

# Japs Planning Double Attack

## Frank Wolcott Dies Here Of Heart Attack

Prominent Rancher Was Long-Time Resident Of West Texas Ranch Area

Frank Wolcott, 52, rancher and resident near Midland 44 years, member of a prominent West Texas ranching family, died suddenly of a heart attack at 5 p. m. Saturday enroute to a hospital.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p. m. Sunday at Ellis Funeral Chapel with the Rev. John E. Pickering officiating. Pallbearers will be Allen Tolbert, Joe Youngblood, Dee McCormick, Elliott Barron, Percy Mims, H. G. Bedford, and Jim Sales and J. T. Sales of Stanton.

Survivors include: His widow, Mrs. Delma Wolcott, Midland; his mother, Mrs. Ida Wolcott, Midland; four daughters, Mrs. Ed Watts, Mrs. Frank McKiff, Mrs. Gene Washam, all of Midland and Mrs. Cecil Trammell, Lubbock; one son, G. W. Wolcott, Midland; four sisters, Mrs. Ray Hyatt, Miss Juliet Wolcott, Mrs. K. P. Campbell, and Mrs. R. H. Knox, all of Midland; and a brother, Henry T. Wolcott, Midland.

Wolcott was born in Pecos April 10, 1889 and came to Midland with his parents when he was eight years old. His father was the late George W. Wolcott.

Wolcott ranched northeast of Midland with most of his holdings in Martin County.

## Six Sloan Field Cadets Receive Army Commission

Six young men who came to Sloan Field last month as cadets Saturday had commissions as second lieutenants in the Army. They are:

- Second Lieut. Charles E. Baldwin, Jr., from Hopewell, Va.
- Second Lieut. Vincent J. Capobianco from Schenectady, N. Y.
- Second Lieut. Robert G. Cheatum from Hutchinson, Kan.
- Second Lieut. John R. McGray of Columbia, Mo.
- Second Lieut. Arnold A. Maes, of Waukegan, Ill.
- Second Lieut. John P. Titus of Minneapolis, Minn.

All received commissions as second lieutenants in the Air Corps Reserve and immediately were transferred to active duty. The six men completed their training at Chanute Field, Ill. before their transfer to Sloan Field. Lieut. Baldwin is a communications officer and the others are engineering officers.

Baldwin received his commission last Wednesday and the others Friday.

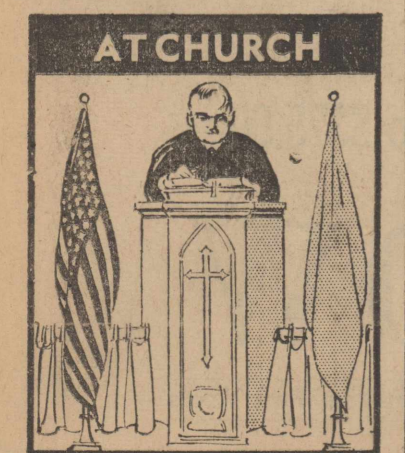
## Midland Merchants Invited To Bid On Sloan Field Supplies

Midland merchants were invited Saturday by Captain Albert B. Armstrong at the quartermaster's office at Sloan Field to submit bids to him on food, hardware and other supplies to be used at the Army Air Corps Advanced Flying School here.

Captain Armstrong, the purchasing agent for the field, said a list of supplies which will be purchased has been placed on file at the Chamber of Commerce. Merchants may inspect it there and then contact the Captain by telephone or call on him.

He said Midland merchants would be shown every consideration if quality and price are equal.

## Flag Etiquette



## Town Hall To Bring Durant Here Friday

Will Durant, regarded by many persons as America's greatest philosopher-historian, has agreed to be the guest speaker for Town Hall at 8 p. m. Friday night at the Midland High School auditorium. His subject will be "The World Revolution."

Dr. Durant's acceptance of Town Hall's invitation to analyze the greatest and most widespread social upheaval in history while it is in progress, was obtained with the assistance of the national organization with which the club is affiliated.



Dr. Durant is now engaged in writing his greatest "Story of Civilization"—two volumes of which already have been published. He made literary history and gained international renown as the author of "The Story of Philosophy"—a book

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## Monahans Jaycee Prexy Joins Army

MONAHANS — (Sp) — Resignations of president J. H. Starley and treasurer M. A. Nicholson were accepted by the board of directors of the Junior Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night. Starley has been called into service with the U. S. Army, and Nicholson recently moved to Odessa.

Louis Pinkerton and Jim Sprinkle were named by the directors to fill the vacancies on the board, and Hal Adams, a member of the board, was elected treasurer to succeed Nicholson. E. L. Kent, vice president, automatically becomes president of the organization.

Plans for the annual Service Award banquet, to be held on February 12, were discussed, and minor business matters taken up by the board.

## If Your Hoe Bounces Off That Weed, Well, Brother, It May Be A Rubber Plant! Honest!

Being A Smallish Yarn About Making Rubber From West Texas Weeds

By Ray M. Camp  
(Note: The Associated Press says that a California man told the House Agricultural committee that 55,000 acres of Guayule shrub would meet the full requirements for rubber in the nation.)

Folks, "rags to riches" stories have always gained your ear, but now, when you need a new tire mightily bad, you had better tune your ear to a "weeds to tires" story. Yes, it's a true story. But, you probably wouldn't know the right weed, even though your back yard may be overrun with it!

Yes, the Guayule shrub, or weed, grows hale and hearty in West Texas, and in some areas between the Pecos and Rio Grande Rivers it just about takes some of the flats. It is a disconsolate, tough-looking little weed that neither man nor beast can eat. Looks a little dis-

## About 250 Men Arrive Here On Special Train

Major H. R. Baxter And Staff Greet Troops When Train Arrives

More soldiers arrived at Sloan Field Saturday night by special train from the east.

Where they came from was a military secret. Approximately 250 men, fully equipped, were on the special train of five passenger cars which arrived at the field about 7 o'clock.

The train stopped for a minute at the Midland station. Car doors were not opened but the men of the armed forces crowded to the windows to get a glimpse of the city which becomes their home.

After the brief stop, the train proceeded to Sloan Field and was backed into the siding in the military reservation.

The men quickly climbed out of the cars. Trucks were there to take the soldiers to their new barracks.

Supper Is Ready  
Major H. R. Baxter, Sloan Field executive officer, and his staff were at the tracks to greet the officers and soldiers.

A few minutes later the men enjoyed a hot supper at their new home.

After supper they went to their barracks to arrange equipment.

Although the post from which the men came was not revealed immediately, it was learned that they came from east of the Mississippi River.

Approximately 550 men now are stationed at the field and more are due to arrive within a few days.

## May Name Byrnes To Speed Work

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Amid persistent reports that President Roosevelt plans reorganization of the military production and supply setup, Congressional circles heard today that Associate Justice James F. Byrnes of the Supreme Court might be asked to undertake coordination of this phase of the war effort.

Mr. Roosevelt's reluctance to ask the former South Carolina Senator to step down from the high court, to which he was named last June 12, was said to have stayed any decision on the question temporarily. Some well-informed legislators pressed to believe that because of this the President might, if he chose to act at all, merely "borrow" the Justice temporarily to aid in re-vamping the production organization.

## Warm West Texas Welcome At Dance

Soldiers of Sloan Field got a warm welcome to West Texas Saturday night—a dance in their honor at Hotel Scharbauer.

Many of them had been here only a few minutes before boarding trucks and going dancing in Midland.

Sponsored by the Midland Recreational Council the affair was held in the Crystal Ballroom.

Thirty-eight couples and several stags danced. Music was by phonograph public-address system.

Mrs. John Hills, Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, Mrs. Glenn Lewis were hostesses. Young ladies of the city were partners.

appointed, downcast, no doubt because for century on century it grew before anyone could figure out a use for it.

But this week it claimed the ear of the nation and whispered a strange story of help and service. The Guayule weed is a high percent rubber-content plant! And, all you have to do is burn it, pick up the residue of resin; pound that resin until it becomes flexible... and there you are! It is rubber!

No one knows how that was discovered. Maybe an Indian built a fire and fed it with Guayule weeds, and by accident kicked the dirty-looking resin out. Maybe an Indian child picked up that resin for a plaything; and perchance, while his mother was not looking, he put it in the old corn-grinding bowl and proceeded to beat it with a stone pestle. And, maybe, it finally bounced off the stone and bounced around

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## American Airlines Leader Will Speak At Chamber Of Commerce Annual Banquet

J. H. Theilig of New York City, vice-president of American Airlines, Inc., will be the principal speaker at the annual banquet and membership meeting of the Midland Chamber of Commerce late this month, Paul McHargue, chairman of the date and speaker committee, announced Saturday.

The event, annually one of the major affairs of the year in Midland, probably will be held either January 20 or 27, the date having been left to the convenience of the speaker. Announcement of the exact date will be made soon.

An invitation to Theilig to address the annual meeting was extended last Wednesday and the airline executive telegraphed his acceptance Saturday. Other members of the date and speaker committee besides McHargue are R. M. Barron and Dr. W. E. Ryan.

Theilig, a forceful and inspirational speaker, is well known in aviation circles throughout the nation and chamber of commerce executives were enthusiastic over his acceptance of the speaking assignment.

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## Nazis Are On Run; Fail To Stem Hard Charging Russian Forces

CHANGSHA, China—(AP)—The continuously increased striking power of the Chinese Army was demonstrated here in the utter rout of a numerically superior Japanese force in the invaders' third disastrous attempt to capture this Hunan province capital.

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In four and a half years of piecemeal conquest the Japanese almost invariably used smaller, far better equipped troops to produce victories against under-gunned but larger Chinese forces.

But in the third battle of Changsha the tables were turned for the first time and Chiang's men, bolstered by American Lend-Lease aid, showed what they could do once they got the necessary tools in their hands.

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## Sloan Field Guard Dies In Hospital

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## Willkie's Son Accepted For Naval School



Phillip Willkie, preparatory to leaving for New York for the Reserve Midshipman School at Annapolis, presents his credentials to U. S. Navy Guard Lawrence Daley as his father, Wendell Willkie and Yoe-man Leone look on. (NEA Telephoto.)

## Chinese Win Major Victory, Defeat Superior Jap Army Before Changsha

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## Luzon, Dutch East Indies Expecting All-Out Attacks

Will Attempt Dislodge MacArthur From Island; He Consolidates Forces

WASHINGTON — (AP) — Fragmentary news from the Philippines led some tacticians here Saturday night to the opinion that the Japanese might be planning an immediate full scale assault upon the Dutch East Indies, simultaneously with an effort to drive General Douglas MacArthur's forces off the island of Luzon.

This view was bolstered, they said, by Army reports of an enemy fleet concentration off Mandanao, the southernmost of the large Philippine Islands, together with a massing of Japanese reinforcements on the Luzon front.

The fighting on Luzon was, meanwhile, in a lull. The artillery of the two armies banged away at each other from a distance. There were sporadic skirmishes between Japanese and American patrols. Enemy air activity was confined to observation flights.

The Army announcement of enemy ships off Mindanao foresaw additional landings on that island and stopped there. Looking farther ahead, however, some observers thought Mindanao would be used as a base for the attack on the East Indies. It is so situated that it could be used as an important depot on the Japanese line of communications.

Near to Borneo  
The nearest major island is that of Borneo, on the northern coast of which, in Sarawak, the Japanese have already established themselves. Beyond lie the Dutch East Indies.

It was recalled that American bombing planes raided Japanese concentrations at Davao, on Mindanao, a week ago with highly successful results, and there was much conjecture as to whether the blow could be repeated.

Britain grimly swore its "absolute determination" to defend Singapore and "other vital areas" Sunday as its troops fought an apparently losing battle for Kuala Lumpur, crude rubber center 180 miles north of Singapore.

Gen. Sir Henry R. Pownall, British commander in chief, said:

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## Girdler Visits Relatives Here

Tom M. Girdler, board chairman of Republic Steel since 1929, now is forging a new career in airplane building and doing everything within his power to see that the United States gets the warplanes it needs.

"Texas is a wonderful state," Girdler commented Saturday while visiting relatives in Midland. He was enroute to the Pacific Coast by airplane to try to speed up production of large planes.

Girdler recently was elected chairman of the board of Consolidated Aircraft Corporation and he also is chairman of the board of Vulbee Aircraft, Inc.

He spent Friday night here visiting relatives and departed Saturday by plane for San Diego. En route to Midland, Girdler inspected the large new Consolidated bomber plant at Fort Worth, one of the three new modern factories to which Girdler's corporation will apply mass production technique.

At San Diego, Girdler plans to put his production skill into the job of getting Consolidated rolling smoothly on a vastly increased program of bomber plane construction.

"The pressure is on," he said, "and we are doing things we never thought we could do. The President wants more planes. He's going to get them. I'm going to be as helpful as I can."

## WAR BULLETINS

SOMEWHERE ON THE GERMAN FRONTIER—(AP)—Reports persisted Saturday night, despite official denials from Berlin, that Finland is seeking peace with Russia through Stockholm intermediaries.

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Japan has lost at least 28 Naval vessels and transports and the United States, six, since hostilities broke out between the two nations a month ago.

HOUSTON—(AP)—Relatives here were advised Saturday that father and son—W. A. Free and his son, W. T. Free, 17, were "missing in action" in the Pacific.

SOMEWHERE ON THE GERMAN FRONTIER—(AP)—The Nazi leadership has taken extraordinary measures to deny reports of incipient revolution within the Reich, advices to this border point disclosed Saturday.

SOMEWHERE ON THE GERMAN FRONTIER—(AP)—Germany is seeking volunteers in Croatia to bolster her forces on the Russian front, promising up to the equivalent of \$65 monthly for the families of the fighting men.

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## One Of A Large Family



## Don't Play Hitler's Game

The President, in the inspiring speech in which he set new goals for the national war effort, also called attention to still another answer to the question "What can I do?"

He pointed to a field in which every man, woman, and child can serve his country. It is the field of morale.

Be vigilant, he urged, against racial discrimination in any of its ugly forms. Be wary of any who try to breed mistrust and suspicion between one individual and another, one group and another, one race and another, one government and another.

When you hear a person doing any of those things, the chances are that he or she is merely an innocent dupe. In that case merely make it plain that you do not agree, for the mere challenging of such statements is usually enough to shake them and rob them of their effect.

There is no place in great cosmopolitan America at any time for this group-against-group, race-against-race business at any time. Today we simply cannot afford it, for there lie failure and defeat.

The persons who spreads this kind of talk may not be a deliberate Hitler agent. He is probably innocent. But what he does serves Hitler, and may be actually planned by Hitler agents.

In his most serviceable book, "The Strategy of Terror," Edmond Taylor shows clearly how the deliberate spreading of defeatist rumors by Hitler agents definitely contributed to the fall of France. The confidence of the French people in their leaders, in their army, in their British allies, was systematically shaken by a barrage of rumors planted among them by Quislings and Hitler agents. This is a definitely demonstrated fact. Why should we expect to be immune from this tactic?

Resist the temptation to seem a "wise guy," with "inside dope." When a particularly juicy rumor is dangled before you, question it at once, search for its source, and let it die there without giving yourself the warming satisfaction of passing it on. All the news that is definitely authenticated will be in the newspapers. Take everything that is not officially authenticated with at least one grain of salt, or better yet, pickle it in brine and forget it.

With the pitifully clear examples of Europe before us, we of the United States have a better chance than anyone else has had to squelch the whispers of division and defeat.

### —Buy Defense Bonds and Savings Stamps—

Fine motto for Americans in war time—open your eyes and shut your mouth.

Two divided by one equals divorce.

A couple of oysters is so little for a boarding house to make such a big stew about.

## Negro Soldiers Hunted, Driver Of Car Missing

SAN ANTONIO—(AP) — Three negro soldiers A W O L from Fort Huachuca, Ariz., were hunted throughout the Southwest Saturday night in the disappearance of Coy Carroll Qualls, whose bloodstained ed taxicab was found abandoned here.

Detective Captain Fred Palmer said a chauffeur's license bearing the name of Qualls, of Fry, Ariz., was found in the machine after persons living nearby reported the car had been standing all day Friday.

He said upholstery of the car showed signs of a struggle and was eaked with blood. Some officials expressed belief Qualls may have been robbed and murdered. An exploded .45 caliber shell was found in the cab.

Deputy Sheriff C. C. Sanders said at Bisbee, Ariz., that three negro soldiers from Fort Huachuca has confirmed as A W O L were seen in a cafe at Fry, adjoining the Fort, early Thursday, trying to persuade Qualls to drive them to Bisbee.

Two hours later Qualls' taxi was seen speeding east on Highway 80 near Bisbee.

### PTA SPONSORS SHOWS

COURTNEY—(Special) — Courtney PTA is sponsoring a moving picture show at the auditorium every Thursday, the initial show being given last week.

The PTA will have a called meeting Monday, the January 5 meeting having been postponed on account of bad weather.

