

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

James C. Watson
Oil Editor

More Oil Flows At Winkler Discovery

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 135-E Koyama, Northeast Winkler County discovery from the Devonian, about 12 miles northwest of Kermit, and 600 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 2, Block B-1, 1st survey, drilled out plug on 7-inch casing which has been cemented at 9,635 feet, over total depth of 9,744 feet. The well kicked off after swabbing, and in 30 minutes of flowing to tanks, through a one-half inch choke, made 30 barrels of oil. In a subsequent 90-minute period of flowing it made 90 barrels of fluid, through the same size opening. That oil had a shakeout of one barrel of sediment and two barrels of drilling water. Gas volume was at the rate of 1,701,000 cubic feet per day. Gas-oil ratio was 1,236-1. Flowing tubing pressure was 800 pounds. Operator is continuing to flow to clean-out, test, and complete as a new field opener.

Muse Spots Wildcat In Vealmoor District

A wildcat test into the Pennsylvanian line of North-Central Howard County has been started in the Vealmoor township by J. W. Muse as his No. 1 Bert Masingill. The drill site is 475 feet from east and 467 feet from north lines of section 25, block 33, T-3-N, TP survey. Elevation is 2,857 feet. The Pennsylvanian, which produces in the Vealmoor field about one mile to the east, is expected to come in at this prospect above 7,800 feet. Drilling will be with rotary tools. Operations are scheduled to start by March 15.

Texaco 1 Scharbauer Swabs Oil In Strawn

Slight production possibilities developed from the Strawn line of the Pennsylvanian in West Midland County as the Texas Company No. 1 Scharbauer, wildcat one mile south of the Midland Air Terminal, recovered oil on swabbing tests. After leaving prospect of an Ellenburger discovery to plug back to examine the Strawn, the venture perforated at 10,520-635 feet. Operator then attempted to acidize with 500 gallons, but the formation failed to take the acid and it was reversed out. A packer was set on 9,605 feet and swabbing tests were begun. Makes Some Oil

The well was swabbed into tanks 11 hours, making 27.5 barrels of fluid. Shakeout was 20.7 barrels of oil and 6.2 barrels of water. During the last seven hours, it swabbed 12.06 barrels of fluid out with 10 percent basic sediment and water.

The prospect was continuing to swab and gauge the Strawn to determine the full producing capacity of that formation. Operator may return to the Ellenburger and attempt to make a well there. Total depth is 13,196 feet.

Union Gets Shows In Coke Deep Zone

Top of the Ellenburger in Northeast Coke County made slight shows of oil and gas for Union Oil Company of California No. 1 Jack Frost, wildcat four miles west and a little north of town of Blackwell and 1,980 feet from south, 600 feet from east lines of section 289, block A-1, H&TC survey.

A two and one-half hour drilling test was run at 6,589-83 feet of the top of the deep zone. Gas reached the surface in 25 minutes. Gas volume was too small to measure.

Recovery was 120 feet of drilling mud, cut with slight signs of oil, plus five feet of free oil. There was no water.

Millican Ellenburger Develops Oil, Water

Plymouth Oil Company has encountered a possible discovery in the West-Central Coke County Ellenburger with its No. 1 Millican, wildcat originally projected to the Pennsylvanian pay in the Millican pool.

It failed to make production in the Pennsylvanian and drilled ahead, topping the Ellenburger at 7,135 feet, on an elevation of 2,158 feet.

Following an examination in the deep zone which developed no show, the venture drilled stem tested at 7,118-55 feet, with the tool open 75 minutes. It recovered 65 feet of clean oil, 200 feet of heavily oil and gas cut mud and 100 feet of salt water.

On last report, a Schlumberger survey was in process. In all probability, operator will make production tests of the current horizon.

Humble Gets Salt Water In Scurry

Humble Oil & Refining Company, I. B. A. Moore, North-Central Scurry County wildcat, four and one-half miles northwest of the salt producer in the North Scurry field, and 1,880 feet from north (Continued on page 11)

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

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

THE BEST INVESTMENT FOR YOUR ADVERTISING DOLLAR

VOL. XX—NO. 294

(P) Means Associated Press

MIDLAND, TEXAS, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1949

Telephotos and Best Features

Price Five Cents

WEATHER
Fair Tuesday night and Wednesday. Maximum temperature Monday 62 degrees. Minimum Tuesday 34 degrees.

Reds Jail American Woman As Spy

County Road Bond Election Set March 26

The Midland County Commissioners Court Monday afternoon ordered a special election March 26 to determine whether \$150,000 in bonds for road improvements will be issued.

The action was taken after a petition, asking that the election be held, was approved. The petition was signed by 75 taxpayers of the county.

The purchase of materials and details for initial work on the beautification program at Fairview Cemetery also were approved. A three-inch water line is to be run along the South portion of the cemetery, from east to west, and is to be equipped with the necessary fittings for connecting sprinkler irrigation pipe at desired points.

The purchase of 800 feet of sprinkler irrigation pipe was authorized. Petitions for the bond election have been circulated here the last two weeks. The plan for the use of the bond money has been endorsed by the Highway Committee of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

The plan is divided into three major parts, including the widening of the Midland-Odessa Highway from Midland to the county line, improvement of lateral roads in the county's farm-to-market road system, and purchase of road machinery and participation in the proposed underpass on Big Spring Street.

The cost of financing right-of-way and damages for the Midland-Odessa highway project is estimated at \$37,300, and fencing work will cost an estimated \$7,200. The State Highway Department will finance the paving.

The improvement program for late 1948 and early 1949 (Continued on page 11)

MacArthur's Bid For More Troops Refused

WASHINGTON—(P)—The Army has turned down a request by Douglas MacArthur for more troops. Secretary of the Army Royal said Tuesday the supreme Allied commander in Japan had been told it would be "impractical" to send him more.

Royal made the statement to reporters on returning from an inspection trip to Japan, where he conferred with MacArthur.

At the time of Royal's visit here, dispatches from Tokyo said MacArthur had submitted a secret report on the American military situation in Japan in view of Communist victories in China. These dispatches said MacArthur was believed to have asked for more troops and airplanes.

Royal was asked about the reports. He replied that MacArthur previously had expressed hope he could have more troops and brought up the request again.

Royal then was asked whether MacArthur had mentioned returning to the United States.

"There was no discussion at all about his return," Royal said. "He didn't say anything and I didn't."

Ulmer Urges Midlanders To Study Water Proposal

M. C. Ulmer, Midland banker and president of the Colorado River Municipal Water Association, Monday night urged directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, at their regular meeting, to study thoroughly the association's proposed multi-million dollar water program.

The association has proposed an \$11,000,000 project to furnish water to Midland, Odessa and Big Spring from a reservoir to be built on the Colorado River northwest of Colorado City. Ulmer asked the directors to analyze particularly the economics of the proposal.

"I cannot see the economic feasibility of Midland joining in the program," he said.

Fred T. Hogan of Midland, a member of the association's executive committee, joined Ulmer in urging the directors to inform themselves concerning the program.

Ulmer reviewed the history of the association and praised other leaders in the movement for their efforts during the last two and a half years. He said members of the executive committee, at a recent meeting in Big Spring, had approved plans to seek enabling legislation which may lead to the creation of a water district empowered to impound water or purchase it from any feasible source, to provide pipe lines and to acquire existing production facilities from member cities. If made law, the act would enable Midland, Odessa and Big Spring to conduct referendums on whether they wish to participate.

The program, he said, would be financed with tax and revenue bonds over a 30-year period. The cost to Big Spring has been estimated at approximately \$2,000,000; Midland, \$4,000,000 and Odessa, \$5,000,000. The district would be responsible for the debt.

Ulmer explained the producing (Continued on page 11)

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

HOUSTON—(AP)—The Railroad Commission Tuesday slashed Texas' March crude oil production by 200,083 barrels daily, with all fields except East Texas placed on a 23-day production schedule.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—John D. Clark, a member of the President's Council of Economic Advisers, said Tuesday an inflationary movement will resume this Spring and could lead to an "ultimate crash."

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The House Veterans Committee Tuesday approved a bill providing \$90-a-month pensions for all veterans of World Wars I and II at the age of 65.

BERLIN—(AP)—Unconfirmed German press reports said Tuesday the Russians are conducting extensive troop movements in their zone of Germany and staging combined air and submarine maneuvers in the Western Baltic.

TERHAN, IRAN—(AP)—The Iran government denied Tuesday it was trying to disturb relations with Soviet Russia. The denial was in reply to a Soviet protest of February 12.

Landlords Arrive In Washington



A group of landlords from Tulsa, Okla., and points enroute, gather near the Union Station in Washington, D. C. Spokesman for the group, the Rev. Wallace J. Murphy of Tulsa, center, says both House and Senate panels have agreed to hear him in his protest against continued rent controls. Many of these landlords are the ones who seek to withdraw their property from rental rolls rather than continue to rent under controls.

Texan Sought 10 Years Is Arrested

BAKERSFIELD, CALIF.—(P)—Earl E. Shankles, under indictment for murder in the slaying of his wife at Amarillo in 1939, has been arrested here and is being held for Amarillo authorities, the sheriff's department announced Tuesday.

Deputy Sheriff Al Strasser and Police Sgt. Joe Taylor said they arrested Shankles Monday after receiving a tip that he was in the area. The tip, they said, came from a person who noticed Shankles' picture in a detective story magazine.

Strasser and Taylor went through their files, determined that Shankles was a fugitive, and made the arrest.

Shankles waived extradition. Mrs. Madeline Shankles, an 18-year-old waitress, was slain in Amarillo the night of June 15, 1939. She died in a hospital a few minutes after a 22 caliber bullet fired through a window struck her in the neck.

Abandoned Car Found
Amarillo officers immediately sought Shankles for questioning. They found his automobile abandoned northwest of Amarillo. It contained his driver's license, they reported, and several letters addressed to him. Shankles and his wife had been separated several months but were not divorced.

Sheriff Paul Gaither and Police Chief Sid Harper of Amarillo left that city Monday night to return Shankles to Amarillo.

Grand Jury Returns Three Indictments

Three true bills were returned by a 70th District Court grand jury here Monday as the February term of court opened. Two negroes, Will D. Williams and Odus Bryant, were indicted jointly for burglary and are now in custody. The defendants named in other indictments have not been apprehended.

The indictments charge burglary and swindling by bogus check.

The grand jury and District Attorney Martelle McDonald and Midland County Attorney Joe Mims, worked until after 7:30 p. m. Monday. More than 50 persons were called before the 12-man panel.

After returning the three indictments, the grand jury recessed until March 7, when it again will go into session.

Mary Inquiries
Cases filed for possible consideration of the grand jury numbered more than 30 and ranged from armed robbery and assault with intent to commit rape to swindling by bogus checks, burglary and forgery.

Indictment against Williams and Bryant charged burglary of property owned by Lillie Brooks on or about January 24. Bond was set at \$1,000 for each defendant.

Judge Paul Moss left Monday night and will hear cases in Odessa, Big Spring and Stanton Tuesday and Wednesday. He will hear non-jury civil cases here Thursday.

The week of February 28 has been set for trial of cases on the criminal docket here. Civil cases requiring a jury will be heard next week.

Blast Shakes Hudson River Communities

KEARNEY, N. J.—A terrific blast at the Koppers Coke Plant, here shortly before noon Tuesday shook Manhattan and New Jersey communities along the Hudson River.

Ambulances and emergency fire and police units were dispatched to the sprawling plant, which employs some 800 persons.

There were no immediate reports of casualties.

Author Will Be Deported, Moscow Says

MOSCOW—(P)—The Moscow press announced Tuesday that Anna Louise Strong, well-known American author and correspondent, has been arrested on charges of spying and will be deported.

Miss Strong, who has been in Russia most of the time since 1921 writing books and articles which reflected a strongly pro-Soviet viewpoint, is one of the seven American correspondents in Moscow.

The Soviet newspapers disclosed her arrest in the following announcement:

"The well-known intelligence operator, the American woman journalist, A. L. Strong, who got into the USSR as a consequence of the carelessness of certain foreign relations officials, yesterday was arrested by state security organs."

"Miss Strong is accused of espionage and undermining activity against the Soviet Union. They report that in the next few days she will be sent outside the boundaries of the Soviet Union."

The deportation of the 63-year-old writer leaves the following American correspondents in Moscow: Eddy Gilmore and Thomas F. Whitner for the Associated Press; Henry Shapiro for the United Press; Joseph Newman, New York Herald-Tribune; Edmund Stevens, Christian Science Monitor, and Andrew Steiger, Overseas News Agency.

Second To Be Charged
A visa for a seventh correspondent, Harrison E. Salisbury, who will represent the New York Times, was authorized by Soviet authorities about three weeks ago. The Times has not been represented here since the Spring of 1947 when Drew Middleton left on home leave and was not granted a re-entry permit.

Miss Strong has been in Russia most of the time in the last 28 years, and is known as the author of a score of books and articles which gave her the reputation of being strongly leftist and pro-Russian. She also has traveled widely in China and Central Europe.

Whitmore received a medical discharge from the Army in 1946 as the result of an injured leg. He was born February 8, 1915, at Dennis, Texas. At the time of his death he was employed at a Midland lumber company. Survivors include the widow; two small daughters, Nelda Jean and Linda Sue; three brothers, Edward O. Whitmore, Walter E. Whitmore and Jess Whitmore, all of Odessa, and a sister, Mrs. Opal Hughes of Odessa.

Funeral services were to be held in the Ellis Chapel at 4:30 p. m. Tuesday. The Rev. B. R. Horne of Big Spring pastor of the Primitive Baptist Church at Midland was to be in charge.

Fallbearers were to be John Colvin, J. C. Vetter, Earl Roberts, Russell Langford, Hayward Womack and J. C. Jones.

America's Rejection Of War Commitment Jolts West Europe

LONDON—(P)—America's rejection of any "automatic war" clause in the Atlantic Pact hit the public of Western Europe like a dash of ice water Tuesday.

"No automatic war tie, say senators," morning paper headlines announced.

The Communist press wasted not a minute in turning the U.S. senators' stand into propaganda against the proposed defensive alliance.

The Senate's position was made plain Tuesday both by Senator Connally of Texas, Democratic chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, and Senator Vandenberg of Michigan, the committee's ranking Republican.

The news was greeted more calmly on the diplomatic level. There it had been recognized in advance that the Senate was unlikely to approve any treaty which infringed on its constitutional right to declare war. But reliable sources said British (Continued on page 11)

Pope Charges Trial Was Artificial



Seated on the gilded thrones in Consistory Hall inside the Vatican City at Rome, Pope Pius XII faces the assembled cardinals in an extraordinary secret Consistory. The pope called the cardinals to protect the trial and sentencing of Cardinal Mindszenty of Hungary.

(NEA Radio-Telephoto)

Business And Study Are On Program Of Episcopal Guilds

Business concerning the annual style show scheduled for next month by the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church was discussed in guild meetings Monday afternoon, when study was devoted to chapters from a book on "The Episcopal Church."

Mrs. Roy Douglas was hostess in her home to St. Catherine's Guild for a morning meeting. Mrs. W. S. Nelson directed the study and the benediction was by Mrs. J. C. Stille. It was announced that this guild will serve dinner to the Men's Club of the church on February 23.

Coffee was served to those on program and Mrs. Edwin Alstrin, Mrs. Frank Ashby, Mrs. John Cornwall, Mrs. Cooper Hyde, Mrs. H. W. Mathews, Mrs. Hal Rachel, Mrs. E. N. Spiers, Mrs. E. H. Scobey, Mrs. Franklin Whitaker, Mrs. C. W. Paris and Mrs. Ed Warren.

Meeting with Mrs. J. L. Brown, St. Margaret's Guild had its study hour led by Mrs. Gertrude E. Mrs. R. W. Stuart was welcomed as a new member. A tea hour followed the program.

Present were Mrs. Eric Bucher, Mrs. Taylor Cole, Mrs. E. J. Cramer, Mrs. C. H. Cunningham, Mrs. I. E. Daniels, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. W. D. Hays, Mrs. W. D. Henderson, Mrs. D. Hays Potts, Mrs. W. A. Schaeffer, Mrs. M. P. Turner and Mrs. W. A. Yeager.

ODESSA CAR STOLEN
Odessa police reported to Midland police Monday the theft of a 1941 Packard sedan in that city.

Arthritis Pain

Relief, delightfully comforting help for aches and pains of Rheumatism, Arthritis, Neuritis, Lumbago, Sciatica, or Neuralgia try **DRY CLEANING**. Works through the blood. First dose usually starts alleviating pain so you can work, enjoy life and sleep more comfortably. Get familiar at drugstore today. Quick, complete satisfaction or money back guaranteed.

SMITH-CORONA

OFFICE TYPEWRITERS

BRAND NEW!
ATEST MODELS!
STANDARD or SILENT!
They have everything—Automatic margin set, interchangeable platens, tabulator, Touch selector. Everything!

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO REPLACE OLD-WAR-WORN MACHINES WITH THE FINEST OF MODERN TYPEWRITERS!

BAKER

OFFICE EQUIPMENT
111 W. Texas Phone 2634
OFFICE FURNITURE • SMITH-CORONA TYPEWRITERS • PRINTER CALCULATORS • VICTOR ADDING MACHINES

SPRINKLER IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT CO.

J. C. MOTT, Representative
Packard Power Units — Cobey Farm Wagons
210 N. Colorado — MIDLAND — Phone 3177
Box 182 — STANTON — Phone 915

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

SUMMER VACATIONS AT HOME OR ABROAD TOURS AND CRUISES STEAMSHIP-AIR

To assure accommodations, it is urgent that reservations are made as soon as possible. Call Your Travel Agent — TODAY.

NO SERVICE CHARGE

GENERAL TRAVEL CO.

CARL'S 186 Lorraine MIDLAND Phone 3797

DON'T LET OLD FASHIONED GLASSES DATE YOU

GLASSES CAN BE ATTRACTIVE

Old Fashioned glasses will make your new outfit look like a 19th century creation. Our glasses are styled to improve your appearance, as well as your sight. Streamlined, modernistic designs in frame or rimless styles are available.

CREDIT TERMS

DR. W. G. PETTEWAY OPTOMETRIST

with offices in Kruger Jewelry Company 1103 North Main

Study Series For WSCS Continues

Another chapter from a book, "Newness of Life," which is being used in a study series for the Assembly Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, was presented by Mrs. J. A. Andrews at a meeting Monday in the home of Mrs. Wayne Keener.

The devotional topic, "Jesus Walking on the Sea," was discussed by Mrs. Grace Wright.

Mrs. W. G. Showrie was a guest. Members present were Mrs. Katie Williams, Mrs. Theo Ferguson, Mrs. Lloyd Busby, Mrs. Bessie Pirtle, Mrs. Clyde Gwyn, Mrs. Louise Moore, Mrs. Carmel Pirtle, Mrs. George Damron, Mrs. Jess Hooper, Mrs. J. S. Grimes and those on program.

Study In New Book Is Introduced For Christian Council

Opening chapters of a new study book, "Rising Through the Dust," Alfred Crouch, were reviewed by Mrs. A. L. Bush for the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church at a study session in the church Monday afternoon.

It was announced that Mrs. Ray Howard will present a review of the humorous book, "Smile, Please," Topp, at the luncheon program in the church next Monday. Members of the Young Matrons Circle served refreshments.

Two guests, Mrs. Joe Bill Pierce and Mrs. B. P. Carrigan, were present with the following members: Mrs. S. P. Hall, Mrs. Paul McFarlane, Mrs. DuBert Downing, Mrs. E. N. Gideon, Mrs. B. W. Stevens, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. E. D. Riddle, Mrs. Henry Conkling, Mrs. Hilary Bedford.

Mrs. George Ratliff, Mrs. Frank Elkin, Mrs. Joe Hunter, Mrs. Al Boring, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. B. H. Spaw, Mrs. Clyde Lindsley, Mrs. J. Roy Jones, Mrs. R. F. Jones, Mrs. R. H. Frizzell, Jr., Mrs. Clarence Symes, Jr., Mrs. Clyde McHam, Mrs. David C. Smith, III, Mrs. Grace Rankin, Mrs. Claude H. Chambers, Mrs. H. L. Eray, Mrs. J. O. Hyde, Mrs. J. H. Elder, Mrs. Ivan Hood, Mrs. F. E. Curtis, Jr., Mrs. E. C. Samford, Mrs. Paul Goodlett and Miss Josephine Guly.

Quality DRY CLEANING

ONE-DAY SERVICE On Request.

VIC CLEANERS

413 West Texas PHONE 3895

Texas Concert Plans Made In Music Club

Tickets for a March 1 concert here by John Seagle of San Antonio, baritone soloist of radio fame, were distributed to members of the Civic Music Club at its meeting in the North Elementary School auditorium Monday night.

All members of the club will have tickets for sale. The club will sponsor Seagle's appearance as its annual Texas Day program. Admission prices will be \$1.20 for adults and 60 cents for students.

Mrs. B. W. Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dansby were elected as delegates and Howard Orr alternate to the biennial convention of the National Federation of Music Clubs, which starts March 26 in Dallas. Nominators Appointed

As a nominating committee for the election of 1949-50 officers, Mrs. F. C. Cummings, Mrs. Dansby and Miss Edith Conyers were appointed. The program was made up of compositions by French and Russian musicians. Mrs. Cummings, in the introduction, pointed out that the Frenchman Debussy was a pioneer in impressionistic music who preferred harmony to melody and was a master at stating his preference. She named Rachmaninoff as an outstanding example of Russian music in the same period.

A Debussy number, "Arabesque," opened the program. It was played by Mrs. Joe H. Root, pianist, and was followed by a trio arrangement of "Romance" by the same composer, played by Mrs. E. S. Hitchcock, violin; Mrs. Eugene Vanderpool, piano.

Illustrative of Rachmaninoff's music, Mrs. Joe Koenig presented a piano solo, "Elegie," and Elizabeth Cope a contralto solo, "O Thou Willow Harvest Field," with Mrs. Frank Miller as accompanist.

