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WEATHER

Generally fair Monday night and Tuesday. Not much change in temperatures. Maximum temperature Sunday 89 degrees. Minimum Monday 69 degrees.

Western Union Ordered To Close Racing Wire

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

James C. Watson
Oil Editor

Upton Wildcat Could Prove For Discovery Near Pegasus Opener

Republic Natural Gas Company appears to have found commercial petroleum production in the Devonian at its No. 1 Powell, wildcat in North-Central Upton County, two miles southeast of the lone producer so far completed in the Pegasus field.

The Republic Natural prospect took a drillstem test in the lower Devonian at 12,111-205 feet. A 2,700-foot water blanket was used. The tool was open five hours.

Gas showed at the surface in one hour and 35 minutes. The gas volume reached a maximum of 425,000 cubic feet per day.

No Formation Water

After the tool was closed operator started pulling the drill pipe. When 57 stands of the pipe had been pulled it unloaded water blanket for eight minutes. When 94 stands had been pulled the well again unloaded water blanket for four minutes.

When 100 stands of pipe had been pulled it started unloading distillate and it continued to kick out distillate intermittently, until the tool was brought out of the hole. Some water blanket and some drilling fluid also were unloaded. There were no signs of formation water.

It is estimated that a total of 1,300 feet of distillate was recovered during the test.

Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 1,600 pounds. Hydrostatic pressure was 6,300 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure, after 15 minutes was 4,200 pounds.

The venture is making new hole below 12,285 feet in lime. It is to continue until it tests the Silurian, and it likely will drill on down to the Ellenburger.

Had Oil Signs In Devonian

This wildcat is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 44, block 40, TP survey, T-4-S. It topped the Devonian at 11,570 feet, to give it a datum of minus 8,702 feet.

That made it 480 feet low on the marker to the Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A TXL, the opener of the Pegasus field.

That exploration had some signs of petroleum in the Devonian but it did not develop any free distillate in that formation.

The Magnolia No. 1-A TXL was completed as a flowing producer from the Ellenburger.

No. 1 Powell had its first shows of gas in the Devonian in a drillstem test at 11,675-790 feet. Another test at 11,919-12,005 feet developed gas and some distillate cut drilling mud. A test at 12,014-117 feet also showed gas and a small show of distillate.

Interested obeservers think sufficient shows of gas and distillate have been found in this prospector to assure that it can be completed as a producer and a discovery from Devonian—in the event no better pay is found in drilling it deeper.

Devonian Strike Is Indicated For Ector

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 L. & K. Realty Company, slated 10,600-foot exploration to explore into the Ellenburger, on the Northwest side of the Yarborough & Allen field of Southwest Ector County, about 10 miles north and west of Penwell, has indicated a discovery from the Devonian for that region.

The exploration is a short distance outside of the proven area for Ellenburger production in the Yarborough & Allen field, and 660 feet from south and east lines of section 14, block B-14, psl survey.

It recovered 5,040 feet of free oil in a one-hour drillstem test in the Devonian at 8,415-68 feet. In addition 376 feet of heavily oil and gas cut drilling mud was recovered on the same test.

Good Pressure

Gas showed at the surface in 10 minutes after the tester was opened. There was no water in the fluid recovered from the drillstem test.

Open flowing bottom hole pressure ranged from 500 pounds to 750 pounds. Shutin bottom hole pressure after 15 minutes was 2,200 pounds.

The project is to continue drilling until it finds and tests the Ellenburger.

Up to now none of the other wells which have completed from the Ellenburger in the Yarborough & Allen field have shown any appreciable amount of free oil in the Devonian.

Scurry Wildcat Now Testing To Complete

Gene Goff of Midland, Grady Vaughn of Dallas, and associates, No. 1 Fred C. Ohlenbusch, Central Scurry County wildcat, one and one-half miles southwest of Snyder and one and one-quarter miles northeast of the nearest completed oil producers in the Kelly-Canyon field is preparing to test and complete as an extender to the Kelly producing area.

This venture, located 330 feet from north and west lines of tract 50, section 38, Kirkland and Fields survey, showed for natural, flowing production in a drillstem test at 6,790-6,901 feet, corrected.

Flows Five Minutes

The tool was open 50 minutes. Gas showed at the surface in nine minutes. Mud started flowing at the top in 40 minutes and oil began to flow to pits in 45 minutes.

It was flowed to pits through a five-eighth-inch bottom hole choke for five minutes. The flow was estimated by operators to have been at the rate of 75 barrels of oil per hour. There were no signs of water.

Operator has now set 5 1/2-inch casing at 6,776 feet. The plug will be drilled about the middle of the week and an effort will be made to com-

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Truman Hits Back At Groups Seeking Slash In Arms Aid

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—President Truman fought back Monday against advocates of a cut in his $1,450,000,000 foreign arms aid program, declaring that peace "can not be bought cheaply."

He carried his case for Senate restoration of the cut before thousands of cheering delegates to the Golden Jubilee Convention of the Veterans of Foreign Wars in flag - bedecked, bunting - draped Dinner Key Auditorium.

The auditorium was crowded to overflowing as Truman entered to the strains of "Hail the Chief."

In a world upset by Soviet pressure, he said, the arming of friendly nations is "part of the price of peace."

He asked approval of funds to give military aid to Democracies "without delay."

The President drove to the auditorium from the airport through crowds lining highways who waved and cheered him on.

Truman's staff included Maj. Gen. Harry H. Vaughan, Army aide. Senator Pepper (D-Fla) welcomed the chief executive with Gov. Fuller Warren and shook hands warmly with Vaughan.

"We are not arming ourselves and our friends to start a fight with anybody," the President said. "We are building our defenses so that we won't have to fight."

Blames Russian Tactics

The President blamed Russian tactics in the United Nations and elsewhere for the need to arm friendly nations "to resist aggression."

Russia, the President declared, "has blocked every effort to establish an effective international police force and to free the world from fear of aggression."

"For that reason," he went on, "we have to join other friendly nations in forming regional defense pacts."

The President condemned Com-

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Joan Edwards Fund Grows To $2,236.53

Whit Lawson and his Western Band of Midland Saturday night played a benefit dance in the American Legion Hall, and when it was all over, the Joan Edwards Recovery Fund was better off by $245.57.

The Legion donated the use of the hall for the benefit and Lawson and musicians turned the entire proceeds of the dance to the fund. Members of the band include Lawson, George Glynn, Dan Sanders, Top Hale and Scudder Glynn. Other Midland musicians joined the Westerners Saturday night.

The bandsters said everyone had a good time and they enjoyed playing the dance more than any they ever played.

The Joan Edwards Recovery Fund, growing by leaps and bounds, is to help Joan Edwards of Midland back to health and happiness. She was injured in an automobile accident Jan. 17, 1949, and still is unconscious as a result of her injuries.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gwyn Monday morning sent in a check for $10 to bring the fund total to $2,236.53.

German Reds Form Splinter Party To Back Marshal Tito

BERLIN —(AP)— German Communists who hate Russia formed a new splinter party Monday and promptly sent Yugoslav Premier Marshall Tito a message of support.

A spokesman for the group claimed 4,000 active members in the Russian zone of Germany and another 600 in the Western sectors of Berlin.

Fifty former members of the Communist Party and Socialist Unity Party (SED) announced they had broken away at a meeting in the French sector of Berlin and were forming a "Free Communist Party."

Karl-Heinz Scholz, 41-year-old engineer and veteran German Communist underground campaigner, told a reporter in an interview:

"We have formed to fight imperialist Bolshevism. The so-called internationalism of Soviet Russia is a fraud. We reject any plans for a dictatorship over the people."

It was the first report of a German Communist revolt against Soviet domination similar to the breakaway last year of Marshal Tito in Yugoslavia.

SEARCH FOR CADET ENTERS TWELFTH DAY

WACO—(AP)—The search for Cadet Harry Lambourne of Fresno, Calif., entered its twelfth day Monday.

No trace has been found of the young flier since he took off from Connally Air Force Base near here August 11. He was to have made a round trip flight to a nearby auxiliary field.

Hurricane Rips Toward East Coast

MIAMI, FLA. —(AP)— A small Atlantic hurricane—the first of the season—roared toward the Florida Coast Monday.

The Weather Bureau here said the hurricane, probably increasing in size and intensity, was centered at 5 a.m. about 440 miles east of Nassau.

Grady Norton, the Weather Bureau's chief storm forecaster here, said the hurricane was moving west-northwestward at a forward pace of 15 to 17 miles an hour, a slower pace than the 20-miles of Sunday.

In an 11 a.m. advisory, Norton said the hurricane had increased slightly in size and intensity and probably would continue to increase.

Hurricane winds estimated at 90 miles an hour whirled around the center of the doughnut-shaped disturbance. They extended outward 30 to 40 miles from the center and gales extended 75 to 100 miles in the northern semi-circle.

If the hurricane continues its present course, Norton said, it will pass north of the Bahamas and Miami.

The storm first was spotted about 350 miles north of Puerto Rico Sunday morning.

General Handy Bids Farewell To Texas

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Gen. Thomas T. Handy, Fourth Army commander for the last two years, said farewell to officers of his headquarters Monday.

He plans to leave San Antonio Tuesday morning for Washington, enroute to his new station as commander-in-chief of the American forces in Europe.

LAUDER CRITICALLY ILL

STRATHAVEN, SCOTLAND —(AP)—Sir Harry Lauder, 79, the famed Scottish comedian, was reported critically ill Monday.

No Solution To 'Saucer' Riddle



(NEA Telephoto)

At Marley Park, Md., state police officers inspect one of two weird-looking aircraft turned up by Air Force investigators. Experts said the helicopter-type craft probably never got into the air. The Air Force stated that the two airships "have absolutely no connection with the reported phenomena of the flying saucers."

In Tennessee They Surprise Each Other

CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—(AP)—Eva Russell, 36, decided to pay a surprise visit to a friend. And it was a surprise.

She found Eugena Chitty under the bed staring in alarm at the headlights and grille of a car—Mrs. Russell's—which had just plowed through the brick wall.

The Chitty woman said she was sleeping on the floor because it was cooler there. As for the woman driver, a novice, she said she just forgot to turn a corner.

County Aid Is Asked In Hospital Paving

The cooperation of Midland County in paving streets adjacent to the Midland Memorial Hospital was requested Monday by Dr. John B. Thomas, president of Midland Memorial Foundation.

The request was in the form of a letter presented to the Commissioners Court.

The commissioners promised to consider the request and give an early reply.

Right-of-way matters pertaining to the four-lane link on U. S. Highway 80 west of Midland occupied most of the commissioners' session.

Just In Time



(NEA Telephoto)

Cadet Ralph Stephenson, 24, of the U. S. Military Academy and his pretty fiancee, June McFarland, 25, of Yonkers, N. Y., raced through a set of eight questions on popular songs to win $4,610 in cash on a radio give-away program. The happy couple just got under the wire on "give-aways" as the FCC has put a clamp on radio's spectacular give-away shows, effective October 1. The cadet and his fiancee celebrated by inviting the entire radio audience to their wedding next June.

Maybe So, Maybe No—

Don Ameche In Midland; Evades Answers On Oil

By BILL COLLYNS

Don Ameche, star of screen and radio, came to Midland late Sunday—and another Hollywood personality may be entering the oil business in West Texas.

Traveling alone, he arrived at Midland Air Terminal by American Airlines flagship about 7 p.m. He went directly to Hotel Scharbauer in Midland, where he is stopping.

The friendly and likeable actor said he is on a business trip, but declined to state the exact nature of his business. He said he was to discuss a business deal with two persons who were to arrive here late Sunday night. He did not reveal their names.

In answer to a direct question as to whether he was getting into the oil business in West Texas, Ameche answered, "Might be," or words to that effect.

He was told that Comedian Bob Hope landed at Midland last weekend enroute to Scurry County to visit a new oil well in which Hope and Bing Crosby are interested. Ameche said he had heard about the Hope-Crosby discovery. He asked a few questions about it and about Scurry County. He was advised Henry Ford, II, also is a West Texas oil man. But Ameche still did not indicate whether he planned to invest some California money in Permian Basin oil properties.

First Visit Here

Monday morning he was seen in company with a group of men in the Scharbauer coffee shop and lobby.

It is Ameche's first visit to Midland and West Texas, but he said he had heard much about Midland and its remarkable growth as an oil center. He has visited in Dallas several times.

He was wearing a green gaberdine sports suit when he deplaned. He was hatless.

The Hollywoodite, recognized immediately by persons at the airport, autographed cards and slips of paper for several fans. He was friendly and cordial, but not too talkative. One gained the impression the star is somewhat shy and

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Brannan Criticizes Livestock Supports In Anderson's Bill

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Secretary of Agriculture Brannan gave qualified support Monday to a compromise farm price-support program worked out for next year by Senator Anderson (D-NM).

Brannan told the Senate Agriculture Committee that the Anderson compromise would provide somewhat higher government price support levels than a flexible price plan voted by Congress last year. Actual operations of the plan voted in 1948 will not begin until next year.

Public hearings on farm legislation were reopened Monday at the insistence of Chairman Elmer Thomas (D-Okla).

Thomas quickly pointed out that the supports for wheat, cotton, corn and other products under the Anderson compromise would be lower than those now existing.

Favors Wartime Measure

Thomas has said he favors continuing the high level wartime farm price supports now in operation for another year. The House already has voted to do this.

Brannan began by noting that the supports under the Anderson compromise would be higher than those under the flexible price support plan due to go into operation next year.

He said this is a distinct advantage and might be "at least a partial repayment" for all the discussion about farm programs.

But Brannan said the Anderson bill fails to order strong price supports for livestock and similar products.

Nationalists Claim New Successes

CANTON —(AP)— The Nationalists claimed more success Monday on the vital Central China war front north of this Communist-threatened refugee capital.

The government asserted a Red thrust to cut the Canton-Hankow Railway and isolate the Hunan Province defense bastion of Hengyang had been thrown back.

Not only had the threat to the vital Canton-Hengyang communications been removed—for the moment at least—but Gen. Pai Chung-Hsi's eastern flank temporarily was out of danger.

The government also claimed a victory 50 miles northwest of Hengyang, where it said Red Gen. Lin Piao's entire 51st Army was wiped out. This would be a total of about 30,000 men if the army's three divisions were at full strength.

The Ministry of National Defense asserted most machine guns and rifles taken from the Red 51st were Russian made.

Little Rock Man Also Is Named In Temporary Action

AUSTIN—(AP)—A temporary restraining order Monday directed Western Union Telegraph Company and A. G. Coggins of Little Rock, Ark., to halt alleged supplying of horse race information to bookies and gambling houses in Texas.

The order was issued by Judge Jack Roberts in 126th District Court at the request of Attorney General Price Daniel, who simultaneously brought suit for a permanent injunction.

Hearing in the case was set for September 1.

The state's suit alleged that Coggins is doing business under the name of Texas Daily Sports News, with headquarters in Houston.

He has an exclusive agreement with Western Union, the suit charged, for transmission of racing information gathered from the tracks throughout the nation over its wires in Texas.

Organized Crackdown

The action followed Saturday's announcement by Daniel and Department of Public Safety Assistant Director Joe Fletcher of an organized state crackdown against bookmaking in Texas.

The state's petition asked for an injunction stopping Western Union from using its wires, lines, equipment and facilities "in transmitting, receiving and delivering horse racing information for or to A. G. Coggins, doing business as Texas Daily Sport News, or for or to any other person or persons within the State of Texas, to be used for the purpose of betting or wagering money on horse racing."

That Coggins be stopped by injunction from alleged use of Western Union or any other facilities for such purposes also was asked.

Daniel alleged that as a result of the agreement between Western Union and Coggins, 10 separate racing news ticker machines were installed at Texas points, and that information received over these machines was being communicated direct from them to bookmakers and gambling houses by private telephone and loud speaker systems.

Odessa Location Named

Among the 10 alleged locations of wire machine outlets was one at 1107 Third Street in Odessa, where the machine was said to have been operating on August 13 for furnishing information to a bookmaker operating in another building in Odessa.

The state's petition, prepared by Assistant Attorney General Willis Gresham, charged that Coggins' operation of a sports news service is "a subterfuge to hide" operations of aiding and assisting bookmakers in the pursuit of their business by furnishing prompt and necessary racing information.

A similar suit was filed against Western Union in 1941 and an injunction obtained by then-Attorney General Gerald Mann. Coggins was not involved in that suit.

Moscow Believed Bluffing

LONDON —(AP)— British diplomatic officials said Monday the Russians want Yugoslavia to think she is in danger of attack. They expressed the belief Moscow is bluffing.

British newspapers had said earlier a new Russian note to Premier Marshal Tito sounded like the worst threat of war since 1939. To the conservative Daily Telegraph, the Soviet assertion that Russia may take "more effective measures" to protect Russian citizens in Yugoslavia was "the very language of Hitler's exhausted patience."

British diplomats took a calmer view. They ruled out the likelihood that the Moscow-Belgrade dispute would lead to a shooting war despite mounting tension inside Yugoslavia.

Conference In Belgrade

Apparently their views were based on a long dispatch cabled Foreign Secretary Bevin by Sir Charles Peake, British Ambassador to Yugoslavia. Peake and Cavendish Cannon, American ambassador, called on Yugoslav Deputy Foreign Minister Alex Bebler at the Yugoslav Foreign Minstry Sunday. Bebler had invited them.

A British Foreign Office spokesman told newsmen the Peake-Bebler discussion in Belgrade was "about the latest Russian note" to Yugoslavia. He refused to give any details about the meeting. The British are in consultation with the United States on Western relations with Tito.

Other British papers besides the Daily Telegraph commented on the similiarity of tone between the Russian note and the warnings Hitler used to issue before he sent his troops marching.

New York Gets First Texas, Louisiana Gas

NEW YORK —(AP)— New York got its first natural gas from Texas and Louisiana Monday.

Mayor William O'Dwyer opened a valve at 1 p. m. (EST) to start the gas flowing through the Big Inch and Little Inch pipe lines to a 1,000,000-cubic foot storage tank on Staten Island.

Thirty-eight thousand consumers on Staten Island will be served.

