

REDS GRAB AUSTRIA INDUSTRIES

Police Testing Gun Of Odessa Murder Suspect

Houston Man Still Maintains Alibi In Ector County Case

ODESSA —(P)—The Department of Public Safety in Austin today was testing a gun and mud found on the shoes and on the car belonging to John L. Nall, 28, charged with murder in the fatal shooting of Glen T. Thornton here Wednesday night.

Thornton, the husband of Nall's former wife, was killed and Mrs. Thornton was beaten unconscious with a flashlight in their home here. They were attacked while asleep.

Nall was arrested the following afternoon in Houston, but said he was in Galveston the night of the shooting in Odessa. He maintained his alibi.

ODESSA—The sheriff's office of Ector County reported Sheriff Hugh Ratliff and Deputy Sheriff G. A. Ragsdale were due back in Odessa late Saturday or early Sunday with John L. Nall. He had made no additional statements to the officers, a deputy said.

ed his alibi Saturday in Austin, where he accompanied Sheriff Hugh Ratliff and Deputy Sheriff G. A. Ragsdale for the tests.

Nall made no resistance in Houston when arrested Thursday by Deputy Sheriffs Bill Wingo and Gilbert Weaver.

Wingo said a .45 caliber automatic pistol was found in Nall's car. It contained one empty and five live bullets. Nall said he had fired the gun once at a bird. He said he missed the bird.

Never Seen Thornton

Nall told Houston officers he had never seen the man who married his divorced wife. He said he had been married eight years before they were divorced. Nall is an electrician. Thornton, a native of Temple, was a mechanic and had been in Odessa several years.

Sheriff Ratliff and Deputy Ragsdale drove to Houston to pick up Nall. Instead of driving back to Odessa, they continued to Austin, taking Nall with them, to make the mud and gun tests.

A cloudburst was reported in Odessa Tuesday.

Nall says he was in Galveston all night Wednesday. He said he slept on the beach.

Nall told Houston officers he had never been in jail before, and had never been accused of any crime.

Sheriff Ratliff, telephoning from Austin, told his office here he "might be delayed for the rest of the day" in Austin.

Food And Rent Prices Advance In Many Areas

NEW YORK —(P)—Housewives in many sections of the country paid more money Saturday for milk, meats, butter and rents as the nation's complicated economy continued its irregular reaction to the end of OPA price controls.

The price of milk, effective Monday, will jump two to three cents a quart in New York, New Jersey and the Philadelphia area. Milk prices were expected to go up in Louisville, Ky., where dairymen claimed they were losing a total of \$10,000 a day.

Butter prices in the New York and Chicago wholesale markets were up 13 to 14 cents a pound, although the Philadelphia, Boston and San Francisco markets were attempting to hold the line at unchanged prices.

The retail price of butter at Louisville was 82 cents a pound, 20 cents over OPA ceilings.

Richmond stores were getting 55 cents a pound for bacon, 41 for smoked sausage, 69 for loin lamb chops, 44 for hot dogs and 55 cents for chicken. In some instances prices were higher.

There were some encouraging signs from the wholesale markets. The New Orleans Stock Yards, Inc., said cattle were pouring into the yards with prices one-fourth to one-half cent below a 18.45-cent ceiling. Plenty of meat at former OPA price levels was predicted there in 10 days.

BIG SPRING PIONEER DIES

BIG SPRING —(P)—Funeral services for James S. Winslow, 63, pioneer resident who died here Friday night, will be held Sunday afternoon. He was a former Howard County official.

Weather

West Texas: Partly cloudy Sunday and Monday.

Jews Fleeing From Bloody Polish Pogrom

Holiday Deaths Reach 330

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Fourth of July holiday deaths rose to 330 Saturday.

Compared with advance predictions, however, the toll of death from violent causes indicated that safety-conscious Americans were keeping their celebration of the long Independence Day weekend on a comparatively safe and sane level.

Safety experts predicted the real test would come Sunday when millions of motorists who left their homes for the holiday period return over the traffic-clogged roads.

A survey showed that since 6 p. m. Wednesday, 157 persons

were killed in traffic deaths, 97 drowned and 76 met death from miscellaneous accidental causes.

New York led the states with 26 violent deaths.

Texas Has 15 Deaths

A 55-year-old farmer, killed near Pampa when a passenger train plowed into his truck, was the 15th person to die in holiday accidents in Texas since 6 p. m. Wednesday.

F. V. Tarr was killed Saturday at Hoover, Texas, when a Santa Fe passenger train dragged his truck for 150 feet down the track.

The fatality list for the long weekend was one of the lowest in years, officials of the Texas

Department of Public Safety reported.

Since the start of Fourth of July celebrations, eight persons have died in traffic accidents, five persons have drowned and one person was killed in a rodeo accident.

One traffic fatality was Dr. D. O. Long, 46, San Augustine, who was killed instantly when the car in which he was riding Friday night struck a bridge near Nacogdoches.

At Galveston, Sidney Le Blanc, merchant seaman from Louisiana, was drowned Thursday afternoon. His death had not been included in previous state totals.

Hoover Warns Of Vast Army Of Criminals

WASHINGTON —(P)—FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover said Saturday the nation "is facing a potential army of 6,000,000 criminals" and an ever increasing wave of lawlessness which is feeding the criminal ranks with a never ending supply of recruits.

"Our homes and our lives," Hoover declared, "are daily threatened by this vast army. Law enforcement today is facing one of its most gigantic tasks."

"The crime increase so far this year is even greater than the 12.4 per cent increase recorded for 1945. And every 20.1 seconds last year a serious crime was committed; every 6.4 minutes someone was raped, feloniously assaulted or slain."

Hoover stressed that the "vast army of criminals" is 10 times greater in number than the number of students in our colleges and universities, "and for every school teacher in America there are more than seven criminals."

He attributed the crime wave to: "A recession of moral fortitude, laxity in parental control, lowered moral standards, social and economic conditions, and abuses and maladministration of the penal system."

He emphasized "laxity in parental control," saying: "A lack of interest in the fundamentals of matrimony, in the proper rearing of children, is a cause for concern and is contributing to delinquency."

Mother Cabrini Will Be Canonized Sunday

VATICAN CITY —(P)—Mother Frances Xavier Cabrini, a gentle nun beloved for her charitable works, will be elevated to sainthood Sunday in ceremonies at St. Peter's Basilica, marking the first canonization of a United States citizen by the Roman Catholic Church.

Among the 40,000 Catholics from all over the world expected to attend the ceremonies will be nuns from the missionary Sisters of the Sacred Heart, the order founded by Mother Cabrini. Her death occurred three days before Christmas, 1917, in Chicago.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

ROME—(AP)—A screaming mob of several hundred Italian youths, inspired to hostile demonstrations against the Allies by a mass meeting protesting decisions of the four-power foreign ministers in Paris, Saturday night attacked several automobiles bearing Allied military personnel and civilians. Although the mob hurled large timbers and stones at passing jeeps and other cars, only a few minor casualties were reported.

TRIESTE, ITALY—(AP)—Between 30 and 40 persons were being held by police Saturday after a brief demonstration at the important shipyard city of Monfalcone, near Trieste. A general strike called last Monday to protest riots in Trieste was still in progress, but about 10 per cent of the industrial workers involved have returned to their jobs.

MINISTERS STILL DEADLOCKED — Ernest Bevin Charges Soviets Are Trying To Back Out On Peace Talks

PARIS —(P)—British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin in a bitter debate Saturday night charged that Russia was trying to back out of her agreement to call a European peace conference July 29, American informants reported, and the big four ministers remained deadlocked for a second day.

Bevin and U. S. Secretary of State James F. Byrnes both told Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov that they could not agree to his proposal that rules of procedure be imposed upon the peace parley by the four-power foreign ministers, they said.

In a 1 1/2 hour session, Bevin asserted that Molotov appeared to be stipulating new conditions to summoning the 21-nation conference after Britain, France and the United States had accepted all the other Soviet conditions.



Ernest Bevin, British Foreign Minister, representative to the conference would accept such dictatorship.

Byrnes insisted that he would not even discuss any projected rules of procedure unless it was understood definitely they were only suggestions which were not binding on the United States or any other delegation.

Democratic Split Threatens To Block Revival Of Controls On Meat Prices

WASHINGTON —(P)—A Democratic split threatened Saturday to block the revival of meat price controls in any OPA renewal bill the Senate may pass next week.

With Republicans massing behind him, Minority Whip Wherry (Neb.), told a reporter he is satisfied at least a dozen Senate Democrats also will support his proposal to cut meat and poultry off the list of controlled products if the Office of Price Administration is revived.

Senator Murdock (D-Utah), said, however, that if any such action finally is sustained by Congress and the bill is sent to the President in that form, he expects that it will be vetoed.

Murdock, himself a stockman, challenged Wherry's estimate of majority support for the elimination of meat, asserting: "I can't see how any Democrat can go against the President's wishes in such a grave crisis."

Administration lieutenants admitted that an informal nose count indicated they will have to bring back to Washington some of the senators who have gone home to patch up their political fences if they are to have a chance of beating down what they tabbed as a "highly objectionable" amendment.

Man Is Captured After Woman Is Fatally Wounded

SAN ANTONIO —(P)—Breaking into a tear-gas filled room at a downtown hotel Saturday afternoon, police captured a 40-year-old man, after Mrs. Jane Chew, 35, had been fatally wounded by two slugs from a German Luger pistol.

Police were called to the hotel at 4 p. m., following the shooting, but soon sent emergency calls for tear gas and shotgun support when it was learned that the man was barricaded in his room.

After the tear gas was shot into the room through the transom, detectives smashed down the door. The man was found lying on the bed with a pistol in one hand and an electric fan in the other, attempting to blow the tear gas from his face.

Reconstructing the shooting, homicide Detective Charles Barrera said it was apparent that the woman had been shot in the same room although officers found her in the hall when they arrived.

Residents Of Warsaw Flock To Frontiers

Fears Of Further Violence Causing Increased Flights

WARSAW —(AP)—The flight of Jews from Poland was reported Saturday to have increased in the wake of the bloody pogrom at Kielce and many were said to be trying to cross the frontier into Czechoslovakia or stow away on ships in Baltic ports bound for Scandinavian countries.

In Warsaw frightened Jews crowded the corridors of the Hotel Polonia seeking military permits from the American military attaché for transit through Germany en route to France. Others sought visas from Czech authorities which would permit them to leave Poland bound for France, America or Palestine via Czechoslovakia.

Despite the government's efforts to afford protection to the Jews, their fears of additional anti-Jewish violence seemed to have been crystallized by the Kielce pogrom.

The newspaper Rzeczpospolita charged that agents of Gen. Wladyslaw Anders, who commanded the Polish troops fighting in Italy, took advantage of the weariness of the police after Sunday's referendum to start the Kielce pogrom.

Reports of apparently systematic attacks on Jews attributed by the government to Fascist elements and NSZ bands are received every day in the Polish capital.

Top-Secret Film Of Atomic Test Reported Stolen

KWAJALEIN —(P)—Reliable but unconfirmed reports circulated here Saturday that top-secret film taken of the July 1 atom bomb test at Bikini was stolen in New York City while an officer-courier was using a telephone and that the FBI is engaged in an extensive manhunt. All major packages for foreign countries were reported being examined.

There was no official comment at this for Operation Crossroads.

In New York, E. E. Conroy, special agent in charge of the New York office of the FBI, said "no investigation is being made in this case by the FBI."

Concert-Lecture Group Will Meet Wednesday Night

Organization of the Midland Concert and Lecture Association will be completed and officers elected at a meeting of members in the county courtroom at 8 p. m. Wednesday. The association's programs for the fall and winter seasons will be discussed.

More than 320 persons are charter members of the civic arts appreciation group, and additional membership still will be accepted. The total number of members probably will be limited to 450, leaders said. Programs will be restricted only to patrons of the association.

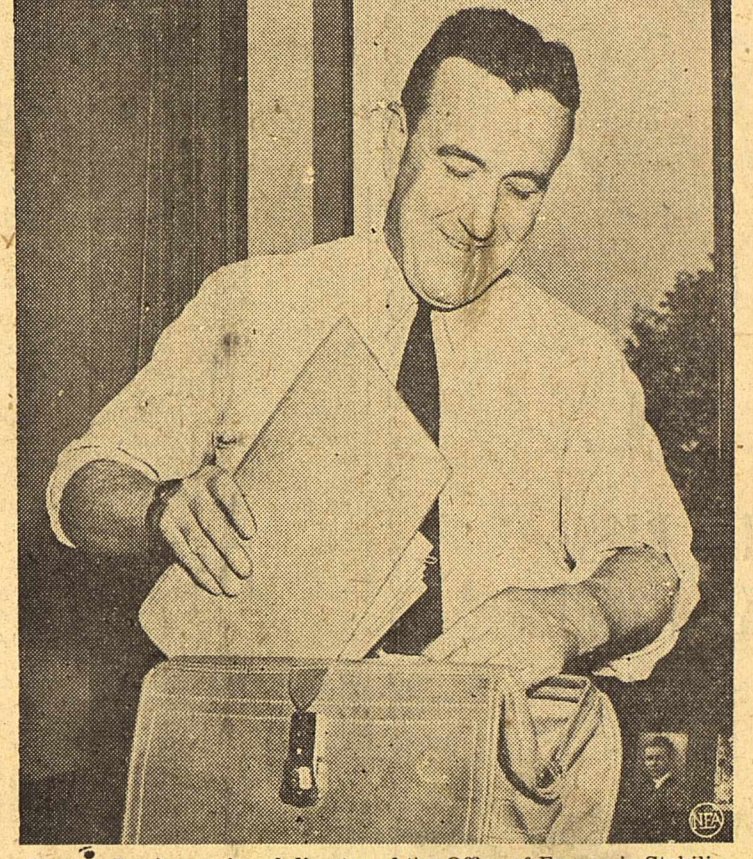
Murderer Escapes From Prison Farm

HOUSTON —(P)—Houston police were alerted late Saturday to be on the lookout for a 43-year-old escapee from the Blue Ridge Prison Farm, near here.

The escapee, Camuto Morales, was serving a 20-year term from El Paso County for murder. He made the break sometime Saturday afternoon.

Prison authorities gave no details as to how he escaped. He is described as being about five feet, five inches tall, weighing 140 pounds, with dark hair, wearing a light blue shirt and dark trousers.

Goodbye to All That



Chester Bowles, resigned director of the Office of Economic Stabilization, clears out his desk as he prepares to depart from the capital. He said that he would continue to fight inflation "as a private citizen and a consumer."

Texas Oil Promoter And Policeman Killed In Swift Exchange Of Gunfire

CENTRALIA, ILL. —(P)—A Texas oil promoter was killed and an elderly policeman was wounded fatally when the Texan's resistance to arrest following an argument with a woman precipitated a swift exchange of close-quarter gunfire in a Centralia hotel Saturday.

The dead policeman's partner, who was wounded in the affray, was in serious condition.

Centralia's chief of police, Orville T. Bouds, gave this version: Policeman William Vaughn, 68, and Delmas Owens, 38, were summoned to the hotel to keep peace between Otis H. Gibson, 49, former Waco, Texas, oil man, and Thelma McGee, the police returned to the lobby from Gibson's room but were called back by the woman who said Gibson had followed her to another room.

Mexican Army Will Guard Polls Sunday

(See Story Sec. 3, Page 5)

MEXICO CITY —(P)—The army of Mexico, rifles and machineguns at hand, will guard the polls Sunday in the federal government's first attempt to guarantee an honest presidential election free from bloodshed and gang violence.

The polls will open at 9 a. m. (CST) and close at 5 p. m. Soldiers will be on duty at 6 a. m. to conduct election officials to the voting places.

In the past, state governments and party gunmen have run elections pretty much to suit themselves.

Vaughn and Owens then took Gibson into custody and a struggle ensued in the dim hotel corridor.

Lived At Waco

Gibson brandished a tiny weapon, later identified as a .22 caliber pistol, and fired. The first shot pierced Vaughn's stomach and the second Owens' lung. Owens then fired two shots point blank into Gibson's chest. One slug pierced his heart. Miss Lola Wright, 31, hotel manager, an eyewitness, said Gibson fired first and that other shots seemed to come at once.

Dr. E. F. Stephens said Owens had a 50-50 chance of survival.

Gibson left Texas several years ago and had been a resident at the hotel. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Waco, his former wife, Betty Gibson, still lives in Waco. A son, Otis Jean Gibson, resides at Berkeley, Calif.

Russians Act Without First Telling Allies

Austrian Cabinet Summons Special Parliament Session

VIENNA —(AP)—The Russians announced Saturday they had taken ownership of a major part of Austria's industrial capacity and other property as German reparations, and the Austrian cabinet summoned a special meeting of parliament.

The Russians acted without informing their allies. Austrian officials declared the Soviets were claiming 75 per cent of the republic's industrial capacity.

The Soviet order took over \$22,000,000 worth of industry in Eastern Austria along with other "German external assets." The Russians insist property taken by the Germans after annexing Austria in 1938 is subject to seizure as German reparations under the Potsdam agreement—a view protested by the United States and by Austria.

Clark Urges Caution

Gen. Mark Clark, American commander in Austria, immediately sent a message to Soviet Commander Col. Gen. L. V. Kurassov urging great care in the carrying out of his order, and one to the Austrian government, declaring it was not necessary to turn over property which was not a German asset.

Chancellor Leopold Figl's cabinet after a special meeting called an extraordinary session of parliament for next Wednesday. A communiqué declared Socialist and Communist members of the government joined with other members in the view that properties which were Austrian before the annexation should still be regarded as Austrian and not as German assets.

For months the Russians have been taking control of properties in Eastern Austria which they classify as German assets. The United States has objected that properties taken forcibly by the Germans should not be classified as German-owned.

The Russians have refused to discuss the question in the Allied council for Austria, but last May 15 agreed they would not seize any more properties without informing the council.

Rangers Asked To Aid In Search For Woman

SHERMAN —(P)—Texas Rangers have been requested to aid in the investigation of the mysterious June 17 disappearance of Mrs. N. O. Kraeger, 80, County Attorney Olan R. Van Zanda said Saturday. Mrs. Kraeger disappeared shortly after drawing about \$8,000 from a local bank.

Testimony That Name Of A. J. May Appeared On Checks Of Munitions Firms Brings Demand For Senate Hearing

WASHINGTON —(P)—Testimony that the name of an A. J. May appeared as endorser on \$18,634.07 in checks and a draft from two Illinois munitions firms brought a demand from Senator Mitchell (D-Wash.) Saturday that Rep. Andrew J. May (D-Ky.) be called before the Senate War Investigating Committee for questioning.

Shortly afterward Rep. May issued a statement asserting that "I did not profit in any way or respect" from war contracts of the firms. He said he already has been over with the committee, in executive session, the ground covered in open hearings this week, and called on Chairman Mead (D-NY) to make public the testimony May said he gave June 4. Witnesses this week have described the congressman as "insistent" in efforts to help the two firms which were part of a war-born 19-unit combine.

May's statement did not go into detail on any particular occurrence involving the munitions combine, nor mention Saturday's testimony in regard to financial transactions. He said he would have more to say later on the floor of the House.

Edward Schaffer of the general accounting office told the Mead committee Saturday that one of the checks, for \$3,156.47 from the Erie Basin Metal Products Company, bore the individual endorsement of A. J. May in addition to the signature on behalf of the Cumberland Lumber Company. It was cashed, he said, at the First

National Bank of Prestonsburg, Ky.

The money under discussion, Schaffer said, was part of \$48,834 advanced by Erie Basin and the Batavia Metal Products Company to the lumber concern which had "Andrew J. May of Prestonsburg, Ky." as agent.

The funds, Schaffer said, were advanced for lumber which, as of last April when he examined the books, had not been delivered. After his examination of the records, the accountant testified, the Cumberland Lumber Company returned \$23,000 to Erie Basin.

Mitchell told the committee that the "integrity of Congress" demands that Rep. May, chairman of the House Military Committee, be called to testify.

Mitchell proposed that "legislative machinery" toward that end be initiated. As a member of Congress, May is immune to subpoena from the committee unless the Senate and House should adopt a resolution approving it.

Neither the Andrew J. May named as agent for the lumber concern nor the A. J. May who cashed a check for \$3,156.47 made out to the company was identified except by his home town—Prestonsburg, Ky., which is the home of Rep. May.

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Houston Leads State In Building Permits

By The Associated Press

Texas cities continued to push their building permit totals up toward new highs this week, with Houston leading the field despite its construction strike tie-up.

That city topped those reporting in permits issued this week with \$244,103. San Antonio came in with a close second of \$229,902.

Meanwhile, a report this week showed \$50,596,000 worth of residential building in the entire state for the month of May, more than 60 per cent of that month's construction totalling \$82,933,000.

Veteran Vocational Plan Discussed Here

Mark Lowery of Waco, representative of the Texas State Board for Vocational Education, conducted an area meeting on the Texas State plan of organization and operation for the county vocational schools in Midland Thursday.

Representatives from Midland, Ector, Howard and Martin County schools attended.

The plans of operation for courses in Agriculture, distributive education, and trades and industry were outlined.

Veterans interested in the educational classes are urged to contact County Agent Vernon Young, third floor of the courthouse.

A game similar to checkers was played by the Egyptians as early as 1800 B. C.

Basin Citizens Observe Holiday Weekend Sanely

Permian Basin citizens observed a safe and sane Fourth of July weekend the same way Saturday night.

A roundup check of Stanton, Kermit, Monahans, Odessa, and Midland Saturday night revealed no trouble or accidents.

Chief of Police Ray Keenan at Monahans said: "No trouble, no accidents."

Sheriff F. E. Summers office of Kermit reported "All quiet with no accidents or disturbances." Odessa, and Midland city police had only the usual runs of Saturday night business.

The outflow of the Amazon River is 1,030,000 cubic feet per second.

It's Just Like Main Street, U. S. A.



Yes, it's a nylon rush, just like you've seen many times, with the poor cog trying to hold back the mob of nose-hungry women. But this one happened in Stockholm, Sweden, when 3000 pairs of nylons (made in the U. S.) went on sale.

University Fight Looming As No. 1 Issue In Texas Gubernatorial Race

By DAVE CHEAVENS
Associated Press Staff

The University of Texas fight and its echoes loomed Saturday as one issue that will be most-discussed in the closing weeks of the 1946 gubernatorial campaign.

The key figure in the controversy, former President Homer P. Rainey, challenged his opponents to join him in denouncing what he called "vicious whispering attacks against the university" in a speech at Austin, and most political oldtimers believed his opponents would make the most of it from now 'till July 27.

Texasans from the Panhandle to the Gulf and from the Red River to the Rio Grande will have an opportunity this week to get an earful of the university controversy and all the other campaign issues. Gubernatorial candidates are still working hard in the small-to-large communities, apparently leav-

ing the big cities for their whirlwind finishes.

Beauford H. Jester will campaign in East, North, West and Central Texas during the week, starting Monday at Jacksonville and winding up at Hillsboro.

Rainey starts at Comanche and climaxes the week at Lubbock. He works westward along the Texas Pacific Railroad and north into the Panhandle.

Jerry Sadler will take his campaign into South Central and Southwest Texas, opening at Navasota Monday and closing Saturday at Pleasanton.

Grover Sellers will again use airplanes to help cover a wide territory. Monday and Tuesday he will be in the Corpus Christi-Lower Valley region, and in Austin for a big rally Tuesday night. He finishes Saturday night at Greenville.

John Lee Smith will work West Texas, starting at Childress Monday, speaking in the Panhandle and Plains communities, and finishing the week at Abilene.

Ben Hogan Leads Top Golfers In Columbus Meet

COLUMBUS, OHIO —(P)— Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., whose pockets already are bulging with almost \$25,000 in 1946 golf winnings, came out in front in the chase for the \$2,500 top money in the Columbus Invitational Open Golf Tournament Saturday.

Little Ben rarely had a bad moment as he fired a four under par 68 for a 36-hole total of 138.

That was only one stroke better, however, than Ray Hill of Akron, Ohio, and Ed (Porky) Oliver of Wilmington, Del., who were tied for second with 139 each in a tightly packed field that had 11 players within four strokes of each other.

Hill had the hottest round of the tournament when he blazed around the Columbus Country Club course in 66, six under par.

Oliver went four under par for a 32 and his outgoing trip but took par 36 coming back for a 68 to go with his first round count of 71.

The 60 low scorers and ties will finish out the final 36 holes of the tournament Sunday and it took 154 to get into the final day's play. There were 62 players with that score or better.

Bums Take 7-2 Win Over Braves

BOSTON —(P)— With their Hank Behrman in trouble only once the Brooklyn Dodgers gave the Boston Braves their 10th drubbing in 12 starts by a 7-2 margin Saturday night before a 33,063 crowd. The National League leaders clinched matters by pounding Johnny Niggeling's butterfly offerings for three runs in the third inning.

The score: R H E
Brooklyn 103 000 102-7 15 0
Boston 000 000 200-2 9 0
Behrman, Herring and Edwards; Niggeling, Johnson, Barrett and Masi.

Texas Temperatures To Be High Sunday

By The Associated Press
Texas temperatures remained high in the 90s Saturday with three points reporting the mercury at 100 or more degrees. No temperature relief was in sight for Sunday.

Fort Worth, with 97 degrees, set a record for the season, while Dallas, with 98, equaled this season's temperature record.

Other maximum temperatures included:
Abilene 96, Austin 95, Big Spring 98, Brownsville 93, El Paso 94, San Antonio 95, Sulphur Springs 98.

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Anti-Allied Riots Flare In Trieste

TRIESTE —(P)— Anti-Allied demonstrations flared in Trieste Saturday night in the wake of the four-power foreign ministers' decision to internationalize the city, and British troops used clubs and tear gas to break up crowds.

Rocks and stones were thrown as hundreds of Italian youths surged back and forth before Unita Plaza where most of the Allied military government offices are located.

At the height of the trouble it was disclosed that AMG officials had issued a summons ordering the appearance before a military court of leaders of a general strike in protest against anti-Yugoslav disorders last weekend. The strike was declared "illegal" Thursday because of its political motive.

Strike leaders, meeting secretly, decided to go on with the stoppage despite any orders that men return to work.

Saturday night's violence caught hundreds of American sailors from the U. S. cruiser Fargo here on shore leave. Their leaves were immediately cancelled.

Worley Confirms Rumors Of Strife In Chinese Ports

SHANGHAI —(P)— Rep. Eugene Worley of Shamrock, Texas, said Saturday that he has "confirmed" rumors that American sailors and GIs have met with violence in Shanghai and other ports in China.

"What the causes are I don't know," Worley said, "but such conditions should not exist."

Worley arrived here Friday with three senators and five other representatives on an undisclosed mission. They had previously witnessed the Bikini atom bomb test and the Manila independence day ceremonies.

The Texas congressman said he had heard rumors of numerous incidents "and since my arrival I've confirmed these rumors," he said.

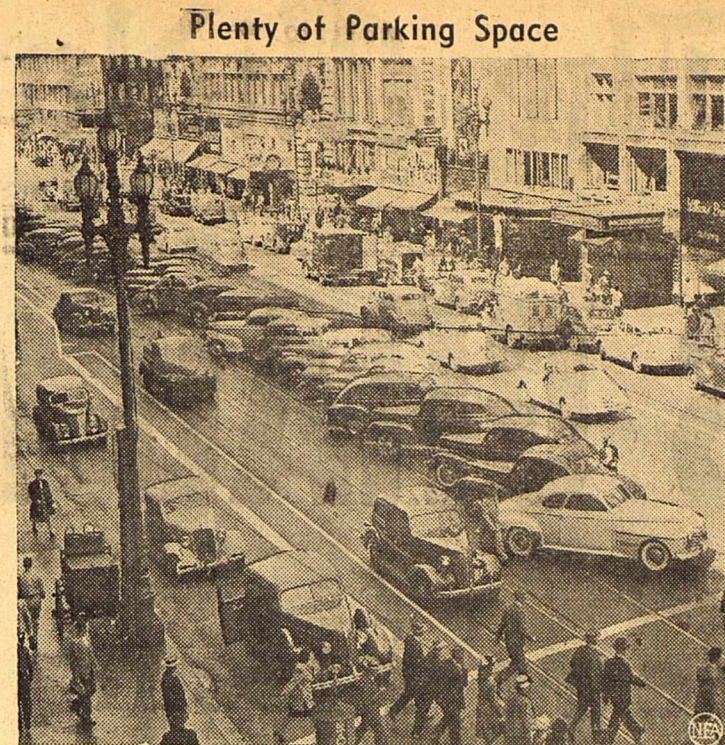
Senator Brewster of Maine, the only other member of the delegation to comment on the subject, said he did not assume that any isolated instances were typical of the general Chinese attitude.

Chisox Defeat Tribe With Conway's Help

CLEVELAND —(P)— An error by Jack Conway helped the Chicago White Sox plate three runs in the fifth inning Saturday night and set the Cleveland Indians down, 3 to 2. The Tribe also benefited by an error to score its first run and Pat Seerey's 13th homer accounted for the other.

The score: R H E
Chicago 000 030 000-3 4 1
Cleveland 000 010 001-2 7 1
Haynes and Tresh; Harder, Lemon and Hayes.

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of Midland in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 29th, 1946. Published in response to call made by comptroller of the currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.	
ASSETS	
Loans and discounts (including \$1,059.57 overdrafts).....	\$ 799,292.73
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,184,042.80
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	89,591.16
Corporate stocks (including \$4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank.....)	4,500.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	3,364,135.94
Bank premises owned, None, furniture and fixtures	11,384.50
TOTAL ASSETS.....	6,452,947.13
LIABILITIES	
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,786,122.42
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	154,387.02
Deposits of States and political subdivisions.....	103,794.64
Deposits of banks.....	61,360.84
Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	153,156.31
TOTAL DEPOSITS.....	\$6,258,822.23
Other liabilities	7,500.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,266,322.23
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
Capital Stock:	
Common stock, total par \$75,000.00.....	75,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided profits	36,625.90
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....	186,625.90
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS.....	6,452,947.13
MEMORANDA	
Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):	
(a) United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities.....	400,000.00
TOTAL	400,000.00
Secured liabilities:	
(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law.....	258,181.66
TOTAL	258,181.66
State of Texas, County of Midland, ss:	
I, E. J. Wicker, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
E. J. WICKER, Cashier.	
Correct—Attest: R. M. Barron, J. R. Martin, Roy Parks, Directors.	
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 2nd day of July, 1946.	
(Seal) B. BOONE, Notary Public.	



San Francisco's famous four-tracked Market Street, normally swarming with traffic, became a giant parking lot when street car men went on strike. The city's workers, forced to drive in to work, solved their parking problem by leaving their cars in the middle of Market Street.

Cardinals Trample Pittsburgh, 12 To 4

ST. LOUIS —(P)— The St. Louis Cardinals spotted the Pittsburgh Pirates three runs Saturday night before staging a six-run third-inning comeback which contributed to a 12 to 4 victory over the last place Bucs.