An unusual solo instrument, the viola, was used by Mrs. Hitchcock to play "Sicilienne," Faure, with Mrs. Vanderpool accompanying. An ancient Russian religious chant, "Hospodi Pomilui," Lvovsky, was sung by a quartet, Betty Gaines, Mrs. A. C. Smith, Bill Cobb and Malcolm Gibson, also accompanied by Mrs. Vanderpool.

Mrs. Frank Thompson closed the program with two soprano solos, the jewel song from Gounod's opera, "Faust," and "Lullaby" with Mrs. Hoff. Her accompanist was Mrs. Dansby.

Pictures And Play Emphasize Subject Of Sunbeam Study

A street scene, depicting various types of homes to be found in big cities, was created with the use of pictures and toy cars by the Sunbeam Band of the First Baptist Church at its meeting in the church Monday. Members presented a playlet which emphasized the need for more city missionaries.

Valentines and candy were presented to the children at the close of the meeting by Mrs. Roy Herring, counselor. Present were Jimmy Ite, Billie Donnell, Mike Dunham, Barbara Hunter, Donna Edgemon, Linda Kay Murray, Dick Cason, Ruth Ann Erskine, Edwin Thacker and Linda Williams.

Midland Minister Is Revival Speaker

Franklin Rook of the First Assembly of God Church in Midland is conducting revival services in the Assembly of God Church in Stanton, where the Rev. Garland Huffman is pastor. Services are scheduled through February 27 and begin at 7:30 p.m.

The evangelist is formerly of Hamilton, Ohio and is a veteran of the U. S. Army. His ministry began soon after his discharge from the service in Brownwood.

"The public is invited" to attend these services. The church is located on the East Side of Stanton and two blocks north of Highway 80.

McCamey News

McCamey—Mrs. Raymond Smith was a guest in the Haydon Wilmoth home last week in Crane, where she attended a pink and blue shower given for Mrs. C. V. Cunningham.

Mrs. A. D. Duncan visited friends in Seminole last weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Reeves returned Sunday from a business trip to San Antonio.

The following couples attended the Texas Open PGA Tournament in San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ohlenburg, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Qualls, Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Flemming, "Sleepy" Leach and Loraine Fambrough.

Mrs. W. A. Hampton and Mrs. F. W. Cutwell were San Angelo visitors Saturday.

Mrs. C. B. Lee spent last weekend in Seminole, where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Wiley Smith, and children.

Virginia Ireland To Sing In Opera Chorus

DENVER—Miss Virginia Ireland, of Lawrence, Kan., a freshman at Colorado Woman's college, Denver, has been chosen to sing in the chorus of the Denver Opera Company's presentation of the opera, "Faust," in April. The leading operatic roles will be taken by Metropolitan and Chicago Opera company artists.

Miss Ireland is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. A. Ireland of Lawrence and formerly of Midland, Texas.

Recital Presented By Pupils Playing Only From Memory

An appreciative audience heard a recital Sunday afternoon by seven students from the Watson Studio of Music, who presented a violin and piano program in the First Baptist Church auditorium.

All played from memory. The pianist were Barbara Glenn Long, Wanda Lou Steele, Carolyn Gray, Dorothy Wolfe and Wanda Lou Moore. Violin solos were by Jan Houck and Billy Evans, who also played duet numbers with the instructor, Ned Watson.

Miss Lydia Watson, piano teacher, in a curtain talk emphasized that the students are being trained to listen to and appreciate good music, as well as to play.

Turn travel MILES into travel SMILES

RIDE THE **Texas Eagle** to **FT. WORTH-DALLAS**

New... fast... economical! Leave Midland 8:30 A.M.

One-Way to Fort Worth \$7.70 Plus Tax

Coach Fare to Dallas \$8.50 Plus Tax

Save Money in a Business!

TEXAS AND PACIFIC RY.

SOCIETY

SUE COLEMAN, Editor

+ Coming Events +

WEDNESDAY.
Modern Study Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. H. Shepard, 601 North Big Spring Street.

Grand Staff Music Club will meet at 7 p. m. in the home of Mary Jane Miller, 604 West Kansas Street, with Tom 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 H. Harrison, 301 South Marfield Street, for a talk by Mrs. E. H. Scobey on "Child Guidance."

Senior Choir of the First Presbyterian Church will practice at 7:30 p. m. in the West Elementary School.

Parent Educational Group of North Elementary Parent-Teacher Association will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of Mrs. J. A. McCutchin, 900 North Baird Street.

Mrs. DeLo Douglas, 506 North Big Spring Street, will be hostess

Irene Nix Circle Divided To Allow For Further Growth

Rapid growth of the Irene Nix Circle of the First Methodist Woman's Society, which was organized in the early winter for night meetings, has necessitated its division, and at a meeting Monday night names were drawn to create a new circle.

One group will continue to be known as the Irene Nix Circle, with Mrs. Harvey Henderson as chairman. The other will select its name and elect circle officers at the next meeting.

Mrs. Tom Cowan and Mrs. Tom L. Ingram were hostesses to the circle Monday night at Mrs. Cowan's home. The highlight of the meeting was a review of the book, "Mrs. Yu," presented by Mrs. W. E. Chapman. Mrs. Luther Tidwell, Woman's Society president, and Mrs. Noel Oates were guests at the meeting.

Members assigned to the new circle are Mrs. Russell Lynn, Mrs. Gerald Mackey, Mrs. Augie Augustson, Mrs. Ingram, Mrs. Frances Luccous, Mrs. Hugh Bliss, Mrs. Jack Keene, Mrs. Frank Blackwell, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. Jane Peterson, Mrs. John Grinstead, Mrs. Paul Bowman, Mrs. Charles Jones, Mrs. W. H. Harrison, Mrs. Keith Stuart, Mrs. Paul Wecker, Mrs. Reo Goodwin, Mrs. Paul Houghtman, Mrs. O. B. Jackson and Mrs. Frank Paup.

Those in the group which will continue as the Irene Nix Circle are Mrs. Ralph McCleskey, Mrs. Jeff Montgomery, Mrs. Eva Mae Richerson, Mrs. Wayne Blankenship, Mrs. Dale McReynolds, Mrs. Pete Mayes, Mrs. Charles McDonald, Mrs. W. E. Nance, Mrs. A. V. Johnson, Mrs. Bill Johnson, Mrs. Wally Dressel, Mrs. Bill Shadden, Mrs. George McCray, Mrs. Ed Hall, Mrs. Nat Terry, Mrs. Jimmy Gaines and Mrs. V. M. Cummings.

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.

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

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. McQueen 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 85 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.

MIDLAND PLANING MILL

GENERAL MILL WORK! Complete Window and Units

Store Fixtures Cabinet Work

413 S. BAIRD PHONE 2930

Three Beta Sigma Phi Chapters Entertain At Valentine Dance

Showers of red hearts hung from chandeliers and over the entrance to the ballroom of the American Legion Hall Monday night for the annual Valentine dance of the three Midland Beta Sigma Phi chapters. Approximately a hundred couples attended.

Backing the stage, where Jimmy Furman's Orchestra played for the dancing, was a huge red heart outlined with a fringe of white, and inscribed with the Greek letters of the sorority name. Red candles in white holders lighted tables at the sides of the dance floor, and the refreshment table near the entrance.

Mrs. Alton Brown was chairman of the refreshment committee and was assisted by Mrs. Gerald Keeler, Mrs. W. O. Stallings, Mrs. Don DeBerry, Mrs. J. W. Rhoden, Lou Lemley and Lillie Mae Stovall.

The decorations were arranged by Lee Ida Pinkston, Mrs. B. L. Denson, Mrs. A. E. O'Neil, Mrs. Duffy

Theater Party Is Event Of Birthday

A theater visit was the main entertainment for a birthday party given by Sue Mills on her eighth birthday Saturday. Her mother, Mrs. H. B. Mills, was the hostess. After the movie, games were played and pictures of the group were taken.

The honoree was presented gifts in her home, where the decorations were in a Valentine motif.

Refreshments of punch, ice cream, and cake were served to the following guests: Judy DeWees, Mary Crooks, Mary Helen Metcalf, Mary Jane Potter, Linda Mills, Emily Stall, Nancy Estes, Cathy Morris, Glee Ingram, and Carolyn Stone.

A gift was sent by Ann Harrison.

SQUARE DANCE

Open To The Public — Couples Or Groups

MUSIC BY **E. D. FITZGERALD** AND HIS TEXAS RAMBLERS

(GEORGE GLASS—Guest Caller)

9 P.M. WEDNESDAY \$2 COUPLE

RHUMBA NITE — TONITE
8 P.M.—Instruction—2 Hours of Dancing—\$1.00 Person


V.F.W. HALL 8 Miles West Midland On Highway No. 80

Admiration's 30th Anniversary CELEBRATION

3 Decades of Honest Fulfillment

THE *Secret Ingredient* HAS EVERYONE TALKING!

Flavor, Taste, Richness, Blend, Goodness, Honesty, Quality, Body, Economy



THOUSANDS INSIST IT'S THE *Admiration*

They know how much the delicate, room-pervading aroma of Admiration Coffee adds to their enjoyment of the cup. It's far more than a pleasing fragrance. It's the embodiment of Admiration's finest characteristics—oven-freshness, winy richness, full-flavored strength. It heralds the matchless pleasure of a fine, perfect cup. Truly, it's a refreshing reminder of the honesty and integrity of the Duncan Coffee Company. All the name ADMIRATION signifies is contained in that cup.

Buy a pound and sample it. Examine the clues in your grocer's store displays. Watch his weekly newspaper advertisements. A single word covers the Secret Ingredient. It's simple, easy and a lot of fun. Might lead you straight to a 1949 Cadillac!

PRIZES

1st Prize—1949 CADILLAC SEDAN, 248 Price—APEX DISH-WASHER HOME DISH-WASHER, 3rd Prize—GE 10" Screen TELEVISION SET, 4th to 10th Prizes, 6 months supply of Admiration Coffee.

RULES A 7-letter word covers the Secret Ingredient. Find the word. Then with a letter of 10 words in the word, tell us why it is important to you. Give as many times as you wish, but only one word may be substituted for the word. Send your entry to: ADMIRATION COFFEE COMPANY, P. O. Box 215, Houston, Texas.

Admiration Coffee

DUNCAN COFFEE COMPANY HOUSTON, TEXAS

BURTON LINGO CO.

Building Supplies
Paints - Wallpapers

119 E. Texas Ph. 58

SOCIETY

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, FEB. 15, 1949-3

Camping Schedules Of Summer Released For Girl Scouts

Camping schedules for next summer in the Girl Scout Camp at Mita Peak in the Davis Mountains have been announced in a letter just received by Mrs. R. E. Morgan, president of the Midland Girl Scout Association, from Mrs. Ella McBride of Alpine, area camp chairman.

This camp, located near Alpine, is owned by the Permian Basin Girl Scout Area. The regular camping season will be from July 6 to July 30, and specific times have been allotted for Brownies, Intermediate and Senior Girl Scouts.

The first two weeks of the season has been designated for Intermediates, and then will follow in turn a one-week camp for Brownies, another one-week Brownie camp, a one-week and a two-week Intermediate camp, and the final season, one week for Senior Scouts.

Fees will be \$14 per girl per week, the letter announced. Mrs. Morgan was notified that camp folders and registration blanks are being printed now and that a supply will be sent to Midland soon.

Altar Society To Entertain Church With Square Dance

A barbecue supper and square dance in the American Legion Hall Tuesday night for the membership of St. Ann's Catholic Church will have women of the Altar Society as hostesses. The supper is scheduled to start at 7 p. m.

This event is the annual entertainment for members of the church by the Altar Society, of which Mrs. Albert Kelley is president.

Five couples from the Seahaway Square Dance Club will be guests, to give a demonstration of square dancing and to teach members wishing to learn the steps. They are Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Halfast, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Mathews, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Troesch, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKee. The Graham orchestra from Odessa will play for the dancing.

Candy For Students Made By Circles

Circles members of the Calvary Baptist Women's Missionary Union in their meeting Monday afternoon made candy to send to young people of the church who are attending college.

Mrs. A. E. Bowman was hostess to Mrs. George Griffin, Mrs. W. G. Flournoy and Mrs. J. C. Crow of the Gene Newton Circle. Members of the Hatton Circle who met with Mrs. Flora Harding were Mrs. Hoyt Burris, Mrs. J. D. Robbins and Mrs. Johnny Walker.

Mrs. Rogers Hostess For Auxiliary Of Free Will Church

Mrs. F. D. Spratt was leader of the Bible Study for the Women's Auxiliary of the Free Will Baptist Church at its meeting in the home of Mrs. J. D. Rogers Monday afternoon. She also presented a devotional talk.

Fifteen visits to the sick were reported, and 11 messages sent. After the business period, the hostess served refreshments to seven women. The meeting next Monday will be with Mrs. Spratt at 711 East Florida Street.

Hot Stuff in the Refrigerator Field



Ideal for small apartments is this unit, combining a refrigerator with a four-burner stove. The four-cubic-foot refrigerator and stove, which can be equipped with either gas or electric burners, is produced in Los Angeles. Pat Reeber pours a glass of cold milk, but she can change her mind and have hot coffee just by reaching up to the stove.

'Wings Over Jordan' Concert Will Begin At 8 P. M. In High School Auditorium

Beginning at 8 p. m. Tuesday, the "Wings Over Jordan" choir will present a concert in the Midland High School Auditorium sponsored by the First Methodist Choir. Tickets will be available at the door.

Mrs. F. C. Wheeler Honored At Shower

Mrs. J. O. Rotan, Mrs. C. M. Cook, Mrs. Joe Harwell and Mrs. Elwood Hisey were hostesses in the latter's home Friday with a stork shower honoring Mrs. F. C. Wheeler. A bouquet of pink and blue candy-tuft was on the coffee table, the figure of a large stork at the honoree's chair and miniature storks were favors on the refreshment plates.

Gifts were presented in a fishing game. Guests were Mrs. J. M. Watson, Mrs. J. W. Rhodes, Mrs. D. M. Allen, Mrs. A. E. Murr, Mrs. O. C. Danley, Mrs. Raymond Wheeler, Mrs. Minter King, Mrs. Chester McPeak, Mrs. Weldon Rotan, Mrs. O. L. Stultz, Mrs. Guy Rhodes, Maedele Roberts, Mrs. Rush Rotan, Mrs. L. P. Henley, Mrs. C. W. Dodson, Jr., Mrs. Ike Fitzgerald, Mrs. Don Hyatt and Mrs. Jimmy Furman. Other friends sent gifts.

Seventeen members make up the choir, with the conductor, Gilbert F. Allen, and the founder who serves as director and program commentator, the Rev. Glenn T. Settles. Three of the singers are Texans, and others come from various states of the Union.

Allen calls Los Angeles his home, but he has taught in Texas, in the music department of Samuel Houston College at Austin. The chorus originated in Cleveland, Ohio, as the choir of a Baptist church of which Settles was pastor.

It sang first on local radio programs from Cleveland, then in a series of network broadcasts which built its national reputation. It has toured in practically every state and spent ten months overseas during World War II as the only religious chorus to go overseas for the USO.

The "Wings Over Jordan" group sang in Midland last year under sponsorship of the Ministerial Association and was heard by large audiences. It features authentic negro spirituals, many of which have been discovered and written for the first time by the chorus after being handed down orally for generations.

FORMER AMARILLO MAN DIES IN DALLAS HOSPITAL

DALLAS (AP)—Clarence Arthur Reilly, recently of Amarillo, died in a Dallas hospital Monday after a long illness.

Reilly, 62, owned the Amarillo Storage and Transfer Company and held ranch properties.

Supporting Roles Are Many And Varied In Community Theater's 'I Remember Mama'

With a cast of 23 persons, "I Remember Mama," Community Theater comedy scheduled to open Wednesday night, necessarily has many brief roles although each calls for a clear-cut characterization.

Since the John Van Druten play tells a story of a large family, the leading roles are those of the family members while supporting players appear as the varied townsmen with whom they come in contact—a doctor, schoolmates of the older daughter, a threadbare actor and a mortician's assistant.

Church Brotherhood Host At Valentine Sweetheart Banquet

A sweetheart banquet was the St. Valentine's Day entertainment at which the Brotherhood of the Calvary Baptist Church was host in the church dining room Monday night. The rooms and tables were decorated in the holiday theme.

Featuring the program was a humorous round-table discussion of sweethearts, with J. H. Beatty serving as master of ceremonies. Wanda Smith sang a solo, "Always," accompanied by Mrs. Charles Welch, and E. A. Hood presented the devotional topic, "Love." Mrs. Hoyt Burris gave the closing prayer.

Glen Hyde was program chairman and Bill Campbell was chairman of dinner preparations.

Present were Mrs. F. A. Hargrove, Mr. and Mrs. Beaty, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Hood, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Burris, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Lowrey, Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welch, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Swain, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Dyess, Vonnie Holliday, Tillie Hampton, Dorothy McDaniell, Miss Smith, Bill Keel, Bill Tidwell, Paul Greenwood, W. A. Nolan and the Rev. A. L. Teaff.

Junior Club Grets New Member, Guest

Birthday greetings were extended to Jan Houck at a meeting of the Moment Musical Junior Music Club at the Watson Studio Saturday morning. Katrina Shelburn was introduced as a new club member, and Mary Marks was the guest of Margie Walker.

Wanda Lou Moore presided for business and Wanda Steele acted as secretary. Jimmy Mashburn and Dineva Merrell were in charge of the attendance cards.

An extemporaneous program was presented, with a number by the violin choir, piano solos by Diane Perkins and Wanda Steele and a violin solo by Margie Walker. Carolyn Gray, Wanda Steele and Wanda Lou Moore gave sketches of composers whom the club has studied.

The meeting closed with repetition of the club motto: "Musicians are artists; they paint their colors in tones; the canvas on which they paint is silence, and the audience must furnish that."

Other members present were Janelle Cloninger, Joe Taylor, Marian McGowan, Barry McGowan, Barbara Timmons, Jan Burke, Hope Russell, James Wolfe, Bob Gray, Louise Ervin, Gwendolyn Campbell, Martha Nell Chastain, Loraine Colson, Catharine Barnes, Cynthia Dupuy, Judy Orson, Juanda Bradshaw, Edye Eubank, Patty Chambers, Roger Walker, Patricia Wilkerson, Robinette Curry, Linda Breith and Trudy Symes.

John DeFord is cast as Mr. Hyde, a grandiloquent but rather frayed actor. He has assisted the Community Theater in various capacities since its organization and was in the cast of an early production, "George Washington Slept Here," in the role of the farmer. He also appeared in the 1947 minstrel-revue, "Runnin' Hi."

Stage Hand To Actor

An entirely different characterization is required of F. H. Pannill in the role of Mr. Thorkelson, a mortician's assistant who is the timid suitor for the hand of "Mama's" old-maid sister. Pannill is making his stage debut in this play; he worked backstage in high school dramas and says he decided to become an actor when, as a stage hand, he dropped part of the scenery on the audience.

Formerly a resident of Houston, where he practiced law, he came to Midland with Mrs. Pannill and their three children about six months ago. He is an attorney with the Amerada Petroleum Corporation.

A mother-and-daughter team appearing in the comedy comprises Louise and Sylvia Metz. Sylvia plays one of "Mama's" daughters, while her mother enacts the suspicious member of eccentric Uncle Chris' household whom the gossip ants refer to only as "that woman."

Mrs. Metz has not previously appeared in a Community Theater play, and in fact has not acted since her days in Kennedy High School when she was a member of Interscholastic League contest play casts. In addition to her daughter, she has a son, six-year-old Richard. Actors And Governors

Both Grace and W. A. Waldschmidt, another family team in the cast, are members of the Board of Governors of the Community Theater and Mrs. Waldschmidt has served as treasurer. In addition, both have had parts in several plays.

Waldschmidt was seen in "The Late Christopher Bean," final play of 1948, and Mrs. Waldschmidt is remembered for interpretation of the Southern senator's wife in "State of the Union." In "I Remember Mama" she plays Florence Moorehead, a famous writer, and he the rather brusque but kindly Dr. Johnson.

Appearing in the hospital scenes are Nadyna Griffin and Dorothy Penna as nurses. Mrs. Griffin manages her own school of dancing here and was applauded in the recent revue, "Runnin' Higher," as a solo dancer and in numbers with Art Cole and with her daughter, Ardis Joy.

Summer Theater Experience Miss Perkins, teaching in John M. Cowden Junior High School, has worked with several Community Theater productions, in acting roles and back stage. The past two Summers she gained experience with the Bread Loaf Little Theater at Middlebury College, Vermont.

Shirley Harrison and Gail Baker are among the half-dozen younger players in the cast, enacting girl graduates. Shirley, a native Midlander and a sophomore in high school, has participated in several Junior Workshop plays for the Community Theater and had a small part in "Runnin' Higher." She is a member of the National Theatrical Society through participation in high school dramatic activities.

Gail is taking part for the first time in a Community Theater drama but has been in a number of school plays at Ursuline Academy, Dallas. She is a high school freshman, an Oklahoma native and a Midland resident for nearly a year.

Known for reliable work on the production staffs of many Community Theater plays, E. J. Elliott and Loyd McSpaden appear briefly in this comedy. Miss Elliott, who is in charge of scene painting, has a walk-on part as a scrubwoman and McSpaden has a bit as a soda clerk.

"I CANNOT TELL A LIE"
THE BEST VALUES
are at KRUGER'S
You can't go wrong when you choose one of the nationally known

WATCHES
Waterproof watch with stainless steel case and shock-proof movement. Sweep second hand.
\$29⁷⁵
\$1 Down, \$1 Week

TAKE 33 WEEKS TO PAY FOR THIS
GRUEN
THE Precision WATCH
\$33⁷⁵ Fed. Tax Included
Veri-Thin "Mode"
Brilliant accuracy and water-tight beauty combined in a dainty watch to be worn with pride.
\$1 A WEEK
NO EXTRA CHARGE FOR CREDIT!

You can afford to give a **WYLER**
The world's only watch with the self-protecting heart
WATERPROOF
Guaranteed 2 Years
4 1/2 Jewel Steel Band
With Sweep Hand
Men Ladies
\$39.75 \$42.50
Come in for demonstration of the Wyler Incoflex balance wheel.
\$1 Down, \$1 Week
The Finest Gift of all...

