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French Fall Back Along 60-Mile Front

MAIN LINE SAID TO BE UNBROKEN

PARIS, June 8 (AP).—The French were falling back tonight along nearly 60 miles of the front but were still fighting against the German offensive on Paris—facing the strongest attack of the war and the most massive mechanized onslaught in military history.

The mighty push reached its peak in the front's center, where reserves were brought up in the Oise valley — the route to Paris—and hurled into the battle in the region of Roye and Noyon, in the area 48 miles north of Paris.

The general French fall-back was called a "retirement maneuver" and a military spokesman declared the main line remained unbroken.

The nazis succeeded in establishing a foothold on the south bank of the Aisne.

Anti-aircraft guns thundered in the Paris area for the third successive night but no air raid alarms were sounded. Firing of guns was much heavier than on previous nights.

PARIS, June 8 (AP) — Rolling German fortresses, which the French military commentators have dubbed "suicide tanks," crushed through allied lines near Forges-les-Eaux, about 30 miles southeast of Dieppe, channel port, today and then were isolated as successive lines of French and British closed behind them, the French reported.

The French war ministry admitted the nazi push, aimed at the center of French defenses guarding the Oise valley, which leads to Paris, reached Cablepont, 53 miles northeast of Paris, yesterday.

The French government estimated 400 German tanks were destroyed yesterday, making 800 of Germany's force of 2,000 reported destroyed since the battle of Somme began three days ago.

Results of the drive against Forges-les-Eaux were undisclosed here but military commentators said the allies had engaged in a "tank hunt," aimed at annihilation of machines and crews.

Along the rest of the 125-mile front from the channel to the Maginot line defense posts were withstanding the nazi assaults.

The western portion of the Weygand line, withdrawn altogether below the Somme river, now follows an almost straight line from the upper Bresle river to the region south of Ham before joining the Oise-Aisne defenses.

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP) — General John J. Pershing urged today the United States send the allies "unlimited quantities" of airplanes, artillery, small arms, ammunition, food, clothing and medical supplies.

He said the allies are "holding our front lines."

ROME, June 8 (AP)—Italy's entrance into the war against Britain and France within a week was forecast today in usually well-informed sources.

These informants said the Italian action would probably start on the night of June 13 or 14 with announcement by Premier Mussolini after Italy moves.

PARIS, June 8 (AP)—The French admiralty announced today a squadron of naval bombers had raided factories in the suburbs of Berlin last night. A communique said "all the planes returned."

It was officially denied that the Germans, in raids on Cherbourg and Havre, had "destroyed" these ports. Only a few bombs were dropped, it was said.

LONDON, June 8 (AP)—The admiralty announced tonight the armed merchant cruiser Carinthiax, 20,277 tons, had been torpedoed and sunk by a u-boat with two officers and two men killed.

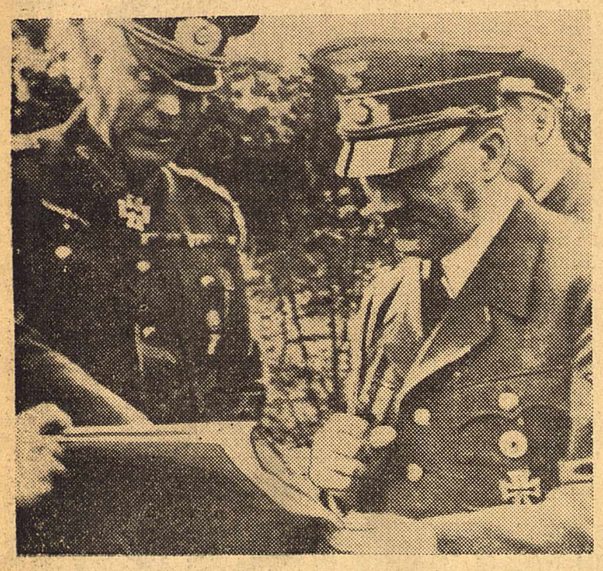
LONDON, June 8 (AP)—The air ministry announced tonight the British air force had bombed German concentrations at Abbeville throughout yesterday and last night. Seventeen German planes were reported destroyed.

PARIS, June 8 (AP)—The French fought the invading Germans bitterly tonight on both banks of the Oise river, the struggle centering in the Ourscamp forest south of Noyon, 48 miles north of Paris.

Action was in the center of the Weygand line, where nazis struck after over 200 of their tanks broke through the French left flank, crossed the Bresle river without infantry follow-up and raced to a point between the river and Rouen. Entrapment of the tank brigade seemed probable.

The Somme front in general, the French declared, was holding on a line roughly seven to 12 miles south of its starting point.

Hitler Directs Blitzkriegers



(NEA Telephoto.)

Adolf Hitler, right, and General Keitel study a map at the front in France. The fuehrer is supposedly directing the attacking blitzkrieg troops against the Weygand defense lines.

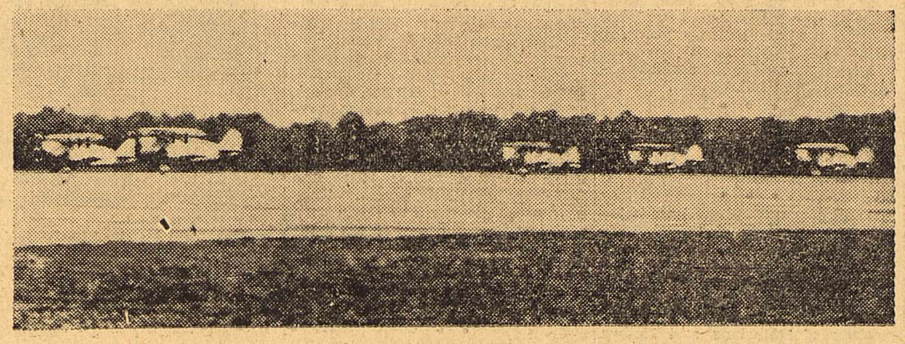
Weygand Line Said Broken By Germans

Advance Continues As Planned, Nazi Officials Declare

BERLIN June 8. (AP). — German military sources declared tonight the nazi steam roller is breaking the Weygand line at will and pushing down the path to Paris as planned.

These sources said the march to the heart of France continues each day ahead of the pace first set by the high command. An authorized spokesman called it absolutely untrue a French announcement that naval bombers had dumped explosives on factory districts in suburbs of Berlin Friday night.

Second-Hand Planes to Allies



(NEA Telephoto.)

This group of navy planes, shown taking off from Cleveland, O., airport for Buffalo, will be traded in at aircraft factories for new planes for American defense. The used planes will be sold to the Allies for service in the war.

Record Johnson Pool Well Gauged as ITIO 1-D Flows 1,616.50 Barrels a Day

By FRANK GARDNER.

Indian Territory Illuminating Oil Company No. 1-D J. L. Johnson yesterday became the record well of the Johnson pool in Ector county when it flowed 1,616.50 barrels of 36-gravity oil on 24-hour Railroad Commission gauge. Gas-oil ratio was 1,460-1. The well topped pay at 4,015 feet, halted drilling at 4,151 feet, and was shot with 480 quarts of nitro.

In the same pool, Ohio Oil Company No. 1 Johnson was tested at natural flow of 394.26 barrels per day, with gas in the ratio of 560-1, from pay between 4,030 and 4,184 feet, total depth.

Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company No. 1-64 Johnson, extending the area three-quarters of a mile north, swabbed 75 barrels of oil in three hours and now is cleaning out shot debris at 4,215 feet, with 3,500 feet of oil in the hole. It is bottomed at 4,247 feet.

Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-G Johnson, in northern Ector's North Cowden pool, flowed 624.52 barrels a day for completion at 4,195 feet after a 440-quart shot. It entered pay at 4,070 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 991-1, gravity of oil 34.5.

In the Jordan pool of southern Ector, Cities Service Oil Company No. 3-C University rated daily potential of 1,037 barrels, based upon a six-hour gauge, for natural completion at 3,561 feet. Oil originates from lime topped at 3,525 feet. Oil tests 35.6-gravity, and gas-oil ratio is 787-1.

Oil Well Drilling Company No. 1 Paul Moss, east outpost to the south end of the Foster pool, Ector, still is milling on cones. Total depth is 4,051 feet in lime.

Duggan Pool Extended.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Mallett Land & Cattle Company, one-half mile northeast of the farthest east well in the Duggan pool of southeastern Cochran county, swabbed 63 barrels of oil through tubing in seven hours of natural testing, bottomed at 5,038 feet in lime. It then was acidized with 1,500 gallons in first stage, and after swabbing and cleaning into pits for nine hours was turned in tanks, swabbing and flowing by heads a total of 70 barrels of clean oil in four hours. Testing continued.

Plymouth Oil Company and Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1 A. M. Brownfield estate, southeastern Yoakum county wildcat about six miles east by northeast of the Wasson field, cemented 13-inch surface pipe on bottom at 221 feet in red rock with 140 sacks and is standing while cement sets.

The Wasson field gained three producers as the week closed. Aloco Oil Company No. 3 W. F. Walker rated 1,048.88 barrels a day at 5,271 feet after acidizing with 10,000 gallons; Continental Oil Company No. 5-868 R. M. Kendrick was treated with 4,000 gallons at 5,100 feet and set potential at 1,010.16 barrels per day; Shell Oil Company, Inc. No. 14-A George Baumgart was good for 1,480 barrels a day after 10,000 gallons at 5,190 feet.

Seminole Pool Active.

Three short west extension tests to the northwest part of the Seminole pool in central Gaines county were announced yesterday by Osage Drilling Company, Inc. All three are to be drilled to 5,300 feet with rotary. No. 1-B N. W. Willard is 660 feet out of the southeast corner of the west half of section 267, block G, W. T. R. R. survey; No. 1 Humble-E. C. Brand is 660 feet out of the northeast corner of section 284, same block; and No. 2 Humble-Brand is 1,980 feet from the north, 660 from the east line of the same section.

Harry W. Bass of Dallas No. 1 Mrs. W. E. Austin, quarter-mile south extender of the east part of Seminole, was completed for natural daily potential of 571 barrels of 34.3-gravity crude and gas-oil ratio of 705-1. Pay was logged from 5,085 to 5,249 feet, total depth.

It was reported that Ray A. Albaugh No. 2 John Robinson, northwestern Dawson county wildcat, was making about a bailer of sulphur water per hour as it drilled to 4,991 feet in lime. Operators will carry hole to 5,050 feet, contract depth. Sulphur water is believed to have been picked up between 4,971 and 4,991 feet.

In the new University pool in southwestern Andrews, Atlantic Refining Company-Helmerich & Payne, Inc. No. 1 University, the discovery well, unhung packer, and owners will try to re-set it and give the well a fourth stage of acid. After treating with 1,000, 5,000 and 8,000 gallons, it had swabbed and flowed 10 bar-

(See OIL NEWS, page 6)

Jehovah Witnesses Have No Trouble In "Sale" Here

Trouble anticipated by officers failed to materialize here yesterday when members of the Jehovah Witnesses cult distributed literature on street corners of the city.

Sheriff A. C. Francis had been notified by letter early yesterday that the members would attempt to sell literature on the streets and officers were busy cruising around over the city, prepared to break up any fights that could start. However, the religious group failed to find any trouble whatsoever and retired from the streets within a couple of hours, apparently in disgust.

The sheriff last night expressed appreciation of the conduct of local citizens in disregarding the members of the religious group and expressed an opinion that it was the best way they could have possibly been treated.

Large Expansion for Airport Is Believed Near by Army Officials

Strategic importance of Midland's Municipal Airport in the nation's immediate defense program was demonstrated late in the week with the announcement from Washington that it would be included in the first 73 projects with priority over other applications.

Investigation failed to reveal the exact nature of the improvements or expansion planned, but army officials were gathering additional data to be used Monday in conferences at the national capital.

Meanwhile, City Engineer A. M. East was called Saturday to San Angelo to confer with WPA Supervisor Burnside on probable construction measures, the details of which were not announced. To a reporter of the San Angelo Standard-Times, Mr. Burnside said, however, that he had learned from Administrator H. P. Drought at San Antonio that the San Antonio area, Fort Bliss and Midland will be the first three Texas airport projects to be included in the defense program.

Meanwhile, surveys were being conducted on housing facilities for army personnel in both Midland and Odessa, at request of army officials Saturday.

Chamber of commerce directors, on call of President John W. House, will meet at 11 o'clock this morning to formulate definite proposals to the army officials with reference to housing facilities.

The army operates at present a weather station, with 24-hour teletype service, radio beam equipment and radio weather department at the Municipal Aiport. The city recently spent $125,000 for purchase and improvement of the airport.

Inter-City Rotary Meeting Attended by 125 Friday Evening

Approximately 125 members of the Odessa and Midland Rotary clubs, their wives and guests attended an inter-city meeting at the Odessa Country Club Friday evening, participating in a banquet, program and informal get-together.

Principal speaker at the banquet was William Kerr of Pecos, attorney, past governor of the Rotary district to the west of Midland and Odessa, and widely recognized inspirational speaker.

Mr. Kerr contrasted the present era with the times 35 years ago when Rotary was founded by Paul P. Harris of Chicago. However, he declared that the same principles on which the organization has been built and developed are still sound and he told how even in the face of present world unrest these principles may lead to better conditions.

Brief talks were made by two other past district governors, W. C. Edwards of Edinburg and Odessa, who served the forty-first district in 1925 and 1926, and Fred Wemple of Midland who served the same district in 1936-37.

Entertainers from Midland were Fred Gordon Middleton, vocalist, accompanied by Doris Lynn Pemberton, pianist, and Frank Nixon, who played piano selections. Odessa entertainers were Rotarian Powell, with accordion solos, and Miss Gracie Gober who gave a humorous "hill billy" skit.

Presiding at the banquet was the Rev. Thos. D. Murphy, president of the Odessa club. Steele Johnston of Odessa conducted the introduction of guests. Ralph Shuffler of Odessa was in general charge of arrangements. Attendance from each of the two towns was about equally divided.

Another Billion For Defense to Be Asked by FR

WASHINGTON, June 8. (AP) — Reports circulated in informed quarters today that an additional $1,000,000,000 appropriation for the army would be asked if the Germans break through to Paris before adjournment of congress.

President Roosevelt has already asked for $4,600,000,000 in defense outlays at this session.

The house ways and means committee approved the $1,006,000,000 defense tax bill and ordered studies looking toward enactment of anti-war profits legislation at the next session.

A tax bill, reducing personal income tax exemptions and increasing excise taxes is expected to be taken up in the house Tuesday.

Nazi Raiding Plane Driven From Town

SOUTHEAST ENGLISH TOWN, June 8. (AP). — A lone German raiding plane and a British ground crew engaged in a spectacular duel in the glare of searchlights late tonight while thousands of townspeople looked on.

The plane escaped seaward. No casualties were reported.

Union Bible School Closes Session With Program on Friday

Closing exercies for the union vacation Bible school were held Friday at North Ward school, closing a two-weeks' session.

All departments including beginners, primary, juniors, and intermediates were represented in the program. Songs, Bible quotations, and the books of the Bible figured in the commencement program.

The intermediate department presented a dialog drama as a feature of the exercises.

Rev. John E. Pickering was in charge of the morning's exercises.

Ice cream was served to the children.

The union Bible school, a new undertaking for Midland, was sponsored by the Council of Church Women. Presbyterian, Christian, Episcopal and Methodist churches cooperated in the school.

The school had an average of 201 pupils and 32 teachers.

Man Is Discovered With Wrists Slashed

Tony Nobles, about 20, was admitted to a Midland hospital late Saturday afternoon after he was found in a bathroom with his wrists slashed.

Hospital attaches reported his condition as good late last night, even though he had lost considerable blood.

Nobles has been in Midland about six months, being employed by a filling station on West Wall.

Odd Fellows Will Make Address Here

Tellie F. Aston, Sherman, Grand Master of the Odd Fellows of Texas, will be here next Friday night for the regional meeting of the organization.

Aston will deliver an address over the local radio station at 5:45 next Friday afternoon and another to members of the Odd Fellows Friday night following degree work by the members.

Between 100 and 150 members of the lodge are expected here for the regional meet. Members have indicated they would attend from Big Spring, Lamesa, Stanton, Odessa, Monahans, Wink and Crane.

Novel Entertainment Feature of Wedding Party Saturday Night

Establishing a new record in novel entertainment for a wedding party, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson entertained more than 100 guests at their ranch in northwest Ector county Saturday evening with a "dude rodeo" and barbecue. Boys and girls of the younger social set were the rodeo contestants, staging the spectacle with parade, grand entry, regular roping and riding events and carrying of the show with the action and glamour of a big-time rodeo.

Mr. Williamson had made extensive preparations for the event, building new chutes, pens for the stock and all necessary facilities for a fast show. He was aided in its operation by members of the Midland Fair rodeo committee.

Contest events for the boys included goat roping, calf roping and steer riding. Two saddle broncs also were ridden by local cowboys.

A novel feature, as a surprise to the cowgirls, was the chasing of a "greased pig," that feature having been arranged to give the boys opportunity to "get back" with laughs after having been "kidded" actively when they missed loops.

Announcer John Dublin, Jr. call-

(See PARTY, page 6)

$50,000,000 Judgment Is Returned in Case

NEW YORK, June 8 (AP)—State supreme court justice Samuel Roseman ruled today the Standard Oil company of Indiana and five individuals had interfered unfairly with competitive business of the Pan-American Petroleum and Transport company and ordered them to pay damages, which the plaintiff originally set at $50,000,000.

Communists' Names On Ballot Protested

AUSTIN, June 8 (AP)—The Travis Post No. 76 of the American Legion, Austin, today filed a protest against inclusion of the communist party candidates on the state ballot with secretary of state M. O. Flowers.

Heretofore the party's candidates for state offices have been listed on the general election ballot.

Geologists Present Award to Student

Initiating a new custom, the West Texas Geological Society this year sponsored a gift for the outstanding student in geology in Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

For the presentation service, John E. Adams, president of the sponsor Society, went to Lubbock for commencement exercises, being seated on the platform with other speakers and outstanding officials.

Mrs. Adams accompanied him to Lubbock.

Beaumont Man Is Named President By TCCM Group

Clarence DeBusk, manager of the Beaumont chamber of commerce, was named president Saturday of the Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers' association as its three day convention closed here. Selection of the next meeting place will be made by the directors' meeting in October. Invitations were presented by Texarkana, Beaumont, Del Rio, Temple and Marlin.

Side trips to the Carlsbad Caverns and the Big Bend park will fill the week end for many of the 150 who attended.

Other officers named were W. Hammond Moore of McKinney, vice president; Joe Mock of Nacogdoches, secretary-treasurer, and the following directors: Miss Ollie E. Clarke, Albany; L. E. Stone, Alice; H. M. Van Auken, San Antonio; W. A. Wilson, Sulphur Springs; Sidney Kring, Wichita Falls, retiring president ,and R. W. Knight, Corsicana.

Col. Pyron, director of the state safety department, was principal speaker on the closing program Saturday morning. Roger Miller, United States chamber of commerce southwestern manager, Dallas, conducted a question box.

Friday night's entertainment included a banquet with Kring as toastmaster, followed by a floor show and dance. Frank Stubbeman, Midland attorney, gave a humorous speech. Entertainers were Mary Ruth Diltz, Jane Tingle and Betty Bob Diltz, Big Spring; Betty Jo Ratliff, and Virginia Dean Clarty, Odessa; Bitsy Gruver, Abilene. Mrs. Paul T. Vickers of McAllen was in charge of the floor show.

Moody's Decision Remains Political Question of State

AUSTIN, June 8. (AP). — With the first democratic primary only 49 days distant, the number one political question in Texas today continued to be:

Will former governor Dan Moody run again for governor?

Moody said he would have no statement before Monday.

The state democratic executive committee will meet here Monday to select the site for the September state convention, certify candidates for the primary ballot and pass on any requests for a July referenda on important state questions.

Open House Enjoyed by Country Club Members Throughout Saturday

Members of the Midland Country Club enjoyed an open house Saturday afternoon and evening, with more than 100 participating in golfing, swimming, a barbecue and dance.

The event marked the formal opening of the club's new swimming pool, one of the most elaborate in this section of the state, which has been constructed just west of the club house.

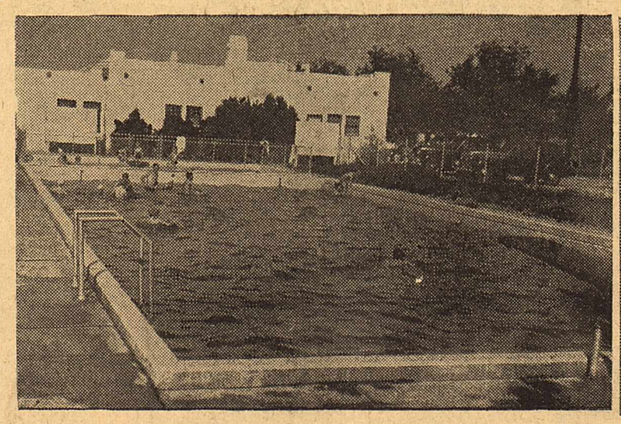
New furniture also has been installed in the club house for the enjoyment of club members spending leisure hours there or entertaining friends and parties.

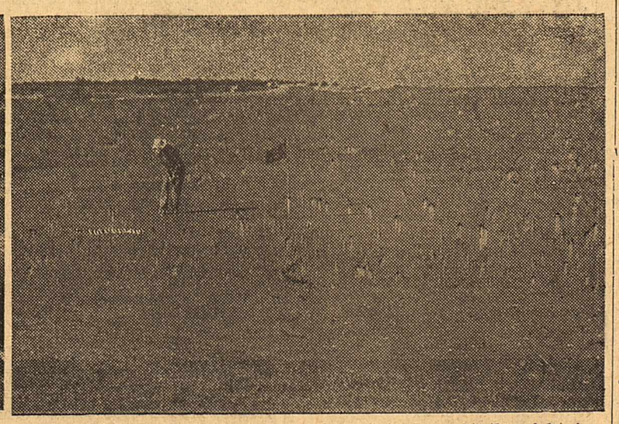
The grass greens of the sporty nine-hole golf course, with the newly engineered fairways, has stamped the local links as one of the choice golfing spots of the southwest. Saturday's tournament coupled this phase of the club with the other new accommodations.

The barbecue was served at the club's convenient pits near the artificially constructed lake, that body of water having been filled almost to capacity by rains almost two week ago, adding to the beauty of the club's landscape.

Many club members, especially their children, enjoyed the swimming pool Saturday. Although in use for the past few weeks, the formal opening and barbecue had previously been postponed on account of weather conditions.

Club officials pointed out that with the new facilities, members who do not play golf and who previously had little interest in affairs of the Country Club may now find attractions through which to make greater use of their memberships.





Above are shown two scenes at the Country Club here following a $20,000 remodeling program that has been underway for the past several months. Top left shows the new $4,200 swimming pool which was officially opened to club members Saturday. At the right is shown one of the new grass greens, typical of the entire course.

An estimated $20,200 has been spent during the last year on improvements to the clubhouse and the grounds. Largest item of expense was $8500 that went to place grass greens over the course and place pipe all over the course whereby it may be watered at any part whenever desired. Within the next few months, all the fairways are expected to be completely grassed.

Members of the Ladies Golf Association spent approximately $2500 in making improvements on the inside of the old clubhouse building. Floors have been sanded, all rooms re-decorated, much new furniture has been added.

Other expenses included $3,000 for an addition to the clubhouse, $4,200 on the swimming pool and $2,000 for equipment used daily on the course.

In the Saturday afternoon "choose up" matches held on the course, the team captained by Don Sivalls, with Mrs. F. A. Stacy as co-captain, defeated a team captained by Walter Henderson, Mrs. R .W. Hamilton was co-captain. Losers were forced to buy drinks for the winners.

Coincident with the completion of the rebuilding program, the Ellis Cowden handicap tournament came to an end with Frank Johnson winning the trophy by virtue of a forfeit win over Pat Riley. Johnson was also awarded a medal for winning. Riley was presented a trophy for finishing as runner-up.

John W. House is president of the Country Club with R. W. Hamilton vice-president and W. Ily Pratt, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. W. P. Thurman is president of the Ladies Golf Association with Mrs. Pat Riley vice president and Mrs. A. E. Horst secretary-treasurer.

HAS TONSILLECTOMY.

Mrs. D. P. Weatherred underwent a tonsillectomy at a Midland hospital today.

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Is the Nation Realizing That Divine Guidance Is Needed?

After the first world war, the United States entered an era where the average citizen didn't seem to "give a hang." The depression apparently didn't change things for the better, but rather there seemed to develop more than ever an attitude of fatalism, of taking things as they came.

Leading writers on economics began to point to the necessity of a national spiritual revival in order to restore things to normal. In the light of the present European disorder, the spiritual need in America, as well as in the entire world, has been emphasized.

Public meetings now are being opened with prayer, not just as a matter of custom but apparently with a seriousness that indicates consciousness of a need for divine guidance.

In Midland during the past few days, District Judge Cecil C. Collings opened his court term by having a Midland pastor pronounce an invocation. Sessions of the Texas Chamber of Commerce Managers association were opened with prayer. The Boy Scout Court of Honor, held Thursday night, was opened with prayer. A joint meeting of Odessa and Midland Rotary clubs was opened with prayer. These are just instances of how most public functions now are being opened by invoking divine guidance. And it is having beneficial effect.

Those appearing at the court opening have been impressed, just as those at other public functions. Somehow, the invocation of divine guidance removes any inclination toward cynicism or fatalistic attitude as to the outcome of things. Perhaps the nation is recognizing this need which repeatedly has been pointed out. And may the results be beneficial.



The Town Quack

Hilton Kaderli is a reasonable sort of fellow. He has authorized me to tell the thief who took the radio out of Hilton's car last Friday night to go back to his garage at 900 West Kentucky where he may get the aerial also.

"I have no use for the aerial without the radio," Hilton said.

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Addison Wadley claims to have reached the metallic age, mentioning silver, gold and lead as a part of his component parts.

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To all of you who have been helping me take cracks at Ralph Shuffler of Odessa, he was in charge of arrangements for one of the best get-together parties of Midland and Odessa citizens I ever heard of, Friday night. It was the inter-city meeting of Rotarians and Rotary Anns from the two towns at the Odessa Country Club. And Ralph was the perfect host.

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Our sympathies to our Big Spring friends in the loss of 1100 and some odd citizens since the 1930 census. We may need their sympathy any time. Our census may fall short of what we expect, but I have confidence that it won't fall below the 1930 figure.

