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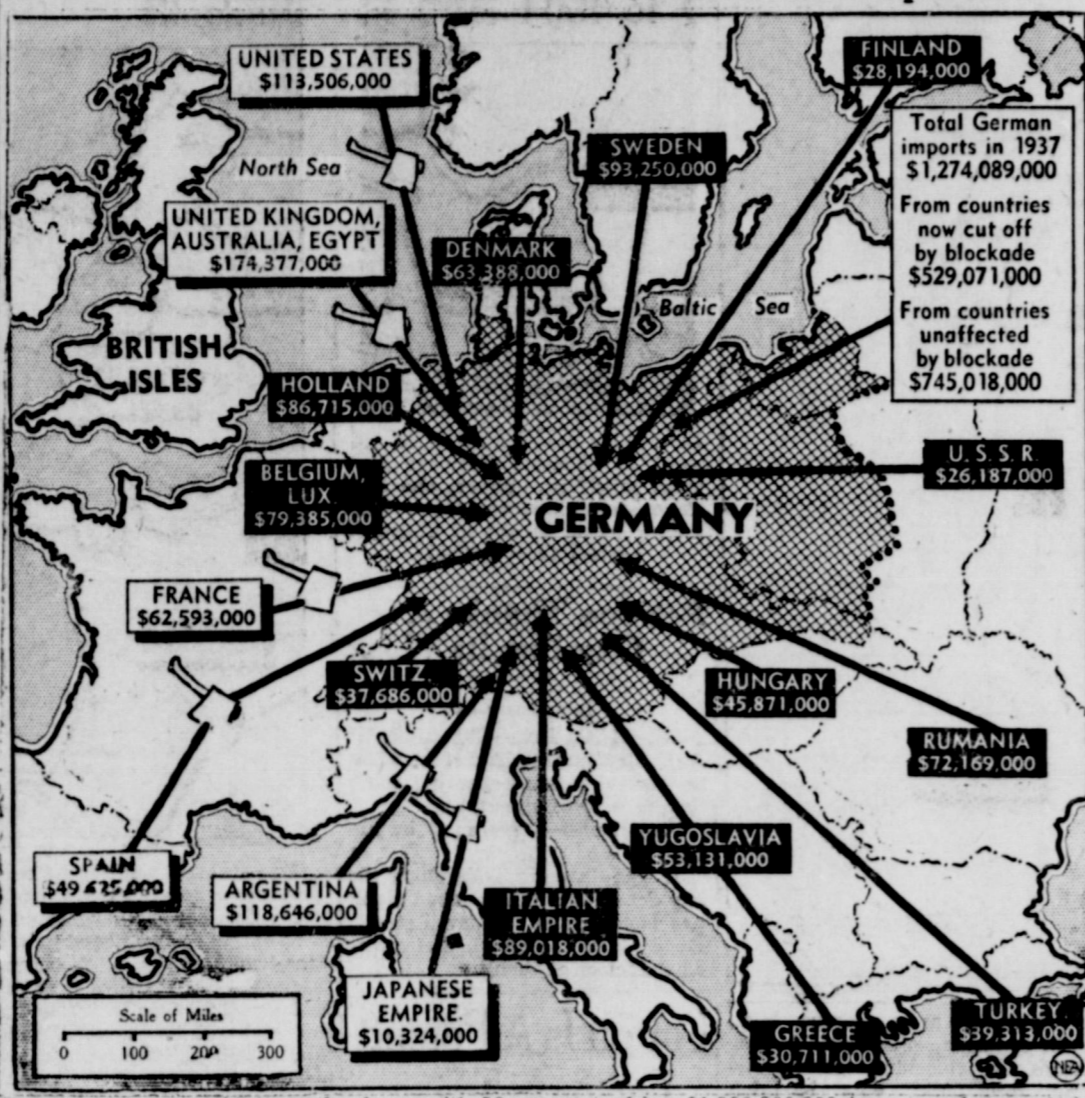
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## ADMITS OFFENSE COME NOW

By United Press  
word of decision may  
any time," Adolf Hitler's  
proclaimed Saturday.  
There is no certainty where and  
how the blow would fall. Hitler's  
and the fuhrer would de-

## Blockade Ax Cuts Half of German Imports



Germany enters her third month of war with 50 per cent of her \$1,300,000,000 import trade cut off by British contraband blockade across the North Sea. Figures show imports for 1937 from European and world nations. The white boxes show the imports from sources now cut off by the British blockade. Figures in black boxes are from countries on which blockade is ineffective except indirectly.

## Harry Hines May Announce Plans Of Campaign Soon

By United Press  
FORT WORTH, Nov. 11.—Harry Hines, state highway commissioner, will be a candidate for governor next summer, his friends said today at the Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association convention, but Hines declared he was waiting for sentiment to crystallize.  
Dinners honoring Hines have been arranged at Childress, Dec. 5, Colorado City and Big Spring on Dec. 7 and 8. Friends added that 25 other towns planned "Hines appreciation dinners" if the oil and highway commissioner seeks to replace Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel.  
Hines said he was not ready to announce his views on taxation, social security and other state political problems until the campaign begins.

