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Strikes Threaten In Four New Industries

Truman Asks People To Urge Strike Laws

By D. HAROLD OLIVER

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman called on the American people Friday to demand more action and less talk from Congress on legislation to lessen strikes.

He also told the nation in a half-hour radio address Thursday night that "time is running out" on most of his other reconversion measures because action in Senate and House has been "distressingly slow".

Congress returns January 14 from its holiday adjournment.

"Unless we can soon meet the need of obtaining full production and employment at home," Truman asserted, "we shall face serious consequences. They will be serious not only in what they mean to the American people as such, but also in what they can do to our position as a leader among the nations of the world."

Therefore, in this "year of decision," Truman turned to "the most powerful pressure group in the world"—the American people.

The President expressed deep concern over present and threatened strikes in the auto, steel, electrical and meat packing industries and declared war-end promises of cooperation from members of Congress, industry, labor and farm groups "have not all been kept."

Truman said that of equal importance with settlement of management-labor disputes is the question of keeping prices on an even keel.

Hits Pressure Groups

Hitting at "pressure groups" which he said are lobbying to "take off" price controls, the Chief Executive said these restrictions and those over rents will have to be extended even beyond their June 30 expiration date. So, he said, will controls on scarce materials.

He called for prompt action on his December 3 request for legal authority to set up fact-finding boards in major industrial disputes —with strikes to be held in check for 30 days pending board reports.

Saying that some spokesmen of both labor and management have "misrepresented" the purposes of his request, the Chief Executive declared his recommendations "are very clear."

He said fact-finding boards cannot function efficiently without statutory backing. He cited the General Motors strike and said the corporation "has refused to cooperate."

Other Measures

Truman went down the line of other measures he has recommended but which he said Congress "has done little—very little about them." He listed these as follows:

1. "Full employment." He said a satisfactory bill was passed by the Senate, but the House version is "not at all acceptable."

2. Unemployment insurance. The President recommended the federal government supplement state benefits to a level of $25 a week for 26 weeks, but leaving alone present widely varied state rates. Truman called the Senate bill "acceptable" but said it now is locked up in the House Ways and Means Committee where it will remain unless the people insist on action.

3. FEPC. The legislation making permanent the Fair Employment Practice Committee would "carry out a fundamental American ideal" and that he was sure most people want it. But he added: "A small handful of Congressmen in the Rules Committee of the House have prevented this legislation from reaching a vote."

4. Raising minimum wages "substantially" over the present 40 cents an hour. "The bills are now resting in the Education and Labor Committee of the Senate and in the Labor Committee of the House."

Wildcat Flows At Rate Of 88 BOPH From Ellenburger

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

West Ector County has a new discovery from the Ellenburger which has proven for commercial production. The Texas Company No. 1-D Fraser, flowed 44 barrels of new oil into tanks in 30 minutes, natural, during a drillstem test at 10,775-825 feet.

The entire test was for one hour and 45 minutes. A 1,500-foot water blanket was used. Gas came to surface in 30 minutes. The water blanket flowed at surface in 55 minutes; drilling mud flowed at top in 65 minutes, and oil started flowing at surface in 70 minutes.

Flowed 30 Minutes

Operator flowed the well to tanks for 30 minutes and recovery was 44 barrels of 40.3 gravity oil, cut with six per cent drilling mud. No formation water developed.

The project was to drill ahead from 10,825 feet. Top of Ellenburger was at 10,740 feet, on an elevation of 3,263 feet.

The new well is at least one mile east of closest production from the Devonian on southeast side of the TXL field, and is about two and one-half miles southeast of first Ellenburger producer completed on east side of the area.

The section at 10,721-775 feet showed for 1,500 feet of free oil in the drill pipe in a drillstem test, which flowed out the water blanket, and also flowed out some oil.

The discovery is 600 feet from north and west lines of the south 400 acres in section 27, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S.

Warren Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Kirk, Northeast Coke County wildcat, in section 309, Johnson survey, was making hole below 6,352 feet in Ellenburger dolomite, encountered at 6,338.5 feet, on an elevation of 2,023 feet.

A 30-minute drillstem test was taken at 6,338-52 feet. Recovery was 25 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water. Informed sources report the exploration is 84 feet low on top of the Ellenburger to nearest well in the area which had drilled to that formation.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 3-11 University, Ellenburger discovery on southwest side of the Fullerton area, in Northwest Andrews County, and five miles south and one mile east of only other producer from that horizon in that area, completed for a 24-hour flowing potential of 1,974 barrels of 40.1 gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 314-1.

The pay section at 10,580-630 feet had been treated with 500 gallons of acid through 150 casing perforations. The well drilled to total depth of 10,696 feet and developed water. It set casing and drilled out cement to 10,640 feet, and then the pipe was perforated and completion effected.

The Texas Company No. 2 A. E.

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Colonel Lanagan Visits Airport

Col. William M. Lanagan of Love Field, Dallas, commanding officer of the Fifth Group of the Air Transport Command, the largest unit of that organization, arrived in Midland Thursday with his staff for a visit at the Midland Municipal Airport with Maj. W. L. Burall, commanding officer. The airport is operated by the Air Transport Command.

Colonel Lanagan and his staff remained in Midland Friday inspecting facilities at the port and making plans for its future use by the ATC.

Ellington Returns Prisoner To City

Chief of Police Jack Ellington of Midland Friday was returning a prisoner from Fort Worth.

Fort Worth officers arrested a man there who stole an automobile here November 28, and Ellington is returning him to Midland.

Visits In Midland

Brig. Gen. I. Davies, first commanding officer of the Midland Army Air Field, arrived here Thursday evening for a visit with his many friends and was entertained at a dinner in the Scharbauer Hotel by civic leaders.

He returned last October from the Aleutians where he served 20 months with the 11th Air Force and now is on leave. He will return to duty January 15 and now is assigned to the headquarters of the Army Air Force in Washington, D. C.

General Davies visited the Midland Army Air Field Friday and was the guest of Col. C. P. Gilger.

Hitler's Papers Show Hess In 1940 Tried To End War

By DANIEL DE LUCE

NUERNBERG, GERMANY—(AP)—Confidential papers of Adolf Hitler showed Friday that as early as the fall of 1940 Rudolf Hess, the deputy fuehrer, was working secretly to establish contacts with "reasonable Englishmen" to try to end the war.

A detailed account of his efforts is contained in a 1,400-word report to Hitler written by Hess' intimate advisor, Dr. Albrecht Haushofer, May 25, 1941, shortly after the deputy fuehrer flew to England on his vain mission.

Haushofer reported that at the end of September, 1940, barely a year after the war started, Hess was instrumental in sending a letter to the Duke of Hamilton through a prominent Swiss official of the International Red Cross.

In April, 1941—a month before Hess' flight—this same Swiss official, whose name was not disclosed, conveyed a peace feeler from "important English circles" to Haushofer, as the deputy fuehrer's representative, the report said.

Hausofer was executed last year for possible implication in the July 20, 1944, death plot against Hitler.

Peace on 3-Point Basis

The report attributed to a "moderate group in England" a readiness to talk peace on a three-point basis.

1. Recognition of Britain's paramount interest in Greece, but only nominal interest elsewhere in Eastern and Southeastern Europe.

2. Restoration of occupied Western European states.

3. Confinement of German colonial demands to former German territory along with modification of Italian demands.

Haushofer said the Swiss official expressed anxiety that "if the war continued every possibility would disappear of the same elements in England forcing Churchill to make peace, because then the Americans would be in a position to dictate the overseas activity of the empire. If once the rest of the native English artistocracy were deprived of its power then it would be impossible to speak one sensible word with Roosevelt and his circle."

Truman Says Government Will Build 5,000,000 Homes If Industry Doesn't

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Setting an emergency goal of 5,000,000 new homes, President Truman served notice that the government will provide them if private enterprise cannot.

The Chief Executive gave a flying start to the career of his emergency housing expediter, Wilson W. Wyatt, Jr., with a promise broadcast to the nation Thursday night that Wyatt has a his disposal "every agency of the government and every resource of the government."

Truman, in his first "fireside chat", named housing as the "most difficult problem" among the three major elements of the standard of living—food, clothing and shelter.

The new year will bring peak food production, Truman predicted, and satisfactory output of apparel, "but in housing the situation is different."

(Private building organizations have estimated that the construction industry cannot provide more than 500,000 new homes this year, 750,000 in 1947, and 1,000,000 in 1948.)

Yank Warships Began War On Axis Ships Oct. 11, 1941

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Adm. Harold R. Stark related Thursday that American warships in the Atlantic got orders Oct. 11, 1941, to destroy "German and Italian naval, land and air forces encountered," and were then operating at times under direction of British officers.

He told the Pearl Harbor investigating committee that as chief of naval operations he issued the orders by direction of the late President Roosevelt.

That was what he meant, he explained, when he wrote a letter Nov. 7, 1941, to Adm. Husband E. Kimmel, Pacific fleet commander, saying "we are at war" in the Pacific. The committee had received a copy of the letter earlier in the hearings.

Stark was emphatic that with this situation in the Atlantic all top officials in Washington were trying to avoid war with Japan. And he declared that he believes no one in the capital knew in 1941 that Japan was going to attack this country or where the attack would come.

In addition to hearing Stark for the third day, the Senate-House committee reached two major decisions as to future procedure. The first was to recess until Jan. 15 immediately after Stark's examination is completed. The second was to hear Admiral Kimmel upon reconvening and to follow him with Lt. Gen. Walter C. Short, Army commander at Hawaii when the Japanese attacked Dec. 7, 1941.

Father Cries When Told Of Two-Headed Baby Which Died

BIRMINGHAM, ENGLAND—(AP)—A two-headed baby girl, born to the English wife of a former United States soldier, died Thursday night after 50 hours and 35 minutes of life. Doctors said they would make a post-mortem examination Friday to determine details of her anatomy.

The infant was born New Year's Day to Mrs. Joseph Govro, 21, whose husband lives on a farm near Festus, Mo.

Born four weeks prematurely, the baby weighed five pounds and 12 ounces and had been given oxygen continually.

Dr. Lindsay Park said the infant had two heads and two necks jointed at the point of the shoulder, two sets of lungs, two stomachs and two gullets—but a single trunk with two arms and two legs. The heads breathed, cried and ate independently.

It was indicated at the hospital that Mrs. Govro had been told at least partially the facts about her child. Previously she had thought she was the mother of twins.

Mrs. Govro was said to be recovering normally.

(Govro, 26, a former private first class, wept at his home near Festus after receiving a cable from the hospital telling him of the unusual nature o fthe birth.)

Pruitt Free On Bond In Highway Slaying

BIG SPRING—(AP)—Floyd Homer Pruitt, Odessa, charged with murder in the shooting of Mrs. Monoree Darnaby early Christmas morning, was free on $5,000 bond Friday. He was released from jail here Thursday when bond was posted.

Meanwhile the Federal Bureau of Investigation joined in the search for a negro who is wanted for questioning in the case. The negro was last seen at Duncan, Ariz., where he is reported to have abandoned a stolen automobile when challenged by border inspectors.

Mrs. Darnaby was shot and killed while riding with her husband in a car seven miles west of here early on Christmas morning.

Court Prohibits Mauldin From Transporting Son

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—A Superior Court order prohibiting her husband from taking their two-year-old son from the state is requested by Norma Jean Mauldin, 22, estranged wife of Cartoonist Bill Mauldin. She formerly lived at Abilene.

She asserted the artist had threatened to remove the boy, Bruce, and asked support pending trial of Mauldin's suit for divorce.

Placing her husband's income last year at $200,000, Mrs. Mauldin petitioned for $710 monthly.

Review Of McVay Case Placed Before Judge

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Navy said Friday legal review of the record and findings in the court martial of Capt. Charles B. McVay, III, has been completed and placed before the judge advocate general. Officials said the findings may be made public in about two weeks.

The court martial cleared McVay of inefficiency charges in the loss of the cruiser Indianapolis, but made public no finding on a negligence count.

