

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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Oil Editor

Midland Wildcat Spudded

Drilling operations have been started at a new wildcat which is to go to at least 8,500 feet—and may drill deeper—in East Midland County.

The new prospect is Magnolia Petroleum Company's No. 1 Mary E. Turner. It is about 11 miles south-east of the city of Midland, and two and one-half miles north of Tex Harvey Oil Company No. 1 Floyd, now preparing to install a pump and complete as a discovery from the lower Permian.

The driller of the Magnolia venture is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 46, block 37, T-2-S, Leonard Leech survey. It is four miles east of the Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Turner, discovery well of the Midland field completed a few years ago for small production from the lower Permian. Tentative Driller in Error

Reports from unofficial sources current in some circles that the new exploration would be 1,980 feet from south and 600 feet from the east lines of section 46, were incorrect.

The project has been spudded with a portable unit.

The Tex Harvey No. 1 Floyd has swabbed between 140 and 160 barrels of oil per day from perforated section at 7,865-8,053 feet, in the lower Permian. Up to now no water has developed with the oil from that zone.

Operator is installing pump to put in on production.

Deep Zone Barren

The Ellenburger made water in the Tex Harvey well. Top of that zone was at 11,940 feet. It drilled to 12,063 feet before developing the water and plugging back to 8,500 feet to complete.

The pay section in the Humble No. 1 Turner was at 8,500-65 feet. That well is not now on regular production.

Oil Develops In Deep Shafter Lake Zone

Second well in the Shafter Lake-Ellenburger pool of North-Central Andrews County was indicated by Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1-F State, semi-wildcat one-half mile north and one-quarter mile west of Sinclair Prairie Oil Company et al, No. 2-14 University, opener of the deep zone in the Permian.

The Texas Pacific prospector drilled to 11,660-11,737 feet, after topping the Ellenburger on 11,580 feet and cementing 5 1/2-inch casing on 11,595 feet.

The tool was open three and one-half hours. Gas reached the surface in one hour and 20 minutes. Recovery was 2,180 feet of 40 gravity oil, with no signs of water.

The venture, 1,980 feet from east and 600 feet from south lines of section 13, block 12, University survey, was to drill ahead 25 feet and run another examination.

Three Bar-Devonian Is Extended North

Champlin Refining Company No. 1-H University, on the north side of the Three Bar-Devonian field in Central-Southwest Andrews County has proven as an extension to that pool, and is to set casing and complete.

Located 660 feet from north and east lines of section 5, block 11, University survey, this exploration took a drillstem test in the Devonian at 8,208-579 feet.

A 540-foot water blanket was used. Gas showed at the surface in 10 minutes. The water blanket started flowing out in 40 minutes, and oil came to the surface in 50 minutes.

Flowed Two Hours

It flowed to tanks for two hours through a five-eighth inch bottom hole choke. Production the first hour was 46.75 barrels of clean oil. In the second hour the yield was 34.57 barrels of petroleum.

Gas volume was approximately one million cubic feet per day. There was no water. The development was deepened to 8,262 feet. Operator is running a Schlumberger survey, and will follow by setting casing on bottom, and perforating opposite the pay already penetrated and completing.

This well is between the Three Bar field and the West Parker-Devonian field to the north of it and indicates that the two areas may ultimately be connected.

TSPE Sates Meet For Thursday Night

The Permian Basin Chapter of the Texas Society of Professional Engineers is to hold its January meeting at 7:30 o'clock Thursday night at the office of the Basin Construction Company, 210 West

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Texas Ice Storm Damage Mounts

U. S. Moves To Relieve Storm Stricken West

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Senate Thursday raised the amount proposed for relief of snowbound Western states to \$3,000,000.

WASHINGTON—(P)—The House Thursday voted \$500,000 to help 10 Western states dig isolated ranchers and their livestock out of a long and heavy snow. The bill, passed unanimously, now goes to the Senate.

WASHINGTON—(P)—A \$500,000 disaster relief fund for storm-stricken Western states was approved Thursday by the House Appropriations Committee.

Speaker Rayburn said he would ask a House vote on it during the afternoon.

At the White House, President Truman also was taking steps to get more federal relief funds for the blizzard-swept areas. He asked that Congress vote him a new \$1,000,000 emergency disaster fund and said part of the money would go for blizzard relief. He did not say how much.

The \$500,000 approved by the House Appropriations Committee would be supplementary to any funds the President turned over from his emergency disaster account.

The main purpose of the appropriation is to save starving cattle and sheep stranded by recent snowstorms.

\$200,000 Already Available

President Truman announced at a news conference that he was asking the new \$1,000,000 fund.

Truman Wednesday made \$200,000 available for disaster relief in the Western states.

Asking Congress for additional money, he said a \$500,000 fund voted by Congress last year has been reduced to \$50,000.

Some of the money has gone for earlier disaster relief. Prior to Wednesday's allotment, he had made \$50,000 available for blizzard aid.

The request is going to Congress, he said, in the form of a supplemental estimate.

Sun Steps Up Tempo Of Poll Tax Payments

Midland County poll tax payments were picking up Thursday as the weather cleared and the sunshines melted the ice on the courthouse steps. Lines formed in front of the windows in the tax collector's office and the big rush is expected to continue through the week. The deadline for poll tax payments is Monday.

A total of 2,389 poll taxes had been paid at 11 a. m. Thursday, Collector J. M. Speed said.

The county-wide "Pay Your Poll Tax" campaign sponsored by the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the League of Women Voters was getting back into full swing after being slowed down by the key weather.

JayCees are calling on employees in downtown stores, and members of the Voters League are contacting office workers. Both groups have poll tax application forms which may be used by interested persons to obtain their voting certificates without going to the courthouse.

Leaders in the campaign urge all citizens to pay their poll taxes in order to be able to cast ballots in important elections scheduled this year. Monday is the last day for obtaining the all-important poll tax receipts, they said.

Mrs. J. R. Bell Is Appointed Clerk Of Crane County

CRANE—Mrs. J. R. Bell was appointed county and district clerk of Crane County to fill the unexpired term of Eugene J. Wasson, resigned, at a special meeting of the Commissioners Court here Wednesday afternoon.

Wasson, who had served as clerk the last eight years, resigned the office Tuesday for "personal reasons."

Mrs. Bell has resided here the last 21 years, coming here with her late husband as a bride. Mr. Bell died last October. Mrs. Bell has been the manager of a flower shop. She has been active in civic and church affairs, and is a member and former officer of the Order of Eastern Star.

CONDITION "UNCHANGED"

Miss Joan Edwards' condition Thursday noon was described as "unchanged" by hospital attendants in Odessa, where she is recovering from critical head injuries suffered in an automobile accident January 17. She has not regained consciousness.

Philco Refrigerator Bargain—Save \$60. WILCOX HARDWARE.—(Adv.)

CAB Official Speaks At Midland Banquet



Oswald Ryan of Washington, D. C., vice chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board, addressed the annual membership meeting and banquet of the Midland Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night in Hotel Scharbauer. "Aviation and Peace" was the subject of his address. Seated at the speaker's table, left to right, are: Mayor R. H. Gifford, Mrs. Stanley M. Erskine, Mr. Erskine, Mrs. Ryan, Tom Sealy, retiring president of the Chamber of Commerce, and Mrs. Sealy.

Truman Asks Better Living Standards In War On Communism

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman said Thursday he has asked Secretary of State Acheson to work out preliminary plans for the development of "skills" to improve living standards of the world's underdeveloped areas.

He said such a step in the United States foreign policy program has been in his mind ever since the Marshall Plan was inaugurated.

It's a part of the policy of the Administration over the next four years, the President told a news conference.

The secretary of commerce, the secretary of agriculture, and all the other departments will work with the State Department on preliminary plans, he said.

As for the ECA, the President said that agency now is doing some of the things he has in mind.

The President's remarks on his project for the world's underdeveloped areas came on the heels of indications that the U. S. Treasury doors may be less open to foreign nations than they have been.

Private Capital Emphasized

Instead, private capital is being emphasized as a possible source of aid to friendly countries, in one of two new trends which seem to be emerging in American foreign policy.

The other apparently is aimed at presenting the United States as a rallying point to people all over the world in the cold war against Communism.

Dean Acheson Wednesday gave fresh emphasis to this apparent change of pace in the nation's foreign policy, in his first important public statement as Truman's new secretary of state.

He made it a point at his new conference to comment on the President's world development proposal, stressing anew that it calls for private investment, and, like Truman, accompanying that with a sharp rap at Communism.

Aviation Official Goes Home By Rail

Oswald Ryan, vice chairman of the powerful Civil Aeronautics Board, which controls the operations of the nation's commercial airlines, left Midland on the rails Wednesday night after waiting 24 hours for airline transportation back to Washington, D. C.

The CAB official was the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce here Tuesday night, and was due back in the nation's capital Wednesday afternoon. But the icy weather, which caused cancellation of plane flights, prolonged his stay in Midland.

Ryan left Wednesday night on a Texas and Pacific train.

Bevin Policy Draws Labor Cabinet Fire

LONDON—(P)—Politicians and newspapers speculated generally Thursday that Ernest Bevin's assignment as foreign secretary is under study at a Labor cabinet inquest into his Palestine policy.

The cabinet met Thursday morning. Bevin was absent but William Whiteley, the chief government whip,

was called in, possibly to report on the Labor revolt against Bevin in Parliament Wednesday night.

The House endorsed Bevin's policy but only by a margin of 90 votes, 283 to 193. The Labor government has 393 seats, about 60 per cent of the 640 members. A round hundred Labor members abstained or were absent on the vote of confidence.

The issue brought the first break in the previously solid Labor-Conservative lineup on international questions and the defection of a big bloc of Laborites. The government's majority was the smallest on a major issue since it came into power in 1945.

Palestine Is Issue

The government vote was said to have come entirely from Labor ranks, with Winston Churchill's Conservatives, the Liberals and Liberal Nationals all in opposition.

Closing the debate, Attlee told the House Britain "accepted in principle" the recognition of Israel. He said she was waiting to announce the action until she has consulted the Deir Yassin and her Brussels allies.

The Israeli government, which Britain refused to recognize for more than eight months, appeared likely to be little changed as a result of election of a 120-member constituent assembly in the Jewish state.

With about 60 per cent of the votes counted from Tuesday's election, the Labor Party (Mapai) of Premier David Ben-Gurion was emerging head and shoulders above all others with nearly 35 per cent of the vote.

Pollsters Still All Wet To Harry

WASHINGTON—(P)—President Truman said Thursday he did not have any confidence in the public opinion polls—even those which show 69 per cent of the people approve his actions.

A reporter told him that the latest Gallup poll indicates 69 per cent of the people now approve his policies.

Truman, who upset the pollsters in his stunning January election victory, replied that he had no more confidence in polls now than he did during the campaign.

'Axis Sally' Hears Own Broadcasts In Trial For Treason

WASHINGTON—(P)—"Axis Sally" landed Thursday on the receiving end of some of her wartime broadcasts from Germany.

The broadcasts brought Maineborn Mildred E. Gillars, 48, to trial in U. S. District Court on a treason charge.

The jury already has heard four witnesses from Germany testify to Miss Gillars' activities for the German overseas radio during the war.

John M. Kelley, Jr., chief government prosecutor, told reporters only one more witness would be called before he began a job of several days duration playing recordings of Miss Gillars' programs. GIs from Africa to Germany called her broadcasts the "Axis Sally" program.

Frank L. Seaman Is First Draftee From Men Registered Here

Frank L. Seaman has been inducted into the Armed Forces under the Selective Service Act to become the first man from Midland-Standing-Glasscock board to be drafted under the new peace time set up.

Seaman was registered at the Sterling County office and at the time he was drafted, was making his home in Colorado City.

