

# Permian Basin OIL & GAS LOG

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## C-NW Scurry Slated For Canyon Wildcat

Coronado Oil Company and J. A. Humphrey, trustee, both of Tulsa, have filed an application with the Railroad Commission of Texas, requesting a permit to start drilling in the near future on their No. 1 Shannon, which is to be a 7,600-foot wildcat in Central-Northwest Scurry County, 10 miles northwest of the town of Snyder.

The prospector will be 660 feet from north and east lines of section 37, block 97, H&GN survey. It is one and one-quarter miles southwest of Dermott, and four miles northwest of Esperado Mining Company No. 1 McDonnell, which has found the Canyon reef sufficiently high to make a well. Reef Top Picked.

The Esperado venture was drilled below 6,795 feet, in the reef topped at 6,748 feet. Datum on that marker is minus 4,077 feet. Operator has loosened stuck drill pipe at 6,748 feet and then resumed drilling without making a test.

The Esperado project is slightly more than a mile north and west of the nearest completed Canyon producers on the northwest side of the Kelley-Snyder field.

## Scurry Reef Flanker Has Prolific Flow

Wishire Oil Company No. 1 Wren, one mile north and the same distance west of the nearest completed Canyon reef lime producers on the northwest side of the Kelley-Snyder field, in Northwest Scurry County, six miles northwest of Snyder, has been completed for a 24-hour potential of 1,372 barrels of oil.

The flow on the completion test was through a three-quarter inch choke. Gas-oil ratio was 700-1.

The top of the pay in the Canyon lime was at 6,733 feet. Total depth was at 6,900 feet. The 7-inch casing is cemented at 6,720 feet. On the top of the pay the well has a datum of minus 4,243 feet.

The open hole was washed with 1,000 gallons of mud acid and then treated with 3,000 gallons of low-tension acid. No water developed. Location is 467 feet from north and east lines of the northwest quarter of section 292, block 97, H&GN survey.

## Pool Extension In Pecos Is Assured

A one-quarter of a mile north stepout to the Abell-Silurian-Montoya pool in the Pecos County has developed a flow of 68.9 barrels of 41-gravity oil in one hour. Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1-B State-Vollmer developed the 69-barrel hourly flow in a 150-foot test at 5,077-5,085 feet. Gas surfaced in two minutes, mud and oil in 10 minutes. The oil was flowed to pits for 38 minutes for the estimated gauge.

Gas-oil ratio was a 740-1. Bottom-hole pressure varied from 1,300 to 1,580 pounds.

The No. 1-B State-Vollmer is 990 feet from west and 330 feet from south lines of lot 2, section 28, block 9, H&GN survey, and one-quarter of a mile northeast of the Abell No. 1 State, a producer.

In the Abell, North-San Andres zone, Wood River Oil & Refining Company has potentiated its No. 2-B Sealy for 148 barrels of 32-gravity oil daily.

Gas-oil ratio was 364-1. Casing pressure was 50 pounds, and tubing pressure was 25 pounds. Pay was topped at 2,390 feet, and total depth is 2,430 feet. Five and one-half inch casing is set at 2,400 feet.

The No. 2-B Sealy is 590 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of the lease in section 28, block 9, H&GN survey.

## C-W Midland Test Drills After DST

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 2 Parks, Central-West Midland County wildcat 11 1/4 miles southwest of the city of Midland, and 660 feet from north and 2,180 feet from west line of section 10, M. Daugherty survey, was drilled ahead below 12,137 feet in Devonian chert.

It ran a three hour and 15 minute drillstem test, 2,095-2,100 feet after 150 barrels of drilling mud had been lost in the porous section at 12,096-110 feet.

Recovery from that test was 795 feet of gas cut drilling mud and 410 feet of slightly water cut drilling fluid with a small show of gas and a slight salty taste in about 100 feet of that fluid.

Sources of the water has not been determined. Most observers think it is from the drilling mud lost in the soft zone.

On To Ellenburger  
The venture is to continue drilling until it finds another porous zone in the Ellenburger. If and when that is encountered another drillstem test will be run.

This prospector already is assured of commercial production in the Pennsylvanian lime at 10,398-468 feet. It flowed 23.28 barrels of 44.6 gravity oil, naturally, in two hours in a drillstem test of that zone. Gas volume was at the rate of 485,000 cubic feet per day.

## No Water Developed By Hockley Opener

No water was recovered when the tool was pulled on the Honolulu Oil Corporation and Signal Oil & Gas Company No. 1 M. D. Underwood, assured Canyon reef discovery in Southeast Hockley County.

On the 30 minute drillstem test in the Canyon at 9,288-9,310 feet, operators estimated a flow of between 70 and 150 barrels of oil per hour during the last five minutes of the test. Bottom hole flowing pressure was gauged at 3,150 pounds. (Continued On Page 14)

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## Angeloan Held For Bank Robbery

### Acheson Arrives In Paris



U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson, left, is greeted at the airport in Paris by Foreign Minister Robert Schuman of France. The two worked toward problems to be solved at the Big Three Foreign Ministers Conference, which begins on May 11.

## C. Of C. Directors Hear Telephone, Mail Reports

Chamber of Commerce directors, at their regular meeting Monday night in Hotel Scharbauer, heard reports and explanations concerning telephone and postal services and problems in ever-growing Midland.

The telephone situation here was reviewed in a letter from H. F. Fox, district manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, to Delbert Downing, C. of C. manager, who read the message to the directors.

Fox's letter pointed out the tremendous increase in local and long distance calls here during the last year and explained what the company is doing to keep pace with the rapid growth.

In his letter, Fox said the daily local calls in April, 1949, averaged 51,241, as compared with 59,934 in April, 1950, an increase of 8,693. Daily average long distance calls have increased from 1,918 a year ago to 2,346 now. The number of operators has been increased from 170 to 190, and the number of switchboards from 48 to 62, Fox reported.

More Toll Circuits  
Twelve additional toll circuits have been installed, bringing the total to 143. The number of telephones in service here in April, 1949, totaled 7,907, as compared to 8,818 last month, an increase of 1,211.

"Construction is underway on the new dial telephone building, the dial switches are being manufactured and are scheduled to arrive at the time the building is completed," Fox said. "The initial installation almost will double the number of customers now being served."

Postmaster Noel G. Oates explained the new postal regulations affecting the delivery of mail here, and told of the problems involved in the change-over. He said the new setup is termed "permanent" by Post Office Department officials. He expressed appreciation to citizens. (Continued On Page 14)

## Reds Again Walk Out Of UN Meet

BANGKOK —(P)—Russia Tuesday walked out of a regional United Nations meeting over the issue of seating Chinese delegates.

The Soviet stalked out when delegates refused to take up a Russian resolution calling for unseating the representative of Nationalist China and seating the Chinese Communist delegate.

The meeting was the first gathering of the Economic Conference for Asia and the Far East, a regional affair involving the industry and Trade Section.

It was the twenty-fourth and last of the major United Nations bodies from which the Soviet have walked out since they refused to participate because the Rino Red delegate was not seated.

## ★ LATE NEWS FLASHES ★

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The Senate Post Office Committee Tuesday approved 9-0 a resolution directing that Postmaster General Donaldson drop his economy cutbacks in the postal service.

TAIPEI, FORMOSA — (AP) — The Nationalist Chinese Air Force Tuesday reported it sank the better part of 2,800 Communist invasion craft in a blistering attack on three ports—Swatow, Amoy and Foochow—opposite Formosa.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — The House Ways and Means Committee Tuesday reversed itself and voted to cut cigar excise taxes by \$15,000,000 a year.

WASHINGTON — (AP) — President Truman Tuesday nominated Earl Dillam Johnson, New York investment counselor, to be assistant secretary of the Army succeeding Archibald S. Alexander, who has become undersecretary.

## Truman Vows To Push West Development

CASPER, WYO. —(P)—President Truman Tuesday pledged a fight to push development of the West over the opposition of "reactionary forces" which he linked to the "Teapot Dome" scandals which centered around an oil area north of here.

The 13-car presidential train pulled into Casper shortly after 8 a.m. and the chief executive quickly was surrounded by a crowd as he took a six-block stroll through the streets.

In his speech here, Truman blasted "privilege and greed" as the main obstacles to Western development and pointed to the new Kortes Dam, 60 miles south of here, as an example of government enterprise which will be a source of "wealth and strength for the people of the world."

The President scoffed at those who cry "socialism" and "regimentation" at such government efforts toward water and land resource development.

He was met at the station by two of his World War I companions, Gilbert Houseley, an auto dealer, and James F. Hook, state director of veterans' employment.

Picks Up Escort  
The President had gone no more than 100 yards from his car when he picked up a chattering, laughing escort of some 300 youngsters and oldsters. Secret Service men had to snoo away some of the bolder ones so the chuckling chief executive wouldn't tread on their heels.

This struck the same informal, folksy note that marked Monday's progress through Nebraska where he told an agriculture-minded audience at Lincoln that the controversial Brannan farm plan would help assure "peace and prosperity for ourselves and the world."

Throughout Monday, he continued to talk to large and apparently happy crowds in the same chatty, neighborly fashion that marked his successful vote appeal of 1948.

Truman was paced across Wyoming in his whistle stopping tour Friday by an agent of the Republican National Committee.

Victor A. Johnston, once a presidential campaign worker for former Gov. Harold E. Stassen of Minnesota, kept the Republicans abreast of the President's latest sayings. He dropped in on Truman's major meetings by chartered plane.

The President invited the Republican agent to buy a ticket and get aboard his 13-car train. Johnston didn't accept.

## Committee Shelves Housing, Hospital Plans For Military

WASHINGTON —(P)—The House Armed Services Committee Tuesday shelved a plan to let the government build \$97,643,000 worth of homes for families of servicemen in this country.

The committee struck the provision from a multi-million dollar military public works bill on the recommendation of Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.). He said the job of building homes for military families should be turned over to private firms operating under the Wherry Act.

That act gives government aid to contractors putting up houses intended for military tenants.

In addition, the committee knocked out about \$1,072,000 authorized for expansion and improvements at several military hospitals which Secretary of Defense Johnson has ordered closed.

## Acheson, Bevin Begin Parleys On Cold War Strategy

LONDON —(P)—U. S. Secretary of State Dean Acheson and British Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin met Tuesday to discuss ways of winning the cold war.

Acheson came by plane from Paris, where he talked Monday with French Foreign Minister Robert Schuman and agreed that the United States would give military and economic aid to keep warring Indo-China out of the Communist column.

Acheson and Schuman also were reported in agreement on giving more political and economic freedom to Western Germany by easing the occupation law under which the Big Three control their German ex-enemies.

One of the problems of the U. S. and British ministers were to examine was similar to that of Indo-China—the Communist uprising against Britain in Malaya, sources of much of the world's rubber and tin.

See latest models Smith-Corona Office and Portable Typewriters. Baker Office Equipment Co., Phone 2834, 511 West Texas.—(Adv.)

### Morning Walk



President Truman, off on his "whistle stop" tour of the West, pauses briefly in Chicago to take his morning walk.

## Monahans C. Of C. Strikes At Winkler Highway Designation

MONAHANS — The Monahans Chamber of Commerce Monday struck at a recent State Highway Commission resolution which announced the commission's intention to designate a highway from Kermit, in Winkler County, west to Orla on the Pecos-Carlsbad highway, and eventually to the Carlsbad-El Paso highway at a point in Culberson County.

The opposition came in the form of a resolution passed by the Chamber of Commerce directors at a special meeting. Joining with the Chamber of Commerce was the Ward County Commissioners Court which authorized a resolution of protest.

The Monahans Chamber resolution questioned whether the costs of such a highway "through the most sparsely settled area in the state of Texas" would be validated by the service it would provide.

It pointed out also that another east-west highway already lies only 23 to 24 miles south of the proposed highway and asserted that "an unusually negligible percentage of the West Texas population would be benefited by the proposed highway as opposed to the far more heavily populated cities and towns along U. S. Highway 80."

Divert Travel  
If actually designated, the highway would divert travel from U. S. 80 between Odessa and El Paso, it was said.

In a letter Saturday to D. C. Greer, state highway engineer, Bill Lee, Monahans Chamber of Commerce manager, stated: "From Kermit directly west to U. S. Highway 180, we doubt very much if census enumerators could find many more than 300 people within 25 miles north or south of this imaginary line which the proposed highway would follow."

The letter also stated: "If this is to be the policy of the State Highway Commission then the chances are that highway facilities in the state of Texas should be double what they are now, entailing greater and greater expenditure of public funds to serve very little isolated spot in the state."

Other Protests  
Pecos Chamber of Commerce Manager Alton Hughes and Reeves County Judge Richard Slack already have voiced their protests. Similar action is expected from Kent, Van Horn, Sierra Blanca, McNary, Fort Hancock and Big Spring and Midland.

## Cool Front Holds Promise Of Showers

By The Associated Press  
Clouds covered most of Texas Tuesday, and a cool front moving southward promised scattered thundershowers.

Winds stirred up dust in parts of the Panhandle and South Plains Monday night. Thundershowers were reported in West Texas around Big Spring and Midland.

## Wemple Answers Critics Of Kermit-Orla Highway

Fred Wemple of Midland, chairman of the State Highway Commission, Tuesday answered critics leveled at the commission by representatives of several cities west of Odessa on U. S. Highway 80 concerning its proposed extension of a highway west from Kermit across Winkler and Loving Counties to connect with U. S. 285 at Orla in Reeves County. The road would serve Mentone, county seat of Loving.

Wemple's opinions are stated in a letter addressed to Bill Lee, manager of the Monahans Chamber of Commerce, who Saturday had telegraphed the commission concern-

## Officer Says Part Of Loot Is Recovered

SAN ANGELO —(P)—John Irvin Barfield, 21-year-old San Angelo contractor, was seized Tuesday as a suspect in last week's holdup of the City National Bank Mineral Wells.

Five federal, state and city officers made the arrest as he slept at the home of his stepfather, J. S. Wilken. A federal complaint charging bank robbery had been filed against Barfield at Fort Worth several hours earlier.

Texas Ranger Ralph Hartsch, one of the arresting officers, said \$1,189 of \$1,540 taken from the bank was recovered from a sofa in home.

Rohatsch said Barfield was described as wearing a blue cap, having a bank teller's badge, and a pistol concealed in a glove. Barfield reported the weapon was a pistol, hidden by a baseball cap, that he had burned a yellow cap.

Buy's, Moves Houses  
Barfield waived hearing before Deputy U. S. Commissioner Couch, who set bond at \$10,000 returnable at Fort Worth. He was taken to Abilene and placed in the custody of the district attorney.

Other arresting officers include Frank Grandbury, Mineral Wells chief of police; San Angelo's O. A. Smith, and Clar Farara, investigator for the district attorney.

Barfield has engaged in business and buying, moving, remodeling houses.

The Mineral Wells bank was bed during the noon hour Thursday by a youth wearing gloves and a bright colored cap. He presented a note to Lora Corrigan, a teller, informing her he had a gun concealed in one of his gloves. He fled.

Miss Corrigan was dealing out money to him, leaving some bills in the counter.

Traced Through Automobile  
In Dallas, H. O. Hawkins, agent in charge, said five agents worked on the case. He declined to name the agent who helped in the arrest.

Barfield was traced through automobile which stood in a Mineral Wells street during the robbery. The car, a 1949 green (Chevrolet) sedan, was found in Abilene Monday. Two Mineral Wells men, Sam Whitley and Ernest Marx, went to Abilene and identified the automobile as taken to Abilene garage for repair of a broken motor.

A federal complaint of bank robbery was filed against Barfield at Fort Worth at 1 a.m. Tuesday, before U. S. Commissioner Robert Minlan.

## Mrs. Klapproth Injured In Fall

Mrs. Anna Klapproth, 87, 402 South Main Street, is in serious condition at Western Clinic Hospital Tuesday as the result of a fall at her home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Klapproth, a pioneer West Texan, suffered a broken hip and a fractured skull. After X-rays were taken, doctors reported the hip bone apparently gave way as she rose from the lunch table, and the shoulder was broken when she fell.

She is the mother of Charles L. Klapproth and Theresa Klapproth, a teacher at Midland High School, and has been a Midland resident since 1891.

## Cattle Posts Bond In Wrist Slashing Incident At Crane

CRANE — L. E. Cottle was released from a hospital here Monday and waived a hearing in justice court on a charge of assault with intent to murder in connection with the slaying May 2 of his 16-year-old paralytic son with their wrists slashed.

Cottle posted \$1,000 bond and is scheduled to appear before a grand jury here July 1.

The son still is in a Crane hospital but will recover.

## Trace Of Rain Here, More At Terminal

Just a trace of rain fell in Midland Monday afternoon but a little more than that was reported elsewhere Monday of the county.

The CAA office at Midland Terminal recorded .07 inch.

Precipitation still was a possibility Tuesday, according to weather men. They allowed the night to be a few thundershowers.

### WEATHER

Partly cloudy with a few thin showers in the Pecos Valley Saturday. Tuesday night and Monday, maximum temperature 90 degrees. Minimum Monday 66 degrees.



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in the House. NBC  
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for radio and TV appearances.

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be known as an actress than  
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bobbing.

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and please the personality."  
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ere next week ... Looks like  
everyone is wrong about the Alice  
Faye-Phil Harris domestic prob-  
lems. Alice will trot along with him  
for his Palladium stint with Jack  
Benny this Summer. Then both  
will sweat some golf balls on a va-  
ca-tion in Scotland.

Evelyn Keyes' explanation of  
why she's using only about two  
cents worth of makeup for her role  
in "Cost of Living":  
"At Columbia they smeared lay-  
ers of stuff on me. I felt like my  
face was in a vise. The guck made  
me look like a phony doll."  
Evelyn says she's going to let  
the month of June pass right by  
without getting any hankering to  
be a bride. "I'm too busy for ro-  
mance—I think," she said.

Shades of Ray Milland: In  
"Harvey," Jimmy Stewart hides  
his bottle behind a large volume  
on the shelf of his library. The  
book is titled: "The Bourbon  
Dynasty."  
Out From Under  
There's a big toupee-in-the-ash-  
can movement in Hollywood since  
bald-pated Dean Jagger walked  
off with an Oscar. Another char-  
acter actor, Fred Clark, has been  
fighting the battle of the hair-  
piece with Hollywood producers for  
too long.

"It makes sense," says Fred.  
"Look at Dean. He wore a toupee  
for 20 years. Then he took it off  
and won an Oscar."  
Cathy Downs, who hasn't ev-  
er thought about laying in a sup-  
ply of padding, is embarrassed  
about those story rumors. "It isn't  
true," she says. "What's more I'm  
scared that I'll lose the part. You  
know how producers are when  
they think an actress is—well, you  
know."

