

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

James C. Watson
Oil Editor

Low Gets Clean Oil In Lea Permian Zone

Ralph Lowe of Midland, No. 1 Selman, East-Central Lea County wildcat, one and one-half miles south of the city of Hobbs, and one-half mile east of the nearest shallow production from above 4,000 feet in the original Hobbs field, showed a small amount of free oil and some oil and gas cut drilling mud in a drillstem test of a lower Permian formation at 7,552-7,530 feet.

The tool was open three hours. Recovery was 710 feet of oil and gas cut drilling mud, and 90 feet of free oil. There were no signs of water.

Andrews Fusselman Flows Oil In Wildcat

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 18-B Cowden, wildcat in Southwest Andrews County, two miles east and slightly west of the Dollarhide field, and 600 feet from north and east lines of section 12, block A-55, psi survey was flowing to test from the Fusselman section of the Silurian.

A perforated interval at 11,056-82 feet was washed with 500 gallons of mud acid. After the acid load and residue was swabbed out the venture kicked off and started flowing.

Weiner Spots Pecos Ellenburger Wildcat

An Ellenburger wildcat is to be started at once in North-Central Pecos County by The Weiner of Fort Worth and others.

It will be the associates' No. 1-E Iowa Realty Trust. The drillsite is 680 feet from south and west lines of section 69, block 10, H&G survey, which puts it six miles south of Imperial.

MGS Meet Set For Tuesday Postponed

A meeting of the Midland Geological Society, which has been scheduled for Tuesday noon, in the Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, has been postponed until May 31, according to announcement Monday by Jesse A. Rogers, society president.

Stanolind Strike On Potential Test In Lea

A potential test was in process at Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 507th test unit, flowing discovery from the Ellenburger on the east side of the shallow Langle-Matrix field of Southeast Lea County, N. M.

Cedar Lake Venture To Plug Back; Test

Stanolind was preparing to plug back for tests of a higher formation with its No. 15 American Warehouse, deep wildcat in the Cedar Lake area of Northeast Gaines County.

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

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WEATHER
Partly cloudy Monday night and Tuesday with scattered showers and thunderstorms in the Pecos, South Plains and upper Pecos Valley Eastward. Maximum temperature Sunday 83 degrees. Minimum Monday 54 degrees.

Big Four Ministers Council Meets

New Storm Series Rakes Texas Areas; Flood Threat Ebbs

By The Associated Press
Early-Summer storms hit scattered Texas areas Sunday night and Monday, but the threat of a major flood was lifted from the Trinity, Texas, area.

Both the Weather Bureau and Army Engineers said levees holding back swollen Trinity River waters would hold at Trinidad.

Death Toll In 10 States Rises To 46

By The Associated Press
A rapid succession of tornadoes and other weather fury killed 46 persons and caused millions of dollars of property damage over the weekend in widely scattered areas.

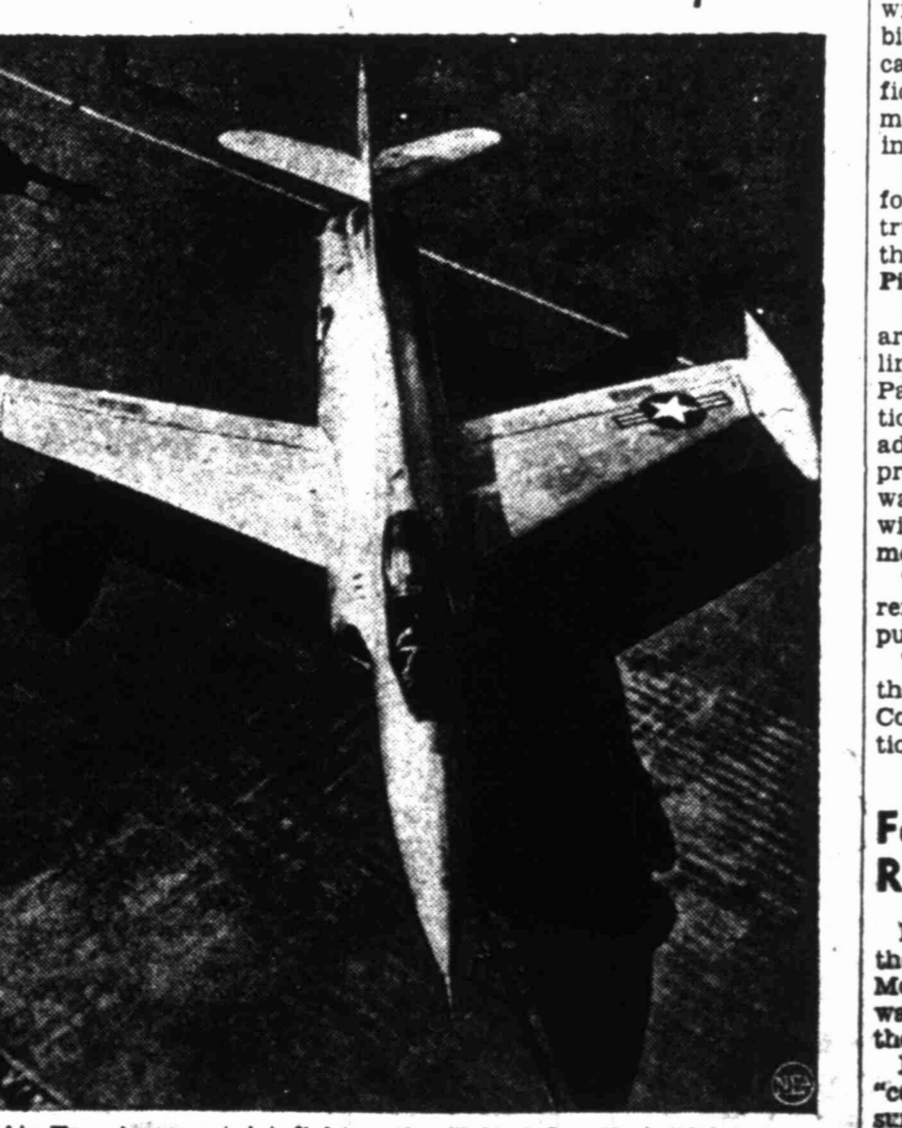
Robert Beggs Rites Held At Ben Wheeler

Funeral services for Robert Edgar Beggs, 23, of Midland, were scheduled at 2:30 p. m. Monday at Ben Wheeler, Texas.

Grand Jury Picked; Goes Into Session

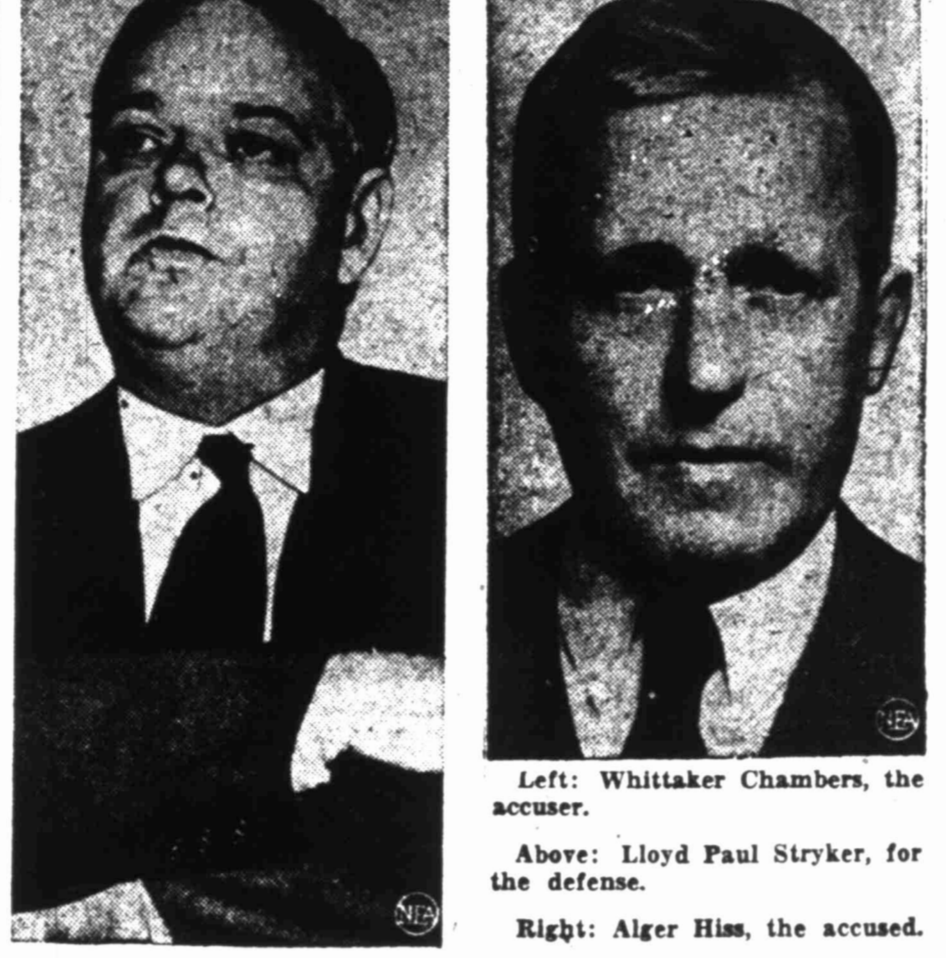
Several indictments were expected to be returned Monday by a 70th District Court grand jury which went into session at 10 a. m.

Well-Raked For Clean Sweep



The Air Force's newest jet fighter, the F-90, takes its initial camera bow in Burbank, Calif. The plane, with its rakes, swept-back lines, is ready for intensive flight tests to determine performance records. Combining speed, range and maneuverability, the F-90 was designed to operate behind enemy lines.

Hiss Perjury Trial Postponed



Left: Whittaker Chambers, the accuser. Above: Lloyd Paul Stryker, for the defense. Right: Alger Hiss, the accused.

These are the principals in the New York perjury trial of Alger Hiss, former State Department official, which Monday was postponed to May 31 by Federal Judge Samuel H. Kaufman.

Vandenberg Calls For Complete Probe Of Atom Commission

WASHINGTON — (AP)—Chairman McHahn (D-Conn.) said Monday the Joint Congressional Atomic Committee will investigate charges raised again David E. Lillenthal by Senator Hickenlooper (R-Iowa).

Senate Stalls Again On Consideration Of Major Money Bills

AUSTIN — (AP)—Threat of "extended debate" in the Senate over a controversial textbook measure thrust itself ahead of scheduled consideration of major money bills Monday.

Council Schedules 'Bid Opening' Meet

"Bid opening" night will be observed by the City Council at its regular meeting at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday in the City Hall.

Street Sweeping Contest Set Monday

It will be JayCees vs. Lions when representatives of the Junior Chamber of Commerce and Lions Club meet at 5 p. m. Monday in a street cleaning contest on West Illinois Street, between Loraine and Colorado Streets.

Ford Strike Talks Recess For 24 Hours

DETROIT — (AP)—Attempts to end the 18-day Ford strike stood still Monday as both sides sat back and waited for the government to bring them together again.

West Pushes Berlin Issues As Top Items

PARIS — (AP)—The Big Four Council of Foreign Ministers met Monday to begin an attempt to settle the problem of Germany.

Nationalists Stall Reds At Shanghai

By FRED HAMPSON
SHANGHAI — (AP)—Communist troops tried all day Monday to crack Shanghai's defenses. But at nightfall they had not achieved a breakthrough.

Probe Ordered In Forrestal Suicide

WASHINGTON — (AP)—A Naval board of inquiry was ordered Monday to inquire into the suicide of James Forrestal, but his friends among the nation's great wrote their own verdict: He died because he worked so hard for his country.

Escaped Convicts Kidnap Houstonian

HOUSTON — (AP)—Two escaped convicts kidnaped a Houston cabinet maker and after taking the man's car forced him out of the automobile about five miles west of Bellville early Sunday morning, he reported to the sheriff's office here Monday.

Midland Lions Will Push Daugherty's Campaign At Pecos

Headed by the Midland Lions Club International Convention Band, a large delegation of Midland Lions will be in Pecos next Sunday afternoon to sponsor the annual convention of District 2-T-2 Lions International, and to boost the candidacy of James L. Daugherty of Midland for district governor.

Woman Outtalks Would-Be Robber

CHICAGO — (AP)—An armed robber burst into the home of Mrs. Josephine Halper Sunday and told her to hand over all the money she had in the house.

★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

WASHINGTON — (AP)—The National Military Establishment announced Monday afternoon that James V. Forrestal will be interred with full military honors in Arlington National Cemetery and that the funeral tentatively has been set for 9 a. m. Wednesday.

HOUSTON — (AP)—Four Darrington Prison Farm convicts cut their heel strings Monday to keep from going to work in the fields, it was reported by Prison General Manager O. B. Ellis.

WASHINGTON — (AP)—The House Appropriations Committee Monday ordered a 15 per cent cut in Marshall Plan spending for the fiscal year starting July 1, overriding a subcommittee recommendation for a much smaller cut which Republicans said wasn't enough.

Beleaguered Shanghai Prepares For Finale Of Communists' Drive

Texan Offers Rural Highway Aid Bill

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Rep. Pickett (D-Texas) was to introduce a bill authorizing a \$150,000,000-a-year federal aid program for country roads.

Pickett said the bill would propose a two-year program, under which the federal money would be spent for such rural roads as the counties and states agree shall be built.

He said the money would be distributed under the regular federal aid formula, which would mean his own state would get about \$10,000,000.

Other pending rural road bills would distribute the money direct to counties. It would go to the state under the Pickett bill.

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★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Rosalind Russell Shakes Off Dramas 'Up To Her Knees'

By ERSKINE JOHNSON
NEA Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—Hollywood's best comedienne, Rosalind Russell, is making her first comedy in five years.

"I really don't know how it happened," she told me. "I wanted to make only one dramatic picture, 'Sister Kenny,' as a change of pace. Then I got stuck in dramas up to my knees.

"I thought 'Roughly Speaking' would be a comedy. But it turned out to be another 'Since You Went Away.' 'Mourning Becomes Electra' was a mistake. 'The Velvet Touch' was a good story but it wasn't for me.

"I haven't made a comedy for five years but I've been trying to make one ever since 'Sister Kenny.' Contracts, commitments and Hollywood just got in the way."

Roz is the only actress I know who isn't screaming about releases. Several of her comedies have made the theater rounds for the second time and . . .

"It's amazing," she said. "I realize that a lot of bobby-soxers have never seen me fall on my derriere. Now I get letters like 'I just saw you in your new picture, 'His Girl Friday' (a re-issue). You were wonderful. I thought you were just a dramatic actress."

