

Roosevelt Urges Retaining Guards, Draftees

You Can Read That Again, Mr. H.

ARMY EXPECTS ADD MORE TANK FORCES

FORT KNOX, Ky.—The man who knows as much about tank warfare as anyone in the nation...

Nearly 20 years ago Major-General Adna R. Chafee began to talk about the need for "plenty of fire power, speed and mobility..."

The program for the third annual county sheep and goat day at Bass Lake near Gorman on Tuesday, July 29 is complete...

The program has been designed so as to cover as many as possible of the problems of the sheep and goat raisers of Eastland and surrounding counties...

The meeting will be open to everyone in Eastland and surrounding counties interested in sheep and goat raising.

Following is the program to be presented at Bass Lake near Gorman: 9:30 to 10:00—Registration of those present.

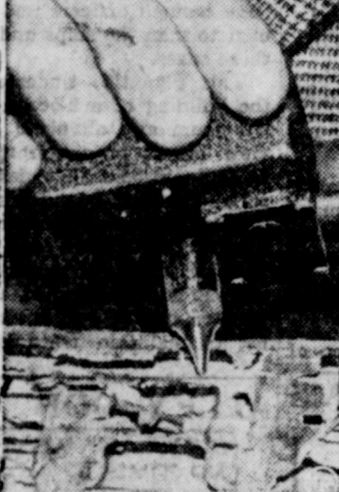
1:00 to 2:15—Demonstration of killing, dressing and processing lamb—Roy W. Snyder, A&M Extension Animal Industries Specialist.



Leon Henderson obligingly wastes a little time for photographers, postpones pressing price administration long enough to admire one of a series of banners issued by the Office of Production Management.

Plans Completed For Third Annual Sheep-Goat Meet

Hears Ant's Bite



Even refined termites will be permitted to mealmite privacy when this termite detector, invented by Walter Burgess and son, Walter, Jr., of Benton Harbor, Mich., goes into production for home defense.

All Wool Claim Must Be Backed By a Guarantee

DALLAS, Tex.—Joe Public has found out, at long last, how much wool is in those "wool" pants and what kind of wool it is.

The effect on Texas, top U. S. sheep producer, is expected to be considerable.

A national law became effective July 15, ending 15 years of controversy over rival plans for labeling wool clothes so the public could tell whether they came directly from sheep or the rag man.

1. It requires that every piece of clothing containing wool carry a statement of fiber content, all fibers comprising more than five per cent of the whole must be listed.

2. Wool must be classified under one of three grades: Wool, meaning wool used for the first time in a finished product; reprocessed wool, which is wool that has been manufactured, then reprocessed to fiber without having been used or worn; and reused wool, reclaimed from worn-out products.

3. The Governor reviewed national defense activity in the State of Texas and pointed to the aluminum campaign as one of the several projects sponsored by the Office of Civilian Defense and the Office of Production Management which should receive first attention of the people.

Mentioning the goal of 15,000,000 pounds of aluminum which is proposed to collect in the nationwide campaign, the Governor pointed out what this amount of material would mean to the defense effort.

Each fighting (pursuit) ship contains 7,000 pounds of aluminum," he said. "Therefore, 15,000,000 pounds net usable aluminum donated by housewives will enable construction of 2,000 pursuit planes of 500 four-engine bombers—possibly enough to have turned the tide in Belgium, Crete or Greece.

"We are assured by the leaders of our defense organization that no one will make any profit out of the donation," the Governor continued. "Let me urge the complete cooperation of all of our people in this sacrificial and patriotic service. With a community of effort, with a united and cooperative spirit, with the zeal of true patriotism, let us go forward to achieve our common purpose. Let us make America so strong and good and true that it will withstand the attack of any foe."

J. F. Donley Sells Eight Billies For Price of \$40 Each

J. F. Donley of Ranger has just sold eight registered billy goats to Joe Winston of Aledo. The goats brought \$40 each in the sale.

Donley, who specializes in registered goats, has been offered as high as \$150 for some of his better billies, and has some he says he would not sell for as high as \$250.

Donley also plans to take some of his goats to the annual meeting of goat raisers, to be held in Uvalde.

