

Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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Reinecke Extension Rates 2,008 BOPD

Castleman & O'Neill No. 1-A Griffin, one and one-quarter mile west stepout to the discovery well of the Reinecke-Canyon pool in Southeast Borden County, has been tentatively estimated to produce 49.7-gravity (by weight) oil daily.

The 24-hour production potential was rated from an actual six-hour flow of 502 barrels through one-inch opening in the tubing.

Gas-oil ratio was estimated at 1,100-1. Pay was topped at 6,860 feet on a minus datum of 4,494. Total depth is 6,889 feet.

Seven-inch casing is set at 6,866 feet. This pool extension is 860 feet from north and 467 feet from east lines of the northeast quarter of section 51, block 25, H&TC survey, and 13 miles southeast of Gail.

Castleman & O'Neill has staked three offsets, one-quarter mile, one-half mile, and three-quarters mile south of this new producer. These already have been reported.

According to some geologists, the Castleman & O'Neill No. 1-A Griffin topped the reef 88 feet low to the Livermore No. 1 Reinecke, discovery well of the Reinecke pool.

New Pay In Cogdell Possibly Is Cisco

Some geologists think that the upper pay which has been discovered in the Cogdell field of Central-South Kent County by J. A. Chapman Producing Company No. 6 Cogdell is the Cisco section of the upper Pennsylvanian instead of being a lower Permian horizon, as has been thought at the time the well flowed free oil from a zone at 4,898-4,970 feet.

This project started flowing oil in 30 minutes during a one and one-half hour drillstem test. It flowed 35 barrels the first 30 minutes, and produced a total of 68 barrels during a full hour of flowing. The flow was through a five-eighths inch bottom hole choke.

Pay Section Developed. Some geologists picked the top of the pay to be at 4,834 feet. Some observers who have seen the samples say the best pay is at 4,910-26 feet.

It is understood that the operator is preparing to run 7-inch casing that would indicate that the project is due for completion as it is without any deeper drilling.

It is on the northeast side of the Cogdell-Canyon well, 2,052.5 feet from north and 2,703.6 feet from east lines of section 716, block 97, H&TC survey.

SE Borden To Get Another Reef Test

One and one-half miles south of the Castleman & O'Neill No. 1-A Griffin, recently completed one and one-quarter mile west extension to the Reinecke-Canyon pool, Woodard and Fair has staked a 7,000-foot Canyon project.

Woodard and Fair No. 1 T. L. Griffin will be the 1,200 operator in the south and 860 feet from east lines of section 46, block 25, H&TC survey.

Operations are to begin immediately on this possible extension to this new Southeast Borden pool.

Big Producer Added To Pegasus Oil Pool

One-mile south and slightly west of the discovery well of the Pegasus multi-pay pool in Central-North Upton County, Magnolia Petroleum Company has potentiated its No. 2-36 Glass for 2,041 barrels of 52.2-gravity oil in 24 hours of drilling.

Production flow was naturally through a one-half inch tubing choke. Flowing tubing pressure was 1,225-1,250 pounds.

Five and one-half inch oil string is set at 12,822 feet in the Ellenburger. Production came from open hole below the casing at 12,822 and total depth 13,065 feet.

Top Picked. The 2-36 Glass topped the Ellenburger at 12,710 feet on a datum of minus 9,826 feet. It was 186 feet low to the top of the Ellenburger on the discovery well of the pool, Magnolia No. 1-A TXL.

This new producer is 860 feet from south and east lines of section 36, block 41, TP survey, and approximately 31 miles southwest of the city of Midland.

Pennsylvanian Gives Water In SW Kent

Barnsdall Oil Company and Seaboard Oil Company of Delaware No. 1 Spire, Southwest Kent County wildcat, six and three-quarter miles northeast of the Cogdell-Canyon field, and 3,300 feet from north and 1,980 feet from west lines of section 22, block 4, H&GN survey, developed salt water in a drillstem test of a Pennsylvanian lime at 6,795-6,845 feet.

The tool was open three hours. Recovery was 550 feet of drilling mud, 455 feet of gas cut drilling mud and 225 feet of salt water.

The project is drilling deeper. It indicated the possible discovery of commercial production in a drillstem test at 6,760-6,800 feet. Considerable heavily oil and gas cut mud was developed from that zone. Some of the fluid unloaded from the drill pipe.

Outpost Staked In C-W Gaines

A one-mile south outpost to the discovery well of the East-Hobbs-Clear Fork pool in Central-West Gaines County has been scheduled by Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation.

Anderson-Prichard No. 1-B Alma (Continued on Page Seven)

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True Love Wins Out



Kenneth Lyons, 46, kisses his wife, the former Dorothy Cafferata, 41, after their wedding in Fort Lee, N. J. Mayor Charles Heft, left, performed the ceremony after the release of Lyons from prison, where he served four years for shooting Dorothy after a lovers' quarrel.

Four Boy Scouts Die Of Exposure Aboard Life Raft

CLEVELAND—(AP)—The bodies of four boys who had drifted overnight on a little rubber raft were taken from the wind-chopped waters of Lake Erie Tuesday. All four were pronounced dead.

A Coast Guard picket boat pulled their bodies off the raft. Crewmen applied artificial respiration while the boat sped for Fairport Harbor.

Hotel Guests To Be Counted In Census Tuesday

Enumeration of hotel guests and other transients Tuesday night will constitute a special project of Census enumerators here.

Individual census reports will be placed in the key boxes or rooms of each hotel guest in the nation, where the hotel has more than 50 rooms. Census takers will be available in the hotel lobbies to assist transients.

Guests who are handed the forms to fill them in, are requested to fill them in, seal them up and hand them in at the desk or to the Census enumerator in the lobby.

The completed forms will be turned in to the district supervisor's office, will be sorted and mailed to Washington. Hotel guests who fill out forms on this night will be counted by the Census Bureau in the tabulation from the places where they make their home and not in the city where the hotel is located.

Jury Selected In Burglary Trial

Selection of a jury was completed Tuesday morning in District Court, and trial was begun in the case of the State of Texas versus Johnnie Lee, negro, on charges of burglary. Judge G. C. Olsen of the 109th District Court in Kermit presided.

Jurors were named from the panel ordered to report Monday and dismissed when no jury cases were scheduled. Jurors selected were: Tom Thompson, J. W. Thomas, Jr., Emmett Williams, O. E. Van Meter, Carl J. Westlund, Jim F. Wilson, M. G. Ware, F. B. Whitaker, Jr., E. Lee Thacker, John F. Younger, A. H. Vineyard and H. B. Welch.

The case was recessed at 11:45 a.m. for lunch, and was scheduled to resume at 1 p.m.

Lee is charged with the burglary of a cafe, located on West Highway 80.

Oil Firms, School Board Discuss Tax Evaluation Problems

Tax evaluation problems were discussed Monday afternoon at an informal conference between representatives of five oil companies with properties in Midland County and trustees of the Midland Independent School District. The session was held in School Superintendent Frank Monroe's office.

George T. Abell, president of the Board of Education, presided. Other board members present were Mrs. W. H. Gilmore, Holt Jowell, R. W. Hamilton and V. C. Maley. John Cornwall, trustee-elect, also attended.

Oil company representatives who addressed the group included H. F. See, Atlantic Refining Company; F. D. Ward, Gulf Oil Company; G. F. Alexander, Magnolia Petroleum Company, and F. N. Shriver, Shell Oil Company. Others present were G. F. Land, Phillips Petroleum Company; J. E. Sanders, Atlantic Pipe Line Company, and O. R. Crawford, Phillips Petroleum Company.

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U. S. Moves To Deport CIO Leader

SAN FRANCISCO—(AP)—The federal government moved Tuesday for immediate revocation of Harry Bridges' citizenship.

Such action, if successful, would open the way for a federal hearing to deport to Australia the CIO longshore boss, convicted of perjury himself in his 1945 naturalization hearing by denying he ever was a Communist.

For that conviction, Bridges was sentenced Monday to five years imprisonment. Two labor union aides were given two years for their testimony in his behalf at the citizenship hearing.

The government move to ask revocation of citizenship, scheduled for court hearing Tuesday afternoon, was based on the contention that the revocation was mandatory under the statute governing Bridges' indictment.

The man to decide that is the trial judge, George B. Harris, who said as he passed sentence: "By lying, cheating and defrauding the United States government, Mr. Harry Bridges was granted a certificate of naturalization. He was aided and abetted by two co-defendants x x x and had bestowed upon him the priceless benefit of citizenship.

"Mr. Bridges' conduct cannot evoke either sympathy or consideration on my part."

Bridges, 48, key figure in paralyzing strikes on the West Coast and Hawaii and twice victor against previous government efforts to deport him, listened in glum silence to the proceedings. He had no lawyer.

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Mohr Sentenced



Harold Mohr, convicted in the mercy-slaying of his brother, Walter, leaves the courthouse in Allentown, Pa., after being sentenced to serve three to six years in the Lehigh County prison.

Another Sub Sighted Off California Coast

NEW BRITAIN, Conn.—(AP)—The crew of a Military Air Transport Service plane Monday reported sighting a surfaced submarine 57 miles west of the Golden Gate, swelling the reports of subs off the California coast to more than a score in the last few weeks.

First sighting of the craft was made at 9:30 a.m. by Air Force Lt. Col. Herman Rumsey, 32, pilot of the plane, west of the Farallon Islands.

Vice Adm. George D. Murray, commander of the Western Sea Frontier, said no United States submarines were operating in that area.

The admiral also announced three other sightings Monday. Each was investigated with negative results.

Colonel Rumsey said his C-54 transport was flying at about 5,000 feet at the time they saw the submarine. The colonel and his crew were enroute from Hickman Field, Hawaii, to Fairfield-Suisun Army Air Force Base, Calif. Others seeing the sub were Lt. Cmdr. Eberts, the co-pilot, and First Lt. Frank Bollinger, the navigator.

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Lucas Steps In

The Judiciary and Commerce groups both have been pressing to take charge of an investigation of gambling and gangland operations. And an open fight was threatening until Democratic Leader Lucas of Illinois stepped in Monday with a compromise proposal.

Lucas suggested the two groups merge into one committee with a single chairman and a counsel with nationwide repute to direct the investigation.

Chairman McCarran (D-Nev) of the Judiciary Committee and Chairman Johnson (D-Colo) of the Commerce Committee both were cool to Lucas' proposal. There wasn't much enthusiasm, either, from Senator Kefauver (D-Tenn), sponsor of the Judiciary inquiry, and Senator McFarland (D-Ariz), who heads the Commerce subcommittee.

But Lucas and Leslie Bliffie, Senate secretary and close personal friend of President Truman, huddled with the senators for several hours arguing for the compromise plan, and Lucas was reported to have won his argument.

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C. Of C. Directors Pledge Full Support To Midland's Rodeo

Midland Fair, Inc., again this year will have the full support and cooperation of the Chamber of Commerce in arranging and staging its 16th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, May 31-June 4, it was agreed by Chamber directors at their April meeting Monday night in Hotel Scharbauer.

The action came following reports made by Director J. M. Cox and Manager Deibert Downing concerning a conference held last week between members of the Chamber's Retailers Committee and officials of the fair association.

Roy Parks, a Chamber director who also is an honorary vice president of Midland Fair, Inc., pointed out that if the famed Midland Rodeo is to be continued as one of the nation's big-time shows, Midlanders must get behind it more than ever before. He explained that a Midland Rodeo never has lost money, but never has made any big money. The profits, he said, usually range between \$3,000 and \$5,000, all of which go towards maintaining the fair grounds.

The Chamber's assistance will be directed mainly at increasing interest and attendance by publicizing the show and sponsoring special events. The staging of a larger opening day parade was suggested.

The Chamber directors also voted to assist the Midland Lions Club in its efforts to bring the 1951 convention of District 2-T-2, Lions International, to Midland. The 1950 session is scheduled April 23-24 in Alpine.

A report on Chamber of Commerce participation in the recent staging of the West Texas Teachers Association convention was made by Barney Grafa, chairman of the Publicity Committee. Downing reported on activities of the Highway Committee.

President Robert L. Wood said directors have accounted for 35 (Continued on Page Seven)

Air Force Denies All Knowledge Of Any Such Incident

WASHINGTON—(AP)—United States officials here Tuesday disclaimed any knowledge of an aerial gunfire exchange between an American B-29 and Russian planes. But they ordered an immediate investigation after receiving a Soviet protest of the alleged incident.

LONDON—(AP)—Russia charged Tuesday that a U. S. military plane opened fire three days ago on a flight of Soviet fighters over Latvia, and said one of the Soviet planes fired back.

A Soviet protest, lodged with the U. S. Embassy in Moscow, identified the plane as a B-29 bomber, but U. S. Air Force Headquarters at Wiesbaden, Germany, said the plane in question may have been a missing Navy aircraft sought since Saturday in the Northern Baltic. Air Force officials said this plane, a Navy version of the B-24 bomber, was not armed.

This plane had 10 men aboard when it disappeared on a round-trip flight from Copenhagen, Denmark, to Wiesbaden, Germany. Called the Privateer, it had four engines like the B-29. U. S. planes have been searching for it since Saturday.

The Russians reported the shooting took place roughly 350 miles east of Copenhagen. They gave the site as Lepaya (Laba) on the Baltic Sea, and said the plane penetrated 13 miles into Latvia, which is regarded by Moscow as Soviet territory.

Mystery Witness Is Named

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Ex-Communist Louis Budenz was subpoenaed Tuesday as the "mystery witness" Senator McCarthy wants Senate investigators to hear on his charges against Owen Lattimore.

A Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee ordered Budenz to appear at a public session next Monday.

The committee is looking into McCarthy's accusations that Lattimore is a Soviet espionage agent. Budenz is former managing editor of the Communist newspaper, The Daily Worker. He renounced communism and returned to the Catholic Church.

Lattimore Invited

Chairman Tydings (D-Md) told reporters Budenz is the "mystery witness" that McCarthy, Wisconsin Republican, contends was the man who Lattimore is or has been a Communist Party member.

Lattimore, Johns Hopkins University professor and some time consultant to the State Department, has denied under oath that he has ever been a Communist. He has called McCarthy an unmitigated liar for making the charge.

Tydings said Lattimore was invited to be present when Budenz testifies. After Budenz is heard, Tydings said, Lattimore will be permitted to reply.

The decision to subpoena Budenz came at a closed door meeting of the subcommittee with all members present. Chairman Connally (D-Texas) of the full Foreign Relations Committee also attended.

Lattimore had asked in advance that he be allowed to confront McCarthy's "mystery witness." He also asked that his lawyers be permitted to cross-examine the witness.

The committee did not grant the request for cross-examination.

Charges Filed In Monahans Slaying

MONAHANS—Murder charges were filed here Monday against Alexis Davies, retired oil field driller, for the Saturday afternoon drinking party slaying of his tenant, Joe Henderson, 57.

In a verbal statement to Sheriff W. B. McNerlin after his arrest, Davies said he shot Henderson, truck driver for a local firm, with a blast from a shotgun during an argument. He claimed Henderson had knocked him down and stomped him.

Henderson and his wife had been living in the same house with Davies for the last four months.

Investigating officers McNerlin and Police Chief G. A. Ragsdale said they found evidence of a drinking party in the house that had apparently been going on "for several days."

The dead man's wife was released from jail Sunday where she had been held overnight for questioning. She told officers she could remember very little of the shooting.

Fatal Shooting Ruled Accident

RANKIN—Justice of the Peace Omar Warren returned an inquest verdict of accidental death here Monday after an inquiry into the Saturday night shooting of Calvin E. Graham, 51, oil field worker.

Graham died in the front yard of his home here from a wound made by a 22 caliber rifle bullet.

Warren said Graham's wife was the only person there at the time of the shooting. He said she testified that Graham was wounded following a quarrel and a struggle over the gun.

Strikes Threaten Three U. S. Major Industries

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Threatened strikes in the maritime, railroad and telephone industries marred the nation's relatively quiet labor relations scene Tuesday.

Walkouts may develop in all three industries within the next several weeks.

In addition 3,500 mechanics and flight attendants of Pan-American Airways, a principal American overseas carrier, have authorized a strike but set no date as yet.

Capt. Charles F. May, general president of the AFL's Masters, Mates and Pilots Union, called a strike at midnight Saturday of about 4,000 Atlantic and Gulf ship deck officers.

May said this will stop about 90 per cent of Atlantic-Gulf ship tonnage.

Strikes have been authorized by the brotherhoods of locomotive engineers and firemen-engineemen. A

Thailand Granted U. S. Military Aid

BANGKOK—(AP)—The United States has granted \$10,000,000 worth of arms and other military aid to a Thailand threatened by communist Premier Pibul Songgram disclosed Tuesday.

This was the first concrete manifestation of decisions reached at the Bangkok Conference in February.

Philip C. Jessup, U. S. ambassador, announced the aid, a \$5 million assistance to Asian nations displaying the will to stand against the Communist tide.

Under Songgram's leadership, the tiny Kingdom of Thailand has taken its place alongside Democratic powers in the cold war against communism.

Councilmen-Elect To Take Office Tuesday

Jack Wilkinson and J. W. McMullen will take office as members of the City Council Tuesday night, succeeding Robert I. Dickey and Stanley M. Erskine who did not seek reelection to council places 4 and 5 respectively, in last week's balloting.

Results of the election will be canvassed by the City Council, meeting at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall, following which the two new members will be installed.

WEATHER

Fair Tuesday night and warmer Wednesday. Maximum temperature Monday 80 degrees. Minimum Tuesday 49 degrees.

★ IN HOLLYWOOD ★

Hollywood Boulevard Again May Sparkle As Of Old

By **ERSKINE JOHNSON**
NEA Staff Correspondent
HOLLYWOOD—Exclusively Yours: The movies made Hollywood Boulevard famous but now, ironically, television will be asked to help restore its glitter. Hollywood merchants are screaming about the "de-glamorization" of the famed boulevard during the last few years and are planning a big TV show plus a "paint up" campaign.

