

Five Bond Proposals Are Approved

City To Spend \$1,260,000 On Projects

Five proposals for civic improvements were voted by substantial margins in Saturday's special bond election...

Penthouse Thief Gets Near Million In Jewels

NEW YORK — (AP) — A bandit who threatened to shoot Mrs. Sari Gabor Hilton and her infant daughter, Saturday robbed the beautiful red-haired former "Miss Hungary," divorced wife of hotel magnate Conrad Hilton...

Brewers To Cut Use Of Critical Grains In Beer

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Representatives of the brewing industry Saturday agreed to recommend to the nation's brewers an immediate stop to the use of wheat or rye...

U.S. Rejects Italian Ships

ROME — (AP) — Leftist efforts to oust the Christian Democratic Government of Premier Alcide de Gasperi early Sunday with the defeat of two motions of no confidence...

Chief of Detectives George P. Mitchell, who said the jewels were valued at \$600,000 and \$700,000...

Injuries Slight As Boy Falls Against Moving Bus Saturday

A four-year-old Midland boy escaped serious injury Saturday when he fell against a moving city bus...

Building Shoots To \$3,217,920

For the second consecutive week Midland counted more than \$130,000 in building permits as the 1947 figure shot well past \$3,000,000...

Best Cotton Picker



Ed Anderson, 18, left, of Kennett, Mo., receives \$1,000 in new dollar bills from James Nebhut, chairman of the 8th Annual National Cotton Picking Contest held at Blytheville, Ark., Anderson, picking 90 pounds net of clean cotton in two hours...

DiMaggio's Homer Gives Yanks 2-1 Win Saturday

BROOKLYN — (AP) — Frank (Spec) Shea, brilliant freshman pitcher, and the great Joe DiMaggio combined their talents Saturday to give the Yankees a tense 2-to-1 triumph over the Dodgers in the fifth game of the World Series at Ebbets Field...

U. S. Scans French Plan For Balkans

LAKE SUCCESS — (AP) — The United States rested its case in the controversial Balkans question Saturday by calling the United Nations it would "explore" a French proposal of conciliation in the hotly-debated Balkan problem...

American Air Lines Names Big Spring Man As Midland Manager

Woodrow (Woody) Campbell of Big Spring is being transferred to Midland as terminal manager for American Air Lines which is expected to begin operations here about November 1...

Food Prices Go Up Again

By The Associated Press The high cost of food, forced down somewhat in a wave of stiff consumer resistance after reaching record peaks in mid-September, has started its upward spiral again...

Strikes Curtail Services

By The Associated Press Major strikes curtailing airline service to Northern Europe and halting movement of shipping in Los Angeles and Long Beach harbors continued Saturday as numerous other disputes began across the nation...

Defendant Acquitted In Poisoning Trial

HENDERSON — (AP) — A district court jury Saturday returned a verdict of innocent for Mrs. Dorothy Stokes, 23, who had been tried on a charge of murder in the death of her sister-in-law...

FIRE DEPARTMENT MAKES SATURDAY NIGHT RUN

The fire department made a run shortly after 10 p.m. Saturday to the 100 block on East Missouri Street where an automobile was on fire...

College Football

- SOUTHWEST Texas 34, North Carolina 0 Oklahoma 26, Texas A&M 14 Houston U 35, Daniel Baker 12 Arkansas 6, TOU 0 Texas Tech 21, West Texas State 13 Rice 7, Southern Cal 7 Tulsa 28, Drake 14 North Texas 20, Florida 12 SMU 35, Missouri 19 Tyler Jr. College 33, North Texas Aggies 6 EAST Notre Dame 40, Pittsburgh 6 Columbia 13, Navy 6 Army 47, Colorado 0 Yale 14, Cornell 0 Colgate 29, Kings Point 0 Penn State 54, Bucknell 0 Pennsylvania 59, Lafayette 0 Holy Cross 19, Temple 13 Princeton 21, Brown 71 Harvard 19, Boston U 14 Maine 26, Northeastern 5 Amherst 13, Coast Guard 0 Connecticut 14, Springfield 6 Rutgers 21, Western Reserve 6 New Hampshire 33, Rhode Island State 7 Muhlenberg 53, Albright 0 Dartmouth 28, Syracuse 7 Buffalo 14, Rensselaer Poly 7 Wesleyan 19, Worcester Tech 6 Mass. University 7, Bowdoin 6 Lehigh 21, Case 6 MIDWEST Minnesota 28, Nebraska 13 Northwestern 27, UCLA 26 Illinois 35, Iowa City 12 Wisconsin 7, Indiana 7 (tie) Purdue 24, Ohio State 20 Kansas 27, Iowa State 7 Ohio U 14, Butler U 7 Michigan 49, Stanford 13 Louisville 37, DePauw 0 Indiana State 13, Valparaiso 0 Wichita 28, Brad. Tech 7 SOUTH Sewanee 0, Presbyterian 0 (tie) Vanderbilt 14, Alabama 7 Georgia 35, LSU 19 Washington State 7, Idaho 0 Nevada 13, Oregon 6 Wyoming 12, Brigham Young 7 Utah State 26, Colorado A&M 13 Colorado College 7, Western State 6 Spinnet planes now available at Wemple's, next to postoffice. — (Adv.)

LATE NEWS FLASHES

TOKYO — (AP) — The British occupation force newspaper "Boom" said Sunday 600 corpses — the last of thousands to die from the atomic bombing of Hiroshima two years ago — had been located on the small island of Nino in Hiroshima Harbor. BUENOS AIRES — (AP) — The War Ministry Saturday ordered 4,800 officers and enlisted men to curtail maneuvers and fight the locust plague now sweeping agricultural regions. SANTA ANA, CALIF. — (AP) — The jury trying Louise Overell and George (Bud) Gollum for the murder of her parents advised Judge Kenneth Morrison Saturday night it stood numerically 11 to 1, without disclosing whether the vote was for conviction or acquittal. BRIGHTON, ENGLAND — (AP) — Winston Churchill Saturday demanded an early national election which he said would destroy the Labor Government.

Weather forecast table: Fair Sunday and Monday. Not much change in temperature. Wemple's radios get the games. Next to P. M. Midland. — (Adv.)

Baseball score table: Yankees 2, Dodgers 1. Game summary including pitching stats for Shea, DiMaggio, and others.

Various small notices and advertisements at the bottom of the page.

Plainview Outscores Purple, 13-6

Wink, Monahans, Kermit And Seminole Post Grid Victories

Permian Basin Roundup—
Wink, Monahans, Kermit And Seminole Post Grid Victories
 Wink's Wildcats, perennially strong Class A team, was impressive in Permian Basin grid victories of the weekend. Coach Henry Henderson's boys outscored the up and coming Andrews eleven, 32 to 20, as the feature.
 Monahans racked McCamey, 20 to 0. Kermit buried Seagraves, 59 to 0 while Seminole was impressively racking Pecos, 50 to 0.
 Crane spoiled the Fair Day grid feature at Stanton by beating the Buffs, 31 to 0.

Wildcats Go Wild To Beat Andrews
 Andrews—The Wink Wildcats defeated Andrews 32-0 here Friday night in a District 7-A game, storming back to victory in the second half after Andrews had battled to a 13-13 tie at halftime.
 Wink scored first in the opening period on an end around play and converted for an early 7-0 lead, but Andrews came back for a touchdown and missed the point to trail by 7-7. The Wildcats widened their margin to 13-6 after the start of the second period, but Andrews came back to tie it up when Jack Young took a lateral and raced 77 yards to score. Andrews made the point to knot the count at 13-13 at halftime.
 Soon after the start of the second half Wink recovered an Andrews fumble on about the 20 and drove to a touchdown, missing the point. The Wildcats added another in the same period, again failing to convert, and led 26-13 going into the last period.
 Andrews drove 40 yards in the fourth period to pull within shooting distance at 29-26, but with two minutes to go in the final stanza gambled with a fourth down pass that failed and the Wildcats took over on about the Andrews 15 and drove to a touchdown to make the final count read Wink 32, Andrews 26.
 The colors of the U. S. Army were authorized in 1780 and the first set—the standard of the U. S. A. and the regimental standard—were made in France.

Monahans Rumps On McCamey, 20-0
 McCAMEY—The Monahans Lobos, defending regional champions, came to McCamey Friday night and did a neat job of subduing the fighting Badgers, outplaying them in each quarter of the game, the score at the finish being 20-0.
 After holding Monahans on the one-foot line McCamey kicked to the 308 where the receiver was tackled in his tracks by Davis, Badger left end. On the first play from scrimmage Cathiey Lobo fullback, went off tackle to score. Danaldson kicked the extra point.
 Monahans kicked to McCamey and McCamey failed to gain on three tries. Williamson kicked and it was partially blocked. Griffin scooped up the ball and was downed on McCamey's 30-yard line. After two line plunges, Danaldson, right halfback for the Lobos, skirted left end, and with a burst of speed, outran the Badger defense for the second score.
 In the second half, third quarter, Monahans marched the distance, sparked by a long end run by Griffin, which covered 40 yards. Monahans made a first down on the McCamey six. After three line plunges, placed the ball on the one-foot line, Danaldson dove through for the third tally. Danaldson missed his third try for the extra point, and the score was 20-0.

Grandfalls Defeats Fort Stockton, 12-0
 GRANDFALLS—The Grandfalls Cowboys won a District 5-B football game over the Fort Stockton Panthers, 12 to 0, here Friday night.
 Eno Lujahn took a long pass from Billy Fine for one of the touchdowns and Billy Lindsey tabbed the other on a running play.



Sports

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM, MIDLAND, TEXAS, OCT. 5, 1947

Bullpups Make High Bulldogs

By TANNER LAINE
 Many great Midland High School football players have been Bullpups and came out of John M. Cowden Junior High.
 And more are coming!
 This year's crop of Bullpups are hustlers and fighters. Put them all down in your futures book.

Arkansas Beats TCU In Conference Game

FAYETTEVILLE, ARK.—A 44-yard pass gave the University of Arkansas Razorbacks a first-quarter lead of 7 from there on they relied on a stubborn coalition to subdue Texas Christian University, 6 to 0, here Saturday in the opening game of the Southwest Conference football race.
 At the beginning it looked as though the Razorbacks, defending co-champions, would run the Horned Frogs out of the stadium. Later TCU kept about 36,000 onlookers on the edges of their seats with a fourth-period aerial bombardment.
 Arkansas went 79 yards on five plays for the afternoon's only touchdown, with Clyde Snackover, Scott and Aubrey Fowler, fleet backs, leading the way.
Scott's Pass Pays Off
 Scott whipped a pass to Melvin McGaha near the sideline, on the 30, and the off-footed end outran the T. C. U. secondary to the goal.
 TCU's best opportunity flizzed when Co-captain Tom Bishop dropped Joslin's 14-yard pass in the end zone in the fourth period.

Tech Red Raiders Win First 1947 Victory

LUBBOCK.—P.—Texas Tech finally got to rolling after West Texas State had piled up a 13-point lead and the Red Raiders put their first 1947 victory into the books 21-13.
 West Texas scored early in the first period with Lloyd Johnson coming over to climax a long drive. Freeman Melton kicked the extra point. Another surge in the second period netted the second touchdown with Charles Wright scoring. Charley Reynolds ran the ensuing kickoff, back 91 yards to score. The Raiders took the lead on a short pass over the line. Freddie Brown to Bill Kelley.
 The final Raider score came in each Tech score.

Midland Outplays; But Is Short With Touchdowns

PLAINVIEW—The 3-AA Midland Bulldogs bested the Plainview Bulldogs here Friday night in every way except crossing the goal line, and were defeated 13 to 6.
 Dunny Goodé, Bulldog fullback, registered a score for Midland in the final minute of play.
 The Midland pay-dirt strike came after the Bulldogs recovered a Plainview fumble on the Plainview 29. With time running out D. Goodé tossed to Al German, who missed, then tried one to Ken Goodé over the Plainview goal but it was long. Bill Little dropped the ball after taking a pass on the Plainview goal and then Larry Buckingham caught one for 12 yards and a first down. Goodé's next pass was incomplete and on the second down the charging Midland back tucked the plain under his arm and galloped over. He failed to convert for the extra point.

Sooners Humble Aggies, 26 To 14

NORMAN, OKLA.—P.—Jack Mitchell, the University of Oklahoma's amazing quarterback, was as hot as the 90-degree weather Saturday as he scored one touchdown and passed to two others as the Sooners stopped the Texas Aggie football team 26-14.
 A capacity crowd of 33,000 watched Oklahoma come back from a 14-6 deficit in the middle of the second period to bowl over the spirited but tired Aggies.
 Oklahoma scored, first when Mitchell shot a pass to Bobby Coad who romped over the goal, the touchdown play carrying 17 yards.
 An Oklahoma fumble gave the Aggies their first scoring opportunity.
 Ed Dusek crashed over and John Ballentine made the extra point kick good to give the Aggies a 7-6 edge at the end of the first quarter.
 A bad Oklahoma punt gave the Aggies the ball at the end of the first period and Stanley Holling passed to Cotton Howell for what proved to be their last touchdown. The extra point kick by Ballentine was good.

Sooners Bounce Back
 In the middle of the second period Oklahoma took over on its 43 and Thomas barreled 24 yards to the Aggie 33. Then Mitchell made the most thrilling run of the contest when he took a lateral from Darrell Royal and streaked to the goal.
 Dave Wallace made the extra point kick good to make the score 14-13 in favor of the Aggies at the half.
 Oklahoma scored what proved to be the winning touchdown when John Bagnac intercepted a pass on the Aggie 44. Six plays and three first downs later, Thomas punched over from the three.
 It was six minutes left that Mitchell passed to George Brewer 24 yards for the final tally after starting a drive from the Sooner 48.
Midland Hornets Bow To Abilene
 Midland's Hornets were defeated 19 to 7 by the Abilene Black Eagles at the high school football stadium Friday night. Abilene was ahead 19 to 0 when the Hornets managed to score on a pass near the end of the contest.

Football Scores

Plainview 13, Midland 6.
 Oklahoma 26, Texas 14.
 Wichita Falls 39, Sweetwater 7.
 Gladewater 13, Jacksonville 12.
 Longview 16, Greenville 0.
 Mineral Wells 19, Denton 0.
 Parchal (Ft. Worth) 6, Amarillo 13.
 North Side (Ft. Worth) 33, Ball High (Galveston) 0.
 Weatherford 13, Arlington 0.
 Breckenridge 19, Graham 0.
 Kerrville 33, San Antonio Tech 0.
 Lockhart 39, Tyler 13.
 Austin High 29, Lubbock 6.
 Vernon 32, Pampa 14.
 Marshall 16, Milby (Houston) 7.
 Orange 13, Lake Charles, La. 21.
 Sam Houston (Houston) 6, Kirwin (Galveston) 0.
 Paris 30, Crozier Tech (Dallas) 7.
 Corsicana 59, Fort Worth Tech 12.
 Waco 21, Sunset (Dallas) 7.
 Alamo Heights (San Antonio) 13.
 South San Antonio 13 (tie).
 Highland Park (Dallas) 20, Sherman 6.
 Cathedral (El Paso) 18, Deming, N. M. 8.
 Anthony, N. M. 13, Fabens 0.
 San Jacinto (Houston) 7, Port Arthur 6.
 Comroe 6, North Dallas 0.
 Nacogdoches 12, South Park (Beaumont) 6.
 Jeff Davis (Houston) 6, Lufkin 0.
 Chidress 14, Berger 6.
 Denison 61, Bonham 0.
 McKinney 18, Gainesville 18 (tie).
 Waxahachie 32, Emis 0.
 Henderson 25, Sulphur Springs 0.
 Fairburn 13, Sidney Lanier (San Antonio) 6.
 Vernon 32, Pampa 14.
 Hillsboro 18, Bryan 13.
 Austin (El Paso) 28, Ysleta 7.
 Mexia 52, Trague 0.
 Denison 61, Bonham 0.
 Forest (Dallas) 18, Tyler 7.
 Port Neches 46, Texas City 0.
 Kermit 58, Seagraves 0.
 Seminole 50, Pecos 0.
 Monahans 20, McCamey 0.
 Crane 31, Stanton 0.
 Wink 32, Andrews 26.
 Phillips 38, Floydada 19.
 Levelland 14, Brownfield 7.

San Angelo Beats Mexico City, 13-6

MEXICO CITY.—A brilliant last minute goal line stand brought the San Angelo Bobcats a 13 to 6 decision over the Mexico City YMCA here Saturday.
 In the last period, Brown again connecting with Kelley on a 23-yard heave over the goal line.
 Ralph Earhart converted after the final Raider score.

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Rice Ties 7-7 With Trojans

LOS ANGELES.—P.—The Rice Owls of the Southwest Conference and Southern California of the Pacific Coast waged furious grid combat for four quarters Saturday and both were lucky to leave the field with a 7-7 tie in the first meeting of the two schools.
 A crowd of 64,237 saw the big blue and grey eleven from Texas, outplayed in the first half, come back in the third quarter to score seven points, then roared with excitement as the vaunted Trojans forgot to fumble for the first time this afternoon and traveled 81 yards in 13 plays to tie the count as the clock ticked into the final two minutes of the contest.
 Rice came back strong after the half time, grabbed the play and went on to tally Huey Keeney, Owl halfback, outplayed the Troys and put them in a hole early in the third period. Then Quarterback Ike Eikenberg ran and passed the outlit 38 yards in 12 plays for the score, going over on a sneak himself for the tally. Jimmy Williams booted the extra point.
 Late in the fourth, Rice got deep into Trojan territory but had to punt on fourth down. From his own 19, sophomore Quarterback Jim Power, with Jack Kirby and Gray lending the most help, put together a final sustained drive that carried on across the midfield stripe. From there Gray ran 29 yards. Kirby smacked the middle of the line for 9, and the Trojans pounded down to the one, from where Fullback Vert Lillywhite crashed over. Tom Walker converted. The game ended a moment later.

Hardin-Simmons Is Beaten By San Jose

SAN JOSE, CALIF.—The Hardin-Simmons Cowboys fell from the unbeaten ranks here Friday night as they lost to the San Jose Spartans 19 to 12 before a capacity crowd.

Choral, Nature-Science And Dramatic Clubs Organized At North Elementary

The North Elementary School's fourth and fifth grades met during their activity periods Friday and organized clubs for the year, selecting sponsors and electing officers. These clubs plan to meet during the activity period each Monday and Thursday, Mrs. Gladys Tolbert, principal, announced.