## Coast Defense Scores a Hit



Here's what happens when ship meets mine. Target cruiser was towed over TNT capsule planted by U. S. coast defense in sea practice off Hampton Roads, Va.

## JUDGES URGE A SESSION TO VOTE ON TAXES

By United Press  
FORT WORTH, Nov. 11.—The Texas county judges and commissioners association Saturday adopted a resolution demanding that Gov. W. Lee O'Daniel summon the legislature into special session "at the earliest practical moment" to adopt "reasonable" taxes for social security.  
The convention also asked that the special session appropriate \$50,000 a month to continue the "intake" division of the former Texas Relief Commission under the new welfare department.  
The taxation resolution asked that adequate provision be made for the aged, the blind, dependent children and matching teachers' retirement payments.  
The county officials suggested a statutory plan that would expire in 1941 after the next legislature has been given a chance to make permanent arrangements.  
Judge R. Lee Davis of Orange County spoke against the resolution and defended Gov. O'Daniel's position.  
The association elected Homer T. Bouldin of Albany, Shackelford county judge, to be president, succeeding Judge Jake L. Loy of Sherman.  
Waco was chosen for the 1940 convention city.

## Co-ed Killed In Auto Accident Enroute To Game

AUSTIN, Nov. 11.—Dorothy May Moyer, 19, was killed and three other University of Texas students were seriously injured enroute from here to the Texas-Baylor football game at Waco Saturday.  
The automobile in which they were riding skidded into the wrong traffic lane north of Round Rock and was struck by a motor truck.  
Miss Moyer was killed instantly. The others were taken to the Martin Hospital in Georgetown.  
Hubert Durham, 21, Everett R. Kennedy, and Miss Sue Henderson, 19, suffering serious injuries, were reported resting as well as could be expected Saturday night.  
Miss Moyer's home was in Austin. Miss Henderson lives at Terrell, Kennedy at Taylor, and Durham at Morse.

## Three Are Killed In Truck Crash

By United Press  
MARSHALL, Texas.—Three persons were dead Saturday and another in critical condition as the result of a truck crash Friday near Carthage in which 12 negroes were injured. The truck was hauling 30 cotton pickers when it crashed into the Sabine river bridge.  
The three who died here yesterday were Johnny Cornell, 53, Alice Jones, 32, and Ernest Mason, 51.  
Hospital attendants said Reuben Walkings, 39, was in a critical condition.

## Roosevelt Seeking A Road To Peace That Is Lasting

By United Press  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 11.—President Roosevelt declared Saturday that he is seeking the road to a peace better than that brought by the armistice of 1918.  
Mr. Roosevelt delivered his Armistice Day message in a telephonic address to Lexington, Va., where centennial ceremonies for the Virginia Military Institute were in progress.  
He spoke a few minutes after placing a wreath on the tomb of America's unknown soldier of the World War at Arlington Cemetery.

## Christian Science Lecture Is Today

A free lecture on Christian Science will be heard this afternoon at 3:30 in the First Baptist Church of Eastland.  
The lecturer will be Dr. Watson Hubbard, C. S. B., of Los Angeles, Calif., who is a member of the board of lecturership of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.  
The public, say officials of the Church of Christ, Scientist, at Eastland, is invited.

## Retired Mailman To Start Walking Tour

PANAMA, Canal Zone, Nov. 11.—John F. Stahl, 57-year-old retired post office employee of San Francisco, is preparing to leave here Tuesday on a walking trip through Panama and Central Mexico to Austin, Texas.

## TWO ARE SERIOUSLY INJURED IN WRECK IN RANGER ON SATURDAY

Raymond Slaton of Dallas, driver for the Gillette motor transportation company, was in the West Texas hospital in Ranger in a very critical condition Saturday night, following an accident in which he was injured early Saturday morning. Hospital attendants said Saturday night he was not expected to live.

Slaton was injured when the truck he was driving through Ranger early Saturday morning was struck by a freight car on the Wichita Falls, Ranger and Southern railway crossing in the east part of town. T. E. Whitfield, of Dublin, brakeman for the railway company, was also in the hospital with a broken back, but was expected to recover.

The accident occurred about three o'clock Saturday morning, police who were on duty at the time stated.  
The truck, driven by Raymond Slaton was going east along Highway 80, within the city limits of Ranger, when it was struck by the huge freight car, being pushed along the tracks by a locomotive. Behind the freight car was an oil tank car. These two cars were so firmly jammed together that they had to be cut apart with an acetylene torch before the highway could be cleared.

Warning lights were set out along the highway on both sides of the wreck to warn passing motorists, and to protect them from the box car, which stopped partly on the highway.  
The truck cab was completely demolished, the heavy box car rolling halfway over it, and apparently grinding the truck cab beneath its wheels before the train came to a stop, with the boxcar completely on top of the truck, one end of the car sticking up at least 10 feet off the ground.

