

**Veto Is Promised GOP Tax-Cut Bill**

**Snyder Delivers Warning**

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Secretary of the Treasury Snyder Friday virtually promised the Republican-controlled Congress that President Truman will veto any attempt to reduce income taxes without boosting other federal revenues.

He laid what looked like an Administration ultimatum before the House Ways and Means Committee, whose GOP majority is bent on passing a tax-cutting measure quickly. It went like this:

"The revenue loss resulting from any tax adjustment should be offset by upward revision in other taxes. There must be no reduction in aggregate revenue."

Snyder said the President's own plan of a 40 income tax cut for each taxpayer and dependent, matched by a new \$2,200,000,000 bill of corporation profits which exceeded a prewar average, would fill the bill.

But he declared a measure by Chairman Knutson (R-Minn) of the tax-writing committee, to cut income taxes without making up the loss elsewhere, would wipe out part of this year's budget surplus and create a \$2,000,000,000 deficit in the 1949 fiscal period, starting July 1.

Furthermore, Snyder declared, the Knutson Bill would cost the government \$6,800,000,000 a year instead of the \$6,600,000,000 estimated by the Minnesotaan.

"The cold facts are," Snyder said, "that present economic conditions, budgetary considerations, inflationary pressures and debt management problems require the maintenance of government revenues at present levels."

In his prepared statement as opening witness at the committee's tax hearings, Snyder said that calling President Truman's plan the only one the administration will accept.

But he called it the "fairest" and "most equitable" way of making a "cost-of-living tax adjustment" to ease the hardship of price increases on families with low incomes.

He said the Republican-favored Knutson Bill would do less for the poorer taxpayers and, above all, it would cause a critical loss of government revenue.

Republicans have declared the President's plan "dead as a mackerel."

**Ruhr Valley Strike Threatened**



(NEA Telephone) Ruhr workers near Essen, Germany, some of the estimated 15,000 who demonstrated for a larger food allowance, bear a sign reading "We want to eat so that we can work." Now German leaders in the Ruhr, demanding that coal surpluses be shipped to Holland and Belgium in exchange for food and that no coal be shipped from the Ruhr until food is assured, threatened a general walkout of four million men.

**Democrats Rally As Taft Flails Budget**

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Democrats moved to shore up their defenses against raids by Henry A. Wallace Friday as Senator Taft (R-Ohio) hammered at what he called President Truman's "war spending" budget.

Taft, who is seeking the GOP presidential nomination, told the Providence, R. I., Republican Club Thursday night that \$3,000,000,000 can be cut off the President's \$39,668,000,000 budget for the year beginning July 1.

Taft proposed an increase in Air Corps funds as an alternative to universal military training and a \$1,000,000,000 cut in foreign aid spending plans. He accused the Treasury of juggling figures to prevent a tax cut last year and demanded a cut now in individual income levies.

Meanwhile, James A. Farley, Democratic national chairman during the first two terms of Franklin D. Roosevelt, lashed out at Wallace in a speech at Lynchburg, Va.

He said the third party candidate had failed to find "happiness" in either the Republican or Demo-

**Texas Joins Nation In Midwinter Shivers**

By The Associated Press  
No relief was in sight from Midwinter's severe cold wave which sent temperatures in the Midwest and Northern New England Friday to sub-zero marks in the 20's and to below freezing in Southern states.

The bitter cold covered a wide area from the Eastern Rockies to the North Atlantic. While some sections of the Gulf States reported higher temperatures Friday than Thursday, the mercury dipped below freezing as far south as Northern Florida.

Snow was falling at Amarillo and Pampa and temperatures were plummeting all over Texas Friday as two cold fronts moved over the state.

Temperatures were expected to stay below freezing all day in the Panhandle, where Amarillo reported a low of 18 degrees at 10 a. m. The temperature dropped to 16 above zero at Pampa at 9 a. m.

**★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★**

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Soviet Ambassador Alexander S. Ponyushkin said Friday Russia is ready to resume negotiations to settle her \$11,200,000,000 wartime lend-lease account with the United States.

LAKE SUCCESS — (AP) — A United Nations delegate said Friday he had been informed the Security Council will act on providing an international military police force in Palestine before a U. N. commission goes into the Holy Land to enforce partition.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Justice Department Friday announced the arrest for deportation of Alexander Bittelman of New York, a national committeeman for the Communist Party in the United States.

**Hunger Strikes Threaten Ruhr**

BERLIN. — (AP) — Some 75,000 German workers were idle Friday in four Ruhr Valley cities in strikes protesting food shortages. Authorities feared the strike movement would spread swiftly in Germany's industrial heart, where hunger grips 4,000,000 workers. Many of them are living on starvation diets.

German newspapers in the Western occupation zones linked the labor crisis with what they call a Communist master scheme, "Protocol M," to wreck the Marshall Plan.

Coal miners and most workers in essential services remained on their jobs. Strikes and possible riots were predicted Thursday night by Hans Boeckler, head of the German Federation of Trade Unions, after a conference of German and British officials on the food crisis, which ended without any action to relieve the shortages.

Simultaneously, Germany's sputtering political situation boiled up. Several old line German Communist leaders revealed they had split with Moscow-directed Communists and formed an opposition party.

The Moscow radio added its bit by broadcasting a special program to hungry Ruhr miners, seeking to prove that the way to more potatoes was through the Communist Party.

The Ruhr, which has remained comparatively quiet since last Winter's food riots, sprang suddenly into the European picture when the 1,550-calorie subsistence ration level dropped in many places to 1,200 and even 1,100 calories.

Hunger, Communist Ally  
Although British-American food imports have been on schedule, collections from German farmers have not.

Deaths Above 800  
Deaths throughout the Holy Land since partition was announced by the United Nations totaled well over the 800 mark.

The port of Haifa, choked with peak-of-season citrus shipping, was isolated, and many workers have been away from their jobs in fear of their lives.

Refinery operators, transportation services and other such activities were slowed down or stopped. The city was under a virtual state of siege.

**Hearing On Athletic Plant Slated Friday**

School officials will explain the proposed development of a new athletic plant in Northwest Midland and citizens will be given the opportunity of expressing themselves on the proposal at a special meeting at 7:30 p. m. Friday in the superintendent's office in the high school.

**Canadians Look To Price Controls For HCL Relief**

OTTAWA. — (AP) — Canadian consumers, beset by steadily soaring living costs, looked for at least partial relief Friday in the government's reimposition Thursday night of price controls on meat and butter.

In addition, the government said it will ask Parliament to extend price controls until March 31, 1949. Controls on meat and butter were lifted last Fall, and since that time prices have climbed.

Finance Minister Douglas Abbott, who announced the reimposition of controls on the two prime staples, said a ceiling price would be fixed on butter in a day or two, pegged on a wholesale price per pound in Montreal of 67 cents. It will take about two weeks to evolve a meat ceiling, he said.

**First Presbyterian Building Fund Drive Nears Halfway Mark**

With gifts to the First Presbyterian Church building and expansion fund nearing the halfway mark, an effort will be made to complete the \$200,000 campaign by the end of January, Robert L. Wood, chairman, said Friday.

Gifts and pledges to the fund now total \$90,000, the figure representing donations from 165 church families. Wood said 135 families of the congregation yet are to be contacted.

All volunteer campaigners and church officers will meet in the church at 1:45 p. m. Sunday to hear a report of the drive and to map plans for final solicitations. Pledge cards will be re-distributed. W. J. Sparks is the campaign treasurer.

A two-story educational building will be erected adjoining the present church plant at the corner of Texas and A streets, to overcome an overcrowded situation existing in the Sunday School and Young Peoples departments.

(NEA Telephone) Secret Service agents in New York are holding a 72-year-old junk dealer whom they describe as the "most successful" counterfeiter ever caught. Government agents said Edward (Pop) Muller, shown with worthless bills, had passed approximately \$15 per week in counterfeit bills since 1932.

**Hats Get 'Lucky Treatment'**



(NEA Telephone) With a full fistful of four-leaf clovers in one hand, and a big rabbit's foot in the other, John Ben Shepperd, president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce of the U. S., begins his task of giving the "lucky treatment" to these Texas style, Western hats, which he'll give to governors of nine states on a forthcoming tour.

**Vandenberg Suggests Aid Plan Protective Features**

WASHINGTON. — (AP) — Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich) suggested Friday that "half the criticisms" of the European recovery program would disappear if means are provided so the United States "can follow our dollars abroad and see we are getting our money's worth."

The Senate Foreign Relations Committee chairman made the comment after John J. McCloy, president of the International Bank, recommended that "no fuzzy plans" be made under the Marshall Plan "in order to avoid the consequences of the English loan."

McCloy referred to the \$3,750,000,000 loan by the United States to Great Britain as "ineffective." He said that loan has been criticized here and in England because there was a "lack of knowledge" as to "what the money was used for."

Vandenberg, apparently agreeing, said that if a loan protective feature can be placed "at the base of the ERP (European Recovery Program)," this "would do more to satisfy the American public than anything that can be done."

Hearings on the plan continued as Secretary of State Marshall and Senator Taft (R-Ohio) differed sharply over how much the self-help program for 16 Western European nations should cost. The Administration has asked \$6,800,000,000 for the first 15 months' operation of the proposed four-year plan.