According to information released by the draft board office here, he is single, physically fit and a non-veteran.

Inventory Sale—Chambers Gas Range—Save \$40. WILCOX HARDWARE.—(Adv.)

WEATHER

Becoming partly cloudy with rain and snow in some areas of West Texas Thursday night. Partly cloudy Friday. Colder in Panhandle Friday afternoon. Maximum temperature Wednesday 28 degrees. Minimum Thursday 27 degrees.

Plains Area Thaws Under Blazing Sun

Thirty-eight towns were isolated from communications Thursday as a mantle of ice sheathed North Texas for a third straight day.

Although the sun broke through clouds in some areas to kindle hopes for a thaw, the official weather forecast promised no important temperature changes for East Texas and slightly colder weather for the Panhandle.

Snow, sleet and freezing rain ripped across the Panhandle, South Plains and Northwest Texas early Thursday. But a two to three-inch layer of ice and snow was thawing under a bright sun at Lub-

bock and the sun was breaking through intermittently at Dallas in the big ice storm area.

Continued freezing rains Wednesday night added to the tremendous, multi-million dollar destruction in the North Texas ice area. The damage to communications and power facilities and trees alone was fantastic. Community life and business affairs were paralyzed and travel was dangerous.

The ice belt, roughly, stretched from Denison and the Red River on the north to Hillsboro on the south and from Gainesville on the west to Paris on the east.

1,250 Phone Circuits Out

The Southwestern Bell Telephone Company reported 1,250 circuits out, 11,000 wire breaks, 1,300 poles broken.

These cities, served by Bell, were isolated: Saver, Gainesville, Celina, Frisco, McKinney, Italy, Wolfe City, Ladonia, Prosper, Anna, Farmersville, Melissa and Princeton.

In addition, these communities, served by independent companies, were without service: Ponder, Crosson, Argyle, Whitesboro, South Maid, Bonham, Sanger, Valley View, Dodge City, Honey Grove, Ben Franklin, Krum, Sledge, Windom, Alva, Flado, Howe, Pan-Alstyne, Dorchester, Gunter, Elus Ridge, Frost, Blooming Grove, Covington and Brandon.

Indefinite delays were posted on calls to North and West Texas.

Heavy property damage was reported at McKinney.

Cities like Fort Worth, Denison, Sherman, Gainesville, Dallas and Bonham were similarly hard-hit as North Texas sagged and glittered under its terrific load of ice. Tens of thousands of trees were broken. Power company crews worked feverishly to patch broken lines.

Southwestern Bell had more than 300 repairmen on the job and another 100 were on the way.

There were five and one-half (Continued on Page 9)

Legislature Closes Short Week With Long Weekend Layoff

AUSTIN—(P)—The House of Representatives held a 22-minute session Thursday and adjourned until Monday morning in honor of the late Rep. Tom Martin of Fredericksburg, who died last fall.

The House disposed of minor business matters and quit work before the Senate convened. The Senate was expected to hold an equally short session before taking its third long weekend layoff.

The House heard Gov. Beauford H. Jester's message commending the Gilmer-Aikin Committee report, thanked Smith County rose growers for presents of rose plantings, and adjourned by a record vote of 86 to 31.

50 A Day Workers

Thursday was the tenth day the Legislature had held business sessions since it convened January 11. Through Wednesday the House had worked a total of some 17 official hours in nine days; the Senate 14 1/2 hours.

The House average was one hour, 53 minutes per day and the Senate's was one hour, 36 minutes for the nine work days.

On the basis of \$10-a-day salaries, representatives were earning their pay at the rate of \$530 an hour; senators, \$625 an hour (not including a small amount of time put in on Senate committee meetings).

Traditional delay in getting the House organized for business has been the chief reason for putting in such short legislative hours.

Speaker of the House Durwood Manford was hopeful he might announce committee appointments by Monday. Then bills can be introduced in the House, and legislative machinery can really get rolling.

Compromise Near In Water Wrangle

AUSTIN—(P)—West Texas' chances of getting what it wants in the way of water priority laws looked better Thursday.

Legislators from that area met Wednesday night and named "floor managers" to protect West Texas interests when water measures are considered.

Possibly of more importance, an unusual long distance telephone conference indicated good chances for a compromise between the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Texas Water Conservation Association.

Enroute to the meeting here, WTCC General Manager D. A. Bandeen was "weathered in" at Fort Worth. He couldn't make it here by plane, train or automobile. A long distance telephone conference was arranged. The three-way call included Bandeen, a Fort Worth Star-Telegram reporter, and Gen-

eral Manager J. E. Sturrock of the Texas Water Conservation Association.

Leaders Chosen

Bandeen then listed his three principal objections to the water code drafted by Sturrock and the TWCA. Water Law Committee Chairman E. V. Spence of the State Water Board said his advice to West Texas was to "impose" was (Continued on page 6)

Clear Skies, Warmer Weather Helps West

By The Associated Press

Temperatures moderated and skies were mostly clear Thursday in the snow-covered Western states where disaster relief crews worked to save thousands of stranded livestock and marooned ranchers and Indians.

With no heavy falls of snow over the Western Plains and Rocky Mountain region, airlift operations were increased, easing the feed crisis in Nevada and Utah.

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SOCIETY

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Pioneer Names New Traffic Manager For Midland Area

David C. Clark has been named district traffic and sales manager of Pioneer Air Lines in the Midland area, replacing C. R. Vandervoort, Harding L. Lawrence, vice president of traffic and sales, announced Thursday.

Lawrence said Vandervoort had resigned to enter private business.



David C. Clark

Clark, former district manager for Pioneer in Albuquerque, N. M., is a native of Teague, Texas, and graduated from high school in his home city. He attended Sam Houston State Teachers College in Huntsville prior to his enlistment in the Air Forces in 1940.

From 1940 to 1943, Clark was a master sergeant in the U. S. AAF in the capacity of a line maintenance supervisor.

He joined Pioneer Air Lines May 26, 1947, as a transportation agent in Fort Worth. In April, 1948, he was named district traffic and sales manager for the Albuquerque-Santa Fe area.

As district traffic and sales manager for Pioneer, Clark will be in charge of all allied activities in the Midland, Odessa, Big Spring and Sweetwater area, Lawrence said.

Wardrobe Modeled On Club Program

Dresses, suits and coats to make up a basic Spring wardrobe were modeled by Mrs. Johnnie Harris, Mrs. E. D. Ward and Peggy Clark to illustrate the discussion by Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, county home demonstration agent, for the Busy Wives Home Demonstration Club Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Roy Lands was hostess to members in her home. After the program she served refreshments to Mrs. Jean Thompson, Mrs. Billie Norwood, Mrs. Marie Ward, Mrs. J. C. Bradley and the models.

The next meeting will be in Mrs. Bradley's home.

FFA Chapter Gets Letter From Puerto Rican Government

The Midland High School FFA Chapter Thursday received a letter from the Department of Education of the Government of Puerto Rico asking for a recording of an interview the Midland delegation had with the Puerto Rican delegation at the National FFA Convention at Kansas City, Mo., recently.

The Midland delegation of J. R. Cuffman, advisor, Howard Bennett and Don Bizzell took a wire recorder to the convention and obtained an interview with the delegation from Puerto Rico.

D. M. Clements, assistant chief of the Agricultural Education Service of Washington, D. C., heard of the interview and wrote the Puerto Rican Department of Education about it. Puerto Rico wants the recording for broadcasting to FFA members.

R. O. Krause And Family Return To Former Home

R. O. Krause, "the whistling postman" who was well known on the West Illinois and West Texas Streets route, left Thursday morning for his former home in Saint Jo, Mich.

Mrs. Krause died here a few weeks ago and the body was sent back to Saint Jo for interment. Krause has three children, two girls and a boy. One girl, Norma Jean, was a senior in Midland High School.

Krause will continue in his work as mail carrier in Saint Jo.

Trains Are Back On Schedule After Storm

The Texas and Pacific Railway office here reported Thursday passenger trains from both directions are getting back on schedule following delays caused by this week's icy weather.

The east-bound mail train ran on schedule Thursday morning, but the west-bound train was an hour and 20 minutes late when it reached here.

Freight train schedules are being met in most cases, officials reported.

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Convention Tea Of Fine Arts Club Planned

A Texas drama was reviewed for the Fine Arts Club at its meeting Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Nelson Puett, 612 West Storey Street, and plans were made for a tea which the club will give for delegates to the Eighth District Federated Club convention here in April.

Honoree at the convention tea will be Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, a member whom the Fine Arts Club recently presented as a candidate for the presidency of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. The tea will be one of the major social events of the convention.

Mrs. Hodge was in charge of the program Wednesday and reviewed the play, "Where the Dear Antelope Play," by John William Rogers. Written for the Dallas Little Theater and first produced by that organization in 1941, the drama is set in a West Texas town.

After the program and business session, Mrs. Puett served refreshments to 16 members.

Bob Wills Returns To VFW Hall Here

Bob Wills and his Texas Playboys, said to be the nation's most popular Western band, are returning to the Midland VFW Hall for a one-night engagement Saturday. The public is invited to attend the dance, which is expected to attract a record crowd.

The Wills band has been presented on two previous occasions at the VFW Hall here, each time to large and enthusiastic audiences.

Bob Wills has been a busy cowhand since he left his Texas homeland 10 years ago to gain national fame as a band leader. His more than 1,000 recordings include many best-sellers.

VFW officials said Thursday no advance table reservations will be accepted for the Saturday night dance. The ample table and seating sections will be available on a "first come, first served" basis. The doors will open at 7 p. m., with dancing scheduled to begin at 9 p. m.

Dust falling in Great Britain has been traced to the Sahara Desert, a distance of 2,000 miles.

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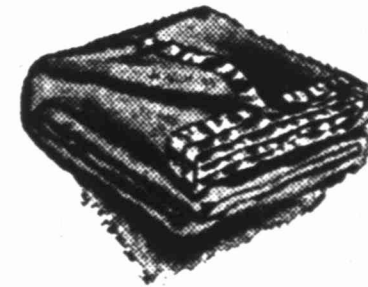
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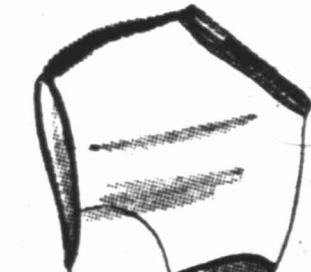
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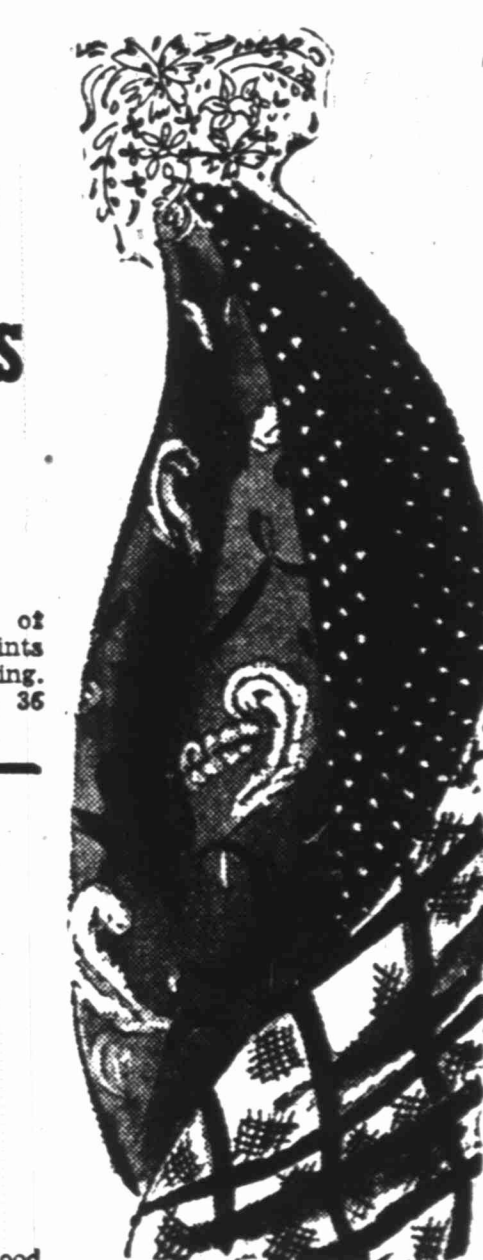
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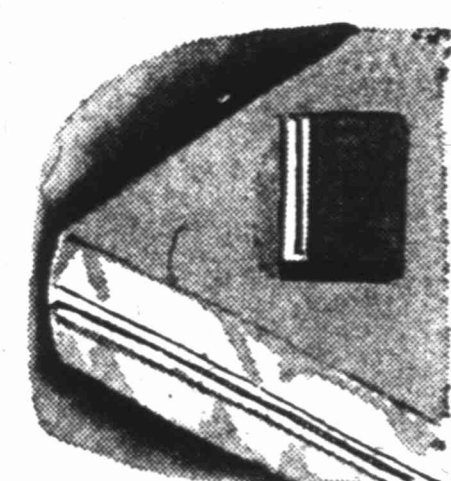
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Football Banquet Date Set

The annual football banquet given by the Booster Club honoring the high school grid players and their dates will be held at 7 p. m. Wednesday, February 2, in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Attendance is expected to number about 300 persons, including more than 90 football players, their girlfriends, special guests and a limited number of Booster members and their ladies.