QUAKES ROCK NORTHWEST

PRINCE RUPERT, B. C. —(AP)— A series of sharp earthquakes rocked a wide area of the Pacific Northwest Sunday night for about five minutes. No casualties or major damage were reported.

B-36, Atomic Bomb Called Greatest Forces For Peace

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Gen. Carl Spaatz, retired Air Force chief, said Monday the B-36 bomber and the atomic bomb "are the greatest forces for peace in the world."

It was because he anticipated that the B-36 could play this role, Spaatz said, that he decided in late 1946 or early 1947 to push the Air Force program of acquiring the planes.

No outside influence affected his decision, he said.

In terms of wars of the past, he said, Russia could subdue "practically all of Europe and Asia in a relatively short period of time" but the B-36 and the bomb maintain "a balance of power for peace."

The general was called before the House Armed Services Committee in its inquiry int. whether political influence or favoritism figured in developing the big, six-engine B-36.

Spaatz said that when he commanded the Air Force he made a decision to continue a contract for 100 B-36's let in 1943. His decision was made around December, 1946, or January, 1947.

No Political Influence

"I believed," Spaatz said in a prepared statement, "that the results to be obtained from possession of an inter-continental bomber were so enormous as to justify going ahead and taking the chance of failure, just as was done in developing the atomic bomb which this plane is designed to deliver."

Even after rehabilitation of Western Europe's political, economic and military strength, Spaatz said, the B-36 and the atomic bomb "will still be most potent instruments for maintaining a balance of power for peace."

Spaatz told the committee that members of the senior officer board which ruled on the bomber development are "invincible" to any ef-

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★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The House Banking Committee Monday struck from its new housing bill a provision authorizing $300,000,000 in direct housing loans to veterans.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Housewives got good news Monday for their Thanksgiving and Christmas menus. The Agriculture Department said the 1949 turkey crop will be the second largest in the nation's history. This promises lower prices.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Representative Vinson (D-Ga) said Monday that before Congress adjourns another effort will be made to get the $800,000,000 needed for a 70-group Air Force.

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The argument about rent control boiled up again Monday in the Senate in a pending motion to reconsider previous approval of a heavy slash in appropriations to operate the office of Housing Expediter Tighe Woods.

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Boone Class Will Sponsor Old-Time Ice Cream Social

An old-fashioned ice cream social on the lawn of the First Methodist Church will be sponsored by the Boone Bible Class beginning at 7:30 p. m. Monday. Class members are making the ice cream and cake to be served for the benefit of its treasury. The public is invited.

Mrs. Thomas Nipp is chairman of arrangements for the social. Serving with her on the committee are Mrs. DeLo Douglas, class president, and Mrs. W. G. Keeler, Mrs. George Stewart, Mrs. F. C. Myers, Mrs. J. A. Jorgensen, Mrs. Alton Brown, Mrs. C. H. McCall, Mrs. Charles H. Rudd and Mrs. Lionel Carver.

Funds raised from sale of the ice cream and cake will go to the general fund of the class, for use in its current projects.

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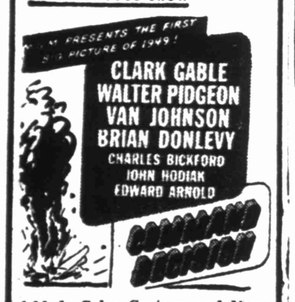
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★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★



Censors Rip Flying Bras From Burlesque Movie Scene

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD — Exclusively yours: No flying bras, please!

The censors did a double take. The scene was in "Young Man With a Horn." Kirk Douglas was playing a trumpet in a burlesque house orchestra. Suddenly a bra comes flying through the air and lands on Kirk's head. He tosses it off and goes right on playing.

Big laugh. But the censors said no, no, no. They shot the scene but substituted a fan for the bra. The censors said that was all right.

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It could happen only in Hollywood:

Gorgeous George, the wrestler, insisted on a brunette or red-haired leading lady for "Pardon My Toe Hold" so as not to detract from his own blond curls. Barbara Fuller, a blonde who got the part, became a redhead to keep George happy.

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Montgomery Clift and Howard Hawks, who discovered him for pictures, are feuding . . . . Kirk Douglas and Ann Sothern are dating . . . Joan Davis will go on the road for a week as a traveling saleswoman to exploit her own production. "Traveling Saleswoman."

Mitchum Turns "Carefree"

Bob Mitchum was playing with an electric train, and daintily sprinkling snowflakes over a railroad station sign reading "Palm Beach, Florida." Two dozen kids squealed with delight.

Mitch was slightly out of character and looked it. It's the opening shot for "Christmas Gift," which is due for a new title. Mitch is working as a department store salesman. But he's fired after an indignant manager says: "How can you make it snow in Florida?"

Bob replies: "Because I'm from California."

Director Don Hartman, who wrote the story and is directing, explained: "This will be a carefree Mitchum along the lines of John Garfield's role in 'Four Daughters.'"

Janet Leigh is the girl. She's a war widow. Bob meets her and brings her happiness after accusing her of living with a dead man. Dramatic stuff but with touches of comedy. Like Mitchum making snow in Florida.

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And it's Billy Grey's story about the man who won $750,000 on a radio giveaway show and immediately dropped dead from a heart attack. But that didn't stop the generous giveaway show — they sent the body on a two-week vacation to Honolulu.

Well-Qualified

Wonder if it's a trend. The new head studio guard at Monogram is Clem Peoples, ex-Los Angeles county jailor . . . Frank Sinatra will appear at a rodeo and Steve Allen is wondering: "What's he going to do—rope and hogtie a mouse?"

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The timing. Jimmy Stewart thinks was perfect. He made a big investment in an oil well drilling operation. Same mail that brought his certificate of partnership brought a notice that the well was a "duster."

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Someone sent the Gordon MacRaes a playpen for their three children. Mrs. MacRae's thank-you note read: "Thank you for the pen. It's wonderful. I sit in it every afternoon and read and the children can't get near me."

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Cowboy star Tex Ritter's wit often reminds me of the late Will Rogers. Tex was called on to sing at a society square dance at the Beverly Hills Hotel and drawled: "This is the first time I've ever been to a square dance where the roof wasn't leaking."

Automat Ticket Sales Are Newest Wrinkle Of Mechanical Age

NEW YORK —(AP)— Long Island Railroad passengers soon will be able to buy tickets the same way subway riders get chewing gum out of a slot machine.

The commuters can pick their stations—just as the subway sardines pick their brand of gum.

What's more—the Long Island's mechanical wizards will make change.

The railroad's ticket selling operations will advance into the push-button age at its concourse in Pennsylvania Station.

Automatic vending machines will dispense tickets to 50 stations, and return change. Passengers will have to go to ticket windows for other stations.

The machines may be in operation on an experimental basis this week.

The passengers put in half-dollars, quarters, dimes and nickels (no pennies) and the machine does the rest.

100 Believed Hurt In Train Accident

MONTERREY, MEXICO —(AP)— An undetermined number of persons were injured Sunday night when the passenger train from Torreon to Monterrey was derailed just outside this city.

Pablo Chavaria, conductor of the train, said he estimated that about a hundred persons had been injured. None of the train crew was hurt, although the engine, a mail car, a first class passenger car and a second class car left the rails.

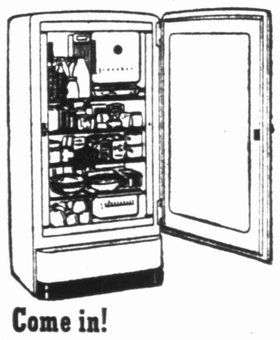
The train is a mixed one of passenger and freight cars which seldom carries tourists.

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Confessions Of Engel, The Romantic Swindler

By SIGMUND SAMUEL ENGEL
As Told To Elgar Brown
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In the patio, or bullpen of the Cook County Jail, which I have taken over as my Summer home, a guest became nostalgic and mentioned many oldtime vaudeville stars, including Nan Halperin.

"I discovered her," said I, with a shy smile, and the uncouth fellow cried:

"You, sir, are a superb liar."

"Thank you," I replied in simple dignity. Many people have applied this term to me and I appreciate it. Excellence in any field is laudable. Look about you; aren't most of your friends wretched liars instead of superb ones?

As to Nan Halperin, though, I wasn't even distorting the truth. I made a star out of her during the time I managed the Interstate Vaudeville Circuit, a Keith-Orpheum affiliate, with offices in Chicago's Majestic Theater Building.

I had just lured the House of David band out of Benton Harbor and booked it into the Plaza on North Ave., opening theater for my circuit. Later the House of David went commercial with a barnstorming ball club and other enterprises.

It was at the Airdrome in St. Louis where I first clapped eyes on little Nan, a Chicago girl starring in an act called "The Suffragettes." Her producer was William B. Friedlander, the composer and song publisher.

Married Producer

I put Nan in the big time, saw her introduce such song hits as "Mother," got her starred with Eddie Cantor. She wanted to marry me but I discouraged her so she settled for Friedlander.

Bill Friedlander, an old friend of mine, promptly made a mess out of his husbandry duties. If men would pay more attention to their wives than to their motor cars and racing horses, there would be fewer divorces.

(Instead of prosecuting me, why don't they make me a college professor, lecturing on how to be a successful romancer at any age? I remind you that no less an authority than Walter Winchell has referred to me as a genius.)

Foray Into Oklahoma

It was during their brief marriage, however, that Bill and Nan joined me in a memorable foray into the wilds of the Oklahoma oil fields at the height of the "black gold" rush.

Things were plenty rugged down there, as you must know if you have seen any movies of that era. I took a vaudeville show, complete with 40 luscious lassies, down to Tulsa and booked it into the crude, barnlike No. 1 theater.

Bill and Nan went along, possibly for laughs, though all of us had oil speculation in the back of our minds. On the other hand, many a hardy prospector got his mind off the pursuit of oil and took up the pursuit of my 40 luscious lassies.

A fellow named Southworth, filthy rich from a string of little theaters in Montana, had just hit Tulsa and put together a big "opry house" with old lumber and tar paper. On the side he was making his third or fifth million in oil.

I'd known Theater Man Southworth back in Montana; also his daughter, June, a terrific western type blonde. She'd invaded Tulsa with her dad.

Not He-Man Type

It was my recollection that June had often boasted of her attraction only to "he-men," and I figured this put me well beyond the circle of her interest. I was courtly, suave, cosmopolitan; but I definitely wasn't the he-man type.

Nevertheless, in Tulsa the Girl of the Golden West picked out me, the most incongruous figure in the rough-and-tumble oil fields, and developed a crush. If you asked me to explain this it would sound egotistical. I deplore egotism.

I could find only one objection to entering a romantic liaison with June Southworth and to adorning it with some financial overtones favorable to my own bank account. That objection, a big one, was named May, one half of a sister act. These sisters were a couple of show business characters, and they were of my Tulsa troupe. I leave their surnames out because I am a gentleman. May, a character with muscle, was the one who went with me.

As between the two beautiful women I now found on my hands, I would have chosen June as the more appealing, even without her bankroll—if only for the reason that I was constantly afraid big May might hang one on my chin.

Extracurricular Activities

But the Southworth fortune could scarcely be ignored, especially by a business man of acquisitive habits. It wasn't the first time in my lengthy career that I'd faced a surplus of admiring women; so I determined to be canny.

I gave May a great big play around the theater, and it seemed to satisfy her fairly well. My extracurricular activities were devoted to squiring June Southworth on long and painful horseback tours of her vast land holdings.

I'll never forget those rides—and not merely because of the semi-permanent impressions they left on my posteriorly. Oklahoma was a colorful country in that mad era and the newly-rich Osage Indians supplied a good deal of the color.

Down around a frontier town called Pawhuska they were really running wild, though not in the usual sense of the term "wild Indians." They were drunk with huge oil land fortunes, drunk with unwonted luxury, sometimes just drunk.

Gives Aviation Back To Whites

The Red Man had won such a square deal from his Great White Father that it went straight to his head. Some had annual incomes of $50,000 to $100,000 and it required much ingenuity to keep up with their spending.

We met one young Osage "brave" who owned 13 motor cars; the cheapest cost him $2,800 and six of them cost more than $5,600 apiece.

Another stalwart of the tribe amashed up three airplanes and put a $12,000 dent in the family bankroll before he decided to give aviation back to the whites.

June and I ventured inside a beautiful but simple Osage tepee on the reservation to investigate a sound emerging therefrom which we could hardly believe—a sound as of cathedral chimes.

We had to believe our eyes, though, when we beheld a famous grandfather's clock in a corner of the tepee. Chief Hole-In-The-Head had planked down $2,000 for the antique and deemed it a rare bargain.

But all this is getting away from my story. I'll come to the "sordid" part promptly, since everybody awaits that part eagerly so they can be properly scandalized and say "Tut tut, you rogue," with their tongues in their cheeks.

Miss Southworth proposed marriage to me, not once but a dozen times. And I lacked the character, or something, to say no as long as she pursued her newly-formed habit of tossing me many pretty oil stock certificates to play with.

Got More Than $100,000

Oil company operatives, infesting Oklahoma till they were as thick as Osages, displayed such a keen interest in the "toys" I received from June that I couldn't resist their offers. My total take was something over $100,000.

This deal, naturally, was too good to last. The blow-up of our tidy little triangle came with the force and spectacular display of an oil gusher. Its arrival coincided with May's discovery of my association with the Southworth gal.

May's campaign on my heart had been diverted by a curious circumstance: The mayor of Pawhuska, a guy named Smith, had come to Tulsa laden with oil money. He'd riffled rapidly through my 40 luscious lassies and then discovered May.

His assault was frontal and violent. He tried to overwhelm her. For a time May tried to find something attractive about him beside his dough. Failing, she gave him the brush and once more became too, too faithful to little Sig.

Hair Is Yanked

When she caught up with the Southworth angle, hefty May laid for June at the theater and trapped her. The collision shook Oklahoma and parts of Texas. June's hair came out in huge hunks. The jerry-built theater shook and tottered.

In the wake of the tornado I turned over my show to Bill Friedlander. Clutching the fruits of my triple play (June to me to an oil company), I quietly plunged into the night. A week later I emerged in Oklahoma City, freed from all entanglements.

You can take this or leave it; but in that unlikely setting I launched an adventure that took me into the Balkans and returned me to New York as proprietor of a vaudeville act featuring an opera singer and a trained bear.

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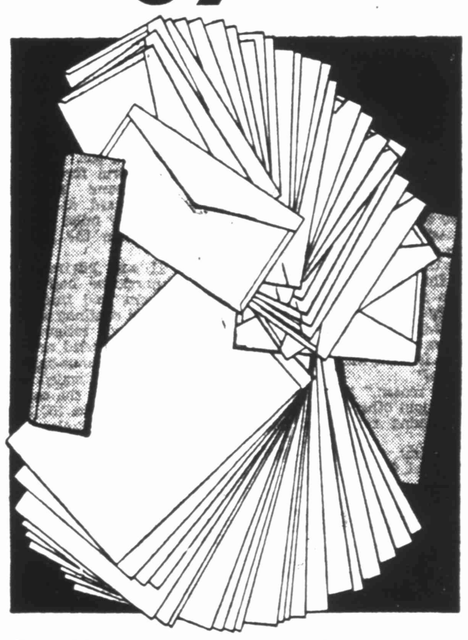
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Mrs. Wayne M. Polson was Mary Frances Burman before her marriage Saturday night in Stanton. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burman and Polson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Polson of Stanton. The ceremony was read in the home of the bride's parents with the Rev. J. B. Stewart, pastor of the First Methodist Church in Stanton, officiating. Dorothy Davis was maid of honor and Pete Woody best man. Mrs. W. H. Houston lighted the candles. A reception was held in the Burman home after the ceremony, and the couple left immediately for a wedding trip to New Mexico.

Bettye Wilson Is Married In San Angelo

Bettye Wlison of Midland, daughter of Mrs. Olga S. Wilson of San Angelo, became the bride of John William Greer, Jr., of La Porte, son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Greer, Sr., of Houston Sunday afternoon in San Angelo. The ceremony was solemnized in the Frank Hood home with the Rev. Rodney Gilson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, officiating.

The improvised altar was an ivy-covered trellis with baskets of yellow, bronze and white chrysanthemums and candelabra on either side. Mrs. Reynolds Foster of Sterling City played "My Hero" and "O Perfect Love," Barnby, during the ceremony.

Brother Gives Bride

Nancy Kenney of San Angelo attended the bride as maid of honor and Wayne Ashmore of Midland was best man. Frank M. Hood of New York was usher.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, Maurice Paul Wilson, of New York City, wore a cream cocktail-length dress of rosepoint lace over taffeta. It had cap sleeves, a sweetheart neckline and a fitted torso-length bodice. The full skirt featured a scalloped hem. Her headdress was a braid of taffeta entwined with pearls, and she carried a cream-colored Bible topped with three bronze miniature orchids. Her satin shoes also were bronze.

Reception After Ceremony

The maid of honor wore an aqua satin dress with a round double collar, fitted bodice and full flared skirt. Her headdress was braided satin of the same brown as her accessories and her corsage was of yellow Peruvian liles.

A reception was held after the ceremony with Mary Louise and Helene Hope Schuch, cousins of the bride, serving the cake. Hazel Clark of Midland presided at the bride's book.

The couple will live in La Porte after a wedding trip to San Antonio.

Mrs. Greer is a graduate of San Angelo High School and attended San Angelo College. She has been employed in the office of the Atlantic Refining Company here the last two years. Greer was graduated from the University of Texas and is a petroleum engineer for Standard Oil Company.

Out-of-city guests for the wedding included Mrs. Vina D. Beal, Mr. and Mrs. Ashmore and Roy Whiteman Midland, John W. Greer, Sr., Houston, Ralph Dusek, Iowa City, Ia., John Dusek, Rowena, Mr. and Mrs. Foster, Sterling City and H. J. Schuch, Kilgore.

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Semple-Parker Wedding Read In Church Here

Mr. and Mrs. James Parker, married in a simple ceremony in the Trinity Episcopal Church Friday evening, are at home in Midland after a weekend trip to the New Mexico mountains. Mrs. Parker was Adele Semple before her marriage.

