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WEST TEXAS: Scattered showers in southwest, warmer in north.

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30-DAY SHUTDOWN FOR TEXAS FIELDS ADVOCATED BY THOMPSON

No Word Yet From Fliers On Sea Hop

Ireland Reports No Messages Heard From Two Americans

DUBLIN, Aug. 12 (AP)—Ireland remained without word of the two American fliers, Alex Loeb and Dick Decker, today. It was estimated their fuel supply would last until 9 a. m. in their attempt to fly from St. Peter's, Nova Scotia, to Ireland. Weather was generally favorable and visibility excellent. The fliers lifted their heavily-loaded plane from the beach at Point Michaud, near the southern point of Cape Breton coast and just before their departure yesterday said they hoped to land in Eire. Their plane, while old, was said to be in good condition. Both pilots, said to be New Yorkers, spent several days getting their machine in shape but gave no intimation until ready for the takeoff that they planned to attempt to fly the Atlantic.

Lecture Schedule Being Planned for Town Hall Club

Speakers to appear here in the second-year lecture series of Midland Town Hall are now being considered by the club's program committee under leadership of Cary P. Butcher, chairman.

Lecturers now under consideration run a gamut of varied professions and interests from news commentator to FBI inspector, from explorer and author to scientist.

Vilhjalmur Stefansson, known as the "dean of American explorers," has been contracted for, officials have announced, but the date of his appearance has not been set.

Triply-noted as explorer, scientist, and writer, Stefansson needs little introduction to Midland audiences.

Among other lecturers regarded as possible selections for the year but not definitely contracted for are: Clarence Woodrow Sorenson, Fellow of the Royal Geographic Society, explorer, news commentator, magazine editor, and writer on Near Eastern topics;

Inspector W. H. Drane Lester of the Federal Bureau of Intelligence, assistant to J. Edgar Hoover;

Upton Close whose TIME magazine has called "The best informed man in America on Asiatic affairs;"

Dr. Gerald W. Wendt, head of the scientific exhibit of the New York World's Fair, former director of science of the Standard Oil Company, a practical scientist as well as an academic one;

As alternate, in case Sorenson is not available, Michael M. Dorizas, Greek geographer, traveler, lecturer, and athlete, who was a member of a boundary committee after the World War.

Expecting to fill their schedule with speakers who are outstanding in their various fields and anticipating an increase in membership, officials of Town Hall club look forward to the opening of a second successful year for the organization.

Dues are five dollars a year for each member. Applications for membership will be received at any time by Fred Wemple, membership chairman, or other club officials or any club member.

Pilot, Passenger Parachute to Safety

LANGLEY FIELD, Va. Aug. 12 (AP)—An army plane crashed today near Fort Eustis, several miles from here, during a routine flight. The pilot and a passenger parachuted down but it was not learned immediately whether they escaped injury.

It was the second crack-up and burning of a Langley Field plane in 24 hours.

No Fishing Sign Is Erected After Rain at Monahans

MONAHANS, Aug. 12.—Maybe they were just being facetious or maybe they meant it—those merchants who put up "No Fishing" signs in front of their places of business the early part of the week following the series of afternoon and evening rains we were having at that time.

Of course all the local people understood it but it might have been a help to visitors—and it might have given an idea to city and county officials.

Anyway Boyd Anthony has a small fish which he claims he caught at Red Bluff Lake but others say he caught it at Central Drug Lake.

Lollypop Licks Lick Death



Lollypop helps keep Donald Martin, Jr., of San Francisco awake—and alive. Candy was one of many implements used to prevent little Donald from falling asleep during eight-hour period after he had swallowed 10 sleeping tablets. Sleep during that time would have been permanent.

Revenue From West Texas Oil to Be Cut \$2,000,000 in Each Month

BY JOHN B. BREWER

SAN ANGELO, Aug. 12.—Revenue from oil in West Texas will be reduced approximately \$71,298 daily or \$2,138,940 during a 30-day month by a cut in the price of crude of 20 cents per barrel in West Texas and of 23 cents per barrel in West Central Texas posted by Humble Oil & Refining Co., effective at 7 o'clock yesterday morning.

This is conditioned upon the drastic slash becoming general, which was expected since Humble is the largest purchaser, as well as the largest producer, in the region, and it is expected other buyers would follow its lead.

The figures on reduced revenue represent application of the amount of the reductions to daily average production of 319,000 barrels daily in West Texas and 32,600 barrels daily in West Central Texas during the week ending Aug. 5.

Humble was the first major purchaser in Texas to meet the lower schedules announced Wednesday by Sinclair-Prairie Oil Co. Its cuts, general in Texas, ranged from five to 32 cents a barrel.

Hardest hit will be producers that are not purchasers also, and royalty owners, one of the largest of which in West Texas is the University of Texas. Prices ranging from 43 cents for crude below 26 gravity to 67 cents for crude of 36 gravity and above will wipe out the profits of independents and will retard drilling, it was declared.

Shocked by the severity of the price reduction, some oil men were critical of Sunday shutdowns and other methods used in Texas in efforts to hold production within market demand while wells in some states, notably Illinois, have not been restricted. Imports and excessive runs of crude from storage to refineries still were held to be the factors contributing most to the break in the market. Fear was expressed in some quarters that the crisis may add weight to arguments for federal control of the oil industry, to which opposition among oil men appears general.

East Texas Change Looks

The Associated Press reported last night that there were rumors the Texas Railroad Commission might drastically alter the East Texas field prororation formula.

Three federal judges in San Antonio, Tex., yesterday said the Humble company was entitled to a 44 per cent increase in its East Texas production.

Commenting on the situation, Chairman Smith of the Texas regulatory body said:

"A substantial increase in production or a general price cut would be bad. Together they would be doubly bad."

Smith said the whole East Texas prororation question would be opened at a hearing in Austin, Tex., next week.

"We probably will complete the hearing in one day and can issue some sort of an order the following day if we think it advisable. Meantime no one can forecast what

may take place."

Could Shut It Down

Smith admitted the Texas body had the power to shut down the East Texas field, temporarily, but added "I don't know about that."

The Humble company's new postings by fields follows:

West Central Texas: (Includes crudes purchased in Brown, Callahan, Coleman, Comanche, Eastland, Fisher, Haskell, Jones, Shackelford, Stephens, Throckmorton and Young counties: 40 cents for 24-24.9 gravity with a two-cent increase for each degree of gravity to a top price of 80 cents a barrel for 40 and above gravity. This is 23 cents a barrel reduction.

W. T.-N. M. Top 75 Cents

Panhandle sweet crude: 52 cents for 28-28.9 gravity and a two-cent increase for each degree of gravity to top price of 76 cents for 40 and above gravity. This is a cut of 20 cents a barrel.

Panhandle sour crude: 47 cents for 28-28.9 gravity with a two-cent increase for each degree of gravity to a top of 71 cents a barrel for 40 and above gravity. This is a cut of 20 cents a barrel.

West Texas and New Mexico: (Includes crudes purchased in Andrews, Crane, Crockett, Ector, Gaines, Glasscock, Howard, Reagan, Upton, Winkler and Yoakum counties: Texas, and Lea county, New Mexico) 41 cents for 23-23.9 gravity with a two-cent increase for each degree of gravity on a top price of 75 cents for 40 and above gravity. The cut ranges from 18 to 20 cents a barrel.

Social Leader Is Near Death After Suitor Shoots Her

SMITHTOWN BRANCH, N. Y. Aug. 12 (AP)—A socially prominent divorcee, Mrs. Elizabeth Grove Caldwell-Caroly of Dela Field Farm, Noroton, Conn., was shot and critically wounded after a house party on the fashionable Long Island North Shore today by a man state police lieutenant Charles LaForge described as a "jealous admirer."

LaForge identified the man as Lawrence Sprague, 30, stepson of Dr. Shirley E. Sprague, New York. The shooting occurred at the summer home of Mrs. Madeleine Waterman Higgins. The assailant fired three shots at the woman, wounded a state trooper who tried to save her, then fired four bullets into his own heart.

Hitler and Adies Talk Of Danzig

New Statement Is Expected Soon on European Crisis

By Associated Press

Adolf Hitler discussed the future course of action for the Rome-Berlin axis in tense Europe in a lengthy meeting with German and Italian foreign ministers yesterday, and German sources said the subject would receive further attention today because of its "complexity."

No announcement came from the conference but there was no doubt Danzig was the prime topic. In Rome, however, authoritative Italians indicated Hitler and Mussolini would wait longer for the right moment to settle the Danzig dispute, which caused Poland to assert she wouldn't give up her rights there. The German press played up stories that Poles killed six Germans and wounded 21 others in recent raids.

Danzig leader of the nazis, Albert Forster, was in Germany, in easy reach of Hitler after declaring it was no business of France or Britain what Danzigers decide to do about their future.

Almost Inch of Rain Received In City Saturday

Rain totaling eight tenths of an inch fell in Midland Saturday afternoon during a downpour that lasted only about one hour. Streets were flooded with the swirling waters as the rain fell far too fast to be soaked up in soil already damp from showers that have fallen intermittently during the past two days.

The shower failed to reach more than a couple of miles west of town and only about four miles east of town. To the northwest, precipitation was reported up to ten miles.

Reports from Skanton indicated a light shower there while Big Spring reported no precipitation.

Heavy rains in Tatum and Hobbs, south to Cheyenne, were reported late Friday. A storm was reported at Denver City, new town in Yoakum county. Heavy rains fell all the way from Seminole to Hobbs.

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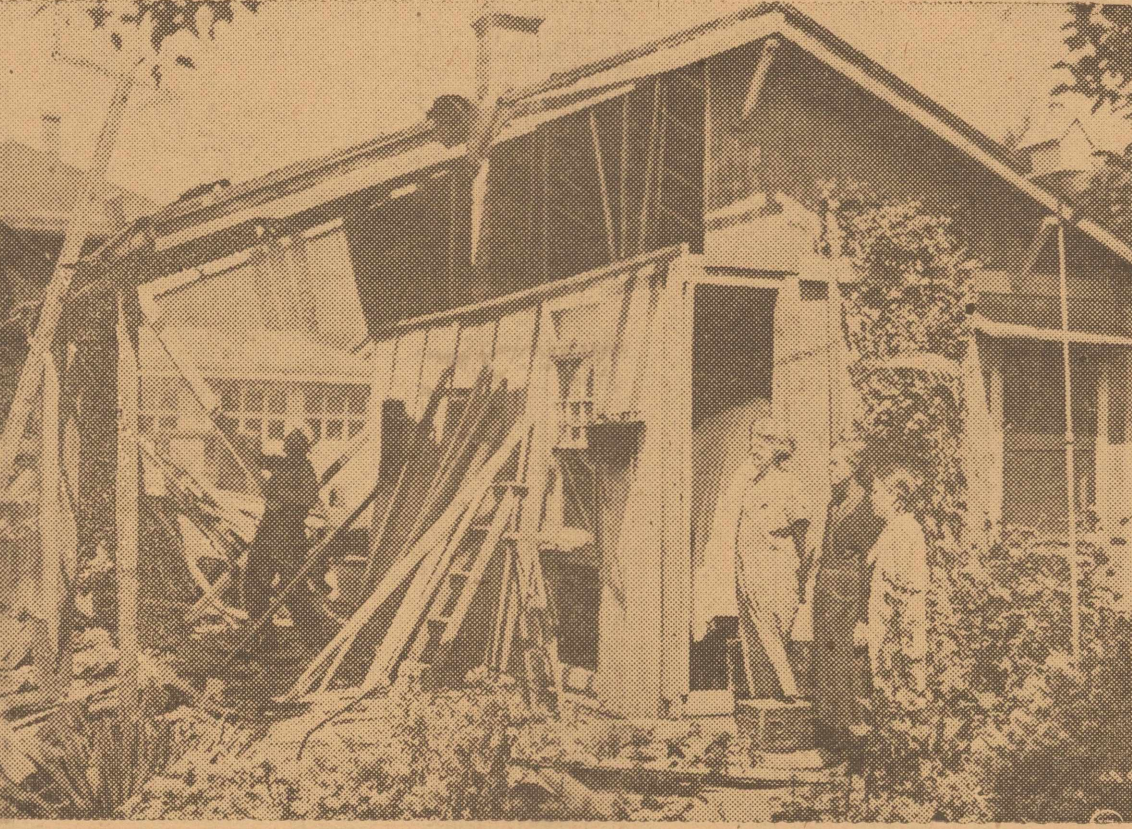
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Lake Pontchartrain, La., with a

It's Not a Tornado; It's the HOLC



It looks like a prank if a tornado—but, actually, this home wrecking is man made. While Mrs. Minnie Behning and daughters stand by helpless, workman tears half the house off Chicago house away. Reason: part of home stood on lot lost to Home Owners Loan Corporation on foreclosure.

