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News Briefs

LONDON — (P) — Russian planes raided Danzig, Koenigsberg and Tilsit and "bombed military objectives in those towns for two hours" on the night of April 16-17, Moscow announced early Sunday in a broadcast recorded by the Soviet monitor.

LONDON — (P) — A German dispatch broadcast by the Berlin radio Saturday night announced that Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop had appointed Baron Ernst Von Weizsaecker, his under-secretary to be ambassador to the Vatican, and made a number of other changes in the German diplomatic representation abroad.

LONDON — (P) — Aldo Vidussoni resigned Saturday as secretary of the Fascist party, and Mussolini appointed under-secretary Carlo Scorza to succeed him, the Rome radio reported Saturday.

LONDON — (P) — A French nurse who escaped from France by fleeing across the English Channel said Saturday German soldiers mauling Nazi defenses on the Brittany coast live in constant fear of invasion. When the invasion comes, said 25-year-old Mademoiselle Lucienne, it will find Frenchmen using pitchforks, shovels and clubs fighting side by side with Allied troops.

BERN, SWITZERLAND — (P) — A Paris dispatch to the Tribune de Geneve said Saturday that Leon Blum and Edouard Daladier, both former premiers of France, and Gen. Maurice Gamelin, Allied generalissimo in Western Europe for the first nine months of the war, are held by the Germans at a fortress in the vicinity of Koenigsstein.

WASHINGTON — (P) — The government announced Saturday night that it would buy the entire domestic wool clip this year as a means of stabilizing prices and assuring growers of an adequate income. Under an order issued by War Food Administrator Chester C. Davis, the Agriculture Department's Commodity Credit Corporation will have the exclusive right to buy wool.

LONGVIEW, Tex. — (P) — Gregg County Sheriff Lonnie Smith said Saturday that Deputy Sheriff Gaines Preston Friday night shot and killed Clyde Tawater, 35, Louisiana convict wanted for parole violation, in the courthouse.

HAMILTON, BERMUDA — (P) — American delegates to the refugee conference will begin their search Monday for places of refuge for Nazi-persecuted Europeans, they said Saturday, on a strictly practical basis, regardless of pressure from various interested groups.

LONDON — (P) — A De Gaulle spokesman, commenting Saturday on a letter of Admiral Georges Robert, French high commissioner at Martinique, in which was outlined the conditions of which he would join the United Nations, said "any concession Robert would make to the Allies now would be made because the population of Martinique demanded it."

REIDSVILLE, Ga. — (P) — A bloodhound flushed, and a posseman Saturday captured Frank Dupree, convicted slayer and one of 25 convicts who sneaked out of state penitentiary before dawn Friday. Dupree, one of the 25 to be taken, was nabbed by the penitentiary deputy warden W. T. Wallace within 15 miles of the prison.

Thirteen Officers Are Assigned Here

Arrival of 13 officers at the Midland AAF Bombarider School was announced Saturday. They are Major Lorin L. Johnson; First Lieuts. Samuel R. Smith, Donald W. Kasperovich and William H. Maxwell; Second Lieuts. William I. Bell, Clifford E. Edwards, James B. Stauder, Frank Marfia, Frank Gonseth, Jr., Thomas R. McKee, Jim B. Kirksmith, Orval S. Morphew and Melvin S. Meeker. They will be attached to the 33rd Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron and will be assigned to duty with the department of training.

Chamber Of Commerce Receives WPB Forms

A supply of the new War Production Board PD-1A forms, application for preference rating, has been received by the Midland Chamber of Commerce. The forms may be obtained without charge.

Fred Wemple To Head Resolution Committee

Fred Wemple, past district governor of Rotary, has been appointed chairman of the resolutions committee for the annual district Rotary conference in Abilene April 26. Wemple was appointed by Charles E. Paxton of Sweetwater, district governor. Wemple also will be a member of the On-To-St. Louis committee.

JOB FREEZE PLAN STARTS

Allies Slash Into Axis Seige Lines

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA — (P) — Slashing attacks by British and French troops Saturday in the shell-swept mountain heights of Northern Tunisia cut new wedges in the enemy seige line which rings Tunis and Bizerte from a distance of 25 to 50 miles.

Meanwhile, Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower, the supreme Allied commander, warned of hard fighting ahead and declared future advances would be "difficult and costly."

Two British brigades exploited their capture of the 2,000-foot Djebel Ang and the lower Djebel Tangoucha slightly to the east. The British reached some points only 25 miles from Tunis in this sector about Medjez-El-Bab.

Allies Down 4 Jap Zeros

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN AUSTRALIA — (P) — A small formation of Liberators bombing Ambona in the East Indies Archipelago encountered spirited opposition Saturday, shooting down four of the 12 intercepting Japanese fighters.

The Liberators raided at dusk, setting numerous fires in the dock and waterfront areas of the former big Dutch naval base. The fires were followed by explosions.

Jap Ship Bombed
A single Liberator bomber on reconnaissance off New Ireland sighted a 5,000-ton Japanese ship in the Bismarck Sea, 90 miles southwest of Kavieng. The Liberator bombed the vessel but was not able to observe the results.

Convoy Scattered
A 1,000-ton cargo vessel was attacked by another reconnaissance bomber at Bogia Bay, on New Guinea's north coast between Wewak and Madang. Results of that bombing also were not observed.

Japan's latest move, said its troops in New Guinea has been brought to a destructive end but not without the possibility of some success by the enemy.

Five vessels of a nine-ship convoy fled northward from Wewak, New Guinea, the Saturday noon communique reported, leaving two 8,000-ton merchantmen sunk, one 5,000-ton ship beached and another 8,000-ton craft unseaworthy.

Japs Term Tokyo Raid 'Shameful'

By The Associated Press
In the year since the American air raid on Tokyo, that capital and every other city in Japan have "been prepared for attacks from the air of whatever nature the frantic and fear-crazed enemy may launch." The Nippon Times said Sunday in an editorial broadcast by the Tokyo radio and recorded by the Associated Press.

The editorial termed the raid on Tokyo "one of the most shameful air raids on civilians conducted by any country in the present war," and said it was made in "desperation over mounting military losses."

WEATHER

WEST TEXAS: Warmer.

War Bulleffins

SOUSSE, TUNISIA — (AP) — Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery told the people of Soussa Saturday that the "Eighth Army will shortly throw the enemy back into the sea and a little farther."

MOSCOW — (AP) — The Moscow News said Saturday that American-built aircraft participated along with Russian planes in a raid on an important troop concentration point guarded by eight to ten anti-aircraft batteries and 20 searchlights.

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Sunday Is Anniversary Of U. S. Raid On Tokyo

WASHINGTON — (P) — A thrill ran down your spine a year ago Sunday — remember?

Things seemed pretty dark. That day's War Department communique told of fighting at Corregidor, Cebu, Panay, and said "there is nothing to report from other areas."

But there was something to report. That day American flyers bombed Tokyo.

First reports of the raid came from the Tokyo radio, and did not say immediately that the planes were American — but there was wide-spread belief a year ago that the aircraft must have been ours, and an inclination to accept, for once, part of a Japanese broadcast.

Not until May 10 did the War Department confirm that American planes made the raid. Nine days later Brig. Gen. James H. Doolittle was disclosed as the leader of the venture. Even today many of the facts are not known — the Office of War Information planned to make



that clearance of the Tokyo raid story has not been completed. The biggest question yet unanswered is the bomber's takeoff place. President Roosevelt smiled and said it was Shangri-La. The Japanese expressed belief the planes came from the United States aircraft carrier Hornet. Doolittle, famed speed flier of the '20's, is now a major general and commands the strategic air force, Mediterranean Air Command. A year ago when American bombers thundered in Tokyo the Japanese people were undoubtedly badly shaken," he said in an anniversary statement to The Associated Press. "Today as the United Nations air might roars in an ever heightening crescendo, the specter of crushing vengeance must weigh like a sentence of death on the entire Axis. "Our might must grow even more than that of the phenomenal growth of the last 12 months, until we can strike crushingly anywhere on the globe."

Midland Citizens Must Dig Deep To Meet Record Quota

Holds the Tip



German commander who faces a "Dunkirk" evacuation on the Bizerte-Tunis tip of Tunisia is Colonel-General von Arnim, above. Rommel's retreating forces are merging with his.

War Bond Sales Over One-Third Mark In Midland

Purchase of War Bonds and other government securities in Midland Saturday increased to \$62,275 to bring the total for the month to \$249,029 — more than a third of Midland's Second War Loan quota of \$645,000.

Bond sales during the week amounted to \$208,504, with Saturday being the banner day. Sales last Monday totaled \$52,530, the second highest day.

The City of Midland Saturday invested \$45,000 in government bonds, and the Midland Federal Saving and Loan Association purchased \$10,000 worth of bonds.

The Second War Loan campaign will continue through April.

Wall Street Project To Be Completed Soon

The improvement program on West Wall Street, widening the paving from 20 to 50 feet, probably will be completed by May 15, engineers indicated Saturday.

The work is being done by the State Highway Department. Curbs and gutters have been installed and the base is ready for black-top. The black-topping is expected to start within a few days and will be expedited to completion. Materials have been obtained for the project.

Grocery Chief Scores Conference Press Ban

NEW YORK — (P) — Paul S. Willis, president of the Grocery Manufacturers of America, said Saturday that barring the press from the United Nations food conference next month was "not only an abridgment of freedom of the press—it is a breach of faith with the American people."

Backing up Midland County men in the Armed Forces, Midland, during the remainder of April, will stage its greatest money drive in an effort to meet its largest wartime financial obligation.

Midland's quota in the Second War Loan campaign is \$645,000, of which about a third has been subscribed. "They Give Their Lives — You Lend Your Money" is the campaign slogan.

Plans for special events during the next 10 days were mapped at a breakfast meeting of the campaign executive committee Saturday at Hotel Scharbauer.

Attending the meeting were Charles L. Klapproth, county chairman; M. C. Ulmer, district chairman; R. M. Barron, Allen Tolbert, A. N. Hendrickson, T. Paul Bron, and Bill Gollyns. P. A. Nelson, Frank Cowden and J. W. House also are members of the committee.

A personal contact campaign, a parade and mass meeting, and a "Midland Heroes Day" observance will highlight the final push to meet the high quota.

A prospect list was developed Saturday and a special committee composed of 53 business and civic leaders was named to contact the more than 350 prospects. Members of the executive committee will meet again at 2 p. m. Sunday in the directors' room of the First National Bank to assign prospects and workers.

Committee Is Appointed
The special contact committee will meet at a luncheon at Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday noon when instructions will be given and prospect cards distributed. The personal contacts will get underway that afternoon.

Members of the committee are: Klapproth, Hendrickson, R. M. Barron, Cowden, Tom Sloan, J. R. Martin, Ulmer, J. P. Butler, Harry Watson, Fred Wright, M. D. Self, Addison Wadley, Bill Conner, J. C. Miles, Paul McHargue, Leonard Proctor, Millard Eldson, Barney Greathouse, J. Howard Hodge, J. N. Allison, Boyd Kelly, Foy Proctor, Allen Tolbert, George W. Glass, Percy Bridgewater, Ernest Sidwell, Russell Howard, Luther Tidwell, Paul Barron, Paul Nelson, C. V. Lyman, E. H. Barron, Frank Monroe, Roy McKee, Jack Campbell, Fred Wemple, P. J. Mims, O. C. Harper, Roy Parks, M. F. King, A. E. Cameron, T. R. Wilson, Joe Youngblood, J. B. Hoskins, Dr. J. B. Thomas, Hamilton McRae, George Abell, Ed M. Whitaker, W. M. Pyle, and Ray Upham.

Plan Big Sale Drive
"Midland Heroes' Day" will be observed Monday, April 26, when an all-day bond sales program similar to the one staged on Pearl Harbor Day will be presented. Arrangements are being made for an 18-hour broadcast over KRLH, featuring (Continued on Page 2)

Soviets Gain In Caucasus Battle

LONDON — (P) — Russian troops in a renewed fight to oust the Germans from their remaining Caucasian foothold around Novorossisk have killed 4,000 of the enemy and destroyed or damaged 17 tanks in the last two days, Moscow announced early Saturday.

The midnight communique recorded by the Soviet monitor also said that 39 German guns, 31 mortars and more than 100 machine-guns had been destroyed.

Reds Near Novorossisk
Soviet forces last were reported only 20 miles northeast of Novorossisk in the Abinskaya sector, and 30 miles north of the Black Sea port in the Anastasevskaya area.

Local fighting was reported on the Smolensk front and along the Donets River southeast of Kharkov, but Russian attention was concentrated on ejecting the enemy from the Caucasus before the end of the spring thaw which already has disappeared in the Caucasus.

Midland Postoffice Closes Hour Earlier

Midland's postoffice will close an hour earlier each night, beginning Sunday. Postmaster Allen Tolbert said the building will be closed at 9 p. m. each night, instead of 10 p. m.

The opening hour, 6 a. m. remains unchanged. The change was necessary due to the manpower situation, Tolbert said.

Order Effective Sunday Morning

WASHINGTON — (P) — Acting under orders from President Roosevelt, War Manpower Commissioner McNutt Saturday clamped a modified "job-wage" order on about half of the nation's 52,000,000 civilian workers and made violations a criminal offense.

His order, effective at one minute after Saturday midnight, just four hours after he announced it, was backed by penalties as great as a thousand dollar fine and a year in prison for violations either by employers or employees.

Directly affected are the 27,000,000 persons now employed in essential activities, including agriculture.

