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If people followed us would they rise higher or sink lower? I am the way, the truth and the life. —John 14:6.

Just Over The Next Hill



Unharvested Potato Racket

Certain smart California dealers are credited with a new cute trick to beat the maximum ceiling price on potatoes, but they may not get away with it.

The story begins with Maximum Price Regulation No. 271, covering potatoes and dry onions. The onions are just for seasoning as far as the story goes.

Out in the California potato country, certain slick citizens read over this regulation and they say, "Hmmm! What's to prevent us from buying potatoes in the ground?

As a smart dodge to beat the price ceilings, this is about as neat a trick as the Office of Price Administration enforcement officials have run into yet.

Now consider part two of the story, what happens next.

OPA enforcement officials hear about this slick evasion of their order 271. They decide to issue an "inter-patation" of the order which will stop further sales of potatoes.

Just to play safe, OPA decides to issue a revision of MPR 271 to tighten up this and other loopholes in the original potato order.

OPA lawyers send this revised draft over to the Food Distribution Administration for their checkup.

Eventually, a revised potato order will be issued which will control these smart guys who are so clever at finding ways to evade price regulations.

Retailing Grows In Importance

If it were not for the retail stores of the country and banks, this nation would be flat on its back and the complicated rationing system would be unworkable.

Separate departments have been opened in most banks where rationing coupons are deposited and the storekeeper draws a "coupon" check as well as a "money" check when renewing supplies from his wholesaler.

The consumer may think he has trouble with coupons, but when he realizes what the storekeeper has to do, he will be patient in helping carry out the program.

In the interest of the consuming public, as well as the stores, everything should be done to eliminate red tape in connection with the retail program.

The government says the distribution of meat is one of the war effort's toughest problems. And have you tried some of the meat?

Visitors From Britain



Sir William Beveridge, author of England's famous cradle-to-grave social security program, visits New York with his wife while in U. S. to discuss his post-war plan.

Men At Bombardier School Wear Gas Masks During Regular Periods Daily

It's a wise private that knows his own top sergeant at the Midland Bombardier School here most of these mornings.

Following a regular course of instruction in protection against chemical warfare, all men of the post are now wearing gas masks for increasing periods of time each day.

Preparing For Attack Col. John P. Kenny, commanding officer, has announced plans to have the officers and men become used to wearing their masks while going about their assigned duties for periods of as long as four hours.

Gas has not been used in the present war, but the armed forces of the United States are preparing for any eventuality. "There is no need to have a great fear of gas," said Lt. Gabriel L. Dell'Angelo, chemical warfare officer at the Midland Army Air Field.

Lone Service Wives Learn Need Of Talking With Someone But Women

A war wife, who lives alone and doesn't like it, says humbly, "I never knew before how fed up you can get with women's conversation, if you almost never get to talk to a man.

"But when I again have a home with a man in it, I'm going to be more considerate. I'm going to invite my lone women friends when there are some men around for them to talk to.

It's tough going for the wives who are having to live alone these days. But they're learning a lot. Take that woman's new understanding of women without husbands.

Her case certainly isn't unique. There must be thousands of women making the same resolve. For married women haven't in the past been thoughtful of unmarried women or concerned about their social life.

Once the average woman married she fell into the habit of not inviting any woman to her home —when there were to be men present—unless she had a husband.

Sinclair-Prairie--

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Fullerton pool in Northwestern Andrews, Sinclair-Prairie paid \$25 an acre for the northwest quarter of section 7, block A-37, psl. It also paid \$25 an acre for 40 acres undivided under all of section 4, block A-37, with a \$1 annual delay rental for the 10-year term.

Blue Cores More Pay Stanolind Oil & Gas Company and Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 W. D. Blue estate, Eastern Ordwick County Ellenburger, lower Ordwickian, discovery, recovered five feet of finely crystalline, lightly stained dolomite by coring from 10,622-32 feet.

W. S. Guthrie No. 1 Mrs. Pauline Allen, deep Permian discovery one mile northeast of Vincent in extreme Northeastern Howard County, took only 500 gallons of acid when a 2,000-gallon re-treatment job was tried. It blew out when pressure was released and later pumped and flowed 169 barrels of oil in 22 hours. Total depth is 4,096 feet in lime. Testing continues.

MORE THAN 1,000 KILLED BY NAZIS IN HOLLAND

LONDON —(AP)—Aneta, Netherlands news agency, said Thursday that more than 1,000 persons were reported to have been killed in Nazi-occupied Holland early this month, when disorders resulted in proclamation of martial law.

CHURCHILL'S STATEMENT PUBLISHED IN RUSSIA

MOSCOW —(AP)— Prime Minister Churchill's assertion to a Washington press conference that Japan was watching the Soviet Union was published in the Russian press Thursday along with other statements made by the British leader.

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High School Days To Be Ended For Seniors At Graduation Event Friday

High school will be but a memory for approximately 100 members of the Midland senior class at the close of the graduating exercise Friday night.

The Rev. W. R. White, president of Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene, will be the principal speaker on the program, which marks the closing of the 1942-43 school term.

McKee Presents Diplomas Frank Troseth will give the valedictory for the graduating class and Colleen Oates will make the salutatory address.

The High School Choral Club under the direction of Mr. De Lo Douglas will sing "Barcarolle," "Liebestraume," and "W-um" Mrs. Douglas will present "A Perfect Day," with Glenn Graham, violinist, and Albert Smith, accompanist.

To close the graduating exercise, the senior class and choir will sing "Now the Day is Over." The commencement program was started Sunday night with the benediction sermon by the Rev. J. M. Lewis, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Lubbock.

McKee Reports On Rotary Conference

Roy McKee, president-elect of the Midland Rotary Club, told Rotarians at their meeting Thursday noon in Hotel Scharbauer, Midland and all other communities should begin planning now for the post-war era.

McKee reported on the Rotary International conference recently held in St. Louis, emphasizing the importance of "international understanding."

Percy Mims was program chairman and Percy Bridgewater, club president, presided at the session. Bridgewater announced that Rotarians will entertain their ladies at a dinner in Hotel Scharbauer at 7:30 p. m. next Thursday.

CARGO RATES CUT

NEW YORK —(AP)—Marine underwriters announced Thursday cargo war risk insurance rates on shipments to Egypt and nearby ports and to the east coast of India had been cut, reflecting Allied successes in the Mediterranean and history were read.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)—Cattle 900, calves 450; steady; common to good steers and yearlings 11.00-14.50 with culler grades down to 9.00; good beef cows 12.00-13.25; butcher cows 10.50-11.75; bulls 8.50-12.25; fat calves 10.50-15.00; stocker steer calves topped at 16.00; heifers up to 15.50; stocker and feeder steers and yearlings 11.00-15.50; stocker cows back to the grass at 12.50 down.

Hogs 1400; steady; most good and choice butcher hogs weighing 190-300 lb. 14.00-10; 160-185 pound averages 13.40-90; packing sows 13.25-50.

Sheep 7000; unchanged; common to good spring lambs 10.00-14.00; choice lambs lacking; medium and good short lambs 12.50-13.75; shorn two-year-old wethers 10.00 down; aged wethers 7.00-50; cull to good ewes 5.50-7.25; feeders scarce, few up to 10.50.

In 1880 William Gilbert conceived of the earth as a great magnet with magnetic poles and a field force about it.

CAN'T KEEP GRANDMA IN HER CHAIR

Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys. The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 3 pints a day.

