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Truman Lauds Work Of United Nations

Goldsmith Wildcat Shows Oil And Gas In Silurian Zone

By JAMES C. WATSON
Oil Editor

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 421-E Goldsmith, deep wildcat in the Goldsmith shallow field in Northwest Ector County has shown for possible oil production from the Silurian. It has already indicated possibilities of commercial petroleum in the Devonian.

Located 605 feet from east and 1,992 feet from south lines of section 15, block 44, TP survey, T-1-S, this prospector ran a one and one-half hour drillstem test in the top of the Silurian at 8,680-8,735 feet. Oil in Drilling Mud

Recovery was the 1,000-foot water blanket, plus 120 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud. The mud was about one per cent oil. It was making more hole, and had reached 8,755 feet in lime Wednesday morning.

Gulf No. 1-E-A University-Fogelson, in Southwest Ector, and 690 feet from west and 662 feet from north lines of section 7, block 35, University survey, had drilled to 8,960 feet, in Ellenburger topped at about 8,915 feet, according to unofficial sources and was taking a drillstem test. The surface elevation is 2,824 feet. The project has not yet shown any signs of oil or gas.

Another Wildcat

William W. Gruber and H. A. Ringle of McCamey and J. S. Dennis of San Angelo, have filed application with the Railroad Commission to drill their No. 1 Felix Braden, a new wildcat in Southeast Tom Green County to 2,400 feet, with cable tools, starting by February 14. It is a new Ellenburger northeast of Wall, and 11 miles southeast of San Angelo.

It will be 2,310 feet from north and 990 feet from north lines of section 90, district 11, SP survey. Ellenburger Steep

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 15-E Emily Jackson, 1,980 feet from west and 2,130 feet from north lines of section 17, block A-32, psi survey, is a new Ellenburger northeast of the Fullerton field, in Northwest Andrews County.

It is to drill to around 10,000 feet, starting at once. The drillsite is one-quarter of a mile south and same distance east of the company's No. 14-E Jackson.

Texas Pacific No. 14-E Jackson, 810 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 17, block A-32, psi survey, had drilled to 8,295 feet in Devonian and was taking a drillstem test.

This project tested for 60 barrels of oil per hour flowing, natural, from the top of the Devonian above 8,206 feet.

Still Looking for a Top

Texas Pacific No. 13-E Jackson, 2,130 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 17, block A-32, psi survey, was drilling below 9,825 feet in lime, looking for the top of the Ellenburger at any time.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-N Phillips-TXL, 668 feet from west and 1,982 feet from south lines of section 11, block 46, TP survey, T-1-S, is a new 10,700-foot exploration in West Ector County, to explore to the Ellenburger, starting at once.

It is 1,322 feet north of the same company No. 1-C TXL, which recently extended the Wheeler-Ellenburger field into West Ector County.

Cities Service Oil Company No. 1 Riley, West Gaines County wildcat, 15 miles west of Seminole, and 690 feet from north and east lines of section 361, block G, CCSD&RGNG survey, had drilled to 5,730 feet in lime, and was trying to loosen, and recover stuck drill-pipe. It is contracted to 7,500 feet to test the lower Permian.

Hockley Completion

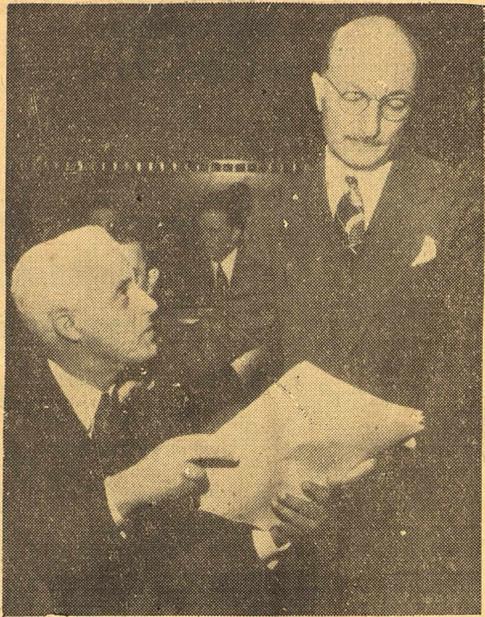
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-A Coble, West Hockley County development, 660 feet from north and west lines of tract 25, league 66, Hardeman County School Land survey, and on the west side of the Lovelland field, completed for a 24-hour potential flowing of 459.34 barrels of 31.3 gravity oil from pay above 4,838 feet. The flow was through open two-inch tubing. Gas-oil ratio was 316-1.

The Atlantic Refining Company No. 2 Shannon estate, 660 feet from south and 1,988 feet from west lines of section 64, block UV, GC&SF survey, and in the Todd Deep area of Crockett County, has filed application with the Railroad Commission to plug and abandon on total depth of 6,718 feet, in lime. It had no shows of oil or gas, according to information given on the plugging application.

Midland Poll Tax Payments Total 4,160

Ninety-six poll taxes, paid through the mail, pushed Midland County's record poll tax payments for the year to 4,160. The final tabulation was made Wednesday at Tax Collector J. H. Fine's office. The number exceeded last year's record total of 4,015.

Oil Problems Discussed



Robert Cordova of Mexico, left, discussed oil production problems with J. D. Zellerbach of the Zellerbach Paper Co., Los Angeles. Representatives from 11 major oil nations attended the petroleum industry conference of the International Labor Organizations in Los Angeles.

Gore Says Tax Cut Bill Departs From Taxing Principle

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Representative Gore (D-Tenn.), sparking democratic opposition to the Knutson 20 per cent "across the board" tax-cutting bill, declared Wednesday it departs from the principle of taxation according to ability to pay and returns to a tax philosophy "of the middle ages."

House Bill No. 1, authored by Chairman Knutson (R-Minn.) of the House Ways and Means Committee, Gore said, would give five per cent of the taxpayers with large incomes a tax cut of \$1,560,000,000, and the remaining 95 per cent only \$1,940,000,000.

The Tennessee member asserted this tax theory comes "right out of the Andrew Mellon primer of special privilege," and declared:

"It was the economic theory that worked so well that it brought on the panic of 1929 and the utter defeat of the Republican party in 1930 and 1932."

Under the bill, Gore said, "take home pay for a single person with a \$1,000 income would be increased 2.1 per cent; another man with an income of \$10,000 would have his take home pay increased 6.1 per cent. But the person with a \$302,000 income would have his take home pay increased by 72.6 per cent."

Mystery Cloaks Action Of House Un-American Group

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The House Committee on un-American Activities tossed a cloak of mystery Wednesday over all but one of its "important witnesses" summoned to testify Thursday.

Except to say that Gerhard Eisler, arrested Tuesday at his New York home, will be on hand for the committee's first public session of 1947, Chairman Thomas (R-NJ), declined to be specific.

Eisler has been depicted in committee testimony as the Kremlin's top agent in this country.

"There are about a dozen important witnesses under subpoena," Thomas told newsmen.

Asked whether prospective witnesses include Hollywood celebrities whom the committee has indicated it will question during the year, Thomas said only "they are coming from considerable distances."

Despite Eisler's arrest in New York and his transfer to Ellis Island for possible deportation proceedings, Thomas said he is "confident" that Eisler will be on hand Thursday.

ARNALL IS CONFIDENT

TYLER — (AP) — Former Gov. Ellis Arnall of Georgia said he was "completely confident" that Herman Talmadge, the pretender, will be out of a job when the Supreme Court hands down a decision 40 days from now.

\$15,000 Is Paid For Champion Steer At Houston Show

HOUSTON — (AP) — Edgar Brown, rancher and oil man of Orange, Wednesday paid the second highest price on record for a grand champion of the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Flatpaw was bought from Jim Bob Steen, 16-year-old 4-H Club boy of Goldthwaite.

Record purchase price for a champion steer was \$44,000 paid at the Kansas City show in October of last year. The third highest bid on record was \$14,000 in December at the Chicago Exposition.

Representative Hoffman Asks Wagner Act Repeal

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Outright repeal of the Wagner Labor Relations Act was asked by Representative Hoffman (R-Mich.) Wednesday as the House Labor Committee opened hearings on labor bills.

Hoffman told the committee the Wagner Act has not proved the answer to the problem of strikes and labor disputes and unless Congress finds an answer "these disputes may ultimately involve us in civil war."

Reserve Officers To Elect Leaders Wednesday

New leaders will be elected at a meeting of the Permian Basin Reserve Officers Association at 7 p.m., Wednesday, in the district courtroom of the courthouse.

A program of interest has been arranged.

Group Called Into Session To Settle U. S., Reds Views

NEW YORK — (AP) — Six delegates to the United Nations Security Council were called into an "unofficial" meeting Wednesday to thrash out privately the conflicting views of Soviet Russia and the United States as to how the United Nations should approach the question of world-wide arms reduction.

As the delegates prepared to meet at the midtown offices of the United Nations in the Empire State Building, they showed determination to stay in session until they agreed on a plan to put the arms reduction study into motion.

On the sub-committee were representatives of Australia, Belgium, Colombia, France, the United States and Soviet Russia.

All except Belgian Delegate Fernand Van Langenhove were named because they wrote the five arms resolutions now before the council. Van Langenhove is council chairman.

Agreement Is Main Task

Although the delegates were expected to consider all five resolutions, their main task was to seek agreement between Russia and the United States. The other resolutions were offered originally as compromises, but were accepted by neither the United States nor Russia.

The main point at issue appeared to be how to define the scope of work of the proposed 11-nation commission which will draft a general arms reduction plan.

The United States took the position that the council should meet as a committee of the whole to consider the terms of reference of the commission, while Russia argued that this would mean a delay of possibly three months.

Decorated Soldier Is Midland Visitor

One of the most decorated soldiers of World War II was in Midland Wednesday.

He is Llewellyn Chilsom of the Firestone Tire Company.

A former technical sergeant, Chilsom received seven decorations from President Truman at one time. He is the first man ever to be presented that many decorations at one time.

He was awarded: the Distinguished Service Cross with two Clusters, the Silver Star with one Cluster, the Purple Heart with one Cluster, the Legion of Merit, the Bronze Star, and a Distinguished Unit Citation.

Chilsom fought through North Africa, France and Germany with the famed 45th Infantry Division.

Midland JayCees Present Charter

Midland JayCees sent a delegation to Fort Stockton Tuesday evening to present a charter to the Junior Chamber of Commerce organization of that city.

Midland is sponsoring the Fort Stockton unit.

Attending the presentation and charter banquet were: A. A. (Pooty) Jones, Ernest Neill, Frank Wood, Bob Watson, Ted Thompson, Dr. H. L. Schlichting, A. T. Pierce, I. B. Ridgeway, Alfred (Red) Pentry, and Nub Jones.