Mike Brumelow will be master of ceremonies. The Midland Lions Club Band will furnish music. Introduction of the ball players and coaches from the various teams will be made.

A film of the 1948 Midland-Odessa game may be shown if it is desired by the boys.

James Will Speak

Thompson (Tugboat) Jones, new coach at Midland High, will make a short address. Barnes Milam, retiring coach, will speak.

The general theme of the banquet will be a glance back at the 1948 season and a look into the future.

Arrangements for the banquet were discussed at a meeting of the Booster board of directors Wednesday.

Directors attending included: Jack Jones, Frank Monroe, Roy Milne, J. W. McMillen, Stan Erskine, Bob Price, Jack Hawkins, Bud Taylor, Dave Henderson, John Scroggin, Tex Carleton, Louie Bevil and Tanner Laine.

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Thompson, Vets Take Loop Wins

VFW beat West Texas Office Supply 48-15 and Ted Thompson Agency nudged the JayCees 28-21 in City League Basketball games played Wednesday night at the VFW hangar of Midland Air Terminal.

Friday's slated tilts are: Magnolia vs. Ranch House and West Texas vs. JayCees. First game is called at 7:30 p. m.

In the Wednesday battles, VFW had little trouble with the Supply five. Charlie Kelly of the Vets looped in 12 points for high scoring honors. Hanway got six tabs for the West Tex quintet.

The Ted Thompson-JayCee fracas was stoutly contested and was close all the way. Pyle of the Insurancemen was high scorer with 12 tallies. Lawther got nine counters for the JayCees.

The box scores:

VFW (48)	FG	FT	F	TP
Franco	3	0	2	6
Harris	3	0	1	6
Kreidel	1	0	2	2
Pinesy	2	0	1	4
Burns	1	1	0	3
Kelly	6	0	0	12
Grove	0	0	2	0
Moore	1	3	1	5
Sorabacz	1	0	1	2
Rodgers	0	0	0	0
Means	4	0	1	8
Totals	22	4	11	48

WEST TEX (15)

FG	FT	F	TP
Hanway	1	4	5
Dorsey	1	2	3
Robinson	0	0	3
Yeager	0	0	0
Chancellor	1	1	3
Adams	0	0	1
Huckaby	1	0	2
Secor	0	0	0
Totals	4	7	13

Officials: Johnson and White.

THOMPSON (28)

FG	FT	F	TP
Pyle	5	2	12
T. Thompson	0	0	0
Corbett	2	0	4
C. Thompson	0	0	0
L. Hodges	2	2	5
Fleming	0	0	0
Salmon	0	0	0
Putrell	1	4	6
Haskins	0	1	3
Dyess	0	0	2
A. Hodges	0	0	0
Lowery	0	0	0
Totals	10	8	28

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Pup Lettermen To Be Honored

Football letters will be presented members of the 1948 John M. Cowden Junior High Bullpups at halftime of a basketball game Thursday night in the MHS gym.

Twenty-four Pupps, eighth grade, will be honored. Thurmon (Tugboat) Jones, high school coach, will speak and make the letter presentations.

A double-header of basketball is slated. Midland's seventh grade Pupps will meet Lamesa in the first game at 7 p. m. with the eighth grade Pupps tangling with Lamesa in the second battle.

The ceremony is slated between halves of the eighth grade game. The public is urged to come out and watch these future Bulldogs perform on basketball court and to see the last year's gridders honored. Lettermen Listed

Here are the eighth grade Pup Lettermen: Larry Friday, Tom Whatley, Alvin Lookamp, Russell Cox, Charles Patterson, Jack Tabor, A. W. Boothe, Keys Curry, Bill Erskine, Don Smith, Bobby Whitaker, Ronny Rone, Billy Leonard, Bobby Foster, Jimmy Dorman, Bobby Cast, Robert Keisling, Dick Spencer, Pat Bunie, Harold Robbins, Roy Kinsey, Gwyn Grisham, Jimmy Strickland and Billy Ray Stark (absent).

142 Mashiemmen Aim At Stopping Hogan In Phoenix Tourney

PHOENIX, ARIZ. —(P)—There were 142 golfers out to stop Ben Hogan's quest for a third consecutive 1949 tournament title Thursday as play started in the \$10,000 Phoenix Open.

The 137-ponds links star already has topped top money in the Bing Crosby and Long Beach events in California.

For Hogan this marks the last outing until the Masters' at Augusta, Ga., although Ben says he "may" play in the Houston Open. He figures it's about time the Hogans were settling in the new home they bought in Fort Worth last Spring.

Compromise—

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ter for your cities now before others get vestive rights."

Here are Banded's principal points regarding the TWCA code:
1. That Section 13 of the TWCA draft be amended to eliminate the "storage" provision from its language: "A natural channel may be utilized in the exercise of a water right, for the storage of water or for the conveyance of either surface water or natural flow."

The utilization of such channel and the reclaiming of waters turned into it must not diminish the waters already flowing therein, to which others have acquired rights."

2. The bill should restore the present "recapture" statute, granting cities the right to appropriate stream flow without condemnation or compensation to prior appropriators applying the water to a use inferior to the domestic and municipal priority.

3. That the code's Section 22, granting cities the right to appropriate and store water for future use, should be eliminated as being discriminatory to other cities on the same watershed.

Sturrock said he advised W. K. Tippen, Abilene legislator, he personally would be willing to see such amendments made to the code in committee, and added "I feel sure the members of our water laws committee will offer no objection, although they feel the 'recapture' clause is unconstitutional and bond buyers have told us they consider it clouds the property rights of water appropriators."

He told Banded he had drafted a letter of reply to John D. Mitchell, of Odessa, West Texas Chamber president, which was to be mailed Thursday with a copy of Banded, embodying this willingness to compromise their differences.

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The Midland High basketball team is at a cross roads of the 1948-49 season. It can go down one road called "Aw what's the use after that loss to Odessa." Or it can go up the road called "Win the next game, the next and the next, get in the district tourney, win the championship."

Knowing the boys who make up this year's ball club as we do, we would say they will take the up road.

Midland's comeback starts Thursday night (tonight) at Big Spring. Here's a prediction—Midland will win.

Of course some of the lads might improve and others might slip a cog or so, but we could name you an All-District 3-AA basketball team.

We will name a team of 10 performers. The starting five would be hard to say. Here's the pick: Larry Messersmith and Max Harris of Midland, Leon Blair and Gene Morris of Lamesa, Culin Grigsby of Big Spring, Hub Ingraham and Bill Galusha of Odessa, Cliff Rowland, of San Angelo, Riley Cross of Sweetwater and Ed Sharpe of Odessa. Alternates would be Lloyd Henderson of Midland, Leroy Hand of Sweetwater, Ronny Chapman of Lamesa, Ray and Roy Morris of San Angelo, Scotty Holland of Abilene, Howard Jones of Big Spring and Oscar Roth of Odessa.

Now you might take Reed Gilmore of Midland, Wally McNeil of Lamesa, Ken Miller of Sweetwater, Jim Manning of Odessa and a few others and beat them year after year. Because you would have fine ball players all.

Play is good this season in the conference. The highest scorers include Messersmith, Grigsby, Blair, Morris, Rowland, the Mohr boys, Sharp and Holland. The better guards include Harris, Hand, Patterson and Geron of Odessa, Chapman, Gilmore and Grigsby, along with Scheyley of San Angelo.

There are a flock of good floor men, expert dribblers, fine feeders.

On a given night in a warm mood and any one of these boys could beat you, or win for you, as it were.

Area teams like the annual Odessa invitation basketball tourney because of the many attractive awards offered. The year some 31 individual trophies and three team cups are to be given.

Miniature gold basketballs will go to 10 members of the winning team. Ten silver balls go to the runner-up team members. In addition, members of the all-tournament team, 10 in number, will receive awards. There will be a trophy for the player chosen as the best sport.

Not all of us got to see a recent thriller basketball game in which the Midland (eighth grade) Bullpups beat Odessa Juniors 22-20. The game was a see-saw, bangup battle.

Coach Dale Scott at junior high is due much praise for his work with the basketballers.

Here is the box score of that thriller:

MIDLAND (22)	FG	FT	F	TP
Keisling	4	0	2	8
Kimsey	0	0	1	0
Friday	4	1	1	9
Erskine	1	1	0	3
Paden	0	0	0	0
Whittaker	0	0	0	0
Smith	0	0	0	0
Totals	10	2	4	22

ODessa (20)

FG	FT	F	TP
Gipson	0	0	0
Jackson	1	0	2
Harris	1	0	4
Freeman	3	0	6
Zellers	3	1	7
Adams	0	0	0
Sharpe	1	2	3
Totals	9	2	11

Halftime score: Midland 9, Odessa 9.

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Midland Bulldogs To Play Big Spring Thursday; Will Enter Tourney Friday

The "comeback" Midland Bulldogs journey to Big Spring Thursday night for a 3-AA encounter with that school's Steers. Midland holds a previous decision over Big Spring 42-34 at Midland.

Not impressive in their games with the Odessa Bronchos Tuesday night, which they lost 32-17, the Bulldogs will be out to get back on the winning track. Big Spring will be tough at home. The Steers possess a 3-3 record in the conference. Midland holds a 4-4 rating in won and lost.

Friday the Bulldogs will double back to Odessa to enter an invitational tourney. Midland plays Odessa B in the first round at 9 a. m. Friday. Friday afternoon, the Purple (if it wins) engages the winner of the Big Spring-McCamey game.

First round pairing in the tourney: Midland vs. Odessa B; Big Spring vs. McCamey; Pecos vs. Wink; Denver City, bye; Lamesa vs. Odessa A; Monahans vs. Kermit; Andrews vs. Seminole; and Crane vs. Port Stockton.

Semi-finals are booked Saturday afternoon with the finals that night. McCamey is defending champion of the Joust, Lamesa, Midland and Crane are high-seeded teams.

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PICKUP-TRUCK CRASH

Police reported a collision Wednesday at the intersection of Wall and K Streets between a pickup truck driven by J. C. Wilson and a truck driven by Roman Salvador. No injuries were reported.