Evelyn Keyes is joining John Ireland as an ex-Columbia-lie who will pay a percentage of film earnings back to the old alma mater. But legal eagles hold that a court test is looming on these new hefty-slice-back cases and that arrangements over 10 per cent will not hold up in court.

The Joan Fontaine-Bill Dozier divorce does not extend to their **Rampart Productions** set-up. They're still partners and may do another film together under the pre-divorce banner.

Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis are battling Marie Wilson over the head lady for their independent movie, "At War With The Army." Dean explains the picture:

"I play a sergeant and Jerry does one of those Sad Sack privates. The public is tired of big, sweeping war epics and now wants to laugh about the funny side of the war."

I asked Dean if it bothered him to have people say he's the spittin' image of Cary Grant.

"Better him" spoke up Mrs. Martin. "He loves it. There's nothing that puffs his chest up more."

Search Ends
Joan Evans and Hunt Stromberg, Jr., have discovered each other... Mercedes McCambridge now turns up as a singer, too. She'll warble a torch song in I. C. Goldsmith's "The Dungeon." ... Dennis Day is

being paged for a Broadway show based on his song hit, "Clancy Lored the Boom" . . .

Peter Lawford's mother is confessing she'll be a happy mother-in-law if Peter weds Sharman Douglas. . . The Kenneth Roberts novel, "Lydia Bailey," is being reworked as a Ty Power vehicle. . . Claudette Thornton, the eyes-skater, was with Bob Stack his last night in town before leaving on a location jaunt.

You Never Know
Jan Sterling, Paramount's new blonde excitement, gets lights in her eyes when you mention Paul Douglas, but she isn't letting herself be trapped into any admission of marriage to anybody. "Sure," she says, "I might get married this year. I might get married, divorced and re-married."

Alex Korda's agents are talking to Dick Haymes about co-starring with Moira Shearer of "Red Shoes" fame in a technical musical.

Andre Previn, MGM's musical wonder, turned down another studio bid to thump the piano ivories before the camera. "I can play what I want to in a night club," he says, "and I don't have to look good." . . . Howard Hughes wants Kathryn Grayson for a dramatic script, "Walls Kathryn." "I've been waiting 10 years for a dramatic part." . . . Arvide to Quick Magazine and Issie Kucipinet; Thanks for the quotes here.

Former Judge To Aid In Probe Of Hollywood Morals

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Stephen S. Jackson, once a judge in the Children and Family Court in New York City, will help the Senate Commerce Committee in its probe of Hollywood morals. The committee announced Monday it has hired Jackson, a technical consultant in connection with problems arising from consideration of legislation involving the motion picture industry. Jackson, who also has worked in the film industry's Production Code Office, will leave for Hollywood next week to get on-the-spot information. Chairman Edwin C. Johnson (D-Colo.) has named legislation to combat what he called "exploitation" by the movies of the bad morals of some of the stars. Committee hearings on his proposal are scheduled to open May 15.

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'Ba-a-ah!' Is For Burglars



If you're thinking of installing a burglar alarm, this might be your answer. Four-week-old John Clifford of Houston, left above, saved his home from burglary by getting hungry at 3 a.m. Johnnie's mother, on her way to the kitchen to get his bottle, surprised a housebreaker who jumped out a window. In Cleveland, Ohio, 18-month-old Bruce Krusinski, right, performed the same service. Bruce's calls for help, upon hearing glass breaking in the restaurant below the Krusinski living quarters, awoke the family. Police were summoned and arrested the intruder.

Abundant Living

By **E. STANLEY JONES**

Matt. 9:29; 17:20; Mark 11:22; Acts 3:16

FASHIONED FOR FAITH AND NOT FOR FEAR
It had been my original intention to close the meditations on the conquest of fear, but the more we have faced this matter the more fundamental has it become. As I wrote the above, a letter came from a highly gifted woman with this sentence in it: "Oh, Dr. Jones, every-

thing is wrong, and I am so afraid I am going to crack up completely." She says that "everything is wrong"; but there is nothing wrong whatever except her fear, which in turn is rooted in her self-centered attitudes. Her universe continually fails to pieces because of her self-centered attitudes giving birth to fear. If she would change the center of her life all her sums would come out right; but with the center wrong nothing comes out right.

Now, then, we shall gather up our inward resolves and register them. These resolves will not be a screwed-up, clenched-jaw type of resolves, but a calm, relaxed registration of life committed to certain attitudes.

(1) I see that I am inwardly fashioned for faith and not for fear. Fear is not my land; faith is. I am so made that worry and anxiety are sand in the machinery of life; faith is oil. I live better by faith and confidence than by fear and doubt and anxiety. In anxiety and worry my being is gasping for breath—these are not my native air. But in faith and confidence I breathe freely—these are my native air. A Johns Hopkins doctor says that "we do not know why it is that the worriers die sooner than the nonworriers, but that is a fact."

But I, who am simple of mind, think I know: we are inwardly constructed, in nerve and tissue and brain cell and soul, for faith and not for fear. God made us that way. Therefore, the need of faith is not something imposed on us dogmatically, but it is written in us intrinsically. We cannot live without it.

To live by worry is to live against Reality.
O God, since the need of confidence and faith is written in me, and they are therefore inescapable, I will not try to escape from them. I surrender myself to the healing and the renewing of faith and confidence. Their healing goes now into every fiber of my being. I am grateful, Amen.
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Bar Group Models Plan To Deal With Marriage Troubles

LOS ANGELES—(AP)—A new model for dissolving marriages besides divorce, is an absolute "must" in the United States and a committee of the American Bar Association is formulating the plan.

Judge Paul W. Alexander of the Court of Common Pleas, Toledo, Ohio, who heads the bar association's special committee, said in an interview Tuesday legislators have been trying since 1984 to get uniform divorce laws by constitutional amendments.

"But it just isn't in the cards," Judge Alexander told Superior Judges Joseph Malby and Elmer Doyle of Los Angeles' Domestic Relations Court. "Migratory divorce, involving couples who run to another state—Nevada, for instance—makes up only three per cent of the total, so it's really the 97 per cent who divorce at home that worry us."

Judge Alexander said his committee is striving for a "standard" divorce law, but a good working divorce model.

"There is a uniform support act already adopted by a dozen states," the jurist pointed out. "There's no reason why all shouldn't adopt it for it concerns financial care of children. All religious faiths have adopted it, Catholic, Protestant, Jewish."

Method Attacked
The present method of dispensing divorce, he said, is like permitting a sick man to diagnose his illness and prescribe his own remedy.

"The bar association's special committee doesn't want to take away anybody's rights," said Judge Alexander, "but our model plan will be for conference, investigation, consultation and deep probing—even psychologic if necessary."

"Applications for divorce will not be called 'complaints' and they will not be worded 'Vs.' It will be 'application in the interest of the John Doe family.' And when the social investigation uncovers what is wrong, why papa is interested in a blonde, there will be a report.

"If the report shows the marriage is a dead duck, as the saying goes, the pair will receive counsel regarding the new single state they are about to enter. The legal dissolution will be private and without accusations.

"In other words, the corpse of the old dead marriage will be brought to court for burial. There won't be any lies or smears. Marriage bans have long been a custom, the pair will receive counsel regarding the new single state they are about to enter. The legal dissolution will be private and without accusations.

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By **HAL BOYLE**
NEW YORK—(AP)—A Manhattan dress designer gave this tip Saturday to American women on how to be beautiful:

"Throw away your girdles and brassieres."

And the designer, Raymond Marinell, who has dressed some of the world's loveliest ladies, also came out with a full-chested veto of what all girls call the "universal or up-standing bustline."

"This turns them from individual women into a row of acorns," he said pointedly. "That is bad."

This may be heresy to feminine ears—that it's wrong for all dames to look the same. Ordinary men have complained for some time that, in a land where each make a motor car has a different chassis, women have standardized their bosom shapes so much they've become as similar as Martini olives.

But the gals have paid no heed to these howls. Maybe they figured they would run less gamble of losing their man if they all wedged themselves into a single silhouette which the poor dope would have to take or leave, as he had no other choice for the nation's leading stores.

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Well, girls, you don't have to pay me no-never-mind, and I'm the last Joe to crow "I told you so!" But Marinell's—he's an expert who designs for the nation's leading stores.

"Because a couple of movie stars with general appeal happened to have a certain body line," he said, "every woman in America, regardless of the rest of her proportions, tried to ape the appearance of their chests."

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"It isn't true that this is the only breastline that appeals to men. Just as women prefer different types of men, so men like various kinds of women. Don't hide the evidence of variety. Don't camouflage your natural charm by accepting the universal bustline."

"Give men a chance to choose what they prefer. Men don't like grabbags, whether they are shopping or courting."

Driver Charged With Death Of Two Persons In Traffic Collision
DALLAS—(AP)—George C. Nichols, 24-year-old Dallas resident, has been named on two charges of murder without malice as a result of an auto collision here.

Nichols was driver of one of two cars which collided Saturday night. Two Port Worth residents were killed in the crash.

C. L. Brown, city officer, filed the charges with Assistant District Attorney William A. McKenzie Monday in the court of Justice of the Peace Pierce McBride.

The two killed were Mrs. Curtis Jordan and N. D. Nichols. Eight persons were injured. Five of them, including the man charged, were in the hospital here Monday.

Curtis Jordan, 41, Port Worth, driver of the other car, was reported in critical condition.

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Collecting Fine Due By Parnell Thomas Is Major Headache

NEWARK, N. J.—(AP)—While ex-Congressman J. Parnell Thomas tends chickens in a federal prison, government officials are figuring out how to collect a \$10,000 fine from him.

Thomas, former Republican representative from New Jersey's Seventh District, headed the House Committee to Investigate Un-American Activities during the 80th Congress.

He later was convicted on a charge of padding his payroll and sentenced to between six and 18 months in prison and a \$10,000 fine. He has served four months of the prison term, but the fine has not been paid.

Assistant U. S. Attorney John J. Corcoran said here Monday he is checking means of collecting it. He said he would look into such assets as bank accounts and real estate and take steps to enable the government to take over \$10,000 worth.

He pointed out that Thomas cannot be paroled until the fine is collected, and added that the collection process "would be speeded up considerably if someone volunteered the money." So far there have been no volunteers, Corcoran said.

Sources at the federal correctional institution at Danbury, Conn., say the 54-year-old congressman has been in charge of a flock of chickens since his arrival there.

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Crude Oil Output Registers Fourth Straight Increase

TULSA—(AP)—The nation's crude oil production increased its daily average by 123,125 barrels during the week ended April 8, the fourth straight weekly gain. The Oil and Gas Journal reported Tuesday.

It raised the total daily average, The Journal said, to 4,822,425 barrels. Increased state allowances helped to record large increases in the Mid-Continent section but the Rocky Mountain region's output dropped for the week.

Biggest gain was in the nation's biggest petroleum producer—Texas, up 123,775 barrels to 1,982,880, highest for the state since the week ended last December 19. Oklahoma hit its highest since February 5, up 18,550 barrels to 440,150.

Other sizeable increases were reported for Louisiana, up 3,800 barrels to 511,500; Illinois, up 3,100 to 183,900; the Eastern fields, 2,150 to 61,000; and Indiana, 1,200 to 29,200.

Major losses were in Kansas, down 9,450 barrels to 256,950; Wyoming, off 7,800 to 149,200; Mississippi, 5,200 to 93,650; and New Mexico, 3,075 to 125,800. California lost 1,600 to 889,100 and Colorado was off 1,800 to 48,400.

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Spring Events Are Planned By ESA Members

Plans for events which they will sponsor during the coming weeks were made by members of Epison Sigma Alpha sorority who met Monday night with Mrs. Frank Kahlenbach. Martha Elder assisted Mrs. Kahlenbach with hostess duties.

A book review by Evelyn Oppenheimer of Dallas is the group's major Spring project. A discussion of it was held Monday night and the date and time will be set after the group hears from Miss Oppenheimer.

Founder's Day, May 1, will be observed by a picnic at Cloverdale Park. Plans will be completed at the next meeting, April 24, in the home of Mrs. David Holster, 517 West Wall Street. Formal initiation pledges also will be held within the next few weeks.

After the business session, the group had an auction sale of "white elephant" objects that members brought to the meeting.

Others attending were Anne Tolbert, Mrs. John Nicholson, Joyce Crawford, Mrs. John Moffet, Mrs. Chester Skraback, Jima Lou Gumm, Sylvia Cearley, Mrs. Charles DeBarrie, Mrs. J. DeBarrie, Bobbie Watson, Mrs. Roger Sidwell, Mrs. Zeke Rabensbury and Mrs. E. V. Gumm.

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Circles Of Baptist WMS Make Gifts For Orphans; Study Book

The book, "How To Pray," R. A. Torrey, was studied in the circle meetings of the Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church Monday afternoon in the homes of the members.

Mrs. J. M. White was hostess to the Mary Martha Circle. Mrs. George Johnson led the discussion on the book. In a short business session an offering was taken to buy eggs for the Buckner Orphans Home.

The meeting was closed with sentence prayers for the revival which is in progress. Other members present included Mrs. George Phillips, Mrs. H. M. Glass and Mrs. Earnest Neill.

Mrs. Frank Monroe was the study leader for the Lottie Moon Circle meeting in the home of Mrs. W. H. Hall. Mrs. John Godwin was hostess with Mrs. Hall. An offering for the orphans' home was taken and names for revival visitation given out.

Mrs. S. O. Womach and Mrs. Gene Brewer were visitors. Members present were Mrs. Ralph Day, Mrs. C. F. Hunter, Mrs. H. A. Palk, Mrs. J. E. McCain, Mrs. W. J. Hannaford, Mrs. G. M. Newsom, Mrs. Truett Powers, Mrs. Mae Ward, Mrs. Ray Green, Mrs. W. R. Ingram, Mrs. Jim Schroeder and Mrs. Joe Ranne.

An offering was taken for the district scholarship for a girl in Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, for the circle's beneficiary, a widow of a minister in Lubbock, and for the orphans' home, in the meeting of the Annie Barron Circle.

Mrs. G. G. Hazel was hostess for the meeting in her home and led the study discussion. Members present included Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Mrs. H. S. Collins, Mrs. G. D. Fuller, Mrs. O. L. Beville, Mrs. Vernon Yearby and Alta Merrill.

Mrs. Duke Jimeron was the study leader for the Lockett Circle in the home of Mrs. Ruth Stumbo. Members present included Mrs. Noel Cason, Mrs. J. S. Griffith, Mrs. W. E. Cowan, Mrs. W. B. Johnston, Mrs. W. S. Dill, Mrs. Cecil Craft and Mrs. H. C. Roland.

Mrs. E. F. Conner was hostess to the Rebekah Circle in her home. Mrs. A. R. Phillips led the study. Present were Mrs. E. E. Vick, Mrs. H. B. Spears, Mrs. John Alexander and Mrs. E. H. Thacker.

The mocking bird was replaced by the Carolina wren as South Carolina's state bird in 1948.

Perennial Club Has Report On Beautification

The announcement that additional shrubs and trees have been planted near the field house of the Midland Memorial Stadium was made at a Perennial Garden Club meeting Monday night in the home of Mrs. Neia Stovall. Beautification of the fieldhouse is the club's project for the year.

Mrs. R. R. Holster presided over the business session in the absence of the president, Mrs. J. W. Christian. The part that club members will have in the beautification of District One of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., here this weekend was discussed and plans were completed.

Sales Planned
An inter-club auction was held and plans for an inter-club bake sale made. Mrs. W. W. Weems is in charge of both these events and the proceeds from them will go to the Woman's Club Building Fund.

Mrs. T. A. Fraser brought the flower arrangement, which was of miniature roses, flanked with greenery and small, half-opened iris buds.

Mrs. Bud Wilson spoke on "Landscaping" and emphasized spacing plants to the size of the lot. She discussed the types of trees and shrubs suitable to various soils and their care and arrangement. She used pictures and diagrams to illustrate her talk.

Other members attending were Mrs. J. B. Branham, Mrs. G. B. Christy, Mrs. W. M. Garney, Mrs. C. D. Johnson, Mrs. Lucille Johnson, Mrs. J. T. Klingler, Mrs. C. J. Murray, Mrs. Jack Prothro and Mrs. H. Sanders.

Hospital Auxiliary Distributes Posters To Announce Address

Posters publicizing the talk to be given at 8 p.m. April 24 by Robert Stripling were put in downtown Midland stores and office buildings Monday and Tuesday. The speech will be delivered in the Junior High School Auditorium and is being sponsored by the Midland Memorial Hospital Women's Auxiliary.

Mrs. R. A. Estes is chairman of the poster committee. Members assisting her were Mrs. W. C. Kimball, Mrs. F. C. Baughens, Mrs. B. Crotty, Mrs. R. L. Hughton, Mrs. J. K. Hazlip, Mrs. H. L. Russell, Mrs. William Mitchell, Mrs. George Heles and Mrs. Leif Olsen.

Mrs. Albert Kelley is general chairman in charge of arrangements for the lecture. Announcement of the talk will be made in all Midland clubs. The public is invited to attend and there will be no admission charge.

Methodist Circles Have Programs From Books On Missions

Studies from "Japan Begins Again" and "Missions of the Grass Roots," current study books, were given for the circles of the First Methodist Woman's Society which met Monday.

Mrs. Russell Lynn and Mrs. Nathan Wakefield were hostesses to the Kate Oates group Monday night in Mrs. Lynn's home. Mrs. Paul Houtman and Hughie Pressly gave prayers and Mrs. C. E. Dorsey led the devotional period. Mrs. B. E. Seawright gave the study lesson.