Midland JayCees recently sponsored the organization of JayCees at McCamey.

Bevin Signs Treaties



(NEA Radio-Telephoto) Ernest Bevin, Britain's Foreign Minister, signed peace treaties with Italy, Hungary, Bulgaria, Rumania and Poland at the Foreign Office in London on Tuesday.

Pencil And Meat Cleaver Are Effective Weapons

BOSTON — (AP) — When two holdup men threatened Harry Gordon in his market, he made a hasty but effective choice of defensive weapons.

Gordon jabbed a pencil at the eyes of the nearest thief and held him at bay while he reached for a meat cleaver.

That did it. The intruders fled.

Three Killed And 90 Injured When Train Hits Truck

FRESNO, CALIF. — (AP) — A crack Southern Pacific passenger train smashed through a tank truck and trailer late Tuesday with an explosion heard six miles away, showering 10 railroad cars with flaming gasoline and killing at least three persons.

Ninety passengers were injured, nearly 30 remaining in serious condition Wednesday.

The train was the streamlined San Joaquin Daylight en route from Los Angeles to Oakland. It was sprayed with burning gasoline and turned into a blazing wreck in a matter of seconds; its gaily-decorated orange cars jammed with frantic passengers smashing windows and fighting crazily to escape.

Only 10 of the streamliner's 14 cars burned and none of them left the tracks but the sudden envelopment of the train in blazing gasoline and deadly fumes created a near-panic among the hundreds of passengers who, a moment before, had been leisurely enjoying the streamliner's club cars and other comforts.

46 Remain In Hospital

SAN FRANCISCO — (AP) — All but 46 of the passengers and trainmen injured in the flaming crash of a train and gasoline tank-truck near Fresno Tuesday were released from treatment Tuesday night, the Southern Pacific Railroad reported Wednesday.

Texas Shivers Under Freezing Temperatures Wednesday Morning

By The Associated Press
All of Texas except a small area near the coast shivered under below-freezing temperatures early Wednesday, but a shifting wind pattern will bring warmer Thursday.

The Weather Bureau said southerly winds will take over Thursday and blow the norther away.

Coldest spot Wednesday was Lufkin with 17 degrees. Other lows were Lubbock 22, Guadalupe Pass and Abilene 25, Fort Worth, Wichita Falls, and Big Spring 26, and San Angelo 28.

Only above-freezing reports came from Galveston, Corpus Christi, Brownsville, Laredo and El Paso.

The weather generally was clear. A thin veil of high clouds was reported in the West and Central portions of Texas. There was no rain.

Chinese Agent On UN Committee Is Called Home

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The breakdown of Chinese peace negotiations was reported Wednesday to have prompted Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek to recall his top military leader, Gen. Ho Yin-chin, from the United States.

Chinese officials said that General Ho, who currently is China's representative on the United Nations Staff Committee, probably will leave for home this month.

The general's recall is viewed by some diplomatic authorities as a further indication that the two rival factions in China are squaring off to resume full scale warfare in the Spring or Summer.

Work Nearing Completion

Chinese officials say only that Ho's work in this country is nearing completion. He heads a military mission as well as serving on the UN Committee, and officials said the mission's work has been about wound up.

There is no hint whether Ho will resume the post of chief of staff which he held for some nine years. This has been filled since his departure by Gen. Cheng Chen.

Three Bills Passed By Texas Senate

AUSTIN — (AP) — The Senate continued its swift-paced lawmaking Wednesday morning giving approval to three bills in less than an hour.

The chamber approved a \$37,571 appropriation to the Department of Education to administer Texas' share of the federal government's \$75,000,000 free school lunch program.

A bill setting aside \$25,000 for use by the Attorney General's department if the money is needed to file suit against New Mexico in interests of the Pecos River Compact Commission was approved.

Sen. T. C. Chadick's bill to allow cities to permit use of sidewalk, traffic signs and such for private advertising purposes was approved.

Agriculture Committee Approves Payments

The County Agriculture Committee, in a meeting in the Agriculture Conservation Administration office in the courthouse Wednesday, discussed progress on the work for 1947 and reviewed and approved applications for payments on 1946 farm and ranch practices.

The committee consists of W. E. Pigg, Dwight McDonald, and Terry Elkin. James A. Boyd, ACA office secretary, took part in the meeting.

Lamesa Citizens Vote Water, Sewage Bonds

LAMESA — (AP) — Revenue bonds totaling \$519,000 for expansion of water and sewage systems, park improvements, fire department improvements and erection of a city implement shed were approved four to one by Lamesa voters Tuesday.

President Warns Hopes Can Yet Be Betrayed And Lost; Dangers Lie Ahead

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Truman told Congress Wednesday the United Nations has made "great progress" in the past year but that world hopes for peace can yet "be betrayed and lost."

"The difficulties and dangers that lie before us are many and serious," Truman said in a letter transmitting to both the Senate and House a report on United States activities in the world organization during 1946.

He declared in the report that progress made on international control of atomic energy is "heartening," "due chiefly to increasing Russian agreement with American proposals for a world control system."

On the other hand, the Chief Executive described as "disappointingly slow" the work of the Military Staff Committee. That UN agency has the task of organizing the forces which the Security Council is authorized to use against any future aggressor.

Truman said, however, "there are already signs of greater speed and it is hoped that the pace of the committee's work will continue to accelerate."

Listed Accomplishment
The President listed as one outstanding accomplishment of the peace agency during its first year the unanimous agreement by the 54-member nations, including Russia, on the principle of international control and inspection of atomic energy, "established by treaty and not subject to any veto in its operations." But he added:

"Many months of hard work and difficult negotiation in the Security Council and the Atomic Energy Commission lie ahead. Not all the essential principles have been agreed upon. The problem of enforcement must still be resolved."

Truman said one of the "important long range achievements of the General Assembly's first session, which was held partly in London and partly in New York, was the adoption of resolutions for "codification and development of international law."

U. S. Policy
Developments toward the application of international law to individuals—as in the cases of the Nazi leaders tried at Nuremberg—as well as to states "are of profound significance," the President said, because:

"We can not have lasting peace unless a genuine rule of world law is established and enforced."

Truman reiterated that this country's policy is to support the United Nations with all its resources as a "permanent partnership."

Funeral Services Planned For Two Explosion Victims
WICHITA FALLS — (AP) — Funeral services for two of the four men killed instantly in a nitroglycerin explosion at an oil well near Holiday Tuesday will be held Thursday.

Arrangements for rites for G. M. Shaffer of Kadane Corners and his son V. C. Shaffer of Electra were incomplete.

Funeral services for Nelson (Doc) Mosier of Wichita Falls will be held here Thursday at 10 a.m. Burial will be in Red Keu, Ind. The body of O. F. Smith, who lived on the lease, will be sent to Avery, Texas, for services and burial there Thursday.

A fifth man, W. M. (Bill) Austin was injured and taken to a Wichita Falls hospital. His injuries were not considered serious.

The explosion occurred on a Chapman and McFarlin lease in the Hull-Silk area. The men were preparing to shoot a well when the nitroglycerin in Mosier's truck exploded. No fire resulted, but the truck and two cars were demolished.

Justice of the Peace Henry L. Knight conducted the inquest.

Grandfalls Youth Is Killed In Fall From Oil Well Rig

MONAHANS — James Howard Howell, 22, of Grandfalls was killed instantly Tuesday when he fell from an oil well rig seven miles South of Wickett. He was employed by J. P. (Bum) Gibbins, Midland drilling contractor.

Funeral arrangements are pending. Howell, a resident of Grandfalls for 11 years, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Howell. He was a Navy veteran.

WARNINGS ARE ISSUED COLLEGE STATION — (AP) — Emergency warnings to be on the alert for forest fires and proceed with caution have been issued to residents and motorists in the East Texas timberland areas.

Lions Contribute To March Of Dimes



John Biggs, president of the Midland Lions Club, pours a hat-full of dimes into the March of Dimes barrel at the Post Office. The Lions Club contribution, totaling \$50, helped swell Midland contributions to the Infantile Paralysis Fund after the barrel was robbed of its contents two days previously.

SOCIETY

Ladies Association Entertains With Buffet Supper, Bridge Party

Red hearts, cupid and red and white floral arrangements decorated the Midland Country Club Tuesday evening when the Ladies Association of the club entertained members and their guests with a buffet supper and bridge party.

With a Valentine theme featured, the buffet table was covered with red cellophane and covered with white sprayed foliage into which were intermingled red carnations and small lighted white candles. Red and white candles in silver candelabra flanked the center arrangement. Also featured in the dining room were red and white candles in tall candelabra.

The guests ate at quartet tables which were covered in white and centered with red heart arrangements.

Bridge Winners
Winning high in bridge for ladies was Mrs. James Mascho. Mrs. J. P. Ruckman won second high. In the men's division W. A. Thomas won high and J. M. Armstrong won second. Mrs. J. M. Armstrong won 'bingo.'

Members and guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Abell, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Aldrich, Mr. and Mrs. James N. Allison, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Payton Anderson, Mrs. Gordon Bird, Max Hendricks, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ayres, R. S. Brennan, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hoey, Ruth Smith, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barker, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Bridgewater, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Beakey, Mrs. Ida Faye Cowden, Mrs. Clifford Cool, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Breith, Dr. and Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Black, Mr. and Mrs. John B. Coulter, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Conger, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cabanes, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Garner.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Cowden, Mr. and Mrs. John Casselman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Erskine, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Eastham, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis, Mrs. F. J. Downey, Mrs. C. G. Cooper, Herb Fox, Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Forgeron, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Flanigan, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Green, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Gibbins, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Mygdal, Mrs. R. E. Roark, Mrs. George Slenz, Maxine Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mascho, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Mears, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Leif Olson, Mrs. Erma Mancill, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Richards.

Also Present
Mrs. W. I. West, Mrs. Nathan Webb, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Shelby, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Pitzer, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pomeroy, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Pryor, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Prichard, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ruckman, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Reigle, Mr. and Mrs. James Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sealy, Mr. and Mrs. John L. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Shirey, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Terrill, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dillard, Burt Gilham, Dan Hudson, Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, Mrs. W. C. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Alstrin, Mr. and Mrs. Burl Self, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Phillips, Mrs. V. C. Maley, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Vance, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Velvin, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Yarborough, Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ground, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Girdley, Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hartwell, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Loskamp, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. LaForce and Mr. and Mrs. Milward Miller.