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Crude Production In Texas In 1948 Sets New All-Time Record

TULSA—Texas broke all its previous records in production of crude petroleum in 1948 and passed the 900-million-barrel mark for the first time, it is revealed in the annual statistical issue of The Oil and Gas Journal, published here this week.

Producing close to half of all the nation's oil, Texas thoroughly dominated the oil picture in drilling, reserves, and all other aspects of the industry, and the Journal's forecasts for 1949 indicate the state will continue to maintain its pace. Texas produced 923,227,000 barrels of crude petroleum during 1948, compared with the 1947 total of 819,427,000 barrels, its previous top production. As of Jan. 1, 1949, the state had 109,712 producing oil wells, with an average yield of 23.0 barrels per day.

Figures Given
A total of 12,251 new wells with a total of 52,745,532 were completed in Texas during 1948, the Journal revealed. Of this number, 2,568 were wildcats, resulting in 377 oil discoveries, 104 gas producers, and 2,087 dry holes. Development wells completed in the state last year totaled 9,888, resulting in 7,242 barrels of crude petroleum during 1948, compared with the 1947 total of 8,194,270 barrels, its previous top production. As of Jan. 1, 1949, the state had 109,712 producing oil wells, with an average yield of 23.0 barrels per day.

Oil-Well Drilling in Texas
will reach the total of 12,042 new wells during 1949, the Journal predicts on the basis of plans revealed by individual operators. Of the total, 2,670 will be wildcats, while 9,372 will be development wells. Footage of all wells to be drilled in the state will total 54,280,000 feet.

Reserves Estimated
As of Jan. 1, 1949, the state's proven recoverable reserves of all liquid petroleum hydrocarbons, including crude oil, condensate (if any), and casinghead gasoline, according to the Journal, totaled 15,594,000,000 barrels, an increase of 229,000,000 barrels since Jan. 1, 1948. In addition, the state had proven reserves of 96,200 billion cubic feet of dry natural gas on Jan. 1, 1949, an increase of 700 billion cubic feet since Jan. 1, 1948.

Crane News

CRANE—Mrs. Linda Moore, mother of Roy Moore, will return this week to her home in Overton, Texas. She has been a visitor here the last month.

Mrs. Mary Covill has received word of the death of her brother, W. K. Vann, in Fort Worth, Texas. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

Maxine Williams, who has been attending Howard Payne College in Brownwood, has joined the staff of the Vogue Beauty Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Mitchell were to leave Thursday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Mitchell's brother-in-law, Carl Chesney, who died Saturday in Artesia, Calif. Services will be held in Electra.

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Terminal School Announces List Of Honor Students

Honor roll students of the Terminal Elementary School were announced Thursday as follows:

First Grade—Ray Carter, Jim Tom Hardaway, David Harrup, Ralph Skelton, Jackie West, Billy Whiles, Durwood Gilbert, Donald Black, Jimmy Robertson, Joe Gentry, Billy Womack, Marijohn Counts, Mary Blanche Duke, Ruth Ann Feilows, Jamie Flowers, Ella Rose Forehand, Jowanna Grisham, Barbara Gunter, Roberta Martin, Carolyn Roberts, Tommie Ruth Tate.

Second Grade—Eugene Arnold, Norman Hooten, David Watkins, Charlotte Parker, Beverly Porter, Mackie Goodyear, Gebby Long, Sandra Clark, Julia Condon, Sue Landrith, Renee Mills, Roma Gayle Newman, Arline Pittman, Faye Plummer.

Third Grade—Jimmie Shadden, Dorothea Bible, Fatsy Segrest, Donna Wilemon, Ben Hardaway, Nancy Lou Daniel, Leo Provence, Barbara Faucett, Neil McNally, Irene McCluskey, Betty Plummer, Annette Martindale, Nancy Louise Allen.

Fourth Grade—Joyce Allen, Wynona Newman, Frieda Upchurch, Tommy Hill, Leroy McGlothlin, Loyd Oldaker, Ronald Sartain, Billy Scott, Jack Shelton, Billy Helen McMillan, Gerlene Marlow, Nancy Ash.

Fifth Grade—Patricia Audas, David Clemens, Shirley Nelson, Barbara Porter, Gene Pritchett, Sara Segrest, Nancy Prout, Lynn Ash, Flora Jean Mills, Dale Duke.

Man Held Without Bond In Shooting

EUNICE, N. M.—Glen Skinner, 26, charged in the fatal shooting of Homer Lee Daugherty, is being held without bond for the next term of district court.

Skinner pleaded innocent Wednesday to the charge of first degree murder at a preliminary hearing before Justice of the Peace Faugh Bowen.

The shooting occurred January 10 on a street here. Both Skinner and Daugherty were oil field workers from Electra, Texas.

At the hearing Daugherty's widow testified the shooting occurred after an argument in a bar. She said Skinner later drove up in his automobile as Daugherty stood on the main street, stepped out and fired a .410 gauge shotgun at close range. Daugherty died in a hospital two hours later.

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City Of Midland Has 'Money In The Bank'

The general fund of the City of Midland received \$83,916.62 from various sources during the month of December, according to a financial statement issued this week by City Manager H. A. Thomason. Disbursements for the 30-day period totaled \$70,188.89, which, with a November 30 balance of \$37,419.56, left a balance of \$51,147.29 on December 31, 1948.

The income was as follows: Ad-valorem tax, current, \$29,118.82; ad-valorem tax, delinquent, \$1,049.61; interest and penalty on delinquent taxes, \$504.20; tax certificates, \$60; occupation tax, \$257.50; court fines, \$1,728; parking meters, \$3,855; trash fees, \$83.15; auditorium rents, \$41.50. Building fees, \$527.75; electrical fees, \$449.75; plumbing fees, \$401.20; water and sewer revenues, \$13,297.07; water taps, \$1,859.10; sewer taps, \$1,000; water deposits, \$350; farm rents, \$2,015.46; house rents, \$150; payments on loans, \$37.50; hot checks, \$487.65; sale of merchandise, \$100; DDT fees, \$20.75; telephone calls, \$25.31; refunds, bond funds, \$5,028.63; interest on bonds, \$6,250; refund by county on auditorium improvement, \$508.91; and Airport Department, \$14, 621.46.

GI Building Trade Trainees May Work Without State Pay
WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Veterans Administration says it will let GI trainees enrolled in building trades classes continue to work on "live" projects after February 1 without state trainee pay, pending action by Congress or an adverse opinion by the attorney general.

VA defines a live project as one on which other people are working and are being paid and which is for sale or future use. A previous order by Administrator Carl Gray had directed that trainees working on "live" jobs be paid trainee salaries by their respective states after February 1. The money would be in addition to the government subsistence.

Judgements Granted For Restitution Of Rent Property Here

A Latin American woman was granted judgement for the restitution of her rental property and judgement for unpaid rents in two cases tried in Justice Court here Thursday.

Judgement against one tenant was for \$105 for unpaid rent and the other was for \$87.50. Restitution of property by the owner was granted in both cases.

Charges of assault and battery were filed against one tenant as the outgrowth of an incident allegedly involving him and the landlady. The man's bond was set at \$400 in the case.

BOYD AND DZIEWAS TO VISIT TEXAS
V. M. Dziewas, district field officer of the Production Marketing Association, and James A. Boyd, Midland County PMA administrative officer, were to go to Odessa Thursday on official business.

C. OF C. HAS NEW OFFICE SECRETARY
Mrs. George L. Self, formerly of Abilene and Lubbock, Thursday assumed her duties as office secretary of the Midland Chamber of Commerce. Manager Delbert Downing said. She formerly was connected with the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

Cotton
NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures at noon Thursday were unchanged to 15 cents a bale higher than the previous close. March 32.72, May 32.45 and July 31.46.

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Protests Against Oil Imports Slated At IPAA Meeting

WICHITA FALLS—(AP)—Protests against heavy imports of foreign oil were expected to be made at a meeting of oilmen from about 17 states here Thursday and Friday.

It is the quarterly meeting of the Independent Petroleum Association of America. The meetings usually attract executive members and state vice presidents from 17 states. Speakers at Thursday night's banquet will be Rep. Ed Gossett (D-Texas) and Russell B. Brown, general counsel for the association from Washington, D. C. They will discuss proposed legislation in the 81st Congress affecting oil production.

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Several hotels reportedly will be unable to confirm reservations until next month and some are expected to be full until April.

Hotels in Acapulco also are reported to be doing a rushing business.

DICK PEPIN CHOSEN PAMPA CITY MANAGER

PAMPA —(P)—Pampa's new city manager is R. G. (Dick) Pepin, who has served the city three years as city engineer.

The City Commission announced Wednesday that Pepin was unanimously named to succeed Steve Matthews. Matthews resigned, effective February 15, to become Lubbock city manager.

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Mrs. Ellen Peters, 21-year-old Cincinnati, O., mother, wants to sell one of her eyes for \$10,000. Medical bills have put the family in debt, and a third child is expected in March. Her husband earns almost \$200 a month, but that's not enough to pay their medical expenses. That's daughter Rita Ann, 2, with Mrs. Peters.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

In Hollywood, Everybody That Ain't Mad Is Just Confused

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—I was glad to hear that the High Voltage Club of Kansas City (composed of high voltage linemen) is in love with Barbara Stanwyck and just gave her an award for giving the "most electrifying performance of the year" in "Sorry, Wrong Number."

I was happy about this note of brotherly love on account of everyone else in Hollywood seems to be getting the hot foot these days. Everybody is mad about something.

Australian churchmen are mad at Rita Hayworth and "dozens" of other Hollywoodites they say are "just as bad."

Rita and her prince are mad at the world's press for spotlighting their road show romance and insist they'll be married after the prince attends to a little divorce.

Members of the Hollywood Film Academy are mad at the Academy's board of governors for switching the Oscar awards from a studio sound stage to the 950-seat Academy theater, which would keep practically the entire membership away from the affair.

Sam Goldwyn and Eric Johnston are the maddest two people of all, shouting things back and forth at each other across the country.

Louis B. Mayer is mad at the SEC for releasing a story that his salary for the fiscal year ending last August was \$733,024. Mayer claimed an error and indignantly announced he was paid only \$417,263.

NBC is mad at CBS for stealing all its stars.

Hollywood is mad at an Indianapolis newspaper for the headline "Hollywood Starlet Arrested for Shoplifting." The girl, it developed, had tried to get in pictures but the closest she ever got to the screen was as a runner for three weeks in a studio mail department.

Hollywood is mad about a falling boxoffice—\$10,000,000 less in the third quarter of '48 than the corresponding period in '47.

Me, I'm not mad at anybody except the popcorn people and I've been mad at them for years. I'm just confused.

Hollywood is a confusing place these days. You don't hear movie talk any more. Television and economy are the only topics of conversation. Like the Warner studio personnel down to 300, the minimum permitted by insurance companies if studio policies are to be kept in force, and Hal Roach converting his entire studio into a films-for-television factory.

Other startling things are happening:

David O. Selznick wants to sell his multi-million-dollar film properties, including the services of his bride-to-be, Jennifer Jones, and the desk in his office.

Read waiters in swank filmtown cafes are being polite to tourists for the first time in seven years.

No stars are under suspension at Warner Brothers (probably on account of no stars are working there).

Brian Donlevy says he's going to film a picture about the California gold rush in Florida. (See why I'm confused?) Studio restaurants are deserted—for the first time in years there's more ham in the kitchen than around the tables.

A trade paper even startled me. It read: "Italian, taught by an Italian."

Howard Hughes reversed his decision to shut down RKO's Pathe lot in Culver City when he discovered that maintenance and upkeep of the lot, even though shut down, would still cost him \$2800 a week.

Teresa Wright's next acting effort will be on the New York stage. She heads for Gotham early next month.

