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THE FORECAST West Texas: Partly cloudy tonight, Thursday; cooler.

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## "Regular Battle" Declared in Progress

### SUDETENS, CZECHS CLASH AT FALKENAU

LONDON, Sept. 14 (AP).—A Reuters dispatch from Prague today reported Sudeten party headquarters had said a "regular battle" was in progress near Falkenau between Sudetens and Czechoslovak troops and police. Sudetens said tanks were being used and that between 10 and 15 Czech gendarmes had been killed, according to the dispatch. Losses of the Sudetens were described as "much heavier." Dispatches from the Sudeten border region tonight said 2,000 Sudeten Germans, using rifles, machine guns and hand grenades, had attacked the Czechoslovak gendarmerie station at Schwaderback near the German frontier. At least eight persons were reported killed. In Berlin, Chancellor Hitler called Foreign Minister von Ribbentrop to meet him at Munich to discuss what Germany might do in the face of what nazis called a "new situation" in Czechoslovakia. In London, a Reuters dispatch from Prague said the Czech government had issued a "flat denial" of the report by Sudeten headquarters of a battle between Sudetens and Czech police near Falkenau. In New York, a storm of selling in the stock market today in view of the dark European situation tumbled prices from one dollar to five dollars or more in excited trading.

### Racket Probe Indicts Mayor



Benjamin Ludlow, special deputy attorney general in charge of Philadelphia's racket investigation, is pictured above in court when the city's Mayor S. Davis Wilson (insert) and four high police officials were indicted by the grand jury on charges of misbehavior in office and failure to suppress gambling.

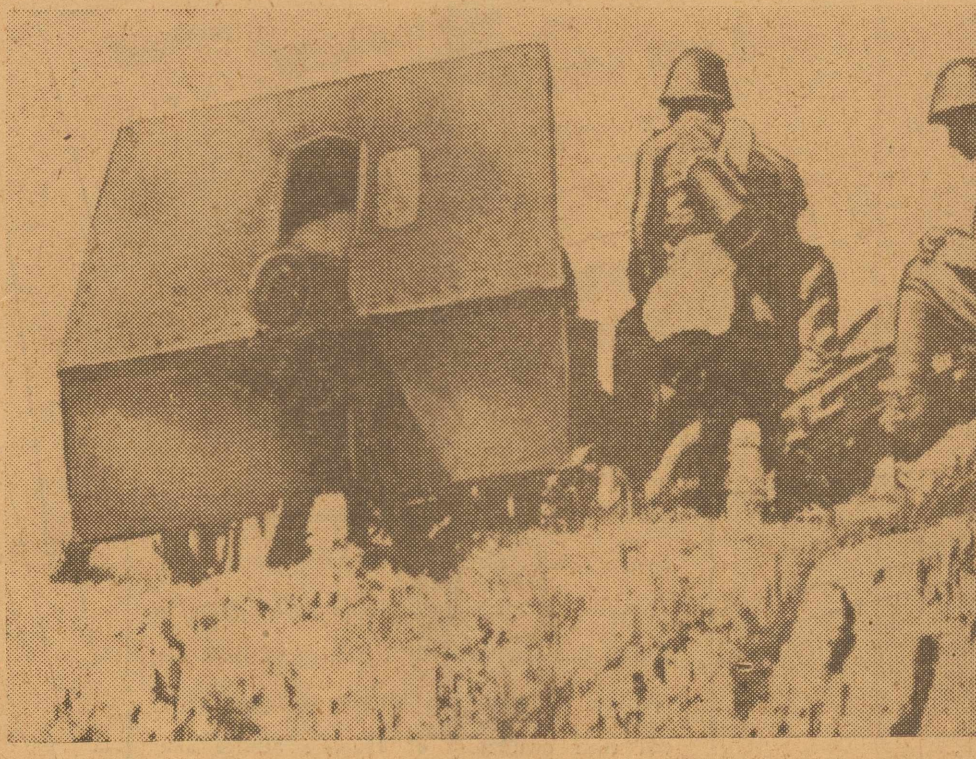
### Convention Of Democrats Ended Today

#### O'Daniel Attempt To Address Group Is Howled Down

BEAUMONT, Sept. 14 (AP).—Texas democrats ended their state convention today after an uproarious session. Bedlam broke loose when Governor-Nominatee O'Daniel attempted to address a night session. Friends called him to the convention hall after discord arose over the pension plank, but he departed without saying a word because of the uproar. The convention, however, approved a plank declaring for payment of maximum pensions to persons over 65 within the state and federal laws. The plank calling for abolition of the poll tax was defeated. The convention endorsed Vice-President Garner for president.

BEAUMONT, Sept. 14 (AP).—Tailored in long debate of the platform committee, a declaration of principles embodying Governor-Nominatee W. Lee O'Daniel's spectacular campaign promise of pension payments last night was recommended to the state democratic convention amidst a cloud of controversy. The plank which finally stayed in the platform declared for prompt payment of maximum pensions to every old person "within the limit of the constitution of the state and laws of the United States." Opponents heatedly argued the plank fell short of O'Daniel's promise of universal pensions. O'Daniel backers insisted it was in line with the nominee's campaign pledge. Other platform declarations called for abolition of the poll tax and support of O'Daniel's state industrialization program. The document made no reference to such controversial issues as horse race betting, liquor sales by the drink, the general sales tax and creation of a new oil and gas commission. Senator Joe L. Hill of Henderson urged the committee to reject the platform and "give the people a platform which will mean something." "We are the leading tax advocates serving as the window dressing of this convention," he questioned. "I suspect that their sudden sentiment for liberalization of old age pensions is induced by their desire to impose a sales tax on the people." "How come all these Liberty Leaguers infesting a Democratic convention unless they're getting ready to steal her out of Texas?" Senator Hill chided fellow committee members for "handing the people a bunch of meaningless stuff." "A mistake was made," the Henderson senator said "in endorsing candidates in the runoff primary. A bigger mistake is being made in adopting this platform." "Those who successfully defended the platform asserted it was what Governor-Nominatee O'Daniel wanted. It was drafted by a sub-committee headed by Jesse Martin of Fort Worth, close friend of O'Daniel and his attorney. Committeemen opposing the pension plank said it left the way open for foes of pension liberalization ready to steal her out of Texas." "Those who successfully defended the platform asserted it was what Governor-Nominatee O'Daniel wanted. It was drafted by a sub-committee headed by Jesse Martin of Fort Worth, close friend of O'Daniel and his attorney. Committeemen opposing the pension plank said it left the way open for foes of pension liberalization ready to steal her out of Texas." "Those who successfully defended the platform asserted it was what Governor-Nominatee O'Daniel wanted. It was drafted by a sub-committee headed by Jesse Martin of Fort Worth, close friend of O'Daniel and his attorney. Committeemen opposing the pension plank said it left the way open for foes of pension liberalization ready to steal her out of Texas."

### Army at Border Symbolizes Czech's Militant Optimism



Rumors flashing across Europe to the effect that Germany has massed 200,000 men on the Czech frontier gave the Continent new jitters over the intensely dangerous Sudeten-Czech crisis but found Czechoslovakia calm—and ready. In the radiophoto above, a light Skoda battery is shown guarding a strategic mountain pass while its Czech army crew lounges nearby. With such units waiting on the frontier, Czechoslovakia's small but efficient army expects to hold back the German invader until her allies can send aid.

### Relief From Heat in Aera Gained Through Showers Tuesday

Relief from the heat that has gripped this area for the past few weeks was gained yesterday and last night when showers totaling 20 of an inch fell. Continued cloudiness today indicated that further precipitation might be expected, although moisture was not forecast in the official weather forecast. Best showers Tuesday afternoon were reported from the Midkiff and Proctor steep pastures in the southern part of Midland county. Rains of an inch to one and a half inches were said to have covered a sizeable area there. To the west of Midland, showers fell in northern Ector county, getting lighter toward Midland. A half inch of rain fell at the C-Ranch headquarters, 25 miles northwest. Light showers were reported in various localities to the north and northeast. Ranchmen said the rain at this time would be worth twice what it was a month ago, and far more than it would be a month hence. Although only one fifth of an inch fell at Midland during the night, the precipitation was slow and the moisture was beneficial to lawns, as well as to dusty streets. Showers fell at intervals throughout the night all the way from here to San Angelo, it was reported. The showers failed to benefit ranch country to any appreciable extent.

### Goering Throws Down the Gauntlet



With all Europe watching the nazi congress at Nuremberg, Germany, No. 2 Nazi General Hermann Wilhelm Goering delivered a bristling speech calling the Czechs "a miserable chip of a race," and declaring that Germany was stocked up to fight a 30-year war. In the radiophoto above, Goering is pictured making the speech with which he brought Nuremberg nazis to a roaring war frenzy.

### FDR Choice Loses; Fate of George Up to Voters Today

By Associated Press Seven senators won renomination today in primary election returns but national attention was centered on Georgia in the test of President Roosevelt's campaign against conservative legislators. Senator George and Lawrence Camp, endorsed by the President, and former governor Talmadge are seeking the democratic senatorial nomination in Georgia. Returns from yesterday's election show: South Carolina — Burnet Maybank leading in the democratic gubernatorial contest. Representatives Taylor and Mahon defeated. Colorado — Governor Teller Ammons leading for renomination. Louisiana — Representative Mills, democrat, forced into a run-off. Other two congressmen retained seats. Arizona — Senator Hayden, democrat, holds big lead over two opponents.