Taft suggested a \$1,000,000,000 slash in this total Thursday night as the secretary asserted any radical change would endanger the whole Marshall Plan to help Europe.

World Deduct Billion  
The \$1,000,000,000 cut Taft suggested would be made in the \$4,882,000,000 total the Administration wants to spend during the year starting July 1 for the Marshall Plan and food for occupied Germany and Austria.

The Ohioan did not propose a specific cut in Marshall's 15-month European aid figure, but he indicated he would like to see it held to \$5,000,000,000.

**Adjustments On Rent Ceilings To Be Sought**

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Senator Bricker (R-Ohio) urged Friday that Congress open the way for landlords to increase rents of millions of tenants who have failed to sign leases permitting "voluntary" hikes of up to 15 per cent.

At the same time, Senator Myers (D-Pa) said he is going to "fight like hell" to strengthen rent controls, in line with President Truman's request in his anti-inflation program.

The present rent control law is scheduled to expire February 29. A Senate banking subcommittee starts hearings Saturday on legislation to extend it.

Under the existing law, landlords — up to the start of this year — could raise rents by as much as 15 per cent, in cases where tenants agreed to an increase, in exchange for a lease running through 1948.

Bricker told a reporter it would be "unconscionable" for Congress "to be in the position of having lured some tenants into paying more rent with the promise of added protection, and then have them find that they need not have paid more."

The Ohio senator said "there will have to be some equalization if rent controls are continued, and it seems to me the only fair way would be to permit landlords to raise the rents of those who did not sign leases."

**Counterfeiter**



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**SECTOR DISCOVERY HAS APPARENTLY STOPPED WATER**

J. W. McMillen No. 1 J. H. Emmons, Southeast Ector County wildcat discovery, five miles south of Odessa, and one and one-half miles south of the nearest production on the south side of the South Cowden field, is shut in preparatory to taking potential test and completing.

This project, located 680 feet from north and west lines of section 8, block 42, T-3-S, had shown for a possible discovery from the San Andres about four weeks ago.

However, water appeared and operator found that it was coming from Grayburg water sand below the 7-inch casing which has been cemented at 4,285 feet. The pipe was put at that point through an error in measuring the hole. Total depth was originally reported to be at 4,525 feet. Re-check showed that point to be 4,550 feet.

In an effort to eliminate the water operator set a formation packer at 4,368 feet. After the packer had been set the well was swabbed out and no new water appeared.

It is expected that the potential test gauge will be started in about 48 hours. By letting it stand that long it will be possible to get a more thorough determination as to the water shut off.

**APOC GETS MORE SLIGHT SIGNS IN GAINES VENTURE**

Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1 E. H. Jones, Northwest Gaines County prospect, about 25 miles northeast of Seminole, was drilling ahead below 6,195 feet in upper Clear Fork-Permian line.

It ran a drillstem test for 90 minutes at 6,150-93 feet. Recovery was 90 feet of drilling mud, very slight oil cut, and carrying an odor of gas. There was no sign of formation water.

The venture is five miles south of the Jones Ranch field, and 2,200 feet from south and west lines of section 21, block A-7, 1st survey.

**NE GARZA PROSPECTOR IS TAKING VELOCITY SURVEY**

Union Oil Company of California and Cities Service Oil Company No. 1-A Davies, seven miles northeast of Post, in Northeast Garza County, was bottomed at 8,753 feet in Ellenburger dolomite and was taking a velocity survey.

This prospector entered the Ellenburger at about 8,441 feet, on an elevation of 2,803 feet. That zone has not shown any signs of oil or gas. The horizon at 8,507-75 feet developed 5,300 feet of sulphur water, with no shows of petroleum, in a one-and-one-half hour drillstem test.

**S-C HALE PROSPECT SWABS AFTER SECOND ACID SHOT**

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Lutrick, South-Central Hale County possible discovery from the Cisco line section of the Pennsylvania, was reported to be swabbing following a re-treatment with 2,500 gallons of acid in the open hole section at 7,908-87 feet.

The development had originally treated with 1,000 gallons of acid, and after the load had been lifted it swabbed at the rate of 40 barrels of fluid per hour for six hours. Most of that recovery was said to have been 41 gravity new oil.

The 2,500-gallon treatment was then injected. Following that activity the project is credited with flowing 116 barrels of fluid in two hours. In a subsequent 15-hour pebbled it is said to have flowed 150 barrels of fluid—mostly oil—and then died.

The current swabbing was supposed to be an effort to kick the well off to flowing again. It is six and one-half miles northeast of Abernathy, three and one-half miles southwest of the Petersburg field, and 680 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 14, block D-8, EL&RR survey.

**SUN TREATS N-C COKE DISCOVERY WITH ACID**

Sun Oil Company No. 1 J. W. Arledge, North-Central Coke County discovery from the Marble Falls lime, was treating the open hole section at 6,595-6,620 feet, with 800 gallons of acid.

On the test before the acid operation was started the well flowed 56 barrels of oil, no water, in 19 (Continued On Page 8)

**A Proclamation**

WHEREAS, the civic bodies and service organizations of our community and the departments of the local government, recognize the great service rendered to this community by the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce and its affiliated State and Local organizations are observing the week of January 14 to Jan. 21, 1948, to observe the founding of the Junior Chamber of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, this organization has contributed materially to the betterment of this community throughout the year.

**March Of Dimes Off To Good Start Here**

The 1948 March of Dimes got off to a good start in Midland Thursday. Ray Gwyn, county chairman, said Friday as he predicted the drive will go down in history as a bright page of community endeavor.

"This year as never before, Midland is going all out in the campaign for funds to care for infantile paralysis patients. The march will continue until January 30, and every man, woman and child will have the opportunity to share in combating a dread disease which for the last five years has hit the nation with the greatest severity in history," Gwyn said.

Every citizen is asked to contribute to the worthy cause. Checks should be made payable to Cecil Waldrep, treasurer of the Midland County Chapter of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, and mailed to Ray Gwyn, Box 272, Midland.

**Walker Appointed Midland Fire Chief**

J. T. (Jim) Walker was appointed Fire Chief of Midland Thursday, City Manager H. A. Thomason announced.

Walker, a veteran of more than 20 years service with the department, succeeds Luther Tidwell, long-time chief, who resigned Tuesday. The new chief began duties immediately.

**WEATHER**

Partly cloudy and colder Friday night. Continued cold and fair Saturday. Lowest temperatures expected Friday night and early Saturday, 14 to 20 degrees in Panhandle, 20 to 28 degrees elsewhere in West Texas. Maximum temperature Thursday was 65 degrees, minimum 30 degrees. Minimum Friday was 26 degrees.

**GOLDEN GLOVES—**

# Fights Start Friday Night

There will be lots of fighting Friday night in the VFW hangar at Midland Air Terminal, and Saturday night, too—but it's all legal, with boxing gloves on, and under Golden Gloves supervision. It's the Midland district tournament. Fights start at 7:30 p. m. nightly.

Scrappers from Midland, Odessa, Big Spring and other Permian Basin cities will compete. The two-night event is sponsored by the Veterans of Foreign Wars with Joe Shell as matchmaker and director.

Tickets are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office in the Scharbauer Hotel. It was announced there will be tickets sold for junior high and high school students at a special rate of 30 cents. Ringside, reserved and general admission tickets are on sale for adults.

Odessa will be heavily represented. Coach Bob Clark Thursday announced 23 high school entries from that city. Bill Wooster is entering a crop of open and novice class boys from Odessa including (with weights): Ed Rowland, 190; Byron Townsend, 175; Gene Campbell, 156; J. D. Partridge, 150; Ken Mason 138; Billings, Holder and Landrum, 126; Max Fly, bantamweight and others.

Midland's complete entries with weights are listed: Ben Olliff, 190; Bill Moore, 147; Allen Armstrong, 170; George Capps, 190; Eoye Roberts, 135; Dick Clark, 145; W. A. Scoggings, 121; Bob Hunter, 146; Tom Friday, 135; Maurice Cox, 123; Red Prichard, 165.

Big Spring lists definite entries in Vernon Fowler, 175 pounds, and Harold Henaley, lightweight. Other boys are expected to join these in making a Big Spring team.

Exams At 7 P. M.

The Odessa high school entries are (with weights): Gerald Reeves, 112; Johnnie Griggs, Thomas McCandless, 118; Elmer Wood, Steve Ward, Gerald Barnett, 126; Frank Ayers, Gene Carr, Rex Maxwell, Roger Gee, Richard Griggs, 136; Gene Merrill, Don Stanford, Ken Dyson, Ben Earl Shattuck, Buddy Sutherland, Severe Lawrence, 147; Howard Bounds, Jack Deaton, Bruce Price, 160; Homer Letchers, Gerald Perry, 175; Clyde Smith, heavyweight.

By fight time Friday there are expected to be more entries.

Weighing-in and examinations (physical) will be at 7 p. m. Friday. Expert judges, handlers and other officials have been obtained for the tourney.

It is strictly under Golden Gloves requirements.

## Bill Atwood Named Pilot At Ballinger

BALLINGER—(P)—Bill Atwood, veteran baseball catcher and manager, has been named playing manager of the Ballinger Cats in the Longhorn Baseball League.

Bill Moore, club president, announced the appointment of the Dallas resident.

Atwood last year served as manager of the Sherman Twins in the Big State League and later in the season as pilot of the Abbeville, La., team in the Evangeline League.

