

UNPRECEDENTED ATTRACTIONS TO GREET SPECTATORS AT ANNUAL MIDLAND RODEO

Details of the greater 1940 Midland Rodeo were practically outlined as the week end arrived, providing a framework on which committees may conduct systematic activity each day until the opening program Saturday, August 31. Afternoon and night arena showings will be conducted for the three days through Labor Day, September 2.

Contracting the world famous Colburn and Knight rodeo stock, the same which is used at the Madison Square Garden show; mapping a three-event attraction for cowgirls and sponsors,

setting up greater attractions for exhibitors in the colt show, making preliminary plans for a gaited horse show, completing the purse and prize list for all contest events were included in the week's work of the rodeo committee, composed of Clarence Scharbauer, president of Midland Fair, Inc., Foy Proctor, general rodeo chairman, Roy Parks, sponsor show chairman, John Dublin, Donald Hutt and Leonard Proctor, aided by W. B. Simpson, official representative of the business men un-

der-writing the show. Copies of the prize list, which describes all events and outlines rules and regulations, will be off the press this week and ready for distribution to contestants throughout the country who have awaited the information with interest.

Rodeo contest events will include Brahma calf roping, Brahma cow milking, steer bulldogging, saddle bronc riding, bareback bronc riding, steer riding and a Brahma steer riding scramble. Purses in these events

are practically the same as last year and again will have the entrance fees added.

Bigger Sponsors' Show. Special attractions, with more handsome prizes than ever before, will be offered the cowgirl sponsors who come here annually to represent from thirty to fifty towns and cities of West Texas and New Mexico. Roy Parks, who will have charge of the sponsor show, has announced three principal events.

The sponsors' contest proper,

in which all of the girls entered will ride their horses about the stakes, being judged 25 per cent each on appearance of cowgirl, ability to ride, appearance of horse and equipment and ability of horse to be reined, will have for its grand prize a handsome saddle, with other prizes for next winners.

Winners of the sponsors' contest, together with winners of previous sponsors' contests here, excepting only the winner of last year's calf penning contest, will be eligible to compete in a

calf penning contest which features the ability of the rider and the performance of her mount. Grand prize in this event is a \$280 Hobbs horse trailer.

Third event, and one which will be a drawing card for the popular rodeo, will be a cowgirls' calf roping contest. Winner of this event will leave Midland with a handsome dun yearling colt, with black mane and tail, given by Clarence Scharbauer and raised in the celebrated "Scharbauer dun" herd.

Cold Show Included. The Colt Show committee, including George Glass, Stanton Brunson and County Agent V. G. Young of Midland, Hence Barrow and County Agent H. L. Atkins of Odessa and County Agent George Bond of Stanton, have worked out an attractive event for horse breeders, with substantial cash prizes for winner in five classes and a trophy for grand champion of the show.

The five classes will include: (1) Studs and geldings, quar-

ter horse type, two years old and under. (2) Fillies, quarter horse type, two years old and under. (3) Studs and geldings, half thoroughbred to thoroughbred, two years old and under. (4) Fillies, half thoroughbred to thoroughbred, two years old and under. (5) Palominos, studs, geldings and fillies, two years old and under. (To be eligible for this class, entries must conform to standards of the Palomino Assoc. See (Rodeo) Page 6)

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WEST TEXAS: Generally fair, southeast portion, partly cloudy with scattered showers and thunderstorms elsewhere Sunday and Monday. Not quite so warm north portion Monday.

O'Daniel Wins Without Runoff Again

WOODY, DARNELL IN RUNOFF FOR SHERIFF

Midland county voters marched to the polls and voted 2550 strong Saturday, leaving only one county and one precinct race in doubt to be voted on in the runoff election on August 24.

In the sheriff's race, Norman Woody and Ed Darnell must meet to decide the eventual winner. Woody polled 814 votes compared to 747 for Darnell in the election yesterday, both of them finishing far ahead of the other two contestants in the race, A. B. Stickney and A. R. Green.

Emergency Action On Water Supply Taken by Council

City councilmen, at a meeting late Friday, put the machinery into operation for ordering a bond election to improve and enlarge the city's water supply, to take care of increased demand due to the steadily growing population, number of homes and water users.

Meanwhile, emergency steps were taken to relieve an immediate capacity shortage of the water lines, as daily water users were asked, in an official advertisement, to refrain from watering lawns, trees and shrubs between the hours of 10 a. and 5 p. m. each day.

Another emergency project was the installation by Harry Watson, oil man and owner of the Goldsmith pool water system of an additional booster pump, with a 7-arrangement, to force more water from Cloverdale through the main line from the source of supply. The present capacity is 1,400 gallons per minute, and the installation completed last night was expected to increase it to at least 1,600 gallons per minute.

Simultaneous with preparing for ordering a bond election, city officials placed an order for 10,000 feet of 14-inch pipe to lay an additional main from the source of supply to the city and an additional ten-inch line to the eight-inch grid which encircles the central part of the city. This, when completed, along with other planned improvements, will increase the capacity of water brought into town from the present 1,800,000 gallons per day to approximately 5,000,000 gallons per day, city officials said. The demand at present is exceeding 2,000,000 gallons, due to increased hot weather.

It has been estimated that with a ditching machine the ditch should be dug, with completion of laying the line to be possible in three weeks. A new 500-gallon per minute well has been completed at Cloverdale, and it is to this supply that Watson's crew was rigging up the booster pump yesterday. The upper water has been cemented off, as in an oil well, giving a steady flow from the lower depth.

City officials pointed out that there is no shortage of water at the source of supply, but the difficulty at present is in pumping water through the present lines fast enough. Storage capacity of the Cloverdale reservoir is 1,000,000-gal-See (WATER SUPPLY) Page 6

To Break Jinx: 13 Free Admissions to Negroes Offered

In an effort to break the jinx that has caused the Midland Cowboys to lose 13 straight games, President Claude Duffey of the club last night announced that the first 13 negroes to enter the park for this afternoon's game against Lubbock at three o'clock would be admitted free.

The only "catch" to the offer is that each colored person be available for the Cowboys to rub their heads, if they desire.

SLIGHTLY IMPROVED

Condition of Miss Marian Wadley, seriously ill in a Dallas hospital, was slightly improved Saturday morning, friends here learned from a telephone conversation with her father, Addison Wadley. Attending physicians said she was not out of danger but was slightly improved, friends reported.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Miss Rose Elder underwent major surgery in a Midland hospital Saturday morning. Miss Lillian Crum sustained surgery Friday in the same hospital.

Governor Again



W. LEE O'DANIEL

GEOLOGISTS SET FOR FALL MEET, AUG. 17

Saturday, August 17, will be a "red letter day" in the history of the West Texas Geological Society when a group of nine timely papers on the geology of West Texas and New Mexico will be presented here at the Fall meeting by men each of whom is well-versed in his chosen topic.

Virtually the entire day will be occupied in presentation of the talks, and the evening will be taken up by an outdoor barbecue and smoker.

Special invitations have been extended to all geologists who formerly See (FALL MEET) Page 6

Axis Favors Settlement of Fuss Among the Balkans

embattled England.

Berlin, July 28 (Sunday)—An indication that Adolf Hitler told Balkan statesmen he expected them to settle their own differences but that Germany favored both Bulgarian and modified Hungarian claims on Rumania was given today by the newspaper National Zeitung of Essen.

The Balkan countries, said the newspaper, which is close to No. 2 Nazi Hermann Wilhelm Goering, must acknowledge the Rome-Berlin axis' principles for a "new order in Europe."

"Such acknowledgement," it added, "can not be forced or bought for it is either the basis of the policy or it is not."

Germany never has made a secret of the fact "that the reich viewed with sympathy reasonable demands by Hungary and Bulgaria for revisions," the newspaper commented.

Rumania, it said, has been maneuvered into an unusual role of mediator in a position "which it never was in a position to play" and "is also conscious that this policy belongs to the past and must be liquidated."

"The principles of the axis powers and the necessities of the new order depend on fulfillment of just demands such as Bulgaria makes on the southern Dobruja," the National Zeitung contended.

"Out of the same considerations, Hungary will have to undertake certain reductions of the idea of Stephen's crown. (Territory which Hungary claims)."

As the axis powers tried to carve a "more reasonable" place for Rumania in a revised southeastern Europe, Nazi bombers and strafing speedboats hacked with new fury at

Midland County Complete

	Pre. 1	Pre. 2	Pre. 3	Pre. 4	Pre. 5	Total
For United States Senator.						
Tom Connally	1036	71	48	59	898	2112
A. P. Belcher	71	10	2	8	73	164
Buy B. Fisher	45	6	0	3	72	126
For Congress 16th District.						
E. E. Thomason	1179	87	58	77	1115	2516
For Governor.						
W. Lee O'Daniel	586	67	36	45	684	1418
Harry Hines	329	29	14	11	186	542
Jerry Sadler	14	2	1	4	5	26
M. A. Ferguson	35	10	1	9	56	111
R. P. Condon	2					2
Ernest O. Thompson	193	6	6	8	175	388
Arlon B. Davis	8	1	1	2		12
For Lieutenant Governor.						
Coke R. Stevenson	843	44	34	42	684	1647
Chas. Somerville	49	7	2	4	67	129
Alton M. Mead	235	30	19	23	293	600
For Comptroller.						
Clifford E. Butler	156	8	8	13	193	378
Geo. H. Sheppard	990	70	48	56	850	2014
For State Treasurer.						
Harry McKee	254	27	7	20	300	608
Chas. Lockhart	881	51	49	48	742	1771
For Commissioner General Land Office.						
Bascom Giles	1177	86	56	77	1123	2519
For Attorney General.						
General Chapman	1174	88	56	78	1126	2522
For Supt. Public Instruction.						
S. R. LeMay	426	27	16	25	443	972
L. A. Woods	687	46	38	41	584	1396
For Commissioner of Agriculture.						
Wm. N. Corry	282	14	17	16	260	599
J. E. McDonald	686	53	31	39	610	1414
W. W. King	95	11	7	11	135	263
For Railroad Commissioner.						
Bryan Patterson	23	6	7	4	34	74
Olin Van Zandt	27	6		1	26	60
Eugene P. Smith	2	2			9	14
Errol Holt	8	2	1		18	29
Wm. H. McDonald	59	10	2	10	105	186
Waldon D. Hood	30	4	1		29	64
Charlie Langford	65	1			64	130
Clyde E. Smith	16	3	2	1	39	61
Olin Culberson	671	6	16	16	465	1174
Jno. Paul Jones	10				12	25
Pierce Brooks	90	16	9	22	108	245
Baker Salsbury	14	1			14	30
Ross Hardin	20	7	9	5	24	65
Jno. Pundt	5				4	9
Jno. D. Coppel	6				1	15
Calley Sheppard	7	2	1		21	31
C. A. Everts	3				7	10
Larry Mills	3	1			7	11
O. O. Terrell	18	3	5	2	33	81
For Chief Justice Supreme Court.						
Jas. P. Alexander	398	20	13	25	328	784
Chas. Chapin	65	3	2	2	32	64
Jno. Douglas	67	7	4	3	78	154
H. S. Lattimore	461	22	24	18	372	897
Richard Humphrey	67	5	5	6	94	177
Gordon Griffin	44	8	4	4	65	125
For Associate Justice Supreme Court.						
Jno. H. Sharp	787	59	30	43	729	1648
Wm. E. Watkins	273	13	24	18	244	752
For Judge of Criminal Appeals.						
Tom L. Beauchamp	754	50	38	32	665	1539
Geo. E. Christian	346	24	15	28	339	752
For Chief Justice of Court of Civil Appeals.						
A. T. Polson	554	32	22	30	491	1129
Samuel K. Wasaff	279	25	12	14	280	610
C. R. Sutton	283	20	18	19	240	564
For State Senator 29th Senatorial District.						
H. L. Winfield	1186	83	55	77	1121	2522
For Representative 88th District.						
Jas. H. Goodman	770	61	20	34	704	1589
Murray White	269	20	20	34	301	644
Murray J. Howze	106	2	10	4	79	207
For District Attorney.						
Martie McDonald	1187	87	57	79	1126	2535

52 PER CENT OF VOTES CAPTURED

DALLAS, July 28 (Sunday)—Seemingly even more popular with the democratic voters of Texas than he was two years ago, the dimpled W. Lee O'Daniel, who abandoned flour for politics had bagged more than 52 per cent of the gubernatorial votes as returns from more than two thirds of the counties reached the Texas Election Bureau early Sunday. This outcome of the first primary, is confirmed by the complete returns will give the incumbent another two year lease on the governor's mansion without having to face a run-off in August.

Second in the race for the governorship was Ernest O. Thompson of Amarillo, now Railroad Commissioner. But early returns gave him less than half those held by O'Daniel. Harry Hines of Wichita Falls nosed into third place by taking a lead over Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson of Belton attempting a comeback. Trailing far behind was Jerry Sadler, Longview.

Pierce Brooks led the hard fought race for Railroad Commissioner but indications were that he would be thrown into a runoff with Olin Culberson.

A runoff seemed likely also for the post of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, for which H. S. Lattimore of Ft. Worth was leading James P. Alexander of Waco.

United States Senator Tom Connally of Marlin was winning in a walk.

Leads in other state races were Lieut. Governor Coke R. Stevenson, Comptroller George H. Sheppard; Treasurer Charley Lockhart; Supt of Public Instruction L. A. Woods; Agricultural Commissioner J. E. McDonald; Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals Tom L. Beauchamp and Associate Justice of the Supreme Court John H. Sharp.

For United States Senator:	
A. P. Belcher	14,635
Guy B. Fisher	42,361
For Governor:	
W. Lee O'Daniel	264,599
Harry Hines	523
Jerry Sadler	16,095
Miriam A. Ferguson	43,050
R. P. Condon	252
Ernest O. Thompson	109,144
Arlon B. Cyclone Davis	341
For Lieutenant-Governor.	
Coke R. Stevenson	318,181
Charles Lavergne	26,098
Alton M. Mead	66,429
For Comptroller of Public Accounts:	
Clifford E. Butler	86,297
Geo. H. Sheppard	304,751
For State Treasurer:	
Harry McKee	106,139
Charley Lockhart	290,934
For Superintendent of Public Instruction:	
S. R. LeMay	177,462
L. A. Woods	226,076
For Commissioner of Agriculture:	
William N. Corry	69,821
J. E. McDonald	238,380

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BOY NEEDS WHEELCHAIR.

Does any Midland citizen have a small wheel chair which he would be willing to donate for use of a 10-year-old white boy who is paralyzed? Or is there a citizen who could be willing to buy such a chair, costing approximately \$20, for the child?

The Children's Service League wishes to communicate with some citizen who would aid the child in this way. Anyone interested is asked to call Mrs. Cooper Hyde, phone 312J or Mrs. J. M. Hills, phone 643-W.

The little boy's paralysis was caused by an injury and he was once completely paralyzed, a League spokesman said. Through generosity of the Shriners, the child has received medical aid and his condition is improved. It is hoped he will receive further treatment in the future. At present it is hoped that his arm and hand muscles may be developed through use of a wheel chair.

IS DOING WELL

L. C. Stephenson, suffering from injuries received in a fall from a barn, was reported Saturday to be doing well. He was reported to have a slight skull fracture and other injuries but they were not considered dangerous. He is in a Midland hospital.

As Spectators Viewed Reporter-Telegram Election Party



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The Town Quack

into a northwest Texas city the other day, sat in the lobby of one of its prominent hotels waiting for time for an appointment, and was surprised when a bell boy advanced and handed him this card:

SPECIAL NOTICE:
The Hotel Management respectfully advises that the Lobby and Mezzanine chairs are for BLANK Hotel patrons and their friends, and requests that you do not monopolize these chairs for habitual lounging and loitering. Do not permit yourself to be handed a note or called on personally to vacate.

The Midland man, who spends a good deal of money at hotels in the handling of his oil business, thought it was a candidate card or something and did not read it until he left the lobby. When he read it he got mad. He went back and tried to find the bell boy to ascertain if someone singled him out or if he was just a routine victim. Not finding the boy, he advanced on the desk, asked the nature of his being singled out and was given some high-hat talk. The Midland man then said plenty. And you don't have to wonder where he and his friends WONT STOP when they get to that northwest Texas city.

Clarence Scharbauer, owner, and Joyce Howell, manager, apparently do not mind the crowds loafing in the lobby. They may put up with it just because the crowd is sure to be there, but they seem to be as jovial with the loafers as they are with the paying guests.

Harvey Sloan once remarked, when it was difficult to get a seat in the lobby, that it was the paying guests who were creating the difficulty.

"They have rooms. Why don't they stay up in them?" he asked. But with all the jokes, the crowd in Hotel Scharbauer accounts for much of the oil lease and royalty trading, contracting of wells, selling of calf crops and all sorts of swamping which keeps Midland bank deposits up around five million. So the crowd couldn't be called just loafers.

Other hotels over the country have this type of lobby sitter, in varying degrees. The Texas Hotel at Fort Worth always has a crowd, and they seem welcome.

But a Midland oil man happened

"Where Seldom Is Heard a Discouraging Word..."



Intensive Bombing Raids Are Carried Out on Britain Again

as Britain swiftly prepared against invasion.
The class of 1906, including about 300,000 34-year-old men signed the oaths across Britain's coasts for the third successive day of bombing raids.
If the switch from forays on British-sea lanes was intended to catch the home defense off guard, it appeared to have failed.
At least four raiders were shot down - raising Britain's three-day bag of Nazi bombers to 33-and, despite admitted damage and casualties, there was no acknowledgment that any military objective was hit. Two German raiders were downed this morning.

The air ministry later reported two more enemy aircraft were shot down off the southeast coast by British fighter planes and that one British plane is missing from patrol.
The raiders came in wave after wave, in daylight and darkness, ranging from the isles from northern Scotland to southern England.

The German high command said numerous fires were observed after aerial bombardments at Tunbridge Wells, mainline railway junction midway between London and Hastings on the southeast coast; on oil tanks along the Thames and the harbors of Cardiff and Aberthrow, Wales, and Hastings.
But even the Nazi report mentioned no fresh claims to aerial blows on Britain's harried shipping.
A lone raider attacked a vessel in the English channel, but was chased off by British fighters after missing with six bombs.

Offensively, the air ministry reported attacks on German oil refineries at Cherbourg, St. Nazaire and Nantes, in France, and on the Dortmund power station and air-dromes of Schiphol and Wallhaven, in the Netherlands. One British plane, it acknowledged, failed to return.
"Today an aircraft of the coastal command successfully bombed an enemy ship off the Norwegian coast," it added. "The crew was seen to abandon ship."

Royal Air Force planes, rimming the isles in constant vigil, repeatedly soared above low-hanging clouds to wheel and dive on the German planes before they could reach important objectives.
The wholesale attacks killed two civilians, a man and a woman, and damaged several homes.
British and Italian air forces also traded blows, meanwhile, over the Mediterranean and the Near East.

The British announced they had made successful raids on Italian naval stores at Assar, grounded planes at Mile, Eritrea, and plane concentrations at Derna, Libya.
They acknowledged three Italian attempts to raid the island fortress of Malta in the eastern Mediterranean and a 30-minute attack on the British naval base at Alexandria, Egypt, but said there were no casualties or damage at either place.

The four military men to be mustered into the country's war machine in just two weeks more than one year was registered today

Prisoner Is Killed Trying to Escape

HUNTSVILLE, July 27 (AP)—Officials at the retrieve prison farm near Angleton announced today that Cecil Davis, 33, of Electra, serving a two-year sentence for theft from Wilbarger county, was shot to death Thursday while attempting to escape.

Captain H. W. Miller reported to state prison officials here that Davis ran from a squad and that Captain J. S. Brown, assistant farm manager, dropped the convict with a rifle bullet between the shoulders after a guard had shot three times and missed.

General Manager O. J. S. Ellington conducted a hearing yesterday. Davis, prison officials said, had attempted to escape before.

He was buried at the prison farm.

Non-Violence Creed Of India Abandoned

POONA, India, July 27 (AP)—The all-India congress committee today ratified, by a vote of 91 to 53, abandonment of the Gandhi creed of non-violence insofar as it concerns external aggression and internal disorder.

The action means the congress will not oppose an increase in Indian armed forces.
It also represents a defeat for the little Mahatma and his advocacy of non-violence in every case.
Tomorrow the committee will consider a resolution demanding complete independence for India and immediate establishment of a popular central government.

Read The Classifieds.



MONDAY

There will be no Fifth Monday union meeting of missionary societies of the town Monday, it was announced Saturday.

Methodist missionary society will meet at the church at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon for a Christian Social Relations program.

TUESDAY

Bridgett club will meet with Mrs. L. A. Tullos, 911-A W College, Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

WEDNESDAY

Delta Dek club will meet with Mrs. John B. Richards, 1400 W College, Wednesday morning at 9:00 o'clock.

Bluebonnet club will meet with Mrs. Frank Ingham, 811 W Wall, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Miriam club will sponsor a bridge and 42 tournament at the I. O. O. F. hall, Wednesday evening at 8:00 o'clock. Play will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock. High score prizes will be awarded. The public is invited.

THURSDAY

Twelve-ite club will meet with Mrs. Frank Fulk, 800 W Storey, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

Banner Sewing club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Dale hostess at Cloverdale Park, Thursday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Soviet Russia to Add 168 Warships To Powerful Fleet

MOSCOW, July 27 (AP)—Admiral Nikolai Kuznetsov, commissar of the navy, disclosed tonight that Soviet Russia would add 168 warships to her fleet this year and urged that Russian naval power be stepped up to parity with the country's army and air strength.

Declaring that "our navy is continuously developing and strengthening," Kuznetsov asserted that "there is no doubt that the USSA is a seapower."
In 1939, he said, the Russian fleet was increased by 112 ships, large and small torpedo cutters included. "In 1940," he added, "we will get 168—that is a 50 per cent increase. "If you consider the tonnage in 1939 as 100 per cent, in 1940 the tonnage will be 200 per cent... our increase is not made at the expense of small ships but, has involved large surface ships."
He said submarine production this year was three times that of 1939.

