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Rankin Has New Bonus Bill Ready

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Chaiman Rankin (D-Miss) of the House Veterans Committee sought White House blessing Saturday night for an all-out drive for a bonus for service men.

Rankin, co-author of the G. I. Bill of Rights and of legislation that raised the monthly pay of enlisted men from $21 to $50 a month wants Congress to vote a $1,040 bonus to every service man and woman who has been in uniform at least 90 days and hasn't been dishonorably discharged.

"The time to give it to them is now, while many are being demobilized," he said in an interview during which he disclosed that he has sought the views of President Truman on the whole subject.

"I have asked the President to state his views on the bill and on the subject generally," he added.

Will Depend On Truman

Just how soon he will ask the veterans committee to begin consideration of the legislation will depend, Rankin said, on how soon the President communicates his views.

It provides for payments of $20 every two weeks for 52 weeks, or a total of $1,040. The G. I Bill of Rights provides similar compensation for unemployed veterans, but Rankin's bill would make the money available regardless of whether a veteran is employed. Should a veteran be unemployed, the $20 weekly provided in the G. I. Bill would be in addition to the $20 readjustment pay.

Under the Rankin measure every eligible person would receive the same amount, regardless of how long or where he served.

The total cost of Rankin's measure has been estimated at approximately $12,000,000,000.

Congressional backers of a bonus pointed out that President Truman in 1936, as a senator, voted for the bonus bill and helped override a veto.

Plane Cutback Is First Big Step To Reconversion

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Army's 17,000-plane cutback in aircraft, largest single armament slash since V-E Day, may reduce the nation's war bill by $3,500,000,000 and release 450,000 war workers by the year-end, highly placed officials said Saturday.

In addition they predicted that it will put industry "over the hump" in supplies of aluminum and small electric motors for new civilian goods. The motors, of which each heavy bomber requires more than 200, had been the most-feared bottleneck in resumed production of refrigerators, washing machines and other consumer products.

Those War Production Board officials directly connected with reconversion were highly elated. They were pleased, too, with the prospective release of a quantity of steel which, though relatively small, will be mostly of the persistently scarce alloy type.

'Let The Worm Go To The Worms'

LUENEBERG, GERMANY — (AP) —The body of Heinrich Himmler was returned unceremoniously Saturday to the soil of Germany which he stained with the blood of thousands of victims of his Gestapo.

"Let the worm go to the worms," was his only requiem, spoken by a British soldier who had to dig his secret grave.

Truman Asks Hoover's Advice On Food Plan

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Former President Herbert Hoover, a persistent advocate of food relief for war-ravaged Europeans, has accepted an invitation to confer with President Truman on the subject next Monday.

Announcement of the conference brought speculation in Republican Congressional circles that Hoover, who was food administrator during the First World War, might be offered an executive post in the international food set-up.

Weather

MIDLAND AND VICINITY

Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday. Little change in temperature.

Pacific Review Telemap



—NEA Telemap

The record fire bombing of Tokyo and the breaking of the Jap line on Okinawa are the highlights of the war in the Pacific for the past week. The Chinese offensive is making headway in all sectors.

Lt. Col. Jay Dykehouse Addresses Midland High School Graduates

"Commencement is a start and not a destination," Lt. Col. Jay Dykehouse told members of the graduating class of Midland High School at commencement exercises Friday night in the high school auditorium.

The schools often are blamed for persons going wrong, and since this is true, the schools should be given credit for those who do right, the speaker declared.

The graduates were advised by Colonel Dykehouse they now had reached the age to assume responsibility. Too many persons fail to assume their share of responsibility, and as a result, 10 per cent of the people perform 90 per cent of the civic work, the speaker asserted.

"The only reason for education is to be able to perform more unselfish and useful service."

Learn To Say "No"

"You must learn how to say no," Colonel Dykehouse advised the graduates as he discussed moral issues. "Among military prisoners 90 per cent are from broken homes."

The speaker suggested to the graduates that as they go out into the business and professional world they choose the organizations they join with care and join only those which perform a useful service.

The speaker, who is with the Army's educational service of the Eighth Service Command at Dallas, was introduced by Supt. Frank Monroe.

The diplomas were presented to the 97 graduates by Percy Bridgewater, president of the school board. In addition to the 97 diplomas

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Admission Free To Big Infantry Show In Midland

No admission will be charged to see the "Here Is Your Infantry" show at the high school stadium at 8:30 p. m. June 6, boosting the Mighty Seventh War Loan campaign, Mayor A. N. Hendrickson, War Bond chairman, announced Saturday.

"The show with its 77 enlisted men, five officers and 20 truck loads of latest battle equipment is being presented because it gives citizens a better conception as to how much money is required to equip and maintain an Army," the mayor explained.

Here Two Nights

The men and equipment will arrive in Midland June 5 and will be here two nights. The enlisted men will be billeted at the high school gymnasium, and Hendrickson has obtained hotel reservations for the officers.

Midland police will guard the valuable equipment while it is in Midland.

Hendrickson has arranged for an ambulance and fire truck to be at the stadium while the show is being presented. While the spectators in the stands are in no danger, occasionally a man in the show is injured.

Sheriff's Posse To Aid

Members of the Sheriff's Posse will see that spectators do not go out on the field while the realistic battle field scenes are being enacted.

Citizens who attend the show will hardly recognize the football field, Hendrickson predicted. It will be transformed into a miniature battle field with all of the obstructions ordinarily found in battle.

The climax of the show is an assault upon a Japanese pillbox with a flame thrower.

All men in the show are veterans of combat duty and have an average of three and a half years each of overseas duty.

One Texan

Pvt. Walter P. Boortz of Mart is the only Texan in the group. He landed with the Second Infantry Division on Omaha Beach in Normandy in the invasion. He has been awarded the Purple Heart, Good Conduct Medal and the American Defense and European Theater ribbons.

Sales of War Bonds in the county had reached $450,321.50 Saturday, of which $151,290 was in Series E Bonds, the chairman announced. The total was boosted with the receipt of credits for a $15,000 purchase made by The Texas Company and a $14,500 purchase by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

The county's quota is $1,425,000, of which $600,000 is in Series E Bonds.

Japan Still Capable Of Waging Long War Despite Yank Advances

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Japan still is capable of waging a long war despite destructive air attacks and naval defeats which have cut her off almost entirely from her stolen sources of rubber, oil and tin, the Foreign Economic Administration said Saturday.

"A large portion of the war industry she had at Pearl Harbor is intact," said a report by the enemy branch of the agency.

In addition, key raw materials are available in the so-called "inner zone"—Japan proper, Korea, Manchuria and part of North China —where Japanese war industry was organized before the war.

In spite of major successes in cutting off Japan from the resources of the East Indies, Malaya and the Philippines, FEA said, the Allies so far have liberated less than 7 per cent of the nearly 3,000,000 square miles of conquered territory controlled by the enemy.

Synthetic Oil Plants

In the inner zone, moreover, are synthetic oil plants with an estimated capacity of more than 21,000,000 barrels in 1944.

"With the loss of the major part of her navy and the reduction of her merchant marine, this quantity may be sufficient to meet requirements for the approximately 2,000,000 tons of Japanese shipping remaining in the reduced area of operations," the report went on.

Food scarcity will not shorten Japanese ability to resist, FEA said, although the rice of Burma, now occupied largely by the Allies, Thailand and Indo-China is denied the Japanese.

"This will increase the difficulties of the present short food supply in Japan, but will not seriously inter-

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Small Nations Win Victory At Conference

By DOUGLAS B. CORNELL

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Small nations chalked up a hard-fought victory over the great powers Saturday in a United Nations Conference committee vote to omit from a world charter provision for expelling unruly members.

At the same time, the American delegation clamped a gag on the airing of discussions aimed at clearing from the path of the conference the big issue of absolute, great-power control over a world organization.

De Gaulle May Come

Delegates attending routine committee sessions talked about the possibility that two great chiefs of state might turn up here for the signing of the charter early next month. Reports in Paris suggested that General Charles de Gaulle might fly to Washington next week and accompany President Truman to the closing ceremonies of the conference. The French delegation lacked confirmation, however.

The Big Five now are confronted with the problem of carrying an appeal to a conference commission if they want to write an expulsion provision into the charter.

William Mabane, a British delegate, suggested that infractions of charter obligations might be punished by suspension but that expulsion should be the rule for any country that fails to keep peace.

Uruguay, Norway and Belgium argued that the world organization should keep bad actors within its ranks and hold them liable for their actions. They contended suspension was a sufficient penalty.

Freight Concession By ICC 'Only Crumb'

AUSTIN—(AP)—Dr. John H. Frederick, University of Texas transportation professor, said Saturday that the "new equalization of freight rates for Texas and the Southwest recently ordered by the Interstate Commerce Commission are actually only a crumb."

"Only about 10 per cent of the freight shipped to and out of Texas will be affected by the new ruling," said Dr. Frederick, "and it will take at least 10 years to put the new classification changes into effect."

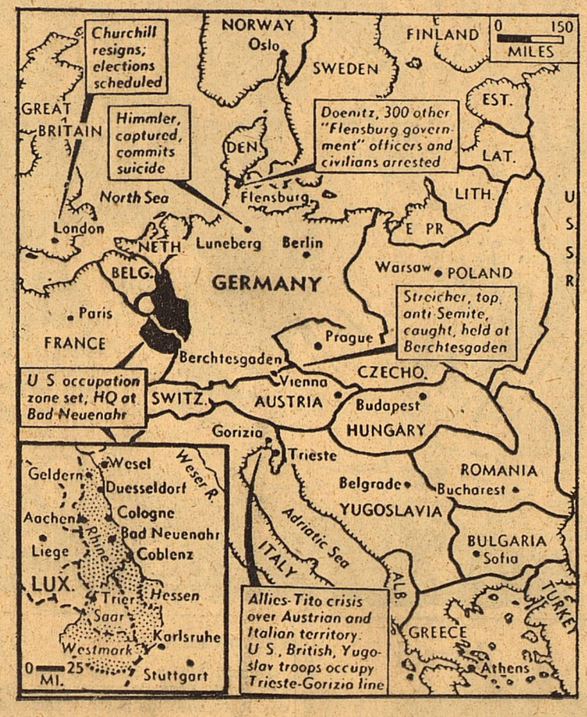
Not until we obtain uniform rates mile for mile will we have equalized rates with the North and Northeast, explained Dr. Frederick, and cited for example that second class freight in Texas takes third class rates in the Northeast.

Police Order Dog Roundup

Police Chief Jack Ellington Saturday ordered a roundup of all stray dogs in Midland in response to complaints that canines are damaging flower beds and lawns in the city.

Two boys will be employed by the chief to aid the dog catcher in rounding up stray dogs.

Europe Review Telemap



—NEA Telemap

Events of the past week in Europe, highlighted by the suicide of Heinrich Himmler and the resignation of Winston Churchill as Britain's Prime Minister, are spotted on the above telemap.

Air Transport Command Celebrates Fourth Anniversary With 'Open House' Being Held At Airport No. 2

The Army Air Forces Transport Command, which Tuesday celebrates its fourth birthday, recently forged the last link in its round-the-world routes over which it regularly runs scheduled cargo and passenger service.

In celebration of this fourth anniversary, the Eighth Ferrying Service Station of the Air Transport Command, at the Midland Municipal Airport, will hold open house Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. Midlanders will be welcomed on the post and, according to Capt. W. L. Burall, will be conducted on a tour of the base and also be permitted to examine the planes on the apron.

Visitors will be served refreshments by the Red Cross Canteen which is holding their first "open house."

The port dining room will be open to the public desiring cold drinks, and food.

ATC operates over more than 160,000 miles of routes spanning every ocean and touching every continent. Its nearly 119,000 foreign route miles permit circling the globe in five days flying time and its planes edge into every fighting front servicing American and Allied fighting men the world over.

The 8th Ferrying Service Station ATC's Ferrying Division, here at Midland, is an important activity of this global organization, according to Captain Burall.

Organized in 1941

Organized May 29, 1941, the Ferrying Command—fore-runner, but now one of ten ATC Divisions—flew 1,649 aircraft to final domestic destinations by the year's end. In contrast, by January 1, 1945, 40,000 planes had been delivered overseas with 99.7 per cent arriving safely. Shattered Berlin and burning Tokyo

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Churchill Says Big Three Meet Probable Soon

By W. W. Hercher

LONDON —(AP)— Prime Minister Churchill indicated Saturday he might meet with President Truman and Premier Marshal Stalin before the British general election July 5.

In a tour of his constituency just outside London, Churchill told several meetings he might be called away from his campaign for re-election to Parliament to participate in a post-European war conference of the big three.

Joseph Davies, Truman's personal representative, planned to meet over the weekend with Churchill for a conference which may embrace all Europe's most pressing problems.

The Polish and Syrian disputes, the Trieste affair, Austria, the occupation of Germany and the trial of war criminals probably will be on the agenda.

War Bulletins

MOSCOW—(AP)—Harry Hopkins and Marshal Stalin conferred in the Kremlin Saturday. The nature of their initial conversation was not divulged, but it was believed to have covered a broad range of subjects, including possibly a meeting soon of the "Big Three."

LONDON—(AP)—Luxembourg radio said Saturday that Adolph Mueller, founder of Hitler's newspaper "Voelkischer Boebachter," had committed suicide in Muenchen.

FRANKFURT ON THE MAIN, GERMANY—(AP)—Gen. Eisenhower opened his new headquarters here Saturday in the huge sprawling I. G. Farben buildings after moving up from Reims, France, where he had directed the last stages of the war against Germany since late in February.

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—Japanese broadcasters said the "greater part" of Tokyo was burned out Saturday by American fire bombs, abruptly reversing their past policy of minimizing the effects of Superfortress raids.

MAAF Band To Play For Rodeo June 7, 8, 9, 10

Plans are moving ahead rapidly for staging the World Championship Rodeo June 7, 8, 9 and 10.

The Midland Army Air Field band, boosting War Bond sales, will be an attraction at the rodeo again this year, Roy Parks, president of Midland Fair, Inc., announced Saturday. Arrangements for the MAAF band to participate in the show were made with Major Russell Brown, special services officer.

Parks said Harlan Howell, principal of the Midland High School, had informed him the high school band also will help with the big West Texas show.

Dance Planned

The Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a dance June 9 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel for the Cowgirl Sponsors. Russell Howard, special entertainment chairman for the JayCees, said plans were being made to make the dance the biggest social event of the year in Midland.

The annual rodeo parade will be June 7. Time for the parade has not been decided upon as yet, Parks said. He invited everyone with a horse to ride.

Some stock for the show is expected to arrive next week. Everett Colburn, who supplies the stock, wrote Parks he was shipping some calves to be used in roping events.

Tokyo Proper Said 'Literally Scorched To The Ground'

By RAY CRONIN
Associated Press War Editor

America's mighty Superfortresses have just about destroyed Tokyo, third largest city of the world.

Broadcasts from the smoking Japanese capital Saturday pictured the "greater part" of the metropolis as in ruins, including palaces within the ground of the imperial palace area, three government ministry buildings, the foreign embassy district and the business center.

The U. S. 20th Air Force at Washington disclosed in a communique that 31 of the giant bombers were lost in the two pre-dawn fire raids Thursday and Saturday, Japanese time.

American fliers returning from the Saturday attack by some 500 of the sky giants with about 4,000 tons of incendiaries agreed with Tokyo that the great city was "literally scorched to the ground."

No Changes

Saturday's fleet communique from Guam on the Okinawa invasion reported no changes of consequence on the ground but raised from 111 to 166 the number of enemy planes shot down in a concerted attack Thursday night and Friday morning on U. S. shipping and airfields. The communique also reported a strike by American Thunderbolts on enemy airfields on Kyushu, Japan's southernmost home island.

Just what happened to the imperial palace proper was not made clear. Japanese Premier Kantaro Susugi was quoted three different ways—first, that the imperial palace was destroyed; second, that it was burned; third, that it was damaged.

An imperial communique mentioned only "considerable damages" in the city and claimed 47 of the Superforts were shot down. U. S. official reports said 12 were lost Thursday and 19 Saturday, the latter figures representing the heaviest loss yet for a single B-29 mission.

Jap Hostility Fanned

One Tokyo broadcaster said the greater part of the city was "laid waste as 70-mile-an-hour winds fanned big fires. This raid, he declared, also fanned Japanese hostility toward America.

Reporting from the Philippines Sunday, Gen. Douglas MacArthur said the 24th Division had flanked the Japanese in the bloody sector north of Balete Pass, gateway to Luzon's rich northeast Cagayan Valley. On Mindanao the Yanks shoved

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Three Month OPA Leeway Is Considered

By WILLIAM T. PEACOCK

WASHINGTON — (AP) — A three-month extension of the Price Control Act without change to allow further study of proposed amendments is reported under consideration by Congressional leaders.

It was learned Saturday that this possibility was disclosed by a Senate Banking Subcommittee, handling OPA extension legislation, and will be brought before a closed meeting of the full committee Tuesday.

Increasing the pressure for such a step is the growing prospect that controversies over amendments cannot be fought out and an extension measure enacted by June 30, expiration date of the law.

While the Senate could act before then, the House Banking Committee has received more than 100 requests to be heard on the legislation. The House subcommittee will not begin hearings until after the Senate acts.

Leaders believe, however, that a resolution for a short term extension of the law could be pushed through without delay. The administration asked originally for an 18 months' extension.

Federal Meat Inspection Is Granted A. & M.

Federal meat inspection Saturday was granted the A. & M. Packing Company of Midland. A telegram from Dr. G. H. Randall of Fort Worth, federal meat inspection chief for this area, informed the plant that its application had been approved.

Federal inspection of meats at the plant will start June 1 and an inspector will arrive here Wednesday, Dr. Randall said.

The A. & M. plant will have the only packing plant between Fort Worth and Arizona now operating with federal inspection.

The application of the company received the active support of the Midland Chamber of Commerce and its committee, R. L. Miller and J. C. Miles, worked closely with S. L. Alexander and H. M. McReynolds of the packing company to obtain the inspection.

Production of the plant will be increased greatly under federal inspection, providing more meat for Midland and the Permian Basin area.

Driff Shepherd Dies At Veterans Hospital

Thomas Driff Shepherd died at 9 a. m. Saturday in the Veterans' Hospital at Amarillo after having been in ill health for a number of years. Funeral arrangements have not been completed, pending the arrival of the body. The Ellis Funeral Home will be in charge of arrangements.

He is survived by the widow and three children of Midland; his mother, Lina Shepherd of Visalia, Calif.; two sisters, Mrs. M. L. Cauthen of Visalia and Mrs. J. E. Evans of Wickett; three brothers, Tom Shepherd of San Bernardino, Calif., James W. Shepherd in the Navy and Ernest Shepherd of Midland.