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Price Slash Of Companies Is Scored

Thompson, Sadler Favor Shutdown of All State Fields

AUSTIN, Aug. 12 (AP)—A thirty day shutdown of Texas oil fields was considered tonight by the railroad commission as a storm of protests developed to the late crude price cuts.

Commissioners Thompson and Sadler advocated the shutdown and left for Houston to confer with the third member, Lon Smith. They took the shutdown order with them, Thompson predicting it would be issued.

Thompson has called a meeting of the interstate compact commission Tuesday in Oklahoma City.

AUSTIN, Aug. 12 (AP)—Ernest O. Thompson, chairman of the interstate oil compact commission, today urged Governor O'Daniel to call a special session of the legislature to levy five cents a barrel additional tax on oil for social security financing.

He also announced advocacy of a 30-day shutdown of all Texas fields.

The Thompson letter to the governor was the outgrowth of a long conference with the number one objective of purchasing companies pay for oil.

Commissioner Jerry Sadler said he favored higher oil taxes.

Eddy Gene Cole to Represent Midland At Casa Manana

Miss Eddy Gene Cole, daughter of Mrs. Frank Williamson, will be introduced as "Miss Midland" from the stage of Fort Worth's Casa Manana next Wednesday evening, Midland Day, it was announced Saturday by chamber of commerce officials.

Miss Cole, who has represented Midland at various celebrations over West Texas during the past two years, will be adorned in typical cowgirl regalia as a means of further publicizing the annual Midland Rodeo, Sept. 2-3-4.

Other members of the Midland delegation to Fort Worth Wednesday will also wear cowboy clothes, exploiting of the Midland rodeo being the number one objective of the group. Efforts are being made by the chamber of commerce and the rodeo committee to line up as many local citizens as is possible to make the trip. Approximately 15 persons had made reservations yesterday afternoon.

Those who can and will be in Fort Worth Wednesday are requested to call the chamber of commerce, No. 39, Monday morning in order that reservations may be made Monday afternoon. It has been pointed out by rodeo officials that Midland Day offers an excellent opportunity for the publicizing of the rodeo as well as for seeing the greatest and most enjoyable show ever staged at Casa Manana.

Building Permits In City Amount to \$11,900 for Week

Five building permits totaling \$11,910 were issued in the city during the past week, bringing the total for the year to \$455,245, it was reported Saturday by Frank Prothro, city building inspector.

Permits issued during the week were as follows:

A. C. Woods, addition to building, 419 S. Main, \$500. M. I. Tarrant, dwelling, 1406 W. Texas, \$3,750. D. A. Pass, dwelling repairs, 907 W. Missouri, \$1000. H. L. Harrison, dwelling, 800 N. Big Spring, \$3160. Jno. M. Rush, dwelling, 404 W. Holmsley, \$3500.

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South Yoakum Gains the Attention of Operators

BY FRANK GARDNER.

Oil developments at the week-end were featured by activity on the east side of the Denver pool in southern Yoakum, Texas' second largest oil field.

Aloco Oil Company No. 1 Carter Wilder, link well between the Denver and Bennett pools which narrows to two miles the gap in production, flowed at the rate of 125 barrels of oil per day naturally from lime pay between 4,610 and 5,175 feet, the total depth. Operators have filed application to acidize the well with a total of 10,000 gallons.

Aloco No. 1 E. H. West offset to the firm's No. 1 Mary Jordan, which recently marked a one and one-half mile east extension of Denver production, flowed a rated 800.40 barrels of 34.3-gravity oil on 24-hour production test, with gas-oil in the ratio of 412-1. Lime pay between 4,900 and 5,200 feet, the total depth, received treatment with an aggregate of 9,500 gallons of acid.

An east-side Denver test, Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company No. 3-A R. M. Kendrick, is drilling below 5,000 feet in lime. Cable tools replaced rotary at 5,000 feet. Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 4 Kendrick is drilling at 500 feet in red rock, while the company's No. 1-867 Kendrick had reached 4,755 in lime.

In southeastern Yoakum's Bennett pool, Aloco No. 1-B Bennett established 24-hour potential of 199.80 barrels of 33.1-gravity crude following 300-quart nitro shot and 8,000 gallons of acid at 5,260 feet in lime. Magnolia No. 8 Bennett, bottomed at 5,243 in lime, is running tubing to acidize.

The closely-watched Cedar Lake area wildcat in northeastern Gaines, Stanolind Oil and Gas Company No. 1 Jeanette B. Rayner, last was reported coming out with core at 4,629 feet in gray lime. The core

Dorothy Dublin to Receive Treatment In El Paso Clinic

BIG SPRING, Aug. 12 (AP)—Miss Dorothy Dublin, stricken with infantile paralysis July 18, tonight rode by train in her "iron lung" to El Paso for treatment.

Accompanied by a nurse and an electrical worker who will supervise operation of her artificial respirator, the young bank employe was placed on a passenger train early last night.

Chicago Mayor Says Roosevelt Must Be Third Term Choice

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 12 (AP).—Mayor Edward J. Kelly, Chicago, today demanded President Roosevelt run for a third term.

Before the national convention of Young Democrat clubs of America that cheered his words, Kelly said he believed a third term was sentiment of the convention. He recalled Roosevelt's word he had enlisted for the duration of "social struggle."

Land Valuations Are Hiked by Red Bluff

MONAHANS, Aug. 12.—The Red Bluff board of equalization hiked the valuations on south Ward county lands in the Red Bluff area last week and as a result Grandfalls farmers will pay about \$12,000 more in taxes this year than last year, unless something is done to reestablish the status quo.

This is a violation of the master contract under which the district was organized, according to those affected by the change, and an effort to have the order rescinded and another equalization board appointed is expected.

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Mobilization, in 1914 and in 1939

The general mobilization that is taking place in Europe today is another evidence of how the world has changed since 1914.

In those primitive days, general mobilization was everywhere considered the next thing to war itself. It was only after the Russians mobilized that war became inevitable.

Today, or sometime before the end of the month, Europe will have eight million men standing to arms. They call it maneuvers, but it is nothing less than general mobilization.

Yet war is by no means certain. It may happen, and there are private tips circulating to the effect that the end of August will also see the beginning of the end of civilization, that is, war.

But it is by no means certain. We are in the midst of a period of "white war," a new technique whereby nations try to wear down the nerves of one another by constant and continuing threat of war.

Nobody wants war—that is, the German people don't want it, the French people don't want it, the British, Polish, Italian and Russian peoples don't want it.

It worked a year ago. Today it is by no means certain. The Poles have shown no sign of nerves as yet. The "Allies" are far better prepared than a year ago.

More and more clearly the game is revealed as a naked show of power for the most grossly material ends. Nobody even talks of "right" and "wrong" in Europe any more.

Should all this reckless and child-like playing with fire result in a spreading conflagration this autumn, the United States will have need of every bit of coolness and sanity it can muster.

Court Without Flag Worries 6 New Citizens

PHILADELPHIA, (U.P.)—Federal Judge Harry E. Kalodner was embarrassed when six persons who had just received their citizenship papers offered to buy an American flag for the courtroom.

The six "new-born" Americans—three Italians, two Czechs and one Russian—had noticed that the courtroom was without a flag and told Judge Kalodner:

"We are so happy to become Americans that we thought Your Honor wouldn't mind if we put a little money together to buy a flag for your courtroom."

Judge Kalodner replied: "This is a fine gesture on your part. But I must say I hardly feel it is proper for a rich nation to allow you to spend your money for something it should buy."

"I thank you deeply, but please keep your money. I am sure you are going to prove true and valuable Americans."

The judge immediately summoned a court aide and ordered him to purchase a flag.

BRILLIANT WOMAN

Word puzzle section with crossword clues and answers. Includes 'Answer to Previous Puzzle' and 'Horizontal' clues.

Large crossword puzzle grid with numbers 1-58.

BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

By BRUCE CATTON Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON.—Before next year's presidential campaign gets much closer, some very definite and earnest efforts to woo the support of the negro voter will get under way.

In the last two presidential elections, Roosevelt got the bulk of the northern negro vote. He was the first democratic candidate ever to do this, and it was no small factor in his victory.

Best judgment among negro leaders here is that, in most parts of the north and the middle west, the colored vote was not taken away from the Republicans for keeps—that Roosevelt got it as an individual and not as a Democrat.

All of which means that the scramble will be on very shortly. As a matter of fact, the merits of Vice President John N. Garner are already being presented to the negro.

Garner sold as 'LIBERAL'—The article goes on to say that Garner "has definitely expressed himself as opposed to the Texas 'white primary' but adds that the vice president feels nothing can be done about it until the Supreme Court changes the opinion which it handed down last time an attack on that law came before it.

High Ceilings Said Not Any Cooler—COLLEGE STATION.—Old-fashioned ideas that high ceilings are cooler than low ones are becoming as obsolete as button shoes and bustles, popular in the same era.

Rooms with high ceilings are harder to heat and therefore more expensive in winter as well as being without advantage in the summer time, Mrs. Bernice Claytor added.

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Texas Today

By WILLIAM E. KEYS Associated Press Staff

It is a long journey but the Texas highway department, aided by willing women and youths, has made giant strides in beautifying the states network of 22,000 miles of roadways.

They can look back on six years work and visualize 440,000 trees, more than 1,000,000 shrubs and 80 tons of wildflower seed planted along what was once 500 miles—scattered throughout the commonwealth—of more or less unsightly right-of-way.

It began with the creation of the highway department. Before that there was need only for strict utility because narrow right-of-way left room for nothing else.

Heavy earth cuts which formerly made unsightly scars now are reshaped into smooth form and covered with a vegetative mat for utility and beauty.

Because of Texas' vastness and varieties of climates, soils and natural conditions, different areas require different treatment.

In East Texas with an average rainfall of 35 to 50 inches a year a big variety of vegetation, especially flowering shrubs, is available.

In Central Texas with a more limited rainfall and quite distinctive soils the landscape division utilizes agave, mountain laurel, suns, red bud, flowering willow, live oak and Spanish oak.

In West Texas the selection shifts to senita, ocotillo, salt cedar, retama, huisache, Spanish daggers and other specimens of semi-arid vegetation.

Fertile soils, but limited rainfall and severe frosts, present a problem in the Panhandle. There one finds flowering willow, salt cedar, hardy evergreens, elms and honey locusts predominating.

They may not suspect it, but tree and shrub bordered highways make motorists drive more safely. This has been proved by experiment and observation, and a dash of optical illusion.

Coasting down a long, hill at a good clip, the chances are a motorist will check speed on observing far below thick growth on both

Rainey Will Speak At College of Mines

EL PASO.—Dr. Homer P. Rainey, president, and Dr. J. G. Umstad, professor of secondary education, of The University of Texas, will be speakers at the Fourth Annual Southwestern Educational Conference sponsored by the El Paso Public Schools and the College of Mines and Metallurgy, a branch of The University of Texas.

The conference will be held September 22-23. Other speakers will include Dr. Otto Struve, director of McDonald Observatory; and Dr. F. M. Kercheville, chairman of the department of modern languages of the University of New Mexico.

Fate Deadly on Block

NEW ORLEANS (U.P.)—Strange fate is working in the 2,400-block of Columbus St. Four residents of the block have met violent death in the past 13 months. The others are thinking about changing their house numbers or moving.

Elks Thrive in Oregon

SALEM, Ore. (U.P.)—Elks of the forest variety have increased in Oregon from 3,441 in 1934 to 16,702 according to the latest statistics. The annual kill averages only 698.

That is only one form of utility served by better looking right-of-way. Aside from preventing soil erosion by water, landscaping has become a valuable agent for stopping soil loss by wind in the Panhandle.

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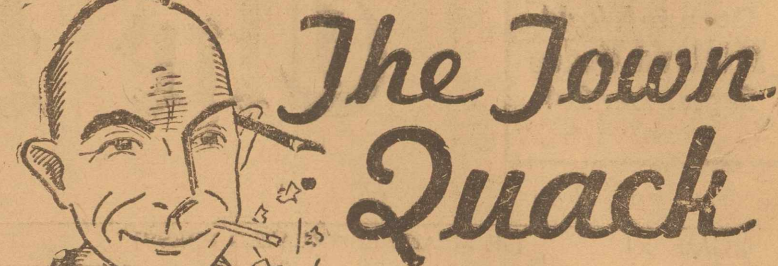
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New Zealand, which is the safest place in the world for an infant to be born and brought up. Far from being lumbering, with eight tentacles, the octopus is one of the swiftest things in water.

Here is an old story someone has sent in: An old county boy went bear hunting and he was telling of his experiences when he got back home.

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MIDLAND BUILDING ACTIVITIES

Neighborhood Risks Are Measured by FHA Plan

Before the Federal Housing Administration established its present method of measuring mortgage risk, one of the major factors influencing the value of residential properties—the risk inherent in neighborhood deterioration—had been ignored to a very great extent, FHA officials say.