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## Building Permits Mostly For Homes

Defense housing permits amounting to \$18,250 last week helped give Midland a good shove-off in 1942 construction.

The grants were for five houses to be built by Midland Housing Corporation. Cost of each will be \$3,850. Locations will be 2100, 2102, 2104, 2106, and 2108 West Kentucky St. in the West End Addition.

Each will be a frame structure, 31 by 36 feet with detached garage.

J. W. McMillen will build a \$7,600 residence at 1811 West Missouri St. It will be a brick-veneer, 66 by 32 feet. A two-car garage, detached, is included in the building plan.

Southwestern Bell Telephone Company received a permit to build a business addition at 111 South Big Spring St. Cost will be \$4,000 and material, brick and lumber. Size will be 38 by 18 feet.

A minor permit of \$350 went to Pablo Lees to construct a frame structure at 706 North Terrell St. Total building for the new year is \$31,750.

### TREES ARE ASKED FOR CITY BEAUTIFICATION

Two hundred fifty little trees, especially elms, are sought for city beautification work this spring. Midland citizens who have trees or shrubbery that they will donate to the beautification project are asked to bring them to Miss Margaret Hester at the county library in the courthouse.

### TO SEW FOR RED CROSS

Calvary Baptist WMU will sew for the Red Cross one Sunday each month, officials have announced.

### J. Leo McLaughlin, advertising manager of The Reporter-Telegram, went to Dallas Saturday night on business.

## Sales Tax Gets Consideration Of Congressmen

WASHINGTON—(AP) — Members of the House Ways and Means Committee, searching for \$7,000,000,000 in the general revenue, appeared to be giving increasing though reluctant attention Saturday to a general sales tax.

A poll of the 25 members showed that only a few were willing at this time to commit themselves to that method of obtaining new funds to help pay for 1942's \$56,000,000,000 war program. But many others said they regarded it as a comparatively painless tax that "we may have to come around to."

In asking \$7,000,000,000 of new general taxes, in addition to \$2,000,000,000 of new Social Security levies, President Roosevelt said that in the past he had opposed general excise and sales taxes but added:

"In the face of the present financial and economic situation, however, we may be compelled to reconsider the temporary necessity of such measures."

Preliminary suggestions advanced by the treasury, it is understood, have no mention of a sales tax and have involved chiefly increases in present taxes.

One treasury suggestion, members of Congress said, was that income tax exemptions be lowered from \$1,500 to \$1,000 for married couples and from \$750 to \$500 for single persons. Others involved increases in corporate taxes and excise levies such as those of liquor, tobacco and gasoline.

Asserting that these proposals would not raise sufficient revenue, Senator Taft (R-Ohio) said it was becoming evident that to meet the President's budget Congress would have to resort to a sales tax or a withholding tax whereby the government would take a percentage of each pay check.

He added that he would prefer a payroll tax, possibly of 10 per cent, "because it would be less inflationary in its effect than a sales tax."

Rep. Disney (D-Okla.)—"I've been for it (sales tax) all the time. But it might be difficult to pass such a bill which would exempt nothing."

## Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walker on the birth of a daughter Friday at Ryan Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Carter on the birth Friday of a son at Ryan Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Conner on the birth of a daughter Saturday at Western Clinic Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Cook on the birth of a son Friday at Western Clinic Hospital.

## LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH—(AP) (USDA)—Cattle salable 200; total 300; calves salable 100; total 400. Trade nominal. Top mature beef steers and yearlings 12.50; heifers 12.00; beef cows 8.85; top sausage bulls 8.50.

Hogs salable 300; total 500; steady to 10 cents higher than Friday's average; top 11.60; packing sows and pigs steady; packing sows 10.00-10.25.

Sheep salable none; total 400; compared last week fat lambs 25-50c higher; top lambs 12.00; bulk fat lambs 11.00-12.00; fat yearlings 9.00-9.50.

## •Cranium Crackers

### BATTLE FRONTS

If you read more war news than just the headlines, these names of places should be familiar to you. Can you identify them?

1. Rostov.
2. Luzon.
3. Sarawak.
4. Guam.
5. Kobe.

Answers on Classified Page

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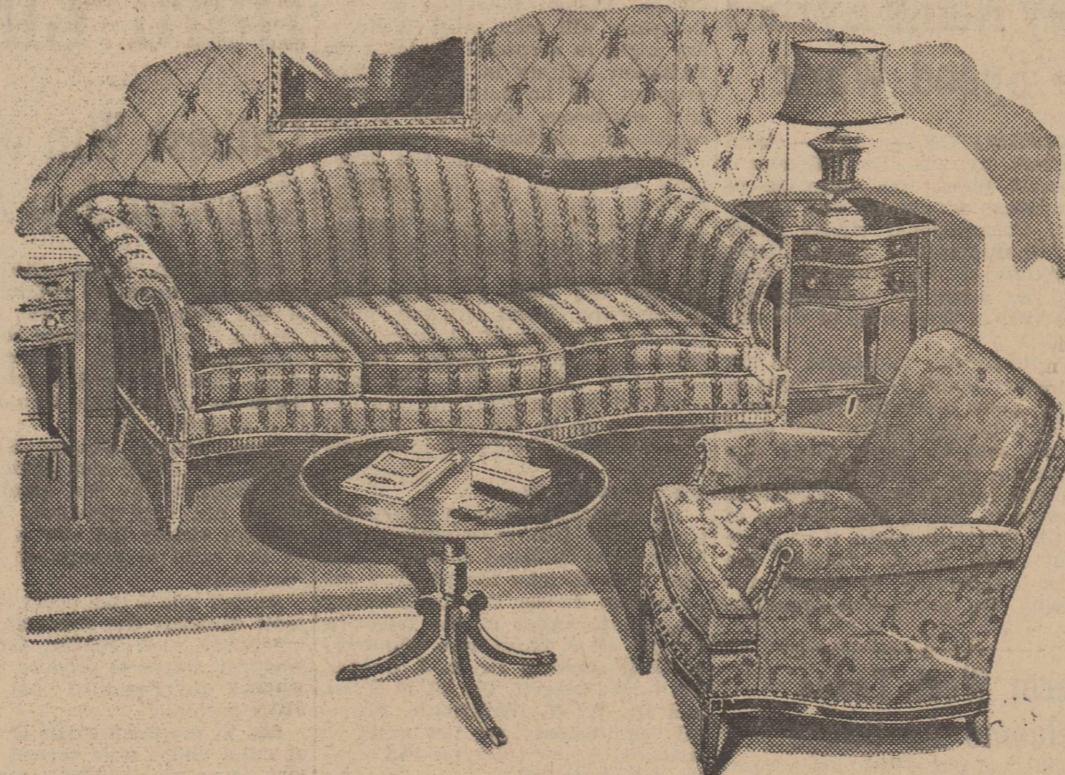
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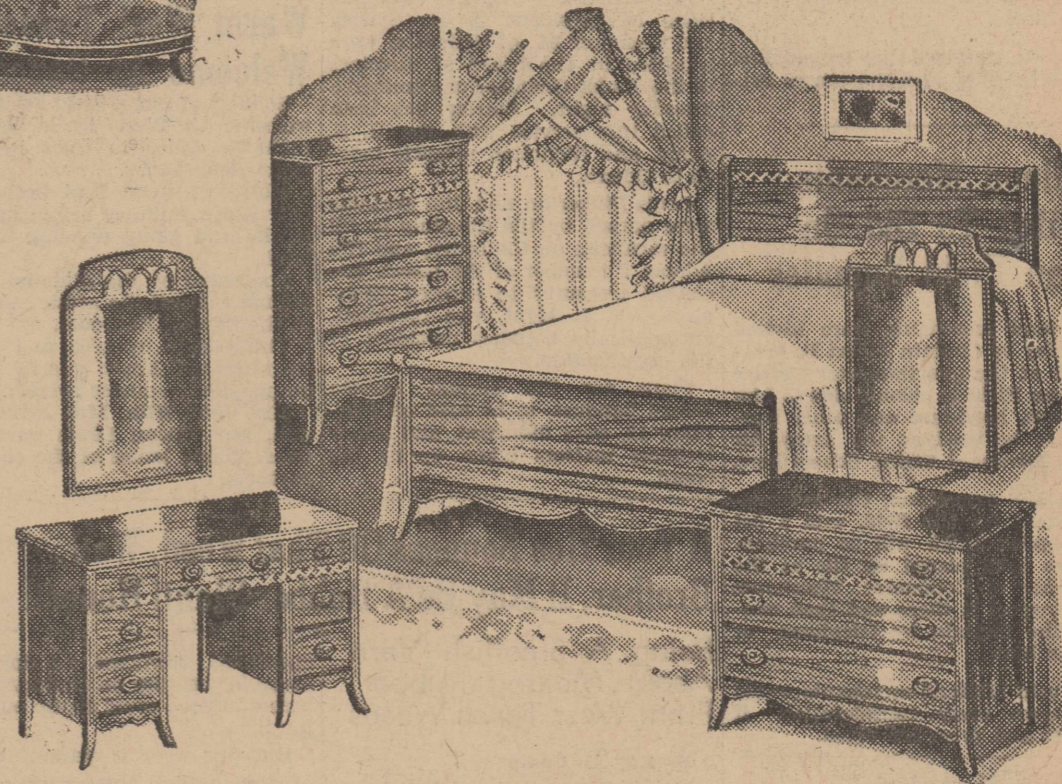
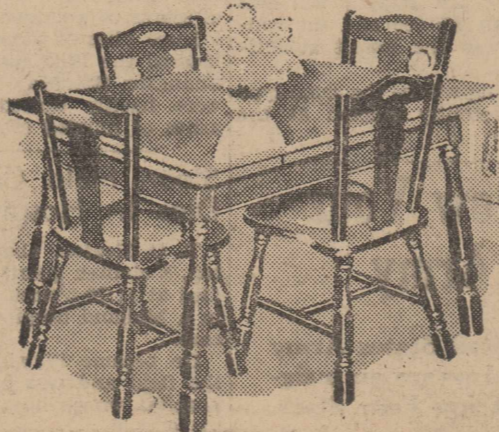
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with a record-breaking sale approaching 3,000,000 copies—which is generally acclaimed a classic and has been translated into twelve languages. He gained further distinction through his writing of "Transition," "The Mansions of Philosophy" and "Adventures in Genius." **Has Inclusive Wit**

As a historian, Dr. Durant's contemporaries say his great contribution has been that of giving a complete and unified picture of his subject in terms of what is significant to the contemporary scene; in finding light and guidance in the past for treading the dark mazes of the present. He frequently has been compared with Voltaire, because of his incisive wit, polished epigrams and profound observations. His talks deal with the basic issues of the day, seen in the illuminating perspective of philosophy and history.

William James Durant was born in Massachusetts of French-Canadian parents. He obtained his A. B. and M. A. degrees from St. Peter's College and then took a job with the Hearst newspapers in New York for four months. Dr. Durant says that as much as he was attracted by journalistic work, he was unfit for it because he could not divorce his news judgment from his feelings for the sufferings of men and women behind the news.

After his brief career as cub reporter, he went back to school. He won his Ph. D. from Columbia University, and in the years which followed learned how to make difficult subjects of popular interest. He is regarded as one of the best public speakers in America.

## Rutherford, Jehovah's Witnesses Leader, Is Reported To Be Dead

SAN DIEGO, Calif.—(AP)—A mortuary reported Saturday night that a death certificate had been issued Thursday bearing the name of Joseph Franklin Rutherford.

That is the name of the 72-year-old leader of the Jehovah's Witnesses religious movement. He is known to have been ill at his home here for many months. The internationally famous "Judge" Rutherford, whose Biblical interpretations attracted an estimated 2,000,000 followers in 36 nations. No public announcement was made, but a local mortuary reported a death certificate had been issued Thursday bearing his name.

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He has addressed annual conventions of the Associated Southwestern Chambers of Commerce in Ruidosa and Silver City, New Mexico, and his speaking ability is well known to Midland residents.

### To Start Ticket Sale

The banquet will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. A capacity crowd of 300 persons is expected. Tickets for the affair will go on sale early in the week. Members of the ticket sale committee are R. L. Miller, chairman, J. E. Hill, Clarence Scharbauer, Allen Watts and E. H. Barron.

The banquet program will be arranged by Mayor M. C. Ulmer, toastmaster.

Officers and directors of the chamber of commerce who will serve during 1942 will be elected at the meeting. Members of the nominating committee are J. W. House, chairman, Hamilton McRae, J. C. Smith, Dr. J. B. Thomas, P. A. Nelson and M. C. Ulmer.

## Warfare--

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ish commander at the British naval base in Malaya, told defenders in a broadcast Saturday night that there were days of bitter struggle ahead but that Britain and her Allies were not idle.

"We are engaged," he said, upon the task of holding "the enemy from vital areas and as far from them as possible while we renew, regroup and supplement our forces."

The Japanese meanwhile claimed the capture of Kuala Lumpur after the British reportedly abandoned it and Japanese forces came in from the rear. The report was not confirmed by British sources. The British did concede that their front along the Slim River, 220 miles from Singapore, had been broken after the Japanese suddenly began appearing with 12-ton tanks.

Japanese war planes raided the oil port of Tarakan in the Netherlands East Indies for the second time within 48 hours as though in preparation for the expected attack. The Dutch said the bombs missed their mark.

## New Ceiling May Increase Food By 25 Percent

WASHINGTON—(AP)—The Administration's wartime price control legislation emerged from a weary Senate Saturday so much amended by its Farm Bloc that Democratic Leader Barkley (Ky) called it a "farm relief bill".

The vote on passage was 83 to 1 with Senator Nye (D-N.D.) casting the only dissenting tally. Beforehand, however, the Farm Bloc, in a 55 to 31 division, had succeeded in writing in a series of restrictions on ceilings over agricultural products with the result, Administration men said, that many farm commodities were left free to rise 25 per cent or more above present levels.

**Back to House**

The far-reaching and complicated measure—intended to help prevent inflation and sky-rocketing living costs—now goes back to the House. A Senate-House conference committee is expected to be appointed to redraft important sections before the measure comes up for final consideration.

Whether this group could work out and secure Senate and House approval of a measure satisfactory to the Administration was, however, an open question.

When the bill passed the House last month with a provision allowing sharp increases in farm prices the word was passed around that President Roosevelt would veto it if it reached him in that form.

The Senate banking committee knocked out the House farm provision objectionable to the administration, but the Senate went beyond the House in approving restrictions on price-fixing.

**Farm Bloc Controls**

With the Farm Bloc in complete control the Senate adopted 55 to 31 an amendment by Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo) providing:

First, that no price ceiling should be placed on a farm product below the 1919-29 average price of that commodity—a period when farm prices were the highest in history.

Second, directing that the Federal Reserve Board's index of industrial wages should be used as a factor in calculating parity figures.

The effect of this latter provision, it was explained, was to raise parity about 10 per cent.

Parity is the price at which the Agriculture Department figures that a farm product has the same purchasing power, in terms of non-farm products, that it had in the 1909-14 period.

**Two Restrictions**

The Administration was agreeable to two restrictions on ceilings on farm products: That none be set below the average market prices last Oct. 1, and that none be set below 110 per cent of parity.

In addition to the Oct. 1 date, the Senate directed that no ceiling be below the average price on Dec. 15.

Thus it wound up forbidding any farm ceiling below:

110 per cent of parity (figure on a basis making it 10 per cent higher than heretofore); the Oct. 1 to Dec. 15 price; or average price in the years 1919-29.

The Farm Bloc's runaway with the measures had been forecast Friday when the Senate, by a 48 to 27 vote, inserted a provision giving the Secretary of Agriculture a virtual veto power over any farm prices fixed by the administrator empowered by the bill. This ignored a direct request of the President.

With Saturday's actions, Senator Clark (D-Mo) declared that the bill had been "completely emasculated." He said he voted for it on final passage only because a joint Senate-House committee could rewrite the entire measure.

Senator Lucas (D-Ill) and other Administration supporters protested in vain that the farm price restrictions would injure American farmers, encouraging a duplication of the farm depression following World War I.

## Winnie Through a Window



With that smile, that cigar and that V sign, it could be only one man. Unusual picture was made through car window in Ottawa, Canadian capital.

## Buying Of Defense Bonds Urged By County Chairman

"While our boys are giving their time and risking their all for defense, we must set aside a part of our income to see that they are fully and properly armed to protect themselves," said Chas L. Klapproth, chairman of the Midland County Defense Bond committee Saturday in discussing plans to reach the bond sales quota set up for the county.

"Plans are under way to see every person and to urge that everyone purchase bonds and stamps according to his ability. There has been a fine response here to date. The fine spirit which the Junior Chamber of Commerce has shown in taking the assignment to see every person outside the city limits to push up sales throughout the county is an example of the cooperation that everyone is showing."