The score: R H E
Pittsburgh 201 010 000-4 10 2
St. Louis 006 010 23x-12 13 0
Gables, Bahr and Lopez; Dickson, Wilks and Garagiola.

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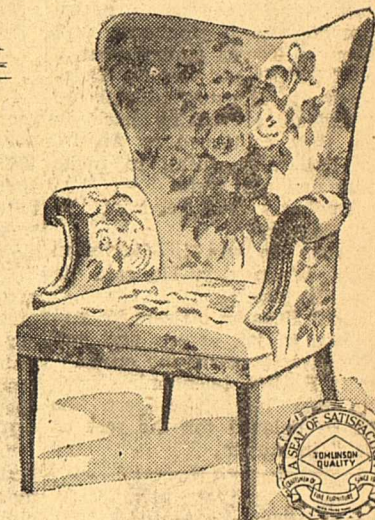
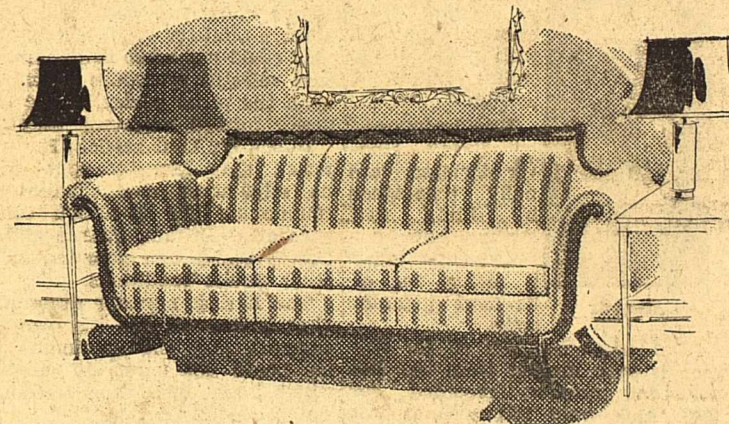
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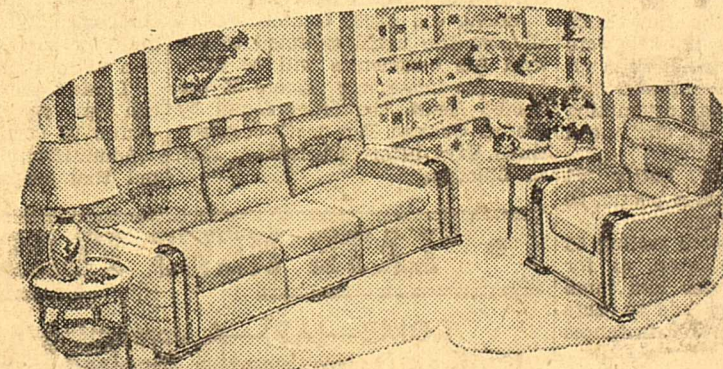
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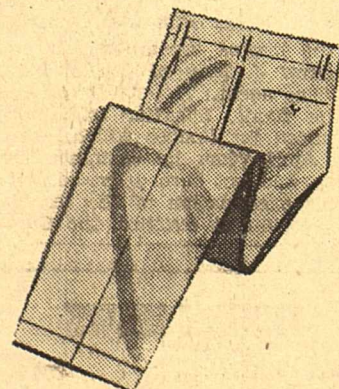


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Interesting Things Popping This Week In League Circles

For all the fireworks in the Midland JayCee city league last week, all was quiet come the weekend and Barney Grafa Park diamond on South Main Street was ready for another beating this week.

Two outstanding games were played last week. The Oil Scouts 3 to 2 took a thrilling win over the JayCees in league play and the JayCees triumphed 2-1 over the Reporter-Telegram in a big Fourth of July thriller, which was a requested exhibition fracas.

The Mackey Macks started the week beating Elder Chevrolet, 17 to 10, in an all-auto feud. Midland Army Airfield snatched one 20 to 7 from Burl's One-Stop. The Scouts nudged the JayCees 3 to 2 in a league counter. The Reporter got past Texas Electric, 10 to 4. The Scouts notched another by trimming City Bus, 17 to 2. Equitable rolled Burl's, 17 to 6. Elder

Doug Jones And Gilleland Meet In Abilene Tete

ABILENE —(P)— Doug Jones of Abilene and Jimmy Gilleland of Waco will meet Sunday in the 36-hole championship match of the 20th annual Abilene Country Club golf tournament.

Jones eliminated Dr. W. A. Schaaf of Lubbock, 5-4, in the semi-finals. Gilleland, former Abilene caddy, reached the finals by beating Cotton Kilpatrick of Abilene, one-up.

Biggest upset of the day came in the morning quarter-finals when Dr. Schaaf trimmed Don Cherry of Wichita Falls, 3-2. Cherry was the pre-tournament favorite.

In other quarter-final matches, Jones beat Bill Maxwell, Abilene, 5-4; Gilleland stopped Russell Crowner, Stamford, one-up, and Kilpatrick defeated James Dixon, Abilene, one-up in 19 holes.

whipped Mackey in an exhibition to close down the week.

In girl's play, Midland Drug remained undefeated by tapping Durrell Insurance, 8 to 2. Grammer-Murphy upset Crawford Hotel, 24 to 23.

This week's schedule: Monday: MAAF vs. JayCees (the league lead may be affected); Mackey Motors vs. Reporter-Telegram.

Tuesday: Texas Electric bye; Oil Scouts vs. Equitable. Wednesday: Crawford Hotel vs. Midland Drug; Durrell and Grammer-Murphy All-Stars vs. McCamey.

Thursday: MAAF vs. City Bus; Mackey Motors vs. O'Neal's 66.

Friday: Elder Chevrolet vs. Reporter-Telegram; Burl's One-Stop vs. Jay Cees.

The standings:

Team	Won	Lost
Reds	2	0
MAAF	2	0
Equitable	2	1
Oil Scouts	1	1
JayCees	1	1
City Bus	1	1
Burl's	0	2
Blues		
Mackey Motors	2	0
Reporter-Telegram	1	0
Elder	1	1
O'Neal's 66	0	1
Texas Electric	0	2

Equitable Wins From Burl's, 17-6

Equitable Life Insurance kept in the swim of the Red circuit chase of the JayCee city softball league Friday night, cloaking Burl's One-Stop Standard, 17 to 6.

Errors have cost the Equitables several tilts this season but they committed only two Friday night and were sharp on the bases after healthy slugging.

Burl's support of Pitcher Hightower was not good enough.

Hard To Beat



Nels Lundstrum grins happily as he cuddles alongside 52-pound prize in Seattle Star-Ben Paris Salmon Fishing Derby. Fish taken off Hope Island makes Lundstrum top man in Derby, which lasts till late fall.

DOWN SPORTSLANE

TANNER LAINE

We do not quite know this to be true but apt as not the late old Judge Kennesaw (Mountain) Landis, czar of baseball, is turned over in his grave on account of two occurrences this year in big league baseball.



Namely: 1. the courting of talent by Mexico for its league and, 2. an almost strike by a big league club (Pittsburgh).

Baseball is American. It still is the national pastime. How long that will last remains to be seen. Probably until Permian Oil is dipped up from surface tanks.

Softball is a fine offshoot but it could never replace the hard ball. America will always be the land of baseball plenty despite the siren call of Mexico with sugar on grapefruit for breakfast for high-salaried baseballmen.

Japan tried baseball one time. Liked it good. If they just stuck to it instead of—well instead of.

France now is beating the drums for baseball. Germany someday will have it. And that will be a lot better for those husky blond youngsters we saw over there than "playing soldier."

England has cricket and that's a heck of a game. They need baseball, but what are you going to do with a country that calls it "rounders"?

—SL—
Snipe Conley, the almost dean of baseball in Texas, is visiting in Midland. The Sniper is remembered for his great Texas Oilers teams of West Texas and his tour with the Dallas Steers (now Rebels). Snipe and Dan Hudson were loafing around the Scharbauer lobby Saturday. Dan and Snipe married sisters. Glad to see you in Midland, Snipe.

—SL—
For good fishing you don't have to go any further than Blaylock's Lake near Midland. If the trio of John Spurgers, Jay Edwards and Red Petty catch anything on this weekend's trip, well folks, anybody can.

—SL—
Speaking of fishing, Felix Stonehocker was telling Tommy Thomas about a recent trip to New Mexico and almost knocked down five parking meters with the usual meek remarks. Tommy had heard of some place in old Mexico where it takes a block and tackle to pull 'em out and adding machine to count 'em. Now Felix is hot and bothered to go again.

—SL—
Many golf course for Midland? The subject was brought up twice this week by Midland boys, who like to play and haven't got a place. One said he was willing to plunk in \$100 and another said he was, too. First worry would be the land for a course. Upkeep is high but IT COULD BE DONE.

—SL—
ROUNDING UP THE STRAYS
... This McCoy boy that Midland is after for Junior High coaching is a real find. ... That ex-SMUer is an experienced work holder as well as grid tutor. ... He's in YMCA at Dallas now. ... Look for organization of an officials' association in Midland right soon. ... What's the poop? Bill Martin, Pat Kneiff, Jim Maedgen, and Mike Brumbe-low. ... It's good splashing in the Country Club pool these days. ... Bill Barker, Midland golfer, played the Abilene tourney near the weekend. ... Breathe easier, boys, the Oil Scouts have not completed the deal for Jackie Neel, the wizard softball pitcher. ... Credit the Scouts with one of the best outfields in softballdom. ... Burns McKinney, Donkey Roberts and Jimmy Walker. ... All tall, all fast, all rangy and good shaggers. ... Who's the fastest on the bases, the McKnights of Reporter or Donkey and Burns? ... You answer that. ... Got all the strays in the dug-out for today.

COLTS PLAY SUNDAY
Midland's Latin-American Colts, baseballers, will play a Martin County team from north of Stanton here Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

SPORTS

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, JULY 7, 1946-3

Texas 18-Year-Olds Try Out Monday For World All-Star Team

FORT WORTH —(P)— Eighteen-year-old baseball stars from almost every section of Texas started arriving here Saturday to try out for the all-expense trip to Brooklyn.

Tryouts will be held at La Grava Field July 8-9 under the direction of Fort Worth Manager Ray Hayworth, several of his players and Brooklyn Scout Wid Matthews.

The boy selected will leave Fort Worth July 27, arriving in Brooklyn several days later and joining the World All-Stars for several days of practice prior to opening a series in Ebbetts Field August 7 against the Brooklyn Eagle All-Stars.

Any boy who won't reach his 19th birthday until after August 5, 1946; who is a graduate of high school and who is not engaged in a league ball this summer may compete for the trip by reporting to La Grava Field here Monday at 9:30 a. m.

Girl All-Stars To Play McCamey

The Grammer-Murphy and Durrell Insurance teams will furnish players for a Midland, all-star nine to play McCamey here at 9 p. m. Wednesday on Barney Grafa Park diamond.

The all-star lineup includes Robinson, catcher; Simmons, pitcher; Armstead, first base; Angel, second base; Ware, shortstop; Jones, third base; Baety, right field; Kennedy, center field; Dale, left field; Bryson, Fletcher, Patterson, utility.

The Midland Drug and Crawford Hotel teams recently combined players for all-star games against Stanton and other cities.

Mel Eppley Takes Mayflower Stakes

BOSTON —(P)— T. C. Melrose's two-year-old Mel Eppley led all the way while accounting for the \$25,000 added Mayflower Stakes Saturday with a three-quarters of a length victory over S. D. Sidell's Silee.

Silee had a head on McCarthy and Gavegnano's Black Knave, which showed in the eight-horse field as the King Ranch's favored Clean State, a full brother of triple champion Assault, wound up a disappointing sixth.

Elder Nudges Mackey, 7 To 4

Elder Chevrolet Friday night got revenge from Mackey Motors for a 17-10 licking earlier in the week by beating the Macks, 7 to 4, in an exhibition game.

Mackey did not have to bear down because the game did not count in league standing but neither did the win distract from Elder prestige.

Winkler Golf Club Purchases Buildings

KERMIT—Directors of the Winkler County Club have purchased two buildings located on the Pyote bombing range near Fort Stockton, and will move them here for conversion into temporary club buildings. The larger building, 20 by 108 feet, is to be used for the main room, kitchen, ladies lounge and locker room. The smaller, 20 by 60 feet, will be used for the men's locker, pro's shop and lobby.

Excavation of the swimming pool was completed this week end, and work will begin early this week on completion of the pool.

With four-inch pipe laid over the entire nine-hole golf course, with the exception of the ninth hole and the practice green, the water system is to be completed by next week, and the fairways and greens will be seeded.

While poles have been set for power lines, some delay in getting the line strung has slowed work on some of the club projects.

Christian Assumes Kermit Coaching Job

KERMIT—C. E. Christian, former assistant coach of El Paso School of Mines, has assumed his duties as head coach of Kermit High School.

During this month he is directing the summer recreation program of the school, and is supervising work on the athletic field. The field is being fertilized, leveled and sodded, and will be in good shape by the time fall football training begins.

Homer By DiMaggio Gives Yanks 8-5 Win

PHILADELPHIA —(P)— Joe DiMaggio's 17th home run, coming with two on in the fifth inning, gave the New York Yankees an 8-5 victory over the Philadelphia Athletics Saturday.

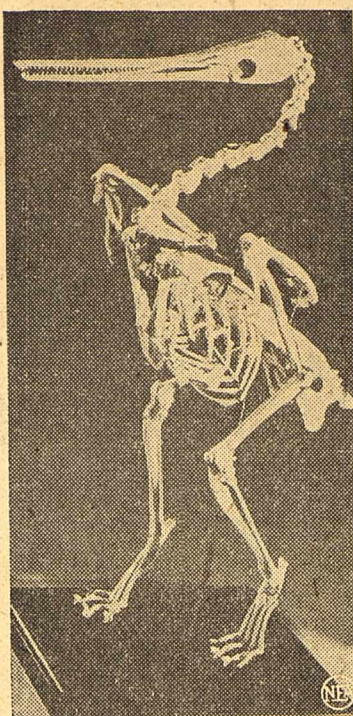
The score: R H E New York 410 030 000-8 11 1 Philadelphia 202 000 010-5 9 0

Marshall, Gumpert and Robinson; Flores, Fagan, Griffith and Rosar.

JayCee Directors Meet
Directors of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet at 7 p. m. Tuesday in the Dunagan Sales office on Missouri Street.

Matters of importance for plans of the new year will be considered. The softball situation will be discussed.

Whatzit?



If you can't identify this "bird" skeleton, don't worry, because anatomy students at William and Mary College, Williamsburg, Va., called it everything from an archeoptery to a flying reptile. The weird "bird," used in a college quiz, was built by osteologists from the hind legs of a cat, wings and neck of a chicken and skull of a fish.

Tulsa Leading In Everything But Standings

DALLAS —(P)— The Tulsa Oilers are leading in club batting, runs, hits, doubles, stolen bases and runs batted in—in fact, about everything it takes to win ball games—yet they're still down on the edge of the first division in the Texas League.

Averages through games of Wednesday showed the Oilers out in front in batting with 275-11 points better than San Antonio and 13 ahead of Fort Worth, the league leader.

Tulsa had pounded out 739 hits, 145 doubles and batted in 336 runs. The Oilers also had scored 379 runs—well ahead of any other club.

Fred Collins of Beaumont was the individual leader with .362 in 138 times at the plate but Henry Schenz of Tulsa was top man among players in more than 200 times at bat with .349 on 249 trips.

The pitching leader was Fort Worth's Eddie Chandler with 12 wins against one loss but the heaviest winner was Hank Oana of Dallas with 13. He had dropped six decisions, however.

West Texas League Plans All-Star Tilt

LUBBOCK —(P)— The West Texas-New Mexico League all-star game, with the managers selecting the players and the players picking the managers, will be played here the night of July 26, President Milton Price announced Saturday.

Fifteen players will be selected from the northern bracket of Albuquerque, Clovis, Pampa and Borger against a similar squad from the southern division of Amarillo, Lubbock, Lamesa and Abilene.

Fort Worth Defeats Dallas Rebels, 4-1

FORT WORTH —(P)— The Fort Worth Cats defeated the Dallas Rebels, 4-1, here Saturday to square the series at two-all.

The score: R H E Dallas 010 000 000-1 2 0 Fort Worth 040 000 00x-4 5 1

Hogue, Perry and Riebe; Van Cuyk and Long.



By The Associated Press SATURDAY'S RESULTS

American League
New York 8, Philadelphia 5.
Washington 4, Boston 0.
Detroit 5, St. Louis 1.
Chicago 3, Cleveland 2.
National League
New York 7, Philadelphia 6.
Chicago 2-1, Cincinnati 0-0 (first game 12 innings).
Brooklyn 7, Boston 2.
St. Louis 12, Pittsburgh 4.
Texas League
Fort Worth 4, Dallas 1.
Houston at Beaumont, p.p.d. rain.
West Texas-New Mexico League
Lamesa 9, Amarillo 6.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American League	W	L	Pct.
Boston	52	23	.693
New York	46	30	.605
Detroit	41	32	.562
Washington	37	34	.521
St. Louis	34	40	.459
Cleveland	34	41	.453
Chicago	28	43	.394
Philadelphia	21	50	.296
National League	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	47	25	.653
St. Louis	41	31	.569
Chicago	39	32	.549
Cincinnati	3	36	.478
Boston	33	39	.458
Philadelphia	30	37	.448
New York	31	41	.431
Pittsburgh	29	42	.408

Cubs Take Pair From Cincinnati

CHICAGO —(P)— The Chicago Cubs took a double-header from the Cincinnati Reds with two shutouts Saturday, winning the first, 2-0, in 12 innings, and the second, 1-0. Frank Secory's pinch two run homer decided the first game with two out in the twelfth inning before a paid turnout of 38,217 persons.

First game: R H E Cincinnati 000 000 000-0 7 0 Chicago 000 000 000-2 11 1

Beggs and Lamanno; Schmitz, Secory and McCullough.
Second game: R H E Cincinnati 000 000 000-0 8 1 Chicago 000 100 00x-1 5 0

Gumbert and Mueller; Wyse and Scheffing.

Giants Beat Phillies With Flurry Of Homers

NEW YORK —(P)— Shooting four home runs into the helpful Polo Grounds pavilions, the New York Giants defeated the Philadelphia Phillies, 7-6, Saturday, with relief pitcher Mike Budnick driving in the winning run with his first major league home run.

The score: R H E New York 010 105 00x-7 9 0 Philadelphia 004 200 000-6 9 0 Jurisch, Stancu and Seminick; Joyce, Budnick and Lombardi, Cooper.

Haefner Shuts Out Boston Red Sox 4-0

WASHINGTON —(P)— Mickey Haefner shut out Boston Saturday 4-0 for his second victory over the American League leaders within a week and Washington's first home triumph of the season over the Red Sox.

The score: R H E Boston 000 000 000-0 7 1 Washington 000 200 00x-4 10 0

Harris, Bagby and Partee; Haefner and Evans.

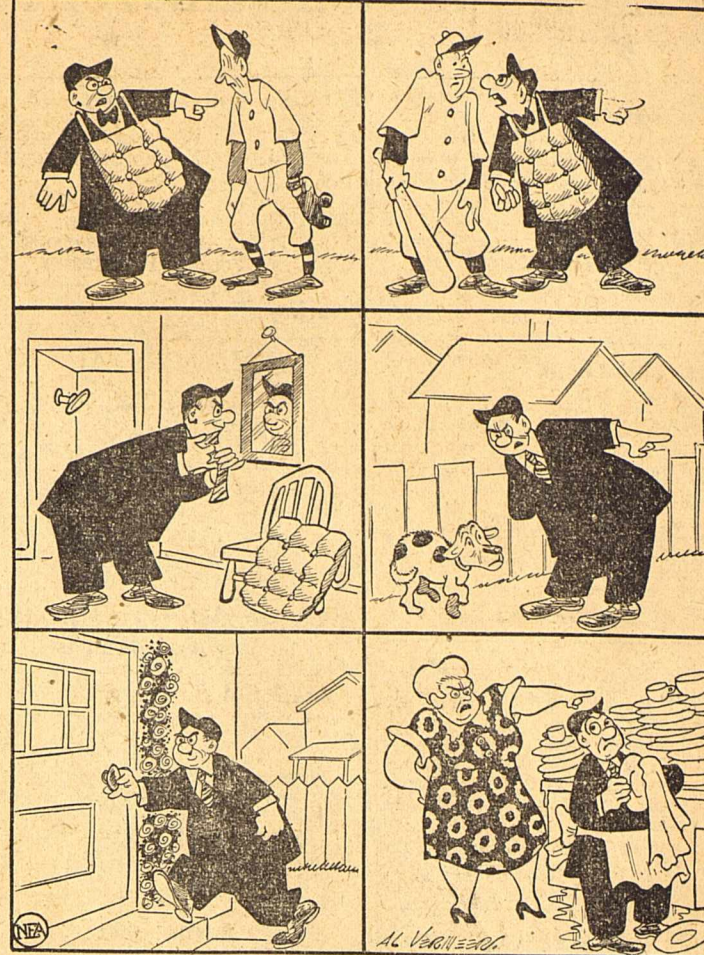
Trout Pitches Tigers To Win Over Browns

DETROIT —(P)— On Paul Dizzy Trout's four-hit pitching the Detroit Tigers defeated the St. Louis Browns 5 to 1 Saturday.

The score: R H E St. Louis 001 000 000-1 4 3 Detroit 010 010 30x-5 6 2

Muncier, Kinder and Helf; Trout and Swift.

Private Life of an Umpire



New Furniture Store Opens Monday Morning

Because of delays in arrival of much of the merchandise, the Greene Furniture Company at 115 East Wall has delayed its formal opening, scheduled for Monday. The store will be open for business Monday, it was announced.

SECOND MARINE DIVISION UNITS HOMEWARD BOUND

PEARL HARBOR —(P)— Units of the Second Marine Division, which fought at Guadalcanal, Tarawa, Saipan, Tinian and Okinawa, arrived Saturday en route to Norfolk, Va.

Aboard the Navy transport Rutland were Maj. Gen. Leroy P. Hunt, the Second's commander, and 1,300 Marines. The Navy transport Olmstead with 700 Marines aboard, sailed from Pearl Harbor Friday.

Vet To Keep O'Daniel Apartment Two Weeks

DALLAS —(P)— Wesley Brient, the ex-GI ordered evicted from his apartment by Landlord Mike O'Daniel, son of Texas' junior senator, will keep his apartment at least until July 20, his attorney said Saturday.

Morris L. Jaffe, retained by the American Veterans Committee to fight Brient's case, said since the veteran's rent is paid until July 20 O'Daniel cannot file suit until that time.

CAPT. GILL TRANSFERRED

Capt. W. A. Gill, assistant adjutant at the Midland Army Air Field, and Mrs. Gill will leave Monday for Greenville, N. C., where he will be assigned to overseas duty.

THE FACTS ABOUT MILK

Effective Monday, July 8, 1946, the price of your milk is going up one cent per quart above the subsidy paid directly to the farmer or milk producer by the government which has been approximately 2 to 3 cents per quart since April, 1943. All of this raise will go directly to the milk producer or farmer. The one cent per quart above what the producer has received as a subsidy is to encourage more milk production in the Midland milk shed.

Banner Creamery or the merchants definitely make no more profit than before. In other words customers will pay through the distributors direct to the producer in place of paying through the government in the form of taxes. The government subsidy expired as of midnight on June 30th, and the producers of milk must be paid as much and a little more than they received before June 30th.

Since subsidies started in April, 1943, the cost of feed has soared to a high level and the cost of labor has increased more than 100% to milk producers and unless the producers receive the full subsidy paid by the government plus one cent per quart (until more feed is available) he cannot stay in business. Your milk dealer will collect this additional amount per quart and it will go directly to the milk producer.

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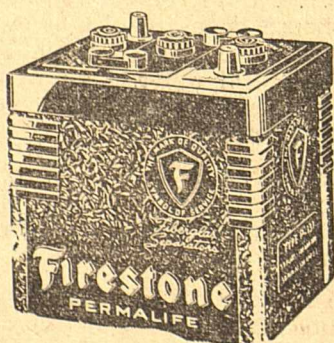
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**Three-Day Food
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A three-day short training course in food sanitation and community health will be conducted at the City-County Auditorium Tuesday through Thursday. M. Graham Smoot, acting director of the City-County Health Unit, will be in charge.

Classes will start promptly at 8:30 a. m. each morning and will be adjourned at 10 a. m.

The course will represent a continuation of Midland Jaycee-sponsored food school held the first week in June. Most of the food handlers of Midland eating and drinking establishments completed the June course and were made eligible for foodhandler's licenses as required by city ordinance. Attendance at the school Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday will enable those who failed to qualify and new workers to obtain permanent licenses.

The course will include basic information on prevention of disease and community health in general. Slides and demonstration material will be used and the films to be shown will include "Eating Out," "Twixt the Cup and the Lip," "Fly Danger," "It's No Picnic," "Keep 'Em Out," "Hashing-in" to Foodhandling, "Know for Sure," and "Practical Production of Grade 'A' Milk."

"Not only foodhandlers, but housewives and others interested in the city's health are urged to take part in this program," Smoot said. "Many outbreaks of foodborne diseases could be prevented if a few basic principles were constantly applied," he said, "and it is our aim to stress these principles by means of discussion, films, slides and demonstration material."

He especially urged persons working in any type of food establishment to be present.

The course is approved by the Texas State Department of health's division of public health education.

**Week's Building Light
But Figure For Year
Is Well Over Million**

Midland had a light week in construction but the figure for the year is pushing over the million and half dollar mark in building permits.

The \$16,875 in permits for last week brought the 1946 mark to \$1,764,495.

Permits issued during the week included:

Midland Land and Development Company, \$4,000, to build a frame residence at 1605 West Washington Street; H. E. Bahr, \$5,000, to build a six-room and bath frame residence, 34 by 38 feet, at 2008 West Kentucky Street; Clyde A. Poole, \$500, to alter a structure at 801 North Main Street; M. G. Blaydes, \$6,000, to build a residence with one-car garage attached, size 24 by 51 feet, asbestos siding, at 2210 Holloway Street; J. A. McKandless, \$200, to move a frame structure from 301 East Washington Street to out-of-town; A. J. Brown, \$325, to build a storage room at rear of 107 South Carrizo Street; and C. E. Lindemuth, \$250, to move a one-room frame, 12 by 14 feet, to 900 South Fort Worth Street.

It is estimated that a pound of honey represents the life work of about 1,000 bees.

Three Producers Being Completed In Eunice Region

HOBBS, N. M.—Three new producers are in process of completion at the end of the week in the Eunice sector of East-Central Lea County. Two of the new wells are from the Tubb zone of the Permian and the third is making its oil from the Holt, Goriella section.

Amerada Petroleum Corporation, 2 Hare, 1980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 3-21S-37E, was at total depth of 6,232 feet, in the Tubb, lower Permian section, and was to complete through perforations in 5 1/2-inch casing, which had been cemented on bottom.

The zone at 6,456-6,535 feet tested for 1,250,000 cubic feet of gas per day, and flowed 51 barrels of oil in two and one-half hours, natural, through the drill pipe.

An Old Shallow Well
The section between 6,535 feet and total depth had other zones which indicated production, and operator expects to make a good producer of the project, which is an old shallow producer drilled deeper.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 2 Marshall, center of southeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 34-21S-37E, and one-half mile west of nearest producer on north side of the Drinkard area, adjacent to Eunice, was flowing to cleanout and complete, from pay section which had been drilled to 6,619 feet, in the lower Permian.

Casing cemented on bottom had been perforated at 6,525-90 feet; at 6,503-15 feet, and at 6,464-93 feet, and those sections had been treated with two injections of acid. In last test reported, the project flowed 182 barrels of oil in five hours, through open two-inch tubing. The oil was cut with a slight acid residue, but that was decreasing as flowing progressed.

From Paddock Pay
Skelly Oil Company, et al, No. 4-B Baker, in section 10-22S-37E, and producing from the Paddock-Glorietta middle Permian, and also in the vicinity of Eunice, was testing over total depth at 5,169 feet.

The casing set on bottom had been perforated at 5,138-48 feet, and that interval had been treated with 1,000 gallons of acid. In a 22-hour test the well flowed 117 barrels of oil, with a seven per cent shakeout of water. The flow was through various sized chokes between 10/64th-inch and 16/64th-inch.

Humble Oil & Refining Company, 1-B Federal-Leonard, deepest oil exploration ever drilled in New Mexico, in the northwest quarter of section 12-26S-37E, in the Dublin area of extreme Southeast Lea County, and one-quarter of a mile north of the lone producer in that field from the Ellenburger, drilled to total depth of 12,535 feet, in that

formation, and failed to find any signs of oil in the horizon. It made considerable salty, sulphur water.

Will Test Upper Sections
The exploration was extremely low on the Ellenburger, as correlated with the deep discovery. Operator is plugging back to around 7,000 feet, to test slight shows of petroleum logged in Permian lime sections above that level.

Mary E. Willis, et al, No. 2 Flint, 990 feet from south and 2,310 feet from west lines of section 29-20S-37E, and in the undeveloped area between the Lynch and the North Lynch fields, in Central Lea County, has been plugged and abandoned on a total depth of 3,363 feet, in lime. It had no shows of oil or gas.

In West Roberts District
In the West Roberts region in West-Central Lea County, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 12-17S-32E, The Texas Company No. 13-O State, drilled to total depth of 4,250 feet in lime, and was to shot the open hole above that point, to try to increase production.

It encountered pay around 4,180 feet, and developed several hundred feet of free oil in the hole natural, at the time it bottomed out. The project will be completed as a producer.

J. C. Watson Drilling Company No. 2 Trimble, 2,010 feet from north and 660 feet from east lines of section 11-17S-32E, and an outcrop to production in the West Roberts field, completed for a daily initial production of 50 barrels natural, from pay at 4,160-4,295 feet.

Repello Oil Company (Singular Prairie) No. 1 Simmons, wildcat in East-Central Lea County, and a short distance east of shallow production in the Penrose-Skelly field, adjacent to Eunice, had progressed below 6,454 feet, in lime, and was going ahead. It may drill on to around 8,000 feet, to explore the Ellenburger.

Lovington Outpost
Skelly Oil Company No. 2 Caylor, in section 6-17S-37E, and a one-location stepout from production in the Lovington field, in Central Lea, had reached total depth of 4,943 feet, in lime, and is being completed as a producer. No tests have been reported. However, it is understood to have tested for commercial quantities of oil.

DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc., No. 1 Lewis, Central Chaves County wildcat, was expected to be abandoned shortly. It encountered an igneous material at about 5,599 feet, and at last report had drilled and cored to about 5,561 feet, and was going ahead with the hope that the section might be a thin streak of the hard rock, which might be drilled through.

At the end of the week very few interested operators had any expectation of that condition developing, and they were expecting abandonment to be ordered shortly.