Experience shows that poorly planned neighborhoods depreciate and disintegrate at a faster rate than houses, and FHA officials state it is easier to rate an established neighborhood than a new and undeveloped one. This is due to the fact that the conditions surrounding an established neighborhood are clearly evident, whereas those

which will affect an undeveloped area must to a great extent be assumed.

No mortgage loans are insured by the FHA in new or undeveloped areas until the location has been carefully analyzed.

Included in this analysis are such matters as suitability of the site from the standpoint of topography, soil and transportation; accessibility of schools and shopping and recreational areas; suitability of utilities and street improvements; adequacy of such protective measures as zoning and restrictive covenants; and the suitability of the subdivision plan.

Local Shopping Center Is Now a Fixed Feature

The local shopping center has become a vital and integral part of thousands of subdivisions during the past decade, but the size of these areas should be carefully controlled, in the opinion of Federal Housing Administration officials.

Shopping areas should be concentrated and not spread out, according to suggestions from the FHA. Designation of a larger commercial center than the community requires results not only in a loss of income from the vacant property but also reduces the space available for residential purposes.

In addition, it is pointed out, if all areas along the main arteries are designated as business and industrial properties, as is the practice in many communities, these

arteries become blighted areas unsuitable to residential use.

Because many zoning ordinances dedicate too large a proportion of the land zoned to business and industrial purposes, developers of new subdivisions are urged to guard against the overestimating of the need for business property.

A further safeguard against the encroachment of business property into protective covenants. Zoning ordinances can be changed readily, and the subdivision that depends on such an ordinance for protection may find that a change in zoning allowances would permit the establishment of a commercial area in a neighborhood that would adversely affect the entire subdivision.

Insured Mortgage System Influences Economic Life

The Federal Housing Administration Insured Mortgage System, together with the vast amount of construction it has generated, has wielded considerable influence on the nation's economic life, Administrator Stewart McDonald declared.

For the builder it furnishes credit on the most favorable terms obtainable and provides a market for his product, Mr. McDonald pointed out, and at the same time it has permitted thousands of families to own carefully purchased and better built homes at a purchase price and on terms they can afford.

"For lending institutions it provides an insured and profitable outlet for credit," Mr. McDonald continued. "It assures them of liquidity and a condition much more wholesome than that which pre-

valued under the practices of the old system of mortgage lending.

"The building industry has felt keenly the effects of the several billions of dollars of primary construction which has been created through FHA operations, to say nothing of the large amounts spent in modernization. Through the favorable terms for refinancing older properties, realtors are afforded a wide market for this type of merchandise. These are direct benefits, but the entire nation has felt the indirect benefits of this huge turnover in business."

Questions and Answers

Q. Is it wise to build a house with an unusual plan?

A. A plan which would appeal to a great number of people results in a house which is more salable than an unusual one adapted to the peculiar desires or whims of an individual family. In general, a house of simple plan, having rooms of desirable proportions and a convenient and logical arrangement, will be a sounder and more lasting investment than one of the complicated arrangement or odd-shaped rooms which might not be in accordance with the likes and needs of most families.

Q. What should be considered in the selection of an efficient heating system?

A. The type of system chosen will depend upon (1) adequate capacity in relation to the severity of the climate; (2) the type of house and its effects upon the heat-distribution system; (3) plan layout affecting the location of the equipment; (4) the quality of the construction of the house; (5) the degree of convenience and comfort demanded; (6) and the fuel to be burned.

Q. In order to help pay for the house I am planning, would it be feasible for me to have an apartment over the garage that would be rented?

A. Rental apartments over garages and similar arrangements rarely enhance the value of a property and then only temporarily. On the contrary, they usually cause it to decline in value when viewed over a long period of time.

Q. Should the planting around a house be planned?

A. Planting should be designed to afford an attractive setting for the building. Much of its effect may be lost if the planting is scattered or placed in a haphazard manner.

Five-Room Houses Found in Majority

Almost half of the new homes accepted for Federal Housing Administration insurance in 1938 were five-room houses, it is shown in a report of FHA activities for the year.

Other interesting construction trends revealed in the report were: Four out of five new homes securing FHA-insured mortgages had garages.

Three in 10 properties had garages of two or more car capacity. Over nine-tenths of the new homes contained four to six rooms, and less than 1 per cent had more than eight rooms.

The average new single-family home accepted for insurance was valued at \$5,530 and was built on land valued at \$785.

On two-fifths of the new homes wood was used as the material of exterior construction.

Brick homes accounted for three-tenths of the new-home total, most of which were brick veneer.

Stucco, singly or in its several combinations, constituted the third most important exterior material with a total of one-fifth of all new homes.

"Small Towns" Lead in Home Mortgages

Of the 150,000 mortgages accepted for insurance in 1938 by the Federal Housing Administration, slightly over 40 per cent were in cities of 100,000 or more population, while the remainder were about evenly divided between the environs of these larger cities and the smaller cities, towns, and rural areas located elsewhere. About 7 per cent of the total were in towns of less than 2,500 population that were also outside of the 96 metropolitan areas.

"90% Mortgages" Term Is Being Widely Used

"Ninety per cent mortgages" have come almost universally into the vocabulary of builders, mortgage lenders, and the home-buying public, according to Federal Housing Administration officials.

When the 90 per cent feature was incorporated into the Federal Housing Administration's home-mortgage insurance operations in 1938 the immediate effect was to bring into the housing market large numbers of families which met other qualifications but lacked ready cash amounting to 20 per cent of the value of the house they wished to occupy, FHA officials said. There were many families in this classification due to wide-spread losses in savings during the depression, they pointed out.

In the aggregate, however, installment credit to families with small and medium incomes has proved to have exceptional investment qualities, FHA officials say. The moral and practical risks have been shown by the records to be no greater than those involved in loans to families with large incomes or to many classes of corporations.

The 90 per cent mortgage loan has appeared radical largely because of the almost exclusive attention given to the salvage theory—the theory which formerly regarded the collateral as more important than the borrower.

Average Buyer Had Income of \$3,069 in 1938

The average borrower in 1938 under the Federal Housing Administration plan of home-mortgage insurance had an annual income of \$3,069 and bought a property valued at \$5,447, or 1.8 times his income.

In the same year the net monthly mortgage payment (which covers interest, principal and mortgage insurance) of the average FHA-plan borrower was \$29.72, or 11.6 per cent of his monthly income.

FHA Procedure Outlined by Head

The Federal Housing Administration, in considering applications for insurance on small-home mortgages, uses the following procedure:

All applications for insurance of small-home mortgages are received in FHA insuring offices throughout the country from lending institutions, not from the individual borrower. The first selection, therefore, is made by the lending institution itself. Most of these institutions have been originating mortgage loans for a long time and can eliminate many of the unqualified applications.

In those cases where it decides to proceed, the lending institution submits the application to FHA with an appraisal fee. If the loan is obviously ineligible for insurance, the lending institution is notified and the appraisal fee and application returned without further examination.

If the case passes preliminary examination, it is routed through the FHA Underwriting Department, where the property is appraised, the credit of the borrower analyzed, and the terms of the mortgage scrutinized to learn whether it is a reasonable insurance risk.

Provided the mortgage meets all the required tests, a commitment is issued to the mortgagee to insure it. When executed in accordance with the terms of the commitment and presented to the FHA insuring office, the mortgage is endorsed for insurance and the first annual insurance premium collected.

Collections From HOLC Borrowers Sets New Record

WASHINGTON, Aug. 12.—Collections from borrowers and sales of homes by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation set an all-time record during the first six months of 1939 and closed a fiscal year which showed the Corporation making decisive progress in its dual functions of rehabilitating distressed home owners and liquidating the properties it has been forced to acquire, officials declared today.

"If this old system of mortgage lending has been revolutionized, let it be added that, more important, it has also been humanized. There is now provided a broad and safe outlet for loan funds."

"The building industry has felt keenly the effects of the several billions of dollars of primary construction which has been created through FHA operations, to say nothing of the large amounts spent in modernization. Through the favorable terms for refinancing older properties, realtors are afforded a wide market for this type of merchandise. These are direct benefits, but the entire nation has felt the indirect benefits of this huge turnover in business."

The sale of homes was still more significant, as a barometer of business conditions and recovery in the real estate market, Mr. Jones reported. A record sale of 4,638 homes in June brought the cumulative total by the Corporation to a figure of 55,303. During the fiscal year, the Corporation disposed of 37,771 properties, as compared to 17,532 sold prior to June 30, 1938. Approximately 20,700 sales were made in the last six months of 1939.

"Borrowers of the Corporation have paid back approximately \$615,000,000 of their principal indebtedness," said Mr. Jones. "More than 84 per cent of our active accounts are in satisfactory condition—current or less than three months in arrears, or in a liquidating class, which means such borrowers are meeting all current bills and making regular monthly payments on their arrearages."

"About 726,000 of our borrowers—all of whom were facing the loss of their homes a few years ago—now are clearly on their way to home ownership or already have paid up their accounts in full. More than 125,000 others have kept their accounts open for a period ranging from three to six years and the great majority will 'come through.'"

"Congress gave the Corporation a double job—rehabilitating home owners and liquidating the losses inevitable in foreclosures. Both are being met. As was to be expected, the Corporation has sustained capital losses on the properties it has acquired and sold, but not because it has failed to retrieve the money represented in the loans it made. The loss of principal and interest incurred in extending leniency to borrowers who failed to rehabilitate themselves, large tax delinquencies, the costs of foreclosure and of reconditioning properties which deteriorated over a period of years, are written into our capital losses."

"We still have more than 87,000 properties on our books. The great majority are rented, awaiting sale. Most of the rest are being repaired and remodeled to make them attractive to the home seeking public. We are making sales as fast as the market warrants. The fact that we have been disposing of properties at the rate of more than 4,000 a month recently, without affecting the stability of that market, speaks well for business conditions throughout the country. If our figures on both collections and sales can be taken as a barometer, they are considerably better than in the best period of 1937."

Corn Meal 500 Years Old Found by Party

LUBBOCK (AP)—Corn meal 500 years old was among the ancient commodities discovered by a Texas Technological College archaeological research group at Arrowhead ruin near Goriotta, N. M., in a recent field trip.

Headed by Dr. W. C. Holden, dean of anthropological research, field students have for the past four seasons been excavating on a site of 42 rooms and a Kiva. Work for this year included 15 rooms, a passageway, and four trenches.

Restoration work consisted of capping the walls uncovered with stone masonry set in concrete. A portion of the inside patio was uncovered and disclosed several corn grinding bins and fire pits. Matates and manos were found in and around the grinding bins where the corn meal was found.

Students found many pieces of pottery, some of which will be fully restored. In one room a fireplace was found with broken cooking utensils underneath. Other objects included arrow shaft polishers, flint awls, grinding implements, projec-

tile points, portions of pipes, and prayer sticks.

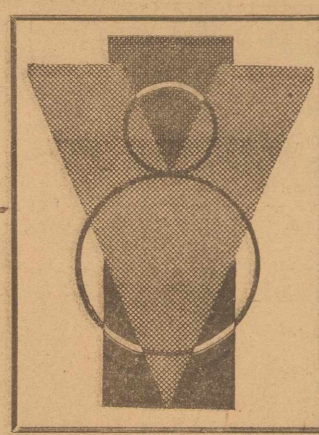
Findings have not been catalogued, but they are now in the West Texas museum being classified. Detailed report of the expedition is being prepared, after which the archaeology department will tabulate catalogue and photograph the relics.

Lee Dugger, truck farmer and gardener at McKinney, exhibited an ear of pop corn on which several grains had popped during the 100- and more degrees hot spell in late July. He said it was the first time his corn had popped on the stalk.

Yucca Today Through Tuesday



A new acting team to thrill the movie world—Robert Taylor and Hedy Lamarr in a gripping, sensuous drama laid against a background of the exotic Far East. The exciting new screen lovers make their first appearance together in "Lady of the Tropics," now at the Yucca theatre, and it's heralded as the most perfect combination of outstanding screen personalities since the memorable Garbo-Gilbert co-starrers.

