

# Nineteen Die In Holy Land Violence

## Eleven Seek City Jobs

### Three Candidates Seek Election As Mayor And Eight Ask Council Seats; Record Vote Is Expected April 1

Eleven candidates for city positions had completed their filings Saturday night, the deadline, City Secretary J. C. Hudman announced, and the April 1 election may be one of the hottest in the municipality's history.

Hudman said the number of candidates is the largest in his recollection, and many citizens, who have followed city politics, predict a record vote.

Hudman reported the following filings for places on the ballot:

For mayor: Bates Hoffer, R. H. Gifford, James T. Smith.

For council, place No. 1: Ernest T. W. Neill, Ben P. Black.

For council, place No. 2: O. W. Stice, Robert S. Dewey, L. Waldo Leggett.

For council, place No. 3: Lee C. Thomas, C. A. Stroud, W. F. Hejl.

Two candidates withdrew — Hal C. Peck for mayor and C. E. (Bud) Bissell for council place No. 1.

Mayor Fred T. Hogan and Councilmen John P. Butler, Frank Stubbeman and Don Davis, whose terms of office expire in April, did not seek reelection.

Councilmen Stanley M. Erskine and Robert I. Dickey have another year to serve.

### Mrs. George Putnam Files As Candidate For School Board

Mrs. George Putnam, 611 West Kansas Street, Saturday filed as a candidate for trustee of the Midland Independent School District in the April 5 election. She filed with Mrs. W. H. Cannon, secretary of the school board.

Mrs. Putnam said she had resigned as president of the Midland League of Women Voters, since the organization's constitution prohibits a league officer from seeking public office. She explained the league is a non-partisan organization and does not sponsor candidates.

Mrs. William L. Kerr, vice-president, will serve as the league's acting president during the remainder of the term. New officers will be elected March 15 to take office April 1.

### Sixty Men Summoned For Jury Duty Here

Sixty Midland citizens have been summoned for jury duty in 70th District Court. The following will report Monday at 10 a. m. in the district courtroom:

John Casselman, Eugene E. Cecil, W. E. Chapman, Buster Charlton, C. L. Chase, Clarence M. Chase, C. A. Churchill, Stanley Chabane, L. J. Clark, Roy Clark, William L. Kerr, Albert Clements, Taylor Cole, M. W. Collins, O. C. Collins, W. H. Conkling, E. O. Conner, Eddie F. Conner, B. W. Coolidge, E. T. Corbit, Floyd Countiss, Wright Cowden, J. A. Cox, Cecil Craft, Lee M. Crane, G. T. Crawford, P. L. Crawley, O. L. Crooks, W. L. Crothers, Gordon Gray, C. L. Griffin, P. D. Grommon, Jr., Odell Grubb.

W. C. Gwyn, G. E. Hall, S. P. Hall, Guy Hamblet, John D. Hamilton, H. H. Hamlin, O. C. Hamlin, Harvey Harrison, W. D. Hargrove, W. B. Harkrider, George D. Harmon, F. L. Hawks, J. M. Hawkins, Marshall Heald, H. L. Helbert, John Hemingway, H. A. Hemphill, W. D. Henderson, T. S. Henderson, R. R. Herrell, J. E. Hill, Jr., John M. Hills, Richard Hinkle, Horace Newton, Tom Mix, and George H. Nixon.

Two civil cases are one the court's docket Monday.

### Andrews Election Judges Appointed

ANDREWS — Election judges appointed at the regular session of the Andrews County Commissioner's Court recently, have been announced.

They will be: precinct 1, place 1, John Keith and W. E. Galloway. Precinct 1, place 2, Mrs. R. P. Brotherton and Mrs. J. H. Massey. Precinct 2, place 1, N. E. Watkins and Causseaux. Precinct 2, place 2, Otis Gaines and K. L. Haught.

Precinct 3, place 1, J. P. Roach, and Mrs. Guy McGill. Precinct 3, place 2, S. J. Hinkle and Raymond Howell.

Precinct 4, H. M. Nixon and C. L. Underwood.

### Dr. Leggett Seeks City Council Post.

Dr. L. Waldo Leggett, Midland physician and surgeon, filed Saturday as a candidate for city councilman, place No. 2, in the April 1 election.

Dr. Leggett, a long-time resident of Midland, is an extensive property owner here.

### Hal Peck Withdraws From Mayor's Race

Hal C. Peck, Midland oil operator and rancher, Saturday withdrew as a candidate for mayor. He filed for the office last Tuesday. In a telegram from Phoenix, Ariz., Peck thanked his friends who had urged him to make the race. He said he now is engaged in extensive irrigation operations in Arizona which will require a majority of his time.

"For this reason I do not feel that I could devote the time necessary to the mayor's office should I be elected," Peck said.

### UN GENERAL ASSEMBLY IGNORED STAND ON SPAIN

LAKE SUCCESS, N. Y. — (P) — Sri Ramaswami Mudaliar, president of the United Nations Economic and Social Council, declared Saturday the General Assembly ignored its own stand against Franco Spain by voting to give the International Chamber of Commerce a voice in UN affairs.

### Weather

Partly cloudy, warmer Sunday. Warmer in the Panhandle, South Plains and East of Pecos Valley Monday.

### Breakfast Will Start Red Cross Drive Wednesday

A kickoff breakfast in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer at 7:30 a. m., Wednesday will launch the 1947 Red Cross fund campaign in Midland, John J. Redfern, Jr., campaign chairman, announced Saturday.

More than 100 volunteer workers representing the civic and service clubs of Midland are expected to attend the breakfast. Assignments will be made and instructions given. The drive in the downtown area will be started immediately following the breakfast.

Redfern said a coffee for women workers who will canvass the residential districts will be held at the Ranch House March 12.

### Most Commodity Prices Advance To Higher Levels

CHICAGO — (AP) — Most commodities smashed through to higher price levels on the nation's markets this week for the sharpest weekly advance since early in December, 1946.

Grunting porkers featured the advance in the upward price swirl. In the nation's packing center at Chicago, hogs were worth \$30.00 a hundred pounds Tuesday, highest in history, and the river markets on the Mississippi and those of interior Iowa, also reported fabulously priced pigs.

Wheat prices soared.

A scramble for wheat at Kansas City and Minneapolis, while wheat for future delivery at Chicago soared to the highest level in 27 years Saturday at \$2.62. The Agriculture Department decided to make a study of the market.

Although hogs and wheat held the center of interest in the price spectacle, other commodities provided a large supporting cast. Corn, oats, barley, cotton, cattle, butter, eggs, flour and lard were higher.

Metals joined in the upswing. Lead surged to an historic high, 14 cents a pound in New York.

Reasons for the advance were varied.

### Oilfield Worker Is Killed Near Crane

CRANE — James Chester Rose, oilfield worker, was killed Saturday when a well blew out on the Waddell Lease, approximately 10 miles west of here.

Three other workers at the well were injured, none seriously.

The well, the Gulf's Waddell Number 12 of the Sand Hills sector, blew out with a terrific explosion, workmen said. Rose was killed instantly, either from the explosion or being blown against the well.

Rose's home town is Elmo City, Oklahoma. He was living in Odesa.

### U. S. May Spend Millions Of Dollars To Bolster Greece

WASHINGTON — (P) — The United States has agreed in principle, diplomatic sources said Saturday, to help impoverished Britain shoulder the load in Greece — a move which may bring an historic change in American foreign policy.

The decision was reported made by the administration after a canvass of key congressional figures notwithstanding opposition voiced by some congressmen of both parties.

The American reply to a British note requesting the action, diplomatic informants said, was handed to Lord Inverchapel, the British ambassador, at a conference with Undersecretary of State Dean Acheson.

U. S. To Send Money

The informants described the U. S. reply as "favorable in principle." It is understood to be conditioned upon Britain's retaining her 10,000 troops in Greece to help uphold the government, with the United States — subject to congressional approval — helping to bear most of the cost.

The undertaking may entail advancing some \$250,000,000 this year, by authoritative estimate, with further but smaller outlays later.

A next step apparently would be for President Truman to make public the program. He would have an opportunity to do this next Thursday, when he is scheduled to deliver an address in Waco.

### Bonham Man Killed In Auto Accident

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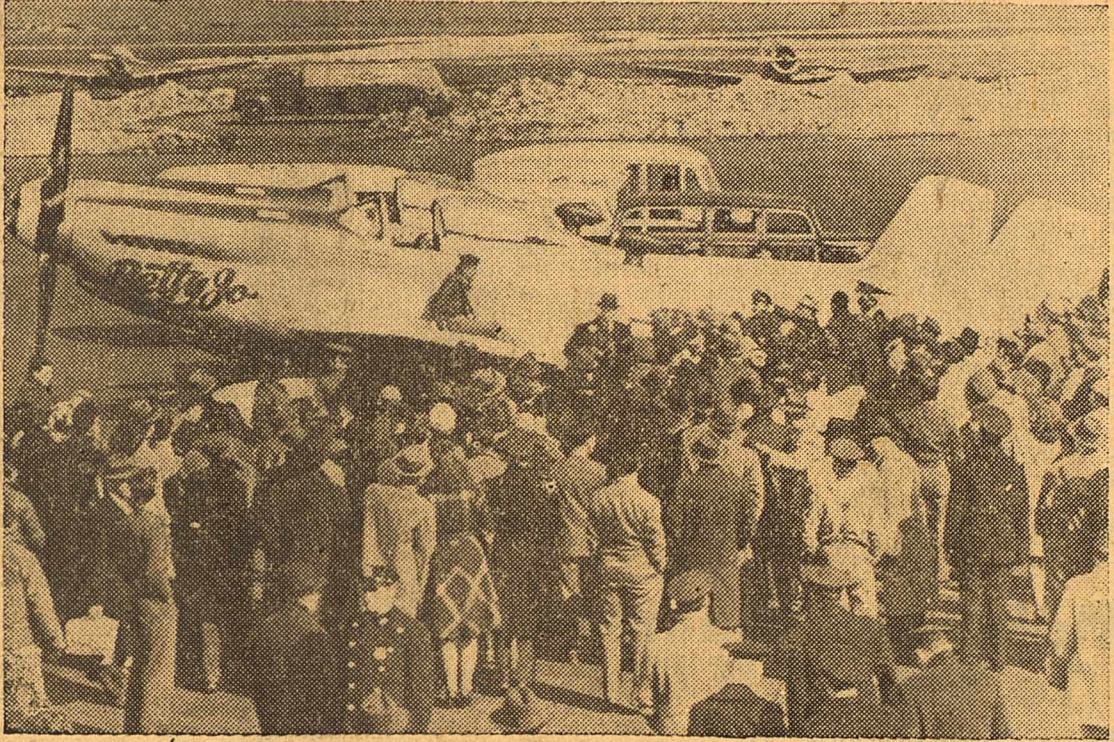
### FAMILIES OF GERMAN SCIENTISTS ARRIVE IN TEXAS

EL PASO — (P) — Families of 13 German scientists who are working at Fort Bliss laboratories in connection with the V-2 rocket tests at White Sands proving ground arrived Saturday from Germany.

### POPE TO CELEBRATE ASCENSION TO THRONE

VATICAN CITY — (P) — Pope Pius XII Sunday will celebrate the eighth anniversary of his ascension to the throne of Saint Peter.

### Completes Longest Fighter Plane Flight



Betty Jo, the Army's P-51, is shown here at LaGuardia Field, after completing the first non-stop flight from Honolulu—4,978 miles—in 14 hours, 33 minutes. Lt. Col. Robert E. Thacker, the pilot, slides off the wing. This was the longest flight ever made by a fighter plane.

### Chinese Prepare For All-Out War With Communists

NANKING — (AP) — Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek took over the premiership of China Saturday night and appeared to be heading his people toward all-out war to settle the Communist question once and for all.

Chiang assumed the premiership eight hours after his brother-in-law, T. V. Soong, suddenly resigned in the face of sharp criticism of his economic policies.

With Communist delegates under orders to get out of government territory before Wednesday and the armies of both factions maneuvering for decisive battles on fronts stretching from Central China to the heart of Manchuria, Chiang thus assumed complete powers in the government at a time when China's future appeared to be at stake.

Shakeup Expected

Many quarters predicted a major shakeup in the government, possibly an anti-Communist coalition including minority parties.

The Supreme National Defense Council, with Chiang presiding, appointed him acting premier "until such time as Soong's successor is selected."

Chiang already is President of the republic. He is expected to announce the appointment of Gen. Chang Chun as vice premier.

### Smith Announces As Candidate For Mayor

James T. Smith, attorney, Saturday filed as a candidate for mayor in the April 1 election.

He is a member of the law firm of Whitaker, Turpin, Kerr, Smith, Brooks and Dyer, and has lived here a number of years. He served as an officer in the Navy during World War II.

### Luxury Taxes May Continue Indefinitely

WASHINGTON — (P) — House and Senate conferees agreed Saturday on a revised bill providing for indefinite continuance of the wartime luxury taxes on liquor, furs, jewelry and other items.

The House members of a joint committee agreed to two Senate proposals — one, to remove the extra taxes on low and medium priced fur trimmed coats, and the other, to lift the extra tax on tickets for travel to areas far enough away to be somewhat out of competition, with American resorts.

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### McKee Named Officer Of Insurance Group At Midland Meeting

Roy McKee, Midland insurance agent, was named vice-president of the Permian Basin Life Underwriters Association at its March meeting in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer Saturday afternoon. McKee was elected to fill the unexpired term of Harold Steck of Big Spring, resigned.

Forty-two life underwriters from Big Spring, Midland, Odessa, Kermit, McAdams, San Angelo and Monahan attended the session.

The next meeting will be held in Big Spring April 5.

Joe Pomb of Big Spring, a past-president of the association, presided, and McKee was in charge of meeting arrangements.

Principal Speaker

C. E. Higginbotham of Big Spring, association president, delivered the principal address. "Fundamentals of Life Insurance" was his subject.

Patsy Lou Arrington was presented in three vocal numbers, and Mary Fern Bray played several piano selections at the luncheon which preceded the business session.

Delegates voted favorably on a resolution proposing the election of equal numbers of field men and agency managers to the National Board of Trustees.

### Stanolind Buys 121 Producers In Slaughter Field

DALLAS — (AP) — Purchase of 121 wells in the Slaughter Field of Hockley County from three Dallas independent operators for \$5,775,000 in cash was completed Saturday by the Stanolind Oil & Gas Company.

The sellers, who confirmed the sale, were Jerry C. Hawkins, full interest in 90 wells for \$4,175,000; L. M. Glasco, 21 wells for \$1,100,000; and Joe A. Humphrey, 10 wells for \$500,000.

The 121 wells produce approximately 4,500 barrels of oil a day. They are on approximately 3,930 acres of Mallet Land & Cattle Company fee land in the north-east part of Slaughter Field, falling in leagues 47 and 48, Edwards County School Land Survey.

### Telephone Workers File Strike Notice

By The Associated Press

Thirty-day strike notices involving more than 197,000 telephone company workers were on file in at least 35 states Saturday, and their union president accused the employers of "stalling" in negotiations in the hope Congress would give them "a bargaining advantage."

Some union sources regarded the strike notices as a mere formality, in keeping with the action of the union's national convention in Denver last November. The convention approved April 7 as the date for a nation-wide telephone strike in the event such action was needed to obtain 1947 contract demands.

Favors Arbitration

In recent testimony before a Senate committee, Joseph A. Beirne, president of the National Federation of Telephone Workers, hinted there might be no strike, saying, "Personally, I would be inclined to arbitrate rather than call a strike."

The unions are asking various wage boosts ranging from \$12 to \$20 weekly in various states.

W. I. Pehn, Texas general manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, said that no offer to increase wages has been made to union negotiators because the company believes there is no basis to support an increase.

### Marshall Will Leave For Moscow March 5

WASHINGTON — (P) — Secretary of State Marshall takes off for Moscow Wednesday prepared, if circumstances permit, for face to face talks with Russian leaders on a lend-lease settlement and other touchy issues aside from those involved in the German and Austrian peace treaties.

The United States delegation of 84 includes more than a score of top advisers fully informed on points of controversy.

Marshall has said that whether he consults with Premier Stalin and Foreign Minister Molotov on matters other than those directly involved in the peace settlement will depend upon circumstances.

### Bishops Issue Statement Against Track Betting

DALLAS — (P) — Two Texas Methodist bishops Saturday issued joint statements on a bill in the Legislature to legalize race track betting in Texas, saying the proposal is "both a moral and economic issue" and "our people must be aroused and immediately."

The statement was made by Bishops A. Frank Smith of Houston and Charles C. Seelman of Dallas.

### State's General Fund May Wind Up In Red

AUSTIN — (P) — Chairman James E. Taylor of the Senate Finance Committee said Saturday his figures show there is a danger the state's general revenue fund may wind up \$100,000,000 in the red.

This gloomy outlook was premised on appropriation bills introduced thus far. They come to a total of \$270,608,511 in the face of the comptroller's estimate that there will be \$188,000,000 available for expenditure from the general revenue fund in the next two years.

The finance chairman's report showed Gov. Beauford H. Jester's recommendations thus far call for spending \$144,433,904. Jester has also recommended other expenditures totalling \$17,000,000. But these have not yet been incorporated in bills introduced.

Jester Prepares Message

Taylor's breakdown dealt only with the general fund and did not include proposals for veterans' bonus payments.

He emphasized his previously expressed views that the legislature should hold appropriations within financial means now in view, and not impose additional taxes.

Jester was known to be working on a message to the Legislature in which he is expected to make new suggestions on the question of per capita allocations for schools and perhaps on the matter of minimum pay for teachers.

### San Angelo Show's Top Bull Brings \$810

SAN ANGELO — (P) — The top bull in the registered Hereford sale of the San Angelo Fat Stock Show Saturday was a two-year-old, Premier Advance, Mischief, consigned by the Nun-Bette Hereford Ranch of Big Lake, and sold for \$810 to W. E. Friend of San Angelo.

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## Officers Club Demolished; Camp Attacked; Curfew Clamped On Jewish Sector

JERUSALEM — (AP) — Nineteen persons were killed Saturday in a sudden outburst of Holy Land violence in which a British officers club in Jerusalem was demolished, an army camp attacked and naval installations blown up. The British clamped a curfew on Jewish quarters which some officials regarded as a step toward imposition of martial law.

Sixteen persons were killed and 17 injured in the Jerusalem blast.

## School For Area Peace Officers To Open Monday

The first of five classes of the FBI-Police Training School for law enforcement officers of Midland and vicinity will be held at 3 p. m., Monday, in the district courtroom of the Midland County Courthouse.

The school is sponsored by Sheriff Ed Darrell and Police Chief Jack Ellington of Midland, in cooperation with the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

All law enforcement officers of the Midland area are invited and urged to attend.

Classes will be held from 3 to 5 p. m. each Monday during March.

The course of instruction will include such subjects as investigative techniques, collection and preservation of evidence, defensive tactics, and lectures on burglaries, petty thefts, car thefts and other subjects.

Special agents of the FBI from El Paso will be in Midland to assist in conducting the classes.

## Ninety-Eight Oil Wells Are Completed

AUSTIN — (P) — Oil well completions for the week numbered 98, boosting the year's total to 766, the Railroad Commission reported Saturday. The total is 24 more than for the comparative period a year ago.

Sixteen gas wells were completed. This year's total of 98 compares with 136 for the same period in 1946.

Four wildcat oilers and two gasers were drilled.

The total average calendar day crude oil allowable as of March 1 was 2,304,384 barrels, an increase of 99,372 barrels daily from that of Feb. 22.

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## Berlin — (AP) — The State of Prussia was abolished by an Allied Control Council law published Saturday which termed it "the bearer of militarism and reaction in Germany."

LA PAZ, BOLIVIA — (AP) — Military and commercial planes took sorely needed food and medicines into the flooded city of Trinidad Saturday, hastening their relief missions in the belief the rain-swollen flood waters soon would begin rising again.

ALBANY, N. Y. — (AP) — A spokesman for nearly 700 college students who marched to New York's capitol Saturday declared Governor Thomas E. Dewey's assistant counsel had given them "the run-around" concerning a bi-partisan bill to ban discrimination in education.

BUFFALO, N. Y. — (AP) — President Charles J. McDonough of the board of education had his first conference Saturday night with representatives of the Buffalo Teachers Federation aimed at settlement of the largest teachers' strike in the nation's history.



### Monahans C Of C To Elect 12 Directors

MONAHANS—Members of the Monahans Chamber of Commerce have received ballots bearing the names of 24 nominees for directorships of the organization. Twelve directors will be elected. The nominees are: R. B. Rawlins, G. D. Webb, H. B. Price, Ray Higgins, Charley Stuckey, Dale Sloan, E. E. Watt, H. P. Cooper, E. L. Kent, Glenn Ratliff, Roy Parker, Tom Meacham, Jim Frost, Louis Pinkerton, Bill Pearson, Hal Adams, R. T. Harris, C. K. Pirtle, Joe Vandiver, Dave Sudderth, Dick Bonine, Tommy Lenox, L. E. Hardy and E. W. Sampson.

### Ralph Coker Is New Monahans Golf Pro

MONAHANS—Ralph Coker has assumed his new duties as golf pro at the Monahans Country Club, replacing Jimmy Adams who resigned recently to accept a similar position in Paris. Coker came here several months ago from East Texas, where he had several years experience on golf courses.

### SUPPLIED OUR RUBBER

British Malaya and the Netherlands East Indies supplied more than 85 per cent of the U. S. imports of rubber in the years immediately preceding World War II.

## Sunday Marks Texas Independence Day, Provides Opportunity To Brag

By TANNER LAINE

Sunday is Texas Independence Day. Oh what pride, and much of it not unfounded, by gosh, have Texans, specifically West Texans and Midlanders, shown around the world, in Texas.

You have heard of the tall tales your sons told out-of-staters when they were in service, about Texas. You don't believe them? Ever yourself go to another state or across the ocean and when they asked you where you came from, you kinda swelled a little, and said: "Texas." Said it with pride and if argued with, with prejudice.

### Bob Hope Knew

We were in Munich, Germany, one time and Bob Hope pranced out to entertain the boys. His greeting was: "Hello Texans, who won the war, and you other fellows who helped". That brought a roar from the throats of thousands of GIs, some liked it, some didn't. We believe the Texas roar was the loudest. For Texas had her share in service. Perhaps more volunteer enlistments than any other state. Texas fed fighting men into every branch end every cock-eyed one of them was a one-man chamber of commerce for Texas.

This might have happened at the very airbases located at Midland during the war. "This said a Yankee was working on an airplane and another grease-monkey strolled by to shoot the breeze. "Where you from?" asked the stroller.

"Ups," thought the airplane-fixer, "this must be another Texan. I'll fix him."

"I'm from Pennsylvania, see. And I'm in the Army, see. And I am going my part, see. Right here on this airplane, see. What about where I am from, see."

"Wal," drawled the other GI.

"like as not you are here to free a Texan for active duty, SEE."

And that's how it went, from coast to coast, ocean to ocean, and over the far-flung fronts.

**Travis' Fighting Words**  
Texas was proclaimed a free and independent republic, March 2, 1836. An unofficial declaration had previously been made, Dec. 20, 1835, by 91 citizens at Goliad.

The fighting words of William Barrett Travis at the Alamo are typical of Texans, known throughout the world as fighting men.

Travis wrote: "To the People of Texas and All Americans in the World: I am besieged by a thousand or more Mexicans under Santa Anna. I have sustained a continual bombardment and cannonade for 24 hours and have not lost a man. The enemy has demanded a surrender at discretion, otherwise the garrisons are to be put to the sword, if the fort is taken. I have answered the demand with a cannon shot, and our flag still waves proudly from the walls. "I shall never surrender or retreat—victory or death."

You all know the story. All Texans fighting in the Alamo were killed. The flag came down only

## Make This Home Recipe To Take Off Ugly Fat

It's simple. It's amazing, how quickly one may lose pounds of bulky, unsightly fat right in your own home. Make this recipe yourself. It's easy—no trouble at all and costs little. It contains nothing harmful. Just go to your druggist and ask for four ounces of liquid Barcetrane (formerly called Barcol Concentrate). Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill the bottle. Then take two tablespoonsful twice a day. That's all there is to it. If the very first bottle doesn't show the simple, easy way to lose

bulky fat and help regain slender, more graceful curves; if reducible pounds and inches of excess fat don't just seem to disappear almost like magic from neck, chin, arms, bust, abdomen, hips, calves and ankles, just return the empty bottle for your money back. Follow the easy way endorsed by many who have tried this plan and help bring back alluring curves and graceful slenderness. Note how quickly bloat disappears—how much better you feel. More alive, youthful appearing and active.

### Banquet Speaker



Grover C. Cole

### Baptist Association To Meet In Midland

Grover C. Cole of Fort Worth president of the Baptist Brotherhood Convention of Texas, will deliver the principal address at the banquet for the men of the Big Spring Association at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the First Baptist Church in Midland. Special features will follow.

Thomas J. Pitts of Odessa, who is the vice-president of the State Brotherhood Convention and the president of the Brotherhood of the Big Spring Association, will preside at the meeting and introduce the speaker.

The Rev. Vernon Yearby is the host pastor, and L. L. Bevil is the Midland Brotherhood president. The association includes Midland, Martin, Howard, Glasscock and Ector counties.

### South Side Service Station To Open

N. G. Baker and his son, Rodney D. Baker, announce the formal opening Monday of the South Side Service Station, 423 South Main Street.

The station will feature Chevron gasoline, RPM motor oil, deluxe washing, and chart lubrication.

N. G. Baker has been a resident of Midland about 24 years. Rodney D. Baker is a Navy veteran. They promise courteous and dependable service.

A new wash and grease house has been constructed and the station remodeled.

### Two Stories Told At Children's Hour

The Children's Hour was held Saturday morning in the Midland County Library. Stories told were "Sugarfoot and the Merry-Go-Round" by Joe De Mers and "Jelly and George" by Fritz Willis.

Children attending were Sandra Jean Giesecke, Donald Wallace, Zanie Bryant, Judy Ann Orson, Trudy Symes, Rebecca Jane Seiferl, Carolyn Crump, Patsy Guyton, Marion Flynn, Jr., Walter Fink, Rupert Franks, Weldon Harris, Gordon Heap, Roy Jones, Odie Kelly, James Locklar, James Miles, Jess Rodgers, Allen Nolen, Eual Ragsdale, Jose Reyes, Bob Roderick, Luis Sanchez, John B. Thomas, Jr., Conrad Wood, and Sandra Shaw.

for briefly. For the Lone Star flag went up at San Jacinto, and it's still up—anywhere in the world a Texan goes.

### They Won't Come Back

Here are some guys from Midland County, who loved Texas, and who won't be back to see it again, but we know they did it proud: Phillip H. Auld, Carl R. Bayne, Gus Bryan, Delmer Davis, Russell Davis, Howard Etheredge, Joe Flasnacht, Marion Flynn, Jr., Walter Fink, Rupert Franks, Weldon Harris, Gordon Heap, Roy Jones, Odie Kelly, James Locklar, James Miles, Jess Rodgers, Allen Nolen, Eual Ragsdale, Jose Reyes, Bob Roderick, Luis Sanchez, John B. Thomas, Jr., Conrad Wood, and others. (Killed in action.)

### Congressman Has Idea

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Representative A. L. Miller (R) of Nebraska advised Congress to repeal a few laws, chop out some unnecessary Government agencies, adopt some constructive labor legislation, then go home. "The country is seldom hurt by laws that Congress does not pass," he observed in a speech to the House.

### AT POSSOM KINGDOM DAM

J. H. Fine, Midland County tax assessor-collector, is visiting at Possum Kingdom Dam near Mineral Wells. He will return to Midland Monday.

### UNDERGOES APPENDECTOMY

Martelle McDonald, 70th District attorney, is reported recovering in a Big Spring hospital after undergoing an appendectomy Thursday.

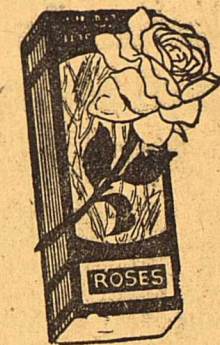
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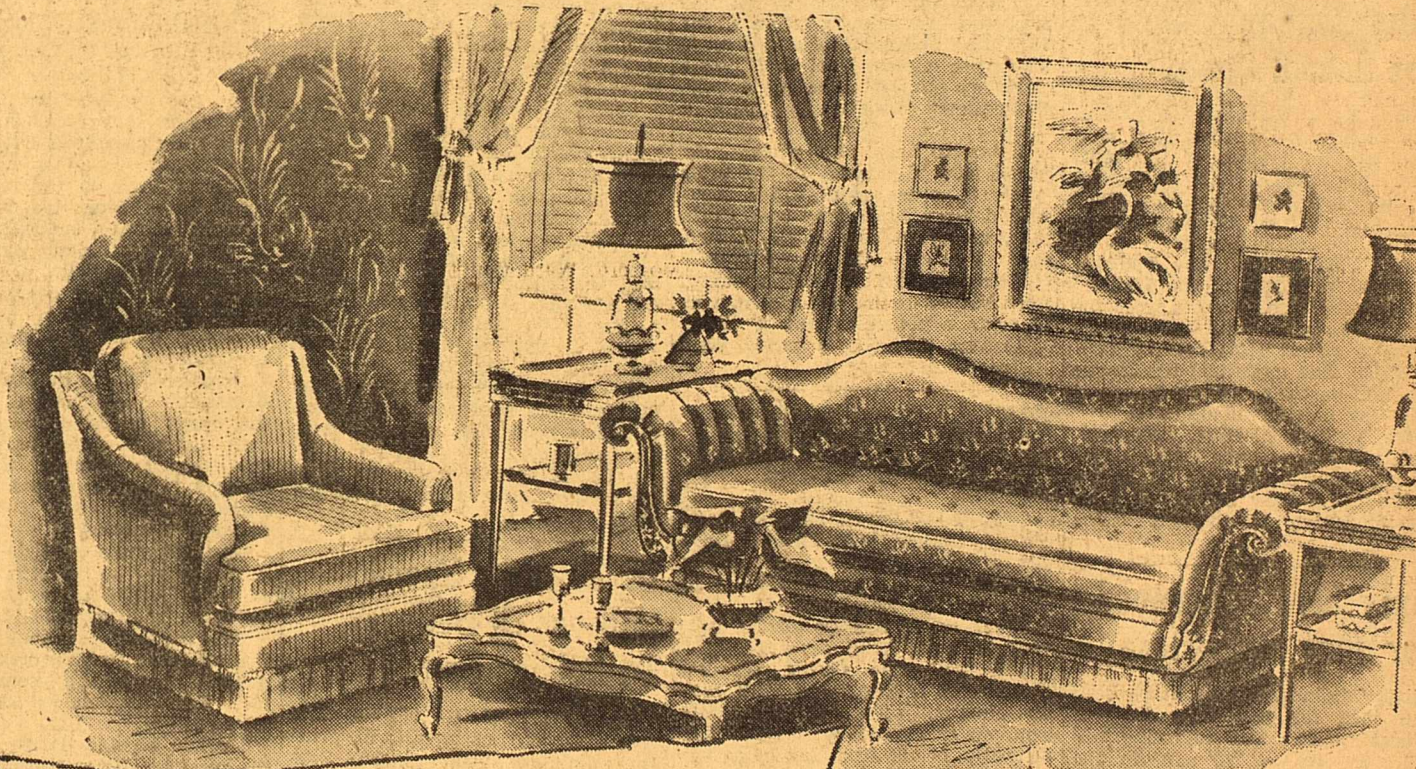
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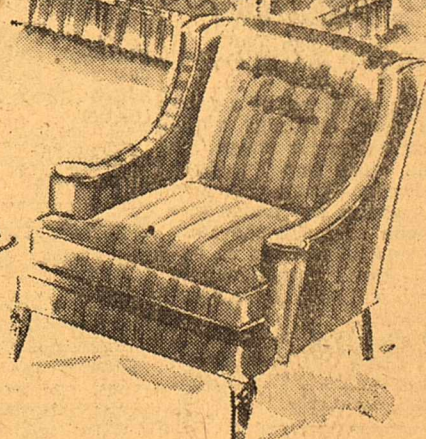
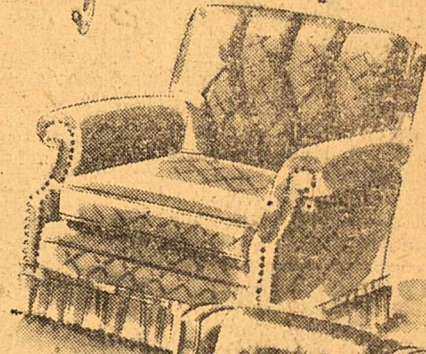
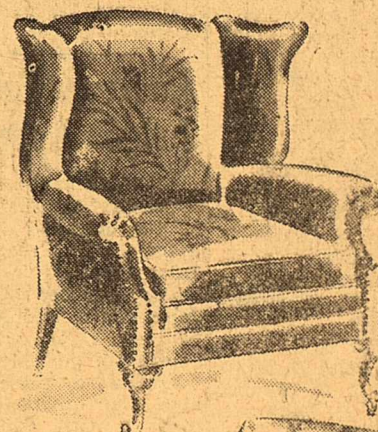
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**Midland Operators Take Leases On 126,000-Acre Wildcat Block**

Closing of a deal for a 10-year commercial oil and gas lease on a block of 126,000 acres, covering approximately 126,000 acres in Irion, Reagan, Sterling and Tom Green counties, by Henderson and McMillan, Midland independent oil operators, was reported Saturday.

The big spread is the Sugg estate property, the center of which is about ten miles northeast of Barnhart. Consideration involved in the deal was not reported.

It is understood that the lease contracts to not include and provision for the immediate drilling of a test well at anytime in the near future. However, it is reported that the area will be worked immediately with seismicograph.

Approximately 163 sections of the spread are in Northwest Irion County. There are about 17 sections in Northeast Reagan County; 14 sections in Southwest Sterling County, and three sections in the west pandangle of Tom Green County.

Fee owners of the property are understood to be A. A. Sugg, C. H. Sugg, Miss Ella C. Sugg, and other heirs of the Sugg estate.

W. Dave Henderson and J. Guy McMillan are joint partners in the firm taking the lease, which was handled in 21 separate contracts of 6,000 acres each.

**WINKLER WILDCAT TESTING TOP ZONE OF ELLENBURGER**

Santa Fe Petroleum Company No. 1 Wheeler, about 12 miles southeast of Kermit, in Central-East Winkler County, and 680 feet from north and west lines of section 21, block B-6, ps1 survey, was bottomed at 11,939 feet, in Ellenburger lime, taking a drillstem test.

Revised top of the formation had been picked at 11,895 feet, according to informed sources. No definite indications of production had been logged down to the current total depth.

At top of the Ellenburger at about 11,905 feet had previously been reported by some geologists. That has been in error. Reason for the mistake was that some Ellenburger boulders were encountered in the basal joints, and when they were topped the 11,895-foot call was made. The boulders were drilled through and the true Ellenburger was not found until 11,895 feet. Elevation is 2,950 feet.

**DEVONIAN TEST STAKED NORTHEAST OF KEYSTONE**

Richardson and Bass have filed application with the Railroad Commission to drill on a Devonian exploration on the northeast side of the Keystone field in North Winkler.

It will be 555 feet from south and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 4, block B-2, ps1 survey. It is projected to 8,500 feet and operations are to begin at once.

There are no Devonian producers adjacent to the drillsite. Several wells nearby, which have been completed from the Ellenburger, have shown possibilities of producing from the Devonian, but none of them took production tests in that formation.

**SOUTHEAST FLANKER IS LATE IN GETTING TO PAY**

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 6-B McCutchen, on the southeast side of the Keystone-Ellenburger producing area, and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 15, block B-2, ps1 survey, had progressed below 9,925 feet, and was still in Simpson shale.

That puts the prospector extra low. Nearby wells which have been completed from the Ellenburger entered that formation considerably higher than the level at which No. 6-B McCutchen is now digging.

**STANOTEX TO PLUG BAIRD PROSPECTOR**

Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 26-13 Baird, about three and one-half miles northeast of Kermit, and 560 feet from south and 1,320 feet from west lines of section 13, block B-3, ps1 survey, an old shallow producer from the Colby sand from above 3,265 feet, which had been deepened to 5,425 feet, has been plugged.

It tested shows of oil in the Holt and Clear Fork zones of the Permian. Each indication of production was accompanied by water. Operator was not able to re-complete from the Colby pay and has abandoned further operations at the location. It is on the southwest side of the Keystone area.

**GOLDSMITH WILDCAT TO TAKE ANOTHER DST**

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 421-E Goldsmith, Ellenburger wildcat in the Goldsmith shallow field, in Northwest Ector County, and 666 feet from east and 1,992 feet from

**Tests At Lea Discovery Delayed By Fishing Job; Steput Is Started**

HOBBS, N. M. — Testing of the full oil yielding possibilities of The Texas Company No. 1 W. C. Garrett, East-Lea County wildcat about 14 miles northeast of Lovington, which has indicated the discovery of a new producing area from the lower section of San Andres-Permian lime, has been delayed by a fishing job.

This exploration, located 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 22-16s-38e, and approximately eight miles northeast of the Lovington field, swabbed 49 barrels of new oil in eight hours, from open hole at 5,540-5,690 feet, which had been treated with 2,000 gallons and 6,000 gallons of acid.

The perforating gun stuck in the pipe, and at last report efforts to remove it were still underway.

After the horizon which is to be perforated is thoroughly tested, it is expected that the project will be completed—even should the upper section fail to make commercial oil. The open hole zone has indicated that it may pump for around 125 barrels of 150 barrels of oil per day.

**Northwest Steput Starts**

The Texas Company has already started drilling at a new prospector in the Buena Vista townsite, 660 feet from northeast and 1,980 feet from northwest lines of section 20, block 2, H&TC survey, and about two and one half miles southeast of the Abell field, was due to do more testing early in the week on the section at 5,020-35 feet, thought to be in the top of the Devonian.