Hospital Building Plan To Be Mapped

AUSTIN — A long-range \$5-  
000,000-a-year hospital building plan  
has been ordered for the next meet-  
ing of the State Board for Hospitals  
and Special Schools.  
Board Executive Director Moynie  
Kelly was instructed at a board  
meeting Monday to have his staff  
prepare the plans.  
Other board action included au-  
thority for closing part of the Con-  
federate Woman's Home in Austin  
and dismissing unnecessary person-  
nel, and construction of eight  
brick cottages for doctors at tuber-  
culosis institutions at Big Spring and  
near San Angelo.

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Children 30c

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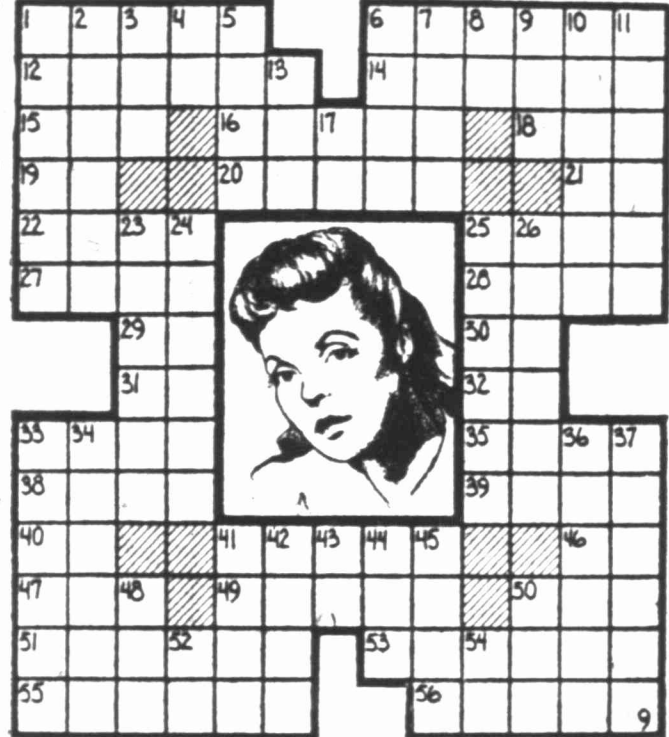
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15 Indian river	4 French article	17 Old Ireland (ab.)
16 Disconnected	5 Vain	23 Cultivator
18 Inflicted	6 Ultimo	24 Represents
19 Chief priest of a Babylonian shrine	7 Lover of Aphrodite	25 Warning signals
20 Curials	8 Long meter (ab.)	26 Host
21 Roman numeral	9 Rabid	33 Princes
22 Replete	10 Ordinances	34 Myrtle green
25 Pismires	11 Garden plant	36 Headdress
27 Apprehension	13 Scottish rock	37 Epic genre
28 Scourge	14 Dove	41 Glume
29 Son of Nut	15 Old Ireland (ab.)	42 British crown colony
30 Diminutive suffix	16 French island	43 Grade of oil
31 Master of Surgery (ab.)	17 Grad of oil	44 Building extensions
32 Oriental measure	18 Warning signals	48 April (ab.)
33 Sustain	19 Rabid	50 Narrow inlet
35 Bench plane handle	20 Ordinances	52 Hebrew letter
38 Alchemical iron	21 Garden plant	54 Near
39 Shred	22 Dissembling	
40 North Syrian deity	23 Cultivator	
41 Describe grammatically	24 Represents	
46 Artificial language	25 Warning signals	
47 Japanese outcast	26 Host	
49 Utopian	33 Princes	
50 Small bunch of hay	34 Myrtle green	
51 Slight cut	36 Headdress	



Week Ended May 6 Sets Crude Oil Mark

TULSA — (AP) — The week ended May 6 was a 1950 record-breaker for United States crude oil production, with the national total and several states hitting new daily average peaks for the year. The Oil and Gas Journal reported Tuesday.

Total average production reached 5,002,900 barrels, the first time this year it had exceeded 5,000,000. And this, the Journal said, was a 59,875-barrel increase over the previous week's average.

Areas which reported 1950 highs were Texas, up 87,650 barrels to 2,070,500, Wyoming up 4,000 to 164,100, Utah 350 to 3,380 and the eastern fields 1,200 to 61,500.

Michigan rose 1,200 barrels to 45,600, a high previously established the week ended January 7 and reached twice since then.

Other gains were in Louisiana, up 6,125 barrels to 519,575, Arkansas 300 to 80,600, Colorado 50 to 58,950, Florida 75 to 1,050, Indiana 900 to 29,400, Kentucky 200 to 26,500, Montana 100 to 24,600, and New Mexico, 275 to 128,075.

The Mid-Continent area recorded the largest losses, with Oklahoma down 19,550 barrels to 404,200 and Kansas off 15,750 to 257,150.

Illinois dropped 2,700 barrels to 176,500, Mississippi fell 3,450 to 93,900, and California lost 1,200 to 856,400.

Production was unchanged in Alabama, 1,450 barrels, and Nebraska 1,500.

Population of the USSR was increasing at a rate of more than a million a year in the decade before 1939.

Ohmigosh, That Full-Blown Roar Of The Tampered Muffler Is Back With Us Again

BALTIMORE — (AP) — Another trademark of the twenties, along with the Charleston and the uke, is doing a Rip Van Winkle. The full-throated roar of a tampered muffler is back again.

The general name for this fugitive from a sound laboratory is the Hollywood muffler. That's because the revival started around the West Coast colony.

The craze gradually moved east, picking up momentum as it went, until it reached the eastern seaboard in recognizable form a month ago.

Somewhere along the line the business world caught the scent and is turning it into a major item in the accessories line.

The Hollywood muffler makes the average automobile sound like a souped-up racer. According to one manufacturer, "It's here, it's different, it's dynamite."

You can agree with the last without the slightest hesitation.

The conventional muffler is a pipe poked with holes surrounded by absorbent material and encased in a larger pipe.

The Hollywood variant just skips some of the packing, explained one dealer, to get that power-purge sound.

A Maryland law—similar to those of most states—prohibits the use of "a muffler cutoff, bypass or similar device upon a motor vehicle."

But a dealer quickly pointed out that a Hollywood muffler is a true muffler, so the law shouldn't apply.

The general manager of the Automobile Club of Maryland, Leonard E. Kolmer, had this to say about the newest retreat to the twenties: "Oh, no!"

He settled back, reflected for a moment, then laughed: "You know, I had a cutout on the first car I ever owned. That was in 1916, the first Dodge roadster ever sold in Frederick County."

Another grin, and— "Between you and me, it sounded pretty snappy."

Scout Jamboree Fees Lagging

Payments of registration fees for the National Scout Jamboree are lagging. P. V. Thorsen, Scout executive, said Tuesday, and approximately 40 Scouts of the 17-county area may be left out of the trip unless fees are paid soon.

Original plans for the council called for three 33-Scout troops, but widespread interest caused formation of a fourth troop to attend the national celebration June 30 to July 6 at Valley Forge State Park, Pa., Thorsen said.

Scouts were required to deposit only \$10 when names were submitted. Now, an additional \$30 of the \$170 total cost is required to be paid into National Headquarters.

So far, only 98 Scouts and 13 leaders have paid the required \$40, Thorsen said. He has issued a bulletin to Scouts and leaders setting a May 27 deadline for payment of the remaining fee.

Of the Jamboree trippers paid up to date, Midland's El Centro District has the highest number of qualified Scouts, with 28 paid so far, Thorsen's bulletin showed.

Thorsen also announces a training course for Jamboree Leaders, to be held May 20 and 21 at the Big Spring Round-Up grounds. The two-day course is being held to acquaint leaders with the program and plans for the Jamboree, which is expected to attract more than 40,000 Scouts from all over the country.

**Shake-Down Camp**  
Before departing for the national jamboree, a shake-down camp is to be held June 16, 17 and 18 at the Big Spring grounds, with all Scouts and leaders required to attend.

Departure for the Jamboree is set tentatively for June 25, via special train. A visit to Washington, D. C., and New York City is planned for the trippers before going on to Philadelphia and the camp. Return to the Permian Basin is slated July 10.

Midland Scouts and leaders already signed up to attend are: James Warren, Les Sneed, Edwin Paterson, Steve Thorsen, Bill Aldrich, Tommie Vannaman, Joe Turner, Buzz Bray, Harry Hinkle, Charles Shepherd, Bob Pine, Jr., Jerry McDonald, George Friday, Farrar Hedges, Truman Bishop, Donald Webb, Ronald Allison, Gene Hunter, Laie Wheeler, Stanley Putnam, James Upham and Don Greer.

Leaders will be Clyde Johnson, W. R. Upham, J. M. McDonald and Bob Goff.

One negro Scout, Roosevelt Campbell, is signed up for the trip, and will accompany a negro troop made up from the Texas area.

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A Little Blarney Helps A Lot In Keeping A Woman Happy

By RUTH MILLETT  
NEA Staff Writer



Husbands could learn a great deal about women if they could read the mail that comes to me.

For instance, in today's mail there is a letter from a woman who wouldn't be blamed for complaining that her life is hard. She has six children and the family has always had so little money that she says only during the war years have they ever really had plenty to eat.

Her house isn't partitioned into rooms because that "luxury" has to wait until the loan which made the bare structure possible is paid off.

Yet this woman sounds happy. And the reason for her happiness, I'm sure, is explained in these few words: "My husband has kept me filled full of hope and blarney for 20 years and helped me develop a sense of humor—and boy, oh boy, do I need it at times."

Then I have a letter from another woman reader. This woman doesn't have the money problems, nor all the work, since she has just the one child, yet she isn't happy at all. Why? Because her husband criticizes the way she does her work, points out her shortcomings,

and never offers any praise or encouragement.

"I get so discouraged," she says, "that if it weren't for the baby I think I'd just walk out."

Comparing those two letters any husband ought to get an inkling of how important praise and appreciation are to a woman.

One woman takes hardship in her stride, simply because she has a man who values her happiness enough to keep her spirits high with hope and blarney, and by encouraging her to see the funny side of life.

The other can't even take pleasure in what she has because her husband is more interested in pointing out her faults than in praising her virtues.

Perhaps women shouldn't be so dependent on a man's appreciation and understanding for their happiness. But that's really beside the point. What husbands ought to know is that they are.

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Work Of Cemetery Beautification In Garden Clubs Ended

Completion of landscaping at the entrance to Fairview Cemetery marks the end of a project which the Midland Council of Garden Clubs has carried on for two years.

Mrs. J. E. Hill, general chairman, recently announced that the work had been finished.

Beautification of the cemetery was adopted as a major council project and a committee was set up to carry it out. Several conferences with county officials resulted in water being piped to the cemetery so that grass and shrubs could be irrigated.

Garden club members have raised funds by various benefit projects to finance the beautification. Shrubs have been planted on either side of the drive at the entrance and a lawn has been started.

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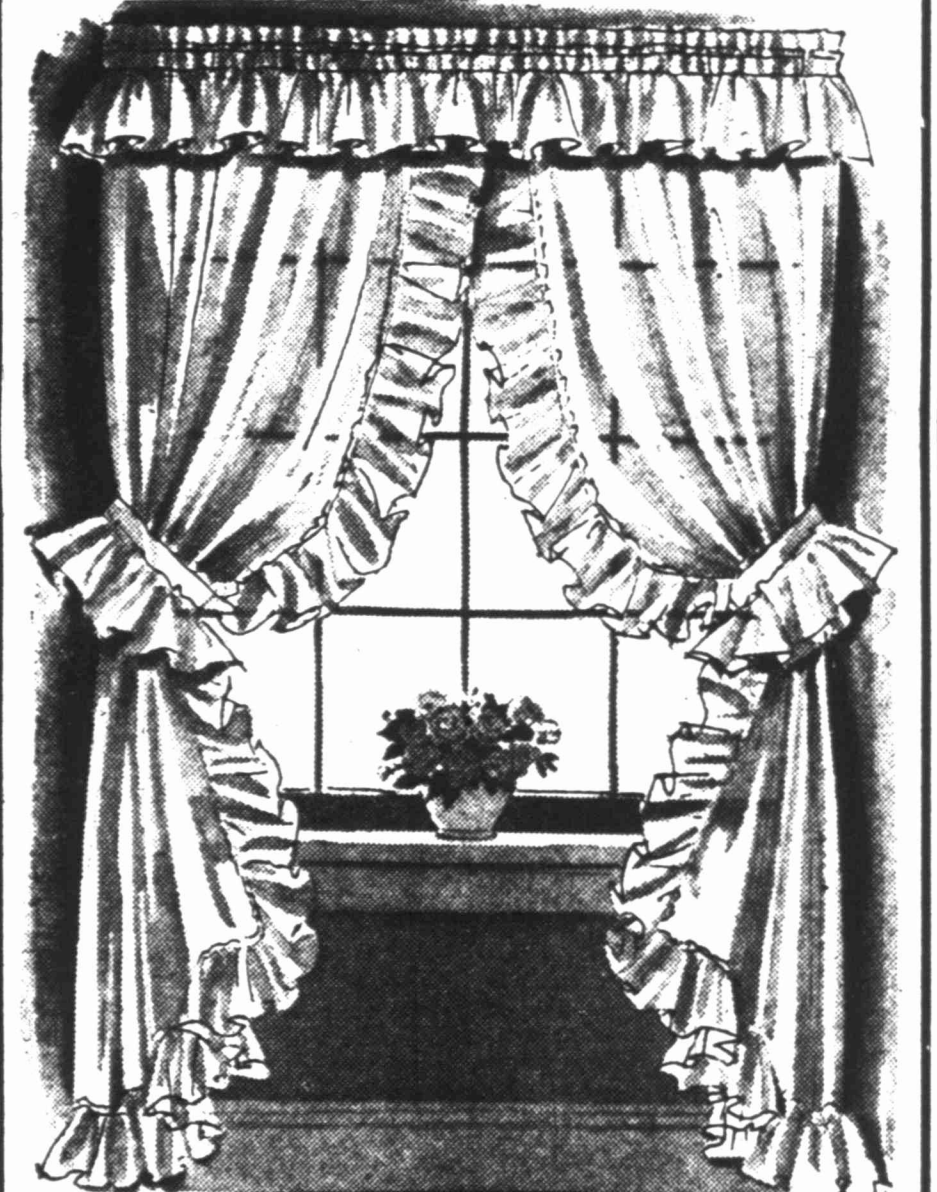
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Coming Events

**WEDNESDAY**  
Iota Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 8 p.m. with Mrs. Ernest Nance, 1800 West Michigan Street. Pledge training will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Fine Arts Club will meet at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. Harry Miller, 1501 West Holladay Street.

Progressive Study Club will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. J. W. Hunt, 2406 West Brunson Street.

Garden Addition Home Demonstration Club will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Pearl Cardwell, Rankin Highway.

Trinity Episcopal Holy Communion will be held at 10 a.m., choir practice at 7:30 p.m. and adult confirmation classes at the same hour.

First Methodist choir rehearsal will be held at 8 p.m. after the Family Night supper beginning at 7 p.m.

First Baptist choir practice will be held at 6:30 p.m. and the teachers' and officers' meeting at 7:30 p.m. The GA Coronation and a prayer service will begin at 8:15 p.m.

Contemporary Literature Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 9:45 a.m. with Mrs. W. H. Carter, 403 South J Street.

Do-Si-Do Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m. in the American Legion Hall.

Creative Writing Group of the American Association of University Women will meet at 8 p.m. with Mrs. John S. Powell, 3100 West Ohio Street.

**THURSDAY**  
First Baptist Men's Prayer Meeting will begin at 7 a.m., and the Women's Prayer Meeting at 10 a.m.

Junior Choir Practice of the Trinity Episcopal Church will be held at 7 p.m.

Children's Service League members will meet at 8 p.m. in the home of Mrs. T. S. Jones for an orientation course.

St. Ann's Mother's Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. Joe Canon, 202 Ridgela Drive.

Band Aides Club will meet at 7 p.m. in the high school band hall to elect officers and plan the band banquet.

Yucca Garden Club will meet at 9:30 a.m. with Mrs. J. A. Koegler, 1705 West Wall Street.

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

DYT Club will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Glenn Shoemaker, 1401 West Tennessee Street.

Pyraeantha Garden Club will have a pilgrimage and installation of officers beginning at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Mrs. H. W. Mathews, 936 North Baird Street.

La Merienda Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. in the Ranch House with Mrs. R. W. Snyder and Mrs. F. A. Nelson as hostesses.

Tejas Garden Club will have a luncheon at noon in the home of Mrs. Frank Johnson, 911 West Missouri Street. A pilgrimage will follow the luncheon.

Palette Club Studio will be open all day for members wishing to paint. A pot luck luncheon will be served at noon.

Girl Scout Court of Awards will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Little House.

Game party for the Order of the Eagles will be held at 8 p.m. in the Eagles Hall.

Open meeting of the Altrusa Club will be held at 8 p.m. in the county courtroom of the Midland County Courthouse.

Deacons of the First Presbyterian Church will meet at 5:15 p.m. in the church parlor. The Presbyterian Men will meet for dinner at 6:30 p.m. in the Fellowship Hall.

**FRIDAY**  
Ladies Golf Association will meet for luncheon at 1 p.m. in the Midland Country Club with Mrs. A. C. Cleverger and Mrs. James Martin as hostesses. Members are asked to make reservations early in the week.

School of Instruction for officers of the Parent-Teacher Associations will begin at 1:30 p.m. in the high school.

Executive Board of the Midland Service League will meet at 9:30 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Lynn Durham, 1707 West Holloway Street.

Aithean Class of the First Baptist Church will hold a social at 10 a.m. in the home of Mrs. Harlan Howell, Andrews Highway.

**SATURDAY**  
Momen Musical Junior Music Club will meet at 11 a.m. in the Watson Studio.

Children's Story Hours will be held at 10:30 a.m. in the Midland County Library and its Terminal and Dunbar branches.

League of Women Voters will meet at 1 p.m. for luncheon in Hotel Scharbauer.

**Perennial Club Will Postpone Meeting**  
The meeting of the Perennial Garden Club scheduled for 8 p.m. Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Russell Holster, 2007 West College Street, has been postponed until May 16 because of the illness of a large group of members. Mrs. Holster will be hostess for the May 16 meeting, when officers will be elected. Mrs. J. T. Klingler will bring the flower arrangement and Mrs. Neta Stovall will discuss "Arrangements."

Garden Clubs Ending Year In May Meeting

Garden clubs of Midland are giving special programs this month, closing a year of work before Summer vacations. Meetings of three groups are scheduled this week and three more next week.

Officers for 1950-51 will be elected and installed in the Perennial Garden Club on May 16, when members will meet in the home of Mrs. Russell Holster, Mrs. J. W. Christian has served as president for the current season, which ends with the meeting.

Three clubs will meet Thursday, the Pyraeantha Club in a change of schedule, the Tejas Club for a luncheon and the Yucca Club for a morning meeting and a garden pilgrimage.

Mrs. H. W. Mathews will be hostess of the Pyraeantha Club at 9:30 a.m. After new officers headed by Mrs. Willard Bumpass are installed, members will make a garden pilgrimage to end their year.

The Yucca Garden Club will meet at the same hour in the home of Mrs. Joe Koegler and make a pilgrimage. This club has another meeting scheduled later in the month.