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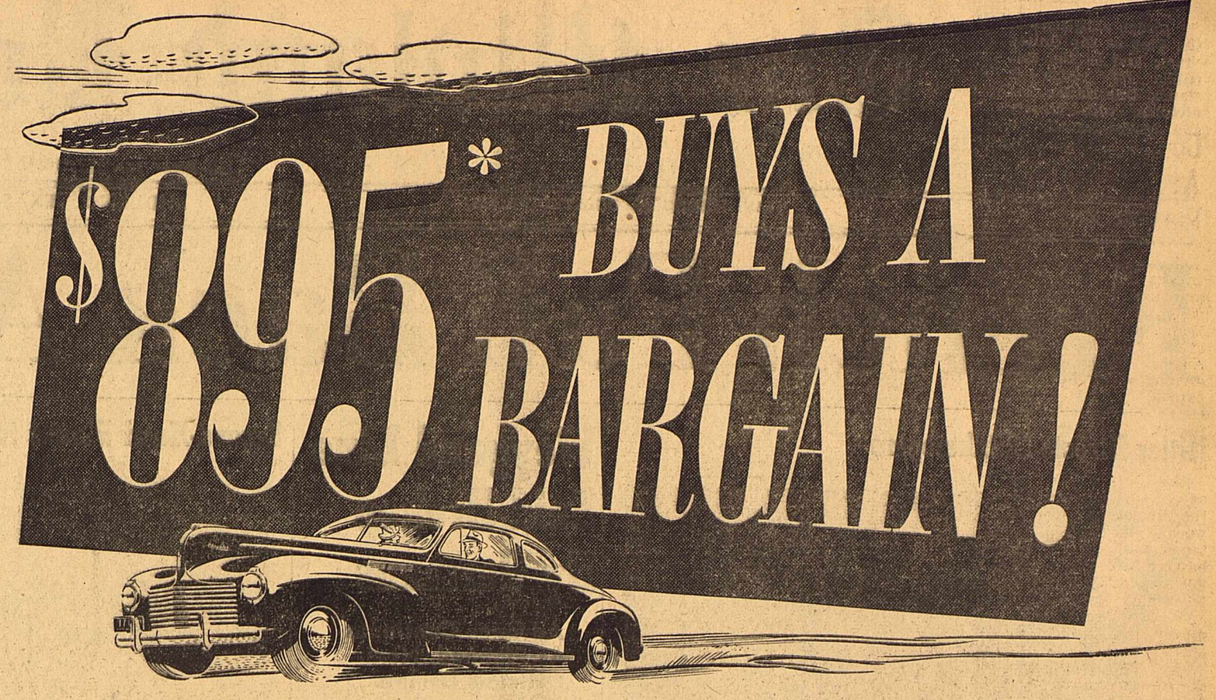
Our airport is included in the nation's immediate defense program, according to the Associated Press, but we are having a tough time finding out just what the improvements are to be. Whatever they be, we feel proud to have this port included and believe it will be a strategic spot for Uncle Sam's air defense.

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Wedding parties of various kinds have been staged at Midland in the last forty years, but the Frank Williamson's "dude rodeo" and barbecue at their ranch Saturday evening, in honor of the approaching marriage of their daughter, Eddye Gene Cole, and Tolbert Bell of El Paso, was one party which will be long remembered by those who attended. The youngsters who took part in the show have reached the age for college, marrying, taking jobs and "breaking up" their bunch. They may never get together again as a unit, but they had a swell time. Incidentally, the Williamson ranch home is like those you read about and see in the movies. In Monday's paper, you probably will see some pictures of this big party.

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Our additional office and shop space is coming along steadily. Felix Stonehocker, the contractor, says it won't be long now, so we are preparing to install some equipment next week end about which we can make a lot of noise. Meanwhile, we publicly thank our "land lady", Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer.



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• BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON. — Reports that Mexico City police are hunting an American named George Mink in connection with the recent attack on Leon Trotsky were of peculiar interest to investigators for the Dies committee.

The Dies committee has a fat dossier on Mink, and would like to make it fatter. Its investigators have been hunting him for several months; during the winter Chief Investigator J. B. Matthews made a hurry-up trip to New Orleans for him, missing him by just one hour.

Testimony before the committee has described Mink as one of the chief overseas agents for the Russian GPU (or NKVD, as it is now called.) He is accused of having gone to Spain during the revolution, with the mission of purging the Loyalist army of anti-Communist leaders; previously, the evidence ascribes to him a leading part in extending Communist influence in the American merchant fleet.

Mink helped organize the Marine Workers' Industrial Union, predecessor of the National Maritime Union, and for a time was its national chairman. After this, he is alleged to have traveled extensively in South and Central America on party business. One witness asserted that as long as three years ago, Mink was assigned to "take care of" Trotsky.

DIES AND PRESIDENT WORKING TOGETHER.

ONE of the most ironically touching developments in Washington is the reapprochment between Mr. Dies and FDR. As recently as last fall, they were very much at swords points; now they are working in something resembling harmony, gunning for fifth columnists.

It must be reported that it is the White House which has changed its attitude, rather than the red-hunting Texan; and the change clearly was forced by the pressure of events.

Dies has been denouncing the fifth column since long before the nickname was popularized, and has been crying for FBI help in ferreting out its secrets. For a long time he got nothing, but the cold shoulder from the administration. Now the New Deal is beginning to realize that Mr. Dies has, as they say, got something there.

BUS DRIVER DECISION MAY COST MILLIONS.

SUPREME COURT decision that the Wage and Hour Administration rather than the Interstate Commerce Commission, has jurisdiction over the 200,000 bus and truck drivers in the country may prove pretty costly to the drivers' bosses.

The Wage-Hour people had held that 42 hours was the legal workweek for the drivers; ICC had said it was 60. Decision means that companies which followed the ICC rulings are liable for over-time wages running a long way back; some of the companies' lawyers have figured the total bill will be somewhere between $2,000,000 and $10,000,000.

Notable are two other things about the decision: (1) it was strictly a "New Deal judges" five-to-four ruling, and (2) the Wage-Hour Administration's interpretive bulletins are formally adjudged to have more legal weight than even the Wage-Hour people themselves supposed they had.

THE war news has many Republican politicians pretty downcast, but not the Taft strategists. They figure Candidate Taft is emerging more and more as the logical G.O.P. contender (a point on which various New Dealers privately agree with them) and their most recent survey says he will get 141 first-ballot votes from the 11 Ohio valley-middle western states. From this area, they add, on the first ballot, Dewey will get 93 votes and Vandenberg 46, with the rest scattering.

Communists Train Aides in U. S. To Smear FBI, Start Sabotage

This is the second of three special articles, revealing fifth column activities in the United States.

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BY THOMAS M. JOHNSON
NEA Service Military Writer

WASHINGTON.—Government investigators call the American Communists "A foreign conspiracy masked as a political party."

Reds in America are aggressive, well-organized and well-placed. They make up three-fourths of the 2500 dangerous foreign agents. The F. B. I. lists their sympathizers at an estimated total of 2,000,000 persons of all ages, races and stations from lowest to highest, capable of anything from stealing naval intelligence files—as they have done—to throwing a brick at a cop and then squealing about "civil liberties."

The Communists' latest is an attempted smear of their arch-enemies, the F. B. I. Having helped to disarm the F. B. I. of its best weapon against plotting—which is wire-tapping—they have a new trick. They send to local F. B. I. officers members who offer to reveal Red activities. When a G-man is assigned to investigate, they try to trap him with a woman as bait, in a disgraceful situation. "Once smear a G-man's reputation," they say, "and our friends in Washington will make them all lay off." This attempt has been reported from several sections of the country, and all G-men warned.

RED AGENTS ACTIVE IN EIGHT COUNTRIES

RESOLUTIONS using identical, not complimentary, language about the F. B. I. have been passed all over the country by radical labor unions. One estimate is that Communists manipulate radical unions in eight key industries including aircraft, automobile, steel, rubber and very important communications.

What that means to U. S. defense is shown graphically by a Washington map of factories doing defense work, largely in the northeast and California.

"If they start blowing up," I was told, "the Reds will be mostly to blame."

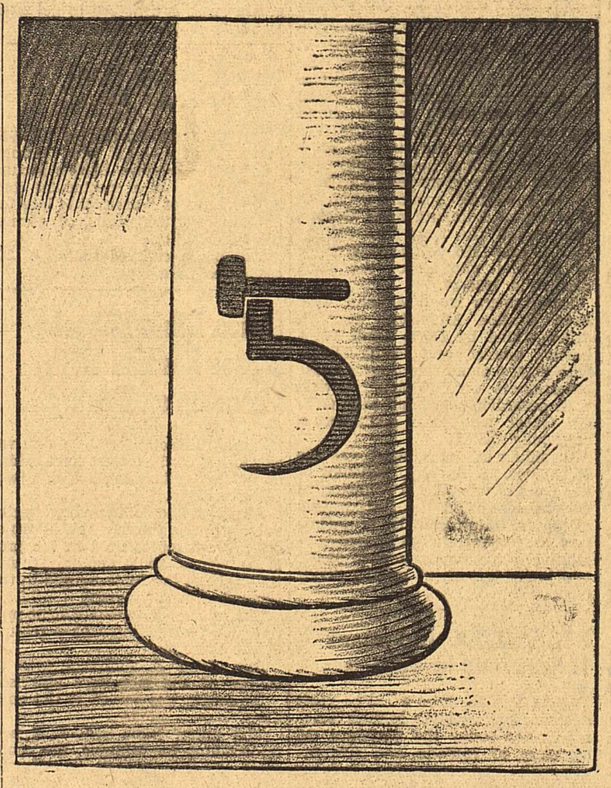
That means there will be such violence, investigators predict, if this country seems likely to enter the war and probably even if its aid to the allies grows. The next step will be strikes in aircraft and allied industries—then an attempted general strike.

For this attempt, admittedly desperate, Red leaders who have been trained in the Moscow school are at work in the United States. They are taught to seize or destroy not only factories, but centers of communications, telephone and radio stations, railroad terminals, airports—all the country's nerve centers—as the Nazis did in Holland.

Two recent developments in the new should be gratifying to fifth columnists whose immediate aim is the disruption of the newborn national defense program:

1. In California, federal authorities are investigating five attempts within 10 days to interfere with sources of power vital to three important aircraft factories. All the incidents involved cutting of water or electric power lines. So real did potent plane manufacturer Donald W. Douglas believe the threat of sabotage to be that he personally appealed to his 18,000 employes to be on guard.

2. Clear across the continent, in Kearney, N. J., another form of defense disruption is being demonstrated. Against the advice of their own union leaders, a local of the Industrial Union of Maritime and Shipbuilding Workers of America went on strike over a 10-cent-an-hour wage increase. Four new U. S. Navy vessels, costing $36,000,000 were delayed by this strike.



Hammer a nd Sickle.

NAZIS, COMMUNISTS UNITE AGAINST U. S.

MEXICO'S Communazis have come into money and trained a real Red army. They are working with numerous Germans lately come to Mexico, for conspiracy and to buy supplies. Through Spaniards, they interchange information about American defense plans for Moscow and Berlin.

In America, evidence multiplies of Communazi co-operation. The Bund, in secret meetings and openly, no longer is hostile to the Reds, who in turn no longer boycott Germany.

Among American Fascists Donald Shea invites "Gentile Communists" to attend meetings of his anti-Semitic, anti-British Gentile league.

"Neighborhood councils" carry on whispering campaign against defenses, while the Youth Congress openly opposes it. A national negro congress declares American negroes will not fight against Russia, and negro Congressman Mitchell (Illinois) warns that the C. I. O. is turning negroes Red.

NEXT: Nazi and Bund Activities in America.

Indians Press for Right To Fish Without Permit

SPOKANE, Wash. (U.P.)—Whether Indians can fish in Washington without a state license will be placed before the State Supreme Court once again.

The question growing out of an 1855 treaty in which the Indians fish at thir u,AAmfwypupusetaoin claim they received the right to fish at their usual paces on the Coumbia river, previousy was carried to the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

A Federal District Court ruled the Indians needed a license. When the case reached the circuit court, that body held that jurisdiction of the state courts had not been exhausted, and recommended that it be brought up once more.

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Census Bureau Forgets Tiny Jersey Hamlet

BURLINGTON, N. J. (UP).—The tiny community of Hedding, near here, has complained to the U. S. Census Bureau that it was overlooked by the federal enumerators.

The secluded, little, tomato-growing settlement, a mile off the main New York-Philadelphia highway, is so small it isn't even a dot on most maps.

BREAKING A MIRROR.

An early belief was that it was possible to see the will of the gods in a mirror. If a mirror was broken, it was interpreted as an effort on the part of the gods to prevent the person from seeing some unpleasant happening of the future.

Finance Tasks Of Government To Be Topics

DETROIT (UP).—At least 500 municipal, state and federal finance officers are expected to attend the 35th annual conference of the Municipal Finance Officers' association of the United States and Canada here June 16 to 20.

Conference delegates will study virtually all phases of municipal finance and accounting. Subjects will be revenue problems, property assessment, tax collection, cost accounting, interest rates and municipal bonding.

Mayor Carl Zejdler of Milwaukee is scheduled to give the opening day address, leading discussions on public expenditures. Other discussion groups will be led by Albert E. Neale, city auditor of Springfield, Mass., and president of the Municipal Finance Officers' association; D. C. Bronson, assistant actuary of the Social Security board; Mayor Edward Jefferies of Detroit, Fred Wilson, assistant Minnesota commissioner of administration and William Reid, New York City collector.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Bell and son, Tolbert Bell, are here from El Paso, They, with other friends, are taking part in the festivities preceding the wedding of Tolbert Bell and Miss Eddye Gene Cole here on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Meadows and baby of Wharton, Texas, arrived Saturday to spend a week with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. John B. Thomas. Mrs. J. H. Hurt of Big Spring, mother of Mrs. Thomas, is also here as the guest of her daughter and family for this week.

Miss Frankie Nix of Henderson, Texas, is spending the summer here with her sister, Mrs. A. E. Dixon.

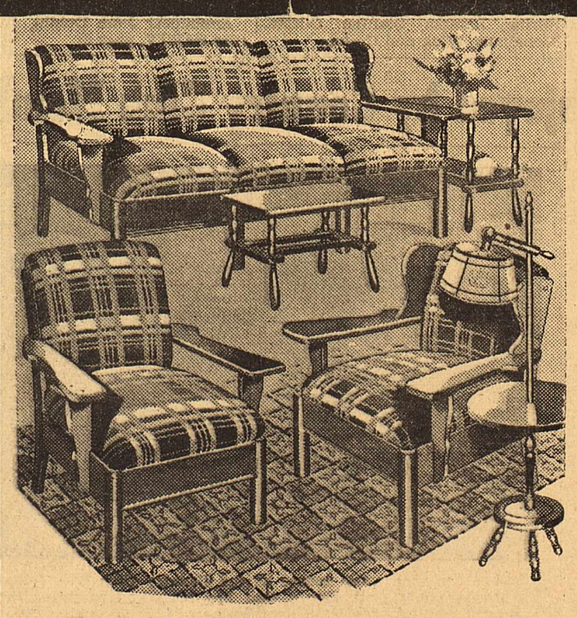
Mrs. Addison Young and son, Dana Bruce, have gone to Wichita Falls for a visit.

Joan Tom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Alfred Tom, is spending the week in Big Spring with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Orson.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fox and son, John Lane, of East Orange, New Jersey, arrived Saturday to visit their daughter and sister, Mrs. J. J. Black, and family.

Franklyn Stickney has returned home from a Lubbock business college where he recently completed a year's course.

Misses Fannie Bess and Cordelia Taylor and Miss Vesta Deaton are attending the Business and Professional Women's clubs state convention at Dallas this weekend.



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Evening Ceremony Unites Miss Dunagan, A. A. Jones

Couple Recites Vows At Home of Bride's Parents, Friday

Of interest to a wide circle of friends in West Texas was the marriage of Miss Lorena Dunagan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dunagan, and Arvid A. Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jones of San Angelo, which took place Friday evening at the home of the bride's parents, 1904 W. Wall street. Rev. H. D. Bruce, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the single ring ceremony in the presence of relatives and close friends.

The couple recited wedding vows at an improvised altar in front of the fireplace which was banked with woodwardia fern. At each end white tapers burned in candelabra. Floor baskets held pink and white gladioli and larkspurs. Above the mantel, which was covered with pink and white sweetpeas, hung a large mirror framed with Southern smilax.

Miss Frances Gillett, pianist, gave the wedding music.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white marquisette and lace with a brief train. Her full length veil of imported lace fell from a halo of lilies of the valley. She carried a bouquet of white rosebuds and lilies of the valley.

She wore a string of pearls and for "something old" a gold bracelet which her mother had worn at her wedding.

Miss Helen Dungan, who attended her sister as maid of honor, wore an aqua frock of marquisette and lace in a design similar to the bride's gown.

She wore a string of pearls which were a gift from the bride.

D. Lee Jones of San Angelo was his brother's best man.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony. The refreshment table was laid in white linen cutwork and centered with the three-tiered wedding cake.

The buffet was decorated with pink rosebuds and baby's breath. White tapers in crystal candelabra burned at each end of the table and buffet.

Mrs. J. B. Bain, cousin of the bride, presided at the cake. Punch was served by Mrs. James Walker.

Mrs. Woodrow Beatty, assisted by Virginia Ann Dunagan, had charge of the bride's book.

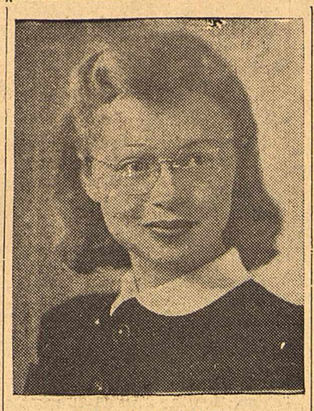
After the reception, the couple left on a trip to El Paso and New Mexico. For traveling, the bride wore a two-piece sunlight crepe costume with white accessories and a corsage of purple orchids.

Mrs. Jones was reared in Midland, being a member of a pioneer family here. She is a graduate of Midland high school and attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene and the University of Texas at Austin.

Mr. Jones is a graduate of San Angelo high school. He has lived in Midland several years and is employed with the Atlantic Refining Company here.

Invited for the ceremony at the Dunagan home were: Rev. and Mrs. Bruce, Miss Frances Gillett, L. H. Chatham, Mrs. Geo. Phillips, Thad Steele, Mrs. Eula Mahoney, Miss Wilma Mahoney, Miss Helen Dunagan, Mrs. Dona Dunagan, Mrs. Tom C. Bobo, Betty Bobo, Mrs. B. C. Girdley, Mrs. J. O. Vance, Miss Gertrude Vance, Miss Marguerite Bivens, H. B. Dunagan, C. B. Dunagan, Robert Dunagan, Virginia Ann Dunagan, Mrs. Laura Copeland, Miss Kathleen Eiland, Miss Josephine Nolan, Mrs. H. H. Watson, Mrs. Tom Nolan.

Messrs. and Mmes. N. B. Winter, A. W. Wyatt, G. G. Asbury, A. E. McKay, James Walker, L. W. Taylor,



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L. M. Freels, Jack Thames, J. B. Bain, C. M. Dunagan, Gay Harris, Robert K. White, Mr. and Mrs. D. Lee Jones of San Angelo, Bud Reeves of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramon Jones of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jones of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Thomas of Artesia, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dunagan and L. E., Jr., of Monahans, Miss Nancy Phillips of Big Spring, Miss Ruth Lee Stuart of Lamesa, Bub McDonald of Lamesa, Mr. and Mrs. J. Conrad Dunagan of Monahans, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilkins of Dallas.

Four-Year-Old Is Honoree at Party On Birthday

Mrs. W. C. Moore honored her son, W. C., Jr., on his fourth birthday anniversary with a party at her home, 210 E. Kentucky, Friday afternoon.

Games were played and a picture was made of the group.

A Happy Birthday song was sung by the guests before the pink candles which topped the white birthday cake were blown out.

Refreshments were served to the following children: The honoree, Bobby Carman, Joyce Carman, Charles Carman, Glendale Carman, Nan Welch, Betty Jo Miller, Barbara June Miller, Nancy Trauber, Charles Trauber, Wanda Lou Moore, Katrina Jo Shelburne, Jo Evelyn Arnold, Jimmie Arnold, Dannie Era Kinsey, Jack Lee Kinsey, Janie Belle Moore.

Mrs. Joe Shelburne assisted the hostess.

Other mothers present were Mrs. Jim Moore, Mrs. C. B. Carman, Mrs. Jim Miller, and the honoree's grandmother, Mrs. Jeannette Whitmire.

Midland Girl Has Part in Camp Stunt

HUNT, Texas, June 8 (Spl.)—Suzanne LaForce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. LaForce, was one of seven girls who presented the initial stunt at Camp Waldemar Tuesday, June 4.

The girls, leaning on a rustic fence rail built inside the dining hall, sang "Leaning on the Old Top Rail," while a two-girl horse galloped down the aisle road.

The camp choral group will take part in the cowboy operetta, "Roundup in Texas," set tentatively for July 5, in the Waldemar aphitheatre. John A. Lomax, director of music research for the Library of Congress, will be guest of the camp at that time.

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Tuesday Will Be "Fun Day" at Country Club

Tuesday will be "fun day" at the Country Club, it was announced at the meeting of the Women's Golf Association at the clubhouse Friday morning. All women members of the Country Club are invited to attend.

Bingo parties will be given each Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock at the club house for club members only.

Present at the Friday luncheon were: Mmes. R. H. Henderson, Walter Cremin, A. E. Horst, Glenn Black, J. L. Rush, Pearl Blair, R. W. Hamilton, F. A. Stacy, W. G. Henderson, R. T. Mobley, Fred Hogan, J. H. Longabaugh, J. M. Kenderdine, Wilkerson, Jas. A. Mascho, C. A. Mix, Walter Smith, L. A. Absher, Miss Ella Moore West, Mmes. Liberty, John House, Stanley Moore, Barney Greathouse, E. H. Griswold, Williams, Bill Holmes, Fritz.

Hostesses for next Friday will be Mmes. R. T. Mobley, Stanley Moore, Frank Johnson, J. M. Kenderdine.

Club Inspects Sub-Irrigated Garden Project

Inspection of the garden which is sub-irrigated by drainage from the dairy house through the waste disposal trap was the high point of interest in the Cotton Flat home demonstration club meeting with Mrs. W. B. Franklin, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Franklin explained that the tile distributes the water which drains from the wash basin and the cement floors of the milk house through the trap. A trip through the dairy house was made.

Planted in the sub-irrigated plot are cantelopes, beans, tomatoes and cucumbers.

Surface irrigation was also seen in another garden where tomatoes and squash were planted. Chinch bugs were discovered in the squash, and control given by Miss Alpha Linn was to handpick and kill all possible adult insects, and to dust with rotenone dust prepared by mixing 1 part derris root with 4 parts flour and dusting from a coarse bag. Miss Lynn stated that commercially mixed rotenone might be found at the drug stores, or that it might be in the form of derris root, which would probably be a 5 per cent rotenone, which would necessitate the mixture with fuolr or talc to dilute the mixture to 1 per cent dusting. She stated that this insect and other insects which make their living sucking sap from the vegetables breathe through their skins, and that to control or kill them, the insecticide must be put on the insect rather than on the plant. She stated that dusting is successful on warm days, but when the temperature is below 75 degrees spraying should be done for controlling sucking insects. Other sucking insects controlled by the above method were named by Mrs. Johnie Graham as the striped cucumber beetle, plant lice, melon aphid (honew dew), and the squash bug.

Mrs. W. H. Lynn of Denton was a visitor with the club. Members present were Mrs. W. J. Blanscett, Johnie Graham, T. D. Jones, John S. King, and the hostess. The club adjourned to meet June 20 with Mrs. Bill Countiss.

Friendship Club Meets at Home Of Mrs. Welch

Mrs. Owen Welch, 421 S. Baird street, was hostess Thursday to the weekly meeting of the Friendship club. The club members did embroidery work for the hostess and also quilted a quilt.

Birthday gifts were presented to Mrs. A. E. Dixon.

Refreshments were served to a new member, Miss Frankie Nix of Henderson, Texas, who is spending the summer here, and Mmes. W. C. Moore, Ben Biggs, L. M. Hedges, S. O. Dixon, Fred Osborne, A. E. Dixon, and the hostess.

Next Thursday the club will meet with Mrs. Dixon, 210 East Kentucky, and a birthday party will be given for Mrs. W. C. Moore.

"Kidnap Breakfast" Entertains Methodist Sunday School Class

Friendly Builders class of the Methodist church was entertained with a "kidnap breakfast" at the home of Mrs. A. B. Stickney, 707 W Tennessee, Thursday morning from 8 o'clock until 10.

Winner of the prize for the kidnap costume was Mrs. J. W. Pace, with second place going to Mrs. Walter Beacham.

Mrs. C. E. Nolan, assistant teacher of the class, who is moving from Midland to Florida, was presented with a farewell gift from the group.

A coffee course was served to: Mmes. J .A. Andrews, H. M. McReynolds, J .W. Pace, W. B. Hunter, C. E. Nolan, Leroy Huckaba, O .C. Hamlin, Ted Rayburn, A. J. Norwood, N. B. Beauchamp, C. P. Wilson, Rea Sindorf, O. L. Crooks, E. V. Guffey, Douglas Nix, Gladys Holster, J. L. Barber Sr., Frances Parker, A. W. Lester, Fred Barber, Roy McKee, Ira Cole, E. J. Voliva, E. M. Ferrell, Walter Beacham, J. L. Tidwell, Jimmie Smith, Tom Hurt, Emma Aycock, Ira Proctor, S. H. Hudkins, G. P. Bradberry, Miss Frances Davis of Miami, Florida, and the hostess.

Midland Couple Is Wed in Quiet Service Friday

Mrs. Nancy Maloney and John Paul McKinley were married quietly at the Methodist parsonage Friday evening, with Rev. W. C. Hinds reading the wedding vows

The couple had no attendants.

The bride wore a white sport costume with a corsage of gardenias.

Mrs. McKinley was reared in Midland.

The bridegroom has lived here since last November, being associated with the Simpson Roodhouse Drilling Company.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley will leave today for Ada, Oklahoma. They will make their home in Oklahoma.

Odessans Guests At Bridge Party For Delta Dek Club

Two out-of-town visitors, Mrs. Bill Derrick and Mrs. Ebb White of Odessa, were guests when Mrs. John B. Richards entertained at her home, 1400 W College, Thursday afternoon for the Delta Dek club.