No Signs of Production
The DeKalb prospector started to dig to around 6,500 feet, to test the lower Permian and the Pennsylvanian, and to possibly go to the Ordovician.

The first two zones were drilled through, with only slight shows of oil having been logged, and the igneous section—generally classed as granite—came in before any of the Ordovician zone had been reached.

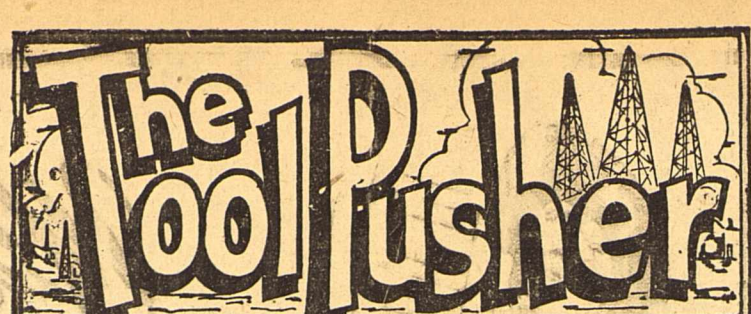
Union Oil Company of California No. 1-A McMillan, South-Central Otero County wildcat, in section 9-25S-13E, was making hole below 4,833 feet in brown lime.

A fishing job at 4,800 feet, which delayed drilling several days, had been cleaned up.

Richfield Oil Corporation No. 1 Doughty-Booth, McKinley County exploration in section 4-15S-6W, in the southeast side of the San Juan Basin, in Northwest New Mexico, had drilled past 5,673 feet in lower Permian sand, and was drilling ahead toward its contract depth of about 7,500 feet.

San Juan Wildcat
Byrd-Frost, Inc., of Dallas, and others, have started their No. 1 Federal-Lee, in San Juan County. It is in the Kutz Canyon area, and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 4-27S-10W.

It is slated to explore to at least 7,000 feet, with rotary. The project spudded a few days ago and was making hole at last report.



By JAMES C. WATSON, Oil Editor

STANOTEX PROMOTES BORYS AND THOMPSON

—Edmund Borys and L. O. (Luke) Thompson of the Standard Oil Company of Texas, have been given promotions and new titles.

—Borys is now superintendent of exploration for the company for the West Texas-New Mexico division, which includes the Edwards Plateau area, along with all of West Texas and New Mexico in the Permian Basin. His department will handle the concern's geological and geophysical work in the division. He formerly carried the title of regional geologist.

—Thompson, who has been an area geologist, is now district geologist of the Midland district of Standard of Texas. His district covers the territory from Mitchell County west through Ward County, Texas, and Lea County, New Mexico, and from the north lines of Lubbock and Hockley Counties, through the north half of Pecos County.

ED HALFAST ILL
Ed W. Halfast, geologist for Phillips Petroleum Company, in the Permian Basin district office is in a Midland hospital with a se-

vere case of bronchial pneumonia. —He had been in a critical condition for several days, but was reported to be showing some improvement Saturday.

OLES AND FAMILY TO RETURN TO MIDLAND
—Paul S. Oles, independent oil operator, and his family, are returning to Midland to live. They moved to Tallahassee, Fla., about two years ago—but retained their home here, and will re-occupy it shortly.

—Paul has been in the lease and royalty play in the southeastern states—but declares he is glad to be getting back to the real oil country.

IRELAND FAMILY NOW IN THEIR HOME HERE
—Dr. H. A. Ireland, who came to Midland several months ago as director of the Standard Oil Company of Texas, geological laboratory, is acting like a different man. The reason for the change is that his family has joined him, and are at home at 1605 West College.

—Ireland says he did not feel natural with his family in Norman, Okla., their former home, and him in West Texas. Before coming to Midland he was an executive in the United States Geological Survey for several years.

MAGNOLIA PIPE LINES HAD JULY 4 BARBECUE
—Officials and employees of the Magnolia Pipe Line Company, and their families, from the West Texas division of the company, which covers the territory from Brownfield on the north to Imperial on the southwest, and from Wink on the west to Jatan on the east, attended a barbecue and party at Cloverdale Park in Midland July 4.

—Approximately 250 persons were present. Meat for the barbecue was furnished by F. D. Breedlove, Midland ranchman, who was formerly superintendent for Magnolia Pipe Line Company in this region.

—The arrangements for the affair were under direction of V. L. Red and F. G. White, superintendents of the two districts of the pipe line company which headquartered here.

—A feature of the party was a ball game between a team from the Seminole station and one representing the Midland terminal district offices. Final score was 3-0 in favor of the Gaines County aggregation.

MRS. HORNBECK RESIGNS FROM JOB WITH SKELLY
—Mrs. Rachel Hornbeck, who has been employed in the Skelly Oil Company's Midland district land department for about nine and one-half years, has resigned effective July 15.

—She says she intends to rest and play golf for a while at least.

—During her service with Skelly she did stenographic work and served as secretary to the district landman.

NEW TEXACO PRODUCT HAS WIDE HEAT RANGE
—The Texas Company has developed a synthetic low temperature grease for use in various parts of aircraft, which does not lose its fundamental lubricating characteristics at any temperature likely to be found on the ground, or at any altitude in aircraft. The product is said to stand up at extremely low temperatures and also to give satisfactory performance for short periods at temperatures as high as 300 degrees Fahrenheit.

HEARING ON BARNHART AND TODD FIELDS SET
—The Railroad Commission of Texas will hold a hearing in Austin on August 21, to determine the highest productive capacity that can be attained without casing preventable waste in the Barnhart field in Reagan County and in the Todd field in Crockett County.

—All operators in both fields have been advised of the hearing and have been asked to confer with each other, prior to the session so data to be presented can be given as a whole for the entire fields, rather than for individual leases. Each operator has been invited to suggest his own recommendations as to the most efficient rate of production for the fields in which he is interested.

FULLERTON HEARING MOVED TO AUGUST 15
—A hearing originally scheduled for July 5 by the Railroad Commission to consider an application of Superior Oil Company for an amendment to some of the fields rules for that reservoir, has been postponed until August 15.

—Reason for the delay was a request from 10 other operators in the field to allow more time to obtain and assemble data for the hearing.

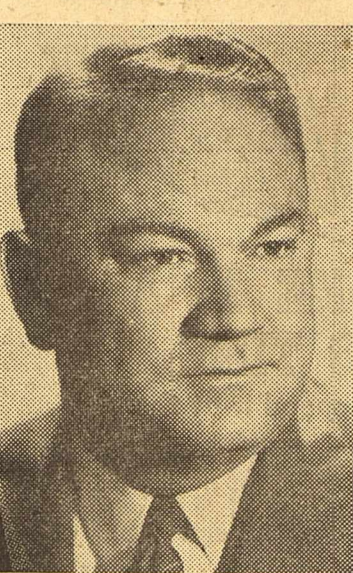
HUMBLE PIPE LINE TO INCREASE CAPACITY
—The Humble Pipe Line Company's 10-inch and 12-inch trunk line from Kemper in Reagan County to Ingleside, on the Gulf of Mexico, near Corpus Christi, will be increased from its present 61,000 barrels per day capacity to about 75,000 barrels per day, some time in 1947, when 84 miles of new 10-inch and 12-inch loops, for which pipe has recently been ordered, are put in service. Some of loops will also be put in the lines between the McCamey station and Kemper.

—The company's double 8-inch carrier from Kemper to Baytown, now carrying about 52,000 barrels of oil per day, is not scheduled for enlargement, at this time.

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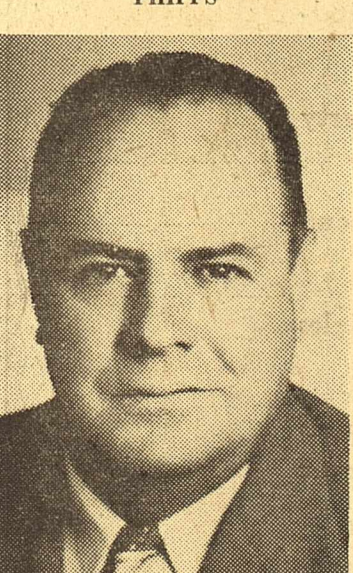
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The five officers of the National Oil Scouts and Landmen's Association, elected at the recent 1946 annual convention of the organization on Jackson, Miss., are shown above.

They are: S. S. (Si) Stinson, of Midland, president. He is supervisor of scouting for Humble Oil & Refining Company for the West Texas-New Mexico Division. He has been in the region for many years and is a veteran of 21 years with his company.

S. N. Jackson, of Shreveport, La., first vice president of the association is scout for Sun Oil Company. He has been with that concern since 1933 and has been handling scouting assignments since 1937.

Henry P. Evans, of Wichita, Kan., second vice president of the NOLS & LMA for 1946-47, is a scout for Skelly Oil Company, and is also currently president of the Kansas Oil Scouts and Landmen's Association.

J. O. Phipps, of Evansville, Ind., the new secretary-treasurer of the association is the Superior Oil Company scout in the Indiana region.

H. J. Roberts, of Houston, editor-in-chief of the association's yearbook, has been with the land, lease and scouting department of the Gulf Oil Corporation for 16 years.

Southeast Ward Area Gets Wildcat To 3,000 Feet; Garza Prospect To Acidize After No Natural Shows

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

Location for a wildcat to 3,000 feet in Southeast Ward County, about eight miles northwest of Grandfalls, has been reported for immediately drilling.

The project will be Roy D. Golsen, of Tyler, and others, No. 1 W. L. Moody estate, and is located 1,980 feet from northeast and southeast lines of section 32, block 34, H&G survey. It is several miles southwest of the closest production in the South Ward field.

Northern Ordnance, Inc., No. 1 Walker, South - Central Garza County wildcat, in section 45, block 6, H&G survey, about 10 miles south of Post, bailed to the bottom at 2,475 feet, and failed to develop any shows of oil or gas production.

Operator was to treat the open hole from 2,410 feet, to total depth, with acid. It was understood that 8,000 gallons would be used.

The project showed considerable porosity and bleeding oil in cores taken before the pipe was run and cemented.

To Test Silurian
J. R. Sharp and R. C. Barnes will try to develop production from the Silurian on the southeast side of the Keystone field in North Winkler County, in their No. 1-DS M. E. Crum, which is to be 660 feet from south and 810 feet from east lines of southeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 7, block B-2, ps1 survey.

Drilling to around 8,300 feet is to start at once. The drillsite is surrounded by wells which have shown signs of production from the Silurian, but drilled on down and completed from the Ellenburger.

Those Ellenburger producers surrounding the new Sharp and Barnes location have also shown production from the Devonian, and in addition, the area makes oil from the Holt-Permian above 5,000 feet.

Should this exploration be completed for commercial production from the Silurian, it will give the territory surrounding it proven oil from four zones below the upper Permian, the original pay section in the Keystone area.

First Dry Hole
The Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-T-31 University, on the south-east side of the "Block 31" field, in East-Central Lea County, had been plugged and abandoned as a dry hole, on total depth of 9,210 feet, in chert, probably lower Devonian.

Operator reported that no shows of oil or gas were encountered. Location is 660 feet from north and east lines of southeast quarter of section 39, block 31, University survey.

This is the first exploration drilled in the area since production was discovered from both the Devonian and from the Ellenburger, which has been completed as a dry hole.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 E. P. Cowden, Southwest Andrews County exploration, on the southeast side of the Dollar Hide field, and in northwest quarter of section 13, block A-55, ps1 survey, attempted a drillstem test at 11,575-620 feet, in the top of the Devonian.

There was no test on account of a rock fragment in a valve operator is conditioning the hole to make another effort to get a test.

Humble No. 1 Moore, Southwest Kent County exploration, in northwest corner of section 45, block 5, H&G survey, and one-half mile west of the discovery well for Ellenburger production in the Polar field, was making hole below 7,760 feet in lime, shale and chert, after a drillstem test at 7,595-7,692 feet.

No Shows Developed
The tool was open one hour. There was a fair blow of mud throughout the period. Recovery was 50 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

The Texas Company No. 1-F State (University), North-Southwest Andrews County discovery for production from the Tubb-Permian, in northwest quarter of section 15, block 12, University survey, about six miles northwest of the Martin field, was to make more hole, after a drillstem test at 8,210-85 feet, in a lime section, recovered 10 feet of drilling mud with no shows during two hours and 15 minutes. There was a slight blow of air for the first five minutes of the test, and then the air died.

Placid Oil Company and Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 Thornberry, Central-West Andrews County exploration in section 5, block A-42, ps1 survey, swabbed down to 10,000 feet, on perforations in the top of the Ellenburger at 11,941-945 feet, and failed to show any signs of oil or gas.

Operators were preparing to treat with acid, through the perforations. E. E. Fogelson and Cosden Petroleum Corporation No. 1-D-C University, in northwest quarter of section 1, block 35, University survey, in the Penwell shallow field, of Southwest Ector County, was making hole below 7,330 feet in white lime and chert.

Not Certain On Formation
Operator has not officially reported identity of the formation being drilled at this time. Some geologists think it is Silurian—others have different ideas.

George T. Abell of Midland has applied to the Railroad Commission for a permit to drill his No. 1 W. T. Shearer, as a west stepout from production in the Pecos Valley High Gravity field in North Pecos County.

It will be 330 feet northwest and southwest from southwest corner of northwest quarter of section 39, block 3, H&G survey, but located in section 1, block 10, H&G survey. It is 1,500 feet west of closest

Political

Announcements

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For Congressman 16th District R. E. THOMASON (Reelection)

PAT HARGROVE
For Court of Civil Appeals SAMUEL K. WASAFF
For Representative 88th Legislative District of Texas O. E. GERRON (Reelection)

GEORGE ELLIOTT
For Judge 70th Judicial District CECIL C. COLLINGS (Reelection)

For District Attorney MARTELLE McDONALD (Reelection)

For District Clerk NETTIE C. ROMER (Reelection)

For County Judge CLIFFORD C. KLITH E. H. BARRON (Reelection)

For County Clerk ED DARNELL (Reelection)

For Tax Assessor and Collector J. H. FINE (Reelection)

For County Attorney JOE MIMS (Reelection)

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LUCILLE (JACK) JOHNSON
For County Treasurer LOIS PATTERSON (Reelection)

MRS. MINNIE H. DOZIER
For County Surveyor ROBERT E. RANKIN J. M. FLANIGAN (Reelection)

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SHERWOOD O'NEAL
For County Commissioner Precinct No. 2 CHARLES J. AIKEN (Reelection)

JOHN M. KING JR.
For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3 MARSHALL HEALD CHARLEY C. WISE FLOYD EGGLESTON W. M. BIELETT (Reelection)

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For County Commissioner Precinct No. 5 J. C. HANNAN (Reelection)

For Constable Precinct No. 1 WILLIAM C. DURHAM W. H. WESSON

limits in the Monahans-Ellenburger field, and 990 feet from south and west lines of section 23, block A, G&MM&A survey, had reached 9,799 feet in shale, in the Simpson, middle Ordovician, and was going on down.

Charter No. 4368

Reserve District No. 11

Report of Condition of

The First National Bank

of Midland in the State of Texas, at the close of business on June 29th, 1946. Published in response to call made by comptroller of the currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including \$1,457.95 overdrafts).....	3,099,552.70
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed.....	7,075,747.60
Obligations of States and political subdivisions.....	1,282,433.55
Corporate stocks (including \$15,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank).....	15,000.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection.....	4,667,002.08
Bank premises owned \$52,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$16,839.76.....	69,339.76
Real estate owned other than bank premises.....	1.00
Other assets (Prepaid Insurance).....	7,116.05
TOTAL ASSETS	16,216,192.76

Monroe To Speak At Administrator's Meet

Supt. Frank Monroe will leave Wednesday for El Paso to attend the annual Southwestern School Administrators Conference Thursday and Friday at the Cortez Hotel. On the Friday program he will speak on "Maintaining the Teaching Staff" and will take part of the resource panel participation in questions and discussions based on the program.

Supt. R. A. Lipscomb of Wink and Supt. S. M. Melton of Kermit will be on the resource panel for the Thursday session.

C Of C Directors To Meet Monday

Directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will hold their regular monthly meeting in the Private Dining Room of Hotel Scharbauer at 8 p. m. Monday, O. C. Harper, president, said Saturday. A report on Midland's highway program will be made by Fred Wemple, chairman of the Chamber's highway committee, who also will offer recommendations as to further action on various highway projects. The report was drafted at

Vest Is Discharged

James A. Vest, former seaman second class in the U. S. Navy, filed discharge papers Saturday at the county clerk's office. Vest was a grocery clerk in Midland before entering service.

FIRE EXTINGUISHED

Fire which started at an incinerator in the basement of the Crawford Hotel Coffee Shop Saturday morning did no damage and was quickly extinguished by city firemen. Only trash ignited, firemen said.

a meeting of committee members Friday morning. County Judge E. H. Barron will outline the county's farm-to-market road program. Several other important matters will be discussed at the session, Harper said.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle: compared close last week: most classes unevenly strong to 50 higher; week's tops: good slaughter steers and heifers—17.75, good cows 15.50, bulls 13.50, killing calves 18.35, stocker calves 17.00. Week's bulks: medium and good slaughter steers and yearlings 14.50-17.25, medium and good cows 11.00-14.50, good and choice fat calves 15.50-17.50, common and medium 11.50-15.00, good and choice stockers 15.00-16.50.

Hogs: compared week ago: slaughter classes 2.10 higher, stockers steady; closing tops: barrows and gilts 16.75, sows 16.00, pigs 14.75.

Sheep: compared week ago: spring lambs 2.00-50 and more higher, sheep 1.00 and more higher, clipped lambs scarce; week's tops: medium and good spring lambs 16.00; aged ewes 8.50.

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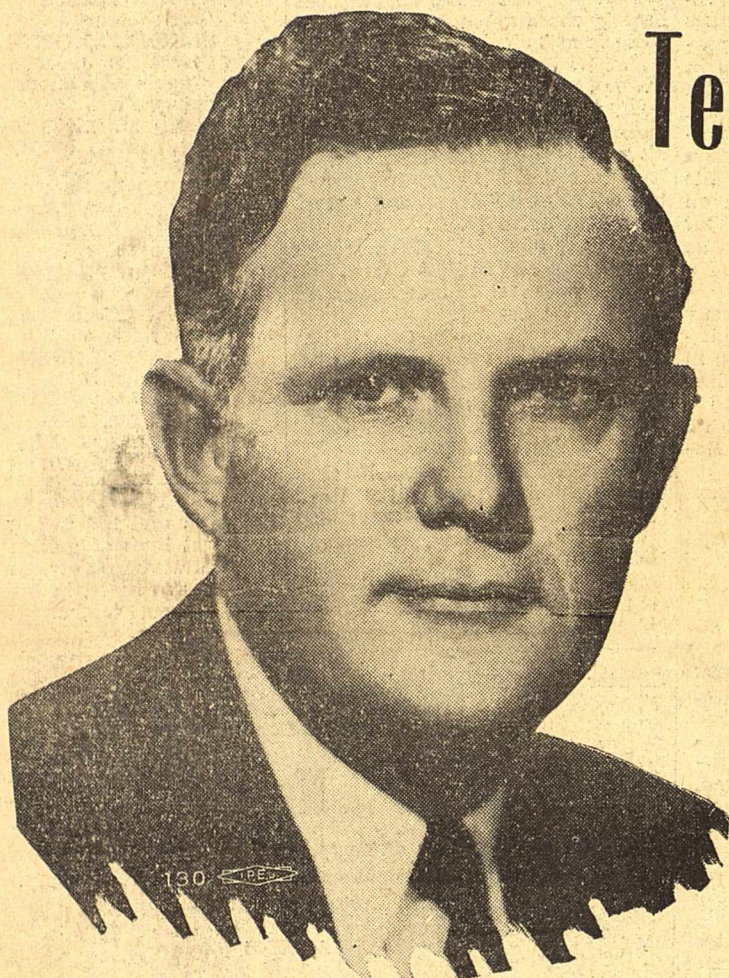
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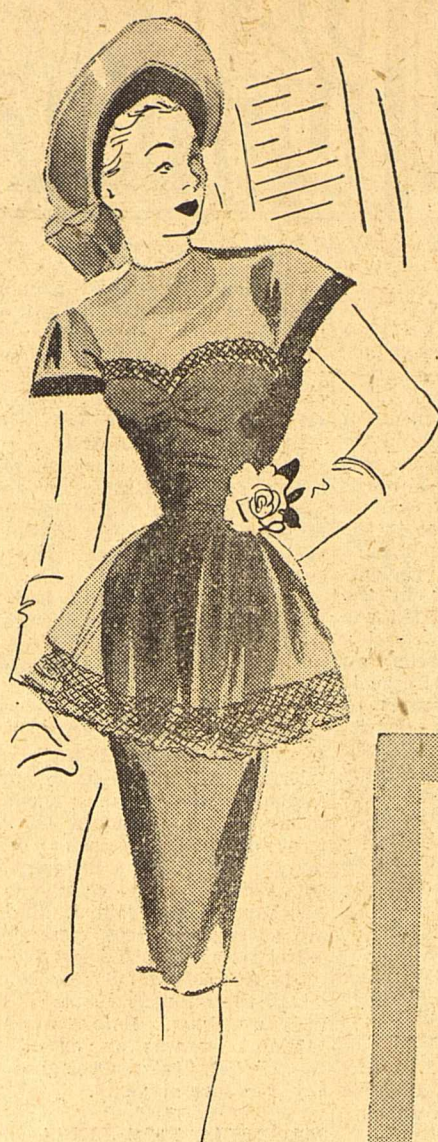
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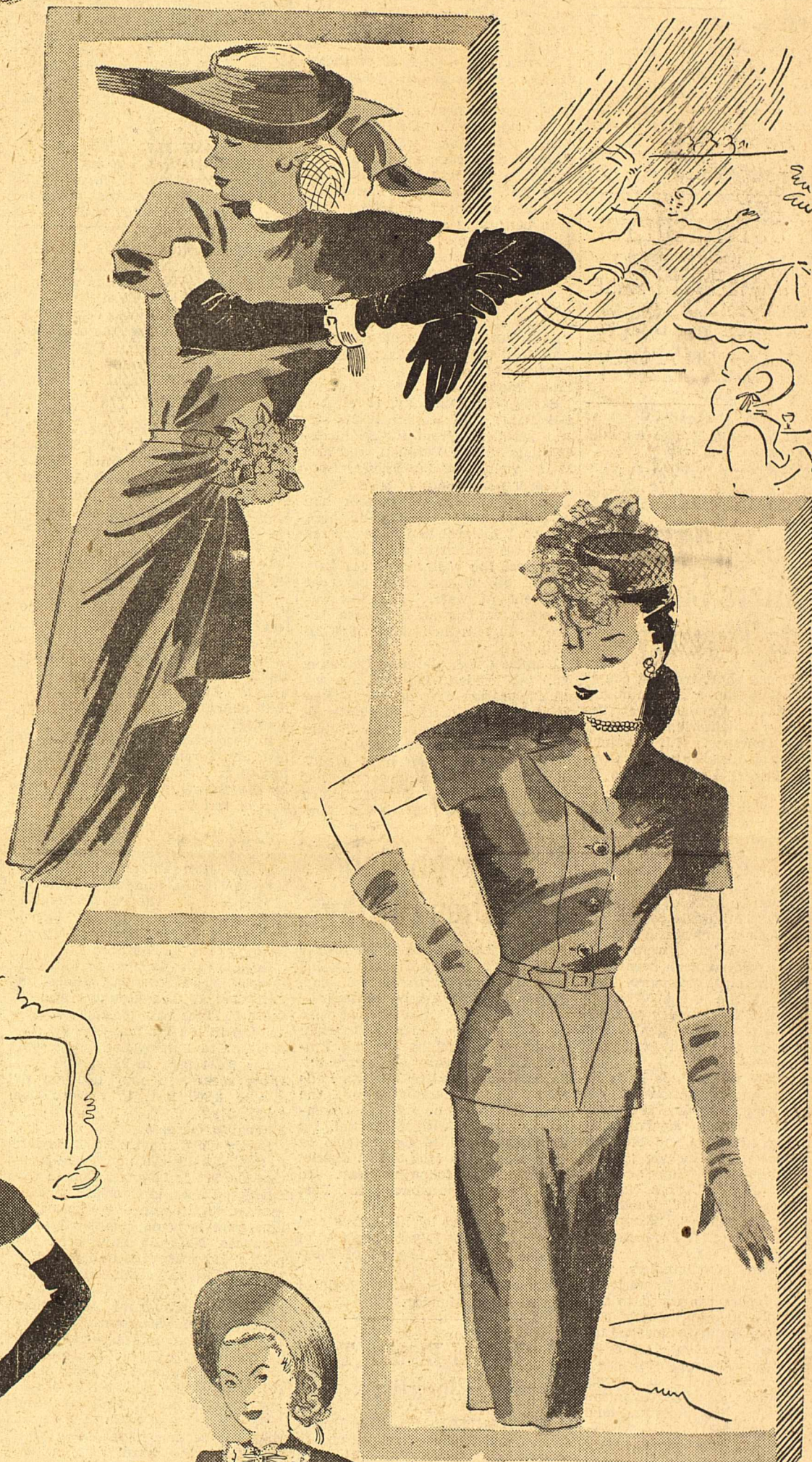
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White Irish linen returns to summer fashions in the boy's blouse topping the printed sailcloth skirt, left. Right, white linen sports costume has a bolero jacket fastened with gilt buttons over the bare-top bodice buttoned to the daint-length skirt.

By ERSIE KINARD
NEW YORK—Like a romantic Irish tenor withheld by the war from triumphant tours, Irish linen bows back into the fashion picture to claim its long-missed plaudits.

This thoroughbred of the summer fabrics brings its pedigreed look to play duds, daytime frocks, blouses and evening dresses. For these, all of the neutral shades and the clear deep colors get a play, but white gets top billing. In linen, as every woman knows, white is something special that can't be turned yellow or dingy by either sun or suds.

Even those designers who have

RETURNS TO FORT WORTH
Mrs. H. M. Bayer who arrived in Midland Monday by plane for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Thomas, returned to her home in Fort Worth Friday.

BOARD MEETS TUESDAY
The Midland Independent School District board of trustees will meet Tuesday night.

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

FIRST WITH THE NEWS

MIDLAND, TEXAS, SUNDAY, JULY 7, 1946

SECTION TWO

SOCIETY

ERMA NICHOLS, Editor

R. K. DeFord To Direct Community Theater Meeting

Ronald K. DeFord, president of the Community Theater, Inc., will preside at a general meeting of that group at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the City-County Auditorium.

The incorporation of the theater as a non-profit organization will be presented to the members for approval after which a charter will be adopted and by-laws drawn up.

After the business session the executive board will discuss legal routine of the theater while the remainder of the group will meet separately. Marie Wall and Dorothy Gates will conduct an open forum on recruiting for the theater and how to organize in the best way possible.

A general criticism on past productions will conclude the meeting.

All members are urged to be present for this important session.

Miss Tommie Shelby Is Named Honoree Of Dinner Party

Employees of the Midland branch of Montgomery Ward & Company entertained with a dinner party honoring Miss Tommie Shelby Wednesday evening in the Private Dining Room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Miss Shelby became the bride of T. W. (Curly) Ivy in marriage rites solemnized Thursday evening.

Guests at the dinner were Mrs. W. N. Keisling, Mrs. R. E. Baker, Theta Fetherston, Jill Parrot and the honoree.

Marriage Vows Read For Mrs. Emma Rotan And F. C. Wheeler

Marriage rites for Mrs. Emma Rotan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Harwell, Midland, and F. C. Wheeler, son of Mrs. C. F. Wheeler, also of this city, were read in the presence of a few close friends and relatives June 29 at the First Baptist Church.

Vows for the single-ring ceremony were read by the Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor.

The bride was attired in a chartreuse street-length dress designed with gold button trim. Her small white felt hat was offset with touches of gold trimming and her other accessories were of black patent. Completing her attire was a shoulder corsage of white gladioli and agapanthus.

Miss Jewell Martin attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a pink and black print dress and black accessories. Her corsage was of shaded pink carnations.

Serving the bridegroom as best man was his brother, Raymond Wheeler.

Immediately following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler left for a wedding trip to Pocatello, Idaho.

Upon their return to Midland they will make their home on West Brunson Street.

Mrs. Wheeler attended Midland schools and is employed at Richfield Oil Corporation.

The bridegroom is an independent water well contractor. He recently received his release from the U. S. Army after serving with the infantry division in the Southwest Pacific. He was in the armed forces four years.

Activities At Junior Canteen Will Begin With Hamburger Party

Beginning the week's activities for the Junior Canteen will be a hamburger party from 9 to 10:30 p. m. Sunday.

The ping pong tournament will begin at 8 p. m. Monday and at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday, the bingo party is scheduled. Regular dance night is at 8 p. m. Saturday.

From Monday through Friday the canteen is open from 2 to 5 p. m. and from 7 to 10 p. m. Hours observed on Saturday are from 2 to 5 p. m. and from 7 to 10:30 p. m. Activities begin at 2 p. m. Sunday and continue to 5:30 p. m. The canteen remains closed during the church services and will open again from 9 to 10:30 p. m.

Saturday night the teen-agers signed their chums' annuals which were issued Friday evening at the high school gymnasium.

Employees Of Magnolia Entertained At Picnic

Employees of the West Texas and North Basin districts of the Magnolia Pipe Line Company were entertained at a barbecue supper Thursday at Cloverdale Park.

Special guests for the occasion were employees in the company's land, geological, and production departments, and members of the East Side Home Demonstration Club.

Beginning at 4 p. m. a baseball game was played between the Seminole and Midland employees with the Seminole team winning 3 to 0.

V. L. Red, superintendent of the West Texas District, was in charge of arrangements. F. D. Breedlove donated the calf for the barbecue.

Following the supper, informal entertainment was enjoyed. Approximately 250 were present for the event.

One Hat Scores Three Hirs



Clever changes of trim make Marilyn Maxwell's one black breton suitable for different occasions: left to right, turquoise and black bow for afternoon wear; hat-framing halo of black feathers for dress-up dates; fringe and tassels edge brim for street wear.

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

You can make one hat look like a wardrobe full of extravagant whimsies simply by ringing in changes of trimming.

If Hollywood girls with a reputation for chic to defend can make one hat do for all-day-long yeoman service and then turn into a Cinderella head-piece for evening, so can you. According to the one who's clever at this—Marilyn Maxwell, the basic black hat most receptive to tricks is a breton or crownless brim in felt or straw. You can wear either one around the clock, she contends, by picking different trimmings for different occasions.

Trimming for the early bird's hat should be kept simple, of course. Marilyn limits her trimmings to a grosgrain band, angled slant-wise across one side of the brim, like a diplomat's ribbon. But for dressy morning duds, you can go softer,

as she does, with trimming. Her frou-frou for forenoon wear is a piece of two-toned fringe, used to outline the edge of the hat brim. If yours is likewise picked for two-toned colors—hers is black and red—you can employ her trick of using one color to tie in your hat trimming with your duds. Tiny tassels used as a finish to hide the joinings of your fringe serve both a useful and decorative purpose.