These were forbidden to shift to a non-essential employer or from one essential employer to another at a higher salary or wage rate — determined on a pay-per-hour basis — unless they have been out of the first employer's pay for 30 days or more.

An exception was made for shifts from one essential employer to another where either the old or new work is performed in an area where the War Manpower Commission has put into effect an "employment stabilization program," often described as a "job-freeze plan."

In these cases, the shift may be made for higher pay if the old employer will release the worker or the War Manpower Commission grants the release itself on the ground that the old employment did not make full-time use of the worker at his highest skill.

Throughout the country, workers employed in non-essential activities can move freely to other nonessential employers or essential employers who offer higher pay.

McNutt told a press conference the "distinctions between non-essential and essential workers were made to encourage shifts from non-essential to essential work and to prevent pay-motivated shifts by essential workers to new employers, thus halting a serious cause of 'manpower waste.'"

There's A War On
Asked what the order would "do to the old American tradition that every man has a chance to better himself by going to a better-paying work," McNutt replied: "I'll answer that in one sentence — we've got a war on."

Representing a step in carrying out the President's directions against inflation, the controls bore the approval of Economic Director James P. Byrnes. The regulations were adapted simultaneously to extending the wage controls exercised by the War Labor Board and to furthering McNutt's plans for switching workers to essential activities and holding them there.

They specify that employers in non-essential activities may hire without restrictions anyone not employed in an essential activity during the preceding 30 days.

Forbids Moving
"Essential activities" were defined as those listed as such by the War Manpower Commission or designated by its 12 regional directors as "locally needed activities."

2. Forbid non-essential employers to hire employees away from essential activities at higher pay.

3. Forbid essential employers to (Continued on Page 2)

Farm Subsidies Scored By House

WASHINGTON — (P) — The House reaffirming its opposition to farm subsidies as a substitute for higher crop prices, Saturday wrote into the \$707,040,844 agriculture department appropriation bill a provision barring use of any of the measure's funds for incentive payments to farmers.

The limitation sponsored by Chairman Cannon (D-Mo) of the appropriations committee, would prevent revival of a \$100,000,000 incentive payment program outlined by Secretary Wickard two months ago as a means of encouraging greater production of crops deemed vital to the war effort.

Churchill Praises Valor Of Indians

LONDON — (P) — Prime Minister Churchill praised the valor of Indian soldiers everywhere in a message Saturday to the viceroy of India, Lord Linlithgow.

"We watched with admiration the splendid achievements of the Fourth Indian division at the battle of Mareth and in the recent victory at Wadi Akarit," the message said.

Fire Damages Dock Near T. & P. Depot

Fire damaged the loading dock of the Texas & Pacific Railroad, east of the depot, late Thursday afternoon. Black smoke and flames rolled from the heavy timbers, but firemen soon had the blaze under control.

A railroad signal car, which was parked near the dock, was damaged slightly. An estimate of the loss was not available Saturday.

U. S. Planes Raid Bremen

LONDON — (P) — American heavy bombers, flying unescorted in strong force, smashed at the German Focke-Wulf fighter plane factory at Bremen Saturday and shot down more than 50 enemy planes enroute, but the bold 800-mile round trip cost the United States an unprecedented raid toll of 16 four-engine craft.

The renewed campaign to flatten Germany's armament industry also cost the British a record loss of 55 bombers Friday night out of a force of more than 600 attacking the great Skoda works at Pilsen in Nazi-occupied Czechoslovakia and the industrial twin cities of Mannheim and Ludwigshaven on the Rhine.

Other Cities Hit
While the big bomber roared to their target deep in Northwest Germany, American, RAF, Dominion and other Allied planes smashed at Holland, Belgium and the Atlantic coast of France.

Ventura bombers attacked Abbeville in France, smashing important railroad yards.

Fifty-five bombers failed to return from what the Air Ministry called the "greatest night operation of the year." This was the gravest loss suffered by the British on a single night since the war began. The 1,400-mile round trip to Pilsen claimed 37 machines, while 18 did not survive the shorter mission to Mannheim-Ludwigshaven. Both attacks were described as "concentrated and successful."

Dunagan And Cole Elected By Jaycees

SAN ANTONIO — (P) — James E. Oliver of Houston, was elected president of the Texas Junior Chamber of Commerce at the close of its four-day "win-the-war" convention here Saturday.

Oliver succeeds John Ben Sheppard of Gladewater. Sheppard was named a national director from Texas. The other director elected was Taylor Cole, of Midland.

Other officers elected were regional vice-presidents: Region 1, Carl Stromberger of San Antonio; Region 2, Roy Hocker of Galveston; Region 3, Harold Matthews of Kilgore.

Region 4, John A. Thomason of Brownwood; Region 5, Jay Eastman of Wichita Falls; Region 6, Paul D. Dollarhide; and Region 7, Clint Dunagan of Midland.

Both Dunagan and Cole have been active in affairs of the Midland Jaycees. Dunagan recently retired as president of the organization here. Cole was a vice-president.

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He restoreth my soul.—Psalm 23:3.

Absenteeism

The National Industrial Conference Board estimates that absenteeism last year cost American industry the equivalent of 1,350,000 employes working full time. That is almost one-third of the manpower shortage the nation is said to face.

It is exclusive of an even greater loss through industrial accidents. It takes no account of non-industrial accidents, which exceed those in the plant. It does not include time lost on approved leaves of absence. Neither does it count time lost through strikes, slowdowns, "holidays" and "vacation"—which are euphemisms for the now unpopular word "strike"—or through other effects of labor disputes.

Absenteeism—the act of staying away from work without permission or prior notice—increased about 20 per cent last year and shows no signs of declining, which probably means that in spite of the urgent war need for workers, the percentage is staying just about constant.

A large proportion of these absences are excusable. Many of them are inescapable. But also there are millions of man days lost for trivial personal reasons. It is not fair to workers to treat absenteeism as though it were entirely their fault—to lay the blame on laziness, disinterest, selfishness. Yet if the conference board's estimate is correct, and 45 per cent of such absences are unnecessary, then the equivalent of more than 500,000 full time workers were lost in 1942 because the men and women weren't interested enough to stay on the job.

Governmental agencies are aware of the damage which this situation is doing to war production. They are seeking to ascertain the fundamental causes.

Some sort of sanctions will have to be provided, by which workers who are not interested enough in American victory to stay on the job can be forced to do what they should be happy to do.

But first, it is necessary to study and, so far as possible, to eliminate the causes of justifiable absenteeism, in order that no major injustices shall be worked.

This is a job in which individual industries can and must help, and one which the government must sponsor, co-ordinate and assist. When the findings are complete they will require co-operation—voluntary or otherwise—from many agencies not directly involved; from stores now closed at hours when workers must shop, from housing and transportation and amusement and medical and child care and a multitude of other services.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Easter Eggs

The nation's children should be willing, if not eager, to sacrifice for the war effort this year by passing up waste of eggs, baby chicks and ducklings for Easter.

The meat shortage has made poultry and eggs very important. Millions of chicks and ducklings bought for Easter die soon for lack of proper care. If raised to maturity, they would produce eggs and also help to make up impending poultry shortages.

This might be a good time for the youngsters to return to the old country custom of blowing the contents out of egg shells through small holes in the ends, and painting the empty shells instead of wasting whole eggs needed for food.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Up In The Air

More than half of the land leased for guayule production has been released by the government. The explanation is that this acreage is needed more for raising food than for rubber, in view of current progress with the synthetic program.

The explanation does not hang together. Food shortage is attributed more to manpower and farm machinery shortages than to that of land. To be sure, the irrigated areas leased for guayule probably would give high food yields per man-day or per machine-hours. But this merely emphasizes the original error made when irrigated land was taken over for guayule, though more arid soil, unsuitable for food crops and available by the square mile, would have been better.

The whole rubber program still appears to be up in the air.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

No 10 Per Cent War

Chester Davis, the new food administrator, coined an appealing slogan when he said that "this is no 10 per cent war." Unfortunately, like so many apparent aphorisms, Davis' is less than accurate and fair in its implications.

True, many of us do feel sanctimonious after we have allocated 10 per cent of wages to War Bonds. But it is not correct that this makes us 10 percenters. For in addition to the allocation we are paying a minimum of 19 per cent as federal income tax; many are paying state income taxes; all are paying large sums in federal state and local real estate, excise and luxury taxes sometimes direct, but more often hidden in the cost of very commodity we buy.

We are not, perhaps—even probably—doing as much as we must, but we can't be kissed off as 10 percenters.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—

Strange some college students haven't thought to claim it is unpatriotic to burn the midnight oil?

The war effort has gone to the Capitol dome—no paint job this year.

The Fox And The Grapes Of Wrath



Senators Meet Athletics In First Game Of 1943 Season

NEW YORK —(AP)—Baseball opens another war-shrouded season this week with the National and American Leagues confident that fans are as interested as ever in the national pastime, that the pennant races will be as entertaining as ever, and that the schedules will be carried through to their normal conclusion.

The curtain will be raised Tuesday at Washington with the Senators playing the Philadelphia Athletics at Griffith Stadium a day ahead of the getaway for other clubs.

President Roosevelt has been invited to throw out the first ball, but there has been no indication whether he would.

On Wednesday all 16 clubs are carded for action with this schedule:

National League — St. Louis at Cincinnati, New York at Brooklyn, Pittsburgh at Chicago, Philadelphia at Boston.

American League — Washington at New York, Boston at Philadelphia, Chicago at St. Louis, Detroit at Cleveland.

Cardinals Favored

The world champion Cardinals in the National League and the perennially pace-setting Yankees in the American League have been established as favorites to repeat.

All teams already have seen many of their important players enter the armed forces, but none have been tapped any more heavily than the two rivals of the 1942 world series.

The Redbirds will be without outfielders Terry Moore and Enos Slaughter as well as Johnny Beasley, the rookie pitcher who captured 21 victories.

Dodgers Look Good

The Bronx bombers have been reduced by the repatriation of Joe DiMaggio, Tommy Henrich, Phil Rizzuto, Buddy Hassett, Red Ruffing and others.

The National League is almost certain to have another of its characteristic wide-open pennant battles.

The Dodgers were beaten by only one game last year losing out on the final day of the season, and they do not appear to have been hurt as much by the war as the Cardinals.

REDS BEAT INDIANS

CINCINNATI —(AP)—The Cincinnati Reds made it three in a row over the Cleveland Indians Saturday with a 3-2 victory in 11 innings at Crosley Field.

TIGERS TROUCE PIRATES

DETROIT —(AP)—Hal White and Hal Newhouse combined Saturday to pitch the Detroit Tigers to a 2 to 0 victory over the Pittsburgh Pirates. The Pirates still hold a 3 to 2 lead in their exhibition series.

SOX TRIUMPH OVER CUBS AFTER TRAILING

CHICAGO —(AP)—The Chicago White Sox saw the Cubs take a five run lead in the first three innings Saturday and then came back to win, 6 to 5, scoring the deciding marker with two out in the ninth inning and evening their formal city series at one game apiece.

SOLDIER'S BODY FOUND

LLANO, Tex. —(AP)—The body of Ira D. Palmer, Camp Hood soldier from Ozan, Ark., was found in the water at the edge of Buchanan Lake Saturday.

BROWNS BEAT CARDS

ST. LOUIS —(AP)—Getting unexpected scoring punch from Rookie outfielder Milt Byrnes, the St. Louis Browns defeated the world champion Cardinals in an exhibition game Saturday, 9 to 4.

Livestock

FORT WORTH —(AP)—Livestock: Hogs, top \$14.10.

No mature steers reported. Common and medium slaughter yearlings \$10.50-13.50; beef cows \$9.25-11.75. Fat calves \$11-13.50. Stockers and feeders were few and were held over for Monday.

195-300 pound butcher hogs \$14.00 with some good 155 pound averages down to \$13.25. Sows \$13.50; pigs \$13.00 down.

Good and choice woolled lambs \$15.00; shorn lambs with No. 2 pelts \$14-14.50.

Board Announces Certificate List

The Midland County War Price and Rationing Board has issued the following certificates:

Passenger Automobiles: L. O. Free and Gulf Corporation.

Passenger Tires, Grade 1: The Texas Company, Forest Development Corporation, The Atlantic Refining Company, Mrs. Chas. Bush, City Cabs and Hughes Tool Company.

Passenger Tires, Grade 2: H. R. Heckendorf, F. H. Wilmoth, Humble Oil & Refining Co., Clint Creech, Leslie G. Hull, Lee Roy Boone, J. W. Heidelberg, Ferd B. Rhodes and Floyd Eggleston.

Passenger Tires, Grade 3: Oscar Houston, Louie Bell Stewart, Gerhard Synatsch, John W. Holzworth Jr., Lee Weesner, George W. Bush, Woody H. Heidelberg and Buster Cole.

Passenger Tubes: Woody W. Heidelberg, Oscar Houston, George W. Bush, T. J. Miles Jr., Frank Scott, J. W. Heidelberg, City Cabs, H. R. Heckendorf and Mrs. Chas. Bush.

Truck Tires: Tidewater Association Oil Company and S. J. Reed.

Truck Tubes: M. F. King (for tractor).

Farm Implement: M. F. King.

Bicycles: James William Willman.

Banner CREAMERY

- ICF
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- BUTTER
- ICE CREAM

HELPING BUILD WEST TEXAS

Job Freeze --

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hire workers away from other essential employers at higher wages or salary rates, except where such hiring is permitted under WMC-approved employment stabilization programs — frequently described as "job-freezing" plans.

These programs have been put into effect thus far in only some 50 areas scattered throughout the country. They require employes moving from one essential activity to another to get a release termed a "statement of availability" from the old employer or, if he refuses, from the WMC's job-placement unit, the U. S. Employment Service.

