

Iran To Make Oil Concessions To Russia

Child's Funeral Held As Police Continue Hunt

Police reported the car they checked at Seagraves in connection with the hit-and-run death of Anna Ruth Snider of Midland was not involved in the accident here. They returned about 2 p. m. Friday from their futile trip to the Gaines County city.

Funeral services for Anna Ruth Snider, 4, who was killed almost instantly Wednesday night by a hit and run driver, were scheduled Friday, as police pressed their search for the driver of the death vehicle.

City Police Chief Jack Ellington and Sheriff Ed Darnell went to Seagraves early Friday after receiving a report that a car resembling the description given by witnesses to the accident had been seen there. They had not returned by 1 p. m.

The child, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris J. V. Snider of 319 South Fort Worth Street, was knocked down and dragged about 30 feet by the car as she and a companion were walking along South Fort Worth Street about 7:25 p. m. Wednesday. The car did not stop.

Witnesses said the death vehicle was a maroon-colored Ford or Chevrolet and that it was traveling north on the street. Occupants were said to be a man and woman and two children.

City and county police and State Highway patrolmen checked cars throughout the city Wednesday night and Thursday in the hope they might locate the vehicle. Ellington Thursday made an appeal to the driver of the automobile to report to the police department immediately.

Funeral services for the girl were to be held at the Ellis Funeral Chapel at 3 p. m., with the Rev. Fred McPherson, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was to be in the Midland cemetery.

Survivors, in addition to the parents, are a brother, Dicky, the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snider of Midland, and the maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Moore of Wichita Falls.

Argo Wildcat In Reeves Has More Signs Of O & G

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

Argo Oil Corporation No. 1 Roberts, Southeast Reeves County wildcat, 13 miles northeast of Balmorcat, has started to core ahead from 10,142 feet in lime and shale after an eight-hour drillstem test at 10,077-142 feet.

There was a steady blow of air at the start of the test and sweet gas developed in one hour and 30 minutes. The gas flow was estimated at from 25,000 to 50,000 cubic feet per day—which is said to have been slightly more than gas shown on previous tests.

Recovery was 660 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud. No water was reported from the investigation.

Phillips Petroleum Company, et al. No. 1 Eldson, Southwest Ector County Ellenburger discovery, in northeast quarter of section 25, block B-15, psi survey, ran a one hour and 30-minute drillstem test at 8,970-95 feet.

Gas showed at surface in 43 minutes. The drill pipe did not flow when the tool was closed. However, when two dry stands of pipe had been pulled the drill pipe unloaded 540-foot water blanket and followed by flowing some clean oil. It was estimated that total recovery during the test was 6,850 feet of clean oil and 1,450 feet of salty, sulphur water.

No official information has been released as to what the next activity at the exploration will be. It drilled through approximately 107 feet of saturated Ellenburger before the water was encountered. Some observers think the test may be drilled ahead to granite in order to get more information on the structure.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 4-O University, Northwest Andrews County deep exploration, in southwest quarter of section 20, block 13, University survey, was coring below 10,829 feet, looking for top of the Ellenburger.

No Information

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 Nelson, West Andrews County prospector, in southeast corner of section 8, block A-40, psi survey, was reported at a total depth of 10,453 feet, in dolomite.

No information has been released by operator on any drillstem test. (Continued on Page 4)

Coal Mediator



U. S. labor conciliator Paul Fuller, a former coal miner himself, has been put in the role of peacemaker in the deadlocked negotiations between bituminous coal miners and mine operators.

USSR Adviser Warns M'Arthur Of Jap Reactionary Activities

TOKYO—(AP)—General MacArthur launched the Four-Power Allied Council for Japan Friday, notifying it that its function would be to advise him, while he retains unchallenged command. The council promptly gave him four pieces of advice, all offered by Russia whose delegate warned of "increasing activity of reactionary forces" among Japanese.

Three Trustees To Be Elected Here Saturday

Light balloting is expected Saturday in an election to name three trustees to the Midland Independent School District board. Only three names will appear on the ballots.

The election will be held in the basement of the courthouse from 8 a. m. until 6 p. m. Saturday. Mrs. J. G. White and Mrs. Allen Tolbert will serve as officials, with one more to be named Friday.

Only three persons filed for the places before the March 16 deadline. Percy Bridgewater, present chairman, is asking reelection. Lloyd Mackey and D. W. McDonald, members of the board, are in the campaign for the first time, since each was appointed to fill vacancies.

Mackey succeeded Paul Nelson who moved to Brownwood, and McDonald took the place held by the late Percy Mims.

Holdover members of the board are Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, secretary; Vaughn Maley, Hamilton E. McRae and George Abell.

Russia Softens Land Demand From Austria

VIENNA—(AP)—Soviet Russia, abruptly softening her policy toward Austria, has withdrawn most of her demands for land in the Russian occupation zone and has indicated a desire to reach an agreement on some other disputed issues, a government spokesman said Friday.

Instead of the 125,000 acres of scattered farm land which the Russians claimed and in part occupied, ostensibly for farming purposes, the Red Army is asking only for the 50,000-acre tract which the Germans had used as a military exercise area.

The Austrian government has indicated a willingness to loan this ground to the Red Army. (Budapest papers reported Tuesday that the Russian Army had leased 50,000 acres of land in various parts of Hungary from the government for farming.)

LATE NEWS FLASHES

WASHINGTON—(AP)—With exports falling behind goals, the government soon may raise the price of wheat and order a curtailment in the milling of flour for domestic use, government quarters forecast after Secretary of Agriculture Anderson announced that first quarter shipments of wheat and flour equivalents fell 313,000 tons short of the 3,000,000 ton goal.

SEOUL—(AP)—The U. S. Military Government soon may give American-occupied Southern Korea its own government because of failure of the U. S.-Soviet commission quickly to establish self-rule for all of this country.

BUCHAREST—(AP)—A Russian spokesman indicated Friday there was no truth to reports circulated earlier this week by Romanian informants that Soviet troops would begin a partial withdrawal from Romania within a few days.

Committee OKs Price Control Extension

\$25 FOR CUP OF COFFEE

Restaurant Conducts Own Red Cross Day

CHICAGO—(AP)—Nick Selimos' personal Red Cross Day Thursday was even more successful than on April 4, 1945. He advertised in advance that every penny taken in during the day would be given to the Red Cross.

The \$903.23 he took in at his restaurant compared to last year's donation of \$826.73.

Top contributors included one customer who paid \$25 for a cup of coffee, another who gave \$10 and Nick's three children each paid \$25 for meals for themselves and guests.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—

The House Banking Committee Friday approved a year's extension of price control, as recommended by President Truman. It defeated 13 to 9 a Republican effort to limit OPA's new lease of life to nine months.

However, the committee aimed a blow at OPA pricing policy, voting 15 to 6 to prohibit the agency from requiring retailers for a period of six months to absorb larger cost of manufactured products, such as automobiles, refrigerators and radios.

Moreover, the group by a 15 to 5 ballot, approved—subject to House and Senate action—a gradual termination of the government's \$2,000,000,000 annual subsidy program. The latter amendment would require the government to reduce subsidy payments by 25 per cent over the year beginning July 1 and get out of the subsidy business by June 30, 1947. The subsidies include payments to hold down food costs.

A proposal by Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich.) to give manufacturers prices reflecting production cost and a reasonable profit on each item, was defeated on a 11 to 11 tie vote.

The committee ran into a deadlock Thursday on the subsidy-end amendment and put off a show-down until Friday.