A covered-lunch luncheon in the home of Mrs. Frank Johnson will entertain the Tejas Club at noon. Officers, with Mrs. W. D. Lane as president to succeed Mrs. John L. Smith, will be installed and a garden pilgrimage will be made.

The Midland and Seneca Clubs each have another meeting scheduled. Their officers for the next year have already been installed. Mrs. Richard Hinkle is the new president of the Seneca Club and Mrs. C. F. Henderson of the Midland Club.

Add finely grated onion, finely diced green pepper and pimiento to creamed spinach for a delicious flavor. Serve in nests of well-seasoned, creamy mashed potatoes.

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Calvary WMU Has Study In Circles

Circles of the Calvary Baptist Women's Missionary Union met in the homes of members for study Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Wilma Jordan was hostess to the Katie and Alvin Heston Circle. Mrs. Ulysses Barber led the study of the mission book, "How To Win To Christ."

Members present included Mrs. Flora Hardin, Mrs. Luther Martin, Mrs. R. L. McFadden, Mrs. J. D. Robbins and Mrs. W. G. Flournoy.

Mrs. J. C. Crowe taught the Bible study for the Gene Newton Circle in the home of Mrs. A. E. Bowman.

Members present included Mrs. B. J. Mason, Mrs. J. T. Meeks, Mrs. George Griffin, Mrs. Glenn Stewart, Mrs. L. P. Mitchell and Mrs. C. E. Bishop.

Sunbeams Make Gifts For Mother's Day

Gifts for their mothers were made by members of the First Baptist Sunbeam Bands at meetings in the church Monday afternoon, when stories were told by the leaders.

Mrs. William Woods directed the work of the older group and told the story, "The Magic Whiskers," while Mrs. Ray Herrington assisted the younger children and told them a story, "Braille Dots and Eager Fingers."

Present were Deanie Soper, Sammy Spier, Barry Wright, Lorraine Kerley, Joe Mac Kerley, Jr., Celia Craft, Elizabeth Richardson, Vicki Dill, Douglas Fuller, Roberta Sue Taylor, Bob Howard, Judy Jones, Edwin and James Thacker, Gretchen Scharbauer, Evelyn Dorman, Ann Wright and Danny McCain.

Social Group Adds Members

"Promenade Red Hot," a new square dance set, was taught members of St. Ann's Social Group who met Monday night in the American Legion Hall.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brodigan, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Callahan, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Chase, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gelsler, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kent, Mr. and Mrs. Lamar Lunt, Jim Prince, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wolcott.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Waldschmidt, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McVay, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Tom, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cherry, Steve Clark, Mr. and Mrs. John Fletcher, Rosemary Tunnell and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Zant.

Texas Art Colony Planned For Summer

CRANE—Mrs. Nell Looney of Kermit, Mrs. E. Lee of Big Spring and Mrs. Lela Wilson of Crane will assist Mrs. Callie Baze of Monahans in the Texas Art Colony to be held in Rudoso, N. M., June 4-30.

One session of the school will be for teen-age girls and boys, with housemothers supervising the groups.

Instruction in work with oils, pastels and watercolors will be given and there will be classes in ceramics also.

Business Women's Group Has Dinner

The Non-Denominational Business Women met Monday night in the Hotel Scharbauer Blue Room for a dinner meeting.

The Rev. Clyde Lindsay brought the devotional message. Mrs. Rudolph Vosatko discussed the origin and use of silver. Mrs. Lindsay and Mrs. J. Hollis Roberts were guests. Membership cards were signed by members.

Members present included Myra Pruitt, Maybelle Graves, Glenda Ruth Carden, Bess Glibbreath, Charlice Gibson, Jenny Lee Guthrie, Dolly Miller, Wanda Creech, Evelyn Malesar, Sylvia Harrell, Maxine Pitzer, Ernie Turner, Thelma Swift and Mrs. J. L. Bush.

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Roll into long rolls and wrap in waxed paper. Store in refrigerator for several hours or overnight before baking. Cut into 1/4 inch slices and bake in a 425-degree oven for 12 minutes. Makes about 6 dozen cookies.

DINNER WILL END CRANE CLUB YEAR

CRANE—A dinner Monday will close the season for the Crane Study Club. The program will include installation of officers, with Mrs. Searcy Crandall of Rankin conducting the installation. Members are asked to make reservations this week.

Gloria Looney Is Presented In Recital

CRANE—Gloria Looney presented in a piano recital Sunday the home of her parents, Mrs. K. P. Looney. She is a pupil of Mrs. A. E. Gallaway. The recital was an observance of the 50th anniversary of National Music Week.

A reception was held for the recital. Spring flowers rated the entertaining rooms. Looney was assisted in the recital by Mrs. J. D. Lusk, W. D. Tillman and Mrs. J. C. Clark.

Guests present included Jean Caudle, Mildred Caudle and Mrs. W. D. Tillman. Mrs. W. D. Tillman, Mrs. R. F. Williams, Mrs. Tompkins, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Kins, Mrs. A. R. Watkins, Russell Kins, Mrs. W. B. Gunn, Mrs. McLeod, Marylyn McLeod, Susie Davis, Sarah W. Allen, Mrs. E. D. Richman, Burt Barnett, Dorothy Van Virginia Swift, Mr. and Mrs. Mark and Sandra, Mrs. A. E. Laway and Mrs. Lee Kidd.

Holden Conducting Grandfalls Revival

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### S. Security Policy

A magazine editor addressing the American Society newspaper Editors contends the Atomic Energy Com-

mission is pursuing a policy of secrecy that amounts to a curbing of the press and is retarding vital scientific

progress. Almost at the same time a Washington diplomatic respondent calls attention to the conflict between govern-

ment officials and reporters over what information about foreign affairs properly should be made public.

Examine first the government's view of the problem. Atomic energy or anywhere else that touches military security, it is concerned legitimately over security.

In foreign relations, the belief is that our officials have the right of private discussion and negotiation among themselves and with other governments; pub-

lic knowledge of the deliberations can handicap them seriously. There also is an attitude in the State Department and

quarters that the press too frequently is irresponsible in seeking secret information, that it is more interested in being in print with any story than in being right and wisely

cautious with the real story. From the reporter's side the notion is growing that the press is exaggerating its need for privacy. He sees the dangers in the trend:

An agency of government which is walled off from public gaze and from possible controversy does not get the necessary guidance of public opinion. It moves and operates in isolation, badly out of contact with the people it is

supposed to serve. Many questions which actually are issues of basic public policy are being decided by officials in the secret

of negotiations, with Congress and the public completely shut out either to accept an accomplished fact or to reject it on the basis of inadequate information.

Such issues definitely belong in the public arena. Any official who tries to keep them out of it is depriving the people of their rightful role in a democracy. The time to make a fundamental shift in national policy is before it is made.

The security problem admittedly is delicate in an age when military and scientific progress so often are closely intertwined. There's no doubt science is suffering from limitations of secrecy; the free interchange of ideas is

interrupted. To some extent, of course, this can't be helped. But key defense men probably have been too gingerly in their handling of such information. A more liberal attitude toward its release to the public likely wouldn't damage our cause greatly. Some men in Congress and the government itself agree with the press on this.

One thing the press can do on its own. It can show a more grown-up approach to the getting of today's most important news. The issues are too important to be made the object of schoolboyish competition among reporters to see who'll be first. That's all right for fires and trials, but it doesn't fit a time when world conflagrations can spread from the spreading of inaccurate and incomplete information.

### Think Twice, Boys

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Enginemen and Firemen has called a strike among several western and mid-

western railroads and on divisions of certain eastern lines. Union wants an extra fireman on diesel locomotives.

Both the National Railway Mediation Board and a special presidential fact-finding board have rejected the union's demand as unwise and unnecessary. It clearly fits a familiar tendency among the railroad brotherhoods toward "feather-bedding"—loading the lines with unneeded personnel.

In flouting the findings of two boards, the union is behaving short-sightedly from its own and the railroads' standpoint. The public is not likely to take kindly to men on maneuvers devoted to a goal apparently so completely without merit. Nor would the hard-pressed railroads be better able to compete with planes and trucks if they had to bear the added burden.

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### Is That YOUR Hat, Harold?



### DREW PEARSON ON THE WASHINGTON MERRY-GO-ROUND

Drew Pearson says: British witnessed shooting down of ill-fated Navy plane; Russians intended to put U. S. on the spot through note of protest; Virginia's Representative Smith doesn't like cookbooks.

WASHINGTON—It now is possible to give the complete facts in the Russian attack on the American Navy plane over the Baltic—an incident which literally made the capitals of Europe hold their breath.

Most of the facts now are known to the Russians, so the American public should be entitled to know what the Russians know. In fact, the Russians knew of the plane's departure and the nature of its mission even before it left Port Lyautey in Morocco, North Africa.

The British radar observation showed the Russian fighters in hot pursuit. The plane was shot down almost immediately.

What happened from this point on can be told with almost complete accuracy, because the entire incident was witnessed by the British through a radar screen.

The four Russian fighters, obviously lying in wait for the Navy plane, ordered it to land. However, the American crew had strict orders not to let their highly classified electronics equipment get into foreign hands, so they put out to sea.

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### JACOBY ON BRIDGE

By OSWALD JACOBY Written for NEA Service "Other people are surprised when they fall into the soup," said Harold Luck Joe, "but I have learned by experience to expect nothing better. It's probably just as well. If I suddenly got a normal break it might be too much for my heart."

As usual, Joe was quite wrong. It was a good thing he didn't bet. He could have rubbed the hand by means of a very unusual play. The play had been very simple. West opened the king of hearts, and Joe took with the ace. He looked sourly at East, who had signaled by playing the nine of hearts.

Joe next cashed the ace of diamonds and the ace of spades. Then he led a low heart. West won with the jack of hearts, and East completed his high-low by dropping the three.

Obediently following his partner's signal, West led another heart. Joe ruffed in dummy, but East overruffed—just as he had advertised. East then led the queen of clubs, and the defenders set the contract by taking two tricks in that suit.

"What was wrong with the way I played the hand?" demanded Joe. "I couldn't draw trumps without losing five tricks at the end. It's not my fault that the hearts were split 6-3. Don't tell me I could've made that hand!"

But that's just what I had to tell Joe. Do you see how he should have played the hand? If not, look it over a second time before you read on.

Joe played the hand properly up to the time that he put one of dummy's trumps on the third round of hearts. That play was doomed to lose. East had played high-low in hearts, thus asking his partner to lead the suit again. What else could he mean?

The proper play on the third heart was to discard one of dummy's losing clubs. Joe would lose that trick, to be sure, but then there would be only one losing club in dummy. He would lose one club, ruff a second club, and discard his last club on one of dummy's high diamonds. In all, he would lose only two hearts and one club, making his contract.

In short, the proper way was to transfer dummy's ruff from one suit to another—from a suit that could be over-ruffed to a suit that couldn't be.

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### PETER EDSON'S Washington News Notebook

### Congress Up At Plate In April Does Little To Boost Box Score

WASHINGTON—(NEA)—Congress kept its customary low batting average in April. It completed action on only 10 bills which the President signed and made into law.

Only two laws of any importance passed last month were the amendments to the National Housing Act and the awarding of medals to the nine Navy plane crew members killed when their patrol bomber was shot down by the Russians. That last law got through Congress in less than a week—showing what the lawmakers can do when they have a mind to.

City Poor Farmer Rep. George M. Grant of Alabama once introduced a bill to create a National Farmer's Day. Labor Day was observed as a national holiday, he reasoned, so why shouldn't there be a day to honor the farmer? When Senator George Aiken of Vermont heard about it, he remarked with Yankee dryness: "Maybe it would be a good idea. We could turn it into a day of prayer to protect the farmer from congressmen and other people who are always trying to give him something he doesn't want."

Right Book, Wrong Author National Association of Manufacturers "News" recently carried a review on a new book, "Peace by Investment," written by Benjamin A. Javits. NAM's review credited the book to the New York Republican congressman, "celebrated as a bold thinker who thinks big thoughts." Only trouble with this is that the congressman's name happens to be Jacob K. Javits.

Spring Meeting Of County Agents Begins Wednesday County agriculture and home demonstration agents from 21 West Texas counties are expected to attend a three-day meeting in Midland beginning Wednesday, designed to enlarge the scope of 4-H club work in this area.

Displaced Persons To Martin County STANTON—Soon to begin a new life in America, and specifically in Martin County are several displaced persons from Europe.

Two families are coming to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Billington. These displaced persons include: Jazep and Bronislava Krusts, farmers, and a three-year-old child; and Wasy and Maria Salamacha with their baby girl, Antonia. Salamacha is a veterinarian.

Questions and Answers Q—What is the total railroad mileage of the world? A—At the beginning of 1949, there were 73,878 miles of railroad in the world.

Q—Is there an estimate of the weight of Virginia's Natural Bridge? A—The bridge is estimated to weigh more than 36,000 tons. It is more than 40 feet thick, 215 feet high—some 55 feet higher than Niagara Falls—and averages over 80 feet wide.

Q—What has been the football record of Notre Dame teams to date? A—In 61 years of football, Notre Dame teams have won 388 games, lost 77 and tied 30.

Q—What are the three major divisions of history? A—The date used for the close of ancient history is usually 476 A.D. The date signifying the end of medieval and the beginning of modern history is not so clearly defined. Some historians consider the invention of printing in the 15th century to be the beginning of modern history, others use the early 18th century.

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### Distant Star BY HERMINA BLACK

THE STORY: Falling in love had been far from Clemency's... Now my dear mademoiselle, he said, "in pneumonia much—almost everything depends on the nursing. I can trust you to carry out my instructions."

"I blame myself," Clemency told him. "I ought to have insisted on your coming yesterday, but I thought she only had a bad feverish cold."

She hesitated, then compromised by telling him that while she was out of the nursery someone had left the window wide open, and Baba had a habit of kicking her bed clothes off.

He nodded. "She was hot, and then lay there in cold night air?" He frowned, but that was something which could not be undone, and he went on with instructions for the things which could be done. Then, telling her that she must not be on duty all the time and saying he would arrange with Mrs. Amberley about a night nurse, he went away.

Only Piers seemed to keep away from the nurseries. That, at least,

(To Be Continued)



### Christian Circles Meet For Study

Mrs. Charles Sherwood led the devotional period and discussed the study lesson from "The World Call" magazine at a meeting of the Rhinhart Circle of the Woman's Council of the First Christian Church Monday in the home of Mrs. J. Roy Jones.

Others attending were Mrs. J. R. Robinson, Mrs. H. G. Bedford, Mrs. B. H. Spaw, Mrs. Van Camp, Mrs. Ella Ragsdale, Mrs. W. S. Dunnam and Mrs. G. H. Butler.

Mrs. Bert Bliven was hostess to the Young Matrons Circle. Mrs. Paul McHargue was a guest. Mrs. Lamar Eschberger brought the devotional message.

Mrs. David Smith reviewed the article, "You Left the Heart Out." She emphasized that it takes more than fine furnishings and cleanliness to make a home.

Present were Mrs. E. N. Gideon, Mrs. Clyde McHam, Mrs. A. L. Gill, Mrs. Clarence Byrnes, Mrs. Wayne Moore and Mrs. E. D. Riddle.

### Dies Of Injuries In Auto Accident

OSONA — W. J. Mayfield, Jr., 24, Rankin, died Sunday night in an Ozona hospital of injuries received in a traffic mishap south of here Friday.

Mayfield was injured fatally when the car in which he was riding swerved to avoid hitting a deer and overturned.

L. H. Lewallen, McCamey, driver of the car, is recovering from severe neck injuries and cuts.

# SOCIETY

SUE COLEMAN, Editor

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### Guild Elects Officers And Other Circles Of Methodist WS Study Mission Lessons

Officers were elected for a new year in the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church, at a meeting in the church Monday night. Other circles of the First Methodist Woman's Society had regular afternoon or light meetings in homes of members.

Alberta McInnis was chosen president of the guild, and will take office May 22 succeeding Ruth Donnell. Pauline Kirk was elected vice president, Gustava Easley, treasurer, and Mrs. S. H. Gwyn, secretary.

Laura Self was in charge of the program, a study of the writings of Paul, and Mrs. Kirk was the devotional speaker. The next meeting will be conducted in the home of Mrs. J. B. McCoy on May 22, for the installation of officers.

Officers of the other circles and the general officers of the Woman's Society will be installed at the night church service on May 21, it was announced in the meetings.

The Kate Oates Circle had a night meeting in the home of Mrs. R. L. Noah Monday and started the study of the book, "Women of the Scriptures," Arthur Bruce Moss, Mrs. Norman Dawson was the les-

son leader; Mrs. O. B. Jackson was in charge of the devotional lesson and prayers were by Mrs. Paul Bowman and Mrs. Paul Hautman.

Others present were Mrs. Don Bradshaw, Mrs. Tom Cowan, Mrs. E. B. Dillard, Mrs. B. B. Seawright, Mrs. A. W. Augustin, Mrs. Phil C. Brock, Mrs. C. E. Cardwell, Jr., Mrs. P. K. Landliser, Mrs. C. P. Bundrant, Mrs. Reo Goodwin, Mrs. Hershel Carver, Mrs. George T. Brown, Mrs. L. A. Bohn, Mrs. Hugh Biss, Mrs. Paul Wecker, Mrs. Russell Lynn, Mrs. Dell Taylor and Mrs. Jane Patterson.

Circles which met in the afternoon had programs based on the book, "Japan Begins Again." Mrs. A. B. Stuckney was hostess to the Winnie Prothro Circle in her home.

Mrs. W. F. Prothro was leader of the lesson, "Japan in Reconstruction," with Mrs. W. B. Hunter, Mrs. W. F. Schafer, Mrs. R. D. Myers, Mrs. C. H. Shepard and Mrs. R. R. Russell assisting. Mrs. C. W. Post gave the opening prayer.

In the business session, members planned representation at a district meeting of Methodist women in Colorado City Tuesday. Others present were Mrs. Veima Smith, Mrs. N. G. Oates, Mrs. L. C. Stephenson, Mrs. J. L. Thorpe, Jr., and Mrs. Roland Grey.

Mrs. Stacy Allen and Mrs. Otis Ligon were hostesses to the Mary Scharbauer Circle in Mrs. Allen's home. Mrs. Howard Hollowell discussed the lesson and was assisted by Mrs. Bob Baker, Mrs. J. Stewart and Mrs. John Campbell.

The group voted to buy a missionary share and send a sum of money for work in Japan. It was reported that a basket of groceries has been given to a family in Midland.

Others attending were Mrs. C. W. Chancellor, Mrs. Tom Curtis, Mrs. Oliver Haag and Mrs. Lucy Manning.

Mrs. W. E. Chapman led the study for Laura Haygood members who met with Mrs. C. C. Watson, Mrs. E. A. Crisman, president of the Woman's Society, was a guest.