For afternoon wear, frou-frou in trimming goes. If you like to keep yours down to a spot of glitter, pin a brooch or an antique marvel on the brim. Here the "diplomat's band" of ribbon can be picked out

of the trimming box and used again as a home for your jewels.

You can also whoop up the colors for afternoon wear, as Marilyn does. She always alternates a ribbon of color with a ribbon of black, however, so as to integrate her trimming with the color of her hat. Case in point is her turquoise-and-black bow, perched at a fly-away angle at the edge of her hat brim on one side.

If you like feathers, try coq's crisp plumage in a taut cluster, pinned at the center front of your brim. Marilyn's subtle combination of beige and black for her coq cluster is a cue for you. So is her next femme fatale effect of framing her hat brim with a head-circling halo of black feathers, glycerine-treated to gleam like jewels.

VISIT IN PEMBERTON HOME

Guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Pemberton are Mrs. R. E. Poteet of Olton, Texas, and Lt. and Mrs. Charles E. Nelson of Amarillo. Mrs. Nelson is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Pemberton.

Miss Martha Creagh Is Wed To Paul Klatt In Big Spring Ceremony

In a ceremony performed at the First Methodist Church in Big Spring July 2, Miss Martha Creagh of Midland and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Creagh of Breckenridge, became the bride of Paul Klatt, son of Mrs. G. Klatt of Midland.

The Rev. H. Clyde Smith, pastor, directed the vows for the double-ring ceremony.

Attired in a coral pink linen suit, the bride wore white accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

After the ceremony the bridal couple returned to Midland and will make their home at 506 West Illinois.

Mrs. Klatt is a graduate of NTSTC in Denton and was a member of the Midland High School faculty before accepting her present position as assistant librarian for the Midland County Library.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Midland High School where he was an outstanding football star. He also played football while attending Texas College of Mines in El Paso and East Texas State Teachers College in Commerce. He served three years with the U. S. Marine Corps and received his release from the service in February, 1946. He is now with Atlantic Refining Company.

Mildred Wreyford And Leona Meissner Are On McMurry Honor Roll

Leona Meissner and Mildred Wreyford of Midland and students at McMurry College in Abilene were among the students who were on the college honor roll for the second semester.

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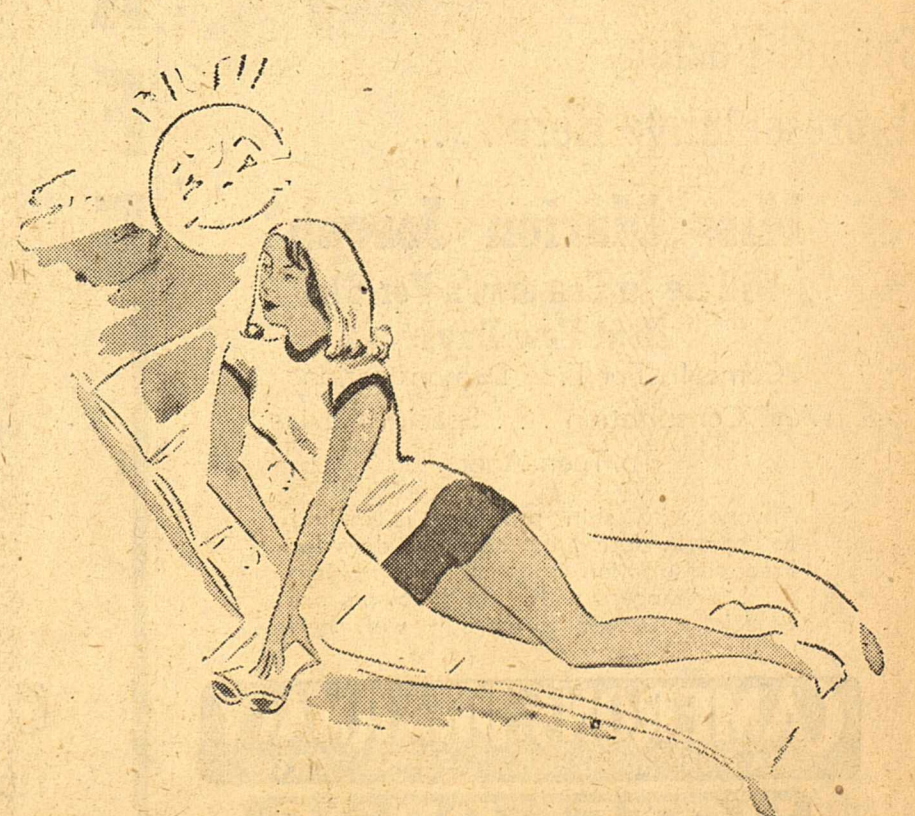
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WESLEY BIBLE CLASS IS ENTERTAINED AT S. H. GWYN HOME

Members of the Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist Church were entertained at a covered-dish supper Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. S. H. Gwyn. During the short business session announcement was made that the next meeting will be held August 6 in the Scharbauer Educational Building. Present were Meses W. A. Black, Minnie Crumley, T. A. Fannin, M. D. Johnson, Mollie McCormick, H. S. Merrill, M. J. Nolan, Amelia Hawkins, N. B. Neebe, Fank Smith, M. A. Wyatt, Mary Lou Snodgrass, John Ficke, S. E. Hall of Phoenix, Ariz., Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hughes, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gwyn.

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A meeting of the First Methodist WSCS will meet at 3:15 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. George P. Bradbury on the Magnolia Tank Farm.

An important meeting of the Community Theater, Inc., will be held at 7:30 p. m. at the City-County Auditorium.

Mrs. John Ficke, 602 North Pecos, will be hostess for a forty-two party honoring members of the Star Club and their husbands at 7 p. m.

TUESDAY
A stated meeting of the Eastern Star will be held at the Masonic Hall at 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY
An organization meeting of the Midland Concert-Lecture Association will be held at 8 p. m. in the county courtroom on the second floor of the courthouse.

Workshop Group One of the Children's Theater will meet from 10 to 11:30 a. m. in the City-County Auditorium.

Members of the Friendly Builders Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at the home of Mrs. George P. Bradbury, Magnolia Tank Farm, at 7 p. m. for a covered-dish supper and forty-two party. Husbands of the members will be special guests.

Holy Communion will be held at the Trinity Episcopal Church. The Bible Class will meet at 10:30 a. m.

THURSDAY
Members of the B & PW Club will meet at 12 noon for a luncheon in the Private Dining Room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Group Two of the Children's Workshop Theater will meet from 10 to 11:30 p. m. in the City-County Auditorium.

SATURDAY
The Junior Workshop will meet from 10 to 11:30 a. m. in the City-County Auditorium.

All children of Midland County are invited to the Children's Story Hour at 10:30 a. m. at the County Library.

Mrs. Kenneth Webb To Join Husband In South

Mrs. Kenneth Webb will leave Monday to join her husband in San Antonio where he will receive his release from the U. S. Army Air Forces at Fort Sam Houston. Webb arrived in New York on the SS Santa Marta after serving 19 months with the communications in the air force in Italy.

Miss Ruth Elaine West Is New Secretary At First Baptist Church

Miss Ruth Elaine West of Dallas din-Simmons University in Abilene has assumed duties as one of the with the June class. She majored secretaries in the office of the First Baptist Church. She will replace Miss Corrine Atkins who has resigned effective the last of August to enter Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth in September. Miss West graduated from Har-

Beta Mu Kappa, an officer in YWA, active in the Life Service Band, and served on the BSU Council. She was in Alpha Psi Omega, a national dramatic fraternity, and listed in the 1945-46 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in Universities and Colleges."

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Rental Times Are Changed On Books At County Library

Announcement has been made of the book changes at the Midland County Library. Twenty-four seven-day books have been changed to the two-week shelves and a number of the rental books will be issued for seven days.

Seven-day books now in the two-week group are Kantor, Glory for Me; Gilkey, When Life Gets Hard;

Gervasi, To Whom Palestine; Fischback, Look Who's a Mother; Disney, Murder on a Tangle; Dickson, Bolts of Melody; Cornwell, They Dare Not Go A-Hunting; Warfield, Call Us to Witness; Baldwin, Change of Heart; Kelland, Land of the Torrenses; Lehman, The Ball and the Source; Leslie, The Ghost and Mrs. Muir; McNaughton, This Man Truman; Mathews, Take It Easy; Mellor, Patton the Fighting Man.

Others are Papasivsky, Anything Can Happen; Smith, Life in a Putty Knife Factory; Osborne, They Change Their Skies; West, Bushwack Basin; Standish, The Small General; Strong, I Saw the New

Poland; Wheaton, Preskaska's Wife; Wylie, Night Unto Night; Smith, Magic Lantern; and Stegner, One Nation.

New additions to the seven-day shelves are Considine, General Wainwright's Story; Gillmore, The B.O.W.S.; Beck, Second Carrot From the End; Wentworth, She Came Back; Gardner, D. A. Breaks a Seal; Perkins, Antioch Actress; Cousins, Modern Man Is Obsolete; McCullers, The Member of the Wedding; Alinsky, Reville for Radicals; Sheean, This House Against This House; Ciano, The Ciano Diaries 1939-43; Norris, Fighting Liberal; Beard, Woman as Force in History; Longstreth, Two Rives Meet in Concord.

Also Romulo, I See the Philippines Rise; Willson, Saints and Strangers; O'Donnell, Those Other People; Haycox, Trail Towns; McCloy, The One That Got Away; Olsen, Bring the Bride a Shroud; Lewis, The Great Divorce; Reves, The Anatomy of Peace; Mason, The Crimson Feather; Wylie, Ho the Fair Wind; Ford, Clock and Dagger; Nye, Blood of Kings; Erskine, Human Life of Jesus; and Barbour, A Naturalist in Cuba.

BAILEY HOME SCENE FOR WEDDING OF BETTY LOU FRANKLIN

WINK—Miss Betty Lou Franklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Franklin, became the bride of George E. Gann in a ceremony performed by Judge S. A. Bailey, grandfather of the bride, at the Bailey home July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Gann will make their home in Wink until they move to Amarillo this fall.

Sunday Speaker



Dr. A. B. White

Dr. A. B. White, assistant executive secretary of the Baptist General Convention of Texas, will speak at both services at the Midland First Baptist Church at 10:55 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday. The evening service will be held on the church lawn.

Dr. White has held some of the largest pastorates in Texas. He was pastor of the First Baptist Church in Paris before his appointment to the executive position.

He is speaking in the absence of the Rev. Vernon Yearby, regular pastor. Mr. and Mrs. Yearby and family are spending a vacation in Colorado.

MRS. C. V. KIPPING ELECTED PRESIDENT OF WINK AUXILIARY

WINK—Mrs. C. V. Kipping was elected president of the American Legion Auxiliary of Rex Baird Post 136 at a meeting Monday in the legion hut.

Other officers named were Mrs. Frank Mulbrian, first vice president; Mrs. C. D. Hubbard, second vice president; Mrs. Frank Torchy, secretary-treasurer. These officers will be installed in services to be held July 17.

Refreshments were served to 15 members.

Affidavit Suggested For Veteran Voting

In answer to many requests from ex-service personnel regarding voting, Mrs. Susie G. Noble, Midland county clerk, obtained an opinion from the Democratic State Executive Committee.

It is suggested that affidavits be made out by all ex-service men and women. These affidavits may be obtained in the county clerk's office or at the election places.

They are not mandatory on election officials but are for convenience and clarification and to prevent fraud.

Inasmuch as absentee balloting begins Sunday the following oath to be sworn on the affidavit is suggested. It will be executed by the presiding election judge. "He is more than 21 years of age, a citizen of the United States, and has resided in this State one year next preceding this election and the last six months at specified address in the county of Midland, State of Texas; that he now, or was within eighteen (18) months immediately prior to this date, a member of the Armed Forces, and is not a member of the regular establishment of the U. S. Army, Navy or Marine Corps; and is exempt from payment of poll tax under the amendment of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adopted August 25, 1945."

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Increase In Diseases Caused By Sanitation Lacks Reported Here

An increase of diseases generally caused by insanitary conditions was reported last week to the City-County Health Unit.

The unit announced Saturday that 17 cases of bacillary dysentery, the more serious type of dysentery, were being treated here during the week. Two cases of trench mouth, usually attributed to insanitary eating and drinking utensils, also were reported.

Measles cases declined in number during the week, falling to 10. Two cases of pneumonia and one of flu were under treatment, and one case of measles was reported.

Fruit, Vegetables Are Grown In City

Peaches, grapes and tomatoes grown in the city limits of Midland were exhibited Saturday at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Exhibitor was C. F. Sparks, who grew the products at 1008 South Baird Street.

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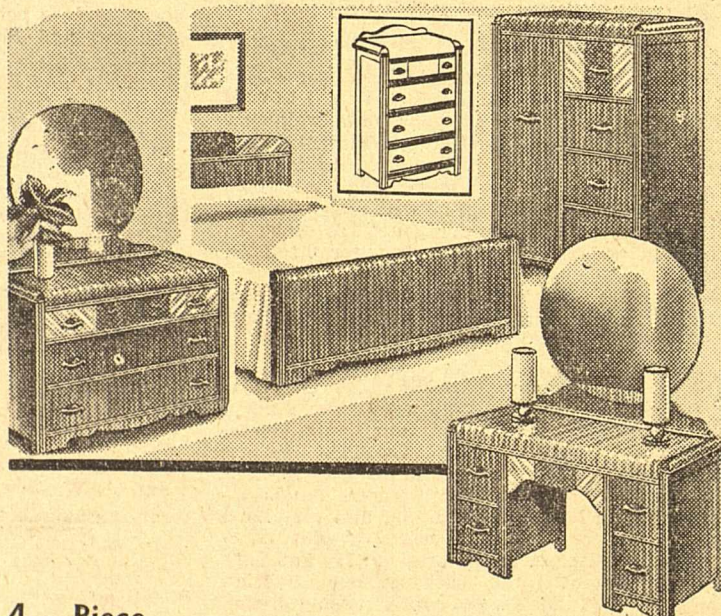
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Youth Revival To Be Conducted By Charles Wellborn

Charles Wellborn of Gladewater, Texas, will conduct the youth revival to begin July 19 at the First Baptist Church. Services will be held each evening for the three-day period on the church lawn.

Wellborn is a graduate of Baylor University where he is now teaching political science while working on his master's degree. He has won many national honors in speech and debating and has spoken at various types of meetings throughout the state. He recently was one of the principal speakers at the Baptist Student Union retreat held at Ridgecrest, N. C., in June. Wellborn is a veteran of World War II.

Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home. Make this recipe yourself. It's easy—no trouble at all and costs little. It contains nothing harmful. Just go to your drugstore and ask for four ounces of liquid Barconate (formerly called Barcon Concentrate). Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill the bottle. Then take two tablespoonsful twice a day. That's all there is to it.

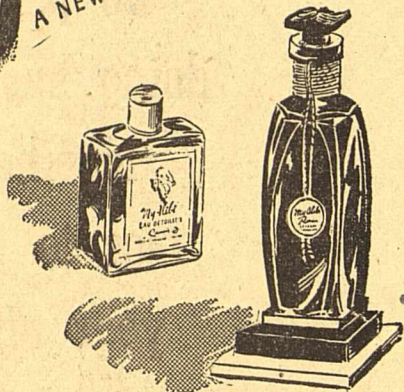
If the very first bottle doesn't show the simple, easy way to lose

bulky fat and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly blot disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

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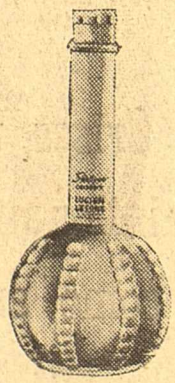
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Tea And Bridal Shower Held In Kermit Honors Mrs. Ray Perkins

KERMIT—One of the highlights of the summer entertainment in Kermit was the tea and bridal shower honoring Mrs. Ray Perkins Thursday afternoon, at the clubhouse at Walton Gasoline Plant. Mrs. Perkins is the former Eule Lott.

Hostesses for the occasion were members of the Order of the Eastern Star and group of women of the Church of Christ.

A color scheme of pink was carried out in the floral arrangement on the dining table. Flanking the centerpiece were pink and white tapers in crystal candelabra. The same colors were features in the mints, punch, and individual cakes.

Approximately 150 guests registered in the hand-painted bride's book made by Mrs. Seth P. Wolz.

Mrs. O. T. Reeves greeted the guests as they arrived and presented them to the receiving line. Others in the house party were Mrs. Lott, mother of the bride, and Mmes. Joe Cannon, Oscar Maples, Jack Meers, and Joe Hunter.

The wearing of false teeth was common among the Romans.

Milk Mixture for Stomach Ulcers

A recent medical discovery now used by doctors and hospitals everywhere has proven unusually successful in the treatment of stomach ulcers caused from excess acid. It is a harmless preparation yet so effective, in many cases the pains of stomach ulcers disappear almost immediately. Also recommended for gas pains, indigestion, heartburn due to hyperacidity. Sufferers may now try this at home by obtaining a bottle of LURIN from their druggist. LURIN contains this new discovery in its purest form. Easy to take. Just mix two teaspoonsful in a half glass of milk. Costs but little. Must satisfy or money refunded.

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Marriage Rites Read For Marie Reichert And C. M. Spruill

KERMIT—Announcement has been made of the marriage of Marie Reichert, formerly of Fort Smith, Ark., and C. M. Spruill of Kermit. The rites were read by Dr. Willard W. Carig in his home in Dallas June 28.

Attendants to the bridal couple were Mr. and Mrs. Lester E. Shirley of Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Spruill are now at home in Kermit.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Spruill, and before entering the service owned and operated Spruill's Food Market. He was in the U. S. Army 30 months serving as a technician fourth grade with the 16th Armored Division and was in the European Theater of Operations.

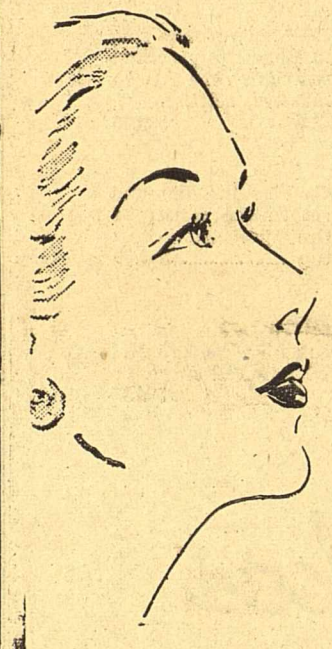
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BURL'S ONE-STOP SERVICE... has a brand new sign... notice it as you drive by 601 W. Wall... and when you see that "Super Service"... take note for this is the station that has everything! Drive in to get your car "dressed up" with a wash and grease, a polish and waxing, a steam clean to make the motor and chassis really spotless, take away the wear and tear on your tires by having your wheels balanced; and if it's car accessories, there are a full line, also install seat covers; a battery for every make car... and what you like most is the courteous service the minute you drive up! If you're out... and need help fast... call 1780 and Burl's road service will fix you up in a jiffy... yes, it's truly a one-stop station!



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JEEP GROCERY DELIVERY SERVICE is the unusual and unique idea originated by Paul Brooks for the BROOKS GROCERY at 120 South Main. And it has certainly been a success! Mr. Brooks added this special convenience, the first in Midland since the war, especially for you shoppers who have difficulty getting to town and who would otherwise have to carry those heavy packages. When you want just a loaf of bread it's easy to get... but when it comes to your heavy buying... make your lists, call 867 and let Jeep Delivery do the rest.

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KIMSUL... the magic insulation as advertised in July American Home is a wonder when it comes to keeping out this blistering West Texas sun, and you'll find all you need of this inexpensive, easy-to-install insulation at your new wallpaper and paint store, THE SIMMONS-HALL CO. A remarkable testimonial of Kimsul efficiency is that it was used to insulate Quonset huts for our fighting men from arctic cold and tropic heat... and Mr. Hall, recently discharged, lived under Kimsul overseas, so has first hand information for you! It's cooler in summer and warmer in winter, quickly paying for itself in year-round comfort.

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Today at the friendly COLIN'S CAFE on South Main Street John Colin has a delicious dinner of cold assorted meats... some tempting spring salad chuck full of garden-fresh vegetables... and only 50 cents! So much for so little! It's wholesome, stable food that gives you an "energy pick-up" yet leaves you cool and comfortable... for you see, John Colin's first thought is for you... his customers... and for what you would like to enjoy... always at a good price! He offers you fine food with the very best of service in his clean, cool cafe where everybody eats!

NOTICE! Mr. Frank Blackwell of Blackwell's bakery has a message for each of you about the start of life... your daily bread! Mr. Blackwell, who has always seen that you have had plenty of that good wholesome bread during the past emergency years, finds it necessary to inform his many customers and friends that bread prices will rise slightly effective this week. However, Mr. Blackwell is personally absorbing a part of this necessary increase which amounts to only one cent on a loaf. Your energy giving Blackwell Bakery bread is your best buy... in white and wholewheat, family size or pullman loaf. Buy wisely... buy Blackwell's!

those tiny shoes that have been hidden away for so long... take them to Vosatko's and preserve every little scuff and wrinkle in a metal of your choice. VOSATKO'S will see that these precious souvenirs are made into Mason Masterpieces in either bronze or silver, with bases of imported onyx or other beautifully designed bases... simple lines and a perfection of detail make them perfect for any setting. It's pure sentiment... in useful form. A Mason Masterpiece is a gift which shows both affection and thoughtfulness... something to be treasured forever.

AND THE CLOSET WAS BARE

is a well known rhyme, especially to moms who have been trying to find those hard-to-get little dresses for the very young lady. But the KIDDIES TOGGERY is beginning to receive some really beautiful dresses now... one is the Babyette dress for ages 9 months to 3 1/2 years. Cut in princess style with a delicate lace collar, it comes in pink and blue with tiny puffed sleeves and dainty hand embroidery up and down the front. Other enchanting little charmers come in batiste and dotted swiss with hand smoking across the front. Many new styles and bordered in almost forgotten lace to make them look like little angels!

BACK TO THE SOIL

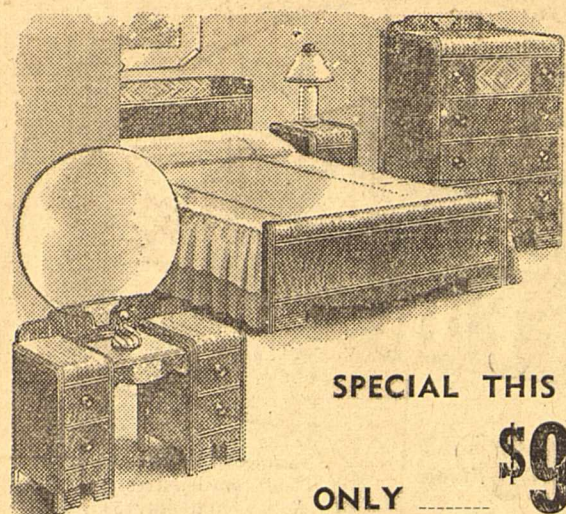
... that's the dynamic movement today in Midland... everyone wants a few acres out where there's breathin' room... and your friends in need are T. D. Jones, Jr., and A. W. Jones, father and son, perhaps better known to you as THE JONES BUTANE SERVICE. For they will install and service your butane tank at all times, day or night. They have plenty of tanks and will handle all the exciting new appliances being developed for Butane just as soon as they are on the market. It's a grand, dependable service... just call 1495-J-2. When you think of Butane... think of Jones Butane Service.

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VISIT IN CHRISTOVAL

Mrs. Annie Ford and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Caffey and Mrs. Howard Ford left Friday for daughters, Helen and Peggy, and California where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Soulon spent atives in Antioch and Los Angeles, July 4 in Christoval. They will go by way of Colorado.



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Jean Horea Ferguson Becomes Bride Of Sgt. Leonard G. Doss

KERMIT—Jean Horea Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Horea of Fort Worth, became the bride of T/Sgt. Leonard G. Doss, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Nuckols of Kermit, in rites solemnized at 6 p. m. Thursday at the home of Dr. Cecil Robinson and Dr. Rose Robinson.

Vows for the double-ring ceremony were directed by the Rev. Strauss Atkinson, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

The bride was attired in a powder blue dress with which she wore white accessories and carried a corsage of white carnations.

Miss Evelyn Davis was the bride's only attendant. She wore a white eyelet dress and a corsage of pink carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held for the bridal couple and the wedding guests. The Robinson home was decorated with gladioli, carnations and greenery for the ceremony and reception.

After a wedding trip Sgt. and Mrs. Doss will make their home in San Antonio where he is stationed.

Wedding guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Tipton, Mrs. H. C. Wylie, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wylie of Hobbs, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Peden, Mr. and Mrs. Nuckols, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Charlesworth, Mrs. Hetty Leslie, Dr. Cecil Robinson, Dr. Rose Robinson, Evelyn Reagan, Hazel Gladden, Harry Reed, and Alvin McCulland of Kermit.

The bride attended North Texas State Teachers College in Denton. The bridegroom has been in the U. S. Army for seven years and is now stationed at San Antonio.

NOBLES-MITCHELL RECENT MARRIAGE RITES ANNOUNCED

WINK—Mr. and Mrs. L. Z. Nobles have announced the marriage of their daughter, Billie Marie, to Armond Mitchell of Cross Plains, Texas.

Vows for the rites were read June 27 by the Rev. Roy Shaan in the parlor of the First Baptist Church in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Veron Mitchell were the couple's only attendants. After a wedding trip the bridal couple went to Jal, N. M., where they will make their home.

Wink News Notes

Mrs. A. H. Brown has been in Bryan because of the illness and death of her mother.

Misses Barbara and Mamie Rogoski left Saturday for a vacation trip to Tulsa, Okla., and Chicago, Ill.

B. W. Griffin was called to California this week because of the serious illness of his father.

Miss Madeline Bell is visiting in Dallas with her sister, Miss Joyce Bell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Guber left Monday for a two-weeks vacation in Oklahoma and East Texas. They will be accompanied by their daughter, Wanda, a senior student at TSCW in Denton.

L. M. Prater and son, Troy, visited in Wink Wednesday en route to Hobbs, N. M. Troy has just completed a study course in Guatemala with a group of Texas A&M students.

Rondall Guber, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Maloney and daughter, Mary Ellen, are vacationing in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Campbell announce the birth of a daughter, Priscilla Anna, born June 30 in the Kermit hospital. Mrs. Campbell is making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. A. Pierce while her husband is in the Navy.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Smalley and family have moved to their new home in the Texas and New Mexico Pipe Line Camp at Jal, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. N. V. Carman and children have returned from a visit to Haskell, Texas.

The following residents of Wink spent July 4 in Balmorhea: Mr. and Mrs. Cody Tondren and daughter, Rosalee, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morris and sons, Michael and David Lipscomb, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hubbard, Mrs. Lula Cooper, Jim Hubbard, Jerry Terrell, Virginia Barton, and Mary Hubbard.

Local people attending the rodeo in Pecos July 4 were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Claiborne, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Aldridge, E. M. Hamer and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Estabrook and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. McClatchy, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Eddins, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hildreth, Billie McClatchy, and Katherine Her-ring.

When Texas was annexed by the United States, it retained the right to divide itself into five states.

James Houston Hill Is Navy Dischargee

James Houston Hill, former seaman first class who served on the submarine USS Besugo, one of the best known subs of the Pacific warfare, Saturday filed discharge papers at the county clerk's office.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Houston Hill of Midland, once visited him and were guests on the vessel at its dock in California.

Speeders Warned

City Judge D. H. DeArmond Saturday warned speeders they would have to answer in his court for speeding in Midland.

Three persons were arrested and fined for speeding Friday.

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NAA Meeting Will Be Held Tuesday

The regular monthly meeting of the Midland chapter of the National Aeronautics Association will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the private dining room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

M. T. Smith, president of the organization, will preside.



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A BIRTHDAY IS A GOOD PLACE TO STOP FOR A GLIMPSE OF THE PAST AND A GOOD LOOK INTO THE FUTURE!

That's what we are doing on this first anniversary of the Basin Supply Company.

The backward glance shows us plenty of hard work and many difficulties. But it also shows us a growth that has really been more than we could reasonably have expected a year ago. It also shows us a large and constantly increasing number of friends. These are very important.

Your friendship has caused you to like to trade with us. This patronage has made it possible for us to grow. By growing, we are better able to be of better service to you in more ways. These are the reasons why we are so appreciative of our friends, past, present and future.

LOOKING AHEAD --

Ever since mankind has tried to look into the future and know what was in store for him, his vision has been blurred by clouds of uncertainties. Certainly, we do not pretend to be prophets of the future.

But we do know what our intentions are.

You have already had a full year of evidence of the way the Basin Supply Company does business. Knowing as we do that we shall be guided by the same friendly principles in the future as in the past, we cannot believe otherwise than that our sincere efforts will be met with your increased good will. And it is always your good will upon which the foundations of this enterprise solidly rest.

So it is no pompous boasting or idle wishing that causes us to say on this occasion of our first anniversary that we look forward to greater growth, greater service and greater

usefulness.

It is quite true that we cannot anticipate difficult situations which may arise, but we are full of faith and confidence in believing that every problem can be solved, every uncertainty dispelled and every doubt driven away.

So it is that we confidently pledge you a stronger service and the same spirit of friendly service which has earned your friendship in the year gone by.

Please—always feel most welcome to visit Basin Supply Company whether you have a definite buying need or whether you are exercising that great human impulse of "just looking."

We will always appreciate any suggestions or criticisms that you will be good enough to give us, and will take it as a mark of your good will, so that we may improve our service further and faster.

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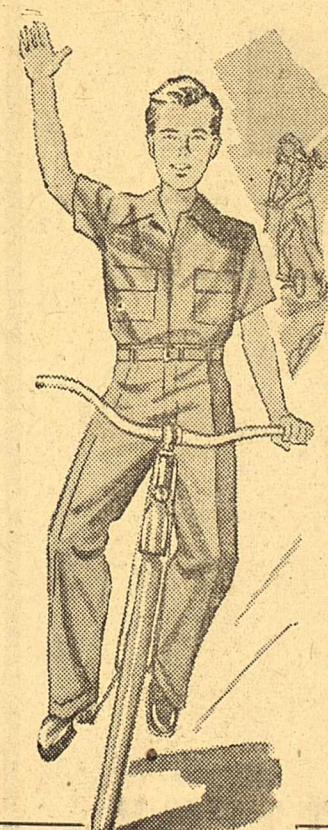
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MRS. W. N. KEISLING RETURNS FROM FALL FASHION SHOW

Mrs. W. N. Keisling, manager of the Midland Montgomery Ward & Company store, has returned to Midland after attending a fashion clinic at the Blackstone Hotel under the direction of Ora Smith of New York.