Study Leader Directs Program For WSCS Circle

Mrs. C. M. Chase, study leader, reviewed the first and second chapters of the Bible study book, "Stewardship of Life" at the meeting Monday of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. John A. Sewell, circle chairman, directed the meeting, which was at the home of Mrs. E. P. Birkhead, 304 North Baird Avenue. Present were Mrs. Earl H. Ray, Mrs. LeRoy Thompkins, Mrs. S. H. Hudkins, Mrs. Dave Hoover, Mrs. Otis Ligon, Mrs. E. B. Patterson, Mrs. W. P. Prothro, Mrs. E. J. Voliva, Mrs. J. G. Carson, Jr., Mrs. Ellis Conner, Mrs. J. A. Andrews, Mrs. Gran Vaughan, Mrs. John Fiske, Mrs. J. M. Prothro, Mrs. Lennel Hester, Mrs. W. M. Sartain, Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, and Mrs. Frank L. True, Jr.

Russell Gifford Speaks To Junior High School P-TA

"Developing Better Citizens" was discussed by Russell Gifford at the meeting of the John M. Cowden Junior High School Parent-Teacher Association Tuesday evening in the music building.

G. E. Massey, principal of the junior high school, gave the invocation. Mrs. A. S. Hollingsworth, president of the P-TA directed the meeting.

In his talk Gifford stressed the importance of the home in developing better citizens.

Chorus Gives Numbers
The Junior High School Chorus, directed by Dorothy Routh, presented three numbers. Jerleen Jowell played the violin obligato and Diana Deugherty was pianist.

Mrs. L. W. Leggett gave a short talk on P-TA Founder's Day which is February 17. A report of the past work of the Junior High School P-TA was given by Mrs. George Gibson and past presidents were presented.

Frank Monroe, superintendent of the Midland public schools, gave a brief insight to the future of Midland schools.

Massey discussed the educational bill which is now before the state legislature.

The attendance award was won by the eighth grade taught by Crystal Kennedy.

Nominating Committee
During the business meeting Mrs. Stanley Erskine, Mrs. L. W. Leggett and Mrs. Earl Chapman were selected as a nominating committee.

The P-TA voted to sponsor a Boy Scout Cub pack.

Mrs. E. H. McGuigan and Mrs. George Glass were in charge of the social hour following the meeting.

Mrs. Hollingsworth and Mrs. Raymond Leggett presided at the refreshment table, which was centered with an arrangement of white roses.

Approximately 70 attended the meeting.

Swiss Girl Marries Elton A. Riggs In Midland Ceremony

Suzanne Adrienne Montandon of Switzerland arrived in Midland early Saturday morning and at 4:30 p. m. Saturday, was married to Elton A. Riggs of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Riggs of Beville.

The ceremony was read by the Rev. Paul H. Coxe, pastor of the First Assembly of God Church, in the home of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a grey street suit with an off the face hat.

Arriving in the United States, the bride, who speaks no English, was pleased with the friendliness of the people.

The couple will live in Midland, for the present, moving to Beville soon where the bridegroom's father is pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

Mrs. Paul H. Coxe and the parents of the bridegroom were present for the wedding.

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Legion Studies Boy Scout Sponsorship

The American Legion post of Midland discussed sponsorship of a Boy Scout troop at its business meeting Tuesday night in the courthouse.

Whether the Legion will sponsor a new troop or take over one with inactive status is under advisement.

Dr. H. A. Ireland was present at the meeting to describe sponsorship of a Boy Scout Troop.

How to get in 1947 memberships for the Legion was discussed. Memberships are coming in rapidly, but the post desires to obtain every possible member.

It was reported the Legion intends to mark the graves of all veterans in Fairview Cemetery.

The Midland post furnished pallbearers at the recent funeral of Henry Lee Hale, veteran of World War II, who died here.

Upton Red Cross Drive Chairman Is Appointed

McCAMEY — This year's annual Red Cross drive in Upton County will be headed by Gerald McGuire who was named by directors of the Red Cross chapter here.

Directors are George Ramer, Jack Ott and Mat Dillingham. Dillingham recently was elected to the board to succeed Ernest McKinney, resigned.

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Coming Events

THURSDAY

Mrs. A. P. Shirey will discuss "How To Get The Most Out Of Roses" when the Midland Garden Club meets at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Foy Proctor, 2001 West Holloway Street.

The Business and Professional Women's Club of Midland will meet at 12 noon at Hotel Scharbauer for their February luncheon meeting.

The North Elementary Cub Scout Dens will meet at 4 p. m. Den 1 with Mrs. Kelly, 1010 West Michigan Avenue; Den 3 with Mrs. Richard Hinkle, 108 Club Drive; Den 5 with Mrs. Jack Anderson, 304 North Pecos Avenue; Den 6 with Mrs. Edgar Galle, 112 West Maiden Lane; and Den 7 with Mrs. Lamar Lunt, 510 West Holmsley Street.

There will be a business meeting of the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Lillie Midkiff, 1002 South Marienfield Street.

The East Side Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. G. P. Bradbury, Magnolia Tank Farm.

The mission book "God Can" will be reviewed at the Life Service meeting of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church at 7 p. m.

FRIDAY

The Young Woman's Auxiliary will have a progressive dinner to begin at the First Baptist Church at 6:15 p. m.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

A Valentine dance will be held by the Minuet Club from 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. in the Scharbauer Hotel. Music will be furnished by Jack Free and his orchestra of Abilene.

Hostesses for the Ladies Association luncheon at 1 p. m. at the Country Club will be Mrs. W. G. Keeler, Mrs. S. P. Hazlip and Mrs. A. Morganni. Golf will be played at 9:30 a. m.

The Midland Concert-Lecture will present Ellis Gibbs Arnall, former governor of Georgia, in a lecture at 8 p. m. at the Midland High School auditorium.

SATURDAY

Children's Theater Group I will meet at 10:30 a. m. and Group II will meet at 1:30 p. m. The Junior Workshop of the Community Theater will meet at 3:15 p. m.

The Youth Canteen at the Midland High School Gymnasium will be open from 2 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 11 p. m.

The Junior Choir of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 9:30 a. m.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 to 5 p. m.

SOCIETY

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Ophelia Greene Becomes Bride Of James Sessions In Big Spring

In a candlelight ceremony read Tuesday evening in Big Spring, Ophelia Greene of Midland, daughter of Mrs. J. M. Greene of Big Spring and the late J. M. Greene of Sweetwater, became the bride of James P. Sessions of Oklahoma City, son of Mrs. L. L. Sessions of Okmulgee, Okla.

The Rev. Gage Lloyd, pastor of the Big Spring First Presbyterian Church, read the double-ring ceremony in the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Charles Eberley. The bridal couple stood before a mantel decorated with pastel flowers and white candles.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her sister, Mrs. Eberley, wore a grey wool suit with a white lace inserted blouse with high neckline. Her accessories were black patent leather. She carried an orchid on a white Bible with stephanotis on white satin ribbon streamers.

Old, New, Borrowed, Blue
For something old the bride wore a sterling silver bracelet belonging to Mrs. George Park of Midland, who introduced the couple; for something new, she wore silver earrings set with rhinestones, which were a gift of the bridegroom; for something borrowed, the white Bible borrowed from Mrs. Neta Stovall and for something blue, a handkerchief belonging to Mrs. Bill Collins.

Mrs. George Park was matron of honor and George Park served as best man.

Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eberley were hosts for a buffet dinner.

C of C Secretary
The bride, who has been office secretary for the Midland Chamber of Commerce for 10 years, has resigned her position and will travel with her husband during the next year. The bridegroom travels in West Texas, New Mexico and Colorado as representative of the Century Insulation Company of Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Sessions is a graduate of Sweetwater High School and attended Sul Ross College in Alpine two years. She also attended John Sealy Nursing School in Galveston, eight months before coming to

Midland in 1935. She has been active in the Midland Business and Professional Women's Club and is a past president of the organization.

Sessions attended Earlham College in Indiana two and one-half years and received a Bachelor of Arts degree from Oklahoma University. He served with the Army Air Forces three years, receiving a discharge in October, 1945.

Infants born in the United States today have an average longevity of nearly 65 years.

Mrs. Henry Roy Is Honored With Party

Mrs. Henry Roy was complimented with a pink and blue gift party recently when Mrs. Charles Campanella and Billie Jean Callaway entertained at the home of Mrs. Campanella, 921 North Main Street.

The table was centered with a large stork surrounded with gifts. Present were Mrs. Renfro Rickman, Mrs. W. H. Wesson, Mrs. W. R. Roy, Mrs. Melvin Haney, Mrs. Eugene Smyres, Mrs. J. W. Pace, Mrs. Doyle Snody, Mrs. Bill Lees, Mrs. Elvis Hughes, Mrs. Haskell Jobe, Mrs. Leonard Robey, Mrs. P. L. Crawley, Mrs. Lee Robey, and Mrs. Eddie Gill of Nixon.

Miss Posey Assumes Secretary Position

Miss Charlotte Posey, formerly a receptionist in the office of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, has succeeded Ophelia Greene as secretary in that office.

Miss Greene, who had held the position for a number of years, resigned and is leaving the city. She was married Tuesday evening to James P. Sessions.

New tests developed by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, by examination of a sample of cheese, can detect if as little as a pint of raw milk is used in a ton lot of pasteurized milk.

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Midlanders Placed On WTCC Committee
Two Midlanders have been selected for the West Texas-Texas and Pacific Industrial Development Committee of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. They are Paul McHargue and Delbert Downing.
The committee's task will be to sell railroads on West Texas territory as a home for industry. Officers and committeemen beside McHargue and Downing, include: Frank H. Kelley, Colorado City, chairman; John D. Mitchell, Coeasa, vice-chairman; J. H. Greene, Big Spring, secretary; Price Campbell and John Womble, Abilene; Ace Hickman and Tee Baulch, Baird; W. O. Wallace and Jack Ruid, Ballinger; G. H. Hayward, Big Spring; J. J. Callaway and B. A. Butler, Cisco; L. A. Chapman, Colorado City; T. E. Richardson and H. J. Tanner, Eastland;
M. H. Alberts and Charles Green, Kermit; J. B. Thomas and William Holden, Fort Worth; J. W. Birdwell and Ernest M. Mims, Mineral Wells; J. L. Pinkerton and Nolan McKeon, Monahans; M. J. Benefield, Odessa; Tom Carr and Alton Hughes, Pecos; David D. Pickrel and R. V. Galloway, Ranger; R. O. Dobbins and L. C. Rice, Roscoe; J. I. Encke, Strawn; Rigdon Edwards and L. A. Wilke, Sweetwater; Jack Sisco and J. M. Davidson, Weatherford; and C. E. Sullivan and W. H. Rampy, Winters.