Guests were Mrs. Phil C. Brock, Mrs. V. O. Bundrant, Mrs. L. N. Addison, and Mrs. E. E. Nearburg. Other members present were Mrs. Howard Morrison, Mrs. Harold Wilson, Mrs. Tom Cowan, Mrs. Paul Wecker, Mrs. Adell Taylor, Mrs. W. D. Gill, Mrs. G. T. Brown, Mrs. E. B. Dillard, Mrs. Hershel Carver, Mrs. Louis Bohn, Mrs. Dan Bradshaw, Mrs. Reo Goodwin and Mrs. Paul Bowman.

Each member gave some current news about Japan as part of the program for the Laura Haygood Circle, which met with Mrs. H. G. Counts. Mrs. Earl Chapman was study leader. Mrs. J. M. Prothro gave the prayer.

Members present were Mrs. W. A. Black, Mrs. John Pickett, Mrs. Minnie Crumley, Mrs. Nettie Crawford, Mrs. Mollie McCormick, Mrs. C. C. Watson, Mrs. B. F. Haag and Mrs. Sam Preston.

Mrs. W. P. Prothro, Mrs. W. M. Ford and Mrs. R. D. Myers had part of the program for the Winnie Prothro members, who met in the Scharbauer Educational Building. Mrs. W. F. Shafer gave the prayer.

Other members attending were Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Mrs. Velma Smith and Mrs. C. W. Post.

Mrs. O. P. Hedrick was hostess and led the study at the Belle Bennett meeting. Mrs. Hedrick and Mrs. Terry Tidwell had part of the program and Mrs. Luther Tidwell conducted the devotional period. Mrs. A. J. Norwood and Mrs. Luther Tidwell gave prayers.

Other members present were Mrs. J. L. Barber, Mrs. Alice W. Priberg, Mrs. Charles Robson, Mrs. E. O. Messersmith and Mrs. G. P. Bradbury.

CLASS PLANS LUNCHEON

The Boone Bible Class of the First Methodist Church will have a covered-dish luncheon at 12:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Scharbauer Educational Building. The nursery will be open.

SOCIETY

SUE COLEMAN, Editor
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Presbyterian Circles Elect Officers And Study From Genesis

Monday afternoon circles of the First Presbyterian Women of the Church met Monday and completed organization and elected circle officers. A letter from Mrs. Norman Goodrich of Frankfurt, Germany, expressing her appreciation for clothing sent to her for distribution to the needy was read to each group. The Bible study was "Abraham's Prayer," from Genesis.

Mrs. Arthur Stout was elected secretary and Mrs. C. O. Fredregill, treasurer of Circle No. 1, which met in the home of Mrs. W. G. Whitehead. Mrs. Lenora Deats, circle chairman, assisted as a hostess. Mrs. A. Faskan gave the Bible study from Genesis. Mrs. Matthew Lynn and Mrs. Murray were guests and eight members attended.

Mrs. R. L. Miller was hostess to circle No. 2 in the church parlor and was appointed co-chairman of the group with Mrs. N. B. Winter. Officers elected were Mrs. B. Lambert, secretary; Mrs. J. G. Harper, treasurer; Mrs. Bates Hoffer, pastor's aid; Mrs. Ralph Crays, flower chairman; and Mrs. W. K. Sinclair and Mrs. M. B. Bell, telephone committee.

Mrs. Paul Lavery conducted the study lesson.

Circle No. 3 met with Mrs. A. H. Vineyard, chairman, and the following officers were elected: Mrs. J. K. Wilson, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Rettig, treasurer; Mrs. Harris Eastham, flower chairman; Mrs. R. A. Lewis, social service chairman; Mrs. J. Clifford Hall led the Bible study and Mrs. Lee Thackrey discussed the magazine article.

Two guests and 10 members attended the meeting.

Mrs. Newell Ellis was named co-chairman of Circle 4, which met in Mrs. Sol Bunnell's home. Mrs. W. T. Harris was chosen the pastor's aid, and other officers are to be appointed at the next meeting. The chairman of this circle is Mrs. Nelson Wallace.

Mrs. Lewis Davis was a guest and conducted the Bible study. Five members were present.

Meeting in the church, eight members of Circle 5 had Bible study directed by Mrs. John B. Richards. Officers appointed were Mrs. Frank Aldrich, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. E. C. Hitchcock, pastor's aid; Mrs. William Mitchell, telephone chairman; Mrs. C. H. Collins is circle chairman.

The Training Circle met in the home of Mrs. A. P. Shirley, who presented the Bible study from the book, "Mrs. Raymond Howard presided in the absence of the chairman, Mrs. R. G. Patterson.

Mrs. Howard was appointed co-chairman; Mrs. Johnny Shelton, secretary, and Mrs. C. J. Watson, treasurer. Eight members attended.

Social Group Forms Steering Committee

Mrs. Ed Kent, Mrs. Joe Brodigan and Mrs. A. P. Callahan are members of the Steering Committee of St. Ann's Social Group which was formed Monday night. The committee is in charge of arrangements for meetings.

Edwina Cahill and Mrs. S. Ciesiel were guests of the group at a square dance in the American Legion Hall.

Other members attending were Mr. Brodigan, Mr. and Mrs. George Byrne, Mr. Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dancy, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Geisler, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price, Mr. Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolcott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waldschmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. John Petty, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McVay, Frank Ruppman, Donna Mae Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cherry, Steve Clark, Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher and Rosemary Tunnell.

Asbury Ladies Name Nominating Group

A nominating committee was appointed to present a ticket of officers for the annual election in the Asbury Methodist Woman's Society, at a meeting Monday in the home of Mrs. J. A. Andrews. Mrs. Jess Hooper, Mrs. Lenora Hester, Mrs. Edgar Tanner and Mrs. Carmel Pirtle are members.

The final chapter in a supplementary study book "Again Pioneers," was presented by Mrs. Preston Pirtle with a review by Mrs. J. P. Carson, Jr. of the chapter, "Old Age," from a basic study book, "Missions at the Grass Roots." The prayer was by Mrs. Tanner.

Other members present were Mrs. Albert Russell, Mrs. Clyde Gwyn, Mrs. Billy Hammon, Mrs. George Dameron, Mrs. Grace Wright, Mrs. George Lawless, Mrs. Dennis Ford and Mrs. Theo Ferguson.

AAUW Bridge Group Makes Party Plans

Final plans are being made for the American Association of University Women's Spring bridge and canasta party April 22. The party will begin at 1:30 p.m. in the Midland High School Gymnasium.

Members of the Bridge Group of the AAUW are in charge of arrangements for the party and members of this group will contact other AAUW members about reservations. Mrs. Earl Johnson is reservation chairman. April 17 is the reservation deadline.

Each group attending the party will bring its own cards but score pads and pencils will be furnished.

Hawaiian Missions Discussed By Guilds Of Episcopal Church

Mission work of the Episcopal Church in the Hawaiian Islands was discussed for members of the three guilds of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Trinity Episcopal Church who met Monday. Emphasis was placed on the origin and growth of the church in the islands.

Mrs. W. H. Potts, the auxiliary president, was a guest of the All Saints Guild which met in the home of Mrs. I. E. Daniel. Mrs. Potts announced that the annual rummage sale will be held May 6, with Mrs. Jack Bliss in charge of arrangements. She also asked that anyone interested in forming a group to assist the choir meet after 10 a.m. communion Wednesday.

Mrs. James Parker gave the program and Mrs. Don Sivalls, the benefactor. Other members attending were Mrs. E. J. Cramer, Mrs. Bertha Day, Mrs. W. D. Henderson, Mrs. R. W. Hamilton, Mrs. W. D. Hays, Mrs. Paul Kolm, Mrs. H. C. Lovejoy, Mrs. C. O. Puckett and Mrs. A. G. Williams.

Mrs. R. W. Stuart gave the program for St. Clare's Guild members who met in the home of Mrs. John P. Butler. Mrs. J. L. Sleeper was hostess. The group voted to serve breakfast for the young people's corporate communion service April 13. Members also discussed ways to encourage a large attendance at guild meetings. The guild was organized for young married women of the church.

Others attending were Mrs. V. E. Hanes, Mrs. W. D. Hamm, Mrs. W. H. Oswald, and Mrs. W. C. Tillett.

Mrs. Gilbert Bowen was hostess to St. Catherine's Guild Monday morning in the Parish House. Mrs. H. W. Mathews was in charge of the program and eight members attended.

Guests Attend Silver Spur Club Meeting

Fort and Mrs. David Collins of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar C. Covey were guests for the Silver Spur Square Dance Club meeting Monday night in the Midland Officers Club.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Mathews and Mrs. James Blackwood were hosts. Members attending included Mr. and Mrs. Floyd O. Boles, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Flournoy and Mrs. F. H. Hitt, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Jeter, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Lambert, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lammack, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lindsey, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Stall and Mr. and Mrs. Don McKibbin.

Calvary WMU Has Meetings For Study

The Woman's Missionary Union of the Calvary Baptist Church met in circle meetings Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. E. Bowman was hostess to the circle and Alvin Hutton Circle in her home. Mrs. A. L. Teaff taught the study on the book, "How To Win To Christ." Others present included Mrs. J. D. Robbins, Mrs. Luther Martin, Mrs. W. G. Flourey and Mrs. Wilma Jordan.

Mrs. L. P. Mitchell was hostess to the Gene Newton Circle. Mrs. J. C. Crowe led the Bible study. Others present included Mrs. George Griffin and Mrs. Glenn Stewart.

State President To Address B&PW Club At Bosses Banquet

Dora Davis of Wichita Falls, president of the Texas Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs, will be the speaker Tuesday night for the annual Bosses Banquet of the Midland club. Frances Carter is in charge of the program, which will include music.

The banquet will start at 7:30 p.m. in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. Members of the club have invited their employers to be their guests. In addition, members of clubs in neighboring cities have been asked to invite their employers and attend the banquet.

First Meeting Of Golfers Planned

All women of the Ranchland Hill Country Club are invited to the first regular meeting Friday of the newly organized Women's Golf Association. Mrs. Lee Conroe, association president, emphasized Tuesday. Those who do not wish to play golf are invited to take part in the card games and have luncheon with the group.

Tables will be set up and ready for card games in the morning, while those who prefer to play golf are on the links. After luncheon, card playing will be resumed. Players are to bring their own cards. Mrs. Conroe said, and those who wish to play together may do so.

Reservations for the luncheon are to be made to Mrs. Eugene Hanes by noon Wednesday and members who wish to play golf are asked to notify Mrs. Robert LeBlond.

Rijnhart Circle Has Program On Missions

Mrs. Henry Conkling was hostess in her home Monday afternoon to the Rijnhart Circle of the First Christian Woman's Council. She presented the mission study topic, which concerned Christian work in Japan. The devotional leader was Mrs. R. H. Frisell, Jr.

Others present were Mrs. B. E. Spaw, Mrs. Hilroy Bedford, Mrs. G. W. Breneman, Mrs. J. C. Hunter, Mrs. Ella Ragdale, Mrs. J. Roy Jones, Mrs. Van Camp and Mrs. Charles I. White.

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Federal Cushion

Economic policy in Washington is curiously muddled. There's a big hue and cry these days for higher productivity to support a growing population at a rising living standard.

The doings of the Agriculture Department afford the most striking example. In one set of buildings men are finding out how to enrich and preserve soils and step up crop yields.

If their discoveries are to be translated into better living, they obviously must be passed on to consumers through lower farm prices.

But elsewhere in the department the emphasis is on restricting output and keeping prices up. Thousands of farmers get federal money for NOT producing.

Protecting farmers against the hardship that follows from glutted markets and tumbling prices is surely a wise and necessary objective. But we must find a way to do it that will not penalize consumers and reward grossly inefficient producers.

The Brannan plan aims at one part of this dilemma, for it would allow farm prices to seek their own level in an open market. Yet it still would safeguard the inefficient—at evident cost in taxes to the very consumers supposed to benefit from lower prices.

The truth is, inefficient marginal producers aren't entitled to such protection. They are the necessary casualties of technical progress.

These producers do deserve some sort of aid to ease the pain of their transition to another field. It is not their fault that a government scientist may have discovered a better way to raise corn which suddenly makes their farms too costly to run in competition with others.

Still, the mere fact that a man decides to undertake farming as a business shouldn't mean a government guarantee of profitable operation regardless of his possible inefficiency.

Some men in Congress are showing signs of applying this same odd reasoning to the coal industry, which is expected to be troubled soon again with overproduction.

Where is the advantage of technical progress to the average consumer if he must pay in taxes or artificially supported prices for outmoded, inefficient production methods?



DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

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WASHINGTON — One of this country's best friends and a courageous champion of democracy arrives in Washington Wednesday.

With Latin dictators popping up all around him, Gonzalez Videla has helped keep Chile as one country which warded off revolution.

Probably one reason the Chilean president has fought so hard against Communism is because he was ambassador to France during the Nazi occupation and saw the results of totalitarian rule first hand.

Early in his term of president, Gonzalez Videla faced an all-out showdown with the Communist Party—and won. A wave of strikes had swept the country, followed by the most serious strike of all by the coal miners.

As the coal strike continued, and as paralysis crept over Chile, the president finally decided to take things into his own hands and left for the worst strike hotbed, Lota.

Accompanied by his wife, he flew to the Lota airport, then drove direct to the coal mine, which extends four miles under the Pacific Ocean.

"I did not come to challenge you or belittle you," Gonzalez Videla said, in an impromptu, impassioned plea. "The proof is that I did not come with military escort. I came alone as a friend to talk over your problems, which are my problems also."

After he finished, the miners went back to work. That is the kind of friendly president who arrives in the U. S. A. Wednesday, again accompanied by his wife, and again unaccompanied by the trappings and folderol of high office.

Wiley Becomes Statesman Congressmen asked Rep. Andy Blemmler of Wisconsin in the Democratic cloakroom the other day: "What do the McCarthy charges mean in Wisconsin?"

Replied Blemmler: "They mean that McCarthy has made Senator Alexander Wiley look like a statesman."

Two Senators From Maine The two Republican senators from rock-ribbed Republican Maine are sometimes in each other's hair. Just at present not only Margaret Chase Smith, the junior senator, but other progressive Republicans are burned up by the maneuver of Owen Brewster, the senior senator from Maine, to stifle criticism of the evasive GOP policy statement issued in February.

So many Republican gripes were registered against this statement that, in order to satisfy the progressives, a rewritten post-card version now is being mailed with an explanation by Republican Chairman Guy Gabrielson that the revision "grows out of a suggestion by Senator Margaret Chase Smith of Maine, who was consulted in its preparation."

That, however, is not the case. Though Senator Smith did suggest revisions, actually her recommendations were deleted and toned down.

So they say

The State Department evidently does not realize that we cannot kill time. It is time which kills us. I'm afraid the hydrogen bomb wears no wristwatch.

I'm trying now to get something done that will not throw this maritime industry back into the hands of the Communists.

Now South did not make the mistake of trying the space finesse for his ninth trick. He knew that West still held three clubs, and might hold the spade king, so he led the nine of clubs from dummy.

The annual shrimp catch on American waters is about 190,000,000 pounds a year.

THE DOCTOR SAYS

Treatment Of Nerve Disease Depends On Underlying Cause

Bottom of the trouble but it is occasionally necessary to ease the pain. Much still has to be learned about many types of neuritis and neuralgia—what causes them and how to treat them.

Either neuritis or neuralgia can be caused by a number of different diseases or conditions. In both, therefore, the problem is to try to find the underlying cause.

Nerve pain accompanies shingles, or herpes zoster. In this disease the cause of the trouble is a virus. Severe anemia can produce neuritis. There are many chemical agents, such as arsenic, and many of the substances used in industry which produce neuritis or neuralgia.

Neuritis and neuralgia are often difficult to treat satisfactorily. In some cases the pain is intolerable. This is particularly true in people who have been weakened by disease and in the elderly. Relief sometimes has been obtained by killing the nerve by injecting alcohol or by cutting the nerve by an operation.

Texas' First 'Hello Girl' Dies At 90 GALVESTON — Funeral services will be held Wednesday for Mary Alice Page, 90, generally regarded as the first woman telephone switchboard operator in Texas.

CRASH KILLS TEXAN SPRINGFIELD, O., — (AP) — Edward Everett Watkins, 63, of Amarillo, Texas, was killed Monday night when his car struck a bridge abutment near here.

PETER EDSON'S Washington News Notebook

Liberty Bell Replicas From France Will Ring Up Sales In Bond Drive

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — Those 51 full-scale, one-ton exact replicas of the Liberty Bell, which will be used in the coming "Independence" Savings Bond drive, had to be made in France because there wasn't any

McKenney on Bridge

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Late Card Authority Written for NEA Service

Every bridge player appreciates the value of entry cards which will take tricks and permit him to enter his own hand or the dummy.

When South saw the dummy after the opening club lead, he did not feel any particular concern. He could count eight sure

tricks, without a finesse, and the ninth would be his if either the hearts or diamonds were divided 3-3 in the opponents' hands.

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Where Was "Brother" John? It was "Brother" Green of the AFL and "Brother" Potofsky of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, and "Brother" everybody else, all over the place.

Questions and Answers Q—Is a special school maintained for Capitol pages? A—The messengers of the Senate, House and Supreme Court have their school in the Library of Congress.

Q—How many volcanoes are active in the United States? A—Mount Lassen in the Cascade Range in California is the only active volcano in the United States.

Q—How much salt does the average American use annually? A—The average American uses about six pounds of salt a year to season food.

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Distant Star BY HERMINA BLACK not really hard though it was out into firm lines and with the strong moulding of his jaw gave an impression of ruthlessness.

CLEMENCY turned with a start as Piers Amberley spoke: "Good morning Miss Norton. He seemed a very different Piers from the man she had watched from her window last night."

"Good morning, Colonel Amberley. Baba has been showing me the gardens. They are heavenly!" He smiled. "Nearer to Paradise I think." He had an exceptionally charming speaking voice.