Code Cracker

Retired Maj.-Gen. Joseph O. Mauborgne, above, former Army Signal Corps head, was "directly responsible" for cracking the Japanese code and easing materially the path to victory, according to Maj.-Gen. Sherman Miles, chief of Army Intelligence after 1941

Confessed Slayer Of Six Dies For Murdering Wife

TUCKER, ARK.—(AP)—James W. Hall, 24-year-old former Little Rock cab driver and confessed slayer of six persons, died in the electric chair at the state prison farm here Friday for the murder of his second wife, Fayrene Clemmons Hall.

Hall died without uttering a word.

Mrs. Hall's father, A. Z. Clemmons of Conway, Ark., witnessed the execution.

The young, pretty Mrs. Hall was fatally beaten on the bank of the Arkansas River near Little Rock in August, 1944.

Hall did not deny having made confessions reported by Little Rock Chief of Detectives O. N. Martin and other officers until a few days before his execution. In an interview with authorities in the death house, the former taxi driver and sharecropper denied participation in the five slayings, contending "two former convicts" whom he identified had been responsible.

He told officers he had shielded the "convicts" in the belief that they would come to his rescue.

Officers said Hall confessed slaying the following in addition to his wife:

State Boiler Inspector J. D. Newcomb, Jr., Little Rock; E. C. Adams of Humboldt, Kan., whose body was found near Fordyce, Ark.; Doyle Mulherin, Little Rock truck driver, whose body was found in Eastern Arkansas; a negro at Camden, Ark.; negro woman at Salina, Kan.

UNRRA Asks Agent In Germany To Resign

WASHINGTON —(AP)— UNRRA headquarters announced Friday it had called for the resignation of Lt. Gen. Sir Frederick E. Morgan as chief of the agency's operations in Germany.

The announcement said UNRRA "felt obliged" to call for the resignation as a result of a news conference in Frankfurt Wednesday in which Morgan said he believed a secret Jewish organization was connected with a large-scale exodus of Jews from Poland.

(In Hoechst, Germany, Friday Morgan said "I have not resigned, for I see no reason why I should.")

UNRRA officials Thursday told newsmen Morgan had resigned voluntarily.

NEW YORK—(AP)—The New York Times said Friday in a dispatch from Staff Correspondent Raymond Daniel that interviews with scores of recently arrived Polish Jews at a transient reception center in Munich "indicated that the mass migration to Palestine was being instigated, assisted and financed in part by the Polish Zionist Committee."

Geologists To Select Officers Friday Night

Officers for the West Texas Geological Society will be elected at 7 o'clock Friday night, in the district courtroom of the Midland Courthouse.

The nominating committee will submit a list which includes:

For president—Leo R. Newfarmer, Bud Lewis, and Al Ray.

For vice president—Jane Ferrell, Bill Hilseweck, and Max David.

For secretary-treasurer — Jack Barton, Charlie Shaw, and Margaret Smith.

J. A. Sharpe, vice president of Frost Gravimetric Surveys, will speak on, "The Necessity For Geological Participation In The Prosecution Of Geophysicial Exploration.'

F. H. McGuigan, retiring president of WTGS will preside at the meeting.

Publisher Of N. Y. Sun Killed In Plane Crash

RENO, NEV.—(AP)—The body of William T. Dewart, Jr., publisher of the New York Sun who was killed Thursday while taking flying lessons near Reno, will be sent to New York City Friday for services.

The 36-year-old newspaperman was the son of the late William T. Dewart, president of The Sun.

Indonesians Say Dutch Wearing U. S. Uniforms

BATAVIA—(AP)— The Indonesian newspaper Merdeka said Friday that American-trained Dutch Marines who arrived here this week were wearing U. S. Marine Corps uniforms and were carrying equipment including pistol holsters, first aid kits and other items marked with the letters "U. S."

A new outbreak of fighting was reported meanwhile near Soerabaja, where British artillery repulsed about 100 Indonesians who attacked with mortars and machine guns. Four British soldiers were wounded.

Renfro Drug Owner Is Found Shot In Office

BROWNWOOD—(AP)—Joe F. Renfro, Sr., 69, who heads a drug store chain which bears his name, died here Thursday night soon after he was found in his office shot through the head.

No formal inquest was held.

Renfro built the firm which now operates drug stores in Brownwood, Austin, Wichita Falls, and other cities.

His wife, Nancy; a son, Joe Jr., of Austin; and a daughter, Mrs. Fred A. Carpenter of Brownwood, survive.

Harvester Concern, Smelter Works And Tire Firms Involved

By The Associated Press

New calls for strikes appeared imminent Friday as tension mounted in the nation's industrial strife.

New walkouts, hitting at four major industries and involving nearly a million and a half persons, threatened to materialize.

The number of workers idle jumped past the 400,000 mark.

In Chicago, the CIO Farm Equipment and Metal Workers Union said wage negotiations with the International Harvester Company had collapsed and that "in all likelihood" a strike of 30,000 would be called.

The CIO Mine Mill and Smelter Workers Union in Salt Lake City called a strike for January 21 affecting about 5,000 Utah members.

In Akron, O., the CIO-United Rubber Workers local at Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company, planned a strike vote Sunday by about 12,000 union members and a similar vote was called by the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company local January 13.

These were union strategic moves in support of the international body and followed general votes by all employes in December which favored strike action. However, C. V. Wheeler, president of the Goodyear local, said he didn't expect a strike to be called "unless it is absolutely necessary."

The union asks a 30 cents an hour wage increase and a six-hour day.

Telephone Crisis Remains

Meanwhile, the possibility remained of a nationwide walkout of telephone workers, in sympathy with a strike started Thursday by 17,200 employes of the Western Electric Company in 21 plants in New York and New Jersey.

Joseph A. Beirne, president of the Independent National Federation of Telephone Workers, said the federation's 48 member unions were being polled to authorize a sympathy strike in support of demands for 30 per cent wage hikes by the Western Electric Employes Association, its affiliate.

The only promising news along the labor front came from New York where the trend of balloting by 50,000 AFL employes of Western Union Telegraph Company outside the metropolis indicated, said union officials, that they would accept a War Labor Board wage directive and call off a scheduled January 7 strike.

The 7,000 CIO members of the American Communications Associa-

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Communists Give Four Conditions For China Peace

CHUNGKING — (AP) — Chinese Communist and Central Government negotiators seeking peace in dissension-torn China Friday discussed four specific conditions advanced by the Communists in their official reply to Chiang Kai-shek's New Year's Eve peace bid. They are:

1. The Communists agree "in general" with National Government suggestions that Gen. George C. Marshall, President Truman's envoy to Chungking, be one of a committee of three to decide on procedures for cessation of civil hostilities and restoration of railroad communications.

2. Civil war must be stopped immediately throughout the country, especially in Jehol Province.

3. Restoration of communications should cover land, sea, air, postal and telegraph lines, and also result in lifting of a blockade around the liberated areas (Communist term for regions under their control).

4. Investigation groups should embody important personages from all circles throughout the country.

A Communist spokesman commented that the party's four points "not only agree in principle with the Government's proposals, but also in general with its three concrete items."

Aubrey Leon Bentley, First Baby Of 1946, Is Showered With Gifts

Aubrey Leon Bentley, seven-pound son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bentley, 604 South Weatherford Street, was born at 2:05 p. m. Thursday in the Western Clinic Hospital, winning the Midland baby derby honors for 1946.

Midland merchants were ready with a shower of gifts for the first baby of 1946.

Aubrey Leon is the first son for the Bentleys. They have two daughters, Peggy Marie, age 11, and Shirley Reta, six years old.

Bentley is a truck operator for the State Highway Department, and moved to Midland from Lubbock in March, 1945.

Merchants and businessmen of Midland anxiously have been awaiting the arrival of the first child born in Midland County as they have assembled a host of gifts.

Many Fine Gifts

Gifts to be presented by Midland business firms are a bouquet of flowers, Midland Floral Company; Esmond blanket, Dunlap's; 36x42 quilt, Sanders Furniture Shop; sterling silver baby cup, Hughes Jewelry Company; "Practical Guide for Baby Care," Book Stall; photograph of the baby, Williams Studio; baby book, Ray Gwyn Office Supply; certificate for $5 of merchandise at Cash and Carry Market; a certificate good for $5 in cleaning and pressing services at Habit Cleaners; $5 of baby merchandise at Montgomery Ward; $5 of prescriptions for mother or baby, City Drug Store.

Baby's first laundry, The Midland Steam Laundry; five-gallon bottle of Electrified water, Dunagan Sales Company; white gold locket or white gold baby pins, Roettger's Jewelry; robe set, Kiddies Toggery; complete Johnson's baby set, Palace Drug and Jewelry Company; dozen cans of specially prepared baby food, Morris System; three-pound fruit cake, Blackwell's Bakery; four-piece set of Royal Doulton fine china made in England, Iva's Jewelry; a nursery seat, Midland Hardware and Furniture Company; sleeping bag, United Store; bassinet, Barrow Furniture Company; and car seat, Galbraith's.

MacArthur Orders JapHousecleaning

TOKYO —(AP)— General MacArthur Friday decreed a drastic "housecleaning" of Japan's government, and Premier Shidehara's cabinet called an emergency session for Saturday to consider methods of compliance.

Tokyo newspapers interpreted the Allied orders as a move to give Japan new leaders, and the first reaction among politicians was one of bewilderment.

A member of the Progressive Party said "this practically means that all members of the present Diet will not be able to run in the coming election. Even if they did run, they will not have a chance."

Light Showers Are Expected Friday

Midland had a second consecutive cloudy morning Friday and possible light showers were forecast for the afternoon.

Saturday will be partly cloudy and the temperature may drop Friday night.

Damp and moist conditions existed Thursday morning and cleared by noon. The same condition returned Friday morning. Foggy clouds cloaked large areas of West Texas Thursday.

The temperature hit a mean of 60 degrees Friday morning and held for six straight hours at that figure.

• LATE NEWS FLASHES •

NEW YORK—(AP)—Attempts of supervisors to break through a picket line resulted in what police said was a "slight scuffle" Friday at the Western Electric Company's big Keorney, N. J., plant as a strike by 17,200 union employes of company plants entered its second day.

NUERNBERG —(AP)— Field Marshal Werner von Blomberg, former German war minister, informed the international military tribunal in an affidavit Friday the whole group of German staff officers considered a war to wipe out the Polish corridor was "a sacred duty."

MANILA—(AP)—Lt. Gen. Masaharu Homma himself gave the order for the infamous Death March that killed thousands on the agony-strewn route from Bataan to Camp O'Donnell in April, 1942, one of his staff officers testified at Homma's war-crimes trial Friday.

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The prophet which prophesieth of peace, when the word of the prophet shall come to pass, then shall the prophet be known, that the Lord hath truly sent him.—Jeremiah 28:9.

Time For Justice

A dispatch from Manila states that "surprise and disappointment" were apparent in Filipino and American circles when it was learned that the United States Supreme Court had granted General Yamashita a stay of execution.

It is not hard to understand that reaction from a city where Yamashita's soldiers committed thousands of atrocious crimes. Even here, far from the scene of those crimes, the niceties of legal procedure as applied to this case are somewhat puzzling.

The Supreme Court's action is even harder for the layman to understand when it is contrasted with that of the Appeals Court of the British House of Lords, which on the same day dismissed the appeal of William (Lord Haw Haw) Joyce from a sentence of death.

Joyce at least seemed to have a reasonable loophole. As a native of the United States he contended that it was impossible for him to be guilty of treason to the British Crown. But the court of lords apparently agreed that the cause of justice could be served better by upholding the lower court's verdict than by legal hair-splitting.

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Joyce's crimes—and those of John Amery, whose appeal from a death sentence also was denied by the same court—pale in comparison with Yamashita's. At the end of his trial, which was a fair one by the Jap general's own admission, there scarcely could have existed any doubt that murder and unspeakable brutalities were committed by Yamashita's men extensively and over a long period of time, and that they were committed with the commanding general's knowledge and without any reproof from him.

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Yamashita was defended by appointed American counsel. Theirs was a loathsome but necessary job, as distasteful as that of the military doctors who had to save Tojo's neck so that he might stand trial. The world accepts and sympathizes with the fact that such men, by their choice of profession, are committed to try to obtain justice or save the life of the most arrant scoundrel.

But now the unenviable task of Yamashita's lawyers is finished. Their client, who scarcely could have been assumed innocent of responsibility for a myriad of bloody crimes, has nevertheless been given a civilized trial before humanity and human laws. The next move is not extended legal maneuvering, but the execution of a swift justice that may stand as an example for all future warmakers.

