

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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CROCKETT WILDCAT IS TO TEST THROUGH PERFORATIONS

Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-CTA University, Northeast Crockett county wildcat, has bottomed at 8,710 feet in Ellenburger lime, topped at 8,102 feet, according to unofficial sources.

Operator is to cement 5 1/2-inch casing at total depth and then test sections in the formation which indicated possibilities of production, through casing perforations.

The wildcat is 665 feet from south and 1,987 feet from west lines of section 23, block 42, University survey.

NO OFFICIAL REPORTS FROM "HOT" COKE PROSPECTOR

Union Oil Company of California No. 1 McCutchen, Central Coke County wildcat, three miles east of Robert Lee, was reported by unofficial observers to be making hole below 6,382 feet in a formation supposed to be Ellenburger lime.

Operator has not yet released any information on any drillstem tests which may have been taken in this prospect.

Rumors continue to circulate that several tests have been taken. These rumors credit the project with recovering some oil and gas cut drilling mud, and small quantities of free oil, in at least some of the drillstem tests.

Considerable interest is being shown in royalty buying on acreage adjacent to the prospect, but so far as has been learned no definite deals have been consummated since the well is supposed to have started showing slight signs of petroleum. It appears that the main reason for the slowness with which deals are being made is due to the fact that no definite or dependable information on the actual status of the wildcat is available.

ELLENBURGER TEST IS SLATED IN N-E SAN SABA

S. J. Huffstetter of San Saba is reported to have taken a lease on the 3,100-acre ranch owned by Mr. and Mrs. A. Hanna of San Angelo, in Northeast San Saba County. It is understood that he plans to start a wildcat on that land within 60 days.

The ranch starts in about eight miles north of the town of San Saba.

It is reported that Huffstetter is leasing additional acreage adjoining the Hanna land, and is also leasing other drilling blocks in San Saba County.

REPORT ON W-C ECTOR WILDCAT CREATION

Sunray Oil Corporation's Midland district office reveals that a report released in Fort Worth stating that the concern had completed plans for drilling a 10,000-foot wildcat in West-Central Ector County, to test the Devonian, is premature.

The Fort Worth report was that Sunray was to drill a test on the J. E. Parker land, in the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section 10, block 44, TP survey, T-2-S.

It has been learned that such a prospect has been proposed—but that up to now all the details connected with actually starting a drill it have not been officially worked out and finally approved.

API CHAPTER OFFICIALS ARE TO MEET FRIDAY NIGHT

Officers and committee chairmen of the Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute will meet at 8 o'clock Friday night in the office of Don A. Miller, at Phillips Petroleum Company's Western Producing Division, in Midland, to arrange details of the general meeting of the organization to be held at the Ector County Park in Odessa on May 31.

Miller, who is chairman of the chapter, said those who are due to be present at the meeting include: R. B. Saxe, Gulf Oil Corporation, Odessa, first vice-chairman; F. E. Lovering, Shell Oil Company, Inc., Odessa, second vice-chairman; J. N. Dunlavey, Skelly Oil Company, Hobbs, third vice-chairman; Jay Boxell, Phillips, Midland, secretary-treasurer.

Saxe is chairman of the program committee and Lovering is chairman.

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Search For Top Man For Greek Aid Is Delayed

WASHINGTON—(AP)—President Truman's difficulty in finding a top-notch man to run the new American aid program in Greece threatens some delay in getting the operation underway.

The State Department already is reported to be acquiring a \$100,000,000 RFC loan to finance the start of the \$400,000,000 undertaking to buttress Greece and Turkey against any extension of Soviet power over those countries.

But officials made it clear that despite the availability of money and the authority granted by Congress in the bill which Truman signed Thursday, nothing very substantial can be accomplished until an administrator is appointed and takes over his duties.

At least five men have been considered, but for a variety of reasons each has proved unavailable. Inside speculation at the moment centers around Paul Hoffman, president of the Studebaker Corporation.

No hitch is anticipated in carrying out the \$100,000,000 Turkish part of the program. That involves mainly supplying military equipment to the Turkish army under the general supervision of Ambassador Edwin C. Wilson at Ankara.

But the program for Greece is much broader, embracing not only military assistance, but economic rehabilitation as well. In addition to \$300,000,000 under the aid program, the Greeks are to receive \$50,000,000 in direct relief funds under a separate bill awaiting the President's signature.

Condition Of President's Mother-Weak

GRANDVIEW, MO.—(AP)—The "weak" condition of President Truman's aged mother raised the possibility Friday that he may remain in Missouri indefinitely unless there is a decisive change for the better.

While 94-year-old Mrs. Martha E. Truman was reported to be holding her own, there has been no perceptible improvement in the last 24 hours. She was "still very weak."

Brig. Gen. Wallace H. Graham, Presidential physician, tersely informed newsmen her condition was "unchanged." He had expressed hope Wednesday of gradual improvement.

The President, tense and emotional after a week made up of long hours of anxious vigil at her bedside, was torn between two roles.

He had important affairs awaiting him in Washington, yet he feared the effects of his departure on the tired heart of his mother.

His daily presence at her bedside since a dangerous relapse a week ago has been Graham's principal hope for a continuance of her will to live.

Without that will to live, Graham has acknowledged that there is little a physician can do.

Lines Of Worry



(NEA Telephoto) Days of worry about the condition of his ailing mother, Mrs. Martha E. Truman, showed in the President's grave face as he signed the Greek-Turkish aid bill in his hotel room in Kansas City.

VFW Members Favor Issuance Of Bonds For School Growth

In an unofficial open discussion of the Veterans of Foreign Wars' meeting Thursday night, the almost unanimous opinion of the group was for support of the school bond issue to be voted on in Saturday's election.

"One of the privileges of living in a democracy is that of paying taxes for social improvement," Pat McMullan, past-commander of the post, said. "Our schools are inadequate for the present expanded enrollment. The bonds should be passed to provide money for the system's rapidly increasing growth. If veterans' children are to be provided proper educational facilities, the schools should have this money."

Ray Howard, speaking on evaluation methods, explained a system widely used in China where each property owner sets his own evaluation price. In the event he places the value for tax purposes too low, the government has authority to purchase his holdings at the price the owner has set.

VFW members agree to furnish transportation for any voters who will phone 2129, 774 or 2518.

A request was received from several Midland women to solicit and contribute funds for a VFW Hut. A resolution of appreciation was voted to accept contributions for the proposed hut.

"Communism in the United States" was the subject of a discussion led by Commander Leonard Miller. He said there is no reason to suppose the U.S. can maintain the atomic secret indefinitely, and now is the time to weed out subversive elements in government and take steps to assure the continuation of "our" present form of democratic government.

It is up to those of us who have seen conditions in countries overseas to carry constantly the anti-Communist message to America," he said.

A resolution was adopted appointing a committee to act as advisors to the post on anti-Communist measures. Irby Dyer was named chairman of the committee to select an entry to represent the Midland post in a VFW bathing beauty contest at McCamey, June 13-14.

Wallace Called 'Vicious Liar'

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Rep. McDowell (R-Pa.), in a statement on the House floor, has called Henry A. Wallace "an ignorant, vicious, unpatriotic liar."

He made the statement after telling the House he had read that the former vice-president recently referred to the House committee on un-American activities as a "group of bigots."

McDowell, a member of the committee, said:

"Mr. Speaker, in my opinion Mr. Henry Wallace, regardless of those things he says or where he says them, in this instance is an ignorant, vicious, unpatriotic liar."

Rep. Rankin (D-Miss) interposed to say, "It has been suggested to me that what Mr. Wallace needs is a mental examination."

