dented.

GUESTS IN POWELL HOME
Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Spikes and daughter, Joan of Breckenridge, are guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Les Powell, Garden City Highway.

MIDLAND VISITORS
Mrs. George Fruit and son, George Franklin, of Odessa attended to business here Tuesday.

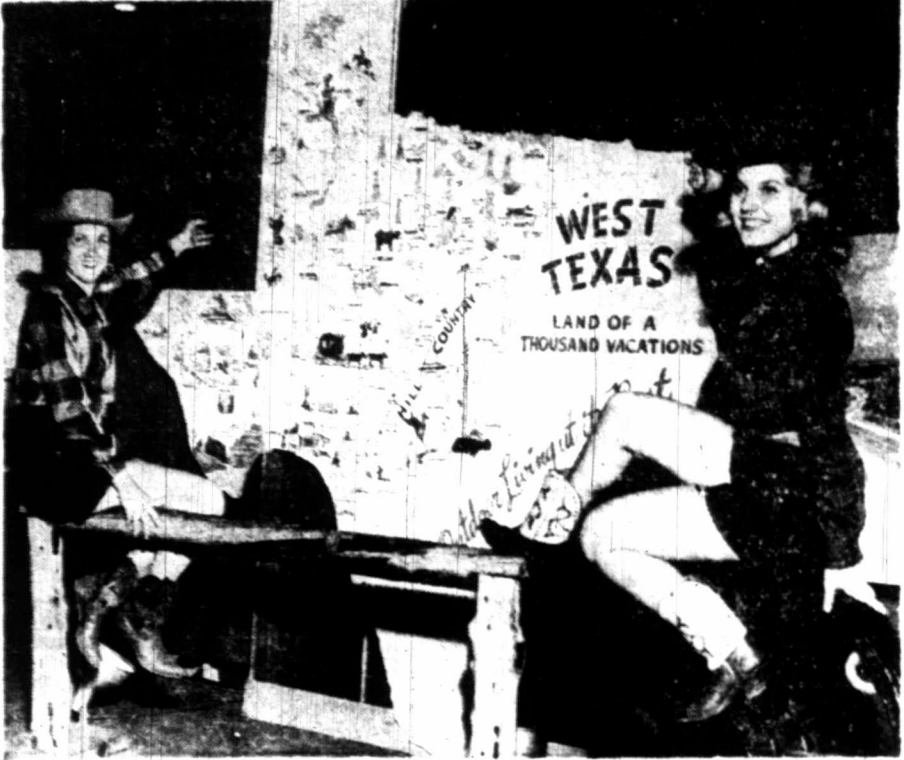
DEFENSE FINDS NO OBJECTION

DALLAS—(AP)—A prospective juror brightened proceedings during a murder trial Tuesday when a defense lawyer asked him if he knew District Attorney Henry Wade.

"Slightly," the venireman replied. "He spoke at my church once, telling people they ought to serve on juries."

"Was he ever invited back to speak?" the attorney asked.

"No," replied the prospective juror.



WEST TEXAS ON PARADE—West Texas joined other important vacation areas of the nation on the big-time travel show circuit this week with one of the largest displays in the Southwestern Sports and Vacation Show in Dallas. Hostesses Eunice White and Ruth White are pictured in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce exhibit. With the show's opening the WTCC launched its new travel information service on a nation-wide scale. A new travel magazine, "West Texas," also made its initial appearance at the Dallas show.

ON VACATION
Mr. and Mrs. Vance C. Scott and children are vacationing this week near Red River, N. M.

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Test Vote Looms On Tideland Bill

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Republican Leader Taft said Wednesday he may delay until Thursday or Friday an attempt to force a test in the Senate battle over state vs. federal ownership of oil-rich offshore lands. The Ohio senator served notice in the Senate Tuesday night he would

move Wednesday night to table federal control and "oil for education" amendments to the pending bill to establish state ownership of lands within their historic boundaries. Such a motion is not subject to debate and would force an immediate vote. If carried, as seems certain in this case, it kills the amendments. Opponents of state ownership cried "ag rule" and called the Taft maneuver "unjustified," "arbitrary" and "undefensible."

J. P. Armstrong, 75, 38-Year Post Office Employee, Dies In City

John Powers Armstrong, 75, Midland resident for one year and former postal employe for 38 years, died at his residence at 220 Mitchell Street at 10:45 p.m. Tuesday. He had been in ill health the last six years. Born in Blount County, Ala., Sept. 6, 1877, Armstrong moved to Texas with his parents when he was six years old and grew up on his father's farm near Waxahachie. He received an LL.B. degree from the Vaiparalo University of Indiana in 1907 but never practiced law. He entered the postal service in 1912 in Waxahachie and transferred to Greenville in 1917 and was there until 1950. He moved to Midland about a year ago.

Armstrong was a member of the Grace Presbyterian Church in Greenville and a member of the Masonic Lodge 335 of Greenville. He was also a past noble grand of the Fred Ende IOOF Lodge No. 87, and was a member of the Eastern Star Chapter 139.

Patillo Joins Soil Conservation Staff For Midland Area

Soil conservation activity in the Midland area was stepped up this week with the addition of R. E. L. Patillo, soil conservationist, to the work unit staff here. Patillo reports here from Lubbock with 14 years of experience in the Soil Conservation Service. His work has been on the high plains of Lubbock and Childress. Prior to joining the Soil Conservation Service, he was a county agent. He is a graduate of Texas A&M College.

North America's Largest Birds Said Dying Of Starvation

SAN DIEGO CALIF. —(AP)— The last of North America's greatest birds, the California condor, were reported Wednesday by a naturalist as dying out from starvation. Lewis Wayne Waker declared their only hope of survival was in captivity or by artificial feeding in their 35,000-acre preserve in the Coast Range Mountains north of Los Angeles. He said he had counted only 12 of the great birds, with wing spreads of 10 to 11 feet, during three months of efforts to trap a pair for the San Diego Zoo. This was a sharp decline from the 34 counted in the preserve during an artificial feeding period of observation in 1934, he said. Condors, despite their great size, do not kill and in natural state must depend for food upon carrion left by animals of prey or hunters.

Survivors include the widow, two sons, John Edwin of Evansville, Ind., and Charles T. of Midland, and a daughter, Mrs. Ralph W. Anderson of Midland. Services were to be held at 4 p.m. Wednesday in the Newbie W. Ellis Chapel with the Rev. Flynn Long of the Westminster Presbyterian Church officiating. The body will be forwarded Wednesday night to Greenville where final services and interment will take place under the direction of the Jones-Coker-Peters Funeral Home.

Helicopter Gives Ride To Injured GI

ROCKSPRINGS —(AP)— Landing at the back door of a hospital Tuesday, a large Army helicopter picked up a patient and flew him 167 miles to San Antonio. Sgt. Cecil Mathis of Sherman had been injured in a traffic accident while driving home on emergency leave to see his father, Johnathan Mathis of Sherman.

Two Thingumbobs Perplex Cincinnati Ornithologists

CINCINNATI —(AP)— The Cincinnati Zoo has a couple of whatnops on its hands. Even the experts are stumped. They were acquired by a Miami, Fla., dealer recently. He called them "giant gray mountain toucans."

The zoo is convinced the birds are toucans—of a sort. But they aren't gray, and they're not exactly giants. They were gray when they arrived—a dirty gray. But after fluttering about in their pool, they came up with blue breasts. Neither do they have the gay colors toucans are supposed to have. Their blues, yellows, browns and greens are subdued—like their personalities. They haven't given out with a single "awk" since they arrived.



THANKFUL—Mrs. Orsorio-Melendez kneels before an altar at her home in New York to offer a prayer of thanks after learning that her son, Pvt. Juan Orsorio-Melendez, was one of the POW's set free at Panmunjom.

Returning Prisoners Tell Of 1,500 Others Killed By Communist Captors

MUNSAN, KOREA —(AP)— Allied soldiers who have come back from the Communist prison stockades of North Korea this week reported the death of perhaps 1,500 comrades on forced marches and in hunger-ridden camps. Their grim tales of death beside a freezing highway or starvation in unheated Korean huts reminded Americans of the report of Col. James Hanley late in 1951. He said more than 6,000 Americans had died in captivity.