In the bridge games which occupied the playing hours, the visitors each received an award, Mrs. Derrick for high score and Mrs. White for bingo prize. Second high went to Mrs. Jack Mitchell.

Sweetpeas were chosen by the hostess for house decorations.

A fruit salad course was served at tea time to guests and the following club members: Mmes. Sol Bunnell, Sam Laughlin, Charles Word, Jack Mitchell, Zay Kimberlin, and the hostess.

Children Hear Five Stories at Story Hour Saturday

Mrs. W. Bryant conducted the Story Hour in the children's library Saturday morning, telling the following stories: "The Three Princesses in the Blue Mountain" by P. C. Asbjornsen; "Changing the Ethiopian" from "Miss Minerva and William Green hill" by F. B. Calhon; "Chicken Little," anonymous; "The Tongue-Cut Sparrow" by C. S. Bailey; "Persimmon Creek" by Nellie Page Carter (continued).

Present were: Opal Scrivner, June Rose Craft, Fay Manville, Doris Mozelle Ray, Bobbie Juanita Brown, Katherine Whigham, Roberta Ann Hayes, Jerry Webb, Herman Hankla, Wanda Jo Hankla, Evelyn Ware, Edwine Ware, Sherry Paige, John D. Jensen, Eddie Clarke, Richard Clarke, Betty Ann Duffey, Jean K. Bell, Evelyn Hejl, Mary Jo Hejl, Billie LeJean Pigg, Valda Dee Pigg, Ruth Hall.

Summer Project Girls Complete Class Work

With a talk by Miss Iva Butler, sponsor, on habit training and play for children and a theatre party to the Yucca Friday evening, the girls of the summer project class completed their required class work for their half credit in homemaking. The girls are required to work 100 hours on their chosen project and spend at least ten hours in class work.

The class work this year was the conducting of a nursery school for 15 children for three weeks from nine until 12 each morning from Monday through Friday.

Miss Butler's talk completed a group of four talks given on Friday to the class, first by Irma Tunnell and then by Dr. C. G. Yarbrough.

In Miss Butler's talk on habit training, she stated that everything a child did was a habit and his health, both physical and mental, depended on his habit of food which he ate. A child should eat without coaxing. "To do this," Miss Butler said, "place in the child's plate what you want him to eat and make him understand you expect him to eat it."

She stressed the importance of feeding the child at regular times and early in the evening, so that his food would have time to digest before he goes to bed; also, Miss Butler gave the following requirements for children one to six for a day: one pint or more milk, two fruits—one raw, one or more green vegetables, one starchy vegetable, one egg, bread and butter two or three times daily, one or two cereals, meat or fish after 18 months, and cod liver oil even if he is getting sunshine daily.

"Play is one of the means of learning," Miss Butler said, "his world is imagined and pretended, and parents should pretend with the child." When he is one he should be able to pile blocks successfully and make noises like the toy he is playing with. He should learn cooperative work and play when he is two or three, but he should play by himself at least half of the time, Miss Butler stated.

She stressed for importance that children liked to make toys and did not like mechanical toys which attract the adults and not the child.

The child needs a horizontal bar to learn muscular control. Other things that were stated for developing muscle control were: pencil and paper, crayolas, and scissors. When he is nine months old he should be able to hold his cup to drink from.

Miss Butler will return before school starts in the fall to check the 50 girls' work for their half credit.

Belmont Bible Class Honors Teacher at Meeting Friday

Mrs. C. E. Nolan, teacher of Belmont Bible class, was presented with a set of silver forks as a farewell gift from the class at its meeting Friday afternoon with Mrs. W. G. Attaway, 404 W. Ohio. Mrs. Nolan is leaving Midland to make her home in Florida.

She taught the lesson for the day, in the form of a review of the last 20 chapters of Exodus.

Mrs. H. M. Reigle opened the meeting with prayer and Mrs. S. L. Alexander offered the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. James Adamson, J. V. Hobbs, W. L. Sutton, B. M. Hays, Gladys Holster, Dennis Murphy, J. L. Kelly, Harvey Kiser, Herbert King, A. W. Lester, C. Shafer, C. G. Murray, C. E. Strawn, H. M. Reigle, Alexander, V. O. Baldridge, C. A. Travelstead, C. O. Fredregill, Roy McKee, Bertie Mitchell, C. E. Nolan, W. P. Collins, and the hostess.

The class will meet next Friday with Mrs. Holster at 600 North A.

Linen Shower Is Surprise Courtesy For Mrs. Roberts

Mrs. Wilbur Roberts, recent bride, was honored Friday afternoon with a surprise linen shower at 512 S. Loraine. Hostesses were Mrs. J. W. Roberts and Miss Sara Sue Roberts.

Gifts were presented and a refreshment course was served.

Present were: The honoree, Misses Joanna Barber, Ruth Reeves, Lucile McHargue, Margaret Murray, Mary Edna Casey, Rita Turner, Josephine, Mmes. Joe DeMars, Jay Watkins, H. Hanks, T. L. Dunlap, S. B. Carden, and the hostesses.

Sending gifts were Mrs. Mega McHargue and Willene Norman.

Bracelets Favors For Girls of Wedding Party

Gold bracelets with the recipients names engraved on them were presented to the feminine members of the Bell-Cole wedding party when they were entertained at breakfast at the home of the bride-elect, Miss Eddy Gene Cole, 911 W Tennessee, Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Roses centered the breakfast table where covers were laid for: Miss Cole, Miss Walter Fay Cowden, Miss Virginia Street, Miss Mary Sue Cowden, Miss Donna Downey, and Miss Eula Ann Tolbert .

The breakfast was another in a round of gaieties which are making the last days before the wedding next Tuesday festive ones for the engaged couple and their friends.

Midland Girls Return From Southern Tour

Misses Ellen Constance Pearson, Burlyne McCollum, Florence Ruth Pratt, and Willie Mae Ferguson returned Saturday from an extensive tour of the Southern States.

Their itinerary folowed the southern route, via Ft. Worth, and Dallas, thence to Baton Rouge, La., thence to Mobile, Alabama, and Tallahassee, Fla., then on to Marlborough, Fla., where Miss Pratt reports they waded in the Atlantic Ocean, and picked oranges from the side of the road. (Miss Pearson said they swiped them).

On May 30th, they boarded a ship at Miami for a cruise to Cuba with Havana as their headquarters. They report a "marvelous time" while there, and were especially impressed with "Sloppy Joe's."

On Friday, the 31st they returned to Miami and left immediately for Pensacola, Fla., where they were escorted about by Lt. Hal Edwards, of the U. S. Naval Air Station. Miss McCollum, who was the first young lady in the Midland Flying Club to earn her wings, was impressed by the vast array of airplanes and pilots.

On Sunday, June 2, they bid farewell to the training base and retraced a portion of their original route; however, detouring in order that they might view the wonders of New Orleans. Miss Ferguson is enthusiastic about the "quaintness" of the old city.

All the girls report a "marvelous time," but, are still glad to be back home in "dear old Midland."

Couple Celebrates Wedding Anniversary

Mr .and Mrs. A. E. Patterson, 1210 W Kentucky, celebrated their second wedding anniversary with a 42 party at their home.

Blue and pink larkspur and snapdragons made a gala atmosphere in the party rooms.

Tallies for the games were handpainted. To those for the women guests were attached handpainted perfume bottles as favors and to those for men watchdog paper weights.

Refreshments were served to: Messrs. and Mmes. John W. Rhoden, Lige Midkiff, J. L. Barber Jr., Ernest Nance, Charles Patterson, Mrs. Marvin Douglas, and the host and hostess.

Wright Field, at Dayton, has been called the "Heart of the Army Air Corps." At this field, designs are conceived, specifications drawn, and finished planes and parts tested.

Midland Girl and Odessa Man Are Married Here

In a single ring ceremony read by Rev. John E. Pickering, Miss Joan Arnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Arnett, and Jesse Jackson Nichols of Odessa were united in marriage Saturday. The service was read at the Christian parsonage, at 11 o'clock in the morning.

The couple had no attendants.

The bride wore a white tailored costume with white accessories. For "something old," she carried a 40-year-old handkerchief.

Mr. and Mrs. Nichols left Saturday afternoon for a wedding trip to Carlsbad Cavern and other places in New Mexico, after which they will be at home in Odessa.

Mrs. Nichols was reared in Midland and is a graduate of Midland high school. She attended Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene. She has been active in BTU work in the Baptist church here.

Mr. Nichols has lived in Odessa for five years or more. He is employed as operator at the Texas theatre in that city.

Feminine Visitors at Convention Feted in Triple Form on Friday

Three-fold entertainment in the form of a coffee, sightseeing tour, and reception was offered wives of visiting chamber of commerce managers here Friday.

Approximately 60 women were present for the coffee Friday morning in Mrs. N. A. Lancaster's home at 1705 W. Indiana, including 48 out-of-town visitors.

Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer poured for the guests, presiding at the silver service.

Music was furnished during the morning.

Guests invited besides the visiting wives of managers were wives of the directors of the Midland chamber of commerce.

Acting as the house party and in charge of arrangements for the various courtesies were Mrs. Carl W. Covington, Mrs. Scharbauer, Mrs. House, Mrs. Wilburn Page, Mrs. Curtis Inman, and Mrs. Bill Collyns.

In the afternoon, Mrs. J. E. Hill, Mrs. Lloyd Mackey and Mrs. W. E. Ryan were in charge of a tour of the residence section of the city

The tour ended at the Country Club where Mrs. Covington and her committee held a reception for the group.

Mrs. Covington introduced Mrs. Foy Proctor who sang "Hills of Old Wyoming" and "Singing in the Saddle," accompanied by Mrs. Clifford Wilcox at the piano.

Introduced as "needing no introduction to Midland people," Mrs. Paul T. Vickers, wife of a former Midland chamber of commerce manager, presented two readings, a humorous monologue concerning the anxious mother who took "her Johnny" to college and a serious bit of philosophy on building happiness.

Mrs. Wilcox presented piano selections during the hour.

The punch table was laid with a lace cloth and centered by a huge bouquet of mixed summer blossoms. Punch was served from a footed bowl, with flower-shaped cakes and confections. Pastel colors were carried out in the service.

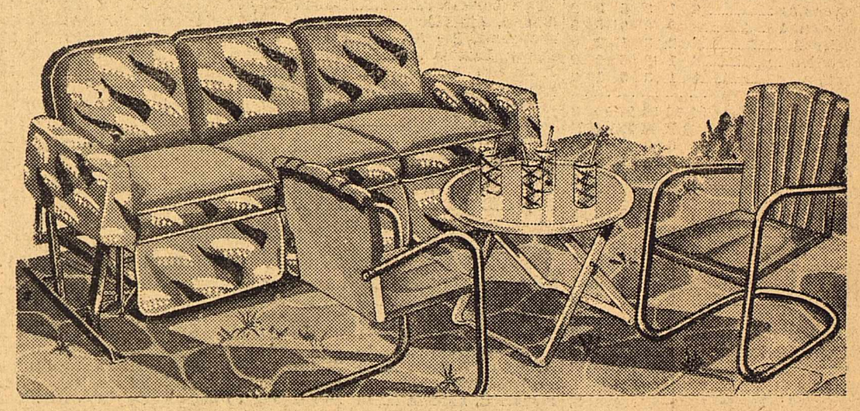
Two Are Hosts for Spaghetti Dinner Friday

The back yard of the Warren D. Anderson home, 1209 W. Texas, was the scene of a merry making for a large group of the high school crowd when Payton Anderson and Mary Helen Armstrong were hosts for a spaghetti dinner, Friday evening.

The meal was served in buffet style with about 40 boys and girl attending.

Afterward games were played.

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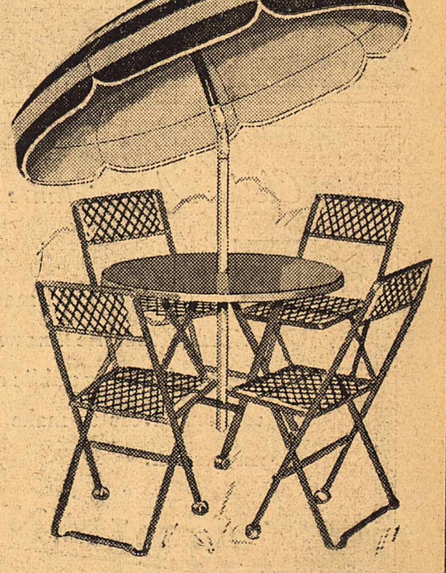




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COWBOYS LOSE OPENER; WILL MEET LOBOES IN TWO GAMES TODAY

First Game to Get Started at 3 This Afternoon

Cold wind and driving sand failed to dim the batting eyes of the Lamesa Loboes last night and they scored 16 runs on 22 hits to score an easy 16-1 win over the Midland Cowboys.

The two teams will meet in a doubleheader this afternoon, the first game starting at three o'clock and the second one following immediately afterwards. Managar Sammy Hale will probably use pitcher Larsen in the first game and Rankin Johnson in the abbreviated nightcap. Manager Jodie Tate has indicated he would counter with Byington in the first game and Elliott in the second one.

The Loboes took a four-run lead in the first inning last night and increased it throughout the first six frames. Although Red Hay went the route for the Cowboys, he was hard hit all the way. The Cowboys made a total of 7 errors but only two unearned runs were tallied by the visitors.

Outfielder Mal Stevens of the Loboe set a hot pace at the bat last night, getting two homers, a double and a single to drive in seven runs and score three himself. Outfielder Brown also hit for the circuit with two aboard.

The lone Midland tally came in the fourth inning on successive singles by Naranjo, Scaling and Hale.

LAMESA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spangler 2	6	2	2	3	4	0
Brown m	5	3	2	0	0	0
Hood lf	6	3	3	1	0	0
Stevens r	6	3	4	1	0	0
Guynes ss	6	1	3	5	3	2
Riordan 1	6	0	0	9	0	0
Beeler 3	6	2	3	1	2	0
Berndt c	6	1	2	6	0	0
Lucas p	4	1	3	0	1	0
	51	16	22	27	10	2

MIDLAND	A	B	R	H	PO	A	E
Avadesian 2	4	0	0	4	6	2	
DeGomez r	3	0	0	2	0	0	
Naranjo lf	4	1	1	1	1	0	
Scaling 1	4	0	2	8	1	1	
Jordan m	4	0	1	5	0	2	
Hale 3	2	0	1	2	1	0	
Greer ss	2	0	0	2	1	1	
Wilson c	4	0	1	3	0	0	
Burris ss 3	3	0	0	0	0	1	
Hay p	3	0	1	0	2	0	
	33	1	7	27	12	7	

Score by innings:

Lamesa	420	361	000—16
Midland	000	100	000— 1

Summary: Home runs—Stevens 2, Brown. Three-base hits—Hood. Two base hits—Guynes 2, Brown, Stevens. Runs batted in—Spangler, Brown 2, Hood, Stevens 7, Guynes, Beeler, Lucas, Hale. Sacrifice hits—Lucas. Stolen bases—Spangler, Stevens, Guynes, Beeler. Double plays—Avadesian to Scaling, Beeler to Spangler to Riordan, Spangler to Guynes to Riordan. Struck out — Hay 2, Lucas 5. Base on balls—Off Hay 1, off Lucas 1. Left on base—Midland 6, Lamesa 11. Umpires: Capps and Schultz. Time: 2:20.

Deer Menace Orchards In "Land of Evangeline"

KENTVILLE, N. S. (UP).—Western Nova Scotia may be a game hunter's paradise, but Annapolis Valley orchardists take no comfort in the fact.

Unless immediate action is taken in the country, known as the "Land of Evangeline" because of Longfellow's epic poem, orchards will be wiped out, according to a warning by A. D. Pickett, Dominion entomologist.

The Nova Scotia Fruit Growers Association followed Pickett's warning with a request to the provincial government that they be allowed to kill deer at all times, with no season or bag restrictions, to keep them from nibbling the trees.

WT-NM League Averages

BATTING

	ab	r	h	tb	2b	3b	hr	sb	bb	rbi	so	ba
Schweda, Lubbock	91	30	43	70	5	4	4	....	5	25	6	.473
Neidziela, Lubbock	150	39	63	95	13	5	3	4	22	34	14	.420
Nell, Borger	166	43	68	131	16	6	12	9	17	51	17	.410
Byington, Lamesa	22	8	9	17	2	....	2	....	6	6	4	.409
Summers, Pampa	162	41	63	103	15	5	5	6	32	46	6	.389
Naranjo, Midland	163	45	63	89	14	3	2	7	25	25	22	.387
Vannoy, Pampa	31	9	12	15	3	....	....	....	2	4	4	.387
Seitz, Pampa	176	53	67	104	12	5	5	7	24	42	14	.381
K. Jordan, Midland	158	33	60	105	11	5	8	5	17	41	14	.380
Fullenwider, Amarillo	175	47	66	137	12	1	19	2	40	66	38	.377
Hale, Midland	138	42	52	83	19	....	4	1	22	36	11	.377
Schlereth, Lubbock	83	20	31	47	7	3	1	2	8	23	6	.373
B. Altenburgh, Amarillo	170	65	62	107	14	3	8	8	34	46	16	.365
Potocar, Borger	68	17	25	42	5	2	2	....	3	24	4	.365
Adkins, Clovis	163	32	59	91	10	1	7	6	9	41	23	.362
Dorman, Amarillo	39	9	14	23	3	....	2	....	6	12	1	.359
Stevens, Lamesa	134	33	48	86	8	....	10	1	27	45	19	.358
Cox, Big Spring	141	22	50	69	11	1	2	5	14	35	12	.355
Ratliff, Abilene	170	38	61	86	13	3	2	6	27	37	11	.353
Malvica, Pampa	196	57	69	91	10	3	2	19	5	30	10	.352
Engle, Lubbock	105	19	37	47	10	....	....	1	27	20	6	.352
Short, Borger	192	38	67	120	10	4	12	3	13	57	30	.349
Sanders, Amarillo	187	52	65	101	20	2	4	7	26	41	26	.348
Guynes, Lamesa	148	34	51	89	5	6	7	8	41	46	18	.345
Potter, Pampa	162	39	55	93	13	4	6	4	25	40	31	.340
Sparr, Lubbock	118	20	40	54	7	2	1	4	11	20	8	.339
Prather, Pampa	112	24	38	56	9	....	3	2	25	33	10	.339
L. Patterson, Lamesa	59	15	20	37	6	1	3	1	6	12	10	.339
Reynolds, Lub.-Borg.	120	18	40	51	9	2	....	2	8	13	29	.333
Hausman, Borger	48	8	16	16	....	....	....	....	3	10	8	.333
Hunt, Clovis	45	14	15	24	4	1	1	3	2	16	4	.333
Castino, Lubbock	27	5	9	11	2	....	....	2	7	4	2	.333
Ed Miller, Lamesa	18	3	6	7	1	....	....	1	1	4	4	.333
Rego, Big Spring	3	1	1	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	1	.333
Steiner, Big Sp.-Clovis	94	21	31	47	7	....	3	8	20	20	16	.330
Stone, Clovis	175	44	57	105	15	3	9	4	21	41	32	.326
Taylor, Clovis	81	13	26	38	6	....	2	1	5	23	5	.321
Wagner, Clovis	113	19	36	44	4	2	....	4	8	18	8	.319
Avedisan, Midland	22	7	7	9	2	....	....	....	4	5	2	.318
Muratore, Big Spring	171	24	54	76	11	1	3	....	8	28	18	.316
Drake, Lubbock	190	42	60	83	8	3	3	3	20	24	22	.316
Riordan, Lamesa	168	35	53	77	6	3	4	5	11	30	33	.315
Finocchiaro, Lubbock	35	8	11	17	2	....	1	....	5	5	7	.314
E. Altenburgh, Amarillo	182	40	57	100	11	1	10	3	18	44	24	.313
D'Antonio, Amarillo	190	52	59	78	14	1	1	6	33	21	22	.311
Hood, Lamesa	113	27	35	47	7	2	1	1	22	25	15	.310
Duarte, Amarillo	178	52	55	70	11	2	....	10	42	30	13	.309
Scopetone, Big Sp.-Brg.	175	36	54	94	11	4	7	3	13	31	27	.309
Brown, Lamesa	13	3	4	8	1	....	1	....	3	2	3	.308
J. Jordan, Pampa	187	31	57	74	12	1	1	1	10	32	14	.305
Scaling, Midland	163	40	49	73	8	2	4	2	21	46	3	.301
Laurel, Big Spring	163	31	49	68	11	4	....	9	31	30	25	.301
B. Mitchell, Midland	30	5	9	14	2	....	1	....	3	4	6	.300
Johnson, Midland	35	6	9	12	1	1	....	1	1	3	4	.257
Rowden, Midland	91	16	22	39	2	....	5	2	11	22	31	.242
Burris, Midland	85	18	19	25	1	1	1	1	14	10	22	.224
Wilson, Midland	62	13	12	17	2	....	1	....	12	8	9	.194
Hay, Midland	21	5	2	2	....	....	....	....	1	....	3	.095

PITCHING

	g	ip	tb	r	h	er	sh	bb	hb	so	w	l	pct.
Mohrlock, Big Spring	1	9	44	8	13	7	....	4	3	6	1	....	1.000
Crider, Amarillo	10	78	353	46	68	39	1	50	1	84	7	2	.778
Millspaugh, Lamesa	6	34	164	33	35	24	1	29	....	20	3	1	.750
Hill, Amarillo	11	79	355	37	72	29	5	45	4	46	6	2	.750
Lynn, Amarillo	10	59	271	43	70	34	3	19	....	41	6	2	.750
Byington, Lamesa	4	32	167	38	45	23	2	21	2	32	3	1	.750
Finocchiaro, Lub.	9	61	280	45	78	39	1	25	4	41	5	2	.714
Patterson, Lamesa	12	56	203	40	60	26	1	38	3	56	5	2	.714
Hallbourg, Pampa	11	78	374	63	81	41	2	35	2	51	6	3	.667
Foree, Lamesa	10	58	278	46	69	23	2	24	5	37	4	2	.667
Smith, Midland	10	45	228	42	60	29	4	26	1	29	2	1	.667
E. Mitchell, Midland	6	30	146	22	33	16	2	23	....	8	2	1	.667
Tinsley, Borger	3	24	112	21	31	19	2	12	1	10	2	1	.667
Johnson, Midland	12	87	365	38	67	25	3	31	....	41	7	4	.636
Lucas, Lamesa	12	90	389	68	113	55	2	24	1	54	5	3	.625
Parrish, Pampa	12	64	349	48	81	31	6	40	6	65	5	3	.625
Hyma, Lubbock	12	71	373	79	101	60	4	42	3	26	6	4	.600
Hunt, Clovis	6	41	192	31	42	19	1	17	....	30	3	2	.600
Parks, Borger	12	71	364	74	114	57	3	34	3	47	4	3	.571
Ramsdell, Big Sp.	14	119	474	60	119	38	5	29	1	76	7	5	.583
Dilbeck, Pampa	12	62	298	53	92	36	....	13	2	43	4	3	.571
Vannoy, Pampa	11	47	238	48	65	41	4	24	5	33	5	4	.555
Hausman, Borger	11	85	395	59	92	36	3	46	2	82	5	5	.500
Dorman, Amarillo	11	75	362	71	100	56	4	34	3	41	5	5	.500
Hay, Midland	10	77	345	45	90	27	2	10	3	54	4	4	.500
Stack, Lubbock	10	72	234	58	88	38	3	43	3	64	4	4	.500
B. Mitchell, Midland	9	69	341	63	87	40	2	40	3	43	4	4	.500
Trantham, Amarillo	7	57	262	45	77	31	1	18	2	17	3	3	.500
Ralsh, Lubbock	11	56	246	37	49	28	7	23	6	40	2	2	.500
McPartland, B.S.-P.	9	47	238	49	58	40	1	41	....	32	2	2	.500
Hart, Borger	9	36	223	50	63	37	....	35	3	26	1	1	.500
Hewitt, Clovis	6	36	128	29	33	23	2	33	....	24	2	2	.500
Taylor, Clovis	9	35	167	41	57	30	2	20	2	5	1	1	.500
Jones, Big Spring	5	28	143	21	35	17	....	19	2	16	1	1	.500
English, Clovis	5	28	149	31	41	28	2	18	2	17	1	1	.500
Hogan, Clovis	3	14	78	16	20	14	....	31	2	13	1	1	.500
Calhoun, Amarillo	3	16	84	14	12	10	....	12	4	11	1	1	.500
Larsen, B.S.-Mid.	11	66	317	55	72	41	1	41	1	60	4	6	.400

The National Cotton Council reports that a Seattle firm by using cotton in plyboards has developed a board four to thirty times stronger than ordinary wallboards.

World's Best Bowlers Will Appear in Exhibitions Here Next Friday Night

Midland bowlers and bowling fans next Friday night will get to see six of the world's best bowlers when they give a free exhibition at the Plamor Palace alley here.

Between them, the six men have won practically every award that is given by the American Bowling Congress. Their appearance here will mark the first time bowlers of such calibre have appeared in Midland or in this area.



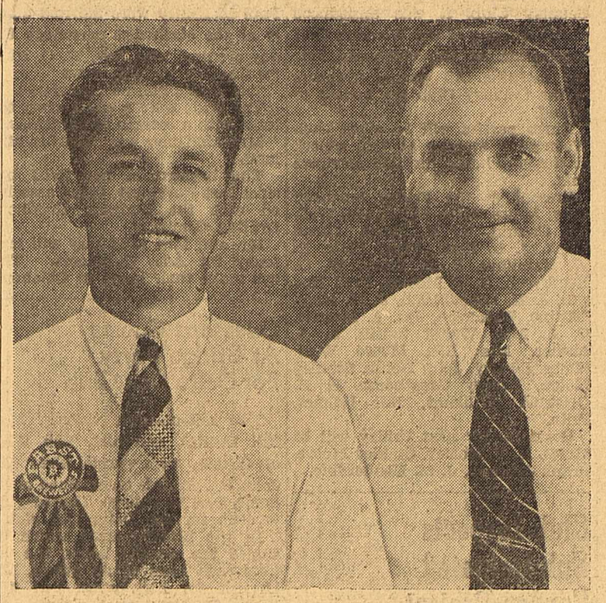
John Crimmins, captain and anchor man of the Goebel beer team last year,—a 5-man A. B. C. championship club under the name of Fife Electrics. He was winner of the Midwest tournament singles and All-Events in 1940. Has won practically every medal available. His season average in league play is 204.