Buddy Hancken, Ballinger last year, has been signed to manage Greenville in the Big State League this year.

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## Walker Receives Maxwell Trophy



(NEA Telephone) Doak Walker receives the Maxwell Memorial Trophy from Bert Bell, National Football League commissioner, left, at the annual dinner in Philadelphia. Walker was chosen the outstanding player in college football for the 1947 season. He was the spark plug of the Southern Methodist University Mustangs.

# Sports

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## Midland All-Stars Will Play Odessa

The Midland All-Stars, a sparkling cage outfit trying to get interest going in the city for basketball, will play the Bill Hale Motors five from Odessa at 8:15 p. m. Friday in the Midland High gymnasium.

Seating action for Midland will be: Charlie Kelly, center; Bill Joe Stiekney and Copper Daugherty, forwards; Duck Drake and Buddy Davidson, guards. All are former MHS stars. Also slated for action are: Jay Hart, Ken Baker and Bill Drake, smooth all-star court performers.

Admission will be charged. This is the opening all-star tilt in Midland this season. If the fan show action the Stars will book games with the strong Gulf Oilers of Odessa, the Odessa Junior College and other teams.

## Boosters To Meet Monday

The Bulldog Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the high school.

Plans will be made for the annual banquet honoring the football players of Midland High, which is scheduled January 26.

President J. W. McMillen urges attendance by all Boosters. McMillen said a "big name coach" will be obtained as football banquet speaker this year.

## Harrison Leads Pros In Richmond Open

RICHMOND, CALIF.—(P)—Paced by lanky E. J. "Dutch" Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., a seven-under-par shooter in his initial effort, a field of 109 crack professionals and amateurs teed off in the second round of the 72-hole, \$10,000 Richmond Open golf tournament.

Harrison jumped into the lead late in the day Thursday. His 35-30-85 set a new competitive record for the par 37-35-72 Richmond course and gave him the choice position over a pair of rival pros, Jim Milward of Northern, Wis., and Erick Monti, Santa Monica, who had shared first place earlier with 66s. Milward's second nine 29 was the lowest for the starting round.

Among first round scores posted in the tournament were: Shelley Mayfield, Laredo, Texas, 41-40-81.

Lloyd Wadkins, Odessa, 41-37-78.

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## Purple Engages Steers

Cocky Big Spring, sitting on top of the 3-AA basketball world, comes to Midland Saturday night. A curtain-raiser between the Midland "B" and Big Spring "B" quintets is set at 7 p. m. The varsity battle is due at 8 p. m. in the Midland High gym.

The invading Steers are undefeated in conference play with three victories. Most recent triumph of the Steers was over Lamesa Tuesday night, 41 to 30. And the Bulldogs are reminded Steer Eddie Houser made 28 points all by himself in that one. Also, the Big Spring cage five has defeated Abilene and Sweetwater.

Big Springers will come to Midland a bit winded, however, since they must play Odessa Friday night. And Odessa is gaining in basketball power. Tuesday night the Broncos ripped Sweetwater, 45-34. It is remembered Odessa knocked off San Angelo and Midland. Abilene holds a decision over Odessa.

Midland should be loaded for Big Spring. The Bulldogs "worked out" Tuesday night at Monahans and in losing tried out new patterns of the court. Reserves played most of the way, resting the regulars.

With Houser for the Steers are Delmar Turner, Ike Robb, Jim Bill Little and Harold Berry.

Feudin' them will be Midland's Larry Messersmith, Fred Dunn, Dicky Jackson, Al German, Don Hamblet, Hoot Harris, Herman Hanka, Kent Miller, Lloyd Henderson, B. H. Spaw and company.

Big Spring was favored to win the crown last year but got bumped by Abilene. This season the Steers are on the rampage.

When warm air expands and rises it cools at the rate of about one degree for every 180 feet of ascent.

## More Tokles



Arthur, left, youngest of 20 Tokles, is in this country from Norway to complete the illustrious ski-jumping career of his brother, national champion Sgt. Torger, killed in action in the Italian Alps. Arthur outjumped the field in his first American appearance at Bear Mountain, N.Y., but was narrowly beaten on form. Kyrre Tokle won in the veterans' class for the second straight year.

## Protest Registered By Texas Zionists

DALLAS—(P)—Five Dallas Zionist groups Friday had called upon President Truman to ask the British government "to change its tactics in handling the present political situation in Palestine."

The organizations urged the action in a telegram.

The message asserted the British are not abiding by the United Nations decision to partition Palestine into Jewish and Arab states and are favoring "Arab hooligans" in disturbances.

## TEXAS GOVERNOR MADE HONORARY JAYCEE

AUSTIN—(P)—John Ben Shepherd, Gladewater attorney and president of the National Junior Chamber of Commerce, made Gov. Beauford Jester an honorary Jaycee Thursday night.

Shepherd also advocated approval of the Marshall Plan for aid to Europe in an address before the Austin JayCee chapter.

If oysters are immersed in carbonated water for five minutes they are much easier to shuck.

## Joe Louis Is Voted 'Flop Of The Year'

NEW YORK—(P)—Joe Louis' dismal winning effort against Jersey Joe Walcott was the biggest disappointment of 1947 to the sports editors of the nation who contributed answers to the annual Associated Press year-end poll.

Those who had come to expect the Brown Bomber to make short work of all opposition were let down by his dull effort against the 33-year-old challenger, who twice knocked him down. The editors apparently were shocked most of all by the sudden disintegration of the heavyweight champion.

Although a large majority of the writers said they thought Louis would defeat Walcott decisively next time they met, they agreed in handing the unenviable "Flop of the year" title to the champ.

Choice of Louis was not unanimous. In fact, it probably would have been a tossup between the Boston Red Sox and St. Louis Cardinals for "most disappointing performance" if the heavyweight fight had not resulted in such a commotion.

**Rice Owls Mentioned**

The Red Sox, an overwhelming choice to win a second straight American League pennant, last Spring, never were in the battle after June. Five writers thought the Sox the biggest flop and six voted for the Cardinals, but 18 put the finger on Louis.

Strictly on a point basis with five points for first, three for second and one for third, Louis piled up 111 to 55 for the Red Sox and 49 for the Cards, who were leading contenders.

The Rice Institute football team was given one first place vote as the flop of the year.

**BUFFS REHIRE KEANE**

HOUSTON—(P)—President Allen Russell announced Johnny Keane has signed to manage Houston in the Texas League baseball race for the third straight year. The Buffs won the 1947 pennant and Dixie Series.

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### Martha Marks Heads Brownie Troop 24's Officers Of Month

Brownie Troop 24, choosing to elect a slate of officers each month, named Martha Marks president for this month, with Mary Giesey, secretary; Earleen Watson, treasurer; and Vicki Anderson, substitute officer, during a Thursday meeting in the home of Mrs. S. C. Giesey, 698 West Louisiana Street.

The president appointed an activity committee, to be headed by Carolyn Boles, assisted by Dorothy Jane Yeckel and Joy Lynna Davis.

Mrs. R. S. Anderson served refreshments to Vicki Anderson, Barbara June Barber, Carolyn Boles, Beverly Bradbury, Ginger Culp, Joy Lynna Davis, Mary Giesey, Naomi Green, Linda Gay Henderson, Cecilia Hodges, Martha Marks, Helen Sue Thompson, Earleen Watson, Sally Walston, Dorothy Jane Yeckel, Mrs. Neal Marks and Mrs. Giesey.

### RECOVERS FROM ILLNESS

Mrs. Mollie McCormick is recovering from a week's illness at her home, 217 West Tennessee Street.

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### Mrs. J. C. Smith To Attend State Gardeners Meet

Mrs. J. C. Smith was elected by the Midland Garden Club as a delegate to the state garden club meeting in Brownsville March 4-6, it was announced following a regular meeting of the club Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. L. W. Leggett, 901 West Storey Street.

The session's program featured a paper, "Landscaping the Garden," read by Mrs. R. T. German.

African violets and single stock, arranged in a low coffee table centerpiece, highlighted entertaining - room decorations.

Those attending included a guest, Mrs. Kenneth Anderson, and the following members: Mrs. George Abell, Mrs. Harry Briggs, Mrs. H. E. Bahr, Mrs. Leslie Brown, Mrs. John Casselman, Mrs. Arch Clevenger, Mrs. I. E. Daniel, Mrs. H. S. Forgeron, Mrs. German, Mrs. T. A. Golladay, Mrs. Charles Henderson, Mrs. Bob Hill, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Mrs. N. B. Larsh, Mrs. Leggett, Mrs. L. C. Link, Mrs. J. A. Mascho, Mrs. L. S. Page, Mrs. E. E. Reigle, Mrs. John Redfern, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. R. E. Throckmorton, Mrs. Addison Wadley, Mrs. Lloyd Mill, Mrs. J. W. Baker, Mrs. W. E. Daugherty, Mrs. A. L. Repecka, Mrs. Frank Stubbs, Mrs. Butler Hurley, Mrs. J. B. Sanders and Mrs. Ronald DeFord.