Many, the Eighth Army judge advocate said, were killed by their captors. The first 65 Americans and 235 other Allies returned by the Reds in the exchange of sick and wounded reported the deaths of about 1,500. Another 56 Americans have been promised back in the exchange and 250 more from other Allied units. Their tales may run the figure higher. The United Nations exchanged prisoner lists with the Communists in December, 1951, and about 12,000 American soldiers then were listed as missing in action. The Communists said they held 3,100 American prisoners, about one in four. Deaths from wounds, starvation and exposure had accounted for most of the others.

UN losses—bodies ground under tanks, or vanishing in the awful thunder of cannon fire, have been comparatively less in this war than in others, mainly because that kind of warfare has been limited. Probably less than 1,000 reported missing in action actually disappeared without anyone knowing what happened to them. The fate of the many was recounted this week in Freedom Village. Here are accounts of deaths of Allied soldiers on forced marches and in prison camps in North Korea as told by prisoners just released from Communist captivity:

The Cost Of War—In Terms Of Peace

In his "show me" foreign policy speech to the American Society of Newspaper Editors in Washington, President Eisenhower, in the series of simple, dramatic comparisons illustrated below, underlined the waste of war. He pointed out that "Every gun that is made, every warship launched, every rocket fired signifies . . . a theft from those who hunger and are not fed, those who are cold and are not clothed."



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EVERETT, WASH. —(AP)— Ed Sirge, a grocer, built a new home, felt a little stiff in the muscles after putting on the finishing touches, picked up a bowling ball to limber up and took a practice swing. The ball slipped, went rocketing across the floor. Then . . . boom!

PORT WORTH —(AP)— Members of the Texas Fryed Dealers Association believe cottonseed meal prices will settle at around \$66.50 to \$67 a ton. The belief, expressed at the group's convention Tuesday stemmed from the COC reduction of \$13 a ton for bulk meal. Officers elected included D. R. Crowley, San Antonio, president; and Bassett Orr, Bryan, secretary-treasurer. Harry Dobbin of Abilene was elected a director.

GARDEN CITY —(AP)— The Glasscock County jail, built to accommodate two men, may have to hang out a "Standing Room Only" sign, with five prisoners now occupying the cell. Sheriff Buster Cox had to move additional mattresses in when he took in three new boarders Monday. Old-timers say the five in the jail represents the largest number ever confined at one time. The jail rarely is occupied. Years back a tree grew up before the door of the structure, and had to be chopped down before a prisoner could be admitted. The sheriff emphasized that none of the men now in jail is from Glasscock County. South Carolina's coastal plain is called the "low country" and its piedmont the "high country."

OUT OF DOORS with Field & Stream

BY WARREN PAGE Shooting Editor. The ancient and honorable practice of shirt tail cutting, prevalent all through the deer-hunting areas south of the Mason-Dixon line, appears occasionally in the northern states—and in my humble opinion should become a serious ceremony in every hunting camp everywhere on this continent.

Grudge against the shirt makers? Idea for some sort of juvenile pandemics to liven things up in camp? Not at all. I think that shirt tail slashing can become a very potent force in reducing gun accidents. I have no idea how far back the origins of this quaint custom go, but quite obviously the hacking off of a chunk of a hunter's shirt tail when he has missed his shot at a buck, a hacking accompanied by a certain ritual and considerable jocularity, dates early in American sporting history. It's a lot of fun.

DIDN'T KNOW HIS STRENGTH

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Shortage Of Water Threatens Valley's Citrus, Truck Crop

WESLACO —(AP)— Irrigation pumping in the Lower Rio Grande Valley remained at the bare minimum Wednesday as anxious residents eyed an all-time low flow in the almost dry river. Watermaster O. E. Vanberg warned the 320,000 Valley residents the outlook for citrus and truck fields was very dark. Independent pumping was cut to one 30-minute period per week and irrigation district pumping was slashed to one-quarter cubic foot per second per thousand acres. Vanberg said the flow at Rio Grande City—250 cubic feet per second—was the lowest in history. A 208-cubic foot flow at Laredo was also believed a record low. The water crisis, called the most serious yet by Vanberg, climaxed 11 years of the worst drought in the watershed's history.

MIDLAND VISITORS

Mrs. and Mrs. N. A. Carothers of Rankin attended to business here Wednesday.

ODESSANS HERE

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BUSINESS IN MIDLAND

Joe Birdsong and Art Tisdale of Carlsbad, N. M., attended to business Wednesday in Midland. FROM SWEETWATER Mrs. Otho Dennis and children of Sweetwater visited here Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. James Dunningan and family.

Advertisement for Swail's Grocery and Market, featuring Bluebonnet Stamps and a coupon for stamps.

Large advertisement for H&D Skelly Station, advertising a tire clearance sale: "INVENTORY CLEARANCE 'TIRES' ARMSTRONG-GOODYEAR BUY THREE... FOURTH ONE FREE PLUS TRADE IN PASSENGER CAR SIZE H&D SKELLY STATION 600 South Mariefield Midland, Texas 'ALL TIRES MUST GO'"

Advertisement for Crisco, featuring a cartoon of a man and a woman talking about frying. The man says, "What a surprise—my favorite fries better'n ever!" The woman replies, "That's because I changed from ordinary frying fats to new Crisco!" The man says, "What a delicious difference new Crisco makes!" The text below reads: "WHEN you serve a sizzling platter of his favorite fries . . . are they as light, as full of natural flavor as they should be? Chances are the answer is 'no' if you're using an ordinary fat that has odor and flavor of its own. For such fat tends to brown out good, true flavor . . . may even give foods a greasy flavor. But oh, what a delicious difference when you change to new Crisco, for frying! All vegetable Crisco is so pure, so fresh, it lets the good, natural flavor come through, while it browns foods to perfection. For new Crisco is different. It looks whiter, it's creamier than any other leading vegetable shortening! And Crisco smells so fresh and sweet, keeps so fresh without refrigeration! And 9 out of 10 doctors say Crisco-fried foods are easy to digest. Crisco itself is digestible. Start now to fry with new Crisco!"

Large advertisement for Crisco, featuring a large image of a plate of french fries and a can of Crisco. Text includes: "Enjoy new lightness, full flavor, true digestibility! Fry with new Crisco!" and "Fry this triple-treat tonight! CRISCO'S FAVORITE FRIES (Makes 4 to 6 servings) COUNTRY FRIED STEAK 1 1/2 lbs. round steak cut 1/2 inch thick 1/4 cup flour 1 teaspoon salt Crisco for pan frying Cut steak into servings. Dip in salted flour. Brown on both sides in 1/4 cup Crisco in 10-inch frying pan. When well browned, cover, cook slowly 20 to 30 mins. or until tender. LATTICE POTATOES: Pare 4 to 6 medium potatoes. Cut with lattice vegetable cutter into slices 1/4 inch thick. Fry in deep Crisco, heated to 365°F. (or when a one-inch square of bread browns in 60 seconds). Fry potatoes, a few at a time, until cooled and brown (3 to 5 mins.). Drain on absorbent paper and season. FRENCH-FRIED ONION RINGS: Cut 4 to 6 large onions into 1/2" slices and separate into rings. Dip onion rings in milk—about 1/2 cup—and then in flour—about 1/4 cup. Fry in deep Crisco (follow directions for potatoes) about 3 mins. COOK BOOK OFFER: "New Recipes for Good Eating"—112 pages. Only 25¢ in coin and a Crisco label, any size. Mail to Crisco, Dept. E, Box 887, Cincinnati 1, Ohio. Offer good in Continental U.S. and Hawaii." At the bottom, it says "use Crisco it's digestible" and "MORE WOMEN BAKE AND FRY WITH CRISCO THAN WITH ANY OTHER BRAND OF SHORTENING".



Many Golfers, Many Strokes

Golfers packed the field Tuesday in the City Championship Tournament now underway, but of the 24 posting qualifying scores only two could boast of a below-80 round. W. Bill Barker erased the day-old lead of J. B. Worley when he toured the Ranchland Hill Country Club layout in 75 strokes, four over par. It was the best round on the register and shaded Worley's 83 recorded Monday.