O'Daniel Urges Everyone To Aid Aluminum Drive

AUSTIN, July 21.—Citizens of Texas were urged by Governor W. Lee O'Daniel Sunday to give full support to the national aluminum collection campaign which begins today.

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War Veterans Have Quarterly Picnic

The quarterly annual picnic of the Spanish War Veterans was held at City Park Eastland Sunday, with a good attendance present.

Elmer Abernathy is chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements. Dave Lewis and Mrs. Jimmie Heater are also officers of the organization.

SHORTAGE OF ARMY DOCTORS IS REPORTED

Medical students and internes who are Selective Service registrants should endeavor to obtain commissions in the Medical Reserve Corps of the United States Army, General J. Watt Page, State Selective Service Director, said today.

General Page called attention to a recent announcement by the War Department that male medical students who have completed more than two years in a Grade A medical school in the United States are eligible for commissions as second lieutenants in the Medical Administrative Corps Reserve, and that physically qualified internes may be commissioned as first lieutenants in the Medical Corps Reserve.

Internes, he said, would be commissioned with the understanding that they will be ordered to one year's active duty immediately upon completion of their internship; while, except for an emergency requiring their immediate services, medical students should be permitted to finish their schooling and internship before being called to active duty.

Students and internes in this State who wish to apply for Medical Reserve Corps Commissions, General Page said, should make application to the Corps Area Surgeon, Eighth Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas.

General Page again stressed the recent report of the Office of Production Management that there is a growing shortage of physicians and surgeons, which affects both the Nation's armed forces and the civilian population.

For this reason, he pointed out, National Headquarters Selective Service System, has proclaimed a policy of deferment from military training for individual medical students "who give reasonable promise of becoming acceptable medical doctors," regardless of whether or not they have applied for Medical Reserve Corps commissions.

"On the other hand," General Page said, "the requirements of the Nation's armed forces for physicians and surgeons must be filled. While no practicing doctor whose services are necessary to his community should be called for military service, doctors, internes and medical students who are eligible for Medical Reserve Corps commissions should be encouraged to apply for them."

Doctors and internes eligible for these commissions, who are placed in Class I-A and failed to take advantage of the opportunity to be commissioned, will be inducted for Selective Service military training."

Report Success In Use of Screw Worm Medicine

Eastland County livestock raisers are reporting successful treatment of screw worm cases and treatment of wounds to prevent infestation, according to Elmo V. Cook, County Agent. The treatment used is known as "Smear No. 62" and the formula was recently released by the U. S. Bureau of Entomology for public use and contains four ingredients that can be bought and mixed by the rancher or bought in ready mixed form from livestock supply companies. It serves as both a killer of screw worm maggots and a repellent of screw worm flies.

J. W. Blackwell, who operates a livestock farm East of Staff, reports using the smear successfully; Dr. J. B. Brandon of Gorman thinks it is the best remedy he ever used and John Thurman, foreman of the Terrell Ranch thinks the remedy is satisfactory. Several who have not had any screw worm cases report the smear is the best repellent they have ever used.

Desdemona Is To Have Homecoming August 9 and 10

Desdemona is making plans for its annual reunion and homecoming which is planned for Saturday and Sunday, August 9 and 10. Preparations are being made to entertain at least 1,000 people with a barbecue lunch as an added feature.

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GERMANS TELL OF VICTORIES OVER SOVIETS

The Nazi air force pounded heavily at the Russian front line troops today and German sources claimed that six Soviet divisions had been crushed and others face annihilation because of encirclement.

Neither Berlin nor Moscow indicated any substantial changes on the Russian front had occurred in the last 24 hours of fighting. Stalin is extending reorganization of the Soviet defense setup by naming four new vice commissars of defense a few hours after he, himself, assumed the office of defense commissariat.

Royal Air Force planes launched a new non-stop bombardment of French and German objectives, smashing deep into Northern France after a heavy night attack.

The German news agency claimed that a Soviet division had been wiped out near Mogilev, about 80 miles southwest of Smolensk, by a single Nazi division. In the same general area another Russian division was reported to have surrendered, while Nazi planes were said to be smashing heavily at Russian lines.