**Plan Campaign**

"A house to house campaign will be made in the city. It is realized that every member of every family should put something into the purchase of stamps or bonds. For children it will represent the best way of teaching thrift and of starting a savings plan. For all of us it will mean showing the spirit of fellowship with our nation in carrying out a great undertaking for the defense of our democratic way of life."

Klapproth, who recently succeeded Roy Parks, resigned, as county chairman, has named a general committee which will direct the various phases of the local sales campaign. The committee members are Allen Tolbert, Clarence Scharbauer, Ed M. Whitaker, Frank Stubbeman, Jos. H. Mims, E. H. Barron, J. R. Martin, P. J. Mims, Paul McHargue, Harry Gossett, Curtis Inman, R. L. Miller, J. C. Miles, John W. House, J. L. Greene, Mrs. Howard J. Hodges, M. C. Ulmer, W. W. Lackey, Roy Parks, John P. Butler, and Johnnie L. Mohnkern.

**Set County Quota**

Frank Scofield, state administrator of the defense saving staff, directly under supervision of the Treasury Department, said Saturday in a letter to Klapproth that the Midland County allotment is \$72,408.33 per month. "The fine record that the county has today," said Scofield, "is assurance that Midland County will meet this quota easily. It is certain that you people will more than do your share in putting Texas over the top," he stated.

**Daily Allowable Was Up Last Week**

AUSTIN—(AP)—The average daily allowable of Texas oil wells for the week ended Saturday increased 3,809 barrels to 1,643,475. The Petroleum Commission reported.

The permissible was 69,975 barrels in excess of daily production recommended for January by the office of the Federal Petroleum Coordinator.

## Weed--

(Continued from page 1) a bit, and became his toy! (Got a better guess, Brother?)

Well, anyway, along about 1909 a Guayale rubber manufacturing plant was built near Alpine. It was a crude affair, home made. It consisted of several steel oil barrels, on axles, and all geared to a chain drive. Power was furnished at first by one burro, that old reliable donkey that has long meant so much to the Mexican as a beast of burden. Perhaps the plant got up to two or more burro-power. Anyway, the patient burro walked round and round, hour after hour, while the barrels turned over and over.

Cakes of Guayule resin half filled each barrel, while good hard rocks, flinty stones, filled the other half of the barrel. And, so the turning and churning finally beat the resin into rubber. But, the "factory" depended on such weeds as could be found. Mexicans at first brought in loads of it. Then they got to burning it where they found it, piling it high as your head and making a great bonfire at night, just for the fun of it. Then they gathered the resin and sold it to the "factory."

It didn't pay. And, besides, everybody declared it was a crazy idea in the first place! But it wasn't. It was just "born thirty years too soon."

Weeds to tires is a strange story... but, it's a fact, folks! It's a fact!

**Nazis Run--**

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British military experts termed the Germans' failure to hold their lines in the Moscow battle zone as a personal defeat for Adolf Hitler in his self-chosen post as commander in chief, and pointed to a new German military phase—a "fluid front"—as proof the Nazi armies were unable to stabilize their positions anywhere along the vast front.

**MANPOWER LOW**

An indication that the Nazi pool of man-power also may be running low came in a broadcast dispatch from a correspondent for the newspaper Izvestia, who claimed that "the huge losses on the Eastern front have compelled the German high command to throw into action old men and men under military age."

Another Moscow broadcast pointed up the importance of the positions the Germans have lost by citing an order of the Nazi Fifth Army commander, found in a staff car abandoned in the German retreat. "I categorically forbid giving up any position or any village," the order said.

The fleeing Germans, according to Moscow dispatches, are burning villages, dynamiting bridges, dams and highways, and leaving groups of automatic riflemen in ambush in efforts to check the Soviet offensive—reversion to tactics they had to endure during their six months of advance.

## Sloan Field About Complete, New Units To Be Built

With construction of the Air Corps Advanced Flying School almost completed, only a fraction of the workers who once were busy at Sloan Field remained on the job Saturday.

The payroll had dropped to \$26,000 for the week. For a number of weeks it exceeded \$100,000. Most supplies have been obtained and many of the executives of Cage Brothers and F. M. Reeves and Sons, Inc., the general contractors, have returned to their homes.

Work on the third large metal hangar, the Sloan Field control tower and the incinerator is being rushed as much as possible so that the school will be complete when the first large movement of troops arrives late next week.

Construction of a fourth large metal hangar has been ordered. Bids will be called soon by the U. S. Engineers for erection of the \$120,000 base engineering building and construction of the ordnance area at a cost of approximately \$240,000.

Approximately 300 soldiers now are stationed at the field and scores of motor trucks and Army motor cars have been delivered to the school for use here.

Delivery of twin-engine bombers is expected to start this month.

## Curry Will Inspect Texas Air Patrols

DALLAS—(AP)—Maj. Gen. John F. Curry, U. S. Army Air Corps, will arrive here Wednesday for a tour of inspection of Civil Air Patrol units in Texas. D. Harold Byrd, Texas Wing Commander, said Saturday.

With General Curry will be his aide, Maj. Reed Landis. They will fly to Austin Thursday afternoon to confer with Governor Coke R. Stevenson on coordination of the Civil Air Patrol with the state government.

## Tire Rationing Board Office Opens Tuesday

A temporary headquarters for the Midland County tire rationing board will be set up Tuesday in the commissioner's courtroom.

The board Saturday waited for its instructions from headquarters, an official board number, and official quota.

J. O. Nobles, chairman, said the board was pledged to fairness and cooperation. It invited citizens to read the qualifying inspection sheet before requesting new tires.

"It won't be fun to say no to a lot of people in this tire rationing business, but we must all be pledged to fairness and we of the board will appreciate all cooperation," Noble said.

## TWO FLATS IN 128,000 MILES

SEATTLE, Wash.—(UP)—Mr. and Mrs. John Frederick Heilscher celebrated their golden anniversary with a 12,000-mile trip in a 1923 Model T Ford in which they have made annual trips for 18 years. Since 1923, the vehicle has covered 128,525 miles, including all 48 states, Canada and Mexico, suffering only two flat tires.

## Margie Neal Will Talk In Midland Wednesday Night

Miss Margie E. Neal, former state senator, and now educational representative with the Social Security Board, will present an "over-all picture" of the Social Security Act in a lecture at the high school auditorium, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. She will tell of the rights and obligations of the public under the Act.

Miss Neal, who appears here under the auspices of the AAUW, served as state senator from the second district from 1929-36. Her outstanding record in this capacity drew the attention of Washington officials and she resigned in 1936 to accept a position in the national welfare department at Washington.

With her efficiency, the Texas leader is described as a charming and feminine person and an excellent speaker.

Wednesday night's lecture is open to the public.

The Civic Music Club will present a program of patriotic nature preceding the lecture, this being in line with the State Federation of Music Clubs' project of "Music for Defense".

## Cattlemen Will Elect In June

Annual election of officers, a barbecue, and other official business of the organization was postponed until the June meeting here by the Midland-Ector-Andrews Cattlemen's Protective Association in a meeting at Odessa Saturday.

Present officers, including Hance Barrow, Odessa, president, and E. H. Barron, Midland, secretary, and Aldredge Esbes, Midland, inspector, will continue in office until that meeting.

About 15 members attended Saturday's session.

## Houston Leading In Texas Building Drive

By The Associated Press

Houston holds a long lead over other Texas cities with building permits for the week of \$359,405. Galveston, Dallas, and Austin follow in the order listed.

Totals for the week and year of reporting, Texas cities:

City	Week	Year
Houston	\$359,405	\$444,656
Galveston	117,040	120,855
Dallas	96,151	96,151
Austin	73,413	73,413
Fort Worth	58,260	58,260
Corpus Christi	40,722	90,422
Midland	31,250	31,400
El Paso	25,760	68,510
Beaumont	18,048	18,048
Wichita Falls	6,925	6,925
Waco	2,380	2,380

## MINORS LOST PLAYERS HEAVILY IN 1940-41

DURHAM, N. C.—Baseball's minor leagues lost a net total of 607 players from October 1, 1940 to December 30, 1941, President W. G. Bramham of the minors announced today.

The total represents an average of about two players a club.

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The McCleary Clinic, HE215 Elms Blvd., Excelsior Springs, Mo., is putting out an up-to-the-minute, illustrated 122-page book on Piles, Fistula, Stomach and Colon disorders, and associated ailments as shown in the chart below:

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**Personals**

Mrs. Lila Hardin of Grandfalls and her son, Horace Vernon Hardin, were guests of Mrs. C. G. McGill Friday.

Ed Watts was admitted to Ryan Hospital as a medical patient.

Mrs. Mary L. Quinn, former county officer, is a medical patient in Ryan Hospital.

Pat Merritt was admitted Friday to Ryan Hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. R. S. Mills went home this weekend from Ryan Hospital.

Billy Helbert went home from Western Clinic Hospital Saturday.

George Stewart underwent surgery at Western Clinic Hospital Saturday.

**WESTERN UNION HAS DEFENSE BOND PROGRAM**

As a means of aiding National Defense, the Western Union Telegraph Company has inaugurated a convenient plan for its 52,000 employees to purchase United States Defense Savings Bonds. The amount specified by each employee will be deducted from his earnings and deposited in a special bank account. When the required amount has been accumulated, the company will purchase and deliver a Defense Savings Bond.

Defense Stamps will be placed on sale at Western Union offices.

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# McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority  
Sidney Sidor of Oakmont, Pa., a member of the national championship open pair, will rate first among men players for 1941. In addition to winning this title at Richmond, he also won the mixed team-of-four championship at Asbury Park last summer, and was runner-up in the national men's pair championship at Asbury Park. His hand-

♠ Q 4 3	♠ 8
♥ 7 3	♠ Q J 9 8 5
♦ J 10 4	♠ 9 8 7 6 5
♣ K Q 10 4	♠ 8 6
N W E S Dealer	
♠ A J 10 9 7	♠ 8
♥ K 10 4	♠ 9 8 7 6 5
♦ A K	♠ 8 6
♣ J 7 3	
Duplicate—None vul.	
South West North East	
1 ♠ Pass 1 N.T. Pass	
2 ♠ Pass 3 ♠ Pass	
4 ♠ Pass Pass Pass	
Opening—♥ A. 10	

ling of the cards is well shown in today's hand.  
West decided to try for a heart ruff, so he opened the ace and then led the deuce of hearts. Sidor, sitting South, won the second lead. A low club was allowed to ride to dummy's king. Then the queen of spades was led and won by West's king.

West led a low diamond in the hope of getting East in, and South won with the king. Three more trump rounds exhausted West, dummy discarding the heart.

Then Sidor laid down the ace of diamonds on the chance of dropping the queen. The jack of clubs followed, but West, who had counted the hands accurately, held up.

Sidor, however, found the way to avoid losing a heart as well as the ace of clubs. He overtook the jack of clubs with the queen in dummy and led the jack of diamonds to ruff with his last trump. Then a club lead left West without defense.

**ICELAND BUYS U. S. SNUFF**  
REYKJAVIK — (UP) — Icelanders now are getting their snuff from Kentucky instead of Denmark. The supply of the popular Copenhagen snuff was cut off entirely after the German occupation of Denmark. The Icelanders, very fond of the tobacco product, began importing Kentucky tobacco and now manufacture between three and four tons of snuff each month.

## Popular Frocks



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## Episcopal District Convocation To Be Held January 18, 19

The thirty-second annual convocation of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the district of North Texas will be held in Trinity Church here January 18 and 19.

The Rt. Rev. E. C. Seaman, bishop of the district of North Texas, will be in charge of convocation. J. P. Butler is chairman of the committee to plan convocation and is being assisted by the mission chairman and the Woman's Auxiliary.

There will be a clergy conference of the nine clergy and the bishop of the district on Saturday night, January 17.

Convocation services will be confirmation at 9:45 a. m., holy communion and corporate communion of the entire district at 10:30 a. m., and evening prayer and presentation of a united thank offering tableau on Sunday night, Jan. 18.

On the day's program will be a banquet at 1:30 p. m. at the Hotel Scharbauer, a tea from 4 to 6 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Shipley, 1501 W. Illinois St., and a laymen's banquet at 6 p. m. at Hotel Scharbauer.

Monday, Jan. 19, will be taken up with the business sessions of convocation and the Woman's Auxiliary, convocation meeting in Trinity Church and the Auxiliary in the Presbyterian Church.

Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p. m. at Hotel Scharbauer. Visitors are welcomed to all services. Hospitality is in charge of Mrs.

## FUNNY BUSINESS



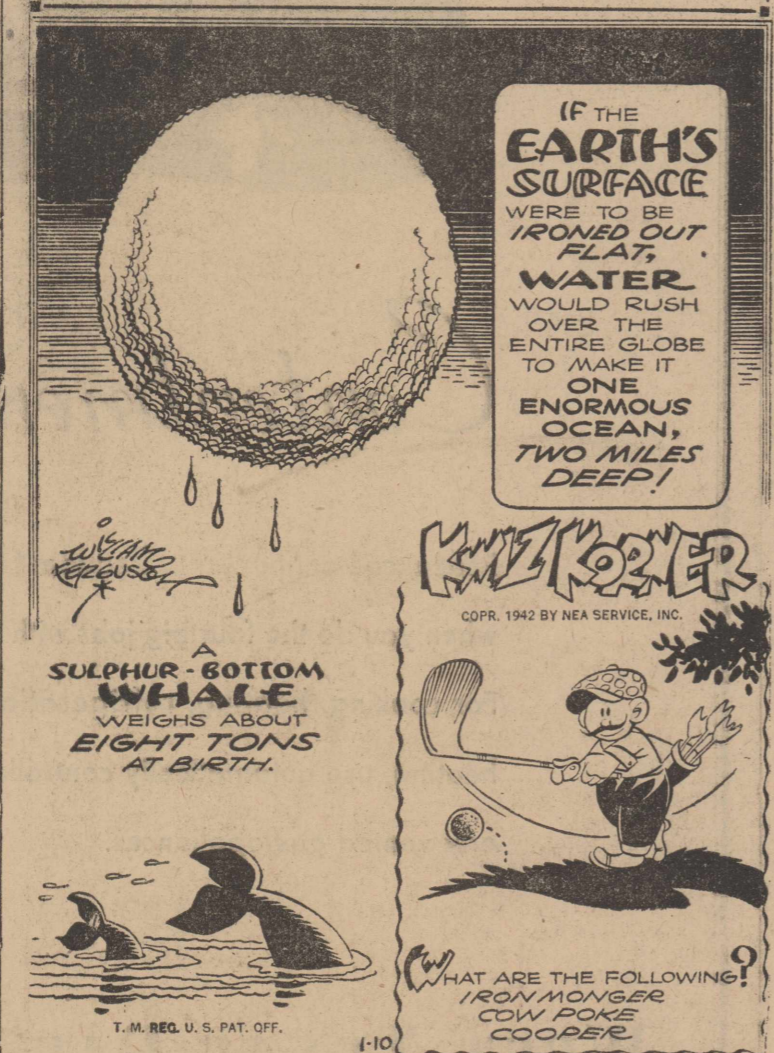
She hired a ventriloquist just to be on the safe side!

## SIDE GLANCES



I understand you boys are going to Camp Dix—here's a kiss to give my grandson, Sergeant Jones!

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD



ANSWER: Hardware dealer, cowboy, barrel maker.

NEXT: Keeping the earth in balance.

## PROCEEDS OF DANCE GO TO RED CROSS

P. E. P. girls' social club, has presented the Red Cross with a donation of \$60, proceeds from a dance sponsored during the Christmas holidays.

Geo. Abell, chairman of the recent war relief drive for Red Cross, expressed appreciation for the contribution.

R. W. Hamilton and anyone wishing to offer a room is asked to call her.

## Missionary On Leave Will Speak Here

Dr. M. W. Rankin, now of Seminary Hill, Fort Worth, will preach at both morning and evening services at the First Baptist Church Sunday.

Dr. Rankin was for 13 years a missionary to China. He recently returned from the Orient and is now on sabbatical leave in the United States.

He will address the Men's Broth-

## WOMEN'S TOURNEY WILL BE PLAYED IN WICHITA, KAS.

WICHITA, Kas.—(AP)—The National A. A. U. women's basketball tournament will be played at Wichita March 30 to April 4 inclusive. Mrs. Irvin Van Blarcom, national chairman of Women's A. A. U. basketball, announced today.

These clinics are arranged so that students may have an opportunity to work under different directors, and in this way learn the fundamentals of band music through different types of presentation. Di-

## Wink Starts Series Of Saturday Band Clinics

WINK.—(Special)—A band clinic will be held in Wink on Saturdays for several weeks, according to Gerald McHugh, director of the Wink Wildcat Band.

