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Hurricane Rakes New Orleans

Buildings Crushed And Areas Flooded By Tropical Storm

NEW ORLEANS—(P)—A tropical hurricane roared inland Friday toward Southern Arkansas, after raking New Orleans with destructive power which crushed buildings and flooded exposed areas of the Pontchartrain Lakefront.

The Weather Bureau placed the storm's center 20 miles northwest of New Orleans at noon. It was moving northward at 15 miles per hour, with winds ranging from 80 to 120 mph.

The advisory said the disturbance probably would reach Southern Arkansas by midnight, with hurricane winds extending inland about 100 miles from the Gulf Coast.

Baton Rouge braced for the blow and Acting Gov. Emile Verret closed the capitol and sent home all state employees.

The deceptive calm of the hurricane's "eye," which began in New Orleans at 9:40 a. m. ceased at 11 a. m. and thundering winds up to 90 mph beat the hapless city from the opposite direction.

Co. Frank Spess ordered all national Guard units in New Orleans mobilized.

Weather forecaster W. R. Stevens said the worst of the tropical storm was over so far as New Orleans was concerned.

Twenty persons were treated at Charity Hospital, but only two needed more than first aid.

The entire Gulf Coast, from Pensacola westward, was raked by winds. More than 1,000 residents of Alabama fishing villages raced for high ground from coastal areas where two giant storms took hundreds of lives in 1916. Three feet deep was reported in the settlement of Heron.

Roofs Torn From Homes

Near Biloxi, Miss., stout timber piers were snapped like matchsticks and roofs were torn from many homes. A tide 10 feet above normal flooded residential areas, and gigantic waves broke over the city's \$3,500,000 seawall, built 20 years ago against storms. Highway 90 was impassable and was studded with stalled automobiles.

The steamship Empire State snapped its hawsers and reeled away from the Congress Street wharf in New Orleans, but the master succeeded in reaching midstream and both anchors were dropped. A destroyer-escort broke loose and rammed the Algiers Ferry.

Moisant International Airport, 14 miles west of New Orleans, reported the roof torn off its main building. The field itself was under a foot of water.

The 130-foot smokestack atop the Hotel Monteleone, in the French quarter of New Orleans, collapsed across two buildings but no one was hurt.

A banana conveyor was slammed against the top of a shed at Erato Street, causing unestimated damage.

A three-story Health Center Clinic on Rampart Street, on the edge of the business district, was unroofed and one wall caved in under the storm's impact. A residence on North Broad Street collapsed but no injuries were reported.

There was no estimate of possible casualties along the Gulf Coast, but it was feared that injuries and property damage would greatly exceed the toll in Florida. There, where the storm struck two days ago, only five lives were lost although property damage soared to many millions.

Authorities expressed fear that many flimsy buildings of wartime construction along the Gulf Coast in New Orleans would not be able to withstand the battering.

Soviets Press U. N. To Act On Demands

NEW YORK—(P)—Russia pressed swiftly Friday for United Nations action on her demands to curb what Andrei Vishinsky Thursday called "criminal" war propaganda in the United States.

Secretary-General Trygve Lie disclosed he had received a formal request from the Soviet chief delegate to have the proposal added to the agenda of the General Assembly, now in its third day of general debate.

The new Vishinsky move cleared the way for a preliminary test, possibly later Friday, on the Soviet resolution.

The Russians' No. 1 deputy foreign minister put the resolution before the 55 member nations at the end of his charges Thursday against the United States and nine prominent Americans whom he called leading "war-mongers."

The bitter Russian blast, delivered in 2,000 angry words by Vishinsky virtually charged a conspiracy within the United States to make war on Russia. The speech was described by ranking American delegates as "so fantastic" that it would defeat itself and be written off in this country and elsewhere in the non-Communist world as straight-out Russian propaganda.

Secretary of State George C. Marshall was being advised along this line by top members of his delegation, it was learned, and while a final delegation decision as to the next American move was yet to be made it was authoritatively expected to call for the silent treatment for Vishinsky.

Meanwhile the general debate continued in the UN Assembly with a number of smaller nation delegates on today's schedule.

The Russian leader directed his unprecedented blunderbuss attack against the whole range of American foreign policy, including the Truman doctrine, the Marshall economic recovery plan and continued atomic bomb production.

He took a quick crack at President Truman and specifically accused nine prominent Americans, including John Foster Dulles of Marshall's delegation here, of being "war-mongers" trying to start a war on Russia.

The reference to Truman came when Vishinsky said the President's recent speech at the Inter-American Defense Conference in Brazil emphasized American plans to maintain strong military forces without mentioning American "obligations" under the United Nations to seek disarmament.

The nine Americans named by Vishinsky as examples of "war-mongers" seeking to start a war on Russia were Dulles, who was sitting in the audience before Vishinsky; Rep. Don D-SC; Virg Jordan, president of the national industrial conference board; former Governor George E. Earle of Pennsylvania, who once served as U. S. minister in Hungary and Bulgaria; Chairman Eaton (R-NJ) of the House Foreign Affairs Committee; Senator Brian McMahon (D-Conn.), former chairman of the Congressional Committee on Atomic Energy; Senator Brooks (R-Ill.), Major General John R. Drake, wartime head of the U. S. Military Mission in Moscow; and Pagsley E. Harwood, vice president of Cutler-Hammer, Inc. Milwaukee manufacturing firm.

Henry Bell, secretary of the association, reported that Charles Stewart, traffic counsel, was in Washington attending hearings in which railroads are asking a general increase in freight tariffs. An immediate increase of 10 per cent is being asked, Bell said. He added that Stewart had informed him this week by telephone that it seems likely the railroads will gain an increase of seven or eight per cent.

Judge Joe G. Montague reported the House of Representatives will be asked to pass a \$3,000,000 appropriation for an international fence between the United States and Mexico. The Senate, he said, already has approved the appropriation. Montague also noted there has been an increase in the number of cattle theft cases prosecuted by him as the association's legal counsel, and that he expects to be busy in this work until December.

Dr. W. Gordon Whaley, professor (Continued on page 5)

France And Italy Ask Billion Dollars In Next Six Months

WASHINGTON—(P)—The possible cost of "stop-gap" financial aid to Western Europe became clearer Friday with the disclosure that France and Italy together want nearly \$1,100,000,000 during the next six months.

Government officials who disclosed this said the French tentatively estimate their dollar requirements at approximately \$700,000,000 during the period, but double the Italian figure.

Both of these countries have furnished financial reports to the State Department to help the administration determine how much emergency aid may be needed before the long-range Marshall Plan can be put into effect.

WEATHER

Generally fair Friday night and Saturday. No important temperature changes. Maximum temperature Thursday was 91 degrees, minimum 71 degrees. Minimum Friday was 63 degrees.

Secretary Of Defense Sworn In



Secretary of the Navy James V. Forrestal, right, takes his oath as the first secretary of defense, in ceremonies at the Navy Department in Washington. Top Army, Navy and government officials attended. Chief Justice Fred M. Vinson, left, administered the oath. In the center is W. Stuart Symington, secretary of the Air Force.

Grain Prices Break Sharply At Chicago Mart

By The Associated Press

Grain prices fell sharply—corn the first eight cent daily limit for the second successive day—in Chicago Friday as some retailers expressed fears that the cost of food might force a sudden slump in sales of non-food items.

The cost of food now is at the peak level in the nation's history. The plunge in corn prices around noon followed a government crop report stating more than half of the principal feed crop was safe from frost damage. Wheat and oats also suffered losses on the Chicago Board of Trade.

The September corn price stood at \$2.56 a bushel at noon. Wheat was down 73/4 to 77/8 cents and oats 4 1/2 to 5 cents.

Dun and Bradstreet, meanwhile, reported retail sales generally increased very slightly in the week ended Wednesday and were one to five per cent ahead of a year ago, but added that resistance to soaring food prices was stiffening.

There was some drop in demand across the country for meat, butter and eggs. Calls for oleomargarine were more frequent and high priced liquors were neglected in favor of beers and ales.

A rush of selling orders shortly after the Chicago grain pits opened pushed both wheat and corn down five to six cents below Thursday's close. The slump was checked, however, and a moderate upturn started. Near the end of the first hour, wheat was 31 2/4-1/2 lower than Thursday's close, September \$2.67; corn was 37 7/8-4/8 lower, September \$2.50, and oats were unchanged to 1 1/2 lower, September, \$1.16 3/4.

Thursday, wheat and corn prices were down on news that foreign grain shipments would be curtailed in November. In Thursday's trading, wheat was off 6 to 8 7/8 cents and deferred corn contracts were down the limit of eight cents.

Cattle prices were slightly down in Chicago Friday and the hog market was very slow with good and choice 200 to 250 pound weights about steady.

The high cost of living continued to hold top attention of lawmakers in Washington and elsewhere.

In a politically important speech prepared for a San Francisco audience, Senator Taft (R-Ohio) proposed that the nation seek to level wages at a point 50 to 60 per cent above that of 1939.