**ABELL GETS INTERESTING DEVONIAN SHOWS IN PECOS**

George T. Abell No. 1 Deitrich-Eager, North Pecos County wildcat, in the Buena Vista townsite, 660 feet from northeast and 1,980 feet from northwest lines of section 20, block 2, H&TC survey, and about two and one half miles southeast of the Abell field, was due to do more testing early in the week on the section at 5,020-35 feet, thought to be in the top of the Devonian.

**That section swabbed at the rate of about 50 barrels of oil, with approximately an equal amount of water, after treating with 1,000 gallons and 3,000 gallons of acid, through casing perforations. The horizon had shown gas at the rate of 100,000 cubic feet per day.**

This prospector drilled to 5,173 feet after logging some signs of oil and gas below 5,000 feet. It cemented 7-inch casing at 5,167 feet with 250 sacks.

The section at 5,070-85 feet was acidized with 1,000 gallons and tested for a small amount of oil, and some salt water. It was then plugged back to 5,052 feet and the interval now open was perforated and tested.

The interesting angle about this project is not the amount of oil that it is showing—but the fact that it is showing possibilities of production on the flank of an Ordovician high, interested observers point out. Its future developments will be watched with widespread interest.

**AN UNOFFICIAL REPORT ON TOM GREEN WILDCAT**

Palmer Oil Corporation No. 1 Oates, Southeast Tom Green County, which is 10 miles southeast of San Angelo and in southwest corner of section 52, district 11, SP survey, was reported by unofficial sources, to have drilled below 5,587 feet, in an unidentified dolomite, and it was supposed to be drilling ahead at last report.

This project is understood to have run drillstem tests between 5,435 feet and 5,500 feet, and to have recovered only drilling mud, with no shows of oil or gas.

**ALBAUGH MAKIN GHOLE AT DAWSON PROJECT**

Ray Albough No. 1 Dorsey, Northeast Dawson County wildcat to 4,350 feet, five miles southeast of O'Donnell, and in southwest corner of section 12, block 33, H&TC survey, and in southwest corner of section 12, block 33, H&TC survey, had reached 3,350 feet in lime, and was drilling ahead.

**CROCKETT WILDCATS ARE TO RE-TREAT WITH ACID**

Stanford Oil & Gas Company No. 1-TT University, Ellenburger exploration in Northeast Crockett County, and 2,960 feet from north and 660 feet from west lines of section 12, block 39, University Lands, was preparing to re-treat with 5,000 gallons of acid, in the upper Ellenburger at 8,100-48 feet.

After treating with 1,500 gallons of acid that zone tested for 98 barrels of oil in six hours flowing and made gas at the rate of 4,446,000 cubic feet per day.

Shell Oil Company, Inc. No. 1 University, 680 feet from north and 630 feet from west lines of section 21, block 39, University survey, was preparing to re-treat the Ellenburger zone between 8,060 feet and total depth at 8,264 feet, with 500 gallons of mud acid. That section had shown some gas, following previous acid treatments.

**SUN SPUDS THIRD TEST IN COKE COUNTY AREA**

Sun Oil Company No. 1 Fred Jameson, one quarter of a mile south of the discovery for flowing production from the Strawn section of the Pennsylvanian in the Silver area of Northwest Coke County, and 1,980 feet from west and 660 feet from north lines of section 315, block A-1, H&TC survey, was making hole below 6,373 feet, in hard, dry brown and gray lime.

It is going ahead to try to find the Ellenburger. That section is expected, by some geologists, at around 6,850 feet to 6,900 feet.

Sun No. 1 H. H. Jameson, one location west of the initial producer in that field, spudded Friday, and had reached 40 feet, and was drilling ahead.

**SECOND PETERSBURG TEST SAID TO BE ABOUT FLAT**

Stanford No. 1 LaFont, one location south hand one location east of the initial producer from the Pennsylvanian in the Petersburg field in Southeast Hale County, and 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 10, block CL, EL survey, had penetrated be-

erator will continue making hole until another such horizon is encountered—if it is—and then another drillstem will be taken.

The prospector is in an undeveloped region between the shallow Eunice and Arrowhead fields.

Continental Oil Company et al., 5-B-23 Skaggs another East Lea wildcat, located 1,980 feet from north and 2,080 feet from east lines of section 23-20s-37e, and about midway between Hobbs and Eunice, had reached 10,215 feet, in granite wash and shale, and was continuing.

**Considerable Granite Wash**

The exploration had already drilled through a considerable section of the granite wash, after going out of the Simpson. It is expected that the owners will continue drilling until solid granite is reached.

**The Oil Pusher**

By JAMES C. WATSON, Oil Editor

**MYGDAL TO GIVE PAPER AT TUESDAY LUNCHEON**

—Karl A. Mygdal, district geologist of The Pure Oil Company for West Texas and Southeast New Mexico, will be speaker for the Tuesday noon luncheon of the Midland Geological Society in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

—He will give an advance presentation of a paper, "The Keystone Field of Winkler County, Texas, which has been prepared for the program of the annual meeting of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists, in Los Angeles, March 24-28.

—Mygdal is at present on a special assignment for his company in the Fort Worth division geological office. He has arranged to come home for the Tuesday program.

**DR. CRONEIS TO SPEAK MARCH 21 FOR WTGS**

—Dr. Carey Croneis, president of Beloit College, Beloit, Wis., will speak for the West Texas Geological Society, at 7:30 p. m. March 21, in the district courtroom of the Midland Courthouse.

—His subject will be "Geologic Crossroads", which will deal with new conceptions of geology in relation to national economy, industry and science.

—Croneis was a professor of geology at the University of Chicago before going to Beloit. He is coming to Midland under the auspices of the Distinguished Lecture Committee of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists. He is rated as a capable geologist and economist and an interesting speaker.

**L. I. BAKERS MADE TRIP TO TEMPLE**

—L. I. Baker, of the gas department of the production section of the Midland district office of The Texas Company, and Mrs. Baker, have been in Temple during the last week.

—Bake" went down for a medical checkup and possible treatments.

**SMITH PROMOTED IN SHELL CRUDE OIL DEPARTMENT**

—Under the new setup of Shell Oil Company, Inc., in the Midland area, M. T. Smith, who has been scout in the crude oil department of the company's division office here, has been promoted to crude oil representative in the area, which covers West Texas and New Mexico.

—Smith has been with Shell in this region for about 11 years, except for time spent in military service.

—A. D. Rogers, who has been on the crude oil staff of the company's regional headquarters at Houston, has been transferred to Midland to fill the Shell scouting job formerly handled by Smith.

**PHILLIPS MOVES CRUDE AND GASOLINE IN SAME LINE**

—According to information received last week, Phillips Petroleum Company is moving an average of 5,500 barrels of crude oil per day through the Mextec gasoline pipe line from West Texas to Borger.

—That oil is being taken from fields in Ector and Andrews counties—with most of it coming from the Embar field in South Andrews.

—It is understood that arrangements will soon be completed for moving about 3,000 barrels of oil per day from the Fullerton field, through the Mextec line.

—Informed sources report that the handling of both crude oil and gasoline through the pipe line will be continued until the new 289-mile, 12-inch oil line Phillips has announced for building soon, from the Permian Basin to Borger, is constructed.

**Crane, Andrews, Odessa 4-H Boys Ready Calves, Hogs For March Shows**

With 20 Hereford steers and four Hampshire barrows ready for the March shows, 4-H Club boys at Andrews, Crane and Odessa have selected club officers and are off to a good start for 1947.

While fattening club steers is one of the important demonstrations handled by the boys, other demonstrations are proving popular and of real value, too, according to County Agent H. L. Atkins, Jr., who works with the groups. Demonstrations in the growing of cotton, corn, grain sorghums and tree fruits are being carried on in Andrews County, while the raising of dairy cattle, swine, poultry and lambs and the production of home gardens and yard beautification are open to boys in all three counties, the agent reported.

Officers of the Andrews 4-H Club include F. D. Hughey, president; Jack Brock, vice-president; H. T. Wilson, Jr., secretary-treasurer. C. M. Coker is president, William Brightman, vice-president, and Billy Don Ingram secretary-treasurer of the Crane group, while Palmer Willis, J. C. Lingie, Jr., and Robert McKnight are president, vice-president and secretary-treasurer, respectively, of the Odessa club.

Members at Andrews, in addition to the officers named, include Melvin Cotten, Max Short, Bob Hamilton, Jack Smith, W. H. and Dan Black, Robert Forbes, Herbert Emmons, Jr., Gayle Bacon, Ross Bullock, Richard Bohannon, Pat Wright, Jr., Neill Longley, Alvis Woolam, Sonny Helvey, Robert Keith, Bobby Gene Jones, George McKee, Billy Roach, J. H. Mabry, Jr., Carol Dean Cox, Billie Bynum, Ray Peoples, Billy Wilson, Joe Weatherly.

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Included at Crane 4-H Club are Jimmie Stacy, Speck Pearce, Jimmy Glenn, Kenneth Lightfoot, Billy Glenn, J. W. Mann, Ted Field, Sammie White, Floyd Odum, Myron Holcomb, Sherrill Ivy, Roy Lee Dameron, Bobby Jack Russell, Joe Dan Ash, Brent McAfee, Jax Charles Potet, Clarence W. Miller, Ray Omo, George McCorkle, Marvin Smith, Doyle Ray Lakin, Sammy Joe Paris, Nolan McDougal, Jimmie Zarfoss, Eddie Huggins, John Clark, Jr., Billy Marlowe.

Odessa 4-H boys are Fred Willis, Mabery with the Mercantile National Bank of Dallas before becoming associated with Brown and Bigelow. He is a member of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, JayCees and Lions Club.

Under the new area setup, Mabery will cover the territory from Abilene west to Pecos on U. S. Highway 80, and north to the Lubbock County line. Boeckman said production in the West Texas territory has doubled since Mabery was transferred to this area from Dallas. Midland is centrally located in the company's West Texas area.

Mabery was with the Mercantile National Bank of Dallas before becoming associated with Brown and Bigelow. He is a member of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, JayCees and Lions Club.

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**Hereford Display To Feature Stock Show At Monahans**

MONAHANS — The Monahans Livestock Show, March 14-15, will have the greatest display of Hereford cattle in its history, John Mogford, Ward County agent, said.

The committee in charge of the Hereford cattle show is composed of Arthur Elkins of Monahans, chairman, Charles Mitchell of Kermit, Fern Tatam and S. W. Estes, both of Monahans.

More than \$300 in prizes will be given in 21 different classes, Mogford said. The show is open to the world.

A 4-H Club and FFA show also is scheduled.

**Evangelist To Speak On 'Life Beyond The Grave' Sunday Night**

Raymond L. Alber, noted evangelist, Sunday evening will bring a message on the theme, "Life Beyond the Grave," at the revival service at the First Christian Church.

"What does the Bible teach about the future world?" "Is there a Hell, if so what does the Bible say about it?" "Is there a Heaven, if so what does the Bible say about it?" are among the questions the evangelist will answer in his sermon.

**Sacred Concert**

The service, starting at 7:30 p. m., will be preceded by a 15-minute sacred concert by David Cone, outstanding pianist and violinist.

Mrs. Alber will make another of her rag pictures, "The Old Rugged Cross."

Saturday night was Bible night at the revival. More than 100 Bibles of all kinds and sizes were on display. Mr. Alber spoke on the theme, "The Book of Books."

The Alber Party may be heard each night at 7:30 o'clock at the First Christian Church.

**Cast Party Follows Friday Night's Play**

Square dancing featured the cast party, Friday night, following the Community Theater's third staging of "Papa Is All," in the City-County Auditorium.

The three-night run opened Wednesday for students and played to overflowed full crowds Thursday and Friday nights. Delegations from Big Spring, Odessa and Wink attended the Friday night show.

Play Readers' Club members served coffee between acts. Hostesses were Mrs. R. E. Roark, Mrs. Ralph Barron, Mrs. Wallace Irwin, Mrs. Bill Schneider, Mrs. J. E. Beaker, Mrs. Delo Douglas, Mrs. Fred Fuhrman, Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mrs. Wade Heath, Mrs. Elliott Barron, and Mrs. John P. Butler.



## District Methodist Conference Will Be Held In Midland Church Monday

The Sweetwater District Conference of the Methodist Church will meet at 10 a. m. Monday in the First Methodist Church here. More than 250 delegates from a wide West Texas area are expected to attend.

Dr. O. P. Clark of Sweetwater, district superintendent, will preside. Reports of the work of the 26 Methodist Churches in the district will be made. The district extends from Sweetwater on the east to Midland on the west, and from Snyder and Lamasa on the north to Garden City south. The total Methodist enrollment in the area is 10,797.

The general theme of the conference will be "Stewardship." The over-all district report will be reviewed.

Dr. Clark will preach at the 11 a. m. services Sunday at the First Methodist Church, and at the Andrews Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m.

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Dr. O. P. Clark

draws Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m. New Midland Church Planned

In his report to the district conference, the Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor of Midland's First Methodist Church, will include plans for the establishment of another Methodist congregation here.

Midland delegates to the conference, in addition to the pastor and the Rev. Lennox Eyster, assistant pastor, are J. W. Thorne, church school superintendent; W. M. Conner, district steward; Ray Gwyn, associate district lay leader; J. Holt Jowell, charge lay leader; Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, president of the Women's Society of Christian Service; Bub Brewer, president of the Young People's Department; N. N. Lacy, chairman of the Midland Church Board of Missions. In addition to these ex-officio members, there are six elected delegates: Jack Goddard, H. M. McReynolds, Noel G. Oates, Mrs. J. P. Carson, Jr., Mrs. Phil Scharbauer, and Mrs. G. P. Bradbury.

William D. McReynolds, a student in McMurry College, will be licensed to preach at this session of the Sweetwater District Conference. McReynolds is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McReynolds of Midland, and is a member of the First Methodist Church here.

**ASK CONGRESS RESTORE TRUE COLLECTIVE BARGAINING**

NEW YORK — (AP) — The National Association of Manufacturers, in a statement by its board of directors, Saturday urged Congress to "abolish industry-wide bargaining and the closed shop and restore true collective bargaining."

## Coming Events

### MONDAY

The St. Margaret Guild of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 3:30 p. m. with Mrs. R. E. Morgan, 1609 West Kentucky Avenue, and the St. Cecilia Guild will meet with Mrs. J. D. Dillard, 703 North Marienfield Street.

The opening service in the observance of a Week of Prayer will be held at 3 p. m. by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church. The theme of the week's service will be "Crown Thy Good With Brotherhood."

The district conference of the Methodist Church will open at 10 a. m. in the First Methodist Church.

Members of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church will meet for a missionary program at 3 p. m. at the church.

The Midland Choral Club will meet at 8 p. m. at the First Christian Church.

Circles of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 3 p. m. as follows: Dorcas Circle with Mrs. T. R. Wilson, 910 West Michigan Avenue; Esther Circle with Mrs. Frank Manning, 1902 West Missouri Avenue; Rebecca Circle with Mrs. C. W. Ledebur, 1408 West College Street; Rachel Circle with Mrs. W. C. Fritz, 1910 West College Street; Ruth Circle with Mrs. Andrew Fasken, 1511 West Missouri Avenue; and the Training Circle with Mrs. J. R. Martin, Jr., 404 North San Angelo Avenue.

The St. Anne Altar Society of the St. George Catholic Church will meet at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. James Chappie, 909 West Storey Street.

**TUESDAY**  
The Rev. Hubert Hopper will speak on "Encouraging Wholesome Attitudes" at the meeting of the Junior High School Parent-Teacher Association at 4 p. m. in the music building of the Junior High School.

Members of the Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist Church will meet at 2:30 p. m. in the Scharbauer Educational Building.

The Lydia Circle of the First Presbyterian Church Woman's Auxiliary will meet with Mrs. Hubert Hopper, 1210 West Missouri Avenue, at 7:30 p. m.

Week of Prayer will be observed by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. in the church.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Texas in Today's World will be the theme of the meeting of the Modern Study Club at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. I. E. Hood, 111 Ridgela Drive.

The Woman's Wednesday Club will meet for a Texas Day program at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. George Glass, 911 West Texas Avenue.

Lenten services will be conducted by the Rev. R. J. Snell in the Trinity Episcopal Church, with Holy Communion at 10 a. m. and an evening service at 8 p. m.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will sponsor an "Easter Parade of 1947" in two showings at 7:30 and 9:30 p. m. in the Yucca Theater.

Week of Prayer will be observed

by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. in the church.

The Play Reader's Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. John P. Butler, 1603 Holloway Street.

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick will give a demonstration on re-styling hats at 2 p. m. for clothing demonstrators in the assembly room of the courthouse.

The Star Study Club will meet at 1 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

**THURSDAY**  
Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club will have their March luncheon meeting at 12 noon in the Private Dining Room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Mrs. Nettie B. Messick will speak on "Common Sprays and Their Uses" and Mrs. W. B. Neely will discuss "Weeds and Weed Killers" at the meeting of the Midland Garden Club at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. A. P. Scharbauer, 1714 West Holloway Street.

Mrs. M. F. King, 507 North Loraine Avenue, will be the hostess for the meeting of the Needle Craft Club at 3 p. m.

Week of Prayer will be observed by the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church at 3 p. m. in the church.

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

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Mrs. Ted Lowe, Mrs. Bill Barker, and Mrs. H. S. Oliver will be hostesses for the luncheon meeting of the Ladies Golf Association of the Country Club at 1 p. m.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. H. E. Skipper, 805 South Weatherford Avenue, at 3 p. m.

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

Children's Theater Group 1 will meet at 10:30 a. m. and Group 2 will meet at 1:30 p. m. The Junior Workshop of the Community Theater will meet at 3:15 p. m.

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

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

**Midlanders Attend Baptist Meeting**  
Sixteen Midlanders attended the meeting of District 8 of the Baptist General Convention in Odesa Thursday and Friday.

Those making the trip were the Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Yearby, Mrs. J. H. Griffith, Mrs. E. R. Powell, the Rev. and Mrs. Fred McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. Spratt, the Rev. S. Lora, Mrs. O. L. Stalcup, Mrs. W. D. Anderson, Mrs. T. E. Neely, the Rev. J. W. Truett, Mrs. John Godwin and the Rev. and Mrs. R. L. Hewgley.

The theme of the conference was "Growing the Church."

## Smith Announces Sale Of Plumbing Company; Enters New Business

C. E. Smith, owner of the Midland Plumbing Company, Saturday announced its sale to Bob McProud and Harvey Beauchamp. The plumbing company is located at 203 South Main Street.

Smith also announced his entrance into the industrial plumbing contracting field, supplying and installing plumbing equipment for office buildings, hospitals, schools and churches.

His new business is located at 1806 West Front Street.

The new owners of the Midland Plumbing Company said no changes in personnel are contemplated.

## McCamey School Head Named President Of Teacher Association

**BROWNWOOD** — (AP) — Howard Stoker, McCamey school superintendent, was elected president of the Mid-Texas Education Association here Friday at the group's first full-scale meeting since the war.

More than 1,000 persons from the 21-county district were present.

## Building Permits Are \$17,000 During Week

Building permits in Midland for the week ending Saturday totaled \$17,000 and brought the 1947 figure to \$338,120.

The week's total of \$17,000 is compared with permits of \$34,270 for the week previous.

C. E. Nix received two permits, totaling \$9,000, to build two duplex units at 701-701A and 703-703A North Baird Street. Each is for a \$4,500 structure to contain two apartments of three rooms each. Size of each duplex will be 28 by 38 feet. Material will be lumber.

Other permits of the week: C. W. Dodson, \$6,000, to build a frame dwelling at 1205 West Washington Street, size to be 46 by 28 feet; H. A. Masbourn, \$2,000, to build a frame dwelling at 907 Whitaker Street, size to be 14 by 28 feet, material, lumber.

## Lenorah News

LENORAH—Lenorah Girl Scout Troop 1 met Wednesday with the sponsor, Mrs. P. M. Bristow, Jr., and elected the officers for the year.

Dorothy Mims was named president; Donna Womack, vice-president; Jimmie Pearl Ashley, secretary and treasurer; and Betty Mae Odell, reporter.

Two girls joined the troop, and plans were made for a Mother's Day Tea.

Paul Greenhaw, a student in Hardin-Simmons University, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Greenhaw, last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Barr of Denver City visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barr and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Willingham recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Foreman of Jal, N. M., visited in Lenorah Sunday.

Mrs. Wesley Cathey and daughters of Houston, visited relatives in Lenorah last week.

Dave Foreman and Charles F. Justis of Jal, N. M., flew to Lenorah on business Monday. Justis, pilot of the plane, is an aircraft dealer for Southeast New Mexico and West Texas. They plan to visit Lenorah by plane again soon.

C. E. Winters of Midland visited in Lenorah recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Perkins and daughter, Janice Clydine, of Lubbock, were visitors in Lenorah last Sunday.

## Onyx Refining Company At Abilene Is Sold

ABILENE — (AP) — Sale of the Onyx Refining Company, its 18,000-barrel per day plant, approximately 80 miles of pipeline gathering system and headquarters and bulk distribution system was announced Saturday by F. Kirk Johnson, Ungren and Frazier and others.

Buyers of the concern were Rock Island Refining Corporation of Indianapolis; L. B. Simmons of Duncan, Okla., and L. E. Winkler of Indianapolis. The sale price was not disclosed.

## John B. Joyce Dies Of Gunshot Wounds

IOWA PARK, TEXAS — (AP) — John B. Joyce, 52, one of the founders of the Department of Petroleum Engineering at Texas A&M College and a retired refinery superintendent, was found dead in the garage at his home here Saturday.

R. R. Brubaker, justice of the peace, returned a coroner's verdict of death from self-inflicted gunshot wounds. Joyce had been in ill health.

## Stan Musial Is Holdout

ST. PETERSBURG, FLA. — (AP) — Stan Musial and five other members of the world champion St. Louis Cardinals officially became holdouts Saturday when they failed to report for the scheduled opening of Spring training.

## SALES FOR GERMANY

Mrs. Mary Gerald, 1400 West College Street, Saturday, received word from her son Rex that he will sail Sunday from an East Coast port with an Army unit for Germany.

## REBELS OPEN TRAINING

DALLAS — (AP) — The Dallas Rebels of the Texas Baseball League will open their Spring training grid Thursday, with battermen reporting.

## Texas U Wins Southwest Cage Championship

AUSTIN — (AP) — For the first time since 1924, a University of Texas basketball team finished undefeated in Southwest Conference play, winding up here Saturday night by thumping Arkansas 66-46.

The Longhorns came from behind a one-point Arkansas lead at the game's outset, with Roy Cox pumping in three field goals in a little over a minute of play.

From that point, the Steers were never in danger.

Texas clinched the conference crown Friday night with a 49-44 victory over Arkansas.

## Aggie Swimmers Defeat Longhorns

COLLEGE STATION — (AP) — Danny Green, Texas Aggie swimmer, set two more pool records and sparked the Aggies to a 64-39 victory in their dual meet with the Texas Longhorns here Saturday.

Green also anchored the 400-yard free style relay team which beat the Longhorns by a full pool length of 100 feet in time of 3:49.3 which is 7 seconds better than the conference record which has been standing since 1939.

## 70th District Court Reporter Gets Recorder

The 70th District Court has purchased a Pierce Wire Recorder for taking court testimony and records, and the machine is now in operation by L. P. Boone, court reporter.

The Pierce instrument records voices on a thin strand of wire. At a later date the wire can be re-run through the machine to reproduce the conversation.

The machine will record for one hour, being equipped with two miles of wire. Boone says the machine is very helpful for stenographic and dictation work.

## Basket Ball Scores

Texas A&M 59, Southern Methodist 58.

Texas 66, Arkansas 46.

Rice 64, TCU 53.

Kentucky 55, Tulane 38.

Texas Wesleyan 60, Loyola 59.

Notre Dame 55, Northwestern 53.

Howard Payne 57, S'western 45.

Bradley 48, Kansas State 41.

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## Plenty Of Student Tickets Available For Rubinoff Matinee

Although all tickets for Rubinoff's Monday evening concert in the Midland High School Auditorium are sold, 386 tickets for the student-faculty concert in the auditorium Monday afternoon are available. Mrs. Thomas R. Parker, president of the Civic Music Club, sponsoring organization, announced Saturday.

The matinee concert originally was planned for students and faculty members of the senior and junior high schools, but Mrs. Parker said it now will be open to all children of Midland and surrounding territory, regardless of age.

Tickets On Sale  
Matinee tickets, priced at 75 cents, will go on sale Monday morning at the North, South and West Elementary schools, and at the Junior High School. They also will be on sale at the high school auditorium door until 2 p. m.

Mrs. Parker urged the support of all parents in having children attend the matinee.

She reminded parents of the unusual cultural benefits the children will receive, and said that if Midland is to continue to have such attractions, the matinee must be supported.

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Mr. Rogers enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve at Odessa, Texas, in the summer of 1942 and received his discharge in September, 1946.

Because of his knowledge and love of fire arms, hunting and all types of shooting, he requested and was assigned to the U. S. Marine Corps and Naval Training School at Oakland, Calif., where he spent two years as instructor after a thorough schooling in small arms at the Norfolk, Virginia, Naval Base.

He was then sent to Gulfport, Miss., where he was in charge of the construction of the Gulfport Naval Advance Base Depot. He was later sent to Taft, Calif., where he was in charge of two naval pistol teams at the U. S. Naval Petroleum Reserve Range No. 2. He also served eleven months with the Navy in the Solomon Islands Section.

He holds the U. S. Navy Medals as Expert in Pistol and Rifle; as well as a U. S. Navy certificate in ordnance, care and the repair of small arms.

Equipment is being installed at this time for a complete service of fire arms which will include repairing, cleaning, bluing, refinishing, adjusting of all sights and scopes.

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**RABBIT SHOOT**  
**HEY, FELLOWS!** Another big rabbit drive will be held on the Louis Smith Ranch Tuesday, March 4th. Drivers will meet at the Smith ranch house at 8 A. M. and lunch will be served at Cloverdale Park at noon. Both the Midland Hardware and Carleton & Brumbelow will have representatives there with plenty of ammunition.

To reach the drive go two miles east on the Garden City Road, then turn south for six miles, then one mile east. Come on out, fellows, and let's have a goor drive.

**Spring Football—**

# Bulldogs Open Drills Monday

By TANNER LAINE

They're coming out fighting—the 1947 Midland High School Bulldogs.

Ninety-five strong, MHS gridders open Spring training Monday.

Five lettermen will answer the call of Head Coach Barnes Milam. They are: Dunny Goode, fleet back; R. A. (Bull) Whitson,

guard; John Scrogins, 200-pound linesman; Bill Little, great spinner and crazy legs back; and Charlie Moncrief, utility trouble-shooter last year in the line or backfield.

All assistant coaches will help with the 30 days of Spring drill. The grid tutor corps contains Earl Glassie, Jack Mashburn, Aubra Nooncaster, Ken Kearns and Cameron Neal.

There will be intra-squad games every Friday during the training period.

The uniforms were all tagged and ready Saturday and Coach Milam said: "We want good boys to fill them."

It is going to be a battle from the gong for starting positions on next year's ballclub. According to Milam he will use the best boys in each position regardless of previous press clippings or reputation. He believes his '47 club will have a better balance at each position although not as strong in individual cases as last year.

The Bulldogs will work from the single-wing, the T-formation, the box, and other assorted formations.

## Oihavvery Wins Santa Anita Race

ARCADIA, CALIF. — (AP) — Oihavvery, owned by Pan de Azucar Stable, won the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap Saturday as favored Armed ran out.

Oihavvery, 15-1 shot, came from behind in the stretch to whip Stitch Again by one length. Pere Time was third, with See-See and Armed right behind.

## SMU, Baylor To Compete In AAU Cage Tourney

DALLAS — (AP) — Two Southwest Conference basketball teams—Southern Methodist and Baylor—will test their strength against quintets from other college leagues and some of the section's outstanding commercial teams as the 1947 Northwestern AAU Cage Tournament is unreeled here starting Wednesday night.

The tournament will continue through Saturday night. The winner will go to the National AAU Tournament at Denver.

## Faultless Wins Race

MIAMI, FLA. — (AP) — Colmet Farm's Faultless won the \$50,000 added Flamingo Stakes for three-year-olds at Hialeah Saturday, defeating a field of 10 others in the mile and a furlong event. Walter P. Chrysler's Brabancon was second and circle M Farm's Riskolater third.

# SPORTS

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, MARCH 2, 1947—5

## Sharp-Shooting El Paso Tigers Annex Bi-District Cage Title; Beat Abilene

ABILENE—The sharp shooting El Paso Tigers swept the bi-district basketball playoff with Abilene Friday night in a convincing fashion, throttling the Abilene Eagles by a score of 39-25.

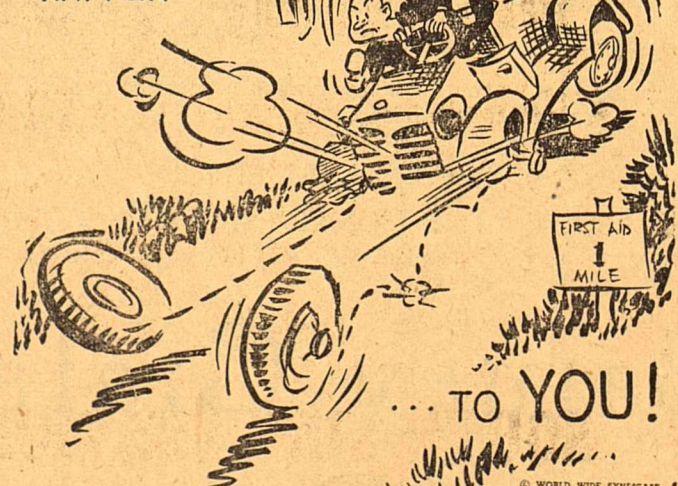
Another capacity turnout of 1,200 fans saw the rough contest at the high school gym in which the visiting Tigers grabbed an early lead and held it all the way.

The victory qualified the Border Bengals for the Class AA state championship tournament at Austin next week. The Tigers belted the Abilenians, 47-32, Thursday night.

As in the opening game, the Tigers were superior marksmen and presented an air-tight defense that the Eagles couldn't break through for close range shots.

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## DOWN SPORTSLANE TANNER LAINE

A new semester rule in the University Interscholastic League, which would eliminate the practice of holding over high school students for athletic competition, has been proposed by a special committee of the League's Advisory Council.

The new rule says that the eight semesters of eligibility shall begin with the first semester the student enrolls in high school, and close at the end of the eighth consecutive semester.

Enforcement of the rule would be comparatively simple, since the date the student enters high school would automatically guide officials in determining the number of semesters in school.

R. B. Norman, principal of Amarillo High School, is chairman of the committee, and members serving with him are R. B. Sparks, principal of the Robert E. Lee High School, Goose Creek; and E. T. Robbins, superintendent of Taylor public schools.

According to information in the current Interscholastic League, complaints against the practice of holding over students are: (1) It is a form of over-emphasis violating the basic reasons for the contests; (2) Places emphasis on winning rather than participating; (3) Denies regularly-promoted students the opportunity of participating because of their inability to compete against players old enough to be college freshmen; (4) It results in unethical tactics amounting to a form of dishonesty.

Another little master the League has been studying is Spring football training—abolishment or its retention. The main criticism against Spring football training, perhaps, is that it detracts from other sports. But this can be worked out or rather it has been worked out up to now.

We are in agreement with the students at Texas Tech asking for the booting of Coach Dell Morgan on the charge his teams are "lacking lustre". But it is the same old story up there that it was when we used to represent the students trying to get rid of Pete Cawthorn. The athletic council is the law. The law always said Pete will stay. That was that. This council has acted in its customary dogmatic way—Morgan will stay at Tech.

—SI—  
**ROUND'N' UP THE STRAYS.**  
 ... A good boy we overlooked in discussing the old R-T softball gang was Louie Yarbrough. ... Louie was one of the best first sackers in the loop last Summer. ... Bob Flowers, an ex-professional footballer with the Green Bay Packers, is now a Midland citizen. ... We were glad to see Abilene get beat in the bi-district not because we dislike Abilene but because we don't like Jake Bentley, the Eagle coach. ... His over-lord airs are disgusting to us. ... Bentley at the recent 3-AA tournament in voting for an all-district team put his five boys first and then condescended to vote for a few others. ... That's his attitude and he always shows it. ... We missed the boat in our prediction that assistant coach Mule Stockton would get the job over at Big Spring. ... Midland may have few entries in the Big Spring Relays coming up March 11. ... Why don't they leave Glenn Davis and Doc Blanchard alone. ... And let them be Army officers. ... The latest lure to the "touchdown twins" is to make a movie while they are on furlough. ... Pro football made the first cast at them, and failed. ... Coach Warren Woodson of Simmons won't get very far with his blasts at pro football. ... \$10,000 bids speak louder than words. ... Midland produces a good brand of bowling. ... This can be seen in the approaching city tournament. ... These monthly stag parties at the Midland Country Club will be good get-togethers. ... First one held last week was a bit of a bang. ... Indiana is the hot-bed of basketball in the United States. ... The high school tournament starting this weekend will draw 1,500,000 spectators before it ends. ... There are 781 entries. ... Every barn in Indiana has a hoop on the wall, and the kids shoot at it with a basketball all the time. ... Texas U likes San Angelo products. ... Big Joel Williams from SA is running number one center down there. ... And three other ex-San Angeloans are on the squad of favorites in Spring training. ... It was scholastic difficulties that whacked Bill Richards from Midland off the SMU Mustangs. ... They'll miss Bill's punting. ... Passing. ... Running. ... Any Midlanders on the North-South squads for the all-star game at the Summer coaching school? ... Stray roundup is 30.

**Snead Breaks Record**  
 JOHANNESBURG, SOUTH AFRICA — (AP) — Sammy Snead, the British open golf champion from Hot Spring, Va., broke the Queens-town Course record Saturday with a 66 while defeating Bobbie Locke, South African open king, 5 and 3, in an 18-hole match.

## Kiwanis Club Will Have Special Program Monday

Dave Rubinoff, famed violinist, and members of his party will be special guests, and the 60 piece first-grade Rhythm Band of the West Elementary School will present a program at the regular luncheon of the Midland Kiwanis Club in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel Monday noon. Dr. H. A. Ireland, president, will preside.

Members who plan to bring guests are requested to make reservations by contacting Steve Parson, club secretary.

Contrary to popular belief, the hooves and horns of animals do not yield glue, although the pith of horns and the interior of hooves are sources of raw materials used in its manufacture.

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**MORE SPORTS**  
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### Crane News

CRANE—Carl Maxwell went to Lubbock Friday to be with his father who is ill in a Lubbock hospital.

Mrs. Jim Brannam is ill in the Cooper Hospital in McCamey.

The bridge and 42 tournament at the Community Hall was well attended Thursday night. The tournament was sponsored by the American Legion.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Clark honored Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gallaway on their anniversary Thursday night with a party.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Webb, Sr., of

Snyder are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Gray Webb, Jr. in Crane.

The WSCS of the Methodist Church had a covered dish luncheon Thursday, attended by 21 persons.

A Bible study followed the luncheon.

Mrs. Johnnie Clark presided over the business session.

The program was on Christian motive and stewardship. Mrs. C. A. Shaffer gave a devotional on Christian stewardship. Mrs. Lawrence A. Williams on stewardship of giving, and Mrs. W. R. Marlo on stewardship of wealthy giving.

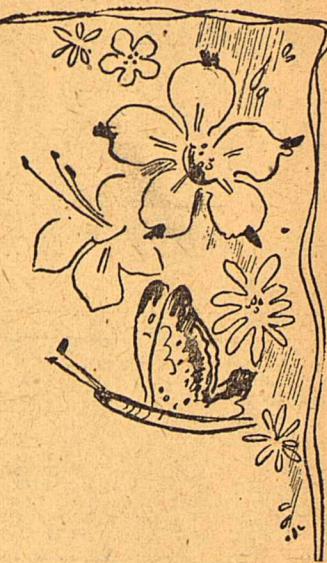
The Pecos District Conference will meet in the Crane Methodist Church March 12-13.



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4:18 8:12  
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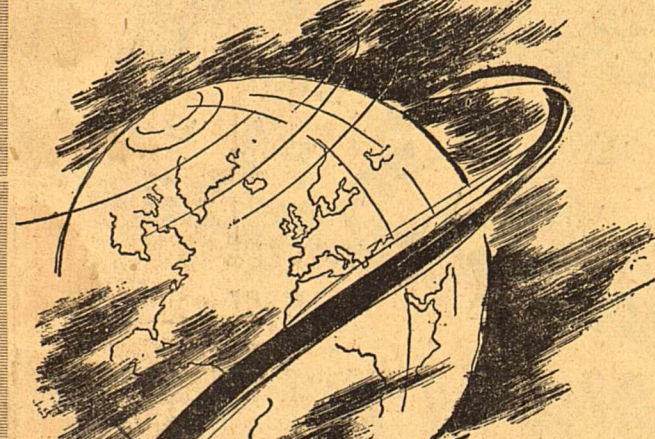


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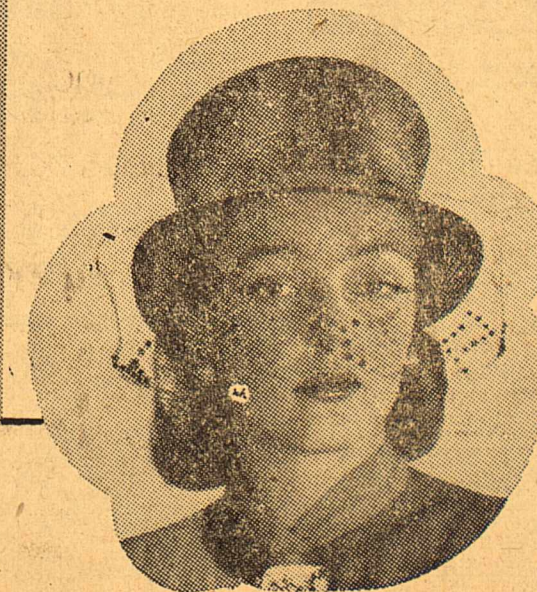
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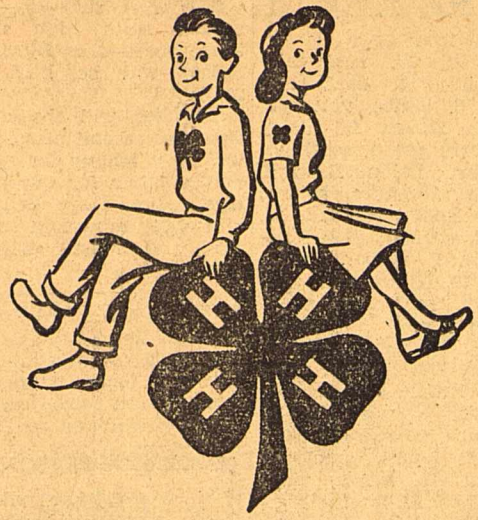


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## Club Boys And Girls To Observe National 4-H Week

### Special Meeting, Broadcast, Tea, Church Services Included On Program

Nearly 150 Midland County 4-H Club boys and girls will join with 1,600,000 other youths in the nation in observing National 4-H Club Week, March 2 through 9. A special meeting of the boys at 10 a. m. next Saturday; and a 4-H girls club radio broadcast, tea, and church services will highlight the Midland County program, using the national theme "Working Together For A Better Home And World Community."