Oddities in the News Round-Up

LAURENSBURG, N. C., July 27 (AP)—A little cotton tail rabbit with adventure in his bones broke up a baseball game here for ten minutes and gave players and spectators a run for their money.

Peering from a nearby wood at the game in which two crack negro nines contested, br'er rabbit decided it was fast enough for him to take part and so he dashed onto the field without benefit of coaching.
Umpire and players all joined in the chase as the crowd gave the interloper enthusiastic moral support. Finally a center-fielder snagged him with his gloved hand in a neat shoestring catch.

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 27 (AP)—A nervous national guard rookie was undergoing a federal inspection test.

"Who's president of the United States?" snapped the inspecting officer.
The rookie stammered, then gulped.

"Franklin D. Roosevelt Jones."

GREENVILLE, S. C., July 27 (AP)—A two-and-one-half year old boy on a visit to Beaufort was informed that "the Yankees burned grand-father's home here during the war between the states."

Replied the boy:
"What an awful thing for a baseball team to do!"

FARMVILLE, Va., July 27 (AP)—Residents here figured today it must be hot—even though they had no official readings.

Weather observer E. F. Striplin took his family out of town to escape the heat, and a big thermometer in use for five years climbed to 135 (in the sunlight) and then exploded.

CLEARWATER, Fla., July 27 (AP)—Both pitchers barked no-hit ball in a seven inning softball game between Belmont and South Clearwater here, but Belmont emerged the winner.

The South Clearwater pitcher lost his own game when in the last half of the final inning he walked four men, making the final score 1 to 0 in favor of Belmont.

HILLIARD, Fla., July 27 (AP)—Young Dennis Sowden was excited when he rushed to his farm home with one of the two "coons" he had shot in the cornfield.

"Wildcat," his father corrected him, and accompanied his son back to the field to pick up the other victim, a 30-pounder.

With the aid of the dogs they also tracked down two more wildcat cubs. Young Dennis is still looking for a "coon."

Friendship club will have a watermelon supper at Cloverdale, Thursday evening.

As You Like It club will meet with Mrs. Frank Curtis, 403 North C street, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

FRIDAY

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. C. Shafer, 906 W Indiana, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Children's Service League will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Christian, 2010 W Kentucky, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SATURDAY

Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

The Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

GIVE A GARDEN.

If a friend is an enthusiastic gardener, it might be a nice idea to wire her an attractive garden basket complete with the most essential tools, a selection of spring blossoms and some of her favorite potted plants, which she can transfer to her garden later. Also appropriate would be a gaily painted watering pot filled with stock, snap dragons and iris.

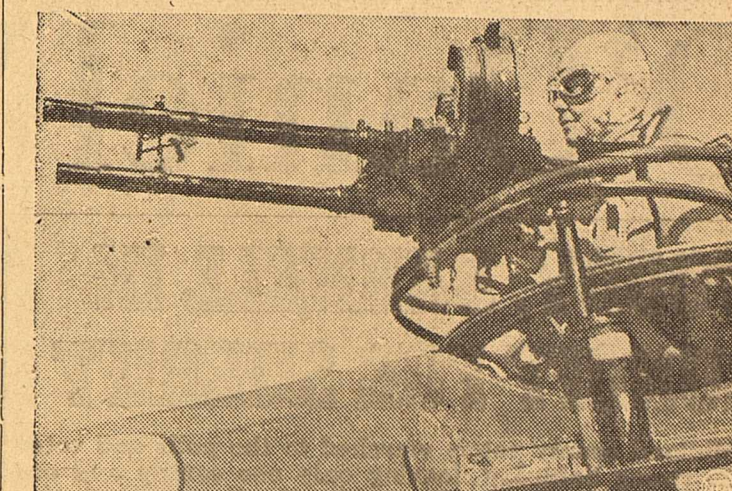
Robins, sparrows, and thrushes often live to the age of 25 years.
There are 42,704 miles of railways in India.

Ritz Today Through Tuesday



Jeffrey Lynn and Olivia De Havilland in their latest and biggest laugh hit, "My Love Came Back."

Arms—and the Woman



Turkish women can fight alongside of their men, if need be. This aviatrix is pictured at the machine gun of a Turkish warplane.

Taft Joins Other Senators in Opposing Compulsory Training

WASHINGTON, July 27 (AP)—Senator Taft (R-Ohio) joined opponents of peacetime compulsory military training today as congress approached a show-down on the issue.

The Ohio senator and recent aspirant for the republican presidential nomination said he favored trying a "volunteer system" before supporting the first peacetime conscription move in this country's history.

Senate consideration of the compulsory training bill is expected to begin next Wednesday. Chairman Sheppard (D-Tex) said the senate military committee would vote formally on its completed bill Tuesday forenoon and predicted few if any opposing votes.

Taft indicated that he would work with Senators Vandenberg (R-Mich), Wheeler (D-Mont), Norris (Ind-Neb) and numerous other senators who have publicly criticized the committee-drafted measure.

Some senators suggested that a voluntary training program with one year enlistments instead of the present three-year term for the army and national guard, might be offered as a substitute.

Vandenberg predicted that under such a system 1,000,000 American youths would volunteer within three months, and a "great 150-year-old tradition intimately related to individual liberties" would be maintained.

The training bill, as revised by the military committee, authorizes the president to order registration of all men 18 to 63 years old inclusive, but war department spokesmen indicated that the initial registration would be confined to men 21 to 30 if the bill were passed.

The committee wrote into the bill a section making it an unfair labor practice for an employer subject to the labor act to refuse to reemploy a conscript after his period of training. This section also declares it to be the sense of congress that other employers should rehire conscripts.

House leaders have made plans to speed along other phases of the defense program.

They hope to complete action Tuesday on a bill authorizing \$59,000,000 for naval shore station and air bases, and on a \$25,000,000 fund for the Tennessee Valley authority.

As a part of the defense program, Secretary Perkins appointed today a committee of industrial safety experts to survey defense industries and endeavor to eliminate hazards to the workers.



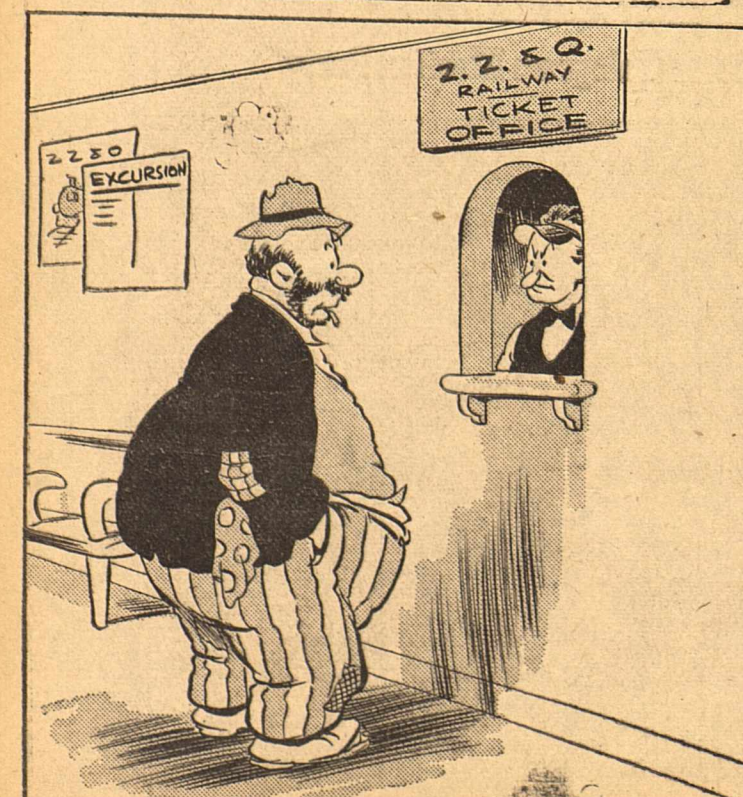
For the young girl, Jacques Heim suggests an attractive, fresh looking summer afternoon dress of eyelet embroidered cotton with edgings of fine white lace. Buttons and belt are scarlet.

Star Prisoner



Stars on shoulder straps and collar of the Italian prisoner, right, indicate his importance. He's an Italian general, captured on the east African front. Looking none too happy, he is shown being questioned by a British officer in Egypt.

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George John Byrnes at Home Here Following Wedding in San Antonio

Mr. and Mrs. George John Byrnes are at home here at 1609 W. Indiana street, following their marriage on July 14 and a wedding trip through four states. Mrs. Byrnes is the former Miss Virginia Boone.

The marriage of Miss Boone, daughter of Mrs. Burton Boone of Midland, to Mr. Byrnes was solemnized Sunday morning, July 14, at 8:30 o'clock in Travis Park Methodist church, at San Antonio. Dr. Albert P. Shirkey officiated.

The church was decorated with baskets of white gladioli, dahlias, asters, and ferns. The altar was lighted by a cross.

Donald Chapman played "Liebestraum" as the guests assembled and presented the wedding march for the bride party. Miss Lella Pyron sang "Because" and Miss Marion Blumberg played a violin solo, "Ave Maria," during the ceremony. All the musician were San Antonians.

The bride was dressed in a white crepe costume suit and wore a turban with a short veil. Her corsage was of red rose buds and she carried an ivory-bonnet prayer book that was her mother's.

She was given in marriage by her mother.

Mrs. John Franklin Bricker was matron of honor and John Franklin Bricker of Houston was best man. Mrs. Boone wore a yellow coat suit with white accessories and a white gardenia corsage. Mrs. Bricker's suit was of brown and her accessories were also of white.

After the ceremony, a wedding breakfast was served in the sun room of the St. Anthony hotel. The table was decorated with a long mirror and white pottery doves filled with dahlias, Easter lilies, and gladioli.

Afterward, Mr. and Mrs. Byrnes left on a trip to Oklahoma, Kansas, Nebraska, and Colorado Springs, Colorado.

The bride's going-away costume was a black suit with white blouse and black accessories.

Reared in Midland, Mrs. Byrnes is a graduate of Midland high school, where she was prominent in student activities. She attended Texas Christian University at Fort Worth. For the past two years, she has been employed in the offices of the Texas Electric Service Company here.

Mr. Byrnes, who has lived in Midland about two years, was formerly of Falls City, Nebraska. He attended St. Benedict's College at Atchison, Kansas, and received his bachelor of science degree from Louisiana State University at Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

He is with the Tide Water Associated Oil Company.

Personals

Mrs. N. A. Lancaster and Miss Elma Graves left Saturday for a weekend trip to Santa Fe, N. M. While there, they will collect rocks for the fireplace in the new studio Mrs. Lancaster is building at her home here. The two tarried at home long enough Saturday to cast their votes in the primary before starting their journey.

Mrs. Dick Nelson of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Smith of Longview were guests of Mrs. N. A. Lancaster for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Uel Peeler of Marfa are here visiting relatives. He underwent an eye-operation Saturday morning.

Mrs. C. O. Streetman is in St. Louis where she was called by the serious illness of a sister.

Mrs. M. C. Ulmer has had as her guest, her sister, Mrs. Lee Bell of El Paso. Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer and Mrs. Bell are leaving this morning for Dallas.

Mrs. C. A. Jones and Mrs. Iva M. Noyes made a trip to San Antonio the past week. They brought back for a visit Mrs. Jones' mother-in-law.

Clyde Cowden and R. B. Cowden are attending the tarpon rodeo at Port Aransas.

Miss Maelele Roberts and her mother, Mrs. Hollis Roberts left this morning on a vacation trip to the Rocky Mountain region. They are going by way of Lubbock where they will be joined by Miss Allene Alverson, former Midland teacher, and the group will then visit Yellowstone National Park and other scenic points.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Neal had as their guests Friday Mr. and Mrs. Harlan C. Townley of Ozona. Earlier in the week Mrs. A. C. Hoover of Ozona and Mrs. Della Merck and children of Crane visited the Neals.

Mrs. Geo. Streeter had as her guests the past week her brothers, Jim Love and Charlie Love of Seminole, and the latter's wife.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Robt. A. Osburn, the latter couple of Katy, Texas, left Friday night for Detroit and other places in the Central States.

Mrs. D. D. Kincaid and daughter, Estelle, have returned to their home in Fort Worth after visiting a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Otis A. Kelly and family and their son and brother, Jimmy Kincaid.

Mrs. A. P. Shirey returned Friday night from Dallas. She had been away two weeks.

Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Coleman and daughters returned late Friday from Meridian, Miss., where they had been for several weeks. Mrs. Coleman, who underwent major surgery while away, is reported doing well.

Andrew Fasken and daughter, Miss Helen Fasken, and Miss Evelyn Haag left Saturday morning for Canada. They plan to stay about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cole and Mrs. Douglas Nix left Saturday for East Texas and Oklahoma. Mr. Nix will join them next week in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Richards and children of Fort Worth will leave Midland Monday. They have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Recer for several days.

Mrs. Bertha Mae Knight will leave today for Dallas to join her mother, Mrs. Ida Webb, who has been visiting with relatives for several days.

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Yucca Today Through Tuesday



Margaret Sullivan and James Stewart as the tragic lovers in "The Mortal Storm," filmization of the best-seller novel by Phyllis Botome, which opens today on the Yucca screen. The new picture marks their first appearance together since the triumphant "Shop Around the Corner." Robert Young and Frank Morgan are also featured.

Midland Merchants Off to Markets

Looking to replenishing of their stocks for the coming season, Midland merchants are this weekend trekking to market, most of them leaving today.

J. B. Hoskins, Mrs. Lenton Brunson, and Mrs. Fern Shipley of Wadley's department store will go to Fort Worth and Dallas and perhaps to Chicago. Virginia Lee Aycock, daughter of Cecil Aycock, will accompany them to Dallas.

T. R. Wilson and Mrs. H. N. Phillips of Wilson's Dry Good will go to Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mrs. J. C. Smith and Mrs. Ruth

June Wedding of Midland Couple Is Told Here

A June wedding of interest to Midland people was revealed here Saturday when the marriage of Miss Louise Bryan to Roy F. Jones was announced. The couple was married at Rankin on June 9, the Reverend Aiken, Baptist pastor, officiating.

Ramsel of J. C. Smith store will likewise attend the Fort Worth and Dallas markets. They left Saturday.

Mrs. Josephine Ligon of Kiddies Toggery will visit the markets in the same two cities. She also left yesterday.

Good Attendance At Golf Luncheon Friday at Club

Good attendance marked the weekly luncheon of the women's Golf Association at the Country Club Friday at one o'clock.

Present were: Mmes. Jack Brown, Anderson, R. P. Coats, W. B. Harkrider, Fred Hogan, Bill Van Huss, Mrs. J. P. Ruckman and guest Mrs. J. H. Propes, Mrs. S. P. Hazel and guests, Mrs. Jimmie Ruth-erford of Houston and Mrs. J. A. Kenyon, Mmes. John Ward, C. A. Mix, H. S. Forgeron, R. W. Hamilton, F. A. Stacy, R. E. Kinsey, W. C. Fritz, E. B. Dozier, R. T. Dickey, E. M. Miller, H. J. Kemler, Mrs. R. T. Mobley and guests, Miss Blanche Kelly and Mrs. J. B. Crane, Mrs. Jimmie Brooks and guests, Mrs. Perkins, Miss Helen Fasken, Miss Maxine Sill, Mmes. J. L. Rush, W. M. Holmes, J. A. Mascho, and W. P. Thurmon.

A putting contest was held in the morning.

The regular meetings will not be held next Friday because of the tournament to be held next weekend.

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Belmont Class Studies Lesson From Leviticus

The eleventh chapter of Leviticus was studied by the Belmont Bible class in its weekly meeting for which Mrs. R. Chanson, 605 W. Ohio, was hostess, Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. L. Sutton taught the lesson.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. H.M. Reigle, Sutton, C. E. Strawn, Gladys Holster, A. B. Stickney, C. Shafer, and the hostess.

Next Friday the class will meet with Mrs. Shafer, at 906 W. Indiana, at 8:30 o'clock.

BIRD FRIENDS.

If you enjoy the companionship of birds, a few bird boxes here and there in your garden, safe from marauding enemies, a bird bath and a little grain or crumbs

Mrs. Ticknor and San Antonian Are Wed on July 21

Friends here have been informed of the marriage of Mrs. Courtney Ticknor and S. T. Honeycutt of San Antonio which took place Sunday, July 21. The couple was married in the study of a Methodist church in San Antonio.

The bride's daughter, Mrs. Jake Tibbetts, Mr. Tibbetts, and their small daughter, accompanied the couple.

Mrs. Honeycutt is well-known in Midland where she lived for several years. She and Mr. Honeycutt will make their home in San Antonio.

Old Cannon Found In River

PORTLAND, Ore. (U.P.)—A 150-year-old cannon that once guarded Fort George outside Astoria, Ore., has been recovered from the Willamette river and set up at the McLoughlin Memorial museum. The cannon was made in London in 1789 by Edward Bond and sold to the Hudson Bay Fur company.

Miriam Club Will Sponsor Bridge and 42 Tournament

Miriam club is sponsoring a bridge and 42 tournament, Wednesday evening, July 31, at 8 o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall. Playing will start promptly at 8:30 o'clock.

High score prizes will be awarded at the end of the tournament.

Cold drinks will be served throughout the evening.

A cakewalk will be an additional feature of the social.

The public is invited to attend.

scattered about each day, will make them your devoted friends. And those who remain during the winter months will appreciate bits of fat in coarse net bags tied to tree branches and little bundles of unthreshed grain where they can reach them easily.

Long Shot Winner of \$48,565 Futurity

CHICAGO, July 27 (AP)—Swain, a grey roan son of the famous Ladysman, duplicated the achievement of his sire today by galloping to a five-length victory in the \$48,565 Arlington Futurity before a crowd of 30,000.

Ladysman won the first running of the Futurity in 1932.

Getting away last in a field of 12, Swain circled the entire field and shot out of fifth place in the stretch to collar Valdina Groom and Whirlaway.

The winner sprinted the six furlongs over a muddy track in 1:13 4/5. Swain is owned by Cleveland Putnam of Lake Forest, Ill., a 30-year-old racing enthusiast.

Swain was grouped with New Englander as a two-horse field and paid \$13.20 to win, \$6.40 to place and \$4.00 to show.

Valdina Groom returned \$13.40 to place and \$8.00 to show while the show price on Whirlaway was \$6.40.

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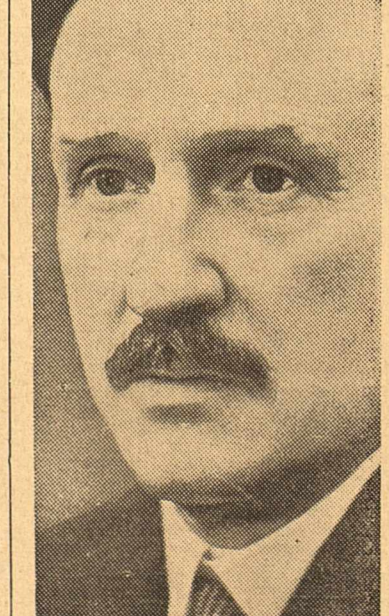
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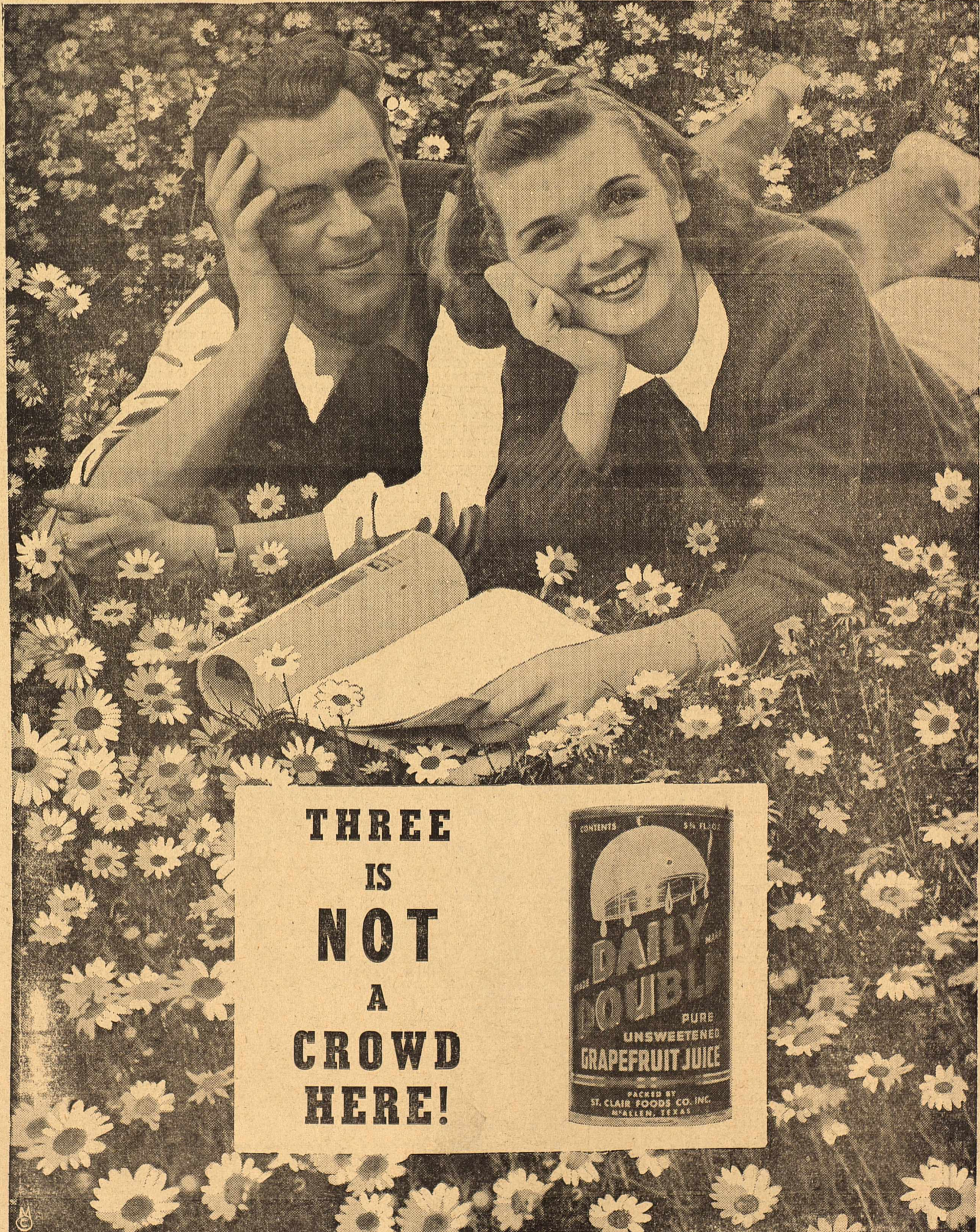
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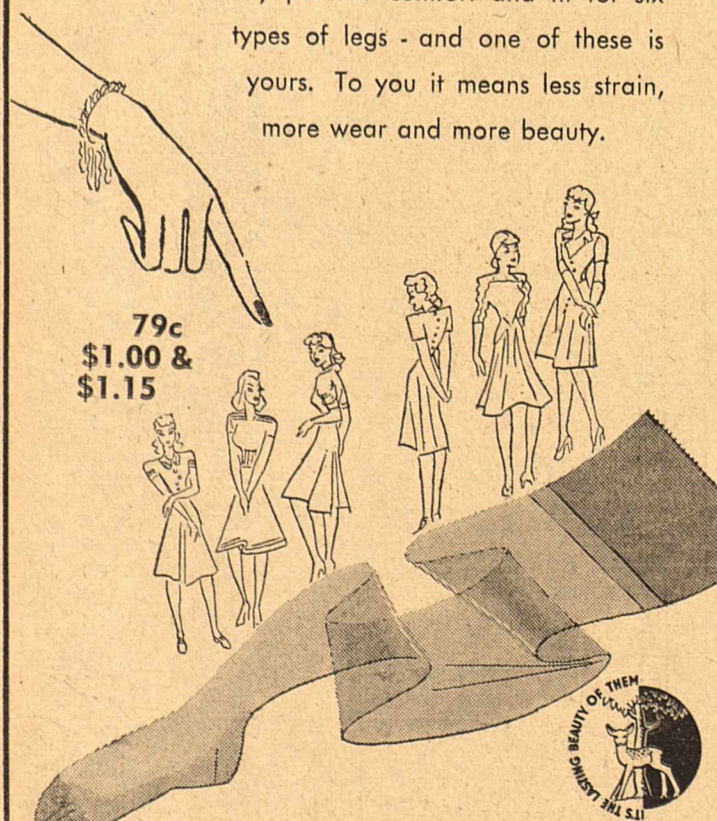


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COWBOY LOSING STREAK REACHES 13 AS HUBBERS TRIUMPH 10-4

Final Game of Series Slated Today at 3 P. M.