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Parkay Oleomargarine 5 Points Pound 25¢, Whole Kernel Corn Jack Sprat, 12 Points 12 Ounce Can 15¢, Spinach, Hyde Park 11 Points No. 2 Can 15¢

MEATS

DRESSED POULTRY—FISH—OYSTERS, STEW MEATS Pound 22¢, LOIN STEAK Pound 43¢, BOLOGNA Pound 21¢, WEINERS and FRANKS Pound 28¢

Society

Tea Dance Honoring Graduates Is Enjoyed At Country Club

Music Program Will Be Given Here Tuesday

The Watson School of Music will present the following program Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel:

- Processional: 'Spirit of Youth, Estrellito Orchestra.
- Piano: A Dream Song, Fannie Mae White.
- Piano: The Soldier's Song, Mary Louise Baze.
- Piano: The Haunt of the Fairies, Jane McMillan.
- Violin: Little Concert Polka, Velda Dee Pigg, Norma Jean Hubbard at the piano.
- Piano: Minuet in G Major, Betty McCain.
- Piano: Alleluia! Mary Dell Dillon.
- Guitar: American Folk Song, Gladys Leigh.
- Piano: Over the Hills, Jean McMillan.
- Piano: Mazurka, Op. 175, Lois Dee Eiland.
- Violin: Celito Lindo, Allogene Spawls, Eileen Eiland at the piano.
- Piano: Home on the Range, John Harvard.
- Spring Greeting, Clarissa and Leora Mann.
- Violin: Old Folks at Home, Eugene Hejl, Mary Jo Hejl at the piano.
- Violin, Guitar, Piano: Mermaid Schottische, Weyland, Rita Merle and Darlene Livingston.
- Piano: Concerto Number 1, Nadine Clements.
- Piano: Aragonaise from "Le Cid", Shirley Winter.
- Piano: Drifting Blossoms, Dorothy Barron.
- Guitar Duet, Hazel Midkiff and Jean Holmes.
- Piano: Fluttering Leaves, Patsy Charlton.
- Piano: Poem, Leora Mann.
- Guitar Duet: La Paloma, Billie LaJean Pigg and Ned Watson.
- Piano: May Breeze, Janice Jones.
- Violin: Duet: The Barcarolle, Juanita Jones and Weyland Livingston, Mary Frances Phillips at the piano.
- Piano: Dance in C Major, Rita Jo Sturkie.
- Violin: Valse Bluet, Patsy Riley, Peggy Riley at the piano.
- Piano: Charmante!, Norma Jean Hubbard.
- Hawaiian and Spanish Guitar: Harmony Waltz, Betty Floyd, Rita Merle Livingston.
- Piano: Dance: Hongroise, Mary Frances Phillips.
- Violin: Shadows on the Water, Bethel Eiland, Eileen Eiland at the piano.
- Piano Duet: Invitation to the

Misses Otella Flynt and Elsiehora Schlosser, Buddy Davidson and John Guy McMillan, Jr., members of the graduating class of Midland High School, were complimented at a tea dance Wednesday evening at the Midland Country Club.

Quantities of red roses and ferns were used in the decorative plan throughout the Country Club, and the dining table was attractive with a centerpiece of delphinium and stephanotis. On either side of the huge centerpiece were tall blue tapers.

Faculty members of the Midland High School were invited guests. The dance honored high school graduates, and approximately one hundred danced between the hours of 8 p. m. and 10.

Junior Girls Hold Splendid Meeting

The Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the Galvary Baptist Church met with Mrs. Hoyt Burris Wednesday afternoon, when the subject was "The May Pole." The topic of study was the W. M. U. Training School at Louisville, Ky.

The girls voted to change their time of meeting from 4:30 p. m. to 3:30 p. m., since vacation time is here and the members can now meet earlier.

Seven members were present. The next meeting will be held Wednesday in the home of Mrs. Burris.

Dance, Elaine Hedrick, Margaret Mims.

Violin: Darkie's Dream, Niles Winter II, Shirley Winter at the piano.

Piano: The Joyful Peasant, Op. 69, Marjorie Barron.

Piano: Valse Arabesque, Op. 82, Eileen Eiland.

Violin: Concerto in G, Op. 13, Joyce Adams, Elaine Hedrick at the piano.

Piano: Hungary, Op. 410, Peggy Riley.

Piano: Salut d'Armour, Op. 12, Clarissa Mann.

Piano: Etude de Concert, Op. 35, Margaret Mims.

Cuban Bells, Estrellito Orchestra.

Platinum is a poor conductor of heat and electricity.

Appropriate Plaid



This plaid outfit is appropriate for the young miss. If she's slender and tall, nothing would be more becoming. It's tailored, ready to be worn anywhere.

Red Cross Pins Given Girls Here

A practical course in nursing has been completed by a group of high school girls, and the Red Cross has awarded pins to each of the girls.

Lectures and demonstrations have been given in this course for several months. Mesdames M. H. Funk, G. B. Rush, Tom Patterson, Addison Young and Cheeves have directed and devolved much time and labor to the course.

Those who have been awarded Red Cross pins are: Neida Vaughn, Patsy Tull, Freda Lou Truelove, Wanda Lee Tindle, Irene Spears, Juanita Smith, Nell Shattuck, Dorothy Rose Ohio, Frances Palmer, Joyce Rosenbaum, Hazel Midkiff, Laurene Lands, Joy Livingston, Juandell Jones, Alene Kelly, Lavana Lockler, Marie Barber, Thelma Brown, Patsy Butcher, Wanda Drake, Juanita Easley, Otella Flynt, and Rose Hart.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy W. Johnson of Panama, who have been guests of Mrs. Johnson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Pratt, Sr., will leave Saturday for their home. They went to San Antonio for a brief visit prior to their return home.

Read the classified ads.

Coming Events

FRIDAY
Minuet Club will entertain with a dance in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Commencement exercises will be held in the high school auditorium at 8:30 p. m.

Belmont Bible Class will meet in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters will be open from 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.

The Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 a. m. until 12 noon.

Civic Theater cast will rehearse afternoon and evening at the City-County auditorium.

Children's Service League will meet at the Red Cross surgical

dressings rooms after which they will go to the home of Mrs. Ralph Sitting, Jr., 605 West Cuthbert.

SATURDAY
American Legion Auxiliary and American Legion will observe "Poppy Day" with a poppy sale all day in more prominent business places of Midland.

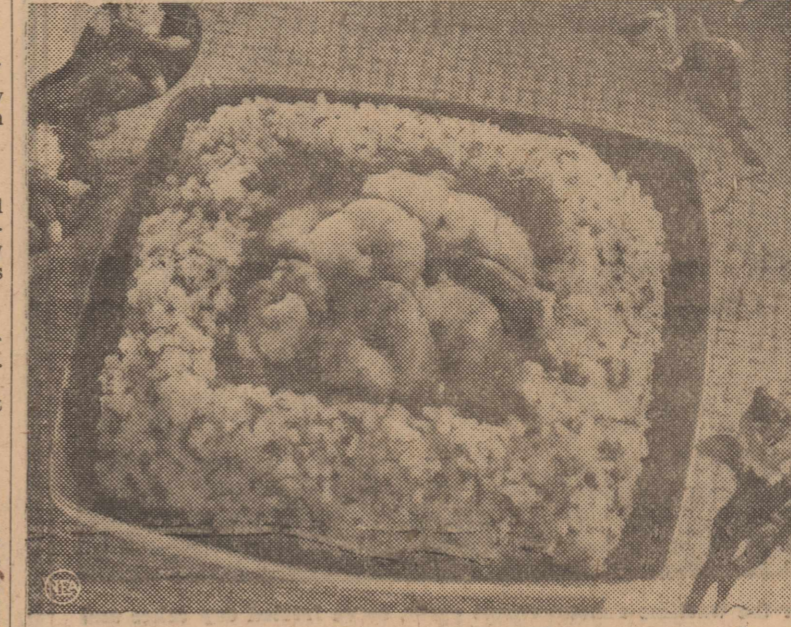
Civic Theater stage crew will rehearse at City-County auditorium.

USO dance for military men at the USO headquarters.

Brotherhood To Meet

Claude Crane will be the speaker at 8 p. m. Thursday when the men's Brotherhood meets in the Galvary Baptist Church. Following the program light refreshments and a social hour will feature. Hoyt Burris is president of the Brotherhood.

Shrimp In Bed Of Rice



Serve canned shrimp (costing three blue points) and rice, brightened with chopped watercress, for meatless feast.

Miss Shattuck Is Winner In Contest

Miss Nell Shattuck has been announced as the winner in the citizenship contest conducted by the Twentieth Century Club. She was presented with a \$25 war bond for submitting the best written paper on "Citizenship" of all contest entries.

Twentieth Century Club presented the award Tuesday, after judging the papers.

WARNING! BEWARE OF BOWEL WORMS
Roundworms inside you or your child can cause real trouble. And you may not know what is wrong. Warning signs are: "icky" appetite, nervousness, uneasy stomach, itching parts. Get Jayne's Vermifuge right away! JAYNE'S is America's leading proprietary worm medicine; used by millions. Acts gently yet exterminates roundworms. Be sure you get JAYNE'S VERMIFUGE!