A DIAMOND WATCH by **HARVEL**

Nothing thrills a feminine heart like a diamond watch. Now you can get one of the world's fine watches—the nationally advertised Harvel—set with sparkling diamonds for as little as \$71.50.
Left... 14K white or yellow gold, with 4 diamonds... \$71.50
Right... 14K white gold with 8 diamonds... \$100
All Harvel diamond watches are 17 Jewel. Prices include Federal tax. Your Harvel Watch may be bought on our convenient budget plan.

YOU CAN OPEN AN ACCOUNT AT KRUGER'S IN JUST 3 MINUTES!
Kruger
JEWELRY CO.
A GREAT NAME IN DIAMONDS
104 North Main Midland, Texas

RUM CAKES
THEY'RE DELICIOUS! THEY'RE FRESH!
Look for Terminal Pastries at your Food Store.
H. F. Webster's Terminal Bakery Terminal, Texas

TEXAS LADY LOSES 47 POUNDS

The following remarkable story shows conclusively that Barcostrate DOES take off fat.
It contains nothing harmful. In fact, it contains ingredients that make you feel better. No starvation diet—no weakness—no hunger. Barcostrate, the original grapefruit jelly recipe, takes off fat quickly, safely and you eat just plenty.
Here is proof
Here is what Mrs. H. P. Bishop, Route 2, Stamford, Texas, wrote us:
"I am very glad to endorse Barcostrate, so please accept my sincere thanks and appreciation for the great benefit I derived from its use. I not only lost weight, but also looked and felt better in every way.
"I had to have a very serious operation and was told that I must lose a lot of weight before the operation could be performed. I went on a diet and tried very hard to reduce, but wasn't losing much weight until I heard of Barcostrate. I began taking it and could soon tell the difference in the way I felt. In two weeks I was losing 200 pounds when I started and I lost a total of 47 pounds and was able to undergo my operation. I can truthfully recommend it to others, since it did so much for me."
At all druggists
If you are overweight and want to take off ugly fat, just go to your druggist and ask for four ounces of Liquid Barcostrate. Pour this into a pint bottle and add enough grapefruit juice to fill bottle. Then take just two tablespoonfuls twice a day. If the very first bottle doesn't show you the simple, safe way to take off weight, return the empty bottle for your money back.

Young Mother DO THIS!
When your child catches cold, relieve distress even while he sleeps! Rub his throat, chest and back at bedtime with warming... **VICKS VAPORUB**

THE END IS DRAWING NEAR!
If You Haven't Shopped Yet... Don't Delay!
EVERYBODY'S REMOVAL SALE
You'll have to hurry if you want to take advantage of Everybody's unheard of Removal Sale Values... our merchandise is moving fast, so the longer you delay the less the chances are of you finding your size. Included are our large collection of quality Coats, Suits, Dresses, Lingerie, Sportswear, Costume Jewelry, Hosiery, Accessories and Shoes.
Prices Reduced In Every Department

This, and hundreds of other similar values at Everybody's today—

Sheen Gabardine SUITS
New Spring Colors
Sizes 7 to 20
Values to 69.95
REDUCED TO **39.95**

Use Your Convenient Everybody's Charge Account On Any Sale Merchandise

EVERYBODY'S
NATIONALLY FAMOUS FASHIONS FOR HER

ACIDITY
Fear, anger, excitement, careless eating—these cause acidity. Drink delicious pure Ozarka Water, free from chlorine, alum, copper sulphate. Physicians recommend it. Shipped everywhere.
Ozarka WATER CO.
Phone 111

RENEW YOUR FLOORS YOURSELF!
with our RENTAL FLOOR SANDERS
FLOOR WEAR AS ONLY SKIN DEEP \$2.50
Sand off that dull surface coat and you'll have new floors again! It's as easy as running the vacuum cleaner. You can do 3 or 4 rooms a day. We carry everything you need and show you how to get the best results. Stop in or phone us SAVE 2/3 THE COST!
Eger... 1.00
Floor Polisher... 1.50
FIRESTONE STORE

SQUEALS
REMOVED FROM RADIOS
Also Hums, Crackles, Pops
Get rid of those buzzed radio noises! Let our "Doctor of Radio" extract them today! You'll find it quite painless to your purse!
COMMUNICATION SPECIALTY EQUIPMENT COMPANY
461 1/2 S. Marienfeld Phone 3795
Bud Lindsey Herb Saladin

Subscription Price: One Month \$1.00, Three Months \$2.75, Six Months \$5.00, One Year \$9.00

Advertising Rates: Display advertising rates on application. Classified rate 30 per word; minimum charge, 30c.

Erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation which may occur in the columns of this newspaper will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the editor.

MEMBER OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS. An Associated Press is entitled exclusively to the use of reproduction all the local news printed in this newspaper, as well as all AP news dispatches.

But as he which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation.—I Peter 1:15.

Solid Foundation Is Needed

In stating his views on the Administration's labor bill, Arthur S. Goldberg, general counsel of the CIO, charged that the Taft-Hartley Law has "turned the clock back on progress in the field of industrial relations."

Thus, before the Norris-LaGuardia and Wagner Acts, employers had some unfair and one-sided privileges. Under those laws the privileges shifted to labor's side.

The Taft-Hartley Law also granted new powers to the President, largely as a consequence of John L. Lewis' tactics. Before the law was passed the President had been able to cope with Lewis' crippling strikes only by ordering the government, under his extraordinary wartime authority, to seize and operate the coal mines.

At first Tobin said that the bill entrusted the prevention of paralyzing strikes to the force of public opinion. Later he said that "no President of the United States ever is going to permit the economy of the United States to be brought to its knees by a great national emergency."

Attorney General Clark said the President had inherent and implied powers to handle a strike-induced national paralysis. But two persons of such dissimilar viewpoints as the CIO's Goldberg and Senator Taft agreed to disagree with the attorney general.

The Administration's labor bill clearly had some political inspiration in its composition. But it is now the legal aspects that are of interest. Would they really advance the clock of progress or would they turn it back from where the Taft-Hartley Act left it?

Now that the pattern of the paralyzing nationwide strike has been exhibited in actual use, are the definition and scope of the country's defense against it to be left to a President's discretion when the emergency arises?

Really Rolling. A London truck driver's wife is expected to give birth to quadruplets in April. This would be the third set of four born in Britain in the last 11 months.

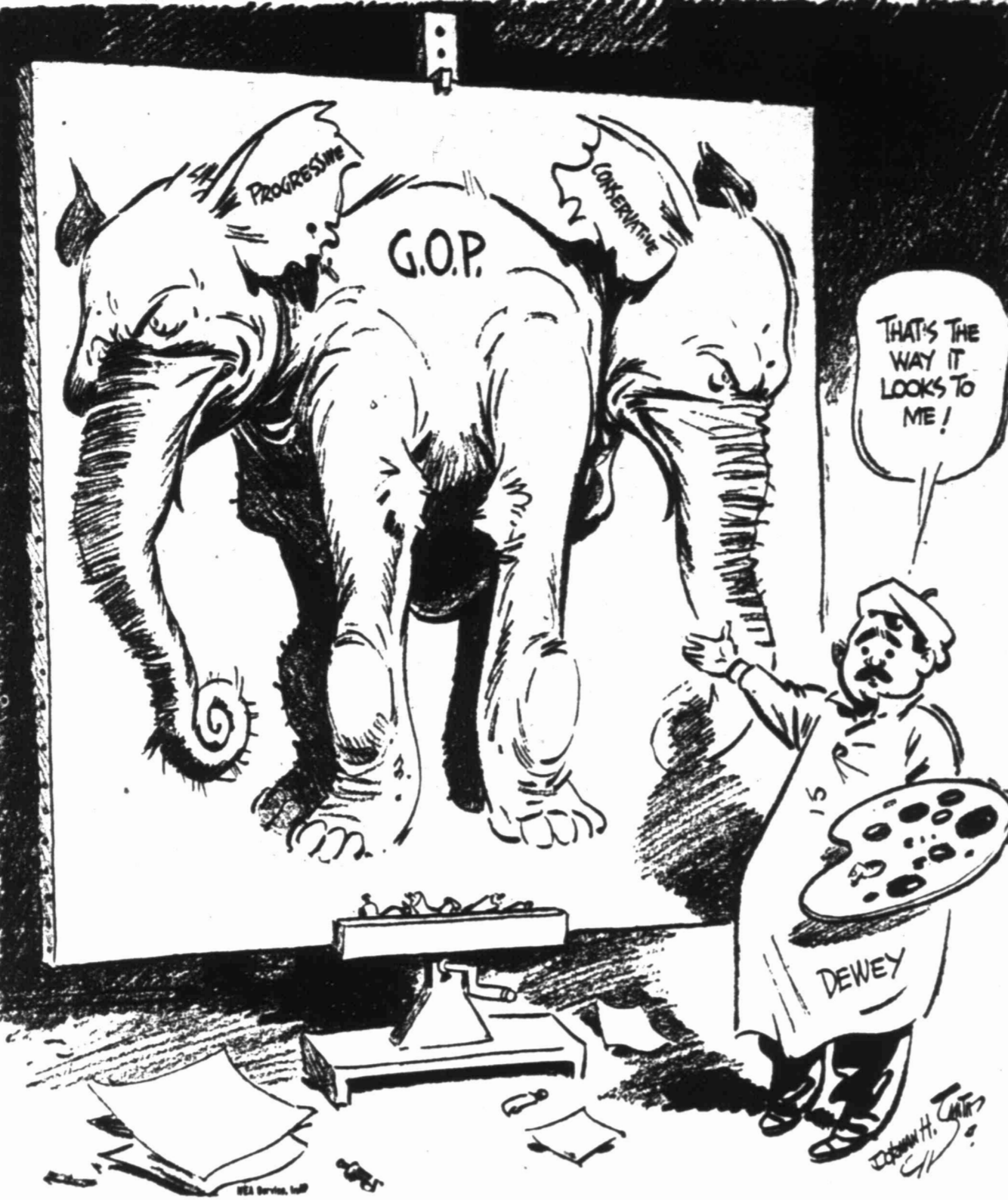
On the Air Waves. HORIZONTAL: 5 Prevaricator, 15 Dejected star of radio, 30 Perser, 12 Mean, 14 Skill, 15 Wanderer, 17 Scottish sheepfold, 19 English river, 18 Wet with tears, 20 Lamprey, 21 Medical suffix, 22 Musical note, 23 Hodgepodge, 28 Submit to, 28 Symbol for sodium, 29 Seed container, 30 Belongs to, 31 Area measure, 32 Horse's gait, 33 Permeable, 34 Type of moth, 37 Cloth measure, 38 Collection of sayings, 40 Exist, 45 Reverend (abbr.), 47 Gem weight, 48 Conducted, 49 Biblical mountain, 51 Writer's marks, 53 Calumnies, 54 Speed contest.

On the Air Waves. VERTICAL: 1 Breakfast food, 2 Dimple, 3 Editor (abbr.), 4 Canvas shelter, 5 Prevaricator, 6 Diminutive of Andrew, 7 Note in Guido's scale, 8 Bird bill protuberance, 9 Genuefleur, 10 He is on the, 11 Fish eggs, 13 Procrastinate, 16 Parent vehicles, 24 Preposition, 25 Hops' kiln, 26 Gem, 27 Perfurates, 30 Pressers, 32 Papal triple crown, 34 Rounded, 35 Winter, 43 Moccasin, 44 Heavily, 45 Fish sauce, 39 Grandparental, 40 Cicatrix, 41 Makes edgings, 42 Symbol for erbium, 43 Moccasin, 44 Heavily, 45 Fish sauce, 50 Symbol for ruthenium, 52 Egyptian sun god.

McKenney on Bridge. By William E. McKenney, America's Card Authority. War Orphans Scholarship, Inc. is an organization that was started by the bridge players of the nation during the war, to provide scholarships for the children of those who were killed in action.

Drew Pearson on The Washington Merry-Go-Round. (Copyright, 1949, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.) Drew Pearson says: Senate Republicans make hay on State Department stand toward Dutch-Indonesian trouble as Acheson riles Democrats; may prove rift in Bi-partisan foreign policy.

Tom Paints 'Em As He Sees 'Em!



Drew Pearson on The Washington Merry-Go-Round. America's Card Authority. War Orphans Scholarship, Inc. is an organization that was started by the bridge players of the nation during the war, to provide scholarships for the children of those who were killed in action.

McKenney on Bridge. By William E. McKenney, America's Card Authority. War Orphans Scholarship, Inc. is an organization that was started by the bridge players of the nation during the war, to provide scholarships for the children of those who were killed in action.

Questions and Answers. Q-In salt content, how does the Red Sea compare with the oceans? A-Taking oceans as a whole, the Atlantic is slightly saltier than the Indian Ocean or the Pacific.

THE DOCTOR SAYS. Hair Color, Decided At Birth, May Change During Lifetime. By Edwin F. Jordan, M.D. The hair color is determined by the presence of dilute coloring matter. Red hair is caused by a dissolved red pigment differing from that which makes black hair black.

POP Goes the QUEEN. By Bob Wade and Bill Miller. THE STORY: Quis Show Winner John Henry and Sin Conover, a young actress, were engaged to be married at a swank reception.

THE DOCTOR SAYS. Hair Color, Decided At Birth, May Change During Lifetime. By Edwin F. Jordan, M.D. The hair color is determined by the presence of dilute coloring matter. Red hair is caused by a dissolved red pigment differing from that which makes black hair black.

VFW Stole March On Legion In Presenting Pension Bill

WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

By PETER EDSON. NEA Washington Correspondent. WASHINGTON—Veterans of Foreign Wars stole the show from the American Legion at the unveiling of the Legion's own pension bill on Capitol Hill. Smart VFW legislative chief Omar Ketchum called Chairman John Rankin of the House Veterans' Committee and told him that new VFW National Commander Lyle Beggs was in Washington.

RECOVERY IN GERMANY— Industry Speaks Louder Than Politics In Quick Comeback Of 'Workshop'

By DANIEL DE LUKE
ESSEN, GERMANY—(AP)—Four years after high Allied statesmen glibly talked of turning Hitler's Reich into a goat pasture, Germany is on the road back.

This nation still is in political chains. Militarily, it is nowhere. But in industrial production, it again is competing for first place on the continent of Europe. Already jittery France has been equaled or outdistanced in several important production categories.

In surveying Germany's comeback, you can toss out the east zone, where 20,000,000 Germans are under the guns and commissars of the Russian Army.

But that leaves 46,000,000 Germans in the West. Even standing alone, they are a nation outnumbering France's 40,000,000 and nearly equal to 48,000,000 Britons of the United Kingdom.

Coal, Steel, Electricity
These West Germans accounted for three-fourths of the industrial production that made Germany No. 1 in Europe before the war.

Industries speak louder than politicians for West Germany now. Coal, steel, electricity are the stews of a modern power. West Germany has them, despite tremendous property losses by war and reparations.

Allied bombers struck strategic targets—synthetic oil refineries and ball-bearing plants, for example.

They caused enormous damage to cities, which it may be impossible to repair completely in another 20 years.

But Flying Forts and Lancasters did not knock out coal deposits in the earth. Germany was second only to Britain as a producer of Europe's coal.

Nor did they pulverize the multi-ton presses and forges in the steel mills, which formerly rivaled Britain in their output and dwarfed France.

Near Prewar Level
In electric power, the bombing was negligible. Excessive wartime wear and poor maintenance hurt the plants more.

Reparations are a long-range blow to West Germany's hopes. But they have not seriously crippled the recovery drive, because potential capacities are not yet fully utilized. Production is nearing 80 per cent of the prewar level of 1936. American administrators of the European Recovery Program want it to reach 110 per cent by the end of 1952. Then a U. S. dole could be dispensed with. West Germany would be on its own feet, in spite of a population burden 13 per cent larger than in the 1930's.

West Germany has had only two real economic shocks in the arm. One was an initial allocation of slightly more than \$400,000,000 from the ERP. The other was reform of the German currency, which Russia had been allowed to print in unlimited quantities.

West Germany's new place in the industrial hierarchy of Europe is summarized by a few statistics which are rarely given in proper juxtaposition. They are the annual production rates of West Germany, France and Britain in early 1949 in four basic industries:

Hard and brown coal: West Germany 162,000,000 tons. France, 48,000,000 tons (plus 13,800,000 tons from the German Saar). Britain, 198,000,000 tons.

Iron and steel: West Germany, 6,200,000 tons. France, 7,200,000 tons (plus 1,300,000 tons from the German Saar). Britain, 9,500,000 tons.

Steel ingots: West Germany, 7,800,000 tons. France, 7,800,000 tons (plus 1,400,000 tons from the German Saar). Britain, 15,600,000 tons.

Electric power: West Germany, 22,000 million kilowatt hours. France, 27,000 million kilowatt hours. Britain, 43,000 million kilowatt hours.

If the Saar were reintegrated into West Germany, instead of being absorbed by the French economy, France would be a second-class industrial power in Western Europe.

West German mines have been exceeding 330,000 tons of hard coal daily—nine months ahead of the target envisioned by ERP—and may exceed 350,000 tons before December.

All this is enough to rattle the skeleton of the Morgenthau Plan, which conceived of postwar Germany as a land principally of small farmers and handicrafts, not the busy workshop of Europe it had been.

The Sign Was Right, but It Didn't Help



After a head-on crash between a car and a loaded trailer-truck, one of the wrecked vehicles rests symbolically near this advertising sign. The collision occurred on the Kingston Pike, six miles east of Kingston, Tenn. Four persons—three men and a woman—were killed.

Cooperative Oilfield Development Urged Before Senate Panel

AUSTIN—(AP)—"Billions of barrels" of underground oil never will be recovered unless cooperative development of fields is made legal, the Senate's Oil and Gas Committee was told Monday night.

C. J. Tucker of Wichita Falls, who described himself as an operator of 50 years experience, urged passage for a bill that would permit such cooperative agreements among royalty owners and operators.

Only three proponents of the bill were heard Monday night. Opposition will be heard Tuesday night.

The bill by Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe would legalize voluntary pooling agreements where a hearing before the Railroad Commission finds that cooperative development of an oil field is necessary to conservation.

"The only justification for this law is the purpose of conservation," A. W. Walker, Dallas attorney and former University of Texas professor of petroleum law, told the committee.

No Anti-Trust Violation
Walker testified the proposed law would not violate the state's anti-trust laws.

"The whole purpose of this bill," he said, "is to remove the fear that cooperative development for conservation purposes is an anti-trust violation."

Walker pointed out that present laws permit cooperative development of gas fields but that the laws are silent with respect to oil fields.

Martin Miller, Houston oil and gas consultant, testified that Texas is the only oil state "of any consequence" that doesn't have some type of unitization.

Senator Wardlaw Lane of Center, who helped filibuster against a similar bill in the Legislature two years ago, queried each of the witnesses.

Quick Thinking By Nine-Year-Old Boy Saves Companions

SALISBURY, CONN.—(AP)—Quick thinking by nine-year-old Dick Kenney was credited with averting disaster when the driver fainted at the wheel of a school bus with 30 children aboard.

The accident happened Monday as the youngsters were starting for the Grove Street School.

The driver, George Dodge, 33, suddenly collapsed in a faint. His body, in falling, brushed against the wheel, and the vehicle headed toward a ditch and public utility pole.

Dick, a fourth grader, remembering what his father had taught him about driving, grabbed the wheel. He headed the bus straight down the road for about 400 yards, and then deliberately swerved it into a snowbank.

The boy said he knew the engine would stall when it hit the snow, and, sure enough, it did.

No one was injured.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Closed Meetings, Tues. Night
Open Meeting, Sat. Night
Phone 9563
115 S. Baird St. P. O. Box 538

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, FEB. 18, 1949

Advertise or Be Forgotten

New Convenient Location

112 West Wall

AUTO & TRUCK FINANCING

NEW or USED

"KEY" INVESTMENT CO.

Phone 486

LOANS

On Autos—Furniture—Appliances

CITY FINANCE CO.

O. M. Leton, Mgr.
201 E. Wall Phone 3218

By sending your CLOTHES to

MASTER CLEANERS

it's easy to keep "fit" with our fabric-deep cleaning and stay-put press.

MAPS!

L. T. BOYNTON CO.

Midland Representative Southwest Mapping Company
UP-TO-DATE County Ownership and Regional Base Maps.
Representing Rinehart Oil News Co. — Oil Reports.

L. T. BOYNTON
Midland, Texas Box 1537
Phone 3368

Maybe this is the job for you!

Is getting a job your big problem right now? Maybe we can help.

Have you ever thought about being a telephone operator? It's a girl's job—and a good one too!

No experience? Doesn't matter—you learn (and earn, of course) as you go along. And telephone work has always held a fascination that's hard to describe. Why not see whether you can qualify?

The chief operator at the telephone office will be glad to talk it over with you.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

Announcing

"GOOD NEWS"—The Father Aull Foundation Treatment is now available in Midland for those suffering from painful Sinusitis, Hay Fever and Crippling Arthritis . . . These are the same non-operative treatments which have been so successful in his Clinics in New Mexico, Arizona and California. This department is dedicated to the relief of those suffering from these painful afflictions. Come in and investigate.

YOU WILL BE GLAD YOU DID.

SCOTT CLINIC

Phone 305 1300 W. Wall Midland, Texas

SIDE GLANCES



"I heard a lot of gossip at the hairdresser's that I know is just silly talk, but this story about Mrs. Brown sounds like the real thing!"

Man, Convicted Of Wife's Murder, To Share Insurance

DALLAS—(AP)—Chesley A. Gragg will have \$350 insurance money, paid for the death of his wife whom he was convicted of murdering.

Gragg is waiting transfer to the state penitentiary to serve a life sentence in the drowning of his wife. He was awarded the \$350 Monday as his part of the insurance policy he carried on his wife.

Mrs. Nora Vallie James, Gragg's mother-in-law, had contended he was not entitled to any of the insurance.

Attorneys for Mrs. James and Gragg settled the suit, which had been brought in 101st District Court.

