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WEATHER

Sunday fair. Colder except in the Panhandle. Monday partly cloudy, warmer during the afternoon. High temperature Friday was 80 degrees. Maximum Saturday was 80 degrees; minimum at 9:15 p. m. was 41 degrees, expected to be much lower by midnight.

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Midland Building Passes $6,000,000

Wintry Winds, Snow Whip Into Panhandle

By The Associated Press

Snow whipped by strong winds knocked out transportation over much of the Panhandle Saturday night as a new cold front moved eastward across Texas.

Borger was isolated, with roads blocked to Pampa, Stinnett and Panhandle. At Pampa the town's hotels were jammed with football fans unable to get home after attending the high school game between Lefors and Phillips.

Flurries of snow touched Lubbock, in the South Plains. The winds swirled sand at Lubbock and kicked up dust also at points at the lower edge of the plains.

To the southeast at Amarillo the main strength of the storm was centered around Claude, in Armstrong County, which had turned into a haven for refugees forced in from Highway 287.

Bus Travel Halted

John W. Moore at 8 p. m. went out on a call to rescue motorists in five autos reported stranded about five miles west of Claude.

Bus travel out of Amarillo was stopped to the East and North, but was approximately on schedule to the West.

Reports indicated Tulia as the approximate southern border of the snow line. Rain was falling in Shamrock but the main storm evidently had detoured around Wellington.

Dalhart reported cold and high winds, but little snow. Communications in Amarillo were not affected, but phone service was out on lines to Follett in Lipscomb County and Spearman in Hansford County.

Points reporting snow included Clarendon, Childress, Amarillo, Borger, Pampa and Canyon. Lubbock recorded late afternoon flurries. There was blowing sand at Lubbock, Big Spring, and in the Midland-Odessa area. Visibility at Big Spring was cut to a mile and a half.

Further west El Paso, Guadalupe, and Salt Flats were clear. Wink reported blowing dust high aloft.

Rains Fall To East

Eastward a slow rain had stopped at Wichita Falls, but some rain and sleet was expected there during the night. There was rain, drizzle and fog in Southeast Texas. There was light rain at Bryan, and at the

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Midland Prepares For Santa Parade

The largest crowd ever assembled in downtown Midland is expected Tuesday evening as the city officially opens the 1948 Christmas shopping season in an elaborate manner.

Plans for the event—the largest and most spectacular ever staged here—Saturday were being readied by representatives of the Chamber of Commerce, Junior Chamber of Commerce, business institutions and other clubs and organizations. Practically all merchants of the city are cooperating.

The area-wide attraction will open at 6 p. m. Tuesday when Christmas street lights are turned on, and when display windows of stores will be unveiled simultaneously after being veiled Monday and Tuesday. Christmas merchandise of a quality and quantity never before seen here will be on display. The Texas Electric Service Company is installing the varicolored street lights.

Santa Claus In Person

Then at 7 p. m., the major attraction, the annual Santa Claus parade, sponsored by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce, will start moving through the downtown section. Santa Claus, in person, will be the guest of honor. He will arrive by plane from his North Pole home in time for the festivities. Following the parade, Santa

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Police Chief Jack Ellington Saturday urged "No Parking" on Main Street, between Missouri and Illinois Streets, between the hours of 6:30 p. m. and 8:30 p. m. Tuesday.

The annual Santa Claus parade, sponsored by Midland JayCees, will move through the downtown section at 7 p. m. Tuesday, and Ellington said Junior Chamber of Commerce members had requested the "No Parking" measure be instituted as a safety feature.

New President



(NEA Telephoto)

Lt. Col. Delgado Chalbaud, former defense minister and a member of the three-man junta which seized control of Venezuela in a bloodless coup, has been appointed president with an 11-man cabinet to help him rule.

College Football

SOUTHWEST

SMU 7, TCU 7 (tie)
Baylor 7, Rice 7 (tie)
Texas Tech 28, Hardin-Simmons 20
West Texas State 19, New Mexico 0
Austin College 25, Texas A&I 20
William & Mary 9, Arkansas 0

FAR WEST

Penn. State 7, Wash. State 0
Michigan State 21, Santa Clara 21 (tie).
Oregon State 28, Nebraska 12
Notre Dame 46, Washington 0
Washington U 27, Louisville 12
Oklahoma 19, Okla. A&M 15
Detroit 26, Tulsa 22

EAST

Boston College 21, Holy Cross 20
Army 21, Navy 21 (tie)
Fordham 26, NYU 0
West Virginia 16, Maryland 14
Villanova 21, North Carolina State 7

SOUTH

Georgia 21, Georgia Tech 13
Tulane 46, LSU 0
Ole Miss 34, Miss. State 7
Clemson 7, Auburn 6
North Carolina 34, Virginia 12
Alabama 34, Florida 28
Vanderbilt 28, Tennessee 6

WHEAT BOWL

Coffeyville JC 6, Hutchinson JC 6

HIGH SCHOOL

Austin (El Paso) 8, El Paso 0
La Vega 13, Huntsville 6 (for 19-20A championship).

Crash Victims Show Slight Improvement

The condition of Richard C. Russell who was injured critically in an automobile crash Thursday was reported to be somewhat improved at an Odessa hospital late Saturday. J. C. Lawrence, also injured in the wreck, was reported to be improving rapidly. The two men are owners of the Service Drug here.

Russell's condition, although slightly improved, was termed critical still. Doctors discovered Saturday that a broken rib had punctured one of his lungs and it had collapsed. He also is suffering from a slight skull fracture, several broken ribs and severe lacerations of the face and body. He has not regained consciousness since the accident occurred.

Lawrence suffered a compound fracture of the right jaw, a deep neck cut, and a leg injury. Mrs. Lawrence said Saturday he had been sitting up in bed some and that he had not suffered a broken neck, as had been reported in Midland.

Both men were injured when the car in which they were riding overturned several times about three miles west of Midland Air Terminal on old Highway 80 Thursday evening.

Midland druggists are taking turns in the prescription department at the Service Drug in helping relieve the situation created when Lawrence and Russell were injured, leaving the store without a pharmacist.

Christmas Seal Sale Receipts Total $1,500

Returns the first four days in the annual Christmas Seal Sale here totaled $1,500, Jack Wicker, campaign chairman, said Saturday. The goal this year is $5,500.

Wicker said the results to date are most gratifying, and are considerably ahead of receipts at the same time last year. He expressed appreciation to citizens for their prompt and generous response.

The $5,500 goal corresponds to the 1949 budget of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association which receives its sole financial support from the sale of the attractive Christmas seals. A year-round program of tuberculosis control is carried on by the Midland association of which John J. Redfern, Jr., is chairman. Miss Linnie H. Davidson is the executive secretary.

Prompt Payment

Letters, including two sheets of seals each, went out last Monday to 5,136 Midland County residents. Self-addressed envelopes for returning checks in payment of seals were enclosed.

Although confident the goal will be reached, campaign leaders are anxious to exceed the quota promptly so that reminder letters will not be necessary this year. They requested citizens to mail their checks as soon as convenient. They look for "bushels" of mail over the weekend.

Wicker also urged citizens to use the attractive seals on all letters and packages between now and Christmas.

Seal sales are being conducted by 3,000 associations affiliated with the National Tuberculosis Association.

A Magnavox for the family is a lasting investment in gracious living. A lovely Magnavox console radio with automatic record player for only $179.95. Phone 1000 for lay-away.—(Adv.)



Ultra-Modern Submarine Is Reported Near Texas Coast

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Cruising of an unidentified ultra-modern submarine in Gulf Coast waters was indicated Saturday night in reports released by the Navy Department.

The locale was 20 miles southeast of the Naval Air Station at Corpus Christi, Texas. The time the craft apparently was seen was Friday afternoon.

Naval officials here seemed reasonably convinced of the happening.

First indications were that it was not a United States submersible. Navy officials at the Corpus Christi station said "No U. S. submarines are known to be operating in these waters."

Reports made to the Navy Department here by Corpus Christi officials showed this:

At 4 p. m. Friday the crew of a Navy training plane saw what they thought might be a periscope, with a long trailing wake.

An analysis by the Navy of the crew's report indicated that "the object sighted could have been a snorkel rather than a periscope" and that smoke near the object probably came from an exhaust beneath the water.

The object submerged completely and disappeared in about 10 minutes.

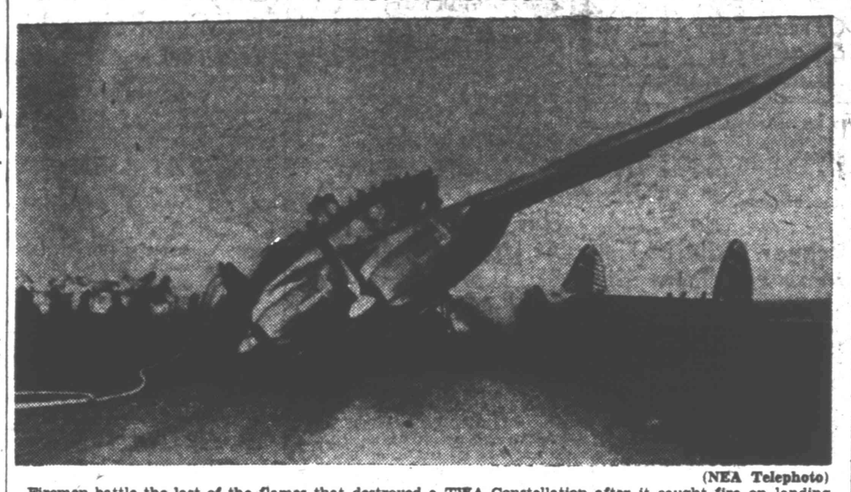
Snorkel Is Significant

Corpus Christi officials advised Washington of their evaluation of the report indicated it was "probable" a submarine had been sighted.

The reference to the "snorkel" was significant. This device for enabling a submarine to run its diesel engines while submerged reportedly is used by only two or three nations—the United States, Russia and possibly Britain. This valuable gadget for increasing the underwater range of a submarine was a prize taken by the three powers when Germany collapsed. The Germans invented it, calling it a "schnorchel." The name was shortened when anglicized.

Tell Ole Sandy Claus that Wemple's will wrap up a new piano for him to deliver Christmas morning. A lasting gift, universally enjoyable. —(Adv.)

Just A Shell Left



(NEA Telephoto)

Firemen battle the last of the flames that destroyed a TWA Constellation after it caught fire on landing at the Los Angeles Airport. Five crew members and 18 passengers escaped injury by using an emergency exit. The fuselage of the plane has been destroyed completely, leaving only one wing with its two engines intact.

Rail Board Alters Close-In Orders As Injunctions Pile Up

AUSTIN. (AP)—The Railroad Commission Saturday modified one of it's anti-flare gas waste closedown orders while injunction suits continued to pile up in 98th District Court.

The order modifying the close in for the Foster Field of Ector County was seen as an effort to make the gas-saving directives stand up in court. It rescinded the original November 23 order on the field.

Upon showing by Foster operators that they could produce 20,278 barrels of oil a day without wasting natural gas produced along with it, the commission directed allowable production for the field to be 20,278 barrels daily.

Production formerly was 25,347 barrels a day.

The order also noted that ten wells of the field's 850 were isolated, and since it would be unecopomical for them to connect with gas utilization systems, they would not be affected.

Railroad Commission Chairman Ernest O. Thompson commented that this was in line with the State Supreme Court's ruling in the Seeligson Field case. The court held that the Commission had power to conserve natural gas but not to impose unjust economic demands.

Vigorous Defense Planned

At Houston Saturday, Attorney General Price Daniel said his department was swamped by the flurry of injunctions, but that a vigorous defense will be made. He said he felt the commission was acting within its legal powers. Daniel named three assistants to handle the cases.

Thompson concurred with Com-

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Community Chest Campaign Extended Another Two Weeks

The annual Community Chest finance campaign Saturday was extended another two weeks as leaders surveyed the results to date and enlisted new workers in the all-out effort to push the drive to a successful conclusion.

The campaign was started three weeks ago, with the completion date scheduled Saturday. But Saturday the returns totaled only $14,000. The goal is $33,923.

Heads of the various campaign divisions met late Friday to revamp plans for continuance of the drive. All are confident the quota yet will be reached. Many firms and individuals still have not been contacted, Chest officials were told by campaign directors. All chairmen were urged to contact workers, urging them to complete assignments promptly.

A number of new workers volunteered to assist in the drive. They include the Rev. R. J. Snell, Mrs. B. Boone, Mrs. W. C. Kimball, Ralph J. Smith, N. G. Oates and Tracy Ansel They were on the job Saturday.

Funds from the Community Chest will finance operations of the Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Youth Center, Goodfellows, Salvation Army, and USO in 1949.

BANDIT HOLDS UP BIG SPRING LIQUOR STORE

BIG SPRING —(AP)— A bandit held up a liquor store here Saturday night and fled with $15 in cash. Police Chief Pete Green said the man was identified from pictures as an escaped convict. In his haste, the bandit overlooked $200.

TROOPS KEEP ORDER

CARACAS, VENEZUELA —(AP)— Steel-helmeted troops kept uneasy crowds moving in Caracas Saturday while ministers of a military junta which seized power Wednesday urged management and labor to return to normal production.

PASSENGERS BOARD LINER

SOUTHAMPTON, ENGLAND —(AP)—The last of 1,600 passengers Saturday night boarded the liner Queen Elizabeth, which is expected to sail for New York Sunday after an 11-day delay caused by a dock strike in the United States.

Republicans Seek Review Of Ballots In Three Key States

SAN FRANCISCO —(AP)— A review of the presidential election ballot in Ohio, Illinois and California has been requested by Republican National Chairman Hugh Scott, Jr., to determine the possible need of a recount, National Committeeman McIntyre Fairies said Saturday.

The California national committeeman disclosed Scott's request before a meeting of the executive committee of the California Republican State Central Committee.

Fairies said the review would be made in these states to determine "if the results were in accord with the vote."

In all three states, the presidential ballot was relatively close and the electoral vote of any two could reverse the national result in favor of President Truman. Truman's majority in California was about 30,000.

High Winds, Biting Sand Ride With Cold Into Permian Basin

High winds and biting sand accompanied a drop in temperatures in the Permian Basin area Saturday. At 8 p. m. the average Basin temperature was 40 degrees with the mercury dropping slowly at all points, according to reports gathered from pipe line offices here.

Brownfield reported 35 degrees, cloudy skies and temperatures falling. Seminole skies were cloudy with temperatures of 40 degrees. Andrews and Fullerton had an eight-degree drop in temperatures in an hour under cloudy skies. Itaan also had an eight degree drop in an hour to 42 degrees.

Jal, N. M., reported high winds and dust but clear skies at 40 degrees. Artesia, N. M., had snow flurries and 30 degree temperature. Wink temperatures were 40 degrees under clear but sand filled skies. Crane reported 42 degrees with clear skies and wind. Thirty-five degree temperatures were recorded at Hobbs, N. M., at 7 p. m.

At far south as Sonora the temperatures were 48 degrees, skies were partly cloudy and there was a high wind. Dallas reported cold weather and threatening rain with a wet norther expected. A cold front was moving in all along a line from Lubbock to Dallas.

Swirling Pools of Sand

By dark in Midland, 36-mile-an-hour winds were making swirling pools of sand and leaves in downtown streets. Neon signs were casting wierd glows in the sand-filled skies. Temperatures leveled off just above 40 degrees at 6:30 p. m. after dropping 13 degrees in two hours.

The wind became strong about 3 p. m. after beginning to blow from the northwest at noon at 25 miles an hour. At 4:45 it jumped to 36 mile an hour and held that for three hours. At 9:15 the wind velocity was 24 miles an hour.

The temperature dropped from 56 degrees at 4:30 p. m. to 43 degrees at 6:30. At 9:15 it was 41 degrees and expected to go much lower before morning.

First Permit For Hospital Zooms Total

Midland construction is at an all-time high. Building permits issued during the week ended Saturday amounted to $923,000 to bring the 1948 mark to a record-breaking $6,320,080, according to records of K. E. McFarland, city building inspector.

An initial permit of $750,000 for Midland Memorial Hospital issued during the week zoomed the construction figures.

Permits for 28 frame residences, each to cost $5,000, total $140,000, were issued to Von Frelleck, Inc., a construction company. This firm is expected to build 80 such residences here in the North sector of the city.

The hospital permit calls for a four-story, concrete steel, brick and tile structure at 2100 West Illinois Street. Size will be 198 by 132 feet. It is under construction.

The Von Frelleck firm permits call for 28 of the $5,000, 36 by 20 feet, frame residences in a section on East Banner Avenue, East Cowden Street and East Maiden Lane. Exact locations are 301, 303, 305, 307, 309, 401, 403, 405, 407 and 409 East Maiden Lane; 300, 302, 304, 306, 307, 308, 309, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 406 and 408 East Banner Avenue; 306, 308, 400 and 402 East Cowden Street.

Far Ahead Of 1947

Construction permits this year already are far ahead of the previous mark set in 1947 of $4,291,700. Permits have increased steadily since 1945 when $1,544,805 in construction grants were made. The 1946 figure was $2,816,400. Midland first hit the one-million-mark for building in 1939 when permits totaled $1,031,456. There followed several lean war years in construction and the upward trend began in 1945.

Permits at the half-year mark, July 1, totaled $2,214,235 in Midland. They have increased steadily since that time and passed the five-million-mark in October.

Other permits, besides the hospital and Von Frelleck block residence permits, included: O. H. Carr, $8,000, concrete and tile residence with attached garage at 207 West Cowden Street, 28 by 48 feet; T. C. Ward, $6,500, frame and stucco residence at 300 West Maiden Lane, 35 by 54 feet; G. C. Ponder, $6,000, frame residence with attached garage at 109 West Cowden Street, 25 by 50 feet; C. D. Templeton, $6,000, asbestos siding on frame residence at 1406 North Whitaker Street, 30 by 32 feet; Frank Prothro, $5,000, asbestos siding on frame residence at 305 West Estes Street, 33 by 34 feet; Bruce Goode, $800, frame servants quarters at rear of 2301 West Holloway Street, 12 by 20 feet; W. M. Harrison, $700, frame residence at 812 North Terrell Street, 12 by 20 feet.

Coastal Strikes Settled

NEW YORK—(AP)—President Joseph P. Ryan of the AFL International Longshoremen's Association Saturday night announced the end of his union's East Coast strike.

Ryan made his announcement the moment enough returns were in to show the 65,000 striking East Coast longshoremen had voted to accept a compromise agreement for a 13-cent-an-hour raise.

Acceptance of the terms ended a walkout started 18 days ago when they voted to reject a previous compromise on a 10-cent raise.

The stoppage added up to more than a million man-days on strike, besides thousands of railway, trucking and other workers laid off by the paralysis of business.

The strike immobilized the world's mightiest liners and blocked mails and trade.

"The men will be back on the piers Sunday morning for anyone who asks them to work," Ryan said.

West Coast Lines Up

On the West Coast, by standing vote Saturday striking CIO longshoremen at San Francisco decided overwhelmingly to accept terms of a new contract.

Thus, the 87-day strike there was on the road to settlement.

Longshoremen in other West Coast ports were meeting Saturday and Sunday to consider the new contract. It calls for a 15-cent-an-hour increase in pay and maintenance of the union-employer joint hiring hall. The union negotiating committee has recommended acceptance.

First Texans Will Be Drafted Monday

AUSTIN — (AP) — Approximately 350 Texas civilians will become soldiers inducted under the new Selective Service Law Monday.

Another group making up the first call for 670 men, will get their soldier suits Tuesday.

Selective Service registrants will enter the Army at Dallas, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, Brownsville, Corpus Christi, Lubbock, El Paso and Texarkana.

Has Early Christmas



(NEA Telephoto)

Christmas came on Thanksgiving Day for little Bobby Cobb, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cobb of Whiteoak, Texas. Bobby is suffering from a cancer in the stomach area and doctors advised his parents it is quite probable he will not live to see a real Christmas on December 25. Here Bobby has just received his most wanted gift, a football, from old Santa, played by Coach Lee Mitchell of Whiteoak.

War's Center Shifts As Chiang's Armies Fight Reds In Open

NANKING—(AP)—Chinese government armies, evidently abandoning their old positional warfare, were battling the Communists in the open Saturday in a zone extending from 50 to 200 miles northwest of Nanking.

The war's center of gravity appeared to have shifted from Suchow, 211 miles by rail northwest of this capital, to the Suhsien neighborhood, 45 miles south of Suchow.

The Catholic newspaper Yi Shih Pao reported 10,000 Communists had infiltrated into Changpaling, 60 miles by rail and 50 by air north of the Yangtze, only to be encircled by government forces.

The Kiangnan Evening Post said the main battle was in progress around Suhsien. This was confirmed indirectly by a Communist broadcast claiming capture of Lingpi, 35 miles east of Suhsien, on a road where pro-government reports listed heavy fighting Friday.

Newsman Visits Front

The Post said Gen. Chiu Ching-Chuan's Second Army Group had been transferred from east of Suchow to the Suhsien line.

However, Associated Press Correspondent Tom Lambert interviewed Chiu 12 miles east of Suchow Friday, and it is unlikely an army could have moved 45 miles on foot overnight, even if unopposed.

On one of the rare visits which foreigners ever have been permitted to make to an active front, Lambert Saturday witnessed government recapture of a hill only 12 miles south of Suchow. He indicated National troops in unnumbered thousands were moving steadily south towards Communist-held Suhsien.

Lambert's eye-witness dispatch also confirmed brief official reports reaching Nanking that the Nationalists had given up their vain tactics of holding fixed positions and were slugging it out with the Reds in a series of fast-moving open fights.

Wemple's take pleasure in announcing that their display of fine radio-phonograph consoles is the most complete and attractively priced ever shown in the Southwest. Select now for Christmas.—(Adv.)

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

NANKING —(AP)— Madame Chiang Kai-Shek left in a special U. S. Naval plane Sunday for Shanghai enroute to Washington, presumably to appeal personally for greatly increased aid to the Chinese government in its fight with the Communists.

BERLIN —(AP)— Soviet authorities Saturday ordered sharp reductions in electric power usage in the entire Russian zone of Germany, due to coal shortages caused by the West's counter-blockade against East Germany.

PARIS —(AP)— France and Britain Saturday night presented rival plans to a five-nation unity committee attempting to lay the foundation for a European federation. The communique did not give details of the proposals.

Magnolia May Have Discovery From Ellenburger In N-C Upton

Possibilities of the discovery of a new field from the Ellenburger, 30 miles south of Midland, in North-Central Upton County, have been indicated at Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A TXL.

That prospector took a three-hour drillstem test at 12,530-565 feet. Gas showed at the surface in 55 minutes. Maximum volume was between 35,000 and 36,000 cubic feet per day.

No fluid came to the surface during the time the tester was open. Recovery was the 2,000-foot water blanket, 900 feet of free oil and 160 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud. There was no formation water.

To Deepen And Test

Open flowing bottom hole pressure was 950 pounds. No build-up pressure gauge was reported. The possible new field discovery is to drill 30 to 40 feet deeper and take another drillstem test.

This development is just south of the Midland County line, and 660 feet from north and west lines of section 31, block 40, TP survey, T-4-S.

Top of the Ellenburger was picked at 12,530 feet. Elevation is 2,890 feet. That makes it 811 feet high on the top of the Ellenburger to Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-E Wilson Bryant, in Central Midland County, which had water in the Ellenburger between 13,150 feet and the total depth at 13,822 feet.

The Gulf wildcat is about 16 miles north and a little west of the Magnolia venture.

Gulf Swabs Pennsylvanian

The Gulf No. 1-E Bryant, located 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 36, block 39, TP survey, T-3-S, was swabbing on perforated section at 9,340-9,410 feet, in a lime zone in the Pennsylvanian.

That section had been washed with 500 gallons of acid. Recovery at last report was an average of about one-half barrel of fluid per hour. It was one-third oil, one-third drilling mud, and one-third drilling water. It is expected that operator will treat the perforated section with acid before testing much more.

The No. 1-E Bryant offered its best possibility of production in the Fusselman section of the Silurian between 12,645-767 feet. That zone developed some free oil on a drillstem test: That interval will be investigated as soon as the petroleum yielding ability of the upper zone is determined.

The Gulf wildcat is 14 miles south of the city of Midland.

Seaboard Tests In Howard Ellenburger

Seaboard Oil Company No. 2 Tora Campbell, North-Central Howard County deep wildcat in the Vealmoor area, 14 miles north of Big Spring, and 660 feet from south and east lines of section 29, block 32, TP survey, T-3-N, was taking a drillstem test in the top of the Ellenburger at 10,060-102 feet.

The section being covered by the investigation is a hard, cherty lime.

This prospector is one location east of the nearest producers from the Pennsylvanian lime, above 8,000 feet in the Vealmoor field. The No. 2 Tora Campbell showed for commercial oil and gas yields in that zone, and was drilled deeper to try to develop a new and deeper pay section for that area.

No Shows Develop At Flanker To Vealmoor

Seaboard No. 1 Clanton, one mile northwest of the nearest completed oil wells from the Pennsylvanian, in the Vealmoor field, and just over the line in South Borden County took a 30-minute drillstem test at 7,616-27 feet in a Pennsylvanian formation.

There was a slight blow of air for six minutes, and it then died. Recovery was 30 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water. The project is drilling ahead. That exploration is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 20, block 32, TP survey, T-3-N. It is to continue until it determines the oil yielding ability of the Vealmoor pay zone.

Southern Minerals To Drill Andrews Wildcat

A wildcat is projected to the Devonian in Northwest Andrews County between the Shafter Lake and Fullerton fields.

It is to be Southern Minerals Corporation No. 1-A University, located 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 11, block 13, University survey, 12 1/2 miles northwest of the town of Andrews.

Nearest production is from the Clear Fork above 7,200 feet in the Fullerton pool, approximately a half mile west. It is in the same section as Magnolia No. 2-11 University, another prospector also venturing toward the Devonian.

Sinclair Prairie Oil Company drilled a dry hole one location north of this new prospector in 1945. The Sinclair failure was abandoned in the Woodford shale on 9,010 feet. It did not test into the Devonian.

Southern Minerals expects the Devonian to come in above 10,000 feet. Starting December 2, a rotary outfit is to be moved in and operations are to commence.

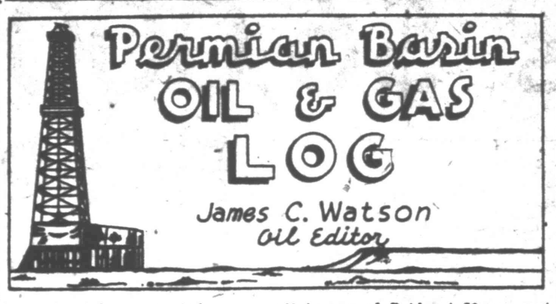
It is being drilled on acreage secured in a farmout deal with Magnolia.

The Magnolia wildcat in this section, No. 2-11 University, 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 11, block 13, University survey, was boring ahead from 5,648 feet in lime.

Barrett Takes Block In Culberson; To Drill

A. T. Barrett, Jr., of Midland, has taken a drilling block of 8,410 acres in East-Central Culberson County, and a wildcat test into the Delaware will be started on that spread early in December.

Exact location of the prospector has not yet been reported.



Included in the acreage taken by Barrett are sections 7, 8, and 9, and all of section 10, except the west half of the northwest quarter. All of sections 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 21, and the south half of 22, the north half and southeast quarter of 27, the north half of 28, and the north half of 29, all in block 52, psl survey.

The south line of the Barrett block is approximately five miles north of the location of the Gulf Oil Corporation and M. A. and T. F. Grisham No. 1 Grisham-Hunter Corporation fee, dry hole in the Ellenburger completed early this year.

Consideration involved in the deal was not reported. It has been learned that a large portion of the block has been turned by Barrett, but the name of the concern getting the acreage has not been revealed.

Tex Harvey May Have Entered Ellenburger

The Ellenburger may have been entered at Tex Harvey Oil Company No. 1 Floyd, East Midland County wildcat, 13 miles southeast of the city of Midland and 2,000 feet from north, 660 feet from east lines of section 15, block 37, T-3-S, TP survey.

Drilling was continuing below 11,961 feet, in an officially unidentified lime and chert formation. Some observers think it is possibly Ellenburger. At any rate, the deep formation is expected any time.

This prospector is running high on all formations to every previous exploration in that area.

In West Midland County, a mile south of the Midland Air Terminal, The Texas Company was making new hole through the Ellenburger with its No. 1 Scharbauer, possible discovery from the top of that horizon.

Last report had it below 13,284 feet, penetrating lime. No current shows of oil, gas or water have been logged. Operator is expected to go ahead to granite, unless water or more production is encountered at a lesser depth.

It is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 20, block 40, T-2-S, TP survey.

Lawson Wildcat In Hockley Shows Oil

Edward C. Lawson No. 1 George L. White, Northwest Hockley County wildcat, three miles northwest of the nearest production in the Yellowhouse field has indicated that it may open a new producing area from the San Andres-Permian lime.

This prospector, located 440 feet from south and east lines of labor 16, league 704, State Capital Lands, had fair porosity and oil saturation in six to eight feet of a core taken at 4,625-37 feet.

Operator has set a string of 5 1/2-inch casing at 4,617 feet, with 100 sacks of cement.

The rotary drilling rig will be moved out and a cable tool unit will be brought in to drill the plug and test the section left uncased.

Plymouth Tops Canyon Zone In SE Tom Green

Top of the Canyon lime in Southeast Tom Green County was picked on 4,160 feet by Plymouth Oil Company at its No. 1 Wiley Green, 1,980 feet from north and east lines of section 193, district 11, SPRR survey, about 15 miles southeast of the city of San Angelo. Elevation is 2,124 feet.

That puts the entrance point on that horizon 304 feet high to The Texas Company No. 1 Edwards, a dry hole drilled a few years ago, approximately seven miles to the north.

The Plymouth wildcat was drilling ahead from 4,434 feet in lime, shale and chert. It is projected to the Ellenburger, which is expected to come in above 6,000 feet.

Ward Venture Runs DST In Deep Lime

Humble Oil & Refining Company have entered the Ellenburger in Northeast Ward County, seven miles northeast of the town of Monahans, at its No. 7 Yarbrough & Allen, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 17, block B-13, psl survey.

Total depth was 10,947 feet in an unidentified lime formation. Operator was preparing to run a drillstem test between 10,920 feet and 10,947 feet.

Some observers pick the formation as Ellenburger, but are not overlooking the possibility that it could be the Joins—a strip between the Simpson and Ellenburger.

Outpost To Nelson Swabbing To Test

Swabbing tests were underway at Humble No. 3 Sims, outpost to the Nelson-Ellenburger field in West Andrews County, 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 25, block A-39, psl survey.

Bottomed on 10,685 feet in Ellenburger lime, the semi-wildcat swabbed for 18 hours and produced 60 barrels of fluid cut 50 per cent acid water. The other 50 per cent was oil. Fluid was standing in the hole 4,500 feet from the surface.

The project was continuing to swab and test.

Reagan Wildcat Gets More Petroleum Signs

Additional slight oil shows developed on a drillstem test at Humble No. 1-E Sawyer, deep wildcat in Southeast Reagan County, seven miles north of the Barnhart field.

The tool was open one hour at 9,958-10,010 feet. A very slight blow of air held at the surface for part of the period. Recovery was 90 feet of very slightly gas-cut drilling mud with a rainbow show of oil.

Operator has now drilled on down to 10,060 in lime and, on last report, was preparing to run another test.

Unofficial sources report this venture may be in the top of the Ellenburger.

Location is 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 142, block 1, TP survey.

Humble On Potential At Pecos Extension

A 24-hour potential test was being taken by Humble on its No. 1-D Tyrell, a one mile north extension for the Fort Stockton pool in Central Pecos County.

In the first 20 hours of the test, gauges showed a production of 100 barrels of pipe line oil with a gas-oil ratio of 128-1. It was flowing through a 7/32-inch choke. Tubing pressure was 250 pounds, and casing pressure, 640 pounds. Total depth is 2,926 feet.

This development, 660 feet from southeast and southwest lines of section 506, Garcia, Montez & Doran original grantee, was flowing to complete test.

Andrews Prospector Is To Re-Perforate

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company was trying to eliminate a flow of water at its No. 1-BG University, northwest extension to the Shafter Lake - Wolfcamp production in Northwest Andrews County.

This venture drilled to 10,000 feet in the Devonian, developed some oil and water from that strata, and has now plugged back into the Wolfcamp, which showed production when drilled through.

Operator perforated at 8,600-50 feet, in the Wolfcamp. After an acid treatment, the project swabbed only water—no oil. Those perforations were squeezed off.

The venture is to re-perforate and test at 8,600-20 feet. It is thought the water is coming up from the Devonian, due to a faculty cement job.

Location is 660 feet from south and west lines of section 21, block 14, University survey.

Lario Swabbing To Test At 1-B Miles

In Central Andrews County, 20 miles west of Andrews, Lario Oil & Gas Company No. 1-B Hayden Miles, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 34, block 12, University survey, has plugged back into the Glorieta from 7,520 feet in a barren Clear Fork formation and is making tests.

After perforations were shot into a section of pipe from 5,730 feet to 5,750 feet, that zone was acidized with 2,000 gallons. It then swabbed nine barrels of fluid per hour—75 per cent oil, 25 per cent acid residue and drilling water.

The prospect was continuing to swab to clean out, test and try to complete as a discovery.

NW Dawson Wildcat D & A In San Andres

E. E. Reigle and Louis Mabee plugged and abandoned their No. 1 Ina Mae Farley, failure in the San Andres, upper Permian, of Northwest Dawson County. Total depth was 5,005 feet.

The dry hole is about two miles south of the Welch pool and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 12, block M, EL&RR survey.

Slight shows of oil were encountered at 4,915-30 feet, but as porosity was poor, the indications were not sufficient to make an oil well.

This venture topped the San Andres 20 feet higher than the Wilson, et al, No. 1 Texas Land and Mortgage, located a mile and a half west. That formation came in 23 feet higher in the Reigle and Mabee wildcat than in the discovery well for the Welch pool.

Five Projects Near Benedum Drill Ahead

Drilling was continuing toward the Ellenburger at the five explorations in the Benedum field area of East-Central Upton County.

Slick-Urschel Oil Company No. 1 Dixon, south flanker to the pool, was below 10,517 feet, penetrating lime and chert. It is located 660 feet from north and west lines of the west half of section 3, C. Bendle survey.

Slick-Urschel No. 1 Elliott, 660 feet from south and east lines of west half of section 10, C. D. Moseley survey, was boring ahead from 9,827 feet in lime and shale.

Attempting to extend the field to the northwest, Slick-Urschel No. 1-B Gordon, 660 feet from south and east lines of northwest quarter of section 47, block Y, TCRR survey, was deepening beyond 10,546 feet through lime and chert.

Plymouth Oil Company was continuing to make hole with its No. 1-47 Gordon, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 47, block Y, TCRR survey. Last report had it under 10,694 feet in lime and chert.

Plymouth No. 1-48 Elliott was below 10,638 feet, going ahead through lime and chert. Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 48, block Y, CCSD&RGNG survey.

Humble Runs DST At Upton Wildcat

A drillstem test was run at Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-B Barnett, deep wildcat in East-Central Upton County, three-quarters of a mile southwest of the Turner-Hewgley discovery from the Pennsylvanian.

The tool was open two hours at 10,019-244 feet in the Pennsylvanian. A weak blow of air held at the surface throughout the period. Recovery was 250 feet of drilling mud with no shows of oil, gas or water.

The prospector was drilling ahead from 10,262 feet in shale and lime. It is due to try for completion from the current formation.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 39, block Y, TCRR survey.

Reagan Trio Deepen Toward Ellenburger

Plymouth No. 1-2 Dixon, scheduled Ellenburger prospector in West-Central Reagan County, was drilling lime and chert under 10,388 feet. Location is 660 feet from north and 2,526 feet from west lines of section 2, Peter Beach survey No. 2.

Three and one-half miles northwest of the Barnhart pool in Reagan County, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 E. P. Miller was deepening in shale from 8,484 feet.

It is located in the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 226, block 1, TP survey.

In northwest Reagan County, White Eagle Oil Company No. 1 Ringo, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 8, block H, L&SV survey, was making hole in lime and chert under 11,501 feet. The wildcat is eight miles northeast of the Benedum pool.

All of these ventures are projected to the Ellenburger.

100F Recreation Hall Is Dedicated

A barbecue and special program marked the dedication of the new Odd Fellows Recreation Building and Boy Scout Troop 151 Headquarters at 600 East Florida Street Saturday night.

Frank R. Rundell of Austin, grand master of the Grand Lodge of Texas, and Gene Lawless of El Paso, president of the Rebekah Assembly, were featured speakers.

Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, was master of ceremonies.

The barbecue was served inside the new building due to inclement weather and music was furnished during the serving hour by the Odd Fellows Band.

The dedication program opened with the flag presentation by members of Boy Scout Troop 151 and the pledge of allegiance. C. B. Hedges gave the welcome address, and Ralph Smith, district Scout chairman, spoke on Scouting.

Degree work was presented at the Lodge Hall following the dedication program.

More than 200 lodge members from Midland and surrounding cities attended the dedication event.

UN Censures Three Soviet Satellites In Balkans Dispute

PARIS —(AP)— The United Nations Assembly Saturday formally condemned three Soviet satellites —Albania, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia —for aiding Greek guerrillas.

The action came after a bitter debate in which John Foster Dulles, acting chairman of the United States delegation, called on the Soviet bloc countries to stop spreading Communism by "force, coercion and terrorism."

The vote was 47 to 6, with only the Russian-led group voting No.

Dulles told the assembly the American people hate Communistic methods, but do not hate people who believe differently from the way Americans do. He virtually disregarded an hour and 40-minute speech delivered earlier by Russia's Andrei Y. Vishinsky.

The Soviet deputy foreign minister, shouting and gesturing, attacked investigators of the UN Special Committee on the Balkans (UNSCOB) as "amateur Sherlock Holmeses" and called UNSCOB's report "junk" and "garbage."

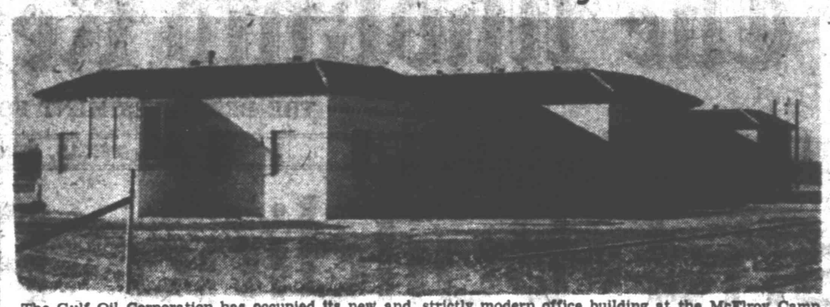
The resolution approved by the Assembly was sponsored by the United States, Britain, France and China.

Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)— Cotton futures moved over a narrow range Saturday, closing 15 cents a bale lower to ten cents higher. December 31.86, March 31.84, and May 31.83.

The term "mayor" or "maior" was first used for any person who had supervision of others.

Gulf's Crane Office Building



The Gulf Oil Corporation has occupied its new and strictly modern office building at the McElroy Camp two miles west of Crane. The structure, one of the most attractive in the Permian Basin, was erected at a cost of $100,000. Fifteen private offices are included in the 20-room building.

Rumors Of Texaco Shake-up Refuted

NEW YORK—W. S. S. Rodgers, chairman of the board of The Texas Company has issued the following statement:

"The Thanksgiving holiday prevented my replying earlier to an erroneous statement issued under a Washington date line reporting that I would resign shortly, that our President, Harry T. Klein, would become chairman of the Board, and that Secretary of Defense, James V. Forrestal, would resign and then become President of The Texas Company.

There is not one word of truth in this rumor. The press services in my opinion have always tried to distribute accurate news, but apparently in this case someone with an ulterior motive is disseminating false information."

SE Chaves To Get Shallow Venture

HOBBS, N. M.—Martin Yates is to start operations at once on a 1,800-foot wildcat in Southeast Chaves County.

It will be 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 27-15s-29e. Cable tools will be used. The venture is to try for production in an upper Permian lime horizon.

Location for a semi-wildcat to drill to 6,000 feet to try to extend the proven limits of the Drinkard field, in East-Central Lea County, has been reported.

That venture will be Tide Water Associated Oil Company No. 1 D. A. Williamson. It is located 660 feet from north and west lines of section 23-21s-37e.

The nearest producing wells in the Drinkard field are one-half mile south and the same distance east of the drillsite. It is about two miles north of the town of Eunice. Operations are to be started immediately.

The Texas Company No. 1 McMillian, in Central-East Lea County, and about midway between the Monument and the Hobbs fields, had reached 5,991 feet in lime and dolomite, and was making more hole.

This development is 1,982 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 3-19s-37e.

Continental Oil Company No. 1-B-29 Warren unit, six miles north of Eunice, and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 29-20s-38e, took a one-hour drillstem test in the Devonian at 8,267-8,345 feet. Recovery was 728 feet of sulphur water. There were no signs of oil or gas. The venture is to drill ahead.

Still Making Hole

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company and C. L. Norsworthy, Jr., No. 1-U State, scheduled 12,000-foot wildcat in East-Central Lea County, 660 feet from south and east lines of section 2-20s-38e, and six and one-half miles south of the town of Hobbs, had penetrated below 9,260 feet in lime and shale, and was boring ahead.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Shipp, three miles west of the northwest side of the Hobbs shallow field, and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 20-18s-37e, had progressed to 7,378 feet in lime and shale, and was shut down while machinery repairs were being made. When that operation is finished it is due to make more hole.

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Hamilton, in East Lea County, 10 miles east of the Lovington field, and 1,980 feet from south and west lines of section 36-16s-38e, had reached 7,440 feet in dry lime and was drilling ahead toward its objective of 12,000 feet, or commercial production at a lesser depth.

In West-Central Lea

Amerada No. 1-CHA State, slated 5,900-foot prospector in West-Central Lea County, which is located 660 feet from south and east lines of section 33-15s-32e, had reached 4,171 feet in lime, and was continuing. It is about eight miles northwest of the Roberts field.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Federal-Cox, in extreme Northeast Lea County, six miles north and a little east of the lone producer from the Devonian, in the Crossroads field, and 660 feet from south and west lines of section 1-9s-36e, had reached 6,148 feet in dry lime, and was going ahead. It is contracted to at least 12,000 feet to try to develop production from the Devonian.

Crossroads Projects Drill

In the area adjacent to the discovery of the Crossroads-Devonian field, in Northeast Lea County, the four outposts to that development were all active and were continuing to dig toward 12,000 feet, and the anticipated pay around that point.

Magnolia No. 1-C Santa Fe-Pacific, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 26-9s-36e, had progressed below 11,666 chert, and was going on down.

Skelly Oil Company No. 1 U. D. Sawyer, 660 feet from north and east lines of section 33-9s-36e, had penetrated below 11,584 feet, in lower Pennsylvanian lime, and was continuing to drill.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Dessie Sawyer, one location west of the Crossroads discovery, and 1,980 feet from west and south lines of section 27-9s-36e, had progressed below 11,379 feet in lime and shale, and was making more hole.

Mid-Continent No. 1-B U. D. Sawyer, 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 34-9s-36e, had penetrated past 11,610 feet in lime and was continuing.

Roosevelt Wildcat Continues

Magnolia No. 1 Smith, Southwest Roosevelt County prospector, 660 feet from south and west lines of section 11-7s-33e, had drilled under 9,495 feet in dry lime and shale, and was drilling deeper. Up to now it has not reported having logged any indications of petroleum.

Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 Saunders, in Southeast Roosevelt County, and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 5-8s-37e, had bored under 8,036 feet in an unidentified dolomite, and was continuing to dig.

Chaves Ventures Operate

Barnsdall Oil Company No. 1-A State, in the east-central Chaves County panhandle, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 23-8s-32e, had progressed to 11,230 feet, in an unidentified lime and chert, and was coring. So far as has been reported this venture has not yet found any possibilities of petroleum production in any formation it had drilled through.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Federal-Gorman, in Southwest Chaves County, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 30-15s-22e, had reached 5,746 feet, in dry dolomite and sand, and was boring ahead.

No prospects for production have yet been reported from this exploration.

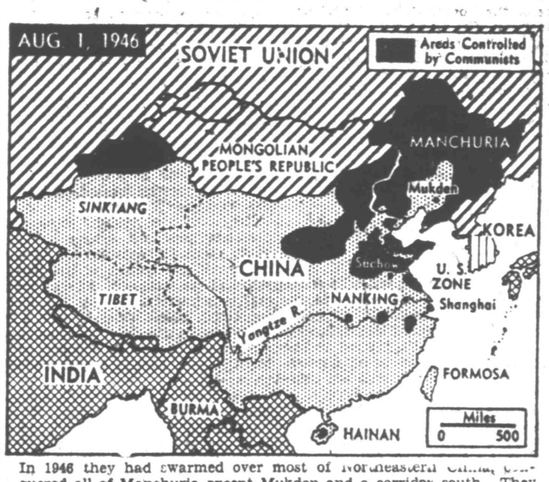
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Red Stain Over China

The Chinese Communists' recent victories spotlight the tremendous amount of territory the Reds have taken since the end of World War II. The maps below show how they have advanced, how they have solidified their hold on Manchuria, how they now threaten all of Northern China.



In 1945 the Communists in Eastern China were spotty, controlling a little territory here, a little there. They had yet to penetrate deeply into Manchuria.



In 1946 they had swarmed over most of Northeastern China, conquered all of Manchuria except Mukden and a corridor south. They were close to Suchow, guardian of Nanking, Nationalist capital.



In 1947 Chiang Kai-shek's Nationalist armies had driven the Reds back somewhat, recapturing much of Manchuria, breaking up their strong threat to Suchow.



Today the Red tide is again at flood level. All Manchuria is in Communist hands. Control of Northeastern China is virtually complete. Chiang's future as top man in China is shaky.

Special Session For School Study Still Considered Toss-Up

AUSTIN—(AP)—Whether or not Gov. Beauford H. Jester will call a special session of the Legislature was still strictly a toss-up Saturday.

Failure of the State Teachers Association to add its weight to the pressure on the governor for the school-studying session was seen as a strong factor against the call.

On the other hand, some of Jester's closest advisers were known to have urged the session on him to the extent that he has not yet fully made up his mind.

Insiders were betting very little money either way.

The Gilmer - Aikin Committee joined Lt. Gov. Allan Shivers and House Speaker W. O. Reed in urging the special session to do nothing but study the public school system. It suggested its report as a basis for possible reorganization and said a special session could get the job done by considering nothing but the schools.

Jester Goes Hunting

The big and powerful teachers association voted general approval of the Gilmer-Aikin Committee's work, but reserved specific approval of its particular recommendations. It made no move toward recommending a special session. If it had joined the movement, chances for the session would have been improved vastly.

Jester had a stream of visitors during the week, urging and opposing the session. Then he took off on a turkey and deer hunting trip in the hills and it was not expected he would say what he will do before midweek.

If a session is called, it would be for December 6—a week from Monday.

J. Frank Norris Quits Detroit Post

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Rev. J. Frank Norris announced Saturday he had resigned as pastor of the Temple Baptist Church in Detroit, Mich.

Mr. Norris said he would devote all of his time to his pastorate of the First Baptist Seminary in Fort Worth. He recently observed his 40th anniversary as pastor of the Fort Worth church. He had held the Detroit pastorate 14 years.

Texas Girl Killed In Oklahoma Crash

WAGONER, OKLA. —(AP)— An eight-year-old Fort Worth girl was killed Saturday in an automobile accident near here.

The child was Jeanette Sweet, daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. William F. Sweet. The parents and a seven-year-old sister were injured.

Highway Patrolman Dick Cramer said the Sweet's car collided with a truck driven by Vernon Dunn, 19, Pittsburg, Texas. The family was returning from a Thanksgiving visit in Illinois.

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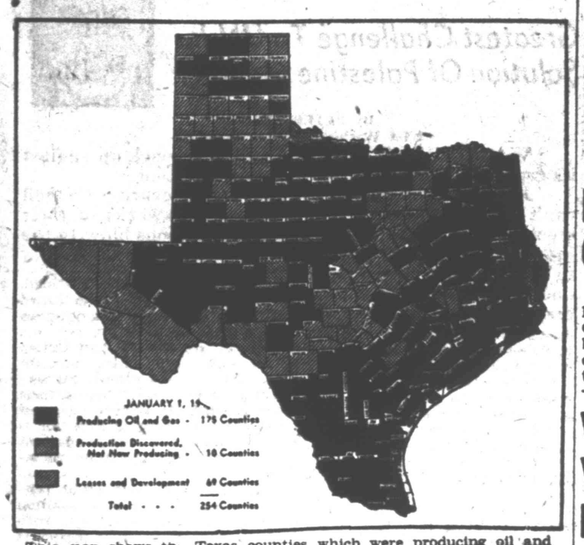
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Texas Oil Production Map



This map shows the Texas counties which were producing oil and gas as of Jan. 1, 1948. The petroleum industry spends about one-third of a billion dollars annually in 254 counties for leases, bonuses, and royalty payments.

Landowners Paid Large Sums By Oil Industry

About 58,000,000 acres of Texas land, nearly one-third the state's area, has been leased for oil and gas exploration and production, a report published at Dallas by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association indicates.

Land has been leased from landowners in each of the 254 counties, the report showed, and there was oil and gas production in 175 counties at the first of 1948. Ten more counties have had production but are not producing now. During 1947, Kenedy, San Augustine, and Sterling counties produced oil for the first time.

The Texas petroleum industry during 1947 paid Texas landowners scattered over 254 counties, a total of $331,738,000 for leases, rentals, bonuses, and royalties.

Landowners last year received more than $89,348,000 in lease and bonus payments. The report said this sum was "a considerable income in view of the fact that only a portion of these leases will ever become productive."

"When the property is productive, the landowner receives 'royalty payments' which average slightly more than one-eighth of the oil and gas produced," the report stated. "These payments in Texas during 1947 were $242,390,000."

Skelly Constructing New Gasoline Plant

Construction of a compression-type gasoline plant has been started by Skelly Oil Company in the Eunice field of East-Central Lea County, N. M. It is to be known as Eunice No. 2 plant, and is to augment the existing facilities of Skelly's Eunice No. 1 plant, located in the same field.

The new facilities are being added to provide sufficient capacity to process the casinghead gas now under contract to the company.