By Associated Press Two close contests for gubernatorial nominations developed last night as returns piled up from the gay's primary elections. In South Carolina Democratic "runoff", with election actually at stake, Burnet R. Maybank had 160,728 votes to 147,133 for Wyndham M. Manning. A total of 1,484 of the state's 1,905 precincts had reported. New Hampshire's Republican primary, on returns from 145 of 297 precincts, gave Governor Francis P. Murphy 12,408 to 10,970 for Thomas P. Cheney. In the Republican senatorial primary there, the count was: Rep. C. W. Tobey, 14,262; Eliot A. Carter, 6,748 and Joseph Moore, 599. Vermont Republicans gave commanding leads to three incumbents, all seeking renomination. They were Governor George D. Aiken, Senator Ernest W. Gibson, and Rep. Charles A. Plumley. In Michigan, former Governor Frank D. Fitzgerald was running well ahead of Harry S. Toy, for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, and the right to meet Governor Frank Murphy, Democrat, in the November elections. Murphy was unopposed. Two House members from South Carolina were apparently beaten in the run-off primary. John C. Taylor was trailing B. B. Hare and G. H. Mahon was behind Joseph R. Bryson. G. Lloyd Ford led John L. McMillan for a third place in the House. Partial Louisiana Democratic primary returns showed J. K. Griffith, Newt V. Mills and T. O. Brooks, the only Louisiana House members who met opposition, were leading. Yesterday's voting provided a political interlude between two elections of more national interest—in Maryland Monday and in Georgia today. Senator Walter P. George, whom President Roosevelt denounced as "too conservative" comes up for renomination in the latter state. George's supporters were heartened by the apparently decisive victory of Senator Millard E. Tydings in Maryland despite the efforts of the President in behalf of Representative David J. Lewis who opposed Tydings in the "free states" Democratic primary. Late returns from Monday's vote in Maryland gave Tydings 136,899 popular votes to Lewis 92,127 and he appeared to be assured of over three-fourths of the votes in the state Democratic convention which will make the actual nomination. The President's intervention in Maryland and Georgia was along more or less parallel lines. In each he sought the defeat of the incumbent Democratic senator and endorsed a candidate.

### Mexicans to Start Two-Day Celebration in Midland Thursday

Mexicans of Midland and vicinity tomorrow will start a two-day celebration here, observing the independence anniversary of Mexico. Tomorrow afternoon at 2:30, a baseball game is scheduled and a dance for tomorrow night. Admission to the baseball game is free. Another baseball game is scheduled Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock the queen of the celebration will be crowned by Clarence Scharbauer and a parade will be held through the streets of the city. Coronation ceremonies will be held on a platform recently erected near the Mexican school. Addresses of patriotism to both Mexico and the United States are scheduled, along with appropriate songs and music, both Thursday and Friday nights. Contributions to the celebration fund were made by local business men, and the queen was elected by votes cast at one cent each.

### Boatman Slain as Pickets, Workers Clash on Coast

ARANSAS PASS, Sept. 14 (AP).—Jim Cole, boatman for the Rice Brothers shrimp cannery, was shot fatally today in a clash between boatmen and striking cannery workers.

Christopher Clarisch, labor leader, was charged with murder in connection with the shooting. Clarisch was slashed and beaten in disorders here. Another boatman was wounded. The clash resulted when boatmen attempted to stop picketing by strikers who are demanding pay increases.

### OUT OF HOSPITAL

Mrs. L. B. Hoss, ill for the past few weeks after a major operation, is back at her home in Tulsa and improving steadily. Mr. Hoss reported on his return to Midland today. Their son, Bob, is attending Tulsa University.

### French, British Favor Plebiscite in Czechoslovakia

PARIS, Sept. 14 (AP).—Representatives of both the French and British governments have put pressure on President Eduard Benes of Czechoslovakia to accept Sudeten German demands for a plebiscite, it was stated early today in diplomatic circles constantly in touch with Prague government. According to these sources, France and Britain already have discussed an international police force for the Sudeten German regions of Czechoslovakia. In these diplomatic quarters the firm belief has been expressed that the Prague government will be forced by French and British pressure to accept plebiscite for the Sudeten Germans. In London Monday Jan Massarik, Czechoslovak minister to Britain, informed the foreign office that a plebiscite would be unacceptable to Prague.

### JAPAN TO BACK GERMANY, ITALY

TOKYO, Sept. 14 (AP).—The foreign office spokesman, in the first statement here on the Czech crisis, today blamed communist activities and declared Japan's readiness to join German and Italy in "fighting against red operations." "The spokesman said, however, it was "premature to answer a direct question whether Japan would fight with Germany if she were involved in conflict with Britain and France over the Czech situation. He declared that "if the situation necessitates, Japan is ready to fight in every way, with arms is necessary "against the comintern."

### Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Pace are parents of a son born Monday morning at their home here. The boy weighed six and three-fourths pounds and has been named Gene William. Mother and child are reported doing well.

### Fields Owenwood Tops Anhydrite At 1,522 Feet

BY FRANK GARDNER. Bert Fields, Inc. No. 1 Owenwood, sole active Ector wildcat, today was reported to have topped anhydrite at 1,522 feet, datum of plus 1,683. This was said to be 47 feet low to the Turner No. 1 Parker, producer in the Harper pool over three miles to the southeast. Drilling in No. 1 Owenwood this morning had passed 1,600 feet in salt.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 2-B Paul Moss, giving a half-mile southwest extension to the Moss area two miles south of the Harper pool, had 1,000 feet of oil in the hole while preparing to run tubing. It had swabbed 29 barrels of oil through casing in the past 24 hours. The well is bottomed at 4,000 plugged back from 4,177, and has been shot.

Sinclair-Prairie No. 3 Emma Cowden, in the new southern Andrews pool, flowed 146 barrels of oil in eight hours while running 2-inch tubing at 4,208. Total depth is 4,215 checked by steel line measurement. Operators today were preparing to give the well its first stage of acid treatment.

Quarter-mile south and west extension was assured the Roberts area west of the Denver pool in Yoakum today as Shell No. 4 Mrs. Dora Roberts flowed 13 1/2 barrels of oil per hour, out only one percent with basic sediment, while unloading hole. It was swabbed in through 2-inch tubing set at 5,161, three feet off bottom.

Slight drop of oil was reported while Magnolia No. 1 J. H. Lynn, wildcat west of the Denver pool, drilled at 5,060 feet. It is drilling ahead now below 5,068 feet in lime, with no free oil in the hole. In the Denver pool, Texas No. 1 White flowed 233.88 barrels a day, with gas-oil ratio of 632-1, following a total of 5,000 gallons of acid at 5,100 feet. It topped pay at 4,800. Don Danvers et al No. 2 See (OIL NEWS) Page Six

### Brother of Midland Man Succumbs After Plunge From Window

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 14 (AP).—A man identified by coroner's deputies as Max Fuhrman, 42, Midland, Texas, business man, died here today after a 10-story plunge from the window of a fashionable hotel. On his person were found instructions, deputy coroner Tom Gavan said, to notify Mrs. Paula Vogel, Midland. Officers Alonzo Gray and Thomas O'Connor found the man on a glass roof over the cocktail lounge of the Mark Hopkins hotel. Charles Sprague, male nurse attending Fuhrman, was quoted by officers as saying he took Fuhrman from a sanatorium where he was a patient to the hotel to visit a friend. Sprague said he remained in the car while Fuhrman entered the hotel. On the man's person was found a note labelled "last wishes," and which said: "I want to be cremated and buried in a quiet spot."

Max Fuhrman was well known in Midland, having visited his mother, Mrs. Rita Fuhrman, a sister, Mrs. Paula Vogel, and a brother, Fred Fuhrman, head of the Fuhrman Petroleum corporation, here many times. He is survived by one other sister, Mrs. Karl Wolf, New York. He had been in ill health for the past ten years, spending most of the time in hospitals in Vienna and in various parts of the United States. His brother, Fred Fuhrman, left here last night for San Francisco to visit Max Fuhrman. Mrs. Fred Fuhrman was notified early this morning of the death of the man and succeeded in notifying her husband in El Paso of the death. She was to leave tonight for San Francisco.

### CONDITION CRITICAL

The condition of Mrs. H. E. Cummings, ill in a local hospital, was described as slightly improved today, but still critical.

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### Americans Warned to "Return Home"

BERLIN, Sept. 14 (AP).—American travelers have been advised "unofficially" by the United States consulate to return home "if they could conveniently alter their European travel plans," officials said today.

### FDR Hurries Back to Washington

ROCHESTER, Sept. 14 (AP).—President Roosevelt left today for Washington after talking with Secretary of State Cordell Hull by telephone and visiting his son, James, at the Mayo clinic. The president, deeply concerned over events in Europe, decided to return to Washington after he talked with Hull.

### Sudeten Mediation Board Dissolved

PRAGUE, Sept. 14 (AP).—Konrad Henlein, leader of the Sudeten Germans, informed the British mediation mission today the Sudeten committee for negotiations with Czechoslovakia had been dissolved. "This means a complete breakdown of efforts of the British to solve the bitter dispute. Meanwhile, the government, ignoring the Sudeten ultimatum demanding cessation of martial law, commandeered motor buses in Prague to rush fresh troops into regions under military control. The ultimatum expired early today without immediate results. The death list from disorders totaled 12, seven Czechs and five Sudetens. The Sudeten party made a four-point demand on the government in connection with the ultimatum. The note was approved at Egger by Konrad Henlein, leader of the party, and members of the Sudeten committee which had been negotiating with the Czechoslovak government. The party demanded: 1.—Immediate revocation of martial law. 2.—Withdrawal of special police from Sudeten areas and return to police control through local mayors. 3.—Reduction of the gendarmerie and special police to normal size and co-operation of the government with mayors to avoid further bloodshed. 4.—Recall of military units to their home stations and strict separation of the military from the civil population. These demands were forwarded to Premier Milan Hodza. The final paragraph of the note gave the demands the character of an ultimatum: "Should this demand of Sudeten Germanism for restoration of the normal situation, in which negotiations only can take place, not be accepted in six hours and acceptance and withdrawal of measures be made known by broadcast, leaders of the Sudeten German party decline all responsibility for all further developments." Offenses against public property, in the fashion of the Eger swastika-raising, and other minor disturbances in which several persons were injured added to the tense complexity of the situation.

### Captains, Committeemen Named for C of C Drive

The appointment of John P. Butler, banker, and George Abell, oil operator, as captains of the two sides in the contest to be conducted in connection with the annual membership drive of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, was today announced by Russell C. Conkling, vice-president and chairman of the membership committee of the chamber of commerce. The campaign will be conducted in one day, Friday, Sept. 23, the losing side to entertain the winners with a banquet on the same evening.