The Rev. R. J. Snell, rector, read the wedding ceremony. Mrs. Lloyd Edwards attended the bride as matron of honor, and Reese Cleveland served as best man. The church was decorated informally with garden flowers. Only a few close friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland were hosts after the wedding with a dinner in the Petroleum Club.

Mrs. Parker, formerly of Wichita Falls and Houston, has been a Midland resident several years and is private secretary to the area manager of the Shell Oil Company. Parker is associated with the Arrow Drilling Company.

Yearbys Are Host To Fellowship Hour

The Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Yearby were hosts to the Young People's fellowship hour of the First Baptist Church Sunday night after services, in the backyard of the parsonage.

Dorothy Raines was in charge of the games. Those present included Jean Godfrey, Lola Farnsworth, Nellivee Clark, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chumney, LaMoyne Tabor, Louise Harless, Novella Bailey, James Kerr, Doyle Lowrey, Al Alsop, Irby Weaver, Warren Johnston, Joyce Jones, Mattie Lee Shires, Ruby Gilbert, Walter Lee Sutton, Johnny Murray, Anne Upham, Faye Shelburne, Edith Collings, W. E. Brown, Evelyn Young and P. V. Thorson.

SOCIETY

Pre-Season Board Meeting Announced In West P-TA Unit

Officers and executive board members of the West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 10 a.m. Tuesday in the school to discuss plans for the coming year. The meeting will also be for the purpose of organizing an information booth on registration day in the school. This is being done at the request of the principal, L. R. Hinds, to aid parents.

Mrs. M. O. Gibson is president of the group; Mrs. Bill Collyns, first vice president; Mrs. J. B. Elder, second vice president; Mrs. Tommie Withrow, secretary, and Mrs. M. Leroy Butler, treasurer.

Regular meeting time for the unit will be the second Tuesday in each month at 3:45 p.m.

SENIOR BAND TO TRY UNIFORMS

Senior Band members will try on their uniforms and have them fitted Tuesday in the Midland High School Gym from 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. and from 7:30 to 8:30 p.m., band director Jerry Hoffman has announced.

TO DALLAS

Mrs. Jack Wilkinson and children of Midland and Mrs. Wilkinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George McEntire, Sr., of Sterling City, left Sunday evening by plane for Dallas.

Casting For 'Sister Eileen' Starts Tuesday

Tryouts for places in the cast of "My Sister Eileen," scheduled as the Midland Community Theater's first Fall production, have been announced for 8 p.m. Tuesday and Wednesday in the City-County Auditorium by Joe Koegler, casting chairman.

If more time is needed to select players for the large cast, another night of tryouts will be conducted Thursday, Koegler added. The comedy is to be presented on September 22-24.

It will have the largest cast of any Community Theater play since last September's "The Man Who Came to Dinner," and it resembles that production in that many of the roles are short and are definitely eccentric character types.

For instance, there are a Russian Cossack, six Brazilian naval cadets, a Greek landlord, a suspicious mother and her cute but rather dense daughter, and the daughter's boy friend, a husky but also dense professional football player.

The leading roles are those of the attractive Eileen and her not-quite-so-attractive but much-more-practical sister, who have come from Columbus, Ohio, to live in Greenwich Village and carve out careers in New York.

Places in the cast and on the production committees of Community Theater plays are open to any Midland County residents. All who wish to try for roles in "My Sister Eileen" are invited to report at the auditorium Tuesday night, Koegler said.

Fiancee Of Midland Man Honored With Shower In Abilene

ABILENE — Jean Smith, bride-elect of Lee Roy Hall of Midland, was honored with a silver tea in the home of Mrs. Sam Hill recently.

Hostesses with Mrs. Hill were Mrs. G. L. Belcher, Mrs. Frank H. Etter, Mrs. Olan Hicks, Mrs. J. M. Muncy and Mrs. W. H. Chambers.

Yellow dahlias and orchid lilies emphasized the bride-elect's chosen colors. The houseparty included the bride-elect's attendants. Margaret Smith, her sister, will be maid of honor. Bridesmaids will be two other sisters, Frances and Mary Smith, and Lorietta Hall of Midland, sister of the prospective bridegroom.

Jan Hicks will be flower girl and Jimmy Hill will be ringbearer. Oz Hughes of Odessa will serve as best man. Alton Hall, brother of the prospective bridegroom and a student in Abilene Christian College, will officiate for the wedding, in the Fourteenth and Vine Street Church of Christ.

Ushers will be Roger Gee, Wilson Hall of Odessa and E. R. Watson of Abilene.

Ogdens At Home Here After Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. Victor B. Ogden are at home at 913 North Colorado Street after their late July marriage in San Angelo. Before her marriage Mrs. Ogden was Dorothy Kilgo, daughter of Mrs. Madge Kilgo of Midland. Ogden is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Ogden of Pampa.

Ann Rush and Cliff Manning of Midland attended the couple during the ceremony. Mrs. Odgen is a graduate of Abilene High School and is employed by the Texas Company. Odgen, a graduate of the University of Oklahoma, is manager of Core Laboratories.

Mrs. Grant Attends Reading Conference

Mrs. George Grant, teacher in the North Elementary School here, has returned from Alpine, where the Texas Association for the Improvement of Reading met in Sul Ross State College August 14-20.

Leading consultants at the meeting were Mrs. Lillian Gray, professor of education in San Jose, Calif., Teachers College; and Mrs. Evelyn Thompson, professor of education in the University of Houston. Mrs. Jewel Askew, director of elementary education in the Houston schools, and Frances Thorpe of Austin were other instructors.



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Children Hear Tale Of David Crockett

The "Story of David Crockett" by Tousey was told by Mrs. K. C. Heald, Jr., at the Children's Story Hour held Saturday morning in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library. She told of the early life of the famous hero of the Alamo and his battles with Indians through his terms in the Tennessee Legislature and the United States Congress. The battle of the Alamo, which climaxed the story, was told in detail and the tale ended with Crockett's death.

The story of "Guinare of the Sea" from the "Arabian Nights" will be completed by Mrs. Heald during next Saturday's story hour.

Those attending were Frances Glen, Shirley Nicols, Jackie Seyer, Billie Darnell, Sandra Ann Lovejoy, Donna Jean Lovejoy, Julia Marberry, Cynthia Louise Parkinson, Danny Houtman, David Meaders, Betty Ann McKithen, Daneille Griffin, Christy Griffin, Ramona Leigh, Virginia Lee Marshall and Richard Russell.

During the Dunbar Branch Children's Story Hour, also held Saturday morning, Mrs. C. M. York told "What Every Young Rabbit Should Know" by Carol Denison and "Why The Monkey Still Has His Tail" by Hildegard Hopkins.

Oliver Lee, Jr., Horace Gene Eldridge, Jr., Henry Jones, Herman Pardue, Verniece Bedford, Helen Rose Eldridge, Alva Mae Lee, Rayford Pardue, Edward Lee Moore, Zula Mae Eldridge, Addie Pearl Pardue, Audriene Carroll, Alvin Pardue, Johnnie Pardue, Emma Ulra Taylor, Lavone Lee, Almar Ree Foy, Inesia Pardue, Robbie Mae Black and Barbara Oliver were present.

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+ Coming Events +

TUESDAY

Promenaders Square Dance Club will meet in the Midland Officers' Club at 8 p.m. with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vogler as hosts.

Circle Eight Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

Order of Eastern Star will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the Masonic Hall.

The weekly Ceramics Class will be in the Palette Club building at 7:30 p.m.

Young People's Prayer Meeting of the First Baptist Church will be at 7 a.m.

A called meeting of the Yucca Garden Club will be at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. C. M. Dunagan, 1508 West Missouri Street.

Breakfast for Methodist Men of the First Methodist Church will be at 7 a.m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

Officers and executive board members of the West Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 10 a.m. in the school.

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WEDNESDAY

Superintendent's meeting of the First Baptist Church will be at 7 p.m. with teachers and officers meeting at 7:15 p.m.

Prayer meeting will be at 8 p.m. in the First Baptist Church with choir rehearsal at 9 p.m.

Boy Scouts will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

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THURSDAY

Beta Delta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will have a watermelon party at 7:30 p.m. at Cloverdale Park for members and their guests.

The Palette Club will be open all day and in the evening.

Forty-Niners Square Dance Club will meet at the Midland Officers Club at 8 p.m.

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FRIDAY

Ladies' Golf Association will have a "Back to School" Style Show at its weekly luncheon in the Country Club at 1 p.m. Games of progressive bridge will follow. Mrs. Bob Payne and Mrs. H. C. Hood will be hostessses. Members are reminded to make reservations.

The Fellowship Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church will have a pot-luck supper in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. G. Oates, 610 North Main Street, at 7 p.m. A white elephant sale will be held after the supper.

Terminal Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. T. E. McElligot.

The Texas Technological College Exes will have a watermelon feed in Cloverdale Park at 7 p.m. The Tech film, "Futures Unlimited" will be shown.

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SATURDAY

The formal dance at the Youth Center will be from 9 until 12 p.m. with music by Jimmy Furman and his orchestra.

The Children's Story Hour will begin at 10:30 a.m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

The monthly formal dance for members of the Midland Country Club and their out-of-city guests will begin at 9 p.m. in the clubhouse ballroom.

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Medina Showed Discretion

The "field day" is over for the attorneys defending the 11 Communist leaders on trial in New York. Federal Judge Harold R. Medina, who has been a model of patience through seven months of deliberate provocation and planned confusion, suddenly has switched tactics and is applying stern measures against the Communists' lawyers.

One of their most exasperating maneuvers has been to keep up an almost endless flow of frenzied argument, in defiance of general courtroom procedure and specific warnings from Medina. He has now told them they will no longer be allowed to indulge in long speeches every time they rise to object. He will ask a U. S. marshal to force them to sit down if necessary.

He has informed them their constant violation of many rules was deliberately done and "contemptuous." This was a further sign that when the trial is over the Communists' lawyers will certainly face serious contempt charges and possibly worse.

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Medina likewise has directed the attorneys to stop trying to refute the charges against the defendants—conspiracy to teach overthrow of the government by force and violence—by making counter-charges against others.

"We've heard enough about force and violence by others," the judge said. "I want to hear what these defendants did or said on that score."

Many observers probably would say "it's about time."

Many of them undoubtedly felt Medina should have meted out severe punishment quickly and thus halted the lawyers' irresponsible courtroom behavior at the start.

We think, however, that the judge acted with eminent good sense and high judicial purpose in giving the defendants and their lawyers wide latitude. He has thereby denied them any real chance of accusing him of prejudice and has averted the danger of a mistrial.

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He has left the way open for the defense to compile a record of courtroom disobedience seldom if ever matched in judicial annals. That record will stand against the defendants should they try to appeal in the event of conviction. Furthermore, it can now be used by Medina as good warrant for stern discipline which, if applied earlier, might have made him vulnerable to criticism.

It is really amazing that the Communists seem to believe their tactics have any value. They must imagine they are doing a superb job of discrediting American justice and at the same time spreading propaganda all over the map.

Actually about all they have accomplished by their disreputable courtroom tactics is to make Medina look like a very able jurist with a great talent for dealing with legal hooliganism.

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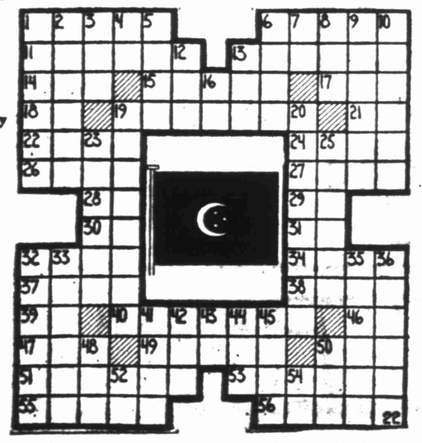
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18 On account (ab.)
19 Goes to bed
21 Tungsten (ab.)
22 Domestic slave
24 Brain passage
26 Sow
27 Style
28 Southeast (ab.)
29 Italian river
30 Tellurium (symbol)
31 Hebrew deity
32 Out of
34 Raise
37 Unusual
38 Rim
39 Near
40 Coward
46 Laughter sound
47 Bite
49 Inner court
50 Pacific (ab.)
51 Chilled
53 Annoy
55 Finished
56 Markets

3 Oriental coin
4 Parent
5 Woody plant
6 Mastery (Scot.)
7 Anent
8 Goddess of the dawn
9 Puffed up
10 Disposition
12 Still
13 Ventilate
16 "Smallest State" (ab.)
19 Saved
20 Smirked
23 Wise adviser
25 Shaped
32 European country
33 Portion
35 Amazed
36 Responds to treatment
41 Imitated
42 Sorry
43 Size of shot
44 Point a weapon
45 Space
48 Seed vessel
50 Through
52 French article
54 Note of scale

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DREW PEARSON ON The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

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Robert S. Allen says: Senate committee would have Vaughan tried on military charges; President, having to decide if Vaughan should be court-martialed, would be on spot; GOP '50 strategy would let Truman's pal stay on as military aide.

WASHINGTON—Members of the Senate "5-percenter" investigating committee are considering demanding that Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan be tried on military charges.

The senators have discussed the matter with authorities of military law.

Basis for the proposed action are two factors:

(1) Vaughan is not a civilian employe of the White House. He is a reserve officer on active duty and draws pay (over $12,000) from Army funds. He is therefore subject to Army regulations and rules of conduct the same as any other active officer.

(2) By his own admission, Vaughan has accepted gratuities and gifts. This is in direct violation of a specific prohibitory Army regulation. In addition, other charges made before the Senate committee lay him open to disciplinary action on the ground of "conduct unbecoming an officer and gentleman."

What the Senate investigators have in mind is a formal demand that Vaughan be hailed before a court-martial.

Such a demand would put President Truman on the spot. It would be wholly up to him to decide whether Vaughan is tried. The President has immediate jurisdiction over Vaughan, and no one in the Army would risk ordering him court-martialed without presidential approval.

The senators are fully aware of this. That's why their plan has such a strong appeal for them. Putting the President on the spot is one of the primary objectives.

However, other Republican senators are less enthusiastic.

One proposed a modification. He suggested removal of Vaughan as coordinator of veterans' affairs. The senator pointed out the claim could be that Vaughan is "unfit" to handle veteran affairs and the President could be put directly on the spot with millions of ex-servicemen.

Another Republican senator, a party leader, was opposed to the whole idea of taking any action against Vaughan, unless the Democrats took the initiative. His view was that it would be better GOP strategy for Vaughan to continue as a prominent member of the President's entourage. In that position, he would be a vulnerable target in next year's elections.

"We could plaster the country with billboards reading 'Have you got your freezer yet!'" The Republican leader pointed out. "If we give Truman the chance to get rid of Vaughan, he might take us up. I would if I were in his place. We don't want to outsmart ourselves in this matter."

Note—Sen. Margaret Chase Smith (R-Me) has sharply chided her investigating colleagues in closed-door sessions for talking out of turn. "If we are going to permit testimony to leak," she said, "we might as well have time by giving everything directly to the press. That is not my idea of a fair investigation."

So far, Mrs. Smith's admonitions have had no effect.

All Set

Rhode Island Democratic chiefs have it all set on who will get what as a result of the elevation of Sen. Howard McGrath to attorney general. This is the deal:

McGrath's seat will be filled with a temporary appointee, who will not run next year. He merely will keep the place warm for Gov. John Pastore, who will be a candidate next year for the remainder of McGrath's term which expires in 1952. As Pastore's successor in the can be harmful. Unfortunately, governorship, the leaders have selected Rep. John E. Fogarty.

Both Pastore and Fogarty are New Deal Democrats. The reshuffling arrangement was chiefly in accordance with Pastore's views. He is the real Democratic boss of the state.

Uneasy

ECA authorities are uneasy about the situation in France.

Currently, political and economic conditions are quiet there. Inflation has been stopped, and the De Gaullist and Communist threats have subsided. Also, the Chamber of Deputies is in recess and a large portion of the population is enjoying the first quiet vacation period since the war. But behind this peaceful surface are a number of disquieting factors.

Chief of them is the wide disparity between prices and wages and the known preparations of major unions for a new round of pay demands. These are expected early in the Fall, with the Communist unions taking the lead.

Shorts

Adm. Roscoe Hillenkoetter, head of the Central Intelligence Agency, is making strenuous efforts to hold on to the job. President Truman has said he will name a civilian to this key agency . . . The probe of Michigan's senatorial election last year may be reopened. Sen. Theodore Green (D-RI) is considering offering a resolution for a new investigation of the election of Sen. Homer Ferguson (R-Mich) . . . Harvey Brown, former head of the International Association of Machinists, will be made labor adviser to U. S. High Commissioner John McCloy in Germany.

So they say

The Marshall Plan is like a dike around Europe. If it protects Europe from the poisoned flood waters welling up from Moscow, it will only be at the expense of diverting the tide across Asia.
—Chinese President Li Tsung-Jen

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The materialism of modern life has been rendered even more grave by the weakening of the institution of matrimony. The war caused the violent separation of millions of husbands and wives and destroyed millions of homes, aggravating the perils of immorality.
—Pope Pius XII.

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Out Kansas way, folks don't bother to define why they're friendly. They just are.
—Joyce C. Hall, president, Hallmark Greeting Card Co.

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Some critics of the Brannan Plan oppose it because it serves both the farmer and the consumer. In my judgment this is one of its greatest assets. A program that benefits only one group is not workable nor is it desirable.
—Ohio Grange Master Joseph W. Fichter.

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These recommendations of drastic reforms are opposed by many bureaucratic empire builders. It is only the citizens who can stop such obstructionism.
—Former President Herbert Hoover, referring to the Hoover Commission's recommendations for government reorganization.

Rayburn To Receive Bluebonnet Painting

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Speaker Rayburn soon will have a constant reminder of Texas in his dining room at the Capitol.

It will be a six-by-eight foot painting, "Texas Bluebonnet Time."