Woman Killed In Crash Near Monahans

ODESSA —(P)—Mrs. Josephine C. Luetner, 66, was killed late Tuesday seven miles west of Monahans on Highway 80 when her car skidded on icy pavement.

She was the wife of F. L. Luetner, president of the Peoria, Ill., Loan Homestead Association.

Luetner was injured slightly in the accident. He is in a Monahans hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Luetner were on their way to Arizona for a vacation.

MAHON ASKS PRICE SUPPORTS ON SORGHUMS

WASHINGTON —(P)—Rep. Mahon (D-Texas) has asked the secretary of agriculture to order promptly a 90 per cent of parity price support for the 1949 grain sorghum crop.

The Texas congressman told Secretary Charles Brannan such action would let thousands of acres of West Texas land—land which otherwise would be put into cotton—be planted in the grain feed.

He suggested that planting of more land in grain sorghum would be in line with the department's plan to curtail cotton production.

NEGRO BABY FOUND IN GARBAGE CAN

DALLAS —(P)—A negro baby found in a garbage can here has been named Christine.

Parkland Hospital workers named the child after Dr. Christine Zarafetis, resident physician who took care of the premature girl.

A garbage collecting crew, detecting a whimper as they emptied a refuse receptacle, found the baby. More than 100 negro families seek to adopt the infant girl, who still is in an incubator.

PAIR TAKEN IN TEXAS SENTENCED TO DEATH

CHICAGO —(P)—Two men arrested in Seguin, Texas, were sentenced Wednesday to death in the electric chair following conviction on charges of murdering a Chicago cab driver during a robbery.

They are Alfonso Najera, 25, and Fred Varela, 34, both of Mexican descent. They were charged with slaying Albert Brody, 25, April 12, 1948.

TEXAS KILLED IN JAPAN

TOKYO —(P)—Lt. Jack W. Kaufman of Texas City was one of five Americans and Japanese killed Sunday when an electric train struck their jeep near Nagoya.

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Midland Oil Play Picks Up During Temporary Thaw

During the brief period last week when the Midland area thawed, oil play began picking up. New locations for oil exploration over the territory totaled 56, a large increase over the previous seven-day period.

Wildcats were staked in Scurry, Andrews, Howard and Lamb Counties. Scurry listed three ventures; the others reported one each.

Of the field projects, Cochran County gained 10, Hockley seven and Ector seven. Andrews and Pecos Counties listed six apiece.

Drill sites were staked for four inside tests in Loving County. Winkler County came up with three. Gaines reported two.

The remaining field locations were spotted one each in Crockett, Glasscock, Hale and Reeves Counties.

Figures are based on files in the Midland office of the oil and gas division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. That office also listed two amended applications to alter previously established locations. They were in Pecos and Cochran Counties.

ANDREWS COUNTY
Cities Service No. 1 Cowden, 660 feet from south and east lines of southwest quarter of section 14, block A-52, pal survey, rotary, 10,300 feet depth, Dollard field, starting at once.

Cities Service No. 3-Y University, 1,983.5 feet from west and 661.2 feet from south lines of north half of section 13, block 13, University survey, rotary, 11,900 feet depth, Shafter Lake-Ellenburger field, starting immediately.

Humble No. 4 H. E. Chesley, et al., 667.4 feet from east and 1,981.7 feet from north lines of section 24, block A-25, pal survey, rotary, 4,500 feet depth, Means field, starting immediately.

Magnolia No. 14 Ralph, 660 feet from west and south lines of section 11, block A-37, pal survey, rotary, 7,250 feet depth, Fullerton field, starting at once.

J. C. Barnes No. 1 Lawlis, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 22, block A-47, pal survey, rotary, 12,500 feet depth, wildcat, starting at once.

Stanolind No. 6-O-R/A-B Midland Farms, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 8, block 42, T-1-N, G&MB&A survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Midland Farms field, starting immediately.

Ets & Robertson (Fort Worth) No. 1 State of Texas, 330 feet from south and east lines of northeast quarter of section 14, block 13, University survey, rotary, 10,000 feet depth, Shafter Lake-Devonian field, starting immediately.

COCHRAN COUNTY
C. U. Bay No. 1 Roy Gunnels, 642 feet from west and 440 feet from south lines of unit 15, F. O. Subdivision 2, league 131, Carson CSL survey, rotary, 5,010 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

F. R. Jackson (Longview) No. 3 and No. 4 Sunray-Wright No. 3 is 440 feet from north and east lines of labor 5 and No. 4 is 440 feet from north and east lines of labor 12; No. 2 is 440 feet from north and west lines of labor 12; No. 3 is 440 feet from east and north lines of labor 12; and No. 4 is 440 feet from east and north lines of labor 12, league 7, Martin CSL survey, rotary, 4,950 feet depth, Levelland field, starting February 1.

Sunray No. 3 Vaughn, 440 feet from north and east lines of labor 2, league 59, Martin CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Levelland field, starting immediately.

S. J. Sackett, F. P. Phillips and H. J. Heartwell (Fort Worth) No. 1 D. S. Wright, 440 feet from south and east lines of labor 12, league 7, Martin CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Slaughter field, starting January 30.

Amended: Anderson-Prichard No. 3 Eugene V. Thompson, 440 feet from south and west lines of tract 21, F. O. Subdivision 2, Carson CSL survey, rotary, 5,050 feet depth, Levelland field, starting immediately. (changed well number).

Anderson-Prichard No. 2 Eugene V. Thompson, 660 feet from east and 1,823 feet from south lines of tract 21, F. O. Subdivision 2, Carson CSL survey, rotary, 5,050 feet depth, Levelland field, starting January 30.

HALE COUNTY
General American No. 4 A. F. Byrd, 660 feet from north and 1,340 feet from east lines of section 17, block K, TTRR survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Arick field, starting immediately.

HOCKLEY COUNTY
Stanolind No. 3 Gustersloh, 660 feet from north and west lines of labor 6, league 30, Baylor CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Levelland field, starting immediately.

Stanolind No. 8-C-T/A-A Texas Land & Mortgage, 660 feet from east and south lines of labor 5, league 30, Baylor CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Yoskum County Gas Company No. 3 R. E. Peck, 440 feet from north and east lines of labor 16, league 42, Rains CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Slaughter field, starting immediately.

Bates-Reading Oil Corporation (Midland) No. 1 L. L. Pond, 660 feet from east and south lines of labor 19, league 732, State Capitol Lands survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Stanolind No. 10 Mid-Seale, 1,220 feet from east and 440 feet from south lines of labor 30, league 39, Maverick CSL survey, rotary, 5,150 feet depth, Slaughter field, starting at once.

Coline No. 2-D N. W. Willard, 440 feet from north and west lines of labor 1, league 65, Midland CSL survey, rotary, 4,880 feet depth, Levelland field, starting at once.

Magnolia No. 13 Maple Wilson, 440 feet from north and 3,117 feet from west lines of league 42, labor 5, Kaufman CSL survey, rotary, 5,000 feet depth, Slaughter field, (Continued on page 4)

GLASSCOCK COUNTY
Sun No. 16 Hart Phillips, 330 feet from west and 1,923 feet from south lines of southeast quarter of section 14, block 33, T-2-S, T&P survey, combination tools, 2,400 feet depth, Howard - Glasscock field, starting January 27.

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The collie and his black pal were romping in Flint, Mich. Then the black dog was hit by a car, and killed. The faithful collie stood guard over his dead friend, at the spot where he was hit. He refused to leave the body until the black dog's owner claimed his body—almost 24 hours later.

Johnny, 9, Breaks All Of The Rules, But By Law He's No Problem Till 12



If Johnny burns down a neighbor's house, the state says it's just a baby's game if he isn't 12.

BROOKLYN, N. Y. —(NEA)—Johnny X is an angelic-faced soft-spoken boy of nine. His body is small but his mind is sharp. He tells a good story, and tells it most convincingly.

Johnny is sane. Psychiatrists at Kings County hospital say so. And Johnny isn't a delinquent — he can't be one until he is 12, because that is the rule for the New York State Training School at Warwick.

Yet Johnny is, in his own small way, a problem. A lot of experts have failed to solve him.

He has been before the Juvenile Aid Bureau 11 times for everything from robbing a church poor box with a key to hitting a 14-year-old girl in the stomach, breaking windows in the Quaker Meeting House, setting fire to houses to hide evidence of burglaries.

Johnny's known career of major trouble-making is almost two years old. It started in April, 1947, when he set fire to a house in his block. He was put on probation for a year, during which no important misdeeds have come to light. But in December, 1948, he went to work.

More Damage
December 11 he broke into a house, burglarized it, turned on water taps and gas jets, started a fire that did \$5000 damage.

December 12 he broke into another house, found no money, and took revenge by turning on the taps, clogging the drains so the water couldn't run off, and setting the house afire.

Daily Wash Needed By Brush And Comb

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

The quickest way to dim the luster of clean hair is to run a soiled comb and a brush through it.

The only guarantee of cleanliness for a comb and a brush used as daily grooming aids is a daily dunking. To simplify the job of cleaning hard-to-get-to teeth and bristles is the purpose of a new comb - and - brush cleaner which merges two aids into one efficient gadget.

In the top of this little wonder-worker of mock tortoise shell is a brush cleaner of nylon bristles set in sturdy rows. When these are pulled through a brush or between the teeth of a comb, all dirt is removed from the base up.

The cleaner has a pointed end which is designed to be used to remove snarled hair from the bristles of a brush.



★ WE, THE WOMEN
By RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer

When women take down their hair and complain about their husbands' faults, it's amazing how often the "faults" are virtues carried to extreme.

There's the "good provider," who lets business so absorb him that he never has any time for his family.

There's the "devoted son," so devoted to Mama he is forever at his mother's beck and call, much to his wife's annoyance.

There's the "stay-at-home husband," so much a "family man" he never wants to go out with his wife.

There's the sociable, "life-of-the-party husband," who isn't happy unless he's in a crowd and who is forever suggesting that the "crowd" wind up a party at his house.

Extremes Both Ways
There's the father who wants the best for his kids — to the point of spoiling them by giving them too much. And the father who goes to the other extreme figuring that because he had tough sledding when he was a kid, his own children should do likewise.

And so it goes. The "faults" of their husbands that annoy a lot of wives the most are virtues carried to far.

Since that is so, it isn't too shocking to read that a wife recently divorced her husband because he was a teetotaler. It seems even that virtue can be carried too far. This husband walked out on a New Year's Eve party to "pray for the sinners" he left behind. His wife thought that was "extreme cruelty" and the judge who granted the divorce declared, "This couple obviously is mismatched."

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Los Angeles Camel Is No Ladies' Man

LOS ANGELES —(P)—Hal, the ornery camel of Griffith Park Zoo, has made it very plain, indeed, that he is not a ladies' man.

Zoo officials, deciding Hal was lonely and that maybe they could raise some little two-humpers to trade with other zoos, got him a camel girl friend. They paid \$1,500 to an animal farm for her.

They introduced her to Hal recently. But would Hal give her a tumble? No sir! He not only gave her the cold shoulder, or hump, but she ran away from her.

She chased him, in fact, all over his fenced yard. And Hal, stupid fellow, covered in a corner with a look that said "Get this babe out of here!"

Zoo attendants disgustedly shook their heads, but hoped her feminine charms eventually would conquer his girl-shyness.

