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WEATHER
Some freezing rain and clouds in West Texas Monday night. Tuesday partly cloudy and not so cold. Maximum temperature Sunday 74 degrees. Minimum Monday 31 degrees.

Magnolia Will Flank Scurry Pay Opener

Magnolia Petroleum Company has staked a one and one-half mile northwest outpost to its No. 1 Moore, discovery from the Canyon lime section of the Pennsylvanian in West-Central Scurry County, four miles west of Snyder.

Designation is that concerns the No. 1 A. B. Eick, located 660 feet from south and west lines of section 209, block 27, H&TC survey.

Starting February 17 with rotary tools, the prospector is to venture to 7,000 feet in an attempt to make production from the Canyon as the second well in the area.

Hubble Stakes Two Pecos Prospectors

A pair of shallow wildcats are staked for North-Central Pecos County by E. C. Hubble of Corpus Christi, on the E. J. Eaton lease, 18 miles south of the town of Imperial.

His No. 1 Eaton will be 330 feet from northwest and southwest lines of the north quarter of the west quarter of section 27, block 3, H&TC survey.

Hubble No. 2 Eaton has been spotted 330 feet from southwest and northwest lines of the south quarter of the west quarter of section 27, block 3, H&TC survey.

Estimated depth of the two is 1,750 feet, to be drilled with rotary tools. Operations are to start by February 24.

TeePee Proves Deep Well In Shafter Lake

Second well for the Shafter Lake-Ellenburger pool in North-Central Andrews County has been proven at Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1-P University, 660 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 13, block 13, University survey.

On a five hour and 10 minute drillstem test in the deep zone at 11,794-819 feet, gas reached the surface in one and one-half hours. Oil flowed at the top in two hours and 35 minutes.

The well flowed to pits 35 minutes, then to tanks for one and one-half hours. It gauged 28 barrels of oil in tanks.

Gas-oil ratio was 404-1. Flowing pressure was 3,500 pounds and 15 minute shutin pressure, 4,800 pounds.

While pulling the drillpipe, oil seeped all the way out of the hole.

Operator is to begin production tests and attempt completion on the current depth. Casing is cemented on 11,596 feet.

Humble Gets Water Near North Snyder

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 L. M. Perriman, North-Central Scurry County wildcat, one and one-half miles west and slightly north of the discovery well for flowing production from the Canyon lime, developed salt water in a drillstem test of the zone at 7,073-92 feet.

No signs of oil or gas production were shown in that zone.

Operator has plugged back to 7,070 feet, and will test the section between that point and 7,050 feet, where 5 1/2-inch casing is cemented.

The 7,050-70 foot interval flowed oil at the estimated rate of 15 to 20 barrels of oil per hour, natural, on drillstem tests before the project deepened to 7,093 feet.

It is expected to complete a series of commercial production and a discovery from the Strawn lime. This wildcat was barren in the Canyon formation, the pay in the discovery well of the North Snyder field.

WTGS To Meet On Monday Night

The West Texas Geological Society will meet at 8 p. m., Monday night to hear a talk by E. D. Moore, of Moore Exploration Company. The session will be in the district courtroom of the Midland courthouse.

Subject of Moore's talk will be, "A Brown Bear Hunt on the Alaskan Peninsula." He will use a large assortment of kodachrome slides to illustrate the presentation.

The Alaskan Peninsula is formed by a chain of mountains described as the most spectacular in the world. Moore will explain some of the geological features of the region.

Hunt Projects Deep Wildcat In Crockett

Hessie Hunt Trust estate of Dallas will start operations in the near future on a 5,000-foot wildcat to test on the Ellenburger in Central-West Crockett County.

The project will be Hunt No. 1-L University. It is located 660 feet from north and east lines of section 20, block 29, University survey, 3 1/2 miles and one-half miles northwest of Fort Lancaster.

It is on a 180-acre lease which is farmout from Gulf Oil Corporation. Drilling will be with rotary tools.

The lease is west of the shallow crocater Hill field where there is a small pumping production on the Grayburg-Permian between 1,877 feet and 1,833 feet. The up wildcat is six miles southeast the Clara Couch field.

Shallow Prospector potted In Crockett

Hun Oil Company No. 2, H&TC survey estate is to be a 2,400-foot, shallow prospector in Central-West Crockett County.

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Arguments On Tidelands Ordered

Pontiff Expresses Sorrow, Not Anger At Primate's Trial

VATICAN CITY—(P)—Pope Pius XII declared Monday that when a civil government contradicts divine and human rights, "Bishops and the faithful themselves are bound by their conscience to resist unjust laws."

Addressing a secret and extraordinary consistory of the College of Cardinals of the Roman Catholic Church on the case of Josef Cardinal Mindszenty, the pontiff asked prayers for the end that:

"x x x Those who rashly trample upon the liberty of the church and the rights of human conscience may at length understand that no civil society can endure when religion has been suppressed and God, as it were, driven into exile."

The pope said "Our soul is crushed with most bitter grief" by the trial and condemnation of the Hungarian primate.

In a brief speech to 16 cardinals cloistered with him in the Consistorial Hall of the Apostolic Palace, the pontiff declared the Hungarian primate's trial had not been fairly reported.

To disrupt the Church "The principle object of the trial," the pope said, "was to disrupt the Catholic Church in Hungary and precisely for the purpose set forth in the sacred scripture: 'I shall strike the shepherd and the sheep of the flock shall be dispersed.'

The pope declared Cardinal Mindszenty's physical condition during the trial was "inexplicable except as the result of secret influences which may not be publicly revealed; to prove this there is the fact that a man endowed with the full vigor of a forceful nature suddenly appears weak and mentally unbalanced."

The pontiff branded "completely false" the Hungarian government's assertion that "The whole question at issue was this apostolic see in furtherance of plans for political domination of nations gave instructions to oppose the Republic of Hungary and its rulers."

"We are doing," the pontiff told the 16 assembled princes of the Roman Catholic Church, "what the outraged rights of the church and the dignity of the human person clearly demand."

No further punishment.

This apparently was a reference to the excommunication of all those involved in the arrest, trial and imprisonment of the Hungarian primate and his sentencing to life imprisonment in Budapest last week.

The pontiff's allocution contained no mention of further ecclesiastical punishment.

It was a speech pronounced in sorrow rather than anger.

"Let us all pray to God fervently," the pope said, "that those who suffer persecution, imprisonment and hardship, may be consoled with the necessary help of Divine grace x x x that those who rashly trample upon the liberty of the church and the rights of human conscience may at length understand that no civil society can endure when religion has been suppressed and God, as it were, driven into exile."

Ice Jam Hampers Mississippi River Traffic



At Alton, Ill., just north of St. Louis, Mo., on the Mississippi River, the towboat Cairo, equipped with an ice plow, battles to free itself from the ice floes jamming the river. The boat finally struggled clear and made its way to the free water above the bridges. This aerial view shows how the river is blocked by the ice.

Grand Jurors Are Selected

The February term of 70th District Court opened in Midland Monday morning with Judge Paul Moss of Odessa presiding, and the grand jury was selected. It now is in session.

At the request of District Attorney Martelle McDonald, the court set the week of February 28, for the trial of criminal cases. Next week will be devoted to trying civil jury cases and possibly some non-jury cases. Some non-jury cases also are expected to be heard this week.

A large number of cases will be presented to the grand jury, according to officials.

R. L. Miller was named foreman of the grand jury. Others named to serve are W. J. Hardrider, Charles A. Haynes, O. F. Hedrick, W. F. Hejl, N. B. Larsh, J. L. McGrew, H. W. Matthews, H. S. Murray, J. S. Nolan, Eric Payne and Arnold P. Schaubauer.

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WCTU Tosses Bombs In Attack On Liquor Laws

AUSTIN—(P)—The Texas Women's Christian Temperance Union Monday tossed out seven bombs designed to blast any attempts to slacken state liquor laws.

Mrs. Claude De Van Watts, WCTU president, announced the union would sponsor seven bills in the Legislature to chink any and all cracks in Texas liquor control statutes.

"The Texas Women's Christian Temperance Union has been forced into a fight against a new attempt by the liquor control laws," she said in a statement. "I refer to the by-the-drink sales bill now pending in the Legislature."

She sounded a call to arms to all WCTU members "to exert themselves immediately in opposition to this disguised saloon bill, and we call on all the Christian people of our great state to join us in the fight."

The WCTU's seven restrictive liquor sales proposals are:

1. To make it illegal to have or possess in any motor vehicle on any public highway or street in Texas any bottle, flask, jug, can, or other container of intoxicating liquor or beverage on which the original seal has been broken.
2. Make it illegal to serve or sell for consumption off the premises where sold any container of intoxicating liquor on which the original seal has been broken or removed. "This is designed to eliminate drinking in automobiles, taverns, and beer parlors," Mrs. Watts said.
3. Make it illegal to sell intoxicating liquor.

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Senate Leaders Veto Commitment Of U. S. To War Obligations

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Senate's two top-ranking foreign policy leaders Monday said they are opposed to committing this country to any "moral obligation" to go to war.

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Worst Weather Yet Stalls Rescue Crews In Snow-Bound West

By The Associated Press

The misery-dealing Great Plains blizzards had opened up a broad new front in North Dakota Monday with the worst 24 hours of weather the West has had in two weeks.

Six North Dakota counties were added to the disaster area as a result of weekend storms which stalled relief and rescue operations in some parts of Nebraska and reduced them by 50 per cent in others.

In Southern California, temperatures sank deep into sub-freezing levels again, necessitating more orchard heating. Minimum readings of 24 degrees were expected Monday in some sections of the citrus fruit region.

Train Passengers Rescued

The 500 passengers on three trains stalled for several days at Rawlins and Hanna, Wyo., were rescued and taken to Cheyenne in buses.

The Red Cross has begun a survey of urgent need with the use of six ski planes in North Dakota. Farmers and ranchers were reported in need of food and fuel.

Maj. Gen. Lewis A. Pick sent a staff of officers to open headquarters for the rescue work at Fort Lincoln in Bismarck and ordered 30-hour duty at the post.

General Pick said the storm in some parts of Nebraska was the worst in the recent series since February.

In South Dakota, where the Army had opened 341 miles of roads, the gain was lost by wind which choked off another 1,000 miles by drifting snow.

Freezing Rain Drives

Despite a dithered snowfall of from two to six inches in Wyoming, the Union Pacific Railroad hoped to clear Monday the last stretch of its snow-clogged right-of-way between Rawlins and Rock Springs, Wyo.

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Louisiana And Texas Coastal Area Involved

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Supreme Court Monday ordered argument on whether it should let the Justice Department file suits seeking to establish federal control over submerged oil lands off the coasts of Texas and Louisiana.

Attorney General Clark has asked the high court for permission to bring the suits against the two states as original actions—that is without first holding trials in lower courts.

Clark also gave the Supreme Court copies of the suits. In them he asked the tribunal to declare federal rights over "lands, minerals and other things underlying the Gulf of Mexico" adjacent to Texas and Louisiana.

The Supreme Court did not indicate when it would hear argument on the wisdom of permitting the government to file the cases. Presumably the court will set a date convenient for attorneys of the two states.

The Supreme Court ruled in June, 1947, that the federal government has "paramount rights in, and full dominion and power over" submerged oil lands off the California coast. Clark contended the same rule is applicable to the Gulf seabed.

Opposing Briefs Filed

Texas and Louisiana filed briefs opposing Clark's request for permission to file the suits.

Louisiana argued the authors of the constitution "did not consent and indeed never would have consented that the states might be sued by the federal government as its pleasure."

The Texas brief recalled that Texas was an independent republic before it joined the union.

"By the annexation agreement," its brief states, "Texas conveyed no land or property rights to the United States which would support the judgment herein prayed for."

Clark, the Texas brief argued, is seeking to invade the powers of Congress, recalling that several bills dealing with the oil lands issued are pending on Capitol Hill.

Louisiana also argued the question is one for Congress to act on. Its brief stated:

"If the federal government decides, as a matter of course, the necessity for future national defense to conserve the oil and other resources within the areas here involved, it can seek to do so through an orderly and fair procedure (in Congress)."

Latest Blizzard Fizzles

By The Associated Press

A blizzard that moved into the Texas Panhandle late Saturday lost most of its arctic sting Monday.

The U. S. Weather Bureau said the storm had been reduced considerably by a warm front that moved up from the Gulf and was literally pushed out of Texas.

"A Rebel warm front is winning over a Yankee cold front," one of the meteorologists remarked facetiously.

Much of West Texas, especially in the Wichita Falls area, was sheathed in ice from Sunday's freezing drizzle, but elsewhere temperatures were comparatively mild.