During the week the boys and girls will rededicate themselves to the ideals as given in the club pledge, the 4-H guidposts, and the 4-H citizenship pledge.

The radio program will be broadcast over KGRS from 5:15 to 5:30 p. m. Thursday and will consist of information on the 4-H ideals and objectives, as well as musical numbers.

**Tea Saturday Afternoon**  
The tea is scheduled from 3 to 5 p. m. Saturday in the assembly room on the third floor of the courthouse, honoring two new 4-H Clubs organized this year — the Junior High Club, and the 7th and 8th Grade Junior High Club.

The 4-H Club girls will attend, in a body, the morning church services next Sunday at the First Methodist Church in Midland.

Along with the national observance, the 4-H Clubs will celebrate their 19th anniversary in Midland County. The first clubs were organized in 1928 by Miss Genevieve Derryberry, the county's first home demonstration agent. They were the Cotton Flat and the Stokes 4-H Girls Clubs, each starting with four charter members. Now there are four girls 4-H Clubs and two boys clubs with a total enrollment of 149. The girls clubs have 98 members and the boys clubs 51 members.

The charter members of the Cotton Flat club were Eva Martin, Mable Blanton, Allene Kelley, and Cortella Everetts. Charter members of the Stokes club were Lois Hale, Lois Parker, Susie Senter, and Gladys McCain.

**4-H Objectives**  
The objectives of the 4-H clubs are:

1. To help boys and girls develop desirable ideals and standards and a sense of responsibility for their attainment.
2. To afford technical instruction in farming and homemaking.
3. To provide an opportunity to "learn by doing."
4. To teach the value of research.
5. To train boys and girls in cooperative action.
6. To develop in boys and girls habits of healthful living.
7. To provide rural boys and girls with information and direction in the intelligent use of leisure.
8. To teach and demonstrate to

rural boys and girls methods designed to improve practices in agriculture and homemaking.

**Emblem And Pledge**  
The 4-H emblem is a four-leaf clover with the letter "H" on each leaflet, meaning the four-square development of Head, Heart, Hands and Health.

The club motto is: "To make the best better."

The pledge is:  
"I pledge:  
My Head to clearer thinking  
My Heart to greater loyalty  
My Hands to larger service and  
My Health to better living  
For my club, my community, and my country."

**3rd Club In County**  
The third 4-H Club was the Valley View Girls 4-H Club, organized in 1929 with 11 charter members. They were Pearl Bush, Aline Johnson, Nora Mae Bizzell, Mary Nell Hobbs, Eula Mae Caffey, Lois Collins, Lois Bartlett, Florida Dell Collins, Billye Wilson, Ina Fay Ray, and Lakey Wilson.

Since then there have been a number of clubs, both boys and girls, organized, but several died when the schools in the county were consolidated into the Midland Independent School District. Others united to form a single club. At present the girls clubs are the Sunshine Makers Club, with 20 members; the Prairie Lee 4-H Girls Club with 13 members; the 7th and 8th Grade Junior High Club, with 25 members; and the Junior High 4-H Club composed of 33 sixth-graders.

The boys clubs are the All-County Club and the Prairie Lee Boys Club.

**Sunshine Makers Club**  
President of the Sunshine Makers is Janie Manning; Sammie Swails is secretary; and Pauline Norwood, reporter. Other members are Pat Allen, Lonena Brooks, Frankie Frye, Donna Howard, Lanelle Howard, La Wanda Huckaby, Joan McDonald, Mary Lynn Manning, Nadine Manning, Ann Matlock, Betty Sue Math, Dorothy Matteson, Julia Edith Midkiff, Patricia Ann Moreland, Leila Norwood, Wilma Ravan, and Linda Skelton.

La Wanda Huckaby and Leila Norwood are the foods leaders, Mary Lynn Manning is the clothing leader, Pauline Norwood, food demonstrator, and Sammie Swails is the chairman of finance.

**Prairie Lee Club Members**  
Mary Ruth Matthies is president of the Prairie Lee club, Frances Dunn is vice-president and program chairman; Anna Beth Graham, secretary; Wanda Pearl Elms, reporter and foods demonstrator; Carrol Franks and Essie Raggett, clothing

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### Congratulations



### Contour Lines Are Run On Additional Farms In District

More farmers cooperating with the Martin-Howard Soil Conservation District have applied contour cultivation to their farms this year. Herd Midkiff, district supervisor, announced Saturday. Lines have been run by the Soil Conservation Service, assisting the district, on the farms and ranches of E. H. Barron, J. H. Lay, B. T. Graham, A. M. Frysak, G. N. Donovan, and W. M. Bramlett. These cooperators will farm their land on the contour as a part of their complete program of soil and water conservation practice.

Contour cultivation has been found to increase yields of crops by saving moisture and preventing loss of valuable top soil. A survey on Martin County farms in 1942 showed that cotton planted on the contour produced an average of 69 pounds of lint per acre more than on straight rows. At the Spur Experiment Station over a 13-year period cotton yields on contoured rows averaged \$2.44 more per acre than on straight rows, Midkiff said.

**Farms Terraced**  
Approximately two miles of terraces have been completed on the farm of B. G. Smith of the Warfield Conservation group and W. H. Abbott of the Valley View Conservation group has constructed approximately three miles of terraces on his farm. The lines were run by the Soil Conservation Service.

T. C. Boren and B. T. Graham completed soil and water conservation plans on their farms last week. Assistance was furnished by the Soil Conservation Service.

### KRUSE IS APPOINTED KERMIT COMMISSIONER

**KERMIT**—Levi Kruse, Kermit carpenter and cabinet maker, was named last week as the third member of Kermit City Commission following the resignation of W. M. Walker. Kruse was appointed to replace Walker by Mayor W. H. Wilson and Commissioner Jack Shirley.

### Six Outstanding Events Mark Lives Of Midland County 4-H Club Girls

Six outstanding events mark the lives of 98 4-H Club girls in Midland County, in addition to their bi-weekly meeting at which they learn to cook, sew and make a better home.

These events are: a summer encampment, sending delegates to the Texas 4-H Club Round-Up at College Station, a district field trip, entering exhibits in the Midland County Fair, sending delegates to the State Fair at Dallas, and a Harvest Banquet at which a Gold Star award is made to the outstanding 4-H Club girl of the year.

The first encampment was held in 1930 at Cloverdale Park, where most of the later camps have been held, although some were held on

area ranches. The girls study handicraft, cook their meals, have recreation, make educational tours to Midland business plants, and sometimes end the camp with a theater party.

**Attend A&M Round-Up**  
The girls who have done outstanding work in their 4-H Club and have won places in county cooking and sewing contests are selected to attend the Texas 4-H Club Round-Up at A&M College each summer.

Last year Janie Manning of the Warfield Community represented Midland County in the dress review and contest at College Station. Julia Edith Midkiff of Valley View

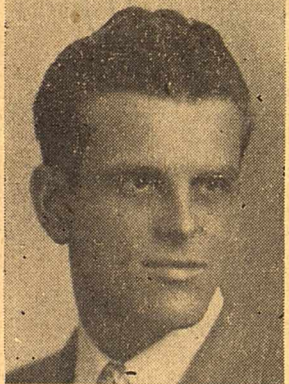
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V. L. Case No. 11,209, woman, age 22, was very nervous and had a tension and tingling in the muscles of the arms and legs. Her appetite was poor, elimination bad, and her back ached. She also had no energy, was depressed and spent much time crying. When nothing else would help, the woman tried Chiropractic and within a few weeks she was feeling like a different person.

V. L. Case No. 11,476, woman, age 53, had headache, was very nervous, did not sleep well, had abscesses in her ears, and was tired all the time. Some years before she had fallen out of a car and broken her collar bone. This had long since healed, but her nervousness and other symptoms were getting worse. Finally she overcame her prejudice against Chiropractic and gave it a trial. Today she is well and a good booster for Chiropractic.

V. L. Case No. 11,209, man, age 43, was very nervous and had severe headaches in the back of his head. He was unable to sleep, was tired all the time, and had pains in the region of the heart. After giving Chiropractic a trial, he slept better, was not so tired and nervous, his headache disappeared and he was again able to work.

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### Midland County Boys To Observe National 4-H Club Week And Make Plans For Livestock Show March 17-19

Fifty-one members of the Midland County 4-H Boys Club will join with thousands of 4-H members throughout Texas and the nation in celebrating National 4-H Club Week, opening Sunday, March 2, and extending through March 9. Special National 4-H Club observances will be held at 10 a. m. Saturday at a meeting of all 4-H Club boys in the courthouse. New officers will be elected.

Wayland Livingston is president of the County 4-H Club; Norman Drake is vice-president; and Weldon Free, secretary.

The county club meets once a month with County Agent Vernon G. Young as sponsor. A separate club operates in the Prairie Lee community and it meets every two weeks at the school.

**Plan for Livestock Show**  
At the county meeting the boys also will make final plans for their participation in the junior division of the Midland County Livestock Show at the grounds of the Midland Fair, Inc., March 17-19.

Taking part in the livestock show, competing for prizes, and selling their livestock is the climax of a 4-H Club boy's work each year.

Last year, Norman Drake's calf won first in the calf division; Merwin Sander's hog won the blue-ribbon prize; and Janet Hightower, a 4-H Club girl from Garden City, won first with her fat lamb.

All this week the boys and girls will be grooming their livestock for the big show.

**Attend A&M Round-Up**

Another highlight in the life of a 4-H Club boy is attending the annual Round-Up held at Texas A&M College at College Station each summer. Last year Glenn Drake and Weldon Free attended the state-wide 4-H round-up as delegates from Midland County. The Commissioners Court paid all the expenses.

Royce Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Howard, was the only

delegate from Midland County ever to attend the National 4-H Congress, according to records in County Agent Vernon G. Young's office. Howard attended the national meeting in Chicago in 1944. He later served in the Navy.

**Boys Make Good**  
A number of former 4-H Club boys have gone into farming, ranching, or associated businesses and are progressing well, Young reports. Others are continuing their education in college.

Glenn Drake, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Drake, is attending John Tarleton College. Gene Conner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Conner, is attending New Mexico A&M. George Knox, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Knox, is a student at Texas A&M; Jerry Bohannon, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bohannon, is attending Abilene Christian College. O. C. Collins, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Collins, also is a student at ACC. He served in the Army during the war.

Gene Jones, after serving in the Army during the war, is farming in the Valley View community. Kelly Lewellen also is farming in the Valley View community. E. C. Vest, Jr., who won the state dairy contest in 1941, is now in business in Midland. His work is appreciated with farming and dairying.

D. H. Livingston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Livingston, after serving in the Navy, is farming five miles east of Midland.

**Present 4-H Club Boys**  
Midland County 4-H Club boys, their ages, and 1947 projects are as follows:

Henry Floyd, 14, lambs; Ray Floyd, 16, lambs; Ervin Bauman, 16, hogs and lambs; R. D. Jones, 15, dairy cows; Howard Bennett, 15, pig; Lee O. Manning, 16, sheep; Gene Skelton, 16, sheep; A. C. Treadway, 17, cotton; Kingsley Blackman, 16, garden; James Lands, 16, sheep; Archie Winkler, 14, sheep; Fred Meissner, 10, vineyard, garden; Jack Russell, 10, vineyard, garden.

Jackie Don Reinhart, 10, vineyard, garden; Jimmy Stoeber, 10, vineyard, garden; Billy McConal, 10, vineyard, garden; Robert Morgan, 11, vineyard, garden; James Richman, 11, vineyard, garden; Tommy Glaze, 12, vineyard, garden; Duane Hill, 10, vineyard, garden; Edwin Herring, 10, vineyard, garden; Roland Ray Graham, 10, vineyard, garden; Mike Story, 11, dairy calf; Jimmy O'Neal, 15, dairy calf; Roy Frazier, 16, dairy.

Don Frazier, 13, dairy; James Locklar, 13, beef; Kermit Lewis, 13, vineyard; Ellis Jones, 14, vineyard; (Continued on Page 2)

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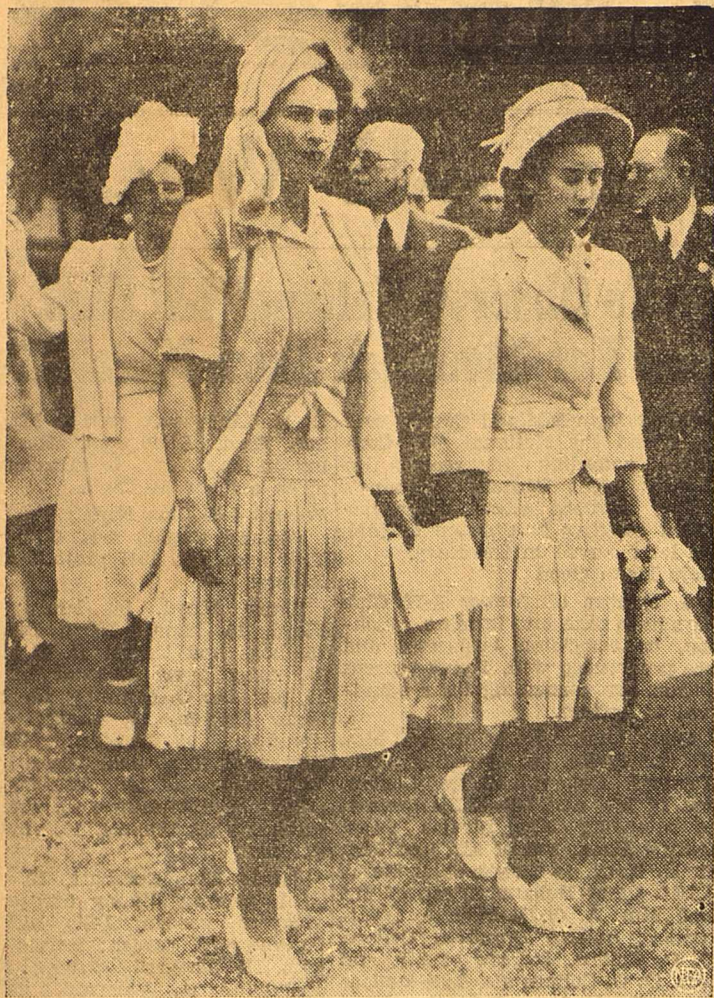
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## Flood Waters Must Make River For Dry Land Race

KANSAS CITY—(AP)—Construction of a new 1,880-foot bridge—over dry land—is scheduled to begin shortly.

Then after it's completed, a river will be put under it.

The Liberty Bend bridge will be constructed on land, then a pilot cut made beneath it and the flood waters of the Missouri River will cut a new channel for themselves. The \$3,000,000 project is part of a flood control program.

## Sow Is Electrocuted; Farmer Must Raise Litter

CANON CITY, COLO.—(AP)—Things looked rosy for James O. Maxey with hogs hitting \$30 a hundredweight and his sow with a litter of 11 pigs.

Then the sow electrocuted itself by chewing through the insulation on the electric brooder.

Maxey is trying to save the pigs by farming them out to neighbors to feed by bottle.

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## Dirt, Squirt And Quirt

— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

The newest 4-H Club members in Midland County are Jimmie Hunt, Fred Matthies, Elvis Jones, Thomas Glenn, Charles Reeves, and Carl Rayford Calhoun. These boys have selected demonstrations to work on for 1947.

The week of March 2-9 has been designated as National 4-H Club Week. More than 1,600,000 boys and girls in the United States and Hawaii are enrolled in some type of demonstration covering every phase of agriculture.

A. G. Bohannon, general superintendent of the Midland Livestock Show, has announced the following committees: assistant show superintendent, W. W. Perciful; superintendent of the junior division, J. H. Green; boys beef calf division, Raymond McCarter, Sherwood C'Neal; fat lamb division, Dick Mickliff; Warren Skaggs; fat barrow division, Kelly Lewellen. Eugene Jones, registered sheep, Leslie Floyd; horse show, C. J. Cox, John Nobles, Jr., Buster Cole and J. H. Crouch. Cox and Crouch live in Garden City. Sales committee as announced by Bohannon is composed of Sam Preston, Forrest King, John Dublin, M. G. McConal and Earl Ray.

John Moeferd, county agent for Ward County, reports that Ward County show officials are making extensive improvements on their show barn facilities this year. They are enlarging their building and will have everything ready for their show on March 14 and 15. More than \$4,000 will be spent on improvements, Moeferd said. Entries for the Midland Livestock Show from Ward County include: Rayford Anthony, two milk-fed calves; Oscar Walters, one milk-fed calf; H. B. Eudaly, Jr., one dry lot calf; Alby Cox, one dry lot calf and two fat lambs. These are the first entries received for the Midland Show on March 17, 18 and 19.

Midland cotton gins report total ginnings to date for Midland County as 2,808 bales with very little cotton left in the fields.

D. Davis, Midland agent for the T&P, reports two cars of livestock shipped out last week.

C. C. Thomas and W. W. Perciful have returned from a trip to Houston where they met with the officials of the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank and the Production Credit Association. Thomas is secretary of the Midland Production Credit Association, and Perciful

is assistant secretary. They visited the animal husbandry department of Texas A&M College while on their trip. They report livestock in that area is showing the effects of the drought last year.

Jim Thornton of Pyote was a business visitor in Midland last week. Jim says that stock in the Pyote area is holding up all right with a minimum of feeding.

The Prairie Lee boys 4-H Club attended the plowing demonstration on the Sherwood O'Neal dairy farm last Tuesday. The boys were shown through the dairy's milking barn and milk room before the plowing demonstration.

The Midland County agent has available a small supply of Farm and Ranch record books for those folks interested in keeping up with their farm and ranch business during the year. These records come in mighty handy around tax paying time.

Figures show about 250 lives are lost each year in Texas rural areas from fires. One-third were children under 10 years of age.

W. B. Franklin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Franklin of the Cotton Flat Community and a member of the Midland County 4-H Club, is having a hard time getting ready for the Midland Livestock Show. W. B. had an accident recently which will keep him in a cast for three or four weeks. He will have to get someone to show his lambs at the show.

There will be three sweepstake races at the Fair Ground race track on March 18. Distances will be a quarter, half-mile and three-eighths. The entry fees for the quarter and three-eighths races will be \$5, and the half-mile entry fee will be \$10. Anyone interested in entering these races should check with the Midland County agent's office on the third floor of the courthouse or write to V. G. Young, Box 1070, Midland, Texas.

The Horse Show Committee of the Midland Livestock Show has announced a class for Palominos has been added to the show, along with classes for quarter and thoroughbred horses. The horse show is open to the world, and the committee urges everyone to enter a horse in the show. There will be a reining contest in connection with the horse show, the committee said.

The Midland Livestock Auction Sale had a light run of cattle last week. About 300 head were run through the sale with prices very active. Fat calves with no choice kind offered brought up to 18.00, fat cows on the strong cutter order brought up to 11.50, stocker calves grouped around 17.50 with a few odd head bringing up to 19.80. Stocker cows were bringing from 11.00 to 11.50, cows and calves of the plain kind from 85.00 to 117.50 a pair, bulls brought up to 14.30 with no choice kind offered, canner cows from 8.75 to 10.50. Hogs were active with a top of 26.75.

Dr. Dick Ramsey, veterinarian from Odessa, was a Midland visitor last week. During the war years Dick was stationed at the MAAF during part of his Army service.

## 4-H Week -

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leaders; Mary Ruth Matthies and Johnnie Mae Nichols, foods leaders. Other members are Grace Arnett, Ruth Bennett, Anna Beth Graham, Bessie Louise Franks, Paula Jane King, Peggy Lucas and Lena Marie Price.

7th and 8th Grade Junior High Club President of the Seventh and Eighth Grade Junior High Club is Sylvia Friday. Ann Elaine Arick is vice-president and Gail Black, secretary. Clothing leaders are Jo Ann Hunt and Martha Olliff.

Other members of the club are: Willa May Baker, Virginia Brooks, Doris Jean Brown, Darlene Brunson, Gloria Dorris, Dolores Forman, Margaret Green, Inez Hedges, Joyce Jones, Sue King, Lola Lenord, Jewel Dee Livingston, Annie Ruth Long, Barbara Long, Doris Ann Mason, Betty Jean O'Neal, Letha Pike, Betty Ruth Reeves, Wanda Smith and Lane Umberson.

Junior High 4-H Club List

The Junior High 4-H Club, composed of sixth-graders, has a membership of 33. Eunice Hudgins is president; Frances E. Bond, vice-president; Betty Foster, secretary, and Ruth Harris, reporter.

Council delegates are Joan Allen, and Elizabeth Gail White; alternate delegates, Joann Johnson and Mary Eone; Food leaders, Patsy Blanscett and Mary Evelyn Rhoads; Food demonstrator, Carla Mae Lea; Madlen Roberts is clothing leader, and Diane McDonald and Betty Louise Parr are clothing demonstrators.

The club's membership roster also includes: Shirley Lee Beauchamp, Gayna Brown, Katherine Jane Carter, Betty Dennis, Wanda Fain, Glynda Lee Feneel, Ruth Greenwald, Eddie Mae Hamlin, Dorothy Hargrove, Mary Lou Havercroft, Evelyn Hejl, Darnell McMillan, Doris Morningstar, Barbara Mouton, Sharon Norton, Wanda Yvonne Shain, Sue Talkington, Jean Carolyn Waddill, and Barbara Wilson.

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## 4-H Boys -

(Continued from page 1)

Roland O'Donnell, 16, beef calf; Richard Countiss, 11, beef calf; John Midkiff, 13, lambs, vineyard, swine; Norman Drake, 15, dairy calf, cotton, corn, grain sorghum, beef calf, vineyard; Leland Howard, 15, swine, grain sorghum, cotton, corn, vineyard; Bobby Howard, 12, swine, vineyard, garden; Bob Midkiff, 10, vineyard, swine, lambs; Grif McConal, 12, lambs, vineyard; W. B. Franklin, 13, lambs, vineyard, grain sorghum.

Louis Griffith, 14, garden, vineyard; Jessie Ray Herring, 12, vineyard, cotton; Frank Locklar, 11, lambs, vineyard, swine; Charles Locklar, 10, lambs, vineyard, swine; Bill Brown, 18, lambs, vineyard; Rita Livingston, 16, lambs, vineyard; Neva Jo Lee, 16, lambs; Hazelle Midkiff, 18, lambs, vineyard; T. O. Midkiff, 14, lambs; Buddy McDonald, 12, lambs; John Kennedy, 13, lambs, vineyard; Harold Burrow, 14, beef calf; Charles Reeves, 10, garden.

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## Thousands Of Strangely-Elongated Lakes, All Pointing North, Have Been Found Along Alaska's Northern Shelf

By VERN HAUGLAND

WASHINGTON—(AP)—U. S. air men have discovered thousands of strangely-elongated lakes that all point northward, along the northern shelf of Alaska.

The lakes arrow pole-ward so uniformly that pilots use them as a navigational aid.

Two young geologists who noted the phenomena—which may be 75,000 years old—while flying to Point Barrow last Summer, have tossed the question of their origin into the lap of science.

Like the Carolina Bays

They suspect that this newest mystery of geology may be linked somehow with—and may shed new light upon—the famous Carolina bays, once believed to have been caused by a shower of meteorites. The alert young scientists are Robert F. Black, 29, Falls Church, Va., geologist in charge of permafrost studies for the U. S. Geological Survey, and his associate 24-year-old W. Leigh Barksdale of Charleston, W. Va.

They introduced the new geological puzzle to science in a lecture

at the Geological Society of Washington. Black told a reporter: "This is the first time the orientation of the lakes of the arctic coastal plains of Alaska has been called to the attention of science."

Scattered Over Wide Area  
The lakes—tens of thousands of them—Black says—are scattered over an area of 25,000 square miles. They extend for 250 miles east and west of Barrow, facing 500 miles of Arctic Ocean, and reach southward inland for 100 miles.

This is almost the same amount of space occupied by a similar number of pools in the famed Carolina bays in North and South Carolina and Northern Georgia.

"The beautiful thing about the Alaskan lakes is their orientation, which varies only about 30 degrees in a north-northwest general trend—usually between north nine degrees west, and north 22 degrees west," says Black.

Undetected From Ground  
He explains that the row-by-row, side-by-side, end-to-end arrangement of the lakes was not noticeable on the ground, and it was only with the advent of widespread

wartime air travel across Northern Alaska that the unusual orientation was discovered.

Black and Barksdale were the first to take a scientific interest in the pattern, and with the aid of an Army "weasel" crossed the swampy tundra last Summer to visit about 30 lakes.

They found the outlines to range from the rectangular to the elliptical to the cigar-shaped. The lakes ranged in length up to eight miles, some of the larger ones being four miles wide. Many were less than 10 feet deep, but one had a depth of 70 feet. Black waded across one lake three miles wide and found it nowhere deeper than three feet.

"Some have bottoms of clear, white sand, and others are black with silt or peat deposits," says Black.

"Eskimos cut ice from the lakes in the winter, haul it on sleds to their huts, and stack it up for a water supply for Summer. It is much easier for them to haul the ice than it would be to carry water

—and most of them don't have containers for water anyway."

The two geologists say they have not had sufficient time for study to determine the origin of the lakes. Common Theory Disproved

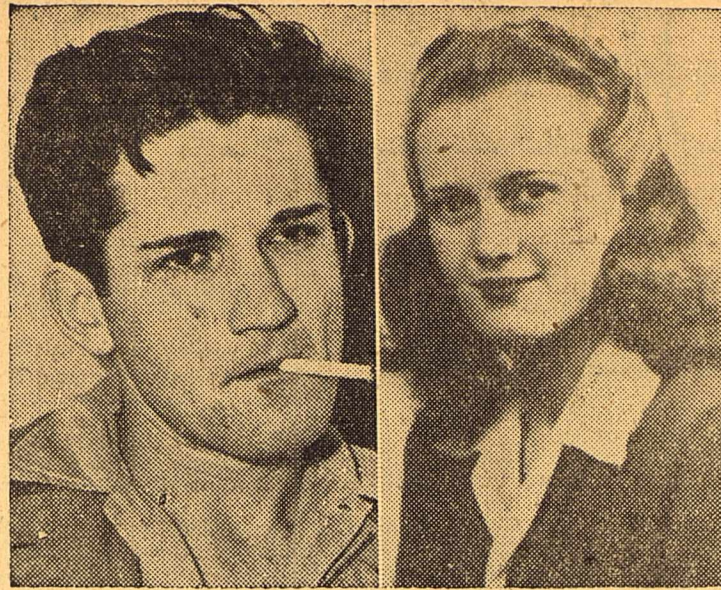
"The common theory that the Carolina bays were the result of a fall of meteorites has been pretty well disproven, and it has no application to the Arctic," says Black. "Some of the lakes have been caused by cave-ins, due to a thawing of the permafrost, and others by an uplifting of irregular basins of seas and lagoons. Artesian waters may have deepened some of them."

Black says that wind and wave action probably were involved in the complex development of the lakes, and the wind probably determined their orientation.

Northern Alaska's winds now ply in a somewhat different direction from that pointed by the lakes, says Black—but that's probably because the wind drift changed with the years. He thinks wind and wave action also helped align the myriad coastal lakes of the Carolinas.

Giant orioles of South America sometimes build nests that dangle six feet long.

## Strangled Bride Of Four Months



(NEA Telephoto)  
Billy Joe Breeden, 18, an automobile parts employe, told Fort Worth police, "I just decided to kill her. I didn't want to do it, but it had just been eating on me". Breeden surrendered to police with the statement, "I just killed my wife." Mrs. Ruth Breeden, 19, and Billy were married last October and were expecting a baby in July.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, MARCH 2, 1947-3

## Cost Of Living Index Shows One Per Cent Drop

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Bureau of Labor Statistics reported recently its cost of living index showed approximately a one per cent decline in mid-January for the first time in 10 months.

The mid-January consumers index stood at 151.1, compared with 153.3 in mid-December. The figures are based on the 1935-39 level of 100.

The January 15 index was still 18.3 per cent higher than in February, 1946, the last previous month to show a decline.

## GOVERNMENT CARGO VESSEL SERVICE IS DROPPED

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Government cargo vessel service in the Atlantic-Gulf coastwise trade has been dropped "because low competitive rail freight rates and mounting labor costs have made operation unfeasible", the Maritime Commission has announced.

Saint Patrick, patron saint of Ireland, was thought to have been born in Scotland of Roman parentage.

## Balloons In Balloon Make Archers Target

LAWRENCE, KAN.—(AP)—Rip Collins, University of Kansas sophomore, pulled the string of a 30-pound bow and sent an arrow into a balloon resting on the head of Bob Lemons, a fellow student.

The balloon burst and 10 smaller balloons floated around the field-house where the stunt was staged between halves of a basket ball game.

The crowd cheered. But Collins said hitting the balloon hadn't required much skill—the task had been to get the 10 small balloons in the large one. He explained he stuffed them all in, then pulled the necks of the little ones out the neck of the large one, gave each of the small ones a shot of helium and tied them. That took two hours.

## WILL START EXPERIMENTS

HARLINGEN—(AP)—The U. S. Bureau of Plant Industry will start experiments here in April designed to aid year-around marketing of Texas citrus fruit.

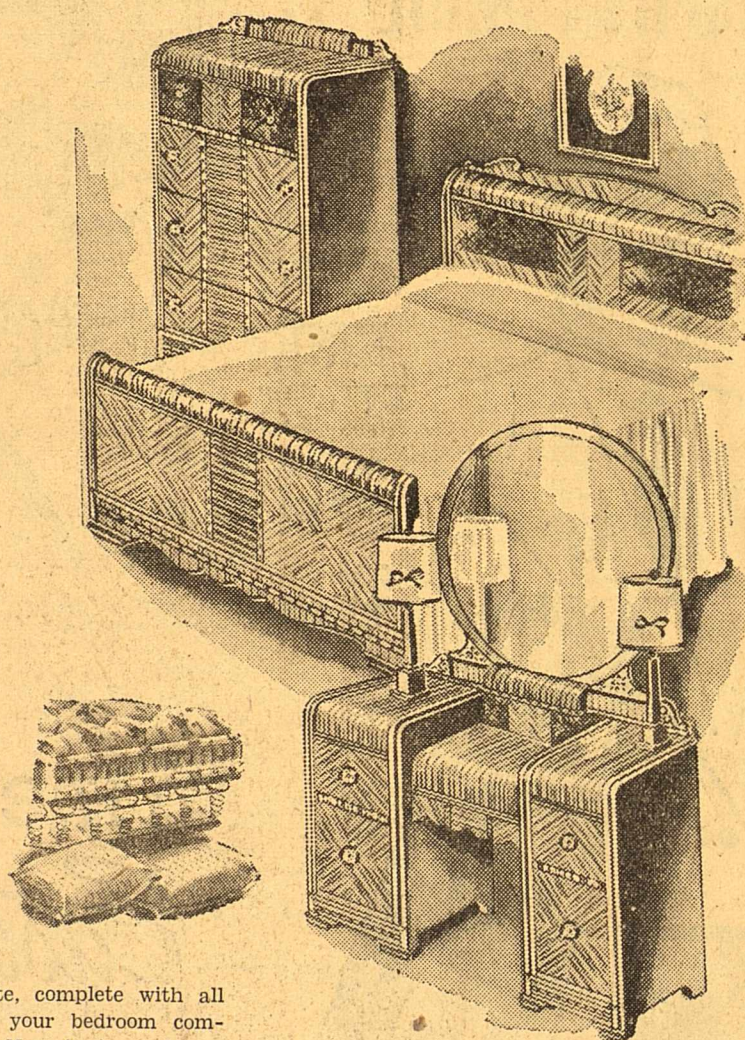
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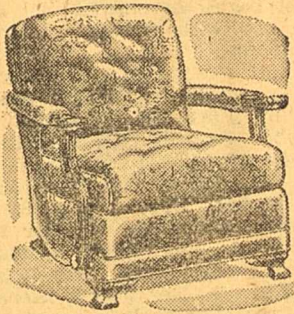


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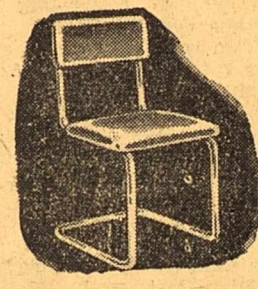
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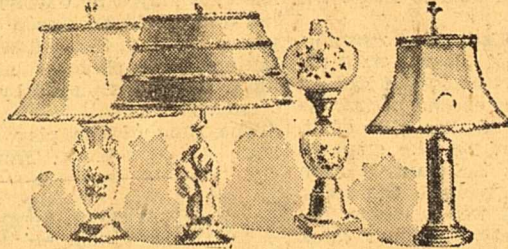
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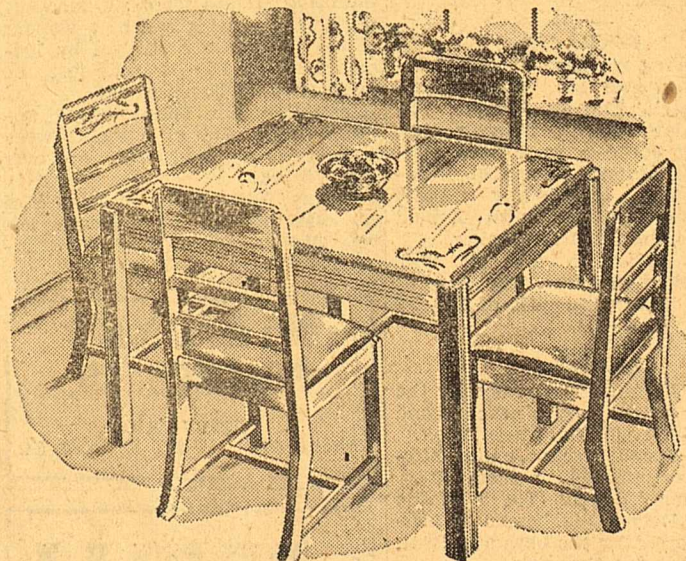
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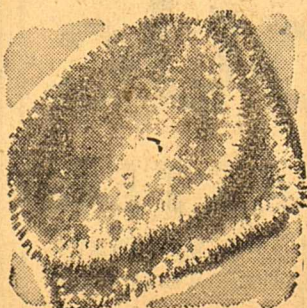


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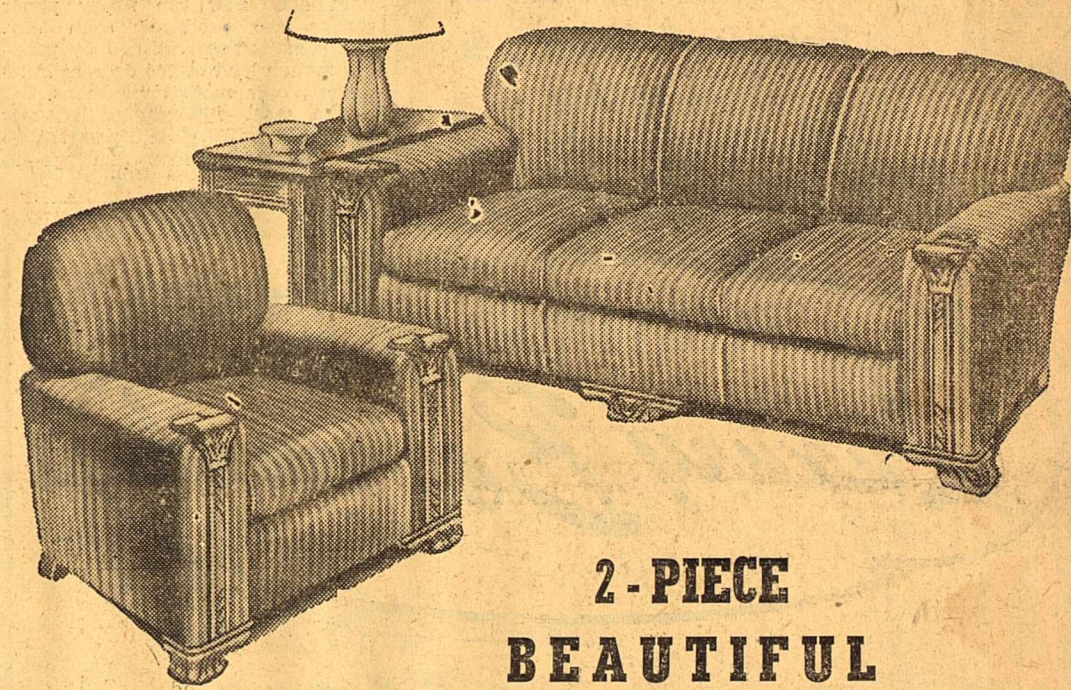
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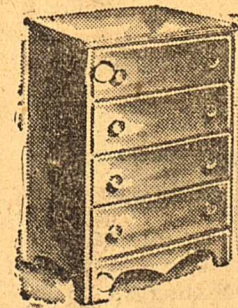
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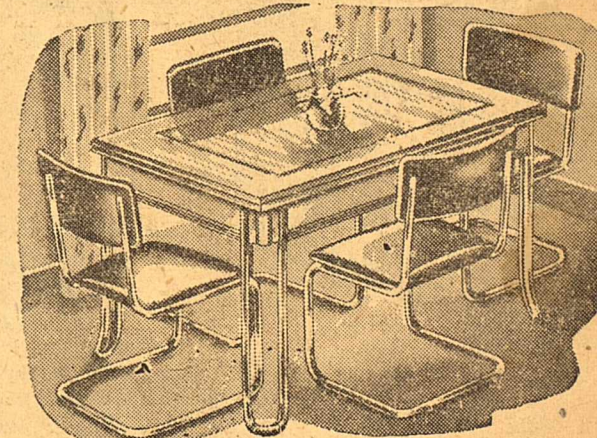
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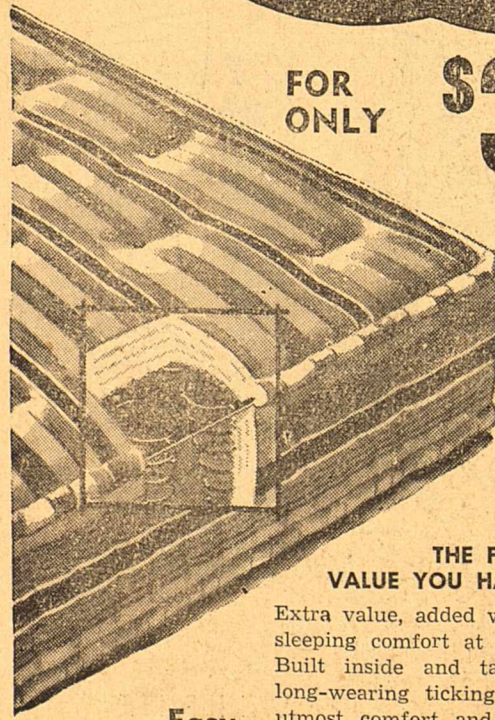
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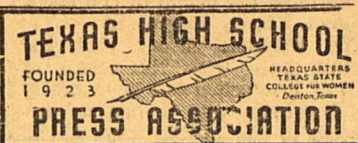
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## Monday Will Be First Day Of Spring Training

"If it doesn't snow or rain," says Coach Barnes Milam, "we will start Spring training for football Monday."  
 About 93 uniforms have been issued to boys from high school and junior high, he added.

