

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

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Eighteen Perish In Schooner Disaster O'Daniel Takes Oath Of Office Before 10,000 Persons Britain Hurls Might Against Tobruk

Releases Major Drive On 30,000 Besieged Troops

Italians Strike Back In Albania While Rumania Foments With Disorders
By The Associated Press.
Britain's desert army launched a major attack today on 30,000 Italian troops in the besieged fortress of Tobruk, Libya, British general headquarters announced; while in the Balkans, bloody street fighting and bombings were reported in Bucharest and other Rumanian cities.

The Italians launched a strong counter attack in Albania, Greek reports said.
The attack on Tobruk, 80 miles from the Egyptian border, started this morning and was reported "proceeding satisfactorily."
The Italian high command had previously noted "increased artillery action around Tobruk" and acknowledged that RAF bombers had raked the fortress, causing "material damage."
Other developments brought a quickening tempo to the international situation:
In Rome, foreign observers expressed belief that Adolf Hitler and Benito Mussolini, in their secret meeting yesterday, agreed on a plan to get France's cooperation in the war against Britain—by direct action if necessary.

To Insure 1941 Victory
In Berlin, informed Nazi quarters came up with a belated explanation that the prime motive of the Hitler-Mussolini conference was to insure a 1941 victory over England.
Action supporting belief that Germany is now concentrating on an attempt to force the surrender was reported by Hitler's high command, disclosing that Nazi planes attacked airports on the Mediterranean island yesterday for the second successive day.

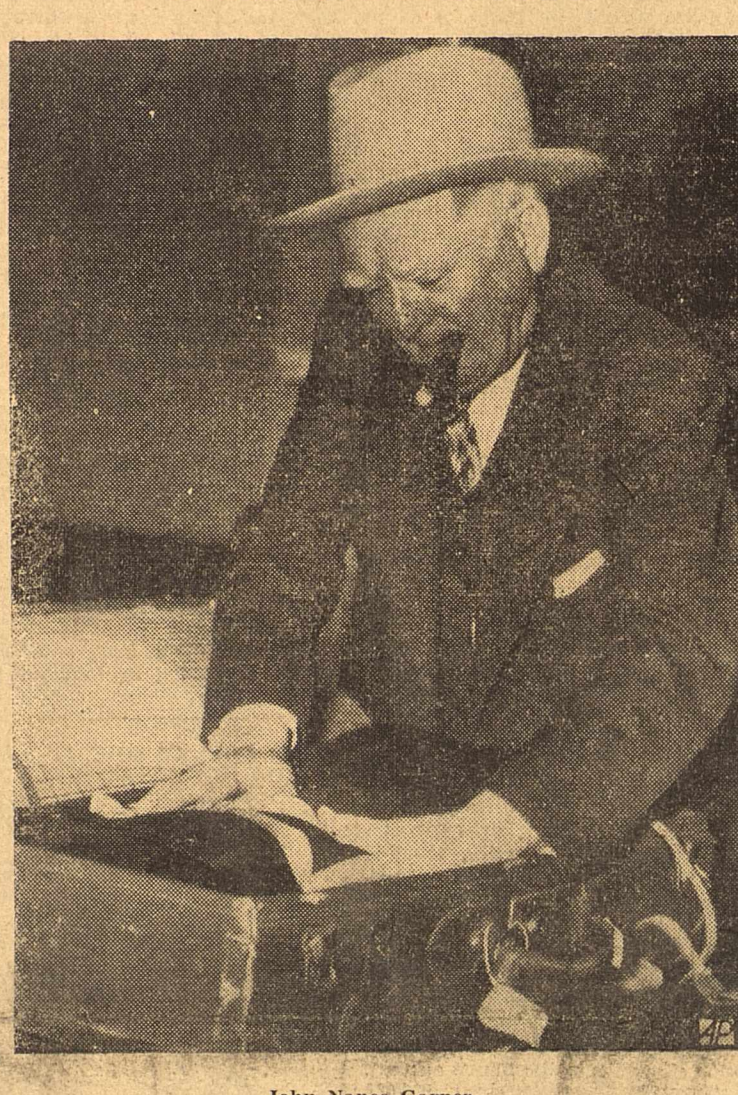
Britain's African army, striking along a 2,000-mile front, was reported driving a wedge into Italian Eritrea, attacking Ethiopia and Somaliland and tightening its siege lines around Tobruk in Libya.
Military observers in London expressed belief that General Wavell, British Middle East commander, had given the order for a stepped-up offensive to shatter Italy's African empire before German aid, recently extended to the Mediterranean, could become effective.
The Green high command claimed "local successful operations" in the Albanian war front resulting in the capture of additional Italian prisoners, and reported repulse of an Italian bombing attack on Piraeus, port of Athens.

Kennedy Declares Britain Is Divided On U. S. In War

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Joseph P. Kennedy, retiring ambassador to Great Britain, declared today that Britain's leadership was divided over the question of the advisability of the United States becoming an active participant in the war.
Testifying before the House Foreign Affairs Committee, Kennedy said, in response to questions, that some members of the British government felt that if the United States entered the war it would "find a way to carry it through."
Others, he said, believed that United States entrance into the war would be a great detriment to Britain's war effort because it would slow down the flow of material aid from America.

Divided On U. S. Entry
The carefully dressed diplomat, who reported he went through more than 280 air raids during his service in England, told the committee that many people in the British government felt they were not yet getting all the aid they might normally have expected from the United States.
Kennedy appeared before the committee to testify on the administration's proposal for lease-lend aid to the British. In a radio address last week he expressed favor for the principle of giving the British all aid short of war but made it clear he was not wholly in accord with the methods put forward by President Roosevelt.

Garner Packs To Go Home



John Nance Garner. His part in the inauguration over Mr. John Nance Garner who gave up his title of vice president to Henry A. Wallace went back to his hotel room alone and packed his suitcase preparatory to leaving for his Texas home. His retirement from office marked the end of a 38-year career in the capitol.

Stanolind Buys 220-Acre Lease In Ward Silurian Area For \$187,000 Cash And Oil From Midland Owners

By Frank Gardner
Oil Editor
John F. Shipley, Midland oil operator, announced today that he and associates have consummated a \$187,000 lease deal with Stanolind Oil & Gas Company involving 220 acres one-half mile southeast of Gulf Oil Corporation No. 5 Wristen Brothers, Southeastern Ward County deep discovery and first Silurian producer in Texas.
Shipley et al sold Stanolind the east quarter and the southwest 60 acres of the north quarter of section 3, block 5, H.&T.C. survey, for \$100 an acre in cash and \$750 an acre to be paid out of one-eighth of gross production. No drilling obligation obtains, despite reports to the contrary.
However, lease expires July 19, 1944, and it is probable that Stanolind plans immediate development of the properties. The lease adjoins to the southeast section 18, block 5, in which the Gulf discovery is located.

Gulf No. 6 Wristen, Tract A, east off-set to the Silurian strike, is, drilling past 574 feet in red rock. **Cedar Lake Outcrop High.**
Anhydrite was topped at 1,980 feet, datum of plus 1,117, by San Andres Production Company of Lubbock No. 1-A J. C. Johnson, south outcrop to the Cedar Lake pool of Northeastern Gaines County. The marker occurred 29 feet higher than in Stanolind No. 1 A. L. Green, closest producer, one mile due north of the San Andres test. No. 1-A Johnson halted drilling at 1,990 feet and is preparing to set and cement 8 5/8-inch casing.
In the Seminole pool, Central Gaines, Amerasia Petroleum Corporation, No. 1 Lamb was completed at 5,305 feet for natural daily potential of 793.28 barrels of 34.3-gravity oil and gas-oil ratio of 511-1. The well topped pay at 5,096 feet.
In the M Bar gas area of Southern Andrews, Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2 M Bar is drilling lime and chert at 5,336 feet. Phillips No. 1 University-Andrews is drilling below 5,167 feet in lime.

Heiner Unchanged.
With no more staining evident since 5,510 feet, Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. of Midland No. 1 Mary Heiner, Northern Pecos County deep well, this morning was drilling at 5,576 feet. Hole is making about (See OIL NEWS, Page 2)

Stevenson Enters Term Previous To Principal Event

Guardsmen Give 19-Gun Salute And Spectators Cheer Governor Loudly
AUSTIN, Jan. 21 (AP).—Before thousands massed in front of the capitol, Governor W. Lee O'Daniel today was inaugurated for a second term.
With his hand on an ancient Bible, O'Daniel repeated the official oath after James P. Alexander, chief justice of the state supreme court.

A 19-gun salute by a battery of National Guardsmen boomed and nine planes of the same military organization roared overhead.
The Texas Aggie 100-piece band played the governor's own famous composition, "Beautiful Texas," while a huge party of state officials stood on the bunting-draped platform.
A short time previously Coke Stevenson of Junction was also inaugurated for a second time as Lieutenant Governor.
The governor spoke the words of the oath in firm tones, with head erect and eyes straight ahead, looking out over a broad vista of green capitol grounds, studded with historic statuary.

Crowd Much Smaller
The crowd numbered possibly 10,000, compared with 50,000 which witnessed his first inauguration in the football stadium of the University of Texas two years ago.
The crowd could not compare in size with many which gathered to hear the governor during his campaign tours, and it seemed very quiet and unadventurous.
Senator Clay Cotten of Palestine, President Pro Tempore of the Senate, introduced Senator Jesse Martin of Fort Worth, who in turn presented the governor for his inaugural address.
O'Daniel began talking at 12:48 p. m.
There was loud cheering when O'Daniel was introduced for his speech. A band played "God Bless America."
Governor O'Daniel said there was (See O'DANIEL, Page Two)

George Heath Signs Three-Year Contract To Head Schools Here

George A. Heath today signed a formal contract with the school board to become superintendent of Midland schools effective July 1.
Heath, now school superintendent at White Deer, drove to Midland early today and returned to White Deer after a brief visit here. The contract is for three years.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

Scotland Yard Closes Communist Paper.
LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP).—Scotland Yard detectives today raided the offices of the Daily Worker, organ of the Communist party in Great Britain, and stopped publication just as the paper was going to press.

Kennedy Is Against Present Lease-Lend Bill.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP).—Joseph P. Kennedy, the retiring ambassador to London, said flatly today that he was "against" the lease-lend bill for aid to Britain "in its present form."

U. S. Makes German Flag Protests Public.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP).—Germany's "most emphatic protest" over the Nazi flag incident in San Francisco last Saturday and its request for punishment of those persons responsible was made public by the state department today along with its formal expression of regret.

Rumania's Iron Guard Shakes Up Cabinet.
BERLIN, Jan. 21 (AP).—A shake-up in Rumania's Iron Guard cabinet, displacing General George Petrovicescu as interior minister, was ascribed by DNB, German official news agency, today to the assassination of a German staff officer in Bucharest. The agency quoted a Rumanian communique as saying the post had been taken by General Demeter Popesco, military commander of Bucharest.

Churchill, Hopkins Visit Naval Station



Harry Hopkins. Harry Hopkins (right), President Roosevelt's special envoy to London, talks with Prime Minister Winston Churchill on a visit to a British northern naval station.

Rumania Turns Into Scene Of Disorders

Federal Intervention Halts Strike Of CIO Workers Set 7 a. m.
SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 21 (AP).—Federal intervention halted for at least 12 hours a strike of CIO workers set for 7 a. m. (PST) today at the Ryan Aeronautical Company, builder of military training planes.
Richard Frankenstein, chief negotiator for the United Automobile Workers, said he had agreed to extend the union's strike deadline until 7 p. m., at the request of Dr. John Steelman, national director of conciliation, and John Owen of the national defense commission office.
The postponement was effected in a four-way telephone conversation between Frankenstein, Owen, Steelman and Harry Malcom, federal conciliator here.
The extension indicated the groups were not far apart on the issue of wages, chief obstacle to a settlement. Malcom had stated earlier that "Washington might intervene" if there was a definite indication that additional time might bring peace.

CLYDE PORTER ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL
Clyde Porter was able to leave Western Clinic Hospital after treatment for influenza.