COOL AND COLLECTED—Perhaps one of the reasons for the best qualifying score posted so far in the City Championship Tournament is that W. Bill Barker could coast a little between shots. Barker, who fired a 75, rests here on a portable chair while members of his group drive from No. 10 tee. L. G. Mackey, in the background, Henry Shaw, Sr., Miles F. Hall and Tex Carlton played in the fivesome.

Connors' Big Blow Scuttles Artesia, 3-2

CARLSBAD—(P)—Big Merv Connors blasted a home run in the tenth inning here Tuesday night to give the Carlsbad Potashers a season-opening 3-2 victory over Artesia. Connors' blast, over the 340-foot-distant left field fence, came off right-hander Len Ruyler who went all the way for the Drillers in the season opener. Hank Williams, Carlsbad right-hander, went the route for the Potashers.

KERMIT COACH TAKES BORGER GRID POSITION

BORGER—(P)—Neal B. Dillman, 24, of Kermit Tuesday was given a two-year contract as head football coach at Borger High School. Dillman, who won 25 games and lost 8 as Kermit's mentor, will receive \$6,000 a year. He succeeds Guy Gardner, who resigned to become head football coach at Howard Payne College, Brownwood.

Bears Flub Chance, SMU Still Leads SWC Flag Chase

By The Associated Press
Southern Methodist still rode the top rung of the Southwest Conference baseball ladder Wednesday after Baylor's Bears missed a golden opportunity to take over. The Mustang's Joe Whitley lined a double to center field to score two mates aboard in the ninth to pull the Ponies from behind and beat Baylor, 5-4, in Waco.

Young Boxer Dies After Hard Blow

WORCESTER, MASS.—(P)—Dick Miller, 22, undefeated welterweight boxer, died Tuesday night a few minutes after he was struck a hard smash to the stomach in the fourth round of a scheduled six-round match.

George Sauer Named To All-Star Grid Staff

CHICAGO—(P)—George H. Sauer will help coach the 1953 All-Star football squad the collegians who will meet the National Football League champion Detroit Lions at Soldiers Field here, Aug. 14.

Champion Tourney To Open Thursday

LAS VEGAS—(P)—Twenty top golfers took their final links at the new Desert Inn Country Club course Wednesday, getting ready for the start of the \$35,000 Tournament of Champions Thursday.

Rockets Tip Lobos' 1 To 0

LAMESA—(P)—A theft of home failed in the ninth inning here Tuesday and Roswell defeated Lamesa, 1-0, to open the 1953 Longhorn League baseball season.

CROWDS STAY AWAY—Bosox Eye 1955 Flag With 'Kids'

By JACK HAND
NEW YORK—(P)—Time was when the Boston Red Sox used to pack 'em in at Yankee Stadium. Every night appearance created a ticket jam and a threat to the attendance record. Folks used to arrange their vacations to boo Ted Williams.

FIGHT SET WEDNESDAY

BALTIMORE—(P)—Two lightweight, Joey Orlando of New Orleans and Orlando Zulueta of Havana, display their boxing wares to the country Wednesday night.

Broncs' Rally Catches Colts

SAN ANGELO—(P)—The Big Spring Broncs, after being shut out for eight innings here—Tuesday, came to life for five runs in the top of the ninth to capture the league opener, 5-4.

Indians Add New Officers

The Midland Baseball Association Tuesday added two new officers in a move to replace the vacancy left open by the resignation of J. C. Smith, club director and secretary-treasurer.

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MILWAUKEE—(P)—Larry Watson outpunched and outmauled a slowed-down Danny Nardico for most of their 10-round bout Tuesday night to win a unanimous decision and his third upset victory in a row.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: E. H. Woodward and wife, Mrs. J. H. Woodward, et al. vs. E. H. Woodward and wife, Mrs. J. H. Woodward, et al.

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C. S. Phillips and wife, Mrs. O. S. Phillips; W. D. Dandine and wife, Mrs. Henry W. Dandine, et al. vs. C. S. Phillips and wife, Mrs. O. S. Phillips, et al.

Thompson Backs—

(Continued From Page One) "Will you get a better job, a quicker job of eliminating gas flaring if the whole field is shut down?" asked attorney J. W. Stayton for Phillips.

'Midland Indians Day' Observed At Lions Club Meet

It was "Midland Indians Day" Wednesday noon at the regular meeting of the Midland Lions Club in the Hotel Scharbauer.

Similar Burglaries Reported To Police

Midland detectives Wednesday were investigating two identical burglaries which happened at about the same time Tuesday afternoon.

Jenkins—

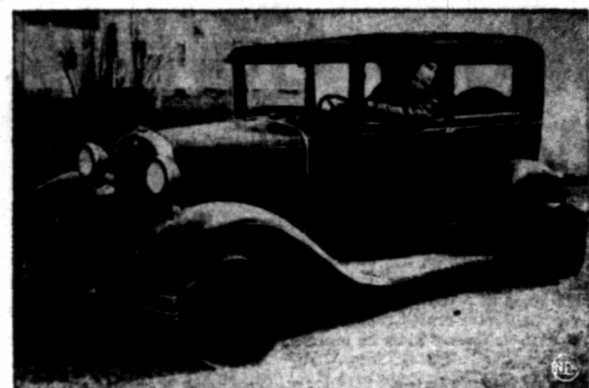
(Continued From Page One) "There was nothing to keep you from shooting the gun six times," the defense attorney questioned.

Four-Year Term Amendment Signed

AUSTIN—The first proposed constitutional amendment to make it through the Legislature this year was ready Wednesday for the people's vote.

LEGAL NOTICES

Certificate No. 1093 Company No. A-239 Board of Insurance Commissioners of the State of Texas Austin, Texas, April 2, 1953 TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN



FOUR FLATTENERS—His car adapted with special rollers, gardener W. J. Lester goes to work on a lawn in Rockford, Ill.

More Funds Asked To Speed Action On TV Applications

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.) said Wednesday many U. S. cities will wait five years for television unless Congress sharply increases funds for processing applications for TV stations.

Charivari Prank Kills Prankster

WOODSTOCK, VA.—(AP)—A prank on a newly married couple proved fatal to George Weisel, 24, in Westminster a recent committal hearing indicated 230 million cubic feet of gas was being buried or vented wastefully each day in the Spraberry field.

Civilians Plan Installation Meet

Plans were launched at the Wednesday noon meeting of the Civitan Club for the coming installation banquet to be held in the Midland Country Club at 7:30 p.m. April 29.

Eight Of 88 Polio Cases Prove Fatal

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—The government said Wednesday there have been 88 cases of polio in Mexico since January 1.

Business Visitors

Mrs. Lee W. Kiser and Mrs. V. E. McCabe of Odessa attended to business here Tuesday.

Seen From The Moon

Heavenly bodies can be seen more clearly from the moon than from the earth with its disturbing atmosphere that blurs the surface of the moon and planets, and makes the stars twinkle.

Uncle Ef

Aunt Sally Peters says there's no difference between the bobs who tell you all about their operations and the ones who tell all about their latest diet, except the ones who have had the operations don't beg you to try them.

UN Prisoner Trade—

(Continued From Page One) Allies—real or staged—the Chinese ripped new uniforms given them only a few days ago, tousled their hair, threw away food rations and dropped propaganda leaflets in sight of their Communist welcome committees.

LIVING COSTS TURN UPWARD

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The government reported Wednesday that living costs edged up fractionally between mid-February and mid-March. This reversed a three-month downward trend.

Demos, Republicans Set For New Jersey Gubernatorial Vote

NEWARK—(AP)—Republican Paul Troast, wealthy businessman who heads the New Jersey Turnpike Authority, will oppose country lawyer Robert Meyner, a Democrat, in the state's gubernatorial election this fall.

Four Texas Cotton Agents Are Nabbed In Peron Province

BUENOS AIRES—(AP)—The U. S. embassy said Wednesday four U. S. employees of Anderson Clayton and Company, Texas cotton brokers, had been arrested in North Argentina.

Officer Kills Self In Laredo Apartment

LAREDO—(AP)—Justice L. Villegas ruled suicide Tuesday in the death of Capt. George Micholle, 37, of Atlanta.

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Action To Remove Government Curbs Spurs Businesses

By SAM DAWSON

NEW YORK—P—The move to get government out of business is getting steam.