Other members present were Mrs. W. A. Black, Mrs. A. W. Stanley, Mrs. J. M. Prothro, Mrs. Minnie Crumley, Mrs. B. F. Hag, Mrs. John Ficke, Mrs. Fred Promhold, Mrs. E. P. Birkhead, Mrs. Howard Counts, Mrs. Sam Preston and Mrs. Ellis Conner.

### Mrs. Rabensburg Is Elected Epsilon Sigma Alpha President

Mrs. Zeke Rabensburg was elected 1950-51 president of Alpha Psi Chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority Monday night at a meeting in her home. She will succeed Anne Tolbert.

Other new officers are Sylvia Gearely, vice president; Mrs. Roger Sisson, recording secretary; Mrs. J. J. DeBarrie, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Gus A. Glenswinkel, treasurer.

The Evelyn Oppenheimer book review May 19, which the group

### Study Of New Book Started In Circles Of Baptist Society

The first lesson of "Whereunto Shall It Be Likened," a Bible study book dealing with parables, was studied by members of circles of the First Baptist Woman's Missionary Society who met Monday.

The Mary Martha Circle met with Mrs. Albert Clements and Mrs. John Dunagan led the study.

Others attending were Mrs. W. H. Mahan, Mrs. J. S. Griffith, Mrs. Helen Droppelman, Mrs. H. C. Jones, Mrs. B. G. Howard, Mrs. Fred L. Gunter, Mrs. L. O. Baggett, Mrs. J. C. Hudman, Mrs. Billie Gilbert, Mrs. George Phillips, Mrs. George Johnson, Mrs. H. M. Glass and Mrs. C. A. Travelstead.

Mrs. W. S. Helm led the study lesson for the Lockett Circle, meeting with Mrs. W. B. Johnston.

Other members present were Mrs. C. E. Pieper, Mrs. T. Soper, Mrs. W. E. Cowan, Mrs. Cecil Craft, Mrs. W. L. Richardson, Mrs. Paul Beaver, Mrs. C. Daugherty, Mrs. W. S. Dill and Mrs. John T. Speir.

Mrs. W. J. Hannaford was hostess to Lottie Moon members. Mrs. Charles Neuhardt led the study.

Mrs. W. H. Hall, Mrs. H. A. Palmer, Mrs. G. M. Newsom, Mrs. Joe Ramme, Mrs. Clifford Thomas and Mrs. C. F. Hunter also attended.

Annie Barron members met with Mrs. O. L. Bevil and Mrs. G. D. Fuller gave the Bible study.

Mrs. Arnold Scharbauer, Mrs. H. S. Collins and Alta Merrell also were present.

Mrs. B. C. Girdley discussed the lesson for members of the Rebekah Circle who met in the home of Mrs. John Alexander.

Others attending were Mrs. E. H. Thacker, Mrs. H. B. Spears, Mrs. Charles Mathews, Mrs. T. P. Drew, Mrs. R. E. Vick, Mrs. E. F. Conner, Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, Mrs. C. M. Dunagan and Mrs. O. R. Phillips.

### Chinese Reds To Release Two Airmen

TOKYO — (AP) — The Chinese Communists Tuesday broadcast they are releasing two American airmen from whom they extorted "spy confessions" after 18 months in prison.

The official Peiping radio said the two airmen, E. C. Bender and W. C. Smith, will be deported. It gave no details.

Marine M/Sgt. Elmer C. Bender, Cincinnati, and Navy Chief Electrician William C. Smith, Long Beach, Calif., were forced down Oct. 19, 1948, on a flight from Tsingtao, then a U. S. Naval base.

They have been held incommunicado. The Reds stiffly rejected all efforts to obtain their release.

The Communist radio broadcast this statement by Gen. Hsu Shih-Yuh, commander of the Shantung Military District:

"It was not until lately that Bender and Smith, influenced by our magnanimous policy toward prisoners, began to confess."

The State Department had made repeated efforts to obtain their release. The Reds, however, refused to disclose where the men were held and last October said they didn't even know where Smith and Bender were.

CITY COUNCIL WILL MEET TUESDAY NIGHT

Members of the City Council will meet in regular session at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the council chamber in the City Hall, officials announced.

### Actor's Son Loses Try To Break Will

LOS ANGELES — (AP) — William S. Hart, Jr., has lost his attempt to break the will of his late father, silent film Western star, who left most of his \$1,170,000 estate to Los Angeles County for a park.

A superior court jury upheld the document Monday night at the conclusion of a trial which began January 3. It rejected contentions of the actor's 27-year-old son that the elder Hart was of unsound mind and unduly influenced when he made his will, two years before his death in 1946 at the age of 83.

Although disinherited, young Hart was provided for in a \$100,000 trust fund, set up before he was born.

### Arizona Empire Builder Dies At 91

CHANDLER, ARIZ. — (AP) — Dr. A. J. Chandler, 91, resident of Arizona for 63 years and the founder of the city which bears his name, died Monday night.

Death came to one of the state's pioneer empire builders in his home beside the San Marcos Hotel here, which he built. He had been in ill health the last two years.

Funeral services are scheduled Wednesday in Phoenix.

### Republican



(NEA Tel) Ben Guill, Pampa business the newly elected congressman from Texas. Guill is a Republican, the first to serve in Congress from Texas since 1926. He will replace Eugene Worth, resigned to accept a judgeship.

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# DADDY RINGTAIL

By WESLEY DAVIS

## Daddy Ringtail Hurdy-Gurdy

Daddy Ringtail and Mugwump, the monkey, were sitting out on the porch. Daddy Ringtail's monkey was whispering to Daddy Ringtail. They were whispering to Daddy Ringtail where Daddy Ringtail was sitting in the swing. Daddy Ringtail really was almost asleep. "My Daddy has!" said Daddy Ringtail. "He hasn't either!" said Daddy Ringtail. Daddy Ringtail smiled to Daddy Ringtail. "No," said Daddy Ringtail. "I have never lived circus like Uncle Fuzz, and never lived at the zoo like Samkum."

unhappy, and almost a little ashamed. Sammy was sorry that Mugwump was listening with both his ears, and Mugwump's eyes were big and round. "Aha!" said Mugwump. "I told you so! I told you so, and I do tell you, Daddy Ringtail has never had exciting adventures with people." Sammy was very unhappy about it. I can tell you, and I do tell you, Daddy Ringtail never had had adventures away from the Great Forest. He said he was sorry. "Now, now," said Daddy Ringtail. "So you were really wanting to know if I have had exciting adventures away from the forest? Why, of course I have!" Daddy Ringtail began to tell about it. He said it had all happened when Daddy Ringtail was only a boy, long before he was a monkey daddy. Daddy Ringtail told the exciting story of the Summer he spent in the city, going around with the Hurdy-Gurdy man, singing and dancing to make people laugh. Mugwump listened with his mouth open, and so did Sammy. Why, they had forgotten to close their mouths, because of the very interesting story Daddy Ringtail told at his exciting adventure. Sammy looked at Mugwump as though to say: "Aha! I told you so, and what do you think of that?" Sammy was proud indeed of Daddy Ringtail, even as every boy should be proud of the someone he calls by the name of "Dad." Happy day! Happy always to every dad. (Copyright 1950, General Features Corp.)



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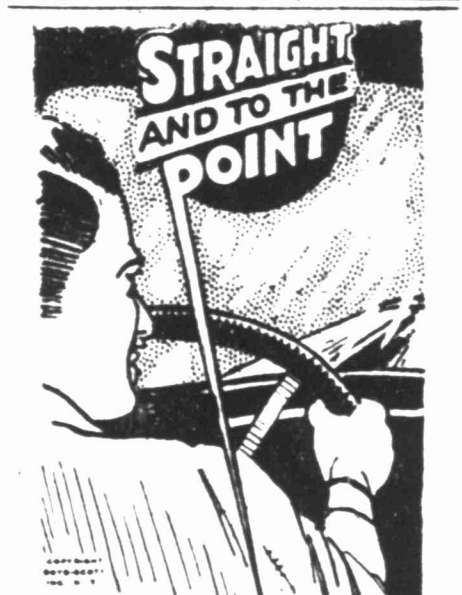


om, you've been voted the best cookie-maker on the street!"

## New De-Icer May Help Jet Airlines

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Jet airlines may have been brought a bit closer by a study made on the University of California campus here. A lighter, cheaper de-icing system can be used for planes if the heating is done intermittently, says Dr. Myron Tribus. The intermittent heaters make use of heat released when ice is formed, he said. De-icing problems have been one of the factors holding up the switch to jet commercial airliners, Tribus said.

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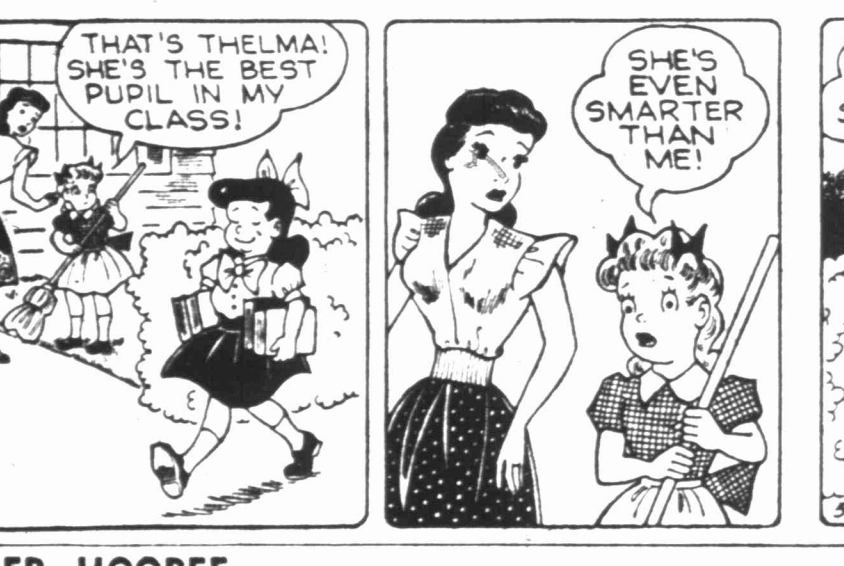
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# Abundant Living

By E. STANLEY JONES



Gal. 5:16, 24-25; Rom. 13:14; Eph. 3:14-21.

**LOOK BEYOND SELF TO GOD**

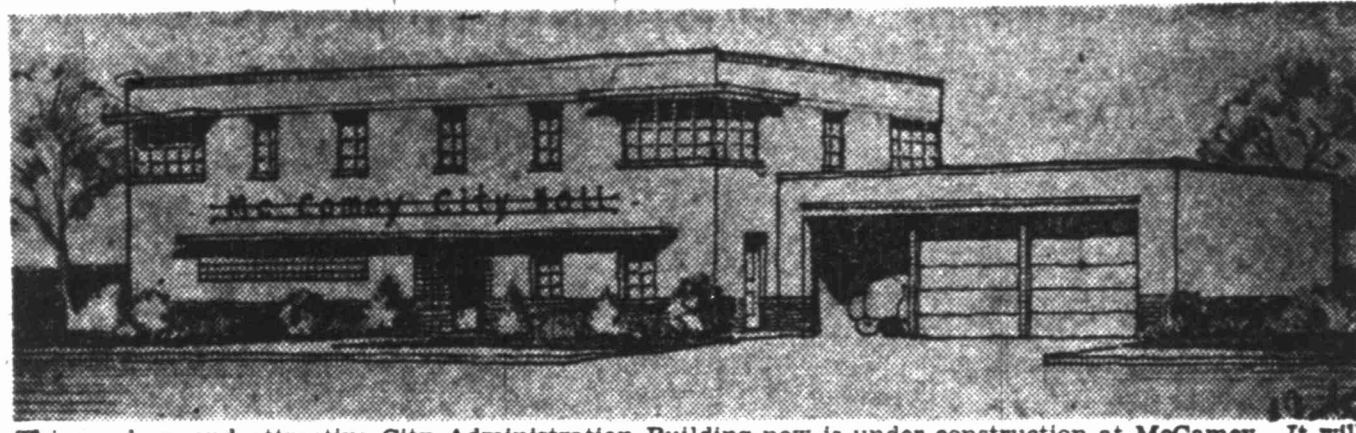
You must linger upon this thought of seeing yourself in God, for it needs correction. (7) Don't look too long at this self in God—look at God. A great many cults center upon self-cultivation and leave behind a multitude of wishful, but frustrated people, lifted for a moment, and limping for a lifetime. Why? You dare not center on yourself, for, if you do, as sure as fate you will lose yourself. "Whoever will save his life" —centering on his life, loving it even for purposes of cultivating it—will lose it. As long as Peter looked at himself or the waves around him, he started sinking. Only as he looked at Jesus, did he walk firmly on the waters. Look at yourself, or at others, and you will sink; look at Christ, and you can walk on anything. As someone has suggested: "Say to yourself, 'Salvate,' and the

probabilities are that no water will come into your mouth; on the contrary, it will probably dry up. But think of a savory dish, and without your saying anything the water will flow." You must think, not of yourself even to cultivate yourself; but think of Christ, and the self will be cultivated. Glimpse at yourself in God, but gaze at God. This law of losing one's life to find it runs through everything. Jesus said, "Consider the lilies, how they grow." How do they grow? By being self-conscious, and fussily trying to grow and to look beautiful? No; they look at the sun, and in their sun-centeredness they themselves grow beautiful. Beauty cults and classes to teach one charm lose themselves, for they break themselves upon this law of saving one's life and losing it. The beauty cults end in painted dolls, and the charm classes lose their charm. The only beautiful people are people who lose themselves in a great Cause; and they grow beautiful as they continually gaze at Beauty. The only charming people are people who charm you to great ends; and they themselves become charming as they lose themselves in you and in others: "The Little Sister of the Illumined Face," and Pennafather to whom as he walked the streets a beggar cried, "Oh, you with Heaven in your face!"

O God, I dare not gaze on myself, even in Thee. But I do gaze on Thee and find myself. In Thee I gaze and grow—in myself I cultivate and deteriorate. So now my eye is getting in focus. I begin to understand what Thou didst mean: "If thine eye be single thy whole body shall be full of light. Thank Thee, Father. Amen."

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## McCamey City Hall Under Construction



This modern and attractive City Administration Building now is under construction at McCamey. It will house administrative offices, jail and Fire Department. The structure is being erected by the Joe Tharp Construction Company of San Angelo. William G. Wuehmann of El Paso is the architect for the \$50,000 building.

## Life With The Tax Gremlins

By NEA Service



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## Reports Conflict On Rumored Rift In Crosby Family

PARIS.—(AP)—The Crosby brothers—Bing and Larry—told conflicting stories Tuesday of the state of the famous crooner's 20-year-old marriage to one-time film star Dixie Lee.

Here in Paris the screen and radio singer denied a Hollywood report that "strained relations" are brighting his married life.

But in Hollywood his brother, Larry, head of the Crosby Research Foundation, said: "We hope it is a separation and not a divorce."

The report started with John O'Melveny, an attorney for Bing, who said Monday in Hollywood that things were not going so well between the singer and his Dixie.

O'Melveny said a reconciliation was hoped for in June, when Bing is due home from a European jaunt.

"Some columnist must have started it," said Crosby Monday night. Such reports "crop up every four or five months," he added.

Bing, who leaves for London next week to play in the British Amateur golf championship, said he had a letter from Dixie four or five days ago and "everything was all right then."

Mrs. Crosby, in Hollywood, wasn't available for comment.

## Court Upholds T-H Law Anti-Red Oath

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The Supreme Court sees no violation of the Constitution in the non-Communist oath provisions of the Taft-Hartley Labor Law.

By vote of five to one, the high tribunal Monday upheld the power of Congress to compel union officials to swear they are not Communists if they wish to get the assistance of the National Labor Relations Board.

"In this legislation," said Chief Justice Vinson, "Congress did not restrain the activities of the Communist Party as a political organization. Nor did it attempt to stifle beliefs."

Speaking for the court majority, the chief justice stated the oath provision "touches only a relative handful of persons, leaving the great majority of persons of the identified (communist) affiliations and beliefs completely free from restraint."

The oath provision was attacked by the CIO United Steelworkers of America and the CIO American Communications Association. Officers of both unions have filed non-Communist oaths, but pressed their fight against what they called the "illegal requirement."

## Death Of Newsman Ruled Accidental

PONCA CITY, OKLA.—(AP)—The death Monday of J. L. Swindle, 33, managing editor of the Pampa, Texas, News, was termed accidental by Acting Coroner Joseph P. Davies.

Swindle's body was found on a sidewalk below his sixth-floor hotel room here. Deputy Sheriff Marland Johnson said he apparently fell after getting up to close a window when a cold front hit.

## Four Jurors Chosen In Initial Day Of Evald Johnson Trial

AMARILLO.—(AP)—Efforts to select eight more jurors for the murder trial of Evald Johnson continued Tuesday.

Johnson, whose home is in Munising, Mich., is charged with beating explosives expert W. A. (Tex) Thornton to death June 22, 1949.

Lawyers agreed Monday on four jurors for the trial.

The state said it will ask the death penalty.

The defense has indicated it will argue that the 30-year-old Johnson killed Thornton because he found the famed oil well fire fighter in bed with Mrs. Johnson.

Five hundred men had been subpoenaed for the special venire, but only 192 showed up Monday. Judge Henry S. Bishop ordered attachments issued for the missing men.

Mrs. Johnson told police in Washington early last January her husband killed Thornton. Johnson was arrested several days later in his home town. The FBI said Johnson claimed then he slugged Thornton after finding him and Diana in bed together.

Mrs. Johnson is held in jail here. She will be tried later.

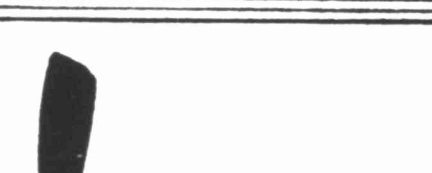
## Rassman To Address Presbyterian Men At Thursday Night Meet

Emil Rassman, Midland attorney and immediate past president of the Men's Club of the Trinity Episcopal Church, will address members of Presbyterian Men of Midland at their May meeting at 6:30 p.m. Thursday in the Fellowship Hall of the First Presbyterian Church. Rassman teaches a Sunday School class at Trinity Church.

"The Trial of Christ" will be his subject at the Thursday night meeting, according to Dean Murray, program chairman.

President A. H. Vineyard will preside at the dinner-meeting. He urged a large attendance at the session, calling attention to the fact all men of the church are invited.