Midlanders Visit Royal Jupiter Exhibit
Midland County ranchers, 4-H boys, vocational agriculture students and other interested persons were visiting the exhibit of Royal Jupiter, the international grand champion steer, on the courthouse lawn Wednesday afternoon.
Joel Wright, well known cattle authority, discussed the feeding and handling of the Shorthorn steer and the winning points which go to make up the grand champion. To San Angelo Thursday
The exhibit was scheduled to end about 4 p. m. The steer was to be taken to San Angelo for exhibition Thursday. W. C. Keeler, manager of the Firestone store here, said.
The 1,380-pound grand champion, raised by Oklahoma A&M College, took first place over every other steer shown at the International Livestock Exposition at Chicago. He was purchased by the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company at a record price of \$10.50 a pound. Firestone is sending this \$14,490 Shorthorn on a nation-wide educational tour to exhibit him in leading cattle-raising communities of the nation.

COTTON
NEW YORK —(P)— Noon cotton prices Wednesday were 35 cents to \$1.15 a bale higher than the previous close. March 32.35, May 31.40, and July 29.48.
TRIES FOR WORLD RECORD
DAYTON —(P)— A 35-year-old Army Air Forces helicopter expert planned to take off Wednesday from Wright Field in four degrees above zero weather in an attempt to establish an official world's altitude record for such planes.
ANDREWS VISITORS
Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Roberts of Andrews were Midland business visitors Wednesday. Roberts is manager of the Andrews Chamber of Commerce.

Congratulations To
Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Moore on the birth Tuesday, of a daughter, weighing seven pounds, ten ounces.
Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Riggs on the birth Tuesday, of a daughter, Arnetta Yvonne, weighing six pounds, nine ounces.
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Pecos Musician
Roberta Wood, 13-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Evan J. Wood of Pecos, will represent that city in the All-State Band to be assembled at the Galveston convention of the Texas Music Educators Association Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Miss Wood, also an advanced piano student, is a cousin of Mrs. Maude Newnam, and a niece of Mrs. Jeanie Graham, both of Midland.

LIVESTOCK
FORT WORTH —(P)— Cattle 1,900; calves 600; active on all classes; prices strong with spots higher; load of choice 1,205 lb fed steers 24.25; good beef steers and yearlings 20.00-22.00; common and medium 12.00-18.00; medium and good cows 11.50-14.00; cutter and common cows 9.50-11.50; canners 7.50-9.50; good and choice fat calves bulked at 16.50-19.00; few to 20.00; some fed heavyweights higher; medium and good stocker steers, yearlings and calves 14.00-17.00.
Hogs 1,100; butcher hogs steady to 35c higher; sows and pigs steady; good and choice 180-300 lb butchers 24.25-50; heavier weights 23.00-24.00; 150-175 lb 21.00-24.00; good sows 20.00; stocker pigs 18.00 down.
Sheep 2,000; steady; medium and good slaughter lambs 18.00-20.00; a few choice lambs to 21.00; good yearlings 16.00; common and medium ewes 7.00-50; medium and good feeder lambs 16.00-18.50.
Farmers are believed to own more airplanes than other occupational group, with some states claiming a thousand and more.

Repays Debt To Dog
Twenty-one-year-old Sonny Wells, gets an affectionate kiss from the old hound dog he rescued from the face of Stone Mountain, Ga. Sonny, who was once saved from drowning by "an old hound dog", almost lost his life repaying the debt when he slipped on the smooth surface of the mountain.

Sadler Speaks To Tuberculosis Board
Dr. F. E. Sadler, director of the Midland-Howard-Ector County Health Unit, Tuesday night praised the Midland County Tuberculosis Association board for its work in supporting a bill before the Texas Legislature to build two additional TB sanitoriums in the state.
The board met in the association's office in the City-County Auditorium.
Mrs. Lennie Davidson, association secretary, reported on health education programs given before home demonstration clubs during January.
The first of a series of radio programs, sponsored by the association and starring Lionel Barrymore, was given over KCRS Tuesday night. The broadcasts will be given each Tuesday and Thursday night until February 27.
Board members present were Mrs. William Impt, Mrs. Nettey Romer, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, and Mrs. F. R. Shenk. Curtis Curry was a visitor.

Truman Asks Legislation
WASHINGTON —(P)— President Truman Wednesday asked Congress for legislation which would place Republican Speaker Joe Martin first in line of succession to the presidency.
R. M. WAGGONER DIES
WICHITA FALLS —(P)— R. M. "Bob" Waggoner, 79, a pioneer Wichita County cattle and oil man, died here Wednesday after a long illness.
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Rare Scene
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Children Burn To Death
WICHITA FALLS —(P)— The two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ellington were burned to death Tuesday night in flames which destroyed their three-room home at Jolly, 10 miles east of here. The victims were Wiley Allen, 3 years, 11 months, and Lois Virginia, 1 year, 4 months.
CARS DAMAGED IN COLLISION NEAR HERE
The sheriff's department Wednesday investigated an early-morning collision, between automobiles driven by Ray Efferon of Garden City and William Hill of Midland, on the Garden City Highway 11 miles southeast of Midland. Officers said the cars collided head-on.
The cars were damaged badly but no one was injured.
WILL ASK FOR MONEY TO ADVERTISE OKLAHOMA
OKLAHOMA CITY —(P)— The Industrial Advisory Council of the Oklahoma Planning and Resources Board voted at its first meeting Tuesday to ask the Legislature for \$150,000 to advertise resources of the state.

NOTICE TO BUYERS OF OFFICE FURNITURE
If you can delay your purchases for about two weeks, you may be able to get just what you want at lower prices than you ever have seen in Midland.

Junior High Choir Entertains Lions
The A Capella Choir of John M. Cowden Junior High School entertained the luncheon Lions Club at its weekly luncheon meeting Wednesday in the Scharbauer Hotel.
G. E. Massey, principal, introduced the group. Miss Dorothy Routh directed the choir. Piano accompanist was Diana Daugherty. Violin accompanist was Jerelyn Jowell.
V. M. Ligon and Harris Eastham, Jr., were inducted as new Lions. John P. Butler made the induction. Jim Daugherty, a vice-president, presided at the luncheon for President John Biggs.
A board of directors meeting was held following the luncheon.

Busy Wives Club Watch Demonstration
The Busy Wives Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. A. S. Norwood, Tuesday and watched a demonstration on making ottomans. The demonstration was given by Mrs. Foy Lesley and Mrs. C. E. Lindenmuth.
Mrs. J. J. Bradley presided at the business session during which a collection was taken for the delegates to the Texas Home Demonstration Association.
New members taken in were Mrs. Roy Lands, Mrs. A. C. Matlock, Mrs. O. F. Wells, Mrs. Dorothy Heald.
Refreshments were served to Mmes. Lesley, J. W. McKenzie, W. A. Brazell, Bradley, Lindenmuth, Norwood, Fred Truelove, and F. D. Spratt. Mrs. Preston Vest, leader in the Valley View Club, was a visitor.
The next meeting will be held February 18 at the home of Mrs. Lindenmuth, 900 South Fort Worth Street.

Court Upholds Right
AUSTIN —(P)— The Supreme court Wednesday upheld the right of Beaumont to annex territory without consulting the taxpayers voters of the territory annexed.
COLLISION REPORTED
Police reported a minor collision Wednesday morning on North Main Street between cars driven by H. A. Mashburn and H. F. Heath. There were no injuries.

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N. Y. Yankees Will Make Month Tour Of Americas

NEW YORK —(P)—Larty MacPhail's Yankee flying circus, with 33 performers, takes off February 14 for a month-long stand in Central and South America before opening training at St. Petersburg, Fla., March 12.

The main objective of manager Bucky Harris on the tour through Puerto Rico, Venezuela and Cuba will be, the new pilot said at a press conference Tuesday, to "study the pitchers, with whose work I'm somewhat unfamiliar."

About the only regulars to be left behind, Harris said, are pitchers Spud Chandler and Randy Gumpert, who will report with the rest of the Yankee squad at St. Petersburg February 20. "I know what they can do," Harris explained.

Included on the roster of the aerial contingent, however, are such renowned stars as Joe DiMaggio, Charley Keller, Tommy Henrich, George Stinewiss, Bill Johnson and Aaron Robinson.

Harris was optimistic over hospital reports on DiMaggio, who underwent an operation recently for the removal of a bone spur from his right heel.

"He is now walking with a cane," said Harris of his outfielder. "He is anxious to make the trip, but after all, it's his heel and he knows best what he can do."

The Bombers will play 14 games in the three countries before arriving back in Florida March 11. After a five-game exhibition schedule at San Juan, Puerto Rico, there will be six games at Caracas—three—and three, also with the Dodgers—and three, also with the Dodgers, at Havana.

Midland All-Stars To Play Crane VFW Five

The Midland All-Stars, playing in the Odessa City League, are scheduled Wednesday night against the Crane VFW team.

Midland lost the first league game to Ector Hardware.

The team plays once weekly in the league.

ACCEPTS CALIFORNIA POST

SAN DIEGO, CALIF. —(P)—Charles T. Sportsman, 44, formerly of North Texas State College at Denton, has accepted a position of track coach at San Diego State College, athletic director Carl Young said Tuesday.

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BULLDOGS LASSO BRONCHOS, 31-21

ODESSA—Those last-half hotshots lately, the Midland Bulldogs, beat the Odessa Bronchos, 31 to 21, here Tuesday night in a 3-AA conference basket ball tilt with a last-stanza spurt of 24 points.

Down 11-7 at the halftime, the Bulldogs caught fire and began chunking 'em in for tallies.

Led by Larruping Larry Messersmith, who lassoed 21 points, the "B" Bulldogs trimmed the "B" Bronchos, 48 to 31 in the curtain-raiser.

Jimmy Edwards and Jack Cox led the Midland varsity attack with 10 points each for a split of scoring honors. Campbell with eight tallies shone for Odessa. The Bulldogs limited Patterson, ace of the Bronchos, to five points.