The Lubbock Hubbers extended the losing streak of the Midland Cowboys to 13 straight last night when they romped to a 10-4 victory.

The two clubs will meet at City Park this afternoon at three o'clock with two of the ace pitchers of both clubs on the mound, Johnson of Midland and Stack of Lubbock.

The Cowboys got off to a four run lead in the first inning last night when they made three of the five hits they were able to get off Gorski during the evening. After that, they were held to two hits and no runs.

Bill Patrick tossed off his own opportunity to win by walking 11 of the visitors. Most of the men that walked managed to score as the Hubbers advantageously bunched nine hits.

After Lubbock had made one run in the first they came back with two in the second, then went ahead in the fifth with two tallies and stayed there. Two more runs and three in the ninth, all of them unneeded, were made.

The box score:

LUBBOCK	AB	R	H	PO	AE
Niedziela 2	3	0	1	5	0
Drake 1	2	0	1	0	0
Schweda 1	4	1	2	0	0
Hajduk 1	4	0	1	0	0
Watkins 1	3	0	0	3	0
Schlereth 3	2	2	2	1	2
Castino 2	2	3	1	1	0
Mahan 5	5	3	2	5	1
Gorski 1	4	0	1	0	0
29 10 9 27 13 1					

MIDLAND

AB	R	H	PO	AE	
Barnhill 2	2	1	0	4	2
Greer ss	4	0	0	2	1
Williams II	3	1	0	2	0
Naranjo m	4	1	2	4	0
Hale 3	4	1	1	2	0
Moore r	4	0	1	0	0
Scaling 1	4	0	1	1	0
Rudes c	4	0	0	3	0
Patrick p	3	0	1	0	2
x-Kanagy	1	0	0	0	0
33 4 5 27 10 1					

x-Kanagy batted for Patrick in 9th.

Score by innings:

Lubbock	120	023-10
Midland	400	000-4

Summary: Runs batted in—Hajduk, Naranjo 2, Moore 2, Gorski, Schlereth 3, Castino 2, Mahan 2. Two base hits—Moore, Mahan, Schweda, Schlereth 2. Three base hits—Naranjo, Hale, Home runs, Mahan, Sacrifice hits—Gorski, Double plays—Barnhill to Scaling, Struck out—Patrick 4, Gorski 5. Left on base—Midland 7, Lubbock 8. Umpires—Thompson and Ehrhridge. Time: 2 hours.

Friday's Game

The Box score:

LAMESA	AB	R	H	PO	AE
Hood 2	4	1	1	4	3
Carr If	5	1	2	3	0
Guynes ss	5	1	1	4	0
Beeler 3	5	1	2	3	0
Brown m	4	1	3	3	0
Patterson r	4	1	2	0	0
Pride c	4	0	1	6	0
Riordan 1	3	1	1	1	0
Tysko p	3	0	0	1	0
36 7 12 27 11 2					

MIDLAND

AB	R	H	PO	AE	
Barnhill 2	4	0	0	2	0
Naranjo m	4	0	3	0	0
Greer ss	3	0	0	3	0
Scaling 1	4	0	1	0	0
Hale 3	4	0	1	0	1
Williams II	3	0	0	2	0
Moore r	3	1	0	3	0
Rudes c	3	0	1	1	2
Lucas p	3	0	0	1	3
x-Congour	1	0	0	0	0
32 1 5 27 10 1					

x-Congour batted for Lucas in ninth.

Score by innings:

Lamesa	300	121	000-7
Midland	9	000	000-1

Summary: Runs batted in—Rudes, Hood, Carr, Beeler, Brown 2, Patterson. Two-base hits—Carr, Beeler, Rudes. Three-base hits—Guynes, Carr. Sacrifice hits—Tysko 2. Stolen bases—Hood, Brown. Double plays—Guynes to Hood to Riordan. Struck out—Tysko 6, Lucas 4. Bases on balls—off Lucas 2, off Tysko 5. Left on base—Midland 4, Lamesa 6. Umpires: Ehrhridge and Thompson. Time: 1:45.

TREATED FOR INJURIES

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hendrick of Odessa were treated in a Midland hospital Saturday for minor injuries sustained when their car overturned on the Garden City road Saturday morning.

FROM OZONA

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Neal have moved here from Ozona. He is associated with the Texas-New Mexico Pipeline Company. Mrs. Neal was formerly on the staff of the Ozona Stockman, Ozona newspaper.

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MUSTANG BOYS' CLUB COLUMN

Thrills without spills marked the Annual Mustang Bicycle Races Friday evening at "Old Fair Grounds." Twenty-five boys entered the various races. There were slow races, fast races and relay races on bicycles. In the slow races, the last boy across the finish line without touching his feet to the ground, won. Slow and fast races on stilts afforded considerable amusement. Also the exceptionally fast hoop race proved that the "Musties" were no sissies with the bicycle rims.

The twelve boys who won first prizes will be given an airplane party Monday morning by Little George McEntire. These boys are requested to be at the Mustang club rooms tomorrow morning at eight o'clock. They will be required to bring written permission to go up in the plane, signed by one of their parents.

Each boy winning a second place prize was awarded a one quart carton of ice cream. The ice cream was enthusiastically furnished by Carl Smith, having lately opened for business on East Wall, Banner Creamery, Dairyland and Midland Drug. These fine courtesies to Midland youth are considerably appreciated, alike by the kids, the directors and the sponsors.

The winners in the various races were as follows: The boys were divided into two groups—110 pounds and under, and boys over 110 pounds. Also first place gave 15 points toward the summer camp, second place 10 points and third place 5 points.

1/2 mile race (under 110)—First, L. C. Hobbs; second, Leo Childress; third, Ed Stevens.

1/2 mile race (over 110)—First, Jack Walding; second, J. C. Stevens; third, Bradford Clendennen.

Slow race (under 110)—First, Hershel Parks; second, Otis Richmond; third, Ed Stevens.

Slow race (over 110)—First, J. C. Stevens; second, Morris Richie; third, Charles Forrest.

Push and ride race (under 110)—First, Hershel Parks; second, L. C. Hobbs; third, Leo Childress.

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1/4 mile hoop relay (under 110)—First, Tom Tisdale; Martin Moreland, A. J. McQuarters, Leo Childress.

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The boys appreciate very much the cooperation of Jay Floyd, who permitted them to use the "Old Fair Grounds" for these races.

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Prairie Lee School Standardized for Eight Grades

Prairie Lee school for the term of 1940-41 will be a standardized school of eight grades. Principal Gay Koonce announced Saturday. This means, he explained, that credits for the work done in any of the eight grades of the school will be accepted at full value by any other school in the state.

A new bus has been purchased for the school and a plan is now being worked on to permit pupils from the ninth, tenth and eleventh grades of the school to meet the Courtney bus and attend that school. The pupils will be transferred either to Courtney or to Midland.

The schoolhouse and teacherage are to be repainted inside and out, he said, and new books and other equipment purchased.

The eight grades will be taught by three teachers, with Mr. Koonce as principal, Mrs. Koonce as one of the teachers, and the third yet to be selected.

Hollywood Gold Cup Won by Chaldon

LOS ANGELES, July 27. (AP)—Chaldon won the \$50,000 added Hollywood gold cup mile and a quarter handicap today. Specify was second, Can't Wait third.

The time was 2:02, a track record. Joy Boy finished fourth. The part-natural pay-off on Chaldon was 7.40 win, 4.40 place, 3.40 show, on Specify 10.80 place, 5.20 show; on Can't Wait, 3.40 show. Chaldon, top money winner in American racing, held his triumph effort until the stretch and easily captured California's summer turf classic in true thoroughbred style by a length and a quarter.

Defending Champ To the Finals in Amarillo Tourney

AMARILLO, July 27 (AP)—Overcoming two opponents and a rollicking southwest wind, stock tie Reynolds Smith reached the final of the Amarillo Country Club Invitation Golf Tournament here today in defense of his 1939 championship.

To keep his crown, Smith must turn aside the challenge of Charles Reason, a dark horse from Electra, in tomorrow's 36-hole final.

Smith shunted his fellow Dallasite, Don Schumacher, to the sidelines 3 and 2 in the morning round in much the same manner that he defeated the methodical Dutchman for the championship last year. In the afternoon he closed out Paul Gore, Amarillo's last contender, 6 and five with one-under-par shot-making.

Reason, unheard of from the beginning, nosed out long-hitting John Oliver of Amarillo 1 up in the morning round, and then polished off Russell Crowder of Stamford in the afternoon by the same margin.

Gore turned in a surprise quarter-final victory by ousting medalist Verne (Spec) Stewart of Roswell, N. M., on Monday. Crowder gained the semifinal with a 5 and 4 victory over E. B. Johnson of Amarillo.

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Mother—the Eternal Protector



Stark fear still straining her face, protective arms hungrily clasping the son she almost lost, this woman becomes a symbol of motherhood—the eternal shield. She is Mrs. Elizabeth Calles, pictured reunited with her five-year-old son, Jimmy, just after Los Angeles police had arrested a man who had kidnaped him.

Major League Results Saturday

American

CLEVELAND, July 27 (AP)—Southpaw Kendall Chase's steady seven-hit pitching gave Washington a 7 to 1 victory today over Cleveland and cost the second-place Indians ground in their fight to overtake Detroit. Chase coasted to his seventh triumph of the season after the Nats got to Joe Dobson for four first-inning runs.

Washington 400 010 002-7 13 4
Cleveland 010 000 000-1 7 0
Dobson, Eisenstat, Andrews and Pytlak; Chase and Ferrell.

ST. LOUIS, July 27 (AP)—The St. Louis Browns pounded four Boston Red Sox hurlers for 15 hits and a 13 to 5 victory today, squaring their series at one all. Chet Laabs and Rip Radcliff hit homers for the winners.

St. Louis 001 021 100-5 11 0
Boston 041 214 108-15 15 1
Cestermueller, Heving, Mustakis, Wagner and Glenn; Kennedy and Swift.

DETROIT, July 27 (AP)—The Detroit Tigers thrashed the Philadelphia Athletics twice today, 15 to 2 and 8 to 7, to jump two full games ahead of the second-place Cleveland Indians in the American League race.

Schoolboy Rowe twirled a six-hitter in the opened while Charley Gehring and Rudy York slugged homers in a four-run rally in the seventh inning that won the nightcap.

Philadelphia 200 000 002-4 6 0
Detroit 010 251 248-15 16 1
Potter, Besse and Hayes, Wagner, Rowe and Sullivan.

Philadelphia 110 020 300-7 11 2
Detroit 300 100 408-8 11 4
Vaughan, Beckman and Hayes; Gorsica, Benton and Tebbets.

CHICAGO, July 27 (AP)—Moose Solters hit a home run with one out and the bases empty in the last of the 12th inning today to break a tie and give the White Sox a 6 to 5 victory over the New York Yankees.

Joe Gordon and Tommy Henrich hit homers for the Yanks.
New York 100 101 200 000-5 9 3
Chicago 102 002 000 001-6 9 2

Each had 36 hole totals of 136 strokes as the tournament hit the halfway point of its 72-hole route.

Fouls, a former St. Paul champion, put together nines for a five under par second round. Goggin, who never had hit the "pay dirt" of a major title, scored a six under par 66.

Only a stroke off the pace was returned Ed Oliver of Hornell, N. Y., who had a 71 today for a 137, and back of him was a corps of stars in such close pursuit that one of the hottest finishes in the tourney's history was in prospect as the field headed into tomorrow's 36 hole final program.

Dick Metz of Oak Park, Ill., defending champion had a 69 today for a 138 total. A stroke back of him was Frank Moore, Detroit, and Tony Penna, Dayton, Bracketed at 140 were Les Bistad, Minneapolis, Len Matson, home pro Pat Wilcox, Waterloo, Ia., the two low scoring amateurs, Jim Ferrier, the open and amateur champion of Australia, and Wilford Wehrle of Chicago, and Bud Ralph Guldash of Chicago.

Seven players had 141 totals, among them Lawson Little, the national open champion, Ben Hogan, and Harry Cooper.

In all, 98 players negotiated the 36 holes, with its par of 144, in even regulation figures or under.

National

BROOKLYN, July 27 (AP)—Clyde Shoun pitched a n eight-hitter in the nightcap today to give the St. Louis Cardinals a 6 to 3 victory over the Dodgers and a sweep in the twin bill. The Cards took the opener 4-2. Johnny Mize hit his 26th homer in the afterpiece.

St. Louis 011 002 000-4 9 1
Doyle, Lanier, Cooper and Owen; Grissom, Casey, Head and Mancuso, Phelps.

St. Louis 010 220 100-6 9 1
Brooklyn 001 000 200-3 8 1
Shoun and Padgett; Davis, Hamlin, Tamulis, Fressnell and Mancuso.

BOSTON, July 27 (AP)—The Pittsburgh Pirates defeated Clyde Bees 10 to 4 today, scoring their second win in a row of a 4-game series here and their 15th victory in their last 20 games.

Pitsher Jim Tobin of the Bees who was injured in a pre-season game, made his 1940 debut before a ladies day crowd, hurling the last two innings.

Pittsburgh 005 211 100-10 17 2
Boston 201 001 000-4 9 1
Bowman, MacFayden and Lopez; Sullivan, Piechota, Strincevich, Tobin and Andrews.

PHILADELPHIA, July 27 (AP)—Big Hugh Mulcahy snapped the National League leading Cincinnati Reds' seven game winning streak today with a 7-hit performance to give the Phillies a 5 to 3 victory. The Phils scored four runs in the first inning on a walk, and three hits including Joe Marty ninth homer, to give Mulcahy his 11th victory.

Cincinnati 000 201 000-3 7 0
Philadelphia 400 100 000-5 8 0
Moore, Hutchings, Shoffner, Riddle and Hershberger; Mulcahy and Warren.

NEW YORK, July 27 (AP)—The Giants shoved across a run in the seventh inning today on two singles and an infield out to break up a tight pitching duel between Harry Lohrman and Vern Olsen and nip the Chicago Cubs 1 to 0.

Chicago 000 000 000-0 3 1
New York 000 000 10x-1 4 0
Root, Olson and Todd; Lohrman, Joiner and Danning.

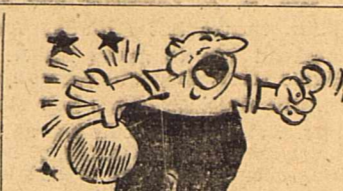
Soft Garden Colors
Getting away from the rather hard, brilliant colors so frequently used on garden furniture, wrought iron pieces of delicate designs—these are done in softer shades—dusty pink, soft blues and greens. A rich, mellow finish can be obtained by giving an overglaze of raw sienna and burnt umber.

Corn, New Style
Whole-kernel yellow sweet corn, canned with chopped green peppers and pimentos, is one of the new products that the housewife will welcome to her supply shelf. Especially good with ham, some of the new potted meat products, chili con carne, or Spanish chicken.

East—Tad Wieman, Princeton, 1,036; Jim Crowley, Fordham, 17,423; War West, Buck Shaw, Santa Clara, 82,925; Jim Phelan, Washington, 8,483.

South—Lowell Dawson, Tulane, 26,897; Harry Mehre, Mississippi, 10,440.

Midwest—Don Faurot, Missouri, 204,875; Dol Elser, St. Benedict's, 121,807.



MACKAY MOTOR.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Clement	152	170	163	485
Nalley	179	156	162	497
Stewart	106	168	191	465
Weaver	112	184	141	437
Hall	146	175	210	531
715 853 867 2435				

SHELL OIL CO., INC.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Baker	150	136	136	422
Cramer	92	105	113	310
Allen	131	135	128	394
Roripaugh	172	169	161	502
Shores	209	129	180	518
Handicap	96			
786 756 750 2292				

MIDLAND HARDWARE.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Kiser	158	139	141	438
Nance	150	134	123	407
Gibbs	102	119	121	342
Caswell	103	103	103	309
Walker	97	97	97	291
Handicap	150			
610 592 585 1937				

AMERADA-HUGHES TOOL.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Low	137	143	123	403
Anderson	90	141	115	346
Day	134	154	128	416
Maudlin	154	129	96	379
Mobley	166	169	157	492
681 736 619 2036				

HONOLULU OIL CO.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Grant	138	146	157	441
Jones	138	145	126	409
Cassidy (blind)	139	139	139	417
Chambers	179	177	173	

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WANTED: Men's good second-hand suits and shoes. R. L. Carr, 205 South Main. (121-1)

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 For bargains in used refrigerators and radios, SEE

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Will furnish the lot facing Country Club Golf Course and build your home with only 10% down, balance less than rent.

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BARNEY GRAFA
 203 Thomas Bldg.
 Phone 106 (121-3)

SPECIAL for one week only—Will make Venetian blinds out of the best material made to measure for 38¢ square foot; also repair and work over old blinds reasonable. See me at 506 South G St., C. W. Dodson. (121-3)

2-a—For Trade

FOR TRADE: Late model car for lots or residence equity; north side. Box 37. (121-1)

3—Furnished Apts.

NICE clean rooms and apartments at reduced rates; innerspring mattresses. 321 South Baird. (116-6)

TWO and 3-room apartments; Frigidaire; private bath; garage. 1204 North Main. (120-3)

FURNISHED apartment for couple; utilities paid; Frigidaire. 508 S. Main. (120-2)

TWO furnished rooms; close in; utilities paid. 302 South Weatherford. (120-3)

CLEAN two room apartments; private entrance; close in. 209 East Texas. (119-6)

FOUR room furnished apartment; east side of house. 521 West Wall. Phone 291. (119-3)

TWO rooms; private bath; utilities paid; reasonable. 111 W. Ohio. (119-3)

FOR RENT: First floor furnished apartment; private entrance; private bath; utilities paid. Poole Apartments, 617 West Indiana, phone 1755. (121-3)

TWO room apartment; close in; convenient; utilities paid. 315 North Baird. (121-6)

TWO room furnished apartment. Phone 591. (121-1)

FURNISHED apartment; 501 North Colorado. Apply 421 West Missouri. (121-3)

NEWLY redecorated garage apartment; utilities paid. Apply 605 North Big Spring. (121-3)

TWO room furnished apartment; couple only. 605 North Lorraine. (121-1)

TWO large rooms; new G. E.; nicely furnished; utilities paid; couple only; reasonable. 501 North Main.

4—Unfurnished Apts.