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Soup Campbell Tomato No. 1 Can 9¢ Points Per Can 3	Dinner Kraft's Macaroni Dinner Reg. Pkg. 10¢ Points Per Pkg. 1
Juice Standard Grapefruit 46-Oz. Can 25¢ Points Per Can 4	Shortening Swift's Jewel 1-Lb. Pkg. 19¢ Points Per Pkg. 5

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Coffee Edwards Full Strength 1-Lb. Bag 25¢ Coffee Stamp No. 23	Coffee Stamp No. 23
Coffee Airway Mellow Flavor 2 1-Lb. Bags 41¢ Coffee Stamp No. 23	Coffee Stamp No. 23
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Mexican Sugar Loaf PINEAPPLES Fresh, Sweet, Juicy Pound 6¢	Texas Fresh GREEN CORN 6 Well-Filled Ears 25¢	First Grade WIENERS All Meat Lb. 33¢ Points Per Lb. 6	Hams No. 1 Skinned Butt Half Lb. 39¢ Points Per Lb. 7
Ham Smoked Cured Center Slices Lb. 55¢ Points Per Lb. 9	Pork Chops Center Cuts Lb. 41¢ Points Per Lb. 9	Pork Chops End Cuts Lb. 32¢ Points Per Lb. 7	Liver Loaf Serve Cold Lb. 33¢ Points Per Lb. 5
Fat Back Salt Pork Lb. 19¢ Points Per Lb. 4	Sliced Codfish Lb. 38¢ Not Rationed	Fresh Catfish Lb. 49¢ Not Rationed	BAKED LOAVES Pickle, Tomato, Olive Lb. 29¢ Points Per Lb. 5

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CAMAY Toilet Soap 3 Reg. Bars 19¢

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Now you can order a Summer issue of Fashion, our helpful sewing guide and pattern catalog! Contains over 100 new patterns, has information on care of clothing, how to make over, how to plan practical wardrobes. 25c per copy.

Kate Smith swaps stories with Mr. Duckwall of Louisville, Ky.

HERE'S A MAN who has made baking a cheery, useful hobby. He's Mr. Richard Duckwall—Past Dept. Commander, Disabled American Veterans, Department of Kentucky.

"Ever since my wife and I married," Mr. Duckwall writes, "we have kept Calumet on hand for all our baking. For last Christmas we baked 28 cakes and 600 cookies—all with Calumet Baking Powder—and not one failure! We gave some to friends and kinfolks—and they sure did rave!"

"I'll bet your neighborhood's mighty proud of you, Mr. Duckwall," Kate writes back. "And I'm mighty proud to hear how much you like Calumet! Of course the reason Calumet's so dependable is because it's Double-Acting—works once in the mixing bowl and again in the oven."

"Here's a grand idea for turning that little bit of left-over meat into a real treat! Why don't you and Mrs. Duckwall try it soon!"

Kate's Latest... Meat Pancake Roll-Ups

- 1 cup sifted flour
- 1 teaspoon Calumet Baking Powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- 1 egg, well beaten
- 3/4 cup milk
- tablespoons melted shortening
- 1 1/2 cups chopped cooked meat
- 2 teaspoons horse-radish or 3 tablespoons piccalilli
- 1/2 cup medium white sauce

Combine meat, horse-radish, and white sauce and mix thoroughly. Season with salt and pepper, if desired. Spread 2 tablespoons filling on each hot pancake and roll. Serve with white sauce to which chopped, sautéed onions have been added.

SAVE! BUY BIG WARTIME ECONOMY SIZE 25oz. CAN!

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Eighth Grade To Hold Graduation Exercise Friday

Commencement exercises for the eighth grade class of Midland Junior High School will be held Friday at 1:30 p.m. in the high school auditorium. M. C. Ulmer, president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, will be the principal speaker.

Elizabeth Ann Cowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, is valedictorian of the class, and Beth Osburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Osburn, is salutatorian.

Following the program the students will be dismissed for the school term.

Program for the commencement exercise has been announced by Principal Sam P. Spears as follows: Invocation, the Rev. John J. O'Connell.

"Thank God For A Garden," Junior High Choral Club directed by Virginia Lewis, Dorothy Faye Holt, accompanist.

"By the Waters of Minnetonka," Junior High Choral Club directed and accompanied by Miss Lewis. Violin obligato by Ralph Utey, Salutatory, Beth Osburn.

Valedictory, Elizabeth Ann Cowden.

Vocal solo, Patsy Lou Arrington, accompanied by Dorothy Faye Holt.

Introduction of speaker, Frank Monroe.

Address, M. C. Ulmer.

Presentation of diplomas, Sam P. Spears.

"The Star - Spangled Banner," Junior High Choral Club.

Benediction: Father O'Connell.

Two Eighth Graders To Receive Awards

American legion school awards will be presented to Evelyn Wemple, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wemple, and Bill Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, at commencement exercises for the eighth grade class of Junior High School Friday afternoon.

The awards, presented annually, are given by the Woods W. Lynch Post, American Legion, to the boy and girl selected by classmates and faculty. The students are chosen on the basis of honor, courage, leadership, service and scholarship.

Purpose of the presentations is to promote better citizenship among the students.

Evelyn will receive a medal and brooch, and Bill's awards will be a medal and lapel button. Each will be presented an engraved certificate.

C. V. (Cap) Lyman, post commander; Percy Mims, and H. A. Palmer will be present at the program.

Public Health Notes

J. A. OLEAN, M.D., Director
Midland-Ector-Howard County Health Unit

Tuberculin Patch Tests
Eighty seniors of Midland High School were given the Tuberculin test a short time ago, through the cooperation of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association, Midland physicians, the high school and the Health Unit. Four positive reactors have had chest x-rays which were sent to Austin for examination by a chest specialist of the State Department of Health. Reports are expected soon. The program is on a sound basis and will be resumed next fall.

Immunization File
The Health Unit is bringing its immunization file up to date. It will contain a list of school pupils with a record of immunizations already done by family physicians and the Health Unit, and all that will be done by family physicians and the Unit during the Summer and Fall. Parents are asked to cooperate by filling in a brief questionnaire sent to their homes through the pupils.

Undulant Fever
Newspapers have reported the serious illness and death from undulant fever of Edsel Ford, 49 year old president of the Ford Motor Co.

The chief source of this infection in man is raw milk from Brucella infected cows and goats. (Bang's disease.)

Dairymen remove and isolate Bang's diseased cattle from herds producing milk for the Grade A raw milk market. Pasteurization destroys Brucella germs if they are present in the raw milk of cows or goats. Drink only Grade A raw milk or, better still, Grade A pasteurized milk.

Tuberculin-Testing Cattle
Dr. Giles, veterinarian from the U. S. Department of Agriculture, in cooperation with S. E. Burnett, sanitarian of our Health Unit, is tuberculin testing all the dairy cattle in Midland County. If the prevalence of tuberculosis in the cattle population is 0.5 per cent or less, the county is designated as a "modified accredited area."

Accredited dairy herds are those found to be free from tuberculosis by two successive annual tests and examinations.

Milk from tuberculosis-free and Bang's-free cows is the safest milk to drink. Pasteurization or boiling is extra insurance against the possibility of bovine tuberculosis or Undulant fever infection in humans.

MINE WORKERS AND OWNERS MEET THURSDAY
WASHINGTON—(AP)—The United Mine Workers and the soft coal operators meet again Thursday to work out a solution of the miners' partial-to-total pay demand, and the only substantial issue unsettled by a War Labor Board ruling in the wage dispute.

For Announcement Parties



For the wartime announcement party, serve frosted cup cakes and fresh fruit sundaes.

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox
NEA Staff Writer

Merchants Urged To Display Flags On Memorial Day

Midland business men are urged by the Woods W. Lynch Post of the American Legion to display flags in front of their stores Sunday, Memorial Day.

Display of the flags, Post Commander C. V. Lyman said, not only will pay tribute to the dead of this and previous wars, but will also honor the men in the armed forces now fighting for America throughout the world.

Business men are urged to set out the flags early Sunday and leave them out throughout the day. Flags also should be flown from buildings which have flagpoles.

Open Letter To The Dog Catcher

By Ruth L. McCarty
Midland apparently has many homeless dogs—some of them fine looking dogs, others not so beautiful but still they are dogs. The dog today, in this serious time of war and rationing, is faced with the most crucial period of his existence. His food has been transformed into powders and mash, none of which he likes any too well. To feed him the best of meat, is a thing that few people can afford to do. The dog is a carnivorous animal.

The meat rationing has caused many people to give away their dogs or leave them to wander on the streets of different towns and cities.

As far back as history can be traced, the dog has been man's companion. There is no land where man was found, but that the dog was there also.

We who have always been accustomed to the devotion and protection of the dog, seldom pause to recount his value. The dog has two beautiful attributes of character, humility and faithfulness. His devotion has no peer. When affluence and wealth have taken wings, the dog remains faithful, despite adversities. He is the same in triumph and disaster. "He will kiss the hand which has no food to offer."

