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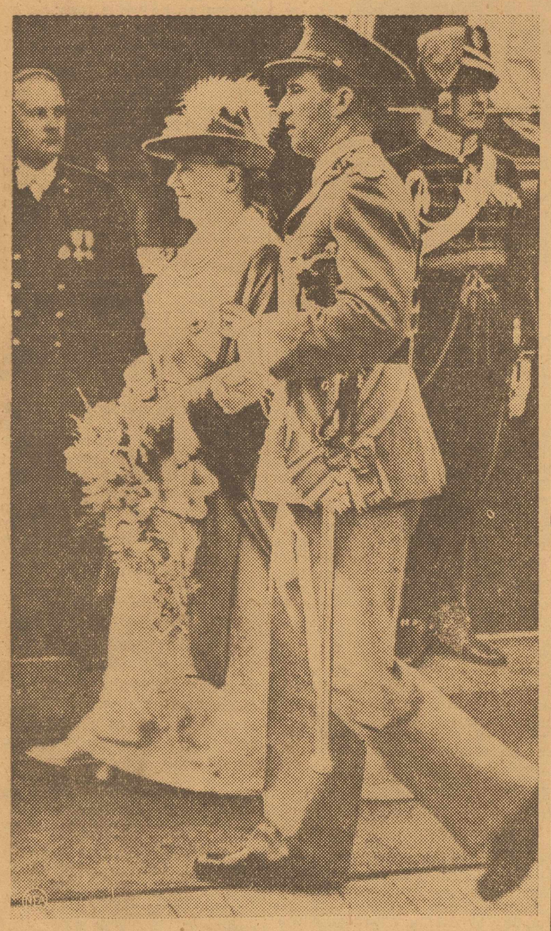
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They're Right in Stride---



Stepping along together, Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands and King Leopold of Belgium typify partnership of their nations in European line-up. They are shown as the queen arrived for visit in Brussels.

Officials in Quandary Over Age Pensions

50,000 Are Added to Rolls as Governor Signs Latest Bill

AUSTIN, June 3. (AP) — Texas today faced the prospect of adding 50,000 old age pensioners to the 118,500 on the rolls already and not having the money to pay them.

Governor O'Daniel yesterday signed into law a bill greatly liberalizing the state plan but which was far short of his campaign pledge.

The legislature, meanwhile, recessing over the week-end but already in session longer than any other, remained deadlocked on the issue of what sort of taxes to levy for pensions.

The governor has repeatedly urged adoption of a proposed constitutional amendment permitting the people to vote on a two per cent sales tax for the purpose.

The new pension law was expected to add approximately 50,000 persons to the old age pension rolls, which now aggregates 118,552. Texas already stands fourth among the states in the number of pensioners in proportion to population above 65 years of age.

O'Daniel, waiting until the last possible day to act on the bill, issued the following statement:

"It is without doubt unsound public policy to promise pension liberalization as specified in this bill and then not provide the necessary money to meet the promises but inasmuch as this bill received 130 votes in the house and 21 in the senate, which is sufficient to also pass any kind of tax bill or constitutional amendment, the lack of my signature would indicate that I questioned the sincerity and good intentions of those 151 legislators who voted for this bill.

"Therefore, in signing the bill I am showing my faith in those 151 legislators carrying through and raising the necessary money to meet these promises during the present session."

The O'Daniel-blessed sales and natural resource tax constitutional amendment probably will come up for another vote in the house early next week. Some members said they believed it would muster the needed two-thirds vote while others insisted it would never pass regardless of how many more weeks the legislature remains in session.

This was the 144th day of the session, already the longest in Texas history. While most persons were of the opinion the lawmakers would go home within the next two weeks, they can continue working on half pay as long as they desire.

Considerable doubt was expressed that the federal social security board would match Texas pension grants under the new plan. The matter will be submitted to the board about June 15. If the federal agency should turn thumbs down, the legislature probably would restore the law to something like its former basis.

Rep. J. Bryan Bradbury of Abilenelene expressed the opinion the constitutional amendment never would be submitted to the people.

GERMAN REFUGEES ENROUTE BACK TO HOMELAND

HAVANA, June 3 (AP)—The German steamship St. Louis, ordered out of Cuban waters yesterday with 937 refugee German Jews forbidden to land here proceeded slowly toward Hamburg today.

The Dominican republic offered a haven providing each refugee would pay a $500 fee for permission to reside in the country. A ship's officer said he understood the majority of the refugees were unable to pay the requested amount.

Hamburg, Germany, their starting point, was the destination of the German liner St. Louis, whose departure marked another unsuccessful attempt by German Jews to settle in this hemisphere.

But to avoid collective suicide attempts, word was spread on board that the United States government had authorized their landing in New York if continuing efforts for their entry into Cuba failed.

Kept from them was the news from Washington that government officials here said no arrangements had been made for them to land in New York or any other United States port.

Smiles spread over tear-stained faces among refugees who took the report at face value. Wailing which had grown louder during five days of vain efforts to enter Cuba turned to happy laughter.

Worst Feared

Despite the high spirits aboard when the St. Louis sailed, relatives and friends left behind feared the worst when the passengers learn their true destination.

Some expressed fears there might be attempts to force Capt. Gustav Schroeder of the St. Louis to head for another port.

Others spoke of the possibility of mass suicides, the fear of which led Captain Shroeder to delay his departure until President Fererico Laredo Bru ordered him to sail or to be towed from Cuban waters by a gunboat.

In Germany, relatives here said, the refugees must start life over again from scratch. At best they said, this meant work as laborers; for some possible concentration camps.

The departure of the St. Louis was preceded by pathetic scenes both aboard and on the water front where kinsmen among the 10,000 spectators attempted to make shouted contact with those aboard.

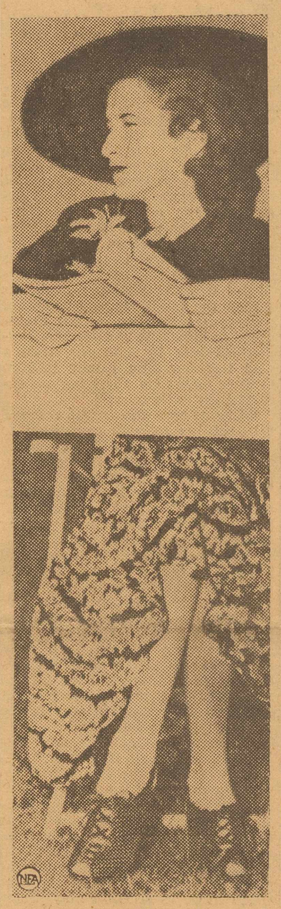
Of the 937 aboard the liner when it arrived last Saturday, 29 were granted permission to remain in Cuba since they had necessary papers.

In addition, Max Loewe, German lawyer who attempted to commit suicide Tuesday, was left in a Havana hospital. Cuban officials said he would be sent back to Germany on the next German boat.

His wife and two children went back to Germany on the St. Louis.

ALL HOPE ABANDONED FOR THETIS CREW

Sees Nags



Dressed in picture hat and flowered frock, Dorothy, daughter of Pennsylvania's Gov. Arthur James, leans forward against rail as she concentrates on society horse show at Devon, Pa.

Friends Disclose Garner Will Seek Demo Nomination

WASHINGTON, June 3 (AP)—Close friends of Vice President Garner disclosed to today he had decided to seek the presidential nomination at the 1940 democratic convention regardless of supporters to line up convention delegates.

The Garner-for-President movement has been under the leadership of E. B. Germany of Dallas, Texas democratic state chairman.

Another Week of Maneuvering Ends Even Up in Europe

By ASSOCIATED PRESS

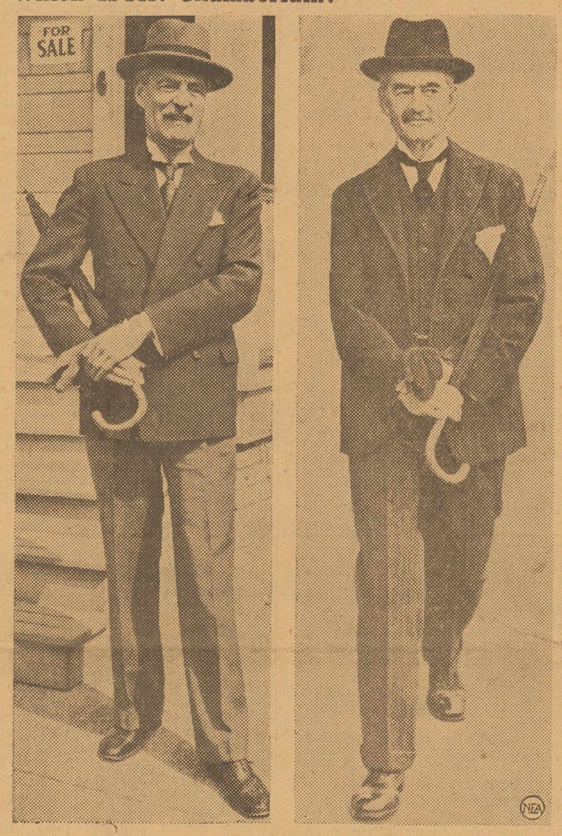
Europe's opposing camps came to the end of another week of intensive diplomatic maneuvering Saturday but with little to show for their efforts.

Russia wrote "inadequate" across Britain's latest proposal to bring her into the anti-aggression front and awaited the next move from London.

Hitler lavished attention on Yugoslavia, whose regent Prince Paul, wined and dined in Berlin on a five-day state visit. Yugoslavia was reported endeavoring to keep friendly with Britain and France despite the signing of a non-aggression pact with Germany.

Meanwhile, nazis were disturbed by sabotage and reluctance of the Czechs in conquered Bohemia and Moravia to cooperate.

Which Is Mr. Chamberlain?



All Dr. Herbert Lockyer, British religious author now in U. S. on lecture tour, needs is an umbrella—and he's Neville Chamberlain's double. Can you spot the British prime minister? (He's at right.)

'98 Aboard Are Admitted Dead By Admiralty

England Shocked By Worst Disaster In History of Subs

LONDON, June 3. (AP) — The admiralty officially abandoned hope for men aboard the submarine Thetis at 9:30 a. m., central standard time, today.

A statement said: "The admiralty regrets there is now no longer justification for hope any further lives will be saved from the Thetis. Salvage work proceeds."

Admiralty officials did not abandon efforts to raise the Thetis, but admitted slow seepage water into the submarine's batteries probably had formed chlorine gas and suffocated the men.

The number aboard was raised from 90 to 98 during the day with the admiralty's disclosure eight additional civilian technicians not previously listed were aboard.

The disaster ranks as the greatest in submarine history.

Britain, stunned and bewildered, wavered between sorrow and perplexity as it accepted news of the catastrophe with a torrent of questions.

No immediate answer to the questions regarding what caused the submarine to dive into the mud or why no one was able to follow the four men who escaped yesterday was given.

Two Midland Girls To Represent City At Fort Stockton

Representing the junior chamber of commerce and the Lions club, Miss Eddye Gene Cole and Miss Martha Flaherty will compete in the bathing revue at the annual Water Carnival at Fort Stockton on Friday and Saturday of this week, it was announced Saturday by officials of the two organizations. Miss Cole, daughter of Mrs. Frank Williamson, will be sponsored by the Midland Lions club while Miss Flaherty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Flaherty, will represent the junior chamber of commerce. The two young ladies, with Miss Edna Earl Linebery, took part in the bathing revue at McCamey last night.

First prize in the Fort Stockton bathing revue will be an all-expense paid trip to Treasure Island, San Francisco, the trip to be over a ten day period. Second and third place winners will be awarded loving cups. Judges will grade contestants on 60 per cent facial beauty and form, 20 per cent on poise and graceful carriage, and 20 per cent on personality, smile, hair, eyes, teeth, complexion, etc.

Two Trainmen Die As T-P Passenger Train Is Derailed

RANGER, June 3. (AP) — L. M. Mann, engineer, E. Preston, fireman, both of Fort Worth, were killed when the Texas and Pacific westbound passenger train number three derailed three miles west of here today.

Two women passengers, names not learned, were injured and taken to a Ranger hospital. The train was enroute from Fort Worth to Sweetwater. The engine and four cars overturned.

The West Texas Clinic reported it heard eight or ten passengers were injured, none seriously.

Cause of the wreck was unknown.

Country Club Members Called for Meeting

Stockholders of Midland Country Club, Inc., have been called to meet for important business Monday evening, it has been announced by Secretary W. I. Pratt. The meeting will be held at the club house at 8 o'clock. Discussion of plans for further improvements, to include construction of tennis courts, a swimming pool and other additions will be taken up. Those not planning to attend were asked to hand their proxies to other stockholders in order to have a majority of stock represented for voting.

RETURN FROM TRIP.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hudkins and daughter, Evelyn, returned Saturday from Denton, where Evelyn has been a student in TSCW. Mr. and Mrs. Hudkins left Midland Thursday going to Newcastle, where they visited her father, before continuing to Denton.

Goodwill Group of Pecos Expected to Be Here Tomorrow

Led by the Pecos high school band, a good will motorcade announcing the annual Pecos Rodeo to be held in that city on July 3-4 will arrive in Midland Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock, a 30-minute stop being scheduled here. After parading through the downtown section, the band will render a concert on the courthouse lawn, the public having been extended a most cordiai invitation to attend the program. Among other towns to be visited by the Pecos group Monday are Monahans, Odessa, Big Spring, Kermit, Wink and Barstow.

SON TO DALLAS COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hicks of Dallas are the parents of a son born Saturday morning, relatives here were informed yesterday. Mrs. Hicks is the former Miss Scotta Shirey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Shirey of this place.

Brady and Arrington to Meet Today in Tennis Tourney Final

Leo Brady and Frank Arrington will meet in the finals of the City Tennis Championship this morning at 9 o'clock and Arrington and Middleton will battle it out with Oliver and Butcher for laurels in the doubles finals at 3 this afternoon.

Brady and Arrington advanced to the finals as a result of victory in semi-finals matches yesterday. Brady won a hard fought match with Don Oliver by a score of 6-3, 6-4, 7-5, while Arrington eased through his match with Moseley winner every game played, final score being 6-0, 6-0, 6-0.

The Brady-Oliver match provided a very interesting match, one filled with bits of sparkling play on the part of both players. Despite the very windy day, many beautiful shots were executed by both players. Oliver seemed a little the better in accuracy during the early part of the match, while Brady combined an excellent mixture of fast drives, placements and drop shots plus a more aggressive type of play to make up the difference necessary to win. Serving of the two men was about even, in that Brady had the fastest serve but served more doubles, while Oliver's was fast and more accurate than Brady's. The early part of the first set was marked by Oliver's steadiness and placements which threatened to make a race horse out of a tennis player, while Brady countered with an ability to cover the whole court, driving to the corners and placing telling drop shots barely over the net. In the later part of the set Brady took to the net more often, with Oliver remaining in the back-court, and won the game with some excellent net shots.

In the second set Brady broke Oliver's service twice to win the set 6-4. Oliver staged a thrilling rally that stopped just short of victory after Brady had built up a lead of 5-1, running the score up to 5-4, but losing the last game when he was unable to break through Brady's serve for the second time in a row.

The third set started out erratically, with both men losing their initial serves. Oliver went into the lead for the first time in the match, leading two games to one, but Brady moved in and took three games in a row to make the score 3-2 in his favor. Not to be subdued so easily, Oliver staged a comeback and took three games on his own, to make the score 5-4 in his favor. Brady's service stood up and the score was even at 5-5. Brady again held his serve, broke through Oliver's, and concluded with winning his final serve to end the set and match, 7-5.

Following the Brady - Oliver match, Moseley and Arrington took the court. Arrington was easily the victor through playing his usual steady game, combined wtih numerous errors upon the part of Mosley, who played the least convincing match he had played during the tournament. The final score was 6-0, 6-0, 6-0.