### "Latest on Midland High Football" Is Subject of Address

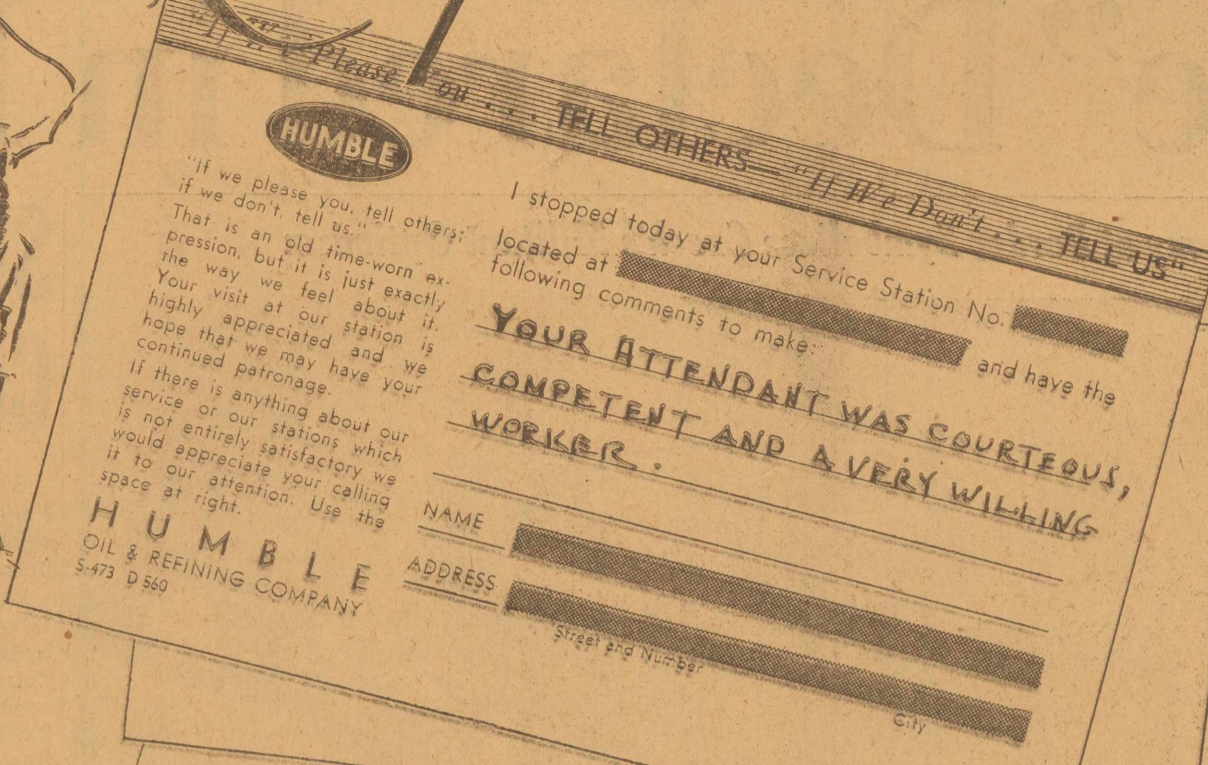
"The Latest on Midland High School Football" was the subject of a most interesting address delivered by Head Coach L. W. (Bud) Taylor at the regular weekly luncheon of the Midland Lions Club today noon. Taylor being introduced by Dr. J. B. Thomas who was in charge of the program. In discussing prospects for a winning team this year, Taylor said that the present squad is composed of 40 boys, all of whom are eligible with the exception of six who will be unable to compete in games until next year. The eleven returning lettermen will start in the opening game of the season against Roby here Friday night, according to the speaker, the lettermen being Van Dyke and Bryan, ends; Foster and Ford, tackles; Klatt and Eidson, guards; Whittaker, center; with Harris, Francis, Wright and True-love in the backfield. The starting line-up will average 145 pounds, said Coach Taylor, and although the team will not be as heavy as last year's squad, it is apparently just as good a ball club. The blocking is better this year and the boys are really out to win, he said. Coach Taylor stated that the backfield is more experienced than was last year's backfield, the weakest spots being the tackle positions. "While we want to win as many games as possible, the primary purpose is to teach the boys to play clean football and to be good sports at all times," said Coach Taylor. Taylor voiced his opinion that football is just as important as any See (ADDRESS) Page Six

### School Enrollment

Senior high school	465
Junior high school	471
North elementary school	385
South elementary school	204
Mexican school	68
Colored school	112
TOTAL	1,705



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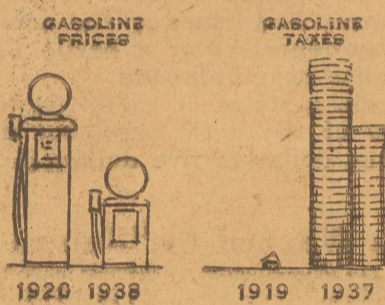
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### The Capitol Jigsaw

BY HOWARD C. MARSHALL

AUSTIN, Sept. 14. (P). — Texas probably will have its first "big-city" speaker in the House of Representatives in a quarter of a century for the biennium starting next January.

R. Emmett Morse of Houston, who has served six terms in the House, appears most likely to be elected speaker when the Legislature convenes January 10. Two Representatives figured to give Morse possible trouble did not seek renomination and two others lost their races.

Alf Roark of Saratoga decided to

become County Judge instead of staying in the Legislature. Charles H. Tennyson of Wichita Falls tried unsuccessfully for the state Senate. Fred Mauritz of Ganado was beaten by W. J. Galbreath of Wharton and Bob Alexander of Childress lost to R. A. Harp of Kirkland.

Rep. Ross Hardin of Prairie Hill, twin brother of Senator-Nominate Doss Hardin, and J. Bryan Bradbury of Abilene, author of the racing repeal statute, first decided to run but later changed their minds.

Hardin, announcing he would support Morse, said he was quitting the race because "a campaign for speaker is too expensive for a country lawyer."

Bradbury, who is 26, said he found the cost of a speakership race far above his expectations and

therefore had decided to withdraw. "I am not willing to sacrifice principle," he said, "to get campaign funds."

Friends of Morse recently made public a large number of endorsements from Representatives from widely-scattered parts of the state. One was from Max Boyer of Perryton, at the north edge of the Panhandle. Another was from Mrs. Nevelle H. Colson of Navasota, who will be one of two women members of the Texas House. Nearly all stressed Morse's knowledge of parliamentary procedure.

"Morse has been complimented," wrote Rep. Arthur Holland of Belton, "by Judge Harry Graves of the Court of Criminal Appeals as the best authority on parliamentary law in either House of the state Legislature."

Rep. H. T. Brown of Jacksonville said that "in my judgment Emmett Morse is the outstanding parliamentarian of the House of Representatives."

"Even though our personal views on legislation have naturally varied from time to time," Brown said, "I have found him to be consistently courteous and fair."

Chester H. Terrell of San Antonio was the last "big city" speaker, serving in 1913 and 1914.

Among distinguished former presiding officers of the Texas House are Rep. Sam Rayburn of Bonham, majority leader in congress, Pat M. Neff, President of Baylor University at Waco, Congressman R. Ewing Thomason of El Paso, Robert Lee Bobbitt of San Antonio, Chairman of the State Highway Commission, and Coke R. Stevenson of Junction, who will become Lieutenant Governor in January.

Former Gov. Dan Moody had to step carefully about his home for three weeks this summer.

The reason was an attack of mumps suffered by his young daughter, Nancy. Moody somehow managed to get to manhood without contracting the mumps.

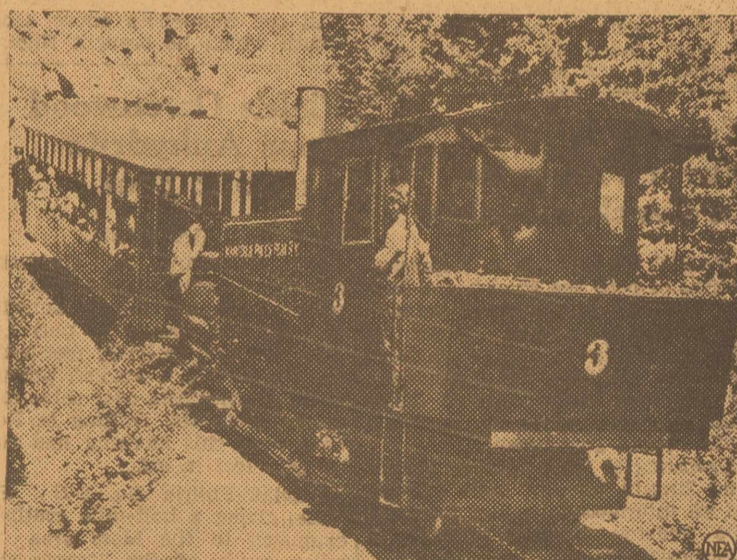
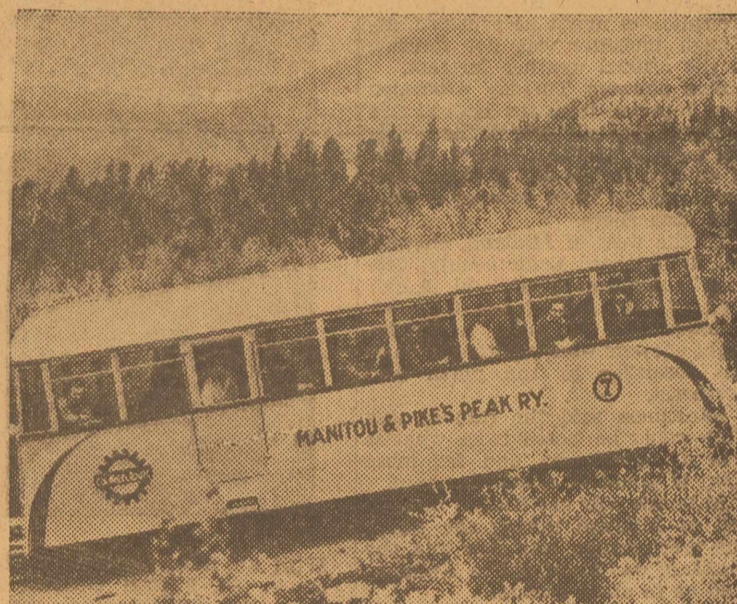
Nancy was quarantined in her room and the former chief executive escaped the disease. The little girl caught the mumps from her older brother, Dan, Jr., who was ill while he, Nancy and their mother were vacationing in Michigan.