Fall clothes to be shown in the new catalog were featured in the style show. One of the highlights of the clinic, Mrs. Keisling reported, was the showing of fur coats.

All order house managers from this area were present for the clinic.

Officers Of Rebekah Lodge Are Installed In Impressive Rites

WINK — Impressive installation services for new officers of the Rebekah Lodge were held Tuesday at the lodge under the direction of Mrs. Alice Keene, deputy district president.

Mrs. Elizabeth Herring was installed as noble grand; Mrs. Gladys Gray, vice grand; Miss Geneva Curtis, warden; Miss Billie Marie Marsh, conductor; Miss Jerry Terrell, musician; and Mrs. Ferrel Lester, chaplain.

Assisting in conducting the serv-

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

A Midland couple, Clayton McGrew and Sue Johns, received a marriage license Friday at the county clerk's office.

This was the seventh marriage license issued in July, Susie G. Noble, clerk, said.

ices were Eunice, warden; Ruth Crawford, musician; Annie Davis, chaplain; Edna Hubbard, marshal; Edith Hodge, inside guardian; and Maude Duncan, outside guardian.

Mrs. Maxine Hill, retiring noble grand, presented gifts to the officers serving with her who in turn presented Mrs. Hill a gift.

Refreshments were served to approximately 40 members and visitors.

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Mrs. Joe Howard
Mrs. E. T. Whitson
Virginia Hare
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Mrs. Alton Brown
Mrs. C. E. Garrison
Mrs. L. J. Birdine
Mrs. Dowell Grant
Mrs. A. B. McDonald
Mrs. A. N. Griffith
Mrs. E. F. Nelson
Ima Harris
Mrs. J. B. Hayes
Pearl Locklar
Ruth Cantrell
Mary Corbin
Mrs. Marvena Kemp
Mrs. Jack C. Jones
Faye Frackersem
Mrs. Jess Miles
Mrs. S. H. Beard
Mrs. A. B. Walker
Marie Gifford
Florene Wood
Billie Voorkins
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Billie Hill
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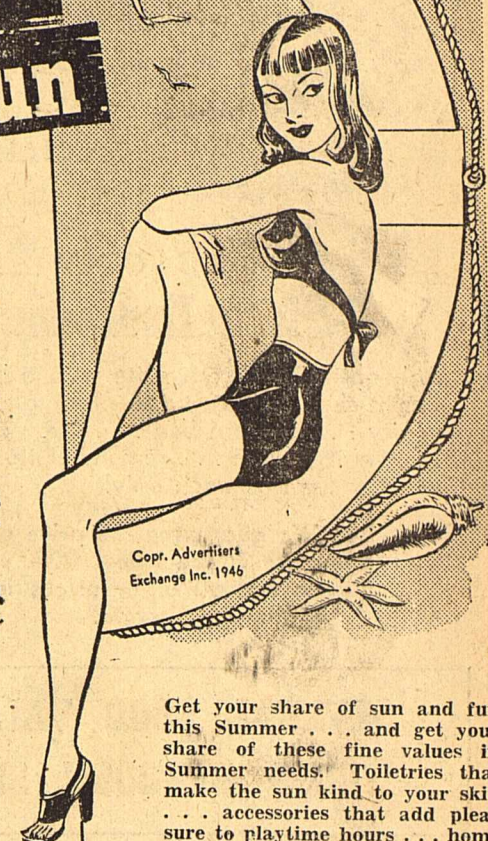
25¢ Barbasol Razor Blades.....23¢
\$1.00 Mennen's Skin Bracer.....89¢
85¢ Burma Shave.....69¢
\$1.50 Westphall Hair Tonic.....98¢
\$1.00 Fitch Shampoo.....79¢
50¢ Stag Deodorant Cream.....39¢

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\$1.00 Johnson's Oil.....79¢
50¢ Johnson's Talcum.....39¢
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50¢ Johnson's Cream.....39¢
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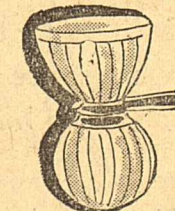
75¢ Size.....59¢

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Cream.....49¢



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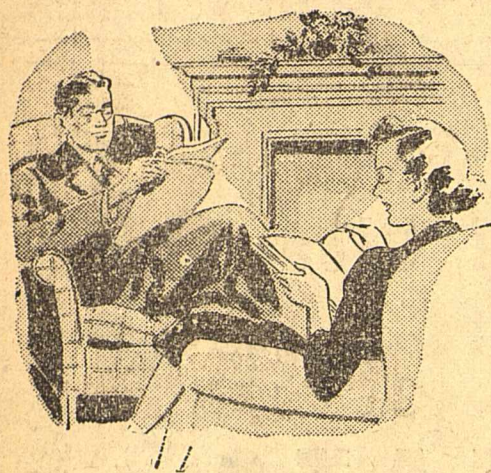
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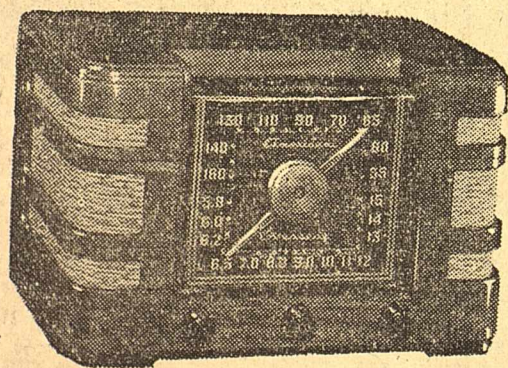
Then, too, there are the more common uses for gas. Cooking with a clean, easily controlled heat. Refrigeration is best with a silent gas refrigerator which has no moving parts to wear out. The fully automatic gas water heater provides all the hot water the family needs when it needs it...economically. Plan your new kitchen around gas, the fuel that gives you these advantages. Remember:



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SECTION THREE

Nationally Recognized Library For Oilmen's Use Located Here

By TANNER LAINE

The time has passed when an individual geologist, engineer, or any other oil man can either afford to purchase or carry with him an adequate technical library.

Far-sighted Midlanders have provided through the sponsorship of the West Texas Geological Society a library which serves the some 300 technical geologists of the vast Permian Basin and is available to all oil personnel of this West Texas area.

In the past few years a collection has been housed at the Midland County Library in the courthouse here. It has gained national recognition, and it is a boon to area oil personnel.

So complete has the library become it has been named a depository to receive free of charge as published all publications of The Geological Society of America. This is the "daddy" of all American geological societies.

It similarly receives publications from the U. S. National Museum and is a depository for the state geological surveys of Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas, Illinois, Alabama and Mississippi.

WTGS Buys Books
The purchase of books and publications is made by the WTGS and many continue to be donated by individuals.

The library is fully catalogued, and the Dewey classification system was adapted especially for the geological library. The library is sectioned apart from the regular county setup, being located in the basement of the courthouse.

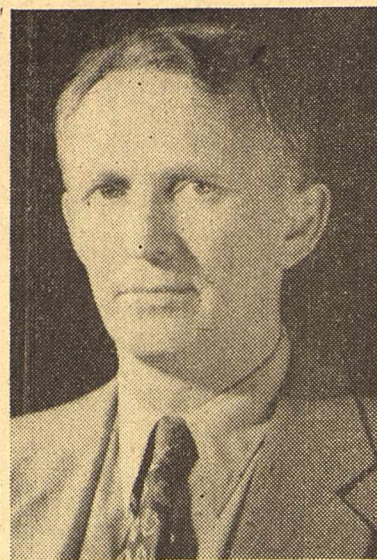
There are 2,781 volumes catalogued in the library. Basically it is a general collection of books and volumes and publications of geology and mineralogy, with allied subjects.

The collection and setting up of the library was a cooperative process by library workers and the West Texas Geological Society. Mrs. Mary Bevin, librarian, is credited with doing a lot of groundwork for the project. And currently Mrs. Lucille Carroll is doing a lot of library work for the project.

Interesting facts about the library reveal it has a rare old physics book donated by F. M. McGuigan of Midland. There are collected works of the American Journal of Science from 1896 to date in 154 books. There are up-to-date collections of two magazines read by most oil personnel—the Oil and Gas Journal and The Oil Weekly. Also filed are copies of the U. S. Geological Survey and a bibliography of economic geology. Some foreign geology volumes are contained, including works from France, Canada and China.

Began in 1935
The West Texas Geological Society began the library in 1935 in the fall when it named a library committee composed of E. Russell Lloyd and Addison Young, which solicited cash donations from society members in order to subscribe to geological journals and to buy a few geological books.

Early in 1941 John Emery Adams



Ronald K. DeFord

donated a number of geological publications. Shortly afterward Lawrence Lees and University Lands and others gave numbers of bulletins of the Geological Society of America. This was made a complete set from 1903 to date.

R. V. Hollingsworth was active in 1943 in procuring donations of publications from many sources such as state surveys, museums and individuals.

A large donation by Lloyd in the fall of 1943 more than doubled the number of volumes.

It was that year the Midland County Library assigned a separate room to the technical collection.

Grows in 1945
In 1945 a large donation by W. A. Waldschmidt greatly added to the scope of the library.

There have been many donors and some gave many valuable additions when they entered military service.

Ronald K. DeFord has been active in promoting this technical library throughout its 10 years of life.

Recently added equipment is a micro-film reader, which will make available many publications from Washington and other points, where there is only one copy of a volume or publication.

Although it generally is a library for the technical oil man, the library provides an interesting chance for research and study by laymen. The library exchanges books and volumes with other libraries if there is duplication.

Farm-To-Market Road Program Prospects Good

Midland County's farm-to-market road program has been given the approval of the State Highway Department, and indications are that the system will be completed by the end of next year, County Judge E. H. Barron said Saturday.

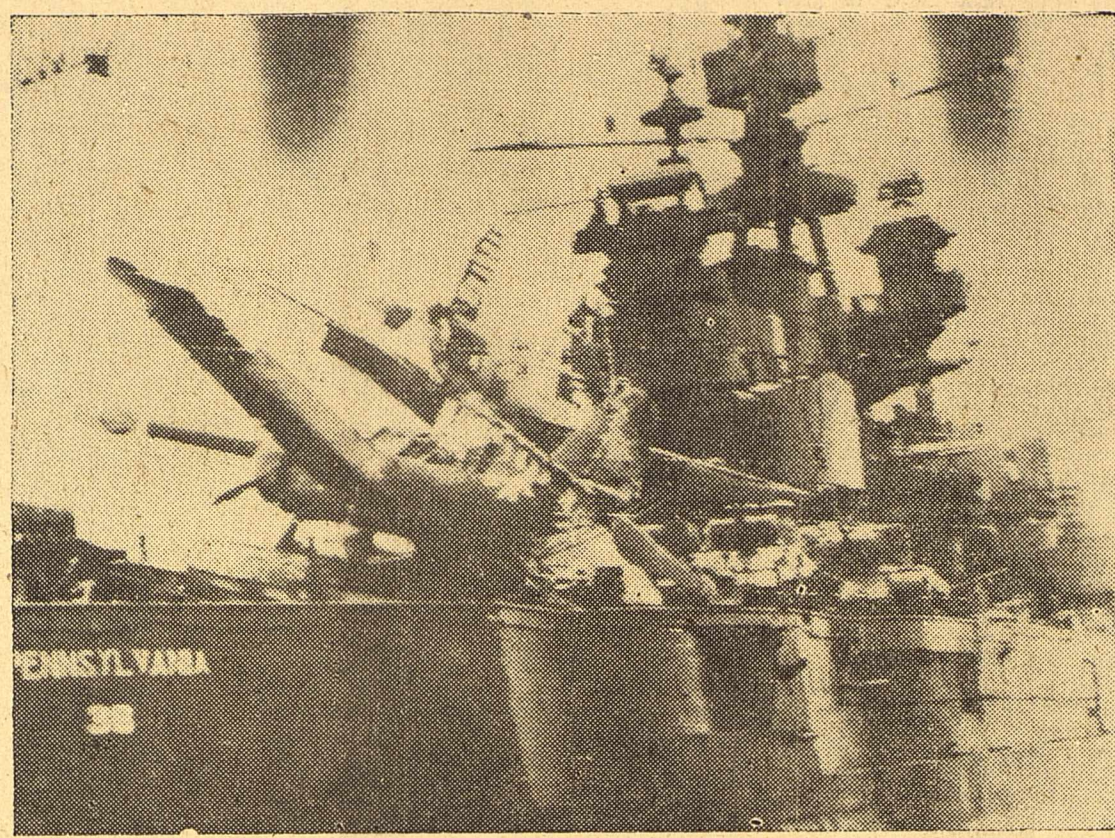
The right-of-way already has been procured and the state has allocated funds for a 10-mile extension of the Cloverdale road to the Stokes community. The contract is expected to be let as soon as plans are completed.

The extension of the three and a half mile paved road will serve one of the best agricultural sections of the county.

An extension of about four miles to the road to the Midland Municipal Airport also has been approved by the state, but it probably will not be included in the department's program this year. The extension would give residents of the north part of the county an all-weather road from the Midland-Martin County line, and would provide access to the Mabey and Texas Company oil fields of Eastern Andrews and Martin Counties.

The present blacktopped road is an extension of Big Spring Street to the airport and is about three miles in length.

Bomb Damage To Battleship Pennsylvania



This is a close view of the damage caused by the atomic bomb to the aft section of the battleship USS Pennsylvania. Note the twisted and burned planes in the foreground.

(NEA Telephoto)

If You Drive Don't Drink, If You Drink Don't Drive, Says Texas Highway Patrol

If you drive, don't drink. If you drink, don't drive.

That is sound advice if the records of the Midland territory's highway patrolmen are any indication—and they are.

Six deaths have resulted from drinking so far this year in the Midland and Odessa areas, according to patrolmen.

Out of six pedestrians killed two were drinking, officers said.

The two highway patrolmen who serve Midland are becoming concerned over the alarming death toll on highways in 1946. They consider

Highway 80 between Midland and Odessa as one of the most dangerous spots in Texas on which to drive or ride.

Here is the death toll of Midland and its surrounding territory so far in 1946: in the city of Midland, four persons killed; in the county, six persons killed; in the city of Odessa, three persons killed; in Ector County, six persons killed. Three persons have been killed between Midland and Odessa; one person was killed between Odessa and Andrews; two persons were killed between Odessa and Kermit; one person was killed in Crane County; and three were killed between Odessa and McCombs.

Patrolmen say that in 50 per cent of the fatal accidents the drivers had no driver's license.

Four persons killed in Midland were pedestrians. Two killed in Odessa were pedestrians.

About one-fourth of all the land in the Netherlands is below sea level.

Mrs. Norris Resigns Winkler County Post

KERMIT — The resignation of Mrs. Mary Norris as clerk of Winkler County Selective Service board has been accepted by the board.

Mrs. Norris, who has received many favorable comments from state selective service officials for the efficient manner in which her records

COMMISSIONERS TO MEET

Only routine business is docketed for the regular monthly meeting of the County Commissioners Court at 10 a. m. Monday.

have been kept, has accepted a full time position as secretary to S. M. Melton, superintendent of Kermit schools.

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— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

John Mogford, county agent of Ward County, reports some interesting results on a DDT spraying program recently completed in his county. John conducted the demonstration on the Burkholder Brothers' ranch at Barstow. The demonstration was started April 19, at which time two lots of cattle were selected and weighed. One lot was dipped in a DDT solution for the control of horn flies and lice. The other lot was not treated. Both lots were turned out on similar ranges. The lot that was treated on April 19 received another treatment

on May 5. Both lots were rounded up on June 13 and weighed again. The treated lot had gained an average of 1.2 pounds per head per day, while the untreated lot had lost an average of 8.1 pounds per head for the entire period. The treated lot made an average gain of 61.3 pounds which at 12 cents per pound would amount to \$7.36. This is indeed an eye opener to some, that the control of external parasites will pay off in dollars and cents.

The run of cattle at the Midland livestock auction was light this week with prices slightly higher than a week ago.

Former Midlander Is Made Regional Deputy For WAA

George D. McCormick, former purchasing agent for the City of Midland, has been appointed deputy regional director with the War Assets Administration with headquarters in San Antonio.

McCormick formerly was with the Reconstruction Finance Corporation following his discharge from active military service to which he went directly from his job with the city here.

He is the son of Mrs. Mollie McCormick, pioneer, Midlander, and was an officer in two wars. He is a major in the U. S. Army Officers Reserve Corps. He was in service two and one-half years in World War II and had overseas service in England as a captain.

Chinese equivalent of "bottoms up" is "kan-pai."

The Top O' Texas Rodeo and Horse Show Association has announced plans for the annual Quarter Horse Show to be held at Pampa July 16. Entries should be mailed to the Secretary, Top O'Texas Horse Show Association, Pampa, by July 15. Horses entered in this show must actually be registered in some recognized Quarter Horse breed association or certified as being eligible for such registration. The American Quarter Horse Association and the National Quarter Horse Breeders Association are offering trophies to the top animals in the show. The premium list sets up a total of \$600 in premiums for the winners. This show is being held in conjunction with the annual rodeo and winners in the various classes will be exhibited during the Friday evening performance of the rodeo.

The annual Scurry County Rodeo is being held at Snyder on July 17, 18, 19, and 20. The boys over at Snyder have rebuilt their grand-

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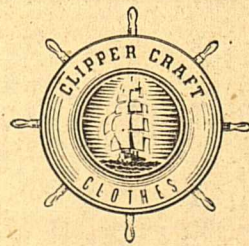
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Sits Down For Priorities



Unable to get priorities to continue his contracting business, former Air Force Lt. Jack McElhose, of Los Angeles, staged a sit-down strike in the local Federal Housing Authority office. He has materials to build but says he has been told that he is subject to a three-year jail term if he builds without FHA authority.

Kermit Lions Club To Install Thursday

KERMIT—Newly elected officers of the Kermit Lions Club are to be installed at a meeting Thursday night, in the I.O.O.F. Hall. A special program is being arranged, and the affair also has been designated as ladies night.

Fred Jordan, of Brownfield, district governor, is expected to be present to conduct installation services.

Since the regular meeting day, held.

News About Kermit People Briefly Told

KERMIT — Mr. and Mrs. Billy Driver are on a trip to Hot Springs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore have returned from a trip to Hot Springs, N. M., where they were vacationing and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Cole are on a 10-day trip to Sterling City where they are visiting his relatives.

This week came on the July 4 holiday, no meeting of the club was held.

Dirt, Squirt —

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stand and arena and promise to put on their biggest and best rodeo ever held in that city.

Frank Elkins, who lives about one mile east of Midland, has proof that by a lot of work and by trying different methods, fruit and other such "hard to grow crops" will do good in this area. Elkins has one of the finest orchards and grape vineyards in this section of the state. He has about one acre in grapes that promise a record crop this year. Elkins practices planting a cover crop in his orchard and working it the year round. This has paid off in healthier trees and increased yields.

That the merchants of Midland are behind the farm and ranch youth of this area was evidenced by their recent approval of the entire premium list for the 1947 Midland Livestock Show. This premium list of over a thousand dollars will make another livestock show possible for the 4-H and FFA Club boys of this area, and in addition will enable the show to expand and include a horse division and a registered sheep division. The farmers and ranchers of this section thank you, Mr. Merchant.

The county agent's office is receiving lists of surplus war materials from the War Assets Administration, so if any of you are interested in looking over these lists, contact the office on the third floor of the court house.

Miss Carlynn Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cox of Glasscock County, attended the Pecos Rodeo as the Midland sponsor. Accompanying Miss Cox were her father and Hugh Crouch of Garden City.

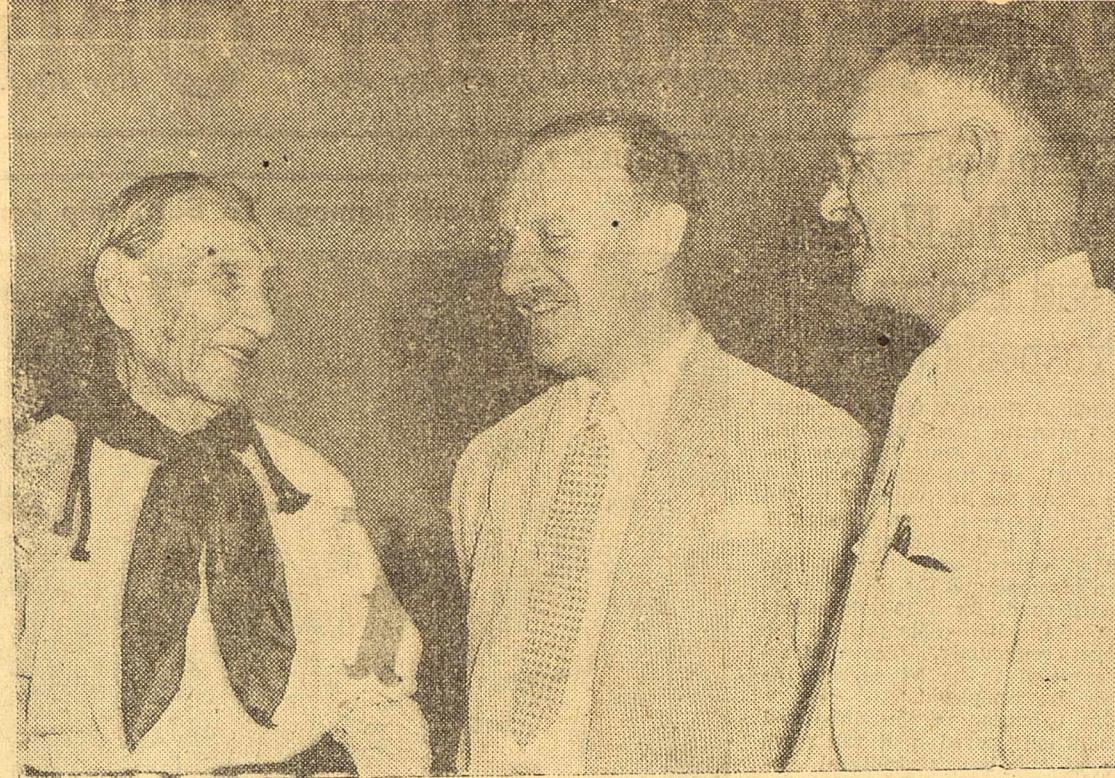
Most ranges in this section have been helped by the recent rains during the last week or two. Many ranchers report their ranges in good condition at this time. Some ranges up in New Mexico that have been dry for a year or two have received rain during the past week. There has been a slight increase in livestock shipments to market the past week, due to a better market price. Most wool produced in this area has been sold and prices have been slightly higher than last year. Shrinkage appraisals show less shrinkage on the average than last year's clip.

County Judge E. H. Barron, president of the Midland Livestock show, has called a meeting of the board of directors for Thursday, July 11, at 2:30 p. m. The meeting will be held in the county court room. Plans for the 1947 livestock show will be completed at this time. Directors of the show are from Midland, Martin, Upton and Glasscock counties.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelly of Martin County were in town last week. Their son, Benny, showed a calf in the Midland Livestock Show this spring. Kelly reports there are very few club calves on feed in Martin County this year. The feed scarcity and high prices are a big factor in the calves being fed.

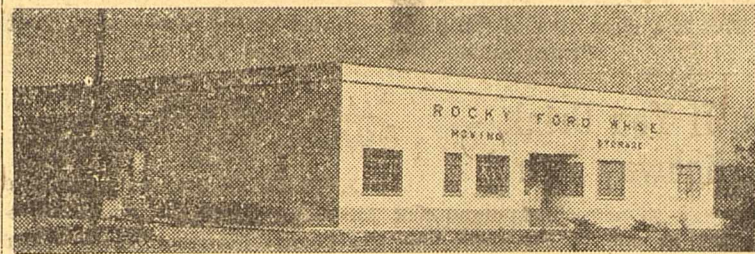
County Agent C. Snell of Upton County recently resigned his position to enter private business. Snell has long been an outstanding county agent in this part of the state. He was for a number of years county agent for Schleicher County

Greetings From British King To Osage Chief



Capt. H. Cotton Minchin, center, British consul at Kansas City, extends greetings of the King and Queen of England and the British people to Principal Chief Fred Lookout of the Osage tribe of Indians, as T. B. Hall, superintendent of the Osage Indian agency, looks on. Minchin's greetings resulted from the fact that Chief Lookout, left, conferred honorary Osage membership on British Ambassador Lord Halifax in the Osage County about a year ago. The ceremony was held during the inauguration of the old chief for his 10th term in office as head of the tribe.

Rocky Ford Company Plans To Build Addition To Large Warehouse Here



Opening of the Rocky Ford Moving Vans warehouse at 510 South Big Spring Street on July 7, 1943, provided a bonded storage facility of about 12,000 feet for Midland, and the company now is planning to add an additional 8,000 feet of floor space as soon as material is available.

Plans of the company also call for the laying of railroad tracks to the

Work On New School Buildings Progresses

Work on the \$370,000 improvement program for the Midland Independent School District system was reported Saturday to be progressing satisfactorily, after delays occasioned by shortages of labor and material.

Erick work on the new West Elementary School is nearing completion, and laying of brick at the new South Elementary School now is well underway.

Construction of the cafeteria at the North Elementary School also has been started.

South American catfish in time of drought migrate across dry land in schools to find new water.

and while there his 4-H Club boys won many high honors with their fat lambs. Snell plans to enter business at Lampasas.

New Well To Assure Kermit Water Supply

KERMIT—The city of Kermit is now assured of an adequate water supply for some time. W. M. Walker, city commissioner who is supervising the drilling of a water well in City Park, has announced.

The well has been drilled to a depth of 400 feet, and completion is to be made in more than 46 feet of water pay. Walker said that five water pay sands had been passed to find an adequate supply. The well was swabbed and cleaned this weekend and will be placed on the pump early this week.

In Ethiopia, it is possible in a single day to travel from a region of oppressive heat to one of intense cold.

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Young Brothers Held For Series Of Kermit Thefts

KERMIT—A series of burglaries was ended last week with the arrest of two local youths, and the recovery of the major part of loot which was missing from local stores.

Three stores were entered during the past two weeks, including the Kermit Pharmacy, Best Drug, and Justrite Jewelry.

Two brothers are being held in county jail, according to Sheriff F. E. Summers, awaiting hearing in juvenile court. Both have been living here only a few weeks.

The Kermit Pharmacy was robbed last Sunday night of \$65 in cash which had been hidden in a cigar box. This loss first led to suspicion that the robbery was an inside job. One of the brothers worked for the drug store for a short time.

The second burglary occurred Thursday night of last week, when the Best Drug reported \$3 missing from the cash register, and several cartons of cigarettes and miscellaneous items taken.

The Justrite Jewelry was entered Monday night, and about \$600 in merchandise, mostly wrist watches, was taken. When the youths were arrested they admitted all three of the burglaries, Summers said. All of the watches and part of the \$65 in cash was recovered.

TWO MEN DISCHARGED

T/4 William H. Chambers and T/5 Corbie D. Friday of Midland have been discharged from the Army at the Fort Sam Houston personnel center.

MADE OWN SCHOOL

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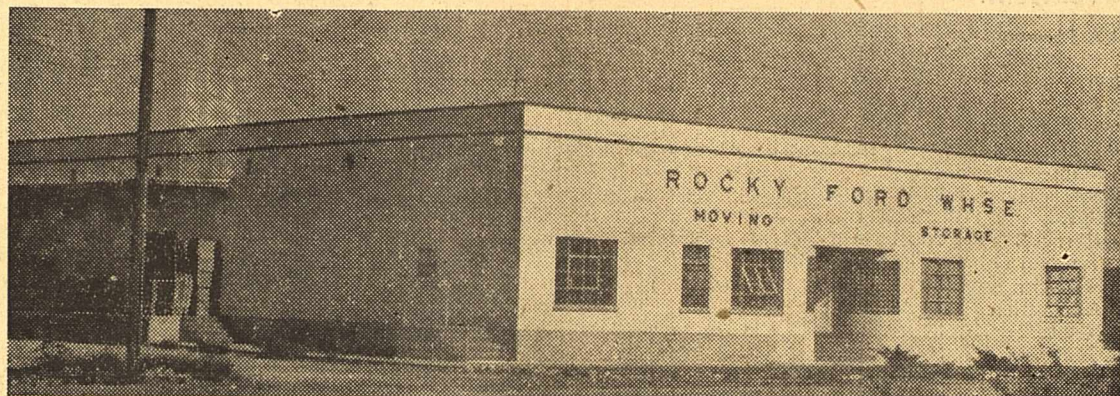
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Popularity Poll

For years commencement orators have been asking,
"Whither are we drifting?" And now, in one of the most
interesting nationwide polls that his organization has
ever conducted, Dr. George Gallup has come up with
what seems to be a tolerably accurate answer.

This answer is a consensus of answers from all walks
of life, to the Gallup Poll question, "What person living
today do you admire most?" And it indicates that we
are drifting right down the middle of the road.

America's No. 1 pin-up boy is General MacArthur,
with General Eisenhower in second place. National at-
tention may seem focused on foreign relations and do-
mestic economy. Congressional sentiment seems anti-
militaristic. Yet these men are soldiers, not politicians.
Perhaps the people haven't forgotten the war, after all,
and are expressing admiration for two war records un-
blemished and perhaps enhanced in the months of peace.

The remaining eight favorites in the top 10 are as-
sociated with politics. The President of the United States
is running third, and his predecessor's widow is in fourth
place. The only living ex-president, a conservative Re-
publican, is sixth, in front of the younger and more lib-
eral Republican hopefuls, Thomas E. Dewey and Harold
Stassen.

But before Hoover comes that doughty, conservative
British statesman, Winston Churchill. And behind Hoov-
er, ahead of Dewey and Stassen, is Henry A. Wallace,
an ardent New Dealer if there ever was one. Secretary
of State Byrnes gets a vote of confidence and tenth place.

Dr. Gallup's top 10 are interesting enough, but the
list of prominent also-rans intrigues us even more. You
won't find John L. Lewis or James C. Petrillo or any of
the du Ponts among them, but Frank Sinatra and Betty
Grable are there.

Justice Jackson made the also-rans, but not Justice
Black. Clark Gable got there, but not Maurice Evans.
Bob Hope, but not Fred Allen or Jack Benny or Fibber
McGee. Helen Hayes, but not Katharine Cornell.

And what does it all mean? Apparently, if Dr. Gal-
lup's pulse-feeling is up to normal accuracy, it means
that our most vocal citizens and groups are not the voice
of the people. It means that labor hasn't captured the
public, nor has big business been enshrined in the hearts
of its countrymen.

Those who claim to speak for the common man would
do well to study this list of the common man's current
ideals. It reveals that while we remain sharply divided,
the travail of war and the turmoil of peace have not
brought any sharp changes. It may be as confusing as it
is enlightening. But the revolution evidently isn't just
around the corner.

Return Of The Spud

Our wheat conservation program may succeed in
restoring the potato to its rightful high estate in this
country. Perhaps such a minor by-product of the im-
portant business of saving lives is unworthy of attention.
Yet it must be admitted that the humble spud has taken
quite a kicking-around in late years.