Statements Required

The McNutt-Byrnes order provided that statements of availability be issued whenever the worker:

"1. Is discharged by his last employer.

"2. Is laid off for an indefinite period of seven days or more.

"3. Can establish that his present employment does not utilize him at his highest skill or that he is not being employed at full time."

But the order forbade issuance of a statement "solely on the ground that the individual's wage or salary rate is substantially less than that prevailing in the locality for the same or substantially similar work."

It directed that the statement show the worker's name and address of the issuing employer or WMC officer and office, the date of issuance, and "a statement to the effect that the worker may be hired elsewhere in an essential activity."

Emphasizing that its terms bind employes as well as employers, the order said:

"No individual shall accept new employment with an employer if the employer is prohibited from hiring him under this regulation."

But the order said also:

"Nothing in this regulation shall be construed to prejudice existing rights of an employe under any agreement with his employer."

Plugs Weakness

By imposing controls over worker shifts from one employer to another, the McNutt-Byrnes regulations acted to plug the most obvious weakness in wage control as exercised by the War Labor Board.

The WLB was empowered to hold down wage boosts by an employer

Regular Teachers In Midland Schools Relected By Board

All regular teachers in Midland's schools have been relected by the school board. They are:

Principals
G. B. Rush, High School; Sam P. Spears, Junior High; Mrs. Alma Thomas, North Elementary; Mary Wilson, South Elementary; Mrs. Marvin McCree, Mexican School; and E. L. Jordan, Carver School.

High School
Sue Allen, Lillian Borgquist, Steve Briggs, Iva Butler, Ruth Carden, Mrs. De Lo Douglas, Frances Farnham, Lyle Flasher, Ethel Harkins, Harlan Howell, Theresa Klapproth, Jeanne Logan, Fay Lovelace, John E. Mashburn, Gene McColburn, Helene Milby, Mrs. George H. Philippus, Gladys Pinson, Emma Robinson, Margaret Stuart, Ralph Utley, and Nell Marie Wiley.

Junior High
Pauline Ballew, Lida Beasley, Alene Burnette, Irene Dunham, Mrs. Helen Lee Estes, Josephine Herrington, Mildred Hopkins, Mrs. C. C. Keith, Laura Kelsay, Virginia Lewis, Mary Lowry, Katherine McGlothlin, Billye Mims, Tommie Smith, Annie Frank Stout and Mrs. Gladys L. Tolbert.

North Elementary

Ruth Anderson, Mrs. Leona Armstrong, Mary Elsie Beasley, Evelyn Fowler, Minnie Lee Hankins, Mrs. Betty Hawkins, Mrs. Ruth Heath, Vennie Heizer, Mildred Holt, Dorothy Pinkerton, Lela Robbins, Minnie E. Wainwright, and Dawn White.

South Elementary
Sunshine Adams, Christine Golladay, Anna Marie Johnson, Betty McCubbin, Sarah Jane Merrill, and Ruth Orr.

Mexican School
Mrs. John Mashburn, Carver

Evelyn Agnes Guinn, Mildred W. Jordan, Mrs. Thelma Wright, and Mrs. D. M. Woodard.

Farmers To Plant 34,896 Acres To Grain Sorghums

With only 31 of the county's 424 farms still not signed up, the Midland County A.A. office Saturday reported that approximately 34,896 acres will be planted to grain sorghums this year. The indicated acreage for the county is 32,606, but the 393 farmers who have signed plan sheets have reported they will plant 30,892 acres. It is estimated that the remaining farms will have about 1,714 acres planted to sorghums.

The AAA committee does not recommend that the county goal be raised to 32,606 from the goal of 32,376 because it may be necessary to reduce some of the goals on the plan sheets not yet signed, it was announced.

A total of 64,934 acres of the 68,348 acres in production have been registered in the sign up which is expected to be completed by the end of the month. The county committee estimates that the total grain sorghum acreage intended will be about 34,896.

The farm plan sheet sign up indicates that 51.6 acres will be planted to peanuts, although no goal on this crop was set up.

No incentive payment will be made for planting in excess of 90 per cent of the grain sorghum goal as originally announced, the committee said. A penalty of \$15 an acre for failure to plant 90 per cent of the goal still applies, it was announced.

Legionnaires To Entertain Sons

Midland members of the American Legion will entertain their sons at the regular April meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer.

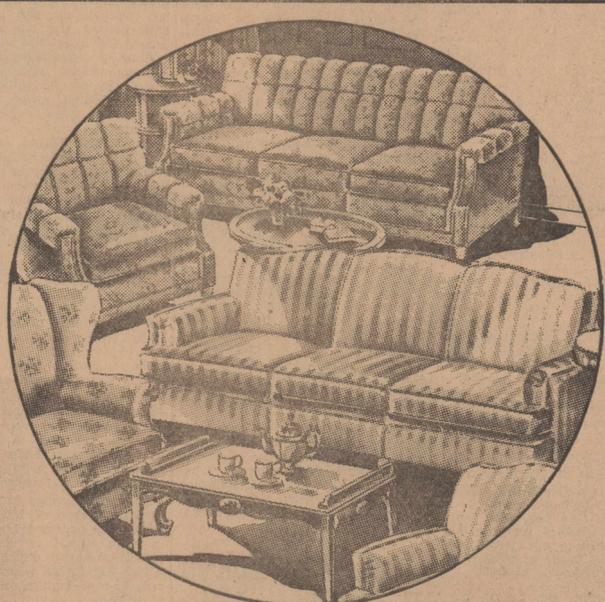
All legionnaires have been urged to bring their sons to the session. An appropriate program is being arranged.

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Lea County, N. M. Ordovician Well Swabs After Acid

HOBBS, N. M.—The R. Olsen Oil Company of Oklahoma City and Atlantic Refining Company No. 1 Langle (Justis), Southeastern Lea County wildcat which has indicated production from the Ellenburger lower Ordovician, continued this week to hold top interest in New Mexico. If completed as a commercial well it will open the first Ordovician pool in the state.

At last reports the prospect was swabbing after acidizing with 1,500 gallons. It is being swabbed through 2-inch tubing, with packer set at 9,070 feet. The well topped the Ellenburger at 9,110 feet, and first set of perforations in the upper part of that formation resulted in a good showing of oil and gas on drillstem test. However, re-perforating too low and acidizing with 5,000 gallons developed only water, necessitating cementing off perforations. While cement was setting, operators perforated 5/8-inch casing with 70 shots from 8,980 to 9,030 feet, opposite the Ellenburger. The middle Ordovician which showed oil. Two drillstem tests of this zone proved negative and cement plug was drilled out to 9,160 feet. Another attempt to develop Ellenburger production was made with the re-perforating of casing with about 200 shots from 9,110 to 9,160 feet.

Circulating fluid was swabbed out, with a rainbow of oil. Located in the C SE section 11-25s-37e, No. 1 Langle is on the east flank of the shallow Langle Permian pool east of Jal.

Outpost test one and one-quarter miles southeast of the Maljamar pool of Western Lea has been staked by Barney Cockburn as his No. 2 Shell Oil Company, Inc. State, in the C SE SW section 29-17s-32e.

Maljamar Oil & Gas Company No. 2 Chesman, C NW NW section 23-18s-32e, Western Lea wildcat three miles southeast of the Maljamar pool, is drilling past 2,455 feet in salt and potash.

Also in Western Lea, Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. of Midland, No. 1-N Bowman, wildcat in the C SE SE section 26-19s-32e, two and one-half miles east by southeast of the East Lusk pool, is running 10-inch casing to shut off upper water to facilitate fishing out tools lost at 845 feet in red rock.

Skids Rig
C. T. McLaughlin & Company, Inc., of Midland, No. 1 State, Western Lea wildcat in the C NW NE section 7-17s-33e, two miles northeast of the Maljamar pool, lost first hole at 98 feet, skidded rig 10 feet south and now is drilling in new hole at 185 feet in sand.

The Square Lake pool of Eddy County gained a new location and another producer.

Navy Hightower No. 6 Crier section 31-16s-31e, flowed 600 barrels of oil per day on natural gauge through open 2-inch tubing set at 2,950 feet. It topped pay at 3,041 feet and drilled to 3,184 feet in lime.

W. F. Dodson and associates are building road to No. 2 Parke, new Square Lake test in the C NW NE section 3-17s-30e.

West of the Getty area in Eddy, George P. Turner staked location for No. 5 Nell H. Willis, 705 feet from the south and 2,025 feet from the east line of section 13-20s-20e.

Three Midland Men Win Gulf Service Award



ROBERT W. PATTESON

ARCHIBALD D. MINNEY

JIM F. NIXON

Sixty-nine employees of Gulf Oil Corporation and Gulf Refining Company in West Texas this week were presented service award emblems and certificates for continuous service. These employees during 1942 completed 10, 15, 20, 25 and 30 years of service.

Employees in Midland who were honored include Jim F. Nixon of the pipe line department who received an emblem with three diamonds, representing thirty years of service. Archibald D. Minney, also of the pipe line department, received an award set with two diamonds and a ruby for twenty-five years continuous employment. An emblem containing two diamonds was presented to Robert W. Patteson, zone agent for the land, leasing, scouting department of the production division, since he has completed 20 years of service.

Fifteen-year awards went to Hal U. Bird, William E. Hogsett and William N. Lockler of the pipe line department.

Forty-seven of the employees receiving awards are in the production division and twenty-two in the pipe line department. Inaugurated four years ago, the Gulf Service Award Plan provides for presentation of jeweled lapel emblems and engraved certificates to each employee who completes 10 years of service. Additional awards are made following the completion of each five years.

Speaking of the number of employees who are receiving awards this year, E. J. Adams, general agent in the Fort Worth district, said, "The long period of service of our men and women is playing an important part in supplying the petroleum products needed by our fighting forces and by American industry in helping bring defeat to the Axis. Great quantities of fuels and lubricants of all kinds are required by the modern war machine and the experience of Gulf people is enabling us to supply products that we know are far superior to any we would be able to manufacture were our personnel less experienced."

"Because approximately 12 per cent of our men and women are in the armed services, the responsibilities of those at home have increased and the experience gained by so many of our employees during their long association with

Acute Shortage Of Trained Workers Confronts West Texas Oil Industry

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor
In the face of Washington's belated plea for more oil reserves, West Texas is emerging from a five year oil cocoon of comparative inactivity, and with recent discoveries in Winkler, Andrews and Pecos counties, seems destined for a "boom."

Development of the newly found reserves calls for stepped-up drilling, and stepped-up drilling calls for more oil field workers—rig-runners, roughnecks, roustabouts, tank strappers, rig builders and many others.

A survey of oil well drilling contractors operating in West Texas leads to one incontrovertible conclusion—there is an acute shortage of oil field manpower.

Drillers At A Premium
This lack of trained men for drilling wells primarily is due to the curtailment of drilling activities during 1942. A considerable percentage of this personnel has sought employment in ship yards and in other defense plants. Rig builders, drillers, roughnecks, etc., have sufficient mechanical training that they readily fit into the various defense industries. Consequently, when it becomes necessary to increase the volume of drilling to provide sufficient oil for these same war industries, there will not be enough trained personnel to accomplish the purpose.

In the early days of the Selective Service Act, some draft boards in the oil producing counties did not foresee the importance of retaining trained oil field workers, and as a result the draft cut heavily into their ranks.

Drilling operations always have fluctuated from month to month, depending on a number of factors. These alternate minor booms and shutdowns are wasteful per se, since they result in overwork of the available manpower and equipment during the lush periods and in idleness during the slack periods. Part of these irregularities in drill-

activity are inevitable, but anything that could be done to smooth the drilling curve would result in greater efficiency and conservation of manpower and equipment.

Going on the assumption that drilling and producing of oil wells are vitally necessary to the war effort, a campaign—propaganda, if you will—directed toward oil field workers which would impress upon them the necessity of their jobs might be helpful in building up the morale of those workers who remain in the business.

Oil field development has placed emphasis on speed, and in order to attain this speed, efficiency and materials often have been sacrificed. A philosophy has developed of "run 'er hard; if she breaks we'll get something bigger." An educational program stressing the necessity of conserving critical materials and machinery thus is indicated.

"Job Pride" Past History
One "angle" which might seem unimportant to any but the initiated is the alarming decline of the job responsibility and job pride of the average drilling crew. The average roughneck today—in sharp contrast to the roughneck of the halcyon days of the oil industry—shows unbelievable apathy toward doing his work properly. He knows there are five jobs waiting for him if he is fired from the job where he currently is employed. In a number of instances, all substantiated by drilling contractors, the roughneck crews have quit right in the middle of a drilling tour, leaving the driller by himself with the tools on bottom, helpless in the event of a breakdown or a fishing job which could result in loss of the well, drillstem or other critical materials.

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the company is aiding us materially in the conduct of the business of an essential industry."

Magnolia's Deep Winkler Wildcat Sprays Distillate

By Frank Gardner, Oil Editor
Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 20 State-Walton, new Ellenburger discovery between the Kermit and Keystone Permian pools in North Central Winkler County, continued Saturday to hold interest as it blew a large volume of gas, with spray of distillate, on third drillstem test taken since entering the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician.

Progress was shown by a large group of wildcats, scattered over the Basin, which also are headed for the currently "popular" deep horizons.

Latest reports, by counties:
Andrews County
Skelly Oil Company No. 1-K University, Southern Andrews wildcat two and one-quarter miles east by northeast of the Emma pool, is drilling below 5,115 feet in hard dolomite. It is scheduled to go to 7,500 feet for a test of the lower Permian.