UNFURNISHED garage apartment; 2 rooms and bath; with garage; couple only. 110 West Michigan. (120-3)

TWO large unfurnished rooms; utilities paid. 300 North Weatherford. Phone 1246-7. (121-3)

5—Furnished Houses

FURNISHED 5-room house; nicely furnished; garage; water paid. 803 South Weatherford, phone 24. (121-3)

5—Unfurnished Houses

FOR RENT: Just completed new 3-room house; all modern; unfurnished; reasonable rent. 419 South Main Street. (121-1)

FIVE room unfurnished house; new; modern with garage. Mims & Crane, phone 24 or 366. (121-3)

EIGHT room unfurnished or partly furnished. Call 350 after 5 o'clock. (121-3)

FOUR rooms and bath; unfurnished house. Inquire 420 South Lorraine. (121-1)

7—Houses for Sale

MOVE IN TODAY
 LARGE new 6-room frame home; southeast corner lot; located 704 Cuthbert Street; only \$489 cash, balance \$28.50 month; open today 5 p. m. until 7 p. m. Barney Grafa, 203 Thomas Bldg., phone 106. (120-3)

FOR SALE: Six-room brick; 5-room brick; modern throughout; close in. Bill Moreland. (120-2)

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION
 New six-room house just completed; ready to move into Monday; \$480 cash, balance \$28.50 monthly; this home located at 704 Cuthbert Street. Large southeast corner. (121-3)

Will have completed about August 15th a dandy new five-room brick veneer residence facing the Country Club Golf Course. For price and terms see

BARNEY GRAFA
 203 Thomas Bldg.
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LEAVING; will sell or lease lovely modern two story suburban home; double garage with apartment; splendid location; acre yard ideal for family or business; exclusive tea villa, courts, etc.; available now. Owner, Burt, Rt. 3, Box 369, San Antonio, Texas. (121-1)

FOR SALE or lease: 15-room house; close in; desirable location for boarders. 315 North Baird. (121-1)

JUST completed 5-room house; 705 West Cuthbert; open Sunday. Phon 1605-W Monday. (121-1)

BEDROOM; one or two gentlemen; brick home; twin beds; radio; fan; close in. Phone 753-J. (121-1)

BEDROOM; one or two gentlemen; brick home; twin beds; radio; fan; close in. Phone 753-J. (121-1)

SOUTHEAST bedroom; nicely furnished. 1010 West Indiana, phone 1043. (121-3)

COOL south bedroom; boys or girls; garage. 802 South Big Spring, phone 1736. (121-4)

SOUTHEAST front bedroom; private entrance. Phone 1056-J, 501 North Big Spring. (121-3)

SOUTHWEST bedroom; adjoining bath; private entrance. 405 North C Street. (121-1)

NICE bedroom; connecting bath; men preferred. Mrs. Frank Ingham, 811 West Wall. (121-1)

10—BEDROOMS

10—a—Room & Board

ROOM and board at Rountree's; meals are carefully planned and beautifully served. 107 South Pecos, phone 278. (8-1-40)

MRS. Alexander's air-conditioned dining room; meals family style; block west Petroleum Building. 121 North Big Spring. (116-6)

11—Employment

MAJOR finance company desires man between ages 23 and 33 for the handling of installment collections in West Texas; state age, education and general qualifications. Write Box BB, c/o Reporter-Telegram. (120-2)

SPECIAL work for married women; \$5 per hour or more and your own dresses free; no investment; send age and dress size. Fashion Frocks, Dept. N-1642, Cincinnati, O. (121-1)

14—Personal

CONSULT Estella The Reader. Powell Hotel, 411 North Grant St., Odessa, Texas.

Texas Farmers Will Pay Capital Visit

DALLAS, July 27 (AP)—Bailey Ragsdale, in charge of arrangements for a Texas farmers special train to Washington, D. C., early next month, said today he had been notified by U. S. Senator Tom Connally (D-Tex) that the farmers' entourage would be received at the White House.

A personal audience with President Roosevelt was not assured, however.

Sponsored by the Dirt Farmers Congress of Texas, the Texans will seek immediate rehabilitative relief for Texas flood sufferers and the adoption of a long range flood control and soil conservation program, Ragsdale said.

The special train will leave Texas on the afternoon of August 3 from some point to be designated later. The farmers, Ragsdale said, will be received at the White House either on August 5 or 6.

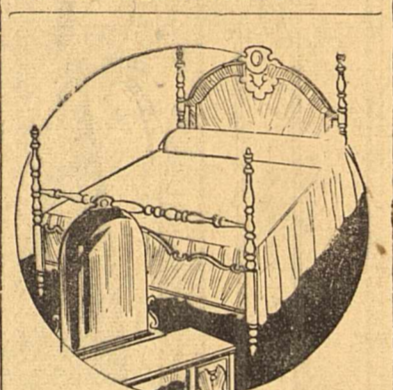
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 1705 West Wall

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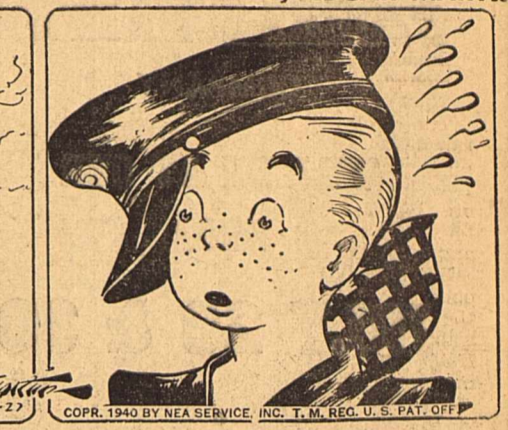
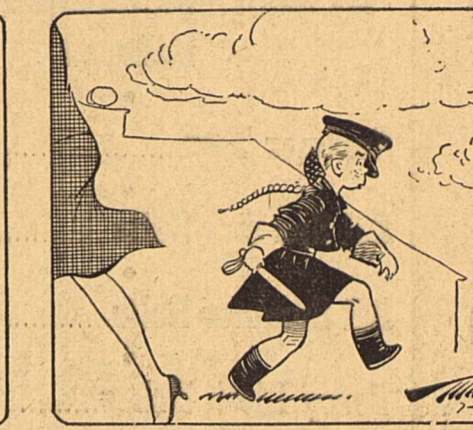
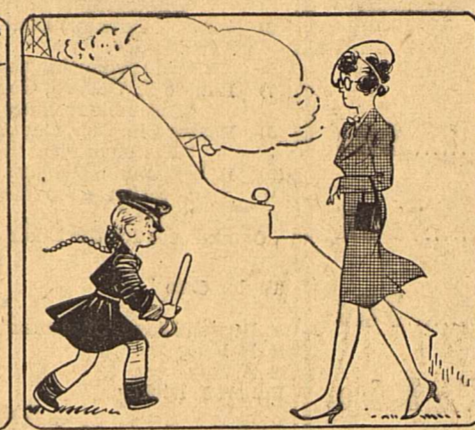
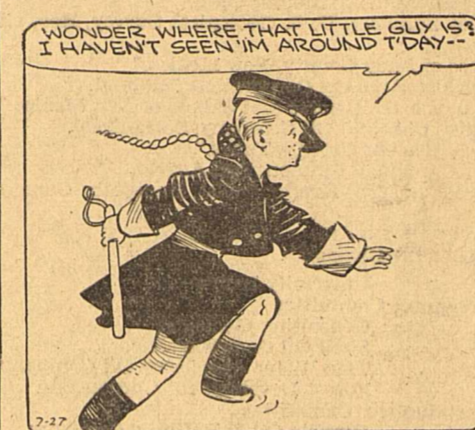
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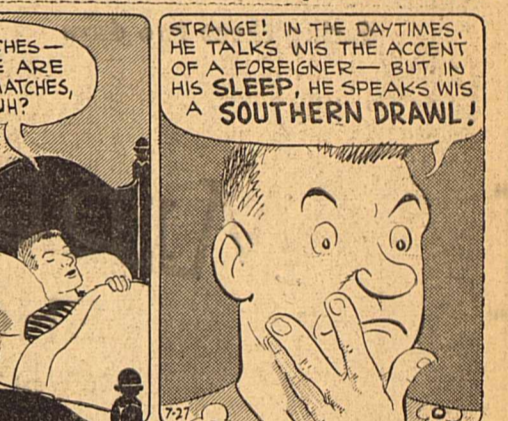
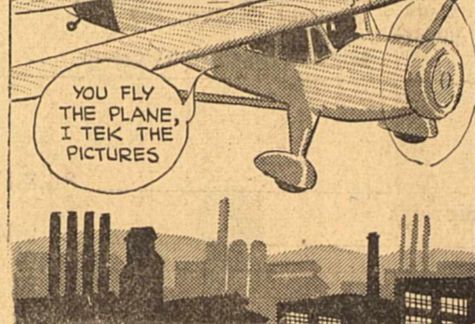
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



By EDGAR MARTIN

WASH TUBBS

WITH OTTO, AN EASY-GOING FOREIGN AGENT, EASY BEGINS TAKING PICTURES OF AMERICAN INDUSTRIAL DISTRICTS



By ROY CRANE

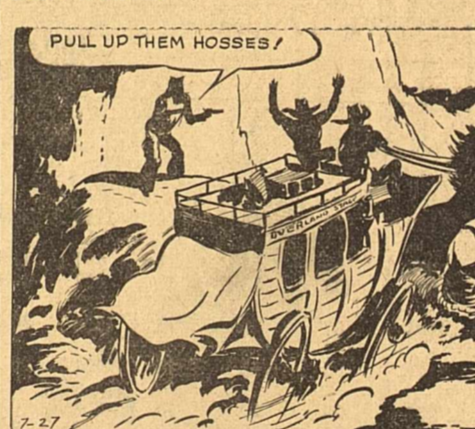
ALLEY OOP

IN A 20TH CENTURY LABORATORY... AND IN THE TROJAN TIME-ERA (APPROXIMATELY 1200 B.C.)



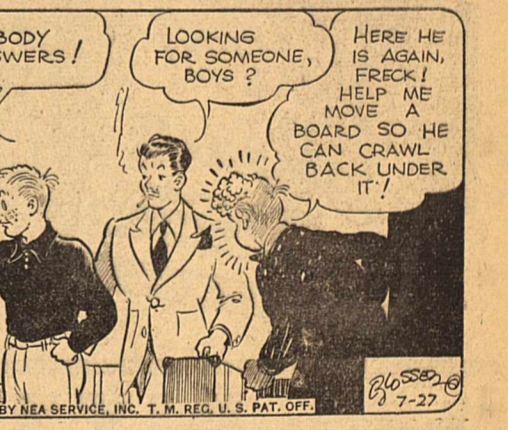
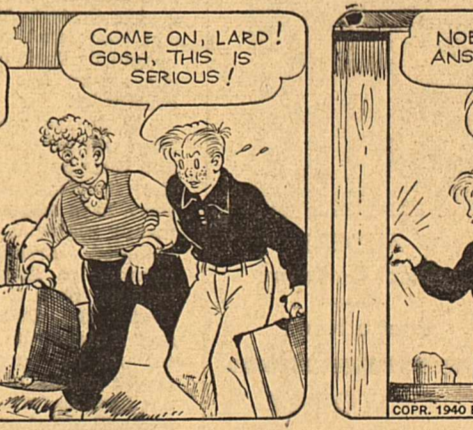
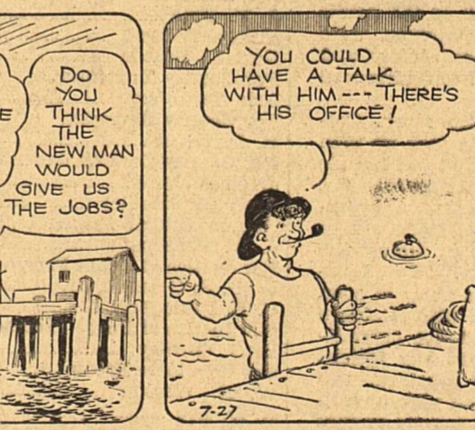
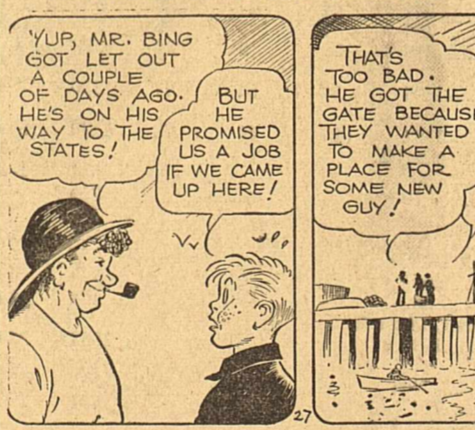
By V. T. HAMLIN

RED RYDER



By FRED HARMAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By MERRILL BLOSSER

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

NOPE... CAN'T SAY I EVER HEARD OF YOU, STRANGER, BUT DON'T LET THAT WORRY YOU... MY MEMORY'S BEEN SLIPPING LATELY LIKE A WORN-OUT CLUTCH! IF YOU ASKED ME WHAT I HAD FOR BREAKFAST THIS MORNING, I'D TELL YOU HAM AND EGGS, BUT I'D BE GUESSING!

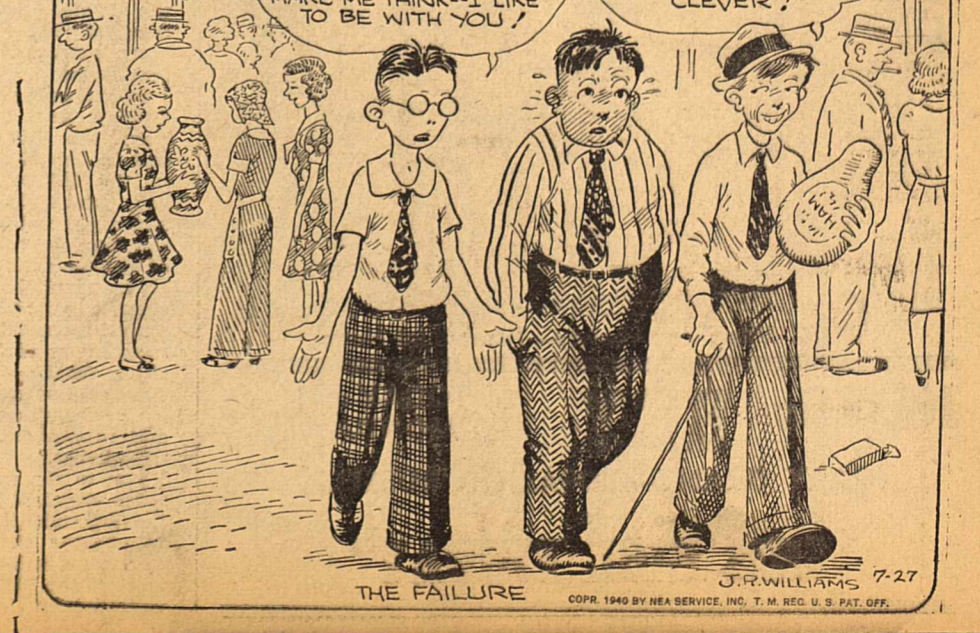
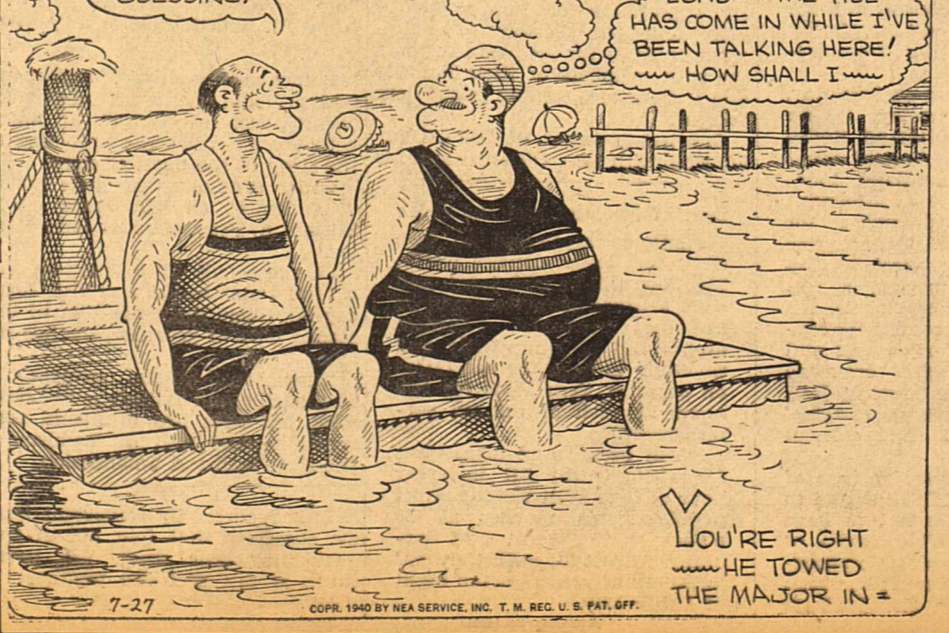
with MAJOR HOOPLE

WELL, ANYWAY, JUST FANCY SWIMMING THE ENGLISH CHANNEL IN COMPETITION AS I DID AND, AFTER A VICTORIOUS FINISH, HAVING TO SWIM BACK FIVE MILES TO RESCUE MY THREE EXHAUSTED AND PANICKY OPPONENTS! DRAGGING THEM SAFELY TO SHORE, I...

OUT OUR WAY

NOW TAKE YOU--YOU'VE SAVED FOR WEEKS FOR THIS DAY, BUT YOU SPENT IT ALL TO WIN A VASE TO GIVE TO A GIRL, AND YOU'RE WORSE OFF FOR THE REST OF YOUR LIFE--I MEAN DAY--THAN A TRAMP! I LEARN FROM YOU FELLOW--YOU TEACH ME A LOT--YOU MAKE ME THINK--I LIKE TO BE WITH YOU!

By J. R. WILLIAMS



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- Slack Suits 1/2 Price
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 - Summer Ties 69c
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 - All Summer Belts 75c
 - Terry Cloth Robes 1/2 Price
 - Boston Shoe Sale**
- Continues

MIDLAND'S SHOP FOR MEN

206 West Texas — Phone 880

Fall Meet--

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worked in the Permian Basin, and it is intended that the meeting be a homecoming event.

- List of papers to be delivered at the society's Fall meeting:
- (1) Leo Hendricks, Geologist, Bureau of Economic Geology, University of Texas, Austin.
 - (2) Frank E. Lewis, Consulting Geologist, Midland.
 - (3) N. B. Winter and R. T. Cox, Geologists, Atlantic Refining Company, Midland.
 - (4) Taylor Cole, Geologist, University Lands, Midland.
 - (5) C. M. Linehan, Geologist, Standard Oil Company of Texas, Midland.
 - (6) John A. Barnett, District Engineer, U. S. Geological Survey, Roswell, New Mexico.
 - (7) Ronald K. DeFord, Geologist, Argo Oil Corporation, Midland.
 - (8) Roscoe Simpson, Geologist, Cardinal Oil Company, San Angelo.
 - (9) R. L. Cannon, Geologist, Cannon & Cannon, San Angelo.

- Committees for the Midland program are:
- General Chairman:** Taylor Cole
 - Program Committee:** E. Russell Lloyd, Chairman; R. E. King; B. A. Ray; Robert I. Dickey
 - Entertainment Committee:** W. E. Daugherty, Chairman; O. R. Champion; C. A. Mix; B. G. Martin; W. S. McCabe
 - Arrangements Committee:** W. L. Haseltine, Chairman; W. T. Schneider; A. L. Attaway; L. C. Tennis
 - Publicity Committee:** Frank Gardner

Election--

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W. W. King	34,388
For Railroad Commissioner:	
Bryan Patterson	269
Olan R. Van Zandt	1,035
Eugene T. Smith	384
Errol Holt	322
Wm. H. McDonald	15,368
Walton D. Hood	9,479
Charlie Langford	
Clyde E. Smith	31,864
Olin Culberson	82,743
John Paul Jones	10,568
John Pundt	285
John D. Copeland, Jr.	
Bailey Sheppard	8,645
C. A. Everts	74
Larry Mills	226
O. O. Terrell	1,614
For Chief Justice of the Supreme Court:	
James P. Alexander	120,646
Tuck Chapin	5,641
John O. Douglas	20,227
Richard B. Humphrey	20,985
H. S. Lattimore	151,292
Gordon Griffin	13,424
For Associate Justice Supreme Court:	
John H. Sharp	262,920
Wm. Richard Watkins	95,680
For Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals:	
Tom L. Beauchamp	180,423
George E. Christian	173,435

Runoff--

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For County Judge:						
E. H. Barron	1190	80	58	78	1118	2524
For County Attorney:						
Joseph H. Mims	537	53	27	31	457	1105
Merritt F. Hines	635	33	33	42	657	1400
For Clerk of District Court:						
Nettye C. Romer	1193	87	60	78	1124	2542
For County Clerk:						
Susie G. Noble	1177	85	55	78	1121	2516
For Sheriff:						
A. B. Stickney	252	23	29	43	264	611
A. R. Green	94	14	8	5	128	249
Norman L. Woody	442	19	12	13	328	814
Ed Darnell	387	29	17	17	297	747
For Tax Assessor-Collector:						
J. H. Fine	551	44	47	26	603	1271
Fisher Pollard	306	7	8	16	230	567
Neal D. Stanton	310	35	5	34	292	676
For County Treasurer:						
Lois Patterson	1194	87	61	77	1130	2551
For County Surveyor:						
R. E. Estes	1194	87	61	78	1130	2550
For County Commissioner Precinct 1:						
J. C. Roberts	686	65	131			
Arch M. Stanley	215	214	428			
Bennie Elzett	128	142	270			
J. T. Jenkins	114	85	129			
For Justice of Peace Precinct 1, Place 1:						
W. P. Z. German, Jr.	305	179	484			
C. B. Dunagan	93	104	197			
For Justice of Peace Precinct 1, Place 2:						
B. C. Girdley	1126	1063	2209			
For Constable Precinct 1:						
W. E. Wesson	263	281	544			
R. D. Lee	775	731	1506			
For County Commissioner Precinct 2:						
J. C. Brooks	82	82				
For County Commissioner Precinct 3:						
Arthur Judkins		28				
Donald Hutt		14				
G. T. Crawford		20				
For County Commissioner Precinct 4:						
J. L. Dillard		57				
J. O. Nobles, Jr.		18				

Four Candidates for Governor Sit at Home And Listen to Reports of Saturday Voting

AUSTIN, Tex., July 27 (AP). — In atmosphere of happy excitement, four men who want to be governor of Texas for the next two years sat with members of their families and friends as "listening posts" here tonight.

