

Balkans Fear War Invasion In Countries

Fresh Preparations Taken to Move More Men Up to Borders

BUDAPEST, Feb. 12. (AP).—Fresh preparations to augment the men under arms in the Balkans Sunday underscored fears that southeastern Europe might become a battleground in the spring.

Rumania, over whose potent resources of oil and grain the Allies and Germany have been maneuvering, was reported planning to add 200,000 reservists to her active forces on March 1.

This development follows reports that Britain and France have a force of 500,000 men concentrated in the Near East.

Their number, military leaders here said today, held the threat of a backdoor drive through the Balkans against Germany, or they would be strategically ready should Germany, now meeting diplomatic rebuffs from both Turkey and Rumania, decide herself upon a drive through the area upon which she depends for essential materials for her European war.

A Turkish-British-French drive on rich Russian oil fields has been cited as another possibility for expanding Europe's war.

The Bucharest government admits it has 800,000 men on duty now but foreign military observers place the total at closer to 1,400,000. The calling up of 200,000 reservists, thus, by their estimates, would give the nation 1,600,000 men ready to face any spring danger.

Officials reported that among the many factors leading to uncertainty over the future, and therefore causing the Rumanians to take the extra precaution, was a non-committal reply from Germany to a Bucharest government request for Nazi guarantees of Rumanian territory.

Such a request had been threatened by Bucharest when Rumania's Balkan entente partners—Yugoslavia, Turkey and Greece—failed to agree at their recent Belgrade conference on an inviolable military alliance—Rumania's proposal to preserve Balkan neutrality.

Elsewhere in the Balkans, a survey has shown that defense measures repeating the "military concentrations" of last year are ready to be in force; that the little neutrals' conscript armies will be on a war footing by mid-March.

The occasion for Rumania's guarantee request, authoritative sources said, was presented when Germany "suggested" that Rumania reduce her armed forces so that manpower so freed could be employed for the production of much needed materials for the Reich's war in the west. The suggestion was reported rejected yesterday in Bucharest.

"It is absolutely vital for England and France," one Balkan military expert declared today, "to force Germany to fight on two fronts to cut her off from our grain and oil."

Petit Jurors for First Week of Court Are Announced Today

District Clerk Nettie C. Romer today announced petit jurors summoned for duty February 20, the first week of district court.

The following is the first week Petit Jurors for Feb. 20, 1940 at 1:30 o'clock p.m.

C. V. Lyman, S. E. Mickey, H. L. McClinton, E. M. Miller, J. W. Pace, W. E. Pigg, P. C. Ratcliff, J. C. Smith, W. H. Strader, J. J. Summy, Ralph Trosteth, Edd Veach, C. J. Buser.

L. G. Byerley, Glen Capehart, D. R. Carter, Robt. L. Clark, J. Fred Coker, Carl W. Covington, G. T. Crawford, J. R. Custer, Ben Danahy, C. V. Douglas, John Dublin, F. A. Early, Ronald K. DeFord, E. H. Ellison, Frank Flournoy, F. J. Friberg, C. R. Fryar, Morgan Gist, H. A. Gossett, Berte R. Haigh, L. L. Hanks, H. L. Hart, C. C. Hiett, Fred T. Hogan, J. B. Hoskins Jr., Hurshel Howard, J. L. Hundle, A. B. Johnson, Hoyt Jowell, Geo. Kidd, Jr., Dan Kinsey, A. Knickerbocker, W. LaForce, Tom Lineberry, Ralph Lowe, E. J. Adams, Barney L. Alsbrook.

To Conduct Rites At Big Spring

Rev. W. C. Hinds, pastor of the Methodist church, will conduct funeral services at the First Methodist church at Big Spring this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for E. L. Lomax, prominent farmer of the Lomax community, which was named for him. Mr. Lomax was a long-time resident of Howard county. Among survivors are his wife and several children.

GUESTS OF BRUNSONS.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Burnett and son spent the week-end here as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Brunson. They were en route from Ballinger to make their home at Odessa.

How U. S. Traded With Japan in 1939



Japanese warning that U. S. had better try to understand the "new order" in East Asia follows abrogation of trade treaty between the two nations. Until now, U. S. has been the Mikado's biggest customer and Japan has ranked third in trade of this country. Figures show U. S.-Japanese trade for 1939.

Senate Committee Will Probe Cost of Presidential Campaigns

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12. (AP).—Vice-President Garner will appoint a Senate campaign investigating committee this week, and friends said he was determined to pick one which would leave no stone unturned in ferreting out alleged fraud and excessive expenditures in the selection of presidential and vice-presidential electors as well as senators.

A resolution adopted by the Senate last week authorized the special committee and made \$30,000 available for its inquiries into primary and general election campaigns.

The complexion of the committee is not likely to be overly friendly to the present administration. The two Republican places on the five-member group are expected to go to Senators Tobey of New Hampshire and Reed of Kansas. Garner's friends said he would choose the three Democrats from a list submitted, at Garner's request, by Senator George (D-Ga.), chairman of the Senate elections committee. Few New Dealers thought that George, whose renomination was opposed by President Roosevelt in 1938, had included any of their number on the list.

No senator from a state where there is a senatorial election this year may serve on the committee. This leaves only 23 Democrats eligible. Of these Senators Bailey (D-NC), Gerry (D-R), Johnson (D-Colo.), Smith (D-ISO) and Walsh (D-Mass) were reported to be under consideration.

Walsh served on the 1938 campaign committee headed by Senator Sheppard (D-Tex) which was sharply critical of methods employed by some candidates in senatorial primaries. Its findings were credited with having had much to do with winning congressional approval for the Hatch Law banning pernicious

political activities by federal employees.

There was continued speculation today over the entry of James A. Farley into the Massachusetts Democratic primary. Some informed politicians believed that Farley would not make it a general practice to enter primaries, and had some into Massachusetts merely to make it clear he was a candidate for the presidential nomination.

Farley's entry into Massachusetts shared attention with a barrage of Republican Lincoln Day speeches. The Republican national committee will meet here Friday to select a time and place for the 1940 convention.

State Brotherhood Director to Speak At Baptist Supper

Dinner will be served to approximately 100 men at the monthly meeting tonight of the Baptist Brotherhood. Principal speaker will be R. A. Springer of Dallas, state brotherhood director. Mr. Springer, who also is treasurer of the Texas Baptist General Convention, is known over the state as one of the denomination's most able and inspiring speakers.

FROM CONFERENCE.

Buster Howard returned this morning from Dallas where he attended a regional conference of Boy Scout workers. While in the city he saw "Gone With the Wind" which is to open in Midland March 3. He gave the show high praise.

New Army for Allies Based In Suez, Egypt

Australian and New Zealand Volunteers Aligned in Near East

SUEZ, Egypt, Feb. 12. (AP).—One of the greatest armies ever transported by sea landed here today from New Zealand and Australia to join British and French forces in the Near East.

A tent city at the edge of the desert was partly prepared for the troops, welcomed at the end of their 10,000-mile voyage by Dominions Secretary Anthony Eden with a message from King George.

The New Zealanders and Australians were all volunteers.

A Reuters dispatch from Suez said the grand armada of transports and British warships were anchored "as far as the eye could see."

Guilty Plea Entered By Former Chief of L. S. U. Construction

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12. (AP).—George Caldwell, former superintendent of construction at Louisiana State University, pleaded guilty in federal court today to seven indictments charging cash kickbacks, diversion of WPA labor and material amounting to more than \$90,000 and evasion of \$14,513.72 in income taxes.

Judge Wayne Borah sentenced Caldwell to two years in prison and fined him \$1,000 and costs of prosecutions.

Man Arrested, Loot In Burglary Recovered

Officers yesterday arrested Gordon Nelson, who has been living here about a month after moving from Oklahoma, and charged him with burglarizing the Minute Inn Saturday night after it had been closed up.

Officers reported all but about two dollars of the estimated \$35 taken was recovered after Nelson's arrest. Preliminary hearing is scheduled this afternoon.

In justice of peace court, Vernon Strickland of Sterling City paid a \$25 fine after pleading guilty to speeding and reckless driving while driving a truck.

Charges against three local persons for drunkenness and destroying property have been filed.

Los Angeles Pastor Is Heard by Large Crowds Here Sunday

Packed houses at both services greeted the appearance of Dr. Howard M. Fagan of Los Angeles who preached at the First Christian church here Sunday morning and evening.

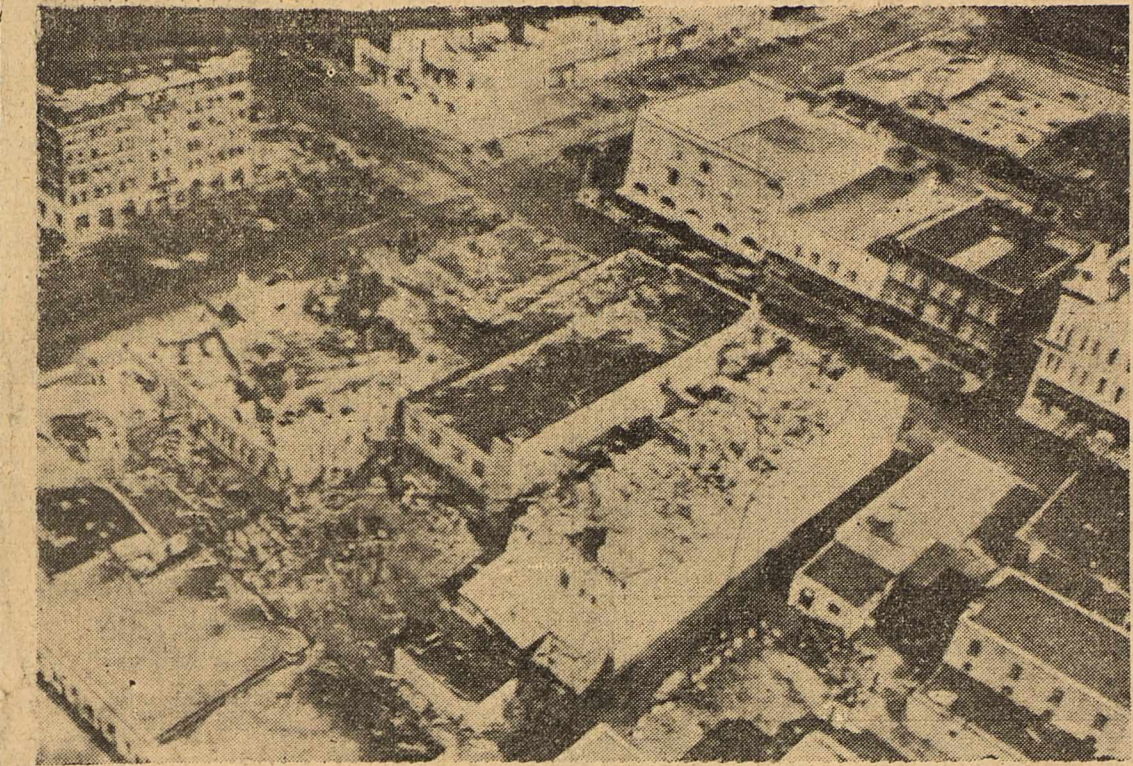
"His sermons lived up to his reputation as one of America's leading preachers," Rev. John E. Pickering, host pastor, said in discussing the inspiring messages brought by the visitor.