Gragg had collected the total amount of the policy, \$1,000, on June 22, 1943, just six days after Gragg's wife and 10-year-old stepson drowned in a West Dallas borrow pit.

Mrs. James entered suit contesting the payment. In the settlement she received \$550. The remainder went for attorney's fees.

If you muffed a "daisy cutter," you would be fumbling a ground ball, in baseball.

MID-LAND FINANCE COMPANY

J. H. Brock A. C. Coswell

We appreciate your business.
201 E. Wall Tel. 500

Cushman
49 Models

Will mail parts, accessories
—Repair Shop—
Good Used Scooters For Sale

Taylor Machine Works
Authorized Dealer
412 Drury Lane ODessa, Tex. 5423
So. Sam Houston St. to Drury Lane

Senior Scouters To Hold Roundtable At Terminal Feb. 28

A Senior Scout leaders' roundtable, to be held at Terminal February 28 at 8 p. m., was arranged by the district committee of El Centro District, Boy Scouts of America, at its regular meeting Monday night in the Midland Scout office. Senior Scout leaders from Midland, Andrews and Ector counties will participate in the event.

The committee voted to change its regular meeting time to the second Thursday each month, with the first meeting under the new schedule to be held March 10.

Other business transacted included plans for completing the 1949 Scout budget for Midland, left approximately \$2,000 short by the failure of the Community Chest campaign to reach its established quota. The group also voted its appreciation of the work of Ed Edwards, district activities chairman, in promoting Boy Scout Week events here.

Dr. Glen Walker, district chairman, presided at the meeting. Others present were:

S. G. Painter, field executive, Dr. C. L. Brady, L. E. Patterson, R. H. Pine, Dr. Doyle L. Patton, John E. Husted, P. V. Thomson, Col. John Perkins, J. M. McDonald, J. R. Shell, J. L. Kendrick, J. M. Ratcliff, Randolph D. Rubin and Ralph Smith.

CCC To Consider Mohair Price Support

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Rep. Fisher (D-Texas) said the Commodity Credit Corporation's board of directors may take up a request Wednesday to place a price support under mohair.

He said, however, that he does not expect the board will act for several days on a request he and Senator Johnson (D-Texas) have made asking for prompt action to bolster the mohair market.

Goat raisers in West Texas, where approximately 90 per cent of all domestic mohair is produced, need immediate action before the new clip is sheared, he said. Between 12,000,000 and 14,000,000 pounds now are stored in warehouses with no market, he said.

Three Injured In Private Plane Crash

WACO—(AP)—Three plane crash victims were in a Waco hospital Tuesday and youngsters near here were searching the countryside for a bottle of perfume lost in the crash.

The injured were identified as George J. Hundley of Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith of Columbia, S. C.

The three were enroute from Mexico to Dallas when their private aircraft ran out of gasoline. The plane flipped on its back as the pilot attempted a forced landing near Waco State Orphans Home.

Before the crash, just at dusk Monday, Mrs. Smith dropped two billfolds and a bottle of "very expensive perfume." She offered a reward for recovery.

Oldest institution of higher learning in Idaho is the College of Idaho, established in 1891.

Prosecution Offices In Japan Are Closed

TOKYO—(AP)—The International Prosecution Section of Allied Headquarters has been formally closed, it was announced Tuesday.

Representing 11 nations of the Far East Command, the section prosecuted the long trial of ex-Premier Hideki Tojo and other Japanese war leaders on charges of conspiracy to wage wars of aggression.

Capt. T. D. White of El Paso was the last remaining member.

Kaiser Noble Frazer HOLT MOTOR CO.

NEW and USED CARS

We service and repair all makes of automobiles on a guaranteed basis!

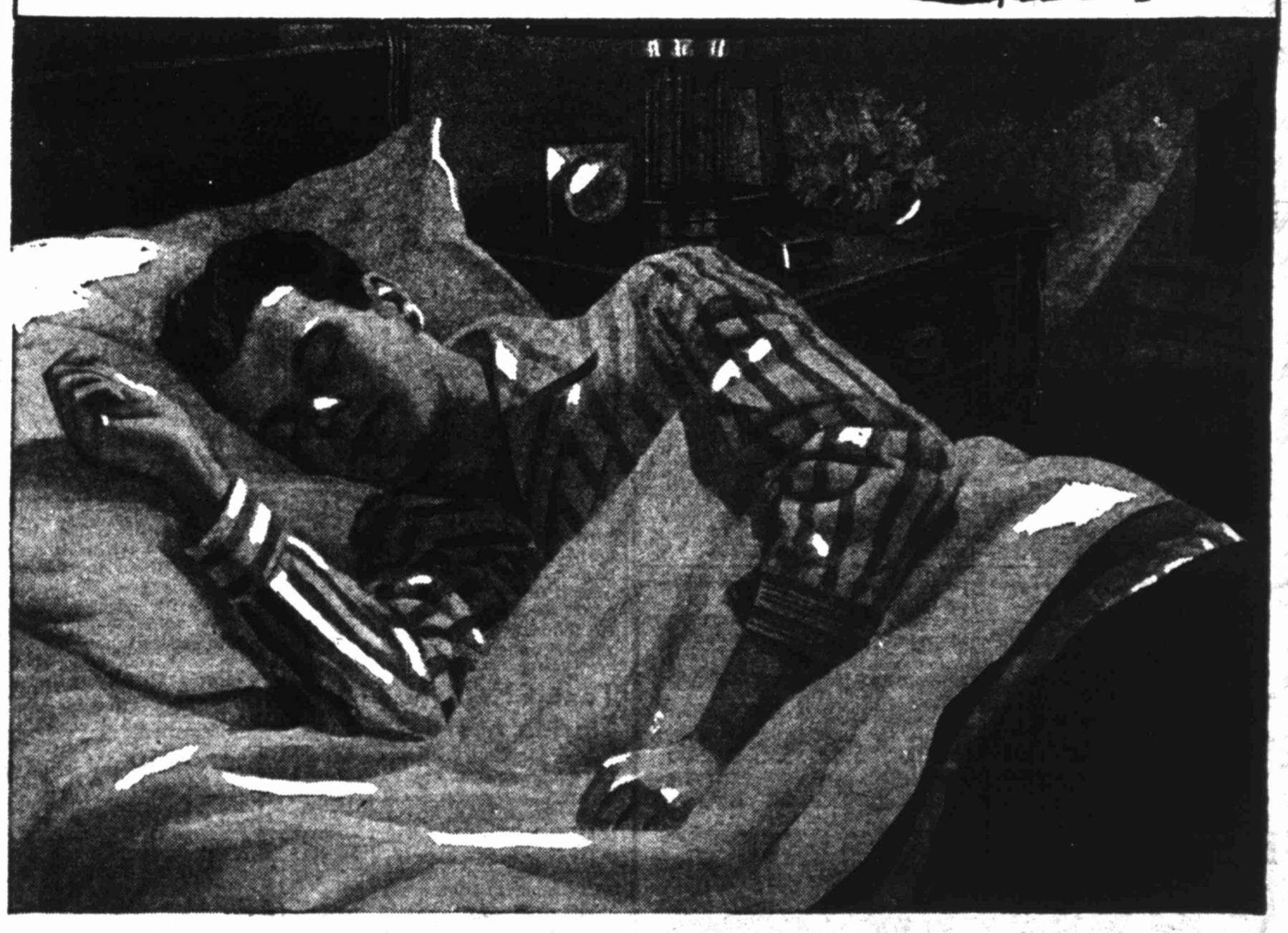
E. M. DAVIS, Service Mgr.

USED CAR VALUES

1947 Manhattan, overdrive, radio, heater \$2150
1946 DeSoto Club Coupe, all extras \$1700
1948 Kaiser \$1700
1941 Plymouth 4-door \$900
1938 Plymouth 4-door \$295
1936 Plymouth 4-door \$285
1937 Ford \$200

SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY!
110 S. Baird Phone 99

Why use a "Ton of Cover" these cold nights?



ENJOY COZY WARMTH without BULKY WEIGHT with Electric Bed Covering

Nowadays, there's no need to feel like the bottom pancake under a stack of ten or twelve pounds of heavy covering. Switch to sound sleep with automatic bed covering, and relax under a single lightweight electric blanket or comforter. Ordinary blankets, even the finest, merely retard the escape of warmth which the body produces. That's why you get chilly on cold nights and have to get up for extra covering.

Automatic electric bed covering produces warmth . . . just the right amount under all temperature conditions. Thus you sleep soundly all through the night . . . awake refreshed!

Visit your favorite store which sells electric appliances and see these marvelous modern aids to healthful winter comfort.

ENJOY HEALTHFUL WINTER COMFORT ELECTRICALLY

TEXAS ELECTRIC SERVICE COMPANY
R. L. MILLER, Manager

Fits Fine



It is old home week in Philadelphia. Jimmie Dykes has returned to the Athletics as a coach, and the veteran Wally Moses, trying on a uniform he wore for seven seasons, is back in the outfield.

Adams Repeats As Light Heavy Champ

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Experience paid off in the thirteenth annual State Golden Gloves Tournament—two of Texas' eight champions repeating and one former titlist winning.

Tom Adams of Abilene and Freddy Morales of Temple are the defending champions. Valentino Luna is the past winner.

City Cage Card

Games scheduled Tuesday night in the City Basketball League will be played Wednesday night in the MHS gym. The postponement was due to conflict with a high school championship playoff game.

On the card for Wednesday night, (first game) Magnolia vs. VFW; (second game) Ted Thompson vs. Jayces. The first game begins at 8 p. m. and the second immediately follows.

Adams won his third straight light heavyweight championship with a clear decision over David Carter of San Antonio Monday night.

Morales kept his flyweight title by outpointing Pat Riley of Dallas. Luna knocked out Billy Dickerson of Brownwood at 1:28 of the second round to win the featherweight title, a heavier division than the bantamweight class he won in 1947.

Bob Walke, Corpus Christi sailor with plenty of experience in California, annexed the middleweight championship with a win over Herbert May of Houston.

Decisions were the rule as the 13th annual tournament championships were crowned.

Ed (Bunky) Stephens, 119, Beaumont, won the bantamweight title with one over Coland Conway of Dallas, 118. And this was the way lightweight champion John O'Glee, 113, Dallas, beat Eddie Garza, 136, San Antonio; welterweight Pete Gill, 148, Austin, downed Billy Burkhardt, 146, Abilene, and heavyweight James Holt, 194, Houston, edged Don Thompson, 200, Odessa.

Kentucky Tightens Hold On First Spot In Basketball Poll

NEW YORK —(AP)— Kentucky continues to convince the basketball experts it is the best college team in the country with a dozen straight victories since its December loss to St. Louis University.

The fifth weekly Associated Press poll gives the Wildcats (20-1) a wide edge over runner-up St. Louis as the season approaches the tournament stage.

Of the 84 writers and sportscasters participating, sixty-four picked Kentucky for the No. 1 spot. Only 13 preferred St. Louis, which led the poll the first two weeks. It is the third straight time Kentucky has been out front.

Last week the first place vote was much closer, 47-13, but Kentucky continues to pick up support by overpowering the opposition. A lopsided 96-50 triumph over Xavier of Cincinnati served to convince the skeptics.

Illinois Pushes Forward

St. Louis bumped off Notre Dame 61-44 in its only start last week. Monday night they bowed to Ohio State 68-60.

The Oklahoma Aggies cling to third place by a slender seven-point margin over Illinois. Oklahoma University smothered the Aggies 54-41 Friday in a major upset. Illinois chalked up two Western Conference triumphs over Northwestern and Ohio State to narrow the gap.

So now it's the big four instead of the big three. The point score, with ten for a first place vote, nine for second and so on down to one for tenth, finds Kentucky 805, St. Louis 741, Oklahoma A&M 578 and Illinois 571.

- Others receiving votes included Texas, 13 points, and Arkansas, two.
- 1. Kentucky 805
 - 2. St. Louis 741
 - 3. Oklahoma A&M 578
 - 4. Illinois 571
 - 5. Tulane 297
 - 6. Minnesota 271
 - 7. W. Kentucky 264
 - 8. San Francisco 165
 - 9. Hamline 118
 - 10. Bowling Green 116

Former Texas Kegler Wins Chicago Tourney

CHICAGO —(AP)— Robby Robinson, one of Chicago's youthful bowling stars, shot an eight-game 1,874 score Monday night to take first place in the \$36,000 Dom Devito bowling tournament.

The 25-year old former Houston Kegler had his poorest game on his first try, 171, but he never slipped below 200 in the next seven games. He followed with 225, 234, 201, 200, 225, 205 and 213.

Texan Held To Face Florida Murder Count

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— Clarence Lee Thompson, 32, was waiting here Tuesday to be returned to West Palm Beach, Fla., to face murder charges on a five-year-old slaying.

Thompson was arraigned Monday before Justice of the Peace M. D. Jones on a fugitive complaint.

The complaint charged Thompson killed Bill Sanford, taxi driver, in West Palm Beach June 24, 1944. Thompson, a garageman, has lived here since January, 1946.

Palm Beach Sheriff John F. Kirk is due here Wednesday to take custody of Thompson.

No Practice Today



Members of the Aldwych Ice Speed Skating Club scramble out of the cold water of Kingmere Lake near London. Previously enjoying a good run on ice, the skaters had to call it quits when the thin surface buckled and collapsed under a warm sun.

Sports

6—THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, FEB. 15, 1949

Midland Makes Plans For Junior High Tournament

John M. Cowden Junior High School of Midland is making extensive plans for a basketball tournament to be played Saturday here in the MHS gym with area teams entered.

Entries include the host team of Midland and Odessa, Lamesa, Wink, Andrews, Seminole, San Angelo and Colorado City.

First round opponents are: Odessa vs. Lamesa at 9 a. m.; Wink vs. Andrews at 10 a. m.; Seminole vs. Colorado City at 11 a. m.; and Midland vs. San Angelo at 12 noon.

Semi-finals are carded in both championship and consolation brackets Saturday afternoon. The consolation games will be at 2:30 and 4:30 p. m. with the championship (consolation) games at 1:30 and 3:30 p. m.

Finals in the consolation bracket will be played at 7:30 p. m. with the championship finals at 8:30 p. m.

Admission will be charged by sessions. There will be three sessions—morning, afternoon and night.

Schools, Museums To Get War Trophies

AUSTIN —(AP)— German, Japanese and Allied war trophies will be made available to Texas schools and museums, Gov. Beauford H. Jester announced.

Jester said he had received a letter from the War Department saying the trophies are being offered to the states in proportion to the number of persons who served in World War II from each state.

All of the dangerous trophies have been rendered harmless. Some now are stored at the Red River Arsenal at Texarkana, San Antonio General Depot and Fort Bliss, near El Paso.

Houston U. Will Play William & Mary

WILLIAMSBURG, VA.—(AP)— R. N. (Rube) McCray, director of athletics at the College of William and Mary, announced Tuesday the signing of a contract with the University of Houston for a football game to be played September 17 in Houston.

It's Planting Time! Choice Gladiolus

New, modern giants in every color from purest white to deepest purple. Healthy, vigorous bulbs of superior varieties will give you gorgeous blooms to glorify your garden and furnish you beautiful cut-flowers.

Cut-Flower Collection (Medium Size Bulbs)
100 bulbs for \$4.75
50 bulbs for \$2.50

Rainbow Collection (Top Size Bulbs)
100 bulbs for \$6.75
50 bulbs for \$3.60
25 bulbs for \$2.00

Illustrated Catalog on Request.
OPEN 3 to 6 P.M. DAILY
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY

J. M. RATCLIFF
2307 W. Kentucky Midland

BIG SAVINGS!



- No. 1 White ASBESTOS SIDING 10.50
- 3 Panel DOORS, any size.....7.25
- 2 Panel DOORS, any size.....7.50
- 3/8" SHEETROCK, any amount 5.75
- 1x8 No. 105 B and Better SIDING, k.d. 18.50
- No. and Better OAK FLOORING, 25 3/4"x1 1/4".....18.50
- 15 lb. FELT, 432' rolls 3.25
- 210 lb. SHINGLES, No. 1.....4.75
- 1x4 S&S & 2 & 1x4 No. 2 FLOORING, k.d. 9.50
- 1 1/2" FRONT DOORS 18.00
- PLENTY NAILS—any kind.
- 1 1/2" 2"x8" Gum SLAB DOORS 11.00
- 1 1/2" 2"x8" G.m. SLAB DOORS 13.00

Car loads and truck loads shipped anywhere in Texas. Call for prices on millwork and other items.

BLANKENSHIP Lumber Company
Wholesale - Retail
Bldg. T-631
Midland Air Terminal
Telephones:
Odessa 5273 - Midland 3433
P. O. Box 27, Terminal, Texas

'Gratitude Box Car' Arrives In Texas

FORT WORTH —(AP)— A mere "40 and 8" box car is in Texas to express the gratitude of France for Texas' part in the 1947 friendship train.

The diminutive box car was in Dallas Tuesday morning and will be in Austin Wednesday.

Fort Worth officially accepted it Monday on behalf of the people of Texas.

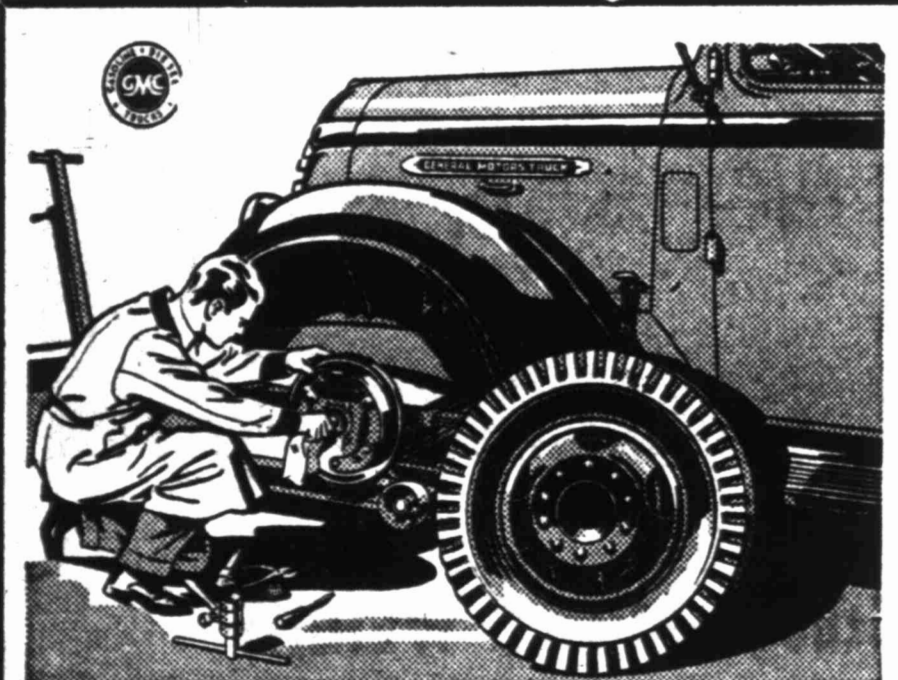
H. J. Job, French consul at Houston, made the official presentation. Hall Logan, Austin, chairman of the State Board of Control, represented Gov. Beauford Jester and accepted the gifts in the car.

William B. Franklin
Public Accountant
announces removal of his offices to
108 South Loraine

Distilled and ELECTRIFIED WATER
Delivered fresh to the home daily!
Phone 2424
MIDLAND BOTTLING CO.
210 South Pecos

FOOT SPECIALIST
DR. A. V. JOHNSON, JR.
306 N Main CHIROPODIST Phone 856

Frank True B. C. Girdley, Jr. Ben Franklin
announce removal of offices of
ALLIED COMMERCIAL SERVICES
and
SECURITY ABSTRACT CO., Inc.
to
108 South Loraine Telephone 236



— SAFETY —
Yes! Your safety and that of every citizen of the community depends on the care you give your car or truck.
HAVE YOUR CAR CHECKED TODAY FOR FRONT END ALIGNMENT BRAKES WHEELS BALANCED
Where the work is the best and prices reasonable—of
Willis Sales Co.
TOM NIPP, Mgr.
PACKARD — JEEP — GMC TRUCKS
Corner Baird and Missouri Phone 2435

Powell Washateria
SOFT WATER
Hot and Cold
Wet Wash • Rough Dry
HOURS:
Mon.-Wed.-Fri. Open 'til 6 p.m.
Open 6 a.m. Daily
Tues.-Thurs. Open 'til 8 p.m.
Close 2 p.m. Saturdays.
505 S. Baird Phone 3793

Phone 2185
DAVIS UPHOLSTERY CO.
Replace that old worn out covering with new SLIP COVERS!
403 East Florida

FIGHTING IN BURMA

RANGOON, BURMA —(AP)— Fighting continued Tuesday in the town of Insein, despite official reports of a retreat of Karen rebels.

SINUS Sufferers

Find out, without cost, the latest method of combating this stubborn condition with the use of drug, surgery or change of climate. Latest scientific development being used by some of the Southwest's leading clinics.

FULLER BRUSHES
(AT APPLETON'S)
BEN APPLETON
Phone 3209 or 2733-R
Midland, Texas

"SEAT COVERS MADE TO YOUR ORDER"
"THE BEST COSTS LESS"

Everything for the Auto Trim: Seat Covers, Upholstery, Plastic, Cotton; Carpet, Mats, Head Lining, Wind Lace, Weather Strip, Art Leather, Sport Tops, Wool, Mohair, Fiber, Commercial Trucks, etc.
MILNER-BROS.

Dr. Velma Scott is pleased to announce the association of Dr. J. Dow Scott, in the
Scott Clinic
1300 WEST WALL
PHONE 305

IF YOU ARE IN DOUBT
as to whether or not Chiropractic gets results, ask our patients what this science has done for them. They have tested its merits and know whether it gets results better than anyone who has not tried it.
CHIROPRACTIC
will stand the most careful investigation. It will cost you nothing to find out whether it is applicable to your case and this investigation may mean health and happiness to you. Delays are dangerous.
CHIROPRACTIC CORRECTS THE CAUSE
We invite your investigation. Complete Spinal X-Ray Analysis . . . Neurocolometer Service . . . Latest Scientific Technique.
Ask Our Patients—It is not true to say "We did everything possible," unless Chiropractic was included!
Bring Your Health Troubles To
BRADY Chiropractic CLINIC
Neurocolometer • X-Ray
407 West Illinois Phone 1256

Would You Like To Return To The Good Old Days OF THE GAY NINETIES,



OR RIDE TO WORK IN A 1909 MODEL? Certainly Not!