Departure From Text

The preamble to the United Nations Charter speaks of "fundamental human rights . . . worth of the human person . . . equal rights of men and women and of nations large and small . . . better standards of life in larger freedom."

The charter's chapter on the International Trustee System lists among its aims "the political, economic, social and educational advancement of the inhabitants of the trust territories . . . fundamental freedoms for all without distinction as to race, sex, language or religion . . . equal treatment in social, economic and commercial matters for all members of the United Nations and their nationals, and also equal treatment for the latter in the administration of justice."

Now Heaton Nicholls, a member of the trusteeship committee from South Africa, has told the committee that "to upset the tribal systems would foment trouble," and "to invite the natives to get up on platforms and express their wishes would result in chaos in Africa."

Perhaps some of the actors in this great drama of international liberty, equality and fraternity should look at their script occasionally.

Still Going Strong

The SS Patrick Henry, first of the 2700 Liberty ships constructed during the war, is four years old and still going strong. The rugged vessel has been in constant service ever since her completion 23 days after Pearl Harbor, carrying cargo to virtually every front, from Murmansk to the Pacific, in wartime voyages totaling 140,000 sea miles.

When the late President Roosevelt first saw a model of the Liberty ship he christened it "the ugly duckling." And truly the Patrick Henry and other ships of her type that followed were unbeautiful as well as slow. But for all that they were welcome sights in ports throughout the world during the war years.

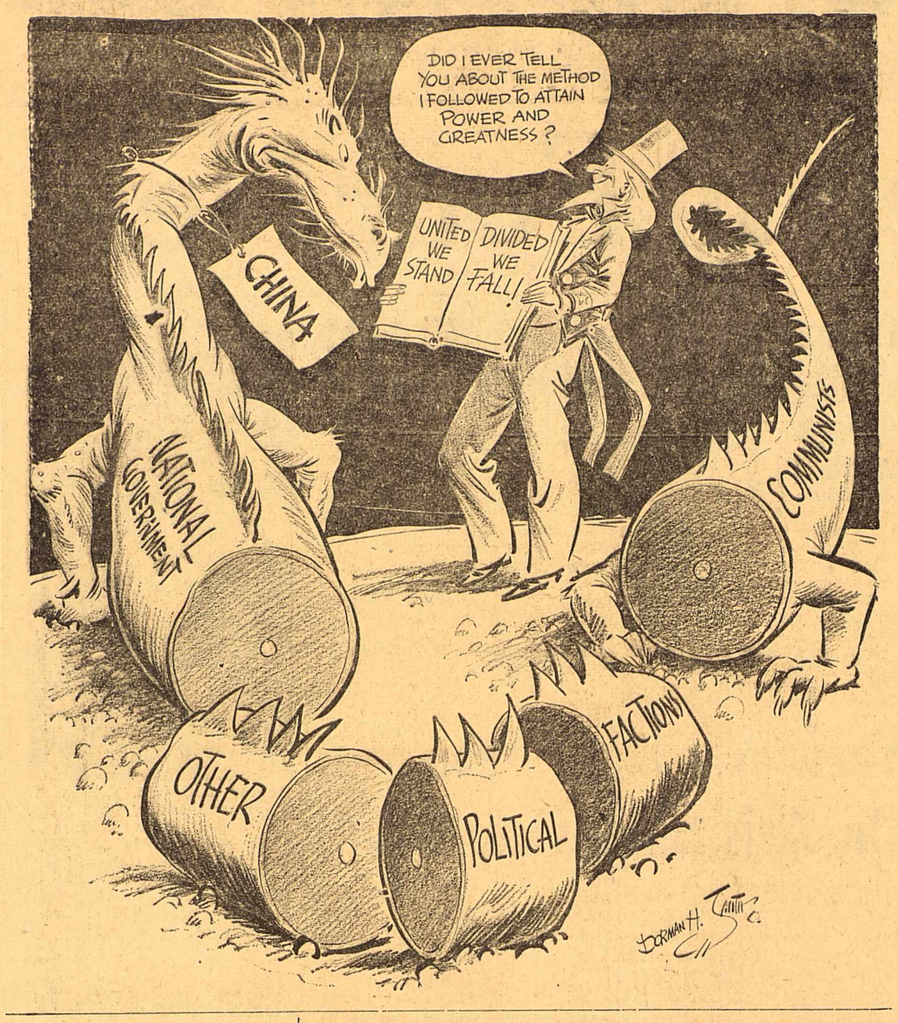
Today the Patrick Henry is on her first peacetime voyage, crossing the Atlantic with a cargo of badly needed coal for Holland. Her arrival will again be a welcome sight, for the supplies of relief and rehabilitation are, in their way, as important as the supplies of war.

The days of the Liberty ship may be numbered. But so long as there are emergency needs such as exist today, the surviving vessels of the great Liberty fleet will continue to prove their usefulness.

"There are too many day dreamers," says an industrialist. Maybe we should find some way of taxing a man's yearnings.

It's funny more people don't have family albums these days—and funnier when they do.

A Story Worth Listening To



Polish Envoy

A former U. S. citizen is Poland's new ambassador to the United States. He is Dr. Oscar Lange, above, who first came to America as an exchange student. After study at the University of Chicago, he became a U. S. citizen in 1943. Recently he renounced his American citizenship and was appointed to the Washington post.

Hendrix Is Discharged And Returns To Midland

Pfc. Arthur A. Hendrix of Midland has received his honorable discharge from the Army and is back home.

He was separated at Fort Bliss and came immediately to Midland, where he lives on the Bizzell farm south of the city.

The Midlander served two years in the South Pacific and made the Iwo Jima occupation.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hendrix.

Three Month Butter Shortage Predicted

DALLAS—(AP)—A butter shortage during the next three months has been predicted by C. M. Evans, area dairy and poultry chief of the Department of Agriculture's production and marketing administration.

The Australian mutton-bird yields oil 60 times richer in vitamins than cod liver oil.

Oil Well Applications Totaled 6,897 In 1945

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Oil and Gas Division of the State Railroad Commission reported Friday that 106 new regular drilling applications were filed last week, bringing the year's total applications to 6,897, an increase of 81 applications over 1944.

Oil and gas well completions for 1945 also showed increases over the year previous. Oil well completions numbered 3,844, an increase of 254 completions over 1944. Gas well completions number 784, an increase of 438.

Wildcatting also showed a slight increase for the year, with more dry holes, fewer oil wells and more gas wells resulting than in 1944. In 1945, a total of 1,197 wildcat wells were drilled, 146 oil, 61 gas and 990 dry. The year previous 1,035 wildcat wells resulted in 172 oil, 39 gas and 824 dry wells.

Students Trek Back To School Thursday

It was back to "work" Thursday for all students of Midland's school system, following the Christmas holidays.

The students had been released prior to Christmas and their vacation extended over the New Year.

FPC To Proceed On Gas Lines Hearings

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Proceedings in the application of the Tennessee Gas and Transmission Company for authority to build and operate pipeline facilities in three Texas counties will be reopened on February 27, the Federal Power Commission announced Friday.

The company proposed to construct about 2,380 feet of eight-inch line from a main line valve in Harris County, Texas, to a connection with the United Gas Pipeline Company's Katy-Satsuma line; about 95 miles of 16-inch line from Nialco County to Nueches and a dehydration plant.

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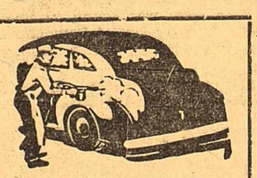
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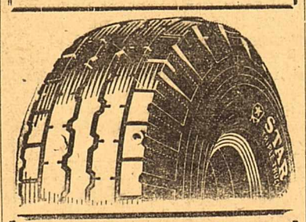
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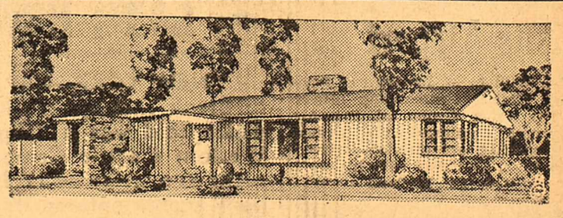
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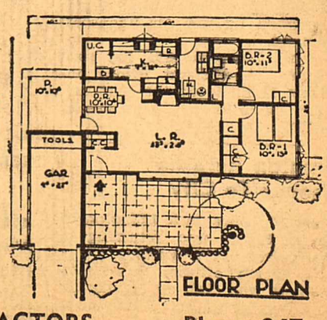

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NEW OFFICERS OF EPISCOPAL AUXILIARY WILL BE INSTALLED

New officers of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will be installed at the services at 11 a. m. Sunday at the church. The Rev. R. J. Snell, rector, will have charge of the ceremony.

Mrs. S. J. Lones will be installed as president; Mrs. Hal C. Peck, vice-president; Mrs. Taylor Cole, secretary; and Mrs. E. F. Aistrin, treasurer.

The first meeting of the auxiliary for the new year will be held at 3:30 p. m. Monday at the home of Mrs. Lones, 1803 West Wall.

Mrs. Wright Is Hostess To Needlecraft Club

Mrs. J. K. Wright was hostess for a meeting of the Needlecraft Club Thursday afternoon at her home. Entertaining rooms were decorated with nandena berries and fern.

The afternoon was spent in working on needle point and embroidery.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to two guests, Mrs. Jim Schroeder and Mrs. Robert Cox, and the following members: Mmes. J. A. Tutle, M. F. King, Antone Theis, John Dunagan, H. G. Bedford, B. C. Girdley and George Phillips.

The next meeting of the group will be held at 3 p. m. Thursday at the home of Mrs. Bedford.

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Marriage Rites Read For Rita Whiteaker And H. W. Whitmire

Miss Rita Whiteaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Whiteaker, 403 Mulberry Lane, and H. W. Whitmire of Breckenridge were united in marriage Tuesday evening at the home of the Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor of the First Baptist Church, who directed the ceremony.

The bride was attired in a lavender suit with which she wore white gloves and other accessories of black. Her shoulder corsage was of white carnations.

Attending the bride as matron of honor was her sister-in-law, Mrs. Truman M. Whiteaker. She chose a gray suit and wore black accessories.

L. P. Whitmire served his brother as best man.

The bride attended Midland High School and recently returned from Vancouver, Wash., where she was employed in a defense plant several months.

Mr. Whitmire recently received his honorable discharge from the armed forces after serving overseas in the South Pacific. He attended Breckenridge schools and at one time was a resident of Midland.

The couple will make their home in Breckenridge.

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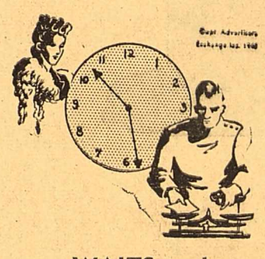

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YOUNG CHILDREN ARE INVITED TO ATTEND LIBRARY STORY HOUR

The younger group of children of Midland are invited to attend the story hour at the Midland County Library at 2:30 p. m. Saturday.

One of the stories scheduled for this Saturday will be Elizabeth Conger's "Valery," the amusing story of the Whipple family and their loveable but troublesome house pet, Valery, the calf.

Stories will be told each Saturday afternoon by Miss Martha Creagh, chi dren's librarian. In addition to telling stories from new books added to the juvenile collection at the library, Miss Creagh will tell favorite stories requested by the children.

Coming Events

SATURDAY

The Moment Musical Club will meet at 11 a. m. at the Watson School of Music Studio.

Tryouts for talent and understudies for Civic Theater productions will be held at 7:30 p. m. at the Civic Auditorium.

Scout Leaders Meet In Midland Session

A two-day meeting of the executive staff of the Buffalo Trail Council of Boy Scouts opened in Midland Friday and plans for the overall program of Scouting in 1946 are under discussion.

The meeting precedes the annual council meeting scheduled in Big Spring January 21.

A councilwide roundup will be held in April. This event was attended by 1,000 Scouts and Scouters last year.

Camping will be a big feature of the program this year.

Members of the executive staff meeting in Midland include Scout Executives P. V. Thorson of Sweetwater, H. D. Norris of Big Spring, and Field Executives Don Betts of Odessa, James Polk of Snyder, and W. A. (Bill) Martin of Midland.