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FORT WORTH, Tex.—National Guardsmen patrolling the fences to keep out "gate-crashers" hit upon a novel idea here during a football game that attracted an overflow crowd.  
The first dozen youths who scaled the wire barricade were captured by the troopers and put on display in a big wire cage—where all the other would-be "crashers" on that side could see them. TCU officials said that the experiment was without their sanction and knowledge.

By United Press  
MALAKOFF, Tex.—Negroes in Eastern Henderson county have found a new delicacy—armadillo meat.  
The new dish, they say, is "better than possum."

## Barge Of Planes Bound For Great Britain Is Sunk

By United Press  
NEW YORK, Nov. 11.—A light barge, loaded with two, disassembled Lockheed bombers, purchased recently by Great Britain, capsized at its pier in the foreign trade zone at Station Island today.  
Federal agents were called in to investigate the possibility of sabotage.  
Agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation were summoned after police, who investigated for several hours, reported that the barge had sprung a leak that caused it to turn over. Because of the nature of its cargo, police decided to advise federal agents.  
Two of the four crates containing the engines and fuselages sank, while the other two containing the wing remained afloat. The capsized barge was one of two on which crated bombers were loaded.

## Insanity Blamed In Double Murder And Suicide Case

By United Press  
SANGER, Nov. 11.—Temporary insanity was blamed today for a double slaying and suicide that wiped out the family of G. W. Chapman, 38, prominent farmer who lived near this Denton County town.  
Justice of Peace John Richardson said Chapman fatally wounded his wife, 35, and daughter, 3, then took his own life. The shooting was done with a .38 calibre pistol a few minutes after the Chapmans had eaten breakfast.  
Only temporary insanity could have caused Chapman's action, Richardson said. The farmer had no apparent motive. The man's parents said he had "acted strangely at breakfast."

## Every "Strad" Not Worth A Fortune An Expert Warns

By United Press  
CHICAGO.—If your hope of sudden wealth rests in a violin case labeled Stradivari, 1716, you may as well abandon it.  
Kenneth Warren, violin appraiser for a national music instrument firm, counsels:  
"It is significant that of all the hundreds of so-called Cremonese violins that have been brought in for appraisal not a single genuine instrument has ever been found."  
"Hundreds of persons a year who have violins bearing the labels of the Cremonese makers, Stradivari, Guarneri and Amati, come to us to sell them."  
"These instruments were not made to deceive anyone. They were originally made as models from those of the Cremonese and a ticket put inside to indicate they were copies of the maker. In the course of time people think they were the original instrument. There are only about 450 Stradivari instruments left and we know where all of them are. The chances of another turning up are exceedingly slim."

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## ANOTHER BIG PRODUCER FINISHED IN STEPHENS

Stephens County continued to rate this week as the "hottest spot" in this area as a well in that county was completed for a potential of 1,628 barrels.  
The well completed for a potential of 1,628 barrels daily was Horwitz and Odum No. 2 E. S. Maury, four miles west of Crystal Falls. It flowed 814 barrels of oil in 12 hours through one-fourth inch choke on two-inch tubing with pressure of 190 pounds of tubing and 360 pounds on casing.  
Pay was from broken lime. Lime was topped at 3,541 feet and drilled to 3,556 feet. There for three feet was a break and then lime was logged from 3,559 to 3,564 feet. Total depth was 3,977 feet.  
This is another of a series of wells completed for high producers by Horwitz and Odum in the area west of Crystal Falls.  
Recently the operators' No. 2 B. S. Dance was completed in the same area for 1,500 barrels from lime 3,552-82 feet. No. 2 Dance and No. 2 Maury are both in the J. Koehler survey.  
T. G. Shaw No. 1 Stroud, northwest one-fourth of the G. Newton survey, northeast portion of Stephens County, tested for 140 barrels daily, flowing, from sand 2,594-2,602 feet.  
Pitzer and West and Bryson Young Corporation made location for No. 1 N. G. Price and others 660 feet from the south and east of the southwest quarter, section 67, BAL survey, southwest section of Stephens County. Project is aimed at 5,600-foot production. This location is in the same area in which Wittmer, Knight and Ewing are operating in Stephens County.  
Meanwhile, in Stephens County, Wittmer, Knight and Ewing were drilling at 600 feet on their No. 2 Loving, section 11, OAL survey, 12 miles southwest of Breckenridge.

In the Breckenridge township, C. J. West No. 1 Pierce, block 74, southeast of the Phillips Petroleum office building, were killing off gas to set five-inch casing to which the hole had been carried. The sand was topped at 3,985 feet when the gas blew slush across the street.  
George Fagg No. 1 Richardson, section 5, block 37, SPRR survey, seven miles north of Caddo, also Stephens County, at a depth of 3,460 feet was drilling.  
Comanche County  
J. W. Whiteside No. 3 Anderson, section 6, Lampasas County School Land, was completed for a pumping well of 15 barrels daily from a depth of around 590 feet. This well offsets a lease of Day and Cawley, eight miles east of Rising Star.  
Eastland County  
Lone Star Gas Company No. 1 F. J. Kimmell, section 87, block 4, H&TC survey, eight miles north of Ciseo, had been drilled below 3,300 feet.  
Dobbs Oil Corporation No. 1 B. Pierce, Hiram Walker survey, two