Takes A Dip
Roz's new comedy is "Tell It to the Judge" with Bob Cummings for Columbia. Among other things, she falls into a lake fully dressed and goes for a wild ride down a mountainside on skis.

"Will you ever do another drama?"
Roz gave the question a hollow laugh and said: "Let's put it this way. I'll do a good script—what ham won't?"

Judy Garland and director Busby Berkeley have kissed and made up after a beautiful row. . . . Betsy Blair, was all for accepting

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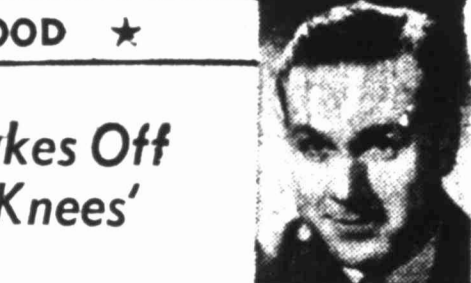
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Orson Welles' cabled offer to come to Italy for "Othello." But husband Gene Kelly would have none of it. . . . Orson's first ex-wife, Virginia Lederer, will marry Jack Hanley, heir to a British title and fortune. Ex-wife Rita is doing all right, too.

The proposed film biography of Mary Baker Eddy will have plenty of objections from the Christian Science Church. Local Scientists assure me the whole idea is without official church approval.

Phil Harris and Alice Faye were asked to what they attributed their marital success. "Two things," said Phil. "Me and Alice."

Moving For Headspace
Birth pangs of television: Ben Gage's television show had to move to a new studio with a ceiling higher than eight feet. Ben's six feet six was interfering with the overhead lights.

Goofy publicity note: The Carrot Growers of America just voted Spike Jones "Mr. Carrot Top of 1949."

There's talk again of Eleanor Powell making her technicolor debut in the big all-star finale for the Jane Powell film, "Nancy Goes to Rio." And isn't M-G-M talking to Margaret Truman again for a spot in the same film?

The tests continue for the chorus girl role in the film version of "Born Yesterday." Columbia denied Judy Halliday, who created the role, would be tested, then announced she would make a test in New York. Marie MacDonald and half a dozen other dolls have made tests in Hollywood. Some people think Rita Hayworth will get the role, but Columbia hopes to have the film in production within a month. Rita will be on her honeymoon.

Jessica Tandy, star of the hit "A Streetcar Named Desire" in New York, will leave the company June 1 for Hollywood commitments. Uta Hagen, who has the Blanche DuBois role in the touring company, will replace her.

Choice morsel left anonymously on Herb Stein's desk: "Conscience is what makes you tell your wife before someone else does."

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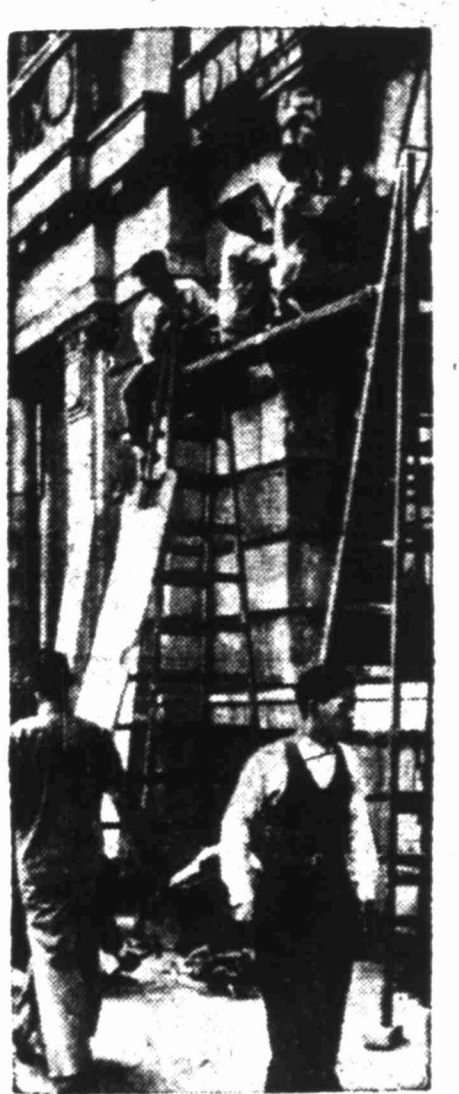
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Idaho is the tenth largest state in the Union, having an area of 82,567 square miles.



A Nationalist soldier deepens a trench on the outskirts of Redmenaced Shanghai, while other troops threw up hasty barricades in the heart of the city as a final defense against Communist armies advancing from all sides.



Chinese board up the windows of temporary quarters of the U.S. Consulate, as the city prepares for street fighting.



Government troops erect sandbag machine gun emplacements in the downtown district, as the Reds closed a ring of men and guns around the city. The Communist drive completely cut the city's major travel links with the outside world.

SIDE GLANCES



"Oh, we'll be along any minute! I'm waiting for Junior's guests to tell them what things I positively don't want them to break!"

Sul Ross Expects Record Enrollment At Summer School

ALPINE—When Sul Ross State College opens its Summer School June 7, advance information indicates a large increase in enrollment over last summer.

Not only is Sul Ross offering regularly scheduled courses, but special courses and conferences are to be featured. During the first term, a working in Guidance and Counseling will be directed by a specialist, and while this workshop is underway, a three-day conference will be held July 1-2, will be open to the class members as well as visiting teachers and administrators.

An Art Colony again will be open to interested art students under the direction of a visiting artist.

The Range Animal Husbandry will feature its visiting specialist a man in the field of animal diseases and animal breeding.

Plans have been completed for a rich graduate program during the entire Summer with a total of 161 courses, 75 of which are strictly graduate rank.

A one day institute conducted jointly by officials of the Congress of Parents and Teachers of Districts 6 and 13 will take place June 11.

During the second Summer term, a Reading Conference will be held the week of August 14 to 21. It is sponsored by The Texas Association for the Improvement of Reading.

The Texas Vocational Association will hold its annual meeting at Sul Ross beginning the last week of August.

Wranglers Slate Pre-Rodeo Meet Tuesday Morning

The Wranglers Club will hold its pre-Midland Rodeo "chuckwagon" breakfast at 7:30 a. m. Tuesday in Hotel Scharbauer, when plans for participation in the 15th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 1-5, will be mapped.

Members of the cowboy-type organization Tuesday morning will be attired in their new and colorful shirts for the first time.

An informal program will be presented and a "Top Wrangler of the Month" will be named.

Wrangler John P. Butler reportedly will issue a special contest challenge to other members of the organization.

The Wranglers Club, organized in 1946, is the official membership and greeters' division of the Midland Chamber of Commerce.

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Forrestal's Quip Foretold Own Death

By JAMES MARLOW
WASHINGTON—(AP)—A phrase he used in kidding became, in the end, James V. Forrestal's prophecy of his own death.

"I expect to be a victim of the Washington scene."

That's what he was when he killed himself Sunday in a jump from a sixteenth story window in the Naval Hospital.

He had cracked under the strain of nine years in Washington, most of them in tremendously important jobs.

Ever since President Truman's election last November this place had been full of rumors that Forrestal, who took no part in Truman's campaign, would lose his job as Secretary of Defense.

On January 11 newsmen asked Forrestal about the rumors. Would he resign?

No, he said. He expected, and wanted, to stay on. Of course, he would submit his resignation to Truman, who was going to be inaugurated on January 20.

It's traditional for cabinet members to submit their resignations to a new President, just in case . . . Forrestal explained he was doing just a routine thing.

The newsmen asked: Did he think the resignation would be accepted? "No," he said. "I expect to be a victim of the Washington scene."

The newsmen took this as kidding. They understood him to mean: Once a man gets a big job in Washington, he likes to keep it. Acceptation Promptly.

But the resignation must have been accepted pretty promptly, for late in January his successor, Louis A. Johnson, began working with Forrestal very quietly to learn the ropes.

Forrestal stepped out on March 28, Johnson stepped in. On April 2, Forrestal, suffering a breakdown, went into the hospital.

In his job as secretary of defense he had been attacked and criticized. Even his motives were challenged by outside critics.

So as time went on and rumors, criticisms and attacks increased he must have felt a deep frustration, perhaps even failure.

Anyone who has worked any time in Washington knows the strain on most of the top men. Here are just a few examples:

Non-Communists Quit Italian Labor Group

ROME—(AP)—Italy's Communist-dominated General Confederation of Labor (CGIL) is losing its grip on non-Communist workers.

The Italian Republic Party (PRI) conducted a referendum among its members which showed more than 98 per cent want the party to break off from the confederation.

Christian Democratic members of the CGIL broke away last July and formed a union of their own.

The only actively non-Communist minority left in the labor organization—Giuseppe Saragat's Independent Socialists (PSLI)—is expected to quit too.

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Walther League Has Anniversary Banquet

Observing the fifty-sixth anniversary of the founding of the Walther League, young people's organization in the Lutheran Church, the Redeemer-Grace Walther League of the Midland and Odessa Churches joined for a banquet recently.

It was held in the YMCA building at Odessa. Tables were decorated in Spring flowers, and the league colors, black and gold, were stressed.

A traditional candle-lighting ceremony closed the program. It was presented by Edwin Ramsey, Cora Lou Reising, Martin Synatsch, Lillie Meisner and the Rev. G. C. Becker. The Rev. Glen Kolmeyer of Odessa served as toastmaster, and the Rev. Lewis Faber of Eola was the guest speaker.

His subject was "Necessity for Living a Christian Life," and he closed with the comparison of a good life to a candle shining in darkness. Music on the program included three songs, "I Am Trusting the Lord," "Sanctus," and "The Builders," by a quartet composed of the Midland and Odessa pastors, Bill Bar and Earl Fletcher; a solo, "Hungry," by Mrs. Pearl Groth; duets, "Beautiful Dreamer" and "Now Is the Hour," by Miss Reising and Helen Ramsey; and a solo, "The Lost Chord," by Mrs. Kolmeyer.

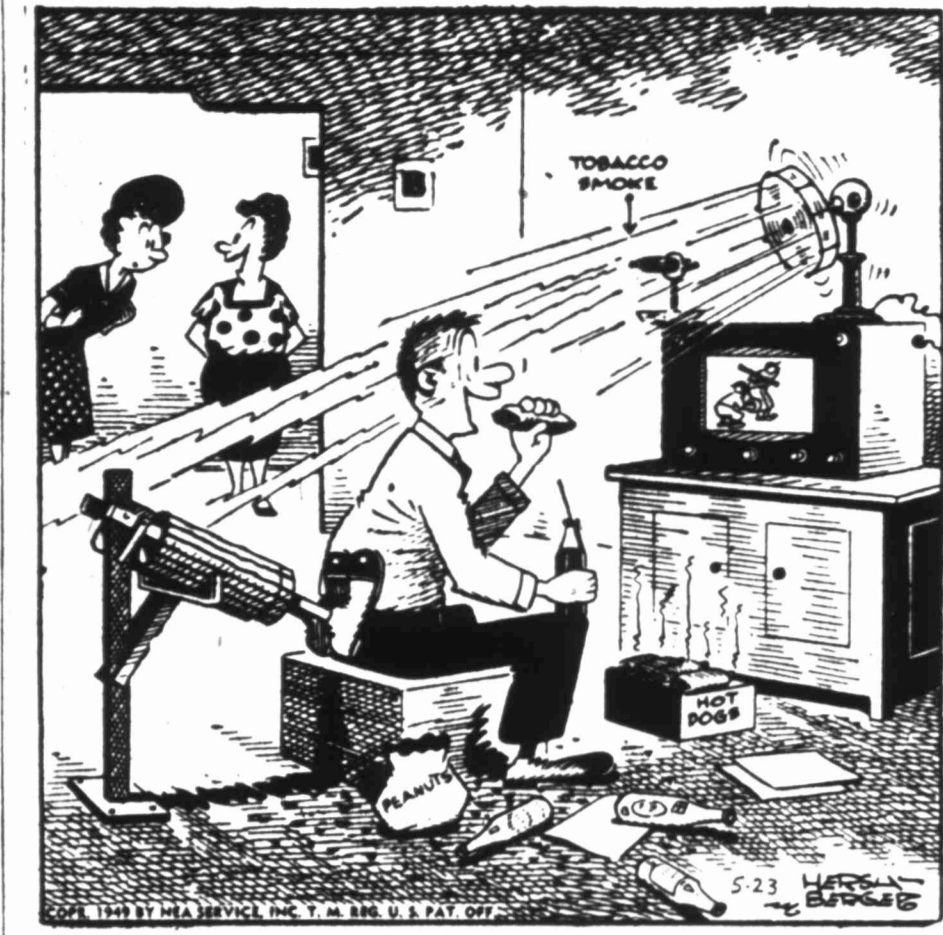
The Walther League, on its 56th anniversary, has approximately 80,000 members in the United States and a number of foreign nations. It supports a camp in Michigan, the Lutheran Youth Building in Chicago and a sanatorium for tuberculars.



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High School Choruses Appear In Spring Concert Monday

The annual Spring concert of the Midland High School A Cappella Choir, assisted by the Girls' Chorus, will be presented in the school auditorium Monday beginning at 8 p. m.

Both musical groups, directed by Miss Elizabeth Cope, placed in the first division at the district Inter-scholastic League music meet in Alpine in March. Lynna Dell Moore is pianist for the choir, and Diana Daugherty accompanies the chorus.

An admission charge will be made, and proceeds will help pay for high school sweaters.

In its first group of numbers, the A Cappella Choir will sing "At Thy Feet," "Bach," "Legend," "Tchaikovsky," and "Goin' Home," Dvorak.

Four songs by chorus will appear next, with "Evening Shadows," "Ricci," "By the Waters of Minnetonka," "Liarance," "Gittin' There," "Stuart," and "Tea for Two," Youmans.

Negro spirituals will be featured in another group by the A Cappella singers. It includes "Deep River," arranged by Robertson; "Move Up the King's Highway," Nolan; "Were You There," "Wait Miss Lindy," Warner; "There is a Balm," Dawson, and "Dry Bones," arranged by Gearhart.

The final group of numbers by the choir is made up of "A Song," Hill; "Rondel," MacFarlan; "When Day Is Done," Katcher; "The Singers," Cain, and "The Lord Bless You and Keep You," Lutkin.

SOCIETY

SUE COLEMAN, Editor

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, MAY 23, 1949-3

Miss Stephens, Bride-Elect, Is Complimented At Breakfast

Honoring Jeannine Stephens, bride-elect of Kenneth Smith of Amarillo, Mrs. Maurine Mims entertained with an informal breakfast and shower of kitchen "gad-

gets" Sunday morning at the Ranch House.