Worst New England Tragedy Since 1927 Claims All But Five Of Crew As May E. O'Hara Rams Into Barge

One By One Victims Fall From Rigging Into Sea, Their Hands Frozen; Trawler North Star Rescues Survivors After Hearing Faint Cries
By The Associated Press.
BOSTON, Jan. 21 (AP).—Eighteen men drowned today, almost within sight of their homes, as the Boston schooner May E. O'Hara, homeward bound from a week on the fishing banks, was split open in a collision as it approached Boston Harbor, and sank.
Five half-frozen survivors who were dragged to safety from the protruding mainmast of the sunken schooner by the crew of the trawler North Star told their rescuers that the O'Hara apparently had struck a barge and that the remainder of the crew of 23 had fallen from the rigging, one by one, as their hands froze.

C. B. Ponder Dies In Hospital Here; Rites Tomorrow

C. B. "Charlie" Ponder, 57, veteran West Texas peace officer, died last night at 10:15 p. m. in a Midland hospital.
He was shot accidentally Dec. 3 when his pistol discharged.
Ponder died of complications which followed the accident, members of his family said. He returned to the hospital last Wednesday.
Funeral services will be held at 10:00 a. m. tomorrow at Barrow Funeral Chapel with the Rev. W. C. Hinds, officiating. Interment will be in Fairview Cemetery.
Survivors are: his mother, Mrs. Sallie Ponder, Sulphur Springs; his widow, Mrs. Ivy Belle Ponder of Midland; five sisters, Mrs. E. M. Ferrell, Midland, Mrs. C. T. Mote, Sulphur Springs, Mrs. W. W. Russell, Dallas, Mrs. Lula Lamb, Vernon, and Mrs. Harold Beard, Lindale; four brothers, L. H. "Bud" Ponder, Sulphur Springs, Robert Ponder, Sweetwater, Willie Ponder, Sulphur Springs, and Eugene Ponder, Dallas; two daughters, Mrs. Al Jordan, Graham, and Mrs. Jim Moore, Odessa; and three sons, Ardie Ponder, Midland, Walton Ponder, San Diego, Calif., and Odell Ponder, Midland.

Five grandchildren also survive. They are: James Moore, Odessa, William Harris Ponder, Midland, Charles Rae Ponder, Midland, Frances Jordan, Graham, and Wanda Lou Moore, Odessa.
Charles Brewer Ponder came to Midland in 1923. He served as city marshal, constable, and deputy sheriff. He had been a peace officer since 1925.
He was born in 1883 at Sulphur Springs. In 1906 he married Ivy Belle Williamson at Park Springs, near Sulphur Springs. Ponder engaged in farming and operated a grocery store in Sulphur Springs before moving to Midland.
Pall bearers at services tomorrow will be: Ed Darnell, Fisher Pollard, J. B. Hoskins, T. R. Wilson, Neal D. Staton, Merritt F. Hines, H. H. Woody, and Barney Greathouse.
Honorary pall bearers will be: J. C. Roberts, Sr., A. C. Francis, Elliott H. Barron, B. C. Cirdley, Fred Wemple, Percy Mims, Donald Hutt, Tyson Midkiff, Addison Wadley, Tom Hurt, Joe Youngblood, and George Phillips.
Ponder was a member of the Methodist Church.

Wardlaw Says Higher Taxes Are Necessary
SPOKANE, Wash., Jan. 21 (AP).—Higher taxes should be imposed to meet the cost of the national defense program, the National Wool Growers Association was warned today by its retiring president, C. B. Wardlaw of Del Rio, Texas.
"While there will be much complaint about increased taxation, x x take into consideration what is being done in other countries and be thankful we live in a free country and be willing to make any sacrifice necessary to keep freedom in this country," he urged in an address opening the organization's 76th convention.

Episcopalians Will Meet Here In 1942
The 1942 annual convocation of the North Texas district of the Episcopal Church and its women's auxiliary will be held in Midland next January. More than 125 delegates will come here for the two-day program. The exact dates will be set later.
Mr. and Mrs. John P. Butler and Mrs. Don Sivals attended the 1941 convocation at Sweetwater Sunday and Monday. Bishop E. C. Seaman of Amarillo was in charge of the sessions.

Former Residents From Houston
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blalock of Houston are visiting here. They formerly lived in Midland and on their ranch southeast of the city.

Council Asks For Less Auto Deaths

The Midland Safety Council last night endorsed enforcement of stop-sign regulations in the city and announced it would co-operate in helping to maintain a traffic-death minimum record in Midland.
A nominating committee of Mrs. F. R. Wallace and Mrs. R. C. Conkling will name a president to replace Mrs. S. A. Debnam, resigned. The new president will be named at a monthly meeting Feb. 4.
Mrs. Conkling is secretary of the organization.
The council also voted to sponsor safety programs in the schools. Berte Haigh and Mrs. Conkling will arrange the program.
A safety film, "You Bet Your Life," was shown at the meeting last night by Leroy Wilkie, Humble company safety engineer.

IS ADMITTED FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT
W. H. Hibbits was admitted to Western Clinic Hospital Monday for medical treatment.

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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

CHRIST REVEALED THE FATHER, DO WE REVEAL CHRIST? If ye had known me ye should have known my father also.—Matt. 8:19.

The March Of America

Why worry? Because there is something in man that makes him not content to live like the beasts of the field. Man wants more than that, and seeing the broad world and all its opportunities for producing the things he wants, he works, and produces them. Over thousands of years, this work becomes systematized to produce more and better things. That organization of work we call an economic system.

The work system, the economic system, that we have developed here in America during the last 300 years has come in for heavy criticism of late years, for it has developed grave defects.

But it also has shown remarkable achievements, and it is scarcely wise to concentrate so fixedly on the faults as to overlook entirely, and take for granted, the achievements, some of which were recently summarized by the New York Sun:

- In 1900, for instance, there were 8000 automobiles in use; in 1941 there are 25,000,000.
- In 1900 there were 1,000,000 telephones; in 1941 there are 20,400,000.
- In 1900 about 4,400,000 people owned securities; in 1941 there are more than 16,000,000 such owners.
- In 1910 there were 16,372,000 savings accounts; in 1941 there are 46,000,000.
- In 1920 some 10,581,700 Americans owned their own homes; in 1941 there are 14,000,000 homeowners.
- In 1920 there were only 1000 radio sets; in 1941 there are 43,000,000.
- In 1920 there were 10,000 electric refrigerators; in 1941 there are more than 14,000,000.
- In 1920 there were estimated to be 1,800,000 electrical servants in homes, outside of radios and refrigerators; in 1941 there are 117,000,000.

If the purpose of an economy is to produce goods and get them into the hands of people who can use them, then this is a record without parallel. True, we have had a virgin continent to exploit, and many natural advantages. But when one thinks that material achievements of this magnitude have been attained by free men living under a system of free government and economy, he is less likely to be impressed by what dictator-ridden governments promise.

An economy which has produced these fabulous floods of goods and distributed them so widely has something more substantial than the promises of dictators.

We have not come far enough. But having come so far, we can't be on the wrong road entirely. The future course of that road may not be straight ahead on the line of the past. It may have curves and dips. But it has carried us too far through too green a country to encourage indiscriminate straying into bypaths.

A Good Trick If They Can Do It

Vienna will henceforth be the world's fashion center instead of Paris, German authorities have so announced, the Commerce Department hears.

Just like that. We presume to doubt that it will be that easy. The factors which made Paris a fashion center were many and various, but one of the most important certainly was that over scores of years Paris gradually became one of the most civilized cities in the world. Prestige of the kind Paris achieved in the world of fashion is achieved, not decreed. It is built on complicated foundations, not all of them sound, a few of them rotten, but it is built, not decreed.

The Western Hemisphere turned to Paris for fashion, but it will never turn to Vienna. For one reason, while the German authorities decree, New York is already achieving.

Albanian Alexander

One of the minor reasons why we don't want to see the totalitarians take over the entire world is that we would have to learn over again everything we thought we knew.

For instance, we were taught that Alexander the Great was a Greek, king of Macedonia. But the Italian newspaper Il Piccolo recently squeaked this musical note: Alexander was really a pure Albanian and no relation at all to the Greeks who have been manhandling the Italians of today.

Not long ago the Italians were protesting their complete Aryanism. The Germans alternately proclaim that British courage is the result of their pure Aryanism and that British failure is due to degeneration of the breed (according to how the war happens to be going at the moment).

Isn't the war bad enough in itself, without pouring over it all these double helpings of mental mush?

Giving the Boys a Break

All kinds of allowances and exemptions are being made these days in favor of the men who are inducted into the military services, and that is as it should be. A man lifted out of the ordinary course of his life for a year or more in training camp gives up more than most of us are asked to give. Everything that can be done to make the dislocation as small as possible should be done.

Fifteen states have already, for instance, followed the precedent of Indiana in arranging to recognize the out-of-state auto tags of soldiers who have been sent from other states. Certainly to send a man to camp in a far state and then compel him to buy a new auto license tag when he gets there if he or his wife take the family car along, is unreasonable. Some states, which do not have large camps with many out-of-state men in them, are not faced with this problem. But those that are would be doing a good job if, by exemption or by reciprocal arrangement, they lifted this additional burden.



O'Daniel--

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no place in a Democracy for classification of the people on a basis of haves and have nots.

Speaks Of Government

He then spoke of the three branches of the government, the executive, the legislative and the judicial, and denounced what he said was a trend in recent years toward taking from the executive or legislative departments certain authority and giving it to bureaus. He asserted it was a dangerous process of government.

The whole system of government in Texas, O'Daniel declared is in a critical condition.

O'Daniel said he had made recommendations to the legislature, which, if approved, would go far toward removing powers of government from self-seeking, influential cliques, and handing them back to the people.

"So far as I'm personally concerned," he said, "I will have the majority of appointments on all boards before the end of this term. Therefore, this change would benefit my successor, rather than me."

TEXAS UNIVERSITY TO GIVE TRAINING COURSE

AUSTIN, Tex., Jan. 21 (AP).—To help train men for defense industries, a machine tool operation and welding course will be introduced into the University of Texas' curriculum beginning Feb. 3, officials announced today.

Boudreau Honor Is Official Now



Lou Boudreau, shortstop for the Cleveland Indians, inspects the J. Louis Comiskey award given him as the most valuable rookie of the year. First presentation of trophy was made at baseball writers' gathering in Chicago.

G. M. C. Announces Large Engine Plans

DETROIT, Jan. 21 (AP)—General Motors Corp., the world's largest automobile firm, today announced completion of plans for a monthly output of 1,500 aviation engines and parts and sub-assemblies for 200 huge bombing planes.

In making the announcement, C. E. Wilson, General Motors President, said the corporation, one of the "big three" in the motorcar industry, had entered into a cooperative arrangement with North American Aviation, Inc., for the production of twin-engine B-25 medium bombers.

Wilson, from the hospital where he was being treated for a skating accident injury, said that manufacture of parts sub-assemblies would begin immediately so that final assemblies by North American Aviation at a plant to be built in Kansas City "can start by late summer."

CRANIUM CRACKERS

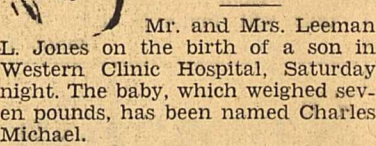
Movie Geography. Lists of movie titles read almost like a roll call of the states these days, with the number of films thus named growing monthly. Focus on these film titles and try to recall one of the stars who appeared in each as well as three states bounding the one named.

1. Wyoming.
2. Maryland.
3. Arizona.
4. Kentucky.
5. The Howards of Virginia.

Answers on Classified Page.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rhoads on the birth of a daughter in Western Clinic Hospital, Monday. The baby has been named Myrtle Jean.



Mr. and Mrs. Leeman L. Jones on the birth of a son in Western Clinic Hospital, Saturday night. The baby, which weighed seven pounds, has been named Charles Michael.

President Favors Winant For Envoy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—John G. Winant, one-time Republican governor of New Hampshire and former Chairman of the Social Security Board, was reported authoritatively today to be President Roosevelt's choice to succeed Joseph P. Kennedy as Ambassador to Great Britain.

Informants close to the White House said that he was acceptable to Prime Minister Churchill and other British officials.

Mr. Roosevelt, it was said, decided that Winant had the respect of all classes of people and that he would make an ideal diplomat under the trying conditions of war and post-war rehabilitation.