Non-Communist Affidavits Must Be Signed By Oct. 31

WASHINGTON—(P)—The National Labor Relations Board and Robert N. Denham, its general counsel, Friday allowed AFL and CIO top officers until October 31 to sign affidavits disavowing communism.

The effect of the action is that the board will not dismiss AFL and CIO cases before that date.

Denham has interpreted the Taft-Hartley Labor Law as requiring national officers of the two big labor organizations to sign such affidavits if any AFL or CIO unions are to make use of the NLRB's services.

Approximately 5,000 cases are pending before the board.

Originally, Sept. 23 was set as a deadline when the board would begin dismissing cases if non-Communist affidavits had not been signed by that time.

Denham allowed each union 20 days from the receipt of notice that the affidavit was required. The first such notices were mailed Oct. 2 and therefore the first ones would have been due about September 23.

The board and Denham said the extension of time announced Friday was granted at the request of several international and local unions.

During the intervening time, both the AFL and CIO will hold national conventions which may reach policy decisions on whether their officers should sign the affidavits.

The AFL top officers announced last week they were "unable to conform" with Denham's ruling that the top officers had to sign affidavits in order to make the 105 AFL unions and 43,000 locals eligible to use NLRB machinery.

John L. Lewis, head of the miners and 11th vice president of the AFL, singlehandedly blocked the AFL executive council from complying. The other members of the 15-man council were willing to sign.

The CIO top officers have put off a decision until their convention in Boston beginning October 13. The AFL will battle out the question on the floor of its convention in San Francisco beginning October 6.

50,000 Japs Are Evacuated

TOKYO—(P)—An additional 50,000 Japanese were being evacuated from Northern Tokyo Friday as a weakened dike and tidal backwash threatened new inundation of a wide area of the capital's flatlands.

Simultaneously, U. S. First Cavalry reconnaissance reports placed the death toll on the flooded Kanto Plain at a new high of 2,000. Kyodo news agency reported 1,798 dead, 652 injured and 2,142 missing.

Allied Headquarters' public-health and welfare section said three thickly populated wards of Tokyo would be inundated if a weakened dike gave way on the Naka River, on Tokyo's northern boundary.

Army engineers expressed apprehension that the swollen Naka might overflow as high tide came into Tokyo Bay.

Republicans Adopt 'Show Me' Attitude On Special Session

WASHINGTON—(P)—Republican congressional leaders adopted a "show me" attitude Friday on the question of a special session of Congress.

One of the first things President Truman is expected to do when he arrives here Saturday following his trip to South America is review the foreign situation with top diplomatic advisers, who already have indicated their belief that Congress will have to deal with it before the end of this year.

Joseph W. Martin, Jr., speaker of the House, told a news conference he sees no reason for a special session to consider further aid for Europe before the next scheduled meeting of the legislators January 3.

He said information of his own "from very good sources" indicated there is "no immediate danger" in the foreign situation.

Secretary of State Marshall and Undersecretary Lovett have intimated strongly that affairs abroad are so critical that a solution cannot be put off until January.

Martin, however, said he is informed that except in remote cases Europe has good crops this year, and there should be no severe food shortages.

Parade Opens Fifth Annual Midland Fair

A parade through the downtown section Friday morning officially opened the fifth annual Midland County Fair which will continue through Saturday. Hundreds of persons lined the streets to witness the procession which was led by the Midland High School Band, under the direction of H. N. Lawhon. A police escort cleared the streets for the parade.

More than 75 mounted horsemen, including a delegation of FFA members, new automobiles, tractors, trucks and other farm equipment, were in the procession. The horsemen's division was led by Butler Hurley and Dub Watlington on white horses.

T. Paul Barron, parade chairman, also was a mounted participant. Members of the Midland Wranglers Club were in charge of the parade.

Judging of the hundreds of items entered by Midland County citizens got underway at 11 a. m. in the exhibit building at 303 South Colorado Street, and was completed Friday afternoon.

The exhibits and displays were open for public inspection at 2 p. m. and were to remain open until 9 p. m. The exhibit building also will be open Saturday until 9 p. m. No admission charge will be made at the fair, which is sponsored by the Midland Chamber of Commerce, in cooperation with other civic and service organizations and clubs.

R. L. Miller, chairman of the Agriculture-Livestock Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, is general chairman, and J. H. Buckle Green and Harlan Howell are exhibit building supervisors.

The exhibits, including farm, ranch and garden produce, clothing, flowers, educational displays, handicrafts, home demonstration club displays, 4-H Club and FFA work, Boy Scout and Girl Scout displays, dairy products, home cooking and preserving, and others, are contained in more than 25 attractive booths. A number of business firms also have booths.

Work on the booths and displays was completed Thursday night and everything was in readiness Friday for the fair's opening.

Delbert Downing, manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, said the items on exhibit far exceeded the number anticipated, and outnumbered last year's total.

Judging the exhibits are Jim Eiland of Stanton; Mrs. Hattie Owen, Odessa; Mrs. Imogene Leubetter, Stanton; and Mrs. Leslie Wray, Pecos.

LATE NEWS FLASHES

NORFOLK, VA.—(AP)—President Truman arrived here Friday aboard the battleship Missouri after a 12-day cruise from Rio de Janeiro.

ATLANTA—(AP)—The Red Cross here said its New Orleans office reported water churned by the tropical hurricane which struck the Gulf Coast Friday was pouring over the Lake Pontchartrain sea wall into the city and was waist deep in some streets.

NEW YORK—(AP)—The Soviet attack on the United States was renewed in the United Nations Assembly Friday by White Russia's chief delegate, Kuzma V. Kiselev, who took up the battle where Andrei V. Vishinsky left off Thursday.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Despite the world shortage of dollars to pay for United States exports, foreign owned assets in this country are greater than before Pearl Harbor. A new government estimate Friday put them at \$14,900,000,000 as of the end of June.

NEW YORK—(AP)—Fiorello H. La Guardia, 64, gravely ill of a pancreas condition, Friday remained in a deep sleep from which he cannot be aroused, Dr. George Boehr, his physician, said.

SHALLOW CROCKETT WILDCAT BAILED AT RATE OF 3 BOPH

Car-Ter Drilling Corporation of Fort Worth No. 1 Weiner-Vaughn, Northeast Crockett County wildcat was reported to have bailed clean oil at the rate of three barrels per hour, natural, from San Andres-Permian pay which had been drilled into only six inches.

Total depth is at 1,497 feet and two inches. Operator set 7-inch casing on bottom, and is installing a pump to make a production test.

During the bailing test, which was for an unreported duration, operator could not lower the oil in the hole below 800 feet above bottom.

Some sources reported that the prospective shallow field owner had swabbed at the approximate rate of 200 barrels of oil per day, with a small amount of drilling water, prior to the time the casing was run and set.

This well is 330 feet from north and west lines of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section 86, block OP, GC&SF survey.

ECTOR DEEP DISCOVERY HAS ENCOUNTERED WATER

Phillips Petroleum Company and The Texas Company No. 1 McIntire, (Cowden), discovery for heavy, natural, flowing production from the Ellenburger, in the undeveloped area of Northwest Ector County, between the Goldsmith field and the Andector field, finally located the water table for the deep pay.

A drillstem test was taken at 8,615-40 feet. The tool was open 65 minutes. Recovery was 90 feet of drilling mud and 7,500 feet of sulphur water. No shows of oil or gas were reported in any of the fluid which was recovered.

This well showed its first flowing oil in the deep zone in a drillstem test at 8,048-8,133 feet. The last to show of oil was at 8,590-8,615 feet.

Operator is expected to shortly run casing and complete the important discovery and pool opener. It is 661 feet from north and 674 feet from east lines of section 18, block 44, TP survey, T-1-N.

SW CRANE PROSPECTOR GETS OAG SHOWS IN BURGER

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 Barnsley, Southwest Crane County wildcat, three and one-half miles south of the Sand Hills field, and 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from east lines of section 41, block 32, ps survey, ran a one hour drillstem test in the Ellenburger at 8,490-8,540 feet.

Recovery was 225 feet of heavily oil and gas rich drilling mud. No shows of water were encountered. The project will drill ahead and core each section penetrated.

Operator has not reported top of the Ellenburger. Several previous drillstem tests in that horizon had slight gas and oil shows. No free oil has yet been developed in the formation.

S-C LUBBOCK PROSPECTOR HAD NO SHOWS IN DST

J. D. Hunter No. 1 Rhoades, South-Central Lubbock County prospector, about five miles south and west lines of section 8, block E, GC&SF survey, ran a two hour drillstem test at 6,668-6,730 feet, on a zone which had drilled soft.

Recovery was 30 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water. The zone investigated is in the lower Permian. The prospector is to make more hole.

ANOTHER SQUEEZE SLATED FOR STERLING PROJECT

The Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 Frost, Ellenburger wildcat, 12 miles north and slightly west of Sterling City in North-Central Sterling County, is re-squeezing all perforations in the casing, to try to stop water intrusion.