Action on both sides of the Atlantic points up the trend away from big government and toward more reliance on individuals and private business to do the job when the incentives are there.

The rubber industry and the private electric power industry are the latest to have their hopes aroused.

President Eisenhower has given his blessing to the plan to sell the government-owned synthetic rubber plants to private companies for production of this wartime essential and highly successful peace-time commodity.

Former President Hoover is urging the government halt its inroads into the electric power business and put its reliance on private and competition.

Bankers and investors have seen the relaxing of the U. S. Treasury's hold on interest rates and cheap money, and the return of the management of the money and credit supply to the federal reserve banks.

Happy Is The Day When Backache Goes Away . . .

Nagging backache, loss of pep and energy, headaches and dizziness may be due to weakness of kidney function. Doctors say kidney function is very important to good health. When some every day condition, such as stress and worry, causes the important function to slow down, many folks suffer nagging backache—low morale. Many backache sufferers are due to kidney weakness. It may cause getting up nights, frequent passages, loss of interest in life, and many other things. Don't let your backache ruin your life. Get Dian's Pills—a mild diuretic. Used successfully by millions of people over the years. It's amazing how many times Dian's give happy relief from these distressing conditions. Get Dian's Pills today!

steps in this direction.

Earlier, too, were the ending of price and wage controls, and the relaxing of most material controls.

Business, finance and industry thus are working back toward the free economy of an earlier period.

Through periods of war and depression the government steadily moved into business. It built and operated plants. It is a sort of guaranteeing partner of the farmer and the home builder. For a time it was the sole purchaser and seller of such commodities as tin and rubber. It prodded the steel industry into building more mills by threatening otherwise to build government steel plants.

The switch back may be slow, but it is steady and those businessmen who criticized the former trend toward big government are now taking heart.

Eight More Sign Tax-Cut Petition

WASHINGTON—P—Eight more House members have signed a petition to force a vote on a bill which would cut income taxes 10 per cent July 1. Such a cut is now due January 1.

Their signatures, disclosed Tuesday, brought to 35 the number who have signed. To become effective, the petition must have 218 signers. That would take the tax-cutting measure away from the Rules Committee, which has bottled it up since February.

ILLNESS FORCES VACATION FOR MIDLAND BUSINESSMAN

Due to illness, R. H. Kitchens, manager of White's Auto Stores in Midland, has been given a six-months leave of absence by the company.

Ted Woodard will be acting store manager.

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SECTION TWO

Vast Highway District Keeps Thousands Of Autos Rolling Smoothly Across Basin

PECOS—A vast area of 18,453 square miles is responsible for an approximate million dollar annual payroll in Pecos.

This is the sprawling, enormous territory covered by the District 6 of the Texas Highway Department, headquarters in Pecos and including 12 counties, Andrews, Martin, Midland, Ector, Winkler, Loving, Reeves, Crane, Upton, Pecos and Terrell. Maintaining 1,700 miles of state, federal and farm-to-market roads in this sizeable chunk of West Texas, the district employs 320 workers, 89 of whom are employed at the Pecos headquarters. These 89 employees—24 single and 65 family men—draw an annual payroll of \$812,000.

Volume Of Work
R. L. Faltinson, district engineer on whose shoulders the sprawling territory rests, says that district employees draw about \$1,032,000.

Supplementing the payroll figure is an annual utility bill of approximately \$6,540, Faltinson says. Too, the headquarters purchases approximately \$27,000 worth of minor parts each year in Pecos.

Inventory of stock at the Pecos warehouse runs to about \$106,000 while that for the entire district amounts to approximately \$240,000. Faltinson pointed out that the district owns 350 major equipment items. These include 81 trucks and pickups; 29 station wagons and automobiles; 40 maintainers and motor graders; 142 sweepers and asphalt heaters; and 65 miscellaneous items.

Annual purchases through the district's office run to approximately \$506,000, including asphalt, reinforcing steel and all other materials. Faltinson explained that all purchases—except for minor repair parts—are on competitive bids.

Personnel Assignments
Spreading out from Pecos the district is divided into several resident engineer offices, including Midland, McCamey, Fort Stockton and Sanderson.

To show how the engineer offices operate, Faltinson listed personnel assignments at Pecos. Administrative, Faltinson and Paul Coleman, assistant engineer; engineering, R. H. McCullough, maintenance engineer; accounting, W. A. Fox; warehouse and purchasing, Perron Waxson; repair, blacksmith, welding and sign shop, Virgil Campbell.

Laboratory, Jimmy Seward. All tests are run for the district in the laboratory.

In explaining the breakdown, Faltinson said that when a project is set for a certain section it is assigned to the resident engineer nearest that section. Ira Titus, senior resident engineer for Pecos is responsible for all surveys, preparation of plans and construction of all highway construction work in Reeves, Loving, Ward and Winkler. He has 20 employees.

A further breakdown shows maintenance divisions are located here, W. L. Youngblood, in charge; Fort Stockton, Sanderson, McCamey, Midland, Odessa, Andrews and Monahans. Under supervision of foremen, these handle all maintenance problems on roads in their area.

Sub-stations are located in remote spots and usually employ a couple of men and trucks. These are at Starton, Dryden, Iraan, Sheffield, Balmorhea, Kermit and Bakersfield.

"With so many miles of road," Faltinson said, "it is difficult to keep the roads up, but we manage to do it. And we are in a position to improve traveling facilities even more."

This is proven by the fact that the district has under contract at the present time two and a half million dollars worth of contracts.

In addition to this \$7,000,000 worth of projects have programmed (with the money already earmarked).

Of this total, projects in the immediate area of Pecos are calling for an outlay of \$709,137. Largest of these is on Highway 17, south. Beginning at the intersection on Highway 80, 13.6 miles are to be rebuilt at an estimated cost of \$250,000.

Roads Wear Out
Two projects are being carried out on Highway 80 west. Beginning at the intersection west of Pecos, 5.7 miles are to be rebuilt at a cost of \$96,000; and farther west past Toyah, 13.6 miles are to be rebuilt at a cost of \$230,000.

Three farm-to-market road projects practically are finished at an approximate cost of \$133,137. One is an extension of FM 1216, or the Patrole school road. Then from Orla east across the Pecos River on FM 1934 six miles south of Pecos.

Faltinson explained that heavy increase of traffic has and is wearing out roads almost as fast as they can be repaired. Naturally, Highway

80 has the largest traffic, with 4,010 cars traveling west of Pecos daily. This drops off going into Toyah to 1,920.

Traffic Increases
Going east just across the river bridge, 3,090 cars travel. These figures are annual averages of Highway Department 24 hour traffic counts.

On Highway 285 going to Fort Stockton, 634 cars travel daily. And 870 cars travel on the same road going north. The count runs high on Highway 17 south, with 1,920 cars going over it.

According to a study by the department traffic between Odessa and Pecos has increased 10 per cent the last year. "Increase on Highway 80 will eventually—in the next five years or so—demand a divided lane highway all through the district," Faltinson said.