One was governor W. Lee O'Daniel, who, with Mrs. O'Daniel and his eldest son, Pat, arrived about 7 p.m. from Ft. Worth where they had voted.

Before dark a shirt-sleeved crowd had gathered on the grounds of the "Whitehouse of Texas" to watch with the executive the unfolding of the story of the day's election.

It's smart to have that SLENDER LOOK

It's simple to achieve—in these just-arrived dresses for fall! Their slender hiplines, their smooth contours, their deep colors . . . all combine to take inches from your silhouette (even if only by optical illusion).



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Wadley's

The Yoke Dress with gently draped bodice and flat-over-the-hips silhouette, sash tied.

Father of Midland Man Dies Saturday

Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist church in Stanton at four o'clock this afternoon for S. P. Myrick, 78, Stanton resident for the past 17 years, father of Clint Myrick of Midland.

The elder Myrick succumbed early Saturday morning in a San Angelo hospital about a week after an operation. He had been ill at his farm home north of Stanton for a

considerable period. He is survived by his widow, three sons, Clint of Midland, Irvin and Roland of Stanton and five daughters, Mrs. Milt Vater, Mrs. Ned Stewart, Mrs. Bill Blocker, Mrs. Geo. Blocker, all of Stanton, and Mrs. Tommy Jett of Dallas, and 12 grandchildren.

WT-NM LEAGUE.

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Lamesa	301	000	31x-8	9	1
McAfee, Ramsdell and Bolton; Foree, Blair and Priddy.					
Clovis	022	001	100-6	11	2
Amarillo	000	012	110-5	7	2
Shirley and Schmidt; Parrish, Lynn and Ratliff.					

Water Supply--

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ions, that of the concrete reservoir just east of the city is 500,000 gallons, the largest elevated tank holds 300,000 gallons and the tank adjoining the city hall 100,000 gallons. The smaller tank is not to be used for supplying water users, however, but is held in reserve for protection in case of a large fire when pressure in the mains is low.

Cooperation of the water users in observing the hours of watering lawns was asked by the officials, pending completion of additions to the water system.

Axis--

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and Bulgaria lost southern Dobruja to Rumania. Now they want Rumania who already has lost Bessarabia and northern Bukovina in the Soviet Russian occupation of a month ago, to give up these territories too.

On the war front, air raids on British oil-tank concentrations below London have become an almost daily occurrence, while Nazi bombers continue to attack port facilities, airports and radio stations in various parts of England.

During the past week at least 200,000 tons of shipping has been sunk by Nazi speedboats or submarines, the high command said. DNE, the official German news agency, reported that "the convoy system successful in the world war has lost its former reliability."

Exhibition of His Fitness Given by Benito Mussolini

By RICHARD G. MASSOCK.
ROME, July 27. (AP). — Morning and afternoon of this long, hot day Benito Mussolini, who will be 57 Monday, put on a performance of personal fitness for a gallery of international newspapermen and asked them, in effect: "How am I doing?"

This morning he galloped and jumped his fine chestnut mare; this afternoon he played tennis shorts,

before cameras and reporters. At both "snaps," Il Duce glowed with good health and bubbled with excellent humor.

In the tennis game, Mussolini and a young partner won, 7-5, against two youthful athletes. For ten minutes Il Duce rode and hurled furiously to prove his fitness to the world and when he got through he was not even breathing heavily.

Mussolini arranged the show for 45 members of the foreign press in the early morning on the grounds of his villa Torlonia estate after I had asked about his daily routine, now that the nation is at war.

Rodeo--

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Grand champion will be selected from the first place winners of each of the five classes. In each of the five classes, cash prizes are expected to be \$25 for first, \$15 for second, \$10 for third and \$5 for fourth, or a total of 265 in addition to trophies and ribbons.

All horses will remain at the fair grounds during the three day rodeo, to be inspected by the public, and one class will be shown and judged in front of the grandstand at each show, with grand champion to be selected on the final night. Livestock Is Famous.

Not in the history of the Midland rodeo, about to stage its sixth annual performance, has there been the class of livestock which will be used August 31, September 1 and 2, when Colburn and Knight will bring their world famous broncs, steers, Brahma cows and calves to Midland, just prior to their ninth consecutive showing at Madison Square Garden, New York City.

Contract was made with Everett Colburn at Dublin, where the stock is grazed on a ranch, last week. Included are the famous saddle broncs which Colburn and Knight bought from W. T. Johnson, the bareback broncs, bucking steers, Brahma cows for the milking contest and Brahma calves for the calf roping contest. All of the Johnson stock and equipment were bought by these contractors, and the set-up has been improved constantly.

With the rodeo stock, Colburn will bring six pick up men and their horses and will handle the livestock throughout the three days and nights. Approximately 200 head of stock will be included, arriving here the morning of August 28 and remaining until the show is over. Under the deal with Colburn and Knight, the rodeo committee will not be out any freight on shipment of livestock, will not have to furnish pick-up men and will effect numerous savings as well as to have this famous string of animals for the spectators.

Rodeo Widely Known. Cowhands, oil men and the general public meet on common ground at the annual Midland Rodeo, set this season for August 31, September 1 and 2, when professionals of the rodeo world compete with seasoned range cowboys for substantial purses. Hollywood type cowgirls ride princely steeds in contests of skill, celebrities gallop before the big stee grandstand and the hand of "old west" hospitality reaches out to visitors from several states.

Staged each year on Saturday, Sunday and Monday (Labor Day), the 1940 Midland Rodeo will be the sixth annual event in the \$60,000 Midland Fair, Inc., plant and arena. Afternoon and night rodeo programs for the three days will be augmented by spectacular street parades of mounted horsemen, a colt show, a gaited horse show, the annual sponsors' contest for representatives of forty towns and cities, final cowgirls' event to show skill at calf penning, junior cowboys' contests, cowgirls' calf roping, and other colorful "side issues."

Due to the expensive type of rodeo staged at Midland, and to the determination not to have "a cheaper show" in spite of war scares and economic uncertainties, the 1940 event has been underwritten by the business

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REAL ESTATE HOME OWNERS' and BUILDERS' PAGE

Savings & Loan Associations on Stable Footing

Growth of the Midland Federal Savings & Loan Association, combined with that of similar associations throughout the country, has gone far toward financing a substantial housing program, figures released this week by Carl Young, secretary of the local organization showed.

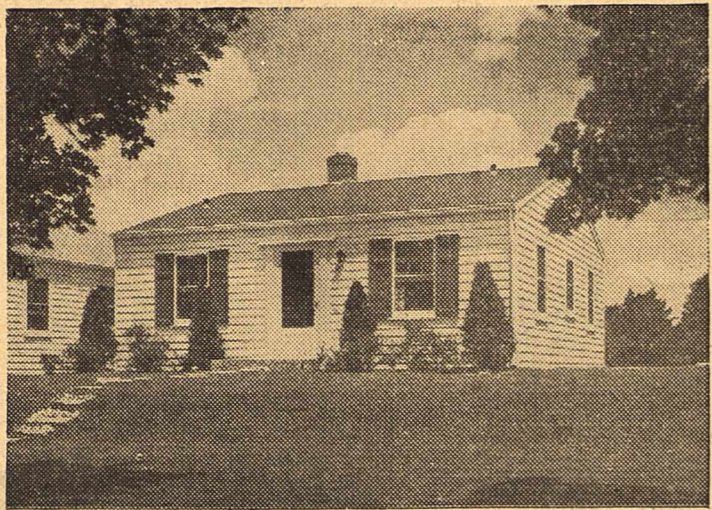
Home loans numbering 6,884 and amounting to \$13,351,780 were made by the 121 insured savings and loan associations in Texas during the first six months of 1940, it was announced today by Nugent Fallon, General Manager of the Federal Savings and Loan Insurance Corporation. As of June 30, 1940, these institutions had home mortgage loans on their books amounting to \$83,129,000.

New savings placed in the associations in the first six months of this year aggregated \$12,069,000. The total private investments in these institutions on June 30 were \$74,508,000 as compared with \$61,001,000 on June 30, 1939.

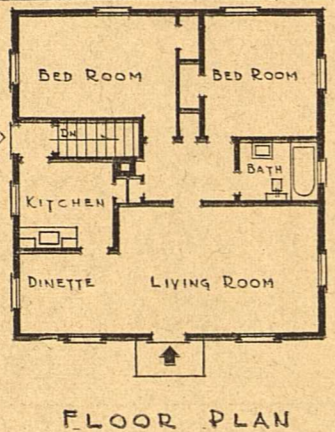
Such savings placed in these locally owned and locally managed thrift and home-financing institutions are protected against loss up to \$5,000 per investor by the Insurance Corporation, a Federal Government instrumentality. On June 30 there were 33,591 investors in these associations in Texas.

Assets of the association totaled \$97,205,000 on June 30 as compared with \$86,206,000 a year ago.

A Representative FHA Home



This neat one-story frame home is a common type of the new single-family dwellings on which the FHA has been accepting mortgages for insurance.



Low Cost Homes Quality Raised By FHA Efforts

The problem of providing adequate small houses meeting reasonable standards for space, privacy, construction, equipment, and neighborhood at a low over-all price is being attacked by the Federal Housing Administrator from a number of angles, Administrator Stewart McDonald declared recently.

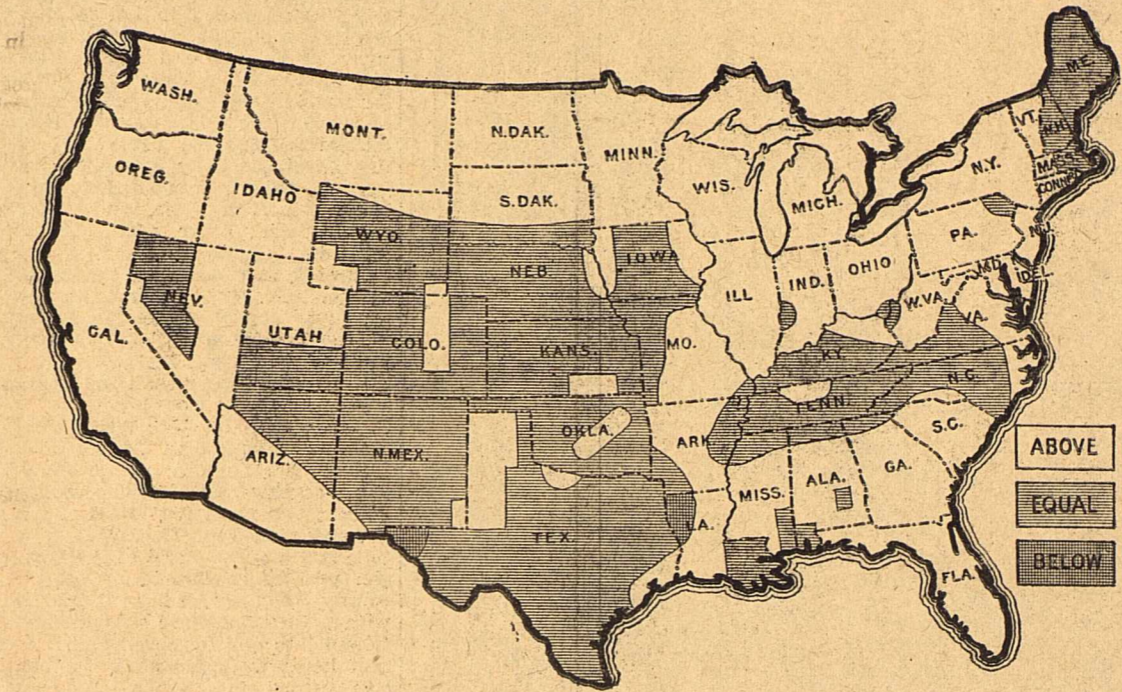
There have been many obstacles to the construction of good-quality low-priced houses, Mr. McDonald admitted, since in the past dwellings of this type were produced on a more or less casual basis without the careful type of planning that goes into larger structures and without the benefit of materials and equipment especially adapted for smaller dwellings.

More Potential Owners

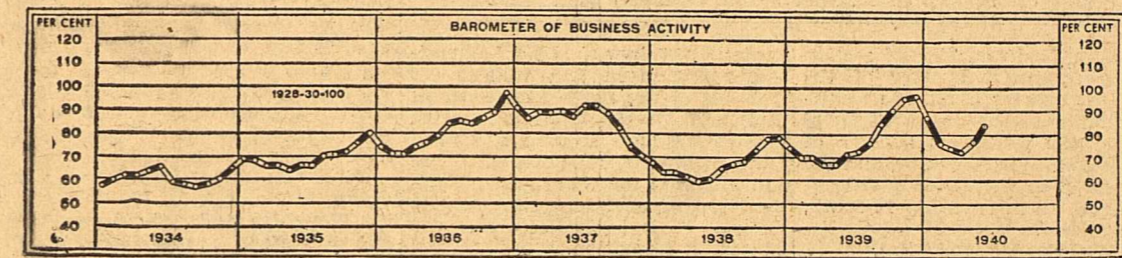
"The Federal Housing Administration has greatly enlarged the number of potential home owners," Mr. McDonald pointed out, "by providing insurance on new home mortgages up to 90 per cent of the appraised value and for terms up to 25 years at 4 1/2 per cent maximum interest plus one-half per cent mortgage-insurance premium."

It has been proved, he continued, that important economics can be effected by care in preparing small-house plans, and with this in view the FHA has prepared and issued pamphlets dealing with the planning of small homes. Demonstrations of houses using principles described by the FHA have been erected by local builders and building material dealers in hundreds of cities and towns throughout the country, he continued, and all this has served to encourage the building of small homes of good quality in low price ranges.

Business Map Lighter, Barometer Higher



This map depicts current business conditions as compared with the same period last year. It will appear in the August number of "Nation's Business", published by the United States Chamber of Commerce.



Enlarged payrolls and active distributors trade, despite rainy weather, are reflected in a slightly lighter map this month. A sharp rise in industrial activity in June, following the mild upturn in May, erased about half of the drop recorded in the first four months of this year.

A & L Homes Add Substantially to Permits for Week

Three new residences by the A. & L. Housing Company, another by Houston Hill for T. A. Cole, a studio for the Midland Little Theatre, a warehouse and two smaller dwellings boosted the building permits by \$13,450 during the past week and brought the steady climb to a total of \$664,270 for the year.

The A. L. homes are located in the 1100 block on West Kentucky and will be offered for sale upon completion, under the FHA terms, being part of a substantial development program carried on by the firm in that section.

The week's permits follow:

- W. W. Simmons, dwelling, Moody addition, \$250.
- T. W. Cole, dwelling, 1111 West College, \$2,500.
- A. & L. Housing Company, three new homes at 1106, 1108 and 1110 West Kentucky at \$3,000 each, \$9,000.
- Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, studio, 1705 West Indiana, \$1,000.
- Frank B. Westerman, warehouse, South Pecos, \$400.
- Alton Sarge, 706 East New York, \$300.

FHA Figures Offer Building Picture

Since the Federal Housing Administration operates on a national basis, most persons associated with the home-building industry feel that the characteristics of properties securing FHA-insured mortgages offer a reliable key to the nature of home building now going on throughout the nation.

The typical new FHA home, while it may vary slightly from the typical home erected in the 1930's, is believed by both builders and FHA officials to be a clear indication of the direction of current home-building trends.

The typical new single-family home covered by a mortgage accepted for FHA insurance under Title II in 1939 had these characteristics:

- Its valuation was \$5,245.
- It contained a fraction over five rooms.
- Almost 80 per cent of the new homes had garages.
- Over 40 per cent were constructed of wood with brick next in preference, followed by stucco.

Well Water Supply Often Undesirable

The home builder who contemplates obtaining his water supply from a well rather than water mains is reminded by Federal Housing Administration officials that the danger of pollution is always great in the case of wells and that they provide little or no fire protection.

In addition, it is held that the cost of construction of the well and of installing the necessary pumping system is usually as great or greater than the per lot cost of water mains.

burden of another child, the AAUW hopes to work out plans by which the resources of both groups can be utilized.

FHA Repair Loans Led by Two States

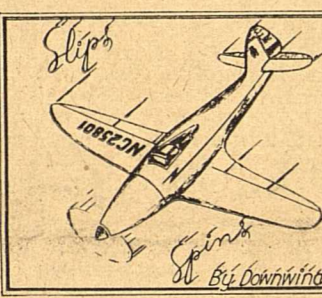
The largest volume of loans insured during 1939 under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration financed improvements to properties located in New York and California.

These loans approximated \$35,000,000 and \$32,000,000 respectively. More than \$12,000,000 in improvement loans were reported for insurance in each of four other states—Michigan, New Jersey, Illinois, and Pennsylvania.

The major item of expenditure reported most frequently for modernization loans during the year financed the installation and modernization of heating equipment. Exterior painting, roofing, additions and alterations, and plumbing, in order named, were the other major types of improvements financed during the year.

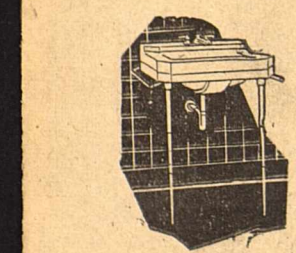
The Why of the Hole.

Without a hole in the canopy of a parachute, the compressed air would be forced to escape from its edges, thus causing the passenger to swing back and forth after the manner of a pendulum.



After an absence of some three months this column comes to life to pay tribute to the one, of several, that has been responsible for the organization and successful operation of the Midland Flying Club for the past eight months. In this short length of time O. L. Odale Jr., Lieutenant, junior grade, Naval Air Reserve, has probably worked harder, and accomplished more, for civilian aviation in Midland than any other one particular person. Inasmuch as his work along these lines has been done before, and after working hours, with no remuneration whatsoever, it is doubly appreciated by each and every one of the twenty-five club members that are now listed by the Civil Aeronautics Authority as pilots.

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Ratio of Payment to Income Vital

The proper ratio of the monthly payment on a home to the total income of the home owner can be determined only after consideration is given to other living expenses and obligations, in the belief of Federal Housing Administration officials.

No definite zone limits can be prescribed within which the ratio of total monthly payments to income must fall, it is pointed out, because the ratio between mortgage obligation and income for one borrower may be unfavorable for another.

FHA officials report that as family incomes are found to be in lower brackets, progressively higher percentages of the family income will be devoted to paying for the cost of shelter but the actual amount in dollars and cents would be correspondingly lower.

In each individual case, it is said, a study should be made to determine accurately how much the borrower can afford to pay monthly on the mortgage obligation in his circumstances and with his financial resources.

Odale, private pilot No. 2949, with instructor's rating on 1-Land, 2-S and 3-3 Land Planes, since December 4th, 1939, has devoted 167 hours flying time in complete, or partial, flight instruction to all of the above stated twenty five members. A break-down of this instruction time reflects that 289 separate flight lessons have been given in soloing nineteen students; fifteen of which received all of their flight training under his supervision. The other four had received some previous instruction but it remained for Odale to give them their final instruction and approval for their first solo flight.

Previous experience, in the Navy Training Base at San Diego, was of very little help to "Odie" with one of the problems that was encountered; i.e. in teaching women to fly. It must be admitted, however, that he lived up to expectations and both he and four "Lady-Birds," are to be congratulated. Each of the four, Burlayne McCollum, Jessie Parsons, Louise Cunningham and Mary Page, soloed with the minimum instruction of eight hours and are now showing exceptional progress toward higher ratings.

Charter members of the club, with officers, are listed as follows: M. T. Smith, president; Jessie Parson, vice president; Burlayne McCollum, secretary; W. P. Thurmon, treasurer; A. L. Attaway, R. Brewer, Don Parsons, W. C. Cremin, H. P. Page, Boyd Laughlin, L. C. McDonald and Jim McHargue, Associate members in-

The club will be without the services of Mr. Odale during the month of August and his guiding hand will be missed; probably more than thought at this time. His orders call for reporting at the Naval Base at San Diego on August 4 for two weeks active duty and it is his intention to remain, with his family in California, for an additional two weeks vacation. It is hoped that it will be an enjoyable trip and that he will be back in Midland, as per schedule, on September 1.

As a token of appreciation, the Midland Flying Club helped out-fit this wanderer for his trip to the coast. It is known in California that (See SLIPS & SPINS, page 4)

Successful Builders Interested

"The entrance of highly competent and successful builders into the field of small-house building on a large scale has been one of the results of the FHA-insured mortgage system of financing," Mr. McDonald declared. "This system permits the builder's primary efforts to be devoted to efficient production, instead of having them absorbed largely by problems of financing, as was common during the 1920's."

The FHA's engineering studies indicate that standard stock sizes in materials in many cases have not been economically used in small-house building. In some such cases considerable study and interchange of views between designers, builders, and producers are required in order to bring about the production of materials and equipment adapted to the demands of the small-house market.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q. How much slope should a wooden porch floor have and what size flooring boards should be used?

A. Porch floors should be sloped away from the wall of the house one-fourth inch per foot, and the flooring should be laid in the direction of the slope so that water may run off readily. Material one and one-fourth inches thick, of any of the soft woods ordinarily used for flooring, is suitable for porch floors. Seal the joints with white lead and paint the floor with three coats of good quality deck paint.

Q. What general principles should I follow in selecting plumbing fixtures for a small house?

A. Plumbing fixtures should be of good quality, but care should be taken to avoid using fixtures too expensive in relation to the total cost of the dwelling. When cost is a primary factor, select the fixtures on the basis of their practical use rather than appearance. With the exception of water closet, which should be of vitreous china, the fixtures may be of either cast iron or pressed steel having a porcelain enamel finish. Select fixture fittings of high quality since these parts are subject to hard usage both as to surface wear and mechanical operation.