Appearance of Dr. Fagan here was an unusual opportunity for Midland as this is the only town in which he is to preach in Texas save at Fort Worth where he will lecture at Texas Christian University this week.

Services at the Odessa Christian church were dismissed Sunday evening to allow the young people and others in the congregation to attend services here. A good representation was present from the Ector county city.

NEW RUSSIAN ATTACKS LAUNCHED

Tornado Kills 19 in Georgia



This aerial view of the business section in Albany, Georgia, graphically shows the wreckage left in the wake of one of the most disastrous tornadoes the South has known. The storm whirled out of the southwest, and in two minutes laid ruin to these stores and buildings.

Death and Destruction in Tornado's Wake



Part of the residential section of Albany, Georgia, which a tornado swept through leaving 20 dead, 500 injured, and some 2,000 homeless. It is estimated the damage will run between \$5,000,000 and \$10,000,000.

Rhodes, Tompkins and Richmond Will Drill Test Southeast of North Cowden

BY FRANK GARDNER.

An outpost test, 5,600 feet southeast of the North Cowden pool of northern Ector county was announced today by Ray R. Rhodes, J. D. Tompkins and Richmond Drilling Company, all of Midland, at No. 1 J. L. Johnson estate. Material is being moved in, and pits now are being dug at location of the proposed 4,200-foot test, which is 440 feet out of the northwest corner of section 25, block 43, township 1 south, T&P, survey, on farmout from Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company. The test also is a mile and a half west by southwest of the same operator's No. 1 TXL, recent dry hole which carried promising shows of oil.

Liquor Board Chief Criticized by Two Members of Board

AUSTIN, Feb. 12. (AP).—Sharp criticism of methods used by Dr. W. D. Bradfield, Dallas, chairman of the state liquor control board, was voiced today by board members D. J. Decher, Flatonia, and E. W. Crouch, McGregor.

Decher and Crouch expressed an opinion Bradfield had gone around the board instead of to it "by issuing statements which have criticized liquor statutes and their enforcement."

Bradfield issued a statement in which he declared he had found a number of liquor law violations which he believed had not been dealt with severely enough.

Battle Being Continued on Summa Front

Red Losses of More Than 1,000 Reported In Finnish Message

HELSINKI, Feb. 12. (AP).—The Finnish high command announced today "several enemy divisions" had launched artillery, tank and aircraft attacks against Finnish positions in the Summa sector on the Karelian isthmus yesterday and that the battle was being continued today.

The communique said two other big assaults also were made but all attacks failed. Russian dead in the attacks was placed at 1,080.

Finnish said Russians had lost 72 tanks, which would be the greatest one-day bag of these machines since the war began. Six Russian planes were also reported destroyed.

HELSINKI, Feb. 12. (AP).—The tenth consecutive day of Red army hammering against Finland's Mannerheim defense line failed to make headway, a Finnish communique announced Sunday.

Two Soviet planes were reported shot down and five tanks destroyed. Soviet tactics were shifted in Saturday's fighting, the Finns said, instead of concentrating on frontal assaults in the Summa sector, the Russians hurled their heaviest attacks against points east and west of Summa.

The Russians apparently were (See BATTLE, page 6)

Russia and Germany Conclude New Trade Agreements Today

BERLIN, Feb. 12. (AP).—Authoritative sources said today Russia and Germany had concluded a new and more extensive trade agreement.

While authorized sources were unable to state details of the agreement, they described it as being of far-reaching importance, synchronizing the need of the two countries.

Governor General Of Canada Succumbs To Fall Injuries

MONTREAL, Feb. 12. (AP).—Lord Tweedsmuir, 64, governor general of Canada since 1935 and a noted author who had held several important posts in the British Empire, died here last night, less than a week after suffering a concussion at his official residence in Ottawa.

His death came a short while after he was operated on for the third time.

Lord Tweedsmuir was the first representative of the King to die in office since formation of the Canadian Confederacy.

After his fall last Tuesday at the governor's quarters in Ottawa, his condition grew steadily worse. He was operated on twice Friday and was rushed here by special train Friday afternoon.

The governor general had made progress after the two operations on Friday and Sunday he suffered a relapse.

Lord Tweedsmuir, whose last public appearance was at the brief session of the Canadian parliament (See TWEEDSMUIR, page 6)

C of C Directors To Meet Tonight

Regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will be held in the chamber of commerce office this evening at 7:30 o'clock, the session to be the first since the recent election of officers and directors for the year. Several highly important matters, as well as the appointment of committee chairman and the adoption of a program of work and a budget, are scheduled for discussion, according to John W. House, president, who urged a full attendance.

\$100,000 Losses Are Reported From Fire

CORSICANA, Feb. 12. (AP).—Losses were estimated at \$100,000 from a fire in the Fortson grocery company, wholesaler, here early today.

To Confer Degrees On Goldsmith Masons

Work started this afternoon by Royal Arch Masons at conferring degrees upon a half dozen candidates from Goldsmith.

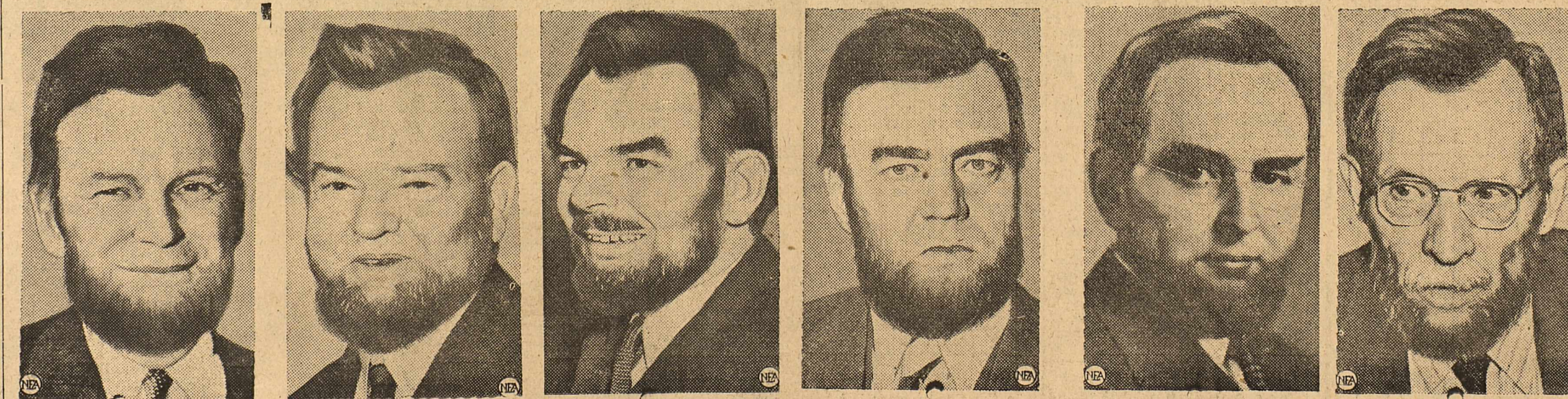
Ladies of the Eastern Star will serve refreshments at the Masonic Hall at 6:30 this afternoon.

Chapters of Colorado City, Big Spring and Big Lake have been invited here for the work.

BACK ON JOB.

Fisher Pollard, deputy sheriff, is back on the job today after being ill with the flu.

G. O. P. SENDS OUT 1940 LINCOLNS TO HUSH DEMOCRATS



John Hamilton, Herbert C. Hoover, Thomas E. Dewey, Hamilton Fish, Arthur H. Vandenberg, Luren D. Dickinson

By NEA Service.

Modern day Lincolns, scores of them, will descend on the country today to address the annual Lincoln Day revival meetings of the Republican party.

Taking a cue from Democracy, which snuggled close under the towering figure of Andrew Jackson at the recent Jackson Day din-

ners, the Republicans will wrap themselves still tighter in the Lincolnian mantle. There isn't time to grow the Lincoln whiskers, but every speaker will have them on, figuratively, and there are few who won't be using the Emancipator's own words.

By way of showing the real Lincoln touch, the artist has done up some of the 1940 linguistic Lincolns who will be among the lead-off

speakers for the dinners.

John D. M. Hamilton will appear at the biggest party, in New York. Former President Hoover will be at Omaha; Candidate Dewey at Portland, Ore.; Hamilton Fish at Chicago; Candidate Vandenberg at St. Paul, and Governor Dickinson of Michigan will share honors with Governors James of Pennsylvania and Stassen of Minnesota at Grand Rapids.

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Browder Runs for Congress

Neither his Communist proclivities nor his recent conviction for violation of passport laws bars Earl Browder from the right to run for Congress in the 14th New York district. The state supreme court's decision is entirely consonant with the law. Even though conviction in a state court may bar a man from seeking office, federal conviction does not; and renunciation of a candidate's political faith is not a requisite for entering a campaign.

Despite the license granted Comrade Browder, New York's 14th district residents are losing little sleep over the possibility of being represented by a Stalinist agent. Unless something goes definitely haywire, Mr. Browder is not likely to become the Gentleman from New York.

If, by some unprecedented quirk of fate, he should be elected, he will be compelled to set up office in a cell, unless the federal district court's finding of guilty is reversed in the pending appeal. Under any circumstances, the election should give 14th district voters an excellent chance to inform Stalin and Disciple Browder what they think of Soviet principles.

Freedom Must Be Guarded

Despite assurances by government officials at odd moments since the European war began, the American press would not be permitted to go on unchecked if this country ever became involved in war, Prof. Harold L. Cross of Columbia University and special counsel to the American Publishers' Association, predicted recently.

Professor Cross contended that emergencies, even those as great as war itself, do not justify curtailment of press freedom; that the very liberty under which newspapers operate today was obtained during an emergency.

It is unlikely that any section of the press would turn to treason during a war involving this country. Freedom of the press remains a precious American heritage. The United States can never afford to dispense with it, even temporarily.

Finns Know How to Eat

The Finns have learned that if one eats properly, he can lick a bear—especially a Russian bear.