Kennedy, who tendered his resignation some time ago, was reported to have been informed of Winant's selection and to have expressed no objection.

Authoritative reports said the President probably would send the nomination to the Senate in the next few days, and well-informed leaders on capitol hill said there was little doubt that he would be confirmed promptly.

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Murder Charges Against Ex-Mate

ORANGE, Tex., Jan. 21 (AP)—A murder charge was filed in justice of the peace court today against Carl Jewell, 37, who was wounded critically after his former wife, Miss Laurie Wagner, was shot to death last night.

The woman was killed as she ran toward officers R. L. Bominy and Zane Cormier.

The patrolmen said they heard the woman scream and the shots at about the same time. Nearby Jewell was found with a bullet wound in the temple. Physicians said he probably would live. Miss Wagner, the mother of a two and one half year old daughter, was employed in the furniture store of her father, King Wagner. The Wagners came here recently from Lake Charles, La.

Jewell was employed as an automobile mechanic here.

MRS. KENNEY IS AT DEL RIO

Mrs. Bertha Kenney, who has been ill for several weeks, has gone to Del Rio to visit her son, James, and family.

GOES TO LUBBOCK TO SEE DAUGHTER

Mrs. J. L. Kendrick went to Lubbock Sunday to visit her daughter, Mary Kendrick, Tech student, who is ill.

Today's Markets

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH, Jan. 21 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle, salable 1,700, total 1,800; calves, salable and total 900; good offerings 10.00-75; few good beef cows 6.75-7.25; common and medium 5.00-6.50; good and choice fat calves 8.50-9.75; common and medium grades 6.50-8.25; good and choice stock steer calves 10.00-11.50; stock heifer calves 10.50 down; yearling stock steers up to 10.50.

Hogs, salable 2,500, total 2,600; mostly 10-15c lower than Monday's average; practical top 8.00, few lots to 8.10; most good and choice 190-300 lb 7.90-8.00; good and choice 150-185 lb 7.40-8.5; pigs 5.50 down.

Sheep, salable and total 1,600; fat lambs, yearlings and feeder lambs 25c higher; wethers steady; good woolled lambs 9.50-75; fall shorn lambs 8.50; good woolled yearlings 8.50; summer shorn 2-year-old wethers 7.50; few woolled aged wethers 5.00; feeder lambs 8.25 down.

Wool

BOSTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Fine Delaine bright fleece wool was receiving a little interest in Boston today. Business was reported to have been transacted at a price within the range of 42 to 44 cents, in the grease. Few mills, however, were interested in these wools. South American wools of fine and half blood grade were quite active at firm prices.

Cotton

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—Cotton futures closed to 2 to 18 points lower.

Stocks

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—Closing price of the 15 most active stocks today:

South Pac	9 5/8
US Steel	65 1/2
NY Central	23 7/8
Achinson	23
Gen Motors	44 1/2
Chrysler	65 1/2
Anacosta	24 7/8
Para Pict	11
Std Oil NJ	33 7/8
Gen Elec	34 1/8
Armour III	5
Socony Vac	8 7/8
Burr Add Mgt	8 1/8
Curtiss Wright	8 3/4
Am Rad Std San	6 3/4

Stock Market Increase Invalidated By Losses

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—An early stock market rally, touched off by renewed strength in rails, faded in the latter part of today's proceedings and gains running to a point or more were substantially reduced or transformed into losses of as much.

Motors, lower throughout, weakened quickly and steels, trailing with the carriers in the morning, soon slipped into the minus column. Transfers were around 600,000 shares compared with yesterday's turnover of 377,000, smallest since Oct. 21.

CLARENCE SCHARBAUER TO BE HOME SOON

Clarence Scharbauer, who has been in Dallas for medical attention for several days, will go to Fort Worth today, Mrs. Scharbauer said, to spend the night with "Uncle John" Scharbauer, before returning here Thursday morning.

R. E. HUNTS VISIT IN ODESSA

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Hunt visited in Odessa Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Webb.

Oil News . . .

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15 gallons of oil hourly from shops at various horizons in the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, dolomite, which the well topped at 5,128 feet.

In the Abell Ordovician pool northeast of Imperial in Pecos, Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Markey is drilling at 4,600 feet in lower Permian lime. The same firm's No. 1 State-Sharp is drilling lime at 3,600 and its No. 1 State-Baldwin had reached 3,016 feet in lime. Phillips No. 1 Silverman, south offset to the pool opener, drilled plug from 13-inch pipe cemented at 608 feet with 632 sacks and is drilling ahead below 620 feet in anhydrite.

In Western Crane County, Gulf No. 17 W. N. Waddell et al, scheduled Ordovician test eight miles north of the Abell pool and over four miles south by southwest of the Sandhills Ordovician pool, cemented 9 5/8-inch casing on bottom at 1,435 feet in anhydrite and is standing while cement sets.

Rhodes & Tompkins of Midland and Great Western Producers, Inc. of Odessa No. 5 Mrs. Ressie Maurice, in the South Cowden pool of Ector County, pumped 653.08 barrels of 35-gravity oil on 24-hour potential test. Its gas-oil ratio of 1,215-1 was high for a pumping well. Pay was topped at 4,175 feet, and total depth is 4,302, where it was shot with 370 quarts.

On the Ector side of the Jordan pool of Crane-Ector, The Texas Company No. 6 Ida McDonald was shot with 1,220 quarts and flowed at the rate of 1,275.12 barrels a day. It entered pay at 3,385 feet and is bottomed at 3,695. Oil is 35.5-gravity and gas-oil ratio 670-1.

Standlind No. 1-B W. F. Cowden, scheduled Holt pay test in Northern Ector, is drilling below 5,083 feet in brown lime and black shale.

New Garden Club Of Midland Names Mrs. Shirey Head

Mrs. A. P. Shirey was elected president of the Midland Garden Club in an organization meeting in the assembly room of the courthouse today.

Other officers are: First vice-president, Mrs. W. H. Gilmore; second vice-president, Mrs. Frank Aldrich; recording secretary, Mrs. Frank Stubbenman; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ben Black; treasurer, Mrs. J. E. Hill; and reporter, Mrs. Tom Sealy.

The program committee is composed of Mrs. Geo. Abell, chairman, Mrs. E. R. Osburn, and Mrs. J. E. Hill.

Mrs. Aldrich Spoke. Meetings regularly will be held there at 10 a. m. on the first Thursday of each month. Dues will be one dollar a year, and all women interested may join.

Mrs. Frank Aldrich addressed the group this morning on "How to Begin Gardening." Present were: Mes. Abell, Aldrich, H. A. Hemphill, Butler Hurley, J. W. Bradbury, Miss Elma Graves, Mrs. R. E. Throckmorton, Otis A. Kelly, E. D. McBrien, W. N. Cones, A. P. Loskamp, M. T. Hartwell, O. L. Morrisett, Delbert Downing, Charles Word, Ralph Geisler, Dewey A. Jordan, E. H. Davidson, E. R. Osburn, J. B. Ellis, W. W. Phillips, J. P. Goodwin, Miss Margaret Hester, Mes. Frank Stubbenman, A. Roberts, C. P. Yaden, W. E. Ryan, J. E. Hill, A. P. Shirey, Ben Black, Tom Sealy, J. O. Nobles, and L. C. Link.

Calvary WMU Members Attend Study Session

Ten members of the WMU of Calvary Baptist Church attended the study session held at the First Baptist Church Monday. They included: Mrs. Hoyt Burris, Mrs. A. W. Booth, Mrs. E. A. Brooks, and Mrs. Walter Wingo of Carrie Grove Circle; Mrs. E. Cain, Mrs. Fred McPherson, and Mrs. O. C. Hamlin of Sarah Thornton Circle; and Mrs. W. G. Flournoy, Mrs. Walter Smith, and Mrs. J. C. Skelton of Katherin Shelburne Circle.

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Sixty women were present for the tea and pledge day service of the Methodist Women's Society for Christian Service which was held Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bill Wyche.

Mrs. R. P. Simpson, leader of the program, gave the call to worship. Mrs. Ross Carr read the poem, "Stretch Out Your Hand."

Pledge cards were signed under direction of Mrs. Sam Preston and a pledge of service was read in unison.

Mrs. Holt Jowell presented piano selections during the program and tea hour.

Mrs. Foy Proctor and Mrs. De Lo Douglas sang special numbers.

Mrs. W. C. Hinds, Mrs. B. F. Haag, and Mrs. J. M. Prothro poured for guests, presiding over the silver service at a table laid with lace and centered with blue and white cornflowers, sweepings, and gladiolus.

WCS officers, the hostesses, and Mrs. H. B. Greene assisted in the houseparty which included: Mmes. Sam Preston, Geo. P. Bradbury, Hugh Walker, Jesse Lee Barber Jr., D. A. Pass, Greene, S. P. Hazlip, A. P. Nelson, Wyche, S. H. Hudkins.

Present were: Mmes. J. M. Flanagan, C. C. Watson, J. B. Zant, Otis Ligon, Henry A. Ferguson, M. J. Allen, W. A. Black, J. H. Cook, A. L. Henderson, L. A. Rodenhiser, J. L. Barber Sr., J. A. Andrews, J. L. Tidwell, W. A. Prothro, E. B. Patterson, E. V. Guffey, O. F. Hedrick, W. E. Chapman.

Mmes. W. B. Hunter, C. L. Gladden, Rea Sindorf, S. H. Hudkins, Hugh Walker, D. A. Pass, H. B. Greene, Bill Wyche, L. T. Fowler, C. P. Wilson, Jesse Lee Barber Jr., Mollie McCormick, S. Ross Carr, A. Nelson, W. C. Hinds, B. F. Haag, Geo. Vannaman, Ray Simpson, Geo. Bradbury, Sam Preston, Foy Proctor, Robert Nolan, Allen Flaherty, N. W. Babb, Johnny Ratliff, Stacy Allen, V. G. Young, Noel G. Oates, A. J. Bedford, R. C. Baker, J. A. Jorgensen, W. E. Oliver, Jules O. Goodwin, S. B. Roach, Nancy Haag, C. C. Thomas, Fred Brasted, J. C. Williamson, Chas. G. Walker of Monahan, Alton Thomas, J. M. Speed, Terry Elkin.

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Coming Events

WEDNESDAY.

Fine Arts Club will meet with Mrs. L. A. Absber, 1909 W. Hollo-way, at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Woman's Wednesday Club will meet with Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, 1505 W. College, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Andrew Fasken will hold open house at her home, 1511 W. Missouri, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for everyone interested in Bundles for Britain.

Junior G.A. girls will meet at the Baptist Church, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Alpha Club will meet with Mrs. C. E. Prichard, 501 W. Holmsley at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Bluebonnet Club will meet with Mrs. Eugene Cecil, 501 Storey, at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

St. Anne's Altar Society of St. George Catholic Church will sponsor a chicken-spaghetti supper at the parish hall on E Texas avenue, from 6 o'clock until 8, Wednesday evening. Tickets are on sale at 50 cents each. The public is invited.

The meeting of Modern Study Club scheduled for Wednesday has been changed to Wednesday, January 29.

Justamere Club will meet with Mrs. C. G. Murray, 609 W. Michigan, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THURSDAY.

Needlecraft Club will meet with Mrs. Celia Shafer hostess at the home of Mrs. A. W. Wyatt, 515 W. Holmsley, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

As You Like It Club will meet with Mrs. R. C. Baker, 604 W. Illinois, at 3:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Beta Sigma Phi will meet with Mrs. Cecil Waldrep, 506 Storey, at 7:30 o'clock, Thursday evening.

The Chanters of McMurry College Abilene, will present a program at the First Presbyterian Church, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be no admission charges. The public is invited.

Colonial Card Club will meet with Mrs. John M. Speed Sr., 301 North F street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Lucky Thirteen Club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Collings, 511 W. Louisiana, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Husbands of members will be guests.

FRIDAY.

Escondida Club will meet with Mrs. J. C. Cunningham, 1007 W. Missouri, Friday afternoon at the usual hour.

Jollite Club will meet with Mrs. C. M. Floyd on the Garden City Highway at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Red Cross knitters will be given instruction at the home of Mrs. F. E. Lewis, 1407 W. Illinois, from 9 o'clock until 12 Friday morning.