Edward A. O'Neal, president of the American Farm Bureau Federation, and Alber S. Goss, master of the National Grange, both have urged the committee to get rid of subsidies.

Wolcott's amendment proposes a 25 per cent reduction in subsidy payments on agricultural commodities each 45 days after July 1, with corresponding price increases. This would wipe out the program by January 1.

Rep. Monroney (D-Okla.) offered a substitute to trim payments by 25 per cent in the fiscal year beginning July 1.

OPA contends that elimination of subsidies would result in an eight per cent boost in food prices and a 3 1/3 per cent hike in the general cost of living.

Wind And Thunder Shower Accompany Rainfall Thursday

A sudden thundershower with accompanying winds and rain struck Midland and its ranch and farm areas Thursday evening, bringing 34 of an inch of precipitation. Gusty winds of 80 miles per hour velocity were recorded at the Midland Army Air Field at 8:39 p. m. and 8:46 p. m.

The 34 of an inch of moisture was recorded at MAAF. A gauge at the City Barn showed 30 of an inch of rainfall.

Rain driven by strong winds scurried Midlanders inside Thursday night when it struck. The shower fell quickly and sent a volume of runoff water down the city's gutters.

A roof was ripped from a small building on East Highway 80 and the material severed power lines in that area.

Several transformers of the Texas Electric Service Company were struck by lightning, interrupting power and light service in western section of the city. One near Safeway Store ignited but the fire was extinguished quickly.

Colburn Reports Rodeo Stock Will Be Best In Years

Everett Colburn of the Lightning C Ranch, who furnishes stock for the Midland World Championship Rodeo, was a visitor in the city Thursday conferring with rodeo officials.

Colburn said the stock this year would be the best in years. He expects the 1946 rodeo to be the finest in Midland's long history of good shows.

Two Scout Leader Meetings Slated

Two district Boy Scout leader meetings were scheduled in Midland Friday.

A district chairmen's conference was slated at 5 p. m. in the Private Dining Room of the Scharbauer Hotel. Guy Brennenman, president of the Buffalo Trail Council, was to preside. On the agenda was discussion of the purpose of the conference, district chairmen and their jobs, and a round table discussion of problems.

Brennenman was to list the purposes and Delbert Downing to discuss the district chairmen's job.

An executive board meeting was expected to follow the conference. It was scheduled in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel at 7 p. m.

Nab Postwar Nazi



Arthur Axmann, one-time leader of the Hitler Youth, has been seized as one of the heads of the powerful Nazi underground movement, reported smashed in recent mass raids by U. S. Intelligence officers in Germany. Axmann's followers had long-range plans for resurgence of Nazi ideology.

Louise Synatschk, High School Senior, Dies In Hospital

Louise Mary Synatschk, 16, Midland High School senior, died at 8 p. m. Thursday in a Midland hospital following an emergency operation several days ago.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerhard Synatschk of Route 1, southeast of Midland.

Survivors beside the parents include: four brothers, Edward of the U. S. Army, Martin, Walter and Herbert, all of Midland.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday at the Episcopal Church with interment in Fairview Cemetery under direction of Ellis Funeral Chapel.

Louise was born in Midland County June 17, 1929. She had lived here all her life and attended Midland schools.

Army Removes Veil From Powerful Plane Rocket

DOVER, DEL.—(AP)—The War Department Friday removed the veil of secrecy around "Tiny Tim," a powerful rocket which an Army spokesman said is "by far the deadliest thing ever fired from an airplane."

Col. Donald B. Diehl, commanding officer of the 416th Army Air Force base unit at the Dover Army Air Field, said:

"It has driven holes all the way through a light cruiser from side to side," the colonel reported. "It goes through a destroyer as if it were a piece of paper."

U.N. Replaces UNO As Abbreviation

NEW YORK—(AP)—The official abbreviation of the United Nations is U. N., according to Benjamin Cohen of Chile, director of the U. N. Department of Public Information.

Before the Security Council met in New York last week the hitherto widely accepted form, UNO was used by many attaches of the organization. However, formal instructions were issued to all branches that UN was to be used.

Previously UNO had gained almost universal public acceptance despite the fact, pointed out in dispatches from London during the January sessions there, that nowhere in the charter is the term a "United Nations Organization" used, although there are references to "the organization."

State Department Is Blasted In Hot Political Debate

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Congressional friends and foes of Secretary of State Byrnes heaped fuel Friday on a foreign policy debate touched off by Senator Pepper's contention that this country is guaranteeing "British imperialism."

Challenging the Florida Democrat's assertion that the United States and Britain have "ganged up against Russia," Senator Hatch (D-NM) told a reporter he believes Byrnes is "following a firm course that is calculated to strengthen the United Nations, where a lesser course would destroy it."

Hatch also took issue with Pepper's charge—made in the course of a lambasting of British foreign policies Thursday—that other nations have sought to "put Russia in a hole" in the UN Security Council. "The only difficulties Russia has or will encounter in the United Nations are those which she creates herself," declared Hatch.

"At Lowest Ebb"

Across the Capitol, House Republican Leader Martin (Mass.) made no direct reference to the Pepper-Hatch clash but said in his opinion State Department efficiency has reached "its lowest ebb." He suggested in an interview that the department purge itself of "incompetents and undesirables."

Rep. Edith Nourse Rogers (R-Mass.), a veteran member of the House Foreign Affairs Committee, similarly professed herself "deeply disturbed" over the department's operation and advocated "far greater liaison" with Capitol Hill.

But Senator Maybank (D-SC), representing Byrnes' home state joined with Hatch in criticizing Pepper.

"Secretary Byrnes is carrying out a cautious policy that is designed to strengthen the UN," Maybank said. "He called Russia's bluff on some points, but he did it in the interest of the little nations. He certainly is not playing the British game."

Weather

Fair Friday afternoon with cloudiness Saturday. Southeasterly surface winds Saturday.

Recaptured After Jail-Break



Convicted slayer Joseph Medley, who escaped along with another prisoner from the District of Columbia death row is shown in company of police officers being returned to his cell after bloodhounds tracked him to an Anacostia River boathouse a few hours after he escaped with Earl B. McFarland, 22, Guadalcanal Marine veteran who is still at large.

Battle For Iran Crude On As Red Foothold All But Guaranteed

TEHRAN—(AP)—The Iranian government announced Friday that Premier Ahmed Qavam had signed an agreement with the Soviet ambassador at 4 a. m. providing a proposal that oil concessions to Russia would be presented to parliament within the next seven months.

The agreement also provided that the Azerbaijan problem would be recognized as "a purely internal affair" and that the Red army would evacuate Iran "unconditionally" within six weeks from March 24.

The agreement was the result of negotiations which Qavam began on his recent visit to Moscow and which Iranian Propaganda Minister Prince Mozaffar Firouz said Thursday were continuing in Tehran.

Firouz emphasized that the negotiations were entirely independent of the question of the withdrawal of Russian military forces from Iranian soil, which he said was proceeding satisfactorily.

Under the Iranian constitution the government was forbidden to take up the matter of oil concessions with Russia as long as her troops remained in Iran.

Will Probably Succeed
NEW YORK—(AP)—Diplomatic authorities expressed belief Friday that Russia probably would succeed in obtaining oil concessions from Iran fairly soon after her troops are pulled out of that country in accordance with the promise made to the United Nations Security Council.

Authoritative interpretations of the three points of the pact brought out these angles:

1. Iran's commitment to submit to parliament in seven months oil concessions for Russia undoubtedly means the Russians will get substantially what they want in the way of oil rights. American officials had expected this and expressed only the reservation that they hoped it would be a strictly commercial agreement with no political clauses.