The potato, as the Department of Agriculture points
out, is not fattening. A good-sized one contains no more
calories than an average serving of peas or corn, or two
slices of bread. But to hear the diet faddists talk, one
would think that a potato was 100 per cent butterfat.

The trouble, of course, lies in what we put on the
potato. And so, because of gravies and cream and gobs
of butter, the seekers after slimmness have felt constrained
to pass up the tasty tuber and thus deny themselves one
of the noble plebeian delicacies.

A boiled or baked potato, anointed with salt and less
butter than you would put on a slice of bread, offers
wonderful low-calory nourishment.

And—to get right down to cases—if you think you
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think of it, no secretary of the treasury has spoken such
words in years. Somehow, they sound pretty good.

They contain some ingredients of the preventive
medicine against inflation which seem to have been over-
looked. Snyder, of course, cannot mix those ingredients
himself. But it is good to hear his prescription, and we
hope he receives able and hearty assistance in filling it.

Perhaps It's Started

China's Cardinal Tien, believing that World War III
is inevitable, advises us to fight it immediately and get it
over with before any more horrible weapons are de-
veloped.

It would seem, alas, that some millions of the Cardi-
nal's unhappy countrymen are not only following his
advice, but had actually anticipated it.

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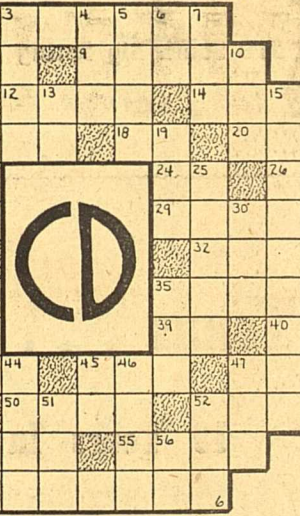
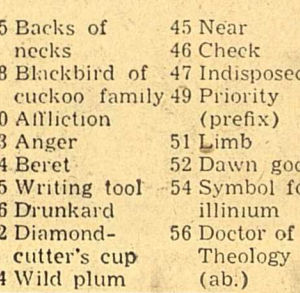
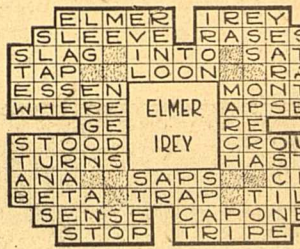
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Scientist Herds Germs Into Flag

SYRACUSE (AP)—Vari-colored
germs thriving on an agar culture
became an American flag when Dr.
George Valley combines science and
art.

The scientist, head of the bacteri-
ology research department of
Bristol Laboratories, Inc., has just
completed his first American flag
made from living germs.

The germs he uses, some of which
would cause considerable discomfort
in the system of a human being,
are part of his collection of 125
species for the more serious work
of learning the effects of penicillin.

As Dr. Valley explains it, the
stars and white stripes of the flag
are made from Staphylococcus
Albus, the red stripes from Bacil-
lus Prodigiosus. The stars huddle
in a blue field of Vioceum.

Each germ is invisible to the
naked eye when Dr. Valley plants
it on the agar with a fine pointed
needle. The culture has to be
"cooked" at various temperatures
to develop the right colors.

Dr. Valley's flag, thriving in a
circular dish, remains covered. A
stray breath of sneeze might add
other germs, and spoil the color
effect.

The bacteriologist also can make
"pretty valentines" from "Bacillus
Prodigious," he explained, "but
that germ has such a fishy smell
I decided the ladies wouldn't ap-
preciate the sentiment."

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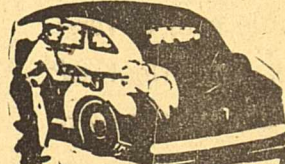
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By ROSETTE HARGROVE
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PARIS — Serge Lifar is still a lit-
tle huffy.

France's "purge commission" has
exonerated him of charges of col-
laboration with the Germans, but
until he once again appears at the
Paris Opera he refuses to dance in
any other capital in the world.

Nevertheless Lifar has been busy.
His "New Monte Carlo Ballet" won
critical acclaim at Monte Carlo it-
self and in Italy this past season.

Paris critics admit that the Op-
era needs Lifar. Once before Lifar
came to its rescue. In 1929, when
he first joined the organization,
the Opera Ballet was on the brink
of dancing disrepute. Lifar mod-
ernized it, breathed new life into
the old organization and watched
its prestige grow until it was con-
sidered the greatest ballet in the
world.

Not so successful were Lifar's
two brief invasions of the United
States.

In 1933, he went to New York
with a small troupe of his own, ap-
pearing at the St. James Theatre.
The critics were unimpressed, and
the group lasted only a few weeks.

Five years later he returned
under the sponsorship of the Bal-
let Russe de Monte Carlo. His
fiery temperament clashed with
other dancers of the Ballet; he
challenged any who opposed him
to fight a duel and finally returned
to France in a huff.

While Lifar has been cleared of
the collaboration charges, he still
feels hurt because anyone would
ever accuse him of such a thing.
His actions, throughout the period
of German occupation, were al-
ways patriotic, he believes, even
if the Germans nightly attended
the performances he directed at
the Paris Opera.

At the request of city authori-
ties, Lifar first directed and later
was "Maitre de ballet" during the
occupation period. This was to
keep the Germans from getting
control of the ballet.

"The Germans were never al-



Serge Lifar strikes a character-
istic pose. Art critics call him
"Michaelangelo of the Dance."

lowed to interfere in the direction
of the Opera's ballet," Lifar em-
phasizes. "On the contrary, this
was one domain where the arm
of occupation never scored a vic-
tory."

"If the Germans were such as-
siduous spectators of our ballet
performances and unsparing in
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BY ALICIA HART

NEA Staff Writer

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Many Issues Up In Election Of New Mexican President Sunday

MEXICO CITY —(AP)— "Imposition," hunger of the poor, Communism, religion and possible influence of the United States in Mexican affairs are among the issues in Mexico's campaign to elect a new president and a congress Sunday.

The successor to President Manuel Avila Camacho will take office December 1 for a single six-year term. The two leading candidates, Miguel Aleman and Ezequiel Padilla, both are former members of Avila Camacho's cabinet. Gen. J. Augustin Castro, former secretary of national defense, and Gen. Enrique Calderon, a career soldier, also are in the race.

Campaign arguments have been heated, but somewhat one-sided. It is Padilla, former secretary of foreign affairs, who usually attacks, and Aleman, former secretary of the interior, who ignores the repeated blasts. Padilla is the opposition and Aleman represents the party in power. He is backed by the official party, PRI (Partido Revolucionario Institucional), and the great mass of people on the

public payroll are committed to his support.

Crowd Fired Upon

"Imposition" is a widespread cry, which however was not invented by Padilla. It is the charge that the government and PRI put their men in office by their influence and by elections which have been denounced as fraudulent by angry crowds.

In one case, at Leon, January 2,

a crowd protesting against the "imposition" of a PRI mayor was fired upon by troops which killed 30 and wounded 300. In Monterrey, second industrial city, PRI opponents charged election results had been disregarded and officials "imposed" but the supreme court refused to intervene.

Roughly, both the leading candidates think Mexico needs food, goods, education and honesty.

Mexico, formerly self-supporting, now imports one-seventh of what she eats. Even the tortilla is one-fifth corn from the United States, and half the wheat for her little mills is North American. Both candidates urge more irrigation and better farm methods with state aid and direction.

Nearly half of Mexico's 21,000,000 population is illiterate.

Altogether there are nine parties participating in the elections. They are the PRI, supporting Aleman; the UDM, supporting Padilla; the National Constitutionalist Party, supporting General Castro; the National Popular Revolution Restoration Party, supporting General Calderon; the National Action Party, the Revolution Unification Front, the National Independent Democratic Party, the Popular Strength Party and the Mexican Communist Party.

There are about 4,900,000 eligible voters (eligible electors must be able to read and write) and about 2,760,000 registered men are expected to vote.

SLOPPY FIT HIDES BEAUTIFUL CURVES

By ALICIA HART

NEA Staff Writer

If there could be a survey taken of the women whose lovely curves are buried under sack-like clothes, I'm willing to wager that the poll would reveal some startling figures. And no pun is intended.

The trick of fitting clothes so that they are neither a half inch too large nor too small is a rare art. Few women seem to master it. But those who do certainly have an advantage over those who refuse to pay alteration charges for a

good fitter's services or take an ill-fitting dress in hand themselves and pirouette in front of a pier-glass mirror with a mouthful of pins.

Nothing, for example, obscures a good figure more than a baggy jacket which is designed to hug the torso. Nothing buries the trim line of hips like double thicknesses of cloth around them which could be thinned out. There is practically no point in having a tiny waist, if a woman allows a loose waistband to add inches to its apparent size.

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LET EYES SHINE BEHIND GLASSES

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

If you wear glasses, a sleek coiffure is better to wear than a fluffy one which can throw disturbing shadows on your lenses.

So believe glamorously bespectacled models, who've worked out all the angles on eye-glasses. Another point they buck for is to style hair for youthfulness to counteract any aging effects of glasses.

Although you shouldn't try to hide your glasses with unbecoming brims, there should be enough hat to shield glasses from light reflections, models say.

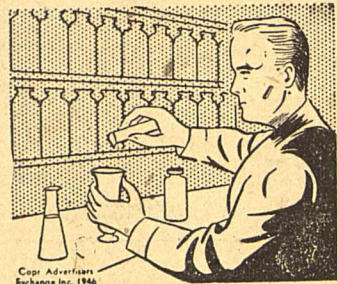
What models know — and other bespectacled beauties should, too — is that you can make your eyes as deep-fringed as gentians, if you

like, and get away with it. Lucky for you, your lenses will safeguard your artifice. One model says she uses a dark eyebrow pencil to extend the corners of her lids, and for what purpose, do you suppose? To fake two great big beautiful eyes behind her crystal shields.

But eye shadow is verboten. The use of it tends to throw shadows where you don't want them — under your eyes.

EBBING AMONG WHITES

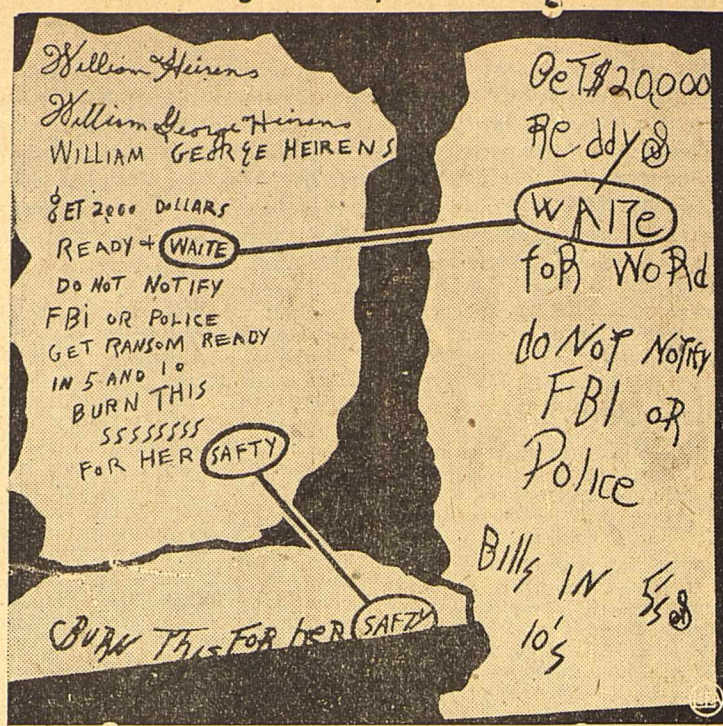
Leprosy is disappearing among white people, but not among other races, there being, for example, at least 200,000 cases among Chinese and Japanese in the Philippines today.



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Check Degnan Suspect's Handwriting



Chicago police dictated the Degnan kidnap-killer's ransom note to William Heirens, 17-year-old suspect, and the result is pictured at left, above, compared with the actual ransom note, seen at right. Police noted that Heirens made the same misspellings of the words "wait" and "safety" as appeared on kidnaper's message.

Lowly Quonset Returns From Wars, May Take Place Of Old Red Barn

By NEA Service
CHICAGO—The old red barn and the little white chicken house that have dotted American farms in the past may become another post-war casualty.

And the lowly Quonset hut has hastened their doom.

War experience in handling all-purpose steel buildings, plus experience gained by agriculture colleges and experimental farms sponsored by members of the American Iron and Steel Institute, are expected to result in extensive use of pre-fabricated buildings.

American farmers are getting ready for the biggest and most significant building program in their history. They have 15 billion dollars in savings and an annual income of 17 billion dollars to spend. With lumber scarce, they may well turn to steel for materials.

Such buildings have certain definite advantages.

All Purpose
They are more easy to construct than conventional wooden farm

buildings. (During the war, a two-page set of instructions enabled an untrained GI to build a Quonset hut.)

They are fireproof.

By unbolting sections, they can be quickly altered to fit varying requirements, or moved about the farm.

They are easier to insulate. There seems little demand for huge hay barns of the past. It is more profitable to use baled hay which requires less handling and less storage space. Since the farmers' requirements change, the modern farmer needs a poultry house that can be converted to the use of hogs or sheep. His open air shed should be able to house grain or machinery, even cattle and sheep.

Acceptance of the new ideas probably will come first from the boys and girls who step from Four-H clubs to farms of their own, and from agriculture school graduates who have to watch the experts try new ideas, find new answers that solve old problems.

New Ideas Tried
And the experts are trying anything they think will help farming in general.

An experimental steel pen barn has been built of interlocking panels. Wall sections can be removed to check insulation for moisture. Stalls can be rearranged for the better handling of livestock. A steel pen is shaped like a submarine turret with hinged top that lifts like the hood of an automobile to provide additional sunlight and ventilation, or closed tight in colder weather to provide extra interior heat.

Tests have shown that insulated hog houses average from 22 to 29 degrees warmer inside in cold weather.

Tool sheds, dairy barns, hen houses, all are being built of steel. A "Gothic" hen house patterned after war-time Quonsets, with an air space between its inner and outer walls has louvers in the gap between the walls which allow for the passage of cool air in summer but can be closed to provide dead air insulation in winter.

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German Girl Says Clothes, Food, And Yank Boy Friends Major Problems

(This is one of a series of columns written for Hal Boyle by representative Germans, expressing their own uncensored views of their nation's future. In this article a middle-class fraulein tells of her problems in the occupied Reich.)

BERLIN—(AP)—I am a fraulein 23 years old, fairly good looking, and still with high hopes in my mind—because I hope this world will some day come to an understanding.

Trouble nowadays consists of two different groups. We are, as German girls, involved with the problem of national hardship and the feat of what will become of our country in the future. Besides that political problem, we have our own little girl problems starting with "fraternization"—whether or not to have an American boy friend—and ending with your very same trouble: is there no way to get a pair of stockings?

But there is this difference: we don't worry about nylons. They are nothing but a fairy tale to us anyway.

I have a deep-deep feeling for my country. For all the bad things which were done under Hitler it is still the nation of Luther, Kant, Beethoven, Bach, Duerer and Wagner.

Politically, I don't see much difference between the British and the Americans in their attitude toward Germany.

I don't understand their policy and I don't agree with their future plans for Germany. Why do they keep us at war after one year of Allied victory? What is the use of talking so much about "democracy" and reconstruction if there is not the principal basis for it: peace. I feel they should not restrict us too much. Let Germany start running again—have its industries working again first—and then take the reparations you and other countries desire.

Seven Girls To Each Man

I am just in the marriage age. I wonder whether I will ever find the right husband. From the newspapers I learn that there are seven girls to every man in Berlin. I certainly don't want to share my boy friend or future husband with six other girls.

Generally speaking, I am very much in favor of American-German marriages. I consider this a very lucky solution for the poor girls who otherwise would have to stay single all their lives.

I would marry an American. I feel I am marrying the man and not his nationality. If I love him I don't care what nation he belongs

to, and I will follow him wherever he has to go.

I like to have dates, meet nice people, do a bit of flirting, throw a big party. I like an opera performance, a piano concert, a horse-back ride in the morning, a golf game or a boat sail.

But very few of us can realize this, unless we have a friend in the occupation Army. Many people watch German girls accompanied by an American with bitter ideas in their heads, but I cannot blame anybody or even myself for catching a little bit of this sunny side of the street.

I hate to run around improperly dressed in shabby shoes and worn-out clothes. If there is no other way I even go to the black market.

When you go shopping, you meet all the daily problems combined. You have to take egg powder instead of meat and when you ask for your sugar rations you have to take crackers because they don't have sugar. You pass up the vegetable store because the queue there is so long you decide you would lose more calories standing in line than you get from the vegetables.

Trade Furniture For Food

The family sits together in the evening discussing the project of selling a carpet or trading a china set for food.

I hate to see my mother as skinny as she is. She loves it if I bring her home some candy or a pack of powdered milk. But she would never want me to accept anything which is something else than a gift.

She needn't worry though.

I have American friends, I have German friends. I know British and French people.

They treat me as a lady—not as a kraut. I am very grateful toward my American friends because they make me forget my daily troubles for a little while. They have made me curious about the States.

One thing I know—I will go there and see the country and the people as soon as I have a chance. I wish also many Americans would have the desire to come here and find out that there is also something nice about our country.

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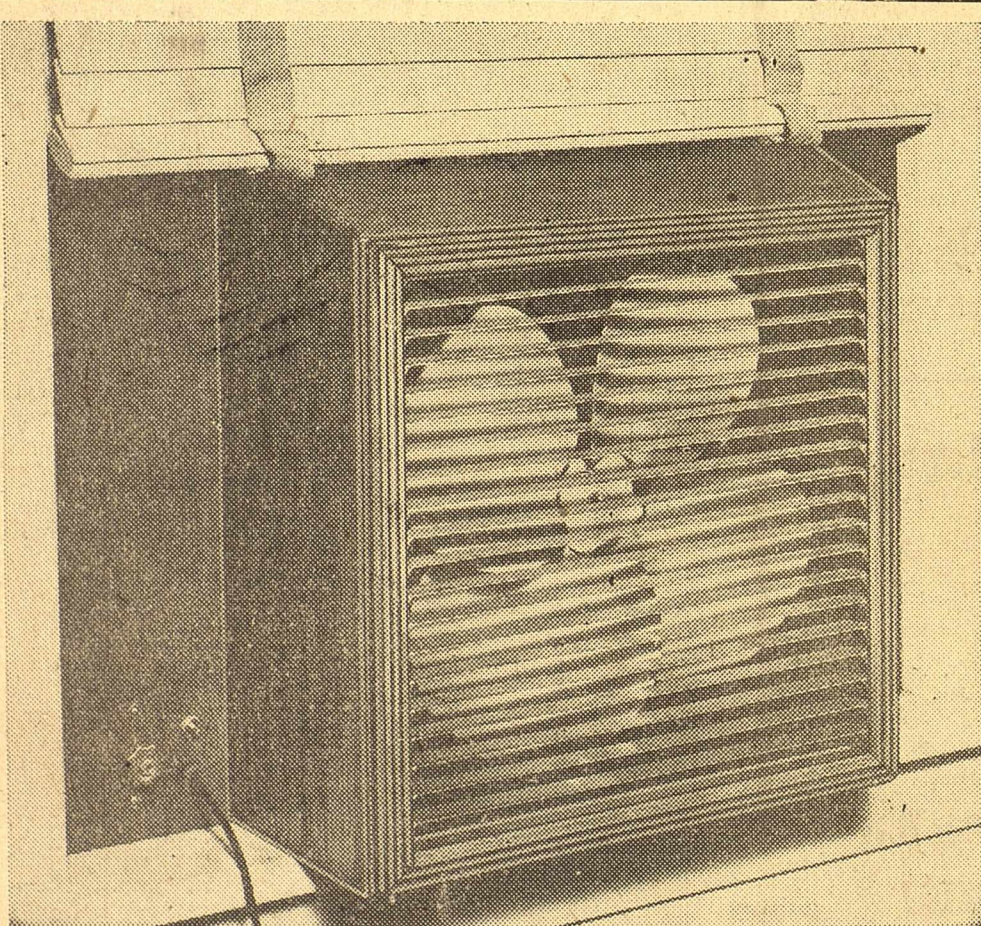
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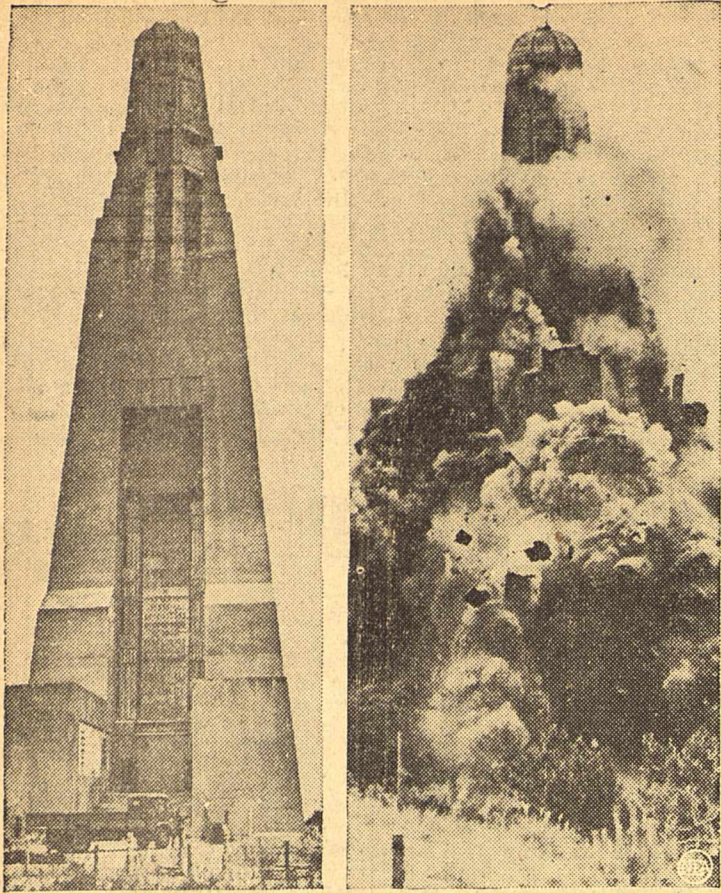
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Captured official German photographs, above, show that the Nazis blew up a French memorial to World War I American troops, at Pointe de Grave on the Gironde estuary, near Bordeaux, in 1942. The memorial, which served as a navigation landmark, is described in German captions as "a perpetual insult to the German seamen." Caption on photo at left said: "At the mouth of the Gironde stood this 60-meter cold and tasteless block of iron." Photo at right shows the column being blown up. German caption said: "Punctually at 1400 hours... this disgraceful block flew into the air..."

Packs Of Dogs Reported Here

Several residents to the north and northwest of the city have reported that a pack or packs of dogs are roaming in those areas. Mrs. Vern Cubit, who lives on the Andrews Highway, returned from a vacation trip to find that the dogs had broken into her rabbitry and killed 23 rabbits with an estimated value of about \$130. Most of the rabbits were of pedigree stock and many had papers. The dogs were seen by neighbors, and one nearby resident fired into the pack.

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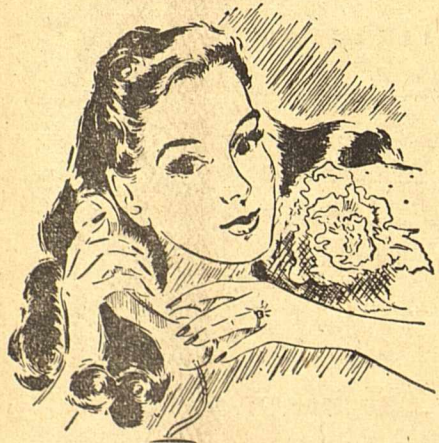
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SECTION FOUR

District Supervisors Approve New Soil And Water Conservation Plans

Nineteen new soil and water conservation plans were approved by the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District supervisors at their regular meeting last week, Herd Midkiff, district supervisor, announced Saturday. These plans were made a part of a cooperative agreement with the district for the application of a complete conservation program on 12,644 acres of farm and range land. Assistance in applying the conservation measures will be furnished by the Soil Conservation Service.

Athletic Goods To Remain Scarce Until Next Year

By CHARLES COLONY
WASHINGTON—(AP)—It'll be next year before supplies of most types of sporting goods measure up to the terrific demand.

A tremendous boom in fishing, hunting, golf, baseball and other sports, together with shortages of materials, has brought about demands that can't be satisfied this year, the Commerce Department reported Monday.

Here is the Commerce Department's view of the outlook for buyers:

Fishing equipment—Strikes have decreased the supply of steel and brass for fishing tackle, and bamboo from China, only satisfactory source of supply for poles, won't be available until late this year. Dealers will get about 60 per cent of a normal year's supply this year, but the supply may remain short two or three years.

Golf—Natural rubber balls should be on the market now, but allocations for crude rubber to make them are only a third of the amount required. Synthetic balls are available and are "a vast improvement over the wartime rebuilt ball." Production of clubs has been held back by a shortage of skilled labor and steel.

Tennis Supplies "Almost Enough"

Tennis—Supplies "almost able" to meet current demand. Sporting ammunition—Shells likely to remain "very short for quite some time" owing to scarcity of lead. Manufacturers have had to discontinue producing trap and skeet loads and .22 caliber cartridges.

Baseball—Limited supplies of better-grade gloves and mitts are in stock, but good bats very scarce. More adequate supplies expected by summer's end. Organized leagues are getting their requirements filled.

Football and basketball—Manufacturers are feeling the scarcity of leather heavily. Sufficient football helmets, shoulder and hip pads should be available by fall for "organized players."

Surplus military sporting equipment—Little of it has been put on the market except for skiing equipment and snowshoes.

In Humboldt County, Calif., more than 20 trees grew out of the trunk of a giant redwood which fell more than 50 years ago.

Included in the plans were the farms of P. H. Harris, J. G. Arnett, E. R. Burrus, H. A. Lowe, P. P. Herring, Edgar Tanner, Doyle McCaslin, and the ranch of Merwin Haag.

Thirteen applications for assistance in a conservation program were also approved by the supervisors on 10,500 acres including farms of W. B. Hunter, Miss Georgia Bryant, Pete E. Turner, Mrs. Nancy Tisdale, and Louise Stubbe. The supervisors also discussed the problem of wind erosion in the district and stressed the need for control. "We must do everything we can to stop the blowing of our fields if we are to prevent another dust bowl," Midkiff said.

Measures Stressed
Among the conservation measures stressed were to plant the cover crops on land that is blowing, increase the amount of stubble by planting combine maize or leaving all the stalk on other grain sorghums, and use of sub-surface tillage such as sweeps or knives so the crop residue will be left on the surface. The soil must be built up by adding all the organic matter possible in the form of cover crops and crop residue, Midkiff added.

W. M. Stuart, cooperating with the district in the Warfield Soil Conservation Group, reported that contour rows held more water after the rain last Monday than had ever been held on the field before. Rows stood full of water for more than 24 hours after the rain, Stuart said. Without contours the water would have run down the rows and into a draw.

Soil Conservation surveys were made last week by the Soil Conservation Service on the farms of H. A. Lowe and L. B. Stewart.

A moving picture with sound, "This Is Our Land" was shown last week to farmers in the Prairie Lee and Valley View Soil Conservation groups.

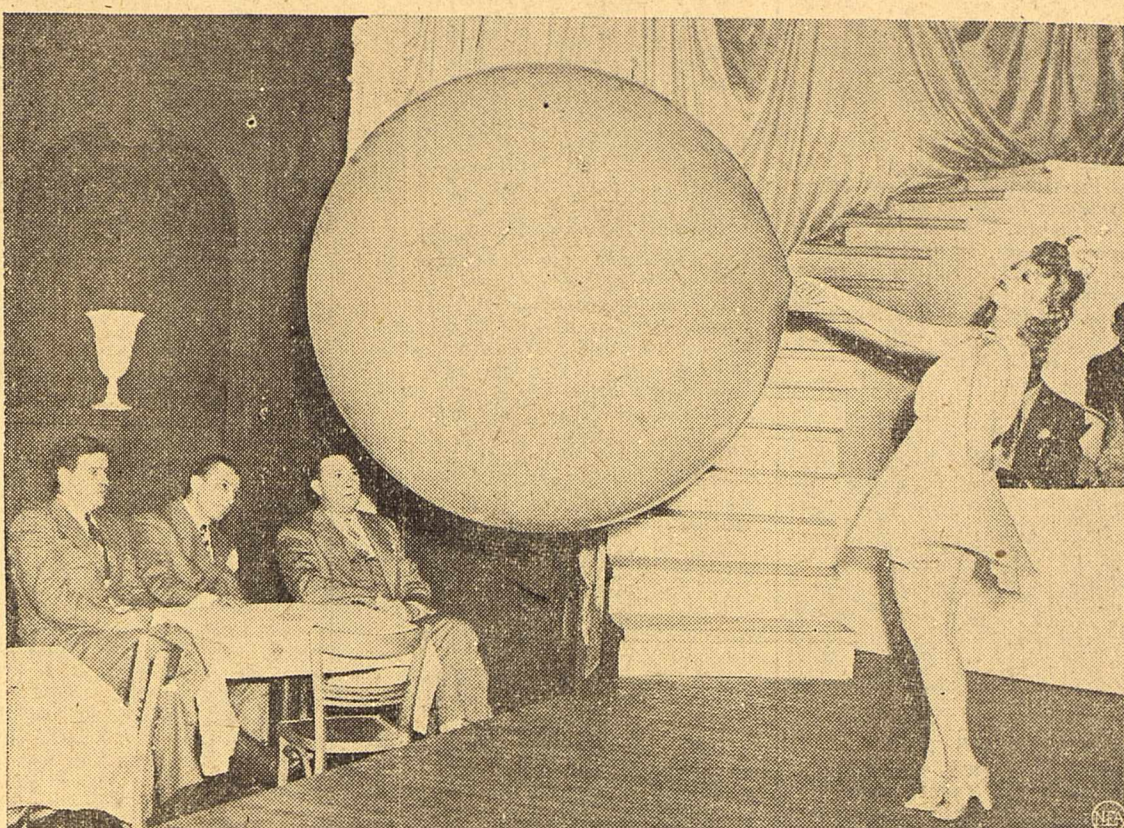
Men With Dependents Still May Enter Navy

Married men with three or less dependents still may enlist in the regular Navy, CMOHMM W. A. Cannedy, Navy recruiter, has announced.

All men accepted for enlistment in the regular Navy who have dependents will draw family allowance for the duration of the emergency plus six months unless their enlistment expires sooner, Cannedy said. Men between the ages of 17 and 64 years may be enlisted in the inactive reserve without a physical examination if they have had previous service in the Navy.