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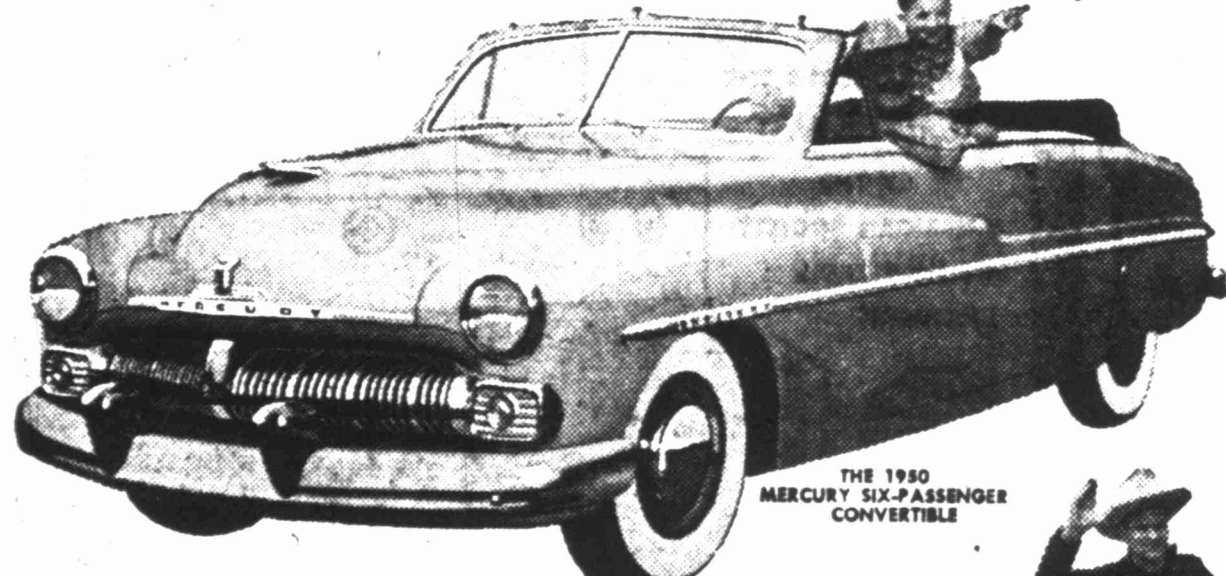


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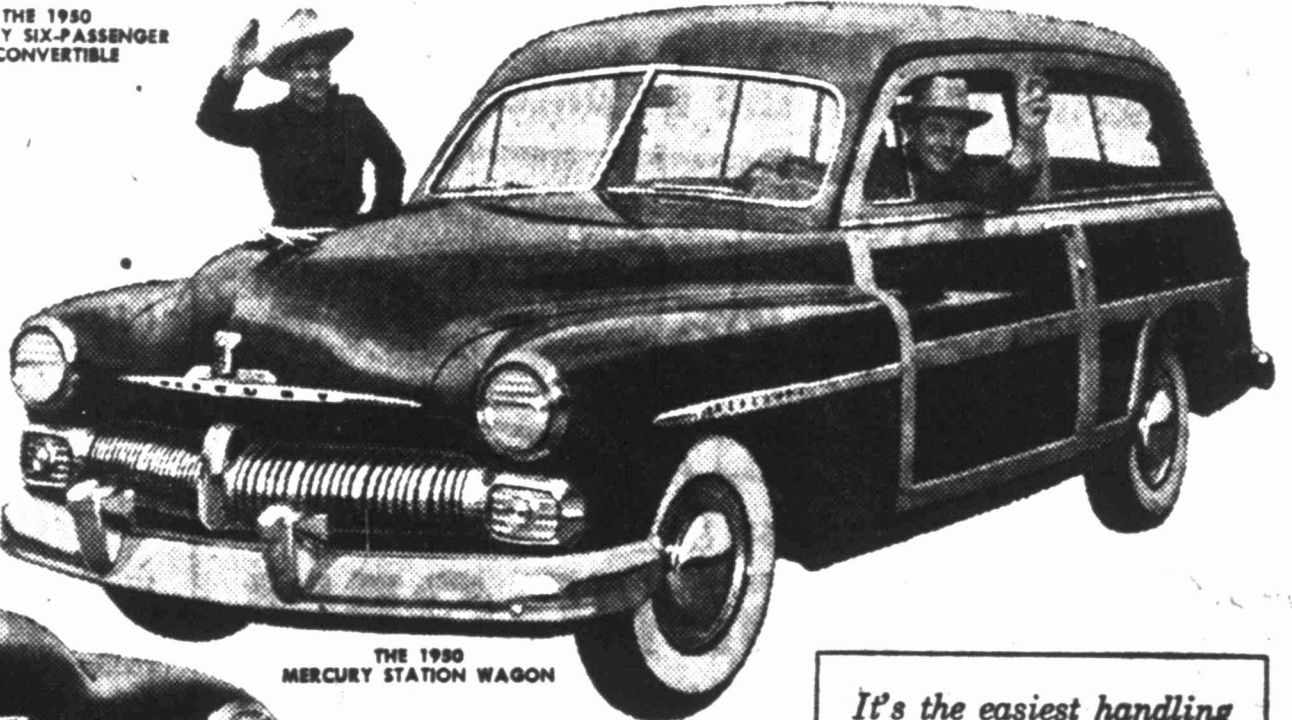
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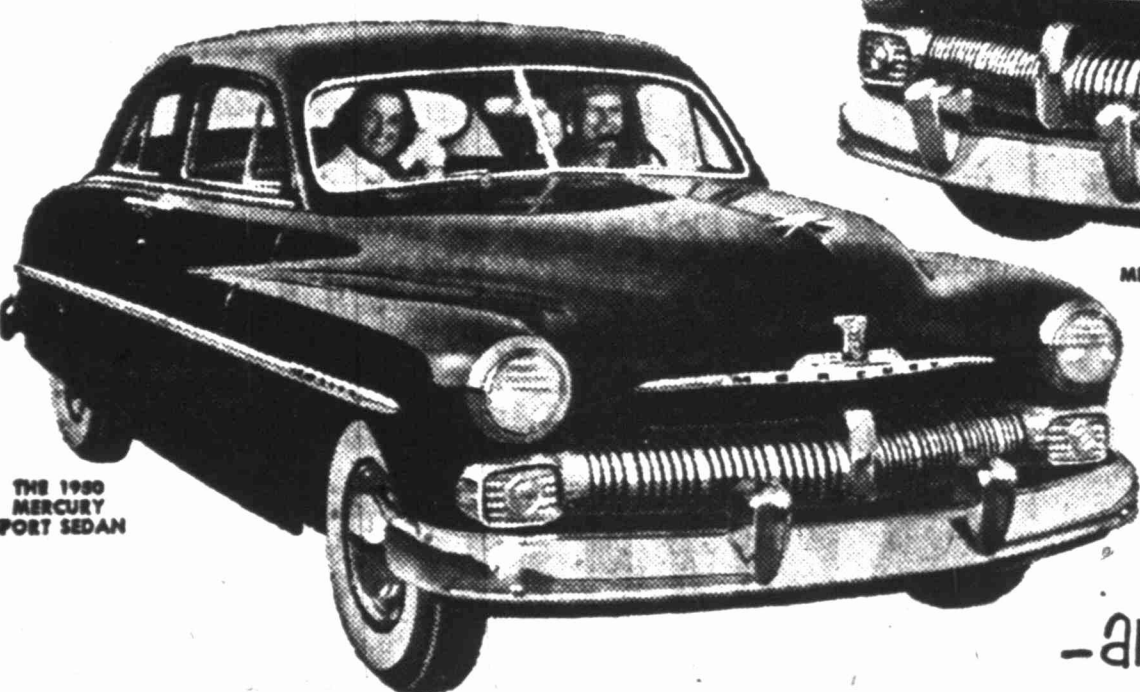


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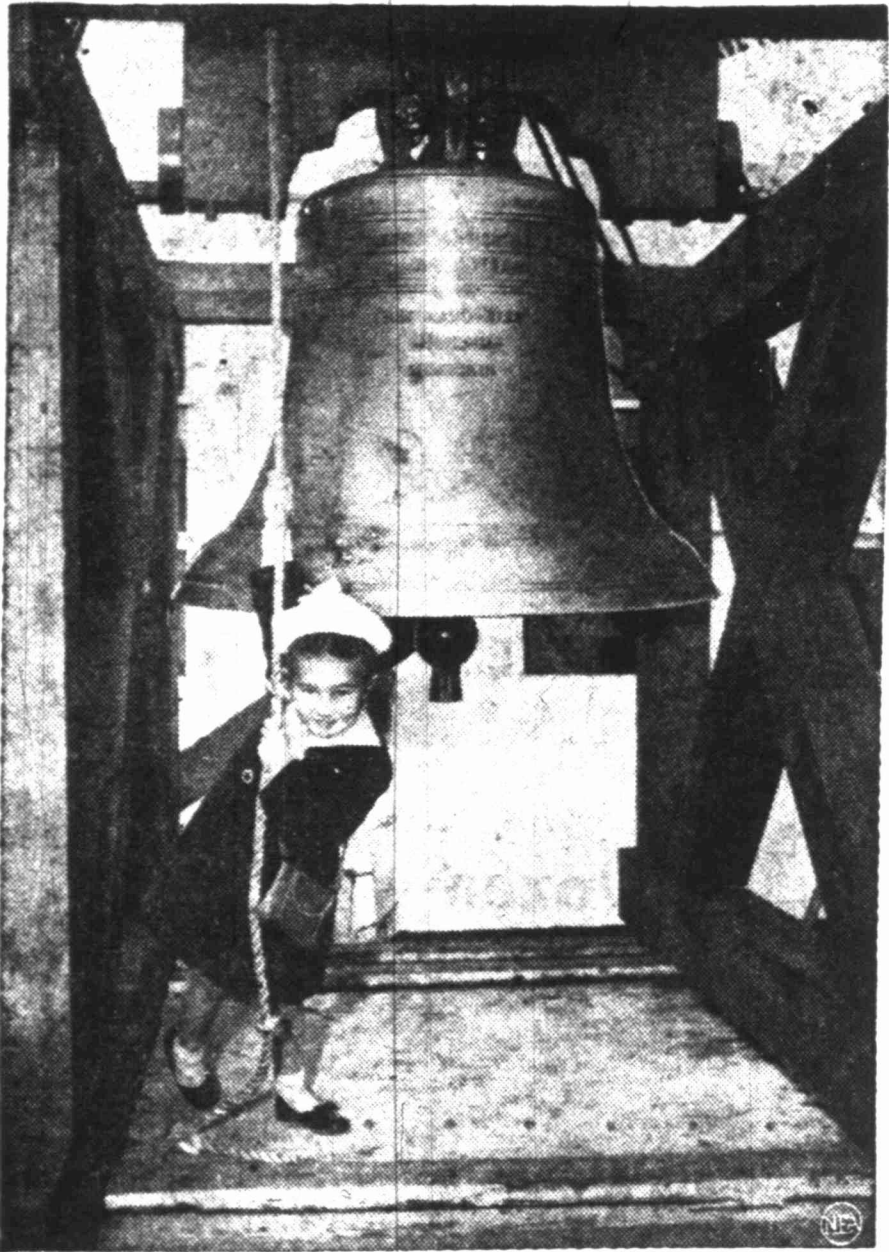
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### Bell And Belle In Bond Appeal



Five-year-old Janet Fleaharty of Washington, D. C. puts all her might into the attempted ringing of this reproduction of the Liberty Bell on its arrival in New York from France. The bell is one of 52 replicas cast in France for use by the U. S. Treasury Department in the forthcoming Independence Bond Drive.

### ★ THE DOCTOR SAYS ★

#### Anemia Warns Something Is Out Of Order In The Body

By EDWIN P. JORDAN, M. D.  
Written for NEA Service

The blood contains small round disks called red blood cells, or erythrocytes. Normally, there are about 5,000,000 of these cells in each cubic millimeter of blood. There are more than 16,000 cubic millimeters in a cubic inch. These cells contain oxygen and a red coloring matter—hemoglobin—which are indispensable to life. When there are too few red blood cells or not enough hemoglobin the condition is called "anemia."

Anemia is not a single disease. Many different things can cause a lack of red blood cells or hemoglobin. One form is called pernicious anemia, or primary anemia. The cause of this condition is not known, though the discovery of the value of liver—and more recently Vitamin B 12—has changed it from a disease which used to be fatal into one which can be treated successfully in almost all cases.

With the exception of pernicious anemia, the problem boils down to finding out what has caused the lack of red cells or hemoglobin, or both. One of the most simple and yet a very frequent cause is bleeding from somewhere in the body.

If a person loses more blood than the system can replace, anemia de-

velops. If this is sudden, as from a wound, the difficulty can be remedied promptly by stopping the hemorrhage and giving a blood transfusion. If hemorrhage is slow, it is necessary to find where the bleeding comes from and to stop it if possible.

If this kind of anemia is severe, it may be necessary to give transfusions or take other measures, including the use of iron preparations, iron being an important part of hemoglobin.

One kind of anemia comes most commonly in women between 30 and 50 years of age. The cause of this anemia is a deficiency of iron due to several things, probably including defective diet and poor absorption due to disturbance of the stomach and intestines.

This causes a feeling of weakness, shortness of breath, nervous disturbances, dry hair, sore tongue and paleness. Fortunately once it has been identified it can be treated successfully by giving iron.

Anemia may result from the failure of the organs which make the blood to meet the needs of the body. This difficulty lies principally in the bone marrow and is much like the anemia which comes from certain poisons.

Anemia is usually the reflection of something seriously wrong with the body. No one with severe anemia can feel well or can be normally energetic. The cause should be tracked down and proper treatment employed.

### Have A Laugh



By BOYCE HOUSE

The late Com. Webber Wilson of Mississippi once was arguing a case before a jury.

The evidence, he said, reminded him of the occasion that Benjamin Franklin asked a gathering of French scientists why it was that a man could fill a tub with water, level to the brim, and then gently place a fish, weighing half a pound, in the water without displacing a drop.

Many theories were advanced by the wise men of France, then one asked, "Dr. Franklin, why is it?" Old Ben replied, "It's just not so."

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### Park Yore Gat Here, Podner!

MASSENA, N. Y. —(AP)—Fledgling "cowboys" must check their guns before entering a theater (Schine's) in this north country community.

It's a management rule that the small fry leave their cap pistols with ticket sellers until after the show.

Since a state law legalizing the sale of cap pistols went into effect recently, Manager Richard Hyde says, the boys have been "doing a bang up job."

"They just can't resist taking shots at villains in Western thrillers," he explains.

### CRASH KILLS ONE

DEL RIO —(AP)—R. C. Fikes, 20, of Sheffield was killed and Durwood C. Coman, 21, Iraan, was injured Monday in a traffic accident 41 miles north of Del Rio.

Students from seven Midland schools—350 strong—appeared on the stage of the high school auditorium in the first All-School Music Festival, presenting a program of 19 choral numbers. Represented in the group above are choirs from North, South, West, Terminal and Latin American Elementary Schools, and from John M. Cowden Junior High School and Midland High School. The program was under the direction of R. C. Michener, director of music in the schools, who plans to make it an annual event. More than 1,000 Midlanders turned out for the program. Student singers overflowed the stage.

### Seven Schools Present Music Festival



### Rules Amended For Scurry Fields

AUSTIN —(AP)—Amendment of field rules for the Diamond "M" (Canyon) lime, Sharon Ridge Canyon and Kelley-Snyder fields in Scurry County was announced Monday by the Railroad Commission.

Spacing of not less than 933 feet between wells and at least 530 feet from wells to property lines was ordered in the Diamond "M" and Sharon Ridge Canyon fields. They were assigned proration units of not less than 40 acres.

The Kelley-Snyder field was given a 1200-467 spacing pattern, 40-acre proration unit, 2,000-1 gas-oil ratio, and well allowable based 50 per cent on wells and 50 per cent on acreage.

Television receiving antennae are comparatively short in length because of the frequencies on which the pictures are sent.

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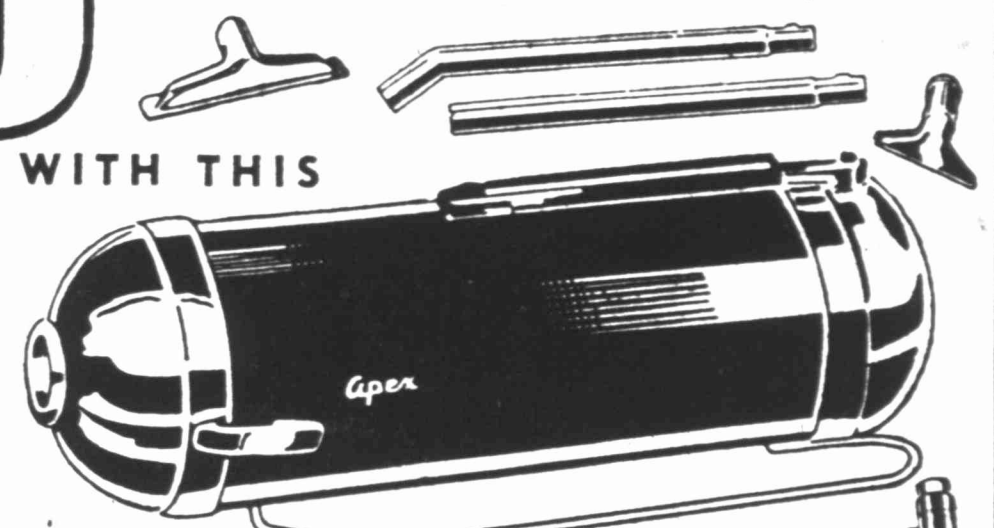
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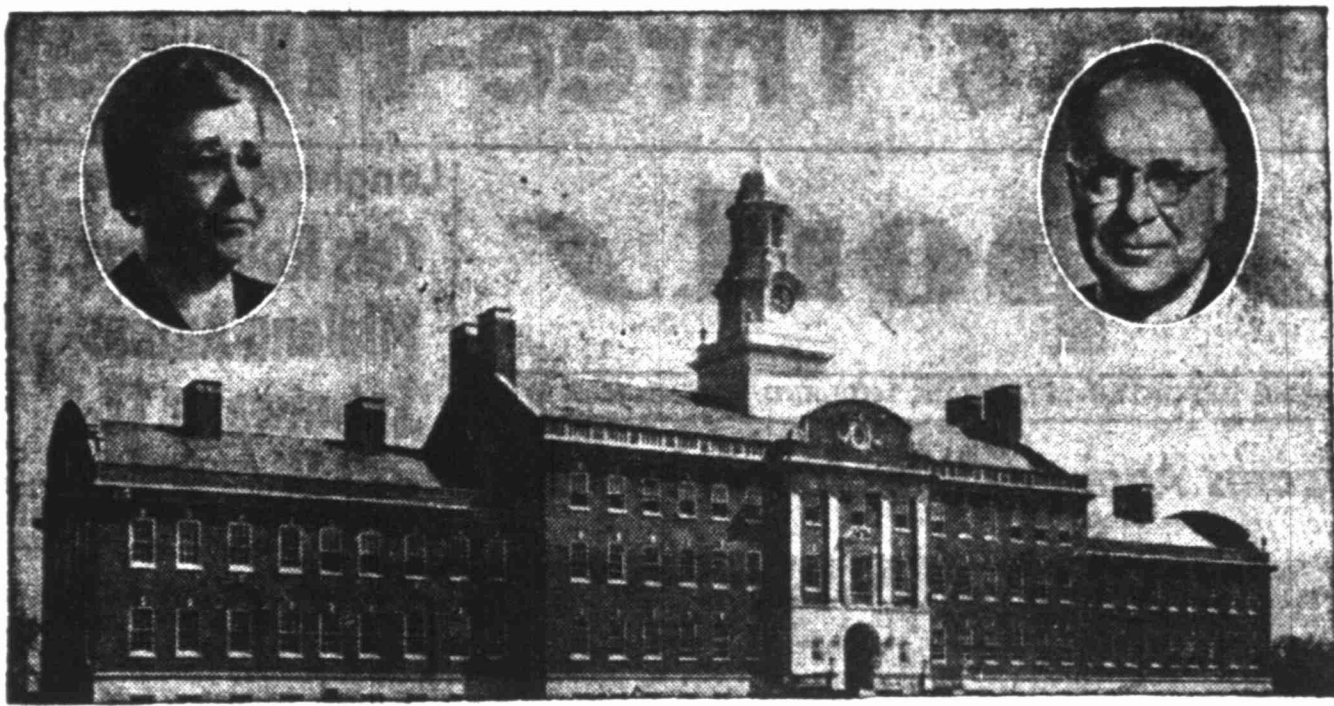
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## Fondren Science Building At SMU



Dedication ceremonies for the new \$2,150,000 Fondren Science Building at Southern Methodist University will be held May 10. Scientists and educators from all parts of the South and Southwest will attend dedication of the structure, which is said to be the nation's most advanced building for use in science instruction. With a total of 100,000 square feet of floor space, the building is largest on the SMU campus. Construction was made possible through the philanthropy of Mrs. W. W. Fondren of Houston. The building will house the SMU departments of biology, chemistry, geography, geology and physics. Insets show Mrs. Fondren and Dr. Umphrey Lee, president of SMU.