We have all read a lot of newspaper ads since the beginning of the century and we know there is a BETTER WAY . . . Not just in transportation, home appliances, clothing, foods, etc. . . but in entertainment, travel, healthier living, and thousands of other ways; real progress has been made in attaining the better way of life, simply by advertising PROGRESS.

Even the system of paved highways we all take for granted, are a direct result of millions of columns of newspaper advertising.

Through advertising you know what is new this year and what is going to be new next year. You know where to buy Nationally known brands of merchandise at LOW ADVERTISED PRICES.

In short, you raise your standard of living without necessarily raising your family income, when you READ THE ADS!



Mr. Businessman — The Most Economical And Effective Way To Tell All The People About Your Merchandise And Service Is In

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

Just Call Him Slim



Frank Shea, contract in hand, lets Manager Casey Stengel feel his streamlined waistline for himself. At 201, the Yankees' freshman ace of 1947 is 25 pounds lighter than last spring, when the excess suet was a cause for grief.

Sooner Gridiron Ace Takes Job At Odessa

ODESSA — (AP) — Paul (Buddy) Burris, Oklahoma's all-America guard, was due here Tuesday to begin employment with the Western Acidizing Company.

Burris will report to Green Bay in late July to play professional football but will return here to his job when the season is over.

Temperature can be estimated by counting the number of times a cricket chirps per minute.

DALLAS

\$17.90

Plus Tax

Save 10% on return flights... buy round trips

PIONEER

Air Lines Phone 2444

Rust NOT WEAR

DESTROYS Farm equipment PROTECT with a Quonset

by **MCRAN**

CALL OR WRITE **THE MCRAN COMPANY**

St. Angelus Hotel, San Angelo, Texas

Telephone: San Angelo 5356

Freeman Shoe Sale Ends Saturday

SELECTED GROUPINGS

- 11.95 NOW 8.95
- 14.95 NOW 11.95
- 15.95 NOW 12.95
- 19.95 NOW 14.95

S and Q Clothiers

114 No. Main Street

Sports

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, FEB. 15, 1948-7

Down SPORTSLANE

—With TANNER LAINE

In the morning mail bag:
P. O. Box 3046
Odessa, Texas
February 14, 1948

"Mr. Tanner, Laine
The Midland Reporter-Telegram
Midland, Texas

"Dear Sir:
In reading your sportslane column of the Sunday Feb. 13, 1948 Reporter-Telegram I noticed a notation that the Bill Hale Independent Basketball Team expected to beat the House of David Team, but surprise the score was so and so. I manage as well as play with the Hale team here in Odessa, and if any of u. really expected to beat the Davids I was unaware of it. I'll tell you what we can do though, and that is beat either an all-star team from your Midland Independent League or beat your two top schools in the same night and play the best team last.

"We can play either in Midland or Odessa this coming Saturday night. We can use the high school gym here that night if Midland teams can get into the high school gym there. Will be glad to hear from you as soon as possible.
"Yours very truly
"H. H. Heap, Jr."

Now, now, we recognize the fact that the Bill Hale Motors outfit is a right potent cage aggregation. It should be good, a Midlander (Leland Huffman) is the leading scorer. We have some doubts as to whether the Motors can beat one of Midland's better teams, to say the least two in the same night.

To you, Triple H, we will try to help get such a double-header arranged.
And oh yes, the House of David's margin of victory over a team which is second in the Midland City League was much less than it was over the esteemed Bill Hale Motors quintet.

So come on, Midland cagers, let's rally and take on the challenging Motors, a team which can be and has been beaten.

Tommy Hart of the Big Spring Herald picks this all-district 3-AA cage team: Messersmith, Blair, Grigsby of Big Spring, Blair of Lamesa, Ingraham of Abilene, and Rowland of San Angelo.

Tommy has this to say about Messersmith: "... is a picture of perfection on the court. He's cool, smooth and a deadly shot. Had the Bulldogs had another like him, they would have been a shoo-in for the flag."

Messersmith thanks you, Tommy. And we thank you. And your selection is just about ours, although not quite. But we wouldn't take a boy you named off the all-star team.

—SL—
Celebrating the completion of 30 years as sports editor of the Paterson (N. J.) Morning Call, January 19, Bill Harvey recalled as his outstanding thrill the feat of Rube Waddell in striking out three batters

Foy Proctor Is Heavy Buyer At Big Spring Sale

BIG SPRING—Foy Proctor, Midland cattleman, was the big buyer at the fifth annual auction of the Howard County Hereford Breeders Association here Monday. He purchased seven of the 25 head of cattle sold. The average sale price was \$290.

The sale champion and top-selling bull, Prince Domino Supreme 13, was included among Proctor's purchases. He paid \$ F. Buchanan of Big Spring \$560 for the animal. His purchases, all bulls, totaled \$2,150.

Other animals bought by the Midland rancher were Domino Mischief, \$445; WHP Don Supreme S 48th, \$200; JF Domino 43rd, \$215; Advance Domino 1st, \$220; Advance Domino 7th, \$195; Supreme Exact 1st, \$315.

Greathouse Signs Pro Gridiron Contract

CHICAGO — (AP) — Fullback Myrtle Greathouse of Oklahoma's Sugar Bowl champions Tuesday was signed by the Chicago Cardinals of the National Football League.

Greathouse, 26, is a native of Amarillo, Texas, the home town of the late Stan Mauldin, Cardinal tackle, who died after a league game last season.

after calling in his outfield. The game was at Ryle Park in Paterson on all-star team.

"The Rube was shutting out Paterson down to the last of the ninth," Harvey described the game. "Then he called in his outfielders to the infield grass and told all seven to 'behind him to sit down and watch me strike out these bums.' Waddell's catcher, Osele Schreck, then sat back on the ground, put up his mitt and caught nine straight strikes. It was a great day."

—SL—
ROUNDUP OF THE STRAYS... Tex Carlston attended the baseball clinic at Odessa Monday... Fifty men are out for track at Sweetwater... Maybe there's a reason, Sweetwater didn't win an event in the district meet last season in track and field... 'Tis rumored Lubbock will switch to the T-formation from the single and double wings in football for next season... Relay events will replace hurdle events at the Big Spring Relays... And for a reason—the hurdles are broken up and it would cost more than \$1,000 to replace them... A. D. Ensey, owner of the Odessa Oilers, says he is cooking up something extra for opening day in the Longhorn League

Arnold Davis, Midland's great little centerfielder in 1947, is going back to Odessa from Muncie, Ind., for next season... Don Peoples, the 275-pound guard of the Sweetwater Mustangs, is headed for SMU... The Lamesa Tornados won all their 1948-49 conference home basketball games, no wonder they won the round-robin leadership... It is the first time in history the Tornados finished at the top in 3-AA league... F. C. Meeks is the new business manager of the Sweetwater Sports... Owner is Cy Faucett, who has a tie-in with Oakland of the Pacific Coast League... Ken Kearns, who once coached here at Junior High, is a star of the Arkansas basketball team this season... He recently aided in a victory over Texas with 13 points... Arkansas beat Texas that night without the services of their first-string center... Twenty-four coaches of West Texas and New Mexico attended the baseball clinic at El Paso... Matty Bell of SMU has a new five-year contract and he has two years yet to go on his present contract... Lamesa of the West Texas-New Mexico League will train at Ballinger this time... Briscoe's Carolina Doughgirl won for the second consecutive year the quail championship of the National Field Trials held at the King Ranch

The pointer bitch, owned by Powell Briscoe of Oklahoma City, took the 1948 title at Camp Campbell, Ky... Glenn Dobbs, Jr., added another title to his total offense crown when he set a new record in winning the All-America Football Conference punting championship in 1948, official figures showed... Looks like an all-West Texas backfield for Texas University because running first-string in Spring drills are: Byron Townsend of Odessa, Billy Eyle of Wichita Falls, Randall Gray of Pampa and Paul Campbell of Breckenridge... The three-day world figure skating championships open in Paris Wednesday with 53 ice-cutters from 11 nations competing... The new stadium for Baylor will be located at 29th and Dutton Streets near Highway 6, previously the stadium was located at the Cotton Palace grounds... 30 for strays, munchin' jerked beef.

For Expert **INCOME TAX and BOOKKEEPING SERVICE**

Phone 3718-W or 1795-R

BOOTS \$40.00 up

- Best Materials
- Workmanship
- Guarantee To Fit
- Fancy Boots, Any Design
- Resoling
- Neatly Done

Ramirez BROS.

Boot Shop

407 North Mineola

THURSDAY LAST DAY For Free Pick-Up of TREE LIMBS

Limbs should be cut into 10-foot lengths and piled on curbing in front for free pick-up.

City of Midland

Visiting Schools Will Conduct Cage Game Here Tuesday

Midland school officials pointed out that Lamesa and Big Spring schools were in charge of ticket sales and all arrangements for a District 3-AA basketball playoff game to be played in the MHS gym Tuesday night.

The game is scheduled at 8 p. m. Midland was chosen as a neutral site for the contest at a recent meeting of a 3-AA cage representatives at Big Spring.

Lamesa and Big Spring with San Angelo and Abilene emerged in the first four ranks after the conference double round-robin. San Angelo and Abilene meet at San Angelo, also Tuesday night.

The winners meet Friday night at Sweetwater to play for the District 3-AA basketball championship.

Hardin College Names New Basketball Coach

WICHITA FALLS — (AP) — Paul Brotherton is the new head basketball and assistant football coach at Hardin College.

Dr. James S. Boren, president, announced Brotherton's appointment Monday to succeed Fermin D. Rutledge, present athletic director, basketball and assistant grid mentor.

Michigan Withdraws Ban On Colored Oleo

LANSING, MICH.—(AP) — After a ban of 48 years, the sale of colored oleomargarine is going to be legal again in Michigan.

The validation will be the first initiated act from the people in Michigan's 112 years of statehood.

By a 21-7 vote the State Senate Monday night approved repeal of the old law, acting on an initiative petition whose sponsors claimed 190,000 signers.

The validation becomes effective 90 day days after the current Legislature adjourns.

For many years, colored oleo's sale has been a political hot potato in Michigan. Dairy interests have fought for retention of the 1901 restrictive law.

The Michigan House earlier approved repeal. Legal experts say the signature of Gov. G. Mennen Williams is not required on an initiative act.

Smart Pitcher



Dr. John E. Pomfret, president of the college, congratulates Vic Raschi of the New York Yankees, receiving Bachelor of Science degree from William... Marv

Caution On Commitments Under Atlantic Pact Reflects Old Basic American Policy

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

AP Foreign Affairs Analyst

The U. S. Senate, as was generally anticipated, is putting the proposed North Atlantic Security Alliance under the microscope.

The criminal examination thus far has produced statements indicating the Senate isn't likely to approve any treaty binding America automatically to go to war under all circumstances.

This projected alliance is a development of the cold war. It has as its object the creation of a barrier which would provide insurance against attack.

The pact has been under discussion by the United States, Canada, Britain, France, Belgium, The Netherlands and Luxembourg. The three Scandinavian countries—Norway, Sweden and Denmark—also have been invited to consider participation in what they regard as a highly delicate proposition.

During Monday's debate Senator Vandenberg, former chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, was asked if he favored a moral commitment on the part of the United States to fight. He replied:

"Not without its own independent decision."

Senator Connally, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, followed this with the declaration that he wouldn't favor in the pact any language which could be regarded as a "moral commitment."

In other words, these two top-ranking foreign policy leaders in the Senate do not approve of signing any alliance which would commit the country prior to the emergency. However, Vandenberg told the Senate the proposed alliance offers "infinite assurance" against a third world war.

The statements by the two senators reflect a policy pursued by the American government since its inception. This has been to avoid foreign pacts which would commit the country to war in advance of the event.

Many observers express the belief that it wouldn't be necessary to commit the United States in advance in order to make the alliance a great deterrent to aggression. Senator Vandenberg summed this idea up when he said that even if the new agreement expresses only "the community of interest" between America and European nations, it will be a tremendous deterrent to any aggressor.

British Astronomer To Visit McDonald Observatory In Texas

AUSTIN — (AP) — Sir Harold Spencer Jones, one of the world's leading authorities in the study of possibilities of life on other planets, will visit McDonald Observatory at Fort Davis February 17-19.

Observatory Director Gerard P. Kuiper said Tuesday the British astronomer wanted to examine McDonald's 82-inch telescope, the third largest in the world.

Kuiper said Jones was preparing specifications for the 100-inch Newtonian telescope to be installed in the relocated Greenwich Observatory in South England.

Strikers Cut Off Mexico's Telephones

MEXICO CITY — (AP) — Half of Mexico's telephone system went dead at midnight Monday as workers pulled power switches and went home.

The Telephone Workers Union is demanding that Telefonos de Mexico pay at least as much as the rival Mexican Telephone Company.

The Communications Department announced it will take "immediate steps" to restore telephone service.

WE HAVE MOVED TO 112 West Wall St.

KEY & WILSON INSURANCE AGENCY

Phone 486

Folger's Coffee—Mountain Grown

Has a Wonderful Flavor All Its Own!

COFFEE IN BED—One of life's luxuries and a true test of coffee. Be good to someone you love—HIM or HER—Come bouncing into the bedroom early of a winter morning with freshly made Folger's Coffee—serve it straight black—watch the Folger Flavor warm the cockles of the heart.

THE VIGOROUS FOLGER FLAVOR IS A MAN TAMER!—You'll probably be surprised to discover how many women count upon Folger's to please their menfolk... Count upon the wonderful goodness of the Folger Flavor to put HIM in a mood—or send him off to work with a song in his heart.

A FLAVOR SO LOVED—SO DIFFERENT AND DISTINCTIVE

It is the largest selling brand in the great-over-all-area where it is sold!

In the faraway mountains of the Tropical Americas—the magic of year 'round sunshine—abundant rainfall—and a remarkable volcanic-ash soil combine to produce coffee with an amazing intensity of flavor.

For ninety-nine years Folger has pioneered the blending and roasting of these special kinds of coffees. The result is a wonderful flavor all its own... distinguished by its keen, winey tang... its rich... vigorous goodness. No other coffee flavor is quite like it! Next time you buy coffee be sure you ask for Folger's... Discover how much more enjoyment there can be in a cup of coffee.

FLAVOR SO EXTRA RICH YOU ARE URGED TO TRY USING 1/4 LESS THAN WITH LESSER FLAVORED BRANDS!

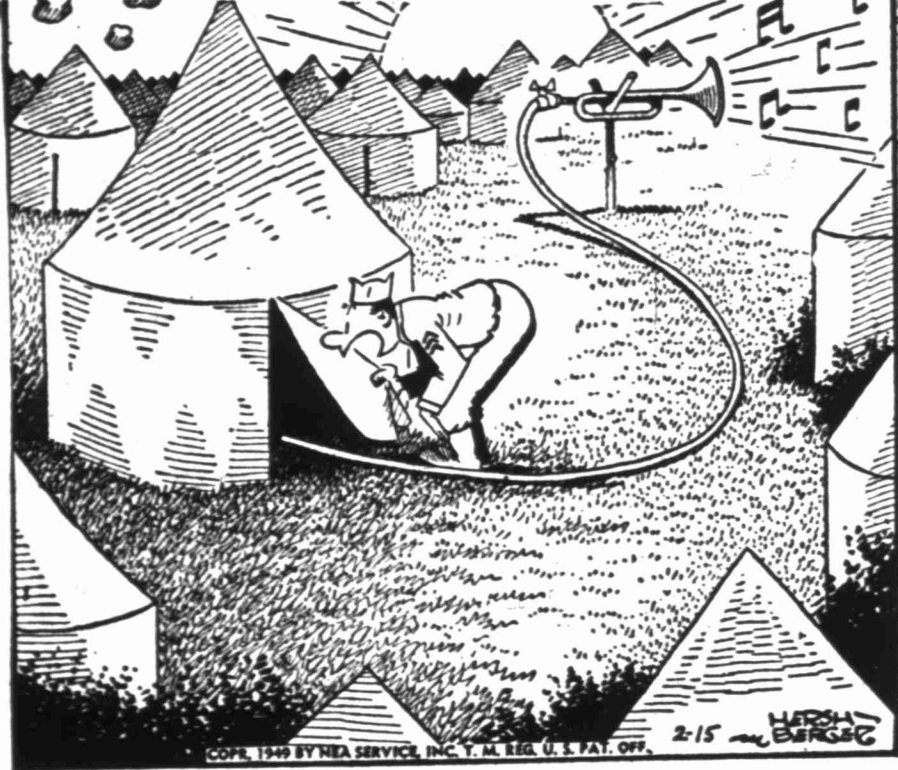
FOLGER'S COFFEE

THERE'S A MOUNTAIN OF FLAVOR IN EVERY SPOONFUL



"Loafer sox? Yes indeed! About how big a loafer did you have in mind?"

FUNNY BUSINESS



"I just wanted to tell you the colonel frowns on this sort of thing!"

Daddy Ringtail

Daddy Ringtail And The Airplane

How would you like to be a monkey and play on top of your house? What if you were playing there in a little airplane? What if the airplane were only "play-like" and what if it wouldn't really fly? Yes, and while you were playing in it, off it rolled from the roof, and down it fell to the ground with a loud noise of a rumble bump. You wouldn't like it at all, of course, but then you wouldn't be playing on your housetop like that, because you're not really a monkey, are you? Sammy Ringtail and Bobby too are monkey boys, and so it was quite all right for them to climb and play on top of their house. Daddy Ringtail thought that they wouldn't get into trouble.

around real fast," said Sammy. "Yes," said Bobby, "and the propeller too!" And the little boys "played like" and "played like," until the toy airplane seemed like a real airplane. "This airplane really flies!" Bobby said, play like.

"Yes," said Sammy, play like too. Then Bobby began to smile, because he had thought of something that would be such fun. "Sammy," he said, "why don't you roll off the roof of the monkey house? And fly down to the ground!"



Sammy looked over the edge of the monkey house—way down toward the ground. It was a long way down. Then he looked at the airplane. It seemed so very real. Maybe it would fly and maybe it wouldn't. Sammy didn't think it would.

"Maybe I'd better not try to fly it," Sammy said. "It will be more fun to play like I'm flying—and then I won't fall."

And that's what he did: he "played like." It's a lot of fun to "play like." Sometimes even grown-up people do it, and it can keep you out of trouble. But a happy day to you at your house and remember to look for tomorrow's adventure with Daddy Ringtail and the Red Bicycle. It happens on a visit to Grandmother Ringtail's house.

(Copyright 1949, General Features Corp.)



IT'S A FACT WASHINGTON WAS NOT BORN ON FEBRUARY 22

AND WE CAN PROVE IT. (PROOF NEXT SUNDAY) PROOF OF LAST WEEK'S AD: THE HEART IS NOT LOCATED ON THE LEFT SIDE. It is in the cavity of the thorax between the lungs, and is about as near the center of the body as its shape will permit. If a vertical plane were run through the center of the breast-bone half if not more of the heart would fall on the right side. 1. "Uncommon Knowledge"—Geo. W. Stimpson.

Exercise good judgment—insure all your possessions, your home, your business, yourself. It will enable you to rest secure in the knowledge that you will not be asked to face heavy financial drains!

MIMS & STEPHENS COMPLETE INSURANCE SERVICE 205 W. WALL ST. MIDLAND, TEXAS. PHONE 24

Cattle Vaccination Is Nearly Completed

WASHINGTON—(AP)—All of the 12,000,000 head of cloven-footed livestock in the quarantined areas in Mexico will have been vaccinated within the next four months if the program continues at the present speed, Congress was told Monday.

H. H. Johnson, American co-director of the international commission doing the work, praised Mexican officials cooperating in the drive to control foot and mouth disease.

COLOR HARMONY There is no clashing of colors in Nature. No matter how many varieties of brilliant blossoms grow side by side, they always harmonize.