Even in the Panhandle temperatures were far above those that had been predicted.

A thick fog shrouded Midland and its vicinity Sunday night and Monday. Mist froze on the windshields of automobiles making driving dangerous. Ice formed on wires disrupting some communications and power lines.

Midland was spared the extreme cold spell and ice storm, which hit other sectors of the state harder.

Lowest temperature here during Sunday night and early Monday was 31 degrees.

Bus and rail traffic proceeded. Highway transportation was open in all directions. Air traffic by-passed Midland. Long distance telephone communications were disrupted to some points.

It was predicted for early Monday, Amarillo had a minimum of 17, the lowest for the state. A low of four degrees had been predicted.

The Weather Bureau said the ice belt ran from the Panhandle to Wichita Falls on the North, south to Mineral Wells and west to Big Spring.

Temperatures at Wichita Falls climbed from 23 degrees to 29 degrees Monday morning, lessening the expected damage from a heavy ice coating.

A collision of the warm and cold fronts caused terrific thunder and lightning over Wichita Falls at 2 a. m., during which 58 of an inch of rain and sleet fell. Streets and highways remained passable and all transportation was normal.

Ablaine an early morning thundershower melted most of the thin coat of ice that formed there. The minimum temperature was 28 degrees.

Other minimum temperatures Monday included Big Spring 37, El Paso 40, Mineral Wells 28, Beaumont 67, Brownsville 69, Corpus Christi 67, Lufkin 67, Bryan 60, Alice 70, Texarkana 50, Lubbock 25 and Corsicana 35.

Skies Monday were cloudy over all except South and extreme Southwest Texas.

Assaults On Church Stir Belief Moscow Grabbing Satellites

WASHINGTON—(P)—Eastern European assaults on churches have stirred American suspicions Moscow may be getting ready to discard the "People's Democracy" system in Soviet satellites.

They also have revived the idea Russia is moving toward absorbing the Soviet satellite into an expanded Soviet Union.

Top authorities on relations with the Communist world said Monday the trend appears to be in these directions, although it is too early to be sure either will come about. Officials are virtually unanimous, however, on one point: Under pressure from Moscow the process of shaping the satellites into the Soviet mold now has been speeded up.

Authorities read this meaning into Hungary's trial of Cardinal Mindszenty and defiance of American displeasure, the indictment of fifteen churchmen in Bulgaria, and the current purges in Poland and Czechoslovakia.

Process Near Completion

The satellite "Peoples Democracies" permit a continued existence of some opposition political parties, while the Communists have a free rein in putting their totalitarian system into effect. The course of recent developments has been in the direction of one-party states like Russia.

Some officials believe the process is nearing completion and look for Bulgaria or another of the group to proclaim the first new one-party state, possibly in a few weeks.

81,000 Cattle And 97,000 Sheep Lost In Western States

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Agriculture Department reported Monday blizzards have killed 81,000 cattle and calves and 97,000 sheep and lambs in four Western states.

These losses were in South Dakota, Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado. The figures are up to February 1.

The losses represented about two per cent of the number of cattle in those states on January 1 and a little over five per cent of the number of sheep.

Heat "Wings Over Jordan," famous negro choir Tuesday evening, High School Auditorium, 8 p. m. Tickets \$1.00—(Adv.)

Miss Valentine's Day Again



A Victim of both rheumatic fever and infantile paralysis, Evelyn Valentine, 14, of Chicago, has been confined to her bed five years. Every St. Valentine's Day, friends all over the country remember the "live Valentine." She's received some 300,000 good-will messages in the five years. She's shown with some of this year's crop.

Grand Jury Probes Hot Check Swindles

FRANKLIN, TEXAS.—(P)—A grand jury convening here Monday was due to investigate complaints against S. B. Jones, 47, of Hearne, charged in the \$51,000 hot check swindle of the First State Bank of Franklin.

Jones, an insurance man, is charged in eight complaints with swindling by worthless checks. The loss caused the First State Bank to merge last December 15 with the First National Bank of Franklin.

Jones is free on bond.

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★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

AUSTIN — (AP) — Gov. Beauford H. Jester Monday asked the Legislature to establish a State Capital Planning Commission to plan efficient and economical housing for government agencies.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Supreme Court Monday refused to review the conviction of Bennett E. Meyers, retired Air Force major general, on a charge he persuaded B. H. LaMarre to testify falsely before a Senate War Investigating subcommittee.

AUSTIN — (AP) — The House adjourned until Tuesday after a 30-minute session Monday morning, and the Senate followed suit before noon after hearing introduction of 15 bills.

Pending Legislation In Texas Subject For Talks In League Of Women Voters

Bills recently introduced in the State Legislature on subjects of interest to the League of Women Voters were discussed at the Midland League's luncheon Saturday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

The secret ballot bill, which has been advocated by the league, was introduced in the Senate February 10 by Senator Kelley and as Senate Bill 223 was sent to the State Affairs Committee. Lester Boone spoke on the juvenile court bill, which was introduced in the House of Representatives.

Mrs. L. H. Daniel, finance chairman, discussed the finance drive planned by the Midland League. Nominations suggested Secret ballots were distributed to those present for use in recommending to the nominating committee a list of officers for next year.

Guests at the luncheon were Mrs. Warren Wilkins, Mrs. Merritt Barton, Mrs. John H. Townley, Mrs. H. P. Murphy, Mrs. G. M. Nix and Shirley Lones.

Crane Lodge Members Visit McCamey Unit

CRANE—The drill team of the Rebekah Lodge of Crane initiated nine candidates into the McCamey Lodge Wednesday night. Four cars driven by Mrs. M. E. Lear, Mrs. Letta Mae Hagaman, John Lambly and Mrs. Sue Shanor, took the members and guests of the drill team to McCamey.

The guests were Mrs. Bessie Owens and Mrs. Naomi Phillips. Members were Sue Shanor, Clara Hazle, Ila Gooch, Jo Sawyer, Lillie Bell Lear, Dorothy Pettit, Florence McDougal, Georgia Orr, Mary Baker, Doris Karr, Jewel Mulvey, Nancy Slater, Faye Parker and Margaret Modisett.

Garden Club For Juniors To Be Formed

Girls and boys of elementary school age who are interested in gardening are to have their own Garden Club, which will be organized Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Frank Sturman, 1502 West Texas Street, under sponsorship of the Midland Garden Club.

Enrollment in the new club is open to all youngsters of elementary school age, and the meeting is invited to be at the meeting 7 p. m. Wednesday. Mrs. Sturman will be assisted in organizing the club by Mrs. A. P. Shirey, expansion chairman of the Midland Council of Garden Clubs and Mrs. J. C. Smith, president of the Midland Garden Club.

Crane Bride-Elect

Organization of a club for junior gardeners has been a major aim of the Midland Garden Club for this year. With interest in gardening growing and the number of adult clubs expanding, members believe there are many girls and boys in the city who would like a club planned for them.

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Lorean Davenport, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Davenport of Crane, will become the bride of Tommy Joe McCoy of San Angelo in a ceremony to be performed March 11 in the Tabernacle Baptist Church at Crane.

Jack Belcher Weds Ruth Caperton In Ceremony At Bronte

BRONTE — Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Belcher are on a wedding trip following their marriage in the First Baptist Church here Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Belcher before her marriage was Savannah Ruth Caperton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caperton of Bronte, and Belcher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Belcher of McCamey.

The Rev. V. D. Price read the double ring ceremony before an altar banked with fern. Baskets of white gladioli decorated the church and burning tapers were used.

The bride's wedding dress was of white satin with pearl bodice and sweetheart neckline. Her fingertip veil was fastened to a halo of orange blossoms in her hair. She carried a colonial bouquet of assorted white flowers.

Wedding Attendants Mrs. W. A. Witcher of San Angelo, sister of the bridegroom, was maid of honor. Marjorie Penfold of Bronte was the bridesmaid, and Jaque Caperton and Elouise Hester were flowergirls.

Tom Conner of Imperial was best man and Robert Davidson of Tulsa was the groomsmen. Ushers were R. F. and Matthews Caperton and Leon and Colby Belcher. Leslie Dean Caperton lighted the candles.

Mrs. Matthew Caperton sang two selections, accompanied by Mrs. Chet Holcombe who also played the wedding marches.

A reception at the bride's home followed the ceremony. The newlyweds will reside at Alpine where Belcher is a student at Sul Ross State College.

Questions and Answers

Q—What are supersonic waves?
A—Supersonic refers to a speed faster than that of sound waves, which is about 760 miles per hour in air at sea level. This has become important in connection with high speed airplanes and rockets.

Q—Is the quail or the owl of more value to the farmer?
A—The owl is of greater value because it destroys a larger number of farm pests and is one of the most successful mousers in the bird world.

Q—What is the approximate thickness of coal seams in the earth?
A—A seam 400 feet thick exists in China and two seams in Wyoming are 80 or more feet thick. Other coal seams exist in the U. S. that are 40 or 50 feet thick, but the average thickness of the seams from which bituminous coal comes in our country is 3.4 feet.

Q—Who rules the Island of Cyprus?
A—Cyprus is a British crown colony. In 1878 Turkey, which ruled Cyprus, ceded the island to Great Britain for administrative purposes. In 1914, at the outbreak of hostilities with Turkey, the island was formally annexed to Great Britain.

Social Situations

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Federation Hostess Club Changes Own Date For Meeting

The Women's Wednesday Club, which will be hostess Thursday afternoon to the February meeting of the City-County Federation of Women's Clubs, will substitute that program for its regular meeting on Wednesday of this week.

Mrs. John J. Perry of Sweetwater, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, will be presented as the guest speaker for the City-County group.

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WE, THE WOMEN

By RUTH MILLETT NEA Staff Writer

Out of a group of 10 to 15-year-olds recently interviewed 85 per cent of the girls said they wanted to be married someday, but only 14 per cent wanted to be "housewives."

Let's hope that before they reach marrying age somebody lets the 71 per cent who want to be married but don't want to be housewives in on an important fact of life. That is, that a woman automatically becomes a housewife when she marries.

She may not like the job. She may do it poorly. She may even take on an outside job that in a single woman would be a full-time career.

But if she's married she has to be a housewife, with at least part of her time, her ability, and her energy.

Still Has Job
Even though she hires her housework done, she still has to maintain the managing part of a housewife's job. She has to do the finding and training of the person who is to do her housework for her, or more likely, a series of such persons. She has to do the planning, the family budgeting, the entertaining, etc.

Somewhere our young girls growing up ought to have that fact made clear to them. If they don't find it out at home, then it should be a part of their schooling.

It's all very well to teach girls that they can have both marriage and a career. But we ought not ever to let them get the idea that they can have marriage without becoming a housewife.

Yolk's on Her



With an air of resignation, Marsha Grant lets Mark, a New York hair stylist, break an egg in her hair. It's all part of Mark's newest hair treatment, designed, he says, "to give life and glamor to dull hair." After the egg shampoo, Mark rubs in some fresh strawberry cream and champagne.

Valentine Party Is Given For Families By Club Members

A family valentine party for Garden Addition Home Demonstration Club members, their husbands and children, was an event of Saturday night, with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Long and daughter as hosts.

While the children played a number of games, the adults enjoyed progressive forty-two. Emmet Sherman made high score. Mrs. Sherman receiving the traveling award, and Mrs. I. V. Flowers consolation. Refreshments were served with valentine decorations.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Galle and son, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Dawkins and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Kniffen, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Allen and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Chapman and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McKenzie and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Messersmith, Mrs. Nettie B. Messick and daughter, Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman and son and Mrs. Flowers.

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Mrs. Conner Hostess For Lucky 13 Club

Mrs. Ellis Conner was hostess to the Lucky 13 Club in her home Thursday afternoon, when games of "84" were enjoyed. Tulips hinted of Spring in the table decorations. Refreshments were served to Mrs. Brice Hays, Mrs. Herbert Collins, Mrs. Chester Shepard, Mrs. James L. Daugherty, Mrs. Bill Cole, Mrs. J. C. Hudman and Mrs. O. H. Jones.

Junior Choir Plans Supper For Thursday

A supper for junior choir members of the Trinity Episcopal Church, scheduled for Wednesday night, will be held instead on Thursday at 8 p. m. in the Parish House of the Church, the Rev. E. J. Snell, rector, announced Monday.

The senior choir will have its weekly practice session in the church at 7:45 p. m. on Wednesday night.

The star Betelgeuse has a diameter 484 times the diameter of the sun.

Valley View Club Raises Repair Fund

Funds to buy material for repairing the Valley View Community Building were raised by the Valley View Home Demonstration Club with a forty-two and bingo party in the building Friday night.