Disaster Plans In Texas For Funeral Directors Discussed; Press Barred

DALLAS—(AP)—A disaster plan for Texas funeral directors will be submitted to Gov. Beauford H. Jester for approval, according to J. J. Crane, president of the Dallas Funeral Directors Association.

He announced the plan following a closed meeting of the profession's leaders here Thursday night.

The disaster plan would make the president of the state board of embalming the key man to be notified first from the scene of any disaster, Crane said. Under him, the presidents of each of the nine Texas regions of the funeral directors association would be in charge of each region.

At the opening session, Crane said there are "men in this room who witnessed shameful acts by embalmers at Texas City" and added that their stories would be heard.

A Dallas News reporter then was told the facts related would be "off the record." When the reporter declined to agree to such an arrangement he was barred from the meeting.

Bond Vote Not For Luxuries, JayCee Speaker Tells Club

The proposed improvements which will come if the school bond and tax increase election carries Saturday will not be luxuries but only what your child and mine need, Tom Sealy told the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce at its luncheon meeting Friday noon in the Scharbauer Hotel.

An educated mind is needed in this complex world today to keep up with the many outputs for it to analyze, the speaker added.

Nadine Manning invited JayCees to a public supper May 31 at the City-County Auditorium, sponsored by 4-H Club girls of the county. It is a hospital benefit event.

A directors' meeting was announced for 9 p.m. Friday at the City-County Auditorium to take up emergency rodeo plans.

Jim Kelly was inducted as a new member of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Size Of Auditorium Limits Attendance At Graduation Event

Midland High School this year will graduate 154 students—the largest class in its history, school officials said Friday.

They also pointed out that if the 308 parents of the 154 graduates attend commencement exercises next Friday night, the total of 462 will exactly fill the auditorium's ground floor seating capacity of 462.

This would leave only the balcony's 150 seats available for other relatives and friends of the graduates and for school patrons who would like to attend.

Graduation gifts that will delight at Wemple's, next to post office.—(Adv.)

LATE NEWS FLASHES

WARSAW—(AP)—A cabinet spokesman said Friday the price of bread had dropped from \$1.20 to 70 cents for two pounds.

TYLER—(AP)—Constable Luther P. Tillman of Ben Wheeler, Tex., Friday was charged with murder at Wanton in connection with the fatal shooting of Roy Alvin Wood, 30, of Irving, while in the constable's custody.

MURFREESBORO, N. C.—(AP)—The Murfreesboro Herald-News said Friday three armed, masked men seized a negro prisoner at Jackson Friday and disappeared with him.

NANKING—(AP)—An American Army plane Friday evacuated the families of the United States and British consuls-general from Chung-chun.

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The Navy was informed here Friday that a Flying Fortress, reported missing on a flight from Canal Zone to Kelly Field, had crashed 70 miles from Puerto Cabezas.

Midland To Vote On School Bonds In Election Saturday

Excellent Prospects For Continued Permian Basin Growth, Expansion

The story published in The Reporter-Telegram Thursday, under a Tulsa, Okla., dateline in which it was revealed that plans are in the making for the construction of a 20-inch crude oil pipe line from Midland, to Wilmington, Calif., to transport approximately 150,000 barrels per day of Permian Basin petroleum to Wilmington refineries, is a further evidence of the attitude of informed men in the oil industry regarding the future of the business in West Texas and Southeast New Mexico.

While no executive of any of the concerns understood to be interested in the proposed line have made official statements regarding the project—it has been learned from dependable sources there is more to the matter than just talk.

Preliminary Planning

It likely will be several months before such a line can be started, because of the preliminary planning and arrangements such undertakings require. Men in close touch with the oil business think it will be constructed in the next 18 to 24 months.

The report of plans for this line, coming as it does on top of an official announcement made a few weeks ago that a similar oil carrier would be built from Wink, by way of Midland, Westbrook, and Wichita Falls, to Cushing, Okla., indicates that many top men in the petroleum business think a large amount of oil will be produced in the Permian Basin for many years to come.

Big companies do not even plan to spend the millions of dollars which will be required to construct such pipe lines, and their accompanying pump stations, tank terminals, gathering systems and other accessories, unless they have reasonable hope the money invested will be safe, will pay a fair return, and the initial expenditure more than repaid.

The only way such could happen would be for a lot of oil to be provided for those big lines to transport.

Long Range Development

It will require the drilling of hundreds and hundreds of new wells in proven areas, and the digging of many, many wildcats, to find sufficient oil to make it profitable to operate the big new pipe lines now being planned to serve this territory—and to keep all our existing lines busy.

The plans of several major oil companies in the Permian Basin indicate those concerns believe we are going to find considerable more oil in the near future in this section.

Many of the companies now operating division or district headquarters in Midland are projecting their programs for the Permian Basin as far ahead as 15 years and in some instances to at least 20 years.

Numerous contracts for large amounts of office space in Midland, for from five to 15 years, have been signed, during recent months. Most contracts have been for a minimum of 10 years.

Several oil development companies have built, or soon will start erecting, their own office buildings in Midland.

All that takes money. The plans now being made for long range developments take vision and optimism—but oil companies cannot afford to base their plans on those two abstract items alone—there must be good, definite prospects back of the vision and optimism.

The oil development and producing business of today is a far cry from the oil business of 25 and 30 years ago.

No More Booms

There are no more "booms," such as were seen at Burkburnett, Ranger, Mexia, and at dozens of other towns between 1910 and 1925. That sort of thing doesn't happen any more. There are many reasons for the change—all of them good.

The best example of the change which has taken place in the way modern oil developments are handled on a mammoth scale is provided by the East Texas field. That producing area—the largest and most prolific so far developed in the United States—is still a major factor in the oil business, after more than 15 years. It is still yielding enormous amounts of crude oil and will continue to do so for many years.

No one will predict the Permian Basin is to have any one field which will match the East Texas field. However, in many ways, the economic outlook for the future in this area is much brighter than it was for the cities adjacent to the East Texas field, at the time that district was at its peak.

Improved methods of finding, developing and producing oil, and improved conservation practices now being followed in all oil field areas, will be contributors to a long, steady and profitable operation of the oil business in West Texas and Southeast New Mexico, and in the cities in those regions which take advantage of the opportunities they will have to serve the industry and its workers.

This is not the opinion of only the writer—it represents a cross-section of the thinking and reasoning of a representative group of men in executive and policy-making positions in the business.

Polls Open At 8 A.M. And Close 7 P.M.

The proposed issuance of one million dollars in bonds for school expansion and improvements in fast-growing Midland and the proposal to increase the maximum school rate tax limit from \$1 to \$1.50 per \$100 valuation will be determined Saturday by qualified voters of the Midland Independent School District.

The election will be held in the City-County Auditorium between the hours of 8 a. m. and 7 p. m., with Holt Jowell the election judge.

Voters, to be eligible, must be property tax paying residents of the school district. Poll tax receipts are required.

Ten absentee ballots were cast in the absentee voting which ended last Tuesday.

Rapid Growth

School trustees, in calling the election, said they plan, if the election carries, to issue only \$750,000 worth of the bonds, with the remainder to be held for use if and when needed. They also cited the rapid growth of the school system during the last 10 years, and stressed the immediate need of additional space and facilities. All school buildings now are filled to capacity, they said.

The proposed long-range plan is designed to meet the present and future needs of the schools. The plan has been under consideration more than two years.

The bulk of the bond money will be used in providing a new and completely modern high school plant at the present junior high school location. The plant would include adequate classrooms, shop building, band hall, library, laboratories, cafeteria and auditorium seating approximately 1,600 persons, and a gymnasium with a seating capacity of 1,000. It will be one of the most modern high school plants in the Southwest. The overall cost of the project is estimated at \$762,000.

About \$55,000 will be used in converting the present high school building into a junior high plant and in adding a cafeteria.