Doolittle To Take Eighth To Pacific

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Eighth Air Force, pioneer in American bombing of Germany, is going to the Pacific under command of Lt. Gen. James H. Doolittle.

The Army Air Forces, in announcing Saturday the redeployment against Japan, said that "the present tempo of bombing of the Japanese homeland will be stepped up to the point that Japanese war industries can expect an even greater volume of attack than was accomplished against Hitler's Fortress Europe.

"General Doolittle is now prepared to help finish the job he started on Japan in April, 1942, when he hit Tokyo with his carrier-based B-25s but now he'll be using land-based 4-engined bombers with plenty of fighter cover."

Doolittle, who has been seen in Washington during recent days, has been described as the "former commander" of the Eighth Air Force. A recent announcement reported that Maj. Gen. William E. Kepner was the new commander.

The AAF explained that Doolittle would be the commander of the Eighth in the Pacific and Kepner would be in command of those elements of the air force remaining in Europe until redeployment is completed. Kepner was deputy to Doolittle in Europe.

The announcement said that while the movement of the Eighth to the Pacific does not necessarily mean that all personnel and units will be a part of the new set-up, enough combat trained personnel will be included to maintain its high experience level.

Certain ground units of the organization were ready to move to the Pacific immediately after V-E Day and some are already on the way, the AAF said.

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A Touch Of Bureaucracy

The brief history of OWI's proposed news blackout of Germany offers an excellent starting point for another exploration of the bureaucratic mind, in case anyone feels in the mood for such an expedition.

The central figure in the story is OWI Director Elmer Davis, who apparently forgot to consult the right members of the military before giving out what he said was a "military order" banning circulation of all outside newspapers and periodicals in Germany, and turning the news dispensing job exclusively over to OWI.

Davis explained that Germany would get only such news as would best serve the Allied governments and occupying armies. And he added his own observation that the Germans, if left free to read uncensored news from America, "would get too much impression of divided policies," and that after 12 years of Nazism, they were "out of the habit of understanding what free press means."

* * *

President Truman promptly lifted Davis' ban. And in doing so he revealed that General Eisenhower had never issued the order which Davis attributed to the military. In fact, Truman quoted the general as saying that "a free press and a free flow of information and ideas should prevail in Germany in a manner consistent with military security."

The President then mollified his rebuke of Davis by saying that the OWI director had acted in good faith, but had conferred at too low a level.

Davis, when he professed fear that the Germans would get an impression of our divided policies, apparently forgot that we have been letting German war prisoners in this country read any English language publication of general circulation. And he apparently forgot that those prisoners would go home some day, and that if they carried with them any impression of divided policies, their account of it would surely be as damaging as anything straight from the printed stage.

* * *

Why are we suddenly so afraid of "divided policies," anyway? Wasn't it our proud boast to the world last fall that we could hold an election, with all the old name-calling and airing of bitter differences, and still preserve our national unity? Why did Davis want to conceal from the long-Nazified Germans the facts of American life and a continuing example of the four freedoms in action?

We're rather afraid Davis, the Hoosier Rhodes scholar and distinguished journalist, finally has come down with Potomac fever.

———Buy War Bonds and Savings Stamps———

Congressional Junkets

President Truman is reported to have given the green light on the congressional junkets to Europe and while the "join the Congress and see the world" excursions add another item to the taxpayers' war bill, we would say that they are a good investment.

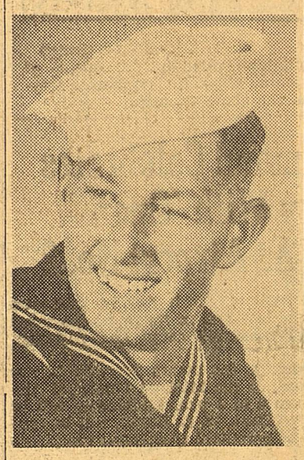
The job of Congess today goes far beyond taking care of constituents' wants and doing a little reciprocal log-rolling. Regional thinking and regional zeal are still an important part of a congressman's duties, but that shouldn't monopolize his time and attention, as they usually can do.

So we think it would be highly beneficial if every congressman could see just what war has done, could meet the survivors of Nazi prison camps, examine the war's awful aftermath of hunger and homelessness, get reports on Europe's complex politics from European statesmen, and check up on the overseas operation of such government agencies as OWI.

Discovered At Last—Perpetual Motion



Rescued



Eugene M. Tabor, 18, of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Tabor, was a member of the crew of the U.S.S. Franklin when it was bombed in the Western Pacific. He now is on an island in the Pacific war area after being rescued. He was in the water eight hours and suffered an ear injury.

Tabor enlisted last September and is a seaman first-class. Before joining the Navy, he attended Midland High School.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. O'Haver and son, Wayne, of Los Angeles have arrived in Midland. O'Haver will be employed by KRLH radio station.

SPENDS LEAVE

Donald Miller, SC third class in the U. S. Navy, is spending a 30-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller, 1001 West Wall. Miller has been serving in the South Pacific area.

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Former RCAF WAC Has Top Points At MAAF

Pvt. Ellen Land of Squadron D, formerly of the RCAF, has more points toward a discharge than any other enlisted Wac at MAAF but is still four points under the interim score of 44 set for Wac personnel.

Private Land, whose home is in Canada, joined the Royal Canadian Air Force in 1942 but after her twenty-first birthday she claimed her American citizenship and in January 1945 transferred to the Army of the United States. The time spent in the Canadian Army is counted for service credit, giving Private Land her unusual number of points.

Sergeant Brummit came to MAAF last August from Ft. Des Moines, Ia., where she had served since 1942.

Wool

NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures closed Saturday 30 to 80 cents a bale higher. July 23.04; Oct. 22.64-65; Dec. 22.58.

Wool

NEW YORK—(AP)—Wool tops futures and wool futures were inactive Saturday. Certificated wool spot 95.5N. Certificated spot wool tops 133.0N.

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Barney G. Grafa Jr. Promoted To Captain

Barney G. Grafa Jr. has been promoted to the rank of captain according to word received here by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Grafa, 604 North Marienfield.

He is now in charge of a First Aid Station and prior to this assignment on May 8, Captain Grafa was with Patton's Third Army. His unit is now stationed in modern quarters somewhere in Germany. Since V-E Day, he has been granted a leave which he is spending in Paris.

Captain Grafa's wife and small daughter, Ann, are living in Erath with Mrs. Grafa's mother, Mrs. J. Frank Kelly.

CAPT. JACK KIRKLAND IS AT RANDOLPH FIELD

RANDOLPH FIELD, TEXAS — Capt. Jack Kirkland, whose wife resides in Midland, has arrived at Randolph Field for a new assignment.

Randolph Field's new role in the AAF Training Command program is the training of pilots and flight engineers in B-29's.

Captain Kirkland formerly was stationed at Maxwell Field, Ala.

RETURNS FROM WISCONSIN

Mrs. Art Kevenow is now in Midland after a five weeks' visit with her parents in Wisconsin.

Notaries To Qualify From June 1 To 10

All qualified notaries public of the county whose commissions expire June 1 will be reappointed automatically, County Clerk Susie G. Noble has been notified by the secretary of state.

The notaries must not qualify before June 1, Mrs. Noble cautioned. They have from June 1 to 10 to qualify for new two-year terms.

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Lieutenant Priddy Liberated From Prison

The news that First Lieutenant John F. Priddy Jr. has been liberated from a prisoner of war camp in Germany has been received here by his aunt, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge. Lieutenant Priddy's parents reside in Stanton, Texas.

A pilot of a B-24 in the 15th Air Force in Italy, the Stanton airman had been interned since Nov. 22, 1944. He arrived in Italy for combat service in July, 1944.

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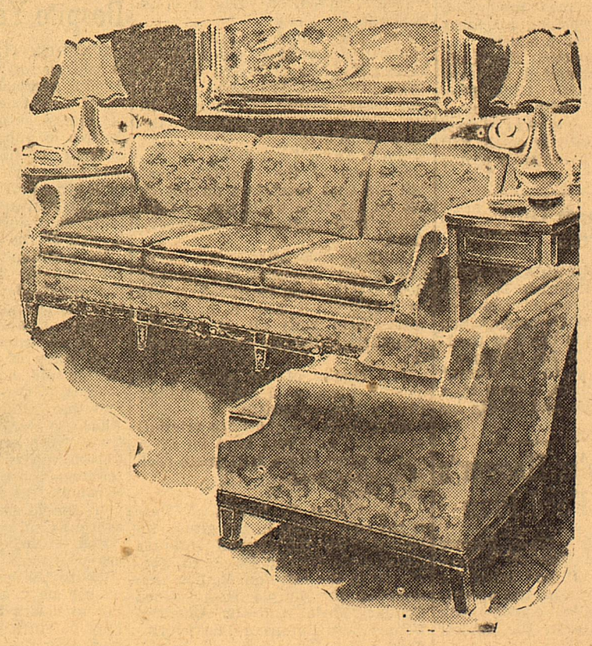
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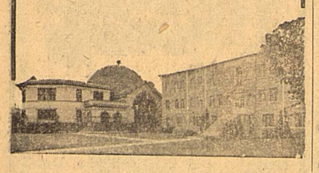
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Dykehouse –

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awarded Friday night eight students who were unable to take part in the exercises will receive diplomas.

Seven boys have gone into the armed forces. They are J. S. Patton, Earl Branch, Bill Richards, W. C. Filler, Lewis Way, Paul Morrison and D. H. Livingston. Miss LaVerne Vaughn will receive her Midland High diploma although she will graduate in Fort Worth.

Other Addresses

"Beginning" was the subject of the address made by Beth Shirey, the valedictorian. Subject of the address of Mary Ruth Bizzell, the salntatorian, was "All's Well That Ends Well."

The exercises opened with the processional, "Priests' March" from "Athalie" played by Sharon Cornelius. The pledge to the flag was given by the audience, and the Rev. R. J. Snell gave the invocation.

The Junior Girls' Trio presented three numbers during the program, "Bells of Saint Mary," "Trees" and "Til We Meet Again."

The exercises closed with the recessional, "March" from "Aida," played by Sharon Cornelius.

RETURNS TO DUTY

Cpl. John Rhoden has returned to duty after spending a few days at home with his wife in Midland. He expects to go overseas soon.

Congressional Medal Given To Sgt. Jose Lopez

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Sgt. Jose M. Lopez, who mowed down 100 attacking Germans even though he was once blown from his machine-gun by a Nazi shell, has been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor, the War Department announced Saturday.

The "seemingly suicidal" stand of the 22-year-old Brownsville, Texas, doughboy — last reported with the 2nd Infantry Division in Europe—was credited officially with saving his company from being overrun by the German assault last Dec. 17 near Krinkelt, Belgium.

Shortly after the attack began, Lopez picked up his machinegun and carried it from the company's right flank to the left, threatened by a tank-led force of German infantrymen.

Killed 10 Nazis Quick

Standing in a waist-deep hole, with German tank shells plowing the earth around him, he cut down a group of 10 Germans and then picked off 25 more trying to swing around him.

With the Germans swarming in on him from the front and tank shells pelting the area, he picked up his gun again and fell back to another position where he kept on plugging away at the advancing enemy.

A German tank pulled up 50 yards from him, swung its 88 mm. gun on him, and planted a shell almost on top of his position. He was blown backward, dazed but unhurt. Staggering back to his gun, he set it up and continued riddling the German line.

Ammunition bearers, unable to penetrate the curtain of fire around him, had been tossing him boxes of ammunition. Finally, however, they were unable to reach him and, with his gun empty, he was forced to drop back to the remainder of his company.

Later, the company was reinforced, and beat off the German attack.

Lopez, a native of Mission, Texas, previously had received the Bronze Star medal for gallantry and the Purple Heart for wounds.

His wife, Emilia, and a six-year-old stepson, Juan, live in Brownsville.

Japan –

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fere with the war effort and will not result in starvation in the inner zone.

Inner Areas

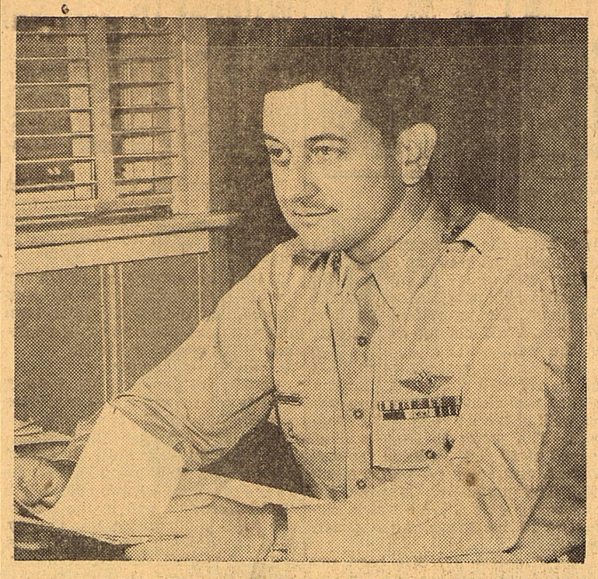
"Practically the whole of the processing capacity of the Japanese empire, as well as adequate supplies of raw materials, lies in the inner areas. It is true that in terms of individual industrial centers and plants bomb damage has been devastating, and many square miles of such cities as Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka and Kobe, all vital to Japan's war effort, have been laid waste.

"To meet this threat from the air, however, Japanese war leaders long ago placed in operation an extensive dispersal program. Plants have been established in scheduled localities and in some areas protected by ravines and hills, and widely dispersed industries have been developed in Korea, Manchuria and China.

VISITOR FROM EL PASO

Pfc. R. J. "Doc" Graham and family visited friends in Midland this week. Graham is stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso.

New Deputy Commander



—AAF Photo by the AAF Training Command

Col. Elbert Helton, a veteran combat pilot, seated at his desk at MAAF headquarters, where he recently took over duties as deputy to Col. J. W. White, Commanding Officer. Col. Helton, who received his pilot's wings at Kelly Field in February, 1937, went to the Pacific as a B-17 flight commander in January, 1942. Later he was returned to the United States and placed in command of a heavy bombardment group which went into action in the ETO.

Air Transport –

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can measure the success of the ferrying operations.

Since all the Army's major air transport activities were consolidated under the Air Transport Command June 20, 1942, expansion has been paced by global war's urgent demand for the speed, flexibility, multiple uses and elusiveness of air transport.

Now, ATC planes fly more than 2,000,000 miles every 24 hours, equivalent to 80 times daily around the world at the equator. In 1944, they logged 600,000,000 miles.

Over 200,000 Employes

More than 200,000 officers, enlisted men and women and civilian employes, under command of Lt. Gen. Harold L. George, are required in the Ferrying Command. Principal planes they keep flying are the C-47 (Skytrain), C-46 (Commando), C-54 (Skymaster), and C-87 (Liberator), and at any given moment 500 of those transports are in the air.

Record tonnage in 1944 totaled more than 1,250,00 war-important passengers and 580,000 tons of high priority cargo including 3 1/2 billion pieces of troop mail. Horses, fully equipped troops, trucks and airplane engines are not unusual cargoes. During the first six months of that year, ATC planes returned with 15,000,000 pounds of strategic materials. Thousands of tons of supplies monthly are lifted over the "Hump" from India to China.

Operate Hospital Planes

During 1944, ATS hospital planes returned 32,000 sick and wounded to the United States, carried a total of 123,000 patients in foreign and domestic flights. This vital service monthly now returns 4,000 sick and wounded to this country, and flies 1,500 pints of blood daily to casualties in the European theater.

Bases to service aircraft, crews, cargo and passengers along the far-flung network operate efficiently on Pacific coral atolls, in sub-zero Alaska and Greenland, in African and Indian jungles, and on Sahara sands.

Constantly being improved are numerous other activities incidental to maintaining this great aerial network: Air-sea rescue organization, with its search planes, boats, parachuting medics and sled dogs; medical services; communications and weather stations; local food production, with gardens and livestock raising projects; revenue service for certified passengers; customs, censorship, immigration, and baggage hauling.

Soldier Who Hit Nazi Prisoners Is Released

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Army Private Joseph McGee was ordered released from confinement Saturday after a storm of Congressional protest developed over his two-year sentence on a charge of socking German prisoners of war.

Acting Secretary of War Robert Patterson directed also that the 23-year-old Worcester, Mass., soldier be restored to active duty. He voided a dishonorable discharge ordered by the court martial.

A court martial at Le Mans, France, convicted McGee on Oct. 17 last year of "assaults and batteries" on nine captured Germans held at a stockade in France. The prisoners said he hit them, kicked them and in one instance used a club.

McGee pleaded innocent but did not take the stand. He was convicted and sentenced to two years at hard labor and a dishonorable discharge.

Tokyo –

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the Japanese deeper into the hills.

Chinese forces hitting against the Japanese Indo-China corridor, recaptured Szean, roadside town 75 miles northwest of Liuchow.

British forces in Burma made progress in consolidating positions for a possible invasion of Thailand. They captured Mokshitwa village, 14 miles northwest of the Pegu railroad center. Allied heavy bombers blasted communications in the Malay Peninsula area.

Lt. Col. Hartwick Is Assigned To MAAF As Assistant Surgeon

Lt. Col. Fred W. Hartwick has been assigned to MAAF hospital as assistant post surgeon. He entered active duty with the Medical Corps in March 1941 and his first assignment was to Goodfellow Field, San Angelo, Tex.

Colonel Hartwick attended a School of Aviation Medicine at Randolph Field in July of 1941 returning to Goodfellow upon completion of the course and remaining there until September 1942, with the exception of a tour of temporary duty at Lubbock Army Air Field in May and June of 1942.

In September 1942, he was transferred to the San Angelo Bombardier School to help open a hospital there and the next month was sent to Altus Army Air Field, Okla., again to open a hospital. He remained there until the field closed May 15 when he was assigned to MAAF.

Prior to entering the Army, Colonel Hartwick was a practicing surgeon in Victoria, Tex.

Sale Of Series E Bonds Lags Over Entire Nation

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Sale of Series E savings bonds is somewhat behind schedule in the 7th War Loan drive.

But Series F and G savings bonds are going better than expected, the Treasury announced Saturday. After two weeks of the seven-week drive, that total sales to individuals have reached $2,394,000,000, which is 34.2 per cent of the 7-billion dollar quota for individuals.

CIVILIANS TO GET MORE WATER HEATERS

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Controls over the manufacture of water heaters were lifted Saturday by the War Production Board.

The agency said the revocation would result in a slight increase in the number of heaters available for civilians. this year.

Texas Lagging On E Bond Sales

DALLAS—(AP)—Seventh War Loan E Bond sales stood at $58,622,447 in Texas Saturday, Nathan Adams, state chairman of the War Finance Committee, reported.