Gasoline produced at the plant will be transported to Eunice No. 1 for further treatment. Company officials expect completion of the plant by April 1949.

Michel To Supervise Lawson's Production

C. C. Michel is a new oil man in Midland. He is production superintendent in West Texas for Edward C. Lawson of Oklahoma City.

Lawson has production in the Levelland field in Hockley and Cochran Counties and is now drilling a wildcat in Northwest Hockley County.

Santa Claus Will Be Honor Guest In Christmas Parade

To open officially the Christmas shopping season in Midland, the Junior Chamber Commerce will stage its annual Santa Claus parade at 7 p. m. Tuesday. Elaborate and decorative floats will move through the business district with Santa Claus himself as the main point of attraction. Thousands are expected to be on hand for this popular event.

The parade will form on Texas Street in front of the high school. It will move east on Texas to Loraine Street; south on Loraine to Missouri; east on Missouri to Main; north on Main to Illinois; west on Illinois to either Loraine or Colorado, depending on the length of the procession, turning left and moving to the courthouse either on Loraine or Colorado.

Santa Claus will stop at the courthouse. It is there he will distribute candy to the youngsters. Previously candy was thrown from Santa's float but JayCees are taking a safety precaution this year and the candy will be given out at the courthouse. JayCees have hundreds of pounds of candy for the old gentleman to distribute.

The Midland High School Band and the Lions Club Orchestra will be in the parade. The Midland Men's Chorus will be at the courthouse to join the two band units.

The parade will be lighted by signal flares carried by Boy Scouts.

Chappell Davis will be mounted marshall of the parade. He will head it. Shorty Parker of the JayCees is parade starter.

Flag bearers of the parade will be five Rainbow Girls. They will ride in a jeepster and will hold the Christian Flag and a "Toward A Greater Faith" theme banner.

Midland organizations, firms, clubs, units of the city of any kind, all are urged to enter floats in the parade. Prizes will be awarded for the most attractive floats. First prize is $40, second prize is $25 and third prize $10. Floats may be entered by contacting DeWayne Davis at the Chamber of Commerce office.

Float entries already have been received from: First Methodist Church, Kruger Jewelry, Kiddies Toggery, May Motors, Murray-Young Motors, Elder Chevrolet, Scruggs Motors, Curtis Pontiac Motors, Noble Holt Motors, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Company, Pete Pederson, and Willis Sales.

JayCees announce that clowns will be included in the parade this year as an added attraction to boys and girls.

Judges of floats will be Clifford Keith, Gerald Fitzgerald and John Hughes.

Berlin Children Play Airlift Game

BERLIN —(AP)— The British-American airlift supplying Russian-blockaded Western Berlin has given Berlin kids a new game as well as added a new word to the German vocabulary.

The new word and the name of the new game is "Luftbruecke" (air bridge), which is the German designation of the airlift.

The kids, who hang around the U. S. Army's Tempelhof Air Base and the RAF's Gatow Airport to watch the incoming and departing supply shuttle planes play their games in streets and backyards.

Using model American and British planes, which are sold in German toyshops throughout the Western-occupied sectors of Berlin, the children play at landing and unloading "operation vittles" planes on midget airdromes.

They set their toy planes down on sand or asphalt runways and bring up toy trucks and wagons to haul their cargoes away to imitation warehouses, later to have them consumed by dolls. They thus complete the shipper-to-consumer service which has become unique in world history.

WAR ASSETS WORK FINISHED IN HAWAII

HONOLULU —(AP)— The War Assets Administration's Hawaii office is closing after having sold for $72,000,000 materials which originally cost $360,000,000.

Glen Taylor, regional director who supplied the figures, said only $750,000 was still owing the WAA for goods sold and that the local office had taken in $6 for every dollar spent.

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Midland Committee Is Formed To Conduct Campaign For New Members For TM-CO&GA

A membership committee in Midland for the Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association for 1949, has been organized by Earle H. Clark, of Dallas, membership secretary of the organization, working in cooperation with H. E. (Eddie) Chiles, West Texas regional vice president of the body.

On that group are C. M. (Charlie) Chase, of Sun Oil Company; W. D. (Bill) Lane of Plymouth Oil Company; W. A. Yeager; Phil Yeckel, of King, Warren & Dye; John W. House, of Humble Oil & Refining Company; John J. Redfern, and J. E. (Ed) Warren.

Represents Entire Industry

Clark said that additions to the committee might be made during next week, when a drive will be conducted to secure at least 50 new members in this region for the association.

The Texas Mid-Continent Oil & Gas Association is the over-all organization of the entire oil industry of Texas.

It is supported by both independent and the major companies, and also by many landowners, and others with royalty and mineral interests.

One of the major activities of the TM-CO&GA is collecting and distributing accurate information which shows how the oil industry contributes to the general economic welfare of the entire state of Texas.

The organization represents the entire oil industry, and those who depend on it for all or a part of their incomes, on legislative, regulatory and taxation matters, on both the state and national level.

Works In Other Matters

It has been especially active in helping retain the 27 1/2 per cent depletion allowance on income taxes from the federal government for owners of oil and gas properties.

Clark spent several days in Midland last week, working with Chiles, and members of the newly formed membership committee, in organizing plans for the solicitation campaign to be conducted during the next week.

West Berliners Will Vote In Elections Banned By Russians

By RICHARD KASISCHKE

BERLIN —(AP)— About 1,250,000 west Berliners are expected to vote a week from Sunday in one of the strangest elections of modern times. Caught 100 miles behind the iron curtain in the cold war, they'll make known which of their conquerors they prefer.

Only two-thirds of the city, with 1,700,000 eligible voters, can take part. Originally the election was scheduled city-wide, but the Russians have forbidden the ballot in the eastern third they occupy. An earlier plan to make the ballot available also to Germans in the Russian sector, despite the ban, has been abandoned as impractical.

West Berlin will elect new city government, but the almost certain result is that Berlin will have not one government but two. West Berlin will elect an anti-Communist government to administer the British, French and American sectors. A Communist regime probably will be set up to rule the eastern sector.

The Communists have refused to try their strength in a free election, and have forbidden voting in East Berlin where about 1,200,000 of Berlin's 3,250,000 Germans live. They are campaigning, with threats and coercion, to persuade the people in West Berlin, too, to stay home on election day.

The anti-Communists are trying to get out a huge vote to make it a resounding condemnation of the Russian blockade and a vote of confidence in the West.

Telephone Workers Cast Strike Votes

Traffic operators employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Midland have cast strike votes and are preparing to forward the results to the Division 20 office of the Communication Workers Union in St. Louis, it was announced Saturday by Mary Francis Cox, chairman of the Midland union unit. She said votes were cast by a majority of the traffic operators here.

The strike vote being taken in Division 20 of the union will involve 52,000 employes of the Bell Company in Texas, Kansas, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Missouri and part of Illinois. The results of the vote will be announced December 4.

The organized workers are asking for a wage increase and better working conditions. Negotiations are scheduled to resume December 8 at the call of a federal conciliator.

New Mexico Leases To Be Sold Dec. 10

An auction sale of state-owned New Mexico oil and gas leases is scheduled for December 10 at the public lands office in the Capitol Building at Santa Fe, N. M., John E. Miles, commissioner of public lands has announced.

All applications for leases will be through sealed bids, to be opened at 10 a. m. on the auction date. Leases will be awarded to the highest bidders.

On sale will be 26 tracts, description of which may be obtained from the commissioner of lands in Santa Fe. Form of application and lease will also be furnished upon request.

Seaboard Office Is Moved To Petroleum Building

The West Texas district production department office of Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware is now located on the second floor of the Petroleum Building in Midland.

That office was formerly in the First National Bank Building. Seaboard's district land and geological offices, which are still in the First National Bank Building, will be moved to the Petroleum Building in a short time.

Ebb White is Seaboard's district production superintendent. Cecil Matthews is district engineer. Dick Chadwell is production clerk, and Mrs. Lula Belle Klinger is office secretary.

Griswold Family To California

E. H. (Eddie) Griswold and family have moved to Pebble Beach, Calif.

Griswold is one of the owners of the oil producing firm of Rush, Griswold, et al, which has considerable property in the North Cowden field in Ector County. He plans to come back about each 60 days to check on the leases.

J. L. Denton will be in charge of the Rush, Griswold operations in this area.

Moore To Address AIME December 6

"Selective Acidizing with the Electric Pilot," will be discussed by Jack M. Moore, of Midland, at the December meeting of the Permian Basin Section of the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers to be held December 6 in Odessa.

Dinner will be served at 6:30 p. m., and the program will begin at 7:30 p. m. at the Roski Club. Slide illustrations will supplement the talk. Moore is with Dowell, Incorporated.

Just Dolly and Me



Off for a hand-in-hand stroll along Brighton Beach, England, are 2-year-old Carol Francis and her doll, Susie. Lifesize Susie walks, and moves her head and her arms in a realistic way.

Christmas Seals Fight TB



Shaw Quits Richfield To Go Independent

E. H. (Henry) Shaw, now district land agent in the Permian Basin for Richfield Oil Corporation, has resigned from that concern, effective January 1, 1949, and will start out as an independent lease and mineral broker and trader.

Shaw has been head of Richfield's district land department since that concern started operating in this region five years ago. The company is now in process of disposing of its properties in West Texas and Southeast New Mexico, and when that is done it will discontinue activity in this territory.

Shaw was offered a place in the Richfield organization in California, but has decided to stay in Midland.

He started in the oil business at Burkburnett in 1919 and has worked in the drilling, producing and land phases of the industry.

Shaw plans to open a downtown office early in January.

Wasson Operators Slate Conference To Avoid Shutdown

Arrangements to work out a solution to the Railroad Commission's order to stop gas flaring in the Wasson field of Gaines and Yoakum Counties will be discussed by the operators of that field in a meeting at the Scharbauer Hotel, at 2 p. m., Monday.

They will attempt to arrive at an operating agreement for reducing production to the point where no surplus gas will be developed, thereby eliminating the waste. An estimated cut-back of 55 per cent on the present daily output will be necessary.

V. E. Cottingham, chairman of the North Basin Pools Engineering Committee, will preside at the meeting.

TEXAS OIL ROUNDUP—

Major Oil Companies Have No Cause To Be Thankful

By MAX B. SKELTON

HOUSTON —(AP)— Thanksgiving-eve didn't hold much good news for major oil companies.

Sinclair Prairie Oil Company became the first major purchaser to meet the 35-cent per barrel crude oil price hike and the Texas Railroad Commission signed shutdown orders on 16 oil fields alleged to be wasting oil well gas.

An executive with Houston headquarters of one major company said: "It is a very gloomy day."

He added a prediction it now is inevitable that all majors must meet the price hike, initiated amid an industry uproar last September 28 by Phillips Petroleum Company.

It was the same story 'sewhere. Company spokesmen shied from public comment but frankly admitted "The line has been broken."

A break had to come but the majors had hoped it would be with Phillips' withdrawing its hike which gave the midcontinent oil area its first $3-per-barrel oil since World War I.

Several small companies have met Phillips' action.

Stalemate

Until last Wednesday it was a stalemate—independents demanding higher prices to facilitate increased explorations and to meet cost increases, the majors branding the hike as unnecessary and inflationary.

If the hike becomes industry wide, the anxiety and pressure will have been shifted on to the consumer.

If price increases in recent years can be accepted as a pattern, gasoline prices could be expected to take a jump within two weeks after the 35-cent hike becomes general.

Gasoline normally climbs about one cent per gallon for each 20-cent per barrel crude increase.

American Petroleum Institute figures, released in an October bulletin, placed at 25.98-cents a gallon the average price being paid for house brand gasoline in 50 representative cities across the nation on September 1. This is the highest average since 1922.

SHUTDOWN ORDER WAS NO SURPRISE

The Texas shutdown orders came as no surprise, nor was the filing of a court action seeking to enjoin the commission from carrying out the orders.

Approximately 400,000 barrels of crude are being produced daily by the fields affected by the orders, which become effective December 1.

Operators who show prior to that date that gas from their wells is being used for legal purposes will be exempted from the shutdown.

Commission sources estimated that the orders, after exemptions are taken into consideration, will slash the state's daily crude production by more than 200,000 barrels.

The State Supreme Court has upheld previous commission shutdown orders but has held such orders must be equitable.

Operators affected by the order claim it is unfair for other operators in the same field to be permitted to continue production from wells which, in most cases, are drawing from the same oil reservoir.

Sterling Oil and Refining Company, Houston, filed an injunction suit only a few hours after the commission had completed signing the orders.

Restrain Enforcement

The requested injunctions would restrain enforcement of the orders until final court decisions are received. A hearing was set for December 30 in Austin.

The commission recognizes these legal uses for oil well gas:

1. Light or fuel.
2. Efficient chemical manufacturing other than the manufacture of carbon black.
3. Bona fide introduction of gas into oil or gas bearing horizon in order to maintain or increase the rock pressure or otherwise increase the ultimate recovery of oil or gas from the horizon.
4. The extraction of natural gasoline therefrom when the residue is returned to the horizon from which it is produced.

Sterling's suit involves only the Heyser Field in Calhoun County, with a daily allowable of 5,021 barrels. The commission alleges the field, with 185 producing wells, is wasting 27,000,000 cubic feet of oil well gas daily.

Joining with Sterling in the initial suit are Humble Oil and Refining Company, Sinclair Prairie Oil Company, Magnolia Petroleum Company, Gulf Oil Company, and the Plymouth Oil Company.

The chairman of the board for Sterling is former Texas Governor Ross Sterling, referred to as the father of oil and gas proration laws under which the Railroad Commission now operates.

The former governor, however, has been critically ill in a Fort Worth hospital since September 27.

HERE AND THERE

State ownership of tidelands will be among the topics for discussion next week in Houston at the annual meeting of the National Association of Attorneys General . . .

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And to stand every morning to thank and praise the Lord, and likewise at even . . .—I Chronicles 23:30.

Chest Must Be Filled

The everyday operations of six youth and welfare organizations of Midland—Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, Youth Center, Goodfellows, USO and Salvation Army—will be curtailed to a certain extent next year unless the $83,928 budget of the Community Chest is met.

And the results of the campaign to date are anything but encouraging. One is led to wonder if the average citizen is interested in the continued operations of the worthwhile organizations. But one has only to think what our city might be without these youth and welfare groups to realize that surely the majority of men and women merely have neglected to make their contributions. Surely the rank and file will voice approval of the fine work being done by each group by making generous gifts NOW.

After all, this is Midland—one of the nation's most prosperous, most progressive and most fortunate cities. Surely its citizens will rally to the cause in filling the Community Chest.

The campaign has been underway three weeks, but the returns still are far short of the halfway mark. The organization schedule called for completion of the drive by Thanksgiving, but it necessarily must be prolonged. It is hoped the goal may be reached within the next three weeks.

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Leaders realize that many individuals and firms still have not been contacted, and they know full well that contacts by enthusiastic workers are necessary if the campaign is to be successful.

And there again is a major source of the trouble—getting volunteer workers. Leaders say they never before have heard so many excuses by so many persons. Yet, someone must do the work, and campaign leaders praised those unselfish citizens who already have given generously of their time in the campaign. They hope more residents this week will volunteer their services.

Another trouble is that some donors have not taken into consideration the fact they are contributing to the support of six organizations when determining the amounts of their donations. Gifts in many instances have amounted only to what the donor might give if approached by any one of the organizations. And the purpose of the Community Chest is to put the finance drives of the six groups under one head to save valuable time of both solicitors and contributors.

Other persons have complained the budgets of the participating organizations are too high. It is true they are higher than last year, but at the same time it must be remembered operations of the various groups have been stepped up to meet the everyday needs of increased membership and activities. The budgets doubtless will continue to increase as long as Midland continues to grow and as long as the six organizations do the jobs expected of them.

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Still others say they already have given to the Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts during their respective camp purchase campaigns. Those drives were special askings for capital expenditures, whereas their askings in the Community Chest are for everyday operations. The camps, already bought and paid for, will be of little value to Midland boys and girls unless funds are provided for carrying on their Scout programs during the year.

On the other hand, many Midlanders have given most generously, and have said "come back if you need more money." It is hoped none will have to be called on again.

We believe citizens in general know and appreciate the fine work the six organizations are doing, and that they will see to it that the Community Chest is filled promptly.

A lot of self-made men keep quiet about it on account of the bad job they did.

After all, horse sense is just good old stable thinking.

Baritone

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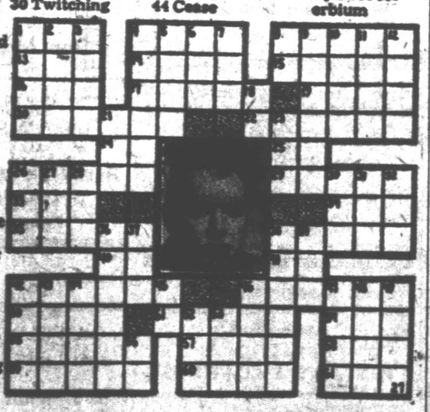
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25 Road (ab.)
26 Public storehouse
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1 Watercraft
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3 Vegetable
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5 German river
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7 Father
8 Musical note
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10 Submerge
11 Brain passage
12 Bones
18 Solicitor general (ab.)
21 Diamond-cutter's cup
23 Age
26 Conclusion
27 Pinnacle
28 Consumed
30 Twitching
31 Dutch city
32 Scarlet
36 Dress
37 Expire
38 Mother
39 Blackbird of cuckoo family
42 Spar
43 Indian coin
44 Cease
45 International language
46 Malt drinks
47 Painful
48 At all times
49 Back of neck
52 Sinbad's bird
53 Wine vessel
56 Symbol for erbium

Answer to Previous Puzzle





Sic Transit Gloria Mundi





DREW PEARSON ON The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

WASHINGTON — The blast against the British by Undersecretary of Agriculture Albert J. Loveland had more to it than meets the eye.

What Loveland was driving at was not so much Britain's wheat and cotton agreements with Canada, Australia et al, but her backstage efforts to beat down the price of American wheat in a proposed new international wheat agreement. He also was trying to atone for the bungling of the 80th Congress.

Unfortunately for the American farmer, the late lamented G.O.P. Congress refused to ratify the wheat agreement at a time when Britain and other nations agreed to a top price of $2 a bushel for wheat during the next five years. Since then wheat has dropped and the British have been privately plumping for a $1.50 maximum in any new international compact.

Loveland's blast was calculated to soften them up for bargaining at a higher level. U. S. spokesmen at the 57-nation food and agricultural organization have been putting out feelers for a maximum price of $1.75 a bushel for world wheat during the next five years. This is 25 cents above the British proposal but 25 cents under the $2 which U. S. farmers were offered last Summer but which the Republican Congress rejected.

The mechanics of drafting and ratifying another wheat agreement by participating nations would require six to eight months, but Loveland and his boss, Agriculture Secretary Charles Brannan, are hoping to get a preliminary commitment from the FAO, so as to get the ball rolling.

If the proposed agreement falls through the alternative is something nobody wants—a return to rigid acreage controls. For if we can't sell our surpluses abroad we will have to limit production at home.

Truman And Jesse James

Harry Truman has a reputation for speaking out for his friends no matter who they are. Well known is the fact that he stood up for Boss Pendergast of Kansas City, whether in jail or out, but not so well known is how the President stands up for that famous fellow Missourian, Jesse James.

An avid reader of Missouri history, the chief executive has studied carefully the career of James, including both his robberies and his acts of generosity.

Many good-natured arguments over the character and motivation of the Missouri bandit have taken place between Truman and members of his staff and, on one occasion, the President's defense went like this: You take Jesse James. He actually was not a bad man at heart. I have studied his life carefully, and I come from his part of the country. James was a modern-day Robin Hood. He stole from the rich and gave to the poor, which, in general, is not a bad policy. I am convinced that James would have been an asset to his community, if he had not been diverted into the lawless life.

Merry-Go-Round

John Nicholas Brown of Providence, R. I., whose forebears founded Brown University, has been suggested as Secretary of the Navy, but has turned the idea down . . . Congressman John W. McCormack of Massachusetts, who will again be the House majority leader, won $1,875 betting on President Truman . . . Of the $16,000 raised by Massachusetts Democrats for Truman's campaign expenses, McCormack personally raised $14,500 . . . Excluding New York City races, no Democrat who openly accepted the support of Henry Wallace was elected to a House seat, while every Democrat who openly repudiated Wallace was elected . . . Two commissioners will soon resign from the Atomic Energy Commission — William Waymack of the Des Moines Register, and Prof. Robert F. Bacher of Cornell.

General Al Wedemeyer, Chief of the Army War Plans, held a significant secret session with the joint chiefs of staff the other day on the much-kicked-around question of what the U. S. A. can do about China.

Wedemeyer, a former Nebraska farm boy who had a great record as a war strategist, was first sent to China largely because Winston Churchill wanted him out of the European Theater where the American general was too persistent in opposing the long and gruelling campaign through the allegedly "soft underbelly of the Axis."

So suddenly Wedemeyer found himself appointed aide to Lord Mountbatten in India and China, despite the fact that all his training had been in Germany.

Because of the quirk of fate Wedemeyer now has become the Army's chief expert on China, and as such he is vigorously opposed by his old chief, General Marshall.

Reporting to the joint Chiefs of Staff, General Wedemeyer predicted that the Chinese Communists could capture Suchow, Nanking and even Shanghai, pretty much when they want to.

Wedemeyer believes the Communists are deliberately holding off until economic conditions in China become even worse. Then they can move in almost at will. Despite this, however, Wedemeyer believes China can be saved by pulling Chiang Kai-Shek's battered armies south and defending a new capital at Canton.

He also has proposed a five-billion-dollar aid program for China—two billion for Chinese military aid and three billion for civilian goods to stop inflation.

No one who knows Secretary Marshall, however, thinks the Wedemeyer plan has the slightest chance of approval. Marshall thinks pouring aid into China is like throwing peanuts at an elephant in the zoo.

Helping Small Business

Not all congressional committees perform under the floodlights or exhaust all their steam tooting their own horns. A few plod along quietly, efficiently—saving their breath and tending to business. In fact, the best committees often attract the least attention.

That is why everyone has heard of the House Un-American Activities Committee and Senator Ferguson's super-sleuthing subcommittee; while few have taken much notice of the Senate Small Business Committee which has a sharper bite tnough not such a noisy bark.

For two years the Senate Small Business Committee has been slinging stones at the industrial goliaths —chiefly steel, oil and newsprint. It also has broken up various schemes to squeeze out small businesses.

It was the first to expose the gray market in steel and to demand that the steel industry supply the little manufacturers.

It also saved hundreds of small petroleum dealers from going out of business when the major oil companies tried to dry up the source of supply for the independent dealers. The committee also demanded that large newspapers, which controlled most of the newsprint, share it with the smaller papers.

The Senate Small Business Committee also got an amendment inserted into the Selective Service Act giving small business a part in the defense procurement program; also called ECA officials on the carpet and brought out that small business had been omitted from the vast European Procurement Program.

The man who has been taking the bows for all this is the committee chairman, Nebraska's blustery Senator Kenneth Wherry. And he deserves some of the credit, for it has meant a definite right-about-face for him. But the man who did the spadework and sold the idea to Wherry was the committee's chief counsel, quiet, mild George Meredith. He is the man who pulls the wires backstage.

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Questions and Answers

Q—Why was the leaning tower of Pisa built?

A—This famous tower at Pisa, Italy, is the detached campanile or bell tower of the cathedral beside which it stands. During the Middle Ages it was customary to build steeples and bell towers separate from the churches so that the ringing of the bells would not disturb the worshipers within.

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Q—Where did Abraham Lincoln die?

A—Lincoln died in a small brick house opposite Ford's Theater on Tenth Street in Washington, D. C.

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Q—How big are meteorites?

A—Meteorites vary in size from a pea to large masses, several tons in weight. The two largest known are the 50-ton meteorite, which still lies where it fell at Bacubirito, in Mexico, and the 36 1/2-ton mass found in Greenland and taken to New York by Commander Peary.

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Q—Where was opera first broadcast in the United States?

A—The first opera broadcast in its entirety by the Metropolitan Opera Company was Humperdinck's opera "Hansel and Gretel," which was placed on the air December 25, 1931.

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Q—How long have we had reform schools in this country?

A—The first reformatory under legislative control was established in New York in 1824 as the New York House of Refuge.

• So they say

I've always believed that if I could get across a cracker barrel from Joe Stalin we would talk peace.
—Gov. James E. Folsom of Alabama.

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Leave us face it. Television is still in its infancy, and when that screen starts to shake, my beautiful models come out like quivering "Little Egypts."
—Estelle Allardale, Hollywood fashion designer.

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In my opinion there is no issue of greater importance to the welfare of the people than the launching of a concerted effort to rid this nation of its slums and to bring decent homes within the reach of all.
—Sen. Allen J. Ellender (D) of Louisiana.

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Some of us have called for war with Communist Russia — the sooner the better—in vain hope that we could "get it over with" and be done with the menace of communism. But the blunt truth is that Russia could be reduced to rubble, and that wouldn't destroy international communism.
—Eric Johnston, president, Motion Picture Association of America.

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Fines Assessed In Assault Case Here

A Latin American man was fined $25 and court costs on two separate charges of aggrevated assault in county court Friday.

Judge Clifford C. Keith said the charges were filed in his court after the grand jury had investigated the case involving a shooting affray in which two girls received leg wounds. The grand jury did not find evidence to support a felony charge, Keith said, and recommended trial in county court.

Ancient Rome had 14 aqueducts which brought in 300,000,000 gallons of water a day.

McKenney on Bridge

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

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Simon of St. Louis, Mo., were in New York recently and paid me a call. Simon is associated with T. M. Simon & Co., of St. Louis, one of the oldest brokerage firms in the middle west. Although he has done a great deal for organized bridge in that territory, his real love for the game is in rubber bridge. He does not have the stamina to go through the grueling grind of a long tournament, although we usually get in a session or two in the tournaments in St. Louis.

Jack was telling me about the hand shown today, which came up at the Cavendish Club in New York. Sitting North, he bid five clubs over four diamonds to let his partner know that he had a good, solid club suit. I did not agree with Jack on this bid.

In my opinion, his hand was too strong to bid five clubs. If he had bid five diamonds over four diamonds, his partner would have realized that he not only had a good club suit and a fit in diamonds, but that he really had an interest in the whole hand.

Jack thought that when he bid four clubs, South should have made a cue-bid of four hearts. Well, there are players who might have made that bid, though many hesitate to make a cue-bid until they have shown the true strength of their own suits. What South attempted to do with the four-diamond bid was to show a powerful two-suited hand.

I finally said to Jack, "If your partner had bid four hearts, what would you have bid then?" "I would have bid five diamonds, or maybe six," he replied. I reminded him that he still could have bid five diamonds over four diamonds.

I gathered that there was quite an argument at the Cavendish Club in regard to the bidding of this hand, and Jack and I had a difference of opinion about it. So perhaps you and your friends would like to argue it out. Whenever a pair makes seven and fails to bid six, there is always good cause for an argument.

Simon
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♦ A K Q 9 5
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National Guard Unit May Be Set Up Here

Lt. Col. John B. Hearne of the 49th Armored Infantry Division of the Texas National Guard will be at the Chamber of Commerce in Midland at 4 p. m. Thursday to contact former officers and enlisted men interested in joining a contingent of the Nationa Guard to be formed in Midland.

Six officers and 100 enlisted men will be needed to bring the contingent to full strength. Two years is allowed for a unit to reach full strength, but 10 per cent of the full quota must be reached within a short time in order for the unit to be organized.

All needed equipment will be made available to the Midland contingent if the desired number of men can be enlisted.

★ WASHINGTON COLUMN ★

Greatest Challenge To UN Is Solution Of Palestine Muddle

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—United Nations is smack up against its greatest challenge in the Palestine question.

If the UN General Assembly and Security Council can't find a solution within the next few weeks of their meetings at Paris, it will be a far more serious blow to the international peace organization's prestige than inability to solve, say, the Berlin question. If the major powers aren't able to make the Jews and the Arabs behave in Palestine, then the dove of peace might well be a dead duck.

Nobody is coming out of this Palestine mess with clean hands. That goes for the American government, the British, the Jews and the Arabs. It also goes for the Russians and the Czechs who have been supplying arms to Israel on the illegal side.

While the Israeli government makes a strong case that it has complied with United Nations decisions on the matter of partition, it has also defied some UN armistice and truce terms. The slaying of Mediator Count Folke Bernadotte was one of the worst blows to UN prestige in its three-year history.

No Police Force

Having no police force with which to carry out its decisions, the United Nations has dilly-dallied on the application of sanctions—"the complete or partial interruption of economic relations . . . and the severance of diplomatic relations," —as authorized by Article 41 of the UN charter.

The British have pushed for application of these severe sanctions. The British government is also principal author and backer of a resolution favoring acceptance of Count Bernadotte's revised partition plan. This would cut by 60 per cent the size of the areas previously partitioned to the Jews. U. S. Secretary of state George Marshall favors the Bernadotte plan. President Truman apparently does not.

The Bernadotte proposal has been met by a flat refusal from the Israeli government to vacate the Negev desert, originally awarded to Israel, but re-awarded to the Arabs under Bernadott's revised plan.

Israel has been able to defy the United Nations on this matter because her government is in the driver's seat. She holds the land by right of conquest which, before UN days, decided most international relations.

In the aftermath of this war, however, there are 500,000 Arabs refugees. This number, representing 40 per cent of the Arab population of 1,200,000 formerly living in Palestine, has been driven into Syria, Lebanon and Trans-Jordan. It has been estimated that the cost of caring for these refugees and getting them resettled will be $33,000,000 over the next nine or 10 months. Otherwise, many may die in the cold damp of the Middle Eastern winter.

International Emergency Children's Fund has provide $6,000,000 worth of supplies. Another $5,000,000 has come from United Nations funds. The Iraq Petroleum Company has supplied 190,000 blankets. Surplus British army tents have been shipped to Beirut, Syria, to provide some shelter, which is the greatest need.

Lack Of Sympathy

Remembering the sufferings and hardships of the pioneer Jewish immigrants to Palestine, it is perhaps understandable that they feel no particular sympathy for the Arab refugees now. But the Jews now occupy once-Arab homes and lands. The whole city of Jaffa, for instance, has been cleared of Arabs and the Jews have taken over.

The Jews also occupy West Galilee, which originally was awarded to the Arabs, then was awarded to the Jews in exchange for the Negev. Israeli Foreign Minister Moshe Shertok has announced his government will continue to occupy this and other areas its armies now hold.

This is the mess before the United Nations in the form of a progress report from its mediator, now Dr. Ralph J. Bunche of the United States. He hasn't much progress to report. He has offered his services as a mediator. Neither side has accepted. Dr. Bunche says now that the only thing to hope for is direct negotiation and settlement by the Jews and the Arabs themselves.

The United Nations could conceivably come up with a solution which would be acceptable to both sides. If it doesn't—if it postpones action—it will be a terrible failure.

Stanton News

STANTON—Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kelly were Thanksgiving guests of their daughter, Mrs. J. N. Clark, in Kermit.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Ross and family of Alpine visited in the C. C. Kelly and P. T. Ross homes last week.

Mrs. Mary Wilson of San Angelo visited relatives here over the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelly visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benny Kelly in Levelland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith and family of Abilene visited relatives here during the holidays.

Mrs. Will Parr of San Angelo and Mrs. Robert Parr of Robstown visited Mrs. Wilmer Jones recently.

Captain and Mrs. Pat Howard have returned home after spending 10 days visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rayford and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Howard here.

Students Home

College students at home for the Thanksgiving holidays include: Francis Rhodes, Billie Lindsay, Van Ross, Jerry Hall and Billie Baker from Texas Tech; Fate Keisling from Texas A&M; Edith Davis and Belle Jones from West Texas State and Ellis Ray Bennett and Debo Sneed from the University of Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blocker spent the holidays visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Blocker, Jr., at Jal, N. M.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Blocker were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Munn, Jr., and family of Odessa and George Blocker of Monument, N. M.

A family reunion was held in the home of Mrs. J. R. Nichols Thanksgiving. Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Oran Nichols and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Nichols all of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nichols of Lenorah; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clements and family and Mr. and Mrs. James Jones of Stanton and L. J. Nichols of Fresno, Calif.

A Union Thanksgiving Service was held at the First Methodist Church Thursday with members of all churches in attendance. The Thanksgiving address was delivered by Elmore A. Johnson, minister of the Church of Christ. The Rev. J. B. Stewart, pastor of the First Methodist Church, and the Rev. T. R. Hawkins, pastor of the First Baptist Church, spoke briefly.

FOUR COUPLES RECEIVE MARRIAGE LICENSES HERE

Marriage licenses were issued to four couples at the Midland County clerk's office Friday.

Couples receiving licenses were Leonard W. Clare and Martha Patricia Hubbard, Jesse P. Webb, Jr., and Margaret Ines Jobe, Billy Eugene Coggin and Roxy Deane Hull, and Arnold A. Adams and Opal Christene McGuire.

Waltz into Darkness

BY WILLIAM IRISH

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THE STORY: Well-to-do Louis Durand carries on a correspondence courtship with a Miss Julia Russell, whom he has never seen. She comes from St. Louis to New Orleans by boat to marry him. She is young, ravishing, blond. Within a month of their marriage, she withdraws $50,000 from his bank account and disappears. Investigation proves her an impostor. Durand retains Walter Doyne, detective, to prove that a crime was committed against the real Julia Russell, who vanished on the boat trip to New Orleans. A year later, Durand is almost in Mexico. He realizes the acquaintance of a Colonel Worth in a hotel bar, accidentally discovers that the colonel's fiancee, Miss Castle, is the woman he knew as Julia. A ruse gets him into her hotel room. She is terrified. He tells her he is going to take her back to New Orleans to face a murder charge.

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CLINGING in desperation to the wings of his coat, she dropped to her knees before him.

"It wasn't I. I didn't do it. He must have done something to her, for I never saw her again. But what it was, I don't know. I didn't see it done. He only came to me afterward and said she'd had a mishap, and I was afraid to question him any further than—"

"Her!" he said sardonically.

"The man I was with. The man on the boat I was with."

"Your paramour," he said tonelessly, and tried not to let her see him swallow the bitter lump that knobbed his throat.

He dropped back into a chair, pulled at his collar as if exhausted. She was at his feet, penitent, abject, her hands to the arm of the chair he was in.

"No!" she said strenuously. "No, he wasn't! You can believe it if you choose, but from first to last he wasn't. It was purely a working arrangement. And no one else ever was either, before him. I've learned to care for myself since I've been about in the world, and whether I've done things that were right, or done things that were wrong, I've been no man's but yours, Lou. No man's, until I married you."

He wondered why he felt so much lighter than a moment ago, and warned himself sternly he mustn't; and in spite of that, did.

"Julia," he drawled reproachfully, as if in utter disbelief. "You ask me to believe that? Julia, Julia."

"Don't call me Julia," she murmured remorsefully. "That isn't my name."

"Have you a name?"

She moistened her lips. "Bonny," she admitted. "Bonny Castle."

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HE gave a nod of agreement that was a jeer in pantomime. "To the colonel, Bonny. To me, Julia. To Billy, something else. To the man on the boat, something else." He turned his face from her in disgust, then looked back again. "Tell me about him. The man on the boat."

"He was a professional gambler. He worked the river boats. The girl who had been his partner had quitted him to marry a plantation owner—or so he told me—and he was looking for someone to take her place. He offered me a share of his profits, if I would join with him." She waved her hand. "I had been with a troupe of traveling actors before that. This was but a different form of acting, after all."

"What was his name, what was he called?" he said.

"What does it matter? His name was false, like mine was. On every trip it changed. It had to, as a precaution. Once it was McLarnin. Once it was Rideau. I doubt that I ever knew his real one, in all the time we were together. I doubt that he did himself, any more. He's gone now. Don't ask me to remember."

She's trying to protect him, he thought. "You must have called him something."

She gave a smile of sour reminiscence. "'Brother dear.' So that others could hear me. That was part of my role. We traveled as brother and sister. I insisted on that. We each had our own cabin."

"And he agreed." It was a statement of disbelief.

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"AT first he objected. His former partner, it seems—well, that's neither here nor there. I showed him that it was better even for his own purposes that way, and when I had made him see that he agreed readily enough. Business came first with him, always. He had a sweetheart in every river town, he could forego one more. You see, I acted as the—attraction, the magnet, for him. My part was to drop my handkerchief on the deck, or collide with someone in a narrow passageway, or even lose my bearings and have to seek directions of someone. There is no harm in gentlemen striking up a respectful acquaintance with a man's unmarried sister. Whereas had I been thought his wife—or something else—they would have been deterred. Then, as propriety dictated, I would introduce my brother to them at the earliest opportunity. And the game would take place soon afterward."

"You played?"

"Never. Only a shameless hussy would play cards with men."

"You were present, though."

"I replenished their drinks. Flirted a little to keep them in good humor. I sided with them against my brother when there was a dispute."

"You signalled."

Her shoulders tipped slightly, in philosophic resignation. "That's what I was there for."

Hiseams were folded, in the attitude of one passing grim judgment—or rather having already irrevocably passed it. He tapped his fingers restlessly against the sides of his own arms.

"And what of Julia? The other Julia, the actual one?"

"I've come to that now," she murmured acquiescently.

(To Be Continued)

A fine Christmas for All...

Christmas time . . . any time . . . you can count on Dunlap's to offer you the finest selection of the finer things. Those who receive your gift . . . from Dunlap's . . . appreciate the gift and your taste in selecting it from the finer brands at Dunlap's. And remember there are only 23 shopping days 'til Christmas!



Henson Gown, illustrated at left, in all nylon with lavishly detailed lace bodice. A shining star for her fondest Christmas dreams. In blue or white nylon. Sizes 32 to 38. 19.95. Other Henson gowns from 8.95

Vanity Fair brings you a gorgeous collection of nylon gowns, petticoats and panties in styles to please her heart at Christmas time. Gowns from 7.95. Petticoats from 3.50. Panties from 1.50.

Artemis features a lovely collection of slips, gowns and petticoats designed in charming styles to thrill the feminine heart at this joyous time of the year. Slips from 4.50. Gowns from 6.90. Petticoats from 4.50

Kickernick gowns are at their feminine best both in styles and fabrics designed for Christmas giving. Then Eastern Isles present a "haloed" group of gowns and pajamas for Christmas gifting. Kickernick from 6.90 and Eastern Isles from 4.95.



Mojud hosiery in sheer nylon at their loveliest in the new shades. 1.65 and 1.95.

Dexdale hosiery in nylons of the shades most dear to her heart. 2.50 and 2.95.



Gown and robe set by Flobert has a stunning satin gown and chiffon robe self-trimmed in lace. This stunning set in blue, pink or yellow is sure to please her heart Christmas morning. 59.50.



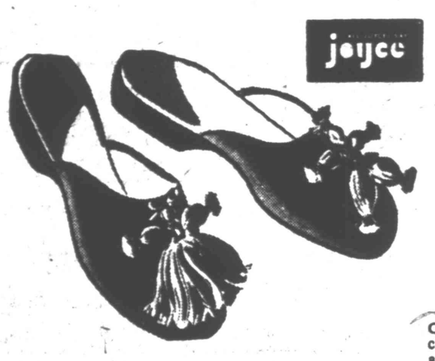
Silk Prints by Robert Gould. See this lovely print of fuchsia and aqua on a grey background or pink on black. Long torso and peplum are accented by long tight fitting sleeves.

Colorful blue and green silk print in a Paul Sachs original features a high neck with smart collar, silver buttons and peplum add the festive touch. 35.00.

Cocktail dress designed by Herbert Schneider of New York, of stunning gold or blue lame. This gorgeous fabric is highlighted by the smart simplicity of the styling. 39.95.

Cocktail suit of copper brocaded satin with glorious sweetheart neckline and long fitted sleeves. The full length skirt is treated in the fashionable manner characteristic of Elfreda creations. 85.00.





Balalaika scuff by Joyce, enchanting wool dolls on soft velvet . . . a boy for one foot, a girl for the other. 3.95.

Our Christmas collection of ladies' house slippers includes the most fascinating styles from both Joyce and Daniel Green. Choose from leathers, satins and wool felts. 4.50 to 6.95.

Crepe back satin robe by Flobert with set-in belt and two self-covered buttons. Choose from colors of lime, shrimp or nutmeg in sizes 12 to 20. 35.00.

Lounging pajamas by Flobert in olive green velvet. Cutaway coat is lined with lime and nutmeg satin and sash of lime and nutmeg satin ties in front. Also in red velvet lined with blonde and lime satin. 65.00.

Flobert has created a heart warming gift in a quilted taffeta brunch coat and contrasting satin pajama pants. See this lovely gift in green, royal or black. 39.95.



Dorothy Gray has certainly added the sentimental touch for Christmas with a lovely group of colognes, perfumes, sachets and cosmetics. Colognes from 3.50, plus tax.

Germaine Monteil presents two enchanting colognes in Laughter and Nostalgia fragrances for Christmas gifting. 2 fld. oz. 1.50, plus tax.

Goureille features a beautifully jeweled sterling silver case and lipstick. 3.50, plus tax.



Ajax down comforts filled with all white down and beautifully quilted. The warm gift . . . in colors of rose, blue, gold, green, rust or wine. 32.50 to 42.50.

Cannon towels and wash cloths in matched sets and beautifully boxed ready for gifting. 1.95 to 5.95.



ORCHIDS to the ladies ...

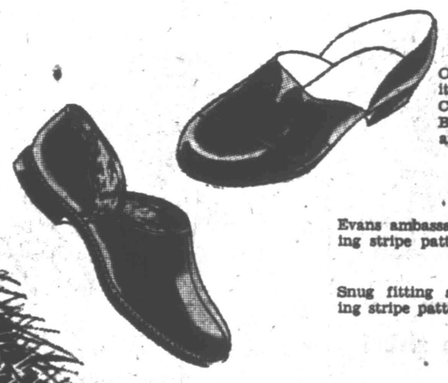
Wednesday, December 1, Dunlap's will present the ladies visiting their store with a beautiful orchid, flown direct from Hawaii for this occasion.

CIGARS for the men . . .

. . . and men, you have not been forgotten. You will receive a cigar.



Your man will be "suited" for the occasion if you select his Christmas gift from our outstanding collection of Hart Schaffner and Marx or Style-Mart suits. Choose from sharkskins, pailheads, flannels and unfinished worsteds. Sizes 34 to 46 in regulars, short, long or portleys. 49.50 to 85.00.



Our selection of men's pajamas is in its prime for the holiday season. Choose from Van Heusen, Glover or BVD brands in paisley prints, solids and bold stripes. 4.95 to 9.95.

Evans ambassador in leather with contrasting stripe pattern. Full leather sole. 6.95.

Snug fitting sheeplined slipper in leathering stripe pattern. Full leather sole. 6.50



And your Christmas gift "for him" will top the morning if it is a smartly styled topcoat from our collection by Hart Schaffner and Marx or Style-Mart. Gabardines, flannels and "austro-down" fabrics in regulars and longs. 49.50 to 75.00.



Arrow Carol Tones—There's a striking shirt-tie-handkerchief ensemble from Arrow for Christmas wearing or giving. The shirt is of luxurious broadcloth, in blue, gray, green or wine. The ties are of rich rayon fabrics, made especially for the shirt. The matching handkerchiefs complete the ensemble. Shirts 4.50. Ties 1.50. Handkerchiefs 65¢.



Our group of suede coats, wool jackets and gabardine coats as well as corduroys is at it's peak now for Christmas selecting. Choose from famous Field and Stream or Cresco brands. 18.50 to 49.50.

"GOLD BOND" gift certificate

Uncertain of the size . . . what to select, or the color? Dunlap's has the answer in a handsome "Gold Bond" Gift Certificate. This certificate makes a distinctive gift and may be used for men or women and for any amount the giver desires.

Of course! —
Dunlap's wrap your gift purchases free of charge.

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Sports

Buckingham Receives TD Aerial



(Photo by Nolan's Studio, Odessa)

Larry Buckingham (Number 19), Midland Bulldog halfback, grasps a pass from Frank Roberson, quarterback, which went for a touchdown in the Midland-Odessa Thanksgiving Day football classic played in Memorial Stadium. Buckingham took two of these pretty passes for scores. Hot in pursuit trying to break up the aerial or catch Buckingham are two Odessa defenders, Jim Gerron (Number 13), Broncho halfback, and Billy Nichols (Number 44), sub Odessa quarterback. Odessa won the ball game 34-19 after a crippled Midland team put up a great fight.

Walker, Scott, Williams, Harris Unanimous Picks On All-Southwest Eleven

DALLAS—(AP)—Champion Southern Methodist, runner-up Texas ,Rice and Texas Christian each placed two men on the All-Southwest Conference football team selected through the assistance of coaches and scouts.

Every school landed at least one man ,thus it is the most representative team in years.

Unanimous choices were Clyde Scott of Arkansas and Doak Walker of Southern Methodist, backs; Dick Harris of Texas, center, and James Williams, Rice end.

Near-unanimous picks were Morris Bailey, Texas Christian end; George Petrovich, Texas tackle, and Lindy Berry, Texas Christian back.

After those sever. men the race for positions was very close. Jim Winkler, big Texas Aggie tackle, ended up as the man opposite Petrovich; Joe Watson, Rice's great center, got votes for several positions but was placed at guard along with R. P. (Buddy) Tinsley, Baylor's great lineman.

Outstanding Backfield

Dick McKissack, Southern Methodists's dependable fullback who is one of the best all-around backs in the country, got the fourth spot in the backfield.

The backfield boasts the conference's leading ball-carrier, Scott; the top punter, Walker, and the total offense leader, Berry. It has passers, kickers, blockers and smart quarterbacking.

The line, except for Bailey — an 188-pounder—is massive. It averages better than 214 pounds to the man, including Bailey, and there's not a man under six feet.

No sophomores made the team.

Southern Methodist demonstrated by the way it landed players on the team just what it demonstrated in season's play—it has one of the greatest backfields in the country, which offset weaknesses in the line.

The First Team

End — James Williams, Rice.
End — Morris Bailey, Texas Christian,
Tackle — George Petrovich, Texas.
Tackle— Jim Winkler, Texas A&M.
Guard — Joe Watson, Rice.
Guard — R. P. (Buddy) Tinsley, Baylor.
Center — Dick Harris, Texas.
Back — Doak Walker, Southern Methodist.
Back — Clyde Scott, Arkansas.
Back — Dick McKissack, Southern Methodist.
Back — Lindy Berry, Texas Christian.

Second Team

Ends — Bobby Folsom, Southern Methodist, and Andy Hillhouse, Texas A&M.
Tackles — Joe Ethridge, Southern Methodist, and George Brown, Texas Christian.
Guards — Ray Peters, Arkansas, and Odell Stautzenberger, Texas A.&M.
Center — Eugene Huebner, Baylor.
Backs — Ray Borneman, Texas; George Sims, Baylor; Paul Page, Southern Methodist, and Gilbert Johnson, Southern Methodist.

Yes It's Correct— Midland 72, Odessa 0

The Carver Hornets of Midland had their stingers out Friday night in Memorial Stadium and stung the Odessa Steers 72-0, correct 72-0. It was a negro high school football battle.

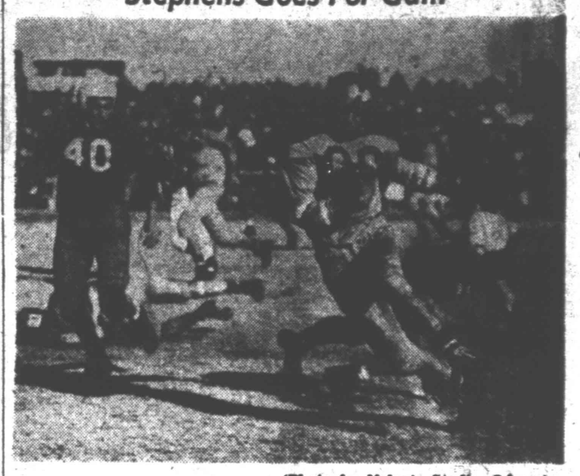
Taylor of the Hornets scored four touchdowns. Walker tabbed three. Storms, Pate and Billie Lee scored one TD each. Storms ran two extra points, M. Phillips, T. Phillips, McDonald and Morris each tabbed a point for the Hornets.

All 26 players of the Hornet team got into action with the second string scoring three tallies.

Only once did the Steers get within the Midland 20-yard line and that was early in the game on a fumble. Young, Hollins, Ervin and Bledsoe played well for Odessa.

The two teams will meet again at Odessa December 3.

Stephens Goes For Gain



(Photo by Nolan's Studio, Odessa)

Quarterback Cecil Stephens (Number 00) of the Midland Bulldogs is shown ripping off a gain in the Midland-Odessa Thanksgiving Day football game. Stephens has just side-stepped an unidentified Broncho, who is shown sprawling on his all fours. Coming up to make a tackle is Scarbrough Hartley (Number 40), Odessa center. In the distance, following the play, is Jack Lynch (Number 66), Midland guard. Not close enough in the picture to be identified are several Bulldogs and Bronchos. Odessa won the game 34-19 in a thriller.

BOWLING

Results in the Major League (Bowling); Tommie's Electric took two games from Odessa Shell Club; Haney's Humble Service swept three from Reporter-Telegram; Houston Hill grabbed two from Pabst Blue Ribbon; and Scharbauer Hotel won two from Banner Creamery.

Scharbauer Hotel team kegged 2,569 to take team high series and Banner Creamery had high team game with 872. Joe Clark of Scharbauer cracked 609 to capture high individual series. Sehon of Haney's Humble had high individual game with 229.