Today's play will conclude the tournament. The matches to be played should be close and interesting pre-tournament seedings have managed to stand up, Brady and Arrington being seeded 1 and 2, respectively in singles, and the Arrington-Middleton doubles team seeded first with the Oliver-Butcher team second.

RETURNS HOME

Mrs. Charlie Kerr returned to her home Saturday afternoon from a Midland hospital.

VISITING HERE

Mr. and Mrs. John Tayar arrived here Friday night from Childress for a visit with her parents.

35 Boy Scouts Will Leave Monday for Camp at Barksdale

Thirty five Boy Scouts of troop 52 and 54 will leave Monday at one p. m. for a two-week period at Camp Fawcett, near Barksdale.

The scouts will be under the supervision of Buster Howard, scoutmaster of troop 54, and Wallace Wimberly, camping chairman.

The scouts will spend the first night at Christoval and leave early Tuesday morning and arrive in camp at 10:30. A swim will be the first thing on the program upon arrival, followed by lunch, the first meal to be served in the camp.

During the afternoon the camp will be set up and the daily program in operation by mid-afternoon.

Single Tax for All Federal Penalties Offered to Congress

WASHINGTON, June 3. (AP) — Broadening the income tax base and substitution of a single tax for all present federal taxes on corporate income was recommended to congress today by the New York board of trade as a part of a program to "promote recovery."

New Rector Will Be Here Tonight

Rev. Oliver C. Cox, formerly of Decatur, Alabama, recently chosen rector in charge of Trinity Chapel Episcopal church here, will assume his duties this evening at 8 o'clock when he will conduct the evening prayer service. During construction of the new church the congregation is holding services at 310 W. Texas, across from Barrow Furniture store.

Mr. Cox will also be pastor of the Big Spring Episcopal church and will live at Big Spring.

College Students Return Home for Summer Vacation

With the long session of 1938-39 ended, some 24 students have returned home from various colleges for the summer holidays.

From T. S. C. W. in Denton came Helen Droppleman and Louise Elkin, who returned Friday night. Dorothy Lou Speed and Cleta Dee Tate returned earlier in the week.

Evelyn Hudkins, also enrolled in T. S. C. W., came home Saturday, but Mary Beth Scruggs, having gone to Austin to join Velma and Janie Marie Johnson, students at the University of Texas, will return with them today.

Also returning home from the University of Texas are Frank Nixon, Aldredge Estes, Harold Barnes, Joe Norman, John Ed Crabb, and Murray Fasken, all of whom came in Saturday. B. C. Girdley and "Red" Shelton have been home most of last week. Helen, Lorena and Robert Dunagan also arrived Saturday from the Austin school.

From Texas Technological College, Virginia Ann Hilliard and John Hill returned early in the week. Billy Noyes was home Wednesday and Mary Adelia Kendrick returned Tuesday. Dorothy Nell McKee has also returned from Tech.

Billy Simpson returned last week from John Tarleton College as did Bob Throckmorton, who came in Friday night. Harold Reed, a student at A&M College was home the middle of the week.

George Walker, Hardin-Simmons student, returned home Friday accompanied by R. O. Brooks.

Anabel Youngblood has returned from San Antonio where she has been attending school.

Court Martial for Moseley Is Asked

WASHINGTON, June 3 (AP)—Demands are piling up at the War Department that outspoken Major General George Van Horn Moseley, retired, face an army court martial on charges growing from his campaign against "enemies from within."

Authoritative sources so disclosed today as the White House acknowledged a letter from Representative Coffee (D-Kans). suggesting the retired officer was guilty of "subversive statements" in testimony before the house committee on un-American activities,, which included attacks on "international Jewry" and communism.

Lovington Pool Credited With Big Natural Oiler in Repollo No. 2-182

BY FRANK GARDNER.

The Lovington pool of Lea county, New Mexico, chalked up another large natural producer at the week-end as Repollo Oil Company (Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company) No. 2-182 State, extending east limits of the pool a quarter-mile north, kicked off through tubing and flowed 215 barrels of oil in 13 hours. Prior to developing steady flow, it had swabbed and flowed 127 barrels in eight hours. No. 2-182 State, located 1,650 feet from the south, 1,960 from the west line of section 31-16s-37e, is bottomed at 4,980 feet in lime, and tubing is set 30 feet up from total depth. It is a north offset to the same company's No. 1-182 State, original east extension producer.

Skelly Oil Company No. 1-O State, west offset to Repollo No. 1-182 State, halted drilling at 5,081 feet in lime, ran tubing, and started swabbing yesterday morning at six. No test has yet been reported.

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 2-LA State, west offset to Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-R State, record well of the area which was completed last week for natural flow of 301 barrels in nine hour, had rigged up rotary and was scheduled to spud last night. Magnolia No. 2-R State, east offset to the record well, spudded to 340 feet in red rock and is reaming preparatory to setting surface pipe.

Magnolia No. 1 J. L. Selby, a mile east of the Lovington discovery gasser at the south end of the pool, is drilling at 4,888 feet in lime, carrying two barrels of sulphur water hourly from upper strata.

Three miles northwest of the discovery area of the Vacuum pool in Lea, Magnolia No. 1-S State had drilled to 4,740 feet in lime.

Shell Stakes Schleicher Test.

Shell Oil Company, Inc. yesterday announced location for No. 1 Bert Page wildcat, a mile west of Lone Star Gasoline Company No. 1 Humble-Page, prospective discovery oil well in Schleicher county. The new Shell test will be 660 feet from the north, 1,980 from the east line of section 41, block L, G. H. & S. A. survey. It is understood that C. T. McLaughlin and Company of Midland have been awarded contract. Material is being moved to the location.

Lone Star No. 1 Humble-Page yesterday had run all but four joints of 5-inch casing. Pipe was to be cemented at around 5,725 feet. The well has been making small heads of oil, caused chiefly by displacement, while running pipe. Oil tests 37.8-gravity and is originating from lower Pennsylvanian lime, either Strawn or bend, from 5,727 to 5,746, the total depth. When opened Thursday morning after being shut in since Monday afternoon, the well flowed steadily for two and one-quarter hours and made two small heads during the next two hours, totaling an estimated 75 to 100 barrels. It is located 660 feet from the north, 1,980 from the east line of section 30, block L, seven-eighths of a mile southeast of Cooper Gas Company No. 2 Bert Page, second and larger of two gas and distillate producers in the area.

Lone Star No. 1 Shell-Page, northeast of Cooper No. 2 Page, is standing, bottomed at 4,920 feet in Palo Pinto lime, topped at 4,875 feet, after recementing surface casing following loss of circulation. Location is 1,975.8 feet from the north, 660 from the west line of section 31, block L.

Waples-Platter Finaled.

Official Railroad Commission potential gauge of Shell No. 1 Waples-Platter Company, discovery well of the Wapies-Platter area two miles northeast of the Bennett pool in southeastern Yoakum, showed it to have pumped 162 barrels of 29-gravity oil and 75 barrels of salt water in 24 hours. The well is bottomed at 5,312 feet, plugged back from 5,380, and has been acidized with 3,800 gallons. It is located 2,310 feet from the north, 330 from the west line of section 616, block D, J. H. Gibson survey. Seismograph picture and subsurface geology point to its being separated by a saddle from the main Bennett structure, and operators will ask the Railroad Commission for a new pool designation.

In the southwest extension of the Bennett pool, Shell No. 3 W. S. Hodges is drilling below 4,124 feet in anhydrite and shale.

William A. Hudson and Charles Million No. 1 J. D. Webb, Yoakum wildcat two miles northeast of the discovery producer in the one-well Bohago area, is drilling past 4,785 feet in lime. Top of solid lime has not yet been determined by sample analysis but is believed to have

(See OIL NEWS, page 3)

Summer Session of District Court to Open Here Monday

Summer term of district court will be opened here in the morning when District Judge Cecil C. Collings will select a grand jury and charge the members to investigate any reports of lawlessness in the county since the last term of court

Action upon a few civil cases is expected this week, with jurors summoned for petit jury duty scheduled to report on June 12. Court calendar will be set during this week.

One murder case continued from last term of court, State of Texas vs. eroy Burleson, negro, charged with slaying another negro, is scheduled to be heard on June 12.

The trial of John Garner, also charged with murder, will be heard during the second week of court in the event a grand jury indicts him. He has been charged with murder in connection with the death of Isaac Blake here last Sunday.

In case of indictment by the grand jury, W. S. Gunter will be tried for assault with intent to murder in connection with the shooting of S. R. Box about one month ago.

Men summoned for grand jury duty tomorrow include: F. B. Armstrong, G. G. Asbury, J. Scott Blair, W. R. Bowden, Cary P. Butcher, John Casselman, W. B. Collins, Hugh Corrigan, J. L. Crump, Paul L. Davis, Terry Elkin, W. G. Epley, Marion Flynt, W. M. Ford, Ralph Geisler, O. C. Harper, A. N. Hendrickson, L. C. Link, J. R. Martin, Jno. I. Moore.

Will Leave Monday For Boy Scout Camp

Wallace Wimberly and Billy Noble, active in Boy Scout work here, are leaving Monday for the annual Boy Scout camp to be held this year, under the direction of Chief Executive Alfred J. Stiles, at Camp Fawcett near Barksdale, Tex. They plan to stay the full three-week period during which time they will direct older boys' activities, majoring in photography. Billy will be camp secretary.

Troops 52 and 54 will leave Monday at noon by truck under the direction of Scoutmaster James C. Howard for the two-week period beginning Tuesday, June 6.

Airport Landings Reported Saturday

Airport landing reported for Saturday included: An A-17, flown by Baly, coming from El Paso and going to Houston; a C-33, under Pilot Swisher, coming from Tucson, Ariz., and going to Duncan Field, San Antonio; a BC-1, coming from El Paso and going to Hensley Field, Dallas; a BT-9, flown by Pilot Carnett, coming from Randolph Field.

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Economic Provincialism

(Farm and Ranch.)

"We the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquility, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare and secure the blessings of liberty for ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America."

We have just quoted the preamble to the Constitution of the United States of America. We suggest that members of every legislative body, including Congress commit to memory that famous paragraph which so briefly, yet emphatically stated the objectives of a new Government destined to become the world's greatest democracy.

Prior to the adoption of the Constitution there were two schools of opinion. One favored a confederation of states and a weak central Government. The other asked for and obtained a strong central Government, but gave to the states all powers not specifically retained by the central Government.

There is a tendency at this time for states to yield some of their rights to the Federal Government in a trade for dollars. On the other hand the states, in round-about ways, are assuming powers expressly reserved to the Federal Government. It was the intention of the framers of our Constitution that commerce between states should move freely without interruption or hindrance. That is no longer the case. There are states that disregard both the letter and spirit of the Constitution, and for selfish purposes, interfere with the free flow of commerce from one part of the country to another.

Ports of entry have been established at boundary points in many states where trucks and buses are halted, inspected and charged excessive fees. Gasoline tanks are measured and additional gas taxes assessed for all gasoline over a certain quantity, although a tax had been paid elsewhere. Extra license plates are required by some states, and driver's licenses issued by one state are not always recognized in another. There are states that refuse to buy materials for public use which are produced in other states without securing a 5 to 10 per cent concession. Under the guise of protecting the health of the public, laws are passed requiring inspections of milk and cream coming from other states, for which prohibitive fees are charged. This plan is worked by cities to give a monopoly to producers within a given territory. Several states have passed laws taxing the food products of other states which may come into competition with their own products. Truck load maximums vary from 7,000 pounds in Texas to 72,000 pounds in Illinois, and so throughout the country the free flow of commerce between states is obstructed.

Today democracy is at the crossroads. It has enemies on every side and enemies boring from within. If there ever was a time when we should strive for that more perfect union referred to in the Constitution; when we should have domestic tranquility and should establish justice, it is right now. We need statesmen in public office and in our legislative halls patriotic enough and broad-minded enough to see farther than a state boundary line, or the selfish interest of any single group of citizens.

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

By BRUCE CATTON

WASHINGTON. — Congress has just finished its fifth month of activity. It still has on its hands a huge mass of unfinished business, includinng several items of hot-potato variety.

In addition to the routine appropriation bills, it has two major accomplishments to its credit. It has put through the big national defense program and it has passed the famous governmental reorganization bill.

Under the heading of "unfinished business," however, there are the following:

Revision of the taxation system.
Modification of the Wagner Labor Relations Act.
Revision of the Social Security Act.
Amendment of the Wage and Hour law.
Revision of the Neutrality Act.
Action on the administration's projected national health program.
Monopoly legislation.
Overhauling the relief problem.
Passage or railroad rehabilitation legislation.

ENOUGH TO KEEP 'EM BUSY

There are many other matters awaiting determination, but these are the big items. There are enough of them to indicate either that Congress won't adjourn os soon as it hopes it will, or that a considerable part of this session's business will go over until next winter.

Even so, a fair start has been made on some of those items. The long stalemate between the White House and leaders of the tax-revision group in Congress has been broken, and repeal or modification of some of the "business-deterrent" provisions is now probable.

The undistributed profits tax seems due to go the way of all flesh, and modifications in the capital gains tax look quite likely. "Moderate" tax revision, in other words, is now definitely in the cards.

Extensive hearings have been held on the Wagner act, but it is doubtful that modification of that law will come to a final vote before adjournment. Some of the pressure, although by no means all of it, has been taken off.

Roosevelt quietly revised the personnel of the board, and Chairman Madden agreed that employers should be allowed to petition for an election under certain circumstances. Perhaps the chief factor which makes action now unlikely, though, is the general realization that a final showdown would greatly delay adjournment.

Revision of the Social Security Law probably will be accomplished without much more delay. The House leadership is backing modifications approved by the Social Security Board, and the revisions should be made presently—unless the Townsend-tinged General Welfare Act gets in the way.

NEUTRALITY NEARER, BUT—

Now that Secretary Hull has finally formulated the administration's desires on neutrality legislation, action on that thorny issue is brought nearer. Senator Pittman predicts that the Senate Foreign Relations committee will recommend a bill embodying Hull's program.

Threats of a fillibuster have been heard, however, and you might as well not look for any new neutrality legislation until you actually see it signed, sealed and delivered.

The Senate has got part way with railroad legislation, but hope for a broad, all-inclusive program to rehabilitate the railroads is very dim. Congress talked extensively about working out a new relief program, but so far the only definite development has been the President's action in putting WPA into the new public works agency. Monopoly legislation is definitely out of the question, and the national health program looks like something that will be saved for next winter. Wage-hour law revision may go through.

Among other matters that await determination are the Ludlow war - referendum bill; legislation to enable TVA to buy out the properties of the Tennessee Electric Power Co.; Senator Mead's bill to make government loans available to small business men; the movement to continue the life of the LaFollette Civil Liberties committee; the labor move to amend the Sherman anti-trust law to exempt labor unions, and various bill touching on the control of aliens.

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Ten Years Ago in Midland

(From files of The Reporter-Telegram.)

On May 27, 1929, The Reporter-Telegram reported the purchase by George D. Phillips, J. E. Sims and Harry Lochaby of the Masters Cafe, located in Hotel Scharbauer, changing the name to Scharbauer Coffee Shoppe.

Dr. Charles C. Selecman, president of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, preached the commencement sermon to the high school graduating class, his subject being "Buried Talents."

As a train from Fort Worth was tied up by a washout, W. H. Spaulding, proprietor of the City Bakery here, put on an extra crew and baked enough bread to prevent a "bread famine" for those customarily using shipped-in bread.

A fleet of 21 bombers, pursuit ships and training ships of the United States army landed at Sloan field, making a night stop. Major Carl Spatz was flight commander.

Clarence Scharbauer Jr., returning from the airport in a truck with a group of Hotel Scharbauer bell boys, sustained a broken leg and minor injuries when the truck overturned into a barrow pit west of town.

D. W. Freeman of Midland was held at Abilene under $2,500 bond, charged with murder and with driving while intoxicated, following the death in an automobile collision with Warren Hudson, 21, near Tye.