The Choral Club lists the following:
 Edwenna Shain, Susan Alstrin, Patricia Gilbert, Gene Giesler, Beulah Pittman, Diane Perkins, Larry Grant, Ann Hamilton, Eddy Barber, Tom Redden, Leary, Story, Jerry Mathews, C'ay Carson, Patty Murphy, Freddie McMahon, Fredda Black, Alice Ann Berry, Sandra Smith, Lu Wertha Hiett, Margie Hunter, Suzanne Hood, Carol Sutton, Carolyn Lesgett, Joyce Sutton, Joan Sutton, Geraldine Whitteker, Cheryl Grimm.
 Dana Young, Janice Robertson, Dicky Mills, Billy Dunn, Helen Short, Vickie Hippold, Johanna Sewell, Naimette Hays, John Campbell, Janetha Post, Mary Jane Cox, Linda Bfieth, Robinette Curry, Roberla Donnell, Marie Spiars, Frank Whitteker, Gail Peters, Mae Whitson, Carolyn Beaty, Frank Midkiff, Wanda Towery, Sandra Giesicke, Eugene Watlington, Edwin Hoesken-dorf, Clinton Taylor, Carlton Maley.
 Barbara Tom, Beverly Bumpass, Theresa Jones, Don Davis, Lois Neil West, Mimi Speed, Judy Ridge, Alton McCree, Graylan Tuggle, Gwen Campbell, Mary Jane Bennett, Jerry Greene, Virginia Moore, Don Hanks, Eddie Halfast, Jan Snodgrass, William Brooks, Jimmy Hunt, Jimmy Schabarum, Barbara Lee Jones, Troy Allen, E. P. Birkhead, Charles Creech, Thomas Glenn, Billy Jowell, Jay Lesgett, Dwight McDonald, Addison Young, Juanda Bradshaw.
 Larry Ann Burnside, Judith Cole, Sharon Herrell, Fronia Jones, Barbara Gay's Munson, Diane Nichols, Betsy Joyce Robertson, Janice Stalcup, Carol Ann Walker, Rozanne Yearby, Phillip Roberts, Sylvia Metz, Nancy Guyton, Margaret Arledge, Turper Tabor, Penny Jones, Angus Smith, Marshall Chase, Peggy O'Neal, Bob Gray, Reta Hazlip, Lee Woods, Helen Zant, Aris Fuller, David Lunt, Harry Hinkle, Margie Miller, Jane Ca'ley, George Brown, Michael Kelly, Patricia Curran, Lynnette Howell and Mary Row.
 Officers are: Lee Woods, president; Janica Stalcup, reporter.
 Sponsors are Miss Lilas Stewart and Miss Mary Louise Yoe.
 The Nature-Science Club officers are: Bill Dillard, president, and John Galle, secretary.
 Sponsor is Miss Annie Frank Stout.
 Members are:
 Bill Dillard, Herschel Lee Presley, Lorane Carlson, Nancy Breedlove, Robert Turpin, Jimmy Gordon, Elvis Jones, Josse Payne, Jack Cowan, Dana Bearden, Carl Yeckel, Jimmy Baker, Billy Bones, John Galle, Jerry Johnson, Rip Griffith, Bob St. Clair, James Wolfe, Dossie Don Har-grove, Charles Hamner, Kenneth Freeman, Irvin Crisman, Pat Anderson and Jot Patton.
 Members of the Dramatic Club are:
 Leroy Reeves, Willard Hoesken-dorf, Sidney Green, Ada Joyce Cope-land, William Wells, Joseph Hills, Sylvia Kroenlein, David Stubbeman, Jaynan Edwards, Ernest Dorman, Nancy Mayfield, Patsy Guyton, Mary Belle Ten Eyck, Joe Williams, J. D. McGee, Jimmy Nelson, Shirley Post-ton, Donal Towery, Harold Green, Louise Brownley, Beth Warren, Wanda Farmer, Darlene Alridge, Clyde Dowdle, Marian Eddleman, Carol Ann Fitting, Kay Little, Elizabeth Ann Williams, Lila Bryan, Ann Beauchamp, Patsy Edgman, and Melvena Goodwin.
 Officers are: David Stubbeman, president; Kay Little, vice president, and Patsy Guyton, reporter.
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 6:30 8:19
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 7:36 9:54
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RETURN TO CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Hawley left Saturday for their home in Pasadena, Calif., after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Graf. Hawley is Mrs. Graf's brother.

VISITING IN CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClure, 1707 West Holloway Street, are vacationing in Southern California where they are registered at the Town House in Los Angeles.

STATE FOX HUNTERS WILL CONVENE MONDAY

PALESTINE — Annual field trials and bench show of the Texas State Fox and Wolf Hunters Association will open 14 miles southeast of here Monday with hundreds of Texas and out-of-state hunters expected to attend.

Mrs. Lewis Smith Feted With Shower By Valley View HD's

Mrs. Lewis Smith was honored with a pink and blue shower when the Valley View Home Demonstration Club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. I. J. Howard, with Mrs. J. D. Bartlett, co-hostess. During the business session, Mrs. Howard, Mr. Jim Baker, and Mrs. Bartlett were appointed to the nominating committee. Roll call was answered with suggestions for making a better 1948 county fair, and suggestions were made for the year-book plan for next year's work. Nominating THDA Chairman Mrs. Carroll Mason was nominated THDA chairman. She reported on the state convention, which met recently in Galveston. A refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mrs. R. E. Cain, Mrs. Preston Vest, Mrs. R. W. McDonald, Mrs. Bartlett, Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. T. O. Midkiff, Mrs. L. H. Denny, Mrs. B. L. Mason, Mrs. W. H. Long, Mrs. Lewis Smith, Mrs. Stevens, and Mrs. Baker. The following visitors were present: Mrs. O. C. Collins, Mrs. P. A. Brooks, Mrs. Sam Preston, and Mrs. W. H. Burroughs and her mother.

Hardy Family Hold Reunion At Glasscock County Ranch Home

STANTON—Mr. and J. W. Hardy, pioneer settlers of Glasscock County and ranchers here the last 25 years, held a family reunion at their home last Sunday. The celebration, an old ranch style barbecue, was served in the Hardy ranch yard, about 15 miles south of Garden City. All children, in-laws and grandchildren were present. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Brandon Hardy of California; Mr. and Mrs. Erman Hardy and son, Jimmie; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Edwards, and sons, Bill and Stephen, all of Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. June Hardy and daughter, Mildred Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hardy and daughter, Rita Carol, all of Garden City; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hardy and daughters, Karen and Paula Sue, of Denton; and Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hardy and daughter, Vicki Lee, of California.

The new very high frequency navigation radio receiver, used in flying are called omni-directional, or ODR.

Girl Scout Workers Attend First Social

KERMIT—First social activity for adult workers in Girl Scouting was held Tuesday night in the American Legion Hut with approximately 30 board members, troop leaders and committee members present. Following a short business session which opened the meeting, the entertainment program included comedy skits presented by various teams, instructions in folk dances, and singing of Girl Scout songs.

The general arrangements committee included: Mrs. N. B. Holder, Mrs. S. M. Melton, Mrs. E. D. Dement, Mrs. Kenneth Bryan, and Mrs. Vernon Lawrence. Plans were made to hold regular social meetings and the following committee was named to handle details for the next meeting: Mrs. R. H. Hall, chairman, Mrs. Al Johnson, Mrs. Holder, and Mrs. Raymond Lyne.

FLY TO DALLAS
Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Girdley, Sr., flew to Dallas Friday to meet friends from Tennessee and to attend the State Fair over the weekend.

MRS. LONNIE JONES GIVES SHOWER FOR MRS. ORVILL MOORE

A pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Jones, Rankin Road, honored Mrs. Orvill Moore Wednesday afternoon. Games, decorations, and gifts carried out the pink and blue theme. Mrs. Wayne Koener, sister of the hostess, assisted with the serving of coffee and cake to the following: Mrs. C. R. Fugilas, Mrs. R. L. McFadin, Grace Satterfield, Lucille Moore, Arlie Edwards, Marie Butler, Mrs. J. M. Moore, Mrs. J. A. Bradley, Mrs. H. A. Ball, Mrs. S. F. Chisholm, Viola Maxwell, Mrs. A. B. Pau, Mrs. Wesley Prine, Thelma "Betty" Ruby Williams, Thelma Jo Hendricks, Mrs. Arch Morgan and Doris Marie Payne.

Stokes Bible Class Has Dinner-Meeting

The Stokes Bible Class of the First Christian Church met at the home of Mrs. R. J. Auld, 1204 South Main Street, Friday for its regular monthly covered-dish dinner, and business meeting. The following members were present: Mmes. G. H. Butler, W. S. Dunnan, W. S. Estes, F. F. Elkin, Woody Elkin, Joe Norman, J. V. Stokes, Frank Ingham, Frank Simpson, Annie Edwards, Nora Barber, D. B. Snider, J. Roy Jones, Ella Bagdale, J. O. Hyde, Gertrude Bush, and Mrs. Cordill. Mrs. Howard, Miss Josephine Guly, and the hostess. Mrs. R. L. Gray was a guest at the meeting.

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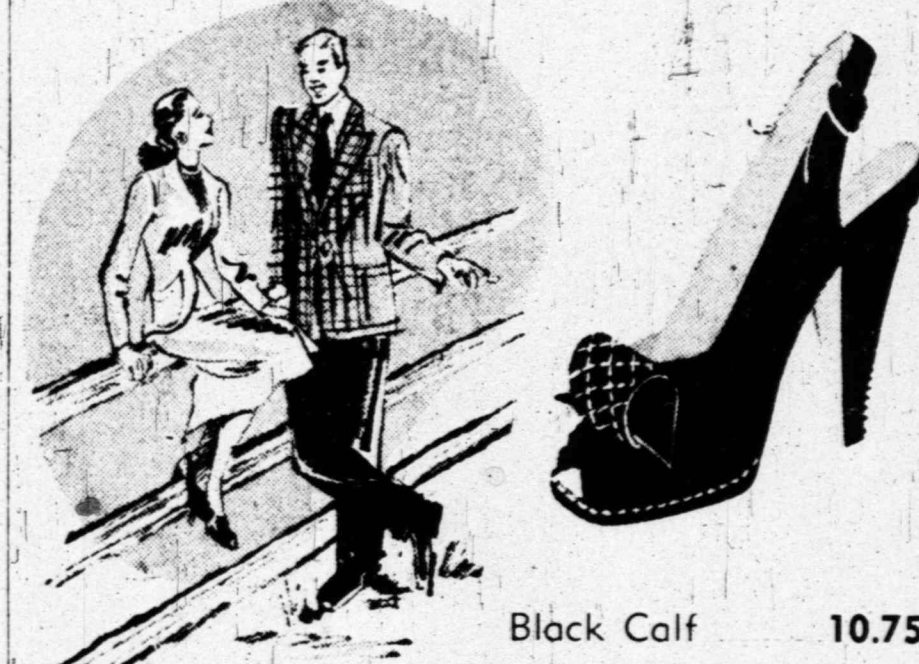
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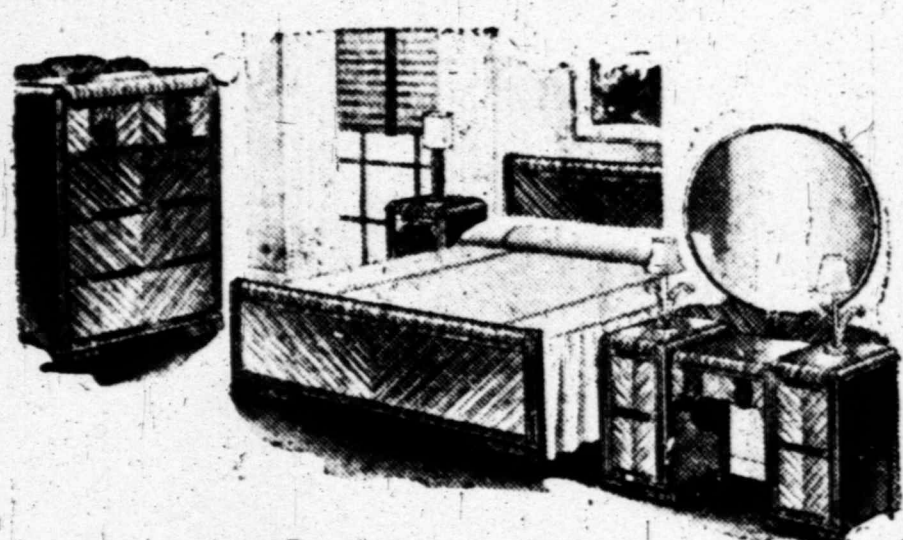
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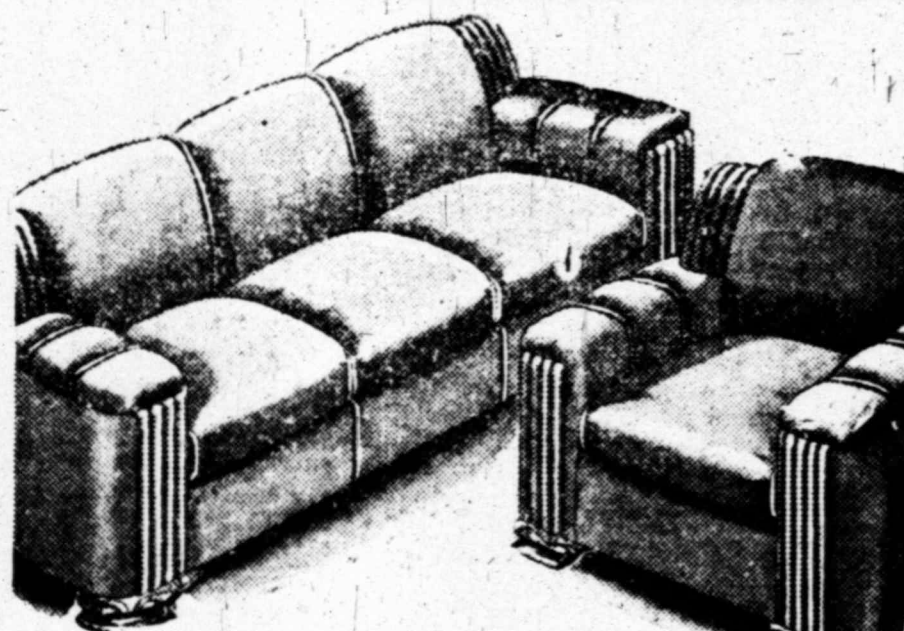
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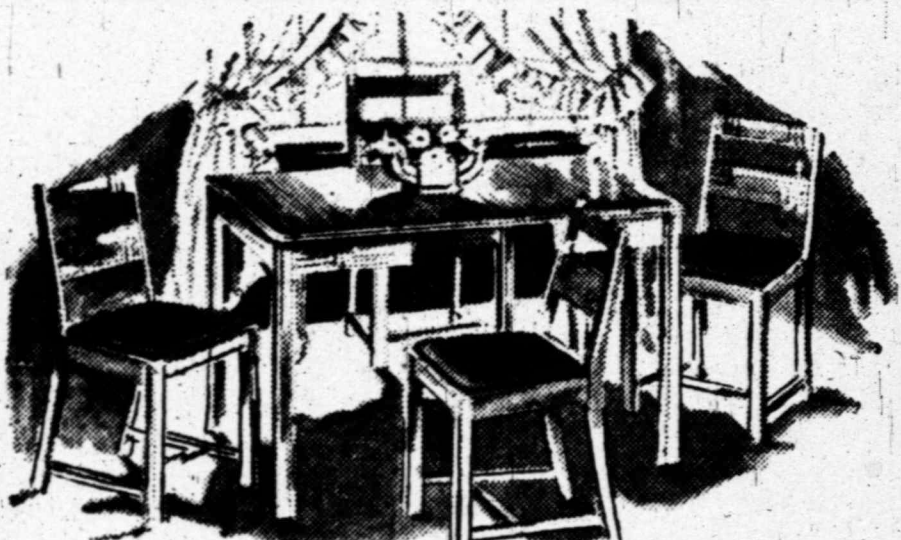
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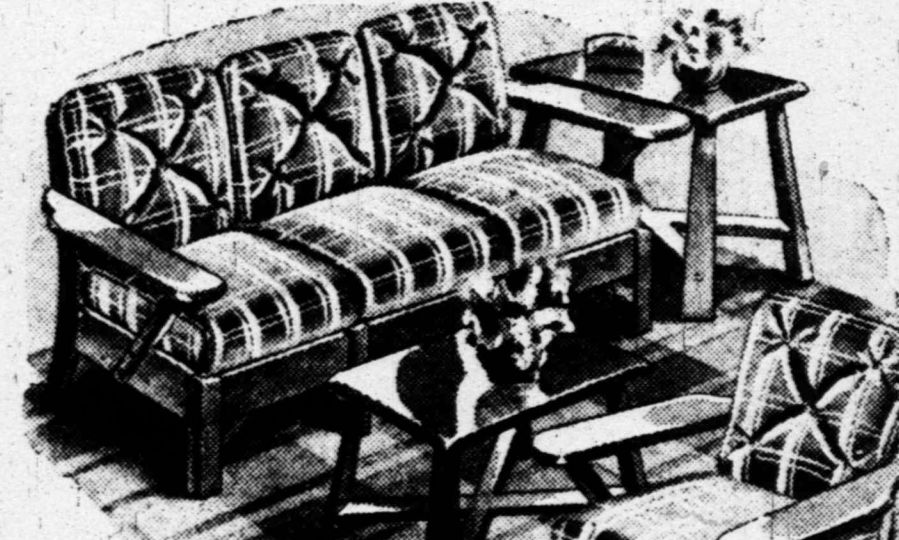
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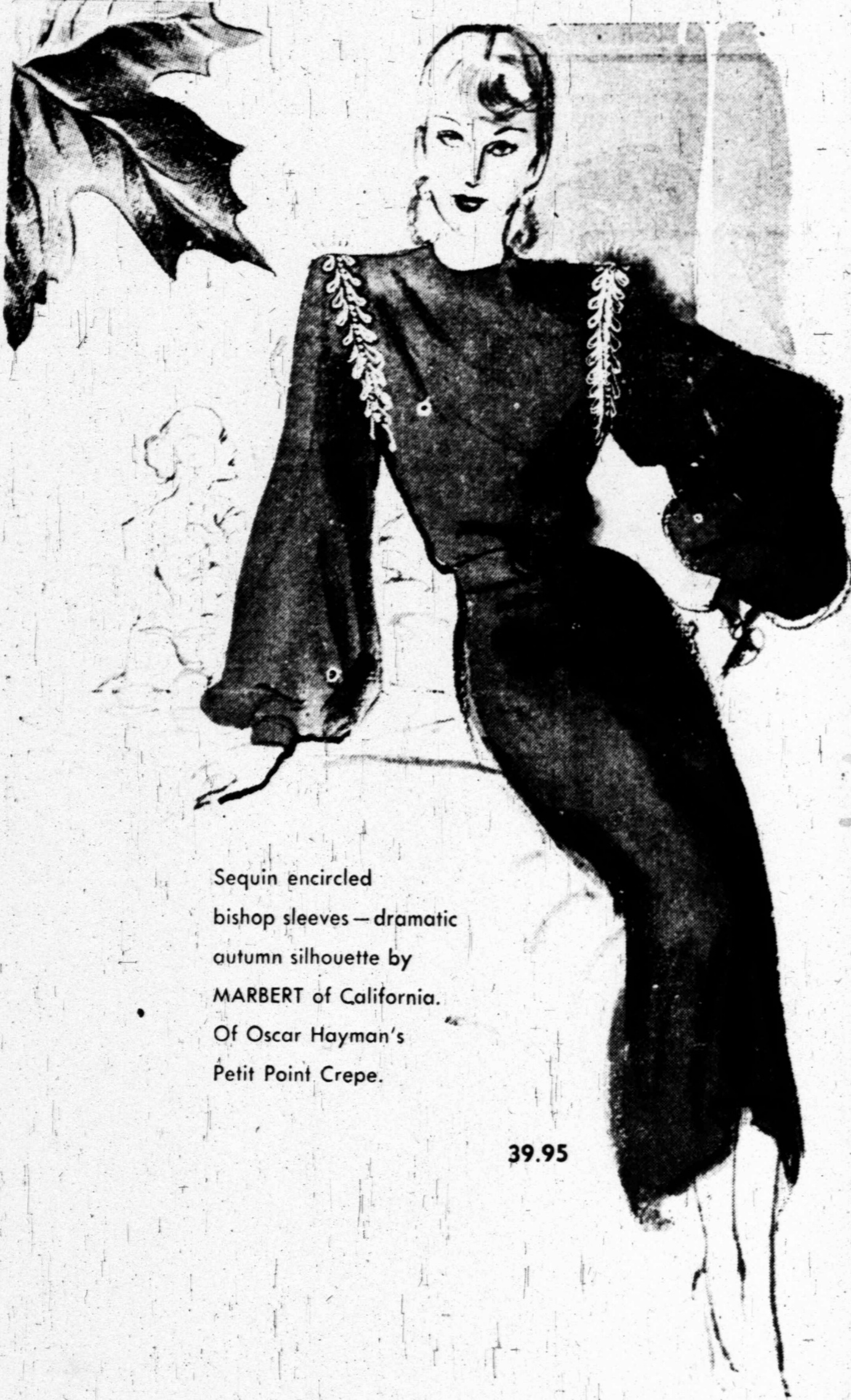
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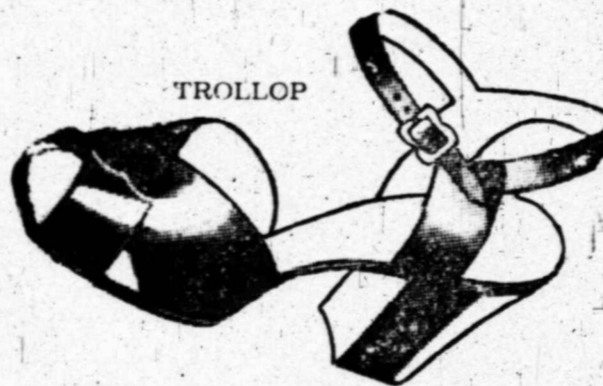
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Kermit Instructor Resigns Position