Total depth is at 8,385 feet. The casing is cemented on bottom. Last perforations reported were at 8,355-70 feet. These holes will be sealed and after the squeeze has set operator probably will re-perforate and test.

On last swabbing before a water survey was run, the well made 100 per cent sulphur water at 100 ft. At one time after the project entered the Ellenburger, it flowed at the rate of seven and one-half barrels of oil per hour, natural.

SHALLOW PROJECT IN PECOS IN HIGH ON YATES MARKER

Jeregens Oil Company No. 1 Iowa Realty Trust, North Pecos County (Continued on Page 5)

Government Hikes Interest Rates

WASHINGTON—(P)—The government Friday boosted the interest yield on its one-year-certificates of indebtedness to one per cent from the seven-eighths of one per cent rate which has prevailed for a number of years.

The Treasury said it would offer next Monday an issue of one-year, one per cent certificates in exchange for the entirety of a \$1,439,363,000 issue of one-year, seven-eighths certificates maturing Oct. 1.

This action follows the recent trend of slowly rising interest rates for government and private securities.

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More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than much fine gold: sweeter also than honey and the honey-comb.—Psalms 19:10.

The Midland County Fair

The fifth annual Midland County Fair is underway, and congratulations are in order to the exhibitors, the sponsoring agencies and to the individuals who have labored long and hard to make the annual event possible.

There is nothing like a good county fair to pull citizens of a community closer together, and the annual event here is no exception. Citizens of the rural sections have worked hand in hand with the townspeople in arranging for the show and now are cooperating fully in the successful staging of the attraction.

The basic purpose of the Midland County Fair is to show what can be produced in the county, but the management has urged that exhibits of unusual interest be displayed. The fair is educational as well as entertaining, and many visitors will be surprised to learn just what can be produced in the county. The fair affords persons the opportunity to show just what they can do and what they can produce—and the displays in many instances are amazing.

Many neat and attractive booths and exhibits have been arranged by home demonstration clubs, 4-H and FFA units, garden clubs, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, other organizations, and by individuals and business firms.

The result is an orderly, attractive and interesting exhibit which is well worth seeing and studying. Every citizen of Midland County should visit the exhibit building at 303 South Colorado Street before the closing time at 9 p.m. Saturday.

Midland County Fairs were revived on a small scale four years ago by home demonstration club women who realized the need for such an event. The fairs have grown and have improved each year as more and more organizations and citizens have become interested. This year's fair is an improvement over last year and next year's should be better than this. It is up to the citizenry.

A permanent fair building is needed and it is hoped sufficient interest soon will be aroused to provide a suitable structure for the staging of fairs and similar attractions.

The Midland County Fair certainly is worthwhile from many standpoints. Let's support it to the fullest extent.

Understatement

One member of the House Un-American Affairs Committee says its investigation of Hollywood, scheduled for September release, "will be sensational." We would suggest that the first thing the gentlemen should investigate is Hollywood's adjectives.

No quicke producer would demean his worst turkey with the single, mild description of "sensational." So if the gentlemen of the committee are out to make a real production of their Hollywood epic they'd better hire themselves a Hollywood press agent who will start with "stupendous" and work up from there.

Only two in every 100 have singing voices, according to a statistician. Try and tell that to the guy in the bathtub.

A writer says it takes a man 25 years to learn to be married. That doesn't give him much opportunity to decide if he likes the idea.

Educational Leader

Word puzzle grid with clues for horizontal and vertical words. Includes a small portrait of a man in the grid.

'Ah, C'mon, Fellas! Gimme A Lift, Will Yuh?'



Famous Royal Palms Are Topped In Storm

By HAL BOYLE

PALM BEACH, FLA.—(AP)—If there is sadness in the death of trees, then Palm Beach is a sad place.

Boarded and empty, the stately homes of this winter social capital of the Gold Coast still stand intact but its pavements are littered with famous fallen trees.

They are the royal palms known to millions of American tourists—tall, slender trees that take the wind as gracefully as a bending sail.

Now they lie like granite road blocks across Royal Poinciana and Royal Palm Boulevards—two of the world's beautiful streets. They are down by the hundreds and probably thousands, beaten to earth and uprooted by winds whirling at more than 120 miles an hour.

The hurricane struck in full power Wednesday against Palm Beach—a 12-square-mile sea emerald linked to the mainland by three causeways.

The island is valued on tax rolls at \$63,000,000. No lives were lost here in the hurricane.

Money built the fabulous homes and playgrounds of Palm Beach and money can repair the hurricane damage to them. But it will take years to replace the ruined royal palms cut down in a few hours along the stricken thoroughfares they once made green with a beauty that became a Palm Beach trademark remembered by every visitor.

ATTEND BALL GAME—J. M. Cox, H. G. Jones and H. N. Phillips attended the Ballinger-Big Spring baseball game in Big Spring Thursday night.

Evans-Wilson Rites Read in Wink Church

By HAL BOYLE

WINK—Miss Sally Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Evans of Wink, and W. M. Wilson were married in the Wink Baptist Church last Sunday night.

The Rev. L. S. Jenkins read the single ring ceremony. Attendants of the couple were Miss Shirley Peebles and Earl McCabe. Only close friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. Joyce Andrews of Carlsbad, N. M., was the only out-of-town guest.

For her wedding costume the bride chose a dusky rose street dress with brown accessories.

Mrs. Wilson formerly attended Yleta Academy in El Paso. The bridegroom is a veteran of World War II, having served two and one-half years overseas. He is the son of C. J. Wilson, Milburn, Ky., and graduated from high school there. He is employed with Pasotex Pipeline Company.

The couple will make their home in Mentone.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. White on the birth Thursday of a daughter, Jacqueline Sue, weighing six pounds, 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Venke on the birth Thursday of a daughter, Patricia Lynn, weighing six pounds, four ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Hutchinson, Jr., on the birth Friday of a son, weighing seven pounds, four ounces.

Mount Vesuvius has been known to hurl large stones three miles into the air.

Advertisement for Dunn's Van Line, Local, State & Interstate Moving, Packing, Crating - Storage. Bonded, Insured. 212 W. Wall Midland, Day or Night Phone 1793. Hobbs—Phone 336. Odessa—Phone 571.

Advertisement for Humble Expert Winter Service. Includes text: 'Remember every Saturday listen in to the thrilling broadcasts of Southwest Conference football games, broadcast by Humble.' Also features 'HUMBLE' logo and contact information for Melvin M. Haney, Mgr., 702 W. Wall, Phone 243.

Midlander Shares In Ranch Estate

ELDORADO A—Midland woman, Mrs. Lela Belle Davis Bird, is listed as a beneficiary in the will of W. A. (Bill) Davis, prominent Schleicher County ranchman who died August 26, which has been filed for probate here. Application to probate the instrument lists assets of \$1,000,000.

The home ranch is left to a sister, Mrs. J. T. Jackson. The remainder of the estate was left to two nephews and three nieces, Edwin and J. T. Jackson, Jr., of Eldorado; Mary Helen Jackson Locklin, Menard; Mrs. Bird of Midland; and Mary Davis Coupe, San Angelo.

McCamey News

MCCAMEY—Mr. and Mrs. Marion Crow and daughter, Evelyn, have gone on a vacation trip to points in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. George Irvine, Sr., have returned from a vacation spent in Eagle, Colo.

H. L. Sandolin, roadmaster of Slaton, and G. Herbert, trainmaster of San Angelo, for the GC&SPRR, spent two days here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Qualls are enjoying a vacation trip to Houston and Cisco.

Charles Rogers from the Wink Shell Oil Company, visited in McCamey Sunday.

B. F. Ellis, agent for the GC&SP in McCamey, has been seriously ill but now is reported to be doing nicely.

Chrystal's Flower Shop has moved to a new location in the front part of Jacobson-Locklin Store.

D. T. Grimes, who underwent a recent appendectomy, is able to be at work, and has been transferred to Eldorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whaley were recent visitors to Big Lake. Charles Cox visited with friends in San Angelo last weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Keiffer were visiting in Odessa the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norwood Frierson are visiting in the home of his father, Mr. John Frierson. Norwood will be a senior student this year at SMU.

ODESSA AND BIG SPRING AMONG TOWER SITES

DALLAS—(AP)—Contract for construction of 15 steel antennae towers for a state-wide highway mobile radiotelephone system for Texas was awarded by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. of Dallas, G. L. Stewart, division manager of the telephone company, announced here.

Construction will start within the next few weeks, he said. Campbell, Ranger, Big Spring and Odessa will be locations of east-west towers.

GAS VICTIMS

Estimates show that 1221 American soldiers died of gas poisoning in hospitals during World War I, while an additional 200 died on the battlefield as a result of poison gas.

Two Burglaries Reported in City

Two burglaries were reported by police Thursday. They occurred Wednesday night at Harris-Luckett Store on North Main Street and the Buddy Johnson office at the intersection of A and Wall Streets.

Entry was gained to the Harris-Luckett Store through a front entrance, officers said. They reported \$8.09 taken from a cash register. No merchandise was taken.