Julia Edith Midkiff scored high for women in the games of forty-two, and Dwight McDonald high for men. Refreshments were served to about 36 guests by members of the hostess club, of which Mrs. D. M. Bizzell is president.

O. C. Collins has been appointed custodian of the community building to replace Jim Baker, who has moved from the community.

Midland Community Theatre presents "I Remember Mama" Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday February 16, 17, 18, 19 at the City-County Auditorium
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Cash in Banks	\$1,149,665.85	Reserve for Unearned Premiums	\$4,158,706.35
Bonds (Amortized Values)	6,806,107.26	Reserve for Losses	3,335,190.93
Stocks (Market Values)	1,749,797.94	Reserve for Taxes	701,323.38
First Mortgage Loans	10,629.34	Reserve for Accounts Payable	361,323.35
Premiums In Course of Collection	1,644,236.70	Capital	\$ 750,000.00
Real Estate	141,187.11	Contingency Reserve Fund	500,000.00
Accrued Interest	38,578.74	Surplus	1,760,300.87
Other Assets	26,641.94	Surplus as Regards Policyholders	3,010,300.87
Total Admitted Assets	\$11,566,844.88	Total	\$11,566,844.88
		1947	1948
Assets	\$9,413,531.47	\$11,566,844.88	\$2,153,313.41
Premium Income	6,978,000.00	8,867,000.00	1,889,000.00

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THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, FEB. 14, 1948-3

Final Rehearsals In Progress, Ticket Sales Scheduled For 'I Remember Mama'

Tickets will go on sale Tuesday for "I Remember Mama," the Midland Community Theater's presentation of the John Van Druten comedy which will open a four-night run in the City-County Auditorium Wednesday.

Final rehearsals were held at the Carver School, and sales have been conducted by Boy Scouts of the negro troops.

Staging Task Large

Final touches on the production are being added by the large cast under direction of Art Cole, and the larger production staff headed by Elizabeth Pennebaker. Rehearsals with costumes and properties have been conducted since Friday night, when final staging was rehearsed for the first time.

Sunday rehearsals added the lighting effects, which are in charge of Klondike Johnson. The play calls for the most complicated stage effects of any yet presented by the Midland Theater.

The Broadway production used such devices as revolving stages and retractable platforms to present many short scenes, and in his

DKG Members Go To Meeting In Big Spring

Colorful patriotic decorations were used when the Big Spring and Garden City members of the Delta Kappa Gamma Chapter, Delta Kappa Gamma, entertained with a Lincoln's Birthday Luncheon for Midland, Odessa, and Stanton members in the Settles Hotel at Big Spring Saturday.

Martelle McDonald of Odessa, guest speaker, chose the subject, "The Woman Teacher's Place in the Political Life of the Community." She opened with the theme "The Teacher's Personal Life."

He stressed that in the next few years the thinking of young people in America will face perhaps its greatest challenge from the "isms" that threaten our way of life. Teachers, he said, have the responsibility of impressing on youth the benefits of that way, and of teaching young people they owe allegiance and support to the government and that the government does not owe them a living.

Patriotic Songs

Mrs. Thelma Kloten of Big Spring was in charge of the program, which opened with patriotic songs led by Zaida Brown of Big Spring. Oran Jo Pool of Odessa played a piano solo, and Mrs. Odella Jones of Big Spring gave the invocation. Red, white and blue streamers centered the tables and place decorations were miniature flags and "good luck" Lincoln-head pennies. As an interesting decorative feature, small stand-up figures of Lincoln made by Peggy Toos, Big Spring High School student, were placed on the table.

Red roses and white tapers formed the centerpiece of the speaker's table, and red and white gladiolus surrounded a Lincoln dinner plate on the piano. Flags of the United States and color to the room, dominated by a large United States flag behind the speaker's table. Members from Midland to the luncheon were Lucy Moore, Mrs. E. N. Stracener, Ruth Pearce, Mrs. Massey, Mary Lowry and Mrs. Hollye Frieholz. Mrs. J. M. Smith was present from Stanton, Mrs. Alton Cook and Gracia Ross from Garden City.

Odessa members were Grace Robertson, Gale Erwin, Mrs. Evelyn Morrison, Frances Goodall, Oneta Boyd, Maxine Robinson, Ed Jean Smith, Lucille Todd, Betty Burellman, Laura Frances Murphy, Mrs. Ruth Crabtree, Mrs. Leora Uppham, Minnie Mae Johnson, Helen Brewer, Mrs. W. A. Miller.

Ruby K. Jones, Miss Pool, Ida McCowan, Doll Birdwell, Wilma Base, Faye Matthews, Nell Rayburn, Ethel Cooke, Ina Matthews, Doris Hall, Bessie Ames Stewart, Mattie Bell Moran, Berta Curllin, Anne Martin, Mildred Wharton, Mary Bolding, Mrs. Juanita Umberger, Norma Morgan and Grace Penn.

word to the edition published for amateurs, the author admitted the difficulties to be overcome in staging his play in the ordinary theater with resources usually available to amateurs.

He simply suggested that each group use its ingenuity to adapt the play to its own stage, and the Community Theater production staff has followed that suggestion. A raised platform on rollers, a double set of curtains, and two sets of auxiliary curtains which enclose small stage areas on either side of the front of the stage, provide the necessary scene changes without slowing the pace of the drama.

Costumes and stage furnishings are of the 1910 period, and the principal setting is in the home of a Norwegian-American family in San Francisco. The cast is a large one, comprising 22 persons. It also includes a cat, Uncle Elizabeth, who has a stellar role in one scene.

The cat is owned by Margaret Gibson, and actually is named General Lee. He has appeared previously in one Community Theater production, the Children's Theater presentation of " Heidi," when it was a small kitten.

ATTEND BANK MEET

M. C. Ulmer and John P. Butler of The First National Bank returned Sunday from Dallas, where they attended a bankers' meeting Saturday.

+ Coming Events +

TUESDAY

Pyrcantha Garden Club will meet at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. W. H. Dunn, 1404 West Texas Street.

Prairie Lee Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. E. S. North.

Business and Professional Women's Club will meet for dinner in the Scharbauer Hotel, 7:30 p. m.

Sunday School Teachers meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m. in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Beta Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Noel Cason, 1901 West Texas Street.

First Methodist Church will sponsor a concert by "Wings Over Jordan" chorus at 8 p. m. in the High School Auditorium.

Boy Scout Troop sponsored by the First Presbyterian Church will meet in the Trinity Episcopal Church, 7:30 p. m.

WEDNESDAY

Grand Staff Music Club will meet at 7 p. m. in the home of Mary Jane Miller, 604 West Kansas Street, with Tommy Miller as co-host.

Social Studies Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. William E. Harrison, 301 South Marienfield Street, for a talk by Mrs. E. H. Scooby on "Child Guidance."

Senior Choir of the First Presbyterian Church will practice at 7:30 p. m. in the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Parent Educational Group of North Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 8 a. m. with Mrs. J. A. McCutchen, 900 North Baird Street.

Service of Holy Communion will begin at 10 a. m. in the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Terminal Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Bill Broxson, Building T-416, at 2 p. m.

Junior Women's Wednesday Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Irby Dyer.

Mrs. DeLo Douglas, 506 North Big Spring Street, will be hostess and Mrs. Harvey Herd reader for the Play Readers Club at 3 p. m.

Superintendents' meeting is scheduled at 7 p. m., and a meeting of teachers and officers at 7:15 p. m. in the First Baptist Church.

Choir practice in the First Methodist Church will start at 7:15 p. m.

Boy Scout Troop 152 will meet at 7:30 p. m. in the First Methodist Church.

Choir rehearsal in the First Baptist Church will begin at 9 p. m., following prayer meeting.

Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will meet with Mrs. R. F. Carroll, 1113 North Colorado Street, at 8 p. m.

Organization meeting for a Junior Garden Club will be held at 4 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Frank Stubbeman, 1502 West Texas Street.

Star Study Club will meet at 1 p. m. for luncheon in the home of Mrs. Fred Wycoff, 721 West Kansas Street.

Junior Choir of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet for supper at 6 p. m. in the Parish House.

THURSDAY

Men's breakfast and prayer service in the First Baptist Church is scheduled at 7:15 a. m.

Paleta Club members will find their studio, 604 North Colorado, open all day for painting, and a covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Tejas Garden Club will meet at 9:30 a. m. with Mrs. F. A. Crockett, 208 West College Street.

Pre-School Study Group sponsored by the Parent-Teacher Council will be organized at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. J. J. Black.

Mrs. Gale W. Pugh will be hostess to the Warfield Home Demonstration Club at 2 p. m.

City-County Federation of Women's Clubs will meet at 3 p. m. in home of Mrs. Jack Wilkinson, 1311 West Missouri Street, with the Woman's Wednesday Club as hostess.

Mrs. H. H. Watson will entertain the Needle Craft Club at 3 p. m. in her home, 1701 West Holloway Street.

Rainbow Girls will meet at 7 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

Boone Bible Class of the First Methodist Church will be entertained in the Scharbauer Educational Building, 7 p. m.

Mildred Cox Training Union of the First Baptist Church will have a social meeting in the church, 7:30 p. m.

Pastime Sewing Club will meet with Mrs. R. C. Vest, 604 North Weatherford Street, at 2 p. m.

Adult Choir of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 7:45 p. m. in the church for rehearsal.

FRIDAY

Ladies Golf Association will have luncheon at 1 p. m. in the Midland Country Club with Mrs. C. W. Chancellor and Mrs. M. L. McCoe as hostesses.

Ether Class of the First Baptist Church will have a banquet at the church, 7:30 p. m.

Square dancing will begin at 8 p. m. in the Parish House of the Trinity Episcopal Church.

Chapter BS of the P. E. O. will meet for luncheon at 12 noon in the Private Dining Room of Hotel Scharbauer, then have a program in the home of Mrs. Tom L. Ingram, 1406 West Louisiana Street.

Gamma Phi Beta Alumnae Association will meet at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Roger Northrup, 1907 West Illinois Street.

SATURDAY

Children's Story Hour will begin at 10:30 a. m. in the Children's Room of the Midland County Library.

Moment Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a. m. in the Watson Studio.

About one man in 20 and one woman in 100 is color-blind in varying degree.

'Wings Over Jordan' To Sing Spirituals Here Tuesday Night

Negro spirituals, sung in the unique style of the "Wings Over Jordan" choir, will be presented by that nationally-known chorus in a program beginning at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the Midland High School auditorium.

The chorus, heard last year in Midland and familiar to many radio listeners who have never heard it in person, is appearing this year under sponsorship of the First Methodist Church choir, whose members are in charge of ticket sales.

Tickets have been on sale at the Book Stall and at Wemple's several days and may be obtained from choir members. They will be on sale at the door Tuesday night.

"Wings Over Jordan" specializes in singing the spirituals which have a beauty and sincerity appealing to all listeners. Many of their songs are familiar, others are little heard, and some have been transcribed and sung publicly for the first time by the choir.

Collecting, writing and recording these obscure songs, some of which have been passed down orally to members of certain families for generations without ever being transcribed, is one project of the choir.

The music, started by the Rev. Glynn T. Settle, founder and manager of the choir, includes the granting of scholarships to students for research in this particular type of folk music. The aim is to foster a deeper universal appreciation of the cultural and artistic background of the American negro.

ALUMNAE MEETING SET

Gamma Phi Beta alumnae living in the Midland area are invited to a meeting of the alumnae association at 10 a. m. Friday in the home of Mrs. Roger Northrup, 1907 West Illinois Street. It is announced by Mrs. Fred Kotzya, president of the group. No personal invitation is necessary for any eligible, she added.

Brotherhood Dinner Planned In Church

The Brotherhood of the Calvary Baptist Church will entertain in the church dining room Monday night with a Valentine sweetheart banquet beginning at 7:30 p. m. Hoyt Burris, president, has announced.

J. H. Beatty is in charge of decorations for the dinner, Bill Campbell of the meal, and Glen Hyde of the program.

Congratulations To

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Reas on the birth Sunday of twins, a girl and a boy. The girl, Cynthia Ann, weighed four pounds, 14 ounces at birth while her brother, Richard Briggs, weighed five pounds, two ounces.



SOUTHERN PUBLISHERS TO MEET AT MINERAL WELLS

BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—(AP)—The Southern Newspaper Publishers Association will hold its 1948 convention in November at Mineral Wells. The convention site was picked Sunday as the executive group of the association met here.

DAUGHTER BORN TO BILLY SIMPSONS

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Simpson of Houston, formerly of Midland, are the parents of a daughter born Saturday night in a Houston hospital, according to information received here. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Wood of Midland are the maternal grandparents, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Simpson of Waller, Texas, formerly of Midland.

