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A BIBLE THOUGHT FOR THE DAY THUS CONSCIENCE DOTH MAKE COWARDS OF US ALL: The wicked flee when no man pursueth.—Proverbs 28:1.

Mother's Day

On the second Sunday in May, 1907, a Philadelphia spinster, Anna Jarvis, mourned the first anniversary of her mother's death and prevailed upon a Philadelphia church to hold a special service to honor beloved mothers everywhere.

Congress in 1914 passed an act designating the second Sunday in May as Mother's Day and requesting the display of the American flag on all government buildings on that day.

Since 1914 the observance of Mother's Day has grown to nationwide proportions.

A mother's affection is priceless. It has taken the best of her life to be the wonderful mother she is and it is only right that each and everyone of us honor mother not only today but each and every day of the year, and each and every year. She merits a very special sort of devotion.

Cracked Mirrors

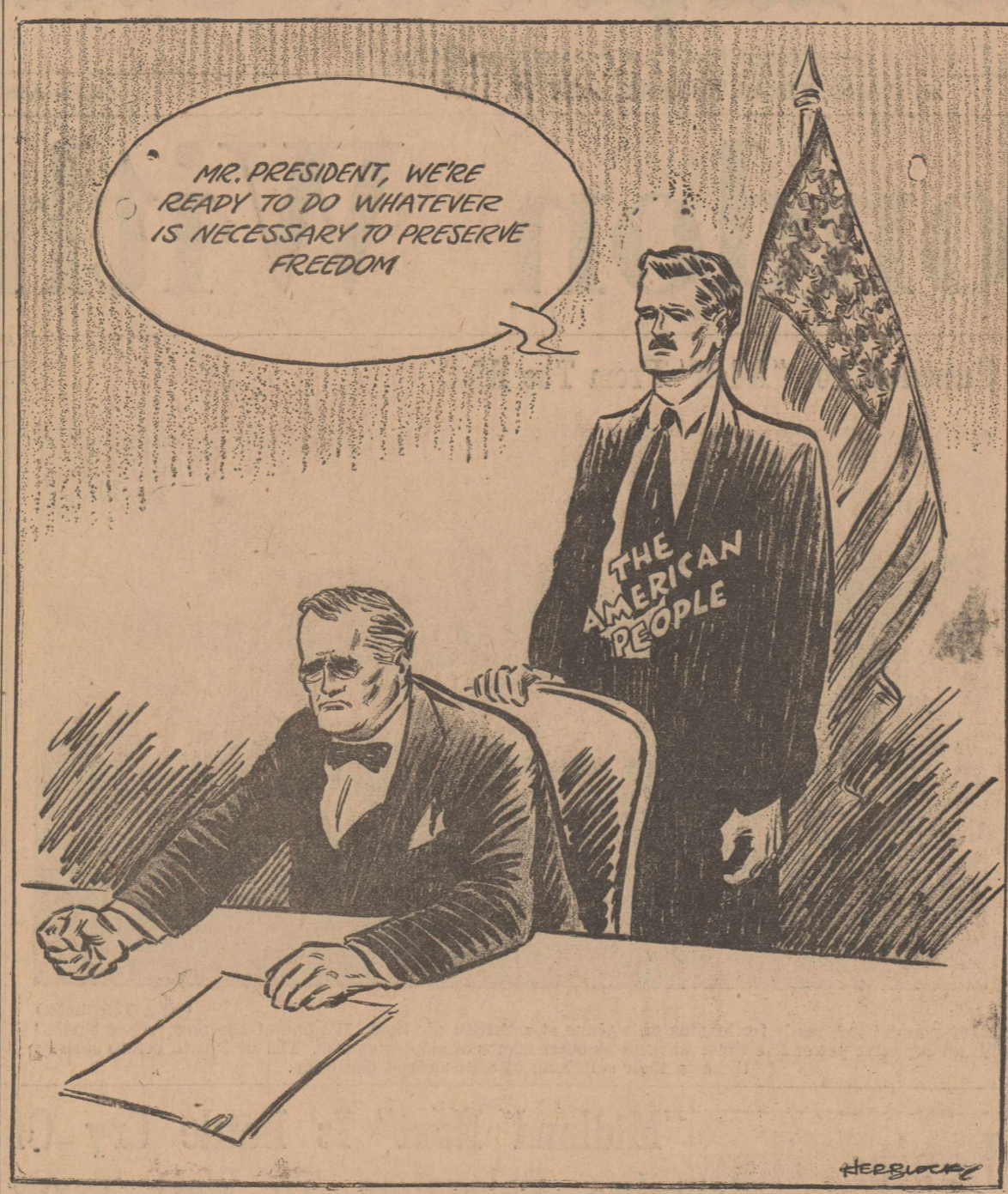
It is a melancholy sight to Americans traveling abroad to pick up newspapers and magazines and see the writings of American nonentities paraded as representing American thought.

Axis countries, and countries in which there is an active press favorable to the Axis, seize on any writing appearing in the United States which supports their cause, and translate and reproduce it with the greatest display. It gives foreigners a completely wrong impression of what goes on in American minds.

Newest such trash to be reproduced abroad is a book by William Dudley Pelley, the Silver Shirt Fuehrer, with which the Japanese are now being regaled. No doubt the introduction to the book fails to mention that Pelley has no standing or following whatever in the United States, and that he could not be elected dog-catcher of a whistle-stop tank town.

If other countries choose to delude themselves with such bunk, that is, one supposes, their business. But it would be tragic if any form from it conclusions as to America in action.

The Time Of Decision



We Are In The Army And We Like It

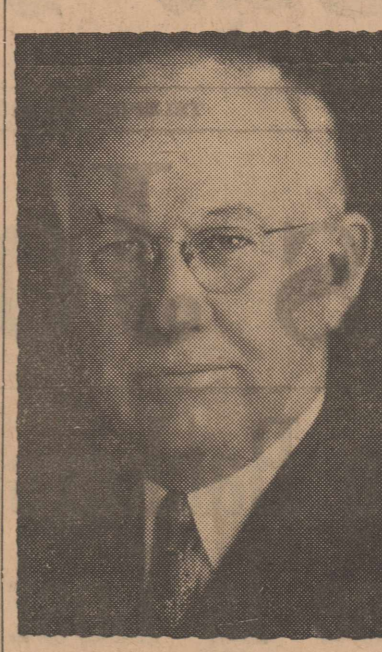
By Buster Howard FORT BLISS.—A soldier's day is pretty well taken up, yet there is time for leisure here in camp. Our schedule calls for reveille at 5:50 a. m. and each soldier must report. Breakfast comes at 6:15 a. m., and after that every one cleans up his tent if he has not had time before breakfast. Tents are easily cleaned unless they have been neglected for a few days.

At 6:45 a. m. the tent street is cleaned and ten minutes is allowed for that work. We then have until 7:30 a. m., for leisure. Then we go to the stables, saddle horses, pack machine guns on pack horses and leave the stables at 8:20 a. m. for the drill field. For two and a half hours we practice or drill. Then we return to the stables, groom our horses and complete this task by 11:20, giving us time to clean up before we eat.

Two afternoons a week we have dismantled drill from 1:30 until 3 o'clock. Then we are through work for the day. On other afternoons we have instruction on field activities such as scouting. We also have special details such as tent repairing, cleanup of the grounds and handling of supplies.

Most of the men go to El Paso on the weekends. Cavalrymen have much equipment to keep in shape and this takes some of our time. Musical instruments and radios are popular and groups gather and sing cowboy ballads and popular tunes.

WTCC Speaker



Congressman Ewing Thomason, El Paso, will be principal speaker Friday at a closing banquet of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention in Mineral Wells. His topic will be "The People and National Defense."

CRANIUM CRACKERS

Draft Odities. Selective service boards have run into millions and one different problems, some humorous, some tragic, in handling draft cases. See how quickly you can breeze through these questions about draft oddities. 1. What World War I hero was once a conscientious objector to the 1917 draft?

Army Sends Brownwood Officers To Washington

BROWNWOOD, May 10—(AP)—Four 36th division officers serving as assistants on the general staff today were transferred to the general staff corps on orders from Washington. They were assigned to duty in the same posts they have been filling.

Not A Meteor, Just A Flare

A number of Midland residents through they saw a meteor fall about 40 miles southwest of the city Friday night, but investigation showed it was an airplane flare.

The flare was dropped about 9:15 p. m. by the pilot of a plane serving as a target in the Army's searchlight maneuvers to inform officers it was going to the airport and land due to the sand storm.

In New York state, accidental deaths in homes totaled 3200 in 1939, as compared to 2400 highway deaths.

Little George Ferries Big Bombers From Lockheed Plant To Seacoast--Says Nazis Are In For Headaches

Add Midland's contribution to Aid to Britain—George McEntire, Jr., bomber ferry pilot.

Little George visited Midland this week-end. He is moving to California, and is ferrying bombers across the United States to the East for shipment or flying to England.

McEntire is one of 100 pilots, employed by Lockheed Aircraft Company, to deliver bombers for shipment. "There is never a dull moment," he said. "We fly the planes across the U. S. and ride a commercial ship back to the plant. It is an endless cycle."

Will Judge Horses



Dr. E. C. Walter

BIG SPRING, May 10—Classes in Big Spring's charity horse show on May 16-17-18 will be judged by Dr. E. C. Walter of Mayfield, Ky. A physician who has bred and trained horses as a hobby, Dr. Walter is owner of the High-Content stock farm. He has been a breeder of gaited horses 25 years.

Keeps Austrian Stamps, Wins Philatelic Award

DALLAS, May 10—(AP)—Seven years ago, Austrian stamps were among the world's cheapest issues so Henry C. Stratford of Dallas began a collection which includes all but 18 of Austria's 993 issues.

Well, I can't tell you. It's a military secret." McEntire intimated the Nazis were in for some headaches from American built bombers.

Advertisement for Packard Clipper car featuring a large image of the car and the headline 'Step into the future - today! new PACKARD CLIPPER'

Advertisement for J. J. Willis Sales Company featuring car specifications, prices, and contact information for the Midland, Texas office.

Army's Yellow Card Probably Is Key To Training Efficiency

By William T. Rives CAMP WALLACE, Hitchcock, Tex., May 10—(AP)—A big yellow card may decide the prowess of the United States army.