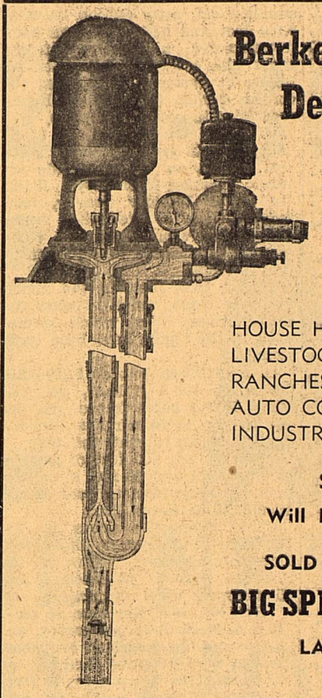
Unless an extra spurt is attained, Adams said, Texas will turn up too little and too late for the total Bond goal of $168,000,000. Percentage-wise, bond purchases are lagging behind the records of any comparable previous drive period.

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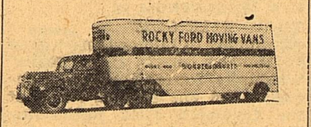
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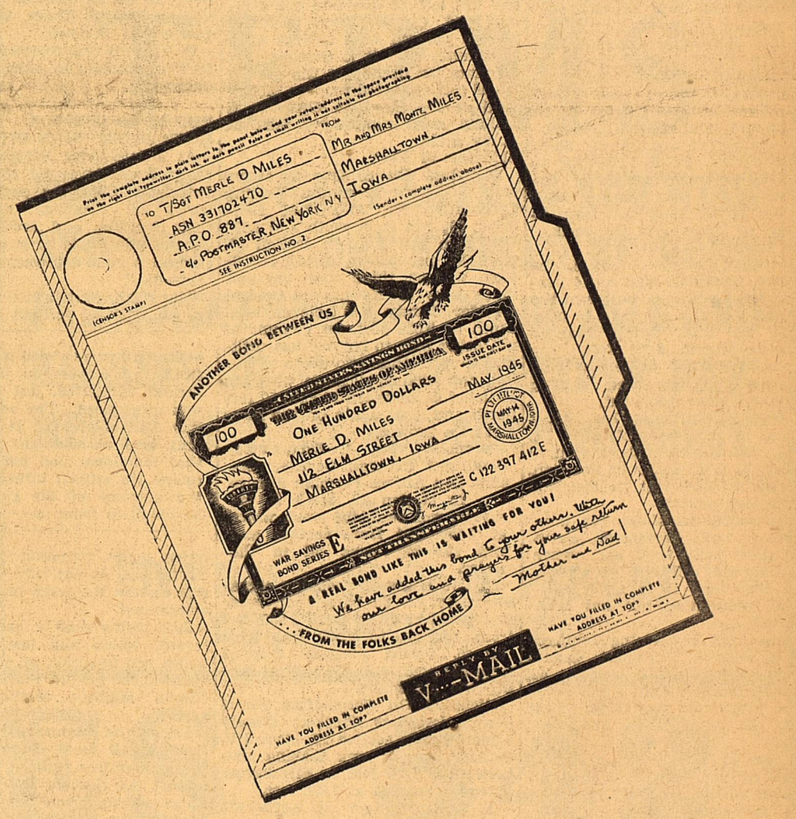
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East Side Of TXL Territory In Ector County Gets Two Tests To Devonian-Silurian-Ellenburger

By JAMES C. WATSON, Oil Editor

Further investigation of the Devonian, Silurian and Ellenburger producing possibilities on the east side of the TXL area in West Ector County, are to be undertaken by two new explorations.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 1-D TXL, 660 feet from north and west lines of southeast quarter of section 21, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S, is scheduled to 10,000 feet, or Ellenburger above that level. It is to start drilling as soon as permit is granted by the Railroad Commission of Texas.

The project is diagonally southeast across a quarter section from Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-A TXL, which has tested for prolific production in the Ellenburger, as well as for flowing oil from the Silurian, and is now waiting for plug to set on a re-squeeze on 5½-inch casing before starting to complete.

Northwest Of Phillips Well

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-B TXL, to be 667.7 from east and 664.9 feet from south lines of south half of northeast quarter of section 17, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S, is scheduled to 9,850 feet, and to start at once.

It is diagonally across a quarter section northwest of Phillips No. 1-A TXL, and is one and one-quarter of a mile south and three-quarters of a mile east of Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1-A Thomas, first well in the TXL area to be completed from the Ellenburger.

Syndicate Oil Company, Los Angeles, Calif., has filed application with the Railroad Commission to drill No. 1 Hines, as an 1,800-foot cable-tool wildcat in East Pecos County.

The prospector will be 330 feet out of southwest quarter of section 7, block 178, TC survey. It is about 8 miles west of Iraan.

Settles Flows Again

Continental Oil Company No. 1-D Settles, South Howard County discovery for production from the Pennsylvanian, in section 133, block 29, W&NW survey, flowed 612 barrels of fluid in 18 hours, after swabbing to pits for six hours to cleanout after a re-acidization with 1,000 gallons through perforations in 7-inch casing at 9,100-20 feet.

At start of the 18-hour testing the oil was cut with 20 per cent acid water. That mix had dropped to eight per cent at end of the 18 hours. During the two-hour period from 6 a. m. to 8 a. m. Saturday, the well flowed an average of 34 barrels of fluid hourly, with a cut of eight per cent acid residue. Operator was continuing to flow to cleanout and test.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 McDow, North-Central Glasscock County possible discovery for flowing production from section between 7,057 feet, and total depth of 9,421 feet, in shale, and in northwest quarter of section 31, block 34, TP survey, T-2-S, according to unofficial, unconfirmed and unverified reports, was flowing about five barrels of fluid per hour to storage, at the end of the week.

More Unconfirmed Reports

According to those sources, the well had flowed as high as 14 barrels of fluid per hour earlier in the week, after it was supposed to have kicked off after being swabbed down to around 6,000 feet. The fluid was supposed to be partly oil and partly sludge and drilling water and other sediment.

George P. Livermore, Inc., No. 1 Rollins, in section 5, block P, EL survey, Northwest Lubbock County wildcat, to test the lower Permian, had reached 6,345 feet, in lime, and was drilling ahead.

Apparently no shows for production had developed. Some operators hear that the owner probably will drill the test ahead, and may take it to 10,000 feet. That information has not been verified.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Bishop, Northeast Gaines County prospector, in section 45, block H, D&W survey, about seven miles south of the Cedar Lake field, was coring from 5,040 feet, in lime.

A core at 5,020-40 feet, recovered 17 feet of lime with slight oil staining, but with no porosity.

Still No Shows

Honolulu Oil Corporation No. 1 Cunningham, in section 91, block G, WT survey, seven miles east of Seminole, in East Gaines, had reached 5,426 feet, in lime, and was drilling ahead. It had found no oil shows and no porosity so far.

Honolulu No. 1 Richardson, Northwest Garza County exploration, in southeast corner of section 1282, BS&F survey, was bottomed at 3,522 feet in lime, and was swabbing to cleanout and test, after treating with 1,000 gallons of acid.

The project was indicating possibilities of better than 100 barrels per day oil production, informed sources revealed. The recovery up to Saturday morning was still showing acid residue and drilling water.

Honolulu No. 1 Altman, in southeast quarter of section 1,255, TT survey, another Northwest Garza development, was drilling out cement squeeze job, above total depth of 3,680 feet, in lime, and was to drill ahead to 4,000 feet, and possibly deeper.

Parrott Swabbing

Humble No. 1 Parrott, East-Central Upton County project in section 3, EL survey, was swabbing, with fluid about 3,500 feet from bottom on a plugged-back total depth of 9,943 feet.

During last 24 hours a total of 65 barrels of load oil had been swabbed out, after section between 9,140 feet and 9,860 feet, had been re-perforated in seven different zones with a total of 220 shots. No tubing or casing pressure was recorded during the last 24 hours, according to operator reports.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 65-E Keystone, in section 6, block B-2, psl survey, on southeast side of the Keystone-Ellenburger field, in North Winkler County, has shown signs of production from the Tubb-Permian, to give that area an indication of its seventh pay section.

This is first show in the region from the Tubb, which is below the Holt-Permian, from which several wells in the region have been completed.

In a drillstem test at 5,260-5,311 feet, open for one hour, the well made 500,000 cubic feet of gas per day at end of 20 minutes. Gas remained steady during the test.

Recovery was 300 feet of gas cut drilling mud and 60 feet of oil cut mud. Operator was to core ahead.

Would Make Seven Pays

Other productive zones in the Keystone are, Keystone lime, Holt, Devonian, Silurian, McKee of the Simpson, middle Ordovician, and Ellenburger, lower Ordovician.

Gulf No. 59-E Keystone, in section 6, block B-21, psl survey, on a one and one-half hour drillstem test at 8,562-8,645 feet, had gas of 2,513,000 cubic feet per day in five minutes; 4,766,000 cubic feet per day in 15 minutes, and then the gas volume declined to 560,000 cubic feet per day at end of test.

Recovery was 670 feet of distillate and 270 feet of distillate cut drilling mud. Chart showed the tool become plugged with cavings after 20 minutes, and it is thought that accounts for decline in the gas.

The section tested was the McKee sand of the Simpson. Operator is making hole below 8,660 feet, in sandy shale.

Skidding 50 Feet

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company and Westbrook-Thompson Holding Corporation No. 35-T-88-M Hendrick, 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 33, block 27, psl survey, slated 11,500-foot wildcat three and one-half miles west of Kermit in Central Winkler County, lost hole on total depth of 3,028 feet, on account of not being able to recover lost drill-pipe in more than two weeks of trying, and filed application with the Railroad Commission to skid 50 feet north and start again on the same sort of a project.

Stanolind No. 1 Edwards, Southwest Cochran County, possible San Andres-Permian discovery, in section 13, block L, psl survey, was swabbing wash water at 2,500 feet from surface and was showing some oil in the water.

In five hours of swabbing operator recovered 66 barrels of water and swabbed down from 1,600 feet from surface, to 2,500 feet from surface. Casing pressure dropped from 220 pounds to 150 pounds during the six hours.

Richfield Oil Corporation No. 1 Bean, Northeast Crockett County exploration in section 13, block UV, GC&SF survey, was making new hole below 8,637 feet, in Ellenburger dolomite, entered at 7,858 feet.

A drillstem test at 8,519-8,633 feet, open for one hour, recovered 775 feet of drilling fluid, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

Humble No. 1 Buchanan, East Midland County exploration in Baldridge survey No. 32-692, 10 miles southeast of Midland, had reached 11,587 feet, in chert, and was coming out to change bits.

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The Tool Pusher

By JAMES C. WATSON, Oil Editor

KERLYN OIL BUYS MIDLAND BUILDING

—Kerlyn Oil Company, which opened an office in Midland several months ago, with Don Oliver as district geologist, has purchased the one-story building at 113 West Texas Street.

—The structure now is occupied by a cleaning plant, which is to move as soon as a new building now under construction is finished.

—When Keryln gets possession of the structure, it will be cut up into 12 offices. The owner will occupy most of the space.

—Kerlyn is planning to do some development work in the Permian Basin. The company has acquired some properties and likely will buy more.

—The concern has two rotary rigs active on contract drilling in this territory, and plans to move other tools here soon. T. W. "Bud" Wheeler is in charge of drilling operations in this section.

—Governor Robert Kerr of Oklahoma is president of Kerlyn. Headquarters are in Oklahoma City.

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ENGINEER ASSN. HAD MEETING THURSDAY

—The Permian Basin Engineers' Association held its monthly meeting at Odessa Thursday night. The feature was a barbecue supper at the Ector County Park.

—The technicolor moving picture, "Oil For Tomorrow," prepared and distributed by the Interstate Oil Compact Commission was shown.

—Next meeting will be in Midland June 25. The program will be a demonstration by G. M. Kinz, Dallas, of the U. S. Bureau of Mines, on pipe line fires and explosions, Joe Graybeal, president said.

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E. A. WAHLSTROM IS TO GO WITH GULF

—According to information received by Midland friends, E. A. "Eddie" Wahlstrom, former Midland oil operator, and one time chairman of the Goldsmith Field Engineering Committee, is to be an executive in the Fort Worth Production headquarters of Gulf Oil Corporation.

—Wahlstrom left Midland in late 1942, when he was called to service in the U. S. Navy, as an officer. He served there until early in 1944, when he was loaned to PAW by the Navy, to act as director of production in District Three, with headquarters at Houston.

—He recently was released from the PAW assignment to accept the Gulf connection.

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PHILLIPS-SUPERIOR HAVE JOINT "SHIN-DIG"

—At a late hour Saturday night, Midland employes of the Phillips Petroleum Company and the Superior Oil Company, along with their families, and several guests, were at Cloverdale Park, where they enjoyed a joint barbecue-picnic and "shin-dig."

—The affair started in the late afternoon with a softball game between teams representing the two companies. At the time this report was written the score had not been determined.

—The ball game ended when practically all players on both sides became exhausted, just as supper was announced. The scorekeeper was "out-of-pocket" at the moment, and at midnight Saturday, that individual had not been located. No official information on the outcome of the game could be obtained from any source.

—Just before dusk a barbecue was served, which had been prepared under the direction of the premier "barbecuer" of the Permian Basin, "Smilo" Mallison, Midland oil operator.

—During the summer of 1944 a Phillips softball team defeated a Superior team in a game at Cloverdale, and at the close of that affair the Superiors challenged the Phillipsites to a return engagement this year. The Saturday "get-together" was the result.

—Major-domos for the affair were C. W. Van Alstyne, landman for Superior, and H. L. Anderson, assistant landman for Phillips.

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N-W MIDLAND MYSTERY PROJECT REVEALED

—Partial information on a development underway for about 18 months, in Northeast Midland County — which has aroused all sorts of speculation—has been released.

—Early in 1944, Ralph U. Fitting, of the West Texas Engineering Service Company and M. H. McKinsey, seismologist in the Shell Oil Company, Inc., district geological office, decided they might discover something in the vicinity of their residences in the Elmwood section of Northwest Midland.

—Secretly, the pair obtained an extended post hole digger, and unitized their properties, in one mineral tract—that being McKinsey's back yard at 606 Storey, and Fitting's back yard at 605 Cuthbert—which adjoin across a common alley.

—They acquired the services of a "doodle-bug" operator, a peach-tree limb "witcher" and Harry L. Beckmann, of the Humble Oil & Refining Company division geological office, in off-hours, and with the benefit of the information provided from those sources they went out one dark night and "spudded."

—For months Fitting and McKinsey would not allow any person on location while they worked, and they kept the equipment, in the McKinsey back yard, under lock.

—They worked (?) at night. After a considerable period, observers who "scouted" the operation, as best they could, did not see any activity on the test.

—Recently the partners went back on the rig, and resumed operations.

—They now report they have a water well, bottomed at 85 feet in redbeds. The water is from a sand topped at 57 feet. Redbeds came at 60 feet, and carry no water, oil or gas. The production is from the "Johnson Grass sand," which, according to Beckmann, is "extremely high."

—The discovery (?) has been put on production, and according to unofficial, but reliable reports, is pumping one gallon per minute, or 1,440 gallons per day.

—J. C. Williamson, consulting geologist and independent operator who lives at 615 Cuthbert, reports that the Fitting-McKinsey syndicate represented to him it was going to develop new mineral production and by so doing obtained a waiver of damages from him.

—Now, he says, they are draining his water well—and he is not too happy about the matter.

—However, this clears up the mystery of what Fitting and McKinsey have been doing in the back yard—at least, that is the story we get.

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TEXACO WILL BACK RETURNING "GI'S"

—A special leave of absence will be granted all employes of the Texas Company who return from military service, who desire to take advantage of the "GI Bill of Rights," to pursue studies which will benefit them in the future, Levi L. Shiplet, district superintendent of the concern in Midland announced Saturday.

—The West Texas-New Mexico district of Texaco has 39 employes on military leave. The entire company has more than 5,000 employes in the armed services.

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GFEC TO INSTITUTE SERIES OF PROGRAMS

—Lee Flood, chairman of the Goldsmith Field Engineering Committeee is starting a series of programs at Goldsmith for the field employes of the firms operating in that pool, who are members of the GFEC, and their families.

—The first will be Tuesday night at the Goldsmith school. The programs will include moving pictures showing various features of the oil industry, and in addition entertainment items will be presented.

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ELLENBURGER FIELD CONFERENCE SLATED

—A field conference on the Ellenburger group of the Llano region of Texas will be held in and around Austin from June 14, through June 23, according to announcements received by Alan B. Leeper, secretary of West Texas Geological Society.

—The affair will start with a session in the geology building at the University of Texas on the night of June 14. The remainder of the program will be field trips and field conferences.

—Sponsors of the project are the Bureau of Economic Geology, University of Texas; and the Geological Survey of the U. S. Department of Interior.

—Leeper has full details of the program.

Lieutenant Blount Freed From Stalag 7-A

Mrs. C. D. Blount of 1204 West Tennessee has received word that her husband, a first lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Forces, has been liberated from German prisoner of war camp, Stalag 7-A, where he has been a prisoner for the past 11 months.

He was serving as a bombardier on a mission over France June 23 when his plane caught fire and all members of the crew bailed out. He was serving with the 8th Air Force in England.

The last letter Mrs. Blount received from her husband was written in March from the prison camp. In the letter received after Lieutenant Blount was liberated he stated that he was in fair condition and it was great getting accustomed to Army chow again.

Lieutenant Blount is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Blount, Sr., of Gulfport, Miss.

RETURNS HOME FOR VISIT

Pvt. A. J. Norton has returned home from Camp Bowie for a visit with his wife and family.

Richfield Will Drill 5,000-Foot Wildcat In S-E Santa Fe County

HOBBS, N. M.—Richfield Oil Corporation has staked location for a wildcat test in Southeast Santa Fe County, New Mexico, to drill to at least 5,000 feet, and possibly deeper. The project will use rotary equipment.

The exploration will be 715 feet from north and 675 feet from west lines of section 25-14n-11e, and drilling is slated to start during June.

It will be carried as Richfield's No. 1 Federal-University of New Mexico, and is near the little town of Pecos, and about 30 miles southeast of the city of Santa Fe.

Repollo Starts Another

Repollo Oil Company No. 3 Boyd, 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 23-22s-37e, is a north outpost to the Samedan Oil Corporation No. 1 Boyd, recently completed for flowing production from the Clear Fork-Permian, two miles north of the discovery well in the Drinkard field, in Southeast Lea County, from the horizon. The Repollo test will drill to that same pay horizon, around 6,500 feet, start shortly.

Skaggs Outpost

Continental Oil Company No. 1-B-22 Skaggs, is a new exploration to the Wolfcamp in the East Lea area. It is to be 660 feet from north and east lines of section 22-20-s-37e, and will drill to 7,800 feet, or pay in the Wolfcamp, at a lesser depth Roads to the location are now building.