Belmont Bible Class will meet Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. L. Sutton 511 N. Pecos. The lesson will be the ninth chapter of Numbers.

Women's Council Holds Luncheon And Book Review

Mrs. Brown Presents "Life Of Christ" For Meeting Of Christians

Members of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church gathered at the church at one o'clock, Monday afternoon, for a luncheon followed by a book review.

The Rev. John E. Pickering offered prayer preceding the luncheon which was served at tables decorated with bowls of fruit and nuts.

Mrs. Chas. Brown presented the review on Papini's "Life of Christ," presenting the history of the earthly sojourn of the Savior.

Guests were: Mrs. Paul Oles, Mrs. James Wilson Jr., Mrs. B. L. Hoffer, Mrs. Arthur Allen, and Mr. Pickering.

Members present were: Mmes. R. A. Estes, G. B. Randolph Jr., Byron Allemen, J. Wray Campbell, M. L. Sholto, Ella Ragsdale, John E. Pickering, Miss Elma Graves, Mesdames Frankingham, W. E. Shipoy, E. J. Auld, W. H. Strader, H. E. Harrington, W. P. Z. German Jr., D. D. Downing, S. P. Hall, Frank Williamson, Ivan Hood, Henry Shaw, Curtis Gilmore, B. W. Recer, F. C. Cummings, Miss Josephine Guly, Mmes. J. H. Elder, L. A. Arrington, R. L. York, Chas. Sherwood, Al Borling.

Charter Presented To New B&PW Club

FORT STOCKTON, Jan. 21 (Special).—Miss Gladys Ripley of San Angelo, director of district five, presented the charter to Mrs. Louis Barfield, president of the newly organized Business and Professional Women's club of Fort Stockton, Friday evening, in the Fort Stockton Community Hall.

Mrs. F. E. Springer gave the opening prayer, and Mrs. Bradford welcomed the guests.

Mr. J. C. Cunningham, president of the Eighth District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs gave an address, after which guests from McCamey and Pecos were introduced.

Miss Ripley stressed the organization's benefits to a community and the importance of subordinating of self in club work.

Miss Helen Maddux Crocker of San Angelo, state chairman of program coordination, outlined the club's program and the scope of the work in detail. Miss Helen Watson, McCamey, state chairman of ground action council, told of club experiences in McCamey.

The newly organized club has 34 charter members.

The tables were lighted with white tapers with red, white, and blue ribbons extending from them. Small American flags were placed cards, and carnations centered the speakers' table.

Attending the dinner were: Miss Fern Homback, Miss Elizabeth Hodges, Miss Watson, Mrs. Frances Morgan, Miss Marye Lowe, Miss Marye Joe Robbins, and Mrs. Juanita Felder of McCamey; Mrs. Crocker and Miss Ripley of San Angelo; Mmes. Mable Nagel and Mae Propp, and Misses Evelyn Hard and Ima Maley of Pecos, and Mmes. Josephine Buchanan, Ladonia Goron, Ward Winter, Dorothy Nieman, Genevieve Griffith, Myrtle Taylor, Sadie Shuttleworth, Mary D. Succedy, A. N. Lea, W. D. Craddock, W. F. Bigge, R. W. E. Hirst, Willie V. Briam, J. C. Cunningham, Ann Nieman, Christine Stephenson, E. M. Lincoam, Roger Gallemore, Mary Lee Bradford, F. E. Springer, Furey, W. W. Sudduth, A. M. McLeod, and Fay Hunsaker, and Misses Mary Ethel Dunn, Patty Harral and Mary Lewis.

Vanderbilt Lecture Tonight At 8 p. m.

Cornelius Vanderbilt Jr., long known to the reading public through his newspaper and magazine articles and for his motoring and sailing exploits, will address Midland Town Hall at 8 p. m. tonight at the high school auditorium.


Traveling from El Paso by car, he is expected here early tonight.

He will talk on "The Twelve Most Interesting People I Have Interviewed." Previous to the outbreak of the present European war, Vanderbilt talked with Hitler, Mussolini, Stalin, and other statesmen who have played an important part in world affairs.

Vanderbilt will be the fourth speaker to be presented by Town Hall this season. Three other lecturers will be presented in this year's series of which two, the Argentinean, Rene DeSaq, and Major Ditton, already are under contract.

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First Baptist And Calvary WMU's Meet For Study

Covered Dish Luncheon Served At Noon; About Fifty Women Present

Women of the First Baptist Church WMU and the Calvary Baptist educational building, Monday, for an all-day study of the book, "Things We Should Know."

The standing committees presented the studies which dealt with the duties of the officers and with the schools and hospitals and the way they are supported—with the various interests of the WMU.

Mrs. Geo. R. Grant brought the devotional and Mrs. J. M. White offered the opening prayer.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. About 50 women were present.

PATIENTS TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

Expected to leave Western Clinic Hospital this afternoon are Mrs. Leeman L. Jones and infant son and Mrs. E. P. Eubanks and baby daughter.

RETURNERS FROM VISIT TO SON

Mrs. T. R. Wilson has returned from a weekend visit to her son Tommy, at Schreiner Institute, M. Wilson, who accompanied her, on to Dallas markets.

In-Honor Tea Today Draws Attention Of Social Circles

Attention of Midland society to day is focused on the late afternoon hours when Mrs. N. A. Lancaster and her daughter, Mrs. William Penn, are entertaining at tea from 4 o'clock until 6, at the home of the former, 1705 W. Indiana.

Honoree for the affair is John H. Rugel who is here from Houston spending the winter months as guest of Mrs. Lancaster. Mr. Rugel, better known in the writer world as Clara Hood Rugel, has made for herself a successful career as newspaperwoman, travel article writer, poet, and fiction author. She is continuing her writing while in Midland.

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By Wm. E. McKenney
America's Card Authority.

Everyone who has played bridge knows the discussions that follow each hand. You can therefore, imagine the discussions at a national tournament, where players come from all sections of the country. At the end of the session a grand rush is made from the ballroom to the elevators, but no one stops talking bridge.

After one of the sessions at the Philadelphia National a crowd entered one of the elevators, among whom was one non-bridge player. As he stepped on the elevator, he said "Six." The bridge players continued to talk about the hands and nobody paid any attention to the floors. Suddenly the non-constant said, "Boy, I told you to stop at the sixth floor." Whereupon the elevator operator stopped right between floors and said, "1 club—2 diamonds—4 hearts—7 spades. How do I know where you want to get off?"

Today's hand was one of the most discussed at the recent national tournament, due to the great amount of bidding, and might easily have been the hand that confused the elevator boy. The bidding is given as it occurred at one table. North's four no trump was the Blackwood convention and South's response of five hearts showed two aces. Then five no trump asked for kings and six diamonds showed one king. North might, if he had bid seven no trump at once, but he felt safe in making a cue bid to show the spade ace. When South bid only six no trump, North bid seven anyhow.

The grand slam was quite generally reached. Declarer had a bad moment when the clubs failed to break, but, oddly enough every player made seven-odd by guessing the heart finesse right. Of course the 4-2 heart split showed up when the four diamonds, three spades and three clubs were cashed. The normal play then is the finesse against the hand holding the four hearts.

McCAMEY CLUB MEMBER TO ATTEND AUSTIN DINNER

McCAMEY—Miss Helen Watson, member of the state group activities committee will leave Friday for Austin where she will attend the Austin Federated Business and Professional Women's Club's first anniversary dinner to be held Jan. 25, in the ballroom of the Stephen F. Austin Hotel. State President, Miss Meta Meadow, will give the president's message and Mrs. I. D. Fairchild, state legislation chairman and member of the board of regents of the University of Texas, will speak on "Federation Objectives."

CLASSIFIEDS—SMALL COST—BIG RESULTS

KRLH PROGRAMS

TUESDAY

- 6:00—Fulton Lewis Jr., MBS
- 6:15—Brook Haven Trio, TSN
- 6:30—Sports Spotlight, TSN
- 6:45—News, TSN
- 7:00—Mythe Williams, MBS
- 7:15—Reid and Randall, TSN
- 7:30—Neil Jordan, MBS
- 8:00—Mystery Hall, MBS
- 8:30—Morton Gould's Orch., MBS
- 9:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
- 9:15—AP News Bulletins, MBS
- 9:30—Art Kassel's Orch., MBS
- 9:30—Valley Church, TSN
- 9:45—Abilene Christian College, TSN
- 10:00—News, TSN
- 10:15—Jack Amburg's Orch., TSN
- 10:30—The Den Orch., TSN
- 10:45—Dick Jurgens's Orch., MBS
- 11:00—Sign off.

WEDNESDAY

- 6:30—Morning Tunes
- 7:00—Musical Clock, TSN
- 7:30—News, TSN
- 7:45—Desert Drifters, TSN
- 8:00—News, TSN
- 8:05—Dance Music, TSN
- 8:35—The Arnhem Orch., TSN
- 8:45—Rhythm Wranglers, TSN
- 8:50—Keep Fit to Music, TSN
- 8:55—What's Doing Around Midland
- 9:00—Organ Melodies, TSN
- 9:15—Piano Spotlights, TSN
- 9:30—Backstage Wife, TSN
- 9:45—Easy Aces, TSN
- 10:00—Neighbors, TSN
- 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
- 10:30—Songs of Carol Lighton, TSN
- 10:45—Recorded BBC News, MBS
- 11:00—News, TSN
- 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBST
- 11:12—Johnny Messner's Orch.
- 11:30—Eleven Thirty, Inc., TSN
- 11:45—Man on the Street
- 12:00—News & Market Reports TSN
- 12:15—Lunch Music
- 12:30—Francis Craig's Orch., MBS
- 12:45—To be Announced
- 1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
- 1:15—Gail North, TSN
- 1:30—Afternoon Concerts
- 1:45—To be Announced
- 2:00—Edna O'Dell and Piano, MBS
- 2:15—Heidi Program, MBS
- 2:30—The Islanders, MBS
- 2:40—News & Market Reports, TSN
- 2:45—Henry Cincione's Orch., MBS
- 2:45—The Johnson Family, MBS
- 2:50—Roy DeWolfe, Pianist, TSN
- 3:15—Crime & Death, TSN
- 3:30—Trojan Horses, MBS
- 3:45—Popular Dance Records
- 3:50—Bay U. Program, TSN
- 5:30—Songs by Lowry Kohler, MBS
- 5:45—Lest We Forget.

Japanese Minister Expresses Hope For U. S. Understanding

By The Associated Press.
TOKYO, Jan. 21.—Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka expressed "earnest hope" today that the United States would reflect seriously on her attitude toward Japan's ambitions in greater East Asia both "for the sake of peace in the Pacific and the sake of peace in the world in general."
The United States, Matsuoka has "evinced no adequate understanding of the fact that the establishment of common prosperity throughout greater East Asia is a matter of vital concern to Japan."
"Advise Britons To Leave."
Later today, the British consul at Yokohama was reported to have sent letters to some British citizens in his district advising them to leave Japan "before the impending crisis in American-Japanese relations comes to a head." British subjects in Tokyo, Kobe and other cities were said not to have received such letters.
Declaring the United States "apparently entertains the idea that her own first line of national defense lies x x x not only along the Eastern Pacific, but even as far as China and the South Seas," Matsuoka said, it would ill-become her to accuse Japan of having "ambitious designs."

HOUSTON WOMAN BURNS TO DEATH AT RESIDENCE

HOUSTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Mrs. Alice Shaw, 71, was burned to death at her home here this morning.
She apparently was in the bathroom washing clothing when her night gown caught fire from a heater in the room.
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Service Board Mails More Questionnaires

The Midland County draft board today mailed questionnaires to 15 registrants for selective service, bringing the total sent to 255.
The registrants included: Thomas Roscoe Lewis, Ralph Edward Guyger, Manuel Gonzalez, Charles Edwin Patterson, George Olen Logan, Willis Lyle Donaldson, William Oliver Graham, Phil Daniel Grommon, Jr., Herbert Lester Garrett, Luther Dudley Towery, Robert Harley Reeves, Jesse C. Wood, Albert Gonzales Montemayor, William Hartwell Collins, and Jack Ray Carroll.
The board will place 15 questionnaires in the mails daily until 90 are sent out.