Q. What is a dormer?

A. A dormer is a projection built out for a sloping roof usually used to light and ventilate attics or space in the second story. In general, there are three types: shed dormers, those with flat sloping roofs have less pitch than the roof on which they are located; gable dormers, those having a rigid, double-sloping roof at right angles to the main roof; hip dormers, those with a roof in which the sloping ends and sides meet in a sharp angle or hip. Other types of dormer windows are usually modifications of these.

Stock Market Keeps Balance in One of Worst Weeks Ever

By FREDERICK GARDNER. NEW YORK, July 27. (AP). — Ending one of the dreariest weeks in more than two decades, the stock market today just about kept its balance.

Boardrooms were virtually deserted. The persistent speculative apathy made attendance in Wall Street during the brief session seem especially unattractive.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up 1 of a point, at 41.5 due mainly to the firmness of steels and motors. Again the lengthy market stalemate was exemplified by the fact this composite a month ago stood at 41.3.

The turnover of 83,220 shares compared with 11,220 in the preceding two hour session and was the smallest for any Saturday since Aug. 3, 1918. It was relatively lower than the figures indicate, when it is recalled that 22 years ago listed issues were only about half the number dealt in at present. Of the total of 1,233 individual stocks, however, only 316 showed on today's ticker tape. This week's aggregate of 1,191,300 shares was no more than a normal day's dealings, and was around 500,000 under last week's sluggish proceedings.

Ahead at the finish were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, General Motors, Chrysler, Anaconda, Southern Pacific, Sears Roebuck, Woolworth, Loft, Glenn Martin and American Telephone.

Under water were General Electric, Philip Morris, North American, American Can and Montgomery Ward.

Rail and utility loans edged forward in the loans department. Commodities were irregularly lower.

In a spotty curb minor advances were posted for Electric Bond & Share, Glen Alden Coal, Lake Shore and Niagara Hudson Power. About 29,000 shares were traded here versus 23,000 a week ago.

The average adult, generally speaking, is able to read only about as fast as he could in the eighth grade of grammar school—300 words a minute.

Contractor Claims FHA Plan Superior

The Federal Housing Administration plan of home financing is superior to other methods because of eight definite reasons, in the opinion of Edward E. Hardin, an Indiana contractor. The reasons he ascribed to FAH's superiority were:

1. The FHA system is as new as progress.
2. The system is sound from a business and investment standpoint.
3. It has raised the standard of building and has instilled confidence and new interest in the public in building.
4. The FHA program has been so well advertised that every prospective builder knows about it and knows where to obtain the detailed information concerning loans.
5. The close inspections made by the FHA inspectors make it impossible to build flimsy structures that will not stand the test of time, but this method assures the home owner that he will get value, dollar for dollar.
6. The basic aid given by the FHA is that it has broadened the market for building that it has been one of the chief aids in bringing about not only an interest in building but in building itself.
7. Aiding in the business upturn, the FHA has instilled confidence in other kinds of business.
8. Because of the recent depression many people who under other conditions would have a more substantial savings account do not yet have sufficient money to build homes under the old plan.

Distribution of Mortgages

Federal Housing Administration officials have announced that during 1939 85.3 per cent of the mortgages it insured were originated on properties located in the same state as the head office of the financing institution.

Midland AAUW to Aid In Placing British Children in Homes

Following the request of the British Federation of University Women that members of the American Association of University Women furnish homes for children of the British group for the duration of the war, the Midland branch of the AAUW plans to act as intermediary in placing the children in such Midland homes as desire them. Midland citizens who would like to take such children are asked to communicate with Mrs. Ernest Sidwell of this city.

Those contemplating the taking of children are reminded that the "duration" may be a long time. Affidavits must be furnished before children will be assigned. In order to furnish an affidavit, it is not necessary to have great wealth, AAUW officials said, but means must be sufficient to convince the Consul that another person can be supported over a long period of time—in the case of children, until they reach maturity.

The children will be between the ages of 5 and 16, according to information given out early this month, and will be brought into the county as speedily as possible under the British quota, with affidavits of support and complete compliance with all immigration regulations.

In case of members or other citizens who can furnish affidavits of support but cannot offer homes and others who can provide homes but cannot take on the full financial

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Principal Developments in New Mexico Include Big Flow by Eddy Discovery and Wildcatting in Lea

HOBBS, N. M., July 27. — Increased flow by a discovery well at the north edge of Lake McMillan in Eddy county and a report that George P. Livermore, Ft. Worth operator and drilling contractor, will start operations near a recently junked shallow wildcat in northwestern Lea county were among the week's principal developments in Southeastern New Mexico.

Ventura Oil Company No. 1 H. L. Lowe, northeastern Lea wildcat, contracted for depth of 6,000 feet, attracted interest when it showed shortening of section between the anhydrite and the Yates sand zone. Relatively low on anhydrite, topped at 2,190 feet, datum of plus 1,673, the well thinned 30 feet in intermediate section when it logged base of salt at 3,030 feet. First Yates sand came in at 3,150 feet, and frosted quartz grains showed up in samples at 2,180 feet, indicating an additional 20 feet of thinning. No. 1 Lowe, located 680 feet from the south, 1,980 from the east line of section 26-13s-37e, now is drilling at 4,025 feet in anhydrite and red beds.

Martin Yates, Jr., et al. No. 1 E. L. McCall, Eddy, discovery seven miles west of the Artesia pool, flowed 41 barrels through casing in 14 hours after shooting with 60 quarts from 1,017 to 1,032 feet, total depth. Two-inch tubing then was set at 1,026 feet, with a packer at 885 feet, and the well was shut in for 12 hours to build up pressure. When opened it flowed seven and one-half barrels of oil hourly for three hours through a 1/8-inch choke on tubing. Gravity of oil is 36 degrees. The strike had balled 30 barrels daily before shooting and last week was estimated good for only 75 barrels a day while cleaning out after shot. However, later gauges indicate that it will produce double that figure. It now is shut in with all storage filled. Oil sand was found from 1,022 to 1,032 feet. No. 1 McCall is located 330 feet from the south, 990 from the west line of section 24-18s-26e.

Livermore Moving In.
Nearly two miles to the north-west, Jones & Yates are moving in rotary to No. 1 Everest, 2,310 feet from the south, 900 from the east line of section 15-18s-26e.

It was reported this week that Livermore is moving in rotary for a test near the Lou Stogner and Sam Weiner No. 1 State, wildcat 660 feet from the southeast corner of section 30-12s-32e, in northwestern Lea, which was recently junked at 1,373 feet in red beds when operators were unsuccessful in drilling by whipstock. It is understood that Livermore is now associated with Stogner in the enterprise.

Livermore recently purchased two tracts in the area, totalling 600 acres at the New Mexico State land sale, held at Santa Fe. The first tract consists of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section 2, the west half of the northeast quarter of 19, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of 22, the northeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section 33, and the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter and the northwest quarter of section 34, all in township 12 south, range 32 east. The second tract is the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 10, the northwest quarter

Il Duce Has Parachuters, Too



Impressed by the success of Germany's parachute soldiers, Italy has organized similar corps. Here are some of Il Duce's parachute soldiers lined up for inspection at a Libyan post.

of the southeast quarter of section 21, the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of 23, the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of 32, and the west half of the southeast quarter of section 35, all in township 13 south, range 32 east.

Good Well For Midland Firm.
Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. of Midland completed a large producer in the northeast part of the Cooper area of Lea, their No. 1 J. A. Cooper, 1,980 feet from the north and east lines of section 12-24s-36e. On official gauge through 7-inch casing the well flowed 25 barrels of oil per hour, accompanied by an estimated 1,500,000 cubic feet of gas daily. It is bottomed at 3,588 feet in lime and was shot with 240 quarts from 3,515 feet to total depth.

Stanley Weiner et al. No. 1 Saunderson, southeastern Lea wildcat 660 feet out of the northeast corner of section 20-21s-38e, last was reported drilling at 1,585 feet in red rock. Hard drilling at 1,554 feet gave rise to belief that the well had encountered top of anhydrite, but sample analysis failed to confirm the change in formation.

Three new wells were completed in the Arrowhead pool of Lea. Largest was Humble Oil & Refining Co. No. 7 J. L. Greenwood which flowed 328 barrels in eight hours after acidizing with 3,000 gallons at 3,715 feet. Gulf Oil Corporation No. 3-C Leonard State tested natural flow of 329 barrels in 13 hours at 3,840 feet, and Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 2-PA State also was completed naturally, flowing 218 barrels in 24 hours.

Texas Financial Condition Is Most Pressing, Unsolved Problem

By The Associated Press.
AUSTIN, Tex., July 27 (AP). — The Texas government's financial condition stands out on election day as the state's most pressing — and unsolved — problem.

There is wide disagreement among officials as to what is needed, but it is generally believed the state could use at least \$14,300,000 more revenue annually.

This amount would:

1. Furnish \$10,000,000 for pensions in addition to the \$9,000,000 now available annually.
2. Furnish \$2,500,000 annually to

match teachers' retirement contributions.

3. Furnish \$1,500,000 annually for aid to dependent children, to be matched by the federal government.
4. Furnish \$300,000 annually for aid to the blind.

This is a minimum figure. Some think as much as \$40,000,000 need money annually is needed. Some would add new taxes to retire the growing deficit in the general revenue fund.

With all the hokum of campaigning eliminated, this in brief is what each gubernatorial candidate proposes to do about the state's finances:

1. W. Lee O'Daniel: Last year recommended a 1.6 per cent transaction tax which the legislature turned down and then espoused a sales-natural resource tax in constitutional amendment form which failed. This year he will agree to "any plan the legislature adopts."
2. Harry Hines: Advocates an "equitable general tax bill spread among natural resources and large corporations" to raise an additional \$15,000,000 yearly which he thinks would be adequate. Opposes sales tax.
3. Ernest O. Thompson: Opposes a sales tax and favors a five-cent-per-barrel increase on the oil tax, a one-cent tax on natural gas (per 1000 feet), a heavier tax on sulphur and a levy on carbon black (produced from natural gas).
4. Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson: Favors a one and one-half per cent gross receipts tax exempting amounts up to \$5,000 and wants governmental expenses, with the exception of school expenditures, slashed 25 per cent.
5. Jerry Sadler: Advocates increasing by 2 1/4 cents a barrel the current tax on oil, raising to \$1.25 a

Oil Interest Swings to Crockett As Operators Take Big Blocks

By FRANK GARDNER.

Leasing activity in southeastern Crockett county southeast of Ozona dominated developments at the week's close.

Standard Oil & Gas Company announced that it has taken 10-year commercial lease on 36,286 acres lying in blocks L, TG, XX, OOO and O, G.C.&S.F. survey, in block O, G.H.&S.A. survey.

Magnolia Petroleum Company is reported to have leased seven sections in block O and one section in block XX, G.C.&S.F. survey.

An individual understood to be purchasing for a major company is said to have leased 12 sections in block M, G.C.&S.F. survey.

M.&M. Drilling Company No. 1 Bouscaren estate, new gasser one mile north of the discovery well in the Soma area of western Crockett, was scheduled to kill flow of gas by pumping in mud under pressure. Drilling ahead from 1,491 feet, where it had been shut down for several weeks pending settlement of lawsuit, the well encountered an estimated 50,000,000 cubic feet of dry, sweet gas daily in sand at 1,512 feet. Operators cut drilling line, leaving tools in hole, and closed control head. Later, when control head was partially opened, it was blown off, and tools were blown out of the hole. The gasser is in the southeast corner of the northwest quarter of section 29, block GG, H. E. & W. T. survey. Elevation is 2,871, 511 feet higher than the Soma pool opener.

Duggan-Slaughter Link Well.
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-B Mallet Land & Cattle Company, southwestern Hockley county wildcat two miles northwest of the Slaughter field of Hockley and a mile and a quarter east of the Duggan pool of southeastern Cochran county, was acidized in second stage with 3,000 gallons and swabbed and flowed into pits for seven and one-half hours while cleaning. It then was turned into tanks, swabbing and flowing 23 barrels of oil, cut six per cent with basic sediment and acid water, in one hour. Operators will reacidize. First acid treatment had been with 1,500 gallons. The link well logged first oil staining at 4,970 feet, drilled continuous pay from 4,985 to 5,043 feet, and is bottomed in lime at 5,044, the last foot having drilled hard. It is in the center of labour 13, league 50, Scurry county school land.

Bond Oil Corporation-Awoeb Oil Company No. 4-A M. H. Davis, in the Slaughter pool, set daily potential of 1,202.68 barrels, based upon six-hour flow, after acidizing with total of 8,000 gallons in lime from 4,922 to 5,006 feet, the total depth. Oil is 31.8-gravity and gas-oil ratio 1.310-1.

Depth of 3,400 feet had been reached early yesterday in The Sloan & Zook Company of Bradford, Pa. and T. N. Sloan of Midland No. 1 Waples-Platter Company, three-quarters of a mile northeast of Shell's lone discovery pumper two miles northeast of the Wasson field in southern Yoakum county.

Three and a half miles farther east and slightly south, Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 A. M. Brownfield, 1,980 feet from the south and west lines of section 620, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, is plugging to abandon at total depth of 2,270 feet in lime. It is the deepest test drilled in Yoakum. The well showed sulphur water in the Wasson pay horizon and in several zones farther in the

lime section.

Southeastern Andrews Test.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company and Seaboard Oil Corporation No. 1-A Midland Farms Company, southeastern Andrews wildcat 18 miles airline northwest of Midland, yesterday morning had drilled to 4,755 feet in hard lime.

A west-edge test in the Seminole pool of central Gaines, Magnolia and Atlantic No. 1-251 Havemeyer & Jenny, has been completed at 5,275 feet in lime for natural daily potential of 637.84 barrels.

Forest Development Corporation No. 2 Paul Moss, in the south extension area of Ector's Foster pool, is drilling lime below 3,900 feet.

Stanolind No. 1-D J. L. Johnson, diagonal northeast offset to a north extension well in the Johnson pool of Ector, is cleaning out shot cavings at 4,210 feet, having swabbed 30 barrels of oil and 22 barrels of water during the past 24 hours.

Pecos Ordovician.
Magnolia announced yesterday that it will deepen its No. 1 F. J. S. Masterson, Ellenberger, lower Ordovician, producer in the Apo pool of northern Pecos county, from present depth of 4,536 feet to 4,636 feet. The well, completed some months ago, is located 667 feet from the northwest, 667.6 from the northeast line of the south quarter of section 104, block 10, H.&G.N. survey.

Taubert, McKee & Siemoneit No. 1 Mrs. Virginia W. Crockett, scheduled Ordovician test in the McKee area near Imperial in northern Pecos, is drilling below 300 feet in broken anhydrite. Thirteen-inch o.d. surface casing was cemented at 256 feet with 100 sacks.

Plymouth No. 1 Richard Levy et al, northern Pecos Ordovician test in section 104, block 3, H.&G.N. survey, is drilling past 6,107 feet in Permian lime and chert.

In the shallow Tobago pool of Pecos, A. J. Rife No. 5 Tippett pumped 9 barrels of 25.6-gravity oil per day from pay at 468-76 feet, total depth. It was completed naturally.

W. E. Keeney No. 5 Masterson-Lehn, in the Lehn pool of Pecos, gassed 24-hour flow of 106.15 barrels of 34.1-gravity oil and gas in the ratio of 1.625-1, after shooting with 60 quarts in pay from 1,685 to 1,725 feet, the total depth.

New Ward Area.
Second test for the New Magnolia-Sealy (South) pool, west of the North Ward field in Ward county, will be drilled by Atlantic at No. 2 University, 660 feet from the north, 662.7 from the east line of section 12, block 16, University survey. It is 1,870 feet northeast of the same firm's No. 1 Wickett-University, discovery producer. Drilling to 3,500 feet with rotary is scheduled to start at once.

In the North Ward pool, Gulf Oil Corporation No. 137 G. W. O'Brien et al flowed 1,242.47 barrels a day upon completion at 2,775 feet following a 225-quart shot in pay topped at 2,675. Oil is 33.3-gravity, and gas-oil ratio figures 1.858-1.

Singer-Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Wirt Davis, Permian test in southeastern Ward, is drilling below 1,262 feet in salt.

An Ordovician test in southeastern Ward, Gulf No. 5 Wristen Brothers, had reamed core-hole to 3,646 feet. Total depth is 3,725 feet.

Gulf No. 141 O'Brien, northern Ward wildcat, is drilling unchanged at 3,176 feet in lime.

Gulf No. 5 M. B. McKnight, western Crane county Ordovician wildcat cored from 7,391 to 7,410 feet and now is drilling ahead at 7,431 feet.

Southern Glascock Wildcat.
Southeast of Garden City in Glascock county, Moore Brothers of Midland No. 1 H. S. Currie is drilling at 3,721 feet in lime, with no change reported.

"Twins Insurance."
Certain New York stores have a "twins insurance" scheme, whereby parents order a complete outfit for one baby and secure duplicate articles free of charge if twins arrive. One store supplied 76 layettes under this arrangement in a single year.

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A fine illustration of a man and a woman in a boat, with a small house in the background.

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Their friend,

W. W. Lankey



July 20, 1940

First Grid Game for State Slated Aug. 10

BY HAROLD V. RATLIFF

AUSTIN, July 27 (AP). — Texas greatest sports show will open unofficially the night of Aug. 10.

It will be almost a month before the Texas Interscholastic League starts its twenty-first football season, but for all purposes the all-star game to be played as the climaxing feature of the eighth annual High School Coaches Association coaching school here marks the beginning of the gridiron campaign.

Because at this school — the world's largest — they'll lay plans for the season and brush upon all the latest strategy.

Seven hundred and seventy-four schools already are enrolled in the league, an increase of 23 over last year and the largest number ever to play football in Texas.

On this list, 104 schools will play under the banner of AA, the highest classification in the league and the only one that goes through to a state title.

This is three more than last season. New members are Burkburnett in district 2, Arlington in district 6 and Beville in district 16. In addition Temple, which was suspended for a season, returns to district 10.

One school, Livingston, has been dropped to lower classification. It plays in Class A district 27.

There also is one change in assignment, with Conroe being transferred to district 14, leaving only Houston schools in district 13.

In Class A this year, where they to regional titles, will be 286 schools, two more than last season.

In Class B, which determines

only bi-district championships, will be 225 schools, two more than in 1939.

In Six-man football, which decides district titles only, will be 129 schools, 18 more than last year.

Records of the league show a remarkable growth over the past four years. There were 621 schools in 1938, meaning that 153 more have enrolled to the present time.

R. J. Kidd, athletic director of the league, attributes this growth to two things: reclassification of schools for football competition to better balance the respective divisions on the basis of comparative strength, and introduction of six-man football in order to give the smaller schools a fair start.

This year finds the 18-year rule in vogue for the Class AA schools for the first time. Class A and B, however, will use the 19-year rule.

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Had From Russia--China's Last Supply Hope

writer, a longtime Y.M.C.A. worker in the Far East is one of the few outsiders to have seen the Russian supply road in the rugged mountains of China.

GEORGE A. FITCH
Special Correspondent.

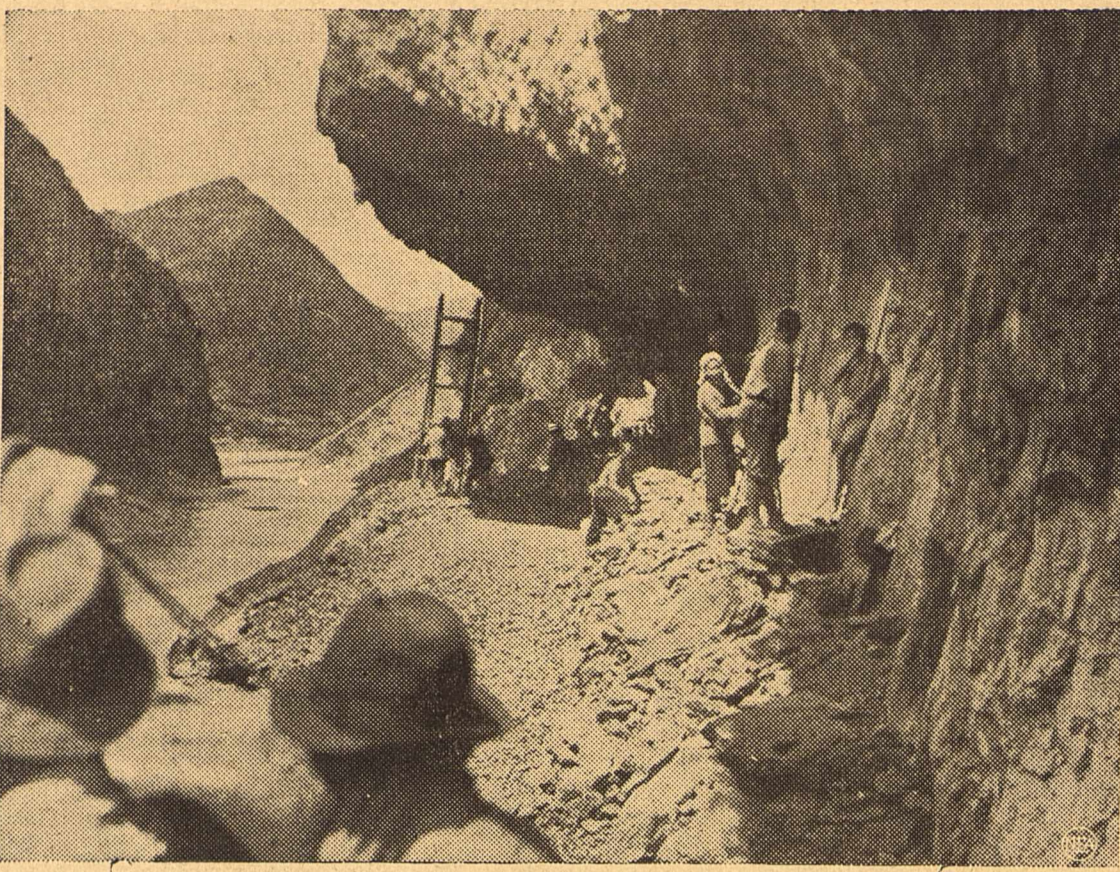
CHUNGKING, China.—With the French Indo-China and Burma choked off by Japanese pressure, all China's supplies from outside the range on the Old Silk Road are up through the inaccessible Northwest into Russia. The route has shrouded the north-trade route. Few westerners get that far into China's interior. The job of inspecting the route has just been turned up into that little-known area. The Russian trucks, saw a way of the road, and learned the events which the Chinese even then putting into effect to supply line.