Ohio Oil Company No. 1 University, one-half mile south outpost to the Fullerton deep Permian pool in Northwestern Andrews, is preparing to spud.

Magnolia No. 1-20-38 B. B. Ralph estate, wildcat eight and one-quarter miles west by southwest of the Fullerton pool, has completed derrick and is moving in rotary rig from Kermit. Abandoned in July, 1941, at 6,434 feet in dolomite, about 500 feet short of the Fullerton pay top, operator recently decided to deepen the old hole.

Crane County
Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 W. A. Estes, Western Crane wildcat which failed in the Ellenburger, is cleaning out at 3,807 feet after shooting a zone in the Holt horizon of the Permian which showed oil.

Crockett County
John I. Moore and P. D. Moore, brothers, of Midland No. 1 Amers-J. S. Todd estate et al, deep wildcat in Western Crockett, is drilling at 7,832 feet in Ellenburger dolomite topped at 7,645 feet. Last drillstem test, from 7,741 to 7,849 feet, recovered 760 feet of drilling mud in 90 minutes.

Gaines County
Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 15 Amerind Warehouse Company, scheduled 11,000-foot Ordovician test in the Cedar Lake Permian pool of Northeastern Gaines, is drilling at 5,643 feet in dolomite. Amerada No. 6 R. W. Robertson, scheduled 8,500-foot deep Permian test on the east side of the Seminole pool, is drilling an unreported formation at 2,081 feet.

Lubbock County
J. R. Sharp et al No. 1 R. D. Martin, scheduled 6,000-foot wildcat in Western Lubbock, is drilling unchanged at 5,900 feet in dolomite of the Clear Fork, lower Permian,

top of which was called by some at 5,350 feet.

Pecos County
Standard Oil Company of Texas No. 1 Douglas Oil Company et al. Ordovician test on the west flank of the Yates Permian pool in Eastern Pecos, is drilling at 6,320 feet in lime believed to be of Pennsylvanian age.

Culbertson & Irwin, Inc., of Midland, No. 1 R. G. Heiner, five-eighths of a mile southwest of the discovery producer in the one-well Heiner Ellenburger pool of Northern Pecos, is drilling in line at 3,832 feet.

Magnolia No. 1-29 H. J. Eaton, Northern Pecos wildcat six miles southwest of Imperial, has been abandoned a failure at 8,315 feet in Ellenburger dolomite which it entered at 8,110 feet. No oil shows were logged, and several horizons in the Ellenburger indicated presence of sulphur water, although drillstem tests showed only drilling mud.

Magnolia and Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1-96 State-Mrs. E. C. Powell, Clear Fork prospect one and three-quarter miles northeast of the Apco-Warner Ellenburger pool in Northern Pecos, is shut in while mixing mud preparatory to running casing through upper water. When circulated to bottom, hole was found to be two feet deeper than expected, placing total depth at 3,557 feet. The well earlier blew out with an estimated 300 barrels of fluid per hour, half oil and half water. First oil was picked up at 3,552 feet, in a crevice.

Bryce McCandless No. 1 University, deep wildcat seven miles southeast of the Apco-Warner pool, went out of the Permian into chert at 4,720 feet. It is drilling at 4,810 feet, still in detrital.

Gulf is building road to its No. 1 Roy Girvin, scheduled Ordovician wildcat two miles west and slightly north of the Wentz Cambro-Ordovician pool in Northeastern Pecos, southwest of Girvin.

Phillips Petroleum Company is drilling plug from 8 1/2-inch casing cemented at 6,901 feet in its No. 1 Ada C. Price, deep wildcat in Southeastern Pecos 29 miles southeast of Fort Stockton. Present total depth is 10,008 feet in dark shale.

Reagan County
Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1-B Sawyer Cattle Company of Texas, East Central Reagan County Ordovician test 12 miles east of Stiles, is drilling at 7,337 feet in shale.

Amerada Petroleum Corporation's wells in the Barnhart Ellenburger pool of extreme Southeastern Reagan Saturday were at the following status:
No. 1-RN University, farthest west producer, was shut in, with 1,025 pounds casing pressure and 1,050 pounds tubing pressure.

No. 1-RO University was shut down awaiting drive shaft, bottomed at 3,194 feet in shale and lime.
No. 1-RP University was drilling at 8,146 feet in shale and lime; No. 1-RQ has passed 5,592 feet in the same formation; No. 1 University unit was drilling in shale and lime at 5,969 feet, and No. 1 Johnson was rigging up rotary.

Personals

Mrs. Son Powell of Stanton was a visitor here Friday.

Mrs. P. A. Schlosser has gone to Fort Worth to visit her husband.

Mrs. Irvin T. Hickman was dismissed from the Midland Hospital Saturday following an appendectomy.

Pvt. Force M. Early of the Yukon Territory, Canada, is visiting his daughter, Doris Ellen Early, and his brothers, F. A. Early and E. B. Early, and families in Midland. He also plans to visit his sister, Mrs. Skeet Bodene, at Hobbs, N. M., during his furlough.

City is drilling at 8,950 feet in shale and lime.

Tom Green County
Ohio No. 1-B L. T. Clark, Northwestern Tom Green wildcat, is drilling below 2,580 feet in brown dolomite.

Ward County
Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 3 Sealy-Smith Foundation, scheduled Ellenburger test in the Monahans field of Northeastern Ward, is drilling at 6,114 feet in lime.

Winkler County
Magnolia No. 20 State-Walton, new Ellenburger strike, was drillstem tested for 15 minutes from 10,489 to 10,529 feet, through a 5/8-inch bottom-hole choke, and blew out the 600-foot water blanket in six minutes. It gauged 12,300,000 cubic feet of gas, at the end of the gauge, and sprayed distillate at an estimated hourly rate of 10 barrels. Operator is pulling drill-pipe to remove testing-tool and will drill ahead.

Three and one-half miles to the east, Amos G. Carter et al No. 2-C Pure-J. B. Walton et al, discovery Ellenburger well on the Keystone structure, reamed hole to 9,490 feet, four feet off bottom, and is going in with small bit to drill ahead. It topped the Ellenburger at 9,215 feet and has shown an aggregate of more than 3,000 barrels of distillate per day, with about 100 million feet of gas, on a series of drillstem tests of that formation.

Stanolind (formerly Shell) No. 1 W. D. Blue estate, East Central Winkler wildcat, is circulating on bottom preparatory to drilling ahead to the Ellenburger. Present depth is 9,437 feet in lime and chert of the Montoya, upper Ordovician, topped at 9,245 feet.

Yoakum County
Humble No. 1 Fanneshill Brothers, Inc., et al, Southwestern Yoakum 7,500-foot project four miles west of the Wasson field, is drilling below 6,393 feet in lime.

L. C. HARRISON HERE
L. C. Harrison, Lubbock oil operator and opener of Lubbock County's first pool, is in Midland on a business visit. He formerly lived in Big Spring and was instrumental in development of the Howard-Glasscock field in the early days of West Texas oil prospecting.

A Brief Dissertation By The Oil Editor On Geophysical Work

Oilmen say an area's activity is in a direct ratio to its geophysical exploration. If that is any criterion, West Texas leads the nation in oil prospecting.

Major companies now are employing 15 seismograph parties, some company-owned and some contracted, in West Texas. A conservative estimate of the cost of one seismograph survey is \$8,000 per month. This means that a total of \$120,000 per month, or \$1,440,000 per year, is being spent for the operation of these 15 seismograph crews.

In addition to the seismic method of geophysical exploration, some companies also are using gravity meters, torsion balances and magnetometers.

Closely allied with geophysics, although not actually geophysical instruments, are core-testing and soil analysis surveys. These also are being employed to a large extent in West Texas.

The geophysicist and the geologist work in collaboration on the discovery of subsurface structures. One takes up where the other leaves off. Just which one takes and which one leaves will not be discussed, to avoid argument.

The magnetic type of geophysical instruments, which are based on the principle of attraction of mass, generally are used in speedy reconnaissance work, although some notable discoveries are credited to the "doodlebugs." The slower, more expensive seismograph primarily is used to "detail" an area under consideration, picking up to a nicety the structure roughly outlined by the magnetic instruments.

Some of the Permian Basin oil fields discovered by geophysicists are Hobbs, Seminole, Monument, Barnhart, Cedar Lake and Means.

George Phillips of the Scharbauer Coffee Shop is ill in the Baylor Hospital in Dallas. Physicians Saturday said his condition was improving.

Attend The First Baptist Church
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John Mathews, Educational Director

10:00 a.m. Sunday School
10:55 a.m. Morning Worship
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C. C. Dollar Is New Chaplain At AAF School Here

Chaplain Charlie Carl Dollar, former pastor of the Congregational-Christian Church at Lanett, Ala., has arrived at the Midland AAF Bombardier School to take up duties at the post chapel as successor to Capt. Theodore Schoech, who was transferred last week to the Air Transport Command.

Chaplain Dollar, who holds the rank of first lieutenant, comes to Midland from the Chaplains' School at Harvard University, ordained in 1928, he is a graduate of the School of Religion at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tenn.

Although this is his first military assignment, he is not a stranger to Texas, having at one time held a pastorate in Friona in the Panhandle. During the last decade he has also served as pastor in churches in North Carolina and Tennessee.

At the post he will share the duties of the chapel with Capt. Comas DeHelder and will be in charge of all protestant services.

Chaplain Dollar is married and has a three months old son, John Aven. The chaplain will live on the post temporarily while his family remains in Alabama.

Four Officers Get Captains' Ratings

Four dental officers, all stationed at the post hospital of the Midland AAF Bombardier School, were proudly wearing captain's bars Saturday. They had received notice from the War Department of their promotion from the rank of first lieutenant to that of captain.

They are Leo John Simala, John W. Sabo, Jr., Elliot Hirsch and Oliver E. Wilson.

Widely Known Man Dies At Ballinger

Friends here were advised Saturday of the death of John A. Weeks, 68, druggist, rancher and former member of the State Board of Pharmacy in Ballinger. He died at 2:30 p. m. Saturday.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. in Ballinger. Survivors are the widow, a daughter, Mrs. R. W. Earnshaw, and a grandson, John Weeks Earnshaw, of Ballinger.

Weeks was widely known throughout West Texas.

STEEN IN INDIA
Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Steen of Midland have received word that their son, First Lieut. Garland C. Steen, formerly stationed at the Midland AAF Bombardier School, has arrived somewhere in India.

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(MEMBER F. D. I. C.)

SERIAL STORY

DARK JUNGLES

BY JOHN C. FLEMING & LOIS EBY

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THE STORY: Barry Fielding has come to Guatemala in search of a quicksilver mine operated by the Quiche Indian tribe, who are hostile to white men. After an arduous journey through jungle and upland he and his Mexican guide, Jose, finally reach Quiche territory. He hears a letter from a friend of the tribe and so gains an audience with the chief. The chief and his council listen to Barry's plea that America needs quicksilver for war production. They promise to give him an answer in the morning.

MALARIA

CHAPTER XII

AT first Barry thought it was an evil dream—he heard the low, guttural chant from a dozen husky throats—then he opened his eyes slowly, cautiously. In the dim light he could see only the slanting outline of the painted warriors. Their feet moved slowly up and down in an eerie cadence to their chant. Then he saw Jose standing in the corner, his eyes still heavy with sleep but unmistakable fear lighting them.

"What's wrong?" Barry said huskily. "Someone's attacked an Indian girl. They say it was a white man!" Jose said quickly. "But that's ridiculous!" Barry cried.

"That's what I've tried to tell them but they won't be convinced. They say we must come at once to the chief's tent for a trial." Barry got up then, feeling strangely groggy, and the odd procession started through the murky light down the village street. The street was deserted but ahead Barry could see the flames of a great fire licking into the darkness. The fire burned in front of the chief's tent and around it moved a dozen natives in a slow dance to the rumbling rhythm of drums. Barry felt an icy fear go through him as he thought of stories he had read about white men being burned alive lashed to the stake.

When the little group reached the chief's tent one of the warriors shouted something in Quiche and they stopped. The oldest man of the group entered the tent, apparently to announce their arrival. In a moment he was back and the procession filed inside. The chief gave an order then and one of the warriors left the tent. Soon he came back and with him were two ancient Indian women who between them supported the Indian girl. She was a girl about 18 with a certain sly-eyed beauty. Her large eyes were downcast and the spirit seemed drained from her body.

THE chief talked at some length and his council nodded their

heads sagely. Finally Barry caught hold of Jose's sleeve. "What is he saying?" he asked anxiously. "They think you are the guilty one."

"Tell them I never left my tent!" Barry cried. Jose spoke to the chief in Quiche but the chief only shook his head and drew from behind him the waterproof letter case that Barry had used to bring the letter from Renaldo.

"They say this letter case of yours was found in the girl's tent!" Jose said through dry lips. "I must have dropped it here, in this tent, when I took the letter out to show it to the chief. Someone has framed this on me!" Barry said excitedly.

All was quiet then and Barry knew that his fate was sealed. The old chief finally spoke a few short words in a hard brittle voice and the young form of the girl slumped to the ground. "He has pronounced the death sentence on the girl," Jose said quietly.

The two old women stepped forward and carried the limp form from the tent. "But there must be something we can do!" Barry looked appealingly toward Jose.

"After the sentence is pronounced—there is nothing." The chief waved his hands then and two Indians marched Barry and Jose from the tent. They marched the length of the street to the last tent, in the rosy light of a new dawn. The two men were shoved into the tent and the tent flaps were closed. Two guards stood watch outside.