Clemency lifted her charge, who was hanging precariously over the edge of the marble basin of the fountain, and set her small feet firmly on the ground again. She was curiously elated of the diversion.

"I couldn't have drowned in it," Baba protested stoutly. "Probably not," her uncle told her, "but water has an uncomfortable way of being wet."

"You didn't see me, Uncle Piers. You were looking at Clemency," said Baba. "I know lots of things I don't see," he assured her, laughing.

"So does Dad," announced Baba. "Quite," agreed Piers, glancing at Clemency. "Rather sorry for a lecture on theology. Your predecessor had I believe, strict and orthodox views."

ROBBERS GET BOOT CHICAGO — (AP) — Two robbers took \$300 from a men's furnishings store on the west side, and presumably split it on a share-and-share-alike basis. One of them also got a pair of shoes to boot.

secretary general of the new International Confederation of Free Trade Unions, formed last year in London as a rival to the Communist World Federation of Trade Unions.

Main dish of the cocktails, three-course and salad luncheon was two big lamb chops. Said "Brother" Oldenbroeck, a round, merry little blue-eyed Dutchman who speaks perfect English, "I suppose one chop was furnished by the AFL, and the other by the 600 men's union."

Cracked a reporter: "Gravy courtesy of United Mine Workers." At Shirtsleeve Level Department of State diplomacy isn't always conducted at the minister plenipotentiary and ambassador extraordinary level.

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adjoins District of Columbia, is being troubled by many squirrels. Washington's unusually open winter is partly to blame. The authorities therefore are setting live traps in the more "squirrelly" areas, and deporting the excess population to rural areas.

Small War For Big Stakes Military assistance requirements for Southeast Asia are not expected to be very heavy unless, of course, there is a full-scale Communist army invasion of Indochina, Tibet, Nepal, Burma or some other border area.

Character of anti-Communist warfare in Asia now is best indicated by the type of fighting along the 38th parallel in Korea. A band of say 200 Communists will cross the line from Russia in the north, and set up a strong point for operations. Against this center some 2,000 Southern Korean police and troops have to be concentrated.

more than take the strip between her sneers. "This is very touching Piers—but I would rather you didn't after Miss Norton." She has a two-year contract to fulfill!

CLEMENCY turned with a start, snarled with annoyed embarrassment to find Syrie Amberley standing in the open doorway behind her and then as their eyes met she saw that the other girl was curiously hard.

"I think she looks at Syrie, that Colonel Amberley has a right to be proud of his orange grove." "Oh—no. He never misses an opportunity of showing it off."

There was still something that had to be done in Syrie's half amused air. "I wondered where Baba got to," she added. "It is better for her not to be out too long in this sunshine. The nursery courtyard is nice and shady. But of course you will have to get used to the vagaries of this odd climate."

"What a lot of nonsense, Syrie!" exclaimed Piers. "It is early yet. Surely the child will have to spend quite enough time indoors when the weather breaks."

Without a word Piers glanced at her watch. "Will you take her in now, Miss Norton? I'll join you presently—I want to have a talk with you."

"Rather charming isn't real orange blossom? Every woman's ambition," he asked. There was something in his tone which repelled her.

"That depends," she said with a touch of coldness. "I think quite a lot prefer other flowers." "Ah! but it smells so nice," he was smiling again as he reached up and breaking off a spray of the exquisite waxy blossom held it out to her. "Try it?"

And then, before she could do

Songstress crossword puzzle with a list of words and a grid. Includes a small illustration of a woman's face.

**Jerry Blue Honored
On Eighth Birthday**

RANKIN—Jerry Lee Blue celebrated his eighth birthday recently with a party given at his home by his mother, Mrs. T. H. Blue. The children played games on the lawn and were served refreshments. Attending the party were Jerry Lee's schoolmates, Dorothy Abernathy, Jackie Williams, Brenda Reed, Betty McCain, Tommy Langford, Carolyn Langford, Jackie McCain, Lupe and Estola Abalos, Billie Jean Farham, Buddie Gene Little, Bunney Griggs, Betty Reed and Jerry Lee.

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**McCamey Baptists
Plan Study Course**

McCAMEY—The Rev. W. I. Lee of the First Baptist Church has announced that a Training Union Revival will be held in the McCamey church April 10-14. Mrs. Nova McCormick of Dallas will be instructor. Mrs. Jack Ott will teach "The Plan of Salvation" to the Intermediate; Mrs. C. G. Nicholas will teach "The Junior and the Church" for the Juniors; and Mrs. J. M. Pirkle and Mrs. Lloyd Bowden will have "Bible Stories" for the primary and beginners classes.

The course of study will begin at 7:30 p.m. and close at 9 p.m. daily.

**Rankin Study Club
Announces Plan For
Banquet April 20**

RANKIN — The Rankin Study Club met Thursday afternoon in the Park Building. Plans were made for a banquet when men will be guests on April 20.

The planning committee for gentlemen's night is composed of Mrs. Hamp Carter, Mrs. Henry Neal, Mrs. D. S. Anderson, Mrs. C. G. Fitzgerald and Mrs. C. G. Taylor. The committee on arrangements is composed of Mrs. Clint Shaw, Mrs. Jack Smith, Mrs. Roy R. Priest, and Myrna Holman.

Mrs. Hamilton Stull, librarian, gave a report on the progress of the Rankin library project. She announced that two books for children have been purchased with money donated by Mrs. Marvin Bell and that a donation has been made by Mrs. Jim Lane for the purchase of books.

Mrs. W. A. Hudson, president, was elected delegate to the annual convention of the Eighth District Federated Clubs to be held in Big Spring April 21 and 22.

The subject for the program was "What's New In Texas Industry." Mrs. Ted Hogan discussed the silk industry and Miss Holman talked on ceramics and displayed samples and material kits.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Hamp Carter and Mrs. Henry Neal.

U. S. Army and Navy bases used 2,000,000 tons of ice in World War II.

SOCIETY

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**Roles In 'Command Decision' Recall
Wartime Experiences For Some Actors**

Wartime experience as well as acting experience qualifies many members of the "Command Decision" cast for the parts they will play in the Midland Community Theater production of the William Wister Haines play this weekend. Eighteen men comprise the cast.

Tickets go on sale Wednesday, and after a preliminary showing that night for a negro audience, the three-day run will open Thursday on the City-County Auditorium stage.

The play is the story of an American bombardment group commander in England in the early months of World War II, harassed by his group's losses, the hampering of his superior officer, politics in the Pentagon Building, and the personal problems and irksome disciplinary crises among his own men.

Of the actors who are known to Community Theater audiences, William H. Pomeroy, in the leading role, was an intelligence officer during World War II, served in the Pacific Theater and holds the rank of major. A. S. Res., William L. Adam

was a bombardier who was injured in a crash landing on his first combat mission and spent 10 months in a hospital; J. Wilmont Hunt was an intelligence officer with the rank of captain, serving in the European Theater; Art Cole, who directs as well as acts, was a sergeant in Special Services; Klondike Johnson, in a walk-on role, wears an unfamiliar Army uniform since he saw Navy service during the war; and Waring Bradley says his military background was confined to peacetime service in the National Guard.

Others Seen Previously

Other familiar faces in the cast are those of Charles Hughes, who played the father in "My Sister Eileen" and will appear as Major General Kane; Norris Creath, a Community Theater standby since his organization who will appear as the loud and tactless Southern senator on a tour of war installations; and Hastings Pannill, whose role as the retired intelligence officer will be a contrast to the comedy characterizations he has done in "Remember Mama" and "Up n' Atom." Others in the cast will be introduced to Midland theater-goers in "Command Decision": Perry Pickett, who will play General Garnett, secretary to the Allied chiefs, was an acting squadron commander in the Air Force in 1943 when he was shot down. He gained acting experience while he was a prisoner of war in the Curstain Club of the University of Texas. He is a lawyer by profession.

Saw War Action

Marvin L. Shapiro, who came to Midland from Chicago in January and is making his acting debut, saw action in the Pacific in Naval service with amphibious forces. Jack Swift was a flying officer with the Royal Canadian Air Force.

Paul Parker, a B-17 Radio Gunner who flew 35 missions over Germany and received the DFC and several air medals. Claude E. Neeley was another flier in the European Theater who spent some time as a prisoner of war and took part in POW dramatic productions.

Howard E. Davis, who has been a Midland resident since 1946 but is a native of North Carolina, acted in high school and University of Texas productions. Martin Deuth says he has done no acting for 18 years, since high school days. He is a geologist, with a wife and two sons. Gardening and photography are his hobbies. He holds degrees from DePauw and the University of Illinois.

Deck Dawson came to Midland in January from Tulsa, where he had a year's experience with the Tulsa University Workmen's Play. He is a geologist, also, as is Charles A. Shaw, who has lived here since 1941 and lists his two sons along with golf as his hobbies.

**District Board
To Meet Before
Convention**

Officers and standing committee chairmen of District One, Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., will attend an executive board meeting early Friday morning preceding the opening of the annual district convention here, and will take part in convention activities Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Windsor of Tyler, state president, will be an honor guest at the convention and will speak at the Friday afternoon assembly, which will begin at 2 p.m. in the Tower Theater and be open to the public.

With Mrs. Albert Morrow of Morton, district counselor, she will be honored at an open house and informal supper Thursday night in the J. C. Velvin home, one of the pre-convention entertainments.

District vice councilors, each of whom is the chairman of one division of work, are Mrs. C. G. Dunn, Levelland; Mrs. Carroll Boyd, Dumas; Mrs. H. V. McCall, Odessa; Mrs. Tony Vaughn, Phillips; Mrs. J. A. Fortenberry, Lubbock; Mrs. J. Gordon Bristow, Big Spring; and Mrs. B. L. Brannon, Dummitt.

Other Officers
Mrs. L. C. Link of Midland is the parliamentarian; Mrs. P. D. Berthelot, Amarillo, the recording secretary; Mrs. Fred Stockdale, Morton, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Joe Dpason, Amarillo, treasurer.

Mrs. I. E. Daniel of Midland is one of the standing committee heads, serving as chairman of church gardens. Other chairmen are Mrs. Lyle Blanton, Hereford, advisory; Mrs. C. F. Fryling, Phillips, awards; Mrs. R. B. House, Tucumcari, N. M., civic beautification; Mrs. Clyde H. Mathis, Borger, conservation; Mrs. G. E. White, Borger, birds; Mrs. H. C. Stripp, Big Spring, garden therapy; Mrs. Carl McAdams, Lockney, horticulture; John Hoffman, Floydada, junior gardens; Mrs. J. A. Kendall, Amarillo, publicity; Mrs. Tom Hibun, Littlefield, project; Mrs. Clarence Neufeld, Perryton, restoration of old homes and gardens.

Mrs. Deason, the treasurer, is chairman of the Budget Committee, and other members are Mrs. J. M. Crain of Amarillo, Mrs. Hibun and Mrs. Vaughn.

The large district is divided into six sections, with a chairman for each. Mrs. A. P. Shirey of Midland heads the section comprising Midland, Andrews, Martin, Howard, Mitchell, Loving, Winkler, Ector, Glasscock, Ward and Crane Counties. Among the section chairmen are Mrs. Paul Ord of Childress, Mrs. Bob Ford of Levelland and Mrs. John Powers of Lubbock.

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Singers In Simultaneous Revivals



T. D. (Texas) Carroll, left, and Rod Rodman are directing music in two of the three Baptist simultaneous revival meetings now in progress in Midland. Carroll, gospel singer from Henderson, is in charge of the music in the First Baptist Church. Rodman, a senior student in Hardin-Simmons University, is the director in the Calvary Baptist Church. E. Yates Brown of Midland is in charge of the music at the Bellevue Church. Services in the three churches are scheduled at 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily through April 23.

Third Dust Storm Of Season Sweeps Kansas, Oklahoma

By The Associated Press
The third big dust storm of the year swept wide sections of the nation's wheatlands in mid-America Monday.
And with the blow came fears that strong April winds may whip up more trouble for farmers already harassed by long dry spells.
Kansas and Oklahoma, two of the nation's top wheat producing states, took the brunt of Monday's winds. But strong gusts also kicked up valuable top soil in the Texas Panhandle, Eastern Colorado and New Mexico both Sunday and Monday.
The winds were not considered quite as strong as a heavy blow two weeks ago.
An agronomist at the Fort Hays Kan. Agricultural Experiment Station pointed out, however, that in the previous dust storms this year only small areas were blowing, but Monday's winds eroded larger spots. A prolonged dry spell has loosened the soil.
"This could lead to most severe damage," said Agronomist A. P. Swanson. "The wind also is beginning to work the soil into a fine powder. And when this happens we will really have a problem."
The dust was so thick Monday in parts of Kansas that visibility for a time was zero. The highway patrol closed more U. S. Highway west of Salina because of the dust hazard.
The worst conditions in Oklahoma were reported in the northern part of the state with visibility cut to half a mile around Pawnee. The Weather Bureau described the Oklahoma blow as "not too severe."
The winds, which reached more than 60 miles an hour at times, diminished Monday night, however, in the two states. They also subsided somewhat in Texas, Colorado and New Mexico.

Rent Control Agency Fires 1,100 Workers

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The agency which runs the federal rent control program Tuesday began widespread firing of employees.
The office of Housing Expediter Tighe E. Woods announced dismissals Tuesday already have been sent to some 1,100 workers. This amounts to a one-fourth reduction in staff and will take effect within two weeks.
"The firings won't seriously affect the nationwide scope of rent control operations," a top housing official said.
He told a reporter most of those given notices are in New York where the state takes over all controls on May 1.
Woods' lieutenants reported, however, that "the axe will swing again about May 1" when "another thousands or so" will be let go in rent control offices in many parts of the country.
No Official Word
Although the cutbacks—and the announced plans for further reductions—were strong indications the agency may be planning to close up shop, there was no official statement to this effect.
The reason given by Woods' office for the "termination notices" was a shortage of payroll funds. However, key housing officials expressed belief if Congress votes an extension of federal controls some of those fired will be rehired.
The present national rent law dies June 30 unless renewed by legislative action.

Illinois Primaries Start '50 Balloting

CHICAGO — (AP) — A light vote was expected Tuesday in the Illinois primary election, one of the nation's first, with most interest centered on contests for state and county offices.
President Truman's Senate floor leader, Scott W. Lucas, without opposition on the Democratic ticket, was expected to receive a large token vote. Lucas is serving his second term in the Senate.
The Republicans were expected to select for senator Everett M. Dirksen, who served in Congress from 1932 to 1948 as a representative from Pekin. He had only nominal rivals in two Chicago men with minor political backing.

Scout Camp Opening Date Is Postponed

The opening date for the annual Boy Scout Summer encampment has been changed from May 28 to June 11 because of a conflict with a staff training school, according to an announcement Tuesday from the headquarters of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America.
The camp, located in the Davis Mountains, is to run six consecutive weeks, with 120 Scouts and leaders attending each one-week session. The fee for the encampment is \$12 per Scout.
Individual Scout activities are to be stressed at camp this year, according to Joe Niedermayer of Pecc, Scout field executive, who is to be camp director.

To Survey Need For Child Care Center In City

A committee to survey the need of a child care center here was appointed Monday night at a meeting of the Midland County Child Welfare Board.
Mrs. E. A. Culbertson is chairman and members are Mrs. F. H. McGuigan and Mrs. Chester Shepard. The need for a center was discussed at the Monday meeting. Present were Mrs. Culbertson, Mrs. McGuigan, Mrs. Shepard, L. V. Bassham, Niles Winter, George Phillips, Dr. Dorothy Wyvell and Mrs. Willie Harding.

Heart Of Texas Show Here For Week Stand

Harry Craig's Heart of Texas Show has returned to Midland and the midway is located on east Highway 80. The show will be here all this week.
Featured attraction is the Sensational Ceper, high wire performer. The show opens at 8 p.m. daily. Children of school are admitted free.
The robin is the state bird of Connecticut and Michigan.

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Man Kills Another, Commits Suicide

PINLEYVILLE, PA. — (AP) — A coal operator, who grimly counted to 10 and then fired two pistol shots was blamed Tuesday for the killing of a cafe proprietor.
State Policeman Jerome McCavit said the man was Calvin Miller, 26 Pinleyville, who later sent a fatal bullet crashing into his own brain. The victim was James Gilbert, 46, Pittsburgh.
The police office told this story: Miller entered the tavern Monday night, brandishing a pistol. He forced a dozen patrons to line up against a wall. He threatened to kill Gilbert for causing him to lose a coal contract.
When Gilbert denied the charge and said he did not know who was responsible for Miller's business loss, Miller said:
"I'm going to count 10 if you don't tell me by then, I'll shoot."
McCavit said Miller counted to 10 and fired twice. Gilbert died instantly. Miller had to fire twice to end his own life. The first shot only creased his forehead.

Shell Oil Company Gives Books To MHS

George T. Abell, president of the Board of Education, Tuesday received for Midland High School a 24-volume Encyclopedia as a gift to the school's library from the Shell Oil Company. B. L. Ryan, Shell's Midland area manager, made the presentation.
Ryan explained that presentation of the encyclopedia is a feature of Shell's policy of taking an active part in the civic affairs of the communities in which employees of the company reside.
The company already has established scholarships at numerous universities throughout the nation and for years has sponsored and assisted in conducting various types of vocational training classes at schools located in the vicinity of its widespread operations.
A direct expression of the management's reasons for offering this gift is contained in a plate on the inside cover of each book which states: "Presented to Midland High School, Midland, Texas, by Shell Oil Company in the hopes that these volumes will help to create a greater appreciation of the contributions made by science and industry to the progress of America and this community."