Jorfirio Salinas of San Antonio painted the study of the bluebonnet landscape near San Antonio. Rep. Patman (D-Texas) said Sid Richardson, Fort Worth oil man, learned Rayburn's friends were negotiating to acquire the painting to give the dining room "more of a Texas atmosphere" and then insisted on buying it for Rayburn himself.



★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

The Caffeine In Your Coffee Has Definite Medical Uses

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service

Caffeine is the principal active drug in both coffee and tea. In view of the large quantities of these beverages which are consumed, it is important to know whether the caffeine in them may cause harmful effects.

Although an ordinary cup of strong tea or coffee contains enough caffeine to have a definite drug effect, this is probably somewhat lessened by the fact that the caffeine is associated in these drinks with other substances. Both these drinks act as stimulants which increase mental and physical energy and relieve muscle and mental fatigue to some extent and are otherwise just "comforting."

Used By Doctors

Caffeine as a drug has definite medical value. It is a well-known brain stimulant. It is used sometimes to combat some of the harmful effects of acute poisoning with morphine or other depressing drugs. It stimulates breathing and is used in certain cases of asthma and other disorders of breathing.

Caffeine acts also on the heart and the blood vessels. It tends to dilate some of the blood vessels so that more blood may flow through and it is a direct heart stimulant.

In the form of tea, coffee, or other beverages containing caffeine, there is usually no harm produced by reasonably moderate consumption. As with any stimulant, excessive use nervous people are the ones most likely to drink too much and it is in them that injury from caffeine is particularly likely to occur.

When susceptible people do drink too much of some caffeine-containing beverage, they are likely to become excessively nervous, develop pounding of their hearts, headaches, sleeplessness, tremblings, and digestive disturbances. When such symptoms occur from tea or coffee, they are almost always caused by drinking too much, resulting in excessive intake of the active drug caffeine. The symptoms can be quickly lessened by cutting down on the excessive intake.

British officers and their wives who came to the United States in the Revolutionary War are believed to have made the first ice cream in the United States.

THE DOCTOR ANSWERS

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.

QUESTION: Is streptomycin helpful in treating stomach ulcers?

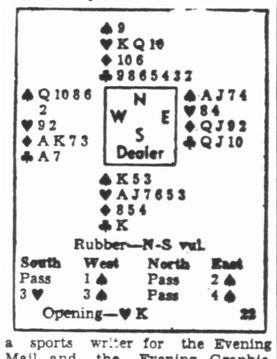
ANSWER: So far as I know, there is no reason to believe that streptomycin is helpful for stomach ulcers. There may be a slight possibility that it would be useful if ulcers became infected, although it is certainly not a usual form of treatment.

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority
Written for NEA Service

You would expect a fellow who has done so much for the Heart Association to have a heart as big as the town itself, and Ed Sullivan really has. I sat with him recently as he rehearsed his television show, "Toast of the Town."

Ed told me about the time he did a sports column for the Port Chester, N. Y., Daily Item. Yes, sir, at $1 per column. He became



a sports writer for the Evening Mail and the Evening Graphic. One day the managing editor decided that he would like to be the sports writer—so Ed became a Broadway columnist.

Because of that big heart of his, he started to put on charity shows. A network covered one of his shows, and that is how he got started in television. As we talked during the rehearsal, I could see that Ed's heart was set on seeing to it that every act in the show got its full opportunity.

Ed challenged me to a game of Cassino, which is a great game of memory. I would bet he is good at it because, while Ed appears very nonchalant, he never misses a trick. If he were a bridge player he would have been disappointed if he had missed the opportunity to defeat today's contract.

South took his partner's opening lead of the king of hearts with the ace. He played the king of clubs which declarer won with the ace. The queen of spades was led and finessed. South won with the king and returned a small heart. North won and returned a club. South ruffed and defeated the contract.

Questions and Answers

Q—Where does the nation's supply of popcorn come from?

A—The nation's popcorn supply comes largely from Iowa, which produces about 50,000,000 bushels yearly.

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Q—What nicknames were given to the baseball players Paul and Lloyd Waner?

A—The players, at one time outfielders of the Pittsburgh Pirates, were known as "Big Poison" and "Little Poison." Paul, "Big Poison," also played with the Boston Braves.

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Q—Who discovered the north magnetic pole?

A—James Clark Ross is credited with the discovery of the north magnetic pole, in 1831, while accompanying the expedition of his uncle, Sir John Ross.

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Q—Which President of the United States was administered the oath of office by his father?

A—Calvin Coolidge took the oath in the Vermont farmhouse where he was born. The oath of office was administered by his father, John Coolidge, the local justice of the peace.

★ WASHINGTON COLUMN ★



Proposed Anderson Farm Bill Held Together By Baling Wire

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—New farm legislation now before the Senate Agriculture Committee can best be likened to a farmyard junk pile being put together with baling wire.

Maybe there's no use getting excited about it, yet. The sixth draft of the bill being assembled by New Mexico senator, and former Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson's subcommittee may be rewritten again, a number of times. In recent executive session hearings, Secretary of Agriculture Charles Brannan is believed to have severely criticized his old boss' handiwork.

Brannan's own production payments farm plan of course was criticized to death in the House. But the proposed Anderson bill substitute, in its present form, is a complete political patch-work.

It takes parts of the Aiken bill, the Hope bill, the Pace bill, the Steagall amendments, the new Gore farm bill recently passed by the House, and even parts of the Brannan plan. On top of this it piles some new ideas which are best identified as representing the views of Allan Kline, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Congressman Gore's House bill also was credited generally with having been inspired by the Farm Bureau. Gore is planning to run for the Senate in 1950. Other Tennessee congressmen have accused Gore of backing this legislation to win Farm Bureau support in Tennessee.

But other farm organizations are against the Gore bill. National Grange officials have estimated that its rigid 90 per cent of parity farm price support provisions might cost the government as much as $8,000,000,000 in 1950. This is higher even than most estimates on what the Brannan farm plan might have cost.

The National Farmers' Union has been backing the Brannan plan from the start, and was against the Gore bill. Just as consistently, the Farm Bureau has been opposing the Brannan plan.

Sectional Split

Inside the Farm Bureau, however, there has been considerable feuding. Kline, representing largely northern and western corn and wheat states, is primarily interested in strong supports for those crops. This issue was fought out at a recent meeting of Farm Bureau directors in Chicago. As a result, Farm Bureau policy was changed. The organization now favors higher supports for cotton and other basic commodities, with quotas and marketing agreements on all crops.

After the House upset the Brannan plan and passed the Gore bill, the Senate Agriculture Committee held brief hearings. They were called to consider the so-called Thomas (of Oklahoma) farm bill, which would have set up the Brannan plan. But the hearings never got around to the Thomas bill. They talked about everything else.

Before this Senate committee, Kline testified that dairy products should be considered as secondary crops in the support program. This angered Charles W. Holman of the Milk Producers' Federation, and he since has been gunning for Kline.

All this farm organization politics made the Senate Agriculture Committee realize that the Gore bill wouldn't do. At this juncture Senator Anderson announced he would draw up a new, compromise farm bill. The Farm Bureau has had a big hand in its drafting. But what they have produced so far has been criticized as having so many compromises in it that it is completely unclear and unworkable. It will need much redrafting to take out the ambiguity.

Minimum Support Level Raised

The bill seems to accept the Aiken formula for flexible price supports on the basic commodities—wheat, corn, tobacco, rice, cotton and peanuts. But it raises minimum support level from 60 to 75 per cent of parity. Then it flatly sets tobacco support at 90 per cent of parity and it says there should be 90 per cent parity support for all crops on which marketing quotas or acreage allotments are in effect. In the end, everything probably would get 90 per cent.

The Anderson bill then seems to provide for support price, loan or production payment operations for nonbasic, perishable commodities. But there's a catch. Brannan plan-type production payments would be barred on perishables like livestock or milk if the price support operations can be carried out on their more storable products.

What this seems to mean is that livestock could not be supported if canned meat could be supported, or milk could not be supported if cheese could be supported. The effect is to require supports on the higher-priced processed foods, rather than on the lower-priced farm produce. It would probably double the cost. And the only perishable that could be supported would be something like watermelons.

Urges Marshall Plan For Latin America

LAREDO—(AP)—The Laredo Times, in an editorial, said Latin America should have a Marshall Plan immediately.

"All of the money under the plan should be earmarked for at least 150 TVA projects throughout Latin America," the editorial said.

"This would develop agriculture, transportation, industry and mining. As a result of these projects, our factories would have a natural market, which would develop for the next 50 to 100 years.

"That growth would eliminate billions of dollars in needless overstaffed armament installations. As a result, the taxpayers would save billions by the lessening of their tax load. The saving would allow us to put our energies into a more abundant life for all Democratic nations and people."

The editorial also stated that: "In the event of a third world war, our greatest strength, outside of our own country, will come from the Latin American nations."

Ten Young Mothers Set Cheerful Pattern At Polio Foundation

GONZALES —(AP)— Among the most courageously cheerful polio patients at Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation are ten young mothers.

All are in their twenties.

Separated from their children just at the time they're usually preparing them for school, the young mothers try hard to follow the foundation rules.

No patients exercise more constantly, nor more diligently.

One of the ten gave birth by Caesarean section to a baby girl 28 days after polio attacked her. Now six weeks old, the baby is the chief source of inspiration for the mother's constant effort to get her muscles coordinated again.

Two patients have twins. Two have only one child. The others, though only in their twenties, have two or three children.

Steps to the Moon

By Adelaide Humphries

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THE STORY: Gaynel Teare's mother Emily, her brother Denny and younger sister Pat all expect her to marry Barry Bainbridge, a young millionaire. But Gaynel has suddenly discovered that she is fond of Fritz Freyman, a young newspaperman. Gaynel is breadwinner of her family, once well-to-do but now reduced to moderate circumstances. Her brother cannot hold a job and Pat is too young to work. Barry has proposed, but Gaynel has not as yet given him her answer. Fritz has said nothing of marriage, but there is one lingering kiss that she remembers.

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THE White Dove, Barry's 250-foot yacht, was anchored off Mackinac Island. It had cruised through scenic Georgian Bay, on up through the great locks of Sault Ste. Marie, through which passes more traffic than any other canal in the world.

The rest of the party had gone over to the Island for the day, leaving Gaynel and Barry on board. Emily and Melvin, with Miss Pierce for audience, were going to have a game of golf on the Grand Hotel links; Pat wanted a swim in the picturesque outdoor pool; Miss Cupples, going in for educational pursuits, meant to visit the old fort.

"Are you sure you didn't want to go?" Barry asked. They were stretched in steamer chairs on the sun deck; Gaynel looking like a little girl in her brief halter and shorts. "We could have gone horseback riding through the parks; they are really lovely, you know. Or driving in a carriage, had you preferred."

Gaynel wriggled in sheer comfort, settling deeper into her chair. "No, thank you," she said. "I'm not in any hurry to put my foot on land again; tomorrow or the next day will do very well. I hope I didn't keep you from going; you didn't have to stay to play host."

Barry said, "You know better than that. We haven't had much time alone."

"It was dear of you, Barry, to bring the whole menagerie along."

He denied the "dearness," saying it had been his pleasure, since Emily had wanted her friends.

"You know," she said, "this has been better than any flight to the moon, Barry. It's been almost like being on the moon; the rest of the world seems so far away, as though it no longer existed."

Barry said, "I'd take you to the moon, if you'd let me—you know that."

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SHE said, "You're a darling," and tossed him a smile. But she kept the subject bound to safer ground; she had not made up her mind about Barry, yet. "I wish Denny would have come," the little fine line that mention of Denny often brought came between her brows. "There wasn't any reason why he shouldn't. He doesn't start with that new firm—thanks to you, Barry, per usual—until fall. I'm afraid the reason was his latest heart-throb. And Barry, I'm worried about this one."

He said, "I thought you told me you'd left all your jitters behind. There's no use worrying about Denny; he changes his current love interest even more often than his jobs. Now I," he leaned over to smile into her eyes, "keep the same one all the time."

"You're an old spoofer," Gaynel said. Was he going to be sentimental? "I'm really worried about Denny's new love, though, Barry. Denny wouldn't leave town in this awful heat—and this current interest has lasted longer than ever before. She's a divorcee, two times removed. That should give her an experienced technique. Denny's such a gullible idiot."

"Denny's nobody's fool. If there's anything I could do . . ."

"I thought you might look her up and see if she's as bad as she sounds. I don't mean 'bad,' really. Heaven knows, I'm no prude. The woman may have had a mean deal. I wouldn't ask if I didn't think it looked pretty serious. And at that I hate it. It seems I'm always asking you to do things and never doing anything for you."

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HE said seriously, "You couldn't ask enough. You know I'd move mountains, or the whole earth, for you, if I could. As for what you can do for me—there's only one thing, Gaynel."

"I know," she said, her eyes meeting his in a brief second, then looking away. "I'm still hoping, Barry darling, the answer will be the one you want. But I have to be sure."

"Tell me, Gay—is there anyone else?"

"N-no." Gaynel shook her head, with only a fraction's hesitancy. There wasn't, was there? She thought she was giving Barry the truth. There wasn't anyone else, unless she counted Fritz. Certainly he had never let her think he had marriage in mind. As a matter of fact, he had told her quite pointedly, and more than once, that he had no such intention. There had been that one night, of course, at The Goat's Nest, when he had kissed her. But even that night he had told her he hadn't the tenacity or funds required.

Barry's face was much less tense. "Even if there ever should be, or if you can't make up your mind to take me for any reason except the size of my bank account, I'll risk that. I told you I'd want you, anyway."

She said, "I'll always remember that. You couldn't have said anything nicer, Barry. But please remember the bank account was only one among many items. I promise not to keep you waiting forever; we'd both be too feeble to enjoy that moon by then. I promise to let you know as soon as I can."

"I couldn't ask for anything more." He seemed satisfied. He could afford to wait. He had so much to give her. She had not hurt him this time.

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MAJOR LEAGUES—

Cards Ease Up On Brooks; Sox Trim Down Yanks' Lead

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer

The St. Louis Cards faced a golden opportunity to open their biggest lead of the year over Brooklyn—two and a half games—Sunday. They had just whipped the Pittsburgh Pirates 4-2 in the first game of a double-header while the Dodgers were losing to Boston 5-0. That gave the front-running Cards a two-game bulge. A victory in the second game would have increased their margin to two and a half games.

But they reckoned not with their former pitching star, Murry Dickson. Murry not only beat them but shut them out with two singles. The score was 8-0.

Fred Martin, a repatriate from the Mexican League, pitched the 4-2 win for the Cards.

The Boston Red Sox closed in on the American League-leading New York Yankees, cutting their first place margin to two and a half games by walloping Washington 4-0. Philadelphia held the Red Sox by downing the Yankees 8-7.

Third-place Cleveland split a doubleheader with the White Sox in Chicago. The Indians came from behind to win the second game 7-4 after Chicago had won the opener 5-4.

Brownies Vacate Cellar

St. Louis moved out of eighth place by splitting a twin bill with Detroit. Les Moss' two-run, pinch-hit single in the eighth beat the Tigers 4-2 in the first game. Home runs by Vic Wertz, Pat Mullin and Paul Campbell won the second game for Detroit 8-7.

The Philadelphia Phils divided a double-header with the New York Giants. Kenny Heintzelman blanked Leo Durocher's crew 4-0 for the Phils in the opener. The second game was forfeited to the Giants by umpire Al Barlick in the ninth inning when the Philadelphia customers rained pop bottles and other missles on the field in protest over a decision by Umpire George Barr.

Barr had ruled that Philly Outfielder Richie Ashburn had trapped a drive off the bat of Joe Lafata. Ashburn argued that he caught it. The Giants were in front at the time 4-2.

Cincinnati came back to get a split in it's twin bill with Chicago, winning the second game 4-1 after the Cubs had won the opener 5-4.

Zoe Ann Olson Nabs AAU Dive Crown As Hawaiians Win Meet

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Pretty Zoe Ann Olsen had her fourteenth national championship for her hope chest Monday and Hawaii could brag of almost complete domination of the Women's AAU swimming meet.

Zoe Ann, who will wed Football Star Jack Jensen next month, came back from a nasty tumble Sunday to win her fourteenth title—the three-meter springboard. She piled up 155.76 points by using five of the most difficult tricks in the book for optional dives.

Hawaii's bronzed swimmers won six championships, a flock of seconds, thirds and fourths and the team trophy with 48 points.

Miss Olsen, 18-year-old Oakland, Calif., Olympics star, skidded on the slippery springboard as she started a two and one-half somersault. She landed on her back and slid off the board.

After dabbing away a few tears, she went right back and executed the dive. It netted 46.2 points.

STANDINGS

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

Longhorn League

MIDLAND 12, Odessa 6.
Big Spring 5, San Angelo 3 (10 innings).
Ballinger 3, Vernon 2 (10 innings).
Sweetwater 8, Roswell 4.

West Texas-New Mexico League

Lamesa 10, Abilene 0.
Albuquerque 9, Clovis 7.
Amarillo 11-6, Borger 3-9.
Lubbock 7, Pampa 6 (10 innings).

Texas League

Fort Worth 2, Houston 0.
Oklahoma City 4, Shreveport 1.
Tulsa 5, Beaumont 4.
San Antonio 11, Dallas 6.

National League

St. Louis 4-0, Pittsburgh 2-8.
Boston 5, Brooklyn 0.
Philadelphia 4-0, New York 0-9 (second game forfeited in ninth with New York leading 4-2).
Chicago 5-1, Cincinnati 4-4.

American League

Philadelphia 8, New York 7.
Boston 4, Washington 0.
Chicago 5-4, Cleveland 4-7.
St. Louis 4-7, Detroit 2-8.