Standings:

Team	W.	L.
Tommie's Electric	21	9
Odessa Shell Club	19	11
Pabst Blue Ribbon	17	13
Banner Creamery	16	14
Haney's Humble	16	14
Houston Hill	13	17
Scharbauer Hotel	12	18
Reporter - Telegram	6	24

Last week's results at Plamor Palace:

TOMMIE'S ELECTRIC				
Roberts	156	153	172	481
Thompson	143	180	157	480
Jones	174	157	170	501
Boothe	166	201	158	525
Crites	186	139	156	481
	825	830	813	2468
ODESSA SHELL CLUB				
Gregory	123	156	132	411
Reeder	134	168	162	464
Blind	140	140	140	420
Breithaupt	131	165	128	424
Day	135	157	125	417
Handicap	65	65	65	195
	728	851	752	2331
BANNER CREAMERY				
Gill	177	156	152	485
Knox	111	123	164	398
Akins	145	134	154	433
Roberts	182	145	177	504
Mashburn	174	221	178	573
Handicap	47	47	47	141
	836	826	872	2534
SCHARBAUER HOTEL				
Haigh	152	143	120	415
Shamblen	161	190	178	529
Emmert	187	138	169	494
Clark	189	205	215	609
Tharp	181	155	186	522
	869	831	868	2569
PABST BLUE RIBBON				
Boring	135	137	126	398
Means	146	161	159	466
Sybert	136	129	150	415
Stanley	136	145	120	401
Bradford	156	153	191	500
Handicap	57	57	57	171
	766	782	803	2351
HOUSTON HILL				
Baker	152	202	176	531
Self	150	147	153	450
Hill	138	127	130	395
Young	145	184	164	493
Mitchell	178	129	214	521
	764	789	837	2390
HANEY'S HUMBLE SERVICE				
Lewis	188	164	146	496
Sehon	187	229	157	573
Gideon	102	135	151	388
Albright	157	129	173	459
King	181	165	225	571
	813	822	852	2487
REPORTER-TELEGRAM				
Beggs	98	159	148	405
Forest	134	163	119	416
Carter	91	91	149	331
Patton	108	122	117	347
Crites	118	171	177	466
Handicap	95	95	95	285
	644	801	805	2250

Results in the Women's Bowling League: Failing Company took two from Everybody's; Haynes nabbed two from Permian Drilling; Kruger Jewelry swept three from Heath & Templeton; and Dunagan Sales swept three from Permutit Water Softener.

Shafer of Kruger's kegged high individual game with 200 and high series with 477. Her team took high game with 603 and series with 1,667.

The standings:

Team	W.	L.
Kruger	19	5
Everybody's	14	10
Permian Drilling	13	11
Dunagan's	13	11
Failing Supply	12	12
Heath & Templeton	11	13
Haynes	8	16
Permutit	6	18

Last week's results at Plamor Palace:

FAILING				
McAnally	122	135	142	399
Tunnell	98	96	103	297
Carpenter	103	104	112	319
Reed	121	111	97	329
Handicap	11	11	11	33
	455	457	465	1377
EVERYBODY'S				
Baden	107	98	119	324
Fischer	95	77	109	281
Becker	141	148	122	411
Taylor	128	129	114	371
	471	452	464	1387
HAYNES				
Halbrook	126	105	113	344
McConnell	106	104	121	331
Crabb	145	112	157	414
Matthias	155	106	154	415
	532	427	545	1504
PERMIAN DRILLING				
Walker	114	139	121	374
Cannady	82	65	77	224
Stansbury	129	122	138	389
Blind	93	93	93	279
Handicap	77	77	77	231
	495	496	506	1497
KRUGER				
Shafer	111	166	200	477
Pennington	125	120	108	353
Wood	126	170	172	468
Blind	123	123	123	369
	485	579	603	1667
HEATH & TEMPLETON				
Seaboalt	107	105	114	326
Lee	80	121	122	323
Ellis	121	133	110	364
Mayfield	124	91	130	345
Handicap	36	36	36	108
	468	486	512	1466
DUNAGAN				
Roy	138	151	122	411
Gray	111	141	153	405
Wyatt	124	133	92	349
Harris	150	122	117	395
	529	547	484	1560
PERMUTIT				
Ashley	120	111	122	353
Case	69	103	77	249
Howell	118	134	95	347
Blind	105	105	105	315
Handicap	74	74	74	222
	436	527	473	1486

District 5-A Meet Slated At Kermit

PECOS — Texas Interscholastic League's district 5-A track meet will be held in Kermit April 8 and 9. Supt. Tommy Thompson of Kermit is director general for the district.

Representatives of schools from over this far West Texas district met in Odessa recently to make plans for the meet.

Texas Girl Wins Citizenship Award

CHICAGO—(AP)—A Texas girl and a boy from Montana Saturday were named winners of the Thomas E. Wilson citizen award at the 27th National 4-H Club Congress which opens here Sunday.

The winners are Beverly Runnels, 16, Brazoria, Texas, and Burton O. Bosch, 17, Chinook, Mont. Each received a $200 college scholarship and an all-expense trip to the 4-H Congress for outstanding activities in furthering the welfare of their community.

McCamey Ends Season Losing To Crane 19-7

McCAMEY — The McCamey Badgers ended their season by dropping a 19-7 decision to the Golden Cranes of Crane. Crane led 13-0 at the half. Crane added a touch in the third quarter. McCamey roared back to score its touchdown and point in the late third stanza. Crane was held for downs twice late in the game and deep in McCamey territory.

McCamey's record for the season:
McCamey 13, Seminole 21.
McCamey 7, Iraan 13.
McCamey 0, Monahans 40.
McCamey 31, Denver City 14.
McCamey 0, Pecos 19.
McCamey 0, Wink 20.
McCamey 7, Kermit 20.
McCamey 0, Andrews 14.
McCamey 6, Fort Stockton 6 (tie).
McCamey 7, Crane 19.

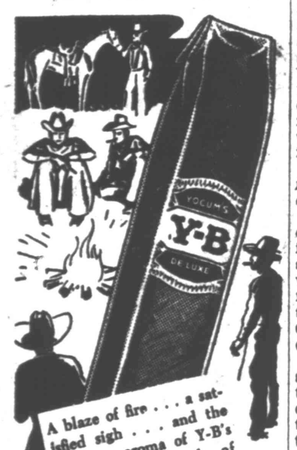
CORRIGAN LEADS SKEET SHOOTERS

Hugh Corrigan, of Vero Beach, Fla., formerly of Midland, scored 106 hits out of 125 tries to lead skeet shooters at a recent meet at the Indian River County Rod and Gun Club at Vero Beach.

Pat Corrigan scored 76 out of 100, and Hap Corrigan, 30 out of 50. Annie Corrigan hit 19 out of 25.

HUNT ON RANCH

The Ralph Geisler family and C. A. McClintic recently returned to Midland from a hunting trip on the Wyatt Hedrick Ranch near Spofford, Texas.



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B-Y'S AND BUY-Y-B'S

Bulldog Cagers To Open Drills Monday

The Midland High Bulldogs open basketball drills Monday. Coach Jack Mashburn has issued a call for cage candidates, who will report to the gym in the afternoon.

Coach Audrey Gill is expected to tutor the B and C Bulldogs.

Midland begins cage practices with but one letterman from the 1947-48 quintet. He is Larry Messersmith, a great performer. Messersmith is one of the most feared sharp-shooters in the district.

Several tall boys are expected to join the varsity squad but they lack district competition experience. Some of them include: Kent Miller, Lloyd Henderson.

Mickey McGee, a transfer to MHS, becomes eligible past the middle of the season. He is tall and has plenty of ability.

Scheduled Announced

Much is expected from Larry Buckingham and some of the boys from the grid teams. Missed will be Robert (Moe) Price, who was counted on for defensive play, and ball-hawking on the offense.

Here is the 1948-49 cage card:
Dec. 7 Andrews there.
Dec. 11 Andrews here.
Dec. 14 Lamesa here.
Dec. 17 Odessa there.
Jan. 4 Big Spring here.
Jan. 7 San Angelo there.
Jan. 11 Abilene there.
Jan. 14 Sweetwater here.
Jan. 21 Lamesa there.
Jan. 25 Odessa here.
Jan. 27 Big Spring there.
Feb. 1 San Angelo here.
Feb. 4 Abilene here.
Feb. 8 Sweetwater there.
Feb. 18 Crane there.

Waldo Young Leads Lobos To 13-0 Win

SWEETWATER — Waldo Young crossed the double stripe two times in the fourth quarter to lead the powerful Monahans Lobos to a 13-0 victory over the Rotan Yellowhammers in a bi-district tilt for the championship of districts 5 and 6-A here Friday night. The win carried the Lobos over the first hurdle in the race for Texas' first Class A state championship.

Young and Ray Cathey—fronted by a bruising line—teamed up on offense to keep the ball deep in Rotan territory most of the game. Monahans moved within the Yellowhammer 20-yard line twice during the first half but lost the ball on fumbles both times.

Tight Defenses

The first half saw a mighty defensive game played by both teams. Rotan managed to take a slight edge in yards gained and first downs but the ball remained in Yellowhammer territory throughout the first and second periods. Harold Shipp, stellar Rotan halfback, ripped off several nice runs during that time but could never break into the open.

The only time Rotan was in Lobo territory it lost the ball on downs on the Monahans 42.

Young scored his first touchdown early in the fourth quarter, climaxing a 57-yard drive in which he and Cathey ate up the yardage with brilliant runs. An 18-yard pass from Eddie Simpson to Pete Walters helped a lot during the march. Cathey added the point after touchdown on an end sweep.

Young went through a big hole at right tackle to score the final touchdown with only five seconds of playing time remaining. It was the same Young-Cathey combination that placed the ball in scoring position, moving it from the Rotan 48.

Outstanding offensive and defensive play by the entire Monahans line was one of the big factors contributing to the victory.

In scoring the win, Monahans sounded another warning to other teams in the race for the Class A title. The Lobos will meet the Ballinger Bearcats in a second round clash this week.

First three-goal hat trick of the U. S. Hockey League season was scored by Billy Warwick, right wing of the Fort Worth Rangers, against Tulsa.

Oklahoma Sooners Turn Back Stubborn Aggies 19 To 15

STILLWATER, OKLA.—(AP)—Oklahoma's powerful Sooners shouldered aside stubborn Oklahoma A&M 19-15 Saturday and moved into the Sugar Bowl for a New Year's Day game with North Carolina.

The once-beaten Sooners, Big Seven champions, had to go all out against a traditional foe t rack up their ninth straight victory after their opening game loss to Santa Clara.

The inspired Aggies could only be called great in defeat. Thirty thousand rain-soaked spectators watched the contest which was hampered by fumbles caused by a wet field.

Oklahoma also was brilliant in victory, turning back the tenacious second-half Aggie attack which twice swept within ten yards of the Sooner goal.

Jim Spavital, the hard-hitting Aggie halfback, made both his team's scores in the second and third quarters—the final touchdown a 57-yard run.

TULANE WALLOPS LSU

BATON ROUGE, LA. — (AP) — Bowl-conscious Tulane ran all over the soggy Louisiana State University Stadium field Saturday to overwhelm its traditional foe 46 to 0.

66 Oilers Will Play Tilt Here

Bigtime basketball comes to Midland the evening of December 8 when the Phillips 66 Oilers meet the Hardin - Simmons University Cowboys in the Midland High gym.

Although the 1948-49 Oilers are termed "shorter but faster," they are led by seven-feet-tall Bob Kurland, of Olympic fame. The Oilers have won six straight national AAU championships. Four of the team members are returnees from the great 1947-48 aggregation.

Some organization of Midland High is expected to sponsor the appearance here of the Oilers and the game will thus be a benefit. Because of the shortage of seats in the present gym, tickets are expected to be sold before gametime. Announcements will be made regarding sales.

Little classifieds sell big and little things. Phone 3000 for Ad-taker.

Good Strike



Ted Williams doesn't go for strikes in baseball, but when one takes the form of a 21-pound, 32-inch muskellunge it's quite all right with the four-time American League batting champion. The Red Sox slugger landed the big one near Hayward, Wis.

Crane Filling Out 1948-49 Cage Card

CRANE — Brady Nix's Golden Cranes are filling out their 1948-49 basketball schedule:

Nov. 30 Odessa at Crane.
Dec. 3 Crane at Big Lake.
Dec. 4 Fort Stockton at Crane.
Dec. 7 Kermit at Crane.
Dec. 10 Crane at Kermit.
Dec. 11 Crane at Odessa.
Dec. 14 Iraan at Crane.
Jan. 1 Big Lake at Crane.
Jan. 4 Crane at McCamey.
Jan. 8 Crane at Fort Stockton.
Jan. 11 Grandfalls at Crane.
Jan. 14 Pecos tourney.
Jan. 18 Crane at Iraan.
Jan. 21 Big Lake tourney.
Jan. 25 Imperial at Crane.
Jan. 28 Odessa tourney.
Feb. 1 Crane at Grandfalls.
Feb. 8 McCamey at Crane.
Feb. 12 District tourney at Iraan.

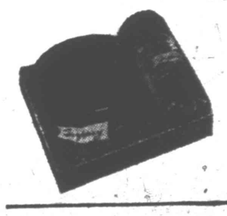
Many of these dates include twin bills with the B teams meeting. Crane is in District 77-B of the Interscholastic League setup.

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Rose Bowl Bound



Northwestern having pressed Notre Dame to further demonstrate its right to be the Western Conference representative in Pasadena, Jan. 1, these backs seemingly are headed for the Rose Bowl. They are, left to right, quarterback Don Burson, right halfback Ed Tunnicliff, fullback Art Murakowski and left halfback Frank Aschenbrenner.



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Before the Bulldogs put their Purple and Gold suits in the mothballs and the 1948 football season is committed to history, we have the facts and figures of the complete season for you.

We commend this 1948 team for putting up a fight in its 10 starts, for dedicating Memorial Stadium with a victory and for making 19 points against the mighty Odessa Bronchos, the most points scored against the district champs by any team in the loop.

We have been joked and asked if we were going to earn a letter with this year's Bulldogs because we worked on their spirit so much in SPORTSLANE. We hadn't thought of it in that way and were just trying to help but it would be an honor and a privilege to letter with this year's Purple. Blondy Cross, San Angelo scribe, used to letter at Wink. Perhaps we might make it this year with Midland. But anyhow, the kids fought against terrific odds of inexperience and weight this year and did very well. We are proud of them.

Here's the record:

MIDLAND		OPPONENTS
142	Points Scored	224
107	First Downs	128
1,823	Yds. Gained Rushing	2,375
487	Yds. Gained Passing	688
23 of 74	Passes Completed	41 of 94
41 for 1,416	Punts, No., Ydge.	33 for 1,152
34.5	Punt Average, Yds.	34.9
33 for 300	Penalties, No., Ydge	49 for 420

Here is who did the Bulldog scoring in the season just completed:

	TD	PAT	TP
Little	9		54
Buckingham	3	7	25
Stephens	4		24
Price	3		18
Henderson	1		6
Hejl	1		6
Branham	1		6
Deel		3	3
	22	10	142

—SL—

Here is the 3-AA scoring record by teams:

Team	Pts.	Opp.
Sweetwater	306	73
Odessa	268	104
Abilene	144	94
Midland	142	224
San Angelo	137	178
Big Spring	85	355
Lamesa	45	127

—SL—

The final season standings of 3-AA teams were:

	Won	Lost	Tied
Sweetwater	9	1	0
*Odessa	8	1	1
Abilene	6	4	0
San Angelo	4	6	0
Lamesa	3	6	1
Midland	3	7	0
Big Spring	2	8	0

*Odessa is still playing in the state race.

—SL—

Here is the final District 3-AA standing:

Team	Won	Lost
Odessa	6	0
Sweetwater	5	1
Abilene	4	2
Midland	2	4
San Angelo	2	4
Lamesa	2	4
Big Spring	0	6

—SL—

Polio struck close to home this year. The sight of just one little boy hit by this dread disease is enough to be well worth any effort we put out to combat it. Polio robbed Midland's junior high teams of two players we know. And several other little boys perhaps sidelined forever by polio.

The sportswriters of America again have vowed to help fight polio. Grantland Rice, the dean of sportswriters, is chairman. The scribes and their fellow workers the radio sportsmasters are in this fight by supporting the National Foundation For Infantile Paralysis. And you may get in it too by supporting your March of Dimes.

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ROUNDIN' UP THE STRAYS . . . We were asked for the yards lost rushing in the Midland-Odessa game and here they are: Odessa lost 27 yards, Midland 13 . . . We have waited all year for some fan to second guess the public address announcer when he says "there's a pass intended for so-and-so," by substituting "there's a pass intended for a touchdown" . . . Up to Saturday last, only four Dutch Meyer-coached TCU teams had beaten SMU in 14 seasons . . . In the overall series, SMU had won 12 and TCU 8 with four ties . . Earle Clark, former Midland coach, visited here last week . . . Earle went from Midland to the FBI and now is with an oil company . . . He played on the TCU national championship team and was a great blocking back . . . This is belated but the annual turkey shoot held by the Permian Rifle and Pistol Club recently at Midland Air Terminal range was a good success in spite of bad weather . . . Thirty-two contestants won nice, juicy turkeys or hams . . . Sun Bowl officials say they did not tell an Eastern college it couldn't bring a negro to the New Year's Day football classic . . We believe it's true that Lafayette jumped to a conclusion, a wrong conclusion . . . Here's one who doesn't care a bit if Lafayette is unhappy . . . The outstanding performers in eleven major sports will be honored by Sport Magazine at a special awards dinner January in New York . . . Sport felt sports needed "Oscars" of its own . . . More than 100 sportswriters will pick the Oscar winners . . . Ranchland Hill Golf and Country Club invites citizens out to look at the progress being made on construction of its golf course . . . It is Northeast of the city . . . Champion Spark Club Company is honoring outstanding athletes from all major sports at a banquet to be held in Toledo December 16 . . . The athletes will be selected on basis of 1948 performance . . . Fred Wendt, the Mines great ground galloper, gives credit to Tackle Ray Evans and Guard Ernest Kelly credit for his yardage . . . They block for him . . . Jack Ellington says when Midland tied up Odessa 7-all last Thursday, he was having "chills" and Melvin Haney looked bigger and bigger in that wheelbarrow . . .. It's a future fullback for the Thurman Pylants of Midland . . . We wonder why citizens of Midland always stand reverently when the "Eyes of Texas" is played . . . It's not the official song of Texas, you know . . . It is the official song of the UNIVERSITY of Texas and a lot of us aren't exes of that school . . . The University of Texas cage team last season topped the nation in free throw success, hitting 73 per cent of 481 attempts . . . Odessa has beaten a Jack Mashburn-coached Midland basketball team but once in history and that by one point last year . . . And that loss hurt the Midland kids more than any of the season's losses including that heart-breaker to Abilene. . . . Here are the boys who played on the 1940 Midland team which beat Odessa in football: Windell Williams, Odie Kelley J M. White, Gordon Bigham, Herb Rheders, Boog Eidson, Mike Buffington, Lomar Green, Selmon Cocke, Tuffy Hall and Maurice Bratton . That was Robert (Moe) Price with his leg hoisted up out there in a wheelchair at the game last Thursday . . . We know how Moe must have wanted to jump up and go into the game and it is a shame he couldn't . One observer says of the Texas-A&M battle, "Texas was no better or worse than it has been on other occasions this season, the difference was in the Aggies" . . . Mount Vernon, one of the East Texas hot shots in the Class A grid race, already has been dropped . . . It had a undefeated two year's record . . . We predicted weeks ago that Monahans would be up there at the finish . . . Many Midlanders are lamenting that the draft has taken three Midland Indians, namely Clyde Perry, Eddie Melillo and Jim Price . . . Well, that's baseball . . . We cannot criticize the draft because it is designed to help the boys go up to higher company . And it can hit like lightning sometimes . . . A movement is underway at Sweetwater for a new baseball park . . . We can't see Don Thompson of Odessa as an all-state football player . . . We can see Jimmy Patterson as one . . . The duststorm which blew up at the end of the Midland-Odessa game bubbled up papers and trash from under the stands and onto the fans . . . Don't forget the Phillips 66 Oilers-Hardin-Simmons cage game here December 8 . . . 30 for strays, there's a bump under my saddle blanket and it could be most anything.

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Mustangs Wangle Tie With Froggies In Fading Seconds

DALLAS, Nov. 27. (AP)—Gil Johnson, Southern Methodist's mighty bomber, pulled another out of the fire Saturday as he passed the Mustangs to a 7-7 tie with Texas, Christian in the season's last Southwest Conference football game for both teams.

The clock showed a minute and forty-one seconds to go and the crowd of 67,000 was filing out of the Cotton Bowl as Gimlet Gil set his sights from the Southern Methodist one-yard line. Fighting Texas Christian had outplayed SMU badly and was leading 7-0.

Johnson passed to John Milam on the Southern Methodist 19. Some of the people leaving the stadium came back. Then Johnson, who never runs with the ball, took out around right end for 22 yards. All the people leaving the stadium stopped. Next the great passer pitched to Dick McKissack on the Texas Christian 35, and then, as the clock showed 22 second to go, the baldish man with the whipcord arm faded back and passed to Milam down on the TCU two-yard stripe. Milam gathered it in and fell across the goal line with two Horned Frogs hanging onto him.

Doak Ties It Up

Doak Walker, playing with a bandaged leg to protect the bruise that kept him from working out all week, kicked the ball through the goal posts and it was 1947 repeating itself.

Last year Texas Christian was leading Southern Methodist 19-13 with 20 seconds to go when Johnson pitched a pass to Sid Halliday for the touchdown that tied the score.

Texas Christian scored its touchdown Saturday in the second period. It came after Doyle Malone, Horned Frog center, intercepted a Johnson pass on the Texas Christian 46. Dave Bloxom, Jack Archer and little Lindy Berry, the outstanding back on the field, rammed through and around the Mustang line to the SMU 27. Here Berry pitched a pass toward George Boal down on the Methodist 20-yard line. Boal missed it but interference was called. Bloxom got a yard at right end and Berry hit right guard for six. Berry then slashed over the same position for the touchdown. Home Ludiker came in to kick the extra point.

Until the 99-yard touchdown drive engineered by Johnson, SMU had been able to get no closer than the TCU 31-yard line.

Texas Christian rolled up 15 first downs and gained 322 yards—308 on the ground. Southern Methodist made 14 first downs and got 277 yards with 309 in the air.

Berry and ramming Pete Stout, TCU fullback, were the game's leading ground-gainers, the former making 177 yards on 21 carries and Stout 119 on 15. Berry also got 14 yards passing.

Johnson's passing record was a feature of the day—Gimlet Gil threw 30 and completed 17 for 179 yards.

Rice, Baylor Wind Up In 7-7 Standoff

HOUSTON. (AP) — Baylor and Rice handled a slippery ball for 60 minutes here Saturday and finished in a 7-7 deadlock that also left them in a tie for third place in the final Southwest Conference standings.

Four fumbles figured in a wierd series of plays that led to Baylor's fourth period score which enabled the stubborn Bears to overcome Rice's second quarter touchdown. Two rapid fumbles figured in the Rice score.

Rice, behind the hard running of Huey Keeney and Emmanual Braden, showed no mercy for the stout Baylor line, running up 253 net yards running to 92 for Baylor.

Interceptions Help Out

A couple of alert pass interceptions stopped two Rice drives.

Rice moved 37 yards in three plays for its score, with Braden hitting right tackle from the eight for the touchdown. James (Froggie) Williams, all-conference end, converted.

Baylor's score came early in the fourth period after Rupert Wright, Bear tackle, made his third fumble recovery of the day on the Rice six. On third down Halfback Lyle Blackwood cut outside left tackle from the two for a touchdown and Henry Dickerson kicked the tying point.

Shortly before Rice scored, the Owls had moved from their own 19 to the Baylor 28 on runs by Bobby Lantrip, Braden and Keeney. Braden fumbled and Wright recovered. Two plays later, Ben Hall, Bear fullback, lost the slippery ball and Keeney fell on it on the 37 to start the touchdown drive.

Tech Raiders Come From Behind To Nip H-SU Cowboys 28-20

ABILENE —(AP)— Texas Tech came from behind with two touchdowns in 45 seconds late in the third quarter and went on from there to defeat Hardin-Simmons 28-20 here Saturday.

Both teams scored in the first quarter and the Cowboys went ahead late in the second to hold a 14-7 advantage at halftime.

The Cowboys were fired up for this one and built up a 20-7 lead in the third quarter. Then the Red Raiders caught fire with two quick touchdowns that sent them ahead, 21-20.

The score remained this way until late in the fourth period when Lewis intercepted Johnny Ford's pass on the eleven-yard line and raced across for the final Texas Tech touchdown. Charley Reynolds kicked his fourth extra point of the game.

Paul Bailey kicked two extra points for Hardin-Simmons.

William And Mary Gets Sweet Revenge On Arkansas 9 To 0

LITTLE ROCK —(AP)— William and Mary utilized a bruising line and sharp punting to defeat the Arkansas Razorbacks 9 to 0 Saturday. The Indians punched over a third-quarter touchdown and kept the Razorbacks hemmed against their own goal for the remainder of the game.

A safety scored on a blocked Arkansas punt in the fourth period merely added to the margin by which the Indians avenged a 21-19 Dixie Bowl defeat last New Year's Day.

The Razorbacks played the heavier Virginians on even terms in the first half. But the absence of the injured Clyde (Smackover) Scott, Arkansas sparkplug who saw no action, began to tell as the third quarter progressed.

Jack Cloud Tallies

A crowd of 26,000 saw William and Mary march sixty yards for the only touchdown. Fullback Jack (Flying) Cloud sliced into the end zone from a yard away following a 30-yard pass from Tommy Korczowski to Jack Bruce and an offside penalty against the Razorbacks. Buddy Lex kicked the extra point.

In the final period, Korczowski, whose kicking was William and Mary's best weapon, punted out of bounds on the Arkansas one-foot line. Four plays later Arkansas' Harold Cox tried to punt from the same spot. Indian end Pat Haggerty blocked the ball out of the end zone for a safety.

South Lassies Win Championship



South Elementary School's girls kickball team won the city championship of Midland in the season just completed. The South lassies were undefeated. Members of the team include: front row, left to right, Dorothy Johnson, LaNell Horn, Paula Smith, Mary Jo Beasley, Janice Worley and Roanna Roberts; back row, Joan Crabtree, Janie Moore, Betty Woodruff, Beulah Collier and coach, Mrs. Luce.



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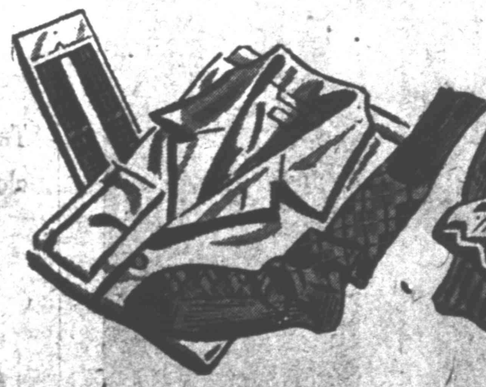
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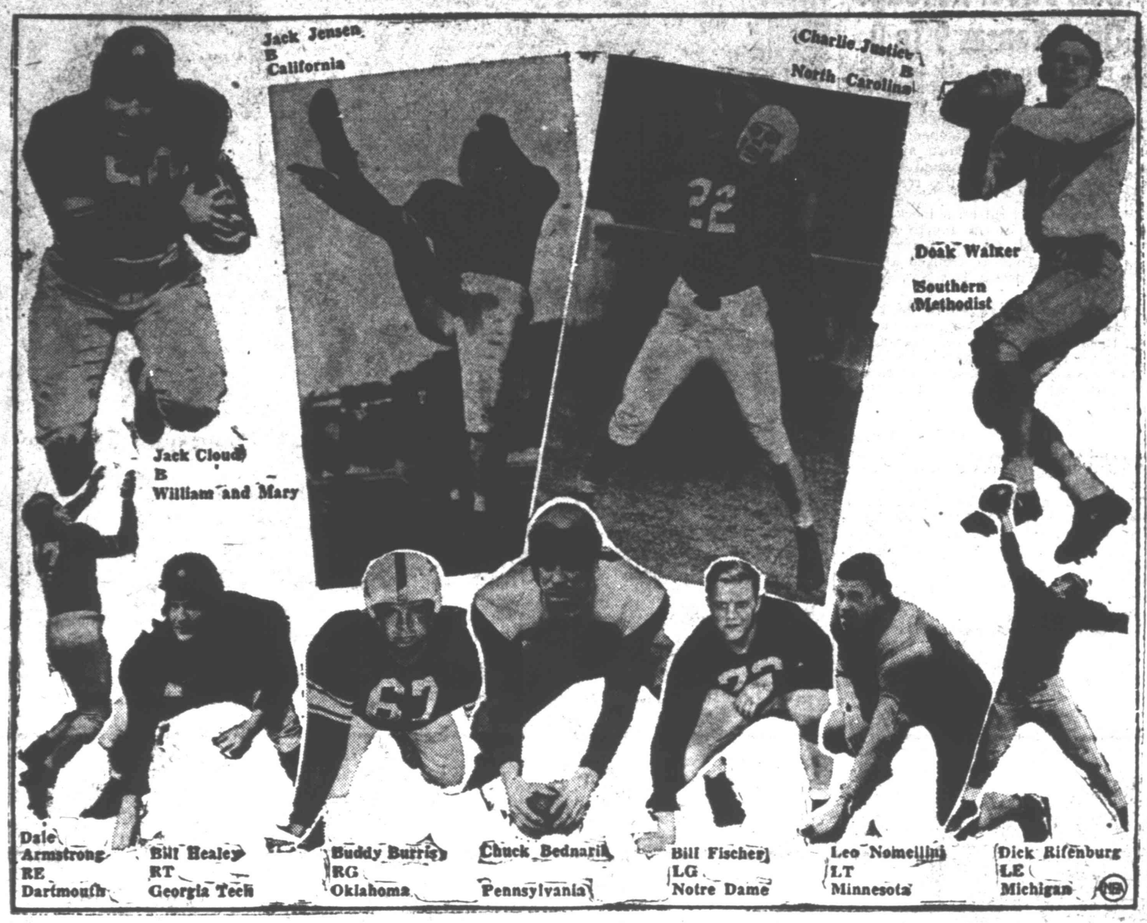
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B—Francis Regel, Penn State	Joe Whisler, Ohio State

Best Sport



Billy Schoonover, Crane High School senior and grid star, was selected by his team mates as the "Best Sport of '48." He is the son of Mrs. Ike Holland of Crane.

High Winds, Brush Fires, Cold, Floods Harass Many Areas

CHICAGO. (AP)—A thrilling blizzard struck the Texas and Oklahoma Panhandle and Southwestern Kansas, with winds up to more than 50 miles an hour piling snow in heavy drifts.

Temperatures in the area were about freezing, and although no extremely heavy falls of snow were reported, steady winds of 35 to 40 miles an hour and gusts well above 50 miles an hour piled the snow into deep drifts and blew it wildly across fields and highways.

At the same time, winds of near hurricane force whipped a raging forest and brush fire on a high Southern California mountain, threatening the Camp Baldy resort area. More than 200 fire fighters aided rangers in sub-freezing temperatures in an effort to keep the flames from roaring down San Antonio Canyon on several hundred cabins. Winds up to 70 miles an hour were reported on 10,000 foot Mount Baldy, fanning the flames.

Meanwhile, in Alabama, rivers continued to rise after unusually heavy rains.

Irish Run String To 21 Straight In Win Over Huskies

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP)—The football was like a greased pig to the University of Washington Saturday. Notre Dame turned five fumbles by the Huskies into quick touchdowns during the first half to romp rodeo fashion to a 46-0 triumph.

It was the Irish's greatest winning margin in nine consecutive decisions this season and stretched their victory streak to a school record of 21. The game also was the 27th in which Notre Dame remained undefeated, including the scoreless tie with Army in 1946, to eclipse another mark which was hoisted in the Knute Rockne era.

Coach Frank Leahy employed 43 players and six different men crossed the goal line, End Leon Hart counting twice.

Florida Back Stars In Loss To 'Bama

TUSCALOOSA, Ala. (AP)—Despite two great touchdown runs by Florida's Chuck Hunsinger, Alabama rallied in the final quarter Saturday to defeat the Gators 34 to 28. About 24,000 fans saw the Southeastern Conference thriller.

Hunsinger scored three touchdowns and played a leading role in the drive for the other. He took a five-yard pass from Doug Belden for one score, ran 77 yards from scrimmage for another and made the third on a 96-yard run-back of a kickoff.

He netted 155 yards rushing in 15 attempts for one of the top offensive performances ever seen at Denny Stadium.

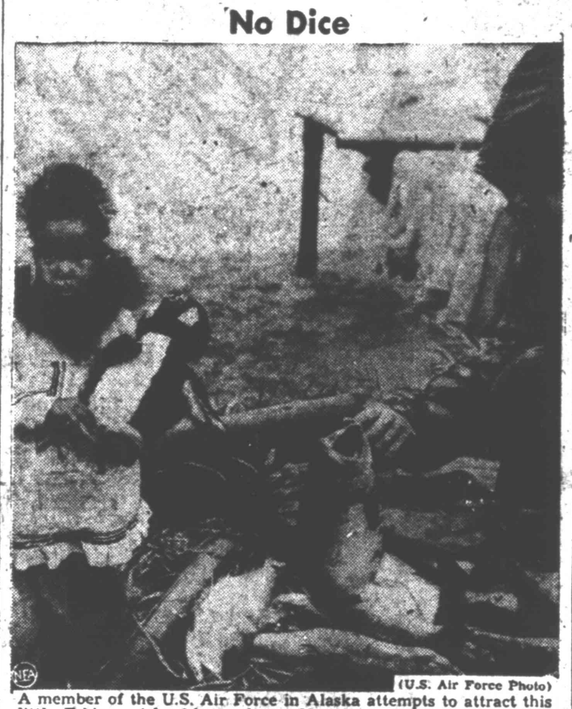
Georgia Sniffs Air For Orange Bowl Bid

ATHENS, Ga. (AP)—The Georgia Bulldogs, beaten only once, scented an invitation to the Orange Bowl Saturday and pounded Georgia Tech for a 21-13 victory on Sanford Field.

The Southwestern Conference battle also won the league championship for the Bulldogs. They are unbeaten in six conference games. About 52,000 fans saw Georgia win its eighth straight game to climax a campaign marred only by a loss to North Carolina.

Scouts from various bowls were in the stands.

No Dice



(U.S. Air Force Photo)

A member of the U.S. Air Force in Alaska attempts to attract this little Eskimo girl with a salmon. No dice. The tyke prefers her toy penguin.

Work On Kremlin Stirs Up History

MOSCOW —(AP)— The recent restoration work on the Kremlin has been responsible for many discoveries about this ancient citadel.

A wall older than the Kremlin wall has been found in the lower section of the Blagoveschchensky tower. It is part of the former white-stone wall which was built at the time of Dmitry Donskoy.

A well preserved fresco of the sixteenth century made by Feodicia, son of the famous artist, Dionisia, was found when some old layers of paint were removed from one of the cathedrals inside the Kremlin.

In the Nineteenth Century it was believed these frescoes were lost forever.

In the corner of the Kremlin's Arsenal Tower, workers found a bronze signet ring embedded in a wall. The name on the ring was "Yakov" and the family name had been rubbed away.

$15,000 HOOK-UP

DALLAS—(AP)—Police reported a thief hooked a truck tractor to a van-type trailer at Julius Schepps' wholesale liquors concern here Friday night and drove off with the trailer and its $15,000 load of whiskey and wine.

VANDY SMASHES VOLS

NASHVILLE, TENN. —(AP)— The speedy Vanderbilt Commodores scored two touchdowns within 90 seconds to smash the Tennessee Volunteers 28-6 in a thrill-packed Southeastern Conference football game here Saturday.

On Rod and Reel



Marvin K. Hedge, international fly casting champion, performs an unusual stunt in San Francisco by pulling a table on wheels seating seven men, a total weight of 1278 pounds, with a 6¼-ounce fiber glass rod and a 45-pound test line. Making the feat more remarkable is the fact that the initial strain is on the rod and line before the table starts to move.

Sports

Oregon To Play SMU In Cotton Event; Tarheels, Sooners In 'Sugar' Date

NEW YORK. (AP)—The Sugar Bowl got North Carolina and Oklahoma while Oregon accepted a bid to meet Southern Methodist in the Cotton Bowl Saturday as the New Year's Day football picture began to take final shape.

The smoke hardly had cleared away after the final big Saturday of college football when announcements began pouring in detailing acceptances to the rich January 1 pigskin plums.

Oklahoma wound up its regular schedule by outlasting Oklahoma A&M 19-15, and North Carolina clipped Virginia 34-12. They meet at New Orleans in the Sugar Bowl to open the New Year.

As expected, Oregon got the bid for the Dallas Cotton Bowl, after losing out to California for the Rose Bowl assignment. California tackles Northwestern in the Pasadena event. Southern Methodist closed out the season with a 7-7 tie against Texas Christian, but the Mustangs were "in" the Cotton Bowl a week ago.

Baylor To Dixie Bowl

Clemson, which barely squeezed past Auburn 7-6 to remain unbeaten, accepted a bid to play Missouri in the Gator Bowl at Jacksonville, Fla. Baylor, in a 7-7 tie with Rice, got a bid to the Birmingham, Ala., Dixie Bowl, against Wake Forest.

Oklahoma A&M also got a bowl spot—the Delta at Memphis, Tenn., against previously chosen William and Mary.

Here is a list of the bowl games where at least one team has been

January 1

Rose, Pasadena, Calif., Northwestern vs. California.

Shrine, San Francisco, East All-Stars vs. West All Stars.

Sugar, New Orleans, North Carolina vs. Oklahoma.

Cotton, Dallas, Southern Methodist vs. Oregon.

Delta, Memphis, Oklahoma A&M vs. William & Mary.

Dixie, Birmingham, Ala., Wake Forest vs. Baylor.

Sun, El Paso, West Virginia vs. Texas Mines.

Harbor, San Diego, Calif., Nevada (No opponent yet).

Salad, Phoenix, Ariz., Drake (No opponent yet).

Raisin, Fresno, Calif., Colorado A&M vs. Occidental.

Tangerine, Orlando, Fla., Sul Ross (No opponent).

Vulcan, Birmingham, Ala., Greensboro (N. C.) A&T vs. Kentucky State.

Gator, Jacksonville, Fla., Clemson vs. Missouri.

December 29

Oleander, Galveston, Texas, Wharton Jr. College vs. Paris.

December 25

North-South, Miami, Fla. (All-star teams).

Blue-Gray, Montgomery, Ala. (All-star teams).

December 18

Paper, Pensacola, Fla., Jacksonville (Ala.) Teachers vs. Troy (Ala.) Teachers.

Little Rose, Pasadena, Calif., Compton Jr. College vs. Duluth Jr. College.

Texhoma, Denison, Texas (No teams chosen).

Little Sugar, Monroe, La., South Georgia Jr. (No opponent yet).

December 5

Great Lakes, Cleveland, John Carroll vs. Canisius.

Fruit, San Francisco, Southern (La.) U. vs. San Francisco State.

December 4

Glass, Toledo, Ohio, Oklahoma City U. vs. Toledo.

Refrigerator, Evansville, Ind., Missouri Valley vs. Evansville.

Salt, Hutchinson, Kan. (No teams chosen).

Orange Blossom, Miami, Fla., Florida A&M vs. Union (Richmond, Va.).

Fish, Norfolk, Va., Hampton Institute vs. Wilberforce.

December 3

Papoose, Oklahoma City, Eastern Okla. A&M (No opponent yet).

Bi-District Playoff Schedule Announced

By The Associated Press

Sites for all except one bi-district game in the first round of the Texas schoolboy football play-off in the City Conference and Class AA had been set Saturday night.

In the City Conference Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) will play Arlington Heights (Fort Worth) at Dallas Friday night. Lamar (Houston) meets Thomas Jefferson (San Antonio) at Houston Saturday afternoon. Winners of the two games clash next week for the state championship.

In Class AA, the bi-district round is as follows:

Friday—Austin (El Paso) at Denison.

Saturday—Wichita Falls at Odessa, Breckenridge vs Highland Park at Dallas, Port Arthur at Baytown, San Benito at Austin.

Amarillo and Texarkana drew byes in the first round.

Waco and Palestine school officials meet at Corsicana Sunday to set the site and date of their game.

Rotan Protests Monahans Game

ROTAN—(AP)—Rotan school officials said Saturday night they are entering a protest against Monahans, the team that defeated Roton, 13-0, Friday night in a Class A bi-district game.

School Superintendent H. F. Railsback said he was sending a telegram to R. J. Kidd of the Interscholastic League protesting the game. He said he was protesting because Monahans allegedly held spring training last year.

Railsback alleged in his telegram that football instruction was held during the last Spring semester of school under supervision of coaches and that football equipment was issued during the Spring semester.

Georgia Accepts Orange Bowl Invite

MIAMI, FLA.—(AP)—The Orange Bowl committee Saturday night announced Georgia had accepted an invitation to play in the New Year's Day football game here. An opponent has not been selected.

Making It a Double-Header



Finishing his college football career by helping to smack Princeton, 33-13, Dartmouth captain and end Dale Armstrong ran directly from Palmer Stadium to New York's Little Church Around the Corner. There the Pittsburgh lad who earned the Bronze Star for heroism in the ETO won the second half of a double-header by taking Gloria Stutter of Maspeth, N.Y., as his bride.

Best Girl



Outfielder Audrey Wagner of the Kenosha Comets, batting champion of the circuit, was named the All-American Girls Baseball League's Player-of-the-Year. A pre-medical student at Elmhurst, Ill., College, she is the fourth player to be named for the highest individual award by the managers.

Navy Stuns Army With 21-21 Push

PHILADELPHIA. (AP)—Navy caught Army with its platoons down Saturday and spoiled the Cadets' perfect season with a 21-21 tie in an unbelievable turn of football fortunes.

It was a sweet-tasting moral victory for the Midshipmen, beaten 13 times in a row—eight this season—and held in such poor esteem the Cadets were solid three-touchdown favorites.

The amazing deadlock was fashioned with hard, teeth-rattling football before a sell-out crowd of 102,581, including President Truman.

Significantly, the President and his party, including Mrs. Truman and Margaret, sat on the side of the underdog Sailors and watched as the Middies stabbed for a quick touchdown in the opening period and rallied twice to hold one of the nation's great gridiron powers to a standstill.

Navy's Day

It was Navy's day as host to have the President and it was evident almost from the start this was Navy's day in the long and colorful service game series that now has seen Army win 26 games, Navy 19 and four wind up in ties.

Army took the final kickoff and smashed desperately to Navy's 35-yard line. But there the Middies' stout line pushed back the charge and the game ended with the identical score of the 1926 game at Soldier Field in Chicago.

Navy had a surprisingly large edge in statistics.

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It's Not A Contest For Speed—No Hurry—

Take your time. There are no duplicate tickets; but you must check each window of the 60 participating merchants by closing time, December 1st.

Good Luck!

Chamber of Commerce Retailers Committee

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Others—$1.19 to $2.50



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Beautifully tailored straight cut slips. Tearose, black, and white.

$2.98 to $4.88



Sheets & Pillow Cases

Thomaston Page, type 140, 81x108

$2.98

Case to match ..... 64¢



Children's

Lingerie Sets

Yellow, blue, white, pink. Lace trim.

Panties ..... 49¢

Slips $1.98



42x36

Purrey Blankets

A luxury gift at a budget price. Guaranteed moth proof 5 years.

$7.95



Children's Slippers

Keep them warm . . . in these fleeces and leathers in bright colors, from our complete selection.

$1.19 to $2.49



Pastel Towel Sets

by Cannon. An ideal gift.

$1.98 up

LADIES' DRESSES

Beautiful dresses in crepes, gabardines, failles and wool types. A large group of these have been reduced for your Christmas buying.

$8.90 to $19.95



COATS

We are receiving daily new styles for SPRING! Shorties, three-quarter length and full length.

$22.95 to $49.95

SUITS

New Spring styles arriving in a gorgeous colorama of Spring shades.

$29.95 up

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★ SKIRTS
★ SWEATERS
★ BATH SETS
★ TOILETRIES
★ BED JACKETS
★ PANTIES
★ LUGGAGE

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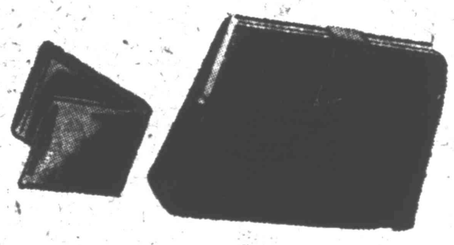
Help yourself to a big hug by giving her these fine gloves from Virtue's. Very fine quality and priced at only .....

$2.98

QUALITY SUEDE BAGS

Watch the "new look" in her eyes when she opens this present . . . in the new styles . . . a bag to match her ensemble! .....

$2.98 up plus tax





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$16.95

So definitely from you to her . . . a chenille robe to please her at Christmas. The ideal gift for her this Christmas!

$5.90 to $9.50

Dream gifts for a darling in these colorful lace trimmed gowns. You'll be her darling when you give it to her!

$5.90



Mother-and-Daughter SLIPPERS

. . . designates holiday footlights. Choose from Virtue's wide selection of fine slippers.

$1.19 to $3.79

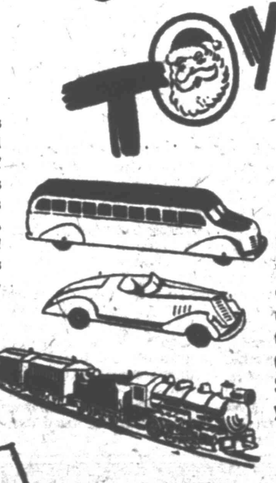
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And all through the store,
Not one clerk was idle—
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And tugging of hair—
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Now, you'd better beware!!!!!

Look ahead just a mite,
And now while you can—
Miss the crowds and shop early,
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Deerskin, pigskin, capeskin . . . handsome, durable . . pleasing.

$2.98 to $6.98



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$2.98 to $4.49



Men's Gift Ties

by Regal. Popular colors . . the new bolder look in each one.

$1.50 to $3.00



Men's Robes

Handsome rayon jacquard lounging robe that will thrill him this Christmas!

$10.75 to $12.50



Handsome Slippers

for his "at ease" hours, in kids, felts and fleece lined. This is a gift that he'll enjoy for years to come!

$1.98 to $3.98



Men's Socks

Christmas socks for Santa Claus in the most popular of colors and styles.

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Handsome Belts

by Tex-Tan. Be Santa's Santa and give him a new belt for Christmas.

$1.50 to $5.00



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$4.98 to $22.95

HATS for Men!

by Alexander and Griffon. 100% fur felts . . . for a Merry masculine Christmas!

$4.98 to $6.90



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Give him the gift he'd choose himself . . . the new 100% wool Bradford suit.

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100% wool gabardine. Feather weight with blanket warmth! Styled for Christmas giving!

$35.00 to $42.50

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★ COWBOY BOOTS
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"But, father, he's going to be a sensational success—he's so smart he knows how many elephants Hannibal used crossing the Alps!"

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★



Sure, Red Skelton Would Make A Wonderful Pal For A Rabbit

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—Red Skelton is moving heaven and earth and assorted agents and producers in an attempt to land that co-starring role with the rabbit in the film version of "Harvey." And if you don't think he'd be great in the part, you should have your head examined.

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Cary Grant's girl friend, Betsy Drake, is a click in her first movie, "Every Girl Should Be Married." Every girl should be Carey's girl friend and win stardom.

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Fashion flash: Joan Crawford and Lucille Ball are going in for old-fashioned pink nighties. (And don't ask me where I hear these things.). . . . If you still believe in polls, Bing Crosby is the favorite film star of 1948. The poll was taken by Boxoffice Magazine.

Dempsey Story

"The Jack Dempsey Story" is making the rounds of the studios . . . . Janet Lee and Barry Nelson will announce their engagement as a Christmas present to M-G-M . . . . Luxury Note: Ginger Rogers wears an ermine trench coat in "The Barkleys of Broadway." . . . . Joan Davis' 14-year-old daughter, Beverly Wills, has her right hand in a cast. No, she wasn't applauding mama. Broke a bone playing basketball.

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Sam Goldwyn's advertising campaign for "Enchantment" will feature the face of Teresa Wright, the movie star who doesn't look like a movie star. Even now, after seven years in Hollywood, Teresa seldom is recognized off the screen. Just the other day, for example, she went into a Beverly Hills department store to look at some costume jewelry. She was deciding about a pair of clips when the salesgirl came up and said:

"Lauren Bacall just bought a pair of them. I was so thrilled when she came right up to my counter. You'll like those, miss. It's smart t' wear what th' movie stars wear."

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Two politician entertainers are crossing party lines to bury the hatchet. Louisiana's ex-Gov. Jimmie Davis will have unsuccessful Republican gubernatorial candidate Roy Acuff (Tennessee) as his guest when Davis opens his new Palm Springs nitery, The Stables . . . . Pan American Airways just presented Eddie Small a bill for $14,000 for flying daily rushes of "Black Magic" from Rome to Hollywood during the four-month shooting schedule.

Bewildered

Ruth Hussey is telling this one. An actress phoned a friend and wept, "I just heard my husband wants a divorce." "So what?" asked her unsympathetic pal. "Well," said the actress, "my psychiatrist is out of town and I just don't know what to THINK!"

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Producer Milton Sperling is paging Jimmy Cagney for the top role in "Murder, Inc." . . . RKO has shelved "I Married a Communist" until next year . . . . . Esther Williams is telling M-G-M she should have a leading man her own size for a change. Usually, they have to stand on a soap box to kiss her.

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There's talk on the coast of booming Will Rogers, Jr., for the California governor's seat.

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Diana Lynn will be starred in "Bad Company," a story of juvenile delinquency . . . . . Good news for the Department of Internal Revenue: After the first of the year Dick Haymes will double between pictures and radio. He starts a flicker at UI and resumes his own airshow.

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There's hope: Hollywood studios will start 50 pictures by January 1. Fox leads the list with seven films charted.

The four principal nut crops that Americans eat are almonds, filberts, walnuts and pecans.

LETTERS from SANTA

The North Pole

Dear Children,

The reindeer barn is full of surprises. Why, just this morning I found a nice mother cat and three little kittens snuggled deep in the hay. The kittens had just opened their eyes and were getting around in their kitten-ish way. I would like to take them up to the house but I know they are so nice and warm in the barn and I shall leave them.

I had just finished giving each reindeer a lump of sugar when I thought I heard a low mewing sound. And looking down, I discovered Mrs. Kitty and her family. She just wanted me to see them that was all. So I reached down and stroked her neck gently as she purred in her kitty language that she now had a fairly large family. The farmer elf who takes care of the barn had already discovered them because I saw a nice saucer of milk close by.

Then I said goodby to Mrs. Kitty and went over to look at Blitzen's little reindeer. It's too young to make the run this Christmas Eve but maybe it can come along next year just to see what the trip is like. He'll run along beside his mother who will be harnessed with the other reindeer to the huge toy sled.

I am all set to leave early Monday by private plane for Midland, Texas, to visit all my little friends in that section. The Midland Jay-Cees have arranged a parade for me at 7 p. m. Tuesday. I plan to visit with all kiddies following the parade. See you Tuesday night.