The table was centered with a low arrangement of Spring flowers in a glass bread-pan, which was given as a favor to the honoree with her other gifts. Places were marked with decorated cards supported by novelty salt and pepper sets.

Miss Stephens, who will be married in Dallas on June 14, will leave soon for that city where a number of pre-nuptial parties have been planned for her.

Guests at the breakfast, close friends and relatives of the bride-elect and members of the Mims and Stephens office staff, were Mrs. Mary Atkinson, Mrs. Jack Anderson, Mrs. Guy Spink, Mrs. Clarence Nelson, Sarah Stanley, Joan Nelson, Mrs. C. E. Hogue, Mrs. Joe Mims, Mrs. James W. Mims, Mrs. Margaret Mims, Mrs. E. L. Stephens and Ann Stephens.

Music And Art Presented At Program Tea

Guests at a program tea given by the Irene Nix Circle of the First Methodist Women's Society Sunday contributed to the circle's fund for foreign missions. The Scharbauer Educational Building of the church was the scene of the silver tea.

Mrs. G. H. Henderson, circle chairman, and Mrs. Brandon Rea, Mrs. R. O. Smith and Mrs. W. M. Johnson were in the receiving line. Mrs. Ernest Nance was at the registration table, which was decorated with white lilies in a bubble-bowl.

Roses filled an epergne in the center of the refreshment table, with willow branches which extended over the white cloth. Both tea and coffee were served, with Mrs. Noel Oates and Mrs. Sam Preston pouring the first hour. They were followed by Mrs. Frank Blackwell and Mrs. Luther Tidwell, then Mrs. Howard H. Hollowell and Mrs. O. M. Luten.

Quartet tables around the room were centered by carnations, and the same flowers made corsages for members of the house party. A bowl of sweet peas was set on the piano.

Rosalyn Leggett, pianist, played background music as guests arrived. The program included piano solos by Frances Ruth Hefflin, Carol Ann Wilkerson and Obie Stalcup, a reading by Arliss Ann Kiebold, a vocal solo by Alex Oates with Lynna Dell Moore as accompanist, and another by Joan Wyche with Patsy Bray accompanying.

Paintings which won first places in the adult division of the recent Creative Arts Festival here were exhibited.

West Rejects Plea To Seize Railways In Berlin Dispute

BERLIN —(AP)—The three Western military commanders rejected Monday a petition from the West Berlin city government to seize strike-bound elevated railway stations in the city.

The strike against the Soviet-appointed management of the railways, now in its third day, was marked by a weekend of bloody police used guns against mobs of strikers and their sympathizers.

The decisions of the military commanders of the United States, Britain and France in effect reaffirmed the property rights of the Russian-controlled railway system. The rights were established in 1945 by four-power agreement.

The anti-Communist city government had asked Western authorities for the right to send their own police into railway installations and stations in Western sectors, with the backing of American, British and French authorities. The strikers—numbering about 12,000—had been clamoring for Western intervention.

Trouble Spots Inactive

Brig. Gen. Frank Howley of the United States called the commanders into session to discuss the city government's plea and other aspects of what he called an "intolerable situation."

Most trouble spots were inactive, at least for the time being. At least three trains managed to reach Berlin from the West.

A check with all official sources in West Berlin showed about 17 strike demonstrators and 15 Soviet sector police and strikebreakers with serious wounds or injuries.

Scores of persons were given first aid during the continuing series of fights with clubs, fists, rocks and finally, pistols and carbines of Eastern police.

Cast Entertained Following Matinee Showing Of 'Laura'

After the final performance of the mystery drama, "Laura," at a Sunday matinee, the cast and production staff were entertained informally in the home of Mrs. Edelle Dally, 404 West Kansas Street. Mrs. Dally was in the cast of the Community Theater production.

During the afternoon E. J. Elliott, who served as stage manager for the play, presented membership cards in the Unaffiliated Stages Union, Midland Local Number 1 to persons who have served on backstage crews of three Community Theater productions of this season, or two consecutive productions.

"Laura," the last adult production of the theater until next Fall, was presented for three nights and the matinee. It will be followed Thursday by a presentation of the Children's Theater, three one-act plays.

Pecos Girls Win Honors At College

PECOS — Honors have been awarded three Pecos young women, all students of Christian College at Columbia, Mo.

Mary Catherine Dean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bynum, has been named a member of Sigma Phi Gamma, national language fraternity, Delta Phi Omega, national dramatic fraternity, and of the Woman's Athletic Association.

Suzanne Ross, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ross, has been named a member of the Delta Psi Omega, honorary dramatic fraternity, and of the Woman's Athletic Association.

Misses Dean and Ross are seniors and Miss Toll is a junior.

Mrs. W. W. Dean, Mrs. Bynum and Mrs. Dean, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sisk and Mr. and Mrs. George Ross plan to attend graduation exercises at Christian College.

Mrs. Crays Honored When Mrs. Holster Entertains In Home

Mrs. Russell Holster entertained in her home, 2007 West College Street, Friday afternoon complimenting Mrs. Ralph L. Crays with a layette shower. Approximately 60 friends called or sent gifts.

Flowers in pastel colors decorated the rooms, and on the dining table was a centerpiece of daisies dyed pink and blue. Mrs. Bobby Martin and Mrs. T. A. Golladay served cakes which were iced in a baby bath.

Mrs. Louis E. Kellett was in charge of the book titled "Wee Wee" where the guests registered. Mrs. Daniel Griffith assisted Mrs. Holster in greeting callers.

Many students believe that primitive men, sometimes called savages, are predominantly religious in their outlook.

+ Coming Events +

TUESDAY
Daleth Delphian Society will meet at 9:30 a. m. in the Palette Club, 604 North Colorado Street.

Atrusa Club will meet at noon for a luncheon in the Scharbauer Hotel. Officers will be elected at this meeting.

Twentieth Century Study Club will meet at 1 p. m. for a luncheon in the home of Mrs. W. H. Rhodes, 500 North Pecos Street.

Order of Eastern Star will meet in the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m.

Circle Eight Square Dance Club will meet in the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m.

Planning committee meeting of the Woman's Club Building will be at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Earl Johnson, 2303 West College Street.

Men's Club of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet for supper at 7 p. m. in the Parish House. Reservations may be made by telephoning E. C. Rasmann, No. 1234.

Methodist Men will meet for breakfast at 7 a. m. in the First Methodist Church.

International Relations Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p. m. in the home of E. J. Elliott, 1602 West Kentucky Street.

Progressive Study Club will have a luncheon in the Blue Room of the Scharbauer Hotel at 1:30 p. m.

A barbecue and dance, sponsored by the French Heels Club to benefit the Midland Youth Center, will be held in the American Legion Hall at 7 p. m.

Holy Communion will be observed in the Trinity Episcopal Church at 10 a. m. Choir practice will begin at 7:45 p. m. in the church.

Fine Arts Club will have its final meeting of the year at a luncheon in the Ranch House at 1:30 p. m. with Mrs. Wilson Bryant as hostess.

Choir of the First Methodist Church will hold rehearsal in the church at 7 p. m.

THURSDAY
The Palette Club Studio will be open all day to members. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon.

Westside Home Demonstration Club will meet in the home of Mrs. P. L. Crowley, 1008 North Loraine Street at 2 p. m.

DYT Club will meet with Mrs. Tommy Henderson at 3 p. m.

Forty-Niners Square Dance Club will meet in the Officers' Club at 8 p. m.

Members of the American Legion Auxiliary will honor Mrs. O. E. Dewey of Dallas, department president, with a banquet in the Ranch House.

Mary Immaculate Study Club will meet at 8 p. m. in the James B.

Price home, 1007 North Big Spring Street.

FRIDAY
Ladies Golf Association will have its weekly luncheon in the Midland Country Club, 1 p. m.

Lucky 13 Club will meet in the home of Mrs. J. H. Walker on the Andrews Highway at 7:30 p. m.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. W. G. Ataway 510 West Louisiana Street, at 7:30 p. m.

Phil-Club will be entertained with a dance in the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m., for members and their guests.

SATURDAY
A formal dance will be given in the Midland Country Club for members and out-of-city guests. Jack Free's Orchestra will play for the dance which will begin at 9 p. m.

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

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

Cub Scouts of Den 6, West Elementary School, and their parents will have a bus supper at 5:30 p. m. in Pagoda Park.

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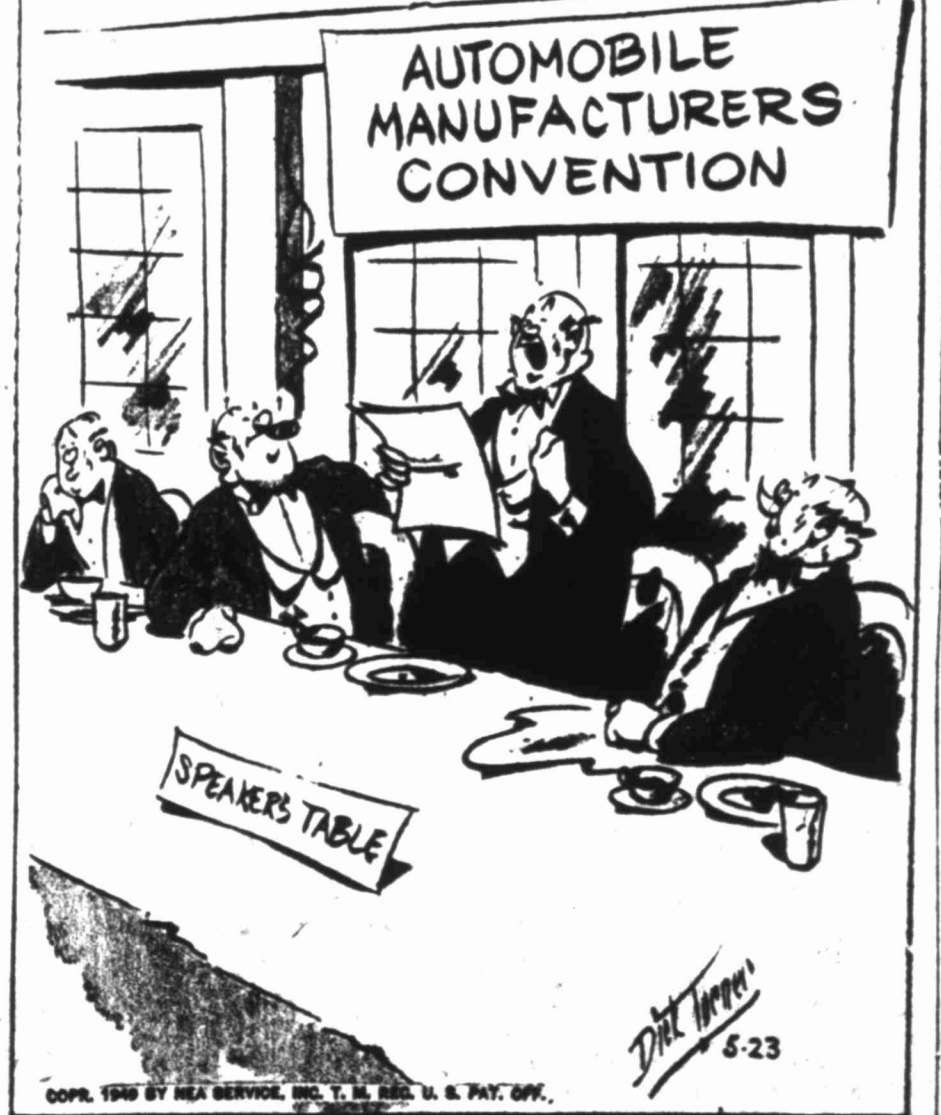
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ERP Funds For Spain

The American government's Spanish policy, says Senator Taft, seems to have been guided by a "Communist-front philosophy." That accusation does not seem very fair or very accurate. It is no more "Communist-front" than that of any other government that has abided by the UN resolution of 1946 to withdraw ambassadors from Madrid.

Perhaps the resolution was unwise. Certainly it was unsuccessful. As Secretary of State Acheson admits, the withdrawal of recognition did not effect any reforms in the Franco government. But the resolution is still in force. It is hard to see how this government could help the United Nations or itself by leading a fight to repeal it.

Recognition does not imply approval, as the anti-resolution people so often have pointed out. We maintain normal relations with Russia and with other governments whose practices we do not like. And Franco's government is probably as legally constituted as the Communists' is in Russia. Each got to the top through military victory, and neither has given its people a chance to express their free feelings about its continuance.

The United States can't do anything, short of war, to restore individual, political and religious freedom to the Russian people, to free them from the threat of physical terrorism and the yoke of intellectual enslavement. But that is no reason why we must ignore a similar catalog of tyrannies in Spain. That is no reason why we must strengthen the government that perpetuates those tyrannies.

Acheson realistically says the United States and Western Europe never have insisted that "Spain, which never has been a full-flowered democracy, must become so." But he does think the Spanish people must be made to realize that they cannot be accepted back "into the family of Western Europe" unless they take some steps to liberalize their government. And he thinks that this country and Western Europe should do what they can to assist the Spanish people toward that end.

When Stalin imposed the Berlin blockade to punish the Western allies, he well might have said, "This hurts me more than it hurts you." It turned out that way.

In all auto driving classes pupils flunk until they learn how to pass properly.



DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

(Copyright, 1949, By The Bell Syndicate, Inc.)
Drew Pearson says: Secretary Acheson's instructions for Paris Conference include proposal for United German Republic; Vishinsky will suggest withdrawal of troops from Germany; France will not get out of Germany.

WASHINGTON—Here is a summary of the general instructions in Secretary of State Acheson's pocket for the most important peace parley since Potsdam. It opens in Paris Monday.

1. The United States will take the position that we owe the Russians nothing for lifting the Berlin blockade, since this was merely opening in Paris Monday.

2. The State Department officials do not agree with him. Those are some of the A-B-C points of a conference which holds the peace of the world in its hand and can, if successful, set a new tide in the affairs of men.

3. The U. S. A. will propose that Russia's Eastern Germany be amalgamated with the Allies' Western Germany in one democratic republic. An election would be jointly supervised by the four powers. The recent overwhelming protest in the Russian zone makes it appear that in any free election, anti-Communists would win.

4. An Allied Control Council would be established inside Germany to inspect possible armament factories.

5. Troops Out of Germany. This brings Acheson's instructions down to the most important question of all—whether Allied troops are to be withdrawn from the country which, in 20 brief years, fomented two terrible wars. The answer to this is not easy.

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
Written for NEA Service
I always enjoy a visit with my little friend Betty Clark, the charming 12-year-old blind girl who has her own radio program, entitled "Betty Clark Sings."