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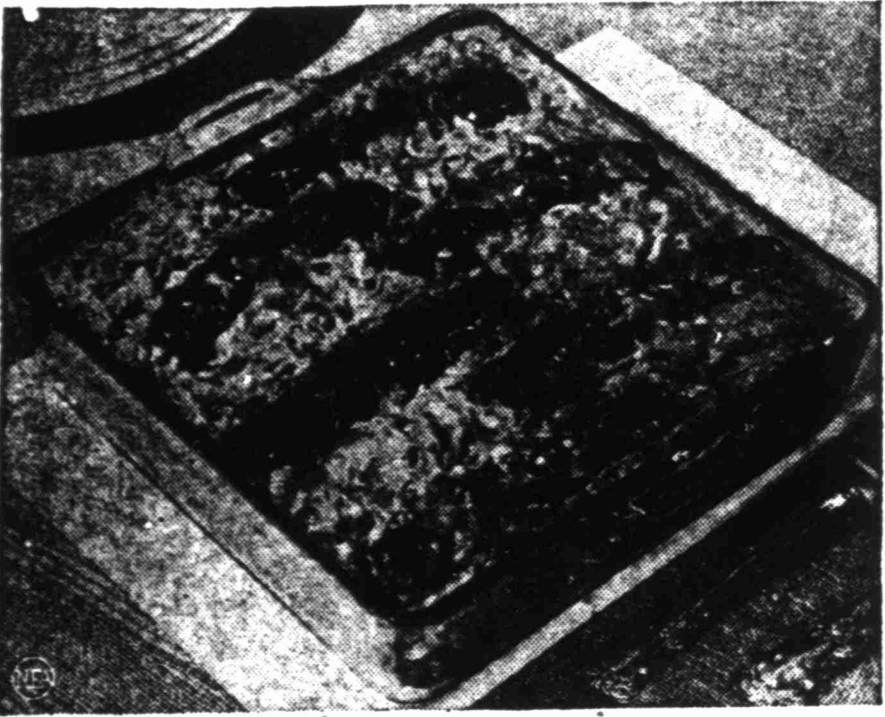


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(NEA Telephoto)
German pianist Walter Gieseking waves from plane's steps as he leaves for Europe only 45 minutes ahead of the deadline set by U. S. Immigration authorities. "It's not fit to print," he said when asked how he felt about returning to Europe on such short notice with his projected tour in the United States and Canada cancelled.

Team Up Franks And Sauerkraut



For a budget main dish high in eating quality, try this sauerkraut, cheese and frankfurter combination.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

For a low-cost food combination packed with nutritional values and sheer eating pleasure, look to sauerkraut and frankfurters.

Krautfrankfurter Cheese Bake

(Serves 4)
Three cups sauerkraut, 1 1/2 teaspoon caraway seeds, 6 frankfurters, 1 1/2 cups shredded sharp cheese.
Combine sauerkraut and caraway seeds. Place half of the sauerkraut in the bottom of a greased casserole. Cut frankfurters in half lengthwise. Arrange half of the frankfurters on top of sauerkraut and sprinkle with half the cheese. Repeat layers. Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees F.) 25 to 30 minutes.

Sauerkraut, Potato And Frankfurters

(Serves 4)
Two cups sauerkraut, 1 1/2 cup sauerkraut juice, 2 tablespoons grated onion, 2 tablespoons butter or fortified margarine, 1 cup finely grated potatoes (raw), 4 to 8 frankfurters.

Combine sauerkraut, juice, onion, 1 tablespoon butter or margarine and grated potatoes in a saucepan. Cook over moderate heat stirring frequently until potatoes are cooked. Cut frankfurters part way through on one side in parallel cuts about 1/4

inch apart. Saute in remaining butter until golden brown. Frankfurters will curl as they cook; so if two frankfurters are served with each serving of sauerkraut, place the frankfurters so that they form a ring about the sauerkraut.

Kraut And Frankfurter Vegetable Creole

(Serves 6)
Eight frankfurters, 1 tablespoon butter or fortified margarine, two 11-ounce cans vegetable soup (condensed), 1/2 cup water, 4 cups sauerkraut.
Slice frankfurters into 1/4-inch pieces. Saute in butter or margarine soup and water. Cook until thoroughly hot and blended. Meanwhile heat sauerkraut over low heat, stirring occasionally. When both sauerkraut and frankfurter mixture are hot, serve frankfurter mixture over mounds of kraut.

Winnie, Bing Are Tops With Betty For Heart Throbs

HOLLYWOOD —(AP)—Hold onto your hats—here comes our first "10 best" list of the year.
The conductor is Betty Hutton and she picks the 10 men with the most sex appeal.

Here are Betty's selections and comments:
Winston Churchill. "I never met him, but he has great appeal in his voice. It's not exactly sexy, but he has a command that makes women stop and listen."
Bing Crosby. "He's not an actor. He does everything the way he plays golf—free and easy."

Gen. George Marshall. "His integrity appeals to me."
Jack Benny. "He's brilliant and a big-hearted guy. He always gives the other performer a break."
Montgomery Clift and John Lund. "They kill me."

Producer Buddy DeSylva. "He knows more about show business than any man I know."
Gen. Ike Eisenhower. "He's a solid guy."

For her other two choices, Betty picked her doctor and her husband, who is such a wonderful anchor for me.

"Band leaders and movie stars may be the ideal of sex appeal to kids, she declared, "but not for me anymore."

Ferns with leaves 12 feet long grow in the Belgian Congo, according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

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J. W. Muse (Big Spring) No. 1 Minnie S. Veal, 115 feet from west and 125 feet from north lines of section 30, block 5, Vealmoor Townsite, rotary, 7,800 feet depth, wildcat, 20 miles north of Big Spring, starting March 15.

LAMB COUNTY

DeKalb Agricultural Association Inc., No. 1 J. R. Jameson, Jr., 660 feet from south and west lines of labor 22, Abner Taylor subdivision of league 674, State Capitol Lands survey, combination tools, 4,500 feet depth, wildcat, five miles southwest of Littlefield, starting immediately.

LOVING COUNTY

McDaniel & Beecher & C. O. Davis No. 5, No. 6, No. 7 and No. 8 Grisham & Hunter fee; No. 5 is 330 feet from south and east lines of northeast quarter; No. 6 is 330 feet from east and 990 feet from south lines of west half of northeast quarter; No. 7 is 330 feet from east and 1,650 feet from south lines of west half of northeast quarter; No. 8 is 330 feet from east and north lines of west half of northeast quarter of section 2, block 56, T-2, T&P survey, combination tools, 3,350 feet depth, Tunstill field, starting at once.

PECOS COUNTY

R. J. Ramsland and J. C. Barnes-Trustee No. 5 V. B. Unsicker & H. U. Marshall, 990 feet from north and east lines of southeast quarter of section 25, block 10, H&GN survey, cable, 1,400 feet depth, Pecos Valley High Gravity field, starting at once.

Paul L. Davis No. 2-B Humble-Shearer, 330 feet from southeast and 990 feet from southwest lines of north quarter of section 37, block 10, H&GN survey, cable, 2,000 feet depth, Lehn-Apoco-1800 field, starting at once.

Amended: Gulf No. 34 M. A. Smith, et al., 664 feet from south and 2,320 feet from east lines of section 22, block 194, GC&SF survey, cable, 1,850 feet depth, Yates field, starting immediately. (Changed location.)

Gulf No. 83-To I. G. Yates, 2,145 feet from west and 4,290 feet from south lines of Runnels CSL survey,

No. 3, A-2189, cable, 525 feet depth, Toborg field, starting at once.
Union Oil & Mining Company No. 2 Schraff and Blackmon, 1,650 feet from west and 330 feet from north lines of lease in section 38, block 3, H&TC survey, cable, 1,800 feet depth, Pecos Valley High Gravity field, starting February 1.

Gulf No. 82-To I. G. Yates, 825 feet from south and 1,913 feet from east lines of Runnels CSL No. 3, A-2189, cable, 550 feet depth, Toborg field, starting at once.
Gulf No. 34 M. A. Smith, et al., 2,968 feet from west and 330 feet from south lines of section 22, block 194, GC&SF survey, cable, 1,850 feet depth, Yates field, starting at once.

REEVES COUNTY

Hill & Hill No. 5-F J. C. Camp, 990 feet from west and south lines of northwest quarter of section 2, block 56, T-2, T&P survey, combination tools, 3,350 feet depth, Tunstill field, starting at once.

SURRY COUNTY

J. S. Collins, et al. (Corsicana) No. 1 C. E. Parks, 1,980 feet from north and 330 feet from west lines of section 44, block 97, H&TC survey, rotary, 7,900 feet depth, wildcat, eight miles north of Snyder, one and one-half miles east of Standard of Texas No. 1 Brown discovery.

Placid No. 1 Mrs. W. W. Early, et al., 1,090 feet from east and 467 feet from north lines of section 26, block 1, J. P. Smith survey, rotary, 7,200 feet depth, wildcat, six and one-half miles northeast of Snyder, starting at once.

Placid No. 1 R. H. Odom, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 38, block 97, H&TC survey, 7,200 feet depth, wildcat, six and one-half miles northeast of Snyder, starting at once.

Winkler County
Gulf No. 281 G. W. O'Brien, et al., 990 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of section 7, block P, G&MMB&A survey, rotary, 3,185 feet depth, North Ward-Estes field, starting at once.

Gulf No. 143-St Keystone Cattle Company, 2,085 feet from north and 1,875 feet from east lines of section 6, block B-2, psi survey, rotary, 7,975 feet depth, Keystone-Silurian field, starting at once.

Richardson & Bass No. 5-A M. J. Bashara, 440 feet from west and 1,320 feet from south lines of southeast quarter of section 22, block 77, psi survey, cable, 3,550 feet depth, Keystone-Colby field, starting at once.

CORRECTIONS

W. A. Moncrief (Fort Worth) No. 5-B J. O. Jones, 3,300 feet from west and south lines of section 2, block C-32, psi survey, rotary, 4,830 feet depth, Cedar Lake field, starting at once. (Previously reported as in block C-31).

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Sightless Sculptor at Work



One night, Arthur Schneider, who had been blinded by a Russian bullet during the war, picked up a piece of plaster to while away the time. By morning he had fashioned a crude elephant. He had started a hobby that has since developed into a promising career. Here he works on a bronze bust of his son, Manfred, in his studio in Oberammergau, Bavaria. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent Gerhard P. Seisig.)

West Elementary School Honor Roll Is Announced

The list of honor roll students at West Elementary School for the third six-weeks term of the school year was announced Thursday by Principal Wesley Martin. The list is by grades, all A's and A's and B's.

First Grade: All A's—Bill Morgan, Georgene Peters, Judith Orson, Arnold Krieger, Dennis Cox, Danny McCain, Charles Bayless, Louise Gibson, Linda Bowers, Sandra Shalnik, Roger Lawhon.

A's & B's—Karl Bagwell, Dick Campbell, Larry Huffman, Ronnie Smith, Charles Ervin, Charles Leeper, Evelyn Ray Arthur, Beverly Kay Burkett, Marjann McGowan, Jo Anna Pate, Patricia Stafford, Vicki Ann Voice, Donna Kay Colvin, Gary Hendrick, Josephine Slate, Wayne Dickerson, Linda Porter, Ronald Schenck.

Jeffery Chase, Martha Bowden, Sandra Montgomery, Bill Gray, Janice Kimberlin, Linda Woolley, Charles McCall, Monte Osborne, Patricia Busby, Barbara Porter, Mimi Muldrow, Betty Lee Davis, Sonora Scott, Paul Jo Peck, Dorothy Kelly, Bobby Schmidt, Bobby Fischer, Corky Moore, Glen White, Edwin Thacker, Alan Smith, Eddie Haase.

Second Grade: All A's—Bradley Woods, Gary Creath, Ann Elder, Betty Sherrod, Mary Helen Metcalfe, Joe Graham, Marlan Lewis, Leslie Ann Harrison, Ronda Horn, Linda Rylee, Mary Helen Crooks, Janice O. May, Catherine Morris, Larry Ledebur, Barbara June Yancy, Harold Bahr, Charles Butler, Richard Davis, Bobby Porter, Mike Scott, Larry Stanley, Nancy Estes, Sue Mills, Linda Sharp.