### Appreciation of Rotary Club Visit Is Made by Guest

Appreciation of a guest for contacts made on a recent visit to the Midland Rotary club has been expressed, invoking in his expressions the writings of an early American poet. The guest was C. C. Watson, proprietor of a Midland printing business, and his appreciation was written after attending the club with Dr. W. E. Ryan. Watson's treatise follows:

Introducing one of his guests at Rotary Luncheon today as "Midland's (some sort of) Fisherman," the writer, C. C. Watson, didn't quite catch what, Dr. W. E. Ryan caused the usual bit of handclapping and friendly cheer from the assemblage of—ever, when it's Rotary in festivity—"Good fellows met together." Just a bit of pleasantry,

### An American Institution Passes



Many a wide-eyed tourist has been lured up Pike's Peak on the famous cog railroad, with tilted steam locomotives, like that in the lower photo, furnishing the power. But streamlining has caught up with the Rockies and the old engines have given way to three very modernistic, 50-passenger cars, like that in top picture. One of the old-time engines, which have been used for 50 years, will be placed atop Cheyenne Mountain, facing the Peak, as a monument.

always in order in Rotary; a tiny morsel of mental collation mixed with much that lightens care in a happily passing hour. I have had lots of humor, and occasionally a bit of barbed wit, "poked" at me account of my fishing "proclivities," may I say? and I relished them all, for I believe in fishin', regardless of the triflin'ness of it. Sir Isaac Walton glorified it, an' so have I. It is a recreation I have indulged in since, at least, adolescence—a long time ago—an' nothin' ever comes up, "When a Fellow's Fishin'" to make him physically, or even mentally, blush. Edgar A. Guest wrote that bit of soulful fishin' sentiment:

"A fellow isn't thinkin' mean  
Out fishin';  
His thoughts are mostly good and clean,  
Out fishin';  
He doesn't knock his fellow men  
Or harbor any grudges then;  
A fellow's at his finest, when  
Out fishin'.

"The rich are comrades to the poor,  
Out fishin';

All brothers of a common lure,  
Out fishin';  
The urchin, with his pin and string,  
Can chum with millionaire and king;  
Vain pride is a forgotten thing,  
Out fishin'.

"A fellow's glad to be a friend,  
Out fishin';  
A helpin' hand he'll always lend,  
Out fishin';  
The brotherhood of rod and line,  
An' sky an' stream is always fine;  
Men come real close to God's design,  
Out fishin'.

"A fellow isn't plotting schemes,  
Out fishin';  
He's only busy with his dream,  
Out fishin';  
His livery's a coat of tan,  
His creed: to do the best he can;  
A fellow's always mostly man,  
Out fishin'.

But, of Rotary and the occasion today; I invoke a song of one of America's earliest and sweetest singers in an expression of appre-



## The Town Quack

Reading dispatches from Germany, in connection with Adolf Hitler's speech, I noticed that when they want to express derision, they shout "Pfu!" People are much the same, the world over. We exclaim "Phooey" many times a day to express "horse feathers" or similar thoughts.

Keynoter V. A. Collins, at the state democratic convention, probably left no doubt as to W. Lee O'Daniel's stand on horse race betting when he vehemently denounced "gambling and liquor." Without referring to the pari-mutuels, his speech was construed that O'Daniel's administration will not be the time for friends of horse racing to put the legalized betting back. O'Daniel wasn't doing the talking, but it was his convention all the way.

We have a pretty good three-

clination:  
"I shot an arrow into the air,  
It fell to earth, I know not where,  
For so swiftly it flew the sight  
Could not follow in its flight;  
I breathed a song into the air,  
It fell to earth, I know not where,  
For who hath sight so keen and strong  
That it may follow the flight of song?"

"Long, long afterward, in an oak,  
I found the arrow still unbroke,  
And the song, from beginning to end,  
I found again in the heart of a friend."

I know much of the services of Rotary. I was a member before the club was organized in Midland. I know of the kindness of Rotary, and of its charities: the arrows it shoots into the air, that fall to earth and we know not where; the songs it breathes into the air, that fall to earth and we know not where—but the arrows, still unbroken, find lodgment, and the songs, though they go far down the vistas of time, do not fall amiss. This mid-day juncture has been a right happy break in the growing monotony of my life. From the inspirational seriousness of the major event of the hour, to and throughout the manifests of exuberant fellowships that so abound, it was a memorable and to-be-treasured occasion. I was happy to have been there, to have been the guest of Dr. Ryan.

C. C. WATSON.

### Queen of Queens to Be Chosen at Fair in Beauty Pageant

DALLAS. — The cream of Texas beauty, chosen by competition in more than a hundred towns and cities, will be the center of attraction at the State Fair of Texas on October 15.

These are the Queens who have been chosen at various county and regional fairs and at other civic festivals during the year throughout the state.

In the evening in front of the million-dollar Hall of State, from their number will be crowned a "Queen of Queens", selected by a competent committee of artists. This "Queen of Queens" is expected to represent Texas at the New York International Exposition as the Bluebonnet Queen.

Prior to the coronation of the "Queen of Queens" all the regional Queens will be re-crowned in a mass ceremony. A background of a thousand persons, with vari-colored powerful lights playing upon the scene, will make a riot of color and a brilliant pageant.

The "Queen of Queens" seated upon a beautiful decorated Golden Jubilee birthday cake, attired in an ancient gown, replica of that of royalty, will be formally crowned. Fifty high school page girls, in fitting attire, will stand by.

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# SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

## Barbizon Stylist To Be in Midland Friday



The new svelte fitting slips, created by Barbizon, internationally famous for tailored lingerie, will be the subject for consultations by Miss Marguerite Pierce, stylist for the designers, Friday, Sept. 16, at Wardley's.

Miss Pierce, who is well known to the women of the Southwest, having visited here as style advisor on previous occasions, will arrive here from New York Thursday night.

"The new sleek fitting dresses," Miss Pierce explained, "demand sleek fit in slips. Barbizon has created new svelte fitting slips that are reaping round after round of applause from style-conscious women."

"Fashion, being a paradox, is proclaiming romantic fussy clothes, and strictly tailored lingerie. Beneath a frivolous frock, Madame wears a form-fitting, strictly tailored slip. She removes a frilly chiffon dance frock, and reveals in the contrast, "A perfectly tailored slip." Miss Pierce stated, "is as important as a carefully fitted foundation garment. Seams that are out of line, the slightest crease or wrinkle, a superfluity of lace or embroidery is relentlessly X-rayed through one's frock and detracts from its fit and beauty. Distinctive tailoring and superior quality of fabric are characteristic of Barbizon garments."

Addison Wardley invites you to come in and consult. Miss Pierce during her stay in Midland. (Adv.)

### Flannel for Cleaning Paint.

Soft wool flannel is preferred by many housewives for washing painted surfaces, particularly paint with an enamel content and whose glossy surface is dulled by long soaps or washing powders. Abrasive spots which will not yield to rubbing with a soft flannel cloth wrung from hot water, may be scoured gently with a fine scouring powder. Rinse and dry with a clean cloth.

## How to Dress Your Best

Study Figure Before Choosing Evening Gown

NEW YORK.—The Woman Who Always Looks Smart remembers her type when she chooses a new fall evening gown. If she's a stream-lined, tailored kind of person by day, she doesn't pick a frothy formal dress which would be most suitable for a fluffy little ingenue. She looks for a handsome, stunning gown rather than a pretty-pretty one.

Furthermore, she observes the rules about the importance of shopping and searching until she finds something that dramatizes the best points of her figure and conceals less attractive ones.

If her shoulders are too thin and there are hollows alongside her collar bone or if her neck is extra long, she avoids strapless gowns. She knows very well that these require well rounded, perfectly beautiful back and shoulders.

If she is quite large, she wouldn't think of wearing a bouffant skirt. If her upper arms are pretty plump, she prefers gowns with tiny sleeves or some kind of off-the-shoulder drapings which conceal the extra weight. Naturally, she avoids hoop skirts—no matter how popular they are or how pretty they look on the young and slender.

Unless her legs are perfectly rounded, she skips slit skirts. If her hips are large, she very definitely skips bustle back effects. If her arms and shoulders are too thin, she wears gowns with sleeves or with interesting, long-sleeved jackets whenever and wherever possible. If she has large hips and thighs, she doesn't even consider the widely discussed tubular silhouette that is figure molding to the knees with a great deal of fullness below.

She remembers that hoop skirts and the tubular silhouette are for the slender. That to look well in bouffant dresses, one must be not only slender, but essentially the fragile, feminine type. That high-waisted, Empire gowns are for all save the flat-chested. And that modern types which make the waistline seem tiny and have subtle skirt fullness are a safe bet for all and sundry.

## Mrs. Riley Favors Bridgette Club at Dessert-Bridge

Blue glassware for the dessert service combined with clusters of marigolds and zinnias to form a striking color scheme for the tables when Mrs. A. H. Riley entertained the Bridgette club with a dessert-bridge at the Log Cabin Inn Tuesday afternoon.

Two guests, Mrs. J. J. Black and Mrs. C. J. Buser, were present in addition to ten club members.

After the dessert hour, three tables of bridge occupied the group for the afternoon. High score in play was held by Mrs. E. D. Richardson and second high by Mrs. A. E. Horst.

Club members attending were: Mmes. S. O. Cooper, R. R. Cowan, Horst, J. J. Kelly, Richardson, L. A. Tullis, Bill Van Huss, Kenneth S. Blackford, M. A. Spry, and the hostess.

## Tuesday Luncheon Club Meets With Mrs. Osborne

Mrs. Paul Osborne, 214 South L street, was hostess Tuesday at one o'clock for a luncheon followed by bridge, complimenting the Tuesday luncheon club and a group of guests.

Garden flowers were chosen for room decorations.

A plate luncheon was served, after which the afternoon was devoted to two tables of the great American indoor pastime, bridge.

Guests were Mrs. Fred Kotyza, recent bride and newcomer to Midland, and Mmes. J. M. Armstrong, H. A. Hemphill, Allan Hargrave.

Club members present were: Mmes. John Cornwall, A. B. Cather, David S. Googins, J. E. Simmons, and the hostess.

## Announcements

### THURSDAY.

Twelve-ite club will meet with Mrs. Harry Prickett Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, at her home, 511 San Angelo.

Home Art club will hold its initial fall meeting with Mrs. Ernest Neill, 411 North A, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Needlecraft club will meet with Mrs. Alvin Johnson, 103 South L street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

### FRIDAY.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. R. Chanslor, 110 South D street, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The lesson will be on the twelfth chapter of First Corinthians and the memory verse will be Phil. 6:7.

Stitch and Chatter club will meet with Mrs. J. C. Bryant, 405 E. Illinois, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Civic Music club will hold its first meeting of the fall season at the Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Important business is to be discussed and members are urged to attend.

Child Study club will initiate the new year's work with a meeting at the home of Mrs. Harvey Conger, 1501 W. College, Friday morning at 10 o'clock.

### SATURDAY.

Story Hour will be held in the

children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning from 10 until 11 o'clock. As a special feature, a marionette show presenting a one-act play will be given. The marionettes and stage were made by James Mims, Allen and Fred Wemple Jr., and Billy Barron who will produce the play.