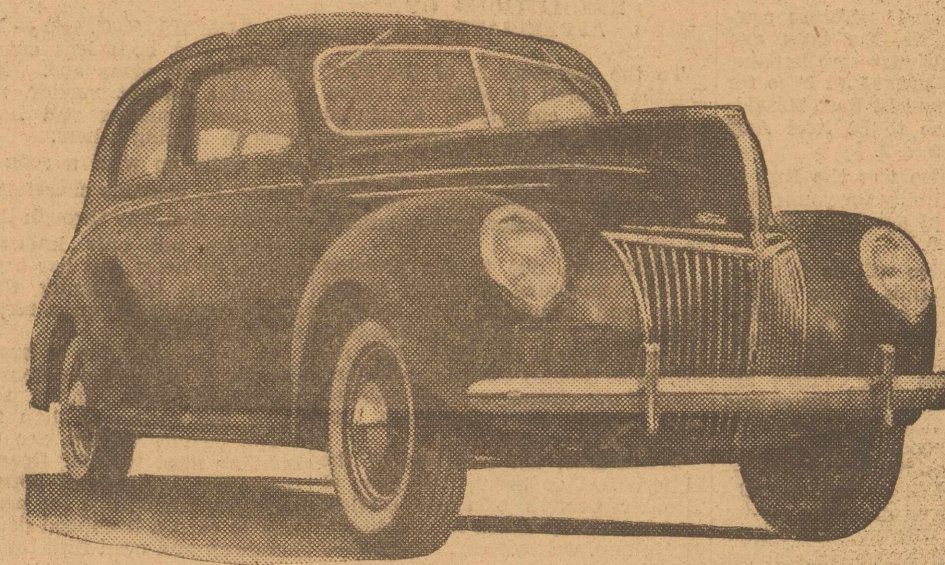


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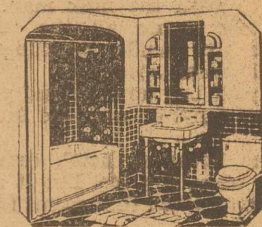
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STRASBOURG, France (UP)—This old capital of Alsace has found a solution for the problem of what to do with its old houses, especially those which are famous and beautiful. It tears them down and builds them again in a more appropriate atmosphere.

With heavy heart the municipal authorities before the pressing needs of modern traffic called the housebreaker in and ordered razed some of the city's most ancient buildings. To save them, Strasbourg ordered these houses set up again in one of its old quarters.

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Hints for Home Owners

Kitchen Fans.

Installation of a kitchen fan to remove cooking odors from the kitchen need not be either a difficult or an expensive thing to do, according to the Federal Housing Administration. There are now fans available that may be installed in the window. The installation does not require much labor, and the fan operates without interfering with the window.

"Second" Bathroom. The "second" bath in a small home is often a desirable thing, but it frequently offers a problem because of lack of space.

One possible solution is elimination of the tub and installation of a shower stall. A complete bathroom, with shower in place of tub, can be contained in a space as small as five feet square, with favorable window arrangement. The Mod-



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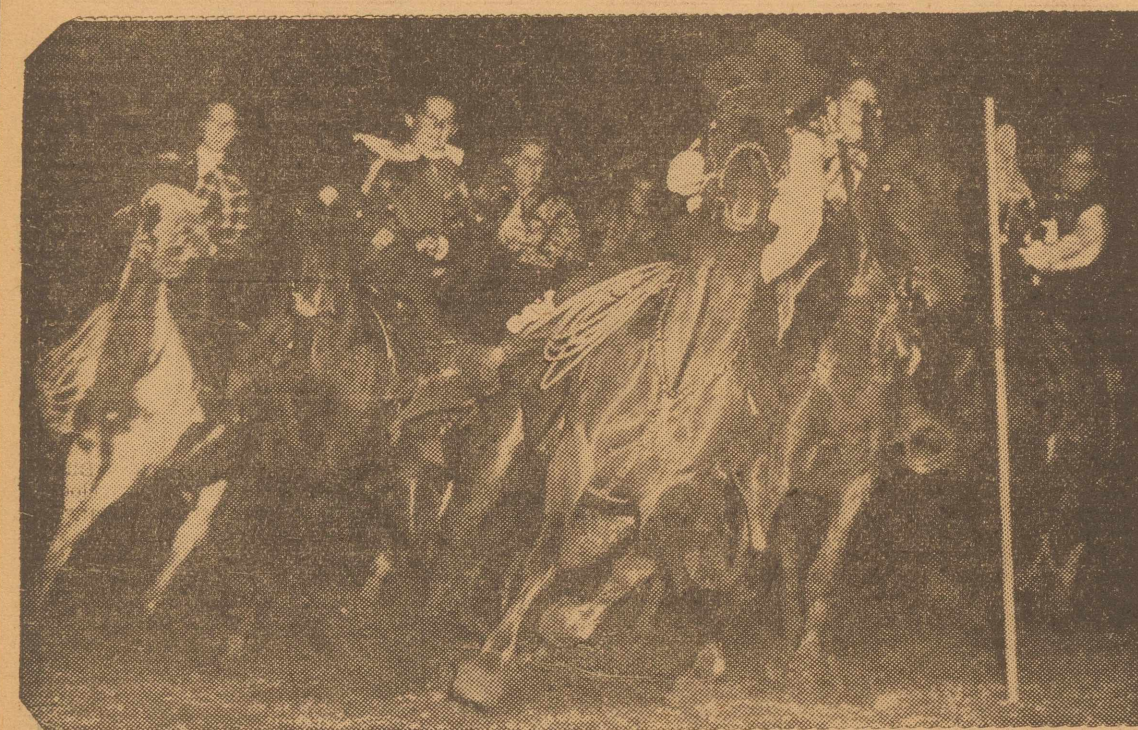
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Hooves thunder around the stake as youngsters race in the El Paso Herald-Post Kids Rodeo. The competition is keen in this, one of the most exciting events. Stake races will be held at each of the four performances this year with heat prizes and merchandise and cash awards for the finalists.

Record Field for El Paso Kids Rodeo Is Predicted by Officials

EL PASO, Aug. 11.—Future cowboys and cowgirls—the boys and girls of the Southwest—are heading their ponies toward El Paso for the seventh annual El Paso Herald-Post Kids Rodeo to be held Aug. 31 and Sept. 1 and 2.

The Kids Rodeo was the first in the world staged only for youngsters under 16 years of age, with all boys and girls invited.

The Kids Rodeo will be followed by the Range Hands Rodeo Sept. 3 and 4 for real cowboys. Professionals are barred from this show. Rodeo officials are planning the biggest show yet held. Prizes are higher. Programs spicier, faster and more thrilling. And there'll be plenty of fun for everybody.

Cash and merchandise prizes—boots, spurs and chaps, knives, racks and a hundred other items—for the Kid Rodeo will total more than \$1500. And the range hands will compete for \$1700 in cash.

In the Kid Rodeo there will be cash day money prizes, cash for stake race heat winners, cash and merchandise for first, second and third places in all major events. And big championship prizes for the best young cowboy and the best young cowgirl.

The program for the two rodeos includes a big square dance in Liberty Hall to which everyone is invited. Range costume and dances and melodies of the range will prevail.

Communities of the Southwest have been invited to enter their prettiest cowgirls in the contest for queen of the rodeos and a cash prize.

A covered grandstand is planned for Rodeo Field, and the rodeo arena is being put in first class condition for the big show.

Youngsters who wish to enter the Kids Rodeo should write the Kids Rodeo editor, El Paso Herald-Post for an entry blank. It costs nothing to enter.

We, The Women

BY RUTH MILLETT

EVERY summer a lot of girls follow the formula guaranteed to make a guest a pest. Then they wonder why they aren't invited back next year.

The formula is: Swipe all the boy friends of the daughter of the house, and accept invitations that don't include her.

Use the family bathroom for putting on make-up. Come in with the milk man. Absolutely ignore all the "old" people in the family, speaking to them only when spoken to.

Leave your bed unmade and your clothes scattered all over the furniture.

Use the house as hotel, coming to meals when you feel like it and staying away when that seems more convenient.

Poke fun at the towns people. Get all the girls in the town down on you.

Invite the crowd in to raid your hostess' icebox after the dance.

AVOID USING GOOD SENSE Be less particular about your reputation than you are at home. Come to breakfast without dressing, when all the family are dressed for the day.

Go sit on the porch after a meal, and let your hostess do the dishes alone. Then offer to do something hard like cutting roses for the dinner table.

Complain of the heat. Invite some of the town boys to come to see you later in the summer—and don't invite the hostess' daughter—who you are supposedly visiting.

Manage to convey the idea that visiting a small town is something of a mark for a city girl like you.

RESOLUTIONS OF APPRECIATION

To the Membership of the First Baptist Church of Midland, Texas. We, your committee, appointed to draft resolutions of appreciation for services rendered the church by Brother Claude O. Crane, as Sunday school superintendent, respectfully offer the following resolutions, to-wit:

WHEREAS, due to the pressing duties demanding so much of his time and requiring his absence from the city on so many Sundays, Brother Claude O. Crane has resigned as Sunday school superintendent of our church, and his resignation having been regretfully accepted, and

WHEREAS, the members of the church feel so keenly the loss of Brother Crane's excellent services and leadership which he has unselfishly and, we dare say, sacrificially, but cheerfully given during the past several years, and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the church that some permanent record be kept of its appreciation of Brother Crane's fine service as a memorial to him and to other faithful worker and members,

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF MIDLAND, TEXAS: 1. That the members of the same in accepting Brother Crane's resignation hereby express their loving appreciation to him for his fine service as Sunday school superintendent. Like Paul the Apostle, he was never disobedient to a "heavenly vision" and ever led us on, until today we are reaping a good harvest.

2. That we express heartfelt gratitude to our heavenly Father for making it possible for us to have such splendid leadership. No task was too big for Claude to undertake, no hour of the day or night found him too tired to go where needed, no place too lowly or great or far away, if at all possible, for him to enter and lend a helping hand. No teacher or worker ever called on him for advice or encouragement and found him wanting. These fine services and his successful leadership always being done cheerfully and gladly.

3. That we continue to pray for an encourage our Brother in the larger field of service to which he has gone, and commend him most sincerely to those whom he will serve as a faithful worker, capable of going well any task given him in the Lord's Kingdom.

4. That a copy of these resolutions be furnished Brother Crane, and a copy be entered upon the minutes of our church, and that a copy be furnished The Reporter-Telegram. Respectfully submitted this 9th day of August, A. D. 1939. Mrs. J. M. White Mrs. B. C. Girdley Mrs. J. C. Hudman

Approved by the church in conference, Wednesday Evening Aug. 9, 1939.

Law Punctures Dream Of Municipal Oil Riches

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich. (UP)—City officials thought they had the mark maintenance fund problem neatly solved until legal counsel reminded them of a State Supreme Court ruling.

The officials planned to drill for oil in a Grand Rapids park, not far from a producing well, and place the resulting proceeds in the park fund. But Assistant City Attorney Harold B. Corbin consulted his books and returned with the ruling: Property once dedicated for park purposes cannot be diverted to other uses.

Physical Education 212, and two semester hours credit will be given. Dr. D. K. Brace, Professor of Physical Education, will have supervisory charge of the course, assisted by a staff from the State Work Projects Administration Recreation Section. Miss Addie Mae Leigh, WPA state training consultant, Miss Frances Fox, Miss Cara E. Lehmann, and Miss Marguerite Bales, field supervisors of recreation, are on this staff, assisting Dr. Brace in planning and conducting the course. G. Ott Romney, of Washington, D. C., national director of the WPA recreation section, is expected to be in Texas for this institute.

A few of the topics scheduled for presentation are "Integration of Recreation in a Community via Communities' Councils and Boards," "Standards in Recreational Sports," "Systems of Municipal Government Under Which Recreation Department Function in Texas," "Channels of Public Information," "Recreational Arts and Crafts," "Playgrounds—Their Design and Equipment," and "The Planning of Recreation Structures."

Peanut Vendor Invited to Give Guest Sermons

COLUMBIA, S. C. (UP)—Michael Haigles had both legs cut off at the knees 36 years ago. But the Columbia peanut vendor, now 48, has found success and happiness through helping others.

"I wake up with a song in my mind," he explains cheerfully, "and continue that way through the day." Haigles not only knows many hymns by heart, but has become so devoted to Christianity that he sometimes delivers guest sermons in local churches.

"I don't have time to brood over my handicap," Haigles opines. "I'm really too busy trying to help those less fortunate than myself." The peanut vendor, one of Columbia's most familiar figures, says that "the kindness of both races" has been responsible for permitting him to earn a livelihood despite his handicap and even find time to assist others.

His legs were mangled when he was run over by a freight train at the age of 12.

Safety Expert Calls Roll of 'Ham' Drivers

CHICAGO. (UP)—The average driver may be classified as a "ham" according to J. Stannard Baker, traffic safety consultant of the National Safety Council. He should know, for he has conducted schools for driver-training examinations in 11 states.

Baker said a "ham" driver could be recognized by these traits: 1. He can't make up his mind as to what he wants to do soon enough and depends upon his ability to do it only when he has to.

2. He waits too long to get into the proper lane for turning. He does his slowing down after he gets into the intersection or on the turn rather than before.

3. He is oblivious to other traffic. He straddles lane lines as though he were the only driver on the road. In extreme cases he can be found on the left side of the highway. He is not an intentional roadhog, he simply drifts over unconsciously.