The card holds the key to the army's plan to put every soldier in the place best suited to him. Gone is the old custom of fitting a square peg into a round hole, or the belief of World War days that soldiers and water find their own level.

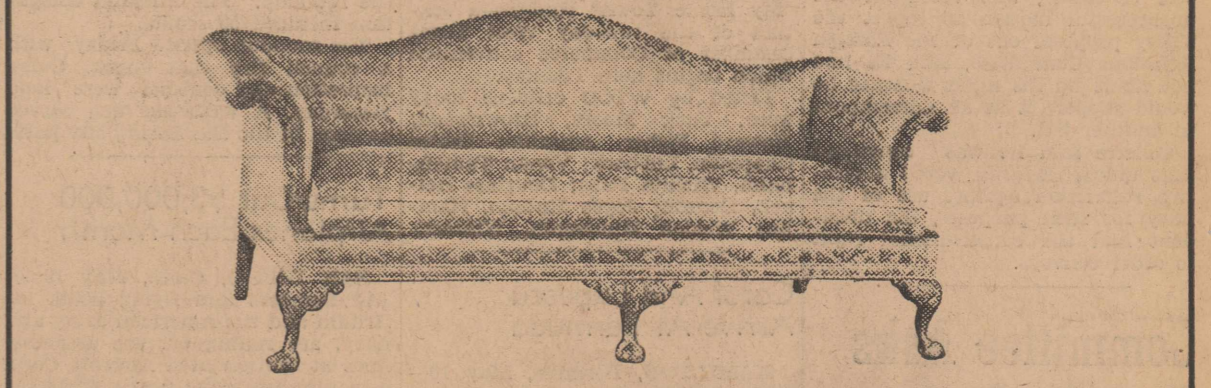
When a prospective soldier reports, an officer equipped with the card interviews him. The questions lead the interviewer deep into the history and qualifications of the soldier.

On the basis of the man's answers, he will be assigned to one of two general classifications: Either he will be a soldier with purely military duties, such as handling a gun or he will qualify for other duties requiring a more or less specialized background.

ALIENS INVESTIGATORS ARRIVE IN EL PASO

EL PASO, May 10—(AP)—A 15-man squad of the new alien investigative division of the Department of Justice was established here today to operate in the border territory of New Mexico, Texas, and Arizona.

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### Homemaking Girls Win Honors At State Rally

Peggy Jean Gard, Nellie Elkin Brunson, Colleen Doss, and Jacqueline Theis, homemaking students won several honors for Midland High School in the recent state contest at San Antonio. Peggy Jean, who modeled an evening dress, received an "excellent" rating. The others presented a patriotic radio skit which won third place and rated excellent. These girls, Miss Iva Butler and Miss Jeanne Logan, homemaking teachers, were entertained at the rally. They attended an informal tea at the governor's mansion. Miss Logan and Miss Butler attended a teachers luncheon. A formal banquet was held at the Gunter Hotel.

### Jo Ann Proctor Is Hostess To Q. V. V.

Jo Ann Proctor entertained the Q. V. V. Club Tuesday. A business meeting was held and refreshments were served to Doris Lynn Pemberton, Tweeta Byrd, Gloria Coryell, Hilda Vogel, Maxine Stewart, Emily Jane Lamar, Frances Ellen Link, Mary Lee Snider, Sue Shepard, Marilyn Sidwell, Eula Ann Tolbert and Kathryn Frances.

### Supt. Lackey Receives "Five And Thirty Years"

Supt. W. W. Lackey received his book of poems, "Five and Thirty Years" Wednesday. Lackey dedicated the book to his friends. It contains tributes by Dr. E. V. White, dean of the Texas State College for Women.

### Nine Band Students Enter National Meet

Nine members of the band went to Waco where they entered the national band contest. The students were accompanied by Director M. A. Armstrong.

### News Of Former Midland Students

Bert Warner, who took a post graduate course, was in Midland last week from Wink.

Bob Dozier visited his family and friends here last week.

Spencer Collins, attending the School of Mines in El Paso, joined the engineer's fraternity there.

Harold Barnes former MHS track man is a member of the University of Texas team.

Mary Lou Hoskins, student at San Marcos Academy was rated superior in homemaking dress contest at San Antonio.

Melba O'Neil returned home Sunday after she had finished the state examination for a beauty course. She probably will work in Midland.

Truman Whitaker, ex-student, in the marines at San Diego, Calif., is visiting his parents here.

Frances Guffey, student in a business college at Abilene visited Midland.

John Dublin, Jr., attending N. M. M. I., visited in Carlsbad with friends.

Lois May Lynch, Elinor Hedrick, and Jacqueline Campbell, attending Christian College, Columbia, Mo., made a tour with students to St. Louis and saw a group of Shakespearean plays.

### Bottoms Up, Mr. Willkie!



(NEA Telephoto.) After calling for "more action, less talk" in an address to an aid to Britain rally in Madison Square Garden in New York, Wendell Willkie buries his face in a water pitcher on the speaker's stand, like this.

### Greathouse Will Turn Drug Store Over To P-TA Members Monday

Members of Midland's four parent-teacher organizations will staff the Midland Drug Store Monday and receive 10 per cent of the day's business receipts. They will have complete charge of the store.

Manager Barney Greathouse announced that four PTA units would furnish approximately 50 workers to handle departments of the store.

Mrs. W. Y. Penn is chairman of a committee planning the day.

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### Clean-Up Drive Is Big Success

Termining Midland's Clean-up, Paint-up, Fix-up Week, which ended yesterday, one of the most successful here in recent years, Miss Elma F. Graves, chairman of the city beautification committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of the event, Saturday expressed appreciation of civic and service clubs, city officials, school officials, instructors and students, women's organizations and other organizations and individuals who assisted in the annual spring event.

Miss Graves pointed out, however, the clean-up work in Midland is far from completed and that there are still many unsightly spots which must be cleaned up before Midland can lay claim to being "West Texas' cleanest city." She urged citizens to continue the clean-up, paint-up and fix-up program during the coming months.

Continue Campaign It is impossible to thoroughly clean-up a city in a week's time and citizens should continue the campaign until every alley, vacant lot, and every piece of property in the city has been cleaned up, Miss Graves said. City beautification is a long-range program, she explained, but we intend to stay on the job until real results have been obtained.

The co-operation extended by organizations and individuals during clean-up week and efforts given by committee members in arranging the campaign were excellent, and the results gratifying, Miss Graves said. She also expressed appreciation to school students for obtaining approximately 2,100 signatures on the clean-up pledge sheets, and to the theatre management for giving complimentary tickets to students obtaining signatures.

### Sub-Deb Pledges At LaForce Home

Sub-Deb pledges met at the home of Suzanne LaForce Wednesday. After a business meeting, dancing and bridge furnished entertainment.

### Will Handle Midland Drug Sales



Committee women, PTA officials, store managers and workers, who will handle sales tomorrow at Midland Drug. Left to right are (first row) Mrs. C. R. Fitch, Mrs. Homer Ingham, Mrs. E. E. Reigle, Mrs. James H. Chapple, Mrs. B. L. Crites, Mrs. Al Boring, Mrs. Herbert King, Mrs. D. R. Carter; (back row) Mrs. Webb Miller, Mrs. L. C. McDonald, Mrs. S. P. Hazlip, Mrs. W. E. Chapman, and Mrs. C. M. Floyd.

### TO ATTEND NTAC PROGRAMS

Mrs. Fred Middleton, Mrs. Brooks Pemberton, and Mrs. Eula Mahoney will leave this morning for Arlington where they will view the Mother's Day parade this afternoon.

Two other attractions are in store for them. On Tuesday night, Fred Gordon Middleton, son and grandson of Mrs. Middleton and Mrs. Pemberton, respectively, will appear in an NTAC program while on Wednesday night he will be presented in an individual musical recital. Fred Gordon is a second year student at NTAC.

### KING EMMANUEL MAKES VISIT TO DOMINION

ROME, May 10—(AP)—King Vittorio Emanuele has visited his Albanian dominion for the first time since it was taken under the Italian crown two years ago, it was officially announced today.

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### Students Practice Commencement Music

The student body began work on musical numbers for commencement exercises. Students will sing in four parts under the direction of Mrs. De Lo Douglas. In answer to requests from some of the seniors, "The Angelus" and "Taps" will be sung. Other songs being practiced are "Pilgrim's Chorus" from Tannhauser, and "Hail to the New Born King" from the Christmas cantata. The chorus and glee clubs also are practicing numbers.

### Students' Names In The News

Wendna Land, Bonga, Texas, visited Ruby Hale over the weekend.

Nancy and Sue LaForce visited in Carlsbad May 3.

Guy Tom Cowden returned to school Monday after an appendectomy.

Mozelle Brooks spent last weekend in Odessa.

Mary Sue Cowden spent the weekend in Austin visiting Nell Ruth and Anna Beth Bedford.

Miss Gladys Pinson, history instructor, was absent from school Monday because of a death in her family.

Ruth Richmond and Troy West visited Carlsbad Caverns.

### O. C. A. Club Meets With Janice Pope

Janice Pope entertained the O. C. A. Club at her home Saturday when plans for a picnic were made. Refreshments were served to Norman Jean Stice, Martha Jane Preston, Bobbie Jean Gibbins, Elaine Hedrick, Mary Ruth Dozier, Kathryn Hanks, Mary Frances Carter, Jo Ann Blair, and the hostess.

### Staff Returns Catoico Copy To Printers

Sue Miles, editor of the annual, said the copy for the Catoico had been received. Mrs. Valentinus Dee, sponsor, and the editor proof-read the book and returned the copy to publishers.

Catoicos still are on sale. The editor said the annual will be sent here about May 20.

### Mrs. Chappell Speaks To Spanish Classes

Speaking on Panama, Mrs. J. H. Chapple addressed the third and fourth year Spanish classes Wednesday. She told students of interesting sights for tourists in Panama City, and talked to the class a few minutes in Spanish.

### Spanish And Latin Clubs Have Picnic

About 200 Spanish and Latin students went to Cloverdale Friday for a picnic. Miss Jacobina Burch, Spanish teacher, and Mrs. Valentinus Dee, Latin instructor, planned the picnic.

The third and fourth year classes each were permitted to invite a guest.