Date Advanced For Civic Music Club

The Civic Music Club will have its regular meeting at 8 p. m. Monday night instead of Tuesday, the usual day, members are reminded. The meeting place will be the auditorium of North Elementary School.

Date for the program was changed because the "Wings Over Jordan" choir is scheduled to appear here Tuesday night. Club members will present the program, which is open to the public, offering music by French and Russian composers as one of the year's series of "Contrasts and Parallels."

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The Soviet Record

There may be earnest, worried people who feel that the United States government rejected a Soviet peace bid by its reception of Marshal Stalin's answers to an American press correspondent's questions.

They may feel that we have missed a chance to "sit down with the Russians and talk things over."

They may feel that Secretary of State Acheson, in commenting on the Stalin answers, was content to demolish an opponent's arguments brilliantly and win another round of the cold war on points.

In the first place, Stalin had an obvious purpose in releasing his statement. American and other correspondents frequently submit questions to the Russian leader. He is free not only to answer or ignore them, of course, but to choose what questions he will answer, and when.

Stalin chose to issue his latest one while the North Atlantic alliance was in the process of formation. He also chose for his purpose four questions submitted by Kingsbury Smith of the International News Service.

The questions could not have been intended to flatter Stalin, but by their nature they somehow seemed to. Their hypothetical construction invited an affirmative answer.

The result was that this double impact put the United States government momentarily on the defensive. It made Acheson's public reply desirable. For Smith, however unintentionally, had played squarely into Stalin's hands by giving him a chance to look good at a moment when he particularly wanted to.

"Sold! To The Man From Missouri!"



DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

The first regular meeting of the year of directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will be held at 7:30 p. m. Monday in Hotel Scharbauer. President R. D. (Bob) Scruggs will preside.

Meeting Of C. Of C. Directors Slated

Wrote a soldier: "I remember." Wrote another: "France everyday loves you more and more. More today than before, and less than tomorrow."

BEFORE THE FRENCH MERCY TRAIN

The Air Force's newest jet fighter, the McDonnell XF-88, has its first test flight at Muroc, Calif., Air Force Base. The plane is designed as a penetration fighter, to operate deep within enemy lines.

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY

America's Card Authority

I always like to dedicate my column on February 14 to the late Louis H. Watson, commemorating the date of his death. In my opinion Watson was one of the greatest card players who ever lived. I suppose that every author of a bridge book takes something

THE DOCTOR SAYS

Heart Disease In Many Forms Is Leading Cause Of Death

Heart disease is one of the leading causes of death and illness throughout the world. It is, therefore, encouraging that it has attracted so much attention among medical men, and that they are anxious to do more for it.

POP Goes the QUEEN

By Bob Wade and Bill Miller

THE STORY: Gals Shew Winner John Henry and his Conover, spending an expensive vacation at a swank resort, receive a mysterious visit from gun-toting Homer Anglin. Later Anglin is fatally shot, but he whispers to Johnny, "You already got it" before he dies.

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WASHINGTON COLUMN

New Negotiations On Austria Will Test Russia's Sincerity

By PETER EDBON

WASHINGTON—New attempts by deputies of the Big Four Council of Foreign Ministers to draft an Austrian peace treaty should throw considerable light on the sincerity of Russia's peace offensive.

Whether Austria should be barred from research, manufacture or stockpiling of materials that might contribute to a military potential, the United States and Britain have been against any such restrictions.

So they say

I do not think the United States in the whole of its history ever had a president and vice president who were more congenial.

Man Trapped By \$100 Reward Electrocuted

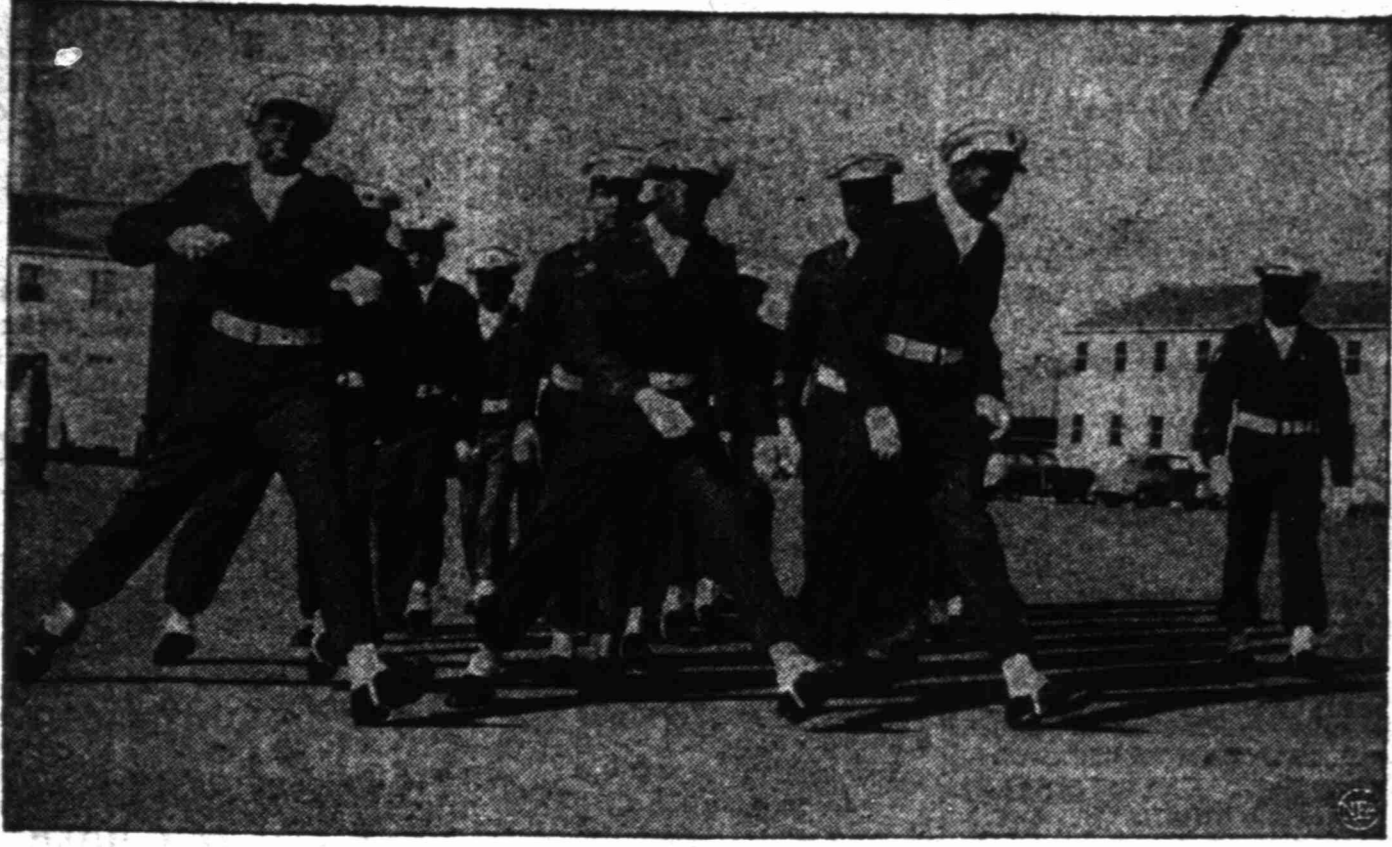
HUNTSVILLE (AP)—Thurman Williams, who for a \$100 reward gave police the rifle that linked him with the death of C. N. Herridge, died in the electric chair here Sunday.

Needle-Nose Goes for a Spin

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'Co-Column Hop—Be-Bop!'



This is really root platoon, doing some drilling that's alive, man. It's the crack negro drill team of the 2382nd Aviation Squadron at Hamilton Field, San Rafael, Calif. The prize-winning marchers practice drilling daily, to such command as "What's on your right, man?" instead of "Right face," and "Turn round," instead of "About face." The movement they're doing above, in case you don't recognize it, is the old-fashioned "Column left."

Accidents, Violence Claim Eight Victims

By The Associated Press
At least eight Texans lost their lives by violence during the weekend with traffic accidents claiming one-half of the victims.
A Dallas child died of burns, a Houston negro maid was shot and stabbed to death, one person died in a fall from a horse and another died from unknown causes in the period from 8 p. m. Friday through Sunday night.
The deaths included:
Juan Avila, 53, of La Pryor was killed in a head-on collision of two trucks near La Pryor.
Andrew Quijano, five, died in

Dallas of burns suffered earlier when his clothing caught fire while he was playing near burning trash.
Carroll Francine Carter, 17, of Abilene, a student at North Texas State College was killed in a high-way accident near Fort Worth.
Thrown From Horse
Laura T. Sawyer, 28, a Biggs Field hostess, was killed near El Paso when she was thrown from a horse.
Fritzie Lloyd Sifford, 23, of El Reno, Okla., died Sunday in a Dumas hospital of injuries suffered Saturday night when hit by an automobile near Dumas.
Rosa Lee Carr Henderson, 29, a negro maid, was stabbed and shot to death on a crowded Houston City Transit bus. Charges of murder were filed against her husband, Porter Henderson, 40.
Virginia Warren, 30, also known as Virginia Gooch, was found dead in bed in a home at Abilene Sunday. An autopsy was performed but a verdict awaits analysis of her stomach contents.
Raul M. Lopez, 41, San Antonio, was injured fatally Sunday night when the car in which he was a passenger and another auto crashed. His death was the seventh San Antonio traffic fatality this year.

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Association Seeks \$5,000,000 Sum To Fight Heart Disease

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON—(AP)—The trouble with heart disease is that doctors don't know what causes it.
Yet it kills more people than any other ailment. Last year it killed 825,000 people. It will kill as many this year.
In an effort to help find the cause, the American Heart Association Monday began a one-week campaign to raise \$5,000,000 for 1949.
There are three main kinds of heart disease: the kind that comes from rheumatic fever, high blood pressure, and hardening of the arteries.
Right now about 7,000,000 people are walking around with some form of heart disease.
Some know it. Some won't know it till they're taken to a hospital and checked over, or until they have an attack.
The American Heart Association was founded in 1924 by a group of doctors. It was entirely a professional organization which distributed scientific information on the heart among doctors.
But last year the association decided to widen its work by getting help from the public and doing more work in the heart field.
So last year it made its first campaign for public help and raised about \$2,500,000. This year it wants double that sum.
The American Heart Association, the parent body, has 40 local branches: in big cities, or statewide, or even regionally, as in the case of the New England Heart Association.
How will the money be spent?
1. To support research. That is, giving money to centers, or in helping support doctors, doing research in the cause and treatment of heart disease.
2. In educating the public and doctors about heart disease by getting information to them.
3. In helping get better treatment for heart cases all over the country, as in hospital equipment and room and other aids.
4. Helping out, perhaps, with higher pay for people handling heart cases, like nurses.
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Meet Spiegel; He Says No In 10 Languages

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK—(AP)—Sam Spiegel is a man of ten tongues—nine living and one dead.
This enables him to say "yes" in nine more languages than the average Hollywood figure. It should be a positive guarantee of success in films.
But Spiegel likes to say "no." This, perhaps, explains why he is an "independent producer."
Spiegel, known professionally as S. P. Eagle, is an international cinema adventurer. At 46 he has written, directed or produced films in Germany, Austria, England, France, Mexico and the United States.
Viennese-born and educated, Spiegel is a man of many talents and tastes, including a well-trained palate for wine. He sometimes entertains friends by tasting and identifying a wide variety of wines while blindfolded.
In the matter of languages, Spiegel knows his way around in English, German, French, Spanish, Polish, Russian, Czech, Italian and Palestinian Hebrew.
Latin Is Favorite
But Latin, the dead language, is his first love. And the tributes he pays it would bring tears of joy to many an American high school Latin teacher.
"For my study of old Latin I have been grateful all my life," said Spiegel. "It has an enormous discipline—a discipline that once you learn you can use afterwards in anything."
"Today many film writers go off on a tangent. They lack the rigid discipline of thought that Latin teaches. I advise any young script writer to read the Gallic Wars of Caesar. Then he will know how to write with discipline."
But Spiegel thinks that, in other ways, Hollywood would do well to shake off some of the discipline of the past.
He is in town now hawking his latest production, "We Were Strangers," directed by young John Huston and partly filmed in Cuba. It deals with a revolution there.
"It is based on Thomas Jefferson's phrase, 'Resistance to tyrants is obedience to God,'" said Spiegel, "and we hope it is a step away from the conventional pattern."
Spiegel thinks the answer to Hollywood's box office troubles is to avoid trite, hackneyed themes.