4. He zooms out of a parking position at the curb with no regard for traffic that may be coming from behind.

5. He makes a "good enough" turn signal. His hand dangles aimlessly from the window and following traffic doesn't know whether he's signaling a turn, flicking ashes from a cigarette, or waving at someone.

6. He turns around and talks to others in the car as he drives, instead of keeping his eyes on the road.

7. He is guilty of bad posture. He slouches behind the wheel, sticks his left elbow out the window.

8. He is a one-hand wheeler, and keeps the other hand resting in his lap, out the window, or busy holding a cigar, pipe or cigarette. He hasn't the control or leverage he needs in an emergency.

Baker said the "ham" driver wasn't vicious, merely thoughtless.

Church Services

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Sunday school. Claude O. Crane, superintendent.
10:55 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "A Great Victory."
6:45 p. m.—Training union. J. Boyd East, director.
8:00 p. m. Evening worship. The pastor will bring a message on "Playing with Temptation."

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.
9:45 a. m.—Church school.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon by Rev. Newton Starnes of Big Spring.
7:00 p. m. Intermediate League at the church. Senior League at the annex.
8:00 p. m.—Evening service. Ray Gwyn will speak on the subject, "A New Generation Views Religion."
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
John E. Pickering, Pastor
H. G. Bedford, Superintendent of Bible School.
Mrs. M. A. Park, Director of Music
Mrs. Lee Cornelius, Church Pianist
9:45 a. m. Bible school.
10:50 a. m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on the subject, "Christ, the Lord of Our Life."
6:00 p. m. Union vesper services with Rev. Raymond Partlow, Presbyterian bringing the message.
(The vesper service is a union one, combining the congregations of the Presbyterian and First Christian churches.)

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.
W. J. Coleman, Minister in Charge
9:45 a. m.—Church school. Good departments and efficient teachers for every grade.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship. Rev. Raymond Partlow of Lubbock will preach in the absence of the pastor.
6:00 p. m. Union vesper services at the First Christian church. Mr. Partlow will preach the vesper sermon.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES.
"Soul" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, August 13. The Golden Text is: "The Lord is my portion, saith my soul; therefore will I hope in him" (Lamentations 3:24). Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "Sell that ye have, and give alms; provide yourselves bags which wax not old, a treasure in the heavens that faileth not, where no thief approacheth, neither moth corrupteth. For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also" (Luke 12:33, 34).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Metaphysics resolves things into thoughts, and exchanges the objects of sense for the ideas of Soul" (page 269).

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God wrought? Then you will be a believer that will say with one regard from behind.
10:00 a. m. Bible study.
11:00 a. m. Preaching.
7:15 p. m. Young People's Bible study.
3:00 p. m. Tuesday—Women's Bible class.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting and Bible study.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST.
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Lord's Day services at 10:30 a. m. and 8:15 p. m.

TRINITY CHAPEL EPISCOPAL.
Oliver C. Cox, Minister in Charge
First Sunday in month—Holy Communion at 7:45 o'clock in the morning.
Third Sunday in month—Morn-

ing prayer at 11 o'clock. There will be no Sunday school during the summer months and no Lay Reader's services.
GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH.
T. H. Gaalman, Pastor.
Services are held every second and fourth Sunday at the Midland Seventh-Day Adventist church, West Pennsylvania and Loraine streets, at 2 p. m.
The public is cordially invited.

MEN'S CLASS.
The Men's class meets every Sunday morning at 9:45 o'clock in the Crystal ballroom of the Hotel Scharbauer. It is a non-denominational class and every man who does not attend services elsewhere is cordially invited to attend.
The teachers are Marvin Ulmer and Judge Charles L. Klapproth. There is a singing service of fifteen minutes prior to the speaking.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH.
West Pennsylvania and Loraine
Lee Carter, Pastor
Saturday Services—
Sabbath School, 10 a. m.
Preaching, 11 a. m.
8:00 p. m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting.

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M. E. Stubblefield, Pastor
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p. m. Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p. m. Tuesday. Young People's meeting.
8:00 p. m. Friday. Prayer meeting.

NAOMI CLASS.
The Naomi (inter-denominational) class for women will meet at 9:45 o'clock in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer.
HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal).
Pastor O. W. Roberts.
10:00 a. m. Sunday school.
11:00 a. m. Preaching service.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH.
Summer Schedule.
Sunday Mass—8 a. m. (Spanish Speaking).
10 a. m. (English Speaking).
Benediction after each Mass.
Week-day Mass—7:30 a. m.
Monday—7:30 p. m. Miraculous Medal perpetual Novena.
Confessions—Saturday 4:30 p. m.—8:00 p. m.

RED RECORD.
CINCINNATI. — The 12-game lead held by the Reds in the National League constituted an all-time record for the club.

Useless Swamp Becomes Asset, Produces Moss

CRESTON, O. (UP)—The legends of Creston's "Bottomless Swamp" have turned into a money-making reality for Howard Kauffman.

He had heard his father and friends discuss the disappearance of a 100-foot roadbed overnight, stories of an underground stream, filled with blind fish, and of 70-foot soundings that failed to find bottom.

He learned that the town council is compelled to maintain a "sinking fund" for filling holes created when the "bottomless swamp" becomes hungry and swallows portions of the surface earth.

So he bought four acres of rich muck lands, but apparently useless swamp. Now it is paying dividends. He began to look for the bottom and in the process of excavation a gasoline-driven machine began turning out peat moss which, he says, tests 94 per cent organic matter.

The peat moss is in great demand by home gardeners and lawn-makers.

Town Becomes Track Partner In Sulky Races

MONCTON, N. B. (UP)—The lure of clicking turnstiles has proved too much for the city council here and now Moncton is a sports promoter with a sizeable interest in the drawing power of the race horses.

An agreement has been drawn up and signed by the city of Moncton and the Moncton Horsemen's association, whereby the city grants the right to the associations to conduct harness racing events in the property known as the speedway.

The agreement calls for the city to put the Speedway property in shape, erect a fence, repair and erect stables, build a grandstand capable of seating 1,000 persons as well as to erect interior fences and a judges stand.

The division of all receipts is to be on a 60-40 basis, the city reserving the fat end.

An unusual clause was inserted in the agreement at the suggestion of Mayor W. E. McMonagle. It is that a public liability insurance policy will be taken out for each race event, the cost to be borne by the city and the association on the percentage basis as the split in receipts.

This will protect any person who pays admission to the Speedway in event of accident on that particular day. The mayor pointed out that the city was not leasing the track to the association but simply granting it permission to conduct harness racing events.

Therefore, the city would be liable in the event of "saw horse" breaking away and injuring two or three people," said the mayor.

He felt the public liability insurance would solve the problem by protecting both the city and the association.

600-Lb. Hit-Skip Victim



Seven and a half-foot, 600-pound jewfish represents lesson in fishing—and safety. Maxine Blessington of Port Arthur College, Port Arthur, Tex., wasn't the lucky angler. In fact, marine monster had eluded hundreds of hooks. But poor fish violated traffic rules by swimming on surface of city ship canal, was run over by launch.

Australian Prisoners Decline.

SYDNEY, Australia. (UP)—The construction of Long Bay jail, Australia's largest and most modern

penal institution, is an architectural success but it remains 91 per cent empty. Men and women prisoners in Australia have shown a steady decline for the past 50 years.

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SOCIETY



Group Leaves for Smith-Neuhardt Wedding in Amarillo

Several Midland people are leaving today for Amarillo to attend the wedding of Miss Dorothy Neuhardt and James T. Smith, both of Midland, which will be solemnized in the Panhandle city Monday morning.

Included in the group are the bridegroom-elect, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turpin, Mrs. Nancy Maloney, Edmond Van Zandt, and James Scott Blair Jr.

The rehearsal dinner for the wedding party will be held tonight in the Amarillo Hotel.

Miss Neuhardt left Midland several days ago to spend the last few days preceding her marriage with her parents in Amarillo. She has been entertained at pre-nuptial affairs there as well as at in-honor affairs given here before her departure.

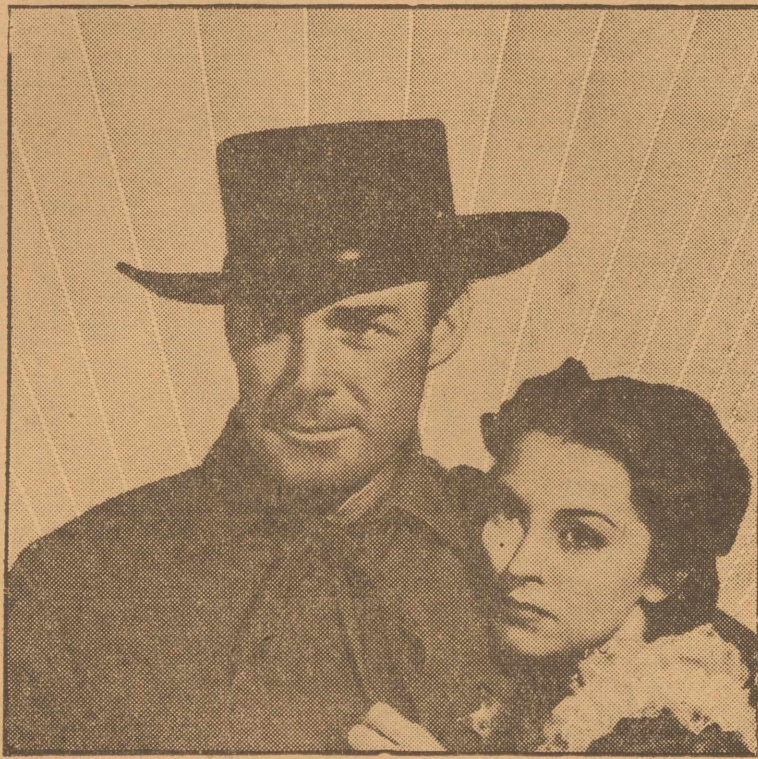
At The Library—

Gun Country, by MacDonald; Warrant for X, by MacDonald; Colossus of Arcadia, by Oppenheim; More Knaves than One by Packard; Mr. Despondency's Daughter, by Parrish; The Art of the Book, by Pootenaar; The Four of Hearts, by Queen; Half of the World is Istanbul, by Singer; More News, by Storr; Rumbin Galleries, Tarkington; Arabia Felix, by Thomas; Dr. Norton's Wife, by Walker; Running of the Deer, by Wickenden; Summer Moonshine, by Wodehouse; Conqueror of the Seas, by Zweig (the story of Magellan); Contemporary American Playwrights, by Mantle;

Mr. Cinderella, by Stout; Fathers and Sons, by Turylene; Rise and Fall of the Confederate Government, by Conquest, by Deeping; Swift Waters, by Parmenter; Coffee in the Gourd, by Debie; Straight Texas, by Debie; Paderewski, Mendelssohn, by Paderewski; Complet Hoyle, 1937, Foster; American Playwrights of Today, by Mantle; The Gardener's Travel Book, by Farrington; English Comedy, by Thorndike; Alone, by Byrd; Grandma Called it Carnal, by Damon;

Juvenile: All about Subways, by Conklin; Andy and the Lion, by Daugherty; Narcissus and de Chillun, by Govan; The Story of Earthquakes, by Johnson; Grammar Can be Fun, by Leaf; Safety Can be Fun, by Leaf; Smash Picture, by Van Gelder; Folk Songs of Many Lands, by Van Loon; Sharp Ears, by Bealy; Wapiti Pete, by Borland; Away We Go, by Buckley (safety information); Around the Year, by Buckley (safety information); Happy Times, by Buckley (safety information); Handicrafts as a Hobby, by Dods; Elizabethan Seamen, by Bell; Printer's Devil, by Allen; A splendid vacation story that gives the elementary facts about printing; A Happy Boy, by Bjornson.

Ritz Today Through Tuesday



"I'm the Law!" Randolph Scott, as Wyatt Earp, whose fabulous exploits tamed the wickedest, wildest city of the dangerous old West, Tombstone, Arizona, in "Frontier Marshal," 20th Century-Fox production currently unreeled at the Ritz theatre. Nancy Kelly is the lovely heroine of the film.

Forty-One Children Are Present for Story Hour

"New Wizard of Oz" by L. Frank Baum was one of the stories told by Mrs. W. Bryant at the Story Hour in the children's library Saturday morning. This story is being filmed now, with predictions that it will be greater than "Snow White."

Other stories told by Mrs. Bryant included: "The Merry-Go-Round and the Girgges" by Caroline D. Emerson from "Told Under the Magic Umbrella" by Elizabeth Orton Jones; "Sojo" by Erick Berry; "The Three Golden Hairs of Grandfather Know All" from "Fairy Tales of Eastern Europe" by Jeremiah Curtin.