"What will they do to that girl?" Barry asked after he and Jose had sat on the mat of straw that covered the floor of the tent. "They will take her back to her tent and say the death chant until tomorrow night. When the moon comes up over Santa Maria she will close her eyes and be dead." "But that's impossible!" Barry protested. "You can't just chant over a person and have them die."

"You can't perhaps, senior, but the Quiches can. It is the blood oath of the Chichicstenango. They have been doing this for over 600 years. Many doctors have come here and seen this done. They can't explain it. They just shake their heads and go away." "Maybe if we could get word to Renaldo we could save the girl?" Barry said.

"You could get no one to interfere with this oath," Jose said with finality. "Even the government soldiers from Guatemala City would not come. They let the Quiches alone."

BARRY did not speak again for a long time. He laid his head down in the straw and felt a strange feverishness envelop him. His head throbbed and the strength seemed to drain from his body. Finally he opened his eyes and looked steadily at Jose. "What will they do to us?"

"They will not pass sentence until the moon has risen tonight over Santa Maria. After the girl has died then they will come for us again and pass their sentence." Jose's eyes narrowed then and his teeth gleamed as he said, "But when they come, senior, we will not be here!"

"You mean we'll make an escape?" Barry asked. "Soon now all the Indians, all but those guards outside, will follow the chief to the Cave of the Winds. There they will make offerings to their god Vienda. After they have gone—," Jose rolled his sleeves higher then and bared his powerfully muscular arms. "I will take care of those guards."

The men waited then until they heard the commotion in the street outside. Dogs barked and they heard the slow shuffle of padded feet as the grim procession marched away.

Jose got noiselessly to his feet and waved to Barry to follow him. Suddenly, like a crouching tiger, he sprang out of the tent and locking the two heads of the Indians in his powerful arms shouted to Barry.

"Get two mules from the picket line there!" Bewildered, Barry ran toward the line where a score of mules were tied. He untied two quickly and led them back to the tent.

When he returned Jose was still holding the squirming Indians. Barry struck out at them. They slumped to the ground. Barry and Jose mounted the mules quickly and rode away.

"If we get below the timber line we are safe. They will not go out of their own country," Jose said. They rode on in silence for a long time down, down, over ledges of rock, through sweet-smelling pines and towering tamaracks. Finally, Jose pulled his mule to a stop beside a shimmering cascade of clear water.

"We are safe now. We will camp here for the night."

Barry climbed stiffly from his mule and stood braced against it, breathing heavily. His face was flaming with fever, his eyes bloodshot. Jose cried, "You are ill, senior!"

"I am a fool," said Barry. "I was too excited to ward it off with medicine. I've got malaria." (To Be Continued)

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney America's Card Authority Before reading today's article, look at the North hand. You are playing with a partner whose opening no trump bids mean a pretty good hand. What would you bid over one no trump? Bar in mind that regardless of the number of hearts or clubs you bid, he will always be able to overcall with no trump.

I believe you should try to tell your partner the whole story in one bid. If you make a forcing bid, you will give an erroneous picture of the hand and your partner is sure to end up by playing no trump.

Hand analysis diagram showing a North hand with 10 hearts, 5 diamonds, 3 clubs, and 2 spades. A South hand with 4 hearts, 4 diamonds, 4 clubs, and 5 spades. A Dealer position. Duplicate—None vul. South West North East 1 N.T. Pass 6 Double Opening—♦ K 17

it at no trump. If you bid four hearts, he may pass the hand. This type of hand may be dealt to you only once in a lifetime, so it calls for a little gambling.

The best bid in my opinion is one no trump. Now your partner knows you do not want it played at no trump, otherwise you would have made a constructive bid in a lower range. He knows that you do not have a solid side suit; therefore he should pass the six-heart bid. East's double is subject to criticism. If the six-heart bid does not work, the opponents are in a bad spot, and with the freak distribution advertised in the bidding, they might easily make the contract, as was the case in this hand.

Ration Reminders Issued By Board

Stamp 26 in Ration Book One is good for one pound of coffee through Sunday, April 25, the Midland County Ration Board said Saturday.

The red D coupon for meats, cheese, fats and canned fish becomes valid Monday, and blue D, E and F coupons are good for purchases of processed fruits and vegetables through April 30.

Other rationing reminders: Red coupons A, B and C in Ration Book Two valid through April 30 for meat, cheese, fats and canned fish.

Stamp 12 in book one good for five pounds of sugar through May 31.

Stamp 17 in book one good for one pair of shoes through June 15.

Number five coupons, worth four gallons of gasoline each, expire May 21.

Seabees Officer To Visit City Saturday

Lieutenant Parrett, civil engineering officer of the Navy Recruiting Service in Dallas, will be in Midland Saturday to talk to men interested in enlistment in the Seabees, Navy construction battalion. He will be in Big Spring Thursday and in Odessa Saturday.

Men with two years or more of construction experience may qualify for ratings in the Seabees, and there are many ratings open, it was announced.

Midland Aggies To Hold Muster Wednesday Night

All Texas A. and M. College graduates and ex-students in the Midland area are invited to attend a "muster" at Hotel Scharbauer Wednesday at 8 p. m. Paul A. Nelson said Saturday. All over the world former students of the school will get together on San Jacinto Day to pay tribute to A. & M. men in the armed services, to those who

are missing, and to those who will not return after the war. The muster will honor the heroes of San Jacinto in 1836 and of Corregidor in 1942. Last year a group of former Aggies met together on Corregidor in the Philippines for the annual conclave just before the island fell to the Japanese. About 7,000 A. & M. men are in the armed forces of the United

States, and more than 6,000 of these are officers. Although many former students from this area are in the service elsewhere, many more have been transferred here. These men are given special invitations to attend the Midland muster. Nelson said. A supper and smoker will be held, and the men will listen to a broadcast at 8:30 on the "Cavaleade of the Fighting Aggies," over the

Motorists May Still Qualify For Gasoline

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Motorists who failed to meet tire inspection deadlines still may qualify for gasoline rations by providing a "good reason" for their delay, the Office of Price Administration ruled Friday.

Texas Quality Network. Steve Debnam will be in charge of the Midland program.

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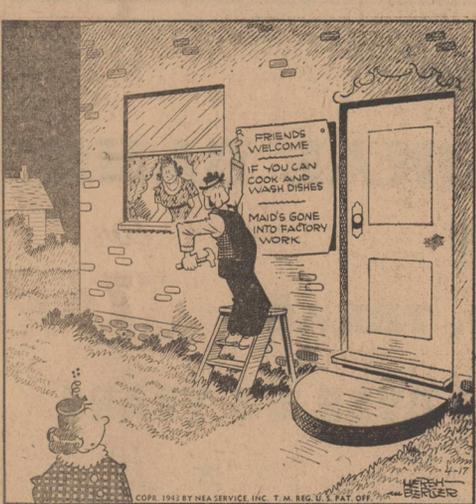
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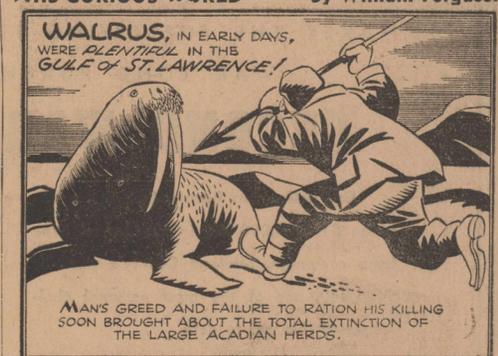
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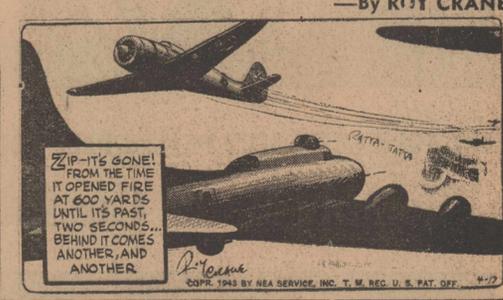
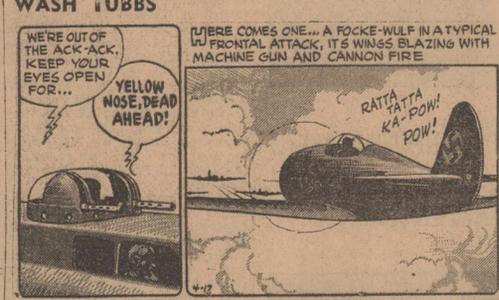


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Card of Thanks 2
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Beauty Parlors 6
 CALL Petroleum Beauty Shop and ask about Easter Specials on Permanent Waves. (30-6)

Lost and Found 7
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Help Wanted 9
 EXPERIENCED construction job payroll clerk, also combination typist and ambulance driver. Persons now employed on defense projects will not be considered. Write in own handwriting, Box 488, Pyote, Texas. (29-6)

THREE or four extra men for work at Bombardier loading plant at airport. Steady employment. 60c per hour. A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., Phone 948. (32-3)

WHITE housekeeper: 9 to 4 o'clock. Phone 2011. (32-3)

WANT colored girl to do general housework. 202 W. Louisiana, Ph. 1102-W. (33-2)

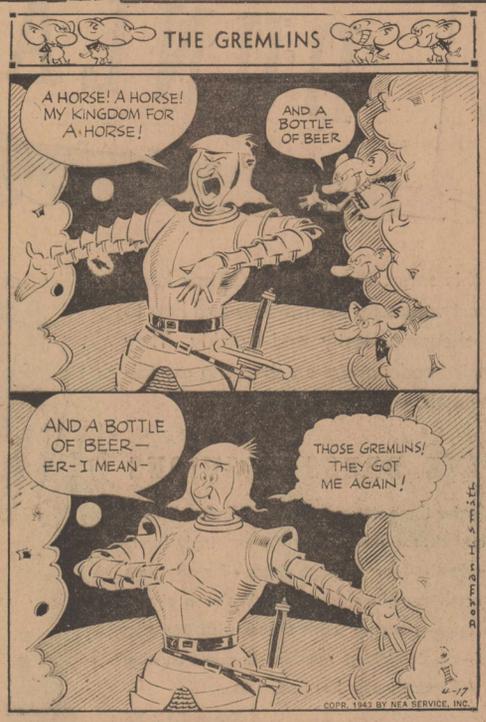
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6:55 A.M.	7:30 A.M.
7:25 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
7:55 A.M.	8:30 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
11:00 A.M.	11:30 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	1:30 P.M.
2:00 P.M.	2:40 P.M.
3:30 P.M.	4:10 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	5:10 P.M.
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8:05 P.M.	8:40 P.M.
9:30 P.M.	10:00 P.M.
10:30 P.M.	11:00 P.M.
11:30 P.M.	12:10 Midnight

Buses Saturday every 30 minutes from 12:30 p.m. until 2 a.m. Sunday. Last bus 2 a. m. Sunday.

Livestock and Poultry 34
 FOR SALE: Good fresh Jersey cow and calf. Roy Tuggle, Phone 9017. (31-14)

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 FOR SALE: 4-room stucco, 4-room frame houses, modern, can be moved. W. O. Bower, Crane, Tex. (32-3)

FOR SALE: Dandy three room house and lot in Midland, well good water. See Roy Tuggle at Friday's Boot Shop. (33-2)

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Harmon Reported Safe After Crash
 ANN ARBOR, MICH.—(P)—Tom Harmon and "old 98," the numerals that were so successful on the gridiron that the former all-American transferred them to his bomber when he joined the Army air forces, have won their way out of another trap.
 The War Department reported Saturday that Lieutenant Harmon, onetime University of Michigan halfback, was safe nine days after his plane crashed somewhere in a South American jungle.
 There were no details and no inkling of the fate of other members of the crew, but word Harmon was safe brought rejoicing among coaches and to his parents.
 Herbert O. Fritz Crisler, Tom's old football coach, took time to confirm news reports of Tom's safety.
 The coach called Harmon "the greatest competitor in the history of football," insisted from the first that the Gary Galloper would turn up safe.
 "And I'll betcha a dollar he doesn't have a scratch on him," Crisler beamed when his first hunch was proved correct.

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SPORTS BUGLE NEWS OF SPORTS ACTIVITIES AT MIDLAND AAFBS

It looks as if the official enlisted men's softball circuit will get underway this week at the bombardier softball diamonds, according to the PT department. Schedules and opening dates will be assigned and released to every squadron softball mentor during the week. Several managers and coaches of squadron contingents are primed for the opening and are awaiting the "green light" signal to announce their starting star-spangled lineups. In fact, a couple of practice games between squadrons have already been waged on the softball diamonds at the local air base.

In one of the "softball preview" tilts a scrappy 48th aggregation eked out a close 10 to 9 triumph over a stubborn 49th outfit. In garnering this practice victory, Pvt. Dick Wells, coach of the 48th "ten," discovered some sharp softball talent in Cpl. Seymour Sobol, hitting sensation of the combination; Cpl. Dransfield, and a pair of staff sergeants in Johnny Schack and Bill Powell, hard working backstoppers. And, for some of you organizations that are in quest of a few more practice "licks" prior to the field league "openers," contact Pvt. Pat Cuda, well-known manager of the 49th team, who is on the loose for a few exhibition contests.