The whole secret of the amazing Finnish resistance against the weight of Soviet force lies in the fact that the Finns have the highest standards of nutrition of any country in the world, according to Michael J. Walsh, diet expert of the University of California extension division.

Apparently when the Finnish soldiers were little boys they ate their vegetables and drank their milk without complaining; and when they grew up, they continued to eat their vegetables and drink their milk until they were strong enough to stop Russian divisions dead in their tracks.

Tragically, however, even the sturdiest of warriors can't stand up against a high explosive bomb dropped from an airplane. In ground fighting, they may be very nearly invincible. Under the ghastly savagery of an air raid, even the healthiest must perish.

GREAT EMANCIPATOR

HORIZONTAL

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Valentine Dance Sponsored Saturday Night by Midland University Club

Balloons in red, white, and other colors were clustered over lights in the Crystal ballroom Saturday evening when the Midland University club entertained with a Valentine dance.

Ray McNeill and his college-student orchestra from Sul Ross at Alpine played for dancing.

Club guests were: Miss Christine Pate, Walter Walne, Miss Julia Bacon, Mr. Aaron of Odessa, Miss Geneva Risinger, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Beatty, Miss Dunagan, Miss Mary Page, Miss Orpha Zingary, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Kirby, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Robinson, Miss Minnie Brown, McCannery, Alex Evers, Miss Grace Evans, Miss Edna Mae Brown, Jack Samples.

Miss Georgia Goss, Miss Mary Jane Sweetmon, Miss Catherine Barrett, Miss Ellen Parson, Virginia Ford, "Turk" Reynolds, Miss Beth Houston, Mrs. Norman, Miss Elizabeth Payne, Miss Joyce Beauchamp, Miss Thompson, Mrs. Gumm, Leroy Williams, Martha Flaherty, Joe A. Burkett, Jack Swift.

Members attending were: A. L. Attaway, R. Brewer, Jack Conley, Rex Clark, Goldsmith, Frank Cowden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Cones, Clifton W. Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Wright Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Downey, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. L. Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Estes, Jay Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Halferty, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hamilton, Jack Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Hitchcock, A. A. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jorgensen, Joe Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kotzka, Mr. and Mrs. Ross J. Lyon, Jack Olsen, Boyd Laughlin, Jack Lawton, John McCleary.

John Paul McKinley, Mr. and Mrs. Don McKibben, James McNab, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McCamy, Dalton McWilliams, J. F. Malloy, Vann Mitchell, David Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pinion, John Porter, Clyde Porter, Jack Prothro, John Nobles, Gene Purvis, Robert Prothro, Leland A. Quinn, Geo. R. Ross, Glenn Roberts, Neil Roselius, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rafferty, Jay G. Rupe, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Summy, W. F. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Tullis, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Weatherall, Charles West, C. F. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Bob White, R. M. Zimmerly, Russell Williams.

Mrs. Barber Presents Lesson At Senior League

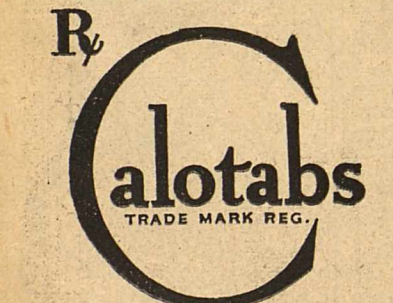
Mrs. J. L. Barber Jr. presented the lesson on "Fear" at the meeting of the Senior League at the Methodist church Sunday evening.

Frances Guffey read the scripture lesson and Rev. W. C. Hinds offered prayer.

Frances also led the business meeting during which plans were discussed for the League banquet Tuesday evening.

Song service was led by Mrs. S. Ross Carr with Jack Hurt at the piano.

About 17 were present.



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Coming Events

TUESDAY.

South Ward PTA will meet at the school building at 3 o'clock. An executive board meeting will be held at 2:30 o'clock.

Delphian chapter will meet in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Women's Bible class will meet at the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Twentieth Century Study club will meet with Mrs. A. M. East, 511 Holmesley, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Lorado Sewing club will meet with Mrs. Agnes Dietrich, 420 S. Lorraine, Tuesday afternoon at the usual hour.

Civic Music club will meet in the North Ward school auditorium Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic hall Tuesday evening at the usual hour.

D. A. R. chapter will hold a short business session at the home of Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, 1110 W. Texas, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present and are assured that the meeting will be brief.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

Bridgette club will meet with Mrs. Bill Van Huss, 607 N. Pecos, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY.

Fine Arts club will meet with Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, 511 North D, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Cactus club will meet with Mrs. S. H. Huggins, 1200 W. Indiana, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Girl Scouts will meet at junior high school Wednesday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock.

Home Arts club will meet with Mrs. John Dunagan, 1904 W. Wall, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

THURSDAY.

Banner Sewing club will meet with Mrs. Leroy Huckaby, 315 W. Texas, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

Leshe Flyaron will meet with Mrs. Geo. Sapp Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. C. G. Murray, 701 N. Colorado, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. The lesson will be the eleventh chapter of Exodus.

Friday Needle club will meet with Mrs. Addison Young, 604 N. San Angelo, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SATURDAY.

Treble Clef Juvenile Music club will meet at the Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Odessa Young People Guests at Meeting Of Senior Endeavor

Young people from the Odessa Christian church were guests at the meeting of the Senior Christian Endeavor here Sunday evening. The attendance was so large that the program was held in the main auditorium of the church.

After an address of welcome by Nell Ruth Bedford, Endeavor president, the program was turned over to Doris Jean Shockey as program leader.

Conference songs were sung by the group. Special musical numbers were a piano solo by Doris Lynn Pemberton and a bass horn solo by Jimmy Peckering, accompanied by Nell Ruth Bedford.

Program topics were discussed by Jimmy Pickering, E. J. Ragsdale, and Johnny Pickering. After the study hour, the group adjourned to the social hall of the church where games were directed by Miss Jewell Lee Gage and Miss Mary Claret. Refreshments were served and the young people returned to the auditorium to hear Dr. Howard Fagan preach at the evening worship hour.

Approximately 35 Attend Men's Class

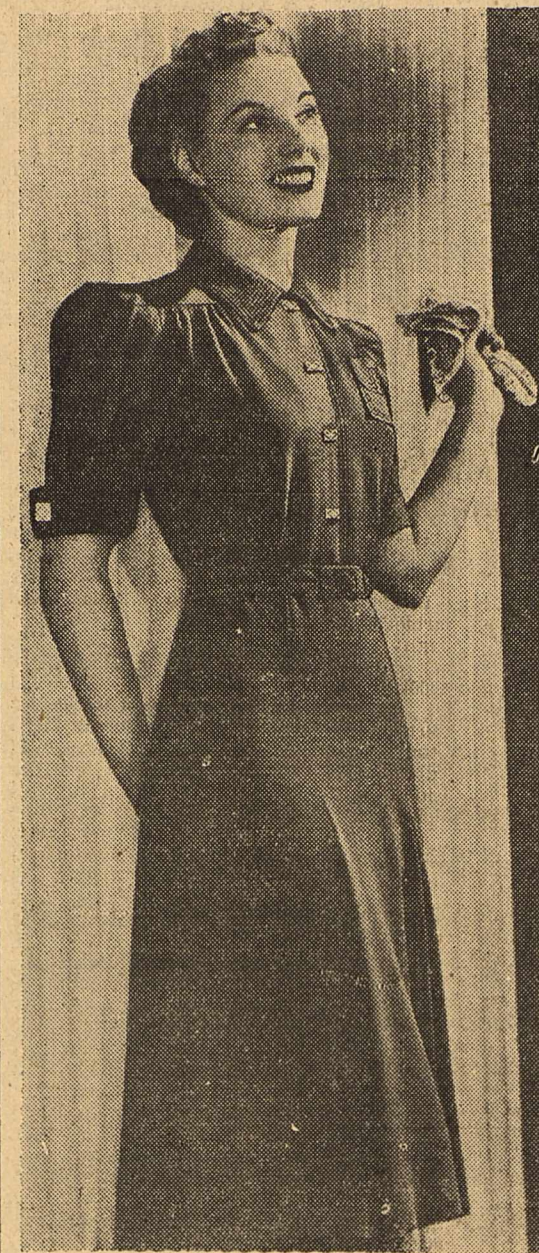
M. C. Ulmer had charge of the lesson service at the Scharbauer Men's class Sunday morning, the topic of the lesson being, "The Perils of Rejecting Christ."

Song service preceding the lesson study was led by Lige Midkiff. A special offertory number consisting of a piano and mandolin duet, "The Old Refrain" by Fritz Kreisler was played by Ned and Miss Lydia Watson.

About thirty-five were in attendance. Guests included John Woods, L. E. Cook, Geo. M. McEntire Jr., Billy Wyche, Bill Van Huss, Franklin Stickney, John Castleberry, and R. E. Hunt.

May to December Romance
RICHMOND, Eng. (U.P.)—Sixty years ago Thomas Dargan of Church St. Isleworth and Sarah Nannah Hamilton of nearby Twickenham were school-day sweethearts. Since that time they had not met. He met his erstwhile sweetheart while on a walk and they fell in love again. They now are man and wife.

Smart as the Day Is Long



THIS flattering day—dress to wear now and later—comes in a variety of fabrics and a wide range of colors, including dusty pastels as well as black and navy. Notice the pocket, the subtle fullness of the skirt and the novel studs down the front and on cuffs.

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Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. How is a meat sandwich, with gravy, supposed to be eaten?
 2. Is it permissible to put butter on two or three pancakes as soon as they are served?
 3. Is applesauce, served with pork, eaten with a fork or spoon?
 4. Should you say "Thank you" when you take food offered by a servant?
 5. Should you put butter on a baked potato with your knife?
- What would you do if—
You are at a dinner party, and the person on your right is more interesting than the one on your left. Would you—
(a) Divide your time evenly between them?
(b) Talk to the person on your right most of the time?

Answers

1. With a knife and fork.
 2. Yes.
 3. Fork.
 4. It isn't necessary.
 5. With your fork.
- Best "What Would You Do?" solution—(a).

Neat Bacon.

Bacon, sliced very thin, is apt to tear when being separated, particularly in cold weather or right out of the refrigerator. To avoid ragged slices, lay the package in a warm oven until they can be separated easily. The oven should not be hot enough to cook the bacon at all and the bacon should not be left in long enough for the fat to melt.

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Midland Group Attends Big Spring B&PW Luncheon

In order to be effective, women must think, must be able to express their thoughts, and must be able to carry out their ideas, Miss Marjorie Fiske, field worker of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs told members of the organization at a luncheon in the Settles Hotel at Big Spring Sunday.