2. The new self-proclaimed autonomous government of Azerbaijan may be on its way out. The Russians appear to have agreed that the status of Azerbaijan is a purely internal affair to be worked out in a "benevolent spirit toward the people of Azerbaijan."

3. The provision for removal of all Red Army troops from Iranian soil in a month and a half from March 24 merely formalizes the assurance already given by Russia to the Security Council and upon which the council acted Thursday when it voted to defer the Iranian case until May 6. It now appears quite likely, with good faith on all sides, the Iranians' complaint may not have to be brought up again.

Signing of an agreement Friday between Iran and Russia which provided for the formation of a joint Iranian-Soviet oil company was announced in Tehran.

Terms of the proposal for oil concessions to Russia "will be submitted to parliament for its approval within seven months after March 24," the Iranian government said.

Premier Ahmed Qavam of Iran and Soviet Ambassador I. V. Sadchikov signed the accord. The Moscow Radio commented that there was "complete agreement on all questions."

Oilmen See Red Entry
NEW YORK—(AP)—An initial handhold for Russia in Middle East oil fields, now strongly dominated by American interests, was announced Friday.

Found the remains of a number of expertly dismembered bodies, had maintained he was a leader in the resistance movement and that all of those killed were collaborators and "Gestapo decoys."

The prosecution charged that he operated a murder-for-profit scheme, collecting money from at least 27 victims whom he promised to smuggle out of Nazi-occupied France.

Defense Attorney Rene Floriot said the appeal might be based on "certain indiscreet remarks of the jurors." A reporter had quoted two jurors and the presiding judge as having described Petiot on the second day of the trial as a "monster," "demon" and "murderer."

Floriot's six-hour plea to the jury was applauded even by the victims' families and was described by the French press as "the greatest defense summation in French criminal history."

Condemned To Death By Court, Paris Killer Shouts: 'I Must Be Avenged'

PARIS—(AP)—Dr. Marcel Petiot, accused of operating a "Bluebeard" murder mill within the forbidding walls of his residence on the Rue Le Sueur, was condemned to death late Thursday night after a three-week trial had ended in his conviction for more than a score of killings.

The hollow-eyed little physician was shocked into silence when the verdict was returned, but within a few minutes recovered sufficiently to shout to his brother, Maurice, in the crowded Palais De Justice: "I must be avenged."

Petiot, a legendary figure in Paris and described by the prosecution as "the monster of the Rue Le Sueur," said he would appeal.

After passing the death sentence, the court continued in session and early Friday awarded civil damages of 2,045,001 francs (about \$17,000) to the families of Petiot's victims.

The 55-year-old, swarthy physician, in whose home police had

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If ye then be not able to do that thing which is least, why take ye thought for the rest?—Luke 12:26.

Call To Honorable Arms

April 6 is Army Day, when the United States pays its annual tribute to the great military organization to which it owes, in such large part, the freedom it enjoys today. There will be parades and speeches and enthusiastic hurrahs for GI Joe.

We like a parade, a rally, or an oration as much, we think, as does any other American. But we can't help feeling that this year the celebration should be marked by serious and responsible thought as well as by effervescent emotion. For 1946 is a year of crisis—a year which may well shape the destinies of us all for generations to come.

After four seemingly endless years of war, we enjoy peace. But we face perhaps a harder battle to maintain that peace than we were compelled to undergo to win it. And we face it, moreover, with not the faintest resemblance of the unity and clarity which characterized our war effort. As a result, we have not at present an Army sufficiently strong and sufficiently aggressive to win for us the current struggle for survival.

The national commitments, occupational and otherwise, in the prosecution of which the American Army is now so intensively engaged are irrevocable and all-important; our success with them may well determine whether the cream of our youth will ever again be required to extinguish with its blood the blaze of a foreign conqueror. So, too, may our wisdom in refusing now to relinquish the position of world leadership which we acquired only by the force of our arms, and which we can retain largely by retaining our martial power.

Congress has permitted the Army to dwindle from overwhelming authority to frightening weakness by rapid and seemingly uncontrolled demobilization. And it has not provided essential replacements, either by the enactment of universal military training or by an appreciable extension of the draft, now scheduled to expire May 15.

The issue is, therefore, squarely up to American youth. They can yet mold the national destiny and spare the world the limitless devastation of still another armed conflict. By enlisting now in sufficient numbers, they can earn the undying gratitude of generations yet unborn.

Army life has never been well fitted to the individualistic American character. Today, no less than ever before, it offers a challenge. But successive generations of our men have met that challenge; and because they have, we walk as free citizens of a free country.

Our Army offers the highest pay, the finest food and quarters, the best medical treatment, the most appealing jobs ever provided by a military organization. It offers, too, the pride of membership in a team which has never been beaten, the self-respect which comes from participation in a vital task, the opportunity to receive the thanks of a grateful nation and of a war-weary world.

We hope the young men of the United States—and their mothers and fathers, their senators and congressmen—will think about these things on Army Day, 1946.

Big Job For The Little Flower

As director-general of UNRRA, Fiorello H. LaGuardia will tackle a job which makes a full call upon his exuberant energy. It may also give full sway to those characteristics of Don Quixote which have been evident in the public life of this doughty, free-swinging fighter for the right.

New York's former mayor has tilted with a good many windmills in his time. He has mistaken sheep for dragons. But he has also shown much of the good Don's chivalry, high-mindedness, and hot-eyed hatred of evil. With them has been much of the earthy realism, and, perhaps, physical appearance of Quixote's Sancho Panza.

Now LaGuardia has a real and terrifying dragon to contend with. If he will attack it with the strength and zeal with which he pursued bookmakers, petty thugs, poker-playing Bronx housewives, and heavy-thumbed poultry dealers, then even the mighty specter of world famine may be forced to retreat.

No Plan For Palestine

The British government seems to have rejected the plan American engineers suggested for settling the long-unresolved Palestinian dispute by the development of irrigation and water power. The British attitude is reported to be that the required money could be spent better elsewhere, and that the Arab-Jewish quarrel creates a bad atmosphere for the proposal.

This seems a rather lame dismissal of a plausible suggestion. There are, of course, reasons for the violent disagreements in Palestine other than the ability of the land to support a greatly increased population. But if the land could be returned to fruitful abundance, a way might be opened for settlement of the political and religious disputes.