## NEW FRESHMAN

A new freshman in Midland High School is Bill Rothwell, formerly of Byrd High School, Shreveport, La.

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## First Round Of Tennis Elimination Ends; Hopeful Players Cut To 26

The first round of boys' tennis elimination ended Wednesday afternoon. Losses have cut the hopefuls to a group of 26.  
 Winners of the first round play will have their Catalo pictures taken within a few days. Winners of the next round will make up the tennis squad.

## Twelve MHS Students Will Model In Annual Episcopal Style Show

In the annual Episcopal style show, 12 of the 20 models will be high school students. The affair will be held in the Yucca Theater Wednesday, March 5, at 7:30 and 9:00 p. m.  
 Mannequins include Pat Prior, Jean McMillian, Patsy Arrington, Puddin Sivalls, Norma Jean Hubbard, Jeannine Stephens, and Alma Faye Cowden.  
 Each girl will model four ensembles, ranging from sports clothes to evening finery, each from different stores.  
 On the masculine side, Lynn Penn, Ben Gray, Bob English, George Mayes, and John Morrow will model exclusively for S and Q. They will sport tuxedos, and ranch style outfits.

According to Earl Glassie, tennis coach, the final eliminations will not be held until two weeks before the district track meet, which will be held in Midland early in April.  
 Those remaining in the contest are Bobby Cole, Jessie Armstrong, Barney Hightower, Frank Goode, Joe Sevier, Jim Edwards, Ed Pritchard, David Dickinson, Elvis Vaughn, Richard Clark, Herman Hankla, Charles Moncrief, Bernal Pemberton, Niles Winter, Goss Yeager, Buddy Norton, Erwin Reecer, Lloyd Henderson, Jim Conline, Don Johnson, Bob Roripaugh, Jerald Brunson, Joe Tom Hood, Bennie Scott, Homer Snodgrass, and Don Hamblet.

## Journalism Students Tour Newspaper Office

It was late afternoon, the building reeked with printer's ink, and type lice were running rampant. For those of you who lack imagination, this is a peek into the workings of the press.  
 The 21 journalism students were escorted on a tour through the news room and printshop of The Midland Reporter-Telegram by Miss Helene Huff, journalist instructor, Monday and Tuesday.  
 Groom Holmes, feature editor, pointed out various machines, printing press, and pieces of equipment. Everyone felt much better after he found out how the funny paper comes are produced each day. This feat is accomplished by pouring molten lead of 700 degrees Fahrenheit over mats impressions.  
 The most interesting discovery was made by Virginia Stewart, who was "allowed" a rare privilege—to see "type lice".

## Bullpups Grow!

**WHO'S THIS**  
 Dale Stice, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Stice, 603 W. Kansas, has been chosen as Who's This for this week. Dale is 14 years old and in the eighth grade, room 207. Dale is a patrolman in the halls of Junior High.  
 Although Dale has no hobby he is interested in sports, preferably baseball.

**CLASS NEWS BRIEFS**  
 207—Miss Shepherd's room—won in basketball against Mrs. Cheaves' room, 209, by a score of 20 to 6, at Junior High School.  
 Of the many fouls called in this game, 207 made five and 209 made two.  
 The high point player of 207's team was Johnnie Henley, making 10 points.  
 The players of room 207 were: Johnnie Henley, captain; Betty Wilson, Annie Long, forwards; Betty O'Neal, Betty Adams, and Eddie Darnell, guards. The players of room 209 were: Captain Beverley Keisling, making four points; Joann Nelson, making two points; and Martha Scharbauer, all forwards, and Ann Wells, Daphne Tabor and Toya Chapple, guards.

**NEWS FROM ROOMS 203 & 204**  
 Art students in room 203 are making creative butterflies. They are to be colored in color ranges.  
 The history class is studying about the governors of Texas.  
 The reading class is studying a book of "Legends of the United Nations."  
 Robert Pine is a new student in room 204.

**SNOOPINGS FROM 8-2**  
 Buddy Johnson is home from the hospital and will soon be back in school, even though he will be on crutches for some time.  
 Advance greetings go to Caroline Schaefer who is celebrating her 13th birthday on March 3.  
 Joan Tom is back in school after spending a few days in the Stanton hospital.

In case some of the people are wondering why the eighth graders have patches on their left arms—they haven't been fighting, it is just a T.B. test.  
**ROOM 209**  
 Things went on at full steam at Junior High last week. Monday morning the T.B. patch test was given to the fifth and eighth grades, and all new students.  
 Not long ago, Mrs. Massey lost her wedding and engagement rings. Mr. Massey was offering a reward for their return. Until Wednesday no one had been able to locate the rings.  
 But then on Wednesday morning, Toughy Kimbrell didn't want to come to school because he had an arithmetic test in second period. He came anyway and was glad of it. When he started up the steps in the front walk, he glanced down and saw a ring lying in the grass. Thinking that it was worthless because it was dirty, he didn't think much about it, but took it to the office anyway. Mrs. Massey said it was her wedding ring and they started the search for the other one. Mr. and Mrs. Massey took brooms and started sweeping the street and sidewalk around the place where the wedding ring was found. Toughy just went around with his head down, looking for the other one. Sure enough, it just takes Toughy to do a thing like that. That's right. He found both of them.  
 Our hero got his reward. He was heard to say, and we quote, "If I don't pass this year, I'll know the reason why. I ought to get 'A's' in every subject."

**ROOM 108**  
 In spelling matches, room 108 recently won over 106. In an individual match, Frances Mereno, 108, spelled down Steven Debnam, 106.  
 Having contests in several subjects is a favorite means of creating interest. Storytelling usually takes the spotlight with Arnold Drake as the favorite speaker.  
 Room 108 lost to room 204, 10-5, in a basketball game. The girls of 204 also lost to the girls of 106, by the score of 8 to 3.

**ROOM 601**  
 Room 601 is getting ready for the first six weeks test of the second term, which will start next week.  
 John Sweet, from Joplin, Missouri, has enrolled in room 601.  
 Reporter for grade 601 is Waldo Lesgett. Robert Stubbeman is athletic reporter for the boys and Ruth is reporter for the girls.  
 "Let the Best Team Win," is the motto of the girls in 601. They have lost several games to 101, but recently won over them.  
 The team includes: Nancy Warren, captain; Ruth Harris, Joan Johnson, Betty Foster, Patsy Blansett and Madlen Roberts

**ROOM 102**  
 Since Christmas the students of room 102 have been studying about Admiral Richard E. Byrd's and Ronne's expeditions to Antarctica.

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## Hard Work Means Good Grades

(An Editorial)  
 Report cards will soon be distributed and what you've learned—or haven't learned—will be staring you in the eye.  
 Although the first six weeks will be over next week, there's still time to buckle down and bring those low grades up to high ones during the next two six-weeks' terms. For those of you who are in the higher bracket of grades, don't slacken in your school work.  
 If you are on the ball and show the teacher you are doing your very best and using all class periods for study, rather than visiting, you will be remembered when your grades are tottering on that fateful borderline of passing or failing.  
 Citizenship plays a major part in your grades, so why not make a resolution to make these last two six-weeks really count? It's worth thinking about.

## All-School Play Scheduled March 6

The All-School Play, which is presented every year at Midland High School, is scheduled for only one performance this year because of many other activities. It will be presented the night of March 6 in the high school auditorium.  
 "Foot Loose," the three-act play to be presented this year, has been in production for three weeks. The play, written by Charles Quimby Burdette, is under the direction of Miss Verna Harris.  
 The play, in summary, is the story of a family in which the parents are too strict with their children, causing more trouble than the average family could go through. The children manage to talk their parents into going on a South American cruise, and from there the plot begins to unravel—but of course not without many trying and humorous acts.  
 The cast for the play are Mary Early, a senior in high school, played by Edna Willis; Randolph "Kandy" Cunningham, Mary's friend, George Mayes; Delphie, maid of the Early family; Enid Wheeler, social worker, Hope Early, Sara Lou Link; Bob Early, a junior in high school, Bob Short; "Buz" Dally, a chum of Bob's, Doyle Roberts; Miriam Walker, Mary's friend, Judy Allen; Dick Early, a senior in medical school, Eddie Richardson, and Jerry Malloy, Dick's sweetheart, Janice Jones, Emily and Richard Early, the mother and father, respectively, are played by Frances Gibbins and Charles Spivey. A cranky widow, Mrs. Forester, is played by Carolyn Schaefer, and David Dickinson plays the young attorney, Sanford Wells. Jack Milford, a sophomore at Broadhurst College, is played by Joe Anderson.  
 The time of the play is tentatively set at 8 p. m., Thursday.

## Echoing Halls

Monday: Upon walking into the high school building this morning, a long line of droopy-eyed weekend survivors were seen waiting outside of the principal's office for admittance slips to get into class. It seems that a basketball tournament in San Angelo had been attended. (I joined the line.)  
 Tuesday: Murder! I've just got to be sick tomorrow! A surprise attack was made today when it was announced that six-weeks tests would be Wednesday and Thursday. This was due to the fact that the teachers would have to take census next week.  
 Wednesday: All seniors were seen flaunting around school to show off their TB Patch. It will be a wonder if any patches are still on by Friday. They all have to take just one peek (twenty times a day).  
 Thursday: Oh, Thursday, and another fourth day of a school week gone. Four six-weeks tests are over too. Yippee!  
 Friday: With a free week-end of no basketball games, everyone left "Ye Old Bastile" with a determination to catch up on lost sleep.

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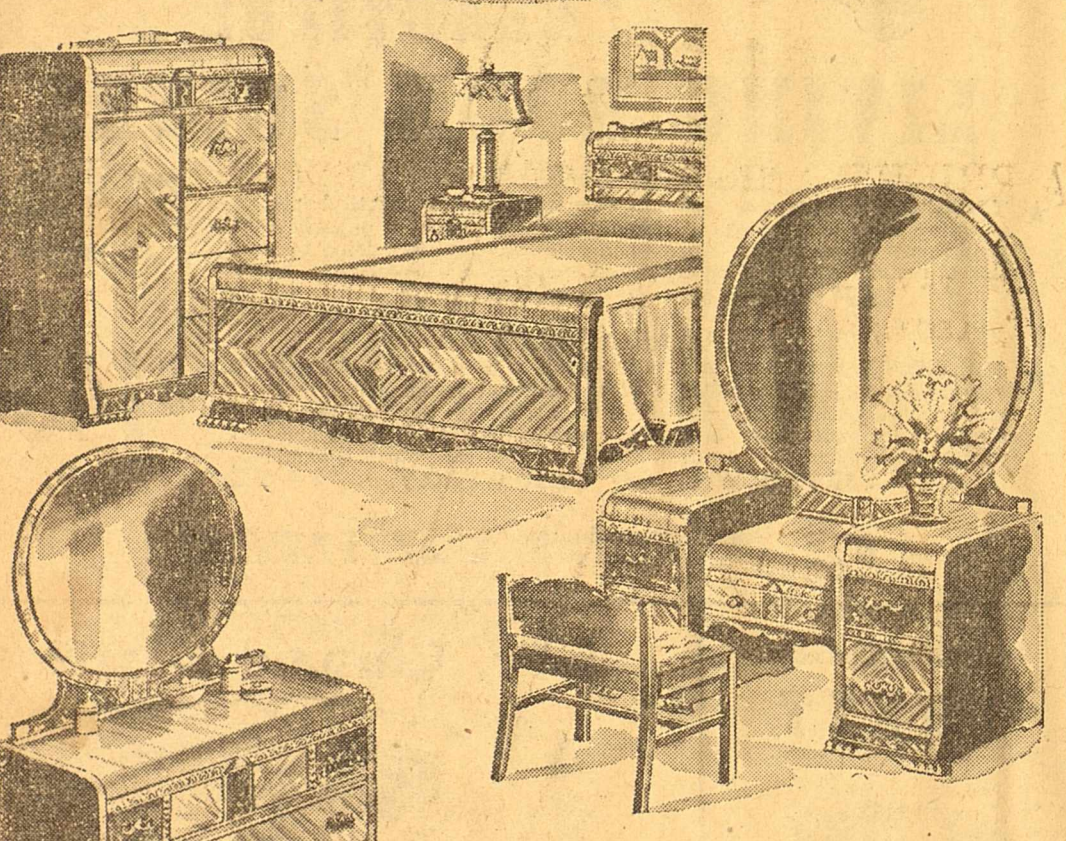
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## 'Snow White' Well Received By HS

By PAT FLANIGAN  
The stage production, "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs," which was presented to approximately 300 Senior High School students Monday, was under the auspices of the Midland High School Band.

About \$200 was netted by the band from this production.

The play was presented by the Penthouse Productions of New York. The production is owned by Louise Lawton and directed by George S. Elias.

Midland students were fortunate to be able to attend this production, for this is one of the few schools at which the troupe stopped. During their present tour of about 42,000 miles, they usually give no special performances for school students.

"Snow White" followed much the same plot as the Disney movie of the same name. The only major difference was the Chamberlain to the Queen, who was not in the movie. The names of the dwarfs were different from those used in the motion picture.

The characterizations were excellent, especially Sir Dandypants, the Queen's Chamberlain, who added the needed touch of humor. The orchestra was very adept in creating the moods needed in the portrayal of certain scenes. Costumes were, indeed, realistic and representative of that particular fairy tale. The scenery was also very colorful, but the high school stage was too small to allow all of it to be used.

The acting was definitely above average and we could tell that all of the cast had had much experience in the dramatic world.

Out of the four performances presented by the cast to the various school children, the grade school children seemed to enjoy the story more than any of the other students, although the reaction of the high school students as a whole was excellent.

Of course, most students in high school look upon a play such as this, as one for small children, but we must admit that we are not too old for fairy tales.

## Personals And Exes

Billye Jean Jones, class of '46, student at Baylor University, is visiting her parents and friends between semesters.

Leroy Hall, class of '45, was home last weekend from Hardin-Simmons University.

Evelyn Pyle, secretary to Mr. Howell, is recovering from a tonsillectomy.

Glenn Drake, class of '46, and student at John Tarleton, was home last weekend.

Mary Alice Stump, senior, visited in Odessa last weekend.

Becky Watford and Jeanene Traversie, seniors, are spending the weekend in Alpine.

The volleyball A team played in a tournament at Rankin Friday.

Miss Harris and Miss Weaver traveled to Lamesa Friday with the debate team.

John Casselman, class of '45, was home from the University of New Mexico last weekend.

Glynn Parrot was home last weekend from Texas Tech.

La Juan Dunlap, class of '46, was home last weekend from ACC.

Jerry Hudson and M. L. Alexander, class of '45, are home for the weekend from Hardin-Simmons.

Dennis Rhodes, Jr., and Doyle Cobb, class of '42, are spending the weekend in Alpine.

Marjory Murray, senior, flew to Lubbock with J. C. McNeil last weekend to visit her sister.

Betty Jo Fezell, Jr., is going to Lubbock for the weekend.

About James Urice is in the hospital with a strep throat.

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## THE BULLDOG

### Who's Who



Bill Gilmore

Bill Gilmore, newly elected member of the National Honor Society and assistant editor of the *Cato*, was born in Fort Worth, Texas, Feb. 10, 1931.

Bill has been attending Midland schools since he entered the first grade. This is Bill's third year in high school. He is taking geometry, English, history, Latin, chemistry, and football. Jack Mashburn rates him high among teachers with him.

He is not sure what college he will attend, but when he makes a choice, civil engineering will be his major.

As a rule Bill is a very agreeable person, but when it comes to tests, that's where he draws the line.

He is perfectly content when wearing levis, moccasins, and a loud shirt and just loafing with the gang.

In case you don't recognize Bill when you meet him, he is 5-foot 8 inches tall with blonde hair, blue eyes and a very friendly smile.

By-the-way, all you beautiful girls with light brown hair and good personalities better watch out because that's the way Bill likes them. (Do you blame him?)

### Debate Teams Will Go To Lamesa Tournament

The Midland High School debate teams, extemporaneous speakers and declamation speakers will go to Lamesa on Friday morning on their first out-of-town trip to meet Lamesa, Lubbock, and Big Spring in a round-robin tournament.

The up and coming Midland debaters neatly downed the San Angelo debaters last week by winning 7 out of 10 debates. Up to the present the extemporaneous speakers and declaimers have had no competition.

Midland debaters making the trip are Jane Hardison, Jeannine Stephens, David Dickinson, Buddy Norton, Evelyn Wemple, and Maurine Denton.

Extemporaneous speakers going are Bill Hamilton, Betty Joyce Gerald and Lois Dee Eiland.

Declaimers are Donna Manning, Robert Roripaugh, and Eddie Jo Bryan.

### Seniors Are Given Tubercular Tests

Approximately 100 seniors took the tuberculin "patch" test Wednesday. The project is sponsored by the County Tuberculosis Association through the sale of Christmas seals. X-rays will be given the positive reactions.

Seniors who took the test removed the "patches" Friday and now await the arrival of the doctors Monday to inspect the results. Next Wednesday the test will be offered to all the new students in the school district. About 140 new students are expected to be given the test.

## Driving Class Selects Slogan; Visits Garage

"To drive is to go. To go is to live. So to live and go. Drive and live."

This is the slogan of the driving class of Midland High School. Organized during the second semester, the class has taken up the different types of drivers, braking distances, speed limits, different statistics, and the Texas driving laws. An example of their study is that the students know the driver who causes the most accidents is the one who disregards the rights of others.

They know a car traveling 20 miles an hour will take 45 feet to stop. They know the speed limit for a passenger car is 55 mph at night and 60 mph during the day. "The Daily News Almanac" made it possible for them to know that there is one death for every 83 miles, one permanent disability every 31 miles, one temporary disability every three miles, and one property damage for every one half mile. Did you know these facts? Neither did this class until they took the driving course.

**Take Student Driving Test**  
The students have taken the examination to get a beginner's license with the restriction of having a licensed driver in the front seat.

At the end of the semester they will complete the test and get permanent licenses. They will have six or more weeks of actual driving. Until then the class will study the rules of safe driving and the parts of a car.

The class visited the Murray-Young Motors, 223 East Wall, Wednesday. Howard Meekling, head of the service department, conducted the class through the plant. The students were shown a camber caster machine, wash rack, greaser, major repair line, and an eight-cylinder engine.

He showed charts which gave illustrations of the brake system, wheel brake and master cylinder, front axle and spring, steering gear, steering gear sectional rear axle, and transmissions of the passenger car.

**Rubinoff Will Give Matinee Performance For MHS Students**

Beloved by millions through his radio and concert appearances, Rubinoff will appear in the Midland High School Auditorium Monday night. A special matinee will be given for students on the same date.

Rubinoff, born in Russia, played a miniature violin at the age of five and was known in Russia as the wonder child. He was graduated from the Warsaw Conservatory at 14.

John Philip Sousa introduced him to school assemblies in 1914.

On concert tours from coast to coast he has appeared in more than 500 cities.

Eddie Cantor made "Rubinoff and his Violin" popular with millions of radio listeners.

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## Crazy People

By JEANNINE STEPHENS  
Who says women are weak? Since when are females the inferior sex? Don't answer that! Some girls are quiet and shy, but most are the outdoor type. A few get bruises playing tennis and golf, but I have to get them the hard way—I play football and basketball. Mix yourself a limeade, stuff your ears with cotton, and relax as I am about to relate my experiences in said sports.

One November day a few of us girls decided to engage in a fall and tumble game of shoeball. We thought the boys would make weak opposition; however, what we failed to notice was the fact that the boys were about twice our size. But that didn't stop us—for awhile, anyway.

The only tackle I had mastered at the time was one by which I grabbed the poor soul around the waist, forcing him to drag my weight, until he fell. Somewhere along the line the situation became reversed, and I came up with a wrenched leg. The mighty Stephens played out!

I must confess that ignorance compelled us to play the entire field; consequently, the game didn't last very long—breath shortage, you know. After the game, we were anxious to get home, but alas, the gate was locked; and seven feet of fence stood between us and the parking lot. Somehow everyone managed to scale the fence to safety except me. Finally, after attempts too numerous to count, I climbed to the top of the fence, and dropped to the other side. But as fate would have it, I lived.

Time marched on, football was forgotten, and basketball became the best excuse for being absent. Yes, basketball was in full swing, and I managed to get in the way of a few of the swings. One day, while guarding a leather-carrying demon (a forward, that is), I zigged when I should have zagged, and lo, I met an elbow. For the ensuing two weeks I had the most colorful eye in school.

Time to go now, as I have an appointment with Mr. Digger, the friendly undertaker. He's going to give me a cold tip on a clammy business that's just full of stiff competition.

An "electrical dinner" was planned by Benjamin Franklin in 1747. Electric shock was to kill a turkey, which was then to be roasted by an electric jack before a fire kindled by an electric bottle

## Boys' Physical Education Classes End Tournaments

The boys' physical education classes, under the direction of Earl Glasie, have just completed a number of tournaments in tennis, ping pong, and horseshoe pitching.

**Tennis**  
In the second period class Johnny Murray won first place with a win of nine games and a loss of five. Beanie Stanley was second with 7 and 1. Miles Winter of the third period class was first with 13 wins. Homer Snodgrass, 9 and 1.

Frank Lane won first place in the fourth period class with 11 and 1; and Don Drummond and Griff McConnell tied for second place, 6 and 4.

The fifth period class first place was taken by Edwin Lee Rezer with 14 and 1. Second place was awarded to Neil Adams with 14 wins.

Fourth period class winners were Frank Ashby and Bill Newson 13 and 1. These two boys tied.

The fifth period winners of first place went to Charles Spivey with 13 and 1. Gordon Mashburn won second with 6 and 3.

**Horseshoes**  
The second period class winners of the doubles horseshoe tournament were Mitchell Greene and R. D. Jones 6 and 1.

The third period class doubles winners were Joe Harrington and Burl Timmons with 9 and 1.

In the fourth period class Z. O. Tabor was the singles champion with 7 and 1.

Joe Cais and Leland Howard won the doubles tournament of the fifth period with 5 and 1.

**Ping Pong**  
In the second period class Bruce Prather won first place with 12 wins and 1 lose, and Glen Prather won second place with 8 and 6.

Third period class first place went to Billy Holoday with 11 wins. Second place went to Joe Mabes with 5 and 4.

## D. E. Delegates



Delbert Shelburne

Meet Delbert Shelburne! Delbert, better known as "Drag," is the stock boy at Montgomery Ward's order office. Here Delbert weekly arranges the window and store display, signs for and checks freight shipments, checks incoming stock with orders, prepares rejected merchandise for shipment to the mail order house, makes claims for return shipment charges, and handles details indispensable to the operation of a mail order office.

Delbert usually is able to tell anyone desiring such information, which of the fifty thousand items listed in the catalog are available.

When new catalogs come in, Delbert also helps distribute them.

He has been employed at Montgomery Ward's order office for about eight months.

Classified as a junior this year, "Drag" is taking English 32, Civics 32, and D. E., with Miss Ruth Donnell. D. E. rates highest in his estimation.

Just give Delbert a platter of fried chicken, several pieces of pecan pie, and a background of hillbilly music (with Eleanor, of course) and he'll be perfectly satisfied.

"Drag" was in the Dramatics Club in '44 and is a member of the D. E. Club this year.

## Lost Cars, Bus Are Among San Angelo Trip Surprises

The trip to San Angelo had many surprises in store for the Midland students who attended the district basketball games.

Joe Anderson and Bob English took their cars and stayed overnight. They parked the cars and did not return for them until the next morning, at which time they discovered the cars were missing. They reported the theft to the desk clerk of the hotel. He informed them that the police had taken their cars.

Unknowingly, they had parked in front of a parking meter which read, "No parking between 1 a. m. and 4 a. m." The boys that were in Joe Anderson's car were compelled to pay a \$2 fine to get their car. Boys with Anderson were Lynn Penn and Ben Gray.

The bus chartered by 14 high school girls was temporarily lost just as they were ready to attend the basketball finals. They discovered, however, that it was parked at the gym which was about nine blocks away.

## Coming Events

Monday—Home Room at 10:30 a. m. Rubinoff Concert at 2:00 p. m.  
Tuesday—Assembly at 10:30 a. m. Girls volleyball game with Andrews here—night game.

Wednesday—Home Room at 10:30 a. m. Volley ball game at Monahan's  
Thursday—Clubs at 10:30 a. m. All school play.

Friday—Home Room at 10:30 a. m. J. T. Baker will speak for Vocational Guidance. Debate team will go to Sonora. End of fourth six-weeks.

**FRANK MONROE ATTENDS AASA IN ATLANTIC CITY**  
Frank Monroe, superintendent of the Midland Public Schools, left Wednesday for the convention of the American Association of School Administrators. The convention is being held in Atlantic City, New Jersey. Monroe will be gone for ten days.

## Editor's Highlights

By BONNIE ROBERTSON

If you happen to notice a number of people scurrying through the halls fifth and sixth periods Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, it was only the journalism and driving classes taking field trips to the newspaper office and Murray-Young Motors, respectively.

Honestly, moving the six-weeks tests up a week is very trying on one's brain. We, like most everyone else, weren't completely prepared for them. It is funny what overnight preparation can do for one, isn't it?

Through the cooperation of The Reporter-Telegram, the Journalism Class has obtained 22 "slugs" to be used as "press cards." A slug is a line of type and may be either one or two columns wide. Due to the fact that the reporters for the Bulldog have to go many places to get material for their stories, having the slugs makes it more convenient.

These particular one-column slugs have "Journalism Class, Midland 1947" printed on them and each member of the class may keep one as a souvenir at the end of school.

It seems the seniors are desperately trying to improve their vocabulary, thanks to Aubra Noon-caster, senior English teacher. Every Wednesday is vocabulary day for his grammar students. At the first of the period a list of 25 words are given the students for the next week. Then two tests are given over the words. The tests cover the spelling and usage of the words.

Well, the seniors "all got patched" last week. The tuberculosis patch tests were given to the senior class Wednesday. This test is usually given to all seniors at this time of year.

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Dick Early, who is a senior in medical school, is played by Eddie Richardson while Jenny Malloy, Dick's sweetheart, is played by Janice Jones. Emily and Richard Early, the mother and father respectively, are Frances Gibbins and

## Eleven Girls To Play In Tennis Tournament

A total of 11 girls will play in the tennis tournaments, Mrs. Inez Cheatham, sponsor, announced Wednesday.

The tournament play-offs will not be held for several weeks, but in the meantime, the girls will be practicing.

Those who are to participate are as follows: Elizabeth Ann Cowden, Florence Larsh, Jean Tuma, Patsy Lou Arrington, Dorothy Jean King, Mary Murray, Emma Sue Cowden, Dorothy Smith, Patsy Patterson, and Betty Joyce Gerald.

These tournaments will be played off with those going out for singles playing single elimination. The doubles team will play in double elimination.

**MISS EVELYN PYLE HAS OPERATION IN DALLAS**

Miss Evelyn Pyle, secretary to Harlan Howell, principal of Midland High School, underwent a tonsilectomy in Dallas last week. Miss Pyle is now in Kaufman with her mother. She will return to work soon.

Charles Spivey, a cranky widow Mrs. Forrester, is played by Carolyn Schaeffer, and David Dickinson plays the young attorney, Sanford Wells. Jack Milford, a sophomore at Broadhurst College, is played by Joe Anderson.

## Boy Declaimers Asked To Contact Miss Verna Harris

Miss Verna Harris, speech and dramatics teacher, is requesting all boys who wish to go out for declamation to see her at either the fifth or sixth periods Monday or Tuesday.

The girls, who have gone out for senior declaimations, are Royce Raye McKee, Eddie Jo Bryan, Arlis Anne Kiebold, Lois Dee Eiland, Peggy Lou Whitson, Patsy Patterson, Jean Tuma, and Barbara Ellis. Girls in junior declaimations are Lois Black, Donna Manning, Sara Lou Link, Maggie Lee Murphy and Mickey Walther.

Jimmy McGraw and Robert Roripaugh are the only two boys out for the senior boy declaimations, and John Torbett, Lewis Griffith and Jessie Armstrong are the junior boy declaimers.

Miss Harris is taking some of the declaimers to Lamesa this week-end with the debaters and to Sonora on March 7-8.

The final eliminations for declaimers will be made about the middle of March, she added.

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### New Line Of Electric Ranges Announced By Frigidaire Dealers

A complete new 1947 line of electric household ranges are being introduced by the Frigidaire Division of General Motors, C. E. Caffey of Caffey Appliance, Frigidaire dealer, said. He recently returned from a district meeting in Fort Worth.

Caffey said the feature model of the new line is a fully automatic, two-oven deluxe range. Design and construction are completely new, with many new features added. Other lower priced ranges also are being produced.

All are constructed with one-piece, roll-front steel cooking tops, which give the new ranges a beautiful streamlined appearance. They are finished with porcelain.

Caffey said he would soon announce a special showing of the new ranges, as well as other Frigidaire appliances.

### Kermit To Open Red Cross Drive

KERMIT — Winkler County's quota in the American Red Cross drive is to be raised within a week, according to Emory Spangler, county drive supervisor.

The drive will begin Monday and close the following Saturday. Organization plans have been made and committees named for quick completion of the drive.

O. O. Whitten, Winkler county finance chairman, and Hugh Moore will serve as Kermit co-chairman.

### 4-H Girls —

(Continued from page 1) was the foods preparation delegate, and Lanelle Howard, also of Valley View, was the alternate clothing delegate. They were accompanied on the trip by Mrs. L. A. Free.

Another big event in the lives of the 4-H girls is the County Fair. Each club has a booth at the grounds of the Midland Fair, Inc., and each member exhibits her best club-made dresses, aprons, breads, cakes and other items. Cash and ribbon prizes are awarded. Girls winning in the County Fair also win a trip to the State Fair in Dallas.

The delegates to the State Fair in 1946 were Julia Edith Midkiff, Pauline and Lelia Norwood, Mary Lynn and Nadine Manning, Lanelle and Donna Howard, Joan McDonauld, Lavena Brooks, Lena Marie Price, Essie Rasgett, and Sammy Swails. Mrs. Bill Arnett and Mrs. C. A. Price accompanied the girls on the trip.

Summer district trips also add to the education of the 4-H girls. Each county in the district sends about eight or ten delegates. The 1944 district camp was at Balmorea and in 1945 at Fort Stockton. Last year the trip included a visit to the Carlsbad Caverns, Ruidoso and White Sands, N. M. Girls representing Midland County 4-H Clubs included Lanelle and Donna Howard, Pauline Norwood, Mary Lynn and Nadine Manning, Julia Edith Midkiff, Roxie Smith and Edith Crawford.

In November a Harvest Banquet is attended by 4-H boys and girls. The announcement of the Gold Star winner is the climax of the banquet.

The winner in 1946 was Janie Manning of the Valley View Community. She is a senior in Midland High School and plans to enter college next fall.

Landell Vest, in 1939, was the first Gold Star winner. She later attended Sul Ross College and a business college in Lubbock, did secretarial work, married Robert L. Young, and recently moved to their farm in East Texas.

Pearl Wilson of Warfield community was the 1940 winner. She married Harold Lane, who is a ranch employe in Midland County. 1941 Gold Star Winner

Mary Louise Baze, the 1941 winner, is taking home economics in Midland High School, where she is a senior.

Yvonne Faine of the Valley View community won in 1942. She is now Mrs. J. W. Davis.

Cathrine Richman of the Prairie Lee community, winner in 1943, also is attending Midland High School, and is taking home economics.

Julia Edith Midkiff of the Valley View community was the Gold Star winner in 1945. She plans to enter college after graduating from Midland High School next May.

### Disabled Midland Vets May Organize Chapter



DeWitt T. Kirby

DeWitt T. Kirby, adjutant of the Texas division of the Disabled American Veterans organization, will be available all day Tuesday in the Scharbauer Hotel to disabled veterans who wish to confer with him.

A meeting will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the district courtroom of the courthouse. Midland disabled veterans will be given an opportunity to form a chapter of the Disabled American Veterans.

Kirby has been the national service officer of the Texas DAV for many years.

### Income Taxes Lead To Insanity Charge

KERMIT — Income taxes, too much liquor, and overdoses of narcotics are blamed by Sheriff L. B. Eddins, his staff of peace officers, and doctors for the wave of insanity cases, or cases bordering on insanity, which have plagued the sheriff's department the last week.

Five persons were being held in the county jail at one time, Sheriff Eddins stated, three on charges of insanity and two on charges of vagrancy.

The "rush" began several days ago when a man dashed into the courthouse, screaming that the income tax men were after him and were trying to kill him.

A few days later relatives of another man filed charges of insanity against him, stating that he had been intoxicated for weeks and was suffering from delirium tremens. He has been released and charged dismissed. Relatives also filed insanity charges against a third man.

Vagrancy charges were filed against a man and woman from out of the state who were visiting in Winkler County. Peace officers said this couple is apparently recovering from the influence of narcotics, and that each of them had "been out of their heads" for several days.

### New Employment Program Will Aid Rural Industries

A special employment program to aid Midland workers and employers engaged in rural industries was announced Saturday by Warren G. Reynolds, manager of the Midland Employment office.

Reynolds said the program would make the necessary labor available to employers of rural industries on a planned basis and help workers engaged in peak farm season activities most nearly attain "year round" employment. Rural industries include processing of all agricultural products.

"We hope that this program will prove of value to employers in securing the workers they need at once and thereby preventing loss of raw products subject to spoilage, reducing overhead personnel costs and loss of production time," Reynolds said. "Our plan should also be of service to the worker by shortening the time that he is between jobs and enabling him to maintain a higher annual income."

This special rural industries program conducted by the State Employment Service is designed to assist communities in organizing and planning for the handling of peak seasonal labor in rural industries by making the greatest possible use of the local labor supply and reducing unnecessary in-migration of transient labor, Reynolds said.

"This is a part of the overall Texas State Employment Service program and employers and workers in rural industries will receive complete benefits of all services offered by the Midland local office," Reynolds said.

Visits are now being scheduled to Midland employers in rural industries, Reynolds said, in order to get labor requirement estimates for the 1947 season and to explain how the Texas State Employment Service can assist them in getting labor and in placing their workers when laid off at the end of peak seasons.

Employers who have season layoffs can help reduce their unemployment compensation tax rate by notifying the Texas State Employment Service at the earliest possible date of planned reductions in force so that these workers can be placed in other employment with the least possible loss in working time, Reynolds said.

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### Richard Opens the Church Door



Middleton, N. Y. folk can't get away from that song's famous Richard even if they flee into church. Rev. Richard Billingsley recently posted the title of the ear-bending ditty as the theme of his forthcoming sermon. The 28-year-old pastor, an ex-Army chaplain, frequently chooses names of popular songs as pegs for his sermons.

### Jamborees Scheduled Weekly At Log Cabin

The second of a series of "Log Cabin Jamborees" will be held at the Log Cabin Inn on West Highway 80 Wednesday night. The first Jamboree last week was termed a huge success.