and one-half miles southeast of Carbon, was drilling below 1,600 feet.  
Hickok Producing and Development Company No. 5 Grover Cleveland, seven miles north of Ciseo, section 477, SPRR survey, had progressed to 3,500 feet in drilling.  
Erath County  
Still in line, Wayne Chandler No. 1 Chandler, J. W. Moore survey, eight miles northeast of Stephenville, was drilling at 5,100 feet.  
Palo Pinto County  
S. L. Jones No. 1 R. H. Gaudin, northwest corner of section 1743, TE&L survey, was drilling past 450 feet northwest of Grafrod.  
Callahan County  
Warren and others' No. 1-B Clinton estate, M. Cherry survey, one and one-half miles west of Scranton, was completed for 80 barrels on the pump from a depth of 1,661-71 feet.

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MOSCOW, Nov. 11.—A communique issued to the official soviet agency Tass, charged tonight that Finland is maintaining an "irreconcilable attitude" in negotiations with the Soviet Union.  
The communique charged Finland has increased her troops on the soviet frontier from three to seven divisions.

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## Convicted Guard at Penitentiary Seeks Freedom On Writ

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HUNTSVILLE, Nov. 11.—J. A. Patterson, 47, convicted penitentiary guard, who helped the late Raymond Hamilton flee the Texas death house on July 22, 1934, planned Saturday an appeal to beat a 15-year sentence for his crime.  
District Judge Langston K. King of Houston denied Patterson a writ of habeas corpus Friday on contention the prisoner had completed three five-year terms assessed on Aug. 13, 1934.  
Patterson had claimed that a clerk in the trial court of Judge S. W. Dean of Huntsville had erred in not noting in the court minutes that the three sentences were to run either concurrently or cumulatively.

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## Connolly Declares U. S. To Be Neutral Throughout War

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HOUSTON, Nov. 11.—United States Senator Tom Connolly of Texas said in an armistice speech Saturday that if a nation could be "legislated out of war" the recently enacted neutrality law would keep the United States out of European conflict.  
Connolly praised the repeal of the embargo and enactment of the cash-and-carry plan.  
"Couple the two important steps taken by the congress with a navy strong enough to dominate both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and the United States need never fear invasion," he said.

## Ship Clerk's Strike Ties Up A Harbor

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THE WEATHER  
By United Press  
WEST TEXAS: Fair Sunday. Not quite so cold in Panhandle.

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## America Is Seen Through New Eyes

"When I die, I will tell the dead about it."

It was an incredulous, happy old lady speaking—and she was talking about America. She had been brought from her village home in Romania by her son, who had lived in the United States for some time. It was her first visit to this country.

The things she saw and marveled at when she reached this shore were the things most citizens see every day. They were little things, most of them—but all integral parts of a land that is still comparatively rich and free. On a drive through the country, she was struck by the dairy herds on American farms—the unbelievable size of the full udders. Cows are not so productive in her homeland.

To this little lady, America is the most remarkable place in the world. She couldn't get over the fact that she could travel for several hundreds of miles, across state lines, without once showing a passport.

How often do the citizens of this country stop to think what that means? Americans travel thousands of miles across the continent without once being stopped for identification, unless they run afoul of the traffic regulations somewhere.

Americans don't stop often enough to count their blessings. They accept all the details of their lives as part of their heritage. Yes, they are part of American heritage—automobiles, telephones, electric lights, radio, healthy cattle, freedom of interstate passage, opportunity to become successful. They belong to America, and the citizens here have become used to them. They have become so much a part of the general acceptance of things that no one ever stops to reflect over them.

"What about the houses?—there aren't any fences around them. And where do the watchdogs stay?" Leaving houses unprotected while their owners slept seemed to her like over-reliance on the virtue of humanity. She is learning now that houses don't get robbed in this country—most houses don't, at least.

It might do a lot of people some good to shut their eyes for a moment and open them again—on a new America, a country they never saw before because they were too close to it. Count your blessings, the little ones as well as the big ones. They belong to American life today, but they didn't always. They had to be fought for.

The little old lady from Romania knows all about these blessings, and perhaps she will teach a few veteran Americans a thing or two before she "tells the dead about it."

If rain didn't return water taken from oceans by evaporation, science reports, they would dry up in 3000 years. Here, at last, is the solution to the submarine problem.

## Warnings and Promises

Text: Matthew 7:1-14

BY WILLIAM E. GILROY, D. D.  
Editor of Advance

**THE** Golden Text of this lesson is the Golden Rule: "As ye would that men should do unto you, even so do ye also unto them." There are times when one feels that lessons are chosen without much reference to their prime importance in the Bible and without much regard for their clear application to modern life. But here is a lesson against which no such complaint can be made. Every word of it applies with intensity and with spiritual accuracy to the situation that confronts us in the world today, both as individuals in social relationships and as citizens of a nation in a world where some nations are at war.