In the top picture at the right are shown Adolph Carson and Paul Krumske, two others that will appear here. Carson is rated by many as one of the leading bowlers of the country. A former world's match game champion, he was picked for this year's All-American team. Is present 2-man champion of the Arrowhead tournament in Duluth and leader of three of Chicago's fastest leagues with an average of 218. Season average in League play—211.

Paul Drumske is a young star of the famous Pabst Blue Ribbons of Chicago who has won many major medals. He is the present city match champion and was leader of both divisions of Chicago's fastest league, The Classic, with an average of 208. He finished one season with an average of 222 for 96 games, including a 300-game and a record 817 series. Season average—208.

In the lower photo at right, Joseph Sinke and Herb Freitag are pictured. Sinke is a member of the Pabst Blue Ribbon team and current co-holder of the A. B. C. doubles champion. He has won many city and state medals. Season average—205.

Freitag is a teammate of Sinke and Krumske. Co-holder with Sinke of the A. B. C. doubles championship. Is present Central States all-events champion and one of Cricago's best bowlers. Season average in league play—205.





William "Bill" Shaul is the sixth member of the group that will appear here. He is a famous exhibition bowler and instructor for the Stowe-Woodward company. He is a member of the former New York state 5-men and 2-men championship clubs, also former all-events champion. No league average due to the fact that he tours the country giving exhibitions.

Texon Oilers and Halliburton Team Meet Here June 23

The Halliburton Cementers, of Duncan, Okla., national semi-pro baseball champion in 1939, will meet the strong Texon Oilers here on the afternoon of Sunday, June 23. They will play in Odessa on June 21-22.

The two teams met here last year with the Cementers coming out on the long end of a close game.

Most of the members of the Halliburton team have played at least Class-A1 baseball and this year there is not a rookie on the entire squad. The Cementers last year won the Wichita tournament for their national title, then played the first international (semi-pro) series in San Juan, Puerto Rico, losing to the Guayama Puerto Rico team, four games to two.

The team is managed by Joe Hassler, formerly with the St. Louis Browns and the Philadelphia Athletics as a third baseman. Last year, he was chosen the third baseman on the all-time, all-star Denver tournament. He is serving his sixth year with the club.

The line-up of the Cementers is sprinkled with former Texas League players. Outfielders Tony Governor and Bruce Sloan, catches Otto Utt and Mac Coppock, utility man Jess Welch, pitchers Jim Parker, Dick Stone, Mike Pruitt and Byron Chody and shortstop Cecil Smith all played with clubs in the Texas League.

Other members of the squad are Hugh Willingham, Gene Nance, Doc Graves, Clarence Struss, all who have played in high class professional leagues.

The Texon club for several years has been the top ranking semi-pro club in West Texas and is capable of holding its own with most of the semi-pro clubs of the country.

MOST MISSPELLED.

According to a test conducted among students in secretarial and business classes, the most frequently misspelled words are; procedure, lose, accommodate, benefited, adviser, affect, supersede, occurrence, and principal.

Friday's Game

AMARILLO, June 8. (Special). — The jinx that pursues Sammy Hale and his Midland Cowboys had a gala night here Friday night as the Amarillo Gold Sox won their fourth in a row over the Waddies, 11-3.

Bob Johnson, Cowboys' starting hurler, walked seven and made a wild pitch in the first inning which along with a double, the only hit of the frame, and a dropped ball on a cinch double play grounder gave the Sox a 6-0 lead.

Thereafter, with Paul Avedesian on the mound and Wilson at second base and Rowden catching, the Cowboys played a grand brand of ball and it was a 5-3 battle in the last eight innings with the Sox getting the long end of this scoring.

Chester Hill, towering Amarillo hurler, blanked the Waddies in all but the eighth when their three runs were scored on singles by DeGomez and Naranjo, a walk and an infield error.

The Midland outfield made nine putouts, nearly all of them being sensational catches and one each by Jordan and Naranjo being miracle successes of fence balls.

Score by innings:

Midland	000	000	030— 3 9 4
Amarillo	600	130	10x—11 8 2

B. Johnson, Avedesian and Wilson, Rowden; Hill and Ratliff.

SOFTBALL SCHEDULE

Continental—1
Humble—2.
Mustangs—3
City Cab—4
Jeff's—5
Mackey Motor—6
K. R. L. H.—7
Goldsmith—8.

Monday—June 10.
10 vs. 11
5 vs. 8
Tues.—June 11.
1 vs. 4
6 vs. 7
Wed.—June 12
9 vs. 10
1 vs. 2
Thurs.—June 13
3 vs. 4
7 vs. 8

Fri.—June 14.
2 vs. 3
7 vs. 8
Mon.—June 17.
11 vs. 9 (6:30)
Tues.—June 18.
2 vs. 3 (7:00)
7 vs. 5 (8:30)
Wed.—June 19.
9 vs. 11 (6:00)
1 vs 3 (7:30)
6 vs. 8 (9:00)
John P. Howe—9
United—10
Independents—11.

Week of June 10 to June 14—First game starts 5:30 called at 6:55.

Second game starts 7:05 called at 8:30.

Thurs.—June 20.
9 vs. 10 (6:30)
8 vs. 5 (8:00)
Fri.—June 21.
2 vs. 4 (7:00)
6 vs. 7 (8:30)
Mon.—June 4.
10 vs. 11 (6:00)
5 vs. 6 (7:30)
1 vs. 4 (9:00)
Tues.—June 25.
1 vs. 2 (7:00)
7 vs. 8 (8:30)
Wed. —June 26.
2 vs. 4 (6:00).
9 vs 11 (7:30)
7 vs. 5 (9:00)
Thurs.—June 27.
3 vs. 4 (7:00)
6 vs. 8 (8:30).
Fri.—June 28.
5 vs. 8 (7:00).
1 vs. 3 (8:30).

Coming Events

MONDAY.

The Presbyterian auxiliary circles will meet Monday as follows: Rachel circle with Mrs. Jack Hawkins, 803 North D, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon; Dorcas circle with Mrs. Andrew Fasken, 1511 W. Missouri, at 10 o'clock in the morning; Rebekah circle with Mrs. Bill Osborn, 809 W. Louisiana, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon; and Ruth circle with Mrs. J. L. Greene, 706 W. Louisiana, at 9:30 o'clock in the morning.

Methodist WMS will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for study on "Homeland Harvest."

Circles of the Baptist WMU will meet Monday as follows: Martha Holloway and Annie Barron circles with Mrs. Austin Flint, 719 West Louisiana, for Bible study at 8 in the morning with Mrs. S. L. Alexander teacher; Glenn Walker and Kara Scarborough circles with Mrs. R. O. Collins at 4 o'clock in the afternoon.

Business and Professional Women's club will have installation of officers at a dinner meeting in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer Monday evening at 7:30.

TUESDAY.

Altruists will meet for a social at the home of Mrs. J. R. Custer, 1703 W. Kentucky, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Maedelee Roberts will be cohostess.

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

Intermediate G.A. will meet at the Baptist church Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Geo. Grant teaching from "Darings in the Dawn."

WEDNESDAY.

Play Readers club will meet at the home of Mrs. Elliott Barron, 507 N. Loraine, Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Mrs. W. Watson LaForce will read.

THURSDAY.

Friendship club will meet with Mrs. A. E. Dixon, 210 East Kentucky, Thursday afternoon with a birthday party for Mrs. W. C. Moore.

FRIDAY.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Gladys Hoslter, 600 North A street, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The lesson will be taken from the first seven chapters of Leviticus.

Women's Golf Association will meet at the Country Club Friday morning at the usual hour for golf. A business meeting will be held at 12 o'clock and at one o'clock luncheon wil be served. Hostesses will be Mrs. R. T. Mobley, Mrs. Stanley Moore, Mrs. Frank Johnson, and Mrs. J. M. Kenderdine.

Junior G.A.'s will meet Friday with Mrs. R. O. Walker for a covered dish luncheon.

SATURDAY.

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

Bowling Team Enters Wichita Falls Meet

The Tot's Gulf Service station bowling team left Saturday for Wichita Falls where they will participate in a tournament there Saturday night. The team will compete again today, returning home tonight.

Those making the trip were Tot Watlington, Carroll Mitchell, Randolph Forrest, B. W. Stevens and Charles Edwards.

According to department of commerce reports, less than 250 planes are being exported monthly, while an estimated 1000 units are produced each month.

Home Demonstration Council Elects Delegates

Election of representatives to the Short Course at A&M headlined the meeting of the county home demonstration council at the courthouse, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Smith of Warfield was elected 4-H club girls' sponsor. She will attend the girls' meeting July 8-9, the girls who will accompany her to be chosen by scoring cards which the girls themselves made. Mrs. W. E. Pigg of Prairie Lee was chosen as alternate sponsor for the girls.

Women's representatives were chosen for the July 11-12 meetings.

Mrs. G. C. Brunson of Valley View was named to attend the State Land Use Planning meeting.

Official delegates elected to the State Home Demonstration Association meeting were Mrs. H. L. Albrecht of Westside club (Midland), Mrs. Tyson Midkiff of Greasewood club, and Mrs. John King of Cotton Flat.

Mrs. Neal Staton of Prairie Lee was elected short course representative to report on actual methods.

Mrs. Bill Houston of Warfield was chosen alternate to fill the place of any of the four last named delegates who might not be able to serve.

County home demonstration club presidents and council chairmen and education committee chairmen are called to meet in a session of the county land use planning committee at the courthouse Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. At this meeting, other members of the committe, representing the agricultural side of rural life will be present, along with state officers and district agents.

Mrs. H. L. Albrecht reported on the exhibits at the Dairy Show, explaining that 44 exhibits were on display. She reported that dairymen cooperated extensively with the clubwomen in their work and expressed appreciation for this.

Mrs. Tyson Midkiff reported a financial balance of nineteen dollars in the treasury.

Reporting for the education committee, Mrs. S. L. Alexander recommended that the council instruct delegates to the home demonstration meeting to vote against the motion that the State Home Demonsration Association should withdraw from the Association of Country Women of the World. The council voted to so instruct the delegates.

Mrs. W. R. Tillman, reporting for the mattress making demonstration, showed that 112 mattress applications for Midland county had been approved out of 115 applications made. She also reported that the committee women had met with the AAA committee to find a place in which to make the mattresses but so far had been unable to find a place

Mrs. Tillman was elected vic chairman of the council, taking th place of Mrs. W. B. Franklin wh resigned in May.

Mrs. Tyson Midkiff and Mrs. S L. Alexander were appointed as cooperative pineapple buying com mittee to investigate and arrang for buying if prices were 10 cent or below.

Mrs. Jeff King, Mrs. Tillman, an Mrs. J. E. Wallace were appointe a committee to investigate and re port on possible sites for the an nual encampment later in the sum mer.

Present were: Mrs. W. H. Lyn of Denton, Mrs. Dave Bizzell, an Mrs. W. J. Blancett, visitors, Mis Alpha Lynn, county home dem onstration agent, and the followin council members: Mmes. G. C Brunson ,Tyson Midkiff, J. D. Bart lett, S. L. Alexander, Jeff King John King, Dick Midkiff, J. E. Wal lace, Marvin Bramlett, W. R. Till man, H. L. Albrecht.

Water Saves Labor On Many Farm Homes

COLLEGE STATION. — A tendency to consider a farm home water system a luxury and not a labor saving device is gradually becoming overcome in Texas, according to M R. Bentley, agricultural engineer fo the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service.

He cites the paradox that while water is the most necessary and useful item around the home, many families give little attention to making the water supply convenient "Probably the heaviest work around the farm house is carrying in water or carrying out waste water. This heavy work may be lightened greatly by installation of a kitchen sink with water piped to it and a waste pipe to dispose of waste water," he says.

Contrary to popular belief, a simple water system of this type does not cost a great deal.

Where farmers wish to install home water systems and plan doing much of the labor themselves, they can consult "Waterworks for Texas Farm Homes" published by the Extension Service. This publication available free at the offices of county agricultural and home demonstration agents, includes information on wells and cisterns, diagrams of several simple water systems and necessary materials so that a farmer may estimate the cost of installation.

Additional information available includes complete plans for a one-home sewage disposal system obtainable from the Extension Service, and three Farmers' Bulletins Numbers 1426, 1448, and 1460, which may be secured from the United States Department of Agriculture.

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(79-2)

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CLOSE in apartment suitable for two. 122 South Marienfeld.
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(79-3)

6—Unfurnished Houses

FOR RENT: Five rooms; bath; double garage; vacant June 10. Phone L. T. Fowler.
(77-3)

UNFURNISHED house; convenient for renting bedroom; close in. Apply 408 North Big Spring.
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7—Houses for Sale

TWO new 4-room houses, $1,850.00 each; West Ohio. Phone 1490, Aldredge.
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FOR SALE: 5 rooms; bath; Venetian blinds; just completed; must be seen to be appreciated; bargain. Phone 123.
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7—Houses for Sale

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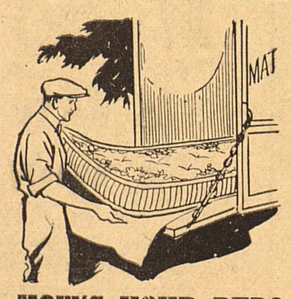
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LEGALS

No. 2637
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That by virtue of a certain Execution and Fee Bill issued out of the Honorable Justice Court of Brown County, on the 24th day of May, 1940, by E. T. Perkinson, a Justice of the Peace of said Justice Court, Precinct One, Brown County, Texas, for the sum of One Hundred and Twelve 81/100 ($112.81) Dollars less $50.81 credit paid April 9th, 1940, and costs of suit, under a Judgment, in favor of Walker-Smith Company, a Corporation, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 2637, and styled Walker-Smith Company, a Corporation, vs. Mrs. S. H. Hipps (a widow) and, placed in my hands for service, I, R. D. Lee, Constable of Midland County, Texas, did, on the 8th day of June, 1940, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Midland County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

All of lot Number 7, Block 158, Southern Addition to the town of Midland, in the County of Midland, Texas, and all improvements thereon, consisting of three small rent houses and out houses,

and levied upon as the property of Mrs. S. H. Hipps (a widow) and that on the first Tuesday in July, 1940, the same being the 2nd day of said month, at the Court House door, of Midland County, in the City of Midland, Texas, between the hours of 10 A. M. and 4 P. M., by virtue of said levy and said Execution and Fee Bill; I will sell said above described Real Estate at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Mrs. S. H. Hipps (a widow).

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Midland Reporter-Telegram, a newspaper published in Midland County.

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For County Judge:
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(Reelection)
For Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector:
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A. B. (Slim) STICKNEY
NORMAN L. WOODY
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A. R. (Slim) GREEN
For County Attorney:
MERRITT F. HINES
(Reelection)
JOSEPH H. MIMS
For County Clerk:
SUSIE G. NOBLE
(Reelection)
For County Treasurer:
LOIS PATTERSON
(Reelection)
For County Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1:
J. C. ROBERTS
(Reelection)
J. T. (Johnnie) JENKINS
BENNIE BIZZELL
A. M. (Arch) STANLEY
Precinct No. 2:
J. C. BROOKS
(Reelection)
Precinct No. 3:
ARTHUR JUDKINS
DONALD HUTT
G. T. CRAWFORD
Precinct No. 4:
J. L. DILLARD
(Reelection)
J. O. NOBLES, JR.
For Constable:
(Precinct No. 1)
R. D. LEE
(Re-election)
W. H. WESSON
For Justice of the Peace:
Precinct No. 1—Place No. 1:
J. H. KNOWLES
(Reelection)

Science Urged To Shift Work

TUCSON, Ariz. (UP).—Terming the search for synthetic materials and substitutes "misdirected energy and sensationalism," Dr. D T. MacDougal of the Carnegie Institution suggests that scientists instead devote themselves to solving the riddle of photosynthesis—the process by which energy is created in plant life.

"Once photosynthesis is understood so well as to be capable of duplication in our laboratories, there would be available continuing energy to such amount as to allow us to be totally indifferent to the state of our balance of store deposits of oil and coal," he said.

Key in Green Leaf.

Understanding and duplicating this process by which green leaves utilize sunlight for creation of energy would be of far greater significance than efforts for finding synthetic coal or oil, which, he said, are "misdirected energy and sensationalism."

Dr. MacDougal said the study of photosynthesis now was little above a "stalemate" because of the uncoordinated and piecemeal efforts of scientists. Actually, he said, the green leaf and its latent energy can take care of all the world's possible needs.

Dr. MacDougal, who is connected with the Carnegie laboratory at Carmel, Cal., commented that the world was making "poor use" of those things which science already had contributed.

Practical Results Stressed.

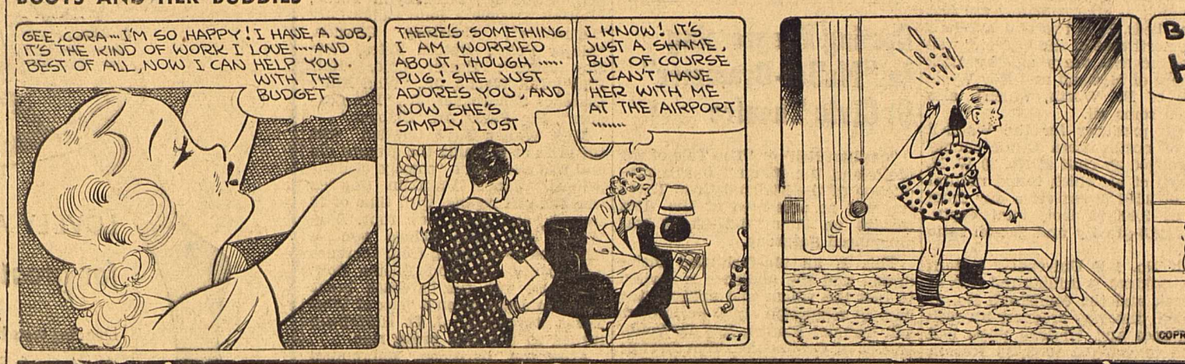
Bacteriologists and medical men have contributed valuable knowledge to the field of human health, but little use is made of these contributions, he asserted.

"If every person would follow definable precautions, all of the major bodily ailments except cancer and colds would dwindle into insignificance," he said.

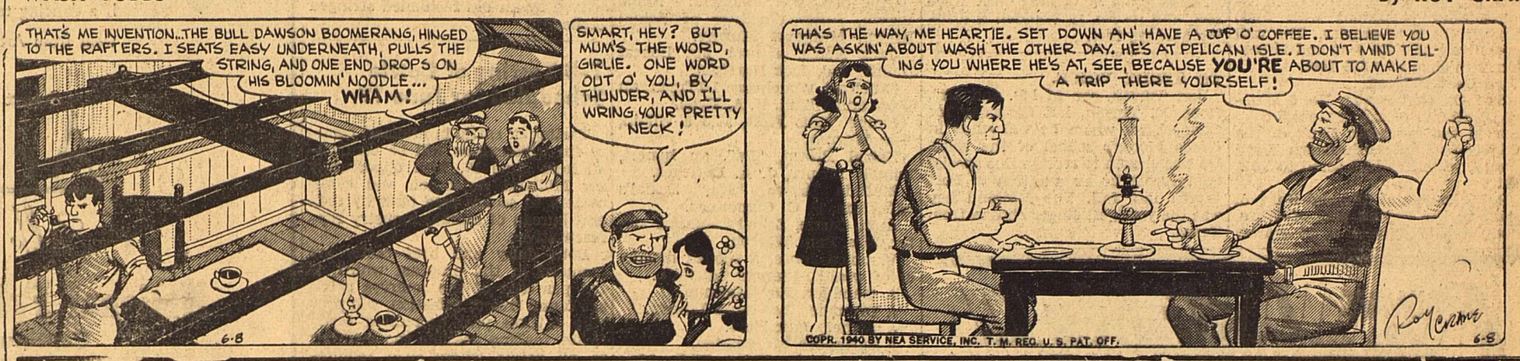
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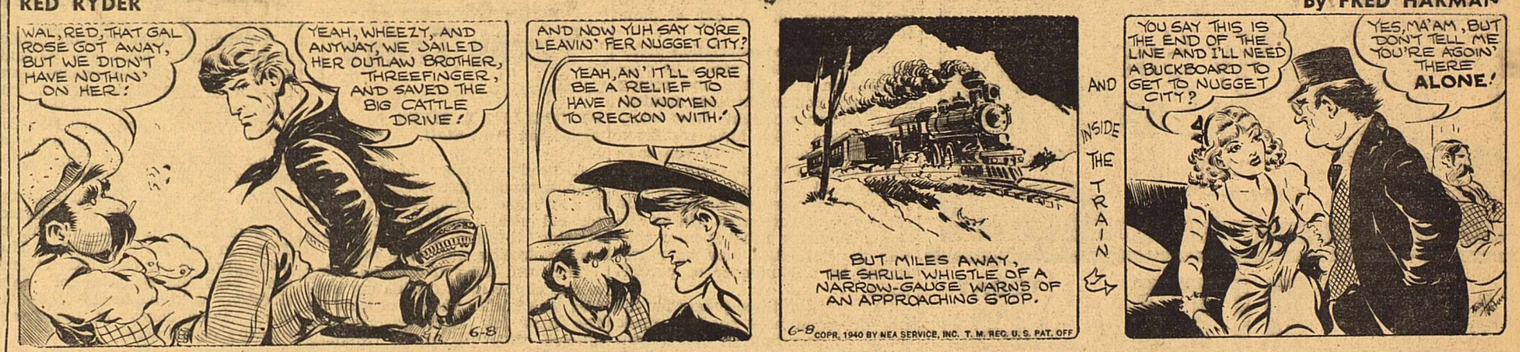
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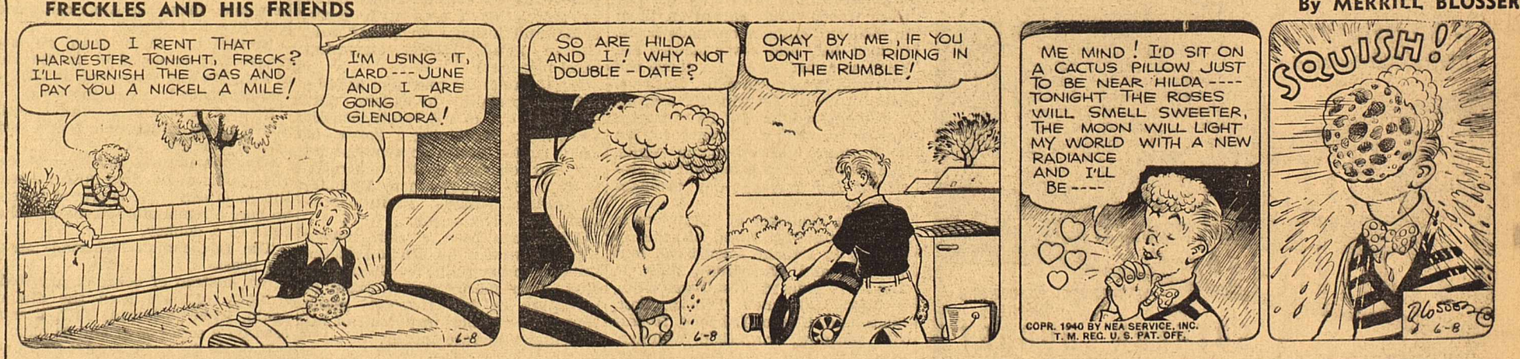
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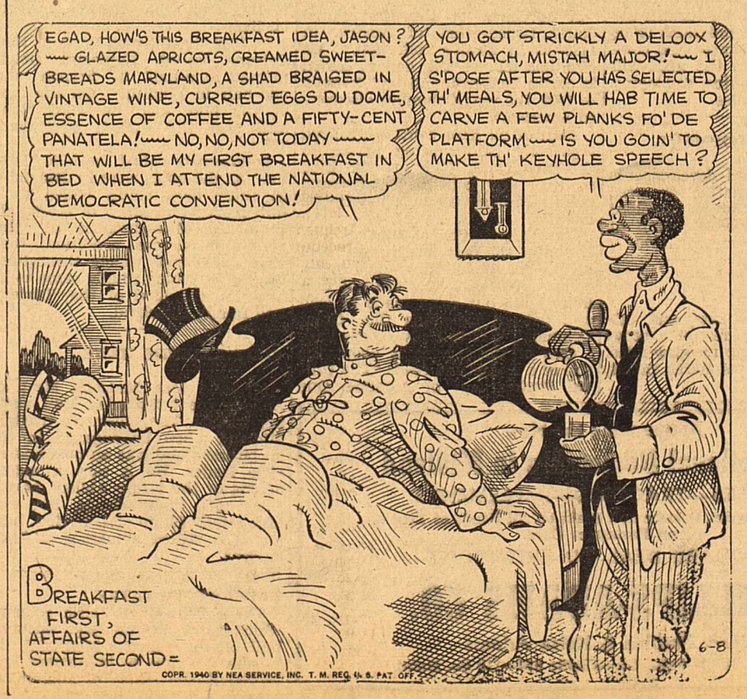
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OUT OUR WAY — By J. R. WILLIAMS



Oil News---

(Continued from page 1)

rels of new oil hourly on 12-hour test, bottomed at 4,425 feet and with tubing packer set at 4,284.

A north offset, Atlantic No. 1-2 University, is drilling salt and anhydrite past 2,320 feet, while the firm's No. 1-23 University, wildcat two miles to the south, is drilling plug from 13 3/8-inch casing set on bottom at 185 feet in red rock.

More Pay in Crockett Well.

Moore Exploration Company of Midland No. 1 A. C. Hoover, indicating opening of the third new pool in recent weeks in western Crockett county, showed good porosity and oil saturation in cores from 2,046-90 feet. Formation hardened at the latter point, and coring was halted at 2,100 feet. Operators now are preparing to cement oil string of casing at between 1,920 and 1,940 feet. The well previously had shown intermittent saturation and some porosity by coring from 1,920 to 2,046 feet.

Moore-Olson No. 1 Noelke-State, half-mile south outpost to the discovery producer of the shallow Soma pool in western Crockett, still is building road to location.

Plymouth No. 1 Richard Levy et al, northern Pecos county Ordovician wildcat, is drilling below 3,886 feet in chert.

Owen-Lancaster No. 3-G University, in the Taylor-Link pool of Pecos, pumped 100.78 barrels, net oil, plus eight per cent water, in 24 hours after treatment with 2,000 gallons. Oil is 31-gravity. The well topped pay at 1,625 feet and is bottomed in lime at 1,665 feet.