KERMIT—J. W. Morris, who has been a faculty member of Kermit schools for a number of years, has resigned as director of visual education and has accepted a position here with Meek Motor Company, according to Tommy Thompson, assistant school superintendent.

Morris was principal of the elementary school last year, and was advanced this term to head the

new full-time visual education department. Mrs. Morris will continue as a member of the faculty.

WEEKEND GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beard and baby daughter of Sinton, Texas, are weekend guests of Mrs. Beard's sister, Mrs. Paul Crews and family, at the Plymouth Camp.

Read The Classifieds

MIDLAND CAREER WOMEN—

Neta Stovall: Secretarial Jobs Follow Her—And She Loves It

Mrs. Neta Stovall's career is not confined to just one position because she has the distinction of being known as a corporation secretary besides being the bookkeeper and stenographer for the A&L Housing and Lumber Company here. As corporation secretary of the West Texas Housing and Development

thinks secretarial work is an excellent career for anyone who likes it. Mrs. Stovall's theory is that a person must really have interest in a career before they can be a success in it. Coming from Wichita Falls above 11 years ago, Mrs. Stovall feels that Midland has become a necessary part of her.



She has worked at the A&L Housing and Lumber Company eight and one-half years, beginning there just as a general office bookkeeper and stenographer and working up to one of the most intricate positions in the company. "I would rather keep books than do anything," she says. And she is fascinated by the intricate figuring that comes up in her journal reports the federal reports she makes for the payrolls of three lumber yards (Midland, Odessa, and Kermit), paying invoices, keeping count of all company money, and making yearly financial statements. "It takes complete accuracy," she says looking quite unconcerned.

The B&PW has rather grown-up with Mrs. Stovall. Although she is not a charter member, her membership was nevertheless one of the first, and her part in the organization has always been an active one—she is a former vice president and treasurer, has held various committee chairmanships, and has attended three state conventions.

Her connection with the high school Band-Aides? Well, she is an excellent mother, too, with a son in high school, a grown daughter, and a "precious" little grandson. The latter is her hobby, plus gardening at her home, 307 North C Street.

Plexiglas windows on pressurized cabins of transport planes are three-fourths to five-eighths of an inch thick.

Pie Supper For A Cause Staged At Prairie Lee School

By STANLEY FRANK

It was a pie supper for a cause whether it was a worthy cause wasn't the doubtful issue—not when you'd seen the shining face of the crowd of adults who squeezed into the building and wedged into creaks built for youngsters.

It was a supper Friday night to raise money for playground equipment at Prairie Lee School. Also to finish paying for some paint which had been used to brighten the building's interior.

Miss Christine Golladay, principal of the school, thought maybe a pie supper would raise enough money to get some swings and things for the children. It might even raise enough to pay for the paint. Delbert Downing, Chamber of Commerce manager in Midland, said he'd do his best for the cause.

Mac McConal was the auctioneer. A five dollar bid didn't impress him a bit. He asked ten—and got it.

\$339.75 Worth Of Pies
When it was all over with, and it was quickly finished, a total of \$339.75 had been paid for the pies. And then everybody gathered in the lunchroom and ate the pies, which were served with coffee. Good? Those pies had genuine eggs and cream in their makeup.

Mrs. Golladay, all flustered and excited at the amount of money generous Midlanders and farmers of the Prairie Lee community had tossed into the pot, announced there was enough to buy the playground equipment; finish paying for the paint; and buy a refrigerator for the school lunchroom, which had been getting along without one.

Until then, she hadn't mentioned needing a refrigerator for the lunchroom. She thought that would have been asking too much.

Midlanders attending the affair included James Daugherty, Buddy Stobaugh, Roy McKee, Mr. and Mrs. John P. Eutler, Mr. and Mrs. James Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Downing, Ole Stice, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Eubanks, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawk, and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford C. Keith.

In addition to Miss Golladay, Mrs. Ethel Staton and Mrs. W. E. Pigg, also teachers in the school, and many parents of Prairie Lee school-children assisted in the affair.

A study of automotive design shows that America is building smaller cars and England, a small-car nation, is building them bigger.

To Speak Here



The Rev. Arthur DeLoach, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Odessa, will speak at the First Baptist Church here at 10:55 a. m. Sunday, reporting on the recent Baptist World Alliance which he attended in Copenhagen, Denmark. He was the only West Texas Baptist minister to attend the session. His report will deal with conditions in Europe and the Christian approach to meeting these needs.

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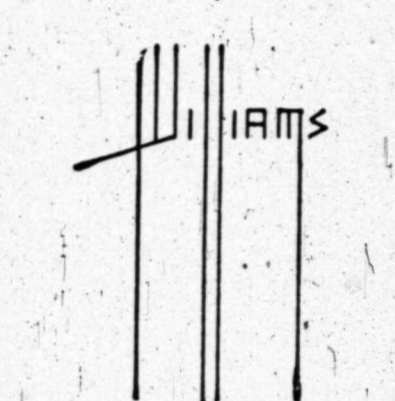
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NEW BROWNIE TROOP NO. 24 ORGANIZED

Girl Scout Brownie Troop No. 24 of the North Elementary School was organized Thursday afternoon under a new leader, Mrs. S. C. Giesey, and new co-leader, Mrs. Neal Marks, who recently completed the Girl Scout leadership course.

Members are Earleen Watson, Sally Walston, Glenda Gay Henderson, Dorothy Jane Yeckel, Helen Sue Thompson, Gerry Faye Parr, Jo Lynna Davis, Carolyn Boles, Cecilia Hodges, Dick Anderson, Mary Giesey, Beverly Bradbury, Naomi Green, Ginger Culp, Sue Garrett, Martha Marks, Barbara June Barber, Georgia Melton, and Ronda Gay Murchison.

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those things have gone and it is really a pleasure to do the chores I once dreaded.

"Three years ago I nearly died with Typhus fever and it left me so weak and I could never get my blood count up again or get back my energy. After taking Barcentrate my blood count started up and is now normal. So you see why I praise Barcentrate so highly and recommend it. Any praise I can give Barcentrate is small compared to the relief and happiness it has brought me."—Mrs. Eula Whitehead, 509 Harmon, Corpus Christi, Texas.

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Child Welfare Office Considers 472 Cases During Fiscal Year

During the fiscal year beginning Sept. 1, 1946, and ending Aug. 31, 1947, plights of 472 children were considered by the Midland County Child Welfare Board, according to the annual report of Dorothy Sumner Curlee, supervisor.

Of these, 200 requests were carried over from the previous year, and new requests last year made up the remaining 272.

February was the biggest month in point of children's cases considered. Thirty-eight cases were brought to the board's attention.

Brothers Meet In Hospital 28 Years Late

VAN NUYS, CAL. — Two brothers apart 28 years since infancy, have found each other in adjoining beds at Birmingham Veterans General Hospital.

Rodolfo Robledo, 28, born Espalin but not adopted by a Deming, N. M., family in infancy, was admitted six months ago for tropical disease treatment. Arthur A. Espalin, 30, came to the hospital a few days ago for a stomach operation and wound up in the next bed.

They made the discovery. Now they're planning a family reunion.

Coming Events

MONDAY

The executive board of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 2:30 p. m.

The Girl Scout Council will meet at 8 p. m. in the Presbyterian Church.

The Board of Deacons of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 5:30 p. m.

The Women's Council of the First Christian Church will meet in the church at 3 p. m. for a missionary study.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 3:30 p. m. as follows: St. Margaret's Guild in the home of Mrs. J. D. Dillard, 703 North Marienfield Street, with Mrs. M. F. Turner as hostess; St. Cecilia's Guild in the home of Mrs. E. N. Spiars, 1208 West Kansas Street.

The following circles of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church will meet: Belle Bennett Circle with Mrs. Velma Smith, 501 North Pecos Street; Laura Haygood Circle with Mrs. N. G. Oates, 610 North Main Street; Mary Scharbauer Circle with Mrs. Sam Preston, 403 North Loraine Street; and Winnie Prothro Circle with Mrs. Frank True, 1400 West Ohio Street.

The board meeting of the League of Women Voters will be held at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. Y. Penn, 806 West Storey Street.

TUESDAY

The South Elementary P-TA will honor its room mothers and executive board with a coffee from 9:30 a. m. to 11 a. m. in the home of Mrs. H. L. Stewart, 801 South Baird Street.

The John M. Cowden Junior High School P-TA will have its first meeting of the term at 7:30 p. m. in the North Elementary Auditorium.

TUESDAY

The Creative Arts Group of the AAUW will have a "sample" meeting at 8 p. m. in the studio of Mrs. W. M. Thompson, 1008 West Indiana Street.

Mrs. Amelia Hawkins, 1107 West Indiana Street, will entertain the Wesley Bible Class of the First Methodist Church at 2:30 p. m.

The League of Women Voters' discussion group on economics will meet at 1 p. m. in the home of Mrs. W. Y. Penn, 806 West Storey Street.

The Civic Music Club and the associated Midland Choral Club will open the 1947-1948 season at 7 p. m. in the home Mr. and Mrs. Holt Jowell, 705 North Pecos Street with an old-fashioned "Friday afternoon" program, which once was "performed" in schools. Husbands are invited, and each member will bring a fried chicken box lunch for two.

The Edelweiss Bridge Club will meet at 1:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. S. J. Lones, 1803 West Wall Street.

WEDNESDAY

The Girl Scout leaders will meet at 9:30 a. m. in the Children's Library of the court house.

The Progressive Study Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. C. W. Ledebur, 1408 West College Street, with Mrs. Cecil Waldrep, Mrs. John Hill DeFord, and Mrs. R. J. Hickman appearing on the program.

The Lula Brunson Class of the First Baptist Church will have a noon luncheon in the home of Mrs. Harlan Howell.

The Fine Arts Club will meet at 3 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Henry D. Murphey, 107 North G. Street.

Mrs. D. C. Haskin will speak on the "Progress of the United Nations," and Mrs. J. M. White will discuss "The Field of Psychiatry."

THURSDAY

The AAUW will have its regular monthly meeting in the Presbyterian Church Sunday School rooms. Mrs. Alma Thomas of Austin, formerly of Midland, will speak on her "round the world" tour.

The West Side Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p. m. with Mrs. O. R. Phillips, 1211 South Colorado Street.

The Palette Club will have its regular meeting at the clubhouse.

FRIDAY

The Ladies' Golf Association will meet at 9 a. m. Each member will bring a sack lunch.

Hindu Rope Trick Baffles Magicians

PARIS — You've heard of the Hindu rope trick?

The one where a fakir throws a rope into the air and causes it to remain taut, suspended from nothing, and then sends a boy clambering up the rope, to disappear into nothingness?

If you know how it's done there are 900 magicians now in session here who would like to learn.

"They all want to solve the famous Hindu rope trick," says Maurice Sardina, a dabbler in the magic arts for 40 years and organizer of the first International Congress of Magicians. "I've never seen it or know anyone who has seen it. But every magician has heard of it."

Creative Arts Group Of AAUW To Have Sample Meeting

The Creative Arts Group of the AAUW will meet at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the studio of Mrs. W. M. Thompson, 1008 West Indiana Street, to present samples of their work, illustrating the type of craft each has found interesting.

Details for the exhibit and sale to be held November 8 will be discussed and committees appointed. The group will be enrolled into two sections indicating interest in either ceramics or textile painting.

At the request of new members, the chairman will demonstrate the stencil method of textile printing.



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Among the more than 40 guests who attended were Sandra White, Gay Lynn Dorsey, Vickie Dorsey, Conrad Dorsey, Janet Huffman, Jimmy Withrow, Judy Withrow, Doan Withrow, Alison Gray, Diana Graves, Carolyn Kay Cole, Billy Whiston, Deanie Kelly, Linda Lou Lindsay, Sue Scaus, Zanie Bryant, Glenda Gay Henderson, Thirger Downing, Kurt Stuart, Larry Peterson, Gary Patterson, and Lorraine Collins.

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Assisting Mr. and Mrs. Cole were Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Withrow, Mr. A. B. Cole, Sr., Mrs. Paul Cole, Mrs. Bill Cole, Mrs. Allen Dorsey, and Mrs. Herschel Murt.

Married Sixty-One Years



Mr. and Mrs. Atchinson Of Stanton Observe 61st Wedding Anniversary

By MRS. RAYMOND BENNETT

STANTON—Mr. and Mrs. John Atchinson observed their sixty-first wedding anniversary at their home here, September 23, with 89 friends and relatives attending.

Mr. Atchinson was born May 7, 1867, near Decatur, Ill., and moved to Texas at the age of three. He spent four years in Missouri with his parents who moved back to Texas in 1874. They journeyed to Bosque County in a two-horse covered wagon and finally settled in Comanche.

Mrs. Atchinson, who was Evelyn Cox before her marriage, was born March 23, 1867, in Dallas County, and moved to Comanche in 1891. Mr. and Mrs. Atchinson were married Sept. 23, 1886, in Comanche County and moved to Martin County in 1907.

A retired farmer and businessman, Mr. Atchinson served as Martin County judge from 1923 through 1927. He has been an elder in the Stanton Church of Christ for 40 years.

Even children were born to this union. Ten are living: Mrs. Cora Turner, Mrs. Alta Henson, Mrs. Claude Kelly, C. F. Atchinson, Mrs. Walter Kelly, Mrs. Walter Henson, Mrs. Horace Blocker and Mrs. Raymond A. Bennett of Stanton; Mrs. Mary Wilson of San Angelo; and John Atchinson, Jr., of Phoenix, Ariz.

There are 50 grandchildren, 60 great-grandchildren, and two great-great-grandchildren. One great-grandchild was born in Japan this year, the daughter of Colonel and Mrs. Wilson. Five generations are living here.

The sixty-first anniversary dinner was held on the front lawn of the Atchinson home. The house was decorated with Summer flowers. Sixty-four Stanton guests and 16 out-of-town guests registered. The couple received a number of cards and two telegrams of congratulation.

Midland's B&PW Faces Tomorrow With 70 Members, Energy, Foresight

The Midland Business and Professional Women's Club is striving for the equal pay amendment and for jury representation, and in the national federation it wishes to share responsibility with men in building and running a world for all humanity and in shaping the peace.

With today's 70 members, Midland's club is represented by a great cross-section of careers—school teachers, clerks, secretaries, stenographers, library assistants, business managers, nurses, journalists, telephone operators, dramatic teachers, housewives, insurance and real estate workers, cosmeticians, bookkeepers, photographers, beauticians, technicians, bank tellers, and various other occupations.

Organized in 1946, Midland's B&PW was organized in the spring of 1936. Four of the charter members are included in today's group. They are Fannie Bess Taylor, first president of the club, Mrs. Iva Noyes, Susie Noble, and Laura Jesse.

Since its organization, the club has participated in many important civic projects—the Red Cross drives and the Texas City disaster relief

It submitted slogans for membership cards, and recently adopted a nine-year-old Belgian war orphan, to whom the club plans to send a Christmas box.

The B&PW became a member of the Chamber of Commerce in 1946. Through the theme, "We Face Tomorrow," which will highlight National Business Women's Week, the club will tell citizens how it plans to face the future spiritually, economically, legislatively, and socially, with stress on a full health program.