# It's Coming

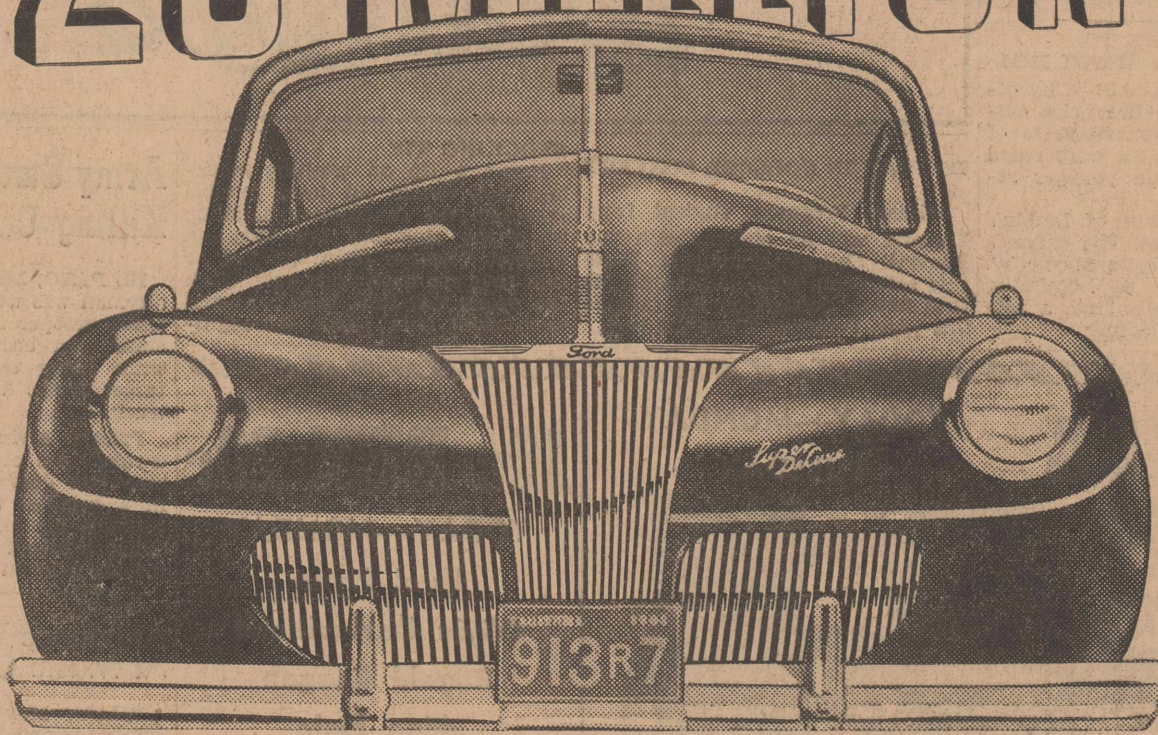


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### Collins Speaks At Waco; Others Campaign Hard

By The Associated Press  
 Hat H. Collins of Mineral Wells, political pal of Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, opened his senatorial show on the public square at Waco Saturday night, climaxing a week of steady campaigning by the other other candidates in the 12-man race.

Another opener in the senatorial campaign was Arlon B. (Cyclone) Davis, Jr., of Dallas, bearded son of a politically-famous father. He spoke at Mount Vernon, Sulphur Springs and Greenville.

Collins mentioned O'Daniel's name twice in his speech but had nothing to say about the governor's senatorial intentions. Making his official political bow with music, as O'Daniel once did, Collins used support of President Roosevelt's foreign policy, called for prevention of strikes and limitation of profits in defense projects.

**Ferguson Won't Run**  
 Lyndon Johnson rounded out a week's aerial tour of the state with conferences in Dallas and speeches at Greenville and Commerce Saturday. Martin Dies was warning West Texas audiences of fifth column dangers in speeches at Vernon, Plainview and Lubbock. Gerald Mann was in deep East Texas for rallies at Carthage, Center, Nacogdoches and Lufkin.

Former Governor Jim Ferguson announced at Houston Saturday that he would not be a candidate. "My wife and I will vote for Governor O'Daniel," Farmer Jim said in a statement. "If he does not run we will endeavor to select the one that will do least harm in office."

**Deputy Supervisors Meet For Discussions On Tax**

AUSTIN, May 10—(AP)—Deputy supervisors of the Texas liquor control board gathered in Austin today to receive instructions on how to collect increased liquor taxes, beginning June 1 when the state levy jumps from 96 cents to \$1.28 a gallon.

Stocks of retail dealers will require at least 14,000,000 fractional tax stamps, it was estimated, and the district offices of the liquor board will be prepared to supply them.

**Health Council To Meet Monday**

A program on "The Whole Child," with emphasis on the pre-school age, will be presented at the meeting of the public health council at the courthouse, Monday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

Malcolm Bridges will speak on recreation as pertaining to the development of the whole personality. The public is invited to attend the meetin, especially members of the North and South Ward PTA's.

The meeting was originally scheduled for Tuesday evening.

### OFFICIALS DECLINE TO RETIRE WORKER—SHOOT HIM

LUFKIN, May 10—(AP)—City officials declined to retire city employee with more than 20 years of service—so they shot the worker and today searched for a younger replacement.

The worker was one of Lufkin's two city-owned mules. The animal's leg was broken. Despite Mayor W. M. Glenn's efforts to hospitalize and then retire the animal, a veterinary advised shooting.

### Stocking Tip

Here's a tip on washing stockings that should cut down possible snagging and unnecessary handling when the stockings are wet and weakest. Remove from the feet so that they are wrong side out. Wash the wrong side first, then turn and wash right side. Rinse thoroughly on a truck.

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 Class E Band Concert—South Junior High of Waco.

### Prairie Lee School Will Hold May Fete

A May fete, featuring a pageant of Texas under six flags, will be presented by students of Prairie Lee School Tuesday at 8:15 a. m.

The fete will be presented on the school grounds.

Crowning of Rosemary Drummonds as May queen and of Morgan Stewart as king will feature the program, directed by Mr. and Mrs. Gay Koonce and Miss Beulah Fuller.

### Many Couples Dance At Soldiers Event

Soldiers of the Provisional Searchlight Battalion will not forget dances given for them by women's clubs and the American Legion of Midland.

That was the consensus at last night's dance, the last of a series of dances.

Seventy-five to 100 couples danced Roy De Wolfe led an orchestra, furnishing music.

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### TO PLAY IN COLLEGE CONCERT

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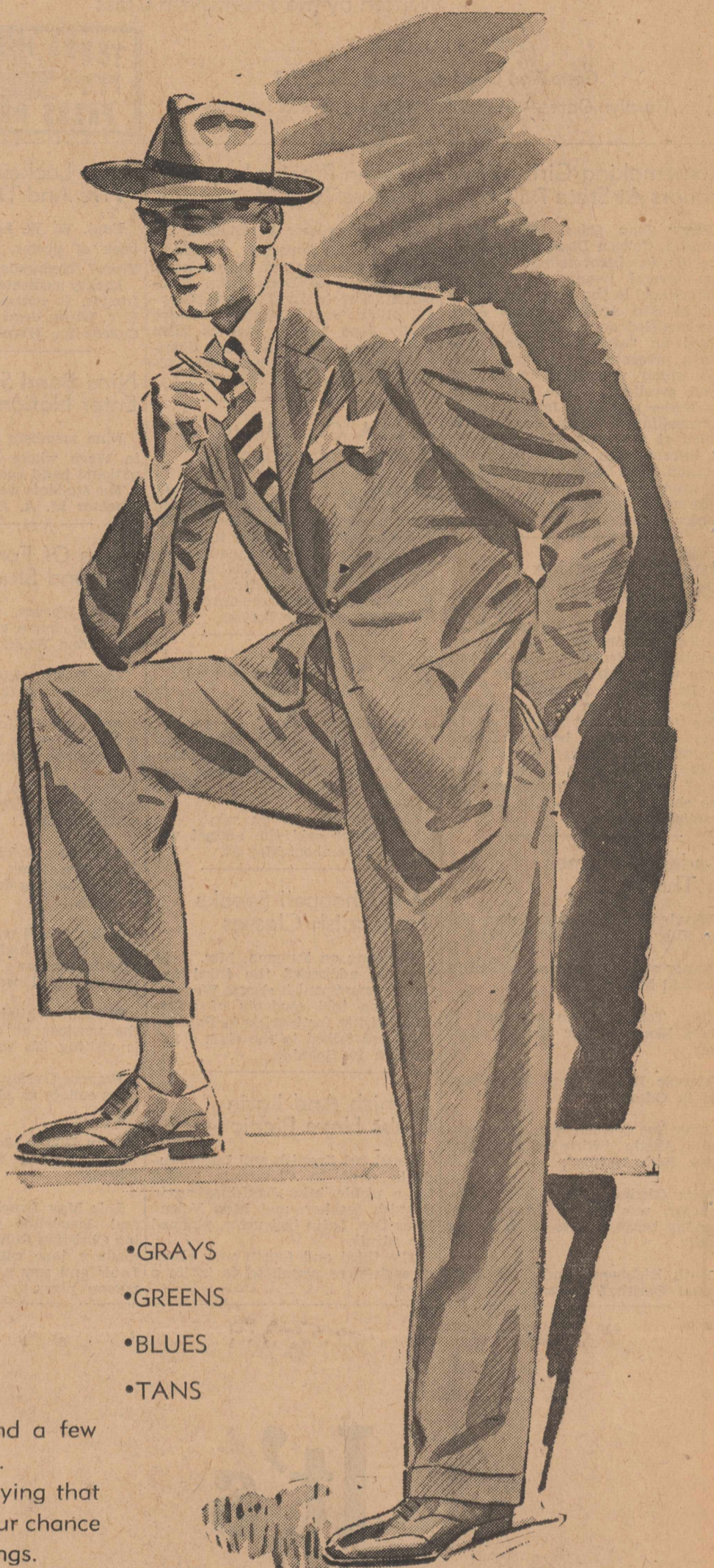
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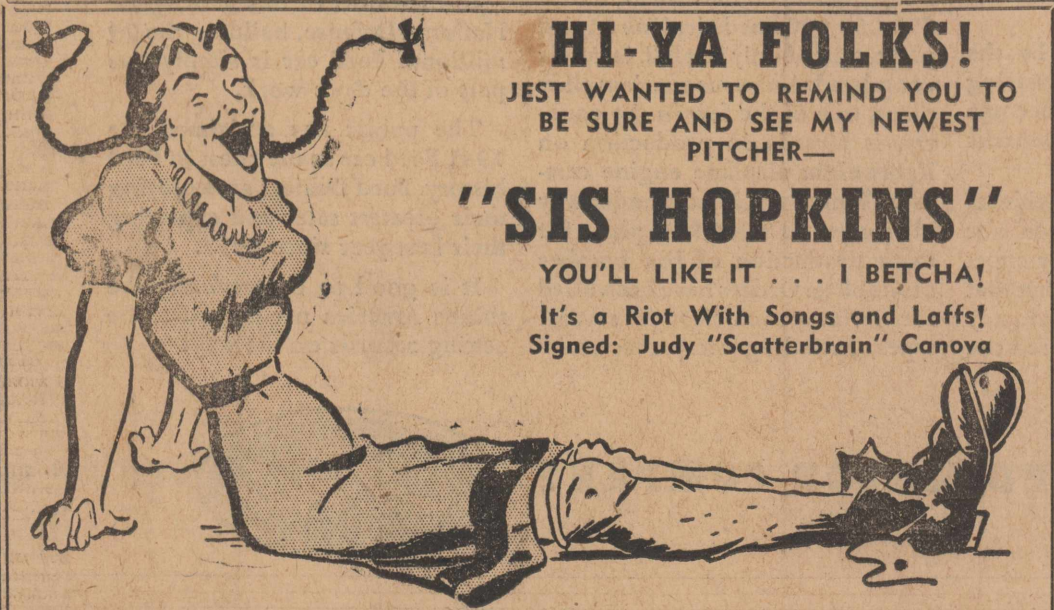
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### Hatch's Politics Law Would Require Report