Members of Business and Professional Women's clubs from Midland, Colorado, Sweetwater, Pampa and other towns were present for the luncheon at which the Big Spring club honored Miss Fiske and Miss Hattila White of Amarillo, corresponding secretary of the Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's clubs.

Miss Jeannette Barnett, president of the Big Spring club, presided.

Miss White in a few brief comments stressed the fact that the support of the individual member is the keystone of club work. She presented Miss Barnett with the Big Springs charter. The new group has 19 charter members.

A roundtable discussion of problems confronting B&PW clubs was led by Miss Fiske.

Miss Edith Gay sang a special number, "Thank God for a Garden."

William Lavender of Lubbock (amateur magician), presented a program of magic tricks, through courtesy of the American Legion.

A red and white theme was featured in table appointments. Red candles in crystal holders burned on the table and red flowers formed the centerpiece at the speakers' table.

Favors were small replicas of the Big Spring club's charter combined with the club membership and the purpose of the occasion.

Attending from Midland were Miss Maria Spencer, district director, Miss Laura Jesse, Miss Vesta Deaton, Mrs. Iva M. Noyes, Mrs. Hilda Blair Ray, Miss Maude Prather, Miss Kathleen Eiland, all club members, and a guest, Miss Joyce Holman.

Fifty-one women were present for the luncheon.

Slamane book lovers are so fond of books that they wear straw hats shaped like a book.

Hearts & Flowers



CUPID'S shafts will be sure to be doubly effective on Valentine's Day if they carry with them a corsage of orchids. A matching arrow and orchid for her hair will be a form of two-timing certain to win her heart.

Mrs. Horst Brings Devotional at Naomi Class

Mrs. William Simpson brought a lesson on "Perils of Rejecting Christ" at the meeting of the Naomi Sunday school class at Hotel Scharbauer Sunday morning.

The lesson reading was presented by Mrs. Lucile Westermann.

Devotional was brought by Mrs. A. E. Horst.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. W. P. Thurmon.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Group No. 2 Presents Program At BTU Meeting

Group No. 2 of the Fellowship union, with Leon Arnett as captain presented the program on "Why Christians Succeed and Fail" at the meeting of the group Sunday evening.

Parts were taken by Mrs. Billy Gilbert, Otis Smith and Mrs. C. D. Fuller.

Mrs. Thurman Pylant conducted the Bible quiz on the book of Genesis. A checkup showed that the women are ahead by 10 points in the Bible reading contest.

Mrs. Fuller, vice-president, announced that Thursday would be a visitation night.

Prayer was offered by Joe Pierce. Twelve members and four visitors were present. The visitors were Mrs. Joe Pierce, Mr. and Mrs. Clint Dunagan, and Mrs. Homer Hensley.

The only African pygmy elephant and only echidna in captivity are contained in the Philadelphia zoo, which also houses the oldest white-handed gibbon in captivity.

How To Relieve Misery of Your CHEST COLD

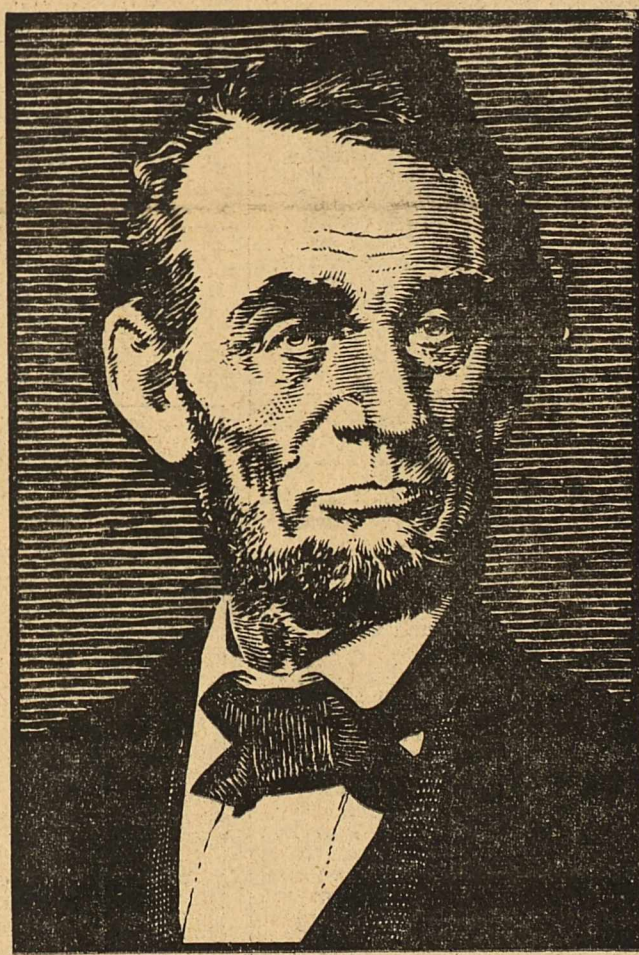


Massage throat, chest, and back with plenty of Vicks VapoRub at bedtime. Then spread a thick layer on chest and cover with a warm cloth. VapoRub's double action brings double relief. It acts as a poultice to penetrate the surface skin; and its soothing medicinal vapors are breathed direct to the irritated air passages. Try it, to loosen phlegm—to clear air passages—check tendency to cough—and also to relieve the tightness and soreness of chest muscles.

VICKS VAPORUB

Abraham Lincoln THE GREAT EMANCIPATOR

Monday, February 12, is the anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln, known as the Great Emancipator. In the years since Lincoln's death, there has been a growing appreciation and respect for the greatness of this American of humble birth who served as President during one of the most tragic periods in American history.



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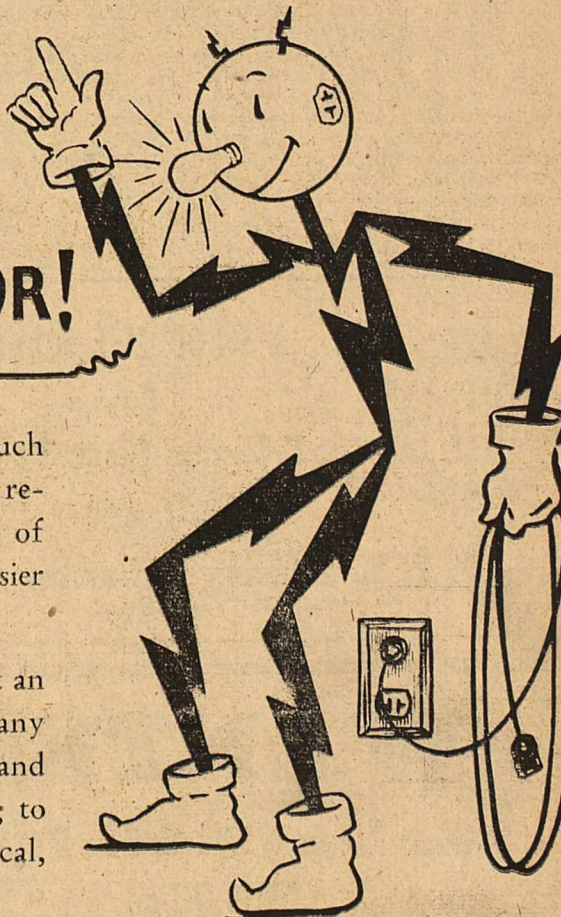
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HIGH SCHOOL INJURIES RUIN ATHLETES, SAYS YOUTHFUL TRAINER AT BUTLER

BY JERRY BRONFIELD,
NEA Service Sports Writer.

INDIANAPOLIS. — High school athletic heads could save themselves considerable grief and insure youngsters a much better future if they paid heed to James H. Morris, youthful varsity trainer of Butler University.

"The biggest need in competitive athletics today," says Morris, "is adequate provision for training and treatment of injuries in secondary schools. Very few high schools have and provision for preparatory training or treatment of injuries beyond what the coach can do. As a result, minor injuries often are neglected, become aggravated and cause a lot of trouble later on.

WILL SPECIALIZE IN ATHLETIC INJURIES.

MORRIS, only a few years older than the boys he trains, is one of Indianapolis' busiest men. In addition to his arduous training duties he has taught himself to play the accordion and always is in demand for impromptu entertainment.

He taught himself barbering and is a life-saver to Bulldog athletes who can't afford the price of a haircut. He spends a couple of hours each night giving free services.

He has worked off many pre-medical courses at Butler and intends to keep at it until he gets his

degree.

When he gets it he intends to specialize in orthopedic surgery and athletic injuries.

FOOTBALL TOUGHEST; ANKLES SUFFER MOST.

AS might be expected, Morris says football presents the principal problem to the trainer, both in preparation and treatment of injuries.

There are more men and they are larger.

The game requires more tape and wrapping and often special treatment for old injuries.

Except for minor bruises and strains, ankle injuries are the most common on the gridiron. Bruised shoulders and shoulder muscles come next, followed by major damage to skin and muscles from cuts. Knee injuries are high on the list.

In Morris' opinion, principles of training are about the same for the various sports.

The trainer differentiates between types of injury, rather than sport, and by parts of the body which need the most protection.

FEW INJURIES IN COLLEGE BASKETBALL.

BASKETBALL players most frequently suffer ankle injuries and severe charleyhorses.

Ninety-five per cent of track ailments come from pulled muscles,



Frank Carbon, baseball captain, gets a free haircut from Jim Morris, Butler University trainer.

metatarsal arch trouble, and blisters.

College baseball brings few injuries, or even sore arms, because the "heat" isn't on, and the season is too short to produce over-strain.

Knee injuries give trainers the severest trouble, Morris points out.

They're the most difficult to cure and most frequently cause recurrent trouble.

The Butler trainer invented a protective knee wrap which has had excellent results.

Apparently there is no end to James H. Morris' talents.

Slump Likely In Production Of '40-'41 Hogs

WASHINGTON, (U.P.) — Hog production which reached a 16-year peak in 1933 has begun a decline which will continue at least through 1941, the Bureau of Agricultural Economics predicts.

The ratio of hog prices to corn prices — which largely determines hog production — dropped sharply during the last two months of 1933 and early this year was unfavorable for feeding corn to hogs.

"Although some increase (in favor of feeding) may occur in the ratio in the next few months, it probably will continue unfavorable to hog producers during most of 1940," the bureau said.

The 1933 pig crop totaled 84,300,000 head, an increase of 19 per cent over 1932 and was the largest in the 16 years for which records have been kept. Most of the 1933 increase in pigs will be marketed this year.

The upward cycle in hog production began after the 1927 drought, which caused farmers to market their brood sows to avoid feeding them high-priced corn. Hog prices increased with a shortage of pork the next year and, with cheaper corn, big production began booming in 1933.