The B&PW neither stops at home nor nationally. Its scope is now international, through which it hopes to establish friendly relations between the women of different nations in order to bring about a world peace.

Pink And Blue Shower Honors Kermit Woman

KERMIT—Mrs. Gilbert Phillips, one of the teachers of the Beginners Department of the First Baptist Church, was honored recently with a pink and blue shower at the home of Mrs. Webb Jenkins. Assistant hostesses were Mrs. Louis Edwards, Mrs. Bill Cameron, and Mrs. Walter Keener, all teachers in the Beginners Department.

The Jenkins home was elaborately decorated with var-colored flowers. Tiny shoes, cradles, and toys were flower vases. The lace covered tea table was centered with a colorful arrangement of pink rose buds, white gladioli, blue baby breath, white chrysanthemums and pinks. Sweet peas were used in other decorations.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Jenkins and Mrs. Keener. After registering they were conducted into the room of the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jenkins where they greeted the honoree and gifts were on display.

Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Cameron presided at the tea service.

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New books for adults—fiction: Vespers in Vienna (Marshall), Margie Hepp (Chamberlain), Murder on the Purple Water (Carter), The High Window (Chandler), Mr. On Loong (Standish), Pamela Foxe (Main), The Leaning Tower (Porter), Proud Destiny (Fouchtlander), The Herdsman (Wilson), Collected Tales of E. M. Forster (Forster), Acres and Pains (Peregrine), Secret Hoheymoon (Craig), The Living Wood (Wohl), Marshall of Wichita (Curry), Long Anchorage (Houch), The Gilded Rooster (Roberts), So Long at the Fair (Thorne), The Farmhouse (Reilly), Hidden Portal (Weston), Honolulu Story (Brown), Mary Hallam (Ertz), Belvedere (Davenport), Flannigan's Folly (Milburn), Gentle Bush (Giles), Mrs. Candy and Saturday Night (Tallant), Forever Possession (Phillips), On This Star (Sorenson), Dr. Kim (Hancock), The Lady (Cather), Drums of Destiny (Bourne), Take Three Doctors (Seifert), and The Angry Wife (Seifert).

Non-fiction: American Memoir (Canby), Big Country Texas (Day), Short History of the Far East (Lattourette), Sam McGoo and Texas Too (Patterson), Essays for Freshmen (Cromin), The Making of Books (Schauflitz), New Introductory Lectures on Psycho-Analysis (Freud), The Psychology of Jung (Jacobi), El Sal del Rey (Hawkins), Ozark Superstitions (Randolph), The Ancient Maya (Morley), Slightly Out of Focus (Cape), and Texas Almanac for 1947-48.

New books for children: Lost Face (London), Bambo (the Clown) (Schreiber), A French ABC (Dauphin), The Disappearing Dolls (Simmons), Copy Kate (Hall), Abigail Adams (Whitney), Teen-age Companion (Owen), Radio Plays for Children (Watson), Buckskin Brigade (Kjelgaard), Trolley Car Family (Clymer), Birds in Their Homes (Kimball), Magnolia Heights (Paschal), Bitsey Finds a Cite (Seaman), and Young America's Music (eight volumes) (Weig).

New books sent to Danbar Branch Library: Golden Tales of Our America (Becker), Great American Novels (Richardson), Paul Dunbar and His Song (Cunningham), Your Manners Are Showing (Beitz), Secret of the Porcelain Fish (Evered), Distinguished Novels Ahead (Fleming), I Give You Texas (Hesse), Best Wedding (Ebert), Encyclopaedia of the Negro (DuBois), Little History of the Great Wide World (Pines), Sing Mother Goose (Wieseler), and the Golden Bible Old Testament Stories.

North Elementary Gives Assembly Program

The primary grades of the North Elementary School assembled Thursday afternoon for their weekly auditorium program. Stories were told by third grade pupils.

Those participating from Miss Pearce's room were Freddie Freckles, Anne Brooks, and Lori Elyse Ferguson. Mrs. Peters' students taking part were Catherine Staudeter and Tommie Lassere.

Choral readings were conducted by Elaine Gonzalez and accompanied by Mrs. George Grant.

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McCamey News

MCCAMEY — Mrs. Noel Joyce has gone to Odessa where she is undergoing medical treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Strickland are new residents of the Pecos Valley. Mrs. Clyde Graves is recuperating from a recent operation on a tooth.

Mrs. Robert White and small son have returned from an extensive visit in Coleman. Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Roberson have returned from a visit to Ruidosa.

Mrs. Claude Graves returned home Saturday from San Antonio where she has been under medical treatment several weeks. Mrs. N. G. Leach has returned from a visit to Albany, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Holt were in Odessa Tuesday on business. Mr. and Mrs. John Carson of Sheffield were visitors here recently. Mr. Carson is undergoing medical treatment.

The McCamey Badger Band went to Alpine recently as the guest of Daniel Baker College at the Sul Ross-Daniel Baker football game. The band participated in the half-time activities and played during the game.

Members of the journalism class of the Grandfalls-Royalty High School were visitors in McCamey Monday. They came to assist in the printing of the first issue of "The Gusher." They were accompanied by Supt. J. E. Coles, and Miss Janie Trainer, sponsor.

Among those from McCamey attending the Walter Robert piano concert in Fort Stockton Wednesday were Mrs. William Wolf and Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conger and Jeanne, Mrs. C. W. Brown and Claudine, Mrs. Newt Key and Peggy and Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Harris, Mrs. J. R. O'Callaghan, Mrs. S. R. Braly, Myrna Holman, Julia Tullis and Mary Nels.

Thomas Jefferson was a "leftist" leader in early American development.

Read The Classifieds

Stanton Couple Observe 50th Anniversary

STANTON — Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Spinks celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, September 29, in their home here. Eleven of the twelve children, 16 grandchildren and one great-grandchild were present. The children present were: Mrs. Almedia Gregg of Abilene; George Spinks of Wyoming; Jay and Tom Spinks of Kermit; Gilbreth Spinks of Amartillo; Joe Spinks of Big Spring;

Mrs. Mozell Hill, Mrs. Hortense Higgs, Mrs. Mildred Frazier, and Guy Spinks, all of Midland; and Mrs. Nannie Hedrick of Stanton. W. B. Spinks was born in Georgia in October, 1871. Mrs. Spinks, the former Viola Compton, was born February, 1881, in Limestone County. They were married in Armour, Texas, (now known as Coolidge, Texas), September 26, 1897.

Thirty guests registered during the day. The family served a buffet luncheon with a five-tiered white cake trimmed in gold. The home was decorated with cut-flowers throughout.

There are more than 20,000 motion picture theaters in the United States.

GERMAN PW'S ACCEPT EMPLOYMENT IN FRANCE

PARIS—(AP)—Nearly 100,000 of the 444,700 German prisoners of war in France have accepted an offer to become laborers here in return for their freedom, the Ministry of Labor reports.

Approximately 15,000 will be turned down because of technical reasons or records as Nazis. France is trying to import 300,000 foreign laborers within the year.

Shell To Present Educational Show

MCCAMEY — Fred W. Dallas, director of training and public relations for the Shell Pipeline Corporation in Houston, was in McCamey Thursday, consulting with John Sheehan, station chief engineer of the Shell Pipeline, and Mr. H. E. Stoker, superintendent of schools, about arrangements for an educational show to be presented for the public benefit in the high school auditorium, November 25.

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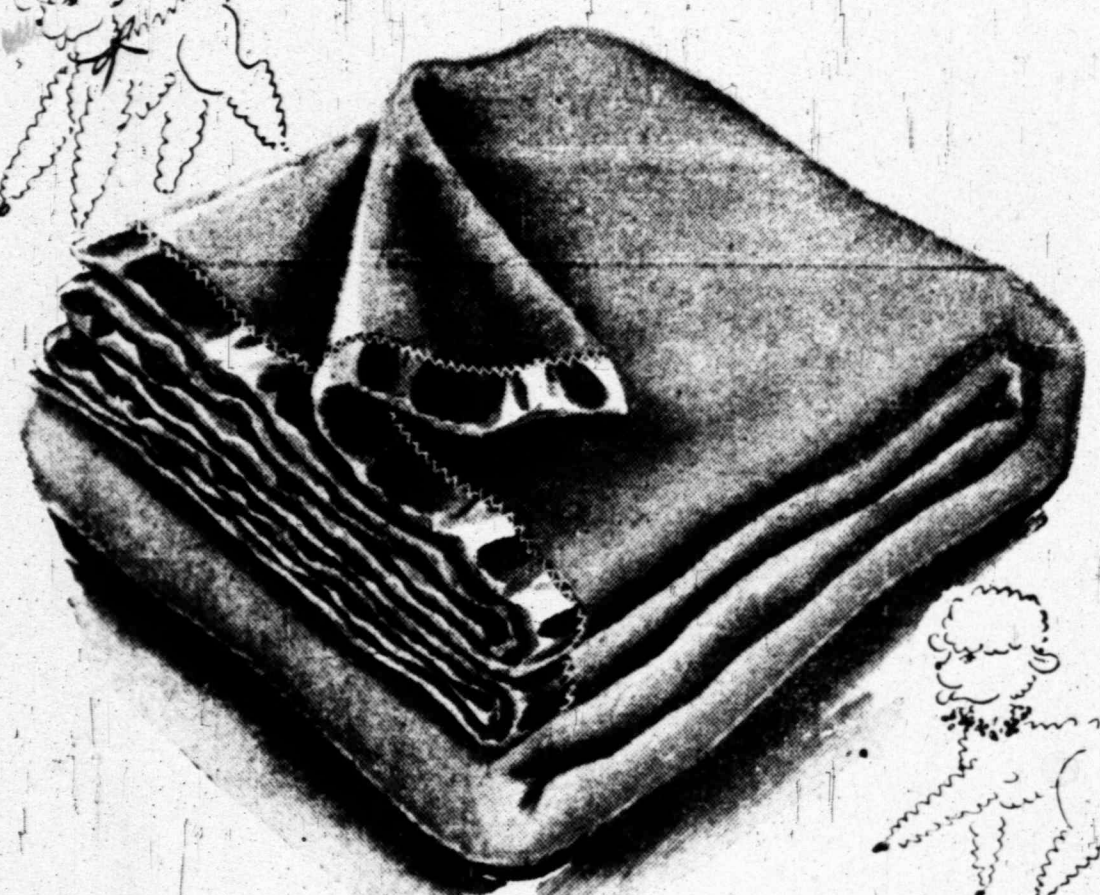
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In Midland, Too—

Some Funny Things Can Be Listed As Personal Property

By TANNER LAINE

Did you know that you could render dogs as property? And that three Midland County owners did this year? Bill Walsley listed two Cocker Spaniels, as personal property, and why not, Bill is proud of those pets. Yessir, you can put down dogs on your inventory of property. An owner who knows how we can stick it to the dog poisoners in Midland—if they ever be caught. Have your dogs listed as personal property and if the poisoner strikes, catch him and prosecute him under destruction of property. Right?

Speaking of rendering property for taxes, there are some funny items one can list besides dogs. J. H. Fire, county tax assessor and collector, gave us an inventory of property blank form to look at and some of the things that come under personal property, other—nobody in Midland has ever listed a steamboat, but they could.

The first two items on the list probably are used frequently in Midland County, that's horses and mules and cattle. But there is space for listing of jacks and jennets.

Betcha there haven't seen man carriages, buggies, wagons, listed lately but they used to be. Automobiles follow these on the list.

You can list the miles of interurban tracks you own. That is a pretty blank one in these parts, right partner?

But miles of pipeline and value likely is a big listing in oil sections, perhaps not for individuals however, but companies.

No barges listed in Midland County. This will floor you—you can list "pigeon holes." Yes, you can. "Pigeon holes" are included in tables on the list, too.

You can list your amount of credit, but—well, that's a good place to end this article.

Philip's Best Man



Lord Milford Haven, above, 28-year-old David Michael Mountbatten, who is a first cousin to Lt. Philip Mountbatten, will be best man at Philip's marriage to Britain's Princess Elizabeth on Nov. 20.

The Midland Reporter-Telegram

FIRST WITH THE NEWS

MIDLAND, TEXAS, SUNDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1947

SECTION THREE

Fire Prevention Week Begins Sunday

Junior Chamber Commerce Sponsors Observance Here

By STANLEY FRANK

In formally designating the period October 5-11 as Fire Prevention Week, Midland JayCees, sponsors, and Mayor R. H. (Rusty) Gifford, who has issued the official proclamation announcing it, have emphasized the importance of the event by pointing to the number of lives and the amount of property lost to fire in the nation and in Midland each year.

There were 1,700,000 fires in the United States during 1946, causing property damage totaling \$560,000,000. Losses for Midland alone this year are three lives

and approximately \$70,000 in property damage—substantially higher than the total for 1946, with three months yet to go in 1947.

The Fire Prevention Committee of the Junior Chamber of Commerce has drawn up a program designed to promote a general increase of safety measures in the city during the week and to impress publicly the importance of maintaining safety precautions throughout the year.

Fire Prevention Committee—Member of the JayCee Fire Prevention Committee include Lawrence Shock, chairman, Bob Watson, Jack Barber, Bill McGrew, J. H. Burris, Dr. Jimmie Gains, Jack Reynolds, Goodrich Hejl, George Cunnam and Otis Baggett. James Mims is general chairman.

The program they have outlined for the week includes:

Sunday—Opening day, to be given over to the churches; fire prevention to be emphasized at all services. Mayor Gifford will speak over station KCRS at 3 p. m.

Monday—Opening of window displays; distribution of fire prevention information to homes, offices and schools by Boy Scouts.

Tuesday—Clean-Up Day; homes, stores, yards, alleys, lots, gutters and streets to be cleared and cleaned; garbage trucks to pick up rubbish as soon as possible. Citizens will be addressed over KCRS at 3 p. m. by E. L. Stephens on subject of fire prevention.

Wednesday—Inspection Day for the city; all citizens will be expected to make complete inspection of buildings and premises. The Fire Department will assist in inspections, checking fire extinguishers and gas hose connections.

Schools Participate—Thursday—School Fire Prevention Day; fire prevention to be stressed in schools by fire drills, preparation of posters, group assemblies and films. At 7:30 p. m. Hugh V. Keepers of Dallas, assistant manager of the Fire Prevention and Engineering Bureau of Texas, will assist in forming a safety association for the Permian Basin in the high school auditorium after films of the Texas City disaster are shown.

Friday—Keepers will address the Midland Jaycees and will deliver a radio talk.

Saturday—Firemen's Convention Day. Keepers will present Texas City disaster films to visiting firemen and the public at 11 a. m. A representative from the No-Flame Corporation will present a demonstration on the vacant lot across from the City Hall at 10:30 a. m., during the afternoon there will be a business session of the Permian Basin District Firemen's Association, followed by pumper races at 3 p. m. Afterward, there will be a barbecue. Midland theaters are cooperating by honoring ladies of the visiting firemen with free passes to shows during the afternoon.

Fire Prevention Week will close Saturday night with the Firemen's Ball at the V.P.W. Hall at Midland Air Terminal. Public attendance of the dance is invited.

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Mystery Eggs Turn Turtle.



Digging in his yard, Robert F. Lightbody of Willow Lake, O., unearthed eight tiny white eggs which he couldn't identify. He gave them to his four-year-old daughter, Diane, who put them in a box and covered them with dirt. Then one day the mystery was solved. The eight eggs turned into the eight turtles which Diane is feeding in the pie plate above.

Dirt, Squirt And Quirt

— FARM, DAIRY AND RANCH NEWS —

By STANLEY FRANK

Although it has been a dry year, Midland County calves this fall reportedly are heavier than usual.

Which attests to the quality of the grass as well as the cattle in this section.

Heaviest calves shipped to date were those of Sherwood, Foster. Last week when he loaded two cars of steers to Iowa feeders they averaged 583 pounds. Seldom indeed do calves come off grass weighing so much—and this goes for any section of the country.

Reflecting general scarcity of grain and high prices of all feed-stuffs, bundled feed in Midland County last week was reported selling for up to 14 cents per bundle in the field. A year ago, similar feed was bringing farmers around a dime.

Midland County's cotton crop last week was still considered the best since 1941. Pickers were scarce and were charging \$1.75 to \$2 per hundred pounds, plus an extra charge for hauling the cotton to the gin, farmers reported. And cases were reported wherein good neighbors almost came to blows over charges one had lured pickers from the other's field.

Approximately 175 cattle were sold Thursday at the Midland Livestock Auction on a market definitely stronger than that of the previous week. Butcher calves went as high as \$32 per hundredweight again, with most calves weighing 400 to 500 going at \$17 to \$19. Bulls brought up to \$14, cows around \$10 to \$14.90, and Jersey cows to \$12.10.

Frank Midkiff sold eight steer and heifer calves averaging 362 pounds at the auction here Thursday; they brought \$19.20 per hundredweight.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cope were here last week from their ranch near Big Lake. Earl said practically

Any Time, Any Place—

Firemen Give 250 Years Of Service

By TANNER LAINE

More than 250 years of service have been given to Midland by members of your Fire Department. In all kinds of weather and at any hour of the day or night service for the protection of your life and your property—they are ready.

Four of these firemen are paid. But they often go beyond the coverage of their salaries in the risk of life and limb they take for you. And as for the volunteer boys—well, would you be willing to risk your neck at any time of the day or night, for nothing more than the sometimes "thank you."

We ask you to remember back with us to last Winter when the Midland Fire Department fought a half-dozen fires in sub-zero weather and under every conceivable handicap.

They do their best. If it is not enough then is that their fault or ours in not providing more paid firemen and equipment. It is something for the Midlander to think about.

Here are the boys, who unselfishly give you service if there's a fire and who knows when your home will be next:

(Number of years of service listed with each fireman.)
Firemen Listed
Luther Tidwell, 38; Newell Beauchamp, 25; J. T. Walker, 20; Gerald Fuller, 20; J. T. Baker, 17; John Pliska, 15; Athel Cole, 15; Doyle Fitzgerald, 15; Bill Klatt, 12; Marvin Beauchamp, 12; Earl Reed, 10; Grady Brown, 10; Ben Biggs, 10; Leon Griffin, 7; Corbie D. Friday, 2; Ike Fitzgerald, 2; C. W. Blacklock, 2; Gene Kimsey, 1.

If there are any fire boys left out, we apologize. They were out fighting a fire when we visited the station.

The Midland Fire Department is not completely covered without mentioning Frank Prothro, first fire marshal and volunteer and honorary member for years and years. And there's Newell Beauchamp, Jr., the mascot for 15 years.

Boys, you are appreciated.