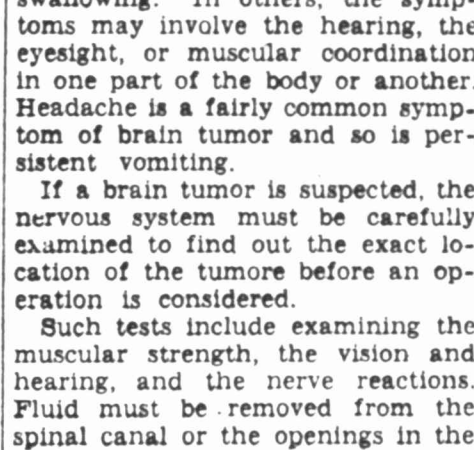
She has persuaded her radio sponsors to have a "Betty Clark Month," and the month of May was set aside. However, the sponsors announced over her program in April and that if you would save their product labels and send them during the month of May to Betty Clark, New York City, they would contribute all their profits on this merchandise to the National Council to Combat Blindness.

Betty, who uses braille cards, is determined to learn how to play bridge. I told her that one of the first things she must learn is the rules of the game.

Today and Tomorrow
By John P. Butler
Chairman, Midland County Savings Bonds Committee

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THE DOCTOR SAYS

Symptoms Of Brain Tumor Vary With Location And Size
By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.
Written for NEA Service
The cause of brain tumors is not known. Since they may occur almost anywhere inside the skull symptoms depend on where the tumor is located and its size.

QUESTIONS: Can a person have at the same time—in different parts of the body—both hypertrophic and rheumatoid arthritis?
ANSWER: Yes.

QUESTIONS: Can a person be found and successfully removed surgically?
If it is found possible to remove all of the tumor tissue they will not grow back. If the tumor has not destroyed important parts of the brain tissue, complete recovery is possible.

QUESTIONS: When was Donat's Comet last visible?
A—This comet, considered the finest of the 19th century, was visible in October, 1858; its tail reached halfway from the horizon to the zenith. Its period is 2000 years.

WASHINGTON COLUMN
Little-Known ECE Is Helping Economic Recovery In Europe

By PETER EDSON
NEA Washington Correspondent
WASHINGTON—ECE—which is the abbreviation for the United Nations Economic Commission for Europe—now is holding its fourth meeting in Geneva, Switzerland.

Among other things, the ECE report is to make a survey of the entire European economy for 1949. It attempts to cover countries both behind and in front of the iron curtain. It says industry is up 16 per cent, agriculture up 12 per cent, over 1947.

It finds that the rate of capital investment in the Communist bloc countries is far below that of the Western European countries. It suggests that the remedy for this must be greater investment of American capital in the less developed countries. And it says the present system of Marshall Plan grants to Europe cannot solve Europe's problems of trade deficits, lack of dollars and resulting lower standard of living.

ECE is not as well known in the United States as ERP and ECA—the Economic Recovery Program and the Economic Cooperation Administration which make up the Marshall Plan. But ECE is the older organization. It first was proposed in the United Nations Economic and Social Council in March, 1947.

Its purposes were to aid economic reconstruction in Europe and to strengthen the economic relations of European countries with each other and with the rest of the world. All of the European countries in the United Nations and the United States were made members of ECE. It was established and open for business in June, 1947.

This was just about the time Secretary of State George C. Marshall was making his Harvard speech in which he proposed American aid for British Foreign Minister Ernest Bevin and other European statesmen grabbed for the life preserver thrown them by Secretary Marshall, they did not make a similar grab for the straw offered them by the United Nations in ECE.

Nevertheless ECE has done some good. When Russian Foreign Minister Molotov decided at Paris he would have none of the Marshall Plan and when the Soviet forced Czechoslovakia and Poland to withdraw from it, ECE became the sole organization in which representatives of Eastern European and Western European countries could work together for economic recovery.

ECE held two meetings in 1947. They were largely organizational. Its third session was held at Geneva, where it is now headquartered just a year ago. At this 1948 ECE meeting, Russian and satellite members pulled their usual trick of using the commission as a sounding board for their propaganda. It was chiefly concerned with denouncing the Marshall Plan and the European Economic Community and the United Nations.

It has been of considerable power, food, housing, raw materials, and other necessities. ECE also set up a European Central Inland Transportation Organization. It has been of considerable

Marsupial crossword puzzle grid with clues and a picture of a marsupial.

Answers to previous puzzles including CHICKEN HAWK and other words.

Questions and Answers

Q—When was Donat's Comet last visible?
A—This comet, considered the finest of the 19th century, was visible in October, 1858; its tail reached halfway from the horizon to the zenith. Its period is 2000 years.

Q—In what major league baseball game did all the players on one team begin and end the game with identical batting averages?
A—The opening game of the 1940 season in which Bob Feller of the Cleveland Indians pitched a no-hit game against the Chicago White Sox. The Chicago batters had averages of .000 when the game began and .000 at the end.

Q—Who started circulating libraries in this country?
A—Benjamin Franklin organized the first circulating library in the United States.

Q—When were intoxicating drinks first made?
A—Intoxicating drinks made from grapes, barley and other grains were known as early as 2000 B. C.

Q—Are the magnetic poles stationary?
A—Scientists believe that the magnetic poles are not stationary because changes have been observed in the direction of the magnetic needle from year to year. Their motion is undoubtedly very slow.

ISLAND OF ESCAPE

By Hugh Lawrence Nelson
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THE STORY: Lisa Cosgrove, who secretly admits she came to Sperry Island not to become the wife of a wealthy man, but to find out if her lover is really the man she loves.

"THAT'S not much for a person to leave," Nona said. She picked up the sweater. "Lilly Warren. Good time Lilly! Blow your head off Lilly. It won't hurt as much as going on."

"I don't know. Maybe because he thinks he's so smart. Pretends to be, I mean, while he plays his silly games. He puts up a good front all right, and hides behind it. Because he's jelly inside. And then, too, Mollie's got him."

'Battle Of The Police Chiefs'



(NEA Telephoto) Things have returned to normal in Litchfield, Ill., as the "battle of the police chiefs" ended through a City Council vote. The town had two police chiefs patrolling the streets several days when the new mayor appointed Leroy Franklin, right. R. G. Stiefel wouldn't give up his keys until Franklin was confirmed by the council. Stiefel checks his watch against the almost-expired parking meter while Franklin waits to write the ticket.

Forrestal—

(Continued from page 1) ed to Sophocles' "Chorus from Ajax." That poem tells of profound and hopeless tragedy.

In the back of the book was a piece of hospital memorandum paper in which Forrestal had copied, in a firm hand, the first 26 lines of the doleful poem.

The man who found solace in the poem and then in never waking sleep was exhausted by work and worried by critics. When he was brought to the hospital, a doctor there said his condition was directly the result of excessive work. At that time, the doctor said "the only psychiatric symptoms present are those associated with a state of excessive fatigue."

The same day, Rep. Rankin (D-Miss.) mentioned Forrestal's condition in a House speech. Rankin said Radio Commentator Drew Pearson had made "a vicious attack" on the ex-secretary by broadcasting a report on Forrestal's reported mental condition. Rankin said he was going to ask the Communications Commission to "prevent such inhuman abuses."

Sacrifice And Labor
One after another, the tributes from the great rang the same note. Sacrifice and labor for America.

The court of inquiry in the case was ordered by Rear Admiral M. D. Willcutts, commandant of the Naval Medical Center. Just exactly what it might examine was not certain. From statements of officials at the hospital, this story was reconstructed.

In the weeks that followed Forrestal's entry for treatment, he seemed to be on the road to complete recovery. He received visitors, among them President Truman, made phone calls, read the paper.

But when the patient's bedtime came Saturday night he declined to take the usual sedative. Choosing a time when attendants were elsewhere on his 16th floor, Forrestal left his room (carefully avoiding going through another room of his suite in which a doctor was located), walked diagonally across a corridor to a diet kitchen. There, the window, unlike that of his own room, had no tightly secured wire screen.

Cord Twisted About Neck
A nurse on the seventh floor heard the thud of his body as it struck an offset of the building about the third floor. He was dead when attendants rushed to the spot. His bathrobe belt cord was twisted tightly around his neck.

Admiral Willcutts told reporters: "That type of suicide is impossible to prevent. You can't take a man of that brilliance and put a guard over him all the time. There were fewer and fewer restrictions as his condition improved."

Plans for the funeral — including whether there will be a military burial for the World War I veteran and former cabinet member — were left to Mrs. Forrestal.

She flew in from Paris Monday aboard the presidential plane, the Independence, with her son, Michael, an employe of the Economic Cooperation Administration in Paris. In the belief her husband was recovering satisfactorily, she had gone to France to find a place for him to convalesce.

Man Fined At Crane As Aftermath From Two-Couple Melee
CRANE—James L. Blackman was fined \$200 and costs in county court here Monday on charges of aggravated assault in connection with a brawl between he and his wife and another couple near here Saturday. A 60-day jail sentence was suspended.

W. N. Hancock plead not guilty on similar charges and bond was set at \$500 subject to a hearing July 18.

Mrs. Blackman was released from a hospital Monday. She suffered a fractured skull, it was reported.

Mrs. Hancock also was injured in the melee.

The Blackmans reportedly are from Odessa and the Hancocks from Crane.

FIRE DAMAGES AUTO
Midland police Sunday received a report from the Big Spring Police Department that T. A. Devore, Jr., of Midland lost his automobile in a blaze four miles west of Big Spring early Sunday. No injuries were reported.

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GI's Held By Czechs Released; Tell Tales Of Threats, Beating

FRANKFURT, GERMANY —(AP)—Two American GI's who were held in Czech prisons six months as "spies" said Monday beatings and threats had not broken their spirits.

The two, Recruits George Jones of Owensboro, Ky., and Clarence R. Hill of Pampa, Texas, were released Sunday, Czech President Klement Gottwald, bowing to strong American pressure, gave the men a "pardon."

Jones had been sentenced to 10 years and Hill 12 by a secret Czech court for "espionage."

At the Czech-German border the men were turned over to U. S. Lt. Col. Charles Y. Talbot.

When locked in Czech prisons "We always felt sure we'd get back to the American zone of Germany before too long," they explained in a telephone interview.

Possible Court Martial
They face possible U. S. Army court martial on charges of being absent without leave at the time they were arrested by the Czechs.

"That's right," said Jones. "We were quite often hungry. The food was not too bad, but we didn't get enough of it."

The two soldiers said they were manhandled when first arrested. "For a week or ten days in the first part of December," said Hill, "we moved around from jails in Pilsen to jails in Prague and back to jails in Pilsen."

"They told us they wanted information from us. When we wouldn't talk, they beat us on the back, on the head, and on the feet. Sometimes they used sticks, sometimes hard rubber billy clubs."

Ridiculed "Trial"
Hill continued: "I once was beaten so badly I could not put my shoes on. Jones was knocked unconscious once. Who did it? Czech police. Everybody who questioned us or guarded us was Czech."

Hill said he and Jones crossed into Czechoslovakia "when we lost our way."

He denied emphatically the two men were spying and ridiculed their "trial."

"They read the charges in Czech, snapped their fingers a couple of times, had a couple of recesses and then announced 'ten and twelve years.'"

Jones and Hill said so far they had not had time to get in touch with their relatives at home. "But they shouldn't worry. It is good to be back—even if we have to face another trial," said Hill.

FALL PROVES FATAL TO PASADENA SCHOOLBOY
HOUSTON —(AP)—Wallace Eugene Boggs, 17, of Pasadena, due to be elected captain of Pasadena High's 1950 basketball team, died Sunday afternoon after a fall in a bathtub.

Young Boggs, a letterman in basketball and football, fell while taking a shower and struck his head on the tub.

TO MEET AT HOTEL
The noon luncheon meeting of the Midland Optimist Club will be held in the private dining room of the Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday.

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Dutra Addresses Congress



(NEA Telephoto) President Truman, left, joins in the applause for President Eurico Gaspar Dutra of Brazil after Dutra finished his address to a joint session of Congress. On the rostrum behind Dutra is Senator Kenneth McKellar, president pro-tem of the Senate, and Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn.

FINE ASSESSED
A Midland negro male was fined \$25 in City Court Monday on a charge of disturbing the peace. Police said a pistol was involved in the incident.

MONDAY MORNING FIRE
Midland firemen Monday morning extinguished a blaze on a bulldozer at the city dump. Considerable damage to the machine was reported. The bulldozer is property of the City of Midland.

San Angelo Pilot Dies In Jet Crash

WILLIAMS AIR FORCE BASE, ARIZ.—(AP)—A collision of two F-30 Shooting Star jet planes Friday night killed first Lt. William H. Driskill, 27, San Angelo.

Officials here announced Sunday night that the body of Driskill, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Driskill of San Angelo, had been found in the cockpit of his jet fighter 35 miles southeast of here.

Cadet Robert G. Jones, 21, Baltimore, Md., pilot of the other plane in the 25,000-foot-high crash, has not yet been found.

Driskill was a veteran of World War II and served 30 months in the Pacific Theater.

MIDLANDERS BACK FROM BAPTIST CONVENTION
The Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Yearby and the Rev. Raymond Hall of the First Baptist Church returned late Saturday from Oklahoma City, where they attended the 92nd annual session of the Southern Baptist Convention. Mrs. Hall will return to Midland later this week after a visit with her parents in Tulsa.

Western Plastic Is On Top In Softball; Play Again Monday

The softball card at Wadley Field Monday night brings together The Reporter-Telegram and Rendezvous in the first game and Joe's Gulf and Western Plastic in the nightcap. First game is slated at 7 p.m.

Friday night, Western Plastic smothered The Reporter-Telegram 16 to 1 and Joe's Gulf stopped Rendezvous 11 to 5.

The league is entering its third week of play. Here are the standings:

Team	W	L	Pct
Western Plastic	3	0	1.000
Joe's Gulf	2	1	.666
Shell	2	1	.666
Rebels	2	1	.666
Rotary Engineers	1	2	.333
Reporter-Telegram	0	3	.000
Rendezvous	0	3	.000

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Weekend Violence Claims At Least 26 Texas Lives

By The Associated Press
At least 26 persons died violently in Texas over the weekend.

Traffic accidents took 13 lives, six persons drowned—five of them in one boating accident at Lake Brownwood—three died of gunshot wounds, one of an electric shock, one from a fall, one a suicide by hanging, and the twenty-sixth from stab wounds.

Three persons died and ten were injured Sunday in five highway accidents near Amarillo. The dead were Mrs. Charlotte Brodie, Indianapolis, Ind., Edward L. Baker, Shaker Heights, Ohio, and Mrs. May Mc Bennett, Los Angeles. Mrs. Brodie and Baker were killed in a collision near Jericho, while Mrs. Mc Bennett was killed in an accident near the Amarillo Municipal Airport.