The number of sows saved this winter for farrow next spring was somewhat smaller than a year ago. Because of the relatively high price of corn to pork prices, hogs are expected to be marketed at lesser weights this year than last.

The number of cattle on feed for market at the start of this year was 12 per cent larger than a year ago in the Corn Belt states and 19 per cent larger in the western states, the bureau reported.

The total number on feed at the beginning of 1940 for the entire country was the largest in recent years. An increase in cattle marketings this year probably will be most pronounced during the first six months, the bureau said.

The number of sheep and lambs on feed Jan. 1 was about 3 per cent larger than a year earlier and was the second largest on record. Feeding in the Corn Belt states was 5 per cent larger, but in western states slightly smaller than a year ago.

Dry weather in most of the cattle and sheep country during the last half of 1939 reduced winter pasturage and increased the necessity for winter feeding. This, the bureau said, will materially reduce the margin of profit of meat producers this year, compared with last.

terior to utilize \$50,000 for the purchase of adjoining property to create Gloria Dei National Historical Park. The government now holds a tract near the church which it plans to use for a housing project.

Fraternity Cage Team Lines Up Like Grid Stars

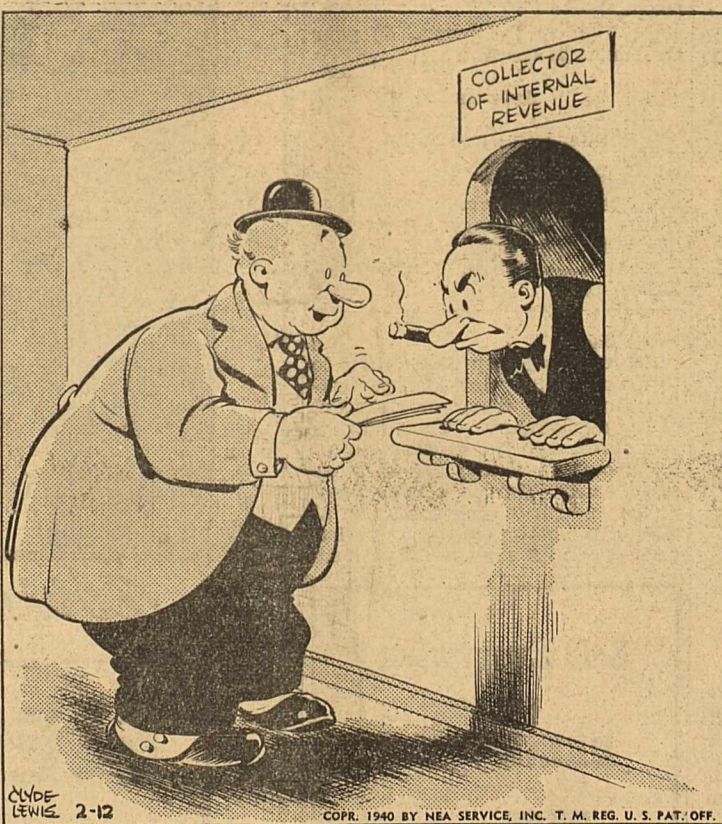
By NEA Service.

COLUMBIA, Mo. — The lineup of Kappa Sigma's intramural basketball team reads like Missouri's football forces. Included are Paul Christman, Bud and Bob Orr, Ronald King, and Charley Moser, key members of the Tigers' Big Six champions.

Old Philadelphia Church May Be National Shrine

PHILADELPHIA (U.P.) — Gloria Dei (Old Swedes) Church, where George Washington and other colonial notables worshipped, will become a national shrine if a bill introduced by Rep. Leon Sacks, D., Philadelphia, is passed by Congress. Sacks proposed measure would authorize the Secretary of the In-

Hold Everything!



"Here's my income tax return ahead of time... just deduct the amount from the social security I paid last year!"

Dutch Flood Defenses Work in Winter, Too



Holland finds her flood defenses still in working order as army amphibian car, bogged down after breaking through thin ice during test maneuvers, is unable to regain the frozen surface and advance.

DO YOU KNOW?



—WHO WAS LAST AMERICAN PRO TO WIN BRITISH OPEN GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP?
—Denny Shute was last American professional to win British Open Golf championship... in 1933. He beat Craig Wood in play-off.
—Johnny Crimmins and Walter Shackett of Detroit, as team in last of three-game series, both rolled perfect games in Detroit, Oct. 27, 1933.
—Urban J. Shocker of St. Louis Browns was last pitcher to win two major league games in day... Sept. 6, 1924.

Longhorns Favored to Capture Pennant in Basketball Chase

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF.

DALLAS, Feb. 12. (AP). — The Southwest Conference basketball race was still a four-team affair today but most of the blue chips were piled in front of the high-stepping Longhorns of the University of Texas.

Jack Gray's orange and white wave of the maple court held the top rung through a riotous battle with the unpredictable but always dangerous Baylor Bears last night and while the trail the remainder of the way is strewn with thorns so it is for the Rice Owls, chief challengers in the battle for the 1940 diadem.

Texas beat Baylor 51-47 with a closing rush that saw the Longhorns snatch victory in the final six minutes of play with little Bobby Moers proving the main-spring of that garrison finish.

The loss dropped Baylor out of the running.

Texas has half the schedule to go and the Longhorns must play Baylor again and tame the Rice Owls a second time if they are to win their second title in a row. But Rice, in addition to the Texas battle, has the double-tough giants of the Ozarks—the Arkansas Razorbacks—down for two games.

Rice, however, is fortunate in getting the Razorbacks at home. Right now the Porks look as tough as the next team. Friday night the big scarlet quintet crushed a good Southern Methodist outfit 75-40 to hang up a new conference scoring mark. Last night Arkansas beat SMU 36-26 to sweep the series and remain with a chance at the title.

Arkansas has won three and lost three and Texas A&M is in the same boat, but A&M is generally conceded to already have shot its bolt.

The only other game played during last week, Southern Methodist ground Texas Christian definitely into the mire of the cellar with a 46-35 triumph.

Arkansas and Texas A&M will settle the issue of which is to remain in the running in a brace of games at College Station Friday and Saturday. A split series would eliminate both teams.

Texas plays Southern Methodist Friday night and then slips over to Fort Worth the next night to meet the downtrodden Texas Christian outfit. Neither game is expected to be a stiff test for the rampaging Longhorns who while they do not run up the top-heavy scores

City Builds Ski Jump Not Wisely But Well

ROCHESTER, N. Y. (U.P.) — When Rochester decided that it needed a ski jump, it took no halfway measures. Experts were consulted, and the new jump built in Powder Mill park would do justice to an Alpine resort.

Now the city has found that it built not wisely but too well. Although there has been an abundance of snow, scarcely a half-dozen skiers have tried the jump. After climbing to the platform, the average skier takes one glance down the steep incline and walks down.

County Parks Director Robert W. Cochran said a leap of 125 feet is easily possible.

who worked years to develop the foil, said he believes the innovation will revolutionize the sport and enhance its appeal to spectators.

of the Owls, are the toughest defensive aggregation in the conference.

The week of play opens with Texas Christian and Baylor clashing in a meaningless game at Waco Wednesday night.

Conference Standings.

Team	P	W	L	PCT	PTS	OP
Texas	6	5	1	.833	297	232
Rice	9	7	2	.778	463	369
Baylor	9	5	4	.556	433	371
A&M	6	3	3	.500	278	323
Arkansas	6	3	3	.500	261	249
SMU	8	2	6	.250	253	325
TCU	6	0	6	.000	189	316

Results last week: SMU 46, TCU 35; Arkansas 75-36; SMU 46, TCU 35; Baylor 47.

This week's schedule: Wednesday—TCU vs. Baylor at Waco; Friday—Texas A&M at College Station; Saturday—Texas vs. TCU at Fort Worth; Arkansas vs. Texas A&M at College Station.

Fencing Goes Modern With "Electric Foils"

DETROIT (U.P.) — The time-honored art of fencing will be rejuvenated with a modern touch when the Wayne University fencing team parries and thrusts with "electric foils," the hand guards of which light up when the fencer scores a touch.

Wayne coach Bela de Tuscan, former saber champion of Austria, demonstrated the illuminating foils before Wayne students in an American premiere. De Tuscan,



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TEXAS OUT-O'-DOORS

Confiscated Deer Not Wasted

AUSTIN. — Illegally killed deer confiscated by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission are never wasted and added to the total number of bucks and does donated to charitable organizations are many which are run over on the highways by motorists.

An indication of how the Game Department seeks to prevent waste in wildlife in Texas is found in the report of the game warden of Bexar county to the executive secretary of the Department. His report shows a total of fifty-six deer donated to orphanages and other charitable organizations in San Antonio during 1933. Many of these deer were confiscated, but more than half were animals killed on the highway and placed in cold storage by the warden after the accidental killings had been reported to him.

If motorists would report killing does and bucks to the nearest game warden more of the animals could be put to good use.

The Bexar county warden's report also shows a total of 1,625 pounds of undersize fish confiscated from various fish dealers in San Antonio was donated to orphanages in that city.

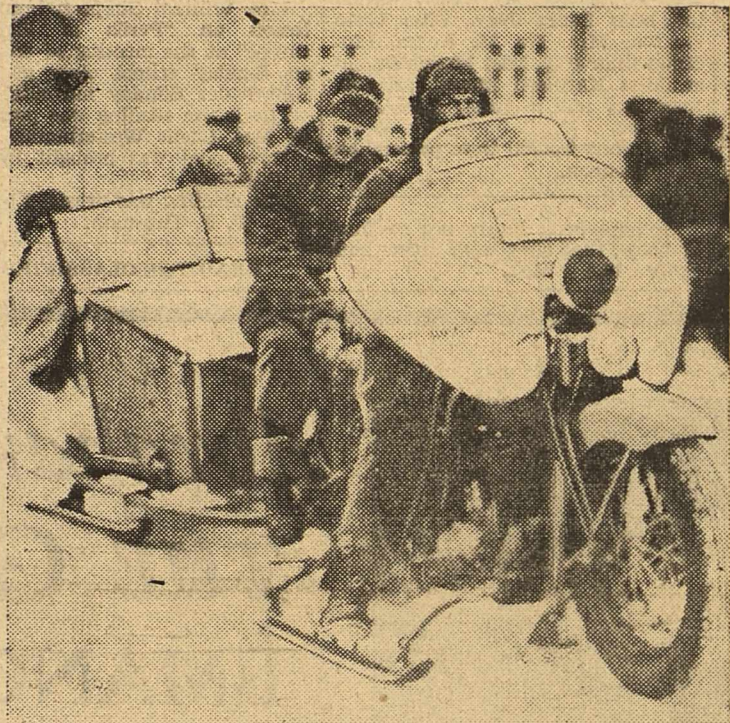
Coyote Warns Deer?