Surely if humanity is going to come out of its strife and agony with any permanent result for peace and righteousness and democracy, it will not be because men are fighting on battlefields, but because some higher spirit than the spirit of war may conquer, even though war may seem the only practical and temporary way to stop aggressors and prevent international anarchy.

It is profoundly necessary that nations should not judge one another where all are in some measure guilty. If there had not been so much of the spirit of Hitlerism in other lands, including our own, it would not be necessary to be fighting Hitlerism today. Even the fact that nations are at war ought to make us the more tolerant and careful in our judgments. Our chief concern ought to be to make sure that the beam is out of our eyes before we are too zealous in casting out the mote from our brothers' eyes.

The world is involved in war today, to some extent at least, because the spirit of magnanimity did not prevail in the victory of 20 years ago. Here in our own country we have had fine examples of this spirit of magnanimity coming out of days of strife. We associate this particularly with Abraham Lincoln, who showed a rare understanding of his enemies, even when he felt it his duty to oppose them, and who refused to allow malice to enter his soul. We may be sure that God sees the sins and sufferings of His children with eyes of love and with great sorrow for their perverseness.

The old question, of course, is emphasized in time of war even more than in time of peace. Is it possible to obey the Golden Rule and make it a practical precept of daily life? This question has been asked repeatedly in connection with business, where competition often tends to be ruthless and where the individual is often the victim of forces and conditions which he has no power to determine.

There is little value in spinning out too finely the issues and questions that are raised, but the simple fact is that all of us could live a great deal closer to the Golden Rule than we are now doing, even allowing for handicaps and obstacles. Moreover, if there were more disposition on the part of men and women—even on the part of those who call themselves Christians—to take the Golden Rule into practical life, many of the handicaps and obstacles would disappear.

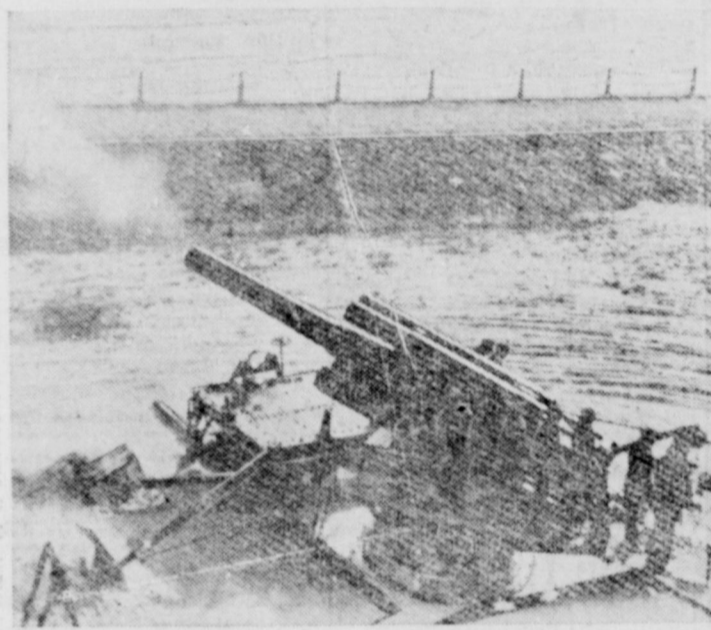
The Golden Rule, of course, represents an unrealized ideal, and an ideal difficult of attainment. But it is an ideal that is to be attained, and there never will be peace or happiness or truth or prosperity on earth until men come a great deal nearer to the establishment of the Golden Rule in all the relationships of daily life.

## The Return of the Corset

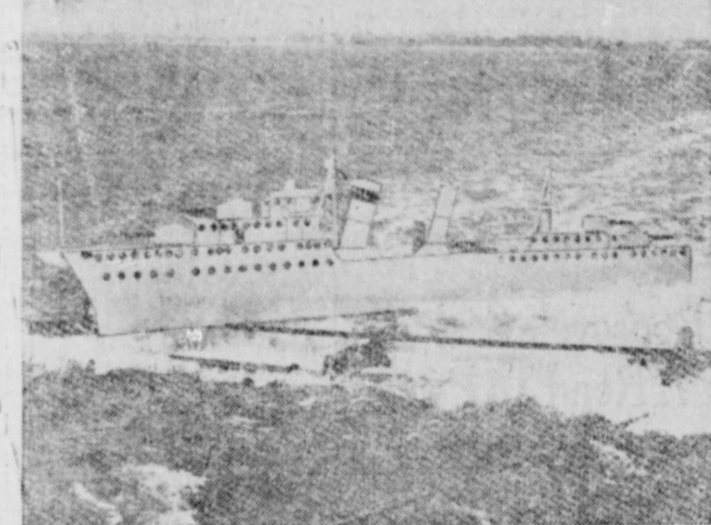


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## U. S. Army Blasts 'enemy Cruiser'



Realism rules big gun demonstration at Fortress Monroe, Va., where Army fires giant 8-inch railway gun oceanward at plywood "enemy ship."



Target of U. S. Army guns during Fortress Monroe, Va., demonstration was this realistic plywood "enemy cruiser," shown being towed out to sea.