Housewives Stop Work To Smother Fire Bombs

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Housewives were reported to have dropped their kitchen work in a town on the outskirts of London today to smother fire bombs unloaded by a German raider.
Three alarms sounded in the capital after a raid-fire night throughout the British Isles. British accounts said the Nazi incendiaries were extinguished as quickly as they fell.
A single German plane was said to have made four machine-gun attacks on an east Anglian town, then dumped high explosives. Accounts of these attacks said only one person was injured and only slight damage done.

Mexico Reports Car Strike Settlement

MEXICO CITY, Jan. 21 (AP)—Settlement of a nine-day strike of street car workers in Mexico City was announced early today by Minister of Labor Ignacio Garcia Telez.
The workers were granted part of their demands through an agreement boosting wages approximately 1,240,000 pesos (\$248,000) annually for the 3,400 employes.
TEXAS TECH CLUB TO MEET FOR DINNER
Members of Texas Tech Club will meet on the mezzanine of Hotel Scharbauer tonight at 7:30 o'clock and then go out for dinner.

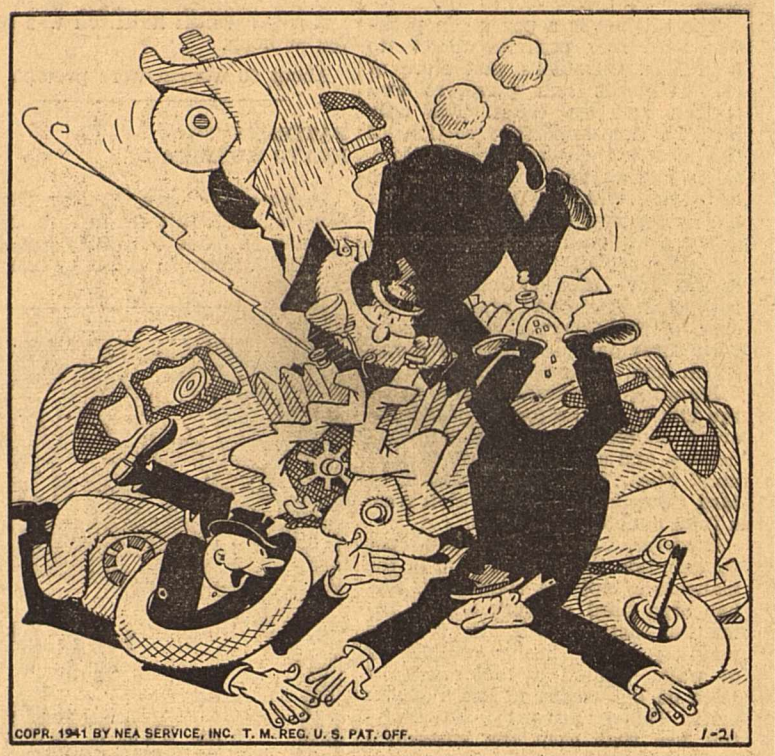
Pratt Is Main Speaker At Big Spring Luncheon

W. I. Pratt today noon addressed the Rotary Club of Big Spring at that organization's weekly luncheon. Pratt discussed the "Challenge of 1941."
Several Rotarians here accompanied Pratt to the luncheon.
MURRAY NEGOTIATES FOR WAGE INCREASES
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 21 (AP)—CIO Chairman Philip Murray today began informal negotiations with the United States Steel Corporation for wage increases and other revisions of the union's bargaining contracts.

Hudson Motor Gets Big Navy Contract

DETROIT.—The Hudson Motor Company announced today it has contracted to build and operate for the United States Navy a \$13,000,000 Ordnance Plant near Detroit. The land for the new plant which has been purchased by the Navy comprises 114 acres.
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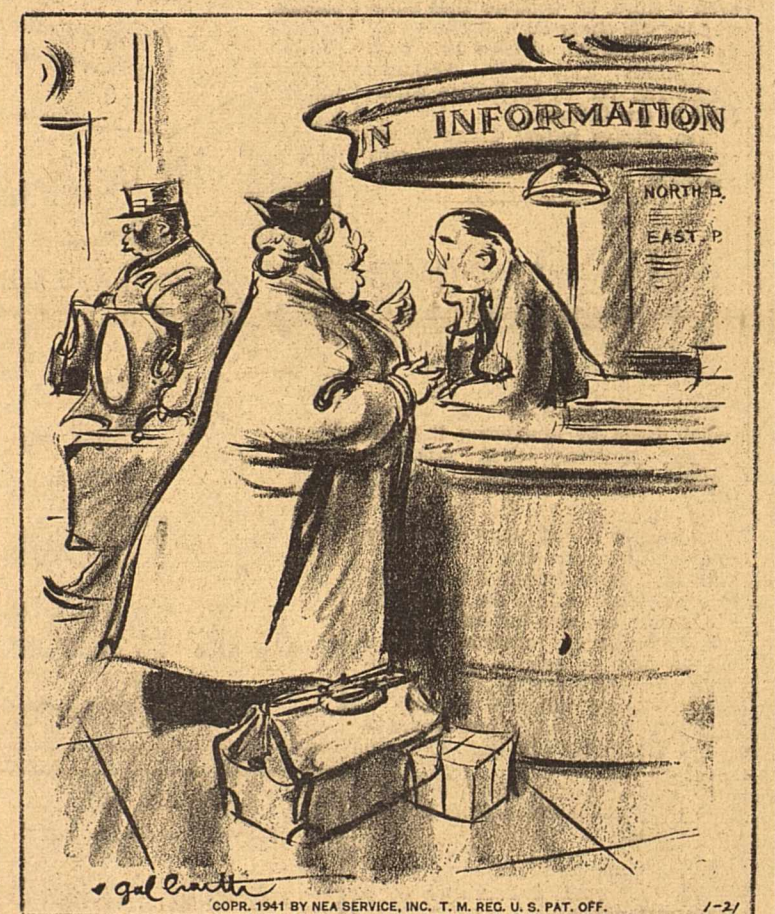
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OUT OUR WAY



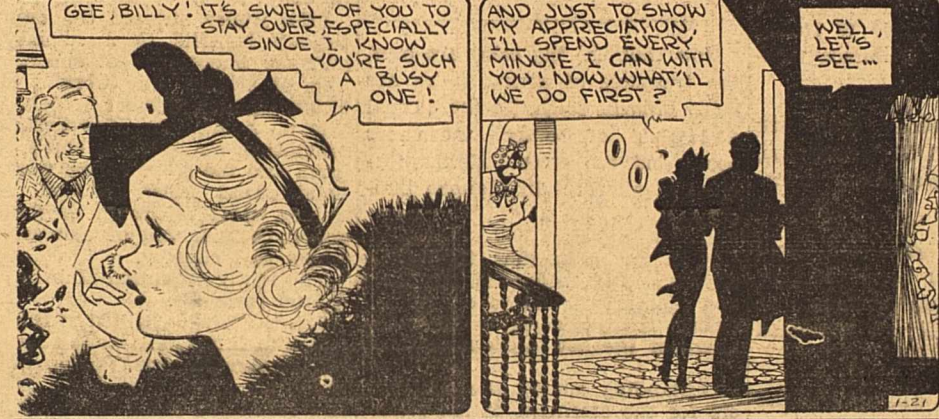
BORN THIRTY YEARS TOO SOON

Side Glances



"Then mix in two eggs and one cup of flour and allow it to cook over a slow fire."

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



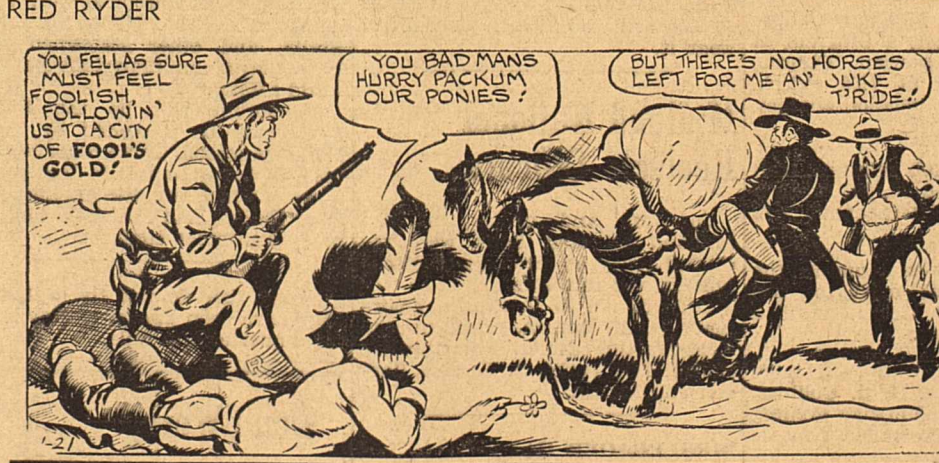
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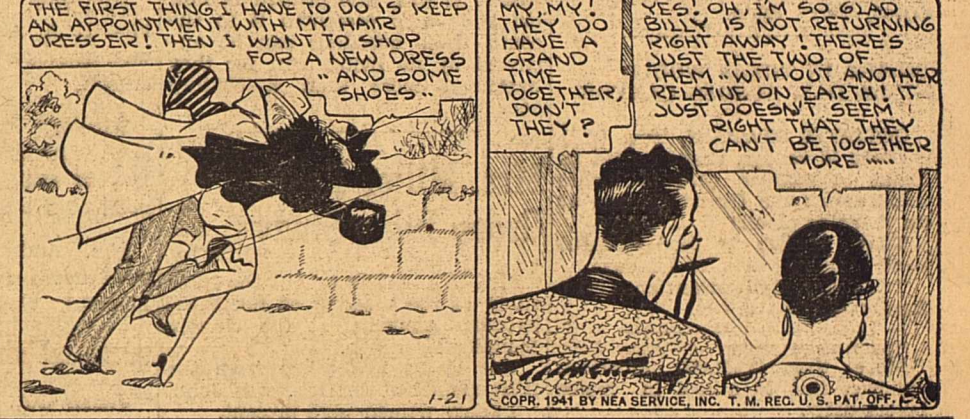


RED RYDER



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By EDGAR MARTIN



By ROY CRANE



By V. T. HAMLIN



By FRED HARMAN



By MERRILL BLOSSER

KRLH PROGRAMS

TUESDAY

- 6:00—Fulton Lewis Jr., MBS
- 6:15—Brook Haven Trio, TSN
- 6:30—Sports Spotlight, TSN
- 6:45—News, TSN
- 7:00—Mythe Williams, MBS
- 7:15—Reid and Randall, TSN
- 7:30—Neil Jordan, MBS
- 8:00—Mystery Hall, MBS
- 8:30—Morton Gould's Orch., MBS
- 9:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
- 9:15—AP News Bulletins, MBS
- 9:30—Art Kassel's Orch., MBS
- 9:30—Valley Church, TSN
- 9:45—Abilene Christian College, TSN
- 10:00—News, TSN
- 10:15—Jack Amburg's Orch., TSN
- 10:30—The Den Orch., TSN
- 10:45—Dick Jurgens's Orch., MBS
- 11:00—Sign off.

WEDNESDAY

- 6:30—Morning Tunes
- 7:00—Musical Clock, TSN
- 7:30—News, TSN
- 7:45—Desert Drifters, TSN
- 8:00—News, TSN
- 8:05—Dance Music, TSN
- 8:35—The Arnhem Orch., TSN
- 8:45—Rhythm Wranglers, TSN
- 8:50—Keep Fit to Music, TSN
- 8:55—What's Doing Around Midland
- 9:00—Organ Melodies, TSN
- 9:15—Piano Spotlights, TSN
- 9:30—Backstage Wife, TSN
- 9:45—Easy Aces, TSN
- 10:00—Neighbors, TSN
- 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
- 10:30—Songs of Carol Lighton, TSN
- 10:45—Recorded BBC News, MBS
- 11:00—News, TSN
- 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBST
- 11:12—Johnny Messner's Orch.
- 11:30—Eleven Thirty, Inc., TSN
- 11:45—Man on the Street
- 12:00—News & Market Reports TSN
- 12:15—Lunch Music
- 12:30—Francis Craig's Orch., MBS
- 12:45—To be Announced
- 1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
- 1:15—Gail North, TSN
- 1:30—Afternoon Concerts
- 1:45—To be Announced
- 2:00—Edna O'Dell and Piano, MBS
- 2:15—Heidi Program, MBS
- 2:30—The Islanders, MBS
- 2:40—News & Market Reports, TSN
- 2:45—Henry Cincione's Orch., MBS
- 2:45—The Johnson Family, MBS
- 2:50—Roy DeWolfe, Pianist, TSN
- 3:15—Crime & Death, TSN
- 3:30—Trojan Horses, MBS
- 3:45—Popular Dance Records
- 3:50—Bay U. Program, TSN
- 5:30—Songs by Lowry Kohler, MBS
- 5:45—Lest We Forget.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

PRAIRIE DOGS
GO THROUGH LIFE WITHOUT A DRINK OF WATER.