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Many Texans Among 22,000 Pentagon Building Workers

WASHINGTON—The War Department, which employs 22,000 persons in the mammoth Pentagon building just across the Potomac River in Virginia. At one time the number was nearly 30,000. In numerous other buildings scattered over the Washington metropolitan area the War Department employs many additional mechanics among them many Texans, both military and civilian.

Because it is one of the most interesting structures not only in Washington, but in the entire country, a few words might be devoted to the Pentagon. Its size is impressive, even to Texans. The building is in effect a horizontal skyscraper, with its acre-foot of floor space said to be as great or greater than any building in the world. Besides innumerable offices, it has five separate and large cafeterias, a shopping center with a drug store, bookstore, branch shop of a Washington department store, and other businesses.

A confusing jumble of cloverleaf road runs around and through acres of parking space on all sides of the Pentagon, and drivers of buses as well as private cars continually are getting lost and driving the wrong way on one-way thoroughfares, or turning off on the wrong lane. Buses zip along a four-lane tunnel that burrows down along one side of the building for a quarter mile, along which are stop lights, and pickup stops.

Fires—Is Headliner
As for the Texas personalities in the Pentagon, General Dwight D. Eisenhower heads the list. Of



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Others of general rank currently on duty here and who hail from Texas include: Maj. Gen. Howard Davidson, Wharton, who was retired but now is on active duty with the Army Air Forces Aid Society; Maj. Gen. E. H. Leavelle, in the office of the chief of transportation, an ex-Texas Aggie; Maj. Gen. Otto P. "Cotton" Weyland, Uvalde; Maj. Gen. William D. Old, on the general staff, another ex-Texas Aggie; and Eric Gen. Alvin R. Luecke, of the class of '32 of Texas A&M, who when promoted to his present rank in 1944, was the Army's youngest general.

One of the most colorful war records belongs to Col. John A. Hiller of Houston, on duty at AAF headquarters. He was next to Gen. Jimmy Doolittle in command on the famous raid on Tokyo at the beginning of the war.

Fly-By-Night Pilot School Keeps Students In Dark

ATLANTA, GA.—(NEA)—The students of what is believed to be the world's first night school for private pilots aren't worried in the least about flying at night. They are by night.

Both beginning pilots and their Alcoa Corporation at the Atlanta Municipal Airport, are convinced that the one who learns to fly at night will never be "in the dark."

Ironically, the theory is that the ordinary student pilot, who learns to fly in the daytime, has a psychological handicap when he first takes to the air at night. But if he takes his first lessons after sun down, he has no comparable adjustment to make to learn day-light flying.

Friends Guinea-Pig Idea
The idea of a regular night school of the air was originated by Capt. Harvey J. Watt, commercial air line pilot who is chairman of the board of the Atlanta Flying School in his spare time on the ground. Captain Watt had heard of one student taught solely at night at a field in Virginia.

Quite by accident, George H. Harris, 31, a dry cleaner, heard of Captain Watt's plans. The very next day, Harris ran into an old buddy, Fred W. Mullins, 26, an employee of the southwestern area Veterans Administration. Friends



Fred Mullins (right) and George Harris (left) were guinea pigs in successful experiment of learning to fly without benefit of daylight.

who served side by side for four years and nine months, including two months in Europe, in a national guard field artillery unit, the two met at an American Legion clubhouse.

Harris explained the night school experiment to Mullins, and the two decided to guinea-pig the idea. On a recent Saturday night both completed 11 hours of instruction in the Cessna 140 trainer and went up for the soles.

Students Perform Perfectly
Instructor Frank Abbott's heart did a ground-loop as he watched his student, Mullins, taxi out to the end of the runway.
"I saw his wing lights go round in a pretty arc, and I felt sure he'd ground-looped that pretty plane," said Abbott. Both students performed perfectly, however, their first time in the air above.

ever piloted a plane in the daylight.
What are the advantages of learning to fly in night school? Captain Watt explains that, first here's the inducement any evening college holds out: People who work every day can study after the job is done. For another thing, there's not as much night traffic at the Atlanta airport—much by day ranks with New York and Chicago as one of the nation's biggest—and, finally, the air is smoother after sundown.

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Dirt, Quirt—
(Continued from page 1)
Midland and Rankin went to Dallas last week on business.
John Dublin delivered his Martin County calves last week to Foy Proctor.
Charles Cox and Sam Ratliff of Glasscock County were visitors last week.
Ralph McWhorter, Eunice, New Mexico ranchman who operates in Northwest Anadarko Country, reports he has good grass on the East half of his ranch, which got some rain a few weeks ago, but the rest of his country is dry.
James Windham, who for several years has been a member of the U. S. Army Air Forces, is back home and will stock his 30-section ranch, part of the old John Windham place 36 miles South of Midland, about November 1.
His brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davidson, are on the adjoining ranch, also part of the original John Windham country.
Clayton Smith, Iraan ranchman, said here last week his grass is in good shape for this time of year, although some rain wouldn't hurt anything.
Mr. and Mrs. Preston Patton and daughter Sybil are moving back from San Saba to their ranch near Rankin.
W. R. Morgan, who ranches between Midland and Rankin, was a business visitor in Midland Thursday.
Clint Shaw is building a new home on his ranch North of Rankin.
Louis Milton Smith and J. T. Janner, were visitors in Midland last week. Smith has just received 2,600 four-year-old ewes which he purchased in the Alpine country to stock his Upton County ranch.
M. F. King of Midland returned last week from a visit to Mineral Wells.
Mr. and Mrs. Dean Swift of San Angelo last week visited son, Smokey, and his family on their ranch near Crane.
Mrs. Lenorah B. Epley, who farms and ranches in Martin County, last week reported a severe shortage of cotton pickers in the Lenorah area. She also ranches near Elida, New Mexico.
W. B. Cotton, Andrews County ranchman, visited here last week. He'll deliver his calf crop early in November.
Charles and Walton Harral have just finished delivering lambs from their Upton and Midland County ranches and now are delivering lambs from their Culberson County country. Their lambs in Upton and Midland County, about 3,500 head of which have been delivered, averaged 68 pounds, it was reported last week.
W. M. Key, Jr., formerly ranching in Glasscock County 35 miles Southwest of Garden City, is moving to his father's Railway Ranch in Ector County.
C. C. Thomas of Midland, manager of the Midland Production Credit Association, and his family left Thursday night to attend the Dallas Fair and the SMU football game over the weekend.

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Midland JayCees' Schedule For Fire Prevention Week

Sunday, October 5

At all church services, Fire Prevention will be emphasized. Mayor Giford will speak to the citizens over the radio on the subject of Fire Prevention, at 3 p.m.

Monday, October 6

Posters will be displayed, inspection blanks and other material will be distributed at homes, offices, and schools by the Boy Scouts.

Tuesday, October 7

Clean-Up Day. Homes, stores, yards, alleys, lots, gutters and streets are to be cleared and cleaned. Radio address at 3 p.m. by Mr. E. L. Stephens.

Wednesday, October 8

Inspection Day. All citizens will be expected to make complete inspections of buildings and premises.

Thursday, October 9

School Fire Prevention Day. Fire Prevention will be stressed through the medium of fire drills, preparing posters, group assemblies, films, etc. Safety personnel will be formed by Mr. Hugh V. Keepers, of Dallas, Texas. City Disaster films will be shown at High School Auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

Friday, October 10

Mr. Hugh Keepers will address the JayCees and make radio talk at 3 p.m.

Saturday, October 11

Firemen's Convention Day. Texas City Disaster films will be shown to visiting firemen. Demonstration by representative of the No-Flame Corporation at City Hall at 10:30 a.m. Business session of Permian Basin District Firemen's Association at 3 p.m. Pumper races followed by barbecue. Wives of visiting firemen will be admitted free by Midland Theatres. Firemen's Ball to be held at V.F.W. Hall at Midland Air Terminal.

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FIRE PREVENTION WEEK—OCT. 5-11

Midland Residents Get Big Spring Buildings

Several Midland residents and institutions were among those receiving high bid awards of Big Springs Army Air Field buildings at a public sale of the field's surplus real property last Tuesday.

C. W. Post was successful claimant of a barracks on bid price of \$336.50. Roy Slackford was awarded five barracks for \$2,729.50, while Ray Howard was awarded a barracks for \$28. The First Baptist Church was successful in purchasing six barracks for \$3,144.54.

Mid-Land Finance Observes Birthday

The Mid-Land Finance Company, owned by J. H. Brock and A. C. Caswell, is observing another birthday as the firm enters its third year in Midland.

The owners expressed appreciation to citizens of this area for a generous volume of business and pledged its policy of prompt and courteous service will be continued. The company is located at 201 East Wall Street.

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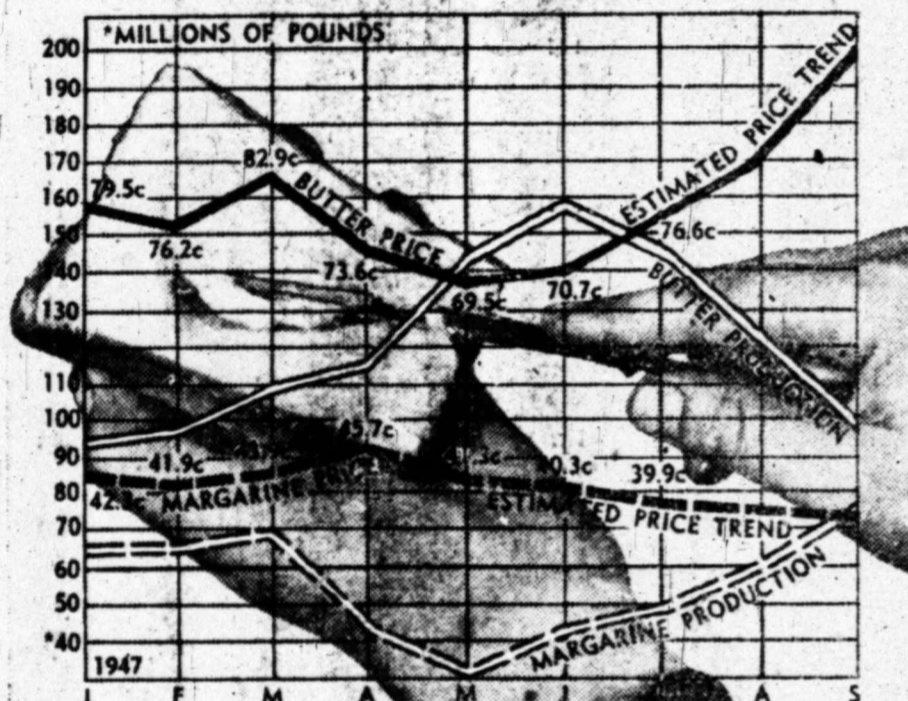
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THE RED STAIN SPREADS



Vital question for the Western Powers is how to halt Russia's "imperialistic" expansion. This map shows how the USSR has grown from the four republics of the original Soviet Union in 1924 to the present 16 republics, various territorial additions, and areas where Soviet influence is paramount. The republics range in size from the relatively small Armenian state (11,580 square miles) to the huge Russian Soviet Federated Socialist Republic, with well over six million square miles, more than twice the size of continental United States. The Russian bear is clawing at Greece. If it fails to Communists, Turkey and the vital Near East oil areas are threatened.

How America Butters Its Bread



The chart shows the 1947 trends in production and average retail price of butter and margarine. August and September figures are estimates. Note how the butter price curve is almost identical with the curve for margarine production—as butter increases in cost, the demand for margarine increases, with corresponding decrease in demand for butter. Figures from Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Labor Statistics, and Margarine Institute.

Bats have eyes and can see. They are easily dazed by the glare of a light, since they are nocturnal creatures and thus fly blindly.

The Bohemian boy offers the girl of his choice a small ginger-break cake as a sign that he wishes a dancing partner.

DIED BEFORE DISCOVERY

Dr. Percival Lowell, astronomer, died in 1916, 14 years before the discovery of the planet Pluto, which he knew existed, and for which he searched diligently the last years of his life.

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Fire Chief Warns Midlanders Against Disastrous Home Fires

"One of the most serious aspects of the fire problem in Midland concerns the dwelling," Fire Chief Luther Tidwell has stated, asking all possible public co-operation in observing Fire Prevention Week, October 5-11.

The greatest loss of life from fires occurs in dwellings, he said. It is estimated the total loss of life in the nation is about 10,000 annually. Of this number 7,500 are women and children, the majority of whom die in their homes as the result of avoidable fires.

Here, as everywhere, most common causes of dwelling fires are careless smoking, defective chimneys and flues, leaky and worn out gas hoses, careless use of matches, needless accumulations of rubbish, defective electrical equipment, and

use of combustible dry cleaning liquids.

One reason ascribed for the high life loss in dwelling fires, Tidwell said, is the widespread lack of protection against fires. In industry, public buildings and mercantile occupancies, fire protection equipment is used to stop a fire as soon as it starts. But few homes are equipped with fire extinguishers, sprinkler systems and other protective devices.

Chief Tidwell added a warning that the coming of cold weather will increase danger of home fires. Faulty heating systems, particularly those employing gas, are common causes of explosions and disastrous fires in residences, he said, and he advised careful and frequent checking of all such sources of danger.

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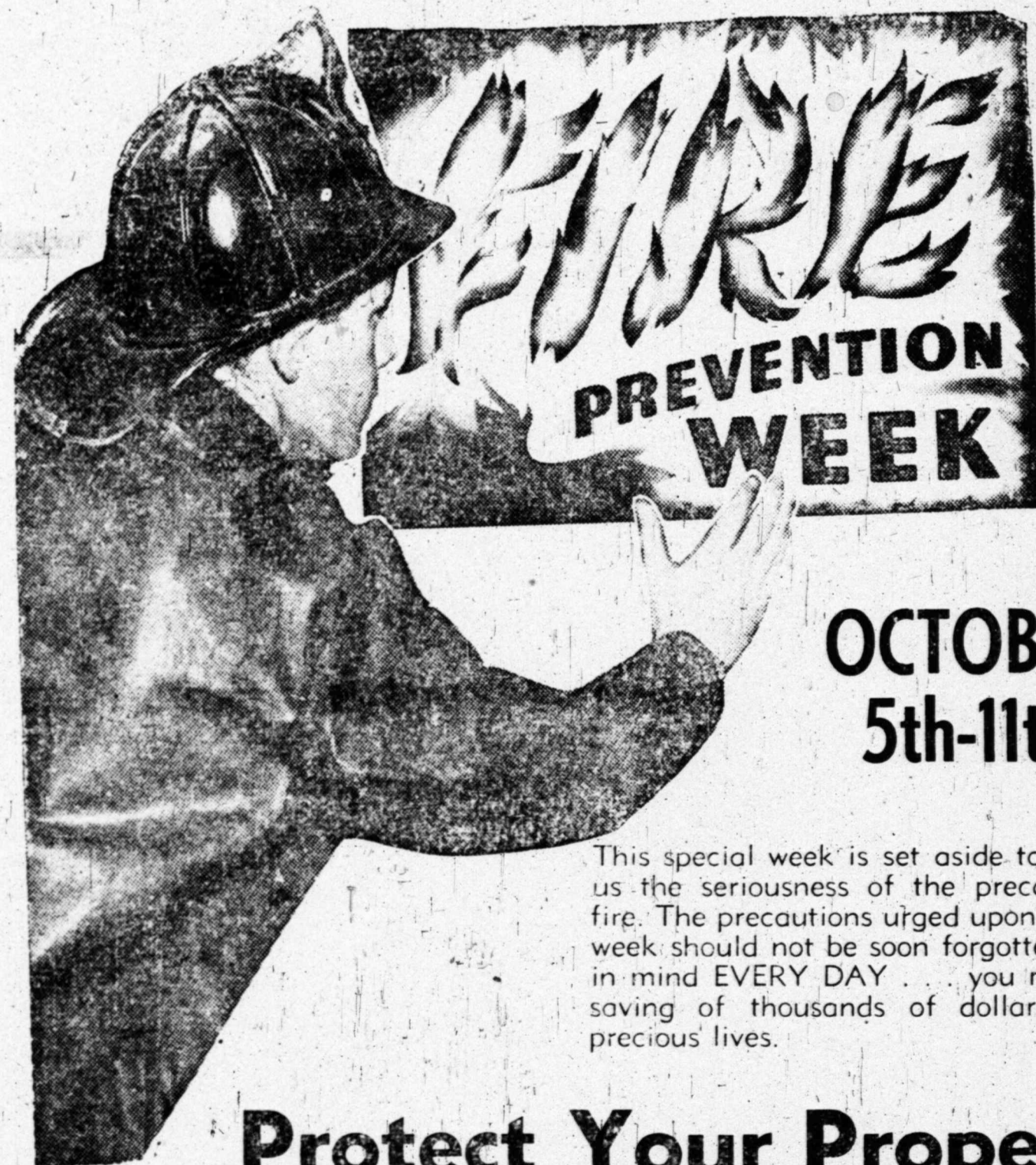


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OCTOBER 5th-11th

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FBI Offers Suggestions For Prevention Of Burglaries

By MAX HALL
WASHINGTON—A burglary is busier and busier. Your house may be next. What can you do to prevent it? What should you do if you hear a burglar in the house? The other day the FBI reported 147,916 burglaries in the first six months of 1947. Compared with the same period of last year, this was a 17 per cent

increase in rural areas, and a two per cent increase in cities and towns.

So I went to the FBI and asked what the ordinary citizen can do. The FBI officials want it understood that no ironclad rules can be laid down that will apply to all situations. But they agreed to prepare some "general suggestions." Here's what they suggested:

1. Lock every outside door. This may seem obvious, but in rural sections, where burglaries are increasing fastest, it's still common practice not to lock doors.
2. Latch all ground-floor windows at night. If the weather won't permit this, the screens at least should be snugly fastened.
3. "All particularly vulnerable areas of a dwelling might well be kept illuminated at night." For example, a dark door or cellar entrance. "Few burglars will try to sneak through a lighted doorway or window."
4. Members of the family should pay close attention to individuals loitering in the neighborhood, and unknown persons calling at the door, should be asked to identify themselves fully.

When Stepping Out
This is because "most houses are 'cased' before they are burglarized." The burglar needs advance information about the room arrangement, the number of people, and valuables, the dog.

Next, some suggestions for the early evening hours, when the family is temporarily away:
Leave a light burning in the house, don't pull down window shades, don't leave notes telling when you will return; don't carry your key in the conventional front porch hanging place.

Guerrilla Chief



Markos Vafiades, alias "General Markos," above, is the self-proclaimed commander-in-chief of the Greek guerrillas, whose activities are being investigated by the UN Balkan Commission checking on Communist influence in northern Greece.