MONDAY'S STANDINGS

Longhorn League

	W	L	Pct.
Big Spring	81	37	.686
Vernon	62	53	.539
MIDLAND	60	56	.517
San Angelo	57	58	.496
Ballinger	53	64	.453
Odessa	51	64	.443
Sweetwater	51	67	.432
Roswell	49	65	.430

West Texas-New Mexico League

	W	L	Pct.
Albuquerque	71	51	.582
Lamesa	65	57	.533
Abilene	65	58	.528
Amarillo	62	59	.512
Pampa	62	62	.500
Lubbock	62	62	.500
Borger	56	67	.455
Clovis	47	74	.388

Texas League

	W	L	Pct.
Fort Worth	80	51	.611
Tulsa	78	54	.591
Oklahoma City	71	60	.542
Dallas	69	63	.523
Shreveport	65	65	.500
San Antonio	61	70	.458
Houston	49	79	.383
Beaumont	49	80	.380

National League

	W	L	Pct.
St. Louis	71	44	.617
Brooklyn	69	45	.605
Boston	59	56	.513
Philadelphia	60	58	.508
New York	58	57	.504
Pittsburgh	54	61	.470
Cincinnati	48	69	.410
Chicago	45	74	.378

American League

	W	L	Pct.
New York	73	42	.635
Boston	72	46	.610
Cleveland	69	48	.590
Philadelphia	63	54	.538
Detroit	65	56	.537
Chicago	50	67	.427
St. Louis	40	80	.333
Washington	38	77	.330

MONDAY'S SCHEDULE

Longhorn League

MIDLAND at VERNON.
Roswell at Odessa.
Big Spring at Ballinger.
San Angelo at Sweetwater.

Hand-Off



Ralph Kiner appears to be breaking by Shortstop Roy Smalley for an off-tackle thrust in Wrigley Field, Chicago. It's still hot and baseball season, however, and Pirates' slugging left fielder is being forced out by Second Baseman Wayne Terwilliger, racing towards bag.

Firemen, Cops Get Set For Benefit Tilt

Midland's Firemen and Policemen Monday were going through tapering-off drills in preparation for their long-awaited benefit baseball game in Indian Pahk at 8:15 p.m. Tuesday.

The game will be played to aid the Joan Edwards Recovery Fund.

No admission will be charged at the gate. A collection will be taken between innings so each fan will have an opportunity to contribute to the worthy fund to help Joan Edwards back to health.

Police Chief Jack Ellington is to oppose Fire Chief Jim Walker on the mound.

Bulldog Boosters To Meet Tuesday

The Midland Bulldog Booster Club is scheduled to meet in the high school at 8 p.m. Tuesday to hear a special report from Coach Tugboat Jones and his assistants on the first week of football training.

President M. A. (Red) Roberts Monday said 1949 membership cards also will be handed out at the meeting.

All boosters and others interested in the club have been urged to attend the meeting.

McAllen Attorney To Seek Evidence In Tidelands Fight

McALLEN —(AP)— Fidencio Guerra, McAllen attorney, said Monday he is going to Mexico City and Chile to check old court records of land grants in an effort to help Texas in its Tidelands fight with the federal government.

The grants were by King Phillip II of Spain in the Sixteenth Century in what is now Texas.

Guerra said Attorney General Price Daniel was sending him on the trip.

The federal government claims ownership of under-water oil lands off the coast of Texas. Two conflicting bills that would specify the right of each side now are before a House Judiciary sub-committee.

One includes Texas' claim that the state owns its Tidelands a distance of 10 1/2 miles off shore and that this ownership was granted by a treaty in which is signed away its standing as an independent nation and became a state in 1845.

Guerra hopes to find backing of this claim in the Mexican and Chilean archieves.

He did not say exactly what evidence he expects to dig up but did say that in the past, courts generally have upheld the validity of Spanish and Mexican grants of land.

Charlie Keller of the Yankees has a .306 batting average for 19 World Series games. Among his 22 hits were five home runs.

Bulldogs Return To Work Monday After A Day Off

The Midland High School Bulldogs resumed training in two drills daily at Memorial Stadium Monday following a day off Sunday.

Coach Tugboat Jones is expected to step things up some in this second week.

Position assignments are being made now that the team is taking shape.

Training will continue at two-drills-daily until school opens September 6.

Knee Operation To Delay Ben Hogan's Return To Big Time

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Ben Hogan is going to return to big-time golf but it won't be as soon as he had expected.

The great linksman, seriously injured last February in a bus-car crash near Van Horn, has discovered that he has a torn knee cartilage that will require an operation eventually.

The injury was revealed by Dr. Alton Oschner when Hogan went to New Orleans last week for a checkup.

Hogan had said he thought he could start playing golf again within a year of the date of the accident but the torn cartilage has brought a revision in plans.

Hogan will leave Tuesday for New York to join the Ryder Cup Team as non-playing captain. The operation will come later.

Coach Jim Turner of the Yankees pitched the Boston Braves to 20 victories in 1937. As Beaumont, Texas, manager in 1946 he pitched his team to 11 wins while losing three games.

Pop-Bottle Barrage Brings First Major Forfeit Since 1942

PHILADELPHIA —(AP)— The Philadelphia Phillies lost a National League baseball game to the New York Giants Sunday because their fans got mad at the umpire.

A 15-minute barrage of pop bottles, over-ripe fruit and wads of paper forced Umpire Al Barlick to give the Giants a 9-0 forfeit victory in the nightcap of a Shibe Park double-header. He said he did it "for the good of the people, baseball and the players."

It was the first major league forfeit since Sep. 27, 1942. That contest, too, involved the Giants. The New Yorkers were playing the Boston Braves when a horde of youngsters swarmed on the field.

The Phils had won the opener 4-0 to stretch their win streak to six stright. But the fans ended the string in the ninth inning of the second game. At the time the Giants were ahead 4-2.

The ire of the Phil rooters—19,742 strong—was directed at Umpire George Barr. Barlick, umpire-in-chief since he was officiating behind the plate, merely called the forfeit. He acted under a National League rule which says a game may be declared forfeited if the field is not cleared within 15 minutes after start of a rhubarb.

Disputed Catch

Barr, umpiring at second, made the disputed decision. He called "a hit" what the Phils and the fans insisted was an out.

The Giants' Joe Lafata lashed a long fly which Outfielder Richie Ashburn claimed was caught eight inches from the ground. Barr said it was "no catch." The blow scored Willard Marshall from third.

Ashburn slammed his glove to the ground. He stormed in at Barr. Other Phil players joined the argument.

Barr just turned his back—the decision stuck.

Then the pop bottles began to fly, together with jeering shouts of "Kill the umpire."

Barlick told Phil Manager Eddie Sawyer to clear the field for resumption of play. But efforts to quiet the fans and halt the bottle barrage proved fruitless. So Barlick called the forfeit.

"I had to think of the safety of everyone," Barlick said. "And that meant fans who were sitting in the lower stands and were in danger of being struck by pop bottles, fruit and other missiles being thrown from the upper stands."

Big Jim Ferrier Finally Wins One

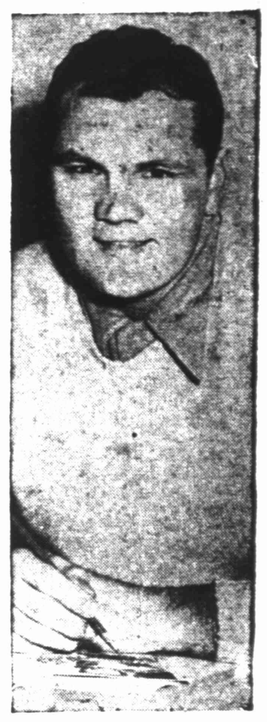
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—(AP)—Big Jim Ferrier of San Francisco finally won a golf tournament Sunday and rewrote the record book in doing it.

Ferrier, the perennial runner-up in pro golfing circles this season, turned in a 263 score to cop $2,600 first prize money in the Grand Rapids Open Golf Tournament.

His performance bettered by a stroke the PGA tournament record of 264 for a par 72 course.

Syracuse University's cross-country team is unbeaten since 1946 and Coach Bob Grieve's forces have won 12 straight dual meets.

Light Touch



Tex Coulter, burly lineman of professional New York Giants, works at drawing board in Fort Worth. When not busy on the football field, Tex draws a sports cartoon which he syndicates to 26 Texas newspapers.

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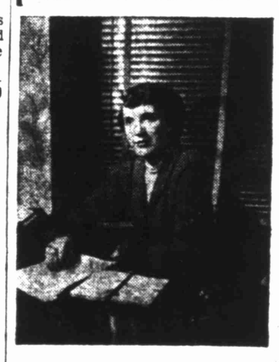
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Tribe Bops Odessa Oilers Again

Sixteen Singles Spark 12-6 Win

Harold Webb moves his Midland Indians to Vernon Monday night to open a week's road trip. The Vernon series will be a three-game stint.

The Tribe returns home August 29 to face Roswell in a three-game series.

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The Midland Indians singled the Odessa Oilers to death here Sunday afternoon in taking a 12 to 6 decision to sweep the two-game series. The Redskins loosed a 16-hit attack on two Oiler hurlers, taking advantage of three big innings to notch the win.

Julian Pressley, making his first start of the season as a pitcher, worked three innings but had to call on Ralph Blair when the Oilers counted two in the fourth to run the score to 6-5 in favor of Midland.

Blair was in rare form even though suffering from an injured ankle. He set the Oilers down on three hits in the next six innings to gain credit for the win, his fifteenth of the year.

Odessa Scores First

Odessa touched Pressley for three in the first on a fielder's choice, a walk and a double by Frank Mormino followed by a single by Murphy.

The Indians knotted the score in their half of the first. A walk to Stanley Hughes, a single by Warren Sliter, Lou Dawson's fielder's choice coupled with an error and singles by Julian Pressley and Kenny Jones did the trick.

Odessa roared back with two in the fourth on two walks and a double by Leo Rheingans. Blair came on to nip the next three batters in order. Kenny Peacock helped greatly with some fine defensive play.

Big Fourth

Jess Grimes, starting Odessa hurler, absorbed more punishment from the Indians in the second. Gus Pena opened with a single. Rose walked, Stanley Hughes walked to load the bases and Sliter reached base on an error, two runs scoring. Hughes scored from third on Lou Dawson's long fly to centerfield.

Came the fourth and Midland really unloaded. Lou Dawson struck-out after one was away but reached f st when Frank Mormino let the ball get away. Pressley singled, scoring Dawson, Peacock was hit by a pitched ball and Kenny Jones singled to load the bags. Blair, hitting for his first time, singled through shortstop to score Pressley and Peacock. Pena walked and Rose singled Jones and Blair around. Warren Slyiter singled to plate Pena with the sixth run of the inning and No. 12 for Milland.

The Oilers got their last run in the ninth on a double by Wayne Batson and a single by Al Monchak.

The Indians really fattened up at the Oilers' expense. Sliter, Pressle, and Rose got two hits each and Blair, Jones and Pena collected three each.

The box score:

ODESSA	AB	R	H	O	A
Rheingans, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Batson, 1b	5	2	3	9	0
Palmer, 3b	4	1	0	1	1
Monchak, 2b	5	0	2	4	5
Mormino, c	5	1	1	3	0
Murphy, cf	4	0	1	4	0
Wynn, ss	4	0	0	2	4
Ogden, lf	3	1	0	1	0
Grimes, p	1	1	0	0	0
Diaz, p	2	0	0	0	1
Totals	37	6	8	24	11

MIDLAND	AB	R	H	O	A
Hughes, ss	3	2	0	7	2
Sliter, 1b	5	0	2	7	0
Dawson, lf	5	2	0	1	0
Pressley, p-rf	4	2	2	0	0
Peacock, 3b	4	1	1	2	2
Jones, c	5	1	3	3	0
Lorenzo, rf	2	0	0	1	0
Blair, p	3	1	3	1	1
Pena, cf	4	2	3	3	0
Rose, 2b	4	1	2	2	3
Totals	29	12	16	27	8

Odessa	300	200	001— 6
Midland	330	600	00x—12

Errors—Wynn, Ogden 2; Hughes, Peacock. Runs batted in—Rheingans 2, Mormino 3, Murphy; Sliter, Pressley 2, Peacock, Jones, Blair, Pena, Rose 2. Two base hits—Rheingans, Batson. Stolen bases—Monchak. Double plays—Wynn to Monchak to Batson 3. Left on bases—Odessa 8, Midland 8. Bases on balls—off Grimes 5; off Pressley 4, off Blair 1. Strikeouts—by Grimes 3, Diaz 1; Blair 1. Hits and runs—off Grimes 9 for 12 in 3 1/3, off Diaz 7 for 0 in 4 2/3; off Pressley 5 for 5 in 3, off Blair 3 for 1 in 6. Hit by pitcher—by Grimes (Peacock). Wild pitches—Grimes, Diaz. Passed ball—Mormino. Winning pitcher—Blair. Losing pitcher—Grimes. Umpires—Averill, Willensky and Rakestraw. Time—2:03.

Whiz Kid



Coach Crystal Scarborough dunks six-months-old Robin Leigh Whitford, inset, in Los Angeles' Ambassador Lido Pool. Little Robin can't walk yet, but will try out for a diving part in an aquacade.

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SPORTSLANTS

BY SHORTY SHELBURNE

It took Monty Stratton, one of the most courageous figures in baseball, to break a sustained losing streak for the Vernon Dusters Saturday night. Monty hurled a 5 to 0 shutout over the powerful Ballinger Cats at Vernon.

Stratton is touring the minor leagues in this area, making one night stands to hurl for the home teams. He's meeting with great success at the box office and in his mound work.

Bob Huntley probably slipped him a bonus for Saturday's win. Just Friday night Bob was so down in the dumps he predicted his Dusters wouldn't win another game this season.

—SS—

The Odessa Oilers have come and departed Indian Park for the last time in the regular season of play this year. They didn't scratch in the two-game series.

Nevertheless, the Odessa fans followed them here in goodly numbers to leave some of their dollars at Harold Webb's box office.

They'll get two more chances at the Indians this year—both in Oiler Park.

—SS—

Cubby Heaton, a long-time friend of Sports Slants and the present Odessa police chief, says to look out for the Odessa Bronchos in 1950 and 1951.

Heaton says Joe Coleman is building up to the best team in the history of Odessa. Most of the material is due to come from the present reserve squad and some good junior prospects.

Funny thing. Midland is figuring on a good team about that time, too.

—SS—

Ralph Blair heaped more honor upon himself Sunday afternoon when he hurled the Indians to an easy 12 to 6 decision over Odessa. Blair pitched with an injured ankle and allowed only three hits and one run in six innings.

On top of his pitching performance, he hit three for three in the game.

Although Julian Pressley started the tilt and still had a one-run advantage when he left the mound, Blair is credited with the win. Pressley didn't pitch long enough to get credit.

—SS—

Tuesday is the final day for signing players in the Longhorn League for the playoffs. Anyone signed after midnight Tuesday will not be eligible.

Manager Harold Webb says he expects to go along with what he has.

Ernie Nelson, Leon Hayes, Ralph Blair, Claude Horton and Glenn Patton will compose the pitching staff for the playoffs, provided the Indians stay up.

Patton currently is on the disabled list with a sore arm. It is feared he might have a chipped elbow.

—SS—

Much of the credit for bringing the District 3-AA Football Coaches and Officials Association meeting to Midland this year goes to Burns McKinney, the association's past president.

McKinney extended the invitation last year and it was accepted.

Billy Maxwell Wins Lubbock Invitation

LUBBOCK —(AP)— Winning the Lubbock Country Club Invitation golf tournament is becoming a habit for Billy Maxwell of Odessa.

He took his third straight crown Sunday as he beat Joe Conrad of San Antonio 6 and 5 in the 36-hole finals.

Maxwell was nine under par on the 31 holes while Conrad was three under. Par on the course is 71.

Austin Entry Wins Softball Tournament

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Nixon Clay of Austin is the American Softball Association champion of Texas.

The Austin team won the title Sunday night by beating G. E. Watson of Mercedes 1-0 in the finals.

Nixon Clay and Mercedes now are eligible to play in the regional tournament at Dallas September 2-4.

National League umpire Lon Warneke won 22 games pitching for the Chicago Cubs in 1932 and again in 1934. He won 20 for the Cubs in 1935.

Playoff Spot At Stake In Softball Tilt

Fourth place in the standings of the Midland Softball League will be decided at Wadley Field Monday night when the Rebels meet Shell. Starting time will be 8 p.m.

Rotary Engineers currently is in fourth by a half game and has completed its schedule. A win for Shell would draw them into a tie with Rotary.

First place is held by Western Plastic. Joe's Gulf and Standard are tied for second.

The playoffs between the first four teams will open probably Tuesday night or Wednesday.

WT-NM League—

Lamesa Lobos Clip Blue Sox To Move Into Second Place

By The Associated Press

The Lamesa Lobos have climbed over the Abilene Blue Sox into second place in the West Texas-New Mexico baseball league.

Lamesa whitewashed Abilene 10-0 Sunday night behind the five-hit hurling of Jack Guittierrez.

The loss dropped Abilene into third place, half a game behind Lamesa.

Lamesa is six games behind league-leading Albuquerque, which defeated Clovis 9-7.

Fourth-place Amarillo and Borger split a double-header. Amarillo won the opener 11-3, while Borger took the night cap 9-6.

Lubbock edged Pampa 7-6 in ten frames.

Five home runs accounted for nine of Lamesa's runs against Abilene.

Manager Hershel Martin hit four singles and Dick Gyselman got a triple and two singles for the Dukes.

Steve Lagomarsino hurled Amarillo to victory in the opener, but lost the second game in an attempt at the iron man trick.

A bunt by Charley Willis, scoring Nelson Davis in the tenth, gave Lubbock the edge over Pampa.

Texans Progress In Semi-Pro Meet

WICHITA, KAN.—(AP)—The Weimar, Texas, Truckers test their strength against a top-ranking team in the National Semi-Pro Baseball Tournament Monday night.

They meet the Mount Vernon, Wash., Milkmaids in the feature of a three-game card at 8 p.m.

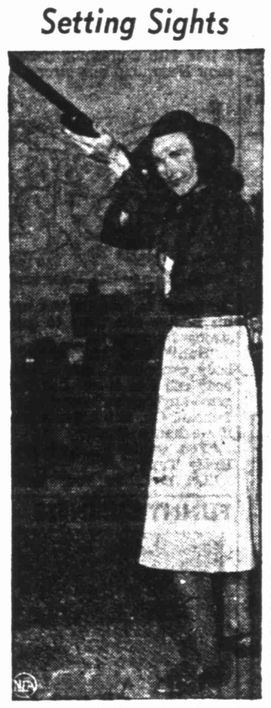
The Milkmaids placed third in last year's tournament. They showed Sunday night they are just about as potent this season—beating the Great Falls, Mont., East Air Base 15-1.