Nothing was taken from the Buddy Johnson office, officers said. Entry was gained through a side window.

Advertisement for Purina Laying Mash. Features a cartoon chicken and text: 'THE Easy TO FEED LAYING MASH... That's Purina Laying Mash! It's right from the bag—no grain needed—nothing to add. Makes lots of top-quality eggs.'

Advertisement for Williams Feed & Supply. Text: 'WILLIAMS FEED & SUPPLY. The Store with the Checker-board Sign. E. Hwy. 80 at city limits. Ph. 2011.'

Is A Young Dog A Dog Or Is It A Puppy?

PASADENA, CALIF.—(AP)—Is a young dog a dog or is it a puppy? This city has an ordinance which prohibits any household from having more than two dogs and Humane Officer L. A. Henderson says the law clearly overlooks the fact that whenever a mother poodle has offspring the statutory limit is almost always exceeded.

Advertisement for GLOSTEX Automobile Seat Covers. Text: 'A New Triumph in PLASTICS. Amazing GLOSTEX AUTOMOBILE SEAT COVERS. Beauty and protection for your car. Rear 114 E. Wall Phone 774.'

Advertisement for Beer to Go. Text: 'BEER TO GO By The Case—\$2.50. Try Our Fried Chicken and Thick Steaks. Choo-Choo Diner. East Highway.'

Advertisement for Rental Property Is Valuable! Text: 'Rental Property Is Valuable! And with NOTHING DOWN and up to 7 YEARS TO PAY YOU CAN— 1. Convert that garage into an apartment. 2. Add one or more rooms to present house. 3. Add porch to your house. 4. Build a garage. 5. Build a fence. 6. Reroof, repaint, and rebuild. 7. All repairs and additions. Maximum loan \$5,000.00. 1st payment due 30 days after completion of work. Rockwell Bros. & Co. BUILDING MATERIALS 112 W. Texas Phone 48.'

Advertisement for 1941 Chevrolet Block Assemblies. Text: '1941 CHEVROLET BLOCK ASSEMBLIES NEW NOT REBUILT \$155.00 \$10 for your old block if returned. Use the G.M.A.C. Budget Plan for payment for major repairs. Elder Chevrolet Co. Phone 1700 701 W. Texas.'

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McCamey Girl Scouts In Regular Meeting

McCAMEY—The second meeting of Girl Scout Troop 6 was held Wednesday afternoon, with the president, Elaine Harrison, presiding. Willadean Bradshaw, secretary, read the minutes. Billie Sue Polk was a visitor. A letter was read from Mrs. Assunto Merimino of Aranalta, Palermo, Sicily. Plans were made for selling tickets to a barbecue to be held September 30, at the park. Mrs. Bonney served home-made oat meal cookies.

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McCAMEY—Mrs. Tilford Rasmussen and Mrs. M. P. McBee were hostesses at a house-warming, last Friday night, honoring their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith, who have recently finished their new home 12 miles west of McCamey.

The reception rooms were decorated with gladioli and fern in attractive holders. Mrs. Rasmussen presided over the guest register. The dining table was laid with a handsome white lace cloth and centered with gold gladioli and tall white tapers.

Games of forty two and dominoes were enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Smith were the recipients of many lovely gifts which were opened and displayed.

The hostesses served delicious punch, cake, coffee and sandwiches to the following: Mrs. Zora Pool, Mrs. Leslie Pool and children, Mrs. West Pool, Jr. and son, Mrs. T. H. Brooks and son, Mrs. C. E. Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Arno Helmers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Helmers and children, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Barnett and Bill, Mr. and Mrs. John Hays and children, Tommy Johnson, Lewis Woodward, Kinward Hays, all of Girvin. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ten Eyck of Pukersfield, Enoch Smith of Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Murer, Elizabeth and Charles Murer and Jaylea Burroughs of McCamey; Mrs. Mary McBee of Del Rio; Mrs. New McBee and Mrs. W. O. Prenzler of Uvalde; Mr. and Mrs. M. P. McBee and children of Bakersfield and Mrs. Tilford Rasmussen and son Dell of Goldsmith.

Those sending gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Vern Brownlee of Goldsmith and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Stice of Bakersfield.

Society

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Federation Tea-Meeting Spotlights Fall Season of Club Activities

Spotlighting the Fall season of club activities was the opening meeting and tea of the City-County Federation of Women's Clubs Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. M. Dunagan, 1508 West Missouri Street, with the Twentieth Century Study Club as host and the Odessa Thursday Study Club as special guest and program leader. More than 70 Midland club women and guests were

greeted by Mrs. Dunagan, who was assisted by Mrs. Raymond Leggett, president of the host club, and Mrs. Henry D. Murphy.

Following the president's message and brief business session conducted by Mrs. W. G. Epley, and the treasurer's report and 1947-48 budget by Mrs. John B. Mills, the Odessa Study Club, under the direction of its president, Mrs. Charles B. Perry, Mrs. Guy Nease, who is an authority on parliamentary laws and procedure, and Mrs. H. A. Redman presented to the group a program on "Club Procedure" with the following Odessa women participating: Mrs. Perry, presiding officer; Mrs. Sherman Roberts, "History and Highlights of Our National Federation"; Mrs. M. J. Benefield, "The Benefits Derived From State Federation," and Mrs. Noel Webber, "Club Ethics."

The entertaining rooms were decorated throughout with arrangements of greenery and Spring flowers. After the guests were registered, they were served refreshments of lime punch, tiny green ribbon cheese sandwiches and cookies.

Mrs. Epley, federation president, had charge of the punch bowl.

To Present Book Review
Mrs. Ertry Neil announced the federation will present Mrs. Herbert Emer, of Dallas in a review of Samuel Shellabarger's best seller novel, "The Prince of Foxes," in the Yucca Theater at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday.

The following members and guests were welcomed by Mrs. Raymond Leggett, president of the Twentieth Century Study Club: Mrs. James Cotch, Mrs. R. R. Litsy, Mrs. D. B. Hemphill, Mrs. M. J. Benefield, Mrs. Sherman Roberts, Mrs. D. W. Leach, Mrs. Charles B. Perry, Mrs. H. A. Redman, Mrs. James Lamb, and Mrs. Carlos Cover, all of Odessa; and Mrs. Mur, Mrs. Leggett, Mrs. W. H. Rhodes, Mrs. Dunagan, Mrs. Jack Jones, Mrs.

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Richardson Talk Highlights Meet Of Yucca Club

J. A. Richardson told members of the Yucca Garden Club at their meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. Lucinda Sprinkle, 305 South Pecos Street, how to care for soil and plants, how to treat with chemicals, and how to water with most success in his discussion, "Making A Compost Heap."

Richardson of the Richardson Nursery was introduced by Mrs. Carl Westlund. The other discussion featured was "Perennials For Continuous Bloom" by Mrs. J. W. Erickson.

The house was decorated with floral arrangements by Mrs. John S. Braun.

Members present were Mrs. L. Otis Baggett, Mrs. Braun, Mrs. George J. Byrne, Mrs. M. S. Dickerson, Mrs. Mae Dunagan, Mrs. Lynn D. Durham, Mrs. Erickson, Mrs. R. E. Gillespie, Mrs. Dewitt C. Haskins, Mrs. H. A. Ireland, Mrs. C. E. Nelson, Mrs. R. E. Patton, Mrs. Rex Russell, Mrs. W. A. Schaeffer, Mrs. Harold Smith, Mrs. Sprinkle and Mrs. Westlund.

West Elementary Room Mothers Have Morning Coffee

Mrs. Elliott H. Barron entertained room mothers of the West Elementary School with a coffee Thursday morning at her home, with the officers of the P-T-A unit, Mrs. Bert Cole, Jr., Mrs. Bill Collyns, and Mrs. Louis Hickman as co-hostesses.

Carnival plans were discussed, with Mrs. Cole reporting that all but minor details have been arranged tentatively. The group began work Thursday on the various booth assignments.

Full reports on carnival progress will be made at the next meeting and coffee October 23 at the home of Mrs. Noel Cason, 1901 West Texas Street. Mrs. T. Withrow and Mrs. W. G. Keeler will be co-hostesses.

Those present Thursday were Mrs. Cason, Mrs. Withrow, Mrs. Jimmie Hoover, Mrs. C. H. McCall, Mrs. J. C. Rinker, Mrs. Gordon Heid, Mrs. Keeler, Mrs. Max David, Mrs. B. R. Forman, Mrs. Roy Clark, Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Wesley Martin, Mrs. F. A. Crockett, Mrs. L. B. Parks, Mrs. V. M. Cummings, Mrs. H. L. Pyatt, Mrs. W. C. Wilcox, Mrs. B. R. Mathews, Mrs. W. T. Wynn, Mrs. Hickman, Mrs. George Bennett, Mrs. Collyns, Mrs. Cole, and Mrs. Barron.

Mrs. Bennett, carnival chairman, presided, assisted by Mrs. Cole and Mrs. Jack Graves, carnival assistant.