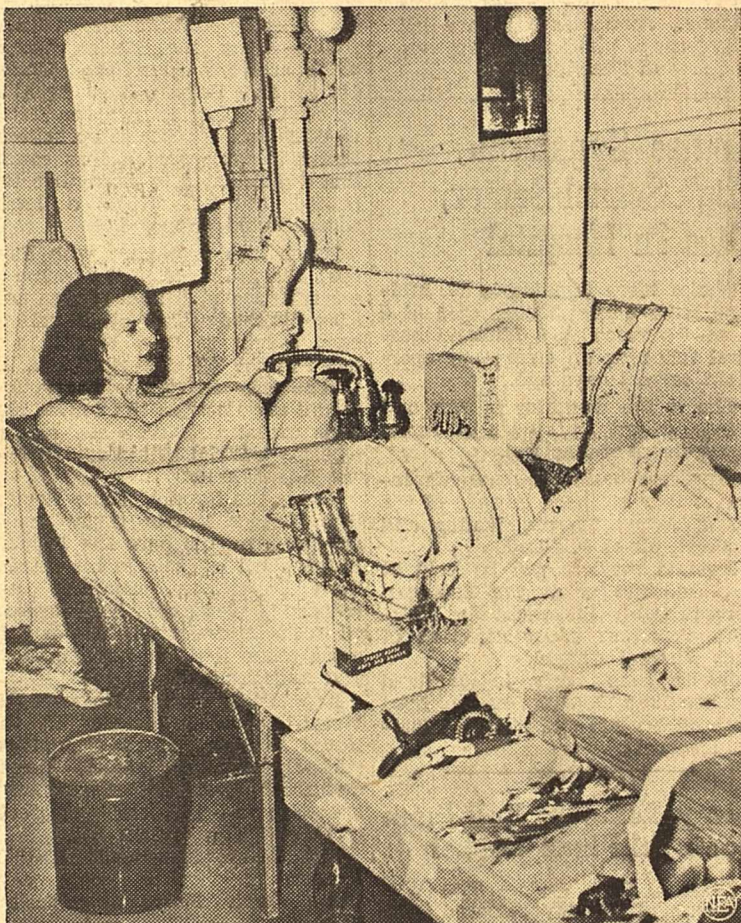
In Old Testament times Palestine blossomed like the rose. Neglect and erosion brought it to its present barren state. American engineers who have studied the country believe that, through terracing and irrigation, the desert could be made to bloom again. They point to the fact that Zionist settlers have already made a good start in that direction.

It seems a pity if the British, confronted with an apparently insoluble situation, are ready to give up on a sensible and hopeful scheme without even a try.

Evidently It's An Old Spanish Custom, Too



How to Cure Housing Ills



PRESCRIPTION: Mix equal parts of American initiative, imagination and enterprise and take with a grin to beat the housing shortage. Lee Shaw and two other San Francisco career girls needed a home. They got it by renting an empty drug store and "reconverting" it into living quarters. Photo above shows the somewhat crowded combination kitchen, laundry and bath, with Lee enjoying a bubble bath after a strenuous session of cleaning up the cellar.

Collins Addresses Kermit Civic Leaders

KERMIT—The values of chambers of commerce and service clubs to communities and to areas were emphasized by Bill Collins, Midland Chamber of Commerce manager, in an address Thursday night to members of the Kermit Chamber of Commerce and the Kermit Lions Club at their joint meeting in the high school cafeteria here.

Collins pointed out that each is an asset to the other and asserted both should cooperate in all civic projects.

Frank Monroe, R. R. Russell and James N. Allison of Midland also were guests at the meeting.

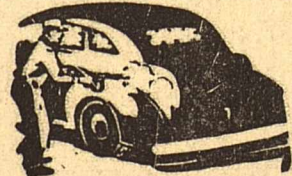
New U. S. Ambassador Talks With Stalin

MOSCOW—(P)—Lt. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith, newly appointed U. S. ambassador to Moscow, said Friday he had a "highly satisfactory" two-hour talk with Prime Minister Stalin at the Kremlin late Thursday night.

Smith delivered a letter from President Truman to Stalin. The letter was not made public, but it was believed to be merely a courtesy message from the President.

COMMUNICATIONS SETS TO BE ON DISPLAY SATURDAY

M/Sgt. James C. McNeil, Army recruiter here, announced Friday that two Army intercommunication radio sets will be placed on the courthouse lawn Saturday, and that interested persons are invited to inspect them. Conversations may be carried on between the two sets.



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Senator Pepper Sees Doom For Wage Bill

WASHINGTON —(P)— Senator Pepper (D-Fla.), author of the Administration's minimum industrial wage bill, abandoned it for dead Friday because the Senate insisted on expanding it to hike the income of farmers too.

The Senate twice modified the bill in the face of a veto threat by voting an amendment designed to raise farm prices. The amendment was written in 46 to 38 early Thursday night, shortly before the Senate recessed until noon Friday. The action clinched an earlier test vote on the same proposal last Friday, when the count was 43 to 31. All Administration efforts to gain a reversal failed in the face of a well-organized coalition which included Southern Democrats, Republicans and some Westerners of both parties.

The farm amendment, by tall Senator Russell (D-Ga.), would revise the farm parity formula to include the cost of farm labor, taking in the farmer and his family as well as hired hands.

As the measure now stands, awaiting the final Senate vote which would send it to the House, the present minimum wage of 40 cents an hour for workers covered by the federal wage-hour law would be boosted to 60 cents.

Pepper and his group originally had proposed an immediate increase to 65 cents and on up to 75 within four years. But the Florida senator gloomily agreed to the compromise when it became evident he could not get a higher figure.

Second Bid Is Made To Buy 'Inch' Lines

WASHINGTON —(P)— A second bid for the purchase of the "Big Inch" and "Little Big Inch" pipelines has been disclosed by the Federal Power Commission.

Big Inch Gas, Inc., a new corporation headed by Charles H. Smith, New York, has offered \$40,000,000 for the "Big Inch" Texas to New York line, built by the government during the war for the transportation of oil.

The application asked authority to operate the 24-inch pipeline as a natural gas carrier, and proposed to spend \$30,000,000 on conversion facilities.

Another new corporation headed by Smith, Big Inch Oil, Inc., offered to buy the 20-inch diameter "Little Big Inch" line for an unannounced amount for transportation of petroleum products.

A previous offer of \$40,000,000 made by Trans-Continental Gas Pipeline Company, Inc., Longview, Texas, for both lines and the government's Southwest Emergency Pipeline had been announced by the FPC. Trans-Continental proposed to spend \$40,000,000 on conversion.

Sunshine Organization Asks Midland To Roundup

The Midland Chamber of Commerce has been invited to participate in the Sunshine Area Chamber of Commerce Roundup to be held in El Paso May 21-22.

The organization embraces cities from Midland west to El Paso and New Mexico.

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Back to the Army—Together



Former WAC Mrs. Nellie Murray, and her husband, T/S Robert Murray, grin happily after they re-enlisted in the Army at Los Angeles and were assigned to the same post. Believed to be the first married couple to re-enlist, they almost backed down when the Army tried to send them to separate posts.

Livestock Associations Foresee Meat Shortage

FORT WORTH —(P)— National Livestock Producers Association managers were agreed Friday that a gloomy situation faces the livestock industry.

Meeting in national convention here, the managers expressed the opinions that:

An acute meat shortage will develop this summer. Livestock feed situation will get worse.

Removal of government price ceilings is necessary to increase production.

Predictions of a meat shortage were based on reports that fewer cattle went to feedlots last fall and are going to market 30 to 60 days earlier than normal at proportionately lighter weights.

Funeral Services For Herman E. Marsh Held

Funeral services for Herman E. Marsh, 47, head of the land department of the Amerasia Petroleum Corporation at Tulsa, were held Friday afternoon in that city. The body will be taken to Marshville, N. C., for burial Monday. Marsh, widely known in this area, died in Tulsa Wednesday night. He was manager of Amerasia's Texas land department at Fort Worth from 1926 until 1939.

SHIRLEY ALMA CHANGES HIS NAME TO SHERMAN ALLEN

LOS ANGELES —(P)— Shirley Alma McDowell complained that Shirley Alma McDowell sounds like a girl's name.

So the judge granted his request to change it to Sherman Allen McDowell.

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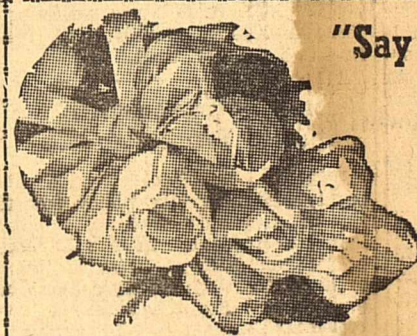
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MRS. J. E. PHELAN IS NAMED HONOREE OF FAREWELL PARTY

Mrs. A. A. Jones and Mrs. O. M. Reeves were hostesses for a bridge party honoring Mrs. J. E. Phelan who is moving to Brownfield. The entertainment was held at the home of Mrs. Jones, 403 Holmesley.