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

## Women's Bible Class Hears Review Of Book of Acts

A general review of the Book of Acts was presented in an outline given by Minister Harvey Childress at the weekly meeting of the Women's Bible class at the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon. The speaker stressed the high points in the book which has been studied recently by the class.

Preceding the lesson was group singing and an opening prayer by Mr. Childress who also dismissed

## Exquisitely Lacy



With lace taking a prominent part in the Paris showings of fall fashions this season, an all-lace fashion show of original French gowns, held in New York, included this exquisite dress from Vionnet's fall collection. Of sheer, pale orchid lace in scroll patterning, it is worn over a tea rose slip.

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## Three Honored at Meeting of Business Girls' Auxiliary

Three were honored with shower gifts at the meeting of the Business Girls' auxiliary which was held at the home of Mrs. Olin Fryar, 311 W. Tennessee, Tuesday evening, with Mrs. Clint Creech as cohostess. The gifts were presented after the program.

Mrs. W. J. Coleman, leader for the auxiliary who has just returned from a three month's vacation, conducted the Bible study. Her subject was "John the Baptist."

A roundtable discussion on "Prayer" was also held.

Miss Zelah Gravette, president of the group, presided over a business period.

Mrs. B. W. Recer and Mrs. Fryar were honorees for a surprise pink and blue shower, with Mrs. Creech bringing in the packages and presenting them to the two.

A handkerchief shower was also given for Mrs. J. V. Ogle, who has moved to Odessa and was unable to be present to receive the gifts in person.

A party plate was served to: Mmes. Recer, Sherwood O'Neal, Fred Hallman, John B. Mills, Coleman, T. J. Potter, M. D. Johnson Jr., L. H. Tiffin, Misses Gravette,

## Bridge-Luncheon at Log Cabin Favors Chez les Amis

Use of vivid colors in the Mexican manner marked appointments for the morning bridge and luncheon with which Mrs. Hoyt McClendon entertained for Chez les Amis club and a trio of guests at the Log Cabin Inn Tuesday morning.

Two tables were laid for the bridge games which opened at 9 o'clock.

At the conclusion of play, luncheon tables were laid with blocked linen cloths and bright Mexican pottery for the two-course luncheon. Table flowers were summer blossoms in hues to harmonize with the pottery service.

Club guests were Mrs. J. J. Kelly, Mrs. F. R. Schenck, and Mrs. P. A. Nelson.

Members playing were: Mmes. Bob Clarke, W. L. Miller, John W. Skinner, B. W. Stevens, and the hostess.

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## Delphian Chapter Resumes Work in Meeting Tuesday

Alpha Mu Delphian chapter opened its new year's work with a business and program meeting in the assembly room of the courthouse Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock, with the new president, Mrs. W. T. Walsh, in charge.

Several decisions were made during the business session.

Mrs. S. A. Debnam was elected secretary, following resignation of that officer. It was decided to subscribe for the quarterly magazine of the Delphian organization and to have programs on it during the year.

Mrs. Chas. Klapproth was appointed critic.

The chapter voted to have a morning coffee soon honoring the past president, Mrs. Ross Williams, at which time she will be presented with the president's jewel.

Mrs. G. R. Grant was appointed reporter.

Miss Nell Shaw was leader for the program of the morning which developed the subject of "A Prelude to Modern Drama." Two plays of Henrik Ibsen, "Brand" and "Peer Gynt," were studied.

Those taking part on the program, other than in the general discussion, were Mrs. Fred Wemple, Mrs. Chas. Klapproth, and Mrs. P. H. Schouten.

Members present were: Mmes. Wemple, Ernest Neill, Klapproth, A. J. Cooper, Fred Turner, Schouten, Debnam, Grant, Walsh, and Miss Nell Shaw.

## Unusual Heels.

A novel treatment of heels is featured in fall shoe fashions. Sponsored by a leading shoe stylist are oxfords of fine soft kid-skin with plain, glove-fitting toes, their rather low spool-shaped heels built of rounded alternating layers of colored kid. Very smart and gay with an early fall suit, they may be purchased in dark blue, black or brown leathers with contrasting heels.

## WRITE-IN CANDIDATES.

CRANE, Sept. 14. — J. A. Harbison has announced his candidacy as a "write in" contestant for the office of sheriff, tax collector, and assessor in the November election. He is opposing Jack Young, who won the Democratic nomination in the August run-off election by 50 votes over W. L. (Dad) Chaffin.

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# How Flour Salesman O'Daniel Talked, Sang Way Into Big Heart of Texas

### Jobless Musicians' Selling Plan Showed the Way to Governorship, And Poetry Gave the Extra Push

An amazing man on the political trapeze is W. Lee O'Daniel, next governor of Texas and potential presidential threat. This is the second of three articles tracing his meteoric career.

By C. L. DOUGLAS AND FRANCIS MILLER  
NEA Service Special Correspondents.

HOUSTON.—The war-time epidemic of influenza in 1918 almost cheated Texas of a future governor. In Kingman, Kan., Wilbert Lee O'Daniel and his wife, who were imminently expecting their first baby, were stricken at once. Both recovered, but Mrs. O'Daniel was barely convalescent when the boy was born, Dec. 4, 1918.

They called him Pat, just as they had always planned, and when Mike and Molly came along later, they, too, bore the names O'Daniel had planned for them even when he was himself a mere boy.

When the war boom collapsed, the Independent Mills collapsed with it, but at the time of the collapse, O'Daniel had already begun working for another flour mill in Kansas City. Expansion of this business led the O'Daniels to move to New Orleans, from which the large export business was conducted.

#### SALES GENIUS BECOMES EVIDENT.

BUT again O'Daniel moved on to larger fields. Offered a job as sales manager for the Burrus Mill and Elevator in Fort Worth, O'Daniel took it up, and in 1925 there moved to Texas the family that was to become the state's first family. It was about this time that O'Daniel dropped the name Wilbert, which he never liked, and became W. Lee O'Daniel.

As sales head, his genius came to the fore, and before long sales of his flour were up 250 per cent. Then came the idea which led to the unsuspected goal of politics. A group of jobless musicians came to O'Daniel with an idea for a radio program advertising his flour. The idea was to intersperse hillbilly and other favored sentimental songs with blurbs about his flour, which O'Daniel would write personally. People liked it, and by 1930 the program was a Texas fixture.

It was not until 1932, when the announcer for the flour program had to relinquish duties, that O'Daniel personally took to the air, announcing his own program. He mixed homespun philosophy into the batter of his biscuit advertising, and soon the letters began to pour in on the folksiest of all folksy announcers.

#### RADIO RESPONSE TERRIFIC.

POETRY clinched it. Struck one day on a train journey by the beauty of the countryside of his adopted state, O'Daniel set pencil to paper and wrote the words and music of "Beautiful Texas." Like this:

"To beautiful, beautiful Texas,  
Where the beautiful bluebonnets grow.  
To beautiful, beautiful Texas,  
The most beautiful place that I know."

The response was terrific, and still is. O'Daniel, having found his forte, wrote other orders with one hand, while turning out with the other such songs as "Your



As president of the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce one of O'Daniel's biggest feats was helping obtain the \$4,250,000 Public Health Service Hospital for the city. Here he signs the deed transferring title to the hospital site.

Own Sweet Darling Wife, "Put Me in Your Pocket," "That City for Shut-Ins," and "On to Victory Mr. Roosevelt."

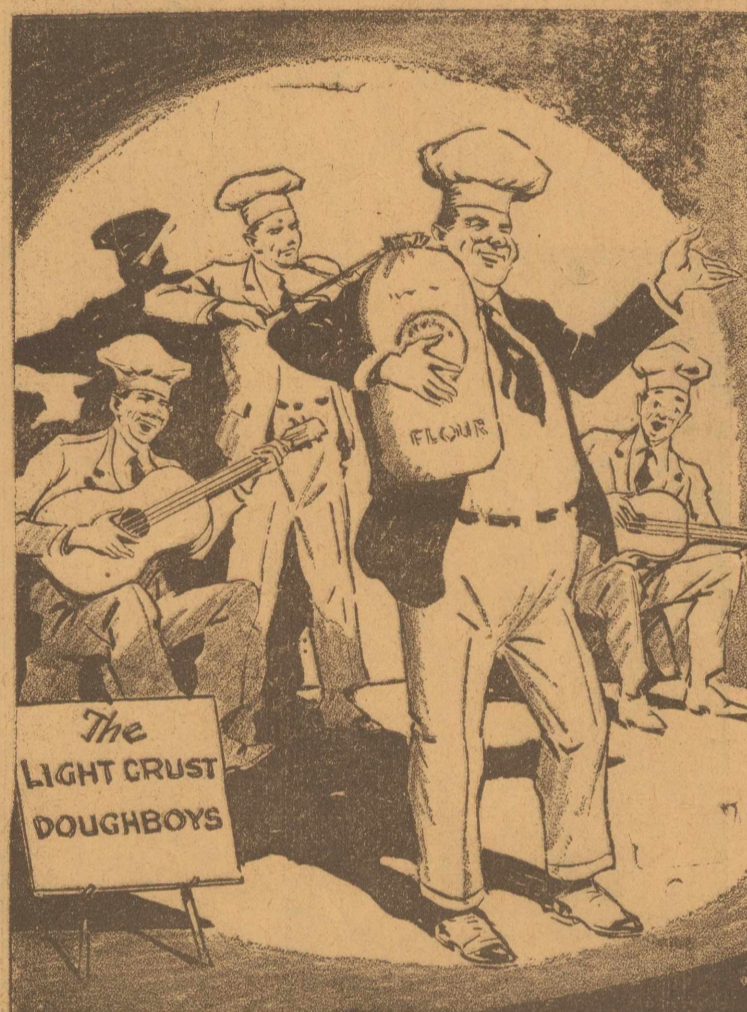
Radio listeners loved them. Gradually as O'Daniel became more and more familiar to a larger radio audience, he became also friend and philosopher.

#### BUILDS FORT WORTH.

IN 1933 the Fort Worth Chamber of Commerce chose O'Daniel as its president. The year marked the bottom of the depression, but at its end O'Daniel was able to chalk up 433 new business enterprises, including 39 manufacturing plants for his town. He helped get a \$4,250,000 Public Health hospital for the town by obtaining a gift of 1402 acres of land for a site. He helped put over the \$3,000,000 bond issue on which the present educational system of the town is based. He named the first local NRA committee. In short, he did



One of O'Daniel's best assets has been his family. Here he is with his wife and children just before they left New Orleans in 1925 for the state he soon will govern.



