

WEATHER

Temperatures this afternoon and tonight about the same as in previous 24 hours.

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Eight Pages Today

War Bond Score

Quota for September... Sales to Sept. 29... To the good...

BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD

Senate Accepts Compromise On Farm-Cost Plan

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30. (AP)—The senate voted today to strip from the administration's anti-inflation legislation a provision changing farm parity standards...

Petitions Out For Elective Police Chief

Being circulated in the city for signatures, The Herald learned, are copies of a petition to the city commission asking the calling of an election on making the office of police chief elective...

Number of names which have been attached to the petitions was not available. It was understood that the petitions may be presented to the commission at its meeting next Tuesday night.

There was also some indication that a counter petition would be circulated, since the police chief provision is a part of the charter under which the municipality operates...

The petition now being offered for signature reads: "We the undersigned of the city of Big Spring do hereby petition the city commission to take necessary steps whereby the office of chief of police shall be an elective office..."

Rubber Footwear To Be Rationed Next Monday

Certificate rationing of men's rubber boots and rubber work shoes has been ordered by the OPA...

"Where purchases are made by mail order, the turn-in of old rubber footwear is made to a local scrap collection agency designated by the local board..."

"To get a certificate," Robbins explained, "the applicant must fill out two copies of a form that will be available at the local War Price and Rationing Board..."

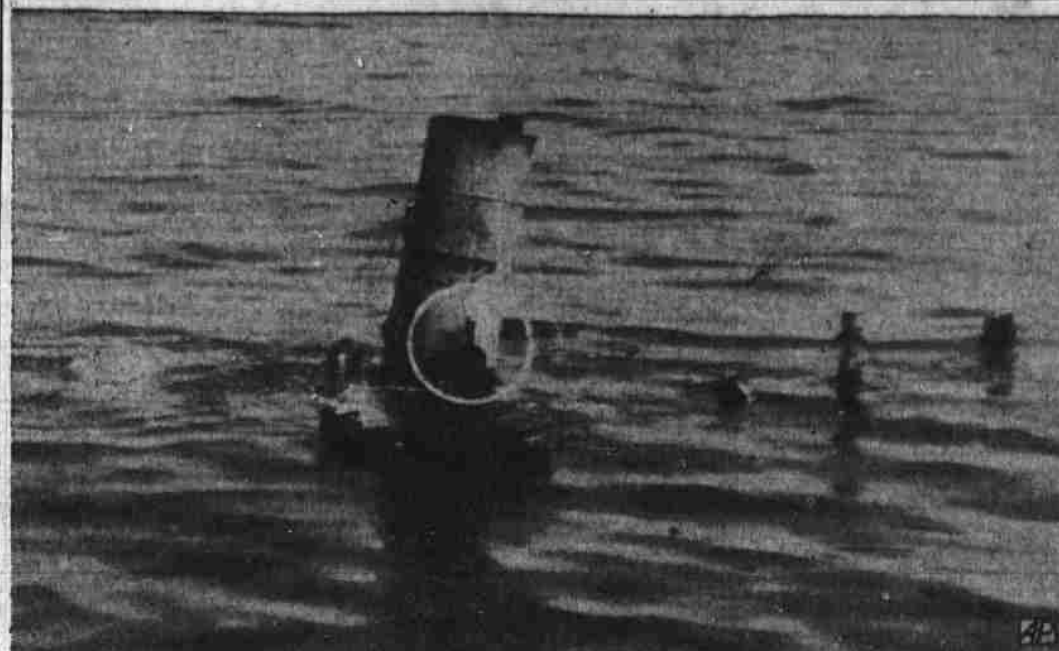
"In filling out this form, an applicant must establish the fact that the actual work he performs is essential and he must specify the type of rationing rubber footwear needed and the conditions that make it necessary for him to have them..."

"If the certificate holder buys from a local retailer he is required to present his certificate, identify himself, surrender any worn out rubber footwear as agreed, and get a retailer's signature on a special part of the certificate as evidence that he has made the required turn-in..."

"On October 5, when the rationing sales begin, the county board's offices in the courthouses will be open to workers and company purchasing agents who need certificates entitling them to buy the rationed footwear, Robbins said..."

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Stalingrad Defenders Take Toll



Chance To Live? The sea rises relentlessly and a U. S. seaman marooned atop a ventilator alongside the stack of a torpedoe merchant ship measures his chances of getting to the lifeboat in the foreground and cutting it from its davits before it is dragged down with the ship. Air from inside the ship gurgles to the surface and makes the white spot at the left. (AP Photo from U. S. Navy).

Japs Forced Into Retreat By Allies In New Guinea

Group Finds U. S. Planes To Be OK

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30. (AP)—A quiet investigation into the quality of American-built army aircraft was reported authoritatively today to have left a house military subcommittee well satisfied with both the performance and protection of the planes.

Details of the committee's findings, based upon statistics and combat examples submitted by high army air force officials in executive session, will be made public in a week or two in answer to charges that the army aircraft are inadequate.

One member of the committee, declining use of his name, declared that the army ships "are tops," while Rep. Brooks (D-Ala.), also on the committee asserted flatly that "we've got some of the best planes in the world."

Brooks, while making it clear that he was speaking only for himself, said actual combat reports showed that the ratio of planes lost to those destroyed in favor of army ships and that he, personally, was satisfied with their performance.

He described the army bomber as "without an equal" for the long range type of daylight raiding for which it was designed, and declared that other types of army ships, while "possibly excelled in one feature or another," stacked up well against the planes of other countries.

Soldiers Draw Their Pay Today

This is pay day for the army. Uncle Sam pays its men the last day of each month unless that day falls on Sunday in which case pay is given on the following Monday.

Soldiers who have been accustomed to charging purchases at the Big Spring air base canteen will be notified today that, beginning tomorrow, "on the cuff" purchases are definitely out. Army orders recently issued prohibit the extension of credit to soldiers by camp canteens. To offset this, canteens offer the soldiers the privilege of purchasing coupon books at a discount.

MONEY TO SCHOOLS

AUSTIN, Sept. 30. (AP)—A \$3 payment on the scholastic apportionment has been released to public schools. Superintendent of Public Instruction L. A. Woods announced today.

Apaches Rally To Side Of Tribesman In Trouble With White Man's Law

OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 30. (AP)—The Apache Indians, once the scourge of the southwestern plains, gathered today to help a tribesman, now in jeopardy of the law of the white man.

Nazis Beaten In New Drive To Northwest

Reds Assert, However That Attack Grows In Violence

MOSCOW, Sept. 30. (AP) Stalingrad's weary garrison battled off German tanks and motorized infantry in their 37th day of siege today and, while fresh hundreds fell within the ruined city, it was announced that two Nazi divisions had been routed by relief attacks against the invasion flank.

A hardened defense and counter-attack took their toll of Adolf Hitler's forces from Leningrad to Moscow.

Field reports declared the Red army's revived Kalinin front offensive, bolstered by bombing of several German air bases, had smashed through defenses northwest of Rzhhev which the invaders called "the line of the fuser."

In addition to the rout of two German divisions in the Don-Volga corridor, fighting northwest of Stalingrad, the Russians said a third enemy division—the 15th Rumanian mountain infantry—had been battered back by Red marines in the battle for the Caucasian Black sea coast below Novorossiisk.

Repulse of enemy attacks was noted in the Moscow area.

A Red Star dispatch said the immediate objective of the Germans attacking Stalingrad is control of a northwest industrial sector, but declared they had been repulsed after wading into a workers' settlement Monday.

"Conditions in the city remain serious," the army newspaper said. "The Germans have big losses, but the attacks do not lessen and violence grows."

The press published photographs of Stalingrad. The views resembled a battered, black-burned section of the city of London after the big fire raids. (This writer formerly was stationed in London). Corners of buildings stood in the air like charred chimneys.

Soviet information bureau communiques told of the death of more than 1,500 Germans in vain efforts to widen the northwestern penetration yesterday. A defense mortar detachment was said to have wiped out 800 more. Red artillerymen were credited with the destruction of 71 German trucks and several tanks.

Red Star said that German rockets looped through the night sky and floated down by parachutes to light areas in the northwestern outskirts. The Germans there fear the dark, suspecting sudden Red army attacks, the newspaper said. Dry grass of the steppes was ablaze.

The Russians were reported to have overcome German bomber attacks in this sector, although how was not specified. Revising assault tactics, the Germans are moving up their tommy-guns in armored cars.

A dispatch from the Caucasian front said battles were becoming more severe as the mountain snow line lowered. It was stressed that the Germans, including Alpine veterans of the Norwegian and Greek campaigns, were trying to occupy the passes before the end of autumn.

Britons View U. S. Plants

FORT WORTH, Sept. 30. (AP)—Notebooks in hand, eight of the men who are directly responsible for turning out England's swift fighter planes and mighty bombers strode through two plants near here yesterday, jotting down pointers to take back with them to help "ginger up" their country's aircraft production.

Members of a British aircraft mission touring the aircraft plants of the United States, they included Alexander Dunbar, head of England's war plane effort and production chiefs of factories turning out famous Spitfire and Defiant fighters and the powerful Lancaster bomber.

Sir Charles Bruce-Gardner, chairman of the society of British aircraft constructors, said the mission would return to England with a "very happy and comfortable picture" after viewing American plants and production.

The mission plans for today called for a flight to Nashville to view the plantlines of Vultee, Inc., and thence to Washington for a conference with Lt. Gen. William S. Knudsen, the army's production chief.

Ranchman Injured In Fall Off Horse

TISHOMINGO, Okla., Sept. 29. (AP)—J. O. Chapman, who has extensive ranch and farm holdings in Nueces County, Tex., suffered a brain concussion in a fall from a horse here last night.

His physician, at the Durant, Okla., hospital where Chapman is under treatment, said tonight that the ranchman's condition was "serious but not critical."

Allied Losses At Dieppe Nearly Half The Total

LONDON, Sept. 30. (AP)—The allied invasion test at Dieppe met with barriers of unforeseen strength and the attackers' losses were "nearly half the total" of the troops involved, Prime Minister Churchill said in the house of commons today.

As at the first meeting of the reconvened house yesterday, when the prime minister emphasized the undesirability of speculation on the time and place of a second front, his reports were in answer to a battery of questioners.

He is expected shortly, however, to make a more thorough report on the war situation.

For the third time since the war began, the house received a government bill for a one-year extension of the present commons for a general election.

Most of the members were elected in 1935 for the normal term of five years but have sat on under a political truce aimed at keeping the parties' numerical representation fixed for the duration.

Hitler Says He's Ready For Try At A Second Front

BERLIN (From German Broadcasts), Sept. 30 (AP)—Reichsfuehrer Hitler pledged today that Stalingrad would be captured and told his people that Germany was preparing for a second front whenever his foes might strike.

"We are determined to hold this (the coming) year what we have," he said in a widely broadcast address to a Nazi party audience, "and to attack where we believe it to be necessary."

(A version of this statement as heard by radio in London said "our program for next year is first to hold on to what we have, and secondly to wait and see who will be exhausted first.")

The Fuehrer ventured no guess where Germany's enemies would attempt invasion.

"If I had an enemy of greater military caliber," he told the crowded Sportpalast, "I could figure out where he would attempt to attack but as I have to deal with an enemy who is a military idiot, one cannot say where the invasion attempt will be made."

He declared, however, that "the hour will come when we will answer England's bombing of German cities."

Referring to the Dieppe raid (which the Germans purport to have been an invasion attempt), he said that if the British tried again, no matter where, "they can deem themselves lucky if they stay for nine hours on the continent, as at Dieppe, for we have made thorough preparations to welcome them."

After three references to Dieppe, Hitler said "we shall not pretend that we are not preparing for a second front."

He told the crowd: "For our enemies, it is nothing if we take Stalingrad, if we pierce through to the Caucasus, if we capture the Ukraine and the Don and if we gain grain and oil for Europe."

"But if they are able to make a landing and painfully succeed in keeping this foothold for nine hours, this is for them an extraordinary sign of the force which the British empire is able to bring up."