Miss Flora Says: Miles May Separate You From Loved Ones But You Can Remember Them With Regular Gifts Of Flowers. SAY IT WITH FLOWERS Midland Floral Co. 1705 W. WALL Phone 1286 MIDLAND'S Leading FLORISTS

OUT OUR WAY

—By J. R. WILLIAMS



THE LASTING LASTS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with MAJOR HOOPLE



THE DIAGNOSIS SOUNDS CORRECT

VIC FLINT

—By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE



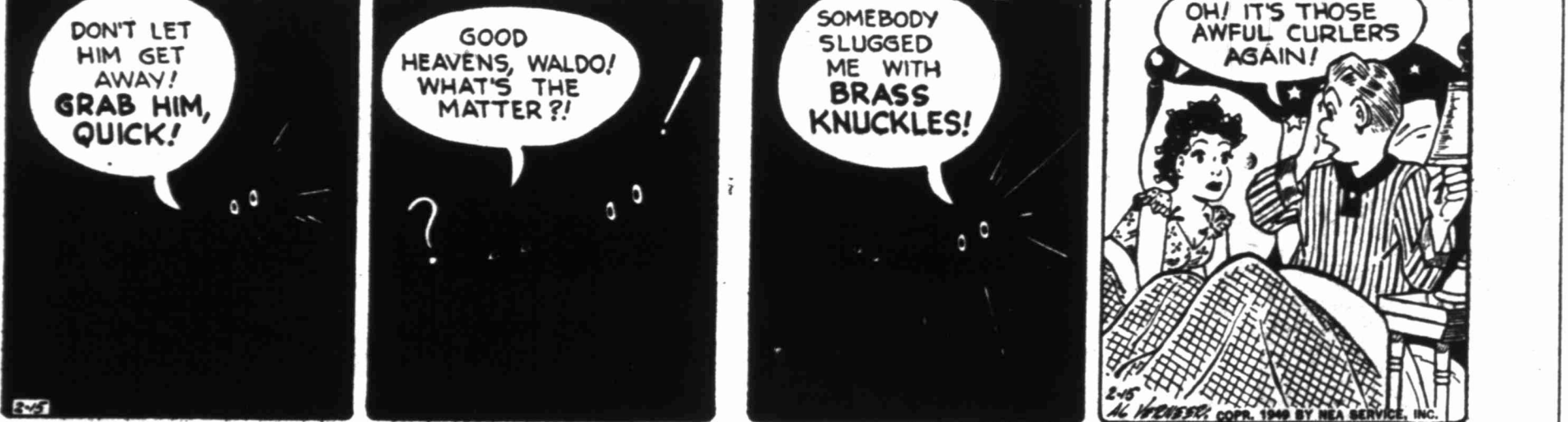
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

—By MERRILL BLOSSER



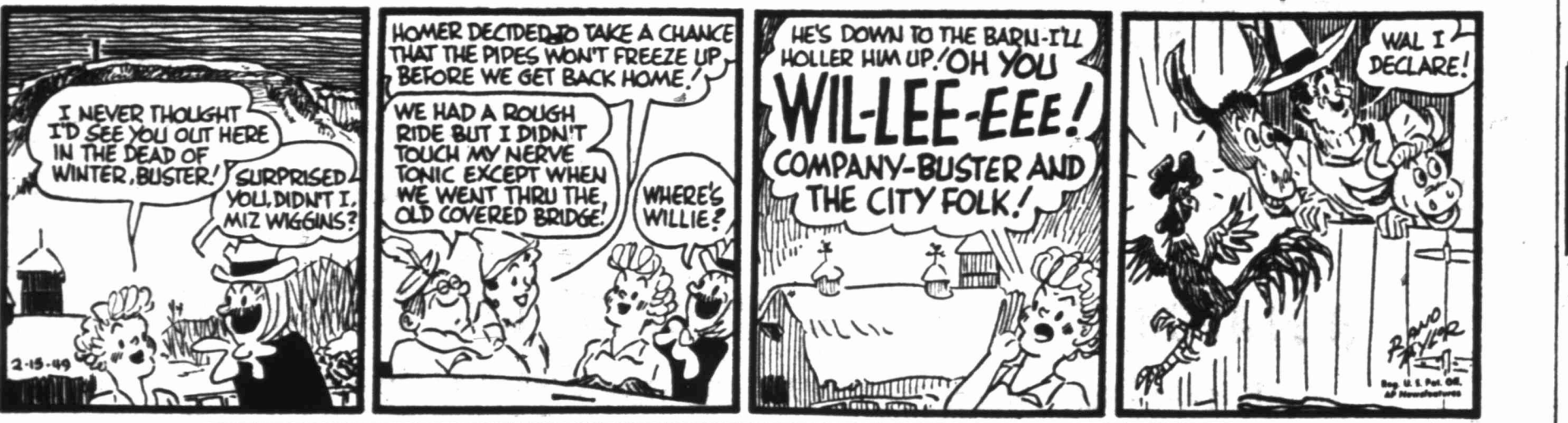
PRISCILLA'S POP

—By AL VEEMER



HOMER HOOPEE

—By RAND TAYLOR



DICKIE DARE

—By FRAN MATERA



BUGS BUNNY

—By FRAN MATERA



WASH TUBS

—By LESLIE TURNER



RED RYDER

—By FRED HARMAN



BUY BALDRIDGE'S Sally Ann Bread CHARLES AIKEN and ELVIS HUGHES, DISTRIBUTORS—PHONE 2219-J

ALLEY OOP

—By V. T. HAMLIN



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

—By EDGAR MARTIN



MISS YOUR REPORTER-TELEGRAM? IF SO, PHONE 3000 BEFORE 6:30 p.m. Weekdays and 10:30 a.m. Sundays... AND A COPY WILL BE SENT TO YOU BY SPECIAL CARRIER!

★ AFTER JUST ONE LITTLE AD IN THE CLASSIFIED SECTION, YOU'LL BE SAYING "AM I GLAD" PHONE 3000 ★

★ RATES AND INFORMATION
30 a word a day.
7 for a word three days.
10 for a word one week.
15 for a word two weeks.
20 for a word one month.
30 for a word three months.
45 for a word six months.
60 for a word one year.

PERSONAL
YES—WE DO
SINGER SEWING MACHINE CO.
113 S. Main Phone 1488

LOST AND FOUND
LOST: Red leather billfold, with initial C. O. on the back, containing money, drivers license, social security. Has brass lock on zipper. 108 S. Dallas. Reward offered.

HELP WANTED, FEMALE
TELEPHONE OPERATORS WANTED
Girls 16 and over who want to learn work that is "different" and unusually interesting...

BEDROOMS
GARAGE bedroom newly decorated. 106 W. Storey.
FOR RENT: front bedroom in private home, adjoining bath. Phone 2036-J.

MUSICAL AND RADIO
BARGAIN: "B" flat clarinet and case. Excellent condition. Very good for beginners. Phone 220, 1506 S. Colorado.

BUILDING MATERIALS
Specials
2x4 and 2x6 S&P No. 2 PF. 80c per ft.
2x4 No. 2 & 2x6 No. 2 PF. 10c per ft.

FINANCIAL
MONEY TO LOAN
AUTO LOANS
Best place to buy, see or trade cars.
Quick, confidential, courteous service.

— Who's Who For Service —
CONSULT YOUR CLASSIFIED BUSINESS SERVICE DIRECTORY.

ABSTRACTS
WEST TEXAS ABSTRACT CO.
Complete Abstract Service and Title Insurance
MRS. SUSIE NOBLE, Mgr.
201 Leggett Bldg. Phone 3205

MATRESS RENOVATING
Mattress Renovating and Sterilizing
We have mattresses of all types and sizes box springs to match Hollywood beds all sizes. Rollaway beds and mattresses. We will convert your old mattress into a nice fluffy innerspring.

USED FURNITURE
Western Furniture Co.
We buy Used Furniture of all kinds
300 S. MAIN PHONE 1402

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY
WANTED: Experienced silk presser. Apply in person, Fashion Cleaners No. 2, 310 S. Main.

FOR RENT:
1 bedroom, furnished home, stucco, 2 miles from center of town. City, gas, lights and telephone available now.
C. W. NELSON
M.M.S. STEPHENS

ATTENTION GARDNERS
Now In Stock
Armours 4124 Fertilizer
New Special Rose Food
In convenient 5 lb. bags

LOWER PRICES BETTER QUALITY!
PORTLAND CEMENT, 90c per sack
WOOD PLASTER LATH, 25c per bundle
COLD GALV. SHEET PILING, 1.00 per ft.

NOTICE
Seat covers convertible tops.
All made to specification.
We have good line of Plastic, Strag, etc. and cloth materials with any color leather trim.

SECURITY ABSTRACT CO., INC.
All Abstracts quickly and properly prepared.
Operated by Allied Commercial Services
808 S. Loraine Phone 236

RADIO LAB
A NAME TO KNOW IN RADIO
People who know bring their radio troubles to us because they are assured of fast dependable service by men who know radio.

Vacuum Cleaners
9 Models To Choose From
Eureka Automatic Upright
It Walks As It Cleans

OFFICE SPACE FOR RENT NOW
New modern O'Michael Office Building. Centrally located and air-conditioned.
J. W. Stone
General Contractor and Repair

OFFICE BUILDING
FOR RENT, LEASE OR SALE
New and Modern
G. E. NIX
Phone 2932-W

GOOD THINGS TO EAT
UNCLE BOB FOR HOT TAMALES.
OFFICE SUPPLIES
FOR SALE—Warbler Duplicator. New Bargain. Phone 3474-W. South Side Church of Christ.

ROCKWELL BROS. & CO.
112 WEST TEXAS PHONE 48
LOWER PRICES BETTER QUALITY!
WOOD PLASTER LATH, 25c per bundle

Tom's Auto Upholstery
Rear 208 N. Marientield
T. M. Watley, Owner Phone 752

CABINET SHOP
For Expert Cabinet and Mill Work. We Do General Contracting. ALL WORK GUARANTEED.
DAVIS AND REVEN
1511 N. Main, Rear Phone 2280

SAFETY SERVICE DEPARTMENT WHEN YOUR RADIO NEEDS REPAIRING
We Specialize in Auto and Home Radios. All Work Guaranteed. PROMPT PICKUP & DELIVERY.

G. E.'s Premier
With Throw-away Sanitary Bag
Kirby Upright
No Bag To Empty Has Attachments And Power Polisher

100% GI Loans And F.H.A. Houses
Phone 3740
J. W. Stone, Owner
Office 1201 S. Main

FOR RENT desirable office in Crawford Hotel Bldg. Contact Cal Boy.
NICE office, corner of Texas and North A. back of A&L Lumber Co. Phone 2335-W.

BABY CHICKS
Bred to live and lay
WILLIAMS FEED & SUPPLY
E. H. Way 80 — Phone 2011

Chambers, Inc.
Cotrado and Front Telephone 387
Cash & Free Delivery
Sheeting as low as 7 1/2c B. Ft.

IF SEEING IS BELIEVING—
You'll Be Leaving in One of Our Bargains
1947 STUDEBAKER PICKUP
Four speeds, radio, radio and heater, mud-grip tires in the rear. A-1 condition throughout. Low mileage.

CONCRETE CONTRACTOR
Floors, Driveways, Sidewalks, Foundations. — Call us for free estimates.
LEATON BROS.
Phone 2319 607 S. Big Springs

Communication Specialty Equipment Company
401 1/2 Marientield Phone 3796
Bud Lindsey Herb Saladin
REFRIGERATION SERVICE

VACUUM CLEANERS
EUREKA Tank Cleaners
EUREKA Upright Cleaner \$39.50
G. E. and Premier Tank Cleaners \$39.50

FLOOR SERVICE CO.
Tommy Flournoy
1010 South Colorado Phone 3465
PAINTING and PAPERING
Interior and Exterior Decorating. Textone and Glazing. Quality Workmanship. Free Estimates. Cheerfully Given. ALL Work Guaranteed.

FREE RUG PAD WITH WOOL RUGS THIS WEEK ONLY!
Greene Furniture Co.
115 East Wall Phone 986

72 Hours Only!
First \$1,000 buys two-story barn, size 32x26. Ideal to convert into a beautiful home. Has 616 sq. ft. of floor space.

TRADE WITH US AND SAVE
Yellow Pine Lumber Co
1203 East Highway 80
Phone 1590

1947 PLYMOUTH COUPE
Engine completely rebuilt, new battery, good tires, a remarkable value in this one.

TOP SOIL
Best in Midland Limited to Amount To Inspect Before Buying
Phone 65
FRED BURLERSON & SON
200 South Terrell Phone 1246-W

Dependable Refrigerator Service
Genuine Parts
BEAUCHAMP'S
210 N. Main Phone 1573

SIDES VACUUM CLEANER COMPANY
Phone 4393
P. O. Box 923 Midland

NOLEN'S CABINET SHOP
Saw Filing, Cabinet Work, Windows, Door Frames and Screens
310 S. Dallas Phone 269

FREE RUG PAD WITH WOOL RUGS THIS WEEK ONLY!
Greene Furniture Co.
115 East Wall Phone 986

LAWRENCE R. LOGSDON
BUYER OF NEW AND USED MATERIALS, ETC.
Rankin Road Phone 1531-W

LUMBER
Priced Right
NO CHARGE FOR DELIVERY
Heath-Wymond Lumber Company
Open All Day Saturday East Highway 80 Phone 3913

OUR ADS AIN'T SO FANCY BUT
Our Used Cars WILL SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES
COMPARE PRICES
Then See Us Before You Buy

SLIP COVERING
Experienced Seamstresses
MRS. W. B. FRANKLIN
1819 W. Wall Tel. 401

SEWING MACHINES
RENTED AND REPAIRED
Modern Sewing Machines Buy and Sell
WE REPAIR
All Makes of SEWING MACHINES

Singer Vacuum Cleaners
now available. Singer Sewing Machine Co. 115 S. Main, Phone 1488.

GENERAL MILL WORK
all types specialize in window and doors interior decorations.
COPELAND'S CABINET SHOP
922 N. Loraine Phone 3332

WANTED
Feed Sacks we pay top prices.
WILLIAMS FEED & SUPPLY
E. H. Way 80 — Phone 2011

GOOD DEPENDABLE SHOE REPAIRING
JONES BOOT & SHOE SHOP
112 W. Missouri Phone 2913

F. W. STONEHOCKER
REAR 407 N. BAIRD PHONE 528

1942 Dodge 4-Door
1942 Ford Station Wagon
1946 Chev.
1938 Cadillac 1 Door
1940 Chevrolet 1-Door Truck
1947 Ford 3-Door
1946 Chev. 1-Door
1947 Chev. Convertible
1946 Buick Sedan
1946 Chev. 1-Door Coupe
1946 Pontiac 4-Door
1947 Chevrolet 2-Door
1941 Chevrolet 1-Door
1941 Chevrolet Convertible
1940 Buick Sedan Convertible

SLIP COVERING
Experienced Seamstresses
MRS. W. B. FRANKLIN
1819 W. Wall Tel. 401

SEWING MACHINES
RENTED AND REPAIRED
Modern Sewing Machines Buy and Sell
WE REPAIR
All Makes of SEWING MACHINES

HOOPER CLEANERS
Uprights and Fan Type HOOPER
Authorized Sales-Service
RAY STANDLEY
Home Phone 3788-W-1 Midland How Co. Phone 2900

RENTALS
LARGE sleeping room for rent. One or two working men. T-106—Air Terminal. Apartment 11.
NICE front bedroom, private entrance. Connecting bath. To nice working lady. 407 N. Colo.

WANTED
Feed Sacks we pay top prices.
WILLIAMS FEED & SUPPLY
E. H. Way 80 — Phone 2011

GOOD DEPENDABLE SHOE REPAIRING
JONES BOOT & SHOE SHOP
112 W. Missouri Phone 2913

F. W. STONEHOCKER
REAR 407 N. BAIRD PHONE 528

1942 Dodge 4-Door
1942 Ford Station Wagon
1946 Chev.
1938 Cadillac 1 Door
1940 Chevrolet 1-Door Truck
1947 Ford 3-Door
1946 Chev. 1-Door
1947 Chev. Convertible
1946 Buick Sedan
1946 Chev. 1-Door Coupe
1946 Pontiac 4-Door
1947 Chevrolet 2-Door
1941 Chevrolet 1-Door
1941 Chevrolet Convertible
1940 Buick Sedan Convertible

SLIP COVERING
Experienced Seamstresses
MRS. W. B. FRANKLIN
1819 W. Wall Tel. 401

SEWING MACHINES
RENTED AND REPAIRED
Modern Sewing Machines Buy and Sell
WE REPAIR
All Makes of SEWING MACHINES

HOOPER CLEANERS
Uprights and Fan Type HOOPER
Authorized Sales-Service
RAY STANDLEY
Home Phone 3788-W-1 Midland How Co. Phone 2900

RENTALS
LARGE sleeping room for rent. One or two working men. T-106—Air Terminal. Apartment 11.
NICE front bedroom, private entrance. Connecting bath. To nice working lady. 407 N. Colo.

WANTED
Feed Sacks we pay top prices.
WILLIAMS FEED & SUPPLY
E. H. Way 80 — Phone 2011

GOOD DEPENDABLE SHOE REPAIRING
JONES BOOT & SHOE SHOP
112 W. Missouri Phone 2913

F. W. STONEHOCKER
REAR 407 N. BAIRD PHONE 528

1942 Dodge 4-Door
1942 Ford Station Wagon
1946 Chev.
1938 Cadillac 1 Door
1940 Chevrolet 1-Door Truck
1947 Ford 3-Door
1946 Chev. 1-Door
1947 Chev. Convertible
1946 Buick Sedan
1946 Chev. 1-Door Coupe
1946 Pontiac 4-Door
1947 Chevrolet 2-Door
1941 Chevrolet 1-Door
1941 Chevrolet Convertible
1940 Buick Sedan Convertible

HOMES AND HOMESITES TO SUIT YOUR PURSE AND PLEASURE ARE LISTED IN TODAY'S CLASSIFIED ADS

Table with columns: CLASSIFIED DISPLAY, AUTOS FOR SALE, HOUSES FOR SALE. Includes KCRS radio schedule and program listings.

The Best Buys Of The Week
1945 Dodge Truck \$300.00
1942 Chevrolet 2-Ton \$1,100.00
1939 Lincoln 4 door \$900.00

FORD 1/3 Down
Extra Easy Terms
6-12-15-18 Months To Pay
We will pay off the balance on your old car.

SACRIFICE
1942 Dodge Sedan
For Sale: Clean 1942 Dodge Sedan. 4 door. First \$890.00. CALL 3537

LARRY BURNSIDE, Realtor
Brick-Grafland. 3-bedrooms, den, attached garage, fenced back yard, fireplace, immediate possession.

BUY IN FEBRUARY BE SETTLED BY SPRING
5-room brick veneer home. On North Big Spring St. Corner lot, double garage, and fenced-in back yard, \$12,500.00.

If You're a Gamblin' Man Or Woman
I'll match my time and gas-line against your time, and show you some good bets. If you really need a home, then read this—you're liable to find just the home you want.

Three-bedroom brick veneer dwelling located on 100140 corner lot in Park Hill. This house is just being trimmed out inside. Very nice study, a bath and a half.

IF you lose something or find something, call 3000 for a Reporter-Telegram Classified Ad.

See Our Stock of Good Used Cars and Trucks Before You Buy
WILLIS SALES CO.
You Dealer for GMC Trucks-Packard-Jeep Tom Nipp, Mgr.

Murray-Young Motors, Ltd.
Authorized FORD Dealer
223 E. Wall Phone 64

Always A Good Deal Plus A Good Deal More
47 Ford 2-door
46 Ford 2-door
46 Ford 4-door, radio and heater

ONLY \$750 DOWN
For a new 2-1/2 bedroom home! Conveniently located, expertly planned for a maximum of comfort at a minimum price—and

It's For Sale
On Outhbert Street near the Country Club this 2-bedroom home has beautiful trees, barbecue pit, and many other features to make it the ideal home. Call for appointment.

Let Us Show You These Homes Before You Buy
Harston-Howell Agency
Realtor
415 W. Texas Phone 2704

T. E. NEELY
INSURANCE LOANS
Phone 1850 Crawford Hotel

WEATHERSTRIP and SASH BALANCES
EXPERT INSTALLATION
F. S. WEST
Box 1572 Phone 1539-J

Richardson Motors
106 S. Big Spring, Phones 2454 or 2458

MICKEY TIRE CO.
105 N. Baird Phone 689

REAL ESTATE
HOUSES FOR SALE 75

Midland Land & Development Co.
Office at Chambers, Inc.
400 S. Colorado-Midland, Texas
Day Phone 367 Night Phone 1895-W

WES-TEX REALTY & INSURANCE CO.
REALTOR
508 W. Texas Phone 158

BE CAREFUL!
DON'T FALL IN THAT DITCH!
We are sorry that you have to be inconvenienced by our work of installing utility lines in Loma Linda, but you may see the new 2-bedroom FHA houses if you don't mind walking around our construction work. See these houses today! Representatives on the tract to help you.
Telephones 3924 or 236

PLUMBING
Contracting & Repairing
Time Payment On New Plumbing if Desired
HEATH & TEMPLETON PLUMBING CO.
119 N. Weatherford Ph 2532

HOMES
Ted Thompson & Co.
McClintic Bldg.
Phone 823
\$14,000 to \$20,000
3-Bedroom brick, 100 ft. corner lot, double garage, servant room, a real home.

EXTRA SPECIAL
1949 Ford 2-door. Radio and heater. \$1990.00
Conner Investment Co.
OLDSDOBLE convertible, late 1947, for sale by original owner, 18,000 miles. Complete with all extras. Phone 2926-J, 807 W. Michigan.

1947 BUICK Super Convertible
For Sale by Owner
CALL 612-W
1940 Plymouth Station Wagon
with new roof, 1946 Dodge engine, heater, and 6 good tires, 1 brand new, \$700. Call 2880 or 1827-M. Cole.

BRICK VENEER
A Ranch Style two-bedroom home, unusually well finished and arranged, textured finish throughout, slab doors, hardwood floors, forced warm air heating. Immediate occupancy. \$2810.00 cash, balance monthly.

Homes! Homes!
3-Bedroom brick veneer in Northwest section of Midland. Excellent location. Excellent price—\$17,250.
2 New FHA frame homes close in, and convenient to bus route. Two bedrooms.

FHA HOMES
They're New
They're Different
\$1,000.00 DOWN
Small Monthly Payments
NO EXTRA COST
Paved streets, all utilities paid. Two bedrooms, hardwood floors. Lovely built-in. Choose your lot and your plan. In a very short time you can be in YOUR VERY OWN HOME. ACT NOW Drive North on Big Spring Street to end of 2000-block, turn East (right) three blocks to the field office. Representative at your service—daily. Open Sundays. Phone 3924 or 236. Every one is talking about Midland's new LOMA LINDA ADDITION.

TOURIST COURT
Could You Use This Big Yearly Income of \$47,600
Only had health forces the owner to retire at once. Let us show you the books, on this Big Income Property, Always Full, on U. S. 80 Highway.

South Park ADDITION
The Place To Build Your Home—Good, Deep Soil, Large Lots, Good Wide Streets—We Have 540 HOMESITES 540
Restricted, Well Located, Close to Schools, Churches and Good Shopping Center, You Can Drive to South Park Addition in Just Three Minutes from Wall Street.

\$6,000 to \$10,000
2-bedroom FHA frame, furnished or unfurnished, close in, 100 per cent to G.I.
4-bedroom, 2 bath, extra large, to be moved. A special today. Extra large bedrooms, well located, carpets on floors.
3-Bedroom, extra large stucco, partly furnished, well located for the price.
2-Bedroom, FHA frame, across street from school.