## Dallas Still Has Many Old Laws Now Obsolete

DALLAS, Tex.—It's a far cry to the days when feather dusters played a vital role in every Dallas household and overloaded mules on downtown streets constituted dangerous traffic hazards.

Last revision of the code was made in 1920. Although this date was considerably later than compilation of the original text, ordinances governing horses, buggies, and such were copiously included. The law governing the unwise hauling of dusters is still legally "alive—but not kicking." It states that "it shall be unlawful for any person on any of the public streets of the City of Dallas or within any convention hall of the city where people have assembled, or at any public gathering in the City of Dallas, to throw against any person any feather duster, whip, or quirt, which is used for the purpose of frightening or annoying such persons."

Four-footed "transports" must also still watch their "P's and Q's" in Dallas. Laws keeping owners of such animals in line would fill many pages.

For instance: "Drivers of wagons, whether loaded or unloaded, and persons numerous upon horseback or muleback, are hereby forbidden to congregate in such numbers as to obstruct its streets, except on days of stray sales."

## College Tennis Team Due To Be Good

COMMERCE, Tex.—East Texas State Teachers College will have one of its best tennis teams in years this season, Dr. D. C. Butler, tennis coach, believes.

## Four Willies Are Found By Deputy

DALLAS, Tex.—Deputy Constable Fred Williams was seeking one Willie Williams to serve with a court paper. He found four Willies.

The deputy asked a building superintendent if Willie Williams worked there. The superintendent replied he had four Willie Williams. He brought them to his office and lined them up.

The one who was the defendant in a civil suit in justice court admitted he was the man the deputy wanted.

## Gangsters' Guns Kill Sportsman



Riddled by gangsters' bullets, Edward J. O'Hara, Chicago race track president, above, one time Capone associate, was killed while driving home on one of Chicago's busiest thoroughfares.

## Petition Thanks A City For Its Work

EL PASO, Tex.—City Clerk W. R. Collins snorted in disgust when he opened a letter bearing more than a score of signatures.

## Cotton Is A Potent Factor In Texas Industrial Growth

AUSTIN, Tex.—King Cotton is still a potent force in Texas' swing to industrialization, despite its drop from 1927 prominence, a University of Texas expert predicted last week.

Dr. A. B. Cox, director of the University's Bureau of Business Research, pointed out that, although income from cotton and

## KEEP YOUR RED CROSS RE...



This striking painting of a Red Cross nurse keeping the symbol of mercy flying is the keynote of the 1940 appeal for membership in the American Red Cross. Faced with the need of strengthening daily Red Cross services in 3,700 chapters, and with its chartered obligation to aid in some measure in meeting the distress of the men, women and children of refugees in war-torn countries across the sea, the Red Cross asks every man

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SERIAL STORY

JOAN OF ARKANSAS

BY JERRY BRONDFIELD

THURSDAY: Joan's plan to... she... in the confusion she...

CHAPTER XXVIII

every direction, people... toward the great... stadium. It was like a pillow...

Tommy stopped short. "Tell me... was there a guy named Rocco...?"

There was still 20 minutes before the kickoff. It was a bare... but Rocco Petrone might...

He hurried toward the tunnel... leading to the dressing rooms, suddenly stopped and ran back to who will Joan.

She told him as much as she... "This'll have to do until later."

had rodeo Performers To Be Protected From Professionals... Pecos, Tex.—The cowhand...

Hero of '17 Hopes For U.S. Neutrality

MERRIAM, Kas.—John Lewis Barkley, the "typical American soldier" of the World War...

ALLEY OOP



BY GUM, I BETTER SEE WHAT'S GOIN' ON IN THERE!

could in a rush of words. It didn't occur to her that she ought to be resting now. This was no time for convalescence.

NEVER had there been such a scene in the Tech dressing room. Tears actually flooded Bill Slocum's eyes as he smothered Dan in his arms.

THE public address system had broken the news about Dan and Joan, and when the Tech squad raced onto the field, a bedlam of sound arose.

He was not far from right. Barney Hughes won the toss and chose to kick off. The referee blew the whistle, the Tech line moved forward, and Tony Mangano sent the ball end over end down to the five.

foreman to take over the reins of the organization, declared the association's purpose was not to "dictate or try to run the show, but purely to guarantee a square deal for the amateurs."

During the World War Barkley won eight decorations, including the Congressional Medal of Honor. He was cited by Maj. Gen. G. Harbord as the "outstanding hero of the World War."

Several years ago a candidate for a high state office was lambasting a person whom he probably did not know once was an Eastland county official and who

RED RYDER



BY WILLIAMS

"OUT OUR WAY" By Hamlin



WHY MOTHERS GET GRAY



News From The Court House

Dan Childers, who is clerk of the 11th Court of Civil Appeals at Eastland, is a veteran in his work. He became clerk of the appellate court in 1927.

Childers resigned as district clerk of Nolan county in 1927 after holding that position for 15 years. He was married and "grew up" in Sweetwater. Mr. and Mrs. Childers have three children, all sons.