On the stage, radio, and at conventions, O'Daniel's Light Crust Doughboys took Texas by storm. While the band played hillbilly music, O'Daniel sang and praised his flour.

more for his city as head of the chamber of commerce than many a mayor is able to accomplish for his community in several terms.

O'Daniel prospered personally as well. He bought and built up a 300-acre ranch 20 miles out from Fort Worth. In 1935 he cut loose from his flour connections and organized his own distributing firm. His flour sacks bore one of his

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## STORIES IN STAMPS

### St. Peter—Chosen Rock of His Church

EXTREMELY poor and unlearned was Peter, the fisherman of Bethsaida in Galilee. But Peter was alive with the zest of living, keen to the problems of his fellowmen, a good neighbor and a deeply religious. So he was called from his nets one day to become an apostle of the Lord. Thereby was launched one of the greatest careers of the church.

For Peter became in time the very center and the principle of the church, the head and prince of the apostles, the foremost teacher of the Lord's truth. He filled the vacant apostolic throne, admitted Jews by the thousands into the fold, opened the church to the gentiles in the person of Cornelius, founded, and for a time ruled the church at Antioch, sent Mark to found a church at Alexandria.

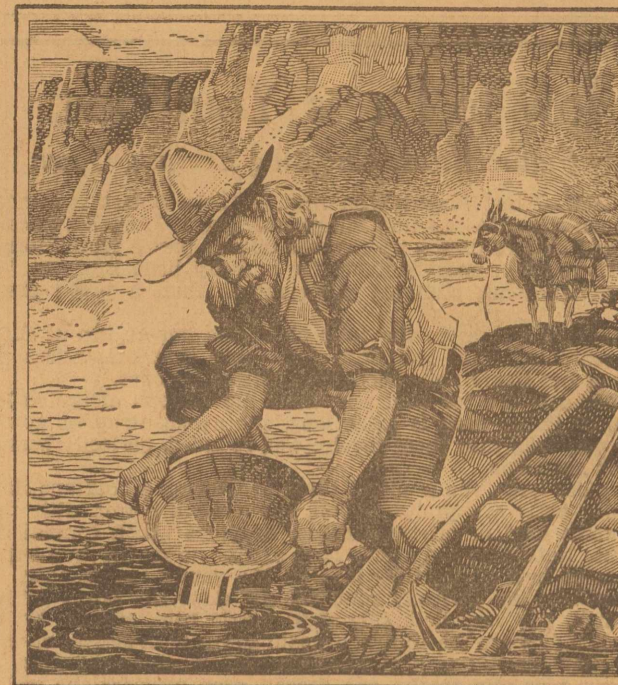
Ten years after his ascension, St. Peter went to Rome, then center of the great Roman empire. There, amidst the grandeur of all its temporal powers, he established his Chair, and for the succeeding 25 years labored unceasingly with the help of St. Paul to build up the vast Roman Church.

Peter was crucified at last, by order of Nero, and buried on the Vatican hill. But 260 years later the open triumph of the church climaxed his lifework. The first Christian emperor laid aside his robes of state to turn the soil for the foundation of St. Peter's Church. Shown here is the heroic statue of St. Peter from the Basilica. This is one of the eight airmail values just released by the Vatican depicting symbols of the church.



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### Road Experts To Pool Data

MONTREAL (U.P.)—About 500 highway experts from all parts of Canada and from the United States, Great Britain and other parts of the world will assemble at Lake of Bays, Ont., in September to discuss the latest developments in construction, maintenance, financing, taxation, safety and other aspects of the highway problem.

The experts will attend the 24th annual convention of the Canadian Good Roads Association, over which Frank M. McPherson, British Columbia minister of highways, and president of the association, will preside.

The governments of the nine Canadian provinces have accepted an invitation to send representa-

tives to the meetings, and the ministers of highway, chief and district engineers and other departmental heads will represent each province. Experts in highway construction and maintenance from Great Britain, the United States, and other countries will contribute papers. A large delegation, headed by MacPherson, is expected to arrive from Western Canada.

The association is regarded as a valuable clearing house for technical and other information, and as a medium for marshaling public sentiment for better roads.

#### HARRISON HERE.

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## BULLDOGS DRIVEN HARD IN EFFORT TO HAVE THEM READY FOR LIONS

The Midland high school Bulldogs, preparing for their first game of the year Friday night against the Roby Lions are being driven hard by Coach Taylor and Myer this week in an effort to have the boys in mental and physical condition.

It was scrimmage-heavy scrumage—for the boys yesterday and they came through in style that is helping to banish the pessimism that has gripped fans here since the close of last season.

Regardless of how the Friday night game comes out, the Lions are going to have to do a lot of stopping of Jay Francis. Weighing 160 pounds now, about 10 more than last year, Jay has developed more power without being slowed up any. Pass work is coming in often in the drills this week and for the first time since 1936 the club appears to have a chance of getting some good hurling. Francis has improved a lot as a passer and "Pats" Wright has also come along in great fashion. Wright will probably be the number one passer if he has overcome last year's habit of "choking up" in the tight spots. Assistant coach "Cotton" Kimbriel at junior high, a letterman end

at Baylor last year has been giving pointers to the flankmen of the squad, one of the weakest spots on the club.

The coaches have been experimenting since start of training in placing a line-up together that will click and they are not satisfied yet. However, it appears definitely that Francis and Wright will be two starters in the backfield, Klatt and Eidson, the "Siamese twins," will start at guards, Van Dyke at one end and Whittaker at center.

Continued hard work was on tap for the boys today with final tapering off under the light tomorrow night.

## SERIAL STORY PHOTO FINISH

BY CHARLES B. PARMER

Yesterday: When Linda returns after seeing Don in the race for Merle, she finds Uncle Sandy has left with the Pompey colt.

#### CHAPTER XIII

"GONE?" Linda couldn't believe her ears.  
"Yes, ma'am!" Callie spoke with righteous indignation. "You ain't out o' the house good befo' Mr. Sandy calls Norman. They talks, then starts packin' up. Mr. Sandy calls a auto-vaan, they puts the colt in, they climbs in themselves, an' drives off."

"Where did they go, Callie?"  
"Mr. Sandy, he don't say nothin'." But that triffin' Norman, he makes a face at me as they drives off; he waves his cap an' shouts, 'We's off to the Downs, we is.' An' they wuz, too."  
"But I thought Norman had got religion; turned against racing—"  
Callie sniffed. "They turns

against women, Miss Linda. An' that no-count Norman, he owes me a weddin', he do."

Linda leaned against a porch post, laughed till tears came. Uncle Sandy Norman—for years they had lived without benefit of skirts. Suddenly two women—Linda, Callie—had descended on them. It was too much for old bachelor, content in their misery. Thanks to luck, they had their hands on a colt again. So, in their last years, they were off to the races once more.

"It's all right, Callie; I'll be here a while. And if Golden Toy wins the Jockey Club Stakes, I imagine Norman will keep his word—give you that wedding."

"He better, or I skins him alive," Linda snorted. Jerry, went into her room. Laid away her clothes. In the long, furious drive home she had worn off much of her sudden loathing of Brown Donald. Now she pitied him—a last-minute version of the gigolo. The lad want-

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## ATHLETIC CHAMPION

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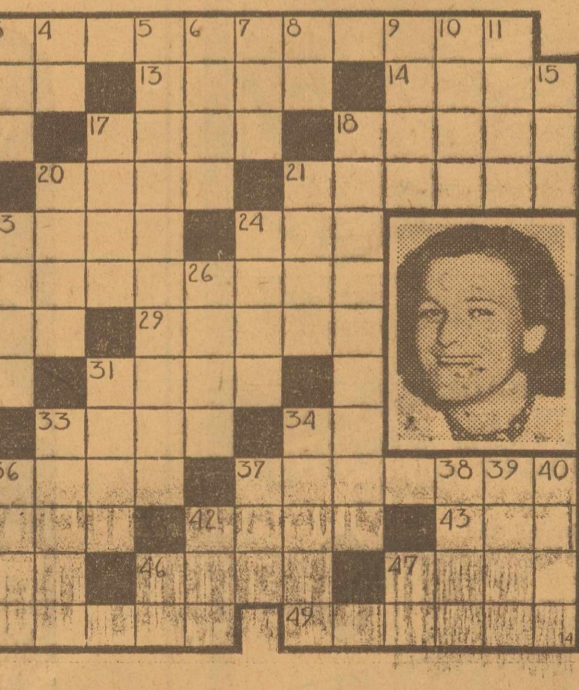
- 1 An Amazon of today.
- 12 Eye socket.
- 13 Midday.
- 14 Goddess of discord.
- 16 Dregs.
- 17 Shirt button.
- 18 Freedom from strife.
- 19 Mesh of lace.
- 20 Row of a series.
- 21 An arm ring.
- 22 Noun termination.
- 23 Throe.
- 24 Frozen dessert.
- 25 Fees.
- 27 Varieties of plants.
- 29 Dye apparatus.
- 30 To total.
- 31 Heavenly body.
- 32 Hall!
- 33 Ale.

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VERTICAL

- 1 Stock.
- 2 To instigate.
- 3 Twice.
- 4 And.
- 5 Perfected.
- 6 Fierce.
- 7 Wand.
- 8 Within.
- 9 To appear.
- 10 Verbal.
- 11 Fastidious.
- 12 Order of trees.
- 15 To harden.
- 17 Mathematical term.
- 18 Compressions.
- 20 Small flaps.
- 21 Maple shrub.
- 23 Partly-colored.
- 24 Passage.
- 25 Loadstone.
- 26 Seaweed.
- 28 Molten rock.
- 31 Dispatched.
- 32 Lengthwise.
- 33 To harass.
- 34 Popular jargon.
- 36 Plateau.
- 37 Fruit pastry.
- 38 Popular sport.
- 39 Brink.
- 40 Costly.
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10 BEDROOMS 10

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12 Situations Wanted 12

YOUNG lady attending school mornings desires work for room and board. Phone 711-J. (162-1)

14 PERSONAL 14

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Texas Cancer Deaths In Year Total 4305

AUSTIN. — Deaths from cancer in Texas reached a total of 4305 during the past year, indicating that a warning against cancer quacks and so-called cancer cures is justified by the State Health Department. Early diagnosis and competent treatment could have prevented many of these deaths, states Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer.
"While newspapers, as a rule, do not carry advertising of this type, there are many other ways by which misinformation can reach the public. Undoubtedly there are many persons who, being thus detoured from seeking proper medical advice, unnecessarily become cancer victims, while others not having cancer, are fleeced out of much money for a so-called cure," Dr. Cox added.
"There are but two ways of treating cancer. First, by surgery and second, by use of radium or X-ray. Treatment must be started early and in the hands of a competent surgeon. Surgery is relied upon to remove cancerous tumors and is used in nearly two-thirds of the cases. X-ray or radium is used to advantage for the remaining group.