It is a one lacation diagonal northwest offset to same company's No. 2-B-23 Skaggs, discovery well for the lower Permian production in the Skaggs area between Monument and Eunice.

An Oly Wildcat

McElvain Bros., No. 1 Seale, section 30-18s-34e, wildcat five and one-half miles southwest of the Vacuum field in Central Lea County, was cleaning out after a 700-quart shot at 4,674-4,804 feet, over plugged back total depth of 4,825 feet, and was reported to have about 2,500 feet of oil in the hole.

After the shot the well has shown some gas, and owners expect to complete the prospectors as some sort of a producer.

Still More Signs

T. B. Brown, No. 1 Watkins, old well which had been deepened from former total depth of 3,673 feet, in section 31-18s-32e, was on a plugged-back total depth of 3,875 feet, and was preparing to test shows of oil which had raised 1,400 feet in the hole, after it had bailed 25 barrels and bailed dry, following a shot.

Dry Exploration

Drilling & Exploration Company No. 1 Federal-Gorman, wildcat two miles east of the Lynch field, and in section 25-30s-34e, has been plugged and abandoned on a bottom of 3,825 feet in sand. It had water at 3,800 feet, and by the time 3,825 feet was reached there was a hole full.

May Have Something

Texaco No. 1 Blineberry, in southeast quarter of section 19-22s-38e, one location northwest of initial Clear Fork producer in the Drinkard area of Southeast Lea, was swabbing to cleanout and test, after treating perforated section at 5,610-25 feet, with 500 gallons of acid.

After missing the Drinkard pay the project drilled to 7,517 feet, in granite. It then plugged-back to 5,673 feet and tested for an average of 5.5 barrels of high-gravity oil at 5,580-95 feet, with 3,670,000 cubic feet of gas per day.

Leamex Still Digging

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 4 Leamex, in section 17-17s-33e, West-Central Lea County wildcat, had reached 12,228 feet, and was going ahead, in an unreported formation, likely lime and shale.

The Texas Company No. 1 Eaves, Central-East Lea exploration, in section 26-16s-38e, had progressed below 8,140 feet, in lime.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Jones in section 19-19s-39e, seven miles southeast of Hobbs, in East Lea, slated to drill to 10,000 feet, or the Ellenburger, at a shallower depth, had penetrated under 9,610 feet in lime and chert in the Silurian.

Stanolind No. 1 Southeast Vacuum unit, in the northeast corner of section 17-18s-36e, about three miles southeast of the Vacuum field, in Central-East Lea, was making hole past 4,873 feet, in lime.

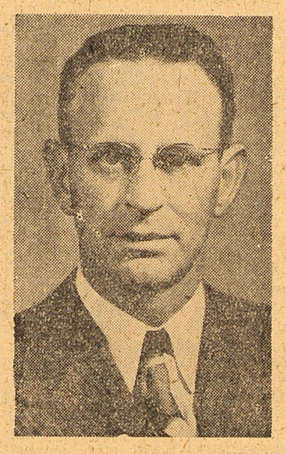
In Southeast Lea

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 2 Federal-Leonard, Southeast Lea exploration to the Ellenburger, in northeast quarter of section 13-26s-37e, and diagonal outpost to discovery for lower Ordovician production in the state, had progressed under 8,873 feet, and was going ahead in lime.

The Texas Company No. 2 Blineberry, in southwest quarter of section 29-22s-38e, lower Ordovician, lower Permian exploration in the Drinkard district of Southeast Lea, was boring ahead below 5,920 feet, in hard lime.

Stanolind No. 1 Uicacho-Unit, Lincoln County wildcat in section 10-12n-18e, was drilling in granitoid sand past 2,710 feet.

Basin Chairman



Guy Mabee, Midland, owner and operator of Guy Mabee Drilling Company, with eight rotary rigs in operation in the Permian Basin, was recently named chairman of the West Texas-New Mexico Chapter of the American Association of Oilwell Drilling Contractors. Other officers of the organization are J. F. Postelle, Odessa, vice-chairman, and Roland Johnson, Odessa, with M.-B.-K. Drilling Company, secretary.

Drilling Applications Ahead Of 1944 Total

AUSTIN—(AP)— The Oil and Gas division of the Railroad Commission reported Saturday a total of 148 drilling applications for the past week which brings the year's total to 2,677. This compares with 2,548 for the same period in 1944.

There were 84 oil well completions for the week of May 21-26, making a total of 1,599 for this year as compared with 1,335 for the same period in 1944.

Two wildcats drilled brought the year's total to 50 as compared with 66 last year.

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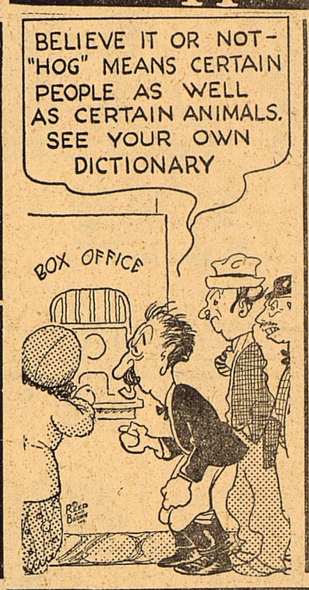
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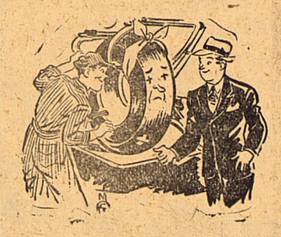
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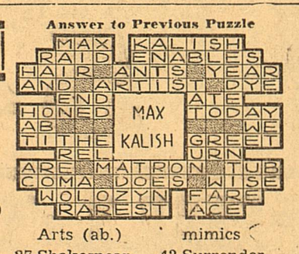
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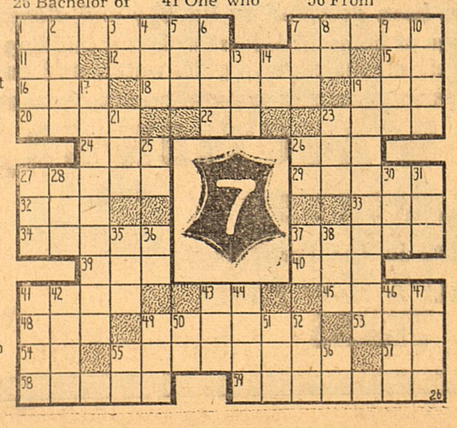
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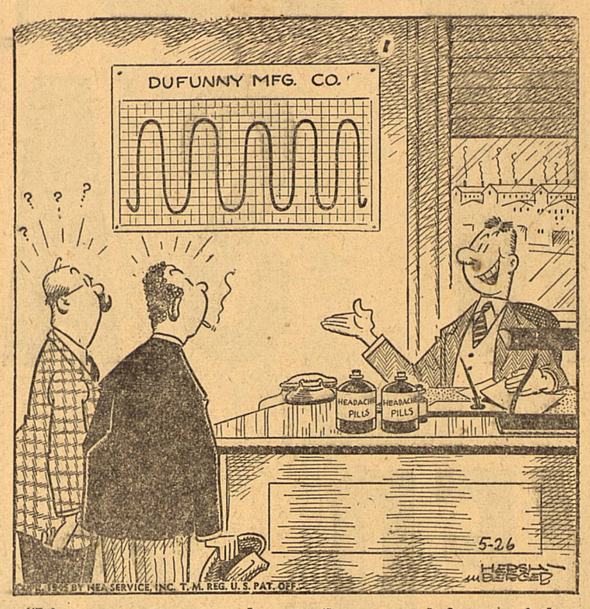


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Used Cars 54

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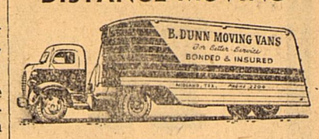
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New Addition To Midland Will Open Monday With Sale Of Parklea Place

The sale of 542 lots in Parklea Place, which soon will be included in the city limits, will start at 2 p.m. Monday at the new addition at the west edge of the city, on U. S. Highway 80. All lots will be sold at auction by Col. C. H. McCall. Auctions will be held Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Sunday has been designated as general inspection day for the property. All lots and blocks are flagged and numbered so it will be easy for a person to select the lot or lots on which he wishes to bid, Colonel McCall said.

Persons interested in business lots on the highway will find a number of choice lots in Parklea Place, Colonel McCall pointed out.

He said surveys now are being made for extension of utilities to the city's latest addition.

The new addition is close to the city's Pagoda Park and swimming pool. Parklea Place is on high ground and provides a good view.

Another feature which will appeal to purchasers of lots is that one-fourth of the mineral rights will go with each lot, Colonel McCall said.

Colonel McCall sold the West End Addition here in 1937.

More Food Stamps To Become Valid June 1

WASHINGTON—(AP)— Five more red stamps for meats and fats and five blue for processed foods will become valid June 1, OPA announced Saturday.

The red coupons are V2 through Z2; the blue D1 through H1. Both series, in ration book four, will be good through Sept. 30.

OPA also reminded that these other stamps will not be good after June 2:

Red—Y5, Z5 and A2 through D2; Blue—H2 through M2; and sugar coupon No. 35.

Hendrickson Leaves On City Business

Mayor A. N. Hendrickson left Saturday night for Dayton, Ohio, to attend to city business. He is expected to return within a week.

Right in Der Fuehrer's Place



It's a lovely view of the Bavarian Alps these Seventh Army Yanks are enjoying. They like it. Adolf Hitler liked it, too, but Adolf doesn't live here anymore. The doughboys are taking their ease on the front lawn of Hitler's famous Berchtesgaden retreat.

Municipal Band To Have First Practice

More than 40 members have signed for the Midland Municipal Band, F. C. Gambill, director, announced Saturday. Ten to 15 places still can be filled in the band, which holds its first rehearsal at 8 p. m. June 4 in the high school band hall.

Those who would like to become members of the band are asked to see Gambill at the band hall at 12:45 p. m., or to telephone the high school principal's office at 11:45 a. m. any day this week.

Boys and girls planning to attend summer band school are asked to meet at the band hall at 5 p. m. Tuesday.

Members of the Midland High School marching band are requested to meet at the band hall at 6:30 p. m. Monday for a short, important meeting.

TO SUMMER IN FORT WORTH

Mrs. Lee Cornelius and son Norman, plan to spend the summer in Fort Worth with friends.

Summer School To Start Here Monday

Enrollment will get underway for summer schol at 9 a. m. Monday in the high school, Supt. Frank Monroe announced Saturday.

Mrs. Gladys Tolbert will be principal for the summer school, and the teachers will be Miss Emma John Blake and Miss Margaret Stuart. Classes will be held five days a week for eight weeks, Monroe said.

Country Club Pool Opens For Season

The first swims of the season were taken Saturday at the Midland Country Club pool which was crowded from the time it opened until it closed, Gaither Nowell, club pro, reported.

John Polly, of El Paso, will be the lifeguard at the pool, which will be open from 9 a. m. until 9 p. m. daily.

The pool is for the use by members, their families and out of town guests.

Conservation Film To Be Shown Groups

Plans have been made for showing the soil conservation moving picture "A Heritage We Guard" to all civic organizations and farm communities in Midland County, J. H. Green, county agent, reported Saturday. The film has already been shown in the Valley View community and to the Rotary Club and Junior Chamber of Commerce, Green said.

Everyone, farmers, business men and industry alike are vitally concerned with the problem of soil and water conservation, Green stated, and the film emphasizes the need for the program of soil conservation.. When you consider that 3 1/2 acres per person are needed for production of the essential food, clothing, and shelter, and there are only 610 million acres of tillable soil in the United States, the seriousness of erosion which has already ruined or damaged 200 million acres of farm land becomes apparent. On top of that some 50 million acres are being ruined by wind and water erosion each year.

Also emphasized in the film is that conservation of wild life, which plays an important part in the production of farm crops as well as furnishes food, clothing and sport, goes hand in hand with soil and water conservation.

S/Sgt. Covington New NCO Club Steward

The appointment of S/Sgt. Carl Covington of Squadron A as Chief Steward of the NCO Club was confirmed by the Board of Governors this week. Sergeant Covington, a mess sergeant and former restaurant manager in civilian life, replaces M/Sgt. William Flatters who resigned last week.

Sgt. Harold Vestal Freed From Prison Camp

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Vestal, 1501 West Wall, received a letter from her son, Sgt. Harold M. Vestal, who was recently liberated from a German prisoner of war camp.

In his letter, Sergeant Vestal said, "I am a free man now, the Americans are here. I am fine and in good health and will be home in a few weeks, I hope. I will let you know as soon as I get to the United States."

Word was received here by Mr. and Mrs. Vestal Friday that their son had been freed from the prisoner of war camp.

OPA Price Ceilings On Poultry Given

Citizens were reminded Saturday by Midland County War Price and Ration Board officials that ceiling prices are in effect on poultry.

The ceiling price for broilers and fryers weighing under two and a half pounds is 60 cents a pound at Group 1 and 2 stores and 59 cents a pound at Group 3 and 4 stores.

Roasters weighing two and a half pounds and over are 58 cents a pound at Group 1 and 2 stores and 57 cents a pound at Group 3 and 4 stores. The ceiling price on hens of all weights is 52 cents a pound at all stores.

The ceiling prices are for birds dressed and drawn.

RODRIGUEZ SOON WILL RETURN TO UNITED STATES

WITH THE AAF ENGINEER COMMAND IN ITALY—Pfc. Epimenio O. Rodriguez of Midland, Texas, who has been constructing airfields for Allied planes in the Mediterranean Theater of Operations for the last 33, months, will soon return to the United States with his veteran 815th Engineer Aviation Battalion.

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JEFFERSON CITY, MO.— (AP) — The Missouri Conservation Commission has a suggestion to help housewives over the meat shortage.

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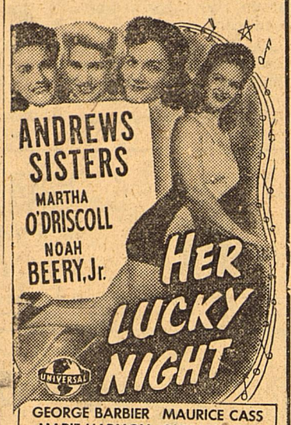
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Texas Longhorns Win Southwest Championship

AUSTIN—(AP)— In a game that lasted more than three hours and kept a crowd of 1,200 fans both puzzled and excited, the Texas Longhorns closed out their championship Southwest Conference Baseball season by edging the stubborn Rice Owls, 8-7, here Saturday.

Held to six hits by starting pitcher Ken Carley and Fireman Ed Murphey, who was pounded into submission Friday, Texas scored its runs mostly as a result of Carley's ten bases on balls and four hit batsmen plus timely base knocks.

Locked Three Times

The score was deadlocked at 2-2, 4-4 and 7-7, with Rice scoring the seventh and tying run in the eighth inning after Murphey had fanned on a wild pitch for the third out and then beaten the throw to first while Powell raced in home.

The double loss dropped Rice into third place in the conference standings behind Texas and TCU.

Score:		R	H	E
Rice	002 011 020	7	9	4
Texas	200 022 101	8	6	1

Murphey and Carley and Williard; Lay and Erwin; Bell and Milik.

New York Giants Score 5-1 Victory Over Reds

CINCINNATI —(AP)— Scoring all their runs in the seventh inning the New York Giants made it four in a row over Cincinnati Saturday, 5-1, as young Swede Hansen held the Reds to five hits.

Score:		R	H	E
New York	000 000 500	5	7	1
Cincinnati	000 000 100	1	5	1

Hansen and Lombardi; Bosser, Beck, Bush and Lakeman.

Pittsburgh-Boston Game Called In Third

PITTSBURGH—(AP)—Rain forced the Pittsburgh Pirates - Boston Braves game to be called in the third inning Saturday. The Pirates were on the way to their sixth straight win with a 6-1 lead at the time the contest was stopped.

Standings

American League

Teams	W	L	Pct.
New York	18	11	.621
Detroit	16	10	.615
Chicago	15	11	.577
St. Louis	15	11	.577
Cleveland	12	14	.462
Washington	12	17	.414
Boston	11	17	.393
Philadelphia	11	19	.367

National League

Teams	W	L	Pct.
New York	25	7	.781
Brooklyn	18	13	.581
St. Louis	17	14	.548
Pittsburgh	15	14	.517
Chicago	15	14	.517
Boston	11	16	.407
Cincinnati	10	17	.370
Philadelphia	8	24	.250

SATURDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Chicago 2, Philadelphia 1.

Cleveland-Washington, postponed, rain.

Pittsburgh-Boston called in third.

Brooklyn 11, St. Louis 2.

American League

New York 13, Chicago 0.

New York 5, Cincinnati 1.

St. Louis 9, Boston 2.

Detroit 5, Philadelphia 4.

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MAAF Golfers Defeat Goodfellow 24 To 3

The golf team from Midland Army Air Field handed the team from Goodfellow Army Air Field at San Angelo a severe 24 to 3 drubbing in a match played Saturday afternoon on the Midland Country Club course. A return match will be played next Saturday between the two teams at San Angelo.

Midland's players in the order which they finished are Lt. Allen Stoehr, Lt. Al Wolfley, Lt. W. R. (Bill) Galt, Lt. Steve Krolinsky Capt. Bill Melancon and Lt. J. P. Cornelius.

The Goodfellow players in the order they finished are Capt. Richard Snide Jr., Capt. Percy Arthur Osborn, Major John Hardy, Lt. Al Smith, Capt. K. C. McAllister and Capt. A. J. Breadewater.

Snead Tops Nelson By One Stroke

NEW YORK —(AP)— Sam Snead defeated Byron Nelson by one stroke in the 36-hole stroke play division of their 72-hole golf match at Fresh Meadow Saturday. Snead shot 70-73—143 and Nelson had 73-71—144 over the par 70 layout.

Although threatened seriously on occasions, Snead clung tenaciously to the lead he held at the end of the morning round. Nelson sliced the margin to one stroke on two different occasions during the second round, but trailed to the lone stroke again as Snead went one over par on the final hole.

St. Louis Browns Top Boston 9-2

BOSTON—(AP)— Six-hit pitching by Tex Shirley and a flurry of Boston errors Saturday gave the St. Louis Browns a 9 to 2 victory over the Boston Red Sox.

Vern Stephens homered off Oscar Judd in the first inning with one aboard.

Score:		R	H	E
St. Louis	200 003 004	9	10	2
Boston	110 000 000	2	6	3

Shirley and Mancuso; Judd, Ryba, Hausman, Barrett and Garbark, Walters.