School teachers, state, city and county officials must pay income taxes for the first time this year, according to W. A. Thomas of Dallas, collector of internal revenues.

Barkley is now living on a dairy farm near Merriam, about 10 miles from Kansas City.

Almost a million more sheep and lambs were killed in New York last year than in the Chicago packing center. Can it be the bulls and the bears are on the loose again?

Legal Records

New Cars Registered Plymouth sedan, Loraine McMillian Crosstey and Rouse McMillian Star.

Ford truck, W. W. Speer, Jr.; Carl Joyce Motor company, Rising Star.

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Chevrolet pickup, H. P. Tye; Butler Chevrolet company, Rising Star.

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BRUCE CATTON IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—The "peace lobby" is not yet ready to admit that the fight to keep the arms embargo has been lost.

Most militant peace societies today are the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom and the National Council for the Prevention of War.

Senator LaFollette's plan is the same thing in milder form. It would provide that Congress could not declare war (except, again, in case of invasion) until after a referendum had been held, but it would not necessarily make that referendum binding upon Congress.

Frederick Libby, head of the National Council for Prevention of War, plans an active campaign will try to create sentiment for an international peace conference to end hostilities and settle differences between warring nations.

Already pending in Congress is the constitutional amendment brought up long ago by Congressman Louis Ludlow of Indiana, which would (to all intents and purposes) take the war-declaring authority away from Congress and put it in the hands of the voters, except in the case of actual or threatened invasion of the United States.

Just incidentally, Miss Detzer wishes people would get it through their heads that the Women's International League for Peace and Freedom has nothing whatever to do with the American League for Peace and Democracy, the outfit which the Dies committee has branded a Communist-front organization.

Because the names are similar, lots of people get them mixed; Miss Detzer points out that her organization is strictly a membership affair, that it has—or had, until the war started—sections in 22 countries, and that it maintains international headquarters at Geneva.

The Women's International League is much the older of the two, having been founded in 1915 by Jane Addams. There is nothing radical about it; it's national treasurer, for instance, is Helen Taft Manning, daughter of former President Taft and sister of Senator Taft of Ohio.

U. S. Seaman Plant a Mine



Seamen aboard the U. S. mine planter General Scheffler plop a horned bulb of TNT into the Atlantic during coast defense demonstration off Hampton Roads, Va.

Duns Bringing In Money For State

AUSTIN, Tex.—Duns are an effective means of making collections, State Land Commissioner Bascom Giles has discovered. On Oct. 2, when \$289,950 was received.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

A SIX-TAILED COMET WAS SEEN AT LAUSANNE, SWITZERLAND, IN 1744.



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THE CITY OF POMPEII WAS LOST FOR 1600 YEARS AFTER THE ERUPTION OF VESUVIUS IN 79 A.D.



ANSWER: Bear. Plantigrade animals walk on the sole of the foot, with the heel touching the ground.

# Society Notes

**Calendar Monday**  
The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist church will meet Monday afternoon at the church at 3 o'clock.  
The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist church will meet in circles Monday afternoon at 3:30.  
Blanche Grove in the home of Mrs. L. S. Young; Lottie Moon Circle in the home of Mrs. W. S. Adams, and the Lockett circle in the home of Mrs. Noia Andrews.  
Ladies Bible class of the Church of Christ will meet Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the church.  
Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet in the home of L. V. Simmonds, at 7:30.  
Pythian Sisters, at 7:30, Castle Hall.

**Miss Wilda Frost Tea Honoree**  
Miss Wilda Frost, bride-elect of Mr. Maurice P. Bullock of Fort Stockton, was honoree at a delightfully arranged tea hosted by Mrs. V. T. Seaberry Thursday afternoon in her home, 206 South Burkett street.  
A lovely decorative theme of varied colors cut chrysanthemums were used throughout the home, which was lighted with tall white tapers in matching holders. Receiving with the hostess were Mrs. Cyrus E. Frost, Mrs. Jack Frost, Mrs. Custer Russell, Mrs. Robert Searls and Miss Wilda Frost.  
Violin music was heard throughout the afternoon played by the Dragoo Octet which is composed of Alma Williamson, Glenna Johnson, Mava Lou Crossley, Rose Ann Wood, Gloria Graham, Merl Dean Murrell, Betty Slicker, Nancy Seaberry.  
Mrs. Olney Black entertained with a selected piano number and the Trio, composed of Glenna Johnson, Mava Lou Crossley and Nancy Seaberry, sang several selected numbers.  
Those in the house party were Mrs. Custer Russell of Breckenridge, Mrs. Jack Lewis of Abilene, Mrs. Carl Springer, Mrs. John Turner, Mrs. Robert Searls, Mrs. Clyde Grissom, Mrs. W. E. Chaney, Miss Louise Weaver, Mrs. W. K. Hyer, Mrs. W. P. Leslie, Mrs. Sam Conner, Miss Jessie Lee Ligon, Mrs. Olney Black, Mrs. Cyrus Frost, Mrs. Jack Frost, Mrs. Jno. D. McRae, Miss Frost and Mrs. Seaberry.  
More than one hundred guests called during the afternoon between four o'clock and six o'clock.