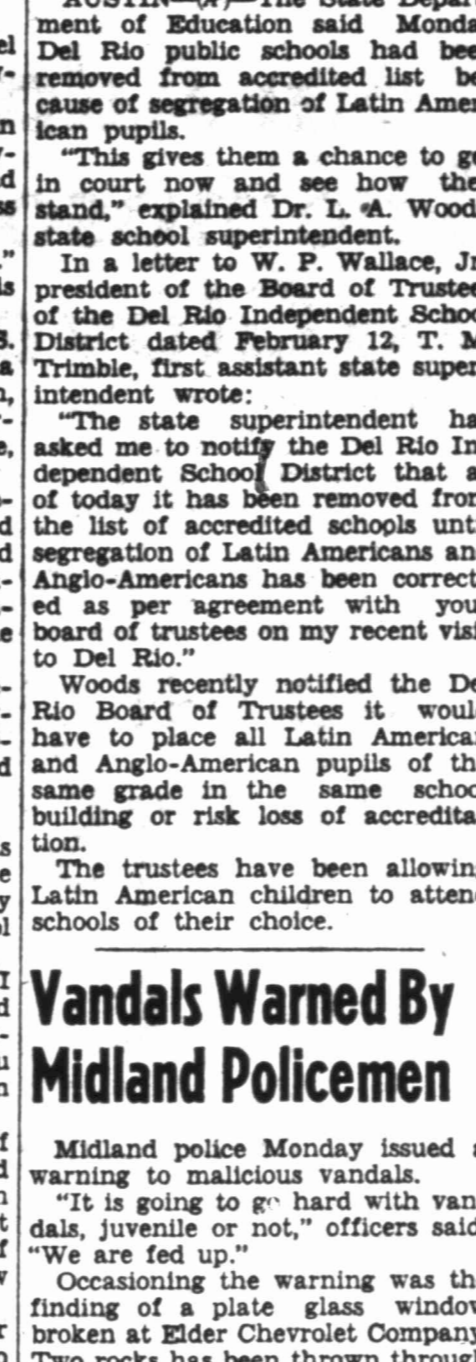
Woods Cracks Down On Del Rio Schools In Segregation Row

AUSTIN—(AP)—The State Department of Education said Monday Del Rio public schools had been removed from accredited list because of segregation of Latin American pupils.
"This gives them a chance to get in court now and see how they stand," explained Dr. L. A. Woods, state school superintendent.
In a letter to W. P. Wallace, Jr., president of the Board of Trustees of the Del Rio Independent School District dated February 12, T. M. Trimble, first assistant state superintendent wrote:
"The state superintendent has asked me to notify the Del Rio Independent School District that as of today it has been removed from the list of accredited schools until segregation of Latin Americans and Anglo-Americans has been corrected as per agreement with your board of trustees on my recent visit to Del Rio."
Woods recently notified the Del Rio Board of Trustees it would have to place all Latin American and Anglo-American pupils of the same grade in the same school building or risk loss of accreditation.
The trustees have been allowing Latin American children to attend schools of their choice.

Vandals Warned By Midland Policemen

Midland police Monday issued a warning to malicious vandals.
"It is going to go hard with vandals, juvenile or not," officers said. "We are fed up."
Occasioning the warning was the finding of a plate glass window broken at Elder Chevrolet Company. Two rocks had been thrown through the glass.
This was the third case in a few weeks of broken plate glass windows at the same location.
Louisiana National Guard Offers 'Duck Platoon' For Relief
NEW ORLEANS—(AP)—If a flood or any other emergency develops in the five states of the Fourth Army Area, the Louisiana National Guard's "Duck Platoon" will be available for relief work.
Brig. Gen. Raymond F. Hufft said he had offered the services of the platoon to Fourth Army Headquarters in Fort Sam Houston.
The equipment consists of two-and-one-half-ton vehicles for transport of men or materials over land or water.
CAR ABANDONED
Police in Midland Monday found a 1941 Plymouth coupe car abandoned on North Big Spring. The ignition key was in the car and there were articles of clothing in it. The car had a Pennsylvania license.
LUBBOCK CAR STOLEN
Lubbock police reported to Midland police Sunday the theft of a 1949 Oldsmobile sedan in that city. The car was not seen here.

Plan Vast Radar Warning System for U. S. and Canada



Congress is considering an Air Force proposal for a joint U. S.-Canada radar network to warn against the approach of hostile aircraft. The U. S. share of the cost would be \$161,000,000. While warning that the system will not provide anything like an "airtight" radar fence, the Air Force said it would provide warning of planes up to 300 miles away—sufficient to enable the Air Force to prepare a defense. The map above illustrates one plan for such a radar network as urged recently by F. H. Lack, chairman of the radio industry's mobilization committee, in the magazine Mechanix Illustrated. The radar stations would be in touch with the central control post (in the inset) by television.

Chiropractors To Present Statewide Radio Broadcast

Chiropractors of Texas, waging a bitter fight against the so called Minimum Standards Bill sponsored by the Texas Medical Association, will present a special broadcast over a statewide network Monday night, members of the association here announced.
Dr. Ben Parker, dean of the Texas Chiropractic College, San Antonio, will discuss "Basic Science Legislation" as the broadcast feature. The program may be heard over KCRS, Midland, from 8:15 to 8:30 p. m. Monday.
Midland chiropractors term the proposed legislation discriminatory and monopolistic, and said members of the state chiropractic society are endeavoring to acquaint Texans with the true purpose of the proposed bill.
SCHOOL SOCIETY DOES VALENTINE SERVICES
SAN MARCOS—(AP)—For half a dollar romantic lovers at Southwest Texas State College here can get a girl's quartet to serenade their sweethearts.
It's a special St. Valentine's Day offer made by the Shakespeare Literary Society, a social organization of girls, to raise money.
"It's more fun than work," said one of the girls.
For a dime, the society will telephone a Valentine greeting, for 15 cents the message goes in person.
VETERAN JEWELER DIES
DALLAS—(AP)—Albert Link, 84, veteran Dallas jeweler, died here Sunday. He started his career as a partner in a jewelry store at Sherman.
Without birds, it is estimated that insect pests would destroy the crops of the world in less than ten years.

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David Cagers Beat McCamey Team In Stockton Benefit

MCCAMEY — The House of David basketball team defeated the News Publishing Company cagers of McCamey 42-39 in a March of Dimes benefit game Sunday afternoon at Fort Stockton. The event, which attracted a large crowd, was sponsored by the Fort Stockton Junior Chamber of Commerce.

The box score:

House of David	Fg	Ft	Pct
Drew	4	1	9
Scott	3	2	8
Ludka	5	1	11
Roth	4	0	8
Walden	3	0	6
Totals	19	4	42

McCamey	Fg	Ft	Pct
Dooley	6	2	14
White	1	1	3
Davis	1	0	2
Benson	1	0	2
Burnett	4	1	9
Carl	3	1	7
Harris	3	1	7
Totals	17	5	39

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Ben Hogan May Leave Hospital Next Week

EL PASO —(P)—Bantam Ben Hogan, famed professional golfer, may be able to leave a hospital here for his Fort Worth home by next week-end.

Hogan's wife said that if his recovery from automobile accident injuries continues as well as it has been doing, he may be able to make the trip.

Hogan suffered a fractured pelvis, rib, shoulder and broke an ankle bone in an automobile-bus accident near Van Horn, February 2.

Mrs. Hogan was only slightly injured.

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Arkansas Is First In See-Saw Contest For Loop Cage Title

By The Associated Press

The Southwest Conference basketball race is almost like the children's game of "button, button."

Who's in first? Arkansas right now. Early last week it was Baylor, Rice and Arkansas. Tuesday night, late, it will be Arkansas and Baylor or Rice. By Saturday, well...

Southern Methodist started the standing see-sawing last week by upsetting Rice 47-46. Arkansas climaxed the dizzy doings by virtually eliminating the University of Texas Longhorns from the title race 54-50.

The Razorbacks' Saturday night victory over Texas was their second of the week. The first score was 60-54. The twin victories over Texas put Arkansas alone at the head of the conference standings. The situation, however, is temporary.

'Five Games This Week

There are five games on the schedule this week. The most important are those matching Rice and Baylor Tuesday night at Houston; Texas and Baylor at Waco and Southern Methodist and Arkansas at Fayetteville, Ark., Saturday.

Texas also meets Texas A&M at College Station, Wednesday, and Rice plays Texas Christian Friday at Fort Worth.

Julius Dolnic, TCU's 29-year-old center, has banded 131 points in eight games to pace conference scoring. In second place is big Bill Tom of Rice with 115 points.

Slater Martin, Texas ace, continues to lead in season scoring. He has 292 points to 288 for second-place Tom.

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Tom Adams, Don Thompson Move To Gloves Finals

FORT WORTH—(P)—Tom Adams of Abilene is a heavy favorite to defend his light heavyweight crown here Monday night in the finals of the State Golden Gloves. The other champion shooting for a second title may have rough going.

Adams, who has won his division the last two years, takes on David Carter of San Antonio.

The 174-pound student from Hardin-Simmons university has been the class of the light heavies throughout the 13th annual tournament.

Carter, 175 pound Trinity University student, has managed barely to get a couple of opponents.

Little Fred Morales of Allen Academy in the Temple region faces a tough task defending his flyweight title. He tangles with a rough, tall Irish boy, Pat Riley of Dallas.

Morales scored a technical knockout over Henry Kagawa, 1946 champion, Saturday night to gain the finals.

Riley advanced by comfortable margins over all foes.

A couple of former champions are in the field of 16—all that's left from the more than 100 amateur boxers who started last Wednesday night.

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MONDAY MORNING ROUNDUP

Odessa won its own junior tournament with a 42-20 victory over Pecos in the finals... McCamey won the consolation title with a 41-27 win over Monahans.

Coaches chose this all-tourney team: Walt Spiller of Midland, Joe Hunt of McCamey, Jim Jenkins of Monahans, Frank Gee of Odessa and Gutierrez of Pecos... More than likely Big Spring preferred the Odessa gym to Midland's for the cage playoffs and Lamesa probably held out for Midland... Big Spring has won eight decisions in two years in Odessa's fieldhouse, that's why... Bill More is lining up, or has signed up, several ex-Ballinger Cats for play with his Longhorn League entry at Roswell... Included are Vic Mihalic, Bill Watling, Bill Gage, Walt Bardwell, Bob Crandell, Mel Neundorff... Bill Awood, the good natured skipper of the 1948 Cats is wintering at Odessa and probably won't take part this campaign... He's got a good job over there and is happy out of baseball... Stu Williams likely will play for Ballinger this season again... He lives there in off season and is the property of Cincinnati, however... Big Spring high cagers under Johnny Malaise's coaching have won 61 games and lost 36 in a four-year span... Willie Pep still has it... Wee Willie whipped Sandy Sandler the other night and won back his feather title... The 1949 Big State League campaign will open April 9 and close Labor Day... Bill Austen will play for Ballinger... The nation's three top basketball teams will wind up under one roof next month if the National Invitation Tournament gets its wish... The NIT hopes to corral Kentucky, St. Louis and Oklahoma... The Arizona-Texas Class C baseball league will open its season April 19 and close after a 150-game schedule on Labor Day; this was decided Sunday... It looks like Stephen F. Austin will breeze home first in the Lone Star conference... The chase... Chief threat was University of Houston and it lost two of three games on the road last week... One of the reasons for the A summary is one Coach Glen Rose who used to be at Arkansas, remember?... He won or shared five SWC titles at Arkansas from 1935 to 1943... The Tyler Apaches are undefeated as they enter the stretch of the Southwestern Junior College cage race... The Apaches have scored 670 points in 10 ball games... Here's a good ha-ha at San Angelo—Milton Rathbone, great quarterback of the San Angelo Bobcats when they won the state title in 1943, lists his home as Knickerbocker... Rathbone now is at Texas Tech... Nickname of Sul Ross' high-scoring center is "Dumps" Williams... And he really dumps 'em in the basket, they say... Underdog Ozona whipped favored Sonora for the west half title of District 22-B... Midland beat Ozona but lost to Sonora in the Big Lake tourney... Odessa will hold an invitational tennis meet April 2... We predict Big Spring and San Angelo will meet in the District 3-AA basketball finals and San Angelo will win... Coach Jack Mashburn of the MHS coaching staff is well-pleased with basketball prospects the next couple of years... Midland should have more box seats for baseball than any Longhorn League installation this season... Webb wants a good local boy on the roster if he can find him... 30 for strays, lazy letters or numbers of a cattle brand are those burned in laying down.