Mr. and Mrs. William Simpson of Colorado City were in Midland, preparing to move here in a transfer of offices of the California Company.

Forty-eight members of the senior class were graduated from Midland high school. Dr. Frederick Eby, professor of history at Texas University, gave the literary address.

Texas Today

By The Associated Press

Texas, like other areas that eventually became states of the North American union, had land scandals in their pioneer stage, but none exceeded Texas in the quantity of land involved. Everything Mexico did, prior to Texas obtaining its independence, to check large individual holdings only seemed to heighten the practice. It reached a peak in 1835.

James Bowie, hero of the Alamo is credited with discovering a way to circumvent Mexican laws designed to prohibit extensive land ownership and when he was killed he had 700 certificates of land grants of a league each. Other leaders of pioneer days, records show, possessed from 100 to 300 league grants.

A league of land is 4,428.3 acres and a present-day section—by which big ranchmen count their acres—is equivalent to 640. Accordingly, 700 leagues made the owner a landlord of consequence. In fact, Mexico used this as one of numerous reasons for marching against Texas in 1835.

In 1825 Mexico promulgated a law intended to make it very difficult for North Americans to get into Texas except through recognized channels, namely, Austin's DeWitt's and Green's colonies. Regardless, borders were difficult to guard and immigration increased. Then in 1840, President Bustamente issued a decree absolutely forbidding further immigration from the United tSates.

Most colonists in Texas bitterly resented this discriminatory law, but Bowie and other resourceful men remained calm and studied the law, believing they could find a hole big enough to crawl through it.

As a substitute for American immigration, Mexico ruled that Mexican families "must be encouraged to settle in the province" and to promote the plan the government offered huge grants of land. Ex-convicts of Mexico were to be shipped north if necessary to counterbalance the huge Anglo-Saxon population. But the lawmakers neglected to rule that these grants could not be mortgaged or sold and in this Bowie and his colleagues found the loophole they sought.

The first step was to round up eligible Mexican families and get them to apply for land grants. After grants were made titles were purchased by Texas speculators who re-sold them to immigrants at much higher figures. They had a ready market for by this time many Americans had turned eyes toward Texas. For $100 paid to the Mexican who made the application, the speculator could get as much as 50 cents an acre or more for the title when re-sold.

This system progressed fairly well until 1834 when Ben Milam protested that these hastily made grants were conflicting with the area granted to him by an earlier jurisdiction.

Families in his colonies were having to fight for their lands, so in that year Milam went to Saltillo, capitol of Texas, to see about it, but never returned. When he reached Saltillo, he found that federalists were going to resist Santa Anna's centralist movement. This created two governments in the province: one at Saltillo, the other at Monclava. The latter legislature immediately began scanning the countryside for revenue with which to operate its rump government.

They spotted this land speculation system and perfected it for their own use. At first they restricted the sale to Mexicans, although they knew the land was being re-sold to Texans. Then they abandoned this farce and opened it up to Texans, but at a slightly higher premium. Finally, as word was received that Santa Anna was marching northward to put an end to all this insubordination, the legislators issued a blanket order for the governor at Monclava to offer 1,771,000 acres for sale to finance an army to resist Santa Anna.

So disgusted were many Texans who had tolerated this system at first, because it aided in getting more Americans into Texas, that they refused to raise a hand to fight Santa Anna who had come ostensibly to end this scandalous affair. It took the massacres at Matamoros, Refugio, the Alamo and Goliad for the Texans to realize that his march against Texas was more than an act toend the insubordination of lesser officials. Then Texas united.

Even had Mexico won the war with Texas, it is doubtful whether land titles in Texas would ever have been straightened out except by decree. But there wouldn't have been many Texans by then after the runaway scrape and other defeats . . . So the war closed the chapter forever.

Grants in Texas by Mexico and Spain total 26,280,000 acres.

The Republic issued 221,400 under Lamar, and in 1876 it issued an additional 1,000,000 acres for public schools.

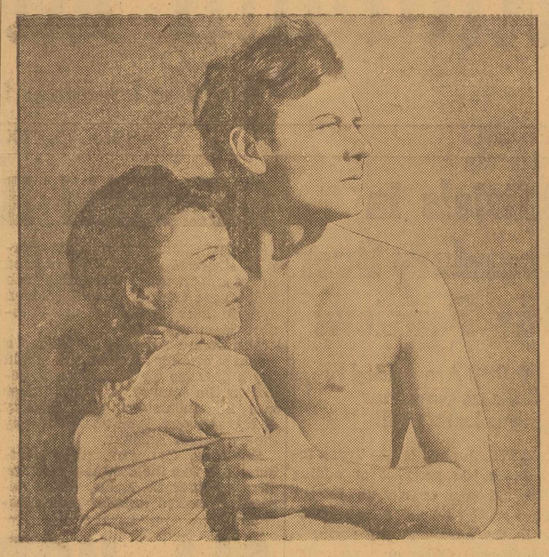
In 1883 the legislature gave another 1,000,000 to the State University. There have been many sizeable grants since that time, including 3,000,000 acres to build the capitol, 32,000,000 acres to encourage railroads, 36,000,000 for headright and bounties, and 1,979,000 for disabled Confederate veterans. In all 165,000,000 has been granted by various governments, but it ended in 1900 when the legislature incorporated all remaining land in the public domain for public schools.

That ended the homestead days in Texas.

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118th Anniversary of Stephen Austin in Texas on June 18

AUSTIN (AP).—June 18, 118 years ago, Stephen Austin left New Orleans for Texas. In his mind there were doubts regarding the province of Texas, but in his heart were the ringing words of his father that he push forward the colonization plans.

Unknowingly Stephen Austin was launching again into a brilliant career. His first efforts had been successful, for he was a member of the legislature in Missouri Territory before he was 23 and operator of his father's huge mining interests until he was 27. Collapse of banks ruined the family fortunes and for three years Stephen Austin floundered in efforts to recoup. His journey led him to Arkansas, then a wild territory, and finally to New Orleans where he was associate editor of the "Advertiser."

While at New Orleans he received word of his father's expedition to Texas. This was not a new thing to the Austin family. Moses Austin had migrated from Connecticut to Virginia to survey lands, thence to Missouri Territory while it was still Spanish owned. Each new journey brought greater wealth and strength to the Austin name. It was natural for him to take a further step west when ruin faced him.

Duty to his mother might have influenced in Stephen's reluctance to support his father's newest venture. Poverty was hard to bear, having once tasted wealth. In New Orleans he wrote: "I have offered myself as a clerk, an overseer, or anything else, but business is too dull to get into business."

When a comparative new acquaintance, Joseph H. Hawkins, offered to support Stephen with room and board and tutoring in law courses until he could support himself, Stephen Austin wrote his mother: "There are two obstacles in the way. One is that I shall earn nothing to help you with for at least 18 months, another is that those I owe in Missouri may prosecute here . . ."

It is likely he felt an obligation to "earn" money rather than enter into a long time adventure that promised no immediate returns. Whatever doubts he may have had, however, were dispelled by his father's prayers which were related to him by his mother's letter:

"He called me to his bedside and with much distress and difficulty of speech begged me to tell you to take his place, and if God in his wisdom thought best to disappoint him in the accomplishment of his wishes and plans for the benefit of his family, he prayed him to extend his goodness to you and enable you to go on with the business in the same way he would have done."

June 26th, Stephen Austin's party of eight had arrived at Natchitoches, Louisiana; on July 3 he had departed for San Antonio. By the 18th he had presented his plan to Governor Martinez and had received favorable comment which later developed to be full authority to settle 300 families in Texas.

After an exploration of his lands he returned to Louisiana to make definite plans. Everything seemed perfect, but he was to return to Texas to find that Mexico had won her independence from Spain and that all agreements must be remade in the Mexican capital. Thus began his first close study of the Mexican peoples and governments which aided him in keeping his colonists in control for 15 years.

370 Cadets Monthly For Air Training

FORT SAM HOUSTON (AP).—Eighth corps area headquarters here contemplate entry of a class of approximately 370 cadets each six weeks for training at the United States "West Point of the Air" to meet the expansion of the army air corps authorized under an act of congress signed recently by President Roosevelt.

The bill makes possible the increase of strength of the air corps to between 5,500 and 6,000 airplanes by July 1, 1941. To meet the need of trained pilots the government will accept approximately 3,000 flying cadets to be trained at government schools yearly for the next two or three years.

In order that production of trained personnel may not lag behind procurement of aircraft, says a statement from area headquarters, boards of air corps and medical officers have been set up at army posts, including William Beaumont General hospital, El Paso, and Randolph field, San Antonio, to examine applicants.

Candidates must be unmarried male citizens between 20 and 25 years old. Those who have not satisfactorily completed at least two years of standard college work may qualify by passing a written educational examination, which is the equivalent thereof.

The physical standard for flying is rigid, especially vision, hearing and nervous system. Vision must be normal, that is, 20/20 for each eye without glasses. Candidates must have unimpaired ocular muscle balance, good hearing, a stable and balanced equilibrium, normal color vision and a good stable nervous system.

Flying cadets are furnished government transportation from their place of enlistment to the school. They receive $75 a month while training, a ration allowance of $1 a day and are quartered in cadet barracks at no expense. A distinctive uniform and necessary flying equipment are furnished.

Upon graduation from the training center, which will take approximately nine months, a cadet is commissioned a second lieutenant, air corps reserve, and ordered immediately to active duty with a regular army air corps unit. He draws the same pay as regular army air corps officers and may remain on active duty three to five years. Army officials believe that even a longer period of active duty may be authorized. After three years of satisfactory service as a second lieutenant, an officer may be promoted to first lieutenant and serve the remainder of the five year period in that grade which carries a substantial salary increase.

"Equal Rights for All Women" Sure at TCU

FORT WORTH (AP). — "Equal rights for women" is more than a phrase in the campus politics of Texas Christian university. It is a statistical fact.

Fifty of 103 offices in 35 student organizations are held by coeds. Fourteen of the 35 groups have girls as presidents.

Champion office holder is Miss Miriam Glaze, Fort Worth senior, who has three elective positions. She is president of Alpha Chi, national scholastic honor society; vice-president of the Student Christian Association; and vice president of Parabola, mathematics club.

Strawberry Gives Thanks.

SANTA CRUZ, Cal. (U.P) — Now A. R. Hogue believes it. When W. P. Bryant told Hogue that if he would use fish meal as a fertilizer for his strawberry plants, it would greatly improve their quality and quantity. Later when he picked a strawberry in the form of a fat minnow, he admitted Bryant undoubtedly was right.



The Town Quack

I've recently interviewed E. P. Cowden about the cattle business, R. C. Crabb about the oil business and M. W. Whitmire about the agricultural situation. As soon as I get to talk to W. P. Dykema about the political status of the state and the nation, I hope to be able to present a highly optimistic picture.

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About the only men I can't find with a bad summer complaint are the sheep raisers. They got a rain just about the time they were getting ready to talk hard times.

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But I agree with John Hix that times are better than they used to be. He remembers way back when somebody could die in the postoffice and the body wouldn't be discovered for a week.

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James L. Daugherty witnessed a wreck the other night, caused by a black cat running across the road and a negro bringing his car to a sudden halt.

What I said last week about Editor Sam Malone of the Seminole Sentinel and his former cowboy experiences evidently set him to reminiscing, so he wrote thus:

Well, Paul, I never did rank very high as a cowboy, but I had a lot of fun ranching down in the southwest part of the county back in 1907 when we first came to Gaines county. Batched for about three months in a half-dugout with John Teague, who was hauling lumber from Midland to build a house. The only store in the county back in those days was at Caput, (about two miles southwest of the present location of Seminole). We were twenty-five miles from that store and horseback was our only way of getting around. Well, we ran out of meat and John Teague rummaged around in the stored household goods and found some old meat his wife had sent along for soap grease; and believe me that soap grease tasted plenty good.

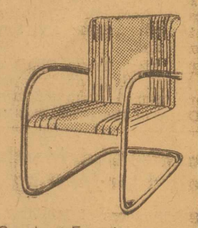
One thing I liked about those good old days. The pioneers had a hard time, took lots of knocks, but you didn't see any of them holding out their hands to Uncle Sam for a handout. They had the intestinal fortitude to take it, and they laid a mighty good foundation for this country.



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Big Spring Gets Down to Business as Annual Rodeo Is Only Twenty Days Off

BIG SPRING, June 3. — The citizens of Big Spring and surrounding territory are all agog over the approaching rodeo, June 23-24-25th. This is Big Spring's outstanding annual event, at which time old time cowhands meet and reminisce. Already passers-by will notice here and there, individuals wearing cowboy regalia, an added means of publicizing this approaching event.

As an inducement to local citizens to wear cowboy regalia, an old fashioned calaboose has been constructed for this occasion, in which local people who are detected upon the streets not properly attired, i.e. cowboyish, will be confined after trial before a competent judge, for infraction of the local laws concerning this gala occasion, and there held for a short time and fined before their release. Requirements are to wear cowboy boots, neckerchiefs, ten gallon hats, and flaming shirts.

Goodwill tours are to be conducted through all neighboring towns as a means of advertising and creating interest in the celebration. These tours will be under the direction of Jess Slaughter, the Howard county cowboy sheriff; Johnnie Nall, publicity director for the cowboy reunion, ably assisted by the Rodeo Widows, organized a short time ago to assist the officials of the association in their activities. Members of this body are wives of the members of the association. Jess Slaughter, manager, has stated that the stock for this years show is the toughest in the west and many of the nations outstanding performers have indicated their intention of being here to try their skill in this contest. "In fact, it is definite," says the manager, "that we are to have the toughest rodeo ever held in Big Spring." One of the outstanding events of the season will be trick roping by Chester Byers of Fort Worth, reputed to be the worlds champion trickster with the rope. Also another of the added attractions will be the antics cut by the Clown, Charlie Schultz, widely known throughout the southwest. In addition to the regular events, Double Muggin' and the Mad scramble will be some of the high lights, and will replace Wild Cow Milking.

Young ladies sponsored by the neighboring cities will ride in the parade and also in the grand entry each day of the rodeo, parade to be staged on Friday at one o'clock p. m. The first prize to be awarded in the events is a $135.00 saddle with other suitable prizes. Sponsors will participate in dances, chuckwagon breakfasts and other entertainment by the Rodeo Widows, with Mesdames Jess Slaughter and Marion Edwards as co-chairmen in charge, assisted by the other Rodeo widows. Towns and cities already accepting invitations with their sponsors are: Anson, Peggy Hagens, Abilene, F. Marburger, Canadian, Sydna Yokley; Coahoma, Dorothy O'Daniel; Colorado, Mrs. J. E. Northcutt; Crane, Mrs. Jack Young; Roscoe, Anna Lee Spires; Post, Mary Catherine Bird; Fluvanna, Elizabeth Miller; Cross Roads, New Mexico, Fern Sawyer.

Mrs. Modesta Good Simpson, daughter of T. J. Good, president of the Rodeo Association, will be official hostess to sponsors, and Mary Nell Edwards, winner of first prize at Midland rodeo last year is Miss Big Spring. There will be two performances daily at two and eight thirty p. m., Friday, Saturday, and Sunday.

Oil News—

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come in between 4,660 and 4,690 feet. The well is located 1,980 feet from the south and west lines of section 545, block D, J. H. Gibson survey.

Magnolia No. 2 R. M. Kendrick, short south outpost to the east side of the Denver pool in southern Yoakum, had drilled to 2,262 feet in red rock. Shell No. 2-A Baumgart is drilling at 3,463 in anhydrite, while No. 4-C Baumgart is standing while cement sets at 4,800 feet. Aloco Oil Company No. 2 White is drilling below 4,964 feet in lime, while the same firm's No. 2-B Miller had reached 4,476 in lime.

Aloco No. 2 J. P. Nystel is drilling anhydrite below 4,350 feet.