Officers Say Man Admits Shooting Mother In Detroit

DETROIT — (AP) — Robert La Dez, 30, called police to his small apartment home Monday night, saying he had shot his mother.
Inside on a bed, they found his mother, Mrs. Ruth La Dez, 57, dying of a bullet wound in her head.
Neighbors said the mother and her war veteran son had seemed to be boon companions.
At police headquarters, however, Detectives Harold Cooper and John Morin said La Dez admitted shooting her deliberately.
"I was afraid of her and that he meant to kill himself, too, but I lacked the guts."
La Dez is one of Chrysler's 89,000 strikers.
La Dez said he had brooded over his mother's refusal for months to speak to him.
"She hadn't said a word all day and I told her we couldn't go on like that any more," the officers quoted him as saying.

Livestock

PORT WORTH — (AP) — Cattle 1,700; calves 600; market active and fully steady, some calves strong to higher; slaughter steers and yearlings 19.00-26.50; 3 loads good and choice club yearlings 27.50-30.00; beef cows 16.00-20.00; canners and cutters 11.00-16.00; bulls 16.00-21.00; good and choice fat calves 25.00-27.00; common and medium calves 18.00-24.00; stocker yearling steers 20.00-25.00; feeder steers 24.50; stocker calves 20.00-28.50.
Hogs 1,600; butcher hogs opened 15-25c lower but closed steady; sows and feeder pigs unchanged; good and choice 185-275 lb butchers 16.30-75; good and choice lighter and heavier butchers 14.75-16.25; sows 13.50-14.50; feeder pigs 10.00-13.00.
Sheep 8,700; Spring lambs mostly 50c lower; shorn lambs steady to 2c lower; other sheep unchanged; Spring lambs 27.50; shorn lambs 22.00-23.75; shorn yearlings and two-year-old wethers 20.00-21.00; shorn feeder lambs 17.00-22.00.

Cotton

NEW YORK — (AP) — Cotton futures at noon Tuesday were unchanged to 80 cents a bale higher than the previous close. May 32.55, July 32.72 and October 30.92.

Congratulations To:

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzo Lanier Pryor on the birth Sunday of a son, Dwight Lanier, weighing eight pounds, 12 ounces.

VISITS PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bodkins, 1511 West Holloway Street, has as their house guests their daughter, Mrs. Mark J. Mournie, Mr. Mournie and Mark Jr. and Tina from Denver, Colo.

CHILD HURT

Charles Wheelus, two, son of Sgt. and Mrs. Shelby Wheelus of 415 East Elm Street, was admitted Monday to Western Clinic-Hospital for treatment of a finger injury, suffered when he closed a safe door on his finger. The accident occurred at home. The child remains in the hospital for further treatment.

HOUSTON BANKER HERE

George Nye, vice president of the City National Bank, Houston, is a Midland business visitor.

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Cold Wave Slows Down Texas Winds

By The Associated Press
Weather was fair over Texas Tuesday except for clouds along the Gulf Coast and in Southeast Texas. A thundershower hit Beaumont at mid-morning.
A cool wave which invaded the state Monday moved on out into the Gulf of Mexico. The lowest temperature Tuesday was 34 degrees at Clarendon and Dalhart, both in the Panhandle.
Generally, winds of the last two days had subsided. Marfa reported a 28-mile wind Tuesday and the velocity was 20 miles per hour at San Antonio and 22 at Austin. At San Antonio, an early-morning shower failed to clear the air of a dust haze which had cut visibility to seven miles at the Municipal Airport.

WRIST SLASHED

Belinda Reyes, six, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Reyes, of 403 North Lee Street, was admitted Monday to Western Clinic-Hospital after she had fallen on a piece of glass and slashed her left wrist. The child remained in the hospital for further treatment.

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wish to announce the discontinuance of their practices in Lubbock as of April 1st and the formation with their brother,
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Oil And Gas Log-

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Hancock will be 860 feet from west and 1,430 feet from south lines of section 14, block A-10, psi survey. It will be a rotary operation to approximately 6,800 feet. Drilling is five miles east of Hobbs. Drilling is to begin immediately.

San Angeloans Spot Two WT Wildcats

Morris & Scherck of San Angelo has interest in two proposed wildcats in West Texas: a 3,800-foot test in Southeast Runnels County and a 5,200-foot venture in Southeast Reeves County.
In Runnels, John K. Dorrance of Houston (associate of Morris & Scherck) No. 1 L. Mapes estate will be 1,650 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of the north and 200 acres of C. Montes survey, 230. Slat depth of 3,800 feet should test the Ellenburger in that area.
Morris & Scherck's Reeves County venture will be a test of the Delaware sand. Probable location is 860 feet out of the northeast corner of section 58, block 13, H&G survey.
The No. 1 Hoefs will be five miles southeast of the Argo No. 1 Roberts, lone producer in the Verhalen-Wolfe pool, which has production from 9,917-10,086 feet, in Southeast Reeves County.

Ellenburger Venture Slated For Nolan

In Nolan County three and one-half miles north of Blackwell, C. L. Norsworthy, Jr., has staked a 7,000-foot wildcat.
Norsworthy No. 1 R. H. Jordan will be 660 feet from the north and east lines of section 36, block 1-A, H&C survey.
Slat depth should test all formations above and including the Ellenburger in that area.

NE Crockett To Get Shallow Prospector

One and one-quarter miles east of the Ellenburger in the northeast corner of section 42, block 45, W&N survey, is making hole below 7,350 feet in lime, chert and shale.
Tentative, unofficial top of the Mississippian has been picked by some geologists to be at 7,280 feet. Elevation is 2,129 feet.
This prospector has not yet logged any possibilities of production. It probably will drill on to the Ellenburger.

Heyser's Kent Test Cutting In Deep Zone

Estel S. Heyser, Jr., and associates, No. 1 Lohman, seven miles southwest of Clairemont in Southwest Kent County and 1,012 feet from south and 2,012 feet from east lines of section 42, block 3, W&N survey, was making hole below 7,350 feet in lime, chert and shale.
Tentative, unofficial top of the Mississippian has been picked by some geologists to be at 7,280 feet. Elevation is 2,129 feet.
This prospector has not yet logged any possibilities of production. It probably will drill on to the Ellenburger.

Two Diamond M Kelley Links Staked

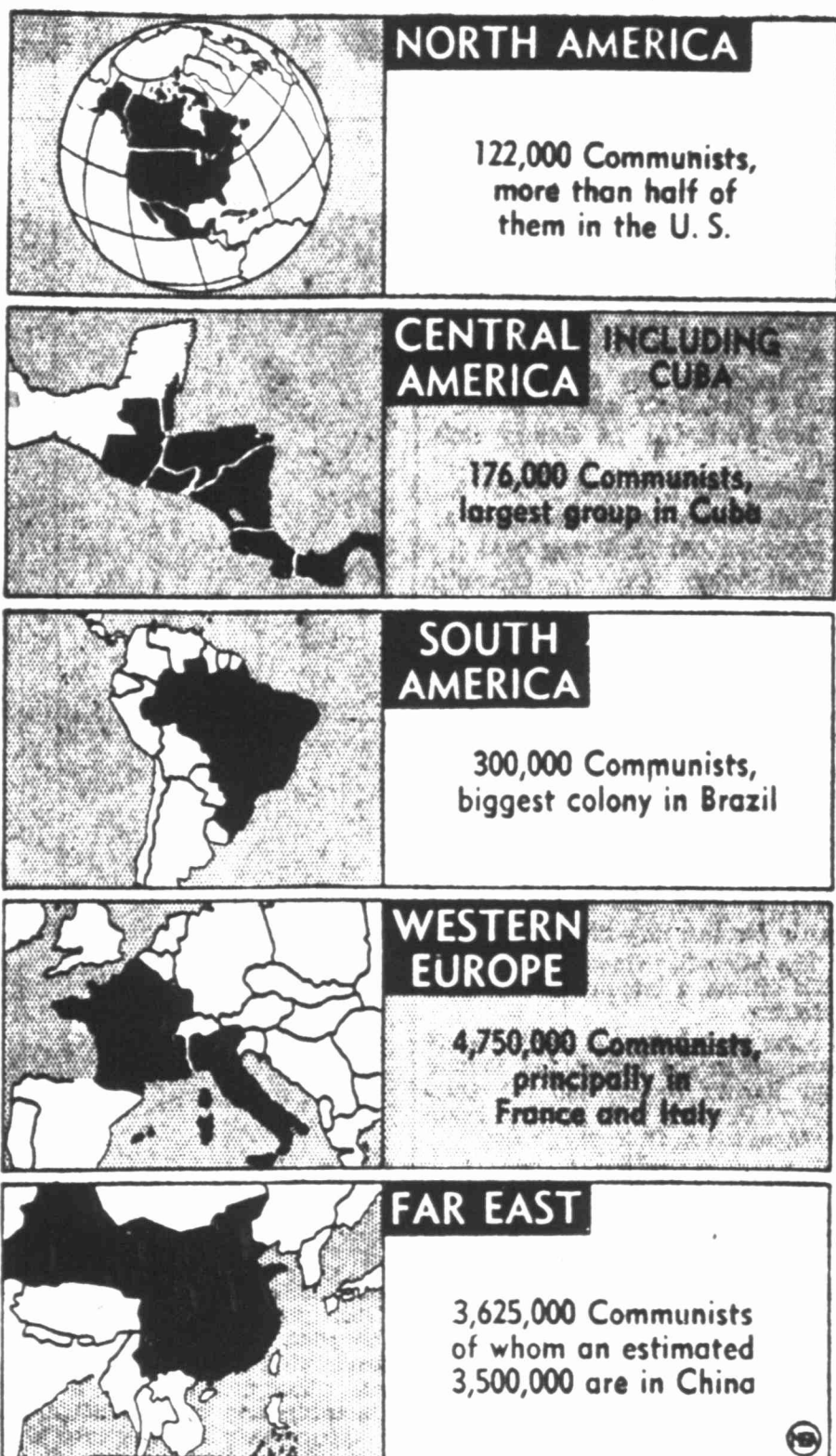
The Texas Company has staked two projects on the extreme northeast edge of the Diamond M-Canyon pool in Scurry County. The most easterly of the two is only three-quarters of a mile west of the nearest producing well in the Kelley field.
Texaco No. 4 and 5 J. J. Holt will be in section 213, block 97, H&C survey. No. 4 will be 1,992 feet from west and 670 feet from south lines of the northwest quarter of the section. No. 5 will be 1,992 feet from east and 2,083 feet from north lines of the section.
These link sites are approximately eight and one-half miles west of Snyder. Drilling is to begin immediately on the slated 7,000-foot ventures.
Magnolia Petroleum Company has scheduled its No. 2 A. J. Logan on the southwest edge of the North Snyder field, approximately three miles northwest of Snyder.
Exact location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 295, H&C survey. Projected depth is 6,950 feet.

Sinclair To Abandon NE Crockett Venture

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company No. 1 Henderson, a wildcat in Northeast Crockett County, will be plugged and abandoned in the Ellenburger on a total depth of 8,540 feet.
On a final drillstem test in that formation, recovery in two hours from 8,458 to 8,540 feet was a 1,000-foot water blanket and 4,410 feet of salty sulphur water.
It topped the Ellenburger at 8,080 feet on an elevation of 2,551 feet.
The failure is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 92, block OP, G&S survey, and five miles northwest of Ozona.
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Stalin's Fifth Column



Newschart above shows the number of card-carrying Communists outside the Iron Curtain, according to well-informed U. S. military sources. The estimate of Chinese Communist strength is recent, but all others are based on October information. These indicate a "fifth column" of almost 9,000,000 Communist Party members, but military intelligence now says this is too conservative and has revised its estimate of 12,000,000.

Candidates For Various Offices In Texas This Summer Must Take Oaths Of Loyalty

CORSICANA — Candidates for various offices in the Democratic Primaries this Summer must take loyalty oaths.
This was pointed out here by John C. Calhoun, chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee.
In taking the oath they swear they believe in our present representative form of government and will resist any effort or movement from any source which seeks to subvert or destroy it.
Calhoun outlined the correct procedures for filing applications for places on primary ballots.
Some candidates file their applications for state offices with the state chairman—including governor, lieutenant governor, attorney general, associate justices of the Supreme Court, judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals, state treasurer, state comptroller, railroad commissioner, and commissioner of Agriculture.
There is one vacancy in each of the 11 Courts of Civil Appeal of Texas. Candidates for those places, according to Calhoun, file an application with the county chairman of each county embraced in the respective district.
The same procedure applies to congressional races, state senators in districts of more than one county, et. Races for offices in only one county or precinct in a county file only with the county chairman.
The vacancies in Courts of Civil Appeals this year and the present incumbents whose terms expire include District No. 8, El Paso—Joseph McGill, associate justice.
Chairman Calhoun said he had received an application from a candidate for constable in West Texas. The application came to the wrong chairman—it should have gone to his county chairman—but it was in correct form—"One of the nearest correct received this year," the state chief declared.
This year's state primary will be different somewhat to some years. The electorate are not voting on a president or presidential electors—neither is there a vacancy this year in either of the two U. S. senatorships from Texas this year.
Suggestion Made
If any candidate or manager of a campaign thinks the proper chairman is too hard on requiring the loyalty affidavits—he might read Sections Three and Four, Article 2978a—
Section Three says no candidate of the Communist, Fascist or Nazi parties shall ever be allowed on an official ballot.
Section 4 — "Any state, district, county or political officer failing or refusing to require a loyalty affidavit as prescribed herein shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor

and upon conviction shall be fined in a sum of not less than fifty dollars (\$50) nor more than two hundred dollars (\$200)."
The last day in which candidates for state offices can file for places on the official ballot of the Democratic Party is June 5 and a week later the State Democratic Committee considers those filing for places.
File With Chairmen
District office seekers, however, must file their applications with either district chairmen or with the respective county chairmen not later than May 15—20 days earlier than the state office-seekers. District offices include Justices of the Court of Civil Appeals, Congress, floratorial representatives, district judges whose districts include more than one county and the same for district attorneys in large districts.
District offices in the larger centers whose districts embrace only one county or a part thereof, file with the county chairman as do the county and precinct offices.

Sad-Eyed Mongrel Has Saved Lives Of More Than 200 Dogs

SPRINGFIELD, MO. — Sad-eyed Queenie, a mongrel who never had a puppy of her own, has saved the lives of more than 200 dogs.
And her owner says she's still going strong.
Queenie gives blood transfusions for show dog or cur alike.
Three or four times a week Queenie goes on the operating table and gives up to 80 cubic centimeters of her blood so some other dog may live.
"I picked her up out in the country four years ago," said Dr. P. D. Gentry, veterinarian in a small animal hospital here. "Since then I've used her three or four times a week—when an emergency arises."
Queenie likes puppies, licks them and muzzles them but she can't ever have any of her own. She was spayed so she could devote all her attention to saving instead of giving life.
For Three Puppies
A few days ago she gave transfusions to three tiny puppies suffering from hook worms that sap the life blood of dogs. Two of them were too far gone. They died. But Queenie's blood saved the third.
Queenie's proud of her work. She turns her quizzical black patch eye on a sick dog. Gentry says she knows what it's all about.
"She never winces when we open her vein. She's as calm as can be. Of course, there's practically no pain connected with a transfusion and we never take more blood than she can spare. She never has shown any ill effects."
Queenie is husky, weighs about 40 pounds and never knew a sick day—except the ill of others. She's built up a strong resistance to all common dog illnesses.
She's invaluable for accidents. Not long ago a farmer accidentally slashed his dog's throat with a scythe. He rushed her to Gentry—and Queenie. The dog was almost dead.
A few minutes later, with the help of Queenie's blood, he revived. It wasn't necessary to type the two dog's blood as is done with humans, Gentry explained.
What is a dog like that worth?
"I don't know," her owner says. "Queenie isn't for sale."
KEEPS HAND IN
WILMINGTON, DEL. — J. Simpson Dean, vice president and treasurer of Delaware Park race track, won the Intercollegiate golf championship in 1921 while at Princeton, and still keeps his links game sharp. He is a member of the Wilmington Country Club and of Pine Valley in New Jersey, and shoots in the low 70's.

Witness Says Reds Directed Bridges' CIO Union In Hawaii

HONOLULU — An avowed former Communist says Communist Party members were the brains of Harry Bridges' CIO Longshore Union in Hawaii.
The House Un-American Activities Committee heard this testimony Monday from Ichiro Izuka, who said he was a member of the party for 10 years until he quit in October, 1946.
The congressional group is investigating alleged Communist activity in this island territory which has stepped into the spotlight since the House has approved but the Senate has yet to act.
Izuka named Jack Hall, regional director of the CIO International Longshoremen's and Warehousemen's Union, as a dues-paying member of the Communist Party through June, 1946. He said he himself collected dues from Hall, Bridges' lieutenant in Hawaii.
In compliance with the Taft-Hartley Act, Hall signed a non-Communist affidavit last February 27.
After asserting he knew that Communists formulated ILWU policy in 1946, Izuka said:
"And even today they are in the saddle. They are dictating the ILWU policies."
Izuka, who said he was treasurer of the party's Waikiki cell, estimated there were about 130 party members in Hawaii in 1946. Of these, 90 per cent were ILWU members, he testified.

Lola Jo Wright Is Lovelina GA Head

Lola Jo Wright was elected president of the Lovelina Girls Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church Monday in a meeting in the church.
Other officers include Jane Nell, vice president; Harriett Yearby, secretary, and Caroline Hazlip, treasurer. A program on "April Showers," discussing the distribution of Bibles to the world, was presented.
Ann Guthrie, a visitor, and Judy Pogue, another member, were others present. Mrs. Joe Wright is the leader for the group.
The sweet potato is a member of the morning glory family.