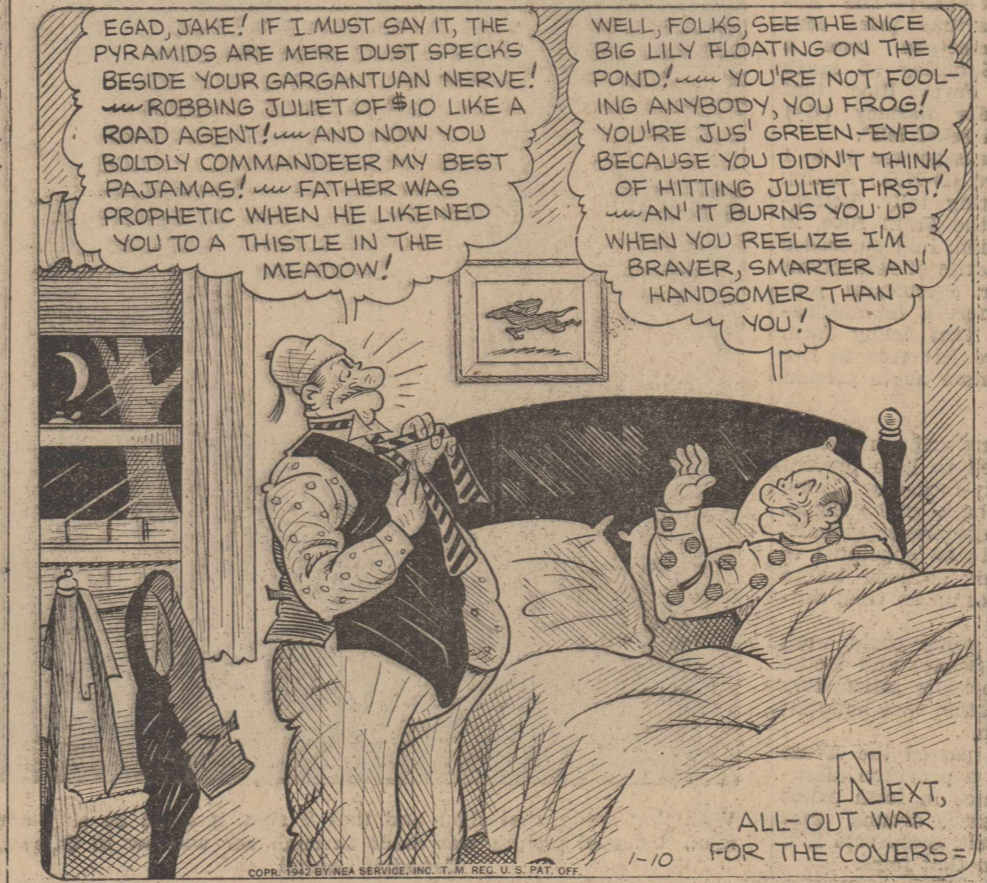
Directors of band from several different towns in this area will officiate. They will also clinic the

## Hans Wagner Signs With Pittsburgh

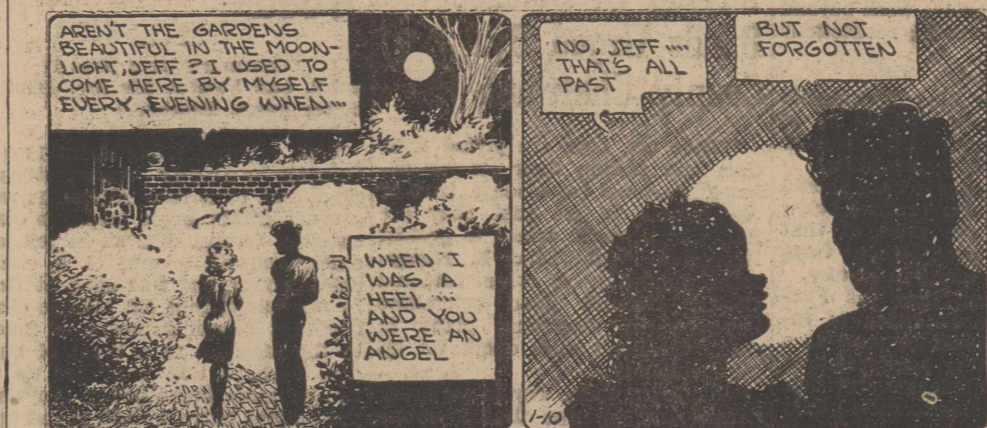
PITTSBURGH — (AP) — Honus (Hans) Wagner, veteran Pittsburgh Pirate coach, signed his contract Saturday, completing the Pirate coaching staff for the next pennant race.

Directors of band from several different towns in this area will officiate. They will also clinic the

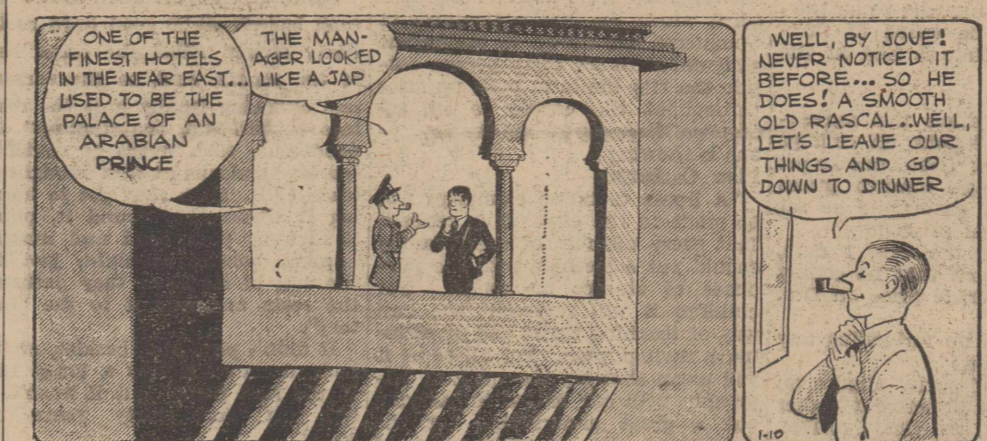
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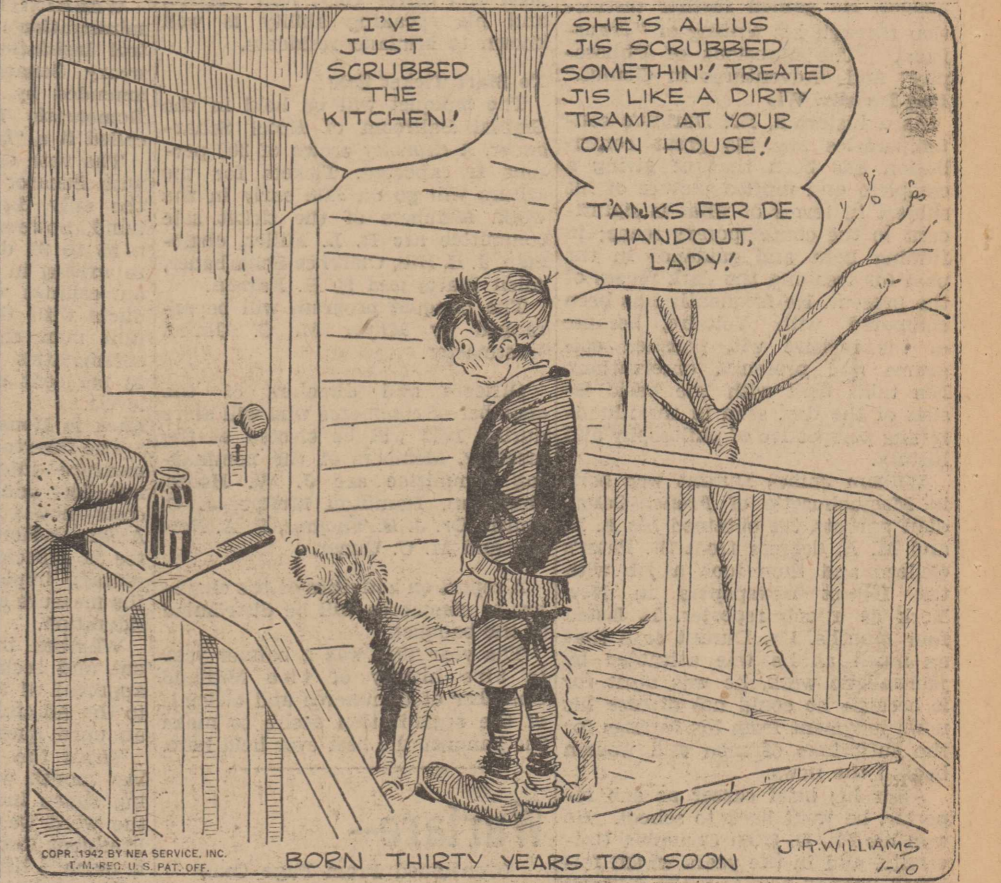
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## Wash Tubbs



## Out Our Way



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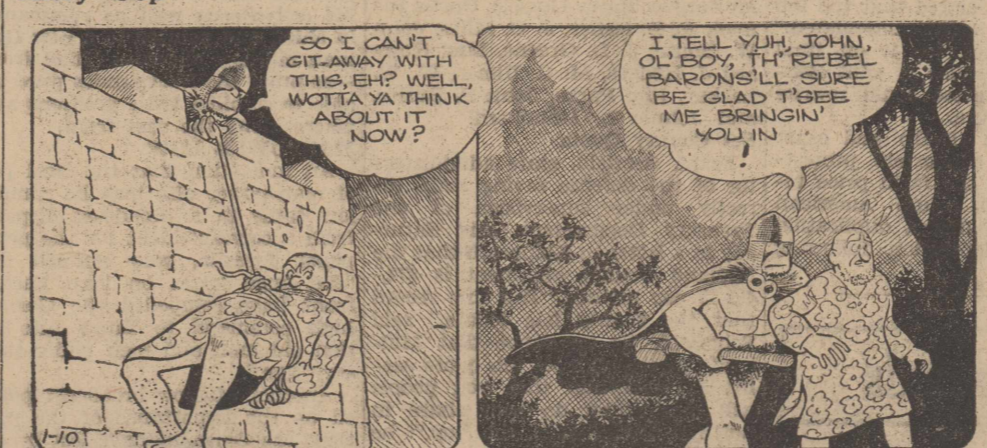


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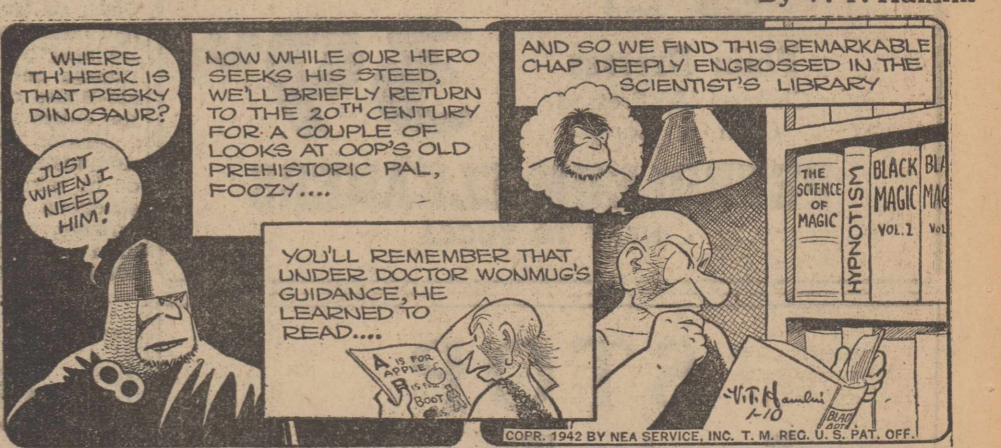


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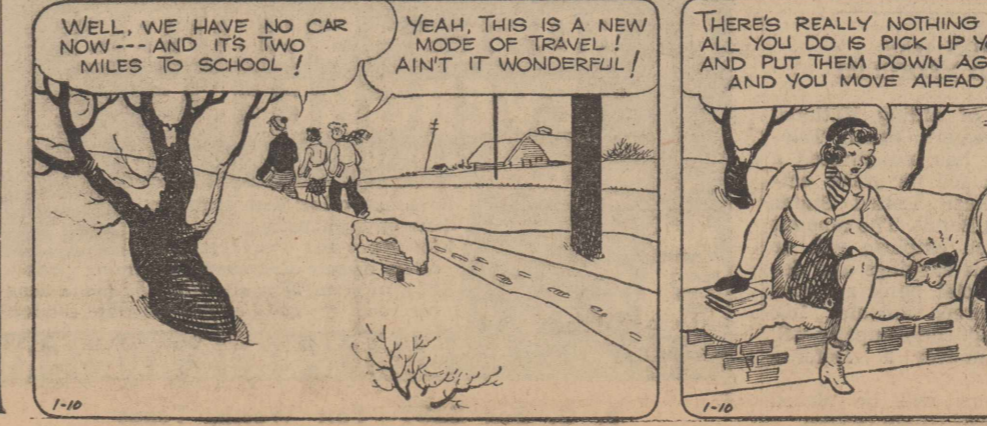
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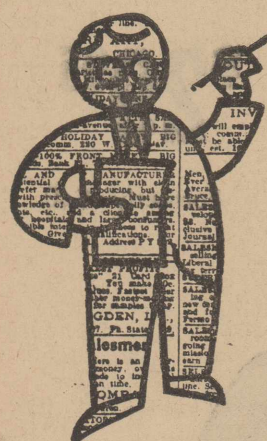


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**MADAM Russell**—Past, present and future—Business affairs—Readings Daily. 204 E. Wall. (263-6)

#### Lost and Found 7

**LOST:** Horn rim, bifocal glasses. Finder return to Elder Chevrolet. Reward. (263-3)

**LOST:** Glasses in brown case. Finder, return to Reporter-Telegram office. Reward. (263-3)

**PARTY** getting left-handed scissors by mistake from Red Cross Work Room, please return. (263-1)

**LOST:** 3 horses, mare, one colt and little mule. Call T. E. Bizzell. (263-3)

#### Help Wanted 9

**WANTED:** Girl to care for children and house work. Room, board and salary. Call 1590. (267-6)

**WANTED:** Crew to head maize, 2 miles south radio tower. Johnnie Graham. (263-1)

**WANTED:** Girl to care for 2 children during day; phone 9543. Mrs. Walker. (263-1)

**COLORED** girl to clean house. Ph. 187-W. (263-1)

#### Situations Wanted 10

**SALES** Ladies wanted, age 17 to 25. Reference preferred. Write Box 125, Reporter-Telegram. (260-3)

#### RENTALS

#### BEDROOM 12

**BEDROOM** for men. 411 N. Colo. Call 1583-W. (267-tf)

**BEDROOM**, private entrance, garage. 1900 W. College. (260-3)

**SOUTHEAST** bedroom, private entrance, couple or 2 girls. Apply 1004 N. Big Spring after 5 o'clock. (263-2)

**BEDROOM** for rent. 911 W. Illinois. Phone 1725. (261-tf)

**LARGE** bedroom; new home; private bath; outside entrance; garage. 107 Club Drive. Phone 226-W. (262-3)

**TWO** front bedrooms, private entrance, adjoining bath. 107 West Penn. Call 429. (262-2)

**TWO** bedrooms, hot and cold water in room. 311 W. Tenn. Call 1095-J. (262-3)

**EXTRA** large bedroom; private entrance; bath; twin beds. Suitable for two. \$35 month. Phone 774. 1901 W. Wall. (263-3)

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**QUESTIONS ON PAGE 2**  
 1. Rostov, important Russian city and gateway to the oil-rich Caucasus, was captured by Germans but Red Army quickly drove them out.  
 2. Luzon, largest Philippine island, was scene of first Japanese attack on that American possession.  
 3. The British colony Sarawak, rich in oil and rubber, is on island of Borneo, which Japanese want to bring into Far Eastern "New Order."  
 4. Guam, tiny U. S. outpost in the Pacific, was first American possession to fall to Japanese.  
 5. Kobe is one of the largest and most important industrial cities in Japan.

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#### SERIAL STORY

### TAMBAY GOLD

BY SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS

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**THE STORY:** Mom Banner wangles permission from pretty Jane Ann Judson, inst of aristocratic Maures of run-down Tambay Plantation, to set up "Feederia" lunch wagon there, wonders why Juddy is soured on world. Other characters: whiskey Loren Oliver, Welliver U. prof digging for Indian relics at Tambay; Old Swooby, Slovene refugee "Doc" Oliver is harboring; Doll, Mom's pet skunk; Angel Todd, Welliver football star interested in Juddy; several of his frat brothers "kidnap" her for their dance and "Doc" is there, shaved and handsome.