Shell No. 7 Mrs. Dora Roberts, short west outpost to the Roberts area west of the main Denver pool, is drilling at 4,148 feet in anhydrite and lime. Aloco No. 3 W. M. Johnson, north outpost to the same area, is drilling below 2,219 in anhydrite.

Aloco No. 2 Walker, a half-mile northwest of the discovery well in the Walker area west of the Denver pool, had reached 4,010 feet in anhydrite.

Caswell Running Tubing.

Tubing was being run yesterday for swabbing test of Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 W. T. Caswell, southern Gaines wildcat. The well is bottomed at 4,695 feet in lime. Core from 4,660-80, of which 10 feet were recovered, was bleeding oil in spots but showed very little porosity. Twelve feet of the same type of formation were recovered of core from 4,680-95. Location of the test is 660 feet out of the southwest corner of section 10, block A-24, public school land, five miles northwest of the discovery well in the Kirk area.

Magnolia No. 1 J. B. Fry, new southeastern Dawson wildcat nine miles southeast of Lamesa, spudded and is drilling below 120 feet in red rock.

Richmond Drilling Company and William F. Hanagan No. 1 University, southwestern Andrews wildcat in section 25, block 12, University survey, was slated last night to start drilling plug from 10 3/4-inch surface pipe cemented at 740 feet. Present total depth is 820 in red rock.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 6 Mrs. Emma Cowden, in the Emma pool of southern Andrews, is testing 7-inch casing cemented at 4,065 feet preparatory to drilling plug with standard tools. It is bottomed at 4,072 feet in lime.

Ector Test at 3,960.

Barnes, Conkling and White No. 1 E. R. Thomas estate, western Ector wildcat southwest of the Goldsmith pool, yesterday had drilled to 3,960 feet in lime, with no shows yet reported.

Between the Foster and North Cowden pools of Ector, Sloan & Zook Company and Ferndale Drilling Company No. 1 J. L. Johnson is drilling past 3,280 feet in anhydrite.

M. B. K. Drilling Company is digging cellar and pits for No. 1-D H. C. Foster, new test in the east portion of the Foster pool. Location was staked 990 feet from the north, 330 from the west line of the north half of the northwest quarter of section 8, block 42, township 2 south, T. & P. survey.

A quarter-mile north of the Church & Fields pool of eastern Crane, Magnolia No. 19 Hardwick-University is drilling at 3,091 feet in lime.

Gulf No. 119 Estes, in the Estes pool of Ward, rated daily potential of 573.76 barrels of 35.1-gravity oil and gas-oil ratio of 2,526-1 after shooting with 360 quarts, bottomed at 2,650 feet. It topped pay at 2,500.

In Glasscock, Shell No. 1 A. D. Neal had drilled to 3,045 feet in lime.

Samwan Oil Company No. 1 Mrs. Bertha D. Young, south outpost to the Pecos Valley Low Gravity area of Pecos, stopped drilling at 1,486 feet in lime and is preparing to run 6 5/8-inch casing, which will be mudded on bottom.

Magnolia No. 2 Abell-Eaton, northern Pecos Ordovician test yesterday was still fishing for six stands of drillpipe, lost when depth of 2,759 feet in lime had been reached.

Sons of Midland Oil People Graduate as New Mexico Military Institute Ends Term



Gerald Edward Self, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Self of 901 West Louisiana, and Thomas Russell Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Wright of 1010 West Texas, Midland, will be graduated from New Mexico Military Institute on Tuesday, June 6.

Self is one of seventeen members of the class who have been enrolled in New Mexico Military Institute for three years. He received a high school certificate in June, 1937, and is now completing the junior college course. Young Self is a first lieutenant, and is completing the first year advanced course in the senior cavalry unit of the R. O. T. C. His athletic participation has been in polo, boxing, gym and softball.

Wright has been enrolled in the junior college of New Mexico Military Institute for two years, and has done well. He was admitted upon certificate from the Midland high school. Wright is a corporal, and is completing the basic course in the senior cavalry unit of the R. O. T. C. His athletic participation has been in boxing and gym.

These young men are among the one hundred three graduates who will receive diplomas from Governor John E. Miles of New Mexico. Seventeen states and Mexico are represented in the class of 1939. Thirty-five members of the graduating class are from Texas.

Courtney H. Cowden, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Cowden of 104 South G street, Midland, is also expected home for the summer vacation immediately following commencement at New Mexico Military Institute.

There are one hundred twenty-one young men from Texas enrolled at New Mexico Military Institute, Roswell, this year.

Death Moves in Many Ways to Take Lives Of 90 Texans in Apr.

AUSTIN (AP).—Death moved in many ways to take the lives of 90 Texans in April traffic crashes, a state police analysis of last month's toll reveals.

An oil field worker was killed and his companion injured when their car hit the curbing on an "island" in front of the New London school.

At Beaumont, a man was fatally injured when his motor-propelled bicycle crashed as it failed to make a curve.

At Port Arthur, a bystander was killed on the sidewalk when two automobiles collided at an intersection. One of the cars was catapulted on the man.

When its driver went to sleep, a car hit a concrete bridge and crashed. A passenger asleep on the back seat never knew what hit him.

A 19-year-old student, riding as a passenger, was thrown from a car as the machine left a curve, hurtled across the ditch to the left of the road and overturned. The car landed on the student's neck, killing him instantly. The seriously injured driver lay in the wreckage two hours before rescued.

Near Henderson, a driver had his left arm hanging out the side window when a passing truck, veering close to the automobile, knocked the arm off. The man died from loss of blood, but the truck driver proceeded. He didn't know what had happened.

Near Seguin, a driver and his passenger were trapped in ten feet of water when their car ran off a curve and skidded into the river. The driver freed himself and came to the surface. His friend's body was recovered.

Head on into a bunch of mules and horses traveled a car on a West Texas road, killing two mules and fracturing a rider's leg. Then the left door of the machine was thrown open and the driver struck the pavement. He died there.

State police received a report describing the death of two men in a traffic crash in a cemetery.

"Order of Thorn" Conferred on King

TYLER (AP).—Although King George VI of Great Britain now wears the Scottish Order of the Thistle, he will be an honorary member of the Tyler Royal Order of the Thorn when he reaches Washington early in June.

The fraternal order, associated with the Texas Rose Festival, recently voted the king the honor that made him the second honorary member. Lindley Beckworth, representative in congress from the third Texas district, has been delegated to present King George the credentials of membership.

At Soucek, San Antonio salesman, is the other honorary member.

Medieval Poem Aids Era Study

ITHACA, N. Y. (UP).—A gap in Swiss-French literary history, existing for more than five centuries, will be filled by Cornell university faculty members in the near future when study is completed on a rare manuscript of the 15th century.

The manuscript, property of the university library, is a poem entitled "Ly Romans de vraye Amour," which was bequeathed to Cornell in 1919 by the late Benno Loewy, New York lawyer and bibliophile. Dated the year 1426, it contains 115 pages.

The manuscript was recognized as a rare find by Prof. Morris Bishop of the department of Romance languages. He assigned it to a seminar of his graduate students for study. Their researches have determined that the document is the only known copy of a poem written in Fribourg, Switzerland, by the town chancellor, Petermann Cudrifin.

Existence of the poem had been known to scholars, but its whereabouts was unknown. In a letter, Prof. Jules Jeanjaquet of the University of Neuchatel, Switzerland, dean of Swiss medievalists, acclaimed the manuscript as "one of the highest interest and significance."

According to Prof. Bishop, the poem has genuine literary merit and at times the author, in his description of the love of God, expresses his emotion with real elevation of thought and expression. The professor believes the document is an important addition to the scanty records of Swiss-French literature of the 15th century, and no less important for the study of the antique French and the background of thought of the period.

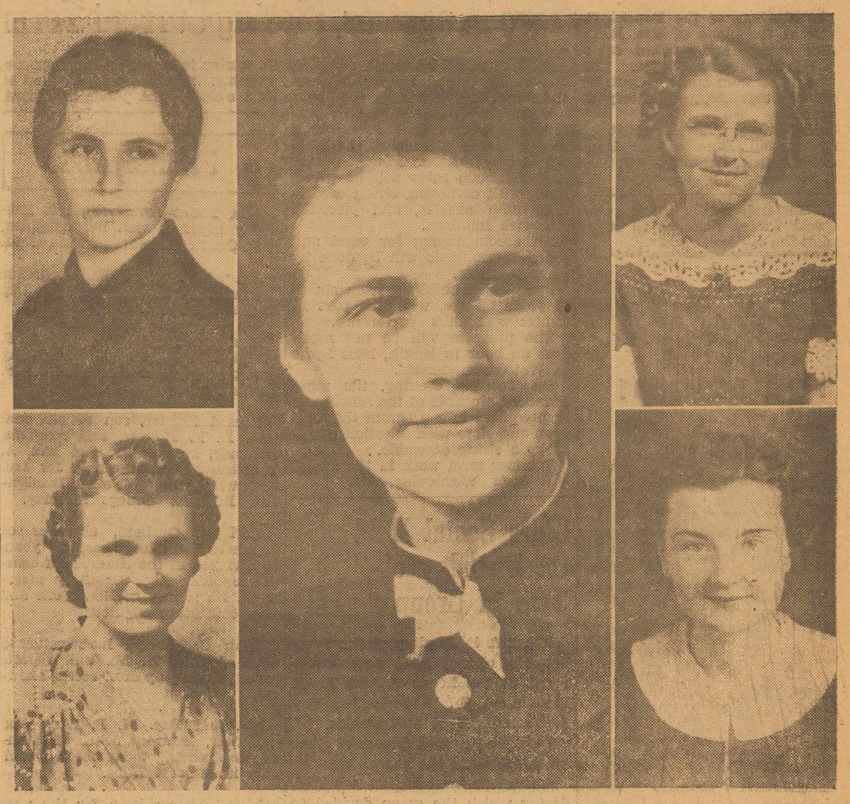
Hunter Tells of Eagle As Accidental Retriever

COURTENAY, B. C. (UP).—Maybe this is a "fish" story about a duck hunting trip, but Frank Dack reported that while hunting, he had been unsuccessful until he fired at a mallard duck and the bird plunged into the middle of the lake.

Dack said that an eagle saw the bird, swooped down, clutched it in its talons.

As the eagle soared over Dack's head, the mallard slipped from the bird's talons and landed almost at the hunter's feet.

This Family Likes Abilene Christian College



ABILENE (Special).—When an entire family of five graduates from one college it is unusual, but when all five of these are girls, the officials of Abilene Christian college think it more unusual. Monday evening in Sewell auditorium on the A. C. C. campus Jo Bill Duckworth, fifth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Duckworth to be conferred with a bachelor degree from Abilene Christian college in thirteen consecutive years, received her "sheepskin." Jo Bill, (center picture) this year's graduate received the "Magna Cum" honors in the English field. (Upper left) Mrs. G. D. West of Midland, graduate of '30; (lower left) Mrs. Glenn Wallace of Cleburne, graduate of '33; (upper right) Irene Duckworth, high school mathematics instructor at Wingate, graduate of '33; (lower right) Mrs. Foy Brantley of Sam Norwood, graduate of '35.

Job of Shearing 112 Sheep Falls on Boy

LUBBOCK (AP).—Tom Peays, junior agricultural student from Robert Lee, this year sheared the flock of 112 sheep on the Texas Technological farm, using a one-man power machine. Mexican shearers have been employed heretofore.

For the eighth consecutive year, two-year-old ewes were selected from each group with a view to obtaining data on shrinkage of fleeces. Each fleece is graded for class and grade of wool. By this study, continued improvement of the college flock is made possible, said W. L. Stengel, head professor of animal study.

Divorce Score Perfect.

PLAINVILLE, Mass. (U.P.) — Divorce seekers meet little opposition in this town of 1,606 inhabitants. Not one of the 12 divorce libels brought here in the past 17 years has been denied by probate court, according to the WPA Historical Records Survey.



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• **FLORIDA**—March—In the tough going of the Daytona Beach Race, over 150 miles of sand and road, a Ford-built Mercury 8 finished first with a Ford V-8 only 200 yards behind it. Ford-built V-8 cylinder cars made a clean sweep of all prizes. The average speed of the winning car was 70.30 miles per hour.

• **BUENOS AIRES**—April—The Argentines held a race that was a race—the South American Grand Prize. 4515 miles, much of it over steep and tortuous Andean mountain roads. 69 cars were entered, including all leading low-price American makes. The race was won by a Ford V-8 and 10 of the 28 cars which finished were Fords.

• **CALIFORNIA**—January—The annual Gilmore-Yosemite Economy Run was conducted under the worst conditions in years. 314 miles over two mountain ranges (4000 and 6000 feet elevation) with rain all the way and snow the last 40 miles! Nearly half the entries, including the leading low-price cars, failed to finish within the time limit. But performance figures recorded by *Motor Age* show that the 85-hp. Ford V-8 delivered the best gasoline mileage in its class! The Mercury 8 was also best in its class.

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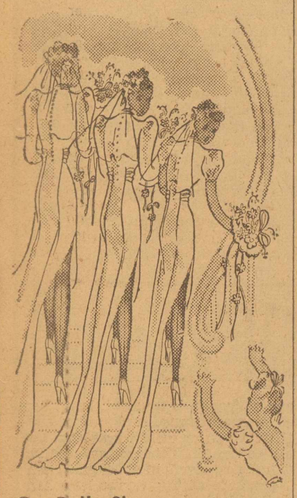
Five members of the Baptist G. A. met at the home of Mrs. R. O. Walker Friday and worked on a quilt for the orphans home. The sewing hours were spent in putting the blocks together, preparatory to quilting.

Present were: Evelyn Britten, Irene Harwell, Dorothy and Lena Faye Shelburne, Irma Tunnell, and Mrs. Walker.

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Watson School of Music Will Present Two Programs, Closing Current Term

Watson school of music will close its winter term with two programs, one on Monday and one on Tuesday evening. Both will be presented at the First Baptist church auditorium at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

Elementary students will be presented in the Monday evening's recital, which will include a diversity of selections. Piano, cornet and trombone solos will be given, along with orchestra, string ensemble, violin quartet, and plectrum orchestra numbers.

All accompanying for wind and string instruments will be done by piano students.

Forty-eight children, from six to 11 years of age, will take part in tomorrow night's perforance.

The program will be not much over an hour in length, Miss Lydie G. Watson announced.

On Tuesday evening, the more advanced students of the school will be presented in a program that will open and close with selections played by a string ensemble.

Summer term work in the school will open Wednesday.

Class Social Held On Birthday of Two in Group

Women's Bible class of the Presbyterian church held its monthly social at the home of Mrs. J. W. Drummond, 307 N Marienfeld, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Roses and garden flowers of other kinds decorated the house.

A short business session was held, during which the group decided to continue the social meetings through the summer.

Games furnished amusement for the fourteen women present.

The fact that the date was the birthday both of the hostess and of the class teacher, Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, made the party of special interest. Mrs. Sidwell was presented with a gift from the class.

The birthday motif was carried out in the cake, pink ice cream, and balloons which children cherish at their birthday parties.

Present were: Mmes A. P. Shirey, T. D. Kimbrough, H. L. Albrecht, L. T. Boynton, C. K. LaGue, M. C. Osborn, K. S. Ferguson, John Perkins, Frank Elliott, Sidwell, the hostess, and three guests, Mmes. W. B. Stowe, Kenison, J. T. Talley.

TRINITY CHAPEL EPISCOPAL
Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge
Richard Gile, Lay Leader.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
8:00 p. m.—Evening prayer. Rev. Oliver C. Cox, new rector of the church will assume his duties by conducting the evening service.
Note: Until further notice, services will be held at 310 W. Texas, across from Barrow Furniture store.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Fount Armstrong left Saturday night to visit her daughter, Mrs. Charles Stewart at Taft, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Knickerbocker are leaving this weekend for a trip to the Gulf Coast.

Mrs. H. M. Johnson and Mrs. T. J. Nance of El Paso are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Stanley.