WASHINGTON, May 10—(AP)—Senator Hatch (D-N M) said today he had drafted an amendment to his "clean politics" law which would require individuals to report in their income tax returns all funds received or disbursed for political purposes.

Under his proposal, a special form asking the data on political contributions would be sent out with the income tax blanks each year. Contributions would be sent out with the supplementary form, or made it out fraudulently, would be subject to the same federal fines and jail sentences provided for income tax evaders.

### Dallas Women Announce Prison Reform Campaign

DALLAS, May 10—(AP)—Mrs. Currie McCutcheon, president of the Democratic Women of Dallas, said today that Dallas club women have decided to undertake a complete reform of the Texas Prison system following a recently successful campaign to eliminate the bat as a prison punishment instrument.

At a meeting today, she said the women drafted a resolution outlining their proposed campaign and sent it to prison officials.

### DE GAULLE ASKS FRENCH TO DEFY OPPRESSORS

NEW YORK, May 10—(AP)—General Charles De Gaulle broadcast a plea from London tonight to "Free Frenchmen" to "defy the Nazi oppressor" tomorrow, the anniversary of French National Heroine Joan of Arc, by going into the streets and observing a three-hour silence from three to six o'clock in the afternoon.

### Fifty More Men Receive Papers

The Midland County draft board mailed 50 questionnaires and announced yesterday it would send them out as rapidly as they could be handled at the office in accordance with recent orders.

Receiving questionnaires in the week-end mails were: Forest John Schempf, Ralph Robert Newman, James David Grant, Jr., Jack Watkins Lineberry, James Louis Thomas, Bill Lee Smith, Alton Eugene Towery, Clement Joseph Buser, William Monroe Blevins, Noel Raymond Lamb, Benito Rubio Florz, Ray John Reishman, Esley Doyle FitzGerald, William Lorence Clark, Vernal Massingill, John Francis Ross, Edwin Henry Walden, Jack Jim Taylor Hindman.

### 735 Forms Mailed

James Maurice Betts, Alvery Anson Bryant, Noble Elnan Spaulding, Roy Cuberson Jones, George Richard Carter, Joe Anthony Fasnacht, Morris Jock Bodine, Chilton Harold Hobbs, S. A. Stringer, Preston Fobis Bridgewater, Weldon Wayne Hart, Albion Dewitt Carr, Henry Clarence Baker, Alvon Earl Patterson, Leroy Huckabay, Floyd Whatley, Lloyd Raymond Pittman, Edmund Stewart Hitchcock, Cecil Emmett Caffey.

James Edgar Darnell, Walter Arthur Kriegal, Andres Garcia Hernandez, Johnnie Dillien Matthews, Benino Sanchez Lerma, Lester Ervin Linney, Wilford Benjamin Jennings, Frank Diedrich Stubbeman, Willie Shaw, Albert Roy McReynolds, Fred Arthur Stout, Jr., William Howard Reed, and Newton Henry Wolf.

Wolf already has been indicated. He was a volunteer.

The board announced 735 questionnaires had been mailed.

### College Head Wants More Mental Spinach

ST. LOUIS—(UP)—Less "cream puff" teaching and more "intellectual spinach" is needed in American colleges in the opinion of Dr. Paul J. Ketrick, president of Loretto Heights College at Loretto, Colo.

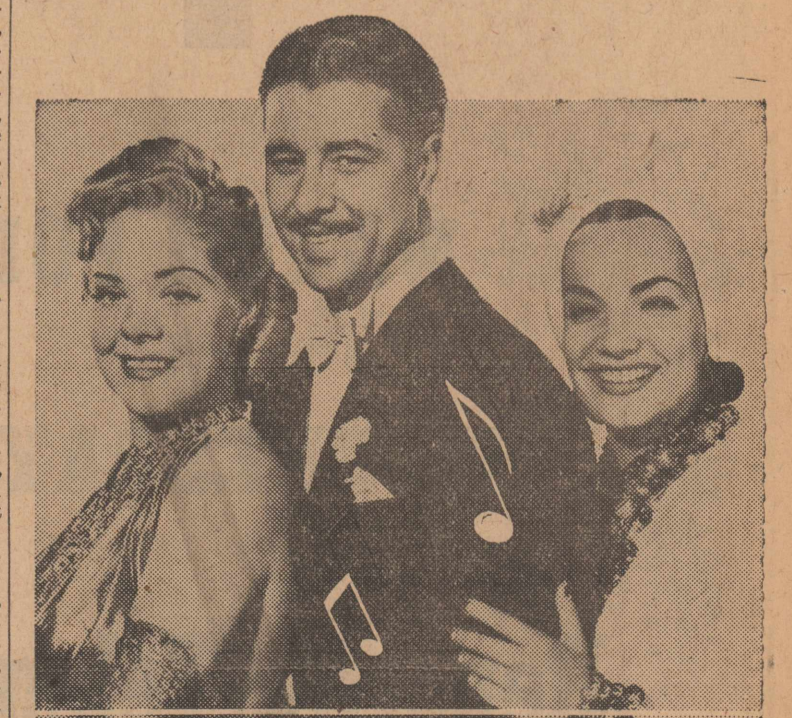
He spoke at the annual educational conference of the Catholic Sisters of Loretto here.

### Revival Singing Plans Mother's Day Program

A Mother's Day program will be presented at the Christian Revival Singing at the First Christian Church, 2:30 p.m. today.

The Rev. Thomas D. Murphy of Odessa, former pastor of the Presbyterian Church here, will speak.

### Technicolor Musical At Yucca



Alice Faye, Don Ameche and Carmen Miranda provide the romance and songs for "That Night in Rio," the glamour-filled Technicolor musical of the gay Latin American capital, playing at the Yucca, today, Monday and Tuesday.





### Realistic Western Theme Features Class Banquet

COURTNEY, May 10—(Special)—The Junior-Senior banquet of Courtney High School, held in the gymnasium Friday evening, was one of the most colorful in the history of the school.

Appointed in picturesque Western style, the banquet was termed a "round-up" and the guest list included the two classes, faculty members, and the board members and their wives.

Tables were arranged in horseshoe shape around an authentic chuck wagon, complete to the hilt of hay and lantern. A campfire laid before the wagon with cowboy's skillet and coffee pot, heightened the realistic effect.

A blue Western sky with silver stars hung over the tables which were decorated with tiny candles in miniature brush piles. Cowboy hats, boots and steer heads marked the places.

James L. Myrick gave the welcome address from the Junior class and Betty Jo Stewart responded for the Seniors. Bill Pinkston read the will for the class of '41 and Mildred Cross the class prophecy.

Freshman singers, costumed in gray range clothes and leading "Old Faithful," sang western songs around a campfire, accompanied by Curtis Powell's guitar.

Music ranging from "Home on the Range" to classical and popular numbers was furnished by an orchestra from Midland composed of: Roy DeWolfe, U. A. Hyde, Frank Savage and J. B. Golden.

#### VISITS IN SNYDER

Miss Alma Heard is spending the weekend at Snyder.



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# Charming Summer Cotton Styles Will Keep You Cool, While Keeping the Budget Down

## Washable Costumes Are Designed For Both City And Country Wear

By Marian Young  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK.—Washable sports clothes and washable dresses for both day and evening point the way to the crisp-as-lettuce look that the smart woman has resolved to achieve during the hot summer months. Coats, suits, dresses and accessories, as well as slacks, play suits and beach robes, which come out of the wash looking as fresh as dew, can be counted on to simplify summer grooming problems.



A sheer, cool cotton print, electrically embroidered in dotted Swiss effect, has mulberry and gray flowers on a white background.

Furthermore, washables solve the budget problems of the girl who has to have a country as well as a city wardrobe. They permit her to have a good selection of gay, colorful slacks and shirts which, although well tailored, are not expensive. They permit her enough shorts, bathing suits, golf and tennis dresses to see her through any amount of week-ending in fine style.

New and smart in the collection of washable summer fashions are coveralls—for fishing and sailing. These were inspired by the uniforms of garage mechanics and are one-piece with set-in belts between shirts and trousers.

Cotton corduroy sports coats are a boon to the budget-minded. A well-designed corduroy swaggar—in red, sandy beige, royal blue or gray—may be worn over everything in a summer wardrobe, from slacks suits to evening dresses. And corduroy is easy to wash and press back into shape.