BUSINESS
We have a business site on U. S. 80 Highway in Midland, 200x300 Ft., with nice Office and Store Room.
Tourist court
This property is just right for a Good Court Site or any other Good Highway Business.
Col. McCall
Exclusive Broker
Tel. 3919 112 W. Wall

CLIFF HOGUE
REALTOR
FHA Home Loans
118 1/2 S. Main Phone 24

CLIFF HOGUE
REALTOR
FHA Home Loans
118 1/2 S. Main Phone 24

Steve Laminack
Phone 2623
HOMES
Large two-bedroom frame home, extra nice, on large lot in North Park Hill. This place has hardwood floors, venetian blinds, floor furnace, large tile kitchen cabinet, and abundant closet space. Priced to sell, shown by appointment only.
Almost new two-bedroom frame in West Midland. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

BARNEY G. GRAFA
Realtor
Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg.
20 Ft. by 40 Ft. Floored Army Buildings
(only 38 units available)
\$225.00 delivered to your lot in Midland area. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

BARNEY G. GRAFA
Realtor
Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg.
20 Ft. by 40 Ft. Floored Army Buildings
(only 38 units available)
\$225.00 delivered to your lot in Midland area. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

OUR SALE TAKES PLACE ON THE PROPERTY. Each and Every Lot Will Be Sold to the Highest Bidder. You Can Make Yourself Money If You Buy Some of These Homesites. This Is Not A Guess, Just Look Back at Our Past Record. We Have Sold Hundreds of Lots in Midland, Not One Buyer Has Failed to Make Money on Any of Our Sales.

FHA-GI-HOME LOANS
LOANS MADE TO BUILD, BUY OR IMPROVE
KEY INVESTMENT CO.
112 W. Wall Phone 466

Complete Insurance Service
MIDLAND INSURANCE AGENCY
LAURA JESSE, Realtor
127 Tower Bldg. Phone 114

CLIFF HOGUE
REALTOR
FHA Home Loans
118 1/2 S. Main Phone 24

CLIFF HOGUE
REALTOR
FHA Home Loans
118 1/2 S. Main Phone 24

Steve Laminack
Phone 2623
HOMES
Large two-bedroom frame home, extra nice, on large lot in North Park Hill. This place has hardwood floors, venetian blinds, floor furnace, large tile kitchen cabinet, and abundant closet space. Priced to sell, shown by appointment only.
Almost new two-bedroom frame in West Midland. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

Steve Laminack
Phone 2623
HOMES
Large two-bedroom frame home, extra nice, on large lot in North Park Hill. This place has hardwood floors, venetian blinds, floor furnace, large tile kitchen cabinet, and abundant closet space. Priced to sell, shown by appointment only.
Almost new two-bedroom frame in West Midland. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

Steve Laminack
Phone 2623
HOMES
Large two-bedroom frame home, extra nice, on large lot in North Park Hill. This place has hardwood floors, venetian blinds, floor furnace, large tile kitchen cabinet, and abundant closet space. Priced to sell, shown by appointment only.
Almost new two-bedroom frame in West Midland. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

Steve Laminack
Phone 2623
HOMES
Large two-bedroom frame home, extra nice, on large lot in North Park Hill. This place has hardwood floors, venetian blinds, floor furnace, large tile kitchen cabinet, and abundant closet space. Priced to sell, shown by appointment only.
Almost new two-bedroom frame in West Midland. Model building can be seen from 8 a. m. til 7 p. m., including Sundays. Located on Route 80 West Odessa. (across from Price Mfg. Co.) Act now and save !!!

SEE OUR PAUL BUNYON HOMES
Only \$3,500.00 Cash
Living room, bedroom, dining-kitchen. Large lot. 2 or more bedrooms figured on request.
LET US PLAN YOUR HOME OR BUILD ON YOUR LOT.
Midland Development Co.
Phone 2916 or 465-M.

FREE
IT COSTS YOU NOTHING
Bring your truck or trailer—Have All You Want.
NO CHARGE — IT'S FREE
SOUTH PARK ADDITION
SOUTH BAIRD STREET
See Col. McCall—Phone 3919

ADDING MACHINES
SERVICED REPAIRED
NEW USED
BOB PINE
605 W. Missouri Phone 935

Home Loans
Let us arrange your Home Loans—F.H.A., G.I., or any type loan you need regardless of size, above \$3000. We assure prompt service on closing.
Ted Thompson & Co. 823
Phone

Friday Night Amateur Hour
Bus Leaving Town At 7 p. m., 8 p. m., 9 p. m., 10 p. m. and 11 p. m.

Wigwam Skating Rink
WEST HIGHWAY 80
Open From 7:30 p. m. to 10:30 p. m.
Friday Night Amateur Hour
Bus Leaving Town At 7 p. m., 8 p. m., 9 p. m., 10 p. m. and 11 p. m.

LET'S NOT FORGET
The best investment on earth is the earth itself. Buy one, two, or even more of these good homesites. Buy them on terms. You will have wealth that will be everlasting for your old age.
SOUTH PARK ADDITION
COL. McCALL, Sole Agent and Auctioneer.
OWNERS—J. R. Harrison, Charles Edwards and Frank Spaulding. Jack Spry, Civil Engineer.
SALES OFFICE, 112 W. WALL ST. PHONE 3919

GRAFALAND

A large Ranch Style brick just completed in the best residential section in Midland. 2 large bedrooms with extra large closets. Two baths, master bedroom has tile shower, commode, and lavatory. Large living room has wood-burning fireplace and steel ash picture windows. Dining room is large. Kitchen has tile drain and splash, vented hood for stove, broom closet, and unusual amount of cabinet space. Extra large knotty pine den. Has large closet, and can be used as third bedroom. Central heating system is designed to keep this home comfortable during the most severe weather. Concrete walk around rear yard. About \$10,500.00 cash will handle.

BARNEY G. GRAFA Realtor

Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg

Practically new five-room frame house on North Big Springs—over 1100 sq. ft. livable floor space in house—2 large bedrooms—spacious closets—large double garage—nice porch—central heating—good water—1 acre fertile land—shown by appointment only.

Nice 75' residential lot on West Kentucky Four choice business lots on West Highway 80 close to all city utilities—you can't beat this location or the price.

List your property with us for quick sale and good service—We appreciate your business. Call us for information on building—best contractors—competitive prices.

W. F. Chesnut's Agency

Complete Insurance and Loan Service E. P. Whitson W. F. Chesnut 313 S. Martinefield Phone 2492

HOMES

2-bedroom frame home, 1505 S. Colorado. Excellent condition, immediate possession. \$6,500.00. 6-room frame, practically new on north side in newly developed area; corner lot, double garage. Vacant. Priced right.

Suburban home modern 2-bedroom 8 acres of good land. Water for irrigation. 3 miles east. Large 5-room house, south side, suitable for apartments.

W. R. Upham, Realtor Telephone 2062-J

NORTHWEST

3-bedroom brick veneer, extra large dining room, fireplace, garage and servant's quarters on the rear, corner lot, paved on both sides. 3 blocks from the school, near Country Club. Will sell furnished. \$6500.00 down, balance monthly.

BARNEY G. GRAFA Realtor

Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg

For Sale By Owner

2 bedroom frame home, FHA-built, garage attached, floor furnace, Rockwell insulated, hardwood floors. Located on West Kentucky. Less than 1 year old.

PRICED TO SELL

Can be seen after 5 p. m. Call 3265 W or 3563

WEST END

3-bedroom stucco, Ranch Style, forced air heating unit, textures throughout, slab doors, extra large living room, garage built-in. Ready for immediate occupancy. \$4675.00 cash, balance monthly.

BARNEY G. GRAFA Realtor

Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg

What Are You Looking For? Homes, two and three bedrooms, all types, sizes, colors and ages. Acre tracts, 2 to 50, not over 2 miles from town. North and West. 5 choice lots 80 to 171 East of Avalon.

John F. Friberg, Jr. Real Estate

Phone 2813 110 S. Colorado

For Sale or Trade Cheap 3-BEDROOM in Midland. 5-room brick veneer, hardwood floors, venetian blinds, bath, large porch. 2-room brick house, car shed, concrete carport, plenty shrubbery. Call owner, 222-J, 2004 Brunson Street, Midland. 1/3 cash—in Stanton.

3-BEDROOM home, garage, large lot—arranged for 2 apartments at present. \$15,000. 907 W. Dakota St. 7-ROOM house with two baths, to be moved. Fair condition. Reasonable—\$4750. 407 N. Colorado. To be moved—4-room frame house, all modern—worth the money. Phone 325-W.

BY owner: Five rooms and bath, garage, modern. 711 W. Rhode Island.

BUILDINGS FOR SALE 76 5000 sq. ft. frame building, 30x24 ft. located on North Lee and Wall. Very reasonable. Phone 3680-W.

LOTS FOR SALE 77

ON WEST HIGHWAY 80 CHOICE LOTS For Sale or Trade Also Small Tracts. Well Located. G. E. NIX 705 N. Baird St. Phone 232-W

FOR SALE

Lot 266 ft. by 120 ft. ideally located on West side of golf course. A real bargain—Call 1804-J for further information.

Suburban lot with well and pump in Lubbock, for sale or trade or lot in Midland. Call 3267-W.

Ulmer—

(Continued From Page One) facilities of the cities involved would be pledged to and controlled by the district. The district would pay the maintenance cost of the producing facilities. The association president said there are many angles to consider and that citizens should be well informed before committing themselves. He asked the directors to compare the cost with the returns before saddling the city with the additional tax burden.

Hogan pointed out the city's water rates would be about doubled and yet the city would show less profit from its water system. He explained that Midland now has an adequate supply of water and is more fortunate in this respect than are the other cities involved.

LOTS FOR SALE 77 RESIDENCE LOTS—for sale or trade. Located 2400 S. Baird. COMMERCIAL lot for sale, 2419 W. In-

FARMS FOR SALE 78 IMMEDIATE possession, 225 acres, 100 acres in cultivation, 4 miles west Cameron, modern home with butane gas, electricity, inlaid hardwood floors, bathroom with hot water, good roads. Mrs. Ruth Arledge, 2419 W. In-

RANCHES FOR SALE 79

10,000-Acre mountain ranch, 2 miles South of McCurtain in Southwest corner of Haskell County.

Improved fence. Plenty of water furnished by mountain streams.

Will carry 35 head of cattle per section all year around.

Blue-stem grass. \$6.00 PER ACRE Steve Laminack

15.144 acres deeded land, some lease, near Santa Fe, N. M., for a wonderful winter range. With nice improvements on head of Pecos river at 10,000 feet altitude for a wonderful Summer home. Call or write O. H. Denton, Espanola, N. M.

SUBURBAN ACREAGE 81

1 TO 5 ACRES NORTHWEST OF MIDLAND Electricity, Gas, Water. Call 2538-J Sundays and after 5 week days.

BUSINESS PROPERTY 82

PHONE 460 IN OGDEN If you are interested in buying one of the best equipped garage and body shop in Ogdessa. Plenty of work and it is for sale.

FOR SALE: Business, building and lot. Barn—Storage Co., North Olive St., Denton, Texas.

REAL ESTATE WANTED 84

WILL PAY UP TO \$8,000 CASH

For Modern Five-Room House In Good Location

Write All Details To Box 711 Reporter-Telegram

REAL ESTATE WANTED 84

HOMES WANTED

NEED AT ONCE HOMES FOR SALE For immediate sale call—BARNEY GRAFA

Realtor Phone 106 202 Leggett Bldg

WANTED HOMES

For immediate sale Harston-Howell Agency

Phone 2708-3006 After 12:30

WANTED—3 or 4 room house. Will trade 1941 Pontiac for down payment. 8015 S. Midland.

LEGAL NOTICES 86

THE STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MIDLAND

In compliance with Chapter 484, Page 1288, paragraph 1 of the Acts of the 45th Legislature, State of Texas, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the County of Midland at the February 19, 1949, Regular Term of its Commissioners' Court on February 28, 1949, will enter into a contract with a banking corporation, association or individual banker of said county, for the depositing of the Public Funds of the County of Midland, the Trust Funds of Midland County and funds of the Common School Districts of Midland County, for the ensuing two years, as prescribed by law.

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker desiring to be designated as County Depository shall make and deliver to the County Judge on or before February 28, 1949, at 10:00 A. M., an application to be designated as such depository, such application shall be accompanied by a cashier's check in the amount of One Thousand Dollars, payable to the County Judge as a guarantee of the good faith of the applicant and that the bond or bonds as required by law will be made.

At the said regular term of the Commissioners' Court in Midland County, Texas, to be held on the fourth Monday day in February at 10:00 o'clock A. M., such bids as may be presented will be opened and acted upon by the said Court, as prescribed by law. Dated at Midland, Texas, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1949. J. H. FORD, County Judge, Midland County, Texas (Feb. 14-15)

QUICKIES By Ken Bernede

"I wish you'd keep your nose out of the cupboard and stop eating the cheese off the mouse traps I got with a Reporter-Telegram Classified Ad!"

Say She's Cruel To Snakes



The ASPCA hailed Zorita, night club dancer, into court, charging her with cruelty to snakes because, they said, she put scotch tape over the mouths and eyes of two pythons she uses in her exotic "Love Dance." She's shown with a python and an educated crowd, part of the entourage she brought to court. It included another python, a black poodle, a Pomeranian, a 2-year-old daughter and a baby-sitter. Zorita (Mrs. Catherine Boyd) was held in \$3,000 bail.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Movie Academy Race Develops Into Battle Of The Blackjacks

By ERSKINE JOHNSON HOLLYWOOD—The boys have started to play peekaboo with blackjacks in the Academy race. I have before me a full-page advertisement in daily Variety, taken out by Warner Brothers, which quotes the cinema section of Time Magazine of Jan. 3, 1949. The quote: "The best of 1948... the critics paused long enough... to pick the 10 best pictures of 1948. By week's end, four notable lists had appeared. Only two films landed on all four lists: Sir Laurence Olivier's monumental Hamlet and Warner's melodrama, Johnny Belinda. The advertisement, of course, failed to include Time's next sentence, which read: "Twentieth Century-Fox's shocker about insanity, 'The Snake Pit,' placed on three lists (its late release missed the deadline for the fourth)." Tch, tch. Can Afford It A Hollywood extra and bit player named Florence Vinsen had to decline an invitation to President Truman's inaugural gala and it almost broke her heart. "But it would have broken my bank account if I had gone," Flo said, "and I can afford a broken heart."

Taxi Cab Drivers' Strike Heaps Up Philadelphia Woes

PHILADELPHIA—(AP)—A taxi cab strike on top of a five-day walk-out of subway, bus and trolley workers left Philadelphia's millions virtually without public transportation Tuesday. Scattered fist fights marked start of the unexpected cab tie-up. Taxi union leaders had postponed a strike 54 hours until Thursday. But rank and file drivers of Yellow Cab Company virtually went on strike at midnight. Complete paralysis of the city's transportation system was averted by the Pennsylvania and Reading Railroads, which operated record numbers of shuttle trains from suburban areas.

Social Security, Then Tax Boosts, Is Truman's Plan

WASHINGTON—(AP)—House Speaker Rayburn (D-Texas) said Tuesday "in all probability we'll have to have" an increase in taxes. He made the statement shortly after a group of top Democrats left a White House conference with President Truman. Rayburn told reporters he was making the statement ahead of reports tax legislation has been pushed aside because the House Ways and Means Committee decided to take up Social Security legislation ahead of taxes. "The President requested Social Security be considered ahead of taxes," he said. "And nothing was pushed over on him." He said he expected the President himself to make a statement Thursday "to try to dispel this fog" about tax legislation.

C. Of C. Committees To Meet Wednesday

Meetings of two standing committees of the Midland Chamber of Commerce are scheduled Wednesday afternoon at the organization's office in Hotel Scharbauer. The sessions are called in line with a program instituted by President R. D. Scruggs to hold meetings of all committees within the next two weeks to establish their work programs for the year. Scruggs will meet with the 25 groups. Directors of the Chamber Monday night approved the list of committee appointments. The Trade Territory Relations Committee is slated to meet at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday. James L. Daugherty is chairman. Other members are John Biggs, George Stewart, C. A. Churchill, O. W. Stice and J. Wright Ligon. A meeting of the Retail Committee, Henry Murphy, chairman, will follow at 4:30 p. m. Other members are Charles Haynes, J. M. Cox, Lem Nichols, Ray Howard, Eddie Jones, Tommie Wilson, Jr., Allen Wemple and W. E. King.

Stolen Car

Richard Morgan reported to police Monday that his automobile had been taken from a parking place. The car was recovered with its clutch burned out.

Stolen Property

A stove and hot plate, which a 21-year-old man tried to sell to a second hand store here, were found to be stolen property, police reported Monday. The articles had been stolen from Dr. H. L. Schlichting.

Leaves on Visit

Mrs. Don McGregor of Midland left Monday for a visit with her parents in New Braunfels.

County Committee Meets

The Midland County Agricultural Conservation Committee met at 10 a. m. Tuesday in the AOA office, Administrative Officer J. A. Boyd announced.

Marriage License

A marriage license has been issued to Charles Franklin West and Marjorie Lanette Drake at the Midland County Clerk's office.

Back From Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams returned Monday night from a trip to Tulsa and Oklahoma City.

Back From Florida

Ralph Geisler returned Monday night from a trip to Miami, Fla.



Landlords Carry Fight On Controls To House Hearing

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Protesting landlords of Tulsa, Okla., and other cities went to Capitol Hill Tuesday and assailed rent control as "confiscation of property" and "un-American." Some carried threats of mass evictions of their tenants—if Congress grants President Truman's request for continued rent controls. Earlier at a downtown rally they applauded speakers calling for such evictions. The property owners opened their fight before the House Banking Committee. Housing Expediter Tigue Woods told the committee tighter controls are needed to stop "a growing black market in rents."

Questionnaires On Welfare Work Mailed By C. Of C. Manager

As a means of clarifying the welfare situation in Midland, Chamber of Commerce Manager Delbert Downing has mailed questionnaires to the heads of all social and welfare agencies, seeking comprehensive and concise statements as to their activities. The program was authorized at a recent meeting of representatives of welfare agencies. Downing said Tuesday several agencies already have returned questionnaires. Information pertaining to nature of welfare programs, source of funds and support, and type of service given is sought by the Chamber manager.

C. Of C.—

(Continued from page 1) land and West Texas would be portrayed by a cast of Midlanders. The cost would be \$5,000. The matter was referred to the Special Celebrations Committee for action. Clear said the idea was approved by Art Cole, director of the Midland Community Theater, and an effort would be made to get Cole to direct the show. Memorial Books An expenditure of \$900 for a page ad in the Texas Industrial Edition of the Dallas News was authorized. The organization will place a set of books, "Album of American History" on the Memorial Shelf of the Midland County Library in memory of Dr. W. E. Ryan, a former Chamber of Commerce president who was killed overseas during World War II.

Election—

(Continued from page 1) eral roads is a long range project, and participation in the underpass project will be with the city, State Highway Department and Texas and Pacific Railway Company. County Judge Clifford C. Keith said the bonds, if approved by the voters, will be issued only as needed to finance the various projects. He estimated the additional tax levy will run between 10 and 15 cents per \$100 valuation to retire the bonds. County employees and equipment will be used to do the work at the cemetery. The laying of the water line will start within the near future. The court approved for subdivision plats of Ranchland Heights and Bauman Addition, both in Northwest Midland.

Rejection—

(Continued from page 1) diplomats fear now the wording of the alliance may be so watered down in the end that it will fall of its purpose: To make a showing of united strength which would deter any potential aggressor. May Scare Off Signers The diplomats fear that any apparent weakening of commitments under the treaty may scare off potential signers whose sympathies are with the West but who are under immediate pressure from the Soviet Union. "The greater the guarantee the better," said one French official, "but we understand the pact must be acceptable to the Senate and in conformity with the constitution." The wording is not so important as the intention which the pact symbolizes. He expressed regret, however, that earlier reports on probable commitments under the pact might have led the public to think it would be much stronger than now is likely to be. At the Hague, an official Dutch source said his country considers anything less than an iron-clad guarantee of mutual military support by the signers as a weakening of the pact.

Lions Club Band Plays at Sweetwater

Members of the Midland Lions Club International Convention Band were the featured entertainers at a Valentine ladies night meeting of the Sweetwater Lions Club there Monday night. A crowd of more than 250 persons attended the program.

Basil O'Connor Is Visitor To Texas

AUSTIN—(AP)—Basil O'Connor, president of the American National Red Cross and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, is in Texas for a two days visit. He was scheduled to speak in Galveston Tuesday and in Fort Worth Wednesday.

\$50,000 Fire Damage

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Loss estimated by deputy sheriffs at \$50,000 was caused here early Tuesday when fire destroyed a building occupied by the Southwest Cedar Oil Company and the Carl Pool Laboratories.

Back From Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams returned Monday night from a trip to Tulsa and Oklahoma City.

Back From Florida

Ralph Geisler returned Monday night from a trip to Miami, Fla.

Oil & Gas Log-

(Continued From Page One) and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 492, block 97, H&TC survey, took a one and one-half hour drillstem test in a Pennsylvania lime at 7,366-95 feet. Recovery was 100 feet of salt water, slightly cut with oil and gas. The venture is drilling ahead below 7,446 feet in lime and shale. It ran a one-hour drillstem test at 7,34170 feet. There was a weak blow of air for 10 minutes. Recovery was 35 feet of drilling fluid, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

Central Hale Venture Temporarily Given Up

Cooper-Hemphill Oil Company No. 1 Alley, Central Hale County wildcat, 680 feet from north and west lines of section 10, block A-3, EL&RR survey, drilled to a bottom of 8,200 feet in black Pennsylvania shale. It found no possibilities of oil or gas production in any zone penetrated. The project has been temporarily abandoned.

Lamb Wildcat Has Water; Abandoned

DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc., No. 1 J. R. Jameson, Jr., in South-Central Lamb County, three and one-half miles southwest of Littlefield, and 680 feet from south and west lines of labor 22, league 674, Abner Taylor sub-division of State Capital Lands, drilled to 4,172 feet in Permian lime, and found no indications of production. It swabbed salt water at the rate of seven barrels per hour at the total depth. The venture has been plugged and abandoned.