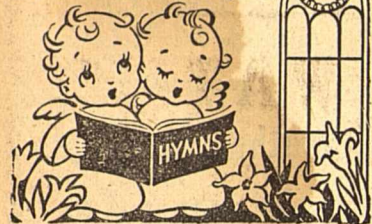
In the games of bridge high score prize was won by Mrs. Phelan and the bingo prize went to Mrs. F. B. Whitaker, Jr., who in turn presented it to the honoree.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses. Present were Meses. Whitaker, Ebb White, Cecil Waldrep, Roger Rhorer, John L. Hart, Phelan, Reeves and Jones.



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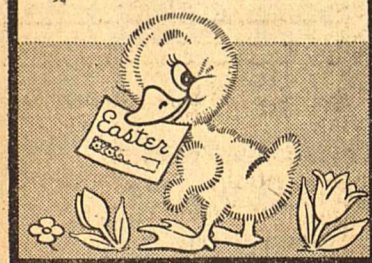
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C. R. Mallison And Mrs. Vicki Walsh Are Wed In Dallas Rites

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. (Smilo) Mallison have returned to Midland to make their home in the Macfar Apartments following their marriage March 22 in Dallas. She is the former Mrs. Vicki Walsh of Midland.

Rites for the marriage were solemnized in the home of the late Dr. George Truett, 5901 Swiss Avenue, with Dr. W. A. Christwell officiating.

Mrs. Mallison was attired in an Adrian navy blue silk suit. Her accessories were navy and white and she wore a corsage of white orchids.

Mr. Mallison is an independent oil operator.

DEMONSTRATION ON CAKE BAKING GIVEN AT 4-H GIRLS CLUB

A demonstration on cake baking was given by Mrs. Nettie B. Messick, county home demonstration agent, at the Valley View 4-H Girls Club Thursday in the agent's office.

Mrs. Messick used the method in which all of dry ingredients were mixed together before the liquids were added. By doing this the agent stated that time as well as dishwashing could be cut down.

She advised the use of good ingredients, close observation of recipe and accurate measurements. The agent also pointed out the reasons why cake flour should be used: Snow white in color, softer, smoother and finer. This is due to the extremely careful milling and because it contains less gluten. It is also made from softer wheat.

Another point she brought out was that three-day-old eggs are better as more air can be incorporated.

Present were Julia Edith Midkiff, Joan McDonald, LaNell Howard, Roxy Smith, Leorah Crawford and Donna Howard.

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Sophistication For Teen-Agers

By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer

NEW YORK — New teen-age clothes have a smart sophisticated styling which will certainly relegate to the back of the closet those hoydenish duds which mothers deplore.

Just as much designing skill has gone into these new jive set styles as into the ones the teen-ager's fashion-wise mother will be wearing. Especially flattering to the young figure is the new curvy silhouette which is carried out in bright colored crepes and crisp taffeta suits.

Typical of the worldlier trend in duds are the two examples shown. Hinting at maturity are the deeply cut dolman sleeves of the rayon crepe aquamarine blouse, left, which tops a wrap-around black skirt with plenty of pocket fullness to round out the hips.

Reminiscent of the Gay 90's is the taffeta suit, right. Rounded at shoulders with leg o' mutton sleeves, and at hips with a rippling peplum, it still has a streamlined look. A couple of jumps ahead of the first crocus is the yellow and gray striped print of this crown-tested rayon, which can step out now with a fur coat and continue on it bright way into spring or summer.



Mrs. Kenneth Jones, Kansas Visitor, Is Named Parly Honoree

Mrs. Bob Franklin entertained with a morning coffee at her home, 1009 North Main, Wednesday morning honoring Mrs. J. Kenneth Jones of Howard, Kan., who is visiting in Midland with her sister, Mrs. Payton Anderson.

Approximately 75 guests calling during the morning were greeted by the hostess who presented them to Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Anderson. Entertaining rooms were decorated with a profusion of colorful spring floral arrangements. A centerpiece of daisies on the dining table carried out a yellow and blue color theme.

Alternating at the silver coffee service were Mrs. Foy Proctor and Mrs. Johnny Coulter. Others assisting the hostess were Mrs. John Dublin, Mrs. R. S. Anderson and Mrs. W. D. Anderson.

Members of the house party wore attractive corsages of iris and gladioli.

SQUEEZE PLAY IS GOOD EXERCISE FOR CHUBBY WAISTLINE



MISS WILLIAMS: Reefs waist.

By ALICIA HART
NEA Staff Writer

More women's waistlines could be spanned with two good-sized hands if the ladies would give the muscles under their belts a daily squeeze play.

And what's that? It's a simple exercise of gripping abdominal muscles tightly. WAC recruits trained to become lady-soldiers gave their muscles this squeeze-play and held it for 20-yard stretches until they could march over a drill field with a contracted abdomen.

Radio's Elaine Williams keeps her 24-inch waistline reeled in by the same exercise, which she says is also the best posture training you can take.

"You can't squeeze in mid-section muscles," says Elaine, "without improving your posture. The minute you grip abdominal muscles, you hold yourself as free of dips as a magnetic needle."

Try it, she urges, when you walk or stand in shoppers' queues, and after a few weeks of this exercise test the results on your tape measure.

Mrs. R. M. Turpin Gives Talk At Beta Sigma Phi

Mrs. Robert M. Turpin, guest speaker at a meeting of Beta Sigma Phi Tuesday evening at the Scharbauer Hotel, used as her subject "Pictures." While giving her talk Mrs. Turpin displayed a number of beautiful pictures.

During the business session Anna Grace Roberts was elected representative to the City-County Federation of Women's Clubs. The group made plans for the bridge tournament to be held April 27 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Present were Meses. Archie Estes, R. L. Grubb, A. A. Jones, and Misses Loraine Gallagher, Minnie Lee Hankins, Doris Little, Frances Little, Aileen Maxwell, Carolyn Oates, Faye Powers, Lillie Mae Stovall, Frances Guffey, Janie Johnson, Marian Reeder, Roberts and Malou Doran.

'The Greedy Goat' Is Selected For Children's Story Hour Saturday

Children of Midland County are invited to listen to the story of "The Greedy Goat" by Emma Brock at 10:30 a. m. Saturday in the Midland County Library.

The story centers around Anna Marie, the greedy goat, who is a tan-colored animal with a beard and stumpy tail. Miss Martha Creagh will tell the story of the trials and temptations of this humorous goat.

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Texas Tech Exes To Meet Friday

Exes of Texas Tech are called to a meeting at 7:30 p. m. Friday in the Educational Building of the First Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Hubert Hopper and Tanner Laine, ex-students, called the meeting when asked to do so by the alumni association of the college.

Plans will be discussed for the formation in Midland of a Texas Tech Club.

After the first meeting Friday is held the ex-Techsters will call a larger meeting later contacting every former student who resides in Midland and a representative of the college will be asked to attend.

Army Board Will Give GIs, Vets Fair Break

WASHINGTON—(P)—Relax, you GIs, past and present. You'll get a fair break from the Army Board studying officer-enlisted man relationships.

That's the consensus of the 30 or more witnesses who have met with the committee headed by stocky, bustling Lt. Gen. Jimmy Doolittle. The meetings are not open to the public but almost every witness has been asked by reporters for an opinion of the board.