Coyotes are the natural enemy of deer, but a state game warden, on vacation, recently had a morning's hunt spoiled in an unusual manner. The warden first noticed a coyote when its baying scared off four bucks. Thereafter the coyote remained in front of the hunter at a distance of 350 to 400 yards, making enough noise to scare any bucks that might have come in sight.

Less Trapping Reported

Trapping of fur-bearing animals in Texas hit a new low for recent years during the season just closed. The season was not satisfactory, according to reports to the executive secretary of the State Game Department, despite the fact the number of fur-bearing animals apparently increased appreciably. However, prices on practically all kinds of pelts were low and little trapping was done during the open season. Not more than half the normal number of trappers were in the

Skiing Cycles Travel Arctic Front



Even the motorcycles wear skis in northern Finland as the Arctic fighters adapt transport to severe winter conditions by placing runners on the cycles and trailers.

field, reports from game managers and fur buyers indicate.

Shrike Carries Heavy Load

The shrike, often called the butcher bird because of its habit of impaling small snakes and other bits of food upon thorns or placing them in forks of trees to be saved as a future supply of food, is rather a strong bird, two state game managers discovered recently.

The biologists observed a shrike carrying a feral cardinal, a bird fully as large as itself. So heavy was the load that the shrike never got more than 3 feet off the ground. However, it was able to carry its burden twenty yards at a flight. The game managers finally retrieved the cardinal. They found no injuries on it except where the shrike had been pecking on the head. Whether the shrike killed the redbird or whether it was slain by a motor car is not known.

Catch 500-Pound Turtle

A turtle which weighed more than 500 pounds after being dressed was caught recently in the Gulf of

Mexico off Port Isabel. It was the first trunk back turtle seen at Port Isabel in several years and one of the few of the species ever found in the Gulf. It was caught by Duane and Don Harrison and C. Squipes.

Steer Rider Ropes Buck

The State Game Department traps deer for restocking purposes, but Bud Evans of Llano county doesn't need traps. His employer, Mark A. Moss, wanted a buck recently to place in another pasture so Bud roped a two-year-old buck. After luring it near with cotton-seed cake, Evans twirled his lariat, mugged the buck down and loaded it in the trailer. Neither he nor the deer were worse for the encounter.

News of 1864 Lists 18 Wars

WOODLAND, Cal. (U.P.) — A copy of the Woodland News of July 9, 1864, which has just been found here, reveals that 18 wars were in progress at that time.

Besides the Civil War in the United States, other wars listed were:

War in Poland between the Poles and Russians.

War in Italy between the uprising Piedmontes and Neapolitan patriots.

War in Japan between the Japanese and the English.

War in Japan between the Imperialists and the Insurgents.

War in China between the Chinese and the English and the French.

War in Sumatra and Java between the Malays and the Dutch.

War in Hindustan between the Indians and the English.

War in Persia between the Persians and the Afghans.

War in Cochinchina between the Annamites and the French.

War in Algeria between the Arabs and the French.

War in Morocco between the Moors and the Spaniards.

War in Madagascar between the Indigenes and the French.

War in Mexico between the Mexicans and the French.

War in Santo Domingo between the Negroes and the Spanish.

Civil War in South America.

War in Austria and New Zealand between the English and the Maoris.

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, vice-president of the National Council of Boy Scouts of America, continues the example set by his father, the late president, one of Scouting's truest friends.

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FOUR-ROOM house; partly furnished or unfurnished; reasonable. Phone 387-W, 707 West Tennessee. (289-3)

Employment Is Ambition Of Man, Vigorous at 91

DUNKIRK, N. Y. (U.P.)—William Turner, 91, still active and vigorous, told local authorities he was seeking employment. "I am alone in the world, but I am determined to support myself as long as I am able to lift a finger," he said. Turner said he was born in Canton, O., in 1849. The Maharajah of Gwalior, India, is reputed to be the second richest man in the world. His jewel chest has been appraised at \$20,000,000.

More West Texas Meat Being Served On Family Tables

COLLEGE STATION.—Meat grown on extreme West Texas farms and ranches is finding its way to the family dining table as well as to farm markets largely through the efforts of 18 home demonstration agents in 16 counties. A total of 52,538 hogs, beef animals, lambs, goats and poultry were produced on farms and ranches for home use in this area in 1939, according to Ruth Thompson, district agent who supervises activities of the county home demonstration agents in this territory and encourages production, preservation and use of food for rural families' balanced diets. Ten counties placed particular emphasis on use of home-grown meats and in this connection Miss Dora Crowder, county home demonstration agent, gave a demonstration on "Eat More Lamb" in each of the 10 Tom Green

County women's clubs and lambs for the demonstration were supplied by the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association to support this type of consumer education.

Schleicher county also emphasized the use of more lamb when Miss Margaret Stewart, county home demonstration agent, showed various ways of cooking lamb at the county-wide boys' 4-H club lamb show.

So wide-spread has been the interest in using more West Texas meat that Mrs. Otto Ellis, chairman of the county home demonstration council of Menard county, recently received an order for 3,000 number two cans of chevon chili (goat meat

chili) from a sheep and goat buyer who lives in Norfolk, Va. Menard county club women are making arrangements to fill this order, and in addition they have formed a marketing association through which they can sell other quality canned products such as chicken and wheat. Mrs. Ellis and other club women of Menard county keep canned chevon chili on their pantry shelves constantly. Miss Thompson reports.

To supplement the family diet further, more than a million row feet of vegetables were raised in home, field and frame gardens by rural women and 4-H club girls,

and about half a million quarts of fruits, vegetables, and meats were canned to stock the family larder.

Clothing records show that club women and girls in these 16 counties made 22,032 garments at an estimated saving of \$106,299.52. Cutting for clothing was emphasized also with the result that 434 clothes closets were either built or remodeled.

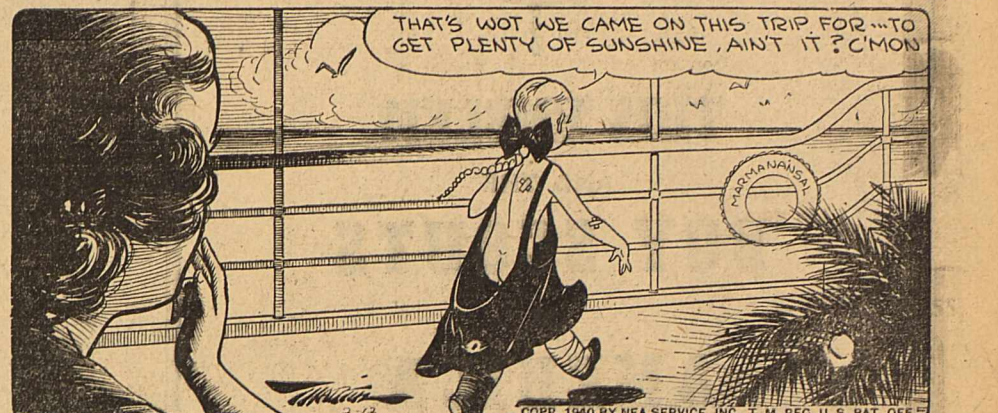
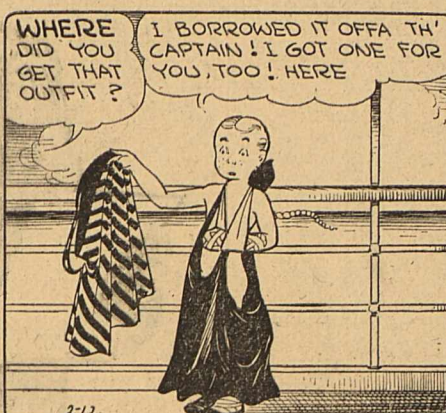
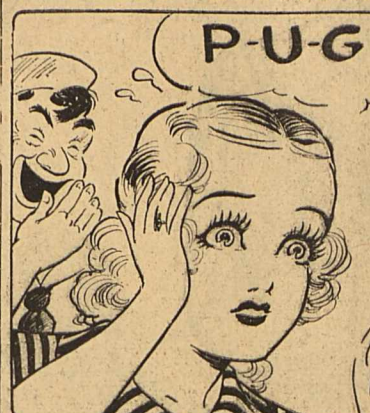
The campaign to use more cotton in rural homes was given a boost in District 6 when 174 cotton mattresses were made at home and 271 factory-made mattresses were purchased. Home improvement, however, was not confined to the se-

curing of mattresses, for 918 bedrooms, 337 living rooms and 664 kitchens have been made more convenient and comfortable through the application of Extension practices. Fairs and encampments in 1939 proved popular with West Texas citizens. For example, Scurry, Nolan, Dawson, Martin, Midland, Pecos, Tom Green, and Howard counties sponsored fairs and exhibits, while 19 encampments were held with an aggregate attendance of 1,414. In addition to these, one district 4-H girls' club show was held in Lamesa. Two hundred girls from 14 counties attended.

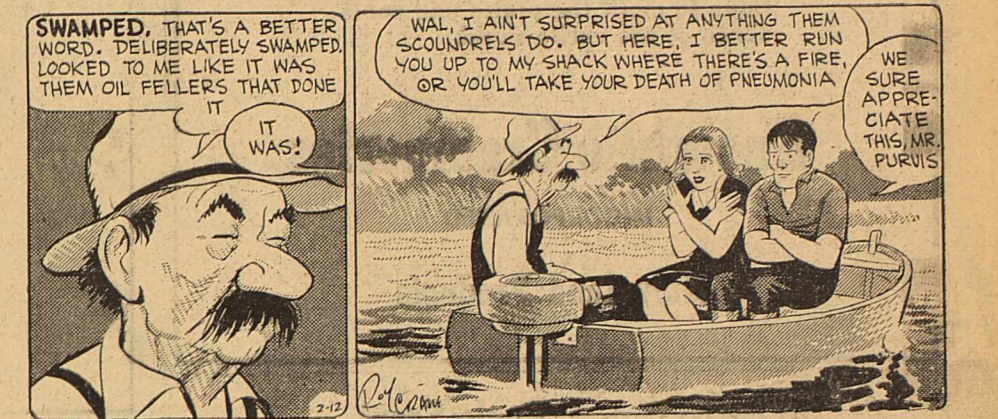
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By EDGAR MARTIN

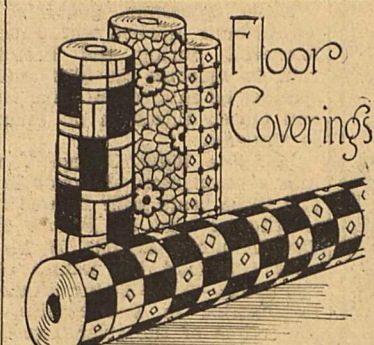
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Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Election Saturday, July 27, 1940.