#### ACCESSORIES ADD EXPENSIVE NOTE

A short jacket of snowy white pique, matching pique gloves and an equally easy-to-wash pique lapel flower comprise an ideal accessory set to wear to the office with dark sheer and printed rayon dresses. A full-length evening coat of white pique or one of the new cotton mesh materials is chic over summer dresses. A hip-length one, however, can be worn over day dresses as well.

Perfect for golf are blue and white, brown and white, or gray and white striped seersucker dresses. These are shirtwaister types, of course, with gored or pleated shorts and long shirts which will stay tucked in, and plenty of tennis dresses, both sleeveless and long-sleeved.

A new process—electrical embroidery—adds a luxury accent to popular-priced cottons for clothes for all hours of the day. White and colored fabrics are superimposed on fabrics in dotted and floral designs. A hand-embroidered look is achieved.

Whether she takes her cotton plain, printed or electrically embroidered, the girl who has decided to wear washables for work, shopping, play and dancing makes a business of learning how to wash them. She carefully follows washing instructions on the tags.

If the instructions advise use of cold water, she doesn't use lukewarm. She never hangs colored clothes in bright sunshine. She never pins them to the line with clothes pins. Her clothes are put on the shoulder-shaped hangers to dry, and they are patted and finger-pressed into shape while still damp on the hanger.

This makes ironing easier and is insurance against stretching and sagging.



Red and white printed cotton makes this distinctly 1941 play suit with a wide band of shirring around the waistline of the removable skirt. The new playshoes also are of washable cotton with open toes, heels and sides and comfortable rubber soles.

### Midland Hospital Will Observe National Week

Western Clinic Hospital will observe National Hospital Day Monday, holding open house to citizens from 2 to 4 p.m.

National Hospital Day observed throughout the United States, commemorates the birthdate of Florence Nightingale, May 12, 1820. The hospital announced: "We invite the citizenry to visit us and inspect our facilities on the birthdate of this great person, Florence Nightingale—who did so much to develop nursing and the appreciation of it."

Ryan Hospital planned no special observance for the day. It invited, however, citizens to visit the hospital.

#### RESORTS TO OLD HICKORY AND SCARES ACCOSTER

CORDELE, Pa., May 10—(AP)—Mrs. J. A. Kirkpatrick is 72 and uses a hickory walking cane to get about her store, but she is far from helpless.

A negro pointed a pistol at her and demanded her money.

Mrs. Kirkpatrick whacked him soundly over the head with her cane. The last she saw of the unsuccessful hold-up man, she said, "he was moving out at a right fast pace."

### Warfield Club Has Meeting At Schoolhouse

Warfield Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon at two o'clock at Warfield schoolhouse for a demonstration on cheese and cheese dishes.

Cheese ice cream, cheese salad, and cheese sandwiches were served to five visitors including Miss Alpha Lyran, county home demonstration agent, to two new members, Mrs. Henry Conger and Mrs. Harvey Kiser, and to the following regular members: Mmes. W. M. Randolph, P. K. Landis, J. D. Dillard, Alvis McReynolds, and J. P. Miles.

#### C. Of C. Directors Will Meet Monday

The May meeting of directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will be held at the organization's offices in Hotel Scharbauer at 7:30 p.m. Monday night.

Final plans for extending Midland's invitation for the 1942 convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be discussed and several other important matters acted upon. President James N. Allison, urging a full attendance of board members, said the session would be brief.

### Friday Knitting Club Meets With Mrs. Covington

Mrs. Carl W. Covington, 1202 W. Texas, was hostess to the Friday Knitting Club of Bundles for Britain, in its weekly meeting Friday afternoon.

Club hours were devoted to knitting for British relief.

A refreshment course was served to: Mmes. W. E. Ryan, J. Alfred Tom, R. B. Cowden, M. H. McKinsey, C. G. Cooper, Burl Self, Dan Hudson, S. B. Roach, J. Goodwin, John Dublin, and the hostess.

Roses decorated the house. There will be no meeting next Friday because of the open house for Bundles for Britain.

### Mother . . .

(Continued From Page One)

schools under Superintendent W. W. Lackey.

#### Bought Large Home.

In 1926, Mr. and Mrs. Midkiff bought the roomy, two-story house, set in a spacious lot on South Mar-ienfeld, the house which is home-stead and "headquarters" for the family, now increased by a troop of grandchildren.

The death of Mr. Midkiff last year was the first break in the immediate family circle.

Mrs. Midkiff's children still residing in or near Midland are her seven sons, Tyson, Herd, Dick, Frank, Hunter, Sam and Lige and three of her five daughters, Mrs. Ann Brinson, Mrs. Hudson Hanks, and Mrs. D. W. McDonald. The other daughters are Mrs. Lynch King of Royalty and Mrs. Ed Benedict of Grandfalls.

### Leonard Woffords Honored At Shower At Bohannon Home

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wofford, who were married recently were honored with a shower by Mrs. A. G. Bohannon at her ranch home, Friday evening.

Spring flowers were employed in house decorations and a color motif of pink and green was favored in party accessories.

Gifts were presented to the honoree from a chest decorated in pink and green, the hostess making the presentation. Games of 42 were playing during the evening.

A refreshment course was served, pink and green being featured on the plates.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Huff, Mr. and Mrs. John Cogburn, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, Mrs. Cora Melton, Mrs. Emma Aycock, Miss Winnie Ford, Miss Bessie Cogburn, Harvey Cogburn, Fred Huff, Noel Cogburn, Chester Cogburn, Gerald Livingston, Jerry Bohannon, Mrs. Wofford, and the hostess.

Sending gifts were: Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McCarter, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Skelly, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Midkiff, Mrs. S. O. Golladay, and Miss Christine Golladay.

### Sustains Broken Leg While Playing Tennis

CRANE, May 10—(Special)—Alta Brightman suffered a broken right leg Thursday while playing tennis on the concrete court at the high school. She was taken to the Robinson Hospital. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Brightman of the Gulf Camp.

Perfect for fishing or sailing is this one-piece coverall outfit of water-repellant, cotton fabric in a deep, rich blue.

### Thirteen Children Attend Story Hour

Thirteen children attended the Story Hour in the children's library Saturday morning.

They were: Katherine Whigham, Bobbie Juanita Brown, Billie Sue Bailey, Doris Bailey, Emil Roper, Betty June Rayburn, Carolyn Rayburn, LaVerne Wingo, Rebecca Helen Golladay, David McPherson, Leodan White, Ruth Hall, and June Rose Craft.

Stories told by Mrs. O. J. Hubbard were: "Shingebis Pools the North Wind"; "The Little Boy and Girl in the Clouds"; "The Child of the Evening Star"; "How Summer Came"; "Sleeping Beauty"; "Tom Thumb"; "The Goose Girl."

#### COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE ISSUES TWO LICENSES

The county clerk's office issued marriage licenses to two couples last week. They were: Troy Cecil Simpson and Charlotte Brandon, and Charles Ernest Stansell and Louise Farrington.

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By William E. McKenney  
I have awarded a great many trophies for victories at bridge, but I believe one of the most pleasant tasks I had to perform was at Coral Gables, Fla., this year, when I was able to present the original secretary of the American Bridge League the trophy for his victory in the mixed pair championship.

E. J. (Ned) Tobin was secretary in 1927 and 1929. I took over the task in 1930. Ned is well up in his seventies and has been winning championships for many years. It was most gratifying to see him win this important title this year.

His partner, Mrs. J. H. Meyerling of Ft. Lauderdale, and he played excellent bridge to win the title. Tobin's experience offset any advantage the youngsters might have had in quick thinking. Here is an example of his fine defensive play.

The king of hearts won the jack. South led the queen of diamonds, which rode to East's king. East led a heart and Tobin correctly let South win. South then cashed the jack and ten of diamonds, East discarding the deuce of spades. The next play was a low club to the jack, won by East's queen. East led the third heart and Tobin was in with the ace.

Now Tobin could have cashed the long heart for the fourth defensive trick. But he saw that if East held enough stoppers in the black suit to prevent declarer from making game in top cards, then East would be squeezed when the last heart and the diamond ace were cashed.

The only hope was to abandon the long heart. Tobin therefore switched to the ten of spades, and this play resulted in the declarer's losing two more tricks.

**Twenty-Three Persons Sign For CAA Course**

Twenty-three persons have signed up for a CAA training course in Midland, a Chamber of Commerce official said.

Fifty are needed to get the course, which will be taught by pilot instructors of the Odessa CAA school.

## KRLH PROGRAMS

- SUNDAY**
- 8:00—Morning Melodies.
  - 8:30—Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel, TSN
  - 9:00—Fundamentals of Baptist prog.
  - 9:15—Erwin Yeo, Organist
  - 9:25—AP News Bulletins, MBS
  - 9:30—To be Announced.
  - 10:00—Down Melody Lane, MBS
  - 10:30—Haven of Rest, MBS
  - 11:00—Children's Chapel, MBS
  - 11:15—Jimmy
  - 11:30—Rendezvous with Ramona, MBS
  - 12:00—News, TSN
  - 12:15—Luncheon Melodies.
  - 12:30—Cedric Foster, MBS
  - 12:45—El Paseo Troubadors, MBS
  - 1:00—Lennie Conn Sextet
  - 1:15—Melody Moments
  - 1:30—Texas Hall of Fame, MBS
  - 2:00—Dance Orchestra, MBS
  - 2:30—Mel Mart's Orch., MBS
  - 2:45—Christian Science Program.
  - 3:00—Lutheran Hour.
  - 3:30—To be Announced.
  - 4:00—Double or Nothing, MBS
  - 4:30—Bulldog Drummond, MBS
  - 5:00—R. Bennett's Notebook, MBS
  - 5:30—Lawrence Wolfe's Orch., MBS
  - 6:00—Wythe Williams, MBS
  - 6:15—Forum of the Air, MBS
  - 6:45—Diana Gayle
  - 7:00—Johnny McEwen's Orch.
  - 7:30—Nathaniel Shilkret's Orch.
  - 8:00—Dance Orchestra.
  - 8:30—To be Announced.
  - 8:45—Recorded 'Britannia Speaks' MBS
  - 9:00—To be Announced.
  - 9:15—Dance Orchestra, MBS
  - 10:00—Sign Off
- MONDAY**
- 6:30—Dawn Parade
  - 7:30—News, TSN
  - 7:45—Art Tatum, Pianist.
  - 8:00—News, TSN
  - 8:05—Mandolettes
  - 8:15—To be Announced.
  - 8:30—Singing Strings, MBS
  - 8:45—What's Doing Around Midland.
  - 9:00—B. S. Berenson, MBS
  - 9:15—Melody Strings, MBS
  - 9:30—Voice of Romance, TSN
  - 9:45—Easy Aces, TSN
  - 10:00—Neighbors, TSN
  - 10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
  - 10:30—Love Songs of Today, TSN
  - 10:45—Meet the Band.
  - 11:00—News, TSN
  - 11:05—Conservation of Vision, KBST
  - 11:10—Musical Interlude.
  - 11:15—Edith Adam's Future, MBS
  - 11:30—Helen Holden, Gov't. Girl, MBS
  - 11:45—Man on the Street.
  - 12:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
  - 12:15—Luncheon Melodies.
  - 12:00—AP News Bulletins, MBS
  - 1:05—Musical Interlude.
  - 1:15—Macon Music Parade, MBS
  - 1:45—To be Announced.
  - 1:55—UP News Bulletins, MBS
  - 2:00—Shafter Parker & Circus, MBS
  - 2:15—Harold Turner, Pianist, MBS
  - 2:30—The Johnson Family, MBS
  - 2:45—Tea For Three, MBS
  - 3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
  - 3:15—Jack Stacey, Orch.
  - 3:30—John Sturgess, MBS
  - 3:45—Accordian Aces
  - 4:00—Roy De Wolfe, Pianist.
  - 4:15—Dance Orchestra, MBS
  - 4:30—Songs by Lowry Koblner, MBS
  - 4:45—Today's Hit Tunes.
  - 6:00—Pulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
  - 6:15—Here's My Plan, MBS
  - 6:30—Assembly of Jesus Christ
  - 6:45—Schultz Sport Cast.