A's & B's—Mike Appleton, Dick Cason, Bruce McKague, Kay Mackey, Carl Peters, Mike Speers, Bill Statton, Carl Ann Oberholzer, Janice Porter, Sonya Adamson, Jeanne Ann Darden, Charley Hayes, Dickie Lynn Box, Mike Dunagan, John Harris, Tommie Hoover, Louie Kirkpatrick, Sandra Joe Martin, Roger Mike Northup, Jesse A. Rogers, Jr., Tim Thompson, Gary Dan Patterson, Wallace Ravan, Jimmy Withrow, Bobby Lynn Barnard, Bill Crothers, Barbara Baird, Judy DeWees, Delle Gee, Margaret Hart, Ann Mackey, Rosalind Redfern, Emily Stall, Mary Wheelodon.

More Students
Third Grade: All A's—Nancy McCall, Bobby Jo Ivy, Kay Stall, LeVeta Montgomery, Sally Glass, Mary Lynn Salt, John Younger, Tommy Campbell, Dan Irwin, Jane Armontrout, Andrea Cole, Allison Gray, Patsy Johnson, Georgia Melton.

Fourth Grade: All A's—Benny Rae Cuffman, Edward Kirkpatrick, Gregor Smith, Arthur Adams, Ann Brooks, Nancy Forman, Douglas Hatfield, Ramona Hynd, Patricia Powers, John Redfern, Patricia Wilkerson.

A's & B's—Brenda Bottoms, Jimmy Brodigan, Marion Conn, Jack Crockett, Marilyn Elder, Don Henderson, Mary Zella Creswell, Suzanne Deas, Jill Ledebur, Virginia Peters, Carroll M. Thomas, A's & B's—Jackie Creswell, Diane Darden, Tiny Drake, Eloise Hatfield, Ann Majors, Sarah Mave-rick, Jane Park, Pauline Pope, Linda Stephenson, Don Cox, Barry Cummings, Walter Dunagan.

Jerry Hart, Hamilton McRae, Don Rowland, Ronald Thomas, Tommy Thompson, Claude Walker, James Barron, Judith Bliss, Stuart Chancellor, Jessie Gene Cobb, Bill Harris, Gerry Lyn Hughes, James Little, Meredith Mae Nipp, Joan Carol Redding, Jonathan Walker, Martha Webb, Billy Dan Miller.

COLLECTS LOST MINES STORIES
NEW YORK — (AP) — Raymond Dow, civil engineer, collects stories about lost mines. He has 2,000 of them, as well as a pile of worthless stock. For the stock, as well as the stories, he merely is a collector, not an investor.

Moppet Radio Operator Passes Tests And Receives License As 'Ham' At Age Of 10

By HERB ALTSCHULL
AP Newsfeatures

PHILADELPHIA—Jane Bieberman is as tiny as an average 10-year-old.

But when it comes to radio, Jane is a real grown-up—and the youngest radio operator in the country. Jane doesn't like to take too much credit for her accomplishments. After all, her daddy is a math teacher and one of the best known amateur radio operators in the Philadelphia area. He taught her all she knows.

But with daddy, Jesse Bieberman of suburban Cynwyd, it's a different story. "Jane wanted to learn to be a ham," he said. "She's a bright kid. She likes everything. She's full of pep. She likes to read, she likes her girl scouts and her piano, and she likes school."

Tiny Jane, eldest of three sisters, first took an active interest in radio when she was six years old. She wanted to know how to copy the code as it came dot-dash through her daddy's receiver.

So, the lessons began. When her father left for the Army, she had learned to copy five words a minute.

The radio training fell off. When Daddy came back there were more important things than radio to talk about at first.

Last Spring, Jane decided she wanted to take up her radio studies again. She and her father went to work. To pass the examination for an amateur operator's license given by the Federal Communications Commission, she had to copy 13 words a minute and answer many technical questions.

On August 20, Jane and her father went to the Customs House and Jane took her examination.

"I was very confident," said Herbert Lipsom, the FCC man who gave her the test. "If you didn't look at her and see how small she was, you'd swear she was a grown-up."

"Oh, no," she said. "My father has just like it. I used to practice on it."

"Her father went out and she took the test. She filled out her application all by herself, turned in the test and said she hoped it turned out satisfactorily. The entire exam took about two hours and she went through it like she really knew what she was doing."

"The only thing that seemed to disturb her was her math. She said her father had given her special training and she was concerned about whether she'd know the answers to the stock questions."

"B" License
Six weeks later, Jane received her "B" amateur radio license. That made her eligible to transmit and receive on certain frequencies. An "A" license is issued after a year and the operator must pass a more difficult examination. With an "A" license, any frequency available to amateurs can be used.

Lipsom said that while Jane is the youngest radio operator now in the country, there was an eight-year-old girl who passed her "B" test in 1933. That test was given in Baltimore and the young lady now is a commercial radio operator with an air line.

Jane isn't sure she wants to take up radio work commercially. The only thing she's sure she doesn't want to be is a school teacher. Her mother and father both teach school.

Little Miss Bieberman has her own station, W30VW, with power of 25-watts. This permits contacts with points in Canada and as far west as Wisconsin.

Jane admitted that she's still a little nervous about her radio talks. "We talk about the weather and our frequencies and other technical things," she said. "I'm getting over being scared now though. What I'd like to do is get a card from every state in the country."

Exchange Cards
Radio hams exchange cards through clearing agencies in the zones of the country set up by the amateurs' own organization.

Jane "works" somebody on her radio set about three evenings a week and makes about a half-dozen contacts per week.

"It's getting so," her father said, "that everybody is trying to work Jane. They've heard about her and they want to contact her. I don't think she'll have much trouble collecting a lot of cards."

Bieberman has been a ham for 23 years and has a station of his own. He has made contacts in 198 foreign countries, including the Soviet Union.

Jane's younger sister, Alice, 7, also is much interested in radio and chances are it won't be long before she starts to operate a set.

Little Jane is by no means a "radio bug." She finds time for many other things. She attends girl scout meetings regularly, she likes sports events and she's a proficient pianist. She practices an hour a day.

Jane was busy talking with a reporter and posing for a photographer when the piano playing aptitude was mentioned.

"That reminds me," said Bieberman, "Did you practice today?"

"Oh, yes," said Jane.

"You bet," agreed Mrs. Bieberman. "It's piano first—then radio."

Bieberman smiled. So did Jane.

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Tall Stories Tell Of Octopus, Eagle

MOSCOW — (AP) — Two stories have been reported here recently of narrow escapes by Russians from an octopus and an eagle.

A Tass dispatch from Sakhalinsk told how one diver, Nikolai Chrednikov, got entangled with the octopus and fought him under the water for three hours.

He had gone below removing a motor from a sunken ship when, according to the message, a large octopus grabbed his feet. For three hours he struggled to get away. He was not successful until another diver, Yakov Karpenko, came to his aid.

Karpenko was also entwined by the octopus but by the second diver was slashing out with a large knife. He fought his way to Chrednikov and freed him enough so he could get at his knife. Then the two men finished the octopus.

The second story was a Tass dispatch from Nikopol. It related how hunter Andrei Agrynni, while hunting ducks, fired at a 50-pound eagle and wounded him.

Although wounded the eagle attacked the duck hunter and, according to the dispatch, started to claw his gun. Again a friend came to the rescue. Together they killed the bird. It had a wing spread of about eight feet.

Giraffes can gallop at a speed of 30 miles per hour according to the Encyclopedia Britannica.

Sicily Plans Railway Project

ROME — (AP) — A ten-year program costing \$3,468,000,000 lire (\$55,763,000) to bring Sicily's outdated and war-shattered railways up to modern standards was disclosed recently by the Transport Ministry.

The new project includes electrification of the whole Sicilian railway system. Some 398 kilometers of track must be replaced.

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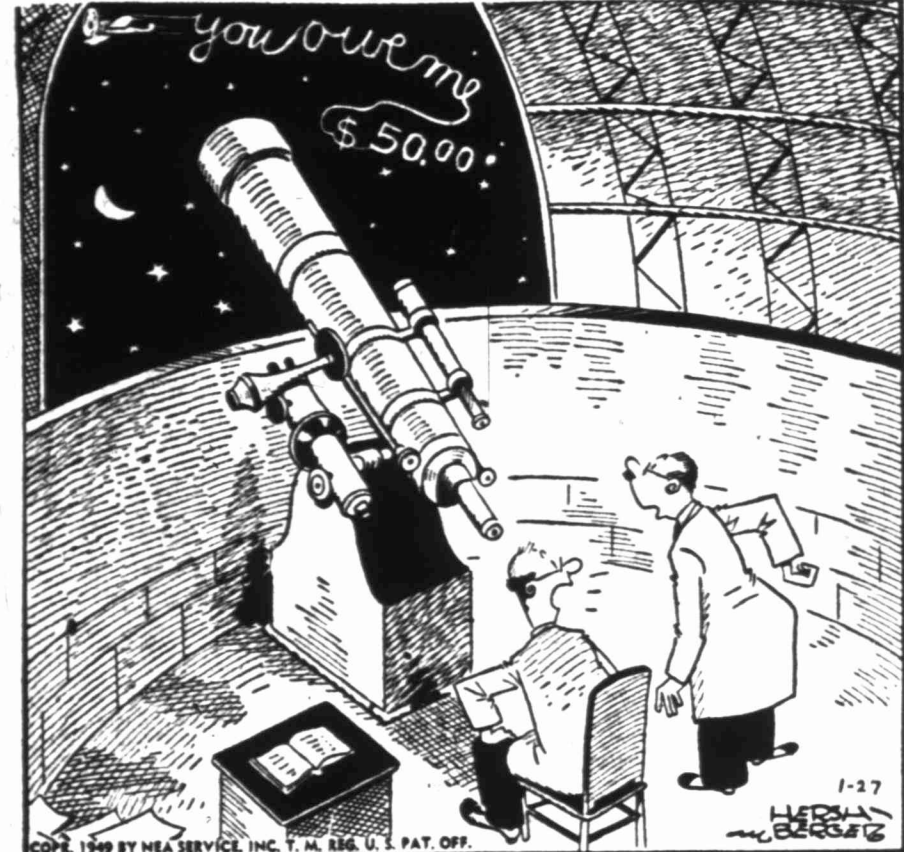
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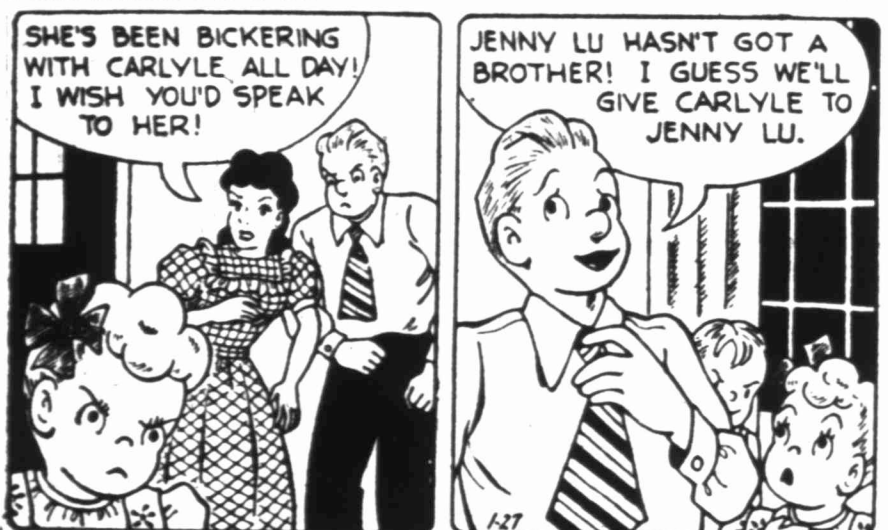