FROM LOS ANGELES

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Berg of Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Borys, 502 West Storey Street.

Advances in nuclear physics have brought about introduction of a new word, "nuclide," by one scientist to mean a species of nucleus.

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Garden Clubs' Council Will Get Information On Organization

A decision to get information on organizing garden clubs' highlighted the Midland Garden Clubs' council meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. A. P. Shirey, 211 South L Street.

Mrs. Shirey plans to appoint a committee for garden club organization, and the group appointed Mrs. DeWitt C. Haskin and Mrs. W. B. Neely to write for organization information on councils of other garden clubs before by-laws are adopted.

Following the reading of the minutes by secretary Mrs. Roy Minear, the council voted to send to Mrs. Brents Witty, chairman of the literature of Texas Garden Clubs, of Hamilton, Texas, to be judged the yearbooks of the three Midland garden clubs. A letter from Mrs. John W. Green chairman of the El Paso Garden Clubs' council, was read by Mrs. Shirey, and announcement was made of the Midland Garden Club Fair to be held Friday and Saturday.

The Flower Show committee of the Midland Yucca, and Texas clubs will meet at Mrs. Shirey's home at 9:30 a. m. Thursday, September 25.

Attending the council meeting were Mrs. Shirey, Mrs. Minear, Mrs. Dickerson, Mrs. Haskin, Mrs. J. C. Smith, Mrs. Neely, Mrs. R. M. Jones, and Mrs. Bert Goodman.

The council meets the first Tuesday of each month at the home of Mrs. Shirey.

Area Scout Council Slates Annual Meet

The annual meeting of the Permian Basin Area Council of Girl Scouts will be held September 28 at the new Girl Scout camp in the Davis Mountains near Fort Davis, Alton Hughes of Pecos, council president, announced.

The meeting is open to all interested persons and member cities are urged to have large delegations in attendance. All local and council Girl Scout officials are expected to be present. Midland citizens planning to attend should advise Mrs. C. E. Bissell, president of the Midland council.

A meeting of the area officers and directors is scheduled in connection with the session.

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Those attending the meeting were Dorothy Johnson, Doris McSwain, Anita Wilson, Nancy Suther, Paula Jean Smith, Peggy Hoover, and one visitor, Mrs. Edward Grice of Galveston.

Sea water for the aquarium of the London zoological gardens is shipped from the Bay of Biscay.

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Coming Events

SATURDAY
The League of Women Voters will have its first Fall luncheon and meeting at 1 p. m. in the Crystal Ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

TO TEXAS TECH
Billie Jean Pigg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pigg, enrolled as a student at Texas Tech last Tuesday. She is a 1947 graduate of Midland High School.

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH

510 South Baird Street
Rev. Earl Rice, pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Preaching service
6:15 p. m.: Christ's Ambassadors
7:30 p. m.: Evangelistic services
Wednesday
7:30 p. m.: Midweek services

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

300 North Main Street
Rev. Howard H. Hollowell, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Church School
10:50 a. m.: Morning worship with a guest speaker, the Rev. J. B. Reynolds, retired minister of the Northwest Texas Conference. The sermon subject will be "The Man Who Has an Altar in His Heart."
6:45 p. m.: Young People's Methodist Youth Fellowship
7:00 p. m.: Junior Fellowship, Intermediate MYF, and Senior MYF
8:00 p. m.: World Service Program

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE

500 South Colorado Street
O. W. Roberts, Pastor
11:00 a. m.: Preaching
7:45 p. m.: Preaching
8:00 p. m.: Thursday Preaching
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship
8:30 p. m.: Evening worship
Wednesday
8:00 p. m.: Bible Study

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH

Fort Worth and Tennessee
Rev. C. B. Hedges, Pastor
7:15 a. m.: Sunday radio program
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship
Wednesday
8:00 p. m.: Prayer meeting

COTTON FLAT BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. R. E. Cain
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:30 a. m.: Morning Worship and sermon

ST. GEORGE'S CATHOLIC

Father Frank Trigg, Pastor
Rev. Patrick Ryan, O.M.I., Associate Pastor
7:30 a. m.: Low Mass
8:30 a. m.: Low Mass
10:00 a. m.: High Mass
7:00 p. m.: Novena

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Corner North A and Tennessee
J. Woodie Holden, Evangelist
Sunday
6:30 p. m.: Young People's Service
7:30 p. m.: Preaching
Monday
7:30 p. m.: Men's Meeting
Wednesday
7:30 p. m.: Midweek prayer service

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Loraine and Illinois Streets
Rev. Clyde Lindsley, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon
6:45 p. m.: CYP and Children's Entertainer
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST

California and Colorado Streets
J. V. Davis, Minister
10:30 a. m.: Sunday morning service
7:00 p. m.: Evening service
Wednesday
7:30 p. m.: Prayer services
Friday
7:30 p. m.: Young People's Training Program

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. G. Becker, Pastor
Wall and J. Streets
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Divine Worship

THE HOLINESS MISSION

East Pennsylvania and South Terrell
R. S. Jones, Pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Preaching
7:45 p. m.: Evening service
Tuesday
8:00 p. m.: Young People's Meeting
Thursday
8:00 p. m.: Prayer Meeting

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Main Street and Illinois
Rev. Vernon Yearby, Pastor
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10:45 a. m.: Morning worship with the sermon by the pastor.
6:45 p. m.: Training Union meets
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship with the sermon by the pastor.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH

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8:00 p. m.: Second Wednesday night services
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9:45 a. m.: Sunday School
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The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "Things spiritual and eternal are substantial. Things material and temporal are insubstantial" (page 335).

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

H and Illinois Streets
Rev. R. J. Snell, Rector
7:30 a. m.: Holy Communion
9:30 a. m.: Church School
11:00 a. m.: Morning prayer and sermon

GREENWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH

Route 1, Midland
Rev. Lee Bailey, Pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship
7:30 p. m.: Training Union
Wednesday
8:00 p. m.: Midweek prayer service

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Indiana and Big Spring Streets
Rev. F. W. Rogers, Pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship
7:30 p. m.: Evening worship
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship
Wednesday
8:00 p. m.: Prayer service

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1001 South Main Street
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: Morning worship
7:00 p. m.: Training Union meets
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship

MEXICAN BAPTIST MISSION

Washington and Midland Streets
Rev. S. Lara, Pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sabbath school
11:00 a. m.: Morning service meeting

ASBURY METHODIST CHURCH

501 South Loraine
Rev. J. Lennel Hester, Pastor
10:00 a. m.: Sunday School
10:55 a. m.: Morning worship and sermon
8:00 p. m.: Evening worship and sermon

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

West Texas and North A Street
Rev. Hubert H. Hooper, Pastor
9:45 a. m.: Sunday School
11:00 a. m.: The morning worship with the pastor's sermon entitled "Classifying Ourselves."
7:45 p. m.: Evening worship with "Acquiring a Proper Perspective" as the sermon topic.

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Hurricane -

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across a railroad bridge spanning Lake Ponchartraine. Crew members said the lake was "as rough as any ocean we've ever seen."
The barometer dropped to 28.79, the lowest in 20 years, according to Weather Bureau Forecaster Allan Alme. He said the all-time low for New Orleans was 28.11 Sept. 19, 1911.

Army engineers reported that the hurricane had struck near Burwood, La., at the mouth of the Mississippi, and left the island flooded under six inches of water.
Col. John R. Hardin, district engineer, said all personnel at Burwood were safe. Refugees were crowded into engineers headquarters on the river.

Boat Is Smashed
A small sailboat was broken from its moorings at the Southern Yacht Club and broke up against the Lake Ponchartraine seawall.
Several hundred employees were mobilized by the U. S. Army Engineers district office to aid in rescue work. A number of boats have been moved from the river into the numerous canals which traverse the city.

Neon signs suffered. A large sign on Canal Street crashed from the top of a downtown building early in the blow. Across the street another was partially disconnected from its moorings and hung precariously, rocking in the wind.

Transportation was paralyzed. Scores sought shelter in the concrete administration building at the New Orleans Airport. A guard there said he was unable to stand up against the wind.

Houses Destroyed
Sixty per cent of the houses in the Rene housing project for negroes were reported destroyed in the early part of the hurricane. The houses were all of frame construction, and were located in the Higgins industries plant and industrial canal area.

The Navy had crash boats working in the Lake Ponchartraine area, evacuating residents. The naval boats were going from house to house over deeply flooded land. A number of persons narrowly escaped injury when the roof and walls of a garage collapsed, crashing on several automobiles.

At Baton Rouge, hurricane force winds were expected by mid-afternoon. The Harding airport already reported 40-mile gales.

Sheriff Newman Debrout and Chief of Police Fred Parker warned citizens to go home and stay out of danger. Emergency and disaster relief crews were ordered to stand by at Baton Rouge. The National Guard was alerted.

A wall of water driven by 60 miles per hour winds forced the Navy to evacuate the Naval Air Station at Lake Ponchartraine early Friday morning. Little damage was done, although water was three feet deep over the base.