India's Moslem Leader



The camera records both jovial and serious moods of Mohammed Ali Jinnah, head of the new Moslem nation of Pakistan in India, as he gives an interview to the Indian rebels.

Governor Of Pakistan Fears Russian Aggression In India

By BERT BRANDT
KARACHI, INDIA—(NEA)—If either the Hindu or the Moslem government in India breaks down under the strain of bloody rioting, Soviet Russia might step in and take over, Mohamed Ali Jinnah, governor general of Pakistan, told NEA Service in an exclusive interview.

"And that," he added, "would be a very serious thing indeed."
Russia, the only important nation that did not telegraph expressions of good will toward either Pakistan or India when they attained freedom, is known to be watching the situation closely.

Jinnah Accuses Hindus
Jinnah flatly accused the Hindu government of permitting the Sikhs to collect arms and ammunition with which to butcher Moslems in the Punjab, and of taking no effective steps to stop the massacre of Moslems even in the capital at New Delhi, under the very noses of the Hindu government.

Each side in the Hindu-Moslem controversy insists that the other started the savage rioting in which thousands have been slain, and would stop it by firm action. Here's the Moslem view in Jinnah's bitter complaint:
"It is quite clear that the Hindu government has failed to control a systematically organized move on the part of the Sikhs in Punjab. We have ample information, from very reliable sources, of enormous preparations made by the Sikhs in the way of gathering arms and ammunition of all kinds. The Hindu government did nothing about it. The first deadly blow came from the Sikhs, especially in eastern Punjab."

"Month Of Butchery"
"For more than a month now Sikh men, tolerated and even encouraged by various groups of the Hindu government, have continued their butchery."

"The hell started rolling in Punjab, but the situation in New Delhi is the biggest disgrace because it is in the Hindu capital and under the very noses of the Hindu government. There many thousands of men, women and children have been butchered, and the Government has taken no effective action to control it."

"Jinnah denied reports from New Delhi that Moslems planned an armed uprising there, and that the Hindus and Sikhs merely beat them to it. He contended that Moslem activities have been in retaliation

for disorders started by the Sikhs and encouraged by Hindus. "Either the Hindu government is completely ignorant of conditions in its own capital," he said, "or it is criminally negligent in failing to adopt effective preventive measures that could have saved thousands of lives and the enormous destruction of property we now are witnessing."

The task of moving 20,000,000 Hindus from Pakistan and 35,000,000 Moslems from Hindustan is tremendous, Jinnah pointed out. "Already untold millions are fleeing in panic, leaving behind their businesses, their homes, and their possessions. The main problem now is to maintain law and order at any cost, and give these peoples the chance to decide peacefully, where they prefer to live."

I asked Jinnah about the feeling, often voiced in Karachi, that the British deliberately freed India so suddenly that its two new governments could not hope to work, in order to discredit them in the eyes of the world.
"I hold no brief for the British," he said earnestly, leaning forward and emphasizing the answer with gestures. "They got out because they knew they couldn't hold India any longer. It was a tremendous liability, especially financially."
"But I think Great Britain wanted to hand over control smoothly, so as to create friendliness on the part of both countries, and have them as trade allies."

It was at this point that I asked who, in Jinnah's opinion, might step into the breach if either the Moslem or the Hindu government should fall to survive the unsettled conditions, the mass migrations, the rioting that now make it impossible for either to function efficiently.
"The only one I can think of is Russia," he told me quietly. "There are many things going on that I cannot discuss at this time."

Though Jinnah is heavily pressed by the job of trying to get a new government going in the midst of disorders and even talk of war, he was very cordial and very anxious to tell his story to the American people.

Wearing tropical whites with a blue tie, the soft-spoken Pakistan leader talked freely in his big, sunlit study. He made no effort to speed the interview unduly. When he felt that we had covered the situation he rose, and said:
"We deeply appreciate the good will and friendliness that the United States has shown to Pakistan. I want to assure your people that, though we are a new democracy and have many problems, we shall try hard to make our full contribution toward the peace and happiness and welfare of the world as a whole."

Early Firemen Helped Midland
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FORT D. A. RUSSELL AT MARFA DECLARED SURPLUS
WASHINGTON—(AP)—Fort D. A. Russell at Marfa, Texas, has been declared surplus except for a portion reserved for the Texas National Guard, the War Department has informed the office of Rep. Resnan (D-Texas).

No exact disposition was given of the property, which may be released to the War Assets Administration if no other armed forces agency wants it.
HEARING ORDERED ON HUMBLE APPLICATION
AUSTIN—(AP)—The Railroad Commission has given notice of the following hearing:
October 21—Application of the Humble Oil and Refining Company for a discovery allowable and new field designation for its Yarbrough and Allen well No. 1, Ector County.

+ Crane News +

CRANE—Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Coleman and children were guests in the L. E. Russell home Sunday. Mrs. Jake Cochran and daughter, Mary Alice, were visitors in San Angelo Saturday. Bill Reed returned Friday from a two-weeks' vacation. Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Byrd of Electric are guests in the home of their son, Leon Byrd, and their daughter, Mrs. W. R. Crowner. Mrs. Norman Baker of the Gulf Sand Hills Camp was honored recently with a buffet luncheon in the home of Mrs. Audice Williams with Mrs. Rex Glass co-hostess. The Bakers will move soon. Baker is waiting order to report for duty in the Army Air Corps. Charles Jones of Goldsmith is now employed at the Gulf Pipeline Station. Mrs. Perry Davis left the Robinson Hospital Wednesday after a tonsillectomy. The Rev. Mr. Miner from Weatherford preached at the Tabernacle Church last Sunday. Mrs. J. R. Boyd was given a surprise birthday party Saturday by her friends, and neighbors. Guests gathered at her door with gifts and sang "Happy Birthday." Brownies and coffee were served to Mesdames Lula Chaney, W. E. Horne, J. H. Huggins, J. B. Belew, Roy Hazelle, C. P. Davis, Ted Green, J. J. Phillips, and R. D. Shaffer. Children present were Brenda Belew, Carla May, Deana, and Norma Horne; and Carrie Lou Chaney. J. W. Weesley of Dallas is visiting in the R. H. Dickson home.

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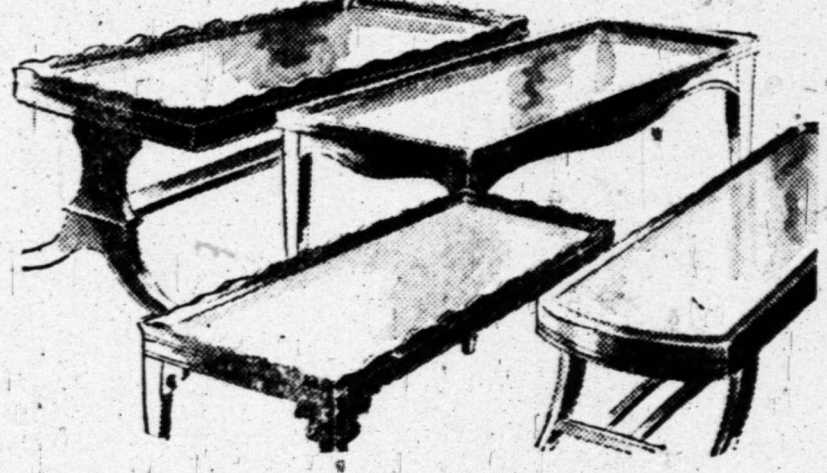
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Up For Discharge



(NEA Telephoto) Michael Di Bartolo, the Army's most celebrated AWOL, hugs his father and mother, who came to New York from Roxbury, Mass., to take him home as soon as he gets his release from the Army. Di Bartolo, who disappeared at Cassino, then showed up two years later, charged already, is being processed for discharge because it is impossible to hold a new trial on desertion charges in Italy before the December 14 deadline for the withdrawal of U. S. troops.

Iowan Is Optimistic About Future Of American Press

By HAL BOYLE
DAVENPORT, IOWA—(P)—Nobility kicks a dog or beats a horse in vain during the kind-to-animals week.
The Iowan, in "Newspaper Week," and the Press enjoys no such immunity. As usual, it is healthily open both to caucals and kind words.
One who is ready at all times to lend a knuckle in its defense is E. P. Adler, who has spent more than 62 years in the newspaper business and reached the conclusion that the American Press has a better life expectancy than its critics.
"Newspapers are as firm in the people's minds as ever," Adler said this week on his seventy-fifth birthday anniversary. "They are continuing to improve as they have in days gone by, and they are more read than they ever were."
Few people are in a better position to note the changes in the newspaper field than this small, peppery, white-haired publisher. His own career has symbolized them.
He began as a "printer's devil," worked around the Midwest as a tramp printer in the golden age of that craft, then switched to the reporter and business side. Today he is president of the Lee Syndicate, which publishes 11 daily papers in Iowa, Wisconsin, Illinois, Missouri and Nebraska.
Adler is a nationally known leader in the small city newspaper field—a dean who never wants to become dean emeritus.
When he went to work before his thirteenth birthday his starting weekly wage was zero minus a dollar—his father paid a printer the dollar each week to teach young E. P. how to set type. Newspapers were small, handset, printed on flat-bed presses, and their news coverage of events outside their immediate communities was generally poor.
The invention of the Web press and the linotype, the development of press associations and wirephoto, changed all that," Adler recalled.
Adler is optimistic over the future of the American newspapers and feels that radio, television and facsimile transmission "will never run them out of business."
"All a newspaperman has to do is to put out a good newspaper—print the real news—and he'll sell his newspaper all right," he said.
"Freedom of the Press is one of the strong points of America. I believe there still is freedom of the Press, and I believe there always will be."
"I see no threat to newspapers except rising costs which must be met by raising the delivery price and the rates for advertising space. But there must be an end to this problem of rising costs sometime—not only for newspapers, but for every other business."
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Miss Sally Butler, president of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, Inc., surveys the "world of tomorrow" in connection with the observance of National Business Women's Week, which begins Sunday.

Challenges Cited By B&FW Head As Business Women's Week Observed

National Business Women's Week, which opens Sunday and continues through Saturday, is being observed by "Business and Professional Women's Clubs" throughout the United States...

Clubs, Inc. issued the following challenge to business women in connection with the week's observance: "Before we can face tomorrow it is necessary to review the accomplishments and achievements gained by women over the past years."

Home Owners Can Get 'Know-How' Literature

The average home owner seldom is prepared for his new job as master of a home. Schools haven't taught him how. He is expected to learn by experience, which can be costly.

However, there are various sources of information. Supply dealers usually can be consulted. Manual training teachers and neighbors familiar with similar problems may have valuable advice.

Women may seem to have all the things for which business and professional women have been working for twenty-five years: suffrage, freedom of action and the choice of occupations. It is true that we have these things but our main problem is to hold on to them.

Construction Cost Of 'Your' House Depends On Wide Variety Of Factors

What your house will cost you depends on a wide variety of factors. Only you and your architect or builder can consider them all. Your own specifications, the number and size of rooms, the shape of the house, local building codes, labor wage scales, and material prices are some things that must be weighed.

Unsettled building costs make local estimates more important now than at any time in the past. Although a house in northern states with a relatively expensive heating plant and tighter construction always did cost more than a house of the same size in the south, there are now major variations even between northern states and cities.

Architects use two rule-of-thumb methods to figure the construction cost of an average house. One is based on square foot area and the other, more exact, on the cubic feet of content.

However, the cubic foot cost for an uninsulated cubic block, wood frame dwelling of the most inexpensive construction may run around 50 cents to 60 cents in some sections while the index for fireproof masonry and expensive construction may range from 65 cents to 75 cents per cubic.

Your own specifications will spell the difference between an estimate and a guess. You may want a fully-tiled bath with built-in elaborate fixtures. That would cost more than a modestly painted or papered bathroom with lower-priced fixtures.

Two houses may appear identical from the street. They may be built in the same town by the same contractor. Yet they can vary widely in cost. One may be of steel frame construction with a concrete first floor and complete insulation, copper or brass plumbing throughout, solid bronze hardware, custom-designed trim and year-round air-conditioning.

Cubic content is figured for a simple rectangular house by multiplying the length by the width and multiplying that area by the height from the bottom of the cellar floor slab to a point midway in the gable. Eight feet may be allowed for basement and cellar floor and 10 feet for the height of each story including construction.

This cubage includes full volume for bay windows, dormers, enclosed porches and chimneys. Half volume is figured for attached garages and non-enclosed porches having no screens or sash. Acreways around basement windows count for half their volume.

Included in the cost per cubic will be structure, labor, heating plant, plumbing fixtures, lighting fixtures, and sometimes kitchen cupboards, laundry, shades, Venetian blinds, awnings, terraces, walks, driveways, sewage disposal, wells, landscaping, etc.

A thorough understanding is important, therefore, before construction is undertaken. Changes of mind after a contract is awarded and work has been started call for "extras." These mean added expense.

Not A Hint Of The Commonplace



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The little front gable with flush siding above the entrance door gives the house the impression of clinging close to the ground, a desirable characteristic of the cottage type of architecture.

Large covered porch, 15 feet long by 10 feet wide, invites comfortable, outdoor living. A garage may be attached to the opposite side of the house to balance the porch if desired.

The working drawings show a conventional, full basement with plenty of room for laundry tubs, storage, work shop or for a game room in which the youngsters can entertain their guests.

Living Room Ample The living room is not large but ample. It is meant to be supplemented, whenever weather permits, by the porch that opens off it.

Water For Dog Costs 'Penny' Another Year KANSAS CITY (AP) — Glen "Pinny" Pinaire has spent half his 16 years behind bars and is going back to prison because, he said, he "felt sorry for a dog."

Charged with theft from an interstate shipment, he was sentenced to a year's imprisonment. Pinaire, pleading his own case, told the court he heard a dog whining and yowling on a railroad loading dock last August and decided to get it a drink.

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Another plan permits yearly payments for the term of the mortgage each payment being reduced along with the diminishing debt. According to the Institute of Life Insurance, there are 19 companies that write life insurance to cover mortgages.

Examples of rates for each \$1,000 of initial debt on a 20-year monthly amortized mortgage for a man 30 years old follow: Single payment plan \$72.42, of \$3.50 monthly for 24 months.

Twins Give Birth To Twins Same Day TULSA, Okla. (AP)—Twin sisters gave birth in the same hospital room to twins—a boy and a girl in each case. The mothers, the former Waretta and Valeta Jordan, 24, were attended by the same doctors.

Attendants at Hillcrest Memorial Lying-In-Hospital said the four infants were strong and reported the mothers doing satisfactorily.

Read The Classifieds

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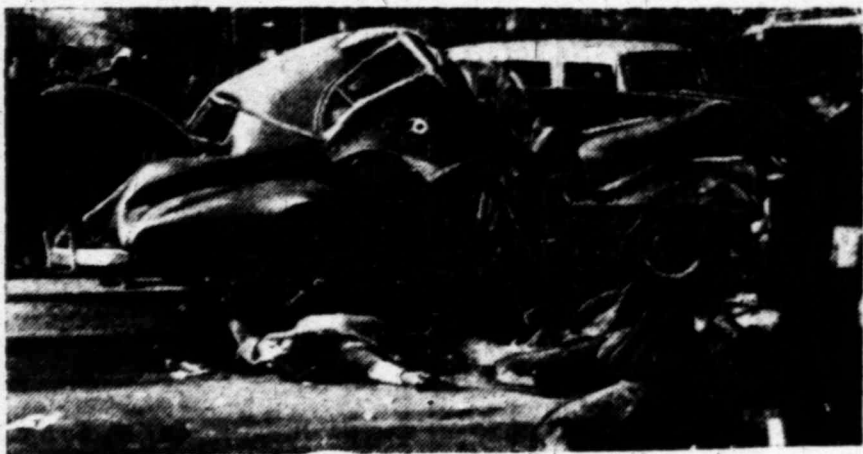
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 The grimy pooch—name and owner unknown—was dragged from the Broad Street subway tracks after giving train operators a bad time for two days.
 Time and again the animal had appeared on the subway tracks running ahead of trains and disrupting subway schedules.
 An agent of the SPCA finally cornered the tired canine at the Allegheny Ave. station and took it to the kennel; for a oath, some food and sleep.



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FEATURES: Among the most popular items in the daily newspaper are the feature stories—the off-the-beaten-track human interest tales whose subjects, though not "spot news" are highly interesting and worthy of the readers' acclaim, sympathy or help. A feature story on a blind woman who learned to play the violin inspires other handicapped people; a child, stricken with a rare illness, gets expensive medical attention his family can't afford, because generous readers learned of his plight; a worthy family, excited and unable to find housing, gets a new home, after their story is published—no list is endless.

'Charlie' Asks Stalin For Four-Leaf Clover

SHANGHAI (AP)—Charles E. French of Huntington Park, Calif., has been trying for several years to get a four-leaf clover from Soviet Premier Joseph Stalin.
 French, who calls himself "Clover Charlie," conveyed this information to Mrs. Barbara Volin, secretary of The Associated Press bureau in Shanghai, to whom he wrote after seeing a photo depicting her with a pile of Chinese banknotes, representing a month's salary.
 French asked Barbara for a four-leaf clover from Shanghai. She replied they were hard to get here.
Letter From De Gaulle
 He wrote her again and, in the course of his letter, which he enclosed her to "read carefully," he said he had no four-leaf clovers from Italy, France, or Yugoslavia. "You should run across any from any of those places, and can spare them. I'd be rather tickled to have them."
 He had, he said, a letter from Gen. Charles de Gaulle—but no clover—and he expected both a letter and a clover from the Pope.
 "I've been working on Joseph Stalin for several years—sent him an airmail last Saturday—and I'm hoping," French said.
 He said he had clovers from every state of the Union, all the provinces of Canada, and 23 foreign countries. During the war, he said, he had sent clovers to servicemen all over the world.

Junior High School Has Safety Patrol

John M. Cowden Junior High School of Midland is proud of its Safety Patrol, which directs student pedestrian traffic across the streets at intersections near the school.
 Patrolmen are boys of the school, who wear Sam Browne belts and badges, donated by the Kiwanis Club.
 Officers of the Patrol are: Dick Spencer, Captain; Bobby Harris and Jack Tabor, Lieutenants.
 Patrol members include: Bobby Bullard, W. L. Crawford, Glen Goddard, Oren Jones, Franklin Easley, Edward Carrol, Wilburn C'Neal, Carl Smith, Lindan Cope, Joe McNew, Edward Herring, John Faris, Bobby Howard, Harold Logan, John Blackmon, Tom Spencer, Jack Chaddick, George Cox, John W. Crawley, Jr., Bobby Whitacre, Billy Stark and Paxton Howard.