For District Attorney:

70th Judicial District:

MARTELLE McDONALD

(Re-election)

For District Clerk:

NETTIE C. ROMER

(Re-election)

For County Judge:

E. H. BARRON

(Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector:

FISHER POLLARD

A. B. (Slim) STICKNEY

For County Attorney:

MERRITT F. HINES

(Re-election)

For County Clerk:

SUSIE G. NOBLE

(Re-election)

For County Treasurer:

LOIS PATTERSON

(Re-election)

For County Commissioner:

Precinct No. 1:

J. C. ROBERTS

(Re-election)

Precinct No. 2:

J. T. (Johnnie) JENKINS

ALLEY OOP



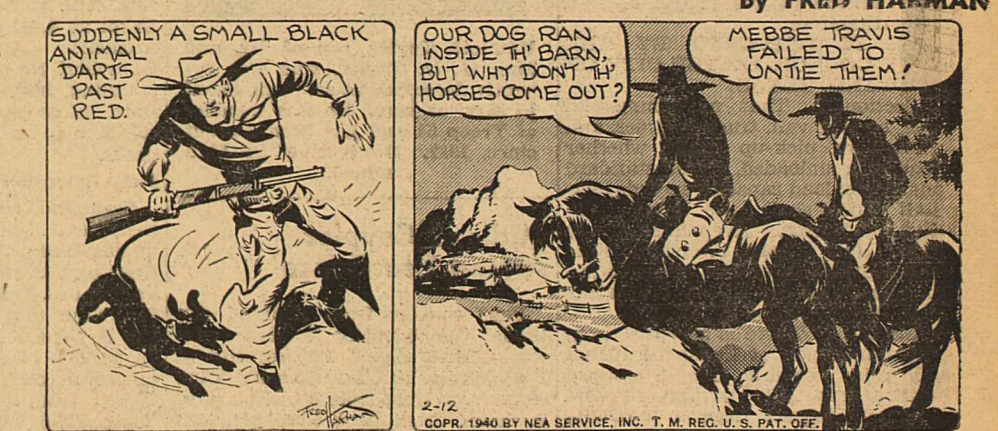
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AN ORDINANCE PROHIBITING CERTAIN VEHICLES TO TRAVEL THAT PORTION OF MISSOURI AVENUE FROM THE POINT SAID AVENUE INTERSECTS STATE HIGHWAY NO. 1 ON THE WEST, TO THE POINT SAID AVENUE INTERSECTS MARIENFELD STREET ON THE EAST, AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION OF THE PROVISIONS THEREIN.

Whereas, it is deemed advisable by the City Council, for the purpose of promoting the public health, safety, order, convenience, prosperity, comfort, and general welfare of the people of the City of Midland, Texas, to regulate and control and prohibit the use of a certain portion of Missouri Avenue by certain vehicles, which are deemed hazardous, as well as hurtful, to the safety, health, good-order, comfort and welfare of the people of said city; therefore,

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS:

Section 1. That no commercial bus, moving van, truck or trailer, or pick-up truck, whether loaded or unloaded, whose standard maximum load capacity exceeds one-half ton, shall use that portion of Missouri Avenue from the point said Avenue intersects State Highway No. 1, on the West, to the point said Avenue intersects Marienfeld Street on the East.

Section 2. There is excepted from the prohibition of Section 1 heretofore all said vehicles therein named which cross said portion of said Missouri Avenue from a northerly or southerly direction, without going easterly or westerly along said Avenue, to deliver passengers or loads within the immediate residential section of the vicinity of said Missouri Avenue; or which travel easterly or westerly along said Missouri Avenue to deliver passengers or loads to property abutting said Avenue, provided said property to which said delivery is destined does not also abut upon said State Highway No. 1, locally known as Wall Street.

Section 3. Any ordinance or part of ordinance or other provisions in conflict herewith, are hereby repealed.

Section 4. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$5.00, and not to exceed \$100.00; and each violation shall constitute a separate offense and be punishable as such.

Section 5. If any provision of this ordinance violates any Statutes or the Constitution of the State of Texas, or if any court holds such provision for naught for any reason, the remaining provisions shall not be affected thereby, and shall continue in effect.

Section 6. Whereas, the provisions regulating the use of said Missouri Avenue in the City of Midland, Texas, are inadequate to protect the life, property, safety, health, and well-being of the public and of the citizens of the City, thereby creating an emergency and necessity for such regulation immediately, and the suspension of the rule requiring ordinances to be read on separate dates; and such emergency is declared to exist and the said rule is hereby suspended, and this ordinance shall become effective from and after its passage and publication.

Passed and approved this 6th day of February, 1940.

M. C. ULMER,
Mayor.

Attest:
J. C. Hudman,
City Secretary.
(SEAL)

(287-10)

SON BORN TO HAAGS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Haag of Jackson, Miss., formerly of Midland, are the parents of a son, born last Thursday. The baby, which is the couple's first child, has been named Herschel Larry.

Eagle Scout



Kenneth Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Taylor, who was recently decorated as an Eagle Scout Sunday evening from 5 o'clock until 8. Going from here were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Johnson Jr., Miss Norlene Kirby, R. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sherrod.

Midland Couples Attend Tea Dance

Four couples from Midland attended the Valentine tea dance given by Beta Sigma Phi sorority of Big Spring at the Country Club Sunday evening from 5 o'clock until 8. Going from here were Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Johnson Jr., Miss Norlene Kirby, R. Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Sherrod.

The dance is an annual affair honoring out-of-town chapters of Beta Sigma Phi and for prospective pledges in Big Spring.

Miss Jimmie Lou Goldman is president of the sorority.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins on the birth of a daughter in a Midland hospital Sunday morning. The baby weighed 7 pounds 8 1/2 ounces and has been named Theresa Lorraine.

Dutch Liner Is Sunk By German Submarine

AMSTERDAM, Feb. 12 (AP).—The Holland-America liner Burgardijk, 6,853 tons, was sunk Saturday by a German submarine while on a direct run from New York to Rotterdam, the vessel's owners announced today. Crew and passengers were rescued.

TO STEPHENVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Carter and family and Janice Pope, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Pope, spent the week-end at Stephenville.

Lemon Juice Recipe Checks Rheumatic Pain Quickly

If you suffer from rheumatic, arthritis or neuritis pain, try this simple inexpensive home recipe that thousands are using. Get a package of Ru-Ex Compound today. Mix it with a quart of water, add the juice of 4 lemons. It's easy. No trouble at all and pleasant. You need only 2 tablespoonsful two times a day. Often within 48 hours—sometimes overnight—splendid results are obtained. If the pains do not quickly leave and if you do not feel better, Ru-Ex will cost you nothing to try as it is sold by your druggist under an absolute money-back guarantee. Ru-Ex Compound is for sale and recommended by Midland Drug Company and good drug stores everywhere. (Adv.)

Lincoln in 1861

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YOU CANNOT FIGHT ALWAYS;
AND WHEN, AFTER MUCH
LOSS ON BOTH SIDES, AND
NO GAIN ON EITHER, YOU
CEASE FIGHTING, THE
IDENTICAL OLD QUESTIONS
... ARE AGAIN UPON YOU"



Oil News—

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Holt deep pay. It is the No. 2-A TXL, 440 feet out of the northwest corner of section 3, block 43, township 1 south, T. & P. survey, at the southwest edge of the pool and about a mile and a half southeast of Stanolind Oil & Refining Company No. 1-A B. H. Blakeney, deep pay producer. Present depth of the Landreth well is 4,275 feet in lime, where it is producing lightly from the regular horizon.

Extending the North Cowden pool one-half mile east, Arrow Drilling Company No. 1 Midland Farms is drilling at 4,490 feet in lime, heading an unreported amount of oil through casing. Steel line measurement corrected 4,490 to equal 4,490 feet. The well logged and increased in oil at 4,490 feet, corrected measurement. Another east outcrop, Stanolind No. 1 Midland Farms, is standing, bottomed at 4,405 feet in lime, after cementing 5 1/2-inch oil string at 4,339 feet with 250 sacks.

Holt Extension Test.

Stanolind No. 1 W. F. Cowden heirs, extension test, two and one-quarter miles northwest of the Holt deep pay, is running an eight-hour balling test at 5,237 feet in lime. The first hour and one-quarter of balling it yielded 39 gallons of oil and 13 gallons of sulphur water. Increase in oil apparently had been logged from 5,235-37 feet. Total depth, 100 feet off bottom in lime. The well found first water at 5,222 feet and while bottomed at 5,225 it bailed five gallons of oil and 20 gallons of sulphur water hourly. It now is drilling with Cardwell cable-tool unit.

Landreth and Shell Oil Company Inc. No. 1-A J. L. Johnson, deep Permian Holt pay test in central Ector, recovered 10 feet of black shale by coring from 5,101-11 feet and is coring ahead. New contract depth is 5,300 feet.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 1 Marcus Gist, one-half mile north outcrop to northeast-side production in Ector's Foster pool, cemented 7-inch pipe at 2,996, four feet off bottom in lime, with 250 sacks and is waiting for cement to set. The same firm's No. 1-C Dora Johnson, on the north-west edge of the Foster, also is waiting for cement to set at total depth of 3,940 feet in lime. Seven-inch casing was cemented at 3,936 with 250 sacks. Stanolind No. 2 T. B. Griffin, Foster pool well, pumped 186.44 barrels of 34-gravity oil per day for completion at 4,310 feet after shooting with 810 quarts. In the same pool, Midland Drilling Company No. 5 F. A. Henderson flowed 1,954 barrels daily after shot with 760 quarts at 4,263 feet.

M. A. Grisham et al No. 1 R. B. Cowden, deep wildcat in extreme northwestern Ector, is drilling past 3,870 feet in anhydrite. Gulf Oil Corporation No. 245 Goldsmith, pool well, rated daily potential of 462 barrels of 35.3-gravity crude after acidizing with 1,000 gallons at 4,204 feet.

Gulf No. 1-N State, east outcrop to the Jordan pool in southern Ector, is drilling anhydrite past 2,030 feet.

North Basin Wildcats.

A one-mile north extension test to the Slaughter pool of southwestern Hockley, Delta Drilling Company of Tyler No. 1-A R. L. Slaughter, Jr. is drilling in solid lime at 4,100 feet. In west central Hockley, Helmerich & Payne, Inc. and Denver P. & R. Company No. 1 Whiteface Farms, Inc. topped solid lime at 3,10 feet, according to driller's call, and is drilling ahead at 4,130 feet in lime.