### 'Merry' Mayor?



Mrs. Ruth Foster Froemming, former Ziegfeld Follies girl who was named "prettiest girl in Wisconsin" in 1920, is a non-partisan candidate for mayor of Milwaukee, Wis. The specialty girl in the 1919 Follies, "A Pretty Girl Is Like a Melody," promises a "merrier, lighter, more modern Milwaukee,"

### Mrs. Neta Stovall To Attend Convention Of State Gardeners

Mrs. Neta Stovall will represent the Perennial Garden Club at the State Convention of Garden Clubs March 4-6, it was decided at a Tuesday meeting of the group in the home of Mrs. Jack Prothro, 410 North Marienfield Street.

The program included Mrs. G. B. Christy's discussion of "Growth of Gladiolus" and Mrs. Stovall's discussion of "Arrangement of Gladiolus" and "Gladiolus Corsages."

Members attending placed orders for bulbs.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Bertie Boone, Mrs. J. B. Branham, Mrs. G. B. Christy, Mrs. C. D. Johnson, Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Faye Fagg, Wilma Ruth Holman, Mrs. C. A. McCamey, Mrs. J. C. Miles, Mrs. Prothro, Mrs. O. W. Roberts, Jr., Mrs. O. R. Sharp and Mrs. Stovall.

### DYT Sewing Circle Changes Meeting Day

The DYT Sewing Circle changed its meeting day from 3 p. m. Thursday to 3 p. m. Friday at this week's meeting in the home of Mrs. John A. Sevell, 1402 West Ohio Street.

Members discussed plans for a Valentine dinner, honoring their husbands.

Those attending were Mrs. Sewell, Mrs. A. E. Houck, Mrs. Roy McKee, Mrs. Joe Roberson, Mrs. Kit Carson, Mrs. Tommy Henderson, Mrs. E. P. Birkhead and a guest, Mrs. Earl Chapman.

### Congratulations To...

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Adcock on the birth Thursday of a son, Joel David, weighing six pounds, 10 ounces.

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### GS Troop 1 Elects Emily Hamilton, Prexy

Girl Scout Troop 1 elected Emily Hamilton troop president at a meeting Wednesday in the First Baptist Church. Other 1948 officers named included: Peggy Simmons, vice president; Camilla Birkhead, secretary; Ann Arick, treasurer, and Peggy Read, scribe.

Those attending were Ann Arick, Camilla Birkhead, Peggy Simmons, Emily Hamilton, Sue Ann Frances, Jo Dean Downing, Marion Sevier, Dianne Anderson, Nancy McKinley, Peggy Read and the troop leader, Mrs. Buster Charlton.

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### Parents Of Midland Man Observe 50th Wedding Anniversary In Pecos

PECOS—Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Kerr, celebrating their Golden Wedding anniversary Monday, were named honorees that night at an open house at the home of their niece, Mrs. W. W. Dean, here, who, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Kerr of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Prickett of San Antonio and Mrs. and Mrs. Roger Kuykendall of Lubbock served as hosts.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerr were married January 12, 1898, at Van Horn, and have made their home in Pecos the last 37 years.

Guests Monday night were met at the door by Mrs. Bob Dean and Mrs. Dave Sudderth of Monahans. The receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dean, Mrs. W. W. Dean, Mrs. Prickett, Mr. and Mrs. Prickett, Mr. and Mrs. Kuykendall and Mrs. Keykendall and Carol Jane Kuykendall.

The guest book, in which 375 guests were registered, was embossed in gold with the names "Monroe and Marie," and the dates, "1898-1948." Mrs. Bill Collie and Mrs. Bob Dean presided at the book.

In the dining room the refreshment table was laid with a lace cloth and was lighted by tall golden tapers in gold candelabra, surrounded by gold snapdragons tied with tulle. The large double wedding-ring cake was iced in fluted white and decorated with iced calla lilies. The golden mints were in crystal and gold composites.

The cake was served by Mrs. Frances Walker of Van Horn, Mrs. M. W. Collie and Mrs. W. W. Dean. Mrs. Presley Hurt of Van Horn and Mrs. Bill Collie served the frosted punch.

Musical Numbers  
Musical selections were given by Mrs. Heard Reynolds and Miss Irene Brown, both of Pecos, and Miss Mary Sudderth and Miss Jennie Newton of Monahans.

Other members of the house party included Teddy Kerr of Midland, Billie Collie, Bobby Dean and Nancy Beth Dean, Dave Sudderth of Monahans, Bob Dean, Ralph Bynum, Bill Collie, Heard Reynolds, Judge W. W. Hubbard and William Monroe Kerr of Rowell, N. M.

Out-of-town guests, other than those in the house party, included Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bean and Presley Hurt, Jr., of Van Horn; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Turner, Mr. and Mrs. James T. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Hardie, Jr., Mrs. C. R. Steinberger, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Slack, all of Midland; Judge G. C. Olsen of Kermit, and Henry Straussberger of Dallas.

### Concert Pianist Is Well-Received In Association Recital

Giving an audience of more than 200 persons a well-rounded musical diet, William Hacker, concert pianist, was presented Thursday night in the high school auditorium in the third program number of the Midland Concert and Lecture Association.

The noted American pianist, soloist and composer, and conductor of the Arkansas State Symphony, who appeared here for the second time by popular request, was greeted by another thoroughly receptive audience which welcomed his informality, not only at the keyboard but with the audience. Hacker, throwing aside all "temperaments" that tend to frighten audience, was gracious and friendly to an audience that was as equally gracious.

Hacker's selections moved from the classic and romantic periods to the modern. Beginning with Scarlatti's "Sonatina in B Minor," the program included Handel's "Airs and Variations" (Harmonious Blacksmith), Beethoven's "Sonata in C Major, Op. 53," and two études by Chopin, "Op. 10 No. 3" and "Revolutionary." The pianist excelled in the Beethoven sonata, playing it with a facile, rhythmic and Chopin's "Airs and Variations" with a grace and dexterity throughout; the three movements, particularly in "adagio molto."

Interpretative Ability  
The second half of the concert opened with selections by Debussy, "Clair de Lune" and "Golliwog's Cakewalk" and "Fireworks." Hacker concluded with Liszt's "Liebestraum" and Gershwin's "Rhapsodie in Blue." The audience, impressed by the range of his interpretative ability, called Hacker back for selections that included the composers Grieg, Dvorak and Chopin. Hacker, an outstanding figure on the American concert stage since he was 18, has appeared in recitals in concert halls from Maine to Cuba and Mexico. He made a tour of Holland at the age of 19. Much of his life has been devoted to symphony expression and he is now full-time conductor and musical director of the Arkansas State Symphony.

The concert here was followed immediately by a "meet the artist" reception in the home of Mrs. Naomi Lancaster, 1705 West Indiana Street.

### A Dynamic Walk Spells Youthfulness

By ALICIA HART  
NEA Staff Writer

A dynamic way of walking will do more than all of the other combined arts and tricks a woman can use to create the illusion of youthfulness.

To walk with shoulders squared, back straight and head up is not enough. You need to put ginger in your steps.

Measuring your strides to the length of your legs is important in achieving a walk that expresses grace, power, and youthful vigor. Swinging your body from your hips—not from your knees—also has youthful implications. So does a walk which has a rhythmic pattern.

You can put a measured rhythm into your walk by timing your steps to a tune hummed under your breath. The best tune to use as an accompaniment is one that gives you a one-two-three count. The trick of walking to that is to keep the beat on the ball of your front foot.

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### Coming Events

**SATURDAY**  
The Children's Theater and Junior Workshop will resume activities in the City-County Auditorium.

The League of Women Voters will meet for a 1 p. m. luncheon in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

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### 'Years Ago' Ticket Chairman Expresses Thanks To Tailorline

Bill Waldschmidt, ticket chairman for the Midland Community Theater's production, "Years Ago," expressed his pleasure Friday with the response to the ticket sale and his appreciation for the telephone service furnished by Albert Kelley and Tailorline.

Those who have worked in the ticket booth are Mrs. Erich Bucher, Mrs. Lee Flood, Mrs. F. H. McGulgan, Mrs. Tom Hills, Mrs. Bob Franklin and Mrs. Bill Waldschmidt.

The ticket board moves from Tailorline to the City-County Auditorium box office at 7:30 p. m. Tickets may be purchased there for the 8:30 curtain, it was announced. Students tickets are 60 cents at the door.

### McCamey HD Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Dan Gibson

McCAMEY—The Young Matrons Home Demonstration Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Dan Gibson.

Miss Myrna Holman, agent, instructed the group on the Texas Food Standard and the Basic Seven which teaches how to make balanced menus and how to serve simple and nutritious meals.

Year books were distributed and the following committees were named: year book and program—Mrs. Harold Brown; finance—Mrs. Dan Gibson; recreation—Mrs. Winnie Cowles; EEE—Mrs. Ewell; marketing—Mrs. Ellis Pinkerton.

The next meeting will be at 2 p. m. January 22.

### Jane Beakey Discusses UN For GS Troop 12

Jane Beakey discussed the United Nations and the part Girl Scouts can play in supporting its ideals during a meeting of Troop 12 Wednesday in the First Presbyterian Church. The talk was based on a chapter from the new handbook for the organization.

Chairman Sherry Page called the meeting to order and Secretary Madelon Schabarum read the minutes. During the regular session, Joan Turner traced the story of the Christmas Seal and its benefits to the fight against tuberculosis.

The troop learned a folk song and dance, "Captain Jinks," and teams were selected to usher at the Thursday, Friday and Saturday night performances of the Community Theater's production, "Years Ago."