At the start of his speech, Hitler turned to the "Atlantic charter," which he called "a stupidity which will be valid for only a couple of years and will be eliminated by hard facts."

During the German break through to the Don river, Hitler declared, 75 Soviet divisions were destroyed.

He enumerated these as the most important war developments of recent months:

Germany has become safely entrenched on the Black sea; Rumania and Sevastopol (barriers to conquest of the Crimea) have been taken; Tobruk again is in German hands; Hitler emphasized Stalingrad as a "key position completely controlling traffic between central and southern Russia" and promised that "nobody on earth could succeed in driving the Germans back from it."

New York Captures Series Opener 7-4

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SPORTSMAN'S PARK, St. Louis, Sept. 30.—A ninth-inning rally that netted four runs was not enough for the St. Louis Cardinals today, and the New York Yankees captured the opening game of the World Series, 7-4.

Up until the finale, Veteran Red Ruffing of the American leaguers had pitched one of the greatest games of his career, holding his foes hitless for the first seven innings.

The Yanks went into the ninth inning leading 5-0, having knocked Mort Cooper from the hill in the eighth. He was replaced by Gummert, who gave way to Lanier.

Ruffing gained his seventh World Series triumph and set a record, although he had to be pulled in the ninth in favor of Chandler when the going got rough. The big Red had kept the Cards mystified through the first part of the game. Cooper held the Yanks scoreless for three chapters, but they banged him for a run each in the fourth and fifth frames, added two more in the seventh and tallied three in the eighth.

School Buses Must Stand Inspection

An inspection of all new school buses transporting children will be held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon, October 20, at the Big Spring athletic stadium, the county superintendent's office advised today.

Canadians Claim Several Subs Sunk

OTTAWA, Sept. 30. (AP)—The Canadian navy in recent months has sunk four enemy U-boats, probably sunk two others and has taken part in many other attacks, Angus MacDonald, navy minister, said at a press conference today.

MacDonald revealed that recent U-boat sinkings of the Canadian patrol ship Racoon and the corvette Charlestown by enemy action occurred in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

The minister did not indicate precisely in what period of time Canadian ships scored their successes against U-boats. They occurred, he said, "this summer."

Hershey Upholds Fisher Draft Board In Classification Of Ranch Worker

ROTAN, Sept. 30. (AP)—A Texas draft board, which huffy quit when one of its recommendations was overruled, has the big boss on its side now.

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, has upheld the Fisher county board in its dispute with the Texas state service director over the correct status of a ranch worker.

George Riley of Rotan, a member of the board, said yesterday that General Hershey's decision backed up the local board's 1-A classification and overruled the state director's recommendation for a six-month deferment in 2-A since the registrant worked on a ranch run by two elderly women.

The board had insisted that if the registrant in question deserved a 2-A rating, he did so per cent of the men it had sent into the army from the county.

Riley said that the board had been asked to continue its duties until successors can be appointed.

Little Girl's Braces Go On The Scrap Pile

FORT SMITH, Ark., Sept. 30. (AP)—Diane Everidge, 13 years old and an infantile paralysis victim since she was seven, laughed when she tossed her bit on her school scrap pile.

Then she explained her two-fold happiness: "For five years I have depended upon arm and leg braces for support, but now the doctor says I won't need them anymore."

Large Turnout For Band Meet Expected

A large turnout for the newly organized Big Spring band is expected tonight when the band meets at the Settles at 8 o'clock.

Director Sam Goldman said today, Goldman said that he has received many inquiries from people wanting to join the band and that he wishes anyone interested in becoming a member would present themselves at the rehearsal.



### Informal Dinner Held For Soldiers And Wives At First Baptist Church

#### Calendar Of Weeks Events

**Thursday**  
SOUTH WARD P-T.A. will meet at 8:45 o'clock at the school. G. I. A. will meet at 3 o'clock at the W. O. W. Hall.

**Friday**  
TRAINMEN LADIES will meet at 8:30 o'clock at the W. O. W. Hall.

**Saturday**  
COUNTRY CLUB members will be entertained with open house beginning at 9 o'clock.

**Sunday**  
VFW BARN DANCE will be held at 9 o'clock at the hall, 9th and Gollad.

**SEW AND SEW CLUB** will meet at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. H. Scott, 428 Dallas.

**SUSANNAH WESLEY CLASS** will meet at 11 o'clock at the First Methodist church.

**Junior Music Study Club** will meet at 10 o'clock with Mrs. J. H. Farrott, 301 Washington Blvd.

#### VISITS AND VISITORS

Corp. J. F. Gibson left Monday morning for Fort Knox, Ky., to enter officer's training school after a visit here with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Balch.

Mrs. Clyde Walte, Jr., is visiting friends in Shawnee and Seminole, Okla., for three weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Lloyd of Plainview arrived Sunday to spend the day with Mrs. W. H. Miller and Mrs. A. T. Lloyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green and Mrs. A. T. Lloyd returned Sunday from a visit in Colorado City with J. M. Green.

Gene Wilson and Elmo Oliver, both of Inglewood, Calif., arrived today for a two week visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Oliver. Wilson is employed at North American and Oliver at Douglas Aircraft company.

#### Mrs. Joe Pond Is Hostess To Tuesday Bridge Club

Mrs. Kelley Lawrence and Mrs. Ted Grobel were included as guests when Mrs. Joe Pond entertained the Tuesday Bridge club yesterday at her home.

Mrs. Grobel won guest high score and Mrs. Larson Lloyd won club high score.

Refreshments were served and others present were Mrs. R. B. G. Cowper, Mrs. Charles Watson, Mrs. J. M. Woodall, Mrs. P. W. Malone, Mrs. R. O. Readles.

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### Last Week Of Prayer Programs To Be Tonight

Second in a series of three programs on State Mission Week of Prayer was held at the First Baptist and East 4th St. Baptist churches Tuesday afternoon by the Woman's - Missionary Society of both churches.

**First Baptist**  
The study book, "That They May See" by Mrs. B. A. Copas was completed by the First Baptist Woman's Missionary Society in a session at the church. Mrs. Gene Crittenden was leader and was assisted by Mrs. W. J. Alexander and Mrs. E. E. Bryant.

Prayers were given by Mrs. K. S. Beckett, Mrs. Crittenden, and Mrs. Alexander.

A box valued at \$127 was packed for the Buckner Orphan's Home during the afternoon.

Wednesday night at 7:45 o'clock the young people will have charge of the concluding program observing the week of prayer.

Others present were Mrs. W. B. Buchanan, Mrs. R. D. Ulrey, Mrs. Victor Blankenship, and Mrs. C. A. Amos.

**East 4th St. Baptist**  
Concluding chapters of the study book were given for the East 4th St. Baptist Woman's Missionary Society by Mrs. R. E. Dunham Tuesday afternoon at the church.

Plans were announced for the Wednesday night meeting at 8:15 o'clock when an offering for the state missions will be taken.

Others present were Mrs. Otto Couch, Mrs. A. W. Page, Mrs. A. S. Woods, and Mrs. Garland Sanders.

#### New Officers Named At Home Economics Club Session

Installing new officers in a candlelight service the Big Spring high school Home Economics club met for the first fall meeting in the home of Miss Lillian Jordan Tuesday.

New officers installed were Jonanna Terry, president; Myra Lee Bigony, vice president; Marjorie Laswell, secretary; Virginia Burns, treasurer; Jo Nell Sikes, reporter; Betty Alice Nobles, song leader; Eva Jane Darby, accompanist.

Myra Lee Bigony was in charge of the program. Jonanna Terry appointed committee chairmen for the year. These include Claudine Bird, objective committee; Barbara Laswell, initiation; Virginia Burns, refreshment; Myra Lee Bigony, program.

Initiation ceremony for new members was planned for October 27. A Halloween party was planned for the same night following the initiation.

Discussion was held concerning the area meeting which is to be held here during November. Five hundred girls are expected. Miss Lillian Jordan and Miss Farn Smith are sponsors.

Incidentally, OTTO PETERS, who claims he can't sing a note was introduced to sing a solo, much to his confusion at the Rotary luncheon. To belong to a service club, it seems you have to be able to take it as well as dish it out.

And now the cadets of the flying school will get a bit of entertainment when the Beta Sigma Phi sorority entertains for them Saturday night at the Settles hotel ballroom. Invitations to the event are in the mail this week.

#### Opal Smith and H. Kennedy Wed In California

Opal Smith and Harold T. Kennedy were married at 7 o'clock Friday night, Sept. 25th, at the army post chapel at 29 Palms, Calif., according to word received here.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Smith of Monahans, wore a light blue jersey wool dress with rhinestone trim on the bodice. Her accessories were brown and her corsage of gardenias.

The Rev. E. B. Pritchett, Methodist pastor, read the ceremony at the post chapel.

The couple will be at home in Albuquerque, N. M., where Kennedy is a glider pilot instructor.

Mrs. Kennedy was graduated from Hobbs, N. M. high school and has been employed here as assistant manager of Franklins. She was a member of the Sub Deb club.

Kennedy, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Kennedy of Houston, was also graduated from Hobbs high school and is a former resident of Houston.

#### Maxine Rosson Has Party On Her Fourth Birthday

Maxine Rosson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Rosson, was honored on her fourth birthday anniversary Monday with a party in the home of her parents.

Games were played and toy airplanes and candy were given as favors. Refreshments were served and others present were Kay Maxfield, Annette Boykin, Margaret Martin, Dick Baxter, Joyce Edwards, Marilyn Mull, Aubrey and Freddie Lou Farrott.

Sonny Link, Louis Forter, Betty Karlay, Anita Beth and Nanette Farquhar, Mrs. C. C. Farquhar, Mrs. Bill Maxfield, Mrs. Freach Martin.

#### Class Selects Name And Elects Officers

Selecting the name, The Friends class, members of the group met for a covered-dish supper Wednesday night at the First Methodist church with 15 persons present.

Election of officers was held and Marjorie Laswell was named as president. Dorothy Sue Rowe was elected as vice president and Barbara Laswell, secretary. Colleen Slaughter will be treasurer and Betty Bob Dittz, reporter. Mrs. Swoop Schuman is the class teacher.

#### District Conference Of B. & P. W. Postponed

The Business and Professional Woman's district five conference, scheduled for this weekend in El Paso, has been postponed due to the tire situation, officials advised today.

It is estimated that there are approximately eight million tons of coal available for mining in Texas.



WOULD-BE WAFS: Commander Bettie Lund reviews her Eaglets

**ELITE, Calif.**—Out here in the California desert fifty young women are engaged in a cooperative flying venture looking forward to the day when the armed forces may call them to the newly formed Women's Auxiliary Ferrying Squadron.

They all are working girls in the Los Angeles area and in addition to chipping in their share of expenses they drive 300 miles each weekend. They can't practice closer to home because civilian planes are grounded in the coastal area.

The girls call themselves Eaglets and sport smart military uniforms. Their equipment is a small, high-winged blue-and-gold monoplane. Their instructor is Commander Bettie Lund, who has 4,500 hours in the air.

Because of their jobs, they can fly only on weekends, but they hold a ground school in Los Angeles every Tuesday. They have learned maintenance well enough to put 22 patches on their little ship and otherwise keep it in flying condition.

So far they've had no help or sponsorship from Uncle Sam. But now that he has called on women for airplane ferry service, they are ready. The Eaglets may soon change their name to WAFS.

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#### Breakfast Held By Wesley Women Tuesday

"Come As You Are" breakfast was held by the Woman's Society of Christian Service at the Wesley Memorial Methodist church Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock.

Breakfast was served by Mrs. W. N. King, Mrs. J. A. English, Mrs. J. E. King and Mrs. Cecil Nabors.

Others present were Mrs. H. D. Drake, Mrs. T. L. Lovelace, Mrs. W. D. Lovelace, Mrs. J. E. Nix, Mrs. W. W. Coleman, Mrs. J. I. Low, Mrs. E. R. Cawthron, Mrs. Luther Coleman, Mrs. H. J. Whittington.