Sports Grab-Bag
 A pair of "prize packages" sprouted out of our sports grab-bag this week when we learned that Cadets Gene Gambale of class 43-9, of Sheephead Bay, New York, and Rocco Soldato, class 43-6, of Chicago, starred in championship calibre on the baseball "pastures" before entering the air forces. Cadet Gambale was a humdinger of a third baseman for the Clean ball club in the fast going Pony League of New York State, while Aviation Cadet Soldato did all right for himself in patrolling the outer garden for his former alma mater, the University of Illinois. From Fairdale, N. D., comes Pvt. Mortie Aune, ace bowler of that sector, who is expected to demonstrate his pitching wares for the 49th softballers. Cpl. Sid Dinowitz of the 491st, a cameraman with the photo-lab, was a crack diver and displayed his swimming talents and trick diving at some of New York's topnotch resorts.

Sports Folio
 "Uncle" Mike Jacobs hopes to get military approval and revive big league outdoor boxing along the Eastern seaboard this summer. Tech. Sgt. Winston Rasoer of the photo-lab, who recently became a proud father, was at one time a member of the Austin High School wrestling team. Sgt. Elsworth Schell, also of the photographic department, served as an ace cameraman at many of the leading sport events in both New Jersey and New York. Our fencing industrial designer, Cpl. Sherman "Cellini" Parr, of the 83rd and chief draftsman of the post technical school, is coming out with another smart brochure cover for the technical school on the local field. Lieut. William Beckers, assistant classification officer, played two years of varsity baseball with the famed Princeton University ball club. In addition, also performed in stellar fashion around the shortstop post in the strong Lackawanna League of New Jersey. Pfc. Orin Kimball, at present being groomed by Sgt. Eddie Szymanski, as one of the best third sackers in the enlisted men's softball roundup, joins the 83rd softball tusslers with a starting array of past experience which includes baseball stop-overs in the North Carolina and government leagues at Washington, D. C. While playing in the nation's capitol, Pfc. Kimball appeared in a special softball engagement against the highly-regarded Washington Redskins football pros. Oh yes, Kimball caught this game but did very little blocking, if any, when the giant gridiron stars came charging across home plate. Cpl. Milt Stern of the technical school was a well-known softball specialist when he pastured in his home section of New Jersey.

Diamond Dust
 Watching managers figure out their lineups has given the fans more fun this spring than ever before and brought them closer to the clubhouse. War adversity has made each infield problem a personal matter with the rooters who have become sympathetic and seem to get a kick out of seeing rookies replacing abut stars. With opening day approximately 48 hours away, the major league lineups are still incomplete and subject to overnight changes. But the general structure is now pretty well established. Cincinnati seems to have the best infield in the National League; the Cubs probably the most powerful-hitting outfield, and the Cards the best pitching challenged by the Reds, Dodgers and Cubs. At least five American League infielders are opening with rookies in key positions and the outfields are full of strangers. The Senators may wind up the best. New York's Yankees have the best pitching. Military personnel of the Bombardier College will be able to follow their favorite teams by keeping tab with the huge baseball scoreboard outside of the Special Service Building on the post. And now here are our choices for the 1943 World Series Baseball classic. In the American League —it's Eddie Barrows and his New York Yankee Bombers all the way down the wire for this corner. Over in the National League, it looks like a wide open scramble—but this column is being loyal to "Mayor" Leo Durocher and "Dem-Lovely-Burns" from Ebbetts Field, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Breezy Bits
 Pfc. Joey Nodge, the 491st star center fielder, has the spirit of big time ball in his larynx. Pvt. Santo Vieino was a brilliant infielder hailing from Newark, N. J. Sgt. Max Southworth (no relation to the Cardinals' Billy) like to play so much that he works out 'til dark every day. Cpl. Al Schindler, like Charley Grimm, erstwhile Chicago Cub pilot, carries a concertina with him to add impetus to his performances. Squadron 489th's crack softball "ten" under the direction of Staff Sgt. Lou Piscetelli, ushered in their season last week with an 8 to 6 exhibition victory over the 83rd Mess company group. Pvt. Doc Maryda and Pvt. Sherwin Shilling, featured at bat for the victors while Staff Sgt. Euell Vance, turned in bright pitching job for his initial triumph of the season. Manager Pvt. Pat Cuda, who has been doing a yeoman's piece of work in keeping the members of the 491st actively engaged in a variety lineup of sports and games arranged under his supervision and direction, tells us that Pvt. Leenhner of his squadron will bear plenty of attention—especially with the willow, when the season swings into action this coming week. Pvt. Dick Beahrey is a corking good sacker discovered by the 491st board of strategy. A mine of bright remarks during a ball game "a la Al Schacht, baseball's clown

Ben Hogan Wins Texas Victory Golf Tournament

DALLAS —(P)—Relentless Ben Hogan got the Texas Victory Open flag on the run and kept it that way Saturday to breeze in with a 138-six under par for the Dallas Country Club course — and first money in a tournament dedicated to the war effort.

Hogan's 67 Friday was too much for the boys to overcome. Although he got only one par at the finish of the last 18 holes, it still gave him a total three strokes lower than any other posted. Jimmy Gaunt, Fort Worth pro, made a fine finish with a two-under-par 70 and Harry Todd, Dallas amateur, shot a 71, to finish in a tie for second with 141.

Thirty-six hole scores in the open included: Pen Benoit, Midland Bombardier School, 85-87-172. E. McWilliams, Midland Bombardier School, 87-88-175. Arthur Kacklev, Midland Bombardier School, 80-86-168. Arthur Kacklev, Midland Bombardier School, 82-78-161. Lieut. Chas. Gatson, Midland Bombardier School, 71-65-160. Capt. R. J. Rohrer, Midland Bombardier School, 82-83-165. Capt. R. W. Ashley, Midland Bombardier School, 82-79-161. Lieut. R. P. Hays, Midland Bombardier School, 83-87-170.

COUNT FLEET WINS
 NEW YORK —(P)—Count Fleet, the Kentucky Derby favorite, won the Wood Memorial Stakes at Jamaica Sautdry.

prince" is Pfc. Ned Findling, whose witty sayings have become his hobby during a game. Pvt. Barry Morris is expected to handle the catching chores of the 491st ball club. First Sgt. Fred Hamra and Sgt. Emil Natfaly were named co-coaches of the team last week by Manager Cuda. Pvt. Mickey Kedrowski, who parked his glove and bat in Minnesota before entering the air forces, has just joined the pitching staff of the 491st Bombardier Training Squadron. See you next Sunday... dots all for now.

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Red Cross surgical dressing room on third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock and from 1 until 4 o'clock.

The WMU of the First Baptist Church will meet in circles as follows: The Rebekah Circle will meet at 2:30 p.m. with Mrs. J. H. Williamson, 305 East Kentucky. The Annie Barron Circle will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Barbara Wall, 601 North Marefield; Lockett Circle at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Bob Preston, 707 North Marefield; Lottie Moon

Circle at 3 p.m. with Mrs. S. L. Alexander, 202 South A; and Mary Martha and Mary Elizabeth Truly Circles will meet at 3 p.m. in joint session at the church.

The Viola Holt Bible Class will meet at 2 p.m. in the educational building of the First Methodist Church.

All circles of the First Methodist WSCS will meet at 3:30 p.m. in the educational building.

The Women's Council of the First Christian Church will meet at the church at 1 o'clock for luncheon.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the church.

The Mildred Smith Circle of the Calvary Baptist Church will meet at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. A. W. Smith, 1005 South Main. The Florine Miller Circle will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. Hoyt Burris, 708 South Loraine.

The Midland Girl Scout Council will meet at 7 p.m. at the Chamber of Commerce.

The Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Episcopal Church will meet at 3:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs.

C. L. Griffin, 1407 West Texas St.

TUESDAY

Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 p.m.

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock and from 1 until 4 o'clock.

The International Relations Group of AAUW will meet at 8 p.m. with Miss Maria Spencer, 502 West Storey.

The Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at 7:30 p.m. in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the church for Bible study.

The Tuesday Luncheon Club will meet at 1 o'clock with Mrs. Cary P. Butcher, 904 West Tennessee.

WEDNESDAY

Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock, and from 1 until 4 o'clock.

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the church for Bible study.

Miss Ruth Anderson will be hostess to the Play Readers Club at 3:45 p.m. at her home, 1201 West Indiana. Mrs. Louis Caddell will read.

The SoSum Club will meet at 2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Wesley Edwards, 1010 West Wall.

The Junior Women's Wednesday Club will meet at 3 p.m. with Mrs. Hugh West at the Atlantic Tank Farm.

WEDNESDAY

Holy Communion service will be held at 10 a. m. at Trinity Episcopal Church with the Rev. Robert J. Snell, minister, in charge.

A class of instruction in preparation for confirmation will be held in Trinity Episcopal Church at 7:30 p. m. The Rev. R. J. Snell is conducting the class.

THURSDAY

Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

Mrs. B. C. Girdley will entertain members of the Needlecraft Club at her home, 1900 West Missouri, at 3 p.m.

The Stitch and Chatter Club will meet at 2 p.m. with Mrs. F. D. Reven, 809 North Weatherford.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the church for Bible study.

The Ocho Club will meet at 1 o'clock with Mrs. E. M. Miller, 811 West Michigan.

FRIDAY

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock.

The Glenn Walker Royal Ambassadors of the First Baptist Church will meet at 4 p.m. at the educational building.

Red Cross surgical dressings room on the third floor of the courthouse will be open from 9 until 12 o'clock and from 1 until 4 o'clock.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet at 3:30 p.m. in the educational building of the First Baptist Church.

The Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the church for Bible study.

SATURDAY

Treble Clef Juvenile Club will meet at 1 o'clock at the Watson School of Music.

Robyn Junior Music Club will meet at 10 o'clock at the Watson School of Music.

Midland County Museum will be open from 2:30 until 5 o'clock.

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Hoskins-Scott Vows Are Read At Twilight

In a twilight ceremony Saturday evening at the First Methodist Church, Miss Mary Lou Hoskins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hoskins, became the bride of Lt. Fred B. Scott, son of G. M. Scott of Wilmington, Del. About 200 friends and relatives of the couple attended and the Rev. Carl Clement, pastor, read the nuptial lines.

The couple stood before an improvised altar of candelabras and white tapers flanked with four baskets of pink gladioli.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a poudre blue street-length dress with matching black patent leather shoes and bag, and dusty pink gloves. Her hat was an arrangement of blue hydrangeas with a light blue veil. She carried a white Bible and wore a corsage of orchids.

Miss Melba Schlosser, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Schlosser, was maid of honor. She wore a lime green two-piece suit with a purple pansy hat and purple gloves. Her corsage was of white Godfrey calla lilies.

Mrs. Douglas Sings

Pvt. Bob Scott of San Antonio, brother of the bridegroom, was best man.

Mrs. De Lo Douglas sang "Oh Promise Me," and "I Love You Truly" before the wedding. She was accompanied by Mrs. Holt Jowell, who played Lohengrin's bridal song as the processional, and "Clair de Lune" by Debussy, during the ceremony. Mendelssohn's wedding march was the recessional. Mrs. Douglas wore a black silk suit with white accessories and a white iris corsage. Mrs. Jowell wore an aqua blue two-piece suit with a corsage of white iris.

Mrs. Hoskins, mother of the bride, and Mrs. C. W. Potts of Philadelphia, wore corsages of gardenias.

Member Of Sorority

Mrs. Scott attended Midland High School and is a charter member of the Sub Deb Club. She graduated in 1941 from San Marcos Academy, San Marcos, where she was a member of the Sigma Phi Theta sorority, and attended Texas State College for Women in Denton. Until recently, she was a deputy county clerk here.

Guests at the wedding from other cities included Private Scott of San Antonio, Lt. Frank Moore and Lt. Watson of San Angelo, and Mrs. C. W. Potts of Philadelphia, sister of the bridegroom.

Following the ceremony a recep-

tion was held at the home of the bride's parents, 1063 West Michigan, for friends of the couple.

The refreshment table was laid with a cream cutwork cloth and centered with an arrangement of white iris, Star of Bethlehem and white daisies. On one end of the table was the three-tiered white wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and lieutenant groom, and at the other end was the crystal punch bowl. Crystal candelabras were placed at either end. The home was decorated with red roses and daisies.

The bride and groom cut the cake after which Mrs. R. L. York served. White napkins with "Lou and Scotty" printed on them in gold carried out the bridal theme.

To Reside In Childress

Miss Liza Lawrence poured punch and Miss Maxine Hughes presided at the guest register. Miss Lawrence wore a white dress with yellow iris corsage and Miss Hughes wore an aqua blue suit. Her corsage was of white iris also. Other members of the house party wore white iris corsages.

Following the reception the couple left for a brief wedding trip after which they will reside in Childress where he is stationed at the Childress Bombardier School.

The bride traveled in a gold two-piece suit with black and white accessories.

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Sgt. Don Gillett furnished the wedding music.

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Bride Of Lieutenant



MRS. FRED B. SCOTT

Miss Elger And Lt. Hartman Wed

Miss Ruth M. Elger of Waukesha, Wis., and Lt. John K. Hartman of the Midland Bombardier School were married Friday at the post chapel with Chaplain Cosmas Dahlheimer performing the ceremony.

The bride wore a beige suit with white accessories.

Mrs. Audrey Kappler of Midland and Lt. Harlan Grillot of the bombardier school were attendants for the couple.

Sgt. Don Gillett furnished the wedding music.

Margie Ann Howe Honors Friends At Easter Party

Margie Ann Howe entertained a group of her friends with an Easter party Thursday at her home, 1311 West Thursday.

Large Easter baskets with eggs bearing the name of each person were presented as the guests arrived. An Easter egg hunt followed.

The afternoon was spent in playing various games after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. John P. Howe, Mrs. Nelson Suzanne and Mrs. Walter Randall, Jr., assisted the hostess.