If the dog's master passes in death, he will follow the body to the grave, and stay right there through rain or snow, guarding in death, just as in life.

I implore you, Mr. Dog-catcher, to be kind to all these dogs. See that they are fed, and that they have plenty of water. There are any number of homes who want dogs, if they knew about your having so many. Even the lowliest, most homeless canine in your pound, cannot be blamed for his station in life.

PRESSURE COOKERS TO BE MADE AVAILABLE
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Pressure cookers for preserving Victory Garden products will be available in increasing numbers as the harvest season gets under way, the War Production Board has announced.

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MOSCOW—(AP)—All Russia acclaimed Leningrad Thursday on the 24th anniversary of its founding, but the city's inhabitants were too busy to celebrate. They were mounting guard against a possible fresh German thrust.

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- CORN** 4 ears **25¢**
- BEANS** 2 lbs. **33¢**
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Birthday Party Honors Daughter

Mrs. P. T. Tabor entertained with a birthday party Tuesday evening in observance of the birthday anniversary of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Hall.

Games of bingo and forty-two featured the hours, and awards were presented Mrs. C. O. Fredregill and Roby and Floyd Hargrove.

A birthday cake mounted by 20 small tapers formed the central figure for the table, and a variety of roses and delphinium were in evidence about the rooms.

Music was furnished throughout the evening by a string band, the Lone Star Ramblers, Austin Copeland, William Copeland, and Ray Bush are members of the orchestra.

At the close of the evening the honoree unwrapped and displayed her birthday gifts.

Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Reu Filicioni, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Robey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe De Mars, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Richters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers;

Mesdames H. E. Ritenour, Earl Fain, Carmen J. Aiello, Ray Bush, C. L. Stevenson, and D. F. Carson; Misses Yvonne Fain, Nell Wolfe, Gloria Fredregill, and Bernice Ledwith; and W. G. Durham, Paul Smires, James T. T. Junior, C. O. Eugene, and Jack Tabor, Joe Pearce, Pvt. Orlando J. Coley, Sgt. Billie Mizins, and Sgt. Meldom Leslie.

Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q—I do not care to go to dances, and my fiancé who now is a soldier loves to dance and insists upon my going with him to the dances. It is about to cause us to break up. What do you advise that I do? I am not a good dancer, and I am bored to death with attending dances. I am not popular with the other men at the dances, and my fiancé likes to dance, of course with others. I am embarrassed to death if I have to sit out a dance alone, hence I would rather not attend. My fiancé thinks it is the most absurd thing for me to be this way, but I feel just this way about it. I am 19 and he is 21.

BORED.

A.—You are in quite a dilemma. Since you are both very young, I see no reason why this matter should cause you to break up. Now, since you are to be married to this man, you should certainly go ahead and dance. If you do not, you will have trouble over this matter the longest day both of you live. If you are not a good dancer, why not take some home dancing lessons from a professional instructor. You soon will be very proficient as a dancer. It is the best opportunity a girl has to wear beautiful "formals" and look her very prettiest.

If I were in your place, I would get some lovely chiffon formals, have them made becomingly, wear a corsage, or flowers in my coiffure, buy some lovely dancing slippers and "doll" myself up, and accompany my sweetheart to all the dances he wishes to attend.

When the dance is informal, wear beautifully tailored dress, and have shoes and other accessories matching or contrasting.

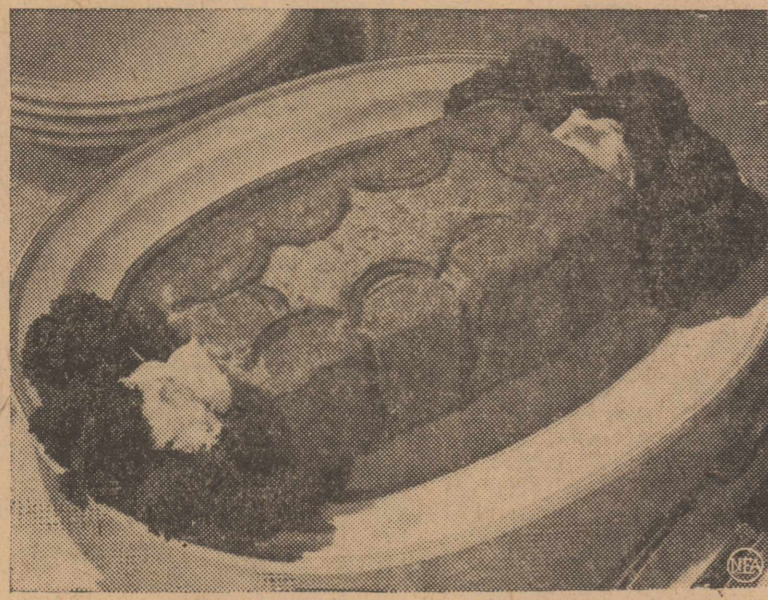
When the other boys at the dance realize that you dance well, and are as pretty as any of the other girls, you need not fear being a wallflower. Your sweetheart will think that much more of you, and both of you and he will be happier.

Q—I plan to have a birthday party next month, and I should like to know how to proceed. I will be 14, and I would like to have about 30 invited guests. Please tell me how I might entertain them.

BEULAH.

A.—You might have written invitations, and mail them. Write them in ink in your handwriting. On the invitation, state that you

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MIND Your MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. If a young girl is invited to a dance, should the hostess arrange to have her called for and taken home?
 2. Is it necessary to apologize to one's partner for a mis-step while dancing?
 3. Is it all right for a girl to tell a man he is a good dancer?
 4. Does the girl or boy suggest going home when a dance is over?
 5. May a girl reply, "Thank you," when a man thanks her for a dance?
- What would you do if—
- A man asks you to dance and he has had so much to drink you would rather not dance with him—
- (a) Refuse him with some excuse?
 - (b) Feel you must dance with him?

Answers

1. Yes.
 2. It is courteous to do so.
 3. Yes.
 4. The girl.
 5. Yes. Or she may say, "I enjoyed it."
- "Better 'What Would You Do?' solution"—(a).

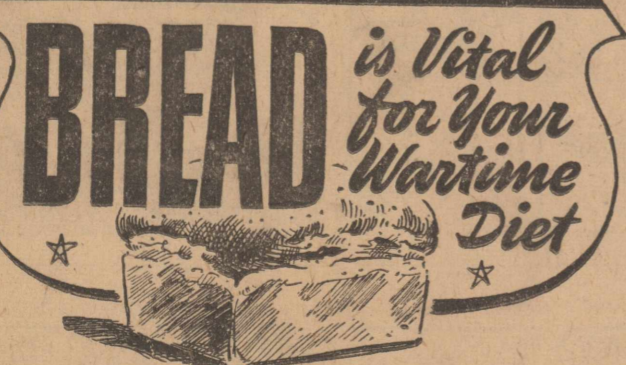
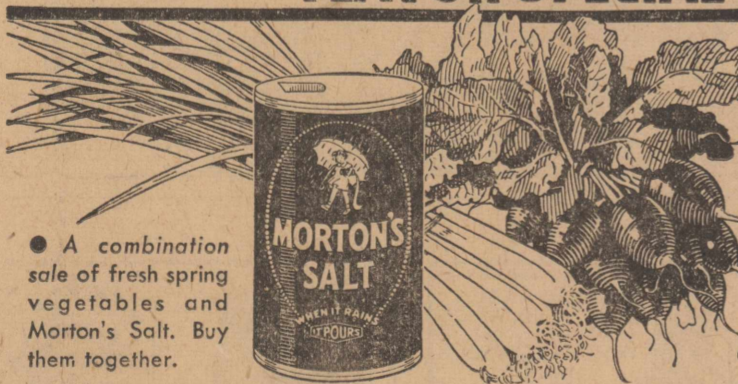
are celebrating your 14th birthday anniversary with an informal evening in your home, and should like the pleasure of your friend's company. At the lower left hand corner place R.S.V.P., then each one invited will call and tell you whether or not she will be present.

Have your home attractive with clusters of flowers, and plan games of bridge, or forty-two, or bingo. Have nice prizes for the winners in the games. If guests bring gifts to you place them on a table, and at the close of the evening, open them and thank each one personally.

You can serve light refreshments or a supper-plate toward the close of the evening. The supper may be in the form of a party plate. You will find many attractive favors for parties in the stores and you should also have a birthday cake in the center of the dining-table. This cake should have 14 birthday candles mounted on it. You may cut and serve your cake with the ice-course.