Yankees Swamp Chicago 13-0

NEW YORK—(AP)—A combination of terrific hitting and airtight pitching gave the New York Yankees their fourth straight over Chicago 13-0 Saturday. Walter Dubiel limited the White Sox to three safeties while the Yankees clouted three pitchers for 18.

Score:		R	H	E
Chicago	000 000 000	0	3	2
New York	012 032 23x	13	18	1

Lee, Johnson, Touchstone and Tresh, Castino; Dubiel and Crompton.

Chicago Cubs Top Philadelphia 2-1

CHICAGO —(AP)— Bill Lee, former Cubs' hurling star, forced the winning run over the plate by walking the last three batters to face him with one out in the ninth inning Saturday to give the Chicagoans a 2 to 1 victory over the Philadelphia Phils. It was the Cubs' third victory in the four game series.

Score:		R	H	E
Philadelphia	000 001 000	1	4	2
Chicago	000 100 001	3	5	2

Lee and Mancuso, Peacock; Erickson and Rice.

Detroit Wins Over Athletics 5-4

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)— The Detroit Tigers licked the Philadelphia Athletics 5-4 Saturday to climb over the Chicago White Sox into second place in the sizzling American League pennant race.

Score:		R	H	E
Detroit	220 000 100	5	12	2
Philadelphia	010 210 000	4	11	2

Wilson and Richards; Gerkin and Hayes.

ODESSA GOLF TOURNEY TO BE JUNE 8, 9 AND 10

ODESSA —(AP)— Prizes totaling $750 will be offered in the Odessa Country Club's fifth annual invitational golf tournament to be held June 3, 9, 10, officials said Saturday. A pro-amateur event will be held June 7.

House Democrats Respond To Truman's Tariff Slash Request

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Responding to an emphatic appeal by President Truman, House Democrats rode roughshod over Republicans Saturday to vote the executive broad new authority to cut tariffs in reciprocal trading with other nations.

The count on passage was 239 to 153 as Truman made the tariff bill the first direct test of his Congressional following on a major piece of legislation.

The President said flatly, in a letter read by Speaker Rayburn (D-Texas) that further tariff cutting authority is needed "for the success of my administration," and Democrats and some Republicans rallied behind him.

Prolong Life Of Act

The legislation, which now goes to the Senate, would prolong the life of the Reciprocal Trade Act for three years with expanded powers—allowing tariff cuts in some items up to 75 per cent below the levels of the Republican Hawley-Smoot Act of 1930.

Just before the final vote the Democrats beat down 212 to 181 a Republican motion to send the legislation back to the Ways and Means Committee with instructions that any reference to any broadened executive power over tariffs be deleted. This was the crucial test.

Only thirteen Democrats crossed over to vote with the Republicans on this count, while seven Republicans voted with the Democrats.

Dodgers Wallop St. Louis 11-2

ST. LOUIS—(AP)— The Brooklyn Dodgers moved back into undisputed second place by walloping the World Champion St. Louis Cardinals 11 to 2 in the last of their four-game series Saturday night.

WINS APPEAL

CINCINNATI —(AP)— Frank McCormick, Cincinnati Reds first baseman, Saturday was notified by his Hamilton County draft board that his status is 2-A. McCormick had been in 1-A and an appeal was filed with the district appeal board.

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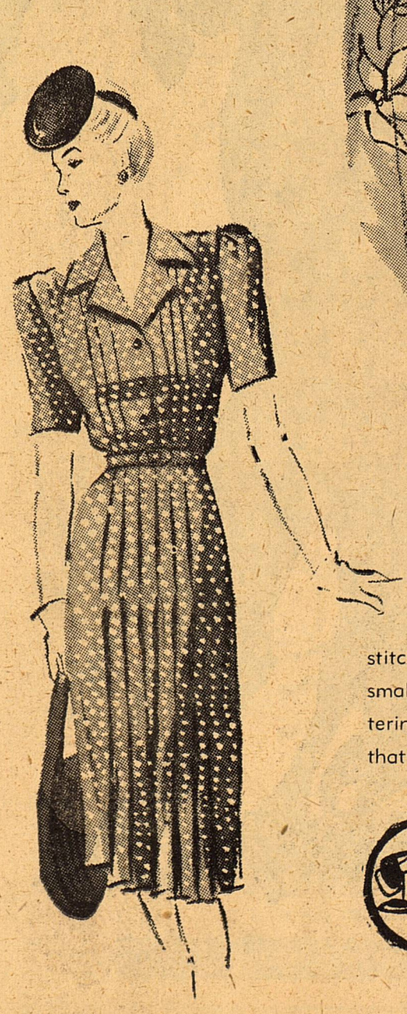
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FIRST WITH THE NEWS — MIDLAND, TEXAS, SUNDAY, MAY 27, 1945 — SECTION TWO

Miss Hazel LaVonne King Becomes Bride Of George W. Wolcott In Church Ceremony Saturday

In a ceremony performed Saturday at 9 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Midland, Miss Hazel LaVonne King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert King of this city, and George W. Wolcott, USN, son of Mrs. Frank Wolcott, also of Midland, were married.

The Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, pastor, directed the double ring vows as the couple stood before the altar, beautiful with an all-white floral setting. White tapers burned in floor-length candelabra.

Mrs. Joe Mims, organist, played traditional wedding music and accompanied Miss Lou Nell Hudman as she sang "I Love You Truly."

Mr. King accompanied his daughter to the altar and gave her in marriage. She wore a white jersey street-length dress, white accessories and a small white hat. She carried a white prayer book and wore a corsage of white roses.

Mrs. Skaggs Attended

Attending the bride as matron of honor was Mrs. Leonard Skaggs. She was attired in a green linen suit and wore a white blouse and white accessories. Her flowers were pink rosebuds.

Ed S. Watts served the groom as best man.

The mother of the bride chose a navy blue dress and a corsage of pink carnations, while Mrs. Wolcott, mother of the bridegroom, wore an aqua blue dress and a corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Midkiff, 105 North G. A three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature sailor and his bride, centered the dining table. Bouquets of roses and white tapers

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Social At Hall Home Honors Lucky 13 Club

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Hall entertained members of the Lucky 13 Club Friday evening at their home, 1004 West Tennessee. Arrangements of roses were used in decorating the Hall home.

Games of forty-two were played during the evening and refreshments were served by the host and hostess.

Two guests, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. McFarland were present in addition to the members: Messrs. and Mmes. H. P. Collings, Houston Sikes, J. C. Hudman, J. L. Dardy, O. H. Jones, J. T. Walker, Mrs. Ellis Connor and Mrs. C. H. Shepard.

Carolyn Leggett Is Winner Of Art Award

Carolyn Leggett of Midland was awarded first prize in the first grade division in a recent state-wide fire prevention poster contest. Prizes were awarded for the best poster in the first through the seventh grades.

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Local OES Honors State Officers At Wycoff Home

A morning coffee honoring grand officers of the Texas Order of the Eastern Star and officers of District 2, Section 8, was held Friday at the home of Mrs. Fred Wycoff, 721 West Kansas, by the Midland Chapter of the OES. Co-hostess for the entertainment was Mrs. Juanita Hicks.

The dining table was laid with a beautiful Irish linen and lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of roses in a crystal bowl. Flanking the centerpiece were tall green tapers in crystal holders. The Wycoff home was decorated throughout with a profusion of roses and other spring flowers.

Mrs. M. A. Floyd, worthy matron of the local chapter, presided at the silver coffee service.

Out of town guests included: Mrs. Lillian Barnard, Lubbock, worthy grand matron; Mrs. E. B. Gauntt, Athens, grand organist; Mrs. Alice Stewart, Lubbock, grand examiner of District 2; Mrs. Audra Tanner, Iowa Park, fraternal correspondent; Mrs. Ola Jenson, Barstow, chairman of U. D. chapters; Mrs. Flora Best Boone, Littlefield; district deputy grand matron; Mrs. Luella Hubbs, Pecos, deputy grand matron; Mrs. Addie Bell, Crane, deputy grand matron; Mrs. Crandal, Rankin, past deputy grand matron; E. B. Gauntt, Athens, worthy grand patron; T. H. Barnard, Lubbock, chairman of grievance and appeals committee; and Assistant Grand Examiner Steward of Lubbock.

Midland guests attending: M. A. Floyd, worthy patron, and Mmes. M. A. Floyd, worthy patron; Leo Baldridge, associate matron; Juanita Collins, conductress, and Ona Thomas, associate conductress.

The out of town officers were en route from a school of instruction held at Odessa Thursday, to a school to be conducted in Big Spring Friday.

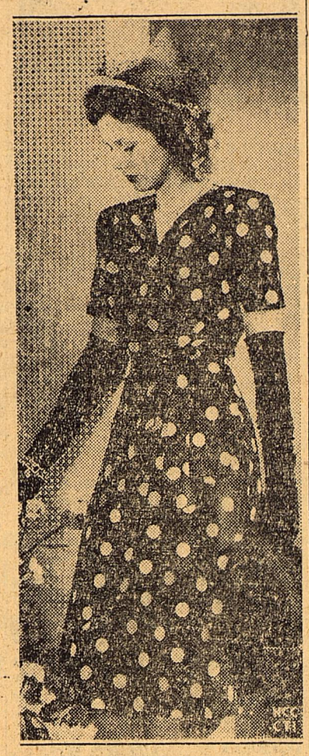
SPENDS LEAVE HERE

Marine Sgt. James F. Nixon Jr., has arrived in Midland for a visit with his parents at the Gulf Tank Farm after serving 28 months in the South Pacific. Sergeant Nixon, who has participated in the battles on the Marshalls and Mariannas, will spend a 30-day leave here.

Fashions By the Maid Of Cotton







Maid of Cotton Jennie Erle Cox of West Point, Miss—now halfway through her bond-selling tour of principal American cities—points the way to cotton comfort and conservation with these selections from her wardrobe. At left, Miss Cox wears one of today's smart shirt frocks in rainbow plaid, its drop-shouldered sleeves giving that broad-shouldered look. At right, she models an afternoon and date dress of black, relieved with bright-color touches.

Above, the Maid of Cotton poses for the official photograph she autographs for all purchasers of War Bonds.

FIFTY-ONE CHILDREN GIVEN EXAMINATIONS AT WARD SCHOOL

Fifty-one pre-school children who will enter the first grade of North Elementary School this fall were given physical examinations Thursday afternoon at the school.

Examinations were made by Dr Tom C. Bobo, L. Waldo Leggett and M. S. Dickerson. Others assisting were Mrs. F. B. Rhodes, county health nurse; Miss Edith Jones, nurse, and Mmes. R. E. Roark, C. W. Ledebur, Harvey, Conger, S. M. Erskine and Guyton, room mothers.

All children are reminded that they must have photostatic copies of their birth certificate when enrolling this fall. Children are also required to have a vaccination for smallpox, and they are urged to have diphtheria immunization.

Health blanks have been mailed to all children who were unable to be present for the checkup Thursday. These blanks should be filled in and be presented when registering the first day of school.

Miss Midland To Be Chosen In Contest June 20

Members of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce will sponsor a contest to select a Miss Midland. The winner will be sent to the state contest where an entry from Texas will be selected for the "Miss America" contest at Atlantic City.

"Miss Midland" will be crowned at the Yucca Theater's War Bond Show at 8:30 p. m. June 20. J. Howard Hodge, manager of the theater, said he had obtained the movie, "I'll Be Seeing You," starring Ginger Rogers, for the War Bond show.

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In order to be eligible for selection as "Miss Midland" girls must be between the ages of 18 and 28 and single. Girls entered in the contest will be judged on poise, per-

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Many Enroll For Baptist Vacation Bible School Here

A large number of young people of the city registered for the Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church Saturday afternoon. After enrollment and refreshments, the fire chief of Midland took all of the enrollees for a ride on the fire truck.

The school will officially open for a regular routine of work, play and song Monday at 9 a. m. Classes will be held each morning from 9 a. m. until 11 a. m. on Monday through Friday for two weeks. Commencement exercises will be held Sunday June 10, at the evening worship.

Material Collected

Superintendents and workers in the departments have collected interesting material for the two weeks of work. Classes are scheduled from the smallest child through 16 years.

Women to serve as heads of the departments are as follows: Mrs. J. A. Forrester, Nursery No. 1; Mrs. Dan Edgmon, Nursery No. 2 and No. 3; Mrs. Charles Ward, Beginner No. 1; Mrs. Joe Robertson, Beginner No. 2; Mrs. Bill Murray, Primary No. 1; Mrs. O. R. Phillips, Primary No. 2; Mrs. Tom Wingo, Primary No. 3; Mrs. Raymond G. Hall, Junior No. 1; Mrs. O. L. Hearrien, Junior No. 2; and Mrs. Samuel Jordan, Intermediates.

Young people from other denominations are cordially invited to attend this school.

MRS. HOUSE IMPROVES

Slight improvement has been reported in the condition of Mrs. Will C. House, who has been critically ill in a Temple hospital.

Longcope Home Scene For Social

Members of the South Elementary School faculty and the outgoing and incoming officers of the Parent-Teacher Association were entertained at a social Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. S. Longcope, 1204 South Main. Assisting Mrs. Longcope in entertaining was Mrs. F. D. Breedlove.

The school colors of purple and gold were carried out in the decorations and the refreshments. Pansies, calla lilies and larkspur were used in the floral arrangements.

Gold candles in crystal candelabra encircled with pansies flanked the table centerpiece. All crystal appointments were used on the table.

Mrs. L. G. Byerley, vice president of the State P-TA, and Mrs. D. R. Carter, District Six president, alternated in presiding at the refreshment table. Also assisting was Mrs. Troy Stephenson.

Present were Mmes. Elmer Watkins, J. C. Moore, Inez Lace, Jack Ellington, Orpha Lindeblad, Dennis Murphy, E. D. Richman, John Godwin, Allen Heard, L. L. Jones, R. L. Gray, Misses Lola Belle Johnson, Anneva Kelly, and Geraldine Callicoate and Frank Monroe.

VISITS HERE

Mrs. Jimmy Walker of Los Angeles, Calif., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. O. B. Holt, and her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Walker. First Class Seaman Jimmy Walker is now stationed at Liberty, Mo., for naval pilot training. He has been in the U. S. Navy for four years.

L. WALDO LEGGETT HOME IS SCENE FOR DEN SCOUTS SUPPER

The home of Dr. and Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett, 901 West Storey, was the scene for a non-host supper for Den Four Cub Scouts and their parents. Mrs. R. E. Kimsey is den mother for the group.

S. M. Erskine, chairman of the Cub Scout committee, introduced Scout Executive W. A. Martin, who gave a short talk. Also heard on the program was James Brown, past Scoutmaster of Troop 51, and songs by the Cubs.

Walter Cremin Jr. presented gifts to Mrs. Kimsey and Bill Hamilton, den leader, in appreciation for their service to the group during the year.

Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. Erskine, Kimsey, Frank Aldridge, James Brown, Walter Cremin, John McGuigan, Col. and Mrs. John W. White, Dr. and Mrs. Leggett, and Mmes. Joe Mims, Bob Patterson, W. Fritz, John Cornwall, H. L. Ray, and Mr. Martin.

Others attending were: Billy Hamilton, Buzzy Ray, Billy Erskine, Billy Mims, Roy Kimsey, Fowler Patterson, Bobby Stubbeman, Don Fritz, Bill Aldridge, Billy Brown, Timmy Cornwall, Walter Cremin Jr., Waldo Leggett, Jack White, John McGuigan, Mary Louise Erskine, Patsy Bray, Ann Cremin, David Leggett, Scooter Erskine and Carolyn Leggett.

Sgt. John E. Turner Arrives From Overseas

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Turner of 609 1/2 South Pecos, have received word from their son, S/Sgt. John E. Turner, that he has arrived in Boston, Mass., and will be in Midland soon for a visit.

Sergeant Turner has been serving overseas for the past 38 months in the ground crew for the 15th Air Force in Italy.

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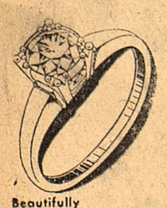
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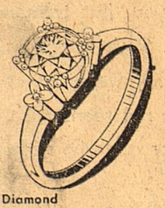
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Included on the program for both evenings will be piano solos and ensembles, orchestra and violin selections.

Cut flowers will be used in decorating the auditorium, along with flags of the Allied nations.

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MONDAY

Circle meetings of the First Baptist Church will be held Monday as follows: Mary Elizabeth Truly, Mrs. B. C. Girdley, 1900 West Missouri; Mary Martha, Mrs. J. H. Griffith, Club Drive; Lottie Moon, Mrs. S. C. Dardy, 1701 West College; Anna Barron, Mrs. Vernon Yearby, 311 North Main; Rebecca, Mrs. John Godwin, 607 South Baird; and Lockett, Mrs. C. G. Hazel, 512 West Storey.

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at 3 p. m. at the church.

The First Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet for a business session at 2:15 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

Mrs. C. D. Vertrees, 1211 West Indiana, will be hostess for a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church at 3:30.

Circles of the Women's Council of the First Christian Church will meet at 3 p. m. at the church for a program on a study of "The World Call."

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TUESDAY

A bond rally will be sponsored by the Valley View Victory Council at 8:30 p. m. at the school building in that community.

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WEDNESDAY

Spotters Group Eight will meet at Cloverdale Park at 7 p. m. for a picnic. Husbands will be guests.

Members of the Progressive Study Club will hold their annual luncheon at 1 p. m. at the Odessa Country Club.

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THURSDAY

Mrs. Haden Barrow of Odessa will speak over KRLH on the regular Midland County Library radio program at 4 p. m.

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FRIDAY

The Ladies Golf Association will meet at the Country Club at 1 p.m. Hostesses for the luncheon will be Mrs. Glenn Crays, Mrs. Wright Cowden and Miss Shirley Culbertson.

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SATURDAY

The Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson School of Music at 11 a. m.

Children's movies will be shown in the courthouse basement at 2:30 p. m.

Miss King —

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in candelabra added to the table decorations.

Presiding at the refreshment table were Mmes. Maurice King, Linch King, Frank Midkiff and Miss Sue King. They were assisted by Misses Dorothy Wolcott, Mildred Brinson and Margaret Tramel.

The couple will return to Midland following a wedding trip before going to Pascol, Wash., where the bridegroom will be stationed.

Mrs. Wolcott graduated from Midland High School and attended Droughon's Business College in Lubbock. The bridegroom also graduated from the local high school. He has been in the Navy for the past two years and served in the South Pacific for 14 months. He was stationed at Chicago after returning to the States for a 15-week training course.