The boxscore:

MIDLAND "B"				
Player	FG	FT	F	TP
Dunn	3	1	2	7
Harris	4	0	3	8
Messersmith	10	1	0	21
Jackson	1	0	2	2
Hankla	2	1	3	5
Shepard	0	0	1	0
Spaw	0	0	1	0
Dickerson	2	1	1	5
Totals	22	4	13	48

ODESSA "B"				
Player	FG	FT	F	TP
Griffin	2	0	1	4
Moses	4	1	2	9
Jackson	2	0	1	4
Tyler	2	1	4	5
Whisenhunt	0	0	2	0
Manning	0	5	2	5
Yarbrough	0	0	0	0
Walker	0	3	0	0
Partridge	0	0	0	0
Hall	0	1	1	1
Totals	10	11	13	31

MIDLAND "A"				
Player	FG	FT	F	TP
Kirby	2	1	4	5
Urlic	1	1	3	3
Edwards	4	2	4	10
Greene	0	0	0	0
Cox	5	0	2	10
Cole	1	1	2	3
Goode	0	0	1	0
Hamlet	0	0	0	0
Sevier	0	0	0	0
Hightower	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	5	16	31

ODESSA "A"				
Player	FG	FT	F	TP
Matejowsky	0	1	1	1
Pace	0	0	0	0
Campbell	2	4	4	8
Townsend	2	1	4	5
Patterson	2	1	5	5
Carter	0	0	0	0
Dozier	0	0	0	0
Eyitt	0	0	0	0
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Totals	7	7	17	21

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Basket Ball Scores

North Texas State 69, Trinity 30.
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EL PASO COURSE KING

EL PASO —(P)—Jack Harden, El Paso Country Club pro, was undisputed king of the club's golf course Wednesday. Harden carded a 33-31-64, in an exhibition match Tuesday, best performance ever played over the local course.

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Parents Must Be With Minors For Big Rabbit Drive

No minors will be allowed on Midland's rabbit drive scheduled next Tuesday unless they are accompanied by parents, it was announced Tuesday.

Women are invited on the hunt and are asked to bring cakes or pies for the dinner to be held at Cloverdale Park at noon.

Arrangements are complete for the drive. Rabbit committeemen are T. E. Bizzell, Luther Tidwell and A. C. Caswell.

The hunt will start from the T. E. Bizzell place, which is two miles south of Midland. Starting time is 8:30 a. m.

Any old rabbit hunters, unable to attend due to lack of transportation, should notify the committee.

Cattlemen Will Meet In San Antonio Friday

SAN ANTONIO —(P)—Members of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers' Association will meet here Friday to discuss means of combating the foot and mouth disease now prevalent among cattle in Mexico. C. E. Weymouth of Amarillo, president, who called the meeting, said representatives from other states have been invited to attend.

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Big Spring Steers Beat Lamesa, 41-25

BIG SPRING —(P)—Big Spring's Steers grabbed a huge half-time lead here Tuesday night and went on to rout the Lamesa Tornados, 41-25, in a 3-AA conference game. Big Spring thus held to its unbeaten record within the conference.

Big Spring led 31-8 at the half. Eddie Houser scored 20 points for the Steers, while Hoffman led Lamesa with 12.

Big Spring also won the B game, 45-31, leading at the half 30-12.

Protests Solicitation

PORT ARTHUR —(P)—Jess Neely, head coach of Rice Institute, protested solicitation by out-of-state colleges of Texas athletes and urged 100 football players representing senior high schools in the Port Arthur area to attend Texas colleges if they intend to remain in the state. He spoke at a banquet sponsored by the American Legion Tuesday night.

RECORD CAN BE BEATEN

NEW YORK —(P)—Greg Rice, one of America's greatest middle distance runners, believes Gil Dobbs can break his (Rice's) world indoor two-mile record of 8:51 this season.

SCHEDULED TO COMPETE

ORLANDO, FLA. —(P)—More than two score teams were scheduled to compete Wednesday for 32 championship flight berths in the sixth annual Florida Mixed Two-Ball Open Golf Tournament here.

WIND UP MEETING

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M. —(P)—New Mexico wool growers wind up their 44th annual meeting Wednesday with discussion of production and sanitation problems including the Mexican outbreak of foot-and-mouth disease.

LEGISLATORS WILL INSPECT

HOUSTON —(P)—Some 200 members of the state Legislature will arrive here by special train Saturday to inspect the site of the prospective \$100,000,000 Texas Medical Center.

CHARGED WITH ROBBERY

SAN ANTONIO —(P)—Two Odessa men were charged in Justice of the Peace Frank Vaughn's court here Tuesday in the January 19 robbery of three liquor stores here. They were Earl H. West, 33, and Nicholas D. Muse, 33. The pair were arrested Monday in Kerrville.

Drawing Cards

Rubber manufacturers used 37 per cent natural rubber and 63 per cent synthetic in 1946, compared to 12 per cent and 88 per cent the year before.

Champion Breeder Class Cattle Go On Auction Block

HOUSTON —(P)—Grand champions in the Angus, Jersey, Brahman and Shorthorn breeder classes of the 1947 Houston Livestock Show will go on the auction block Wednesday.

In Tuesday's judging, Erica Brook Boy 12, an Aberdeen-Angus owned by Tommy Brook of Camp San Saba took grand champion bull honors. Essar Ranch of San Antonio showed the champion Angus female.

Top Brahman bull of the show was Jaceto Hilar, owned by Burke Brothers of Corsicana. Top female honors went to a cow owned by J. D. Hudgins of Hungerford.

In the Jersey dairy show, D. T. Simons of Fort Worth showed the champion with his bull, Draconis Royal Baron. Best female Jersey was shown by Herman F. Heep, Buda.

Top winner of the junior dairy show was Raymond McNutt of Coleman.

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National Boxing Association May Hold Own Inquiry In Rocky Graziano's Case

NEW YORK —(P)—As Rocky Graziano continued his fight for fistic life before the State Athletic Commission Wednesday, the National Boxing Association indicated it might conduct its own inquiry in the case because it felt the commission wasn't interested in a united effort to "clean up boxing."

NBA President Abe Greene asserted the New York Commission should have invited an NBA representative to sit in on the Graziano case in view of Greene's statement last week that boxing's two most powerful governing bodies should join forces against gambling and fixing.

"We opened the door to New York," Greene declared, "and the commission didn't see fit to join us in a common platform."

Greene's statement came as the commission began the second day of its hearing on Graziano's failure to report a \$100,000 offer to throw a fight with Ruben Shank last month—one of two \$100,000 bids he received to fix bouts, neither bid accepted.

All indications are that if Graziano is given a severe penalty he will appeal to the courts on the grounds the commission's ruling would deprive him of making a living.

West Texas Kennel Club To Hold Next Sanction Match Here

Midland has been selected as the site for the next West Texas Kennel Club sanction match to be held in May. George Woodford of Midland is general chairman and will name the chairman of the show committee.

All officers of the club were re-elected at a meeting in Odessa last Sunday. They are: Glen Clark, Odessa, president; Woodford, vice president, and Mrs. Althea Conner, Monahans, secretary-treasurer.

New Members
John Coulter and John Richards of Midland, Dorothy Winkler, Jan King and Bill Chambers of Odessa, James M. Hardy of Big Spring, and Mrs. Joe Green of Monahans were extended membership in the club at the recent meeting.

Club members will meet again at 7:30 p. m., Thursday, in the public library in Odessa.

Paving Project Is Underway At Rankin

RANKIN —The Kay Williams Construction Company of Midland has started work on a 20-block paving project in Rankin.

More paving will be done than was originally planned, Mayor J. P. Rankin said. The city and county are assisting property owners with the paving cost.

Big Spring School Head Is Reelected

BIG SPRING —W. C. Blankenship was re-elected superintendent of Big Spring schools for a two-year period at a school board meeting here Tuesday night. Blankenship has held the post since 1928.

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Jess Rhoden of San Angelo was a Midland visitor Tuesday. He formerly resided here.

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Statistician Tells Econometric Society American Savings In 1950 Will Be Only 18 Billion Dollars

ATLANTIC CITY —(AP)— Prof. Franco Modigliani, chief statistician of the Institute of World Affairs of the New York New School for Social Research, told the Econometric Society that American savings in 1950, providing there was full employment, would be only \$18,000,000,000.

Professor Modigliani said he reached the figure by a statistical method for forecasting economic relationships of savings and profits

which refuted an analysis made two years ago by Prof. Jacob Viner of the University of Chicago and Dr. Arthur Smithies of the Bureau of the Budget.

Professors Mosak and Smithies said then that savings at full employment in 1950 would be about \$27,000,000,000. That amount, Professor Modigliani said, would create economic problems, particularly in finding investment outlets. Prospects for investments with savings of \$18,000,000,000 were much brighter, he said.

Meanwhile, Benjamin Graham, New York financial economist, told the American Economic Association, also meeting here, that the "crucial question" for the future was whether the United States could slow down productivity, which, he said, has tended to increase at a faster rate than production or consumption and income.

Graham explained that "our national productivity figure is a measure of the year-to-year changes in over-all output per man-hour," but "it does not carry any imputation of merit or credit as between men, management, or machines."

He said the national productivity figure for 1946 was 18 per cent better than in 1940.

Dr. Julius Hirsch of New York, former Secretary of Commerce in the German Republic, told the A. E. A. that of a \$58,000,000,000 gross national product, increase between 1939 and 1946 in terms of 1944 prices, \$30,750,000,000 was created by more workers and \$27,250,000,000 by additional productivity.

Professors Mosak and Smithies projected their 1950 savings figure on observations of gross national product of the 1920's and 1930's when there were booms and slumps in business, Professor Modigliani said.

He declared it was necessary to consider long-term trends as well in determining the relationship between savings and income.

By combining the two trends, he said, a projection showed gross national product of \$200,000,000,000 with full employment in 1950 and savings of about 11 or 12 per cent, or \$18,000,000,000.

"This means that instead of there being an oversupply of investment funds, with competition by the investors for investment outlets and consequently a lower rate of returns than if their were no oversupply, there would be a volume of savings for investment that could easily find investment opportunities," Professor Modigliani said.

Graham told the A. E. A.: "In 30 years between 1910 and 1940, there was an increase of 103 per cent in national income in constant dollars, but this increase was produced by total working hours only 8 per cent greater in 1940 than in 1910.

"Looking forward into the future, the crucial question will be whether we shall be able to reverse this tendency for productivity to expand faster than per capita product.

"Either we must increase production, consumption and income as fast as over-all productivity, or failing that we must decrease working hours sufficiently to offset the disparity, or failing both, we shall employ fewer workers."

Captured After Jail Break



A daring jail break at Tulsa, Okla., gained freedom for six men. Their freedom was short-lived, however, and police now have them all in custody. James Neeley, 17, right, of Dayton, Ohio, who has been charged in connection with the slaying of two Tulsa detectives, comes back to the police station shackled to Edgar Lee Mayhugh, 30, Tulsa, who is charged with car theft. Victor Lloyd Everhart, 23, who is charged with Neeley in the shooting of the two detectives, was slain by officers when he tried to run through a blockade.

(NEA Telephone)

Enlisted WAGs In Tokyo May Wear Civies On Weekends

TOKYO —(AP)— Enlisted Wacs brightened up recently when the Army said they could wear good old civilian clothes on week ends.

Slacks and bobby socks in the daytime and formals at night from Saturday noon to Sunday midnight is the new order for the 700 enlisted Wacs in the Tokyo-Yokohama area. But they still have to be in by midnight, except on Saturday, unless they certify they are going to a private home or rest hotel.