**Sparr-Nicholson Marriage Vows Given**  
The marriage of Miss Dorothy Evelyn Sparr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Sparr, to Mr. Robert Nicholson of Santa Rosa, New Mexico, was solemnized Saturday morning in the home of the bride's parents, Rev. B. Blunk, pastor of the First Christian Church officiated.  
The bride wore a burgundy wool ensemble with black accessories. Her corsage was of talisman roses. Mrs. Nicholson is a graduate of Eastland high school and for the past year has been employed as secretary for M. E. Lawrence, attorney.

The bride-groom, son of Mr. M. R. Nicholson of Santa Rosa, is a

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WANTED—Good used typewriter. J. C. Stephen. Phone 334-J.  
FOR RENT: Kendall's place 2 miles north on 67 Highway, \$22 month, Jan. 15—110 Grand, Oklahoma City, Okla.  
ROOM and garage for rent. \$10 monthly. Phone 167.  
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FURNISHED HOUSE for rent. Call 468-J.

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graduate of Deadema high school. He is in partnership with his father as owners of the Liquefied Petroleum Gas company in Santa Rosa, where the young couple will make their home.  
Only the immediate members of the families were present and Miss Ina Ruth Hale, and Miss Mildred Ferrell.

**Alpha Delphians Have Program on "New Books"**  
At the Thursday afternoon session of the Alpha Delphian Club, an interesting yearbook program on "New Books" was presented with Mrs. Iola Mitchell as leader.  
Mrs. Marvin Hood brought a paper on "Men and Their Contributions to Literature" during the program period and was followed by Mrs. W. LaMunyon discussing Journalism and Magazines.  
A round-table discussion on "Contemporary Women Writers," was held.  
Mrs. L. C. Brown was selected as delegate to the state convention of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs to be held in Wichita Falls, November 13-15. Mrs. J. W. LaMunyon was named as alternate.  
Present: Meses. J. LeRoy Arnold, Luther Bean, L. C. Brown, Geo. E. Cross, Jess Day, D. J. Fiensy, Herman Hague, Jno. Harrison, Mable Hart, Jno. LaMunyon, Iola Mitchell, Sallie Morris, LeRoy Patterson.

**Compliments With Gift Shower**  
Mrs. Dick Rutherford was hostess this week to a miscellaneous gift shower complimenting Mrs. William Harris at the home of Mrs. J. W. Harris.  
A decorative theme of gold and bronze was carried out with lovely bouquets of cut chrysanthemums of the color scheme used throughout the home. Various games and

contest were enjoyed with refreshments of sandwiches, cakes and hot chocolate served. Cleverly arranged favors of peanuts holding a slip of paper telling the fortune of the recipient and tied with pink ribbon were used.  
Guest listed: Meses. William Jessop, Austin Williamson, Jack Burkhead, Carl Harper, J. R. Gilbreath, Thelma Flippitt, Bill Garrison, Wright, Carl Butler of Olden, Gowen, J. W. Harris, J. E. Ferris, Cecil Montgomery of Cisco, Wilson Hudman of Cisco, Miss Helen Virginia Grissom, Louise Brunett, Margaret Harris, Annie Pearl and Betty Mae Harris.  
Those sending gifts but unable to attend were Mrs. Curtis Kimbrell, Mrs. Geo. R. Pate, Mrs. Fred Michael, Mrs. Burnett, Mrs. O. C. Hunt, Mrs. M. P. Herring, Mrs. Martin, Mrs. Ganev, rs. Jno. Sealz, Mrs. Lon Fisher, Mrs. Charlie Van Geem, Mrs. Mae Harris of Carbon, Miss Mildred Ferrell and Miss Beth Gilbreath.

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Miss Oppenheimer was born in Dallas. She took her degree in literature and philosophy at the University of Chicago. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa. For two years she worked on Chicago newspapers as literary critic and feature story writer before beginning her unique and distinguished career on the lecture platform.  
There are many reasons for her great popularity which brings her total audience per season now to over 150,000 men and women. Original in thought, fearlessly frank, brilliantly witty, her personality and technique are something new and inimitable in the field of cultural entertainment. What Cornelia Otis Skinner does for the dramatic monologue, what H. V. Kaltenborn and Dorothy Thompson do for current events and politics, Evelyn Oppenheimer does for the review says sponsors.  
As a literary commentator, interpreter and analyst her position and prominence is all the more remarkable in view of her youth.  
The club announces that tickets are on sale at the Eastland Drug Store and are 50c for adults and 25c for children. The public is cordially invited to attend.  
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**CHURCHES**  
First Methodist church school at 10 a. m. No preaching services will be held today because the pastor, Rev. P. W. Walker, is at the annual conference meet in Ft. Worth.  
First Baptist Church school at 9:45 a. m.; morning services at 11; B.T.U. at 6:15; evening worship at 7:30. Rev. Jones W. Weather, new pastor.  
Church of Christ school at 9:15 a.