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Whip Ahead



Sen. Francis J. Myers, above, Pennsylvania Democrat, is reported in line for the post of Senate Democratic whip. Present holder of the job is Illinois' Sen. Scott Lucas, who is expected to become floor leader, succeeding Alben Barkley, newly-elected vice president.

Pioneer Airlines Files Objections In Pecos Case

WASHINGTON — Pioneer Air Lines Saturday filed with the Civil Aeronautics Board its objections to the report of a Civil Aeronautics Board trial examiner regarding requested authorization to serve Pecos, Texas, between Midland and El Paso.

The objections were made by Gen. Robert J. Smith, Pioneer president and attorney.

Three airlines, Pioneer, Continental and Trans-Texas, had asked the board for authorization to serve Pecos. A hearing was held by a CAB trial examiner in El Paso on August 17.

The report of the examiner was released in Washington two weeks ago.

13 Contentions

Pioneer's objections were based on 13 contentions pointing out discrepancies and disagreeing with the report of the examiner.

The examiner recommended that Continental Air Lines be granted the route.

Exceptions such as the one presented by Pioneer are considered along with the examiner's report by the Civil Aeronautics Board prior to the authorization of any airline to start a new service or service denied.

McCamey Chamber Commerce Directors Appoint Committees

McCAMEY—Chairmen and members to serve on 11 active committees were named at a recent meeting of directors of the McCamey Chamber of Commerce.

Pearl Rankin of Rankin was named a director of the organization.

Named to serve on committees were:

Finance: Jesse Russell, chairman; William Wolf, Sid Hoffman and J. A. Rutherford.

Highway: Joe Conger, chairman; O. O. Jacobsen, J. C. Langdon and C. B. Lee.

Airport: T. G. Roach, chairman; I. L. Edwards, Jack Ott and Matt Dillingham.

Publicity: Howell Johnson, chairman; Chrystal Jacobsen and Bill Moore.

Civic Affairs: H. E. Stoker, chairman; G. W. Ramer and J. R. Sumrall.

Retail: Mrs. E. C. Bone, chairman; C. W. Basham, Burl D. Williams, Olin Pigford, Steve Thomas, J. R. Turner, W. H. Carter, J. Lott and Cahill Clinton.

City Beautification: Mrs. George Ramer, chairman; H. S. Holmes and Mrs. J. M. Poe.

Membership: J. T. Wade, chairman; R. E. Ruble and Ray Coats.

Agriculture: T. A. Pauley, chairman; Randolph Moore, Dee Locklin and Tom Trimble.

By-Laws: C. G. Forester, chairman; G. C. Pauley and Charles C. Langdon.

Recreation: Mrs. W. D. Noel, chairman; Don Cook, Putt Brandon, A. M. Moore and Mrs. W. M. Wolf.

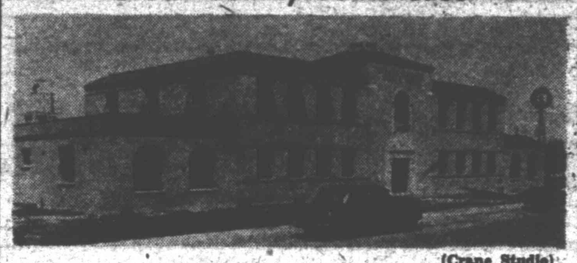
Russians Delay Death Sentences

BERLIN—(AP)—To hang a criminal in Berlin these days requires virtually five death sentences.

Under occupation rules the death sentence can be passed by a German court but it must have the affirmation of the four occupying powers. This was relatively simple up to last July, when the Russians walked out and torpedoed the four-power Allied Kommandatura.

But now the German authorities have to circularize the four Allied commandants separately. The three western commandants usually answer promptly but the Russian commander dallies and the executioner has to wait until he hears from him.

Crane County Courthouse



(Crane Studio)

The 109th District Court met for the first time last week in the recently completed Crane County Courthouse at Crane. The attractive and completely modern structure was built at a cost of $185,000. It has 20 offices in addition to three courtrooms. County officials occupied the building several weeks ago. Joseph A. Beyer is the county judge.

Dirt, Squirt and Quirt

— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —
By DON McGREGOR

Midland Livestock Auction reports show 300 cattle went through the sales ring Thursday. The market was short and active on most classes.

Most cattle sold for from 50 cents to $1 per hundred higher than last week.

There were no choice fat calves and yearlings offered. Medium calves and yearlings sold at $19 to $23, fat cows at $17.50 to $19.25. Medium cows sold for $15 to $17.50. Canners and cutters went at $11 to $15.

The were not fat bulls offered. Common and medium bulls went at $15 to $18.50. Stocker steer calves and yearlings sold for $23 to $24.50. Stocker heifer calves and yearlings went at $18.50 to $23.

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Midland gins report a total of 3,112 bales of cotton ginned through last week.

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Hubert Martin, Midland County agent, returned from a two-week vacation in Mexico Thursday. He said livestock in Mexico is a mixture of breeds and scrawny.

He reported the Mexican farmers are getting more equipment and getting the job done better than they were a few years ago when he was there. He saw tractors of most standard U. S. makes in pretty good numbers. However, Martin said, some of the farmers have so little equipment they cannot plant their corn deep enough and have to mound up around each stalk to keep it from falling over.

He said some Mexican farmers are going in for rice growing. Martin talked to an American woman who runs an inn south of Monterrey and she seems to doubt that foot and mouth disease will ever be eliminated down there. She said the buzzards eat livestock that is killed and scatter the malady.

Things are pretty dry between here and San Antonio, the county agent said.

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Ed Robnett, of the Soil Conservation Service was in Midland last week and J. R. Cuffman, Midland High School vocational agriculture teacher, interviewed him with a wire recorder.

Robnett said the only sure way to find if there is water available is to drill. Seismograph drillings help but are not too accurate, he said.

He said no one is sure of the effect of irrigation wells on the water table. The drawdown while the water is being pumped varies in different localities and with different wells, he added.

Robnett had no answer to the question of the relative merits of ditch and sprinkler irrigation systems. The system to be used depends on the type of soil to be watered, he said.

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The Stanton-Midland National Farm Loan Association now has 260 loans on record. Each loan represents a member and stockholder in the organization, said A. W. Stanley, Jr., secretary-treasurer. Members of the board of directors are Elmer Bizzell and Les Floyd of Midland and John F. Priddy, Oscar Lawson and Paul K. Jones of Stanton.

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Experiments are under way in Crane County to determine if the chemical 2-4-D can kill rayless goldenrod, according to H. L. Adkins, Jr., county agent.

Adkins and Dr. Omar E. Sperry, professor of range management at A&M College visited Crane recently to inspect the lands affected. Experiments with the 2-4-D are to be tried out on the Jerry Cowden Ranch.

Adkins says that Jerry and Harry Cowden have had to fence out four sections of their land because of the poisonous weed which reportedly cost Crane ranchers several thousand dollars annually. Other ranchers having to fence portions of their land are K. P. Looney and Tiny Earp.

An example of the loss, the county agent says, is that C. C. Swift had 13 head of cattle die in 1946 and seven in 1947 through their eating of the goldenrod. Another rancher reported the loss of 150 head of sheep in one year.

Eradication of the goldenrod is the top project for the ACA program in Crane County this year.

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The number of sheep and lambs to be fed for the coming Winter and Spring market is expected to be considerably smaller than the number fed last year and possibly the lowest in more than 20 years, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics has reported. A very sharp reduction is expected in lamb feeding operations in the Corn Belt States. All of the Western States also are expected to feed smaller numbers of lambs than were fed last year. Lack of surface moisture in the Great Plains area has prevented adequate growth of Fall-sown wheat suitable for pasturing lambs. There is evidence of considerable shifting of lambs by feeders attempting to locate suitable wheat pasture elsewhere or to place lambs in other feeding areas.

Slaughter of lambs during the three-month period, August through October, is indicated to be only slightly less than the number slaughtered a year ago. This relatively heavy lamb slaughter has further reduced the number of lambs available for feeding this season. To begin with, the lamb crop in the 13 western sheep states was nine per cent smaller than last year.

Shipments of sheep and lambs into the Corn Belt during October, and also for the period July through October, were the smallest in 10 years of record. Shipments into eight of the Corn Belt states, both direct and from markets, in the July-October period were down 21 per cent from last year.

Wholesale prices of lambs and mutton advanced moderately during the second week of November. The price of feeder lambs on the Denver market was about $22.80 per hundred pounds at the end of October, compared with about $23.30 a month earlier and $22.80 a year ago.

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The cattle feeding situation to the end of October points to a volume of cattle feeding about the same or slightly larger than last year, the bureau reported. There is an even greater abundance of feed grain supplies than was indicated a month ago. During the last part of October, cattle feeders showed considerable activity in purchasing feeder animals, and this interest was still being maintained during early November. Cattle feeding in the Corn Belt is expected to be about the same as last year.

Shipments of stocker and feeder cattle into the Corn Belt states in October was two per cent larger than the same month last year. The total movement of stockers and feeders into the Corn Belt for the months July through October was also two per cent larger than last year and, except for 1946, was the largest since 1940.

The price of feeder cattle has been an important influence in the cautious attitude of cattle feeders. Although the season decline in feeder cattle prices this Fall was somewhat greater than last year, the average price for the month of October was the highest on record and exceeded the average last year by more than $3 per hundred pounds. According to reports from four markets, the average feeder steer bought during October cost the buyer about $30 per head more than during October, 1947.

McConnell To Stay At Denton College

DALLAS—(AP)—The board of regents of Texas Teachers' Colleges Friday created a new post of vice president at North Texas State College, and persuaded President W. J. McConnell of the Denton College to withdraw his request to be relieved of his duties.

Dr. McConnell had previously announced his intention to leave his post in August, 1949. R. L. Thomas, a member of the board said, it is now expected Dr. McConnell will stay on until the regular retirement age of 70. Dr. McConnell is 65.

He will be assisted by Dr. J. C. Matthews, present dean of the college's school of education, who was appointed vice president, a completely new post. It was created, Thomas said, to keep the machinery of school administration on a scale with the tremendous expansion of the rest of the college.

Livestock Roundup

FORT WORTH—(AP) — Livestock prices advanced at Fort Worth during the last week, largely due to reduced offerings. Slaughter cattle were strong to 50 cents or more higher, and cows were $1 up. Calves ruled steady to strong, spots higher. Stockers were about steady and in light supply. Butcher hogs closed $1 higher for the week, sows were 50 cents higher, and pigs were steady to weak, lightweight, plainer quality types showing weakness. Sheep and lambs were strong to 50 cents higher.

Slaughter steers, yearlings and heifers sold from 16.00-30.00; slaughter cows 10.00-21.00; bulls 14.50-20.00; slaughter calves 13.00-24.50; stocker steer calves 25.00 down; stocker yearlings 25.00 down; stocker steers 24.50 down; stocker cows 14.00-18.00. Closing top butcher hogs 24.25-50; sows 21.00 down; pigs 16.00-21.00; stags 14.00-17.00; wooled lambs 13.00-25.00; shorn fat lambs 24.00 down; stocker and feeder lambs 14.00-20.00; ewes and aged wethers 8.00-10.00; old bucks 7.00-8.00; yearling wethers 14.00-200.00.

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Board Of Control To Ask $60,000,000 For State Institutions

AUSTIN—(AP)—The Board of Control will ask the 51st Legislature for twenty-one million dollars to finance an "urgently needed" expansion program for wards of the state.

Its total request for the two-year fiscal period beginning next September 1 will be $60,000,000. This breaks down in $34,000,000 for operations, $21,000,000 for buildings, $5,000,000 for general repairs and improvements.

The operations budget will care for a suggested elimination of 12-hour shifts for male employees.

Chairman Hall Logan of the board which has charge of such institutions as those for the mentally diseased said the $21,000,000 item for buildings "covers only about two-thirds of the building needs for the future."

Big Spring Expansion

The expansion program would include:

1. Addition of 1,000 capacity at Big Spring State Hospital.
2. Addition of 1,000 capacity of Mexia State School and Home.
3. Addition of 480 capacity at the Austin Farm Colony.
4. Addition of 200 capacity at Abilene State Hospital (for epileptics.)
5. New services for 200 capacity negro epileptics section at Abilene.
6. Additional capacity of 480 at San Antonio State Hospital to alleviate overcrowding of antiquated structures that must remain in use.

Tubercular Additions

7. Addition of 250 capacity in tuberculosis hospital for mental patients at San Antonio.
8. Addition of 220 capacity in tuberculosis hospital for mental patients at Rusk.
9. Expansion of additional 200 capacity at new East Texas Sanatorium at Tyler (for tuberculosis patients.)
10. Replacement of dormitory facilities and two new school units at Texas School for the Deaf.
11. Continued conversion of tuberculosis hospital facilities at Mission and Tyler, obtained from the War Assets Administration.

The board said there has been no building program of permanent nature since 1941. Construction now underway in this biennium consists mostly of replacement of buildings fit for condemnation at Terrell and Texas School for the Deaf.

Mrs. Austin Dies Of Accident Injuries

CRANE—Mrs. Nita Mae Austin, 18, of Big Lake died at 5:55 a. m. Saturday in a Crane hospital of injuries received in an automobile accident near McCamey early Thursday. She was brought here from a McCamey hospital late Thursday.

The accident occurred when the car driven by Mrs. Austin failed to negotiate a curve in the highway.

John Denham, about 27, of Paris, Texas, was killed in the mishap. Another passenger, Julius Romero, of Dalhart escaped injury.

Funeral services for Mrs. Austin will be held Sunday afternoon in Mineral Wells.

Survivors include her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Schane of Big Lake; two brothers, M. A. Schane of Odessa and Gordon Schane of Big Lake, and a first cousin, Mrs. W. Harold Pettit of Crane.

Kermit Will Receive Better Mail Service

KERMIT — Improved mail service for Kermit is the result of a recent change in Texas & Pacific Railway motor freight schedules, according to Charlie Green, Chamber of Commerce manager, who has been working with the railway and postal officials for some solution to the problem.

O. E. Bellamy, superintendent of the T & P Motor freight division, notified Green that effective November 23, outgoing mail will be picked up in Kermit at 8:30 p. m., several hours later than the 3:35 p. m. deadline which has been in effect several weeks.

Bellamy stated the change in schedule had been made with the approval of officials in Hobbs, N. M., and in El Paso.

Mrs. Ruth Marion, Kermit postmaster, stated outgoing mail will be picked up at 6 p. m., and during the Christmas season a later hour will be set. This change gives both Hobbs and Kermit overnight mail service.

Winkler County News Occupies New Building

KERMIT — The Thanksgiving edition of The Winkler County News was the first issue printed in the new house of the newspaper. Moving the entire plant and publishing the weekly one day early for the holiday were accomplished the same week.

Completion of the new building puts into use one of the most modern and complete newspaper buildings in West Texas. Nev Williams and Dick Dwelle are the publishers.

The new structure contains 4,000 square feet of floor space, and is of brick and tile construction. The 22 by 50-foot front office affords adequate editorial space and an enlarged office supply department. A 40-foot plate glass display window covers most of the 50-foot front.

Air Conditioned

A special advertising layout room gives adequate space for advertising personnel. The entire building is automatically air conditioned and flourescent lighted.

A Duplex press has been purchased and is to be installed and in operation by January 1. During the last year considerable equipment has been purchased, and Williams stated the plant is being readied to begin either semi-weekly or daily publication when the time arrives.

Eleven persons are employed on The News staff in addition to the publishers. Lee Werst, long-time newspaper man, recently was named mechanical superintendent.

Change Of Venue Asked In Civil Case At Kermit

KERMIT — Petition for change of venue in the civil suit of the City of Kermit and others vs. W. H. Wilson has been filed here in 109th District Court. Joint agreement of the plaintiffs and defendants resulted in asking the suit be transferred to Reeves County.

The original petition had been filed in July and asked for judgment of $114,603.07, with the City Commission seeking the judgment against former city officials, including Wilson, former mayor; Jack Shirley, W. M. Walker, Levi Kruse, Glenn Rhea, and J. S. Simpson, former city commissioners; Jospeh Johnson, Hugh C. Dickson, John W. Ray, Central Surety and Insurance Corporation of Kansas City, and Glen Falls Indemnity Company of New York.

Last October an amended petition was filed, asking for only $59,761.31 judgment and omitting Rhea and Simpson from the list of defendants.

VISITED PARENTS

Sgs. Gerald Geisler spent the Thanksgiving holidays in Midland with his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Ralph Geisler. He is a student in Moye Military School.

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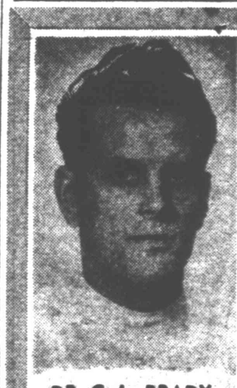
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He Had Barrel Of Fun — The Orangutan, That Is

What's more fun than a barrel of monkeys? A monkey with a barrel of toys, of course. That's what NEA-Acme cameraman Bert Brandt thought when he brought a pre-Christmas package of mechanized toys to Andy, three-year-old orangutan at the Bronx Zoo, New York. The orang enjoyed it. So did NEA-Acame cameraman Dave Davis, who took the pictures of Brandt.



"Rodeo Joe, the Rip-Roaring Rider" fascinates Andy.



Andy ignores toy to chew contentedly on the flash extension cord.



Andy goes after the biggest toy—the one with the mustache.



Andy stops traffic at the toy "Lincoln Tunnel."

Winds, Snow-

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coastal cities of Galveston and Houston.

By Sunday, the Weather Bureau said, the cold air mass should cover the state.

The State Highway Department office at Amarillo advised motorists to stay off highways north and northeast of Amarillo because of the poor visibility and drifting snow.

In northwest Oklahoma, above the Texas Panhandle, residents were warned of "heavy, thick, blowing, drifting snow," to last all Saturday night. The Amarillo Weather Bureau, which issued the forecast, said north winds with 40 to 50 miles an hour velocity would whip the area, and temperatures would drop to 20 to 25 degrees.

Severe Cold Forecast

Weather below freezing to slightly above was forecast for all of West Texas and for the northwest part of East Texas. Livestock warnings were issued for Sunday night in the Wichita Falls area.

Football teams of West Texas State and New Mexico University shivered through a Border Conference game Saturday in heavy snow at Canyon. At the same time residents of Brownsville—at the southernmost tip of the state—basked in 86-degree weather.

The snow at Canyon was driven by winds which reached around 60 miles an hour in gusts. About 10 hardy fans watched the play from seats in the stands. Others ran up and down the sidelines or sat in parked cars inside the stadium.

Wind blew sand at Midland and Odessa and dust at Big Spring. Abilene, expecting rain or snow during the night, looked for the temperature there to drop from 62 degrees at 3:30 p. m. to 30 or 32 degrees.

Near-freezing weather was forecast at San Angelo, and colder weather there Sunday night.

Winds as high as 35 miles an hour roared from the Panhandle on Lubbock, which expected temperatures in the low 20s.

The official forecast said Sunday should be partly cloudy and colder in East Texas and fair and colder in West Texas—except that temperatures in the Panhandle, already low, would be about the same.

Lows of 22 to 28 degrees were expected in the Panhandle and South Plains Saturday night with 28 to 36 degrees elsewhere in West Texas. The forecast was for 27 to 32 degrees in the northwest part of East Texas.

Small craft warnings were ordered on the Gulf Coast from Brownsville northward to Lake Charles, La.

India Now Faces Language Dispute

NEW DELHI —(AP)— Warning of a possible disintegration of India on the language issue has been given by a member of the Constituent Assembly, T. T. Krishnamachari, a delegate from Madras, says if North India in its exuberance for a national language wanted to force Hindi on the whole of India, "the chances are South India, which knows little Hindi, will like to cut off from the rest of India."

Hindi is spoken or understood by the majority of India's 325,000,000 but in the South it is an alien dialect. It is so especially in the Madras province and in the princely states of Mysore, Travancore and Cochin.

The controversy in the Constituent Assembly arose out of the demand of some of its members from the united provinces to conduct the proceedings in Hindi and to draft the constitution in Hindi. "Without a national language, independence will be meaningless," they asserted

Reds Still Part Of Berlin Jokes

BERLIN—(AP)—Berlin still jokes about the Russians. One story tells about a German who lived in a seaport. He used to go down to the harbor every day and just stand there for hours looking out to sea. People began to wonder about him. One day even the town's Russian commandant went down to ask what he was looking for so sadly.

The German answered: "Why, I'm just waiting for the arrival of those grain ships which the Russians promised to send us from the Soviet Union." The Russian patted the German on the shoulder and replied gently in broken German: "Don't look for those ships here. Look in your newspapers."

Another story tells of a Russian officer meeting a German nun praying by a roadside shrine. Said the Russian: "Why are you praying?" "So things will go well with me and we will have better times," replied the nun.

"Well, I never heard of that—that one can get rid of his cares and troubles through prayer. Say, why don't you say a prayer for me, too?" Next day he again found her at prayer. "Now what are you praying for?" he asked.

"I'm praying for you, asking that you'll be able to go to heaven," said the nun. Thereupon, the story goes, the Russian blurted out an astonished rejection: "No, no, I don't want to go to heaven. I want to stay in Germany."

(This story is intended to stress what many Germans have always contended: That the Russians stationed in Germany "never had it so good.")

Dear Santa—

Dear Santa:

Will you please bring me an electric train, a tractor set, Mickey Mouse watch? If you have enough candy to go around, I will take some, too.

Love,
Bentley King.

Letters To Santa Claus—

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a magic slate, play typewriter play cash register, doll with a lot of clothes, doll house that has a doorbell, scrap book, play filling station with cars which have gas tanks.

Please, oh please, bring me a bride doll.

From,
Priscilla Nichols.

P. S. Bring my gifts to 1336 S. Gary in Tulsa, Okla.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I have been a good little girl. Please bring me a doll and a teddy bear.

Bring my little brother a little car and tractor.

Love,
Eloise Schuelke.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I am going to tell you what I want for Christmas: a good wrist watch, baton, pair of house shoes, any kind of doll, nice set of colored pencils.

This is all I want for Christmas. You have always been nice to me.

Love,
Doris Haase.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I have been good this year and will you bring me a bike, a dress and mother some dishes.

Goodbye,
Senoida Vasquez.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I have been good this year. Will you bring me nuts and candies? Also I would like two guns and boxing gloves.

Sincerely,
Reymundo Velarde.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl two years old. For Christmas, I would like a doll and some clothes. I want a piano, too. Please bring me a little broom.

Love,
Carolyn Bryant.

Dear Santa Claus:

I have been a very nice boy. I go to kindergarden. I am five years old and will graduate to real school.

Santa, will you please bring me: a typewriter, filling station, tool box, guitar.

Please remember my playmates Willie Wilson and Robert Jones.

And Santa, I have a baby brother, please be nice to him.

Will leave you some candy on the table,
With love,
Roger Wendell Jackson.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I'm a little boy almost three years old. I have tried to be good all year. Would you please bring me a jeep with real headlights, a gun and holster and some tinker toys.

Thank you,
Your friend,
Terry Broxson.

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Dear Santa Claus:

I am a girl five years old. For Christmas, I would like a doll and a few clothes. Please bring me a broom and a sewing machine.

Love,
Betty Bryant.

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Dear Santa:

I am a little girl five years old and my little sister is two years old. I think we have been pretty good so I want you to bring us these things for Christmas: soda fountain, doll buggy, cash register, doll with hair, washing machine, set of plastice dishes, new shoes.

Please bring my daddy and mother something and my grandma and grandpa.

Lots of love,
Edith Irene and Beverly Kay Baker.

Dear Santa:

I would like to have an electric train, a football and a Mickey Mouse watch. I have been a pretty good boy.

Love,
Leslie King.

Say Smugglers Used Half-Pint 'Pig Boat'



Frontier police at Varese, Italy, examine a 13-foot, pedal-powered, midget submarine captured on Lake Lugano. Police suspect smugglers used the craft, built from old beer barrels, to carry contraband between Switzerland and Italy, but have no proof. But just the same, they held the builder, 25-year-old Lorenzo Cattoti, on a charge of building a ship without Ministry of Marine permission.

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Midland Lodge No. 623 AF and AM. Monday evening Nov. 29, school 7:30. Friday evening, Dec. 3, work in F. C. degree, 7:30. Perry Collins, W. M.; L. C. Stephenson, Secy.

PUBLIC NOTICES 2

ATTEND Everyman's Bible Class (a non-denominational Sunday School) Crystal Ballroom, Scharbauer Hotel Delbert Downing, teacher.

NOTICE because of unjust rent control, I am closing my rental property. Seven families need places to live if you have a place for any of these people, please phone 1826-W after 5 p. m. Mrs. Alma Weyman.

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LOST: one duffle bag of shoes between Colorado City and Midland. Notify W. H. Edwards, Box 8, Terminal, Texas or phone 2796-W-2.

SHOPLIFTED .22 caliber Crossman Air Pistol. Offers reward for return to Cameron's Pharmacy.

LOST: Billfold containing social security card, union card, and driver license, and some money. Return to Andie Patterson at A&L Housing and Lumber Co. Reward.

LOST: girl's gray short coat near Stanford's Furniture. Reward. Call 2867-W.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE 8

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Girls, how would you like to have "The Voice with a Smile"? If you are 16 or over, with poise and pleasing personality, drop by to see Mrs. Ruth Baker, Chief Operator for the Telephone Company. There is a chance for you to go into a training class for new telephone operators and earn $28.00 a week, from the very first day. You can earn as much as $35.00 a week by the end of the first year. It's pleasant work, with other girls—just the kind you'd like to know. Mrs. Baker's office is at 123 S. Big Spring Street

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WAITRESS wanted. Tull's Drug.

WANTED: Experienced stenographer. Apply Gulf Oil Corporation. Phone 1300.

FEMALE help wanted. Midland Steam Laundry.

British Seek More Kindness To Animals

LONDON — (AP) — The British Parliament expects to hear a lot about animals after Christmas. A nation which prides itself on treating dumb beasts with kindness is insisting that there be more legislation protecting them from cruelty. The animals will have to wait until after Christmas because, at the moment, there is no room for them in the crowded government legislative program.

Legislation combatting cruelty can be taken up only in the form of private members' bills—measures introduced by individual legislators without government sponsorship. For a long time, because of a crush of business in which the government has had a vital interest, private member bills have not yet been accepted. The plan is to begin consideration of a limited number of them at the year's end, and the animals' friends are preparing for action.

Most widely discussed is the proposal to prohibit use of dogs in hunting foxes, stags and small game. The prospect that fox hunting, with its glamour, uniforms and excitement may vanish from the British scene, distresses some of the old timers who cling to their traditions. But it is admitted in hunting circles that the sport is dying out and that with or without prohibitions it will soon belong to the past.

Other proposed legislation, much of it sponsored by the Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals would:

Prohibit the sale of unweaned animals. Forbid docking of horses' tails. Provide for licensing of pet shop managers and assistants. Forbid the sale of plumage of rare birds, amending a law which already prohibits its importation. Prohibit the possession of birds trained for fighting. Amend the Coal Nationalization Act to require better treatment of ponies used in mines.

The "wings" of a flying fish are really fins.

HELP WANTED, MALE 9

YOUNG man to work in typewriter repair department. Experience desired but not necessary. Baker Office Equipment Co., 311 W. Texas.

YOUNG man to manage small grocery and market in Fort Stockton, ½ of all profits as wages, free rent—$1000 cash bond required. Returnable. Write A. C. Barron, Box 1036, Fort Stockton.

FINANCE company has opening for local manager. Experience in credits and general office routine helpful, but not essential. Please give full details in first letter. Write Box 660, Reporter-Telegram.

HELP WANTED, MALE OR FEMALE 9-A

WANTED from 6 to 9 p. m. part time workers interested in making $300 per month. Will interview December 4, Elliott Hotel, Odessa, Texas. C. E. Latson.

AGENTS, SALESMEN WANTED 10

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BABY SITTERS 12

WILL stay with children in your home. Phone 2460, Mrs. Scott.

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SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE 13

GRADUATE nurse, excellent references, write Box 659, Reporter-Telegram.

SECRETARY, college graduate, 10 years experience, desires position. Dependable and efficient, excellent references. Salary $250. Write Box 661, Reporter-Telegram.

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SITUATIONS WANTED, MALE 14

HIGH school graduate looking for good job with advancement and bright future. Give hours, pay and other details. Phone 1843-J.

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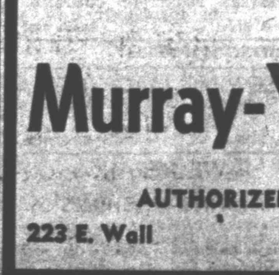
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— KT —

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— KT —

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— KT —

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— KT —

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— KT —

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— KT —

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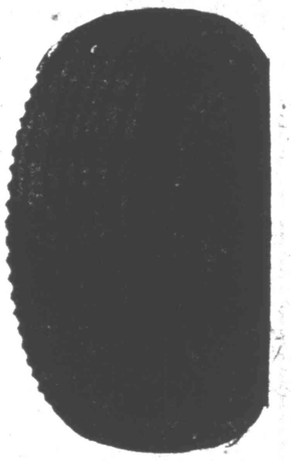
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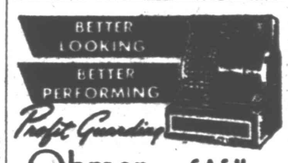
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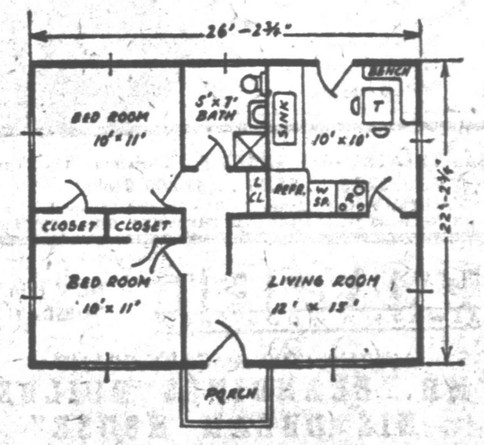
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Report Of City Activities Makes All-Inclusive Record

A report of activities of the City of Midland by departments for the month of October includes everything from the number of water taps made to the number of miles travelled by police cars to the number of trash and garbage barrel pickups made during the 31-day period.

The report, prepared by City Manager H. A. Thomason, was distributed to members of the City Council.

Sixty-five water taps and 81 sewer taps were made during October, as the city kept pace with the rapid growth and expansion. A total of 2,576 feet of water pipe and 4,519 feet of sewer pipe were laid. Thirty-one meters were tested.

Tax collections for the month were: 1948 taxes, $81,728.81; prior years, $1,031.88; penalty and interest, $458.32; tax certificates, $7.50. The total was $83,226.51.

The Fire Department made 11 runs, consuming four hours and 15 minutes. One hundred and forty gallons of water were used.

Heavy Inspection

The Inspection Department issued residential construction permits totaling $388,200; residential remodeling, $17,850; and commercial remodelling, $17,500, for a grand total of $423,350. Permit fees for the month were: building, $292.50; electrical, $495.50; plumbing, $437.75; sewer taps, $770; miscellaneous, $19.50, for a grand total of $2,016.25.

The number of building permits totaled 80; plumbing, 102; and electrical, 77.

The Police Department report showed 715 law violations during the month, with $572 worth of fines laid out in jail. Fines paid in cash amounted to $2,460. Fines assessed totaled $3,032. Parking meter collections were $4,049, bringing total collections for the department to $6,509.

Activities of patrol cars: arrests and confined to jail, 89; miles traveled, 17,990; fire calls answered, eight; funeral escorts, 13; other escorts, 18; accident investigations, 21.

Health And Sanitation

Alley mileage covered by equipment of the Health and Sanitation Department totaled 550. A total of 38,810 trash and garbage barrel pickups were made, and 753 tons of trash and garbage were hauled. The DDT spraying equipment traveled 260 miles.

The Street Department bladed 76 miles of city streets; hauled 276 cubic yards of caliche, and swept 60 miles of streets. The street sweepers accumulated and hauled 104 cubic yards of dirt. Seven hundred and thirty-six cubic yards of soil was loaded and hauled in street excavating.

The report shows income from rent at Midland Air Terminal, $9,022.14; income from utilities, $1,197.81; income from landing fees, $855.14; income, miscellaneous, $1,882.68, for a grand total of $12,957.77.

Water Production

A total of 620 commercial airline ships landed at the airport during October.

The daily consumption of water for the month was approximately 2,500,000 gallons per day, with the combined production of Cloverdale, Rosedale and Wadley totaling almost 80,000,000 gallons. Production at Cloverdale and Rosedale was alternated, with no well producing as much as 50 per cent of capacity.

FOUND SHOT TO DEATH

DALLAS. (AP)—J. Hugh McDaniel, 32, was found shot to death Saturday in the driveway of the apartment house where he lived. Justice of the Peace Bill Richburg returned a verdict of suicide.

Nine members of Villanova's 1947-48 basketball team are back bidding for varsity posts this season.

Close-In—

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missioner Olin Culberson in a statement saying in effect that when operators in given fields show they can produce oil without gas waste, they will be allowed on a field-wide basis to produce right up to the point where waste begins.

Culberson said he felt such a definite statement of policy was in order.

Thompson also had this to say: "We tell the operators either to save the gas or cease producing oil there until they are ready to save the gas that comes with the oil. I believe this is reasonable.

"Of course, the operators will try to enjoin our orders in the courts, but I feel that in the end we shall prevail in stopping this waste of the heritage of all the people of Texas . . ."

Ten Suits Pending

"Every oilfield in Texas is being restudied. Wherever it is economically feasible, the gas flare waste will be ordered stopped."

Additional orders to the 16 already issued were in prospect.

So were additional injunction suits.

The total number of suits came to ten Saturday, with three new restraining order cases filed in 98th District Court. They were by the Texas Company and others, for the Magnet Withers Field, Wharton County; The Texas Company alone in the North Withers Field, Wharton County; the Sun-Oil Company in the Levelland Field.

The suits uniformly detail the difficulties of the oil companies in utilizing the flare gas and claim the Railroad Commission orders are "illegal, unjust, unreasonable, arbitrary and discriminatory."

Hearing on the first were set for December 1.

In the Sun Oil suit, District Judge Charles O. Betts set the hearing for December 3 and issued a temporary restraining order to keep the order from going into effect pending the hearing.

Midland—

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Claus will proceed to the courthouse lawn where he will greet the youngsters and distribute candy.

"Toward A Greater Faith" will be the theme of the parade. JayCee representatives said Saturday everything is in perfect readiness for the Santa Claus event. Numerous churches, organizations and business institutions have entered floats. Cash prizes are offered the best entries. Complete information on the parade may be found elsewhere in this issue.

Treasure Hunt

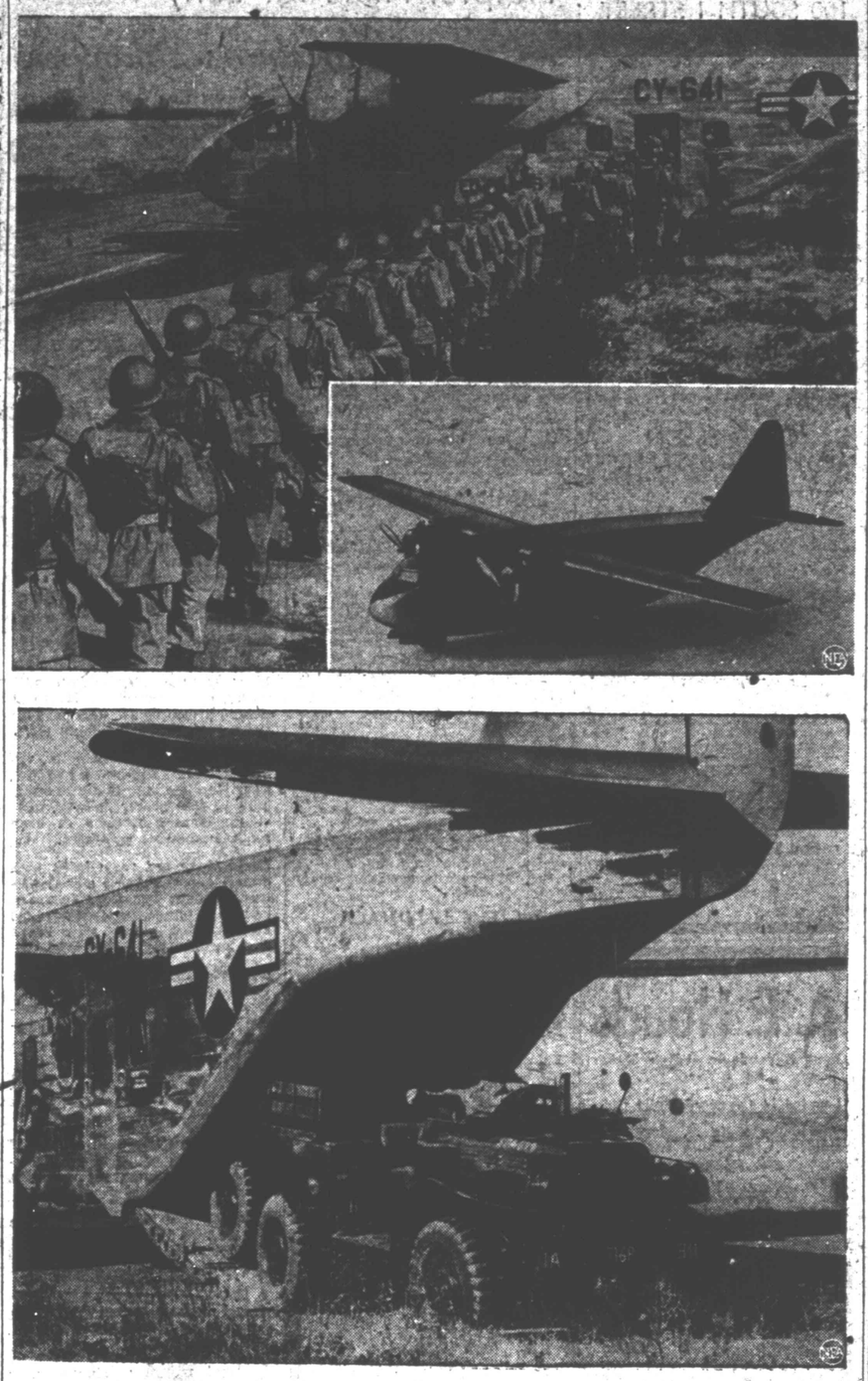
Another special feature of the Christmas event is the Treasure Hunt, which is attracting widespread interest. Thousands of Treasure Hunt tickets have been distributed by participating merchants, and visitors Tuesday night and Wednesday will be shopping store windows in an effort to match stub numbers with those placed in front of prizes in the windows of business firms. Approximately 130 prizes, valued at more than $3,000, are offered by merchants throughout the city. The prizes must be claimed by Wednesday night.

Several other features are planned for the big Christmas opening, and a good time is promised every man, woman and child of Midland and the Permian Basin.

Everyone is expected to be in downtown Midland Tuesday evening.

Ted Webster, Syracuse swimming mentor, is coaching his 16th team for the Orange.

Air Force's Newest 'Flying Boxcar'



In its first public demonstration and test flight at Mercer Airport, Trenton, N. J., the U. S. A. F.'s new YC-122, better known as the "Flying Boxcar," gave spectators a thrill as it went through its paces. Shown in inset, above, the huge cargo plane has a gross weight of about 30,000 pounds, is 53 feet, 4 inches long, and has an 86-foot, 3-inch wingspan. Its two 1350-h.p. engines give it a top speed of 250 miles per hour, with a ceiling of 25,000 feet. The YC-122 can carry 30 fully-equipped soldiers, above, or five tons of materiel. Below, a weapons carrier is backed into the plane's yawning cargo hatch.

Episcopal Minister Gives Texas Youth Make-Good Chance

ENID, OKLA.—(AP)—A 16-year-old Texas boy was turned over to an Episcopal minister here Saturday with the bargain that if he "makes good" charges of armed robbery will be dropped.

The boy is Ray Dee Smith of Telephone, Texas, who was arrested with Albert Donald Pitts, 25, Coleman, Texas, last week in Wellington, Kan.

They were returned here and Pitts pleaded guilty to robbing a filling station and two cafes of $127 and was sentenced to 15 years in the state penitentiary.

Young Smith said he had been picked up hitchhiking by Pitts, after he ran away from home and was asleep in the car at the time of the first robbery in Waurika, Okla. He later found what Pitts was doing.

He told District Judge Tom R. Blaine he had run away from home after his divorced mother remarried and his step-father "didn't like him."

The case drew the attention of Rev. Robert H. Mize, Jr., director of the St. Francis Boys Home at Ellsworth, Kan., who was attending a Southwest province conference of Episcopal youth as chief speaker.

Mr. Mize appeared in court and said he would take young Smith to the Ellsworth home to give him a new chance.

U. S. Solons Pledge Panama Friendship

PANAMA, PANAMA —(AP)— A group of United States congressmen exchanged pledges of continued friendship with Panama Saturday during a special session of the National Assembly.

The session was called to welcome a seven-man House subcommittee which is on an tour of Latin American countries. The group, headed by Rep. Chipperfield (R-Ill), includes Reps. Jarman (D-Ala), Jonkman (R-Mich), Smith (R-Wis), Gordon (D-Ill), Fleghan (D-Ohio) and Mansfield (D-Mont).

MAYOR GIFFORD WILL ATTEND BUS HEARING

Mayor R H. Gifford will leave Sunday for Amarillo, where he will testify in behalf of the Texas, New Mexico and Oklahoma Coaches at an ICC hearing there Monday. The bus line, which serves Midland, is seeking a permit to provide direct bus service from Midland to Hobbs, N. M.

The mayor will represent the Chamber of Commerce at the hearing.

COAHOMA MAN LOSES ARM IN GIN MISHAP

BIG SPRING—(AP)—James Ringener had his right arm severed at the shoulder in a gin press flywheel at Coahoma Saturday. He was a gin employe.

His condition was reported satisfactory at the hospital here.

WRISTON HEADS AAU

PROVIDENCE, R. I. (AP)—President Henry M. Wriston of Brown University has been elected head of the Association of American Universities, it was announced Saturday.

Pineapples are about 87 per cent water.

Attorneys General Convene In Houston ...

HOUSTON —(AP)— Federal-state relations problems were under discussion here Saturday with the opening of the forty-second annual conference of the National Association of Attorneys General.

Registration is expected to include attorneys general from all but six states.

J. Tom Watson, attorney general of Florida, opened the four-day program Saturday at a closed session of the association's executive committee.

Colorado Reports Major Discovery

DURANGO, COLO. —(AP)— The first major oil pool discovery in Colorado since the fabulous Rangely Field was reported Saturday on the Dove Creek structure in Montezuma County.

A well drilled by the Western Natural Gas Company, Byrd-Frost, Inc., and Paul B. English flowed 250 barrels of high gravity distillate daily, along with 20,000,000 cubic feet of gas.

GENERAL MOTORS GROUP INVITED TO HEARINGS

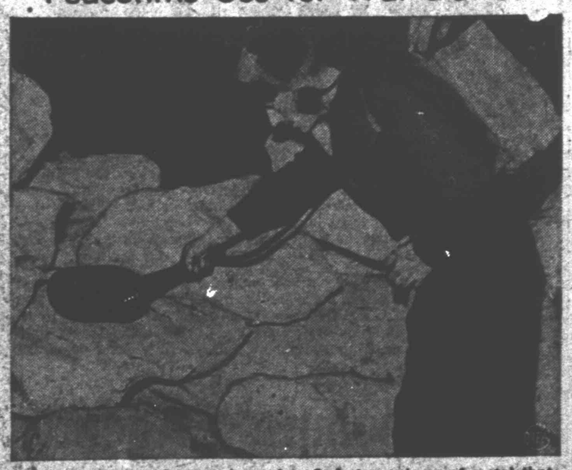
WASHINGTON —(AP)— A House subcommittee has invited officials of the General Motors Corporation to have representatives on hand when its inquiry into operations of Washington automobile dealers is resumed Monday.

Officials of the Chevrolet Division of G-M are expected to be present for questioning of three Washington Chevrolet dealers.

BURNS TO DEATH

AMARILLO—(AP)—An elderly man was burned to death here Saturday when fire destroyed his two-room home. Officers identified him tentatively as Tony Gallenta, about 77.

Peacetime Use for War Device



A wartime mine detector is used to find stray pieces of metal that may be in these bales of rubber, just arrived in London from Malaya. Metal has been found imbedded in some of the raw product and it must be removed, as it injures processing machines.

Weather Slows Hunt For Missing Plane

WACO, TEXAS—(AP)—Rain, fog and low clouds Saturday hampered the search for a plane missing since November 18 with three aboard.

The passengers are Mr. and Mrs. W. W. York and their pilot, Joel Ritter, all of Allentown, Pa. The plane was enroute to Houston and New Orleans from Mineral Wells.

It last was heard from November 18 when it established radio contact with the Waco Airport. It asked weather information.

Little classifieds sell big and little things. Phone 3000 for Ad-taker.

Dog Shooting Is Reported Here

Residents in the neighborhood of the West Elementary School Saturday protested the unlawful and uncalled for shooting of dogs in that vicinity.

It was reported several dogs in West Midland have been shot with a .22 rifle durirg the last several days. Police and SPCA officials have been notified.

Parents especially are alarmed over shooting in the neighborhood where many children play.

The SPCA has a standing reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of such offenders.

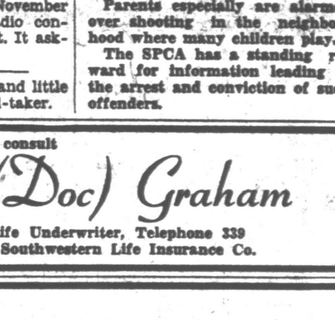
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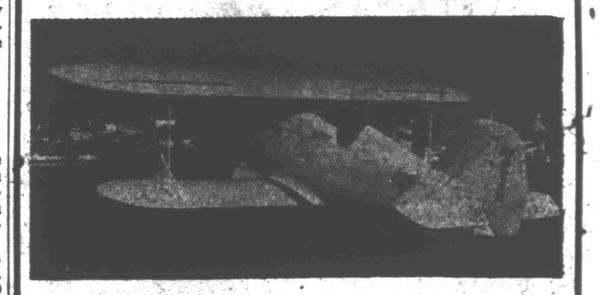
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HERB PAGE will be available for interviews immediately after the show, at the Scharbauer Hotel.

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Publicity Director.

P.S. Herb Page just finished a short film that is being shown now on two television networks covering the East Coast. Shooting will begin the first of the year on a series of "Smiling Jack" pictures in which Herb Page and this plane will be seen.

SOCIETY

SUE COLEMAN, Editor

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

FIRST WITH THE NEWS — MIDLAND, TEXAS, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1948 — SECTION TWO

Bride Of Midlander



Mrs. Robert Heath Boykin is the former Camille Inkman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitmore Inkman of Big Spring. Her marriage to Boykin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin C. Boykin of Midland, was solemnized in the First Christian Church of Big Spring Friday night, and the couple will live in Austin.

Inkman-Boykin Rites Read In Big Spring

BIG SPRING—Camille Inkman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Whitmore Inkman of Big Spring, and Robert Heath Boykin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin C. Boykin of Midland, were united in marriage Friday evening in the First Christian Church here.

Wedding vows were solemnized by the Rev. Lloyd Thompson, pastor. Banked in plumosa, smilax and woodwardia, the altar was lighted by cathedral tapers in white candelabra on tall standards.

Baskets of large white mums and calla lilies stood on either side of a wide center arrangement of the same flowers. Standards connected with white silk cord marked the bridal aisle. Pew markers were white mums and fern tied with white satin ribbon.

Music By Organist

Mrs. Oscar Pitman, organist, played the traditional wedding marches and other nuptial selections. Helon Blount sang "I Love Thee," Grieg, and "Because," D'Hardelot. Mrs. Pitman played "Claire de Lune" while the groomsmen lighted the tapers. She was attired in a blue crepe dinner dress and wore a corsage of pink camellias. Helen Blount wore a pale peach and orchid formal and had a wrist corsage of orchid mums.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of candle light satin designed with a portrait neckline outlined with a bias fold bertha and a double bertha over the shoulders. Long sleeves terminated in petal points over her hands and the bodice fastened down the back with minute satin buttons. Her voluminous skirt, worn over a hoop, was gathered to the bodice at the hip line. It swept back to form her full formal train. Back interest was added by a dramatic bustle bow.

Her fingertip veil of imported French illusion fell from a headpiece of lace outlined in satin bands and pearls. White roses and carnations composed the bride's bouquet which was centered with a purple throated white orchid and showered with bouvardia, satin ribbon and old lace. On her small finger the bride wore a diamond, gift of the groom.

Bridesmaids Wear Satin

Bridal attendants were Mrs. M. R. Koger, matron of honor; Jo Anne Boykin of Midland, Louise Ann Bennett, Robbie Piner, Mrs. W. B. Hardy, Jr., and Beverly Teel of Fort Worth, bridesmaids.

Attendants were gowned in turquoise satin dresses designed with square necklines outlined with bias folds, fitted basque bodices and bouffant skirts. They wore matching satin gauntlets.

Their headdresses were of small yellow mums backed with yellow maline. They carried identical nosegays of yellow mums backed with yellow maline and showered with matching satin ribbons.

Calvin C. Boykin, Jr., of College Station, brother of the groom, served as best man. Groomsmen were W. W. Inkman, Jr., brother of the bride; Jack D. Riggs, Joe Bruce Cunningham and Wilbur C. Tillett of Abilene.

Niece Is Flower Girl

Karon Koger, neice of the bride, was flower girl. She was attired in a white net formal with a ruffled skirt. She wore a head piece of white carnations and carried a flower basket of white trimmed in satin ribbons.

Wearing a toast brown crepe formal, the bride's mother had a corsage of yellow roses and wore matching flowers in her hair. Mrs.

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Senior Girl Scouts Decorate Float To Enter In Parade

A special meeting of Girl Scout Troop 8 was held Saturday afternoon to decorate a float which the troop will enter in the Santa Claus parade Tuesday. Members met in the home of Gloria Anguish, where the float was planned at a regular meeting Tuesday.

The troop's float will be decorated in a Christmas carolers theme. In addition to the parade plans, the group decided to present a play to raise funds for a trip next Summer.