It's quite a treat for the girls to wear civies 36 hours each week in a foreign land where enlisted men and officers always must wear uniform. In dress, they now have equal rights with officer Wacs. Maj. Pauline V. Lynch, ranking WAC officer in Tokyo, said the enlisted Wacs have been good soldiers who have done a normal amount of griping about regulations but have conformed with good grace.

Their morale is excellent, she said, and they have boosted that of the soldiers who welcome the little bit of America they represent.

The first Wacs in this area arrived last Fall. They live in the modern six-story Mitsubishi main building, and have Japanese maids to do the routine housekeeping.

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Chinese General And Troops Shift Political Beliefs

NANKING —(AP)— It could happen only in China.

Gen. Ho Peng-chu, who has been commanding 50,000 Chinese Communist troops in their battles against Government forces along the critical Kiangsu-Shantung border, decided it wasn't very satisfactory—so now he is commanding a Government Army instead. Same troops, same Army instead.

The official Central News Agency reported the switch, with much supporting detail. General Ho's latest fence-jumping is his fourth such swap, the Government agency related.

During the war, the former National Government militarist became commander of Chinese puppet (anti-Government, pro-Japanese) troops in the Hsichow-Haichow area. After Japan's surrender, he reappeared, as a Government Army officer.

In January, 1946, he moved to the Chinese Communist camp, taking command of the Communists' "Democratic Reconstruction Joint Army," which for the past year has fought Government troops along the Shantung Province border.

Recently, in an exchange of messages with the opposing Government commanders at Hsichow, he expressed dissatisfaction with Communist methods. And on January 27, he appeared at the Lung-hai railroad town of Haichow—bringing his four bewildered divisions with him.

Their welcome by Government forces was jubilant.

With his new command, of course, goes a new title: Government Specification Commander in Southern Shantung, and concurrently Commander in Chief of the 42nd Group Army. But he's right back where he started, geographically.

His assignment: To smash Communists in Shantung.

Business Inventories Continues To Advance During November

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Business inventories continued to increase during November at all levels—manufacturers, wholesalers and retailers—and scored an over-all rise of \$1,100,000,000, the Commerce Department reported.

Total volume of business sales, \$34,300,000,000 exceeded the October volume only slightly, with increases in manufacturers' and retailers' sales being offset by a seasonal drop in wholesalers' receipts.

Durable goods, the department said, accounted for the larger portion of increases in manufacturers' and retailers' sales and for about two-thirds of the increase in inventories.

For the first time since April, the value of finished goods stocks held by manufacturers failed to increase, although over-all stocks were up \$335,000,000 to a total of \$19,900,000,000 on December 1 with durable goods again accounting for two-thirds of the rise.

Social Situations

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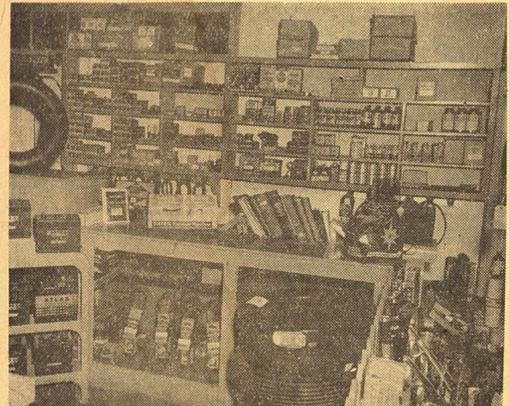
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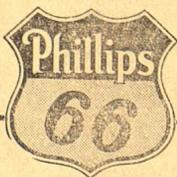
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Matthew 28:18.

Ford's Experiment

Young Henry Ford's cut in the price of his company's automobiles is, as Mr. Hoover described prohibition, an experiment noble in purpose. It also promises to be a successful accomplishment if he can get some co-operation from fellow industrialists and organized labor.

Ford referred to the price cut as a "shock treatment". But the shock is undoubtedly one that affects other businessmen rather than the national economy. Food prices already are coming down. Other items, particularly textiles, seem to be past their price peak. But in many durable goods, such as automobiles, demand still exceeds supply.

It may be that Ford has decided that if demand is allowed to push auto prices still higher, the consequent and inevitable drop will be more severe. So his price reduction is a cushioning rather than a shock treatment.

The Ford company announced that some of its 3,000 suppliers have followed suit and promised to reduce their prices to Ford, or at least hold them at present levels. But word also comes that the UAW-CIO, while congratulating Ford on his decision, is still determined to press its drive for an hourly wage increase of 23 1/2 cents at Ford.

Even less heartening, at the moment, is the outlook for contract negotiations in the steel industry, which are now under way. Philip Murray has let it be known that he is interested in getting his United Steelworkers not only a wage rise but also portal-to-portal pay, a guaranteed annual wage, a welfare fund, and other benefits.

All these are desirable, but right now they're likely to bring up the price of steel. Steel prices rose with the new contracts last year, and took another rise last month which reflected the higher cost of scrap. If steel prices go up again, the country can probably say goodbye to any hope of price cuts in the many products which would be affected by that rise.

Probably it is too much to hope that the steelworkers and the UAW would accept a price cut instead of a wage increase this year, or at least modify their demands enough to keep steel and auto prices at their present levels.

Price cuts naturally would benefit all of us, including the workers whose unions are negotiating new contracts. Substantial wage increases in anything as basic as steel might prove an illusory benefit even to the steelworkers by giving the scarcest group of products on the market today another upward nudge in cost. Ford's experiment would then probably go the way of that other noble experiment, prohibition.

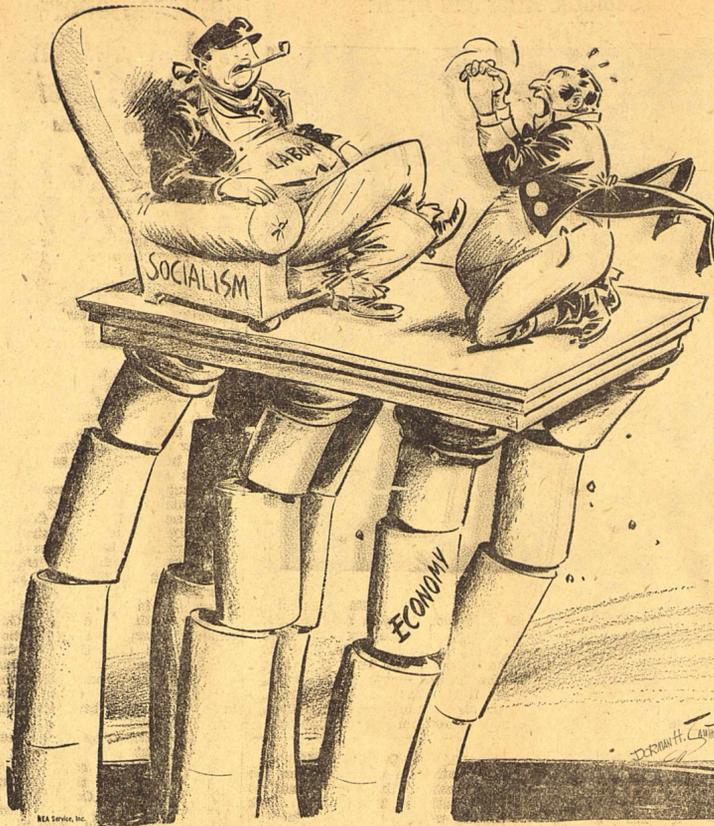
No More Questions

These complicated, mystifying electronic calculators, or "brain machines", seem to be getting more complicated and mystifying all the time. If things keep on the way they're going, we foresee the day when they will be able to answer every question but one: Who will think up the questions to ask them?

Generally speaking, we'd say that the only possible answer is another machine. And we'd advise the electronic scientists to get right at the job before they find themselves with a battery of super-brains which, having outstripped the bounds of human curiosity, stand idle and unemployed.

When telephone poles and curbstones make auto drivers stop and think, it's usually too late.

And Now The British Situation



Pittsburg University Professor Tosses Aside Robes For Homelife

GILSON, ILL.—(NEA)—Dr. Harry McKnown decided he could build his own particular brand of a better mousetrap in this little village, deep in the Illinois corn belt, more effectively than he could as a professor at the University of Pittsburg.

He tossed his academic robes aside, came home rolled up his sleeves and went to work. At the University of Pittsburg he was known to a few thousand students; from the attic study in his remodeled home in Gilson and from the lecture platform, he speaks to hundreds of thousands. Today, he is one of the nation's greatest writers on education.

"I like to teach," he says, "but I can't take the interminable committee work that goes with faculty positions."

His wife does the actual teaching for the family, in the school just across the street from their home. Dr. McKnown sits at home, in overalls, his shirt open at the throat, and tells others how to do their teaching more effectively.

Occasionally he leaves Gilson long enough to make a lecture tour. The only trouble with lecturing, he feels, is the time it takes for traveling, and he thinks a helicopter may be the answer to that one eventually.

"I don't believe the average person in a city know what he's living for. He spends hours a day traveling to and from employment; his living quarters are makeshift or crowded; he brushes shoulders with

thousands daily without having a real friend or even acquaintance among them.

"In a place like Gilson, everyone is an individual and we take time out to be friendly and to cooperate on mutual problems."

The door to the McKnown home is never locked. Their thousands of books are community property; people "come in without knocking" and use the library or otherwise "make themselves at home."

McKnown's hobby is rebuilding run-down Gilson homes to make them livable. He does the work himself, then rents or sells them. One he built from an abandoned church. His most expensive "property," a good-looking cottage, rents even in these times for \$12.50 a month.

The published titles of Dr. McKnown's works reveal the range of his educational interests—from "Extracurricular Activities" to "The Trend of College Entrance Requirements."

"A good thing about writing books," he says, "you can give them away if folks don't buy them." But his publishers aren't worried about sales.

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WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Agriculture Department has announced it will expand its egg-buying operations to help remove price-depressing surpluses from the market.

The department is required by law to support producers' prices at not less than 90 per cent of parity, or a national average of about 36 cents a dozen during the February-April period.

It already is buying dried eggs for price-supporting purposes and sending them to Great Britain. It will buy frozen eggs as well for delivery within 30 days following acceptance of offers.

Officials have predicted that egg production this year will be at least 150,000,000 dozen more than consumers will buy at support prices.

1946 Is Record Low Year In U. S. Mine Fatalities

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Bureau of Mines said recently 974 men were killed in U. S. coal mining operations last year, a record low and the fourth consecutive annual decrease.

A Bureau report estimated the 1946 fatality rate at 1.64 per million tons of coal, the lowest in the statistical series starting in 1874.