Members attending the meeting were Marilyn Little, Barbara Long, Joan Turner, Betty Pitzer, Lynn Griffith, Jane Beakey, Patsy Yeager, Sherry Page, Mary Ann Searles, Catherine Perry, Madelon Schabarum and Mrs. I. A. Searles, leader.

### McCamey News

McCAMEY—Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Smith received word last week that their son, Robert L. Smith, probably would sail for home early in January.

He enlisted for 13 months in the U. S. Army Medical Corps and has been stationed in Korea. Smith has been instructing a class of Korean pupils in English in his spare time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knatscher, Sr., and daughter Tamalia, former residents of McCamey, have advised friends they are residing in Poplar Bluff, Mo., where Knatscher is foreman for R. B. Potashnick, contractor, Pipe Line Division.

Olin Pigford is constructing a modern building of concrete, brick and tile to house his Club Cafe here. The old building was torn down to make room for the new structure. All new and modern equipment will be installed. Completion is scheduled within 60 days.

Thomas J. Allen, of McCamey, a senior at John Tarleton College and majoring in agricultural education is exempt from final examinations and will graduate at mid-term.

Mrs. J. R. O'Callaghan left Thursday for Fort Sumner, N. M., where she will visit in the ranch home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Waller, who have large ranch holdings in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Garner and son, Pat, of Sheffield, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Phelps last weekend.

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## What Makes Henry Run?

Some weeks ago, Henry A. Wallace said that if he had to choose between Truman and Taft for President, he would take the Ohio senator. That offhand remark may point to the reason for Wallace's unreasonable announcement of his willingness to be President of the United States.

His election is impossible, of course, and he knows it. There isn't a chance that he can carry even one state. He has no national party. His only organized support comes from the Progressive Citizens of America and the American Labor Party—both split by his candidacy—and, in all likelihood, by the Communist Party.

Yet Wallace is going to run. And since he is something of a practical politician as well as an "idealist," he knows that all he can hope for is to swing the vote in three or four key states. Neither he nor anyone else can say whether he will be able to do it.

But a good guess is that the self-appointed leader of the unborn third party hopes to swing them to the GOP, and that the GOP candidate will be Taft. The reasons behind this guess may be the senator a disservice. That is not intended. Yet the record cannot be ignored.

Of all the Republican aspirants, Taft is least enthusiastic about the Marshall Plan. He doubts that we can afford anything like what the administration is asking for European aid. He is inclined to let Europe work out her own salvation.

Wallace is bitterly opposed to the Marshall Plan or any other large-scale American aid to western Europe. He seems completely indifferent to western Europe's political fate or physical well-being. He has only one solution of the difficulty: The United States must disarm and stop opposing Russia.

We took the first provocative step, Wallace still insists. We have made Russia suspicious and belligerent. We are to blame for the few minor retaliations by Russia that Wallace will admit. If we only let Russia have her own way everything will be all right.

Taft doesn't hold those views. But it is entirely possible that Wallace is banking on a sharply reduced European aid program if Taft should be elected.

On domestic policy the two men are at opposite poles. Taft wants a minimum of government controls. Wallace is a champion of planned economy. The former vice president has said more than once that this is capitalism's last chance, and that we must show Russia that our system is better than theirs.

Maybe he sees himself as the wise and benevolent leader whom the people will turn to in 1952 to rebuild a Republican-wrecked economy.

All this may sound implausible. But it probably makes more sense than Wallace's rallying cry for an army to rescue the country from the two war-mongering political parties which enjoy the almost unanimous support of Wallace's own common man.

## Let 'Em Eat Plutonium

A health expert from the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratories reports that plutonium, the raw materials of atomic bombs can be swallowed in small amounts with almost no ill-effects.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BID FOR EXCAVATION OF STORM WATER DRAINAGE CANAL CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Midland, Texas at the office of the City Secretary in the City Hall until 8:00 o'clock P. M. Central Standard Time, February 19th, 1948 for the excavation of a storm water drainage canal and ditch and the disposal of excavated material by the City of Midland, Texas, at which time and place the proposals will be opened and publicly read aloud. Any bid received after the above stipulated time will be returned to the bidder unopened.

A certified or Cashier's Check or a Bidder's Bond executed by some corporate entity authorized to do business in the State of Texas in the amount of ten per cent (10%) of the total bid, payable without recourse to the City of Midland, Texas must accompany proposals.

Complete copies of the Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined at the office of the City Secretary in the City Hall at Midland, Texas or at the office of Ashley G. Claassen & Associates, Consulting Engineers, 412 Martin Building, 21 East Texas, Midland, Texas.

The City of Midland, Texas reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals or bids, to waive irregularities, to make an investigation deemed necessary of a bidder's ability to perform the work covered by the Specifications, and to accept what it deems to be the best bid.

The Bidders attention is directed to the fact that bids or proposals shall be submitted only on the forms provided in the Specifications and must be accompanied by the required Bidder's Bond and must be submitted in letter form or in any other form except by filling out in ink in the spaces provided in the contract form the bid price of the various items of the contract to be bid.

Bids submitted in any other form will be considered irregular and may be returned to the bidder unopened without receipt.

THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

R. H. GIFFORD, Mayor

(Jan. 15-25)

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Complete copies of the Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined at the Office of the City Secretary, Midland, Texas, or may be obtained by prospective bidders at the Office of Ashley G. Claassen and Associates, Consulting Engineers, 412 Martin Building, 21 East Texas, upon a deposit of Five Dollars (\$5.00) which deposit will be refunded to each actual bidder upon return of such documents in good condition within ten (10) days after receipt of bids.

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of wages which have been established by the Owner. A schedule of such prevailing wages rates is contained in the Specifications and Contract Documents covering the construction of the project. It shall be the Contractor's responsibility to inform himself thoroughly of all State, Federal and local laws and Statutes pertaining to the employment of labor and conditions of employment.

The bidder's attention is directed to the fact that bids or proposals shall be submitted only on the forms provided in the Specifications and Contract Documents which sets forth in detail the various items and approximate quantities thereof contained in the project and Contract to be bid upon, bids submitted in any other form will be considered irregular and will be returned to the Bidder unopened without receiving consideration by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Midland, Texas.

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THE CITY OF MIDLAND, TEXAS

R. H. GIFFORD Mayor

(Jan. 16-22)

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## Communists Definitely Are Concentrating On Germany

By DeWITT MACKENZIE  
AP Foreign Affairs Analyst  
Communism has been exhibiting ruthless direct action ever since the Bolshevik Revolution of 1917, but there have been few more chilling demonstrations than that given by Bulgaria's Communist premier, Georgi Dimitrov, in cracking the whip over his National Assembly.

It's a story which can't be repeated too often, for it epitomizes Soviet "Democracy" perfectly. Dimitrov, who is one of the chief leaders of Bolshevism and is Moscow's right-hand man in the Balkans, became infuriated when nine deputies dared to criticize his budget. He threatened them with hanging unless they jumped into line—and the budget was adopted.

That's the freedom which Communism offers you and me in exchange for our own Bill of Rights. This brings us up to a fresh development in Moscow's drive to wreck the Marshall project. The anti-Communist press in Western Germany has published what is alleged to be a scheme by the newly formed Bolshevist Cominform to cripple Germany's great industrial Ruhr. This would be calculated to deliver the body blow to the Marshall Plan, since rehabilitation of Germany is essential to its success, and the coal mines and industries of the Ruhr are the focal point of the Reich's economy.

Revival Of Cominform  
The plan is set forth in what is described as "Protocol M," "Protocol M," as detailed in the German newspapers, lays down the operational procedure for creating mass strikes in vital industries of Western Germany, under American, British and French control.

If we take the protocol as a true bill, the Communists are to make

the scuttling of Germany one of their earliest objectives. An economically ill Germany means a sick Europe. Such a scheme would contemplate a rebellious German upheaval, which would create chaos upon which the Communists could build a Soviet dictatorship.

We shouldn't overlook that the so-called Cominform is widely believed to be a revival of the old Comintern, which the Bolsheviks originally created as a general staff to direct the projected world revolution for the establishment of Communism.

Georgi Dimitrov was for years the secretary general of the Comintern and it isn't strange to find him a member of the new Cominform. Nor is it hard to believe he had a big hand in writing the "Protocol M."

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**LOOK FOR RUNAWAY**

The sheriff's department at Kermit requested Midland police to watch for a runaway youth Wednesday. Police could find no youth here answering the description.

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**Mayer Named Head Coach At Kermit**

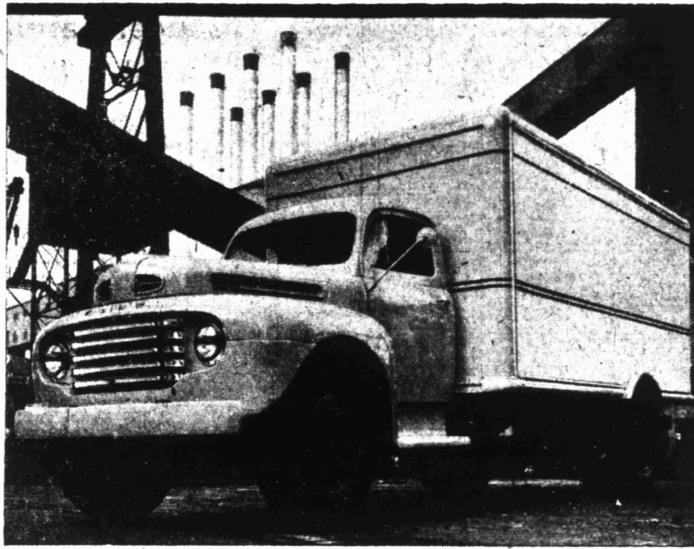
KERMIT—Darrell M. Mayer, a member of the Kermit school faculty since January of 1946 and coach of the school's undefeated "B" team last season, has been employed as head coach of Kermit High School. He succeeds C. E. (Crickett) Christian, who resigned several weeks ago. Mayer was given a one-year contract.