The Weimar roster includes 10 members of the University of Texas team that won the national intercollegiate baseball championship last June.

The Texans won their first round game in the semi-pro meet Saturday night, defeating the Weiser, Idaho, Prospectors 2-1.

As in the past two season, Syracuse will play its home basketball games in the New York State Fair Coliseum.

Setting Sights



Glamour girl of trapshooting, Mrs. Moselle Cameron, won women's Champion of Champions event in Grand American tournament last year with a perfect score, breaking 100 straight clay birds. The Denver, Colo., marksman will defend title at the fiftieth Grand American trapshooting tournament, August 19-27, at Vandalia Field, Dayton, Ohio.

Texas League—

Felines, Indians, Oilers, Missions Notch Loop Wins

By The Associated Press

The home run hitters and the hurlers divided honors Sunday night in the Texas League race.

League-leading Fort Worth's rookie hurler, Billy Loes, pitched the Cats to a five-hit, 2-0 shutout over the seventh-place Houston Buffs.

Third-place Oklahoma City's Al Olsen twirled another five-hitter to down the fifth-place Shreveport Sports 4-1.

Home runs high lighted the other two games.

Second-place Tulsa's Russell Burns hit a three-run homer that contributed to the Oilers 5-4 victory over last-place Beaumont.

Joe Frazier slugged a three-run round-tripper for San Antonio and Dallas' Jerry Witte hit a two-run circuit clout—his thirty-ninth of the year—as San Antonio defeated the Eagles 11-6.

Preston Ward's double in the third and Al Carrasquel's single in the eighth produced the two Fort Worth tallies.

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Connie Mack Looks For More Pennants

NEW YORK —(AP)— Octogenarian Connie Mack, still beaming over "my greatest day in baseball," is looking forward to more glorious ones "in the next few years" with his Philadelphia Athletics.

The 86-year-old manager of the Athletics, honored at Yankee Stadium Sunday with a special "Connie Mack Day," told the 64,323 fans he expects to give Philadelphia another pennant in the next few years.

"This has been the happiest day of my life," Connie told the near-capacity crowd. "I wish to thank the New York Yankee organization and the baseball fans of New York for making this a great day for me. I expect in the next few years to have more great days in Philadelphia."

"Mr. Mack," with eleven American League championships behind him, is convinced he has another pennant winner in the making. He is equally certain he will be leading it to the flag.

Mack, in his fiftieth year as manager of the Athletics, says he has no intention of quitting.

Connie probably never will forget the tremendous reception he was given at the stadium. It must have warmed his heart to see once again such former favorites in uniform as Lefty Grove, Home Run Baker, Jimmy Foxx, Bing Miller, Camera Eye Max Bishop, Mule Haas, Mickey Cochrane and Jack Barry.

The eight, along with his son, Earle, and Al Simmons, another of his coaches, took part in an old-timers game against a team of Yankee old timers.

Longhorn League—

Sweetwater Climbs Out Of Loop Cellar By Beating Roswell

By The Associated Press

It's a fair bet that Big Spring leads the Longhorn League for the season.

As of Monday the Broncs are out in front by 17 1/2 games and they have only 22 to play.

Sunday Big Spring beat San Angelo 5-3 while runner-up Vernon was losing to Ballinger 3-2.

Both were extra innings games. Big Spring tallied two runs in the tenth to win and Ballinger edged over in the same frame to lick Vernon.

Midland trounced Odessa 12-6 and Sweetwater climbed out of the cellar by downing Roswell 8-4. Roswell fell into last place.

Former Ball Player Believed Drowned In Boating Mishap

DALLAS—(AP)—Bob Sanguinet, 42, former Texas League baseball player, was believed to have drowned in Lake Dallas Sunday when a boat capsized.

Denton firemen, Denton County deputy sheriffs and attendants from a funeral home in Denton searched the lake six hours before halting the search at midnight.

The search was resumed Monday.

Witnesses said Sanguinet and his brother, Buddy Sanguinet, were in a boat equipped with an outboard motor. One of the steering cables leading from the motor to the front of the boat broke and the boat tipped, throwing the two men into the water. A passing boat rescued Buddy Sanguinet but could not get to the brother.

Bob Sanguinet played several years with Texas League clubs during the 1920's, most of the time with Waco. He later played in West Texas. He had been associated with his father's plumbing supply house in Dallas since an automobile accident in Tyler ended his baseball career.

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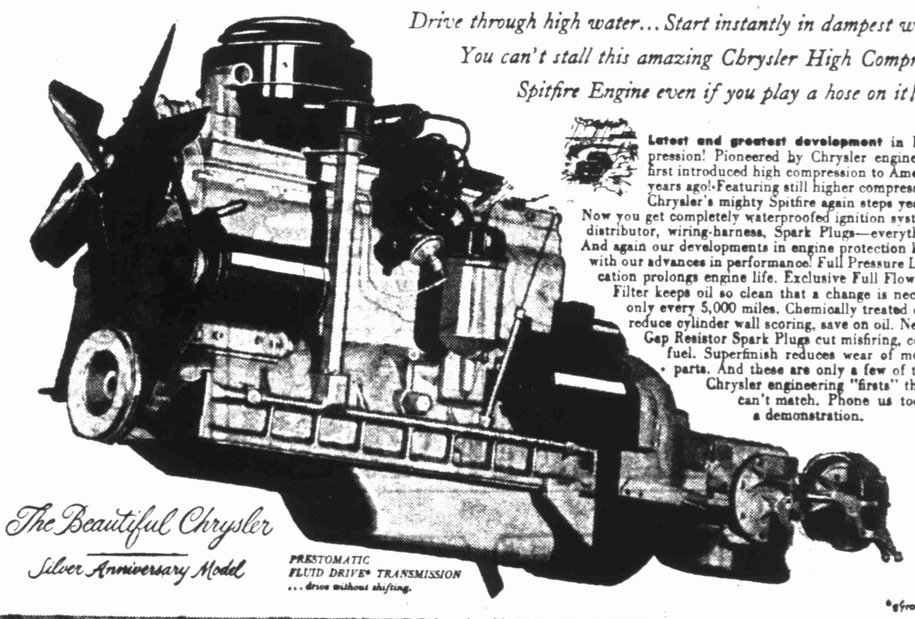
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DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And Huffy Tuffy Trouble

Daddy Ringtail explained to Mugwump that nobody ever wins a fight where a lot of hitting happens. Both the fighters get hurt. Then Mugwump slid down to the ground to play with Huffy Tuffy, the monkey boy, the huffiest and the toughiest somebody in the whole Great Forest.

"I like to fight," said Huffy Tuffy.

"Do you care if I watch?" asked Mugwump.

But Huffy said that Mugwump was the one he wanted to fight with, and he told Mugwump what a very good fighter he was. He said he was strong, too. He pushed over a tree with a crashing noise, all to show Mugwump how strong he was.



He began to tear up the tree with his fingers—the more to show how strong he was.

"Huh!" said Mugwump. "Anybody can push down a tree—anybody can tear it up with their fingers—anybody as strong as you are, I mean. Oh, but I would hurt you, if we had a fight."

"You wouldn't hurt me," said Huffy Tuffy.

"Let me show you," said Mugwump. "Now suppose we were fighting. Suppose I hit you on top of the head—like this!"

Mugwump hit as hard as he could. "Bong!" There was a great big bump on Huffy Tuffy's head. "Ah-ooo!" said Huffy.

"And that's what would happen," said Mugwump, "if we were fighting."

"I bet it wouldn't, either," said Huffy Tuffy.

"Oh yes it would," Mugwump told him. Again he hit with his fist on Huffy's head. "Bong!" Another big bump. He kicked with his feet at Huffy's legs. "Bing! Bing!"

"Ah-ooo!" said Huffy Tuffy twice together. "Ah-ooo!"

"Yes," said Mugwump, "and I would hit you fast in the stomach like this." He began to hit at Huffy's stomach, and it made a noise like beating a drum.

He was doing it all to show what would happen if they were really fighting. He was showing Huffy that everyone is hurt when a fight starts, and that no one ever wins. Oh yes! Somebody always gets hurt, and it's usually both the fighters. Tsk! Tsk! Tsk! Poor fellows.

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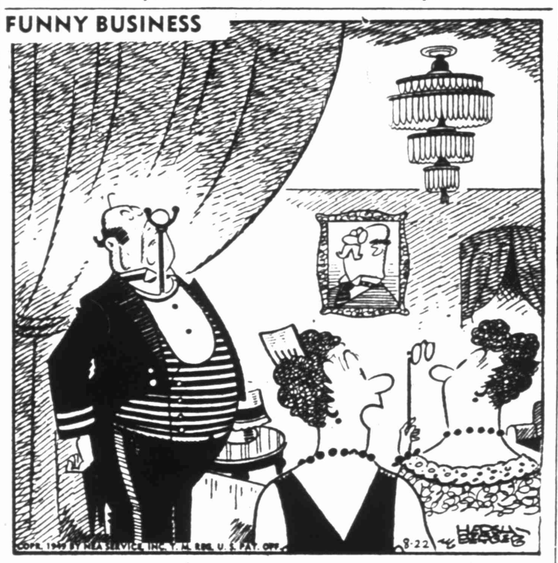
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Secret Letter May Shed New Light On Deep Freezer Deal

WASHINGTON —(AP)— A secret letter beginning "Dear Pop" is shedding new light on the perfume oil and home freezer aspects of the five percenter inquiry, Senator Mundt (R-SD) said Monday.

The letter was written by a former member of the armed services to his father, who turned it over to Mundt. The South Dakota lawmaker is a member of the special Senate subcommittee checking on whether improper influence has figured in the handling of government business.

Mundt declined to discuss the contents of the letter in any detail. He did describe it as a significant eye-witness account "of something which took place which appears to have an important bearing on matters we have been investigating." He added:

"The letter ties in with the whole chain of events dealing with the presentation of home freezers to prominent people in Washington and the subsequent activities of representatives of the perfume company which paid for the freezers."

Mundt said the youth who wrote the letter either will be called to testify at the Senate public hearings, to be resumed Tuesday, or will be questioned privately.

Mundt declined to name the boy or his father.

New Crane Theatre Opens Wednesday

CRANE—Official opening of the new Crane Theater will be held Wednesday with the doors to be opened at 6 p.m.

The theater is one of the most modern in the state and is estimated to have cost more than $100,000. It is of brick and tile construction.

A unique feature of the building is the "cry room," where mothers may take small children and, without disturbing the audience, see and hear the show.

Waller and Allen of Lamesa were contractors on the building, with Crane Electric doing the wiring and the Carroll Plumbing Company, the plumbing.

Theater seats are of the opera type, covered with brown leather and rose colored trim.

Screen New In West Texas

The screen is the first of its kind to be used in West Texas and is said to remove all distortion from the picture when viewed from any point in the auditorium. The projection room is equipped with modern sound equipment and new type amplifiers which will provide the utmost in sound and acoustics.

A party, sponsored by the theater, will be held in the roped-off section on Fifth Street in front of the theater following the dedication. Square dance teams from a number of nearby cities as well as from the two local clubs will be on hand to dance to the music which will be provided by the Cecil Brower Band.

Leonard Hallenbeck, theater manager, has made all arrangements for the entertainment and opening.

12 Of 13 'Stir-Crazy' Escapees Recaptured

MILLEDGEVILL, GA. — (AP) — Thirteen "stir crazy" convicts escaped from a ward for the criminally insane at the State Hospital Sunday. One, a rapist, still was at large Monday.

The other 12 were recaptured before midnight.

Still free was William Cochran, serving a 20-year sentence for rape. Officers were uncertain whether Cochran was armed.

The 13 made their break by sawing the bars from a small bathroom window, rubbing their bodies with soap and sliding through.

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Monroe Reviews School Prospects At Kiwanis Meet

Frank Monroe, superintendent of the Midland Schools, told Kiwanis Club members Monday what the Gilmer-Aikin Bill consists of and how it will affect the Midland schools. Monroe was guest speaker at the luncheon of the club in the ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Most important aspect of the bill, according to Monroe, is the increase in salary it will afford most teachers. "This will bring many teachers back into the profession who have been forced to withdraw in the past because the salary didn't pay enough to support a family," Monroe pointed out.

"Because of the decided difference between the salary of the teacher holding a bachelor's degree and one holding a master's degree, many are going back to school to do the necessary work for this pay boost," Monroe asserted. To prove his point, the number of master's degrees in the Midland schools has increased 50 per cent over that of last year.

The Gilmer-Aikin Bill provides that one-fourth of a school's expenses be borne by the district while the remainder is the responsibility of the state, the superintendent pointed out.

A brief resume of the building program in the Midland Public School System concluded Monroe's address.

Council Interviews Municipal Engineers

Members of the City Council Monday afternoon were interviewing representatives of municipal engineering firms invited here to discuss Midland's proposed sewage disposal plant and sewer system improvement and expansion program.

One of the engineering firms specializing in such projects may be employed later to plan and direct a program here.

Among those expected to be interviewed were A. G. Classen of El Paso, Joe E. Ward, Wichita Falls; Julian Montgomery, Austin; Homer Hunter, Dallas, and a representative of Smith, Parkhill and Cooper, Lubbock.

San Angelo Gets New City Manager

SHERMAN — (AP) — Garland P. Franks, Sherman city manager since May 1, 1947, resigned Saturday to become city manager of San Angelo.

He will replace Sam Lawhon, who resigned to enter private business.

Franks came to Sherman from the city managership at Pampa. He goes to San Angelo at a $10,000 salary.

Child Injured When Struck By Car Here

Midland police Sunday received a report Sharron Ann Limons, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lindon Limons of San Angelo, was struck by an automobile at 710 South Baird Street.

The child is under treatment at Western Clinic-Hospital. Doctors said she suffered abrasions of the head and shock.

NO SERIOUS INJURIES IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Glasscock County officers Sunday night investigated an automobile accident about seven miles west of Garden City. A report reaching the Midland Sheriff's Department said no serious injuries resulted. Two cars were damaged.

NEGRO MAN FOUND DEAD

Manuel Lee, 41-year-old negro, was found dead in bed at his home, 1009 East Davis Street at 4:30 p.m. Sunday. He had been ill more than a year.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license has been issued by the county clerk to R. E. Garrison and Virginia Callaway.

GETS CUTS IN FALL

Mrs. Julia Lopez was treated at Western Clinic-Hospital Sunday for lacerations received in a fall.

INJURED IN AN AFFRAY

Don Douglas, 19-year-old negro, was treated at Western Clinic-Hospital for injuries received in an affray Sunday night. His condition was described as not serious. He was struck over the eye with a hatchet, officers said.

STRUCK BY AUTOMOBILE

Police reported Monday Julias Jones, 13-year-old negro, was run over by an automobile Sunday night. He was not believed to be injured seriously.

VISITING MOTHER

Mrs. Frank Houghton and children, Judy and Bobby, are visiting Mrs. Houghton's mother in Denison for a few days.

ATTEND CAMP MEETING

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nipp and children spent the weekend in the Davis Mountains, and attended the Bloys Camp Meeting in Skillman's Grove near Fort Davis.

STRAUSS IMPROVES

GARMISCH-PARTENKIRCHEN GERMANY —(AP)— The condition of Richard Strauss, 85-year-old composer, was considerably improved Monday. Strauss has been suffering from a heart ailment.

COFFEE, PRICES BOOSTED

NEW YORK —(AP)— Coffee prices were boosted a cent a pound Monday by General Foods Corporation.

COTTON

NEW YORK —(AP)— Monday noon cotton prices were 10 to 35 cents a bale higher than the previous close. October 29.89, December 29.89 and March 29.87.

Need Explained

The need of united conservation action, asserts the National Wildlife Federation, is to counteract the forces of resource exploitation against land, water, forest, field, and wildlife which injure the entire nation by recreational and economic losses.

Shivers Signs Bid For Extradition Of Ochoa From Mexico

AUSTIN—(AP)—Gov. Allan Shivers Monday signed a letter of transmittal to federal authorities requesting extradition from Mexico of George W. Ochoa.

Ochoa is charged with murder in a July 31 Laredo slaying and is wanted for question in another slaying on the same date there.

Shivers sent the request to the Texas Secretary of State for processing and forwarding to the U. S. Secrtary of State at Washington.

District Attorney E. James Kazen of Laredo requested the extradition.

Ochoa, a U. S. customs broker, fled across the border after the two slayings last month. He is charged in the death of Henry D. Whittenburg, 31, a South Texas ginner, and is wanted for questioning in the death of Air Force Corporal James Lindsay, 30, of Oneida, Tenn.

The men were slain in a Laredo hotel on different floors.

Ameche—

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modest, but definitely not unfriendly.

He said things are comparatively quiet in the movie industry right now. He is not working on a picture at present. When a movie fan commented she first had seen him in the film, "Ramona," the star commented, "That was a long time ago."

New Radio Show

Ameche stated he will join Jimmy Durante in a radio show over NBC starting in October.

When questioned concerning the recent order of the Federal Communications Commission banning "give away" shows and programs over the airways, the veteran radio performer said he believes the FCC has little if any chance of making the order stick. He does not believe the "give away" shows constitute lotteries.

Future West Texas oil man or no, Don Ameche is a nice-talking, nice-appearing person who is more than welcome in Midland—the oil capital of the vast Permian Basin Empire.

B-36—

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forts to play favorites among plane manufacturers.

Asked whether political influence would affect recommendations of the board, Spaatz said:

"That would not enter into it all."

Probe Great Disservice

To a request from Representative Durham (D-NC) for comment on the advantages a hearing of this sort might give a potential enemy, the retired general replied:

"I think that it is one of the unfortunate parts of an investigation that an attack on the ability of the B-36 to do its job forces the Air Force to give more and more information to the Congress and the public to get appropriations for the B-36. All that gives information to the enemy and the consequences are obvious.