Farther north Finnish troops were said to have wiped out the remnants of five Soviet divisions. On the Arctic front it was claimed German planes sank a Russian destroyer and two warships.

Approximately 97 Soviet planes were claimed destroyed yesterday.

Communists Are Accused Of Plot On Boy Scouts

DALLAS, Tex.—Russian communists today were accused of plotting to destroy the Boy Scouts of America in a left-handed drive against the democratic way of life.

Stanley Wm. Foran, Dallas advertising man, protested news stories originating from Washington which indicated, he said, that there is a similarity between the scouts and the Young Pioneers of Russia.

Foran termed it "one of the most subtle acts ever staged by communism."

"Several days ago American newspapers began carrying Washington dateline stories stating that according to Soviet authorities, the Young Pioneers of the U. S. S. R. are similar to the Boy and Girl Scouts of the U. S. A.," Foran said. "Desire was expressed that a common front of these two youth groups be formed, emphasizing their solidarity."

"If Boy and Girl Scout authorities do not immediately correct this false statement, I foresee that communism will not only start penetration of the Scout movement but—of even greater importance—will obtain public and popular endorsement of Young Pioneer Groups in this nation."

Young Pioneers are reared in the Communist faith, Foran asserted.

"They are taught to hate God and all religions, to hate Boy Scouts as capitalistic stooges, to salute all policemen and others in authority, and, in brief, to believe in just the opposite to the things emphasized in the Scout oath."

Soldiers Punished For Objecting To Continued Service

FORT MEADE, Md., July 21.—An undisclosed number of selectees were punished with confinement to camp and quarters today for writing a letter to two United States Senators protesting legislation to extend service of citizen soldiers for the duration of the emergency.

Moscow Defender



Red Square and the bones of Lenin are among the charges of Maj.-Gen. V. A. Reviakin, commandant of Soviet army's Moscow garrison, whose task is that of protecting the Russian capital.

MESSAGE TO CONGRESS IS GIVEN TODAY

Says Disintegration of Army Due Within Two Months If Some Action Is Not Taken.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—President Franklin D. Roosevelt today asked Congress to declare a full or limited national emergency as a means of retaining selectees and national guardsmen in active service for the duration of the emergency.

In a message to congress, the nation and the world, Mr. Roosevelt warned that America's army would be disintegrated within two months unless congress acts quickly.

He said the responsibility now rests solely with congress. Danger confronting the United States today is "infinitely greater" than a year ago when congress enacted the selective service law, he pointed out.

"I am not asking congress for any specific language in any specific bill," he said, "but I can say frankly that I hope Congress will acknowledge the national emergency, either for a specific period or until revocation by congress or the president."

He also asked congress to eliminate provisions which limit to 900,000 the number of selectees who may be inducted into the armed forces in any one year.

"Because of the swiftness of events I think congress should also remove the restrictions in regard to numbers of selectees inducted each year for training and service," he said.

He urged congress to instruct employers to hold open jobs of men who have been held in the army.

Mother of Ranger Pastor Dies Early Monday at Paris

Mrs. Janeate Phillips, mother of Rev. David M. Phillips, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Ranger, died this morning at 2:10 o'clock at her home in Paris. Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Brown-Roden funeral home in Paris.

Mrs. Phillips, who was 73 years of age, had lived in Paris 40 years. She had been in ill health for some time. Death came as a result of a sixth stroke of paralysis.

Rev. and Mrs. Phillips were notified last night of the stroke and left immediately for Paris. In a telephone conversation this morning, Rev. Phillips stated that he did not reach her bedside until after his mother's death.

Germany Planning Newer Conquest

WASHINGTON, July 21.—Acting Secretary of State Sumner Welles said today that the United States has information that Germany plans other aggressions in Europe after she has completed the attack upon Russia.

Ranger Youth In Army Gets Transfer

CHANUTE FIELD, Ill., July 21.—Orders which sent Pvt. Harmon L. Ainsworth to his home station, 57th Pursuit Squadron, GHQAF, Everett, Wash., were issued here today. Ainsworth is the son of Mrs. Tena Christian, Ranger, Texas. He was graduated from the airplane mechanics course, Chanute Field branch, Air Corps Technical School, July 4.