Another \$80,000 is earmarked eventually for the addition of classrooms to elementary schools.

The present athletic field later will be moved to a new location, already owned by the schools, in Northwest Midland.

School officials stressed the fact that bond money must be spent for construction and improvements and cannot be spent for operation of the school system.

To Push Program

They also pointed out that the tax rate likely will not be set at the proposed \$1.50 maximum, but rather will be set at the lowest figure possible to retire the additional indebtedness and to finance other operation expenditures. The school's present bonded indebtedness is \$484,000, they said.

Trustees plan to push the program as fast as possible because of the urgent need of the school system.

The scholastic census here has increased from 2,050 in 1938-39 to 3,520 in 1947-48, school trustees stated. They said even with this increase the only new classrooms added have been in the two new elementary buildings. They also point to the fact that the high school this Fall will have an enrollment of 600 in a building which was erected for an enrollment of 450. High school enrollment, based on present membership, will reach 760 students within three years. All schools now are overcrowded, and the classroom load is exceptionally heavy, officials said.

The trustees have contracted for the sale of the bonds, subject to the outcome of the election. They were contracted at an average rate of 2.58103 per cent by Crumer and Company and Rauscher and Pierce of Dallas.

Interest in the election has mounted rapidly and a record vote for a bond election here is indicated.

FDR Monument Plan Stirs Up Texas Congress

AUSTIN—(AP)—Proposed erection of a memorial monument to Franklin D. Roosevelt on the state capitol grounds Friday had the members of the House of Representatives.

Rep. Tom Martin of Fredericksburg termed it "the most controversial issue ever offered in this House." He said the introduction of the resolution was "a cheap, shabby political fight on the floor of the House."

Rep. Jim Wright of Weatherford, author of the resolution, denied charges that granting of legislative permission to erect a monument to a man who was neither a Southerner nor a Texan would be setting a "dangerous precedent."

"No man in the history of America has done more for the South than this man," he said.

Martin countered:

"Roosevelt was a great man. No one will argue that. But there were many, many other great men who have never had monuments to them on the grounds of the capitol."

Goodwill Group From El Paso Visits Here

Twenty-nine El Paso goodwill trippers visited Midland Thursday afternoon and evening to witness the growth and development under way here, to visit with friends and neighbors, and to entertain civic leaders at a dinner in the Scharbauer Hotel.

They arrived here by bus about 4:15 p. m. and departed by train on their return trip to El Paso shortly after midnight. Earlier in the day, the El Pasoans had visited Monahans, Odessa and Kermit.

John P. Butler, president of the Midland Chamber of Commerce; Delbert Downing, manager, and Chief of Police Jack Ellington met the group at the West city limit, taking them on a sightseeing tour of Midland.

Members of the Midland Wranglers' Club were in charge of the program following the dinner at which the visitors were hosts to Chamber of Commerce directors, Wranglers, and city and county officials. Bill Collins was toastmaster.

W. J. Hooten, chairman of the goodwill tour, in charge of the El Paso part of the program. Chris Fox, executive vice president and general manager of the El Paso Chamber of Commerce, introduced members of the booster group. Victor C. Gilbert, El Paso County judge, and Boyd Ryan, El Paso and Juarez businessmen, made brief talks.

President Butler of the Midland Chamber of Commerce made a brief address in which he outlined Midland's rapid growth and expansion along all lines. He discussed future possibilities of the city and section, and told of activities of the Chamber of Commerce. Butler thanked the El Pasoans for visiting Midland and for their past cooperation and assistance.

C. V. (Cap) Lyman of Midland also was a program speaker.

"Chamber of Commerce booklets, 'Gardening in Midland,' and state highway maps, autographed by Highway Commissioner Fred Wemple of Midland, were distributed."

Senator Bridges Says More 'Cuts' Are Coming

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Senator Bridges (R-NH) said Friday Republicans intend to cancel \$1,000,000,000 in appropriations voted by the last, Democratic-controlled Congress in the GOP drive to cut 1948 federal spending at least \$4,500,000,000 below President Truman's estimate.

Bridges, chairman of the Senate Appropriations Committee, told a reporter a \$641,832,000 fund transfer for the Republicans got through Congress Thursday by some fast financial footwork "will help out."

Missing Nazi Gestapo Aide Is Captured

MUNICH—(AP)—Brig. Gen. Eric Neumann, principal adjutant to Nazi gестапо chief Heinrich Himmler, has been captured in Bavaria after a two-year search by American war crimes investigators.

The SS (Elite Guard) general had been one of the most eagerly sought of German fugitives. He had been commander of security police in Holland and Belgium and also was combat commander of Nuremberg.

He now is in custody of American war crimes prosecutors at Regensburg. He was found using an assumed name and working as a farmer near the Austrian border in the neighborhood of Berchtesgaden.

The arrest was made May 9, but not disclosed until Friday. Neumann was reported to have had Swiss and British money amounting to about \$62,500 in his possession.

House Group Cuts Agriculture Fund By 32 Per Cent

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The House Appropriations Committee swung its economy axe at the Agriculture Department Friday, recommending a 32 per cent budget cut.

In sending to the House floor an \$807,143,376 bill to finance the department for the year starting July 1, the committee chopped \$381,427,742 from President Truman's budget estimates.

The committee's major cuts were directed at the Farmers' Home Administration—an offshoot of the old Farm Security Administration; the Soil Conservation Service; the Crop Insurance Program and the School Lunch Program.

The House Committee acted on the bill after weeks of closed door hearings and after Secretary Anderson insisted that any reductions would impair essential farm services. The estimates submitted, Anderson claimed, were rock-bottom minimums.

The committee approved full budget estimates of \$2,475,400 for crop and livestock reports, \$170,000 for investigations to develop domestic sources of rubber from Guayule and other plants, \$179,000 for research into improving methods for extracting rubber from such plants, \$7,161,268 for payments to states for operation of experiment stations.

Bi-State Tornado Relief Thought Near

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Representative Ritzley (R-Okla.) said Friday he was informed that House Appropriations Committee leaders hope to obtain a committee decision sometime next week on legislation providing relief funds for the tornado-stricken areas in Oklahoma and Texas.

Ritzley is author of a bill which would appropriate \$2,500,000 for rehabilitation, reconstruction and relief work in the Woodward, Okla., area.

Representative Wooten (D-Texas) introduced legislation asking \$3,000,000 for the entire area in Texas and Oklahoma, including Woodward, which was damaged by a tornado several weeks ago.

Steel Heads Would Get Rake Off, Lawyer Says

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Charles Margiotti, Pittsburgh lawyer, Friday told a Senate committee a client of his, trying to buy steel for resale, was told by a New York lawyer that he would have to pay an extra \$62.50 a ton which would go to executives of "five big steel companies."

Margiotti testified before a Senate Small Business Subcommittee investigating the difficulties which small business firms are having in buying steel.

The witness did not name the "big steel companies." He said he was not accusing any steel executive of anything and had no personal knowledge of any improper practices, but merely was telling what his client was told.

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Weather

Partly cloudy Friday afternoon, night and Saturday. Widely scattered thunderstorms mostly during Friday afternoon or early evening. Cooler Friday night. Warmer Saturday. Maximum Midland temperature Thursday was 88 degrees, minimum 65 degrees. Minimum Friday morning was 64 degrees.

For Or Against --- Vote In School Bond Election

Maurice Cox Makes Public Statement

Maurice Cox, manager of Harris-Lockett Stores in Midland, made a public statement Friday that he was not the employe of the store who recently was fined in city court for cruelty to animals.

A man, who worked for the concern and who has now left the city, was the person fined, not Cox, he stated.