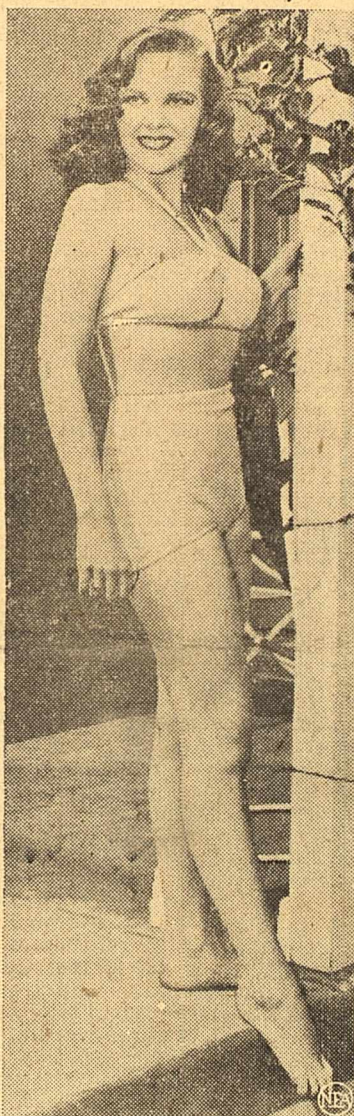
Transportation from the San Angelo sub-station to the main station will be furnished men enlisting or reenlisting under continuous or broken service.

Sally Rand in Her 'Court Costume'



"Can't judge these things on hearsay," said Municipal Judge Daniel R. Shoemaker, so he ordered court moved to the San Francisco night club where Sally Rand, arrested for indecent exposure in her famed bubble-and-fan dance, gave a command performance. Above, she shows her bubble to the jurors, explaining that it is made of wartime rubber and therefore more opaque than it used to be.

Contrary Mary



Mary Stuart, above, comes from Tulsa, Okla., which is a lot nearer to Hollywood than New York is, but she found that the longest way 'round is the shortest cut to a film career. She went to New York, worked as a model days and a photographer at night. While on the latter job, producer Joe Pasternak saw her. Result—a screen contract.

Absentee Voting In July Primary To Start Sunday

Absentee balloting for the July 27 Democratic Primary will be started Sunday and will continue through July 24. The law sets out that absentee voting will start 20 days before the date of the election, which puts the opening day on Sunday.

Eligible voters who will not be in Midland on the date of the election may cast absentee ballots. The votes may be cast in the office of the county clerk until July 23, and may be sent by mail to the County Democratic Committee until July 24.

About 150 absentee votes are expected to be cast. More than 5,000 persons will be eligible to vote in the primary, officials estimate. About 4,000 persons paid poll taxes prior to the deadline, and more than 400 are eligible to vote because of age exemptions. Persons 60 years of age or over on January 1 this year may vote without payment of poll taxes.

More than 500 servicemen who have returned to Midland County since May 1 last year will be eligible to participate in the election.

TURTLE BITE CAUSES AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

MILWAUKEE—(AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Gustav Riebow found a turtle in their back yard and decided the proper thing to do was to take it out into the country.

While enroute in the Riebow auto the turtle, a snapper, got loose and bit Riebow. He lost control of the car and ran into a tree.

Mrs. Riebow suffered cuts on the forehead. The turtle plodded away from the scene.

Eighteen-inch tall Jeffery Hudson, English 17th century dwarf, fought a duel with and killed a man four times his own height.

Moore Observing First Anniversary In Business Here

Marshall and Klari Moore are observing the first anniversary of their operation of the Ever-Ready Auto Service at 300 West Wall Street. They purchased the stock and equipment and leased the building from Fred Wemple a year ago. The station has eight employees and is open 14 hours daily. It is independently owned and operated, and in addition to its regular line of auto supplies and accessories it is distributor for U. S. and Pennsylvania tires and U. S. batteries and accessories. It offers an outstanding selection of ice boxes, refrigerators, fans, radios, radio-clocks, stoves, ranges, deep freeze units and other merchandise.

The Ever-Ready Service operates a complete washing, steam-cleaning and lubrication service, and is equipped for checking spark plugs, batteries, and wheel balance. Moore said that he and his wife are maintaining prices at the established G.P.A. levels or lower, and have adopted a policy of only purchasing from manufacturers and jobbers who are continuing a "hold the line" attitude.

Moore came here from Texarkana two years ago and for a year was employed by the Firestone store.

STATE PROSECUTOR IS ROBBERY VICTIM

CHICAGO—(AP)—Assistant State's Attorney Leo Poch, who is in charge of prosecuting criminals, started in the group of suspects charged with robberies or holdups who appeared in Criminal Court. Poch explained he was held up and robbed of \$200 and he will gladly be a complaining witness instead of prosecutor when the hold-up men are apprehended.

DEATH OF OPA CAUSES NIGHTMARES IN FLOPHOUSES

PORTLAND, ORE.—(AP)—The death of OPA hit flophouse row, and there was moaning and tearing of hair on the waterfront. The rate for a flophouse bed went up from 25 and 35 cents a night to 35 and 40 cents.

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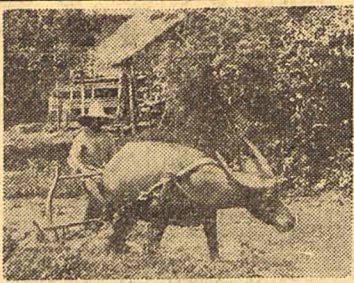
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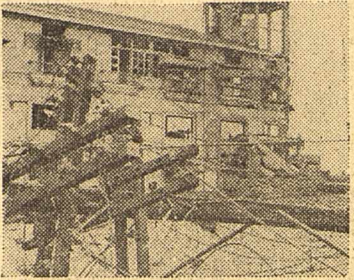
A Republic Born in Poverty

AGRICULTURE—Slaughter of work animals for food puts 40 per cent of cultivated land into idleness. Critical shortage of rice must be augmented by importation. Estimated war losses or damages: Livestock, \$40,000,000; rice, \$70,000,000; sugar, \$45,000,000; coconuts, \$25,000,000; abaca, \$20,000,000.

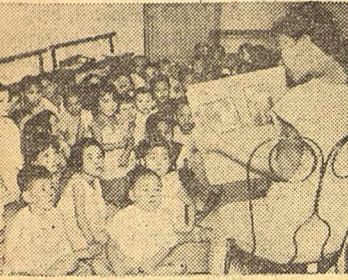


HOUSING—Once called "Pearl of the Orient," Manila now has hardly a building of any kind undamaged. Fashionable apartment houses, luxurious hotels are wrecks. Native homes burned down by retreating Japs. Replacement of lost and damaged property will cost at least \$800,000,000.

INDUSTRY—Jap seizure of mining machinery paralyzed major industry of country. Coconut production and processing crippled by lack of labor, warehouses and mills smashed. Estimated war losses or damages: Lumber, \$10,000,000; mining, \$60,000,000; tobacco, \$6,500,000; fishing, \$10,000,000.



EDUCATION—Schools and colleges blasted to rubble. Books burned, many teachers dead. Art treasures gone forever. Public buildings and public records destroyed. Manila's cathedral and many churches are mere shells. Estimates of time needed for rebuilding range up to 20 years.



Freedom and sovereignty come to the Philippines at a time when the land's fields are devastated, its cities smashed and its industries shattered. It faces an enormous public debt, unless Uncle Sam lends a hand. Photo-chart above shows some of the conditions prevailing after years of war and Jap occupation.

Supreme Court Must Settle Vet Work Questions

By FRANK CURRY
WASHINGTON —(AP)— Many thorny legal questions involving veterans' reemployment rights still must be settled in the courts despite the Supreme Court's decision on the so-called superseniority question. Searcy L. Johnson, chief of the Justice Department's veterans affairs section, says the decision "does not determine all of the reemployment rights of veterans because all of the rights were not involved in the case."

The Justice Department represents veterans free of charge in reemployment cases. In the superseniority decision, the Supreme Court held that World War II veterans have no preferential seniority standing for one year's full reemployment over non-veterans when there are contrary seniority provisions in a union contract.

The court did hold that veterans accumulated seniority during their period of service which must be added to seniority they held on entering the service.

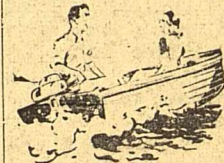
Some Problems Remain
What are the problems which still must be clarified? Johnson lists six examples:

1. To whom does the Selective Service statute, guaranteeing veterans' reemployment rights, apply?
2. What is a "temporary" position and what are the legal rights of a "seasonal" or "part-time" employee?
3. What is to be done when the veteran's old job has been abolished or changed?
4. What would be proper damages for a court to assess when a veteran is denied reemployment?
5. How must the veteran prove his qualification for his old duties?
6. If the employer has transferred or sold his business, what are the veteran's legal rights to his old job?

Some of these questions already are headed for the Supreme Court.

Versatile Sheep Dog Is Expert Bulldogger

DANVILLE, ILL. —(AP)— A big shepherd dog named Shep received an honor scroll from the Humane Society of Danville and Vermilion County, for rescuing his master, Farmer Henry Carlson. A bull felled Carlson and pinned him to the ground. The dog sank his teeth in the bull's nose and held on until several men carried Carlson to safety.



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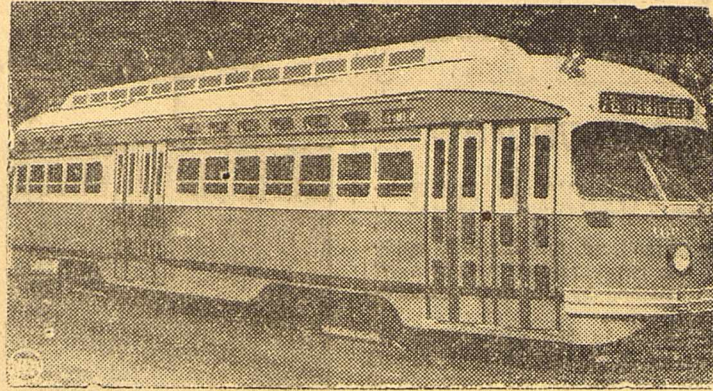
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Clang, Clang, Clang Went Trolley; Modern Street Cars Still Doing It



By NEA Service
NEW YORK —(N)— longer will an ancient flat-wheeled, clumsy street car disturb nightly slumbers. The street car has gone modern, and the noisiest thing about the new "Trim-Trams" is the press agent shouting about how quiet they are.

Since V-J Day, 1,311 of the "Trim-Trams" have been ordered, according to the Transit Research Corporation. Chicago took the biggest number — 600. Philadelphia, St. Louis, Boston, Kansas City, Cincinnati, Pittsburgh and Washington, D. C., are getting new equipment. Detroit, Cleveland, Birmingham, Minneapolis, Louisville, Ky., and Johnstown, Pa., most of them in the population bracket of counties who have abandoned car lines during the past 20 years, also are ordering new cars.

Salvation Army Chieftain Plans Militant Drive

AP Newsfeatures
LONDON—Albert W. T. Orsborn, militant evangelist, who recently was elected General of the Salvation Army, considers his organization the "bulldozer" of religion, and plans to "put the Army on wheels and on wings if necessary."

This new supreme commander of many thousands of Salvationists in nearly 100 lands is a fusion of mysticism and realism, a hot Gospeler as the English call him. His favorite pastimes are walking and old-fashioned hymn singing.

He starts his day with Bible reading—a lifetime habit that he says he needs to color his thoughts. He calls himself an old-fashioned moralist, with old-fashioned views on the subjects of marriage, sobriety and the use of tobacco; nevertheless he preaches tolerance toward modern youth which he esteems as "gay and insurgent, but undeniably lovely."

A prodigious worker, heaving to a strict routine, he is also a writer of verse, composer of hundreds of the Army's hymns, and a reader of extraordinary broad taste. Nearly 60 Years Old

Though nearly 60 years old, he appears to be not more than 40 to 45—trim, with a high color, he glows out of sheer good spirits and reserves of energy.

"We are going to bring the Salvation Army back into the streets, where it was born," Orsborn asserted. "Organizations when they get established, are inclined to go indoors and preach to the converted. Instead of going out to the street corners to fetch in the lost."

"You can't give religion to people if you don't know about their lives," he said.

A widower and father of seven children, who now lives with a married son, the General commented: "It's no good people wringing their hands and talking on public platforms about the evils of divorce. We've got to get down into the lives of the people, into their homes, where the problem can really be tackled."

Bermuda Bicycle Thief Gets Three-Year Term

HAMILTON, BERMUDA —(AP)— In the Trinity Assizes, a Bermuda court, one man pleaded guilty of stabbing his wife and another was convicted of stealing a bicycle. Each got the same sentence—three years at hard labor.

"Bicycle stealing," Chief Justice Sir Brooke Francis told the bike thief, "is a very despicable, mean and dirty trick. In most cases, the bicycles belong to people who have to ride them to and from their daily labor."

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Powdered Orange Juice Is Outgrowth Of War Research

By BEN PHLEGAR
ORLANDO, FLA. —(AP)— This juicy story is all about oranges.

It started when the government needed penicillin in powder form, and needed it fast. Research scientists went to work to find a way to dry the drug without losing its miracle properties. The answer was a high and heatless vacuum because heat destroyed the value of penicillin. A vacuum sufficient to produce the drug on a commercial scale was developed, a maze of tubes and retorts looking very much like an oil refinery.

About that time, Uncle Sam decided he needed fresh orange

juice for soldiers in foxholes. Since foxholes weren't equipped with refrigerators, the problem again was to concentrate the juice into powder.

Penicillin and orange juice are in the same boat when it comes to their dislike for heat. Orange juice loses its flavor and its all important vitamin C when heated.

If a vacuum process worked for penicillin, scientists asked, why wouldn't it do the same for orange juice?

The National Research Corporation of Boston, which developed the vacuum apparatus, thought it would put up a pilot plant in the

heart of Florida's citrus belt near Orlando. The canning plant of the Plymouth Citrus Growers Association furnished the juice and the penicillin "machine" turned out the powder.

The process is still largely secret. The orange juice is sprayed into the vacuum column where it gets thick as marmalade. Then it's pumped into an almost absolute powder.

An ounce of the powder plus six ounces of water equals orange juice.

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Other Real Estate.....	1.00
Federal Reserve Bank Stock.....	15,000.00
Other Assets (Prepaid Insurance).....	7,116.09

Cash, Bonds and Exchange	
U. S. Government Bonds.....	\$7,075,747.60
Other Stocks and Bonds.....	1,282,433.55
Cash and Exchange.....	4,667,002.08
TOTAL CASH, BONDS and EXCHANGE	13,025,183.23
	\$16,216,192.78

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00
Surplus	300,000.00
Undivided Profits	\$160,741.44
Reserves	40,000.00
Total Undivided Profits and Reserves.....	200,741.44
Dividends Unpaid	15,000.00

Deposits:	
Individual	\$14,797,949.80
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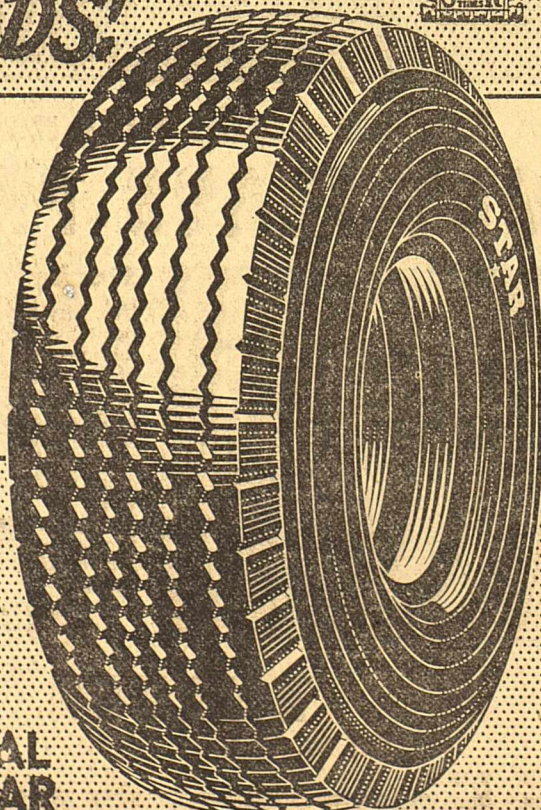
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Cimarron Question
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WASHINGTON —(P)— The old Cimarron question involving land along the Texas-Oklahoma boundary dropped up when the House passed a bill to convey permanent title to a tract 156 miles long, varying in width from a point to 500 feet.

It was in 1881 that two engineers surveyed the Cimarron base line along the top of the Texas Panhandle. Ten years later Congress by statute fixed the boundary between the two states, using data of another engineer. The discrepancy between the two surveys accounted for the triangular tract, involving 4,900 acres.

Although the acreage has technically been federal property, it is in Oklahoma and private citizens for decades have lived upon it and developed improvements.

The measure, now before the Senate, authorizes the secretary of interior to issue patents, upon payment of \$1.25 per acre, to the citizens, or their heirs, who have lived upon the land for not less than 20 years.

The government retains the oil and gas rights.

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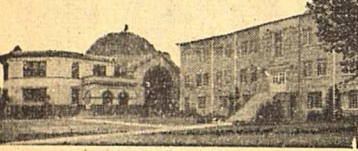
6:45 p.m. Training Union
8:00 pm Evening Worship

DR. A. B. WHITE will preach.

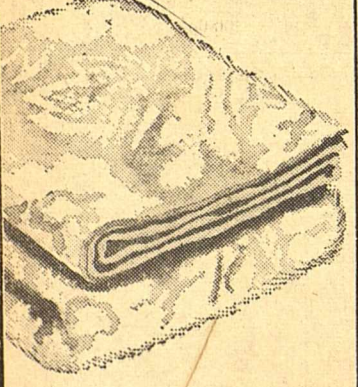
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Marconi, FM Has Been Kicked About Since '35

By MARC J. PARSONS
NEW YORK —(NEA)— Everyone in the radio business agrees that frequency modulation, or FM, is the greatest improvement in voice transmission since Marconi first invented wireless.

But it has taken an awful kicking around since Major Edwin A. Armstrong, a Columbia University professor, first demonstrated it publicly in 1935, and even today you'll have a hard time buying an FM receiver and listening to an FM program.

Basically, FM is a method of transmitting and receiving staticless radio programs. But it has several other, and just as important, advantages. It allows for a far greater tonal range than AM (amplitude modulation), the present type of broadcasting. It will permit the building of hundreds and hundreds of new stations, none of which will interfere with other stations, so that the entire field of radio broadcasting can be doubled and even tripled.

And that may be its biggest drawback, although few will admit it.

Major Armstrong says there have been "several well organized attempts to block FM."

"None has been successful to the extent of killing it, but all have been successful to the extent that the introduction of FM broadcasting has been delayed beyond all reason," he adds.

Federal Communications Commissioner Clifford J. Durr says there seems to be a "disturbing inclination on the part of radio to cling to its old system," perhaps because FM "means newcomers and hence new competition."

In general, the industry is reluctant to discuss the situation, but in a backhand way various spokesmen admit something is wrong.

Joseph Mattson, a UAW-CIO regional director, charged in Chicago that RCA controls 60 per cent of all FM patents and that radio manufacturers are deliberately holding up FM production. He wants David Sarnoff, head of Radio Corporation of America to be subpoenaed by the FCC to explain RCA's policies.

But J. B. Elliott, vice president of RCA-Victor, RCA's manufacturing unit, says shortages, not policy, are holding up production. Major Armstrong denies that RCA controls 60 per cent of the FM patents. Some manufacturers, he says, "are doing their utmost to get FM going."

"Others," he declares, "would like to see FM sunk in the sea."

He wouldn't say who the others were.

Ray C. Cosgrove, president of the Radio Manufacturers of America, calls Mattson's charge "stupid."

But Roger Burlingame, in his book "Engines of Democracy," charges that "certain moss-covered corporations are fighting Armstrong's radio because of the obsolescence it would cause in existing radio sets."

Robert Bartley of the National Association of Broadcasters thinks the ban by James C. Pettillo, head of the musicians unions, is holding up FM. Pettillo forbade radio stations to carry programs originating in AM stations over FM unless duplicate numbers of musicians were hired.

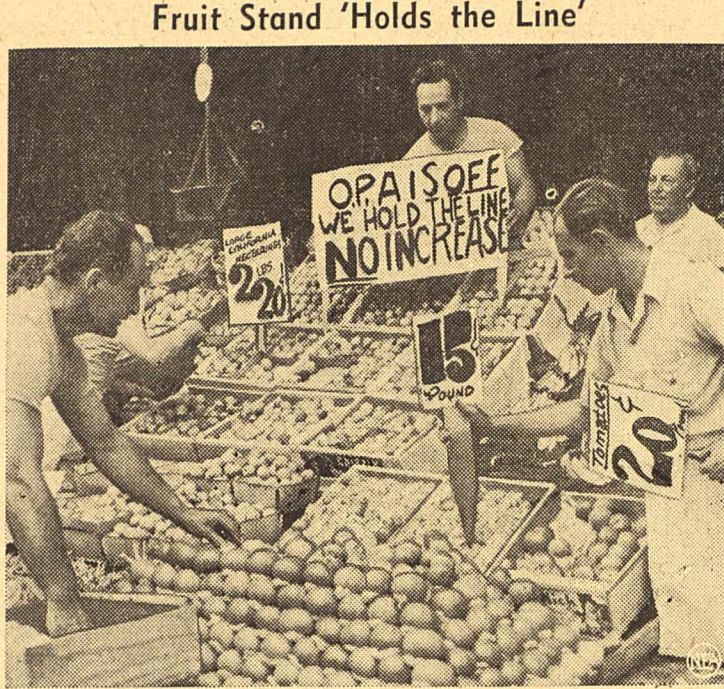
Pettillo's musicians, however, have voted to look into FM themselves with the view of setting up their own FM stations.

Whatever the real reason, FM undoubtedly is having an abnormally tough time getting started.

Armstrong had just as tough a time inventing it. He spent from 1914 to 1924 trying to find some way of eliminating static from standard broadcasting, and then decided he was on the wrong track. An entirely new approach was needed, he felt, and FM was the approach he found. It took him until 1933 to get it to the practical stage, and in that year he turned it over to RCA for tests.

After taking a year and a half to look the infant over, RCA decided they didn't want it and Armstrong went ahead on his own.

The first public demonstration of FM was before the Institute of Radio Engineers in Yonkers, N. Y., in November, 1935. Various radio stations became interested. Armstrong's own station was constructed at Alpine, N. J., but the growth



Fruit Stand 'Holds the Line'

Heading President Truman's plea to prevent runaway prices after OPA's death, Ralph Merson, New York produce market owner, puts up a sign pledging low prices. At right, an assistant changes signs on tomatoes, reducing their price five cents a pound.

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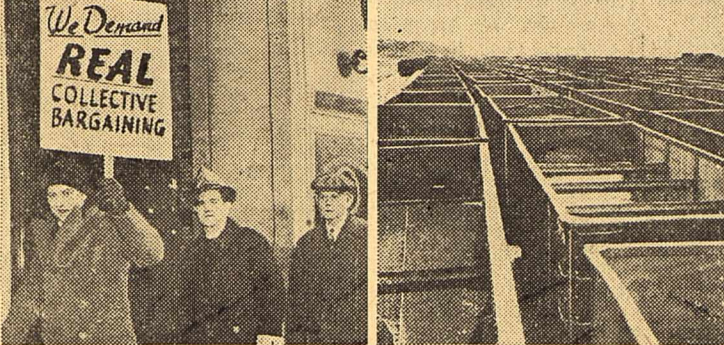
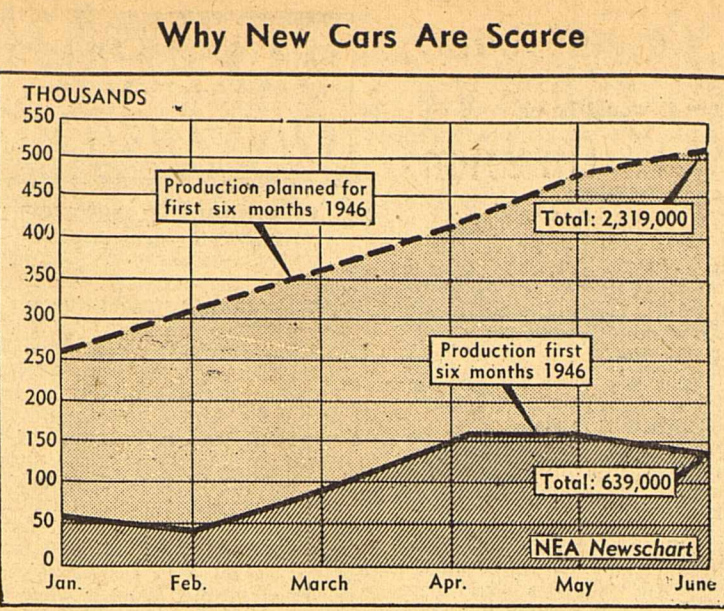
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Passenger automobile production for the first six months of 1946, as planned at the end of 1945, is down by 73 per cent, according to the Automobile Manufacturers' Association. Newschart above contrasts planned production schedules with actual output, from Civilian Production Administration figures. As a result of the reduced production, the AMA estimates \$1,500,000,000 in new car sales have been lost.

Use Airborne Tanks To Clean Up Lands

GENESEO, ILL.—(P)—Far from the Pacific battlefronts where they saw service during the war, two air-borne tanks have been retired to a life of peace and quiet down on the farm in Illinois.

Stripped of their cannon and machine guns, the two tanks which once ripped through the enemy are now ripping out stumps on the farm of Camiel Dupre, who owns 310 acres of rough and low lands bordering the picturesque Rock River in Northern Henry County eight miles northeast of Geneseo.

Dupre purchased the two 11,600-pound tanks, which cost the government \$26,000 each, for \$100 apiece when they were offered for sale at the Rock Island arsenal.

Dupre hired James Monteth of East Moline, a mechanic with war experience, to assist him in getting the tanks into operation. Monteth overhauled one of the machines and he is holding one of the vehicles in reserve to supply parts for the other if necessary.

In addition to their intended use in pulling out stumps, Dupre plans to use the tanks in breaking land for corn, to plow through brush and to drag logs to the sawmill.

The demand for the tanks far exceeded the supply for the moment. Inquiries came from as far away as New York and several buyers, who traveled more than 100 miles, went away from the Rock Island arsenal disappointed when all of the tanks were claimed within a few minutes after they were offered at a government surplus sale.

Man Borrows Suit To
Reveal Naked Truth

SIDNEY, MONT.—(P)—Teodulo Esquada didn't mean to cause any trouble but—swimming with other Mexican sugar beet workers, he crossed the swift Yellowstone River to an island where he stopped to rest. He rested so long that when he swam back to shore he found a large group looking for his body.

Teodulo was nude; so he hid in the bushes until the searchers departed, taking his clothes. He had to make his way 10 miles along the stream before he found a rancher who lent him a suit so he could go to town and call off the hunt for his body.

Train Robberies Are
Declining In Poland

WARSAW.—(P)—The newspaper Rzeczpospolita says 30,000 persons are being employed as guards on the Polish State Railways.

Railway officials said the blue-uniformed armed watchmen had contributed greatly to curbing train robberies, frequent during early months of the provisional government.

Polish railways now cover 13,000 miles, compared with 11,000 miles in 1939. Acquisition of former German territories in the west largely accounted for the increase.

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"WHAT'S the matter, my dear?" Mrs. Bacon asked. "You look as if you had seen a ghost. What is it?"

Sally shook her head, recovering her poise with difficulty. "It was nothing. I just remembered something and was startled."

The four returned to the house and Sally took a seat where she could watch Richard Gregory's face as she related the incident of the stranger's visit to receiving.

She saw the man's gaze sharpen for a moment then become amused as she went on.

"I'm sure I should know his voice anywhere," she finished.

"You only think you would," Carolyn laughed. "But it makes a good story. I suppose you have a great many such experiences up there on the hill," she went on, wondering, no doubt, at the interest her fiance was showing in her guest's story.

"Not too many," Sally said. "I suppose, subconsciously, I have been listening for that voice ever since. At the police station they paraded some dozen or so shady characters before us—Margaret Adams and me—but not one of the voices was right. He walked with a sort of swift glide, too, as if he were young and slim and agile. Of course it was dark—he was merely a shadow—a swiftly moving shadow."

Carolyn laughed again. "You've been seeing too many mystery thrillers, Sally," she chided. "Now suppose you tell one, Dick," she suggested and the young man settled himself in his comfortable chair and began.

"I THINK I can tell something quite as strange as Sally's," he said, and Sally closed her eyes and was convinced he was the man.

"It was during the present spring that I was on the trail of a gang of international crooks—so close to them in fact I even accepted a lift and rode with them for several miles. I was suspicious but not at all sure of my quarry until the car skidded on a slippery hill and went into a ditch. No one was hurt but from the angry mutterings, the sub-machine gun that suddenly appeared in the hands of the driver and a bulging brief case that landed squarely in my arms, I knew I had hit the jack pot."

"It was pitch dark and sleeting. I jumped a hedge and bending low ran past darkened houses over lawns soggy with wet leaves and at last reached a large building that was still dimly lighted. I jumped the steps and tried the door. It opened and I slipped inside and shut and locked it behind me, and then—of all things—the lights went out."

"But I had seen I was in a wide foyer with steps leading down to another level. Somehow I felt my safety lay in that direction and I descended the stairs to the door at the bottom where I heard voices. I entered and was challenged by a woman. By that time I recognized the smells and knew I was in a hospital. Evidently the voices belonged to nurses—there were two of them. And then I heard stealthy footsteps approaching and slipped over to where a door should be. It was locked as I felt

sure it would be on such an eerie night. The rest is obvious inasmuch as I am still here!"

"THEN it was you!" Sally said, immediately relieved. "But tell me how you knew where the door was? I have been harboring the belief that one of the staff was playing a practical joke, except for the voice—it didn't belong to any of the staff."

"And you were the challenger, I take it," Richard Gregory said. He turned to Carolyn. "Remember the morning I so unexpectedly dropped in for breakfast with you, darling? That was the morning after."

"And the gang, Dick? What about them?" Carolyn asked, her voice worried.

"There was enough evidence in that brief case to hang twenty people," he told her. "We got most of them."

"But you didn't have a brief case that night," Sally said.

"The man eyed her approvingly. 'I hid it in a hedge near there. I salvaged it after I was sure they had given me up. If they had known about it my life wouldn't have been worth a plugged nickel. So, as the good old saying goes—'All's well that ends well.'"

Sally sighed. The man laughed, dashed up the steps and tried the door. It opened and I slipped inside and shut and locked it behind me, and then—of all things—the lights went out."

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(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

America's Card Authority

When the team of Waldemar von Zedtwitz, Bert Lehar, Peter Leventritt, Samuel Katz, and Simon Rosant finished second in the Vanderbilt Cup Tournament this year, Rosant became Life Master No. 58. Bert Lehar needs only a few more points for Life Mastership.