"How so?"  
 "I've been touting the Feederia to every partner I had."  
 "That's business," I said. "With you for a skill, we ought to be practically a kitchen annex to Welliver. How heavy have you fallen for Angel Todd?"  
 "I'm not going to fall for anybody," she said. "What do you get if you do?"  
 I judged that Juddy was getting back in the groove.

said, and kind of laughed. "That would make us popular with the neighbors!"  
 "I nodded."  
 "I'd have to think it over," she said. "Wouldn't it cost you an awful lot to build cabins?"  
 "That's my lookout," I said. "I've got a little left in the toe of the old sock."  
 "I'm not sure the University lease wouldn't interfere anyway," she said.  
 "Let's find out. Who's your lawyer?"  
 "I haven't any."  
 "This thing has got to be koshier if we're going to deal. There's a young fellow in Levertown named Maurie Sears. They say he's good when sober, and sober except week-ends."  
 "I think he's my distant cousin or something."  
 "Let's go."  
 Near the end of the plantation line Juddy slowed up for a pitch-hole. I noticed a buzzard high up on a bough, teetering in the wind the way they do. The tree he was using for a perch was as ugly as he was; a dead shagbark, all charred and black on one side where there was a low limb.  
 "Somebody been having a bonfire?" I asked.  
 Juddy didn't answer. She didn't have to. I got it. They don't scorch tree trunks for fun in this part of the country. Besides, I'd heard of the Hanging Tree of Tambay.

#### MOM MAKES PLANS

#### CHAPTER VI

**YOU** could have peeled the amazement off the faces of the four "kidnapers" in layers, when they saw Juddy and Doc on the floor. Pretty soon Angel Todd slithered over toward them, and then something happened. People were staring, but I couldn't make out what was going. Next thing, Juddy was back in our midst, and the twins were jumping her.

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One part of it, though, she did up brown. She'd blown herself for some banana-glow and regilded the old battered house motto, with funny lettering, over the door, so now you could read it, "Aren't you the little weather-breeder!"

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 "Worse. He crashed a house tradition. No student can cut in on a faculty member at a house dance," Van Clark said.

Angel came over, still looking like a ray of sunshine, and tackled her. "Give me this next dance and I'll apologize," he said.

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"Phooey on the course!" he said. "It isn't that. It's my average. I need the credits."  
 He let his voice down a peg. "I'm here to play basketball, hockey, football and what-have-you, and draw 900 smackers per year, besides what I can claw up on summer vacations. Next year there'll be a boost if I make All-America, and how can they stop me? And now this peevee prof is trying to ease me out. At that, maybe I could make a better deal at Balesier," he went on. "Only I kind of like it here. And I like it all the better since I met up with that little pal of yours. You don't think I've queered myself there, do you?"

On the way home Juddy said to me, "Trade ought to be looking up, Mom."

#### REAL ESTATE

#### Houses for Sale 61

**FOR** sale or rent. 5-room house; by owner. Phone 1043-J. (261-3)

**5-rooms**, servants quarters, laundry and garage. Phone 823. (261-3)

**Lots for Sale 62**  
**WANT** To sell, lots 11 and 12, block 34, Cowden Addition to the City of Midland. Will sell at a bargain. C. W. Rose, Tulsa, Texas. (260-12)

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# First Big Inroad Of War In Sports Cancels Golf Tournies

By Judson Bailey  
**NEW YORK**—(AP)—The United States Golf association abandoned all four of its national championships in order to focus its entire attention on the nation's war effort.

After cancelling its 1942 tournament program, the governing body of golf immediately went into action in behalf of the government, changing its USGA by-laws to permit amateurs to receive up to \$100 in defense bonds and stamps as prizes in-

stead of cups and trophies, planning a nationwide series of club tournaments on holidays, and proposing exhibition matches for war relief and defense.

The sweeping action was the most drastic regimentation for the support of the war any national sports governing body has yet taken.

The 1942 championships cancelled were:

National Open, June 18-20, Interlachen Country Club, Minneapolis.

National Amateur, September 7-12; Del Monte Golf and Country Club, Pebble Beach Course, Del Monte, Calif.

Women's Amateur, September 21-26, Southern Hills Country Club, Tulsa, Okla.

National Public Links, July 27-August 1, Wellshire Municipal golf course, Denver, Colo.

This action was decided upon by the executive committee Friday and approved by the association Saturday.

A letter from John B. Kelly,

assistant director of Civilian Defense in charge of physical fitness, asked that the association promote three competitions to be known as the Decoration Day, Fourth of July and Labor Day Medal Play handicap tournaments for men and women.

They would be scheduled on those holidays at every member club throughout the nation. It was adopted.

The USGA already has been conferring with the Professional Golfers' Association of America

concerning exhibitions, it was disclosed, and the two groups will work together. The USGA said it saw no reason for disturbance of the program of open tournaments which the PGA has arranged at many points around the country.

The association elected Geo. W. Blossom, Jr., of the Onwensia Country Club, Lake Forest, Ill., President to succeed Harold W. Pierce of the Country Club, Brookline, Mass.

# Anything Can Occur In 3AA

## Pups Lose One-Pointer To Stanton Quintet

He Likes It  
**Captain Tells Why Bombardier Is Good Name For School Team**

By Tanner Laine  
 "So you think Bombardier is a good word for an athletic team," genial Capt. Glenn L. Laffer, public relations officer at Sloan Field said.

"Well son," he added, "I believe you have something there."

"It's new; it's suggestive of power and fight; it's unusual; and it could be made a symbol for something."

That's what he said when I asked him about a suggested new name for Midland high athletic teams; if it could be Bombardiers.

## Ward Visitors In 22-2 Blasting Of Midland Juniors

Midland Bullpup cagers dropped a close one, 10-9, to Stanton's little Buffaloes here Friday night in the high gymnasium.

Things were even in the earlier stages and Bernie Aston, tall Pup forward, was manufacturing Midland's points. His two field goals in the first quarter matched two by Stanton. At the half it was 8-6, Stanton.

In the last two periods the Buffs got a field goal by Graves and Blackie Hoekendorf, Midland guard, made a field goal and a free toss for the Pups. Once he robbed the ball from a Buff player and dribbled the entire court to sink a crisp shot. Norris looked good defensively.

Coach Killough's lads missed several chances to tie the encounter or win it in the last minutes of the encounter.

The boxscore:

MIDLAND PUPS				
Player	fg	ft	pf	tp
Aston	3	0	0	6
Booth	0	0	0	0
Norris	0	0	0	0
Hale	0	0	0	0
Etheridge	0	0	0	0
Hoekendorf	1	1	2	3
Totals	4	1	2	9

STANTON BUFFS				
Player	fg	ft	pf	tp
W. Atchison	1	0	0	2
Dyson	0	0	1	0
Graves	2	0	4	4
Crow	2	0	4	4
C. T. Thibison	0	0	0	0
Howard	0	0	0	0
Wells	0	0	0	0
Total	5	0	1	10

Referee: Settles.

In the curtain-raiser Midland reserves of the Pup squad lost 22-2 to Stanton's reserves. Bobby Cole prevented a shutout with his second half field goal.

Wells, Stanton forward, got hot in the last half and dropped in five field goals to spark the visitor's attack.

Avery and Graves assisted Wells in the point making for Stanton. Billy Nolen was an aggressive guard for the little Pups.

Stanton led 4-0 at the first, 10-0 at the half, and went on to win 22-2.

PUP RESERVES				
Player	fg	ft	pf	tp
Rice	0	0	1	0
Barber	0	0	0	0
Boone	0	0	0	0
Cole	1	0	2	2
Shaw	0	0	0	0
Totals	1	0	3	2

BUFF PLAYERS				
Player	fg	ft	pf	tp
Wells	5	0	10	10
Avery	3	0	6	6
Barner	1	0	2	2
Church	0	0	0	0
Graves	2	0	4	4
Dyson	0	0	0	0
Barnes	0	0	0	0
Totals	11	0	22	22

Referee: Settles.

## Down—SPORTSLANE

—With Tanner Laine

In the morning mail, a letter from an ex-student and ex-Bulldog of Midland high, he writes:

A&M, College Station  
 January 6, 1942

Tanner:  
 Although I never made the first string football team while I was in high school, I was mighty proud that I was a Midland Bulldog. However, since I have been down here at A&M I have met so many Bulldogs from other towns that I am really sorry that our team didn't have a more uncommon name.

I read your suggestion in the Sunday paper that the name of the M. H. S. athletic clubs be changed to the "Bombardiers," and I heartily approve of the change since I can think of no other name that better describes the fight of the Midland team and at the same time reminds one of the part Midland is playing in defending our country.

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Mark me down as an "aye." Keep 'em flying.

Signed:  
 Roger Sidwell.

Speculation about what will be done about the coaching situation at the high school; your guess is as good as mine. We believe a change will be in order or a coach new to the district, a combination football-basketball tutor, will be hired. What with the draft and war this coaching situation is pretty tough and whatever Midland does may be entirely temporary for the duration or what have you.

Commenting the idea the San Angelo Junior Chamber of Commerce got on the Joe Louis-Buddy Baer fight. The Angelo Jaycees got citizens who tuned in the scrap to contribute to war relief. You see it didn't cost those listeners that thirty bucks a seat. They got to hear the fight for nothing save the effort of tuning in a set. So the Junior Chamber hits on the thought of asking a dime, two dimes, or quarter from all sportsmen and sportswomen listening in. We think that idea was a lu-lu.

This piece should be pasted up in every field house and dressing room and quoted by the coaches to the boys.

## PRAYER OF A SPORTSMAN

Dear Lord, in the battle that goes on through life,  
 I ask but a field that is fair;  
 A chance that is equal with all in the strife,  
 And if I should win, let it be by the code  
 With my faith, and my honor held high,  
 And if I should lose, let me stand by the road  
 And cheer as the winner goes by.  
 Lord, teach me to conquer, if conquer I can,  
 By proving my worth in the fray,  
 And if I should lose, let me lose

## Mustangs Thump Midland, 60-10; Games This Week

Anything can happen in District 3-AA and it usually does. It is happening in basketball. Upsets occurred last week and more are expected in maple court wars this week.

Ablene, one of the state's favored night, stormed back Friday night after an earlier drop to San Angelo, to lambast Lamesa 33-19.

Big Spring, laced in its first game by Lamesa, served up fireworks by thumping San Angelo, 24-17.

Sweetwater has a perfect slate. The Mustangs rambled over Midland 60-10 and had earlier taken Colorado City 29-17.

Odessa's Bronchos, conqueror of Midland 44-21, with Jon Cowsar still hot, shellacked Colorado City, 39-19.

The Bronchos and Mustangs share the cage loop lead. And when Keith Evans, regular center, gets over the mumps the Ector boys may even be harder to drag down. Sweetwater has many of its grid aces on the basketball team and are tall and rangy and rough.

Upsets Expected  
 The complexion of the conference could change as early as Tuesday night. Big Spring, led by Horace Bostick the football-basketball combination ace, comes to Midland; San Angelo invades Sweetwater and could upset the co-leader; Lamesa storms into Odessa; and Abilene goes to Colorado City.

Now playing two nights weekly the league slate for Friday night is: Midland in Abilene; Sweetwater in Lamesa; Odessa in San Angelo; and Colorado City in Big Spring.

Team	W	L	Pct
Odessa	2	0	1.000
Sweetwater	2	0	1.000
Abilene	1	1	.500
Big Spring	1	1	.500
San Angelo	1	1	.500
Lamesa	1	1	.500
Midland	0	2	.000
Colorado City	0	0	.000

Sweetwater did not give Midland a look-in Friday night. A "name" fellow, Marion Flanagan bobbed up again and led the scoring with 11 points. Young Gill and Fitzgerald got eight apiece to share runner-up laurels. The Bombardiers tallied only two field goals.

## Louis Belts Baer; Ready For The Japs

NEW YORK—(AP)—Less than 24 hours after doing a pretty fair fighting job for the Navy, Joe Louis completed arrangements Saturday to join Uncle Sam's Army next Wednesday and do his battling in khaki from here on.

The Brown Bomber, who reached a peak in his blasting career for the second time Friday night in felling Buddy Baer in 2 minutes and 56 seconds, will be given his final physical examination Monday, will be inducted in the service Wednesday at Camp Upton, Long Island, and probably will make his next fist-fighting start in late March for an army fund.

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# SPORTS

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## West Texas Selected Site Of Coach School

ATHENS, Tex.—(AP)—The world's largest coaching school will go to Abilene, August 3 to 8, it was decided here today at the annual meeting of directors of the Texas High School Coaches Association.

Abilene was awarded the tenth annual high school clinic in spirited bidding among five cities.

Dallas, Fort Worth, San Antonio and Waco also sought the school and their bids were practically the same as Abilene's. The directors took the view that the school had been held in South Texas the past three years and never had been in the west Texas city, therefore it was appropriate to send the clinic there.

Abilene Backed Bid  
 Abilene presented a well-organized and carefully-arranged bid with J. D. Standefer, Jr., of Breckenridge, chairman of the board of trustees of Hardin-Simmons University; Jake Simmons, a director of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce, and Hal Sayles, sports editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, making up the delegation that came here seeking the school.

The clinic was held at Houston last year, at Austin the year before and at Houston the year before that, after making a trip into West Texas—being held at Lubbock—in 1937.

There are approximately 300 members of the coaches association. Be-

## Yank Batteries Report Feb. 22

NEW YORK—(AP)—New York Yankee pitchers and catchers will report to Manager Joe McCarthy at the St. Petersburg, Fla., training camp Feb. 22. They will have less than two weeks of practice before the American leaguers play the first of 35 spring games, on March 6.

The remainder of the Yankee squad will report to McCarthy March 1.

## SABIN FACES CRAMER IN DIXIE FINALS

TAMPA, Fla.—(AP)—Wayne Sabin, a former champion from Portland, Ore., and Jack Kramer of Oakland, Calif., will clash here Sunday in the finals of the 18th annual Dixie tennis championship.

Between 300 and 500 mentors gather each year to hear some of the nation's leading college coaches explain the various styles of football play.

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## Ben Hogan, Harry Cooper Take Lead In Rich Tourney

By Robert Myers  
**LOS ANGELES**—(AP)—Harry Cooper and Benny Hogan took over leadership of the \$10,000 Los Angeles Open golf tournament late Saturday as Friday's pace setter, Horton Smith, surrendered to a tough par on the Hillcrest Country Club course.

A heavy threat for the \$3,500 top money, Hogan matched his opening round 70 with another brilliant, consistent brand of golf and moved in to the lead in mid-afternoon. His 36 holes total of 140 looked safe until Cooper, two-time winner of the event, hurried through the late afternoon shadows and posted a 71 to go with his first round 69 and tie the Little Hershey, Pa., pro.

Cooper went for a 12-foot putt on the eighteenth hole and barely missed.

**Snead Still In**  
 Sammy Snead, Hogan's chief rival in pre-tournament predictions marched over the hills ahead of a scrambling crowd of 2,000 and wound up with a 70, two strokes under par, for a total of 141.

Tied at 142 were Smith and Willie Goggin, White Plains, N. Y.

Low score of the day was turned in by dapper Dick Metz of Oak Park, Ill., he played flawlessly and posted 68 for 144.

Mrs. A. E. Collins of San Angelo and Mrs. J. H. Phillips of Abilene, La., are visiting their son and brother, Bill Collins, and family here.

## Basketball Scores

Oklahoma 47, Kansas State 40  
 Iowa State 34, Missouri 25  
 Kentucky 40, Xavier 39  
 Cornell 51, Yale 43  
 Baylor 44, Texas Christian 32  
 Texas 46, Texas A&M 32  
 Duke 38, George Washington 37  
 North Carolina 34, Fordham 25  
 Syracuse 41, Niagara 33  
 Georgia Tech 35, South Carolina 32  
 Georgia 28, Florida 29  
 Princeton 46, Rutgers 28  
 Minnesota 63, Indiana 43  
 Arkansas 36, SMU 34

## Courtney-Stanton Share Basketball-Volleyball Honors

COURTNEY—(Special)—Courtney and Stanton split honors in basketball and volleyball games here Friday night.

Stanton cage fives won 14-12 and 18-12 in A and B games.

In girls volleyball Courtney won two out of three engagements.

## Sees More Balance With Feller Gone

ST. LOUIS—(AP)—President Donald L. Barnes expects the war to make a power out of the weak St. Louis Browns by balancing the top-heavy strength of the American League.

Not that it's going to add anything to the ball club but taking such stars as Bobby Feller and Hank Greenberg from the other teams puts them on a playing par with the Browns, Barnes said.

## U. S. Net Stars In Mexican Victories

MEXICO CITY—(AP)—United States tennis stars touring Latin America continued their clean sweep of the Mexican series Saturday taking both doubles matches after taking all four singles yesterday.

Scores: Sarah Palfrey Cooke and Katherine Winthrop defeated Consuelo Roldan and Rosario L. De Zarazua 6-0, 6-3; and Don McNeill and Elwood Cooke defeated Armando and Rolando Vega 6-1, 8-6.

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# SOCIETY

## Mrs. Oliver Haag Complimented At Series Of Parties

Mrs. Oliver Haag who, with Mr. Haag, is leaving Monday to make their home at Bartlesville, Oklahoma, has been complimented with a series of farewell courtesies.

Mrs. Louis Chas was presented with a bridge party and a handkerchief shower.