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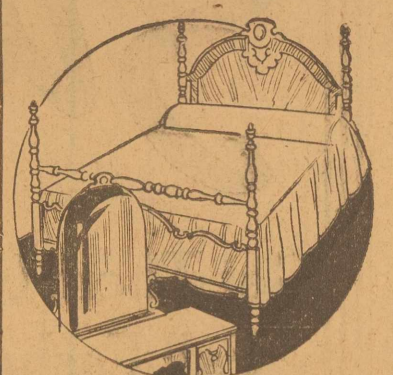
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Air Bombs Rally German Recruits



Great aerial bombs are used in Germany as grim arguments intended to rally recruits to anti-air raid defense squads. Typical is the one pictured above, in Nuremberg, erected on a platform that displays a recruiting poster and an appeal for volunteers.

Frequently the two methods are combined. Self-medication, serums, colored lights, pastes, salves, and diets are valueless.
"The great protection against cancer is early diagnosis. Every case is an emergency and it is unfortunate that the majority of those with cancer do not seek medical advice early in the first stages of the disease. No hope should be placed in fake cancer cures or treatments. Rather, the annual physical examination and an immediate reporting to your physician of any symptoms which may be suspected to be the beginning of cancer should be relied upon. These symptoms are: any unusual bleeding from any body opening, any lump in the breast or other part of the body, any persistent sore, particularly on the face or mouth, and chronic indigestion. These conditions may not be cancer, but sometimes they are forerunners of the more common types of this disease. Where cancer is suspected, do not delay, but consult your physician at once.

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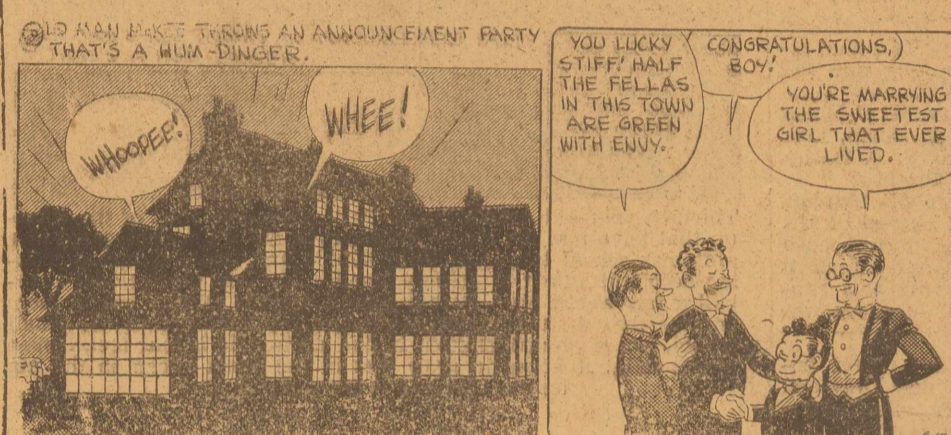
BOOT AND HER BUDDIES



Of Course

By EDGAR MARTIN

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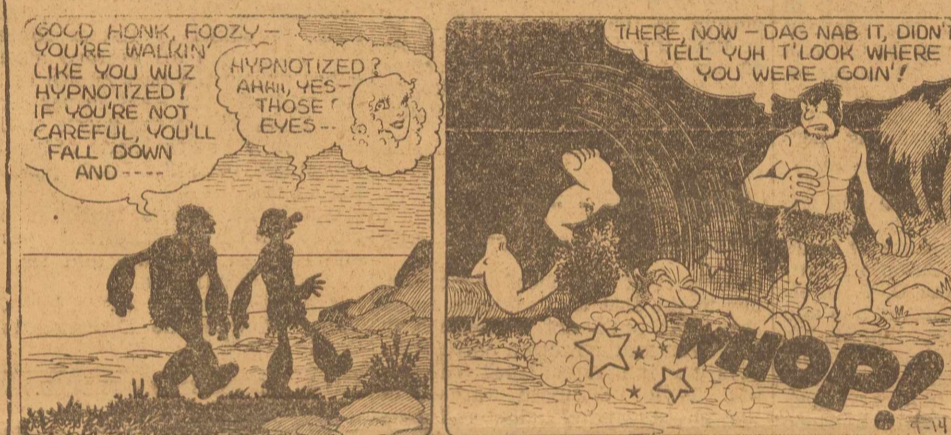


Two Different Opinions

By ROY CRANE



ALLEY OOP



Before Plucking the Beam

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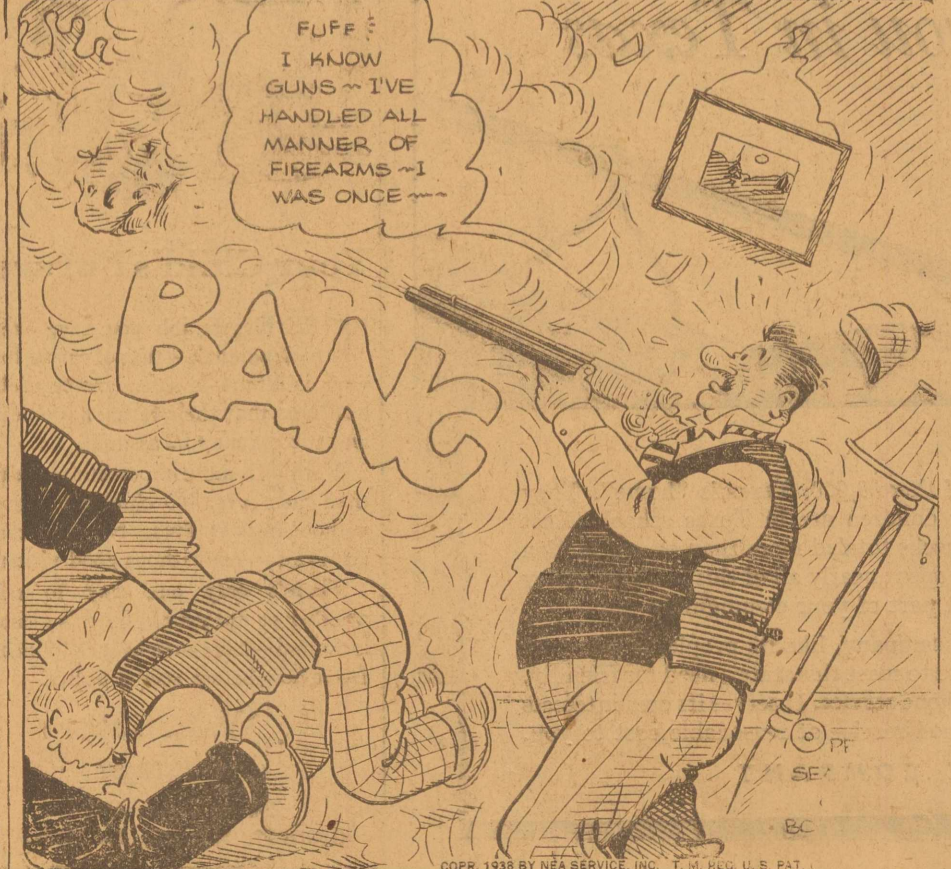


It Sounds Simple

By MERRILL BLOSSER



OUR BOARDING HOUSE



with MAJOR HOOPLE

OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. WILLIAMS





**Oil News--**

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Shell-Lynn is drilling below 4,730 feet in line.

Offsetting Shell No. 3-A Bennett, west outpost, to the south, Honolulu is digging cellar and pits for No. 7-677 Bennett, 2,200 feet from the south and east lines of section 677, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, in the Bennett pool of southeast Yukum. Magnolia No. 4 Bennett cemented 13-inch casing on bottom at 508 feet in red rock and shells and is standing while cement sets. Parker Nears Anhydrite.

Nearing the point at which top anhydrite is expected, Atlantic No. 1 A. J. and J. J. Parker. Gains wildcat two and a half miles northwest of the Seminole pool, this morning was drilling at 1,937 feet in red beds.

Humble No. 2 Riley, south edge Wasson pool well in northwest Gains, on preliminary pumping test made 8.5 barrels per hour, cut 8.5 per cent with basic sediment and water. Total depth is 4,975.

It was announced today that York & Harper, Inc. had farmed out to Harry J. Brown (M. B. K. Drilling Company) the south half of the northwest quarter of section 51, block AX, public school land, in the Wasson pool. Early drilling of a test on the acreage is expected.

In Hockley, Gulf No. 2 Mallett had run tubing and was scheduled to acidize today. It has been flowing an average of 150 barrels a day through casing while cleaning out after 250-quart shot. Total depth is 5,070, plugged back from 5,090. Texas No. 1-B Mallett, west of the Slaughter pool, is drilling below 1,275 in red beds and shells. Texas No. 3 Slaughter ran Schlumberger, bottomed at 4,700 feet in line and is preparing to set 7-inch pipe. Western Lea Wildcat.

Location for a wildcat nine miles

southwest of the Vacuum pool has been staked in western Lea county, N. M. by Texas Company. It is the No. 1 Lodewick permit, 690 feet from the south, 1,990 from the east line of section 34-188-33e. It is four and a quarter miles south and a half-mile east of Texas No. 1 Corbin, discovery pumper.

No anhydrite had been picked up as Emperor No. 1 Humble-Stage, western Lea test, drilled to 1,660 feet in red beds.

Two miles west of the Vacuum pool, Ohio No. 1 State-Bridges is drilling at 4,255 feet in line.

On the east side of the pool, Phillips No. 11 Santa Fe, outpost test, is drilling at 1,265 feet in red rock. Cities Service No. 1-K State topped anhydrite at 1,628 and stopped at 1,665 in anhydrite, where it is running 7 5/8-inch pipe. Standard of Texas No. 1 State, Lease No. 4 topped anhydrite at 1,592 and drilled ahead past 1,621. Plug was slated to be drilled today from Helmerich & Payne, Inc. and Conoco No. 1-G-36 State, prospective producer two miles southeast of Vacuum production. Five and one-half inch pipe was set at 4,863, with total depth 4,920. Phillips No. 3 Santa Fe is drilling at 3,792 in anhydrite, while Texas No. 1-S State is drilling line at 4,386. Humble No. 1-J State is drilling at 3,821 in anhydrite.