Five Cage Quints Chase Arizona In Border Loop Race

By The Associated Press

Five basketball teams chase the University of Arizona as the Border Conference heads down the stretch. Texas Tech seems to have the best chance of catching the defending champs.

Arizona faltered last week. It dropped its first league games of the season to West Texas and Tech on succeeding nights.

Texas Tech has two games more than Arizona. But the rest of its schedule will be played in Lubbock, where it hasn't lost this year.

West Texas, New Mexico, Texas Mines and Hardin-Simmons all have lost one more game than Tech—three more than Arizona.

New Mexico visits Tech, West Texas and Hardin-Simmons this week. The Miners tour Arizona.

They are likely to join New Mexico A&M and Arizona State Colleges at Flagstaff and Tempe in the league discard.

Longhorn Schedule Still Being Drawn

A 1949 schedule was not drafted in time for a Longhorn League Meeting last Sunday.

The meeting to accept the 1949 card will be held next Sunday at Sweetwater with Harold Webb due to preside.

Also formal declaration of Sweetwater's baseball situation will be made. Sweetwater is all fixed to function during the 1949 campaign and a \$40,000 park is under construction.

In the Appalachians, four mountain ranges are named for colors: Green, White, Blue Ridge, and Black.

Sky Skiing!



Florida is filled with wonders, but it just isn't true that Martha Mitchell is skiing in the sky above Cypress Gardens. The trick in this shot is that the water on which Martha glides reflects the clouds above. Martha, however, is real, but definitely.

Dave Douglas, New In Pro Tours, Grabs Texas Open Victory

SAN ANTONIO —(P)— Golf's touring crack shots moved on to Houston Monday with a comparative newcomer to their ranks—tall Dave Douglas of Wilmington, Del.—climbing to sixth money-winner of the year through victory in the \$10,000 Texas Open.

Douglas, playing his second year on the tournament trail, shot 22 under par for 72 holes to win the \$2,000 first money with a total of 268. His final round was a blistering 65 over Brackenridge Park's 6,400-yard par 71 course Sunday. It edged Slammin' Sammy Sneed of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., by a stroke.

Sneed wound up with a five-under-par 66 and a 72-hole total of 269.

Sneed won \$1,400 for second place while Dick Metz of Virginia Beach, Va., and Johnny Palmer of Badin, N. C., who tied for third, each earned \$900. They shot 27's.

Skee Riegel of Tulsa, Okla., was the low amateur of the tournament with 283 but he was not among the top 20 finishers, all of whom were pros. Riegel got a silver tray. Doug Ford of Larchmont, N. Y., and James Beardsley of Kingsville, Texas, were second low amateurs with 285 each.

3-AA Playoff Card Set; One Encounter Booked At Midland

BIG SPRING — District 3-AA basketball playoff arrangements were made at a meeting of school representatives here Sunday.

Big Spring and Lamesa will clash at the neutral site of Midland. This game is slated Tuesday night in the MHS gym.

Abilene and San Angelo will collide at San Angelo in the high school gym, also Tuesday night.

The two winners will meet Friday night in the Sweetwater gym (neutral site) to play for the conference championship.

Opponents in the playoff games were drawn from the hat. Abilene and San Angelo flipped a coin to determine their site. Big Spring and Lamesa agreed on Midland as a neutral meeting place.

Here is how the 3-AA teams ended a double round-robin:

TEAM	W	L
Lamesa	10	2
San Angelo	9	3
Abilene	8	4
Big Spring	6	6
Midland	5	7
Odessa	3	9
Sweetwater	1	11

Sepia, a dark brown pigment used by artists, is obtained from the "ink-sacs" of cuttlefish.

Diamond Clinic Is Underway At Odessa

EL PASO—(P)—The first of 13 baseball clinics for high school and amateur team managers and coaches, in Texas drew a class of 34.

The 24 who attended the one-day clinic Sunday were from West Texas and New Mexico.

Gus Mancuso, manager of the San Antonio Missions of the Texas League, and John Hudson, New York Giants scout, conducted the clinic. They moved to Odessa Monday for a similar meeting.

Bobby Ergan, Fort Worth Texas League Club manager, and Jack Knott, scout for the Cincinnati Reds, were to serve as instructors for a clinic at Sherman Monday.

The meetings are sponsored by the Texas Intercollegiate League and the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues.

Abilene Christian, Howard Payne Run One-Two In Chase

By The Associated Press

Abilene Christian and Howard Payne still are running one-two in the Texas Conference basketball race.

Defending champion ACC protected its record by being idle last week and Howard Payne pulled within one game of the Wildcats with two victories: over McMurry 96-54 and Austin 50-46.

In the only other league game, Austin beat Southwestern 53-43.

Four conference games are scheduled this week, along with a fairly heavy non-conference slate.

Monday night, ACC plays host to Southwestern at Abilene and Austin and Howard Payne play at Sherman.

CONFERENCE STANDINGS

Team	W	L	Pts	Opp. Pct.	
ACC	5	0	290	244	1,000
Howard Payne	4	1	280	250	800
McMurry	2	3	246	265	400
Austin	2	4	300	317	333
Southwestern	0	5	211	264	000

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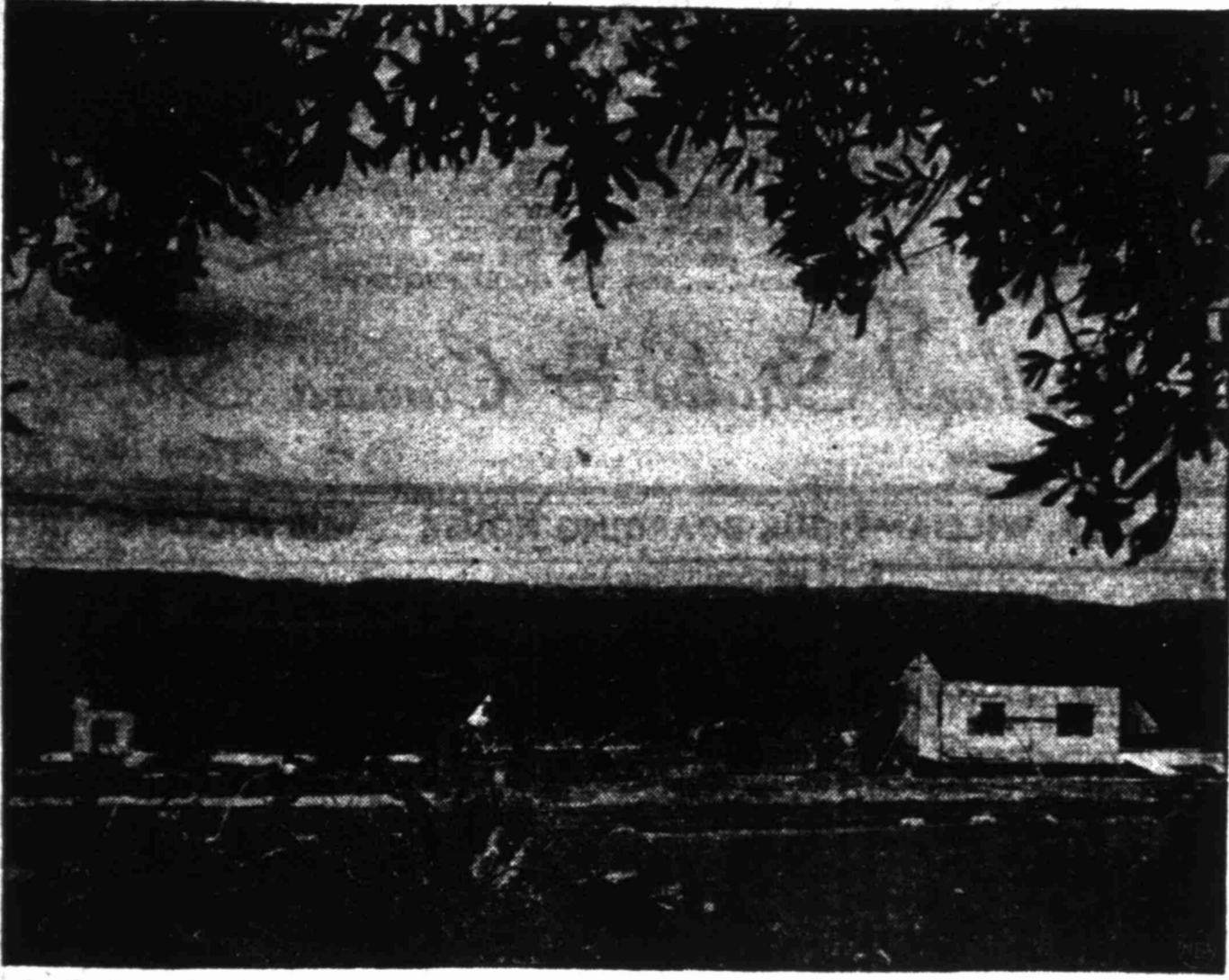
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Pioneers Carve a Home in Israel



In Northern Israel, pioneers are at work carving a home out of the deserted lands of Galilee. Settlements are springing up, like this one, to be called Beth Haaravah. Ninety Jews from the United States and Canada are part of its population. First step is the erecting of wooden houses. In the background are the Galilee Mountains. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent E. F. Ilan.)

Rev. Frank Triggs Is Kiwanis Speaker

The Rev. Frank Triggs, pastor of St. Ann's Catholic Church, discussed "The Trial of Cardinal Mindszenty and Communism," in an address before members of the Midland Kiwanis Club at their meeting Monday noon in Hotel Scharbauer.

The speaker was introduced by Louis Bartha, program chairman. The Rev. R. Matthew Lynn, president, presided.

Cardinal Mindszenty was sentenced to life imprisonment by a court in Communist dominated Budapest, Hungary, last week.

Father Triggs said the cardinal was accustomed to difficulties as a result of the enforced governments of his native land the last several years. He told of Mindszenty's troubles with the Nazis who tried to take his life on several occasions. He was placed in prison by the Nazis and was released by the Russians when they occupied Hungary.

The speaker expressed a belief the cardinal was doped by his captors in order to obtain certain admissions and denials used against him in the trial. Father Triggs stated Cardinal Mindszenty is a Holy man and knew he faced prison and even death at the hands of his captors.

The life and training of the cardinal were discussed by the speaker. "Christianity was on trial at Budapest last week," Father Triggs said.

He stated communism in general is far different from atheistic communism which attempts by force to destroy the belief in God. "True Christianity is the only real means of combating communism," Father Triggs said.

Mr. Lynn announced a meeting of Kiwanis directors Monday night in the home of R. R. Russell.

Alvarado Struck By Freakish Windstorm

ALVARADO, TEXAS.—(AP)—This little Johnson County town counted \$50,000 damage from a powerful gust of wind which demolished a few structures, damaged others and scattered two over 10 acres of land.

The wind blew in Sunday morning. It passed through town in a hurry—residents said it lasted less than a minute at any one spot—traveling in a northeast to southwest direction.

Fire Chief A. L. Creswell estimated the damages.

The city was drenched with four to five inches of rain within a two-hour period.

The wind knocked out windows, toppled chimneys, and interrupted utility facilities for a brief period. Scattered over 10 Acres

A granary and tool shed belonging to E. L. Prestridge, a farmer living about one-half mile east of here, were demolished.

T. W. Hooks reported two rent houses scattered over 10 acres of land. He also said his car body and paint shop was ruined.

"The wind blew hard enough to make my well-constructed residence tremble, and we were only on the edge of it," Hooks said.

The two-story frame residence of H. P. Johnson was moved four feet off its foundation.

A brick building used by the Fundamental Baptist Church was practically destroyed and one 10-room residence was twisted out of shape.

NEGRO WOMAN TREATED FOR KNIFE WOUND

Emma Dula Price, 26-year-old negro woman, Sunday was given emergency treatment at a Midland hospital for a knife wound. Officers reported she was cut in an affray with another negro woman in a Midland cafe.

MEETING PLACE CHANGED

The meeting Tuesday at 8 p. m. of the Beta Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi has been changed to the home of Mrs. Noel Cason, 1901 West Texas Street, from the previously announced place. Mrs. Charles Reeder's home, it was announced Monday.

HEART ATTACK FATAL BROWNVILLE

—(AP)—C. L. Laughter, 51, athletic coach at El Ardin School near here, died Tuesday from a heart attack.

He came here from Dawson. Survivors include his widow and four children.

In many savage tribes, a person's life is thought to be so intimately connected with his personality that it seldom if ever used.

Legislature Faces Heavy Schedule Of Committee Hearings

AUSTIN.—(AP)—Up to its ears in controversy, the 51st Legislature started its sixth week Monday.