Ward Deep Wildcat.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 5 Wristen Brothers, closely watched deep test on the southeast flank of the Shipley pool in southeastern Ward county, yesterday had cored to 7,612 feet.

R. M. Barron of Midland No. 1 A. Blair, in the Payton pool of Ward, pumped 52½ barrels of 36-gravity crude on 24-hour Commission test at 2,180 feet in lime. It was shot with 130 quarts in pay zone topped at 2,042 feet.

Gulf No. 142 Hutchings Stock Association, in the North Ward field, was completed at 2,727 feet after a 160-quart shot for flow of 210.82 barrels of 33.4-gravity oil in 24 hours and gas-oil ratio of 1,658.1. Pay was entered at 2,679 feet.

In southern Winkler, Gulf No. 136 G. W. O'Brien et al is drilling at 2,628 feet in lime, still above the expected pay horizon.

Howard Wildcat Drilling.

C. T. McLaughlin & Company, Inc. No. 1 Pete Johnson, Howard county wildcat in section 34, bock 32, township 1 north, T.&P. survey, is drilling at approximately 850 feet in red beds. It is two and one-half miles northwest of the big "air" well drilled several years ago by Dick Graham of Midland and Roy Westbrook of Ft. Worth, which also showed some oil.

Large producer for the Waddell pool of northeastern Crane county was gauged by Gulf at No. 30 W. N. Waddell et al, which tested natural flow of 3,591.20 barrels a day from pay at 3,400-93 feet, total depth. Oil is 34.8-gravity and gas-oil ratio 163-1.

Gulf No. 1-F University, eastern Crane wildcat, is drilling red rock at 880 feet, and the company's No. 31 Waddell, discovery producer between the Dunes and Waddell pools had drilled unchanged to 3,735 feet in lime.

In western Crane, Gulf No. 5 M. B. McKnight is drilling past 6,606 feet, and its No. 12 Waddell is drilling at 4,185 feet.

TO STUDY VOICE.

Jim Turpin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. M. Turpin, left Saturday for Connecticut, where he will study in Grace Moore's school of the voice. He was chosen to receive this special opportunity at an audition in Fort Worth last fall. The Midland boy was the youngest singer chosen from Texas.

Midland Man Wins Award

President A. Morgan Duke of the Southland Life Insurance Company has announced that W. B. Harkrider of Midland has qualified not only for himself, but for his wife, for attendance at Southland Life's annual convention.

The convention will be held in Estes Park, Colo., August 25-30, and will include an entire week of vacation and instructive meetings.

Mr. Harkrider has been among Southland Life's leaders a long time and is also in line for a number of other honors to be bestowed on Southland Life's leaders.

Casting Progressing In "Meller-Drammer" Of Civic Theatre

"Orphan Nell" or "The Tale of the Moth and the Flame," fourth production of the Midland Civic Theatre, will be presented at the Rex theatre on June 26-27-28, it was announced Saturday.

This is an old-fashioned melodrama and the audience is invited to hiss the villian and applaud the hero in regulation style. Performers will include: Pianist, Roy DeWolfe; Master of Ceremonies, Tom Brown; male quartet, Lawrence Liberty, Roy Markum. Jack Hurt, Mr. Braden.

The cast will include: Nellie Brown, foster daughter of Zekial Brown, Margaret Murray.

Jack Noble, a poor but honest country lad, Jack Harrison.

Ethelbert Wodehouse LaTreen, an actor and villain, U. A. Hyde.

Squire Titus Flint, also a villain, Sam Warren.

Zekial Brown, "Pa", an honest, humble farmer, J. A. Deffeyes.

Matilda Brown, "Ma," Zekial's wife, Mrs. F. C. Cummings.

Aunt Carrie, Zekial's spinster sister, Mrs. Sam Warren.

Veronica Jones, a spoiled daughter of wealth, Frances Laughlin.

A Gambler, Roy Markum.

A Drummer, Lawrence Liberty.

A Waiter, Jack Hurt.

A Bartender, Mr. Braden.

Chorus Girls, Helen Kirk, Mrs. Johnny Sherrod, Mrs. Stanley Moore, Alma Heard, Granada Saye, Mrs. Virginia Jeffers, Mrs. Braden.

The Parson, Tom Brown.

A Sheriff, "Undecided."

A Drunk, "Not drunk enough yet"

The part of Bullicose-Skidbarr, a Philadelphia lawyer, is yet to be cast. The director is still searching for an actor for this role.

Lamesa Rodeo Is Slated June 19-20

LAMESA, June 8. — Plans for the annual Lamesa Rodeo were nearing completion this week as officials announced that arrangements had been made with Curley Daugherty, Olton rodeo stock man, for 195 head of bucking horses, roping calves, and Brahma steers. Two performances daily, afternoon and night, will be given on the day of June 19-20.

Bill Boyd, rodeo association president, said here this week that contestants in the riding and roping events are pouring in their applications, and that cowgirls from many West Texas cities have registered their intentions to enter the cowgirl contest, open to every cowgirl in the southwest, except those that have already won two first places in other shows. This event will be different from the usual sponsor contest in that cities may be represented by any number of participants.

Names of the three judges for the two-day event have not been made public at this time. A well-known cowband will play for both day's crowds.

Three saddles with the words "Lamesa Rodeo, 1940" carved on them in modern design, shop-made boots, Stetson hat, and silver spurs, are listed as awards over and above the $650 cash to be given daily. One saddle will go to the winning cowgirl. The other saddles will be given for the best two-day averages in the bronc-riding and calf-roping events. The other articles listed will be given for the best two-day averages in other events.

Lamesa Chamber of Commerce is cooperating with rodeo officials in helping to arrange a good-will tour Tuesday and Wednesday, June 11 and 12, to some 22 West Texas cities, including O'Donnell, Tahoka, Post, Southland, Slaton, Lubbock, Ropesville, Meadow, Brownfield, Wellman, Seagraves, Seminole, Gail, Snyder, Colorado City, Westbrook, Coahoma, Big Spring, Stanton, Midland, Odessa and Andrews. Hop Halsey, of Lubbock, with the famous Drugstore Cowboy band, will furnish the string music for the programs to be given in each city. Horses and cowgirls will accompany the good-will group of 20 to 30 autos, displaying two of the prize saddles.

GREATEST DEVELOPMENT.

The greatest of all developments in artificial illumination occurred when Thomas Alva Edison perfected the nicandescent electric lamp at Menlo Park, New Jersey, in 1879.

A MIXUP.

Muskrats are not rats, and although they closely resemble beavers, they are allied to meadow mice. Their furs are sold as marsh rabbit, Hudson seal, etc.

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ed out the contestants by nickname, as follows: Walter Fay Cowden, "Stamford Stomp"; Julianan Cowden, "Bean Pole"; Jeanne Davis, "High School Dutchess"; Fredda Fae Turner, "Sweetie Pie"; Barbara Jean Harper, "Knockout"; Virginia Street, "Altitude Dallas"; Eddye Gene Cole, who will become the bride of Tolbert Bell of El Paso Tuesday, "El Paso Belle"; Donna Downey, "Stumpy"; Mary Sue Cowden, "Suzie Q"; Jessa Lynn Tuttle, "Button Trouble"; John Dublin, Jr., "Dynamite"; Courtney Cowden, "Major Polo"; Button Estes, "Big Boy Texas"; Buster Cole, "Half-Pint"; Bill Wyche, Jr., "Wild Bill"; Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., "Big Leaguer"; Roy Parks, Jr., "Clabber."

Miss Walter Faye Cowden won the prize at catching the greased pig and was awarded a "corsage of dandelions." James Franklin Cowden won the calf roping, with time of 18 seconds, and got a new rope. Billy Wyche and John Echols won a mattched goat roping from Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., and Buster Cole. Billy also won the bareback bronc riding and was given a "box of West Texas stovewood." J. D. Heidelberg turned in the best bronc ride.

After the barbecue, impromptu boxing for both boys and girls was staged, followed by dancing to tunes played by an old fashioned stringed orchestra.

T-B Testing of Cattle Scheduled for June 17

Testing of cattle in Midland county for tuberculosis will be conducted here June 17, with opportunity for Midland ranchmen and cattle owners to secure free tests by federal bureau of animal industry representatives.

Both dairy and beef cattle are included in the program which, if ten per cent of the count'ys cattle are found free of infection, will provide a three year accredited certificate, making possible the shipping to all points where such requirements are in force.

County Agricultural Agent V. G. Young asked owners of both beef and dairy cattle who desire, or are willing, to cooperate in the program to list their cattle at his office, telephone 690, so that Dr. H. B. Giles, who will be here in person may have his route arranged, the work to start June 17.

Dairy cow owners who take advantage of the free tests may receive certificates which they need anyway to meet city ordinances. Ranchmen, or owners of beef cattle, may get the tests and thereby enable the county to remain in the accredited list for another three yea rperiod.

It is necessary that ten per cent of the cattle in the county be tested to asecure the certificate, the county agent said.

Texas Today

BY WILLIAM T. RIVES
Associated Press Staff.

A goodly number of the 6,000 numismaticians in the United States live in Texas, keeping an eye peeled for old nickles and quarters, subscribing to coin magazines, and communicating with each other.

They will tell you coin collecting is one of the most fascinating hobbies. The world's history, at least for the past few centuries, may be studied with particular emphasis with coins.

"It's remarkable the amount of history which can be remembered by associating events with faces, dates, and insignia on coins," said George Ewalt, retired Galveston hotel manager.

Ewalt values his collection at $25,000. He specializes in dollars. He can haul out of his safety deposit vault sacks containing a dollar of every United States government issue, and dollars of Spain, the Orient, Belgium, Sweden, Denmark, Holland, Switzerland, Russia, France, Portugal and other nations.

Ewalt has been a coin hunter since he viewed a collection at the Columbian exposition at Chicago in 1893. After more than 45 years of collecting he has traveled many thousands of miles in pursuit of interesting and rare money.

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His most valuable coin is an American dollar of 1794, the year the government first minted a series of dollars.

A specimen of the first dated dollar issued—that of Austria in 1482—is in Ewalt's collection. He also has one of the dollars issued in Spain by Ferdinand and Isabella in 1492, the year Columbus discovered America.

Each of his 5,000 coins is wrapped separately before being placed in the bank vault. They are classified so that any coin may be found readily through use of a descriptive index.

Ewalt's collection of trade dollars is one of the best in existence, and he also has some of the famed Bryan dollars. Actually, they are not dollars at all, but coins made of lead and pewter, ridiculing the Great Commoner's 16 to 1 silver ratio idea.

One of these coins is about the size of a saucer and reads "The United Snakes (cq) of America. One Dam."

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Another collector with a valued collection is Henry Elrod of Houston, consulting engineer who has bank notes and coins of almost every type issued in America.

Economists have written much about President Roosevelt's "59-cent dollar," but off-breed dollars were popular in 1789, Elrod said. In his collection is a note on the Bank of North America, dated April 11, 1789, for $53 and 87/90. The bank kept its account in 1/90 of a dollar units, making a "90-cent dollar."

Elrod also has a complete group of $5, $10, $20 and $50 notes issued at Houston on the government of Texas in the years 1838-39. The notes drew 10 per cent interest and some bear the signature of Sam Houston, written, however, by "a clerk named Jones" of the Texas treasury department.

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One of Elrod's favorite stories is that of an Englishman who swore he would "make the American eagle look like a jackass."

In 1869 the Englishman, an engraver, was employed in the Bureau of Printing and Engraving at Washington, where he made the boast.

No one paid any attention until a new series of $10 bills was issued several months later.

Someone noticed that, when one of the bills was turned upside down, the American eagle engraved thereon bore a remarkable likeness to the head of a donkey.

The Englishman had made good his boast.

But, instead of being discomfited, treasury officials used the design again. Even as late as 1917, it was used on a series of $1 and $2 bills.

It made the notes harder to counterfeit, officials said.

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Elrod also explained the origin of the popular term "Dixie," applied to the land below the Mason-Dixon line.

In 1852 the Citizens Bank of New Orleans issued 10-piastre notes, printed one-half in French and one-half in English. On the face of the note was the word "ten" and also the French equivalent, "Dix."

Southerners called the bills "Dixies." As the notes were in demand—in those days states issued their own money and much of it was almost worthless—because of the bank's prosperous condition, they were distributed widely throughout the South, which finally came to be know as the land of the "Dixies," and finally Dixieland.

VISIT FRIENDS HEHE

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Meek of Abilene spent Saturday here visiting friends. They formerly lived in Midland when he engaged in the oil business and was an outstanding civic leader. He is now president of one of the larger Abilene banks. They met their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Shipp of Longview, here and also visited numerous Midland citizens.

REPRESENT STATES.

The colonnade of Doric columns which surround the large enclosed hall of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington are 48 in number and represent the states of the union.

ADMIRAL DIES

WASHINGTON, June 8 (AP) — Admiral Hugh Rodman, 81, commander of the navy division which joined the British grand fleet during the world war, died here today.

Egg, Poultry Consumption Up.

NEW YORK. (UP).—The consumption of eggs and poultry per capita in the United States is steadily rising. The average man, woman and child consumes 25 dozen eggs a year, more than 22 pounds of poultry and three pounds of turkey, according to the American Poultry Journal.

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California Marriages Slump

SACRAMENTO, Cal. (U.P.) — As a result of California's "gin marriage" law, requiring three days notice of intention to wed, and the latest law requiring medical examination before marriage, the state's marriage rate has decreased 36 per cent. Nearby states, including Oregon, Nevada and Arizona, report more marriages.

Ability Plus For Coach

PHILADELPHIA (U.P.) — Max Younger, Temple University gymnastics coach, is supervisor of the intra-mural program, girls' fencing coach, former baseball, basketball, swimming, wrestling, boxing and track mentor, and an expert window dresser, sign painter and musician.

Phillips and Adams Open Motor Company

Jerry Phillips and Kelso Adams Saturday announced the opening of the Phillips-Adams company, dealers in International trucks, tractors and implements.

General repairs on all International machinery will be made at the company's location at 110 S. Baird street.

The public is invited to inspect the location of the company's plant.

May Is Month of Many Births in the County

Births in Midland county set a new high mark during the month of May, according to Newnie Ellis, vital statistics keeper. There were 39 births reported, compared with seven deaths.

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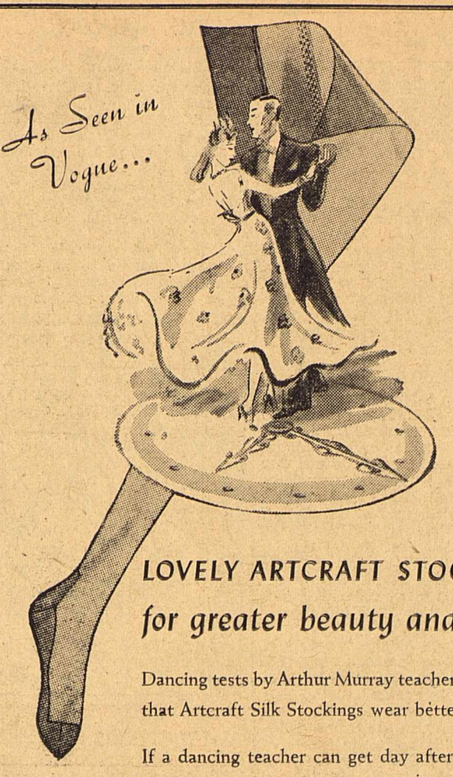
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REAL ESTATE HOME OWNER'S and BUILDER'S PAGE

Accomplishments of Christian Church, Spiritually and Materially, Under Present Pastorate Are Recounted

"The accomplishments of the First Christian church have been many during the last five and one-half years. The church has grown in every department of both spiritual and material efforts, until it has become one of the leading institutions of influence in the city of Midland. The membership and friends of the church now worship in one of the most beautiful and worshipful plants to be found in West Texas," a spokesman declared in describing the work of the institution.

Some four years ago the church completely remodeled the worship building at a cost, with that of the educational department in the rear, of some $7000. The church made notes for the balance due after paying some $1700 in cash to be payable over a period of five years. The last of these notes were paid in full at the end of twenty-five months.

Other projects installed and paid for during this period have been as follows: A new roof placed on the church at a cost of $350; a beautiful neon sign with the white cross in front of the church building with an estimated value of $250; a modern and satisfactory Airtempt automatic heating system in the worship auditorium with an estimated vale of $2000, installed at an actual cost to the church of $650. The street on the north side of the church paved at a cost of $450. All of these items have been paid for in full, and many projects of lesser cost have been accomplished. The church boasts perhaps the most beautiful art windows to be found in the state. The value of the art windows alone is estimated to be well worth and in actual cost over $7000.

The new First Christian church parsonage is the latest project. A full description of the parsonage is given in this issue of the Reporter-Telegram. The membership of the church is completely furnishing the parsonage with handsome furnishings in every respect.

The need for this new parsonage has been felt for some time. A fund was started by a gift of $350 by one of the members two years ago. The dream of the church was realized when one of the Elders and chairman of the church board, George Ratliff, gave a spacious location for the building.

"But the material accomplishments of the church are only a small part of the progress of the church. The spiritual growth has been outstanding," the spokesman continued. "The pastor, Rev. John E. Pickering, has taught his people that a steady, sure growth is always best in the end and for any church or people. Among the membership of the church are to be found numbers of the most influential citizens of the city. Among them are to be found doctors, lawyers, ranchers, farmers, merchants, executives of all kinds of business, clerks, mechanics, automobile dealers, salesmen and saleslades, oil dealers, owners and managers, etc., and practically every position and vocation of life."

The Sunday School is headed by a well known cattleman of the county, H. G. Bedford. The school has departments from the beginners through the adults. Modern and comfortable rooms and worship places are provided for each department and class, though more department and class room is needed, and will be provided when the church has paid for the project of the new parsonage.

Beside the Bible school the church auxiliaries are a missionary society headed by Mrs. Charles Klapproth, with three circles which include all the women of the church; a Young People's organization headed by Jimmy Pickering, president of the youth of the church, and a capable choir under the direction of Mrs. Lee Cornelius, with Billy Noble, a University of Texas student, in charge during the summer months, while Mrs. Cornelius is out of the city studying.

"The church has a membership of some five hundred members, and because of her spiritual and material efforts in the city's life, has rightfully and worthily won a deep place in the hearts of her citizens."

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ATTRACTIVE NEW PARSONAGE IS PLANNED FOR PASTOR'S NEEDS

BY KATHLEEN EILAND

The new parsonage of the First Christian church, just completed at 403 N Marienfeld, has been built with the needs of the pastor and his family in mind. In fact the home, costing approximately $7,000, was constructed according to a design by the Christian Board of Erection for a parsonage.

Chiefly of two-tone tan brick with white trim, the parsonage has six rooms and two baths, the north wing with guest room and bath, dining room and kitchen, connected with the south wing of two bedrooms and bath by means of the north-south living room and front and back porches.

The long, narrow front porch, reminiscent of the ranch house style, is floored with concrete and backed by a house-wall of white-painted wood, contrasting with the brick tones of the house wings which project to shelter it. A copper lantern lights the single low step which leads upward from the porch to the living room.

In the living room, as elsewhere in the house, the wide windows are equipped with white Venetian blinds. The room is distinguished by the use of knotty pine in Southern cabin fashion for the west wall, opposite the front door, in contrast to the stippled finish of the other three walls. Set into the west wall is a double fireplace ,opening both into the livingroom and onto the back porch which is equipped for outdoor cookery. White-finished bookcases are used on either side of the fireplace.

Painting of Pastor

Dominant point in wall treatment for this room is the large oil painting of Rev. John E. Pickering in a hunting scene. The work of Mrs. G. H. Butler, the picture shows Mr. Pickering in hunting attire firing at ducks. A colorful country scene is background for the portrait, which is complete in sporting atmosphere, even to the hunter's dog.

Here and throughout the house, except for those rooms where inlaid linoleum is used, the floors, all of double hardwood, are laid with thick-piled rugs.

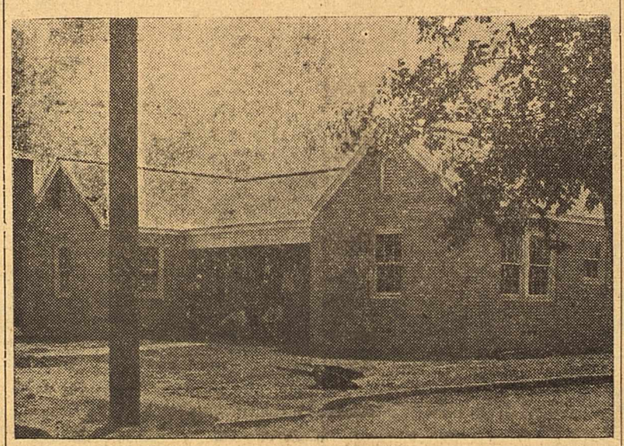
A long divan and comfortable chairs, floor lamps, and a desk predict that the living room will really be lived in.

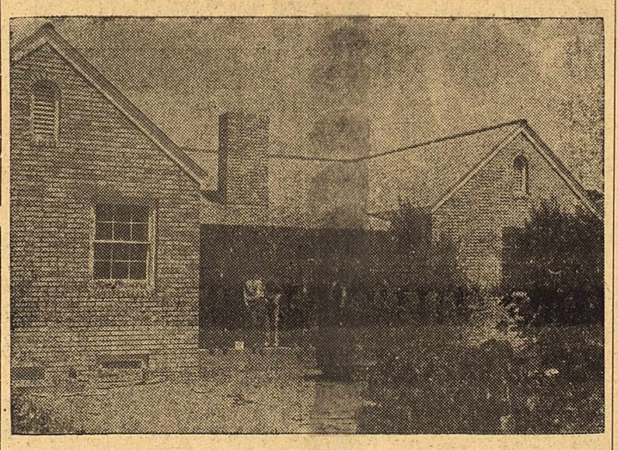
An individual note is struck in several of the rooms by the use of lighting fixtures in colors to match with the color scheme of the rooms.

The northeast bedroom is designed as a guest room, with outside entrance to the front porch. Peach and blue are favored colors here, with the wallpaper stressing these two shades while the ceiling is of soft blue. Peach bedspread and a blue rug further the scheme, and the bedroom suite is of conservative modern design. The bath, with shower, has a pale blue paper sprinkled with peach and silver stars.

In this bedroom, as in others in the house, the "double closet" with space for shelves and clothes hangers at either end, and a tall set of open shelves in the center, is used. "I won't need to put a thing on the floor" was the pleased comment of the master occupant of the new house, when viewing this decided improvement in closet construction.







Pictured above, at top, is the First Christian church showing the distinctive neon sign and white cross which has been erected during the pastorate of Rev. John E. Pickering. The center picture is a front view of the new parsonage, costing approximately $7,000 which the church has just completed at 403 N. Marienfeld. The lower picture is a rear view of the parsonage showing the back porch equipped with outdoor fireplace for informal entertaining. Open house will be held at the parsonage Monday evening and the public is invited to inspect the new residence into which Rev. and Mrs. Pickering and their family will move later in the week.

Middle room of the three in the north wing is the dining room, with wide windows, stipped walls, and a roomy built-in cabinet for those dishes and linens which may overflow the long buffet. The dining room suite is in modified Hepplewhite design.

Strictly modern in treatment is the kitchen ,even to its color scheme of ruby red and white. The north wall, except for a window over the sink, is devoted to built-in cabinets, while an electric refrigerator and a gas range (the latter with a particularly convenient grill that delights the mistress of the house) are high points in the furnishing. The room is roomy enough to provide space for the breakfast set, flaunting the ruby red again in its decorations, as does the top of the cabinet. Red and silver are featured in the wallpaper. A clever ironing board which has the unusual virtue of being swiveled from one position to another, is a convenient built-in feature.

The entire house is to be warmed by a modern and improved system of gas heaters with floor grating outlets.

In the south wing of the parsonage,. the east bedroom is the "blue room" as that color is featured. It will be occupied by the two small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Pickering and is furnished with twin beds and other furniture in a simply-designed style of Early American maple. Colonial spreads for the beds, stress the American note in the room.

The small hallway connecting the rooms of this wing has a pull-up seat beside the telephone niche—especially convenient if over-the-wire conversations prove long.

The bath in this section of the house is in pale green paper above the white wainscot-high finish. A roomy built-in clothes hamper is one of the features of the room.

On the southwest, the large master bedroom has been finished with green as the favored color, the pale-green paper having bouquets of flowers in faint pastels as the design.

Outdoor Fireplace

This room, as well as the dining room, has a door opening onto the long, narrow back porch, where a large fireplace provides space for cooking for family or church picnics, steak fries, and weiner roasts, with the back yard serving as a convenient gathering place.

A garage, with brick decoration to match the house, and a wash house are included at the rear of the dwelling.

The front yard looks to keeping of a velvety lawn, with a sprinkler system installed in the ground for convenient watering of the grass.

The church has attractively and handsomely furnished the parsonage, and the new home will be opened for an open house Monday evening, with all church members and the general public invited to inspect it.

Rev. and Mrs. Pickering and their family will move into the house later in the week.

Christian Pastor



Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor of the First Christian church, has a lengthy record of ministry, including: Two years with United Christian Missionary Society as missionary to the French field in southern Louisiana; four years as pastor of the First Christian church of Logansport, La.; five years as pastor of the Riverside Christian church of Fort Worth, Texas; six years as pastor of the First Christian church of Midland.

He served four years as member of Texas Christian University executive committee and is now president of district four of the Texas Christian Church Convention, and executive member of the State Board of Christian Churches for West Texas district.

He is chairman of the Court of Honor for District Boy Scouts of America.

He serves as secretary of the Ministerial Association of Midland.

Mr. Pickering is a graduate of the University of Mississippi with special work and degrees at Texas Christian University.

Pastor Praises Official Board of Christian Church

"Too much praise and credit cannot be given to the membership of the official board of the First Christian church who have in a large measure made possible and are responsible for the many projects and accomplishments of the local church," asserted Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor. "Headed by Mr. George Ratliff, the members meet at two o'clock each first Sunday afternoon, or upon special call by the chairman or pastor of the church. The Board is divided into two groups, that of the Board of Elders who have charge of all the spiritual activities of the church and by the Board of Deacons who have charge of all the material and financial activities of the church.