Indiana Ranks First As Tomato Grower

LAFAYETTE, Ind.—Indiana, top ranking tomato-producing state, grows enough tomatoes each year to supply every inhabitant of the United States with 4 1/2 pounds each, according to Mervin Smith, Purdue University farm specialist.

Despite this abundance, tomato growing still is only a sideline to general farming, rather than a specialized part of truck farming, Smith said.

Defense Bond QUIZ

Q. Can Defense Savings Stamps be redeemed? A. Yes; they can be redeemed for cash at face value or exchanged for Defense Savings Bonds. For example, 75 of the 25-cent stamps—total cash value \$18.75—may be exchanged for \$18.75 of Defense Savings Bonds which "in a year" will be worth \$25.

Q. Why should Americans buy Defense Bonds and Stamps now? A. Among the reasons are: (1) To buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office or bank, or write to the publisher of the United States Savings Bonds, Washington, D. C., for an order form.



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## The New Bastille

They "celebrated" Bastille Day in France the other day, but there was no dancing in the streets, no gay parades, no music. There was only a tired old man who spoke without mentioning liberty, and droned something about a day for thought and meditation.

Thought and meditation indeed! There must be a good deal for the French to think about, remembering the gay holiday that was, in the days when not only they, but the whole world, marked the fall of a grim dungeon which had come to be for all mankind the very symbol of oppression and tyranny.

If the French dare not recall the day of their glory, then let others recall it. A grim fortress frowning down on Paris from behind its 25-foot moat, the Bastille had already become in 1789 a symbol of tyranny, behind whose 10-foot-thick walls disappeared men arrested on lettres de cachet, held without trial, without charges, chained in dungeons until the whim of some official, or of death, released them. There was a restless surging in Paris in those days in a sea of "forgotten men."

On the night of July 13, the fiery Camille Desmoulins harangued a crowd in the gardens of the Palais Royal, and the streets were full that night of scurrying groups seeking weapons. Early on the morning of July 14 they streamed out of the poorer quarters of the city and converged at the gates of the Bastille in a cloud of guns, axes, scythes, old spears, naked arms.

Like the regime it protected, the Bastille was a hollow shell. Almost with their naked hands, the mob took the fortress, butchered the guards, and freed seven prisoners. They tore down the prison-fortress, used its stones for streets and bridges. They were streets and bridges that led to freedom.

Frenchmen may not exult over these things today. They must think and meditate. Let them think and meditate, then, on the new Bastille that stands in the midst of France—a Bastille more powerful than the old one, and a more terrible instrument of oppression. A Swastika flag flies over this Bastille, and in it are forces more powerful than the Swiss mercenaries who died dumbly and bravely for their employer-king. There are even Frenchmen, more than seven, who are at home in this German-planned Bastille.

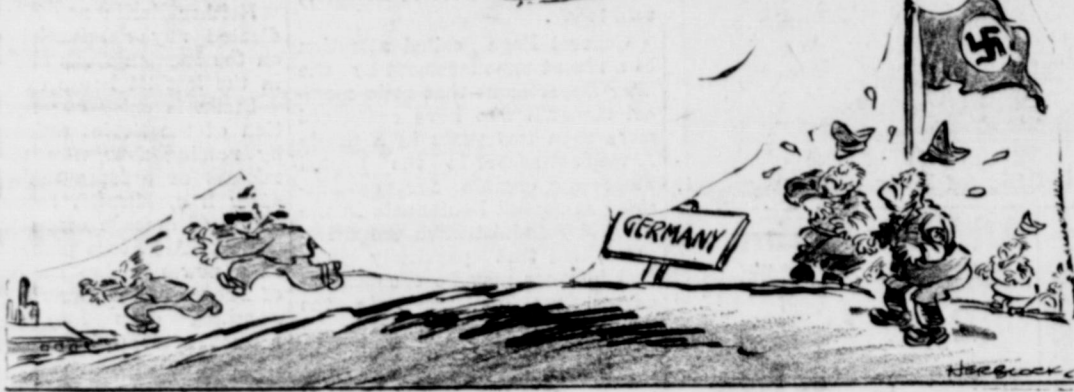
Bastille Day, 1941, meant freedom only for Syria, and Freedom, at that, from Frenchmen.