## Midland Sailor Gains Rapid Promotion

West Texas landmen can make good sailors—as demonstrated in the record of David Kinnebrew, Midland boy who enlisted in the navy about a year ago.

Stationed on the Destroyer U. S. S. Porter now in the Hawaiian Islands, David has been promoted rapidly. He was recently made a Seaman First Class and expects to be promoted to the petty officer rating ofcoxswain soon.

He made 100 per cent in his seamanship examination and 97 1/2 per cent in proficiency in his work aboard ship.

A former Western Union boy and member of the Mustang Club here, David is pursuing his educational course aboard ship.

His mother, a sister, and one brother live in Midland.

## Set New Records For Engine Replacement

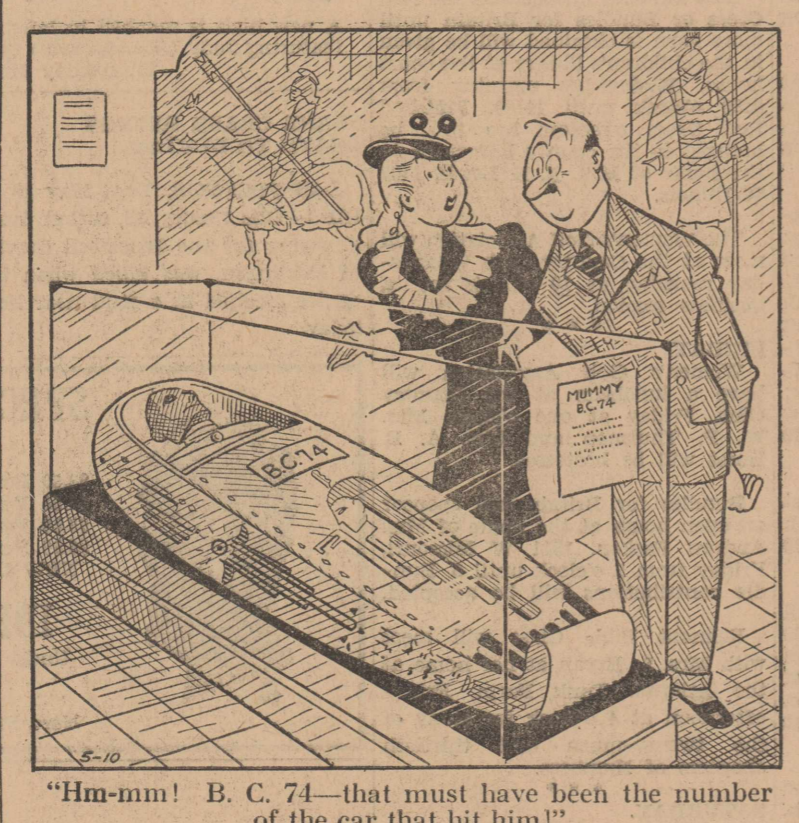
RANDOLPH FIELD, Tex.—(AP)—Mechanics at this giant U. S. Army training center are setting all-time records for engine replacement.

The 46th School Squadron, typical on the field, changed 110 engines in the fiscal year of 1939 ending June 30, 1940, but by mid-April this year had already replaced 114 power plants, with the prospect of adding 18 to 20 a month until the year ends.

Supervisors account for the drastic increase by citing the larger number of hours being flown.

No actual overhauling of engines is done at the "West Point of the Air," the work being taken to the centrally located air depot at Duncan Field.

## Funny Business



"Hm-mm! B. C. 74—that must have been the number of the car that hit him!"

## Side Glances



"Our young minister forgot half of his sermon this morning when that new girl sat down in the front row."

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

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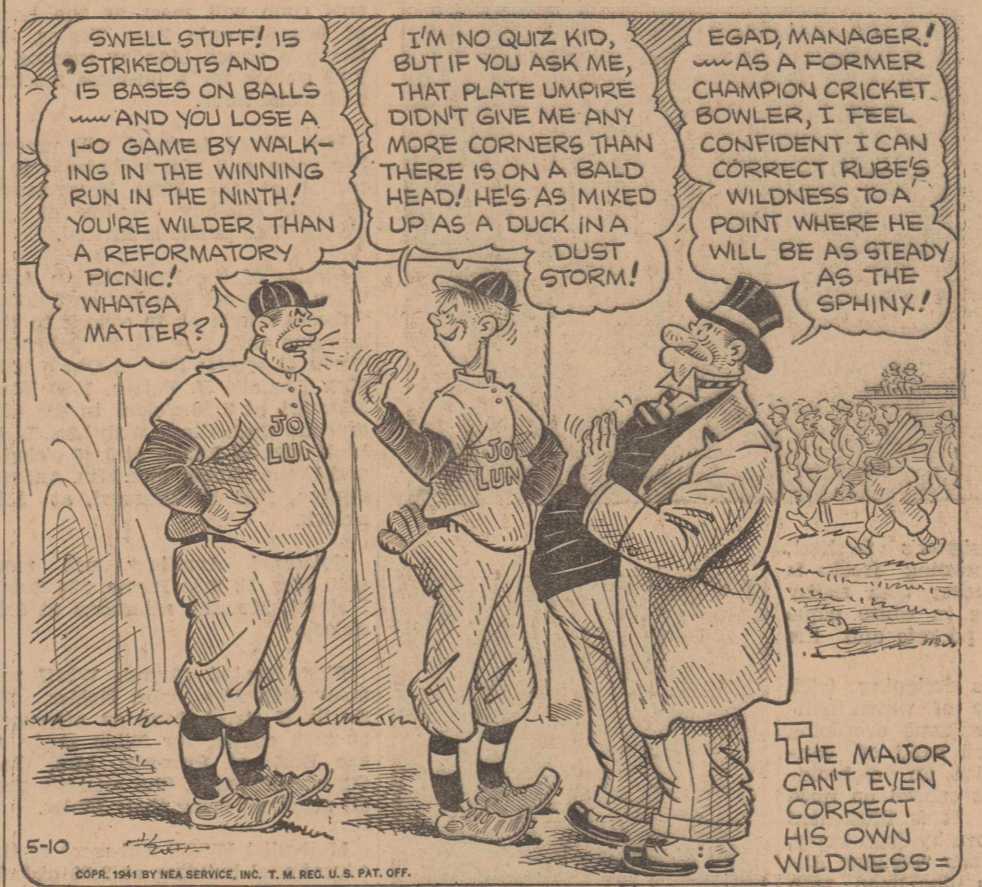
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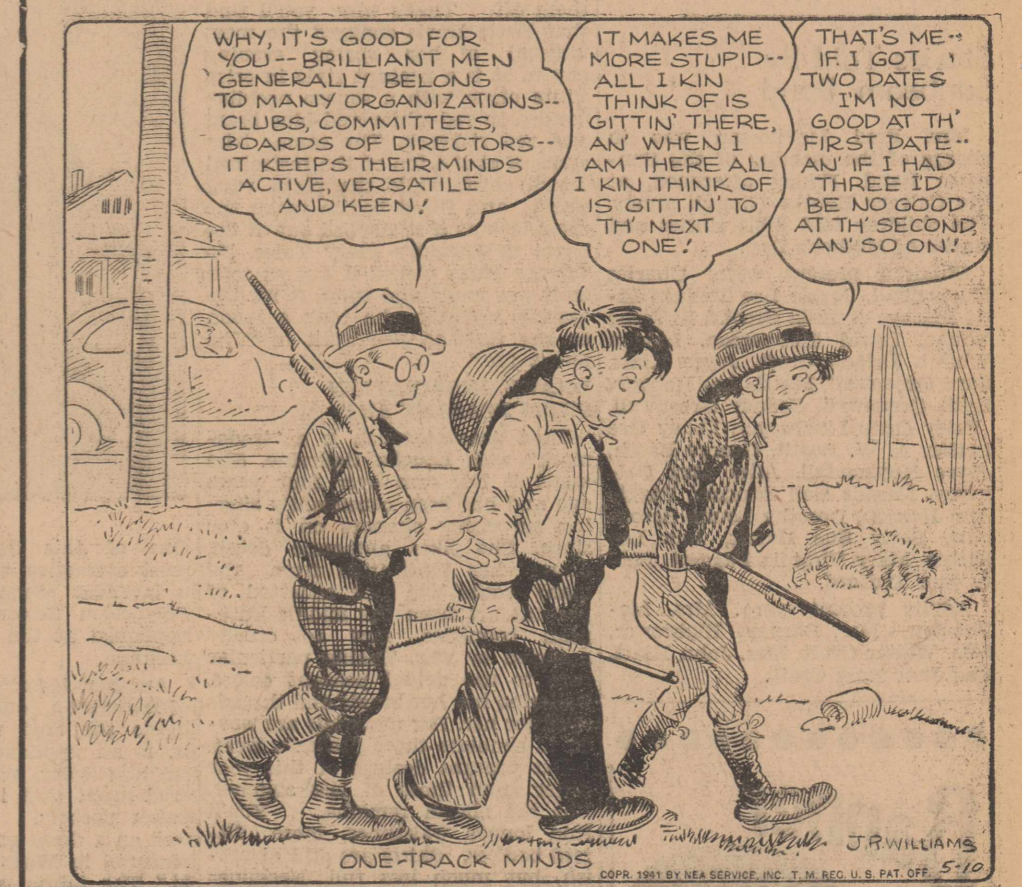
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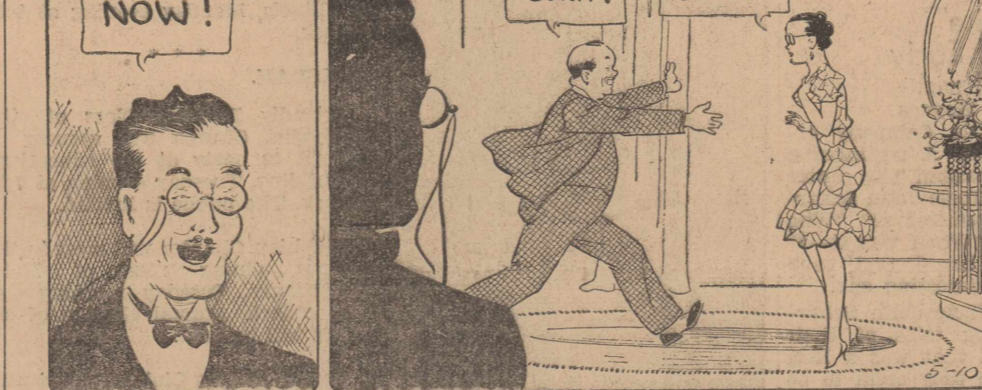