KNEEKORNER
WHAT'S THE REASON FOR MAKING HOLES IN DOUGHNUTS?

ANSWER: When Hanson Gregory, New England sea captain, was a boy, he noticed the center of his mother's cakes were doughy, and suggested the center be cut out before cooking.

NEXT: Do large brains indicate a brilliant mind?

Classified

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Help Wanted

WHITE girl for general housework; will consider man and wife; room and meals with salary; reference required. Phone 278. (270-3)

Situations Wanted

LADY wants practical nursing; maternity cases preferred. Address Odessa, Texas, c/o Box 2452, or call 1356-J. (269-4)

Phone 555 Yellow Cab Company

RENTALS

Room and Board

ROOM and board at Taylor Lodge; lavatories in all rooms; hotel service. 107 South Pecos. (2-1-41)

Bedrooms

GARAGE bedroom and garage; one or two men. 1900 West Missouri, phone 1675. (269-3)

NICELY furnished bedroom; connecting bath; 309 N. "D". Phone 1567. (270-5)

Furnished Apartments

3 room south furnished or unfurnished apartment. Close in. Phone 230. (267-6)

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CITY MATTRESS FACTORY

Don't throw that old mattress away. For a small cost we will make it into a nice innerspring, guaranteed for ten years. All types of mattress work, pillows, lawn cushions, day-beds, mattresses, baby bed mattresses, any kind.

Phone 1646
115 South Main
Also New and Used Furniture

PROFESSIONAL & BUSINESS DIRECTORY OF MIDLAND

ACCOUNTANTS
 Certified Public Accountants
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SPROLES WOODARD & COMPANY
 H. Rabun, Manager
 Ph. 830—1st. Natl. Bk. Bldg., Midland

REPRODUCTION COMPANIES
 WEST TEXAS REPRODUCTION CO.
 Only Complete Plant in West Texas
 We Call For And Deliver
 L. T. Boynton, Owner—Phone 860

OPTOMETRIST
T. J. INMAN
 Optometrist and Optician
 Glasses Fitted
 Crawford Hotel Bldg.—Phone 1713

MARSH-ANDERSON COMPANY
 Accountants—Tax Consultants
FIRST NATIONAL BANK BUILDING
 George H. Marsh Phone 1972
 L. H. Anderson
 Tax Consultant

Furnished Apartments

MODERN duplex apartment; newly papered. Private bath. See O. D. Berry at C. G. Morrison's Variety Store. (270-3)

Call 30 for Taxi

Unfurnished Apartments

TWO nice duplex apartments; desirable locations; stucco houses. Phone 752, Sanders Furniture Co. (269-6)

TWO rooms; private bath; unfurnished apartment; bills paid. 306 North Carrizo, phone 853-J. (269-3)

Houses

5 room frame house; modern; 1510 S. Lorraine; A. & L. Housing & Lumber Co. Phone 149. (266-6)

202 and 212 South Big Spring; five-room unfurnished houses. Phone 9066-F-4. (269-3)

Furnished Houses

NICE 3-room furnished modern house. Phone 187-W. (268-6)

Business Property

NEW 24x60 building; ideal location for parts store, bakery or grocery. If interested, address P. O. Box 262, Odessa, Texas. (269-3)

FOR SALE

DOG house for sale. 1105 West Illinois, see Gordon Asbury, Jr. (269-3)

Nurseries, Flowers, Seeds

ROSES, bulbs, seed, general line of nursery stock. West Texas Nursery, 1 mile north on Andrews highway, phone 9000-P-2, R. O. Walker, prop., 14 years in Midland. (269-30)

PLANT NURSERY

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Automobiles

Used Cars 54

FOUR GOOD USED CARS
 1940 DeSoto two-door sedan; low mileage; radio and heater.
 1938 Chrysler four-door sedan; radio and heater.
 1938 Nash two-door sedan; very clean.
 1937 Chevrolet two-door sedan; radio and heater.

M. & M. MOTORS, Inc.
 107 South Lorraine—Phone 178 (271-2)

BUY & SELL THROUGH CLASSIFIEDS

NEW PHONE FOR Doug's Motorcycle Delivery PHONE 234

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VACUUM CLEANER BARGAINS

Late model HOOVER, ELECTROLUX, brown or gray models, two motor Airways, and many other makes. Guaranteed. Some only run a few times when traded on new Eureka, Premier, or Magic-Aire product of G. E., or Norca, made by Hoover.

G. BLAIN LUSE
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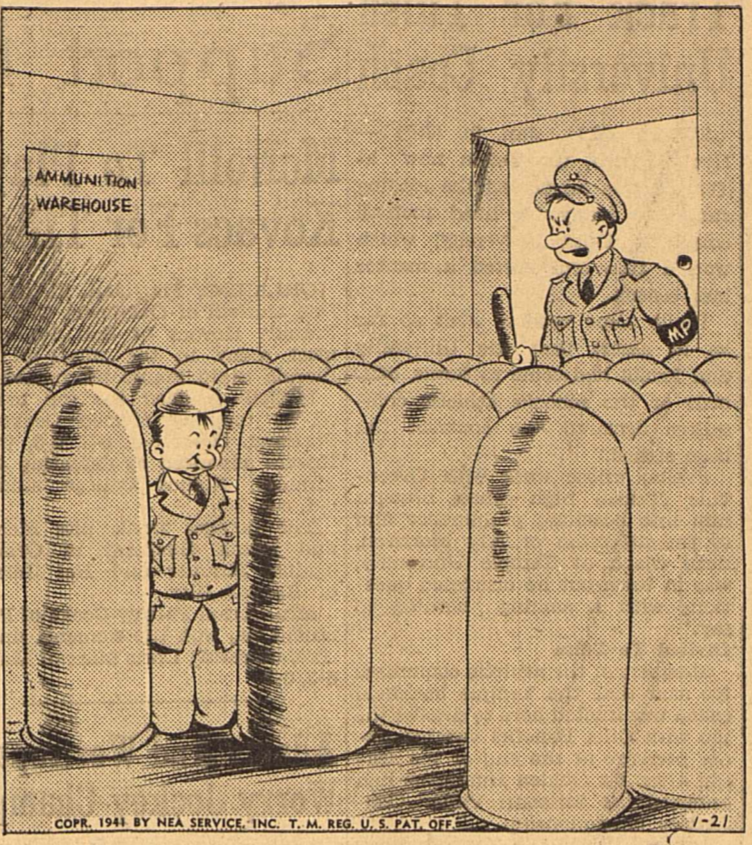
Services ALL MAKES of cleaners in 10 towns for patrons of Texas Electric Service Co. Why not yours?

TOP QUALITY USED CARS

1939 Studebaker Sedan
 Low mileage car with air-conditioning unit.
 1938 Chevrolet Master Town Sedan
 1937 Chrysler Royal Sedan With Radio
 1937 Dodge Fordor Sedan
 Completely overhauled.
 The above cars are thoroughly reconditioned. Many others to select from.

SCRUGGS MOTOR COMPANY
 114 E. Wall — Phone 644

Hold Everything!



"I was sure I saw Private Flook sneak in here."

REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale 61

FOR SALE
 DANDY six-room stucco house; \$250 cash, balance \$50 per month; located at 420 South Main Street; corner lot; paved street.

BARNEY GRAFA
 203 Thomas Bldg.—Phone 106 (269-3)

Legal Notices

Court No. 3426 CITATION BY PUBLICATION
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Midland County—Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to summon Cecil Ricketson and wife, Grace Ricketson, Carl Ricketson and wife, Zenia Ricketson, and the heirs and legal representatives of Cecil Ricketson, Grace Ricketson, Carl Ricketson and Zenia Ricketson, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Midland County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Midland, Texas, on the fourth Monday in February A. D. 1941, the same being the 24th day of February A. D. 1941, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 18th day of January A. D. 1941, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 3426, wherein George D. Phillips and M. N. Coston, are plaintiffs, and Cecil Ricketson and wife, Grace Ricketson, Carl Ricketson and wife, Zenia Ricketson, are defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:
 1. Suit for the principal and six percent interest per annum and ten percent attorney's fees upon seven vendor's lien notes for \$1,000.00 each, payable at the rate of \$50.00 per month, the first installment on Note No. 1 being due November 10th, 1938, and \$50.00 per month each month thereafter being due, until all of said note is paid; first installment on Note No. 2 being due July 10th, 1940; first installment on Note No. 3 being due March 10th, 1942; first installment on Note No. 4 being due on November 10th, 1943; first installment on Note No. 5 being due on July 10th, 1945; first installment on Note No. 6 being due March 10th, 1947 and first installment on Note No. 7 being due on November 10th, 1948, and each of said notes providing that the subsequent installments after the first are payable monthly at the rate of \$50.00 per month, all containing the usual attorney's fee and accelerated maturity clauses; said notes being secured by vendor's lien and deed of trust on the South one-half of Section No. 12, Block X, H. P. Hilliard Survey, Midland County, Texas.
 2. Plaintiff prays for title and possession of the said land and costs of suit, and in the alternative for judgment against Cecil, Grace, Carl and Zenia Ricketson for the principal and interest and attorney's fees and for foreclosure of said vendor's lien and deed of trust and for costs against all defendants.
 Herein Fail Not but have before said Court at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.
 Given under my hand and seal of said Court and issued at office in Midland, Texas, on this 18th day of January, A. D. 1941.
NETTIE C. ROMER,
 Clerk, District Court, Midland County, Texas.

Banker Is Named Finnish Premier

Johan Wilhelm Rangell, above, head of the Bank of Finland, was named Premier in the new cabinet formed by President Risto Rytty.

Texas Members In Congress Stemmed Fascist States Leaders Talked U. S. Activity

WASHINGTON (AP).—Members of the Texas Congressional delegation offer an interesting study in personalities.

Except for Representative Lyndon B. Johnson of Johnson City, all 21 Representatives and both Senators are lawyers.

Fourteen have been at one time or another prosecuting attorneys for Texas counties or districts.

The authoritative editor of *Il Giornale D'Italia* outlined these five "well-defined phases" of the war situation which he said called for the meeting:

1. Intensification of German air attacks on Britain;
2. Intensification of the Axis counter-blockade in the Atlantic;
3. Critical developments in the Mediterranean;
4. The sharpening of warlike trends across the ocean which do not pass without reactions from the whole political and military system of war;
5. "Vast international accords of the Axis."

Seek France's Help
 Gayda emphasized the Axis nations' "identity of views... not only for political ends, but also for conduct of the war."

Foreign observers expressed belief that Hitler and Mussolini may have agreed on a plan to obtain France's cooperation in the war against Britain, by direct action if necessary.

The German military establishment in Sicily fighting largely in the Axis plans for the Mediterranean war, the observers look for a Nazi attempt to gain further bases on the French Island of Corsica and Tunisia, in French North Africa.

The British island base of Malta, which thus far has been the chief Mediterranean objective of the Axis air fleets, would be another effective base, if it could be wrested from its defenders, it was said.

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CONSCRIPT'S WIFE

BY BETTY WALLACE

YES, PERHAPS: Martha lies to Bill about the party, says she was bowing. He wants her to come to camp. Paul drives her and while they have an enjoyable day, Martha realizes that "there's a crowd."

SUZANNE THREATENS

CHAPTER XV
THINKING over that vaguely unsatisfactory visit, Martha Marshall decided that from now on she would take the train to camp. She would engage a room in the little hotel in town every week-end, and spend Saturday nights and Sundays with Bill. That would cost a great deal. Wrinkling her brow over the problem, she came to the conclusion that the only way to swing it was to give up the apartment.