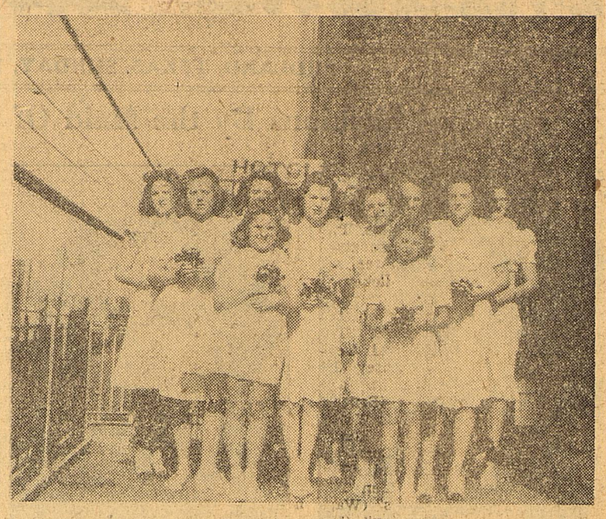
WEEKEND IN EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. Tess Marchants and Mr. and Mrs. Tab Marchants plan to spend the weekend in El Paso.

LEAVE ON VACATION

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Alfred Beavin left this weekend for a month's stay with relatives in Maryland and Vermont.

Assisted In Saturday Poppy Sales



Girls who assisted in the Poppy Day sales Saturday are shown, reading from left to right: First row, Wanda Steel and Patty Daniel; second row, Dorothy Jean King, Ann Cleveland, Mary Dell Dillon and Alma Faye Cowden; third row, Elizabeth Ann Cowden, Patsy Lou Arrington, Norma Jean Hubbard, Florence Larsh and Wanda Jean Petteit. Three poppy girls were not present at the time the picture was taken, Evangeline Theis, Mary Martha Sivalls and Dorothy Fay Holt, chairman.

Miss Midland —

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sonality, intelligence, talent, beauty and figure.

The talent exhibitions include singing, dancing, dramatic readings, playing of some musical instrument, sketching and painting, or a three minute discussion of a subject the candidate wishes to major in at college.

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The Rev. Clyde L. Lindsley, who will preach at both services of the First Christian Church Sunday, has his master's degree and bachelor's degree of divinity from Phillips University at Enid, Okla.

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Eligible women in the Midland area who desire to enlist will have an opportunity for an interview with representatives of the U. S. Army Recruiting Station who will visit the city periodically, Lt. Helen Wade, commanding officer of the traveling unit, stated Saturday, as she and Cpl. Florence D. Corrigan public relations non-commissioned officer of the Army Recruiting Station at Fort Worth, visited here making preparations for future itineraries for recruiting teams.

Sgt. Helene Kwraczyk and Sgt. Mable Day will be in Big Spring Wednesday, June 13, through Saturday, June 16, and four days each month thereafter. They may be contacted at Settles Hotel.

Women between the ages of 20 and 38, having had at least two years of high school—no dependent children under the age of 14 years—are urged to contact the recruiting team at the above address, or call or write 106 Federal Building, Fort Worth.

Six Midland Youths Who Attend NMMI Will Spend Summer Here

Six young men from Midland are expected home for the summer vacation following commencement at New Mexico Military Institute, in Roswell, N. M., June 5, 1945.

They are George B. Griswold, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Griswold; M. Louis Hartwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Moreland T. Hartwell of 511 N. Marienfield; Charles S. Hunter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hunter of 510 S. "M" Street; William M. Kerr, son of Mr. and Mrs. William L. Kerr, Robert Muldrow, IV, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Muldrow, III, of 1908 W. Holloway, and John F. Warren, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Warren.

Enrollment at New Mexico Military Institute is limited to 580 cadets. Of this number, one hundred fifty are from Texas. Forty states and foreign countries are represented in the geographic distribution of cadets this year.

RECOVERING FROM ILLNESS

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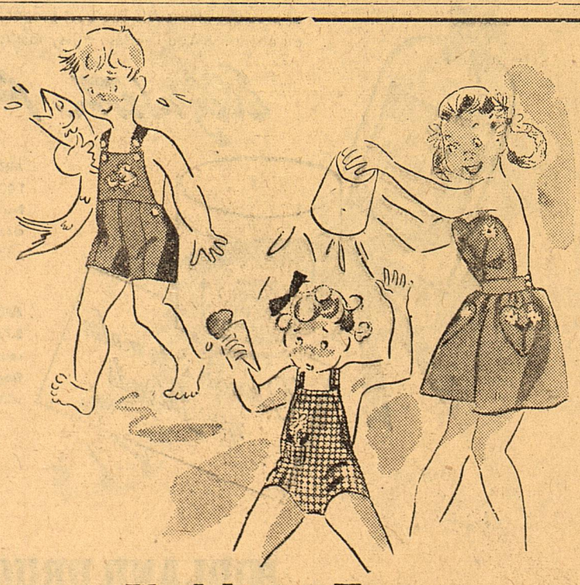
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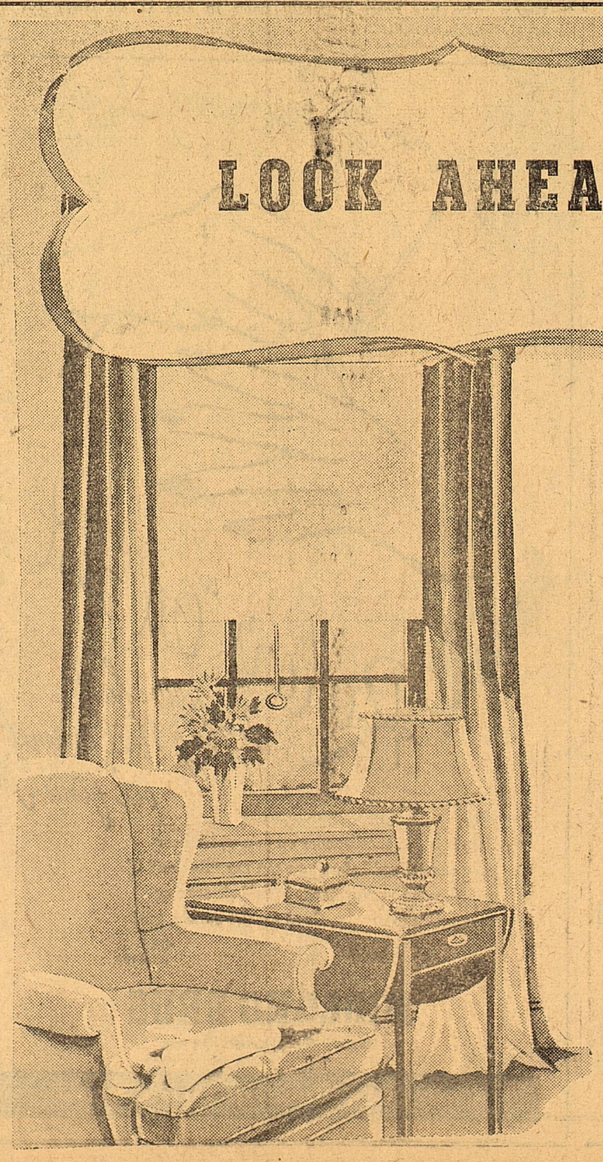
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SLUMBER PARTY HELD FRIDAY AT C. T. MILLER HOME

Mary Lou Miller entertained with a slumber party Friday evening at the home of her parents, Chaplain and Mrs. Claude T. Miller, 110 South A.

Guests were Misses Dorothy Lou Wolfe, Peggy Lou Whitson, Anna Mary Alkire, Betty Jean Meriwether, Sarah Lou Link, Barbara Ann York, Melba Jean Clarke and Mary Faye Ingham.

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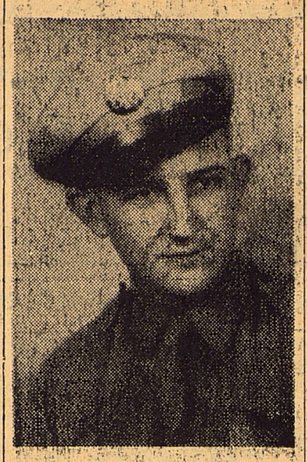
Library Rental Books Changed

A total of 20 books at the Midland County Library have been changed from the rental section to the seven-day group of books.

The following are included in that list:

Baldwin, "Change of Heart."
Bailey, "Red Fruit."
Bellaire, "Murder of a Quack."
Bellaman, "Floods of Spring."
Brand, "Green for Danger."
Drago, "Buckskin Marshal."
Duffield, "Turn to the Sun."
Flavin, "Journey in the Dark."
Gregory, "Hermit of Thunder King."
Haycox, "Canyon Passage."
Jameson, "Journal of Mary H. Russell."
Lawrence, "Time to Die."
Porter, "Papa Was a Preacher."
Ray, "Borrowed Night."
Scott, "God Is My Co-Pilot."
Seifert, "Dr. Ellison's Decision."
Shea, "Gals They Left Behind."
Spring, "Hard Facts."
Thirkell, "Headmistress" and
Wheatley, "Sword of Fate."

Liberated



Sgt. Harold M. Vestal, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Vestal, has been liberated by the Allied forces from a German prison camp. He had been a prisoner of war since July 27, 1944.

A gunner on a B-24, Sergeant Vestal and his crew were shot down over Budapest, Hungary. He enlisted in the Air Forces in November 1943.

ANN TUCKER AND JEAN McLAUGHLIN PARTY HONOREES

Misses Marilyn Miller and Shirley Lones entertained with a farewell party Thursday afternoon at the Lones home, 1803 West Wall, honoring Miss Ann Tucker, who is moving to Lubbock, and Miss Jean Ann McLaughlin, who will make her home in Nebraska.

Bouquets of spring flowers were used in the entertaining rooms. Those assisting the hostesses were Misses Grace Baker, Dorothy Sue Wright, Mary Ann Goddard and Pat Ruckman.

Approximately 80 friends of the honorees called during the afternoon.

Mrs. Barrow Of Odessa To Speak On Library Radio Program Thursday

Mrs. Haden Barrow of Odessa will discuss musical instruments of special and striking interest in the Permian Basin on the Midland County Library program over KRLH Thursday at 4 p.m.

Mrs. Barrow has been heard on the library radio program on several occasions under the sponsorship of the Ector County Library in Odessa.

Picnic Supper Held At Cloverdale Park For Cub Scout Group

A picnic supper was held for members of Den Seven Cub Scouts Thursday night at Cloverdale Park. Mrs. J. C. Vian and Mrs. George Putman den mothers, were present for the entertainment.

Members present were John Brenneman, Tommy Sides, Stanley Putnam, Charles Whitmire, Dickie Vian, Kenneth Semester, Joe Pogue, Bobby Brown, Harold Recer and Paul Davis.

Program Presented By Students Of DeWolfe Music Studio

Students of the DeWolfe Music Studio culminated the year's work Thursday evening by presenting a piano and instrumental program at the North Elementary School auditorium. This was the second recital to be held by the DeWolfe Studio during the week. The first was presented Tuesday evening.

Selections on the program included mainly piano numbers. Two saxophone compositions were given by Nick Harrison, and three accordion popular solos by Mickey Jo Ann McDonald.

The following appeared on the program: Buddy McDonald, "Toy Town Soldiers" (Richter) and "Ten-Step" (Arnold); Roy Kimsey Jr., "Bob - O - Link" (Ketterer) and "Swing Your Partner" (Bruce); Nancy Lee Guyton, "Daddy's Waltz" (Rolfe) and "Tripping Along" (Thompson); Timothy Cornwall, "Little Sisters" (Lake) and "The Musketeers" (Brown); Ellen DeChicchis, "Dancing Shadows" (Wagness) and "In March Array" (Lemont); Peggy Joyce Minear and Melba Jean Clarke, duet, "Country Dance" (Beethoven); Mary Lou Price, "At the Ice Carnival" (Bennett) and "Rabbit Foot" (Price); Barbara Ann Boring, "Little Tiddledewinks" (Barron) and "Minuet In G" (Beethoven); Lois Black, "The Paper Chain" (Lyues) and "Theme From Finlandia" (Sibelius); Peggy Joyce Minear, "Spooks" (Klemm) and "Theme from B-Flat Concerto" (Tschaikoswky).

Melba Jean Clarke, "Gay and Festive" (Sewell) and "Valse Bluette" (Duvernoy); Nick Harrison, "Valse Erica" (Weidoft) and "Country Gardens" (Grainger); Billy Brown, "Minuet from Sonata in C" (Beethoven) and "Coquetry" (Reinhold); Caroline Schaeffer, "Pink Peonies" (Hellard) and "Valse Encore" (Cooke); Diane Buffington, "Nodding Flowers" (Schuler) and "Little Nigar" (DeBussy); James H. Brown Jr., "Minuet in E-Flat" (Beethoven) and "General Bum Bum" (Poldini); Dorothy Freeman, "Idillio" (Lack) and "Poupee Valsante" (Poldini); Mickey Jo Ann McDonald, "Tea for Two" (Youmans), "Poor Butterfly" (Hubbel) and "Glowworm" (Lincke); and Betty Ruth Pickering, "In Springtime" (Cole) and "Claire de Lune" (DeBussy).

Dr. Earl Hamlett Of Amarillo To Preach At First Methodist Church

Dr. Earl Hamlett, district superintendent of the Methodist churches in the Amarillo area, will preach at both morning and evening services Sunday at the First Methodist Church here.

Dr. Hamlett is a prominent minister in the Northwest Conference. The Rev. Will C. House held the position the visiting minister now holds before coming to Midland.

War Bond Rally To Be Held Tuesday At Valley View School Building

A "shadow" auction for the purpose of selling war bonds has been planned for Tuesday at 8:30 p. m. at the Valley View School by members of the Victory Council of that community.

Women are reminded to take paper sack lunches to share with the men who buy their silhouettes. Punch will be served.

To Conduct Revival



The Rev. Graves Darby of Waco, general evangelist, will conduct the morning and evening services for the revival beginning at the Calvary Baptist Church May 27. He is blind and has been an evangelist for the past 12 years. Week day services will be held at 10 a. m. and 8:30 p. m. with the last service to be June 3. Forest Gambill, Midland High School band director, will have charge of the song service.

MRS. PRESTON VEST NAMED HONOREE OF SHOWER FRIDAY

Mrs. Leo Robertson and Mrs. Harvey Kiser honored Mrs. Preston Vest with a "pink and blue" shower Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. B. L. Mason, 510 South Loraine Street.

Guests were Mmes. J. D. Bartlett, Lois Lewis, Floyd Pace, Bill Hoeckendorf, Phelan Porter, R. C. Vest Sr., Dave Bizzell, Ernest Sanders, Hobbs, N. M., and G. C. Brunson, Bill Howell and Darlene Brunson of Crosbyton.

Gifts were also received from Mrs. Chilton Hobbs and Mrs. Ed Lewis of Lamesa.

MRS. W. L. SUTTON CONDUCTS BIBLE STUDY AT CLASS MEET

Mrs. W. L. Sutton conducted the Bible lesson from First Chronicles at a meeting of the Belmont Class Friday afternoon held in the Scharbauer Educational Building of the First Methodist Church.

The opening prayer was led by Mrs. R. Chanslor with the closing prayer offered by Mrs. Margaret Parr.

Those present were H. M. Reigle, W. P. Collins, George Phillips, H. E. Skipper, Sutton, Chanslor and Parr.

Members of the class voted to disband for the summer and convene again in September.

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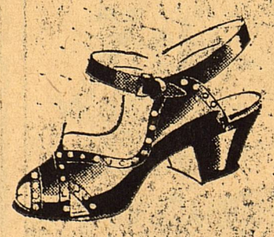
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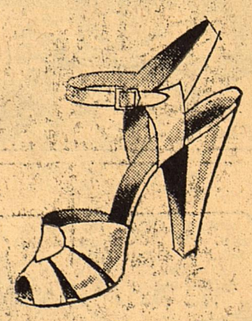
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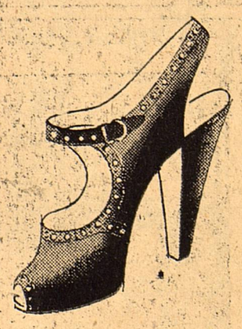
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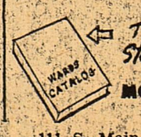


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Marriage is a Serious BUSINESS

by Randolph Ray — RECTOR OF THE LITTLE CHURCH AROUND THE CORNER

Why I Oppose The War Marriage

BEFORE the war marriage is performed, there are four questions which should be considered and answered honestly:

1. Do you really know each other?

2. Have you similar backgrounds and interests?

3. Are you both really in love?

4. Does the girl realize that when her husband returns he may be a stranger to her?

The war marriage is too often regarded as little more than a fleeting gesture of affection for a boy who is leaving to fight for his country. This is very far from being the case. In actual practice, there is nothing fleeting about the war marriage. True, it is growing easier and easier for a man in the armed forces to marry. Many state legislatures have abolished the waiting period between license and ceremony, for the purpose of accommodating the boys and in consideration for their short leaves. But it is almost impossible to divorce a serviceman. The Federal Government, to protect his interests, has decreed that his wife cannot divorce him, whatever the provocation, without his co-operation. In other words, the war marriage, which is being entered into with so little thought, is the hardest kind of marriage from which to escape.

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MARRIAGE is to continue "in sickness and in health." Girls are apt to forget that when they marry impulsively. They are all intelligent enough to know that their husbands may be killed in battle. What they do not consider is that he may be wounded or maimed, that the life they have planned together may be altered beyond all expectation. The wife must understand that, whatever the circumstances, it is her job to remain with her husband.

Of course, this, like so many of the problems of the war marriage, is merely a peacetime problem intensified. There is no such thing as safety in the modern world. Indeed, there has never been such a thing in human life.

But why, then, people ask, do you oppose the war marriage? I oppose the war marriage as a rule—there are always exceptions, of course—because it lacks so many of the requirements of an enduring marriage.

It is performed in haste, often with little knowledge on either side. In peacetime there is a chance for adjustment. In wartime there is little or none.

The man is sent away to new lands and new people and new and often overwhelming experiences. The woman remains behind, alone, not sharing those experiences. Instead of a close link being forged between them, a gulf is dug, across which it will take infinite patience and intelligence and good will to build a bridge.

There is also the emotional problem of separation. A girl has been awakened physically by marriage and then is left alone. This is not only a source of unhappiness but frequently a source of danger

In the last war, a young couple married just before he was shipped to France. He returned, impatient to see his wife, eager to go home and begin at last their life together. The girl met him at the pier but not as he expected. When he took her in his arms, she drew away from him coolly.

"What's the matter?" he asked in surprise.

"I have not been true to you," she said. "I am sorry to let you down like this, but I can't help it. It is impossible for us to go on with our marriage. I want a divorce as soon as possible."

"But you can't do this," he said. "You can't do this." His voice rose. "I'll kill the man."

But he did not kill the other man. The next day he shot and killed himself.

Next: Charting a Course for the War Bride.