### Landslide Buries Californian Alive

**SAN PEDRO, CALIF.**—(AP)—Before the horrified eyes of his son, Justo Pesutich, 55, met death Monday beneath a two-ton landslide which buried him alive. An overhanging ledge collapsed on Pesutich as he and his son, Wielko, dug topsoil from an embankment. The son shouted for help and dug frantically. He finally freed his father, but it was too late.

### Midlander's Father Dies At Abilene

**ABILENE**—Dewey Ehrbridge, 50, operator of a grocery store here, died Monday in an Abilene hospital. He had been in ill health several years.

### Political Announcements

Charges for publication in this column:  
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**For State Representative**  
 80th District  
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 (Re-election)  
**For County Judge**  
**CLIFFORD C. KEITH**  
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**CARL WEVAT**  
**For Sheriff**  
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**For County Commissioner**  
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**SHERWOOD O'NEAL**  
 (Re-election)  
**For County Commissioner**  
 Precinct No. 2  
**ALVEY BRYANT**  
**E. W. (BOOTS) BROWN**  
**For County Commissioner**  
 Precinct No. 3  
**WARREN SKAGGS**  
 (Re-election)  
**For County Commissioner**  
 Precinct No. 4  
**W. M. STEWART**  
 (Re-election)  
**J. L. DILLARD**  
**For Constable**  
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## Wemple—

(Continued From Page One)  
 designation might be extended west from U. S. 285 to a connection with U. S. 62 and U. S. 180 at the junction with State Highway 54 in Culberson County.

Wemple's letter follows:  
 "This will acknowledge, with thanks, your telegram of May 5th expressing concern over the proposed extension of a highway west from Kermit in the general direction of Orta with a substantial portion of the cost being financed by Winkler County.

"I have reread the minute order setting in motion the machinery whereby such a connection might eventually be effected and I see no cause for undue alarm on the part of the cities on U. S. 80. The minute does just what it was intended to do; that is, take advantage of Winkler County's offer to connect two county seats and open up a vast area of great potential for future development. I attach a copy of the minute for your files.

"The overvaluing credit of my two colleagues on the Commission and of D. C. Greer I must say that although they live in the more populated areas of Texas, they have had the foresight and unselfish interest of the entire state at heart to the extent that they have been willing to assist and cooperate with the development of our far flung resources and in the expansion of our bulging frontiers.

"Frankly, I have never seen one highway injure another and I have always had the feeling that what was good for one section of West Texas was good for all of West Texas.

"I think I have demonstrated the consistency of this position by cheerfully signing minute orders since I have been on the Commission for the construction of a highway west from Big Spring to the New Mexico line paralleling U. S. 80. I was rather inspired by the unselfishness of Martin County in voting bonds for right-of-way on this project although it missed their county seat of Stanton by some fourteen miles.

"As you know, vehicular registration in Texas has increased 40 per cent since the end of the war and while I have not yet seen the 1950 registration statistics, I believe that the increase west of the hundredth Meridian probably will be 75 per cent.

"Indications are that we may expect this trend to continue for many years and my feeling is that by the time plans for a connection with U. S. 62 are consummated, those cities west of Odessa will be as gratified over this facility as were the towns to the east of you when U. S. 180 was completed, although in its inception they viewed the projection of such a highway paralleling U. S. 80 with much apprehension.

"All of us appreciate the interest of the citizens of Texas in the economic operation of the Highway Department and we welcome constructive criticism at all times. I assure you that the Winkler County project has been given intense study for the past two years, and it is our sincere conclusion that the overall benefits accruing to all sections of our state will far outweigh any temporary injuries which might be anticipated.

**Storm Skirts Guam; Damage Negligible**  
**GUAM**—(AP)—Islanders and American service personnel returned to their quarters Tuesday in the wake of a typhoon which skirted Guam Monday, doing negligible damage.

The wind touched 60 knots in gusts but hovered near the 40-knot mark most of the time. The center of the storm passed 115 miles southwest of the island.

The typhoon, fourth of the year in these latitudes, headed toward Iwo Jima, famed World War II battlefield in the Western Pacific.

During the typhoon a 110-foot barge broke from its mooring and drifted out of the harbor. There was no one aboard.

Fully-grown grizzly bears weigh from 500 to 1,000 pounds, yet their cubs weigh as little as one pound at birth.

## LEGAL NOTICES

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**NOTICE TO BIDDERS:**  
 SEALED BIDS, addressed to the President of the School Board, Sierra Blanca, Texas will be received in the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Sierra Blanca not later than 3 p. m. CST, May 22, 1950.

The work included in this proposal will involve concrete work, plumbing work, plastering, sheet metal work, electrical installations, carpentry work, painting work, roofing work and masonry work.

A certified or Cashier's check or a Bidders Bond executed by some corporate surety, authorized to do business in the State of Texas, in the amount of Five Percent (5%) of the lump sum bid, payable without recourse to the Board of Education, Sierra Blanca Independent School District, Sierra Blanca, Texas.

Complete copies of the plans, specifications and contract documents prepared by Avery-Pierce & Norris, Architects, 213 North Colorado St., Midland, Texas, are provided in the Plan Rooms of the following Texas cities: Midland, San Angelo, Lubbock, El Paso and at the office of the Superintendent of Schools, Sierra Blanca, Texas.

The Board of Education, Sierra Blanca Independent School District, reserves the right to accept or reject all or any part of any proposal, to waive technicalities, to make any investigation deemed necessary of the ability to perform the work covered by the specifications, and to accept what it may deem to be the best bid.

The bidder's attention is directed to the fact that bids or proposals shall be submitted only on forms provided therefor in the book of Specifications and Contract Documents. Bids submitted in any other form will be considered irregular and returned to the bidder.

Board of Education  
 Sierra Blanca Independent School District  
 (May 7-8-9-10-11-12-14)

**NOTICE**  
 The City of Midland invites proposals for the operation of concessions at Pagoda Swimming Pool and Park for the current season. Contact J. C. Hudman, Room 212, City Hall, or telephone 455.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 TO: David S. Huffstutler

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 29th day of May A. D. 1950, at or before 10 o'clock A. M., before the Honorable District Court of Midland County, at the Court House in Midland, Texas.

## Ex-Marine Treated For Bad Tendencies

**TOLD GOD IS ONLY CURE**  
**BOSTON**—(AP)—A municipal judge imposed a year's jail sentence on a former Marine who had submitted to brain surgery in an effort to cure criminal tendencies, then advised:  
 "It would be foolish to send you to a hospital. You have escaped from every one thus far. Doctors aren't going to cure you until you appeal to God to help you."

Charles Hinckley, 25, of New York City drew the sentence—and the advice—Monday from Judge Joseph V. Tomasello. Hinckley was found guilty of theft of a \$180 watch from a jewelry store. He appealed and was jailed in lieu of \$5,000 bond.

**EX-BODEO STAR DIES**  
**PORT WORTH**—(AP)—Stelzer Jack (Red) Thompson, 46, star rodeo performer since 1929, star wrestling injury removed him from competitions, died here Tuesday in a hospital after a long illness.

More disappearances of people occur in Paris than in any other city of the world.

## Mrs. Alfred Petty Sees Flying Saucer

If you don't believe in flying saucers, you better not go telling Mrs. Alfred Petty—unless you're prepared to be convinced otherwise.

Mrs. Petty was a skeptic on such things until last Sunday, too, she says. She saw the disc as she and others were driving along the Andrews-Midland Highway. It was described by cylindrical, silver-colored and traveling fast. It remained in view for about two minutes, she said, before being lost in the clouds.

Others who saw the saucer, according to Mrs. Petty, were her husband and his parents and John Alfred Petty.

**CELEBRATION TO MARK WINKLER ROAD OPENING**  
**KERMIT**—A dinner celebrating the recent completion of the Kermit-Dollarhide road is scheduled Friday night in the new school cafeteria, Chamber of Commerce officials announced. A dance will follow in the Community Center.

Residents of the Dollarhide field will be the guests of Kermit citizens at the dinner and dance.

## AFL Gives 'Yes-No' Reply On Unification

**PHILADELPHIA**—(AP)—The American Federation of Labor given a "yes-and-no" answer to CIO's latest proposal for unification of organized labor.

The answer to the CIO's proposal is "Yes" provided unity is on a permanent and organic basis. But if the CIO is thinking strictly in terms of a tentative and operative unification then the answer is "No."

President William Green of AFL made clear his organization stand Monday in a letter to PH Murray, head of the CIO. Green made public his letter at a conference following the opening of the AFL Executive Council's day meeting. The meeting was closed.

Murray had asked the AFL, J. L. Lewis' United Mine Workers, four independent railroad brotherhoods and the International Association of Machinists to join in unity effort.

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## Mother's Day

**Hermit Comes Out Of Woods To Be Counted**

**SARANAC LAKE, N. Y.**—(AP)—Noah Rondeau, hermit of Cold River, came out of the Adirondack woods to make sure the census taker didn't miss him.

Rondeau is the only resident of Cold River.

Mrs. Robert Kimpton, a census worker, said Rondeau gave his occupation as "the hermit business" and his age as "over 60."

**IN HOUSTON**  
 Mr. and Mrs. John Darden are visiting in Houston this week.

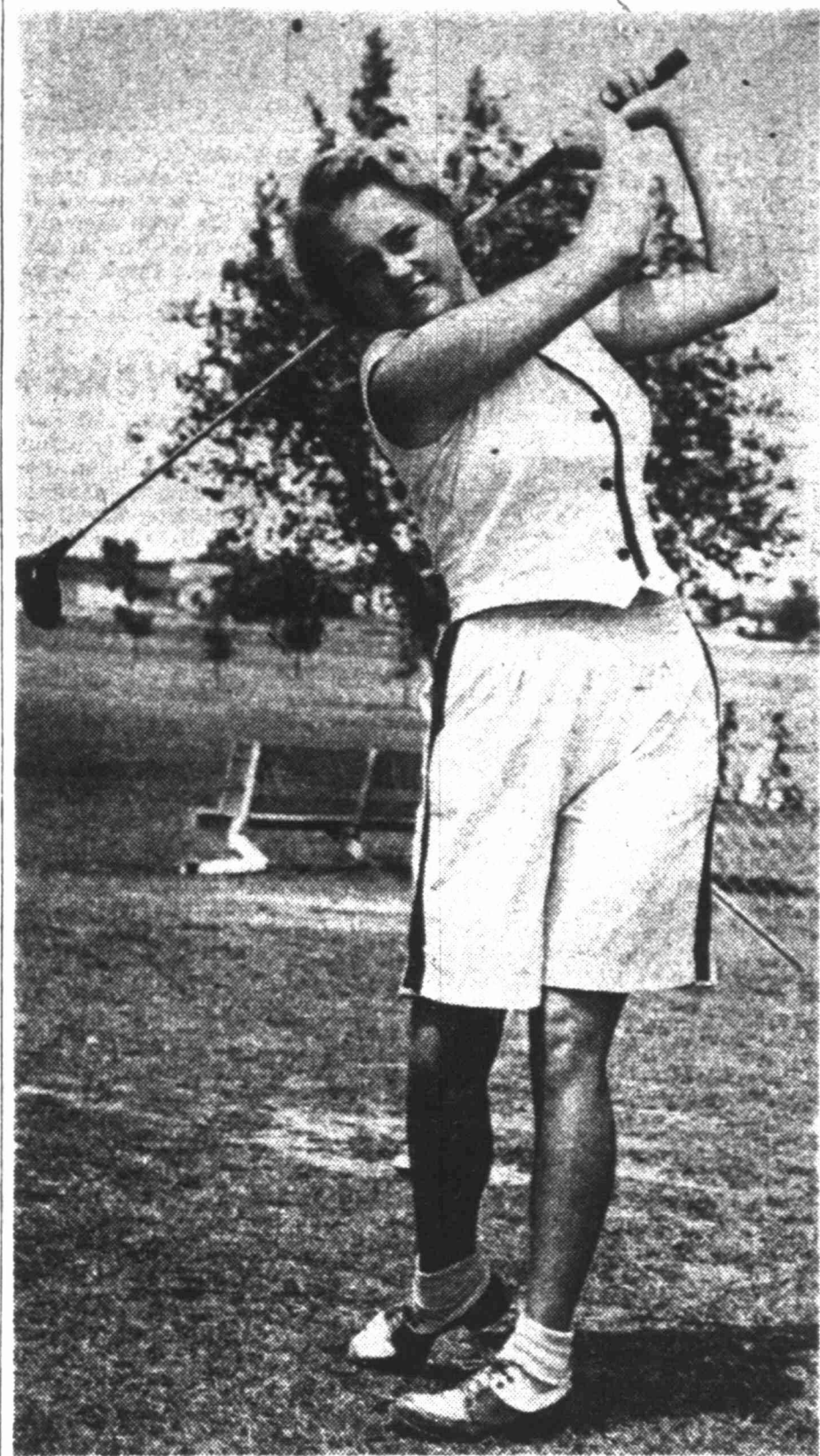


# Indians Swat Swatters On Singleton's Three-Hitter

## Sports

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### Scores Again — Wins Invitation Title



Comely Gloria Ezell, the outstanding woman golfer in West Texas this year, is shown during her final match with Sybil Flournoy for the Midland Country Club Women's Invitation championship. Mrs. Ezell won 6 and 4. It was her second invitation title and her second golf championship in two weeks. Only a week before, she annexed the Midland Country Club Women's Tournament crown. She was medalist in both tournaments. Her other invitation title was in 1948.

### Longhorn League—Cats Rout Oilers, Midland Ambushes Sweetwater 12-1

By The Associated Press  
Cellar dwelling Ballinger is showing signs it may be getting tired of the also-ran in the Longhorn League.  
The Cats Monday night clawed league leading Odessa 13-1. That made it two wins in a row—for them a winning streak.  
Roberto Rodriguez held Odessa to five scattered hits, one a home run by Les Palmer. Big Spring took advantage of the Oilers' loss to move within one game of the lead with its 14-7 win over Roswell. Gabe Castaneda led the Broncos at the plate with a two-run homer. Buzz Jackson, with a three-run homer in the sixth and Clyde Bell, with a home run in the ninth, led Roswell's attack.  
Singleton For Indians  
John Singleton was in complete control as he set Sweetwater down on three hits to give Midland a 12-1 victory. Kenny Jones paced Midland at the plate with a grand slam homer in the seventh.  
San Angelo scored five runs in the first three innings to down Vernon 7-3. Vernon Manager Joe Berry protested the game in the second inning. His protest came on a decision by the umpires concerning an infield fly.  
The scores:  
Sweetwater ..... 000 001 000—1 3 1  
Midland ..... 300 004 50x—12 12 0  
Haynes, Jones, Zamora and Pinley; Singleton and Jones.  
Roswell ..... 000 104 011— 7 9 2  
Big Spring ..... 605 300 00x—14 18 1  
McGoldrick, Pillor, Hooper and Jordan, Scriba, Gonzales and Junco, Hernandez.  
San Angelo ..... 221 000 002— 7 9 1  
Vernon ..... 021 000 000—3 11 4  
Cox and Schneegold; McElhaneey, Abbott and Herring.  
Odessa ..... 001 000 000— 1 5 1  
Ballinger ..... 204 300 40x—13 19 5  
Carson and Eseebedo; Rodriguez and Martin, Martinez.  
ON TENNIS TEAM  
Richard Clarke of Midland, a sophomore petroleum engineering student at Texas Tech, played on a winning doubles team in a tennis tournament recently. He performed in the Intramural Social Clubs' meet.

### BIRTH OF SERIES—Mashie, Putter Added To Child's Golf Clubs

By DAVE BAUER  
Father and teacher of the famous sisters.  
Say the child is six years old, and a few months of golf experience show to swing and hit the ball coolly.  
Now add a mashie. No. 5 m, and a putter to the bag. So far the youngster has had by tee shots.  
Now show him how a mashie is used without a tee—first with a low tee, then without a tee.  
Stress the importance of hitting down on the ball.  
See to it that the ball is placed 10 inches past the center to the right, so that it is in a correct position to be hit before taking a shot.  
Let the child hit and practice his way for a while. Then give in a putter, the right length and weight. Let him putt all he wants to. You can't putt too much and,



Marlene Bauer prepares herself to be in the best position to give the ball all of the power and speed already present from her great full swing.  
You no doubt have heard before, practice makes perfect. This will enable him to develop a feel for the various clubs. He will also be working with any certain club too long. It isn't a bad idea for the parent to take junior for an occasional round of golf. This gives the child an opportunity to show himself what he can do under game conditions. It makes him realize what he has to work on. Never reprimand the youngster for mistakes on the course. Use again child psychology is of the utmost importance. A pat on the back never hurt anyone.  
NEXT: Good sportsmanship.

### Mama, Too—Bauers To Get Boots

Midland's famous golfing family — Mama and Peppie Dave Bauer and Misses Alice and Marlene—soon will be wearing fancy cowboy boots with "Midland, Texas" stitched on the tops.  
Directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce Monday night voted to present Midland-made boots to each member of the family in appreciation of the tremendous amount of publicity gained for this city by the internationally-famous golfers who make their home here.  
Marlene and Alice already are honorary members of the Chamber of Commerce.  
Chamber officials said they hope to present the boots to the Bauers during the 16th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, May 31-June 4.