All Naval buildings were evacuated, as well as homes of enlisted men and officers.

Motorists Aid In Evacuation
Persons driving into New Orleans from the Gulf Coast were being stopped by state highway patrol officers and requested to aid in the evacuation of persons in the low-lying areas around Lake Ponchartraine.

James M. Coleman, amateur radio operator here, said "hams" have lined up contacts with amateur operators in nearby states to handle emergency calls.
A huge air conditioning unit atop the Whitney National Bank was torn from its moorings, lifted across the building top and dumped into Poydras Street in the city's downtown section.

Highways along Mississippi's Gulf Coast were reported flooded at several points where water surged over the seawall.

Irvine Levi, another ham operator, said most points on the coast had gone off the air because of power failure. The Fort Sulphur station said it had to conserve power.

Executive Director J. J. Kramer of the Louisiana Restaurant Association said all caterers in the New Orleans area were being contacted, and asked to make their facilities available in feeding persons evacuated from their homes.

Ferry Service Halts
Ferry service was halted between New Orleans and the west bank of the Mississippi River because water was too choppy.
The first reported injury sustained in the hurricane here was Edgar Joseph, 39. He was cut in the eye by flying glass.

Richard Norton, 16, was treated for scalp wounds after a tent mainstay at a skating rink collapsed and struck him on the head.
Radio communications between police headquarters and squad cars was disrupted.

Patrolmen were ordered to report to headquarters every 15 minutes.
A woman anticipating child birth was unable to obtain medical aid in Buckton because of flooded conditions. Residents evacuating persons from the section by wading through thigh-deep water called an ambulance. When it arrived, high water halted it and it returned to the city. She was cared for by relatives at a pumping station.

Communications Fail
The New Orleans Weather Bureau said communications were failing rapidly. Pensacola and Mobile could no longer be reached.

Foot and Mouth Disease Studied

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—Dr. J. A. Galoway, British authority on the foot and mouth disease, was in Mexico City Friday planning with other experts an international research project to seek the cause and the cure of the malady.

Meeting with Dr. Galoway were Dr. H. W. Schoening, experts of the U. S. Department of Agriculture; Dr. Fernando Camargo, chief of the Mexican livestock investigation service, and others.

The experts said Mexico was using the best methods yet known to science in fighting the disease.

The meeting here was to discuss preliminaries for a later session in Washington, D. C.

Frankfurters Cost More Than Turkey

BALTIMORE—(AP)—Prices at the storeroom of a large grocery chain Friday included:

Turkey—55 cents a pound.
Frankfurters—57 cents a pound.

FROM ODESSA

M. J. Benefield, manager of the Odessa Chamber of Commerce, and John Wilson, Odessa city manager, were Midland visitors Thursday.

Trolley cars were stranded up and down Canal Street as the result of failure of the system in the commercial district.

Lakeshore Hospital near Ponchartraine reported it was surrounded by 12 inches of water. The flood came into the hospital itself, and the roof was reported holding. Hospital authorities said they were unable to evacuate patients, but that morale was high.

Countless thousands fled for shelter before the terrifying blow, which roared out of the Gulf after stewing multi-million dollar devastation across Florida only two days ago.

Thousands Huddle In Auditorium
Approximately 8,500 persons huddled in New Orleans' Municipal Auditorium, and another 20,000 were reported sheltered in 40 city schools.

Many of the refugees were French-speaking fishermen, trappers and truck farmers from the picturesque bayou regions—the famed "Evangeline Country"—below New Orleans. Two babies were born in the auditorium as the storm howled.

A fishing vessel with two aboard was reported missing in the Gulf. The entire Gulf Coast, from Pensacola to Morgan City, La., reported hurricane or near-hurricane winds. Pensacola was hammered by 95-mile gusts, and winds up to 80 miles tore at Mobile. Rice paddy growing areas were being devastated, as the winds previously had ravaged the citrus groves of Southern Florida.

Five fatalities were charged to the great storm in Florida, but there was no indication of probable casualties in the new storm area.

Crops Destroyed
Stinging, driving rain cut the hurricane mark, leveling small crops and beating cane fields. The Lower Mississippi area below New Orleans was a yellowish-gray as the wind spewed powdered sulphur through the air.

More than 10,000 persons were hastily evacuated from flimsy, war-built housing projects along the coast, and apprehension was felt for the frame structures.

Authorities here said the Gulf Coast was ill-prepared for the great blow, and in contrast with Florida was likely to suffer colossal damage.

Mayor De Lesseps S. Morrison of New Orleans proclaimed a state of emergency at 7:30 a. m. and ordered all persons to remain indoors, off the streets, and out of the downtown area unless their presence was absolutely necessary.

Clock Is Smashed
A 40-foot clock near Ponchartraine Beach was smashed to bits, and historic avenues in New Orleans, lined by stately oaks, were green-carpeted with foliage, torn limbs, spinning wires and debris.

Water-purging waters of shallow Lake Ponchartraine poured over the seawall and flooded a belt three blocks deep along the waterfront, causing total evacuation of the area by Army trucks.

Soup kitchens were set up by the Red-Cross and other agencies, with relief operations centered on the great Municipal Auditorium.

It was the first serious tropical storm in this area since 1915, when 350 persons lost their lives along the Louisiana-Mississippi coast.

One unusual "crop loss" which threatened was in the swampy county below New Orleans where French-speaking trappers take hundreds of thousands of pelts annually. It was feared that winds and flood waters would kill multitudes of the little animals.

Florida saw the last of the great storm early Thursday when it screamed into the Gulf after slashing like a mowing-machine through the swank resort sections of the East Coast and westward across the citrus and truck-farming mucklands of the Everglades.

Florida was in the dreary patch-up stage Friday, and preliminary tabulations indicated that destruction would range upwards from \$12,000,000. This figure was reported from six urban centers, and did not include citrus and farm damage or devastation suffered in smaller communities.

Oil & Gas Log-

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wildcat, two miles east of the Fromme field, and 2,310 feet from northwest and southwest lines of section 125, block 10, H&GN survey, was making hole past 890 feet in the Yates lime, topped at 879 feet, on an elevation of 2,436 feet. This project had an estimated 4,000,000 cubic feet of gas per day at 864-68 feet. It is reported to be high on the Yates to several nearby dry holes. The exploration will go to at least 2,000 feet, unless it gets commercial production above that level.

W-C GAINES WILDCAT IS SHUTDOWN FOR ORDERS

Sun Oil Company No. 1 Sparks, West-Central Gaines County wildcat, 12 miles west and slightly south of Seminole, and 660 feet from north and east lines of section 396, block G, C&S&R&NG survey, was bottomed at 7,290 feet, in lower Permian lime, and was waiting for orders.

It ran a two hour drillstem test at 7,224-90 feet. There was a slight blow of air during the period. Recovery was 100 feet of slightly gas cut drilling mud.

So far, this wildcat has developed only slight signs of oil and gas.

MARTIN EXTENDER IS PREPARING TO COMPLETE

Shell Oil Company, Inc., and Superior Oil Company No. 1 Lockhart, one location east extender to the Martin-Ellenburger field, in Central-Southwest Andrews County, and 662 feet from south and west lines of section 22, block A-41, ps1 survey, is shut in to take potential gauge and complete.

In a 14-hour test, from pay at 8,810-99 feet, which had been treated with 500 gallons of mud acid, the well flowed 935 barrels of oil line oil, cut with an average of two-tenths of one per cent basic sediment. Flowing tubing pressure was 200 pounds.

The flow was through a one-half inch tubing choke. In the last 60 minutes of the 14-hour test the well made 65 barrels of clean oil.

Cowmen-

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sor of the botany at the University of Texas, and director of the school's institute of plant research, and Hulon W. Black, director of the development board, outlined plans for a basic laboratory study of nutrition of grasses, adaptation of plants to environment and production of new varieties of grasses through hybridization.

Results of such studies, Dr. Whaley said, would be interpreted by Texas A&M experts for practical application to the cattle industry. T. D. Williams of Texas A&M College, said funds for agricultural research and marketing studies by his school were to be used as efficiently as possible. He also predicted that, judging from available statistics on cattle numbers and cotton production, the price of high protein feeds this winter should be slightly lower than last year.

Aside from the resolution thanking Midlanders for their hospitality, the only other one submitted to the board was one thanking the Bureau of Animal Industry of the Department of Agriculture for the "effective manner in which it has performed in installing and maintaining the Foot and Mouth Patrol between the United States and Mexico."

The next meeting of the association will be held in Fort Worth in January, on a date yet to be announced.

High Prices Worry All Persons Except Big Manufacturers
NEW YORK—(AP)—Everybody but the manufacturer seems worried over a possible serious decline in consumer purchasing under the impact of the high cost of living.

The nation's merchants, in particular, fear that the current soaring food prices will mean a sharp decline in sales of non-food items.

A sampling of business opinion Friday disclosed manufacturers generally refuse to express deep concern over the possibility that production cuts may be necessary because the consumer is forced to spend more and more of his dollar for the essentials of living.