Replies have varied from "good" to "swell." Not one has been critical.

Accident Victim Is Returned To Midland From Tahoka Hospital

Benson Cecil, who was injured when the car in which he was riding overturned near O'Donnell early Monday, was brought to his home at 501 West Storey Street Thursday afternoon and is reported as greatly improved. He was returned here by ambulance from a hospital at Tahoka.

Cecil, a Civil Service employee at the Midland Army Air Field, suffered back, chest and neck injuries, two large cuts on his head, and other cuts and abrasions. He is expected to be able to be up next week.

Morris Richie, another occupant of the car driven by James Eubank of Midland, still is in the Tahoka hospital. He received a large cut on his head, bruises and contusions. He probably will be moved to Fort Worth in about two weeks, it was reported. His father, V. T. Richie, formerly of Midland, now resides at Fort Worth.

Eubank received emergency treatment following the accident but was not confined to the hospital.

Mother Leaves Sons Money For Hang Rope

LOS ANGELES—(P)—Two brothers cut off in their mother's will with \$1 each "to purchase rope with which to hang themselves" have settled their suit for a share in her \$25,000 estate out of court. Max and Charles Rosenbaum had sued, charging that their sisters, Mrs. Grace Roybark and Mrs. Beesie Rosen, had prejudiced their mother, Mrs. Annie Kroil Rosenbaum. Terms of the settlement were not announced.

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Mrs. Jim Carlson's Mother Dies In Pueblo
Mrs. Clara Swallow, 73, mother of Mrs. Jim Carlson of Midland, died suddenly Thursday at her home in Pueblo, Colo., after a brief illness. Mrs. Carlson left Friday morning for Pueblo. Surviving are three daughters and a son.
Funeral services will be held Monday morning in Pueblo.

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400,000 Spectators Watch 25-1 Shot Win England's 103rd Grand National
AINTREE, ENGLAND —(AP)—Lovely Cottage won the 103rd running of the Grand National Friday.
Second was Jack Finlay with the favored Prince Regent third.
The winner is owned by M. Morant, who bought the horse last December. The rider was Capt. R. Petre, an amateur rider.
Lovely Cottage hit the wire four lengths in front of L. S. Elwell's long-shot Jack Finlay.
The winner, a 25-1 shot, swept to the front in the final yards after the favored Prince Regent had taken over the lead on the second time around before a crowd estimated at 400,000, probably the greatest ever to see a horse race.
The victory was worth \$35,320 to the winner, largest since Mrs. Marion DuPont Scott's American jumper, Battleship, won the 1938 Grand National.

Two Texas Navy Men Are Awarded Medals
DALLAS —(AP)—The Navy Department Friday announced awarding of medals to two Texas men.
Ensign Leroy Paul Dowden, Longview, has been awarded the Silver Star medal by the Navy Department. Dowden, now released from active duty, performed deeds meriting the award while serving as pilot of a carrier based torpedo bomber in the vicinity of the Kure Naval Base, Japan, July 28, 1945, the citation accompanying the medal stated.
The Navy awarded air medals to Vergil Bobbie Brodie, Tyler.
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Argo Wildcat
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which may have been taken in recent days.
Cities Service Oil Company, et al., No. 1 Parker, Central Ector County prospect, in northeast quarter of section 20, block 44, TP survey, T-2-S, was making hole below 10,595 feet in Devonian lime.
A drillstem test was taken at 10,489-580 feet. Tool was open four hours and 25 minutes, and recovery was 350 feet of gas cut drilling mud, with a slight rainbow of oil in the top 150 feet of mud. Some sweet as was shown in the drilling mud and in the 1,005-foot water blanket which was used. The formation is Devonian, topped at 10,320 feet.
Another in PHD Area
Honolulu Oil Corporation and Devonian Oil Company No. 1 Webb, et al., 440 feet from east and 1724 feet from south lines of section 1254, TT survey, is a new exploration to 3,800 feet, in Northwest Garza County.
It is one mile east and one-quarter of a mile north of discovery well in the PHD field.
Alex McCutchin No. 4-B Ned O. Miller, in South Yukum County, and 330 feet from north and east lines of northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section 898, block D, John H. Gibson survey, is to be a 5,100-foot project on the southwest side of production in the Wasson field. It is to drill at once.

Halfmann to Deepen
Halfmann Sider of Sweetwater has taken over the Gruber & Ott No. 1 Halfmann, South-Central Runtels County wildcat, at center of northwest quarter of northwest quarter of section 501, GH&H survey, about three miles southwest of Ballinger, and will deepen from its current bottom of 3,520 feet, in Palo Pinto lime, to around 4,500 feet, or to oil or water in the Ellenburger, at a lesser depth.
Top of the Palo Pinto was at 3,350 feet. There was a slight show of oil at 3,424-31 feet. The 4,500-foot destination should take the wildcat into the Ellenburger.
An error was made Friday in connection with Skelly Oil Company No. 1-A University, new wildcat to 9,500 feet to test Ellenburger, in Central Southwest Andrews County.
The location, 660 feet from south and west lines of southeast quarter of section 10, block 11, University survey, was correct.
In Wrong Surroundings
Instead of being one-quarter of a mile north of same company's No. 1-Z University, the new project is three-quarters of a mile south of that well. It is two miles west and one-half mile south of Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-Unit A University, prolific Ellenburger discovery on the southeast side of the Parker field.
Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Vick, Southwest Kent County Ellenburger discovery, was bottomed at 7,938 feet in Ellenburger dolomite, and had set 5 1/2-inch casing at 7,937 feet, with 200 sacks of cement.
It is expected that operator will try to complete the project as a producer through perforations opposite saturated zones in the lower Ordovician formation.
Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Crespi, East Midland County wildcat, nine miles southeast of Midland, had progressed below 10,319 feet in lime, and was continuing.

Operator has not reported any markers and has not made any public correlations of this project with the discovery well of the Midland field, one mile east and one-quarter of a mile south.
That project was completed at 10,370-390 feet. No. 1 Crespi should determine soon whether or not it is to produce from the Midland field pay zone.

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Iran
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by British and American interests, was considered a virtual certainty Friday by informed oil executives here.
Something of an oil rush may develop once Red Army forces have been withdrawn behind their own borders.
At least two American companies—Sinclair and Standard of New Jersey—have been actively interested in concessions there in recent years. Presumably their interest has not cooled. The British government, already entrenched in the oil fields now producing in Iran, will want to protect if not expand its holdings.
Neither British nor American interests have ever made strong passes at the Northern Iranian area, largely because of the difficulty of getting its oil out to points of sale. In fact, American oil men have taken the position that the importance of a Soviet concession there would not rest in the still-to-be-determined amount of oil in this region.
It would, however, dent for the first time an almost solid Anglo-American line-up in Middle Eastern fields now considered the richest oil prize in the world. Control of this petroleum conceivably may influence the balance of power in future years.

High School Debaters Speak Before JayCees
High school debaters, La Jaun Dunlap, Stella Shattuck, John Drummond and Lawrence King, presented arguments for and against universal military training at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce Friday at the Scharbauer Hotel.
These students form the Midland debate teams of the interscholastic league meet, which opens Friday. Lou Frazen was program chairman.
Delbert Downing was appointed chairman of the JayCee's assistance program to the 1946 American Cancer Society's program. He will name a treasurer.
Bill Collins and Tanner Laine were appointed coordinators for the Midland JayCee's presentation of claims for state and national awards for service.
Ted Thompson and Riley Parr are managers of the JayCee softball team, which has entered the city league.