Mr. Pickering, in commenting about the Board, continued, "It is certainly my opinion that it would be very difficult indeed to find a more loyal and faithful and efficient body of men to carry forward the work of Christ. They are conservative, working and planning the causes of the Kingdom, yet always most liberal in their opinions and efforts. The spirituality of the men who are our Board of Elders is

(See CHURCH BOARD, page 2)

Open House Will Be Held Monday at New Christian Parsonage

The new parsonage of the First Christian church, 403 N Marienfeld is completed, and furnishings have been placed and the church is extending "open house" to the entire public Monday evening from 7 to 10 o'clock. There will be no formal invitations mailed to anyone, it has been stated, in order that the invitation may go to the entire public to attend the opening.

The "open house" is sponsored by the missionary society of the church with Mrs. Charles Klapproth, president, in charge. It is earnestly desired by the church and every organization of the church that the public will accept this open invitation as a personal one to each individual, regardless of church membership or non-membership.

The invitation is given in this manner in order that the general public may be included, and that they may have the privilege of visiting and inspecting the beautiful home, Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor, declares.

Committees Handle Plans for Parsonage

The committees for the parsonage who were appointed by the church board and accepted by the congregation are as follows: General contractor and supervisor of building and grounds, Guy Brenneman; building committee for the church board for construction, H. G. Bedford, Woody Strader; finance committee, James H. Goodman, chairman ,E. G. Bedford, George Ratliff, E. G. Bedford, Woody Strader, R. Z. Dallas, Mrs. Charles Klapproth, Mrs. Frank Williamson, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. B. W. Stevens and members of the Board of Deacons; furniture committee, Mrs. G. H. Butler, Mrs. Charles Klapproth and Miss Elma Graves; light fixture committee, Mrs. Clinton Myrick, Mrs. John E. Pickering and Guy Brenneman; committee for selection of wall paper and fixtures, Mrs. Clinton Myrick, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. John E. Pickering.

Building Permits For Year Run to Total of $486,415

Building permits for the past two weeks, hitherto unlisted, brought the 1940 total to $486,415, a report by City Building Instpector W. F. Prothro showed Friday afternoon.

For the week ending May 31, permits amounted to $33,625 and for the week ending June 7 the total was $17,400.

Jobs included in the two weeks follow:

Magnolia Petroleum Co., Moody addition, service station, $1,300.

Tom Sealy, 410 South L, frame and brick residence and garage, $8,000.

Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer, 112 West Missouri, addition to Reporter-Telegram building, brick, $2,000.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., 1204 West Kentucky, residence $2,800.

I. W. Watson, Moody addition, moving building, $125.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., 1208 West Kentucky, residence, $2,800.

Texas Company, brick service station, 400 West Wall, $6,350.

First Christian Church, brick and frame dwelling, 403 North Marienfeld, $6,250.

P. J. Mitchell, 1800 West Texas, dwelling and garage, $4,000.

L. C. Hamilton, 410 North Main, addition to residence, $500.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., residence, 1211 West College, $2,800.

Harry B. Prickett, 1006 West Illinois, residence and garage, $3,900.

Palette Club, 604 North Colorado, studio, $600.

L. C. Thomas, 1106 West Missouri, addition to residence, $1,000.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., 1404 West College, residence and garage, $3,600.

John M. Rush, residence and garage at 704 West Cuthbert, $5,000.

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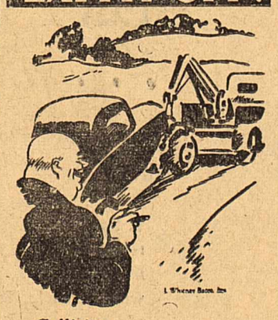
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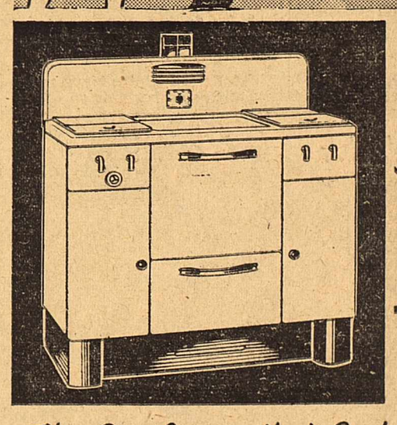
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Authorization to Begin Work On 11 WPA Projects Is Granted

SAN ANTONIO.—Authorization to begin work on eleven WPA projects, involving expenditures of $355,804 in Work Projects Administration funds, and $257,605 supplied by local governmental agencies, has been given Texas district managers, it was announced today by Stearns S. Tucker, deputy state administrator.

Authorized projects were listed as follows:

BEXAR COUNTY

Eliminate unsanitary devices in rural and suburban areas of the county where sewer systems are impractical; WPA funds, $53,977; funds supplied by the county and the State Health Department, $33,950; workers, 84.

CHILDRESS COUNTY

Improve roads in Precinct 1; work to include construction of 38 masonry structures, reconstruction of bridge approaches, and widening of shoulders and flattening of slopes; WPA funds, $48,879; funds supplied by the county, $21,590; workers, 77.

GILLESPIE COUNTY

Improve Cherry Spring-Llano road in Precinct 4; WPA funds, $12,833; funds supplied by the county, $8,849; workers, 40.

HARRIS COUNTY

Reconstruct and improve roads throughout Precinct 2; WPA funds, $145,437; funds supplied by the county, $78,696; workers 303.

MASON COUNTY

Improve State Highway 161 by construction of flexible base and double asphalt surface treatment; WPA funds, $11,305; funds supplied by the State Highway Department, $38,651; workers, 65. Services of a contractor will be utilized by the sponsoring agency on this project.

MATAGORDA COUNTY

Improve Allenhurst road in Precinct 1; WPA funds, $2,453; funds supplied by the county, $2,633; workers, 21.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Improve roads near Willis in Precinct 1; WPA funds, $27,777; funds supplied by the county, $24,683; workers, 52.

SAN AUGUSTINE COUNTY

Eliminate unsanitary devices throughout rural and suburban areas where sewer systems are impractical; WPA funds, $15,852; funds supplied by the county and the State Health Department, $8,097; workers, 44.

SAN SABA COUNTY

Improve State Highway 16 by construction of flexible base and double asphalt surface treatment from Llano-San Saba county line to 15 miles south of San Saba; WPA funds, $4,175; funds supplied by the county and the State Highway Department, $16,685; workers, 46.

SHACKLEFORD COUNTY

Improve Albany-Ibex road in Precinct 1; WPA funds, $20,706; funds supplied by the county, $15,969; workers, 44.

UPSHUR COUNTY

Eliminate unsanitary devices throughout rural and suburban areas of county where sewer systems are impractical; WPA funds, $15,360; funds supplied by the county and the State Health Department, $7,802; workers, 42.

Boy Plunges to Death When Warned of Dog

LONDON (U.P.) — Fear of dogs was responsible for the death of 6-year-old Michael Peter Saunders.

With a small girl companion, he was watching pumpers at work drying air raid shelters when a cry of "Mind the dog," made him step backward — into an open manhole.

Church Board---

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of the highest type, and each man on the board who directs the spiritual life of the church is a most worthy citizen of our city and of the Kingdom of God—men whose word is as good as their note or bond. The Board of Deacons have been selected for their devotion to the cause of Christ and the belief of the church that they will put forth their best efforts in the building in a material and financial way the Kingdom of God. As their pastor I am proud of this group of men. They have cooperated with me in every way, with not one dissenting vote these some six years."

"The Board of the church is as follows: George Ratliff, chairman; Elders, George Ratliff, T. B. Wadley, B. F. Whitefield, H. G. Bedford, W. S. Elkin, E. G Bedford, B. W. Recer and Woody Strader; Deacons, Aldridge Estes, William Blevins, Lee Cornelius, Buster Howard, John R. Crump, Zack Reader, Dr. L. B. Pemberton, Lynn Butler, J. H. Goodman, F. C. Cummings, S. E. Mickey, Rex Sackett, John P. Howe, and R. Z. Dallas.

Stockton Delegation Advertises Water Show

Advertising the fifth annual water carnival in "King Neptune's Court," a delegation of Fort Stockton citizens visited Midland briefly Friday afternoon, distributed literature and extended personal invitation to Midlanders to visit there June 13, 14, 15 and 16.

Swimming and diving exhibitions will be staged twice daily June 14 and 15 by the nationally renowned Texas University team, featuring Jane Dillard, foremost aquatic star. Amateur aquatic contests for all ages, with handsome cups and medals for the winners, will be carded.

On the entertainment program will be the Tucker Twins, "the singing sweethearts of Texas," who were recently in Midland for the Lions convention. Free parade at 10 a.m., June 14, a Calcutta pool at the Spring City Golf Club June 14-16, two big danes, firemen's raes and other entertainment comprise the added attractions.

More Cooperate On AAA Program

COLLEGE STATION.—With an estimated 40,000,000 acres of cropland and 85,000,000 acres of rangeland signed up under the AAA for 1940, officials here believe participation in the program will be the largest of any year since the program began.

Latest reports indicate that more than 414,000 Texas farms will operate under Agricultural Conservation Program in 1940, an increase over the 1939 participation of nearly 4,000 while approximately 1,200 additional ranches will practice range-improvement measures under the Range Conservation Program, bringing the number of ranches cooperating to 26,000.

To these farmers and ranchmen will go the greater portion of the $89,000,000 available to Texas for full participation in the AAA program, George Slaughter, chairman of the state committee, pointed out. Full cooperation requires planting within soil-depleting acreage allotments and earning the maximum available for soil-building and range improvement work by adopting specific conservation practices.

In the range program the entire payment is made for conservation work done, while in the farm program part of the payment is made for soil-building work and part for taking a portion of the cropland out of soil-depleting crops.

The United States Navy now has eight blimps on hand or on order.

Here's Mud in Your Eye



A composite picture, with Dr. Don Kudner of Jackson, Mich., firing, shows what a perfect shot does to a clay pigeon in skeet.

Europe Burns More U. S. Coal

WASHINGTON. (UP) —Outbreak of the European war precipitated a sharp increase in European consumption of American coal for the first time in many years, according to Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes.

Europe imported 112,338 gross tons of American bituminous coal in March, 1940, compared with an average of 833 gross tons a month in 1938. There were no shipments in 1939 until after war was declared in September. In 1938, all shipments of American coal went to France, but since the war began Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Italy, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, Russia and Iceland have begun using coal produced in this country.

Shipments to South America have increased, likewise, with Argentina, Brazil and Chile accounting for virtually all of the increased exports. American mines shipped 148,441 gross tons to South American ports in March, against an average of 18,494 gross tons a month in 1938.

European imports, it was believed, increased because producers in Western Europe ceased operations or curtailed their production as the war spread.

Despite augmented shipments to Europe and South America, however, America's total coal shipments have been reduced since Nov., due to diminished shipments to Canada, Ickes said. Total exports amounted to 512,390 gross tons in January, 510,237 in February and 602,037 in March.

Under normal circumstances, Canada is the best market for United States coal. Canadian industries and other Canadian coal consumers imported an average of 711,289 gross tons monthly in 1938 and 742,181 gross tons monthly in 1939. Imports of American coal this year have been cut drastically. Canada took 290,148 in February and 292,032 gross tons in March.

Dignity to Oust Hot-Dog Vendors From Convention

PHILADELPHIA. (UP). — Because dignity will be the watchword, hot-dog and other noisy vendors will be barred from the Republican National Convention here June 24.

"In the interest of dignity," explained Walter Alessandroni, secretary of the citizens committee in charge of convention arrangements, "the committee will sacrifice some income. Hence there will be few concessions.

"No sales of souvenirs will be permitted in Convention Hall and food will be on sale only in the cafeteria and restaurant in the hall. Soft drinks will be on sale at booths off the floor."

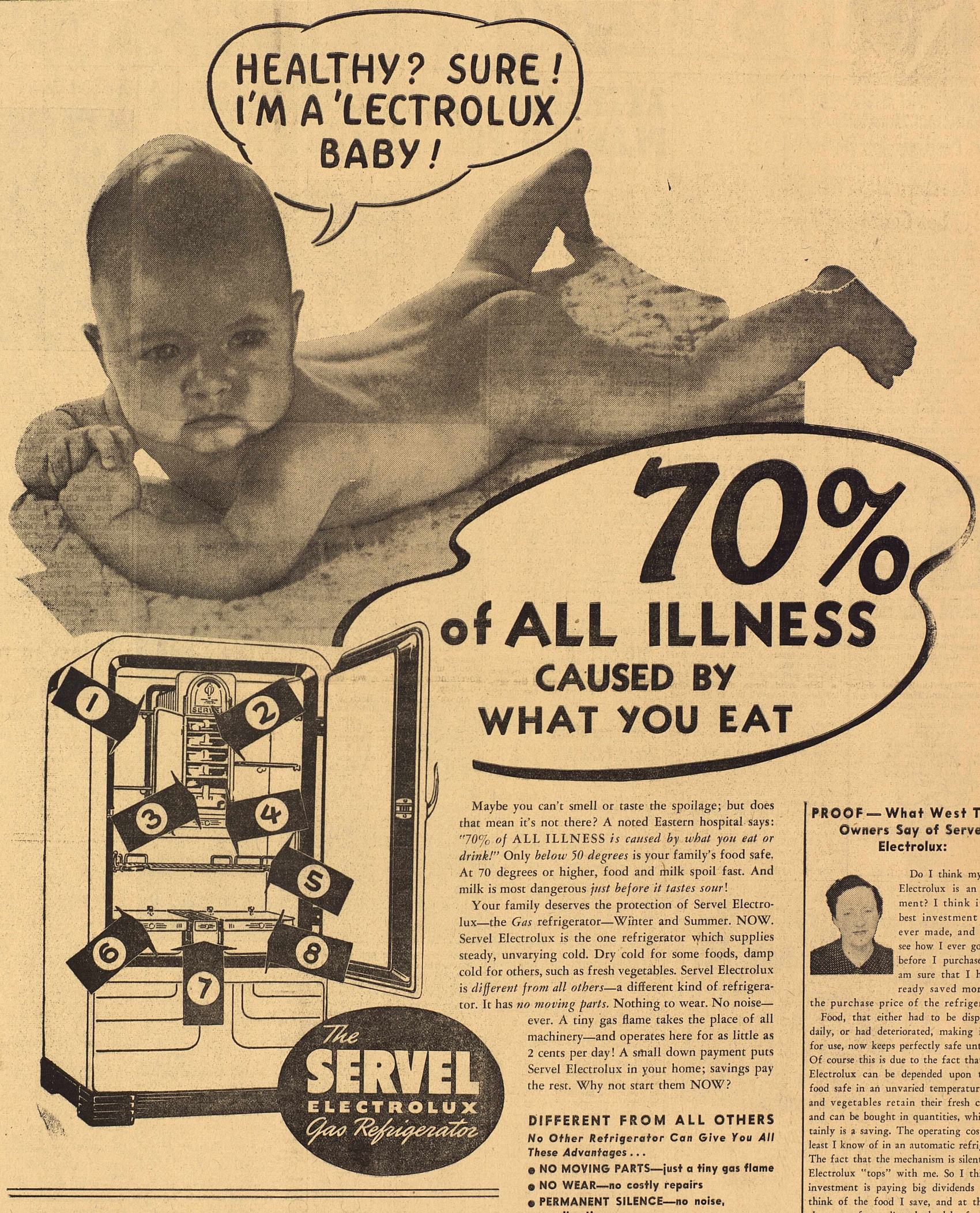
Rat's milk, according to findings of scientists, is much richer in fats and proteins than is cow's milk.

Police Suffer Damages Battling Two Amazons

MOBILE, Ala. (U.P.) — A Mobile officer lost his trousers halting a fight—and another lost his $1[illegible] spectacles.

Motorcycle officers Cecil McAuley and Henry Franelich were sent to the negro section to break up a fight between two women. In the augmented scuffle Franelich had his trousers torn off and McAuley's glasses were smashed.

The women were fined $25 and costs in recorder's court.



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MRS. WILL CROWDER,
Rt. 1, Quanah, Texas.

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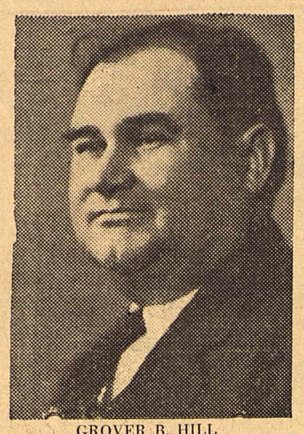
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National Officials to Attend Range Conference Here



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Representatives of the United States Department of Agriculture who will address the National Range Conference, opening here June 24 and ending at San Angelo June 28, will include R. M. Evans, national AAA administrator, Grover B. Hill, assistant secretary of agriculture, and I. W. Duggan, director of the southern region of the AAA. The tour will be attended by livestock men and ranchers from all of the western states, also by extension service and agricultural leaders of the southwest. A barbecue at Midland will start the five day tour which will show the visitors the beneficial range conservation work of West Texas.

Southeastern New Mexico Spotlight on New Arrowhead Pool of Lea County as Two Big Oilers Are Gauged

HOBBS, N. M., June 8. — The new Arrowhead pool of Lea County claimed the spotlight this week in Southeastern New Mexico developments as two large producers were gauged.

The larger of the two wells, Continental Oil Company No. 7-J-2 State, in section 1-22s-36e, tested natural flow of 120 barrels of oil per hour for two hours, through 3/4-inch choke on 2-inch tubing set at 3,775 feet. Gas volume was 1,400,000 cubic feet daily. Sandy lime pay was topped at 3,735 feet, and hole is bottomed in lime at 3,781 feet.

In the same section, Gulf Oil Corporation No. 10-E Mattern also was completed naturally, flowing 1,248 barrels in 18 hours through open 2 1/2-inch tubing set at 3,781 feet, with perforations in tubing from 3,776 to 3,781 feet. It made 73 barrels the first hour, and gas gauged 2,110,000 feet a day. Pay was logged from 3,720 to 3,790 feet, the total depth, in lime.

Deep Test Plugging Back.

Gulf No. 1 Amanda E. Drinkard, scheduled 5,000 - foot Hobbs lime test in the Skelly area of Lea, halted drilling at 3,958 feet in lime and is plugging back to 3,945 feet. By plugging back, operator hopes to exclude sulphur water encountered from 3,947 to 3,958 feet. A test at the latter point revealed one bailer of sulphur water after three and three-quarter hours of bailing. The next two hours the well bailed eight gallons of oil and 32 gallons of sulphur water.

The well previously had drilled soft, gray, oil sand from 3,794 to 3,804 feet, bailing five gallons hourly. It drilled soft lime from 3,736 to 3,742 feet, drilled ahead to 3,877 feet, and bailed dry. After a one-hour shutdown, it bailed two gallons of water and two and one-half gallons of basic sediment and oil the first hour; one gallon and no water the second hour. Operator is said to contemplate shooting or acidizing zone from 3,794 to 3,804 feet which showed oil. The horizon is deeper than any other yet found in the area. No. 1 Drinkard is located 1,980 feet from the south and east lines of section 25-22s-37e.

A short west outpost to the South Eunice field of Lea, Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-B Closson, in section 18-22s-36e, had drilled without showing to 3,644 feet in lime.

Two Failures in Loco Hills.

New work this week in the district was slightly off, Eddy County gaining only two starts and Lea three.

Semi-wildcat for Eddy was started by Brewer Drilling Company of Artesia at No. 1 Creek, 330 feet out from the north, 990 from the east line of section 23-18s-30e. It is one-half mile east of Kersey No. 1 Creek, discovery producer. Spudder was being moved to location at last reports.

Setback for the Loco Hills pool of Eddy was seen with the abandonment of two failures, both in the southeast part of the area.

Dixon & Yates No. 3-A Saunders, section 12-18s-29e, encountered thin sand lense carrying only a little oil from 2,550 to 2,552 feet. It wsa drilled to total depth of 2,717 feet, plugged back to 2,705 feet, and shot with 160 quarts of nitro from 2,670 to top of plug. The well filled 1,800 feet with fluid, 98 per cent water, following shot and was abandoned.

Small Producer.

The other Loco Hills failure recorded this week was T. B. Knox No. 1 State, in section 14-18s29e, which was plugged as a dry hole at total depth of 2,875 feet in lime, having drilled through the pay horizon of the area. It, too, found only a thin sand lense, showing some oil and gas from 2,634 to 2,646 feet.

In the southwest part of Loco Hills, Tallmadge and Cowell No. 1 State proved a small producer as it pumped 18 barrels of oil in eight hours upon completion at 2,661 feet in lime. It was shot with 470 quarts from 2,474 to 2,535 feet.

In northeastern Eddy, near the Chaves county line, Mac T. Anderson No. 1 J. T. Neeson permit, section 4-16s-30e, was plugged and abandoned at 2,934 feet in lime. Total depth was corrected by electrical logging device from 2,925 feet.

High Lonesome Wildcat.

E. Paul Moran No. 1 Ramuz, Delaware lime and sand test near Black River in Eddy, section 18-23s-26e, is reaming hole, bottomed at 1,373 feet in lime.

Powell-Matthews No. 2 Leonard-Lovers permit, wildcat in the High Lonesome pool of Eddy, is drilling below 2,360 feet in lime. It has encountered no shows since picking up an estimated 60,000 cubic feet of sweet gas per day from 2,290 to 2,307 feet in lime. The test is in section 33-16s-29e.

May Weathers No. 1 Flood, Eddy wildcat in section 24-18s-23e, is drilling below 1,600 feet in lime after having encountered sulphur water at that point.



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The Theatre Handbook and Digest of Plays, edited by Bernard Sobel: A reference work in which, in alphabetical arrangement, are short biographies of actors, playwrights, and producers, definitions of theatrical vernacular, and synopses of old and new plays. Interspersed are several signed articles on special topics.

Our Times: The United States, 1900-1925, by Mark Sullivan: "Many illustrations are found in this lively social history." 6 volumes: Contents: Vol. 1: The turn of the century; Vol. 2: America finds herself; Vol. 3: Pre-war America; Vol. 4: The war begins; Vol. 5: Over here; Vol. 6: The Twenties.

Americans All Over, by Jerome Beatty: The editors of the Reader's Digest and The American Magazine assigned Jerome Beatty to search the four corners of the earth for the ten most interesting and colorful Americans in foreign lands. He found fifteen—by traveling 46,500 miles and spending fifteen months—and in this book he takes you into their exciting lives.

Aviation From the Ground Up, by Lt. G. B. Manly: A practical instruction and reference book on aviation and allied subjects including the theory of flight, details of airplane construction, airplane engines, rigging, instruments, weather forecasting, aerial navigation, stunts, how to learn flying, parachutes, air commerce regulations and a dictionary of aviation words and terms.

A Smattering of Ignorance, by Oscar Levant: With racy vigor, Mr. Levant, presents a picture of musical America and Americans No little part of the appeal of this amusing book is the angle from which the author views his subjects . . . composers, conductors, orchestras, etc.

An Ozark Anthology, edited with an introduction by Vance Randolph: "The items I have selected for this book may not please the critics back in New York, and they certainly will not be acceptable to the civic boosters in the Ozark towns. But they are, in my judgement, the very best that has ever been written about this benighted region. The authors of these stories have lived in the Ozarks, and they know their stuff. They have told the truth about the Ozark country, and they have described the Ozark hillbilly as he really is." (Vance Randolph, Introduction).

The Patient's Dilemma; The Quest for Medical Security in America, by Hugh Cabot: "A consulting surgeon and teacher, Mayo clinic, summarizes the medical needs of the American public, defines the standards necessary for good medical care, and discusses the advantages and disadvantages of different types of organizations in supplying adequate medical security to the public. He believes that group medicine offers more to the average person than individual physicians, and suggests principles which he thinks should underlic medical care under government auspices. A well-balanced study." (Booklist).

Alaska Holiday, by Barrett Willoughby: "Miss Willoughby and her friend Zoe spent an astonishing holiday in old Kodiak, the "place where the West began." Mysteriously, this village famed for hospitality to strangers, greeted them with hostility and suspicion. Even the U. S. marshal seemed loath to let them linger in this Land of Always Afternoon. But linger they did, solving the mystery of their strange reception. Meanwhile they danced with sourdoughs and Aleuts. Heard tales of the great day when sea-otter pelts filled the log warehouses and Russian officers drank toast to the iron bust of Alexander I atop the gable of their staff-house. Viewed Ikons and jeweled chalices sent to Kodiak by Catherine the Great. Whether you travel by dog-sled, cruise ship, or merely armchair, you wil like this colorful book."

Interesting comments on books to be found in the library:

The following excerpt is taken from a review by Isador Schneider in the New Republic of Graham Peck's "Through China's Wall."

"Mr. Peck writes in singularly witty and gracious fashion and with an objectivity that is not a chosen attitude but appears to be a fortunate habit of mind. Here is no second-hand philosophy, no prejudice projected as sociology, no exploitation of the picturesque. It is remarkably unadulterated travel writing, transmitting obesrvation and experiences close to the sensation of the moments when they occurred to a man of unusually balanced and sensitive intelligence. For this reason, without a single timed explosion of verbal indignation, the last third of the book is as damning an indictment of Japanese imperialism as I have seen, just as its first two-thirds is one of the most inviting appreciations of Chinese life and culture. Mr. Peck will have many satisfied readers."

Dairymen Thank Public For Aid Given to Show

Expression of thanks on behalf of the Midland Dairy Association for aid in conducting the first annual Dairy Show last Wednesday was voiced by L. A. Brunson, president of the body, in a statement Saturday morning.

The show was a success from every standpoint, dairymen declared, bringing here more than 100 head of choice registered and pure bred dairy stock, giving the public an exhibition of dairy products of Midland county farms and attracting a large attendance which was expected to be of value to the growing industry.

All business institutions and individuals who contributed money, prizes or in any way aided the project were thanked by association members.

Use More Milk, Dairy Industry Urges Country

NEW YORK (UP).—With an all-time high record production of milk on American farms, the dairy industry is staging a June campaign for increased consumption of milk and dairy products, according to Charles W. Holman, of the National Cooperative Milk Producers' Federation, chairman of the industry-wide committee.

"As milk is the farmer's biggest cash crop and one of the mainstays of economic prosperity in towns and cities throughout the country, retail outlets of all kinds have joined farmers, processors and distributors in the drive," Holman said.

"In addition to its economic value," he pointed out, "scientists say this country could well afford to double its present consumption of milk. Every day 25,000,000 bottles of fresh milk are delivered to American doorsteps and 15,000,000 more quarts to stores and hospitals."

Holman said the annual per capita consumption of fluid milk was estimated at 153 quarts, 17.7 pounds of butter, 5.72 pounds of cheese and 8.84 quarts of ice cream. In 1939 milk returned $1,355,000,000 cash to farmers.