TO GENERAL ASSEMBLY

The Rev. Hubert Hopper, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, left Friday for Kerrville where he will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon at Schreiner Institute Sunday. From Kerrville, he will go to Montreat, N. C., to attend the annual meeting of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, U. S.

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man of the membership committee. Other chairmen who are expected at the session are C. C. Roripaugh, Shell, Midland, of publicity committee; M. R. Hayes, Phillips, Odessa, entertainment committee, and M. Conn, The Atlantic Refining Company, Odessa, meeting place and arrangements committee.

SHELL-TEXACO TO DIG DEEP PROJECT IN BEDFORD AREA

Shell Oil Company, Inc., and The Texas Company No. 6 Ratliff and Bedford, is a new exploration for the southwest side of the Bedford field in South-Southwest Andrews County. It is projected to 12,000 feet, to test through the Devonian and the Ellenburger.

PETERSBURG OUTPOST STILL HUNTING FOR CISCO LIME

In Southeast Hale County, and a northwest outpost to the discovery well of the Petersburg field, Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Stone, 660 feet from south and 1,958 feet from east lines of the north half of section 6, block CL, EL survey, had reached 7,170 feet, in shale, and was boring ahead—at last report.

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New Methodist Church To Hold First Service

The first service in Midland's new Methodist Church, which is being organized under the sponsorship of the First Methodist Church, will be held at 10:45 a. m. Sunday in the church building at 501 South Lorraine Street, the Rev. Lennox Hester, pastor, announced Friday.

FACTS TAXPAYERS OF MIDLAND

It is a known fact that building costs are 40% above a normal or reasonable building cost, therefore if a \$1,000,000.00 Bond Issue is voted and this money spent \$400,000.00 of your tax money will have been wasted or poured down the sewer, so to say.

If this Bond Issue is voted your city and School Tax will automatically be increased 30%, by the increased rate of 50 cents on School Taxes.

Midland is not as desperately in need of School Buildings as we are being led to believe. (Have we not just completed and opened two new school buildings?)

Midland's present building growth will add several millions of dollars in tax values in the coming year. The revenue derived from these increased values will allow our School Board to develop and maintain the School System of Midland in a sane and orderly manner without this additional tax load on the already overburdened Taxpayers of the City of Midland.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
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Bid A—For furnishing and delivering specified Contractor-owned aviation petroleum products into aircraft.

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Bid C—For storing, handling and delivering and/or receiving, storing, handling and delivering specified Government-owned aviation petroleum products into aircraft.

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By J. C. Hudman, Secretary.
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Dallas Woman Is New Secretary For DAR's

WASHINGTON (AP)—Mrs. Roscoe C. O'Byrne of Brookville, Ind., was elected president general of the Daughters of the American Revolution early Friday.

She succeeds Mrs. Julius Y. Talmadge, of Athens, Ga., and will serve for three years.

Mrs. O'Byrne defeated Mrs. Stanley Thorpe Manlove of Newburgh, N. Y., the vote was 1,188 to 1,131.

Mrs. James Patton of Columbus, Ohio, was elected first vice president general 1263 to 1031 over Mrs. Charles C. Haig of Washington, D. C. Mrs. Edwin S. Lammers, Dallas, Texas, was named recording secretary general.

Coming Events

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.

The Midland County Museum will be open from 3:30 to 5 p. m.

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

Registration Blanks Available For GS Camp

Registration blanks for the Midland Girl Scout Day Camp may be secured from Mrs. J. C. Rinker, 1010 West Indiana Avenue, it has been announced.

Deadline date for registration is May 30. The Day Camp will be the week of June 16 at Cloverdale Park.



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'What A Life' To Be Given By Junior Workshop

Community Theater's Junior Workshop group will present the Broadway comedy "What A Life", June 2 in the City-County Auditorium.

The first Junior Workshop production of the year, "What A Life", is the original "Henry Aldrich" comedy that opened in New York in 1938.

Bob Short, Sara Lew Link and Jim FitzGerald, who recently appeared in the prize winning Midland High School one act play, "I'm A Fool" have the leading roles. Short will play teen-ager Henry Aldrich.

Others in the cast are Sara Lew Link as Miss Shea, school secretary; Harry Loskamp, Mr. Nelson, assistant principal; Dow Scott, a student; Jim Ireland, Mr. Patterson, a teacher; Enid Little, Miss Pike, a teacher; Jim McGraw, Bill, a student; Virginia Ireland, Miss Eggleston, a teacher; Sonya Little, Miss Johnson, a teacher; Gordon Reagle, Mr. Vecchito; Royce Rae McKee, Barbara Pearson, a student; Maggie Lee Murphey, Gertrude; Jim Fitzgerald, Mr. Bradley, the principal; Donna Manning, Miss Wheeler, a teacher; Bill Gilmore, George Bigelow; Mona McGraw, Mrs. Aldrich, Henry's mother; and Larry Breeze, Mr. Ferguson, of police headquarters.

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Midland B&PW Members Visit Kermit Club For Charter Presentation

Three Midlanders were guests of the Kermit Business and Professional Women's Club Thursday evening for the presentation of the club charter.

They were Fannie Bess Taylor, Betty Kurfrees and Marguerite Stephenson. Margaret Anderson of Abilene, president-elect of the state B&PW joined the group in Midland to make the official presentation. Jewell Barton of Big Spring, new district director, also attended the meeting.

Midnight Breakfast To Highlight Dance

A midnight breakfast will highlight the evening's entertainment Friday at the Minuet Club May Dance.

Music will be furnished by Jack Free and his orchestra from Abilene in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel at 9 p. m.

The dance is for members of the club, only.

Mrs. S. H. Hudkins Is Needlecraft Hostess

Mrs. S. H. Hudkins was hostess to members of the Needlecraft Club at her home, 1200 West Indiana Street, Thursday afternoon.

The entertainment rooms were decorated with pansies and other flowers.

Mrs. Edith Hon and daughter, Carolyn Sue, of Dayton, Ohio, were guests. Mrs. Hon is the former Miss Edith Ford of Midland.

Refreshments were served to the guests and to the following members: Mrs. B. C. Girdley, Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Mrs. G. D. Phillips, Mrs. H. H. Watson, Mrs. J. A. Tuttle, Mrs. M. F. King, Mrs. Addison Wadley, Mrs. J. O. Nobles and the hostess.

The club will meet next Thursday with Mrs. Nobles at her home, 200 South H Street.

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An automobile caught fire on North A Street Thursday night, resulting in a fire alarm.

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See or call Tax Assessor in Court House soon and get your property (correctly described) on the 1947 Tax Roll.

For those who have no permanent place of business or are out of the city during the regular business hours the Assessor will be in office each Saturday afternoon, May 31, June 3 and 10th.

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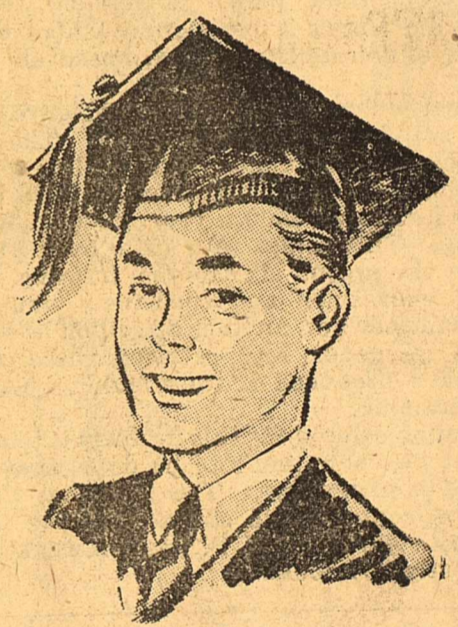
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Have mercy on me, O Lord, thou son of David.—
Matthew 15:22.