In bridge play first prize went to Mrs. Geo. Heath, second prize to the honoree, and bingo award to Mrs. John Nichols.

In addition to the shower gifts, Mrs. Haag received a guest book as gift from the hostess.

Invitations were extended to about 20 friends of the honoree.

Mrs. Ross Carr, Mrs. Allen Flaherty, and Mrs. D. A. Pass entertained 13 guests at coffee. Mrs. Haag, as honoree, was presented with a silver tray.

Several dinner-bridges have also been given.

Mrs. Haag has been active in church work and popular in the younger social set here where she and Mr. Haag have made their home for four and a half years.

Mr. Haag will be with the Phillips Petroleum Company at Bartlesville.

## To Confer



Miss C. Mae Crayler

## Official Of Girl Scouts To Visit Here This Week

Miss C. Mae Crayler of Dallas, representative of the national Girl Scout organization, will visit Midland Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday to confer with Girl Scout leaders and other interested parties on matters pertaining to the Girl Scout movement in Midland. She will speak before the Lions Club Wednesday and the Rotary Club Thursday.

A complete schedule of conferences and meetings for Miss Crayler will be announced by Mrs. A. P. Shirey, chairman of the Midland Girl Scout Council. Girl Scout leaders of Odessa have been invited to attend sessions here.

Miss Crayler is field adviser in the Cactus Region and has been associated with scouting in the Southwest for a number of years. Beginning as deputy commissioner in El Paso, she later served as field captain in Houston, and on the staffs of several Girl Scout camps in this region.

She attended the Texas College of Mines and Arts, supplementing

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## Midland Girl Is Wed At Andrews

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Underwood are at home in Midland following their recent marriage and a short honeymoon trip.

Mr. Underwood, who is from Andrews, and his bride, the former Miss Olive Moffett of Midland, were married in a double-ring ceremony read by the Rev. H. H. Hunt in the Methodist Church at Andrews, Saturday night, January 3.

A group of friends and relatives was present for the wedding including Misses Ressie and May Moffett, sisters of the bride, Miss Marguerite Lee and Robert Lee, all of Midland.

The bride wore a black tailored suit with black accessories.

The daughter of F. M. Moffett of Ranger, she is a graduate of Ranger High School and has made her home in Midland for six years. She is employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company here.

Mr. Underwood graduated from Rochester High School.

He is manager of a service station at Andrews. A member of the Army Reserve, he expects to be called back into service January 21.

## Twenty-One Children Attend Story Hour

Twenty-one boys and girls gathered in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning to hear the Story Hour conducted by Mrs. O. J. Hubbard.

Five stories were told including: "Mr. Rabbit's Ears", "Mr. Fox and His Dinner Party", "Mr. Fox and Mr. Thomas Cat", "The Wise Griffin", and "The Queen Bee".

Children present were: Eddie Juan Darnell, Adell Blackman, John Blackman, Peggy Mincar, Bennie Stanley, Orman J. Hubbard, Charles Shepard, Eldon Kinikin, William Stone, Harry Barney, Herman Hankla, Ruth Hall, Richard Clark, Melba Jean Clark, Geraldine Smith, Faith Shott, Nancy Booth, Jeanne Renfro, Marilyn Dunagan, Walter Dunagan, and Tomy Dunagan.

## MONAHANS HIGH SCHOOL

MONAHANS—(Spl)—Approximately 25 new students have enrolled in the Monahans schools since the Christmas vacation. The majority of the new students are grade school pupils.



PRINTS ARE PRETTIER

Prints are everywhere on the fashion horizon, prettier and softer-looking than ever before. The New York creation shown is one of the new blossom prints, with slimming stripes of dog-wood flowers in beige tone, on a moss green ground. Some of the other new color combinations are lime green with raspberry, pale blue with purple, violet, pink with dark green, "toroise tan" with a deeper brown shade.

## Couple Is Wed In Quiet Ceremony

Miss Lillian Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Carlson of Melvin, Texas, and Olin Marion Potter were married quietly, Thursday evening, in a single ring ceremony at the home of the Rev. John Wharton, pastor of the Assembly of God Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Giffereit of Midland were the couple's only attendants.

The bride wore a jacket costume of navy blue alpaca trimmed in white. Her accessories were red and black.

Mrs. Potter is a graduate of the Melvin High School. She has made her home in Midland for the past two years, being at present employed at Perry Bros. variety store.

Mr. Potter is the son of Mrs. Walter Martin of Midland. He was educated near Denton but has lived here for a number of years. A reserve, he left Saturday morning for Lubbock to report for military duty.

Mrs. Potter will continue to make her home here at 411 N Colorado for the present.

## George Ann Bennett Entertained With Party On Birthday

To celebrate the fourth birthday anniversary of her daughter, George Ann, Mrs. Geo. Bennett was hostess for a party from 2 o'clock to 5 at her home, 2001 W Brunson, Friday afternoon.

Pastel colors were featured throughout party decorations. A cluster of pastel-hued balloons floated above the center of the refreshment table.

Napkins, candy cups, plates, and the crepe paper hats which added color to the scene were also in pastel shades as was the decorated birthday cake.

Children present were: The honoree, Sue Schneider, Hazen Woods Jr., Barbara Imman, James Barron, Bill Dillard, Sue Blevins, Frank Henderson, Ann Haseltine, Sharon Lee Herrell, Mary Margaret Wallace, and Freddie Black.

Mrs. W. G. Henderson, Mrs. Herrell, and Mrs. Frank Wallace assisted Mrs. Bennett.

## Garden Club Officers Named For New Year

Officers of the Midland Garden Club for 1942 have been elected and will take office at the February meeting.

They are: Mrs. W. H. Gilmore president; Mrs. I. E. Daniel first vice president; Mrs. J. T. Smith second vice president; Mrs. Clifford Keith recording secretary; Mrs. L. C. Link treasurer; Mrs. Fred Brasted corresponding secretary; Mrs. E. R. Osburn, historian.

## Delta Pegasus Club Sews For Red Cross

Mrs. T. E. Christopher was hostess to the Delta Pegasus Club at the home of Mrs. C. R. Fitch at the Magnolia Tank Farm, with a luncheon, Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

The morning was spent in sewing for the Red Cross.

Members present were: Mmes. G. P. Bradbury, Bill Sherrod, T. M. Whitaker, Hazel Krapf, C. A. Barton, C. R. Fitch, C. O. Morton, L. R. Standlee, J. R. Wright, McEl-downey, J. A. Sewell, Raymond Smith, E. E. English, D. S. Hughes, Miss Rubalee Krapf, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. E. E. English.

## Belmont Class Continues Study Of Deuteronomy

Mrs. H. M. Reigle taught the lesson from the twenty-sixth chapter of Deuteronomy at the meeting of Belmont Bible Class with Mrs. Gladys Holster, 600 North A Street, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. W. G. Attaway offered the opening prayer and Mrs. H. E. Skipper the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. L. Bryan, Simpson, Reigle, A. C. Moore, W. N. Craft, W. L. Sutton, B. M. Hays, and the hostess.

Next meeting of the class will be with Mrs. B. M. Hays, 1701 W Kentucky.

## Four Hostesses Entertain For Mrs. Monroe

Mrs. Frank Monroe was honored with a tea and a pink-and-blue shower given by a quartet of hostesses at the home of Mrs. J. B. Ellis, 105 Ridgelea, Friday afternoon from 3 o'clock till 5.

Entertaining with Mrs. Ellis were Mrs. Harlan Howell, Mrs. G. B. Rush, and Mrs. Russell Howard.

Reception rooms were decorated with gladioli, sweetpeas, cornflowers, and stock in pink, blue, and white, and pink tapers.

Gifts were on display during the calling hours. Centerpiece for the tea table was a large figure of a stork with arrangements of the favored flowers.

Mrs. J. Webb Miller poured for the first hour and Mrs. Ben Black for the second hour.

White cakes on the tea plates were decorated with rosebuds.

Mrs. Marvin English and Mrs. Joseph Mims presided at the guest register.

Assisting in receiving were Mrs. J. W. Erickson, Mrs. Pearl Blair, and Mrs. S. M. Erskine.

Guests were: The honoree, Mmes. H. S. Collings, D. G. Cage, Erickson, Mims, Delbert Downing, O. K. Baker, T. R. Higginbotham, Richard Hinkle, J. M. White, Bert Cole Jr., Pearl Blair, J. W. Barnett, R. M. Andrews, Jerry Phillips, E. A. Waldrop, V. A. Walston, Wood Dow, Raymond Leggett, Clint Dunagan, Geo. Heath, S. T. Cole, Black, Erskine, W. L. Sutton, English, Miller, and Ann Cannon.

## Midlante Club Dances At Studio

Midlante Club held its January dance Saturday night at the Palette Club studio on N Colorado Street. Dancing was to recorded music.

## Monahans High Band To Give Concert January 19

MONAHANS—(Spl)—Director Paul Brannon has announced that the first concert of the year by the Monahans high school band will be presented Monday night, January 19, at the school auditorium. A program of band selections, novelty and specialty numbers, and patriotic songs will be given.

## Mrs. H. M. Bayer Is Complimented At Bridal Courtesy Given By Trio Of Sisters At Geo. Ratliff Home

Mrs. Louis Thomas, Mrs. E. I. Bailey and Mrs. W. M. Blevins Entertain On Friday For December Bride, Former Miss Lucile Thomas

To honor Mrs. H. M. Bayer who was Miss Lucile Thomas until her marriage in December, a trio of sisters, Mrs. W. M. Blevins, Mrs. Louis Thomas, and Mrs. E. I. Bailey of Toledo, Ohio, entertained with a bridge-luncheon and shower at the home of their mother, Mrs. Geo. Ratliff, 401 N Marienfeld, Friday afternoon.

The appropriate bridal theme was suggested in the mantel arrangement of white gladioli.

Guests arrived for luncheon at 12:30 o'clock. Afterward shower gifts were presented informally to Mrs. Bayer and bridge was played.

The bride held high score in the afternoon's play with bingo award going to Mrs. Frank Lewis.

Guests were: The honoree, her mother, Mrs. John B. Thomas; her aunt, Mrs. Shelton, and her sister, Mrs. Henry Meadow. Mmes. Fred Hogan, Ben Black, Frank Miller, J. C. Ratliff, Don Oliver, Henry Shaw, O. C. Harper, Frank Lewis, Robert W. Patten, Johnson Phillips, Ralph Geisler, Jack Wilkinson, Wright Cowden, Tom Sealy, Van P. Welch, Allen Cowden, Geo. Ratliff, and Miss Marian Wadley.

Members present were: Mmes. D. H. Griffith, J. C. Cunningham, Hurley, E. C. Hitchcock, S. S. Stinson, Wood, and the hostess.

The club will meet again next Friday with Mrs. Griffith, 701 N Marienfeld, at 2:30 o'clock.

## Eva Cowden Class Dedicates Year Book

A program dedicating the year book of the Eva Cowden Class of the First Baptist Church, prepared by Mrs. James H. Walker, was presented at the meeting of the group at the home of Mrs. Walker, 103 Club Drive, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Eight members had part on the program each reading a verse concerning Mrs. J. M. White, teacher of the class, to whom the book was dedicated. Letters held by the readers spelled out "Mrs. White."

Mrs. Raymond Leggett, president of the class, had charge of the business meeting. Each member present answered roll call with a New Year's resolution.

After the program, refreshments were served and the remainder of the evening spent in conversation.

Present were: Mmes. J. M. White, Raymond Leggett, Harold Cheves, A. B. Cole Jr., J. M. Long, Allen Dorsey, Archie Estes, Dec K. Ham, Joe Beane, R. L. Willis, Miss Lucille Scarborough, and the hostess.

## At Your Library

Two Way Passage, by Louis Adamic.

The Heart Remembers, by Faith Baldwin (fiction).

Best Plays of 1940-1941.

Master of the Mississippi, by F. L. Dorsey (Life of Henry Shreve and the mastery of the Mississippi).

Too Many Women, by Maisie Grieg (fiction).

Hitler Cannot Conquer Russia, by Maurice Hindus.

Low on the War, by David Low (A cartoon commentary on the years 1939-41).

Death and the Dancing Footman, by Ngaio Marsh (mystery).

Now, Voyager, by Olive Higgins Prouty (fiction).

The Sun Is My Undoing, by Margaret Steen (fiction. 18th Century setting).

The Fighting Littles, by Booth Tarkington (fiction).

Treasury of Gilbert and Sullivan, edited by Deems Taylor.

The Colorado Conquest, by D. O. Woodbury.

Colt from Moon Mountain, by D. P. Lathrop (juvenile).

Botany Bay, by Charles Nordhoff and James Norman Hall (a story of the famous penal colony established in Australia in 1788).

Cokesbury Shower Book, by K. Fite (41 completely planned showers).

Art Today, by Faulkner.

Music in My Time, by Daniel Gregory Mason (musical reminiscences).

Devil's Ditties, by Jean Thomas (stories of the Kentucky Mountain people with the songs they sing).

Emigres in the Wilderness, by T. W. Clarke (the romantic and little-known stories of the well-to-do French families who fled to this country when their lives were imperiled by the Revolution and Napoleon).

The Timeless Land, by Eleanor Dark (fiction).

Tally-Ho, by A. G. Donohue (Yankee in a Spitfire).

Bible Plants for American Gardens, by Eleanor Anthony King.

Keum of the Earth, by Arthur Koestler (the story of the plight of refugees when France collapsed).

Vanished Island, by Cornelia Meigs (story of a boy's life on the Mississippi).

Pistols for Hire, by Nelson C. Nye (features the most celebrated of Range Wars, the war in Lincoln County, New Mexico).

A Lady Goes to Hollywood, by Helen Partridge (the casual adventures of an author's wife in the much misunderstood capital of filmland).

Ghostwater, by Eden Phillpotts (mystery).

First Ladies, by K. Prindiville (juvenile).

This Business of Carving, by B. Rhode.

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Talented Students Present Assembly Program On Friday

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THE BULLDOG

Written by the Journalism Class and the Press Club of Midland High School



F. F. A. Constitution Made At District Meeting Here Sat.

The F. F. A. district meeting was held in Midland Saturday with Stanton, Garden City, Garmer, Coahoma, and Midland represented...

Clothing Class Presents Articles Made By 48 Girls In Style Show Friday, January 9, In Room 300

The clothing classes under the direction of Miss Jeanne Logan presented a style show in study hall 300 Friday afternoon at 3:30 before an audience of 35 mothers...

Members Try Out For Parts In Club Play At Meeting

The Science Club discussed the shortage of automobile tires Tuesday and the different ways in which they can be made to last longer...



Jima Lou Gumm, popular high school student, is moving to Odessa at mid-term.

Coach Clark Accepts Gov. Position Wed.

Earle Clark, coach of the Midland High School's football squad and also instructor of several courses, resigned Wednesday afternoon after receiving notification from Washington, D. C., to permit him to go to an F. B. I. training school for about three months...

War Didn't Stop Old Santa's Visit To M. H. S. Pupils

In spite of the heavy bombing and black-outs, old Santa made his annual rounds this Christmas and just look what he left for some of our Midland students...

Exchange Column

Every man is a volume if you know how to read him—Springfield Sentinel, Springfield High School. His face may be freckled, His ears may stick out...

News Of Former Midland Students

Louise Cox, freshman at TSCW, is home after undergoing an appendectomy. Elinor Hedrick was unable to leave Monday for Christian College due to a cold...

13 Quiz Questions About Texas; See How Much You Know

- 1. What is the largest state in the United States? 2. What states border the state of Texas? 3. What river forms the boundary of Texas with Mexico? 4. What city does Texas share with Arkansas? 5. Where was the first permanent settlement in Texas made? 6. When did Texas declare its independence from Mexico? 7. When did Texas become a state? 8. Name the four largest cities of Texas in order of size? 9. What body of water borders Texas? 10. Can you name six important rivers in Texas? 11. Is the speaker of the House of Representatives from Texas? 12. Can you name three more states besides Texas that border Mexico? 13. What other states in the Union begin with a "T"?

Personals

Norma Jo Young from Longview has enrolled in the junior class. Virginia Stoltz spent last Sunday in Big Spring. Jima Lou Gumm will move to Odessa at mid-term.

Calendar Of Coming Events

- Monday— Tuesday—Big Spring here 7:30. Wednesday—Armstrong with Band in Assembly. Thursday— Friday—Defense Stamp Rally in Assembly. Abilene plays Midland here 7:30.

Students Take Sides As To Exam Questions

Mid term exams are scheduled to take place in two weeks and no exemptions will be given. Of course the students have taken sides on whether they do or do not like it. Those in favor say it is good because it will be practice for the exams one must take in college. Those against it say if a student knows he won't be exempt there will not be as much effort as otherwise. Both of these arguments are logical; nevertheless no exemptions will be given.

Civil Service Exams Will Be Given Soon

Mrs. Dow announced to her typing and shorthand classes Tuesday that Civil Service exams for junior stenographers and typists are to be held in Midland soon.