"I think one of the greatest disservices to the country has been given by these anonymous charges against the B-36 which have resulted in dragging out into open view these figures on performance that should be highly secret."

Spaatz said that "absolutely" he still stands by his decision that the B-36 is the best ship to carry the atom load.

Truman—

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munism for its "false" claim that it satisfies "the universal desire for a better life."

Instead, he said, it "lures men by false promises back to tyranny and slavery."

The President made no reference to the plight of Communist-controlled China. A new American policy concerning that country is in course of study at the State Department.

Philippines, Korea Aid

But, he said, the Philippines and Korea, the two young republics in the Far East, "need military assistance if they are to maintain their national security."

While most of the aid sought in the arms program would go to the Atlantic Treaty countries, he said the Philippines and Korea will share like others "whose security is important to world peace."

"We must continue our aid to Greece and Turkey," Truman said. "We should help Iran maintain its firm stand against Soviet pressure."

Truman said military aid is "part and parcel" of the policy of helping European economic recovery. He conceded it was costly, but said "it represents an investment in security that will be worth many times its cost." And he said it is "part of the cost of peace."

Unless the Democracies stand together to weld a defense structure strong enough to prevent another conflict, he said, they can be taken over "one by one."

Guest Speaker To Address Air Force Reserve Unit Here

Lt. M. D. Syfrett of Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, or a speaker from Brooks Field in San Antonio will give an address covering the Air Force Reserve training program at the regular meeting of the 9816th Voluntary Reserve Unit here Thursday. The meeting is scheduled for 8 p.m. at Midland Air Terminal.

Detailed information on the reserve program and its training phases will be given.

All members of the 9816th and others interested in the program are urged to attend.

Col. Bill Walmsley is the commanding officer of the Midland unit.

Negro Is Stabbed; 'Girl Friend' Fined

Eugene Grant, negro, was treated Sunday at Western Clinic-Hospital for a stab wound which he said was inflicted by his "girl friend."

The "girl friend" was fined $25 and costs Monday by City Judge J. M. De Armond for assault.

Gasoline Supply In Chicago Vanishes As Strike Worsens

CHICAGO —(AP)— Gasoline was becoming a very precious commodity in Chicago Monday with all but 39 widely scattered filling stations doomed for an early shutdown.

Striking drivers of oil and gasoline trucks were rejoined Saturday by operators who had kept a trickle of motor fuel flowing into some of the city's 4,000 stations under a new wage contract.

Most of the station's already had closed since their supplies were shut off by the strike 12 days ago, but some had remained open because they were served by truck lines which had met union pay demands.

Under Saturday's agreement, however, all union drivers will stay off their jobs until the holdout truck lines also come to terms.

The 39 stations to remain open will do so to provide motor fuel principally for physicians and ambulances and hearses. They are to be designated as emergency stations, but they obtain supplies by tank car and will sell to the public also.

Noted Song Writer, Mathematician Dies

STARKSVILLE, MISS. — (AP) — Dr. Buz M. Walker, 86, former president of Mississippi State College, noted mathematician and song writer, was to be interred here Monday.

Dr. Walker, who in 1936 was honored by the International Congress of Mathematicians as one of the top men in his field, died at Longview, Texas, Sunday. He had been making his home in the Texas city.

He was a fellow and member emeritus of the American Mathematical Society as well as president emeritus of Mississippi State College.

After retiring as president of the college, he wrote songs and lyrics as a hobby. A number of these were published, some of them being used in motion pictures.

Millions of persons heard his songs. During World War II, a victory song, "Forever and Forever," had wide circulation as "Victory for Democracy." His Spanish, Western and love songs were used for motion picture background music. They included "Farewell," "Down an Old Wyoming Trail," "A Vesper Song," and "The Old Shade Tree."

Mrs. D. G. Barrow Dies At Home In Abilene

ABILENE—Mrs. D. G. Barrow, long-time West Texas resident, died early Sunday at the family residence here following an eight months illness.

She was born in Patton, McClellan County, Texas. She and Mr. Barrow were married Jan. 29, 1908, in Hamilton County. They resided in Rotan and Stamford before moving to Abilene in 1921.

Funeral services were to be held here Monday afternoon.

Survivors include the husband; four daughters, Mrs. Don N. Gaither and Nadine Barrow, both of Kermit, and Mrs. Theo Glasscock and Mrs. W. H. Haney, both of Abilene; two sons, Cecil Barrow of Abilene, and Dave Barrow, Jr., Odessa; five grandchildren; three brothers, and four sisters.

Midland Boys Back From Optimist Camp

Don Hamilton and David McKinney, newspaper boys employed by The Reporter-Telegram Circulation Department, returned Monday from Eagle Mountain Lake near Fort Worth where they spent a week at the Optimist Club's Camp. James N. Allison went to Fort Worth to accompany the boys back to Midland.

The youths were sent to the camp through the cooperative efforts of the Midland Optimist Club and The Reporter-Telegram.

They are two of four newspaper boys from Midland who attended the camp. Jimmy Streun and Billy Harmon returned August 14 after having spent a week at the camp.

Congratulations To:



Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Tabor on the birth Saturday of a daughter, Helen Elizabeth, weighing six pounds, eight ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Stansbury on the birth Saturday of a son, Roy Allan, weighing eight pounds, four ounces.

FORMER EL PASO NEWSPAPERMAN DIES

EL PASO—(AP)—Ernest E. Wheelock, 75, El Paso newspaperman, is dead.

Wheelock, formerly an editorial department employe of the El Paso Times, died Saturday in a hospital. He had worked on newspapers at Minneapolis, Chicago, Cincinnati, Washington and Douglas, Ariz.

SADLERS RETURN

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Sadler returned Saturday from a weeks vacation in Colorado and New Mexico. Sadler is head of the Midland-Ector-Howard County Health Unit.

LIONS MEET HELD

A meeting of the District 2-T-2, Lions International. Governor's Cabinet was held during the weekend in Big Spring, with Gov. James L. Daugherty of Midland in charge. The Midlander said 10 district officials attended the session.

RETURN FROM COMANCHE

Mr. and Mrs. John Spurgers and daughter, Betty Lou, have returned from a vacation trip to Comanche, Texas, where they visited the Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Patton.

VISITING IN DALLAS

Mrs. Robert M. Turpin and daughter, Jessica, are visiting in Dallas this week.

TREATED FOR INJURY

C. D. Allison of Odessa was treated at Western Clinic-Hospital Monday for a thigh injury received on a construction job here.

Santa's Helpers Help The Tourists Find The Way To His New Workshop

NORTH POLE, N. Y.—(NEA)—A little way up the road that climbs Whiteface Mountain, Santa Claus is sitting in a pine log house with children on his knee, making plans for next December.

Because it is Summer, the red coat hangs in the closet most of the time and Santa wears a tee-shirt, but the white beard is there and nobody, except maybe a youngster who had never seen his picture, would have any trouble recognizing him.

The little village just off the highway is Santa's Workshop, which suddenly appeared in the middle of the pines last month because six-year-old Patricia Reiss began asking some questions a couple of Winters ago.

That was when Patricia was driving home from New York with her father, Julian Reiss, a Lake Placid businessman. The snow reminded her of Santa, and she wanted to know what he did when it wasn't Christmas.

Hollywood Fugitive

Reiss' answer was a little slow in coming, but he figured Santa must have a place where he worked all year round. Then he got the idea that a lot of other children besides Patricia would like to see where Santa worked.

He talked it over with Harold Fortune, a construction man who is as bombastic as Reiss is quiet. Fortune owned 15 acres in the midst of the state-owned Whiteface Mountain area, and together they drew up plans for Santa's Workshop, a tourist attraction they feel confident nobody will be able to pass by as long as they have a child in the car with them.

To help, they called in 34-year-old Arto Monaco, a sensitive fugitive from Hollywood's cartoon studios who had retired to the village of Upper Jay, just down the valley from Whiteface, and gone into business building toys.

Because Monaco was likely to give away his hand-carved wooden toys that are caricatures of such things as trains, steamboats and circuses, he was almost ready to go out of business when Reiss and Fortune came along. He helped design the new village, and since he'll keep on making toys, Monaco probably rates as No. 1 man to Santa.

Parents Just Tag Along

Children get the favored treatment at the village. Parents just pay the freight and tag along. A pony cart takes the youngsters from the entrance gate and through the woods where white deer, goats, sheep, ducks and rabbits wander around. In the Winter they'll ride in sleighs. There's a chute for the children to slide down into the village after the ride.

The nine little houses are huddled around a little lake like something out of a Swiss village, and in one of them sits Santa. Natives know him as Bill McDonald, a 68-year-old carpenter from Lake Placid. He rocks contentedly in his chair while his helpers—ten-age boys and girls in Tyrolean costume—guide the children to him.

A girl dressed as Bo-Peep is one of the helpers, although nobody knows what Bo-Peep actually has to do with Santa. But Patricia Reiss is a sort of helper ex-officio this Summer, too, and she wears a flamboyant blouse and shorts.

Bill (Santa) McDonald claims he could grow his own beard for the job if his neighbors wouldn't kid him about it.

And maybe next year he will, he says, providing too many of the 100,000 visitors expected this Summer and Fall don't yank at the false whiskers he's wearing now.



Ex-officio helper Patricia Reiss, along with Bo-Peep and a deer, guide a pleased youngster at Santa's Workshop.



Bill (Santa) McDonald and visitors at North Pole, N. Y. Even Santa takes off his coat in the Summertime.

West Texas Oil & Gas Log—

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plete the well from the pay section so far penetrated.

Corrected top of the Canyon lime reef was 6,767 feet. Corrected top of the porosity was 6,782 feet. Elevation is 2,391 feet. Total depth, previously reported to have been 6,805 feet, has been corrected by electric log to be 6,801 feet.

Cochran Wildcat May Extend Landon-Deep

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 2 Holt, Central-South Cochran County development, which showed 5,000 feet of free oil in the Devonian, to indicate a one-quarter of a mile north extension to the producing limits of that formation for the Landon-Deep field, in a drillstem test at 11,755-800 feet, was taking another test at 11,780-830 feet.

The tester had been open for six hours at last report. There had been a good blow of air at the surface for most of the period—but, at the end of six hours no fluid had come to the surface.

Operator was due to be pulling the tester at the time this report was prepared.

This well is 978 feet low on the top of the Devonian to the Stanolind No. 2 Edwards, the Devonian discovery in the Landon area. No. 2 Holt is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 3, block L, psl survey. It topped the Devonian at 11,729 feet, to give it a datum of minus 7,918 feet on that marker.

Some geologists think it is on a fault.

Runnels Exploration Is Slated By Humble

Humble Oil & Refining Company has staked location for a 4,900-foot wildcat in Northwest Runnels County, three miles south of Winters.

The prospector will be Humble No. 1 Bud Herndon. The drillsite will be 3,320 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of the B. W. Taylor survey No. 2. Rotary tools will be used. Drilling will start immediately.

Outpost Planned For Kelly-Canyon By Sun

Sun Oil Company has made a tentative location for a west stepout to the proven area in the Kelly-Canyon field of Central Scurry County.

The exploration is to be Sun No. 1 Lemons. It is slated to be located 467 feet from north and east lines of the south 40 acres in the northwest quarter of section 205, block 97, H&TC survey.

It is slated to dig to about 7,000 feet to explore into the Canyon lime. The location might be shifted slightly in the lease before drilling is started sometime in the near future.

Flanker Is Staked To North Snyder Field

Ryan and Burke of San Antonio No. 1 S. H. Musgrove is to be a 7,000-foot prospector to test into the Canyon lime reef on the south side of the south extension to the North Snyder field.

It will be 660 feet from north and west lines of tract 15, section 19, block 1, J. P. Smith survey. It is one location south of the nearest completed well in the North Snyder field, and one mile west and one-half mile north of the Moncrief, Hope and Crosby No. 1 Musgrove, recent discovery to the southeast of the field. Drilling is to start at once.

Benedum Venture Is Scheduled By RNGC

Republic Natural Gas Company is to start drilling soon on its No. 2-A Rosa H. Barnett as a 12,000-foot exploration in the Benedum field in East-Central Upton County.

Drillsite of the venture is 660 feet from south and west lines of the northwest quarter of section 40-Y-TCRR survey, about 12 miles northeast of Rankin.

Operations are to be with rotary tools.

Andrews Producer Is Completed In Silurian

The Pure Oil Company has completed its No. 9-S-B E. P. Cowden as a natural producer in the Dollarhide-Silurian field of Southwest Andrews County.

On a 24-hour potential from the Silurian it flowed through a 12/64th inch choke for 229 barrles of 42.3 gravity oil. Gas-oil ration of the new petroleum was 366-1. There was no formation water.

The production was from open hole between 8,329 feet where a 7 inch oil string is cemented and the total depth at 8,602 feet. Operator plans dual completion from the Devonian also and a packer is set at 7,660 feet. Top of the pay in the Silurian was 8,341 feet. Flowing casing pressure was 500 pounds.

Location is 555 feet from south and 766 feet from east lines of section 24, block A-52, psl survey.

Rice Brothers Plug, Abandon Coke Project

Rice Brothers, Inc., of Marysville, Calif., have plugged and abandoned their No. 1 W. R. and George Stephenson, Central-East Coke County wildcat, as a dry hole.

This venture, 330 feet from northeast and southeast lines of the Emil Hanke survey No. 383, drilled to 5,406 feet in the Ellenburger with no shows. It topped the Ellenburger at 5,348 feet.

It is two miles south of the Bronte field and three and one-half miles south and slightly east of the town of Bronte.

Seven Polio Victims On Missing Aircraft

WINNIPEG, MANITOBA —(AP)— Three Dakota planes Monday searched Northern Manitoba for an amphibious Canso aircraft missing since Sunday night with 20 persons aboard, Royal Canadian Air Force officials said Monday.

The Canso left Churchill at 5 p.m. Sunday and last radioed the Hudson Bay port one and one half hours later. It was scheduled to land here at 9:10 p.m.

Those aboard included a crew of six, seven Eskimos stricken with poliomyelitis who are accompanied by a nurse, a newspaper man and a party of men from the Federal Bureau of Transport.

RCAF officials said the plane possibly landed in or around one of the numerous lakes in Northern Manitoba. Engine trouble or stormy weather was given as a possible explanation.

Faris Services Held In Midland

Private funeral services for C. W. (Bill) Faris, 39, Midland petroleum engineer, were to be held Monday afternoon in the Trinity Episcopal Church, with interment to follow in Resthaven Memorial Park.

Faris died Friday night in a Rochester, Minn., hospital. The body was returned to Midland Monday.

He came to Midland in 1944 as a petroleum engineer with the Shell Oil Company. He resigned as area petroleum engineer in October, 1948, to become a partner with J. E. (Ed) Warren in the firm of Faris and Warren, consulting engineers for the petroleum industry. Faris was a graduate of petroleum engineering of Pennsylvania State College.

Survivors include his widow; a son, Charles, 15 and a daughter, Carolyn, 12.

Pallbearers were to be J. P. Ruchman, William B. Harkrider, J. Ed Warren, R. E. L. Taylor, Emmett Kimrey, Edgar Dickey, A. C. Bulnes and C. G. Cooper.

House Starts Debate On Waterways Bill

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The House opened debate Monday on a $1,114,539,000 omnibus rivers and harbors and flood control authorization bill.

Action was delayed until Tuesday on a second bill which would provide money for water project construction during the 12 months which began July 1.

The omnibus bill would authorize new construction projects estimated to cost $1,114,539,000. Including additional work on existing giant undertakings, it would authorize future appropriations of $995,000,000 for flood control and $119,539,000 for navigation improvements on rivers and harbors.

Moscow-Yugoslavia War Of Words Nears White Hot Intensity

LONDON —(AP)— The white hot war of words between Yugoslavia and Russia grew more intense Monday as Marshal Tito's supporters hurled defiant countercharges at the Soviet.

In answer to a Russian threat to take "effective measures" to protect Russian citizens in Yugoslavia Communist organ Borba accused the Soviet of using these citizens as spies.

Borba, mouthpiece of Tito's government, said the Russian note was full of "vile language, insults and threats" and was delivered in an insulting fashion. The Russian protest was delivered to a doorman at the Yugoslav Foreign Ministry at 5 a.m.

Yugoslavia also replied Sunday to a Soviet note of August 11 which said Yugoslavia was an enemy of the Soviet Union.

Charge Double-Cross

The Yugoslav reply to her erstwhile Cominform mentor accused Russia of a double-cross in dropping her support of Yugoslav claims for Austrian territory.

The feud between the Russians and Tito dates back to June, 1948, when the Yugoslav Reds were thrown out of the Cominform (Communist International Information Bureau) for deviation from Moscow-type Marxism. The Yugoslavs were charged with anti-Soviet nationalism.

The split has widened perceptibly since Tito, subjected to an economic boycott by the Cominform nations, has made overtures to the West for money and supplies.

Tito steadfastly has refused to knuckle under to the Kremlin and has publicly warned that his Army is perpared to fight any invader.

The latest Yugoslav retort to Moscow and the Borba editorial were made public here by Tanjug, the official Yugoslav news agency.

The note said the Kremlin had sold out Yugoslav claims to Carinthia, a part of Southern Austria which has a large Slovene population, in order to get the Western powers to agree to Russian claims to German assets in Austria.

WCTU President Assails Practice Of 'Peddling The Red'

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The president of the Women's Christian Temperance Union Monday urged charity blood banks to stop accepting "obviously unfit" blood from donors seeking money to buy liquor.

Mrs. D. Leigh Colvin told the 75th annual WCTU convention that the practice of selling blood for drinking funds has become prevalent among vagrants who term it "peddling the red."

Referring to an article by William J. Slocum in Collier's Magazine, the WCTU head said the blood bank practices discussed were investigated by the temperance organization early this year in Chicago.

"What our investigators knew to be true," Mrs. Colvin said, "was met with general denials by clinics and doctors.

"Nevertheless, most clinics using it certainly know where the blood comes from, and banks take advantage of the donors by paying them as little as $3 a pint, sometimes up to $8, while the price of most leading hospitals for good blood is $25 to $50.