Mrs. J. P. Ferguson, Mrs. Roy Green, Mrs. J. T. Morgan, Mrs. J. A. Wright, Mrs. Johnny Garrison, Mrs. A. G. Tatum, Mrs. J. C. Pittard, Mrs. Cecil Nabors.

#### Skyyette Club Invited To Attend Dance Friday Night For Squadron

An invitation to the Skyyette club to attend a dance at the Settles hotel ballroom Friday night has been received by Mrs. Ira Thurman, sponsor.

The dance, to be given for the Skyyettes by the 514th Squadron, will be informal and hours are from 7:30 o'clock to 11 o'clock.

Nickelodeon will furnish the music and refreshments will be served.

Skyyette group captains are to notify their girls and hostesses today and to report to their majors, Dorothy Dean Sain and Betty Cravens. The entire membership of the club is invited, Mrs. Thurman reported.

#### Rebekah Lodge Has Observance Of Its Anniversary

Dinner was held Tuesday night by Rebekah lodge 284 and Odd-fellows to observe the anniversary of the Rebekah lodge at the I. O. O. F. hall.

Present were Mrs. Valma Cain, Mrs. Mabel Glenn, Mrs. Lovie Barlow, Mrs. Gertrude Newton, Mrs. Ello Lloyd, Mrs. Beulah Hayworth, Mrs. Mamie Bygg, Mrs. Josie McDaniel, Mrs. Doree Crenshaw, Mrs. Julia Wilkerson, Mrs. Eula Pond, Opal Pond, Mrs. Opal Tatum, Hazel Lamar, Mrs. Rosalie Gilliland.

R. V. Foresyth, Ben Miller, Jones Lamar, Jim Crenshaw, H. W. Hayworth, A. C. Wilkerson, Sonny Barlow, Jerry Foresyth.

Mrs. R. V. Foresyth was elected as secretary during the business meeting of the Rebekah lodge.

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### Bride-Elect Honored With Shower In Home Of Mrs. H. W. Smith

#### Miss Roden Is Complimented At Night Party

Pink and white were the chosen colors used throughout the party appointments when Mrs. H. W. Smith and Mrs. H. W. Wright entertained Tuesday night in the Smith home for Deortha Roden.

Miss Roden is the bride-elect of Sgt. Claude Ferguson of Midland whose marriage is to take place on October 10th.

The lace-laid table was centered with a crystal basket filled with pink roses and babies breath and placed on a reflector. Pink and white roses queens wreath and babies breath were used throughout the entertaining rooms.

Mrs. Jack Roden present at the silver service and Joan Smith at the bride's book.

Gifts were presented to the honoree by Margie Hudson, Myrtle Jones, Mary Reddy, Tommy McCrary, Mrs. Johnny Ralston, Neil Rogers, Macky Millaway, Billie Bees Shive, Lee Ida Pinkston, Ruth Cawthron.

Josephine Dabney, Helen Duley, Ina Mae Bradley, Kathleen Underwood, Katherine McDaniel, and Lenora Huggins.

#### Big Spring Boy To Be Aerial Gunner

Picture of James L. Skiles of Big Spring appeared in Wednesday morning's Fort Worth Star-Telegram with the information that he has graduated as an aerial gunner from the Harlingen Army Gunner school.

Gas companies of Texas employ almost 11,000 persons.

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#### College Heights To Meet On Wednesday Of Next Week

College Heights Parent-Teacher association will meet on Wednesday, October 7th, in place of Thursday next week at 8:30 o'clock at the school. An executive committee meeting will be at 3:15 o'clock.

Parents are reminded that the school rummage sale will be held Saturday, October 10th and clothes should be brought to the school for the event before that date.

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# Both Parties Confident Of Gains In Nov. Voting

## GOP's Charge Foes With An 'Awful Mess'

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30. (AP)—A republican prediction that the party would win control of the house in the November elections was countered today by a democratic spokesman who expressed the belief that democrats not only would retain their majority but might increase it slightly.

The republican speaker was Frank Gannett, assistant chairman of the republican national committee, who told a party dinner last night that the country was in an "awful mess" from what he described as bungling of the

war effort and new presidential threats to undermine the constitution, and added:

"If the voters in November will elect a republican house, as I believe they will, then we can check the new deal follies, get rid of the inefficiency in our government, prosecute the war more vigorously and hasten that happy day when our boys will come back home."

Rep. Jed Johnson of Oklahoma, head of the speakers' bureau of the democratic congressional campaign committee, meanwhile told reporters at the capitol:

"We're hopeful of getting back at least as many members as we now have. Perhaps we can pick up a seat or two."

"I don't think there's the remotest possibility of a turnover which would give the republicans a majority in the house."

(Present membership of the house is: democrats 256; republicans 165, with minority parties and vacancies making up the remainder of the 435. A clear majority is 218. On the present basis, the republicans would have to capture more than 50 democratic seats and not lose any of their own to organize the next house.)

Johnson said there were about 40 democrats and as many republican incumbents who won in 1940 by a margin of 500 votes or less.

Gannett, addressing 20 members of the G.O.P. national executive committee and republican members of the senate and house, declared the public was losing confidence in the management of the war, he said it was the fault of the "higher-ups on the home front," not the men in uniform. He demanded that the "fallures be thrown out" and men of ability and experience put in their places.

Gannett, publisher of a Rochester, N. Y. newspaper, said freedom of the press also was being threatened and that important news was being "held back needlessly."

"I maintain that to win this war, we must keep the people informed and thus strengthen their morale," he declared, adding that for a long time there had been "a deliberate plan by the administration to smear, weaken and destroy our

newspapers because they have dared to criticize new dealism."

"The radio," he continued, "is under control because it is licensed. Freedom of speech over the air is being increasingly restricted. The next step is to control the press."

"The pending suit against the Associated Press has this objective.

If the A. P. can be made a public utility then there will be removed the last barrier in the way of putting all wire service under some government commission. Then government control tightens and freedom of the press perishes.

"Already, I am sorry to say, it is fast disappearing under the pretext that war demands control."

## Meet The Bombardiers

Sketches Of Cadets Stationed At BSAFAFS

(Editor's Note: There's an Irishman out at the Big Spring air base who—for reasons of his own—prefers to remain anonymous as the writer of these sketches on the new bombardier cadets. The Herald gladly presents them as interesting introductory items for Big Spring people as well as the men at the airfield. Monday's issue of The Herald started on a state basis and went through Kansas. We take up today with Kentucky, and in future issues you'll read about more bombardiers from other states.)

**Kentucky**

Bert Lynch of Louisville began his education at the University of Louisville, and continued it at the University of Texas. He left before graduating however, and went in for farming. His favorite sport is flying, and it looks like he'll get plenty of his favorite sport.

**Louisiana**

There are two New Orleans lads in the group, Mike de Leamont and Sid Baguley. Sid worked as a clerk during the day, and studied at Tulane University at night. Mike tells us he was just a playboy, but from now on he's playing for keeps.

George Eujol, a Jennings boy, worried his opponents in softball, basketball and football during his high school days. And Charlie Bencel is a chemist from Logan. Charlie was All State Class 'B' center during his football days at high school, but tells us that he suffered 'bench trouble' during his three

years stay at Louisiana State University.

**Massachusetts**

Mrs. Ferrasi's little boy, Gabe, traveled all the way from his home town of Plymouth to soak up some education at the San Diego State college. Baseball and basketball are his meat, and this college mates will vouch for this.

Jimmy Conway, a Springfield boy, spent his time in commuting between Northeastern University and the Bay Path Institute in his search for knowledge. Jimmy doesn't go in for anything but music.

A star basketballer and track man during his high school days in Lynn is Irving Brown. Irving later studied at the Franklin Institute in Boston, and wound up as a cabinet maker—and a good one at that.

**Michigan**

Paul Young from Detroit was quite an all around boy at the University of Michigan. Paul was a 440 yd. specialist, and also gave a good account of himself in the cross-country bunion derbies and the high jump.

Ray Stone was a golf champ at Western Michigan college. He still shoots around eighty or thereabouts rather consistently. And Papa Stone doesn't do so badly either. Papa has ten other little Stones besides Ray.

The charming little city of Charlotte gave its favorite son, Max Gee, a big send-off. Max was their star lineman, an outstanding fielder, and backbone of basketball and their fastest track man. Some boy, Max. And that goes for Harold Perkins of Flint, too. Only Harold leans more toward tennis, badminton and ping-pong, and his favorite sport, to quote him verbally, is "hunting on a cold morning—with a warm flask."

**Minnesota**

From Maples comes Harold Cedergren, a tax collector. Harold is a former football player, and can really tackle his customers and throw 'em for a loss. His customers will all vouch for this.

Then there's Johnny Dresbach of Rochester. Johnny drew a figure in basketball at Rochester Junior college. In civilian life he's a salesman, and he looks like he'd be a hard man to say "No" to.

**Mississippi**

The Gulf coast garden spot, Pass Christian, came through with a fine-looking lad. He's Marion Farrell, baseball pitcher extraordinary. Marion really put 'em over for St. Bernard Junior college during his two year stay there. In 1939 he had a try-out with Memphis of the Southern Association, but decided to go to work instead. He's been working ever since.

Wait Bush, a Jonestown boy, tells us that he just "dabbled" in football, basketball and tennis at the University of Mississippi.

**Missouri**

We have an agriculturist in our midst. His name is Johnny Childress from Seymour, and he's spent some time at both Jefferson College and S.T.C. Favorite sports are track, basketball, softball and volleyball.

**Montana**

Bill Bernier of Augusta is a cowboy from Montana State college. Bill tells us that he rode the bench in both basketball and baseball for two years before he decided that horse racing was more in his line.

**New Hampshire**

From the town of Rochester we have Erwin Brown. Erwin takes care of our snow department. He's a skier from way back and really knows his stuff when it comes to "soaring through the air with the greatest of ease." He was also pretty hot at football and baseball during his days at Spaulding High.

## No Definite Word Here On Rent Control

Although Thursday-October 1—is theoretically the date for rental ceilings to go into effect in Big Spring, there had been no official source available Wednesday to say how the program would be made operative.

Some time ago, OPA included Big Spring in the areas where rent control would be made effective, and the order said that rents must be established by October 1, at levels no higher than those prevailing last March.

A part of the machinery of rent control is the establishing of an office with a director in charge, and latest indications are that this will be done some time this month. It was generally understood that the actual rent control program could not be put to work until the director is on the ground—unless landlords voluntarily put rents back (if they were raised) to the March price.