Spanish War Vet, 81, Gets \$23,700 Pension

BOSTON (AP)—It paid Roland C. Sweigart, \$23,700 to wait 43 years for his Spanish War pension.
 Sweigart, once a highly paid executive in a Boston department store but for the last 18 years a night cashier in a restaurant, received that amount when he applied recently for the pension. He will receive \$90 a month in addition.
 Sweigart, now 81, explained he had never applied for the pension before because he had been "well fixed" financially.
 The giant meteor which struck in Siberia in 1908 created an air wave which blew the water from rivers and lakes.
 Lowest point in Oklahoma, in its southeastern corner, is 324 feet above sea level.

Cost Rises To Slow Building Activities

HOUSTON (AP)—A telegraphic survey of 101 chapter managers and secretaries of Associated General Contractors of America chapter show construction costs still on the upswing.
 The report of the survey was made by Loy W. Duddleston, executive secretary of the Houston chapter.
 He said the survey indicated that the upward trend would continue for another 18 months and bring about a definite slow-down in building activity.
 The upward trend is principally caused by higher material costs, wage increases for construction trades, and a low labor productivity which continues to be lower than pre-war standards for output, Duddleston said.
 A shortage of manpower was reported by all chapters participating in the survey.

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 Varicolored slate, bluestone, colored cast stone, stratified natural stone, and sawn limestone all make fine flags. Many patterns are possible. Sometimes bricks are added for embellishment.

Record Drought Hurts U. S. Zone Transport

BERLIN (AP)—Germany's worst drought in 100 years has crippled economy in the American Zone, according to Gen. Lucius D. Clay. Hydroelectric output is cut by 22 per cent. Crop prospects are slashed by 20 to 40 per cent. Inland water transport is cut to half its scheduled tonnage.
 General Clay revealed in his monthly report that the deficit in hydro-generation of power had caused cancellation of electric train schedules and severe curtailment of work in locomotive and freight car repair shops.
Russians Due Cars
 The transport situation was aggravated by a shortage of 17,500 open railway cars which the Russian Zone owed the Americans at the end of August. To offset the shortage, the report said, "The furnishing of empty closed cars to the Soviet Zone was discontinued."
 The United States owed the Russians some 5,000 cars of all other types at the same time.
 The report noted that the situation was brightened by a continuing increase in the Ruhr coal output.

2-Year-Old Dies In Steam-Filled Bedroom

NEW YORK (AP)—Mrs. Gladys Saugce, 21, thought the early morning air in her small son's bedroom was chilly so she removed the valve from a steam radiator and retired to her own room.
 William, her husband, awakened at 6 a. m. and found the 2-year-old William Jr. had become a steaming cauldron.
 The father rushed his son to Sister Elizabeth Hospital—but the child was dead.

Britain To Stop Loss Of Pounds In Mail

LONDON (AP)—The British government, striving to conserve foreign exchange, has announced measures to prevent Britons from sending pound notes of other valuables to other countries by mail.
 A Treasury spokesman said that a part of the mail will be examined and any notes or other prohibited items found, such as jewelry, will be seized. Technical devices to detect notes may be used later, he said.
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China Has Hard Years Ahead—Mme. Chiang
 NANKING (AP)—Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, scoring foreign criticism of China's government, said here "We Chinese have hard years before us, but, either with the world's aid or without it, we are going to fight through to success."
 "We have the wherewithal within ourselves to build a great China," she told the Nanking International Women's Club.
 "We knew that the inevitable time would come when too many friends of yesterday would become impatient and captious at the rate of China's reconstruction. With criticism and often misunderstanding in our ears, it is not so easy for China to struggle forward through her grave problems."
 Some observers suggested Mme. Chiang's last remark was aimed particularly at criticism of China's Government voiced recently by Lieut. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, President Truman's fact-finder on China.

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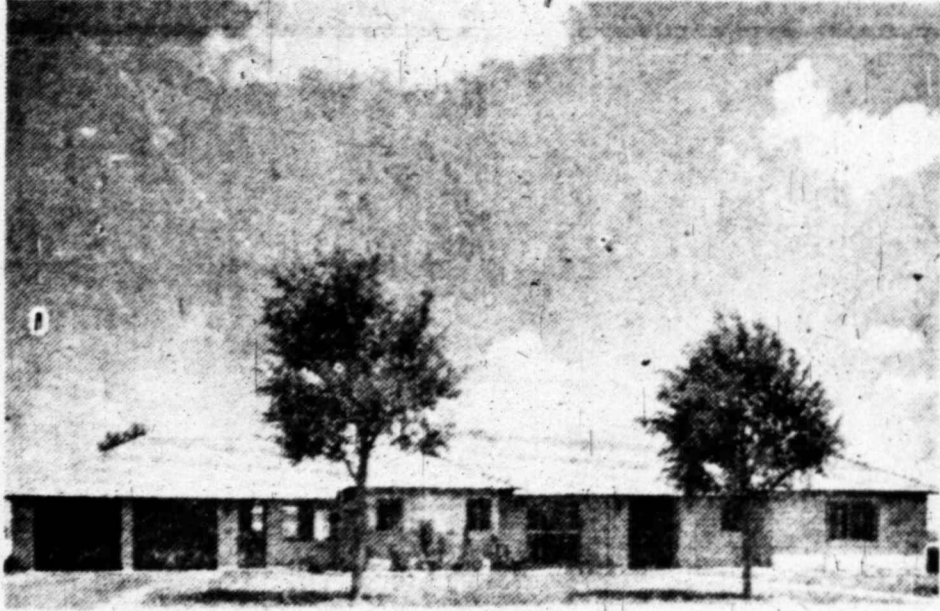
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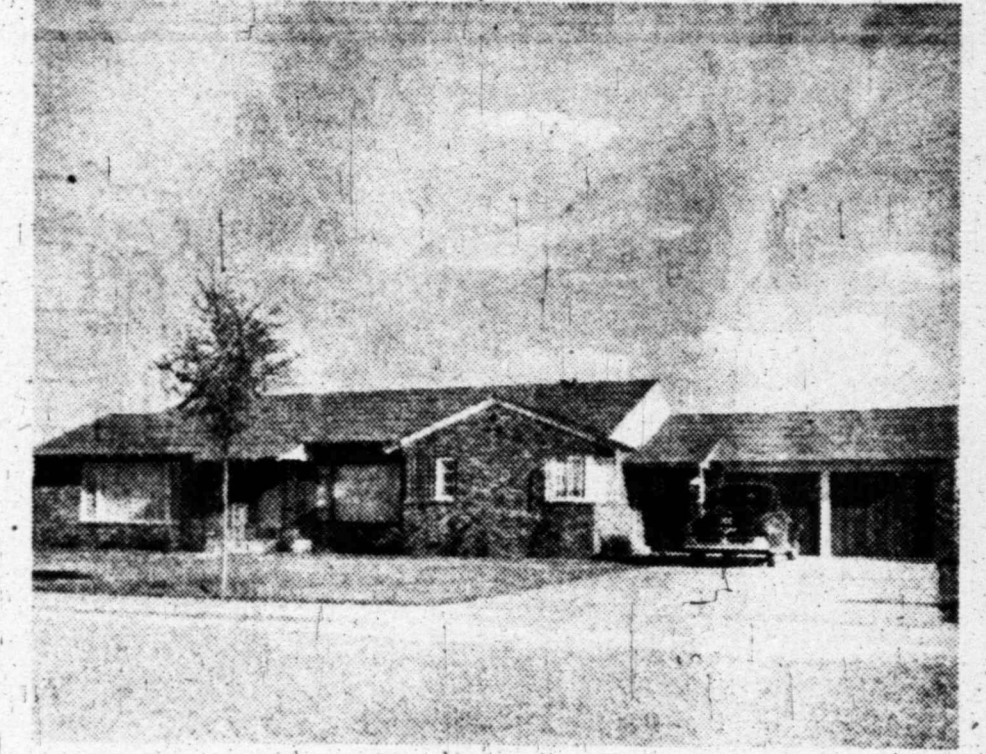
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Reprint from The Reporter-Telegram of Sept. 21, 1945.

Thought And Planning Required Before Grafaland Could Be Opened

The center of Grafaland as the most highly restricted and exclusive residential section between Fort Worth and El Paso is not the result of chance, but follows months of planning and consultations with experienced municipal engineers. Barney Grafa, developer of Grafaland, has opened five residential sections in the years he has been here since 1927. All have been restricted and are from 85 to 100 per cent built up.

Grafa utilized his experience in developing those five sections in making his plans for the opening of Grafaland which will within a matter of months give planners present and most luxurious homes.

Barney Grafa long has planned the opening of such an exclusive residential section as Grafaland, but it was not until he was able to purchase the land for block west of Midland High School and north of Illinois street that he was able to develop the exclusive residential section.

On High Ground
Grafaland is on high ground overlooking the city to the south and east. Owners of homes in Grafaland will have no drainage problem when the rains come.

Citizens who are parents of children will be of elementary school age, or will find Grafaland an ideal location for their new homes as it is within nine blocks of every school in Midland.

Restrictions on building in Grafaland provide that each residence erected there must be in keeping with other residences. No unsightly structures will ever be erected which will cause a loss in value to nearby homes.

Staggering Is Permitted
Since restrictions permit the staggering of houses, citizens who erect their new homes in Grafaland will find they can use initiative and imagination in providing a perfect setting for their homes through landscaping.

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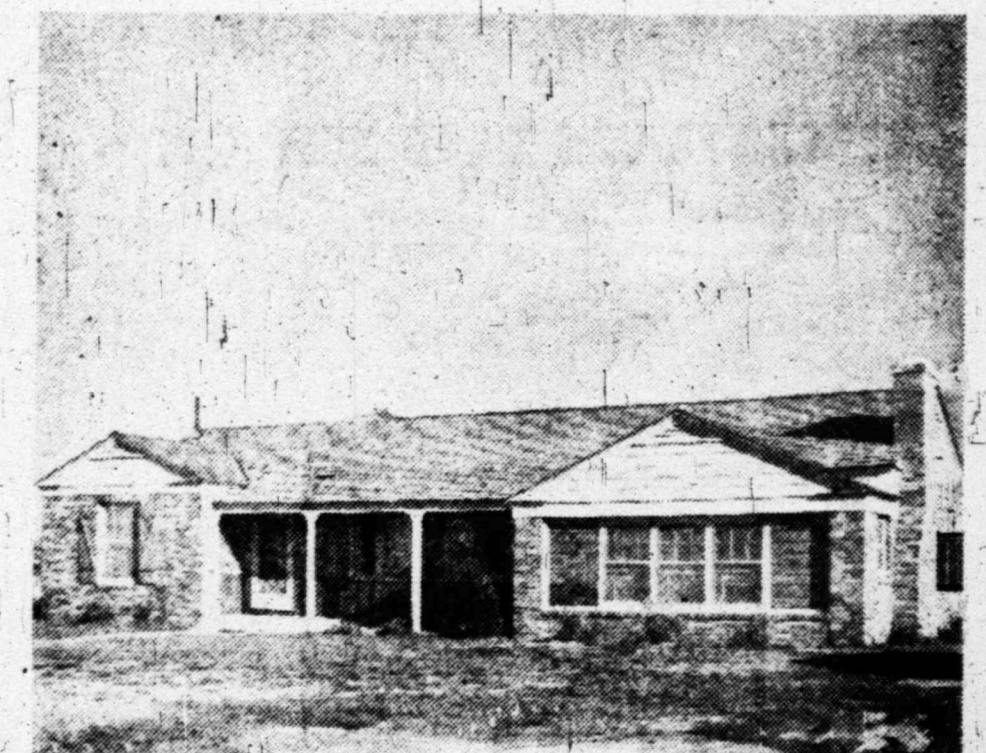
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Texas Woman's Fear Prompts Her Husband To Make Life-Saving Device

By JACK RUTLEDGE
DALLAS—A Texas woman's fear led her husband to invent a device that may save a lot of lives—and make him a lot of money.
Mrs. Ruth Clair of Palestine works in the Palestine consolidated frozen food locker plant. One of her duties is to lock up each night.
She would warn that the room would be closed in a few minutes. Then, she would shut the eight-inch thick door and insert a pad-locked spike in the latch—a practice required by insurance underwriters to guard against theft of the thousands of dollars worth of meat and fresh fruits in the box.
Cold statistics show that 18 or 20 persons over the country have died by being locked inside the huge boxes where temperatures remain a constant zero or less. There is no exit from these frigid tombs.
"Every night she would worry and worry," said her husband, L. C. Clair, an electrician for an oil company. "About 11 o'clock, we'd both go to the locker plant and check the place again."
There were a lot of sleepless nights.
Clair decided to invent a lock that would work "as he put it, 'you have to be inside to get out.'"
He devised a brass chamber lock with a spring-operated smaller chamber inside. The outer chamber serves as the door lock, using

a bolt and padlock as on the conventional latch, but the interior chamber has a rod-operated trigger which will unlock the door. Understand?
He says it is fool-proof, and can be attached to any locker door in the estimated 30,000 locker plants in the U. S., including 1,600 in Texas.
He has been asked to demonstrate the new Clair Safety Lock Release before the National Board of Underwriters in Chicago, and says several manufacturers have made him tentative offers for its production. He figures the gadget will sell for about \$35 each.
And they won't have trouble selling them. In fact, they may be made mandatory in all frozen food and fur storage rooms in the nation, he believes.
Then he can sleep again at night.

CANADIAN BACHELOR WEARS HIS SKIRTS LONG

CHARLTON, ONT.—Nellee Jesse Reid, 85, Charlton, Ont., bachelor who has dressed like a woman all his life because his mother decided to raise her sixth son as a daughter, is unaffected by controversies over skirt lengths or other new-fangled styles.
In 1928, American farmers had a cash income of \$10,500,000,000, as compared with only \$4,328,000,000 in 1937.

End of a Day



Emperor Hirohito of Japan removes his shoes at the Murao Hotel in Fukushima after a day's inspection tour of the prefecture. This is the first time he has ever been photographed with his shoes off.

Atomic Crops Amaze American Physicists

TOKYO—Summer crops in atom-bombed Nagasaki have shown increases of from 50 to 300 per cent over the normal yield, Takeo Furuno, Nagasaki prefectural agricultural expert, told the Kyodo news agency.
He said increased output, with some freak developments, was noted in all food plants except dry rice and lentils, which had not matured.
The wheat crop, Mr. Furuno said, was about twice normal and the cotton crop three times the average. Sweet potatoes planted at the end of May were ready for harvesting at the end of July, he explained.
Some Are Skeptical
Atomic scientists in Chicago expressed interest and surprise in the Tokyo report. Asked why the radioactive ground could produce such an increased yield, Dr. Harold C. Urey, Nobel Prize physicist, said, "I really don't know. It sort of surprises me."
Other atomic scientists in Washington and Los Angeles seemed skeptical that radioactivity had caused the bumper crops.

ON HUNGER STRIKE

BEAVER, PA.—Anthony Paul, 40, of Ambridge, Pa., has been on a hunger strike for more than a week at the Beaver County jail where he is held on a charge of murder in the hatchet death of his wife, Elizabeth, September 19, county officials said.

Bostonian Receives Card 42 Years Late

ROME, N. Y.—A postcard caught in a hotel chute, it bore mailed in Boston 42 years ago was this message from the late Dr. C. delivered Monday to the widow of C. Reid of Rome, to his nephew, the addressee, Dr. William B. Reid. "I arrived here at nine last night. The worn and yellowed card, we said at 10 this morning on the with a McKinley stamp, had been Admiral Dewey."

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National Health At Stake As Food Prices Continue Climb

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Correspondent
Americans are being forced inevitably to readjust their standard of living.

At stake is not just the family budget. Unless realism and intelligence are brought into play, family health and national stamina face setbacks, too.

Buyers' strikes, meatless days, political speeches and government investigation may bring prices down a little. But they will not bring the price level of food below the new level of from 50 to 75 per cent above pre-war prices.

That's the way the nation's outstanding economists see the soaring price picture. Food costs, they report, have adjusted to post-war economic forces. The only intelligent thing for John Citizen and his family to do is to readjust his own conception of the American Standard of Living to agree with the same inevitable forces.

10 Per Cent For Food
The economic facts of life aren't pretty. But they have to be faced. John Citizen must now spend at least 40 per cent of his income for food where he spent only 35 per cent last May. It will shock him still further to learn that many conservative economists believe he may shortly have to spend 45 per cent and possibly more of his income for food.

Therefore the standard of living must be adjusted to meet the new food prices, unless the income has increased 40 per cent since 1946. We can decide to go on a buyers' strike, observe meatless days, cut the quantity and quality of food. Or we can get the extra money needed to keep our food up to the nutritional standard of last year by eliminating some non-food items from our budget.

Facts To Remember
Before any of us decide to cut on food, we should remember:

1. For the first time in our history, Americans generally are beginning to eat enough.
2. During the war, the government preached the doctrine that food is the first line of defense and backed a national nutritional education campaign. The basic situation hasn't changed.
3. The stamina and health of Americans depend directly on the quality and quantity of the food they eat. In other words, the earning power, the fighting power, and the ability to live a well-rounded life depends on a nutritional foundation.

4. The National Research Council, composed of leading physicians, nutritionists and other scientists, during the war worked out in scientific units the exact amounts and kinds of food needed by men and women at various ages and activity levels. These wartime figures were revised in 1945 and are the basis for recommendations for adequate family diets today.

Do Intelligent Buying
If an American family bases its weekly menus on the recommendation of accredited nutritionists, then they cannot cut the quality and quantity of their meals without impairing the health of their children and themselves.

In other words, they have to face up to the new price level of food and take it straight. The prewar political slogan "Two cars in every garage" now becomes "Two eggs in every pan."

However, they can cut today's food costs by about 10 per cent through more intelligent buying, storing and cooking without lowering their nutritional standards. Dr. Esther Phippard, food economist, Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economics, Department of

Agriculture, lists a few of the practical ways:

Use less expensive cuts of meat but cook them well.

Use more canned citrus fruits. They are still relatively inexpensive.

Avoid using out of season foods.

Use some evaporated and dry milk in place of fresh.

Use more wholegrained cereals in the diet. But remember that grains, to be palatable, require eggs and fats. That's one reason why your egg allowance must be at least 4 eggs a week for adults, 6 for children.

"Physiological habits" are important in readjusting standards of living. Most of us have eaten certain foods we like for so long that the eating of these particular foods has become a physiological habit.

To change our diet materially, in order to adjust our budget, would therefore throw us out of a confirmed physiological habit and upset our national morale at a time of unprecedented international uncertainty, experts in nutrition and psychology warn.