Sturgeon Seen As Doomed Fish

SACRAMENTO, Cal. (UP).—Veteran commercial fishermen along the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers are convinced that the sturgeon, largest fresh water fish in North America, will never make a comeback and will soon be extinct in California waters.

State fish and game wardens patrolling the river system report that old-time commercial fishermen who have been working the area since 1870 believe that the sturgeon can never become plentiful because of early day heavy fishing with set lines by Chinese, egg and fry raiding by carp and striped bass, and "bootlegging" by fishermen.

Fished Out by Chinese.

Principal cause of the passing of the sturgeon — the "express locomotive" of all fish and scaling as high as 1,000 pounds—is the early day Chinese fishermen, it is said. The Chinese set lines seven miles in length which zizagged from bank to bank and carried needl-sharp barbless hooks every two feet. The hooks were weighed so as to hang one foot from the river bottom and would pierce a sturgeon feeding along the bottom or traveling upstream.

The Chinese dragged the fish from the river, removed the spinal column and sold the marrow at $1 a pound. The roe and flesh were thrown away.

The decline of the sturgeon was speeded, old-timers say, when carp and striped bass were introduced into California waters. The carp feed on the eggs in the spawning runs, and the young sturgeon, hatching and escaping to the sea, are devoured by bass in the Carquinez straits.

Two Enemies Faced.

"Comparatively few young sturgeon survive the attacks of these two present-day enemies," the fish and game division reports. "If they do, and return to river waters as adults to spawn, they now must face another menace, those members of the commercial fishing group who persist in their shad and salmon trammel nets."

Handsome profits by "bootlegging" the sturgeon roe and flesh are realized. River patrol wardens estimate that from 25 to 30 adult sturgeon, averaging 200 pounds, are taken illegally each year in commercial nets.

A few mammoths survive, however. One delta fisherman reports a 1,400-pound sturgeon near the mouth of the San Joaquin river, and one estimated at 450 pounds spawning each year at a shallow spot in the delta near the confluence of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers.

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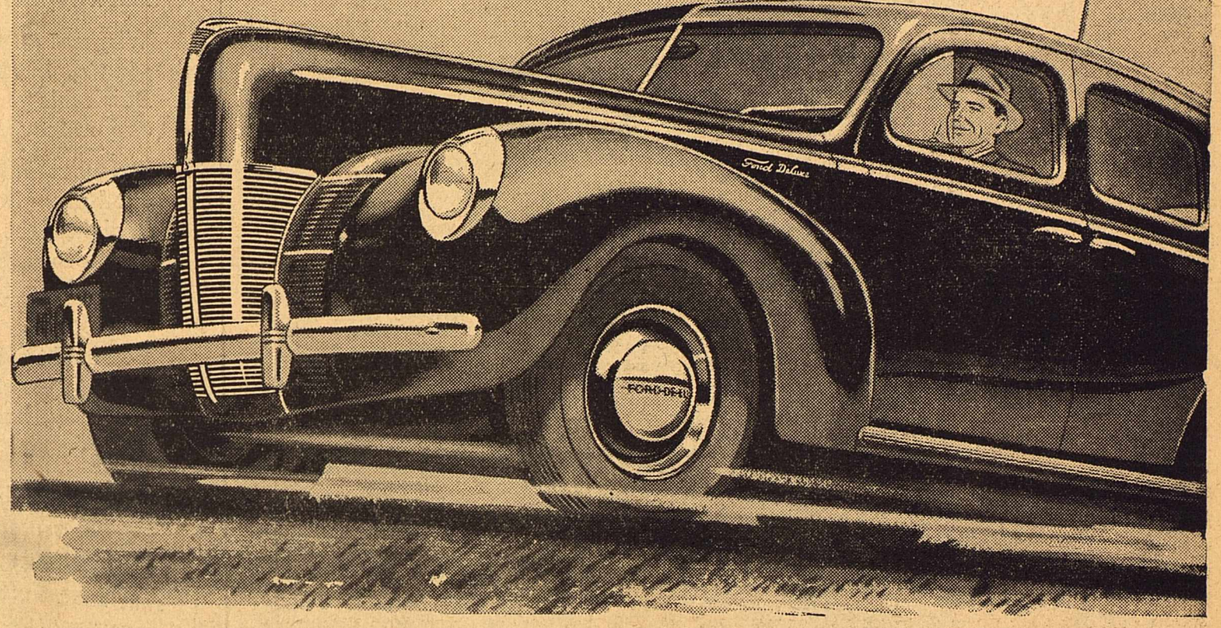
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Speeder Escapes Fine, Feared Spies' Pursuit

DETROIT (U.P.) — Traffic Judge George T. Murphy has given tacit approval to people who hurry in belief they're safeguarding United States secrets.

James Gordon, an engineer who said he had access to navy blueprints, was taken into court on a charge of reckless driving, as was John Chisholm. Gordon explained he speeded when Chisholm's car chased his, fearing spies were after him. Chisholm said he was only angry becauses Gordon tooted his horn in traffic.

Judge Murphy found Gordon innocent, but said Chisholm must pay a $50 fine or serve 10 days in jail.

NOT ALL AWAKE.

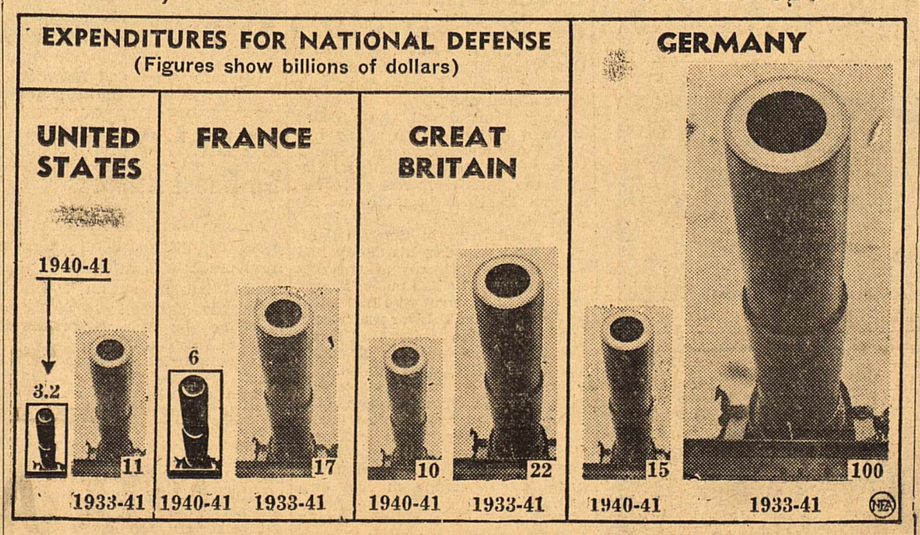
A large percentage of the adult population of the world is unaware of the fact that the stars apparently rise and set, the same as the sun and moon.

Prisoner Says Sentence "Is Best Thing for Me"

LUDINGTON, Mich. (U.P.) — Herman Shoenbeck proved himself an unusually grateful prisoner when Circuit Judge Max E. Neal sentenced him to a term of from six months to four years for felonious assault.

"Thank you very much, your honor," Shoenbeck said after hearing the sentence. "This is the best thing that ever happened to me."

Why Hitler's War Machine Rolls Over Europe



Additional spending will probably run U. S. defense figure for fiscal year 1940-41 close to the four billion dollar mark, but that's just a puff in the powder horn compared to the 100 billion Hitler is believed to have spent to build his war machine. Pictochart shows estimated U. S. and belligerent defense expenditures for 1940-41 and totals for period since Hitler became German chancellor (March, 1933), to the end of the coming fiscal year.

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AN EYE FOR A GAL

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YESTERDAY: Rossy asks and gets permission to go home for a weekend. He stops at the ball diamond, recalls the game in which his father was killed. How the pitcher threw a bean ball, how they left the injured McAfee in the grandstand while the crowd chased Sock Tolliver. Later, at Rossy's home, Steve Hogg tells him a strange story.

CHAPTER VI.

"I'm going to give you the straight of all that day's mess, Rossy," Steve Hogg said sepulcharally. "As I live, as I hope to be struck dead if this ain't the truth, I'll tell you. To begin with, Rossy, this here Tollivar what's the head of the school you're going to, is the same feller that killed your pappy."

"How do you know, Cousin Steve?" Rossy demanded, his anger rising. "Doc Tollivar's been mighty white to me—"

"I know, I know!" Hogg hastened to say. "That's the point. How come he's giving you a purty room, and a good bed, and a job, and keeping you just about it, here from Christman on, when the ball-playing season won't open till spring?"

"Don't you have to hire a man before somebody else snatches him?"

"Yes, and when you've beaned a boy's pappy, you might could buy him off with a bone with a little gristle on it for him to chaw in place of meat! It don't take much when the pup ain't never had no meat to speak of!"

"Well, I think you're fixing to cook up a mess of lies. I'd thank you just to shut up."

Hogg sat there looking at him queerly, the firelight showing the crags of his curious face.

"They've shore bought you cheap! Tollivar, and the gal—"

"You leave the girl out of this! And listen, Steve. If you've got something to tell me, then tell it. I ain't got no time to waste on listening to palaver."

HOGG glowered. "Okay, if that's the way you feel about it, then here it is. I happen to know that just before that fatal ball game this here Tolliver boy came back in these parts when his pappy, Ham Tolliver, came home from Texas to die with lung disease. Ham had left out after Mark McAfee was ambushed. That was years ago but I can recollect it, just barely.

"So we didn't know young Sock so very well. I'd seen him only onct or twice before the Fourth of July game. But he was a ball player, like lots of both families is. A good one, too, from all I can hear tell at this late date.

"Well, the day before, or maybe a couple evenings before the game, they was a meeting at old Ham Tolliver's house. The Tollivers was all there. It was about the trouble your pappy and Dink Tolliver had about that hog getting into Dink's corn beyond the ridge."

"You man where paw's land — I mean the land you have now—line-fenced the Dink Tolliver place?"

"That's right. That's the place. Line fence fight. Stock busting in somebody else's crop. Dink was sick and tired of it, and like it or no, the Tollivers always did think your pappy was tied up with the ambushing of them two Tolliver boys the past Christmas, even after the big camp meeting. So there was this here meeting to draw lots who would take care of your pappy in case trouble started—"

"Meeting!" How you know there was this meeting?"

"I got hit straight, bub! Straight from somebody that knowed."

"How you know they knowed?"

"My lordy, fool! If you got to know, they was there!"

"You mean somebody that was at this meeting actually told you that this was the way of it? That they drawed lots to kill my father?"

Hogg's eroded face lighted up with a hard grin. "Bub, you finally got wit enough to figger out what I'm telling you? That's exactly what I'm trying to ram down your throat. I ain't at liberty to name no names. But I'd swear to the truth of this on a stack of Bibles a mile high. They drawed lots that night who was to kill your pappy, and this Sock Tolliver was right there, and he drawed the name, and the game come along and he beaned your daddy!"

"My—my heaven!" Rossy said, his eyes narrow. The firelight played into the depths of them.

"Now you see how it was? Of course, Sock Tolliver done it that way so's to make it seem a accident. Now and then somebody does git his brains busted out in a ball game. So, to kiver things up from the start, he pretened to be wild. They always said of him he was a great pither when he could find the plate. But when he was off he was wild as a fool.

"That day he was wild. But when he wanted to kill your daddy, he knew where to put that ball!" He stopped, panting with a wrath and hatred that startled Rossy, who was used to passion among his people.

Rossy banged his fist on the table. "Don't believe a word of it."

Hogg partly raised himself from the chair. "You calling me a liar?"

"I'm calling the feller that told you that a liar!"

Hogg sank back, and his grimace of fury changed to a nasty grin. "All right, you don't believe it! It's a lie. Well, it happens not to be. I know for a fact that what I tell you is so. I can't prove it now, but just the same it's so."

"I wouldn't believe it even if you said you was there."

HOGG shook his head sadly. "They sure got you roped in. Dr. Tollivar and that silken wench of his sure have tied you to a tree. They give you a soft bed and soft soap to lather your gills with, and now you gone back on your kinfolks. Gone back on all you ever had, all the name of McAfee ever stood for. You air ruint, that's all."

"I'm civilized. Or trying to get that way."

"Yah — civilized. From the way you talked to Hanner Shrider you shore are civilized!" He got up sadly and made ready to go. "Goodyby. Reckon you'll stay over the weekend, and then you'll have to rush back to lay up in your soft bed and wash down your gruel of soft soap."

At the door he turned. Rossy just sat there looking at him in the firelight. "You don't have so much choice after all, I reckon, because if you believed Doc Tollivar was the one who killed your own pappy, you would have to get your eye for eye and tooth for tooth, like you vowed; and you'd rather have your soft soap and soft bed."

"Get out!" Rossy said, and if his counsin had not slammed the door, Rossy would have slammed him with a stick of firewood.

HIS mother came in as Rossy was putting on his hat. "Where you going, son?"

"A walk."

"Was you and Steve fussing again?"

"Some time I aim to take that feller apart and see what makes him so mean." He lingered a moment while his mother smoothed her skirt and gray hair and took down her cob pipe. Then he came and leaned against the mantel.

"Maw, just how comes does Cousin Steve have all that land that used to belong to our family? Wasn't that piece of a mountain paw's at one time? Don't I seem to recollect that he timbered some off it away back at the edge of my time as a baby?"

His mother took a couple of puffs, supporting the fire coal on top of the tobacco until the bowl glowed.

"They was a time, son, when I thought it belonged to your paw. But after he was killed in the ball game, we found papers that showed Steve's maw really had claim to it, and when Steve's pappy died not so long after your own pappy went, Steve took it to court in Judge Jesse Leverage's court and got the land and timber."

Rossy stood there looking down at his mother, and then into the fire. "I see," he said slowly. "Papers. Dou you recollect what kind of papers?"

"Just papers. Jesse Leverage seen 'em and said they was in good law, and he would know. I reckon Steve still has 'em.

"I see," Rossy said, and put his hat back on and went into the night.

IT was clear, star-glinted darkness. Rossy walked through the light, loving the crisp chill of early spring. He kept walking until he came to the timbered region which was not only the place of dispute about the feud hog, but was now owned by Steve Hogg, instead of Rossy McAfee.

He walked the line fence between Steve's land and the Tolliver family. Beyond the cornfield was cow-tramped and hog-torn. The path was dim, and little used, now that Hannah was down in the valley country trying to make a college career. But there was a time when Rossy and Hannah had tramped this dim way seeing each other almost daily.

Rossy remembered the feeling he used to have when a day had passed without his seeing Hannah. Now, for no reason at all, he was glad the high-tempered girl was not on hand to complicate his emtions.

He stood there in the starlight, recollecting the day his daddy had been buried. It was at this big white oak that he had made his resolve to kill the man who had killed his father. If Dr. Tollivar was "Sock" Tolliver, the ball pitcher that tragic day, then his duty was clear. He had to have proof, that was all.

Now he faced the Mosaic doctrine of a life for a life. The only thing he could not accept was the evidence his Cousin Steve offered him. Yet, Steve was so evidently convinced himself that conviction was hard to escape in his own soul.

He turned at a strange sound. A darke figure was coming through the half gloom toward him. He breathed:

"Hannah! What on earth! What are you doing here?"

(To Be Continued.)

Band Scholarship Tryouts Slated by McMurry College

Invitation to graduating high school band musicians of the West Texas area to participate in tryouts for the McMurry college Indian band here June 14 was extended Saturday by Dean R. G. Borger.

At the same time Borger announced plans for a materially enlarged program of band work to be inaugurated at the Methodist school with opening of the 1940 long session in September.

Thirty scholarships, each with a value of $65, haxe been apportioned to the band for 1940-41, most of which will be awarded at the June 14 tryouts. They will be held in Radford Memorial auditorium, on the McMurry campus.

"The college will be host to these contestants for the day," Borger explained. "Lunch and dinner will be served complimentary in the college dining hall. The hour for each student's appearance will be assigned, and the student will be notified as his application is received."

Each person will play one selection of his own choice, and will be given one selection to play by sight. Accompanists may be brought along, or will be provided if requested.

Borger urged that all interested high school graduates immediately make application to Prof. Clarence James, band director, for a place in the tryouts. Applicants should state what instrument they play, describe their experience, give two references as to character and musical ability, and give names and addresses.

Youths can participate in the tryouts without having made application, though the college prefers to have advance notice, the dean said.

For the first time in McMurry's history, a full course of band instruction leading to a major in that field will be offered in 1940-41.

The band staff has been enlarged to include three men. They are Director James Ray Olivadoti, who during the past year has been band director at Eldorado, Ark., high school; and Harold L. Thomas, who has been on the McMurry faculty since 1935.

James will complete work on his master's degree this summer at the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, N. Y. He holds a bachelor degree from Colorado State college, and has done graduate work at the University of Nebraska.

Olivadoti has had several seasons experience as a soloist on the oboe, clarinet, and saxophone, and as an arranger and composer. He has been director of bands at Gunnison, Colo., Eldorado, and Austin high school, at Chicago. At present he is on leave of absence from McMurry while teaching at the Vandercook School of Music in Chicago.

Thomas has the bachelor of music and master of music degrees from Northwesetrn university and has had wide experience in playing under nationally known directors.

Olivadoti will assist James as director. Thomas will be band consultant and professor of theory of music.

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E-I Bank Credits To Boost Exports

An expansion in American exports of industrial and agricultural products is expected to result from extension of an additional $12,000,000 of credits to Chile and Colombia by the Export-Import Bank of Washington.

Announcement of the extension of credit to the two South American nations was made recently by Federal Loan Administrator Jesse H. Jones.

The 7,000.000 credit to Chile was said by Mr. Jones to be in addition to a $5,000,000 advance, none of which has been used, made last summer. That loan, established to aid in reconstruction after the recent earthquake, will be used for the purchase of American industrial equipment.

The credit of $5,000,000 to Colombia was extended to the Central Bank of that country, and will be used partly for the purchase of railroad supplies, road building, and other machinery and agricultural products, including lard.

In the event that American exporters care to participate in the Chilean program, Mr. Jones indicated that the amount of the loan could be increased.

FROM NEW MEXICO

Marcus Gist and Elmer Bizzell returned late Friday from a trip to Gist's ranch west of Carlsbad, N. M. They report grass growing well in that section as result of recent rains.

REMAINS A MYSTERY.

The ruffed grouse makes its drumming sound by its wings, but the few persons fortunate enough to witness the performance disagree as to whether the sound is made by the wings striking the air or the feathers of the breast.

Preparations Complete for Water Carnival at Ft. Stockton June 14

FORT STOCKTON.—Preparations to make the Fifth Annual Fort Stockton Water Carnival the most outstanding show of its kind in the Southwest were in final stages here this week, with the gala opening just one week off.

A variety of colorful entertainment has been planned for the thousands of visitors expected for the big event. Starting with the local bathing revue on Thursday night, at which time the Queen of the carnival will be chosen by popular vote, there will be something underway through Friday and Saturday, with the finals of the Spring City Golf Club's invitation tournament scheduled as the finale on Sunday.

A parade with entries of every description has been set for ten o'clock on the morning of the 14th. Features of the 1940 parade are expected to be entries in the youngsters' bicycle division, added this year for the first time, and the Reeves County Sheriff's posse from Pecos, which will ride in the parade as one of its first public appearances.

Amateur swimmers from all over the Southwest are expected here for the events on Friday and Saturday afternoons. Handsome cups and medals are being offered the winners, who will also qualify to enter the state meets of the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation. Information on this event is obtainable from M. E. Fincher, principal of the Fort Stockton high school.

The John B. Rogers Production Company, which stages such widely known events as the Tyler Rose Festival, is in charge of the staging of "King Neptune's Court," glittering and glamorous stage attraction for Friday and Saturday nights on a specialy constructed over-water stage. More than 150 Fort Stockton People are in the cast for this event. A feature of the Saturday night pageant will be the All-Southwestern Revue, with beauties bein gentered from all over this section of Southwest. Mrs. Rhoda Kelley, Fort Stockton, may be addressed for information on this event.

Firement from departments all over the Permian Basin will take part in hose races and contests on the streets of Fort Stockton.

Dances for Carnival visitors will be held on Friday and Saturday nights at the big, cool Fort Stockton airport, with the Fort Stockton Fire Department in charge, and Jack Free's popular band furnishing the music.

Golfers from all parts of the Southwest are expected to provide a record field of entrants for the celebration of the opening of the new grass greens of the Rooney Park Course, said to be the sportiest in the Southwest with eight out of nine holes offering water hazards.

To make certain there will be no dull moments, the Carnival Committee and the Lions Club have booked the famous University of Texas team and the equally famous Tucker Twins of Winters to provide entertainment at intervals. The University team will be seen in swimming and diving exhibitons, and the Tucker twins will sing and play in their inimitable manner, which has made them the nationally-famous toast of the Lions International.

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Brother of School Superintendent Better

Superintendent W. W. Lacke expected home today, reports th his brother, C. S. Lackey of Dalla is much improved from a very se ous attack of pleurisy, during whi the Dallas man's lungs had to tapped four times. The Midland ma was called to the bedside of h brother the day school closed, a has been attending him daily ev since. While C. S. Lackey is st in the hospital and has not dismiss either his nurses or his doctors, is reported to have passed the c max and is improving steadily.

After the change for the bett in his brother's condition, the Mi land superintendent, though atten ing his brother daily, has had oppo tunity to see several high scho and college commencements, and h contacted six colleges and univers ties, conferring with prospecti teachers and applicants for po tions in the Midland system. H has also made a study of curriculu practices in Dallas and Ft. Wo school systems. The Midland supe intendent plans to attend the curr culum conference which is to held at the University of Texas du ing the month of June.

SPRING PEEPER IS FROG.

Hyla Crucifer, a small frog fr quently found in the spring clin ing to reeds and grass, is know as a spring peeper. Its name derived from the shrill peepi sound, which can be heard ha a mile away. Only the males the species peep.

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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.
9:45 a.m. Church school.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Placing the Facts."
6:30 p.m. Intermediate and Senior Leagues meet.
7:30 p.m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Christ Going Away."
7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
10:55 a.m. Morning worship. The pastor will bring a sermon on "Stop! Look! and Listen!"
6:45 p.m. Training union.
8:00 p.m. Worship service. The entire service will be devoted to commencement exercises of the daily vacation Bible school.
8: p.m. Monday. Deacons meet in the pastor's study.
7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Teachers' meeting.
8:15 p.m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.
7:30 p.m. Thursday. Choir practice.

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

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H. G. Bedford, Supt. of Bible School
Billy Noble,
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9:45 a.m. Bible school.
10:50 a.m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon text: "Having a Form of Godliness, but Denying the Power Thereof."
8:00 p.m. Union worship service at Presbyterian church. Sermon by Rev. John E. Pickering. Sermon subect: "Why I Believe in the Inspiration of the Bible."
3:30 p.m. Monday. Circle meetings.
7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Choir practice.

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Evening worship, 8:00 p. m.
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Women's Bible class, 3:00 p. m.
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Lee Carter, Pastor.
Saturday Services—
Sabbath School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

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

HOLINESS TABERNACLE
(Pentecostal)
O. W. Roberts, Pastor.
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.

MEN'S CLASS.

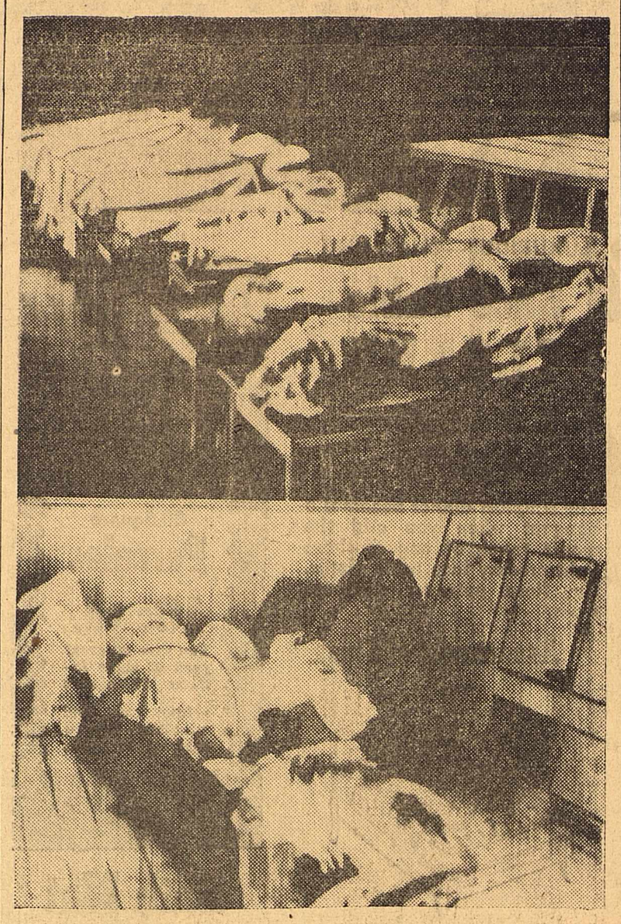
The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.
The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt. There is a singing service of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

TRINITY CHURCH.
(Protestant Episcopal).
Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school.
11:00 a.m. Morning prayer led by lay reader.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.

"God the Only Cause and Creator" is the subect of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all the Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, June 9.
The Golden Text is: "Ah Lord God! behold, thou has made the heaven and the earth by thy great power and stretched out arm, and there is nothing too hard for thee" (Jeremiah 32:17).
Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible:
"That which hath been is now; and that which is to be hat already been, and God requireth that which is past" (Ecclesiastes 3:15).
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:
"When we realize that Life is Spirit, never in nor of matter, this understanding will expand into self-completeness, finding all in God, good, and needing no other consciousness" (page 264).

Death's Share of War



(NEA Radio-Telephoto.)
This French-released radio-telephoto claims to show the bodies of persons killed in the Nazi air raid on Paris. At the top, the bodies of school children and those of adult civilians are shown in the lower photo. This photo censored by French.