Clark And Vinson Will Address Rayburn Dinner

DALLAS—(AP)— Secretary of the Treasury Fred Vinson and Attorney General Tom Clark headed the list of national and state Democrats who gathered in Dallas Friday to honor Speaker Sam Rayburn of the House of Representatives.

Both will speak Friday night at the dinner for Rayburn, sponsored by the Democratic Women of Dallas County, an event which will climax 1946's first big day of political activity by Texas Democrats and set the stage for the campaigns for Congress and governor this summer.

Ex-Flying Tigers Arrive In States

TACOMA, WASH — (AP) — The 23rd Fighter Group, formed from the original famed Flying Tigers and the oldest group in China, arrived in Tacoma Thursday night.

With it came an eight-year-old Chinese boy, the group's mascot, who mysteriously appeared aboard ship eight days out from Shanghai.

The 23rd Fighter Group, composed of the 74th Guerilla, the 75th Flying Shark and the 76th Vanguard squadrons, was formed from the Flying Tigers when the Tigers disbanded on July 4, 1942.

Livestock

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle 1,300, calves 800, slow, about steady. Mostly cow and calf run. Beef steers and yearlings scarce. Butcher cows 8.50-10.50. Few medium and good fat cows 11.00-12.00. Sausage bulls 8.00-10.00. Good fat calves 12.50-13.75, choice scarce, common and medium calves 9.50-12.00.

Hogs 500, very uneven. Choice 190-300 lb. butchers steady to 15 lower. Good sows steady. All lightweight hogs and over 300 lb. butchers around 25-1.00 lower, some mixed grade lights 2.00 lower. Stocker pigs 50-1.00 lower. Top 14.65 paid for good and choice 190-300 lb. averages. Medium to choice 150-200 lb. weights and 300-400 lb. weights 12.00-14.50. Sows 13.50-90. Medium and good stocker pigs 9.00-12.50.

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Cotton

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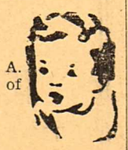

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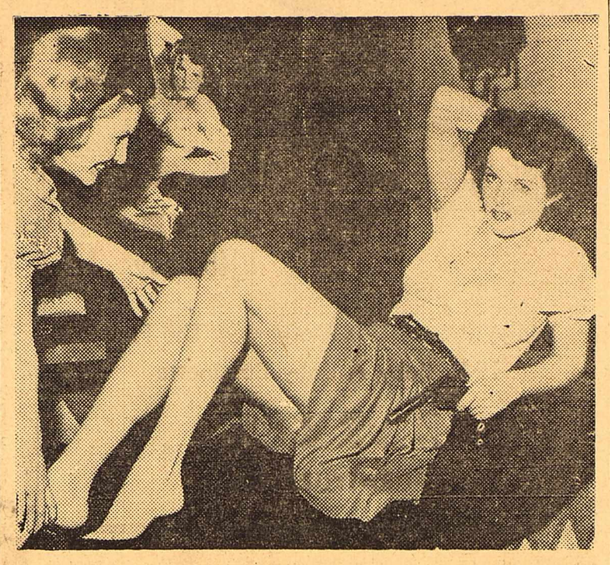

(NEA Telephoto)

Oh for the life of an artist. The gun she's holding is not for self defense in the dangerous dungeons of the howling wolves (Hollywood to you uninitiated), but it's all for the sake of art. The young lady in the pose is Jane Russel and the artist is Miss Joe Mozert of Van Nuys, California. Miss Mozert is putting the finishing touches on her chalk drawing of Jane which will eventually be a poster publicizing Howard Hughes' picture "The Outlaw", which they tell us is coming at last.

Bessie Lou Oswalt And C. V. Shelburne Wed In Odessa Rites

Announcement has been made here of the marriage of Miss Bessie Lou Oswalt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Oswalt, of Lamesa, and RDM 1/C C. V. Shelburne, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Shelburne, of Stanton.

Rites for the ceremony were solemnized December 15, in Odessa by Wesley Mickey, minister of the Church of Christ in that city.

Miss Oneida Oswalt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and best man was E. B. Caudlle, uncle of the bridegroom.

The bridegroom was former sports editor for The Reporter-Telegram and before enlisting in the Navy was editor of The Monahans News. He has been in the service 40 months and served in the Pacific.

The couple will make their home in Vallejo, Calif., where he is now stationed.

Beer was made by the Egyptians 5,000 years ago.

Sgt. Campanella To Return To City Soon

S/Sgt. Charles P. Campanella has arrived in the U. S. from the Pacific Theater of Operation, and is expected back in Midland within a few days.

He landed at Tacoma, Wash., December 21 on the Marine Devil, and went to Fort Devens, Mass., where he was to be discharged. After a short visit with his parents in Boston, he will return to Midland.

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Loan Association Declares Dividend

A semi-annual dividend of four per cent per annum has been declared by the directors of the Midland Federal Savings and Loan Association, W. R. Upham, secretary-treasurer, announced Friday. The loan firm has had a rapid growth since its organization in December, 1934, and has assets of almost $600,000. Shareholders have never received less than a four per cent annual dividend.

The association has made hundreds of loans in Midland for building, buying and remodeling of homes and has been a substantial investor in War Bonds. Each savings and investment account is insured up to $5,000 by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation of Washington, D. C.

The firm shares office space with Sparks, Barron & Ervin Insurance Agency at 111 West Wall Street.

RESUMES STUDIES

Miss La Vena Robertson left Thursday for Sul Ross State Teachers College, Alpine, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Robertson

L. W. (Bud) Taylor Returns To Midland

L. W. (Bud) Taylor and his family have returned to Midland following several years absence while he was in service with the Navy.

Taylor formerly coached the Midland High School Bulldogs and had a successful record. He placed two runner-up teams in 3-AA and beat Odessa in two upsets.

Mrs. Taylor is the former Miss Helen Droppleman. Their daughter is Miss Sandy Taylor.

The Taylors will live in Midland.

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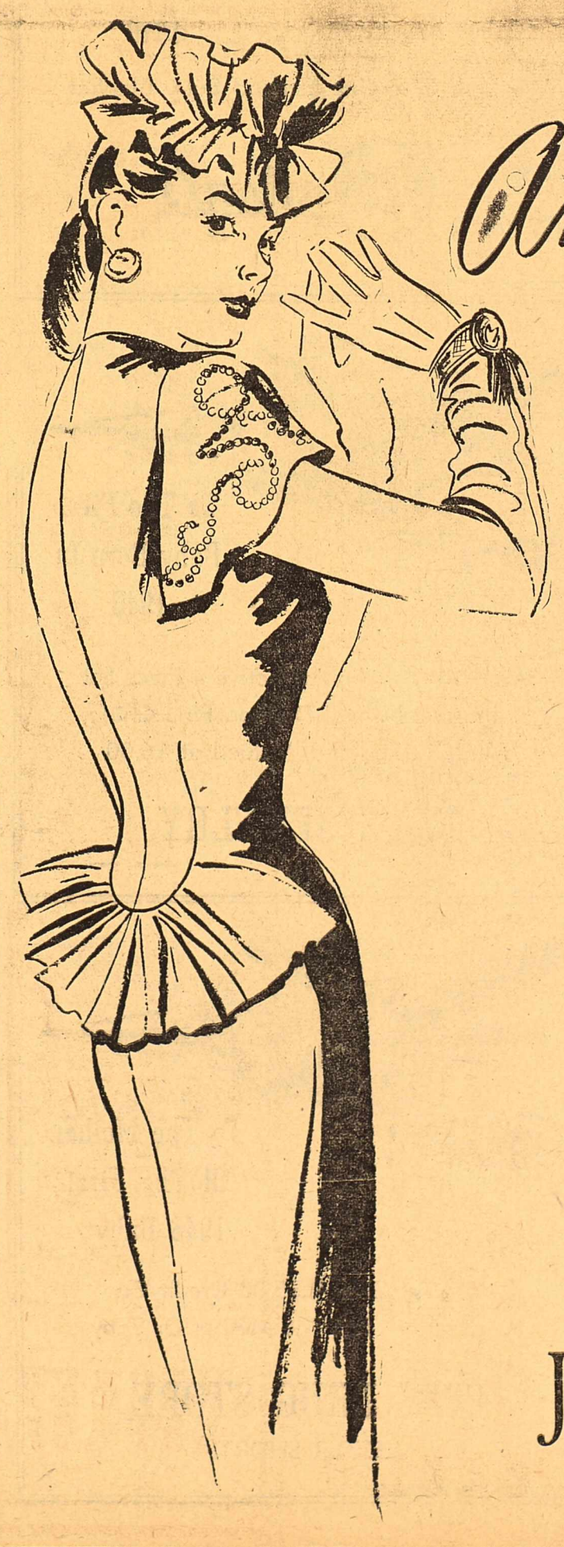

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Church News

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
H and Illinois Streets
Rev. R. J. Snell, Rector

8:00 a. m.: Holy Communion.
9:45 a. m.: Church School.
11:00 a. m.: Holy Communion and sermon, "Spiritual Living." An installation service will be conducted for the officers of the Woman's Auxiliary.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 South Main Street
Rev. A. W. Smith, Pastor

9:45 a. m.: Sunday School and Bible Class.
10:55 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon.
6:30 p. m.: Training Union.
7:45 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Loraine and Illinois Streets
Rev. Clyde Lindsley, Pastor.

9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon.
6:30 p. m.: Children's Endeavor and Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon.

ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC
Father Frank Triggs, Pastor.
Sunday Masses

8:00 a.m.: English and Spanish.
10:30 a.m.: Spanish.
11:00 a.m.: English.
7:00 p.m.: Novena.
Saturday
5:30 to 6 p.m.: and 7 to 8:30 p.m.: Confessions.

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9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon, "It Is Written for the New Year."
6:30 p. m.: Youth Fellowship.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon, "Acts 19 and 20."

The quiz of classes will be resumed and contestants will be three members of the Men's Class and three teachers from the Sunday School departments. Each has scored 100 in former tests.

Wednesday 8:00 p. m.: Second Wednesday night services.
Saturday 11:30 a. m.: Broadcast over station KCRS.
Sunday
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning lesson-sermon, "God."

The Golden Text is: "I am Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the ending, saith the Lord, which is, and which was, and which is to come, the Almighty" (Revelation 1:8).

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite" (Psalms 147:5).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "All substance, intelligence, wisdom, being, immortality, cause, and effect belong to God" (page 275).

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7:00 p. m.: Divine worship.

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600 South Colorado Street
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11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
7:45 p.m.: Preaching.
8:00 p.m. Thursday: Preaching
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
8:30 p.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Bible Study.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
California and Colorado Streets
John F. Lilly, Minister.

10:30 a. m.: Sunday morning service.
8:15 p. m.: Sunday evening service.
8:30 p. m.: Wednesday prayer service.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 South Baird Street
Rev. Paul H Coxe

10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
6:15 p.m.: Christ's Ambassadors.
7:30 p.m.: Evangelistic Services.
7:30 p.m.: Mid-week services.

FIRST FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. R. H. Rogers
800 South Terrell Street

10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching Services.
8:00 p.m.: Preaching Services.
Wednesday
8:00 p.m.: Mid-week prayer meeting.

GOSPEL HALL
500 South Loraine
J. D. Jackson, Pastor

10:00 a.m.: Bible study.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
7:45 p.m.: Preaching service.
7:45 p.m. Tuesday: Young People's meeting.
2:30 p.m. Wednesday: W M B meeting.
7:45 p.m. Thursday: Preaching services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
300 North Main Street
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor

9:45 a. m.: Church School.
10:50 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon.
6:30 p. m.: Intermediates, Seniors and Young People.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon.
Thursday 7:30 p. m.: Bible study will be conducted by the pastor.

MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION
Washington and Midland Streets
Jean Ann Cowden, Sunday School Supt.

9:45 a.m.: Sunday school.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Indiana and Big Spring Streets
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor.

10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Morning worship.
6:15 p.m.: NYPS.
7:00 p.m.: Evening worship.
Wednesday
7:00 p.m.: Prayer service.

THE HOLINESS MISSION
East Pennsylvania and South Terrell
R. C. Jones, Pastor.