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Police Department Investigates More Than 5,000 Cases Each Year

By JOHN H. FLEMISTER

The cost of operating Midland's Police Department is expected to increase more than 10 per cent above the $24,439.32 which was spent from the general fund last year to maintain and operate the department. For the current year $30,430 has been set up in the budget.

Most of the increase is due to the increased salaries. The salary bill for the past year was $20,797.75, while the budget calls for salaries this year totalling $23,380, or $2,582.25 more.

A part of the cost of operating the department is offset by the fines turned into the general fund by the department. During the past year $6,241.82 in fines was collected. The department is expected to turn in about the same amount this year.

Mayor A. N. Hendrickson pointed out that if Midland's Police Department followed the example of departments in some cities, and levied fines at the slightest excuse, the department probably would be self supporting.

Protection Is Aim

"It is the opinion of the City Council and myself the department is here primarily for the protection of citizens and property, and not here to collect money for the general fund by means of excessive fines," the mayor explained. "We request members of the department to assist citizens in any way possible, and to be courteous at all times."

In the past year members of the department travelled 75,933 miles investigating 5,026 cases as compared with 3,877 in the preceding year.

Types of cases handled include arrests for the Federal Bureau of Investigation and other officers, 176; juvenile cases, 76; traffic violations and investigations of accidents, 2,243; escort duty for funerals and the mail, 59; drunks arrested, 238; affray and disturbing the peace, 163; investigations for the health unit, 61; vagrants, 35; AWOL, 33; theft arrests, 31; and arrests for burglary, 5. In the year 753 persons were placed in jail.

Largest expense for the department, aside from salaries, was for the maintenance and repair of equipment with $1,252.91 being spent. This year $1,200 is appropriated.

Operating and maintaining the dog pound ranks third on the expense list with $1,162.45 spent, and the cost expected to increase to $1,500 this year. The pound cannot be called a money maker as $31.50 in pound fees was turned into the general fund last year. In adopting the budget for the current year the council was optimistic and estimated the pound will return $100 in fees this year.

Other Expenses

Gasoline, oil and grease cost $1,065.46 with $1,000 being alloted in the budget for the current year. For upkeep of building and grounds $391.02 was spent for the past year. The budget calls for $300 this year.

Other expenses for last year and the amount set up for this are:

Heating, $41.80 and $50; insurance, $35 and $100; lighting, $238.94 and $250; postage, printing and office supplies, $230.93 and $250; radio operation and maintenance, $158.60 and $250; uniforms and miscellaneous items, $781.13 and $600; telegraph and telephone, $309.74 and $300; signal lights and markers, $302.46 and $350; miscellaneous, $10.53 and $250.

"We of the City Council feel Midland has an efficiently operated police department under the direction of Chief of Police Jack Ellington, and one which receives the wholehearted cooperation of other law enforcement agencies," the mayor said.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority

(This is one of a series of hands from the recent World's Championship Masters' Individual Tournament.)

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Top score in today's hand from the Masters' Individual was made by "Skippy" Becker, one of our newest Life Masters, who finished twenty-first in this tournament. Mrs. Sobel, who finished twelfth, was dummy.

Before getting up and leaving the table, she happened to look in the West hand and saw four spades. When she returned, she asked her partner how many he was down. When he informed her he had made five, he had to repeat the play for her benefit. I think you will admit it is a very interesting hand.

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2 ♠	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♦ J. 26

The second diamond trick was ruffed with the three of spades. A small spade was then led and the ten spot played. East won with the ace and immediately returned the nine of spades. This left the declarer with the king of trump and the dummy with the queen. West had two trump.

The declarer cashed the king of hearts and proceeded to play clubs. You can see what happened. The declarer got down to the king of spades and the deuce of clubs and dummy was down to the queen of spades and a small heart.

Any time West would ruff, dummy would over-ruff. Thus Mr. Becker made five odd.

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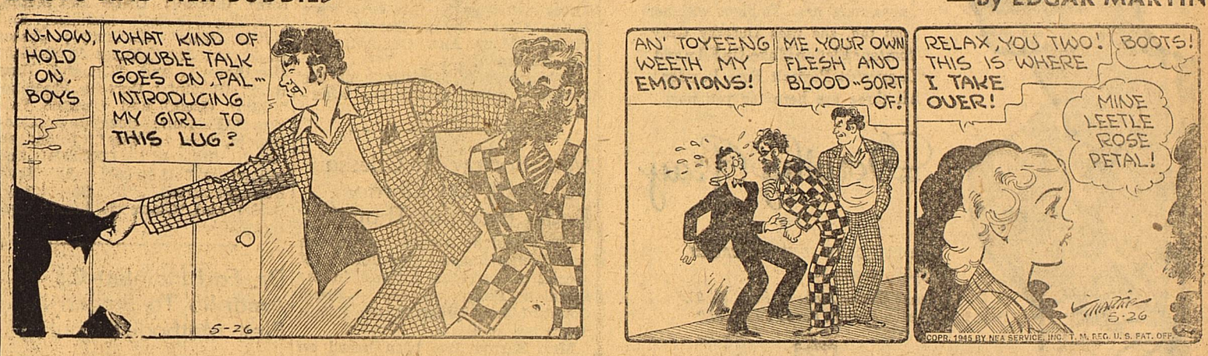
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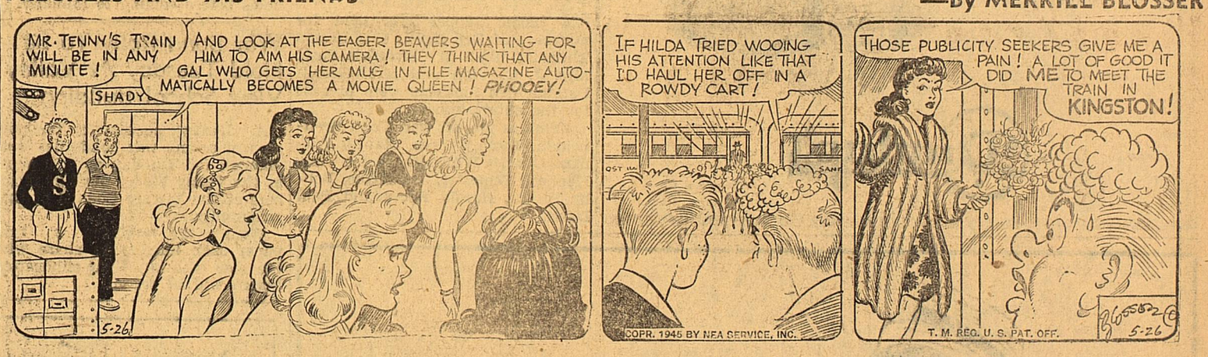


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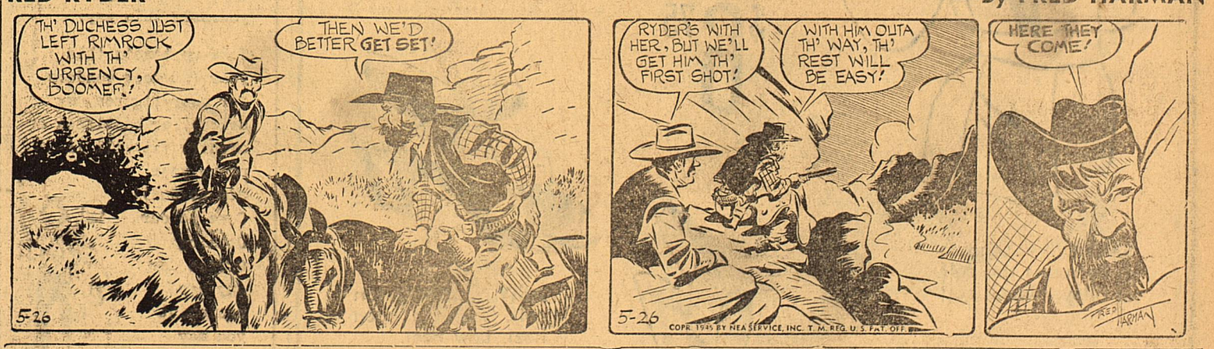
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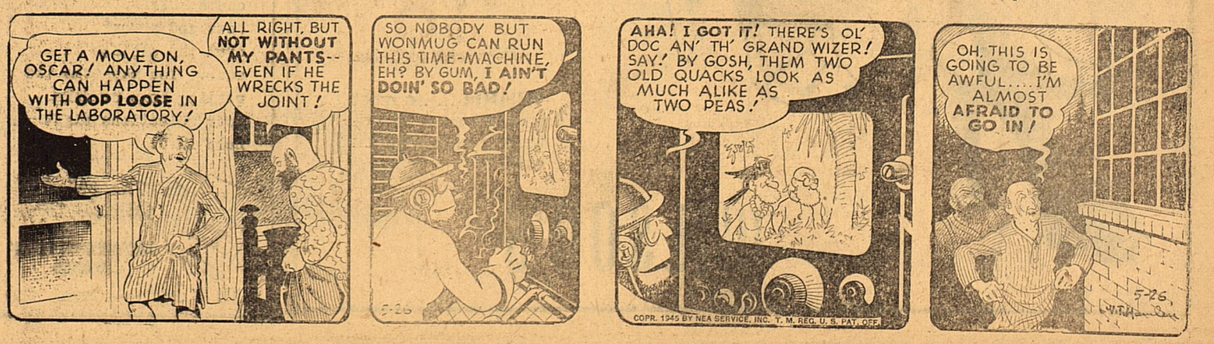
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RED RYDER —By FRED HARMAN



ALLEY OOP —By V. T. HAMLIN



Air Transport Pilots Find Time To Relax In Midland Red Cross Canteen

By JEANIE YOUNT

The pilot relaxed in his chair and stretched his tired legs out in front of him, gazing out the window of the little sunporch of the Red Cross canteen. He sighed.

"Been flying fourteen hours straight," he said. "Sure am tired."

In a matter of moments, a couple of Red Cross workers brought him a cool glass of milk, a sandwich, and placed bowls of boiled eggs, strips of carrots and doughnuts within reach.

"You know this sunporch reminds me of the one we have at home," said the pilot, mumbling around a huge bite of sandwich. "Only ours wasn't fixed up as pretty as this one. Gosh, this sure is nice!"

His eyes took in the unique rope decorations, the gaily-painted lanterns used as lights, the bright dishes, and comfortable furniture which gave the whole place a cozy atmosphere.

"Is this the first time you have visited our canteen?" he was asked.

"Like Coming Home"

"First time for this one," he replied. "But they have them so many other places that's it's just like coming home. Let me tell you, the boys in the Air Transport Command couldn't get along without these canteens."

"Don't they have post exchanges everywhere?" he was asked.

The pilot groaned. "They're about a mile from the hangar line, always. When we come in, we're usually so tired, if the canteen weren't there, we'd just go to bed without eating anything."

The Red Cross canteen at the Midland Municipal Airport has fed hundreds of weary pilots of the Air Transport Command since it has been operating. In the first month's work, more than 3,000 men were served at a cost of less than eight cents a man.

Third Busiest In Texas

The canteen here is the third busiest in Texas at the present time, with El Paso first, and Love Field, Dallas, second. Last Sunday more than 200 men were served. Hot gingerbread was a special feature that day.

The Red Cross volunteer workers who keep the canteen here working are Midland women who devote at least three hours a week to the project. Mrs. P. H. Liberty is chairman of the group, and there are 106 women working under her. Vice chairmen are Mrs. Katherine Yarbrough and Mrs. Essie Stafford.

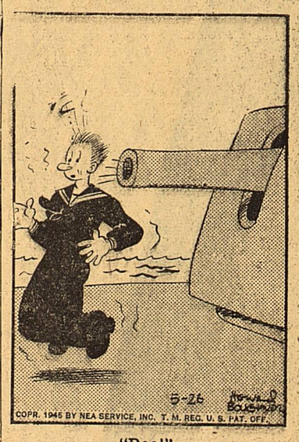
The food is prepared with the utmost care as to freshness and sanitation. Two kinds of sandwiches always are available, as well as iced or hot tea, milk, coffee, hot or cold chocolate and other things the men desire which can be prepared in the immaculate kitchen.

The workers wear the regulation blue cotton uniforms, for the sake of cleanliness and neatness.

RETURNS TO BASE

Pfc. John McCarter plans to return Monday to Sarasota, Florida, where he will be stationed. He has been visiting his parents and friends for the past two weeks.

HOLD EVERYTHING



"Boo!"

Post Office Now Has Sufficient Carriers

The Midland Post Office finally has enough postmen for all of its city carrier routes, N. G. Oates, acting postmaster, announced Saturday.

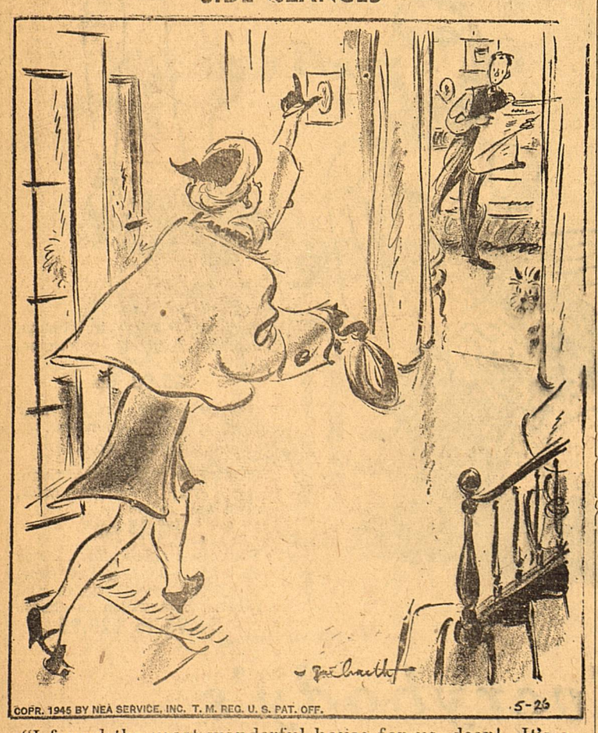
A delivery of mail will be made in the northwest section of the city Sunday, Oates said. While the office was short of carriers, citizens of the northwest part of town received their mail only about twice a week.

Three new carriers were employed last week. They are Lawrence King and James Tabor, high school students, and D. M. Kinsey.

VISITED IN EAST TEXAS

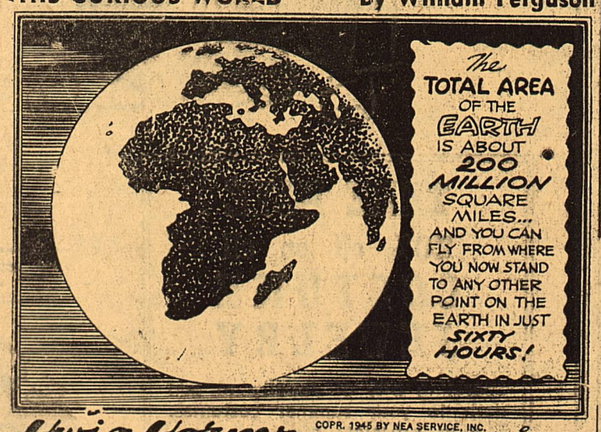
Mrs. L. G. Yarbarough returned to Midland Friday after spending a few weeks in East Texas visiting her mother.

SIDE GLANCES

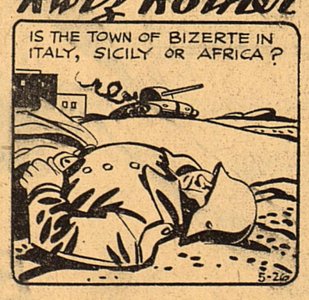


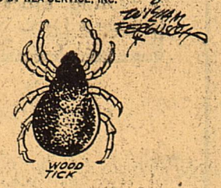
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THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