Favors of vari-colored balloons and white bunnies were distributed to the following guests: Jackie Colbie, Sue Smith, Betty Jack Hawkins, Catherine Standifer, and Norma Jean Errell of Abilene.

Pasteur's germ theory of disease, established in the 1870's, led to identification of the causes of many major ills.

Miss Hart Hostess At Play Party Honoring Friends

Miss Rosie Lee Hart was hostess at a play party Friday evening honoring a group of friends at her home southeast of Midland. Miss Fredda Lou Truelove was co-hostess.

The guest list included Doris Nell Adams, Patsy Boone, Alla Gene Sprawls, Glenn Sprawls, Doris Smith, Joan Williams, Vera Williams, Billie Frances Franklin, Edward Franklin, Eddie Locklar, Charlie Welch, Royce Howard, Ernest Locklar, Pfc. Odie O'Kelly, Laura-gene Lands, Ellen Eiland, Jay Hart, John Stanley, Mrs. W. F. Truelove, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hart, Doris Preston, Clayton Graham, W. P. Bryant, Vivian Clark, Kelley Lewellen, Thelma Jo Brown, Anita Webb, R. C. Vest, Lonnie O'Dillon, and L. C. Burgh, and Albert Stewart, Lavena Brooks, Rayburn Koen, Betty Faye Henley, Junior Hayden, Davis Yasbender, Lillian Harris, Sylvia Holman, Troy Morgan, Margaret Henley, Morgan Stewart, Lawana Locklar, James Henry Locklar, Mrs. Henry Locklar, Billy Brown, Glenn Foster, J. D. Crawford, Jack Livingstone, Bill Livingstone, and Allen Lowe.

Group Entertained At Skating Party

Dora Alkire and Edyth Ray Collins entertained a group of friends with a skating party Friday evening. Refreshments were served at the home of Miss Collins, 511 West Louisiana, to Gordon Reigle, Joe Birdwell, Lavener Barrington and the hostesses.

New for Nurses



The traditional white uniform for Army nurses on field duty will give way soon to this brown-and-white striped cotton seersucker suit. Designed to give nurses greater protection because the colors fade into the background at a distance, a new addition to the uniform is the jacket for street wear. The cap shown in this photo from the Philadelphia Quartermaster Depot also is new dress for Army nurses.

Churches Here Plan Pre-Easter Services

Plans for Palm Sunday services and pre-Easter services in Midland's churches were completed Saturday.

Outstanding speakers have arrived to preach in a number of the churches. Several churches have arranged special musical programs.

Ministers cooperated to bring to Midland the city-wide pre-Easter services during Holy Week.

All citizens of the Permian Basin, visitors in the area and men of the Midland AAF Bombardier School have been invited to attend the services.

Dr. T. W. Currie, president of Austin Presbyterian

Theological Seminary, was unable to come to Midland as scheduled because of illness and Dr. Donald G. Miller, prominent Dallas minister, will conduct the services at the First Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. W. Harrison Baker, Sherman district superintendent, will conduct pre-Easter services at the First Methodist Church.

To the First Christian Church comes the Rev. J. E. Montgomery, assistant to the president of Texas Christian University, to assist the pastor, the Rev. J. E. Pickering. Mr. Montgomery is known as an outstanding preacher and a leader in church work.

The Rev. Lewis McMahan, young preacher of Morton, Texas, will conduct the services at the Church of the Nazarene.

A Training Union study period and a series of inspirational messages have been scheduled at the First Baptist Church. The Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor, will deliver the messages each evening following the study period.

Pre-Easter services also have been arranged at St. George's Catholic Church, Grace Lutheran Church, Trinity Episcopal Church, The Assembly of God, and at the Midland AAF Bombardier School chapel.

All churches have completed plans for Easter Sunday services.

Service League Makes Surgical Dressings

Members of the Childrens Service League sewed at the Red Cross surgical dressings room at their regular meeting Friday. Following their work there members met at the home of Mrs. Vaughn Maley, 1010 Storey.

In attendance were Mmes. Fred Cassidy, Walter Collins, Cooper Hyde, T. S. Jones, Alan Leeper and the hostess.

Lesson From Samuel Taught At Meeting

With Mrs. C. E. Strawn opening the meeting with prayer, the Belmont Bible Class met Friday in the educational building of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. H. M. Reigle taught the lesson from the twelfth chapter of I Samuel. Closing prayer was led by Mrs. W. G. Ataway.

Present were Mmes. Margaret Parr, R. Chanslor, A. C. Moore, Strawn, Reigle, and Ataway.

D.O. Class And Guests Enjoy Picnic At Park

Members of the Midland High School diversified occupations class and their guests were entertained with a picnic at the Cloverdale Park Thursday evening. Several games were played.

Guests attending included Ruby Barrington, Cpl. Buster T. Cobb, Marie Blackwell, Cpl. Bob Donolon, Marjorie McKee, Bob Drummond, Pvt. and Mrs. E. E. Knight, Faye Hocker, and Rosemary Drummond.

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"Christ's Seven Last Words."
Sunday Morning, April 25th
"America Must See at Dawn."
Sunday Evening, April 25th
"Easter Ends, Eternal Life Begins."

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Sunday Morning, April 18th
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"God Weighs the World in His Balance."

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Shower Highlights Series Of Parties For Bride-Elect Here

Honoring Miss Mary Lou Hoskins, who became the bride of Lt. Fred Scott Saturday evening, Mrs. R. L. York, Mrs. P. A. Schlosser and Miss Melba Schlosser entertained with a miscellaneous shower Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. York, 201 South H.

Greeting guests at the door were Miss Hoskins, Mrs. J. B. Hoskins, mother of the bride-elect; Mrs. York, Mrs. Alcine Potts, Mrs. Schlosser, and Miss Schlosser. Miss Mary Sue Cowden presided at the guest register.

Mrs. Addison Wadley and Mrs. Aldredge Estes poured tea the first hour from a lace covered table centered with arrangements of blue iris and yellow daisies. Crystal service brightened the blue and yellow color scheme which was heightened throughout the home by bouquets of blue iris, yellow daisies, yellow roses and lilies. Car-de-labaras were at each end of the table. Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Hugh Corrigan poured during the second hour.

Mrs. Jewell Plays
Mrs. Holt Jewell played soft music on the piano. Others in the houseparty included Mmes. J. O. Nobles, O. C. Harper, J. M. Armstrong, J. D. McClure, Tom C. Bobo, Marilyn Goodman and Miss Maxine Hughes. All members of the houseparty wore corsages of yellow rose buds.

Gifts were on display. The guest list included Mmes. J. M. Armstrong, W. D. Anderson, H. C. Bedford, Bill Blevins, Tom C. Bobo, Pearl Blair, Cary P. Butcher, P. F. Bridewater, C. W. Chancellor, R. C. Conkling, Hugh Corrigan, Ellis Cowden, Miss Marian Wadley, and Mmes. Frank Williamson, Bill Wyche, Eula Mahoney, Judy Hopson, Sally Ratin, P. W. Patterson, L. B. Penberion, W. Y. Penn, Leonard Proctor, J. C. Ratliff, J. W. Rettig, Ernest Sidwell, W. L. Simmons, D. C. Stalls, Frances Stallworth, Anton Theis, J. Lewis Thomas, R. E. Kinsey, W. P. Knight, W. W. LaForce, H. H. Lawson, L. C. Link, J. R. Martin, J. A. Mascho, J. D. McClure, J. L. McGrew, Hayden Niles, Frank Miller, R. L. Miller, Percy Mims, J. O. Nobles, and.

Mmes. Gerry Graham, Harry Gossett, B. R. Greathouse, Charlene Wilkes, E. H. Griswold, S. P. Hall, O. C. Harper, J. M. Haygood, O. F. Hedrick, Holt Jewell, O. B. Holt, Mary Hoover, J. W. House, O. J. Hubbard, John H. Hughes,

New Officers Are Honored At Fete

Honoring new officers of the Young People's department of the First Presbyterian Church, a dinner was held at the church Friday evening.

Officers include: Clarissa Mann, president; Jerry Jordan, vice president; and John Drummond, secretary and treasurer. Members of the council include Jimmie Catherine Kendrick, foreign missions chairman; Martha Jo Dobsy, life enrichment chairman; Sally Secor, home missions chairman; Marjorie McKee, learning chairman; Billy Young, enlistment and training chairman; John Drummond, stewardship chairman; and Leora Mann, comradeship chairman.

Others attending included Belya Jo Knight, Charlie Kelley, Jean Holmes, June Patterson, Mrs. D. M. Secor, Mrs. W. F. Knight, the Rev. and Mrs. Hopper, Richard Berry, Bob Spencer, Fay Dublin, Peggy Bissell, Glenna Graham, and Gloria Fredregill.

Fred McMurry presented special numbers, and a sing song was held. Frank Cowden, Guy Cowden, Wright Cowden, M. D. Cox, E. A. Culbertson, E. H. Davidson, Don Davis, De Lo Douglas, F. J. Downey, John Dublin, Charles Edwards, J. Andrew Fasten, K. S. Ferguson and George Glass, and Misses Fannie Bess Taylor, Cordelia Taylor, Liza Lawrence, Louise Cox, Maxine Hughes, Mary Sue Cowden, Wilma Mahoney, Louise McClain, and Marjorie Warner, and Mmes. Clyde Cowden, Ben Black, Allen Tolbert, Fred Turner, R. M. Turpin, M. C. Umer, Paula Vogel, E. A. Walstrom, Fred Wemple, Hugh West, H. C. Wheeler, N. B. Winter and members of the houseparty.

Mrs. H. E. Washam and baby were dismissed from the hospital here Saturday.

On Program Of District P-TA Conference



Midland delegates who will appear on the program of the twenty-second annual conference of the Sixth District Parents and Teachers Association in San Angelo Monday and Tuesday include, left to right, Supt. Frank Monroe, state recreation director; Mrs. L. G. Byerley, state vice-president; and Mrs. D. R. Carter, district parliamentarian.

Midland Parents And Teachers To Attend Convention In San Angelo

The twenty-second annual conference of the Sixth District Parents and Teachers Association will be held in San Angelo Monday and Tuesday with several Midland citizens attending. Supt. Frank Monroe and Mmes. L. G. Byerley, D. R. Carter, Salmon J. Lones, J. D. McClure, J. Leo McLaughlin, E. R. Osburn, Harry Tolbert, and L. W. Leggett, and Miss Mary Wilson will go from this city.

Mrs. Byerley is past district president, and now serves on the state board as vice president. Monroe is state recreation director, and Mrs. Carter, who has served as district vice president and secretary, is district parliamentarian. These three delegates will appear on the conference program. Mrs. E. R. Osburn, city council president, also will attend the district board meetings with Mrs. Byerley and Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Lones, new president of the High School P-T.A., with Mrs. McClure, vice president, and Mrs. McLaughlin, treasurer, will represent the high school, and Mrs. Harry Tolbert will represent the Junior High School. Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett, new president of North Ward School, and Miss Mary Wilson, principal of South Elementary, will go as representatives from their schools. The conference headquarters will be at the Cactus Hotel in San Angelo and the theme of the conference will be "Our Concern, Every Youth." Mrs. Jack M. Little, state president, will be the official representative, and Mrs. Alice McConnell of the Hogg Foundation, will be the principal speaker. The general session of the convention will begin at 1:30 p. m.

Though whipping cream is just a pleasant memory, your desserts needn't lack decorative toppings. Here's an excellent substitute: Whip two egg whites until stiff, beat in a quarter-cup powdered sugar, then add alternately a cup of grated apple and another quarter-cup powdered sugar, beating mixture all the while. Flavor with a teaspoon fresh lemon juice.

Work Of Midland Women Appreciated By Army Officials

Two letters thanking women of the Midland County Red Cross chapter for recent work have been received here.

A letter from Miss Geraldine Lang, assistant field director of the Red Cross at the station hospital, Camp Wolters, Texas, to Mrs. Margaret H. Lewis, production chairman of the Midland chapter, said: "We wish to thank you and the members of the production group of the Midland County chapter for the beautiful bathrobes that you sent to our hospital at Camp Wolters. These bathrobes will certainly be very much appreciated by both the military authorities and our office."

"We certainly appreciate the fine cooperation we have received from your chapter. Kindly thank each member who participated in this worth while project."

In a letter to Mrs. John M. Shipley, Lieut. William S. Mullins, adjutant at the station hospital at the Midland AAF Bombardier School, wrote: "The hospital staff wishes to thank you for the making of the curtains for the hospital. The improvement to the hospital is immeasurable. The curtains give the mess hall, halls and offices a look of homeliness which they did not possess before."

"The medical department also wishes to thank the ladies of Midland for the very good work which they have been doing in the making of surgical dressings, surgical masks and other badly needed articles. This equipment will prove invaluable in the treatment of our troops."

Tuberculin Tests To Be Given Students

Tuberculin tests for members of the senior class of the Midland High School will be given Monday by Mrs. Ruth Rhodes, public health nurse of the Midland City-County Health Unit, under sponsorship of the Midland County Tuberculosis Association. The clinic will be held at the health center.

All students participating in the program who show positive reactions to the tests will be given free X-rays if they are unable to pay for the X-ray pictures, it was announced.

Miss Jean Bodkins Weds Captain In San Francisco

Miss Jean Gretchen Bodkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Bodkins, of Midland, and Captain Mark J. Mournie, of the U. S. Army Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Emmet Mournie of Chicago, Ill., were married in Calvary Presbyterian Church, San Francisco, Calif., at 8:00 p.m. March 28. The Reverend Van Van Nuys officiated.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Hugh L. Ferguson Jr., of San Francisco, the bride wore a gown of white slipper satin and carried a spray of white orchids. She was attended by Mrs. Thomas R. Cunningham and Miss Betty Cooper, matron of honor. Captain W. P. Moore of the Army Air Forces was best man.