Bastille Day, 1942—what will it mean? The only ray of brightness that illuminated France on its historic day this year was certain tiny specks in the sky, winging over the Channel from England.

Lots of photos taken at bathing beaches indicate snap judgment.

Germans claim capture of 20 pillboxes of the Stalin Line. Russians say they'll get their medicine later on.

## Coming Home



## New Opportunity Is Being Offered By Naval Reserve

WASHINGTON.—The United States Navy is now offering to

years of age and with a college degree, a marvelous opportunity to obtain a commission as Ensign in the Naval Reserve. Eligible applicants may now enlist to be sent to one of the three training schools, either at Northwestern in Chicago, at the U.S.S. Prairie State in New York or at the Naval Academy in Annapolis. Candidates accepted

shipman Training School which begins September 18th at Northwestern and the Prairie State and January 9th at Annapolis. Due to the fact that Annapolis cannot supply this new demand for officers of this expanding Fleet, the Navy is calling upon new resources to fulfill this new program that is, men with college degrees. The Navy needs young men of

strong character, high ideals and mental abilities to meet the requirements of Naval officers in the new Fleet. This particular branch of the Navy, known as Class V-7, offers the greatest opportunity for these new graduates they have acquired during their college career.

With the Naval Program underway, the expansion of the Fleet through construction of ships, establishment of new strategic bases, demand is great that we have trained officers and enlisted men to man the ships and operate these bases.

This gigantic undertaking of the building of a 2-ocean Navy is not from any altruistic point of view but is purely from a cold factual outlook. In order to preserve our own standards of living, to protect our principles and ideals upon which our Government is built, to guard our own commerce and interest wherever that commerce and interest may be, to maintain freedom of the

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## Little Tin Goes Into Food Cans

BUTE, Mont. — Carlton F. Sturdy, executive of the American Can Co., which makes millions of cans a year, has debunked the time honored belief in the American tin can, by definitely taking the tin out of it.

Sturdy told the Montana Food Distributors Association that the American "tin" can is in reality made of steel and that the only tin used in its manufacture is a thin coating for the purpose of preventing rusting.

The steel used he declared, is just as sterile and is as carefully factored out. In order to preserve our own standards of living, to protect our principles and ideals upon which our Government is built, to guard our own commerce and interest wherever that commerce and interest may be, to maintain freedom of the