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Nuptial Vows Are Exchanged Here

A wedding of interest was celebrated Tuesday evening in the First Baptist Church when Miss Dolly Allen of Gustine became the bride of Pfc. William H. Farnum, Jr., of Detroit, Mich.

The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Vernon Yearby in the presence of a number of friends and relatives of the bride and groom.

Miss Dell Carroll of Midland was maid of honor for the bride, and Major Harry E. Phelps of Midland served the groom as best man. The bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Ballard White.

The bride was tastefully attired in a tailored costume of powder blue, with which she wore white accessories. Her hat was white with black trim. Her flowers were a corsage of gardenias.

The maid of honor, Miss Carroll, wore a becoming costume of rust tone crepe, with which she wore a corsage of Peruvian lilies.

Immediately following the service, the wedding party and invited guests went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Richter, 213 South Big Spring, where an informal reception was held.

The home was decorated throughout with spring flowers, and the dining table had as a centerpiece a large three-tiered wedding cake. After felicitations were received by the bride and groom, the bride cut and served her wedding cake during the refreshment hour.

Invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ballard White of Wink, Mr. and Mrs. Theo Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Grubb, Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Richter, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Carl Covington, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Calloway, Mr. and Mrs. Duard Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schlichting, Mr. and Mrs. Vickery Coles, Staff Sgt. and Mrs. W. E. Thompson, Mrs. Carrie Calloway, Mrs. Bee Pyburn, Miss Richter, Flight Officer Joseph Gatti, Staff Sgt. McNutt Evans, Pfc. Rawlston L. Buck, and J. Calloway, Jr.

ENGLAND'S CHURCH BELLS MAY BE RUNG ANY TIME

LONDON—(AP)—Britain's church bells, reserved as an invasion signal during the early war years, may now be rung at any time, Herbert Morrison, home security minister, informed the House of Commons Thursday.

Dominica was first settled by the French in 1632.

Chinese Take Part In Raid On Sicily

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA—(AP)—Major Gen. Ian Wai Ching of the Chinese air force flew in one of the Flying Fortresses which struck at the Comiso airfield in Sicily Wednesday and one of the Fortress gunners who helped defend his plane from an attack by 50 enemy fighters was an American-born Chinese, Staff Sgt. Lee Wong-Gen, of Chicago.

Fifteen Casualties Announced By Navy

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Navy announced Thursday 15 casualties, including five dead, one wounded and nine missing.

This brings to 23,124 the total of Navy, Marine Corps and Coast Guard casualties reported to next of kin since Dec. 7, 1941. The grand total included 7,297 dead, 4,700 wounded and 11,127 missing.

Bronze is an alloy of copper and tin.

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SKIN IRRITATIONS

Texas Farm Income Increased In April

AUSTIN—(AP)—Texas farm cash income during April increased 53 per cent above the same month last year, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported Thursday.

Aggregate farm cash income for the year reached \$247,000,000, 55 per cent more than in the corresponding period of 1942.

The British government pays the natives of Tirah, India, 240,000 rupees a year to avoid banditry.

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1 1/2 LB. AVERAGE	Oranges 220 SIZE CALIF., DOZ. 37¢	TEXAS 2 LBS. TOMATOES	25¢
FRESH GROUND BEEF lb. 23¢	Carrots 2 LARGE BUNCHES 9¢	CORN	
SPENCER ROLL BEEF ROAST , lb. 38¢	Squash White or Yellow 2 Pounds 15¢	LARGE EARS	2 FOR 11¢
Short Ribs BABY BEEF POUND 23¢	Crown Roast of Beef		
Horse Radish 5 OZ. BOTTLE 18¢	29¢		
Cheese Spreads 5 Oz. glass 20¢			

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QUART FRUIT JARS Case 85¢	SOFT-WEVE TISSUE 3 rolls 25¢
PINT FRUIT JARS Case 75¢	MONARCH PIC-L-JOYS 18 oz. jar 29¢
SEA SHELL MACARONI , Ronco, 8 oz. 11¢	GARLIC SAUCE 2 1/2 oz. jar 12¢
SPAGHETTI DINNER FOR FOUR 11¢	BARBECUE SAUCE , London Chop House 21¢
RICE 2 lb. cello bag 20¢	PICKLED CHILES 6 oz. jar 15¢
IMITATION VANILLA FLAVOR , 8 oz. 15¢	RIPE OLIVES , Monarch Jumbo 9 1/2 oz. 43¢
MORTON'S SALT 26 oz. box 10¢	SOAP CHIPS , 20 Mule Team Borax, lg box 24¢

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SERIAL STORY

Beth Carter, WAAC

BY LORETTE COOPER

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UNHAPPY LANDING CHAPTER XVI

BETH had jumped impulsively. During those first sickening seconds of the drop, while she was fighting to keep from pulling the rip cord too soon, she felt nothing except the sensation that her insides were zooming upward—much the same sensation, only on a larger scale, that a high swing would have given her.

Then she was jerked and jolted almost insensate. Her head was thrown back and she saw the parachute billow out, then momentarily collapse, then billow out again.

She wondered if she were visible in the moonlight. The moon was very low now, and it did not light up the ocean or the island quite as it had several hours before. The fantastically exciting and active night was nearing an end. Beth wondered if there would be a dawn for her.

Down, down she went. She heard no noise—only the rush of air past her head. She felt cold, almost numb.

The island was rushing up at her very fast. It was a miracle that Beth had found it, and it would be more of a miracle if she landed on it safely.

SHE could not decide what portion she was about to hit. The contours were deceptive from aloft. She had expected to be able to recognize the cove and the headquarters area, but she could not.

She thought she was only a few feet above the island now. Odd, how at first her progress had seemed so fast, then so slow, and

now so fast again! The ground was coming toward her in a terrific rush of shadowy vegetation. She tried to look at her watch, but could not see the dial. She wished she had looked before she jumped—it would be something to be able to know just how fast time was going. Beth could not have more than an hour's gasoline left.

Beth thought she heard a shout from below, then decided it was her imagination. Then she hit.

She struck a treetop first—a palm—and the points of the fronds jabbed into her flesh. Fortunately the night was almost windless, only a faint predawn breeze being present near the surface.

Then she bounced down through branches and vines and leaves to the earth.

The parachute struggled against the weight of her body and the entanglement of the branches as the breeze caught it and opened it full for one last fall, then it collapsed under a low treetop. Beth was dragged against the bole of a stubby palm. The wind was knocked out of her and she lay there for several minutes, semi-conscious.

When Beth fully regained her senses, it seemed that hours had passed. Nothing appeared real. With difficulty, she fixed her mind on her whereabouts and on her experiences during the night.

What brought reality to mind first was a pain in her ankle. Beth disengaged herself from the parachute. Where she was—except that presumably she was on the right island, and the correctness of that presumption depended completely on the correct-

ness of Brit's navigation—she did not know.

She arose and tried to walk, and sank back down again immediately. The hurt ankle would not bear her weight. Beth removed her shoe, tore a length of cloth from her skirt, and wrapped it around the ankle. The pressure of the wrapping braced the ankle and somewhat relieved the pain.

She heard noises in the jungle. She remembered that Brit had told her there were all sorts of tropical animals in that jungle—things that crept and things that crawled, and other things full of venom and poison.

She called out, "Help!" Then, not because she was frightened—for her mind was too full of Brit's predicament for fright to enter—she screamed. She hoped that a scream might carry farther than a simple outcry.

Her shout unnerved her, for it was answered by a thousand other screams. She could not decide whether she had startled all sorts of jungle denizens, or whether there were that many echoes.

She called "Help!" again. It was to no avail. She must make headway. She wished she could hear Brit's plane motors. She needed reassurance that her mission still had a purpose. But if he had been that close, he would have drawn fire.

As though to give terror to her thoughts, she heard the unmistakable voice of an antiaircraft gun far down the island, barking viciously at a target aloft.

She knew how excellent was the marksmanship of those American Coast Artillerymen. Her heart sank. Then she heard another noise. It was of something crawling a few paces away in the impenetrable jungle.

(To Be Continued)

Summer Vacation Period To Start Friday Afternoon

Shouts of glee will probably resound from the campuses of Midland Public Schools Friday afternoon as students of the schools start their summer vacation periods. The school term will be ended except for a short period Monday when report cards will be received by the students.

Members of the graduating class of Midland High School already have had four days free of school-day cares, since they finished final tests last week and were not required to attend classes this week.

Tests will be finished in all of the schools by Friday noon, and only members of the eighth grade class of the Junior High School will have to attend school Friday afternoon. The eighth grade graduation program will be held at 2:30 p. m. Friday.