To Reside In California
Ushers were Captain Thomas R. Cunningham of San Francisco and Donald Ferguson, of Cleveland, Ohio. Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held for the bridal party in the Mark Hopkins Hotel.

The bride was graduated from Miss Hockaday's School, Dallas, Texas, and in 1940 from Mills College, Oakland, California. The bridegroom attended the University of Arizona and is a graduate of the University of Virginia. He practiced law in Chicago two years before entering the Air Force.

Captain Mournie has been in England and Africa for 11 months and was cited by Major General Jimmy Doolittle, receiving the air medal and oak leaf cluster. After a months wedding trip to Canada, Captain Mournie and his bride will be at home at Hamilton Field, California.

Irene Chamberlain To Enter Service

Miss Irene Chamberlain of Midland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Chamberlain of McMahan, has been sworn into the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps and will leave Monday for McMahan to visit her parents while awaiting call to duty.

Miss Chamberlain, a graduate of Texas State College for Women at Denton, came to Midland in September, 1942, and she now is employed with the Phillips Petroleum Company.

Actress Gets Sport Dress From 35 Cents By Learning To Sew

HOLLYWOOD—(P)—Helene Reynolds, an actress, came to Hollywood with a background of society and wealth, but she decided to learn to sew.

Results: Many garments for war relief agencies, and several sewing jobs on the Reynolds personal wardrobe.

One of these cost 35 cents. It was a sports dress made out of ordinary tow-sacking. The material cost 10 cents, the pattern 25 cents.

Miss Reynolds, a pretty blonde, had an evening gown that cost \$350 four years ago. She transformed the top into a bolero, and with a touch or so to the long skirt, made the dress into a new frock. At least, it looked new enough to fool her friends.

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Dr. D. G. Miller Will Conduct Services At Presbyterian Church

Dr. Donald G. Miller of Dallas, a graduate of New York University, will conduct a series of pre-Easter services at the First Presbyterian Church beginning at the 11 o'clock worship hour Sunday morning. He also will preach at the evening service, and will conduct services at 8:15 p. m. each evening Monday through Friday at the church.

Dr. Miller will teach a Bible class for men at 7:30 a. m., and for the Presbyterian Auxiliary at 1:30 p. m. each day during the week.

Dr. Miller taught in a Bible seminary in New York and in the Orient before accepting a position as pastor of a Presbyterian Church near Baltimore, Md. He now is pastor of the Highland Park Presbyterian Church in Dallas. Dr. Miller will conduct the service here instead of Dr. T. W. Currie, whose illness forced him to cancel his engagement.

Methodist Leader



The Rev. W. Harrison Baker, superintendent of the Sherman District, will be guest speaker at the First Methodist Church during a series of pre-Easter services which begin at the 11 o'clock worship service Sunday morning.

Mr. Baker, a successful leader and excellent speaker, was pastor of the Munger Place Methodist Church in Dallas for 10 years before going to Sherman.

He also will conduct services during the week at 10 a. m. and at 8:15 p. m. at the church. An invitation to attend is extended to the public.

Archery Enthusiasts Have Meal Of Cougar

SALT LAKE CITY —(AP)—Ever try "victory veal"? It's not rationed but that doesn't mean it is easy to get.

Recently J. C. Trittitt and Jeano Orlando, Salt Lake City archery enthusiasts, bagged a cougar the bow-and-arrow way. In an experimental mood, they skinned the "lion" and cooked a portion.

Trittitt says it tastes like veal, but Orlando insists it's even better than that.

Church News

CHURCH OF CHRIST (Southside)
410 South Colorado
Bill Gipson, Evangelist
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship
8:30 p. m.—Evening worship

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
W. Pennsylvania and Loraine
Saturday services
10:00 a. m.—Sabbath school
11:00 a. m.—Morning service meeting

ST. GEORGE CHURCH (Roman Catholic)
Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor
9:00 a. m.—Low mass (for Spanish) and benediction
11:00 a. m.—Low mass (for English) and benediction

MEN'S CLASS
W. I. Pratt Teacher
Meets at 9:45 a. m. Sunday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. Non-denominational.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH
502 E. Illinois
H. Wren, Pastor
8:30 a. m.—Sunday radio program
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school
11:00 a. m.—Preaching service
9:00 p. m.—Preaching service
9:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
510 S. Baird
Rev. Warren J. Piersol
10:00 a. m.—Sunday school
11:00 a. m.—Preaching service
8:45 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

3:00 p. m. Thursday—WMC meets
8:45 p. m. Friday—Young People's services

AAF BOMBARDIER SCHOOL CHAPEL, Midland
Chaplain Theodore G. Schoech
Hebrew Services
8:30 p. m. Friday
Catholic Services
Chaplain Cosmas Dahlheimer
9:30 a. m. Sunday—Mass
Protestant Services
11:00 a. m. Sunday—Morning worship
7:00 p. m. Sunday—Evening worship

GOSPEL HALL
500 S. Loraine
J. D. Jackson, Pastor
10:00 a. m.—Bible study
11:00 a. m.—Preaching service
7:45 p. m. Preaching service
7:45 p. m. Tuesday—Young people's meeting
2:30 p. m. Wednesday—WMB meeting
7:45 p. m. Thursday—Preaching services

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
R. L. Kasper, Pastor
Sunday school at 6:15 p. m.
Church services at 7 p. m. each second and fourth Sunday at Trinity Episcopal Church, 1410 West Illinois
Lenten services at 8 p. m. Friday.

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1001 South Main
A. W. Smith, Pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship
7:30 p. m.—Training Union
8:30 p. m.—Evening worship
2:30 p. m. Monday—WMS meets
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer service
4:30 p. m. Wednesday—G. A. meets
3:00 p. m. Friday—Sunbeam Band meets.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
Private Dining Room
Hotel Scharbauer
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—"Doctrine of Atonement" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, April 18.
The Golden Text is: "Grace be to you and peace from God the Father, and from our Lord Jesus Christ, who gave himself for our sins, that he might deliver us from this present evil world, according to the will of God and our Father" (Galatians 1:3-4).
Second Wednesday service at 8 p. m.

PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS TABERNACLE
600 S. Colorado Street
O. W. Roberts, Pastor
11:00 a. m.—Preaching
7:45 p. m.—Preaching
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Preaching

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Indiana and Big Spring Streets
R. M. Hocker, Pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship
8:15 p. m.—Evening worship
7:30 p. m. Wednesday—Midweek prayer
7:30 p. m. Friday—Cottage prayer.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH
H and Illinois Streets
R. J. Snell, Minister
9:45 a. m.—Church School
5:00 p. m.—Litany, Ante Communion and Sermon. The Rev. Snell will preach on "The Spiritual Rhythm of Life."

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Main and Illinois Streets
Vernon Yearby, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
10:55 a. m.—Morning worship. Broadcast over KRLH. The pastor will preach.
7:00 p. m.—Training Union
8:15 p. m.—Evening worship
Monday—WMO meets
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer service
8:00 p. m. Thursday—Choir rehearsal.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
West Texas Ave. and A. Street
Hubert Hopper, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Bible School
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. Dr. Donald G. Miller will preach.
7:15 p. m.—Pioneers and Young People meet.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship. Dr. Miller will speak.
7:00 p. m. Wednesday—Choir practice.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner North A. and Tennessee Sts.
Herbert L. Newman, Minister
10:00 a. m.—Bible Study
10:50 a. m.—Morning worship
6:45 p. m.—Broadcast over KRLH
7:00 p. m.—Young People's Class
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
3:00 p. m. Monday—Women's Bible Study
8:00 p. m. Wednesday—Bible study and singing.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
Garden City Rd. at City Limits
Elder B. R. Howze of Big Spring, Pastor
Regular services at 11 o'clock on second and fourth Sunday mornings. Services at 11 a. m. on second Saturdays.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
John E. Pickering, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Bible School
10:50 a. m.—Morning worship. The Rev. J. E. Montgomery of T. C. U. will speak on "Man Finds God." This will be the opening sermon of the revival.
5:30 p. m.—Junior Endeavor
6:30 p. m.—Senior Endeavor
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship. The sermon will be "National Security" by Mr. Montgomery.
3:30 p. m. Monday—Circle meetings
7:30 p. m. Wednesday—Choir practice
Revival services will be held each night at 8:15 o'clock with Mr. Montgomery preaching.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. Carl Clement, Pastor
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship. The Rev. W. Harrison Baker of Sherman will preach.
6:15 p. m.—Junior, Senior and Intermediate Leagues meet.
8:00 p. m.—Evening worship. Mr. Harrison will preach.
Pre-Easter services will be conducted Sunday through next Friday by Mr. Harrison. He also will preach on Easter Sunday.

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To Conduct Services



The Rev. Lewis M. McMahan, the "boy preacher" of Morton, Texas, will conduct a pre-Easter revival at the Church of the Nazarene here. The series of services begin at 11 a. m. Sunday, the Rev. R. M. Hocker, pastor, said.

Services will be held each day at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. at the church, starting Monday.

First Baptist Church Announces Plans For Pre-Easter Services

A Training Union study period and an inspirational message is scheduled for each evening during the week at the First Baptist Church, beginning Friday.

Monday through Friday night the schedule for the school will be as follows: 7:30 p. m. to 8:15 p. m. study period in the various departments; and 8:15 p. m. to 9 p. m. all departments will go to the church auditorium for the inspirational period. The Rev. Vernon Yearby, pastor, will bring the messages.

Teachers and the books they will offer include: J. P. McEldowney, "The Fine Art of Soul Winning," Adults; Mrs. Eddie Frank Conner, "The Plan of Salvation," Young People; Mrs. R. W. Harris, "Witnessing for Christ," Intermediates; Mrs. John D. Matthews, "Bible Heroes," Juniors; and Mrs. Claude O. Crane, "Touring Story Land," Primaries and Beginners.

Mr. Yearby has announced the following subjects for the inspiration of Jesus": Thursday, "Why I Believe In the Inspiration of the Bible"; Tuesday, "Why I Believe In Creation Rather Than Evolution"; Wednesday, "Why I Believe In the Deity of Jesus"; Thursday, "Why I Believe the Cross Is God's Way of Saving Men"; and Friday, "Why I Believe In the Bodily Resurrection."

On Easter Sunday morning the pastor will preach on "Jesus Lives" and the choir will present a cantata, "The Resurrection Song," under the direction of John D. Matthews.

Rev. J. E. Montgomery Will Hold Services At Christian Church

The Rev. J. E. Montgomery, assistant to the president of Texas Christian University, will assist the pastor, the Rev. J. E. Pickering, in pre-Easter services at the First Christian Church.

The special series of services start with the 10:50 a. m. worship service Sunday. Services will be held at 8:15 p. m. each day from Monday through Friday.

Mr. Montgomery is a graduate of Texas Christian University, and has served as pastor of the Highland Park Christian Church of Wichita Falls, and the First Christian Church of Loneview, Texas.

R. Z. Dallas and Mrs. Lee Cornelius will have charge of the music.

On Thursday evening following the sermon, the church will observe its annual Candlelight Communion service. A sunrise prayer service and a breakfast for the young people before regular worship services will mark Easter Sunday's celebration.

Sunrise Service To Be Held At Midland Bombardier School

An impressive Easter sunrise service for the men of the Midland Bombardier School and residents of Midland and Odessa will be held in the Post Service Club at 6:45 o'clock Easter morning.

The service will include special Easter music by the massed choirs of Midland churches under the direction of Sgt. William Latella, the AAFBS orchestra directed by Master Sgt. Thomas Marcell, and a baritone solo by Lieut. John W. McKewen, formerly stationed at the bombardier school and now at the AAF Navigation School, San Marcos.

The Midland Service Club is cooperating in plans for the service. Breakfast prepared by the Red Cross Canteen Group of Midland will be served members of the military personnel of the post following the service. Col. John P. Kenney disclosed.

Each of the Midland churches will be represented on the program, which will be non-sectarian in character.

Floral decorations for the lobby of the service club will be furnished by the Garden Club of Midland.

Feast Of Passover To Be Celebrated

Enlisted men, cadets and officers of Jewish faith at the Midland AAF Bombardier School will gather Monday night at 8 o'clock in the Methodist Church in Odessa to celebrate the Feast of the Passover. Their wives will be guests for the annual celebration. Men of the bombardier school are cooperating with those in charge to make the event one to be remembered.

Mesdames Pete Cooles, Joe Sep-

kowitz and Dave Keller of Odessa are preparing the dinner and Pvt. Emanuel Stern will conduct the services. The arrangements for the dinner and program are under the general supervision of Pvt. Bernard Adler of the bombardier college. Bertram H. Simon of Sweetwater, Tex., area director for the USO Jewish Welfare Board, is sponsor of the dinner.

About 75 men out of each thousand rejected by the armed forces are turned down for psychiatric reasons.

Pentecostal Revival To Be Closed Sunday

Through error, it was reported to The Reporter-Telegram Friday that a negro revival is being conducted at the Gospel Hall, 510 South Loraine.

The revival, which will be concluded Sunday night, is being conducted by the Rev. C. Rosenquist of Chicago, Ill., for members of the Pentecostal Church and other interested persons. It has been in progress three weeks and will be closed with services at 8:30 p. m. Sunday.

Rev. J. D. Jackson, pastor of the church, invites the public to attend the final service Sunday. Mr. Rosenquist and his band will provide the music.

The Reporter-Telegram is glad to make this correction.

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