The government needs many more stenographers in National Defense. The examinations consist solely of a dictation test of 96 words a minute and transcription of notes. Anyone who has reached the age of 18 is eligible. The examination will require about one hour and forty-five minutes. Students wishing further information are asked to see Mrs. Dow.

El Paso Editor Likes Midland High Paper

Harold Chancellor, editor of the Bulldog, Midland high newspaper, was a recent guest of D. Roderick, manager of the El Paso Times. Chancellor showed the publisher copies of the school paper and received a request from him for more to study.

Happy Birthday To:

- January 2—Alyne Kelly. January 3—Billie Walker. January 4—Patsy Bodine. January 4—Alberta Lee. January 7—Virginia Stoltz. January 9—Evelyn Pittman. January 10—Francis Basley. January 10—Bob King. January 11—Bessie Cogburn.

Red Cross Receives Knitting From FHT

Sixteen beanies, knitted by girls of the home-making department, were turned in to the Red Cross last week. The girls also have ready 108 squares which will make an afghan. "Students have enjoyed and profited by this work and feel that they have in a small way helped in the crisis of today," Mrs. J. Butler says. The club will receive thread for twenty more beanies soon. See it through in '42.

F. F. A. Class Visits Loaf Packing Plant

The Future Farmers of America accompanied by Mr. Fowell, sponsored a visit to the A&M Packing Plant Friday at 1:30 in order to learn the methods of beef and hog cutting. The students returned at 3:00 on the school bus.

Crane Methodist Group Installs New Officials

CRANE—(SP) — The Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church installed officers for the new year when they met this week. Mrs. I. D. Jackson was installed as president.

Others on the official roster included: Mrs. B. B. Mitchell, vice president; Mrs. W. L. Nabours, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Roy Hodnett, recording secretary; Mrs. Aubrey Holcomb, spiritual leader; Mrs. Guy Bosworth, membership chairman; Mrs. D. K. Chaney, fellowship chairman; Mrs. L. S. Adcock, publicity chairman; Mrs. R. D. Shaffer, secretary of missionary education; Mrs. S. G. Barnard, chairman of Christian relations; Mrs. M. E. Boone, secretary of student work; Mrs. A. Shaffer, treasurer; Mrs. J. L. Hutchinson, secretary of literature, and publication; Ms. C. K. Peek, secretary of supplies; Mrs. Owen Shaokelford, secretary of young people and children; and Mrs. Miller Harris, local secretary.

Library Has Total Of 470 New Books

Of the 470 books ordered for the library before the holidays, 169 are fiction, 4 mythology, 33 social science, 20 useful arts, 63 science, 30 travel, 93 biography, 17 history, 11 story collections, 7 fine arts, 9 language, 4 journalism, 3 drama, and 1 philosophy. Library of Congress catalog cards have also been ordered. This is the first time that these have been used in the high school library. Previously all cards have been typed.

New Students Total 8; One From Kentucky

New students entering high school in the past week total eight. From out of the state Jane Donaldson, homeroom 206, who is from Kentucky.

Others include Royce Howard, homeroom, from Noodle, Texas; Patsy Traversie, homeroom 102 from Odessa; Jean and Dorothy Aber homeroom 304 and 204 respectively from Spur, Texas; Melba Tuggle, homeroom 300 from Cisco; and Weldon Rotan homeroom 109.

Midland Loses To Odessa Bronchos In First Conference Race; Charlie Kelly Made Captain By Vote Of The Players

Three Months, 90 Days, Means Busy School Calendar

Take the school hours of eight-thirty a. m. until three fifteen p. m. and the total of ninety days and you have a busy calendar of schedules for Midland High School students. From the 9th of September to the 19th of December, students have had respective portions of the following activities:

September Seniors elect Gerald Nobles president of the senior class. Dramatics course added to speech department. Virginia Stoltz, Sue Shepard, Tommy Nolan and Gerald Nobles elected to assist cheer leader Elma Jean Noble. "Bulldog" staff to be composed of Harold Chancellor, Alberta Smith, and Sue Shepard. Mrs. De Lo Douglas announces Emily J. Lamar, Foy Lee Branch, Jackie Theis, and Jo Ann Proctor as the girls quartet.

Coach Clark Accepts Gov. Position Wed.

Earle Clark, coach of the Midland High School's football squad and also instructor of several courses, resigned Wednesday afternoon after receiving notification from Washington, D. C., to permit him to go to an F. B. I. training school for about three months. Clark left Thursday by car for Washington. His wife and child are planning to stay in Midland until he has finished the training course. It has not been decided who will take his place as coach next year.

Students Hear C. C. Morgan Speak In Chapel

C. C. Morgan minister of the Church of Christ, spoke to students Wednesday at the regular assembly hour on "The Area of Man." He pointed out that the success or failure of a person depended on four success qualities which are ability, responsibility, endurance, and action. "If you lack ability," he said "get it." And of responsibility he said "If a man is dependable his word is as good as his hand. 'Endurance' or 'stickability' is a very important quality. A person may pass all the other three and still lack action and he will fail. In closing he said, 'The degree of success of any man depends entirely on these four qualities. When the first letter of each is added to the other it spells area.'"

Armstrong Attends Band Clinics Sat.

One of the series of clinics for the West Texas Bands was held Saturday, January 10, with the morning session at Wink conducted by Director Wesley May and Director Everett Maxwell and the afternoon session held at Kermit conducted by Director Moreland Baldwin, Director Kenneth Vaughan, Director Alfred Riley, Director Wesley May, and Director Paul Branom. A cornet clinic in Kermit was conducted by Director Alfred Riley. These clinics are for the local town bands in which the directors meet. Director M. A. Armstrong attended from Midland, also from Midland were James Kerr and Macdon Cecil.

Gibbins Elected O. C. A. President

The O. C. A. Club met at the home of Bobbie Jean Gibbins Saturday for a semi-annual business meeting. Bobbie Jean Gibbins was elected president, Alberta Smith, vice-president, Martha Preston, secretary, Jo Ann Blair, treasurer, and Jackie Theis, reporter. Refreshments served were cookies, sandwiches, and hot chocolate. Members present were Alberta Smith, Kathryn Hanks, Jo Ann Blair, Elaine Hedrick, Marjorie Preston, Jackie Theis, Colleen Oates, Norma Jean Stice, and Bobbie Gibbins.

One Year Ago In High School News

A meeting of the home economics club was held in room 102 Tuesday afternoon. Pearl Wilson, Four - H club girl, spoke to the girls on the club and its projects.

Editorial

"He will be helped who helps himself." And right now is the time to start helping yourself. kids, because exams are right around the corner. If you haven't studied when exams get here, nothing but a miracle of heaven can save you, because exemptions surely won't. You know two weeks of practical study for an exam helps more than two weeks of glorious loafing and a fervent prayer two minutes before the bell rings for the test. Of course, that earnest plea for "Heaven to help me" may—if you have done your duty and gotten yourself prepared for the worst; then the worst may not be so bad after all and say—"A" would look mighty good on that report card!

The Odessa Bronchos and the Bulldogs tangled Tuesday night and when the final whistle sounded, Odessa was ahead 41 to 21. The game was a rough affair, with 30 personal fouls being called. Several players on both teams fouled off before the game was over. Cowstar, Odessa center, was the high point maker of the game with 21. The line-up was:

Table with 2 columns: Midland (Kelly, Daugherty, Stickle, Bedford, Wells Guard) and Odessa (Cowstar, Bowden, Ellis, Green, Lee)

Midland played Sweetwater Friday night in Sweetwater, but the outcome of the game was not known when this column was written.

The Bulldogs will play Big Spring here Tuesday night then travel to Abilene Friday. There is very little known of the Big Spring team. The Abilene team is a very polished outfit. The Eagles have four returning lettermen from last year's team which won second place in the State play-off.

Charlie Kelly, center, was elected captain of the 1941-1942 basketball team Tuesday night by vote of the players.

During the Christmas holidays the Bulldogs had drills twice daily. The major objective of these early workouts was to get in condition for the conference race opening, which began last Thursday. On New Year's day, the Bulldogs played Andrews and were beaten 37-19. The high school faculty team beat the Bulldogs 60-38, in a practice scrimmage last week. The Bulldogs have been pitching 50 free throws a day and are getting much better.

The Midland and Odessa school faculties played a game last Tuesday night. The Midland teachers won 43-25. The Midland team has many ex-college stars. The lineup for the faculty game was:

Table with 2 columns: Midland (D. Johnson, Rush, Clark, Monroe, Dow) and Odessa (Pike, J. Johnson, Coleman, Starnes, Cagle)

D. Johnson, the tall center for Midland, tallied 22 points during the game.

Activity clubs elect officers for school term. Sue Shepard is elected "Catoico" queen for 1941-1942.

November Midland-Odessa game with victory lead for Bronchos on Thanksgiving Day. "The Court of the Walts" presented to capacity audience for the crowning of Sue Shepard queen, and Clarence Scharbauer, king.

December Annual football banquet given at Scharbauer Hotel with Coach Dutch Meyer from Texas Christian University as guest speaker. "Life Begins at Sixteen" cast chosen by speech instructor, Miss Pauline McMurrey. Ann Vannaman and Glenn Murray lead cast. Big Spring students present assembly program December 3rd. Eva Barton wins "What America Means to Me" contest. "The Star of Hope," Christmas Pageant presented in assembly with Mrs. De Lo Douglas and Miss Pauline McMurrey directors. Home rooms give baskets to Goodfellows. Students dismissed for holidays.

Teacher: "What three words do we use most in this school?" Pupil: "I don't know." Teacher: "Correct." —Tiger Tales.

In Germany, the showing of Mickey Mouse is prohibited. Probably the party doesn't want to know there are rats in the world.—Austin Pioneer, Austin High.

One arm driving down a lane. Beside a girl of charm. May lead to places here unknown, Or life without the arm. —Austin Pioneer, Austin High.

"This dance floor is pretty slippery." "It isn't the floor, I just had my shoes shined."—Austin Pioneer, Austin High.

President



Gerald Nobles, Senior Class President, also was president of class another year.

Jr. Sr. Girls Play Basketball During Lunch

The Intra-Murals contest which is being held during the noon hours on week-days with competition between the junior-senior girls has been reported by the sponsor, Miss Sudie P. Muirhead, to be progressing nicely.

The first week after the Christmas holidays found the teams chosen for practice of basketball. Between sixteen and twenty junior-senior girls reported for the contests. Tentative plans by the Coaches Club, whose members referee and coach the Intra-Murals, has been made for the actual beginning of the tournaments on Wednesday or Thursday.

An outline of the Intra-Murals contains a complete schedule, made according to the seasons, for various completion games. In January, basketball tops the sports list for the Intra-Murals; table tennis and badminton leads the February activity schedule; for the spring month comes tennis, baseball and other out door games.

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January Clearance Sales Continues THIS WEEK Costume Jewelry \$1 Values \$59¢ \$1.95 Values \$1.00 \$2.95 Values \$1.50 \$3.95 Values \$2.00 \$4.95 Values \$2.50 BAGS DRESSY AND TAILORED STYLES \$2.95 Values \$1.95 \$1.95 Values \$1.25 \$1.25 Values .75¢ Linen Hankies 12 For \$1 Pottery 1/2 Price Stationery Greatly Reduced Washable PLACE MATS, 3 For 15c Hand Painted SILHOUETTE PICTURE \$1 Musical POWDER BOXES \$3 Regular Size And COCKTAIL NAPKINS, 3 Pkgs. 25c VIRGINIA'S GIFTS NOVELTIES 113 N. COLORADO - Phone 1460





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# They're Not Women To Singer: They're "Flutes", "Cellos", "Harps"

### Musical Quality Tabs Personality

By Alicia Hart  
NEA Service Staff Writer

Are you a flute, cello, or violin? That's what you'd be asked by Lotte Lehman, the first lady of song, if she sat down to help you vivify your personality.

The singer took time out to talk about women and music on the eve of a milestone in her career. She was preparing for a concert in the same hall where, exactly ten years ago, she faced her first New York audience.

"There are just three patterns of personality," she told me, "and they're easily identified.

"There's the languorous person with long, slow movements and deep, warm smolderings—the 'cello' person, like—why, like Katherine Cornell.

"The irresistible example of the flute pattern is, of course, Lily Pons, so vivacious, quick and light.

**MADAME LEHMAN IS THE VIOLIN TYPE**

"Then there is the various changeable person who is like a violin, now low and slow, and sombre, again bright, lilting, swift as—as Rain Stevens."

Madame Lehman did not type herself, but that's obvious. She is one of the "violins" among women. Contrast is the key to her history and her performance. At ten she tried to be a poet. On her father's insistence she studied teaching. She turned out a singer with few equals in range of emotions and personalities portrayed in song.

"Take your personality keynote



Lotte Lehman, "first lady of song," right, tabs personalities according to musical instrument types. Quick, vivacious Lily Pons opera star, above, she classifies as the "flute" personality. Katherine Cornell, famous stage star, left, —langorous, deep, warm — she types as a "cello" personality

### Crane Defense Bond Sales Show Increase

CRANE—(Spl)—Sales of defense bonds and stamps in Crane were quickened during the last month, according to postmaster Claude Martin; and postal receipts during the December quarter jumped \$500.77 over the same period of 1940.

Martin stated that requests for defense stamps would have doubled the \$716.50 sales during the past quarter, but no more are available at present. Washington authorities informed that they were being printed, and the local supply will soon be ample.

Bonds sold, totaled \$3,075 during the December quarter.

from music," she counseled, "for music has harmony, movement and contrast, all the essentials of that indefinable something which makes a personality singular and vivid."

Most women are combinations of the three personality patterns, she pointed out, but one pattern is dominant. So if you wish to enhance yourself, why not try her three-instrument test?

### Midland Dealers Will Help Keep Autos Running

"Keep 'em rolling" may be the slogan of an organization to be formed in Midland among tire dealers and others engaged in automobile maintenance and service to prevent confusion, eliminate unwarranted runs for supplies and to otherwise foster conservation of tires and auto accessories here.

Co-operation was pledged 100 per cent with the Midland County tire rationing board. The organization, its members say, will be solely patriotic and unselfish.

A nominating committee has been appointed to select a chairman, vice chairman, secretary, and a board of directors. It consists of W. F. Hejl, chairman, and M. M. Fulton, J. W. Banner, Hubert Hoover, Troy Seago, O. J. Hubbard, and Jimmie Wilson.

A meeting will be called to organize and to offer constructive operation with the tire rationing board. Officer nominees then will be certified and announced.

### Midland Production Credit Will Hold Stockholders Meet

Midland Production Credit association will hold its annual stockholders' meeting at 9:30 a. m. Feb. 2 at Hotel Scharbauer.

C. C. Thomas, manager and secretary-treasurer in charge of the Midland office, said: "This year with fundamental changes in the farming and livestock business taking place, the presence of all members at the annual session is vital. All members of the family of those who have a part in the farm and ranch planning and management are also being invited."

The Midland association serves Midland, Ector, Ward, Crane, Andrews, Martin, Howard, Upton, Reagan, Glasscock, Winkler, and Loving counties. It has made a total of \$1,648,000 in loans for farming and livestock production and operating costs, family expenses, repairs and machinery and supply purchases to producers who have a sound basis for credit during 1941. Of its \$178,870 capital, \$48,870 is owned by the members and it has a reserve of \$52,709 to protect the members' investment.

Officers and directors include: Leonard Proctor, Midland, president; W. B. Elkin, Midland, vice president; Jim Thornton, Eyote, director; T. R. Sowell, Big Lake, director; Stanton Brunson, Midland, director; and C. C. Thomas, Midland, manager.

### Blanket Raise In Freight Rates Is Opposed By WTCC

Opposition to a 10 per cent blanket rate increase, asked by the railroads, is being made by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce. Ed P. Byars, of Fort Worth, is in St. Louis to lodge the protest, along with representatives from other states.

WTCC is not opposing the idea of more revenue for railroads, the officials state, but maintains that a blanket raise would discriminate against agricultural products. It maintains that such a raise would nullify the Transportation Act of 1940.

Oral arguments on the measure will start Monday and continue through Tuesday. Hearings were under way all of last week.

### CRANE MAN SUFFERS A CRUSHED HAND

CRANE—(Spl)—J. C. Holderman suffered a mashed hand Wednesday, and one finger nail was removed in the emergency treatment at the Robinson Hospital. The victim is a Gulf Production employee.

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### Metal Work Class To Open At High School

A class in general metals will be organized at 6:30 p. m. Monday at the high school.

It is open to young men, ages 18-24, and is free.

Pascal Buckner, state director, will be present to execute final plans for the course.

Tools for it have been received. Classes will be taught in the vocational shops of the high school.

More than a dozen prospective students were indicated Saturday. Others were invited to enroll in the course.

### Buster Charlton Goes To Scharbauer Garage

Buster Charlton, well-known to many Midland motorists, has taken charge of the service department at the Hotel Scharbauer Garage. He formerly was service manager of an automobile sales agency here eight years.