Mrs. J. B. Cochran and Mrs. Don Johnson are leaders of the troop, which is composed of Senior Scouts.

Attend Church Today

9:00 A.M. Sunday Morning Meditation—KCRS

9:45 A.M. Sunday School

10:55 A.M. Morning Worship

SERMON BY PASTOR

6:45 P.M. Training Union

8:00 P.M. Evening Worship

SERMON BY PASTOR

First Baptist Church

Vernon Yearby, Pastor

Main at Illinois

Student From China To Speak At AAUW Christmas Guest Tea

The Christmas guest tea of the American Association of University Women Saturday afternoon will present to the members in person an example of a major postwar project of the AAUW, its international grants to bring women from other countries to study in the United States.

Yvonne Chang of Wuchang, China, who is doing graduate study in journalism at the Texas College of Mines on a foreign student scholarship sponsored by the El Paso AAUW branch, will be the speaker.

Teachers To Be Guests

The seated tea will begin at 3 p. m. in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel, with women faculty members of the Midland schools and wives of men faculty members as guests. Mrs. W. T. Magee is in charge of the program.

As a contribution to postwar reconstruction, the AAUW is raising international grants to aid university women of other countries who have suffered from the war. In addition to bringing students to the United States, the grants furnish emergency aid to women who need special help to restore themselves to useful professional service.

In the three years following the close of the war, 94 international grants were made in 15 countries. As the holder of one of the scholarships, Miss Chang exemplifies the program in this section.

Worked As Reporter

She is a graduate of the Oberlin-Shansi Memorial Academy in Taiku and received her B. A. degree in journalism from the University of Yenching. She entered the university in the Fall of 1944 and so was a student during some of the war years. She worked for a time as a reporter on the Ta Kung Pao of Tientsin, said to be one of the best daily papers in China, and she hopes to return to it after her year of study in El Paso.

She received her scholarship on the recommendation of Madame Chiang Kai-Shek, who knew her mother and so knew of Miss Chang's ambition to study in the United States. Her father is Chang Tu-Lin, a government official in Wuchang, capital of Hupeh Province.

Fifth Garden Club For City Will Be Organized Tuesday

Organization of a new garden club, the fifth in Midland, is scheduled for Tuesday at 10 a. m., when all interested persons are invited to meet in the home of Mrs. A. P. Shirey, 211 South L Street.

Mrs. Shirey, extension chairman for the Midland Council of Garden Clubs, will be in charge of the organization meeting. The club name, officers, and meeting dates will be selected by the members.

All the present garden clubs of the city have full memberships and waiting lists, Mrs. Shirey said, and the new club is being organized to meet the demand for increased enrollment. Although this time is not the beginning of a club year, she pointed out, it is time for gardeners to start a club course.

Midland now has the largest number of garden clubs of any city in District One, Garden Clubs of Texas. The original organization, the Midland Garden Club, has sponsored the formation of the Perennial, Tejas and Yucca clubs and the Council of Garden Clubs which correlates their activities.

Janie Moore Given Party To Honor Her Eleventh Birthday

Janie Moore was honored on her eleventh birthday Friday when her mother, Mrs. Chilt Moore, entertained in her home, 504 South Terrell Street. Several games were played, the prize going to Wanda Moore.

Refreshments were served to Joyce McMillan, Frances Clark, Jene Reter, Glenda Horn, Annette Moore, Bobbie Wilson, Trenna Stanley, Ann Moore, Fay McMillan, Betty Lou Parr, Mary Gifford, Virginia Moore, Jack Van Natta, Anita Wilson, Jerry Van Natta, LaNell Horn, Needa McMillan, Katrina Jo Shelburn and Wanda Moore.

Gifts were presented by the guests and sent by Nancy Trauber and Janet Whitmire.

Sub-Debs Hostesses With Holiday Dance

A Thanksgiving dance for the high school crowd had the Sub-Deb Club members, girls' social organization, as hostesses in the American Legion Hall Thursday night. Jimmie Furman's orchestra provided music.

Vari-colored streamers decorated the room. Mrs. Buster Charlton and Mrs. L. B. Moore served punch and cookies through the evening from a lace covered table.

All members of the club, of which Sarah Lew Link is president, joined in preparing for the dance.

Library Given Book By Wednesday Club

A memorial gift book from the Woman's Wednesday Club has been placed on the reference shelves of the Midland County Library, Mrs. Lucille Carroll, librarian, announced. It is "Home Book of Proverbs, Maxims and Familiar Phrases," edited by Burton Stevenson.

The book was presented by the club in memory of Midland men killed in World War II.

Youth Center Senior Council Will Meet

Members of the Senior Advisory Council of the Midland Youth Center will meet at 7 p. m. Monday in the Center building, officials announced.

The meeting will be for both November and December, since the regular November meeting was postponed. The council will not meet again until after the Christmas holidays.

All members are urged to attend.

Heads for Hollywood



Go west, young lady — but go easy at first on the sun, on the wind, on the climate that gives so many a dry, parched-looking skin . . . Protect that pretty complexion with Endocreme Hormone Cream. This scientific hormone cream works beneath the surface to help offset certain causes of ageing and dryness and helps keep the skin smooth, firm, youthful-looking. Thirty day supply, $3.50 plus tax at

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Baptist Women To Hold Annual Prayer Week Observance

An annual observance for women of the Baptist Churches, the Lottie Moon week of prayer for foreign missions, will be marked by daily programs in the First Baptist and Calvary Baptist Churches here beginning Monday.

Morning programs are scheduled by the First Baptist Woman's Missionary Society, from 10 to 11 a. m. daily in the church recreation hall. Mrs. George Johnson is program chairman.

Calvary Baptist Woman's Missionary Union will meet from 2 to 3 p. m. on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. A program at the usual prayer meeting hour, 7:30 p. m., will be presented Wednesday by the Business Women's Circle. Mrs. A. L. Teaff will direct the programs.

Theme of the week is "The World and the Song." Each program is devoted to study and prayer for missions. The week takes its name from Lottie Moon, a Baptist missionary.

Subjects Announced

Circles of the First Baptist Missionary Society will present its programs in turn. The Mary Martha Circle, of which Mrs. Albert Clements is chairman, will have charge Monday when the subject is "The People That Walked in Darkness Have Seen a Great Light."

The Annie Barron Circle, with Mrs. Vernon Yearby as chairman, will present the program Tuesday on the subject, "He That Is Mighty Hath Done Great Things." The Wednesday program, "Glad Tidings of Great Joy to All People," will be by the Mary Elizabeth Truly Circle, of which Mrs. Richard Hinkle is chairman.

Thursday's subject, "To Guide Our Feet Into the Ways of Peace," will be presented by the Rebekah Circle which has Mrs. G. G. Hazel as chairman. The programs will end Friday when the Lottie Moon Circle, with Mrs. Mae Ward as chairman, will have the topic, "Mine Eyes Have Seen Thy Salvation."

The Margie Shumate Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will include a discussion of the program theme at its regular meeting at 5:15 p. m. Thursday in the church.

Married In Church Ceremony



Mrs. Eugene Lamar Kopecky was married Wednesday evening in a ceremony read by the Rev. Howard Hollowell, minister, in the First Methodist Church. She is the former Beth Prothro, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Prothro. Mr. and Mrs. Kopecky will live at 317 1/2 South Big Spring Street.

'Messiah' To Be Sung On Two Dates During Christmas Season

Dates for two presentations of "The Messiah," Handel's oratorio which will be sung by a citywide chorus and group of soloists as a Christmas music highlight in Midland, have been announced by Don Moore, director, who also has designated soloists for the various arias.

The first performance of the oratorio will be at 8 p. m. Friday, December 17, and the second at 5 p. m.



Don Moore

Sunday, December 19. Both will be in the First Methodist Church, where weekly rehearsals are held each Thursday. The Civic Music Club is sponsoring the presentation.

A chorus of approximately 65 persons will sing the oratorio. Soloists will be Mrs. Thomas M. Hills, soprano; Miss Elizabeth Cope, alto; Ralph Smith, tenor, and Fred Gordor Middleton, basso.

The oratorio, considered one of Handel's masterpieces, was not intended as exclusively Christmas music but it is especially appropriate in theme for that season, and is perhaps the world's favorite music for Christmas.

It is a lengthy piece, seldom given in its entirety. The version to be presented here has been cut to make a full evening's program, and includes selections from both parts of the oratorio.

Favorite arias and choruses from "The Messiah" are familiar to most persons, as they frequently are sung by church choirs and on musical programs. Especially well known is the impressive "Hallelujah Chorus."

Director Experienced

Moore, director of the oratorio here, has been active in musical affairs of Midland the last few years, and is now choir director for the First Methodist Church. He was music coordinator in the Midland public schools, a position he left to become associated with an insurance company. He studied at the University of Colorado and McMurry College in Abilene, and with Dr. Cameron McClain of Detroit, guest instructor in the Southwestern Music Conservatory at Amarillo.

The soloists have had varied musical training and experience. Mrs. Hills, who has lived in Midland about a year, studied with private teachers and has sung with an opera company in Chicago. Miss Cope, now music coordinator in the public schools and director of the high school chorus, came to Midland from McCamey. She studied in the music department at North Texas State College, Denton.

Smith has sung in quartets and choruses as well as appearing as soloist on programs here. He is an employe of the Shell Oil Company and has been active in Boy Scout work. Middleton is associated with his father in operation of a cleaning plant. He studied at Texas Christian University.

Former Midlander Marries Lynn Ryan In Lubbock Church

LUBBOCK — The marriage of Lynn Marie Ryan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Milton Ryan, and William Harold Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Eugene Price of Fort Worth, former Midland residents, was solemnized at 7 o'clock Thursday night with the Rev. Travis White reading a double-ring ceremony in the First Christian Church.

Mrs. Don Mitchell, organist, accompanied Miss Eugenia Luker who sang "Because" and played the traditional wedding marches.

Feminine attendants were Mrs. James G. Nash of Liberal, Kan., sister of the bride, as matron of honor; Miss Mary Lou Price, sister of the bridegroom; Miss Clay Jean Anderson of Ignacio, Colo., Mrs. Hal Langford and Miss Brentie Sue Thompson, bridesmaids.

W. E. Price served his son as best man and ushers were Fred Wemple, Jr., Ralph Vertrees, Charles Hunter, Richard Berry, Rober Statton and Paul Morrison, Jr., all of Midland, Charles Funk of Lubbock and Bob Hinckley of Fort Worth.

Reception Is Held

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore her sister's wedding gown. Made of lustrous white satin, it was adorned by a motif of seed pearls in a leaf design. A circle of the pearls joined the illusion yoke to the tightly fitted bodice and outlined the long sleeves which ended in points over the hands. Her full length veil of imported Belgian lace, which belonged to Mrs. John Robert Moxley, fell from a halo of the same lace, embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of stephanotis on maline, shadowed with ribbons.

The attendants wore red velveteen period dresses fashioned with off the shoulder necklines, fitted bodices and sweeping full skirts.

A reception followed in Fellowship Hall.

The couple will be at home in Dallas where Price is a student in the law school at Southern Methodist University. For travel the bride wore a smoky blue suit with black accessories and a mauveteen hat. She is a former student at Texas Christian University.

Price is a graduate of Midland High School, attended Texas Technological College and Texas Christian University and spent two years as an aviation cadet in the Naval Air Corps.

COUNCIL NOT TO MEET

The Midland Council of Garden Clubs will not have its monthly meeting Tuesday, Mrs. T. A. Golladay, chairman, has announced. The next meeting will be after the Christmas holidays.

In Children's Theater Play



Children's Theater members from Group 1 of the Midland Community Theater's junior acting units are pictured in a try-out scene for the play, "Puss in Boots," which they will present on December 13 and 14. A full program is scheduled by the children's units on those nights in the City-County Auditorium. Group 2, comprising girls and boys from the fourth to seventh grades, will stage a one-act play, "Many Moons," and the Junior Theater, made up of teen-agers, will present "Sir David Wears a Crown." Left to right in the group pictured are Sharon Shaw, Charles Younger, Margaret Scobey, Michael Scobey, Charles Lawhon, Dennis Kelly, Charley Jane Hayes, Gary Hendrick, Michael FitzGerald, Linda Merl Stracener, John Edward Myer, Dick Kelsey, John Younger, Ronnie Schenck, Mimi Muldrow and Billie Lynn.

Anne Bates Is Bride Of Allen Wemple

St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock was the scene Saturday evening of the marriage of Anne Louise Bates of Midland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Bates of Lubbock, and Allen Wemple, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wemple of Midland.

The Rev. H. I. Robins, pastor of the First Methorist Church of Lubbock, read the single-ring ceremony. White chrysanthemums and white tapers against a background of palms and plumosa fern set a color note that was repeated in costumes of the bride and her attendants.

Her gown was of ivory satin, the square neckline outlined with rolls of the material studded with seed pearls, the sleeves long and pointed at the wrists, the full skirt gathered to a long fitted bodice, held over a hoop and rounded into a train.

Wears 'Something Borrowed'

The full-length veil of imported illusion falling from a satin calot with a design of seed pearls had been worn by Mrs. H. C. Avery, Jr., of Midland, sister of the bridegroom, when she was married. Her cascade bouquet was of gardenias, camellias and stephanotis and her only piece of jewelry was an antique necklace, a gold chain with seed pearls, belonging to Mrs. Murray E. Jones of Lubbock.

Dresses of Autumn green velvet were worn by all the attendants, Mrs. Marjorie Bain of Lubbock, sister of the bride and her matron of honor, Mrs. Avery and Miss Mary Conley Jones of Midland, Miss Evelyn Wemple and Miss Lucille Wemple, both students in the Hockaday School at Dallas.

The gowns were fashioned alike, with bertha collar, fitted bodice, long pointed sleeves and long skirt worn over a hoop. The bridesmaids wore calots of the same green velvet and carried cascade bouquets of white split carnations.

Twins Flower Girls

Ivory velvet dresses of the flower girls, Sharon and Shirley Watts, twin daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Watts of Midland, completed the picture. Their frocks had puff sleeves, gathered strips of the material across the shoulder line, and long hooped skirts. They wore headdresses of white split carnations and carried white rose petals in white baskets.

The candle lighters, Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Jr., of Midland and Miss Pat Keffer of Lubbock, wore floor-length white dresses. The bride's mother was dressed in a formal gown of plum crepe, and Mrs. Fred Wemple in blue crepe.

Men in the wedding party were Fred W. Wemple, brother of the bridegroom, best man, and the groomsmen, Sam S. Bates, Jr., and Jack Bates of Lubbock, C. W. Chancellor, Jr., H. C. Avery, Jr., and David S. Googins of Midland. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

While the candles were lighted, Miss Imogene Webster, organist, played "Melody," Tschaikowski; "Serenade," Romberg, and "I Love Thee," Grieg. She accompanied the vocal soloist, Mrs. Emil D'Acosta, who sang "Because," D'Hardelot, and at the close of the ceremony, "The Lord's Prayer," Malotte.

Reception Follows Vows

Processional music was the "Bridal Chorus" from Wagner's "Lohengrin;" the organist played "Clair de Lune," Debussy, during the service and Mendelssohn's wedding march as the wedding party left the altar.

At the wedding reception in the

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Council Of Church Women To Present Gifts For Refugees

Along with a study of world peace as an individual responsibility, the Midland Council of Church Women will observe World Community Day Monday with gifts which they believe will be a contribution to friendly world relations. The council will meet at 3 p. m. in the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Mrs. Dean Chenoweth of San Angelo will be the guest speaker on the subject, "Peace Is My Responsibility." Mrs. Paul McHargue is in charge of the program and Mrs. L. A. Robey, vice president of the council, will preside.



Mrs. Dean Chenoweth

Kits For Youngsters

The gifts, to be presented by members and by others interested in the project, will go to children and teen-agers in displaced persons

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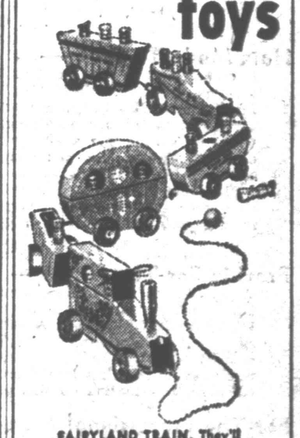
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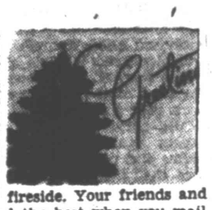
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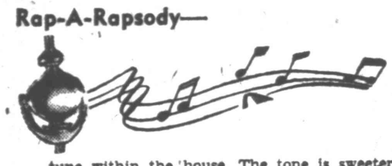
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Office Equipment—Made To Order—



Various oil companies with offices in Midland have found it necessary to acquire more cabinet space or more working space. GATES CABINET SHOP has supplied this need adequately. With woods to match other office fixtures, the shop has been able to fill many such orders with tracing tables, stationery cabinets, desks and map cabinets made according to specifications. Also, the shop has filled orders for special show cases for stores or eating places. Mr. Gates has just received a shipment of mahogany, birch, maple and walnut—all fine quality woods for this type work.

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Get Your Holiday Permanent Now—



A new hat is always a "perker-upper" but don't forget your Christmas permanent. In the midst of your shopping it will be a nuisance to have to take time out to get a permanent. Make your appointment now at HAZEL'S BEAUTY SHOP, 511 West New Jersey, for that special permanent. Lovely soft curls are a "must" now for the new styles. Hair is short and well-groomed. Hazel's Beauty Shop offers various types of permanents that give soft curls that are youthful and easy to manage. Call 3494.

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Provide For The Future—

When Old Mother Hubbard went to the cupboard—chances are that her departed spouse had never heard of the RESERVE LOAN LIFE INSURANCE OF TEXAS. A wife has the right to expect this provision for her future—an insurance policy that assures her financial security when she becomes a widow. People naturally ask the question "Did he leave his family provided for?" Call C. E. (Bud) Bissell for more information on this policy.

For The Professional Man—



An ideal gift for the professional man is a genuine leather brief case from ANGELO LUGGAGE. There are other gift items such as billfolds, Dopp kits, military sets in fine leather cases and men's luggage consisting of five beautiful matching pieces in fine saddle leather. You can get single pieces, too. Any of these quality leather gifts would be a lasting pleasure to the lucky man who receives them.

Grow Beautiful Roses—



You don't need a green thumb to grow beautiful roses. WALKER'S NURSERY, on Andrews Highway, has sturdy rose plants, individually wrapped with the color and planting instructions on each rose cutting. For an adventure in gardening that's sure to reward you, order these hardy plants now and have a beautiful rose garden that will be a joy to you and also beautify your premises. Call 2010 for orders. Walker's Nursery also has a nice selection of evergreen shrubs that can be planted now.

Fountain Specials—



Changes are being planned for KING'S DRIVE-INN. Mr. Taylor, manager, announces he will install tables in addition to the curb service. If you've never tasted the new foods at King's Drive-Inn you've missed the treat of your life. Those fountain specials are something you can't resist. Their malts and milk shakes are double thick and those jumbo banana splits are simply scrumptous! It's the place for a social get-together.

What To Do—



For an evening's entertainment? Well, there is PLAMOR PALACE, with open bowling afternoons, evenings and weekends on their excellent alleys. In bowling "practice makes perfect." So practice when you're out of school. If you're an amateur, capable instructors will be glad to help you improve your technique. There is, also, the new game of Shuffleboard that is gaining popularity at Plamor Palace.

For A Western Christmas—



A gift of fine leather is one that brings long lasting pleasure to the receiver. Shop for your belts, billfolds and other leather goods at FRIDAY BOOT SHOP, 113 East Wall. The shop also has a fine selection of boots in plain and fancy design, all in fine quality leather, that are waiting to make someone proud and happy at Christmas time. Get your Christmas boots now, while they have a complete stock to choose from.

Hardwick-Stewart



Here's elegance, charm and comfort at a price that's easily within your budget. HARDWICK-STEWART has a wonderful assortment of chairs featured at an amazing reduction. There are fireside chairs, lounge chairs and many other odd chairs, upholstered in excellent long wearing fabric. This marvelous special is to make room for more merchandise arriving every day. As a Christmas gift for the home, any of these lovely chairs would bring year 'round pleasure and lend grace and comfort to your room.

Homemade Pie—



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Collectors' Items—



For your collector friends, MRS. J. O. SHANNON, 1002 North A Street, has a beautiful collection of hand painted, antique china plates that would be delightful Christmas gifts. She also has other rare antique pieces, such as, dresser trays, cups and saucers, antique lamps and marble top tables. There are genuine walnut shadowbox frames among her collection that are lovely to keep or give away. Mrs. Shannon will be happy to have you call and see her collection and make your selection for Christmas gifts.

Presents With A Point Of Fashion—



"Christmas finds" to treasure all the year are the Lady Dunston jewel cases at CARL'S. They're made of genuine leather and highlighted with saddle stitching. Fully lined with velvet for prized costume jewelry, they present a point of fashion, of price, of Christ-1948. They're capacious and ultra smart—just the presents for the instead-of-a-card category. They are priced $1.95 and come in beautiful colored leather. You'll want to include several on your Christmas gift list.

Attractive Scrapbooks And Photo Albums—

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Weather Lotions—



Beautiful hands are every woman's "birthright"—so hail this news of a wonderful special at DUNLAP'S COSMETIC DEPARTMENT. Dorthy Gray's Blustery Weather Lotion and Special Dry Skin Lotion are featured at half price—a special to continue into December. Blustery Weather Lotion is a creamy fragrant liquid that leaves skin soft and smooth with never a greasy or sticky feel, dries quickly—and a little goes a long way. Special Dry Skin Lotion is a good year 'round lotion that prevents flaky dryness. It's amazingly effective on arms, legs and hands in helping prevent chapping. Invest in your skin's protection while this special half-price offer prevails.

See The New Nash At Ace Motors—

On display at ACE MOTORS, 318 North Big Spring, the 1949 Nash Airflyte comes in two great series—the Nash "600" in the lower price field, the Nash "Ambassador" in the medium price field, designed, engineered and built with the touch of tomorrow. "Automatic fourth speed forward" overdrive is optional equipment on the "Ambassador" and the "600." It combines the advantages of smooth "effortless" ride and fuel economy and contributes to engine life. It also offers the convenience of "split-second" change back to the conventional third-gear for rapid, acceleration when passing or hill climbing. Batteries on both the "Ambassador" and "600" have been located in new position inside the engine compartment for service accessibility.

Holiday Glamour—



For holiday relaxation there's nothing nicer than a shimmering quilted satin robe that invites hours of cuddling by the fire with your favorite book. FASHION SALON has them in tunic length or full length of lovely quilted satin with Jersey trim, also, pajamas to match. The negligees are of cloud-like satin all in pastel shades and lavish with lace. Crepe and velvet make lovely lounge ensembles also a dream of lace and chiffon is the sheer long sleeve robe.

For Your Present Time—From Kruger's—



Every minute of the coming year, your Christmas gift watch will be serving beautifully—dependably. It will be a constant reminder of you and your Christmas thoughtfulness, so, select your gift with care from KRUGER'S wonderful assortment of nationally famous name brand watches such as, Gruen, Elgin, Benrus, Bulova, Omega, Hamilton, Waltham and many others. You can open your account at Kruger's for as little as $1 down. Take advantage of this easy payment plan.

Warm Hospitality From Kruger's—



For your holiday serving, choose this beautiful holloware from KRUGER'S fine selection. The unit, by International includes well and tree platter, covered vegetable dish and bread tray in Rochelle pattern. Also, these pieces are excellent gift inspirations. Use Kruger's lay-away plan to do your Christmas shopping or to purchase for your home. Your most subtle gesture of good taste is reflected in your choice of silver so select now from Kruger's famous patterns.

Real Holiday Flavor—



It makes no difference if the food is superb—if the service is not excellent but at COLIN'S CAFE you get good food plus perfect service which equals a perfect meal! The menu includes a wide assortment of fine foods expertly prepared. The chef at Colin's Cafe is a genius when it comes to preserving flavor in foods. His holiday dishes are everything your appetite is "hankering" for. They have the holiday flavor that makes the new Winter season so exciting.

Wonderful Sleeping Comfort—



Wonderful sleeping comfort is yours with a Simmon's Electric Blanket. Buy a Simmons at MIDLAND HARDWARE LINEN DEPARTMENT, and discover a new world of cozy sleeping. Warmth automatically controlled night-after-night at just-right temperature you personally select, also, GE Electric comforts and GE Electric sheets for light comfortable covers retain even warmth. They are perfectly safe. If anything goes wrong with the current the fuse "blows" and the electricity is shut off. The blanket and sheet are washable, th comfort can be dry cleaned.

Luscious Holiday Pastel Felts—



Ice cream pastels, frosted with metallic cloth, velvet, feathers, flowers and veiling—everything nice for the festive holiday season—that's the picture at EVERYBODY'S HAT SALON. Also, you'll find a gorgeous assortment of cloth flowers for your party costumes and beautiful shining hat pins in jet or sequins in large, medium and small sizes. It's a season of brilliance, glamor and fashion. There's any style hat you prefer at Everybody's.

Auto-Suggestions—



Damaged windshield glass or window glass is a menace to safe driving. It may also mean a traffic ticket should a traffic cop happen to stop you. When glass needs replacing take your car to MID-O-TEX AUTO GLASS AND EQUIPMENT COMPANY, 2419 West Indiana. They will make expert repairs and replacements at a reasonable cost. Repair or replacement of worn parts can prevent excessive wear on other parts. Drive in now for a check-up. They also replace glass-run channels and window regulators that keep glass from rattling.

Safety On Wheels—

In Winter, more than ever, your safety depends on the proper balance and alignment of your wheels. Take your car to MID-WEST MOTOR COMPANY, 107 South Colorado, for precision wheel balancing with their famous Bean Equipment. Correctly balanced wheel double the life of your tires. Expert mechanics do the job and give your car a complete check up. Don't take chances on having an accident. Wobbly wheels make driving hazardous.

Unusual Picture Moldings—

You'll want a special frame for that precious Christmas portrait. SIMMONS PAINT AND PAPER COMPANY has received a large shipment of beautiful moldings suitable for portraits or other pictures. There is any type frame you will need so make your selection now for framing your Christmas pictures. The frame is as important as the picture and should be in character with it to do it justice. You will not want just any frame for that special portrait.

Expert Service Department—

If you have a collision and get a dented fender, a broken windshield or a battered door, call MURRAY-YOUNG MOTORS, LTD., phone 64. Always on the job, Murray-Young Motors is equipped to handle any emergency. Their tow truck can be on its way an instant after your call reaches them. A Bear machine for front end alignment is part of their modern equipment. Play safe and have that broken glass replaced. Those dented fenders can be straightened and a little matching paint makes them like new again.

New Furniture For Old!—

If your furniture has become dull and scarred from long use, you can have it refinished at MASTER-CRAFT FURNITURE COMPANY and it will be good as new. These craftsmen can take an old piece of furniture and transform it into a glowing new piece. They are experts at repairing and can replace the leg of a table or chair with skill and artistry. Refinishing is their specialty. They'll pick up your old decrepid furniture and return it to you completely restored to its original beauty and finish.

A Bit Of Mexico—

A trip to Mexico is something to dream about but—did you know we had a bit of Mexico right here in Midland? At CECIL KING'S, 416 West Texas, they serve Mexican foods with that real Mexico flavor. You'll never find better food South of the board. Make a date for dinner at Cecil King's and savor the flavor of enchiladas, tocas, chili, Spanish rice and other delicious foods in all their mouth-watering goodness.

Wash The Easy Way—

Don't let the family wash "put you through the wringer." A tip to the wise—take it to the MIDLAND WASHATERIA, 401 South Marienfield. You can do your entire laundry in a few minutes with plenty soft hot water. There is a new, modern dryer to dry your clothes. The Washateria opens at 7 a. m. Monday through Saturday and closes Saturday noon. You can also have your clothes wet-washed, says Mr. I. B. McCain, new manager.

"Love That Chicken!"—

Treat yourself to a dinner of Southern fried chicken at RODEO-TEL on East Highway. Crisp and buttery brown each piece is fried to perfection. Generous serving of everything good to eat are available at Rodeo-Tel. Ultra fine steaks and chops—luncheons fit for a king. Drop in for a bite or a full course dinner. The food is expertly prepared and courteously served. You and your whole family can sit down to a delicious meal in pleasant surroundings. Family parties are welcome.

Ready-Mixed Concrete—

Building need not be a mussy job for the task of mixing concrete can now be eliminated. MIDLAND CONCRETE, South East Front Street, sells ready-mixed concrete. There's no fuss—no muss! You can purchase any quantity of this scientifically mixed concrete that is laboratory tested and made of the finest ingredients. Buy a bucket full—10 yards—a half or any quantity and Midland Concrete delivers it right to the building site. Call 1521 for orders.

Chicken Shack—

Looking for a good eating place? Try the fare at THE CHICKEN SHACK on East Highway. You'll enjoy the tasty full course dinner with that real "Old South" flavor. The Southern fried chicken is crisp and brown, moist and tender. The hot rolls and biscuits are fragrant, crusty and light, and the home baked pies are heavenly, with crisp flaky crust.

Exciting, Expensive And Magnificent!—

No merchandise is so typically a product of this western region as the genuine, handtooled leather luggage at CARL'S. It's exciting—expensive—and magnificent! It's a crowning achievement in handtooled, fine quality leather, with genuine brass hardware. The men's two suiter is lined with genuine leather and is perfect in every detail. It's rich looking and rugged—unexcelled in craftsmanship. The ladies 3-piece set is lined with maroon satin and exquisitely handtooled in a beautiful and unique pattern. It's different, distinguished and long-lasting.

TEXAS TODAY—

Four Major Issues Face Fifty-First Legislature

By DAVE CHEAVENS

AUSTIN. (AP)—Four major issues already loom like big black thunderheads over the 51st legislature.

This far in advance of the January 11 meeting the storm warnings already are flying on these questions: finances and taxation; reorganization of the public school system; election law reform and revision; overhauling of the prison system.

The 51st will be a legislature unique in Texas history in that it will have more money—certainly more ready cash—to spend than ever before. It is impossible to say just now what the precise amount will be, but the fiscal experts believe it will be in the neighborhood of $240,000,000.

The last session spent every cent in sight. Some of the hardest feelings growing out of the 50th legislature were an aftermath of the additional appropriations that died because there was not enough money on hand or in sight to pay for them. Whenever there is a large chunk of change lying around, the competition among those who want it is bound to be fierce. It could result in a struggle falling only a point or two shy of mayhem.

Allied Questions

Nearly all the issues faced by the 51st are linked directly or indirectly with the allied questions of finance and taxation. The cry for election law revision is an exception. This should not cost much in money.

If the legislature spends all the ready cash, then almost surely the agitation for new taxes will be revived. It may not wait for that. The Fort Worth democratic convention came up with some talk favorable to increasing taxation of natural resources. That might get somewhere in the house but hard going almost certainly can be predicted for any move in that direction in the senate.

The new legislature, incidentally, includes 10 of 31 senators serving for the first time in that branch, and there will be 51 new faces in the 150-member house.

Perhaps the biggest job faced by the 51st legislature is to digest then act upon, the report of the Gilmer-Aiken education committee.

This 41-page printed document, with revolutionary proposals close-packed in every chapter, can not be grasped in one quick reading, and it actually is only an outline of the committee's ideas. A conscientious legislator would have to read it plus the entire minutes of the committee's work to have a sound notion of what it undertakes to do in revamping the public school system.

Emergency Status

Complete overhauling of the prison system as proposed by its new management and the prison board would be a big job for any body of lawmakers. Gov. Beauford H. Jester has promised to give this undertaking, particularly the need for an immediate four million appropriation, emergency status to help ram it through.

These are only the immediate apparent major issues.

There also will be demand for modification of the labor control legislation that swept through the 50th session, opposed by sentiment that those laws be allowed to stand. This will produce thunder and lightning.

New water laws will be proposed, as well as the usual measures labeled as promoting oil and gas conservation. Plenty of differences will develop in these fields.

Also a cinch to produce a session-long battle will be renewed efforts to give the game, fish and oyster commission full regulatory powers, and for a universal state hunting and fishing license law.

A big segment of the House especially will be yelling for more and better rural roads and this could touch off the fight on taxation. Whether or not the school-teachers will be satisfied with the Gilmer-Aikin committee's recommendation for minimum $2,400 annual salaries (compared with the present $2,000) is highly questionable. The school teachers generated much of the last legislature's fireworks.

Specific Proposals

This only hits the high spots. Here are some specific proposals for legislation that have been announced:

Abolition of the poll tax as a prerequisite to voting.

A real legislative redistricting bill, following adoption of the constitutional amendment providing for automatic redistricting if the legislature does not act.

Broadening of the basis of taxation by municipalities to help ease their growing pains.

A "loyalty bill" by Rep. Marshall O. Bell of San Antonio, designed to curb communism.

A bill to unify and simplify the state's fiscal system under a budget bureau.

A bill to protect migratory workers and perhaps a new effort to write some kind of a law making racial discrimination a criminal offense.

A bill to make a life sentence mandatory upon the second conviction of sex offense.

★ WE, THE WOMEN



By RUTH MILLET
NEA Staff Writer

"Women's clothes are prettier right now than they've been in a long, long time."

The man who made that remark made as much fun of the "new look" when it was new as did most men. He was just as superior then as any other male about the silliness of women in following the fickle fad of fashion. But now that he is thoroughly used to the "new look" it looks good to him.

All of which goes to show that women aren't so dumb after all in going in for sudden fashion changes.

Such changes in styles not only give the women a lift, they make men more clothes conscious, too. And even though they rebel at first at sudden changes in women styles, they soon get used to them and think they're an improvement over the old.

If women went along year after year with no drastic changes in style, men would become as bored with their clothes as women are with men's unchanging styles.

But by giving them a rude shock every now and then by a sudden style change the women keep men noticing.

It's just a change of pace, and a change of pace is good strategy.

+ Rankin News +

RANKIN—Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Koerting, with their daughter, Jeanette, of Dumas, and grandsons, Jimm, and Dickie Reed, of Silverton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Workman Thanksgiving Day. The Koertings are Mrs. Workman's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Neal and Mrs. J. B. Ratliff returned Thursday from Rochester, Minn., where Mrs. Neal had been taken for medical treatment. Her condition is reported as improved.

Bob Fitzgerald left Wednesday to visit relatives in Fort Worth for several days.

Jimmy Workman spent Thanksgiving Day with Billy Brashear and his mother in Fort Worth, and will return home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. (Cowboy) Brown and family were guests of relatives in Mertzon Thanksgiving.

E. O. Ward, injured in a car-pickup wreck several weeks ago, is sufficiently recovered to be back in Rankin after being hospitalized in Texon and San Angelo. Billy Stephenson remains in a San Angelo hospital, but is reported much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Anderson and daughter, Glenda, of Coleman were holiday guests in the home of the D. S. Andersons.

Roy Lee Bell and Tommy Hall of Schreiner Institute and Bobby Bell of Sul Ross College are among college students home this weekend.

Louis Milton Smith has begun construction of a duplex on the site formerly occupied by the John G. Prude house opposite the high school building. Jack Marshall is the contractor.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Neal and children of Toyahvale are visiting in the Henry Neal home during the holidays.

MOTHER IS GUEST

Mrs. W. T. Baker of Amarillo is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Brashears, and family.

Stainless steel contains about 13 per cent chromium.

SYNTHETIC CLEANERS ARE EXCELLENT SPOT REMOVERS

Synthetic detergent cleansers are excellent oil and grease removers, which makes them especially useful for washing greasy pans and dishes, household equipment specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture note. However, this characteristic may be a disadvantage in washing linoleum or oil-painted surfaces, say the specialists, because the detergents tend to draw out the oil and thus cause a drying of these finishes.

Cakes should be stored in closed containers which have some ventilation. Circulation of air is needed to keep cake from acquiring a musty taste.

GIRLS' EDUCATION CALLED MORE VITAL

NORTH WALSHAM, ENGLAND —(AP)—Educating girls is more important than teaching boys, local Education Officer W. O. Bell says—because girls run things later on.

He told high school girls here the happiness and standards of life—not to mention the character—of British husbands and children depend on the mother.

OKLAHOMAN IS GUEST

Miss Zula Belle Linder of Muskogee, Okla., is spending the Thanksgiving holidays in the H. S. McFadden home, 2304 Brunson Street.

HOUSTON PETROLEUM CLUB TO START BUILDING JOB

HOUSTON—Work will commence on the clubrooms for the Petroleum Club of Houston about December 15, Howard C. Warren, Houston independent oilman and acting secretary of the club, announced Saturday.

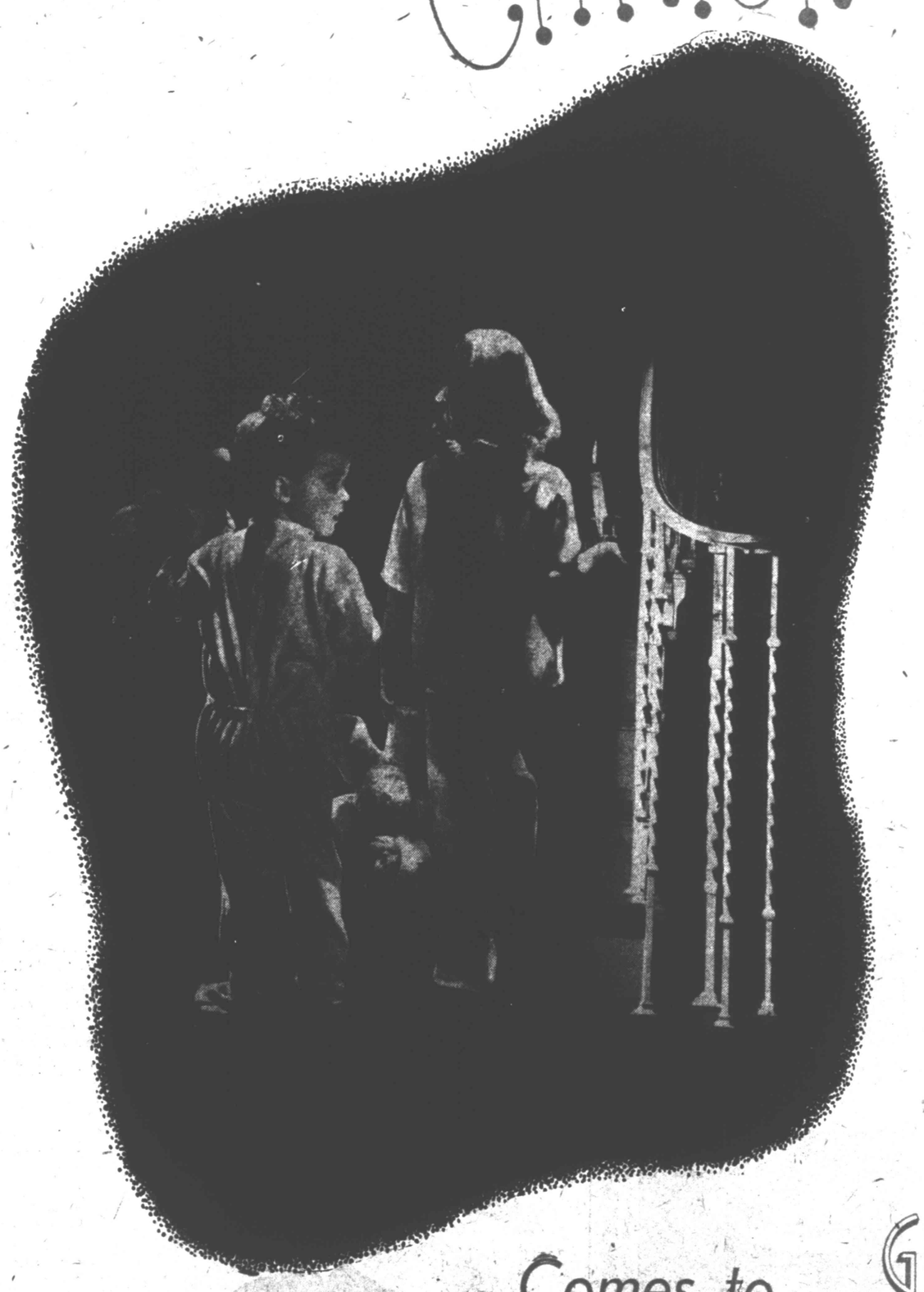
The club, which was chartered Jan. 31, 1946, will occupy the fourth floor of the Lamar Hotel in downtown Houston. It is expected that the club will open March 1.

VISIT IN LOUISIANA

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Stewart are spending two weeks visiting in Waterproof, La., with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Rabb.

The Magic Of

CHRISTMAS



Window Shop Tuesday Night!

Grammer-Murphey's Christmas windows open at six o'clock sharp . . . and Santa Claus (himself in person) arrives in Midland at seven . . . you'll want to be downtown with your kiddies for this exciting once-a-year event!

Comes to GRAMMER-MURPHEY

For you we've assembled a sparkling array of the newest in beautiful gifts for women . . . to help you make her Christmas merry and exciting, a magical event never to be forgotten down thru the years . . . and when she unwraps your gala surprise the gleam in her eye will tell you of her thankfulness of your thoughtfulness.

And don't forget to do your choosing now!

. . . THE PRETTIEST OF GIFT WRAPPINGS, OF COURSE!

Kermit Seeks Hotel, Office Building

KERMIT—Possibilities of financing the erection of a modern hotel and office building here were discussed at a recent meeting of Kermit citizens, when a 20-man temporary organizing committee was elected.

Ben Meek was named chairman of the committee. Other members are Hugh Moore, Nev H. Williams, John Read, Nolan Watson, H. L. Roberson, Webb Jenkins, S. M. Halley, Dr. John Graves, Oscar Maples, M. H. Alberts, Don Tracy, William E. Pool, Geor; Cook, Hal Hester, J. M. Lipham, Harold Diller, Wayne Spears, Dan English and Jack Olsen.

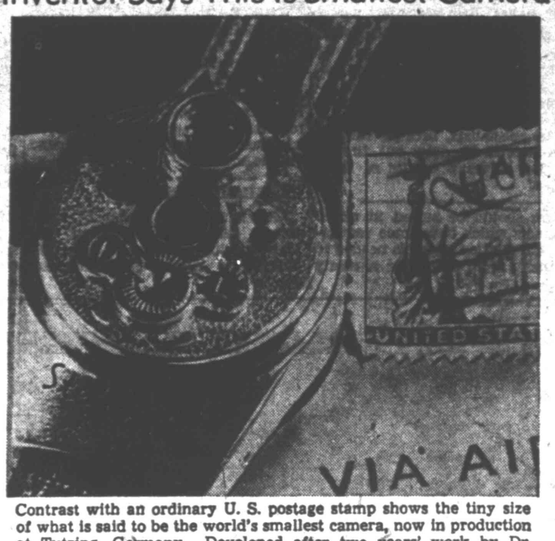
The committee selected three of its members to visit neighboring cities to obtain information and procedure used in getting hotel and office building facilities.

Reports will be heard at a meeting Monday night in the courthouse.

A seven-story, combination hotel and office building was suggested at the original session.

The heaviest known materials are metals, but some metals are among the lightest known materials.

Inventor Says This Is Smallest Camera



Contrast with an ordinary U. S. postage stamp shows the tiny size of what is said to be the world's smallest camera, now in production at Tutzing, Germany. Developed after two years' work by Dr. Rudolf Steineck, 42-year-old engineer, it is worn like a wristwatch. With shutter fixed at 1/250th of a second, it takes eight negatives on 3 x 4 mm. orbicular film, which can be enlarged to 2⅛ by 3¼ inches. Photo by Gerhard P. Seinig, NEA staff correspondent.

Council—

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camps of Europe and refugee camps of Asia. The council sponsored a similar program last year, when gifts were sent to half a million girls and boys.

Gift packages contain clothing and such necessities as toilet articles, needles and thread, stationery and pencils, material for patches and yardage for new garments. Persons who packed the kits also were asked to add to each one a bright item such as a ribbon, scarf, necktie, artificial flower, perfumed soap or a pocket knife.

Not all the gift items are new, but the council insists that all be clean as that has proved to be one of the greatest values in the packages previously sent abroad by church women of America. Cash contributions are asked to pay for shipping and to supplement the gifts.

These packages go to young people many of whom cannot remember a home, who live herded in camps after being shunted from place to place, whose identity has been reduced to numbers, and whose future holds little hope. The National Council of Church Women believes that gifts to them make a substantial contribution to the cause of world peace.

In using hard-cooked egg for a garnish the whites may be chopped and added to the dish. The yolks can then be put through a fine sieve with a spoon.

Boykin Rites—

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Boykin mother of the groom, wore a gold crepe formal with bronze mums tied in gold. She wore matching flowers in her hair.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the ball-room of the Settles Hotel. Covered with a floor-length white satin cloth with flounces of white satin, the bride's table held an arrangement of large white mums and white carnations. White satin ribbons and wedding bells were showered at the corners. Baskets of white mums were used to decorate the room.

Will Live In Austin

Members of the house party included Mrs. Shine Phillips, Mrs. G. H. Wood, Mrs M. H. Bennett, Mrs. J. Y. Robb, Mrs. R. T. Piner, Mrs. Morris Patterson, Mrs. M. K. House, Sr., Mrs. G. T. Hall, Mrs. Jim Little, Mrs. Carl Strom, Mrs. R. V. Middleton, Mrs. W. B. Hardy, Sr., Mrs. George O'Brien, Jr., and Mrs. Earl Ezzell. They were dressed in formal frocks and wore corsages of small yellow mums tied with yellow satin ribbon.

After the reception, the couple left for a wedding trip to San Antonio. For traveling, the bride wore a brown wool dress trimmed in gold. Her acccessories were of brown suede. Her hat was of brown felt trimmed in tiny gold beads.

Mr. and Mrs. Boykin will make their home in Austin.

Mrs. Boykin attended Christian College at Columbia, Mo., and graduated from the University of Texas in Austin, where she was a member of Chi Omega Sorority.

Mr. Boykin now is attending the University of Texas, where he is a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity. He served as a pilot in the Naval Air Corps during the war.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Calvin C. Boykin and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Corner of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ezzell, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Beherns and family, Mrs. J. W. Beherns and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grisham of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Brick Edison, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis and Mrs. George Wilkie of Stanton; and Mrs. Raymond Keithly of New Mexico.

School Cafeteria Menus Announced

Mrs. Edith Wilson, cafeteria supervisor for the Midland public schools, Saturday announced cafeteria menus for the week as follows:

Monday—Chili Mac, Boston baked beans, cabbage and carrot salad, cornbread, stewed peaches and milk.

Tuesday—Sliced cheese, potato salad, combination salad, crackers, oatmeal cookies and milk.

Wednesday—Roast beef, mashed potatoes, green beans, carrot strips, hot rolls, apple sauce and milk.

Thursday—Country sausage with cream gravy, mashed potatoes, combination salad, cocoa cake and milk.

Friday—Salmon loaf with tomato sauce, potatoes, early garden peas, lettuce salad, vanilla pudding and milk.

"May Day" was selected as an international labor holiday by the International Socialist Congress in 1889.

Political Banquet Planned For Crane

CRANE—Plans for a Democratic political benefit banquet to be held in the Community Hall at noon on December 10, were made at a recent meeting of business and civic leaders. The event is planned as a send-off rally for congressmen from this district.

Gov. Beauford H. Jester will be invited to attend as a guest of honor and Congressman Ken Regan, State Senator Hill D. Hudson, and State Rep. J. T. Rutherford are expected to attend.

Ken G. Spencer has been named to head the program committee.

Other committee members were:

Arrangements: Jack Porter, Leon Neely and Mayor W. W. Allman.

Invitations: L. M. Pittman, Tom C. Hogan, Sr., and A. T. Carroll.

Collection: Alton Evans and L. D. Parker.

Contributions: H. G. Huffman, C. Key, L. D. Parker and O. B. Wagner.

Collectors Bid Up Schacht Bank Notes

NUERNBERG, GERMANY. —(AP)—Hjalmar Schacht's signature on a German banknote officially isn't worth the paper it is written on, but unofficially it is rising in price among collectors of old bills.

While two separate currency reforms in Germany—one in the Western zone and another carried out by the Russians in their area — cost the Germans nine-tenths of their savings, a local stamp dealer and numismatist appears to be making the best of it.

Besides advertising his stamp collections, he also offers complete collections of long, out-dated banknotes. His latest addition are the German Reichsmark notes in the denominations from one to 1,000 marks. They bear the signature of Schacht who in 1923 stemmed the inflationary tide of the imperial mark currency.

Scout Council Sets Annual Meeting Date

The twenty-sixth annual meeting and banquet of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will b held January 20 in Big Spring. F. V. Thorson, Scout executive, said Saturday.

Nat Shick, Big Spring postmaster, has been named chairman of the program committee.

A capacity crowd of more than 300 Scouters and their wives is expected this year.

Council officers will be elected at a busines session preceding the banquet. H. Lyman Wren of Snyder is president of the council.

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A small down payment and weekly or monthly payments will put one of these lovely diamond wedding sets on the tree for the lady that means everything to you.



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Merry Christmas

Gifts That Say ...



Pick a pretty for a pretty Miss from Everybody's Christmas tree . . . it's loaded with lingerie that will bring sparkles to pretty eyes on Christmas morn. There's everything from handsome man-tailored pajamas of finest broadcloth to a beruffled, softly draped nightgown of gleaming satin. Why don't you see them for yourself, at EVERYBODY'S Monday. Bring along your Christmas list!



















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EVERYBODY'S

NATIONALLY FAMOUS FASHIONS FOR HER

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A Holiday Hook-up





NEW YORK—(NEA)—Plotting ways to make a memorable entrance at holiday parties?

Wear a ribbon-knit dress, which you can make yourself.

Art ribbon brightened by metallic thread can be hooked up rapidly to make a party dress, a blouse, a skirt or a high-styled accessory. Instructions for making a smart dress, such as the one Joan Crawford designed and models in its finished form (left) are available at no cost at art needle-work departments of stores and at knitting specialty shops.

All that's needed, besides directions, to make this smart party dress are 19 spools of art ribbon which offer a knitter the choice of 18 fashionable wardrobe colors.

—EPSIE KINARD, NEA Fashion Editor.

GOOD RODEO EVENT—

Present Day Jousting Less Bloodthirsty Than Of Old

By JACK DAVIS

BALTIMORE, Md. (AP) — The horseman shifted the lance to his other arm and gave his mount a reassuring pat.

Then a voice blared:

"Charge, Sir Knight!"