Russell Holster, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Holster, and Franklin Stickney, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Stickney, left Saturday for Lubbock where they will enter Draughon's Business College Monday.

Earl H. Graham, chamber of commerce secretary here 25 years ago, visited in the chamber of commerce office here Saturday afternoon. He is now of New York and is a consulting engineer.

John Castleberry has returned from Artesia, N. M., and reports grass greening up after recent showers.

Mr. and Mrs. M. F. King and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of Stanton are leaving today for a week's stay in Mineral Wells.

M. O. Means, here for the past few days from his ranch near Valentine, reports range conditions there to be improved, several showers having fallen recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Knox left Saturday on a trip to South Texas and Eastern Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Grafa left Saturday for Waco to attend commencement exercises at Baylor university where Barney Grafa Jr. will receive his degree. The three will go on to visit Mr. and Mrs. Dwight F. Horton on their ranch in Blanco county before returning home. Mrs. Horton is Mr. Grafa's sister.

Mrs. R. D. Duffield and Mrs. N. W. Duffield left Saturday on a vacation trip to the Rio Grande Valley and the Gulf coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Graves and daughter, Granada Saye, are to spend a vacation at Corpus Christi. They will leave today.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and their niece, Elma Jean Noble, are visiting in Austin.

Mrs. J. M. Waddell of Waddell Brothers ranch in Ector county and her guest, Miss Lois Miller of Bowie, spent Friday with Mrs. Barbara Wall here.

Mrs. Barbara Wall will leave Monday for Enid, Okla., on an extended visit to her daughter, Mrs. B. E. Payne.

Mrs. Jack Holmsley left Friday on a vacation trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank V. Waters of Midland have completed their treatment at the McCleary Sanitarium and Clinic in Excelsior Springs, Mo., according to word received from there today. According to Mr. Waters, "We'll be home when we get there." They plan to visit enroute.

Tom Walsh, of Midland, completed his freshman year at the Texas Country Day School for Boys, Dallas, Texas, by winning distinction in athletic competitions when awards were presented at the closing exercises Saturday. He was awarded a letter in basketball by Head Coach Leland W. Hall.

Friction Removes Paint Stain.

A paint stain on clothing may often be removed by simply rubbing the stain with the wrong side of the same material.

Church Services

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Bedford, Superintendent of Bible School.
Mrs. M. A. Park, Director of Music
Mrs. Lee Cornelius, Church Pianist

9:45 a. m.—Bible school.
10:50 a. m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m. Holy Communion with Mr. F. C. Cummings in charge.
11:00 a. m. The Offering with Mr. F. C. Cummings in charge.
8:00 p. m. Worship. Union services meeting at First Christian church with the Presbyterian church. Rev. W. J. Coleman, pastor, bringing the message.
(Note: There will be no 11:00 o'clock worship message due to the absence of the pastor. The evening service will be the first of the Union services with the Presbyterian church during the summer months).

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

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Claude O. Crane, superintendent.
10:55 a. m. Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Information of interest concerning the building program will be given at this service.
6:45 p. m.—Training union. J. Boyd East, director.
8:00 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "For Christ's Sake." The ordinance of baptism will be administered by the pastor. The service will be dedicated to the WMU membership.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge
C. K. LaGue, Church School Superintendent.

9:45 a. m.—Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade.
11:00 a. m. Worship service. Message by minister on "Talk Is Cheap?"
6:00 p. m. Young People and Pioneers meet at the church.
8:00 p. m. First of the union summer meetings participated in by the First Christian and Presbyterian churches will be held at the First Christian church with Rev. W. J. Coleman, Presbyterian minister, preaching on the subject, "Doing the Impossible."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.

9:45 a. m.—Church school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "My Church."
7:00 p. m. Intermediate League at the church. Senior League at the annex.
8:00 p. m. Evening service. Sermon by the pastor on "A Witness."
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.
8:00 p. m. Thursday. Choir practice.

TRINITY CHAPEL EPISCOPAL
Richard Gile, Lay Reader.

9:45 a. m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Lay Reader's service.
Note: Until further notice, services will be held at 310 W. Texas, across from Barrow Furniture store.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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M. E. Stubblefield, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday. Young People's meeting.
8:00 p. m. Friday. Prayer meeting.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
T. H. Gaalmann, Pastor.

Services are held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Episcopal Church at 2:00 p. m. You are cordially invited.

NAOMI CLASS.

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

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

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

MEN'S CLASS.

The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.
The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and Judge Charles L. Klapproth. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

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10:30 a. m. Song service.
7:30 p. m. Evening service.
11:00 a. m. Preaching.
8:15 p. m. Preaching.
These services will be held each Lord's day.
8:15 p. m. Wednesday, Bible study.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
West Pennsylvania and Loraine
Lee Carter, Pastor

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

CHURCH OF CHRIST
800 West Tennessee

10:00 a. m. Bible study.
11:00 a. m. Preaching.
7:15 p. m.—Young People's Bible Study.
8:00 p. m. —Preaching.
3:00 p. m. Tuesday—Women's Bible class.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday — Prayer meeting and Bible study.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 4.

The Golden Text is: "The Lord reigneth, he is clothed with majesty; the Lord is clothed with strength, wherewith he hath girded himself: the world also is established, that it cannot be moved" (Psalms 93:1).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible:

"All the ends of the world shall remember and turn unto the Lord . . . For the kingdom is the Lord's and he is the governor among the nations" (Psalms 22:27, 28).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Let us rid ourselves of the belief that man is separated from God, and obey only the divine Principle, Life and Love. Here is the great point of departure for all true spiritual growth" (page 91).

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Always with summer comes the thought of informal, outdoor dining. This form of enjoyment is certainly gaining in popularity during the past few years.

Well it might. If relaxation and enjoyment are conducive to best digestion, then outdoor dining should stand aces high with the doctors.

There are so many interesting appointments now to make the picnic table or the supper served in the cool shadows of the porch doubly delightful.

Among these are woven, natural-colored or light straw mats (maybe they're bamboo, we're no expert on such things). We are assured they are washable and they look ultra-cool. Absolutely right to go with wooden salad bowls, et cetera, or with the bright-colored pottery that is still so popular.

Then there are woven straw coaster-cups. We use the hyphenated term deliberately, for not only do these gay-colored little table adjuncts cover the bottom of the glass as do the regular coasters but they are deep enough to extend two or three inches up the side of it.

Still another example of the use of straw or cane in table service is the basket for rolls or barbecued chicken, which consists of an oval mat, woven in gay colors, for the bottom and a skeletonized rim. This has a larger mat in the same design to go beneath the basket. However, despite the washable qualities the careful housewife will always use cellophane inside the basket before piling it high with luscious food.

While on the subject of carefree entertaining, we might just as well mention those amusing coasters with designs matching the ones on napkins, whole sets of which may be obtained in the paper-dish department. Tremendously convenient for the hostess who wants a bright, gay touch in appointments and yet dislikes dish-washing.

Announcements

MONDAY

Presbyterian auxiliary will not meet Monday.

Women's council of the First Christian church will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Circle No. 3 will be hostess.

Midland county health board will hold its regular meeting at the courthouse Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent, will talk.

Methodist missionary society will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock for a business meeting.

Baptist women's missionary union will meet at the church at 4:00 o'clock for Bible study taught by Mrs. W. L. Fickett. Preceding it will be a meeting of the executive board at 3:30 o'clock.

Elementary students of the Watson school of music will be presented in recital at the First Baptist church Monday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

TUESDAY

Wesley Bible class of the Methodist church will hold its monthly social at the home of Mrs. Will Long, south of town, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Women's Bible class of the Church of Christ will meet at the church Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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

Advanced pupils of the Watson school of music will be presented in a program at the Baptist church Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

Beta Sigma Phi will meet in regular session in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Bridgette club will meet with Mrs. S. O. Cooper, 1209 W Illianois, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Adelante club will meet with Mrs. Bernard K. Buffington, 514 W Holmsley, Tuesday at one o'clock for luncheon.

Belmont Class Hears Special Reading Friday

Margaret Watford read the book, "A Song of the Assyrian Guest," based on the Twenty-third Psalm, at the meeting of the Belmont Bible class with Mrs. J. A. Mead, 309 W Florida, Friday afternoon. There was no lesson, the reading taking up the study period.

Refreshments were served to: A new member, Mrs. W. R. Tillman, Mmes. J. V. Hobbs, W. L. Sutton, C. A. Travelstead, R. D. Hudson, C. E. Nolan, Joe Dobson, L. Bryan, C. V. Dale, A. W. Lester, G. D. Taylor, H. Braezeale, W. L. Fickett, Harvey Kiser, C. O. Fredregill, J. L. Kelly, C. G. Murray, Herbert King, D. E. Holster, Margaret Watford, the hostess and the cohostess, Mrs. M. T. Walker.

Honoring the class teacher, Mrs. W. L. Fickett who is leaving for Arizona soon, the class will have a picnic at Cloverdale next Friday afternoon. Members will meet at the Baptist church at 5 o'clock and motor out to Cloverdale for the picnic at 5:30 o'clock.

Indian Stories Are Told at Story Hour

The Indian theme was again featured at the Story Hour Saturday morning in the children's library, with Indian stories being told. Mrs. J. Howard Hodge was in charge.

Present were: Henrietta Friday, Jacqueline Tombs, Faye Manville, Waldo Leggett, Rosalind Leggett, Jane Cameron, Vera Richman, Patsy Ann Charlton, Bert Scrivner, Opal Scrivner, Bebee Slaughter, Barbara Ann Meers, Betty June Tombs, Herman Hankla, Holt Priddy, Jimmy Kirkham, Jerelen Jowell, Helen Golladay, Wanda Jo Hankla, Alton Ashworth, Sally Jean Secor, Mazie Secor, John Wilcox, Betty Lou Albrecht, Doris Nell Grey, Martha Ann Grey, Don Grey Smith, Geraldine Smith, Barbara Ann Bodine, Gene Skelton, John Drummond, Don Drummond, Harris Smith, Patsy Riley, Kay Young, Jeanine Young, Peggy Riley, Billy Erskine, James Bryant, Betty Chansler, Marvin Wright, Jean Ann Preskitt, Janice Jones.

Summer Project Class Has Swimming Party at Pool

Members of the summer project class being conducted in home economics gathered at 1:30 o'clock Friday afternoon for a swimming party at Pagoda Pool.

After the swim, a picnic lunch was served.

Present were: Henry Beth Abbott, Jeneva Jo Henkle, Lily Mae Raney, Inez Pittman, Colleen Doss, Peggy Jean Gard, Kathryn Forrest, Atrelle Smith, Daisey Bizzell, Betty Lou Ward, Inez Abbott, Merle Scott, Helen Lykins, Bobbie Wood, Myrtle Lee Tillman, Faye King, the teacher, Miss Jeanne Logan, and three visitors, Imogene Lykins, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Gard.

Wimberly Piano Pupils Conclude Program Series

Older pupils of the Wimberly school of piano presented a recital at the First Baptist church Friday evening at 8 o'clock, concluding a series of three programs which have marked closing of the school's term.

Twelve students took part, playing a variety of piano compositions ranging from "Valse Miniature" to "Mazurka Noble" and the "Quartet" from "Rigoletto."

Elma Jean Noble announced the numbers.

Friday Needle Club Meets With Mrs. W. F. Hejl

Mrs. W. F. Hejl was hostess to the Friday Needle club at her home, 704 W Louisiana, Friday afternoon.

Sewing, crocheting or other handwork, and conversation occupied the group during the club hours.

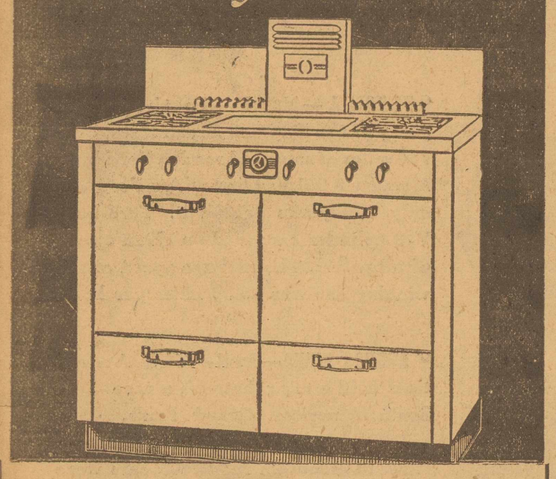
As a special feature, a surprise shower was given for Mrs. Alwin Bodine and Mrs. J. C. Reynolds.

At the refreshment hour, the hostess served an ice course to: Mmes. Paul Jackson, D. Davis, Raymond Hines, A. G. Bohannon, O. H. Jones, W. P. Bodine, and daughter, Laverne, J. C. Reynolds, and her aunt who was a visitor, and Mrs. G. D. West.

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REAL ESTATE HOME OWNER'S and BUILDER'S PAGE

Veterinarian to Erect Building On New Property

Dr. J. O. Shannon, Midland veterinarian, late in the week purchased from Higginbotham-Bartlett Co. the 100 by 140 foot tract on East Texas avenue formerly used for the company's lumber yard.

Dr. Shannon said he will not make any change of occupancy in the building leased for the relief office at present but will erect a separate building on the premises for his small animal hospital, moving from the present location on the East highway.

Deeds recorded during the past week affecting others transactions were as follows, according to records of County Clerk Susie G. Noble:

J. C. Montgomery et ux to Fisher Pollard, all of lots 5 & 6 blk. 15, College Heights.

Fisher Pollard et ux to Merritt F. Hines, all of lots 5 & 6 blk. 15, College Heights.

A. E. Reed et ux to George F. Wallace, all of lot 14 and the west half of lot 15 blk. 2, Country Club Heights.

Freddie Nobles et vir to E. G. Bridwell, lot 9 blk. 45, West End.

E. G. Bridwell to Ruth Bridwell, all of the East 40 feet of lot 8, and the west 20 feet of lot 9 blk. 17, and all of lot 9 blk. 45, West End.

Elmer B. Walker et ux to R. L. Cline, being 50 feet x 140 feet out of the SW portion of the North 2 acres of a certain 5 acre tract of land out of the SW/4 of the NE/4 of section 26 blk. 39 tsp 1 South.

Clyde B. Willingham, Administrator of the Estate of Emma Willingham Deceased, to C. A. Travelstead, West 46 feet of lots 10, 11, and 12 blk. 183, Southern Addn.

Booker T. Sheppard et ux to Motor Finance Co. all of the south 50 feet of the NW/4 blk. 47, Original Town.

P. J. Mitchell to J. S. Burkett, all of lot 8 blk. 78, West End.

Alton A. Gault to Motor Finance Co., all of the East 46 2/3 feet of the West 93 1/3 feet of the Southwest 1/4 blk. 47, Original town. Second tract: all of the North 50 feet of the southwest 1/4 blk. 21, Original town. Third tract: All of the West 46 2/3 feet of the Southwest 1/4 blk. 47, Original town.

Oswald Raggett et ux to O. H. Raggett et ux, eight acres of land off the southwest one-fourth sec. 1 blk. 38 tsp 2-S.

Landscaping Betters Home's Appearance at Little Cost

Landscaping can make a home more attractive, no matter how small the lot, according to Federal Housing Administration officials.

By the expenditure of about $100 in shrubs and trees and the creation of a good lawn, a small house occupying a lot 50 by 100 feet can be effectively beautiful. Funds for such improvement may be obtained from lending institutions qualified by the FHA under its Property Improvement Credit Plan.

Due to the differences in soil conditions in various sections, it is somewhat difficult to estimate the exact expense of a lawn. If a basemen has been constructed and a good top soil found, this should be saved and spread over the entire lot as far as possible.

If a certain amount of fertilizer is added to the soils, almost any lawn will have permanent value, FHA officials point out. It is best in many instances first to seed with clover or some other rough legume and then spade this under when the growth has become heavy so as to lighten the soil. This may delay seeding the lawn for a year, but the roughage will keep dust and mud from being tracked into the house.