"Steps by health authorities are certainly indicated if the banks and clinics do not stop the practice."

Texas Gets Taste Of Fall Weather

By The Associated Press

There was a taste of Fall in the air in Texas Monday.

It was nice and cool all over the state. Temperatures ranged from 57 at Texarkana and Lufkin to 76 at Laredo. Dallas' 63 was the coolest since May 29.

Other morning readings: Dalhart 63, El Paso 70, San Antonio 69, Austin 68, Houston 67, Fort Worth and Abilene 65.

The cool spell spread over most of the state Sunday. Only in the extreme South was it real hot Sunday. Maximum readings ranged from 83 at Lubbock to 103 at Laredo.

Skies were clear Monday except along the lower coast from Corpus Christi to Brownsville.

A trace of rain fell Sunday at Lubbock, Marfa, Laredo and Alice.

Child Hurt Slightly In Auto-Bike Mishap

Phillip Rodriguez, 13, of 401 North Dallas Street, was treated at Western Clinic-Hospital Sunday night for injuries received when the bicycle he was riding was hit by a taxi.

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The youth's injuries were reported not serious.

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Communist Strike Tempo In Finland Slows Down Again

HELSINKI, FINLAND—(AP)—The Communist strike offensive against the Finnish government lost momentum again Monday as workers apparently remained deaf to Red pleas for further walkouts.

Although the Transport Workers Union called a strike for Monday morning, traffic was normal.

The Communist timetable had called for more than 100,000 of Finland's 300,000 unionized workers to prepare for a Communist coup.

The government has not yet been able to compile an official report on the number who actually have left work but employer estimates gave the total at 27,000.

Iowan Joins Drive To Trim Arms Fund

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senator Hickenlooper (R-Iowa) Monday joined in a Senate drive to trim the $1,450,000,000 sought by the Administration to finance a foreign arms aid program.

Hickenlooper, a member of the Foreign Relations Committee, said he thought the European countries could "get along with substantially less money" than Secretary of State Acheson and military leaders have asked Congress for.

He didn't say he would go as far as the House did last Friday. It slashed the $1,160,990,000 tagged by the Administration for North Atlantic Pact partners to $580,495,000, or just half the original amount.

Rent Hikes Follow No Common Pattern

By The Associated Press

Many people are paying rent increases averaging around 20 per cent in areas recently decontrolled by the government.

But a common trend in what happened to rents after ceilings were abandoned is hard to find. Rent hikes ranged from a rare extreme of 300 per cent down to no increase at all, a survey reveals.

In some places there were more vacancies after decontrol—in others housing remained just as tight as ever.

Hundreds Fight Fires In National Forests

By The Associated Press

Hundreds of fire fighters battled flames in National Forest areas of six Western states Monday. At least six major fires still were out of control, three in the Payette National Forest of Central Idaho and three in Yellowstone National Park in Wyoming.

Four crewmen were hospitalized, one in California and three in Idaho.

More than 300 lightning-caused fires, most of them small, covered an estimated 33,000 acres of timber and grass lands in the drought-stricken forests.

Livestock

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 2,600; calves 1,000; cattle and calves uneven, sales to shippers and small killers fully steady to strong but major packers' bids steady to weak; stockers and feeders steady to weak; common to medium grass steers and yearlings 16.50-20.50; fat cows 13.00-15.00; good and choice fat calves 18.00-23.00; common to medium 13.00-18.00; stocker calves 17.00-23.00; stocker yearlings 16.00-20.00; fleshy feeder yearlings and steers 18.50 down; stocker cows 13.50-15.50.

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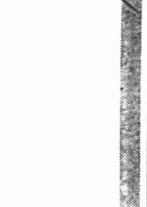
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Trying To Cure Silent Hubby? You're Working Against Odds

By RUTH MILLETT
NEA Staff Writer

So he won't talk, eh?

He comes home from work, hides behind the newspaper and opens his mouth only to tell the children to pipe down, to ask you how long before dinner, and maybe to inquire if you finally remembered to send his blue suit to the cleaners.

He just refuses to scintillate, and you're finding living with a human clam a trifle on the monotonous side.

You've tried all the usual sort of advice handed to wives, you say. You meet him at the door with a freshly-lipsticked smile.

You ask him what kind of a day he's had, stifling the temptation to tell him just what a "stinker" yours was. You make small talk, throwing in all the amusing tidbits you've been saving up for him.

But all you get for your trouble are a few half-hearted "yeahs" and "nopes."

Well, don't take it too hard. You're not the only wife with that complaint. In fact, it's one of the most common complaints of all.

There's No Certain Remedy

And there's actually not much you can do about it. If you're married to a man whose idea of a pleasant evening is to sit and say nothing—nothing is what he's going to say.

Oh, you might occasionally shame him into straightening up and making a pretense of being more sociable. But tomorrow night he'll be right back to his own silent self.

So, if you're going to break the monotony of the evenings you'll have to do it all on your own. You can always invite friends in, and stir up a little conversation that way. You can always find yourself something interesting to read, so you won't mind the silence.

You might even make a game out of it, and see if you can't make him talk first. Though that's a hard game for a woman to win, even if she's the only one who knows she's playing it.

But if he won't talk—he won't talk. And the best answer is to talk yourself hoarse in the daytime—even if it's just over the telephone. And when 6 o'clock comes, prepare yourself for a quiet evening at home, consoling yourself with the fact that at least you know where your husband is—right over there in the corner behind that newspaper.

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Social Situations

SITUATION: You are introducing your husband to a woman you know only slightly.

WRONG WAY: Say: "Mrs. Jones, I want you to know Mr. Brown."

RIGHT WAY: Say: "Mrs. Jones, I want you to know my husband."

RETURN FROM SAN FRANCISCO

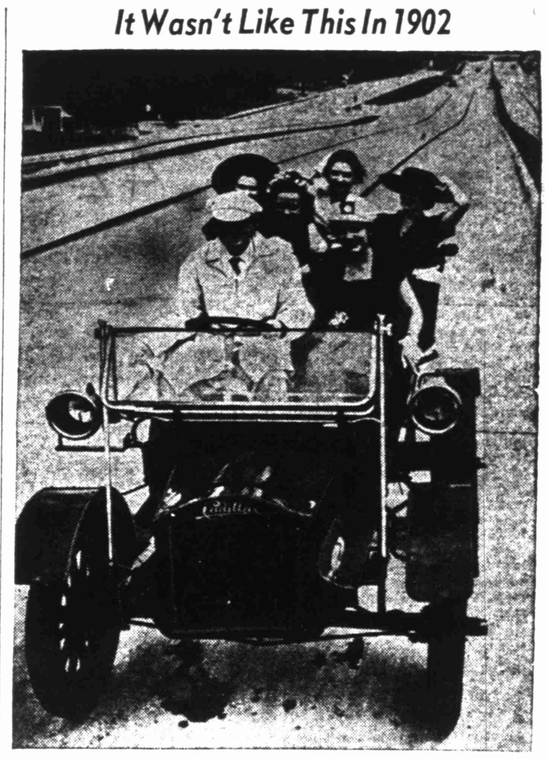
Dr. and Mrs. James H. Chapple and daughter, Toya, have returned by plane from a two-week vacation and business trip to San Francisco. They visited Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Soper and Mrs. Colin Reith, formerly of Midland. Mrs. Reith and Mrs. Soper are Dr. Chapple's sisters. He has resumed work in his office.

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It Wasn't Like This In 1902



(NEA Telephoto)
This 1902 model Cadillac, driven by Dick DeSanders, Jr., chugged along a new 10-lane, cross-town super-trafficway in Dallas in advance of formal opening ceremonies. The girls, wearing new fashions, find the open car a bit ancient. The expressway eventually will extend 11 miles across Dallas and cost more than $21,000,000.

Thinking Machine Next, Say Makers Of Numbers 'Brain'

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—The long dreamed of day of the thinking machine may be nearer than you imagine.

Scientists have invented an electrical monster that can perform any mathematical exercise and can memorize more than 500 numbers.

This giant brain is known as the binac. It is the second electronic brain created by J. Presper Eckert, Jr., 30, and John W. Mauchly, 42, former University of Pennsylvania physicists.

Details of the binac were disclosed Sunday. Eckert and Mauchly put the machine through a test run in which it did 500,000 additions and 200,000 multiplications in two hours.

A man working with an adding machine would have taken years to do the same computing.

Ecekert said it isn't true that the machine can think right now. But in the future?

"We don't know that it's impossible for these machines to think, said Eckert.

Eckert and Mauchly now are at work on their third automatic computer. That one will be called the univac and it will be far superior to either of the others.

Univac will be able to do almost anything. The first two univacs produced will play each other a game of chess. Eckert said they may even be able to write music.

Like Merry-Go-Round

The key to binac's operation is its memory. Eckert and Mauchly refer to the machine as if it were human. The numbers memorized each have addresses and the electrical pulses which pick out the numbers to be computed are called messengers.

"It operates like a merry-go-round." Mauchly told reporters. He said that 512 numbers, fed into the machine on magnetic tape, are sent into channels in mercury tanks. The machine is given its instructions in the same way.

"The instructions tell the messenger to go get the number living in location 322, for example," Mauchly said. "They pick him up and carry him to the computing machine.

Then they get the number in location 163 and take him to the computing machine too. These two operations take less than one-thousandth of a second."

The computing device can add or subtract 3,500 times a second. It can make 1,000 multiplications or divisions a second. Binac also takes square and cube roots and squares and cubes numbers.

Catching Burglar Is 'Outside' Job

OKLAHOMA CITY — (AP) — Here's a sure way to catch a burglar:

Lock him in the house being burglarized.

That's what 56-year-old George Whatlin did here Sunday after he saw a stranger walk through his yard and enter a small house in the back.

The tenant, 73-year-old Eugene Mayfield Layton, wasn't home and Whatlin knew it.

So he ambled over to Layton's house and locked the door from the outside and called police.

Crane News

CRANE—A son was born to Lt. and Mrs. B. R. Wright in San Antonio August 17. The baby, a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Wright of Crane, weighed five and one-half pounds at birth.

Betty Jan Price, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Price, former Crane residents who now live in El Paso, was married Sunday to Sgt. Richard Paul Bunting. The ceremony took place in the McKee Chapel of the St. Clements Episcopal Church of El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Dozier have announced the birth of a daughter, Gloria Jean, on August 18. She weighed seven pounds, 12 ounces.

W. E. Irick was admitted to the Crane Hospital last week for medical treatment.

Doris Warrick, superintendent of the Crane County Memorial Hospital, visited recently with friends at DeLeon and Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lewis visited recently with Lewis' mother at the Pyote Air Base.

On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Travis and children, Karon Sue, Robert and Sondra, left Saturday for a two-week vacation in Fort Worth and Valley Mills. They plan to spend a few days in Waco and on their return trip to Crane will visit with Dr. Arthur Travis, professor of Bible at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene.

County commissioner and Mrs. Oscar Reynolds visited recently with their daughter, Zoe, in Galveston.

Mr. and Mrs. Luba LeBoeuf and son, Lawrence, and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Shaffer and son, Joe Kelly, left Saturday for a fishing trip on Devils River. They were joined later by C. A. Shaffer.

Mrs. R. V. Wilson and sons, Bob and Bill, and Mrs. R. V. Wilson, Jr., and son, Jim, visited in Snyder recently.

Gene Hester, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Hester, spent several days recently visiting with Miss Madge Conger in Balmorhea. Miss Conger is a teacher in the Crane school system.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cowden attended the Bloys Camp Meeting near Fort Davis last week.

Mrs. Neal Grimes, assisted by Mrs. R. C. Grimes and Shirley Grimes, entertained in honor of the first birthday anniversary of her son, Jimmy, recently in the Community Hall.

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War Veteran Hitch Hikes Way Across Nation To Prison

LEAVENWORTH, KAN.— (AP) — A war veteran, convicted of rape, hitch hiked halfway across the nation to return to the federal penitentiary Sunday.

Frederick W. Wade, a 33-year-old former Army private, reported voluntarily at the Leavenworth Prison. He hitch hiked from his Tacoma, Wash., home.

Wade was released from the penitentiary on a writ of habeas corpus May 20, 1947, after he had begun serving a 20-year sentence.

Last April the United States Supreme Court upheld an appeals court decision which reversed the ruling under which Wade had been released.

Wade returned to prison in accordance with the Supreme Court's action.

The former soldier was convicted by an Army court martial in Germany in 1945 on a rape charge. He was sentenced to life imprisonment but the term later was reduced to 20 years. Still later an Army clemency board cut the sentence to 10 years.

Detroit Millionaire Is Good Samaritan

DETROIT—(AP)— The world did not pass Navy Veteran Ernest Gillum by in his time of trouble.

He asked for a job—any sort of a job that a man desperately ill with cancer could do in the six months he had left to live.

Monday, he had found his good Samaritan, who may be able to give more than temporary work.

A millionaire Detroit philanthropist, who asked that his name be kept secret, read newspaper stories of Gillum's plight. Then, reported the 34-year-old photographer, the millionaire came to him and said:

"I'm going to give you a job—a good one. But first, I'm going to get you cured."

The Samaritan told him. Gillum said, that he knew of a doctor who had effected remarkable cancer cures in Europe and the United States. So Gillum is going to go to the doctor this week to start a series of treatments.

Now, Gillum says, "I'm going to take a permanent job. Not the temporary one I was looking for."

Single Young Adults Schedule Fellowship

The Single Young Adults of the First Methodist Church are beginning weekly fellowship meetings after church services on Sunday nights in the Junior Department room of the church.

A series of programs for the next nine months has been outlined to include a study of "Self" for the first three months, a study of "Others" the second three months, and a study of "Jesus, Faith, the Bible and Christian Social Action" the last three months.

A recreation period follows this study each Sunday night. Sunday night the group went to Cloverdale Park for a watermelon feed.

This group is composed of the college and working young people. A going-away entertainment is planned Thursday night in Cloverdale Park honoring the group leaving for school.

Norwegian Survey Shows U. S. Worker Has Edge On Reds

PARIS—(AP)—The American working man is much better off than his Russian counterpart, according to a neutral Norwegian survey.

The Economic Cooperation Administration (Marshall Plan) issued a booklet Sunday giving the results of fact-finding trips to the U. S. and Russia by separate delegations of the Norwegian General Federation of Trade Unions.

It showed:

An average American worker earns a loaf of bread with five minutes work; it takes a Russian two hours.

An American buys a pound of meat with half an hour of labor; a Russian needs a day.

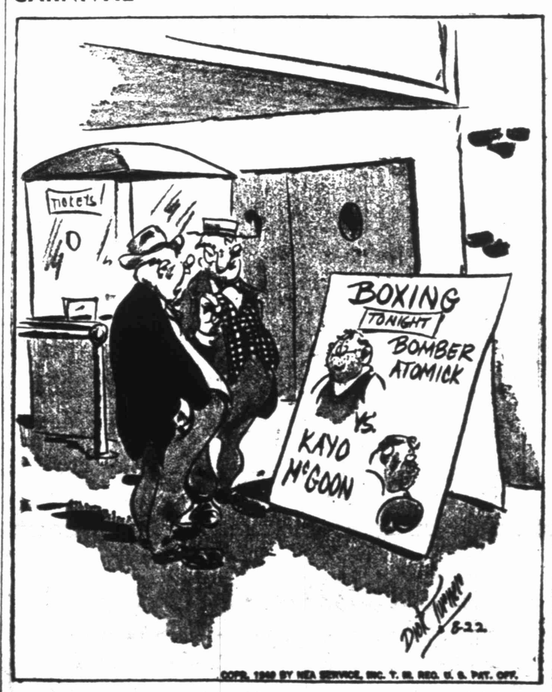
An American can buy a woolen suit after 25 hours of work; a Russian needs two months to earn the requisite rubles.

The Norwegians said their visit to the United States gave them "greater confidence in the ability of Democracy to solve its problems."

LEAVE FOR NEW YORK

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. (Dub) Watlington will leave Tuesday for a two-week vacation in New York and other Eastern points.

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Friends Of Rent Control Asleep At Switch When Congress Slashed Enforcement Funds

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Sound asleep. That's the story of the senators and congressmen who are friends of rent control.

They were sound asleep when Congress made its slashing cut in the money for carrying out the controls.

The cut was so deep that—unless it's changed —Rent Control Boss Tighe E. Woods says he'll have to drop controls in one-third of the areas now controlled in order to keep effective controls in the rest of the country. Even then, he says, he may need civilian volunteers to police rent controls in some of the areas remaining.

This is the story of the sleepy business:

Last March Congress voted to keep controls another 15 months, or until July 1, 1950.

Then Congress had to vote the money.

The government's Budget Bureau figured Woods' rent-controllers would need $26,750,000.

The Senate voted him only $21,667,000. The Senate friends of rent control were there at the time and argued against the cut, but lost.

Hurried Compromise

But when the Senate and House vote money bills, their amounts usually differ and a committee of senators and representatives has to sit down and work out a compromise. It happened in this case.

But—the House had not voted any money. In this committee session the House members said they thought 117,500,000 would be enough.

Then the House committee members went back to the House. They rattled off a number of changes in various money bills they had talked over with the senators.

Okay, okay, the full House membership said in effect, as the House committee report was read. And when that part was read—about cutting the senate figure of $21,667,000 down to $17,500,000—nobody in the House objected. There was no debate.

Then the House action was reported immediately to the full Senate. And the Senate spent no time at all in agreeing to the House action which cut the figure to $17,500,000.

John Hall Pitches Black Tribe To Win

John Hall registered his fourteenth win of the season Sunday as he hurled the Midland Black Indians to a 14 to 7 victory over the Hobbs Black Tigers in Hobbs, N. M.

It was the Midland team's twenty-seventh win of the season.

Harrison and Batie hit five for six for Midland.

The Black Indians will play the Abilene Black Eagles in Indian Park Sunday afternoon.

RETURN FROM VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Parkis and children. Ann and Steve, have returned from a two-week vacation visit with Mrs. Parkis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Ernst, in San Diego, Calif.



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