10:00 a.m.: Sunday School.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching.
7:45 p.m.: Evening service.
Tuesday
8:00 p.m.: Young Peoples Meeting.
Thursday
8:00 p.m.: Prayer Meeting.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
West Texas and North A Street
Rev. Hubert H. Hopper, Pastor

9:45 a. m.: Bible School.
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon, "A Poor Trade."
6:30 p. m.: Young People.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon, "The Follow-Through."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main Street and Illinois
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor

9:45 a. m.: Sunday School.
10:55 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon, "Where Do We Go From Here?"
6:15 p. m.: Training Union.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon.

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11:00 a.m.: Morning Worship.
7:00 p.m.: Evening Services.
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James F. Orford, Chaplain
Sunday
8:30 a.m.: Mass.
12:15 p.m.: Mass.
Jewish Services
Albert N. Troy, Chaplain
Thursday
7:30 p.m.: Worship Service.
Friday
8:15 p.m.: Sabbath Service.

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J. Woodie Holden, Evangelist

10:00 a. m.: Bible Study.
10:50 a. m.: Worship.
7:00 p. m.: Young People's Bible Study.
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship.
7:30 p. m.: Wednesday, Bible.
3:00 p. m.: Tuesday, Ladies Bible Class.

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8:30 p.m.: Sunday radio program.
10:00 a.m.: Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.: Preaching service.
9:00 p.m.: Preaching service.
9:00 p.m. Wednesday: Prayer meeting.

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Rev. H. H. Hare
W. Pennsylvania and Loraine
Saturday Services:
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Midland-Odessa BUS LINE

SCHEDULE

Leave Midland-Odessa	Leave Airport
5:25 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
6:25 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
7:25 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
11:00 A.M.	11:30 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	1:30 P.M.
2:00 P.M.	2:30 P.M.
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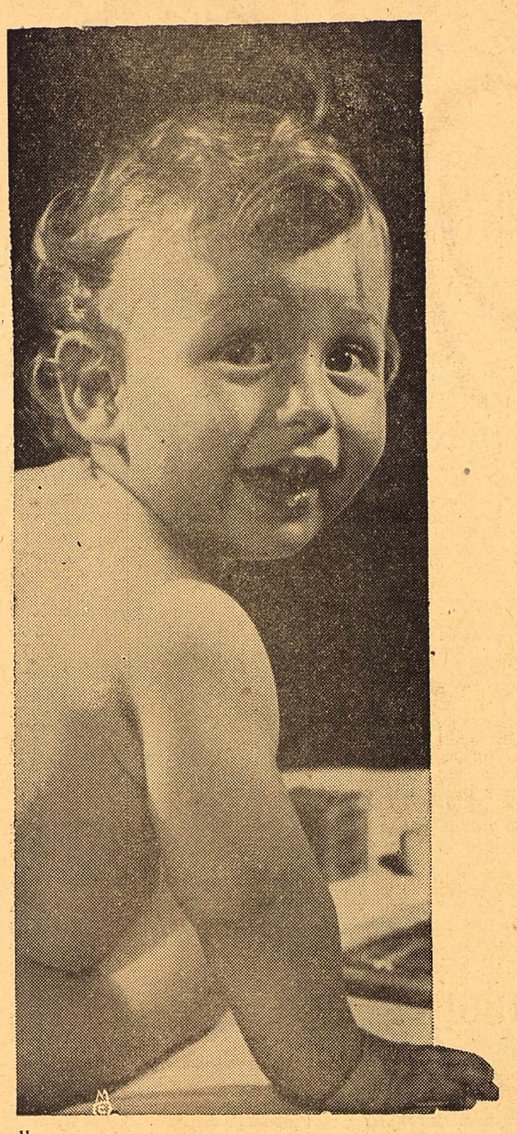

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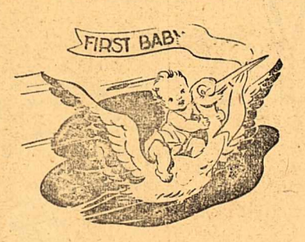

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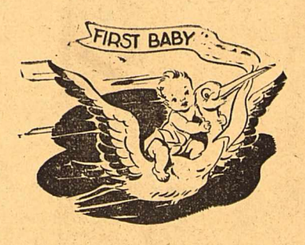

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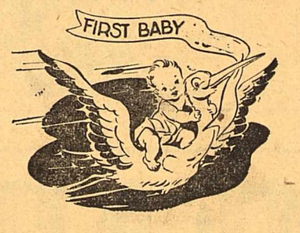

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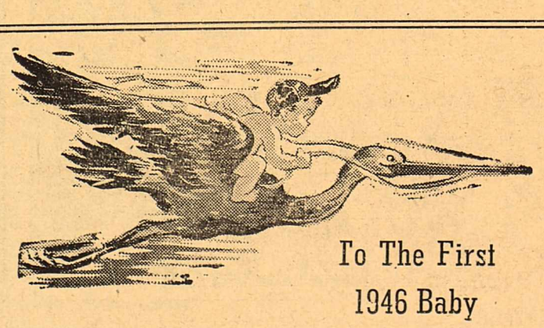

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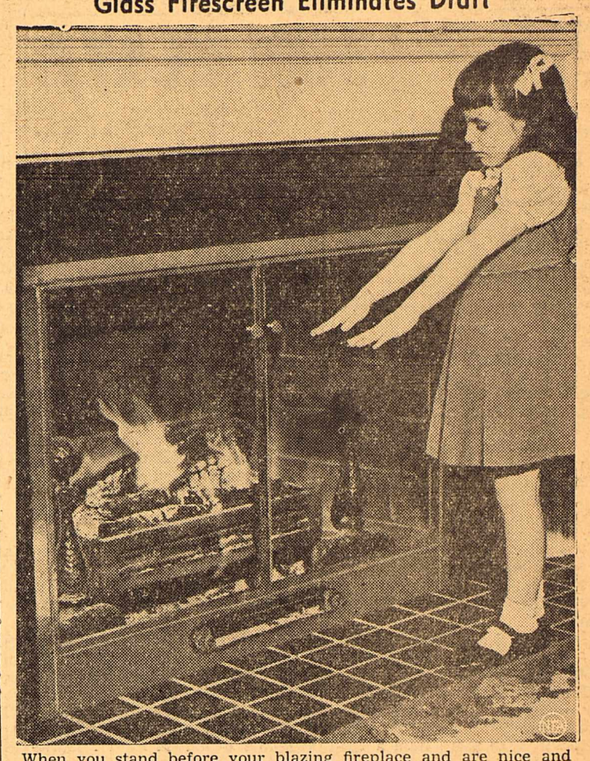

When you stand before your blazing fireplace and are nice and warm in front but feel a chill draft hitting your back, it's because the fire causes air in the room to rush into the fireplace and up the chimney, taking with it a good bit of the heat. To eliminate this annoying draft, Gerald and Lloyd Merryweather, Akron, Ohio, heating engineers, devised a glass firescreen that does the trick. In a metal frame, the heat-resistant glass fits snugly into the fireplace opening Its two doors can be opened for tending the fire. Beneath them is the all-important gadget—a narrow slot, which provides all the oxygen any fire needs and can be opened or closed to regulate the draft Above, Lynn Merryweather, Gerald's daughter, enjoys "all-around" warmth before the new screen in her home.

HAL BOYLE'S MEMORIES OF PATTON —

What Are You A Christmas Tree, Patton Once Asked Medaled Colonel

By HAL BOYLE

MANILA—(AP)—Some memories of the late General Patton:

When Patton went ashore at Fedala, French Morocco, on the morning of Nov. 8, 1942, as commander of the Western Task Force invading North Africa, it was his first appearance on a battlefield since he had been wounded in France 24 years before.

Patton was clad in fatigue clothes and had both his famous ivory-handled pistols strapped at his sides, ready for action. He rode inland standing upright in a tank with his helmeted head poked through the turret opening.

One of the first sights he saw was a full colonel standing around in a fancy class triple-A dress uniform with row upon row of colorful ribbons shining on his chest like a rainbow.

"What in hell are you, anyway—a Christmas tree?" snorted Patton.

Rolling onward, he halted his tank before a group of soldiers stretched out in the sun. He beckoned imperiously to a sergeant and asked where a certain unit could be found.

"Over there, sir," said the sergeant, rising to a sitting posture and gesturing idly with one arm.

Patton's temper promptly blew up like an overworked boiler.

"Damn you!" he shrieked. "Get to your feet when you address your commanding officer!"

The general's high-pitched rage brought the sergeant soaring upright to rigid attention almost as if the law of gravity had been repealed.

Had Dressing Down Coming

Patton immediately became mild again. After he moved on, a soldier said, "He sure ate you out that time, Sarge."

"I had it coming," replied the sergeant with a grin.

That sergeant is only one of at least a dozen oldtimers in the Second Armored (Hell on Wheels) Division that I since have heard boast about "how the Old Man dressed me down."

Regular troopers, who come to believe firmly in the need for the strict discipline to which they are held, usually liked Patton, who was definitely a soldier's soldier.

Patton was so confident of promotion that when we sailed for Africa he carried with him the three-star flag of a lieutenant general, although he was but a two-starred major general at the time.

Months later he got his third star.

"Officers' Duty to Die"

The general rarely took cover during trips to the front and once argued strongly against the army "dig or die" posters that urged every man to have a foxhole handy at all times. He didn't like the psychology. He believed in keeping in motion and taking advantage of the terrain.

"It costs fewer lives eventually," insisted Patton, who firmly advocated risk-taking and bluntly told junior officers it was their duty to be killed.

One of the best Patton yarns, probably apocryphal, concerns an interview he gave to an infantryman who was complaining about German air attacks.

"Well, of course, our planes can't be everywhere at once," Patton quietly explained.

The next day Messerschmitts strafed a front-line post that Patton was visiting.

Hitting the dirt like any doughboy, Patton cried angrily, "where in hell's our air cover?"

Truly a pious man, he was often crude and bloodthirsty in speech, but rarely was profane. He simply spoke the soldier's language.

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STOP JOHN CLAY!

By Lionel Mosher

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THE STORY: Pike Calvin senses an ominous air about THE SADDLEBACK INN, exclusive mountain resort. Shrewd Roger Bland says he knows that Pike is there only to see John Clay, powerful magnate who owns the Inn. He also claims to know what happened to Mary Butler. Pike walks into town with Fay Tudor, Clay's lovely niece. A long-distance phone call to his employer reveals that Mary Butler has disappeared. He visits the library, takes out the book Fay Tudor has just returned.

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PIKE looked through the oval ports in the swinging doors to the reading room. He could see her shining auburn hair bound with the velvet band. She was sitting at one of the tables writing something.

Pike went in and sat opposite her. But she did not look up. Pike sat there and watched her.

Finally she said:

"What is it?"

"Your card," he said. He held it out.

She reached over and took it.

"I got the book," Pike said.

"Fine," she said.

"I'll read it tonight," he said. "By morning I'll be thoroughly enlightened."

"It will take more than a book to do that," she said.

"If you have no previous engagement—"

She looked at him.

"Can't you see that I'm writing a letter?"

"Yes," he said. "I don't understand why you came way over here to do it."

"I come over here because it is quiet," she said. "Ordinarily."

"You're lucky to have any privacy at all around here," he said. "I haven't."

With a look of infinite patience she began to write again.

"Even my room has been searched," he said.

He watched her pen. It moved more slowly, then halted. She made a period. She gazed at him steadily. She said:

"Why tell me?"

He shrugged.

"John Clay is your uncle. He owns THE SADDLEBACK."

Someone came through the swinging doors. Miss Felton. With one little book, obviously a pretext for nosing about the reading room, she crossed to the desk, laid the book down, and went out again.

"Listen, Mr. Calvin." Miss Tudor's voice was lowered and she spoke very deliberately. "I haven't the vaguest notion what you expect to get out of your little visit here at THE SADDLEBACK. If there is any reason why someone should search your room, you would know it better than I. Now will you be good enough to let me finish my letter or must I take it elsewhere?"

Pike looked at her thoughtfully. She was very serious, but somehow he felt that there was something behind the rebuff.

"All right," he said. "I forgive you. And thanks for the book."

He looked up just in time to surprise a head sliding smoothly past one of the oval ports in the swinging doors. A head remarkably like Mr. Bateman's.