Forty-one children were present. Included were: Jackie D. Tisdale, Nancy Jo Booth, A. W. Booth, Lois Jean Booth, Carolyn Reigle, Vance Morris, Helen Golladay, Gloria Jean Cameron, Betty Hays, Earlene Burlesone, Vera Ellen Richmond, Opal Scrivner, Bobby Alexander, Carol Jean Mannschreck, Barbara Ann Mears, Betty Sue Bibb, Betty June Toombs, Jacqueline Toombs, Louise Williams, Lucille Williams, Jean Walsh, Emma Jean Cash, Billy Mims, Bill Erskine, Jean Ann Watts, Gerald Geisler, Jerelen Jowell, Billy Jowell, Mary Martha Sivalls, Betty Rae Sivalls, Shirley Page, Sue Johnson, Eddie Darnell, Tommy Darnell, Jane Flint, Rosemary Anderson, Robert Champion, Toyne Chapple, Bel Studdert, Herman Hankla, Wanda Fae Hankla, Bill Miller.

Visitors Honored At Picnic Friday At Cloverdale

Honoring a group of visitors from Sulphur Springs and Dallas was a barbecue-picnic at Cloverdale Friday evening.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hurley of Sulphur Springs; Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hargraves and daughter of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Middleton, Fred Gordon Middleton, Mrs. Brooks Pemberton, Mr. and Mrs. Butler Hurley, Mrs. D. W. Brunson Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Brunson, Mrs. Jimmie Greene and daughter, Betty Jo, and Rayford Hurley, all of Midland.

Follow the Leader Costly.

SAN JOSE, Cal. (AP)—"Follow the leader" is still a popular sport with local motorists. When someone inadvertently parked his car in a "no parking zone," it was no time before 30 other cars were parked there. Then along came a traffic officer and 31 tickets were passed out.

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Marshall Crawford Is Complimented At Party Saturday

In celebration of his sixth birthday, Marshall Crawford was complimented with a party given by his mother, Mrs. M. H. Crawford, at their home, 901 North D street, Saturday afternoon from 4 o'clock until 6 o'clock.

Indoor games such as hide-the-thimble featured the afternoon's merriment.

At the refreshment hour, a white birthday cake, decorated in green and topped by pink candles, was the center of attention. After Marshall had blown out the candles, the cake was cut and served with pink-and-white ice cream and green punch.

Wa'rguns were presented to boys for favors and books to the girls.

Present were: The honoree, Fowler Osborne, Charles Ruckman, Charles Ryan, Charles Lackey, Bethel Eiland, Billy Joplin, John Ed McAllister, Joe Richardson, Troyce Eiland, Ann Thomas, Darleen Adamson.

Mrs. James Adamson, aunt of the honoree, and Camilla Jane Crawford, his sister, assisted Mrs. Crawford in serving and entertaining the guests.

Six-Year-Old Is Honoree at Birthday Party

Mrs. M. L. Pritchett, 507 N Main street, honored her small son, Jimmie Wales, on his sixth birthday anniversary with a party Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Games were played during the party hours and balloons were distributed as favors.

After the play period a large pink-and-white birthday cake was cut and served with other refreshments: To the honoree, Jimmie Neil Reven, Mamie Lu Abbott, James Wilson, Cecil Wilson, Donna Louise Ward, Oren Lewis Jones, Matilda Abbott, Juanita Jones, and Sanford Gene Pritchett.

Special guests for the occasion were the honoree's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Abbott.

Personals

Mrs. F. B. Smith of McCamey was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Bill Collyns, Friday night and Saturday.

Paul Smith, though improving from a tonsillectomy undergone recently, is still confined to his home. His mother, Mrs. J. W. Smith of Abilene, and his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McCarty of Abilene, are visiting him.

Mrs. J. B. Ford and daughter, Lucile, have gone to Corpus Christi to visit her mother, Mrs. A. W. Dunn. They plan to be gone about three weeks.

Miss Pat Skipper is here from Santa Barbara, Calif., visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Skipper.

Miss M. Elizabeth Wilson, county health nurse, left Saturday on a vacation trip to Colorado. Accompanying her for the first week is Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent.

Mrs. P. P. McGee and Lane Reid of Colorado City are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hamlin, 600 N Main street. She plans to return home today with her daughter, Ialee, who has been here most of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crothers had as their guests last week her mother, Mrs. F. E. Meaders, and two sisters, Misses Marian and Mary Eleanor Meaders of Fort Worth, and another sister, Miss Dorothy Meaders of Wichita, Kans. Among the entertainment shown the visitors was a trip to Carlsbad Cavern.

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Mr. and Mrs. Houston Sikes will leave Monday for a vacation trip to California, Utah, and other scenic regions of the western states. Accompanying them will be Mrs. J. A. McClung. They plan to be gone about two weeks.

Flower and Pet Shop Will Open Monday

Midland's newest business firm, Mid-Wes Flower and Pet Shop, will have its official opening Monday at 323 S. Baird street.

Displayed in the shop will be various kinds of small tropical fishes suitable for home aquariums, and a variety of birds strange to western regions. These include cockatiels, vivid-colored parrots, peach-faced love-birds, the Java rice birds and other exotic and beautiful feathered creatures.

Waltzing mice, guinea pigs, and other small pets also will be in stock.

L. Brasher, Midland man who has been in the florist and greenhouse business 43 years, will be in charge of the shop, the owner not being resident in Midland.

A pilot now must have at least 1000 hours before he is even considered for training as a First Officer.

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Cary May Marry



Cary Grant, well-known American screen leading man, and Phyllis Brooks, actress, were snapped in Paris where they were doing the sights together, giving rise to rumors of an engagement.

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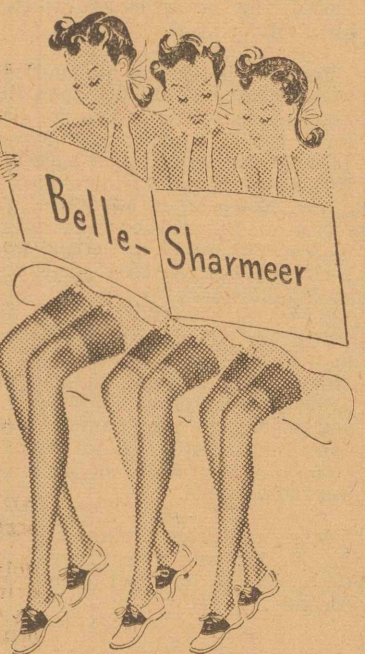
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Mr. and Mrs. Don Gray were here from Abilene Saturday. They were house-hunting as he has been transferred from Abilene back to Midland and expect to be here by September 1 to make their home. He will be geologist with the Standard Oil and Gas Company.

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Belmont Bible Class Opens Study Of Book of Genesis

Beginning the regular study of the Book of Genesis, Mrs. C. E. Nolan taught a lesson from the first chapter at the meeting of Belmont Bible class with Mrs. R. Chansler, 605 W Ohio, Friday afternoon.

In the absence of the president, Mrs. Herbert King, the hostess as vice-president presided at the meeting and offered the opening prayer.

In the social hour following study, refreshments were served to: Mesdames L. Bryant, C. V. Dale, Nolan, G. B. Brock, A. W. Lester, C. G. Murray, S. L. Alexander, A. B. Stuckney, D. E. Holster, and the hostess.

Next Friday the class will meet with Mrs. Holster in her new home at 600 North A at 4 o'clock.

liliary will meet Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock as follows: Ruth circle with Mrs. J. L. Greene, 706 W Louisiana; Rachel circle with Mrs. H. L. Albrecht, 1910 W Indiana; Rebecca circle with Mrs. A. E. Horst, 107 North G street.

The entire Bible school of the First Christian church will be entertained with a watermelon feast at Cloverdale Monday evening. Those who plan to attend are asked to gather at the church so that they may depart for Cloverdale promptly at 7 o'clock.

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Watermelon Party Will Be Social For Bible School

The Bible School of the First Christian church is giving a watermelon party for the entire Bible school Monday night at 7:00 o'clock.

The committees for the arrangement and entertainments will be announced in today's bulletin of the church. It is the desire of the committee that all gather at the church in order that they may leave for Cloverdale promptly by 7 o'clock.

There will be games and fun for both the young and the adults and every member of the Bible school is urged to be present.

Former Midland Man Is Married In Oklahoma

BIG LAKE, Aug. 12. — Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Puckett returned Thursday from Bartlesville, Okla., where they attended the wedding of their son, Collin, and Miss Lucille Litchton. The newlyweds are on a trip to the New York Fair and will make their home in Bartlesville, where the bridegroom is in the land department of the Phillips Petroleum Co. The Pucketts visited Oklahoma relatives on the way home.

The bridegroom formerly lived in Midland, being associated with the insurance firm of Sparks and Barron.

to 10 different uses in the industry's chemical laboratories.

Announcements

MONDAY
Baptist WMU will meet at the church at 10 o'clock Monday morning for Bible study. Mrs. J. Boyd East will teach.

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COWBOYS TRIP LOBOES; MEET BORGER TODAY AND TONIGHT IN TWO

Fourth Place at Stake as Locals And Gassers Meet

The Midland Cowboys could solve the offerings of "Red" Hay in only one frame last night but they did a good enough job, making four runs in the fourth inning to come out on top by a 4-1 score.

The cowboys will meet the Borger Gassers in one game this afternoon at three o'clock and again tonight at 8:30. The two teams are battling each other for fourth place in the league standings and a spot in the playoffs and the series starting today will be one of the most important of the year for the locals.

In last night's game, Stud Raines was on the mound for the Cowboys, holding his former teammates to fire hits. The lone Lamesa run came in the second inning when Oscar Bates tallied from third on a wild pitch by Raines.

Raines was no puzzle to the Lobos during the first two innings, giving up four of the five hits he allowed and needing a lot of luck to escape with only one run charged against him. However, after the second, he was in peak form, allowing only three Lobos to get on base. Double plays kept two of them from ever advancing past first base.

To start the game, "Happy" Spangler hit a single down the left field foul line, was forced at second by Haney. Eddie Guynes then rifled one down the third base line, piling up at second and Haney was on third before the ball could be retrieved by Jordan. However, Fullenwider struck out and Reeves grounded out to end the frame.

The Lobos took up in the second where they left off in the first when Oscar Bates started the frame with a single. He moved up to third on a double by Bob Wooten, stayed there when Archibald grounded out

to second and came home when a low, outside pitch got away from Kerr at home. Raines managed to get the next two hitters to end the threat.

Hay retired seven Cowboys in a row before Willoughby lined out a single in the third. However, they broke loose in the fourth to sew up the game. Conley Cox started it all off with a single and moved up to second on a bunt by Kerr. Sammy Hale then singled to send Cox home with the tying run but was caught off first when he tried to steal second while Hay held the ball. Lynn Everson then lined out a single, stole second and stayed there as Naranjo got on when Hay caught him on the arm with a wild pitch. Kirby Jordan then came through with a long single to left field to send Everson and Naranjo home, scored a moment later when Willoughby doubled. Raines singled but was forced at second by Petzold on his grounder to Guynes.

After the fourth frame, the Cowboys could get only two men on base. Jordan singled and stole second in the sixth and Hale singled and stole second in the sixth but neither could advance.

The box score:

Lamesa	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spangler 3	4	0	1	0	1	0
Haney 1f	4	0	2	0	0	0
Spangler 3	4	0	1	0	1	0
Guynes ss	3	0	1	4	2	0
Fullenwider m	4	0	0	4	0	0
Reeves r	4	0	1	0	0	0
Bates c	4	1	1	4	0	0
Wooten 1	3	0	1	10	1	0
Archibald 2	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hale 3	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hay p	3	0	0	3	0	0
	32	1	5	24	10	0

Midland	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Petzold 2	4	0	0	4	3	0
Cox ss	4	1	1	5	2	0
Kerr c	3	0	0	7	0	0
Hale 3	4	0	2	0	3	0
Everson m	4	1	1	0	0	0
Naranjo r	3	1	0	0	0	0
Jordan 1f	3	1	2	2	0	0
Willoughby 1	3	0	2	13	0	0
	32	5	8	27	12	0

The PAYOFF

BY JESS RODGERS.

Don't count the Cowboys out in the race for the pennant in the West Texas-New Mexico League flag chase just yet. The team, as it now stands, is capable of giving any of the others a stiff fight and if they can take a majority of their games during this home stand they will have a good chance to fight their way into the first four for keeps.

The Cowboys have 15 more games at home with most of them against teams standing lower in the standing than they do. The hardest series the team will have is against Lubbock here on August 27-28. The teams must play four games in the two days and the Cowboy pitching staff, already shorthanded, is in for a lot of trouble unless another hurler is added.