"I don't need a whole three-room apartment to myself anyway. It's just a lot of cleaning, light bills, phone bills, and grief." She would find a room, live the way she had lived before she married Bill. The only problem was Butch. She hated the thought of boarding him out in the country, yet that was the only solution.

The night she drove him out to the farm, she felt like a traitor. Butch regarded her with soft, mournful eyes. For all her admonishing to "be a good dog," Butch howled dismally when the man put him in the back yard anyway. He thrust his nose through the wire fencing and continued to wail as Martha walked to the car.

PACKING the furniture for storage was a wrench, too. A burly packer arrived, and he stuck things expertly into barrels; put the mattress into an enormous carton; sheeted the sofa and chairs. He had no patience for the way she dawdled over the little things. The clock from Bill's jewelry store; the pictures he had selected; the lamp that had been a wedding present. Once she retired into a closet to cry. The man grunted. "Women!"

The room she found, at the other end of town, was close to Air Transport. The landlady was a comfortably stout matron who assured her there was "continuous hot water and a refined atmosphere." But she was puzzled by the fact that Mrs. Marshall wore a wedding ring and had no husband.

"He's in the Army," said Martha. "Oh."

Martha told Paul in the office. "The refined atmosphere appears to mean positively no visitors, except in the downstairs parlor. The parlor has a complete gallery of Mrs. Larkin's entire family, including her deceased husband. He had handlebar mustaches."

"Cheerful," said Paul. "Whatever gave you this crazy notion?" "Train fare to camp, and hotel tariff for week-ends," she answered. "On what Air Transport pays me, it takes close figuring." "I see."

SHE had been living in Mrs. Larkin's house nearly a week, and had finally mastered the trick of sleeping between the lumps in the ancient bed, the day she met Suzanne Decker as she walked home.

Suzanne was exquisite, as always. She wore a violet velvet turban, and a slim coat with a faint violet cast. There was a lovely cascading collar of blue fox, into which her chin was buried against the wind.

"Going to pass me by?" Martha greeted her. "It's been months since I've seen you!"

Suzanne stopped, her eyes suddenly guarded. "Hello."

"That's a stunning outfit, Sue," Martha said. "You make me feel like going straight home and dropping this thing I'm wearing right into the ash can." In her tone, there was no indication that she remembered the painful scene between them, there in the old apartment.

But Suzanne was remembering. Her eyes were still guarded, and she watched Martha narrowly as she said, "I played bridge with Midge Willis. She told me about the country club dance."

Martha stiffened. "It was lovely. Why didn't you come?" "Because Paul didn't ask me," Suzanne said bluntly. "He had other fish to fry. Look here, you weren't fooling Midge any, or Mary Grace, either. They know what's been going on. After you told me you wouldn't see Paul any more! You were so naive, so innocently surprised when I put it up to you... Oh, you just couldn't believe Paul was in love with you, and you never encouraged him! But you're still running around with him!"

In sick dismay, Martha realized that the same, uncontrollable excitement was shaking Suzanne again. People were looking back, in the winter twilight.

Suzanne rushed on. "There's one thing you forgot! I said someone might tell Bill. Suppose I drive up to camp myself—you took Paul with you, I notice, when you went—"

The sidewalk under Martha's feet seemed suddenly less solid.

Club Members Of Midland To Attend Lions Banquet

Members of Midland service and other clubs will attend the Lion's Club city-wide banquet tomorrow noon in Hotel Sabathana.

Hollis R. Thompson, of Los Angeles, vice-president of the American Airlines Inc. will speak.

MIDLAND COUNTRY CLUB MEMBERS MEET TONIGHT

Midland Country club members will elect 1941 officers, choose new directors for three places on the board, and hear an audit of three years activities at a meeting tonight.

STANLIND OFFICIALS VISIT IN MIDLAND

H. T. Morley of Tulsa, chief geologist for Stanlind Oil & Gas Company, and W. J. Nolte of Fort Worth, division manager of the firm, are here today on business.

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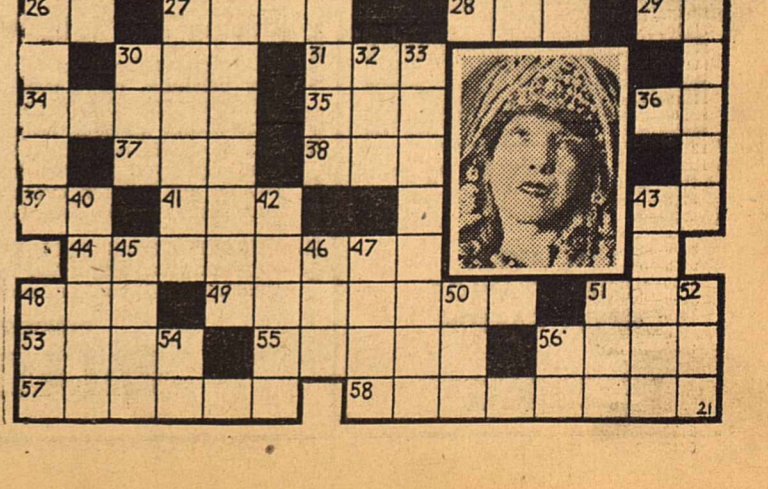
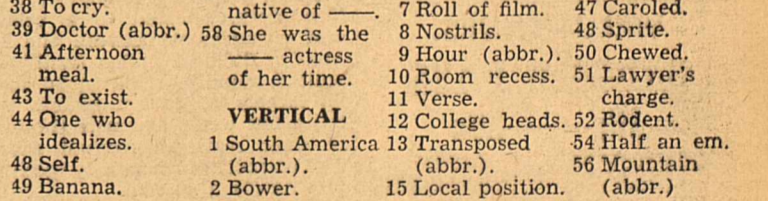
STAGE STAR

HORIZONTAL
 1, 6 Famous actress of former days.
 14 Slinky in *Hotel Sabathana*.
 16 Sooner.
 17 Vicious.
 18 Inside.
 20 Wine vessel.
 21 Thick shrub.
 22 Made hard.
 24 To complete.
 26 Either.
 27 Gladly.
 28 To plant.
 29 Tone B.
 30 Carmine.
 31 Fish.
 34 Red cosmetic.
 35 To card wool.
 36 Jumbled type.
 37 Tribunal.
 38 To cry.
 39 Doctor (abbr.).
 41 Afternoon meal.
 43 To exist.
 44 One who idealizes.
 48 Self.
 49 Banana.

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE
 SNAKE SDA LIMBS
 OWNE STAVE COME
 PEEN HAREW EIVES
 OLDSTER REFRESH
 I RE NANO
 SADDENS ADINOLE
 ORION ABA R
 NAMED GEM E
 O SA C SR
 URSA CAUSE
 SEAS LINNER
 ASCONS TOGAED
 OPHIDIA SWALLOW

VERTICAL
 1 South America (abbr.).
 2 Bower.
 3 To peruse.
 4 Conjunction.
 5 Stop!
 6 Acts of kindness.
 7 Roll of film.
 8 Nostrils.
 9 Hour (abbr.).
 10 Room recess.
 11 Verse.
 12 College heads.
 13 Transposed (abbr.).
 15 Local position.

19 Northeast— (abbr.).
 21 She — or acted throughout the world.
 22 Starry.
 23 To accomplish.
 25 She was called the "Sarah."
 27 Envoy.
 30 To polish.
 32 Duet.
 33 To make bitter.
 40 Stiffness.
 42 Winged.
 43 Exalted happiness.
 45 Spanish lady.
 46 Frozen water.
 47 Croaked.
 48 Sprite.
 50 Chewed.
 51 Lawyer's charge.
 52 Rodent.
 54 Half an em. (abbr.).
 56 Mountain (abbr.).



Midland Scrappers Receive Trimming At Gloves Tourney

Midland Golden Glove fighters last night found out that their pairings were tough, advancing in only one weight division at Big Spring's district tournament. Four Midland fighters lost.

Lloyd Pittman, hard hitting middleweight, won a decision over Ernest Arg of Forsan. Pittman carried the fight and finished strong in the third round to win.

Flash Duncan of Midland, also a middleweight, dropped a close decision to Owen Brummett, the Big Spring fighter. Duncan had the edge in boxing skill, but the aggressive Brummett, spurred on by the shouts of his townspeople, threw mitt after mitt at Duncan, and got the judge's nod.

In the night's first scrap, Jim Truelove, 156, middleweight, lost to Brady Piper of Big Spring by a decision. Piper, a sturdy slugger, had Truelove groggy but could not knock him out. He floored the Midland boy several times.

Newsboy Wins Prase

Walter "Frog" Dorman, 130 Midland newsboy won the plaudits of the fight fans but lost by a technical knockout to brown-skinned Domingo Aguilar of Marfa. Referee Truett Fulcher stopped the fight in the third round, when Dorman was gamely hanging on.

Aguilar weighed 136 and had more reach than the Midland boxer.

Ben Danley, 136, of Midland by judge's decision lost to Pilar Yanez, Big Spring Mexican fighter. Danley chopped and slapped throughout and was never hurt. Yanez, classy type of boxer, won the judge's approval with stinging left jabs and

flurries of punches.

Bush To Fight Jan. 27

Ray Bush, 185, Midland heavy, will fight for the championship, Jan. 27. He drew a bye last night.

Joe Collins, Midland featherweight was disqualified after a physical examination.

Dexter Jay, ace of the Midland team, and twice district champ in the featherweight division, fought Blackie Patton of Big Spring in a three-round exhibition that pleased the fans. Patton was the aggressor until the last round when Jay turned on all his ring-craft to rally. No decision was judged. Jay decided to pass up the Big Spring tourney to fight at Odessa.

Mike Buffington, 200-pound heavy, fought last night at Sweetwater on an amateur card, and may not enter the Big Spring tourney.

Results Of Other Fights

Other results last night: Wilford Yanez, Big Spring, 111, lost to Billy Jackson, 110, of Big Spring in the flyweight class; Sonny Peach, Big Spring, won a technical knockout over Dan Blackwell, in the welter class; Theo Willis of Forsan lost to James Paul Cooper of Colorado City. Charles Watson of Colorado City won over Pilar Yanez in a middleweight fight.

J. W. Coats of Big Spring won the light heavyweight championship over Manuel Crews of Marfa. They were the only entries in this weight. Coats thus became the district representative to the Fort Worth state tournament. He weighed 166, and was 172.

Fisman and Bush will go to Big Spring again Monday night to compete in the finals.

Eastern Court Fans Hail Davies As One Of Game's Greatest

SOUTH ORANGE, N. J., Jan. 21 (AP)—About once in two or three basketball generations there appears a real hero of the hardwood—a fellow like Stanford's Hank Luisetti or Pittsburgh's Chuck Hyatt, whose fame spreads outside his own territory.

Fans in this district offer as one of this select group Bob Davies, a speedy and tricky forward from Seton Hall College.

Davies admittedly has plenty of competition throughout the country. There are such players as Dartmouth's Gus Broberg, "Sutz" Mowdewski of Rhode Island State, the "perfect shot" of a team that beats little else and the best bet to beat Luisetti's all-time scoring record; Hoard (Rope) Engleman of Kansas, so nicknamed because he handles the ball as if there were a string tied to it; George Glamack of North Carolina, who led the South-Carolina conference last season although he has to shoot by "feel" because he can't see the basket without his glasses; Bob Gerber, "Bat 'em" Kinney of Rice and plenty of others.

But Honey Russell, the old-time pro court star who coaches Seton Hall, and the fans hereabouts can't see anyone except Davies. He's not exceptionally big, only 6 feet 1 1/2 inches tall and weighing 170, but he's speed and agile.

Frnka Has Inside Track For Tulsa University Coach

TULSA, Okla., Jan. 21 (AP)—Henry Frnka, the Texan now at Temple, was considered the leading candidate today for head football coach at Tulsa University, which won a title and ousted a mentor last season.

While some reports went so far as to assert that the University and Frnka had come to terms, officials of the school's athletic committee declared "no contract has been signed."

Frnka, whose work with Greenview (Texas) high school brought him into coaching prominence and to the attention of Ray Morrison, head coach at Temple University, was in town but he dismissed questions with a smiling "nothing to say."