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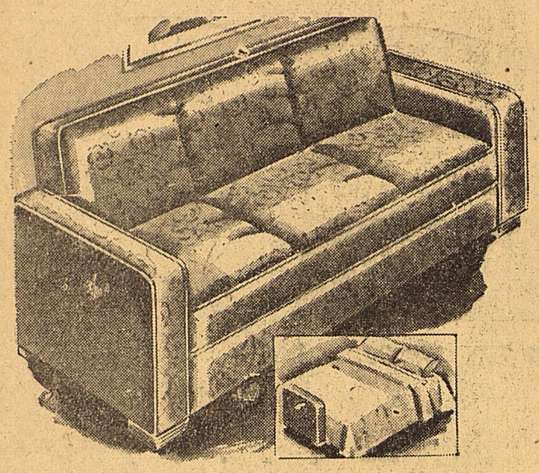
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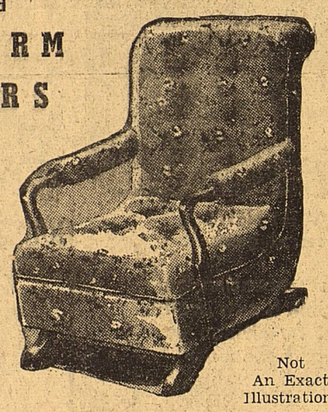
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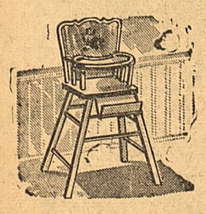
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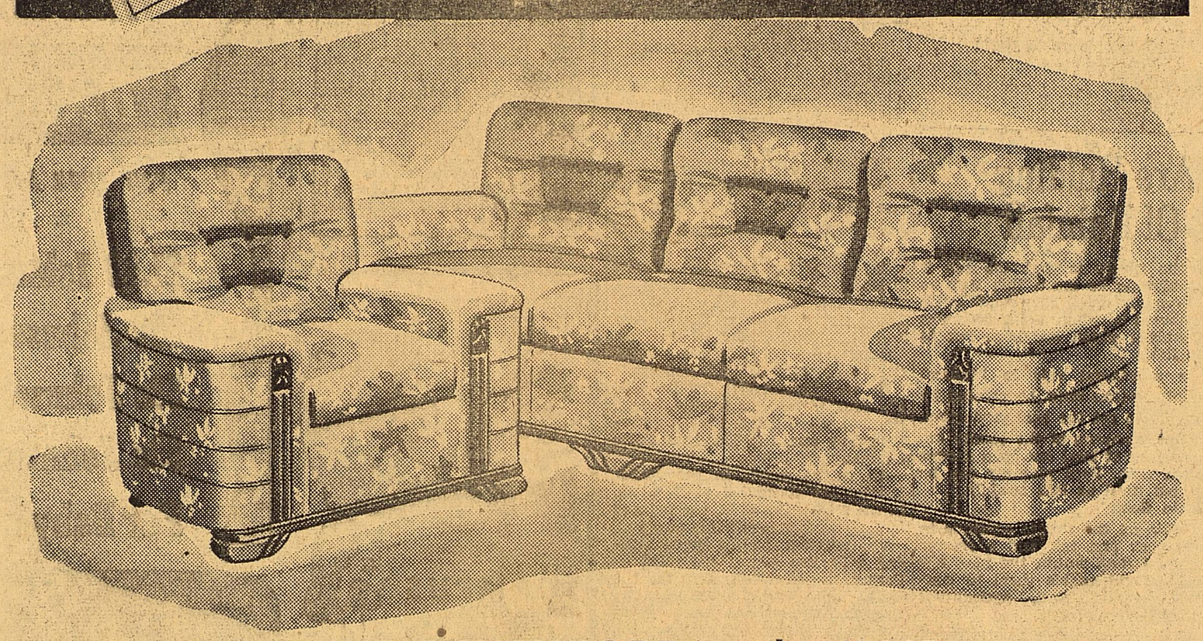
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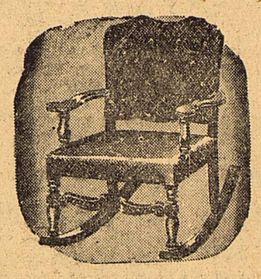
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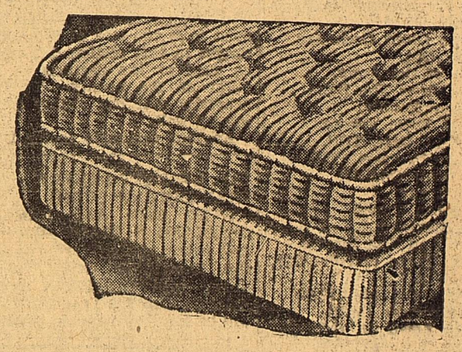
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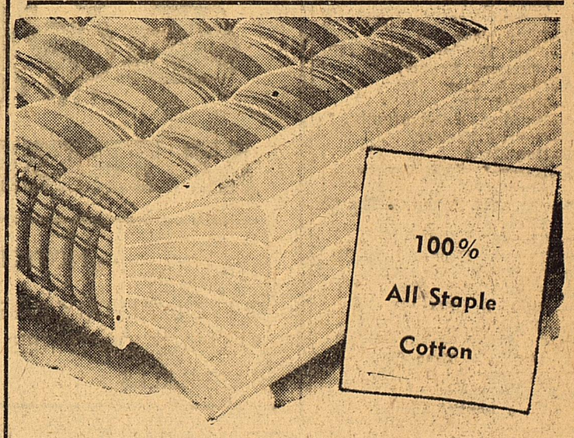
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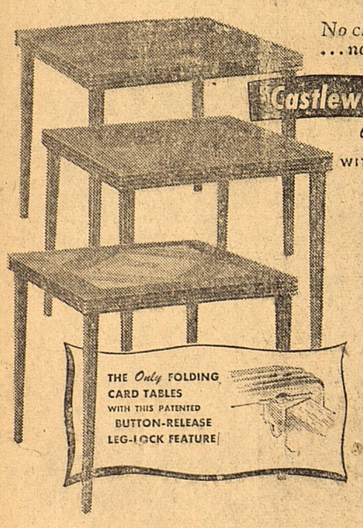
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OBTAIN MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued Friday at the office of County Clerk Susie G. Noble for Thomas E. Wheeler and Barbara Monyeene Emig.

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WEEK OF MAY 28th, 1945.
(Days of the week abbreviated)

Week-Day Schedule

6:45—Pep-Up Period.
7:00—Lewis Feed Store (M,W,F)
7:15—United, Inc. (S)
7:15—Morning Varieties.
7:30—News (Barrow Furniture) (M,W,F) (Midland Tire) (T,Th,S)
7:45—Bread of Life.
8:00—Breakfast Club.
8:15—Church of the Nazarene (S)
9:00—My True Story.
9:15—Mrs. Buyer (S)
9:25—Schedule Preview.
9:30—Land of the Lost (S)
9:30—Tune Time.
9:45—Morning Devotional.
10:00—News (Marshall Furniture) (M,F)
10:00—Henningsen, Inc., Lamesa Talent (S)
10:15—Historical Publishing Co. (T,Th,Sun)
10:15—Songs of Jack Smith (Fred Girdley) (W,F)
10:30—Musical Quiz (Odessa Merchants) (T,F)
10:30—Music.
10:40—Red Cross (M)
10:45—Jobe & Earnest Furniture, Lamesa (S)
10:55—Lanny and Ginger (M,W,F)
11:00—News (Butter-Kist) (T,Th) (Ace of Clubs) (M,W,F)
11:15—Music.
11:30—Christian Science (S)
11:30—Dr. Amos R. Wood.
11:35—Luncheon Appetizers.
11:45—White's "Between The Lines."
12:00—Round-Up (Stanton Merchants)
12:15—News (Dunagan Sales)
12:30—Here's Your Infantry (Lamesa)
12:45—Minimax Roundup (Higginbotham, Lamesa) (M,F)
1:00—Cedric Foster News (Iva's)
1:15—Church of Christ (M,F)
1:30—Johnny Thompson, Songs
1:30—Health Program (W)
1:45—Blue Correspondents
2:00—Morton Downey.
2:15—George Olsen Orchestra.
2:30—Swing Out.
2:45—Voice of the Army.
3:00—Time Views The News.
3:15—Johnson Family.
3:30—Report From Europe.
3:45—Jerry W. Carr, TSN.
4:00—Library Program (Th)
4:00—Afternoon Oddities
4:15—Dick Tracy
4:30—Afternoon Tunes.
4:45—Hop Harrigan.
5:00—Terry And The Pirates.
5:15—News (Texas and Pacific)
5:30—Tom Mix.
5:45—Masters Old and New (Everybody's) (M,F)
6:00—Fulton Lewis Jr. (Murry-Young Motors Ltd.)
6:15—Dr. Watt (Odessa) (MWF)
6:30—Sportscast (Odessa Bank & Office Supply)
6:45—Swingtime.
7:00—Sinclair Headliners (T,Th,S)
7:00—Baptist (Colored) (W)
7:15—News (Banner Creamery)
7:15—Calvary Baptist Church (S)
7:30—Blind Date (M)
7:30—Civic Theater Players (T) (Conners Bakery)
7:30—Classic Time (W)
7:45—United, Inc. (W)
7:30—Freedom Of Opportunity (F)
8:00—Gabriel Heatter.
8:15—Danceland
8:15—Harris-Luckett Variety Show (W)
8:30—American Forum Of The Air (T)
8:30—The Cisco Kid (W)
8:30—Treasury Hour Of Song (Th)
9:00—Guy Lombardo (M)
9:00—Fred Waring (Th)
9:00—Midland USO (S)
9:30—One Man's Family (T)
9:30—On Stage Everybody (W)
9:30—March Of Time (Th)
9:30—Assembly of God (S)
10:00—Radio Newsreel.
10:15—First Baptist Church.
10:30—7-Up Program (W)
10:30—SIGN OFF.

Sunday Schedule

7:30—Coffee Concerts.
8:00—Correspondents Around World.
8:15—Holiness Mission.
8:30—Musical Varieties.
8:45—South Side Church of Christ
9:00—Assembly of God.
9:30—Southernaires.
10:00—AAF Symphony Flight.
10:15—Historical Publishing Co.
10:30—TSN News.
10:45—Hawaiian Music.
11:00—First Baptist Church.
12:00—Luncheon Serenade.
12:15—Masters Old and New (Everybody's)
12:30—News (Jo Ann Shop and Everybody's)
12:45—Hit Parade (Jo Ann Shop)
1:00—Lutheran Hour.
1:30—Musical Varieties.
1:45—Church of Christ (Colored)
2:00—Music.
2:15—Abilene Christian College.
2:30—Baptist Church.
3:00—Rix Funeral Home, Odessa
3:15—Music.
3:30—Andrews Sisters.
4:00—Chesapeake & Ohio R. R.
4:45—USO Club (Monahans)
5:00—Radio Hall of Fame.
6:00—Diamond Drama (Iva's)
6:15—Music.
6:30—Here's To Music.
7:00—News (Texas Electric)
7:15—Health In Action (Dr. Schlichting).
7:30—First National Bank (Midland).
7:45—Gabriel Heatter.
8:00—Walter Winchell.
8:15—Church of Christ (Odessa)
9:15—Evening Reveries.
9:30—Old Fashioned Revival Hour
10:30—SIGN OFF.

Softball Games Schedule Completed For Summer Months

Date	Junior League 7 P. M.	Girls' League 8 P. M.	Commercial League 9 P. M.
June 4	Troop 85 vs Troop 153	Giants vs Cardinals	Banner vs Dunagan
June 5	Troop 151 vs Troop 54	Yankees vs Dodgers	Harris-Luckett vs Rep.-Telegram
June 7	Open	Open	Open
June 8	Open	Open	Open
June 11	Troop 51 vs Pirates	Cardinals vs Yankees	Dunagan vs Harris-Luckett
June 12	Troop 85 vs Troop 151	Giants vs Dodgers	Banner vs Reporter-Telegram
June 14	Troop 54 vs Pirates		Banner vs Harris-Luckett
June 15	Troop 153 vs Troop 51	Giants vs Yankees	Dunagan vs Reporter-Telegram
June 18	Troop 85 vs Troop 54	Cardinals vs Dodgers	Banner vs Dunagan
June 19	Troop 151 vs Troop 51	Giants vs Cardinals	Harris-Luckett vs Rep.-Telegram
June 21	Troop 153 vs Pirates		Dunagan vs Harris-Luckett
June 22	Troop 54 vs Troop 51	Yankees vs Dodgers	Banner vs Reporter-Telegram
June 25	Troop 151 vs Pirates	Cardinals vs Yankees	Banner vs Harris-Luckett
June 26	Troop 153 vs Troop 54	Giants vs Dodgers	Dunagan vs Reporter-Telegram
June 28	Troop 85 vs Troop 51		JayCees vs Banner and Dunagan (All Stars)
			End First Half
June 29	Troop 151 vs Troop 153	Giants vs Yankees	Open
July 2	Troop 85 vs Pirates	Cardinals vs Dodgers	Banner and Rep.-Telegram vs. Dunagan and Harris-Luckett (All-Stars)
	End First Half	**End First Half**	
July 3	Troop 85 vs Troop 153	Giants vs Cardinals	Open
July 5	Troop 151 vs Troop 54	Yankees vs Dodgers	JayCees vs Harris-Luckett and Reporter-Telegram (All-Stars)
July 6	Troop 51 vs Pirates	Cardinals vs Yankees	Open
			Start Second Half
July 9	Troop 85 vs Troop 151	Giants vs Dodgers	Banner vs Dunagan
July 10	Troop 54 vs Pirates	Giants vs Yankees	Harris-Luckett vs Rep.-Telegram
July 12	Troop 153 vs Troop 51		Dunagan vs Harris-Luckett
July 13	Troop 85 vs Troop 54	Cardinals vs Dodgers	Banner vs Reporter-Telegram
July 16	Troop 151 vs Troop 51	Giants vs Cardinals	Banner vs Harris-Luckett
July 17	Troop 153 vs Pirates	Yankees vs Dodgers	Dunagan vs Reporter-Telegram
July 19	Troop 54 vs Troop 51		Banner vs Dunagan
July 20	Troop 151 vs Pirates	Cardinals vs Yankees	Harris-Luckett vs Rep.-Telegram
July 23	Troop 153 vs Troop 54	Giants vs Dodgers	Dunagan vs Harris-Luckett
July 24	Troop 85 vs Troop 51	Giants vs Yankees	Banner vs Reporter-Telegram
July 26	Troop 151 vs Troop 153		Banner vs Harris-Luckett
July 27	Troop 85 vs Pirates	Cardinals vs Dodgers	Dunagan vs Reporter-Telegram
July 30	Playoff	Playoff	Open
July 31	Open	Playoff	Playoff
Aug. 2	Playoff	Open	Playoff
Aug. 3	Playoff	Playoff	Playoff

Midland's summer recreation program softball schedule has been completed by Gene McCollum, director, and was announced Saturday.

Six teams are entered in the Junior League. They are Troop 85, Troop 151, Troop 153, Troop 54, Troop 51 of Midland Boy Scouts and the Pirates. In the Girls' League are four teams—Giants, Cardinals, Yankees and Dodgers.

In the Commercial League also are four teams, Banner Creamery, Harris-Luckett Store, The Reporter-Telegram and the Dunagan Sales Company.

All league games in the Junior League are scheduled at 7 p. m., in the Girls' League at 8 p. m., and in the Commercial League at 9 p.m.

The practice shedule opens Monday with two games scheduled — Banner vs Harris-Luckett on the South Main Street diamond; and Dunagan vs Reporter-Telegram at the high school. Tuesday, the Giants will meet the Cardinals on South Main and the Yankees will play the Dodgers at the high school. Thursday, Troop 85 and Troop 151 will clash on South Main and Troop 153 will meet Troop 54 at the high school.

Friday, Troop 51 will meet the Pirates on South Main. The practice games will start at 7:30 p. m. as lights will not be available until the start of the regular schedule June 4.

All girls, 9 to 14 years of age, who are interested in the recreation program, will meet with Miss Marjory Stewart at the high school gymnasium at 10 a. m. June 4.

All boys 9 to 12 years of age who are interested in playing softball will meet Bill Martin, Scout executive, at the Boy Scout Hall at 4 p. m. Monday.

John Law, one of the greatest gamblers of all time, invented the poker chip.

Farms And Ranges Are Holding Up Well Under Lack Of Rainfall

By JOHN H. FLEMISTER

Despite the lack of rain, soil and range conditions of the county are in a fairly satisfactory condition, a survey made by the AAA indicates.

Planting is not yet general in the county, but in the southeastern section cotton and maize has been planted and is up. Where sudan has been planted it is looking good and is up about six inches. Agricultural authorities making the survey attributed this favorable condition to the amount of rain which fell during the winter months which gave farms and ranges a good subsoil moisture.

Northeastern Section

The northeastern section of the county apparently is suffering the most from the lack of rainfall. The ranges in this section did not look as good as the pastures in other parts of the county. The grass generally over the county is holding up well.

Another favorable factor learned in the survey is that the soil is not blowing as much this year as it normally does. This condition is attributed largely to the 20,000 acres of stubble which has been left in the fields.

As a general rule in Midland County, cotton must be planted by June 10 to get the best production. Cotton producers of the county are hoping for at least one good shower before then. Feed planting can be delayed until as late as July.

Cattle Good

Cattle on the ranges continue to look sleek and fat, and a shower or two falling within the next few weeks would enable them to continue looking good, agricultural authorities predicted.

Although present farm and ranch conditions are not as favorable as they could be agricultural authorities recalled conditions now are just about the same as they were this time last year when harvest time found the best feed production in years.

The favorable factors in the farm and ranch picture for the county exist with just two inches of rain since January 1, against a 28 year average of 3.61 inches for the first five months of the year. Only .07 of an inch has fallen this month with the 28 year average for May being 2.12 inches.

CPL. EVERETT OAKLEY WILL RETURN SOON

WITH THE AAF ENGINEER COMMAND IN ITALY—Under current policy of the War Department, Cpl. Everett R. Oakley, a truck driver with the 2079th Engineer Aviation Utilities Detachment soon will be arriving home on furlough.

Three Injured In Two Car Accidents

Three persons received treatment at the hospital early Saturday morning following two automobile accidents.

Willard Sustaric suffered cuts about the head when the truck he was driving struck a culvert a mile east of the city about 3:30 a. m. Hospital attendants said his injuries were not serious.

Joyce Heidleberg and Betty Ward were taken to the hospital after the car in which they were riding turnd over on the highway three miles west of the city. Miss Heidleberg suffered some fractured ribs but was released Saturday morning. Miss Ward was treated for shock and released.

A military policeman took charge of a lieutenant driving the car.

Two New Rules For Overseas Mail Are Received By Oates

Two new regulations affecting mail to men and women in the armed forces have been received by N. G. Oates, acting postmaster, he announced Saturday.

Because of the liberation of prisoners of war in Germany no mail addressed to them will be accepted by postoffices. Mail in transient to them at the time of their liberation will be returned to the senders, Oates said.

The new regulation does not affect mail to prisoners of war in the Far East, Oates explained.

Need Request

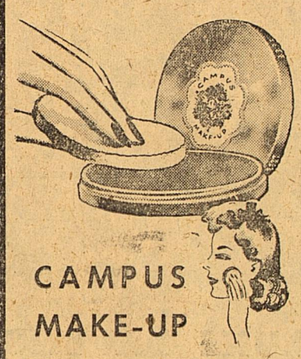
Newspapers and other periodicals cannot be sent to members of the armed forces overseas without a written request from them, according to the second regulation received by Oates.

The new regulation will go into effect July 1. Subscriptions already going can be continued until the expiration date.

The suggestion was made the best way to send news overseas is to clip items of interest and send them letter mail.

Amazing Pep For Men 40, 60 or More

If life apparently has lost its zest, you again may be able to enjoy life as you did in your youth. If added years have slowed down your vim, vitality and youthful pleasures, here is an inexpensive method that may change your whole outlook on life. Just ask your druggist for Casella stimulating tablets (either 48 or 200, the 200 size costs much less per dose). Take as directed on label and feel the thrill of living again. Don't feel old and worn out at 40, 60 or more. Take these tablets regularly until you feel that you have regained the pleasure of living you once enjoyed. Why be discouraged? Why not try Casella tablets and regain the verve and zest of a much younger man? Women too, will find Casella tablets beneficial.



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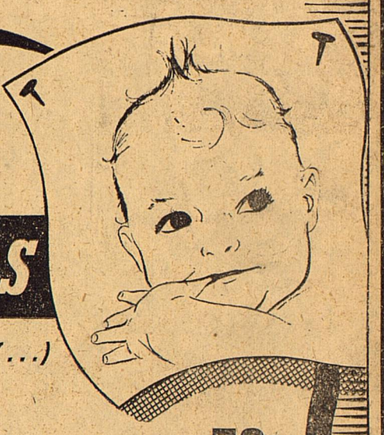
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Daggett & Ramsell's Cleansing Cream, $1 59¢

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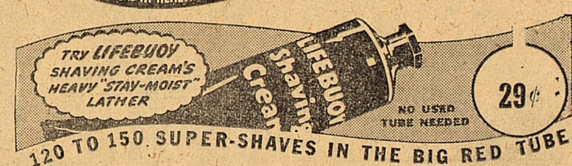
$1.00 Johnson's Baby Oil . . . . . 79¢
50c Johnson's Baby Cream . . . . 39¢
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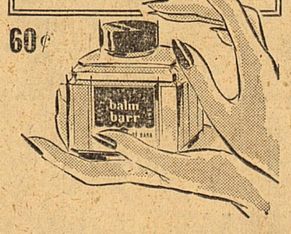


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