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### They Didn't Believe It... That Honolulu Was Under Fire... But They Soon Got Back To Normal... Says Kinsman Of Midland Man

Imagine your own reaction... if your perfectly normal, happy living conditions were suddenly bombed into confusion! Literally, bombed!

Chances are, you wouldn't believe it; but once you were convinced it was actually so... well, you would then calmly go about doing what you should. That is exactly what happened on that fateful December 7 to many folks we know. But it is good to hear first-hand from one of those who was and is in Honolulu.

C. L. Stark, brother-in-law of Ben Black of Midland, who is Secretary of the Retail Board of the United States Chamber of Commerce in Honolulu, has written to Black, and has given him a detailed report on those first fateful days, and nights. Below are several quotations, without comment, from his report to the Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, Washington:

"The immediate reaction of most civilians in their homes was one of incredulity... many mentioned, on hearing the firing, that the Army and Navy were certainly using a good supply of real ammunition in their practice maneuvers, and that the sham battle was quite realistic. It was three hours before the average person away from the areas actually attacked believed the island was under fire.

"The writer is a member of the Defense Unit under the Civilian Defense set-up, and it is probable that this group was the first Civilian Defense unit in the United States to go into action under fire. Armed details were immediately sent to guard bridges; fire wardens were stationed by districts, and a house to house call was made to inform residents of blackout orders.

"There was an immediate run on retail stores for food, flash lights, blue cellophane paper for use on car lights and flash lights, blankets, hygienic necessities, and first-aid kits. Christmas gift purchasing was non-existent during the first few days after the attack.

"Retail sales on Monday, Dec. 8, were about 25 per cent normal, and rose to about 40 per cent by the end of the week; however, this is misleading because the Army did much of this buying. The larger stores now have day and night forces to supply Army needs. On Tuesday all food stores were ordered closed while inventories were made. Many items were taken off the market. When the stores opened, there was a rush for such items as were open to sale, as folks seemed to feel that they might be unable to purchase later.

**Did Christmas Shopping**

"By Monday, Dec. 15, shoppers in large numbers were again beginning to purchase Christmas gift items, and by the 17th stores were running 60 to 75 per cent normal. On December 8, practically all stores placed paper tape strips on the window panes to prevent shattering. Lately, however, several stores

### WTCC Ask Larger Quotas For Area, Due To Expansion

ABILENE—(Spl)—Rationing and quota authorities have been requested by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to add at least 20 per cent of 1940 census figures in allowing West Texas quotas. The organization has submitted a comprehensive report to the proper authorities to give full consideration to the fact that demands are much greater in the area today than when the census was compiled.

The West Texas brief has been prepared after a survey made by D. A. Baneen, general manager. It reveals that employment is up 18 per cent in west Texas, whereas over the entire state it is only 16 per cent. Payrolls have seen a 32 per cent increase; postal receipts are up 18; building permits are up 300; defense bond purchases up 280; retail sales up 16; oil production up 26; and agricultural income is up 42 per cent.

"Food rationing has not been put into effect (that was December 22) although gasoline has been restricted to ten gallons per month to each car owner, by use of ration cards. Each licensed owner is issued two five-gallon cards. Gasoline stations were issued tanks of gasoline, and to replenish supplies must return the ration card, and may not get any more than they have cards for.

**Close Stores Early**

"Stores are closed on or before 4:30 p. m., to allow employees to reach home and complete their evening meal early to eliminate use of lights. Some stores close as early as 3:30, so that all may reach home well before blackout time. Blackout regulations are rigid for both home and business houses. In some cases neon signs left on were shot out by the guards... and some objectors have been lectured or fined by the Provost Court.

"A good many of the stores which had been extending credit immediately discontinued all credit... especially smaller food stores... however most are again extending credit to regular customers... there was an overhauling of existing credit accounts, and slow payers were eliminated. Deliveries by retail stores were eliminated but now again in operation, limited to purchases, in some cases of \$2.00 or more, in others of \$5.00 or more. Some of the larger stores worked out once-a-week deliveries to outlying districts."

The writer concludes with the thought that the people are in no sense panicky, and that they are determinedly going about their regular work in assisting in every way possible in defense.

### Kin Of Crane Teacher Are Victims Of Gas

CRANE—(Spl)—Miss Mamie Smith received word Wednesday that her brother and his wife of Fort Worth were found dead due to asphyxiation. Failing to appear for work, the man was checked on, and the couple found, thought to have been dead since last Friday.

Miss Smith is a fourth grade instructor in the schools here.

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**ACCEPTS GUARD WORK IN FORT WORTH**

MONAHANS—(Spl)—Ray Shirley, fountain manager for the Corner Drug Store for the past six months, has accepted a position with the Texas and Pacific Railroad at Fort Worth as guard. Mr. and Mrs. Shirley have moved to Fort Worth to make their home.

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# Coming Events

**MONDAY**  
Episcopal Auxiliary will meet at Mrs. B. F. Nysewander, 202 South G Street, Monday afternoon at the usual hour.

Business and Professional Women's Club will meet at Hotel Scharbauer, Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Monday morning from 9 o'clock till 12 and Monday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock till 5. All Midland women are urged to assist in the work.

Circles of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet Monday as follows: Rebekah Circle at 9:30 o'clock; the morning with Mrs. Russell Ford, 709 N Pecos; Ruth Circle with Mrs. J. M. Armstrong, 1307 W Missouri, at 3:30 o'clock in the afternoon; Rachel Circle with Mrs. W. E. McCarter, 607 N Pecos, at 3:30 o'clock; Dorcas Circle with Mrs. S. W. Brock Jr., 200 W Wolcott, at 3 o'clock.

Rijnhart Circle of the Christian Woman's Council will meet with Mrs. Guy Brenneman, 611 N Pecos, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock; Junior Matrons Circle will meet with Mrs. R. Z. Dallas, 200 Club Drive, at 3:30 o'clock.

Anyone interested in Red Cross first aid courses is asked to call Mrs. M. B. Arick, 1043J, from 9 to 11 o'clock in the morning or from one o'clock to 3 in the afternoon on week days for information.

Viola Holt Circle of the Methodist W.C.S.C. will meet with Mrs. Geo. Glass, 911 W Texas, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Bible study. At 2:30 o'clock, all other circles will join the group for a pledge service.

**TUESDAY**  
Delphian Chapter will meet with Mrs. Geo. Grant, 1401 W Illinois, Tuesday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

Twentieth Century Study Club will meet with Mrs. Ross Carr, 505 W Storey, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Civic Music Club will meet at North Ward auditorium, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock.

South Ward P.T.A. will meet at South Ward School, Tuesday afternoon at the usual time.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Tuesday morning from 9 o'clock until 12 and Tuesday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock to 5. All Midland women are urged to assist in the work.

Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock till 5. The public is invited.

Adult education child care group will meet with Mrs. Louis Wallace, 707 W Cuthbert, Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock.

American Legion Auxiliary members will meet on the third floor of the courthouse, Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. Each is asked to bring a "white elephant" to send to the soldiers' hospital.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Bluebonnet Club will meet with Mrs. W. A. Black, 111 North G Street, Wednesday afternoon at the usual hour.

Fine Arts Club will meet with Mrs. A. P. Shirey, 1301 W Kentucky, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Wednesday morning from 9 o'clock till 12 and Wednesday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock till 5. All Midland women are invited to assist in the work.

Adult education nutrition group will meet at Piggly Wiggly store Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

Adult education meal planning study group will meet at Valley View School, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

So Sum Club will meet with Mrs. B. P. Haag, 209 N Big Spring, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

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Miss Margie E. Neal will present a free lecture on Social Security at the high school auditorium, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock under auspices of A.A.U.W. Civic Music Club will present a program of patriotic music preceding the address.

**THURSDAY**  
Twelve-ite Club will meet with Mrs. R. C. Crabb, 1001 W Missouri, Thursday afternoon at one o'clock.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Thursday morning from 9 o'clock till 12 and Thursday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock till 5. All Midland women are urged to assist in the work.

Adult education nutrition study group sponsored by South Ward P.T.A. will meet at Calvary Baptist Church, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

Lucky Thirteen Club will meet with Mrs. O. H. Jones, 2011 W College, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Cardette Club will meet with Mrs.

## Housewives To Use Cars Less To Save Tires

Of interest to the women and families of Midland was a communication given to Governor Coke Stevenson and in turn relayed to the county and municipal defense coordinators.

The statement read: "On the tenth of December, as you know, the sale of new tires and tubes in the United States was stopped and the termination date was extended to midnight, January 4, 1942. There is definitely at the present time a rubber shortage in our country due to the fact that the great percentage of our rubber supply has been coming from the Far East. Naturally, conditions in the Pacific Ocean, at least for a while, make this source of supply a rather doubtful one. We are told that there is on hand a large supply of crude rubber stock but that all of it will be necessary for the supply of tires for definite military purposes.

"Beginning with January 5, 1942, there will be a definite ration of new rubber tires and tubes and only certain carriers and agencies will fall within the eligibility classification. This means that we must either make our tires and tubes give a maximum amount of service or do without when the present ones can no longer be used. Women are so accustomed to using automobiles at liberty that I feel a special appeal should be made to them to cooperate in curtailing the use of their automobile. We suggest the following:

1. That in families where several cars are owned by members, each driving to his or her respective place of work, that where possible and practicable one automobile serve the purpose of getting each one to the point of destination. We realize this may mean having to leave the home at an earlier hour but in the long run, the inconvenience will be much less if this plan is conformed to. We urge this same procedure in social instances as well.
2. We suggest that all pleasure trips be abandoned and that the healthy exercise of walking once again become a popular past time.
3. Housewives can contribute a great deal toward the conservation of rubber by making their grocery purchases and doing their marketing for the family twice a week instead of every day.
4. We suggest that where the home is located conveniently close to the marketing center, that the housewife employ the method used in many countries of taking her own basket to the store for food supplies.
5. We urge that all housewives form the habit of making a list of needed supplies whether for the kitchen or wearing apparel. Help the owners of the stores and the shops to conserve their tire supply by making it possible for them to curtail the number of deliveries to your home. We call your attention to the fact that in taking things out on approval many times means two trips to your home instead of one. We urge you to make your purchases final in every instance possible.
6. Remember that rapid driving

produces greater friction on your tires and thus causes less endurance. WATCH YOUR SPEED!

The manner in which you operate your car also has a great deal to do with the life of the tires. Sudden stopping or starting, spinning of wheels and grazing the curb when you pay your car cause abnormal wear on your tires. We urge you to operate your car carefully.

And last but not least, we urge a patient and friendly understanding of the situation. Patriots can help to relieve the harassment of a merchant, the ice man, the milk man—in fact, all of those people who serve the public by withholding criticisms when customary services have to be reduced."

Joseph Mims, 714 W Storey, Thursday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Adult education nutrition group will meet with Mrs. O. L. Crooks, Golf Course Drive, Thursday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock.

As You Like It Club will meet with Mrs. James Adamson, 706 S Loraine, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Sewing will be done for the Red Cross.

**FRIDAY**  
Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Friday morning from 9 o'clock till 12 and Friday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock till 5. All Midland women are urged to assist in the work.

Adult education advanced nutrition group will meet with Mrs. W. R. Lam, 610 N Big Spring, Friday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

Escondida Club will meet with Mrs. D. H. Griffith, 701 N Marlenfeld, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. B. M. Hays, 1701 W Kentucky, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Anyone interested in Red Cross first aid courses is asked to call Mrs. M. B. Arick, 1043J, from 9 o'clock to 11 in the morning and from one o'clock to 3 in the afternoon on weekdays for information.

Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. Ed Reichardt, 1111 W Indiana, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Midland Town Hall will present Dr. Will Durant, noted philosopher and author, in a lecture at the high school auditorium, Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

**SATURDAY**  
Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Saturday morning from 9 o'clock until 12 and Saturday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock till 5. All Midland women are urged to assist in the work.

Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson Studio, 210 W Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

**WINKLER TIRE RATIONING BOARD HAS BEEN NAMED**

WINK—The Winkler County Tire Rationing Board has been named, including H. H. Lee, W. B. McCargo, and Hal Hester, all of Kermit.

Appointments were made by County Judge E. C. Gilliam, and Mayor W. H. Wilson of Kermit and Mayor L. M. Prater of Wink.

Appliances of A.A.U.W. Civic Music Club will present a program of patriotic music preceding the address.

**THURSDAY**  
Twelve-ite Club will meet with Mrs. R. C. Crabb, 1001 W Missouri, Thursday afternoon at one o'clock.

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Adult education nutrition study group sponsored by South Ward P.T.A. will meet at Calvary Baptist Church, Thursday morning at 9 o'clock.

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Lucky Thirteen Club will meet with Mrs. O. H. Jones, 2011 W College, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Cardette Club will meet with Mrs.

## Civilian Defense Work In Midland Shows Quickening Tempo As The War Year Gets Underway; Varied Activities In Progress

With the first month of 1942 less than half gone, civilian defense work in Midland presents a picture of quickening activity.

The Midland County Defense Council since December 7 has asked some 50 persons to serve on various committees and not one has refused, according to officials.

Four first aid courses are now in progress with approximately 150 persons enrolled. Two evening and two day classes are being taught. Citizens wishing to enroll are requested to phone Mrs. M. B. Arick, at 1043J, between the hours of 9 and 11 a. m. or one and 3 p. m. on weekdays, for information.

The health unit office reported 41 persons have registered for the home nursing course and registration will continue through this week, with the first class opening January 19. Class sessions will be from 9:30 to 11 a. m. on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Information about the home nursing course will be presented by Mrs. C. J. Bauer and Mrs. J. M. Devereux in a program over KRLH Wednesday afternoon from 3:15 o'clock to 3:30.

The past week witnessed an increase of activity at the Red Cross work room with 107 persons calling. Articles taken out for making included: 90 sweaters, 6 convalescent robes, 5 quilts, three baby shirts, 4 petticoats, 10 children's dresses, and 25 Army and Navy pajamas. Work in cutting was also done at the work room.

The Red Cross room at the Old Heidelberg Inn is now open six days a week from 9 o'clock a. m. to 12 and from 1:30 o'clock till 5 p. m. daily.

More workers are needed and those interested are asked to call at the work room for materials and instructions.

Those interested in learning to knit are asked to call Mrs. Fred Brasted, phone 756. A Neighborhood Knitting Corps is being organized to instruct beginners and assist other workers. Mrs. Brasted will direct women to their neighborhood instructors.

**C. & R. Payroll Totals \$26,000**

The payroll of Cagle Brothers and F. M. Reeves and Sons, Inc., Saturday totaled approximately \$26,000. Checks went to 387 employees.

produces greater friction on your tires and thus causes less endurance. WATCH YOUR SPEED!

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And last but not least, we urge a patient and friendly understanding of the situation. Patriots can help to relieve the harassment of a merchant, the ice man, the milk man—in fact, all of those people who serve the public by withholding criticisms when customary services have to be reduced."

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## Milk Producers Ask Increased Price In County

Pointing to increased costs of feed and labor, Midland County milk producers Saturday petitioned creamerymen for an increased wholesale price for their raw milk products.

Producers and creamerymen met Saturday at the courthouse to discuss the milk problem and the petition was presented.

A meeting has been called Tuesday night at 7:30 p. m. at the courthouse to further discuss the price of milk.

An increased price for wholesale milk is expected to raise the price of retail milk, a producer opined.

**Treble Clef Club Has Program Session**

Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club held its initial meeting of the new year at the Watson Studio, 210 W Ohio, Saturday morning.

Barbara Kapral and LaVonne Clark presided at the attendance card.

Birthday greetings were extended to W. L. Thompson Jr.

New Year's resolutions were discussed during the business session. The following program was presented:

Piano, The Song of the Drum (Risher)—Barbara Kapral  
Piano, Ballade (Burgmueller)—Peggy Riley  
Piano, Reverie (Arr. by Thompson)—Elizabeth Kapral  
Violin and piano, Barcarolle from Tales of Hoffman (Offenbach)—Niles and Shirley Winter,

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her education with special training at Girl Scout national training schools. She taught in the high schools of El Paso before adopting scouting as her profession. She formerly was a member of the editorial staff of the El Paso Herald-Post and was a representative of International News Service.

During the last few years, Miss Oryslar has served as Girl Scout director in Corning, N. Y., and Bridgeport, Conn. She returns to scouting in her home territory and will carry on her activities throughout Texas, New Mexico, and Oklahoma. As field adviser she will aid local councils and committees in the development and administration of Girl Scout activities.

McCamey Citizens Buy Many Defense Bonds  
McCAMEY (Special)—McCamey citizens are doing their part in helping to win the war by purchasing defense bonds, having bought \$4,387.50 worth of bonds during January.

R. S. Guyton, postmaster, reports that a total of \$30,318.75 worth of bonds has been bought here since May 1, 1941.

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