Newman Granted 30-Day Stay Of Execution
AUSTIN —(AP)—The board of Pardon and Paroles Friday recommended and the governor granted an additional 30-day stay in the execution, scheduled Saturday, of L. G. Newman, convicted of murder in Polk County.
Previously, the customary 30 days of clemency had been given.
The board announced that it had received from A. C. Turner, warden at the State Penitentiary at Huntsville, a telegram saying that he had received two affidavits from Houston doctors saying that, in their opinion, the convicted man was insane.

Cotton
NEW YORK —(AP)—Cotton futures at noon Friday were 25 to 80 cents a bale higher, May 28.00, July 28.11, and Oct. 28.12.

Retired Rancher Dies
SAN ANGELO —(AP)—Funeral services have been planned Saturday for Joe Montague, 71, retired ranchman of this section, who died after a short illness.
In early experiments, frog skin was used for human skin grafts.

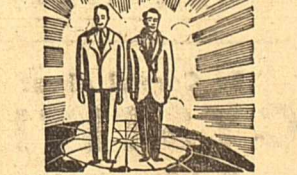
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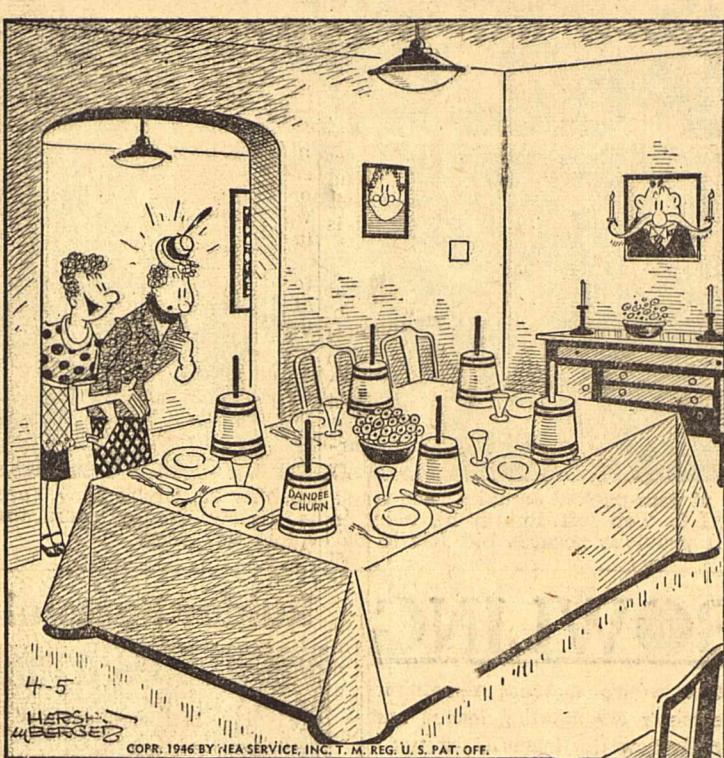
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ABILENE RELAY TEAM FAVORED —

Texas Relays Open Friday With 978 Entries In Track And Field

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF

AUSTIN—(P)—Records appear reasonably safe in all divisions but competition is due to be keen, with winnings well-scattered, as the vanguard of a track and field army of 978 moves into action Friday in the nineteenth Texas Relays.

The schoolboys, comprising half the field and all from Texas, start the big carnival as they hold preliminaries in five events Friday afternoon. Saturday morning, the college, university and service performers go through trials in four events. Finals in everything will be Saturday afternoon with a crowd of 10,000 forecast for memorial stadium.

It is unlikely any records will be even approached in the high school class despite the fact that most of the standouts of the current campaign will be in the 52 teams that have been entered. But some good marks are due just the same.

Francis Meyers of Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio), who has gone over 50 feet in the shot put; the Abilene sprint relay team, which has been well under 45 seconds; and mile relay teams from Austin (Houston), Adamson (Dallas) and Austin, each hovering around 3:35 consistently, appear the top performers of this division. Relays records however, are 59 feet 11 1/2 inches in the shot, 43.2 in the 440-yard relay, and 3:27.5 in the mile relay.

High Hurdles Is Feature

Feature individual events of the university-college-service division are the 120-yard high hurdles in which August Erfurth, Rice star, will again race Ralph Tate, the Oklahoma A. and M. ace, and the high jump in which Henry Coffman of Rice, Harry Haws of Texas A. and M. and David Rowe of Texas, each capable of 6 feet 4, will contest. Andy Shurt and Allen Layler, top dashmen from Texas, will go against little Bill Martinson, Baylor's current sensation, in the 100. Fred Feiler of Drake, 1945 3,000 meters champion, is back, and so

Davey O'Brien May Leave FBI; Return To Pro Football Role

DALLAS—(P)—Davey O'Brien, the All-America quarterback of Texas Christian's national championship team of 1938, is considering a return to professional football after being out of the game for five seasons.

O'Brien, who starred with the Philadelphia Eagles in 1939 and 1940 and then went with the Federal Bureau of Investigation, reportedly has been offered a contract for a higher salary than the \$10,000 per year he received from Philadelphia. In addition to the \$10,000 at Philadelphia O'Brien also received a certain percentage of the gate over a specified amount.

Officially, Davey belongs to the Pittsburgh Steelers but has an understanding, according to report, that if he returns to them they will trade him to either one of two teams with which he has always had a desire to play.

O'Brien, now 28, has kept in excellent physical trim and is reported ready to return to football if a couple of demands, aside from salary, which he has made, are met.

is Cesar Guerrero of the University of Mexico, javelin throw winner last year.

There are 16 universities, a dozen colleges and five service teams from nine states and the Republic of Mexico. In the individual events there will be two divisions—university-college-service and high school but in relay events there will be three classes—university-service, college-service and high school.



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Top: Only the horses could move at jam-packed Jamaica race track last May 35, where New York racing season gets under way April 6. Top left: Rootin' his baby home. Below: Comin' 'round the bend at Jamaica. All previous records bid fair to be broken this year.

Wrong Stance.



Baseball's Commissioner A. B. Happy, Chandler, brings diamond technique to links as he takes a ball player's swipe at golf ball on La Gorce course at Miami, where he relaxed on vacation.

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One week's matches remain in the men's city bowling league and here is how the teams stack up:

Team	Won	Lost
Honolulu	51	30
Weaver's Texaco	46	35
Roberson-Sinclair	41	40
Houston Hill	39	42
JayCees	39	42
Self-Standard	38	43
Permian Well	37	44
King Parrott	32	49

In Wednesday night rolling at Plumer Jack Mashburn, Jaycee, had high game with 211 and his series roll was high with 605. Roberson-Sinclair had high team game and series with 903 and 2,601.