Summer vacations for the teachers will begin next week, too, and the majority of them already have made plans for spending the three months period.

Board Announces Certificate List

The Midland County War Price and Rationing Board has issued the following certificates:

Passenger Automobiles: Sinclair Prairie Oil Co., D. W. Francis, and F. F. Elkin.

Rubber Boots: L. B. Scott and S. A. Sprilng.

Passenger Tires, Grade 1: City Cab Co., Herbert Farister, Barton L. Hunt, Robert P. Hays, Edgar D. Neely, Clint Creech, R. N. Morris, Ernest Richardson, J. M. Howerton, Atlantic Pipe Line Co., Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Co., Sinclair Prairie Oil Co., Standard Oil Co. of Texas, Continental Oil Co., J. T. Dodson, Olson Drilling Co., W. L. Sanders, William Allen, Scharbauer Cattle Co., Magnolia Petroleum Co., The Texas Co., Slickly Oil Co., Curtis Price, Roy Clark, H. C. Whitmore, O. T. Brinson, W. T. Chandler, A. D. Campbell, C. H. Cherry, W. L. Thompson, L. O. Free, N. G. Baker, L. E. Cook, L. O. Link, Nick Davis, R. P. Coats, and Dowell, Inc.

Passenger Tires, Grade 3: Sutcliffe, Minney, Marvin L. Pritchett, and James L. Walker.

Passenger Tubes: R. P. Coats, J. T. Dodson, W. E. Wallace, L. O. Free, I. J. Prager, N. G. Baker, T. D. Jones, Sr., Hunter Midkiff, R. N. Morris, Scharbauer Cattle Co., Olson Drilling Co., G. S. Sutcliffe, Magnolia Petroleum Co., Ernest Richardson, L. E. Cook, Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Co.

Truck Tires: J. T. Marchant, Rodolfo Bermea, Olson Trucking Co., F. W. Stonehocker, Gulf Research & Development Co., and Ben Kelton.

Truck Tubes: Olson Trucking Co., Rodolfo Bermea, J. T. Marchant, J. B. Collins, Cage Bros. & J. Floyd Malcolm, and Darrell O'Neal.

Farm Implements: J. W. Baker, W. E. Tidwell, Cage Bros. & J. Floyd Malcolm.

Truck Recaps: P. F. Bridgewater and A. J. Norton.

No Word Received From Major Welch

Relatives here Thursday had received no word from Major Darryl Welch, a hero of the air war in Northern Tunisia, but the Midland flier is expected here this week while on furlough. Mrs. Welch went to Dallas last week-end to join her husband, who had wired her from Miami Beach, Fla., that he was enroute home.

Major Welch is officially credited with destroying at least five, and perhaps more, Axis aircraft in air battles in Northern Tunisia. He has received a number of decorations for his feats.

Early Communion Services To Be Held

Members of the Episcopal Men's Club of Trinity Church at their meeting Wednesday night agreed to attend early Communion services each Wednesday morning for six weeks and discussed plans for the future of the church.

The Rev. Robert J. Snell, rector of the church, proposed the early Communion services and the men agreed to attend. He also made suggestions for a future program and a committee was appointed by R. W. Hamilton, club president, to study proposals.

The dinner was served by the Red Cross Community Canteen in the First Presbyterian Church.

Air Medal Awarded To Lt. W. C. Holcombe

A dispatch from General MacArthur's headquarters Wednesday told of the award of the Army air medal to First Lt. Wesley C. Holcombe of Alpine, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cowden of Midland.

The officer is the son of the late J. C. Holcombe who was killed on duty in Midland July 21, 1929, while serving as a night watchman. The family was among the pioneers of this area. Lieutenant Holcombe's mother resides in Alpine.

The dipatch told of the award of the medal to nine Texans who participated in 25 operational flights in transport planes over the jungle and mountains of the Pacific war area.

NEW ZEALAND DIES

WELLINGTON, NEW ZEALAND.—(AP)—J. G. Coates, New Zealand minister for the armed forces and war coordination, died suddenly at his desk Thursday.

Flood Story

COFFEYVILLE, KAS.—(AP)—An automobile, driven by Pvt. Loren McMahan on patrol duty, collided with a boat, also on patrol duty.

BARGAIN OFFER

NEW YORK.—(AP)—From a newspaper's public notices: "Will exchange dozen pairs nylon's plus cash for medium-sized Steinway grand."

Tried Hard Enough

SALT LAKE CITY.—(AP)—Albert Van Cott, laundry manager who normally employs 175 workers, found business booming and help dwindling.

Last week in response to demands of irate customers, who wanted their laundry back he personally ironed 3,500 pillow cases.

His suspended ironing service until the help situation eases. Read Reporter-Telegram Want-Ads

Mayor Allows Boys To Fulfill Desire

ELBERTON, GA.—(AP)—Four Elberton boys yearned for a swim. They got it—and how!

Caught breaking into the city pool after closing hours, they were ordered by Mayor Ben I. Sutton to spend three hours every day in the pool until further notice.

Bomb-battered Catania in Sicily has been one of the chief Axis sources of sulphur.

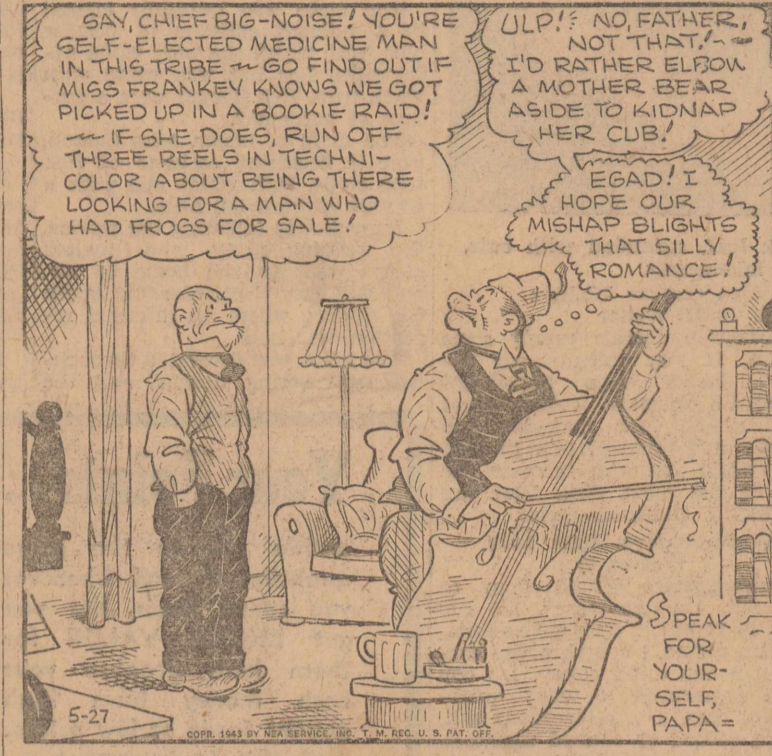
Better Rat Trap

ROCHESTER, N. Y.—(AP)—William J. Vincent and C. M. Stanton have invented a trap that electrocutes rats.

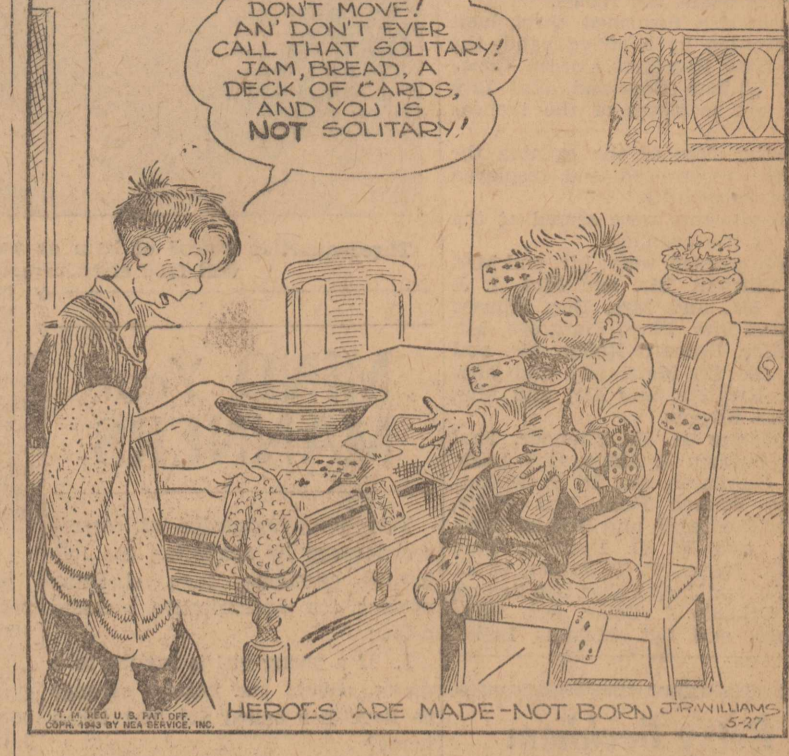
The rats run through a series of openings, which automatically shut behind them, until they reach an "execution chamber." An electrically controlled flap drops the victims into a container.