Students In Auto Crash
Hoyt Dean Burns, 17, San Antonio, drowned Sunday while swimming at Corpus Christi.

At Fort Worth Sunday, a traffic collision killed Carl Underwood, 21, a NTSC student, and injured two SMU football players, Gene (Chicken) Roberts, 21, Teague, and Carl Mosely, 25, Dundee, and a TCU student, Graford Campbell.

A car killed an elderly, unidentified man late Saturday night near Arlington. Leonard Gaston Fiedler, 36, was killed at Fort Worth when he touched an electric wire at his home. And Reuben DAVIS, 40, serving a fourth Texas prison term, hanged himself at the Ramsey Prison Farm No. 2, near Angleton.

Five Drown At Brownwood
The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Logan, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Greer and Ben Russell were taken from 30 feet of water on Lake Brownwood Saturday night.

One of the five appeared to have fallen overboard and the boat apparently capsized while the other four persons were trying a rescue Sunday night. The dead were Mr. and Mrs. Glen Weldon Selman of Fort Worth, occupants of one truck, and Ray D. Matheson, 47, of White Deer, driver of the second truck.

At Beaumont, Lee Bonura, 50, was shot to death, apparently in an attempted robbery at his liquor store.

Near Borger, Clovis Robison, 24, of Borger, was killed in a truck-auto collision.

Stabbing, Shooting
At Dallas, Jerry Lewis, 23, was stabbed to death, and Louis Conley, 39, was shot to death.

Joseph Espert Shipp, Jr., 24, of Snyder, died of injuries received in a highway accident southeast of Wichita Falls.

Friday, William Major Padgett, 76, died of a gunshot wound at Dallas. Police said he had been in ill health.

James Floyd Nicholson, six, died after a fall from his bicycle at Dallas.

The collision of two autos west of Odessa killed Robert Edgar Beggs of Midland.

T Sgt. Roy Temple Harris, Jr., of Richmond, Va., was killed in an auto accident near Longview.

And Ennis Ard, 67, injured at Houston in a traffic accident Friday, died Saturday.

LUKER HEADS DISTRICT LUTHERAN LAYMEN'S LEAGUE
FORT WORTH —(AP)—A Wichita Falls man, Martin Luker, is the new president of Lone Star District, Lutheran Laymen's League.

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Young Movie Actor Larrups Golf's Top Hands In Inquirer

PHILADELPHIA—(P)—A movie star won the \$15,000 Philadelphia Inquirer tournament Sunday from a field studded with many of the sport's top stars.

And young Joe Kirkwood, Jr., in Hollywood he's the movie version of Joe Palooka—did it in a fashion that convinced spectators and opponents alike. His 276 score for 72 holes was 12 strokes under par—a new competitive record for Whitemarsh Valley County Club's 6,670-yard layout. Along the victory road he shot a 66 on the second round that also was a stroke better than the old course record.

Joe finished all by himself. Johnny Palmer of Badin, N. C., carded 280, a shot better than his own winning total in 1948. It was just

STANDINGS

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

Longhorn League
MIDLAND 5, BIG SPRING 2.
Odessa 5, Vernon 4.
San Angelo 16, Roswell 12.
Sweetwater 14, Ballinger 8.

West Texas-New Mexico League
Albuquerque 14-3, Abilene 3-7.
Lamesa 7, Amarillo 2.
Lubbock 9, Borger 5.
Pampa 12, Clovis 4.

Texas League
Dallas 9, Fort Worth 5.
Shreveport 8-7, Beaumont 3-6.
Houston 5, San Antonio 2.
Tulsa 11, Oklahoma City 8.

National League
Boston 7, Chicago 2.
St. Louis 3-4, New York 2-13.
Philadelphia 6, Pittsburgh 5.
Brooklyn 3-0, Cincinnati 0-2.

American League
Boston 3, Detroit 2 (12 innings).
Philadelphia 5-7, Cleveland 4-3.
Chicago 6, Washington 4.
St. Louis at New York, rain.

Gillam Hurls Easy Win; Rose Bats In Four Runs

The Midland Indians go against the Big Spring Broncs in the final game of their three-game series in Indian Park at 8:15 p.m. Monday.

Weldon Stewart has been named to start for Midland and Lefty Heppner probably will have for Big Spring.

The Indians hit the road Tuesday for three games in San Angelo and three in Big Spring. They return to Indian Park next Monday for a stand against Odessa.

By SHORTY SHELburnE

The Midland Indians took all the wild stories about how tough the Big Spring Broncs are and chucked them out the window Sunday afternoon. Wild stories didn't mean a thing to Bill Gilliam. He tossed a brilliant seven-hitter to quiet the big bats of the Broncs and posted a 5 to 2 win for his second victory of the season.

The Midland infield and outfield played their finest defensive game of the season. Julian Pressley worked to perfection at third base, starting three double plays to help out in the pinches. Stanley Hughes and Bob Rose continued their fine work at shortstop and second. Warren Siler worked well.

Lowell Adams made a one-hand catch in left field that equaled anything we have seen this season. Gus Pena worked like D. Maggio in the center garden and Carrel Nipp covered the ground in right.

Needless to say, Kenny Jones was on the ball as usual.

Handcuffed Broncs

With all this, Gilliam's chore was made easier. But the fielding was not to take anything from his pitcher. The Broncs' Rookie that he is, Gilliam stopped the hard-hitting Pat Stasey with nothing in four trips at the plate and had the other Broncs biting.

Except for a prize boner on the part of Base Umpire Hammond, Gilliam would have registered a shutout. With two away in the

third, Ace Mendez hit a grounder to Pressley at third. Pressley fielded it cleanly and threw to first. The throw was a little wide but Warren Siler took it and tagged Mendez as he went by. Hammond ruled Mendez was the third. But as fate would have it where a rookie umpire is in the play, the next man doubled and sent Mendez across. Hernandez was on base and scored on Mendez's incident. Those two were all Big Spring registered.

Bob Rose

Julian Pressley and Nipp singled in succession in the fifth and advanced on two infield outs. Rose then punched a single over second to plate both runners.

The final tally came in the seventh. Lowell Adams bounced a line-drive triple off the rightfield wall and again Rose singled to push in the run.

Nipp and Rose tied for hitting honors with a double and two singles each.

Big Spring

Gomez, cf 4 0 0 5 0
Mendez, cf 4 1 1 2 0
Ramirez, 1b 4 0 2 9 0
Stasey, rf 4 0 1 4 0
Pascual, 3b 3 0 1 0 3
Vasquez, ss 4 0 1 0 0
Valdez, c 4 0 1 4 1
Hernandez, 2b 3 1 1 1 2
Rodriguez, p 1 0 0 1 1

Midland

Hughes, ss 2 1 1 2 1
Siler, 1b 5 0 1 10 2
Jones, c 5 0 2 3 0
Pressley, 3b 5 1 1 2 5
Nipp, rf 5 2 3 0 0
Pena, cf 4 0 1 4 0
Fillimo, lf 2 0 0 0 0
Adams, lf 2 1 1 1 0
Rose, 2b 4 0 3 4 3
Gilliam, p 3 0 0 1 2

Totals

Big Spring 37 5 13 37 13
Midland 202 20 90 2
Errors—Ramirez, Pascual 2, Vasquez; Hughes. Runs batted in—Mendez, Ramirez; Rose 4. Two base hits—Ramirez; Nipp, Rose. Three base hit—Adams. Stolen bases—Mendez; Hughes 2; Siler. Sacrifices—Rodriguez; Gilliam. Double plays—Rodriguez to Valdez; Ramirez; Pressley to Rose to Siler 2; Pressley to Siler. Left on bases—Big Spring 5; Midland 12. Bases on balls—off Rodriguez 3; Gilliam 2. Strikeouts—by Rodriguez 3; Gilliam 3. Umpires—Eiler and Hammond. Time—1:55.

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Big Fry



Walter Purdy doesn't have to ask anybody how to cook an eight and one-quarter pound, 26-inch brown trout he hooked at Ausable Chasm, N.Y. The Shenectady chef landed the prize after a 35-minute battle.

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MAJOR LEAGUES

Bosox Win Again As Parnell Shines

By JOE REICHLER
Associated Press Sports Writer

The Boston Red Sox can thank their lucky stars for Pitcher Mel Parnell.

The 26-year-old sophomore has made seven starts and completed them all. He has won six and lost one.

The blond six-footer had to wait until the twelfth before he was able to eke out a 3-2 decision over Virgil Trucks and the Detroit Tigers.

Mel drove in two runs including the game-winning single. The Philadelphia Athletics whipped Cleveland twice Sunday, 5-4 and 7-3. The crippled world champions now are in seventh place.

Ken Raffensberger, veteran left-hander of the Cincinnati Reds, shut out Brooklyn 2-0 on one hit in the second game of a doubleheader in Cincinnati. The Dodgers took the opener 3-0.

Braves Catch Giants

The Boston Braves tied the New York Giants for the National League leadership, beating the Chicago Cubs 7-2 while the Giants divided a doubleheader with the Cardinals in St. Louis. The Redbirds won the opener 3-2 on Stan Musial's three-run homer in the third. The Giants walloped six pitchers in the finale for a 13-4 triumph.

Dick Sisler's pinch-hit double in the ninth scored Jack Mayo with the run that gave the Philadelphia Phillies a 6-5 victory over Pittsburgh in the first game of a scheduled doubleheader. The second game was postponed by rain.

The Chicago White Sox scored all their runs in the last two innings to defeat Washington 6-4.

Rain washed out the doubleheader between the St. Louis Browns and New York Yankees in New York.

Longhorn League—Tribes, Oilers Gain Notch By Trimming Broncs And Dusters

By The Associated Press

The third-place Midland Indians and the fourth-place Odessa Oilers are a game nearer the top of the Longhorn League baseball standings Monday.

Midland defeated the first-place Big Spring Broncs 5-2 Sunday while Odessa squeezed past second-place Vernon 5-4. Fifth-place San Angelo beat Roswell 16-12. And the cellar crew from Sweetwater trounced seventh-place Ballinger 14-8.

Midland defeated Big Spring with two runs in the fifth inning on bingles by Nipp and Pressley.

Odessa bunched four hits and a hit batsman in the seventh for three runs.

Jake McClain drove in seven runs to lead San Angelo. Sweetwater scored seven runs in the eighth frame to decision Ballinger.

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Hearings Start On Truman Health Plan

WASHINGTON—(P)—Senate hearings on President Truman's health insurance program started Monday with an Administration claim it is the only alternative to state medicine.

J. Donald Kingsley, acting federal security administrator, said the nation already is supporting a huge program of state medicine with an estimated 24,000,000 citizens receiving various kinds of federal medical care.

"I am firmly and honestly convinced," Kingsley told a Senate Labor subcommittee, "that nothing short of the social insurance method can prevent the further and eventually the complete substitution of state for private medicine."

The issue of how to go about providing medical and hospital care on a broader basis is one of the most controversial to come before Congress in a long time.

There is hardly any chance the legislators will take any final action at this session. The calendar is too crowded.

Starting Kick

Husband-coach Jan checks the height of Mrs. Fanny Blankers-Koen's high-kicking exercise at McCombs Dam Park, Bronx, N. Y. The Dutch housewife won four gold medals in the Olympic Games, holds six world track and field records, shares another. She flew from Amsterdam to make three American appearances.

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THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, MAY 23, 1949-7

by SHORTHY SHELburnE

MONDAY MORNING NOTES—Julian Pressley, Midland Indian outfielder, still is homeless in Midland. The situation is getting desperate now. Mrs. Pressley and the new daughter are ready to move here but they definitely can't live in the park. What about it, landlords? Can't you notify Sports Slants of an apartment or small house you will rent to the Pressleys? He's willing to pay a fair price.

—SS—
We've had many inquires on the opening date for swimming pools here. The best hope we can get follows: The pool at the VFW Hall seven miles west of Midland is scheduled to open Friday or Saturday. The opening has been slowed due to the frequent rains during the last few days. Just about the time everything was set for painting the pool it would rain again and the water would have to be pumped out. But, if it doesn't rain at the wrong time again, the pool will be open for weekend bathers.

The pool at Pagoda Park will open June 4, according to Garvin Beuchamp who will direct the operations during the summer. The pool will be used in the recreation program, too.

—SS—
The Midland Indians have played one complete round in the Lonehorn League now and they still are able to hold a position in the first division.

Vernon and Big Spring have the toughest teams we have seen. With a little luck, the Dusters could gain and hold the first place berth now held by Big Spring.

—SS—
If a fellow took the Associated Press releases for a pattern, he'd think Harold Webb had a new bunch of rookies on the ball club. Carri Nipp has been most frequent victim of the AP's miscues. They have listed his name as Hipp, Nipp and a couple of other things. When you see those names in the Midland lineup, fans, they're not new players. It's just the Associated Press getting the wrong accent. Last year—Clyde, Big Bill, Floyd, Bud Perry was the victim.

—SS—
We predict Kenney Jones, Indian catcher, will hit some home runs before many days pass. He blasted three doubles in Saturday night's game against Big Spring and every one of them looked like it was going over the fence.

He won't keep missing forever. When a batter hits the ball with as much power as Kenney has, he'll break into the home run column sooner or later.

—SS—
NOTE TO SOFTBALL TEAM MANAGERS: When your team plays a game in the Midland Softball League, please relay the score and other information to the till to Sports Slants. Due to the conflict in the baseball and softball schedules, we are not able to cover both.

We'll be glad to give you coverage in the paper if you will get the information to us. Just telephone 3000.

—SS—
Joe DiMaggio was scheduled to start his comeback Monday. He wasn't slated for the lineup but was due to take batting and fielding practice in preparation for his return as a starter sometime this week.

They always say, "As goes DiMaggio, so go the Yankees." We're inclined to disagree with that reasoning. The Yankees have been doing plenty without DiMaggio.

If, and when, he is able to make a hand in centerfield, the Yankees will be just that much more to the good.

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Midland Shooters Take Honors Here

George Glass, Sr., and George Glass, Jr., teamed up to post another bunch of victories and add several trophies to their collections in the first championship shoot of the West Texas Skeet Shooting Association held here Saturday and Sunday at the Midland Gun Club ranges.

When the Glass father-and-son combination gathered all the honors they could, the other shooters split the remaining prizes fairly equal. D. W. Conway and Bill Fields, respectively, took a good share of the other prizes home. Wright Cowden also shone for Midland.

Roy Myers of Tornillo nosed out Glass Sr. for the all-bore spot. Myers broke 149 birds out of 150 while Glass shot a 148 for runner-up.

D. W. Conway knocked down 341 targets out of 350 to annex the high over-all honors. Bill Fields, Sr., was runnerup with a 331.

Conway also won the sub-small event. He fired a 46 out of 50 and runnerup Bill Fields, Sr., shot a 45.