The session faces as heavy a week of public committee hearings on proposed legislation as any veteran employ could remember. The weight comes not only from the large number of bills, but from public interest in them.

The Senate Finance Committee was to receive and act on a subcommittee report Monday on an emergency appropriation of four million dollars for the prison system.

A measure by Senator Fred Harris of Dallas to establish a medical school in Dallas also came under the eye of a subcommittee Monday.

There has been some talk a plan may be put forward at one stage or another of this bill's progress to establish the school under the auspices of Texas Tech, rather than of the University of Texas.

Oil Industry Bill

Two important bills were up for hearing Monday night.

One drew the eye of the oil industry. By Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe, it would permit cooperative development of fields. Various organizations of oil and gas producers have come out for or against the measure, and it may be necessary to extend the hearing over two nights.

The House Education Committee at 7:30 p. m. will consider a bill to increase the salary of the state school superintendent.

Altogether, public hearings have been announced for 75 bills or proposed constitutional amendments this week.

Weather—

(Continued From Page One) and to resume operations of trains, but strong winds again were whipping up new drifts. Two trainloads of hay arrived at Green River Sunday and ranchers started clearing roads for quick movement of the feed to their hungry livestock herds.

Freezing rain was reported falling Monday in portions of Illinois, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and North Texas, with the rainfall extending eastward through the Ohio Valley to Pennsylvania, New York and Central New England.

Temperatures were below zero in Northwestern Wisconsin, Northern Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Eastern Montana, and parts of Utah, Wyoming and Nevada.

In the south, northwest and eastern sections of the country the mercury was around normal.

NURSES REGISTRATION FEE HIKE TRIMMED

AUSTIN.—(AP)—A bill to increase nurses registration fees \$1.50 annually was trimmed back to 50-cent annual increase by the Senate's Committee on Public Health Monday.

Present registration fees are 50 cents a year.

The bill, by Senator Carlos Ashley of Llano, was given committee approval as amended.

They've Been Married 78 Years



Grandma and Grandpa Cutsinger have been married 78 years, and they believe their marriage is the longest in the United States. Celebrating their latest anniversary at their home in Humphreys, Mo., the Cutsingers are visited by, left to right, Kaye Kethley, one of their 23 great-grandchildren; Mrs. Evelyn Kethley, one of 28 grandchildren; and Mrs. Dorothy Larkin, oldest of nine children.

Eisenhower Returns To Military Service

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The United States has called Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower back into service to help answer grave questions of future military policy.

The wartime supreme Allied commander was named by the White House last week to serve as temporary chairman of the joint chiefs of staff—a group which includes the top military men of the Army, Navy and Air Force, as well as the chief of staff to the President.

Eisenhower is on leave from his job as president of Columbia University. As principal advisor to President Truman and Secretary of Defense Forrestal, he will have an important part in deciding vital defense questions.

Oil & Gas Log—

(Continued From Page One) West Crockett County.

It is four miles west of the Clara Couch field, and 789.8 feet from south end 51.7 feet from east line of section 84, block 1, I&GN survey. That puts it 2,765 feet northwest of Sun No. 1 Half-Bivens estate, which is bottomed at 1,904 feet in lime, cleaning out cavings at 1,850 feet, before making more hole. That venture has not reported having logged any shows of petroleum up to now.

Plymouth Enters Coke Ellenburger

Plymouth Oil Company has entered the Ellenburger in West-Central Coke County with its No. 1 Millcan, venturing deep in the Millcan field area.

Top of the Ellenburger was called on 7,135 feet. A drillstem test was run at 7,122-7,145 feet, with the tool open two hours. Recovery was 50 feet of drilling mud with no shows of oil, gas or water.

It was drilling ahead below 7,155 feet in Ellenburger dolomite.

This venture, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 231, block 2, H&TC survey, failed to develop production in the Strawn line of the Pennsylvanian, the regular pay in the Millcan pool.

DST In Process At Magnolia No. 1 Hicks

A drillstem test was underway at Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Hicks, deep wildcat in Southeast Gaines County, 14 miles southwest of Lamar.

Total depth was 12,620 feet in an unidentical lime, thought to be more than likely still Devonian. Packer was set on 12,580 feet.

Operator has filed an amended application with the Railroad Commission, requesting permission to deep this venture to 13,000 feet. The Ellenburger is expected by some geologists around that depth, or possibly deeper.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of tract 16, league 273, Loving CSL survey.

Vincent Area Makes Water For Magnolia

Water has developed in the Vincent area of extreme Northeast Howard County for Magnolia No. 1-A Gartner, wildcat, 660 feet from north and west lines of section 67, block 20, Lavaca Navigation District survey.

On a drillstem test at 7,506-20 feet, salty sulphur water flowed at the rate of 101.2 barrels per hour. There were no shows of oil or gas.

The venture was bottomed on 7,522 feet in lime and shale, remaining core hole.

Intercoast Extends Mason Field North

Intercoast Petroleum Corporation of Midland has proven a one-half mile north extension to the Mason-Delaware field in Northwest Loving County.

The concern's No. 1 TXL, 1,950 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 17, block 55, TP survey, T-1-N, is bottomed at 3,974 feet in Delaware sand pay, and is preparing to swab and test.

This semi-wildcat topped the Delaware sand at 3,910 feet and the Delaware sand at 3,939 feet. Elevation is 3,096 feet.

The pay was encountered at 3,960 feet and continued to the current bottom. The well filled up with 700 feet of oil, and showed no water in three hours.

After testing, operator plans to complete the extension natural.

Intercoast has leases on approximately 5,000 acres adjacent to the new well and in the vicinity of the Mason field.

Mitchell Ellenburger Develops Salt Water

Flour Bluff Oil Company and Olson Drilling Company No. 1 Girvin, Southeast Mitchell County, developed salt water in the Mitchell area of Colorado City, and 660 feet from south and east lines of section 84, block 26, TP survey, is reported by unofficial sources to have taken a drillstem test in the Ellenburger.

The test is supposed to have been at 7,170-94 feet. The tool was open one and one-half hours. The investigation developed large amounts of salt water, and no indications of oil or gas. The wildcat is due to make more hole.

No top on the Ellenburger has been reported from any sources. The exploration is being operated "tight," and there is no official verification for this report.

NEGRO MAN TREATED FOR BULLET WOUND

Willie D. Jackson, 23-year-old negro of 700 North Dallas Street, was treated at a Midland hospital for a bullet wound in the right leg and released Sunday. Jackson told officers he did not know who shot him.

Home accidents killed 33,000 persons and injured 5,000,000 more during 1946, in the United States alone.

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Accident Victims Treated And Released

Lula Wallace, 27-year-old negro woman, and Leonard Johnson, 21-year-old negro man were given emergency treatment at a Midland hospital and released Sunday following an automobile accident in which they were involved.

The woman complained of injuries to the right hip and thigh and the man suffered a possible fractured left hand.

The car in which the negroes were riding was in collision with one driven by a Latin-American three-tenths of a mile from the city limits on East Highway 80.

LIONS CLUB BAND TO PERFORM AT SWEETWATER

The Midland Lions Club International Convention Band will go to Sweetwater Monday night, weather permitting, to present a special program at a Valentine ladies night meeting of the Sweetwater Lions Club.

Marco Polo, famed world traveler of the 13th century, reported that spectacles were worn by Chinese with poor sight.

Ice Cream And Candy Off Lunchroom Menu

FORT WORTH.—(AP)—Ice cream and candy have been taken off the menu at the R. Vickery Elementary School lunchroom to make certain the students buy "well balanced" meals.

R. E. Jones, the principal, said Monday the ban resulted from an inspection made by Mrs. Emma Nance, a department of Agriculture consultant who works in cooperation with State Department of Education school lunch officials.

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January Telephone Damage Reaches Ten Million Dollars

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From San Antonio and Pecos, through most of central and west Texas, diagonally across Oklahoma, southeastern Kansas, northwest Arkansas, and Missouri to Hannibal on the banks of the Mississippi River, new storms caused additional damage every few days. And floods in Arkansas washed out miles of long distance lines. The areas affected are shown on the map above.

These figures show the extent of the damage: 24,000 poles down, 36,000 crossarms broken; 4,800 long distance circuits knocked out; 53,000 telephones temporarily silent; 200 communities isolated for a time.

Service restored quickly

Two things made it possible to restore service quickly.

First, the diligence and skill of 4,200 telephone men. They came with their trucks and tools from all parts of our company territory and from other Bell System companies—Mountain States, Illinois Bell, Southern Bell.

Disregarding personal hardships and in the finest traditions of the business, these men worked from dawn to dark—from "can" to "can't" as Plant men say—seven days a week, under conditions that were always difficult. Sometimes they could scarcely walk on the ice crust, and their trucks were immovable on slippery highways. But, one

way or another, they got to where they were needed, and they got the job done.

Reason No. 2—the teamwork that characterizes Bell System service.

Western Electric Company, supply unit of the Bell System, marshaled its nation-wide resources. From Western's warehouses or outside suppliers in 45 communities scattered through 21 states, the materials moved, at once.

A steady stream of poles, crossarms, drop wire, cable, insulators, steel strand, tie wire—all the things the storms had smashed—flowed into the iced area. At no time was work held up by lack of supplies.

Wire shipments during the month were more than was required by Southwestern Bell in all of the fourth quarter of 1948 for normal purposes. In addition to wire, thousands of poles, crossarms, and tons of pole-line hardware were moved by truck, by express, and by air into the storm areas.

Equipment is standardized

In the Bell System telephone equipment is standardized. The parts that fit in Texas work equally well in Missouri, Oklahoma, Arkansas, Kansas, or anywhere else. Thus, even the construction gangs from the other companies found no equipment puzzles—and their own tools worked perfectly.

Bell System teamwork met the challenge of these storms. Most of the service has been restored. But permanent repairs, especially on toll lines, will take months to complete. For every wire damaged by the storm must be retied and "re-sagged" to meet Bell System standards before the job will be finished.

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Crane News

CRANE—Mrs. Lou Strain has been ill several days at the home of her daughter, Mrs. George McCorkle. Mrs. Joe Dutton, a sister of Mrs. McCorkle, also has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Gooch have been transferred here by the Humble Pipe Line Company from Junction.

Mr. and Mrs. James Smith have moved to Wink.

On Saturday evening the Don Bradshaws entertained with a supper for the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Revis Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schur, Mr. and Mrs. Lew Tennyson and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Warren has been transferred to Crane from Palestine.

W. B. Gunn and W. V. Painter were in Midland Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Hubbard have returned from an extended visit with relatives in Fort Worth and Troupe.

Kenneth Spencer was named city attorney at a recent meeting of the City Council.

L. R. Floyd, district gauger at Borger until his transfer to Crane, has arrived here to take over the duties formerly held by W. R. Crowner.

Members of the Assembly of God Church have called the Rev. Roy P. George of Greenville as pastor. Mr. George will move here with his family this week.

The Bible Study Class of the Church of Christ met Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Hayes Dameron conducting the lesson. Present were Mrs. Emma Shultz, Mrs. Claude Townsend, Mrs. Ray Townsend, Mrs. C. Atchison, Mrs. W. R. Hamblett, Mrs. H. Delaney, Mrs. Gilbert Caudie, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Leslie Napier, Mrs. Floyd Brent, Mrs. Marvin Brister, Mrs. D. J. Gill, Mrs. J. J. Gray and Mrs. B. J. Maynard.

Mrs. C. Bennett was hostess to the Young Matrons Club Thursday evening. Mrs. R. V. Wilson, Jr., won high score at bridge, with 10 going to Mrs. LeRoy Brookover and Mrs. L. S. Adcock. Mrs. Roy Moore, Mrs. E. H. Thorpe, Mrs. W. E. Hogsett, Jr., Mrs. Charles Brown, Mrs. Jack Williams, Mrs. Howard Ritts, Mrs. Jack Hamilton and Mrs. Jim Purnice.

The Rev. H. D. Christian of the First Baptist Church taught a course on stewardship in the Imperial Baptist Church last week with seventy members receiving certificates.

Tom C. Hogan, Jr., in company with Ely Lam of Kermit and George Show of Odessa, flew to Dallas Friday to attend the initial showing of the new Plymouth cars.

Word was received Thursday by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McIvers of the death of his aunt, Mrs. J. W. Morrison of Shepherd, Texas.

Daddy Ringtail

Daddy Ringtail And Walking Dictionary

By WESLEY DAVIS

One day Sammy Ringtail, the monkey boy, climbed up to the monkey house, and asked, "Daddy Ringtail, what is a dictionary?"

Daddy Ringtail smiled. He knew that Sammy had been talking with Toowit Toowoo, the very wise old owl who came from China. Why, Toowit Toowoo is the teacher who teaches school to the animal children in the Great Forest.