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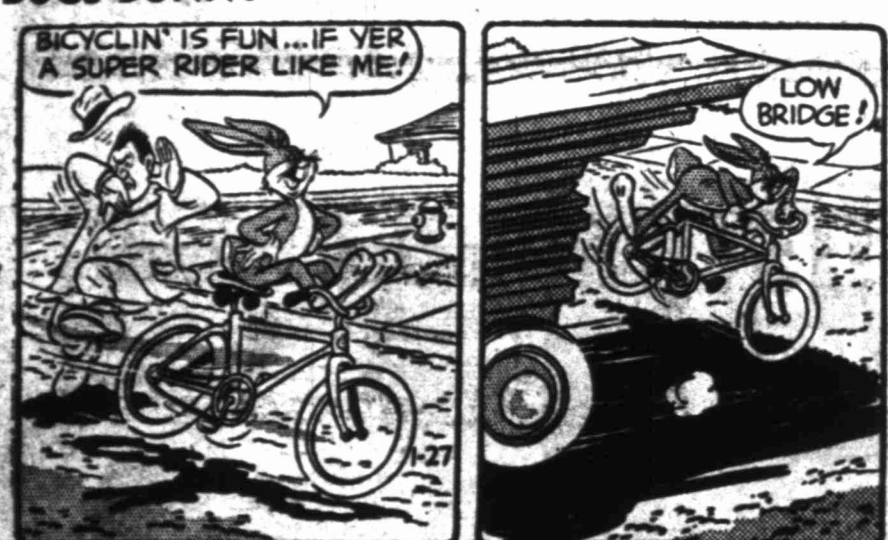
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Army Nurse Corps Seeks 3,800 New Recruits By July

With the forty-eighth anniversary celebration of the Army Nurse Corps falling on February 2, the week of January 30 to February 6 will be observed as "Army Nurse Week."

In honor of the occasion a special campaign has been initiated not only because it is the corps' forty-eighth anniversary, but because of the urgent program of nurse recruitment which is now in progress.

Thirty-eight hundred nurses must be found for extended active duty in Army and Air Force hospitals by June 30, 1949, Nurse Corps officials said.

Besides the nurses needed for the present expansion, the Army is attempting to build its Army Nurse Corps Reserve to 29,000. It is about 20,000 short of this goal. Nurses for the Army Nurse Corps are selected only from those nurses holding Reserve commissions.

In connection with the five-week pre-anniversary campaign, now in progress, an added attraction has been arranged. The first 175 Reserve Nurses who respond to the campaign will be assigned to Brooke Army Medical Center at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, for the Kate Smith Basic Training Class starting March 3. A national swearing-in ceremony has been planned on the Kate Smith radio program, with the oath of office being administered to each of 48 nurses, one from each state.

Missouri Farmers Solve Ice Problem With Socks, Cinders

PRINCETON, MO. —(AP)— Want to know how to keep sheep from slipping in icy weather?

Put socks on them.

Farmer Bill Cox found some of his sheep stranded in a ditch. He put men's work socks on them, permitting them to climb up the icy slope.

Cox isn't the only Missouri farmer who's been having trouble with livestock during the icy weather. Farmers have used tractors with chains to break paths through the ice, scattered cinders for the animals to walk on and used sleds to drag livestock across icy slopes to shelter.

Joe Jenkins reported his bull slid down a long hill—sitting down.

"He came from Arkansas last summer," said Mrs. Jenkins, "and he's not used to all the ice."

The bull is in the barn now—and he won't go out.

Daddy Ringtail

Daddy Ringtail And The Early Bird

By WESLEY DAVIS

Early one morning, Daddy Ringtail climbed down to the ground from the monkey house. He hadn't been out in the forest that early in a long, long time. Why, old Mr. Sun hadn't yet begun to climb up the sky. Daddy Ringtail wanted to see who was out of bed and who was doing what, while old Mr. Sun himself was still asleep.

Daddy Ringtail walked away and down the Elephant Path, and pretty soon, he met a bird that he had never seen before.

The bird was a strange bird. "Happy day there, Strange Bird," Daddy Ringtail said, because "happy day" is the same as "hello" in the Great Forest. "I am the Early Bird," the strange bird said.

"What is an Early Bird?" Daddy Ringtail asked.

"The Early Bird scratched his head with one of his feet to think about it. Then he said, 'The Early Bird is the bird who catches the worm.'"

Daddy Ringtail thought about this. "What worm?" he asked. "What worm does the Early Bird catch?" He knew that all birds try to catch worms.

"Oh," said the Early Bird with a bird laugh. "I catch whatever worm is there."

"Whatever worm is where?" Daddy Ringtail wanted to know.

"Whatever worm is where I am," the Early Bird said.

"But where are you?" the monkey daddy wanted to know.

"I'm where the worm is," said the Early Bird.

"Why?"

"Look here, Monkey Man," the Early Bird said to Daddy Ringtail, and scratched his head again. "I am the Early Bird. The Early Bird is the bird who catches the worm. He catches whatever worm is where he is. He catches it because he is the only bird there. He's the only bird there because he got out of bed very early—before anyone else."

"Oh!" Daddy Ringtail said with a happy smile that meant he understood at last.

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you can catch a worm if you want it, if you are an Early Bird, or if the Early Bird hasn't been there first. But I'd rather sleep a little later in the morning and let the Early Bird have the worm, wouldn't you? Happy day, and tomorrow I'll tell you about Daddy Ringtail's adventure with the White Cloud.

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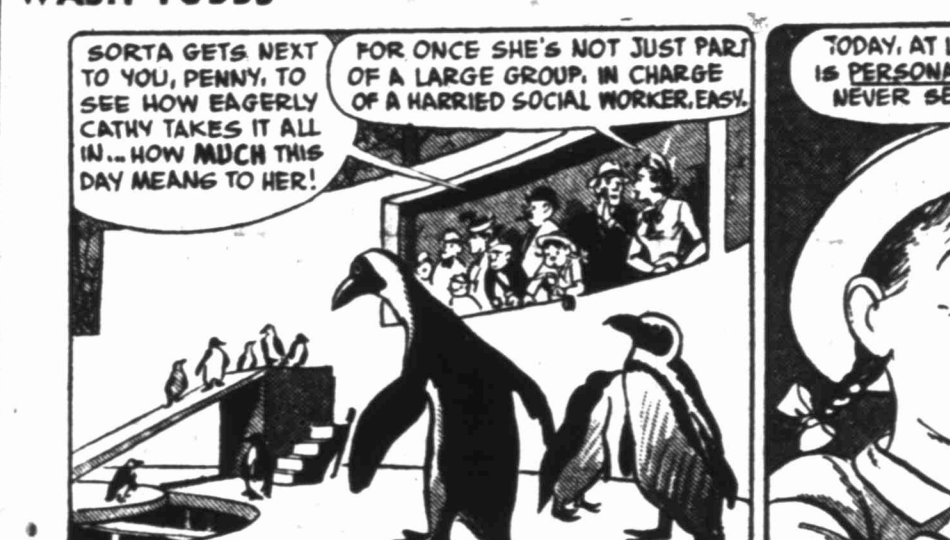
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U. S. Air Force Makes WAF Training Almost Painless

The training program the U. S. Air Force has for the Women in the Air Force now is practically painless, according to information reaching Sergeant Wheeler of the U. S. Army and U. S. Air Force Recruiting Station on the third floor of the Midland County Courthouse.

"The WAF basic training school at Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, is practically a college with dormitories, snack bar, theater and schools on the 'campus,'" said Sergeant Wheeler.

One of the hardest things for WAFs during the war was the absolute lack of privacy. Now the bleak, barrack style dormitories have been remodeled into small, private rooms. Two trainees are assigned to a room. The rooms are furnished with single beds, desks and straight chairs. In one corner are built-in cabinets and a rack for clothes.

"Fix-Up" Rooms
 The women are encouraged to "fix-up" their rooms with draperies of their choice. The same is true of rugs and bedspreads. They may put up pictures and have small pieces of furniture.

But there is one rule which must not be violated. Rooms must be clean and neat at all times. Officers are still as strict as ever. In the barracks is a kitchen where

"snacks" can be fixed. There's a room set aside to wash stockings and do pressing.

The women are given the same basic training courses as men and in several instances, by the same teachers, except they get no instruction in firearms or any such ground-work as is preliminary in the men's basic training course.

After basic, they will be sent to other schools for advanced specialized training. These courses vary from four weeks to several months. Choice of Specialties

As far as possible, trainees are given a choice of specialties. The last war showed that some of the keenest interpreters of war damage, as seen in aerial photographs, were women. Recruits who have a preference for photography will go to Lowry Air Force Base, Denver, Colo., for additional study.

Radio operators and mechanics will go to the radio school at Scott Air Force Base, Belleville, Ill.

The Air Force has a lot of "paper work" and trainees specializing as clerks, tabulators, and office workers will go to Francis E. Warren Air Force Base at Cheyenne, Wyo.

At Lackland Air Force Base, WAFs are confined to their own training area, but at the advanced schools, the classes are co-educational.

The first class at Lackland opened in mid-October with 84 members. The second class had 101 members and another 100 were added before the first class finished its course.

From now on, the school will stabilize with 300 in every class. Twice a year there will be Air Force Officer Candidate classes. The quota for each OCS class is 250 men and 25 women.

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Often-Injured Child Has Traits Of Good Mixer, Study Shows

By DAVID TAYLOR MARKE
 AP Newscaster

If Junior seems to be constantly bandaged, if he seems to suffer one accident after another, here's good news for you mothers.

It's because he's a popular youngster.

The number of injuries children get is a measure of their friendships, Dr. Elizabeth M. Fuller, associate professor of child welfare at the University of Minnesota, has found in a study of children who always are getting hurt. She found, also, that children who had a lot of accidents seemed to have the same group of personality traits.

Personality Traits
 What this group of personality traits adds up to is that the child "is usually the most desirable child, he is brighter, more alert, more active and more popular—more popular because the child who doesn't just sit back, the one who does things, attracts the admiration of his companions and just naturally makes more contacts with others."

Of course he isn't perfect. He is sometimes rude. He may be a daredevil, impulsive, impatient and sometimes obstinate, Dr. Fuller says.

Takes Tumble
 While hanging by his knees from an exercise ladder, the alert boy is apt to be distracted by some other happening in the room and, as a result, is maybe more likely to take a tumble than the child whose attention hasn't strayed from his own activity.

The accident-prone child is generally well-developed physically. He has what educators call better motor coordination, better control of his legs and hands, for instance. This, in a way, helps him to avoid even more injuries than he does get. If he slips while hanging from the ladder, he has a better chance of catching himself and preventing a fall.

Nevertheless, the physically able child gets himself into many more situations that lead to accidents.

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Motorists Must Show Their Colors



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Oceans Of Snow Promise Benefits In Western States

DENVER. — (AP) — The oceans of snow over the Western United States are filled with something besides misery. The beneficial payoff comes when the icy flakes start melting.

Farmers are the principal sufferers now. They'll be the prime beneficiaries when the white crystals dissolve into droplets of water, flow into streams and nourish the far-flung plains.

Federal officials agreed Wednesday the heavy snowpack from January's blizzards in the mountains assures adequate irrigation water. And that's the life blood of many of the West's rich farming areas—irrigation.

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Man Mistakes Cyanide For Gargle

SINGAPORE. — (AP) — Sore throat? You might try cyanide—but it's not advisable. But a man here who did lived to tell the tale.

A bottle was delivered to the door and a visitor in the house, mistaking it for the gargle he had ordered, seized the bottle, mixed about a tablespoon of its contents with some water and gargled.

He was interrupted by a horrified host who snatched the bottle away, explaining it was cyanide ordered for developing his photographs.

The gargarizer said he felt no ill effects.

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