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PIKE crossed over and went through the doors. Bateman was back at the business of placing books on a shelf under the main desk. He was doing it obviously and deliberately. Miss Felton was tinkering with a book stamp.

"You have a fine library here," Pike said.

Mr. Bateman turned slowly and straightened.

He put one hand up to what Pike was sure was a toupee and touched it gently to assure himself it was there.

"I was wondering," Pike said, "if you have any material here in the library on Mr. Clay."

"A little." Bateman reached up and adjusted his glasses. "What little there is is uncomplimentary."

Pike saw Miss Felton lay down her book stamp and stare fixedly ahead of her. This time Bateman went on:

"One is a newspaper clipping on the conference."

"What conference?"

The lid over Bateman's eye dropped heavily. His expression revealed quite plainly that he did not believe in Pike's innocence and that it was of no consequence to him whether Pike lied or told the truth. Mr. Bateman made up his own mind. He said:

"A few weeks ago there was a conference of industrialists here at THE SADDLEBACK to discuss plans for reconversion to peacetime production. This newspaper account quotes the words of a congressman to the effect that the conference was not what it purported to be."

"What did he say it was?"

Mr. Bateman smiled thinly:

"He called it a 'gathering of fascists bent on influencing the policies of our government for their own profit.'"

"Well!" Pike said.

"Those are the very words the congressman used," Mr. Bateman said. "He hinted at investigation."

"Is that a fact?"

"Broadly," said Mr. Bateman. "Naturally, Mr. Clay is a little sensitive now to any undue curiosity regarding his activities."

Then Pike heard a thumping. Miss Felton was trying out the book stamp. And under cover of the sound Bateman was saying something:

"If I can be of any further assistance, Mr. Calvin, please let me know."

There was a peculiar urgency in his manner. He was trying to tell Pike something. His good eye, large and bright, looked into Pike's face and Pike said casually:

"Are you open in the evening?"

"Until 9," Bateman said.

Pike nodded. Bateman went on: "I hope we'll see you here again, Mr. Calvin."

"You will," Pike said.

(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. McKENNEY
America's Card Authority

We have all read about the dog who saw his reflection in the water and lost the piece of meat he had in his mouth because he tried to get the piece reflected in the pool. That happens in bridge, too, when players are too greedy. That is why a surprising number of them would down at three no trump on today's hand.

Before playing a card, declarer should count his tricks. He can make three heart tricks, a diamond and two clubs. Therefore, in order to make the contract, he must make three spade tricks. The problem is the location of the king of spades.

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	♠ Q J 6 2 ♥ Q J 10 5 ♦ Q 10 5 ♣ Q J	

Duplicate—Both vul.

South	West	North	East
Pass	Pass	1 ♣	Pass
1 ♥	Pass	1 N. T.	Pass
3 N. T.	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠ 10. 4

If East has it, there is plenty of time to find that out. If West has it, it is probably a singleton or doubleton.

If declarer covers the spade ten with the jack and West puts on the singleton king, he will be held to two spade tricks. In addition, he has no other tricks established yet. If he plays low from dummy on the first spade, he will have no problem. He leads a club toward the queen, East wins with the ace and returns another spade. Then declarer establishes the hearts. When his last spade stopper is knocked out, he has to establish the diamond trick, but it is only reasonable to assume that the high diamond is probably in the West hand.

Thus, while retaining control of all but the spade suit, North establishes the tricks he needs in the other three suits.

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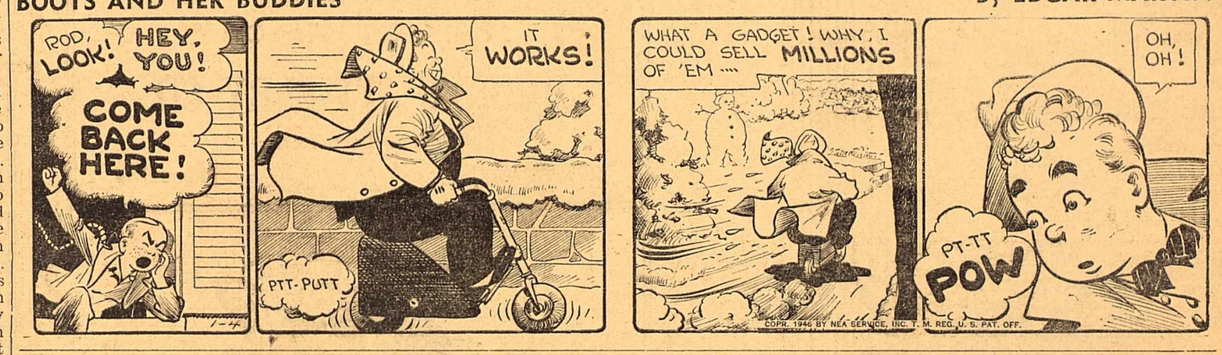

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City Firemen Called To Burning Truck Thursday

The Midland Fire Department was called at 10:30 a. m. Thursday to extinguish a burning truck on Highway 80, about a mile and a half from the city.

The truck belonged to Otis Hayes, who lives seven miles from Midland. It caught fire from an exhaust backfire and was heavily damaged.

It Pays to Advertise.

Supply Chief

Lt.-Gen. Leroy Lutes, above, is new commander of the Army Service Forces, succeeding retiring Gen. Brehon B. Somervell. General Lutes, from Cairo, Ill., will direct supply lines for U. S. troops scattered throughout the world.

Birth, Death, Divorce Rate Decreased In '45

Midland had an increase in marriages in 1945 over 1944 but reported decreases in births, deaths and divorces.

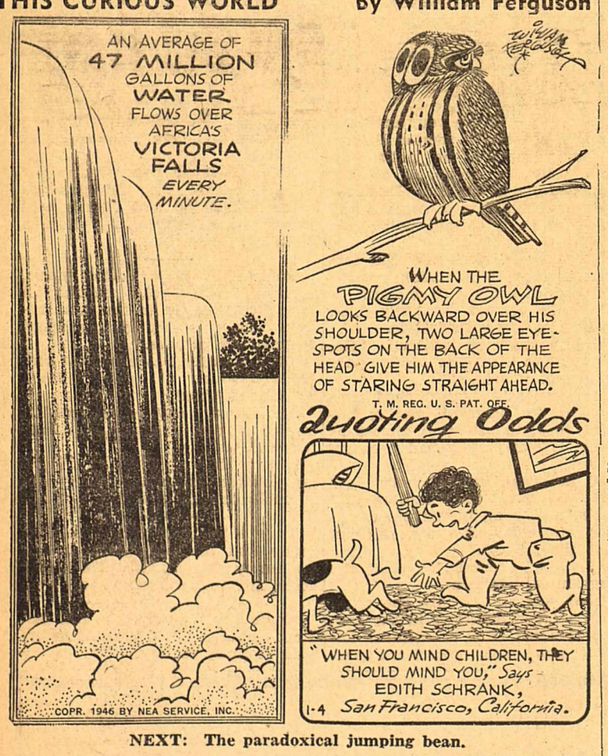
Compiled by County and District Clerks, the following figures were released Friday:

1944		1945
388	Marriages	391
501	Births	452
110	Deaths	97
83	Divorces	81

FIRST MARRIAGE LICENSE FOR 1946 GOES TO MIDLAND COUPLE

The first marriage license issued by Midland County in 1946 went to John Ray Hammock and Sybil King. It was issued January 2.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



NEXT: The paradoxical jumping bean.

S. M. VAUGHAN GOES TO FURNITURE MARKET

S. M. Vaughan, manager of Barrow Furniture Company, left Friday morning for the Chicago furniture market. He will join A. B. Barrow at Abilene for the trip.

IRON ORE SHIPMENTS

In the Lake Superior iron ore district are 75 mines from each of which more than 5,000,000 tons of ore were shipped in their period of activity.

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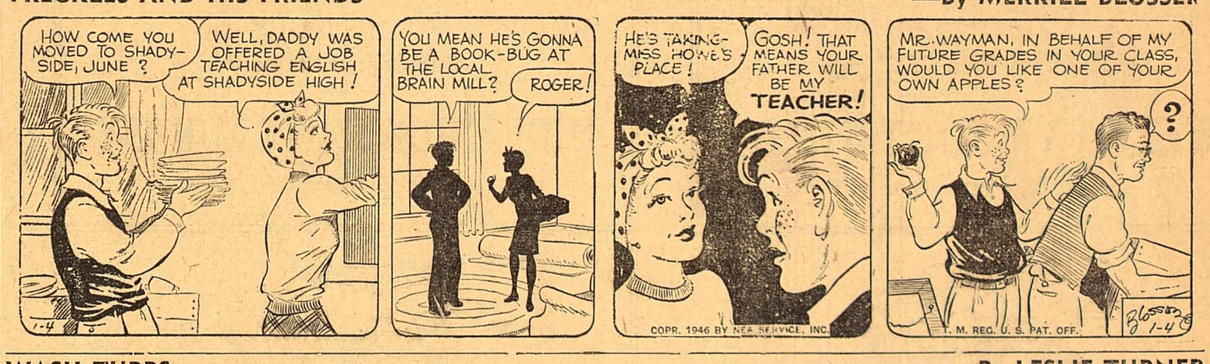
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By MERRILL BLOSSER



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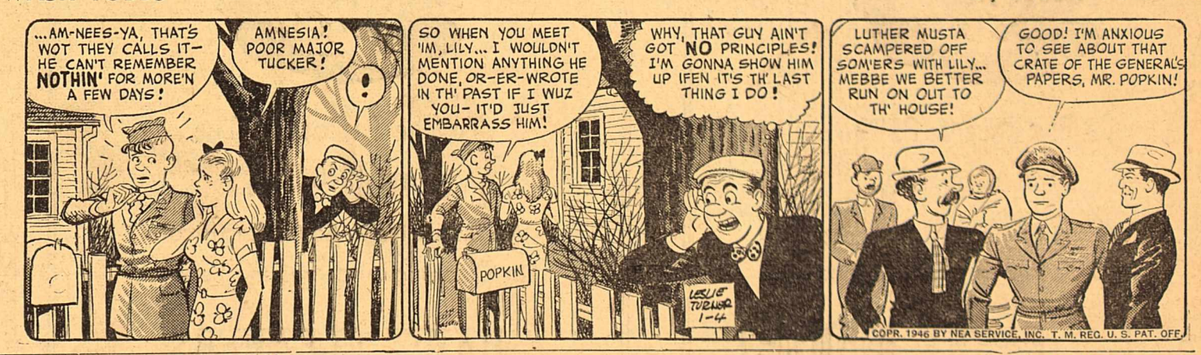

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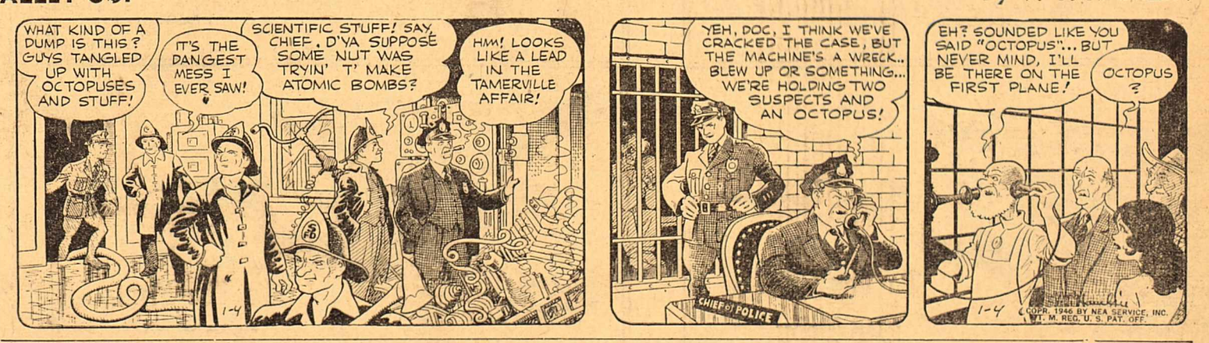