Fields took the small gauge shoot with a remarkable 50 out of 50. He had to shoot perfectly to nose out Glass, Sr., who fired a 49.

Conway rolled again in the 20-

BOWLING

The Men's Summer Bowling League got underway here last week with Browne's Magnolia winning two games from Union Oil, Honolulu taking two from Checker Cab and Churchill Distributing Company winning two from Pearl Beer.

Browne's took high series with a 2,024 and Pearl took high team game with a 728.

Individual honors went to Charles Thomas who rolled 202 for high game and 454 for series.

The standings are:

Team	W	L
Browne's	2	1
Churchill	2	1
Honolulu	2	1
Union	1	2
Pearl	1	2
Checker Cab	1	2

Results in last week's matches follow:

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Browne's	144	155	111	410
Butler	133	148	145	426
Shirley W	146	128	156	430
Koch	114	97	136	347
Duncan, P	148	121	122	391
Turman, B.	148	121	122	391
Totals	705	649	670	2024

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Union	134	130	121	385
Jorgensen	152	171	111	434
Dyess	146	132	140	418
Beatty	111	131	131	373
Trimble	151	148	106	405
Totals	694	712	609	2015

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Honolulu	131	139	122	392
Gibson	114	105	99	318
Atchison	103	121	109	333
Cole	133	168	132	433
Falanes	136	116	166	418
Slover	114	97	136	347
Totals	617	649	624	1894

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Checker Cab	129	119	111	359
Van Notta	131	124	105	360
Parsons	152	133	115	400
Carroll	111	90	143	344
King, H.	139	135	142	416
King, F.	139	135	142	416
Totals	662	601	616	1879

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Churchill	122	98	115	335
Ogden	109	122	133	364
Hunter	130	120	106	356
McQuay	120	155	75	350
Shambien	134	152	185	471
Hyatt	134	152	185	471
Totals	615	647	658	1920

Team	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Pearl	122	123	126	371
Baker	115	123	127	365
Chase	109	126	145	380
Mays	125	202	127	454
Thomas	132	154	124	410
Witte	132	154	124	410
Totals	603	728	649	1980

Texas League—Sports Climb Back To Second Place In Fancy Twin-Killing

By The Associated Press
Shreveport used Ed Gysen as a stepping stone back into second place in the Texas League. The Beaumont pitcher is one who will argue the Sports are aptly named. Shreveport won the first game of a doubleheader Sunday 8-3, and Gysen was charged with the loss. The Sports won the second 7-6, and Gysen was recorded as the loser again.

In other games, Dallas stayed three and one-half games ahead of Shreveport by thumping Fort Worth 9-3; San Antonio stayed in third despite a 2-1 licking by Houston, and Tulsa jumped on Oklahoma City 11-8.

Shreveport chased Gysen in the first inning of the opening game with a four-run outburst. In the second game, Gysen relieved Kent Sterling in the fourth inning—as the Sports were off on another four-run spree.

Home Runs To Blame
Ben Guintini hit two home runs and scored five runs himself to lead Dallas to an easy victory. Roy Sanner gained credit for his third victory against no defeats.

Houston used five free passes from Frank Biscan to good advantage in the first three innings and chalked up four runs in this span to go on and beat the Missions.

A seven-run sixth inning gave Tulsa its decision and also gave Dave Jolly his sixth victory. Jolly survived a five-run barrage in the first.

Look Who's Here?



Johnny Hopp slides on his belly attempting to stretch a single into a double at Ebbets Field, but Right Fielder Carl Furillo has the ball in Pee Wee Reese's glove, and the shortstop simply waits for the Pirates' pinch-hitter to tag himself. The Dodgers plastered the Pittsburgh club, 11-6.

Wildlife Federation Plans Subdivisions

AUSTIN—(AP)—A plan to subdivide the Texas Wildlife Federation into seven districts has been drawn up for final consideration at an October meeting.

Representatives of the federation ended a two-day meeting here Sunday.

The statewide group, which now works through affiliated clubs, would be streamlined into seven districts with each to have definite lines of authority.

In order to place a vice president in charge of each district the proposal calls for two new vice presidents. There would be quarterly meetings instead of semi-annual sessions.

The seven districts, with headquarters in the hometowns of the regional heads, would be:

Central Texas, Conrad Fath, Austin; South Texas, Col. J. K. Boles, San Antonio; Coastal, Louis Bonner, Houston; East Texas, M. C. Joy, Bryan; Northeast Texas, John Cadwallader, Fort Worth; West

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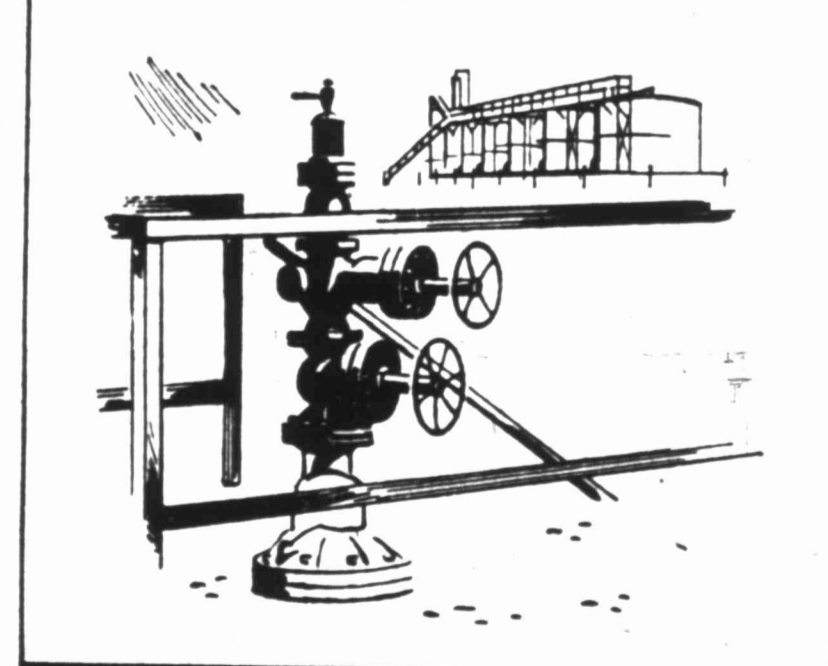
First, you have to find the oil. Geologists and geophysicists spend months of scientific study before they pronounce an area a "prospect." It takes more months to drill exploratory wells; and if they find oil, it takes years to drill the other wells that define the field, establish the amount of oil in it, and bring it into full production.

Today, this year, continuously, we must develop the oil resources we may need — without notice — on some future tomorrow.

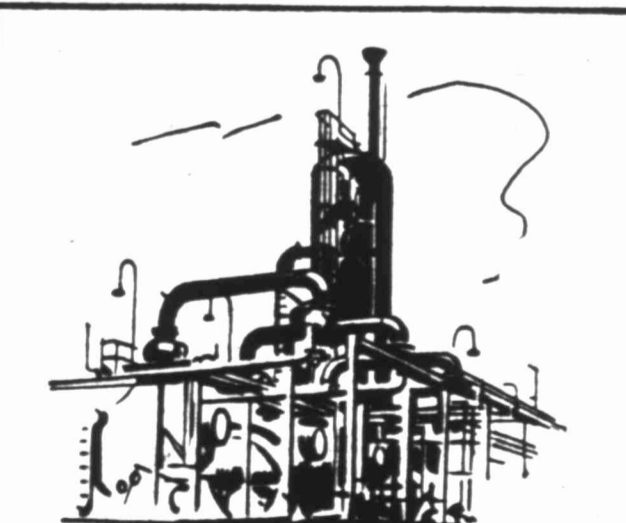
In spite of minor fluctuations in demand, the need for oil has increased steadily over the years; and every now and again, there is a sudden, heavy, unexpected need for additional supplies, like the demand for fuel oil on the Eastern seaboard during the cold winter of 1947-48. Furthermore, we must face the fact that in this atomic era, in this day of the jet airplane and the long-range submarine, the U. S. oil industry must prepare now to meet the needs of any future national emergency.

That's why the American oil industry is undertaking the heavy costs of exploring the Tidelands of the continental shelf in order to bring the oil fields that geologists think are there into full production now. Rest assured that the oil will not be wasted; on the contrary, it will be ready for instant use when you and the nation need it.

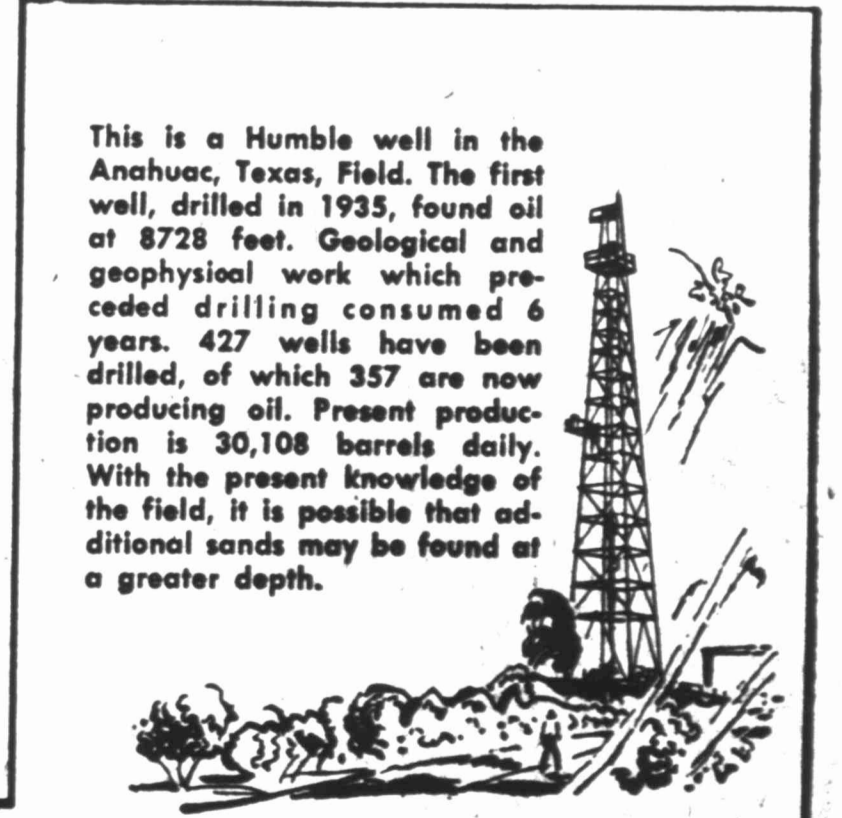
This is Humble production in the Friendswood, Texas, field. Exploratory work was begun here in 1928; and the discovery well was drilled in 1937. By 1941, Humble had 211 producing wells in the field; these wells supplied 66,110,000 barrels of oil toward the winning of World War II.



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This alkylate plant was placed in operation by Humble at Baytown refinery in 1938. Alkylate is an essential element in the manufacture of aviation gasoline, and by December 14, 1944, Baytown had provided a billion gallons of 100-octane gasoline for Allied airplanes.



This is a Humble well in the Anahuac, Texas, field. The first well, drilled in 1935, found oil at 8728 feet. Geological and geophysical work which preceded drilling consumed 6 years. 427 wells have been drilled, of which 357 are now producing oil. Present production is 30,108 barrels daily. With the present knowledge of the field, it is possible that additional sands may be found at a greater depth.

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Midland, Area Pupils Get McMurry Degrees

Sona Louise Meissner of Midland will receive a B. A. degree in English at the twenty-sixth annual commencement exercises of McMurry College, Abilene, Tuesday. William Douglas Cook of McCamey also will receive a degree in physical education. Taylor R. Van Zandt, Andrews, history, and Jackson W. Fielder, Big Spring, speech, will receive degrees in August.

Read the Classifieds.

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Boy Scout Ranch To Offer Fascinating, Varied Activities

Few, if any camps of any kind in America will offer a more fascinating and varied program than the Buffalo Trail Council at its Summer camp on the council-owned 6,000-acre Scout Ranch in the Davis Mountains. It was pointed out Monday by Dr. P. T. Quast, chairman of camping for the 17 West Texas counties making up the council.

Among new program features will be trap shooting and marksmanship with moving targets, trail archery and fly casting. These varied sports will be directed by Bill Ayler of North Cowden, who will attend a national sports training course at Lake Constantine this month where he will receive instruction from some of the nation's leading experts in these sports.

Another new feature will be horseback riding along improved trails. An unusual opportunity will be offered those Scouts interested to learn something about shoeing horses and burros. The ranch is equipped with a complete horse-shoeing outfit and the ranch custodian, Jess Turner, will give the instruction.

Still another added attraction will be the demonstration and activity area where Scouts may observe and practice some of the best known camping skills such as tent erection and ditching, types of cooking fires, cooking with and without utensils, sanitation facilities, axe and knife handling, and camp gadgets. This part of the program will serve as an orientation course at the beginning of each week's camp period. Also there will be opportunity to learn how to pack burros using the diamond hitch.

Program Highlight One of the program highlights will be Indian lore, making Indian costumes and learning Indian dances and chants. Handicraft in leather and metal as well as a craft strip will be available. In addition to all this there will be swimming, hiking, burro pack trips, ropework, games, stalking, nature lore, pioneering, campfires, pack making, exploring, Scout advancement, Order of the Arrow, fellowship and free time. One thousand Scouts are expected at the camp.

Visits in Angelo Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins and daughter, Lorraine, were in San Angelo Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. A. Collins, who is in a hospital there.

Daddy Ringtail

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And Whistle Willow Tree

Sammy and Bobby, early one morning, sat up in bed with their eyes wide open. No more sleep for them! They had wanted to wake up early because there was something they wanted to do. Daddy Ringtail had promised about it.

Sammy and Bobby sat very still, each in his bed, trying to remember. Then Sammy shouted: "I remember! The Whistle Willow Tree!" And Bobby remembered too. Daddy Ringtail had promised to take them to the Whistle Willow tree to get willow whistles.

Now the Whistle Willow tree was a tree that grew along the river right by the Happy Pool, many miles away from the monkey house. The Whistle Willow tree had whistles that grew on it. But you had to be careful in cutting them off, not to use the knife too much, or else the whistle wouldn't blow.

Daddy Ringtail knew exactly how to do it, and so Sammy and Bobby jumped out of bed. They ran to the kitchen where Daddy Ringtail was sitting, waiting for his breakfast coffee to get cool enough to drink. The little monkeys ate their breakfast in a hurry, and then Sammy said: "Daddy Ringtail! Please hurry! You said we would go to the Whistle Willow tree today!"