Their plants, they say, are running at top speed. Sales are holding at or near record highs. New orders continue to pile up. Inventories are not too much out of line, if at all, with the high production level.

Personal incomes and national employment, in addition, have reached totals which before the war few people believed possible.

A directly contrary view is expressed by the nation's merchandisers and retailers. They state that rising prices for foods is having an unhealthy effect on retail sales.

The consumer, in other words, is siphoning money into his food budget that normally would be spent in the department store or neighborhood shop.

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY
America's Card Authority

One of the cutest bridge stories I have heard lately was told by Bertram Lebar, Jr. of New Rochelle, N. Y. His 13-year-old son, Godfrey ("Goffy"), plays a pretty good game of bridge. During the course of a hand a couple of years ago, "Goffy" led one extra round of trumps, whereupon father asked, "Don't you count the trumps?" Looking a little bewildered, the 11-year-old lad said, "No." "Then how do you know," asked his father, "when you have picked up all the trumps?" "Goffy" replied, "I just lead them until nobody has any more."

There were a few other points that he had learned however. He knew that South's opening of the queen of hearts marked North for the ace and king. He also knew that third position opens the bid.

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THAT KID WAS DUMB ENOUGH TO OVEROIL HIS MACHINE, BUT QUICK-WITTED ENOUGH TO GET IN TROUBLE TO TEACH 'EM HOW TO GET 'EM OUT OF IT!

THEY TEACH THAT NOW... PSYCHOLOGY! BUT I'M AFRAID THEY'RE TEACHIN' 'EM HOW TO GET IN TROUBLE TO TEACH 'EM HOW TO GET 'EM OUT OF IT!

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ALLEY OOP

DADGUM! I'VE GOT T' WIGGLE OUT! WERE SOMEBODY MY ONLY HOPE OF GETTIN' OL' DINNY IS TO INTERCEPT FOOZY BEFORE HE RIDES TH' CRITTER BACK INTO SUZ'S HANDS!

YEE, MRS. FOOZY IF OOP GETS TO HIS DINGO EAR BEFORE WE DO HE'D BE HARD TO HANDLE!

SIR, YOUR HIGHNESS HERE COMES NOW!

HELLO, SUZ, WHAT'S TH' FUSS, TITUS? BRASS YOU OUT I SEE US!

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WHAT MR. COALTER WANT YOU FOR, RED RYDER?

SOMEBODY'S BEEN PUTTIN' MY BRAND ON HIS CALVES, LITTLE BEAVER!

BUT AFTER HE GOT OVER BEING MAD HE FIGURED LIKE I DO... THAT SOMEBODY'S TRYIN' TO STIR UP SOMETHING!

MAYBE BUFF RUGGINS MAKE-UM TROUBLE!

VIC FLINT

MEANWHILE, IN AN APARTMENT ACROSS THE STREET FROM JANUS WADHAM'S...

NO SIGN OF ACTIVITY IN YOUR BROTHER JANUS'S HOUSE, LUCRETIA. WHEN DID YOU SAY THE MESSENGER LEFT?

ABOUT THREE HOURS AGO, CHIMES, HE WAS CARRYING A WHITE ENVELOPE.

AN ENVELOPE, EH? WHAT DO YOU SUPPOSE WAS IN IT?

—By MICHAEL O'MALLEY and RALPH LANE

HOW SHOULD I KNOW? JANUS TELLS ME NOTHING, I'M ONLY HIS SISTER.

HIS SISTER AND MIA! I DREW THE WILL MYSELF WHEN HIS DAUGHTER ANITA MARRIED!

BUT OLD MEN WITH WEAK HEARINGS CAN CHANGE THEIR MINDS. THAT'S WHAT I WANT TO TALK ABOUT, CHIMES.

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By HAL BOYLE WEST PALM BEACH, Fla.—(AP)—Fear was an unscathed passenger as the streamlined coach train trundled heavily through the darkness toward a hurricane-strained bridge. For six hours on its path from Jacksonville to Miami Thursday the train had been held at Fort Pierce and within the deadly whirlpool of wind and salt spray sweeping across Southern Florida. The passengers grew steadily more uneasy as the hours passed and the storm mounted, whining one moment around the parked train and then beating the streaming windows with spikes of torn green paimetto.

McCamey News

McCAMEY—Among those going away to college this week were: Freddie and Jacob Davis to the University of Texas; Bob Rubie, Junior Shafer, Jimmy Hayes, Jack Dibrell and Charles Ham to Texas A. & M.; Betty Jo Guyton and Bill Neal to NTSTC; Betty Moore, and Richard and Weldon Moore, Doris Jean Freeman, Sarah Dillingham, Curtis Thomas and Bill Tierce to Texas Tech; Betty Jo Matejowsky to Draughon's; Lubbock; Mary O'Callaghan to Draughon's; Abilene; Doris Jean Jones, Bob Pauley and Rodney Martin to San Angelo Junior College. Mr. and Mrs. John A. Phillips of Durant, Okla., were guests in the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. T. Wade, and family, several days this week. A. G. McCormick and Charley Green are residing in McCamey and will work with the Petty Engineer Company. Francis Ward, Bill Jones, Mrs. J. J. Ward and Miss Marjorie Ward of Iran were visitors in McCamey Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wade and daughters, Anna Lou and Johnnie Dahleen, were visitors in Odessa and Wink this week. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Baserto are the parents of a baby girl, born Monday at the Cooper Hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds, seven ounces and has been named Dolores. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Warriner of Texon, are the parents of a son, born Sunday afternoon at the Cooper Hospital. The baby, Samuel Eugene, weighed eight pounds, two ounces.

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Band-Aides Discuss MHS Band Problems In Initial Meeting

The energetic assistance of members in discovering new talent for the Midland High School Band was urged at a meeting of the Midland Band-Aides Club in the band hall Thursday night. The meeting was the first of the Fall season. H. Winston Hull, president, presided. The high school band this year has only 55 members as compared to last year's 75. Hull reminded those present the function of the club is "the active cooperation of the parents with the school and band members to the end that Midland High School Band will maintain its high rank as a musical organization." He said the band this year has been reclassified as a Class AA band and will have more strenuous competition. The band last year won first division rating in area contests. More Instruments Club members discussed the advisability of requesting school trustees to appropriate funds for the purchase of band instruments to be loaned to students with musical ambitions, not now in the band. It was pointed out that if instruments were available to beginners for a short period, more students might have opportunity to develop their musical aptitude before making large investments in a musical instrument. The club president was urged to place the matter before school authorities. The plan is practiced by other schools of the area. Charles F. Mathews, high school principal, made a brief address in which he praised the band and expressed appreciation to parents for their interest. Dr. H. A. Ireland was appointed projects chairman, and Mrs. J. T. Klingler was elected treasurer. Mrs. H. W. Hull was named membership chairman.

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Crane Voters to Select Mayor in Saturday Election

CRANE—A special city election will be held here Saturday to elect a mayor to fill the unexpired term of Mayor H. M. Bushager who is moving to Kuwait, Arabia. Bushager resigned recently. Dr. C. G. Smith and H. B. Baker are candidates for the office.

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Odessa Wins Over Midland Freshmen

The Odessa ninth graders were big and many Thursday and they beat the Midland freshmen, 21 to 0, in the high school stadium here.

Using a shovel-backward pass to fast backs, the Odessans moved quickly down field in the first quarter and tallied with Billy Nichols, quarterback, sneaking over from the one-yard line after the 35-yard drive. Jake Dye, full back, bulled over the extra point, to make it Odessa 7, Midland 0.

Cats Are League Titlists

BIG SPRING—Ballinger, which finished third in the regular Longhorn League baseball season, became the loop's initial champion Thursday night, defeating Big Spring, 6-5.

The Cats won the final playoff series, four games to two. Stu Williams' two-run homer in the third inning started Ballinger on the way to the pennant.

Big Spring rallied strong in the last of the ninth, Jake McClain's second homer of the night coming with the bases loaded. His first homer was in the first game.

The score: R H E Ballinger 020 002 011-6 9 3 Big Spring 100 000 004-5 11 3 Kolesar, Cook and Sooter; Rodriguez, Perez and Traspuesto.

Mel Ott Ends Playing Career

NEW YORK—(AP)—The 22-year major league playing career of Mel Ott, manager of the New York Giants, came to an end Friday when Ott announced he had removed his name from the club's active player roster.

He said he took the step to make room for the addition of rookies who will be used in the lineup between now and the end of the season. The player limit including rookies is 40.

The 38-year-old Louisianian, who started in the big time with the Giants in 1926 holds the modern major league record for service with one club. His other marks read like an index page to the record book. He has been manager of the club since December 2, 1941.

He holds the National lifetime marks for most home runs, runs scored, runs batted in, total bases (5,041), bases on balls (1,708), extra base hits (1,071), and extra bases on long hits (2,165). For eight years he knocked out 30 or more home runs a season—another record.