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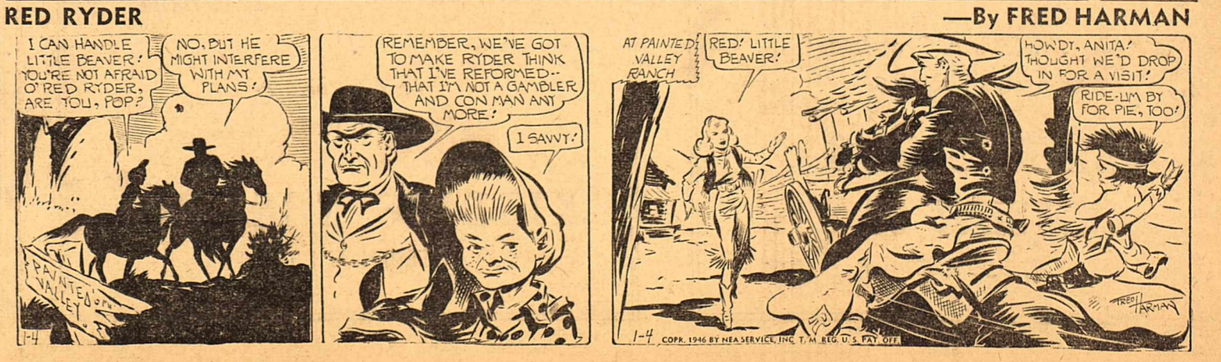

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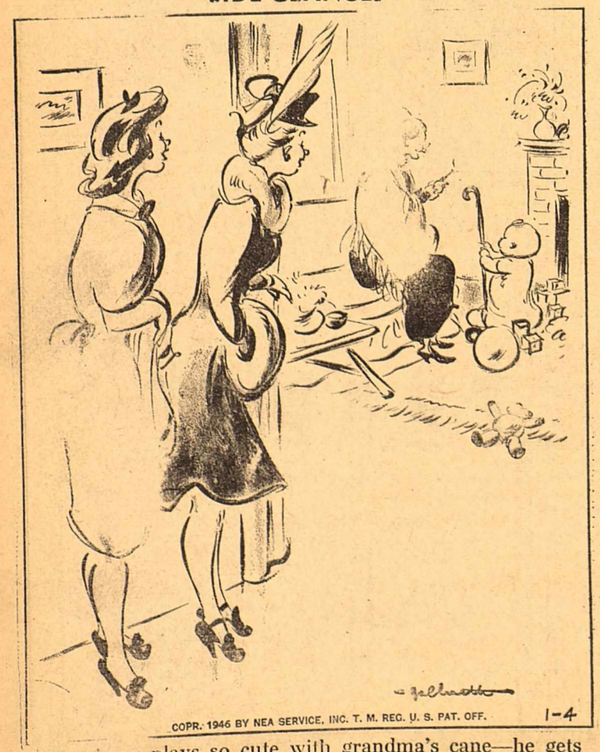
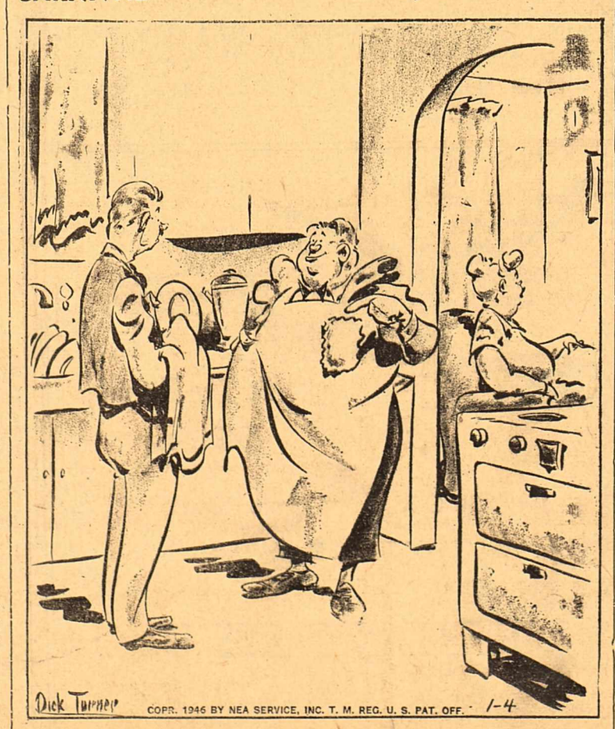


"...he baby plays so cute with grandma's cane—he gets almost as much fun out of it as she does with his rattle!"

CARNIVAL By DICK TURNER



"Myrtle made it for my birthday—notice the pocket for my pipe and tobacco?"

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D. T. WALLACE, public accountant, announces the removal of offices from 111 North Pecos to Room 215, Crawford Hotel, Midland, Texas.

Good Things to Eat 5

GRADE A raw milk from tested cows. Hens, pullets, fryers, also two bucks, 3 does, rabbit fryers. Mile and quarter from town on highway to Airport 2. Ph. 1327-R

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Lost and Found 8

LOST—Billfold on Main Street with valuable papers. Reward. Leave at Reporter-Telegram.

STRAYED — From Fred Truelove place east of tank farm, 2 bays and 1 black horse, notify Easley at Southern Ice, Ph. 5.

LOST—Tie clasp, initials TJC. Reward. Return to City Cab.

LOST — One cocker spaniel male, blonde. Reward. Call 430.

LOST—Small white dog, old and fat. Answers to "Growsy." Last seen Christmas Day. Reward. Call Toya Chapple, 758.

Nursery Schools 10

NURSERY open in evening after 6. Call 2268-R for information.

MOORE'S Nursery Play School, by hour or day. Also Mon., Wed. & Sat. evening after 7:00 p. m. 310 So. "F" St. 362-J.

TINY TOT Art School and Kindergarten will open in my home, 1008 W. Indiana, Monday, Jan. 7. Children will be accepted from 4½ to 6 years; hours 9 to 12 a. m. and 1 to 4 p. m. Mondays through Fridays, supplies furnished. Graduate credit TSCW in Denton, 9 years experience in teaching. Mrs. W. M. Thompson.

HAPPY HOUR Nursery will be closed for remodeling — will reopen around Feb. 15th.

Help Wanted 11

WANTED — Typist and general routine office worker. 40 hour week. No shorthand required. Must be permanent in Midland. This is no drab office job but work is interesting and surroundings pleasant. Apply in person. 305 Thomas Bldg. Retail Merchants Ass'n.

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TWELVE
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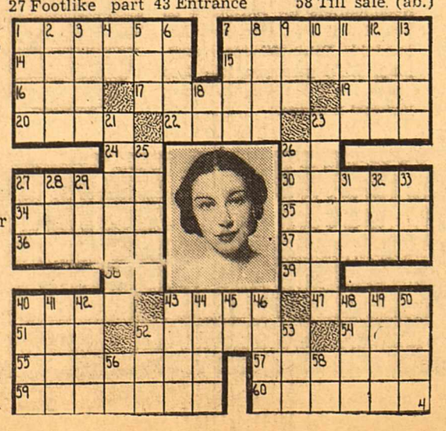

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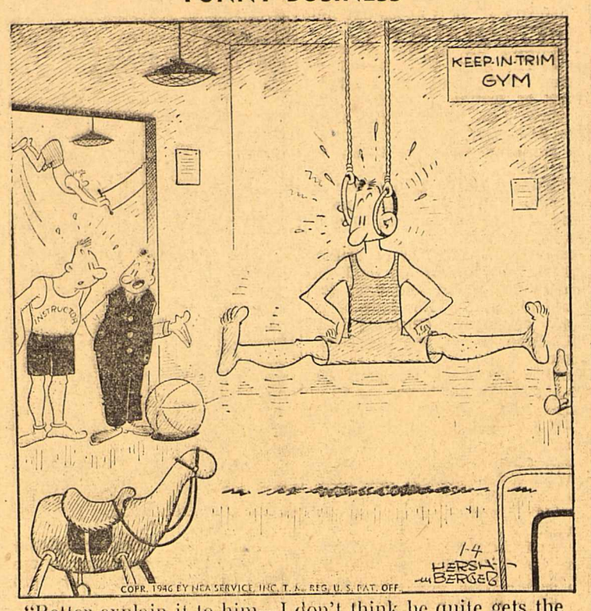

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Wanted To Rent 25

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Paul Derringer Is Released By Cubs

CHICAGO—(AP)— Big Paul Derringer, who pitched for three National League baseball clubs in his 15 years in the majors, was looking for a new job Friday, preferably in the big leagues.

Paul Derringer

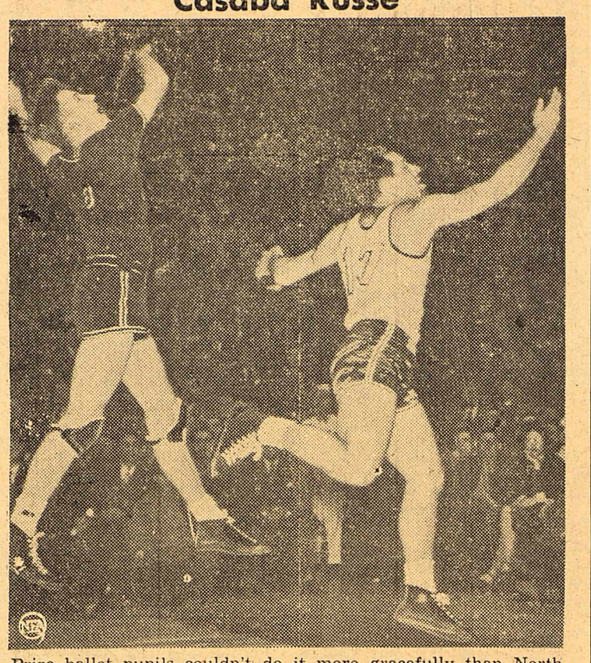
The 39-year old right hander, released by the Chicago Cubs Wednesday, said he had applied for a pitching job with all major league clubs.

Derringer's major league record was 223 wins and 212 defeats, including 16 and 11 with the Cubs in 1945, his best season in three with Chicago. His big league career started with St. Louis in 1931. He was traded to Cincinnati in 1933 and stayed with the Reds until 1943 when he was sold to the Cubs.

SPORTS

By TANNER LAINE, Sports Editor

Casaba Russe



Prize ballet pupils couldn't do it more gracefully than North Carolina's Jim Jordan, left, and New York University's Marty Goldstein, leaping for basketball as Tar Heels edge Violet, 43-41, at Madison Square Garden.

1945 Bulldogs Will Be Honored At Banquet Friday Night By Boosters

Their reward for the 1945 football season will be given the Midland High Bulldogs Friday night at 7 p. m. in the Scharbauer Hotel, when the Boosters Club will entertain them.

It is the Bulldogs' own show and both A and B squads share the limelight.

Blair Cherry, backfield mentor of the Texas University Longhorns, will be main speaker. He will show films of the 1945 Texas-A. and M. ball game.

More than 200 persons are expected to attend.

Alabama Rooters Stop In Midland Friday

It wasn't the Alabama football team which stopped in Midland Friday morning—but the 20 University of Alabama co-eds, 12 boy students, and the chaperon, a mother of one of the Crimson Tide, caused just about as much excitement.

Traveling by chartered bus, the Alabama rooters were returning from Pasadena, Calif., where they watched the Alabama team roll to a 34-to-14 smashing victory over the Trojans of Southern California in the New Year's Rose Bowl classic.

The students stopped in Midland at 7:30 to eat breakfast and stretch their legs and they squeezed in time to tell of being the toast of Pasadena during their stay there, seeing movie stars, watching radio shows, staying on the campuses of UCLA and Southern California, and most important of all—watching Alabama roll to glory in the Rose Bowl. They visited Juarez, Mexico, Thursday night, and were impressed by the long rolling plains of West Texas.

Bill Stern, radio announcer, told of the 33 'Bama rooters in his broadcast of the New Year's classic.

They expect to reach Tuscaloosa Saturday after a 10-day excursion.

Greenberg Back To First As York Leaves

DETROIT —(AP)— Hank Greenberg, the Detroit Tigers' story-book slugger, is due to be back at his old first base stand for the World Champions in 1946.

Rudy York, Tiger first baseman whose fileding flaws forced Greenberg to move into the outfield in 1940 to give York a position he could play, was sent to the Boston Red Sox Thursday in a straight player swap for Shortstop Eddie Lake.