The Cowboys now have only five hurlers on the staff, compared to six and seven with every other club in the league. The "dog days" of late August make it almost imperative that another chucker be procured somewhere.

Hank Hart, Big Spring scribe, is probably finding life this past few days just one refutation after another of his stories. Immediately after singing a "swan song" for Abilene and baseball in the future there, an Abilene scribe answered by saying that Abilene would apply for a franchise next year. After that, Hank spoke of the financial plight of the Midland team and left the idea open to all that Midland would

Raines p	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
	3	0	1	0	5	0
	31	5	8	27	12	0

Summary: Two base hits—Guynes, Wooten, Willoughby. Runs batted in—Hale, Jordan, 2, Willoughby. Double plays—Raines to Cox to Willoughby, Cox to Petzold to Willoughby. Struck out—Hay 3, Raines 6. Base on balls—off Raines 1. Left on base—Midland 4, Lamesa 5. Earned runs—Midland 4, Lamesa 1. Umpires—Etridge, Cartwright. Time: 1:45.

Friday's Game

The box score:

LAMESA	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Spangler 3	3	2	1	0	1	0
Haney 1f	3	2	1	0	0	0
Guynes ss	3	1	1	3	3	0
Fullenwider m	4	0	0	1	0	0
Reeves r	4	1	2	1	1	0
Bates c	3	1	1	2	0	0
Wooten 1	3	0	0	15	0	0
Archibald 2	4	0	0	1	5	1
Millsbaugh p	4	0	0	0	1	0
	30	5	8	24	13	1

MIDLAND	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Petzold 2	5	1	1	4	2	0
Cox ss	4	2	2	0	2	0
Kerr c	3	0	0	3	0	0
Hale 3	4	2	2	1	6	0
Everson m	3	3	2	3	0	0
Naranjo r	4	0	2	4	0	0
Jordan 1f	3	0	1	1	0	0
Willoughby 1	4	0	0	11	0	0
Piet p	4	0	0	2	2	0
	34	8	10	27	12	0

Score by innings: Lamesa 000 000 320-5; Midland 011 040 20x-8. Summary: Home runs—Everson, Guynes. Two base hits—Cox, Hale, Archibald. Runs batted in—Hale 2, Everson 4, Jordan, Guynes 2, Bates, Archibald 2. Sacrifice hits—Kerr, Jordan. Double plays—Cox to Petzold to Willoughby, Hale to Willoughby. Struck out—Piet 3, Millsbaugh 2. Base on balls—off Piet 3, off Millsbaugh 2. Left on base—Midland 5, Lamesa 4. Earned runs—Midland 7, Lamesa 5. Umpires—Enger, Etridge, Cartwright. Time: 1:20.

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not be in the league next year. Then, Clarence Schreiber, Claude Duffey and Jim Greene took over the local club. The three could buy every club in the American League and still not need a gun to keep the wolf from the door.

Rut (Just call me Duke) Ethridge, undeniably the worst umpire in the league at the start of the season, now rates as just about the best. Along with Cartwright, he comprises the best team of umps in the circuit. "Duke" leaves no doubt in the minds of anyone when he calls a strike or makes a decision on a runner.

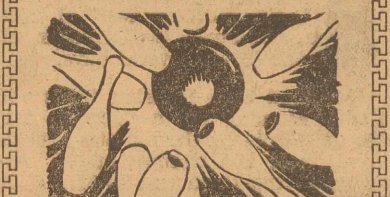
A look at the batting averages this week shows that none other than our old friend and the favorite of all Midland baseball fans Jack Nook is leading the league in hitting. Jack made a lot of friends when he was with the Midland team in 1937 and all of them are glad to see him at the top. He probably won't get into enough games to win the official batting title but he is sure to be up near the top at the end.

Football season is just around the corner and it won't be long until the horse hide is replaced by the pig skin. Prospects of the Midland team winning games are small mainly because the team will be woefully weak on reserves.

Coaches Taylor and Myer can start a team on the field that will probably compare favorably with any in the district but if any of the key men are injured it is going to be just too bad.

As long as Jay Francis is in top shape the Midland team will have a chance to win. Jay is a scoring threat any time he gets his hands on the ball and he will have more help this year than last mainly because of a heavier line. Paul Klant and "Boog" Eidson, two of the best guards than can be found in any school in the state, have been putting on weight this summer and will in around 175 pounds when the season starts. Together, they can make it rough for almost any club.

UP MY ALLEY



By 111 in the 7th

Bob Nordstrum set a pace for high-scoring bowlers at Plamor Palace early this week with a 227, which isn't just an everyday occurrence. Along came Fred Hogan with a beautiful 241 that looked good for some time and it took Barney Grafa Jr. to knock Fred's hopes with a neat 245.

Barney bowls everything from a few times 25 to some mighty good scores, the latter being evidenced by his high of the week.

Some of the ladies are making a likeable bunch of the men look like novices. Gene House set a 143 for the high starter of the week. The 143 she set bounced back after Holly Tippet got 13 more pins for a 156. However, it took Mrs. Tom Sloan to finish the week with a high of 163, which is getting up to a class of bowling that makes anybody take notice.

"Up My Alley" is a new column in The Midland Reporter-Telegram and will appear from time to time as spectacular happenings occur. If you don't want your name in print, don't slide halfway down an alley or bowl 300—probably better amend the 300 business.

More and more bowlers are coming to Midland from neighboring towns. Watch for news of inter-city contests.

Wink Wildcats to Meet Three Double A Teams This Year

WINK, Aug. 12.—With three AA games on their schedule, Wink's champion Wildcats will open their 1939 schedule here September 15 against touch little Class A Diamond Hill from Fort Worth, accord-

WILDCATS' 1939 SCHEDULE (Home Games boldface)

Sept. 15	Diamond Hill
Sept. 22	Panhandle
Sept. 29	Midland
Oct. 6	Bowie El Paso
Oct. 13	Gran
Oct. 20	Open
Oct. 28	McCamey
Nov. 3	Monahans
Nov. 10	Kermit
Nov. 17	Odessa
Nov. 30	Pecos

ing to the official and contracted schedule announced this week.

Panhandle will come here September 22 for No. 2 game, and the season will bounce into high September 29 at Midland. Bowie High of El Paso, another Class AA team, will come here October 6 for another top-flight game. Bowie will be remembered as the team which broke the Wildcats winning streak back in 1932.

Crane will be the first 7-A team the Wildcats will meet, at Crane October 13. October 20 is open, and McCamey will come here October

Swimming Carnival Of Boy Scouts to Be Held August 15

Annual swimming of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America, will be held at Pagoda Pool here Tuesday, August 15, attendance of more than 300 Boy Scouts from over the council being expected, according to G. W. Breneman, Midland district chairman who is in charge of arrangements.

Jack Penrose, field executive of the Buffalo Trail Council, is in Midland this week completing plans for the annual affair.

The general swim meet will be held Tuesday morning, with the finals to be held that afternoon. Contestants will be classified in two divisions, one for boys over 110 pounds and the other for boys under 110 pounds. In the over 110 pound division, events will include 40-yard breast stroke, side, back and free style. The same events are scheduled in the under 110 pound division with the distances set at 30-yards. Required dives in the diving contest include front and back headers and jack-knife, optional dives to in-

clude any two other than those required.

Fun events will include egg and spoon race, lighted candle race and wrist-tied race. A water polo game will also be held Tuesday afternoon.

A handicraft and model airplane exhibit and flying of model planes will be staged from 1:30 until 2:30

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Harry meanwhile has escaped to Omdurman where his two other friends have been imprisoned. Harry slips a file into Burroughs' tunic and instructs him to file away their fetters in the prison. Harry, however, is suspected as a spy, is beaten and thrown into the filthy prison with the other dirty, half-starved prisoners. As he lies unconscious on the floor of the dungeon, his friends discover who he is. When he recovers he organizes the prisoners and flies away their fetters, one by one. Meanwhile the English fleet is advancing on Omdurman. As the British forces approach, the Mahdi orders the prisoners executed; but when the soldiers arrive they are attacked by the prisoners who have been tortured into a mad fury. After a fierce battle, Harry leads the prisoners to the Arsenal where they arm against the Mahdi and his men.

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 THE LITTLE BRAT WOULD NEVER COME BACK TO US, THAT'S SURE! I'M CONVINCED THE TUTTS, OR THAT BOOTS PERSON, KNOW WHERE SHE IS, SO WE'LL JUST CAMP ON THEIR DOORSTEP TILL THE LITTLE TWIRT SHOWS UP!

WASH TUBS
 WHY, HELLO! OUR GENIAL PROPRIETOR SEEMS A BIT NERVOUS THIS MORNING.
 HE HAS A BLACK EYE, TOO. BY THE WAY, DIDN'T WE HEAR A COMMOTION IN TH' HALL LAST NIGHT?
 SHHH!
 WELL, GENTLEMEN, I'LL TELL YOU. LAST NIGHT I HEARD PISTOL SHOTS, AND I—
 BLOP!
 SORRY, OLD MAN, WAS OPENING SOME CHAMPAGNE AND THE BOTTLE SLIPPED. ARE YOU HURT?
 NO, SIR, NOT AT ALL.
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 BY V. T. HAMLIN
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 HMM! THIS MAN IS LIKE NO GREEK I EVER SAW-- BY JUPITER, HE'S A BARBARIAN, METHINKS!
 SHALL WE RUB HIM OUT, CAPTAIN?
 NO--THE LOOT SHOULD MAKE THE LADY HELEN A GOOD SLAVE
 TO THE DUNGEONS!

RED RYDER
 BY FRED HARMAN
 WE ARE HERE, GRINGO, AND EET EES YAQUI'S ORDERS THAT YOU BE DISARMED BEFORE ENTERING EES SECRET HACIENDA.
 WELL YOU TELL YAQUI HE ISN'T POLITE TO INVITED GUESTS -- GET OUT OF MY WAY, PEDRO!
 BUENO! BUENO! MY RED-HAIRED GRINGO! YOU HAVE THE NERVE OF EL DIABLO, BUT COME EEN!
 'S YAQUI OFFENS THE DOOR, RED STEPS FORWARD, REALIZING YAQUI'S GRINNING FACE MASKS THE CRUEL CUNNING OF A DEADLY KILLER.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS
 BY MERRILL BLOSSER
 NOT A MARK ON HIM! THE POISON IVY DIDN'T FAZE HIM! MAYBE IT'S ALLERGIC TO HIM!
 DID YOU SEND FOR US, MR. SMICK?
 I CERTAINLY DID!
 THAT KID NUBBIN HAS TO GO -- AND THATS FINAL! YOU BROUGHT HIM HERE -- NOW LOSE HIM! I JUST HAD TO PAY HIM A \$10 PRIZE!
 I JUST CAN'T GO DOWN AND CHASE HIM, CAN I?
 IF YOU DONT GET RID OF HIM YOUR BAND WILL HAVE TO LOOK FOR ANOTHER JOB!
 THEN SPEAKING FOR MY PALS, YOU CAN GO JUMP IN THE LAKE -- AND SPEAKING FOR MYSELF, I HOPE YOU PICK THE DEEP END!

OUT OUR WAY
 BY J. R. WILLIAMS
 EGAD JASON, I HAVE GLORIED IN THE SUCCEULLENCE OF PHEASANT AS PREPARED IN OLD MADRID--I HAVE SUCCEMBLED TO THE TEMPTATION OF PTARMIGAN IN PARIS, TASTED OF WIDGEON AND WILD DUCK IN THE PORTUGUESE MANNER, AND SAMPLED WITH GUSTO THE CULINARY TRIUMPHS OF CREOLE CHEFS IN NEW ORLEANS, BUT THIS RAVISHING REPEAT EXCELS THEM ALL IN SAVORY SUPERIORITY--HAR-RUMPH! JASON, SURELY YOU HAVE A WAY WITH A PIG!
 THAT LI'L PIG WAS LIKE A BROTHAH TO ME, MISTAH MAJOR, BUT W'EN A MAN'S STUMMICK RASSLES WIF HIS HEART, THE STUMMICK WIN TH' MATCH! TRY SOME MO' OB THAT GRAYN--IT ROLL DOWN SMOOTH AS N'AGRA FALLS!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE
 with MAJOR HOOPLE
 THIS IS SWELL! NOW YOU'RE DOIN' SOMETHIN' THAT WILL HELP YOU WITH YOUR STUDIES IN COLLEGE--WHO KNOWS, MEBBE YOU'LL TURN OUT T'BE A GREAT ENTOMOLOGIST! NOW TAKE THAT SPECIMEN YOU'VE CAUGHT IN YOUR NET--THAT'S A TIGER SWALLOW TAIL, OR PAPILO GLAUCUS--I'LL GET YOU A BOOK SO YOU KIN STUDY TH' NINE THOUSAND SPECIES THAT IN-HABIT TH' UNITED STATES!
 NEVER MIND! I WUZ JUST CATCHIN' A FEW BUTTERFLIES, BUT I THINK I'LL GO OVER TO TH' LOT AN' PLAY BASE-BALL NOW!