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### Thompson Resigns As Kermit High Principal

KERMIT — G. E. (Tommy) Thompson has resigned as principal of Kermit High School, with his resignation to be effective June 1, when his present contract expires.

Thompson has been connected with Kermit schools for more than 10 years, and during most of that time also was athletic coach. He was recently elected president of Kermit Chamber of Commerce and is active in civic and community affairs.

Other than to state that he plans to remain in Kermit, Thompson has not yet disclosed his future plans.

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SECTION TWO

## Spring Season Opens In Midland With Annual Style Show Wednesday

The Spring season will officially open in Midland Wednesday when all the latest in fashions are presented in an "Easter Parade of 1947". Sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church, the annual style show will be held at the Yucca Theater in two showings at 7:30 and 9:30 p. m.

The event will be staged as a private showing of Spring fashions in the garden of an estate including scenes of children with their nursemaid, "Babes in the Garden"; active sports, casual clothes, suits, afternoon frocks, "Milady's Easter Bonnets" and formals.

John DeFord will be master of ceremonies.

### Models Include

Models are Jaynan Edwards, Virginia Lou Wilkinson, Ann Brown, Diane Barber, Susan Petzel, Jan Covey, Carol Ann Douglas, Jimmy Blunt, Alice Hicks, Mackie Gibbs, Brenda Carol Sealy, Marilyn Johnson, Sharon Watts, Shirley Watts, Mimi Speed, Robert English, Ben Gray, Lynn Penn, George Mayes, John Morrow, Patsy Lou Arrington, Norma Jean Hubbard, Mary Martha Sivals, Jeannine Stephens, Jean McMillan, Pat Pryor, Alma Faye Cowden, Betty Phipps, Mexcal Wilson, Mrs. George Byrne, Mrs. J. M. Conner, Mrs. Harvey Herd, Mrs. Ben Black, Mrs. Carl McAdams, Mrs. Robert Roark, Mrs. William Potts, Mrs. Ray Rhodes, Mrs. Tom Sealy, Mrs. James Smith,

Mrs. Jack Wilkinson and Mrs. J. C. Velvin.

Styles for every type figure will be included in the show.

Ushers will be Janice Slough, Susan Hemphill, Enid Wheeler, Donna Manning, Dorothy Turner, Joyce Howell, Peggy Whitson, Maurine Benton, Marylee Cowden, Lyna Dell Moore, Sarah Lew Link, and Royce Rae McKee.

Examples of almost every late fashion trend will be featured in the show, such as removable shoulder spallies. Originals from some of the leading fashion designers will be modeled.

Furniture, floral arrangements, coiffures, jewelry and clothes modeled will be furnished by Midland merchants.

### Participating Merchants

Merchants participating include the American Beauty Shop, Liano Beauty Shop, Scharbauer Beauty Shop, City Floral Shop, Dunlap's Everybody's, Cecil Elrod Tailoring Company, Hamilton Jewelry Store, Hattie's Millinery Salon, Grammer-Murphy, Hughes Jewelry Company, Junior Miss Shop, Kiddie's Toggery, Midland Hardware and Furniture Company, J. C. Penney, United Stores, W. W. Virtue, S&Q Men's Clothiers and Vosatko's.

On Monday and Tuesday tickets may be secured in the First National Bank.

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## Sally Jo Carlock, Louis Dale Kaiser Wed In New Mexico

Announcement has been received here of the marriage of Sally Jo Carlock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Carlock of Cuervo and Tucumcari, N. M., to Louis Dale Kaiser, son of Mrs. Alfred Luloff of Vinton, Iowa.

The couple was married February 14 in the Monte Vista Christian Church of Albuquerque, N. M., in a ceremony read by the Rev. Ira J. Bailes.

The bride is a granddaughter of Mrs. Frank Ingham, and a niece of Mrs. L. B. Pemberton, Mrs. L. A. Arrington and Homer Ingham, all of Midland.

Jeanie Davenport was maid of honor and Ralph Stevenson served as best man.

Mrs. Kaiser is a graduate of the Tucumcari Public Schools and attended Texas State College for Women a year before transferring to the University of New Mexico. She is a member of the Chi Omega sorority and of Delta Phi Delta, national art fraternity.

Kaiser is a graduate of Vinton High School and attended the University of Iowa until he entered the Navy, where he served two and one-half years. He is an art major at the University of New Mexico and also is a member of Delta Phi Delta.

## Sally Lou Hull Becomes Bride Of Leonard Fitzgerald Saturday

In a ceremony read Saturday morning, Sally Lou Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Winston Hull, was married to Leonard Fitzgerald, son of Mrs. S. J. Davis of Paris.

The Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor of the First Methodist Church, read the single ring service in the home of the bride's parents, 600 West Kansas Avenue. The couple stood before a fireplace altar arrangement of burning tapers in silver candelabra and two tall baskets of white gladiolas, carnations and stock banked with greenery.

The bride wore a pale pink and brown crepe dress with a side drape effect, a brown hat with a veil of pale pink net caught with pink roses in the back. She wore long pink gloves and brown shoes. Her corsage was a white orchid. For something old she wore a gold mesh bracelet encrusted with pearls, which belonged to her great great aunt,

her dress and hat were something new, and for something borrowed and blue she wore an heirloom turquoise and diamond ring belonging to her mother.

Mrs. Hull wore a grey crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of gardenias.

Wedding music was furnished by Mary Fern Bray, pianist, who played "Oh Promise Me" and "I Love You Truly."

Wedding Breakfast Held  
Mr. and Mrs. Hull entertained with a wedding breakfast in the private dining room of the Scharbauer Hotel immediately following the ceremony. The table was centered with an arrangement of white gladiolas and pale pink carnations. A miniature bride and bridegroom stood at each end of the table.

Attending the breakfast were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Chambers and children, Tommy and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Clark R. Steinberger and son, John, Gene Maye, Richard Hull, Mary Fern Bray, W. L. McRae, the Rev. Hollowell and the hosts.

The couple left on a wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico. They will return March 7 and will live at 602 South Colorado Avenue.

The bride is a graduate of Midland High School and attended the University of Colorado and Texas Technological College. She recently returned from San Francisco, Calif., where she modeled for Ranshoff's.

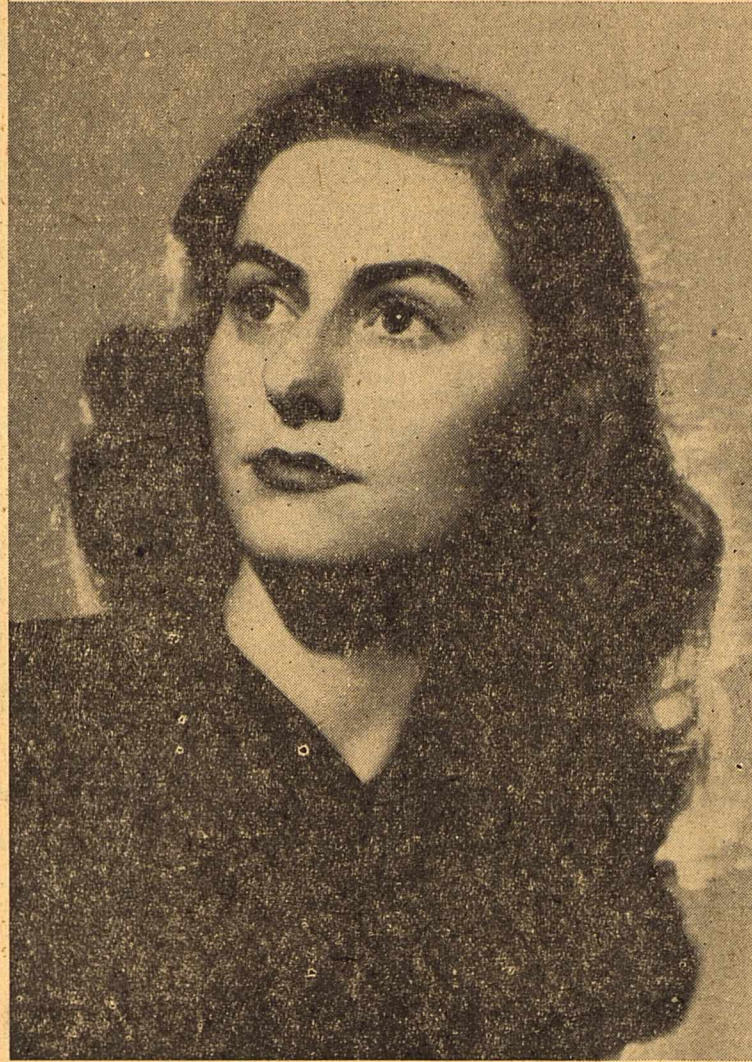
The bridegroom is formerly of Fort Worth, moving to Midland in the early fall. He is an automobile dealer here.

## Engagement Announced



Announcement was made at a party Friday evening of the engagement and approaching marriage of Sue Miles, above, to Howard Chamlee, both of Midland. The couple will be married April 26. The announcement was made by the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Hayden Miles.

## Marries In El Paso



Mrs. Aldredge Estes, Jr., above, was Pat McCaskill, before her marriage in El Paso Saturday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Estes, who will live in Midland, are on a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado.

## Pat McCaskill, Aldredge Estes, Jr., Marry In El Paso Christian Church

Patricia Ann McCaskill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Hittson of Breckenridge, became the bride of Aldredge Estes, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Aldredge Estes, Sr., in a ceremony read in El Paso Saturday morning.

The Rev. D. W. McElroy, pastor, officiated for the single ring rites in the First Christian Church, which was decorated with white gladiolas. The bride wore a blue dressmaker suit with a halo hat of brown and beige maline. Her blouse and gloves were white and other accessories, brown. She carried a white orchid on a white Bible, which served as something old. The Bible is an heirloom of the bridegroom's great grandmother. Her suit was something new and blue, and something borrowed was a string of pearls belonging to her bridesmaid, Montez Downey of Midland. The bride also wore a penny in her shoe.

Neva Frances Harrell of Van Horn was maid of honor. She wore a pink crepe dress with black accessories and a corsage of white gardenias. Miss Downey wore a navy blue crepe dress with navy accessories and a gardenia corsage.

Attend Bridgroom  
Johnny Dublin, Jr., and Buster Cole, both of Midland, attended the bridegroom.

Following a wedding trip to New Mexico and Colorado, the couple will return to Midland, where they will live at 801 North Whitaker Street.

Miss Harrell entertained the wedding party with a buffet supper Friday evening in Van Horn. Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Bell of Midland, who accompanied the couple to El Paso, were hosts for a wedding supper Saturday evening in Juarez, Mexico.

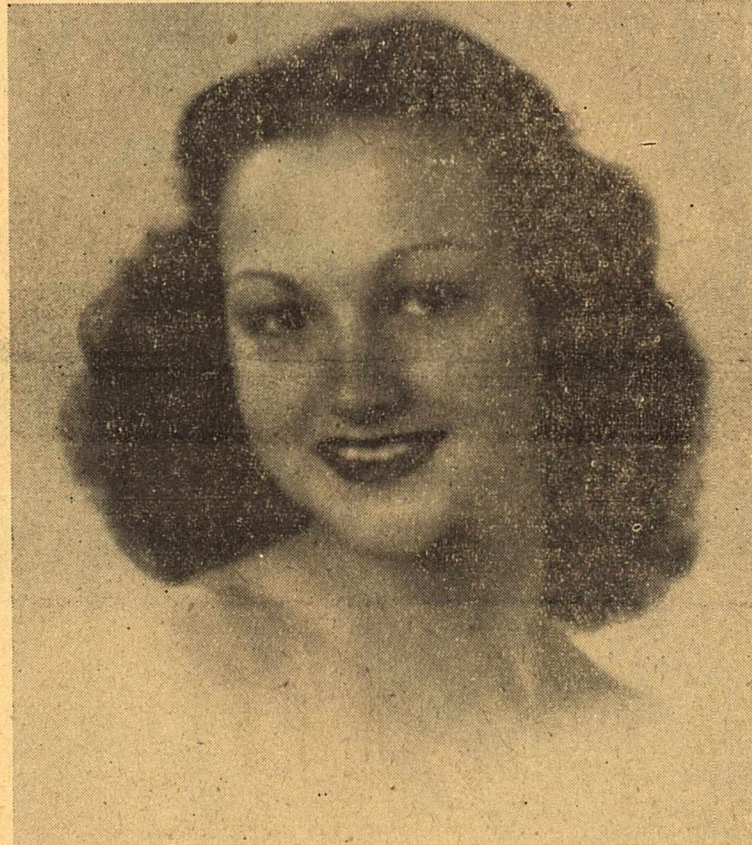
The bride is employed by the Superior Oil Company. She is a graduate of Breckenridge High School and has been living in Midland the past three years. The bridegroom is a graduate of Midland High School and Texas Technological College and attended the University of Texas. He is in the ranching business with his father. He served four years with the Army Air Forces, part of which was spent in the European Theater of Operations.

A nominating committee was appointed and plans were made to assist in the Red Cross drive.

The next meeting will be in the home of Maedele Roberts, 1209 West Indiana Avenue, March 13 at 7:30 p. m.

Present were Mrs. A. H. Dimney, Jr., Miss Roberts, Mrs. J. K. Doran, Mrs. J. H. Fine, Dorothy Hamilton, Mrs. D. Johnson, Mrs. S. R. McKinney, Estelle Smith of Odessa, and Mrs. Lee Gollwitzer, a guest.

## On Wedding Trip



On a wedding trip to Monterey, Mexico, are Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fitzgerald, who were married in Midland Saturday morning. Mrs. Fitzgerald is the former Sally Hull, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Winston Hull of Midland.

## Approaching Marriage Of Sue Miles To Howard Chamlee Revealed By Mrs. Hayden Miles Friday

To announce the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Sue Miles, Mrs. Hayden Miles entertained with a party Friday evening at her home, 208 South H Street.

Miss Miles and Howard Chamlee of Midland will be married April 26. "Sue and Howard—April 26" was written in green on the mirror of a large coffee table in the living room, making the surprise announcement.

The bride-elect is a graduate of Midland High School and the University of Texas, where she was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha and a Bluebonnet Nominee. She has been employed in the Industrial Relations department of the Humble Oil and Refining Company for two and one-half years.

The bridegroom-to-be is a graduate of Pauls Valley High School, Pauls Valley, Okla. He attended the school of geology at the University of Oklahoma and now is associated with the Starr Oil Company in Midland.

Guests Included  
The guest list for the party included Mr. and Mrs. Lynn D. Durham, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Walmsley, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Tarwater,

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cowden, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Essex, Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Don Oliver, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Blevins,

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Regent, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ratliff, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Bill Beckers, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Reagan, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Starr, Monty Downey, Study Cowden, Betty Parker, Willie Mae Ferguson, Ruth Smith, Gene Ann Cowden, Kitty Gene Ellis, Suzy Starr, Ed Pettit, Bill Donnell and Bob Brennand.

## St. Ann Altar Society To Give Away Chest Filled With Linens

Ladies of the St. Ann Altar Society of the St. George Catholic Church have received a cedar chest which they are filling, to be given away at a party April 25 in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Tickets for the party are now on sale and may be secured from members of the society.

The chest is being filled with blankets, towels, table linens, sheets and embroidery work.

### VISITS IN MINEOLA

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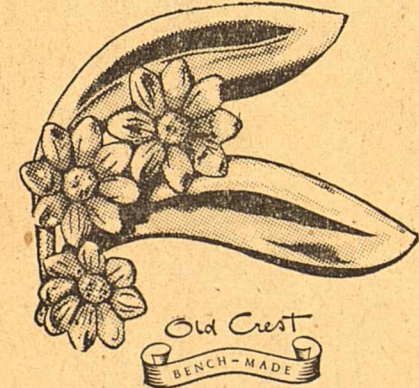
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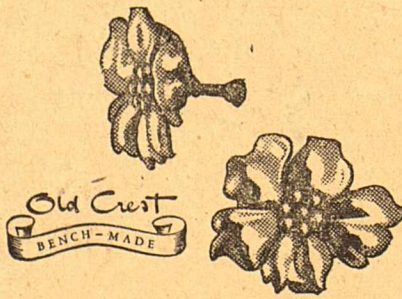


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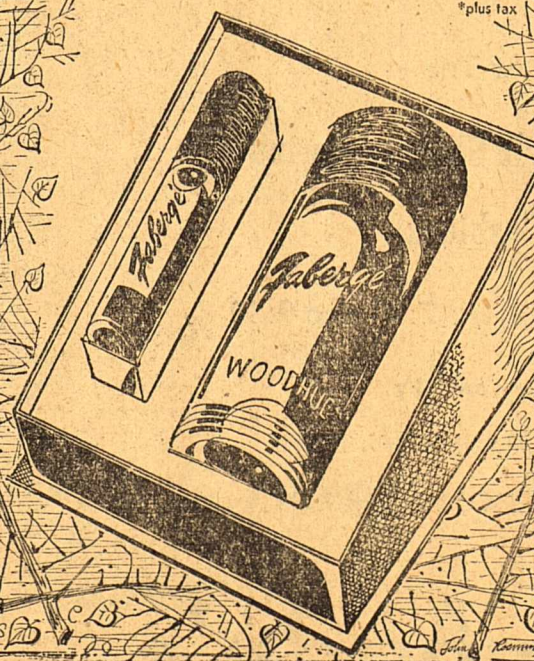
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**PROWLER REPORTED**  
 A prowler was reported to police Friday night on West Storey Street but one could not be found when officers arrived.

### Luncheon, Progressive Bridge Party Held By Ladies Golf Association

Mrs. Gordon Bird, Mrs. Hugh Munn and Mrs. Frank Flournoy were hostesses for the luncheon meeting of the Ladies Golf Association Friday at the Midland Country Club, entertaining approximately 60 members and guests.

A progressive bridge party was held following the luncheon. Mrs. C. W. Chancellor won first prize, Mrs. Nelson Puett, second, and Mrs. W. D. Lane, the "bingo" prize.

A golf theme was featured in decorations with the speaker's table centered by an arrangement of golf tees spelling L.G.A. Crossed golf clubs, golf balls and tees were used on the tables. Also used in decorating the tables were dolls dressed in golf clothes and others dressed in hats and high heels representing the ladies of the golf association who do not play golf but take part in other activities.

**Win Golf Prizes**

The guest prize at golf preceding the luncheon was presented to Mrs. Paul Houston of Amarillo. Mrs. Payton Anderson won the golf prize and Mrs. Frank Flournoy won the booby prize.

Others playing golf were Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Leif Olson, Mrs. Rachel Hornbeck, a guest and Mrs. Henry Donohoo, of Amarillo.

Mrs. Payton Anderson directed the business meeting.

Mrs. Houston and Mrs. Donohoo were luncheon guests of Mrs. J. P.

Ruckman; Mrs. W. M. Dillard of Mexia, a guest of Mrs. J. D. Dillard; Mrs. Benny Estes was a guest of Mrs. Stanley Erskine; Mrs. Ralph Oberholzer, a guest of Mrs. William Kerr; Mrs. Bob Little and Mrs. Hubert Hopper, guests of Mrs. Bob Payne; Mrs. Wallace Ford, Mrs. H. H. Watson and Mrs. Lewis Anderson were guests of Mrs. J. O. Vance; Mrs. W. H. Stroud, a guest of Mrs. Bert Goodman; Mrs. Bob White, guest of Mrs. A. Morgzanni; and Mrs. Charles G. Green, Jr., guest of Mrs. Raymond Leggett.

**Members Present**

Others present were Mrs. L. H. Anderson, Mrs. L. C. Ayres, Mrs. Bill Barker, Mrs. P. F. Bridgewater, Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. W. D. Cantrell, Mrs. Arch Clevering, Mrs. Ida Faye Cowden, Mrs. James Chapple, Mrs. Roy Douglas, Mrs. J. P. Gibbins, Mrs. Fred Girdley, Mrs. Jack Hazlip, Mrs. Dave Henderson, Mrs. Frank Johnson, Mrs. Ed Kent, Mrs. W. G. Keeler, Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, Mrs. L. G. Lewis, Mrs. Henry Murphy, Mrs. W. C. Murphy, Mrs. J. Guy McMillan, Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. Doyle Patton, Mrs. John L. Smith, Mrs. James T. Smith, Mrs. George Slenz, Mrs. B. R. Schabarun, Mrs. E. M. Miller, Mrs. D. R. Dickson, Mrs. Earl Statton, Mrs. E. F. Means, Mrs. Joe Beakey, Mrs. Frank Downey and Robert Roark.

### MRS. FRED CASSIDY GIVES DISCUSSION AT SERVICE LEAGUE MEET

Mrs. Fred Cassidy discussed a meeting recently with Martin Rick-er, executive secretary of the Texas Society for Crippled Children, Inc., in Dallas, when the Children's Service League met Friday.

The league met in the home of Mrs. W. T. Schneider, 2000 West Brunson Street.

Members worked on clothing to be sent overseas and made further plans for publicity for the Easter Seal sale for crippled children.

Others present were Mrs. Art Cole, Mrs. Walter Collins, Mrs. Robert Fitting, Mrs. J. D. Hatch, Mrs. John M. Hills, Mrs. Cooper Hyde, Mrs. T. S. Jones, Mrs. Alan Leeper, and Mrs. Vaughn Maley.

### Car Collides With Bike; Rider Unhurt

A youth riding a bicycle, was hit by an automobile at the intersection of Texas and Front Streets Friday.

Officers said L. R. Nickel of Pasadena, Calif., reported to the station that he collided in his car with James Hendricks, riding a bicycle.

Hendricks was not injured.

### Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. V. Snider on the birth, Friday, of a daughter, Carolyn Ann, weighing seven pounds, 10 ounces.

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### OFFICERS ELECTED BY GIRL SCOUT TROOP 12

Joan Turner was elected chairman of Girl Scout Troop 12 at a meeting Wednesday in the First Presbyterian Church.

Other officers chosen were Sherry Page, program chairman, Marilyn Little, refreshment chairman, Catherine Perry, secretary, and Shirley Pulliam, historian.

The troop is working on house-keeping and colorcraft badges. A group studying for the photography badge is meeting with Mrs. Randy Reuben as program consultant.

A second class group including Patsy Yeager, Dorothy Scoggins, Jackie Kimsey, and Sherry Page have planned their activities.

Members attending were Jane Beakey, Janet Hoffer, Lynn Griffith, Mary Ann Searles, Joan Turner, Catherine Perry, Betty Pitzer, Barbara Long, Kathryn Mygdal, Madelon Schabarum, Jane Flint, Shirley Pulliam, Dorothy Scoggins, Jackie Armontrout, Patsy Yeager, and Mrs. I. A. Searles, leader.

### Midland Students Win Speech Festival Events

LAMESA—Midland High School debate team won five of 10 contests in a speech festival here Friday.

Schools competing included: Midland, Lamesa, Big Spring, Lubbock. Midland debaters included: Evelyn Wemple, Maurine Denton, Jeanette Stephens, Dave Dickinson and Buddy Norton.

### RECOVER STOLEN CAR

An Abilene man was arrested and a stolen car recovered in Midland Friday.

Officer Hoyt Burris made the arrest. The car was stolen at Abilene.

### ODESSAN VISITS

Elwood Scott, Odessa businessman, was a Midland visitor Saturday.

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### Cooking With Herbs Studied By HD Club

A demonstration of herb cooking was given by Mrs. R. C. Spivey at a meeting of the West Side Home Demonstration Club Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Lucius Bryan.

Roll call was answered with "Something I Can Do to Make My Family Happier".

Others present were Mrs. M. D. Mauck, Mrs. E. H. Scobey, Mrs. L. H. Monerief, Mrs. G. G. Jones, Mrs. L. G. Webb and Mrs. Roy Jones, a guest.



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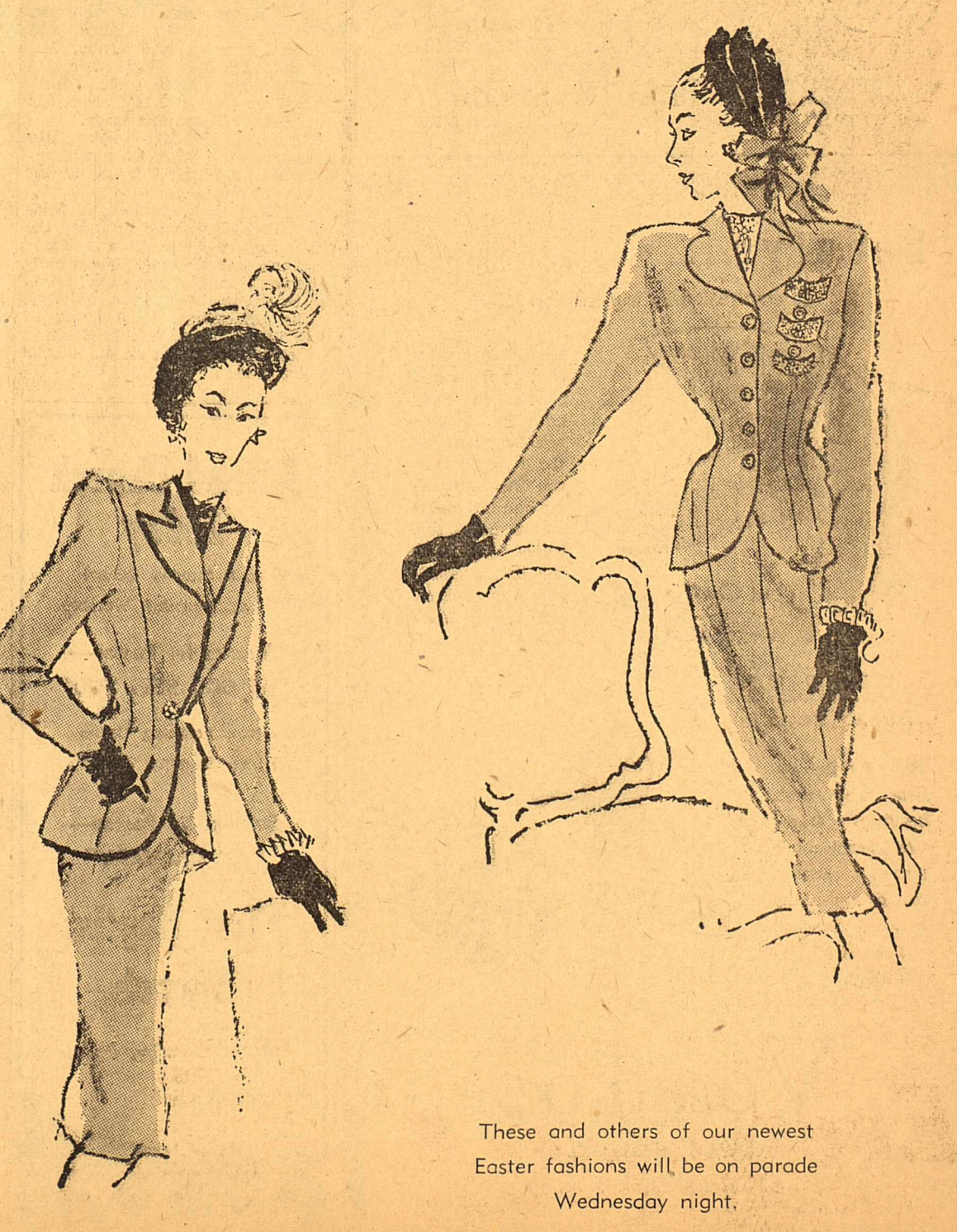
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**Style Show -**

(Continued from page 1)  
dional Bank lobby, the Petroleum Building lobby, Dunlaps, Grammer-Murphy and the Scharbauer Hotel lobby.

Wednesday tickets will be sold at the ticket booth of the Yuca Theater where the show will be presented.

The general chairman of the style show is Mrs. Hal C. Peck and Mrs. Roy E. Kimsey is co-chairman.

**Committee Members**

Other committee members are Mrs. Alden Donnelly, collector of entrance fees; Mrs. C. Taylor Cole, publicity; Mrs. Dan Hudson and Mrs. Ralph Lowe, stage setting; Mrs. I. E. Daniel, stage proper-

Reese Cleveland, committee to engage models; Mrs. William Kerr, Mrs. M. F. Turner, Mrs. Paul Kohn, Mrs. John P. Butler, Mrs. C. A. McAdams, Mrs. W. A. Schaefer and Mrs. Lloyd Edwards, advertising; Mrs. Robert M. Turpin and Mrs. E. H. Scooby, posters; Mrs. Payton Anderson, Mrs. W. A. Thomas, Mrs. J. P. Ruckman, Mrs. William Potts, Mrs. C. W. Paris, Mrs. Frank Ashby, Mrs. A. Morgzanni, Mrs. John FitzGerald, Mrs. Robert Allen, Mrs. Cooper Hyde, Mrs. Frank Whitaker and Mrs. Dave Henderson, tickets; Mrs. Preston Lea, Jr., music; Mrs. Selman Lones, usher; and Mrs. Chappell Davis, treasurer.

**HERE FROM NEW MEXICO**

Elliott F. Cowden was in Midland Saturday from his ranch near Santa Rosa, N. M.

**Arts Groups Give AAUW Luncheon Meeting Program**

Arts groups of the American Association of University Women presented the program at the March luncheon meeting of the AAUW Saturday in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Hotel.

The Opera group gave a review of the opera "Rigoletto". Mrs. Hazen Woods, chairman of the Contemporary Literature group discussed books which the group has selected as representative of American literature. The Creative Arts group exhibited works of individual members including yarn creations,

textiles with designs stencilled and block printed, silk screen equipment, designs applied to bottles, hand painted hair ribbons, leather creations, painting in pastels and oils, and block printed Christmas cards.

Mrs. W. M. Thompson gave a discussion on "How to Appreciate Pictures" with slides to illustrate.

Reports were also made of the work done by the three groups during the year.

During the meeting plans were discussed to make an award of one hundred dollars to a Midland High School girl graduate on the basis of character, scholarship and leadership. The scholarship committee includes Mrs. Ralph Troseth, Mrs. Joe Canon and Mrs. W. T. Magee.

The AAUW has pledged one hundred dollars to the Midland Memorial hospital fund this year.

**REFLECTED COLORS**

The color of a flower, or any other object, is nothing more than the colors of the spectrum which the object will not absorb. Thus, a yellow flower is one which absorbs all the colors except yellow, which it reflects.

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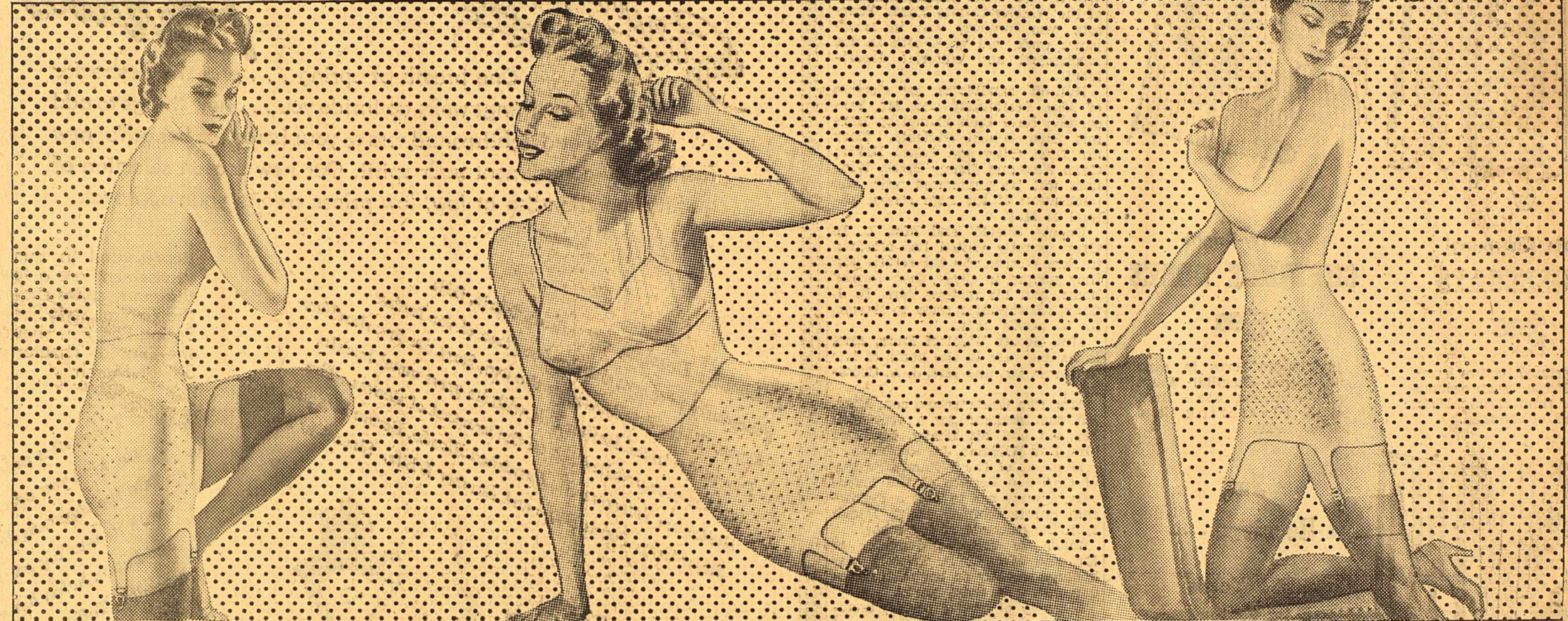
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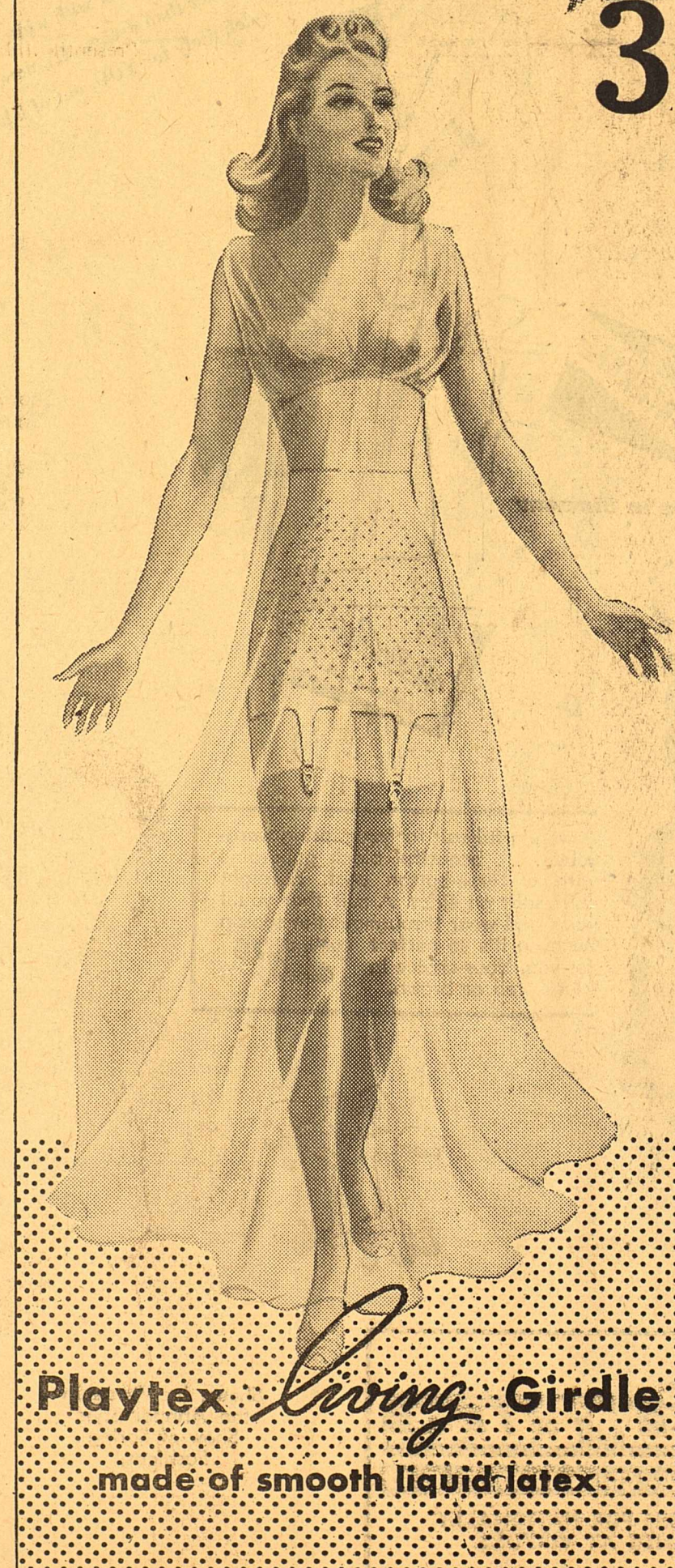
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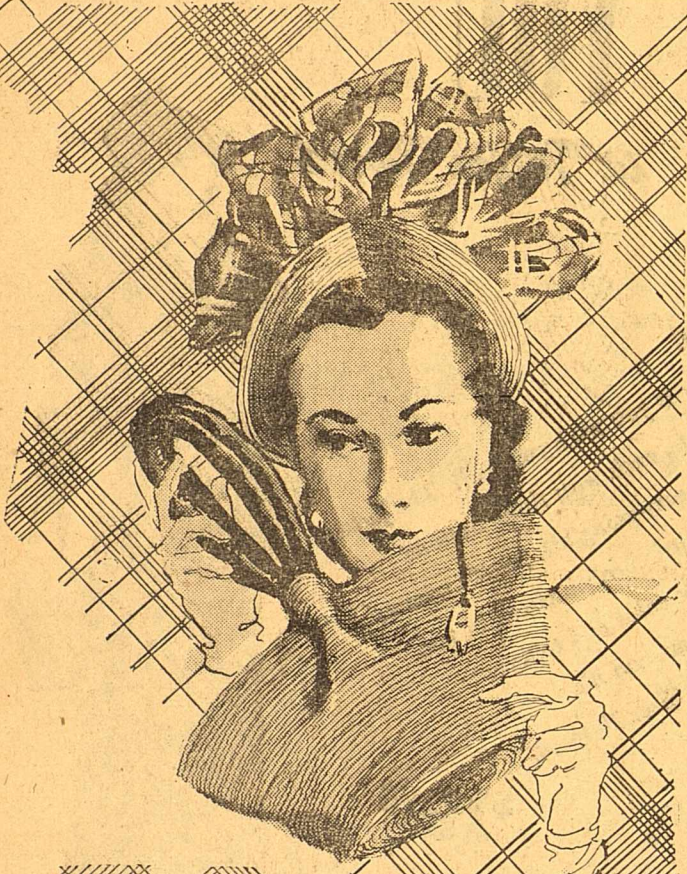
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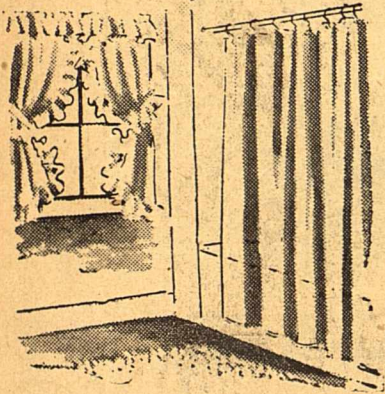


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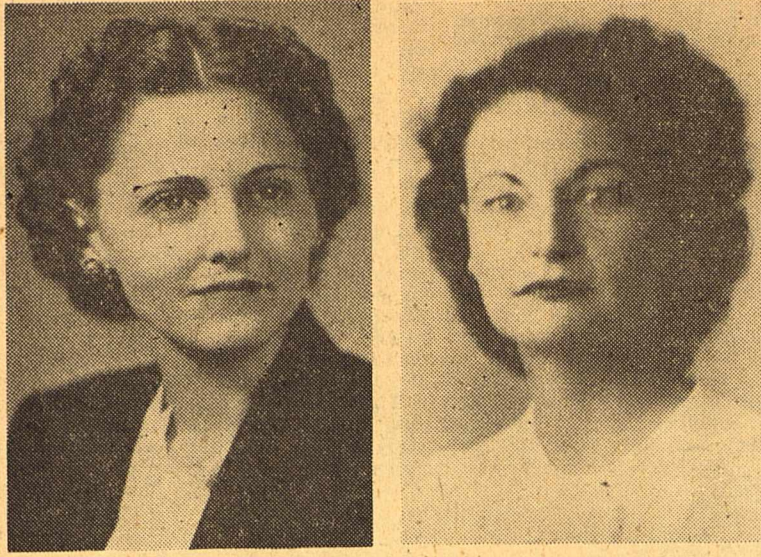
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**To Attend District Meet**



Mrs. Ernest Neill, left, and Mrs. W. G. Epley, right, will attend the convention of the Eighth District Texas Federation of Women's Clubs Tuesday and Wednesday at Indian Lodge. Mrs. Neill is the retiring president of the Midland City-County Federation of Women's Clubs and Mrs. Epley is the newly elected president.