Mayer is a veteran of World War II. He was a lieutenant at the time of his discharge in 1946.

A former student of Bethel College, Kansas, where he was graduated in 1929, Mayer was a three-year letterman in football and basketball and won four letters in tennis. Before entering service he was head coach for two years at Englewood, Kansas. He is married and has a small son.

Trade winds are found in the range of about 30 degrees latitude on each side of the equator.

**New Ford Truck On Display Here**



The new 1948 series F-8 Ford three-ton truck with a 195-inch wheelbase is on display at Murray-Young Motors, Ltd., in Midland. It is the largest truck ever built by the Ford Motor Company. The new 1948 truck line offers a wider range of models and capacities than ever before. They are powered by three new truck engines—a 95-horsepower six cylinder engine, a 100-horsepower V-8, and 145-horsepower V-8.

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**'Years Ago' Keeps You From Desire To Be Somewhere Else**

Everybody would be better off, probably, if at the outset we all agreed that this reporter, whatever else he may or may not be, certainly is not a competent critic of the "theatuh."

When the boss did a 90-degree bank in his swivel chair Thursday and said "You're elected to go to the City-County Auditorium and see 'Years Ago' staged by the Community Theater and then come back and write something," that's all there was to it.

A drama critic should be able to say clever things with or without meaning, depending of whether he actually saw the play he is criticizing or whether he merely caught up on some needed sleep while the thespians thespied.

But you can judge this criticism of "Years Ago" (The play continues Friday and Saturday nights, beginning at 8:15) by the writer's only knowledge or opinions of the stage:

(1) Some plays are entertaining. Others make you want to go outside and smoke a cigarette.

(2) Western movies in which Gary Cooper is the hero are pretty good, usually. All the rest of them should be required to furnish gas masks for the audience.

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"Years Ago" is good entertainment. It's worth the price of admission, and what more can a guy ask? Besides that, it's a stage production of which the Community Theater and all Midland can be plenty proud.

Briefly, the play is a comedy built around a middle-class family living in a Boston suburb during the period just before the first World War. The plot's complication is based on the unshakable desire of a high school girl to become an actress and the resulting confusion into which her parents are thrown.

It's a good play, according to

**Former Midland School Man Dies In Seymour**

John Franklin Kemp, 71, of Seymour, an early day principal of Midland High School, died of a heart attack December 18 at Palestine, Texas, where he had gone to spend Christmas with relatives, according to information received here. He also was a former principal of the high school in Abilene, and had served as superintendent of schools at Seminole.

Funeral services were held at Walnut Springs, Texas.

Kemp began his long teaching career in 1896 and taught most of the time until 1940. He was superintendent of schools at Seymour more than 20 years.

Survivors include the widow, a sister, and two brothers.

**Firemen Make Runs Thursday, Friday**

The Midland Fire Department made two runs Thursday night and Friday morning.

Firemen were called to extinguish a fire at a residence, 804 East Kentucky Street, Thursday. Clothes and contents of a closet were damaged.

A Friday morning fire did little damage to a barn and chicken house at the Cal Boykin stock farm on the Andrews Highway.

**VISITING HERE**

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**Andrews County To Vote On Road Bonds**

ANDREWS — Andrews County voters will determine February 7 whether \$950,000 worth of bonds will be issued for a 71-mile lateral road program.

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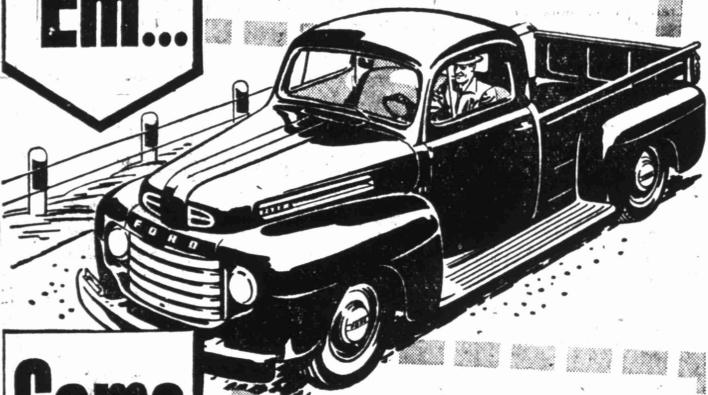
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**Midlander Is Kermit Lions Club Speaker**

KERMIT—Prospective members were special guests of the Kermit Lions Club at its meeting Thursday noon in the IOOP Hall, when Bill Colvins, editor of The Reporter-Telegram, was the principal speaker.

Vice President Bill Cameron presided over the session, which was attended by more than 75 members and guests. Tommy Thompson was program chairman. James L. Daugherty, president of the Midland Lions Club, also was a special guest.

Mrs. Raymond Rucker, supervisor of music in the Kermit elementary schools, presented four of her students, Charles Reynolds, Tommy Johnson, Don Wright and Lynda Rucker, in a special musical program.

Marcille Burleson was introduced as the new Lions Club sweetheart. She formerly was connected with the Midland schools.

It was announced that State Highway Commissioner Fred Wempe of Midland will address the club at its meeting next Thursday.

**Odesan Named To Engineers' Board**

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—With the election of Trigg Twitchell of Austin as president for the coming year, delegates to the 12th annual Texas Society of Professional Engineers entered the concluding sessions of their two-day convention here Friday.

Other officers elected were O. W. Koch, Dallas, vice president; Mason G. Lockwood, Houston, second vice president; T. C. Forrest, Jr., Dallas, national director.

Eight new directors named were O. V. Adams, Lubbock; B. B. Cruse, Beaumont; Gibbs Dyer, Dallas; Henry Harkleroad, Austin; H. P. Mathieu, Pampa; E. E. Rossire, Houston; R. H. Kuipping, San Antonio; and M. E. "Jack" Spry, Odessa.

**Final Respects Paid To Pioneer Publisher**

WICHITA FALLS —(AP)—The rank and file citizens of Wichita Falls Thursday paid last respects to Ed Howard, pioneer Texas newspaper publisher. The 81-year-old president of the Times Publishing Company died Tuesday.

County officers were closed in respect to Howard and the flag was flown at half mast atop the post office.

**QUICK WORK**

A lost youth was reported in Midland Wednesday and four minutes later he was located by a cruising team of policemen.

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**CIO Auto Workers List New Demands**

DETROIT—(AP)—The CIO United Auto Workers announced Friday they would seek a wage increase of 25 cents an hour and an additional five cents for other benefits in forthcoming negotiations with the motor car industry.

The demands, approved by the union's 22-man executive board, are aimed at obtaining a third round of cost-of-living adjustments since the war.

Also included are demands for a guaranteed weekly wage and a three-weeks vacation for workers with five years seniority.

**Silver Dollars Jingle In Ken Reagan's Pockets**

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Silver dollars always jingle in the pockets of Rep. Ken Reagan of Midland. He says it's a habit from the old days in West Texas when he kept at least four on hand, so he could start up a washer pitching game whenever he wanted. The silver "cartwheels" are a novelty here and are sure to draw comment when you offer them in the stores. Reagan lets several shiny new ones, dated 1922, each time he cashes his pay checks in the House Sergeant of Arms' bank in the capitol. The hard money is kept on hand for a number of Western congressmen who want it.

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12:00 MUSICAL HIGHLIGHTS
12:10 MOVIE TIME
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LIKELY TO SUCCEED BOY TRYS ARSON, GETS CAUGHT

SELINGROVE, PA. — (AP) — A Susquehanna University freshman, who had been voted "most likely to succeed" on his graduation from high school, is charged with twice setting fire to the college administration building to avoid attending classes.

The student, Joseph Sladek, Jr., of Wildwood, N. J., was held for trial after pleading guilty to arson charges before a justice of the peace.

Are You A DISCOURTEOUS DRIVER?



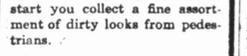
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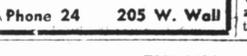
FUNNY BUSINESS



"It keeps him from running into things!"

CARNIVAL

—By DICK TURNER



"How can you say mother isn't aware that you pay the rent when she tries so hard to make you feel this is your home?"

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority

Recently I became acquainted with Nick Minudin, who sponsors the New York Junior Symphony Orchestra. Nick became interested in the Children's Cancer Fund, and arranged for the children to give a concert, the proceeds to go to the fight against cancer in children.

Nick started to play bridge only a short time ago and during the national tournament he participated in one of the special events. When it was over he came rushing up with his hands clasped around the Atlantic County trophy, and now I do not know, whether the

Junior Symphony Orchestra or that trophy is his greater pride.