American Guidebook Series to Include Facts About Texas

SAN ANTONIO. — Texas soon will join the parade of states covered by the American Guidebook series, according to a statement issued today by J. Frank Davis, well-known Texas author who is state supervisor of the Texas Writers' Project of the Works Project Administration.
In July bookstores of Texas and the nation will display what is believed to be the most comprehensive guidebook ever written about this state, Davis said. Publication of the book is sponsored by the State Highway Commission and work of the Writers' project in Texas is under the official sponsorship of the bureau of research in social sciences of the University of Texas.
Similar in appearance to the 27 other state guides which have appeared thus far in the series, the 300,000-word Texas guide is one of the largest state books, containing more than 800 pages illuminated by 32 original maps and 100 photographs.
Incidental to the work of compiling the guide was travel by project employes over 15,000 miles of carefully-planned tours, criss-crossing Texas in every direction and affording a complete guide for tourists and other travelers.
"With conditions in every city and on every highway changing daily, no such book ever could be absolutely up to date," Davis commented, "but no effort has been spared to make it as nearly so as is humanly possible." Al lroutes and highway distances have been recently checked by the engineering staff of the Highway Commission.
John F. Nolen, veteran newspaper man, is assistant state supervisor of the Writers' Project, and Bess Carroll Woolford is state editor. Thirty-six Texans, each outstanding in his or her field of knowledge, have served as principal consultants to insure general accuracy and proper unbiased handling of controversial subjects. In addition, 2,914 persons not connected with the Writers' Project have assisted as local consultants and volunteer associates. Through many months of research and with the constant aid of authorities in the arious fields WPA writers have prepared for inclusion i nthe guidebook special sections devoted to the state's history, natural setting, resources, government, agriculture and livestock, industry, commerce and labor, transportation, architecture, folklore, literature, music, arts and handicrafts and other general subjects.
State guides are published by national houses which have facilities for nationwide distribution, Davis said, and the contract for the Texas book was awarded to Hastings House, New York. This firm publishes the book at no cost or risk to the Federal government, the State of Texas, or the Highway Commission.
Although the size of Texas and the character of its historical past have necessitated the publication of a book 250 pages longer than the average size of state guides already published, the State Highway Commission has announced that their agreement with the publisher provides for a price to the public no higher than that which is charged for te guide to Rhode Island, the smallest state.

Big Crowd Expected At A-M Short Course

COLLEGE STATION. — Although the annual Farmers' Short Course on the campus of A. and M. College is still a month distant, indications are that previous attendance records will be broken this summer. Dates for the 4-H Club Short Course are July 8 and 9, while the adult Short Course is scheduled for July 11 and 12.
Expected to be especially outstanding this year is the attendance of an unusually large number of men. This was assured when B. F. Vance, assistant administrative office in charge of the state AAA office, announced that approximately 750 AAA secretaries and county agricultural conservation committeemen would be present for the Short Course as well as to attend group meetings of tneir own.
In addition, county land use planning committees are being asked to send two men and one woman from their number, according to Director H. H. Williamson of the A. and M. Extension Service.
Apparently there is no question about the presence of women, for in recent years heavy attendance of home demonstration club women has necessitated assignments of quotas for counties and districts. Attendance figures this year have been placed at 1,002 girls, 187 sponsors and 1,478 women.
Annual meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association during the Short Course is expected to draw 740 delegates and officers who will represent the body's membership of 40,000 rural women. Mrs. A. J. Brown, of Nederland, president of the Association, estimates that approximately a thousand women will attend the sessions of the meeting.
Aggregates for both sections of the Short Course are expected to reach nearly 3,000 boys and girls and 2,600 men and women, predicts Roy W. Snyder, extension supervisor of specialists' work, who is general chairman in charge of Short Course arrangements.

Boyhood Fun Turned Into Paying Business

EXETER, N. H. (U.P.) — Lester E. Williams has turned his boyhood fun into a well-paying business.
As a lad, he wandered Exeter fields and woodlands, seeking wild flowers and little-known shrubs. These he planted in a patch near his home, studying their habits of growth and flower.
Now Williams still seeks wild flowers for sale commercially. His most notable sale was to the New York World's Fair gardens, but he also has furnished plants for extensive gardens on some of the nations' most beautiful estates.

As of January 1, 1940, there were 58,034 car dealer representatives in the United States.

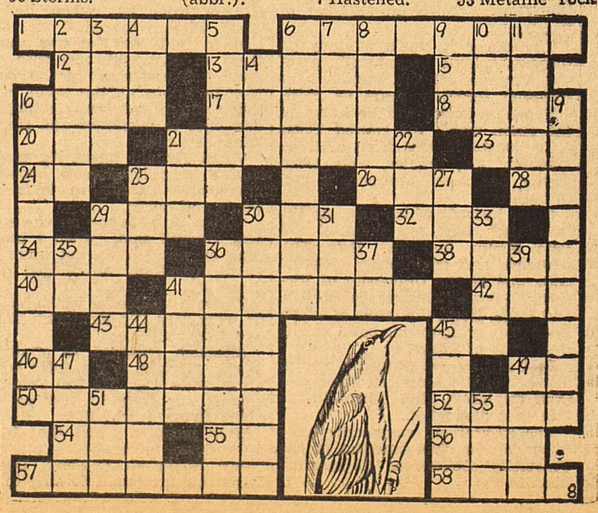
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12 Part of foot.
13 Sewer.
15 Copper.
16 Animal's nose ring
17 Genoese magistrates.
18 Bench.
20 Beer.
21 Translated a code message.
23 Land held under tenure.
24 Musical note.
25 Dormouse.
26 To card wool.
28 South Carolina (abbr.).
29 Electrified particle.
30 Raven's cry.
32 Canine animal.
34 A seasoning.
36 Storms.
38 Puddle.
40 Writing fluid.
41 Altar screen.
42 Black bird of this family.
43 Cooking apparatus.
45 Dye.
46 Neuter pronoun.
48 Poems.
49 Lava.
50 Angles.
52 Expectation.
54 Portuguese coin.
55 Southeast (abbr.).
56 Silkworm.
57 Its eggs are —— or incubated by other birds.
58 It lays its eggs in other birds' ——s.
8 Insertion.
9 Small flap.
10 Plant part.
11 Domestic slaves.
14 Fabulous bird.
16 Only a few types of this bird are ——.
19 It belongs to the family ——.
21 Payment demand.
22 Old garment.
25 Witticism.
27 Soft broom.
29 Kinds.
30 Fondled.
31 Married.
33 End of a race.
35 Form of "a."
36 To transpose.
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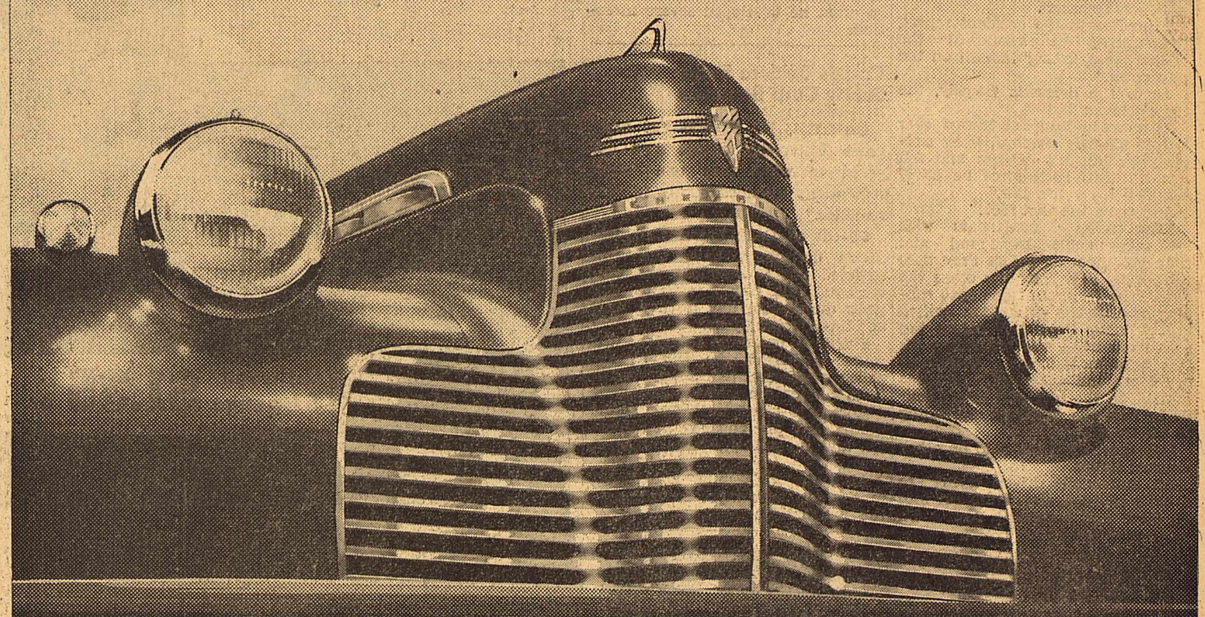
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Of all the thousands of minor planets, only one is visible to the naked eye. That one is Vesta, a tiny planet with a diameter of only 240 miles.

It is reported by reliable authorities that Germany will lead in total number of available planes until early in 1941, at the present rate of production.

A combination toothbrush and mouth wash atomizer which sprays as it brushes the teeth can be bought in Norway.

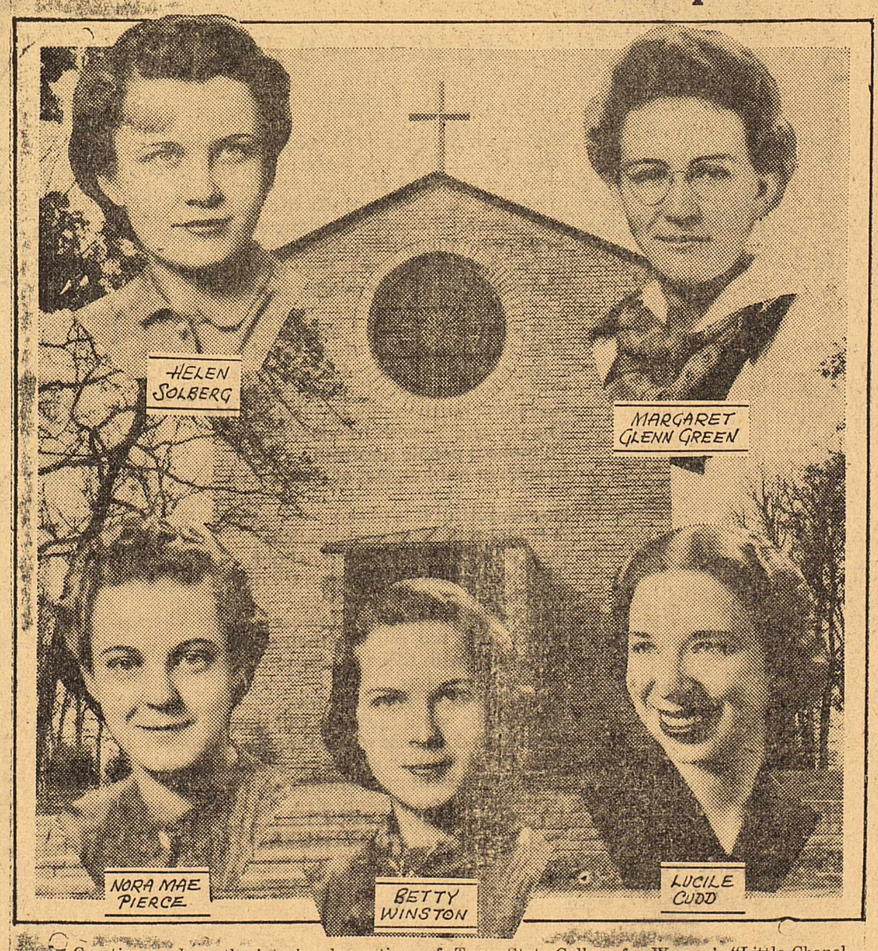
Ten Guides Outlined For Mental Health

ALBANY, N. Y. (U.P.) — Dr. Horatio M. Pollock of the New York state mental hygiene department believes there are 10 "fundamental characteristics of mental health:
"A sense of well being, keenness of observation, soundness of judgment, clearness of thought, accuracy of memory, control of emotions, stability of will, continuity of purpose, friendliness of attitude and freedom of expression."

JAIL RELEASE TEDIOUS.

DETROIT. (UP) — Police spent almost an hour getting four prisoners out of — instead of into — jail. An old key broke in the lock on their cell door at police headquarters, and officers had to remove the door by its hinges.

Student Artists Rewarded for Chapel Work



Creative work on the interior decorations of Texas State College for Women's "Little-Chapel-in-the-Woods" won recognition for these five collegiate artists to whom President L. H. Hubbard presented the Leman Memorial Award at TSCW's thirty-seventh annual commencement June 3. Awarded annually to the senior or seniors making the greatest contribution to the college in some artistic field, the Leman trophy went to Helen Solberg of Clifton, who designed and constructed altar vases, porch lights, and the vestibule stone floor of the chapel; Margaret Glenn Green of Mineola, who has made a photographic record of chapel art projects; and to Nora Mae Pierce of LaGrange, Betty Winston of Vernon, and Lucile Cudd of Wichita Falls, each of whom has made a stained glass window for the sanctuary.

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He Kisses Wife, Sprains Her Jaw; Tennis Player Bites His Own Throat

HARTFORD, Conn. (UP)—Have you heard the one about the tennis player who bit his own throat?

Or the husband who sprained his wife's jaw when he kissed her?

Or the man who gave himself a "hot foot?"

A life insurance company says the incidents are so true it paid claims for these unusual accidents:

In the case of the tennis player, he slipped while trying to reach for a hard-hit ball. His jaws clicked together so hard his bridgework was smashed.

"Then," says the accident report, "convulsively he swallowed the broken plate, 'biting' himself on the way down."

Anent the domestic tragedy, the file discloses:

"A devoted husband leaned over to kiss his wife goodbye, when suddenly he lost his balance and fell forward with such force he badly sprained his wife's jaw."

And about the "hot foot:"

"The victim cleaned spats with an inflammable compound and then put them on before they were thoroughly dry. Hurrying down the street, the friction of one spat rubbing against the other soon ignited the cleaning fluid and before the man knew what was happening his feet were in flames. Before he could get the spats off, he was burned on the feet and legs. Luckily he kept the fire from spreading to his trousers."

Damages have been paid on other unusual claims.

An automobile driver, trying to avoid a collision, steered his car into a ditch and bumped a cow. The cow became angered, wheeled about and charged into the car showering glass in all directions.

A sleeper became entangled in the bed clothes and in trying to unravel himself, dislocated a shoulder.

Another dreamed he was being chased by a dog. He gave a vicious kick and fractured a toe against the bedroom wall.

A third sleeper dived over the foot of the bed while having a nightmade. He dislocated a wrist.

A young man dancing with an attractive girl with an annoying feather in her hat got poked in the eye so often he developed severe infection.

Co-Eds Declare Rules Subtly Curb Romance
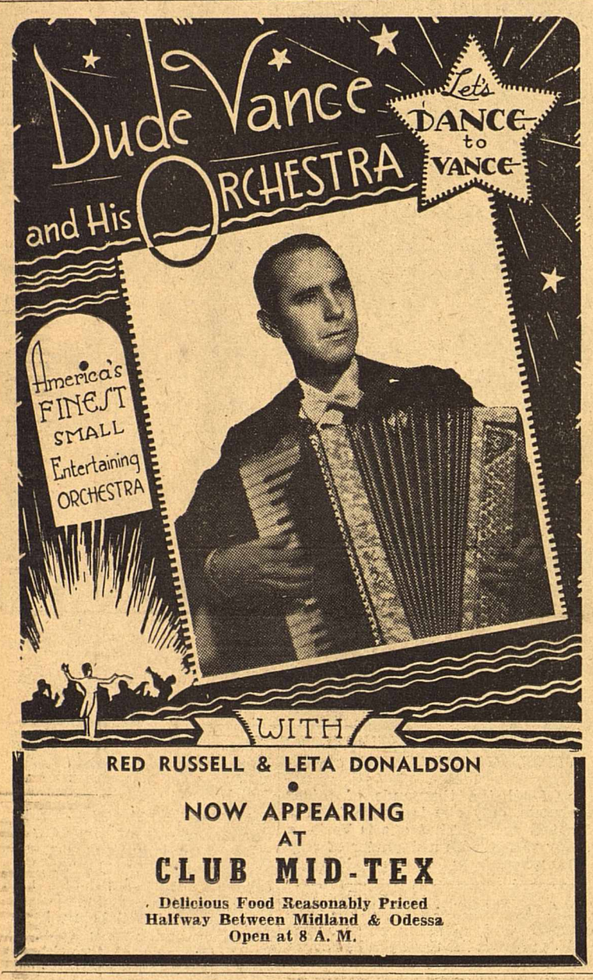
CANTON, N. Y. (U.P.)—St. Lawrence University co-eds are opposed to what they tem "strict regulations intended subtly to curb romance."

Co-eds at Dean-Eaton Hall, woman's dormitory, have been instructed not to frequent the university's golf course without golf clubs during the day if they "value" their "reputations."

Should a co-ed be found on the course at night, she will be expelled "without too many questions" under the new regulations.

The girls must not wear shorts unless they are engaged in athletics, and in cycling, slacks must be worn.

Also, the girls must not "bask" in the sun with men, according to the instructions .



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Silk Test Made In San Joaquin

FRESNO, Cal. (UP).—Farmers of the fertile San Joaquin valley are considering possibilities of producing two new crops which might add millions of dollars in wealth each year to their income.

Production of silk in Tulare county as a major industry in competition with "King Cotton" is considered a distinct possibility.

The rubber - producing plant guayule could be grown profitably in Kern county, provided the commercial price of rubber climbs to two or three times its present level, agricultural experts believe.

Addition of raw silk to the long list of diversified products raised commercially in the San Joaquin valley has been promised by two Armenian immigrants who have carried on experiments for several years.

Project Under Way.

A. Kasanjian of Yettem and Philip Avedigian of Dinuba announced they intended to proprogate 80,000 mulberry trees to provide food for silkworms. Kasanjian, who became familiar with raw silk production in Armenia, has found that silkworms thrive in Tulare county. He has been carrying out his experiments in partnership with Avedigian on a small acreage near Yettem. They estimate they have about 1,000,000 silkworms now hatching.

Silkworms eat only leaves of mulberry trees and grow for about six weeks before they spin the cocoons from which the raw silk is recovered.

Production Cost High.

Lewis A. Burtch, Kern county agricultural commissioners, said guayule was grown successfully in Kern county several years ago on the Hoover ranch near Wasco. Burtch pointed out, however, that despite favorable climate and water conditions the costs of production in relation to the price were excessive.

He said rich agricultural land would be tied up for three years before a crop of guayule could be harvested with the process repeated for each crop.

Possible commercial production of guayule is being studied by the agricultural council of the Kern county chamber of commerce. Emory Gay Hoffman, secretary of the chamber, said apprehension that the European conflict would spread to affect the Dutch East Indies and other rubber-producing areas and interfere seriously with importation of needed supplies of raw rubber in the United States has spurred interest in domestic production of rubber.

Woman Will Supervise Possum Bend Beat, Ala.

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (U.P.)—There isn't any doubt as to which sex gives the orders in Possum Bent Beat in Wilcox county.

The recent Democratic primary races brought out the following as election officials in the tiny unit:

Managers, Mrs. Frank Cook, Mrs. M. M. Ervin and Mrs. F. G. Hallinger; Clerks, Misses Mary Cook and Evelyn Starr; and last and very least, as returning officer, Mr. M. E. Curtis.

Young icebergs are known as calves.

Anti-Tank Gun "Player" Needed For Orchestra

PHILADELPHIA (U.P.) — Robin Hood Dell officials are looking for a unique musician — one who plays an anti-tank gun.

The Dell, planning to open this season with the Philadelphia orchestra playing Tchaikovsky's "Overture of 1812" to the accompaniment of cannon, has obtained the anti-tank gun from a local National Guard unit. The original instrumentation of the famed Russian composer provided for cannon, and Conductor Eugene Ormandy wanted one.

A local on the American Federation of Musicians, however, in a letter to Samuel R. Rosenbaum, Dell president, declared that cannon become percussion instruments when inserted in an orchestra and that a union musician must be provided to fire them.

"Under the circumstances," Rosenbaum answered in another letter, "we shall arrange to hold auditions among members of the local, who may apply for the position, in order to select a performer who can play the cannon with due regard for its musical value . . . and we would appreciate it if you would let us known which members of the local wish to apply . . . Applications should be addressed to us for the position of symphony bombardier."

Northwest Indians Urged To Revive Handicraft

SEATTLE, Wash. (U.P.)—A Seattle jeweler hopes to revive Indian artcraft of the Pacific Northwest.

The jeweler, Dell W. Thomas, has built a replica of a chief's hut of the Haida Indians which will be followed by an entire village of such huts.

"There is no reason why a revival of this form of art should not compete with that of the Navajo Indians in the Southwest," Thomas said.

A total of $808,376,000 in state gasoline tax receipts was collected during 1939.



FREEDOM AND PEACE

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In harvest fields in peaceful life.
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Unchecked by war, or danger fraught.

How peaceful was the happy scene,
With zeal and zest in life so keen!
A happy and unfettered land,
Where each unbowed, unbound, may stand
And think his thoughts and live his life,
The sky and air with freedom rife,—
To make a people unafraid,
In shop or market, sun or shade.

How beautiful it is to see
A frugal folk, with hearts aglee,
Pursue, with pleasure and delight,
Their daily tasks from morn till night!
Exulting in and loving peace,
Their useful labors never cease.
How happy, too, must be their state,
Compared with those of war-torn fate!

A noble people here will grow,
And all the world the truth will show:
That man does best where Freedom reigns,
And naught but Truth his conscience trains,
That the busy hum of enterprise
Appeals to man of every size.
How thankful should each person be
To live and serve among the free!

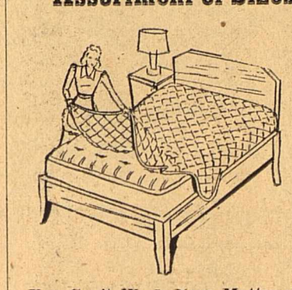
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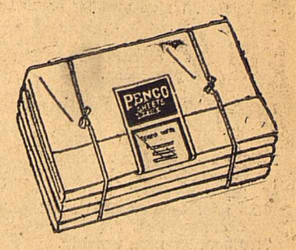


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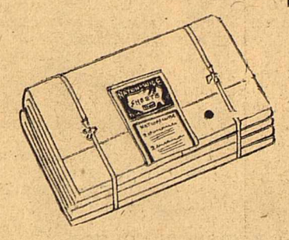
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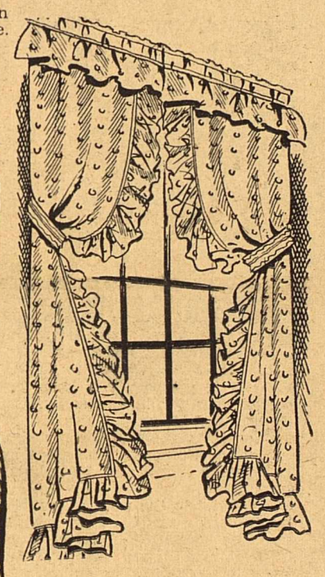
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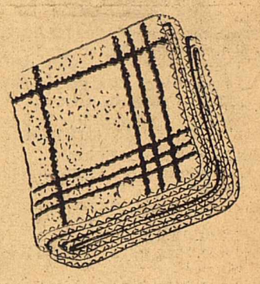
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Engineering Dean at T. U. to Get Medal

AUSTIN, Texas. — The famous watch chain worn by "the Grand Old Man of Texas" is going to sag a little lower—he's got another medal.

T. U. Taylor, for more than a generation dean of engineering at the University of Texas, has been informed that the University of Virginia today, at its commencement exercises, awarded him a new prize—the badge of membership in the Thomas Jefferson Society of Patriarchs.

The honor is conferred only on those who have been members of the Virginia school's Alumni Association for fifty years or more.

The new medal will be hung on the chain which the retired Texas dean bought in 1885 from a Charlottsville, Va., jeweler, who, Dean Taylor has been informed, is still in business.

Other insignia which decorate the celebrated chain are those of Phi Beta Kappa and Tau Beta Phi, academic and engineering societies, both won at the University of Virginia; Sigma Xi, science society, and Rams Horn, the latter of which Dean Taylor founded, both at the University of Texas.

Last fall he was named honorary member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, first Texan to attain that distinction.

The 82-year-old engineering professor is now dean emeritus of the University' College of Engineering here.

Baby Not Yet 3 Knows 60 Songs

PASADENA, Calif. (UP).—Donald Crowell, 2½-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Crowell of this city, has a repertory of approximately 60 songs, all of which he can sing from memory, in good pitch and with clear enunciation.

Mrs. Virginia Crowell, the mother, discovered that Donald could sing when he was 20 months old.

"I was an old-fashioned mother," she said, "who sang lullabies to my baby, but when he was about 20 months old, I was startled to find that he was singing them in duet with me, with perfect pitch and most of the words. Now he knows all the words of his songs and is constantly asking for new ones to memorize and sing."

Eager to Learn.

When Donald hears his mother sing a song he doesn't know, he immediately wants to learn the words and music.

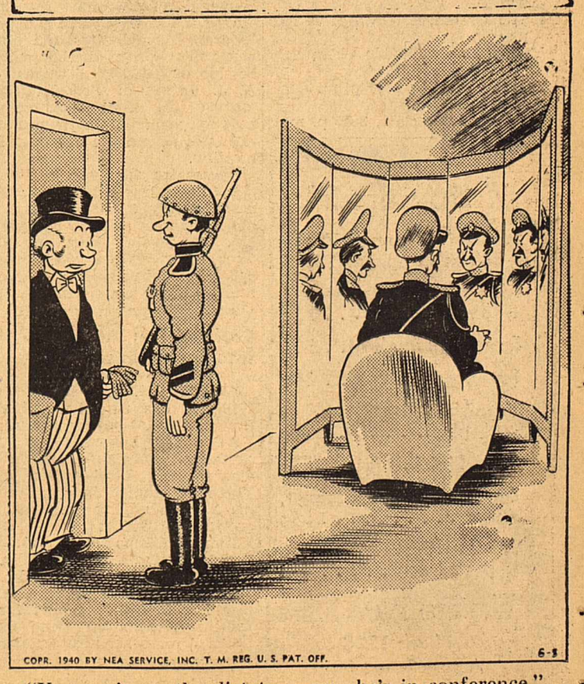
"Often he puts me on the spot," Mrs. Crowell said, "when I hum a song of which I do not know the words myself, and am obliged to get a copy."

The latest songs for which he asked were "My Old Kentucky Home" and "Mexicali Rose."

Although regarded as a singing prodigy, Donald is a regular boy in every other way. He will even stop singing any time to hear an airplane flying overhead.

Each morning when the chimes of a down town church play the "Star Spangled Banner," Donald is put on the porch to sing in ac-

Hold Everything!



"You can't see the dictator now—he's in conference."