**Kermit Briefs**

**KERMIT**—Fred Pearson, former city secretary and for the past year associated with Luther Brothers Construction Company of Fort Worth, this week joined the staff of the Winkler County News. Pearson, who formerly was in newspaper work, will work both in the mechanical and editorial departments.

Run-off candidates for election of Miss Personality and Mr. Personality have been named by Kermit High School students. They are Nina Giles and Laura Baker; Gene West and Jimmy Brock. Winners will be announced with the publication of the high school annual in May.

Deputy Sheriff and Mrs. L. L. Gray recently visited her relatives in Fort Worth. On the return trip they stopped in Clyde, their former home, and his mother, Mrs. E. J. Gray, accompanied them to Kermit for a week's visit.

Mrs. George Wahl of Paris, Ark., is visiting here in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Crossmo.

Mrs. Nev Williams and son, Mike, left this weekend for a visit with her son and his family, Mr. and Mrs. Nev Williams, Jr., in Austin.

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church are to host a Fellowship dinner Monday night, March 3, in the cafeteria of the school.

Linda Jo Triplett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Triplett, was honored recently on her fifth birthday with a birthday party.

A group of young people, members of the Rex Ray Chapter of the Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church and their guests, recently entertained with a weiner roast and picnic at the sand hills.

Dr. Cecil Robinson recently returned to Kermit after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson of Golden. The trip was made by plane and Dr. Robinson was accompanied home by his father.

**DISTINCTION**  
The town of Seal, Wyandot county, Ohio, is now the geographical center of the hot-rolled sheet and strip capacity of the steel industry of the United States.

Eight of the 52 elements of which all matter is composed make up nine-tenths of the earth's crust and water which man can reach.

**Kermit Youth Honored On Eleventh Birthday**

**KERMIT**—Robert Sewell, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sewell, was honored on his eleventh birthday when his mother entertained at their home, 424 Sherwood Avenue. After outdoor games, with prizes being awarded winners, refreshments were served.

Those present included: Kenneth Burrows, Jr., Frosty Robinson, Jimmie Watson, Sonny Shillingburg, Cary and Gail Garlitz, Jimmie Smith, Phillip Shumate, George Mullinax, Kenneth Keener and Jan Lovell.

Washington, John Adams, and Jefferson were pickle enthusiasts.

**Camp Barkeley Chapel To Arrive In Kermit**

**KERMIT**—Members of the Methodist Church are expecting the arrival this weekend of the chapel building which was recently purchased from Camp Barkeley, Abilene.

The building has been en route during the week, but highway conditions necessitated a detour route that has required considerable time. The church is to be erected in the south part of town, near the school plant.

A bear breathes only four or five times a minute while in the stupor of hibernation.



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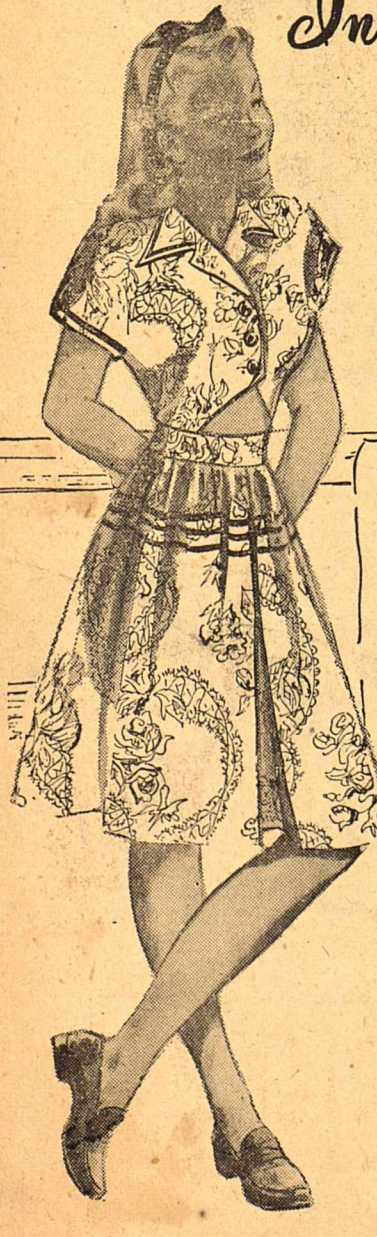
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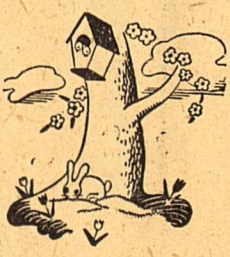
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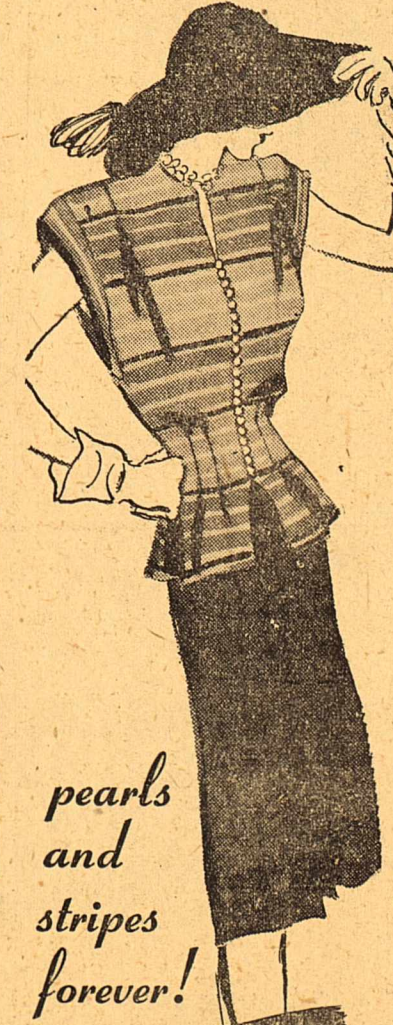


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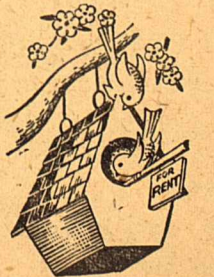


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**GIFT PARTY HONORS MIDLAND BRIDE-ELECT**

Joan Williams, bride-elect of Donald Merritt of Midland, was complimented with a gift party Thursday evening in the home of her mother, Mrs. John Williams, 1206 South Marienfield Street. Her sister, Mrs. Norman Zachry, was hostess. Games were played and the bride-elect opened her gifts.

Present were Mrs. W. T. Burrow, Mrs. Herman Nazworth, Mrs. Ruth Osborne, Mrs. Tommy Rogers, Mrs. Bill Rogers, Mrs. G. W. Smith, Mrs. J. Dyess, Mrs. B. S. O'Neil, Mrs. Sidney Baze, Mrs. Parkis, Mrs. Fred Burleson, Mrs. J. Sims Fleming, Mrs. Archie Booth, Pearl Bush, Mrs. Levi Bush, Mrs. John Williams and Mrs. John Bleiker.

**Spring Print**



Headlining current dress collections are artist-signed prints, such as the one above which adapts Waldo Peirce's watercolor "Trout Fishing" in brown on white rayon crepe. Two finely pleated flounces encircle the skirt and a third makes capelet for the off-shoulder neckline.

**Carver School P-TA Will Present Negro Tenor In Concert**

Emanuel Mansfield, negro concert tenor, will be presented in a concert in the Carver School here at 7:30 p. m., Thursday, under the sponsorship of the Carver School Parent-Teacher Association.

A section of the school auditorium will be reserved for white persons. Mansfield's pianist and accompanist will be Robert Evans, American Indian, known as "the little giant of the piano".

The Mansfield-Evans team is said to be the only negro-Indian concert team in the world.

Proceeds from the concert will be used by the Carver P-TA in its school improvement program.

**Mrs. R. Chanslcr Gives Class Lesson**

Mrs. R. Chanslcr taught the lesson from the 27th chapter of Matthew when the Belmont Bible Class met with Mrs. Maude Newnam Friday afternoon.

Present were Mrs. W. M. Craft, Mrs. W. P. Collins, Mrs. H. E. Skipper and a guest, Mrs. Graham. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Skipper, 805 South Weatherford Avenue, at 3 p. m.



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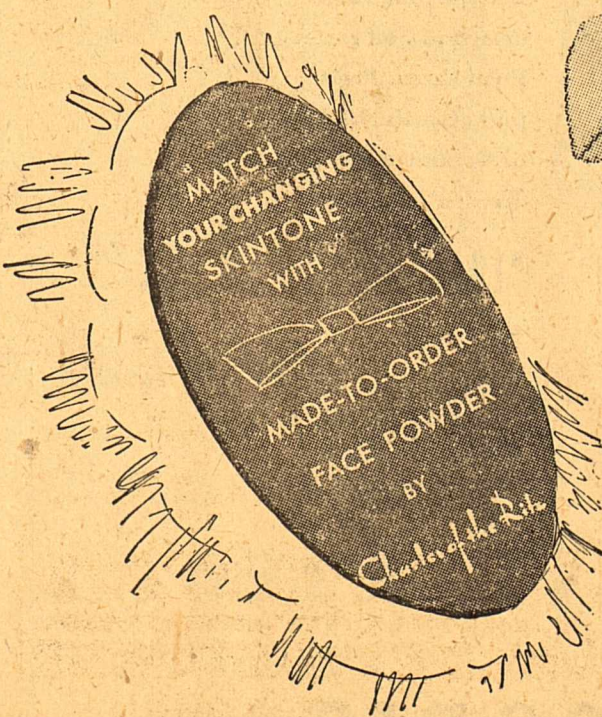
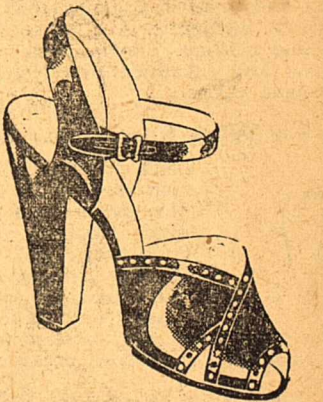
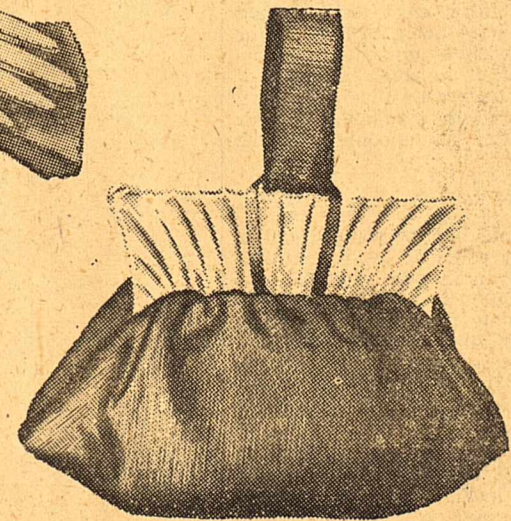
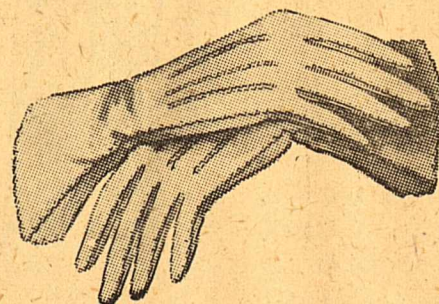
**For Spring Clothes Were Never So Pretty!**

Not fads --- not extremes --- but wonderful and wearable and to give you that feeling of confidence you are correctly dressed for the occasion --- such are the new fashions at Grammer-Murphey's --- so come to take a look and do your choosing from Spring collections especially adaptable to the women who live in West Texas and travel to the far corners of America!



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A coat by Rothmoor or a glove by Kislav --- a dress by Charles Armour or a hat by Milgrim --- a suit by Printzess or a casual by Habitmaker --- any might catch your eye or strike your fancy --- For Spring fashions are a-sparkle with newness and smartness in every corner of Grammer-Murphey's.



**GRAMMER-MURPHEY**  
 Women's Wear



# SHOPPING NEWS

By BARBARA

Lots of sales and excitement this week! Cameron's is having their 8th anniversary sale . . . Simmons Paint and Paper Company has grand wallpaper values . . . and an unusual item to be found is window valences at Gates Cabinet Shop!

**Window Valences Ready For Delivery - - -**  
Ladies! This is a real news item! Mr. A. F. Gates at the GATES CABINET SHOP is meeting a popular demand by milling new window valences. These clever valences conceal rather unsightly curtain and drapery rods which are necessary for correct hanging, but with this modern touch the folds of the curtains and drapes come from under a neat, well-made valence . . . you could even cover it with the curtain material so that it becomes a permanent part of your hanging. Made to fit any window, either finished or unfinished. Call 1981 or see Mr. Gates at 411 West Kentucky.

**Summer Styles For Style Show - - -**  
It's Style Show time, and time to think of summer hair-dos! Remember to take a look at the hair styles created by The Scharbauer Beauty Salon especially for the Style Show this week and you'll find many lovely ways to wear your crowning glory, for you'll find up-dos in r-als and curls are the "up and coming thing." For short hair, the brush wave; long hair responds to the "glamour bobs" beautifully. The operators at SCHARBAUER BEAUTY SHOP have lots of ideas for grand summer styles. Look for them at the Style Show.

**Kensington Aluminum Featured At Vosatko's - - -**  
Whatever the beverage, it's the container that lends elegance to the occasion. Kensington aluminum tumblers and trays displayed by VOSATKO'S lend a festive note to any occasion, whether it's a large party or just a family affair. The musical clink of ice cubes and the gleaming satiny finish of these aluminum pieces furnish just the right setting for many memorable occasions. This heavy aluminum does not tarnish and will retain its beauty for generations. Buy a set now or buy one item at a time.

**Needlepoint And Hook Rugs In High Fashion - - -**  
The Little Yarn House is stringing along with all the rest of the country in the revival of interest in Colonial hooked rugs and needlepoint. "Lindy" is happy to announce that she has a beautiful line of needlepoint and all the necessities for hooking rugs, such as needles, frames, patterns and yarn! In fact, she has what you need in the way of needlework, consult Lindy, she'll help you in your selections and be glad to help you get started. If you haven't been in yet, do drop in and see all the lovely new materials THE LITTLE YARN HOUSE has to offer. The address is 401 1/2 South Marientfield.

**8th Anniversary Sale At Cameron's - - -**  
Here's just what you've been waiting for! An after-inventory sale! CAMERON'S, while taking inventory last week, found on their shelves many items that they have marked down to cost . . . and below! Don't miss this opportunity to replenish your medical and cosmetic supplies, and household needs, at a great saving at Cameron's 8th year anniversary sale. For instance, 6-tube Travler radio 20% off; vacuum ice bucket \$8.75; alarm clocks \$4.45; and pipes, all brands, 20% off. Don't miss this!

**Striking Milan Hat And Bag Sets - - -**  
I'm always enticed by unusual hats or bags and this week EVERYBODY'S had a real beauty to offer. Out of the hat comes a charming one . . . a black imported Swiss Milan hat . . . a tiny round skimmer that sits on the back of your head and sitting perky a little off center is a large black and white plaid taffeta bow. It's cute enough without more . . . but just take a look at the new boxy bag of black Milan to match. A lovely set, and there are others in different styles . . . if you shop early!

**Wallpaper Sale At Simmons Paint And Paper Co. - - -**  
It's the season when you want to give "the old homestead" a bright new face for Spring. Here's a tip about wallpaper that will save you money. SIMMONS PAINT AND PAPER COMPANY is getting in so many new patterns that in order to make room for the new, many beautiful patterns have found their way to the bargain shelves. This is a grand opportunity to buy now even if you don't plan on redecorating till later. And for wallcovering—Congo-Wall Linoleum, put out by the makers of Congoleum linoleum and rugs, has just arrived in a small quantity! More about that later.

**Seafood Dinners A Special - - -**  
Today happens to be in the season of Lent, and John Collin announces special menus at his cafe on South Main in keeping with this season. Fresh red salmon from Seattle, Washington; oysters; shrimp from the Gulf and fillet trout with good tartar sauce are special features. For those who don't care for sea foods there is the regular menu of roast brown turkey and fried chicken. Bring the family to COLLIN'S today for dinner. You'll relish the food and welcome the pleasant leisurely service.

**Heavy Glass Punch Bowl Sets - - -**  
The smart host or hostess will be delighted with the sparkling clear, heavy glass punch set at MIDLAND HARDWARE GIFT DEPT. Give a setting of sophistication to your parties with the radiance and cosy cheer reflected in this streamlined glassware. With twelve graceful, easy-to-handle cups, a generous sized punch bowl, a long-handled ladle and heavy glass tray, it will easily serve the most elaborate parties. Its plain smooth surface retains its lustre without polishing and its modern design will lend dignity to many an important event.

**Sportwhirl Chambrays In Winsome Fashion - - -**  
If you want dresses that whirl you right through spring in delectable and flattering colors and styles, then MARY ANN SHOPPE has just the right answer. Sportwhirl chambrays in bright variations to the Spring theme! "Winsome" is the appearance of the apron effect dress! A simulated apron in front and a neat bow in back completes the effect, shirred waist gives fullness to skirt and inlays of lace on sleeves repeat the motif. A striped button front seersucker is tailored into a meticulous dress suitable for work, shopping or sunny days on the golf course.

**Sauve Recommended For Shining Hair - - -**  
NOBLITT-FARSON BEAUTY SALON gives me the privilege of telling you about Sauve—the new hair cosmetic, a must for grooming of modern coiffures. It's absolutely greaseless—not a brilliant or pomade, neatly holds your hair in place without unpleasant stickiness and gives it a glossy sheen, bathing it in shining beams of lustrous highlights. A little goes a long way with dividends in a shining coiffure. Two or three drops placed in the palms of your hands and smoothed over your hair after shampooing prevents drooping curls.

**Keep Fit With Bowling - - -**  
Don't let the cool March winds deprive you of healthy exercise. Bowling is a sport you'll enjoy in comfortable indoors and it keeps you in good physical condition. Drop in at PLAMOR PALACE in your off-duty hours and relax while you exercise. Yessir! Bowling is right down the alley to good sport and fun. Make the most of your leisure time—make up a party and go to Plamor for an afternoon or evening filled with good, wholesome sport that gives your muscles a workout. No reservations necessary!

**Alice And The Wonderful Looking-Glass - - -**  
What woman doesn't have fun standing in front of a long mirror trying on one hat after the other . . . every color, every style to choose from? Visions of exciting costumes dance through your head! They do mine, anyway! At WILSON'S you can have this pleasure at their new hat bar. Before a long, well lighted mirror you can try on be-ribboned, be-veiled, be-flowered hats in a variety of wonderful colors in straws and felts in derbies, cloches, off-the-face . . . for all ages from bobby sox to Grandma!

**Go Everywhere . . . With Ease - - -**  
Regardless of the time, place or occasion, CHECKER CAB can be depended upon to take you wherever you want to go, comfortably and safely. During this season of uncertain weather, "don't take a chance, take a Checker." Eliminate your worries about social engagements, business appointments and shopping tours by keeping in mind the num-ber "70" in the telephone directory. Checker gets you there on time and competent drivers are always ready to assist you with bundles, etc. Take a Checker to church today!

## Virginia Sale To Be Presented In Midland Recital



Virginia Sale

Virginia Sale, popular, original and heavily booked solo entertainer and expert comedienne, will be presented on the stage of the Midland High School Auditorium at 7:45 p. m., Wednesday, under the sponsorship of the Midland Concert-Lecture Association.

Announcements of the Virginia Sale appearance here have been mailed to all association members, Leonard Thomas, president, said Saturday.

Thomas announced the entertainment has been moved up 30 minutes to allow association members ample time to attend the second performance of the Episcopal Style Show starting at 9:30 p. m. Sister Of Chic Sale

Virginia Sale, a sister of the great comedian, the late Chic Sale, has given over 500 performances of her recital. The success of and the demand for her "Americana" character sketches persuaded her to quit Hollywood pictures and radio to move to New York as a center from which to tour the entire country. She played character roles in more than 300 pictures and was in radio eight years.

Bookings for this, the first season entirely devoted to her one-woman theater now total more than 100 and likely will hit a record for the lecture-platform business. Her program appeals to every type of audience.

Along with "four careers," recitals, pictures, radio, and wife-mother-housekeeper, she has devoted much time to philanthropic work. She was a popular entertainer at Army camps and at bond rallies during the war years.

**Grand Staff Club Has Meeting, Program**  
Members of the Grand Staff Club met Wednesday evening in the home of Jane Ann Edwards, 411 North A Street.

Jerelen Jowell was appointed social chairman and Joyce Howell, reporter.

A program was presented including piano numbers, "Three Little Chicks" by Gerald Fitzgerald, "The Swan and the Butterfly" by Jane Ann Edwards, "Polly Wolly Doodle" and "Dreamboat" by Retta Hazlip, "Sonatina" by Linda Sue Will-gess, "Bach's Minuet" and "Dance of the Spooks" by Sidney Smith. Two violin numbers, "Now the Day is Over" and "Merrily", were played by Joel Smith.

Others present were Dorothy Rotan, Gifford Alstrin, David Stubbeman, Charles Ratliff, Mike Pat-ton, Larry Clark, Lynette Howell,

**PARTY COMPLIMENTS JIMMY PATTERSON**  
Mrs. R. L. Patterson, 1500 West Washington Avenue, entertained her son, Jimmy, with a party on his fourth birthday, Friday.

Mrs. Patterson was assisted by Mrs. Charles Robinson.

Favors were candy and balloons. Present were Janie and Alvin Westerbe, Donna Kay and Billy Colvin, Claudia and Charles Kuykendall, Robbie Robinson, David Ellis, Terry Sue Warner and Jo Anna Patterson.

LaVone Clark, Billy Jowell and Joyce Howell.

Mrs. Charles Edwards served refreshments.

The next meeting will be in two weeks in the home of Jerry Fitzgerald, 1803 West Illinois Avenue, at 7 p. m.

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# WILSON'S





**Scout Commissioner To Attend Course In Mineral Wells**

Mrs. C. E. Bissell, Midland Girl Scout Commissioner, will leave Sunday to attend a Girl Scout Council members' course in Mineral Wells March 3 to March 8. Instruction will be given by Alice Mulkey, training adviser, and Lucille Douglass, field advisor. The course is for council members to learn how a Council plans its work, how committees function, how jobs are correlated and how boards and leaders work together.

**BISSELL TO DALLAS**

C. E. (Bud) Bissell, Midland insurance agent, will leave Monday on a business trip to Dallas. He will be gone about a week.

**Mrs. W. Goodrich Hejl, Mrs. J. C. Hejl Honored At Spring Tea Given By Mrs. W. F. Hejl, Friday**

Mrs. W. Goodrich Hejl and Mrs. J. C. Hejl were complimented with a tea when Mrs. W. F. Hejl entertained Friday afternoon at her home, 704 West Louisiana Avenue. Mrs. J. C. Hejl recently moved to Midland from Abilene and Mrs. W. Goodrich Hejl has been living here a year.

W. Goodrich and J. C. Hejl are sons of Mrs. W. F. Hejl. A Spring theme was featured in decorations and the tea table was centered with a bouquet of multi-colored sweetpeas.

Mrs. L. A. Kuykendall and Mrs. Steve Debnam poured the first hour and Mrs. Alden Golladay and

Mrs. O. H. Jones, the second. Favours of miniature bouquets of Spring flowers were presented to guests.

The buffet was centered with a bouquet of white sweetpeas with a fan-shape arrangement of colored candles in back of the flowers and with a mirror background.

Incidental piano music was furnished by Mrs. Woody Holden, Mrs. J. B. Elder and Mrs. E. C. Hitchcock.

Also in the houseparty were Mrs. A. G. Bohannon and Mrs. F. D. Howe.

The hostess and honorees wore purple iris corsages and members of the houseparty wore corsages of

**STAG PARTY HONORS TWELVE-YEAR-OLD**

Billy Sommers was the honoree Friday evening at a stag birthday party in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Felix Sommers, 607 South Weatherford Avenue. Sommers was 12 years old.

A wailer roast was the entertainment feature. Guests were Robert and Donald Webb, Felix and Johnny Sommers, Richard, Bartley and Milton Jones, Tom Whatley, Russell and Jimmy Cox, Larry and Bill Mayfield, Harry and Atebell Felts, Clinton Hamilton, Gregory Lovelady, Clyde Smith, and R. W. Hamilton.

white and yellow daisies, blue cornflowers and white daisies or white carnations.

Approximately 50 attended.

**Midland Club Women To Attend District Meet At Indian Lodge**

Club women of Midland will meet with members of eighth district clubs at Indian Lodge in a convention Tuesday and Wednesday.

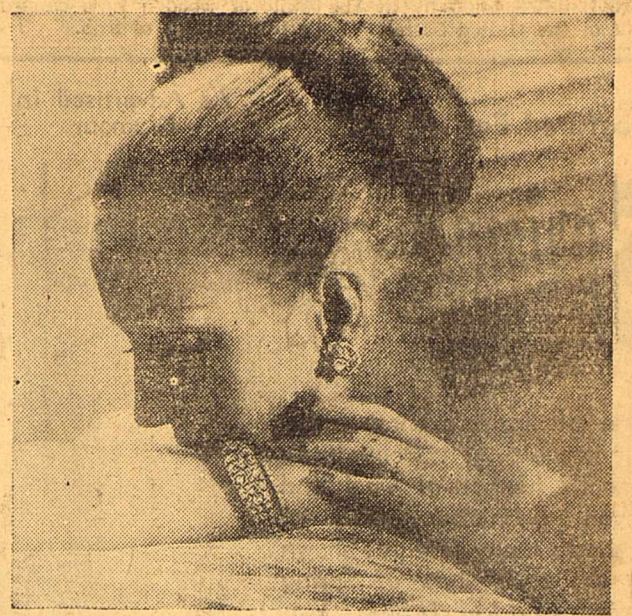
The theme of the annual convention is "Guarding Our Heritage" with Mrs. L. G. Byerley of Midland as program chairman.

Mrs. Volney Taylor of Brownsville, treasurer of the Texas General Federation of Women's Clubs and a candidate for secretary, and Ethel Foster of Sterling City will be guest speakers. Mrs. Taylor will speak on "Peace Plans Practical" and Miss Foster will discuss "Golden Jubilee." The federation celebrates its golden jubilee this year.

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge of Midland, first vice-president of the state federation, will represent the president, Mrs. Florence Scott.

Yearly club reports will be made and prizes will be presented for the best scrapbooks and yearbooks.

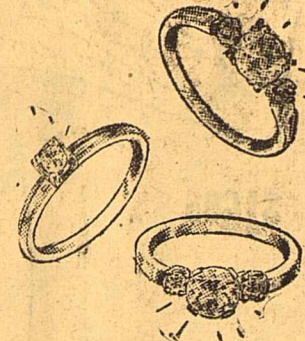
Those who will attend from Midland are Mrs. Foy Proctor, Mrs. Robert M. Turpin, Mrs. Nelson Puett, Mrs. C. M. Goldsmith, Mrs. Hodge, Mrs. B. R. Schabaram, Mrs. Raymond Leggett, Mrs. W. H. Rhodes, Mrs. W. G. Epley, newly elected president of the Midland City-County Federation, Mrs. John B. Mills, Mrs. Ernest T. Neill president of the Midland Federation, Mrs. M. S. Dickerson, Mrs. J. M. Devereux, Mrs. J. O. Hyde and Mrs. Paul Crandell of Rankin, who will go with the Midland delegation.



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**Vernell Kinard Carl Robinette Marriage Is Read**

Vernell Kinard of Midland and Carl Robinette of Strasburg, Ohio, were married February 22 in a ceremony read by the Rev. Howard Howell, pastor, in the First Methodist Church. The church was decorated with large baskets of gladioli.

The bride wore a blue suit with black accessories and a gladiola corsage. For something old, she wore a penny in her shoe; for something new and blue, her suit; and for something borrowed, a black handkerchief belonging to Mrs. H. E. Phillips of Midland.

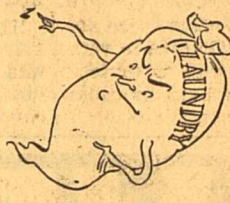
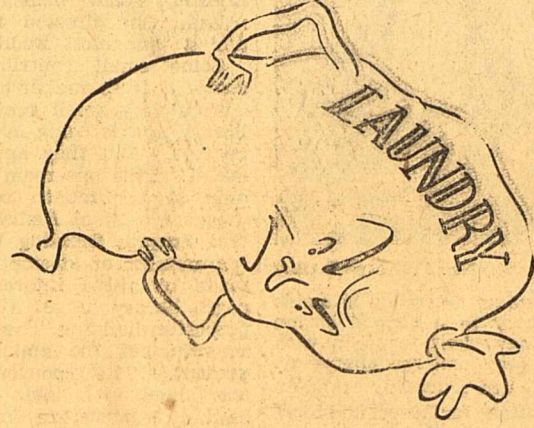
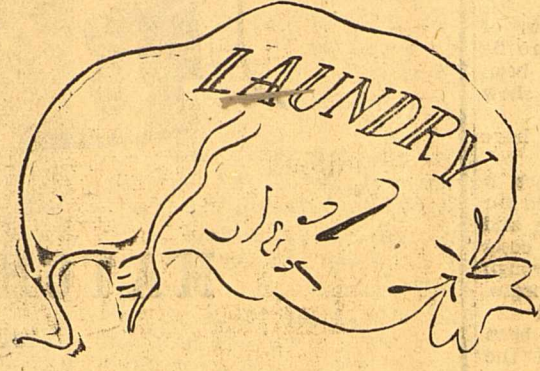
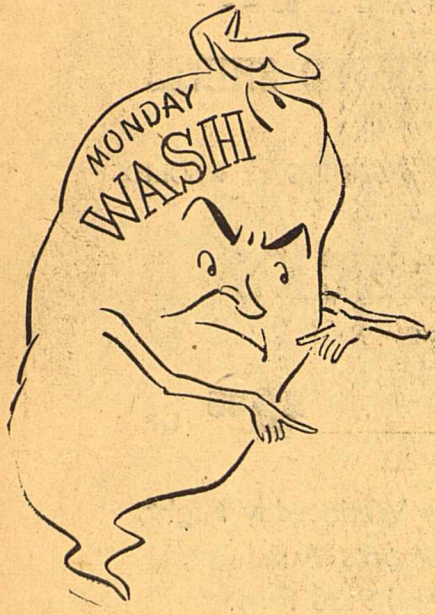
Jo Carman Kinard of Midland, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. Westland Deuel served as best man.

Miss Kinard wore a pink suit with black accessories and a white carnation corsage.

The couple went on a short wedding trip to Carlsbad, N. M., and live at 300 North Baird Avenue. A reception was held at their home following the ceremony.

The bride is employed by W. D. and R. S. Anderson, independent geologists of Midland. The bridegroom is a corporal stationed at the Midland Municipal Airport.

Our truck will be in Midland each Wednesday. Leave calls at MIDLAND HDWE. & FUR. CO. or BARKOW FUR. CO.

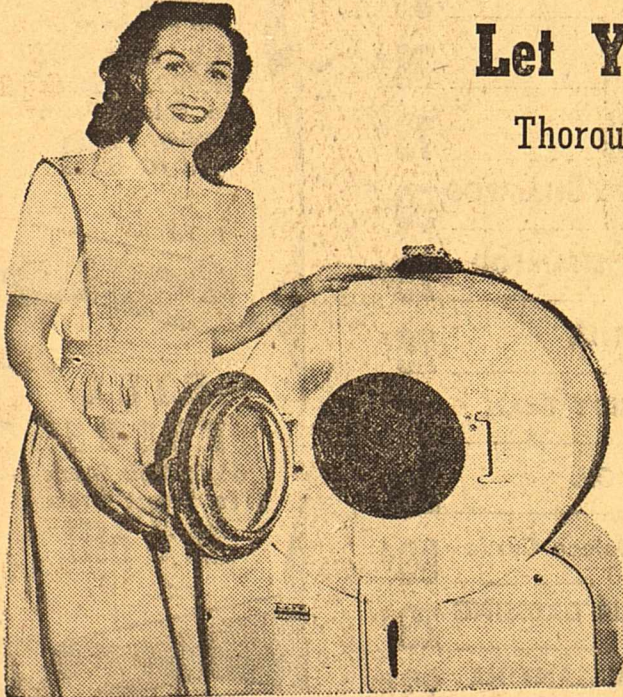
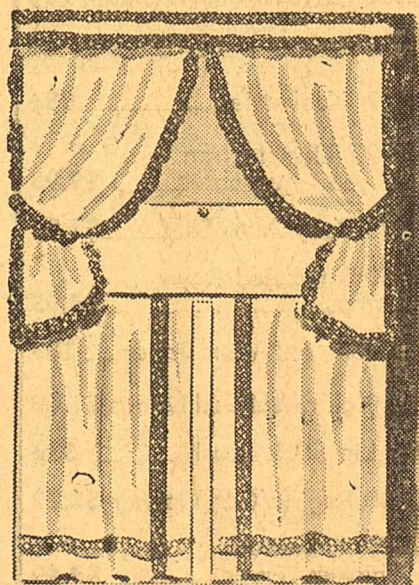


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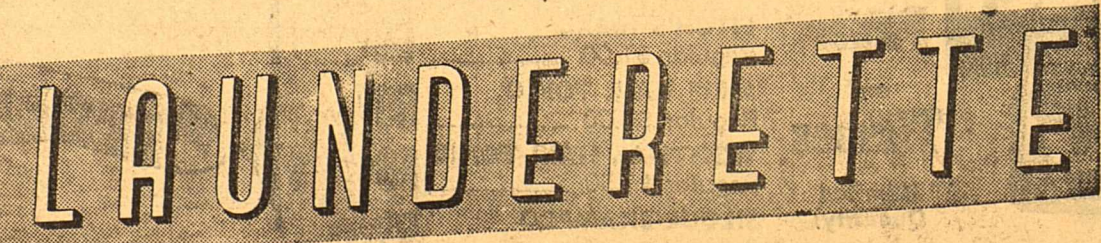
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### Striped Highlight



Photo courtesy New York Dress Institute

Pointed peplum extending into side skirt drapery in a striped cotton dress. A navy belt tones in with the blue, grey and red chambray. STRIPES are a leading trend in new cotons for Resort and Summer this year. New York designers have used stripes from pencil line to floor-board width or anywhere in between, as in the smart-looking chambray dress shown. You'll find striped chambray, poplin and pique used in such fascinating ways that the stripe itself somewhat dictates the shape of the dress. An evening dress with the stripes spread in rays as the full skirt widens, and a sundress of vertical striped cotton with a shoulder cape of bias-stripes are examples. And for a brighter day at the office there are beautifully tailored dresses in various colored stripes with "stairstep" necklines, boat necklines or collar and cuffs of stripes on the bias.

### Struggle For Negro Library Kept Alive

By TANNER LAINE

It's a struggle, but negroes of Midland have a library and ambitions are for even better facilities.