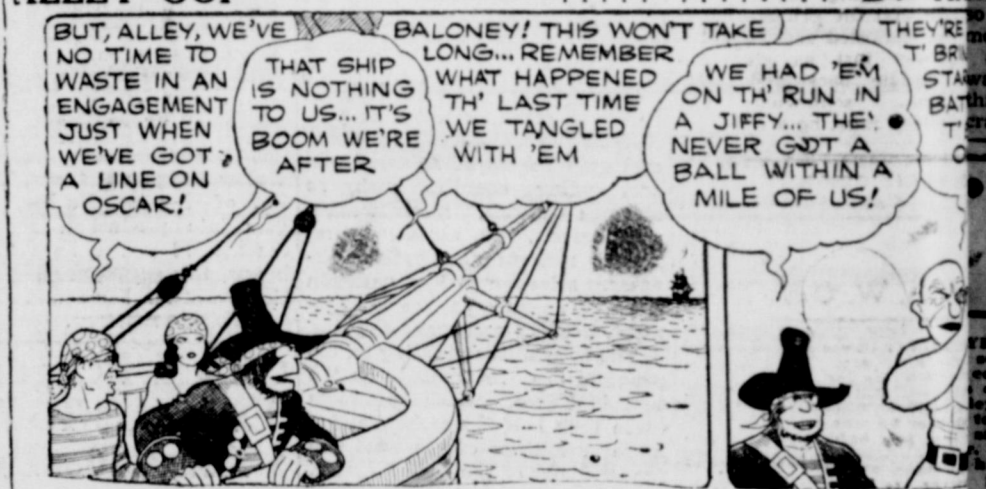
## OUT OUR WAY BY WILLIAMS



## RED RYDER By Hamlin

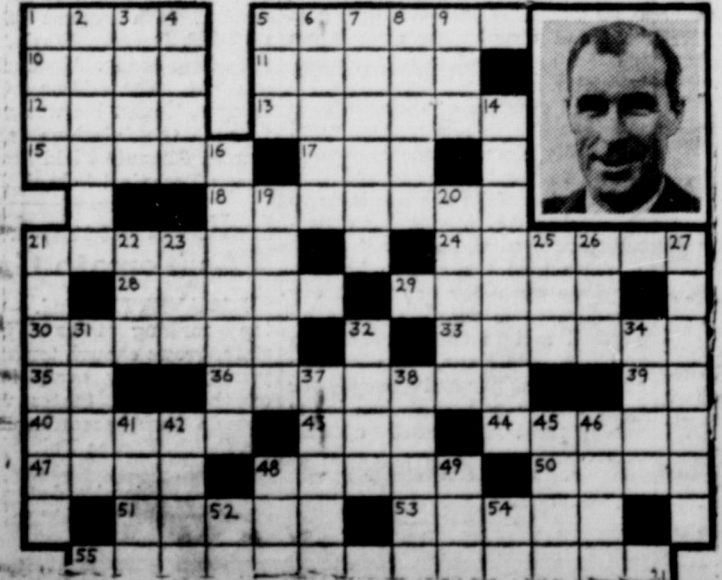


## ALLEY OOP BY HAMLIN



## NET STAR

- Answer to Previous Puzzle
- 20 Melancholy.  
21 He was the champion tennis player for about 10 years.  
22 Cooking utensil.  
23 God of war.  
24 Blemish.  
25 Wing.  
26 Perfumed.  
27 Deities.  
28 Pert girl.  
29 Having toes.  
30 African tree.  
31 Oleoresin.  
32 Appliances.  
33 Therefore.  
34 Wild ox.  
35 Monk's hood.  
36 100 square meters.  
37 River.  
38 Preposition.  
39 Form of "a."
- 47 Consumer.  
48 To change.  
49 Knot.  
50 Assembly.  
51 Cat's call.  
52 He is a star player of a fish.  
53 Most abrupt.  
54 Elves.  
55 To change a gem setting.  
56 To jump.  
57 Twitching.  
58 Silly.  
59 Insanity.  
60 To arrange cloth.  
61 Snake-like fish.  
62 Most abrupt.  
63 Elves.  
64 To change a gem setting.





SERIAL STORY

MURDER IN CONVOY

BY A. W. O'BRIEN

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Rollins was relieved but managed to hide it. They chatted on friendly terms for a while before Miley rose to leave.

At the cabin door he paused and asked casually: "By the way, Greg, who is the swell nurse you're interested in?"

Rollins felt his muscles tense but he managed to show a grin. "I suppose you'd like to know, huh?"

LONG after Miley left, Greg sat motionless on the side of the swaying bunk. Why the crack about the nurse following the repetition of the query about his having been alone on deck? Was it accidental or based upon some knowledge?

Sleep came fitfully. The cabin was terribly stuffy. Greg opened weary eyes and looked at the porthole. Regulations prohibited opening it during hours of darkness, but who would know the difference as long as he didn't switch on the cabin lights?

He stood on his bunk and unscrewed the heavy clamps. Afterwards, he often wondered what made him look up since it forced him to twist his head in a very awkward position, especially with the ship tossing about.

But there wasn't a doubt in the world about it—somebody was flashing a small light towards the sea!

The light was being flashed from "A" deck, and he could make out a human form bending over it. Apparently the person was holding the light on top of the railing and standing in such a way as to hide the light from anybody on the ship.

From somewhere on the deck above him had come the unmistakable crack of a rifle. . . . Even above the noises of the ship and the storm the sound was distinctive to one who had spent long hours on rifle ranges. . . . Yes, there was another shot!

Rollins ran for the door, pulling the service revolver from his pocket as he did so. But with his hand on the door knob an ungodly din shattered the night. . . . It was the emergency gong in the passageway madly clanging a lifeboat alarm!

(To Be Continued)

Putter Around the Country Club

By A. Poor Putter

All the rain did Saturday morning was to lay the dust out at the Country Club, for when the sun came out, the players did too.