But Daddy Ringtail said: "Now! Now! We have all day." Sammy and Bobby knew this, but they felt that they couldn't wait any longer. They hurried and hurried Daddy Ringtail, so that he could hardly eat his breakfast, until he took them off through the forest—on the long journey to the Whistle Willow tree. They walked and walked up the elephant path and along the Whispering River until they came at last to the Happy Pool where the Whistle Willow tree was growing. It was covered with whistles.

Daddy Ringtail was going to cut some of them off, but—"Oh, me!" he said, when he reached in his pocket for the knife he had left at home. The little monkey boys had hurried Daddy Ringtail so much he had forgotten to bring it. And without the knife—no whistles. And did you ever hurry so much you forgot to do something? That's no fun, but tomorrow I'll tell you about Daddy Ringtail and Puddin' Pie. Happy Day!

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YOU: WHY... UN...
SORRY, I SHOULD'VE LOOKED WHERE I WAS GOING!
YUM YUM

NOT AT ALL! MY FAULT! I SHOULD'VE LOOKED WHERE YOU WERE GOING!
YUM!

I'VE SAID IT TIME AND AGAIN! NOBODY CAN BE MAD AT ANYBODY WHEN THEY'RE EATING MRS. BAIRD'S BREAD!
THASS WHY I GAVE 'EM SOME!
YUM!

MRS. BAIRD'S BREAD
STAYS FRESH LONGER

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

WE'RE FROM SNOOP, THE MAGAZINE THAT MEDDLES! ARE YOU THE LAD WHO WON A VALET ON THE RADIO?

JEEPERS, I'LL HAVE TO CHANGE CLOTHES, COMB MY HAIR, BRUSH MY TEETH, AND...

DON'T BOTHER, BUB!

WE MIGHT WORK YOU IN SOME PLACE, BUT SNOOP IS MAINLY INTERESTED IN THE VALET!

MY RIGHT PROFEEL IS GENERALLY CONSIDERED QUITE PHOTOGENIC, SIR!

PRISCILLA'S POP

MOM IS ANGRY AT ME AND CARLYLE!

YOU SHOULD SAY "AT CARLYLE AND ME!"

WHY? WHAT DID YOU DO?

HOMER HOOPEE

IF I'D KNOWN WE WERE GOING TO HAVE SO MUCH COMPANY THIS AFTERNOON I WOULD HAVE GLIPPED INTO MY PEACH ORGANDIE...

DOWN WHITE ROBIN! UP RED ROBIN!

HOMER, WHEN ARE YOU AND THE MAJOR GOING TO GET THAT ROBIN NEST OUT OF OUR CAR?

IT'S OUT OF THE QUESTION NOW, MOVE! WE CAN'T CROSS A PICKET LINE!

HERE COME PICKETS TO PICKET THE PICKETS.

WHITE ROBIN GOES TO GOOD CLUB!

FORE!

DICKIE DARE

MAYBE THIS IDEA OF SWAPPING PLACES WITH UNCLE EGBERT WAS TOO OLD FASHIONED TO WORK...

...THOUGHT MYRE HOOBER WAS TRYING TO BUMP EGBERT WOULD TAKE ANOTHER TRY...

ON ON!... GOT A BITE! THERE'S SOMEONE MOVING ON THE BALCONY NOW...

BANG! POW! BANG!

BUGS BUNNY

GIVE COLLING CARD TO BUTLER

OMON DOWN, PORKY!

GETTIN' F-FANCY, AREN'T YOU... USING YOUR PET PENGUIN, TWERPO, FOR A BUTLER?

HE'S GOTTA DO SOMETHIN' 'T EARN HIS KEEP...

AN' YA HAVE TO ADMIT HE'S GOT TH' OUTFIT FER TH' JOB!

WHEN I DO TRY TO DO A NEAT JOB I GET JUMPED ON! I PUT THAT OLD LINOLEUM IN TH CANZ CUZ IT LOOKED BAD LAYIN' ALL OVER TH FRONT!

NOW IT LOOKS LIKE WE LIVE OUT OF CANZ SO MUCH THAT WE HAVE TO USE SIDE BOARDS ON OUR TRASH CANZ!

WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY

BE A MODERN GUY! BUY BANGS! BUY BANGS! BUY BANGS!

JIGGER JACKSON AND FOG CHANNEL TAKE OVER THE SYNDICATE. JAKE DOLL IS MURDERED. THEN SOME KIND OF AGREEMENT IS MADE...

JIGGER DIES, THE PONDS BUY HIS HOUSE, AND SOMEWHERE IN THE HOUSE IS THE "AGREEMENT"... H-MM?

At that moment in the Pond home...

YOU CAN KEEP THE HOUSE, MRS. POND. GIVE ME THAT ENVELOPE.

5-0-0-0...

THIS IS WHAT ALL THE FUSS IS ABOUT. AN ENVELOPE TAPED TO THE BOTTOM OF A DRAWER! I'M CONSUMED WITH CURIOSITY, MR. CHANNEL.

GIVE, MRS. POND, AND BE QUICK ABOUT IT!

I CAN'T PICTURE THAT GAL OPENING A JEWELRY STORE!

I CAN... IF THE OWNER ISN'T CAREFUL! BUY HER HOUSE, AND SOMEWHERE IN THE HOUSE IS THE "AGREEMENT"... H-MM?

SHE MUST BE THE GIRL LEW KASKY SAID HAD QUESTIONED OLDTIMERS ON THE HISTORY OF EACH BUILDING IN BUGGYWHIP... CLAIMED SHE'S WRITING A BOOK!

WHAT ABOUT THOSE RIMMERS THAT THIS ONE IS HAUNTED, GIG?

I'LL SHOW YOU WHAT I MEANT, EASY C'MON... THE GROUND FLOOR IS BOARDED UP, BUT WE CAN GET UPSTAIRS.

AUNTY DICHES HAPPY WITH PRESENT YOU BUY HER?

I FIGURED A GOVERNMENT SAVINGS BOND WAS THE BEST I COULD BUY!

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OUT OUR WAY

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LODGE NOTICES

Midland Lodge No. 621, A. F. and AM. Monday, May 23 School 7:30 p. m.; Thursday May 26, State Meeting, 7:30 p. m. Perry Collins, W. M. L. C. Stephenson, Secy.

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Midland Lodge No. 146 meet each Monday night 8:30 p. m. Odd Fellows Hall, Garden City Highway.

PUBLIC NOTICES

SEALED bids will be received in the office of the State Board of Control, Engineering Division, Austin, Texas, until 10:00 a. m. June 3, 1946 for the rental of Office Space The University of Texas, Midland, Texas for period of September 1, 1946 thru August 31, 1951. Specifications are obtainable from Board of Control, Engineering Division, Austin, Texas, and Mrs. M. E. Doss, University of Texas, Austin, Texas.

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LADY, experienced, dependable, sewing, bookbinding, typing, parcel, etc. Phone 326-W.

WELL, job, putting wanted. Phone 2662-W.

FOR RENT: 3 room unfurnished garage apartment. Phone only 1202 W. Illinois. Phone 1128-M.

NICE 3-room apt. Call 1723-J or come by. Phone 3664 after 7:30 p. m.

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FOR LEASE: San Angelo, Texas 40x60 concrete site. Approved building on 50x200 ft. lot. Call 1154 or 1471.

FOR LEASE: Ideal oil field supply house. 2000 sq. ft. Call 2000 San Angelo Texas.

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Arms-For-Europe Program May Wait, Say Senate Leaders

WASHINGTON (AP)—There was growing doubt Monday that the \$1,130,000,000 Arms-For-Europe program will be acted on during this session of Congress.

Senate leaders are saying privately the re-arming of North Atlantic Pact nations may have to wait either for a special session of Congress this fall—or until Congress meets in regular session next January.

This is the talk for the moment: The North Atlantic Pact will be called up for ratification before the session ends. Secretary of State Acheson is reported to have asked senators to consider it as quickly as possible as a psychological boost for the Americans at the Big Four Paris conference.

But the leadership is a bit wary about bringing up the arms program for the pact nations with Republicans leading an economy drive to cut down on government spending.

Collect Old Taxes, Jack Porter Urges

AUSTIN (AP)—Collection of delinquent taxes to supply the state's need for more revenue was recommended to Gov. Beauford H. Jester Monday.

H. J. (Jack) Porter, Houston oil man and Republican candidate for U. S. senator last year, wrote the governor he thought the plan would "obviate the necessity for any new taxes."

New Storm—

(Continued from Page 1) of Abilene, and DeKalb.

Mayor B. H. Freeland said there were no casualties at Baird, but that some buildings were torn up by the hail stones, some as "big as baseballs."

Ten miles north of Abilene a twister struck the Hawley area, causing severe damage to wheat. Winds Lash Fort Worth.

Fort Worth had two thunderstorms, each accompanied by gusts of 50 miles per hour. The first came at 10 p. m. and the second at 3 a. m. Hail accompanied the 3 a. m. storm and trees were uprooted all over the city. Power and telephone service was knocked out intermittently and downtown plate glass windows were blown in.

Lightning set fire to a 55,000-barrel Magnolia Petroleum Company crude oil tank at Fort Worth. Rain totaling 1.5 inches accompanied the Fort Worth storm.

Dallas also had two storms, at about the same time, but damage was limited mostly to blown-over trees.

At Corsicana, high winds and lightning accompanied a light rain, and some hail fell in the northern section of Navarro County.

State-velocity winds that struck Tarrant County Monday knocked down power lines in several outlying sections.

Several points had their highest temperatures of the year Sunday, including San Antonio with 92 and Houston with 94. Sunday's high temperature for the state was 104 at Presidio. By contrast, Dalhart in the Panhandle had a cool 49 Monday morning.

Kansas Wheat Endangered



(NEA Telephone) Al Lowe, left, agronomist at the Garden City, Kan., Agriculture Experiment Station shows Kenneth Henderson the remnant of wheat affected by a virus disease, "mosaic." Some of the wheat in this section has been plowed under. If the disease continues to spread, it is reported the damage loss may be as much as \$50,000,000.

Shanghai—

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p. m. looked to be half a mile further from the river than they were at noon.

Word from the West defenses hinted the Reds had driven to a point near the Hungjao Golf Course. That puts them at least three miles further into the suburban area. The communique said the Reds were stopped at the main defense line.

While things looked bad for the defenders, Lung-hwa Airfield resumed limited operations. Twenty planes landed and took off. Lung-hwa was inoperable for a while after the Reds shelled it from Pootung Sunday.

In the northwest the fighting had died out. No new Red pushes against Woosung, Guardian of the Whangpoo-Yangtze confluence, had developed.

The Communist radio, in the meantime, charged that five more U. S. warships, four heavy bombers and more American troops had arrived at Tsingtao, North China port used as an American base.

In Tokyo, a spokesman for the U. S. Navy branded the report as "untrue as far as we know."

Plane Evacuates Alaskan Village

FAIRBANKS, ALASKA (AP)—Villagers were being evacuated from flooded Aniak Sunday night by an amphibian SeaBee plane, bringing out six at a time.

The population of the village, 100 miles southwest of here, is about 200. The flooding Kuskokwim River, which flows into the Bering Sea to the south of the Yukon River, was reported rising a foot an hour.

Mankind's Best Friend Is A Mirror

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP)—The poor man's philosopher says:

Mankind's best friend isn't the dog. It's the mirror.

A mirror is the only thing in life that will give you back something for nothing besides an argument.

What does it give you? It gives you back yourself—great big wonderful you, the finest thing you've ever known. What greater gift can the world bestow?

You can judge a civilization by the number and quality of the mirrors it uses, and there never was a civilization that didn't have them—and love them.

The ancient Greeks had the legend of Narcissus, the beautiful boy who saw his reflection in a pool and became enamored of it. He pined away and the gods in pity turned him into a lovely flower, a pansy that through all these centuries still likes to loo' at itself in the water.

Today the average man, yawning at his unshaven face on arising, sees in the bathroom mirror something that looks more like a thorn bush than a flower. Oh, but he loves it just the same.

Looks What He Sees

Yes, he loves what he sees in the glass though he makes a wry face. For he knows that by a morning miracle he and the mirror can play their daily game of Jekyll-and-Hyde. He knows that in a few magical moments he will no longer see a face that looks like a shredded football. He will see a freshly shaven and shining countenance smiling toothily at him—a countenance luminous with sincerity and character.

All men see this face when they are alone with a mirror. And almost every woman, no matter how homely, sees therein another face—a face of desperate, ruinous beauty, a beauty that has escaped the attention of her friends.

That is the nice thing about mirrors. They are such subtle critics. You can see in them anything you see in yourself. And that makes the possibilities endless.

If anyone ever invented a mirror that said, "Oh, yeah?"—well, nobody would buy it. Look at the trouble caused by the famous mirror on the wall that answered the question: "Who's the fairest one of all?" Give mirrors voices, and the world would go down in chaos. For the mirror is the "yes man" every human being needs.

Patients To Get Library Service

The Midland Service League, in cooperation with the Midland County Library, has inaugurated a free service at Western Clinic-Hospital to provide literature for patients.

The literature consists of current periodicals and books.

The project is being handled by the Arts and Culture Committee of the club, of which Mrs. B. F. Black is chairman.

In inaugurating this work, she was assisted by Mrs. Frank Thompson. All members of the club will participate.

All types of books and magazines will be available to the patients. Children in the hospital will be provided with comic books and games will be added.

When the Midland Memorial Hospital opens it is reported this service also will be available at that facility.

The Western Clinic-Hospital, on behalf of its patients, expressed appreciation for the service.

Narcotics Taken In Drug Store Burglary

A quantity of narcotics valued at \$30 was taken in the burglary of the Service Drug of Midland late Sunday night or early Monday, Midland Police Chief Jack Ellington reported Monday.

Entrance to the building was gained by crawling through the front door. No other property had been missed at noon.

A pharmacist at the store termed the missing narcotics as of little value either in money or otherwise. He said most of the drugs were codeine.

It was the second burglary within a week here. Piggly Wiggly Store No. 1 was robbed of \$200 in cash last week.

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Price Daniel Offers To Quit Politics To Fight For Tidelands

AUSTIN—(AP)—Attorney General Price Daniel said Monday in effect he would get out of politics if that is necessary to win unified support in Texas' fight for its tidelands.

The attorney general in a statement urged Texans to continue their firm stand against "the federal attempt to take the tidelands away from the public school fund."

"Our case is not lost," he said. "The fight has just begun, and we are going to win in the court Congress, if Texans themselves do not weaken or give up the fight."

"This has been my position on this subject constantly for two years, and I hope the people and especially the newspapers will not at this late date attribute future political significance to my actions."

"I had rather win the tidelands case than hold any public office that exists, and if it becomes necessary for me to remove myself from unsolicited speculation on the political scene in order to maintain united support on this case, I shall do so without hesitation."