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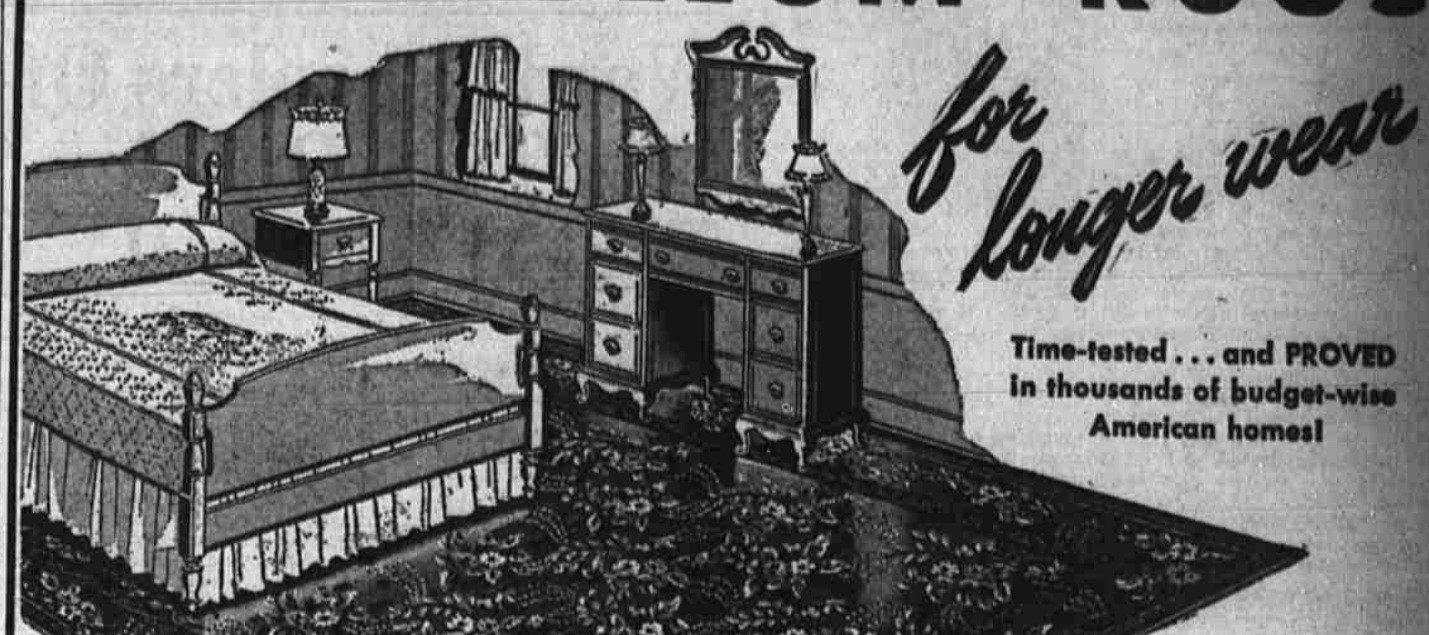
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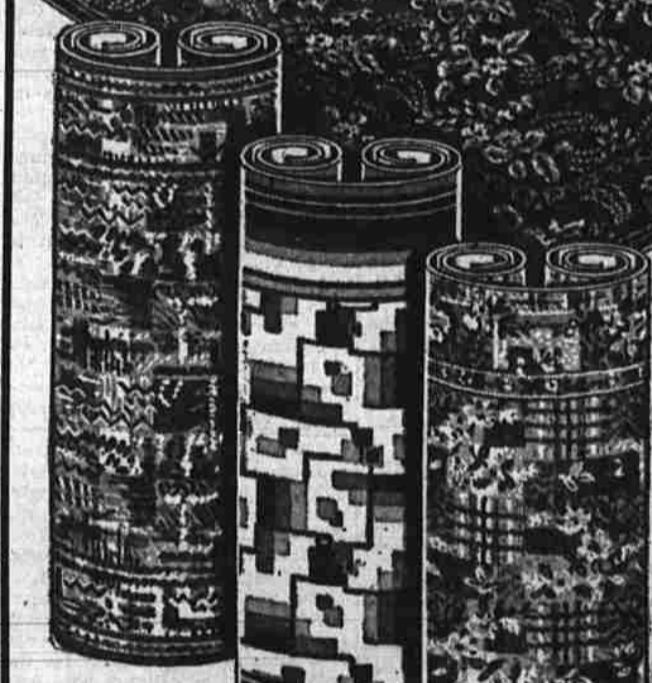
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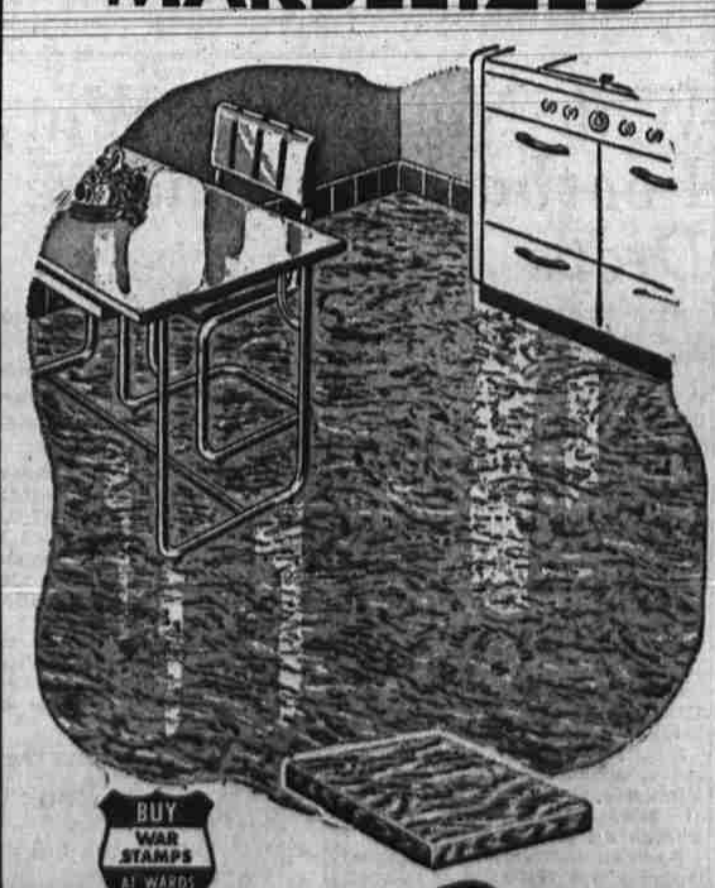
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# St. Louis Fans Confident That Yanks Won't Make It A Runaway

## Six-Man Teams Start Battle This Weekend

The district 6 aggregations after six-man football honors this year swing into action this week, with two out of three games scheduled for Friday counting for "kisses" in the standings.

A featured game will be that between Sterling City and Forsan at Forsan, where two favorites for the district crown will clash. In the northern half of the district Courtney travels to Coahoma, while Water Valley and Knott play in a non-district game.

The district will operate this year with two fewer teams, Garden City and Westbrook having withdrawn from competition chiefly because of transportation difficulties. This development came about at a recent organization meeting of the district, when a schedule was adopted and other details of the season's play were arranged.

Dan McRae, Forsan superintendent, was named president, and Noel Y. Burnett was elected secretary. It was agreed that the schools could arrange for additional games if they desire, but that these extra contests will not count toward the district championship. An entry fee of \$3 was fixed.

## UCLA Counting On A New Fullback

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 30 (AP)—The football brains of UCLA, sorely in need of a fullback to replace the injured George Phillips, hope the faculty will let Elmer McPherson, 205-pound battering ram, get into Saturday's game with the St. Mary's pre-flight cadets. McPherson is a transfer student from Georgia Tech.

Silver is found extensively in the Texas Trans-Pecos area, where it has been produced for many years.

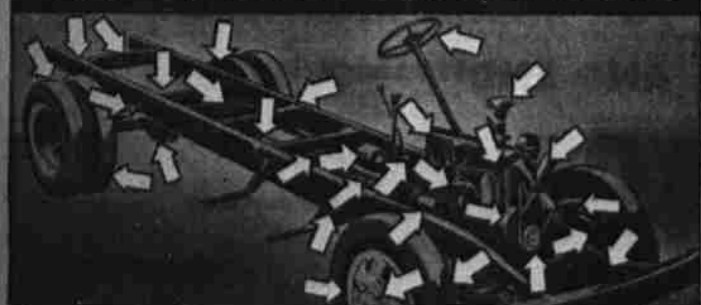
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## Red Ruffing As Starter Is A 'Surprise'

By GAYLE TALBOT  
ST. LOUIS, Sept. 30 (AP)—It was Mort Cooper, peerless 22-game winner of the St. Louis Cardinals, against Rufus (The Red) Ruffing, 37-year-old right-hander of the New York Yankees, when the champions of the National league and the champions of the American league, respectively, tied into each other in the opening game of the 1942 world series today at Sportsman's park.

A crowd of just under 35,000, the utmost capacity of the park, was sure to be on hand when the two league champions inaugurated the annual playoff at 1:30 p. m. CWT. Every reserved chair was sold more than a week ago, and spectators were getting handsome premiums for the seats that had come into their possession—up to \$50 for choice locations.

In the opinion of old timers, it promised to develop into one of the bitterest world series in history, probably to be fought right down to the last gasp. Nobody would be surprised if it went the limit of seven games. While most of the experts thought the Yankees would win eventually, few of them predicted it would be an easy victory.

The Cardinals have too much class for that. Those who have been following Billy Southworth's bravos as they made their sensational stretch drive to beat out the Brooklyn Dodgers declare unambiguously that they are capable of beating anybody—including the Yankees. Those who have seen the most of the Cards lately are highest in praise of the wild-running kids, and the ones who like their chances the best against the resplendent Yankees.

There was, to tell the truth, an agreeable surprise in St. Louis last night when the word arrived, in advance of the Yankees themselves, that Ruffing had been named by Manager Joe McCarthy to hurl the first game for the Yanks. The American league champs did not pull into town until nearly dark—too late for a workout—but the word that Ruffing was McCarthy's choice arrived by telegraph some hours earlier.

For some obscure reason, the locals decided the Cards were getting a big break in facing an old-timer like Ruffing in the first best. They suggested, actually, that McCarthy was "conceding" the opener to the Cardinals. He realized, they said, that he couldn't lick Cooper, so he was sacrificing Ruffing.

Wait! Joe McCarthy does not play baseball that way. If McCarthy did not think that Ruffing, old as he is, had the best chance of trouncing the Cardinals today, he would have nominated the biggest winner on his staff, Ernie Bonham, to toss his fork ball at the Cardinals. The Cardinals had thought they would face Bonham, winner of 21 games this year, in today's starter.

Ruffing knew two weeks ago to the writer's knowledge, that he would be given the opener to win or lose. The veteran has won only 14 games this year, while losing 7. He isn't anything like the pitcher he was a few seasons ago. He has to "pace" himself these days. But the buzzword still can bear down and make a batter acutely uncomfortable in the pinches. He still has the complete confidence of his Yankee teammates.

# Sports

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## Ward Schoolers Of City Turn Out For Try At Football

### Sports Forge In Front In Dixie Series

SHREVEPORT, La., Sept. 30 (AP)—The Shreveport Sports and the Nashville Vols tangled here tonight in the fourth game of their Dixie series, with the Texas league nine one up in the playoff after taking a 4-2 decision Tuesday night before some 8,500 fans.

Both hometown and visiting rooters got their money's worth last night watching Gordon Maitzberger of the locals and Nashville's Paul Erickson toss a one-all tie through the first half of the sixth, broken when Zeke Trent singled to send two Sports home from filled bases.

A fifth game in the series, the first Dixie championship playoff ever held in Shreveport, will be played Thursday night, and the last two games, if necessary, will be played in Nashville.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 30 (AP)—The Columbus Red Birds—winners of the 1943 little world series—reign for another year as monarchs of two of baseball's highest calibre minor leagues.

The American Association club, a far more the pennant-winning St. Louis Cardinals, captured its second straight junior series last night by defeating the International league Syracuse Chiefs, 4-2.

## Man Is Held As An Army Deserter

COLORADO CITY, Sept. 30.—Inquiries following his arrest for drunk and disorderly conduct in a Colorado City cafe led to the holding of Don Jeskowiak in the county jail for desertion from the army. Ordered to the local police from Col. Taulbes, post commander Fort Bliss, revealed that Jeskowiak, a transient, deserted from the Seventh Cavalry August 8, 1942, and asked that he be held pending the arrival of an armed guard.

## Cotton Bowl Tilt Carded For 1943

DALLAS, Sept. 30 (AP)—The annual Cotton Bowl grid classic will be held as usual Jan. 1, directors of the bowl's athletic association voted yesterday.

Earl B. Smyth, Dallas, representing Baylor university, was elected president, succeeding Dan D. Rogers, Dallas, who became chairman of the board.

## With Nation At War, Football Attendance Drops Off Sharply

NEW YORK, Sept. 30 (AP)—Fighting or marching—to beat the Hitler-Mussolini-Hirohito combination, none of whom probably ever saw a football game, are the reasons for the drop in grid-iron attendance, an Associated Press survey shows today.

A majority of the larger colleges opened their schedules last Saturday with, in some cases, a terrific falling off in the turnout of the faithful.