A reliable nursery can supply a sizeable shade tree, as well as other necessary additions.

Underwriting Staff Efficiency Commended by Institutions

Voluntary commendations from participating lending institutions and their own favorable foreclosure records are cited by Administrator Stewart McDonald as evidence of the general efficiency of the Federal Housing Administration's underwriting staff.

This efficiency, Mr. McDonald says in an article in the current issue of the Insured Mortgage Portfolio, official FHA publication, is no mere happenstance. On the contrary, he declares, "it results from a rigorous process of selection and training, a process which is being constantly strengthened as experience reveals the need and the ways and means of meeting it."

Personnel Requirements.

Early appointees to the underwriting staff, Mr. McDonald says, were required to possess technical education, training, and experience well above civil-service requirements. These were selected by personal interviews and from recommendations of financial institutions, real estate boards, architectural societies, and the like, so that special instruction only in the policies and techniques of FHA mortgage underwriting was necessary in putting these men to work.

Of the 280 underwriters thus originally trained, a large proportion are still with the FHA, many occupying key position, Mr. McDonald writes.

With the advent of the revival in building and mortgage financing, due largely to FHA influences, which necessitated additional underwriting personnel, it became more difficult to find men whose qualifications met these standards, he says. Accordingly, while these standards have been maintained and in many instances raised, greater emphasis has been placed, first, on the selection of new employees and, second, on their subsequent training. This training has been a policy of the Administration from the start, but the training program has been expanded and formalized far beyond its early limits.

Program Objectives.

The objective of the present training program, Mr. McDonald says, is to obtain (1) uniformity of point of view with respect to fundamental valuation and risk-rating concepts, (2) the highest degree of efficiency in the application of prescribed FHA underwriting procedures, (3) the greatest degree of soundness and consistency in underwriting decisions, and (4) the development of the capacities of employees so that they can advance in the organization.

The training program embraces direct instruction in Washington and regional schools, routine-training meetings of underwriting staffs in the field officers, personal instruction in the field by supervisory officers, and a system of written examinations embracing "general, promotion, and candidate" examinations. Participation of all salaried members of the underwriting organization is required in this program.

The gravitational pull of the moon causes a variation of 60 feet in the distance between North America and Europe.

Neighborhood Stabilization Sought by FHA

While a sound mortgage system, efficient underwriting staff, and good loans are part of the immediate objective of the Federal Housing Administration, FHA seeks something more far-reaching and fundamental to the Nation as a whole—the stabilization of neighborhoods and the assurance of proper construction in these neighborhoods.

This was the statement of FHA Administrator Stewart McDonald at a recent meeting of the National Association of Mutual Savings Banks in New York City.

"Our cities and towns have grown up from sprawling villages to great metropolises. These towns and cities were not planned until it was too late to correct existing defects. In most cases city-planning laws when finally enacted were not effective because they had no "teeth," Mr. McDonald said.

"Under FHA's Land Planning Division we have 12 field offices which advise and assist communities and builders all over the country. This service is free.

"The effectiveness of this service can best be appreciated when it is realized it is the only force in the real estate field that transcends state lines."

Night Softball Games Are to Be Started Tuesday

Officials of the Softball League announced night play would be started at the South Main street diamond Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. The Gulf and Texas teams will play the first game, the Shell and Mustang teams meeting in the second game.

Officials also announced that a meeting would be held Monday afternoon at 5:15 in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Coffee Shop for the purpose of organizing one or more girls' teams. The public is invited to attend the meeting, especially all females interested in playing softball this summer.

Granaries, Cribs Eligible Under FHA FHA System

New granaries and corn cribs may be financed by farmers under the Property Improvement Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration, officials say.

Under the plan, amounts up to $2,500 may be borrowed by responsible farmers for the building of such farm equipment. The money is advanced by lending institutions qualified by FHA. Repayments may be made either monthly or seasonally as the farmer receives his income, at the discretion of the lender.

Ritz Today Through Tuesday



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Under the Federal Housing Administration's Property Improvement Credit Plan, funds may be obtained from lending institutions to make permanent additions, repairs, and alterations to business properties.

Architect's Use Is on Increase

Increasing use is being made of the services of architects in designing homes which secure mortgages insured by the Federal Housing Administration, according to FHA officials.

This increasing reliance on the experience and training of qualified architects is being reflected in the plans and specifications received in the recent past by FHA state and district insuring offices.

Thus, one phase of the National Housing Act's objectives—improvement in housing standards and condition—is being met, FHA officials say.

Of all the victims of fatal traffic accidents in 1938, almost 43 per cent were pedestrians. Crossing between intersections or walking on rural highways accounted for almost half of the pedestrian deaths.

Water Facilities Materials Received Daily in County

Materials for water facilities are being received daily in the Water Facilities Project office and installation is progressing on several farms.

To date, fifteen cooperative agreements have been approved by the Farm Security Administration Regional Office, four agreements are awaiting approval, three agreements are ready for farmers' signatures, and three agreements are in progress of planning and are expected to be ready for farmers' signatures in the near future.

Land owners and operators whose agreements are approved are William H. Seales, Leo Robertson, Roy A. Lands, James E. Davis, Shelby J. Davis, Frank T. Drummond, Robert E. Wolber, Martin L. Riley, Madison W. Randolph, Otho C. Collins, Johnnie T. Graham, John W. Collins, Dr. Prentice M. Bristow, Earl Z. Egger, and Emm Bulsterbaum.

Land owners and operators whose agreements are awaiting approval are Evin P. Lawson, William E. Burns, Robert H. Burns, and Jim T. Robertson.

Land owners and operators whose agreements are ready for signature and are in process of planning are Robert C. Vest, David L. Bond, I. G. Peters, Troy N. Eiland, Clarence A. Webb, and Mrs. Willie Ross.

Forty nine miles of terraces have been built on the approved farms for the soil and water conservation phase of the water facilities program. The terraces were built by the county equipment at a nominal charge to the farmers. The fields on which terraces were built will be contour tilled and planted to strips of erosion resistant crops alternating with strips of row crops such as cotton, corn, etc.

The water facilities plans on the above farms consist of repairing of old wells, drilling new wells, repairing of existing windmills and towers, installing new windmills and towers, installing new overhead tanks and towers, repairing present earth reservoirs and constructing new earth reservoirs to be used for irrigation of small gardens for home use. The water facility plan also includes planting of adapted trees, shrubs, grasses and other vegetations on the farmstead and reservoir for sand blowing protection, as well as beautifying the yard.

In order to obtain the water facilities loan, farmers must establish a complete soil and water conservation program on their farm. The Soil Conservation Service assists the farmer in establishing this program which consists of terraces, contour cultivation, strip cropping, and pasture furrow and grazing management. The Soil Conservation Service also supervises the construction of water facilities.

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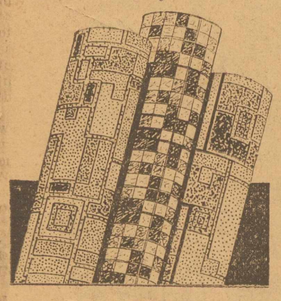
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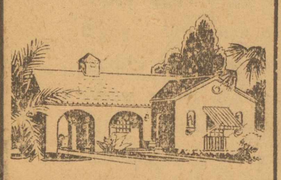
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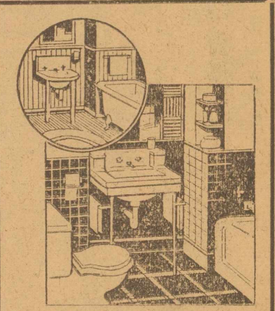
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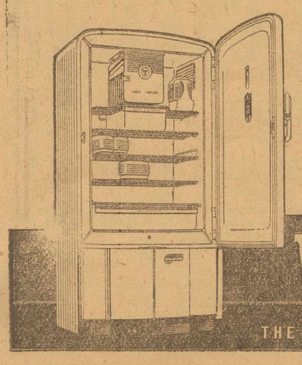
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COWBOYS DEFEAT LOBOES; IN LUBBOCK FOR TWO GAMES TODAY

Return Home Tuesday With Pampa Oilers

The Midland Cowboys made it two out of three Saturday afternoon by taking the odd game of the series from the Lamesa Loboes by a score of 5-4.

The win gave Midland two games out of six that were played with the league leaders in the last week, and once more gave them a chance to escape the league cellar.

Th Cowboys leave today for Lubbock where they will meet the Hubbers in two games this afternoon and another one tomorrow night; returning home Tuesday night against the Pampa Oilers. The games in Lubbock will start at two this afternoon.

In yesterday's game, Ray Abernathy was on the slab for the locals and, with better support, should have given up only one run. The visitors got eight hits but two of them were outright gifts—as were three of the runs—since Cowboy infielders watched balls fall between them that should have been caught.

The defeat by the Cowboys of "Red" Hay of Lamesa was the first one the veteran has suffered this season. He scored a 17-0 shutout over the Cowboys Monday night to ring up his sixth consecutive win but he was no puzzle yesterday.

It was a rousing double by Johnny Volk, Cowboy outfielder who has established himself as the best hitter on the club when there are "ducks on the pond" that brought the win yesterday. After getting a single, walk and getting robbed of another hit Johnny came up in the eighth with Sam Malvica on first after he had got his third consecutive hit and hit a long two-bagger to right that easily scored the Cowboy shortstop.

Things looked none too good for the Cowboys in the first when, with one away, Haney singled, Bobby Petzold dropped Guynes' fly to him in left and Fullenwider walked but Abernathy bore down and struck out one and made Willoughby fly out harmlessly to Volk in right.

The Loboes got another man on base when Bates led off the second with a double but he was caught in a chase between second and third a few minutes later to erase the scoring threat.

The locals got hits in the second and third but it wasn't until the 4th that they could get a man all around. Petzold started the inning with a single, Mort was hit on the arm by a pitch from Hay, Smith moved both runners up with a perfect sacrifice, Piet scored Petzold when he was thrown out by Tobeck, Malvica scored Mort with a single to left and, after stealing second, Malvica came home on a single by Wooten.

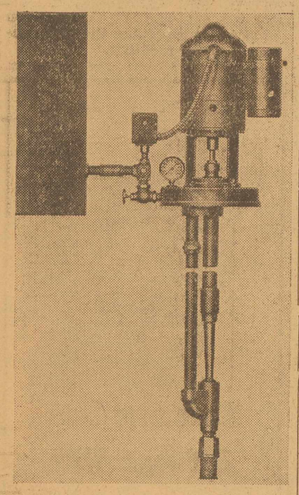
The Loboes bounced right back in the fifth when Hay reached first on an error by Malvica, Haney walked and Guynes doubled.

The Cowboys waited until the sixth to score again, Malvica doubling and coming home on a single by Wooten. They went ahead to load the bases but Petzold struck out to end the rally.

Meanwhile, the Loboes had got a run in the sixth when Willoughby hit one out of the park to tie the score; then came back in the seventh to again tie up the game on a walk to Guynes, a single by Fullenwider when Wooten and Saparito let his pop fly fall between them and an error by Saparito.

Going into the eighth all tied up, Malvica came through with his third consecutive hit. He was sacrificed to second by Wooten and easily scored on Volk's hit.

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WTNM Averages

He isn't leading the West Texas-New Mexico League in batting, but Gordon Nell of Pampa is making good headway in the slugging division.

While Sam Malvica, Midland shortstop, was continuing to set the pace in hitting with an average of .400, Nell was slamming out home runs and doubles to drive runs across the plate. His 52 runs driven in is more than a fourth of those amassed by the Oiler team.

Nell has 22 doubles and 10 home runs.

Hack Harrison, Clovis, stayed on Malvica's heels in the batting chase, ending the week with .386. Billy Capps, Big Spring hot corner guardian, was not far behind at .382.

Pat Stasey, Big Spring, led in triples with five. Boyd Watkins, fleet Lubbock outfielder, overtook Manager Grover Seitz of Pampa in stolen bases. Watkins' 15 were one better than the Oiler skipper.

Whitewashing Midland in his only start of the week, Red Hay of Lamesa added his sixth win of the season against no disappointments to lead pitchers.

Averages include games through Tuesday, May 30.

Player—Team	ab	r	h	tb	2b	3b	hr	sh	sb	bb	rbi	so	ba
Malvica, Midland	135	26	54	77	14	0	3	1	4	2	20	10	.400
Harrison, Clovis	127	38	49	68	7	3	2	4	6	16	21	9	.386
Capps, Big Spring	123	28	47	78	11	1	6	4	2	13	30	19	.382
Haney, Lamesa	140	42	53	70	6	4	1	7	6	5	16	13	.379
Hutton, Pampa	22	5	8	14	1	1	1	0	0	0	6	6	.364
Sanders, Amarillo	62	14	22	32	1	1	1	1	8	8	14	11	.355
Pietras, Pampa	137	21	48	64	9	2	1	3	7	14	27	13	.350
Nell, Pampa	138	38	48	102	22	1	10	5	3	16	52	25	.348
Spangler, Lamesa	75	19	26	40	7	2	1	1	3	6	11	11	.347
Dorman, Amarillo	78	17	27	34	3	2	0	2	1	13	11	10	.346
Hobson, Big Spring	117	26	40	60	8	0	4	7	1	11	25	20	.342
Nichols, Amarillo	148	20	50	77	11	3	3	4	1	7	31	8	.338
Ratliff, Clovis	123	26	41	63	9	3	2	5	7	14	34	4	.333
Mort, Midland	118	26	38	61	6	4	3	0	4	18	19	24	.322
Carr, Lubbock	152	31	49	76	5	2	6	2	9	8	29	26	.322
Wagner, Clovis	135	30	43	56	9	2	0	5	3	18	23	7	.319
Guynes, Lamesa	108	32	34	54	6	4	2	6	9	12	30	12	.315
Everson, Midland	111	16	35	48	6	2	1	4	0	13	23	14	.315
Watkins, Lubbock	140	29	44	64	7	2	3	4	15	18	25	21	.314
Seitz, Pampa	134	37	42	63	12	3	1	5	14	20	24	13	.313
Bailey, Pampa	109	30	34	52	3	3	3	2	10	26	12	30	.312
Bolton, Amarillo	135	34	42	59	12	0	4	3	4	18	18	21	.311
Stevens, Lubbock	135	34	42	59	6	1	3	4	5	28	19	12	.311
Hudson, Amarillo	72	18	22	30	8	0	0	1	3	10	12	8	.306
Holt, Amarillo	128	23	39	50	9	1	0	3	4	15	12	25	.305
Rabe, Amarillo	96	11	29	39	10	0	0	4	3	3	18	10	.302
Evans, Abilene	123	29	37	47	7	0	1	2	5	7	11	3	.301
Smythe, Amarillo	93	25	28	42	8	3	0	4	2	13	16	21	.301
Fullenwider, Lam.	107	26	32	67	8	2	7	0	6	0	30	23	.299
Gorman, Clovis	124	31	37	48	5	0	2	6	2	27	12	29	.298
Petzold, Midland	124	14	37	48	7	2	0	1	3	9	12	13	.298

PITCHERS' RECORDS
(One or more decisions)