In northwestern Lynn county, H. F. Wilcox Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Powell is drilling red rock at 2,080 feet, with top of anhydrite not yet encountered.

Stanolind No. 1 T. S. Riley, two and one-half miles northwest of the Cedar Lake pool of northeastern Gaines county, is cleaning out through casing at 4,815 feet. On

19-hour test after acidizing with 3,000, 5,000 and 7,000 gallons in successive stages, it swabbed 55 barrels of oil and 30 barrels of water. Total depth is 4,864 feet in lime, where it already has been shot with 730 quarts.

Skelly Oil Company No. 3 R. M. Kendrick, in the Wasson field of southern Yoakum, set daily potential of 982 barrels after 7,500 gallons of acid at 5,140 feet.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 I. E. Aitten, one-quarter mile north outcrop to the Seminole pool of central Gaines, is drilling at 4,232 feet in anhydrite.

Pecos Ordovician.

Skelly No. 1 J. S. Masterson, one-quarter miles southwest of Ellenberger, lower Ordovician, producers in the Apco pool, is preparing to test after coring to 4,616 feet in Ellenberger dolomite. Core from 4,585-92 feet returned four feet of fractured dolomite bearing slight porosity; that from 4,592-97 returned two and one-half feet of the same substance; core from 4,597 to 4,602 feet showed recovery of two and one-half feet of same type formation. No description yet. It was available of cores from 4,602-09 and from 4,609-16 feet, present total depth.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1 Sarah Byrne, closely-watched "tight" wildcat southwest of Owego in north central Pecos county, is preparing to core ahead with Sullivan core-drill from present total depth of 1,665 feet in lime. It has previously been erroneously reported that total depth was 1,565 feet. Some observers estimated the well good for 30 barrels a day, based upon oil showing up on pits. However, it is reliably reported that this is oil load used with acid treatment. The well also was given a light nitric shot after acidizing. Four and one-half inch casing has been set and cemented in the hole, tending to bear out rumors that favorable showings have been encountered.

Humble No. 1 Mrs. Bertha D. Yeag, northern Pecos Ordovician test eight and one-half miles northwest of the Apco deep pool, is reaming hole at 4,803 feet. Total depth is 4,997 feet, reportedly still in Permian lime.

Gulf No. 5 M. B. McKnight, western Crane Ordovician test, is drilling at 6,067 feet in an unreported formation, carrying three barrels of sulphur water per hour.

Gulf No. 12 W. N. Waddell et al a mile and a half northeast of the Tubbs or Sandhills deep Permian pool, is shut down at 3,763 feet in lime. It logged increase in water from 3,750-57 feet which brought volume of water up to an estimated 200 barrels per day. In the Sandhills pool, Gulf No. 1-A Tubbs, which may be carried to the Ordovician, is drilling anhydrite at 2,352 feet, while Humble No. 2-C Tubbs is drilling the salt and anhydrite at 1,025 feet.

Southwestern Andrews.

Richmond and Tom F. Hunter No. 1 University, scheduled 5,400-foot Holt pay test in southwestern Andrews, is drilling below 4,070 feet in solid gray lime, top of which has not yet been picked.

In the Emma pool, southern Andrews, Sinclair-Prairie No. 10 Mrs. Emma Cowden bottomed hole at 4,250 feet and swabbed 120 barrels of oil in the last six hours. It still is swabbing.

FROM EL PASO.

Haymon Krupp, El Paso oil man, is in Midland today.

TO TOURNAMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. T. Smith went to San Antonio this week-end to attend the Texas Open Tournament for golfers there.

TO LEGION MEET.

J. F. Friberg attended the American Legion convention session at Big Spring Saturday night.

STUDENTS' SPONSOR



Rufus R. Peoples of Tehuacana, manager of a 2,000-acre farm, who takes time out every Spring to serve as superintendent of the student livestock judging contest which will attract 15 college teams from 12 states to Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show, March 8-17.

\$100,000,000 Used For Modernization

More than \$100,000,000 has been advanced by private lending institutions for property modernization and repairs under the FHA plan since July 1, 1939. Administrator Stewart McDonald announced.

This has enabled over 250,000 property owners, representing about 1,000,000 persons, to improve their housing conditions in accordance with the declared purpose of the National Housing Act.

Since the establishment of the FHA, private lending institutions have loaned nearly \$1,000,000,000 for property improvement under the FHA program. These loans have averaged about \$400 each and have been used chiefly for plumbing and heating, painting and decorating, roofing, structural additions such as porches and recreation rooms, landscaping, and miscellaneous repairs.

Between 5,000 and 6,000 banks and other lending institutions are making this type of FHA loan in all parts of the country. In fact, loans are being made by nearly all the lending institutions which participated in the modernization and repair program prior to July 1, when an insurance premium was required to be paid by them to be used for the payment of operating expenses and possible losses.

Engineering Societies Will Meet at Tech

LUBBOCK. — Student branches of two engineering societies will meet on Texas Technological college campus April 19-20. Approximately 300 delegates from six states are expected to attend.

Colleges to be represented at the American Society of Mechanical Engineers Southwest group are Rice Institute, Texas A. & M. University of Texas, Southern Methodist University, Oklahoma A. & M. University of Oklahoma, University of New Mexico, and University of Arkansas.

Schools offering engineering work in Arkansas, Oklahoma, Missouri, Kansas, New Mexico, and Texas will send delegates to the American Institute of Electrical Engineers meeting for the seventh geographical district.

HAS MASTOIDECTOMY

Grace Nelson, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Nelson of Odessa, underwent a mastoidectomy in a Midland hospital Saturday night.

Tweedsmuir—

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last month, had been in ill health for some time and it was known he did not plan to complete his term as governor general.

In the speech from the throne at the parliament session, he made the surprise announcement that Prime Minister Mackenzie King had decided upon a general election and the immediate end of that parliamentary session.

Lady Tweedsmuir and their son were at the hospital when he died. Lord Tweedsmuir was born John Buchan, son of minister in the Scottish borderland country.

He studied at Glasgow University and then went on to Oxford and later was admitted to the English bar.

He was a member of a London publishing firm for years, when he wrote biographies, novels and histories.

In the World War, he was made director of information under the prime minister.

While governor general, Lord Tweedsmuir lunched with President Roosevelt during the President's visit to Quebec in 1936 and last summer he entertained King George and Queen Elizabeth on their trip to Canada.

The late King George V made him a companion of honor in 1932 and three years later he was raised to the peerage as First Baron Tweedsmuir of Elsfield. In his title were combined the names of his two homes—Tweedsmuir, a quiet little hamlet in Peeblesshire, near the source of the river Tweed and Elsfield, his residence in Oxfordshire.

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Battle—

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Speculation was raised whether the Red army was concentrating its better equipment in some other region, possibly along the Soviet Union's southwestern frontier opposite Rumania.

Foreigners believed this might explain why Soviet raids behind the battle lines have slackened. Viipuri, coastal city near the Karelian Isthmus war zone, was the only city raided yesterday. Two civilians were killed and numerous fires started by the raids.

FEW LANDINGS AT AIRPORT.

Two landings were listed in a report from Midland Municipal Airport early this afternoon. Flying a J2-F4, Pilot Rainsford arrived from Hensley Field, Dallas, en route to El Paso. Pilot Helber, in an OLP, came from Hensley Field, also en route to El Paso.

A B78 arrived Sunday from El Paso and departed for Kelly Field, San Antonio. It was flown by Pilot Purane.

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Oklahoma Refused Permission to Halt Red River Dam Work

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12 (AP).—The supreme court refused today to permit Oklahoma to institute legal proceedings before it seeking to enjoin Secretary Woodring from proceeding with construction of the Denison, Texas, dam on Red river.

The action means the federal government can continue with construction of the dam unless Oklahoma can successfully attack it otherwise.

British and Turkish Treaty Effective Mon.

LONDON, Feb. 12 (AP). — Britain today announced the new British-Turkish trade treaty would go into effect February 19 to remain in force for one year and successive annual periods unless abrogated.

HAS APPENDECTOMY.

Iva Grace Collier, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Collier, underwent an appendectomy in a Midland hospital Sunday.

IS DISCHARGED.

Mrs. J. C. Miles returned to her home from a Midland hospital Sunday.

CONNALLY A GRANDFATHER.

HOUSTON, Feb. 12 (AP).—Senator Connally is a grandfather. A boy was born yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Ben Connally, Houston attorney.

Poor Grading May Cause Wet Cellar

Poor grading may be the cause behind many damp basements. The finished grade should slope to drain water away from the building, and this does not occur in many cases. The owner should reconstruct the grade to accomplish proper drainage.

Funds may be obtained from qualified lending institutions under the Modernization Credit Plan of the Federal Housing Administration to be used for grading work.

All backfilling adjacent to the foundation of a house should be placed in layers approximately 12 inches in thickness, and each layer should be puddled and tamped before additional layers are placed. When the ground-moisture condition warrants it, drain tile with joints left open and covered with tar paper or burlap should be laid next to the footings and sloped to drain the water to a dry well or sewer or other outlet. The drain tile should be covered with at least 12 inches of broken stone or gravel. All construction debris should be removed for m the trench before filling, and the finish grade should not come within eight inches of any wood construction.

Batman Shows Initiative To Get Trousers Pressed

LONDON (UP).—An officer weighing 225 pounds could not understand why he slept so badly. Something was always sticking in his back. So one day he stripped his bed and found under the blanket his batman's trousers, which had been put there for pressing purposes.

The officer asked his colonel what he ought to do with his batman for his "cheek."

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TO TCU.

Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor of the First Christian church, will leave tonight for TCU at Fort Worth where he will attend a series of lectures taught by Dr. Howard M. Fagan of Los Angeles. He will be away Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

CORRECTION.

It was erroneously reported in the Sunday issue of the Reporter-Telegram that Raymond Upham of Midland was one of the three Midland men to hold Silver Beaver awards for work done in Scouting. The name of Claude O. Crane was intended, rather than that of Upham.

TO AMARILLO

Mrs. W. C. Hinds and Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Haymes of Big Spring are in Amarillo today attending a Methodist Advance meeting, one of 82 being held over the country. Mrs. Hinds and Mrs. Haymes are delegates from the missionary society of this district.

GUESTS OF ROSS CARRS.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Ross Carr had as guests Sunday, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Kuper of Conway, Kans., his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Carr of Monahans, and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. G. Walker of Monahans. Mr. and Mrs. Kuper, who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Carr and another daughter at Monahans, are leaving today for Kansas.

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