SCIENCE VS SPORT
 BY J. R. WILLIAMS
 DSSERTATION ON ROAST PIG

Oil News—

Continued From Page One.

producer in the Apco Ordovician pool of northern Pecos, is drilling lime below 3,184 feet.

On the Pecos side of the Payton pool of Ward-Pecos, Cities Service Oil Company No. 4 Dorr flowed 131.86 barrels of 32-gravity oil in 24 hours following 180-quart nitro shot in pay between 2,038 and 2,097 feet, total depth. Gas-oil ratio was 1,132-1.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Corporation No. 9 Jasper County Realty Company, in the low-gravity area of the Pecos Valley pool, is drilling plug with spudder from 7-inch casing cemented at 1,453. Total depth is 1,465 feet in lime.

J. S. Pittman No. 1 Humble-Corbett, northwestern Crockett wildcat six miles east of the Crockett pool on University of Texas lands, is shut down for repairs at 1,945 feet in anhydrite and salt.

More Water for Waddell. Increase in water was logged from 3,812-30 by Gulf Oil Corporation No. 11 W. N. Waddell et al. western Crane wildcat north of the Tubb deep Permian pool. It is drilling ahead at 3,870 feet in lime, having bailed 20 barrels of oil and 70 barrels of water during the past 24 hours.

Humble et al. No. 1-C J. B. Tubb, one-half mile northeast outpost to the Tubb pool, is drilling lime below 3,439 feet.

Gulf No. 5 M. B. McKnight, deep test in western Crane, is drilling out rock to straighten hole at 4,900. Hole was found to be off vertical when depth of 4,980 feet in lime had been reached.

In the Church & Fields pool of eastern Crane, Magnolia No. 20 Hardwicke-University is drilling at 3,025 in lime with 300 feet of oil in the hole. Road is being built to Magnolia No. 21 Hardwicke-University.

In the Foster pool of Ector Shell Oil Company Inc., No. 5-B J. E. Witcher flowed 1,268.45 barrels of 34.3-gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 750-1, for completion at 4,245 feet. Pay topped at 4,045 was shot with 800 quarts.

Flow of 614.53 barrels of 33-gravity oil per day following a 675-quart shot was registered by Stanolind No. 20-A Elliott F. Cowden, also in the Foster pool. It entered the pay horizon at 4,040 feet and has gas-oil ratio of 675-1.

F.H.E. Oil Company No. 1 Snyder, in the Snyder pool of eastern Howard, pumped 184.62 barrels of oil plus 10 per cent water when gauged at 2,988 feet. Oil is 33-gravity and gas-oil ratio 480-1. It topped pay at 2,668 and was shot with 700 quarts.

Gulf No. 5 Wristen Brothers, east of the Shipley pool in southeastern Ward, bailed an estimated 300 barrels of oil in 24 hours and recovered one barrel of water per hour when bailer was run to bottom. Fluid cannot be bailed down. Total depth is 2,700 feet in lime. The well originally was scheduled to go to 7,500 feet for a test of the Ordovician.

In the Magnolia-Sealy pool of northern Ward, Mid-Continent No. 2 Sealy is drilling below 1,590 in anhydrite, while Magnolia No. 17-

46 Sealy is digging Rathole. Lovington Pool Active

Southeast New Mexico interest as the week closed centered upon the Lovington pool.

Barnsdall Oil Company No. 1 C. S. Caylor was swabbing and flowing an estimated 12 barrels of oil hourly after acidizing with 1,500 gallons at 4,950 feet in lime. A second treatment of 3,500 gallons is slated for the well.

United Producers, Inc. No. 1 Caylor is drilling at 1,920 feet in a formation reported to be anhydrite. Coastal Development Company No. 1 Caylor is drilling plug from 5 1/2-inch casing cemented with 200 sacks at 4,660, ten feet off bottom. Skelly Oil Company No. 1 Caylor, bottoming at 340 in red rock, is waiting for 200 sacks of cement to set around 12 1/2-inch casing at 320.

L. H. Wentz No. 1-A State is drilling unchanged at 4,455 feet in lime. Magnolia No. 2-Q State had reached 4,710 in lime. Skelly No. 1-Q State is drilling below 3,767 feet in anhydrite, while the company's No. 2-0 State had drilled to 2,984 in salt and anhydrite. Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 3-LA State is running 13-inch surface pipe at 325 feet in red rock.

Cantaloupe Shipments From Pecos Increase

PECOS, Aug. 12.—Fourteen carloads of Pecos cantaloupes had been shipped to market from here Thursday afternoon, with another car being readied for shipment last night.

Three of the major producers, the Tri-State Co., Harold Wendt and M. L. Todd, continued to send out daily express and freight shipments and were joined this week by J. W. Brooks, Brooks, who has a late crop, and expects to start quantity shipments by next week.

M. L. Todd reported picking about 200 crates daily for freight and express shipments, with five cars already gone to market and another sent last night. He predicted that next week would see shipment of a car a day.

Tri-State Produce Company, holds the lead in total car lot shipments, with seven cars gone out to date, and another this week. Daily shipment range from 50 to 200 crates and are picking up.

Harold Wendt joins the ranks of the late-crop producers this year, and is still far from the peak of his season. He has loaded out two cars, and schedules more next week, with daily shipments holding to about the same mark set by the other growers.

Earl Easterbrook, other major producer, has not started shipments from his land yet.

Trainman Killed, 35 Are Injured in Wreck

DENVER, Aug. 12 (AP)—One trainman was killed and an estimated 35 persons injured in a collision between two passenger trains today at South Denver. The Denver and Rio Grande scenic limited, south bound, crashed into a passenger coach of the Santa Fe's north bound number six at a cross-over switch.

Two Wink Gridders To Participate in Big Oil Bowl Game

WINK, Aug. 12.—Wink will have three of its representatives in the big Labor Day game at Wichita Falls September 4. Steve Ford of Wichita Falls, manager of the Oil Bowl game, announced this week.

Lacy Turner, coach of the Wildcats, will be assistant coach of the West team. Beek Ezell will play an end, and John Bailey will play center, also on the West team.

A large group of Wink fans are expected to attend the game, which will be between two all-star high school teams, selected by coaches from among the best of East Texas and West Texas teams.

Maskit Temple of Wichita Falls sponsors the Oil Bowl game each year. Last year the West won, 15-13.

The game will begin at 8 p. m. September 4.

Ohio Arranges Grape Festival After Harvest

SANDUSKY, O. (U.P.)—A Grape Festival to acquaint the people of Ohio and neighboring states with the products of this grape-growing region will be held here Oct. 6, 7 and 8.

The festival, being sponsored by the Junior chamber of commerce, will be held at the Municipal Dock here.

Growers of more than 2,000 acres of vines and operators of 25 wineries are expected to participate in the festival to come at the close of the grape harvest.

Expenses of the event are to be financed through the sale of a special "Erie County Grape Festival" poster stamps, designed to be attached to packages, envelopes and motor car windshields.

The area to be included in the celebration extends from Vermilion on the east to Port Clinton on the west, more than 40 miles of vine-growing Lake Erie shoreline.

The island district, 14 miles northwest of here is called the world's greatest Catawba area. From the Catawba grapes are made the white, dry wines which connoisseurs rate among the three or four best in the world. Other grape varieties grown in this area include the Ives, Concord, Niagara and Delaware.

Desert Homes Conquer Heat With Coolers

PHOENIX, Ariz. (U.P.)—Fifteen thousand Arizona families have discovered how to live comfortably in the summer when temperatures pass 115 degrees day after day.

The way is a home window box cooler, operated on the evaporation principle.

Introduced for the first time on the desert three years ago, the window cooler is growing yearly in popularity. Hundreds of families who once moved to the mountains or to the Pacific Coast in summer now stay at home in relative comfort.

Fans Stir Moist Air. Coolers are built of wood or sheet metal, with the outside part covered with a pad of excelsior through which water drips from a copper tubing at the top. As the water breaks up and evaporates in the heat, a fan inside throws cool moist air into the house.

A variation of the fan type cooler is a blower housed in the window box. When temperatures range above 100 outside, studies have shown a box cooling system will maintain about 78 degrees inside.

"The mode of life on the desert has changed abruptly to comfortable living in the summer," a University of Arizona research circular said, "because homemade and manufactured box coolers are being installed. A cooler is now a recognized part of desert life."

The coolers, costing from \$10 to \$100, also are in general use in parts of Texas, New Mexico, Nevada and California, according to the university.

Origin of direct evaporation cooling, exemplified by the Arizona window box type of cooler, is not definitely known, but apparently has developed independently in many countries and in ancient times.

Indians of the west used the principle in their water ollas and wet blankets were used for human cooling. Wet sheets or blankets were extensively used by early settlers in arid regions when they desired to sleep in the hot summer months. Wet fabric drapes were also hung in open doors and windows on the windward side of the house.

The principle of evaporation is not new, but its adoption with a motorized fan or blower has added to its control and use.

Radishes Like Turnips.

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (U.P.)—Everett M. Rogers, Norwichtown farmer, grows radishes that would put turnips to shame. He produced at batch 12 inches long and 16 inches in circumference. Unlike most oversize radishes, they were mild in flavor.

Hermit Builds Sod Hut.

CLEVELAND, O. (U.P.)—Peter Volpe, known to his neighbors as Peter the Hermit, has built a hut on a dump in suburban Newburgh Heights. The hut is built of railroad ties and sod. Volpe raises what he needs to eat in a garden beside the hut.

Neptune's satellite moves about that planet in a little less than six days. Neptune's moon is about the same size as the earth's moon.

6 to Be Slashed From Pecos Highway Force

PECOS, Aug. 12.—Six men will be lopped from the personnel of the Texas Highway Patrol, Western District, Sept. 1, Captain E. M. Wells announced this week.

Capt. Wells, commanding officer of the district which embraces territory from Odessa to El Paso and the Old Mexico boundary in the New Mexico boundary, returned from Austin where he conferred with state officials.

Four uniformed patrolmen and two employees in the drivers' license division will be cut off the rolls in this district as the result of Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel's budgeting the safety department's appropriation for the year.

Capt. Wells said the Pecos office would suffer a staff reduction, and possible elimination of at least one of the district's sub-stations was foreseen.

Serious crippling of the patrol force of this area will be brought about by the reduction, Wells said.

Dog 21, Loses Bark.

PEABODY, Mass. (U.P.)—Mrs. Anna Roy's 21-year-old police dog Rex has lost the penetrating bark which once saved a family from perishing in a night fire. But what apparently worries the canine hero more is the loss of his teeth, necessitating a semi-solid diet.

Wood Carvers in One Family for Centuries

BOSTON, Mass. (U.P.)—Carl A. Carlson, 70-year-old veteran wood carver, is celebrating his 50th year as a master craftsman in an art that is as old as man.

Still at his bench in his tiny shop, this gray, gaunt, keen-eyed artist transforms blocks of wood into carvings of intrinsic beauty. His work in colonial reproduction, ships' heads and all manner of artistry in wood are to be found in prominent homes, churches and public buildings throughout the nation.

Born in Lindome, Sweden, Carlson has followed his ancient craft since boyhood. Through his forebears he traces his relationship with the art back into the Middle Ages. Many famous carvings in ancient castles throughout the Scandinavian countries are the work of his ancestors.

Associated with him in his high-profile specialized work is a son, Carl A. Carlson, Jr., who has already established a reputation in decorative carving.

Greyhounds Are Nose-Printed.

LONDON, (U.P.)—Racing greyhounds in England are now having their nose prints taken by veterinary surgeons. The object of these experiments is to devise a system of identification for greyhounds.

Divorces Rise in Canada.

OTTAWA, (U.P.)—The steady increase of divorce in Canada is attracting the attention of sociologists and statisticians here. The figures steadily mount. In 1918, there were only 114 divorces in all the country. In 1928, the figure had risen to 783 and in 1938, to 1,883.

Woman, 83, Cycling Fan.

SACRAMENTO, Cal. (U.P.)—This city's oldest bicycle rider, both as to age and as to experience, is Miss Minna Cross, age 83 years. She began riding when she was 42 and has never given it up. She purchased the No. 1 license plate this year and the city attorney claimed the privilege of paying the 25 cent fee.

TO RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hurley of Sulphur Springs, and Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Hargraves and daughter, Ed-dye Sue, Noble Hurley and John Sandlin of Dallas will return to their homes Sunday after visiting for several days in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Butler Hurley and Mr. and Mrs. Lenton Brunson here. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hurley are the parents of Butler, Thomas and Rafor Hurley of Midland, while Mrs. Hargraves is their sister and Noble Hurley is their brother.

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