### Junior Baseball League Is Planned

A meeting for the formation of a Junior Baseball League here will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday in the basement of the Midland Tower Building.  
The league will be open to boys 14 years of age and under. All prospective sponsors of clubs for the league are urged to attend the meeting, Ray Protzman, who called the session, said.  
Six teams already are lined up, he said.  
The league is not to be confused with the Optimist Club's softball program.

### Kenny Jones Hits One Out With Bags Loaded

The Midland Indians and the Sweetwater Swatters tangled at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the final game of their two-game series at Indian Park. Ralph Blair, Glen Patton or Harold Wearne will go for Midland. A definite choice had not been made Tuesday morning. Dick Mordido is the probable starter for Sweetwater.

The Midland Indians finally did it and a good job it was!  
John Singleton, rookie right-hander, elbowed a three-hitter at the Sweetwater Swatters Monday night, completely handcuffing them for a 12 to 1 victory.  
Kenny Jones, the Longhorn League's Rookie of the Year in 1949, climaxed a brutal hitting attack by the Indians with a grand slam home run in the seventh inning. He, along with Tex Stephenson, had a perfect night at the plate.  
Manager John Bottarini sent three hurlers to the mound in an effort to stop the Midland assault but there was no stopping it.  
No-Hitter For Five  
Singleton, with fine stuff and great support by George Firnback, Scooter Hughes, Quentin Basco and Jim Prince in the infield, had a no-hitter for five innings. A blooper single by Thomas Guinn in the sixth broke it and produced Sweetwater's lone tally. Singleton had walked Haynes and Fred Haller ahead of Guinn's fluke hit.  
Singleton while his mates wore out the ball, held the Swatters to another pair of singles in going the route for his best performance of the year.  
Stephenson Triples  
The Indians had the spark and opened up early. Basco led off the first with a single and Jones doubled him home. Jim Prince was walked intentionally. He stole second but it wasn't necessary. Tex Stephenson pulled a line-drive down the right field line for a triple, driving in Jones and Prince.  
Haynes settled down some but was in trouble every inning until he was derricked in favor of Jack Jones in the sixth.  
Jones walked right into a booby-trap. Stephenson, running the bases like mad, stretched a long single into a double to open the inning. Scooter Hughes and Singleton walked to load the bags.  
Lou Dawson, who collected four singles in five trips, rapped a solid blow to right, scoring Stephenson and Hughes. Singleton pulled up at third but his stay wasn't for long. Jones singled to drive him home.  
Prince Obliges  
In his first time in the game, Manager Bottarini elected to pitch to Jim Prince. Prince promptly hit one 385 feet into deep center field that bounced over the fence for a ground-rules double. Jones stopped at third and was left there.  
Lee Zamora came on for the Swatters in the seventh. Stephenson walked, two Indians went out and Singleton walked. Singleton called time so he could put on his jacket. When time was in, Manager Harold Webb had him break for second and it worked. The pitcher made a bad throw and Stephenson went all the way.  
Basco walked, Dawson singled on a bunt to load the bags and Jones parked one over the right field wall. That was the ball game.  
Ralph Blair, playing the outfield, was robbed of an extra-base knock during the inning when the center fielder one-handed a line-drive some 380 feet in center.  
The Indian infield ripped off three double plays.  
The box score:  
Sweetwater ..... AB R H O A  
Haller, ss ..... 2 0 0 1 1  
Guinn, lf ..... 4 0 1 0 0  
Sliter, rf ..... 4 0 0 5 0  
Bauer, cf ..... 4 0 0 1 0  
Bottarini, 2b ..... 2 0 0 1 0  
Olari, 2b ..... 2 0 0 2 2  
Perry, cf ..... 3 0 1 4 0  
Finley, c ..... 3 0 0 9 1  
Boach, 3b ..... 1 1 1 1 1  
Haynes, p ..... 1 0 1 0 3  
Jones, p ..... 0 0 0 0 0  
Zamora, p ..... 0 0 0 0 1  
Totals ..... 28 1 3 24 9  
Midland ..... AB R H O A  
Basco, 2b ..... 4 2 1 2 4  
Dawson, cf ..... 5 2 4 1 0  
Jones, c ..... 3 2 3 5 0  
Prince, lf ..... 2 1 1 14 0  
Firnback, 1b ..... 5 0 0 1 4  
Stephenson, lf ..... 2 2 2 0 0  
Hughes, ss ..... 4 1 1 2 7  
Blair, rf ..... 4 0 0 2 0  
Singleton, p ..... 2 2 0 0 1  
Totals ..... 31 12 12 27 18  
Sweetwater ..... 000 001 000— 1  
Midland ..... 300 004 50x—12  
E—Bauer; Hughes, RBI—Guinn; Dawson 2, Jones 6, Firnback, Stephenson 2, 2B—Jones, Prince, Stephenson, 3B—Stephenson, HR—Jones, SB—Stephenson, Hughes, Singleton, S—Jones, DP—Haynes to Sliter, Olari to Haller; Firnback to Basco to Prince, Singleton to Hughes to Prince, Hughes to Basco to Prince, L—B—Sweetwater 4, Midland 7, BOB—off Haynes 5, off Jones 2, off Zamora 4, off Singleton 4; SO—by Haynes 4, by Jones 1, by Zamora 2; by Singleton 5, HO—Haynes 6 for 3 in 5, Jones 4 for 4 in 1, Zamora 2 for 4 in 2, PB—Finley 2, W—Singleton, L—Haynes, U—Dorothy and Sykes, T—2:15.

### SPORTS SLANTS by SHORTY SHELburne

Reports have been circulated in Midland that two hurdlers from Ysleta were running ahead of Midland's Harrie Smith in the finals of the high hurdles at Austin Saturday and that both fell on the last hurdle to enable Smith to win.  
THAT REPORT IS FALSE AND BEARS NO RESEMBLANCE TO THE TRUTH!  
Harrie Smith broke out ahead on



Harrie Smith

the first hurdle in both the qualifying heat and in the finals. He stayed out front all the way and never was challenged seriously for the lead in either race.  
Smith this year developed into the greatest hurdler Midland High School ever had under the coaching of Tugboat Jones.  
Coach Jones gives all the credit to Harrie but the old Tugboat had something to do with his winning all the way to the end.  
For one thing, Coach Jones had Smith starting on a different foot. He had trouble making the first hurdle when workouts started. He changed over and it hit his long stride just perfectly.  
Since that time he never has even been behind in a race, let alone lost one.  
—SS—  
Smith's state high hurdles title is the first hurdle to come to Midland as far as we can find out. It was a fitting end to the career of a fine boy and a good athlete.  
Harrie is a senior and has just about done his last for MHS but his track record and his football play long will be remembered as one of the big steps which helped Midland High's Bulldogs along the road up.  
The Midland Bulldogs aren't a breeze for any opponent in any sport anymore. The new era is here.  
—SS—  
Harold Webb won't be with the Indians for at least five days. He drew a five-day suspension from President Hal Sayles Monday for his charging of the umpires in Sunday's game with Vernon.  
The league prey also warned him about some of his ball players charging the umpires and told him to put a stop to it.  
"I'll do my very best to hold my temper and be a gentleman on the field from here out," Webb said.  
—SS—  
Hank Ramsdell, the outfielder who was due to join the Indian last week, has written Webb his reasons for not coming.  
"I was ready to come down there but my wife had different ideas. She figured if I enrolled in college and play semi-pro baseball for \$25 a game, I will be doing better.  
"I can get my schooling on the GI Bill and play three games a week here. That way I still will play baseball and get an education at the same time," Ramsdell wrote.  
—SS—  
So that puts an end to the Hank Ramsdell deal. He could have helped the Indians but if he can't come to Midland, he can't.  
Hank added in his letter that the Pittsburgh Pirates may sign him for one of their farm clubs.  
He played Class A ball last year and did a good job. He still has the makings of a ball player.  
—SS—  
Just leave it to Kenny Jones to do things right. He hadn't hit a home run out of Indian Park in two years up to Monday night but when he did clout one—it was a four-run, four-put rap.  
Kenny collected \$71 through the screen from generous fans.  
"At that rate I'm gonna try to hit some more," Kenny says.

### WT-NM League Lamesa, Clovis, Amarillo, Dukes Hang Up Victories

By The Associated Press  
Lamesa got 26 hits Monday night and while every one wasn't a home run the Lobos got that many runs in swamping Borger 26-6.  
Eulis Rossen held Borger to five hits while his mates went on a rampage in the West Texas-New Mexico League game. They scored eight runs in the seventh inning for some sort of high point.  
In other games, Clovis got 19 hits and a 19-8 victory over Pampa. Don Cantrell singled Hershel Martin home in the tenth inning to give Albuquerque a 6-5 decision over Lubbock, and Amarillo edged Abilene 12-11 for its third in a row. In this game there were 12 home runs, including three by Walt Sessi of Abilene and two each by Hayden Greer of Abilene and Doug Lewis and Stan Surma of Amarillo.

### Aussie Ace



Marjorie Jackson of Australia gets off to a driving start in Los Angeles Coliseum under watchful eye of assistant trainer Evelynne Hall. The 18-year-old sprinter who co-shares women's world record of 10.8 seconds for 100 yards with the Dutch housewife and Olympic star, Mrs. Fanny Blankers-Koen, will compete in Coliseum Relays May 19.

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### Deadline Set For Entering Softball Teams In League

Friday noon has been set as the deadline for entering the City Major League in the JayCee Softball Program, Wade Whiteley, chairman of the JayCee Sports Committee, announced Tuesday.  
Six teams definitely have entered the league and two more are needed. If they are not obtained by Friday the loop will operate with six.  
Whiteley urged any prospective sponsors to contact him at telephone No. 2684 before 5 p.m.  
The Church League will decide definitely Thursday night how many teams it will have, and the Optimist Club's Boys League is taking shape. Schedules will be drawn up Friday afternoon and play in all leagues will open Monday night at Wadley Field.  
The City Major now has Western Plastic, Rotary Engineers, Shell, Standard, Rendezvous and The Reporter-Telegram entered.  
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### Black Indians Play Wednesday Night

The Midland Black Indians will play the Magic City, N. D., All-Stars at 7:15 p.m. Wednesday in Indian Park.  
The All-Stars, a barnstorming baseball club, have defeated the Kermit Oilers and other teams in this area.  
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### Webb Draws Suspension; Off On Hunt For Talent

Harold Webb, owner-manager of the Midland Indians, Monday drew a five-day suspension from Longhorn League President Hal Sayles for directing threats and "uncomplimentary" remarks to the umpires during Sunday's game with Vernon here.  
The suspension became effective Tuesday. Webb said Jim Prince, veteran first baseman, will be acting manager during his absence.  
Webb also announced he is leaving immediately for Oklahoma City, Dallas and Fort Worth on a search for pitchers and an outfielder who can "hit it out of the park."  
"I can see just about what we need now and I'll be back with it by next week," Webb said.  
President Sayles, in addition to suspending Webb, issued a stern warning to all Midland ball players. His message follows:  
"Harold Webb, manager  
"Midland Baseball Club  
"Midland, Texas  
"You are hereby suspended five days effective May 9, for your actions during and after Sunday's game. Your threats and uncomplimentary remarks directed at the umpires were entirely out of place and your acts incited your players to the detriment of your team and baseball generally. Am

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# Sports

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## MAJOR LEAGUES—

### American Loop Managers Eye Detroit Tigers

By JOE REICHLER  
Associated Press Sports Writer

Rival big league managers are beginning to talk about Red Rolfe's hustling Detroit Tigers with a great deal of respect.

Baseball men who previously had regarded the Tigers as "just another first division club," are openly giving the Bengals a good chance to win the American League flag.

Casey Stengel, skipper of the New York Yankees, is the latest to climb aboard the Detroit bandwagon. Not that he thinks his Yankees won't repeat. But now he rates the Tigers even with Boston's powerful Red Sox as the teams he expects to give him his toughest fight.

"Detroit is the best looking club we've faced thus far," he said Monday following the Tigers' 7-1 triumph over his world champions. "They're going to be tough, you can bet on that. Especially when (Hal) Newhouser comes around. I don't like to talk about players on other clubs. But that (Art) Houtteman looked like the best pitcher in the league out there today."

Houtteman, 22-year-old right-hander blanked the Yankees for eight innings, but let up in the ninth after his mates had given him a 7-0 lead. It was his fourth triumph against only one loss.

The Tigers Tuesday were leading the league. Although tied with Boston in games won and lost, the Tigers led the Red Sox by 64 percentage points. They've won 10 of 14 starts while the Sox have won 13 of 20.

The two clubs meet in the first of an important three-game series at Fenway Park Tuesday.

**Big Guns**  
Detroit's George Kell, Vic Wertz and Hook Evers were the big guns in Monday's triumph. Kell hit a single, double and triple and scored three times. Wertz slammed a double and triple and drove in two runs. Evers belted a single and home run and knocked in three runs.

Vic Raschi, Yankee starter, pitched well for seven innings but blew in the eighth and ninth, yielding five runs. It was his second loss against as many victories.

Washington's surprising Senators handed Bobby Feller his second straight defeat as Sid Hudson pitched them to a 4-2 triumph over Cleveland under the Washington

lights. Besides spacing 10 hits for his third triumph, Hudson helped win his own game with a run-scoring single and a long fly that brought in another tally.

**National League**  
Brooklyn retained its National League leadership, defeating the Pirates in Pittsburgh 7-5. The Pirates staged a belated ninth-inning rally, routing starter Bud Podbielan with a two-run attack. Jack Banta replaced Podbielan and stopped the Bucs with the potential tying runs on the bases.

Philadelphia's Phillies remained a half game behind the Brooks, edging out the Reds in a Cincinnati night game 6-5. A wild throw by Herm Wehmeier in an attempted pick-off play in the seventh inning allowed the Phils to score the tie-breaking run. Ted Kluszewski's three-run homer in the sixth had put Cincinnati in front 5-4 until the Phils' two-run rally in the seventh.

Ken Johnson, although replaced by Bob Miller in the seventh, gained credit for his second triumph.

Little Tommy Giaviano was the big man in the Cardinals' 10-3 victory over the Boston Braves in St. Louis. The hustling infielder had a perfect night at the plate, four hits and a walk. He drove in five runs and scored three. His base knocks included a double and home run.

The Reds collected 11 hits off loser Vern Bickford and two successors while Gerry Staley allowed the Braves eight. The victory enabled the Cards to vault past the Braves into third place. The defeat was Bickford's third without a victory. No other teams were scheduled.

**Tabor Injured In Grid Drill; Thomas Returns To Squad**  
It was a sad day for the Midland Bulldogs Monday as they returned to Spring training drills for the third week.

Jack Tabor, a fine line prospect, suffered a broken leg during a tackling drill. He was admitted to a Stanton hospital after receiving attention here from Dr. Henry Leigh, team physician.

Dr. Leigh said Tabor's condition is satisfactory. He will be in the hospital three weeks and the leg should be healed in eight weeks, the doctor said.

The Bulldogs had a general drill in Monday's session, running plays, setting up offensive and defensive formations and doing routine work.

Several new plays were introduced and will be worked on this week.

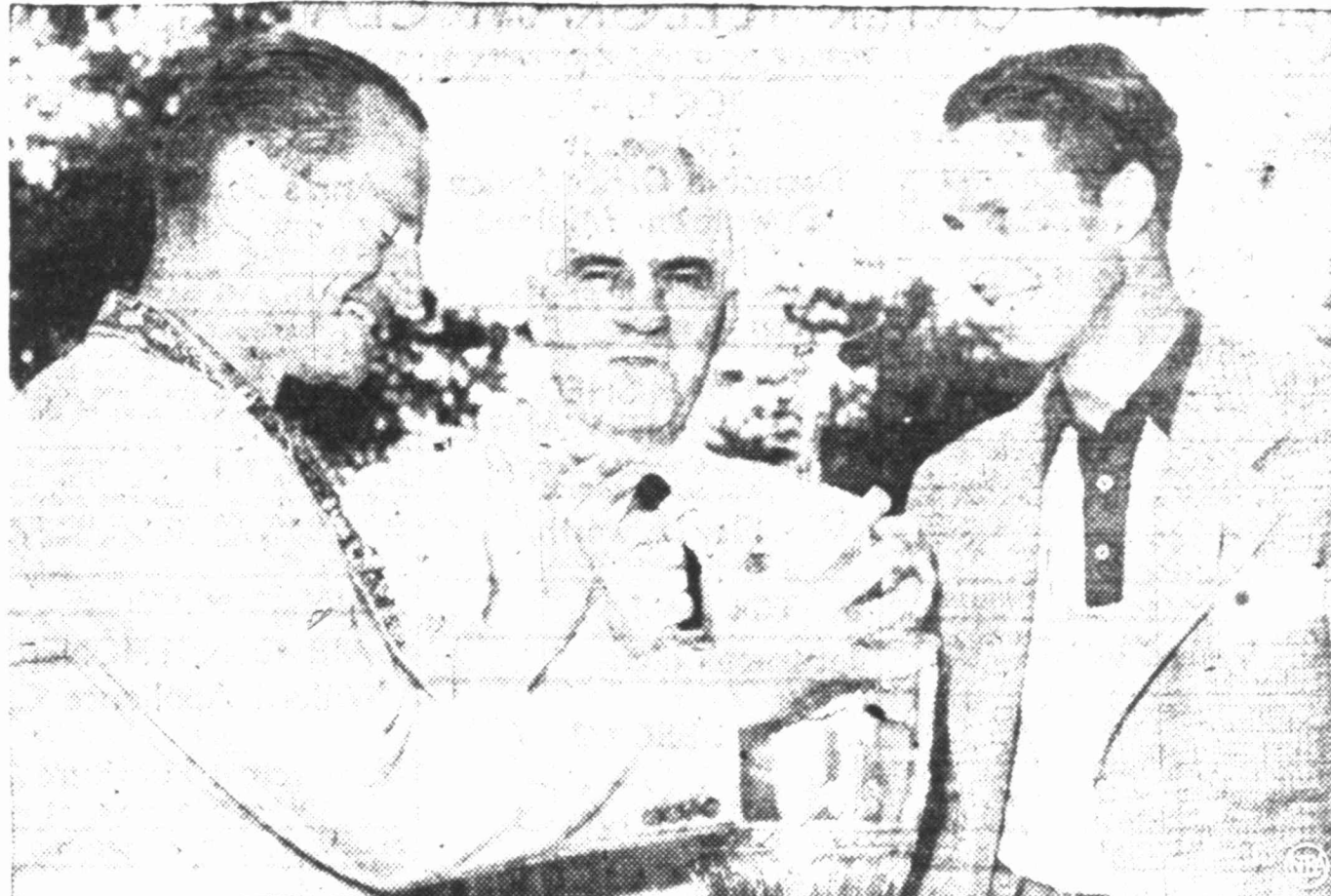
L. C. Thomas returned to contact work Monday. He had been out with an injury.