Saturday afternoon 41 played golf and while there were not many from out of town. We did keep up our reputation of having visitors from elsewhere every week-end.

GLEN WEST had as his guest, his father from Fort Worth, and took him around to show him how the game should be played. GLEN is shooting some good golf right now himself.

CLYDE ALWORTH and R. ALWORTH were the guests of C. W. ALWORTH Saturday and DOCK YOUNG from Big Spring, a former Ranger boy was here. DOCK used to assist around the Country Club, when JACK JOHNSON was the caretaker.

MR. AND MRS. JOE ELLIOTT, the caretakers are on their vacation at present and their duties are being handled by MR. AND MRS. GENE YONKERS and PATTY. Things are going ahead shop, keeps them moving. She had shop, keep them moving. She had

shop, keep them moving. She had her hands full Sunday with 72 man delegation at its full strength

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



AFRICAN ANTELOPES RANGE IN SIZE FROM THE 1,500-LB. ELAND TO THE 15-LB. DIK-DIK.



WE QUOTE "ODDS"... SEND 'EM IN!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



FOLLOWING A BRIEF DISCUSSION WITH MY FATHER, I THINK YOU'D BETTER DISREGARD OUR CONVERSATION OF YESTERDAY!

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The full complement of Lifeboat Station 15 was on hand, waiting for orders.

ROLLINS jumped to his feet and paced the cabin floor. A startling thought had hit him. Could Tees have seen somebody flashing a light on deck and been murdered when he attempted to grapple with that person?

Again, Rollins' brow clouded—the girl always entered the puzzle. She had admitted being responsible for the light on the first night. Rather, at least, she had admitted smoking on deck. There could possibly have been, Rollins conceded, another person on the deck flashing the light seen by the sentry and reported to him. When he rushed up he had found the girl. She was not flashing any light. In fact, she wasn't even carrying a lighted cigaret.

Still, the fact remained that about the same time every night, something extraordinary seemed to happen around the same section "A" deck.

At long last, he had come upon a plan that might give him a chance to solve the mystery and lay his hands upon the killer. It all depended on one detail, and he intended to put himself straight on that detail without delay.

Throwing on his bathrobe, Rollins stepped out into the corridor again and walked to the first cross-passage. He turned into it and made his way towards the far side of the ship where Lieutenant Miley's cabin was situated. As he turned along the corridor running parallel to his own, some slight movement in the curtain sheltering a deck exit caught his eye.

Quick as a flash, Rollins stooped, apparently to adjust his shoe lace, meanwhile studying the curtain tensely. It hung about two inches off the floor and even in the darkness he could see two shoes standing motionless!

Rollins waited until the ship swayed downwards. Lethely, he straightened a bit before diving headlong at the spot in the curtain where he judged the knees belonging to those feet should be.

It was a tackle that would have warmed the cockles of any rugby coach's heart. His arms scissored around a pair of strong legs, and with a heave of his shoulder he bowled over his opponent, the curtain coming down with a rumbling sound over the struggling figures.

Rollins heaved again and rolled on top. With a single deft move, he grabbed a struggling arm through the folds of the curtain and wisted it upwards.

"Easy—you'll break it!" a groaned. Rollins released his hold on Harry Miley!

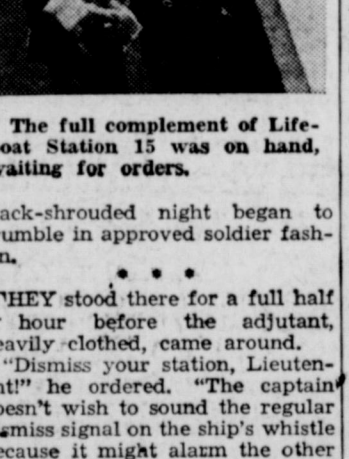
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THEY stood there for a full half hour before the adjutant, heavily clothed, came around. "Dismiss your station, Lieutenant!" he ordered. "The captain doesn't wish to sound the regular dismissal signal on the ship's whistle because it might alarm the other ships."

He turned to the men and shrugged in the darkness. "You heard him, my hardies—on your way and pleasant dreams!" He smiled as he heard them shuffling off muttering complaints about drill-crazy O. C.'s and the army system in general. They had really enjoyed the bit of excitement but didn't want to show it.