Pitcher—Team	g	cg	ip	r	h	er	bb	so	w	l	pct.
Hay, Lamesa	7	5	54	38	63	23	16	44	6	0	1.000
Dorman, Amarillo	8	3	47	19	33	12	19	39	4	0	1.000
Harris, Lubbock	4	1	23	16	29	12	7	14	3	0	1.000
Christie, Clovis	1	1	9	2	2	1	8	8	1	0	1.000
Margavio, Amarillo	1	0	7	5	5	4	5	9	1	0	1.000
Janicek, Midland-Big Spring	3	0	21	17	23	12	14	11	1	0	1.000
Grabek, Pampa	7	4	52	32	58	28	19	30	5	1	.822
Thomas, Amarillo	11	7	73	38	58	28	23	37	7	2	.778
Swartz, Big Spring-Midland	8	4	50	26	46	21	21	22	3	1	.750
Elliott, Clovis	9	6	68	50	78	36	16	36	5	2	.714
Amthor, Lubbock	11	3	47	28	63	24	28	52	5	2	.714
Marek, Big Spring	11	5	64	37	63	28	24	47	6	3	.667
Hallbourg, Lamesa	7	2	46	30	43	16	23	20	4	2	.667
Bridwell, Lubbock	13	1	62	29	52	16	23	49	4	2	.667
Bahr, Big Spring	5	3	36	20	19	16	28	29	2	1	.667
Lucas, Abilene	10	6	77	38	79	26	18	62	5	3	.625
Raines, Lamesa	12	7	74	50	84	37	24	47	6	4	.600
Lesar, Clovis	7	1	36	29	34	25	28	24	3	2	.600
Kramer, Lubbock	8	3	52	22	48	14	13	13	3	2	.600
Hutton, Pampa	8	4	51	30	55	20	11	29	3	2	.600
Trantham, Big Spring	14	4	59	43	74	34	23	34	4	3	.570
Piet, Midland	7	6	61	36	75	22	16	26	3	3	.500
Vannoy, Pampa	11	4	64	51	77	39	26	40	3	3	.500
Poteet, Clovis	10	5	59	36	66	29	25	28	3	3	.500
Gorski, Lubbock	9	3	56	40	54	31	48	38	2	2	.500
Gigli, Big Spring	6	1	19	21	19	17	20	11	1	1	.500
Tuero, Midland	5	0	15	15	26	11	4	6	1	1	.500
Abernathy, Midland	6	4	35	18	33	15	11	12	1	3	.250
Brown, Big Spring-Midland	7	2	41	28	37	20	16	26	0	4	.000

TEAM BATTING

	ab	r	h	2b	3b	hr	rbi	sb	dp	ba
Amarillo	1,258	228	374	89	10	12	200	34	17	.297
Big Spring	1,083	212	320	53	14	24	185	29	22	.295
Lamesa	1,182	253	339	76	16	23	209	30	18	.287
Clovis	1,235	225	341	56	12	10	189	34	18	.276
Pampa	1,169	251	320	68	16	20	194	55	18	.274
Lubbock	1,243	259	335	60	15	33	215	64	15	.269
Midland	1,066	159	284	55	11	10	133	25	23	.266
Abilene	1,064	128	234	33	5	12	109	26	22	.215

The PAYOFF

BY JESS RODGERS.

The Lubbock Hubbers are coming in for plenty of "riding" over the league because of their umpire baiting, stalling and hurling of "bean" balls at players of other clubs.

No one doubts for a minute that the Lubbock club is over the $1100 salary limit — Salty Parker and Hack Miller probably get half that amount—but there is nothing that can be done about it unless it is proven.

Miller was the object of a sizzling attack by the Clovis sports writer recently because he ordered a "bean" ball thrown at one of the Clovis boys. According to the writer, Sankie Trimble, the Clovis boy was warned by Lubbock players before the game that he was going to be thrown at. On his first time at bat he was knocked down by a pitch that caught him in the back. The batter threw his bat at the pitcher, then followed it up, one of the Lubbock players grabbed and held him, then Miller took a couple of "Sunday" punches at him.

The other night at Pampa, the Hubbers ended a game with only four men on the field because of some of their rowdy tactics.

It all started in the first of the ninth when Watkins, Hubber center fielder, fanned for the third consecutive time. He didn't like the called third strike and hopped umpire Standifer about it. He was then banished from the game.

Watkins' teammates on the bench decided to stick by him so they left the dugout and joined him in the stands where the bunch gave the umpire an unmerciful barrage of razzberries. To show that he still was boss, the umpire chased the whole bunch from the park, leaving only the batter, the man on deck and the two coaches on the field.

The Lubbock crew left the park but swiped a foul ball and had a game of their own in the street where they yelled long and loud. When the Hubbers left their dugout and sat in the stands to boo the umpire they were joined by several fans. Then the umpire stopped the game and proceeded to the wire to clear the players from the stands but when he arrived only one or two were in sight. The rest had dropped down behind the box seats and were hidden from view. Finally Manager Parker joined in an effort to chase the players from the stands but they paid little attention to him.

After a third attempt by the umpire, who threatened to assess fines, the Lubbock gang decided they had caused enough confusion and left the park, only to resume their noise outside the park.

There is going to be a lot of people surprised if Miller and Parker don't have trouble before the season is over. Hack probably didn't relish the idea of playing with a club under Parker unless he had a pretty good idea "something might turn up."

Just what Charlie Smith will do to strengthen the Cowboys remains to be seen. It must be admitted that he is doing his best but it is doubtful if recent changes have caused any improvement. But if he keeps on acquiring players, some of them ought to turn out and be able to play a bit. Lack of capable hurling still remains the biggest problem of the club.

To second guess Smith just this one time: We believe he is making a mistake in placing Bob Petzold in the outfield. In our opinion, and it is shared by several, Petzold has one of the brightest futures ahead of him of anyone in the league. He is not a Joe Gordon at second base but with some instruction could be playing his position a lot better. He is raising his batting average daily and there has never been anything wrong with his arm or ability to get around the bases.

This'n that — Stuart Long and Jack Bills over at Kermit put out oppcsition weeklies and each week they let the other "have it" . . . . Long went one up last week when he quoted Bills as saying someone was trying to assassinate his character. . . Long said that if Bills would look on his desk he would probably find a suicide note left by his character several months ago. . . . Jim Kerr has got three hits out of eight times at bat for Odessa—just about what he was hitting here. . . . "Wolf" DeNeff is likely to hook up with the Odessa club soon. . . Looks like we will spend our vacation at Johnny Prude's football coaching school at Fort Davis, July 24-29. . . Practically every coach in West Texas is already lined up to attend, there will be a lot of writers, school officials and others present. . . . .

Friday's Game

Lamesa	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spangler	3	1	0	0	1	1
Haney r	5	3	2	1	0	0
Guynes ss	4	1	0	0	2	0
Fullenwider m	6	1	1	0	0	0
Stone lf	5	2	2	0	0	1
Willoughby 1	5	0	3	9	0	0
Bates c	5	2	1	11	1	1
Tobeck 2	3	1	1	6	6	0
Raines p	4	0	2	0	1	0
	40	11	12	27	1	3

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Midland	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Saparito 2	3	1	1	4	1	1
Petzold lf	5	1	1	2	0	0
Mort m	5	1	0	1	0	0
Smith c	5	2	3	2	1	0
Everson 3	4	0	0	2	3	1
Malvica ss	4	1	0	1	8	1
Wooten 1	4	0	1	13	0	0
Volk r	4	0	2	2	0	0
Swartz p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Leonard p	3	0	0	0	3	0
	37	6	8	27	16	3

Score by innings:
Lamesa 033 001 301—11
Midland 020 000 400— 6

Summary: Home runs, Smith. Doubles—Stone, Bates, Smith, Saparito, Willoughby, Haney. Runs batted in: Smith 4, Malvica, Volk, Guynes, Fullenwider 3, Stone, Bates 3, Raines. Sacrifice hits: Guynes, Tobeck, Raines. Double plays: Tobeck to Willoughby. Passed balls: Smith 4, Bates 1. Left on base: Midland 7, Lamesa 9. Struck out: Leonard 2, Raines 11. Base on balls off Swartz 4, off Leonard 3, off Raines 3. Earned runs: Midland 4, Lamesa 7. Losing pitcher: Swartz. Umpires: Cartwright and Ethridge. Time: 2:00.

One Headstone Marks Grave of Two Boys Who Forced Officer to Take Their Lives

FORT DAVIS, June 3 (AP)—A man with a jack knife squatted at the headboard of the only known boot-hill grave in this old frontier and carved anew the name Theron J. Friar, although two youths were buried in the one grave.

The man with the knife and a memory was Tom T. Granger of Fort Davis.

"I was just a big-eyed kid," he said, "when those boys were buried in 1896. Deputy Sheriff Jake Weatherly and I were the only white men present. I went along with him to see the burying of the young fellows who had been killed with their boots on in a posse fight. Memorial Day is near and I though it would be a good idea to freshen up the name on the headboard, just kind of in memory of a couple of kids who went wrong, and so as the whole affair won't be forgotten."

The other white man at the lonely burial, now Judge J. P. Weatherby, 80, said that he originally carved the name that was "freshened."

"I was the county official appointed to see that they were properly buried," he explained. "We got them coffins at $13 apiece. Somebody picked the site well away from the burying ground of people who died respectably in their homes. The boys, about 20 and 24 years old, had picked up a dozen or so horses belonging to a man named William Tom Lindley, somewhere in the Big Lake country."

The two boys, according to statements, in company with an older man, headed toward the Davis Mountains. At least two Texas rangers, Capt. John R. Hughes and Thalia Cook, both famous officers in their day, with a posse of citizens surrounded the trio of fugitives in Limpia Canyon. The older man made a run for it and escaped. The two boys died with their boots on at a side canyon which since has borne the name of Horse Thief Canyon.

At the coroner's inquest before Justice of the Peace Nick Mersfelder, Sept. 29, 1896—which Justice Mersfelder, now 80, said was the same day the boys were slain — Ranger Cook told the court, according to the men who were present, that he and others climbed the hill under fire, that when he reached the rim the boys laid down their rifles, but that when he advanced toward them they snatched up their guns and reopened fire, forcing the officers to kill them.

Granger said as he and Wetherly strolled over the burying ground in 1896, they were accosted by Radolph Wiggins, elderly negro Baptist preacher.

"You-all going to bury them white boys without any religion?" he asked.

With permission, Wiggins dropped his hat to the fresh dirt, knelt at the head of the grave and prayed.

The lettering, J. Friar, cut 43 years ago, was barely visible when Granger squatted with his knife to cut them white again, just to brighten historical data, and "for the sake of a couple of kids" at Memorial Day time.

Softball Schedule

June 5	June 6*	June 7
6 vs. 1	2 vs. 1-A	3 vs. 1
4 vs. 3	6 vs. 3-B	5 vs. 2
June 9	June 12	June 13*
6 vs. 2	3 vs. 2	2 vs. 1-A
5 vs. 4	5 vs. 4	4 vs. 3-B
June 14	June 16	June 20*
1 vs. 6	4 vs. 2	3 vs. 2-B
3 vs. 5	6 vs. 5	4 vs. 6-A
June 21	June 23	June 26
1 vs. 5	1 vs. 4	1 vs. 2
3 vs. 6	2 vs. 5	5 vs. 6
June 27*	June 28	June 30
1 vs. 3-B	2 vs. 6	1 vs. 5
4 vs. 6-A	3 vs. 5	2 vs. 4

*Indicates day games.
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The box score:

Lamesa—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spangler 3	5	0	0	2	2	1
Haney r	4	1	1	2	1	0
Guynes ss	4	1	1	0	1	0
Fullenwider m	3	0	2	1	0	0
Stone lf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Willoughby 1	4	1	1	10	2	0
Bates c	3	0	2	7	0	0
Tobeck 2	4	0	0	2	2	0
Hay p	4	1	0	0	4	0
	36	4	8	24	12	1

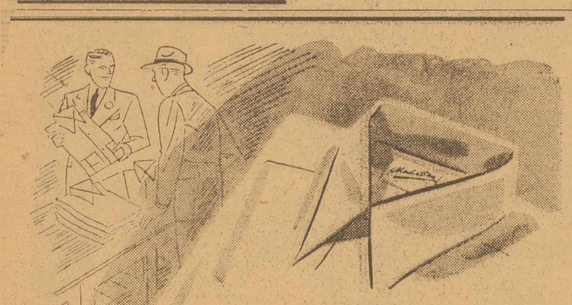
Midland—	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Saparito 2	3	0	0	2	5	0
Petzold lf	4	1	2	1	0	1
Mort m	3	1	1	1	0	0
Smith c	4	0	1	6	0	0
Piet 3	3	0	0	0	2	0
Malvica ss	4	3	3	3	6	1
Wooten 1	3	0	2	12	1	0
Volk r	3	0	2	2	0	0
Abernathy p	4	0	0	0	0	0
	31	5	11	27	14	2

Score by innings:
Lamesa 000 021 100—4
Midland 000 301 01x—5

Summary: Home runs—Willoughby. Two-base hits—Guynes, Malvica, Volk, Fullenwider. Runs batted in—Guynes, Fullenwider, Stone, Willoughby, Piet, Malvica, Wooten 2, Volk. Sacrifice hits—Fullenwider, Piet, Wooten. Stolen bases—Malvica. Struck out—Abernathy 4, Hay 5. Base on balls—Off Abernathy 4, off Hay 2. Hit by pitcher—Mort by Hay. Double plays—Willoughby to Bates, Saparito to Malvica to Wooten. Left on base—Midland 8, Lamesa 10. Earned runs—Midland 5, Lamesa 2. Umpires—Ethridge & Cartwright. Time: 2:20.

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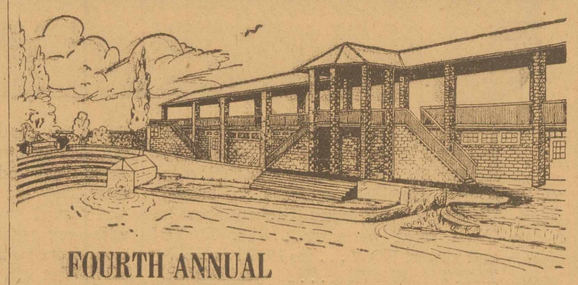
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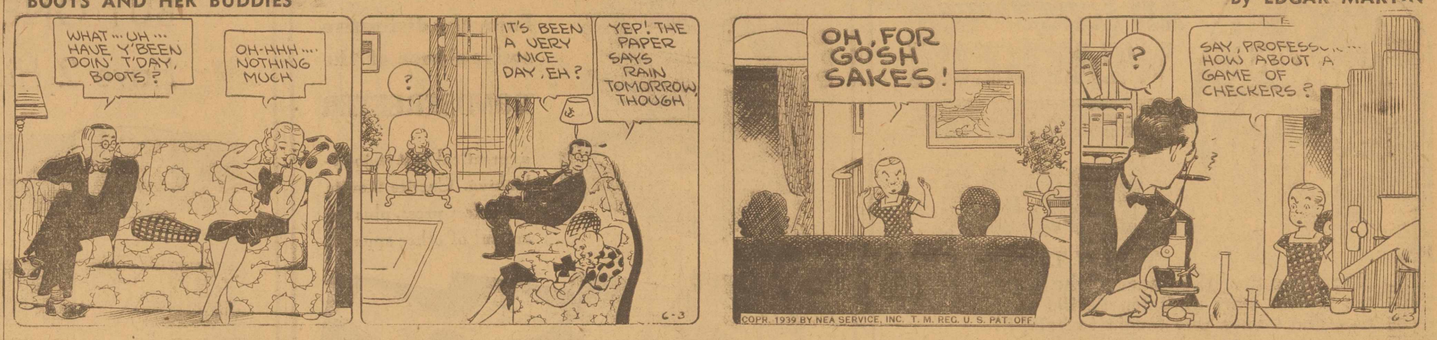
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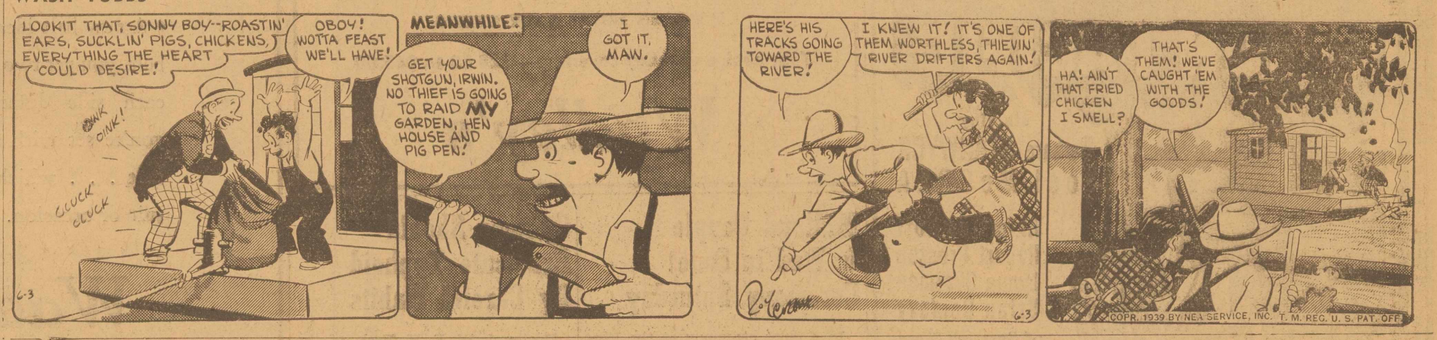
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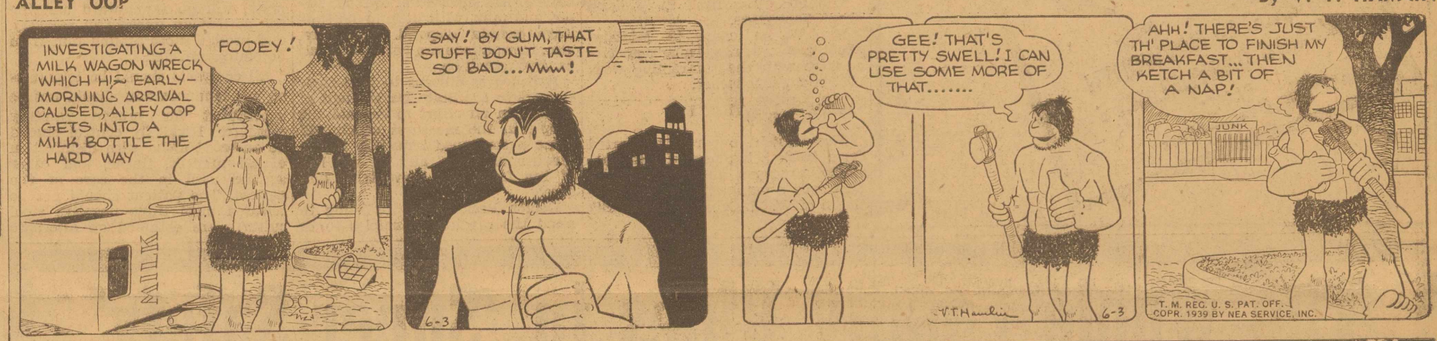