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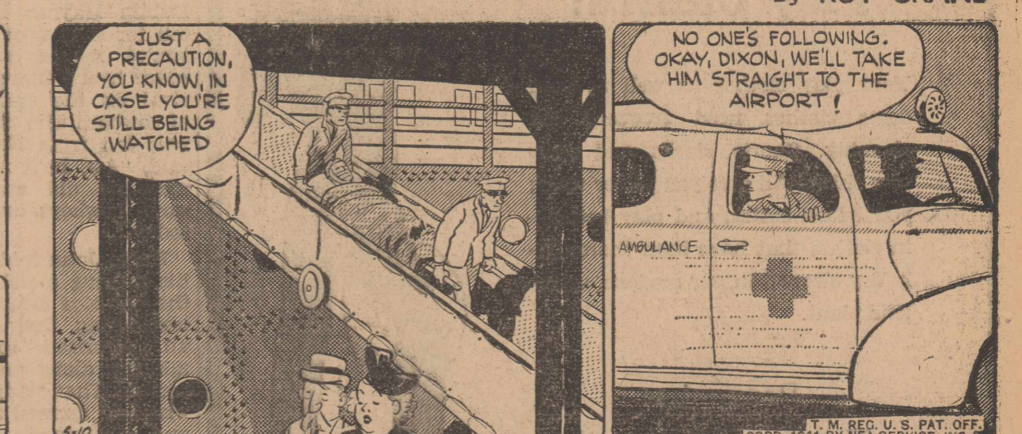
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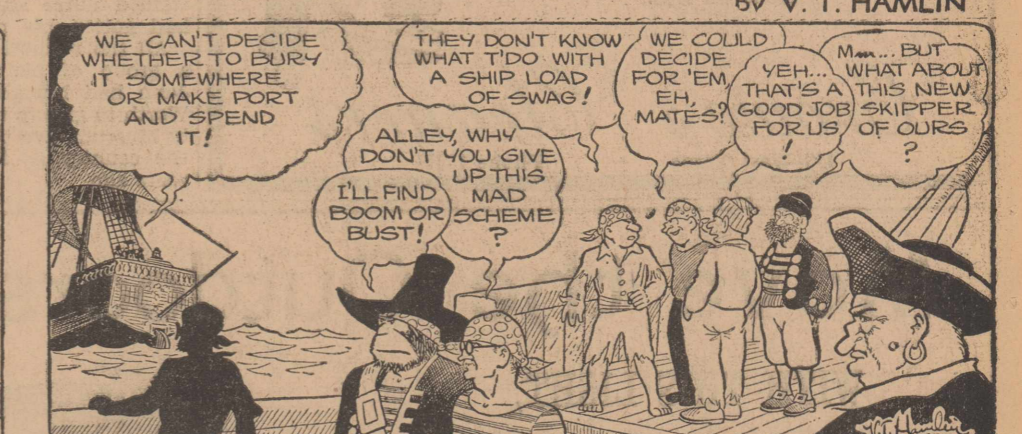
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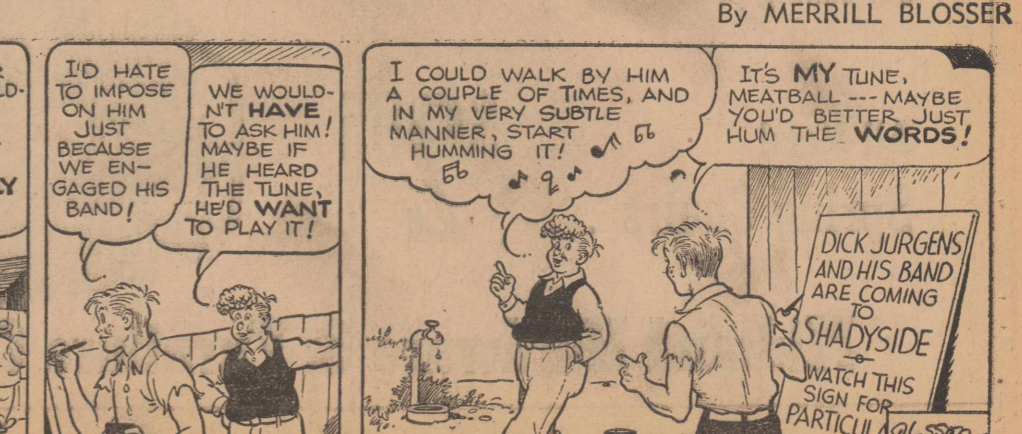
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



By MERRILL BLOSSER



# Dow Extraction Plant At Freeport Produces Magnesium From Gulf To Provide Metal For Plane Industry

By William T. Rives  
Associated Press Staff

An endless source—the rolling waters of the Gulf of Mexico—has been tapped to yield for United States defense a metal vastly important to airplane manufacture—magnesium.

The Dow Chemical Company's \$5,600,000 extraction plant at Freeport is operating under full capacity, producing 12,000,000 pounds annually of the precious element.

An \$8,000,000 addition, on which work already has begun, will more than double the output.

Dow has three production plants here—for magnesium, for bromine used in making ethyl gasoline, and for hydro-carbon chemicals.

The latter is under construction and may be completed by June.

Because of the emergency, Dow is concentrating on its magnesium plant.

Aircraft makers consume about 70 per cent of the magnesium alloys now available in the United States.

**Germany Uses Alloy**

In some of the larger airplane engines, more than 50 pounds of the light, tough metal are used.

Germany for some time has used forged propeller blades of alloyed magnesium; in this country they are in experimental development.

Magnesium also is used in airplane landing gears, control levers and pedals, oil tanks and seats. Since it is about one-third as heavy as aluminum, substitution of it means lighter weight, and consequently, increases in speed and roominess.

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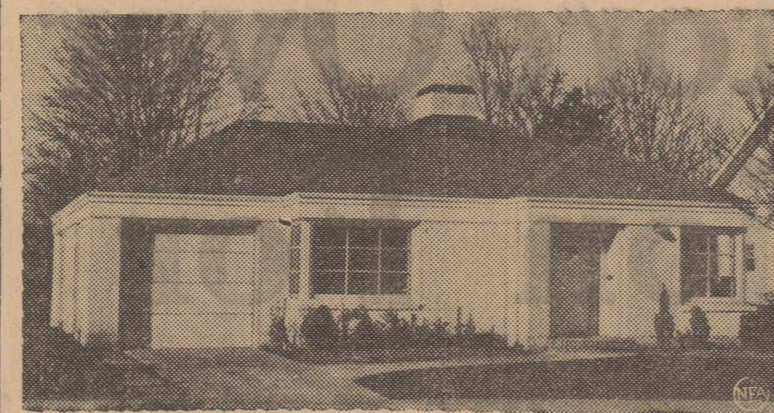
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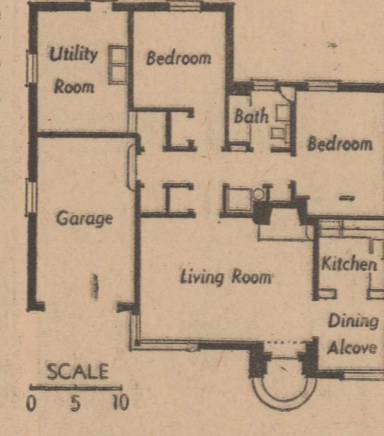
## Functional Plan Features



Designed as a fire-safe house with brick wall, this home is modern in the best sense of the word, with every line and detail expressing a functional plan. The corner windows in the living room introduce a modern note, while the properly proportioned bedrooms and large closets remind one of an old-fashioned home.

An inside entrance to the garage and an unusually large utility room conform to the best features of contemporary design. This house, built in Portland, Ore., and valued by the FHA at \$4,000, including lot, is adequate for the family that desires attractive living quarters combined with economy and flexibility.

Your own architect or builder can probably duplicate this house, if you so desire.



## Important Wildcats In Lea County Find High Formation Markers And Attract Spotlight In New Mexico

HOBBS, N. M., May 10.—(Special)—Southwest New Mexico interest this week at a lesser point.