The Case Against Umtees

President Truman's nine-member commission of prominent educators, clergymen, and civic leaders who have been studying the question of universal military training since last December are expected to make their recommendations soon.

This commission has some big brains on it. Anything said in the report, however, is going to be jumped on.

If it's against universal military training, the armed services, the big vets' organizations, the all-out preparedness boys and the people who are afraid of Russia will be heard from. If the report is in favor of UMT, pacifists will yell twice as loud. Pressure will then be put on Congress, which will have the thankless job of deciding what to do and passing a law to do it.

Over the last few years War Department has done a big job of trying to sell the idea of such training to the country. It has publicized its first experimental "Umtee" camp at Fort Knox, Ky., widely and well.

Opponents of UMT claim this is just a lot of military propaganda, intended only to lead the country into another war. But in the meantime these opponents of the idea have not been idle on the propaganda front themselves.

A list compiled by the American Friends' Service Committee—the Quakers—shows nearly 100 national educational, church, labor, farm, and political organizations have taken public stands against UMT.

It's a formidable list, all having a sincere and devout desire for everlasting world peace. They have no formal organization, but their movement heads up principally through the Friends' Service Committee and the National Council Against Conscription, which has headquarters in Philadelphia and Washington.

For the last two years the Council Against Conscription has issued a four-page weekly news letter under the title of "Conscription News." The name is the give-away on one of the principal arguments used against universal training. Namely, that it is peacetime, compulsory military service, un-democratic and un-American in tradition.

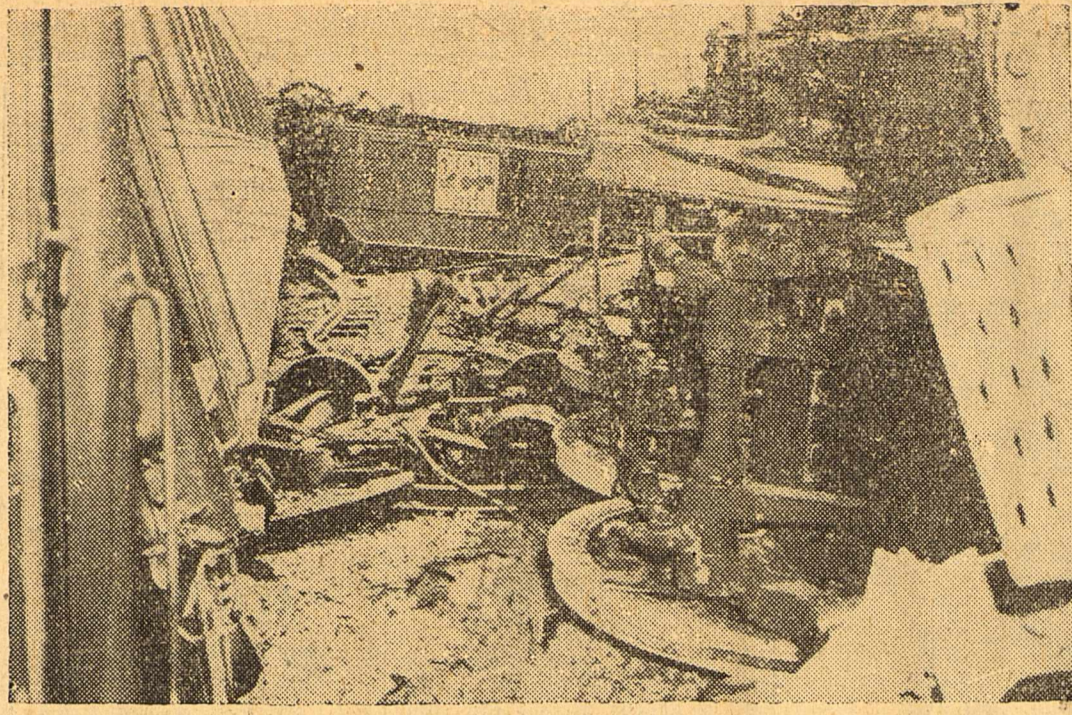
The item of cost of universal military training and what else might be done with the money for the good of mankind is a major theme of the anti-UMT propaganda.

No firm budget has ever been prepared for the War Department's present UMT plan. Brig. Gen. John M. Devine, head of the Umtee experimental school at Fort Knox, mentions a billion dollars a year, based on his experience thus far.

Opponents of UMT go way beyond that figure. They say direct costs would be \$3 billion a year. The figure \$50 million as the cost of induction, \$180 million to pay a million trainees \$30 a month for six months, \$675 million to pay 150,000 instructors \$4500 a year, \$600 million for food and clothing. This comes to a little over \$1.5 billion. They claim the second six months' training for reservists, national guardsmen and specialists would cost just as much. Then they add another \$3 billion as indirect costs—the value of goods and services these million trainees might have produced if they hadn't been busy getting military training.

The only solution offered for this problem is to abolish war forever. But just how that's to be done, they never quite get around to explaining. The fact that the two world wars in this century both started because the aggressive nations all figured the U. S. was too weak to stop them is conveniently overlooked.

Western Pacific Train Derailed



The engine and baggage car of Western Pacific's Feather River express lie on their sides at Decoto, Calif., where the train was derailed by a bulky concrete block, which officers said had all appearances of "de-liberate attempt to wreck a train." Four crewmen were injured.

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Cattle, 1-100; calves, 350; trade draggy; sales on weaker basis; slaughter steers and yearlings 15.00-23.00; common, medium and good cows 13.00-17.00; sausage bulls 10.00-15.50; good and choice fat calves quotable 20.00-23.00; common and medium calves 13.50-19.00.

Hogs, 300; butcher hogs steady to 25c lower; sows and pigs steady; good and choice hogs weighing 180-450 lb. 22.25-23.50; good and choice 150-175 lb. 22.00-23.50; sows 17.50-18.50.

Sheep, 7,500; aged sheep 25-50c lower; other killing classes steady; feeders weak to lower; medium and good spring lambs 17.00-21.00; choice kinds to 22.50; medium to good shorn lambs 16.00-18.50; common shorn lambs 11.00-15.00; medium and good shorn aged sheep 7.50-9.00; shorn feeder lambs 14.00 down.

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NEW YORK—(AP)—Cotton futures at noon Friday were 5 cents a bale lower to 30 cents higher than the previous close, July 34.12, October 29.48, December 28.54.

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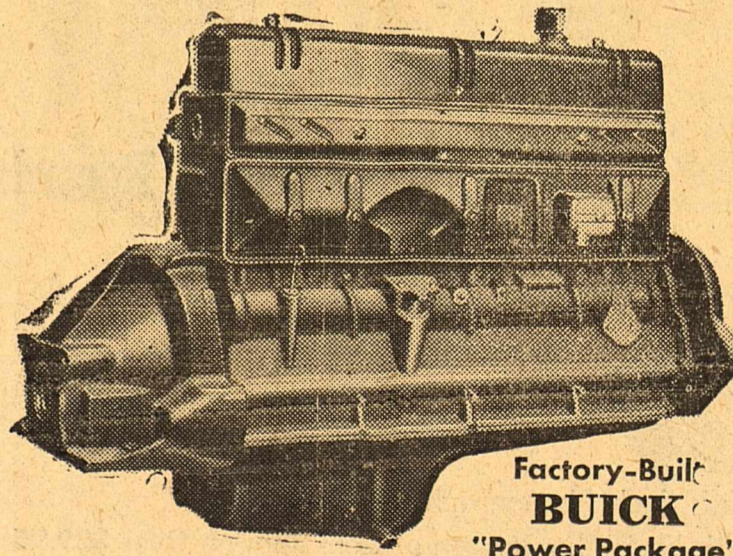


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SAMPLE BALLOT

Mark your ballot as follows:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

"For the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

"Against the issuance of bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof."