Only 17,087 saw Michigan open its season, the smallest crowd in 11 years. Ohio State manhandled Fort Knox before 24,556, the smallest first-game house since 1933 and only 23,000 set in on the trimming Minnesota gave Pittsburgh. That's a total of 62,642.

A year ago on the opening Saturday, Michigan, Ohio State and Minnesota participated in a trio of games that lured 160,000 through the gates.

Southern California's attendance Saturday was 10,000 below that of a year ago; Harvard lost to the North Carolina pre-flight team with 12,000 watching, and only 2,000 Floridians observed the 'Gators and Randolph Macon in contrast to the 8,000 in 1941.

Charles Johnson, sports editor of the Minneapolis Star-Journal and the Howell of the Golden Gophers, replied with "the kick of

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Steer footballers of the future—the "midgets" in the city's elementary schools—turned out some 150 strong Tuesday at the first call of Physical Education Director John Dibrell and his staff who are broadening the athletic program to include the younger boys.

Dibrell has lined up a group of football-wise high school youths who will direct the elementary squads in grid fundamentals. He is to meet weekly with this coaching staff and the members in turn will direct their juvenile squads in daily training.

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On the west coast, Paul Zimmerman, Los Angeles Times sports editor, wired that "it isn't that the general caliber of good football is missing. Rather, it is an apparent feeling on the part of the fan that he had better reduce participation in this collegiate madness."

Along with these mental restraints, conservation of tires and gasoline and the Saturday afternoon of work contribute to the attendance decline.

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On the west coast, Paul Zimmerman, Los Angeles Times sports editor, wired that "it isn't that the general caliber of good football is missing. Rather, it is an apparent feeling on the part of the fan that he had better reduce participation in this collegiate madness."

Along with these mental restraints, conservation of tires and gasoline and the Saturday afternoon of work contribute to the attendance decline.

## Kansans Favor Dropping Sports For War Work

TOPEKA, Kas., Sept. 30 (AP)—Kansas high school football players may quit worrying about the pigskin and start looking after the pig.

George McCarty, state director of the Farm Security Administration, recommended that high school athletics be abandoned for the duration of the war emergency to provide a labor reservoir.

"There's a lot of energy going to waste on the football field," he remarked, his eye on reports of growing critical farm labor shortage.

Others agreed sports might have to be curtailed. "It's more important to win the war than football games," Gov. Payne H. Ratner expressed it.

Governor Ratner suggested that schools and federal, state and local governing agencies release workers to aid the farmers.

DALLAS, Sept. 30 (AP)—Southern Methodist's Mustangs, accompanied by Redman Hume, the gallop's gasser of Pony football fame in years gone by, were to head eastward today to tangle with Pittsburgh's Panthers Saturday.

## Hostak Loses By Decision

SEATTLE, Sept. 30 (AP)—The steadily jabbing left hand of a young war industry worker from Idaho knocked Al Hostak off the fistie comeback trail last night.

Harry (Kid) Matthews of Seattle, formerly of Emmett, Idaho, scored a 10-round decision over the 26-year-old Seattle slugger, who twice held the world mid-dleweight championship (as recognized by the National Boxing association) before losing it to Tony Zala.

## Mustangs Off For Pittsburgh Game

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# The War Today - - From London Spirit Of Offensive Is Strong In Britain

(Editor's Note: Dewitt MacKenzie, Wide World's noted war analyst, now is in London after a transatlantic flight and the following is his first article on observing wartime Britain. He will proceed to other war scenes, when governments and news develops permit, and his reports may be read in The Herald from day to day in his column, "The War Today.")

By DEWITT MACKENZIE  
Wide World War Analyst  
LONDON, Sept. 30—The most

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important thing your correspondent can report from his initial glance at this wartime Britain is that John Bull and his wife and youngsters—that is, the civilian rank and file—not only are amazingly fit but grimly anxious to get speedily ahead with the bloody work before them.

The spirit of offensive is everywhere. This is the first chance I have had to size up Britain at close range since January, 1939. That was soon after little Czechoslovakia was sent to the sacrificial altar by the Munich appeasement pact and less than a year before the Hitlerian Frankenstein cut loose his monster on an unprepared world.

One had expected to find changes, of course, but here is a great metamorphosis of the man in the street. Here is a new John Bull—and I know my Briton, having been with him in war and peace through long years in many parts of the globe.

Small things often signal big developments. At the risk of being called facetious, I'm going to confess to being mightily impressed during the short time I've been here by an odd circumstance: I haven't seen a single fat, or even plump, person. Now, that is a matter of importance when you figure out why

it is so, for while Britons as a whole don't run to avoidpops, there always have been plenty of stout persons about, and the traditional John Bull is ample of waist. I don't mean to picture a people gaunt from hunger. They're well enough fed, though on pretty tight rations. But we have here a whole population which by the exigencies of war has trained down to the fitness of athletes.

Along with this there's another thing which gives pause for thought. I get the impression the people have reached the point where there might be a danger of overtraining. They have been so long set, tensely waiting for the word to get Hitler, that they are beginning to suffer a bit from the strain like a runner who is poised for a tarty starting gun.

In their hearts, the British people already have started the big drive to finish off Hitler. They are as eager as anyone else to slash through any possible delays. You begin to understand this when you know that here in Brit-

ain every man, woman and child is a soldier.

I was waded into the midst of this new Britain on the wings of a transatlantic clipper. The censor rightly would frown if I tried to describe this trip but it can be said the devious route brought us across in a remarkably few hours of actual flying time.

As we were set down in this streamlined fashion in the midst of a streamlined Britain, I couldn't help a backward glance at my first arrival here in January, 1916, during the last World War. Back in those primitive days we had wallowed across the Atlantic in a funny little tub of 6,000 tons. She had staggered, groaned and belched like a fat dowager in her cups until finally after many days we were tossed ashore more dead than alive.

Then, as now, the allied cause was fairly battered. General Sir Douglas Haig, who later was to become Field Marshal Lord Haig, had just replaced General Sir John French as British commander in chief in France.

The Gallipoli campaign just had ended in festering disaster. A few months later the kaiser was to inaugurate the submarine campaign which all but cost the allies the war.

Then, as now, the people of Britain were grimly determined to see it through. But there was a vast difference in the circumstances. The war was far away—just as it is to us in America today.

True, there was some enemy bombing of Britain and casualties rolled back from the front. Still—fighting was overseas. Soldiers were sent away like crusaders of old to foreign lands—and civilians did not get the feel of it. In this day of blitzkriegs and 8,000-pound bombs and huge clipper ships that span oceans, however, the war is to be carried into every town and home. The individual doesn't go to war but the war comes to him.

That's what has happened to Britain and brought about a great change.

## Budgeting, Food For Use At Home Help FSA Families

Recommendations for budgeting household expenses and raising a maximum of food for home consumption are offered by the farm security association.

Mrs. Esther B. Call, regional chief of the home management division of the association, recently made a detailed study of the record books of families living in the cotton area of West Texas. She studied the record books of 130 families.

Her findings were that the average family consisted of six members in 75 out of the 130 families studied and three in the remaining 55.

Mrs. Call states that she found that the smaller families were more nearly able to stay within their planned expenditures than were the larger families. However, she said, the average expenditures for the larger families were exactly as planned. The smaller families, she explained, had planned from three to nine dollars less than they actually needed. Most families did not allow enough for the cost of food, which averaged about \$37 more than was allowed for the previous year.

In 30 families the total living expense was \$109 per person for a year. These families produced 65 per cent of their food. Had they been able, as planned, to produce 75 per cent of their food stuffs, they could have earned 100 quarts of vegetables per person, 20 quarts of fruit, butchered one beef, butchered one hog for every two persons over ten years of age, kept two cows, 50 hens, and raised 150 chicks.

Record books reveal d that by

Dec. 21, 80 per cent of canned and stored food had been used. The association points out that this fact proves that families should plan to can, store, and dry more food and plan the use of it so the family can have a well balanced diet until fresh foods can be grown.

The average expenditure per person as revealed by the records studied are as follows:	
Food produced .....	\$ 75.00
Food purchased .....	39.00
Charity, recreation, etc .....	45.00
Minor household furnishings	26.00
Major household furnishings	108.00
Total .....	\$288.00

## California Plane Factories Boost Output 113 Percent

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 30 (AP)—California's eight principal aircraft factories have increased their deliveries more than 113 per cent since war came to the United States, while making gains in efficiency which have sharply cut the man-hours required per plane.

Donald D. Douglas, plane manufacturer and retiring president of the aircraft war production council, made this report yesterday. Cargo plane deliveries, he said, have increased more than 1,100 per cent since Pearl Harbor was attacked Dec. 7, and production efficiency has been so improved that the dollar value of airplanes produced per man hour worked was boosted 36 per cent, resulting in vast savings in time and money.



NEW YORK CITY.—You never can tell what you'll run into on Broadway. Latest wartime addition to that fabulous thoroughfare is a tank. But fortunately for auto drivers and pedestrians alike, it's just an immobile wooden "mock-up" from which members of the AWVS sell War Bonds and Stamps at the 48th Street corner. It serves another purpose, too—it's a reminder that War Bonds help buy tanks and other items of warfare. U. S. Treasury Department

## Fire Envelopes Speeding Train

STERLING, Colo., Sept. 30 (AP)—Oil-fed flames enveloped five units of the Union Pacific's crack passenger train, the City of Denver, as it sped through northeastern Colorado last night. No one was injured and none of the cars in the Denver-to-Chicago train left the track. Two power units and three cars

were damaged, but Engineer Clark Peacock of Denver prevented damage to the nine passenger cars in the 14-unit streamlined by running the train in reverse while the crew put out the fire, company officials reported. William Murphy, Union Pacific public relations representative at Omaha, said preliminary investigation indicated some object on the track near Snyder, 110 miles east of Denver, struck and punctured a fuel tank in one of the Diesel power units, causing oil to spray the cars.

## There's Tin Salvage Even On Transports

ABOARD TRANSPORT SOMEWHERE IN THE PACIFIC OCEAN—Uncle Sam's tin salvage extends into the Pacific.

With no bottled drinks available, troops and seamen aboard a transport buy thousands of cans of pineapple, grapefruit and tomato juice daily. Every discarded can is saved.

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## Traffic Toll In August Is Lowest Yet

CHICAGO, Sept. 30 (AP)—Fewer lives were lost in traffic accidents in the United States last month than in any August on record, the National Safety Council reported today.

Fatalities dropped 40 per cent below the same month a year ago, and the total of 2,310 was lower than in any August as far back as 1923, the earliest year for which national monthly totals are available.

The council said the reduction represented a saving of 1,550 lives. It reported the downward trend was general throughout the country, and that for the first time not a single state reported an increase for August.

But the American motorist wasn't credited for the life-saving. Sidney J. Williams, director of the council's public safety division, explained:

"The reduction in x x x deaths is, mathematically, exactly what it should be in terms of the decreased mileage now being driven. In other words, our surveys of accident experience throughout the country during the last few months show that while there has been a decided decrease in amount of driving there has been no change in the quality of driving."

The council reported the traffic toll for the first eight months of this year dropped 21 per cent from the same period of 1941. The figures were 19,190 deaths against 24,170 last year.

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- CORN SYRUP**—many millions of pounds annually for America's candy industry.
- SYRUPS**—for food, table and confectionery uses and special syrups for medicinal purposes.

- STARCH**—for food, textile, paper and other industries—millions of pounds annually.
- REFRIGERATING EQUIPMENT**—for retailers of frozen foods and ice cream the country over. This division is now working all-out on glider wing and fuselage assemblies for our Armed Forces.
- DIESEL ENGINES**—Adolphus Busch, founder of Anheuser-Busch, acquired the first rights to manufacture this revolutionary engine in America and thus started our great Diesel industry on its way.

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# America's Big Job: Stopping Waste

"Tighten your belt," is an admonition in every country at war. The United States has only begun the process. Many more notches will have to be taken up as food, clothing, and consumer goods become scarce.

One of the greatest opportunities to conserve materials, manpower and transportation needed in the war, is by preventing food waste in the kitchens of America—the source of a wasteline of three and a half billion dollars annually.