It added that coal mine fatalities have been reduced successively each year since 1942, when 1,471 workers were killed.

R. E. Sayers, Director of the Bureau of Mines, commented: "This is the result of an intensified safety program to which the mine workers, industry officials and state and federal safety inspection services each made vital contributions."

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Automobile-Carrying Vessel Has Trial Run

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—A trial run of a three-section automobile-carrying vessel, the first of its type, was held for officials of three of the firms which joined in the design and construction of the vessel.

The carrier will be used on the Ohio and Tennessee Rivers between assembly plants at Evansville, Ind., and connecting highway transportation lines at Guntersville, Ala., by the Commercial Barge Line Co., of Detroit.

It is powered by three quad-six Diesel engines and is designed to speed up loading and unloading by about 30 hours, James Brown, advertising manager for General Motors Corporation's Diesel engine division, said. About 600 automobiles can be loaded on four levels in four hours.

The carrier, built by the St. Louis Shipbuilding and Steel Co., has an average speed of 14 1/2 miles per hour and uses the reversible propeller, invented during the war for submarine chasers.

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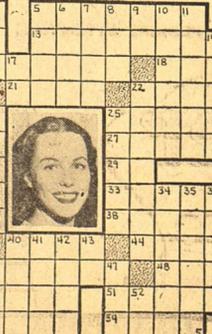
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 - Evaluator
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 - Slack
 - Fade
 - Pedestal face
 - Part of face
 - Compass point
 - Ripe
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 - Regimens
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 - Finishes
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Love Has Two Faces

By Irene Lonnen Erhart

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THE STORY: Parker gets a job with the Cavendish Chemical Company and immediately arranges to have the farmhouse modernized. But he can't get along with Carter Cavendish and quits. He tells Cassie he has something else lined up at the Fair store.

XVIII

IT was hot for May and little Ellen was cross. Cassie and Mama had been trying to do the spring cleaning.

"For Pete's sake, Cassie!" Parker said, coming home to find her with her head tied up in a white cloth and her hands immersed in a bucket of suds in the hall. "Why can't you hire a woman to come in and do all that heavy work—like scrubbing!"

"But Parker—I don't mind!" "But I do! Do you think I like to come home to find my wife crawling around on the floor like a charwoman?"

"It's so hard to get someone, and it's terrific the prices they charge when you do get someone!" "We can surely afford something like that!" he said. He strode off toward the kitchen. And she heard him arguing with Mama about it.

She knew Parker hated to see her doing those things. But they had to be done, and Mama wasn't much help. It was easier to do things oneself than to have to keep priding her.

The plumbing bills for the two new bathrooms and the fine new electric range in the kitchen had used up all the reserve in the bank. But it seemed beyond Parker's comprehension that you couldn't spend money if you didn't have it. He couldn't somehow realize that their financial resources were now practically nothing.

One thing, the allowance to Sid wouldn't have to be paid out after this month because Sid was coming home.

PARKER, Cassie soon realized, was not satisfied with the job at the Fair store either. The first few days he had talked of it with a great show of enthusiasm, but after a while they heard nothing more about it.

To Cassie's casual inquiries as to how it was coming his answers, abrupt and noncommittal, had been tinged with resentment.

The farm was beautiful now. The big maple outside the kitchen door was leafed, and farther away, past the barn and bird-dog kennels, remains of a small orchard of apple and plum trees were in full blossom.

Parker, taking the dogs for a run one Sunday morning, asked Cassie to go with him along the river.

The sandy loam along the river banks was thick with violets and spring beauties, and on the hill-sides redbud and white dogwood mingled in lovely profusion.

The dogs ran ahead of them, wild with freedom, chasing over driftwood piles and through the underbrush.

Parker in old corduroys, with a worn suede jacket, hatless, his fine brown hair tossed by the wind, had a more cheerful expression on his face than Cassie had seen there for a long time.

Cassie felt happy too. The air was good and fresh and clear.

They stood still for an instant by the bend in the river, watching the muddy water swirl around a log that had floated down with the early spring flood and was caught half against the bank.

"You know, Parker," Cassie said thoughtfully, "if you're not satisfied with this job either, maybe we could make something of the farm."

"Who said I wasn't satisfied?"

"Why must he always look at her in that distrustful way?" "I meant—if it wasn't exactly to your liking, I thought you might like farming better. There's that old orchard, that could be

fixed up, with pruning and a few new trees, and spray and stuff. And we could have some cows, and get a little garden. Maybe you could raise some dogs, or even have a commercial kennel. And—"

SHE was frightened at the expression on his face. He kicked at a stump and was silent for a moment.

"So you think I'll get kicked out at the Fair store, too? Well, I wouldn't be surprised, either. You don't think much of me without my money, do you, Cassie? I'm not much good without the plush to back me, am I?"

"I didn't mean—" "So if worst comes to worst we can eke out an existence here on the farm, raising pigs and cows. Maybe we could even go back to Carter street!"

"Oh Parker!" Her heart went down like a runaway elevator. "I didn't mean it the way you took it. I meant that it's a wonderful place to be, on the farm here. You said you used to spend a lot of time out here, when your father was alive. I remember—"

"Yeah. It was fine, when father was alive to handle the money and see that more kept coming in all the time. I did a good job of loafing around out here, fishing and running the dogs. Now you want to make a farmer out of me, on the strength of it, so we won't starve to death!"

"Oh what's the matter, Parker? The money didn't mean anything to me really. I mean—nothing should be any different between us—money or not."

"So it didn't mean much to you?" he asked, his voice threaded with mockery. "That was the only reason you married me, wasn't it?"

"Parker, don't say such things to me." Her throat felt hot and dry and yet she had a shaken chilly feeling all over.

"Too bad you didn't go ahead and marry Mike Cargill, the way things turned out after all, isn't it?"

"Please, let's not quarrel. You're so childish, Parker." "He strode off suddenly, back toward the house, leaving her standing there alone.

(To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority

Returning from an air trip around the country, I dropped in at the Mayfair Bridge Club in New York to see Harry Fishbein. Harry said he had a couple of good hands for me, and when he says a hand is good, you can count on it. Here is one that he claims was the outstanding hand of 1946. Looking at all four hands, how would you play the contract? Declarer must play low from dummy on the first heart and East wins with the queen. If East

♠ K 7 3	♥ A J 10 2	♦ None	♣ A 10 8 6 4
♠ 8	♥ K 7 5 3	♦ K J 6 3	♣ K 5 2
♠ 6 4 2	♥ Q 8 6	♦ Q 10 9 7	♣ J 3
♠ A J 10 9 5	♥ 9 4	♦ A 8 4	♣ Q 9 7

Tournament—Neither vul.
South West North East
Pass Pass 1 ♠ Pass
1 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass
5 ♠ Pass 5 ♠ Pass
6 ♠ Pass Pass Pass
Opening—♥ 3

makes the mistake of returning the jack of clubs, the contract is easy. East must return a diamond, the ten spot preferred. South must win with the ace, trump a diamond with the king of spades, lead a small spade back to his hand and ruff the other diamond with the queen of spades.

As declarer's only hope is to find West with the king of hearts and king of clubs, he now cashes the ace of clubs, comes back to his hand with a spade, and runs the balance of the trumps.

West cannot hold three hearts and the king of clubs, because declarer will have only three cards left, the nine of hearts and queen-nine of clubs.

This unusual squeeze play is the Vienna Coup. When declarer cashes the ace of clubs, he deliberately establishes a trick for the opponent and then squeezes him out of it—that is the play known as the Vienna Coup.

imposed are too severe for most people to buy needed consumer goods out of income, they will be forced to cash war bonds to purchase such goods.

"A free yet sound flow of consumer credit can be maintained only if bankers and businessmen are free to use their own best judgment based on their intimate knowledge of the borrower and local conditions."

Bankers Head Urges Lifting Of Wartime Credit Controls

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—Immediate lifting of all wartime controls on consumer installment credit was urged here by C. W. Bailey of Clarksville, Tenn., president of the American Bankers' Association.

Addressing the closing session of the association's first annual consumer and installment conference, Bailey declared "now that all other controls governing the purchase of consumer durable goods have been removed, we feel that the time has come for the complete

abandonment of controls on consumer credit."

Only by removal of restrictions imposed under the so-called regulation of the Federal Reserve System can the increasing supply of durable goods like automobiles, refrigerators and furniture be made available to consumers on a fair and equitable basis the speaker asserted.

He pointed out that the Association at its annual convention in Chicago last September recommended consideration to the

proper timing for the elimination of all war controls and activities that hamper the functioning of the private enterprise system." The Federal Reserve Board of Governors in November granted relief in the way of lifting the limitation on the use of charge accounts, he said, but rigid controls were continued on the use of consumer installment credit.

Aware Of Responsibility "The Association is aware of its responsibility to help combat inflation. . . However, the Association believes that the arbitrary control of consumer credit is inflationary because if the terms

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—By J. R. WILLIAMS

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THE OLD ROY OUGHT TO SERVE A STONE AX WITH THOSE DINOSAUR EGGS!

THE NEWER ONES WERE LAUGHS IN GRANT'S FIRST TERM!

WE'RE STARTIN' A CIRCUS—A KIN WE SEW UP OUR TENT ON TH' SEWIN' MACHINE?

NO—NOT TILL YOU BORROW A PLOW AN' LOOSEN UP TH' SOIL ON IT FIRST!

CRUST

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

—By EDGAR MARTIN

LET'S PUT IT THIS WAY: "A" PURCHASED SOME LAND, SUBSEQUENTLY STARTED CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSES THEREON, THROUGH ERROR, "B" PLACED SOME OF HIS HOUSES ON "A'S" ADJOINING LAND!

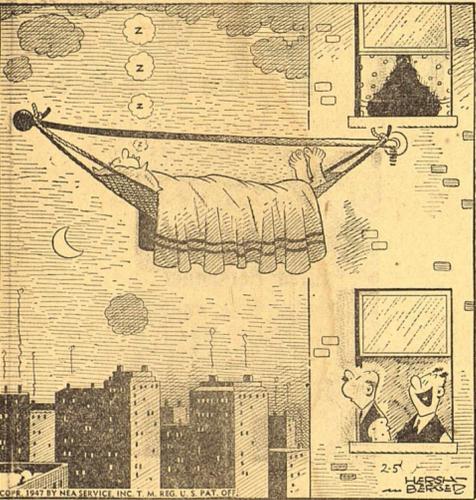
WHEN "B" LEARNED THIS, HE INFORMED "A" OF HIS ERROR AND CONTENDED THAT "A" HAD REGRADED THE LAND CONTRARY TO "B'S" FUTURE PLANS...