A&P Strikes Back At Justice Department

NEW YORK — Striking back at a government anti-trust suit, The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Company says the Justice Department's legal theories would upset the nation's whole economic structure.
Denying charges that it is a monopoly, the big food chain said Monday the public would suffer "irreparable injury" if the company is broken up.
There is "no justification in fact or in law for the drastic and confiscatory destruction" of the chain, the company said in its first formal reply to the civil anti-trust action in U. S. District Court.
The government suit, filed last September, accuses the company of monopolistic restraint of trade in violation of the Sherman Anti-Trust Act.
Support of the following named candidates for vacancies on the Board of Directors of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce was authorized: Ray Nichols, Vernon, Texas, seventh district; F. W. Dusey, Presque Isle, Maine, agriculture; W. W. Watson, Topeka, Kan., construction and civic development; R. H. Fogler, New York City, domestic distribution; Dunlap C. Clark, Oakland, Calif., finance; W. L. Hemingway, St. Louis, Mo., foreign commerce; Carl N. Jacobs, Stevens Point, Wis., insurance; S. C. Allyn, Dayton, Ohio, manufacture; J. L. Camp, Franklin, Va., natural resources; Champion M.D. Davis, Wilmington, N. C., transportation and communication.

U. S. Moves—

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comment afterward, in contrast with his charge of "immigration frame-up" at the end of his stormy, 81-day trial.
His attorneys, both of whom were sentenced for contempt during the bitterly waged trial, said they would vigorously oppose any move to revoke Bridges' citizenship. They also said they would carry appeals to the Supreme Court, if necessary, contending the trial was conducted on a "political" and even a "patriotic" basis.
Bail Increased
Judge Harris in rejecting a motion for a new trial, denied that "the verdict was the result of hysteria" or that the trial was "an oblique attack on militant trade unions."
Bridges was convicted of perjury and conspiracy with his two aides to commit perjury. He was given five years for perjury, two for conspiracy, with both terms to run concurrently.
The two aides, Henry Schmidt and John R. Robertson, each was given two-year terms, running concurrently. One was for perjury conspiracy, the other for conspiring to defraud the government.
All three were released on bail, but it was increased. Bridges' was fixed at \$25,000 and the other two men at \$10,000 apiece. Previously each of the three had been under \$5,000 bail.
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C. Of C.—

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new Chamber memberships in their current campaign, increasing the organization's annual income by \$1,258,530.
M. C. Ulmer, who last week was appointed chairman of the Executive Committee of the Statewide Citizens Economic Committee, was recognized. W. P. Z. German, Jr., Midland attorney, also is a member of the Executive Committee.
The directors, before opening their business session, heard the second in a series of C. of C.-sponsored broadcasts on national legislative affairs. "Federal Aid to Education" was the subject. A discussion of legislative matters in which the Midland Chamber is particularly interested followed the broadcast.
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Optimist Members See Demonstration

Jimmy Ash, of Color Research, Inc., demonstrated the processes of color printing at the luncheon meeting of the Optimist Club Tuesday noon in the Hotel Scharbauer.
The firm which Ash represents specializes in making color reproductions of oil well logs.
James Turner was introduced as a new member.
Leslie Hinds announced that the first edition of the Optimist bulletin probably will be ready for distribution at the next meeting.
It was announced that John Friberg, Jr., and Pete Van Horn will attend the District No. 7 meeting of Optimists at San Angelo May 4, 5 and 6.
Van Horn, president of the Optimists, presided.

Reds Charge—

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Russian report was true, the missing Navy plane may have been damaged by Soviet fighter fire to such an extent it could not reach a place of safety.
The Air Force quoted a crew member of the missing plane, who did not make the flight, as saying the craft did not have any weapons or ammunition aboard—but that one officer may have carried a .45 caliber service pistol.
In Washington, the Air Force said it had no official knowledge of any American bombers exchanging fire with Soviet fighters. That was the only immediate comment.
Fliers said the Navy's Privateer bears some resemblance to the B-29, but that an experienced observer would not mistake the two.
Monday, two Copenhagen newspapers asserted the United States was using the search for the missing plane as a pretext for reconnoissance of Soviet territory. Lt. Gen. John K. Cannon, commander of the U. S. Air Force in Europe, said the report was "fantastic."
PROWLER CALL
Midland police Monday night answered a call on a prowler in the 900 block of North Dallas Street but failed to locate anyone. Footprints were found near a residence.

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One-Armed Golfer Jimmy Nichols In Great Show Here

The gallery stood amazed and with mouths open wide as Jimmy Nichols, a one-armed man, clouted a golf ball more than 200 yards down the fairway time after time Monday afternoon at Midland Country Club.

It was unbelievable to see Nichols drive the ball equally as far or farther than Pro J. C. Hardwicke and Pro Walter Thompson and Van Ligon, outstanding amateur golfer.

The match ended in a deadlock with the two pros finishing the nine holes with a total of 77 strokes. Ligon and Nichols came in with the same total.

J. C. Hardwicke, Midland Country Club pro, had the best medal score.

A 37-year-old Nichols had a 39 and Thompson, Ranchland Hill pro, shot a 40.

Tremendous Power
The one-armed Nichols, touring Texas for exhibitions, has tremendous power in his good left arm and drives the ball with accuracy. He uses right handed clubs and stands in a normal position facing the ball. His left arm goes up over his right shoulder just like a right handed golfer.

Nichols played a fine game in the fairways but was off a little on his short game. He stayed in good shape on his drives most of the time and never was far off the pace.

The exhibitionist shot par golf on holes one, two, three, five, six, seven and eight.

He was two over on No. 4 and one over on No. 9.

Nichols showed his colors on No. 2. **Sinks 60-Foot Putt**
His tee shot was in bad shape in the rough and he came out badly, firing across the fairway into the rough again.

The third shot hit a tree and bounced far off to the left. He came back nicely and blasted the ball to the outer edge of the green with stroke No. 4.

With the ball a good 60 feet from the cup, Nichols putted perfectly and holed out for par.

Following the exhibition match, Nichols staged a show which featured control of the ball. He demonstrated the use of the left hand to perfection, driving the ball just about where he wanted it and at great distances.

Nichols was scheduled for an exhibition Tuesday in Lubbock.

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Training Camp Briefs

By The Associated Press
PITCHING TROUBLES STILL DOG DODGERS
ASHEVILLE, N. C. — Pitching troubles continue to plague Manager Burt Shotton of the Dodgers. With Ralph Branca's sore elbow still bothering him, and Tex Barney returned to Vero Beach for further training, the Brooks Monday cut young Bob Milliken from the squad.

Milliken, who was on the Fort Worth, Texas League, roster, was promoted to Montreal in the International League. Shotton said he thought the youth was a corner, but needed seasoning.

Jack Banta, another ailing flinger, yielded but one unearned run Monday night in teaming with Phil Haugstad for a 10-1 Dodger triumph over Macon.

HENRICH'S LEFT KNEE IS BIG YANK WORRY
INDIANAPOLIS—All was gloom in the New York Yankees entourage Tuesday. Tommy Henrich's chronically ailing left knee was bothering him, and he was forced to detrain and head for Baltimore and a consultation with Dr. George Bennett at Johns Hopkins.

Manager Casey Stengel said it was a "minor" condition, but speculation immediately arose that Tommy would not be available for the opener with the Boston Red Sox a week hence.

"When I try to dive," Henrich explained, "the knee gives. I have been taking it as easy as possible, but it won't come around."

CLEVELAND INDIANS GET HELP TUESDAY
WICHITA, KAN.—After Monday's nightmare of wind and sand, Cleveland Indians were prepared to face anything Tuesday, even the first chilly days of the season in Cleveland Municipal (Icebox) Stadium.

A 40-mile wind turned Monday's game with the Giants in Tulsa, Okla., into a virtual farce. The New Yorkers won 13-8.

The big blow caused these oddities:
Two ordinary flies sailed over a 40-foot wall in centerfield—380 feet from home plate—100 yards.

One foul drifted over the grandstand roof behind home plate, then was blown back on the playing field and almost hit Plate Umpire Bill Summers.

CUBS STAKE HOPES ON YOUNGER PLAYERS
HOUSTON—The Chicago Cubs' 1950 policy of "sink or swim" with young players still holds, says Manager Frankie Frisch.

"I may take a liking this year while they are getting experience," observes the old Flash. "But that's the only smart thing to do. We are trying to rebuild the team. It can't be done with a lot of doddering old graybeards."

Four rookies in the No. 1 lineup are Bill Serena, third base; Preston Ward, first base; Carmen Mauro, right field; and Wayne Terwilliger, second base.

WHITE SOX MANAGER TO COACH AT THIRD
NEW ORLEANS—Manager Jack Onslow of the Chicago White Sox is planning to take over the third base coaching job.

His decision to handle the traffic probably was hastened by Coach Buster Mills' conservatism. Mills, who has been accused at times of taking too many chances, was overly cautious in a recent game with the Detroit Tigers.

He stopped both Herb Adams and Cass Michaels at second on hits that might easily have been triples.

Ralph Blair To Oppose Luis Gonzalez On Mound

By SHORTHY SHELburnE
Reporter-Telegram Sports Editor

A capacity crowd is expected at Indian Park here Tuesday night as Harold Webb's Midland Indians tangle with the defending champion Big Spring Broncs in the opening game of the 1950 Longhorn League season.

The veteran Ralph Blair is Webb's choice for the starting mound assignment. He is the annual first-game hurler, having opened against Roswell last season.

Luis Gonzalez, a right-hander, is the probable starter for Big Spring. He is the only returning pitcher from last year's mound staff which pitched the Broncs to the championship.

The Broncs are strong in spots again this season and will have to be reckoned with in the title race.

Pascual Back
Potato Pascual, top-notch third baseman and a heavy hitter, is back with the Broncs and will hit in the cleanup spot.

Pat Stacey, assistant manager of the Broncs, also is ready for action. He won the league batting crown in 1949 for the second year in a row.

Jorge Lopez, giant second baseman, Bert Batez and Felix Gomez are the other returning Broncs.

Midland will field a team well sprinkled with rookies but it will be one of the most capable opening day nines Webb ever has assembled.

Kenny Jones, a limited "service man," will be behind the plate to receive the offerings of Blair.

Big Jim Prince, the heavy hitter and cleanup man, will be at first base.

Double Play Combination
Rookie Quentin Basco, a fine performer, will hold down second and will team with the well known shortstop, Scooter Hughes, for the double play combination.

George Furbeck probably will go at third base. He has been troubled with bad feet but is expected to be ready Tuesday night.

Lou Dawson, left-handed hitting outfielder from last season, will start in right field.

Rookie Lonnie Balch will be in center field. He hits right.

Powerful Windy Eldridge, another southpaw at the plate, will start in left field.

New Uniforms
Webb worked the Indians under the lights Monday, stressing the fielding of fly balls. He reports improvement was made and the team looks better in the fielding department.

The Indians will be in new, white, home uniforms for the initial tilt. Webb issued the new equipment Monday.

Tickets will be on sale at Indian Park early so fans may avoid an expected rush at game time.

Three Texas Loops Start Play Tuesday

By The Associated Press

Three of Texas' eight professional baseball leagues open the 1950 season Tuesday night, another Wednesday and the remainder next week.

The Class AA Texas League, Class C Rio Grande League and Class D Longhorn League get started Tuesday night. The Class C Gulf Coast League starts Wednesday at Fort Worth, East Texas, West Texas-New Mexico and Arizona-Texas opening next week.

Dallas entertains Tulsa Tuesday night, Oklahoma City is at Fort Worth, Houston at Shreveport and San Antonio at Beaumont in opening Texas League games.

In the Rio Grande Valley, Corpus Christi opens at Robstown, Del Rio at Laredo, Donna-Westlaco at McAllen and Harlingen at Brownsville.

First Longhorn League games put Big Spring at Midland, Odessa at Roswell, San Angelo at Ballinger and Sweetwater at Vernon.

Gulf Coast games Wednesday are Lufkin at Jacksonville, Port Arthur at Galveston, and Lake Charles at Crowley.

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Cincinnati (N) 9, Boston (N) 7.
Austin (BS) 3, St. Louis (A) 1.
Philadelphia (N) 9, Little Rock (SA) 1 (called six innings, rain).
New York (A) vs. Quincy (TT), rain.

Boston (A) 7, Nashville (SA) 5.
Philadelphia (A) 6, Savannah 1.
Brooklyn (N) 10, Macon (SA) 1.
Washington (A) 7, Charlotte (TS) 2.

Body English



With puffed cheeks and novel footwork, Miss J. A. Shilcock serves in Paddington Lawn Tennis Championships in London. Determination wasn't enough, the young lady lost her match.

SPORTSLANTS

By SHORTHY SHELburnE

Another Longhorn League season will be initiated in West Texas and New Mexico Tuesday night and the foremost thought in the minds of fans in each city is—How strong is Odessa?

The question can't be answered fully until the final averages come out next September 12. All clubs will be buying, selling and trading all season and it's only when the race is over that their strength will be fully determined.

—SS—

But as the race gets underway, there are indications of which teams are stronger and which are weak.

Our humble opinion is all we have to offer and you can do just as most other readers will—if there be others—take it with a grain of salt.

—SS—

San Angelo, Sweetwater, Big Spring and Midland appear to be the top four as the starting gate opens. They aren't necessarily in that order but we pick them as the four strongest clubs.

—SS—

Vernon, Roswell and Ballinger all need pitching and other things before they can win many games.

—SS—

Let's make a minute analysis of each club, taking San Angelo first.

The Colts have good pitching, more hitting, a fair infield and could use more catching.

The addition of Bob Crues in center field and Manager Jimmy McClure to the pitching staff are the major strengthening points.

—SS—

Pat Stacey will have good hitting, good pitching, a fair infield and questionable catching.

The return of Potato Pascual, long ball hitter; Felix Gomez, fleet outfielder; and Stacey, who won the league batting championship, are the strong points for the Broncs.

Gone are his leading pitchers of last season and Pat hasn't been satisfied with the catching.

—SS—

Harold Webb has the makings of a good ball club here. His rookie crop is far above average.

The Indians will have better hitting, a little better pitching, a better infield and an outfield equal to last season's. The catching is tops with Kenny Jones, Bob Phillips and Tex Stephenson ready to go.

Jim Prince will be the big help in hitting. No one ever has questioned his stick work.

Lefty Jarl, John Singleton, Donald Hines, Ralph Blair, Harold Wearne and possibly Ernie Nelson will compose the hurling staff. Each can win if given proper rest.

—SS—

Sweetwater seems to have wangled enough out of Cy Fawcett's Albuquerque roster to be a threat this year.

The Swatters will have good hitting, fair pitching, good catching and an average infield.

Manager John Bottarmi, a veteran catcher, will help out a lot.

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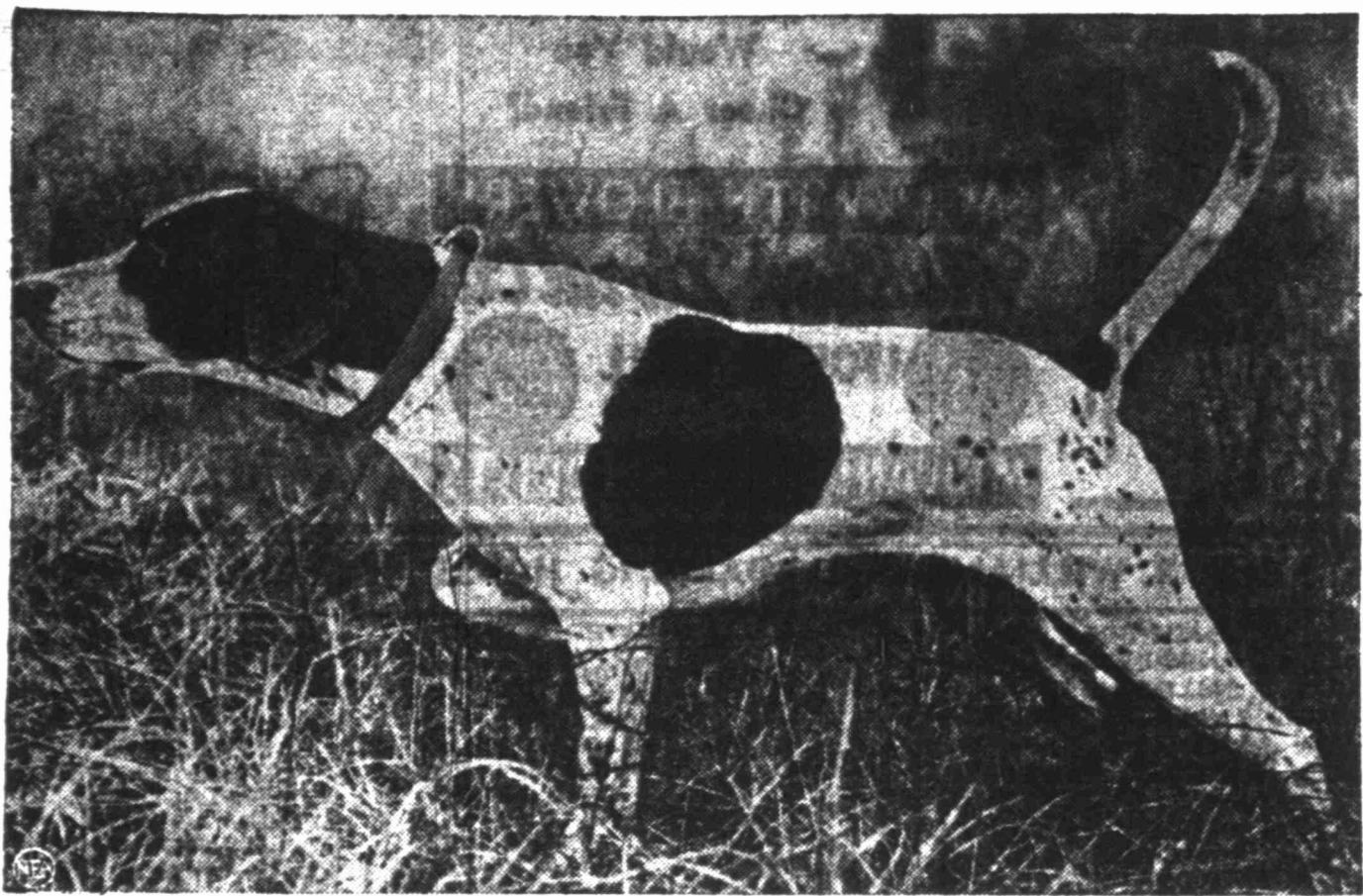
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Tip Top Bob becomes rigid on a point at the forty-eighth annual Spring Field Trials of the English Club of America at Medford, N. J. Fresh from victory at Clinton, N. J., the pointer competed in the Free-For-All test. He is owned by E. J. Laney of Daytona Beach.