While housewives ransack the house from cellar to attic for scrap, the average American home continues to waste food because of careless buying, poor storage, and failure to consume all that is purchased.

Concretely, where is this waste, what is it, and how can it be eliminated? June Hynd of New York, who has been broadcasting and writing for women on what they can do to help win the war, illustrates waste as the withered potato in the bottom of a bag in a Boston kitchen, multiplied by millions of other neglected potatoes in kitchens everywhere. It is the box of tired-out crackers on the pantry shelf. It is the bottle of

catsup or can of baking powder only half used up before another is opened. It is the celery, radishes and lettuce not washed and placed in the icebox immediately, but allowed to wilt their goodness away. It is over-buying and over-stocking. It is fallacious to think there is no waste because expensive surplus meat cuts are used in leftover dishes. Cheaper cuts would have done as well or better.

What can be done about it? The first step is to determine resolutely to stop waste. Housewives are told that keeping their pantry shelves in good order, with packaged goods, cans and bottles separated, will make the task easier. Also, providing a place for everything with everything in its place in the icebox. Such system simplifies making up the marketing list because what is on hand can be seen at a glance. When a new supply of onions or potatoes is bought, the old ones should be placed on top of the new. Otherwise, by the time the old are reached, they may not be usable.

When oranges, lemons and similar products that sell by the dozen are purchased, each unit should be examined carefully. If just one in a dozen is too soft or dried up to

use, the cost is increased \$33 per cent.

"What can I do to help?" fortunately is becoming a universal question in America in wartime. One answer which women can

make without going out of their own homes is: "I will so manage my own kitchen that the wolf of waste shall not enter."

Billions for victory, but not one cent for waste!

## Hollywood Sights and Sounds—

### Check Dressing Rooms To Get Rating On Stars

By ROBBIN COONS  
HOLLYWOOD—You don't need to study box-office records to learn how the starlets are progressing. All you need do is study their dressing rooms on the sets.

There may be democratic equality in the studio lunch rooms, but on the sets the various dressing rooms contain a rigid caste system, marking the favored sheep from the hopeful lambs.

You'll find the newcomers in canvas boxes. You can find Marjorie Lane, who is pert, pretty and promising, sitting in hers and dreaming, no doubt, of the day when she'll have a "compo board" house like Alexis Smith, herself a graduate from canvas.

A month or so ago you could find George Montgomery, a rising star, still under canvas—but the way he is dressed and the correction was imminent. For it is rare that a fellow carrying the star role is permitted to languish in a low-caste compartment.

comfortable, and it's likely to have a heater for winter and a fan or two for summer, plus a rug on the floor and a door that fits snugly.

The apex of stellar glory—dressing room division—is the "house" or trailer. Tyrone Power's trailer-type, is a small home, with lounges, a desk, and all the comforts. The full-fledged stars—from Garbo to Shirley Temple—need no other accolade of distinction than such a studio "home on wheels." It means that a player has "arrived." He need have no doubt of that from the day the elegant white box with his name on the door, and perhaps a brass knocker to boot, is hauled on his sound stage. Such a dwelling is provided almost automatically to the "arrived," whether the player asks for it or not. It's not odd, of course, that most of them do ask, having as keen an eye to their own success as their bosses.

The old studio custom of erecting lavish bungalows to flatter their stars' ego, for those off-stage hours, has been streamlined out of existence. The separate, elegantly designed and furnished homes at 20th Century-Fox once reserved for Shirley Temple, Lillian Harvey, Jane Withers, Will Rogers and other favorites are now just so much office space, and the stars have stites in a special building. This is true at Metro, Warner, Universal and most of the other lots. Paramount still has its Dressing Room, Row in one building with many types of architecture—for use as movie exteriors.

But there's never been, and probably never will be again, a studio home to match that of Marion Davies. Two-story, tiled roof stucco, it was built at Metro, moved intact across the valley to Warner's, finally moved to a private piece of Davies real estate.

### Manhattan— Career As A Gambler Gets You Nowhere

By GEORGE TUCKER  
NEW YORK—If you set out to choose a career fraught with peril and anxiety you could do no better than to begin operations as a gambler in New York. You might make a little money at it, but you would have no ease of mind. If you ran a small hand book, taking small bets on horse races, a swarm of peculiarly meddlesome cops would harass you right into the workhouse. If you rose to be a mighty operator, dealing in thousands, you would have a good chance of bringing Mayor LaGuardia down on your neck.

It is perhaps no accident that the victims of three of New York's most spectacular murders were gamblers. Joseph B. Elwell, the bridge expert, was shot to death in his West Side home in 1923, his slayers never apprehended. Herman Rosenthal died at the hands of four hired gunmen in the city's most shocking homicide, in 1912. Finally, Arnold Rothstein succumbed to a bullet. He staggered from a card game in a midtown hotel, one November night in 1928, mortally wounded. Like Elwell's, Rosenthal's slayer has never been caught.

The murder of Herman Rosenthal gave New York a brand new understanding of the art of murder. It will be remembered that Rosenthal was shot down at the instance of Police Captain Becker for revealing police extortion to a newspaper. The agents of death were four unsavory hoodlums, Gyp the Blood, Lefty Louis, Whitey Lewis and Dago Frank. They died in the chair, as did Becker, for their \$100 apiece.

It was the fact that murder could be had for a price that stunned the town, not the demise of Rosenthal, about whom nobody had any great feeling, one way or the other. That was in 1912. A dozen years later it was commonplace. Newspaper readers, learning of a booze operator shot and flung in a Westchester snowdrift, never doubted that the killer was a minor thug earning a night's pay. Prohibition gave crooks money, and spared them soiling their hands with such messy jobs as killing.

Apart from death by violence, the professional gambler risks deportation. Unless he pleads to gambling, which he won't, he must acknowledge himself a vagrant. That permits the court to order him to go packing. A man without visible means of support is no good to any community, the court holds, and the municipality is well rid of him. The municipality that gets him is of no concern to the banishing judge.

Yes, gambling is a stiff way to make a dollar, even if you live.

## Washington Daybook—

### Rubber Job Just Starts Committee's Work Over,

By JACK STINNETT  
WASHINGTON—Capital dilemma: What happens when a big committee goes out of business? Specifically, what happens now that the rubber investigating committee, composed of Bernard Baruch, Dr. James B. Conant and Dr. Karl T. Compton, has gone out of business? I don't mean what happens AS A RESULT of the committee report? That's up to the Nelson, to Henderson, Ickes, Jesse Jones, Congress and others. I mean, what happens to the committee and its reports?

Almost before the ink was dry on the President's order setting up the rubber investigating committee, Baruch, Conant and Compton were holding outdoor conferences in Lafayette Park, across from the White House.

Less than five weeks later, Baruch, Conant and Compton had dropped their bombshell in the President's White House office. Within 24 hours, the three musketeers of investigation had folded their tents and gone home.

In that five weeks, their offices had spread from a split-flat park bench to a whole floor of the La Salle building—a floor big enough to house a battery of bowling alleys. Their staff had expanded from a negro shoeshine boy to stenographers, clerks, secretaries, scientists, engineers, financiers. Their files started with notes on the back of an envelope from a pocket of one of Baruch's natty summer suits. You should see them now.

For instance, take that minor paragraph early in the report:

Crude rubber on hand, July 1—578,000 tons; estimated imports, July 1, 1942 to Jan. 1, 1944—53,000 tons; estimated military needs for the same period, exclusive of any tires for passenger cars, 842,000 tons; deficit to Jan. 1, 1943—211,000 tons.

You don't get figures like that merely by ringing a telephone number and saying, "Hi, Butch, what's cooking?"

A digest of the report alone took up eight solid columns of newspaper print. And there are few paragraphs in it that aren't backed by reams of details from experts, scientists, engineers and factual government reporting agencies.

Imagine the pages that had to be read, facts reviewed, and experts heard to cut through all the blubber about Buna-S, neoprene, and Thiokol. Yet the committee did it and laid their digest on the line in five weeks (which, as one member put it, was still six months late).

The clerks, stenographers, etc., have followed the three committee members in deserting the La Salle building. The files of the committee and Sam Lubell, secretary to the committee, are still there.

The work of acting on the committee report is just getting under way. Those files may be vital in working out the laws and executive orders which will save us from a catastrophic rubber shortage. Somebody who knows them has to be on hand to see that the right ones fall into the hands of the right people.

## Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Adverser
- Woolen cloth
- Put with
- Spontaneous
- Scenes of action
- They
- Untrustworthy
- Humming bird
- Other
- Slimeless coin
- Species
- Seal
- Towhee
- Tree
- Room about
- Mild beloved
- Large turtledove
- Steel
- Dismounted

DOWN

- Imports
- Out of date
- Philippine
- Yacht
- Encounters
- One who is invited
- Took a seat
- Pertaining to
- Older member
- At this
- Hoodless state
- abbr.
- White vestment
- Path
- Flowering
- Island near Africa
- Fair
- Dickens
- Characterizing machine
- Edges
- Cognitively
- English saloon
- River Spanish
- Deep hole
- Harsh
- Contract
- Shipworn
- To be afraid
- Region
- Affection
- Ingratulated by
- gratuitous
- Wild animal

Solution of Yesterday's Puzzle

ACROSS

- PARIS
- TWO
- ROC
- ALIBI
- RAP
- SIR
- RADIX
- ERI
- ELICIT
- STEPPE

DOWN

- BASEL
- STRA
- FRESH
- ETERNAL
- LOSE
- ALIT
- SNY
- AU
- DELIGHT
- IR
- LITA
- PAGE
- ABLE
- REDDISH
- SLUES
- DOS
- TETON
- SPORTS
- LANDED
- PAC
- LIMIT
- LIE
- ACE
- ELATE
- ERN
- TED
- SLOWED
- SET

# A Promise for Tomorrow

Chapter 13  
THE VALLEY OF DEATH  
Julie reached the hospital just as the ambulance driver and an orderly were wheeling a stretcher through the door marked EMERGENCY. She caught up with them in the wide, cool hallway just inside.

"Pete," she said softly.

The dark head on the pillow turned slightly. He opened his eyes, recognized her, managed a little half-smile. "Hello, Sis."

Then the eyes filled with pain again. He closed them.

Her heart weeping, Julie's voice was steady, her eyes clear as she said, "We won't let it hurt long, Steve." And she took the big hand that lay inert on the sheet, held it a moment.

She couldn't be sure he'd heard, or that she hadn't imagined the answering pressure of his cold fingers. But she was sure that Pete was hurt seriously.

Dr. Tom confirmed her judgment a little later. Scrubbed, immaculate in sterile linen, Julie met her father outside the X-ray room. The instant she met the concern in his gray eyes, she knew.

"What is it, Dad?"

"No bones broken. He was thrown into the water. But even shock and chill don't account for pain in his head and back." He looked at her steadily a moment.

"You think it's—?" She couldn't bear to say it aloud.

"Wrenched that weak back somehow in falling. Pain is from pressure on nerves." He tapped the X-ray pictures he still held. "Nothing in the pictures to show where it is."

A name left out of Julie's subconscious and she spoke it aloud almost before she realized it. "Call Dr. LeMeure. The Belgian surgeon, remember? He'd know."

Dr. Tom shrugged. "He's a big man. Doubt if he'd come this far. Besides, operation might not do any good."

"But it's a chance, Dad?"

"Sure—a long chance."

"I'll call him, then," and turning she ran back to the office, spoke rapidly to the switchboard operator.

It took eternities for the call to go through. Dr. LeMeure was reached at his club. He would be at Santa Felice General by eight o'clock in the morning. Before that, it would be impossible.

Julie had to be satisfied with that. She raced back along the corridor to the room where two nurses were setting Pete for the night. Dr. Tom followed her a moment later.

## Trailer Tintypes



Then, as if in response to her almost inaudible plea, he stirred a little, slowly the eyes opened, looked up into hers. Moments of blankness before recognition. Then, just a flicker before the lids dropped again.