AND THAT THE DAMAGES TO "B'S" LAND FAR EXCEEDED THE VALUE OF "A'S" HOUSES BUILT THEREON! THEREFORE, HE NOTIFIED "A" NOT TO REMOVE, OR OTHERWISE ASSERT, ANY RIGHTS TO THE HOUSES IN A SITUATION SUCH AS THIS...

"A" IS CONFRONTED WITH LONG AND EXPENSIVE LITIGATION TO DETERMINE WHAT RIGHTS HE HAS IN HIS HOUSES, AND WHAT DAMAGES HE MUST PAY TO "B"! EQUITY COURTS HAVE GENERALLY HELD AND NO DOUBT WILL GENERALLY HOLD THAT "B" HAS IN HIS HOUSES...

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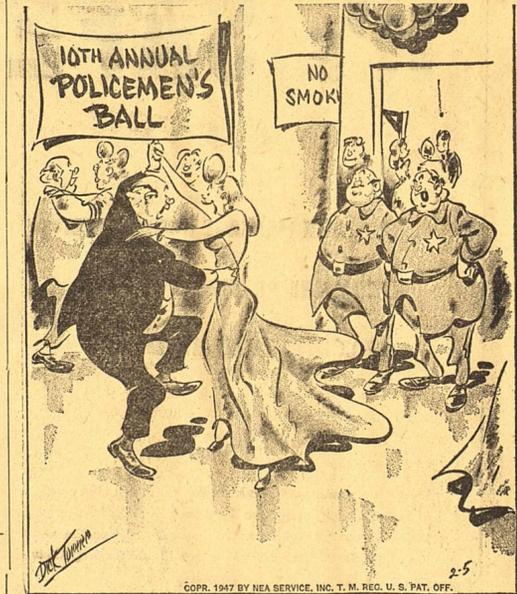
FUNNY BUSINESS



"Joe must have had another argument with his wife!"

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"Now wouldn't that scald you! After I had a force that guy to buy a ticket to this shindig, my girl goes and falls for him!"

SIDE GLANCES



"Tonight I wish you wouldn't repeat those stories about the good old days when the saloons served free lunch—do I go around reminding everybody how old we are?"

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

—By Merrill Blosser

CREEPERS! POP DIPPED INTO MY WALLET AND YANKED ALL THE FOLDING STUFF!—ALL I'VE GOT IS TO PAY MY OWN CHECK, AND A NICKEL LEFT OVER!

I MIGHT AS WELL PUT THIS IN THE JUKE-BOX!

WHO'S GONNA PAY OUR CHECKS?

THE HOLE

ONE

TO EACH HIS OWN...

WASH TUBBS

—By LESLIE TURNER

NOW LOOK HERE, YOUNG MAN! MY DAUGHTER DOESN'T STRIKE UP ACCOUNTANCES WITH FRESH UPSTARTS WHO USE SUBTERFUGE TO—

BUT SIR! I THINK SHE'S LOVELY, TOO! AND IN A FEW MOMENTS SHE WOULD'VE SLIPPED OUT OF MY LIFE FOREVER!

ALL BECAUSE I WASN'T LUCKY ENOUGH TO GROW UP IN HER BLOCK, OR HAVE A MUTUAL FRIEND HANDY TO INTRODUCE US—

PERHAPS I CAN EASE THE SITUATION, MISS ANDRE. THIS IS MY IMPULSIVE FRIEND, BIB TUCKER!

HOW NICE! DAD, THIS IS CAPTAIN EASY, WHOM I MET ON THE PLANE, AND MR. TUCKER!

THIS IS A PLEASURE, MR. ANDRE!

WHAT IF I'D KEPT THIS BAG YOU PRETENDED TO THINK WAS MINE, MR. TUCKER?

BIB WOULDN'T HAVE LOST MUCH SLEEP IF YOU SEE IT WAS MY SUITCASE!

ALLEY OOP

—By V. T. HAMLIN

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RED RYDER

—By FRED HARMAN

STEALIN' A GIRL'S HOSS AND MAKIN' HER WALK TO MILES IS A SERIOUS THING TO ACCUSE A MAN OF, UNLESS HE'S GOT HIS OWN CHECK, AND A NICKEL LEFT OVER!

IT ISN'T LIKELY THAT TWO MEN AROUND HERE HAVE HAIR AS RED AS RYDER'S FATHER!

BUT HE'S GOT A GOOD REPUTATION—MEN LIKE HIM AIN'T HOSS THIEVES ON THE SIDE!

I'M GOING TO FIND OUT ABOUT HIM BEFORE MY BUSTERS HEAL!

MEAN! HOW DO I LOOK, UNCLE JOE?

IF YOU'D HASK YOUR FACE, YOU'D PASS FOR RYDER ANYWHERE IN THE COUNTRY, HANLON!

VIC FLINT

—By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

OKAY, VIC, THE POLICE WILL HOLD OFF FOR THE TIME BEING, BUT IN THE MEANTIME, WHAT DO YOU DO?

I WAIT, GROWL, THE KIDNABERS WILL GET IN TOUCH WITH ME, WHATEVER THEY WANT ME TO DO, I'LL HAVE TO DO IT.

HERE'S THE BLACK HORSE, TARPON. PULL UP, I GOT A PHONE CALL TO MAKE.

I WANT TO SPEAK TO VIC FLINT. TELL HIM IT'S ABOUT TACKY THOMAS.

Trans World Airline Claims Flying Record

NEW YORK—(AP)—Trans World Airline claims a new flying time record of 7 hours and 30 seconds between Los Angeles and La Guardia Field for one of its Constellation planes. It was aided by a 100-mile-an-hour tailwind.

The plane, carried 12 passengers. It stopped at Kansas City and Chicago.

TWA said the plane attained a top speed of 425 miles an hour.

The airline said the previous mark of 7 hours, 27 minutes and 48 seconds was set by one of its planes Feb. 3, 1946. Scheduled flying time between the two cities is 11 hours and 15 minutes.

Unsuccessful With Cars, Doctor May Use Buggy

HILO, HAWAII—(AP)—Dr. William F. Leslie, medical director of Puuamale Hospital, says he is going to become a horse and buggy doctor.

Last April his car was wrecked by the tidal wave. Its replacement was destroyed by the storm waves of January 4.

A third car arrived by ship. As it was being unloaded the sling broke and the car was ruined by a 20-foot fall.

STILL RECOMMENDED

Published in 1881, "Wrinkles in Practical Navigation," by Lecky, is still recommended as a textbook, because it teaches navigators to think.

Sale Of Two Cities Offers Choice Of War Surplus Utah Town Or New Jersey Village

ROEBLING, N. J.—(NEA)—This company-owned town of 754 homes and 15 business properties, nestled along the Delaware River about 10 miles from Trenton, is up for sale.

No outsiders need apply. First chance at the neat detached, semi-detached and "row" houses go to those already living in them. If they turn down the offer, other employees of the wire manufacturing company that owns the town will have a chance. The company figures all will be snapped up.

The town's residents, however, aren't exactly happy about the sale. They admit that the company town had been a good place to live. Each neat brick home has its own front lawn and its own garden behind. The streets are wide and pleasant. And most important, rents have been low.

Utah Town For Sale
DRAGERTOWN, UTAH—(NEA)—This town is for sale—lock, stock and barrel, and one electric clock. Credit can be arranged.

Dragertown is the latest government asset being offered to private buyers by the War Assets Administration. It can't be bought piecemeal. The buyer takes all, which would make him one of the most complete landlords in the country.

The town was built to provide living quarters for the miners who worked the nearby General Coal Mine, and about 2500 people live here. The war ended before Dragertown got completely finished. One of the assets that go with the town is a commercial laundry, still crated, some of it still undelivered by the manufacturer.

Self-Sufficient Settlement
 The WAA described the town officially as a "self-sufficient settlement," 23 miles east of Price, Utah, in Carbon County near Desolation Canyon. It is on the Denver and Rio Grande railroad; a state highway runs nearby. The project cost the government \$4,530,000.

The 604 one-story houses are of four, five and six room size and, with the accompanying business district, sprawl over a 377-acre area. Every house is furnished, even to rugs, draperies and linen; and the new landlord will get 500 electric refrigerators, 725 coal ranges, 705 heating stoves and 20 furnaces.

There is a 16-bed hospital with operating room, delivery room, and diet kitchen. The school contains the town's one electric clock. It also has a playground. The theater seats 600 and has a candy display case that is included in the price. The general store has a meat case but the WAA hasn't said whether any meat on hand goes with the town.

Own Water Reservoir
 For maintenance of 9000 yards of concrete highway that runs through the business district, and the gravel roads on which the neat redwood homes front, there are five dump trucks and a road grader.

The town has its own 500,000-gallon water reservoir and purifying plant and its own sewage disposal plant. There is a guest house that can be converted to a hotel.

As a final note of customer appeal, the WAA says the highest bidder can have the town's one official passenger sedan—presumably for his personal use if he likes.

No American President ever died on a Friday the 13th.

Dempsey Up



Enjoying a brief vacation, former heavyweight champ Jack Dempsey jogs along "bride path" in Palm Springs, Calif.

ASKS SPECIAL RATE

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Post Office Department has asked the Civil Aeronautics Board to set a special reduced rate for airmail shipment of newspapers and news magazines to foreign countries.

TELEPHONE "ALARM CLOCK"

Residents of Stockholm, Sweden, can pay the telephone company a fee and be awakened every morning, instead of buying alarm clocks.

MORE STEEL THAN TIN

A "tin" can is actually 98 1/2 percent steel, which provides its durability. The tin coating provides insulation and protection against corrosion.

Popcorn Crunching Brings New Deal

INDIANAPOLIS—(AP)—Complaints against popcorn crunching and cellophane rattling brought a new deal at Leows Theater here.

Ushers at the door now ask patrons to surrender all edibles before they enter. Sacks are labeled and filed in a big box and returned to owners as they leave.

Manager Boyd Sparrow says comment is "generally favorable."

ENGLISH LAW

In England, parents who leave their young children locked up alone in the house, while they go to the theater or other amusement, are liable to prosecution by the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

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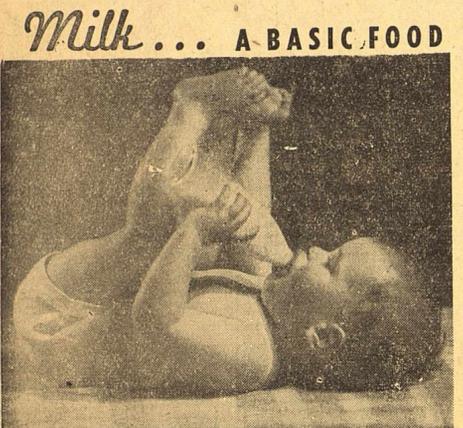
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