Political Attraction Daniel frequently has been mentioned as a top candidate for governor in 1950.

Also often mentioned as a potential candidate is Lt. Gov. Allan Shivers, who last week in Washington endorsed the idea of a compromise on the tidelands question.

One suggested compromise has been a joint administration plan under which the states and the federal government would share in proceeds of oil produced under their claimed jurisdictions.

"Of course federal officers would like to compromise because even with a court decision such as they have in California, they can not take over the lands without an act of Congress authorizing them to do so," Daniel's statement said.

No Reason To Rush "It will take both a court decision and an act of Congress to enable federal agencies to enter upon the lands which Texas has held in trust for its people the past 100 years."

"Even in California, that state still operates its lands and leases two years after an adverse court decision."

"Therefore, there is no reason to rush into a settlement on account of fear as to what the court will do in the Texas case. Expressions of fear only serve to weaken our chances in the court and the Congress."

"I believe those few who have said we can not win in the court have heard only the federal side of the case."

Democrats Count On Farm Plan To Help Midwest Campaign

WASHINGTON—(AP)—National Chairman J. Howard McGrath made it plain Monday the Democrats are banking heavily on the Brannan subsidy plan to help them carry the Midwest in next year's election.

"We think we have a plan that will appeal to the farmers and help solidify the support they gave our ticket in last November's election," McGrath told a reporter.

He added that "real effort" will be made to sell the farmers on the program—brought out by Secretary of Agriculture Brannan—beginning with a Midwest rally in Des Moines, Iowa, June 11.

The plan calls for government loans to support prices on storable crops, such as wheat, cotton and corn. But it would set perishable crops sell for what they can bring on the market.

If prices fell, the government would pay the farmer a subsidy amounting to the difference between what the consumer pays and what the department figures to be a fair price to the grower.

Politically Attractive The idea would be to hold down prices the housewives have to pay, but to keep the farmer's income up—a politically attractive plan if it works.

McGrath said he thinks the farmers themselves will go for it when it is explained fully to them.

Thirteen states will be represented at the Des Moines conference. Party workers will be expected to spread the word in Colorado, Iowa, Kansas, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota, Oklahoma, Wyoming, Montana, Wisconsin and Michigan.

Several of these states will be battlegrounds of Democrats and Republicans fighting for control of Congress in next year's campaign.

Oil And Gas Log— Forest Runs Tests At Ector Prospect

Forest Oil Corporation No. 1 Phillips-TXL wildcat in Northwest Ector County, 18 miles northwest of Odessa, and 660 feet from north and east lines of the northwest quarter of section 25, block 45, T7P survey, T-1-S, had reached 6,125 feet in Permian lime, and was drilling ahead.

This exploration, located between the Goldsmith and the TXL fields, has indicated the possible discovery of commercial petroleum production from the middle Permian.

The project ran a one hour and 33 minute drillstem test at 6,048-95 feet. There was a weak blow of air throughout the period. Recovery was 133 feet of oil and gas out drilling mud.

Another test was taken at 6,095-6,155 feet. The tester was open one hour and 35 minutes. There was a weak blow of air for 21 minutes and it died.

Recovery was 35 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water. Drillstem tests above 6,000 feet showed the best signs of possible production.

Widcat In Andrews Told Devonian Low

J. C. Barnes No. 1 Lawlis, Central-West Andrews County wildcat which is slated to drill to around 12,000 feet to investigate the Ellenburger had reached 9,835 feet in Devonian lime and chert, at last report, and was making more hole.

Top of the Devonian had been picked by some geologists to be at 9,795 feet. Elevation is 3,304 feet. According to some correlations the project is low to the nearest deep explorations which have been drilled in the adjacent region.

It is located 1,980 feet from east and 660 feet from north lines of section 22, block A-41, ps1 survey.

Coke Ellenburger Makes Gas Signs

East-Central Coke County wildcat, two miles north of Bronte, and 330 feet from north and west lines of section 429, block 1-A, H&TC survey, ran a 20-minute drillstem test in the top of the Ellenburger at 5,385-5,626 feet. Recovery was 2 feet of gas, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

The project was making more hole at last report.

Sinclair Gets No Shows In Borden

Sinclair Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Sterling Williams, Northwest Borden County prospector, ran a 45-minute drillstem test at 9,614-97 feet. Recovery was 30 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water.

The venture had drilled ahead to 9,759 feet and was taking another test.

It is 11 miles northwest of Gall, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 45, block 32, EL&RR survey, T-6-N. It is understood that the section now being penetrated is a Pennsylvanian limestone.

City Of Midland Budget Discussed At Kiwanis Meet

Significant facts concerning the 1949-50 budget of the City of Midland were discussed by Mayor William B. Neely in an address given Monday noon at the regular meeting of the Kiwanis Club in Hotel Scharbauer.

L. A. Bartha, program chairman, introduced the speaker. The Rev. Matthew Lynn, president, presided.

Mayor Neely urged his listeners to take more interest in city affairs, particularly the annual budget. The city's budget this year totals \$805,000. The 1942 budget amounted to \$208,000, he said.

The mayor discussed briefly the tax rate, tax valuations, bonded indebtedness and general operation revenues and expenditures in connection with his budget message.

He compared 1947 figures by years with those since 1942 to show the tremendous growth in affairs of the city since that time.

Bond Accounts The funds available in the various bond accounts, he said the city's present bonded indebtedness totals \$2,192,000. The total in 1942 was \$799,000. Assessed valuations this year amount to \$21,000,000 as compared to \$8,000,000 in 1942.

"A city's bonded indebtedness should not exceed 10 per cent of its total tax valuations," Neely stated. The tax rate here this year is \$1.75. It was \$1.20 in 1942. The maximum rate is \$2, the mayor said.

Increases in various budget accounts were cited by the speaker, who said the city has grown into a \$1,500,000 annual operation.

Monte McGee entertained with several vocal-piano selections. The French Heels Club—sponsored barbecue and square dance to be held Wednesday night in the American Legion Hall was announced by Sally Temple.

Old Rail Span Over Pecos Gorge Being Dismantled Monday

By MAX B. SKELTON LANTY, TEXAS.—(AP)—They started taking the old Pecos Gorge railroad bridge to pieces Monday.

In about a month the fourth highest railroad structure in the world will be a memory in Texas and a promise for Guatemala.

The 56-year-old bridge has been sold by the Southern Pacific for reconstruction in Guatemala. Its place will be taken by a new bridge, called "the most beautiful railroad bridge in America."

A lot of history will be in each steel chunk pulled down by the Robinson Erection Company of St. Louis. Some of it is only sentimental.

When the bridge was completed in 1892 it was the highest bridge in the United States and the third highest in the world. Now it still is the fourth highest in the world and the second highest in the U.S.

It runs 1,390 feet and weighs 5,252,775 pounds. A section was due to be removed shortly after noon Monday. Only a few Southern Pacific officials, engineers and newspapermen were to witness the dismantling. No ceremony was planned.

New Bridge Ceremony At mid-morning, though, the group saw the new bridge designated "the most beautiful bridge in America."

That's the description conferred upon it last year by the American Institute of Steel Construction.

The new bridge is only one inch shorter than the old one. It was completed in December, 1944. Construction of the new span became essential when the old bridge's age forced plans to slow down to 10 miles an hour.

The heavier, modern trains now speed over the new structure at six times that rate.

The new bridge also is the fourth highest in the world.

Southern Pacific officials say the two structures are exceeded in height only by the Daroit Viaduct in France, 402 feet tall, the Pitt River Highway-Railroad Bridge near Redding, Calif., 435 feet tall, and the Antofagasto Railroad Bridge in Bolivia, 337 feet.

The wildcat showed for possible commercial production, and a discovery from a rather thick section of Canyon lime in the Pennsylvania.

If no better shows are found operator probably will attempt to complete the venture from the Canyon zone.

The development is on the northwest side of the Doss field, which produces from the lower Permian, above 7,200 feet.

Sutton Wildcat Dry; Plugged In Deep Zone Transwestern Royalty Company and Alaska Steamship Company No. 1 King, Northeast Sutton County wildcat, 20 miles northeast of Sonora, and 667 feet from north and east lines of section 21, block K, GH&SA survey, drilled to 5,253 feet in the Ellenburger.

Top of that formation has not been reported. The horizon showed slight signs of oil and gas—not of commercial quantity—and it had sulphur water on the bottom.

It has been plugged and abandoned.

West German States Sign Constitution

BONN, GERMANY—(AP)—The West German Constitution was proclaimed the basic law for 45,000,000 Germans Monday.

The formal signing by 11 states was completed just as the four-power Council of Foreign Ministers convening in Paris in an attempt to work out a German settlement. The Constitution is expected to strengthen "the hand of the West in the Paris talks."

The signing sets the stage for establishment of a West German government by mid-July.

The signing took place in Bonn Normal School, where the constitution was drafted.

Midland Contractor Submits Low Bid On Ward Guard Building

MONAHAN—Walter D. Bellamy of Midland submitted the low bid for the construction of the new Ward County National Guard Building when bids were opened last week in Monahan. The bid was \$32,432.

The Bellamy proposal, with four other bids, will be sent to Washington by the Army Engineers will make the final selection of the successful bidder.

The bids were opened by Col. Thomas M. Williams, U. S. property disbursing officer, and Capt. Alton Linne, commander of the local guard unit.

Other contractors submitting bids were James P. Stuebelfield, Pecos, \$35,418; Ed Johnson, Waco, \$38,252; Faulkner, Strong and Carr, Barstow, \$42,182; and Bert Dolman, Monahan, \$45,555.87.

Midlander's Father Dies In Dallas

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Beckmann of Midland were at Dallas by his bedside, when Victor Nelson, nee father, died Friday. Funeral services are scheduled at 2 p. m. Monday in the Guardian Funeral Home. Nelson died in a Dallas hospital following a "short illness."

He was stricken at Galveston. Nelson, a frequent visitor to Midland to visit his daughter, was born in Gottenberg, Sweden. He was 64 years old. He had resided in Dallas 10 years.

Survivors, beside Mrs. Beckmann, include: his widow, another daughter, Mrs. T. H. Thwaites of Sacramento, Calif.; three grandchildren, Becky and Vicky Beckmann and Christopher Thwaites.

DEATH TAKES NOVELIST AND SCREEN STORY WRITER EDWIN THWAITES. (AP)—Death Sunday took Charles Gordon Booth, 51, author of such novels as "The General Died at Dawn," and "Johnny Angel."

Both also was a movie writer, his original screen story "The House on 92nd Street," winning an Oscar for him two years ago.

INDUSTRIALIST DIES STAMFORD, CONN.—(AP)—Sir Douglas Alexander, 85, president of the Singer Sewing Machine Company, died Sunday.

Cotton NEW YORK—(AP)—Monday noon cotton prices were 20 cents a bale lower to five cents higher than the previous close. July 32.54, October 29.08 and December 28.90.

MARRIAGE LICENSES Marriage licenses have been issued by the county clerk to Victor A. Campbell and Betty Putnam, and James Winfield Cunningham and Doris Irene Reynolds.

NOW THE HARD OF HEARING CAN HAVE BALANCED HEARING The many hard of hearing of Midland and surrounding counties will have an exceptional opportunity to discover for themselves the new way to hear—in the way people who have no impairment hear—BALANCED HEARING. A free hearing clinic will be held on Wednesday, May 25th at the Scharbauer Hotel, 1 p. m. to 8 p. m., by Mr. J. C. Hammer, at which time he will check the hard of hearing for their individual hearing problems, and discuss with each the Scientific Correction for BALANCED HEARING. This Clinic will serve to introduce the new Constellations, by Acousticon (the world's first and oldest manufacture of electrical hearing aids). Come in to discover for yourself how Acousticon has created not one or two, but 36 new and different Constellation models, among these, there is one specifically designed for your kind of deafness—to give you BALANCED HEARING.

Letters have come in from many who have already tried the new Constellation, saying how thrilled they were to know they could have balanced hearing—many say they have never experienced such clarity of tone against such a velvet quiet background.

The manufacturers of Acousticon say that no one with a hearing deficiency can even imagine what it may do for them until they hear it with their own ears. Those hard of hearing who have been searching for the answer to their personal hearing problems are urged to attend this FREE CLINIC. (adv.)

Midlander's Condition Reported 'Slightly Improved' At Weekend

Headlee Hospital attendants at Odessa reported the condition of Joan Edwards as "very slightly improved" during the weekend.

Miss Edwards, an employee of The Reporter-Telegram, has been unconscious since an automobile accident last January 17.

The 24-year-old woman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Edwards of Rankin.

ONE KILLED, FOUR HURT IN CAR-TRUCK COLLISION

POTEE, TEXAS—(AP)—Dewight Tuttle, Jr., 18, of Potee, was killed Sunday night when the car he was driving was in collision with a truck a mile south of Potee. Four youths riding with Tuttle were taken to a hospital but were reported not critically injured.

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Death Toll—

(Continued from Page 1) are at Shelburn, Terre Haute and Clay City.

Eight persons were killed at Shelburn, two near the outskirts of Terre Haute and one near Clay City. The twister missed the business districts. In the west side of Shelburn, a town of 1,000, the tornado demolished 65 houses and damaged 95, 60 of them severely.

Illinois had a total of nine dead, five at Wood River and four at Palestine.

At Wood River, 325 homes in the city of 9,000 were destroyed and 55 persons injured in a 25-square-block area.

The four persons killed at Palestine were in a lunch stand which collapsed.

Kentucky Woman Killed At Somerset, Ky., one woman was killed and 60 houses damaged by a strong wind. Damage was estimated at \$750,000. At Witt Springs, two persons were injured and heavy wind damage reported.

Johnstown, Pa., listed one fatality from a storm which caused thousands of dollars damage. One man there was killed when he attempted to dislodge an electric wire which had blown across a sidewalk. Roofs were ripped off some homes and trees flattened at Zellenople, Pa.

Several homes were flattened at Mason and Clay Counties of Tennessee. A brick wall of a Cumberland University building at Nashville was demolished and Rice Observatory was damaged extensively.

Four sections of the business district of Charleston, W. Va., were declared unsafe and roped off from traffic after a storm caused damage estimated in the thousands of dollars. Firemen ordered a two-story brick apartment building vacated. Crops near Huntington were damaged by hail.

Several buildings were damaged by a tornado at Keosauqua, Iowa.

MIDLANDER'S MOTHER DIES F. W. (Fritz) Kinikin was called to Chugwater, Wyo., by a message that his mother, Mrs. Sara Anne Kinikin, had died Friday night in her home there. Mrs. Kinikin, who was 77 years of age, had a number of acquaintances in Midland as she had visited here several times with her son and his family.

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