Behind her, Julie heard the nurse slip away, close the door softly. For a long time, only the faint night sounds of the hospital came into the room. Then, amazingly, Julie was sure he'd spoken her name.

She stood up, leaned closer. "Julie!" So faint a whisper she barely caught it.

"Yes, Pete," quietly, calmly. "Don't go."

"I shan't, dear. I'll be right here for as long as you want me. Rest now."

"No. Can't," and turned his head ever so slightly. Then pain lanced across his face. "Oh, God."

He slipped away from her again back into unconsciousness. Alarms took grasping hold of Julie. If he let go of consciousness now, some part of her trained mind decided, it might be fatal. This was pushing back—away from the struggle to live.

"Pete!" she called softly. "Pete!" No response.

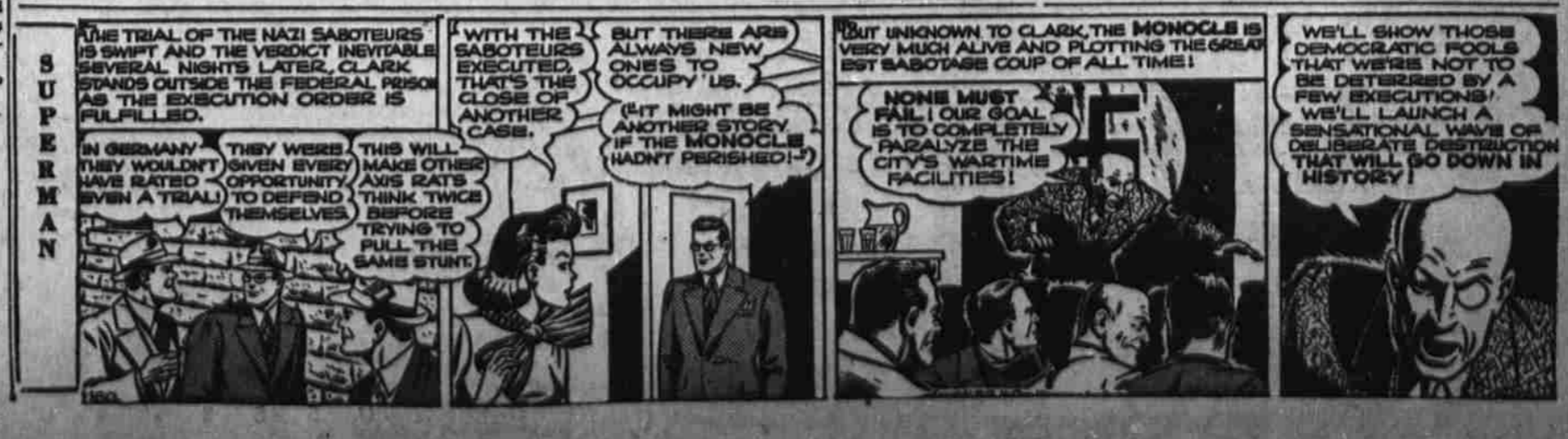
"Pete! Listen to me. You must. Slowly, he opened his eyes.

"Pete—fight. Understand! You're going to be well again. You're cured. You can walk again. But you must fight for it."

His eyes, glazed with pain, met hers steadily a moment. "No. Use. Rather be dead. Awful—pain—head."

And drew back toward unconsciousness.

WED STORY



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MILK  
Story  
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Scrap In Junk Yards Is On Way To War

Huge scrap piles in junk yards and hundreds of rusting automobile bodies in car graveyards do not indicate laxness in the national scrap drive, it was brought out at the meeting of Howard county industrialists which met at the chamber of commerce to sponsor a drive for the collection of scrap from county industrial plants and farms.

"All of the scrap that one sees piled in junk yards and elsewhere has been allocated," Ben LeFever, chairman of the campaign said.

"Many people are under the impression there is a surplus of scrap metal because they observe tons of it in junk yards apparently rusting away," he continued.

"These people," he added, "do not know that all of this scrap metal must be sorted and prepared for shipment and that every usable bit of it has been allocated."

Those attending the meeting agreed that this misunderstanding on the part of the general public was a major factor in slowing down the scrap drive. Second, as a retarding influence, it was generally agreed, was the desire on the part of some people to want to profit from scrap in their possession. They urged that every loyal American forget profit and concentrate on winning the war.

Next to silver, the most consistently produced Texas metal is mercury.

## Buy War Bonds



Keep 'Em Flying  
Grade-A  
Pasteurized  
Dairyland  
MILK  
Story  
(Continued from page 6)

Once more, she pulled him back by the sound of her voice. "Listen. You must fight, Pete." And then, recklessly, "Please, darling, I love you. I won't lose you now. Please, try. For my sake."

At first he seemed not to hear. Still, he seemed to struggle for consciousness, so Julie took heart. Pleading, her voice reached out to him, the only means by which she could penetrate the thick curtain of pain that shut him into a hideous world of his own.

Dr. Tom came in twice. The special night nurse returned to her vigil. Julie scarcely heard them. But when at daylight, her father took her arm, drew her gently away from the bedside, said quietly,

"You've done it, Julie. He's sleeping normally now. He'll pull through."

She turned, then, buried her face against her father's broad shoulder—wept quietly.

To be continued.

## School Pupils To Take Big Part In Scrap Collection

Oct. 5 marks the opening date of a nationwide drive enlisting school children in the salvage campaign.

Anne Martin, county superintendent of schools, has been supplied with literature covering the drive and this will be distributed throughout Howard county schools.

The children will be formed into a salvage army, given ratings and commissions as "Rangers" and will carry on in a manner similar to their older brothers and sisters serving in the armed forces

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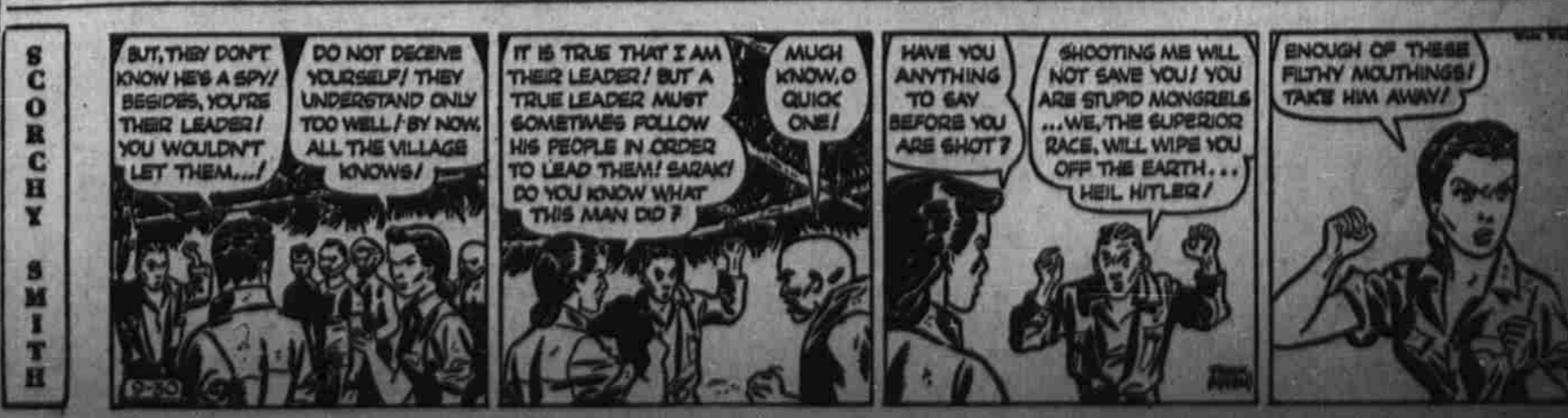
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### Job Selling Complaints From Texas

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 (AP)—Complaints of trafficking in jobs at war projects in Texas and of labor unions causing dismissal of workers after "excessive" union fees had been collected, have been received by the senate defense investigating committee headed by Senator Truman (D-Mo).

The complaints, however, have been of isolated cases, a committee official said, and there is no intention to make a thorough investigation of the matter unless there are more numerous charges.

This was the view expressed by Hugh Fulton, chief counsel for the committee.

"We have received letters from individuals in various sections of Texas," he said. "We have carried on some correspondence to check their charges, but so far we have not sent any investigators to make inquiries."

Despite the "cess of work, with charges of many kinds coming to the committee from various parts of the country, the group would make every effort to have an investigator go to Texas to look into complaints if there were apparent wholesale irregularities in the handling of jobs, Fulton declared.



PHILADELPHIA, PA.—When Richard Spencer, a shipfitter at the Philadelphia Navy Yard, offered lovely Hedy Lamarr a bite of his two-inch thick meat sandwich, filmland's glamour girl didn't need a second invitation. Hedy recently made a lunch-hour tour of the yard during her month-long swing around the country with other motion picture stars to boost the sales of War Savings Bonds.

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### Texas Farmers Back To Old Custom Of Swapping Labor

AUSTIN, Sept. 30 (AP)—Texas farmers are reverting to the old pioneer custom of trading labor with the neighbors to get their crops in because of a shortage of workmen in most rural areas of the state.

The department of agriculture and the Texas agricultural extension service in their weekly report of crop and weather conditions, saw wartime labor conditions bringing a revival of the old neighborhood farm work swaps.

Harvesting of cotton, corn, grain sorghums and other crops made rapid progress despite the shortage of labor farmers usually depend on, and despite delays occasioned by local rains in some areas.

Cotton picking progressed under mostly favorable conditions. In the northwest low plains and in other local areas rains in the early part of the week caused some delay, and heavy dews along the coast slowed up harvest. Pickers were moving in volume into the south plains counties, where the crop was opening rapidly. Leafworm area, where recent rains had washed off poison.

Poisoning of late cotton continued, but much of the early cotton was defoliated. Picking was mostly completed in the southern portion of the state, and only remnants remained in the fields.

Blinding and combining the large feed crop in the northwestern districts started.

Peanut harvest was well under way and threshing had started in the southern counties and prairie area for harvest was being made in the northern areas. Harvest of the early rice crop was well advanced and threshing had started.

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### Hitler's Goal For Year May Be Lost

LONDON, Sept. 30 (AP)—As September ended confidence rose in both Russian and British quarters today that the sturdy Red army resistance at Stalingrad and in the Caucasus has wrecked Hitler's two most cherished aims of 1942—a new onslaught on Moscow and the conquest of Russia's rich Tils-Bakel oil region.

The Russian attitude was demonstrated in Soviet war news, published by the Russian embassy in London, which noted that the Germans hurled 100 tank and infantry divisions against the southern front about 100 days ago.

"Having lost several dozen picked divisions, having squandered several thousand tanks and planes and having strewn every captured mile with their own dead, the Germans have failed to achieve victory," it said.

The war news asserted that Hitler, by concentrating the greater part of his war equipment, had hoped "within two or three weeks" to seize the whole northern Caucasus and "set up a front stretching from Stalingrad along the Volga and Caspian sea."

Achievement of this aim, the publication pointed out, would have released troops for other tasks. And, it added, "the Nazis have not yet abandoned their hope of organizing a new offensive against Moscow."

### City To Join In Program Of Fire Safety

A program to impress upon the public-adult and child alike—the need for fire prevention was mapped at a meeting of the Big Spring Insurance Exchange Wednesday afternoon.

The program will fall in line with national observance of Fire Prevention Week, October 4-10.

Insurance men will take the lead in carrying the story of fire prevention to service clubs, and to all the public through press and radio. And fire prevention contests will be staged for school children.

City Manager Boyd J. McDaniel, meeting with Exchange members, said the municipality would finance prize awards in the school contests, to include two classifications: A theme contest for high school students and a poster contest for pupils in the elementary schools. Some \$60 will be given as prizes, all of it in war bonds and stamps; and although the complete breakdown was not made, it was indicated that first prize in each classification will be a \$25 war bond.

A committee composed of Bill Tate, J. B. Collins, Roy Reeder and Robert Stripling agreed to carry on the program with service clubs, and plans are being mapped for an interesting presentation.