Ralph Brooks and W. H. Black, track men, also returned to football drills.

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## Oklahoma Amateur Wins Western Golf Title



Robert Goldwater, left, Phoenix, Ariz., reaches for the winner's trophy which Charley Coe, right, Oklahoma City, Okla., holds. At center is Jerome P. Bowes, president of the Western Golf Association, from Chicago. Charley Coe annexed his Western Amateur Golf Open title by defeating Goldwater 7 and 6 on the thirtieth green of the afternoon round at the Dallas Country Club.

## STANDINGS

**MONDAY'S RESULTS**  
Longhorn League

MIDLAND 12, SWEETWATER 1.  
Big Spring 14, Roswell 7.  
San Angelo 7, Vernon 3.  
Ballinger 13, Odessa 1.

**WT-NM League**  
Lamesa 25, Borger 6.  
Clovis 19, Pampa 8.  
Albuquerque 6, Lubbock 5.  
Amarillo 12, Abilene 11.

**Texas League**  
Beaumont 6, Dallas 1.  
Fort Worth 4, Shreveport 3.  
Oklahoma City 6, San Antonio 4.  
Houston 14, Tulsa 5.

**National League**  
St. Louis 10, Boston 3.  
Philadelphia 6, Cincinnati 5.  
Brooklyn 7, Pittsburgh 5.  
(Only games scheduled.)

**American League**  
Detroit 7, New York 1.  
Washington 4, Cleveland 2.  
(Only games scheduled.)

**TUESDAY'S STANDINGS**  
Longhorn League

W. L. Pct.	
Odessa	18 7 .720
Big Spring	15 6 .714
Roswell	14 11 .560
MIDLAND	13 13 .500
Sweetwater	13 13 .500
Vernon	9 14 .391
San Angelo	10 16 .385
Ballinger	8 18 .250

**WT-NM League**

W. L. Pct.	
Clovis	12 6 .667
Borger	11 7 .611
Lamesa	12 8 .600
Lubbock	11 8 .579
Pampa	7 10 .412
Albuquerque	7 10 .412
Amarillo	7 11 .389
Abilene	5 12 .294

**Texas League**

W. L. Pct.	
Fort Worth	19 8 .704
Oklahoma City	15 10 .600
Tulsa	13 10 .565
Beaumont	12 12 .500
San Antonio	12 15 .444
Shreveport	10 14 .417
Houston	9 16 .360
Dallas	9 17 .346

**National League**

W. L. Pct.	
Brooklyn	11 6 .647
Philadelphia	12 8 .600
St. Louis	10 8 .556
Boston	10 10 .500
Pittsburgh	9 9 .500
Chicago	6 6 .500
New York	5 8 .385
Cincinnati	4 13 .235

**American League**

W. L. Pct.	
Detroit	10 4 .714
Boston	13 7 .650
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## Texas League—Oklahoma City Continues Hot Victory Streak

By WILBUR MARTIN  
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If you wanted to be corny about Oklahoma City's seven-game winning streak, you could say the Indians were on the warpath.

If you didn't want to be corny, you could say the Indians are the hottest team in the Texas League right now. Their seventh straight victory Monday night, a 6-4 affair over San Antonio, shot them into second place.

Stu Locklin's two-run double in the eighth inning sent the Indians past Tulsa in the standings.

In other games, Fort Worth nudged Shreveport 4-3 in 14 innings, Beaumont beat Dallas 6-1, and Houston walloped Tulsa 14-5.

Monday night's games opened an 11-day invasion of the North by teams in the Southern end of the circuit.

Russ Rose and Ken Staples hit consecutive doubles to give Fort Worth the decision over the Sports.

Seven runs in the second inning started Houston on its one-sided win. Danny Gardella's home run teed off the Buffs on that big outburst in the second.

Beaumont used three-run sprays in the eighth and ninth innings to knock Dallas back into last place.

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### Permian Basin Oil & Gas Log

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and hydrostatic pressure was 4,531 pounds.  
The Canyon reef was topped at 9,285 feet, on an elevation of 3,389 feet. The vent is bottomed at 9,310 feet, and operators will set seven-inch casing in the top of the reef before testing further.  
This new discovery is 610 feet from north and east lines of labor 13, league 5, Wilbarger County School land survey, and four miles south of the town of Smyer.

### NW Upton Wildcat Develops No Shows

\*Sinclair Oil & Gas Company and Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Davis, Northwest Upton County wildcat, six and one-half miles southwest of the Pegasus field, and 690 feet from north and east lines of section 20, block 41, TP survey, T-5-S, failed to find any shows of production in a drillstem test at 9,784-9,944 feet in the Wolfcamp, lower Permian.  
The tool was open 45 minutes. Recovery was 10 feet of drilling mud, with no shows of oil, gas or water. The prospector is slated to dig to 13,000 feet to test the Ellenburger, unless it develops commercial petroleum production before reaching that formation.

### Borden Reef Pool Gets Another Site

George P. Livermore, Inc. of Lubbock, discovery operator of the suggested north Vincent-Canyon pool in Southeast Borden County, has staked another exploration in that area.  
Livermore No. 1 A. L. Holly will be 660 feet from east and 784.7 feet from north lines of section 32, block 25, H&TC survey. It is a west offset to the Livermore No. 1 Reinecke, discovery well in the area.  
Slated depth for the No. 1 Holly is 7,000 feet. Drilling is to begin immediately.  
P. R. Rutherford and others No. 1-B Griffin, a one-location northeast offset to Castleman & O'Neill No. 1 Griffin which extends into the North Vincent area one and one-quarter miles to the miles, was last

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to their patience and understanding during the period of adjustment, and the best efforts of post office workers in providing post service.  
The postmaster said all routes had to be changed under the new single-delivery order and that all carriers had to learn the new routes. Foot routes were cut from 14 to 11, he stated. The office also has two mounted routes and three parcel post routes.  
He explained that no directory service for incorrectly addressed mail now is available except for C. O. D., insured, registered, special delivery and obviously valuable parcels. Ordinary letters incorrectly or incompletely addressed will be examined by an experienced clerk in an effort to deliver them before they are returned to the sender or forwarded to the Dead Letter Office. He said the cooperation of patrons in the correct and complete addressing of all mail.  
**More Space Needed**  
Oates said he had requested authority to lease additional space to relieve an overcrowded situation existing in the main post office and in the branch station and to provide space for more boxes. He said he could rent 1,000 more boxes within two weeks time if they were available.  
He pointed out the post office's business districts do not correspond to the city's business zones, and that twice daily delivery service applies only to the downtown business district. Residential districts now have only one delivery daily. Two routes cover the business district.  
**Business Districts Listed**  
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### Terry Pool Steepest

reported drilling below 6,729 in shale.  
The Rutherford venture is 660 feet from west and 467 feet from south lines of section 59, block 25, H&TC survey, and 13 miles northeast of Luther.

### Five Reef Projects Staked In Scurry

Five new explorations have been staked in the Scurry reef pools of Scurry County.  
Shell Oil Company No. 2 C. V. Thomson has been scheduled on the extreme west edge of the Sharon Ridge-Canyon pool nine miles northwest of Ira.  
Exact location is 1,963 feet from east and 668 feet from south lines of the northeast quarter of section 121, block 25, H&TC survey. Drilling is to begin immediately.  
Sunray Oil Corporation will drill its No. 4 P. W. Cloud on the east edge of the Kelley-Snyder field, six miles north of Snyder.  
Drill site is 467 feet from north and 1,567 feet from west lines of section 19, block 3, H&TC survey. Slated depth is 7,000 feet, and drilling is to begin at once.  
**Diamond M Edge**  
Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2 McLaughlin is slated for the east edge of the Diamond M field, five miles southwest of Snyder.  
Exact location is 467 feet from south and west lines of section 195, block 97, H&TC survey. Slated depth to top of the Canyon in that area is 6,900 feet.  
The Texas Company has scheduled its No. 4 M. A. Boyd on the extreme northeast edge of the Diamond M-Canyon lime field.  
Drill site is eight and one-half miles west of Snyder, and 467 feet from east and 669 feet from north lines of the southeast quarter of section 213, block 97, H&TC survey. Slated depth is 7,000 feet. Drilling is to begin at once.  
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 8 Mimmie Smith will be drilled 1,820.6 feet from south and 467 feet from west lines of the southeast quarter of section 18, block 1, J. P. Smith survey, and two and one-half miles northwest of Snyder.  
This puts the drill site in the Kelley-Snyder field. Drilling is to begin immediately.

### Wildcat Plugged In Central Nolan

J. S. Michaels No. 1 Gus Farrar, wildcat in Central Nolan County has been plugged and abandoned in sulphur-watered Ellenburger.  
On a final drillstem test at 7,519 feet recovery after three hours was 100 gallons of black sulphur water. Top of the Ellenburger was corrected to 7,342 feet, on an elevation of 2,593 feet. Original top was called at 7,306 feet.  
This failure was 660 feet from south and west lines of the northwest quarter of section 196, block 1-A, H&TC survey.

### Abandonment Slated For Glasscock Test

Abandonment is slated for Shell Oil Company No. 2 TXL, Ellenburger wildcat in southeast Glasscock County. Total depth of the venture is 9,801 feet.  
On a drillstem test at 6,692-9,801 feet, recovery after two hours was three and one-tenth barrels of muddy, salty, sulphur water. Sulphur water.  
Top of the Ellenburger is 9,646 feet, on a minus datum of 6,955 feet. No possibilities of production were logged in section drilled.  
Drill site is in section 23, block 32, T-4-S, T&P survey.

### Pecos County To Have New Inspector

PORT STOCKTON — Officers and directors of the Pecos County Livestock Protective Association Tuesday were to consider applicants for the job as county livestock inspector.  
Directors are interested in filling the place vacated by the resignation of Tom Eyck. He served as Pecos County livestock inspector under a commission as deputy sheriff.

### Gipson Joins Police Force As Patrolman

Frank W. Gipson has been added to the force of the Midland Police Department as a patrolman. Police Chief Jack Ellington announced Tuesday.  
The department still is short three men and hopes to hire them soon in order to reach full strength, Ellington said.

### C. A. STROUD'S OFFICE ON WEST TEXAS ENTERED

C. A. Stroud's office at 509 West Texas Street was entered after closing time Monday and two calculating machines, a typewriter and other items were taken, police reported. A full investigation is underway.

### VISITS DAUGHTER HERE

D. K. Woodward, Dallas banker and chairman of the Board of Regents of the University of Texas, visited Monday in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Thomas R. Houghton, here.

### MINOR SURGERY

Billy Whiles, eight-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold O. Whiles, Terminal, was admitted Tuesday to Western Clinic-Hospital, where he is to undergo minor surgery.

### Republicans Decide To Exempt Military From Economy Drive

WASHINGTON—(AP)—House Republican leaders Tuesday agreed to try to exempt \$896,000,000 from the \$29,000,000,000 omnibus appropriation bill.  
The agreement was reached at a meeting of the GOP Policy Committee.  
Representative Taber of New York, leader of the Republican drive to whack approximately one billion dollars from the big measure, said the committee decided to push amendments to:  
(1) Restrict federal agencies in filling job vacancies during the fiscal year starting July 1, and (2) reduce sums tentatively approved for operation of the government.  
The Army, the Navy and the Air Force, he said, will be exempted from the proposed cuts.  
Actually, the House was all set to add \$350,000,000 to the bill for national defense spending. Most of the extra money would go for air power.  
**Sub Sinking Talked**  
A congressman's suggestion that a United States warship recently may have sunk "a strange submarine" was not expected to hurt the cause of House members insisting that the cold war is too warm to permit economies at the expense of national defense.  
The assertion of Representative Young (D-Ohio) about the submarine sinking actually created little stir in the House. Young said in a statement that the U. S. warship may have "engaged a strange submarine and sunk it with depth bombs."  
He said he didn't "dream this" and "I didn't get it out of my mind," but refused to elaborate further.

### Reds Tie Strings To Offer For City Election In Berlin

BERLIN—(AP)—Russia says she will agree to a city-wide election in Berlin if Allied troops moved more than 100 miles back to West Germany. There appears little chance the Soviet condition will be accepted.  
Along with four other demands calculated to give East German Communists the upper hand in the elections, a Russian note Monday night proposed withdrawal of all occupation troops from the city, Russian troops would need to move only to Berlin's outskirts. American, British and French soldiers would have to go to the Soviet zone border on the Elbe River, more than 100 miles to the west.  
Guarded but cool first reactions to the Russian response were registered by two of the three Western commandants who three weeks ago proposed the city-wide ballot.  
Max Gen Maxwell D. Taylor, the American occupation chief here, said he found "little encouragement" in the Russian note. The British commandant, Maj. Gen. Geoffrey K. Bourne, termed the reply "very roundabout way of saying 'No.'"

### Family Wonders What Is Making Rocking Chair Rock

MUSCATINE, IOWA.—(AP)—The Floyd Holladays don't know what makes their old rocking chair rock, but they wish it would stop.  
More than 200 persons have seen the empty platform rocker rocking. Some say the chair is haunted.  
Holladay says he doesn't believe in the supernatural. But he can't explain why the chair has rocked almost steadily for 37 days.  
Holladay's wife says the rocker scares her.  
The Holladays bought the chair in 1942. It was just a chair until the family moved into a house they rented from their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Floy Brossart. Brossart died March 17. Six days later the chair started rocking.  
Visitors suggested the rocking was caused by vibrations from a refrigerator motor or hot air from a register. But Holladay says they moved the chair into every room in the house. They even have examined its insides. The chair rocks anyway.  
Holladay says the ghost "will have to put up with me sitting on its lap when I feel like using the chair."

### Garden Apartments Are Air-Conditioned

FLORAL PARK, N. Y.—(AP)—Garden apartments being built on the former estate of the late John Lewis Childs, horticulturist, are being equipped with individual air-cooling units for each room.  
The devices, based on air-conditioning mechanism usually placed on window sills, are being built in the walls. They were developed by General Motors to specifications of Robert Metrick, the builder.  
With 248 families to be accommodated in 32 two-story buildings at rents ranging from \$58.50 to \$106 per month, Metrick claims this is the first time individual air-cooling has been adapted to apartments in that rental range.

### UNDERGOES MINOR SURGERY

Ruthie Schneider, seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Schneider, 601 West Wall, was admitted Tuesday to Western Clinic-Hospital, where she underwent minor surgery.

### MAJOR SURGERY

Edwin Shain, 12, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Shain, 904 North Colorado Street, was admitted Tuesday to Western Clinic-Hospital. She is to undergo major surgery.

### ADMITTED FOR SURGERY

Mrs. B. E. Stephens, 510 South Colorado Street, was admitted Monday to Western Clinic-Hospital, where she underwent major surgery.

### DISMISSED AFTER SURGERY

Ross Beardmore of Ozona, an employee of an oil company, was dismissed Tuesday from Western Clinic-Hospital. Beardmore underwent emergency major surgery April 30 after an accident on a drilling rig near Ozona.

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### McCamey News

McCAMEY — Mrs. Fred Gibson Tuesday went to Big Spring to attend an executive meeting of Home Demonstration Club officers. Mrs. Gibson is district vice president of District Six. Mrs. R. L. Campbell of Wildorado, state president, was to meet with the group. Plans are to be made for the state meeting scheduled for August 23, 24, and 25 in Big Spring.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Clark and son, Roy John of Denver City, were guests Friday of Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Reimers.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Whitfield and Mrs. Scotti Fletcher and children spent last weekend with relatives in Abilene.  
H. W. Hook recently was released from a San Angelo Hospital. He had been a surgical patient for three months.

### House Leader Sees Big GOP Gains In November Voting

WASHINGTON—(AP)—A leading House Republican Tuesday predicted the GOP will come close to winning control of Congress in the November election.  
For publication. Democratic strategists were saying nothing except that it is too early to make forecasts.  
Rep. Clarence Brown of Ohio, who managed the GOP congressional campaign in 1946 when Republicans regained control of Congress after a long dry spell, told newsmen the GOP will "pick up from 25 to 35 House seats and probably five Senate seats in the November elections."  
While gains of that size wouldn't knock the Democrats out of control, it would make the party division so close that a coalition of Republicans and Southern Democrats could run the show. There always have been some Southerners who won't vote with the Truman Democrats.  
Between now and November, Brown said, the picture may change to such an extent that Republicans could win numerical control of both branches of Congress and wouldn't have to rely on Southern Democrats.  
"There is a definite trend now away from radicalism and the Truman program," Brown said. "Evidence of that is the defeat of Senator Pepper in the Florida Democratic primary and the election of a Republican representative from Texas for the first time in more than twenty years."

### Optimist Luncheon Devoted To Business

The regular weekly meeting of the Optimist Club, held Tuesday noon in Hotel Scharbauer, was devoted to club business.  
V. H. (Pete) Van Horn, president.  
James C. Velvin, Jr., presented estimates on the proposed Boys Workshop.  
Gene Purvis told of plans for formation of a Boys Softball League.  
The weekly attendance prize went to James Turner.

### HAS MINOR SURGERY

Stephen R. Shannon, three-year-old son of Dr. and Mrs. B. Shannon, 511 North Baird Street, underwent minor surgery Tuesday at Western Clinic-Hospital.

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### Monahans—

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snock, Tornillo, Fabens, Clint and Jeta, all located on U. S. 80.  
Actually the designation of the highway is subject to two conditions:  
"That all required right of way the several counties of Winkler, Loving and Reeves be furnished and fenced free of cost to the State Highway Department; and  
"That, in accordance with the approval of the County Commissioners Court, Winkler County will contribute the sum of \$165,000 to provide for the costs of constructing its highway in Winkler County."

### Commissioners Hold Regular Meeting

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Midland County Commissioners Court was held Monday with County Judge Clifford C. Keith presiding.  
Several routine business matters were discussed by the commissioners. They approved payment of several county bills and discussed the purchase of more right-of-way land for the proposed four-lane highway to Odessa.  
**RESIGNS TO ACCEPT PASTORATE AT MIDLAND**  
CORSIANA —(P)—The Rev. James B. Sharp of Corsicana resigned Monday night as associate pastor of the First Methodist Church here to accept pastorate of the new St. Marks Methodist Church at Midland June 1. He is a student at Southern Methodist University.

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### Water Plans—

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respective reservoirs would be of good quality and of sufficient quantity to meet future needs of the three cities.  
The GRMW proposal calls for the project to be financed by the sale of revenue bonds backed up by firm contracts from the participating cities to purchase water in sufficient quantities to retire the bonds. Dickey stated. The three cities would retain their present water systems.  
The Bureau project would be financed by the government, with a 40 to 50 year pay-out, also backed up by water purchase commitments by the participating cities.  
**Difficult Problem**  
Dickey, who did not state a preference for either proposal, said the problem is not an easy one on which to reach a decision.  
A question and answer period followed Dickey's talk.

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### JUVENILES PICKED UP

Two juveniles were picked up by Midland Police Monday after they were reported shooting firearms in the city limits. They were released to their parents.

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