A man can give up the idea of buying a new electric razor or a new radio for the family car with far less shock than he can give up meat and potatoes and vegetables several times a week. All of us, today and for years to come, are forced to decide how we will readjust our standards of living to the economic forces which we cannot control.

Will we cut down our family food supply at the risk of health? Or will we decide to bring other sections of the budget into line?

Before deciding, we must study intrinsic values. There are foods we cannot do without, and other items we simply think we cannot do without.

Iowa Man Beats Housing Shortage With Block House

By HAL BOYLE

BURLINGTON, IOWA—E. C. Etchison, 64, didn't let the housing shortage get him down. He went to work and single-handedly built a brand new home 45 blocks long and 33 blocks wide.

Neighbors call it the "Kindelow" because it is a bungalow made from knifling.

Etchison constructed the building from eight-inch square blocks sold by a local lumber yard as firewood. He and his wife were living at their daughter's home two years ago when he conceived the idea of building a place of his own.

Two Years Work
But materials were scarce and high-price. Then Etchison learned that the lumber yard had thousands of good, three-pine blocks. They had been purchased originally by the huge Iowa Ordnance Plant here during the war for use in shipping fuses and other ordinance parts. Etchison decided to build a "block house" when the lumber yard offered him all he wanted at \$6 to \$8 a ton.

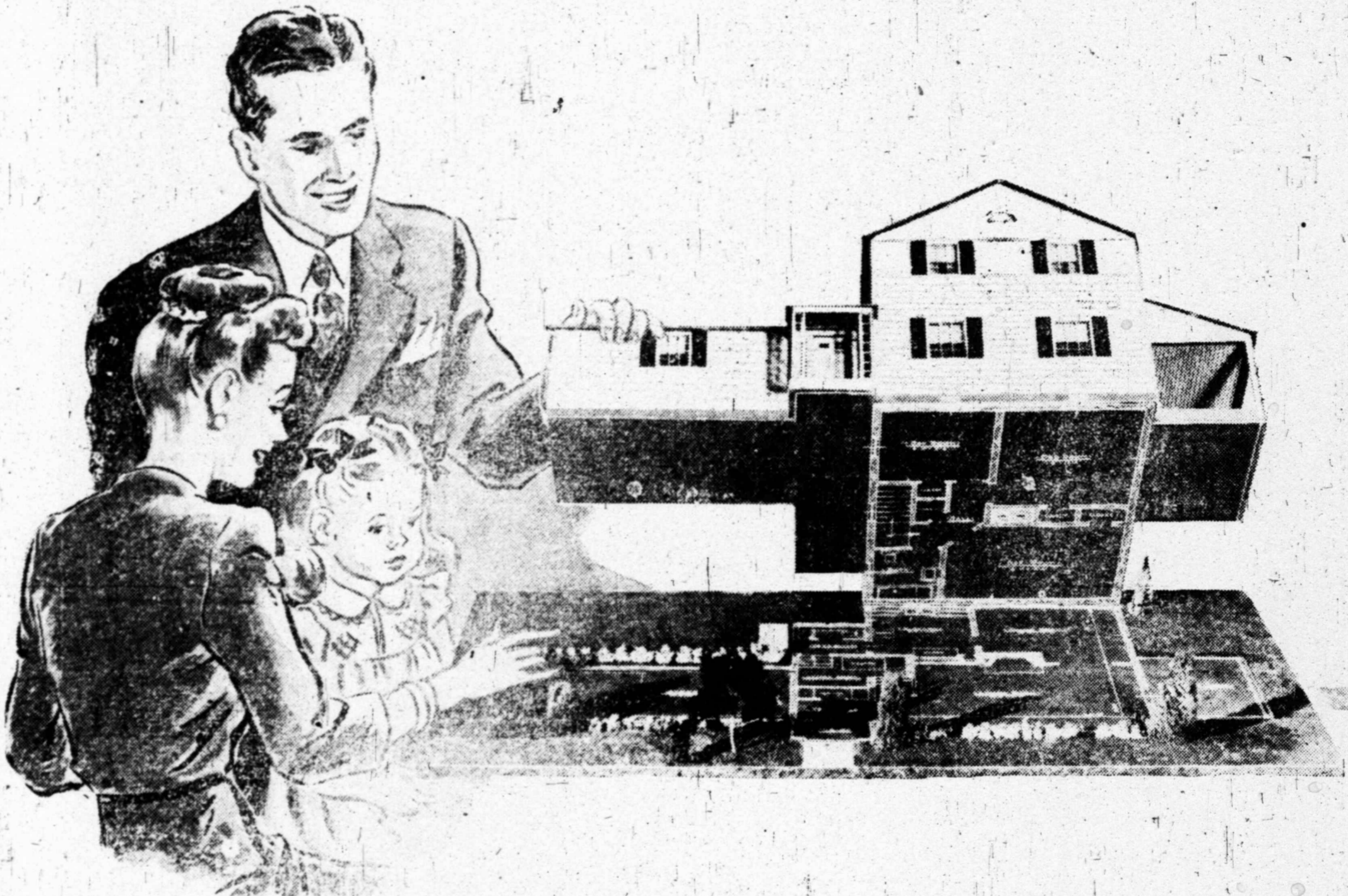
He began August, 1945, working in his spare time.
Two years and 26,000 wooden blocks later he used 22 tons altogether—he had a complete three-room house, a garage, a brooder, and a henhouse for the family's flock of 150 chickens.

His "skidew" is a home made of young pine, weary of cramped wartime housing, would love to move into it.

"I desisted the place as I went along," said Etchison. "The only help I had was from my wife. There wasn't any waste. Any blocks that couldn't be used for building made good firewood."

Among novel features of the "Kindelow" which measures 22 by 30 feet is a cement roof. Etchison, a cement finisher, recoiled against buying conventional roofing material because of its expense.

The cement roof is staying up well, he said, and we don't have to worry about the block walls warping out of shape either. The wood is well seasoned. The house'll last as long as we have any need of it.



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CAA To Clamp Down On Schools Offering GI Flight Training

FORT WORTH, Tex. — The Civil Aeronautics Administration expects to take whatever steps are necessary to see that the flight training of veterans under the GI Bill of Rights is safeguarded. That statement was made here by L. C. Elliott, regional administrator of the CAA. He said that the CAA was beginning a survey of schools offering flight training to veterans under the GI Bill.

Schools Ignore Safety Rules

It appeared to operators of flying schools to comply with safety and maintenance regulations. The CAA official cited an instance where a school gave instructions to operators without providing pamphlets to the students.

To Revoke Certificate

He said investigation of a plane crash in which a student and his instructor were killed showed that the training plane was stalling over a town.

Procedure Has Been Started

Elliott said to revoke the certificate of the operator of a school for "flagrant violation of CAA safety regulations."

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Deaf Crusader Continues Fight For Jobs For Physically Handicapped

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Lots of people in Washington, particularly congressmen, have heard Paul Strachan pound a desk as he drove home his arguments for helping the nation's 28,000,000 physically handicapped.

Methodist Says U. S. And Russian Ideologies Are 'Exaggerated'

SPRINGFIELD, Mass. — A Canadian Methodist leader said that American "rugged individualism" and Russian Communism were "now at the point of conflict just short of a shooting war."

Chinaman's Campaign Is 'Hopping' Right Along

TIENSIN, China. — Dr. Fu Chuan-Kiang's campaign for election to the National Assembly is hopping right along.

Leaders Join Fight

He has attracted many of the nation's leaders to join his fight. They include Senators Johnson (D-Colo.) and Sparkman (D-Ala.); Reps. Carson (R-O.), McCortack (D-Mass.), Kelley (D-Pa.) and Charles E. Potter, legless veteran recently elected to Congress as a Republican from Michigan.

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McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority

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North started the bidding with a heart, and it was unlikely that he held four spades but was pretty well fortified in the minor suits. Now what suit do you think West should open?

Of course the general rule is to lead the fourth best of your longest and strongest suit. But if West leads a diamond, declarer will cash a diamond, five hearts and four clubs; making four no trump.

When I saw this hand played, West reasoned that in all probability neither North nor South held four spades, and therefore his partner probably did have four spades. He decided to attack the spade suit first, but he led the six, not the deuce. He was trying to tell East to lead the higher of the two obvious suits, in this case clubs and diamonds. East won the first trick with the ten of spades and led a diamond. This put West in again with the queen of diamonds, another spade was led, and as a result East was able to cash the rest of his spades. Thus East and West took four spades and two diamonds, setting the contract two tricks, while North and South would have made ten tricks if West had led the fourth best diamond.

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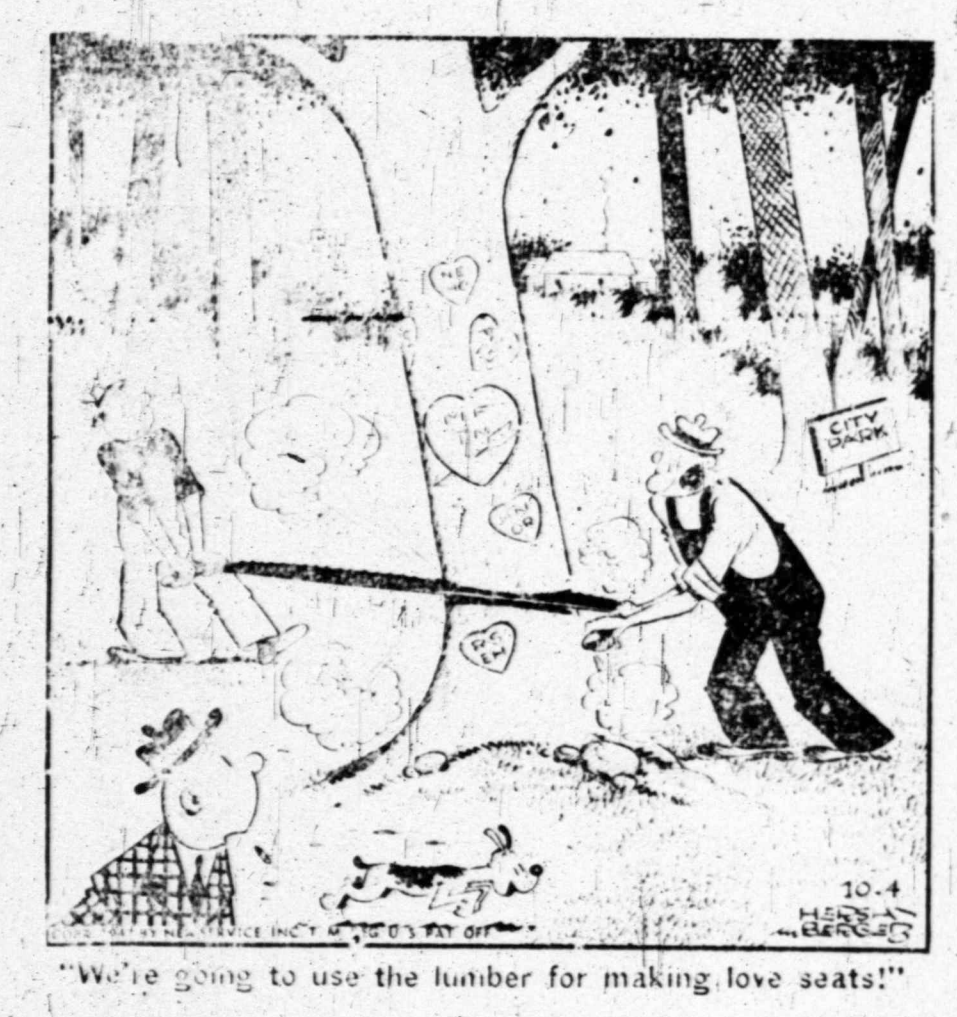
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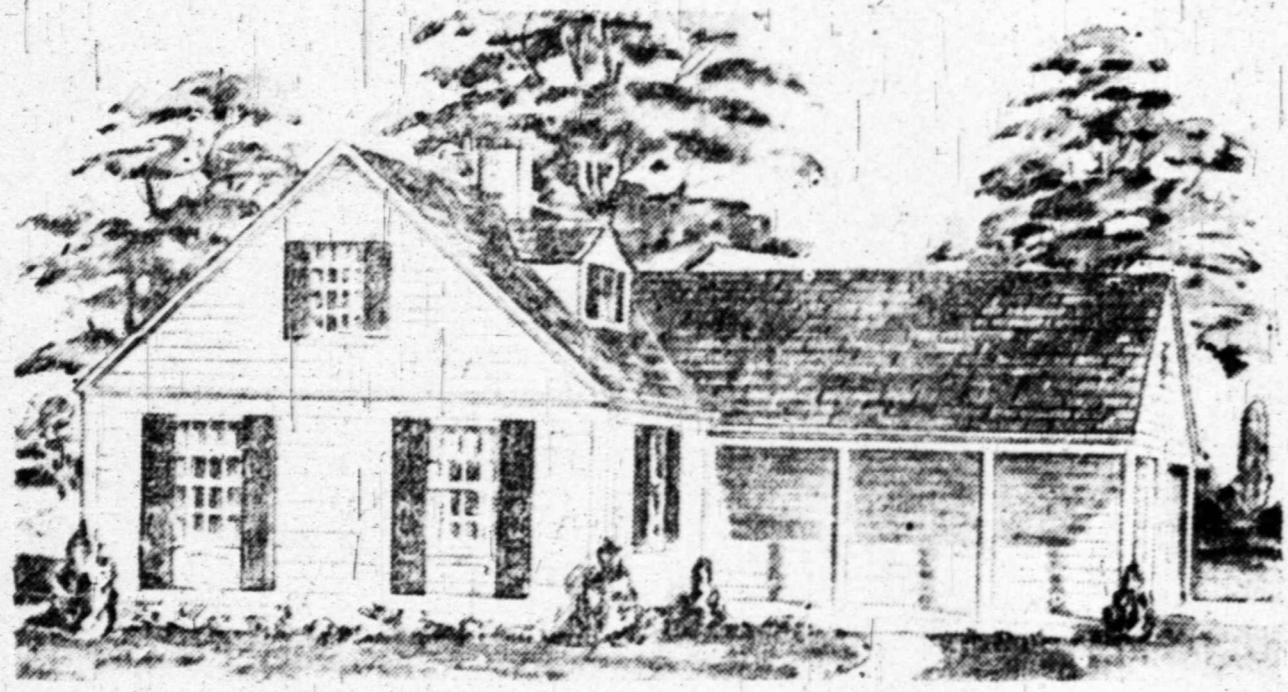
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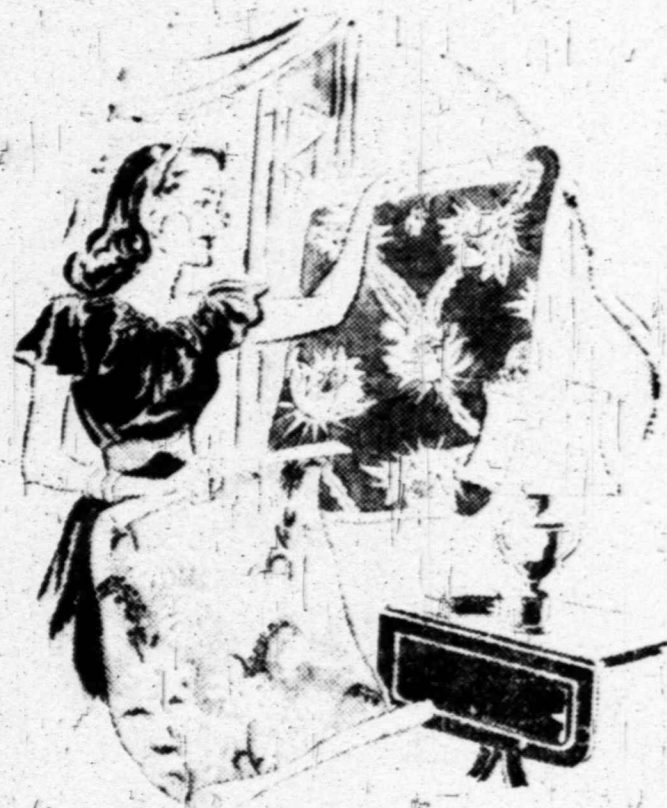


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**Mexican Divorces Are
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WASHINGTON (AP)—Mexican divorces, rated worthless by the courts of several states, are good as gold with the Internal Revenue Bureau.
A new Bureau ruling permits an American husband who pays alimony under terms of a Mexican divorce decree to deduct the payments in making out his federal income tax.
The bureau acknowledged that "American courts in general have shown little tendency to recognize decrees of divorce granted by Mexican courts" to U. S. citizens who are not residents of Mexico.
But the bureau will recognize them unless it finds a divorced couple trying to use a Mexican decree "as a device to avoid or evade taxes."
However, the bureau expressed the opinion that "it is doubtful that a husband and wife would go through the form of a Mexican divorce for such purpose."

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With state approval and recommendation, Texas cities and towns are adopting official city plant and Midland has chosen the Pyracantha. The three Midland garden clubs—Midland, Yucca and Tejas—with the Midland Chamber of Commerce sponsoring, are conducting a contest in the city to determine the best Pyracantha grown in Midland.
Every resident is urged to enter. Prizes will be awarded of \$25, \$15 and \$10 for the three best entries.
The contest opens November 1 and continues to September 30, 1948.
Pyracantha growing in Midland at present will not be eligible. Only that planted after November 1 will be judged.
Midland nurseries will be urged to cooperate in obtaining the plants to be grown here.
Citizens are asked to observe the rule of planting the Pyracantha only at the front and side of residences, not in the back.
Mrs. Bob Hill is chairman of the contest.
Crows usually do not fly in a straight line.

B&PW Club

(Continued from page 1)
Conference of Social Work. In honor of National Business Women's Week, said:
"In relation to the social problems of America, we must face tomorrow, with the courage of our convictions and on the basis of tested knowledge."
Housing Is Basic Problem
"We know, for example that housing is one of the basic problems of family life in America. Those who refuse to face the truth about it and who vigorously oppose even conservative remedial legislation are blocking the security of family life. We know the health of the American people can and should be substantially improved in furtherance of the miraculous progress already made by medical science. Unfortunately, there are those who block a more adequate distribution of medical care, although there is ample evidence that this can be done safely, soundly, and democratically in our form of society."
"In spite of the fact that these needs are known, recorded, and carefully formulated in many communities, some community chest contributors, taxpayers and members of our legislatures are not fully and accurately informed. It is part and parcel of the American tradition to tackle the seemingly unsurmountable problems of business, industry and large scale physical planning with vision and courage and great skill. The time has come when the same imagination and foresight and the same enterprise should be applied to problems of human engineering."
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