PROPOSITION NO. 2

"For maintenance tax."

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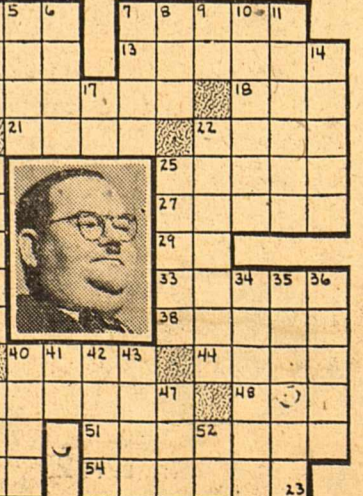
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- 25 Incited
- 26 Sea eagles
- 27 Lacks
- 28 Pint (ab.)
- 29 Chlorin (symbol)
- 30 Frighten
- 33 Dens
- 37 Sea duck
- 38 Boredom
- 39 Cozy
- 40 In a line
- 44 Venetian magistrate
- 45 Indian weight
- 46 Strikes out
- 48 Droop
- 49 Single-cell animal
- 51 Hermit
- 53 Defense
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- 31 He is a star
- 32 Bromine derivative (ab.)
- 34 Saccharine compound
- 35 Wrinkled
- 36 Beleaguerment
- 40 Mountain range
- 41 Rhode Island (ab.)
- 42 Poems
- 43 Existed
- 46 Recede
- 47 Selection (ab.)
- 50 East Indies (ab.)
- 52 Pronoun



Cure-All Fakers On Loose Again; FDA Very Busy

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON—(P)—Crooks and crackpots find easy pickings in citizens looking for a quick cure. A government agency, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), is trying to stop them.

It can do this because there's a law against selling healing devices that pretend to work cures they can't work.

This week one of the FDA heads, Charles W. Crawford, an associate commissioner, said:

"At present there is an epidemic of serious violations by unscrupulous adventurers in the business of selling cure-all therapeutic devices."

"During the past year or so we have had to deal with scores of contraptions of this kind."

These are some of the stories told at FDA headquarters here:

There was a man who built a fancy machine with a strong electric light inside.

The light came through different-colored glasses. The idea was this:

"Right Light!" If you used the right color light at a certain time on a certain day you would get cured of diabetes, cancer, tuberculosis, and other diseases.

You couldn't buy the magic lamp. You had to join an "institute" for \$90. Then you'd get the lamp "free."

The maker claimed he had distributed 9,000 such lamps. He was convicted in federal court, fined \$8,000, and sentenced to three years in jail. He has appealed to a higher court.

Here's another: A man sold two plates—one cop-

per, one zinc—to put in your shoes. Walking on them was supposed to set up an electric current which went through your body and cured your rheumatism.

They sold for \$5 a set but cost only a few cents to make. The maker was fined \$1,000 and given six months in jail.

FDA officials say they've had to knock off the market any number of reducing belts, rollers to roll off fat, and exercising devices which claimed to cure all kinds of diseases.

FDA has about 230 inspectors or investigators and about the same number of specialists, like chemists, doctors and so on.

They have offices in 16 cities. Most of their work is checking on the purity of foods and truthfulness in the labeling.

FDA brings about 3,000 food and drug cases into federal court a year and claims to win 95 per cent of them.

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Midlanders who correspond with persons in other parts of the world include those with friends and relations in other countries, businessmen with interests abroad, and stamp collectors.

The program was built around the second "H" of the four "H's" on which the club is built. The second "H" stands for "Heart," the motto in which the word is used being "My Heart to Greater Loyalty."

Girls from each 4-H Club in the county participated in the broadcast.

Makes Address ACKERLY—Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, made the commencement address here Thursday evening for the 1947 graduating class of Ackery High School.

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Lieut. George S. Coffin has concluded six years' Army service and is back home in Fitzwilliam, N. H. His book on poker will be published this fall, and Coffin himself will publish in October a book entitled "Sure Tricks," by Ivar Andersson of Stockholm, Sweden.

Today's hand is one from Mr. Andersson's book. If South plays carefully, he can make nine tricks against any defense. He must not win the opening lead of the king

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The special sheets come already stamped. They are designed so that, after the message is written on one side, they are folded and sealed to form an envelope. At 10 cents each they offer a substantial saving in correspondence to foreign countries.

It costs 15 cents to send a letter to Europe, for example, and 25 cents to send one to Africa or Asia.

Midlanders who correspond with persons in other parts of the world include those with friends and relations in other countries, businessmen with interests abroad, and stamp collectors.

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OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE OUT OUR WAY —By J. R. WILLIAMS

DEAD TWIGGS! IMAGINE BUYING AN AVE FOR 75 CENTS, GIVING IT AWAY THEN GETTING IT BACK WITH NOBODY THE WISER AND SELLING IT FOR \$925! HAR-RUMPH! GUESS YOU'LL HAVE TO GIVE ME FULL CREDIT FOR BRILLIANT CLEVERNESS, EH, OLD BOY?

YEP, YOU'RE THE CLEVER KIND OF BIRD WHO GETS LOST IN THE WOODS HUNTING WILD FLOWERS AND FINDS A CAVE FULL OF DIAMONDS HIDDEN BY PIRATES... THAT TAKES A 200-WATT BRAIN!

WELL, COULD EINSTEIN DO ANY BETTER?

THEY'RE HAVIN' TROUBLE WITH A KID'S WAGON—I GUESS HE DOESN'T WANT 'T. WIFE AN' KIDS TO SEE HIM HAVIN' TROUBLE WITH IT AT HOME!

AND HE'S TH' GUY THEY SEND ALL OVER EVERYWHERE TO PUT UP TH' BIGGEST CRANES IN TH' WORLD! BUT THEM KIND HAVE TROUBLE PUTTIN' UP A LUNCH!

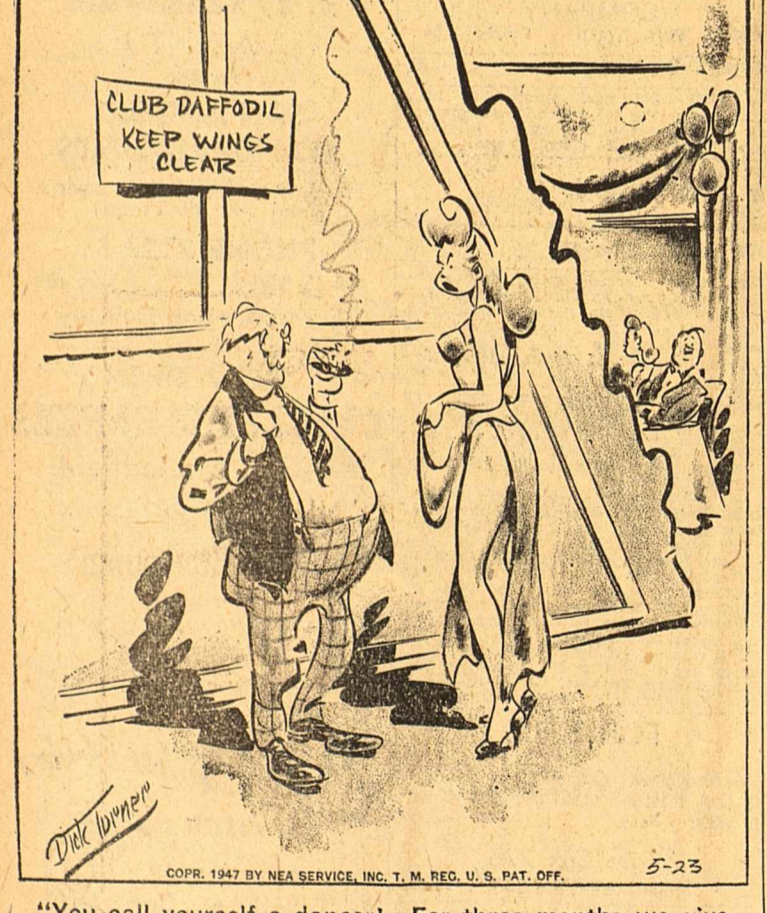
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Midland County Girls In Broadcast Friday

As part of their observance of "Rural Life Sunday," which is May 25, Midland County 4-H Club girls were finishing preparations Friday morning for a 15-minute program to be broadcast at 4:30 Friday afternoon over KCRS.