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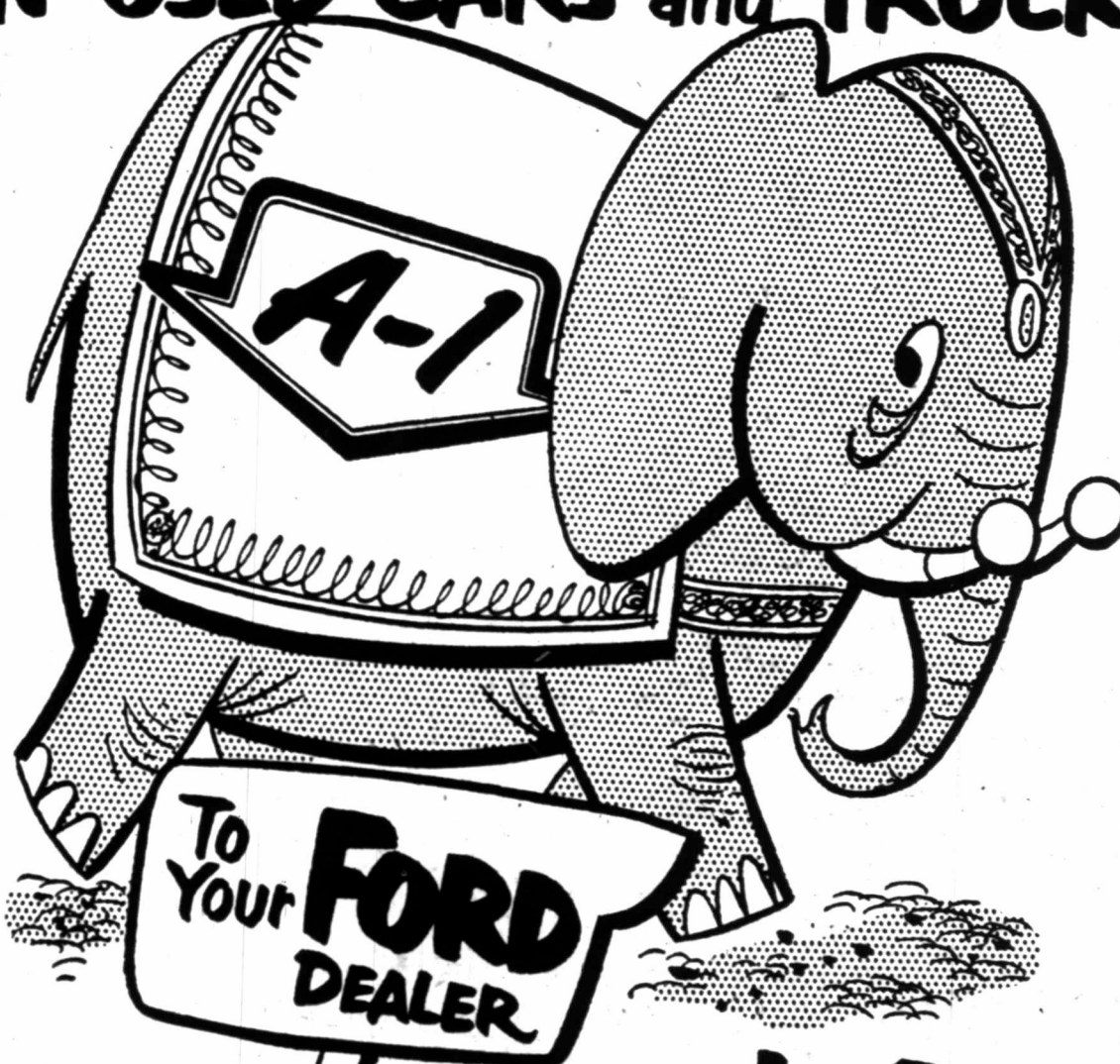
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The Permian Basin Empire, a white spot on the nation's economic map, is blessed as are few other sections...

Let's read once more Mr. Murray's powerful, two-sentence statement: "Why do we feel so insecure? ... I think it's because we worry too much about losing the things we have instead of going after the things we don't have."

Back Where We Started.

The sociologist always says you never get rid of old problems, you just create new dilemmas in solving the old.

Auto makers, trying to eliminate the sun-glare menace to motorists, have come up with some fancy green-tinted windshield glass that pretty well does the trick.

In another field, movie producers, worrying about TV competition, have plunged into three-dimensional films as the big answer.

Now, assume an outdoor theater outfitted for 3-D, handing out special specs at the gate. In comes a motorist, happy with his green, no-glare windshield.

So, where are we? Now we need a new set of glasses to correct for green windshields. And then maybe a device to help you keep three or four sets of specs on your nose.

Children are startled by the idea of work, says a doctor. Smarter than we thought.

The body is said to be susceptible to 1,600 diseases, all of which we've heard pessimists talk about.

Thieves stole a safe from an Indiana store. A pedigreed watchdog kept real quiet and wasn't taken.

One False Move Could Be Fatal



The Washington Merry-Go-Round

WASHINGTON—Senators who serve on Senator McCarthy's investigation committee but are seldom consulted about its helter-skelter probes, are curious, to put it mildly, over the reported European antics of its two junior G-Men.

They are Roy Cohn and David Schine, whom McCarthy sent to Europe to investigate the Voice of America, but who are reported to have used special airplanes at the taxpayers' expense, got their pants mixed up, and engaged in a brawl in the Hotel Adler.

He stepped into the hall, in time to see a man disappearing along the passage where the library man had gone from the library two nights ago. He couldn't see him clearly, because the light wasn't good there, but a shaft of reflected sunlight caught his head and shoulders.

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JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY, Written for NEA Service. What do you do when you are walking along the street and see on the crowded sidewalk that you are going to encounter somebody you don't like?

Table with bridge hand information: NORTH ♠ 87, ♥ A, ♦ KQ732, ♣ K997; WEST ♠ AQJ53, ♥ KQJ107, ♦ 105, ♣ 4; SOUTH (D) ♠ K64, ♥ 865, ♦ AK4, ♣ AJ106. Includes North-South vul, South West North East, and Opening lead—W K.

can be troublesome to you. One of the methods of doing this is illustrated in today's hand.

West opens the king of hearts and dummy wins with the ace. You are playing the hand as declarer in this slightly ambitious contract of five clubs.

Sooner or later, of course, you are going to draw trumps, but that is only part of your plan. You are going to ruff your two losing hearts in dummy sooner or later but that likewise is only part of your plan.

Here is how you "cross the street" in order to make sure of avoiding the dangerous opponent. You draw two rounds of trumps with the ace and king, and then lead the nine of diamonds from the dummy.

West wins a diamond trick. It is now easy for you to clear your remaining top diamonds, draw the third round of trumps ending in dummy, and run two diamonds in order to discard two spades from your hand.

WASHINGTON COLUMN

Defense Budget Will Be Cut By 10 Per Cent Is Best Guess

By PETER EDSON, NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—When the Truman Administration's \$41,000,000,000 military budget for next year was tossed back at the Department of Defense by the Eisenhower Administration...

"Well, I guess the first thing to do is get the Republican definition of an 'essential'."

To date, this definition never has been put in writing. But program by program, Defense Secretary Charles E. Wilson and his new Pentagon team have been cutting back manpower requirements and forcing reductions wherever they could.

Assistant Secretary of Defense W. J. McNeil—an ex-admiral who has been kept over on the job of controller of the armed services by the new Administration—was prouder of the original 1954 budget than any prepared since unification was begun.

When this budget was announced early in January, McNeil declared there had been real service cooperation in its preparation. Nobody had raised a loud voice of protest over any decision.

The size of the budget was determined not on the basis of how much money they thought they could get from Congress, or what the taxpayers would stand for. Instead, the first determination was how big an armed force the country had to maintain at home and abroad.

The bidding makes it perfectly clear that West has the ace of spades. Hence you cannot expect to win a trick with the king of spades. Your best plan is to establish dummy's long diamond suit and to discard two of your spades on dummy's extra diamond.

In the process of establishing dummy's diamonds, you must avoid giving the lead to East. One diamond trick must be given up to the opponents, but you must make sure that this trick is given to West rather than East.

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BOOKS FOR THE BARON

by Anthony Morten BARON

"I'd rather show you, sir," said Abel.

Abel led the way through a maze of passages until they reached the store room—and the door of the room where the plaster cast had been put away was closed.

Abel turned the key in the lock, and pushed the door open. Mannerling needed only a single glance to see what had happened.

HE stepped into the hall, in time to see a man disappearing along the passage where the library man had gone from the library two nights ago. He couldn't see him clearly, because the light wasn't good there, but a shaft of reflected sunlight caught his head and shoulders.

"No, did anyone else," said Mannerling dryly. "Don't talk about this too much, either of you."