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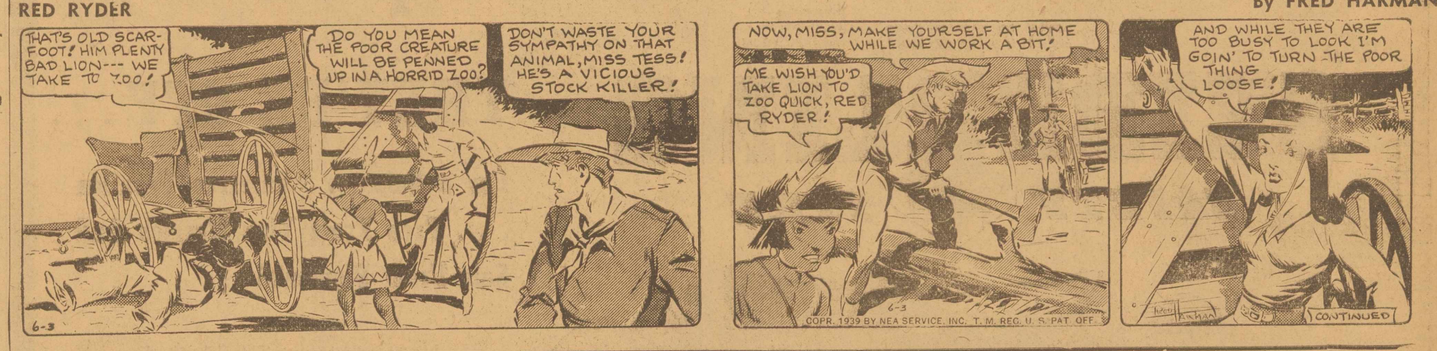
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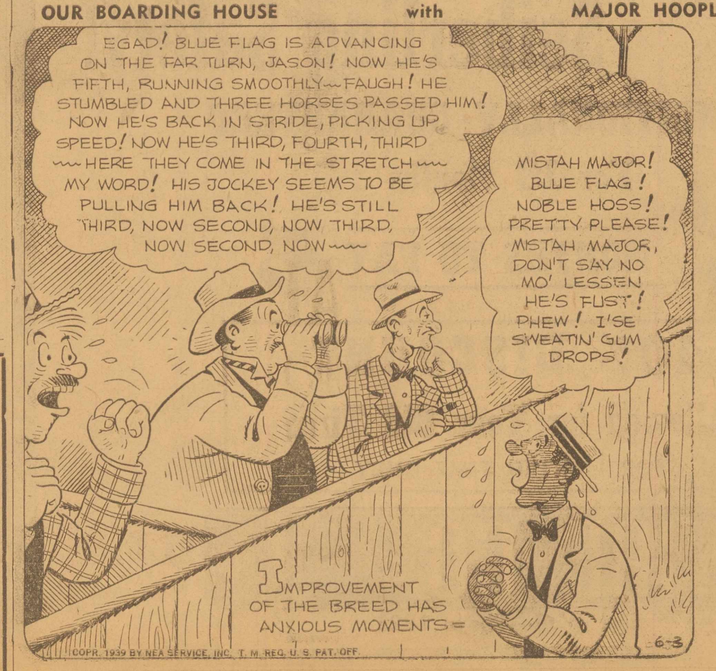
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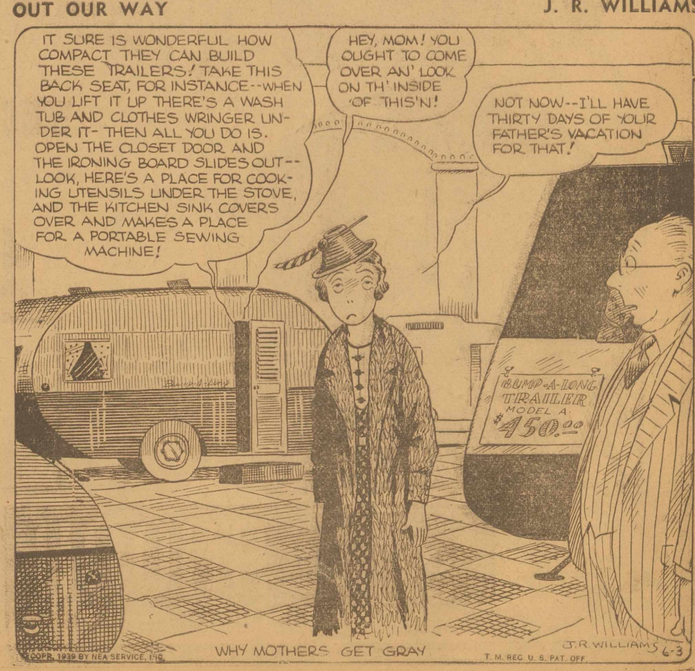
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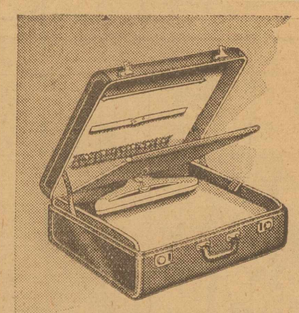
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Midland Couple Is Wed in Quiet Ceremony Saturday

In a quiet ceremony at the First Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, Miss Lahoma Brasher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brasher of this city, became the bride of Irwin Kenneth Wilson, son of Mrs. L. H. Wilson of Brownwood, Texas.

Rev. H. D. Bruce, Baptist pastor, read the single ring service.

The bride wore a black chiffon shirtwaist dress with black hat trimmed with chartreuse. Her bag was also of chartreuse. She wore a corsage of roses and other blossoms.

Miss Elwanda Hays accompanied the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson will return here after a honeymoon trip to Brownwood.

The bride has lived in Midland about four years.

Mr. Wilson came to Midland about a month ago, being associated here with the contracting work of Felix Stonehocker.

GARAGE DESTROYED.

Fire which apparently started from trash being burned late Saturday afternoon almost completely destroyed a garage behind the residence of W. M. Schrock, 405 N. Big Spring.

Citizens Should Eradicate Typhoid By Careful Habits

Doctor J. W. E. H. Beck, of the state department of health, and Chairman of the Public Health Committee of the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary, calls attention to the continued prevalence of typhoid fever in Texas.

Even though there has been no serious epidemics, there continues to be numerous scattered cases over the State. In 1938, 1,612 cases of typhoid fever were reported, with 390 deaths assigned to typhoid fever. When we stop to think that this disease is preventable, and could be completely eradicated, these figures are appalling. The fact that the majority of cases occurred in rural sections is explainable on the basis of less supervision of food, water, and milk, with little or no sanitary excreta disposal. And here, also, inoculations are not carried out as they should be.

It behooves citizens to lend their support to the State Department of Health, in an effort to educate the people in the measures which will cause a continued reduction in the number of cases, and in the loss of life from this preventable disease.

Doctor Beck wishes to bring to mind the cardinal principles to be used in the control and prevention of typhoid fever. First, consider the patient, for he is a source of infection to others. When one becomes ill with fever, headache, and intestinal symptoms, he should call his physician. A correct diagnosis goes far toward the correct care of the patient, and at the same time makes it possible to institute measures which will protect others. The physician will care for the patient and report the disease to the local and state health departments. The patient should be isolated. Good nursing care, with extreme caution in the disposal of the patient's excreta, will go far toward assuring the patient an uneventful recovery, and protect those around him from becoming infected.

All contracts should be immunized but immunization should not be substituted for proper sanitary measures. Rigid fly control should be enforced along with disinfection of all utensils, linens, and other articles used in the care of the patient. The patient should not be released until three negative stool cultures are obtained on alternate days. After recovery the physician will instruct as to thorough cleansing of the premises.

Now, to protect the community as a whole, it is necessary that the people be taught the most common sources of infection so that they can be avoided or controlled. Water supplies must be checked frequently to avoid contamination. Human wastes must be properly disposed of, and in the rural sections of the state this is quite a problem. The Department of Health has plans for an approved sanitary pit privy which will be sent on request, and which will solve the problem if universally installed. Communicate with Doctor George W. Cox, state health officer for these plans.

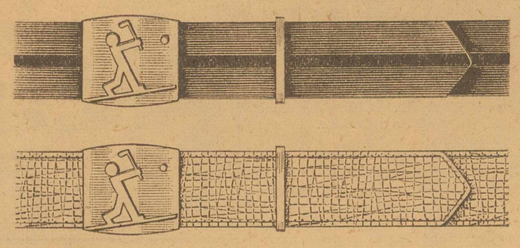
Milk supplies must be rigidly inspected, and milk should be pasteurized. All garbage and other wastes should be burned or buried, so as to do away with fly breeding places.

Food should be controlled to the extent that its source is free from contamination and care should be taken to prevent its becoming contaminated by flies or human carriers. The latter is a constant source of infection, and the State Health Department is attempting to locate and register all carriers so that they can be taught how to protect others, and also to regulate their occupations so that they will not be dangerous to others.

Last, but not of least importance, is the need for inoculation against typhoid fever. Every man, woman, and child needs to go to the family physician for his purpose. The physician will advise as to the time and need for re-inoculation so as to keep immunized. By procuring immunization of the majority of the population and maintaining this over a period of years, Texas will be able to see typhoid fever reduced to a minimum, or possibly eradicated.

If, and when, these principles, are carried out typhoid fever will cease to take its annual toll in sickness and death.

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CORRECTION

In the list of teachers re-elected for another year which was printed recently in The Reporter-Telegram, names of two teachers were garbled, through a typographical error. The two, Miss Christine Golladay and Miss Mittie Lee Allen, were both re-elected for next year.

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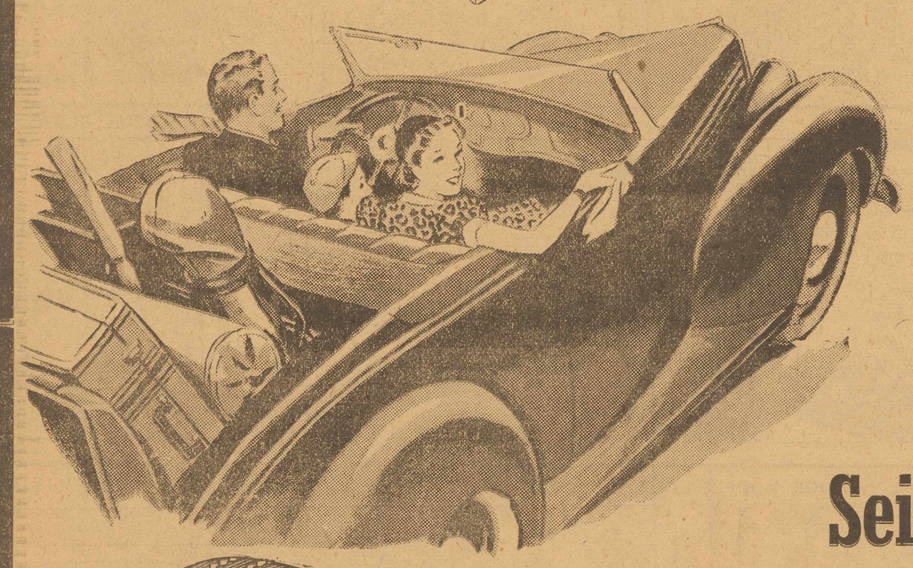
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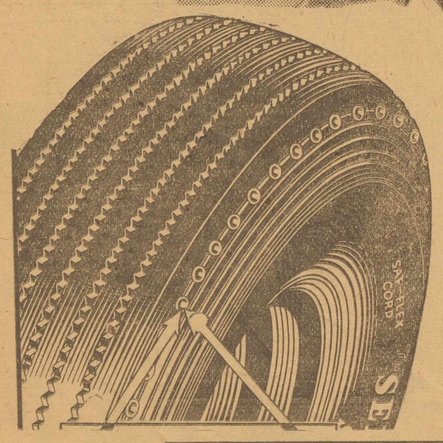


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High Honors Given Midland Boy Scout

Kenneth Taylor, patrol leader of the Wolf patrol, Troop 54, received high honors at the court of honor held Friday night, earning his life scout badge and five merit badges.

Joe Conkling and Homer Norman received star scout badges with Homer also receiving five merit badges.

First class rank went to John Perkins, also one merit badge. Second class badges were awarded to Bert Allen Streeter, Frank Troseth and Jim C. Hazelwood. Tenderfoot badges were awarded to Weldon Carden, R. A. Mead, Leon Byerley, and Hubert Drake.

The court of honor was presided over by Guy Brenneman, Midland Boy Scout Chairman.

Following the court of honor, instructions for camp were discussed and a game period of an hour was held by the junior officers.

May Apply Tuesday for Old Age Assistance

Applications for old age assistance under the recently enacted senate bill which liberalizes such aid may be made at the court house Tuesday, June 6, it has been announced by George White of Big Spring, district supervisor.

The new bill becomes effective immediately, the supervisor said, and a rush by applicants is anticipated. In order to serve the applicants to the fullest of his ability, he will have a representative here for the specific purpose of registering those desiring to make applications.

Bridge Accepts Rain Checks.

TWIN FALLS, Ida. (U.P.) — A rain check means a free ride across the Snake river toll bridge to baseball fans living north of Twin Falls. Fans in towns north of here are given receipts when they cross the bridge to attend games. When they return, the rain check and the receipt gives them free passage.

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