Thus York ends a colorful nine-year Tiger career in which he spent three seasons learning he couldn't catch, play third base or the outfield before finally catching on at first.

Champion Jockey Dies After Thrown By Horse

PASADENA, CALIF. —(AP)— The racing career of Georgie (Ice Man) Woolf—one of the most brilliant of the American turf—came to an end Friday. The leading money-winning jockey of 1944 died of a brain injury 12 hours after he was thrown from a horse at Santa Anita Park.

His wife, Genevieve, andd several of his jockey pals were at his bedside.

Ram Quarterback Named Most Valuable Grid Pro

CHICAGO—(AP)—Rookie Bob Waterfield, brilliant quarterback of the championship Cleveland Rams, Friday was named the most valuable player in the National Football League last season.

Waterfield, triple-threat star from U.C.L.A., received 65 of a possible 85 points in a ballot of 17 sports writers.

Second in the poll was Halfback Steve Van Buren of Philadelphia. Four other players received votes. Veteran End Don Hutson of Green Bay, only two-time winner of the award, was third with 14 points, followed by Quarterback Sammy Baugh of Washington with nine, and Halfback Steve Bagarus, also of Washington, and Guard Riley Mattheson of Cleveland each with two points.

Two Texans Make '45 All Air Force Eleven

WASHINGTON — Two Texans, Clyde (Bulldog) Turner, former Hardin-Simmon's star center, and Stan Mauldin, ex-Texas University tackle, were chosen on the 1945 All-Army Air Forces football team.

The selection:

First Team

Position, player, team, school:
E. Nick Suseoff, 4AF, Wash. State.
E. Dick Horne, PDC, Oregon.
T. Stan Mauldin, ATC, Texas.
T. Paul Stann, 4AF, Villanova.
G. George Cheroke, ATC, Ohio St.
G. Clyde Turner, 2AF, HSU.
C. Casimir Mylinski, 3AF, Army.
QB. Herman Rohrig, TC, Nebraska.
HB. Bob Paffrath, 1AF, Minnesota.
HB. Bob Kennedy, 3AF, Wash. St.
FB. Bob Cifers, TC, Tennessee.

Hold 'Swing Shift' Cage Practice For Big Spring Set-To

The Midland High Bulldog cagers worked a night "swing shift" session Thursday in preparation for the first 3-AA game here Tuesday night, January 8.

The Big Spring Steers will come to town that evening and the fans can get a look-see at Midland's prospects in the 3-AA league.

Manila Team Beats Big Leaguers, 2-1

Manila—(AP)—The Manila Dodgers outlasted the touring USO big leaguers to win a 14-inning baseball game Thursday, 2 to 1. Zig Emery, property of the New York Giants, won the game with a run-scoring single.

Kansas Relays To Resume In Spring

LAWRENCE, KAN. —(AP)— The Kansas Relays, a sports world's wartime casualty, will be revived next Spring, with the meet scheduled for April 19-20, Athletic Director E. C. Quigley announced.

Wildcat --

(Continued from Page One)

Thomas, is a new wildcat to 8,150 feet to test Devonian on northwest side of the TXL field in West Ector County. Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of west half of section 6, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S. It is to start drilling by January 7. It is about one mile west of the nearest oil well.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Williamson, Northwest Ector County exploration, in northeast corner of section 5, block 45, TP survey, T-1-N, was to drill ahead from 9,004 feet, in lower Silurian.

A drillstem test was taken for three hours at 8,878-9,004 feet. There was a steady blow of air for two and one-half hours, and a slight blow of air the last 30 minutes of the test.

Recovery fas 990 feet of drilling mud; 360 feet of drilling mud, cut with drilling water, and 6,660 feet of sulphur water. No signs of oil or gas developed. Operator is to drill ahead to explore the Ellenburger.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-E-A TXL, in northwest corner of section 34, block 45, TP survey, T-1-S, and one and three-quarter miles south of the Texaco No. 1-D Fraser, new Ellenburegr discovery in West Ector County, had penetrated below 8,655 feet, in unreported formation, and was continuing.

J. W. Sorrels No. 1 Mims, South Coke County exploration to 8,000 feet, in southeast corner of section 300, block 2, H&TC survey, was bottomed at 4,865 feet, in Cisco lime, and was to take a drillstem test from 4,770 feet to total depth.

Slight oil odor and stains had been encountered in samples in that section. An electric log survey had been taken and the test was slated for Friday. Tentative top of the Cisco was at 3,550 feet on an elevation of 2,561 feet.

Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 Tucker, Southwest Crane County prospector, in south corner of section 21, block 3, H&TC survey, was coring at 6,104 feet, on a cutting started at 6,089 feet.

Operator had picked tentative top of Ellenburger at about 6,084 feet, on an elevation of 2,448 feet.

Discovery Still Swabs

Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware No. 1 Lee, Southwest Dawson County wildcat discovery from the San Andres-Permian, in northeast corner of section 47, block 34, TP survey, T-5-N, was continuing to swab to test.

In latest 24 hours reported it swabbed at rate of six barrels of fluid per hour. Shakeout was six per cent basic sediment and acid water.

The pay sections between 3,673 feet and the total depth at 3,795 feet, had been treated with 3,000 gallons and with 6,000 gallons of acid.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A Cowden, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 7, block A-55, psl survey, and a west offset to discovery for Devonian production in the Dollar Hide field, in extreme Southwest Andrews County, was swabbing to pits to cleanout and test, after treating perforated section at 7,974-8,015 feet, with 500 gallons and with 2,000 gallons of acid.

The well had swabbed some free oil, natural, and operator is attempting to make it flow.

G. F. Aldrich No. 1 State National Bank of El Paso, trustee, North-Central Pecos County wildcat, to 5,000 feet, in northeast quarter of section 25, block 140, T&STL survey, was bottomed at 2,555 feet, in lime, and had cemented 8 5/8-inch casing at 2,525 feet. When plug sets-up operator will drill out and drill ahead.

Howard Project Dry

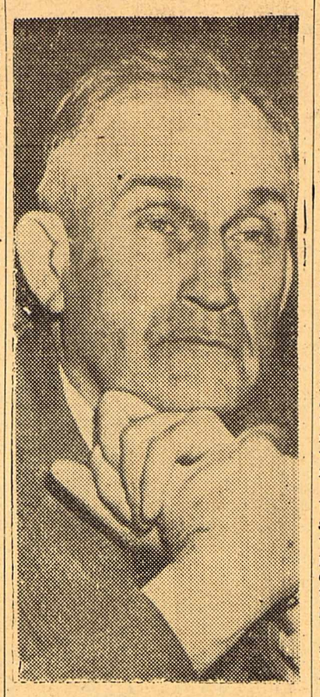
Ted Weiner and Lico, Inc., No. 1 G. T. Hall, et al, Southeast Howard County wildcat, located 3,300 feet from north and east lines of section 48, TP survey, block 31, T-1-S, is being plugged and abandoned on total depth of 2,988 feet, in lime. It had sulphur water in the bottom. Slight shows of oil were encountered above the water, but they could not be developed for any sort of production.

Both Hurlers Pitch No-Hits In Dream Game

MANILA — (AP) — A softball "dream game," with both pitchers turning in no-hit performances, came true Friday in the finals of the Army Olympic district championships, won 1-0 by the Okinawa team from the Leyte Base K team.

The feats were chalked up by Al Linde, Milwaukee professional softballer on the mound for the winners, and Bud Haidot, hitherto unknown Leyte hurler.

New Inquiry Counsel



(NEA Telephoto)

Listening to the testimony at the Pearl Harbor investigation is Seth W. Richardson, successor to the committee's chief legal counsel, William Mitchell. Mitchell and his three assistants resigned recently on the grounds that the investigation was taking more time than they could give to it.

Funeral Rites For Slain Hero Friday

ENID, OKLA.—(AP)—Capt. Eugene Dale, who survived the Bataan Death March only to die of gunshot wounds received in a New York City apartment as the result of a love triangle, will be buried here Friday afternoon.

Joint memorial rites were scheduled for the captain and his brother, Lt. James E. Dale, killed in action in Europe.

Mrs. C. E. Dale, mother of the two war heroes, said she had decided on the joint rites for the captain, who died Saturday, and the lieutenant, killed while piloting a B-24 bomber over Germany in 1944.

The day Mrs. Dale was notified of the lieutenant's death she was informed her other son was safe with the Filipino guerrillas.

Mrs. Fay Hancock Miller, the woman in the triangle, was here to attend the funeral services. Her estranged husband, Capt. Archie B. Miller of Bellvue, Texas, is charged with homicide in connection with the shooting.

Mrs. Miller, a former model, said: "I still love Eugene and we had planned to marry after my divorce."

She said they fell in love while her husband was in Europe.

Mrs. Miller is a guest in the home of Captain Dale's mother.

Ex-Louisiana Governor In Conspiracy Charge

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—A federal court grand jury returned an indictment here Thursday charging former Gov. James A. Noe and three others with conspiracy to obstruct justice, by attempting to influence jurors for an acquittal of W. T. Burton, in the second trial of an income tax case last June.

Burton, wealthy oil operator of Lake Charles, La., was among those jointly indicted Thursday with Noe. In the Burton case, which has ended in two mistrials in federal court, Burton was charged with wilfully attempting to evade income tax payments of $135,739.93 for the W. T. Burton Co., Inc., his firm.

The others indicted Thursday are former state Senator Joe T. Cawthorn of Mansfield, a political protege of Noe, and Marcel F. Labrancse of New Orleans, a member of the Burton trial jury.

FOUR COPIES EXTANT

Several copies of the Magna Carta were made at the time it was signed and four of these are still in existence—two in the British Museum and two in English cathedrals.

Strikes --

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tion in New York City, however, are set to quit work next Tuesday in support of demands for increased wages, and in protest against the WLB wage increase directive reported to average 12 cents an hour but which the union said did not include all of its members.

Armour Co. Union Protest

In one of the three major strike threats, a walkout of 200,000 CIO Packinghouse Workers on January 16, two big meat packers, Armour & Company and Wilson & Company, voiced protests.

Wilson & Company in a statement said the union's demand for a 25 cents an hour wage hike and its strike call was "wholly unwarranted and unreasonable." Armour & Company, in its statement, said that paying the union's wage demand "would increase Armour's wage and salary expense by as much as $40,000,000 a year."

Saturday officials of the CIO United Electrical Workers are scheduled to set a date for a nation-wide strike of 200,000 employes in plants of the General Electric, General Motors and Westinghouse Electric. The union is demanding a 30 per cent wage boost.

PROWLER IN RESIDENTIAL AREA FLEES FROM POLICE

City Police Thursday were called to 207 East Ohio Street in Midland to catch a prowler but he had disappeared when they arrived.

ISSUES MARRIAGE LICENSE TO MIDLAND COUPLE THURSDAY

A marriage license was issued Thursday to Billy Rex Carr and Joan Reynolds.

BEARS SIGN ED SPRINKLE, FORMER SIMMONS LINEMAN

CHICAGO —(AP)— The Chicago Bears Thursday signed husky Ed Sprinkle, former Hardin-Simmons and Navy lineman.

NELSON VISITS MIDLAND

Paul Nelson of Brownwood, former manager of the J. C. Penney Company here, was a visitor in Midland Friday. He plans to move his family to Brownwood in a few days. Nelson now is manager of the Penney Store in Brownwood.

MRS. ALMA THOMAS LEAVES FOR CAMP WALDEMAR

Mrs. Alma Thomas will leave Friday for Camp Waldemar near Kerrville, Texas. The camp is turned into a guest ranch for the winter months and Mrs. Thomas will be hostess for the month of January.

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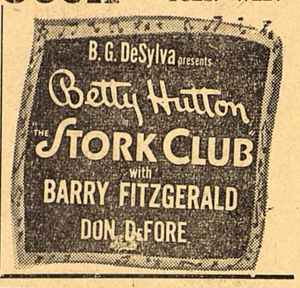

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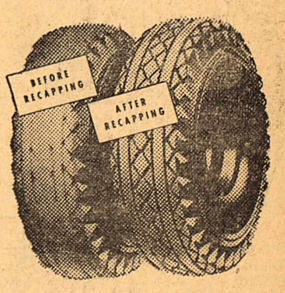

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