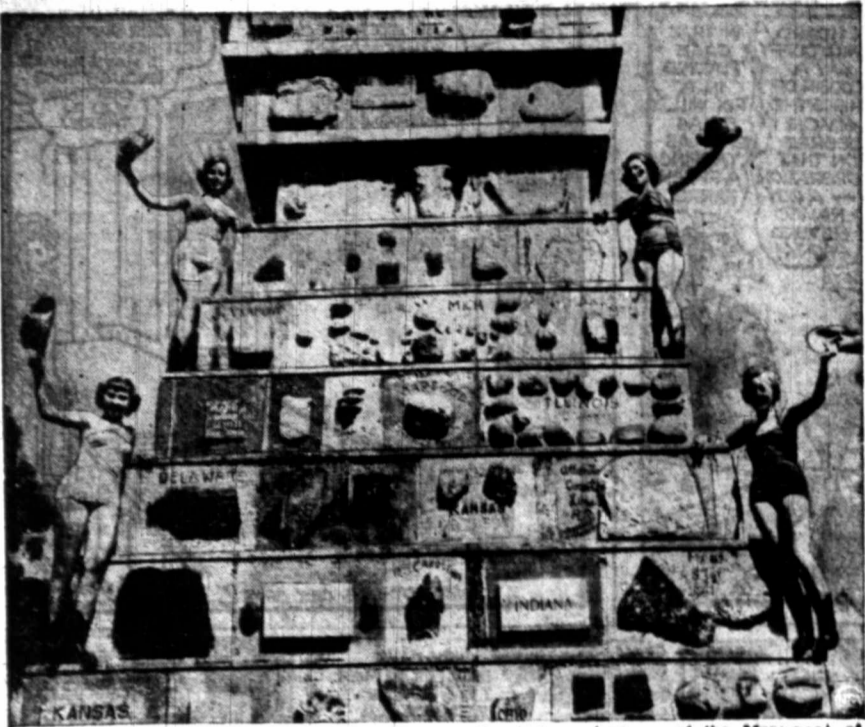
Abel said quietly: "We won't talk, sir, but maybe others will. And, besides, you have your sent for the police yet?"

"The police know there's trouble," said Mannerling. "Abel searched for 15 minutes, but was unable to find a paw-mark from which to make another cast."

HE went back to the hall musing. Dr. Halsted struck one false note, this latest incident, another. The pressure was being increased, but he could not make up his mind whether Gloria was in imminent danger or whether there had been just another attempt to frighten her and so worsen her condition.

Voices on the landing broke into his thoughts. He slipped into the drawing room, and left the door ajar. Lady Bream was talking, but he could not at first distinguish the words. Then the new doctor spoke, in his spry voice. The tone of extra refinement was reminiscent of a ham actor ruining Shakespeare.





BEAUTY MARKERS—On hand to commemorate the 10th anniversary of the Monument of States at Kissimmee, Fla., four pretty girls wave from atop the monument, made up of stones from each of the 48 states and 28 foreign countries. It was designed and built by Dr. C. W. Bressler, a sculptor who lives in Kissimmee.

Municipal Report Shows City Faces Summer 'In Good Shape'

Midland got Spring cleaning off to a good start in March with police weeding the wrong-doers out of the streets, taxpayers polishing the furniture and in general building, patching and giving last year's buildings new Spring bonnets.

At least that was the picture painted by City Manager W. H. Orwalt and his staff in their March municipal report.

First of all, Midland policemen covered the same ground at least four times a day during March, and the people know it—so the tune of 4,529 tickets (899 for mistakes under the wheel and 3,640 for forgetting that parking meter). And then there were the "luckier" drivers: 2,398 of them who were warned, but misadventured out on tickets.

Other Violations

Off the meters and into the "higher brackets," Midland cops investigated 418 complaints which included breaking and entering, suicide, accidental shooting and theft. They made 178 arrests for such things as disturbing the peace, simple assault and drinking too much on the wrong corner. Detectives were busy opening 27 cases during March and clearing up 70.

But all was not tickets and arrests traffic-wise during March. The city kept painting lane lines and crossings, installing new signs and replacing old ones, and keeping count of traffic on the busiest streets.

An experiment with street "islands" found bright yellow sand-

bags in various parts of the city. That test still is going on.

While traffic tickets were on the upgrade, water use in Midland was slipping down from February's total. Water bills showed \$1,593,800 gallons used during March—a drop of 18,387,700 from February. March can boast a general rain—which kept lawn sprinklers resting and water consumption down. April, though, may be another story.

The city added 222 water accounts during March; a sign both of city growth and that the city's water-sewage supply project is moving along toward its "blanket" goal. Water, sewer and garbage didn't pay off so well in March though. Some \$487.25 was collected, that was \$53,519 under February's take.

Tax Collections

Tax collectors fared well during March. By March 31, tax payers had shelled out \$674,297.85 in 1952 taxes, \$10,031.57 chucked up during March. This was 92.87 per cent of the tax rolls. This same time a year ago, only 88.93 per cent had shown up.

Midland kids will mark March down as one of their better months. During the month, work started and continued on park sites all over the city. Fifteen trees were planted, dirt was hauled, land plowed and seeded and light bulbs replaced in preparation for the outdoors rush. Plans were studied for Latin American and Negro parks.

And while the city was working on its parks, Midlanders were busy building and rebuilding to the tune of \$3,246,813. The city issued 363 building permits for new residential and commercial building and for alterations around residential and commercial houses.

The March business brought Midland's total for the year to \$6,794,248 and kept inspectors busy making about 1,268 inspections of electricity, plumbing and sanitation facilities.

Cash On Hand

Midlanders weren't bumping over quite so many streets that month. Paved streets got face lifting to remove holes and bad bumps and dirt streets were leveled and graded. Eight dirt streets were oiled down. Street sweepers logged up 1,881 gutter miles sweeping Midland paved streets in residential areas once a week and downtown every night.

And now, folks living in Permian Estates, Trueland Addition, Eastover Addition and a few other spots can prove they live on "such-and-such" a street. The city installed 226 street name signs.

A final note: the city closed its March books with \$254,394.81 on hand.

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MIDLAND MEMORIAL HOSPITAL
Emergency
 B. J. Latham, 2511 Waynett Drive, employed by the Ralph Lowe Drilling Company, injured finger of right hand on the job. (Released).
 C. C. Wilkerson, Ozona, hurt foot in home accident. (Released).
 Woodward Logan, New Orleans, La., dislocated jaw. (Released).

Medical
 Mrs. Mary Lou Davis, 221 West Montgomery Street.
 Patricia Cook, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hewlette Cook, 1204 East Cedar Street.

WESTERN CLINIC - HOSPITAL
Emergency
 Fred Bradley, 1210 South Baird Street, employed by the Western Company, contusions of the right foot in working accident. (Released).
 Herman Bird, 910 South Pecos Street, illness. (Released).
 Gerald Jones, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Jones, 2900 West Michigan Street. (Released).

Medical
 Walter H. Woods, Jr., 107 West Louisiana Street.
 Ruth Egan Dunlap, 304 West Tennessee Street.
 Gaylon Strickland, 807 North Weatherford Street.

Surgical
 Mrs. J. K. Easterling, 422 Andrews Highway.
 Bill Connerly, son of Dr. David D. Connerly, 2006 West Ohio Street.

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Readers Criticize Choice Of Words

During the week of March 22 this column referred to TURF SPECIAL Fertilizer as "gorgeous." Several of our readers, (and we do have some, it seems), made some pointed remarks in our hearing about "ignorance," "unlettered," "nescient," to which we agree, but not about gorgeous Turf Special.

We went down and bought a dictionary, two of them, in fact—nothing like being well-armed. The American College Dictionary defines the word, "sumptuous: magnificent, splendid in appearance or coloring." The synonyms are "rich, superb, grand, brilliant, resplendent." Webster's side one more word, "sublime."

Now, how about you going back and reading that last paragraph again, and take a good think about those words? Alright, alright, so we were wrong! The Turf Special isn't gorgeous. It's only your own lawn that will be gorgeous. You try Turf Special this season and see for yourself how those words will fit—sumptuous, magnificent, rich, superb, grand, etc.

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★ Daddy Ringtail ★

Daddy Ringtail And What To Do With A Goober Grabber

By WESLEY DAVIS
The Goober Grabber—the sassy fellow—was caught at last. He was a little old man as tall as your knee. His ears were big, and his nose was long, and his hands were like monkey hands, all so he could grab away goobers fast.
What was to be done with him? He had caused a lot of mischief. He had grabbed away goobers from the circus elephants, making them very unhappy. He had laughed his sassy words.

of how no one, ever, could catch him. He had kept right on with his mis-



chief, too, until the day he was caught. Daddy Ringtail, your monkey friend, was trying to decide what to

SIDE GLANCES



"Stay away from that artist—you're the type he likes to put in his comic strip!"