Hardened lava makes good street paving and building material.

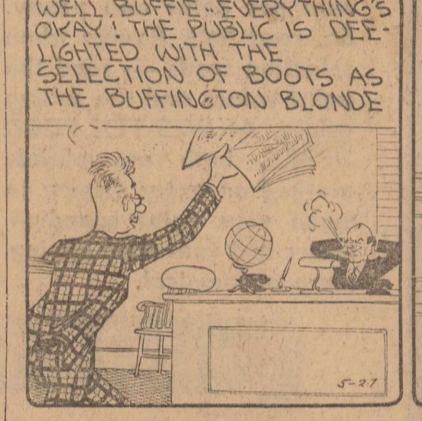
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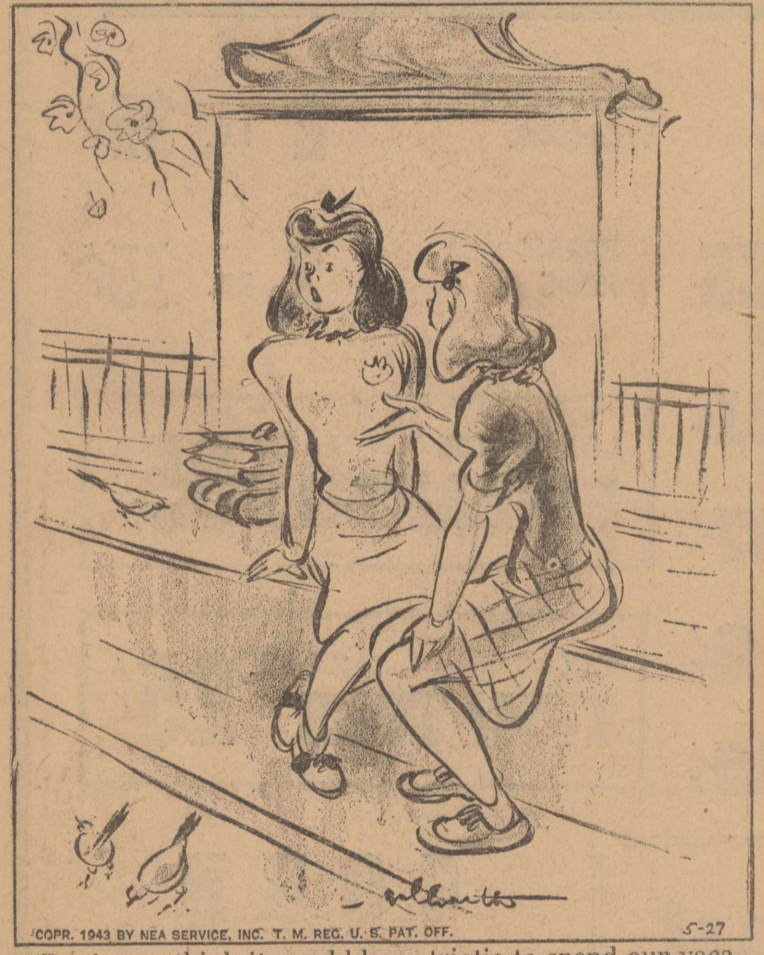
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ALLEY OOP



SIDE GLANCES



McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney America's Card Authority. The declarer's miscalculation on hand No. 14 of the final round in the Masters individual tournament gave a top score to Alvin Roth, 133 winner of the title. Looking at all four hands, it may be a little difficult to understand the declarer's psychology in playing the hand as he did. He may have felt that he was not in a good contract and, therefore, he was play-

Bridge hand diagram showing cards and scores for both sides.

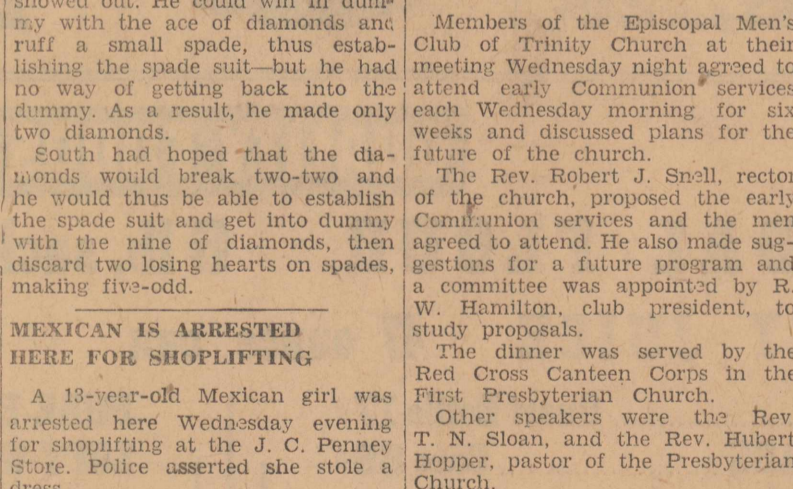
THIS CUPIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

Advertisement for Kwik-Kopier featuring a man with a baseball bat and a mouse. Text includes 'IT TAKES ONLY ONE-HALF SECOND FOR A BASEBALL TO TRAVEL FROM THE PITCHER TO THE BATTER!' and 'AN EPAULET IS A BALLET DANCE A CHEESE PREPARATION AN OFFICER'S SHOULDER ORNAMENT'.

MEXICAN IS ARRESTED HERE FOR SHOPLIFTING

A 13-year-old Mexican girl was arrested here Wednesday evening for shoplifting at the J. C. Penney Store. Police asserted she stole a dress.

HOLD EVERYTHING



Advertisement for Find It, Sell It, Buy It with a Want Ad, featuring a phone number 7 or 8.

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20 a word a day.
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC
Please refrain from gathering any flowers from the City Parks.

NOTICE
Working Mothers who need a day nursery to care for children over two years of age call 528 or 1729-R. A. U. W. Survey.

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Beauty Parlors 6
NOTICE
Mrs. Bertha Wagoner of Midland, an experienced beauty operator, is now associated with the Glamor Beauty Shop.

Lost and Found 7
WILL party who found washing machine lid phone 454.
LOST: Ladies' lapel watch, Broadway make, yellow gold, between 1010 W. Wall and Minute Inn.

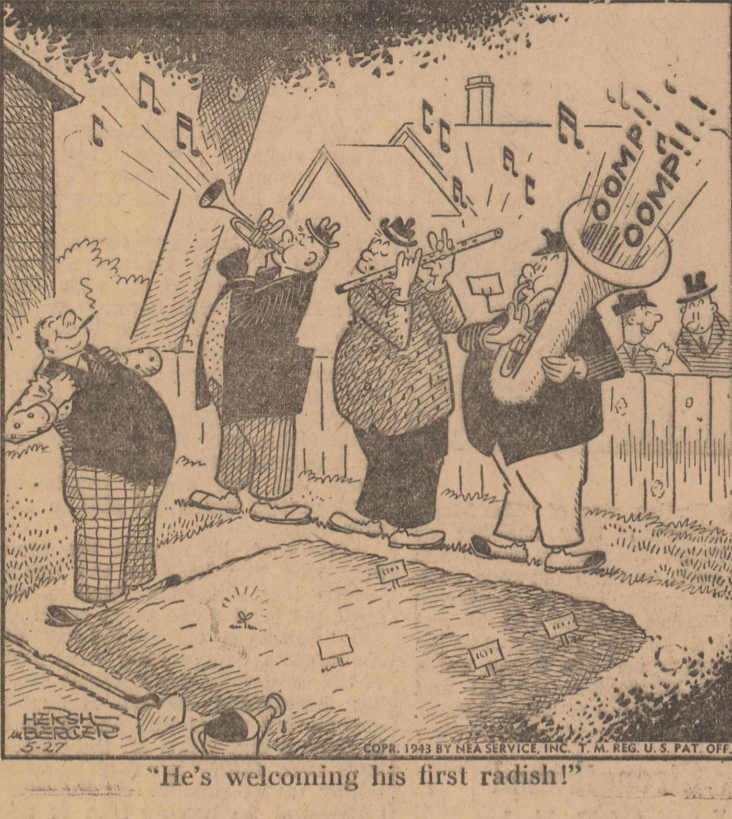
Help Wanted 9
HOUSEKEEPER to care for 4-year old child; will furnish garage room for couple, board for woman. Call 336 after 6 p. m. for interview.