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BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

I THINK PUG'S LITTLE PUPPY-LOVE AFFAIR HAS GONE JUST ABOUT FAR ENOUGH, DAVEY! IT'S TIME SOMETHING WERE BEING DONE ABOUT IT! BUT WHAT???

I WOULDN'T BURST HER DREAM FOR ANYTHING, BUT I CAN'T BEAR TO SEE HER HURT AS SHE SURELY WILL BE, EITHER. I KNOW!!!

UNLESS I'M MISTAKEN... HELLO, CORA? SAY, HOW ABOUT PUG'S SPENDING THE WEEK-END WITH YOU ON THE FARM, AND BRINGING A LITTLE FRIEND WITH HER? OKAY? SWELL!

PUG, AUNTIE CORA JUST INVITED YOU TO SPEND THE WEEK-END WITH HER... AND I WAS JUST WONDERING HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO INVITE WILF TO GO ALONG? OH! BOOTS! OH! OH!

—By EDGAR MARTIN

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YOU LET THAT BOAT DRIEF AWAY, RED, AND I'LL BRAIN YOU!

LEAVE IT TO ME, SNEED!

I'D LIKE A BIT MORE FOLLOW-THRU, FELLA!

AND JUST AS HE SPRINGS UP TO GET IN THE BOAT...

ALLEY OOP —By V. T. HAMLIN

THEIR SITUATION IS GETTING CRITICAL, DOCTOR!

JUST NINE SECONDS MORE NOW EIGHT, SEVEN, SIX...

HERE THEY COME, OSCAR—BAIL OUT FAST!

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RED RYDER —By FRED HARMAN

I CAN CLEAN UP BETTIN' AGAINST THIS RACE, STOKER!

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OW! YOU SCRAPE-UM OFF SKIN!

I WILL!

VIC FLINT —By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

GOSH, CONNIE, FER A MINUTE YOU HAD ME THINKIN' YOU WERE SERIOUS ABOUT ME TAKIN' A DIVE!

SURE, I WAS JUST FOOLING, BAT, EVERYBODY KNOWS YOU'D BE TOO HONEST TO THROW A FIGHT.

BUT WHAT I SAY IS, THROWING A FIGHT'S BETTER THAN GETTING YOUR BRAINS KNOCKED OUT. I'VE GOT A RIGHT TO WORRY ABOUT YOU. WHAT KIND OF A FATHER WOULD A SLAP-HAPPY MAKE?

NOBODY'S GONNA MAKE ME SLAP-HAPPY, HONEY.

HELLO, VIC. I BEEN WAITIN' FOR YOU.

AND just about that time I was opening the door of my hotel room.

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By MERRILL BLOSSER

IF THE BOYS THINK THEY WANT US TO BE SWEET AND SIMPLE, WE'LL JUST SEE HOW LONG THEY CAN STAND IT!

WHAT WORRIES ME IS HOW LONG CAN I STAND IT?

HONESTLY, LARD IS SO SMUG HE DEVASTATES ME—HE THINKS THAT SILLY WOMAN-HATING WEEK HAS TAUGHT US A LESSON!

IT HAS, BUT NOT THE WAY HE THINKS!

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Nelson And Champ Are Leading El Paso Golf

EL PASO—(AP)—Frank Champ, of Lake Charles, La., and Byron Nelson, of Roanoke, were neck and neck as the Texas PGA open entered the third round Friday.

Champ fired his second of 67 to take the halfway lead Thursday with an eight under par 134. Nelson fashioned a 69 to go with his first day score of 66 for a 135.

Nelson, former leading money-winner among the nation's professional golfers and now a farmer, had trouble with his putting, dubbing a one-foot putt at one point.

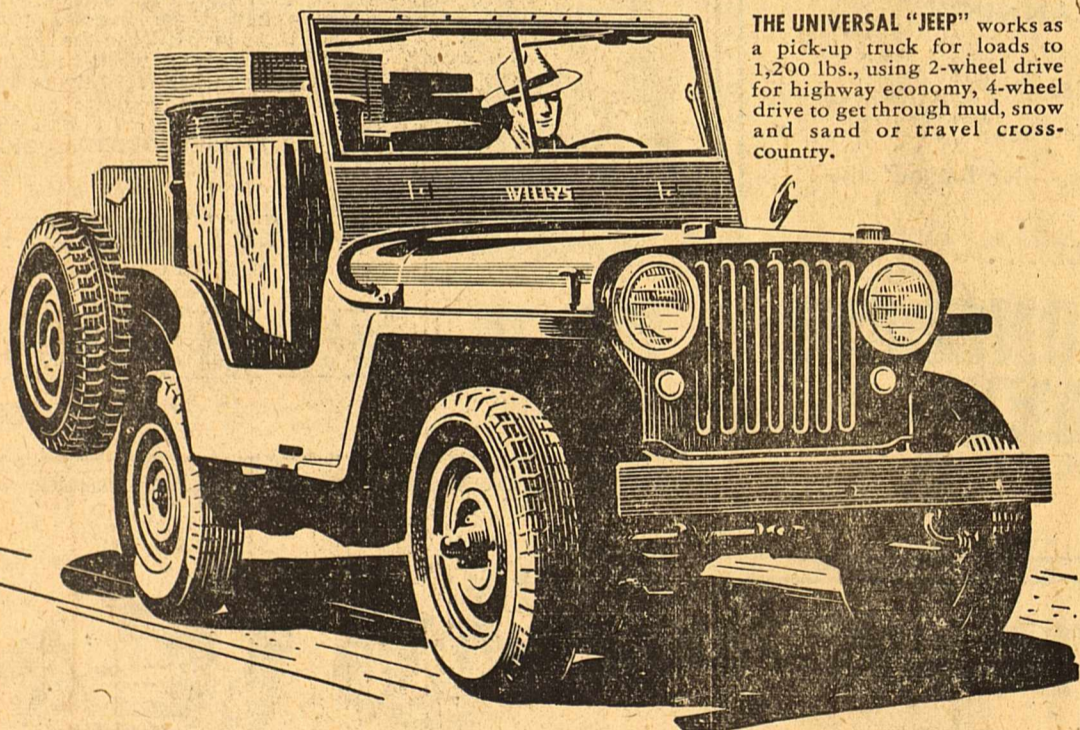
Midland Colts Will Play Slaton Tigers

The Midland Colts, Latin-American baseball team, will travel to Slaton Sunday for an afternoon set-to with that city's Tigers.

Game time is 3:30 p. m.

X-rays were discovered by a German professor in 1895.

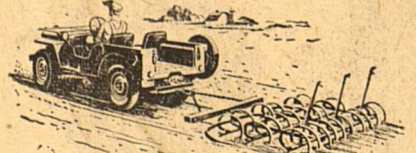
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HOW THEY STAND

THURSDAY'S RESULTS

Longhorn League
Ballinger 11, Big Spring 6.
Odessa 6, Sweetwater 5.
Midland 5, Vernon 3.
West Texas-New Mexico
Amarillo 2, Abilene 1.
Lubbock 5, Clovis 1.
Borger 4, Pampa 2.
Albuquerque at Lamesa, ppd., rain.