Richmond No. 1 Shell Oil Company-State, wildcat about four and one-half miles equidistant between the Maljamar and Vacuum pools in Lea, spudded to 20 feet and is shut down for water. It is 660 feet from the south and 1,980 from the east line of section 22-17s-33e, on a crest-top high.

A short northwest extension of the Maljamar pool in Lea was sought by Brewer Drilling Company of Artesia at No. 1 Williams Mitchell, 660 feet out of the southeast corner of section 17-17s-32e.

Barney Cockburn No. 1-B Pearl-sall, Maljamar well 660 feet out of the northwest corner of section 34-17s-34e, flowed 512 barrels of oil in 18 hours through a 2-inch outlet on 7-inch casing. It had been shot with 300 quarts of nitro from 3,845 to 4,095 feet. The well topped main pay at 4,890 feet and was bridged back to 4,095 feet from total depth of 4,270 feet in lime.

**Completes Two Producers**

On the Eddy County side of the Maljamar pool, Emperor Oil Company of Fort Worth completed two producers. The larger, No. 11-A Pickett, 1,990 feet from the south and 660 from the east line of section 24-17s-31e, flowed 200 barrels per day through 3/4-inch choke on 2-inch tubing set at 3,500 feet, with packer at 2,880 feet. It topped pay at 3,460 feet, reached total depth of 3,930 feet in lime and was bridged back to 3,740 feet preparatory to shooting with 480 quarts from 3,500 to top of bridge.

Emperor No. 1-B Pickett, 660 feet out of the southwest corner of section 24-17s-31e, was shot with 400 quarts from 3,500 to 3,700 feet and flowed 25 barrels daily through open 2-inch tubing set at 3,515 feet. It topped the pay zone at 3,517 feet and was plugged back to 3,951 feet from total depth of 3,965 feet in lime.

J. H. Rives and associates' No. 1 Boulder, Eddy wildcat one and one-half miles east of Lake McMillan, was abandoned a failure at total depth of 928 feet in lime. It encountered a hole full of sulphur water in red rock and sand at 821 feet and salt water from 912 to 920 feet. Location is 330 feet out of the southwest corner of section 21-19s-27e.

**Runs 10-Inch Casing**

Another Eddy wildcat, V. S. Geanner and others' No. 1 Friess, four miles south of the Barber pool and five and one-half miles east by south of the Getty pool, is running 10-inch casing, bottomed at 510 feet in sand. It is 2,310 feet from the north and west lines of section 9-21s-29e.

Southwest of the Dayton pool in Eddy, Jones & Yates et al No. 1 Pickett, 990 feet out of the southwest corner of section 5-16s-32e is shut down for orders at 937 feet in lime.

Fred Turner Jr. of Midland, Texas No. 1 Webb-Government, test in the South Lovington pool of Lea, entered the pay horizon at 4,680 feet in lime and logged broken increases to present depth of 4,965 feet where it is drilling ahead. It is in section 31-16s-37e.

**Business Men Enter Program To Provide Club Boys With Pigs**

Midland merchants and business men will purchase six registered duroc gilts to initiate a plan to supply every 4-H Club boy in Midland County with a registered pig.

J. C. Franklin, 4-H pig sponsor, and club boys selected the pigs yesterday.

Claude Lewis, Virgil Casbeer, Junior Franks, Bunky Smith, Jerry Bohannon and Kelly Lewellen will receive the first animals. They are under contract to furnish other club boys with pigs from the first litters.

Businesses and individuals co-operating in buying the first animals are: A&M Packing Company, J. C. Penney Company, Wilson Dry Goods Company, Phillips-Adams Company, Texas Electric Service Co., and Barron's Supply Store.

## Spring Building In Midland Reaches New High For Week, \$22,000, With Repairing And Improving Underway

Midland citizens chose "Clean Up, Paint Up, and Fix Up" week to hit a peak period for the spring with \$22,550 in building permits last week, total of 1941 construction is \$145,175.

Large alteration and repair permits helped make the figure the highest in several weeks. Contractors said good weather and opening of spring building season caused the increase.

Clyde Cowden received a permit for \$6,900 for an addition of two upstairs rooms and general repairs to his residence at 111 North D St. Alteration will be upstairs.

J. L. Greene will alter a brick veneer residence at 706 West Lorraine St. in the Country Club addition. The cost will be \$2,350 and materials are lumber and brick.

A bath room will be added and general repairs made to a residence at 710 S Fort Worth St. The permit was for \$800 to Joe Hewett, owner.

**Builds Two Residences**

Planters Gin will alter a warehouse at 100 North Terrell St.

J. C. Velvin's permits for two residences in the Ridgelea Addition featured construction. He will build a \$4,500 frame house at 111 Club Drive in Ridgelea. Adjoining at 112 Club Drive, a \$3,800 residence will be built. It will be 26 by 42 feet, one story, and of lumber.

Harry Hoekendorf was issued a permit to construct a six-room duplex at 1602 West Missouri St. in the West End Addition. The cost will be \$3,500.

A permit for \$200 for a boxed and stripped building at 610 East Ohio St. was granted Peterino Gonzales.

## Ten Texas Cities Report Building Of Over Million

By The Associated Press

With only four months passed, 10 of 14 representative Texas cities reported Saturday that their total building permits for 1941 exceed a million dollars.

Houston leads with more than \$7,500,000. Corpus Christi, center of much national defense work, has nearly \$6,000,000. Dallas is third with some \$3,000,000.

A \$325,000 improvement project at the Todd Dry Dock shot Galveston into the van for the past week. Galveston's seven-day total was \$359,150. Houston was second for the week with \$323,295.

Totals for the week and thus far during the year from various representative cities include:

City	Week	Month
Galveston	\$359,150	\$1,511,081
Houston	\$323,295	\$7,557,764
Dallas	\$289,761	\$3,197,024
Fort Worth	\$164,029	\$2,106,918
Amarillo	\$135,708	\$1,014,498
San Antonio	\$4,272	\$2,029,328
Lubbock	\$7,990	\$1,240,697
Austin	\$6,544	\$2,153,599
Waco	\$5,576	\$1,926,627
Midland	\$2,500	\$145,175
Corpus Christi	\$20,280	\$8,752,535
Wichita Falls	\$18,796	\$41,515
Tyler	\$12,467	\$249,015
Port Arthur	\$10,970	\$345,739

## Minerals Value Up 75 Per Cent

AUSTIN, May 10.—(Special)—Minerals, including oil and gas, within the last decade have swung Texas from an agricultural to an industrial state.

While income from agriculture for 1940—tabulated by the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research, the state's chief statistical finding agency on Texas agriculture, commerce and industry—is but slightly below that of 1939, the value of minerals has jumped 75 per cent.

This bureau—one of four University research bureaus linked under the Texas Commercial and Industrial Research Council to encourage and aid development of Texas resources, recently prepared a chart revealing that the mineral industry last year accounted for \$800,000,000 of the State's 1940 income, or about 40 per cent more than was derived from agriculture.

While about 90 per cent of the minerals revenue comes from oil and gas, other minerals constitute a \$50,000,000 industry.

## Federal Agency Is Big Spender

SAN ANTONIO, May 10.—(Special)—Vendors of buildings, supplies and equipment have had a \$100,450,806 customer in the Work Projects Administration program in Texas during the past five and a half years, according to H. F. Drought, WPA state administrator.

Producers of such metal products as cast iron pipe and fittings, structural and reinforcing steel, and iron steel products have sold \$28,097,467 worth of material to the federal government and to local sponsoring agencies for use in WPA construction projects.

Largest single item reported on the WPA program non-labor expenditures was \$37,715,148 for the rental of such equipment as motor vehicles, teams and wagons, and construction machinery.

## Hill Will Talk To Farmers On Quotas

I. O. Sturkie, county farm agent, reminded farmers of a radio talk on wheat marketing quotas by Governor Hill, assistant secretary of agriculture, to be broadcast over WOAL, San Angelo; KGNC, Amarillo; KRGY, Weslaco; and KXYZ, Houston; at 10:30 a. m. and over KGKO, Fort Worth, at 11:15 a. m. Tuesday.

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The manager is a former citizen of Midland. He came here from Santa Fe, N. M.

The Harris company stocks mill feeds in addition to the Purina line. It expects to handle a full line of planting seeds next season.

Mrs. Harris is bookkeeper and office manager of the firm. Joe Long is an employe.

Delivery service in the city and in the area is maintained.

**BOWIE SOLDIERS SAVE TIN FOIL FOR BRITAIN**

CAMP BOWIE, Tex.—(AP)—Soldiers of the Thirty-Sixth Division are saving the tin foil from their cigarette packages and candy bars to give to England.

British aid officials collect the foil regularly from all post exchanges and many orderly rooms where containers have been placed for its deposit.

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Not a pipe dream but reality—Midland Drug Store is to be managed all day Monday by Midland PTA's which will receive 10 per cent of the gross sales for the day. Equally real are the unusual values which are being featured for the occasion in drugs, cosmetics, and other merchandise. More than 40 mothers and teachers will turn their attention from preparing Johnny and Susie's lunch or explaining that two and two add up to four, to preside over the merchandise counters and de-

scribe the merits of this, that, or the other product to prospective customers. Customers will find that purchases Monday add up to attractive savings—as well as supplying additional funds for the PTA's to use for the good of Midland children. Staffing the store for the day will be: Mmes. W. Earl Chapman, John Casselman, Frank G. Aldrich, J. R. Norris, R. C. Tucker, E. E. Reigle, L. L. Butler, L. F. Joplin, L. C. McDonald, D. R. Carter, Webb Miller, Glenn Brunson, Chas.

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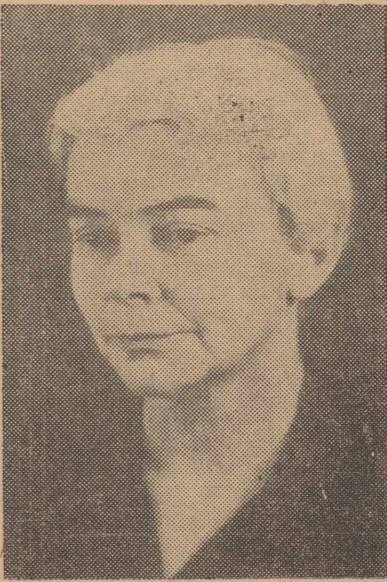
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