Ott led the league in home runs in 1936, 1938 and 1942 and tied for the leadership in 1932, 1934 and 1937. He was the league's leading outfielder in 1935 and had the most assists in the 1929 and 1942 seasons.

Several Grid Teams Open Season Saturday

NEW YORK—(AP)—While the season will not hit its stride for another two weeks, several college football teams jump the gun this weekend and open their schedules while it's still officially Summer.

While most of the games are in the category of warm-ups, one big inter-sectional clash spotlights the program in Washington State's meeting with Penn State at Hershey, Pa., Saturday night.

In the South, Kentucky and Mississippi, traditional opening day rivals, launch their seasons at University, Meigs, under new coaches, Paul Bear Bryant guiding the former and John Vaught at the helm of Ole Miss.

More Openers Harold (Red) Drew, who left Mississippi to replace Frank Thomas at Alabama, unveils the 1947 Crimson Tide edition against Mississippi Southern at Birmingham.

In the Southwest, Texas Tech is at Texas; Southwestern meets Texas A&M; Arkansas entertains Northwest Louisiana and West Texas State opens Tulsa's season under the lights.

The University of Kansas Jayhawkers co-opens with Oklahoma of the 1946 Big Six title, open with Texas Christian in a night game at Kansas City. Other midwest attractions find Oklahoma A&M at Kansas State.

Friday night attractions include Stephen F. Austin at Baylor, and Texas Mines at Drake.

A Rutgers U. h-num liquefier achieved a temperature of 456 degrees below zero, only four degrees above absolute—the point at which matter contains no heat.

Kick Off Time Is 8 P. M.; Band, Pep Girls To Perform

The Midland Bulldogs play their first 1947 home football game at 8 p. m. Friday in the high school stadium here against the invading Brownfield Cubs from District 1-AA.

After a nocturnal workout Thursday, the Purple was pronounced "ready to go." At the night workout, the coaches put the boys through the paces of game techniques.

It's a tossup Friday, some say Midland, some say Brownfield. Last weekend the Bulldogs dropped a heart-breaker to Ysleta, 13-7, while Brownfield was drubbing Phillips (Class A), 19-6.

The Cubs bring a T-formation offensive and a fast-iron defense with a big, big line. Midland also unreeled from the T-formation and has a fighting forward wall.

Midland is handicapped at quarterback where little Steve Stephens is ailing. The courageous mite, who can pass, has been out of drills all week. His co-partner at signal-calling, 144-pound Al German, will be at the helm.

Brownfield depends on the thrust of 202-pound Jerrel Price, shifted from tackle to fullback, for scores. Midland will counter with Bill Little, Dave Hyatt or Dunny Goode, on the air or on the ground. For speed, Brownfield has a back named Tankersley and another back, Martin.

Here are the probable starters with weights:

Midland	Pos.	Brownfield
Dunn (163)	LE	Hamilton (160)
Deel (161)	LT	Newson (163)
Whitson (167)	LG	Billings (175)
Monerief (152)	C	Vernon (165)
Bennett (177)	RG	Chisholm (145)
Erognis 207	RT	Jones (180)
K. Goode (144)	RE	Johnson (170)
German (144)	QB	Martin (180)
Little (163)	LHB	Tankersley (170)
Hyatt (165)	RHB	Dalton (170)
D. Goode (160)	FB	Price (202)

Officials: Ellis, referee; Lunn, umpire; Crosby, head linesman; and Taylor, field judge. Midland High's 80-piece band and 100-girl drill squad will be on hand to perform.

Fifty Grid Games Scheduled Friday

An even half-hundred football games Friday night spotlight a long week scheduled for Class AA teams in the Texas high school football race.

Marshall's rugged little mavericks took a handy 19-7 victory over Woodrow Wilson (Dallas) Thursday night in the feature game of five spotted over the state.

Bowie (El Paso) kept Texas' inter-sectional record clean with a 26-12 win over Douglas, Ariz., and Poly (Fort Worth) blanked Gainesville, 14-0, for the only other decision.

Cleburne and Stephenville battled to an 18-18 deadlock and St. Thomas (Houston) held Jeff Davis (Houston) to a 13-13 tie.

Highland Park (Dallas) opened the week's card Wednesday night with a 14-7 win over Sunset (Dallas).

Top games tonight, pit Waco against Austin; Odessa against Northside (Fort Worth); Childress at Amarillo; Denison at Wichita Falls; Brackenridge (San Antonio) at Abilene; Port Arthur at Longview; Paris at Tyler; Temple at Waxahachie at Bryan.

Most of the attention will be centered at Fort Worth, where Odessa's defending state champion Broncs try for their second straight victory.

The Broncs swamped Lubbock, 32-7, last week—jumping into the middle of the December title picture.

LUBBOCK WINS 21-11 TO GAIN ADVANTAGE By The Associated Press Lubbock moved ahead again in the West Texas-New Mexico League's championship playoff round, besting Amarillo, 21-11, Thursday night for a two games to one advantage.

The wild, free-hitting game lasted over three hours and saw Lubbock collect 23 hits.

Fractured Skull Costs Man \$1,000 CAMBRIDGE, MASS.—(AP)—A fractured skull cost William Owens, 70, \$1,000 before police stepped in to stop the apparent involuntary distribution of the money.

Answering a telephone call from a tailor who reported that Owens was near his shop handing out bills ranging from \$5 to \$20, police hurried to the scene. Owens told them he had given away \$1,000. He had \$1,700 left on his person.

The influenza epidemic of 1918, originating in Asia, resulted in the loss of more lives than did the first World War.

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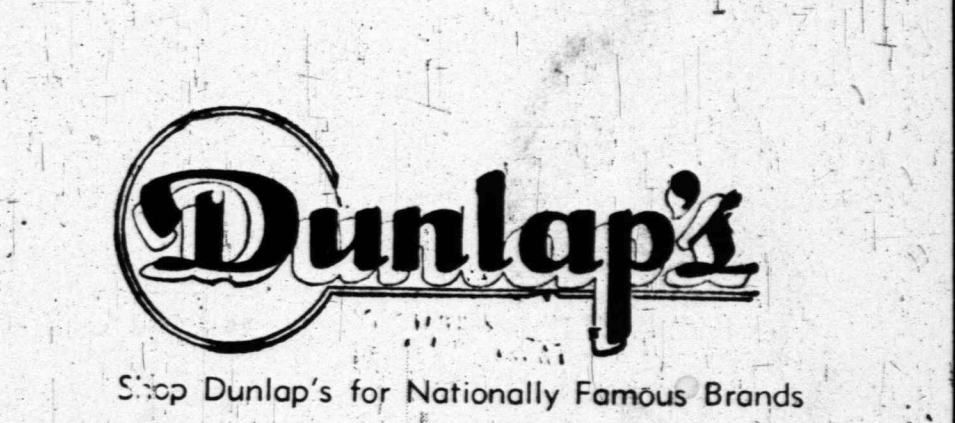
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Dallas Wins To Tie Texas League Playoff

By The Associated Press Houston and Dallas take a night off from the Texas League's championship playoff round all square at one game each.

Dallas deked the seven-game series with a 6-2 victory Thursday night in the second tilt. The teams move to Dallas Saturday night for the next three contests.

Major Leagues— By The Associated Press American League Batting—Williams, Boston .341; McCosky, Philadelphia .330; Home runs—Williams, Boston 30; Gordon, Cleveland 29; Pitching—Shea, New York 13-5; 7.22; McCahan, Philadelphia and Lemca, Cleveland 10-4 .714.

National League Batting—Walker, Philadelphia .362; Cavarretta, Chicago .315; Home runs—Kiner, Pittsburgh, 50; Mize, New York 49; Pitching—Jansen, New York 19-5; 7.92; Munger, St. Louis 14-5 .737.

College Football JUNIOR COLLEGE

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McCamey Badgers In Conference Go With Seminole Friday

McCAMEY—The McCamey Badgers will be hosts to the Seminole Indians in the first conference game of the season on Badger Field here at 8 p. m. Friday. Enthusiasm is running high and a record attendance is anticipated.

The Badgers, with seven returning lettermen, have been bearing down in practice sessions and are ready for the season opener. The McCamey club is expected to be a strong contender for the district title.

MAN VERSUS BIRD

A 121 2-ton transport plane collided in mid-air with 121 2-gram goldfinch. The bird was killed, and the transport suffered a badly cracked windshield. The accident occurred near Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 11, 1944.

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THURSDAY'S RESULTS Longhorn League (Championship) Ballinger 6, Big Spring 5

West Texas-New Mexico League (Playoff) Lubbock 21, Amarillo 11

Texas League (Playoff) Dallas 6, Houston 2

National League Boston 6, St. Louis 2 Pittsburgh 8, Brooklyn 7 Cincinnati 9, Philadelphia 4 New York 9, Chicago 5

American League Cleveland 4, Washington 0 New York 3, Chicago 1 Boston 10, St. Louis 6 (Only games scheduled)

STANDINGS National League W L Pct. Brooklyn 91 55 .623 St. Louis 80 63 .559 Boston 81 67 .547

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