By WESLEY DAVIS

do to keep the Goober Grabber from grabbing any more. Daddy Ringtail talked with the Goober Grabber's mother about it.

She was a nice old lady, and very much ashamed of the Goober Grabber's grabbing, poor woman. A always is unhappy when one of her children gets into mischief, and she is much ashamed. Yes, and it does not matter at all that her child is really a little old man with great big ears, and a long nose, and a hand like a monkey. She is still ashamed. She said she would give that Goober Grabber son of hers a talking to, and she did.

But it didn't do a bit of good. He said he would go right on with his goober grabbing, unless he had a spanking to stop him. And so his mother started to give him the spanking then and there, but he stopped her quick by telling her she shouldn't spank him for doing things he had to do. He had to grab away goobers, he said, because he was a Goober Grabber.

You can see what a problem this was. How can you spank a someone for doing something the someone has to do? It isn't fair to do it, but his mother said she had to spank him.

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2. How did Jesus tell the youth he might inherit eternal life? St. Mark 10:19, 21.
3. Take my yoke upon you, and learn of me; for I am meek and lowly in heart: and ye shall find rest unto your souls. St. Matthew 11:29.
4. Wherefore the Lord blessed the sabbath day, and Exodus 20:11.
5. A virtuous woman is a crown to her husband. Proverbs 12:4.
6. There is one lawgiver, who is able to save and to destroy: who art thou that art thou that? James 4:12.
7. Name the first two boys born into the world. Genesis 4:1, 2.

Six correct—excellent. Four correct—good.

For wisdom, courage and peace read the Bible daily.

because Goober Grabber mothers spank their sons. And so nobody ought to blame her, she said, for doing the thing she has to do.

She spanked the Goober Grabber. That was the end of his goober grabbing, all on a very fine day.

The little old man said he felt better to have had his spanking and to be through with his mischief making. He went around telling people, every day, how awful he used to be. He tells it to people this very day. Happy day!

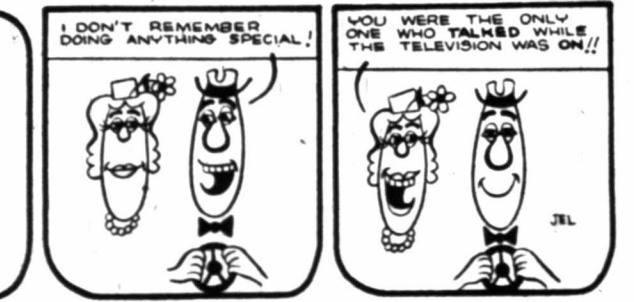
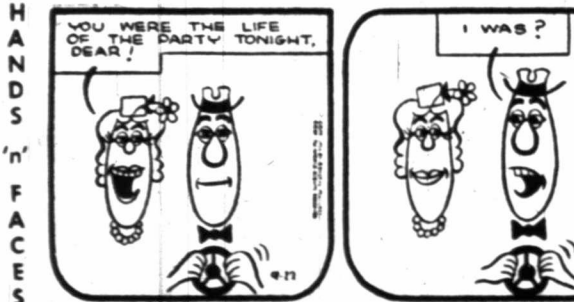
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Texan Plays Lone Hand Well In 'Good Neighbor' Relations

By GRACE HALSELL
Special Reporter-Telegram
Correspondent

BERCHTESGADEN, GERMANY—Americans spend thousands of dollars on a "Better Relations" program with the Germans, but when a government employe associates with Germans his superiors don't like it, a native Texan, Henry Ireland, told me.

"It almost cost me my job, because I have a lot of German friends and go around with them instead of other Americans," Ireland related.

He is the son of Col. and Mrs. R. E. Ireland of San Antonio.

To learn as much as possible about Germany, and in particular, the southern part which is called Bavaria, Ireland has studied native customs and learned the German language.

The Germans appreciated so much his interest in them that he was accepted as a member of their "Bavarian Club."

He is the only American ever accepted in this organization, and the charter, stating members must be Bavarians, was rewritten to make an exception for the Texan.

Ireland especially is intrigued by the native dress.

"Lederhosen"—pants made from the hirsch (German deer)—are worn both in Summer and Winter. In Winter, the pants legs are jointed below the knee, where they are joined by long, woolen sox.

Worn For Years
In Summer, lederhosen are short—stopping mid-way on the man's upper leg, and providing to my mind, the most colorful male costume this side of Scotch kilts.

Lederhosen are worn for years—in fact for decades.

They are handed down from father to son, and a man with a Winter pair (kniehosen) and a Summer pair (kurzhosen) is set for life.

The pants are never washed. They acquire, so the Bavarians believe, "a fine patina"—as good silver does with repeated use.

When I interviewed Ireland, he had a couple of friends in for some beer.

One, Rudi Aschauer, was wearing a pair of lederhosen he has worn since he was eight.

He showed me where his mother had had to let them out in the seams—as he grew larger.

Rudi had a pair of lederhosen which belonged to his grandfather, then his father, and which Rudi now wears.

Rudi's girl friend, Maria, was dressed in the typical Bavarian costume—light-weight wool fitted close-by-over the bust, with gathered skirt, and taffeta apron. The style has been copied widely in American fashions.

To be "properly dressed" Bavarian style for Sunday, it is possible to spend one hour just putting on the clothes, Ireland pointed out.

It is almost as much "ritual" as a bull fighter goes through in preparing for the ring.

"One thing that takes a long time," Ireland said, "is putting the beard in my hat." The beard is the "shaving brush" which sticks up from a Bavarian's hat.

It is the trophy from a Gams (mountain goat), and a fine beard, such as the one Ireland wears in his hat, may cost as much as \$40.

The Bavarian's hat is very important.

As many Texans can tell what ranch a cattleman is from by the way he rolls his hat, a Bavarian can tell what village a man is from by the type hat he is wearing.



TEXAN IN BAVARIA—A Texan, Henry Ireland, places the Gams' beard—or "shaving brush" as Americans call it—in his typical Sunday Bavarian hat. He is wearing the gray trimmed-with-green Bavarian coat, and the lederhosen, made from the German hirsch (deer) and which Bavarians wear for a lifetime without washing. Ireland is now on his way back to Texas—lederhosen and all.



★ DR. JORDAN SAYS ★

Some Hypertension Victims Are Successfully Treated

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

Hundreds of thousands of persons have been told by their physicians that they have high blood pressure, or hypertension. Millions more of us eventually will be told the same thing.

It would be easy to let this frighten us, but this would be about the worst thing we could do. Fright, like the other emotions, is known to have a tendency to increase the blood pressure and not to lower it.

What is high blood pressure or hypertension? That is what we call the pressure of the blood against the walls of our arteries when it is constantly higher than "normal."

But it is not easy to say what "normal" really is, because it is higher in some persons than in others without apparently doing the former any harm. Also it has a tendency to go up slightly with age, anyway, so this can be considered a "normal" development.

In fact, many people with blood pressures considerably higher than what is considered the usual or "normal" live in apparently excellent health about as long as others.

Even today, however, there are several methods of attacking essential hypertension. Some people have been benefited by diet. Of these, the so-called rice diet has received the most attention by the public. But other diets, mostly of the low-salt-content variety, also have proved helpful.

Surgery is Used
The use of tissue extracts has proved useful for some, the production of artificial fever for others. Not to be ignored is surgery. The operation used most frequently consists of cutting some of the nerves lying near the spine (sympathetic-

whose blood pressures are more nearly average.

But hypertension, with truly high pressures, is a real problem and cannot be ignored. It is not a disease, because it may result from several different conditions, some of which can be effectively treated, and some which cannot. In most, however, the exact cause is not known and the condition is labeled "essential hypertension," which merely means we doctors do not yet know what causes this condition.

In spite of the current lack of knowledge of the causes and treatment of essential hypertension, progress is being made and some victims of the disorder are being treated successfully.

It is encouraging, too, that more scientific brains and more funds are being devoted to research on high blood pressure.

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For centuries, in the past, no one in Great Britain could own swans without royal permission.

Casualties In Korea

WASHINGTON — The Department of Defense Wednesday announced the following Texas battle casualties in the Korean area:

Wounded, Navy: Joe E. McGrabb, HMM, San Antonio.