Livermore Enters Permian In Gains

George P. Livermore, Inc., No. 1 Head, South-Central Gains County wildcat, which is a southeast outcrop to the recent discovery by Shell Oil Company, Inc. No. 1 Hawkins, from the Elenburger, had reached 4,497 feet in Permian lime and was drilling ahead. This exploration, located 631 feet from north and 810 feet from west lines of section 12, block A-23, pal survey, is reported to have topped the anhydrite at 1,840 feet. Top of the Grayburg-Permian was picked at 4,090 feet. Elevation is 3,335 feet. This prospector is slated to go to a depth of 12,500 feet, to test into the Elenburger, and all other possible pays above that formation.

Skelly Is Abandoning Crossroads Failure

Skelly Oil Company No. 1 Sawyer, outpost to the Crossroads-Devonian field, in extreme Northeast Lea County, New Mexico, and 680 feet from north and east lines of section 33-38-30e, is being abandoned and will be plugged. This venture, which is three-quarters of a mile west and one-quarter of a mile south of the initial producer in that field, topped the Devonian at 12,710 feet, on an elevation of 4,943 feet. That made it extra low. It drilled to 12,741 feet and took a drillstem test, with the packer at 12,703 feet. A 4,000-foot water blanket was used. The tool was open five hours. There was a slight blow of air at the surface for a part of the period. Recovery was the water blanket: 30 feet of drilling mud, cut with salt water, and 2,700 feet of formation water. There were no shows of oil or gas. This wildcat had no indications of possible production in any of the upper horizons drilled through.

Space Shortage Moves Union Headquarters

FORT WORTH—(AP)—Shortage of office space is causing a move of headquarters of the Oil Workers International Union (CIO) from here to Denver, Colo. The offices, located here in 1918, will be in the process of moving by March 1, said O. A. Knight, international president.

For FREE Removal of Unskinned Dead Animals

CALL COLLECT—Ph. 153, Big Spring, Texas Big Spring Rendering & By-Products Co.

Your Best Buy! Transit-Mix Concrete

—Scientifically Mixed —No Free, Money, or Other —Use our easy payment plan. JUST SEE OR CALL MIDLAND CONCRETE CO. Check Horton, Mgr. 403 S. E. Front Phone 1881

Members of the Midland Lions Club International Convention Band

were the featured entertainers at a Valentine ladies night meeting of the Sweetwater Lions Club there Monday night. A crowd of more than 250 persons attended the program.

Basil O'Connor Is Visitor To Texas

AUSTIN—(AP)—Basil O'Connor, president of the American National Red Cross and the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, is in Texas for a two days visit. He was scheduled to speak in Galveston Tuesday and in Fort Worth Wednesday.

\$50,000 Fire Damage

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—Loss estimated by deputy sheriffs at \$50,000 was caused here early Tuesday when fire destroyed a building occupied by the Southwest Cedar Oil Company and the Carl Pool Laboratories.

Back From Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Adams returned Monday night from a trip to Tulsa and Oklahoma City.

Back From Florida

Ralph Geisler returned Monday night from a trip to Miami, Fla.

400,000 Care



Adolphe Auffray, a 7-year-old Paris youngster, unwraps a bar of chocolate from the 400,000th CARE package delivered in France. Adolphe lives in a school for physically handicapped children. The school was given 100 CARE packages. (Photo by NEA-Acme staff correspondent David Boyer.)

Crude Production In Nation Slumps

TULSA, OKLA.—(AP)—American crude oil production dropped again during the week ended February 22, falling an average of 26,475 barrels daily from the previous week's output, the Oil & Gas Journal reported Tuesday. The decline lowered the total daily average production to 5,326,650 barrels. The largest losses in the continuing winter slump were reported in the Eastern area, down 3,000 barrels to 90,000; Indiana, off 2,400 barrels to 90,800; Illinois down 4,500 to 172,900; Oklahoma, 37,850, 412,750; Texas, 3,600 to 2,320,950, and California 1,500 to 944,600. Louisiana was down 300 barrels to 505,850. Best gains were in Kansas, up 20,800 barrels to 274,350 barrels, and Michigan, up 1,400 to 47,900. Arkansas was up 300 to 82,900.

TO SPEAK ON MINDSZENTY

VATICAN CITY—(AP)—Pope Pius XII is expected to make a major speech on the case of Cardinal Mindszenty at a giant demonstration in St. Peter's Square Sunday, informed Vatican sources said Tuesday.

Trouble - Free Driving Is A Pleasure Indeed

Whether your car needs minor adjustments or factory reconditioning, CURTIS PONTIAC mechanics and service technicians can do the job with speed and skill, because 98% of all service work at CURTIS PONTIAC Company is exclusively Pontiac. Bring your car in regularly for a PONTIAC service check-up, which includes Lubrication, Battery, Cooling System, Brakes, Spark Plugs, Generator, Tires, Steering, Wheel Alignment, Fuel Lines, Wiring and Headlights.

FOR THE BEST IN SERVICE BY EVERY STANDARD, bring your car to

CURTIS PONTIAC CO.

2600 W. Well Ph. 1988

MARDI GRAS FUN! GAYETY! Special Pullman excursion. Pullman dinner at Arnaud's. Personally escorted Feb. 25-March 1. Orleans Special from \$89.35 156 N. Lorraine-3797 Other offices in Lenoirville, Dallas GENERAL TRAVEL CO.

Announcing the Opening of CAR-TRUX RENTAL CO., Inc. 106 So. Big Spring St. Phone 3929 (Location of Richardson Motors) NEW CARS TO RENT BY THE DAY, WEEK, MONTH, OR LEASE ARRANGEMENT. Walter V. Rankin, Gen. Mgr. Jim Blinford, Gen. Sales Mgr. Service Is Our Specialty!

NOW OPEN! COMPLETELY REMODELED! SEATING CAPACITY ENLARGED OPEN 6 A.M. 'TIL 12 P.M. CURB SERVICE

Featuring... PEYTON BLUE RIBBON STEAKS... FRIED CHICKEN... MEXICAN FOOD PARK INN CAFE West Highway 80

ROCKY FORD WAREHOUSE MOVING STORAGE ROCKY FORD LOCAL and LONG DISTANCE MOVING STORAGE and CRATING—Direct Service to and from California Established in Midland in 1926 Agent for North American Van Lines serving 48 states.

ROCKY FORD MOVING VANS Phone 499 Day or Night—Ode 4 Phone 3111-1111 West Wall

STEERING GEAR FAILED! How's Yours?

TOUGH NUT TO CRACK? Consult our experts! Joe and George can tell you the easiest way to own that new 1949 Packard, Jeep or GMC Truck NOW! Come in today and look around or call us for a demonstration... no obligation! 1949 PACKARDS, JEEPS, GMC TRUCKS WILLIS SALES CO. JOE SHELL, Salesman - GEORGE GRIFFIN, Salesman Corner Baird & Missouri - Tom Nipp, Mgr. Phone 2435



as shown by
Perma Lift

An extremely low cut neckline in a Bandeau that beautifies without distortion. No wires, no stays. The Perma-lift insets are designed to round out the natural bust contours, without exposing any unsightliness. In beautiful Acetate Satin, bound in Nylon.

2.50

GRAMMER-MURPHEY
Women's Wear

Air Force Requests 3,000-Mile Range For Guided Missiles

WASHINGTON —(AP)— Congressmen turned out Tuesday for a look at some of the biggest and fastest planes in the world.

The show was staged by the Air Force at the request of Chairman Vinson (D-Ga) of the House Armed Services Committee, an energetic advocate of a 70-group air arm.

Planes of the newest design were flown in from all parts of the country to nearby Andrews Field after Vinson said congressmen should take a look at some of the expensive gadgets for which they will be called on to vote taxpayers' money this year.

The Air Force indicated Monday that the planes it lined up for the lawmakers may in another decade be almost as obsolete for war use as the longbow and horse.

Air generals asked a House Armed Services subcommittee to approve a bill authorizing them to spend \$200,000,000 for a 3,000-mile-long guided missile range, to be built "within or without the continental limits of the United States."

At the same time, a scientist told the group a guided missile capable of carrying a bomb load 5,000 miles "certainly is within the range of possibility."

Gen. Muir S. Fairchild, Air Force vice chief of staff, said the Armed Forces will be ready this year to test missiles with ranges up to 500 miles, but there is no place to fire them.

He said scientists believe that in 10 years guided missiles will be replacing guns and bombs.

Dr. Karl T. Compton, chairman of the Research and Development Board, gave the subcommittee a quick course in guided missiles.

Compton said the Armed Forces have their eye on a spot for the proposed testing range, but he would not say where.

Air Force Brig Gen. William L. Richardson said the range would have a base area and launching site within the United States, eventually becoming a new community of 13,000 persons.

The first 500 miles of the 3,000-mile course would be dotted with observation stations for tracking the missiles, Richardson said, and at various points along the route there would be "impact areas" for the projectiles to land.

He hinted at a Southern location for the range, saying extreme cold temperatures and excessive rains would not be suitable.

The three present ranges used by the services are in White Sands, N. M., and Point Mugu and Inyokern, Calif.

Airmen Will Move Planes To Pyote

SAN ANTONIO —(AP)— A truck convoy carrying 52 airmen of the 22nd Air Repair Squadron, 86th Air Depot, left Kelly Air Force base here Tuesday for Big Spring.

At Big Spring they will tear down some PT-13 training planes and haul them to Pyote. The mission, commanded by Maj. B. J. Klose, will be completed in 30 days, it was stated.

EMERGENCY BOARD TO CHECK RAIL DISPUTE

WASHINGTON —(AP)— President Truman Tuesday created an emergency board to investigate a dispute between the railroads and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers.

Involved is a demand by the union for additional firemen on diesel locomotives. The diesels can be hooked together and operated integrally. The firemen want an extra man to each four units or less.

PROWLER REPORT

Prowlers were reported Monday night at the Midland Fair. Inc. grounds East of the city. Police investigated and found a man and woman there.

Helbert and Helbert Contractors

Concrete, Paving Breaking and Sand Blasting Work

All work guaranteed satisfactory

14 years in business in Midland

1900 S. Colorado Ph. 2520

Art Metal Files

A SIZE FOR EVERY FILING NEED

In Stock: Wood and Steel Decks, Carbon Papers, National Loose Leaf Supplies, Fine Printing.

HOWARD SALES CO. 211 E. Wall Phone 2518

TRIANGLE FOOD MARKET

Bob Grubb "Scruffy" Skaggs

QUALITY VALUE SERVICE

South "A" at Missouri OPEN NIGHTS - SUNDAYS

Phone 250

Blizzards Halt Road Travel; Flood Danger Mounts In Midwest

By The Associated Press

Fresh ground blizzards put a virtual halt to road travel over storm-battered Southern Wyoming and Southern Idaho Tuesday as flood dangers mounted higher in the blizzard-stricken areas of Nebraska.

Winds diminished and temperatures moderated over the Northern Plains states, giving new hope to relief workers that digging operations will not be further hampered.

In Washington, fresh falls of snow blocked Snoqualmie and Blewett Passes in the Cascade Mountains and cross-state motor travel was halted.

A blizzard which swept over Boise, Idaho, was the heaviest local storm in 17 years, the Weather Bureau said.

Nebraska, which has been fighting snow storms more than six weeks, had flood worries. The most serious danger, the U. S. Geological Survey said, lies in the Elkhorn River Basin, which stretches into Northeast Nebraska through some of the worst of the blizzard-stricken areas.

The survey said in the Missouri Basin as a whole only a very gradual change from Winter to Spring could avert serious flood in the areas covered with mountainous snow drifts.

Heavy rains sent rivers and small streams overflowing in Western Kentucky. Highways were covered at several sections.

Lightning Strikes Giant B-36 Bomber Enroute To Capital

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Even one ship struck by lightning and forced to turn back failed to prevent the 8th Air Force's 7th Bombardment Wing from putting its largest flight of B-36's to date into the air Tuesday for a "fly-by" over the heads of congressmen at Andrews Air Base near Washington.

The big ship piloted by Capt. George Benedict of the 7th Group's 9th Bomb Squadron, which had taken off at 6 a. m., shivered as a blinding flash of lightning struck its right side at 7:57 a. m., south of Texas.

Its radio system put out of order by the bolt, the plane turned and made for home, landing safely at 9:40 a. m. with no injury to anyone aboard; the damage slight to the plane itself.

Lt. Fred A. Clark, navigator, related shakily that he usually rested a knee against the radio compass, but happened at the moment the bolt struck to be sitting back in his chair, his knee six inches away from the instrument.

"I sure would have been well grounded if I'd been leaning against it," he whistled.

Funeral Services For J. F. Smith Held At Stanton Tuesday

STANTON—Funeral services for James Frank Smith, 74, Martin County farmer, were to be conducted at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church here with the Rev. W. R. Dale, pastor of the Primitive Baptist Church, officiating.

Smith died at home in the Courtney community Sunday.

Interment was to be in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Midland.

Smith was born May 1, 1874, in Franklin County, Ala., and moved to Courtney from Dickens County, Texas, 25 years ago.

Survivors include the widow; two daughters, Mrs. Lewis Wren of Stanton and Mrs. D. R. Gaskin, Stanton; a son, Garrett Smith of Courtney; 10 grandchildren, and 12 great-grandchildren.

Fort Worth Attorney, Horse Breeder Dies

FORT WORTH —(AP)— Alfred McKnight, 55, longtime Fort Worth attorney and member of a pioneer Tarrant County family, died Tuesday after a lengthy illness.

For many years he served as secretary of the now-inactive Texas Thoroughbred Horse Association. He owned a large horse breeding farm near Arlington.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coffey on the birth Monday of a son, William Curtis, weighing seven pounds, three ounces.

U. S. CHALLENGES RUSSIA ON SLAVE LABOR CHARGES

LAKE SUCCESS —(AP)— The United States has challenged Russia to allow an impartial study of American charges that the Russians have 8,000,000 to 14,000,000 slave laborers.

The charge was made in the UN Economic and Social Council Monday night by Willard L. Thorp, assistant secretary of state.

FABRICS for Spring Fashions

... designed by the incomparable house of



the season's newest
CREPES

An exotic array of adorable crepes, in the newest Spring shades, that absolutely must be seen to be truly appreciated. Included are florals, prints and geometric designs in navy, orchid, brown, beige, coral and green. They are really the finest we have been able to offer.

All are 42 inches in width. We know you will like them.

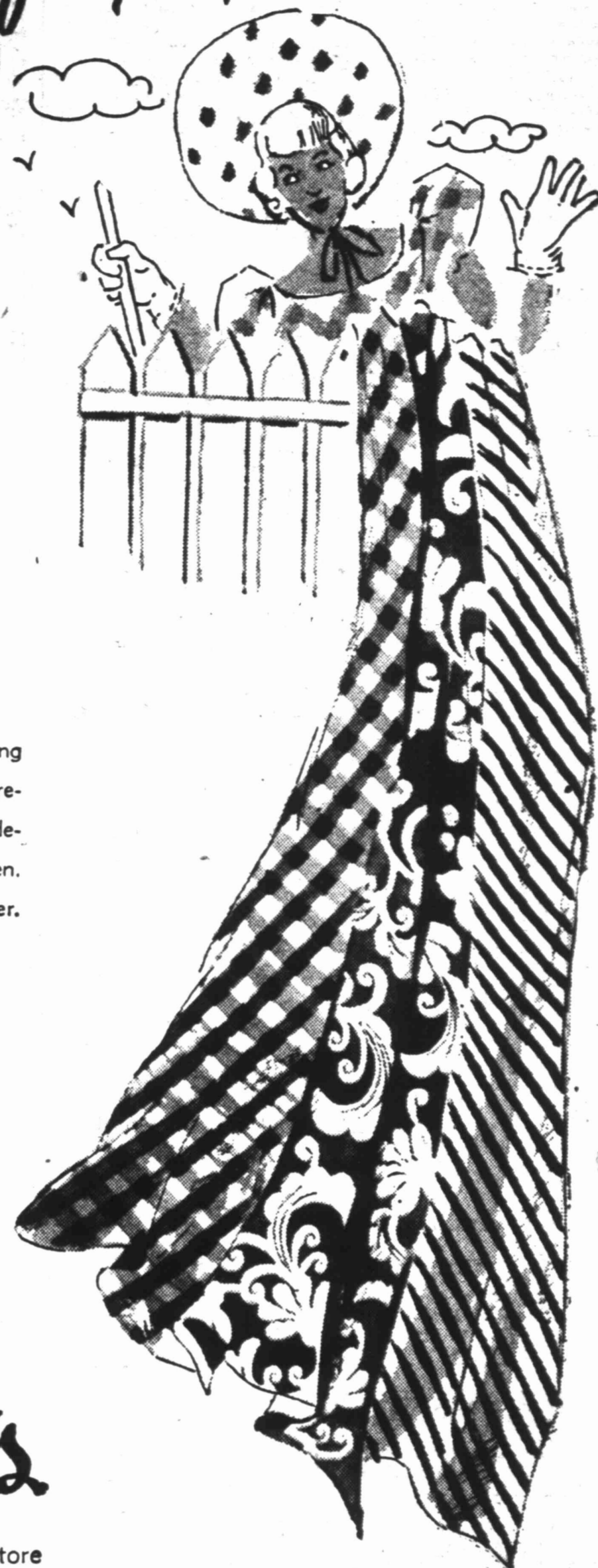
PER YARD

\$2.50

Vogue - McCall - Simplicity Patterns

Dunlap's

Midland's Complete Department Store



YUCCA

Ends Today

Features 1:45 3:51 5:57 8:03 10:00

IN ERA OF LAWLESS VIOLENCE!

Starring FORD HOLDEN

The Man from Colorado

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

Added: Donald Duck and News

T&P Employees Asked To Submit Opinions On System Operations

DALLAS — Starting Tuesday, the 10,000 employees of the Texas & Pacific Railway get an opportunity to submit their personal opinions on how the railroad is being run and how it should be run. Answers to 50 questions, contained in a 20-page booklet, are issued to employees throughout the 1,800-mile T&P system from El Paso to New Orleans, will supply the opinions.

J. B. Shores, director of public and employe relations, said the question-and-answer pamphlets were handed out with pay checks.

Cotton

NEW YORK —(AP)— Cotton prices at noon Tuesday were 90 cents to \$1.25 a bale lower than the previous close. March 32.15, May 31.97 and July 30.94.

Guaranteed Watch Repair 3-DAY SERVICE

Palace Drug (Jewelry Dept.) 108 S. Main Phone 38

Midland Community Theatre presents

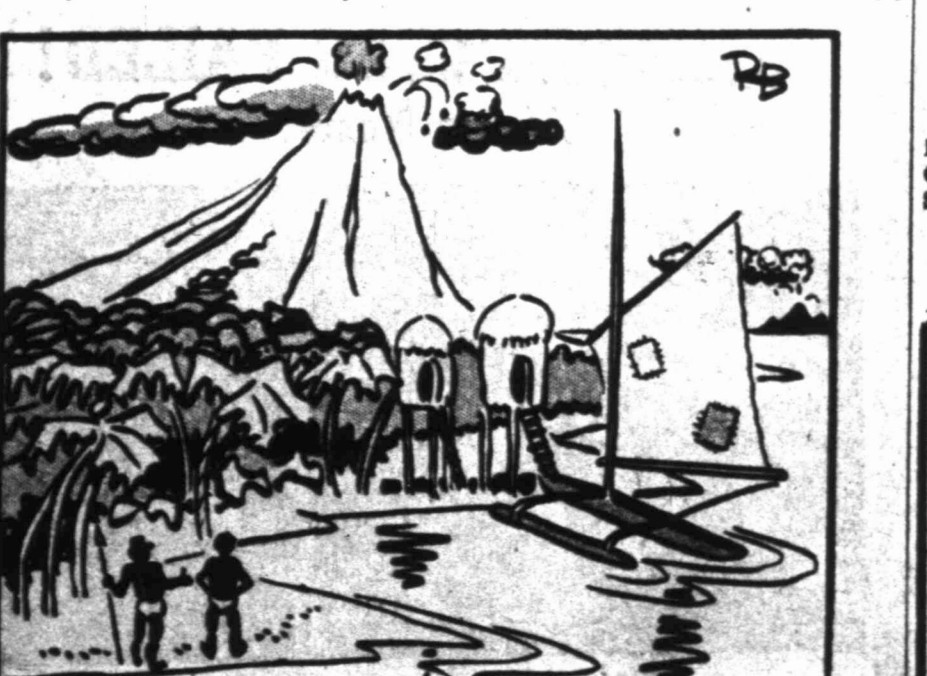
"I Remember Mama"

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday February 16, 17, 18, 19

at the City-County Auditorium

Curtain Time: 8:20 p.m. Admission: Adult \$1.20, tax incl. Student 60¢, tax incl. Advance tickets at Tallorline, 113 N. Colorado. Box Office Opens 7:50 p.m.

Safety-Puns by EMPLOYERS CASUALTY CO.



Copyright 1947 by Loyal Advertising Co.

"The Gods are angry again—we should see the EMPLOYERS CASUALTY COMPANY about an insurance policy." 510 Wilkinson-Foster Bldg. Phone 1320.

ARREST STANTON MAN AFTER AUTO ACCIDENT

A 48-year-old Stanton man was arrested by police early Tuesday and is being held for the Texas Highway Patrol.

The man was involved in an automobile accident on East Highway 80.

COMPLETE FRONT END REBUILDING ALL MAKES OF CARS MIDLAND TIRE CO.

120 N. Main Phone 186

STEEL CASE CHAIRS bring Smartness and Distinction

to EVERY OFFICE

Beautifully designed to harmonize with any office.

Form-shaped backs and coiled spring seats provide the utmost comfort.

Swivel mechanisms are noiseless and require no lubrication.

Smart metallic grey finishes.

Durable upholstery materials in a variety of colors.

A group of Steelcase chairs gives a modern, efficient look to any office.

BAKER OFFICE EQUIPMENT

511 W. Texas Phone 2634

OFFICE FURNITURE • SMITH-CORONA TYPEWRITERS • FRIDEN CALCULATORS • VICTOR ADDING MACHINES

TIRE SALE

TWO New Factory Retread Tires

FOR Price Of ONE New Tire

New Tire Guarantee

Firestone

105 S. Main W. G. Keeler, Mgr. Phone 586