They are raising money for a library building of some kind. It is a cooperative effort. It is the story of a fight against odds and each of them has to help. Help from others is needed also.

The city has granted a location. It is a lot on a park site. The Midland City-County Library has 600 volumes ready for the negro library when it is built and is large enough.

\$425.50 Raised  
About \$425.50 has been obtained toward building or buying a building for the library. The Midland City-County Library gave \$100 it had obtained in fines and rents on books. Walter Cadd, a negro soldier, gave \$60 toward the library. And the negro Chamber of Commerce gave some money.

Largely through the efforts of Mildred Jordan, volunteer negro librarian, some money has been raised. She directed a style show and a womanless wedding.

Some small contributions have come in from individuals.

In a very small rented space, a library now is being maintained for negroes. And they appreciate and use it. This one-room affair costs only \$1 per month rent through the generosity of Henry Lee, negro.

War Surplus Building Wanted  
A number of attempts have been made by those interested in the negro library to get a war surplus properties building. These have been in vain but the ambition still is present. The sponsors and the users hope to be able to get some kind of a structure from Midland Army Airfield some day.

### Kermit Churches Observe Prayer Day

KERMIT—World Day of Prayer was observed here recently at the Community Church with five Kermit churches represented. The program began at 10:30 a. m., and a covered dish luncheon was served during the noon hour. Approximately 75 persons attended.

The afternoon program began at 1:30 o'clock and after its close tea was served. The church was decorated with primroses, rosebuds, carnations, and gladioli.



One of Spring's most popular casuals . . . Debutante's smooth jumper of wool and rayon gabardine. One of United's many features shown in the style show of Spring fashions on March 5th.

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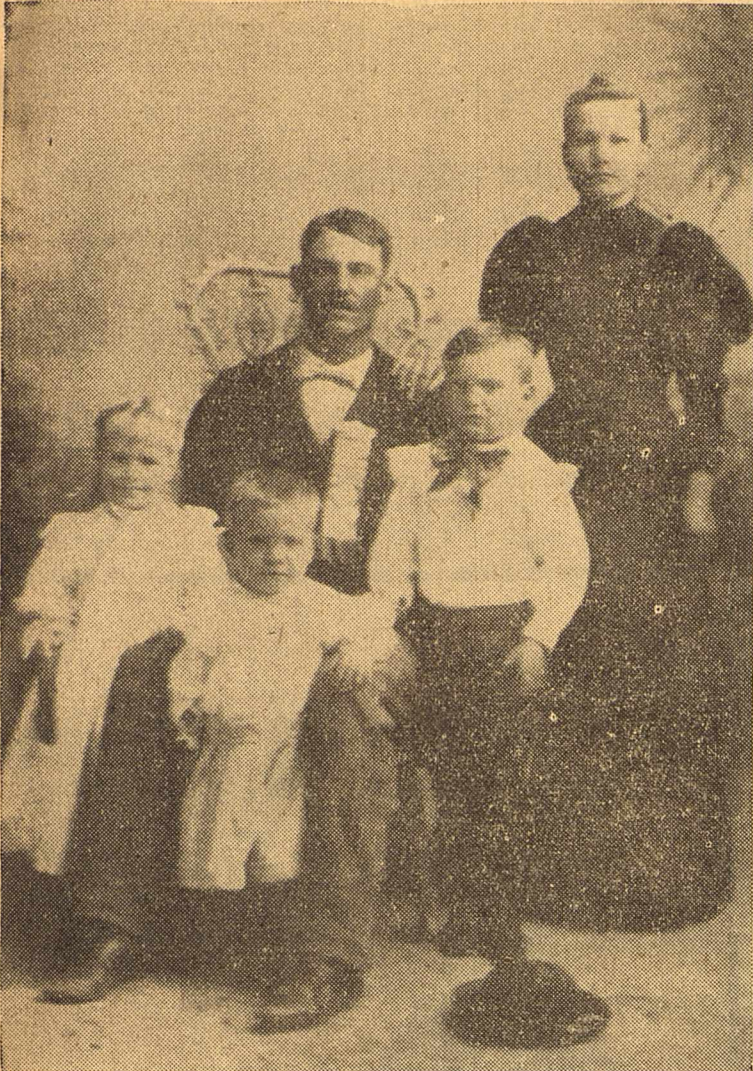
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SECTION FOUR

## Widow Of 'Windy Bill' Wilkinson Tells Of Early Days On Texas Prairies

### Stanton Woman, 71, Says Airplane Ride Smoother Than Buckboard

By CROM HOLMES  
Staff Writer

STANTON—Pioneers never get too old to try new tricks.

Sixty-four years ago Mrs. W. M. (Windy Bill) Wilkinson of Stanton came to the wild prairies of West Texas, at the age of seven, with her father to help settle the West. They traveled to Stonewall County, three counties northeast of Midland County, from Comanche County—by wagon.

The other day she flew to Ponca City, Okla., to visit her son, A. C. Wilkinson, with the pipe line division of the Continental Oil Company.

"Airplanes are not much different from cars," said the 71-year-old pioneer on

her return to Stanton. "But they're a lot smoother than buckboards which we used in the olden days in West Texas."

Mrs. Wilkinson, who has lived in Stanton the last 41 years, is the widow of the late "Windy Bill" Wilkinson, who became internationally known as the square dance caller in Larry Chittenden's poem "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball."

Mrs. Wilkinson said her late husband, who died on Father's Day six years ago, thought all the publicity he got as a character in the most widely known West Texas poem "was a lot of tom-foolery."

He called the square dances for the original Cowboys Christmas Ball at the Morning Star Hotel in Anson, Jones County, in 1885. After their marriage in 1891, he refused to return to the ball, except on one occasion, on Christmas in 1938.

Mrs. Wilkinson did not meet "Windy Bill" at the Cowboys' Christmas Ball—but got to know him as a neighborhood cowboy in Stonewall County. Wilkinson was a cowboy on the Capt. W. E. "Whit" Rainer ranch and worked at times on the SMS (Swenson's) Ranch at Stamford.

She had known him two years when they were married in the little town of Rainer, Stonewall County, when she was only 15. Wilkinson was already well known through the publicity he got in Chittenden's poem, and had a book of Chittenden's works, including "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball," at the time of their wedding.

**Popular With Ladies**

She admits the girls thought he was quite the dude of his day—and she especially so.

On the wall of the living room in her two-story white home in Stanton hangs a large frame containing "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball," and two photographs—one of "Windy Bill" when he was 27, and the other of Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson and three of their children, taken July 18, 1898. (See pictures on this page).

"My husband did not get the name 'Windy Bill' because he was the kind to tell a lot of windy stories," Mrs. Wilkinson said. "He got the name because he never

stopped calling out steps for square dancers at a dance. He called all night without stopping.

Mrs. Wilkinson said square dances were not held as often in the late 1800s and early 1900s as most persons seem to think, although dancing was about the only type of entertainment available at the time.

**Ranch Houses Far Apart**

"The ranch houses were too far apart and it took a long time to travel by horseback and in buckboards," she said. The ranch folks got up the dances about every two or three weeks—but sometimes longer apart, she said. The big dances were held on holidays such as Christmas and the Fourth of July.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson ranched 11 years at Rainer before settling on land in Yoakum County at a little town called Silgo, 10 miles east of the New Mexico border. Both Rainer and Silgo are now ghost towns. Rainer withering away when the county seat was moved to Aspermont, and Silgo dying a slow death. After three years in Yoakum County, the Wilkinsons moved to Stanton in 1906 to educate their children.

Stanton was a lively West Texas cattle shipping town at the time—known for its schools. Midland was a small village lying 20 miles to the west.

**In Business At Stanton**

Wilkinson was in the grocery and ranching business at Stanton until his retirement a few years before his death six years ago—except for two years of ranching in Dawson County.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary on February 9, 1941, and The Stanton Reporter put out a special edition on the occasion.

School children at Stanton often memorize "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball" in their study of American poetry. It is studied in most Texas

### 'Windy Bill'



This photograph of the late W. M. (Windy Bill) Wilkinson of Stanton was taken at Anson, Jones County, in 1889, just four years after he called the original "Cowboys' Christmas Ball" in 1885.

schools which have courses pertaining to frontier days in West Texas.

During the Texas Centennial in 1936, officials of the celebration tried in every way possible, but without success, to get "Windy Bill" to go to Dallas and call a square dance. They finally offered him all expenses for himself and family and \$25 a day to call one dance each day, but Wilkinson thought it a lot of foolishness and didn't go.

**Attend 1938 Christmas Ball**

In 1938 officials at Anson tried by telegram and letter to get him to come for the Christmas Ball. But, again, he refused. A day before the three-day celebration was to start, a man arrived from Anson in a big car. He got no where in trying to persuade "Windy Bill" to go to Anson—until Mrs. Wilkinson spoke

up and said, "Paw-na, I've heard so much about the Christmas Ball, I want to go."

"If you feel that way, Mother, we'll go," Wilkinson said. And they did.

"Four of the women and a lot of the men who attended the original ball in 1885 were there," Mrs. Wilkinson recalled.

"We were treated like kings and queens and had a grand time," she said. "Our pictures were taken and many reporters interviewed us."

That was the only time "Windy Bill" ever went back. He just wanted to live quietly among his many friends in Stanton.

**Chief Character In Poem**

Being the caller, Wilkinson was the chief character in Chittenden's poem.

Wilkinson was introduced in the poem as follows:

"The leader was a feller that came from Swenson's Ranch. They called him 'Windy Billy,' from 'Little Deafman's Branch.' The rig was 'kinder keeless,' big spur and high-heeled boots; He had the reputation that comes when 'fellers shoots.'"

"His voice was like a bugle upon the mountain's heights; His feet were animated an' a mighty movin' sight."

"When he commenced to holler, 'Neow fellers, stake yer pen! 'Lock horns ter all them heifers, an' rassel 'em like men"

"Saloot yer lovely critter; neow swing an' let 'em go. 'Climb the grape vine 'round 'em —all hands do-ee-do!"

"You Mavericks, line the round-up—jest skip her waterfall! 'Huh! hit was gettin' happy, The Cowboys' Christmas Ball."

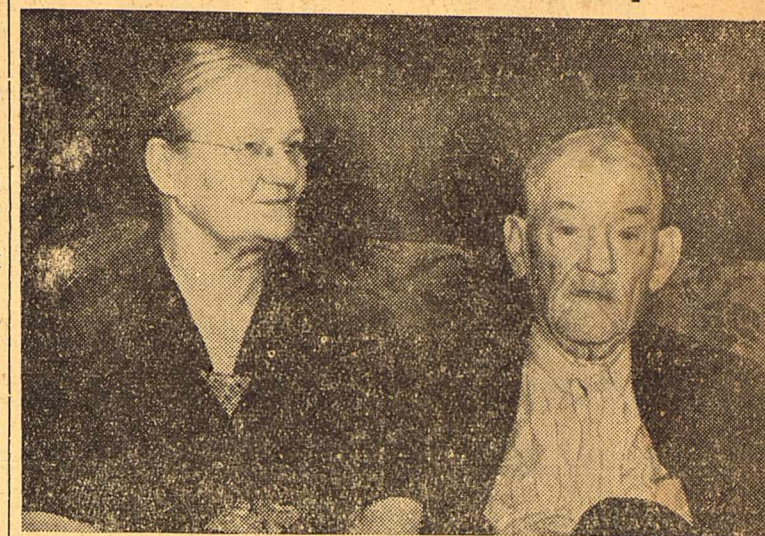
After more of "Windy Bill's" calling, the poem says Wilkinson was the best caller of his time and compares him to a caller named McAllister:

"Give me a frontier break-down, backed up by 'Windy Bill.' 'McAllister ain't nowhar! when 'Windy' leads the show, I've seen 'em both in harness, and so I sorter know—"

"Oh, Bill, I shan't forget yer, and I'll oftentimes recall, That lively gaited sworray—'The Cowboy's Christmas Ball.'"

West Texans attended the dance from a 40 or 50 mile radius from Anson. They piled in from Stamford. (Continued on page 5)

### Wilkinsons On 50th Anniversary



This picture of Mrs. and the late W. M. (Windy Bill) Wilkinson was taken on Feb. 9, 1941, as the couple celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary. Wilkinson died shortly afterward. He was noted as the dance caller at Anson's first Cowboy's Christmas Ball in 1885. The ball was made famous through Larry Chittenden's poem, "The Cowboy's Christmas Ball."



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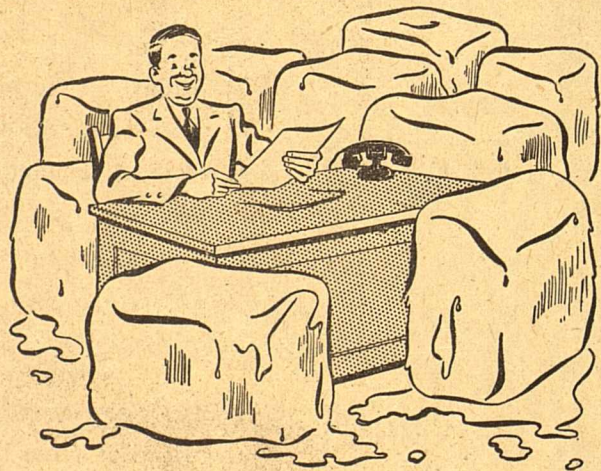
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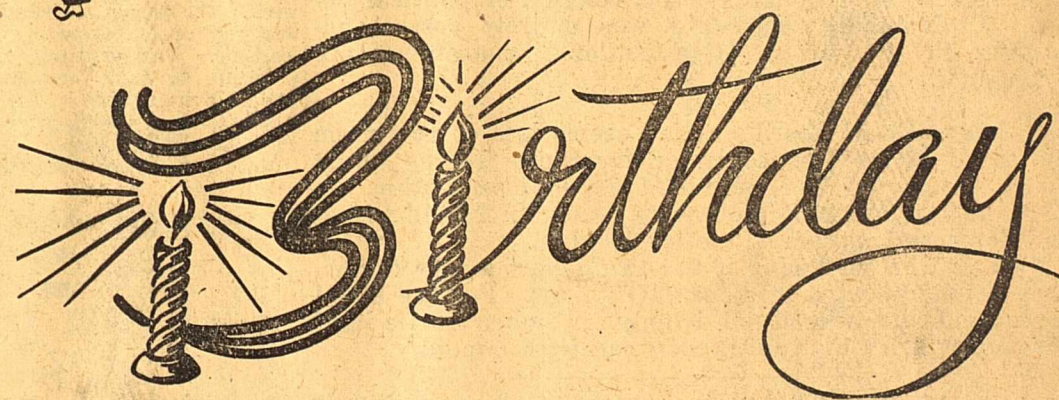
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## First Chicken Home

The first chicken of the CIO "compromise" with its Communist element seems to have come home to roost in Bridgeport, Conn.

There a local of the United Electric, Radio and Machine Workers has had its charter revoked by the general executive board. The charge: expelling 27 members on charges of communism.

It may be remembered that this "compromise" settlement came about at the national CIO convention last Fall, after the internal fight over communism had threatened to bust wide open. President Murray commissioned a group of CIO executives, evenly divided between right- and left-wingers, to draft a resolution. Their resolution stated that CIO members "resent and reject" communistic interference in union affairs.

Murray evidently thought that this mild dose of reproof would be palatable to both sides, yet strong enough to keep any symptoms of serious discord from showing. That may yet prove to be the case. But if this present situation in Bridgeport foreshadows coming events, it will take more than resentment and rejection to scare the Communists away from where they aren't wanted.

The UERMW is and has been for some time a union of notoriously left-wing leadership. Many of its members do not share the leadership's political views. There is a group within the union which is trying to oust the national officers because of their alleged communistic leanings. Thus far the group claims less than a tenth of the national membership. Its efforts at the last UERMW convention got nowhere.

The Bridgeport local elected a panel of anti-Communist officers in December. Early this month the executive board refused to seat a woman who had run for office in November on the Communist ticket. The membership upheld the board's action. A few days later the board expelled the 27 members for communistic activity.

In revoking the local's charter the national executive board ignored the convention's resent-and-reject resolution. It ignored the local's authorization of its board to oust members who also held membership in the Communist Party, the Ku Klux Klan, Columbians, or any other subversive groups.

Instead, the board cited the national's and local's constitutions which forbid discrimination against members because of nationality, race, religion or political belief. Undoubtedly the board was entirely correct according to the letter. Constitutional guarantees are stronger than resolutions.

The national board's action seems less correct from the standpoint of justice and democracy. It has surely aided, comforted and promoted communism within the CIO. It has obviously ignored the freely expressed wishes and democratic action of the local union.

It will be surprising if the Bridgeport local's experience is not repeated in other CIO unions. For the bland resent-and-reject resolution is only an amber traffic light through which Communists may run with impunity.

It's unfortunate that the shortage of soap doesn't cut down the number of soap-box orators.

It's strange how a fat person is always glad to pay a penny to be shocked.

## Sunset



## Bevin's Charge Against Truman Shows British Government's Anxiety Regarding Its Political Future

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin's feverish charge that President Truman spoiled England's negotiations over the Palestine issue last Autumn is highly illuminating—not as regards the Holy Land, to be sure, but as indicating the British government's anxiety regarding its own political future.

Bluntness is one of Bevin's characteristics, but this time he outblunted himself. His rebuke to the President was, to put it mildly, a most unusual development between allies.

Why then did Bevin raise the matter in such combative form on the open floor of the House of Commons several months after the event? The answer, as I see it, isn't hard to find, and it is this: In Serious Difficulties

Prime Minister Attlee's government—trying to turn a new furrow with England's first Socialist plow—finds itself in serious difficulties. The country's economic position is grave, as the government itself has disclosed to the world within the week. The people are enduring an austerity of life exceeding that of wartime. The granting of independence to India and Burma is like an atomic bomb on the empire. There are many other ills, of which the Palestine situation is one.

His opposition, headed by the politically shrewd Winston Churchill, has been blistering the government with charges of bungling. Even as Bevin was addressing Commons, the conservative House of Lords was raising hob with the decision to withdraw from India by June, 1948. And of course the opposition has ridden the Socialists hard over the handling of the Palestine issue.

Discontent Is Showing  
But that's not the whole story. Discontent has been showing itself among the general public which gave the Socialists their majority in the election of 1945.

So we find the Attlee government fighting with back to the wall for its life. Bevin's outburst was part and parcel of that fight—an effort to appease a relentless opposition.

However, socialism is on trial in England, and the record which it makes during the life of this government will determine whether it can survive there. Attlee is battling not only to maintain his position now, but to achieve a record which will continue his party in power at the next election.

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## Hole 'Talks Back' At Phoenix Open

PHOENIX, ARIZ. —(AP)— Contestants in the recent \$10,000 Phoenix Open golf tournament, won for the second year in succession by Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., found one hole that really talked back at them.

It was the 18th. As each player retrieved his ball humorous comments came clearly from the cup. It was an innovation in tournament golf, and both players and spectators thoroughly enjoyed it. A small loudspeaker had been carefully placed in the cup prior to the opening of the tournament. Handling the mike connected with this loudspeaker were Barry Goldwater and Vic Armstrong of Phoenix.

Another innovation was the use of "walkie-talkies" by means of which hole-by-hole scores of the leading players were relayed from the course to the blackboard outside the clubhouse. Fans kept abreast of the hottest players without following them physically about the course.

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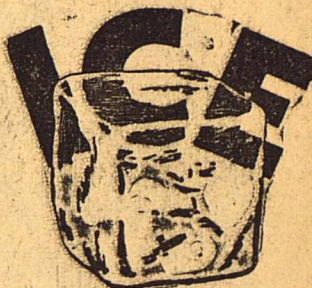
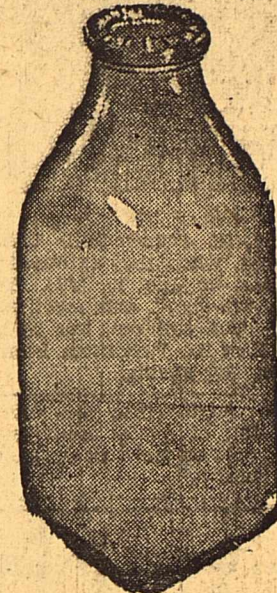
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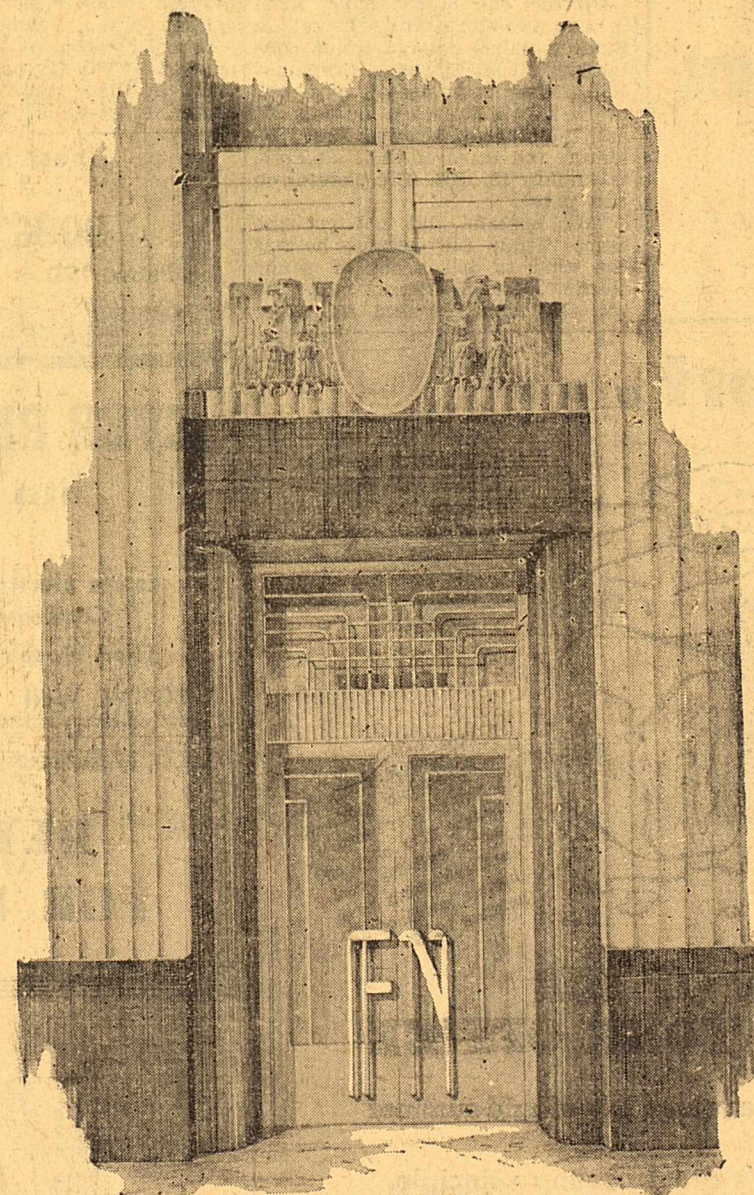
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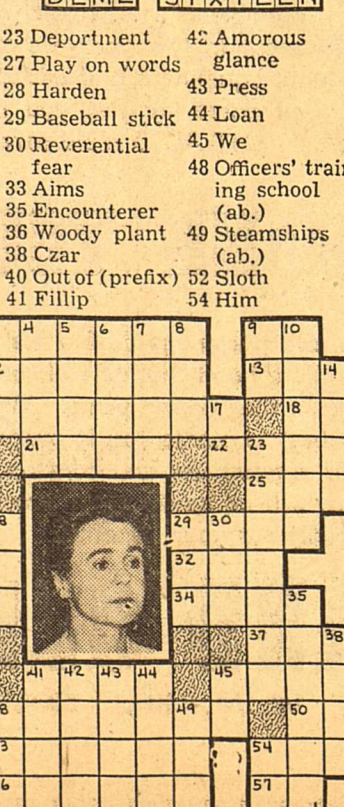
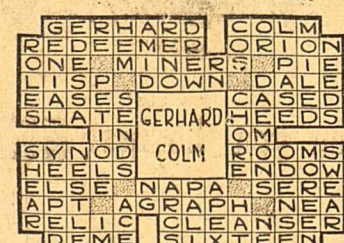
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Plumps for Hard Money



F. E. Gimlett, 82-year-old prospector known in Colorado's mining districts as "The Hermit," is pictured on his 1947 visit to Washington, D. C., where he goes annually to talk "hard money" to Congress. This year he is upset over inflation and says the dollar that was worth 100 cents in 1880 is now worth only eight cents. He wants a return to the use of gold and silver currency.

Little Farms 'Ain't What They Usta Be'

CHICAGO —(P)— That nostalgic vision of a little farm out on the prairie, particularly potent to former farm boys caught in a late afternoon big city traffic rush, will have to undergo revision.

The little farm "ain't what it usta be."

Specifically, it's bigger. Quite a bit bigger and growing all the time. Big time farming received added impetus during the war. That's the report from the Agriculture Department.

The Department has all sorts of statistics on this trend. For example:

1. The average farm is now 50 acres larger than 25 years ago and 20 acres larger than five years ago.

2. Today over half the farm land is in farms of more than 500 acres, compared to only a third of all farm land in 1920.

3. Farms of more than 1,000 acres now account for 40 per cent of the farm land compared with less than 25 per cent in 1920.

Mechanization Made Increase

Why the increase? Mostly, it's mechanization, farm experts agree—pointing out that it

was just 100 years ago this year that Cyrus McCormick came to the mid-west and opened his mechanical reaper plant on the north side of the Chicago river.

Since then, the industrial revolution has been catching up with agriculture.

Walter Carver, agriculture economist for the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, says that it's more economical to operate the large farm.

\$462,000 VALUE PLACED ON SONJA'S TROPHIES

NEW YORK —(P)— Sonja Henie believes she has one of the finest collections in sports in her Beverly Hills, Calif., home. The collection includes 450 trophies and medals valued at \$462,000.

She is the only woman who holds the cross of the knighthood of the first class of the Order of St. Olav. She received the decoration from the Norwegian government for outstanding accomplishment.

Careless parking causes more passenger car tires failures than does fast driving.

Workers Year-Round Wage Might Reduce Total Employment

WASHINGTON —(P)— Dr. A. D. H. Kaplan, Washington economist, said here that if all industry or key industries were required to guarantee employees a year-round wage, one result would be lower "real income" for both labor and capital.

He made this contention in a survey prepared for the Brookings Institution, a private research organization, which made it public.

The idea of an annual guaranteed wage is one which has received increasing support in recent years from labor unions. President Truman has a commission studying it.

Kaplan said that while the problems vary greatly from industry to industry, the over-all result would be an actual reduction of total employment.

Make Cut-Throats

Among other things, he said, enforced guarantees would:

1. Throw small and highly competitive business into cut-throat competition, because they would have to meet pay rolls out of current funds instead of drawing on long-range reserves available to big companies.

2. Lead to higher prices when business is brisk, and intensify price-cutting in order to meet fixed overhead when business slackens.

3. Build up resistance against new or expanding business that requires taking on additional employees.

4. Require controls to prevent new and improved industrial development from entering into on-

Britain Draws \$1,000,000

WASHINGTON —(P)— Britain has drawn another \$1,000,000 in cash from the \$3,750,000,000 credit loan advanced last July, Treasury records disclose.

This brought total withdrawals to \$900,000,000 in the seven months since the loan was made.

'100' CLUB GROWS

MONTREAL —(P)— Six new players in the National Hockey League have gained admission to the loop's "100 Goal" club. Sixteen active players now have denied National League nets 100 times during their careers. Three players from Boston, Chicago and Montreal; two from Toronto and New York; and one from Detroit make up the select circle.

flit with lines already obligated to support full pay rolls.

5. Tend toward the enfranchisement of industrial monopolies whose primary goal would not be more goods for less money but the stabilizing of employment for their respective labor forces.

Divided On Issue

Kaplan said organized labor is divided on the annual wage issue, with the newer and war-expanded unions generally favoring the proposal, while the older craft unions are against it.

"Where the elimination of period mass hiring and firing would be a boon to workers in one industry," he said, "the elimination of temporary employees would destroy important areas of employment that depend on workers whose annual wages come from two or more seasonal or dove-tailed occupations."

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Highest temperature ever recorded in the United States was 134 degrees, on the edge of Death Valley, Calif.

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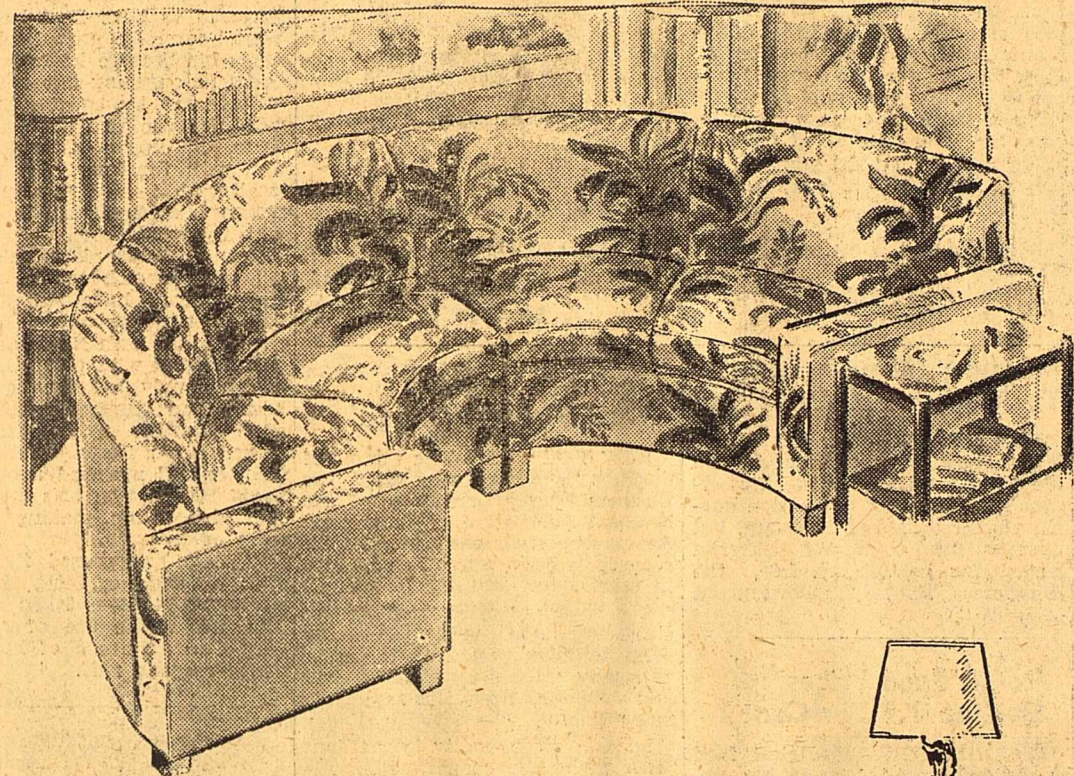
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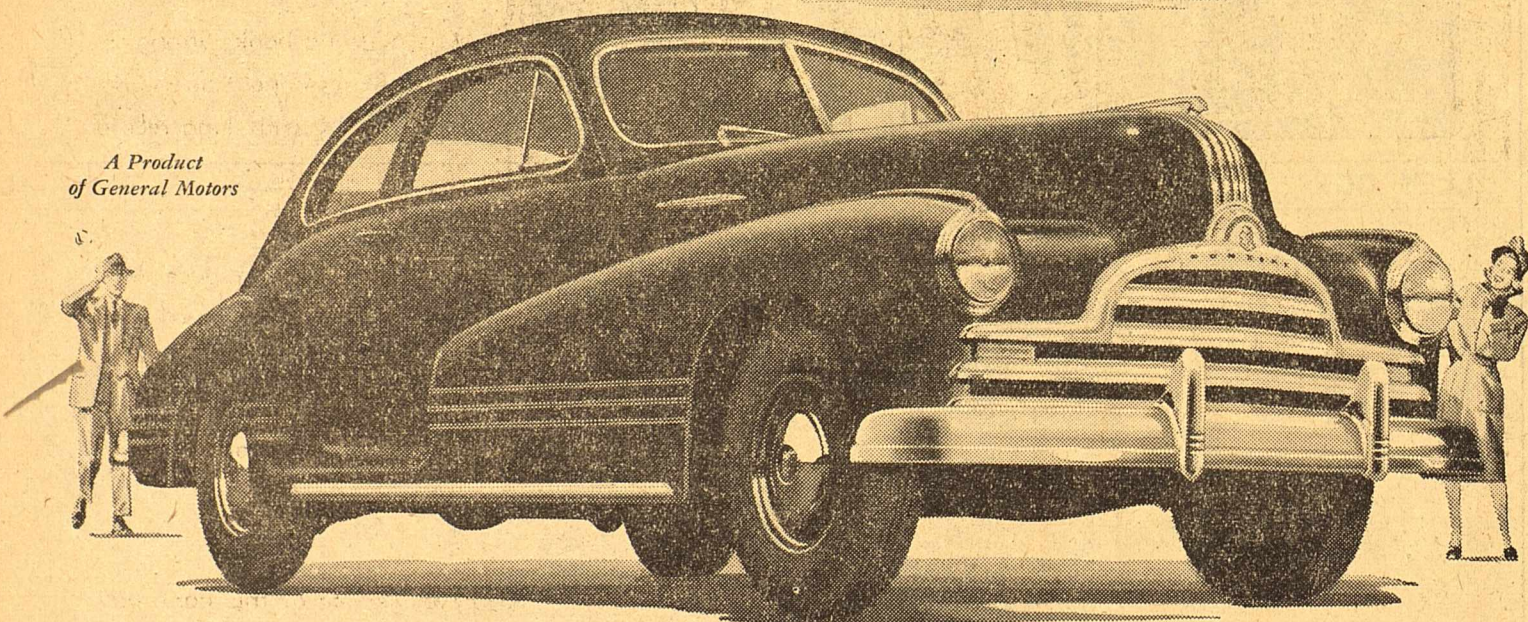
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# Take the Laughter

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**THE STORY:** Sherry and Mona rent a cottage together in one of Hill Country's beautiful cottages. She works in an insurance office and is making a play for her married boss, George Brothers. Sherry keeps home, wants to write, worries about Mona's interest in Brothers. After supper one evening, there is a knock on the door. A strange young man is standing outside. He wants to borrow an onion. Sherry says: "Of course. Won't you come in?"

Sandro with broad shoulders and a military bearing. He was annoyed. He said, "I'm sorry to bother you, but is Sandro Duval here?" Sherry said yes, and then, "Won't you come in?" Tony stepped in and glared at Sandro. "Is that the onion for the stew?" he wanted to know. Sandro handed him the onion. He said, "And this is Miss Sherry Lynne, who so kindly supplied it, Anthony Dietrich."

HE nodded gravely and stepped in and closed the door. In a moment Sherry returned with the onion. The young man accepted it. He said, "I thank you from my heart's bottom," very gravely. "But I should have told you! I am Sandro Duval. We live down at the end."

TONY'S heels clicked as he made a brief bend from the waist, and for the first time he really saw Sherry. He said, "I'm sorry to follow him like this, but he forgets things."

Sherry smiled. "Of course! And you have three cats and a dog. The manager told me." Sandro looked pleased that they had been discussed. "I'm Sherry Lynne," she said. "You're French, aren't you?" Sandro said yes. "I have been here 14 months though," he went on. "My father taught English at the university at home. That is why I speak it so good."

"That's perfectly all right," Sherry told him, but she thought, "And you wouldn't! Not ever. You'd remember if people were waiting for you and you'd worry about it." Sandro said, "Tony is Austrian. Viennese. But he speaks English good also." Tony laughed. It was sudden and infectious. "He thinks he hasn't any accent," he told Sherry. "It's worse than mine."

He seemed very pleased about that. "My name is Allesandro," he explained, "but here in America one does not have time for it." He sat down on the davenport. It was 10 minutes later that the knocker banged again and Sandro sprang to his feet. "That will be for me," he said. "I have a feeling." And Sherry opened the door to Tony. He was slightly shorter than

"Do you want to eat or not?" After they had gone, Sherry closed the door and for a moment she stood and thought about Tony. He was not so classically handsome as Sandro, but she thought him more attractive. They were probably the same age, but Tony was a man. She liked his chin and the strong sweep of his jaw. She smiled when she remembered his laugh. Then she went into the bedroom. Mona was finishing the last cuff and looked up with cool amusement. "What happened?" she wanted to know. "It sounded like the

League of Nations." Sherry smiled. She said, "They wanted an onion. They live at the end. One's Tony and one's Sandro. They're the ones who have three cats and a dog." Mona said, "Sounds fascinating," and bit off her thread.

LATER, when they were in bed, Sherry moved near Mona in the dark. "Mona—" she began slowly—"don't you think it was funny that Mr. Brothers didn't get out and open the car door for you?" There was silence for a minute, and in a rush of panic Sherry wondered if Mona was going to be angry. Then Mona's voice came cool and impersonally through the darkness. "There was a problem. There might be a slam in the hand, and on the other hand, the spade suit might be bunched against him."

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Now a careless player might have led another club to dummy and North would have ruffed it, defeating the contract. But Head realized that both North and South were marked with plenty of hearts, so he simply led the queen of hearts and trumped with the six of spades. The nine of spades was played back, North went in with the ace and returned another diamond. Head won this and cashed him high trump, making the contract of five-odd.

## McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority (Written for NEA Service)

Today's hand was played by Cecil Head of New York when he and his teammates won the Northeastern team-of-four championship. When South jumped to four hearts and West went to five clubs, Head was confronted with quite a problem. There might be a slam in the hand, and on the other hand, the spade suit might be bunched against him.