Nick got a good score on today's hand because he was careful to make the proper safety play. The opening lead was won in dummy with the ace of diamonds. Now most of the declarers led a spade to the South hand and finessed the queen of hearts. East won and led the seven of clubs. West cashed the queen and ace of clubs and led the third club which East ruffed, setting the contract.

Nick played it safe. He cashed the ace of hearts at trick two, then led a small heart. East won this with the king but all the opponents could do then was cash two clubs.

I would like to comment on the bidding of this hand. North's two club bid was made to fill out the hand so that South could play it for a game at no trump. He was afraid that if he bid two hearts his partner might worry about the club suit. Of course, without at least a trick and a half, North would not have gone into the two zone. He would have bid one no trump.

South West North East
1 ♠ 2 ♠ K 4
2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass
3 ♠ Pass Pass Pass
Opening—♠ 4. 16

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



TROUBLE WITH YOU IS YOU'RE GETTING AS FAT AS YOU'RE CHINESE IDOL, BUT THIS TREATMENT WILL TAKE SOME OF THE GUEET OFF YOUR EQUATOR! YOUR JOINTS ARE FROZEN, BUT I'LL SOON HAVE YOU AS LIMBER AS A LASSO!

OUCH! GREAT CAEGR, FATHER! YOU'RE KILLING ME! AS A MASSEUR YOU SHOULD HAVE FLOURISHED DURING THE SPANISH INQUISITION!

BETTER EAGE UP, POP! HE'S CREAKING LIKE A WICKER BASKET!

PUTTING HIM THROUGH THE MANGLE!

1-16



TH' BULL AIN'T DOIN' AS WELL AT THAT AS HE'D AT THE MACHINIST TRADE WHICH HE STUCK AT 'TILL HE MADE A SUCCESS— BUT HE DON'T STICK VERY WELL AT THEM FALSE TEETH, BIFOCAL GLASSES, AN' ARCH SUPPORTS!

NO HE TAKES 'EM OFF TO REST TOO OFTEN! TO EVER LEARN TH' TRADE— I MEAN GET USED TO 'EM!

THE LOAFER

1-16 J.R. WILLIAMS

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES —By EDGAR MARTIN

YES! OUR PUG IS MR. NICK'S DAUGHTER! IF ANYTHING IS WRONG, I'D LIVE TO CALL MY NICK BAND!

I WAS GOING TO MAKE THAT SUGGESTION! YOU MIGHT ADD THAT IT IS SOMEWHAT URGENT!

OH, BOO— PLEASE HURRY HOME! IT'S SOMETHING ABOUT PUG!

PUGS PRACTICALLY ONE OF ANYTHING!

IS, AH— MISS HIGH LIVING WITH YOU?

YES, OF COURSE! WHY?

1-16

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WASH TUBBS —By LESLIE TURNER

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EXPERIMENTS WITH LESSER ANIMALS HAVE BEEN GRATIFYING, MR. TURBS— BUT MY WORK IS UNFINISHED TILL I SHOW THE WORLD WHAT CAN BE DONE WITH MAN!

AND FROM AMONG THE ENKYS BILLION MILES I HAVE CHOSEN YOU FOR THAT HONOR!

HIM... THAT'S MIGHTY FLATTERIN'! DR. GRUGER, BUT I HAFTA BE GETTIN' ALONG NOW TO WIND UP A FEW AFFAIRS BEFORE—

UNFORTUNATELY THAT IS IMPOSSIBLE! UNTIL OUR WORK IS COMPLETED, YOU WILL REMAIN ON THE PREMISES!

OH, IS THAT SO! WELL SEE ABOUT THAT!

1-16

ALLEY OOP —By V. T. HAMLIN

BRONSON SHOULD BE UP AND AROUND IN A FEW DAYS... I GAVE HIM A SHOT OF PENICILLIN!

AH, FINE! I WAS AFRAID WE'D HAVE TO PUT OFF OUR PROJECT!

WHAT'S THIS PROJECT HE'S TALKIN' ABOUT?

OH, OSCAR AND AMOS PLAN TO TRACK DOWN THE SOURCE OF THE OLD GOLDEN FLEECE MYTH!

NEXT MORNING... WELL, HELLO, AMOS... HEY! HOLY COW, WHAT'S HAPPENED TO YOU?

I GOT MEASLES OR SUMB'N!

NO I'VE GOT A PENICILLIN RASH, AND I'M GAIN'D NEAR CRAZY!

OH, OW! THERE'S GOES OUR PROJECT!

1-16

RED RYDER —By FRED HARMAN

OKARCHEE QUICKLY PREPARES THE EXPRESS CAR SAFE FOR CRACKING!

BOOM!

THERE GOES THE SAFE?

YEAH! BUT I'M WORRIED ABOUT JOE STOPPIN' THAT COWBOY!

AND DOVINA AND HER COMPANION HAVE REASON TO WORRY...

1-16

VIC FLINT —By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

I decided to play along with Sonya until I could catch her with her brothers.

I HAD TWO MORE LITTLE DRINKIES WHILE YOU WERE GONE, SONYA.

FINE, MONEY, WHADDYA SAY WE HEAD FOR GREENER PASTURES?

CAN'T SEEM TO KEEP MY BALANCE, OOPS!

HERE— I'LL HELP YOU.

I felt Sonya's hand reach for my bill-fold. I must have let my left shoulder drop too far, trying to stop her, because—

WATCH OUT! HE'S GOT A GUN!

1-16

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS —By MERRILL BLOUSER

DO YOU CHILDREN REMEMBER YOUR AUNT HESTER?

SURE! ISN'T SHE THE KINFOLK WITH ALL THE MOOLA?

THE ONE WITH THE SCRATCHY NATCH!

CHILDREN! WHAT DISGRACEFUL LANGUAGE! IT'S TRUE— HESTER IS THE QUARNTAIN— UN— RATHER SHE SENT YOU WELL FIXED— AND A BIT OLD-FASHIONED, TOO!

A BIT OLD-FASHIONED, HE SAYS! REMEMBER THE CHRISTMAS SHE SENT YOU A SOLID GOLD BUTTON HOOK AND HE BLACK WOOLEN STOCKING AND HECTOR A BUGGY WHIP?

I'M GLAD YOU REMEMBER, BECAUSE SHE'S COMING TO STAY WITH US!

OH, GRUESOME DAY!

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Americans Threatened By Chinese Mobs In Rioting At Canton

HONG KONG.—(AP)—The U. S. consul general at Canton reported by telephone Friday that rioting Chinese mobs had injured six Britons, burned the British consulate and threatened American property during a three-hour demonstration.

The British dispatched a warship to Canton to evacuate Britons, if necessary. The Chinese were reported incensed over the eviction by the British of Chinese from the walled city of Kowloon, on the mainland of this crown colony.

H. A. Boucher, U. S. consul general at Canton, said no Americans were injured, but reported: U. S. Flag Saves Building

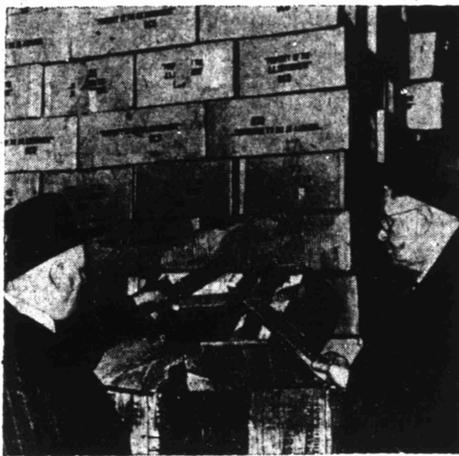
"On a number of occasions, Americans were threatened but saved by satisfactory identification. The Texas Company building would have been set afire had not the American flag been produced."

Boucher said the British consulate and the chartered Bank of India, Australia and China were "smouldering ruins."

The riot was reported to have started soon after noon near the British consulate. Some demonstrators wore the uniform of the Chinese Youth Corps.

Another report from Canton said all British women and children would be evacuated immediately and that subsequently, all Britons would leave.

Seize Knives In Smuggling Raid



Cracking down on a well-organized smuggling band, believed to be shipping munitions to Palestine, police seized three trucks loaded with high explosives in New York state, and raided a warehouse in Asbury Park, N. J., where they found 52 cases of combat knives and 50 cases of first-aid materials.

Gandhi's Fast Brings Peace Move By India

NEW DELHI, INDIA.—(AP)—Mohandas K. Gandhi, bent on bringing communal harmony to India, fasted into a fourth day Friday, too weak to walk.

Gandhi, Hindu spiritual leader and believer in non-violence to achieve reforms, started his fifteenth day fast at 11 a. m. Tuesday.

India, whose population is mainly Hindu and Sikh, announced Friday it would begin immediate payment of 40,000,000 pounds (about \$160,000,000), due the predominantly Moslem Dominion of Pakistan under a financial agreement.

The communique said this was decided upon as "the government's contribution to Mahatma Gandhi's efforts for peace and good will" and was intended "to remove one cause of suspicion and friction between the two countries—now at odds over tribal raids against Kashmir. The money represents cash balances of Pakistan citizens in Delhi.

Oil & Gas Log-

(Continued From Page 1) hours, through a one-quarter inch tubing choke. Tubing pressure was 340 pounds and casing pressure was 1,325 pounds.