Lehar, who is treasurer of the American Contract Bridge League and known to radio fans as Bert Lee, sports commentator on Station WJLB, New York, will never be accused of timidity at the bridge table. If there is a possible small slam or grand slam, Lehar will be in it. Today's hand helped him

and his teammates to eliminate a strong team in one of the knockout rounds of the Vanderbilt Cup Tournament.

Lehar (South) opened the bidding conservatively enough with one diamond, and his two no trump bid after North's free bid of two spades was conservative also. But when North went to six diamonds, Lehar stepped right in to seven. The opening lead looked favorable, but it did not make much difference as long as he found the king of diamonds on his right and the spade suit split three-two.

What induced Lehar to bid seven diamonds was the fact that his partner had cue-bid the club suit and then, despite Lehar's weak bidding, had plunged to six diamonds. He had fully expected to find as much as the ace-king-queen of spades and king-queen of diamonds in his partner's hand.

John Honeymen, an unsung hero of the American Revolution, helped George Washington cross the Delaware.

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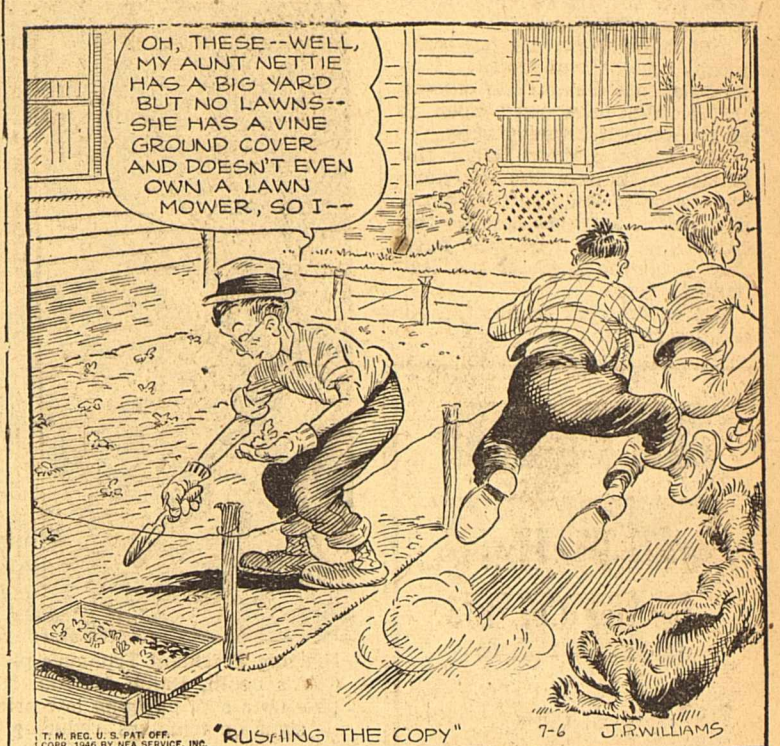
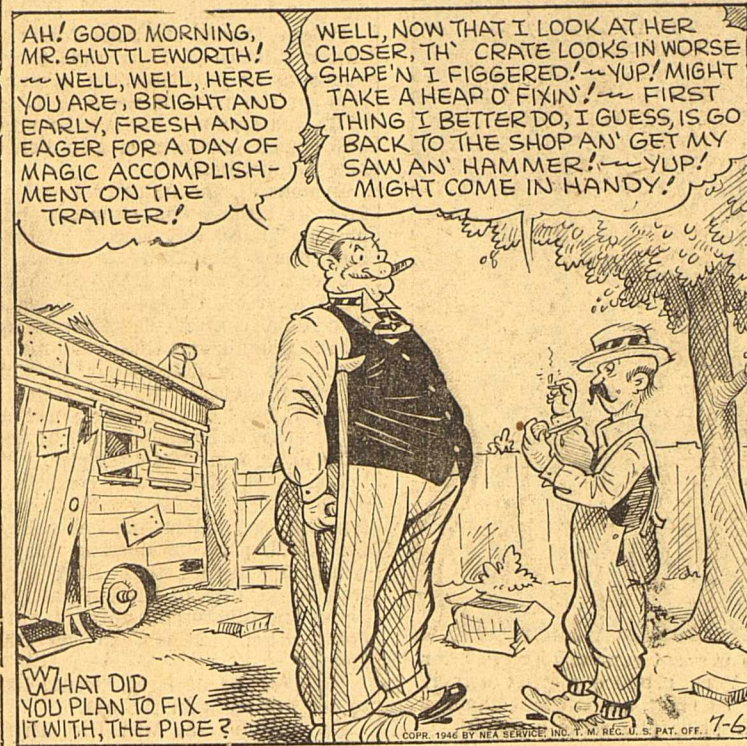
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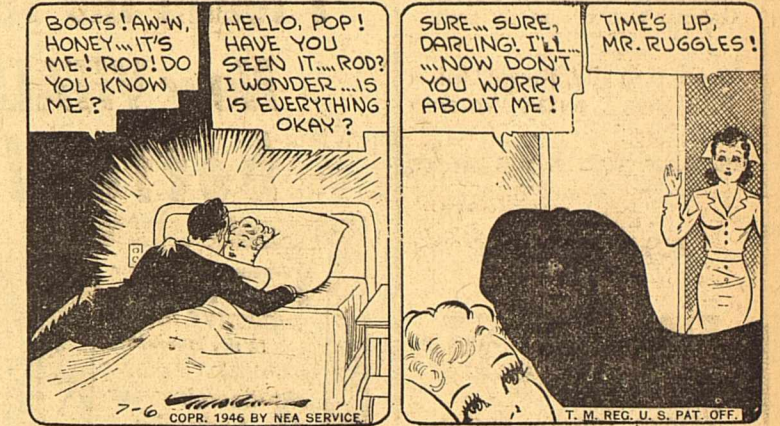
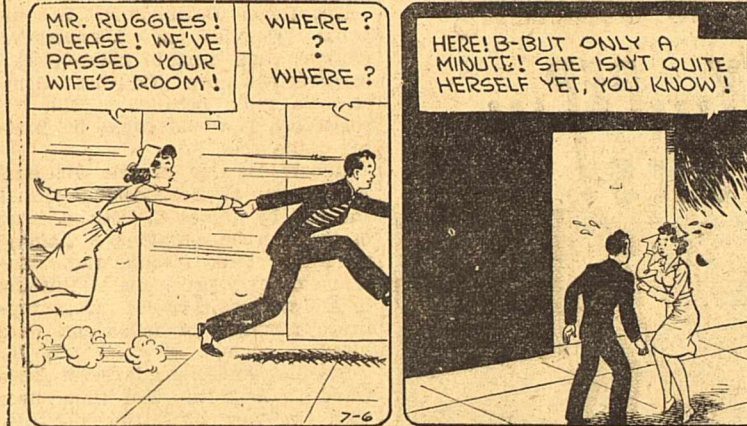
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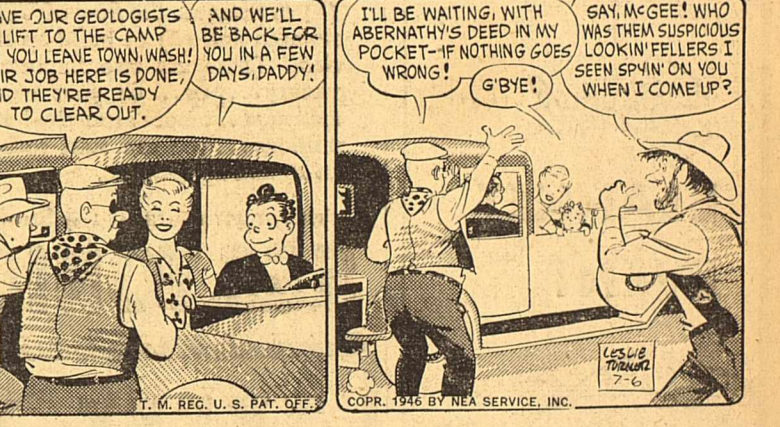


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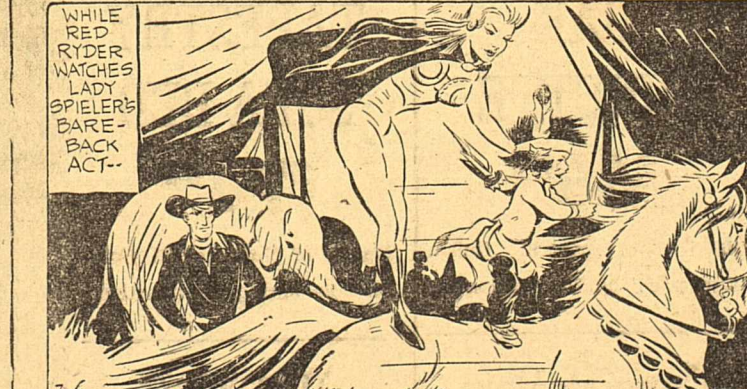
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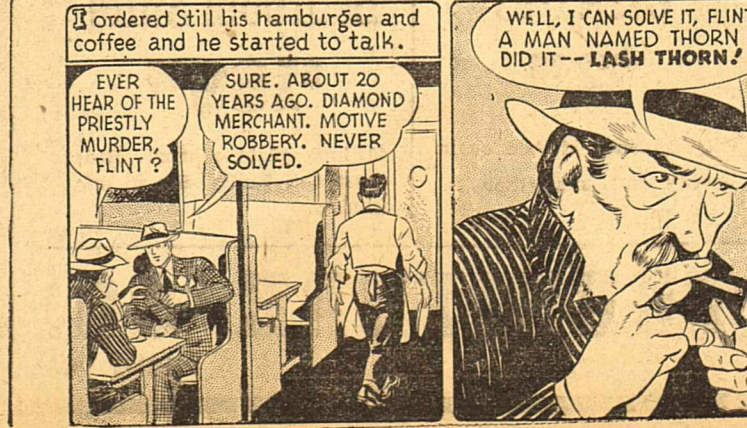
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A big stand of trees was as necessary to a Colonial ironmaster as an iron ore mine. The wood from the trees supplied the charcoal as blast furnace fuel at that time.

TWO TEETH BETWEEN THEM

A pair of narwhal whales has only two teeth. The female has none, while the male has two, one of which projects several feet from the jaw.

WATERFOWL DESTROYERS

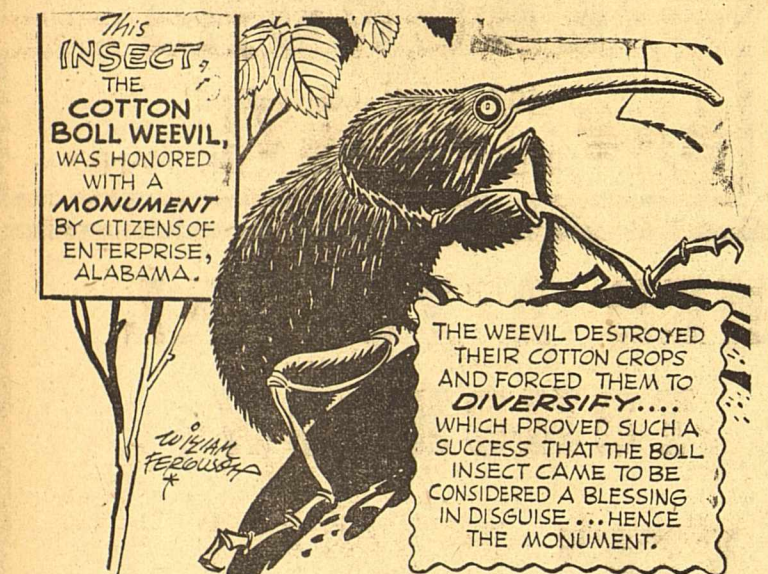
Bullfrogs are regular destroyers of waterfowl. Ducklings, for the first few days after hatching, are choice morsels for them.

SUPERSTITION SOURCE

Our modern superstition regarding broken mirrors came from the old belief that throwing a stone into the water and destroying a person's image brought him bad luck.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



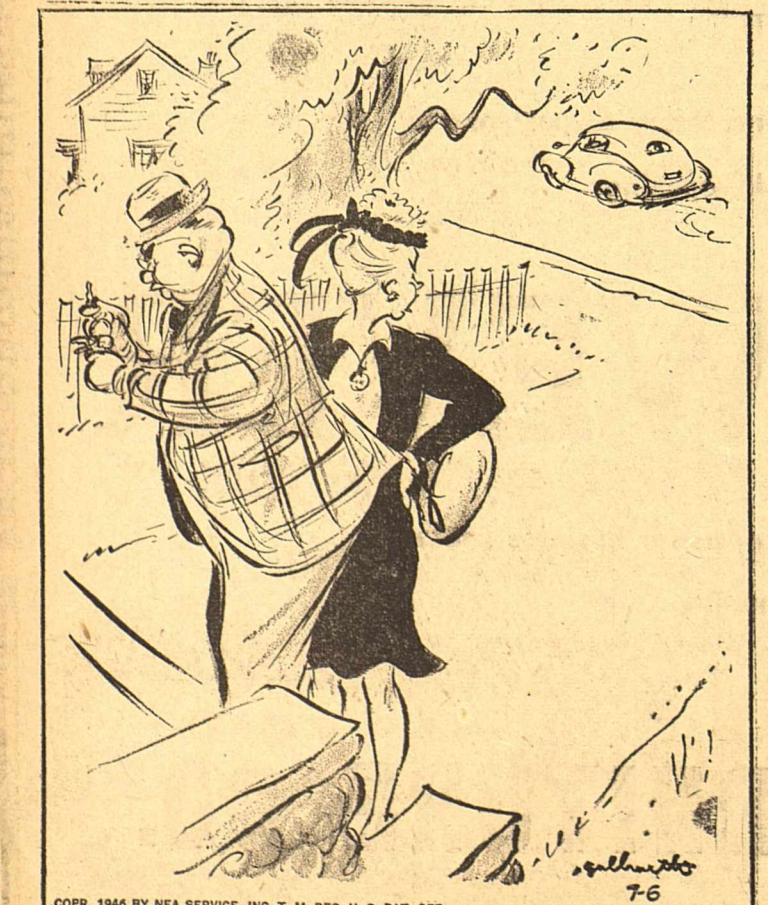
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CAN YOU SPELL THE FULL NAME OF THE FISH COMMONLY CALLED A MUSKIE?



ANSWER: Webster's dictionary gives muskellunge as the preferred spelling, but muskallonge and muskallunge also are correct.

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"I was just getting set for a long ride when he turned around and brought us home! Did you have to start harping on all the crooks who had managed to get new cars?"

PRESIDENTS AT FIRST

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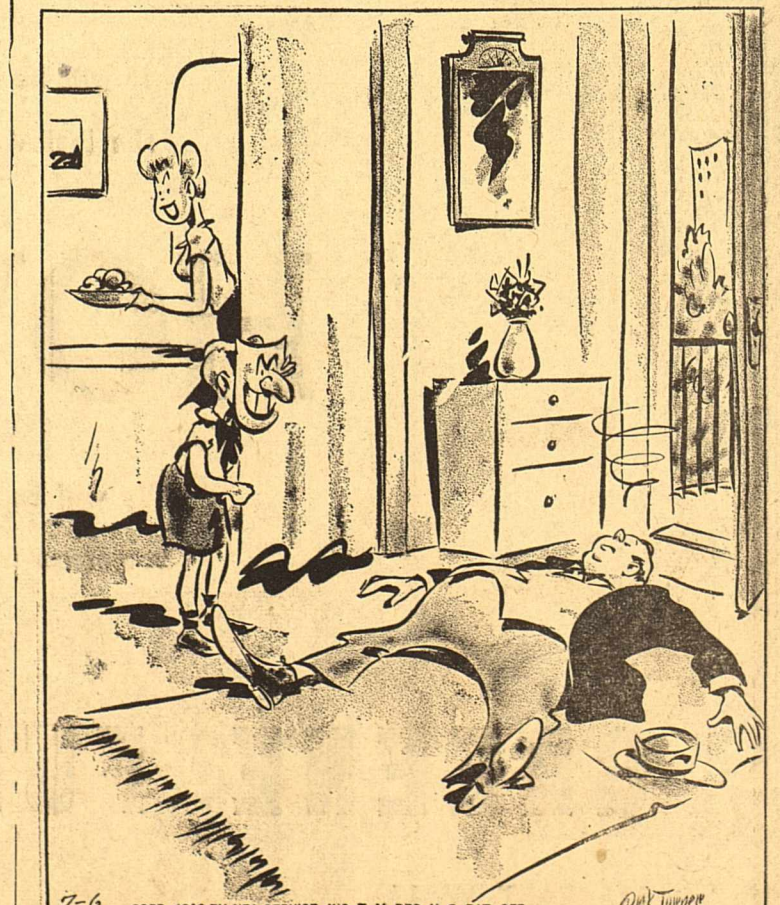
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By Merrill Blosser



CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"If you see Junior, humor him—act frightened!"

Columbia is the only South American country with both a Pacific and a Caribbean coast.

Once Nation's Biggest Single Business, Air Industry Shrinks To Twentieth Of Its Peak

By MARC J. PARSONS
NEA Staff Correspondent

The aircraft industry, which only two years ago was the nation's biggest single business, today has shrunk to one-twentieth of its wartime peak and industry experts see little hope that it will approach anywhere near its top production levels again for years to come.

Present production in the industry is about five times that of 1937, however.

Peacetime military production certainly will be nowhere near the 96,369 planes built for the Army and Navy in 1944. This year less than 2000 military planes will be built, only about two-thirds of the absolute minimum recommended by the Air Coordinating Committee to maintain an industry capable of meeting the threat of attack.

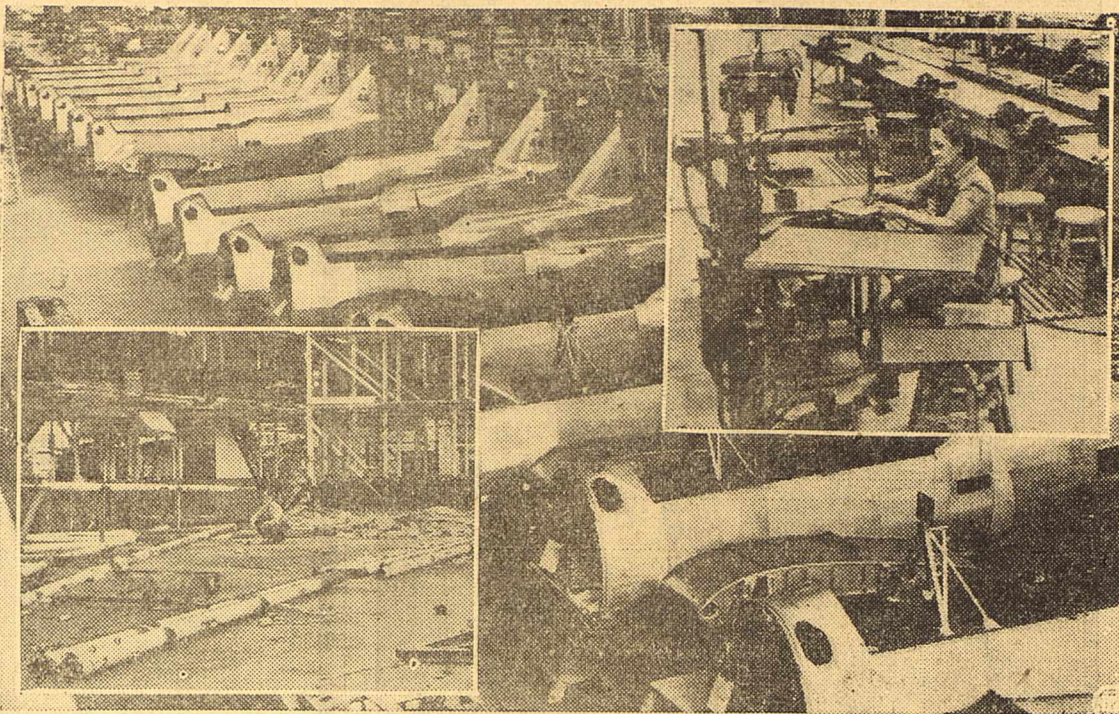
Skills forgotten

Nor will civilian production fill the gap. The Aircraft Industries Association fixes civilian production for 1946 at \$125,000,000 for transports, \$40,000,000 for conversion of existing planes, and \$50,000,000 for personal planes.

Under such a program, aircraft plants have been closed one by one. And with the closing of plants, with workers and technicians scattering to other industries, the potential of sudden expansion in plane production is seriously hampered.

Already employment in basic aircraft plants has dropped from 1,383,000 to 150,000. Skills learned under the pressure of war are being quickly forgotten.

President Truman recently gave the problem his personal attention when he conferred with the Army and Navy Munitions Board and with representatives of the Army



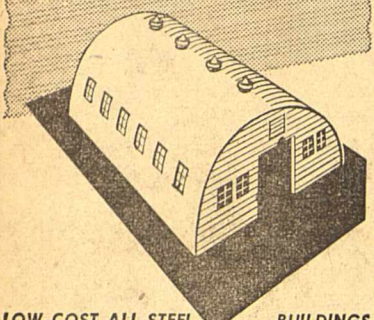
The expansion—and the big shrink—of the nation's aircraft industry is shown in photographic contrast above. Things were booming when the background picture was taken, but after war's end, a lone woman worked (right inset) where thousands had worked before, and one-bustling assembly lines looked like empty barns (left inset).

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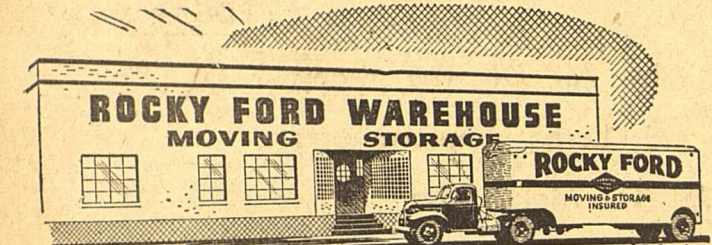
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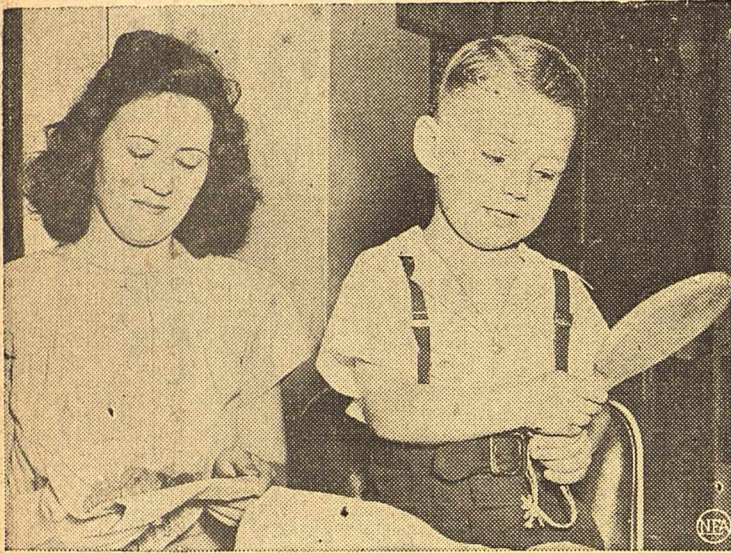
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After having to whip several of the boys in his Birmingham, Ala., nursery school because they looked at his long, curly hair and called him "Sissy," four-year-old William Grant Armstrong finally persuaded his mother, Mrs. William Armstrong, to let him get a haircut. Above, he is being shorn of his baby locks, after which . . .



... he admires himself in a mirror, saying "They'll call me 'Bill' now," while his mother looks at the pile of curls and sadly realizes that her baby is a big boy now.

Elizabeth, the wife of President James Monroe, was the daughter of a British army officer who fought against the United States in the Revolution. The Indians of Guatemala may purchase their wives on the installment plan. If a husband decides not to keep a wife he may return her and get his money back.

Yale Scientists Obtain Electric Charge From Corn

By HOWARD W. BLAKESLEE
NEW YORK.—(P)—Discovery of electrical energy in kernels of corn that predicts whether the corn will germinate well is reported in the Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences by Dr. H. S. Burr and Oliver E. Nelson, Jr., of Yale University and the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station.

Corn that germinates well contains more electrical energy than other kernels. Good germination insures a better corn crop.

This high electrical energy was found also to be transmitted by heredity in corn. Because of this heredity, the report said the electrical measurements might prove to be a useful tool for plant breeders.

Much of America's high yield of corn comes from hybrid plants crosses of two types of corn. The hybrids tend to lose their productivity after a time, so that breeders are trying continually to develop new and better hybrids. One of the breeding problems is to predict in advance how well a new cross is going to produce.

The electrical energy was measured in single kernels at Yale. Very fine silver electrodes and camel's hair brushes picked up electrical potentials on the surface of a kernel. These measurements showed that the amount of electrical energy increased steadily toward the apex or growing point of the future plant and was highest at the tip. The tip was usually positive in electrical charge, and the opposite end of the kernel was negative.

Different breeds of corn had different strengths in electrical potentials. The highest potentials marked corn that germinated best. Medium potential corn germinated better than corn with low potentials.

Denver Woman Starts Own Housing Campaign

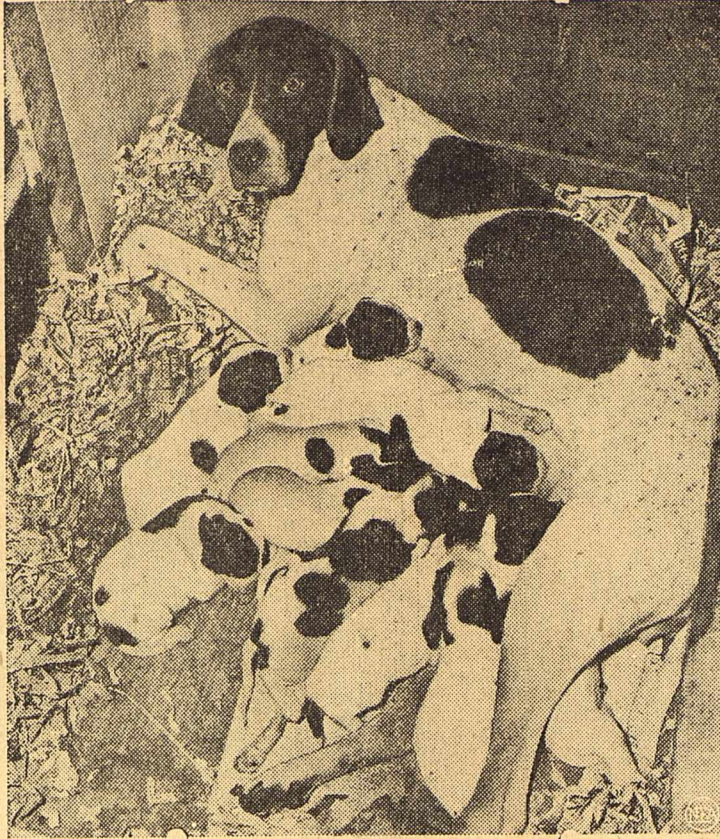
DENVER.—(P)—Mrs. L. B. Peak, a retired school teacher, heard Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pacer had been evicted from their home. She fixed up an apartment in her house and gave it to them rent free.

Then she read that Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keller and their three children were out on the streets. She remodeled her garage to make room for them.

"Why do I do it?" she said. "Because I just love children and can't bear to see them put out of their homes."

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Billy, three-year-old pedigreed pointer, looks a bit surprised, but she's quite proud of her first family—13 lively pups. She's owned by Gus Baraco of San Francisco.

Freedom Is Dawning On 'Devil's Island'

By ROBERT N. COOL
NEW YORK.—(P)—Steaming, notorious "Devil's Island" is finally to be evacuated. With the repatriation of its 2,800 French convicts and exiles, the western hemisphere will lose an Old World hell-hole that has become a legend.

Passing through New York on his way to Paris, Maj. Charles Pean, of the French Salvation Army, disclosed that under the plan he had been authorized to draw up, the first shipload will leave Cayenne, French Guiana, in July. Two years will be required to transport all of the 800 prisoners and 2,000 freed convicts now living in the colony, he said.

Not since 1939 has a convict ship arrived at Guiana. Soon after that last consignment of 738 prisoners landed, the French government declared that no more would be sent.

During the war, the iron discipline relaxed. More and more gaunt fugitives made their way to nearby British possessions, told stories of a decaying purgatory where guards sometimes bade "bon voyage" to their escaping charge. Settled by the French in 1636,

pestilential Cayenne was used as a penal colony for political prisoners during the 18th century. In 1855, transportation began on a large scale of prisoners were built on what became known as "Devil's Island," off the shores of Guiana. These dread rocks sometimes held as many as 7,000 convicts; the most famous having been Capt. Alfred Dreyfus, convicted of treason, and later vindicated, in a scandal that shook France in the 1890s.

Prisoners who were not confined to dungeons for special reasons lived in huts. When they died, their bodies were thrown into the sea to be eaten by the sharks.

Of the 800 prisoners still incarcerated, Major Pean said about 500 will receive full pardons. Some 600 of the liberated men in the colony cannot be taken home, however, because of illness, he said.

EAGLES GATHER

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA.—(P)—Eagles are attacking fully-grown sheep in Victoria. One sheep owner has lost 75 lambs and 20 sheep to eagles which have been making their ravages in groups.

Holyoke Shoppers Have No Beef About Service

HOLYOKE, MASS.—(P)—Women shoppers lined up before a large market in search of scarce meat found these comforts provided by the proprietor:

A roomy bench, a crystal bowl filled with fruit punch and a tray of pretzels for those who got hungry during their wait.

ANGLER GETS BREAK

WORLAND, WYO.—(P)—Cy Mileski of Worland, despite trouble with his casting arm, stuck to his fishing all day and caught a trout. Later hospital examination disclosed a fracture of the arm near the shoulder, received when Mileski fell while attempting to reach some fishing tackle in a truck.

Swifts and swallows are the acrobats of the bird world.

HOT TIME AT LARAMIE

LARAMIE, WYO.—(P)—A group of California tourists learned about Wyoming sunshine. Roofing over the rear seat of their car was ignited by the rays reflected from a rear mirror while the automobile stood in a service station.

The famed Swedish botanist Linnaeus built a flower clock that told time by the opening and closing of the flowers.

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Our Sincere Thanks

This occasion of a first anniversary seems a most appropriate time for thanking you, our friends and customers, for the good will you have shown toward us and for the patronage that has caused our business to grow.

Not merely in the time-honored phrases, but with all the sincerity at our command, we take this opportunity to express as well as we can the very deep appreciation we have.

We greet you, then, each and every old customer, new customer, and customer-to-be, in the mood of the very happy birthday we are having.

It is our earnest hope that every one who reads this message will take it as a personal thank-you from us.

(Signed) —MARSHALL MOORE.

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WITH PLEASURE IN YOUR FRIENDSHIP
AND FORWARD TO THE FUTURE WITH
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