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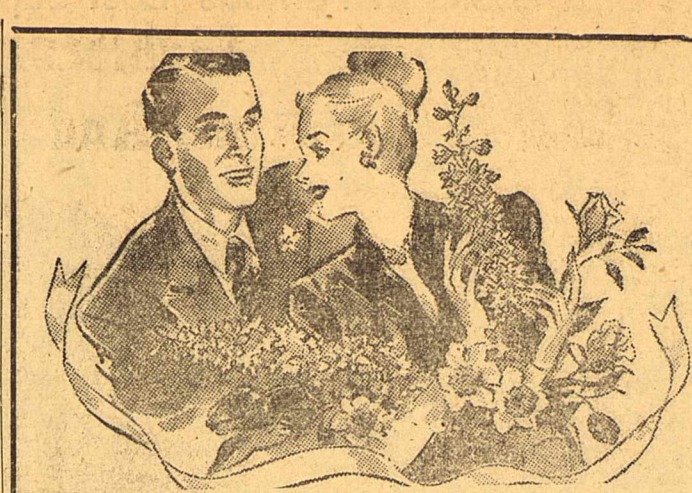
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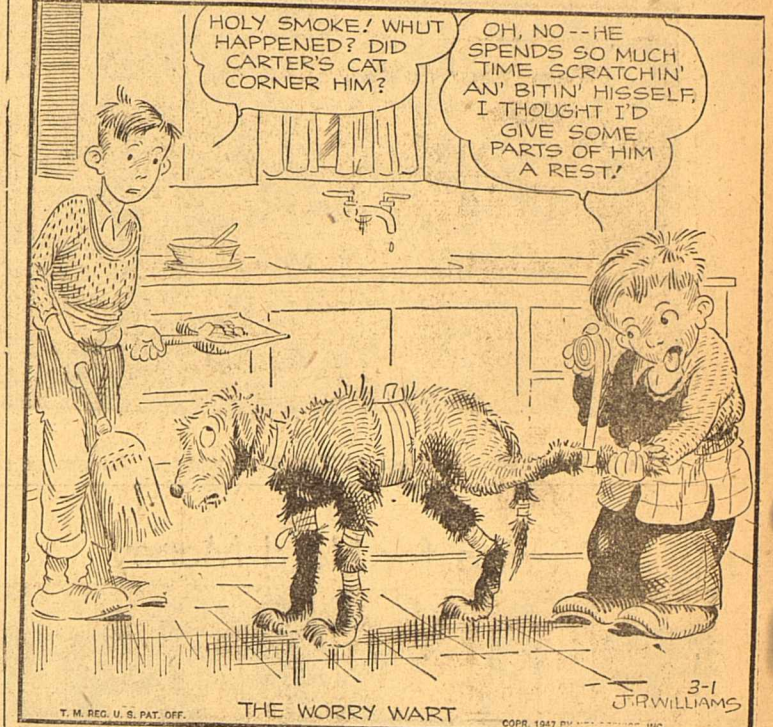
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MEASLES? IT'S THE PLAGUE TO THEM

THE WORRY WART

### Bakers Will Begin Negotiations March 4

DALLAS —(P)—Negotiations for renewal of a blanket agreement covering an estimated 450 bakers and helpers in all the major Dallas bread bakeries and cake shops will begin March 4. C. G. Hamlin, business representative of the Bakery Workers, Union, Local No. 111-AFL, announced.

### February German Farm To Market Deliveries Lag

BERLIN —(P)—Another 124,600 metric tons of food arrived from the United States for the British-American Zones of occupation during the first half of February, but German farm-to-market deliveries lagged far behind schedule, the American Military Government said.

### Business Volumes 'Continue Very Good'

NEW YORK —(P)—The volume of business "continues very good," the Business Survey Committee of the National Association of Purchasing Agents reported, with declines in some lines being offset by advances in others.

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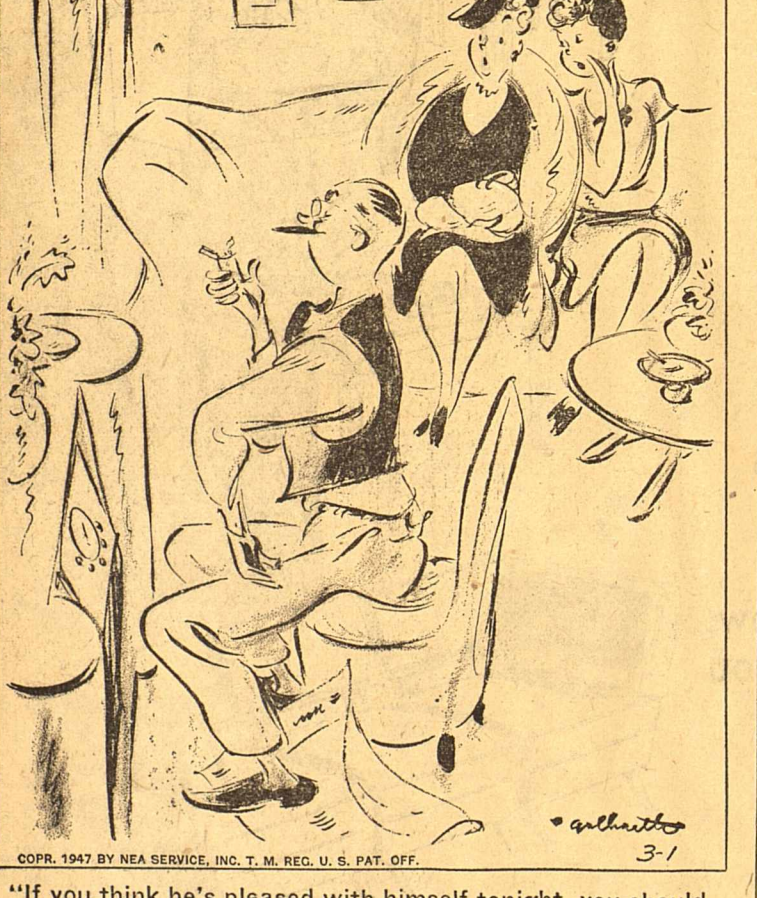
### Retail Food Prices Decline 1.1 Per Cent

WASHINGTON —(P)—Retail food prices declined 1.1 per cent between mid-December and mid-January, but remained 41 per cent higher than a year ago, the Bureau of Labor Statistics reported.

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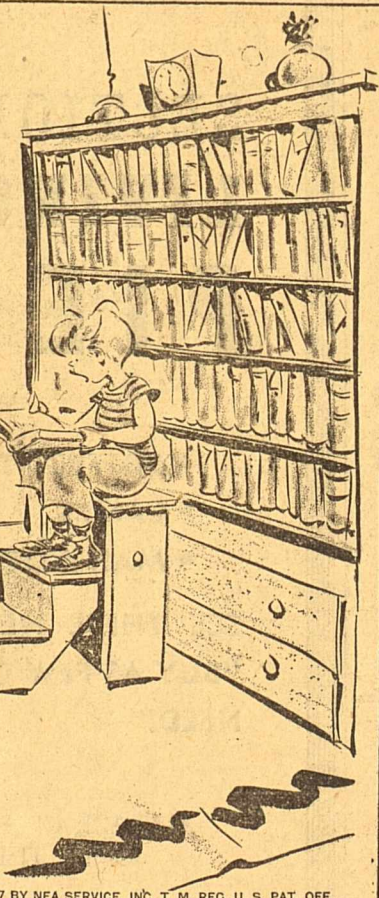
"If you think he's pleased with himself tonight, you should see him on the nights when he answers all the questions ahead of the contestants!"

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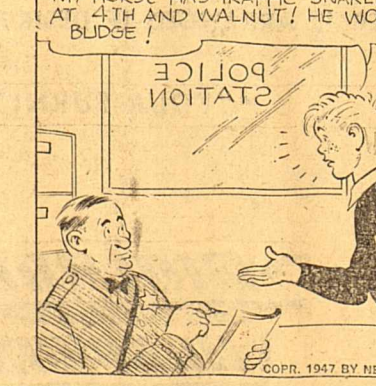
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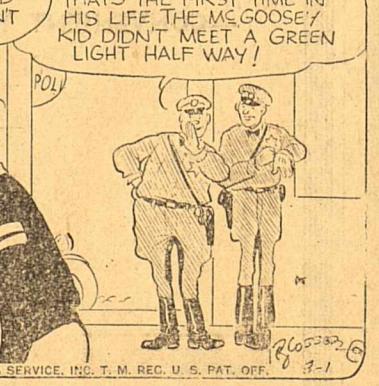
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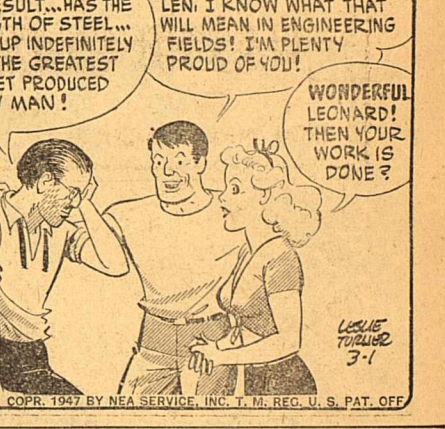
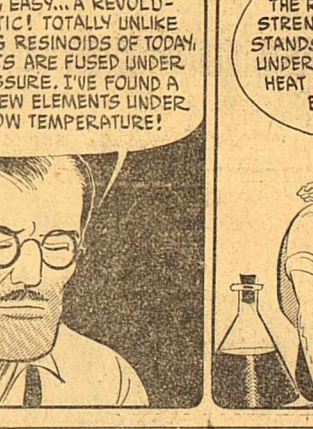
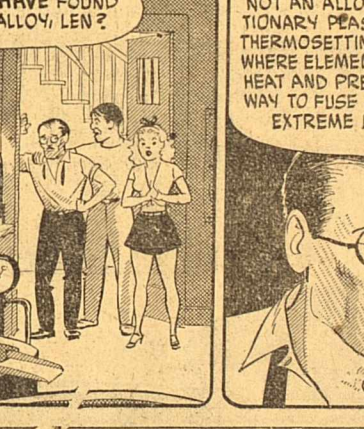
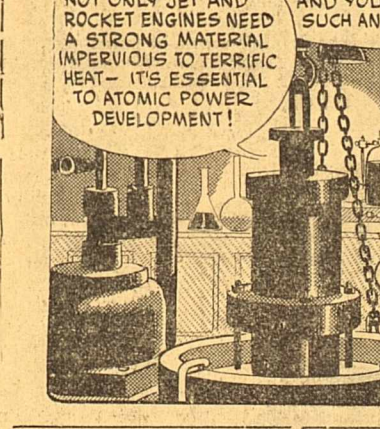


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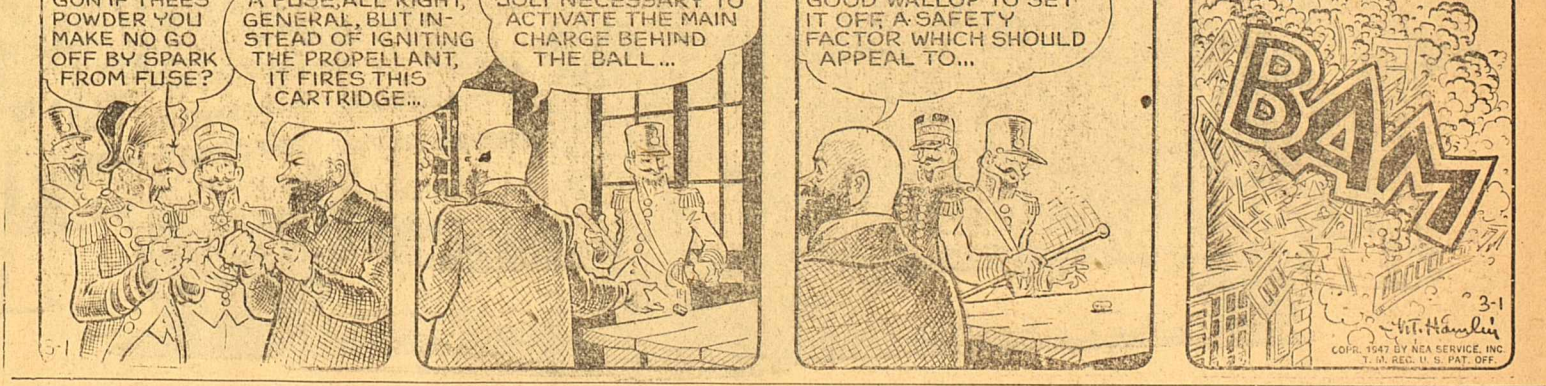


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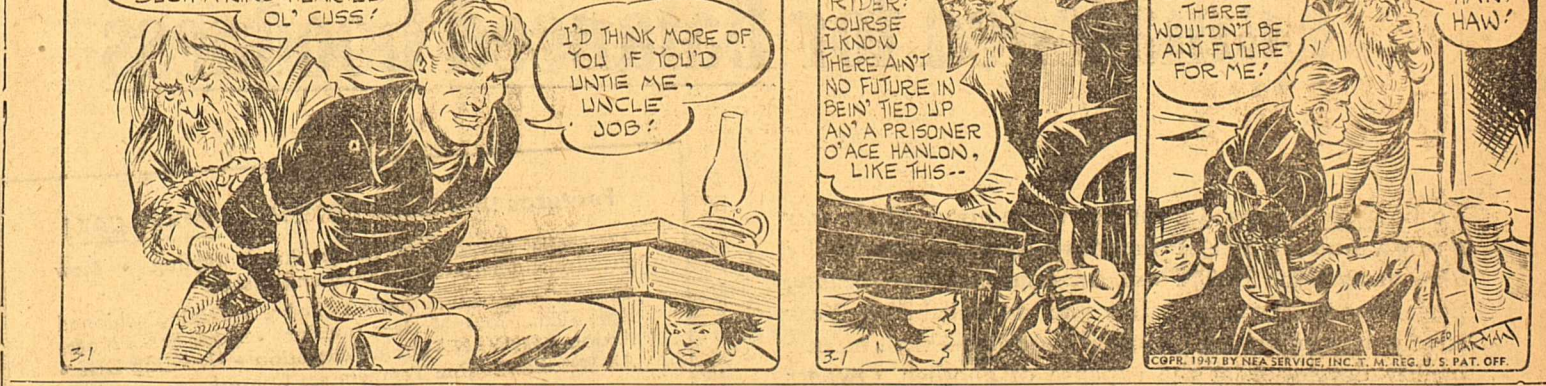
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**Track Suits Run Without Runners**

SPRINGFIELD, OHIO—(P)—The "thin clads" of Springfield High School took off on their fastest race recently.

A 50-mile-an-hour storm hit the city, unroofing the house of scholastic Track Coach L. G. Ronemus. The track team's uniforms and equipment, stored in the attic, accompanied the roof.

Ronemus said he recovered most of the equipment, scattered over a 13-block area.

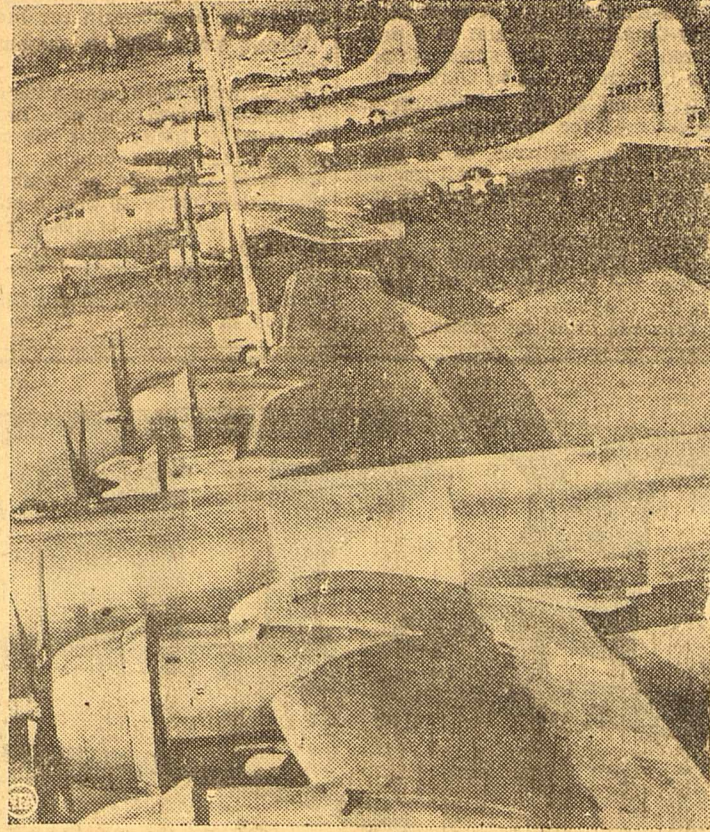
"I wish my high jumpers could boost these shorts this high," he chuckled as he retrieved part of a uniform from the branches of a flowering tree.

**From Flivvers To Fighters In Half Time Is Goal Of New Army And Navy Plan**

By S. BURTON HEATH  
NEW YORK —(NEA)— If another war comes, it will arrive strictly without warning. This country will be its first victim.

The first notice will be bombs or rockets—perhaps atomic—dropping on vital military or industrial installations. We will have to mobilize our war industries under such bombardment. No other nation will be taking the rap while we dawdle about rearmament.

On that theory, the Army and Navy are cooperating with indus-



This picture was seven years in the making: B-29s were lined up for a final assembly plant checkup before heading to war when this picture was made in 1945. But planning of the Superfortress was begun in 1938. New Army-Navy industrial mobilization plan hopes to eliminate any such costly delays in case of future conflict.

try for mobilization plans. Their goal is to cut conversion time in half—radios to radar, flatirons to rocket controls, sedans to interceptor planes.

They realize we cannot remain always prepared for instant total war, with all the planes, tanks, guns, rockets and munitions we need tucked away in arsenals. They know we cannot keep war plants tooled, manned and standing by ready for operation at the throw of a switch.

**Set Up Compromise Goal**

So they have set a compromise goal: to maintain enough armament to repel or check the first surprise attack, and to have industry ready to respond to "go ahead" telegrams at least twice as fast as in 1939.

The Army Air Forces, the Navy Bureau of Aeronautics and the industrial preparedness committee of the Aircraft Industries Association now have the skeleton of a plan, which, with changes in detail, can be applied by the Army-Navy Munitions Board to other key industries.

Because no nation could afford the cost of full preparation against a completely surprise attack, the compromise hopes that a keen Intelligence Service will give us one year's warning that enemy hostilities are probable or possible.

In World War II it took five years, from 1939 to 1944, to achieve maximum production of planes. Though we made a tremendous effort and spent billions of dollars, we did not get into action a single bomber or fighter that was planned after Pearl Harbor.

We cannot afford, they say, to repeat our experience with the

B-29, Lieut. Gen. Nathan F. Twining, commander of the Air Materiel Command at Wright Field, reports:

**B-29s And Munich**

"The first B-29 plans were formed in 1938, the year of Munich. The wind tunnel test model was flown two years later. In that same year (1940) work was started on the prototype airplane. In 1942 the first B-29 was test-flown. Two years later (1944) the first B-29s got into combat. It was not until 1945—seven years after that plane was started—that it produced its full results in the attacks on Japan."

To make sure that we are not caught again that way the generals, the admirals and the plane manufacturers now recommend:

1. That we maintain a first-line air force big enough to meet the first attack. The Army talks about 55 active groups, with about 6300 combat craft and 300,000 men, plus 15 skeleton groups. The Navy probably will have about the same.
2. That this force be kept efficient by producing from 3,000 to 5,780 planes annually. In 1946 we produced less than 1,400. The cost would run from \$750,000,000 to \$1,400,000,000 a year. Besides keeping our air strength up-to-date, this would support a nucleus of manufacturing space, equipment, personnel and skills around which we could build fast in case of emergency. I would be supplemented by a civilian plane industry based on from 325 to 475 transports and from 20,000 to 45,000 private planes a year.
3. As each new model replaces an earlier one, detailed plans would be worked out for its wartime production. These would include: Building a limited number. These would be tested, refined, and worked over until they were proven ready for military use. Drafting all plans and specifications needed to put that plane into full-scale mass production for actual war use. Preparation of plans and specifications for every machine tool that would be needed for mass production of that plane, and the actual manufacture of at least one of each of those machine tools. Preparation by the designated manufacturer of detailed production plans telling exactly what floor space, tools, skilled labor, training facilities, employe housing, materials, etc., he would need to build whatever number of planes the plans provided for war use.
4. This planning for each individual craft would be kept in such stage that when warning of war came, a series of telegrams could start conversion overnight.
5. A stockpile of 65,000 general purpose machine tools, salvaged from World War II production must be kept in storage, ready for immediate transfer to plants scheduled for war production.

**Standby Factories**

6. A standby of 26 million square feet of factory space, under armed forces control, would be kept for airplane and engine production. If any were leased for civilian production, there would be a clause permitting its recall and a ban upon any structural change that would interfere with conversion to war use.

7. Large quantities of critical raw materials would be stock-piled for immediate war use, and the source and availability of important materials would be studied in connection with mobilization plans for each new plane, and fitted into the general picture.

Such a plan, experts believe, would make it possible for us to turn out from nine to eleven thousand more planes, during the first year of war production, and would make available from 13 to 27 thousand more planes within two years.

In World War II, the armed forces added only 5,892 planes in the first year after President Roosevelt set his 50,000 plane goal. This plan would almost triple that number, if it works. In the first two years the armed forces added only 18,025 planes. This plan would about double that.

Venetian glassmaking guilds reached the peak of their artistry in the fifteenth century, bringing importance and wealth to the canal city.

**Sicily Plans New Road Up Mt. Etna For Tourists**

PALERMO, SICILY—(P)— Sicily is to have the highest motor road in Europe, under a plan personally devised by high commissioner for Sicily Giovanni Selvaggi.

The new super-highway, to be called "Strada Mare-Neve" (Sea-to-Snow Highway), will run in a great semicircle from Taormina, on Sicily's east coast, to within little more than 1,000 feet of the crater summit of Mount Etna, Europe's loftiest volcano, and back to the sea at Catania.

At its highest point, the road will reach 9,570 feet, thus surpassing Europe's hitherto highest road, Stelvio Pass, on the Swiss-Italian frontier, which reaches 8,910 feet.

The new road is one of High Commissioner Selvaggi's projects for alleviation of Sicilian unemployment and encouragement of foreign tourist traffic. It will extend more than 31 miles at a cost of \$12,000 per mile "at present prices," Selvaggi said.

**Expected to Begin Soon**

"With this road," he explained, "it will be possible to bathe in the sea at Taormina in the morning,

**'Windy Bill' -**

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ford, Abilene, and all the ranches in the area.

Another of the characters mentioned in the poem—Dr. Scott Hollis of Abilene—sends Mrs. Wilkinson a Christmas card every year.

The ball was revived in the early 1930's and is held every Christmas.

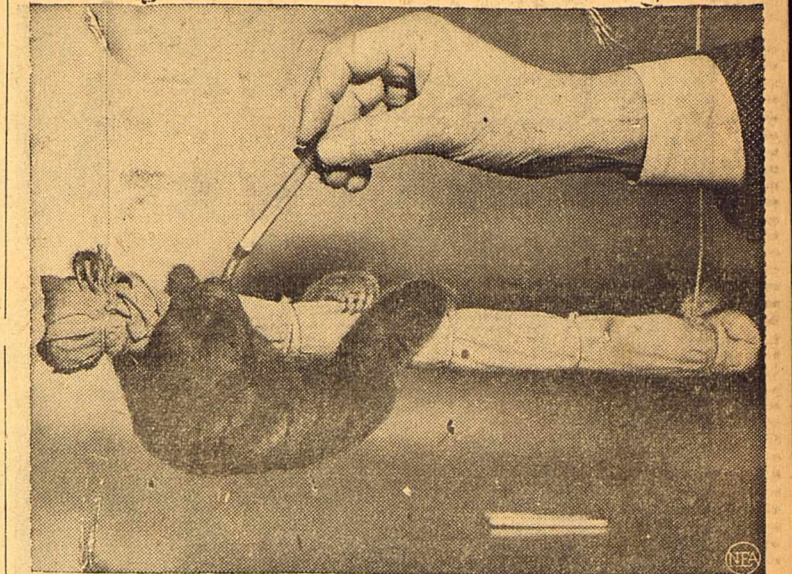
The children of the Wilkinsons are: sons, Sam Wilkinson, Stanton; Ed Wilkinson, Andrews; A. C. Wilkinson, Ponca City, Okla.; Bart Wilkinson, Big Spring; Alton Wilkinson, Sherman; daughters, Mrs. Lorena Lynch, Big Spring; Mrs. Kenneth Cox, Lubbock, and Mrs. Charles J. Cox, Garden City.

drive up Mount Etna through wonderful pine forests and go skiing in summer snow at midday, enjoying the world's finest panorama, and bathe again at Catania in the afternoon."

Work on the highway is expected to begin soon, and completion is scheduled before the end of 1948. Luxury hotels may later be built near the summit of Etna.

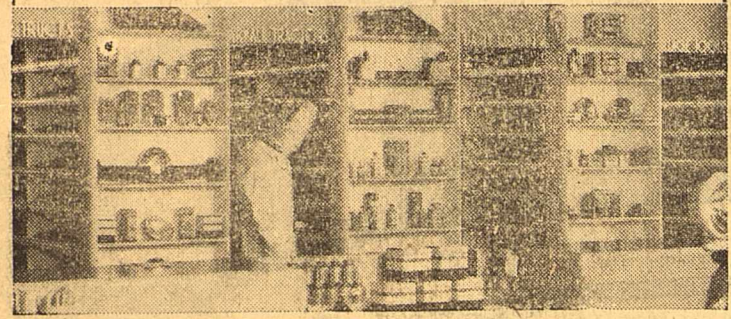
Catania-born Selvaggi, who founded the Italo-American Society in 1920, is also responsible for a project now being carried out, which will provide a 200 per cent increase in Sicilian hydro-electric power within the next five years.

**Mom Neglects Her Valentine Baby**



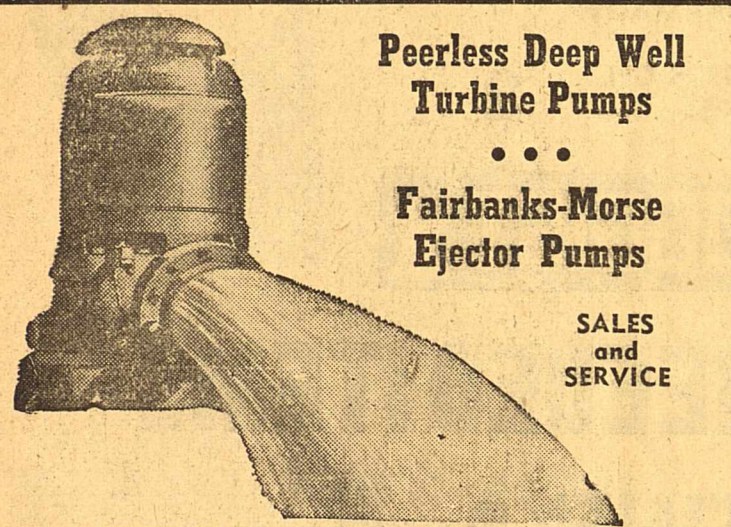
Although born on St. Valentine's Day, the baby two-toed sloth at Chicago's Lincoln Park zoo has had very little love, because the youngster's mother pays no attention to it at all. Zoo attendants rigged the cloth-wrapped stick shown above for the baby to cling to and they feed it from an eye-dropper.

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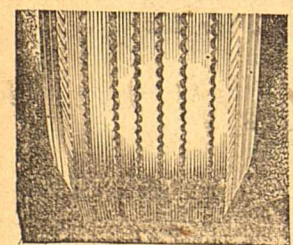
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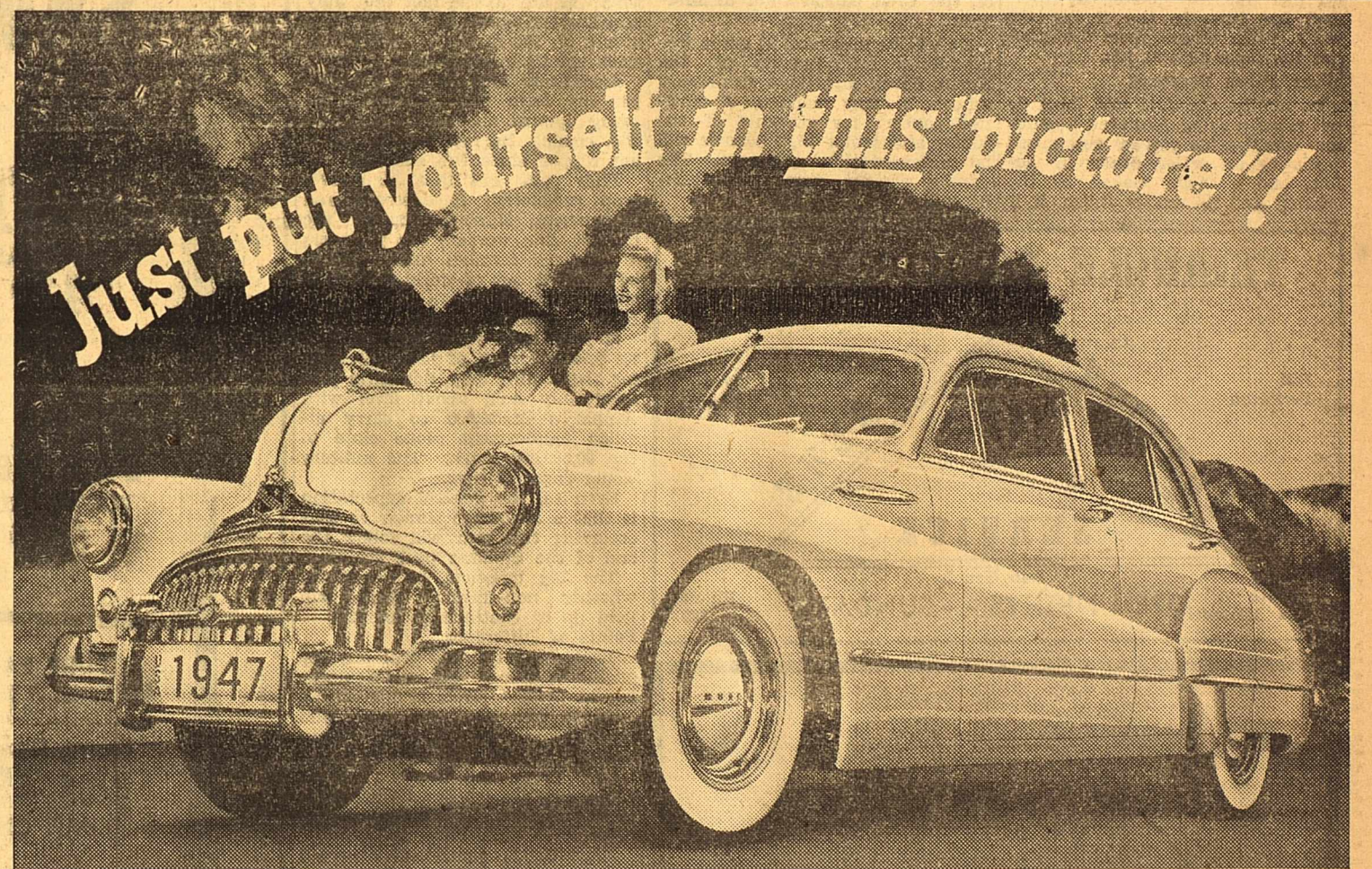
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Mr. and Mrs. Dave Rubinoff who arrived in Midland Saturday for Rubinoff's violin concert here Monday evening. Mrs. Rubinoff is a native of Texas.

### Rubinoff's Violin Is One Of 540 Known Stradivarius In Existence

The world-famous violin which Rubinoff will play in his concert in the Midland High School Auditorium Monday was made in 1781 by Antonio Stradivari. This fine instrument found its way into the hands of the Romanoffs one-time rulers of Russia, and still bears the bejeweled crest of that famous family.

During the revolution it was smuggled out of Russia and eventually was purchased by Rubinoff who has the precious instrument insured for \$100,000.

Despite the fact there are only 540 Stradivarius violins recorded, Rubinoff says he receives hundreds of telephone calls, telegrams and letters from excited people all over the world telling him they have just uncovered in their attics a violin just like his. Some say their find has been in the family 150 years, while others state the label has the same date as his.

Many Fakes Produced

In reality, the date and label do not mean a thing. However, a genuine Stradivarius can be recognized easily by an artist, dealer in violins, and a violin maker, by the carving and its unique finish, if it

is an original. Rubinoff says many "fakes" or "copies" have been produced in Italy, Germany and Japan to retail at between five and fifty dollars.

Genuine Stradivarius, "real Strads," made by Antonio Stradivari of Cremona, bring from \$10,000 to \$100,000. There are only about 540 authentic known Strads in existence, 163 of which are owned in the United States.

Antonio Stradivari, whose life work today represents an estimated value of about \$12,000,000, was the finest violin maker in the 17th and 18th century Cremona (Italy), which was the violin-making capital of the world. He was born in 1644 and died in 1737.

Rubinoff and his violin will appear in Midland under the auspices of the Civic Music Club of Midland.

He will be presented at three free assemblies for students of the North, South and West elementary schools Monday morning. A matinee concert for students of the junior and senior high schools will be presented that afternoon. The evening concert, open to the public, will start at 8:15 p. m.

### What It Means 60 Million American Jobs

By CHARLES MOLONY

WASHINGTON—Sixty million jobs still look like a fancy number for this country in the immediate future—attainable, perhaps, but only for a peak season lasting a month or two.

That is the conclusion pointed up by an analysis of Census Bureau figures and opinions obtained from officials in several government departments.

It was true last year, and most of these analysts expressed belief it would be true again for this year at least. They were reluctant to get into the long-range, year-to-year field.

Opinions on whether the 60,000,000 level actually will be reached this year differed as sharply as—and according to—views on whether there'll be a "recession" by Summer, and in what degree.

General opinion appeared to be that it might be more difficult to reach this year than last and that onset of a "recession" of major proportions would prevent it.

**Must Include Military**

Members of the armed forces have to be counted in when talking of 60,000,000 jobs. There never have been that many civilian job-holders in this country, even counting—as the Census Bureau does—people who work as little as one hour a week.

Counting 2,640,000 military and naval personnel and 58,130,000 civilians with jobs of one hour or more a week, the record high level of 60,770,000 jobs was reached last July.

August held above the 60,000,000 mark, too, but since then the total has dropped away. The Census Bureau's January estimate was 57,090,000, if 1,700,000 in the armed forces are added to 55,390,000 civilians with jobs.

**Sharp Reduction Noted**

That comes to a six-month drop of 3,680,000 jobs. In the field of civilian jobs alone, the six-month decline amounted to 2,740,000, but this was attributed almost entirely to seasonal factors that normally make July the high and January the low employment month.

These points were notable:

1. Jobs outside of agriculture actually increased by 700,000 between July and January, although there was a 210,000 drop-off from December to January, reflecting the usual after-Christmas trend.

2. The decrease in farm jobs that offset the rise in non-farming work increase totaled 3,444,000. This was due to the fact that July is a harvest month and a top work month on the farms. January is a slack month in agriculture.

Agriculture Department economists say farm work probably will swing upward about as sharply in the coming harvest season as it has dipped since the last one.

They point out that high level crop production is expected and that about three-fourths of the harvest-time workers are members of farmers' families and wouldn't be knocked out of work even by a sharp price decline.

**Farm Employment Role**

If farm employment gets back to its 9,940,000 peak of last July during the coming July, non-farm jobs need only hold about level with January's 48,890,000 to carry civilian employment alone close to the 60,000,000 mark. The military would carry it over.

Even so, the general expectation is that a shrinkage similar to that occurring this year will follow the end of the Summer peak season.

The big question, of course, is whether non-farming work will hold up or continue to expand.

**Points of Difference**

Those who think it will are the ones who foresee business remaining at present levels or increasing. Those who don't are ones who count on at least a mild "recession", with prices going down and taking production and its consequent employment down with them as the incentive to produce diminishes.

All officials questioned observed that even with high level employment, there will be spotty unemployment in some localities. For example, in shipbuilding centers, discontinuance of wartime vessel construction has already had a sharp effect.

No one was disturbed about the present extent of unemployment, which rose 130,000 after July to a total of 2,400,000 in January.

Unemployed are considered to be those trying to find jobs, but not counting housewives and students who do only Summer season work.

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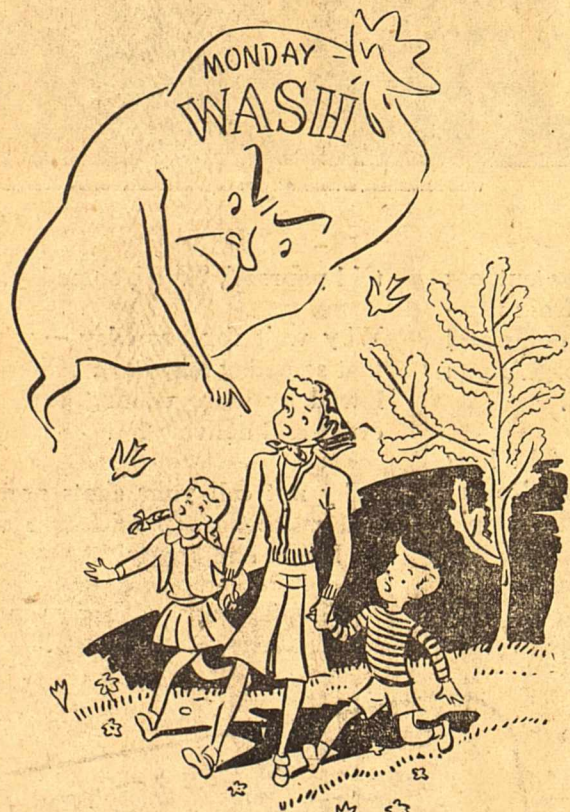
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