BEDFORD AREA GETS A NEW DEEP PROSPECTOR

Sheil Oil Company, Inc. and The Texas Company No. 9 Radliff and Bedford is to be a 12,000-foot exploration to test through the Devonian, and into the Ellenburger in the Bedford area of Southwest Andrews County.

It will be 650 feet from north and 900 feet from west lines of section 4, block 73, pt 1 survey. The venture is adjacent to wells which are producing from both the Devonian and the Ellenburger. Operations are to start at once.

Democrats

(Continued From Page 1) cratic parties and expressed the hope "now that he has a party of his own, he can be happy in it and loyal to it."

Farley said it "seems to be a one-man party" and may "end as a one-man party."

Taft said although the President's budget calls for taxes that will take 30 per cent of the nation's income, Truman is "not satisfied" with that and is proposing a new one-half of one per cent payroll tax for a compulsory health insurance program.

He said that while the President now estimates a \$7,500,000,000 surplus for the current government year, last Summer "the President and the secretary of the Treasury insisted that the surplus would be only \$1,500,000,000 and on that ground the President vetoed two tax reduction bills."

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Eight Injured When Train Leaves Track

CROSS CITY, FLA.—(AP)—Eight persons were injured, none seriously, when six cars of the Southland, Chicago-to-Tampa passenger train, were derailed early Friday.

Capt. Wallace Smith, executive officer of the Florida Highway Patrol, said the five rear Pullmans and one diner of the Atlantic Coast Line train left the track. They landed at about a 45 degree angle on their sides in a ditch.

Smith said the injured were given emergency treatment by a doctor who was a passenger on the train.

The derailed cars were uncoupled from the remainder of the train and all passengers, including the injured, left for Tampa. The accident occurred at 7:30 a. m. in a remote section of the country, about 11 miles northwest of Cross City.

SPCA Ired At Dog Poisoning

Another Midland pet was poisoned Thursday. Residents on West Missouri Street reported their dog was killed with strychnine.

Immediately the Midland Chapter, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, reminded citizens of a standing \$100 reward posted by the West Texas Kennel Club and Dog World for information leading to the conviction of a dog poisoner.

"This dog poisoning is the thing we are fighting," an SPCA representative said.

Josephus Daniels Rites Set Saturday

RALEIGH, N. C.—(AP)—Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p. m. Saturday for Josephus Daniels, 85-year-old editor and publisher of the Raleigh News and Observer and last survivor of the original Woodrow Wilson cabinet. He died Thursday.

Daniels, a confidant of Democratic presidents since Grover Cleveland, was secretary of the Navy during World War I and ambassador to Mexico under Franklin D. Roosevelt.

TRIP TO CALIFORNIA ENDS IN MIDLAND JAIL

Picked up here this week by state highway patrolmen and held in the Midland County jail for car theft, an 18-year-old youth stated he:

Met two young ladies in Detroit who told him they were going to hitchhike to California.

Told them he would borrow a car and take them to the Golden State.

Found the car, a 1947 Chrysler, in a parking lot behind a bar in Detroit, and started West, picking up another youth along the way.

The case was turned over to FBI agents here, it was reported Friday.

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Hi, Big Boy!



Melvin Goodswen, above, 16-month-old youngster from Ashford, England, weighs twice as much as most babies his age. In perfect health, Melvin grows so fast and eats so much his mother had to apply for extra ration coupons for food and clothing.

Army Film Shown To JayCee Club

Army Air Force recruiters, Master Sergeants Dykes and Engeldorf, showed a film, "Dividends for the Future," at the luncheon meeting of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce Friday noon in the Scharbauer Hotel.

Joe Sheil announced a Golden Gloves tournament scheduled Friday and Saturday nights at the VFW hangar of Midland Air Terminal. Sheil said: "The VFW solicits no contribution but we ask your support by attendance."

Jack Hagan, advance man for Clyde Brothers Circus, spoke at the meeting. He met with directors following the luncheon.

Another Missionary Is Slain In China

SHANGHAI.—(AP)—Slaying of another woman missionary in Central China was reported by the China Inland Mission Friday, bringing to five the number killed in that turbulent region in recent days.

The mission identified the latest victim as Mrs. E. E. Linell, native of Stockholm, Sweden, who had resided in China 20 years. She was reported slain at Juicheng, in Shansi Province either by bandits or Chinese Communists.

A government military spokesman at Hankow urged speedy removal of foreigners from Lachow, where American and Norwegian missionaries are gathering — "because we are unable to guarantee their safety in the event of combat."

The missionaries are awaiting an evacuation.

Steel Shortage To Continue Through 1948

PITTSBURGH.—(AP)—The nation's steel industry finished in the plight of a man who set a new world's record for the 100-yard dash while chasing a train he failed to catch.

Production of steel zoomed to an estimated 85,000,000 ingot tons — new high for a peacetime year—and still steel mills could not begin to meet demand. Prospects are bright for continued high output in 1948, with a \$1,000,000,000 expansion program, but steelmen shudder to think of the troubles in store for them.

Problems faced in 1947 will continue this year and new ones are just around the corner. This year will see continued shortages of scrap, "gray market" sales, cramped transportation facilities, high-priced raw materials, labor shortages and other vexations, but 1948 will likely bring the problem of wage increase demands to the fore and probably will see steelmakers struggling to fill quotas of steel needed for Europe under the Marshall Plan.

Compulsory Allocation Seen Another new hurdle expected is that of compulsory allocation of steel to both foreign and domestic markets.

The metalworking trade paper, Iron Age, predicted 1947 steel production would be 34 1/2 per cent above that of 1939 and about 30 per cent greater than in 1940. The American Iron and Steel Institute, representing about 96 per cent of all steelmaking capacity—estimated this year's production at about 62,000,000 tons in 1946.

Regardless of production gains last year, steel was in short supply for everything from baby carriages to burial caskets. Two of the hardest hit industries were automobiles and railroad car manufacturing.

No Let-Up Expected Although auto plants received more steel than in 1946, their demands were not satisfied and the margin of operation was often so close that steel sheets were flown from Pittsburgh mills to Detroit assembly lines to keep workers busy. Three major car companies went into the steel business—as Ford did long ago—to insure themselves a continuous supply of sheets. They were Hudson, Studebaker and Kaiser-Frazer. No let-up in pressure from automaten is expected next year.

Irving S. Olds, the U. S. Steel Corp. board chairman, said in late October that his firm "sees nothing but a continued high rate of operations for a long time to come."

C. M. White, president of Republic Steel in Cleveland, agreed "nearly all steel items will remain tight through 1948." He listed sheet steel as the most critical.

MIDLANDER'S SISTER DIES IN OKLAHOMA

Mrs. James Otis Kolb, a sister of Mrs. Guy Brenneman of Midland, died Thursday night in Pawnee, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Brenneman left Friday for Pawnee. Funeral services are scheduled Sunday afternoon in that city.

GREEKS REPORT 300 GUERRILLA CASUALTIES

ATHENS.—(AP)—Press dispatches from Salonika said Friday, guerrilla forces suffered 310 casualties in an engagement south of Nigrita. A War Ministry communiqué on other brushes brought insurgent losses in the past 24 hours to 300. Sixty-four were reported killed in ambush near Lamia.

BETHLEHEM STEEL VICE PRESIDENT DIES

NEW YORK.—(AP)—W. H. Collins, 55-year-old president in charge of the shipbuilding division of Bethlehem Steel Company, died of a heart ailment Friday at Beaumont, Texas, where he was on a business trip, the company announced.

Collins, a native of Washington, D. C., maintained homes in Boston and New York.

MIDLAND POLICE ARREST SUSPECT FOR BIG SPRING

Midland police Thursday arrested a 21-year-old man wanted in Big Spring for forgery.

The Sheriff's department of Big Spring requested the arrest.

ITU CHARGED WITH LABOR ACT VIOLATION

INDIANAPOLIS.—(AP)—The National Labor Relations Board Friday sought a temporary injunction in the Southern Indiana U. S. District Court here against the International Typographical Union and its officers for alleged violation of the Taft-Hartley Act.

GENES ARE SMALL

Genes which carry hereditary traits are so tiny it is estimated that a teaspoonful could hold all the diverse hereditary traits developed by the human race since the origin of man.

COLLISION REPORTED

Police reported a collision Wednesday on North Big Spring street between machines driven by Mrs. E. C. Bloodworth and L. A. Walker. No injuries were reported.

FIREMEN CALLED

Firemen were called to a residence on North D Street Wednesday night. No damage resulted to the residence after a blaze at the stove in the kitchen.

PROWLER REPORTED

A prowler was reported on East Louisiana Street Thursday night but fled before police arrived.

Advertisement for Dorothy Gray Special Dry-Skin Mixture, featuring a woman's face and a product jar.

Advertisement for Dunlap's, featuring the brand name in a stylized font.

Advertisement for Sheriff Darnell Named To Traffic Committee, detailing the committee's formation and goals.

Advertisement for The Oriental Cleaners & Dyers, listing services and contact information.

Advertisement for Williams Feed and Supply, featuring a cow and text about cattle checkers.

Advertisement for From Tailorline: Albert S. Kelley, featuring a cartoon character and text about tailoring services.

Advertisement for Community Theatre Inc., listing shows like 'Years Ago' and performance times.

Advertisement for Pikey Bockman at the American Legion Hall, listing dance events and ticket prices.

Advertisement for Midland Roller Rink, listing skating events and rink location.