Invited To Tulsa

Members of the athletic committee said that the Temple backfield coach was invited here to discuss the job with Chet Benefield vacated under pressure at the end of the season after his Golden Hurricane had annexed the Missouri Valley Conference championship.

It was strongly indicated, however, that a new coach would be named officially Saturday.

Frnka, who played at Austin College of Texas under Cawthon, has been an assistant to Morrison for the past five seasons, the first four of them at Vanderbilt.

Sportsmen Urge Fans Support Bulldog Club

McNeill To Play Kovacs For Title

ORLANDO, Fla., Jan. 21 (AP)—Don McNeill of Oklahoma City and Frankie Kovacs of San Francisco meet today in the finals of the Florida State tennis tournament.

McNeill reached the top bracketed by topping Elwood Cooke of Portland, Ore., 10-8, 6-3, 6-3, while Kovacs advanced by defeating Jack Kramer, Rollins College student, 6-4, 6-4, 7-5.

The doubles finals pits McNeill and Frank Guernsey of Orlando against Kramer and Hal Surface of Kansas City.

Mrs. Saram Palfrey Cooke of Portland, Ore., won the women's singles title, defeating Doris Mart of Miami, 6-3, 6-3.

Adams And Westrope Worry Jockey Champ

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21 (AP)—Two former American riding champions, Johnny Adams of Iola, Kas., and Jackie Westrope of Baker, Mont., are putting wrinkles in the fair young brow of the 1940 jockey champ, Earl Dew.

Dew booted in his 287th winner Dec. 31 to take a photo decision from Walter Lee Taylor. Then he set his 1941 goal at 300 winners. Since then he has been in San Francisco waiting for the new Golden Gate track to open.

Here at Santa Anita Park Adams and Westrope have been setting a dizzy pace. Since the winter season began Adams has accepted 66 mounts, won 17 times, placed three times and shown seven times. Westrope has been up 68 times, with 14 winners, 11 places and nine shows.

Heat waves occur in the month of August more than in any other month.

City Basketball League Will Be Reorganized Soon

A revision of the city basketball league will be made to include only four teams, it was announced today.

Scheduled first games last night were postponed when team members were called out of town, and the Tot's Gulf vs. Southwestern Bell title was postponed. Petroleum Drug, scheduled to engage Safeway, scrimmaged with players from Tot's and the high school team.

Tot's scrimmaged the high school reserves as members of the Southwestern Bell team did not appear for a game.

Jimmie Wilson, co-director of the league, said today that a meeting would be called this week to reorganize the league.

Britain To Register Citizens For Plants

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Labor Minister Ernest Bevin informed the House of Commons today that the government has decided to register Britain's working men and women for drafting into war factories.

Bevin reported steadily increasing production despite air raids, but added that the country had "now reached a stage when it will be necessary to take industrial registration by age groups."

He said the registration was to "make a list of those who should be called upon to serve the state in the national industry."

Sports Roundup

By Eddie Briets

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—Ralph Kercheval, the football Dodgers' great kicker, shortly will be ordered to Fort Robinson, Ark., for a year's active duty with his reserve regiment.

Henry Armstrong is going to give Eddie Mead two-thirds of the \$19,000 he got out of his last fight, instead of the customary one-third. Clark Shaughnessy will not take the all-star coaching assignment (if offered him) because he refuses to lead a team against the Chicago Bears.

Pittsburghers who came here in a special train to see Fritzie Zivic beat Armstrong, took back nearly \$100,000 in winnings.

Houston Receives Coaching Session

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, Jan. 21 (AP)—Houston will entertain the annual coaching school of the Texas High School Football Coaches Association for the second time in three years.

Ted L. Jefferies, president of the association, announced here last night the school would be held at Rice Institute Aug. 4 to 9.

It will be the ninth annual clinic and Clark Shaughnessy, coach of the Stanford Rose Bowl champions, and Jess Neely of Rice will be co-instructors.

Frank Leahy, whose Boston College team won the Sugar Bowl title, will tutor line play.

The school, which attracts from 300 to 500 coaches each year and is known as the nation's largest football clinic, was inaugurated at San Antonio in 1932. It was held there again in 1934, then went to Dallas in 1935, Fort Worth in 1936, Waco in 1937, Lubbock in 1938, Houston in 1939 and Austin in 1940.

Highly Paid Baseball Mentor Dies Of Attack

SEATTLE, Jan. 21 (AP)—Frank "Jack" Lelivelt, 53, reputed to have been one of the highest paid managers in minor league baseball, died last night, two hours after he was stricken by a heart attack while watching a basketball game.

Lelivelt, who piloted the Seattle Pacific Coast League baseball club to two successive pennants and was preparing to bid for a third the coming season, seemed in good health when he went to the game.

Paychek Quits Fighting After Beating By Negro

CHICAGO, Jan. 21 (AP)—Johnny Paychek of Des Moines, one of many heavyweights to feel the full power of Joe Louis' fists, announced today that he was through with the ring.

This statement came after Paychek essayed a comeback following his match with Louis in New York last March. Louis knocked him out in the second round.

Last night he was defeated by a Chicago negro, Selman Martin.

Coaches Solve Problem Of Son On Squad--Work Them As Stars

By Don Sanders, NEA Kansas Staff Correspondent.

Coach Bill Chandler of the Marquette basketball team has a problem.

His son, William S. Chandler Jr., is a sophomore candidate for forward, and Coach Chandler doesn't want to risk charges of favoritism, so he's keeping him on the bench.

"It's a headache," Coach Chandler says.

It undoubtedly is a headache, but at least two of the nation's best basketball mentors have solved it—or had it solved for them. The Kansas Jayhawks, co-champions of the Big Six conference, and Rhode Island State, New England conference title holders, have such combinations and they are working smoothly.

At Kansas the father-son problem hasn't been much of a problem. No one ever questioned Bob Allen's ability. It was just taken for granted he'd be a varsity man—and he became one in his sophomore year.

Dr. Forrest C. Allen plays no favorites, but his son fits in perfectly as "quarterback" of the team which last season was good enough to go to the finals in the N. C. A. A. tournament, losing out to Indiana.

Hopes To Be Doctor.

Bob Allen averaged 4.3 a game as a sophomore and 7.1 last year. His average this season, if the opening games are any indication, will be considerably higher.

He stands a shade over six feet, weighs 168 . . . He plays center, is a remarkable ball handler. His grades in a pre-med course are high, and he hopes to continue at the University of Pennsylvania medical school.

Milton Allen also played two years of basketball for Warner, graduating in 1936. He's now back at Kansas studying law.

Coach Frank W. Keaney of Rhode Island State not only relies on his son, Warner, in basketball, but in football and baseball as well.

Warner Keaney is a key figure in the Ram team, which last season averaged 75 points through a 22-game schedule. He keeps up with a fast, free-scoring outfit despite his size.

He stands 6 feet, 4 inches . . . tips the scales at somewhere between 240 and 270 pounds. He's down on the squad roster at 240, but "most" among the little campus at Kingston, R. I., will guess he's closer to 270.

Co-Captain Warner Keaney looks a sight on a basketball court—until the game starts. Despite his weight he often goes the full 40 minutes. He plays guard, is a specialist at taking the ball off the boards and whizzing it the full length of the floor.

Wooster Has Father, Son.

Warner played quarterback in football, led the Rams in scoring in 1940 . . . He generalised the team, did all the punting and placekicking. In baseball, he plays in the outfield, at first base, or pitcher . . . was with Laconia, N. H., last summer.

Another father-son combination is that at the College of Wooster, in Ohio, where Coach E. M. Hole is now in his 15th season. His son, Gilbert Pudge Hole, has been a regular forward for two years, and this year captains the team.

Marie Antoinette, by wearing potato flowers in her hair, made potato blossoms the symbol of coquetry.



Frank Keaney and his son, Warner, hold strategy session.



Dr. F. C. Allen gives his son, Bob, a lesson in shooting.

Vaughan Says Chicago Business Is Favorable

Business in Chicago is in "high gear," declared S. M. Vaughan, manager of Barrow Furniture Company, who returned Sunday from a trip to the Chicago market.

The greatest number of buyers, over 12,000, registered at the market, he said.

Prices increased somewhat, he said, but hardly to the extent expected.

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Japan Advises Britons To Leave Before Crisis

TOKYO, Jan. 21 (AP)—The British consul at Yokohama was reported today to have sent letters advising some British citizens in his district to leave Japan "before the impending crisis in American-Japanese relations comes to a head."

Letters were said to have been sent to a selected list of 30 British—presumably those with substantial property holdings.

British at Tokyo, Kobe, and other cities in Japan were said not to have received any such letters.

Those at Yokohama were reported to have been advised to depart by "the regular shipping routes," if they had no "important reason for remaining in Japan."

Giants Coach Slams Belated Coast Game

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 21 (AP)—Big Steve Owen was talking straight from the shoulder, and this hefty coach of the New York Giants professional football team, have very large and very wide shoulders.

"As long as you have such disgraceful 'wildcat' games as you had Sunday, you'll never see major league pro football in Los Angeles or California," he declared in an interview.

Owen, preparing to shove off for New York, referred to a belated grid engagement between the Los Angeles Bulldogs and a hastily recruited, rapidly-drilled squad made up largely of college seniors who but a few weeks ago were the toast of their scattered football worlds. The promotion, financially speaking, was hardly a success.

British Say Report In Japan Not True

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Tokyo reports that the British consulate there had advised British subjects to leave Japan "before the impending crisis in American-Japanese relations comes to a head" were denied today as "quite untrue" by authoritative British sources. They refused to comment further.

Kilgore To Determine Ball Clubs In League

KILGORE, Tex., Jan. 21 (AP)—Whether Kilgore remains in the East Texas League will probably determine if the circuit is to have eight clubs or six.

Local fans began a drive today to raise money necessary for rebuilding the park and starting the season. The decision was reached at a meeting last night when it was announced the Kilgore owners had offered the franchise back to the League.

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McCamey Officers Help Iraan Guard

MCCAMEY, Jan. 21 (Special)—Lieutenants Jimmie Wilson and Ralph Daugherty, Captain E. C. Bone, and Sergeants Jack Duke and V. O. Hanlon of the Upton County Home Defense guards met with the Iraan unit there last night for drill.

Due to influenza attendance has been small, but a large number is expected tonight when the guard meets for drill in Badger field.

There has been a delay in shipment of guns and artillery, because of equipping troops in training camps. The company here is complete with approximately twenty men in reserve.

An army officer is expected soon to inspect the company.

Inauguration Crowds Shower Attention On Mother Of President

WASHINGTON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Mrs. Sara Delano Roosevelt, who in a long life has learned to take things as they come, appeared serene and proud and quite unshaken today as her son began his third term as president.

Perhaps she moved a bit more slowly than she did in 1933, when Franklin D. Roosevelt first took the presidential oath. Perhaps she relied a little more on her polished cane as she passed from room to room in the White House. But she had a grand time throughout the inaugural weekend, and hers was an honor that had come to no other American mother. She is 86.

Praised Her Clothes

From the moment the mistress of Hyde Park stepped off a train Sunday afternoon, the inaugural crowds demonstrated their affection for her. Spontaneous applause rippled where ever she appeared. Clothes-conscious women lavished praise upon her attire.

The President's mother was a center of attraction on the inaugural platform before Mr. Roosevelt emerged from the capitol to renew his solemn oath. Cabinet members and their wives came up to pay their respects. Diplomats in gold braid and plumed hats chatted easily with her.

LOST NICKEL HIS LAST.

MRS. SARAS SENTENCE SUSPENDED

NEW YORK, Jan. 21 (AP)—James Snyder, a jobless clerk, kept a subway train waiting several minutes while he searched the tracks for a nickel he had dropped.

"You'd do it, too," was the explanation that won him a suspended sentence "if you'd lost your last nickel."

Wichita Falls Traffic Death First In 85 Days

WICHITA FALLS, Jan. 21 (AP)—This city's first traffic fatality in 85 days was marked up today with the death of Julian Stroud, 37, Electric grain company employee, who was injured in an automobile collision Sunday. The last fatality occurred Oct. 27.

Scottish Arms Factory Explosion Kills Four

LONDON, Jan. 21 (AP)—Four persons were killed in an explosion in a Scottish arms factory this afternoon, the Ministry of Supply announced.