Texas League
San Antonio 0-2, Houston 1-1 (two games).
Shreveport 2, Beaumont 0.
Oklahoma City 2, Fort Worth 0.
Dallas 11, Tulsa 9.
(Only games scheduled.)

American League
Detroit at New York, ppd., rain.
Cleveland at Boston, ppd., rain.
Chicago at Philadelphia, ppd., rain.

National League
St. Louis 4, Pittsburgh 1.
(Only game scheduled.)

STANDINGS

Longhorn League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Big Spring	19	7	.731
Midland	14	10	.583
Odessa	14	14	.500
Ballinger	11	15	.423
Sweetwater	11	17	.393
Vernon	10	16	.385

Texas League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Houston	25	14	.641
Fort Worth	21	17	.553
Shreveport	22	19	.537
Dallas	20	20	.500
Oklahoma City	19	21	.475
Beaumont	19	23	.452
San Antonio	18	22	.450
Tulsa	15	23	.395

National League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	17	12	.588
New York	15	11	.577
Boston	16	13	.552
Brooklyn	15	13	.536
Pittsburgh	12	20	.375
Philadelphia	15	16	.484
Cincinnati	13	18	.419
St. Louis	10	19	.345

American League

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Detroit	17	11	.607
Boston	17	12	.586
Cleveland	13	10	.565
Chicago	16	15	.516
Philadelphia	14	15	.483
New York	13	14	.481
Washington	15	15	.423
St. Louis	19	19	.345

Women's Trans-Miss Is Progressing Properly

NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—The four lowest qualifiers Friday moved strictly as scheduled into the semifinals of the annual Women's Trans-Mississippi Golf tournament at Metairie Country Club here.

Medalist Polly Riley of Fort Worth faced the No. 3 qualifier, Mrs. Sam Israel, Jr., who holds the Louisiana championship for the sixth time.

Dot Kietly of Los Angeles, second low qualifier, meets the fourth seeded Margaret Gunther of Memphis, champion of Tennessee.

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Tribe Wins Third Over Vernon, 5-3

By TANNER LAINE

It was a good ball game by any standards Thursday night, and the Midland Indians beat the Vernon Dusters, 5 to 3, in a Longhorn League encounter here. It was the third straight licking administered to the Dusters by the Tribe.

The Indians move to Sweetwater Friday to open a two-night stand and will return home for a Sunday afternoon set-to with Ballinger's Cats at 3 p. m.

Midland had Vernon's number again Thursday night as it did for this whole series. Both clubs got one tally in the first frame. Then Midland chalked up two more in both second and third innings and that was the scoring for the Indians for the evening. Vernon got two tallies in the fifth.

Vernon got a run after two outs in the first. Kott got on base by fielder's choice and scored on a hit by Huntley. Jones beat out a hit but got nipped at second on Simon's fielder's choice.

Midland duplicated the run in its half of the first with Eddie Melillo hitting. Davis hitting, and Eddie scoring on an overthrow.

The Indians added two in the second with Ramsdell hitting. Nipp hitting. Ramsdell stole home base and Nipp later tallied.

Figuring that was not enough, Midland got two more in the third. Prince hit. Ramsdell hit a triple scoring Prince. Nipp hit scoring Ramsdell.

Vernon's fifth inning two runs were made by Ayres, who had walked. Kott got on base by error and Jones scored him with a hit.

Lefty Grove twirled the win for Midland with a five-hit performance. He struck out 10 Dusters. Fahr, who beat Midland here last series, pitched well but Midland had his number enough to win.

The box score:

VERNON					
Player	AB	R	H	O	A
Ayres, ss	3	0	2	1	1
Isbell, 3b	5	1	0	1	0
Kott, 2b	3	2	0	2	0
Huntley, cf, rf	4	0	1	1	0
Jones, lf	4	0	1	2	5
Simons, lf	4	0	2	0	2
Erhardt, cf	3	0	0	0	3
Kalinec, rf	1	0	0	2	0
Cowser, c	3	0	2	9	0
Fahr, p	4	0	1	0	4
Totals	34	3	5	24	5

MIDLAND					
Player	AB	R	H	O	A
H. Melillo, 2b	3	0	0	6	3
E. Melillo, ss	4	1	2	5	5
Davis, cf	4	0	1	1	0
McAlexander, 3b	4	0	0	3	3
Prince, 1b	4	1	3	5	0
Ramsdell, lf	4	2	2	3	0
Nipp, rf	4	1	2	1	0
Keon, c	4	0	1	9	1
Grove, p	4	0	0	1	1
Totals	35	5	10	27	13

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MAJOR LEAGUES— Cardinals Defeat Dodgers, 4 To 1 In Only Contest

By The Associated Press

Kirby Higbe is waking Branch Rickey look good. The Dodger Mahatma eyes a \$200,000 deposit in a Brooklyn trust company, Pittsburgh still scans the skies for old Hig's first Pirate victory.

The pride of Columbia, S. C., has made four starts since he was bundled up with four other Dodgers and sold to Pittsburgh. A tie-game against St. Louis is his best showing.

Although Rickey was widely criticized for ruining the Brook's pitching staff when he peddled Higbe, the failure of last year's Dodger ace in an enemy uniform has quieted the dissenters. Granted, Brooklyn pitching is in ragged condition, but Old Hig doesn't appear to be the missing link.

Hig and Howie Pollet Thursday night hooked up in a tight 1-1 duel for six innings at Sportsman's Park until the Cards unloaded four of their eight hits in a three-run seventh inning for a 4-1 decision.

Card Manager Eddie Dyer, who has taken his lumps in the first month of the campaign after a storybook freshman season in which he won the pennant and the world championship, showed signs of the cellar strain in an argument with Umpire Art Gore. Dyer thought Wytch Kurovski was safe at first base in a close decision by Gore. He said his piece so loudly with so many gestures that Gore banished him from the premises. It was the first time mid-mannered Eddie had been thumbed out this season.

The St. Louis night game, witnessed by 14,035 fans, was the only game played in the majors. No other clubs were scheduled in the National and three scheduled games in the American were rained out.

Texas League Settles Down To Tight Playing

By The Associated Press

Soaring scores of a few weeks ago are now just misty memories for most teams in the Texas League.

Three shutouts were on the books today as the result of Thursday night's play, with only one game giving the scorekeeper a workout.

Houston's Buffs rode high in the driver's seat, despite a split with San Antonio. The Buffs took the first behind Jack Cree's four-hit pitching, 2-0, but dropped the night-cap, 2-1.

Dallas outlasted Tulsa in a weird custom dating back to colonial times, are still held in South Carolina, and Rosella Green, 23.

Bulldogs End Baseball Wars Here Saturday

The Midland High School Bulldogs will roll down the curtain on their first baseball season in years at 2 p. m. Saturday here in the Indians Park with a scheduled game against the Big Spring Steers.

Midland holds a win over Big Spring this campaign, 8 to 6. Both nines have improved greatly from early season showings.

Season results for the Bulldogs:

- Midland 8, Big Spring 6.
- Midland 15, Odessa 14.
- Midland 12, Sweetwater 7.
- Midland 3, Abilene 27.
- Midland 0, San Antonio 25.
- Midland 13, Lamesa 22.
- Midland 6, Abilene 18.
- Midland 3, Odessa 8.

Games with Sweetwater and San Angelo both scheduled at Midland were rained out. And they probably will not be played.

Midland gets back for next season a dozen of its present diamond performers.

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A marriage license was issued here Thursday to James E. Calvin, 24, and Rosella Green, 23.

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