"A dictionary," Daddy Ringtail said, "is a book. It tells you what different words mean, and how to spell them."

Sammy Ringtail rubbed the end of his tail against his ear. He thought about what Daddy Ringtail had said. So a dictionary was a book!

"Daddy Ringtail," said Sammy, "did you ever see a book that could walk?"

"Why no!" Daddy Ringtail said again. "Everybody knows that a dictionary can't walk, because a dictionary is a book. It doesn't have any legs!"

Sammy smiled. Then he laughed. "Daddy Ringtail," he said, "Toowit Toowoo is a wise old bird, but sometimes he makes mistakes—because he said he had a walking dictionary at his house!"

Now this was something for Daddy Ringtail to think about. He did think about it. "Maybe Toowit Toowoo does have a walking dictionary after all," the monkey daddy said at last. "Let's go ask him."

Then Daddy Ringtail and the little monkey boy climbed off through the forest to see Toowit Toowoo and to ask him about his walking dictionary.

"Whoo! Whoo! Whoever heard of a walking dictionary," said the wise old bird. "Well, I have. I have one right here in my pocket." And sure enough there was the dictionary, right there in Toowit Toowoo's pocket.

"I call it my walking dictionary," he said, "because I walk around with it all the time. When I don't know what a word means, I have

my dictionary here to tell me." And that's why he was such a wise old bird. He had a dictionary and used it to learn about words he didn't know. He said that good words are good friends who stay with you as long as you remember them. But if you ever forget what a word means, your dictionary tells you and you are friends again.

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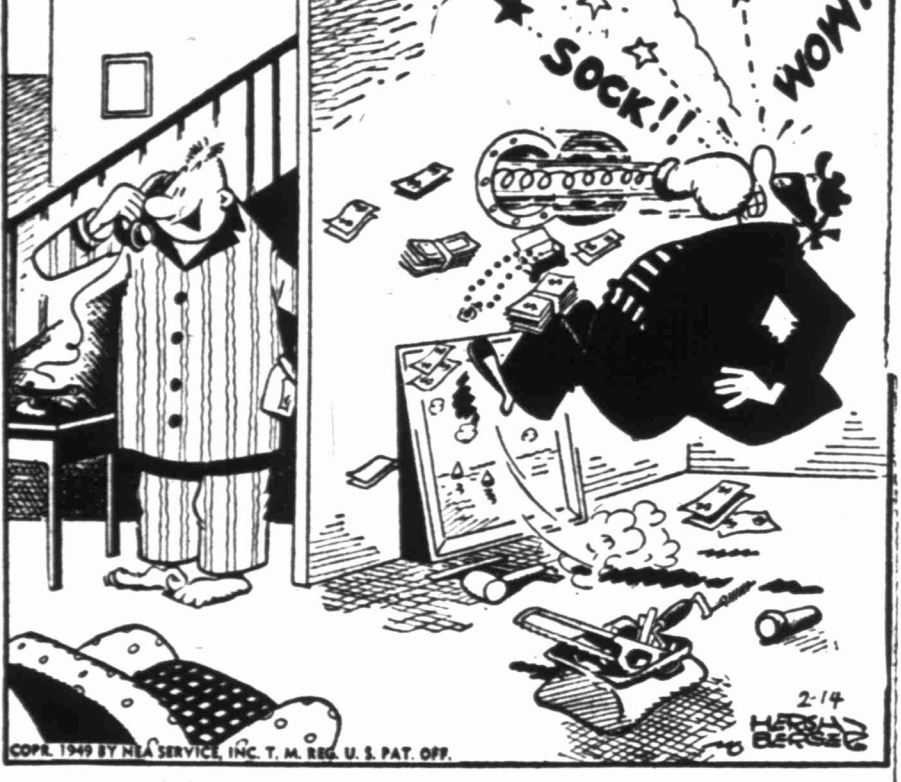
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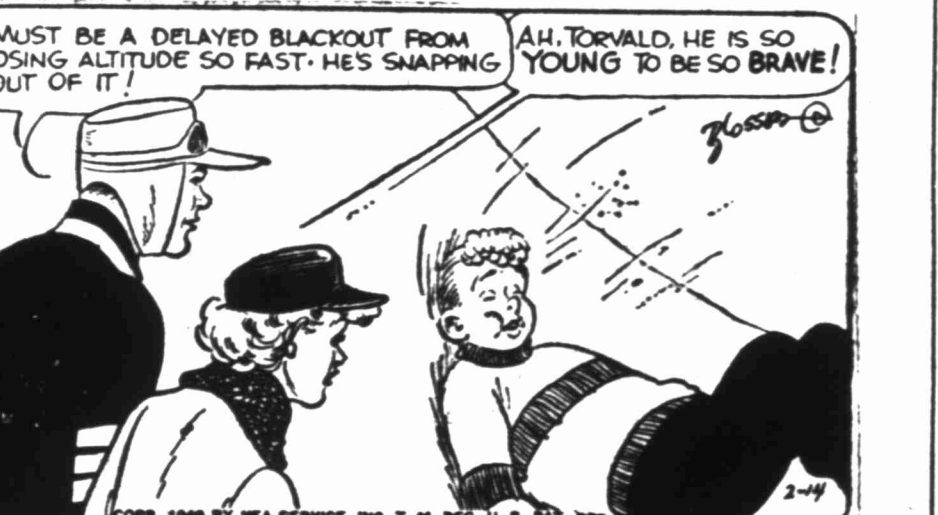


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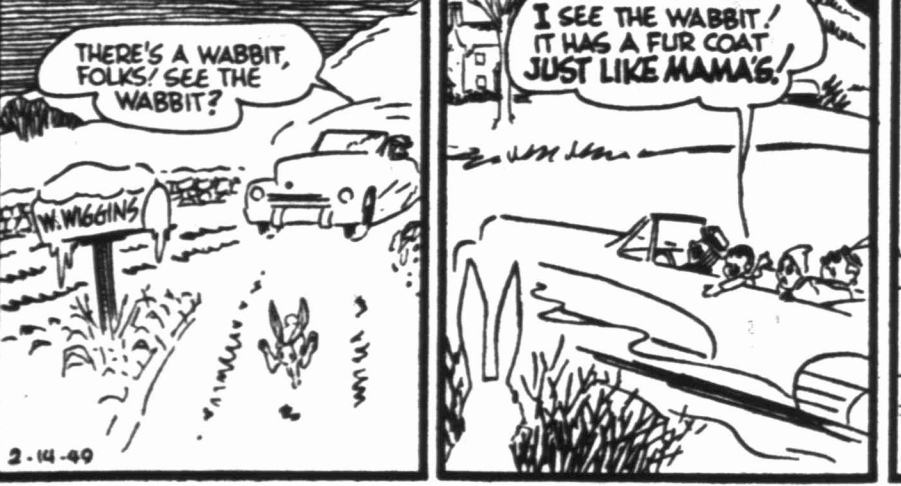
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President W. Albert Lee said Sunday night after the show ended that auction sales brought \$264,903.94 and premium money approximated \$100,000.

Record Gains Are Cited By Employers Casualty Company

Record gains were made by the Employers Casualty Company in 1947, according to Alton Brown, manager of the Midland district. The annual report made to stockholders reveals assets of \$11,566,844.88, an increase of \$2,153,313.41 over 1947, and surplus to policyholders of \$3,010,300.87, in crease of \$278,855.13. Premiums written during the year increased \$1,888,215.96 to reach an all-time high of \$8,866,557.17.
Robert S. Stephens was elected assistant secretary and John Stuart was elected assistant treasurer at the annual meeting. Other officers re-elected were: Homer R. Mitchell, chairman of the board; A. F. Allen, president; L. W. Groves, executive vice-president; Ben H. Mitchell, secretary; E. E. Watts, vice-president and treasurer; C. G. Weskley, vice-president and sales manager; L. A. Guthrie, vice-president, claims manager and assistant secretary; A. H. Plyer, vice-president, assistant secretary and assistant treasurer; E. T. Beckley, vice-president and assistant secretary; H. C. Smith, Jr., J. T. Martin, E. C. McPadden, D. D. Redman, B. J. Pittman, Jr., James P. Mitchell, R. M. Chatham, vice-presidents; Gaston Tatom, G. M. Crowson, G. W. Gresham, assistant secretaries; Walton O. Head, general counsel.
Other Directors
Nelson Waggener, Dallas, was elected to the board. Other directors re-elected were: Homer R. Mitchell, A. F. Allen, Wirt Davis, H. L. W. Groves, Walton O. Head, Neth L. Leachman, E. E. Watts, Dallas; Charles L. Black and Dan Moody, Austin; Joe F. Etter, Sherman; E. A. Holmgren, Jr., San Antonio; and T. S. Reed, Beaumont.
Home offices of the Employers Casualty Company are located in Dallas. District offices are maintained in nineteen key cities in Texas. In addition to its Texas operations, the company is licensed to do business in Alabama, Arkansas, Arizona, California, Colorado, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, Nebraska, Nevada, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Oregon and Wyoming.
Offices for the Midland district are located at 510 Wilkinson-Foster Building.

State Of Union Is Okay, Says Hope At Conclusion Of Tour
By BOB THOMAS
HOLLYWOOD —(AP)—The state of the union is good. So Bob Hope reports after seeing 15,000 miles of it.
"Wherever I went, I found people prosperous and happy," he remarked. "They aren't afraid of Communism or anything else."
The Hope tour testifies to the nation's prosperity. Besides playing a number of benefits, he benefitted himself \$612,000 in gross receipts from shows on his month's trip. In one night alone, he drew \$32,000.
Naturally, that's not all take-home pay. But Bob can take home the many souvenirs he collected on the junket. He showed me a number of them at his Toluca Lake home.
"It was fabulous," he enthused. "Why, in Abilene, they gave me a registered bull and heifer. In Cleveland, I got a Shetland pony. My kids could hardly wait until I got here."

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Features 1:45 3:51 5:57 8:03 10:00
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William Tracy—Joe Sawyer—Virginia Grey—Don Castle

LAFF-TIME
"HERE COMES TROUBLE"
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Discussions Of Communism And Soviet Union Termed Best Way To Combat Red Ism

By DeWITT MACKENZIE AP Foreign Affairs Analyst
to come out with the real facts. Washington is steadily and increasingly giving the inside facts to the public.
American correspondents who are working behind the iron curtain also are doing a grand job of objective reporting. Naturally they are up against a tough censorship, but daily they are adding to our knowledge of how Bolshevism works, and to our information about the lives of the peoples who are under Red Moscow's rule.
The Russian writer, David Zaslavsky, says in the Moscow Literary Gazette that it's impossible to be genuinely educated without knowledge of the Russian language. Zaslavsky claims that the countries of new Democracy" (meaning Moscow's satellites) are learning the tongue, and that even Soviet enemies are studying it. He adds that "The Voice of America" (the U. S. official broadcast) lies in Russian.
Well, I'm afraid we can't take it for granted there is a widespread thirst for Russian in America merely because "The Voice of America" employs it in some broadcasts. However, it certainly is to be hoped Russian isn't being neglected in this country.
After all, we should be more than stupid if we didn't acquaint ourselves as far as possible with the nation which has declared our form of government and our way of life and our religion must be destroyed.
Tendency To Play Ostrich
There has been in America a tendency—now happily disappearing—to play ostrich towards the evils of Communism. We have tried to avoid discussing the facts about Communism, hoping thus to avoid friction with Russia and to prevent the spread of this ism among our people.
This tendency has been responsible for the heated argument over whether Communism and the affairs of the Soviet Union should be discussed in the classrooms of our universities and high schools. Many institutions have continued to put the facts before their students and there is a growing feeling that this is no longer a subject to be avoided.

'Screwball' Is The Word For It
AUSTIN —(AP)—The weather man Monday said "screwball" was the only word for what happened here Sunday night.
At 11:30 p. m., the temperature was 71. By 2 p. m. it dropped to 50. Looked like the expected norther was in. The cool air didn't even reach Bergstrom Army Air Field—five miles southeast of Austin.
By 7 a. m., the temperature was back up to 70. The norther apparently was over.
The weather man said strong south winds apparently pushed the norther back where it came from—the North.

Footscare Houstonians Discard Cowboy Boots
HOUSTON —(AP)—Footscare Houstonians discarded their cowboy boots and Western attire Monday after Sunday night's record-breaking closing of the seventeenth annual Houston Fat Stock Show.
A total of 377,428 persons entered Sam Houston Coliseum during the 12-day exposition, the largest total in the show's history. The previous record was 350,000 set during last year's 16-day show.

William B. Franklin
Public Accountant
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