Wounded, Marine Corps: Cpl. J. W. Bailey, Nacondoches; Pfc. Jerry D. Brumelow, San Antonio; Pfc. Robert B. Henry, Garland; Cpl. Andrew C. McDonald, Fort Worth; Cpl. Francisco J. Salazar, Hebbronville; Pfc. Bennie O. Smith, Houston.

Missing in action, Marine Corps: Pfc. John B. Hardwell, San Antonio.

TAX REACHES ITS ULTIMATE

EMPORIA, KAN.—(AP)—Somebody evidently had a little difficulty getting in and out of the Emporia post office doors. He wrote a note on a blotter and left it in the lobby for all customers who cared to read.

"The doors of this building," the note said, "are hard to open because it is the only way the government can tax your strength."

FIRST TO FLINCH LOSES—

German Duelists Hack Away Despite Law's Stern Frown

FRANKFURT, GERMANY — (AP)—German students still are hacking away at each other with swords for the glory of tradition.

As far back as 1872, student dueling was banned. But duels have been going on secretly ever since. Some authorities looked the other way when clubs met to deal out scars. And in parts of West Germany this still is the prevailing attitude.

In Frankfurt, however, the police try hard to halt the duels whenever they get wind of them.

Football Rougher?
Some Germans defend the practice as no worse than boxing. Germans who have seen American football think dueling is fairly tame.

Under strict regulations, serious injury is rare and the usual wound is a sword cut along the forehead. A cheek wound is sometimes inflicted but the man who diahed it out automatically is disqualified in a match.

Infants' Marriage Thwarted By Police

AHMEDABAD, INDIA—(AP)—Police intervened at a nearby village to prevent the projected marriage of a 12-month-old bridegroom to a nine-month-old bride.

Officials said parents of the babies arranged the marriage soon after the children were born. They planned to conduct the ceremony with the mother and father of each child taking turns holding their tiny offspring during the long Hindu ceremony.

Police took both sets of parents to a magistrate who issued an injunction against the marriage until they reach the legal age: 14 years for girls, 18 years for boys.

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CARNIVAL



"That Freddie! I don't suppose he ever dreamed that night life means anything but mosquitoes and lightning bugs!"

Notaries Get Filing Notice

Secretary of State Howard Carney has announced that he will reappoint all persons who now hold notary public commissions and that all such persons must qualify by filing an oath and bond with the county clerk of their residence between June 1, 1953, and June 16, 1953.

The law specifically requires county clerks to approve notary bonds and individuals should not send money or requests for commissions direct to the secretary of State. All notary matters can only be received by the secretary of State after the county clerk acts thereon.

Any person who has not heretofore been a notary public should apply to his county clerk between May 1, 1953, and May 23, 1953, if he desires to have this application given prompt attention in the State Department, as the rush of reappointing all old notaries may slow up the ordinary process of making new appointments and issuing commissions.

Secretary of State Carney said, "Each person applying for a commission as a notary public must be at least 21 years of age and a resident of the county for which he is appointed; exact names and permanent addresses should be given to the county clerk in applying for a commission, as location of the notary may be necessary later after he has notarized a particular instrument."

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Spring Has Come, Tra La, And Nation's Bird Lovers Prepare To Spy On Friends

By RICHARD KLEINER
NEA Staff Correspondent

Outside of, possibly, beating up the little woman, there isn't an older hobby than bird-watching. Ever since the first cave man watched the first cave bird, men, women and children have been studying birds. Nowadays they seem to be watching them more often. The hobby of bird-watching, or, more simply, birding, is growing by leaps and bounds. Mrs. Robert Army, who is president of the Federated Naturalists of New Jersey, estimates 15,000,000 Americans are actively interested in birds.



Mrs. Army is typical, more or less, of the birders. She always liked birds, but couldn't tell a crested flycatcher from an evening grosbeak until a few years ago. Then her son, Tommy, became a bird enthusiast. "Now he's off on jet engines," says Mrs. Army, with a sigh, "but I'm still a birder." She takes her birding seriously. She doesn't only watch them, she also feeds, bands, counts, checks and even nurses them. These constitute the most commonly practiced forms of birding.

If you'd like to attract birds to your home, you should (a) plant your grounds with vegetation they like, such as berry-bearing shrubs and white birches; (b) put out food they go for, delicacies like lamb bones, peanut butter and oatmeal; and (c) lure them with dripping water, such as hose dripping at about the beat of "My Country 'Tis of Thee."

Once the birds are there, there are many things you can do. First, of course, you can just look and perhaps check off the varieties on a "life list." That way you notice strange trends.

For example, last Winter Mrs. Army saw some western birds that are unusual in the East—the western tanager, the spotted towhee, which has never before been seen east of the plains, the dickcissel, which disappeared from the east around 1900, and the Bullock's oriole. This has something to do with the weather pattern.

Banding is Mrs. Army's specialty, but you can't go in for it without a license. The permit is issued by the Fish and Wild Life Service in Washington, but they have only given out about 700 and Mrs. Army says they're harder to get than a passport behind the Iron Curtain.



One osprey, banded on Long Island was recovered from Rio de Janeiro, New Jersey - banded there have been recovered from Spain and Africa. A robin Mrs. Army banded was recovered from Missouri.

A by-product of banding is the knowledge of which breeds are dying out, and which are increasing. Mrs. Army knows the mourning dove is fast dying out, and therefore needs protection, because she bands fewer each year. But she's seeing more American egrets, and snowy egrets, birds which are now protected.

Mrs. Army says she belongs to the "park-and-wait" school, meaning that she just scatters a little bread around and waits for the birds to come to her. She sometimes takes along an Audubon Bird Call, a little gimmick which you twist and out comes a squeaky sound that attracts birds. You can do the same by kissing the back of your hand, producing a birdy sound.

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A good way to see unusual birds is to use a device called a Japanese mist net. It's woven of nylon and human hair, and is practically invisible. During migratory seasons, you stick them around bushes, and the birds fly into them and are trapped. It doesn't hurt, but it lets you get close enough to see them before you turn them loose.

"You have to watch them like hawks, though," Mrs. Army says. "When the birds are caught inside, it's a cat cafeteria." And that's something no self-respecting bird-watcher can permit.

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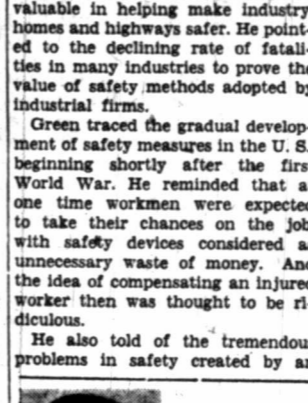
More Men Than Women Die In Accidents Over Nation

Accidents down through the years in the United States, which have killed more men than women, were identified here as one of the reasons for a surplus of 3,000,000 women in this country now by J. Thurman Green, safety director of the Sun Oil Company, Dallas. Green spoke before a meeting of the Permian Basin Safety Society Monday night in Hotel Scharbauer.



Pvt. Thomas White Stationed In Austria
Pvt. Thomas White, Jr., whose parents reside at 707 South Big Spring Street, has arrived in Salzburg, Austria, for duty in the Quartermaster Corps there.

But the safety expert held out hope. He said recognition gradually being granted to safety engineers as professional men was proving invaluable in helping make industry, homes and highways safer. He pointed to the declining rate of fatalities in many industries to prove the value of safety methods adopted by industrial firms.



Have A Laugh
By BOYCE HOUSE
Some folks say that Texans don't have a high regard for the truth. On the contrary, Texans value the truth highly—that's why we are so economical with it.

Green traced the gradual development of safety measures in the U. S., beginning shortly after the first World War. He reminded that at one time workmen were expected to take their chances on the job, with safety devices considered as unnecessary waste of money. And the idea of compensating an injured worker then was thought to be ridiculous.

He also told of the tremendous problems in safety created by an influx of inexperienced workers in defense plants during World War II. The new employes knew nothing of the correct way to operate their machines, and an unprecedented training program was necessary, coupled with the task of instructing them how to perform their work in the safest way.

The Dallas safety authority urged all West Texas safety engineers take out memberships in the American Society of Safety Engineers, which has 6,000 members, as their duty in promoting the growth of safety consciousness here.

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