The rider wheeled his horse and charged . . .

Sounds like a tale of old, doesn't it? Sure, but it's just as much at home in some parts of the nation today as it was during medieval times.

Today's jousting isn't bloodthirsty. And it's a lot more fun for the participants.

Here's the way it goes: A "Knight" armed with a sharp steel-tipped lance, rides at full gallop toward a series of thrge cross-bars from which metal rings dangle. As he rides underneath, he tries to spear the rings, which slip off the holders when "pierced" correctly and slide down the shank of the lance.

Vary In Size

The rings vary in diameter from an inch-and-a-quarter to one-half inch.

There are two schools of thought on the derivation of present-day jousting. One, and the most popular, is that it was brought over from England by the first settlers of Southern Maryland in the early 1600s.

The other, advanced by a Maryland Historian, discards this theory. He says research fails to provide written mention of ring tournaments earlier than the 1840s. Even then, it was described as "an innovation."

He traces the origin of the sport to a tournament at Eglinton Castle, Ayrshire, Scotland, on August 29, 1839. Included on the program was "riding at the rings."

Among those present at the tourney, he continues, was William Gilmore, Sr., of Baltimore. The next year Gilmore returned to Maryland and held a similar tournament on his estate.

Wherever it came from, the ring tournaments still receive enthusiastic support. Most popular in southern and western Maryland, where a dozen or more are held every year its popularity extends into Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina and Pennsylvania.

Flippant Titles

The "sir-names" stay with "knights" through their jousting career. The older participants frown on the flippant titles chosen by some of the younger knights—such as Knight of Vanilla or Knight of Night before last—but a definite trend toward the more ribald titles has developed.

The tournament has its flair for pageantry. When a knight makes a perfect charge, spearing all three rings, a band strikes up with a suitable air. Two girls, mounted on spectacular horses, race to greet the knight at the end of the course and escort him—one on either side—to the judges' stand.

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AMARILLO CHOIR TO SING IN LUBBOCK

LUBBOCK — The Lubbock Symphony Orchestra will present its second concert of the subscription series, December 8, in the Lubbock High School Auditorium. The Orchestra will present as its guest, the famous Amarillo High School A Cappella Choir.

Last summer the AHS A Cappella Choir was chosen to sing in Madison Square Garden and included on its New York visit a nation-wide broadcast over NBC. It is rated by many critics as the top high school choir of the nation.

In running a spatula around the edge of a cake to loosen it before turning it out of the pan be sure the spatula touches the bottom of the pan.

McCameyNews

McCAMEY — Mrs. Dee Locklin, president of the Parent-Teacher Association, announced the P-TA is sponsoring a procedure course, to be taught by Mrs. W. A. Kay of Fort Stockton, on December 2.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Burch Woodward of Sheffield are the parents of a daughter born November 21, in a San Angelo hospital. She weighed seven pounds 10 ounces, and has been named Loraine. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pounds and Mr. and Mrs. Fonnie Woodard, all of McCamey, are the grandparents of the baby.

Mrs. A. J. Hutts of Miami, Okla., mother of Mrs. Jack Ott, is spending part of the Winter months in the Ott home here.

Mrs. S. R. Braly and daughter, Ruby Nelle, spent a few days recently in El Paso in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vail, Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Vail, Jr.

Mrs. Mat Dillingham entertained with a dinner Friday night, honoring her twin sister, Mrs. W. J. Hembree, of Ballinger. Guests were seated at attractive tables, decorated in Fall motif. Guests present were: Mrs. John Paul Godwin, Mrs. E. W. Hollowell, Mrs. Robert Cope, Mrs. R. E. Ruble, Mrs. W. K. Ramsey, Mrs. Don Smith, Mrs. John Sheehan, Mrs. Collin Gilbreath, Mrs. Doug Reeves, Mrs. J. W. Gaddy, Mrs. T. M. Sudderth, Mrs. Harvey Gammage, Mrs Joe Conger, Mrs. O. O. Jacobsen, the honor guest, Mrs. Hembree, and the hostess, Mrs. Dillingham.

Mrs. Mat Dillingham and Mrs. W. J. Hembree were guests of Mrs. Amos Floyd of Big Lake Monday at a bridge party.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Poe and daughter, Suzy, were San Angelo visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Nelms at Ozona.

Mrs. J. M. Poe, president of the McCamey Garden Club, has called a business meeting of the club for December 1 in the Methodist Annex.

Mrs. R. A. Barger has returned from a two months' visit in California. Coming back to Texas by plane, she brought her two grandchildren, Nicki Lee and Johnny Michael Tilsdn.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brooks were in Midland recently visiting in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Delma Bizzell.

Mr and Mrs. Donald Smith of McCamey were in Sundown recently in the home of Mr. Smith's brother, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Smith. While there they also visited Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Andrews who have recently moved to Sundown from McCamey

SEE FOOTBALL GAME

Mrs. J. T. Klinger and her daughter and son, Nancy Lou and John, accompanied by Max Allen attended the Southern Methodist University-Texas Christian University football game in Dallas Saturday.

Watch Camera



Note the "wristwatch" worn by this young lady. It's not a watch but the world's smallest camera, recently perfected by Dr. Rudolf Steineck, at Tutzing, Germany. With shutter fixed at 1/250th of a second, the camera takes eight negatives on 3 x 4 mm. orbicular film, which can be enlarged to 2½ x 3¼ inches, as seen above. Photo by Gerhard P. Scinig, NEA staff correspondent.

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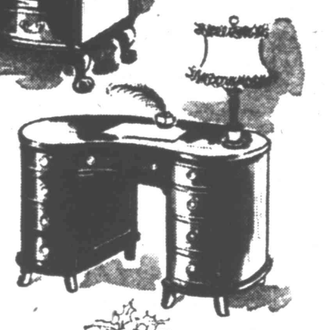
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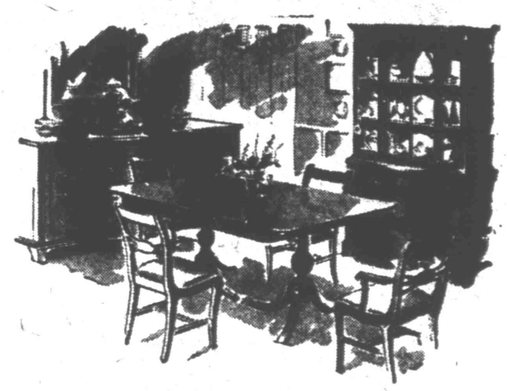


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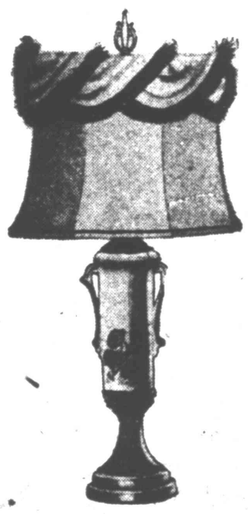




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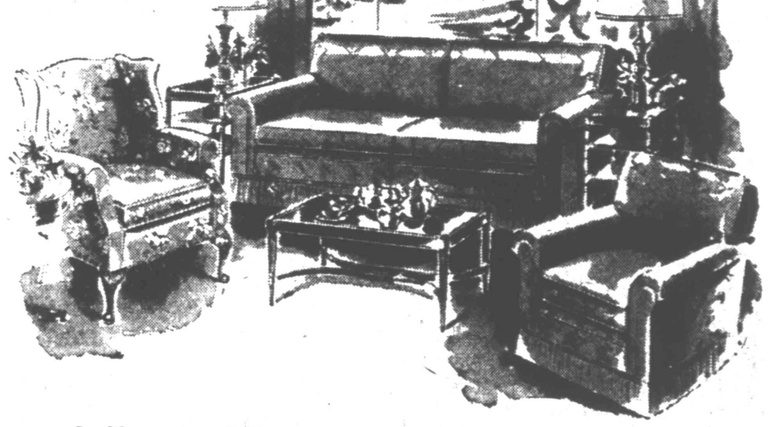
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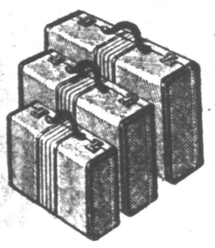
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Sings Opera Role



Earl Tom Keel, nephew of Mrs. J. J. Johnson of Midland, will sing the role of the toreador, Escamillo, when the North Texas State College opera workshop presents the Bizet opera "Carmen" in Marshall, December 1 and Denton, December 10. Son of E. T. Keel of Fort Worth, Keel is a senior student majoring in music education at NTSC.

Maxine Lindsey Is Feted With Shower

McCAMEY—The home of Mrs. I. P. Johnson was the scene of a bridal shower given Tuesday to honor Miss Maxine Lindsey, bride-elect of David Sanders of Fort Stockton.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Vena Todd, Mrs. H. L. Tudor and Mrs. I. P. Johnson.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. R. Z. Brown, Mrs. H. E. Cox, Mrs. Al Jordan, Mrs. Mittiezel Trammel, Mrs. F. O. Bolen, Mrs. Betty Gaye Willey, Mrs. Marie Driskel, Mrs. Luther Bertram, Mrs. Joe Tabor, Mrs. Cecil Lindsey, Mrs. A. R. Vaughn and daughter, Gwen, Mrs. Claude DeFord and daughter, Patsy, Mrs. O. F. Wells, and daughter, Blanche, Mrs. Johnnie Sides and daughter, Johnnie Mae, Mrs. Marion Crow, Mrs. Claud Chambers, and the bride's mother, Mrs. Cora Lindsey, and Reba Johnson, Bonnie Humphrey, LeJean Fowler, Dorothy Todd, Loretta Tudor and the honoree.

Several sent gifts who were unable to be present. They were: Mrs. W. M. Harris, Mrs. E. W. Wagner, Mrs. Dwane Flow, Mrs. H. L. Moody, Mrs. Max Moore, Mrs. Mildred Hollowell, Mrs. Al Lindsey, Mrs. Ernest Lindsey, Mrs. Billie Underwood, Mrs. Jean Bushwar, Mrs. N. C. House and Eileen, Ruth Pullfim, Audie Gasaway, and the bride's sister, Mrs. K. D. Locke of Penwell.

Modern Study Club To Hear Program On American Newspaper

Continuing a review of "The American Scene" in its program course for the year, the Modern Study Club will have a program on "The American Newspaper" at its meeting at 3 p. m. Wednesday in the home of Mrs. J. O. Hathaway, 722 West Kansas Street.

Press associations of the United States and other nations will be discussed by a guest, Mrs. Floyd Coleman, in the topic, "Giants of the Newspaper World." Mrs. J. W. Carroll's subject is "Offerings of the News Stands." Members will answer roll call with comments on newspapers and radio as a source of news.

TO YOUTH CONFERENCE

Mary Ann Searles and Joyce Howell are representing the Young People's Fellowship of the Trinity Episcopal Church at a youth conference of Episcopal churches of the North Texas District in Lubbock this weekend. They left at noon Friday and will remain through the Sunday meetings.

It is estimated 20,000,000 meteors enter the atmosphere of the earth daily.

Community Theater Officer And Actor Is Leaving City

The recent transfer to Houston of Leon Valdes has brought expressions of regret at his leaving Midland from officers of the Community Theater, which Valdes has been serving as treasurer, member of the board of governors, and actor frequently called on for roles in plays.

He goes to Houston as administrative assistant to the regional manager in the gas-gasoline department of the Shell Oil Company. His position here was administrative assistant to the company's area manager.

Participation in the Community Theater was a major interest of Valdes' and he assisted in its administrative program as well as appearing in its productions, both dramatic and musical.

He was first seen by a Midland audience in the title role of "Papa Is All" and then appeared in "State of the Union," "Runnin' Hi," "Years Ago," "On Borrowed Time" and the most recent Community Theater drama as "The Man Who Came to Dinner."

Herb Page Wants To Reside Here

Herb Page, Hollywood stunt flyer who is presenting the Sunday air show at Midland Airpark, wants to settle down in Midland, making this his operational and home base.

In order to do this, Page is offering for sale his option on his famous airplane, along with his services, to anyone interested in national publicity and advertising. Publicity coverage on the plane last year reached 37,000,000 persons and is expected to reach 50,000,000 this year. It will be seen in competition for the national acrobatic title at Miami, Fla., in January.

Page now is sponsored in name by Jon Hall, Frances Langford and Robert Young of Hollywood and by Sailor Main of San Diego.

The airplane will perform Sunday afternoon in the air show here.

Persons interested in purchasing the option and airplane are invited to contact Page at the Scharbauer Hotel following the show.

Page, incidentally, recently finished a short film that now is being shown on two television networks covering the East Coast. Shooting will start early in January on a series of pictures in which Page and the plane will be featured.

Midland KP Lodge Is Reorganized

Reorganization of the Midland Lodge No. 145 of Knights of Pythias was perfected at a recent meeting in the Midland County Courthouse. The next meeting will be held in the courthouse at 8 p. m., December 2. Former members desiring to reinstate are invited to contact J. H. Fine, county tax assessor-collector, in the courthouse.

The Grand Lodge of Texas has launched a movement for the extension of the order, seeking to enlarge its charitable, benevolent and fraternal work and to extend its usefulness in localities where Pythian lodges are located. To achieve this goal, the Grand Lodge is conducting a campaign of education. Each subordinate lodge has been asked to select desirable men in the community for membership.

Joiner-Johnson Rites Performed

McCAMEY—In a single-ring ceremony performed Thursday, Miss Kathyrn Joiner exchanged marriage vows with Tommy Johnson of McCamey.

The rites were read by Mr. Wayne Mickey, minister for the Church of Christ, in his home in Odessa.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Joiner of Iraan. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Johnson of McCamey.

Immediately after the wedding the couple left for a honeymoon trip to El Paso and New Mexico. They will make their home in McCamey, where Johnson has ranching interests, and Mrs. Johnson is a third grade teacher in McCamey elementary School.

Cakemakers Had Capitol Idea



Engineering and artistic skill, as well as baking prowess, were needed by Austin Wright, master baker for a national food store chain, to build this 200-pound cake. Presented to six state governors at the 24th annual New England Conference in Boston, Mass., the cake features three-dimensional scale models of six New England state capitols, in addition to full color scenes depicting industries in each state. Here Wright puts the finishing touches on the model of Rhode Island's capitol building.

Married Recently



Mr. and Mrs. Billie E Loyd were married recently in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. West, in McCamey. Before her marriage, Mrs. Loyd was Miss Nelda West. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Loyd of McCamey.

Nelda West And B. E. Loyd Are Wed In McCamey Rites

McCAMEY—In the presence of close friends and immediate members of both families, Miss Nelda West became the bride of Billie E. Loyd on November 20.

The double-ring service was performed in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. K. West, before an improvised altar of white mums flanked by tall tapers. The rites were read by Robert Ewell, minister of the Church of Christ.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Loyd of McCamey.

The bride wore a gown of copenhagen blue feather wool, with dark sand colored accessories, and carried a nosegay of pink varigated camelias.

Mrs. Pete Allen, the bride's matron, wore a smoke grey ensemble, and a shoulder corsage of pink carnations. J. E. Jackson served the groom as best man.

Reception Held

At the reception held in the West home following the ceremony, punch was served with the two tiered wedding cake, which was placed on the center of the refreshment table, and cut by the bride and groom. The cake was adorned with the traditional miniature bride and groom, and flanked by tall blue and white tapers burning in crystal holders. All appointments were crystal and silver.

The couple left for a honeymoon trip to Fort Worth and Dallas, and upon their return will make their home in McCamey. Loyd is employed in the Security State Bank, and the bride has been connected with the C and R Confectionery the last several months.

New Publications At County Library

The Midland County Library has received several volumes for the petroleum division of the technical section from the Permian Basin Section of the AIME.

The publications are "Statistics of Oil and Gas Development & Production, 1948" and "Transactions of the AIME" for 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940 and 1941.

The library also has received a "Literary History of the United States" in three volumes, edited by Spiller, for the reference collection.

FOUR MIDLAND MEN ARE FINED IN JUSTICE COURT

Four over-enthusiastic Thanksgiving celebrators were assessed fines totaling $93 in Justice Court here Friday.

Two of the offenders were fined on charges of fighting, one was fined for being drunk and the other was fined for disturbing the peace.

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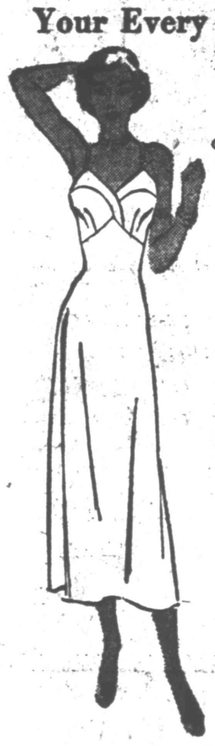
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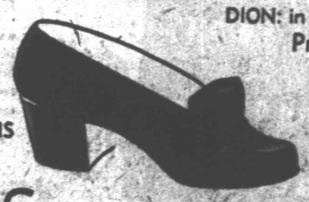
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Postal Receipts Climb In Midland

Midland postal receipts for 1948 are running far above those for 1947, Postmaster N. G. Oates said Saturday.

This year's receipts so far are $184,804. Last year's total was $173,000. Oates said he expects the 1948 total to be well over $200,000.

Receipts for the final quarter of 1948 are already $8,000 above the same period last year with the heavy receipts of December still to come in.

The Midland post office has employed seven extra helpers for the Christmas rush, Oates said this is the first time any extra help has been hired before December 1.

POWELLS PURCHASE WASHATERIA HERE

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Powell Saturday announced the purchase of the Robinson Washateria from H. L. Robinson. The business is located at 505 South Baird Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Powell are former residents of Odessa.

The washateria features soft water and a fluff drier. The firm now will be known as Powel Washeteria.

RELATIVE OF MIDLAND WOMAN DIES IN KANSAS

Mrs. J. L. Greene, 706 West Louisiana Street, left Friday for Yates Center, Kan., after receiving word of the death there of a sister-in-lay, Mrs. Ralph McCormick.

Funeral services for Mrs. McCormick will be held at 2 p. m. Monday in Yates Center.

Mrs. McCormick also was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Butler Hurley, 1410 West Indiana Street, Midland.

Read the Classifieds.

Wemple Rites—

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church parlor, guests were greeted by the couple, their parents and the bridesmaids. Miss Amy Cornish of Denison, an aunt of the bride, presided at the all-white table where th. tiered wedding cake was cut and served with coffee. A bowl of gardenias centered the table.

Mr. and Mrs. Wemple left after the reception on a trip to Apache Village, N. M., and other places in the Southwest. The bride traveled in a blue velveteen suit with a hat of blending color and other accessories of black.

She has lived in Midland the last year and has been employed with The Western Company. She attended Texas Technological College at Lubbock two years.

Wemple attended Midland schools and Schreiner Institute and served in the Navy during World War II. He is associated with his father in the operation of Wemple's store here and the couple will live in Midland.

Wedding guests who went from Midland include Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Sr., Phyllis Chancellor, Marjorie Cagwin, Jo Ann Gambill, Stewart Chancellor, Camden Chancellor, Wally Gage and Beach M. Renshaw. Other out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Nick Crenshaw and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cornish of Graham, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dine of Wichita, Kan.

MIDLANDERS RETURN FROM NEW YORK CITY

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Grafa and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Velvin have returned from New York City where they attended the annual convention of the National Association of Real Estate Boards. They visited in Washington, D. C., and other points enroute to the meeting.

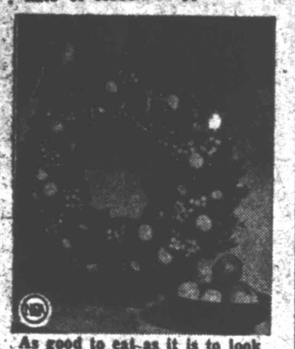
Tree Comes To Dinner Table In Miniature



Dining room table makes an attractive setting for this miniature Christmas tree for a small home. Singing star Dorothy Sarnoff of the Broadway hit "Magdalena," puts an angel on the tree to top off its bejewelled novelty decorations.



This front-door decoration is a silvered evergreen angel with a Christmas-ball head and a halo of ribbon-wrapped wire.



As good to eat as it is to look at is this green wreath, decorated with lemons, cranberries, grapes and nuts.



Christmas star cut from foam rubber and edged with red ribbon makes a festive holder for candles and evergreen spikes.

By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer

NEW YORK—If a crowded house limits your sphere for Christmas decorating, put a miniature tree on your dining table. There it will spread Yuletide cheer over meal and bring members of a family to a favorite gathering spot when gift packages are opened.

From famed floral designer Benny Hubbard comes help in making in miniature a dazzling tree. He ornaments miniatures—some are no taller than 30 inches — with imported bejeweled novelties, says you can also make your tree twinkle like a sequin-studded evening gown by using costume jewelry, or shiny five-and-dime store baubles.

Space these twinklers closely, says Hubbard, when you hang ornaments to the branches of your tree of fir, balsam or pine. Our expert explains that the way to turn a skimpy bough of evergreen into a tapering and full-spreading little tree is to add more branches. He builds up a tree by mounting many small evergreen branches into a base of foam rubber. This new two-inch-thick latex product, which you can also use and cut to whatever size needed, comes in individual sheets. It may be used pin-cushion fashion for sticking in sharply whittled evergreen branches.

What's left of that sheet of foam rubber may be used to make a pair of tree-flanking Christmas candelabras. Mr. Hubbard cuts big Christmas stars out of foam rubber and edges the white outlines of these with red ribbon. You can stick several large red candles into these "candelabra bases" of foam rubber, says the expert, if each candle is shaved down to a fine point. Short spikes of evergreen may also be stuck in.

Looking for a new idea in wreaths? Copy Mr. Hubbard's trick of decorating one with fresh fruit which is as good to look at as it is to eat. String cranberries on wire to make a big bowknot. Spear lemons with hairpins and fasten these to the wreath for color effects. In between stick in clusters of grapes, wired on with hairpins. English walnuts individually wrapped with squares of orange-colored cellophane may also be wired on.

Want something special to shout cheer from your front door? Make an angel of evergreen, as Mr. Hubbard does, and silver the branches of pine that you use for her skirt and the spreading branches of balsam or fir that you use for her wings with metallic paint. Use a Christmas ball making the angel's head and nail polish for painting features on her face. Hair of steel wool may be glued on her head and a ribbon-wrapped wire hung over it may be used as a halo.

Easy Way To Wake Up Is Biggest Need

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK, (AP)—The biggest need today is a pleasant way to get up in the morning.

In this respect England is the most civilized country on the globe. There the traveler is awakened by a rap on the door, and somebody brings a cup of hot tea in and sets it by his bed.

After ten or fifteen minutes of sipping this relaxing brew, a man is reconciled to the dismal prospect of rising and facing a rueful world.

I tried to adopt this pleasant practice in my own household. But after the first four days Frances yawned one morning and said:

"Well, Rover boy, you've been pampered long enough. It's your turn to make the tea today."

Substitute For Sunrise

That ended that.

The modern alarm clock, the poor man's substitute for the sunrise, in any form is the most intolerable gadget contrived by a machine-worshipping age. It is far worse than a hammer blow on the head.

Hundreds of ways have been devised to get up on the right side of the bed in the morning. But I don't know of any that work well.

The most ingenius contrivance I know of was rigged up by a screwball friend. He tied upside down on his bedstead a vacuum bottle full of hot coffee. Hanging from it was a tube with a clamp on the end.

When he woke up, my friend would reach up a drowzy hand, put the tube in his mouth, flip back the clamp and lie there peacefully drinking the life-giving fluid. But now he's back on alarm clocks.

"One morning the stopper came out of the bottle," he explained grimly. "Did you ever get woke up by a hot coffee shower?"

At a party the other night I was complaining about the daily battle I had getting out of bed.

"My husband had the same trouble," said a pretty young matron, "But I found a way to get him up and to work on time."

"Yes?"

"Well, I had to get up first to change the baby," she said. "One morning I accidentally laid the diaper on the pillow beside my husband. He got up immediately.

"Then I started putting the diaper on the pillow deliberately. My husband never was late after that. That worked for a long time, but now I am having the same old trouble with him."

29 INFLUENZA CASES

The City-County Health Unit Saturday reported 29 cases of influenza and three cases of diarrhea for last week.

Read the Classifieds.

The temperature of the surface of the sun is calculated to be about 6,000 degrees centigrade.

Although meats contain all necessary minerals, they are low in calcium.

Out-Of-City Group Here For Funeral

Among out-of-city relatives and friends attending funeral services for J. P. H. McMullan here Thursday were Mrs. Annie Parker, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. White and son Van, Mrs. Annie Cornelius, Douglas Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Lelton Hilton and family, all of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Larkin Hayley and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Strom and daughter of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Holiday Hayley and son, Holiday, Jr., of Tyler; Paul Peeler of Albuquerque, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Peeler and family of Dimmitt, Texas; Mrs. L. C. Corn and Larry and Bobby of Baird; Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Laswell, Mrs. Kelvin McCutcheon and Mrs. Buddy Kirkland, all of Bronte; Miss Ima Jeanne Umphrey of Lamesa; Mrs. Willie McMullan and Mrs. Jack Fowler of San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. Shelly King and son of Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Longabaugh of Odessa; and Mr. and Mrs. Dee Richards and Marjory of Stanton.

+Kermit News+

KERMIT—A "come-as-you-are" party was staged recently by the Women's Golf Association of Winkler County Country Club. The party was one of many varied activities the women have used to help raise funds to pay for recently purchased club furniture.

Supt. and Mrs. G. E. Thompson and Mrs. O. M. Stewart represented Kermit schools at the 70th annual convention of Texas State Teachers Association in Dallas.

The week of November 23 to December 3 has been set as week of prayer by the Lottie Moon Missionary circle of the First Baptist Church. Meetings are to be held in the church each morning from 9:30 to 10:30.

Employes of the Magnolia material department and their families were entertained recently with a Mexican supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bell.

Faydeen Mitchell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Mitchell and bride-elect of Bud Vernon, was honored with a bridal shower recently. The party was in the home of Mrs. Charles Sikes, with Mrs. Sam Ashley, Mrs. Bob Williams, Mrs. Walter McDonald, and Miss Judy Watson as co-hostesses.

The Laugh Was On Him In Long Run

An Andrews County man chuckled along with several thousand other football fans at the Midland-Odessa game here Thursday when the public address system announced that a partial plate containing two teeth had been found. It seemed rather funny that anyone would lose such a personal item, and everybody had a big laugh.

The man from Andrews County laughed again when he arrived home but that time it was with a red face. He discovered his own partial plate had been lost—at the football game.

Everything is in fine shape now, however. The Andrews citizen has his teeth back—and everyone else is having a bigger laugh than ever.

A small amount of minced onion and parsley added to scalloped potatoes improves their flavor.

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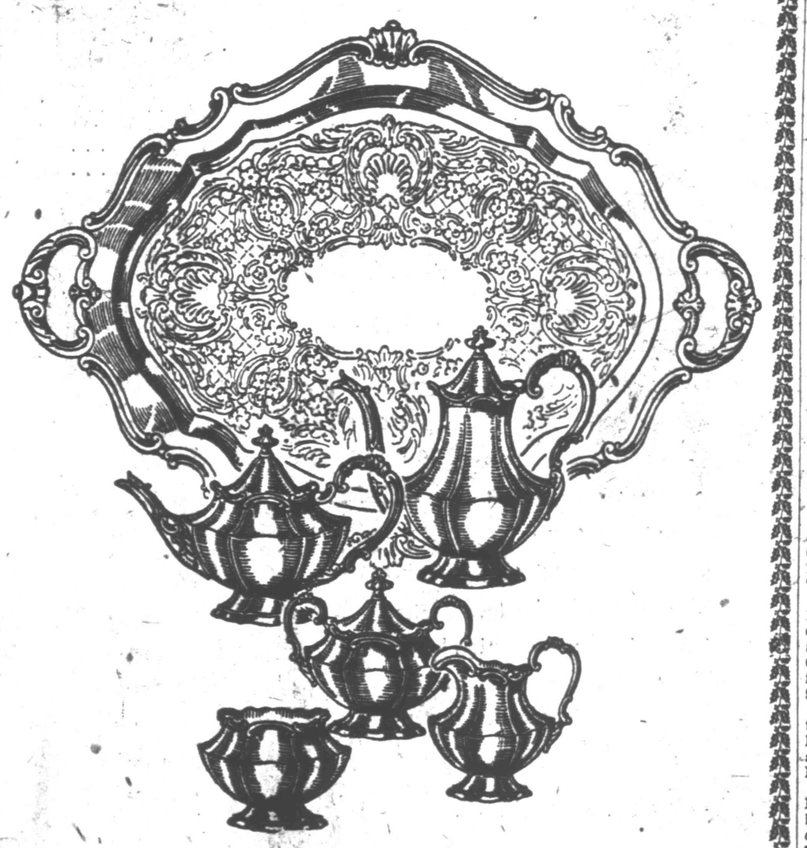
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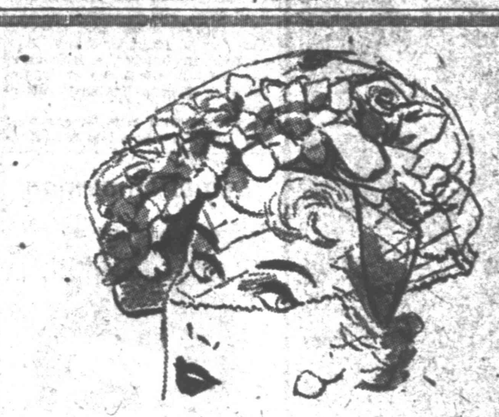


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FOR HIM

- Wings Dress Shirts
- Wings Pajamas
- Wembley Ties
- Men's Suits
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- Mufflers
- Dress Gloves
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Former Betty Chanslor Honoree At Tea-Shower In Greene Home

Complimenting Mrs. John B. Hall of El Paso, who was Betty Chanslor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Chanslor of Midland before her marriage in October, a tea-shower was given in the home of Miss Betty Jo Greene Saturday afternoon.

Hostesses with Miss Greene were Mrs. Dee Hambright and Mrs. Kenneth Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall, who are students in the Texas School of Mines in El Paso, are spending the Thanksgiving holidays in the Chanslor home, 605 West Ohio Street. They were married in Las Cruces, N. M., on October 19.

Guests Served Tea

The honoree and hostesses greeted guests, and Mrs. Robert Halbrook, Miss Mary Bizzell and Miss Betty Churchill presided at the guest book and the tea table.

The table was centered with a long, low arrangement of pink carnations and white button mums and tea appointments were all of silver. All members of the house party wore matching corsages.

The guest list included Mrs. W. G. Attaway, Mrs. J. P. Bizzell, Mrs. Tom Bobo, Mrs. E. Yates Brown, Barbara Brown, Mrs. Charles Bush, Mrs. Joe Buttry, Mrs. Lucius Bryan, Mrs. C. G. Campbell, Mrs. John Casselman, Carole Casselman, Mrs. Raymond Churchill, Mrs. Albert Clements, Nadine Clements, Mrs. H. S. Collings, Edith Rae Collings, Mrs. J. H. Conine, Mrs. Robert Cox, Mrs. Eddie Conner.

Other Guests

Mrs. Ralph Crays, Mrs. R. A. Doran, Mrs. John Dunagan, Virginia Dunagan, Mrs. Billie Gilbert, Mrs. Ben Stanley, Mrs. Locksley Hall, Mrs. W. H. Hall, Ruth, Mrs. B. M. Hays, Mrs. O. F. Hedrick, Mrs. Russell Holster, Mrs. C. E. Hogue, Mrs. O. J. Hubbard, Mrs. John Hughes, Mrs. Butler Hurley, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. Roy Jones, Jr., Mrs. Charles Houpt, Mrs. Lee Flood, Mrs. Howard Hodge, Mrs. F. B. Kingon, Mrs. F. H. Lanham, Mrs. C. G. Murray, Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mrs. Martin Neill.

Mrs. H. E. Skipper, Mrs. W. L. Sutton, Mrs. Bill Taylor, Mrs. Bob Schuehle, Miss Lydia Watson, Mrs. J. M. White, Mrs. Cecil Pope, Mrs. H. H. Nicklson, Mrs. E. R. Powell, Mrs. T. P. Tarwater, Mrs. James Daugherty, Mrs. Bill Wyche, Mrs. C. A. Travelstead, Mrs. W. O. Weinland, Miss Norma Sinclair, Mrs. Joyce Robinson, Mrs. Charles Hill, Mrs. J. R. Shelton, Mrs. J. L. Greene and Mrs. Houston Hill.

Legion Chairman



Rogers Kelley of Edinburg, dean of the Texas State Senate, and one of the most active World War II Legionnaires in the state, has been named chairman of the Boys' State Activities of the American Legion, Department of Texas for 1949.

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MHS Dramatics Class To Present Four One-Act Plays

Two one-act plays will be presented in the high school auditorium Monday night at 8 p. m. by the Midland High School dramatics class under the direction of Miss Verna Harris, teacher.

Two more of the one-act plays will be presented Tuesday night following the downtown Christmas parade.

The first of the Monday night presentations will be 'Jazz and Minuet," a romantic drama. It is the story of a modern impulsive girl who turns into her own great-great aunt and causes the death of her lover.

Cast in this play are Sarah Lew Link, Patricia Pryor, Richard Patton, Patsy Bray and Dee Bivens.

The second of the Monday presentations is to be "How The Great Guest Came," a dramatization of the Edwin Markham poem by the same name. It is a religious play with Neal Adams, Marion Tredaway, Jimmy Chauncey, Janice Davis, Bobbie Jean Logan, Nell Wayne Cole and Clint Dunagen playing the various parts.

A social drama, "The Undercurrent," will be the first Tuesday evening presentation. It is a tense, tender, convincing record of unhappy family into which a social warker is able to bring some help and happiness.

Cast in this play are Larry Buckingham, Betty Wilson, Barbara Burnham, Richard Patton, Joy Guyton and Arless Ann Klebold.

"The Powers That Be" will be the final play presented. Parts will be played by Buddy Johnson, Clint Dunagan, Dorothy Roderick, La Verne Estes, Lois Black and Shirley Harrison.

Admission will be 25 cents each night.

Gadabout Gift Items For 1948



A streamlined gift for travelers is this four-in-one set of suitcases which the young couple below is admiring. Nested design of the canvas cases makes possible space-saving storage between trips.

By KAY SHERWOOD
NEA Staff Writer

Have you a gypsy on your Christmas list?

New streamlined, space-saving luggage and cleverly designed travel accessories make the selection of a gift for a a gadabout a cinch this year.

A four-in-one "nest" of suitcases, for example, is designed to give a pair of gypsies a set of matched luggage at a moderate price. Four suitcases—two styled for men, two for women—which graduate in length from 29 inches to 21 inches nest one inside the other for space-saving storage between trips. Made of waterproofed durable canvas, these cases are bound in cowhide to give added resistance to wear and scuffing at the edges.

Passport-sized billfolds are designed to simplify the globe-trotter's travel problems. Special compartments are designed to keep money, passports and business papers separate. Cards or credentials slip into transparent swing-windows for easy visibility.

To help the motorist or the armchair traveler map his itinerary is the aim of a precision-made device for measuring distances on maps. When the device is pushed along a road line on the map, a dial records distance in inches or centimeters which can then be computed into miles by using the map's miles-per-inch scale.



Traveler's passport fits inside this leather billfold which has transparent swing-windows to keep credentials in view.



Dial on this precision-made device for measuring distances on a map records mileage in inches or centimeters.

Another candidate for the gypsy's favor is a tiny postal scale which swings out of a leather case. This is designed to weigh a traveler's letter home to solve the problem of figuring out the amount of postage needed.

More luggage earmarked for the traveler includes the fitted overnight case and easel-back make-up mirror. A zippered leather tie case designed for the gentleman traveler has a fold-down hook attached so that ties can be hung up with no necessity for removal from the container. A carrying case for baby's provisions has space for formula bottles and separate pockets for dry and wet diapers.

Membership In Community Theater Gives Holder Choice Of Seats For Its Plays

Members of the Community Theater will have first choice of seats for the last 1948 production, "The Late Christopher Bean," and for 1949 plays, in a plan adopted because the theater's recent productions have been sell-outs.

The reserved seat board will be open to members Tuesday and to the public Wednesday at Tailorfine. Members are reminded that "The Late Christopher Bean" is the last play to which they will be admitted on 1948 memberships, and that they may invite friends to use any extra admissions due on their memberships.

Enrollment Still Open

Members who are enrolling now for 1949 also will be admitted to this play, which is to be presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights in the City-County Auditorium.

The annual enrollment period for a new year has been in progress for two weeks, and Midland residents still are invited to enroll while they may see the final 1948 drama as a bonus play.

Paxton Howard, president of the Community Theater, said that response by mail to the enrollment invitations has been fairly satisfactory, but others who intend to purchase memberships by mail are asked to do so immediately so that it will not be necessary to see them in person.

Three Types Of Members

Mrs. J. P. Butler, chairman of the sponsoring group, has expressed the hope that a substantial number will enroll as sponsoring members for 1949, to insure an adequate budget for operation and expansion to carry out plans for the season.

Three types of memberships are offered: Season membership provides for 16 admissions to plays of the year and membership for two children in the Children's Theater; patron membership gives 24 play admissions and enrollment of as many as three children in the Children's Theater; sponsor membership is issued to those who contribute $50 or more for the year.

Six plays are planned for the 1949 program, starting in February with John Van Druten's drama of family life, "I Remember Mama."

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Donelson with their sons, Duane and Donald, of Plainview are visiting their parents, Mr .and Mrs. Lee Donelson, and sister, Mrs. R. W. Thompson. Another guest in the Thompson home is their daughter, Betty Joyce Geral, a Texas Tech student. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hiller and daughter, Doris, of Hamilton are also holiday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, 1400 College Avenue, and Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gage of Odessa.

Felix Sommers, student at Sul Ross College in Alpine, is spending the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sommers, 607 South Weatherford Street.

Maurice Penick, Texas A&M student, is spending the Thanksgiving weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Penick, 610 South Loraine Street.

Bobbie Martyn of Lubbock is the guest of Dorothy Harrison, who is a student at Texas Technological College and is here spending the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hap Harrison.

Mrs. Rosa Lyon, 1608 West Holloway Street, has as a guest in her home Mrs. Mae McDaniel of El Paso.

Bonney Brunner, freshman at the University of Colorado, came in Friday from Boulder to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Brunner, 1209 West Louisiana Street. She will leave Sunday morning.

Stanley Hall, who attends Texas Technological College at Lubbock, is at home for the weekend and brought as his guest Allen D. Crane of Durango, Colo., another Tech student.

Kenneth Goode is a holiday weekend visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank G. Goode. He is a student in Sul Ross College at Alpine.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Robertson have as a guest for the Thanksgiving holidays their daughter, Bonnie, a student in Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

Bobby Statton, one of the Midland students in Texas Technological College, is here from Lubbock for the weekend.

Burton Stringer, Jr., student in Sul Ross State College, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Burton R. Stringer, Sr., during the Thanksgiving holiday. His parents reside at 1001 West Washington.

Texas Christian University sophomore Johnny Ray Whitmire is home for the weekend holiday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Whitmire, 1108 North Big Spring Street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Whitmire left Friday for Dallas to spend the weekend and attend the SMU and TCU football game.

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Trinity Episcopal Woman's Auxiliary To Conduct Bazaar

A bazaar which will feature articles suitable for Christmas giving is announced for December 4 in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church. The Woman's Auxiliary of the church will conduct the bazaar to raise funds for their work. The public is invited.

Mrs. M. F. Turner is general chairman, with Mrs. Taylor Cole as co-chairman. The bazaar will open at 10 a. m., and the women of the auxiliary will serve coffee during the shopping hours.

Booths will be decorated for display of the merchandise, which will include costume jewelry, imported perfumes, hand-loomed linens, wood carvings and dolls as well as various kinds of handwork. There will also be a food booth with home-made cakes, pies and candy.

Mrs. Turner has asked auxiliary members to bring their contributions of non-perishable articles to the Parish House on December 2 between the hours of 10 a. m. and 4 p. m. so the booths may be arranged before the bazaar opens.

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TO MASONIC MEET

M. C. Ulmer, R. B. Cowden, Holt Jowell and R. B. Cowden left Saturday for El Paso to attend a Masonic meeting.

The inside of a smooth gold vase appears much richer in color than the outside.



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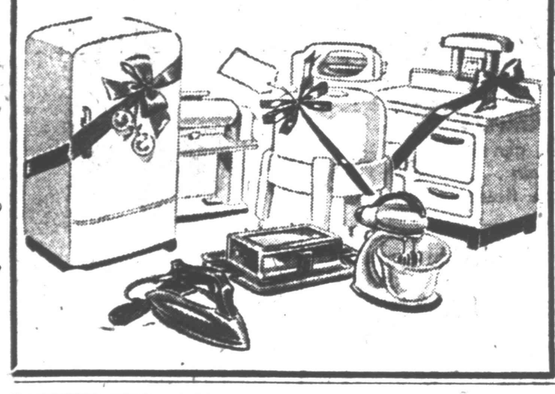
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+ Coming Events +

MONDAY

First Baptist Woman's Missionary Society will start a series of Week of Prayer programs at a meeting in the church recreation hall, 10 a. m.

Woman's Missionary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church will start its Week of Prayer observance with a meeting at 2 p. m. in the church.

Midland Council of Church Women will meet at 3 p. m. in the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Senior Council of the Midland Youth Center will meet at 7 p. m. in the youth center building.

Rebekah Lodge will have its regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. in the IOOF Hall.

Training Unions officers' council of the First Baptist Church will meet at 6:30 p. m. in the church.

Intermediate and Junior Royal Ambassadors Chapters of the First Baptist Church will meet in the church immediately after school for a program and a recreation period.

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TUESDAY

Executive Board of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Robert L. Clarke, 2205 West Brunson Street.

Persons interested in membership in a new garden club are invited to an organization meeting at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. A. P. Shirey, 211 South L Street.

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WEDNESDAY

Delta Gamma Alumnae Association will meet for a 1 o'clock luncheon in the home of Mrs. George Pruter, 1510 West Missouri Street.

Mrs. L. C. Stephenson will be hostess to the Star Study Club in her home, 317 South Big Spring Street, at 2 p.m.

Play Readers Club will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. R. M. Barron.

Woman's Wednesday Club will meet in the home of Mrs. Ben Black, 111 North G Street, at 3 p. m. with Mrs. Allen Cowden as co-hostess.

Mrs. Oliver Haag will be hostess to the Junior Woman's Wednesday Club at 3 p.m. in her home, 1702 West Kentucky Street.

Modern Study Club will meet with Mrs. J. C. Hathaway, 722 West Kansas Street, at 3 p.m.

Lion Tamers Club will entertain husbands of members with a pot-luck supper beginning at 7:15 p. m. in the American Legion Hall.

First Presbyterian choir will meet for rehearsal at 7:30 in the West Elementary School.

Business Women's Circle of the Calvary Baptist Church will present a program in the church at 7:30 p. m. in observance of a Week of Prayer.

Adult choir of the First Methodist Church will meet at 7:15 p.m. in the church for rehearsal.

Boy Scout Troop 152 will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

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THURSDAY

Midland Garden Club will have its Christmas luncheon at 1 p. m. in the home of Mrs. L. C. Link, 1411 West Texas Street.

Palette Club members will meet to paint at the club studio, 604 North Colorado Street, and have luncheon at noon.

Needle Craft Club will be entertained in the home of Mrs. Frank Downey, 606 West Storey Street, at 3 p.m.

Marie Shumate Young Woman's Auxiliary will meet in the First Baptist Church for supper at 5:15 p.m.

Nu Phi Mu Sorority will meet at 8 p. m. with Kay Matthews, 1800 West College Street.

Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary will meet in the VFW Hall at 8 p.m.

Rehearsal for the city-wide presentation of "The Messiah" will begin at 7:15 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

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FRIDAY

Ladies Golf Association will meet for golf games beginning at 9:30 a. m., and a luncheon at 1 p. m. in the Midland Country Club dining room with Mrs. A. Knickerbocker and Mrs. Robert Jones as hostesses.

Mrs. Clint Dunagan will be hostess to Chapter BS of the PEO in her home, 1508 West Missouri Street.

DYT Sewing Circle will meet at 3 p. m. with Mrs. E. M. Watkins.

Minuet Club will have its December dance and a midnight buffet supper in the American Legion Hall, beginning at 9 p.m.

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SATURDAY

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

Moment Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a.m. in the Watson Studio.

Midland Branch, American Association of University Women, will have a Christmas guest tea beginning at 3 p. m. in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will conduct a bazaar in the Parish House beginning at 10 a. m.

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Club Calendars Marked With Dates For Christmas Parties

Christmas calendar dates are being marked by Midland organizations as the Thanksgiving weekend brought reminders that the holiday season has begun. Many groups are departing from regular schedule to arrange parties, and others will entertain on their usual meeting dates.

Early Christmas parties are set for this week by the Midland Garden Club, which will have a luncheon Thursday in the home of Mrs. L. C. Link, and the Minuet Club which has set its December dance and midnight buffet for Friday in the American Legion Hall.

The garden club's luncheon will be served at 1 p.m. in the Link home, 1411 West Texas Street. Members have been asked to notify Mrs. E. E. Reigle, telephone No. 2318, whether they plan to attend.

The Minuet Club's dance is scheduled to begin at 9 p.m., with music by the Bailey Ireland orchestra.

An annual entertainment planned for Tuesday night in the American Legion Hall is a dinner dance for the staff of the Western Clinic Hospital and their guests.

Two dance clubs have chosen dates nearer Christmas for their parties. The Sashaway Square Dance Club has postponed its meeting from the first Friday in the month to December 10, when it will entertain in the American Legion Hall and Jack Fomby will bring a square dance exhibition team from Sweetwater.

Guests will be included by the Coterie Club at its formal Christmas dance on December 9 in the American Legion Hall. Music will be by the Jack Free orchestra. Hosts will be Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. John DeFord and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ford.

Study clubs also will join in the holiday festivities, some with simple programs and others with more elaborate parties. One of the latter is planned by the Progressive Study Club for December 15, when husbands of members and other guests are to be entertained with a dance in the American Legion Hall.

Twentieth Century Study Club has announced a guest day tea for December 14 in the home of Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, and the Modern Study Club a tea on December 15 in Mrs. Carl Westlund's home.

Fine Arts Club will have a Christmas program at its regular meeting on December 8, in the home of Mrs. J. M. White. The Woman's Wednesday Club has chosen its December 15 meeting date for its holiday program. Mrs. Andrew Fasken and Mrs. John Perkins are listed as hostesses.

A city-wide presentation of Handel's oratorio, "The Messiah," will be sponsored by the Civic Music Club as its contribution to the city's Christmas observance. Dates are December 17 and 19.

The Business and Professional Women's Club has scheduled its Christmas party on December 21, with Mae Fromhold and Sue Simms heading the committee in charge.

Members elected to the County Council of Home Demonstration Clubs for 1949, as well as the 1948 members, will be entertained at a Christmas party in the afternoon of December 15 in the assembly room at the courthouse.

Production Staff Is Getting Comedy Ready For Opening

Backstage work on production of "The Late Christopher Bean," which the Midland Community Theater will present three nights beginning Thursday, is keeping pace with rehearsals.

Klondike Johnson is stage manager for the comedy, and Norris Creath house manager. Stage setting is in charge of Waring Bradley, Waldemar Dressel, John DeFord, E. J. Elliott and Eleanor Simpson.

Mrs. J. P. Butler is chairman of ticket sales, which will begin Tuesday. Holders of membership in the Community Theater may make their reservations that day at Tailorfine, and tickets will go on sale to the public Wednesday.

Music for the production will be in charge of E. J. Elliott, and makeup of Pauline Shelton and Maedelee Roberts. Mrs. I. A. Searles and Shirley Culbertson are directing publicity. Mickey Fitting is in charge of "The Prompter," program publication.

Chairman of hosts and ushers is Mrs. Ben Dansby. Joe Koegler and Mrs. J. E. Beakey are on the casting committee.