The week's observance here will be marked by official proclamation by the mayor, following those of President Roosevelt and Governor Coke Stevenson.

### Nelson To Appear Before Group In Farm Labor Study

WASHINGTON, Sept. 30 (AP)—Nearing the end of a six-month investigation of the farm labor situation, the house agricultural committee turned today to what members called "too wide a margin" between prices paid to farmers for their commodities and prices paid by consumers for the same goods.

Only one more witness, War Production Chief Donald M. Nelson, remained to be heard in the labor inquiry. The date of his appearance was uncertain, but Chairman Fulmer (D-SC) said the committee hoped to hear from him this week so it could start soon on the cost-of-distribution investigation.

"We want to hear from Mr. Nelson the reasons behind his recent statement that there will be no food shortage," Fulmer said. "Apparently he has some information we have been unable to obtain during our questioning of Secretary Wickard, General Hershey and Mr. McNutt."

Wickard, secretary of agriculture, told the committee last week it would be necessary to cope with a food shortage unless something was done quickly about the farm labor scarcity, and Paul McNutt, head of the war manpower commission, and Maj. Gen. Lewis E. Hershey, selective service head, voiced concern over the effect of the labor shortage on food production.

Fulmer said the committee would submit shortly recommendations based on its findings in the labor inquiry. They were expected to include a suggestion for enactment of some form of legislation, possibly a national service act, to slow down the exodus of workers from farms.

Between 60 and 75 clay products plants of various kinds operate in 40 or 50 widely distributed counties of Texas.

### Admiral Hart Cites Errors Of Army, Navy

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 30 (AP)—Admiral Thomas C. Hart, former commander of allied naval forces in the western Pacific, believes that army air fighters failed in the first day of the battle over Luzon and thus missed a chance to cripple Japan's drive to Java.

Hart, in an article in the Oct. 3 issue of the Saturday Evening Post, released today, also asserted that "fighters based on Oahu aerodromes missed their big chance" during the Pearl Harbor attack.

The navy "erred" at Pearl Harbor, he added, "in presenting so many targets in such small space, under the tense conditions prevailing in early December."

The former commander of the U.S. Asiatic fleet, now a member of the navy's policy-making general board, made the statements in what the Post called "an appraisal of our mistakes and our virtues."

He said the Japanese had to conquer Luzon as the first step toward Java because it was the strongest island in the Philippines and "the Japs could not leave this power unimpacted on their flanks."

"This was the place and the time to have beaten our enemy in the air," he wrote. "On those fields were more than twice as many F-40's as the A.V.G. ever had, but again we failed to take much toll of the Japanese planes. That first day or so was our chance in the air, and we missed it. From then onward it was backward all the way, on the sea and over both."

Discussing the Pearl Harbor attack, he said: "x x x It is to be expected that the supposedly best defensive weapon, the fighter plane, will interfere with such an attack and at least punish it severely. The fighters which were based on Oahu's aerodromes missed their big chance x x x"

### Non-Support By The Wife Cause Of '42 Divorces

KANSAS CITY, Sept. 30 (AP)—"Well, mama makes good money but she blows it all on beauty shops, clothes and beer taverns."

That's 1942-style divorce court testimony.

For it's the man who brings such tales to court nowadays as often as it is the woman, says Edward Heller, commissioner of social service for the city welfare department.

Husband, as well as wife, often alleges non-support. And the little woman, too, is not so willing to listen to back-talk from her husband when she's getting her own pay envelope, Heller indicates. It all adds up to more divorces, he says.

Court records agree with him. Thus far this year 1,496 divorce suits have been filed, 153 more than in the same period a year ago. And 1,268 have been granted, 247 more than the 1941 total to this date.

**Navy Office Signs Three More Men**

Three men joined the navy through the Big Spring recruiting office Tuesday.

W. A. Brewer of Davenport, Okla., and Kirby K. Kuykendall of Plainview were enrolled as apprentice seaman V-6; E. L. Martin of Monahans enlisted in the regular navy.

### Here And There

Miss Ellen Lawdermilk who has spent the last three years in Big Spring heading the recreational activities of the WPA, is leaving Saturday for Fort Worth where she will conduct similar activities for the WPA. Miss Lawdermilk stated that all playground activities in Big Spring will be discontinued.

A bag full of money—amount not disclosed—has been turned over to the Red Cross from the sale of 64 confiscated slot machines which were given to the army, Capt. Nolan said Wednesday.

J. H. Greene, manager of the chamber of commerce, has been confined to his home for the past two days because of a throat infection.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Boatler have returned from a 30-day vacation in California. Boatler is assistant postmaster in the Big Spring office.

### Nephew Of Local Woman Killed In Pacific Action

R. L. Adkison, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Adkison of Fort Worth and a nephew of Mrs. C. O. Murphy, 1206 West Third, has been killed in action while serving in a U. S. warship in the Pacific. His parents have been informed.

The 18 year old youth enlisted in the navy on January 2nd and after a few weeks training at Great Lakes went to sea.

While at Great Lakes he wrote often to his parents of the possibilities of death in combat. He wrote that he wanted a Bible to study, "like I should have been doing before so I can talk to the boys easier, and show them instead of having them take my word for it."

He wrote, "Pray for me that I will make some of them see it, because some of us are not going to come home. That is clearly told to us by the officers. But it doesn't bother me one bit, because it doesn't matter much whether I come home. I'm prepared to go, and some of the others are not. Some of these days our troubles will be over."

R. L. was an active member of the First Baptist church and a member of the young people's Sunday school class. He was graduated in 1941 from Polytechnic high school.

Stons for the present state capital of Texas was produced in a quarry at Granite mountain near Marble Falls in Burnet county, Texas.

### Pro Gridder Serves At Angelo

SAN ANGELO, Sept. 30 (AP)—Maurice Lee Harper, former star National league center for the professional Philadelphia Eagles and Pittsburgh Steelers, was sworn in today as a private and appointed physical training director for the advanced bombardier school here.

### Livestock

FORT WORTH, Sept. 30 (AP)—All classes of cattle and calves, steady; most butcher hogs unchanged from Tuesday's average levels although light lights sold 25 cents higher and packing sows and stocker pigs 25 cents or more above previous days; top 14.70; packers up to 14.55. Trade in sheep and lambs slow. Slaughter steers weak to 25 cents lower with some bids off more.

Good to choice fed steer and yearlings at \$13.00-14.00; common to medium beef steers and yearlings mostly at 9.00-12.00; with culler yearlings 7.50; good beef cows 9.25-10.00; common to medium butcher cows 7.85-8.85; canners and cutters 4.75-7.75. Good heavy bulls brought 9.50-10.00 and common to medium bulls 7.25-9.00. Good to choice fat calves 11.50-12.75 with common to medium sorts 8.50-11.25; culls mostly 7.50-8.00. Best stocker steer calves sold at 13.50 and best heifer calves 12.50; common to medium stocker calves 8.00-11.75; common to medium stocker steers and yearlings 7.75-10.50; good to choice stocker steer yearlings 11.00-12.50; stocker cows 9.50 down.

Most of good and choice 150-200 pound butcher hogs 14.75 with good 150-175 pound averages at 14.25-65; packing sows 13.75-14.25; stocker pigs 12.00-14.25.

Spring lambs 13.00 down; good to choice yearlings 12.50; aged wethers 8.25; cull to good slaughter sows 4.50-5.25; feeder lambs at 9.50 down.

### Lad Finds Three Of Family Dead

MAYWOOD, N. J., Sept. 30 (AP)—There was a note pinned on the back door for Ernest from his mother when he returned from school: "Ernest, dear, go over to Mary's (a neighbor's) house."

But Ernest, who is 8, entered by the front door yesterday and found the bodies of his mother, Mrs. Isabelle Du Bois, 32; his baby brother, Milton, eight months, and sister, Adele, two years old.

They were under a table in the gas-filled kitchen of their home at 859 Lincoln avenue. Ernest called neighbors who worked in vain to revive the three.

### Texas Farm Income Gains 74 Per Cent

AUSTIN, Sept. 30 (AP)—Texas agriculture income for the first eight months of the year soared to \$412,000,000, an increase of 74 per cent over the same period last year.

Farmers and ranchmen pocketed \$227,000,000 for the similar period of 1941, the University of Texas bureau of business research reported.

### Grand Jury In Session Again

Grand jury of the 70th district court was in session again Wednesday making supplementary investigations with a view to concluding work for the current term of court.

Only one case came before Judge Cecil C. Collings Wednesday morning. He granted a divorce in the case of Nina Carter vs. Roy Carter.

### Railroad Riders Taken In Custody

Five negro hobos picked up by special agents of the T&P railroad were turned over to local police Tuesday.

The United States government has ordered all railroads to take into custody all men "bumming" rides in an effort to lessen the possibility of sabotage, police officials explained.

### Public Records

Marriage Licenses:  
W. W. Wingate and Roselle Ferriss.  
Charles E. Tipton and Esther L. Jilison.

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### Rubber

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six broad classifications are included." Robbins added that most types of rubber footwear necessary for ordinary use can be made mostly from reclaimed rubber and therefore are not rationed but can be purchased as usual. "In this non-rationed class," he said, "are men's rubber boots and rubber work shoes smaller than size six, lumbermen's overs, which are leather boots with rubber feet, men's arctica, gaiters, work and dress rubbers, and women's and children's rubber boots, rubber work shoes, arctica, gaiters, and rubbers. Although these types are not being rationed," Robbins said, "the rubber conservation program depends on the cooperation of the public in not buying any more of these ordinary types than urgent necessity demands."

### Hide Dealer Faces Injunction Order

HOUSTON, Sept. 30 (AP)—The first of its kind in Houston, a suit asking an injunction against a Houston business man alleging he sold hides, kids and calfskins at prices higher than those of the maximum prices established under price schedule No. 9 of the emergency price control act of 1942 was filed yesterday with U. S. District Clerk Hal V. Watts.

### Cotton

MKT.—COTTON

NEW YORK, Sept. 30 (AP)—Cotton remained inactive following news that a compromise price bill had been passed in the senate. Traders were confused as to what effect the measure would have on the present status of cotton.

Futures closed 25 to 40 cents a bale higher.

Open	High	Low	Last
Oct. . . .	17.90	18.03	17.90
Dec. . . .	18.25	18.37	18.25
Jan. . . .	18.41	18.41	18.39N
Feb. . . .	18.48	18.80	18.46
Mar. . . .	18.62	18.72	18.60
Apr. . . .	18.78	18.78	18.77N

Middling spot 18.62, up 13 N—nominal.

### Retreads Make Up Bulk Of Rubber Certificates

A report of certificates of purchase for new tires, tubes and retreads issued by the Howard county ration board Tuesday shows that authorization was given for the purchase of three new tires, 28 tubes, 25 truck tires, 23 truck tubes, 30 retreads on truck tires, and one obsolete tire.

Certificates were issued for the purchase of three new passenger cars and for four farm implement tires and tube tubes.

### Weather Forecast

WEST TEXAS—Temperatures this afternoon and tonight about the same as in previous 24 hours.

EAST TEXAS—Warmer in west and north portions this afternoon and tonight. Little temperature change in southeast portion.

City	Max.	Min.
Arlene . . . . .	51	45
Amarillo . . . . .	51	45
BIG SPRING . . . . .	50	45
Chicago . . . . .	62	45
Dallas . . . . .	51	45
El Paso . . . . .	51	45
Fort Worth . . . . .	51	45
Galveston . . . . .	72	62
New York . . . . .	59	48
St. Louis . . . . .	59	48

Local report today 1:30 p. m.  
Source: Thursday 1:30 p. m.

**NOTICE**  
EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, AND FOR THE DURATION

Effective October 1, we are sorry to announce that we can no longer continue our credit business and delivery service. We are working short-handed, and yet trying to care for more customers, making it necessary to cut down on work every way we can. We do not have time to carry your accounts and take care of them as they should be taken care of. This is an action we are indeed sorry for, and we hope you understand.

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Frank Rutherford

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