Wednesday night results:

Roberson-Sinclair	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Edwards	132	172	158	462
Watlington	179	181	146	506
Roberts	193	189	162	544
Grommon	167	188	202	557
Crites	178	173	181	532

Totals	849	903	849	2601
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Houston Hill	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Clements	119	122	167	408
Hill	106	164	143	413
Darnell	163	154	144	461
B. Prothro	168	193	127	488
L. Hall	148	138	158	444
	60	60	60	180

Totals	764	831	799	2394
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Self-Standard	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Hall	141	122	154	417
Cooper	104	160	146	410
Stall	158	131	158	447
Gridley	138	164	162	464
Self	156	127	122	405
	33	33	33	99

Totals	730	737	775	2242
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Permian Well	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Lovering	171	129	123	423
Doyle	146	142	124	412
Stanley	168	208	139	515
Falcon	118	149	169	436
McKinnon	162	140	170	472

Totals	765	768	725	2258
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King-Parrott	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Licoardia	134	137	124	395
Sirope	120	166	156	442
Meekling	162	139	135	436
Stilley	140	130	174	444
Young	158	188	134	480
	23	23	23	69

Totals	737	783	746	2266
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Weaver's Texaco	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Lewis	172	160	210	542
Prothro	201	181	157	539
Boring	178	150	132	460
Thary	163	179	161	503
Davidson	146	200	148	494

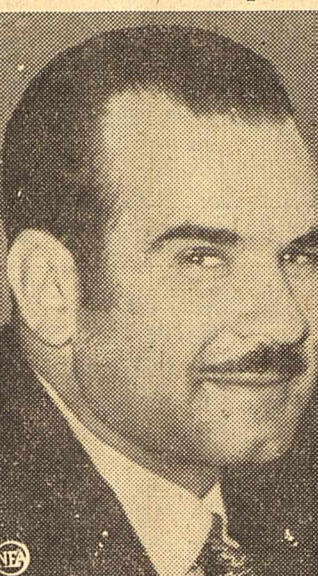
Totals	860	870	808	3538
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JayCees	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Borneman	165	148	149	462
Howard	137	135	131	403
Woods	140	166	170	476
Jones	159	111	188	458
Mashburn	201	211	193	605
	10	10	10	30

Totals	812	781	841	2434
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Honolulu	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Grant	135	191	138	464
Gibson	134	131	177	442
White	192	169	147	508
Chambers	160	138	156	454
Langford	178	161	190	529
	799	790	808	2397

Raider Pasquel



President Don Jorge Pasquel of the banking-ranching-export fortune has succeeded in luring 17 major leaguers to his eight-club Mexican League.

DOWN

SPORTSLANE

TANNER LAINE

We heard a man say, and he may have something there, that "Midland needs a municipal golf course." A many course is of course a good thing. The recent nod of approval to more associate memberships by the Midland Country Club may be a temporary answer. However as the city grows, more golfers in addition to those already here will come. And then there Midland would have to solve the problem. Maybe even now.

Washington sportswriters are

fully conscious of Texas, if they weren't already. Seeking interviews from the heads of land, sea and air power on a charity football game to be played September 1 for Army, Navy and Air Forces relief, the scribes were referred to these men: General Eisenhower, Admiral Nimitz and Lieutenant General Eaker. All are native born Texans. As one of the three said: "Infants play with pigskins down Texas way now instead of rattlers."

Five of the 3-AA mentors in

head coaching jobs are new to their posts and will be next fall. All are not new to the district however. Two coaches will be where they were last fall. These "old timers" are John Dillvell at Big Spring and Pat Gerald at Sweetwater. And the "new timers" are: our own Barnes (Foots) Milam at Midland; Joe Coleman (back from Navy) at Odessa; Von Rhea Beene from assistant to head at San Angelo; Jim Neill at Lamesa; and Pete Shotwell at "Abilene Town." Milam replaced Gene McCollum here. Coleman succeeded Clayton Hopkins, who is now an athletic director. Beene went up into Jewel Wallace's slot at SA when Wallace went to Houston University. Neill came along to replace Chas Sanders at Lamesa. Pete replaced Jake Bentley.

It will be all "even stephen" in 3-AA come fall and may Satan take the hindmost, and we hope that ain't Midland with Barnes in the saddle.

ROUNDUP THE STRAYS.

A couple of the Midland faculty are waiting for their sons to grow up and play football, that would be Frank Montee and Harlan Howell. And they have the boypower, believe me. . . . Man o' War, the great racehorse never won the Kentucky Derby but did just about everything else. . . . We heard at a civic luncheon a good plot for a movie animated cartoon. . . . It seems the rabbit, which the racing greyhounds chase, was speeding along bent for freedom and leading on the canines, when panting the bunny stopped and turned to the audience and said: "For golly sakes will somebody call off these dogs." . . . British gymnasiums are not "tall" enough for basket ball as we found them. . . . They go in for volley ball and handball and stuff. . . . Dunny Goode, the Midland jet-propelled sprinter, has a good chance of placing in the state track meet. . . . His time of 22.9 seconds over the furlong is no mean shakes in anybody's cinders. . . . Strayed too far to be rounded up.

Volleyball Contests Open District Meet

Volley ball opens the district interscholastic league meet in Midland Friday.

The volley ball contests start at 5 p. m. Friday at the gymnasium under direction of Sudie Muirhead.

Track and field and literary events will be held Saturday.

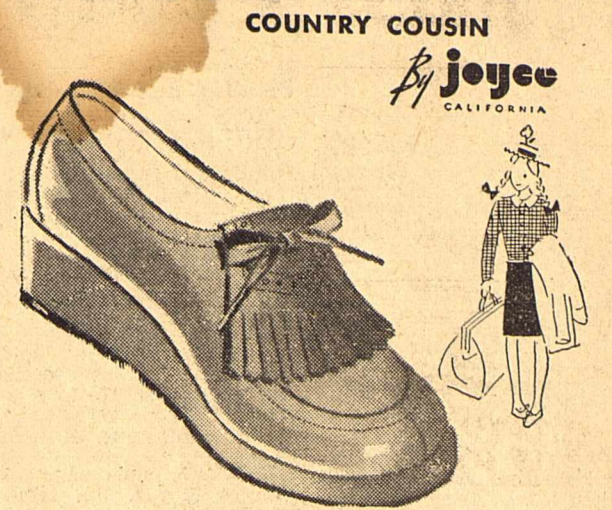
The meet will bring to Midland contestants from Big Spring and Odessa. Competition this year is keen and a spirited contest all the way through is indicated.

Dickey Catches As Yanks Beat Dallas

DALLAS —(P)—The New York Yankees were cheered Friday by the return of Bill Dickey, who is expected to do the bulk of the catching again for the Bronx Bombers. The veteran receiver caught six innings Thursday in the 11-3 shelling of the Dallas Rebels. It was only the second game he had worked this spring, an injury having sidelined him for several weeks.

Browns Defeat Cubs, 10-7, In San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO —(P)—Emmett O'Neill, pitcher claimed from the Boston Red Sox on waivers, reported to the Chicago Cubs Thursday Birm Bithorn is slated to pitch for the Cubs against Sam Zoldak of the St. Louis Browns Friday. The Browns won Thursday's game 10-7 for their eighth victory in 13 meetings with the Cubs.



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Longhorns Clip Bears As Aggies Beat TCU

By The Associated Press
Texas A. and M. and Texas opened the Southwest Conference baseball race Thursday by beating Texas Christian and Baylor and the same teams will be trading base hits Friday afternoon.

At College Station, the Aggies downed T.C.U. 2-0 behind the one-hit pitching of Earl Beesley, and at Austin Texas edged Baylor 7-6 with Football Star Bobby Layne twirling an eight-hitter.

Another of the six conference teams playing baseball this year will swing into action Saturday when Rice meets Texas Christian at Houston.

KADERLI YOUTH RECOVERS FROM TONSILLECTOMY

Hollis Hilton Kaderli, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hilton Kaderli, is resting well at the family home, 503 West Storey, following a tonsil operation.

Errors Help Pirates Beat White Sox, 3-2

HOUSTON—(P)—Orval Grove will pitch Friday for the Chicago White against Fritz Ostermueller of the Pittsburgh Pirates in the 21st game of their spring exhibition series. The Pirates won their 11th game of the series Thursday, 3-2, aided by Sox Third Baseman Gene Nace's five errors.

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