ROADS PUSH ON ROAD.

road is far from perfect, but month sees improvements. Thousands of men are at the four-day stretch from Lanchow has been surfaced. The first great stage of the route which once contained the "huts" has just been opened. Hundreds of men it took to stone from mountain and one can only guess, but prodigious undertaking for no stone for many miles. The road is some \$18,000,000 (these dollars) have been taken section alone. The soil is "loess," the action of dust swept in from desert. The road has the property of verve so that all roads are deeper and deeper in years, leaving fantastic like young canyons. It is only this property of cleavage, it is also so when rubbed between and forgering it disappears from the skin.

CARRY ON.

ardly Russian trucks, with bus-minded Russian drivers, come in convoys to all the way from the railway, 1500 miles away, days. I talked with some hauffeurs. They had been and 12 hours a day for since they entered China, then at Lanchow, and a thousands miles north of here. The road is in and nghai, this was the far-accessible Northwest. As of fact, Lanchow is practice geographical center of the lies a vast area of "free" which the Japanese have lightest hope of penetrating. The road is in and nghai, this was the far-accessible Northwest. As of fact, Lanchow is practice geographical center of the lies a vast area of "free" which the Japanese have lightest hope of penetrating.



In many places the supply road from Russia cuts through difficult mountain ranges and improvised tunnels must be supported by wooden beams. Accidents are frequent.



George A. Fitch, writer of this article, accepts a gold medal from the Nanking Residents Guild for his work in caring for Chinese refugees after the fall of Nanking.

from the Turk-Sib railway. Trucks would consume nearly all the gasoline they could carry in making the trip, hence they carry their more important loads of munitions, and the gasoline is brought in previously by camel caravan. Breakdowns are frequent, for there are no service stations. Nor are spare tires carried, for they are too scarce and cost too much. A puncture or blowout has to be repaired. There is no place in the world where a "used" tire is worth so much. I have known of \$500 (Chinese currency) being paid for a single used tire in China's Northwest. But it is rain one most fears on

in the Communistic Eighth Route Army area last summer, and I am

"Softies" Complete First Week of Drills In Army Camp to Get Selves "in Shape"

By CHARLES J. WELLNER.

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 27. (AP)—Limping and sore from their first workout, 500 Oklahoma City "softies" grunted their teeth today and prepared for their second week of toughening-up drills.

They are businessmen who backed banker Lyle Barnhart's idea of readying themselves for a possible call to arms.

Donning old clothes, they assembled for their first round of calisthenics this week. Their two-hour drills will continue twice weekly for 29 weeks.

Thirty-four reserve officers, led by Major Henry A. Bootz, a retired army officer, volunteered as instructors.

"Our American way of life has made softies of us," Bootz told the enrollees at their first session.

"Now we must change. Patriotism and flag-waving aren't enough. Patriotism entails sacrifice. We must make this country strong, and no country is any stronger than the men it produces."

The instructors "took it easy" the first night. Many of the "DTC's" thought the "softie" term was a bit strong.

Then came the next day. Most of the "boys" developed kinks and sore spots.

Benjamin Shelley, catering manager of a downtown hotel, and biggest man in the group, figured his 233 pounds made the workout tougher for him

convinced no money or supplies are going from Russia to the Chinese communists.

There is not a single Russian adviser in the entire area, which is only 19 1/2 counties in extent. The Russian supplies coming in over the trade route described are coming to the Central government.

Lanchow is decidedly anti-communist, and is a week's motor journey away from the headquarters of General Chu Teh and his troops. The Eighth Route Army has not a single airplane, and has never had adequate equipment. Much of the time the troops have had to depend on what they captured from the enemy.

Government officials have some reason for their feeling that Russia's aid is more disinterested than that of the western democracies. The latter have made their loans only for goods which must be purchased within their respective countries, and non-military at that. Russia is shipping munitions and airplanes and does so regardless of whether China is able to keep up her exports in turn or not. Probably the most rational explanation is that Russia prefers a stable, independent China to a Japanese-controlled China at her back door.

The number of Soviet mechanics, airplane experts and aides being sent to the Chinese government in Chungking has been greatly overestimated. Instead of 1200, as sometimes reported, there are probably not more than 300. Many are flying planes, or working on regular assignments for the Chiang Kai-Shek government, and none has tarried in so-called communist territory.

than for any of the others.

The day after the first workout, said Shelley, his thigh muscles felt like they had an ironing board in them, his shoulders cringed to the touch, and he had to look down every once in a while to see if someone were jabbing pins in his feet.

The second day, said Shelley, his muscles, particularly those of his legs, scrambled over each other when he walked.

"Outside of the soreness, I feel great," he commented. "This is one of the finest things ever done here. I'm going to continue this program. I'm going to carry right on through."

Frank A. Childers, 38-year-old attorney, declared, "I haven't seen anybody yet who didn't admit it showed us up."

"Personally," he continued, "I think the average man sits behind a desk too much."

Quintin Philpott, 26, investment man, averred: "I feel personally that we all will be called upon eventually to serve our country and I'm glad of a chance to get prepared for it. We did find out we were pretty soft. I was even more sore the second day than the first. We'll be in a damn sight better condition at the end of the 30 weeks than we have been for a good many years."

Banker Barnhart hopes other cities will follow Oklahoma City's plan endorsed by the recent Kiwanis International convention.

Peacetime Draft Dodging Is Studied by Military Group in Event Measure Passed

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, July 27 (AP)—senate military committee went to work today on methods of curbing peacetime draft dodgers under the pending conscription bill.

It studied penalty proposals which would impose five years imprisonment, and fines up to \$10,000 for any man between 18 and 65 who sought to evade compulsory military service if the measure becomes law.

Having decided to recommend passage of the Burke-Wadsworth compulsory service bill in principle, the committee devoted its session yesterday to the question of job security for conscripts who would be called to the colors for a year's

service.

Three amendments were agreed on to protect the civilian jobs of men in the ranks.

The first provides that any employer, now subject to the Wagner labor relations act, would be guilty of unfair labor practice if he willfully refused to reinstate a demobilized conscript. Under this section, a convicted employer could be compelled to reinstate a conscript with back pay.

A second amendment—inserted for employers engaged only in intrastate commerce—holds it to be the "sense of congress" that all conscripts should be given back their old jobs.

The third concerns federal employees alone, and provides that

AMERICAS' ADMINISTRATION OF FOREIGN COLONIES AGREED ON

HAVANA, July 27 (AP).—Agreement among American foreign ministers substantially carrying out United States proposals on the problems of European possessions, economics and subversive activities was announced by authoritative spokesmen late today.

Measures agreed upon for conference adoption provide for immediate creation of machinery to take over any European colonies in the hemisphere and for their temporary administration for the benefit of the possessions themselves and the security of all the American nations.

The foreign ministers, in the preliminary agreement, were said by an authoritative source to have accomplished to a surprising degree their original purpose of strengthening and advancing the republics in resisting threats from other parts of the world.

These sources declared that the conference actions would constitute concrete proof of the unity and determination of the American nations that also would be surprising to nations of Europe and Asia that had looked for and sought failure at this conference.

Economic measures, to be adopted here, this source said, would help all the American nations to become more independent of European customers. They are not designed for retaliation or trade wars with European countries which are willing to trade on a fair basis.

The accepted formula for dealing with European possessions in American regions was said to embrace a declaration of principles, attached

to a resolution providing for immediate action by any American country or countries in the name of all of them, to meet any threat or danger.

Linked to this was a convention to become operative upon ratification by two-thirds of the American governments and establishing in detail the methods of temporary administration over any colonies taken over as a security measure.

The agreement, retaining certain objectives advanced by both the United States and Argentina, was reached at a five-hour meeting of the sub-committee participated in by Secretary Cordell Hull and Leopoldo Melo, chief of the Argentine delegation.

The final proposals, probably including a general declaration of Havana on continental solidarity, were drafted for presentation to the full committee probably tonight.

They are believed to include a sufficient number of points pressed by Argentina, the lone holdout, to meet that country's objections without weakening the specific formula for control of the European-owned possessions.

They are, for instance, expected to affirm the rights of the colonies to decide their own destinies by their own free will, including ultimate independence as long as their actions are compatible with the American determination to keep additional foreign powers from gaining foothold on this continent.

Significantly enough, the sub-committee action was announced by Melo, who had held out against a firm stand regarding colonies be-

cause of his government's fear of offending its pre-war European customers.

Emerging from the conference room for the luncheon recess, Melo wiped his perspiring bald head and declared "American solidarity has triumphed."

He acknowledged the agreement was not all Argentina desired, but he said "we all made concessions."

Hull, closed the prolonged session in the role of both advocate and referee between the divergent groups, kept silent but it was reported reliably he had achieved his primary aims.

These were measures for quick action to meet any emergency arising from European-owned colonies on this side of the Atlantic and the establishment of temporary control over them until they could obtain independence or be returned to their original sovereigns.

"Everything is ironed out perfectly," declared Dr. Miguel Campa, Cuban delegate and ardent champion of inter-American agreement concerning European colonies.

One knotty problem in writing the draft was understood to be the characterization of authority over any colonies which might be taken over by the 21 American republic.

The original projects laid before the sub-committee used the words "tutelage," "joint trusteeship," and "mandate." It was understood the sub-committee discarded them all and substituted the word "administration."

This action apparently was taken to stress that any action would be only temporary.

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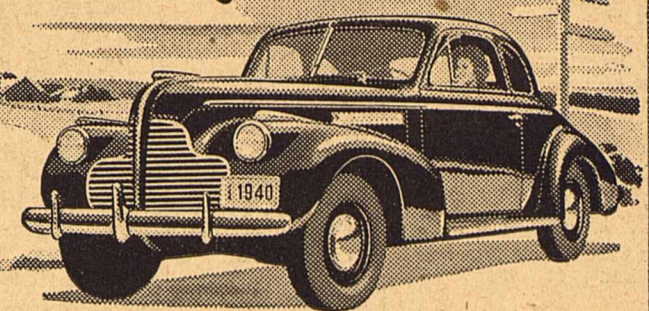
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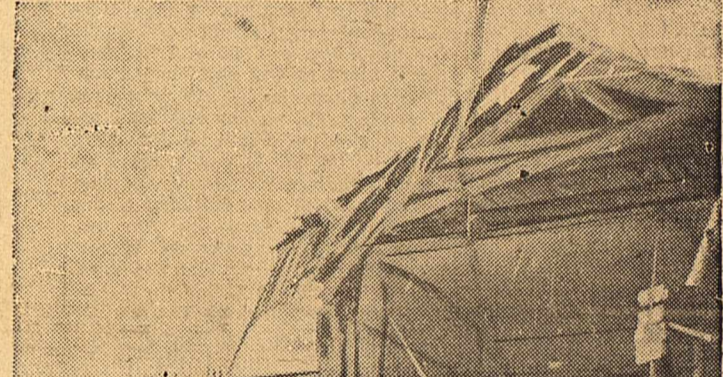
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Japanese Get Tougher, Marines' Colonel Peck Become Tougher Still

beating of New York correspondent Hallett by Japanese gunmen.

to build the arrest of plainclothesmen in a serious incident. World focuses on Col. DeWitt S. Marine commander nghai, who dismisses charges with curt, "ie."

DICK
Staff Correspondent.

WORTH.—"Come to think Peck is a positive fellow..."

comes right out with what he has to say.

It takes a little time for friends and fellow officers to explain the forthrightness of Col. DeWitt Peck, marine corps officer who landed in the headlines when he used strong language to the Japanese in Shanghai.

Ordinarily the 46-year-old Peck is regarded as such a quiet, bookish fellow that his associates are puzzled to find him in his present role, which grew out of the treatment accorded armed Japanese plainclothesmen arrested by U. S. marines.

Colonel Peck has an enviable reputation among his fellow officers as a scholar.

Graduated from Annapolis in 1915, he later took the field officers' course at Quantico, graduated from the army's Chemical Warfare School at Edgewood, the General Staff School at Leavenworth, and the senior Naval War



College at Newport. He was on the teaching staff at Quantico for a while.

Prematurely gray, slender, the colonel stands something under six feet, is amiable but reserved. He is definitely not the dashing military type, but on expeditionary duty in Haiti, Cuba, Nicaragua, and with the A. E. F. in France, he distinguished himself under fire.

He was decorated twice in Nicaragua, received the Victory medal for his part in the battles of St. Mihiel and Meuse-Argonne, has the Marine Corps Expeditionary medal for his service in Haiti and Cuba, and wears the medal of the Purple Heart.

Colonel Peck likes to dance, but is not fond of "society." He'd much rather spend an afternoon in his garden than at the club. When not gardening in his spare time he reads—mostly books on army and navy tactics.

He is fond of dogs and has a pet Spitz. To complete the strong, silent man picture, he smokes a pipe.

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Church of Christ Encampment to Be Held Near Sherman

Members of the Church of Christ in this area are being invited to attend an encampment at Woodlake, north of Sherman, August 5 to 9, or any of its sessions, according to an announcement received by C. C. Brewer, minister of the Lubbock Church of Christ, who is now holding a revival here.

The daily schedule will open with swimming periods, followed by breakfast, then classes, a morning song service and sermon, lunch, quiet hour, recreation, supper, a get-acquainted hour, evening worship and sermon.

C. E. Nichol of Seminole, Oklahoma, is to be the preacher for the encampment, speaking both morning and evening. Charles H. Roberson, head of the Bible department of Abilene Christian College, will teach two courses in New Testament.

Jesse P. Sewell, minister of the Grove Avenue Church of Christ at San Antonio, will have charge of courses in religious education and will speak twice each morning on some phase of religious education. Teachers of his Bible school will conduct demonstration classes for all ages of the Sunday school.

Andie T. Ritchie, Jr., assistant minister of the Central Church of Christ at Nashville, Tennessee, will conduct a course in music and hymn appreciation. Professor and Mrs. W. M. Dowell of the physical education department of Abilene Christian College will be directors of recreation.

The encampment is sponsored by the Walnut Street Church of Christ of Sherman, and its pastor, Dr. A. R. Holton, is general director.

Slips & Spins--

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Texas remains the Wild and Woolly West so, appropriately, a 22 target pistol together with cowboy boots were provided. This, apparently, was a mistake for the club cannot get any work out of this able instructor since the presentation and it is now wondering whether he is going to turn bandit or cow-puncher. (Bet he would be successful at either).

Plans are being formulated to "throw" a "Going-a-Way" party, at Cloverdale on Tuesday afternoon. This affair will be attended by all members, associate members and wives and/or girl or boy friends and it is expected that full attendance of fifty will be in attendance. Plenty of eats and lots of fun have been promised for the occasion and all members are urged to make preparations to attend.

Glancing over recent activities of the club we find that the "Yellow Bomber" has now been in service eight months and has been in the air 511 hours and has covered approximately 35,000 miles. This has alterations and maintenance expense has been negligible. Navigation lights have been purchased and are now being installed on the plane. In addition, a short wave receiver will

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GREEK GOD

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes clues like 'God of manly beauty', 'Eagle's home', 'Mistake', etc.

Continuation of the crossword puzzle grid, including a small portrait of a man in the center.

be added in order that night flying can be started.

It has been decided by club officials to retain the present plane and use same for student and instructional flying and to purchase an additional plane shortly after the first of August. This latter has been an urgent need of the club for some two months but it was decided to pay off the indebtedness on the Cub before tackling an additional string of monthly payments. It now appears that club finances will permit proceeding with these plans at once.

Applications for club associate memberships are now being taken by club officials as it is planned to further expand their activities during the month of September. Nine applications are now on file but it is requested that those interested file written applications, addressed to the Club Secretary in order that the applicant can be contacted as the openings occur.

Cat-Shaped Cheeses. Some authorities say that the phrase "Cheshire cat" originated from the habit of cheeses being molded into the shape of a cat during early times in Cheshire county, England.

Reaping Inevitable Result of Sowing, Teacher Admonishes

Be not deceived, God is not mocked: for whatsoever a man soweth, that shall he also reap. For he that soweth into his own flesh shall of the flesh reap corruption; but he that soweth unto the Spirit, shall of the Spirit reap eternal life.—Gal. 6:7-8.

By R. A. WEAVER.

In this world, and in the world to come, everyone reaps what is sowing to him. Everything due is paid, and what is ours will be received in due season. If we look at life in its entirety, we agree and understand that all things really do work together for good to them who love God. There is an immutable law of compensation that levels everything to a common plane, and every state has its compensating effect. Every moment of attention, every ounce of energy, and every desire contributed toward whatever goal one chooses will have its reward. The reward shall always be in proportion to the contribution we make. No one can cheat us out of our just deserts, and no one can rob us of the heritage that we daily build up in living a life. "We shall all reap in due season if we faint not." This is a statement of the immutable law of life. Some time, some where, you will get all that is coming to you. Hence, it is of the utmost importance to you to wisely choose the kind of life to live—the things to which you shall devote your thinking; the kind of thoughts you shall entertain and the kind of thoughts you shall originate out of the abundance of your heart; and the words that you shall speak out of the same source. If one sows to the Spirit, of the Spirit one shall reap life eternal—here and now and forever after. To reap eternal life daily and eternally is the goal of every church, every student and every organization striving to solve the many problems of humanity.

It is the existence of the soul, awakening to consciousness and attaining fuller and nobler self-expression, which alone gives unity to and justifies the existence of human life. Many answers have been given to the question, Why are we here? And the problem is difficult because one answer alone will not suffice, because so many ends are fulfilled in humanity—namely, beauty, utility, truth, love and happiness, and all the vocations and arts—the expansion of all that is noblest in heart and mind. But all this is incomplete without the spiritual, and all these ends are insufficient to account for the suffering we endure and the hopes we cherish of continued existence.

Christ came into the world to reveal the Father that all men everywhere might have life and abundance. Neither life nor abundance may be had without seeking it at the source. The source is the Spiritual value. "Seek first the Kingdom of God and all these other things shall be added unto you."

Nothing can be reaped which has not first been sown. Whatever has been sown must be reaped. It is the law of God and God cannot be cheated, defrauded or robbed. The things spoken in secret will some day be shouted from the house tops. Bad pennies always show up, and chickens come home to roost. It is easy to beat the rap, pass the buck and cover up in a world of competition; but every idle word will some day become alive and testify, and every person shall be forced to give an account for the deeds done in the flesh.

That which is sown to the flesh shall blossom and bear fruit. Pleas-

Church Services

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH. John E. Pickering, Minister. H. G. Bedford, Supt. of Bible School. Billy Noble, Director of Music.

9:45 a.m. Bible school. 10:50 a.m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper. 11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on the theme, "The Eternal Goodness of God."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH. W. C. Hinds, Pastor.

9:45 a.m. Church school. 11:00 a.m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a sermon on the theme, "Eight Planks in the Platform."

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge.

9:45 a.m. Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade. 11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor. Mrs. Jimmie Brooke will sing "The Lord's Prayer" as a special number.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH. H. D. Bruce, Pastor.

9:45 a.m. Sunday school. 10:55 a.m. Worship service. 6:45 p.m. Training union. 8:00 p.m. Evening worship.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH. 502 E. Illinois.

Chas. B. Hedges, Pastor. 10:00 a.m.—Sunday school. 11:00 a.m. Preaching service. 2:00 p.m.—Radio program over KRLH.

8:00 p.m.—Preaching service. 8:00 p.m.—Wednesday—Prayer meeting. The public is invited.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH. T. H. Graalman, Pastor.

Services will be held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Seventh-Day Adventist church, West Pennsylvania and Loraine streets, at 2:30 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

MEN'S CLASS.

The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.

The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

"Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 28.

The Golden Text is: "O God, my heart is fixed, I will sing and give praise, even with my glory. For thy mercy is great above the heavens; and thy truth reacheth unto the clouds" (Psalms 108:1, 4).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "And it shall come to pass in the last days, that the mountain of the Lord's house shall be established in

ures, slothfulness and lust, when sown will have a harvest, but the harvest perishes with the body. All that is expended to glorify the body is reaped by the reaper with scythe and hour-glass. The sum total of returns on the investment is a corpse.

There is a world where one may live and rise above the forces of evil and worldliness. It is possible to "Dwell in the secret place of the Most High and abide in the shadow of the Almighty," while living a normal life.

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the top of the mountains, and shall be exalted above the hills; and all nations shall flow unto it. . . And he shall judge among the nations, and shall rebuke many people; and they shall beat their swords into plowshares, and their spears into pruninghooks; nation shall not lift up sword against nation, neither shall they learn war any more" (Isaiah 2:2, 4).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Eternal Truth is changing the universe. As mortals drop off their mental swaddling-clothes, thought expands into expression. 'Let there be light,' is the perpetual demand of Truth and Love, changing chaos into order and discord into the music of the spheres" (page 255).

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST.

Corner of South Colorado and California streets. Lord's Day services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

TRINITY CHURCH. (Protestant Episcopal). Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge.

Sunday school. 11:00 a.m. Lay readers' service.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD. 510 South Baird. John Wharton, Pastor.

10:00 a. m.—Sunday School. 11:00 a. m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.

7:30 p. m.—Church service. Sermon by pastor.

7:30 p. m. Tuesday—Young people's service.

7:30 p. m. Friday—Prayer meeting.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH. West Pennsylvania and Loraine.

Lee Carter, Pastor. Saturday Services—Sabbath School, 10 a. m. Preaching, 11 a. m. 8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

NAOMI CLASS.

The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer.

HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal). O. W. Roberts, Pastor.