RENTALS
Bedrooms 12
ROOM at Taylor Lodge, conveniently located, 107 S. Pecos. Phone 278.

Furnished Apartments 14
ONE-Room furnished garage apt. 902 S. Lorraine.
TWO 2-room furnished apartments. Bills paid. Reasonable. 307 West Florida, Phone 972-J.

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FUNNY BUSINESS



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Unfurnished Apartments 15
5-ROOM unfurnished apartment, \$35.00 month, bills paid. 570 South H.
Furnished Houses 17
FOR SALE: Ten houses, 6 three-room, 4 two-room, furniture for five. All modern, together with water works. Will sell one or all.

Wanted To Buy 26
WANTED: A pair of baby scales in good condition. Call 1784-W.
USED 4x5 Speed Graphic or similar camera and attachments. Box 207, this paper.

Machinery 33
SEWING Machines; we repair all makes; work guaranteed. Western Furniture Co., 201 S. Main, Phone 451.
FOR SALE: Good 3 1/2 sack Jader concrete mixer located at L. J. Eddleman's, Crustee Camp, 6 mi. east of Coahoma.

Wanted To Rent 21
WANTED to rent, 2 bedroom furnished house. No children. Phone 679.
WANT to rent or store a piano, references furnished. Box 208, c/o this paper.

Miscellaneous 23
FOR SALE: Wheelbarrow, lawn mower, yard tools. 2101 West Indiana.
USED bicycle, good condition. Also one re-possessed man's bicycle, like new. Nice gift. No certificate required. Western Auto Associate Store, across from Western Union.

Wanted To Buy 26
WANT to buy: We need more furniture, stoves, and ice boxes. Tom Nix Second Hand Store, 205 E. Wall.
HIGHEST cash price paid for used radios, phonographs and bicycles. Western Auto Associate Store, opposite Western Union, Midland. Phone 300.

PRIVATE party will pay cash for late model used car. No dealers. Phone 1396-J.
New Vacuum Cleaners While They Last
All Guaranteed! Parts and Service for All Makes
G. BLAIN LUSE Phone 74
Will Pay Cash for Used Cleaners

HOUSES FOR SALE 61
5-ROOM stucco for sale or trade for farm. 510 S. Lorraine. Phone 1354-W, Watlington.
A sea cow originally had four limbs, but the rear two have evolved into a fleshy paddle.

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Taylor Evangelistic Troupe Will Open Two Weeks Spiritual Victory Crusade At Church Here Sunday

One of the most widely known and most successful evangelistic troupes in the country will open a Spiritual Victory Crusade at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning and will conduct services each night except Saturday through June 14, the Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor, has announced.

The gifted Taylor evangelistic troupe is led by the Rev. Charles Forbes Taylor, better known as Charlie Taylor, recognized nationally as being without a superior in the matter of preaching the gospel. His messages appeal alike to those of all ages of life and those from all walks of life. In addition he is a song leader of note and also a soloist. Often he pauses at an appropriate place in a sermon to sing a solo. He also whistles well and uses this gift to advantage.

Charles "Dad" Taylor, father of Charlie and Laurie Taylor, musician, has been in Midland the past week making arrangements for the Spiritual Victory Crusade and has been presenting the story of his life in messages each night this week. The concluding story will be told Thursday night at the church.

Laurie Taylor is an expert pianist and will bring his own 12-foot grand piano. He has practiced four to eight hours daily for 20 years and during the Crusade will present a special musical program. He also assists in leading the singing and handles the making of announcements and other miscellaneous duties. He has traveled with his brother for nearly 20 years.

Credited with receiving the greatest support of any evangelist since Sunday was in his heyday, the Rev. Charles Forbes Taylor, D.D., comes by his evangelistic abilities through his father, who once toured England with a gospel wagon and sold 130,000 copies of the New Testament for two cents each before he was 21 years old. The elder Mr. Taylor raised 11 children entirely on the free-will offerings taken at his evangelistic meetings.

Charles, as he is known to thousands of persons, preached his first sermon at the age of nine and thereby stamped himself as something of a freak in England where, he says, if one does anything to get himself noticed before he's 50 he forever is known as a boy genius. At 13 Charlie came to America and for 26 years he has been delivering on the average of 350 sermons a year.

Of the seven boys in the Taylor family, five are engaged in evangelistic work. "Dad" Taylor travels with Charlie and Laurie as a sort of advance agent, arranging for the Crusades.

Laurie Taylor has gained a wide reputation as a skilled pianist and composer. Piano concertos by Greig and Schumann, and other compositions such as Laurie will play, are seldom heard at evangelistic services, but his playing will make this crusade one of music as well as religion.

He has been studying piano since

United Nations Not To Be Diverted From Bombing Of Germany
LONDON —(AP)— Maj. Clement R. Atlee, deputy prime minister, told the House of Commons Thursday that no attempts by neutral countries would divert the United Nations from their considered plans to bomb Germany.

Prospective members of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce will be entertained at a picnic at Cloverdale Park at 7:30 p. m. Thursday by the Jaycees. U. A. Hyde is in charge of the program which will be informal.

German Say British Planes Aid Guerrillas
LONDON —(AP)— British planes have been aiding Yugoslav guerrillas in their battle against Axis occupying armies, a German broadcast recorded by The Associated Press asserted Thursday.

HELEN SHORT INJURED SERIOUSLY WHILE PLAYING
Helen Short, 5-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Short, was injured seriously Wednesday afternoon while playing near her home. She jumped from a fence and fell on a stick.

GERMANS CONTROL RAILROADS IN GREECE
ANKARA —(AP)—All of the railroads in Greece have been placed directly under German control, reports from Greece said Thursday.

Congratulations To
Captain and Mrs. J. R. Callihan on the birth of a son Wednesday night. They have christened the baby Robert Lynn. He weighed seven pounds and seven and a half ounces.



Charlie and Laurie Taylor will open a two weeks' Spiritual Victory Crusade at the First Baptist Church Sunday. Charlie is the evangelist, Laurie a skilled musician.

Solons Move To Limit Funds For Planning Board

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A bi-partisan move to limit the National Resources Planning Board's spending next year to \$200,000 added impetus Thursday to growing congressional demands to restrict activities of "New Deal" agencies.

Senator Byrd (D-Va.), chairman of a joint economy committee, joined Senators Taft (R-Ohio) and Nye (R-Ind.) in an attack on President Roosevelt's long-range planning agency.

At the same time, Byrd announced he and Taft will seek to write into the \$2,621,539,379 independent offices appropriations bill an expression of congressional desire to liquidate the Home Owners Loan Corporation by June 30, 1945.

Police Hunt Slayer Of California Woman
LOS ANGELES —(AP)— Police in suburban Lynwood Thursday located the automobile of slain Mrs. Charleen Degley, 27, Long Beach, Calif., mother of two children.

Home consumption of coffee under the rationing program is 30 per cent less than it was in 1941.

Midland - Odessa BUS LINE SCHEDULE
Leave Midland - Odessa
5:25 A.M. 5:00 A.M.
5:55 A.M. 6:20 A.M.
6:25 A.M. 7:00 A.M.

OPR Office Here Is Praised By Officials
Praise for the efficiency and work of the Midland County War Price and Rationing Board, its price panel and its employees was heard Thursday by ranking OPA officials.

Corporal Asmusen At Officers' School
Cpl. Herold A. C. Asmusen, member of the 83rd Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron of the Midland Army Air Field, has been transferred to the Officer Candidate School of the Engineer Corps at Ft. Belvoir, Va., where he will attend an officer candidate course.

Capt. Stammer Named Base Material Officer
Capt. David Stammer of the Midland Army Air Field has been appointed Base Material Officer, it was announced Thursday in special orders issued at the bombardier school, Captain Stammer was formerly assistant engineering officer of the 1st Maintenance Group.

GEORGE D. ELLIOTT, SR., IS IN SERIOUS CONDITION
George D. Elliott, Sr., pioneer West Texas and hotel operator in Odessa, is seriously ill in a Dallas hospital. Members of his family are at his bedside.

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