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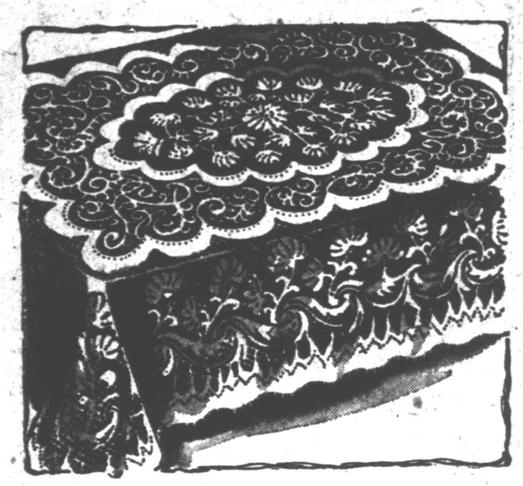
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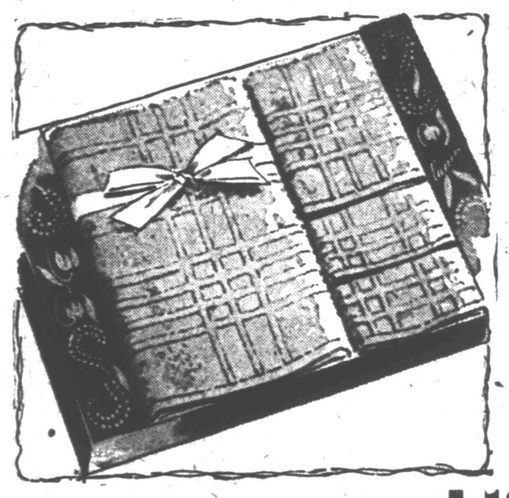
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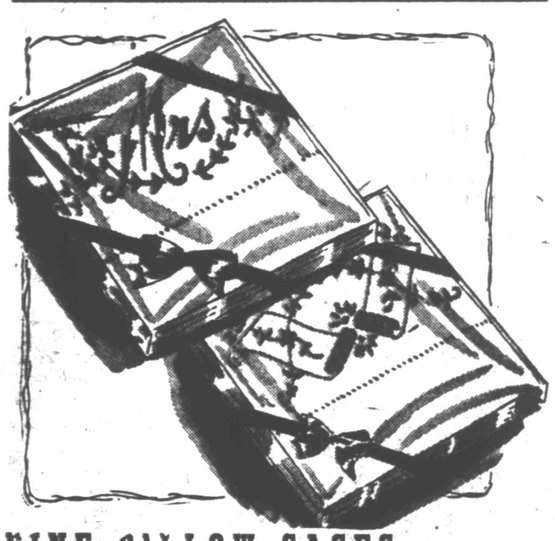
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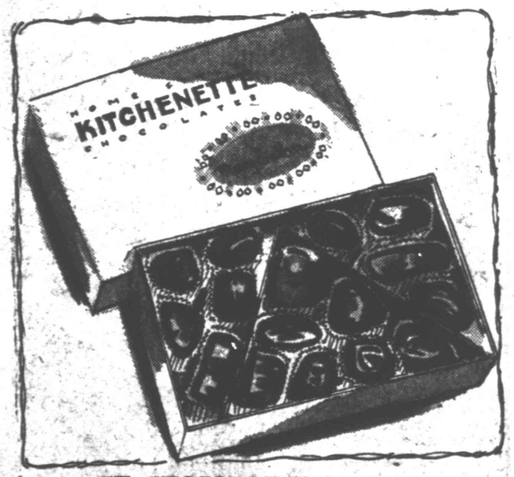
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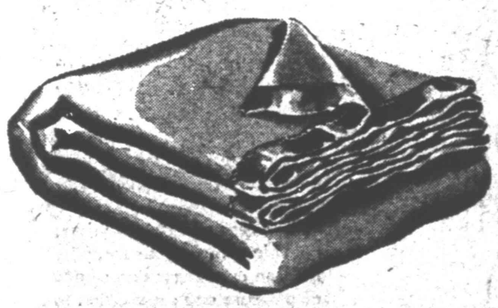
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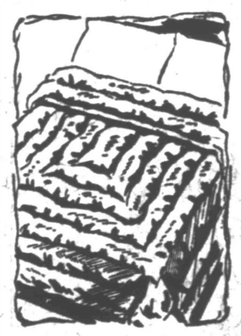
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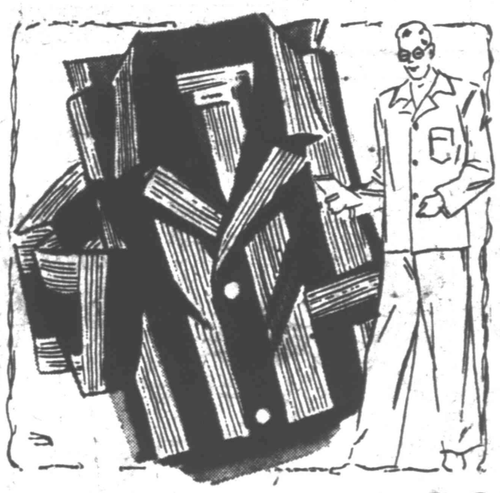
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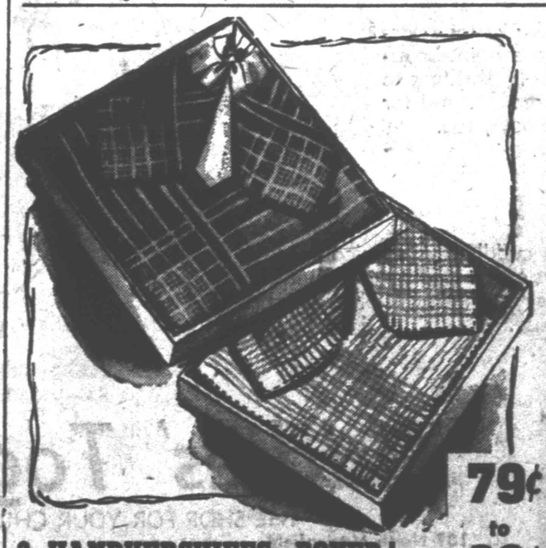
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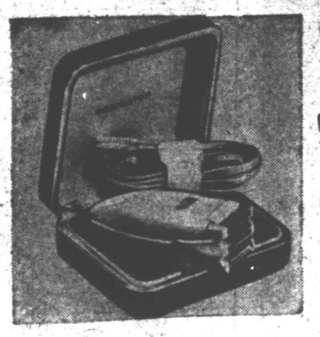
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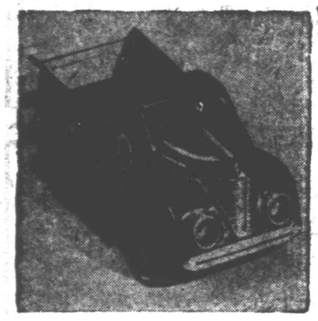
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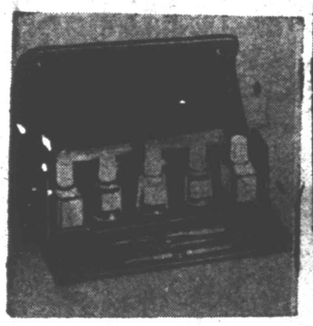
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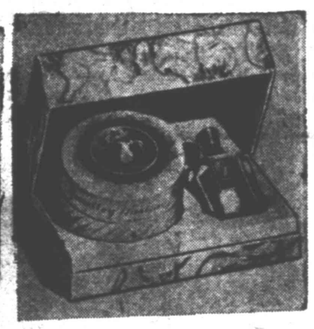
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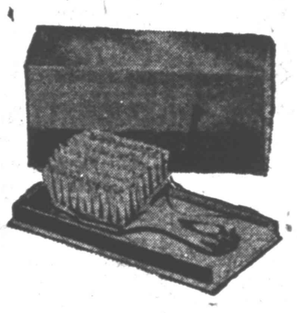
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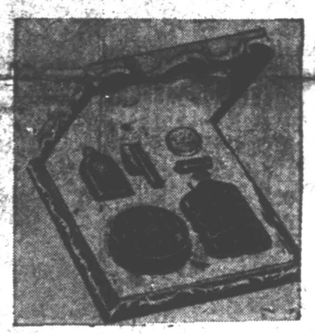
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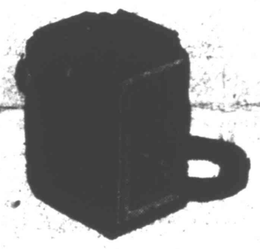
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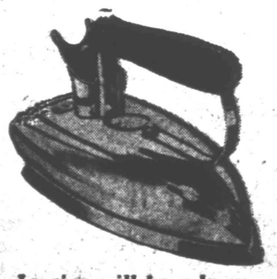
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Increase In Number Of Health Units Predicted

By TEX EASLEY

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The coming year should see an increase in the number of county health units throughout Texas, says Dr. George Cox, the state's chief health officer.

Expressing his views while here for the annual conference of the U. S. Surgeon General with State Health Officials, Dr. Cox told this reporter:

The new Civil Defense Program will reach into every part of the country, but in Texas probably more than in any other state it will mean a need to expand promptly our local health services.

"That is because of the reopening of Naval and Air Force bases over the state and of the consequent urgency of coordinating civilian public health measures with those of the military."

The focal point of such activities, Dr. Cox explained, is the County Health Unit.

These centers sponsor such programs as chest x-raying of school children and others to detect early signs of tuberculosis. They usually maintain venereal disease control services. They also make regular inspections of food-handling places and check the health of waiters, waitresses, cooks and dishwashers in restaurants. Water supplies also are examined by the county unit.

"The spread of such health units is a rather slow process," continued Dr. Cox. "It takes money, not only from the federal government but from the state and counties That means you have to sell the taxpayer on their long-range benefits.

"I think the people of Texas are appreciating more and more the value of such health units. I think there will be more funds available for such work next year and that there will be an increase in their number over the state."

During the conference here, it was emphasized that local health units are not to be confused with socialized medicine.

Their aim is to improve the health of the public through mass examinations for such diseases as tuberculosis and to provide other precautionary health measures for wage earners—those of the great middle class who are too proud to accept charity but financially unable to have periodic checkups or examinations when they first suspect trouble.

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Soil Conservation Field Day Set For Howard Co. Farm

A complete soil conservation district plan will be applied on the Miller farm, operated by C. A. Denton, seven miles East of Big Spring at the intersection of Highway 80 and the Moss Lake road, December 9, Frank Loveless, supervisor in zone three of the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District, announced.

A group of Big Spring farm implement dealers will be host to the gathering and will show equipment applicable in applying a coordinated soil and water conservation plan. A complete demonstration with the equipment in use is planned.

A large number of farmers, ranchers, 4-H Club boys, FFA members, veterans vocational agriculture class members, and business men from throughout the area are expected to attend.

Denton has developed his farm according to its needs under the district plan with assistance from technicians of the Soil Conservation Service. Land owner supervisors Warren Skaggs, Frank Loveless, L. H. Thomas, Edmund Tom and Joe Carter approved Denton's plan as a part of the district program at a meeting earlier this month.

Also to be included in the day's program is the planting of several Winter crops, and observation of the effect cover and litter have on controlling soil erosion.

Gordon Stone of Stanton, former supervisor in the district, will explain activities on regular tours of the farm during the day.

The district is sponsoring the field day so that farmers and others may see a coordinated program based upon the needs of the land and see the farm machinery in use.

Tunnel Gets Long Tile Strip

NEW YORK —(AP)— New York's new $80 000,000 Brooklyn - Battery tunnel is getting the longest tile lining ever installed in the United States.

Seventeen teams of tile setters are already working on the ceilings of the two tubes. Their job alone will require about six months, according to engineers of the Tri-Borough Bridge and Tunnel Authority, under whose direction the tunnel is being built. Another six months will be needed to give the tunnel walls their tile finish.

When completed, the tunnel's lining will extend 9,117 feet, or 560 feet longer than the tile work on the Holland tunnel, now longest in this country. The title, a total of 780,000 square feet, or enough for 6,500 average size bathrooms, is being installed to simplify cleaning and to diffuse light for motorists, according to engineers. Scheduled for completion in 1950, the tunnel will accommodate 16,000,000 cars a year.

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Television May Give Education Shot In The Arm

By ROBERT E. GEIGER

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Radio and television are about to give education a terrific shot in the arm. Educators say this shot will be given at the spot where it will do the most good—where it will help to teach the world's citizens how to get along with each other with less trouble. At the U. S. Office of Education here is the way educators are beginning to see the things to come:

1. Television will become the electronic blackboard of the future—even in the little red schoolhouse. The great events of the day will be brought to the classroom. A class of medical students may witness a delicate surgical operation performed miles away. A whole school may see the President address Congress.

2. There are great opportunities for presenting educational courses in the home. Such classes not only would supplement classroom work but would also offer classes in adult education and specialized courses for the person who has completed his schooling but wants to keep up with developments in his profession.

Educators emphasize the possibilities of smoothing human relationships, and relationships between nations, because programs may increase understanding. This is possible because they can reach many more people than classrooms can and can reach them throughout their lives, keeping them abreast of events and issues.

Two Ways For Education

There are two ways that radio and television instruction may be popularized. One is for the commercial stations to present educational programs. The other is for schools and colleges to operate their own stations. Already dozens of programs suitable for classroom and home work are offered by commercial radio broadcasters. And hundreds of schools use these programs.

In addition the Federal Communications Commission has just relaxed its rules for the operation of FM radio stations by schools and colleges. Office of Education officials say the important fact about this relaxation of rules is that it means more schools can afford their own FM radio stations.

One official estimates it is possible for a school to obtain a sending station for as little as $2,500 for the transmitting equipment and $2,500 for a studio. Facsimile also is carried on the FM channel. Facsimile will reproduce charts, a page of reading material, maps, photographs, musical scores and many other types of educational information in the home.

20 FM Channels

Twenty FM channels have been set aside by the FCC for the use of non-commercial educational stations. This means that as many as 10 educational stations can operate in every area, including large cities Officials of the Office of Education say Station WHAS in Louisville, Ky., is making radio history by cooperating with the University of Louisville in broadcasting the first college course for credit ever offered by a standard broadcast station. Many other commercial stations offer some educational programs.

But only 34 standard stations are operated by educational institutions and only 20 non-commercial educational FM stations. Franklin Dunham of the radio section of the Office of Education says about 200 schools and colleges are planning to apply for FM licenses.

Iowa State College at Ames, Iowa, is the only college with a television station in operation, but at least five others are planning to have stations soon. Because of expense, television sending stations may be beyond the reach of many schools and colleges. But Dunham says it may be possible to set up cooperative centers where a group of educational institutions would establish radio and television stations and produce educational movies. These programs and pictures would be available to all the educational institutions in the area.

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Hundreds Of Danes Leave Native Land

COPENHAGEN —(AP)— More and more Danes want to leave their native country and settle down as immigrants in other continents. America is generally preferred. The Danish state runs an emmigration office. Nine hundred people left Denmark in 1947; 770 went to the United States of America, the rest to British dominions. This year 1,000 Danes have emmigrated, 650 going to the U. S. A., 200 to Canada, 54 to Australia, 26 to New Zealand and the rest to various parts of the world. By the end of this year it is expected that more than 1,800 persons will have left Denmark for good.

The U. S. has a quota of 1,181 Danes yearly. No other country has a definite quota saying how many Danes will be allowed to settle down in their territory. Emmigrating Danes are not allowed to take with them more than $50. The reason for increasing emmigration from Denmark appears to be fear of a future European war and the feeling that bigger states offer better prospects.

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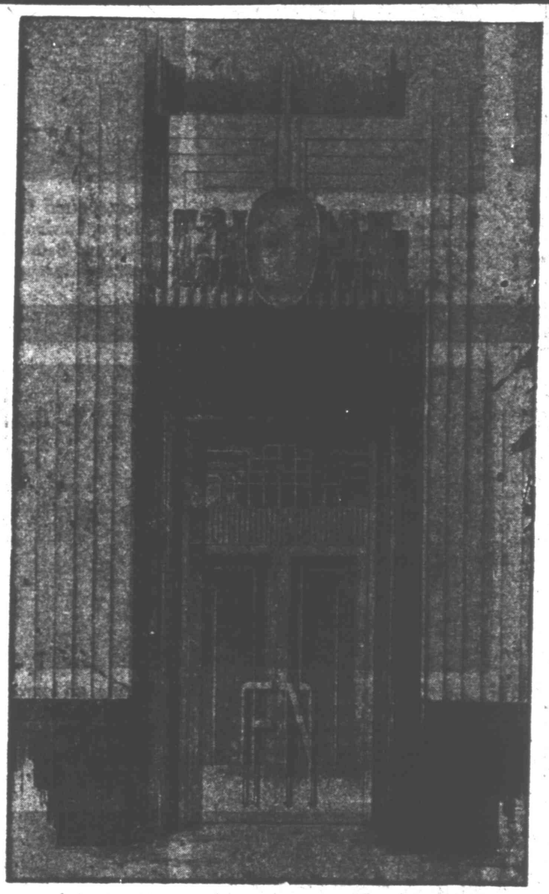
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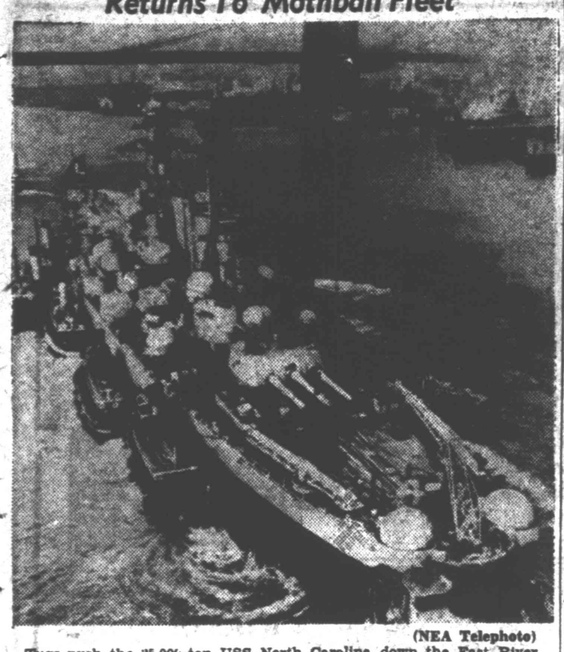
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Returns To 'Mothball Fleet'



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Tugs push the 35,000-ton USS North Carolina down the East River at New York City to rejoin the "Mothball Fleet" in Bayonne, N. J. The ship has just been overhauled in the Nay Yard. The cocoons on deck cover anti-aircraft guns.

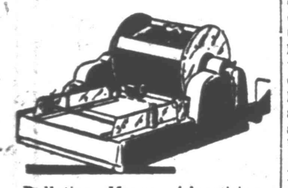
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Twenty Schools Get Fifth Of Students

NEW YORK —(AP)— Twenty per cent of all college students in the United States are enrolled in 20 colleges and universities, says the U. S. Office of Education.

The figures, just released, are based upon returns from practically all of the nation's 1,800 institutions of higher learning. Those show that out of a peak enrollment of 2,410,000 students, 486,267 are studying at New York University, (47,647); University of California, (43,469); City College of New York, (28,567); Columbia University, (28,000); University of Minnesota, (27,243); University of Illinois, (25,920); Ohio State University, (23,929); Northwestern University, (23,788); University of Indiana, (23,131); University of Southern California, (22,740); University of Wisconsin, (22,353); University of Michigan, (21,002); Syracuse University, (19,698); University of Texas, (19,676); University of Pittsburgh, (19,526); University of Pennsylvania, (18,644); Boston University, (18,617); Wayne University, (18,455); Temple University, (17,212); University of Washington, (16,650).

New York, says the Office of Education, leads all other states again this year in number of persons enrolled, with a total of 123,912. California, Illinois, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Texas and Michigan follow, each registering total college enrollments of more than 100,000.

Syphilis broke out in epidemic form in Europe at the end of the fifteenth century, but it was only tardily recognized as a venereal disease.



DREW PEARSON ON The WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

WASHINGTON.—The text will never be published, but Secretary Marshall has written a stinging, private letter to his cabinet colleague, Secretary of Defence Forrestal, of great interest to every taxpayer.

Marshall and Forrestal agree on many things, usually are to be found side-by-side during inner cabinet debates. But on the question of a huge war budget, Marshall has put himself vigorously on record against Forrestal's proposed war expenditures.

In his letter, the Secretary of State described Forrestal's demand of a $24 billion expenditure as basically dishonest since it pre-supposed the imminence of war. And the international situation, Marshall said, did not require the United States to go on a war footing.

Marshall also complained that the Secretary of Defense was ignoring good taste and good judgment by proposing a war budget at the same time the Secretary was trying to iron out the peace problems of the world.

Finally Marshall said that if the budget was reduced from 24 billions to 15 billions, he would support it.

Handing Hitler His Hat

Here's a bit of backstage repartee at the Palace de Chaillot in Paris indicating how the French feel about the U. S.-British plan to hand Ruhr industry back to the German cartels.

Passing British UN Delegate Hector McNeil in the corridors of the Palace, French Journalist Pertinax stopped him to say:

"You British are making the same old mistake of saying the Germans are gentlemen after all. You're making the same mistake Chamberlain made in 1938 when he came away from a visit with Hitler exclaiming: 'He's a perfect gentleman; he helped me on with my overcoat.'"

With thick Scotch accent McNeil replied: "It may have been Hitler who helped Chamberlain with his overcoat but don't forget it was the British people who handed him his hat."

Note—What the French don't want is to have the Ruhr—key to European peace or war—reach the hat-handing stage.

Truman's Real Friends

Two men who fought hardest against President Truman's renomination at Philadelphia were Senator Claude Pepper of Florida and Col. Jack Arvey, head of the Democratic machine in Chicago. Once the decision was made, however, no two men worked harder to elect Truman.

In Florida, Pepper was largely responsible for routing the Dixiecrats and holding Florida in line. Because he had previously known Henry Wallace, he also was effective in cutting down the Wallaceites. Traveling 13,000 miles he spoke in California, Illinois and West Virginia for Truman.

Newspaper polls indicated Dewey would carry Florida—and no other Florida congressman or senator dared get out and work for the national ticket But Pepper did and helped bring about a landslide.

In Illinois, the dopesters whispered that Jack Arvey would make a deal with downstate Republicans to save his Democratic machine in Chicago. Just the opposite happened. Though he had opposed Truman's nomination, Arvey worked harder on this campaign than any other, gave Truman the biggest parade and reception he received anywhere.

Result: Illinois staged one of the most amazing election surprises, went overboard for Truman.

That was why the presidential callers at Key West included Pepper and Arvey.

Champion Name-Caller

Whenever Congressman Cliff Clevenger, the GOP gentleman from Bryan, Ohio, opens his mouth, he puts his foot in it. After calling President Truman the "Missouri Jackass," Clevenger has added to his list by branding General Eisenhower a traitor.

Speaking at Van Wert, Ohio, Clevenger said: "The acts of these men who let the Russians into those capitals over there, exposing us to this constant danger of war, make Benedict Arnold look like a pale shadow of a traitor to America."

Eisenhower states it was he who decided the Russian army rather than Americans troops should take Berlin.

Merry-Go-Round

Just before he left for Europe, Secretary of Defense Forrestal called a series of conferences on defense, hastily sent a special airplane for Mayor Fletcher Bowron of Los Angeles. But the day Bowron arrived in Washington Forrestal left for Europe, leaving the mayor twiddling his thumbs at the Statler Hotel . . . Congratulations to the Wilmington, N. C. Chamber of Commerce for bringing the victims of the Donora, Pa., smog to North Carolina sunshine. When the Civil Aeronautics Board refused to let Capital Airlines carry the victims free, the N. C. folks even paid their transportation. (Thir is what's called "Good-Will-Mington.") . . . There's no love lost between certain GOP leaders in Massachusetts —notably earthy speaker Joe Martin and blue-stocking Senator Leverett Saltonstall. Joe wants to terminate Beacon Hill aristocracy's rule of the Republican roost in Massachusetts . . . Undersecretary of State Lovett has been maneuvering backstage to get his former banking boss, Averell Harriman, made Secretary of State. Lovett also thinks it would be just wonderful if John Foster Dulles, Dewey's pal, were appointed Under Secretary . . . A Los Angeles family who planned to vote for Dewey paid $55 rent for an apartment, but was continually goaded by the landlord about what was going to happen when Dewey was elected. The rent would then be $100. So the whole family finally voted for Truman. That's what the real estate boys did to Dewey in a lot of places.

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PRAGUE HAS NEW DOLLAR STORE

PRAGUE — (AP) — Czechoslovaks with friends and relatives in America or other hard currency countries will be able to buy rationed goods freely here, if their friends or relatives open up their purses. For dollars or other money transferred here from abroad, they will be able to buy first quality textiles, leather goods, electric refrigerators, motorcycles and Czechoslovak motor cars at a shop called "Darex," set up by the nationalized commerce corporation.

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British Seek Relief From Smog

LONDON —(AP)— The "cheerful open fire" which Britons worship is wilting both the nation's housewives and its choice orchids, the National Smoke Abatement Society reports. The society says, for instance, that the smoking chimneys of Manchester make housewives toil an hour longer over their tubs on every wash day than do the wives at nearby Harrogate, the spa of Northern England.

One of last Winter's smogs made all the orchids and orchid buds in famed Kew Gardens drop off within 24 hours. The society, long me campaigner for a smoke abatement plan like that used in St. Louis, Mo., estimated smoke and smog damage in Britain costs at least $400,000,000 a year.

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Suicide Attempt Lands Pair In Jail

RANGOON —(AP)— Four young Burmese government employes, depressed by chaotic conditions in their country, made a suicide pact.

But they decided to enjoy a final good time before they died.

During the weekend, the four—two policemen, a clerk and a messenger boy—met at a Rangoon hotel. They ordered the best food and drink available.

Then, linking arms, they staggered down to the waterfront.

In full view of bystanders, they bade each other goodbye. Then they jumped into the river.

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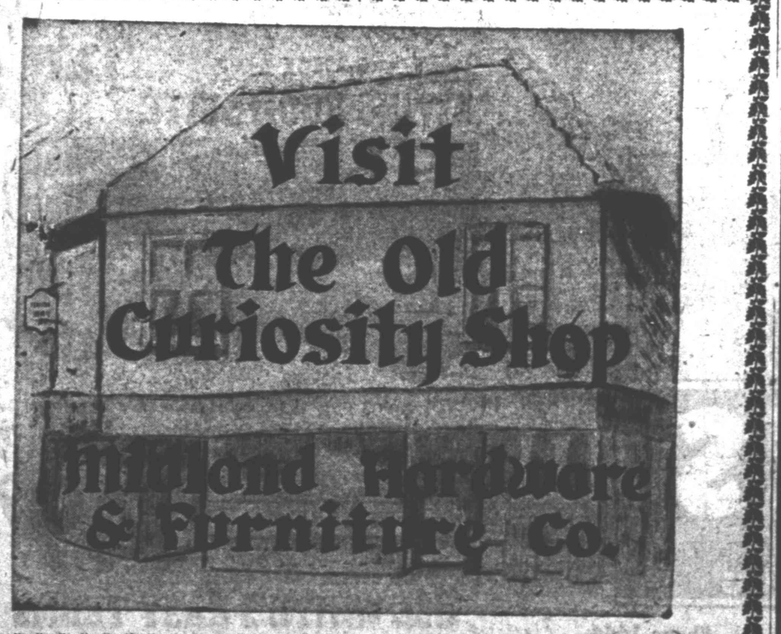
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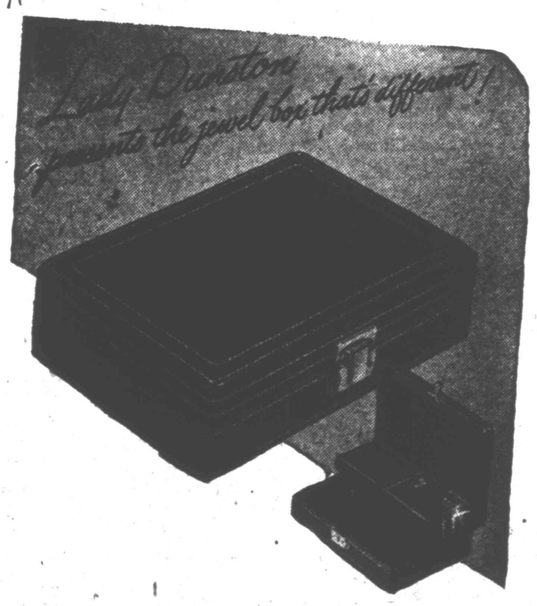
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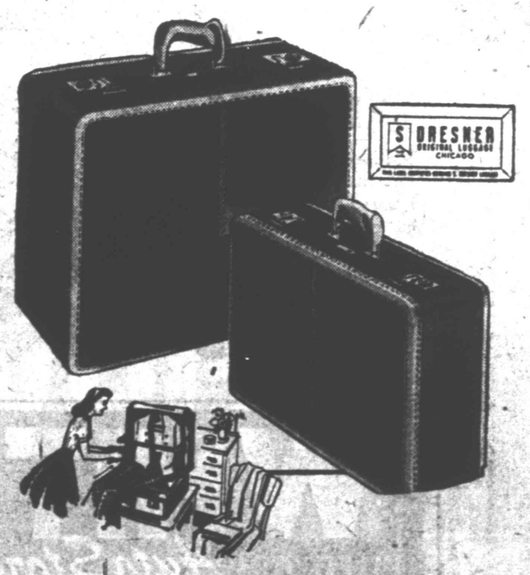
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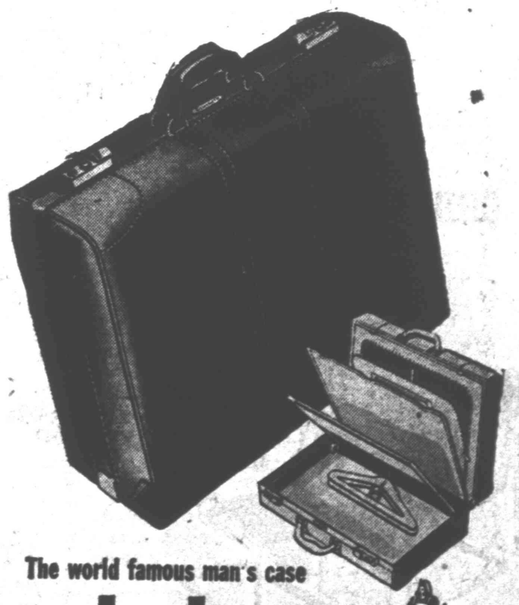
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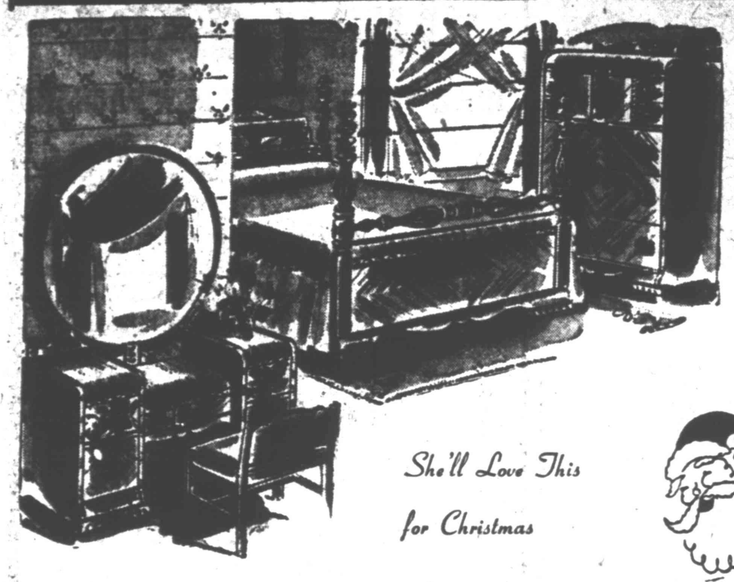
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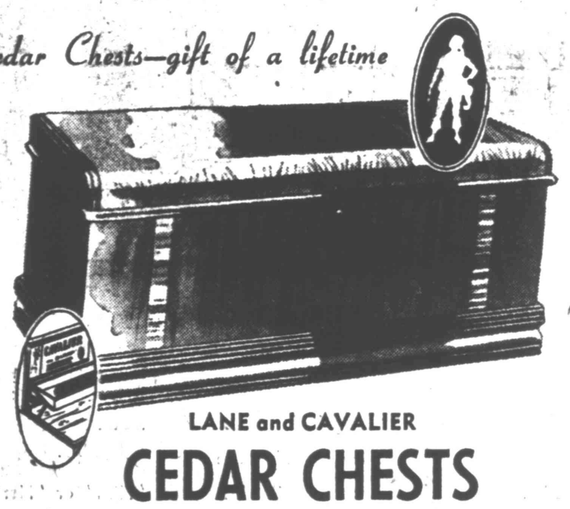
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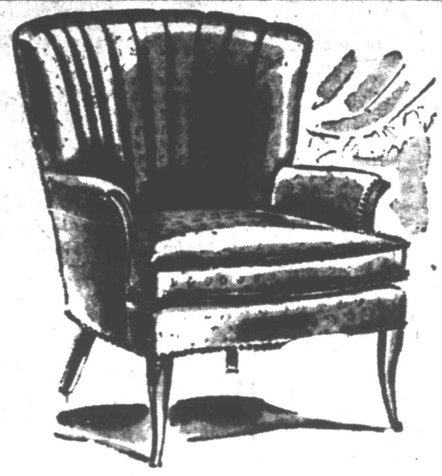


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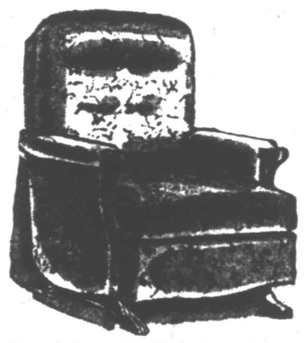
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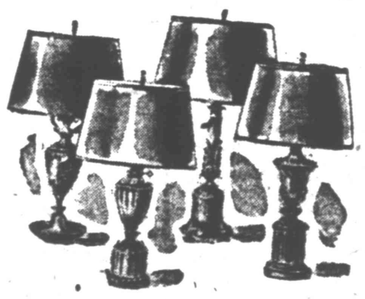


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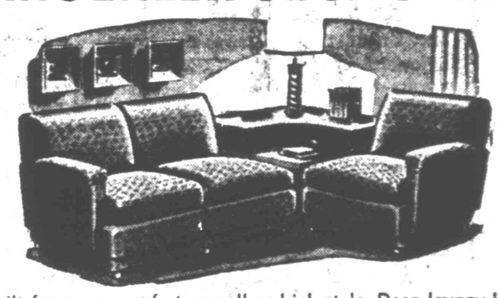
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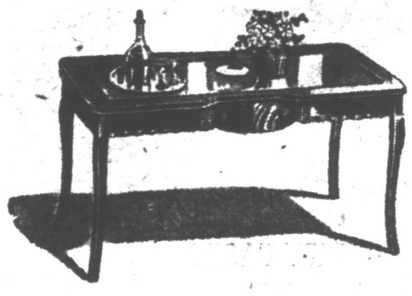
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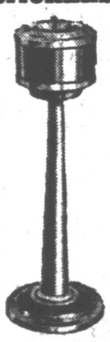


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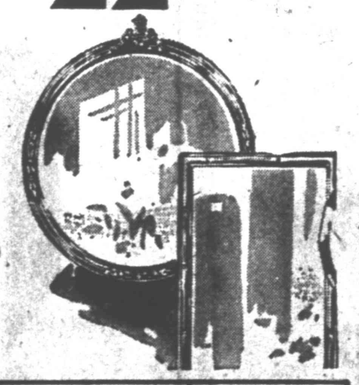
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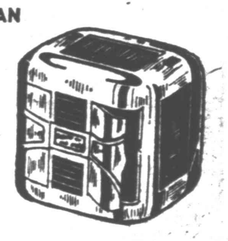
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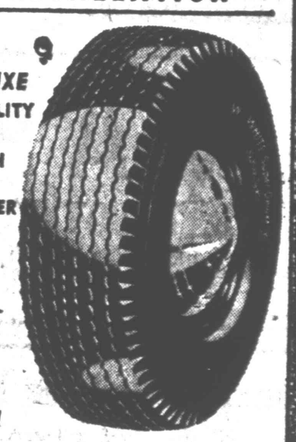


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Builders Turn To Smaller Dwellings Of High Quality

In view of a marked slow-down in sales of homes costing above $10,000, builders throughout the nation are concentrating on small houses of four rooms to sell for $9,000 or less.

This is revealed in a spot check by the Construction Research Bureau of New York, clearing house for building information, showing that basementless houses with expansion attics are being produced in almost one-third greater volume than a year ago. These homes contain two bed rooms and an average of 750 square feet of living space.

Exceed Requirements

Although most homes now under construction are small, they are of high quality, containing brass and copper plumbing, mineral wool insulation to reduce heating costs, large picture windows, efficient heating plants, and an unusual amount of closet and built-in cabinet space. Most of these houses considerably exceed minimum quality requirements demanded by the FHA when insuring loans.

Builders point out that these small hames provide adequate space for young families, comprising the bulk of the buying market today, and that the expansion attics are large enough to be finished later into two good-sized rooms.

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FHA Applications Show Big Increase

WASHINGTON—Applications for mortgage insurance received by insuring offices of the Federal Housing Administration during October covered 45,073 dwelling units, the largest volume reported in any month since March, Commissioner Franklin D. Richards announced.

More than half this volume of applications, covering 25,355 units, was for financing the construction of new homes and apartments, Richards said. He added that this also is the largest volume since March and 3,253 units above September.

Included in the new construction figures for September were 18,348 units in structures for one to four families, all to be financed under the regular provisions of the National Housing Act (Section 203 of Title II and Title I Class 3).

Applications covering rental housing involved 7,007 units, of which 408 were under the regular provisions of Section 207, Title II, and 6,599 under the recently revived emergency provisions of Section 608, Title VI.

An additional 2,591 new units were covered in previously rejected Section 608 cases which were reopened.

Poles Seek Nylon From Peat

WARSAW—(AP)—Polish chemical engineers claim they have found a way to make nylon stockings from peat. Two chemists employed in the coal industry institute at Biskupice are working on a method of extracting phenol from peat.

The semi-official newspaper Rzeczpospolita said "phenol is an essential ingredient in the production of nylon. So far, phenol was obtained from hard coal but peat proved a much better raw material, having three times more phenol than hard coal."

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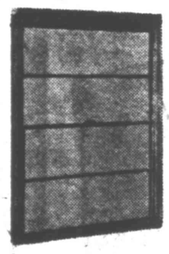
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Japan, Perhaps Asia Too, Might Fall If Reds Conquer China

WASHINGTON —(AP)— One elemental question keeps popping up in Washington discussions of the Chinese crisis. It is:

What will it cost the United States to stop the spread of Communism in China?

And this raises a second elemental question:

What will it cost us if we do not stop the Communists?

One reason that no definite answers can be given is this:

If the Chinese are in the mood to embrace Communism, who can say what it would cost us—in dollars and possibly lives—to swing them over to our viewpoint? One great difficulty is that for years the Chinese have been a divided nation. There has been much civil strife, violent internal politics and corruption.

Many important people — among them President Truman and Rep. Bloom (D-NY), who is expected to head the 81st Congress House Foreign Affairs Committee — are saying China must show an increased inclination to help herself. In the full sense this would mean she would have to place her house in order economically by adopting better business methods in government, balance her budget and stop civil war.

Eventual U. S. Participation

The Nationalist government can't do all of this, of course, with a Communist war raging. American officials probably would be satisfied if she displayed more solidarity and a greater will to fight the Communists. Senator Wiley (R-Wis) and others who have kept close watch on the China situation say it would take much more aid than we have been giving to stop Communism. But Senator Wiley adds that many peopled do not realize full-scale American aid to the Nationalist government might mean "eventual U. S. military participation in the China conflict."

Congress voted $250,000,000 for China's economic recovery last Spring and $125,000,000 for whatever use the Nationalist government desired. This $125,000,000 was allocated by the Chinese government to the military. China's former finance minister, Wang Yun-wu has estimated it would take at least $500,000,000 a year for four years to bring victory to Chiang Kai-shek's troops.

Roger Lapham, economic cooperation administrator for China, is more cautious but says much more money than has been voted is needed for China. So, in view of these estimates, to prevent Communism from sweeping China might cost upwards of $2,500,000,000 plus possible American participation in the war.

Moscow-Controlled Legions

What do we lose if we let China go? In dollars, American investments in China are relatively small. Officials estimate they may total only around $200,000,000.

But Senator Bridges (R-NH), who proposed a special session of Congress to deal with the China situation, says it takes no great student of China and world politics to realize what the loss of China means politically to the United States and other democracies.

"Communist forces now spread over all of North China are no simple group of indignant patriots," he says. "They are part and parcel of the Moscow-controlled legions of world revolution."

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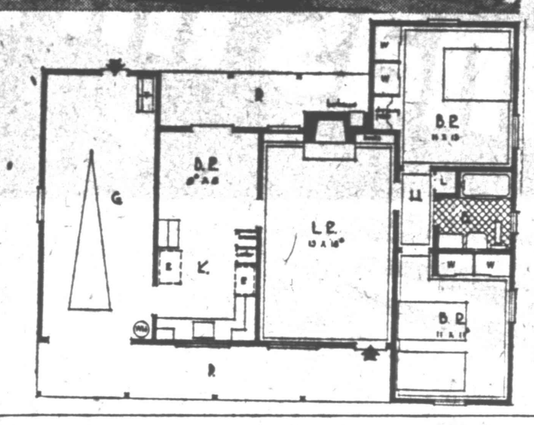
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Christmas Is Good Time To Teach Tot Not To Be Selfish

By DAVID TAYLOR MARKE
AP Newsfeatures

Christmas is a good time for parents to teach junior unselfish ways, according to Miss Norma Alessandrini of the Children's Recreation Center, Pediatrics Division, Bellevue Hospital.

She adds, however, that parents should not expect too much from three-to-four-year-old tots. These children need the feeling that there are some things that are theirs alone.

But, at the age of six, says Miss Alessandrini, children fast are becoming aware they belong to a group and to a community. It is then parents can begin to teach them by example and through participation in group activities that they must share with others in order to enjoy the benefits belonging to all.

And what better time is there, she asks, than at Yuletide, when whole families and communities get together to enjoy the giving and receiving of gifts. "How often have we seen children making a grab for the toys of other children as well as repelling all attempts of other children to play with their toys. This is the time when junior can be taught that if he will let other children play with his toys, he in turn will be permitted to share their toys."

This is a comparatively simple thing to do, she says, because junior's interest span in any one object, is short. It won't be long before his attention will be diverted to some other object.

"Should junior insist upon playing with Johnny's toy, the alert parent can engage his interest in a substitute toy almost immediately, by displaying an active interest in it. Then, as junior's and Johnny's interests wane, their toys can be exchanged," she says.

Children love to bask in the favor of their parents, says Miss Alessandrini. Should junior be aware that favor his sharing his toys or sweets with his friends or others, he is more likely to continue doing so.

Again, children are great observers, she says. They'll watch you making up Christmas packages to be sent to less fortunate children here and overseas and soon bring some of their own toys for you to be added to the packages, or make up their own.

"I know of clubs of youngsters saving their pennies to buy things for children at the Recreation Center," says Miss Alessandrini. "They had learned to do so by observing the kinds of things their school and religious organizations were doing."

Christmas is a great time for parties, she says. Here junior can learn there are certain activities only to be enjoyed as a group. He will have to share with others and in so doing learn that only by sharing can he have the greatest enjoyment.

India Watches Cotton Imports

NEW DELHI—(AP)—India, the second largest cotton-growing country in the world, has to import annually medium long-staple cotton varieties worth about $75,000,000. This excludes the quantity she imports from Pakistan.

Partition of the Indian sub-continent left vast tracts of cotton soil in Pakistan and all the cotton mills in India. The total annual output in both the dominions is on the average 4,000,000 bales, of which Pakistan's share is one-fourth.

Pakistan promised to supply India 650,000 bales of cotton in return for cloth.

The government of India is planning to make India self-sufficient in cotton and has suggested the production of more coarse cloth and less finer varieties to reduce India's dependence on foreign cotton.

One of Nature's oddities is the Volvox, a minute fresh-water organism that is both plant and animal.

Rules For FHA Rental Housing Program Cited

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Franklin D. Richards, commissioner of the Federal Housing Administration, has announced the issuance of administrative rules and regulations for the rental housing yield insurance program which was written into the National Housing Act in the recent special session of Congress.

Yield insurance is available to individuals, unincorporated groups, corporations, trusts and other legal entities approved by the FHA. The aggregate outstanding insurance liability may not at any one time exceed $1,000,000,000. A revolving fund of $10,000,000 has been established for payment of claims and expenses.

The purpose of this new type of insurance, FHA officials explained, is to attract equity capital into the production of rental housing for families of moderate income where no mortgage financing is involved.

Under the provisions of Title VII of the National Housing Act the FHA is authorized to insure the minimum annual amortization charge of two per cent of the established investment and an annual return of 2-3/4 per cent on the outstanding investment. The term "established investment" includes all approved costs prior to initial occupancy.

Sound Projects

The insurance is limited to economically sound projects, located in areas where the FHA Commissioner determines there is a need for new rental dwellings at rents comparable to those proposed for the new project. The regulations are designed to encourage provision of accommodations at rentals appropriate for the entire range of the moderate income group.

In no case, under the regulations, can the average rental for all units in a project, including heat and other customary services, exceed $100. The maximum that will be allowed for any individual unit is established at $120, representing the maximum that should be approved for families whose aggregate income is at the top of the moderate income group. Unit rents above the approved average would necessarily have to be offset by units renting for less than the average. The quality, design, size and type of dwellings in the project must be acceptable to the Commissioner. An annual premium of one-half of one per cent of the outstanding investment is charged for the insurance.

Communists Steal Buried Treasure

RANGOON—(AP)—Burmese Communists, occupying the sleepy village of Payabyo, 20 miles east of the rail junction of Pegu, hit what proved to be more than "pay dirt."

The Reds faced the threat of a government attack. They decided to "dig in."

Accident rather than design guided their picks to a spot where six years previously Pegu's wealthiest citizen, U Sein Win, buried his riches when the Japanese overran Burma.

The Communists uncovered two large chests. They pried one open—and found it crammed with currency and jewelry.

Government troops arriving at Payabyo found no sign of the Communists. But Sein Win, who accompanied them to investigate the safety of his hidden treasure, found plenty of evidence of their recent presence. The larger of the two chests, containing gold, jewelry and currency, worth more than 130,000 pounds sterling, had disappeared. The communists had decided wealth was preferable to prestige.

For Sein Win there was some consolation. The smaller chest was untouched. It contained approximately 40,000 pounds sterling. Sein Win, learning the hard way, has removed its coptents to a place of greater safety—a local bank.

Theater May Solve Child Deliquency

SINGAPORE —(AP)— Singapore's juvenile delinquents may be sentenced to a term in the children's theater. It's a new idea for handling wayward children, recently suggested here.

The proposed theater would be staffed with voluntary workers and would work with the local government's social welfare organization.

Under-age committers of minor offenses would be handed over to the social welfare group to help work or act in the children's playhouse. Then, after their "time" has been served, they could return to the theater voluntarily and help run it.

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Increased availability of electricity, modern home-building techniques, and work-saving appliances have freed many farm homes from their role of playing second fiddle to the barn, says the report. Streamlined kitchens, tiled bathrooms, electric refrigerators, and automatic heating are now commonplace in many of the state's farm dwellings, making them efficient "machines for pleasant living," it reveals.

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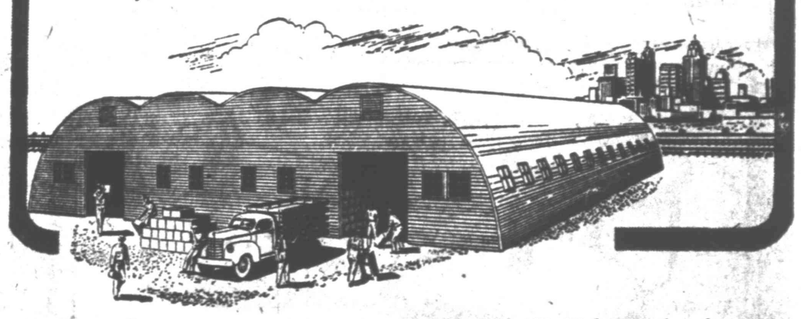
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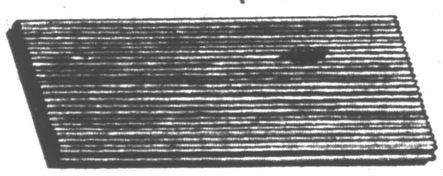
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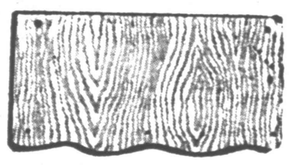
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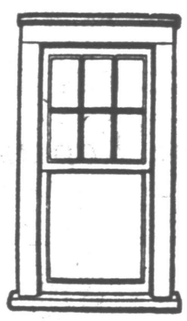
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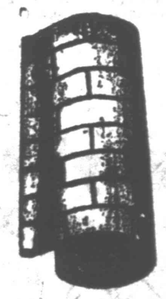
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Mary Lynn Manning Attends Houston Meet To Represent Children And Youth Of Texas

By SHIRLEY BUNT

Mary Lynn Manning, senior at Midland High School, has recently returned from Houston where she attended one of several meetings in which Texas is preparing for the 1950 White House Conference.

The White House Conference is held every 10 years to decide what improvements can be made to help the children and youth. Miss Manning was selected along with eleven others to represent the youth of Texas at this meeting. Her special assignment was to serve on the commission of recreation under the Texas Committee for Children and Youth.

Other delegates from Midland were Roy McKee, Midland County



Mary Lynn Manning

chairman for the 1950 White House Conference, and Mrs. Willie Harding, child welfare worker.

On the way to Houston they stopped in Waco and visited the Methodist Home. Miss Manning, while in Waco, also went to Waco High School with one of the girls from the Home.

They stopped at Texas A&M College and went sightseeing over the campus.

Dr. Leonard Mayo spoke at one of the meetings which they attended while in Houston. They also attended a special dinner provided for the county chairmen.

While returning to Midland, they visited the capitol grounds, Texas University, in Austin, and the rest of the city of Austin.

Mary Lynn is enrolled in PE, English 42, civics, chemistry and speech 31. Miss LaVera Riley and Miss Josephine Weaver rank high in her list of favorite teachers.

When not "globe-trotting," Mary Lynn might be found eating, talking, or just "loafing."

This ever-smiling, blue - eyed, brown-haired native of "gold old" Midland is active in the Student Council and the National Honor Society at Midland High School. She has also done outstanding work in the 4-H Club, as she was Midland County Gold Star Girl of 1947. This title is bestowed upon the girl who has done the most outstanding work in 4-H work that year.

If you see a streak of blue or green dashing down the halls, it will probably be Mary Lynn as she wears these quite often. They are her favorite colors.

A six-footer with dark curly hair and brown or green eyes will just about fit the statistics and rank first when compared to Mary Lynn's conception of an ideal boy.

According to Mary Lynn, lemon frozen pie is about the most delicious and tempting dish to be found.

After graduation, she plans to attend Southern Methodist University or McMurry.

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One Good 'Foo' Deserves Another

By JOAN WYCHE

What is "Foo?" An example of twentieth-century American humor? "Foo" is a new word in the young Americans' vocabulary. It stimulates new thoughts urging one on to better examples of a "foo." It is becoming universally used.

Let us peek into the past history of the little word "foo." From extensive research into the past weeks of Sunday papers I find that "foo" has been originated by Bill Holman, a noted comic writer. From this we naturally draw the conclusion that "foo" is a funny paper word (as indeed are all of our real American words.) Who has not read or heard of Smoky Stover, Firechief, whose byword is "foo"; or the unimpeachable Spooky, who eats, sleeps and sews "foo?"

Some students of "foo" would have at the tip of his tongue some of the following well known: "54-40 or "foo," "United we stand or divided we foo," "Only a foo weeks till Christmas," A foo in time saves nine." All of these are delightful tidbits of that ever fertile brain of Bill Holman.

The meaning of "foo" is not yet discernible. A "Fooser" would say "foo times foo equals two squared," or "foo plus foo is four;" thus we see 'foo' applied to mathematics. What does this mean? It is clear, America has reached the height of adolescent humor (until something better comes along.) "Foo is subtle, not tangle; in this lies the secret of "foo."