10:00 a. m. Sunday school. 11:00 a. m. Preaching service.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH (Roman Catholic). Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor.

8:00 a. m. Early morning mass for Spanish speaking people. 10:00 a.m. Mass and benediction for English speaking people. 7:30 p.m. each Monday. Perpetua novena service.

GOSPEL HALL. 500 S. Loraine St. J. D. Jackson, Pastor.

10:00 a.m. Bible study. 11:00 a.m. Preaching service. 8:15 p.m. Preaching service.

CHURCH OF CHRIST. West Tennessee and North "A" Sts. C. C. Morgan, Minister. Program For The Week.

Lord's Day Bible study, 10:00 a.m. Sermon and Lord's Supper, 10:50 a.m.

Radio sermon, KRLH 2:45 to 3:00 p.m. Young People's Bible class, 7:00 p.m.

Evening worship, 8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Mid-week Bible study and song drill, 8:00 p. m.

Saturday—Every one invited to these services.

remains steadfast, and assurance abounds, and in the midst of a changing world this person can say: "I stay my haste, I make delays, For what avails this eager pace? I stand amid Eternal ways, And what is mine will know my face?"

Armless Angler Floats To Safety From Plunge

WAPAKONETA, O. (U.P.) — Al Winemiller, armless as result of a hunting accident, used his muscles and his head to save himself from drowning in nearby Indiana Lake.

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Eight Thirty and Challedon Down For Five at Spa

By NEA Service. NEW YORK—The Saratoga stakes book shows that Eight Thirty and Challedon are named for five races in Spa in August.

The two could meet in Wilson, the Saratoga Handicap, Merchants and Citizens, Whitney and Saratoga Cup.

The Wilson, Whitney and Cup are at weight-for-age . . . the type of race sporting owners such as Geo. D. Widener and William M. Bram might prefer.

Grid Giants Obtain Baker, McLaughry Tulsa Pushes Into

By NEA Service. NEW YORK—Whit Baker and John McLaughry signed with the New York Giants of the National League of Professional Football Clubs.

Baker was a phenomenal ball carrier at Cornell. McLaughry, son of Coach Tuss McLaughry, bucked opposing lines and backed up that of Brown.

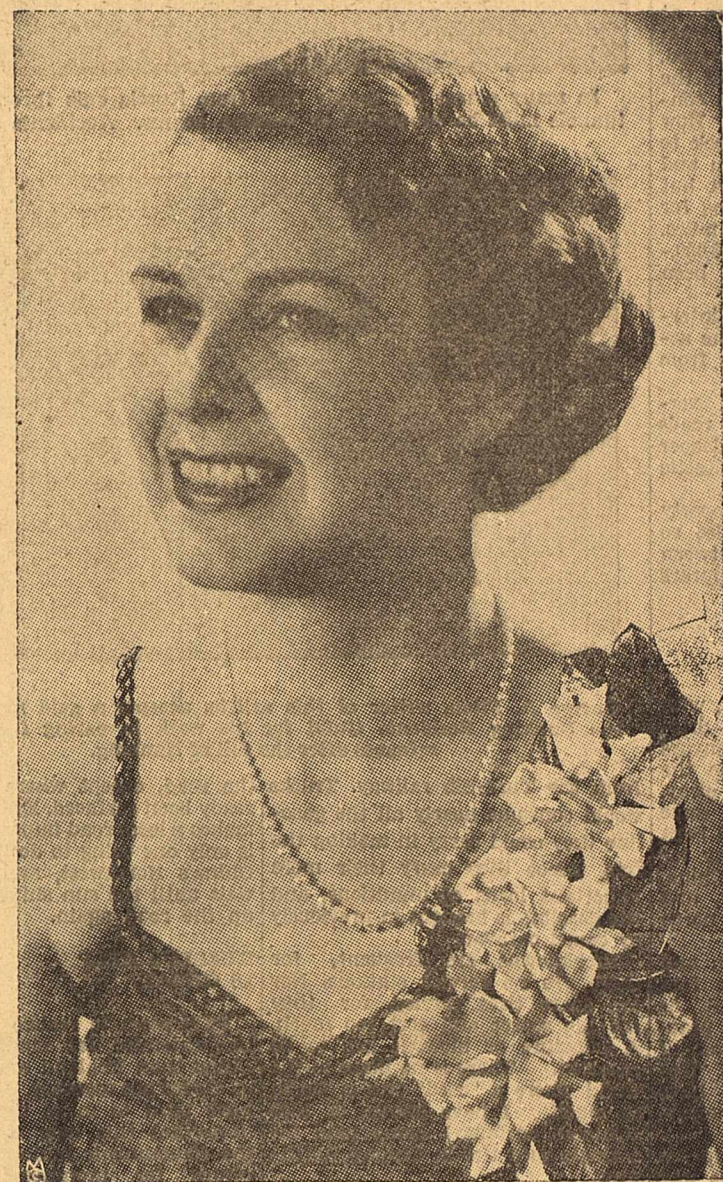
When in full wing, a bee's flight is much faster than that of a bird.

Sees States With Rodeo; Now He'll See the World

By NEA Service. ST. CHARLES, Ill.—Ken Carlson, St. Charles high school basketball captain of last season, traveled through all 48 states with a rodeo yet didn't lose his desire to wander. He signed for a six-year term in the navy.

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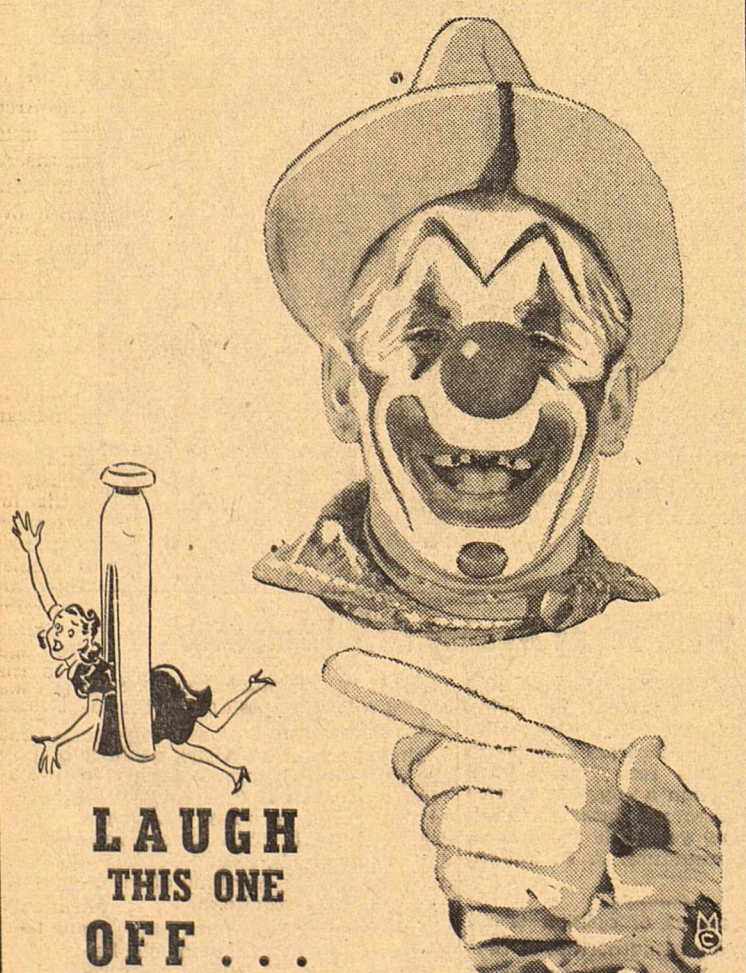
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CLIPPER WINGS OVER ALASKA

Photo shows the Mendenhall glacier as seen from the Alaska Clipper, and illustrates four physical aspects of Alaska—ice, mountains, forest, and morass.

Sherman Montrose, of the NEA Service San Francisco Bureau, Service San Francisco Bureau, rode the clipper plane inaugurating regular service to Alaska. In this article he tells of the flight, and of the amazing jump from dogsled to plane in the northland.

BY SHERMAN MONTROSE
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

JUNEAU, Alaska.—Clipper wings now shorten to seven hours the time gap between Uncle Sam's richest territorial procession and his mainland.

To Alaskans a dream is fulfilled. Air service linking "outside" with the land of Robert Service and Jack London is established with the opening of regular passenger and mail flights between Seattle, Ketchikan, and Juneau.

Four motors lift a Sikorsky clipper from Lake Washington in Seattle and you're off on a great flying adventure. Out through the straits of Juan de Fuca, over the Pacific to skirt international complications. Yes, that Vancouver Island down at our right, and Vancouver Island in Canada, and Canada is at hand. But all that seems very remote.

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Originally projected in 1932, it wasn't until defense expediency cut the strings of international complications that this "all American" route over U. S. land and international water was put into operation.

Until its inauguration slow travel by boat through the tortuous inland passage was the only method of transportation between Pacific coast cities and Alaska. But closing of this aerial gap marks only a stop-gap service to Alaska.

When winter sets in marine flying will be impractical as early as October and flying boats will have to be housed until spring. Next development in air schedules is the highspeed service from Seattle direct to Fairbanks, 1700 miles distance.

Four-engined supercharged land-plane clippers, flying at high altitudes, will hurdle this distance non-stop over international waters or U. S. territory. In all Alaska there isn't an airport capable of handling that size craft right now. In a few months, with the army's defense program underway, there may be.

ONE JUMP TO AVIATION

WHIRLING propeller blades have played an important part in the development of Alaska, singing a song of mastery over some of the most difficult terrain in the world. In a land with less than 3000 miles of highways open only a part of the year, with one operating railroad and scattered travel by boat, everyone matches the challenge of transportation with the airplane.

Ever since Carl Ben Eilsen brought his old "Jenny" here in 1932, the story of Alaska's progress has been the saga of the airplane. The old slow, uncomfortable travel by dog team and boat is outmoded.

Everyone travels by air during

the winter months. Trappers, off to lonely trappings for a winter's yield of fur, charter a plane, often load dog team and sled aboard with traps and supplies, land a few hours later at their headquarters camp or on a lake.

Months later the same plane drops in with fresh supplies, loads aboard a catch of furs and is off to the next camp.

Sportsmen, hunters, fishermen, miners, trappers, fur and mineral buyers, prospectors and businessmen charter a plane as nonchalantly as the average resident of the states hires a taxi.

Accomplishment of all this has not been easy.

While weather along the southeastern coast is mild the year-round, winter sets in with a bang in the interior during October, the mercury starts a swift slide to the season's low of 60 or 70 degrees below zero. In April temperatures start their climb to a possible 90.

ALASKANS GET AROUND

A LAND of rugged mountains, dense forests, swampy morasses, Alaska knows no natural landing fields. Only flying boats or pontoon planes can set down on its myriad lakes in summer. Ski-equipped ships conquer ice and snow in winter.

To provide year-round operation airports had to be hacked out of forests, stumps uprooted, and land smoothed or built up from tundra.

But airports have been built—more than 100 of them in Alaska's 600,000 square miles. Many of them, however, are available only in the summer months. Pan American Airways, through its Pacific Alaska Airways, operates 15 small airports, approximately the same number of weather and radio stations for its 2125-mile schedules.

Today there are more than 100 planes in the territory, virtually all of them small charter ships.

Alaskans get around on their airlines. Last year nearly 20,000 passengers flew more than 2,000,000 miles in the territory. When you remember that the population is

Livestock Market

FORT WORTH, July 27 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle: Week's top mature steers 9.75, grassers 8.50, best yearling steers and heifers 10.00; practical top cows 6.00; few bulls over 5.50 at close, early top 6.00; slaughter calves up to 9.50; bulk 8.50 down.

Hogs: Top 6.30 paid for good and choice 175-275 lb. weights; good 150-170 lb. averages 5.75-6.65; packing sows 4.75-5.25.

Sheep: Closing bulk spring lambs 6.25 and 6.50; early week's top 7.50; yearlings mostly 5.50-7.50; top 6.00; two year old wethers 4.50 down, aged wethers 3.50-7.50.

Texas Today

By The Associated Press

Echoes this summer from beyond the cedarbrakes and cypress of tall grass and great stretches of green-clay pastures become gracious realities to the observant passerby. This fortunate condition is due primarily to generous rainfall, but the lasting good of the moisture would have been nullified without the soil conservation West Texas ranchmen and farmers are employing to make their lands more fruitful. But much remains to be done.

Recently, 200 delegates and visitors to the National Range conference of the Agricultural Adjustment made a 700-mile, three-day tour of the Texas range country. When he returned to his office at A&M College, John McCully of the Administration's staff in Texas, set down his observations of the trip.

The members of the party "saw the best and the worst—that West Texas has to offer in ranching," writes Mr. McCully.

They waded through grass knee-high and still growing, and they passed through sparsely covered and bare land.

They stood atop a hill and looked out over a great system of 450 spreader dams, saw the grass growing luxuriously where the dams had spread water and they passed spots where water rushes out of the hills when it rains, flooding the roads and going to waste with nothing to divert it to good use.

On a rainy day they inspected contour furrowing work and got a first-hand view of the furrows holding the water.

They marveled at grass two-feet high in pastures where cedar has been eradicated, and they noticed in adjoining pastures the cedars had completely eliminated the grass.

They saw pastures covered with a dense growth of prickly pear, and they watched workmen with arsenic pentoxide sprays killing pear to make way for grass.

Yes, they saw the best and the worst, but they were impressed with the intensity and productivity of Texas ranges, the possibilities for restoring to palatable grasses the depleted ranges and the new grass on ranges already restored. They saw sleek Hereford cattle, getting fat on land which hardly seemed capable of producing food value. They even remarked that "these ranchmen must have had these cattle on feed for months getting them ready to show off," but they knew better.

Texas ranges were on display and they made good. In Madland county the delegation made a short tour of inspection to the Van Huss ranch soon after a rain. The rain made it possible for the visitors to better understand the value of contour furrowing. Along a draw, contour furrowing picks up the water and puts it to use where, otherwise, it would go roaring down the draw.

The next day in Jeff Davis county the tourists drove through the George Jones ranch. Standing on top of a hill they looked out over a valley through which the water from the mountains used to rush towards the Rio Grande. Today, however, even the heaviest rains and the mightiest rushes of water are brought almost to a standstill. The water winds its way slowly through the valley and is absorbed into the soil which is well covered with grass brought to life by the additional moisture.

"I don't want any dirty water washing on my friend's pasture next to me, so I just build spreader dams and terraces and such, and corkscrew it around over my land until it soaks in," said George Jones, owner of the ranch on which 450 spreader dams control the water.

North of Del Rio in Val Verde county, the travelers stopped off on the Roger Gillis ranch to see a huge stock water tank which never goes dry but stores water to furnish a constant supply for the cattle on the ranch.

A few miles along the road they stopped again, this time to watch workmen on the Whitehead-Wardlow ranch spray prickly pear with arsenic pentoxide. Gillis told them of the struggles the ranchmen had trying to find an effective means of killing the pear and their final victory in the discovery of the arsenic pentoxide solution. But even then the battle was not won, for another great search was necessary to find a metal container which would withstand the corrosive effects of the solution.

Today millions of acres of prickly pear have been eradicated but millions more remain, destroying the grass and troubling, even killing, the sheep. But the fight goes on. The determination of the ranchmen to kill the pestiferous growth and the cooperation of the AAA and other agencies in the fight are bearing fruit.

Another pest and another battle was observed in Kimble county where cedar trees mass in dense growths on what otherwise is excellent rangeland. On the T. F. P. Love ranch the traveler conference drove through grass two feet tall

where cedar had been eradicated. On the other side of the fence they could see the bare ground beneath the thickly bunched cedar trees. Here, too, the ranchmen and the AAA were cooperating to eliminate a destroyer of grass.

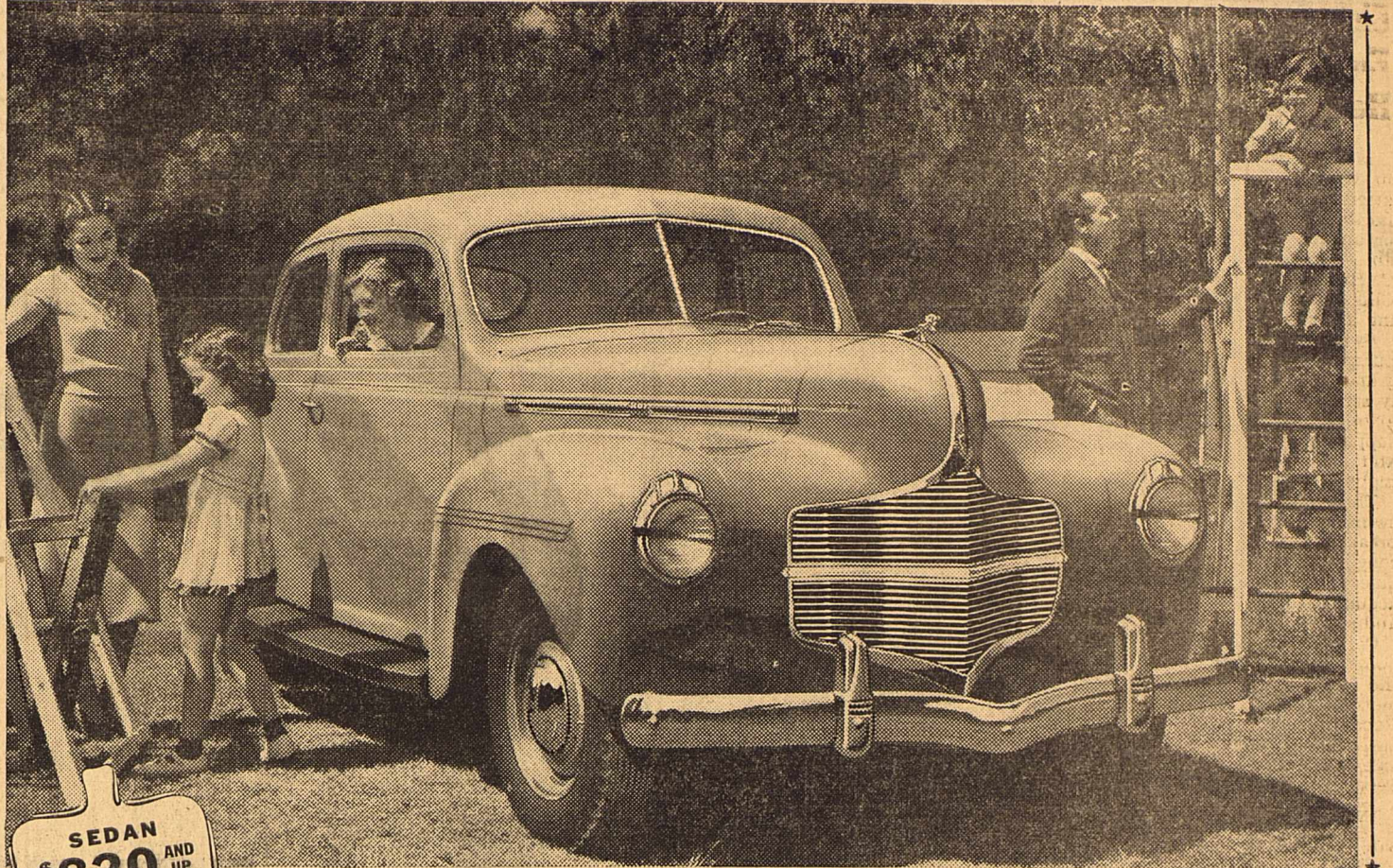
The visitors saw these and, many more, examples of the fight to conserve the range. They heard how the AAA for the past three years has been implementing the work of the Extension Service and Experiment Station with funds to assist in conservation which those agencies have advocated and taught for years.

In Texas 95 per cent of the ranchmen are cooperating with the AAA's range conservation program. Annually they earn from 5 to 6 million

dollars for adopting range conservation practices, but they spend hundreds of thousands of dollars in addition to what the AAA pays them for conservation work.

"We know the job must be done," the ranchmen say, "and we've always known it. The big problem has been to find the money with which to do it. Since the government has been helping us, we've doubled and tripled the productivity of our ranges and we spend more than our range-building allowances because we realize the value of the work."

The visiting ranchmen from 16 other range states heard and approved, because their situation is the same as the situation of the ranchmen in Texas. Their problems might be different, but their



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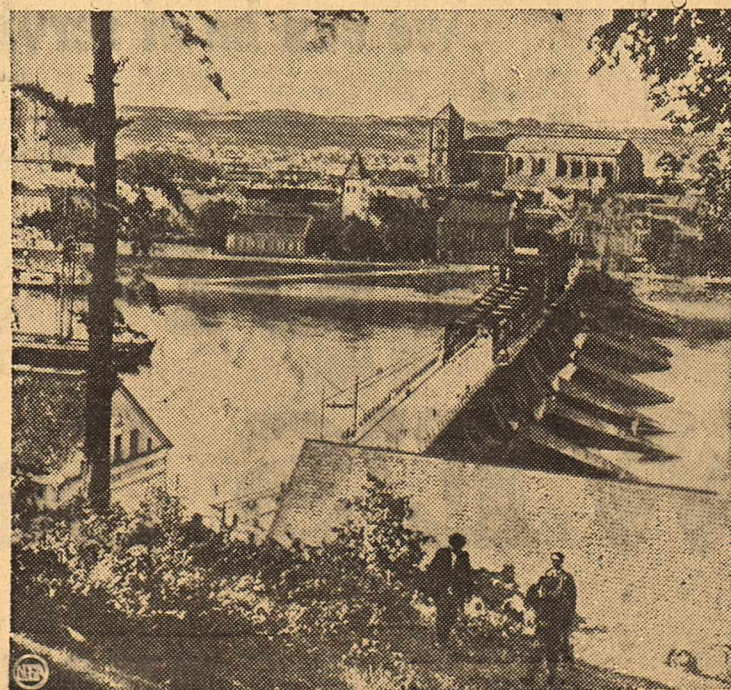
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