Three miles east of Tatum in northeastern Lea, Tide Water No. 1-L State ran 45 sacks of cement to plug off bottom-hole water shown on drillstem test from 5,254-94, total depth. Operators decided to run velocity test, so circulated cement out of the hole before it had a chance to set. Velocity test will be run tomorrow morning, then the well will be plugged back with 45 sacks and given nitro shot from 5,210-30, where some saturation was logged.

Australia is larger than the United States by 805 square miles.

**"Ready for Winter" Program Initiated By FHA Officials**

R. E. Sikes, mortgage conference representative of the federal housing administration out of the state office, Dallas, is in Midland making plans for "ready for winter" program, which is to be launched throughout the United States for the months of September and October. The purpose of this program, its objectives are:

1. To increase volume of Title I loans.
2. To furnish an "entre" or "lead-in" to a winter program of development of Title II business through construction as well as modernization under Title I.
3. To offset sharp seasonal decline as winter approaches by encouraging property improvements and new construction which will aid fall and winter employment.

The success of this program depends largely on an active and whole-hearted cooperation on the part of material men and your lending institutions. Literature pertaining to this program is being prepared in Washington at this time and will be ready for distribution within a few days. This will be a fine opportunity for property owners to repair and modernize both residential and business property in Midland.

**Methodist Women To Stanton Meeting**

Eight members of the Methodist missionary society of Midland attended the zone meeting and fall "coaching day" at Stanton Tuesday at Stanton. They were: Mmes. W. C. Hinds, A. B. Stickney, C. E. Nolan, Geo. Glass, W. F. Prothro, S. P. Hazlip, D. W. Young, J. M. Prothro.

Mrs. O. B. Bryan of Stanton, zone leader, was in charge of the district zone session which opened in the Stanton Methodist church in the morning. Following this program, a covered-dish luncheon was

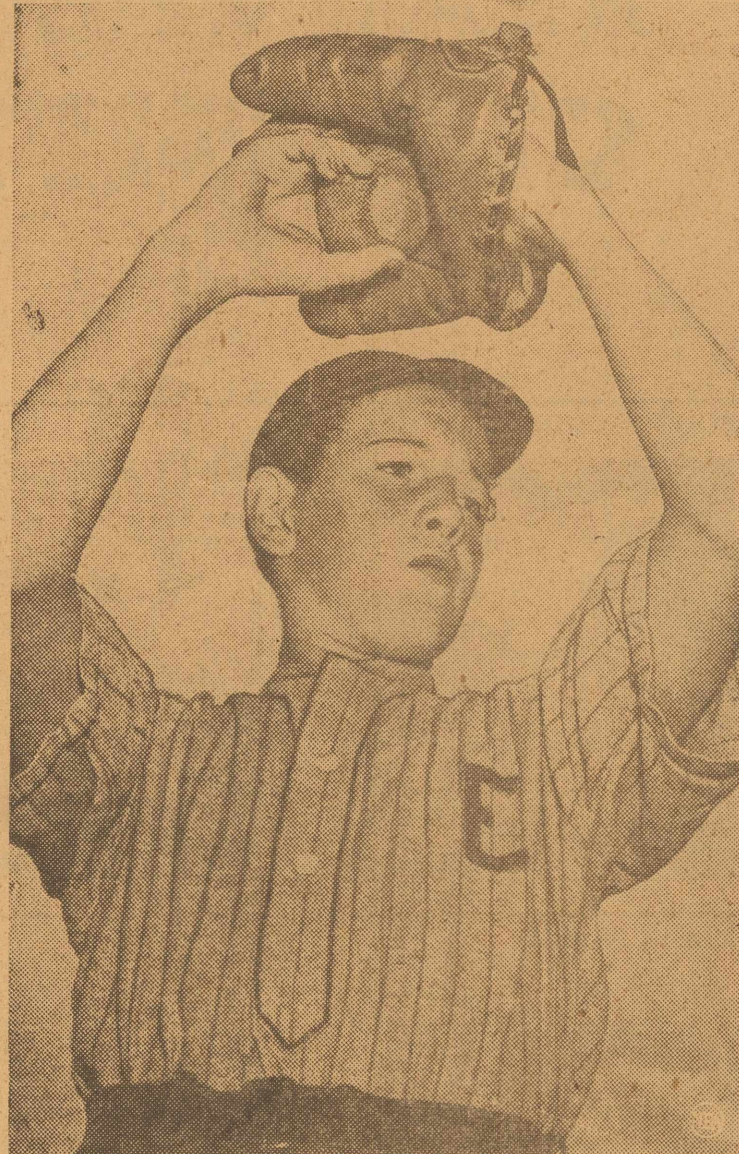
colorful chapter in his career between scenes of his new Universal picture "Sinners in Paradise," starting today at the Yucca theatre.

It was neither on the stage nor on the screen that he played this scene when failure meant death. It was on the Western Front, in the World War, at the German Army headquarters and the German High Command was his audience. They thought John was a spy. He had to prove to them that he was an actor. An unconvincing performance meant the firing squad. Secret Service Star.

It seems that both John and the Germans were right. During the World War, Boles, because he could speak almost any European language, served with the U. S. Intelligence Service. His biggest job and the one that nearly cost him his life was worming his way from Rumania into the heart of Germany. Finally the Boches caught him, a ragged, unkempt and thoroughly alarmed young secret service man. He told them that he was an actor and a conscientious objector who had fled into the Fatherland to escape military service.

The High Command put him to the test. For a whole evening they sat as an audience while Boles played bits from various shows in which he had appeared at American cantonments. He got four stars for his performance instead of a blast of gunfire. He managed to escape at last and get back to the American lines, but not before he had done all sorts of work on the road back, from industrial labor to farming.

**Vander Meer of the Sandlots**



Thirteen-year-old Arthur "Bud" Potts shows the start of the wind-up that gave him his second consecutive no-hit, no-run game in a grammar school league in Philadelphia and tied the record-making accomplishment of Johnny Vander Meer in professional baseball a few weeks ago. Arthur pitches for the Diston school team and his second straight no-hit game, a 7-0 victory over Whitehall school, was his fourth shutout in five starts. He is four feet, eleven inches tall, but hopes to grow fast in the years ahead so the big league baseball scouts can see him.

served at noon. The afternoon was devoted to an outline of the new study book to be used this fall and was conducted by Mrs. Odom, district secretary of the Sweetwater district, in the absence of Mrs. Dewey Smith, zone study leader.

**Address--**

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other part of the school curriculum, due to the fact that athletics reach boys that could not be reached in any other manner, often putting the boys on the right track through life. Taylor discussed various of the players individually, and outlined the schedule for the year.

Rev. H. D. Bruce, new Baptist minister who was a guest of the club at today's luncheon, gave his first impressions of Midland, stating that he found Midland to be windy and dry with great wide open spaces. He also said that he had never been more graciously received in any town than in Midland.

Two clarinet solos by Lion Thomas Iman, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. De Lo Douglas, featured the musical part of the program.

Attendance Contest Ends.

The club attendance contest, started four weeks ago, ended with to-

day's luncheon, the Blues, captained by Gene Reischman, being announced as the winners over the Reds, captained by Luther Glover. The Blues had an average attendance during the past month of 86 per cent and the Reds 70 per cent. The Blues will be the guests of the Reds at a Ladies Night affair at Cloverdale park the latter part of the month.

Guests at today's luncheon included Iva Huneyutt of Big Spring and Rev. H. D. Bruce and Dr. V. P. Neissl of Midland.

The luncheon was served by the Valley View Home Demonstration Club.

**GILA MONSTER IN MAINE.**

RICHMOND, Me. (U.P.)—Mrs. George W. Campbell recently killed a Gila monster on her farm here. Fish and game department officials at August believed that the "animal" must have escaped from some carnival traveling in the state, because no such creature exists in Maine. Gila monsters are members of the lizard family.

There are 959 motion picture theatres in the Dominion of Canada, an average of one theatre for every 11,600 of the population.

British workers lost \$25,000,000 annually through illness, the common cold being responsible for 40 per cent of this total.

**FEMININE FANCIES**  
By KATHLEEN EILAND

There is a new type of kitchen knife which combines the functions of the peeler, the corer, and the knife.

It has a narrow blade that is toothed like a saw, and is curved at the end. This provides for the coring of apples and such-like fruits while the serrated edge peels potatoes, apples, or what-not.

Individualize your new wool dress by having a high-crowned hat of the same material made to go with it. The hat may bear one or more colored quills to introduce your favorite color scheme. We saw such an outfit recently in dark green.



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**The Standings**

**RESULTS YESTERDAY.**  
American League.  
New York 7, Cleveland 1.  
Washington 5-2, Chicago 1-3.  
Detroit 9, Boston 3.  
Philadelphia at St. Louis, rain.

**National League.**  
Boston 5, Chicago 2.  
Others rained out.

**LEAGUE STANDINGS.**  
American League.  
Team— W. L. Pct.  
New York 93 42 689  
Boston 76 57 571  
Cleveland 76 58 567  
Detroit 71 64 526  
Washington 67 70 489  
Chicago 55 74 426  
St. Louis 47 82 364  
Philadelphia 48 86 358

**National League.**  
Team— W. L. Pct.  
Pittsburgh 77 54 588  
Chicago 75 60 556  
Cincinnati 74 60 552  
New York 73 61 545  
Boston 68 66 507  
St. Louis 63 72 467  
Brooklyn 61 72 458  
Philadelphia 43 89 326

**BACK IN MIDLAND.**

Mrs. A. Van Kampen has returned to Midland after spending the summer in Wisconsin, bringing with her, her neices, Patricia and Barbara Stevens, who will attend school here this year. Mr. Van Kampen made a trip to Wisconsin later in the summer, bringing his family back to Midland by automobile.

**FROM MARKET TRIP.**

Miss Iva Williams of the Modern shop has returned from a market trip to Dallas.

**TO AUSTIN.**

Misses Helen and Lorena Dunagan and Robert Dunagan have gone to Austin where they will enter the University of Texas. They were accompanied by their mother, Mrs. John Dunagan.

flowers of autumn to make vivid, long-to-be-remembered party decorations and accessories.

It is the time, too, to con over the pages of that notebook where you have pasted all the clippings of clever parties that you've read about during the past few months. You'll be surprised how many of them will be adapted to the entertainment of your special group just by making a few changes.

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