A short while ago my mother inquired of me of just how "foo" could be defined. That is something we would all like to know. What place does "foo" take in our vocabulary? We stop to ask a policeman on the street; he scratches his head perplexedly (puzzled). From a street sweeper to a professor of languages, each answers, "I dunno," to "What is the meaning of foo?" But mark my word, this obnoxious, obejctionable word shall yet be put in the dictionary (classified with ain't.) Returning to my mother—I was forced to reply, "Gee, Mom, I can give you examples and explain how to use it in a sentence properly but I cannot explain the meaning of it. Can anyone? Yet it is becoming more universally used than "and" the most overworked word in the language.

Also another very interesting use of "foo" was in the fourteenth century. Geoffrey Chaucer used the little word "foo" to mean "foe" in the prologue of his well known "Canterbury Tales."

"Foo" used as a pass word works like a charm. A timid or shy person has only to spontaneously reply "Foo" to quips and persiflage, and he is immediately welcomed in to the inner circle of high-school.

Yet I do not doubt that when some genius (for it will take a genius, you know,) finds the meaning of this charmed word "foo" it will be dropped from our vocabulary as an obsolete word because that is the wonder of this golden gem. But may I say until someone finds the real true meaning, "One good foo deserves another!"

MHS Holds Rally For Odessa Game

Frank Monroe, superintendent of schools, aptly expressed the sentiment of the Bulldogs and student body at a pep rally Wednesday morning when he said, "We are determined to win!" As an example he offered the 1947 Highland Park-Odessa game when the underdogs came out on top.

The cheerleaders led the student body in a roaring pep rally for the last football game of the year. Several of the football boys and members of the student body were called upon to make short pep talks.

The rally was ended with the "Alma Mater" and "On Ye Bulldogs."

Lean meat is more than 73 per cent water.

Sport Spoutings

By NEAL ADAMS

In looking back over the 1948 football season we can recall some of the most thrilling moments, and for that matter whole games, that we have ever seen. We will always remember the upset over San Angelo when the Bulldogs were the underdogs but made the first two touchdowns. But the most thrilling moments of all came during the closing moments when the Bulldogs overcame a one-point deficit to win by a touchdown. Many of us will remember that dedication game as one of the finest exhibitions of unquenchable spirit that we have ever seen.

We will also recollect the first game of the season when three TDs and Buster Buckingham's unfailing toe gave us a one-point victory over the Ysleta Indians.

We also remember: a brilliant last-half rally against Sweetwater, beautiful passes, dropped passes, pass interceptions, long runs and all the rest that will keep the '48 football picture clear in our memories. We won games, we lost games, but with memories like these we could not say that this has not been a successful season.

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With all the hopes of a district championship to urge them on, Midland basketball hopefuls take to the courts Monday. There will not be too much time to sharpen up their shooting before they will be in the midst of the cage wars. Midland will enter their first game just one week from Tuesday, a non-conference tilt with Andrews.

Now that the pigskin season is over, some of the MHS athletes will turn to various sports. Some, not trying for one of the cage squads, will try to earn their laurels in boxing or tennis while others will await the track and baseball seasons. You will probably notice some versatile lads engaging in several of these fields.

Why Journalism Students Get Gray

By PATSY BRAY

Now, what did Mrs. Parr tell me to do? Oh, yes,—interview important students or write up some interesting activities. Hi Pat. Oh, look, there's Dan Branham, I'm going to interview him.

Da—an! Yoo Hoo! I want to interview you and—You don't want to be interviewed? But, Dan, you'll get your name in the paper and everything! So you don't want your name in the paper, eh? These people!

There's Bob Short, but he's on the Bulldog staff and we can't advertise ourselves.

Hello, Buddy Johnson. What's the lowdown on Dan Dickinson? He's going to Michigan? Isn't that wonderful? When's he leaving? Oh, he isn't going to Michigan, he's going WITH "Michigan." Pardon me while I make a whistle and blow.

Sweet Trumpet, But—

Now let's swing and sway the Thompson way, 'cause here he comes. He's gonna play! My, that trumpet sounds sweet! Say, Dub, how about giving me an interview? Dub, I'm talking to you! Stop playing on that thing! Quit it! Shut up! Cease the noise-making !! Ohhhhhh, I wish these characters would be more dignified. How can I interview them when they won't even listen to me ??? You'd think I was their sister or something!

Well, if I could just find the custodian. He sure is important and we like him. But, golly whiz, he ain't no stewdant! Hello, Corky. Oh fine!

Who is it that I see now, trucking down the hall. She's going to town and—Ouch! She bumped into the wall.

Don't cry, Maggie, it couldn't have hurt you, much. Oh, I didn't mean it that way, really. Come on, ole fren', give me a story. I just gotta have one by next period! So you won't, huh? See if I help you up.

Can You Be Recommended?

(An Editorial)

As a naval recruiting officer prepared to leave he asked as the final and deciding question: "Do you really believe that the boy is reliable and could be depended on to do as he is told?"

To which the principal of the high school answered: "Yes, I believe that he is dependable. The records show that he was not only a good scholar but also took part in after school activities and accepted many great responsibilities.

Again a high school graduate's school record has played an important role in gaining him a position he probably could not have attained had his record not been satisfactory.

Every time the question is asked, "Can this high school graduate be depended on?" the student's records are checked and therein lie his opportunities for employment. For if the records are commendable the graduate or student is likely to be accepted. Will your school record recommend you?

Journalists Will Attend THSPA Meet

Several members of the journalism class and the Catoico staff will attend a convention of the Texas High School Press Association to be held December 2, 3 and 4 at Texas State College for Women at Denton, Texas.

THSPA is an organization for newspapers and yearbooks with nearly one hundred publications representing every section of Texas. The purpose of THSPA is to elevate high school journalism throughout the state and to enlarge opportunities of high school pupils through acquaintance with the practices of good journalism.

Midland High School will be allowed to send six delegates who will be housed on the campus in private homes. Two of these delegates will be representing the Catoico staff and four will represent the Bulldog staff. Other members of the journalism class may attend but they must make their own arrangements for housing. Neal Adams and Dan Dickenson will represent the Catoico staff. Those representing the Bulldog staff will be Shirley Bunt, Sarah Lew Link, Nan Pendleton and Pat Pryor. Others who are planning to attend are Max Allen, Patsy Bray, LaVerne Estes, Bob Short and Joan Wyche.

Boyce House, columnist and author of "I Give You Texas," will speak at the opening session of the convention December 3. He will speak on his experiences as a young journalist starting to work.

Ken Hand of the Dallas morning News will also appear on the program.

Assistant managing editor of the Dallas Morning News Felix McKnight will speak to the group at the general session.

Regan Addresses MHS Civics Class

The Honorable Ken Regan, U. S. representative of the 16th Congressional District of Texas, spoke to the Midland High School civics class on Wednesday morning concerning politicians and Congress.

Mr. Regan explained that not as many congressmen used their rights of hiring secretaries and other help as a means of helping friends and relatives as the newspapers would have you believe. He said that the only congressman who did were no good representatives and were in Congress only for personal gain and not to serve the people.

Mr. Regan served several years in the state Senate and during his second term was elected president of the Senate. The president of the Senate is second in line for governor and Mr. Regan had the honor of serving as governor of Texas for a day and a half.

One of the main topics of his talk to the civics class was the methods of introducing and passing bills in Congress. He explained that it was much simpler to get a bill passed in the Texas Legislature than in Congress. However, he said that it was amazing that bills are passed as quickly as they are with such a large and unwieldy body.

DE Students To Be Future Executives

By NAN PENDLETON

In a small room located above the clatter of the wood-working shop, one of the most interesting courses in MHS is taught. This is DE or distributive education.

DE is a comparatively new idea but it is one which is rapidly proving its worth. It is a part-time vocational training course, to call it by its technical name. But more specifically, DE is a class and laboratory course instituted to train young people to handle their jobs more efficiently, and to assume positions of responsibility. DE came to Texas in 1937, and the MHS department was established more recently.

Students who take DE find themselves studying such divergent but useful things as personality development, job responsibility, salesmanship, business arithmetic, speech improvement and business law. The remainder of the first year is taken up with studying the individual jobs of the class.

If the student wishes to progress further, during the second year he studies business cycles, the workings of the law of supply and demand, advertising and display, merchandising, advanced business law, accounting control and retail credit procedures.

To aid him in his studies, the MHS student taking DE can refer to a large number of trade journals and Pamphlets which form the DE library.

Most DE students do well in the business world. Their advancement is more rapid than that of untrained people, according to Miss Ruth Donnell, of the DE department. She says that a student with an adverse attitude presents the same problem to a DE teacher that he does to a history teacher or a math teacher. DE is no miracle worker.

Miss Donnell is a personable native of Hlasville, Texas. She attended school at Texas Tech and the University of Southern California. After her graduation she held several jobs, among them one with Delta Airlines. She became interested in DE through a friend and before coming here she gained practical experience in the commercial field at A. Harris & Company, Dallas and the Denver Dry Goods Company of Denver, Colorado. She has been an instructor in Midland school since 1946.

A sidelight of the DE department, though a major one, is the DE Clubs of Texas, and also of the DE Clubs of America. Their purposes are to develop leadership, provide a choice of occupations, create interest in each occupation, encourage high standards, foster responsibility, develop an appreciation of the influence of fine arts in business and engender respect for vocational training.

DE provides a valuable service by training young people to hold jobs, and to accept increasing responsibility. The DE students of today are the business men and executives of tomorrow.

Down Bob's Boulevard

With BOB SHORT

By BOB SHORT

"Hobby? . . . Hobby? Which one?" This is a frequent answer from some of the students when asked what hobby they have. Every student seems to have at least one and each one is just as colorful as the next.

Frank Blackwell — "Playing the piano."

Joel Sims—"Collecting ping-pong balls."

Anne Klebold—"Learning foreign languages."

Max Allen—"Model airplanes."

Patsy Bray—"Helping Joan make her yarn rug and waiting for the mailman."

Mary Faye Ingham—"Talking!"

Nan Pendleton—"Collecting classical records."

Sue Johnson—"Left-handed piano playing."

Neal Adams—"Eating!"

Benny Stanley—"Playing tennis."

Peggy Charlton — "Collecting knives."

Roane Puett—"Golf."

Janis Davis — "Collecting pennants."

Dan Dickinson—"Collecting bets from people who bet against T. C. U."

Mike Brunner—"Photography."

Emily Hamilton — "Doing something."

Royce McKee—"Cheerleading."

Eugene Cooper—"Watching the clock."

Leon Cline—"Shooting the bull with the boys."

Bill Franklin—"Collecting goldfish."

Mary Lynn Manning—"Going on trips."

Etta Ruth Murray—"Meaness."

Wanda Hankla—"Collecting vases from foreign countries."

P. D. Smith—"Cameras."

Wanda Moore — "Playing volley ball."

Johnny Murray—"Woodcraft."

John Wood—"Reading."

Joe Mabee—"Insects."

Nell Cole—"Running' around."

Billie Prothro—"Writing shorthand."

Ken Nichols—"Sleeping."

George Glass — "Hunting and fishing."

Betty Wilson—"Like Orchids."

James Dickinson—"Going with other girls besides the right one."

Ann Boring—"Debating."

Jon House—"Airplanes and photography."

Don Seaton — "Reading, eating, sleeping."

Joan Wyche—"Making yard rugs."

Jimmy Chauncey—"Playing baseball."

Rosalynn Leggett—"Music."

Ann Stevens—"Cooking."

Toya Chapple—"Reading magazine stories."

Kennel Kapers

The band and drill squad are going to march in the Santa Claus parade Tuesday night. The parade starts at 7 p. m.

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If you need some pretty Christmas cards plan to get them from a member of the National Honor Society. They are selling them to raise money for their project.

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All the seniors were sad Thursday because it was the last football game they would see the Bulldogs fight while students at MHS. We are glad Moe made it to the pep rally Wednesday.

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Talked to some of the cheerleaders and they said there would be basketball pep rallys during the basketball season. Hurrah!

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The pep rally last Wednesday was the best of the season. Even six-weeks tests didn't damper the high spirits everyone had for the game and holidays and Mr. Monroe is always welcome and enjoyed.

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We're glad to see all the exes home for the weekend.

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Hope Dee Bivens' ankle is healing rapidly. He received a bad sprain in the Lamesa game.

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Midland High is full of undiscovered talent. We have several artists. Among them are Neal Adams, Jimmy Chauncey, Betty Wilson, Don Drummond, Jimmy Davenport, Bill Little, June Haslip and Enid Little. Do you know any others?

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Plan to attend those one act plays on Monday and Tuesday nights.

Antarctica, or the Antarctic continent, is said to have an area of about 5,00,000 square miles.

Irene Henderson Is New Sophomore English Teacher

Miss Irene Henderson from Georgetown, Texas, has come to Midland High School to teach Sophomore English. Before coming to Midland, Miss Henderson taught in Hatto and Central Texas. She had been teaching in Hatto for the last three years.

A master's and bachelor's degree are the achievements of Miss Henderson. She received her degrees at Southwestern University in her home town of Georgetown. She has done graduate work in the University of Texas and also in the University of Colorado. When asked about how many years she had been teaching, she laughed and teasingly replied, "At least 20."

This is the first time Miss Henderson has lived in West Texas and says "I have discovered things are different from what they are in Central Texas but I find it true about West Texans being friendly."

Since the housing shortage has affected Midland, too, Miss Henderson has no permanent address. But if you should want to help her get located you would be able to find her at Lloyd Henderson's home or phone 207. She is Lloyd's aunt.

It might seem odd for a sophomore English teacher to enjoy cooking but that is Miss Henderson's favorite way to spend her spare time and it is her hobby. Lloyd is lucky, don't you think?

To the sophomore student who is taking English under Miss Henderson and who wants to stay on the good side of her: "You had better stay quiet." She claims, "If I have a pet peeve at all, it is noisiness."

Future Farmers And Homemakers

By PAULINE NORWOOD

Mrs. Massey, clothing teacher, left Wednesday to attend the Texas State Teachers Convention in Dallas. She attended a style show given for the Delta Kappa Gamma by Neiman Marcus. She also enjoyed seeing vocational exhibits and visiting relatives.

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Clothing classes have been studying the best colors for each person. They have received twenty new swatches of color.

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Manicures, shampoos and hair sets have been enjoyed by the girls.

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A movie on laundering will be seen Monday.

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Howard Bennett and Don Bizzell, Midland FFA members attended the National FFA convention in Kansas City, Missouri, November 15 to 19. They were accompanied by Mr. Cuffman, agricultural teacher.

The group left Midland Friday, November 12. They spent Saturday and Saturday night in Dallas. A special train furnished by Missouri-Kansas and Texas Railroad took the Texas delegation to Kansas City. Howard Bennett and several other boys held church services Sunday morning on the train.

They registered at the hotel Sunday night. Monday morning the first session was held. A tour of Swift Packing House was also held Monday.

Monday night at the conference the mayor of Kansas City gave the welcome address. The FFA committees were also appointed during the first session.

The second session met Tuesday on business of the FFA and lasted all day.

Wednesday a speech was given by the secretary of agriculture and a tour of the Ford assembly line were activities of the third session.

Thursday the convention members were glad to hear the ambassador of France speak. The National FFA officers were elected during the last session.

The group arrived home Friday, November 19.

MHS Band Contest Members Selected

MHS band students have been taking tests on their playing ability in order to ascertain those to attend the Texas Tech band clinic to be held in Lubbock December 11 and 12. This clinic is held yearly for the purpose of letting band directors and students hear the contest music which they will have to play in the Interscholastic League contest next Spring.

On arriving in Lubbock the musicians will compete for places in the "A" band which will play the most difficult contest numbers. Those who do not qualify for the "A" band will be placed in a "B" band which plays the easier contest selections.

Fifteen band students from Midland have qualified to go. They are: Joe Barnett, Frank Blackwell, Alice Marie Dorman, Raymond Doyle, Bill Emmons, "Rusty" Fuller, Alan Harris, Richard Hull, Katherine Lewis, Ronnie McFadden, Dow Scott, Paul Dale Smith, Obie Stalcup, W. L. Thompson, and John Wood.

Nervous? Who—ME?



Part of Mrs. Katherine Baierle's 80th birthday celebration was her first plane ride, taken in Pennsauken, N. J. After landing, her great-grandson, David Barett, 6, of West Collingswood, N. J., was on hand to welcome her. Mrs. Baierle holds out her hands to show David she wasn't the least bit nervous.

Jumbled Jives

By SHIRLEY BUNT

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
Dixie, South of the Border
Dear Okie,

No Letter Today, Don't You Love Me Anymore? Then, I'm Gonna Sit Right Down and Write Myself a Letter.

I'm Looking for a Sweetheart with Hair of Gold Eyes of Blue so I Went Down to Virginia and Got a Date with an Angel, who was Lovely to Look at and now I'm Lucky In Love, That's What I Like About the South.

I Love You Truly but You Can't Be True, Dear. You Call Everybody Darling but Do I Worry? You Were Meant for Me but I'll Get Along Somehow.

Why don't you Confess about Taking Miss Mary To The Ball under the Stars of The Summer Night: I know now that I should Never Trust A Man.

I Met A Gal In Calico Down By The Old Mill Stream When You Were Sweet Sixteen.

She'll Be Coming 'Round The Mountain riding The Old Gray Mare as they play the beautiful Tennessee Waltz in Kentucky.

I'm In The Mood For Love when I'm Near You so just Pass The Peace Pipe and Ride In My Little Red Wagon back to Civilization.

When you live Across The Alley From The Alamo you'll be Temptation and You'll Always Be My Sweetheart until I'm My Own Grandpa.

I'll Be All Smiles Tonight as I'm Seeing Nellie Home By The Light Of The Silvery Moon.

Here We Go 'Round The Mulberry Bush chasing the Turkey In The Straw but I Don't Want Her, You Can Have Her, She's Too Fat For Me.

Oh Susanna was Working On The Railroad under The Old Apple Tree while we did the Chicken Reel and Mother Played the Organ And Daddy Sang A Hymn.

Goodnight, Sweetheart and I'll See You In My Dreams. (Signed) 'Til The End Of Time, The Rich Maharajah of Magador.

Turkey Day Begins School Migration

Midland students and teachers began a mighty exodus Wednesday afternoon at the fall of the four o'clock bell which dismissed them for the gay Thanksgiving holidays. Among the migrants were:

Marian Axe who went to Abilene.

Velda Pigg spent her Thanksgiving with her grandparents in Bowie. This is an annual affair.

Nancy McKinely was thrilled about going to Ardmore, Oklahoma.

Lavon and Murphey Baxter went to Lubbock for the weekend.

Mike Brunner's dad took him duck-hunting to fill the holidays with excitement.

Betty and Sybil Reeves went to Lubbock.

Jo Anne Boykin was in Big Spring to attend the marriage of her brother, Bob Boykin, to Camille Inkman.

Wanda Moore chose Lubbock for a place to spend her week-end.

June Hazlip went to Edinburgh in the Rio Grande Valley.

Pat Benedict was in Fort Worth.

Miss Elizabeth Cope visited in the Valley.

What High School Has Done For Me

By JOAN WYCHE

School has done a great deal for me, particularly high school. I have learned to think, reason, cooperate and to appreciate better things of life.

In geometry I have learned to think my hardest. In thinking out these theorems a great deal of patience is needed. In working out proof for a theorem one can not get information out of a book, but must use his past knowledge and his own brain.

School has also taught me to be careful. If one writes a theme which has a good thought, the theme will not be a success if it is not written carefully and with plenty of thought. In almost all subjects, carefullness is stressed. If one is careful when he does a piece of work, he will not have to do it over and lose credit.

Cooperation is another great thing I have learned in school. In group projects everyone must cooperate or the project will not be a success. If a group of men try to build a structure and the workers on the foundation do a poor job, the whole building may fall and be a complete failure.

In choosing books for a book report, I have learned the classes of books which are most beneficial and those which are not.

Stop and think! What have you gotten out of school thus far?

If you send soiled clothing to a commercial laundry, don't use a sheet as a substitute for a laundry bag. Knotting up laundry in a sheet adds unnecessary wear and tear on the fabric and shortens its life-expectancy.



Loveliest Gift Of All—Flowers On Christmas Day.

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Leningrad Gets Estonian Shale Gas

MOSCOW —(AP)— Leningrad has received its first gas through a pipe line leading to the Estonian shale fields.

The immense Estonian oil shale deposits thus have been put to work to make the northern city less dependent on coal hauled from long distances away in the Donbass. Tass, announcing this development, praises it as an accomplishment of Soviet technology. The Soviet news agency states that every last bolt and nut in the whole pipe line and in the compressor stations as well as in the factory which extracts the gas from the shale was made in the Soviet Union.

The Soviet news agency also claims this is the first time gas has been extracted on commercial scale from oil shale and that this was done by Soviet technicians despite predictions of capitalist technicians that the project would not be successful.

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EISENHOWER *was my boss*

by Kay Summersby

Captain, WAC, Army Of The U. S.

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Instalment 25

Our last stop in North Africa was Marrakech. It couldn't have been a lovelier spot in which to leave both tragic and happy memories.

If Marrakech gave us a pleasant farewell, General Eisenhower's new B-17 promised a nice trip. Brand-new and smartly decorated in rich leather, this Flying Fort offered the last word in aerial luxury: a comfort station.

Despite the new fear of German fighters from Europe, the trip North was smooth, fast, and uneventful.

As our plane dropped onto an American base in Southern England, Sue pointed out the window and yelled, "Look! There's a Russian officer!"

I looked—and laughed. She was pointing to an ankle-length gray overcoat which could only belong to an officer of the crack, legendary Scots Guards. And the man inside that overcoat was about as Russian as the House of Lords: Lieutenant-Colonel Jimmy Gault, General Eisenhower's military assistant.

The next and last stop was Bovington Airport, where, while Tex and the girls tried to hide our Moroccan fruit from awed station personnel, I telephoned my mother. When she came on the wire, both of us tried, unsuccessfully to be very casual about the whole thing; it was our first talk in more than thirteen months. A lot had happened between December of 1942, when I left England, and this day, January 14, 1944, the day of my return. Dick, the torpedoing, Algiers, Tunisia, lunch with President Roosevelt, Cairo, Luxor, Palestine, Sicily, Italy . . . I tried to cram it all into that brief telephone conversation.

Riding into the city I was the happiest of Britons, a Londoner coming home. Only a true Londoner can appreciate the emotion. The capital was just as scarred as ever, it looked drab after the color of Algiers, Cairo, Capri, and Marrakech—but it was London.

Next morning, Mattie and I stepped outside into a damp, gray, blurred world.

"Now you're seeing the grandfather of all fogs," I told Mattie, who was bewildered and a little frightened. "This is a pea-souper, a real London pea-souper!"

It was, too. The sun was little more than a fuzzy spot high up in the dark fog. All lights blazed at the office with nighttime strength. Everything was topsy-turvy, being readied for the general's arrival.

"The boss is coming in tonight," Tex explained. "Fog's so bad that it's impossible to fly down from Prestwick. Gaul's up there with a special train." He looked questioningly at me. "They're due in about 11 p. m., Kay. Sure you can drive through this fog—or will it lift by then?"

I laughed. "Lift? This is a pea-souper, Tex. It'll be worse by tonight, if anything. But I should know London well enough to drive it blindfolded . . . which is what it will amount to."

That night, I had my doubts.

I coaxed the Packard down to Addison Road Station, the same place from which General Eisenhower left for North Africa.

General Ike looked very well indeed, refreshed by his visit home.

Jimmy Gault then directed me down toward Berkeley Square, to Chesterfield Hill, where we stopped before a dim building on the corner. This was Jimmy's pride and joy, Hays Lodge, an attractive and nicely furnished town house which was to serve as the general's home and headquarters in the city. It was pleasant, after the fog, to step inside and collapse into the plush chairs. General Ike inspected the upstairs and the basement and then announced to his military assistant's satisfaction, that he liked it very much. "But I'd still rather live in Telegraph Cottage, out of town," he said wistfully.

Within the week, we were settled into the same old 20 Grosvenor office left behind in 1942.

I, for the first time, had a corner in which to start whittling down the surprisingly large pile of "fan mail," already beginning to split almost equally into letters from Americans and those from Britishers. Ike was busy assembling his staff, handing out assignments, and getting reacquainted with pre-Torch friends, from headquarters guards right up to the King of England. He made his first friendly call upon his majesty several days later, rather touched when the king asked for an Eisenhower autograph for a royal relative.

(Upon another occasion, the king also asked if he might be eligible for the European Theater ribbon. Planned to cover American campaigners anywhere from North Africa to Germany, the ribbon already was a sore point with Mediterranean veterans who scoffed at London troops wearing the same award given to those in combat—and the English thought it humorous that Yanks got a decoration for just being in England. The king, however, wanted that ribbon. He was, of course, the technical chief of Britain's armed forces and he had been in Africa. So Ike, leaning mightily upon General Marshall's Washington prowess, arranged the details. Field Marshal Jan Christian Smuts was another empire leader who requested and received the little E.T.O. ribbon. The king always wore his with pride, but I thought it strange he received the decoration without a whisper of publicity; it wasn't even mentioned in the all-inclusive Court Calendar.)

The day after Anzio began, I drove General Eisenhower to an important Sunday meeting of the Allied commanders at Norfolk House, a tall and spacious building originally owned by the family of the Duke of Norfolk, premier Duke of England. Norfolk House, which served as AFHQ before North Africa's invasion, now was stiff and formal with its new importance as the Overlord planning center. Even parking space was numbered in strict accordance with military protocol.

Heading our plain olive-drab toward the Number One spot, however, I saw it was occupied by the flashy, shiny, black Rolls Royce which could belong to but one man in all England: General Montgomery. I was furious, as only a rank-conscious army driver can be.

"That's okay now," General Ike said soothingly. "Don't say anything. It just doesn't matter."

After he got out. I made it a point to remark, ever so sweetly, to Monty's driver, there must be some mistake. And when Ike emerged from Norfolk House, his car was in the space, his driver beaming a purely feline smile.

(To Be Continued)

Tsingtao Watches Chinese Reds

TSINGTAO, CHINA. — (AP) —For a city cut off from the landward side by a Chinese Communist iron curtain, life goes on with remarkable order and placidity in this base for the U. S. Navy. There are always rumors that the Reds will attack, drive the big government garrison into the sea, and force some sort of showdown with the U. S. Navy. But they are just rumors.

Gen. Wang Chi, American-educated deputy garrison commander who was a liaison officer with General MacArthur during the war, says the government can and will hold Tsingtao. The government has a lot of strength here, including a division trained on Formosa under American guidance.

Wang says the government wants to strike out from here against the Communists, but there isn't enough equipment to go on the offensive. Wang wants enough to equip two divisions and until that is available he insists it is too risky to try to move out against the enemy.

The U. S. Navy has its rumors here too. The current one is that the Navy is going to pull out. This is denied from top to bottom but if it wanted to sacrifice its limited shore installations, the Navy could pick up and steam out of Tsingtao within a few hours.

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Wild German Pigs Invade Switzerland

SCHAFFHAUSEN, SWITZERLAND—(AP)—Switzerland is fighting desperately against a German invasion.

The invaders are wild pigs.

Hordes of wild pigs from the Black Forest are fleeing from the attacks of hungry Germans and crossing Switzerland's northern frontier.

Swiss farmers complain that in the agricultural districts of the Canton of Schaffhausen, north of the Rhine River, the German pigs have done incalculable damage to crops.

Since meat is not rationed in Switzerland, the townspeople have little incentive to roam the hills in search of edible wild pork. Apart from occasional hunting expeditions organized by the local farmers, the German invaders have found Switzerland a haven of refuge and have shown no desire to return to their native pastures.

Demands for vigorous Swiss action to wipe out the invaders are being made by rural communities in the Canton of Schaffhausen. The question even threatens to become a political issue in the cantonal assembly of Schaffhausen, where non-government deputies are accusing the cantonal government of negligence in protecting Swiss territory against the pig-invasion. The government claims, on the other hand, that all possible measures have been taken.

WOMAN'S WORLD

The average homemaker, it has been found, spends 70 per cent of her time in the kitchen. She walks from two and one-half to 11 miles a day, and carriers 20 tons of water a year.

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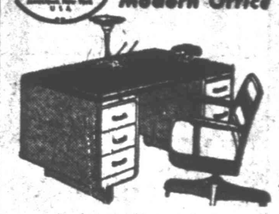
Mikolajczyk's Post Filled

WARSAW —(AP)— The Polish parliament has filled the long vacant seat of Stanislaw Mikolajczyk, self-exiled leader of the onetime opposition Polish Peasant party.

Parliament revoked Mikolajczyk's mandate as a deputy from the Warsaw district after Mikolajczyk fled to the United States in October, 1947. Wladyslaw Kowalski, marshal of parliament, announced the election of Josef Balcerzak to Mikolajczyk's seat. He also said Piotr Typiak had been chosen for the seat formerly held by Stefan Korbonski, one of Mikolajczyk's aides, who also fled to America.

Today the average American eats about 1 1/8 pounds of nut meats a year, compared with 4/5 of a pound in 1909, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics reports.

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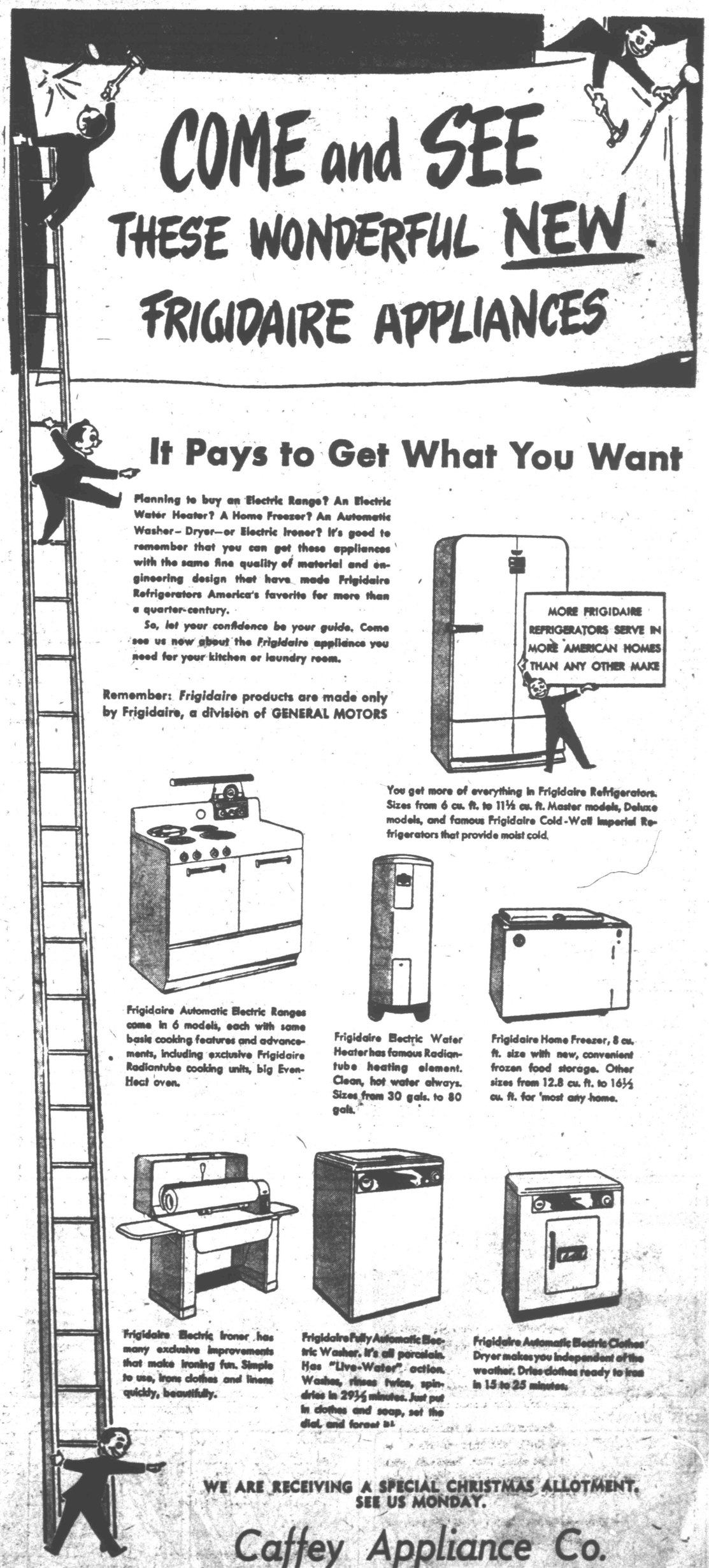
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Germans Get More Beds And Coffins

BIELEFELD, GERMANY —(AP)— Bedsteads and coffins have been put on a priority furniture production list by German economic authorities.

Every fourth German in the Anglo-American zone is without a bed, according to estimates for furniture production needs which are placed at 10,000,000 single beds. The two zones have a total population of approximately 40,000,000.

Anglo-American control authorities have approved an allocation of 185,000 cubic yards of lumber for furniture production and an additional 60,000 cubic yards for the manufacture of coffins. These figures indicate that one coffin will be manufactured for every third bed.

Coffins were among the scarcest items in many communities in postwar Germany. Reports were frequent about the dead being buried in paper sacks and coffins with removable bottoms on which the body rested in the grave while the top part was being used over and over.

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Daddy Ringtail

Daddy Ringtail And The Gibberwink

By WESLEY DAVIS



There was once a Gibberwink who lived close to Daddy Ringtail's monkey house—there in the Great Forest. The Gibberwink was a monkey who liked to sleep all the time. There was nothing he liked better than sleeping.

The trouble was Sammy and Bobby, those Ringtail monkey boys, who often played loud with a lot of noise.

"Daddy Ringtail," the Gibberwink said one day, "those monkey boys of yours make too much noise. They keep me awake."

Now Sammy and Bobby really made no more noise than any other two little boys. They played with their drum and their whistle. They shouted to each other through the trees.

But Daddy Ringtail knew that the Gibberwink didn't understand about boys—and he knew how the Gibberwink liked to sleep—and so the monkey daddy said: "Gibberwink, I'll send Sammy and Booby away to visit their monkey grandmother. They'll be gone a whole week. You can get a lot of sleeping done while they're gone."

The Gibberwink smiled when he heard this. "That's fine!" he said. "I'll sleep and sleep while they are gone."

And the next day, when Sammy and Bobby had gone to visit their monkey grandmother, the Gibberwink said to himself: "How very quiet it is in the forest now! I can hear the leaves fall down to the ground — it is so very quiet."

Then the Gibberwink crawled into his bed and closed his eyes. He was going to take a nice long nap. He lay on his back and tried to go to sleep—but he couldn't. He lay on his side and tried to go to sleep—but he couldn't. He lay on his tummy and tried to go to sleep—but he couldn't He could hear the leaves falling, and everything was so quiet that it almost hurt his ears. At last he got out of bed and climbed over to Daddy Ringtail's monkey house.

"Daddy Ringtail," he said, "The forest is so very quiet that I can't go to sleep. Will you please ask Sammy and Bobby to come home—and to play in the forest with their drum and whistle — and to make some noise so I can go to sleep?"

Daddy Ringtail said he would, because the Gibberwink was so used to noise that he couldn't go to sleep without it. And it all helps to show you, I think, that people miss children when they are away. Happy day!

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STANTON NEWS

STANTON—Mrs. Ann Davis visited her daughter, Jean Davis, and other relatives in Dallas and Fort Worth recently.

Bill Ingram, four-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ingram, underwent surgery in a Stanton hospital last week.

A. C. Edson was admitted to the hospital for medical treatment last week.

J. T. Berry has been discharged from the hospital where he has been under treatment for a heart ailment.

Hardin Zimmerman of Iraan is visiting his parents, Sheriff and Mrs. H. M. Zimmerman.

Mrs. Jim Sale, E. B. Dickenson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sale were Thanksgiving guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kelly.

Quida Faye Polk who was seriously injured in a car-train crash here several weeks ago has been discharged from the hospital.

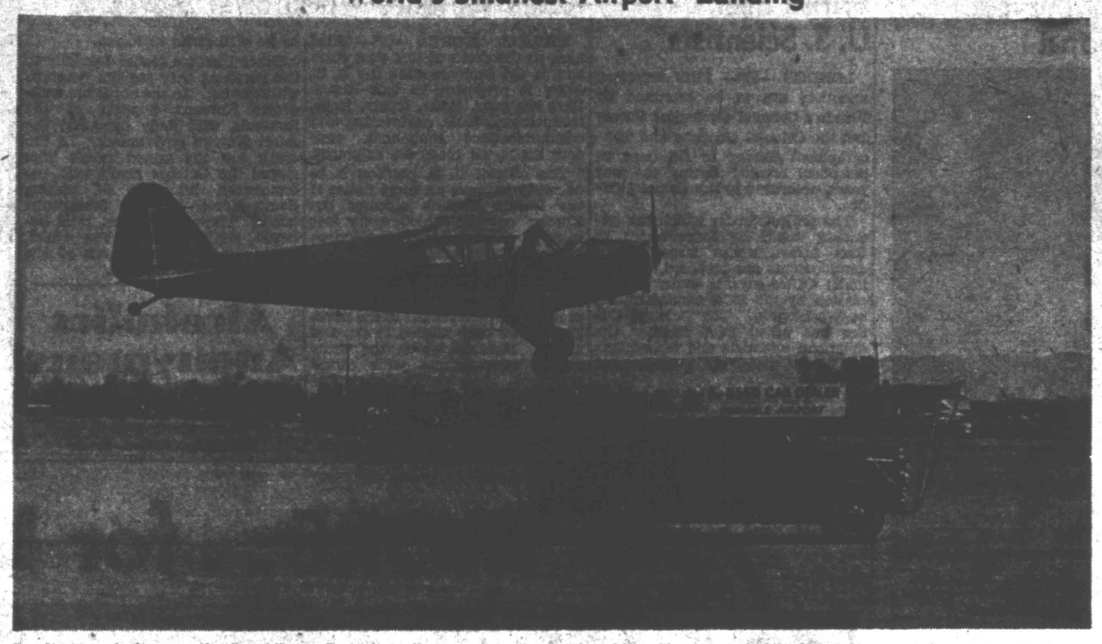
Mrs. LaNelle Scott is ill in a San Angelo hospital.

Mrs. Marcelle Henderson is a patient in the Stanton hospital suffering from pneumonia.

Mrs. S. J. Foreman of Lenorah was admitted to the hospital Tuesday.

Mrs. Mable May of Coleman is visiting her mother, Mrs. Maggie Brothers, who is ill in a Big Spring hospital.

'World's Smallest Airport' Landing



Landing an airplane on the "world's smallest airport" atop a speeding automobile will be one of Harb Page's daring stunts at the VFW-sponsored air show Sunday afternoon at the Midland Airpark north of the city. Page, Hollywood stunt flyer, who is directing the thrill-packed air show, also will perform other feats of daring during the performance which is being held in connection with the airport's dedication.

Treasure Hunt Is Christmas Event

Residents of Midland and other Permian Basin cities won't have to look at the end of the rainbow to find a treasure come next Tuesday. All they'll have to do is look in Midland store windows where prizes for the Christmas Treasure Hunt will be unveiled at 6 p. m. that day.

A total of 59 merchants are participating in the Treasure Hunt and more than 70,000 tickets have been distributed to them by the Chamber of Commerce. Approximately 130 prizes will be awarded by the participating firms.

In order for individuals to take part in the Treasure Hunt all they have to do is ask for tickets at participating stores. No purchase is required to receive a ticket.

Stubs from the tickets should be dropped in the box provided at the store where tickets are received. The remaining part of the ticket should be retained by the individual.

Shuffled Stubs

The boxes from all stores taking part in sponsorjng the hunt will be collected about 4:30 p. m. Tuesday. When a box has been picked up at a store, no more tickets should be given out by that merchant.

When the boxes have been collected the stubs will be placed into one large container and thoroughly mixed. A stub will be drawn from the container for each prize to be given away. Stubs drawn will be distributed to participating merchants who will place those stubs in front of the prizes to be awarded.

Due to the mixing of the stubs before the drawing it is likely the lucky numbers held by individuals will appear in the window of some store other than the one where the ticket was received. Hunters will have to go from store to store and check each window before they can be sure whether or not they hold a lucky number.

The hunt will take hunters all over the city since some participating stores are not located in the downtown district.

There will be no particular hurry for hunters to complete their tour of the stores because the prizes, fronted by the lucky numbers, will be on display from about 6 p. m. Tuesday until the stores close Wednesday. The prizes must be claimed in person on Wednesday, however.

There is no chance of someone beating another to a prize because there are no duplicate tickets.

The Treasure Hunt is being staged by Midland merchants as an initial part of the Christmas shopping opener. Interest in the event is mounting daily and several thousand persons from throughout the trade area are expected to be on hand for the hunt.

LOTTERY MAY AID NON-MOSLEM REFUGEES

SIMLA, INDIA—(AP)—The government of East Punjab has decided to hold a state lottery with "world-wide scope" for raising a sum of $150,000,000 for the rehabilitation of 4,000,000 non-Moslem refugees.

A letter has been addressed to the government of India asking it to organize the lottery or permit the East Punjab government to organize it.

The question was also discussed during recent finance ministers' conference in Delhi.

Thrilling Air Show Slated At Midland Airpark Sunday

Nothing has been spared by the Midland Veterans of Foreign Wars Post and promoters in bringing to Midland one of the nation's finest air shows for the dedication of Midland Airpark north of the city Sunday afternoon. Nationally known flyers and celebreties and a host of the latest military and commercial aircraft will be on hand to participate in the show, which will start at 2 p. m.

Heading the list of honored guests for the occasion will be Col. Robert L. Scott, Jr., famous leader of the Flying Tigers during World War II and author of "God Is My Co-Pilot." Bruce Cabot, Hollywood movie star, has accepted an invitation to attend.

Herb "Mad Man" Page, famous stunt flyer, is scheduled to present several daring performances during the afternoon.

Colonel Scott will bring an F-80 acrobatic team here to do formation flying maneuvers. The jet propelled team planes will be piloted by Capt. Howard W. Jensen, Capt. Walter K. Selenger, Capt. Benjamin F. Yeargin and First. Lt. Michael Smolen. The team is scheduled to be in this area on a routine training flight making it possible for it to participate in the dedication and show.

Helicopter Rescue Team

Officials at Carswell Air Force Base in Fort Worth notified air show officials here Wednesday that a giant B-36 will make several sweeps of the field during the afternoon.

A helicopter rescue team from Biggs Field at El Paso will be present as another of the military teams to perform.

Featuring the stunt performances for the show will be Herb Page demonstrating the "rocket take-off" in which he is catapulted some 2,000 feet in the air in 12 seconds in his specially built stunt plane. Page also will land a plane on the "world's smallest airport" atop a speeding automobile.

Midland Airpark, built by the city, with CAA assistance, in 1943 was returned to the city recently by the WAA after having been leased to the War Department during the war years.

A special demonstration of the latest methods of crop dusting will be given by commercial flyers from this area.

Guessing Contest

Many of the latest types of military and commercial aircraft will be on the ramps for inspection throughout the afternoon.

An Aeronica Chief will be airborne during the show carrying between five and six gallons of fuel. Spectators will be given an opportunity to guess at the exact length of time the plane can stay in the air on that much fuel. The ship will be landed with a dead motor when all fuel has been used and the person guessing nearest to the length of time it stayed in the air will be given the plane.

Parking space for 2,000 cars will be available adjoining the runway and reserve seats will be provided in front of the speakers' stand and the central runway. An admission price will be charged for the show.

Flying enthusiasts and thrill seekers from throughout the Midland area are expected to attend.

Postmaster Urges Correct Addressing Of Christmas Mail

Postmaster N. G. Oates pointed out Saturday that careless addressing spells trouble for the sender, as well as extra headaches for postal clerks at a season when they're already working around the clock to keep the holiday mails moving.

"Mail promptly," he urges. All packages and all Christmas cards for out-of-state delivery should be in the post office by December 10, and all cards for local delivery should be mailed at least a week before Christmas.

"Affix stamps firmly. Don't just give stamps a lick and pat—they may fall off enroute.

"Address plainly and completely," he emphasizes. "That means the full name, house number, street, name of city, zone number and the state.

"Remember, much holiday mail is delivered by emergency carriers who haven't the faintest idea where 'The Wilson Family' lives 'On Oak Street.' There may even be two or three different carrier routes serving different parts of one street.

Write Name Of City

"Don't ever put 'City.' Write out 'Midland, Texas.' If a Christmas card marked 'City' happens to slip into the wrong mail pouch, it may end up in the Dead Letter Office in Los Angeles or Jersey City."

The postmaster recommends sending all Christmas cards by first-class mail which means with regular three-cent stamps.

First-class mail is entitled to "directory service" by skilled post office clerks who will try to trace down addresses who have moved since you mailed your Christmas cards last year.

Only first-class mail will be forwarded from one address to the other or returned to the sender without collection of additional postage if the addressee is not located. It will come back, that is, provided you make sure to place your return address on each Christmas card you mail.

SINGAPORE GETS NEW TOY INDUSTRY

SINGAPORE —(AP)— Singapore's toy - manufacturing business is booming.

Toys mass-produced from scraps of aluminum and tin are finding a ready market in Singapore and the Federation.

Oates Cites Air Mail Advantages

Postmaster N. G. Oates Saturday said air mail service offers distinct advantage to persons sending Christmas packages.

One of the main advantages offered, he said, is avoiding the necessary rushed handling of parcel post packages at Christmas time. In many instances air mail packages go direct from Midland to their destination with no in-between handling, and are rarely handled more than once enroute.

Also the service is much faster, Oates said. An airmail package may reach its destination in one or two days and cover the same distance that it would take a parcel post package a week or more to cover because of the necessary handling at swamped terminal points.

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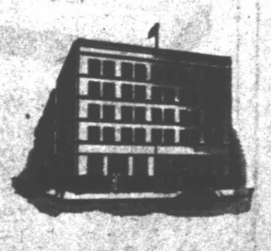
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British Seek U. S. Scientists

LONDON —(AP)— Fifty American scientists are to be recruited by Britain's Colonial Geological Survey and the Colonial Geodetic and Topographical Survey to fill gaps in personnel created during the war years, according to the Colonial Office.

The project, under which the scientists would be concentrated in East Africa, where large railway developments are proposed, the Colonial Office says, is under consideration by the ECA administration in Washington. The Colonial Office has asked ECA whether the American scientists and technicians can fill the posts "while recruitment catches up."

It has been suggested that their basic salaries be met by European recovery program funds, while their local allowances be paid in sterling.

Korea Watches Withdrawal Moves

INCHON, KOREA —(AP)— Piled high on the docks of this west coast port is the evidence that the U. S. Army is preparing to quit Korea. Here are guns, tanks, trucks, jeeps, refrigerators, tools, engineering and communications equipment, even door knobs, all ready for shipment.

The official U. S. position is to be ready to leave on short notice if the United Nations approves the Korean republic which came into being in the UN—observed elections in South Korea in May.

Some Americans say ruefully the United States wasted the three years in Korea because it had no definite program. The Russians in the north knew what they wanted to do, and did it. Koreans watch the withdrawal preparations with mixed emotions. One highly-placed Korean blames the U. S. for Korea's plight. He says if Koreans had been allowed to take over their country at the end of the war there would be no civil strife in Korea.

Other Koreans glance fearfully to the north as they see the Russians withdrawing. In the north are well-armed Koreans, puppets of the Russians, who daily denounce the south Korean government. In the south are the armed rebels who staged the October revolt with the announced intention of uniting South Korea with the Communist north. These two forces, it is believed, could form a vise which would squeeze the life out of the Orient's newest republic.

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Mystic Potions Of Jungles Studied For Helpful Drugs

By MAC ROY RASOR

AUSTIN —(AP)— Locked somewhere in the voodoo inspired mystic potions brewed deep in South American jungles by headhunting Jivaro tribesmen may be cures for many of man's ailments.

Dr. Wilburn H. Ferguson, a robust, research-minded physician of Quito, Ecuador, speculated there may even be a cure for cancer.

He came to Texas to urge Texas scientists and philanthropists to take on a long-range laboratory search into the hundreds of drugs known to the Jivaro Brujo (medicine man) since the dawn of history.

At the University of Texas, president T. S. Painter and professors said they were interested.

From a leather suitcase Dr. Ferguson brought half a dozen human heads shrunk monkey-size. Only the skull had been removed from the head and then everything else dwarfed—features, skin, bones, and cartilages.

In a small vial he displayed a potion he said the savages used in the head shrinking process.

"This mystic solution has intrigued me for years with the possibility that there might possibly be some specific drug that would stop the wild run-away growth of cancer and might even reverse the pathological process," he said.

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For 17 years Dr. Ferguson said he traveled from one side of the Amazon Basin of South America to the other without a single hint of a medicine man who would give him some of the potion. Finally he found one who prepared not only some for the doctor but give him one of the ingredients and promised to supply more for the experiments.

"We feel that the few drugs that already have been adopted from the Jivaro medicine—quinine, cocaine, ipecac, caffiene, cascara, curare and others of worldwide importance—are only a few of several hundred drugs used by the Jivaro that can be utilized to provide new weapons against pain and disease in modern therapeutics," he said.

The first obstacle to block scientific inquiry into the drugs has been the difficulties and hazards of penetrating into dense jungles to obtain them in enough quantities for research. Dr. Ferguson said he now has native boys to go in after the plants and keep them in supply.

They'll be coming to the University of Texas, where Dr. Painter said study of the drug plants would help build a strong research program in pharmacy. Twenty-five jungle plants heretofore unstudied will be first on the list.

The Dean of Pharmacy, Dr. Henry Burlage, said such research will be an unmeasurable contribution to medicine if only one new compound is discovered.

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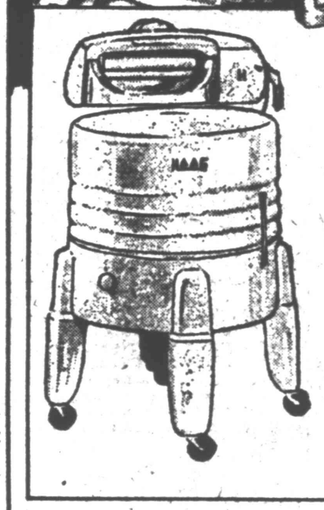
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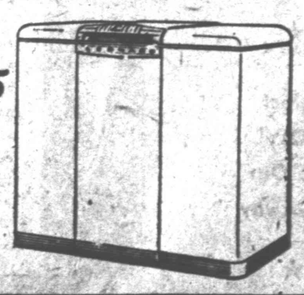
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