Kleberg's Middleground Gets His Chance Tuesday

NEW YORK —(P)— Middleground, the only high-ranking Kentucky Derby candidate which hasn't raced this year, gets a chance at Jamaica Tuesday to shed some light on his status.

Oil Capitol won Hialeah's Flamingo Stakes; Hill Prince captured Jamaica's Experimental Handicap No. 1; Your Host won the Santa Anita Derby, while Theory was a winner at Hialeah and Guillotine at Jamaica.

But Middleground's last start was the Hopeful Stakes at Saratoga in August, when he won like a champion. That was his fourth victory in five juvenile outings. Many considered him the fastest of his age and John B. Campbell, the Jockey Club's handicapper, placed him at the top of his experimental weights with 126 pounds—two above Hill Prince and Oil Capitol.

Four Other Sophomores Middleground, Robert J. Kleberg's Texas-bred speedster was entered Tuesday against four other sophomores in the Count Fleet Purse, a \$5,000, six furlong dash. The big-baired colt got in at 117 pounds, thanks to the five-pound apprentice allowance for his rider, Willie Boland.

Pitted against him were Ferd and Lights Up, each at 118 pounds, and Erosion and Miss Degree, each at 108. Lights Up and Erosion are Derby eligibles. Presumably, this is a warmup for next Saturday's Experimental Handicap No. 2, at a mile and a sixteenth. Trainer Max Hirsch has been in no hurry to give Middleground his 1950 baptism under fire. Tuesday's race, of course, is a much softer spot for his bow than the first division of the experimental—also a six furlong test—would have been, with no 126 pounds up and no Hill Prince to tackle.

Hill Prince and Middleground never have met.

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Softball League Taking Shape; To Meet Again Tuesday

First steps in the organization of a City Softball League were taken at a meeting Monday night in Hotel Scharbauer and a second meeting was scheduled at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Sam Snead Enters Colonial National

PORT WORTH —(P)— Sam Snead, No. 1 golfer of the nation in money earnings, Vardon Trophy averages and Ryder Cup points through 1949 to the present time, will play in the fifth annual \$15,000 Colonial National Invitation Golf Tournament here May 25-28.

Petroleum Golf Loop Plans Are Dropped

Plans for the organization of a Petroleum Golf League here were abandoned Monday night at a meeting of interested persons in Hotel Scharbauer.

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Midland Colts Win 21-2 From Lamesa

The Midland Colts ran wild Sunday afternoon in defeating the Lamesa Blue Sox 21 to 2 at the "Home of the Colts" here.

Lamesa	ab	r	h	o	a
Eior, c	3	0	1	2	3
Willie, p	4	0	0	0	6
Nacho, 1b	4	0	1	13	0
Andres, 2b	2	0	0	5	1
Frank, 3b	3	0	0	1	2
Miguel, ss	4	0	0	0	0
Moreno, rf	4	0	0	0	1
Chino, cf	4	1	2	0	0
Ramirez, lf	3	1	2	1	0
Totals	31	2	5	24	13

Midland	ab	r	h	o	a
Chino, 2b	7	2	3	2	0
Martin, 3b	5	2	1	3	1
Romino, ss	4	1	1	0	1
Ochoa, 1b	2	1	0	3	1
Mancha, c	4	4	3	12	2
Montanez, cf	4	1	1	1	0
Mattide, of	0	0	0	0	0
Jose, 1b	5	1	2	7	0
Ramirez, lf	4	3	0	0	0
Samarangio, if	2	2	0	0	0
Salome, rf	6	3	4	1	0
C. Ocha, p	5	1	3	1	1
Totals	48	21	22	27	8

Black Indians Cop Opener From Hobbs

The Midland Black Indians won a 24 to 21 decision in a wild baseball game Sunday when they met the Hobbs Tigers in Hobbs, N. M.

John Hall was the starting pitcher and retired with a 20 to 2 lead in the seventh inning. Buster Turner followed him and had trouble.

Bennie Harrison, manager, had seven hits in eight trips to the plate and drove in 10 runs.

TOMMY RAMIREZ TAKES MIDDLEWEIGHT TITLE
CORPUS CHRISTI —(P)— Tommy Ramirez of Corpus Christi scored a technical knockout over Julio Serna of Monterrey in 2:14 of the twelfth round here Monday night to annex the Texas middleweight boxing title.

Ramirez takes over the throne vacated by Jimmy Curl, who recently retired.

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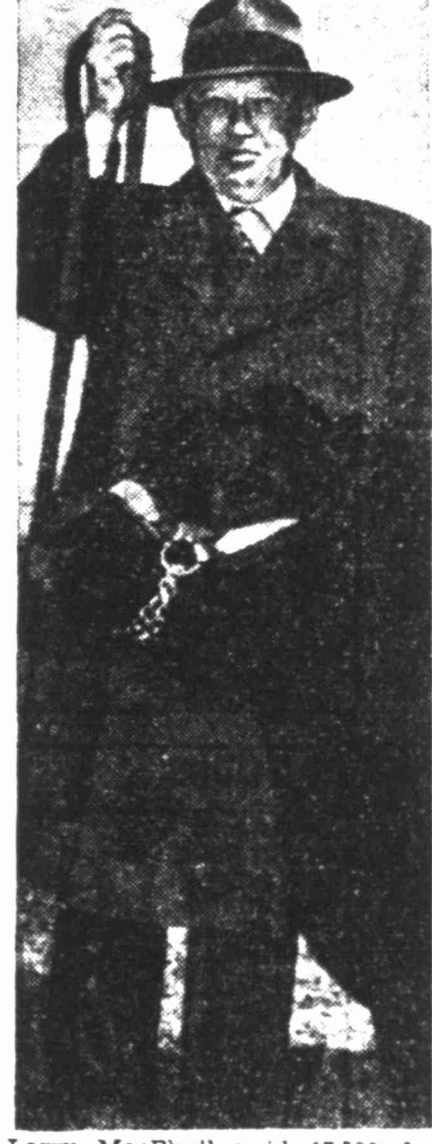
The Midland Bulldogs were scheduled against the Lamesa Tornados in a District 3-AA baseball game Tuesday afternoon at Lamesa.

Sports

New Balk Ruling Rouses Buc Ire

ATLANTA, GA.—(P)—The Pittsburgh Pirate pitchers are irritated by baseball's new balk rule and Manager Billy Meyer suggests umpires use stopwatches if they want to enforce it properly.

Bull Session



Larry MacPhail paid \$7,500 for Whitney Bandolier, prize Aberdeen-Angus bull.

Meyer and his hurlers figure the rule is taking some of the action away from baseball. And the Buc leader predicts fans will be irked frequently when balks are called during the coming season.

This is the situation which not only has Pirate pitchers watching themselves but has caused much discussion in Spring training: The old rule concerning the pitcher coming to a "set position" with runners on the bases stated: "Set position shall be indicated by the pitcher when he stands facing the batter with his entire pivot foot on, or in front of, and in contact with, and not off the end of the pitcher's plate, holding the ball in both hands in front of his body and coming to a complete stop," etc.

In the 1950 rule book the new phrase now says "coming to a complete stop of at least one second. Not consistent."

Meyer says the umpires aren't consistent in calling that one-second stop, declaring: "Some will pass the pitcher's delivery as long as he stops before delivering the ball, regardless of how long he stays there."

"Others are making the pitcher pause for at least a full second. 'I'd like to see them make the rule consistent.'"

In the Bucs' first 27 exhibitions, 18 balks were called on Pirate flingers and 20 on their opponents.

Meyer said calling the rule will make it "tough on the umpires, especially in close games." And he added: "Sometimes the game will be tied in the ninth with runners on first and third with two out and the umpire will call a balk, sending in the winning run. The 30,000 fans who might be sitting in will go home with a sour taste."

"They paid their money to see action and there is no action in calling balks."

Navy's football team will face Maryland, Northwestern, Princeton, Southern California, Penn. Notre Dame, Tulane, Columbia and Army in 1950.

Jimmy Wins Masters Third Time



Grand-slam Champion Bobby Jones, left, presents the winner's plaque to Jimmy Demaret after the latter won the Masters Golf Tourney. Demaret, who "backed into" the victory when Jim Ferrier's game collapsed, is the first man to win the Masters' three times.

Political Announcements

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 - For County Commissioner ALVEY BRYANT (Re-election)
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 - For Justice of the Peace JOHN HEMINGWAY, JR. (Re-election)
 - For Justice of the Peace F. L. STEPHENSON (Re-election)

CHAMBERS MAY HURL OPENER FOR PIRATES

ATLANTA, GA.—Cliff Chambers is expected to be on the mound for the Pittsburgh Pirates when they open their National League season against St. Louis a week from Tuesday.

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DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

Daddy Ringtail And The Umbrella Handle

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"The dark will never hurt you," said Daddy Ringtail, "and just to be sure it doesn't hurt you, you ought to have a talisman." Daddy Ringtail explained that a talisman is something that will keep the dark from hurting you if you have the talisman in your hand.

"I think I have one here in the closet," Daddy Ringtail said. He went after it and brought it back in his hand.

"Why Daddy Ringtail!" said Sammy. "That looks like the handle that came on Uncle Bunkum's umbrella!"

"Oh, but it's a talisman," Daddy

Ringtail was quick to say, "and when you go out with it in your hand, the dark will never hurt you at all."

And you should have seen little Sammy's face when Daddy Ringtail told him that the talisman was only the umbrella handle, after all. "Only the umbrella handle!" cried Sammy. "But you said that the dark wouldn't hurt me if I held it in my hand!"

"And it didn't hurt you, now did it?" Daddy Ringtail asked, and Sammy had to say, "No." Oh, but Sammy understood at last that the dark would never hurt him, either with or without a talisman in his hand. And I hope you can help me tell all the very little children that the dark is a friendly thing, especially at night. Happy day! And a very happy night tonight.

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gangerwanger out of the Elephant Path, on behind some dark, dark bushes where no one would ever step on it. He was frightened a little but not too much, for he held the talisman very tight in his hand. Then he climbed back up to the

Census Taker Makes A Profitable Call

LOGAN, W. VA. —(AP)— Census-taker Amy Carper was about to leave a housewife she interviewed when the lady pressed \$5 into her hand.

"I can't accept that," said the surprised Mrs. Carper. "The government pays us, you know."

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GOING TO AUSTRALIA
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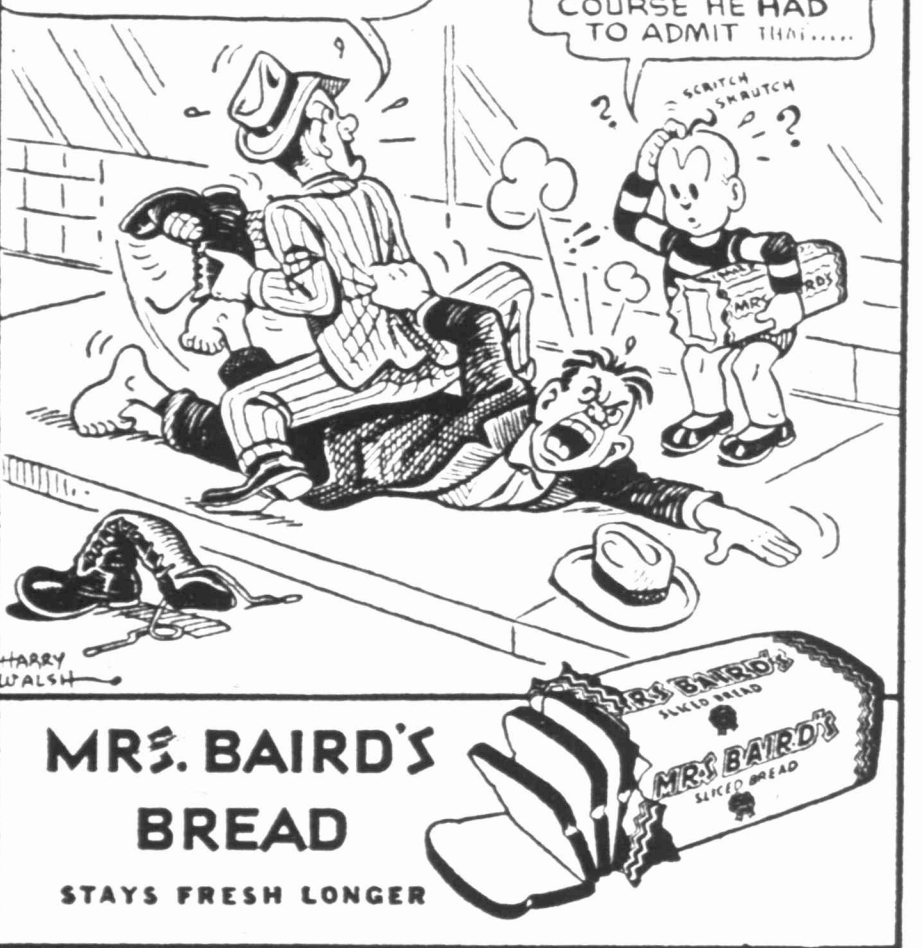
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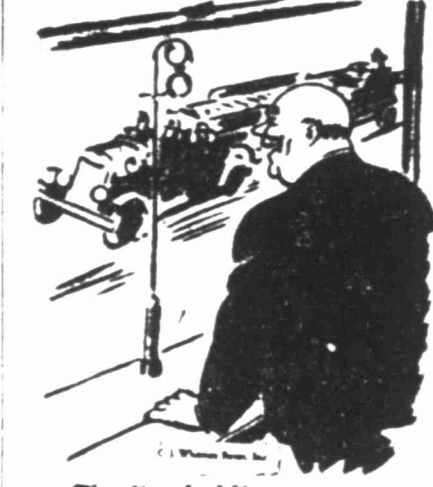
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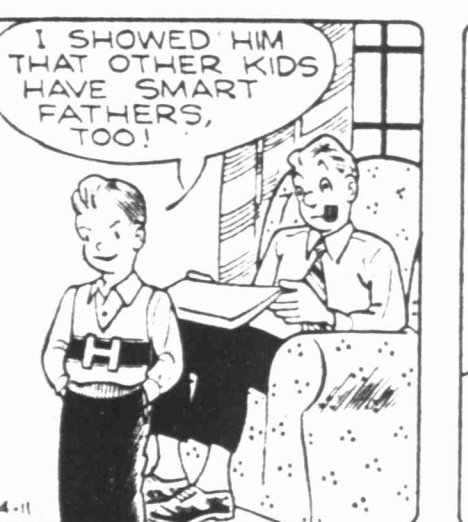
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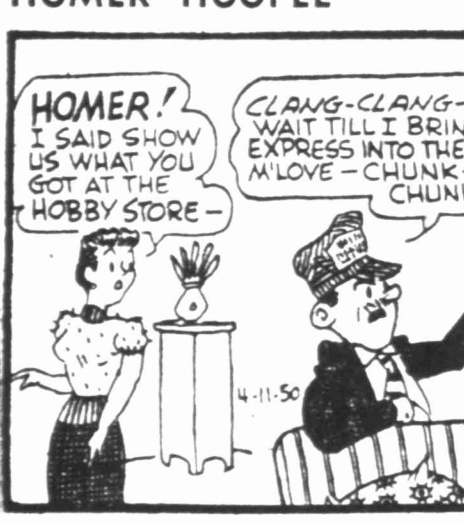
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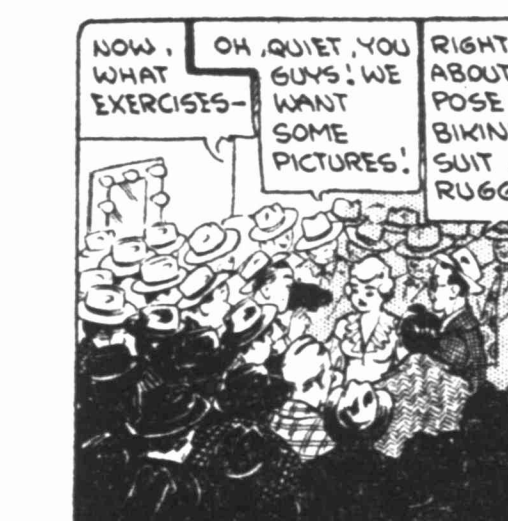
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Do Away With Milady's Bust? Never, Says Briton

LONDON —P— A British costume designer in an open letter published in the Corsetry and Underwear Journal, Watson said: "Now—oh shades of Venus! You (Dior) attempt to thrust your legions of feminine slaves back towards the darkest and most depressing age in all history—that of the bleak, stark, ugly, unsexed 1920's."

Burn The Bustline

"You, from your lofty and, till now, unquestioned heights, would burn the bustline to make a Christian holiday. Away with grace, beauty, health and charm! Away with women's natural inheritance—Dior must have his way!" "No, monsieur, Chuck it, Dior." But in Paris Mme. Collette Belldois, press representative for Dior, said that although vertical lines dominate in his 1950 models, everything in them is designed to enhance the waist, make hips rounder and underline the bust. "Either M. Watson has never seen Dior's collection or saw it from too far to have a fair idea of it," she added.

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The telephone number of the Midland Tractor Company is 1688 and you are invited to call for free estimates on repair work as well as to get a comparison of prices on tires and parts.

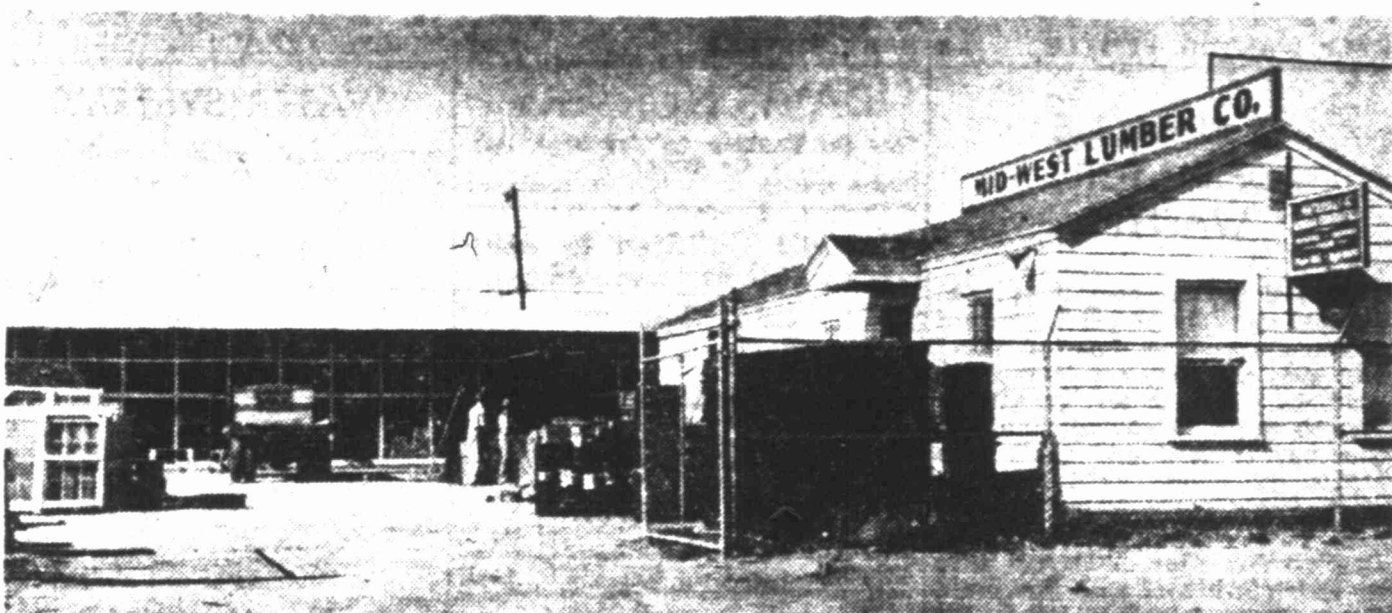
Circus Clown Takes Vacation—Standing Up

LOS ANGELES —P— A blankety-blanket blank burned Bernie from behind so now Circus Clown Bernie is taking a vacation—standing up.

Bernie Griggs, 50, is with the Clyde Beatty Circus. He bent over during a recent show and another clown hit him with a slapstick in one of the big top's time-honored gags.

A slapstick (paddle) has a blank 38 cartridge on one side. When whacked, it makes a loud noise and the customers love it. But this time, said Griggs, the cartridge accidentally was pointed toward him.

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Mid-West Lumber Company, 1302 West North Front Street, offers one-stop service for the builder. In addition to a complete line of building materials, Mid-West will contract to erect business or residential structures. The telephone number is 1106. Estimate are given cheerfully. Your patronage is solicited.

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Any type of job in the wood-working line, from window frames to fine cabinet work is performed by the Gates Cabinet Shop, 411 West Kentucky Street, and the experienced and highly-trained workmen employed by this firm are assured that the job will be done correctly.

Among the larger orders currently being filled by the firm are cabinets specially made for an oil company and built-in cabinets for homes.

A specialty of the firm also is the installation of plastic cabinet tops. These covers come in various colors and the material is immune to cigarette burns, stains and acids.

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In addition, its attractiveness is unsurpassed by any other material for this purpose, its makers claim. Custom-made furniture is a specialty of Gates Cabinet Shop. Book cases, radio cabinets, machine cabinets, kitchen built-ins and store fixtures are in the regular line of jobs performed by this firm.

You may receive estimates on any job by telephoning No. 1981. The equipment used by Gates is of the most modern and efficient type.

NETTERS TRAVEL
TEL AVIV, ISRAEL —P— Israel's tennis stars will meet Poland in European zone playoffs in the Davis Cup competition this year. Given a bye in the first round, the Israelis go to Warsaw early in May. Matches with the Poles are slated there for May 19-21.

Woman, Son Die As Car Hits School Bus

QUITMAN, TEXAS. —P— A school bus-car crash killed a mother and her son near here Monday on the Winnboro highway.

Mrs. Hardy Pittman, about 40, and her son, Pat, three, were the victims.

The bus, loaded with a few children, was traveling from Quitman into the country when the accident happened. None of the children was hurt seriously, although several were shaken up.

SONORA FIRM SELLS 600,000 POUNDS WOOL
SAN ANGELO —P— A Boston firm Monday bought 600,000 pounds of wool from the Sonora Wool Mohair Company of Sonora at 70 cents a pound.

The wool was graded staple 12 months wool from the 1949 clip. It was sold to Bill Fields, Sonora, buying for Albert A. Schneider, Inc. of Boston.

About 120,000,000 pounds of crabs are caught in American waters each year.

Reliability Is City Transfer Firm's Aim

Many patrons of the City Transfer and Storage will attest to the fact that reliability is a principal feature of the firm's service. And that is the main reason many depend on this firm for their local hauling.

Prompt and courteous service is kept at the forefront at all times by personnel of this concern.

In addition to local hauling and moving, City Transfer and Storage can furnish vans for long distance moving, according to the owners Gene Shelburne and Gene Shelburne, Jr.

Other personnel of the firm are T. C. Ward, Wesley Paddock and Melvin Dillberry. Telephone 2391.

The office of City Transfer and Storage is located at 313 South Baird Street. The telephone number is 3391 and call it all that is necessary for estimates on any job.

The night phone is 483-J. Crating also is a specialty of the firm. The cost of this service is slight and never should be overlooked when fine furniture or other costly material is being moved.

You are invited to give this company a try on your next moving or hauling job and chances are you will be another regular patron on its list.

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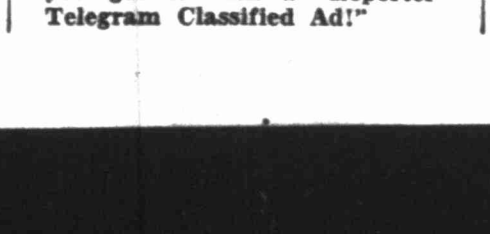
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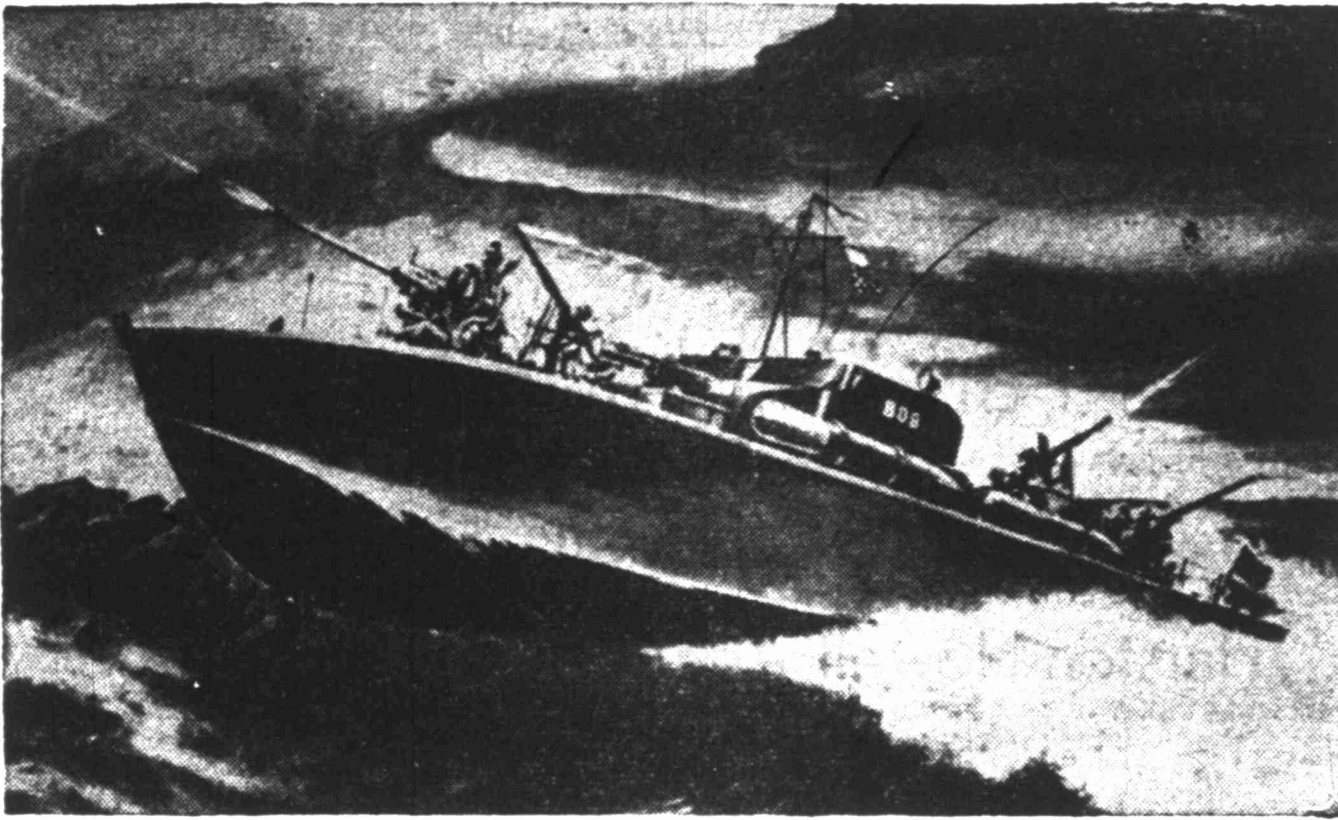
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Loyalty Reviewers



These two Chicago educators have been appointed to President Truman's Loyalty Review Board. They are Dr. Leonard D. White, left, professor of public administration at the University of Chicago and Brunson MacChesney, professor of law at Northwestern University. Dr. White is a Republican, his colleague a Democrat.

Kansas City Council Urges Crime Probe

KANSAS CITY—P—The City Council adopted a resolution Monday night requesting Gov. Forrest Smith to investigate law enforcement in Kansas City to forestall "further gang murders."

The action came within a few hours after funeral services were held for Charles Binaggio, Kansas City politician, and his henchman, Charles Gargotta.

The two were slain in gangland style last Thursday in their Democratic ward club rooms.

Their deaths were the eighteenth and nineteenth unsolved slayings here since January, 1946.

In Missouri the governor appoints the police commissioners of Kansas City and is responsible for law enforcement.

The council resolution said gambling and crime has increased here and that the slayings were "a warning of the sinister designs of underworld racketeers."

U. S. Bans Review Of Britain's Dollar Crisis At Meeting

WASHINGTON—P—The United States has ruled against any detailed review of Britain's dollar crisis when the big three foreign ministers meet in London next month.

Informed government officials said Tuesday Secretary Acheson has notified the British he considers any such talks to be "inappropriate" at that time.

Acheson is reported ready, however, to talk about Britain's financial outlook in general terms, as it affects the numerous political issues to be discussed.

The secretary is scheduled tentatively to leave for Europe by plane May 7. He plans to spend two days in Paris meeting with French Foreign Minister Schuman and then go on to London.

British Foreign Minister Bevin suggested expanding the discussions recently to include a new look at Britain's dollar problem.

Opposed By Acheson

American officials said Acheson opposed such a move for these reasons:

1. His stay in London would be too short to do a thorough job of examining the complicated British financial and trade picture.
2. A review would mean bringing over at least a score of government officials from the various agencies which must be consulted before decisions could be made.
3. Britain and the United States could make little progress on the problem without Canadian participation since Canada's economy is directly involved.

More than three fifths of the American shrimp catch comes from Louisiana waters.

Rail Board Sets Ecor Field Rules

AUSTIN—P—Field rules for the Andector Ellenburger field, Ector County, were announced by the Railroad Commission Monday.

Spacing was set at 1,300 feet between wells and 650 feet from property lines. The gas-oil ratio was set at 2,000 cubic feet of gas per barrel of oil and 40-acre proration units were ordered. Daily allowable will be based 75 per cent on acreage and 25 per cent on number of wells.

TEXAS WOMAN DIES IN ARKANSAS ACCIDENT

HOPE, ARK.—(P)—Mrs. Stella Mae Whittle, 44, of Denton, Texas, was killed near here Monday when her husband swerved their car to dodge a cow and the auto overturned.

Her husband, Richard Whittle, their four sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Whittle of Dallas were injured slightly.

Woman's Death Held Caused By Alcoholism

LOS ANGELES—P—Sally Oswald, 39, whose nude body was found in a hotel last Wednesday with strange notes penned on her chest and back died of alcoholism.

An autopsy Monday also attributed the death to pneumonia. A man who told police he had strangled the woman was committed to the state hospital at Patton.

Strike Cuts Texaco Refining Capacity

NEW YORK—P—The Texas Company says a strike of CIO oil workers has cut its refining capacity about one-fifth.

The walkout, which began last week, closed down plants at Port Arthur, Texas, with a refining capacity of 190,000 barrels a day; Port Neches, Texas, 40,000 barrels; Casper, Wyo., 12,000 barrels; Lawrenceville, Wyo., 27,000 barrels, and Lockport Ill., 60,000 barrels.

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Hugh Ernst, Husband Of Actress Betty Furness, Kills Self

NEW YORK—P—Hugh Ernst, 39-year-old radio producer and husband of Actress Betty Furness, committed suicide with a shotgun in a hotel room Monday night.

A clipping of a newspaper Broadway column reporting that Ernst and Miss Furness were to be divorced was found in the room.

Ernst telephoned to the New York Journal-American at 11:40 p.m. and told an editor: "If you want a story, come up and get it."

The newspaper notified Miss Furness, and she, a reporter and a photographer rushed to the Westbury Hotel.

The hotel manager sent a bellboy to Ernst's room, where he was found dead with a blast through the mouth. The shotgun was alongside him in the bed. The paper in which it had been wrapped was on the floor. A box of shotgun shells also was on the floor.

Two Notes Found

Two notes were found, one of them still in a typewriter. One asked that Miss Furness be notified. The other was addressed "To Jack."

Police withheld the contents of the notes.

Police said there was no doubt the case was suicide, and that an official pronouncement to that effect was expected to be issued later in routine fashion by the medical examiner's office.

Ernst had taken the room Monday afternoon.

Miss Furness, who has appeared in motion pictures, currently is a television performer.

Official Rules Self Mutilation Preceded Death Of Farmer, 46

SUPERIOR, WIS.—P—The death of a 46-year-old farmer in his two-room shack came after "what appears to be self mutilation," Douglas County District Attorney Andy Borg said Monday night.

Earlier, a neighbor followed bloody tracks in the snow and found the body of Benjamin Requist in bed with his toes and finger tips amputated. A butcher knife lay on the kitchen floor.

Requist lived alone on a farm near Wentworth, 12 miles from here.

Assistant District Attorney J. P. McGill said a pathologist's preliminary report indicated Requist had died from loss of blood. He said he was informed the body bore no "evidence of foul play or injury."

Sheriff William Sims Monday said he had not discounted the possibility Requist had been mutilated and slain.

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Chemical Compound For Stomach Ulcer Treatment Reported

PHILADELPHIA—P—A chemical compound with a jawbreaker name was reported Tuesday to have opened up a new approach to the treatment of stomach ulcers.

The drug, which can be taken by mouth and makes a double-barreled attack on ulcers, still is in the experimental stage, John W. Cusic and Richard A. Robinson said in a paper prepared for delivery before the American Chemical Society meeting here. The two researchers represent the firm of G. D. Searle & Company, Chicago.

The drug has not been named, but is chemically identified as beta-diethylaminoethyl - xanthine - 9 carboxylate methiodide. It is being released to the medical profession only for use in carefully controlled clinical tests.

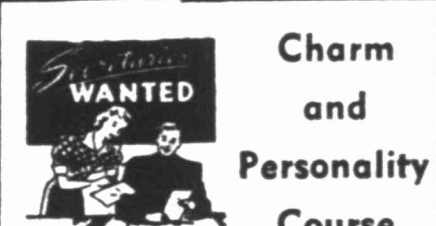
The compound also is expected to prove effective in curbing gastrointestinal spasms, the paper stated.

Acts In Two Ways

Experiments indicate, the paper said, that the drug acts in two ways on peptic ulcers. It relaxes the smooth muscle of the stomach, thereby reducing spasm, and it inhibits the nerve impulses which cause the secretion of acid by the stomach.

One method of ulcer treatment in the past has been an operation to sever the vagus nerve which controls the stomach secretions and muscular contractions.

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British authorities called off the trip of the coastal steamer Anking. The vessel had been ready several days to sail for Shanghai.

Last month, U. S. State Department plans to evacuate 1,600 foreigners including more than 300 Americans on the Gen. W. H. Gordon were blocked by Chinese Communists.

The British gave no reason for the Anking cancellation. They did say, however, that while Chinese Communist officials in Shanghai favored the evacuation in principle, factors of timing had forced its abandonment.

They said the Reds were to have supplied shallow draft boats to ferry passengers downriver for loading on the Anking at the Yangtze River mouth.

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