There was no talk about rifle shots. Rollins didn't stop to chat but went directly into the cabin. From the folds of the sweater in the cupboard drawer, he extracted the bottle and poured himself a stiff shot of brandy. It sent a glow of warmth through him.

As he lighted a cigaret, Greg noticed on his wrist watch that it was a few minutes after 1 o'clock.

They had been on deck for about half an hour. . . . a few minutes previously he had seen the light on the deck. . . . that would make it about 12:30. There was something familiar about that time. . . . things seemed to happen regularly at 12:30 or thereabouts. Tonight—the unexplained lifeboat alarm.

Last night—the murder of Tees. The night before—Rollins frowned—he had seen the light on the deck and found Joan there.



Maroons Defeat Abilene Here By Score of 8 to 3

Eastland Girl Softballers showed a surprisingly dry field and a well-played game to their fans Saturday night in taking the long end of an 8 to 3 score from the Abilene girls.

Those girls sure love the game. Abilene held the Maroons scoreless in all but two innings. They broke loose in the second and the third to score all their eight runs.

Tuesday night the Sleep-Easy Mattress Company team from Fort Worth will play the Maroons on the Eastland field.

Jaycees Meeting 8:15 Tonight In Regular Session

The Jaycees meet tonight at 8:15 at Tesco Club when plans for a huge Defense Bond Rally are to be discussed.

It was stated in Sunday's Telegram that the above meeting would be held Tuesday night.

Fish stories are in full swing—and if all of them were true most of our lakes would drop 10 feet.

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LOST, Strayed or Stolen: Light red Jersey heifer. Notify TIM BARNETT, at Toombs-Richardson. Reward.

FOR RENT: Southeast 5-room apartment, also 3-room apartment, newly papered, electric refrigerator, utilities paid.—612 W. PLUMMER.

FOR RENT: Furnished apartment. Close in.—107 E. HILL.

DO YOU NEED A PIANO? We have a few Spinnet Pianos stored in Abilene, and would like to place them in private homes.

FOR SALE — Good two-wheel trailer, steel flat body.—209 S. WALNUT.

STOCK SALT—65¢ per hundred pounds. Threshed maize, \$1.40 per hundred. Killough's Feed Store.

PIANOS—We expect to pick up in Eastland in the next few days two Spinnet Console pianos, one brand new, one slightly used, will sell both at big reduction rather than ship.

FOR SALE—At bargain, good used No. 5 Underwood typewriter. F. A. Jones.

FOR SALE—Several good used cars—Fords and Chevrolets.—Eastland Auto Parts. Phone seven eleven.

CORNELIUS HILLSIDE APARTMENTS—The New Third Unit now ready for occupancy. Call 500 or see Mrs. Beane at the Apartments, Connelley and Plummer streets.

FOR RENT—3-room apartment. Bills paid. 404 S. Basett.

How To Become a Naval Officer in 4 Months

COLLEGE GRADUATE, 20 TO 28, UNMARRIED ENROLLS FOR RESERVE MIDSHIPMAN TRAINING PROGRAM. HIS FIRST MONTH IS SPENT IN BASIC TRAINING DURING WHICH TIME HE IS FREQUENTLY INTERVIEWED BY NAVAL OFFICERS. INTENSIVE STUDY AND CLASS WORK MARK THE ENSUING THREE MONTHS IN A MIDSHIPMAN TRAINING SCHOOL AT NORTHWESTERN, ON THE U.S. PRAIRIE STATE AT N.Y., OR AT THE U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY AT ANNAPOLIS. HIS REWARD... A COMMISSION FROM THE PRESIDENT AS ENSIGN, U.S. NAVAL RESERVE. ON BEING COMMISSIONED, ENSIGN GOES ON ACTIVE DUTY WITH THE FLEET, THE COASTAL PATROL, OR A SHORE STATION, TAKING HIS PLACE WITH REGULAR NAVAL OFFICERS... HE RECEIVES A BASE PAY OF \$125 A MONTH, PLUS MAINTENANCE AND LIBERAL ALLOWANCES, INCLUDING \$250 FOR UNIFORMS.

By PETER EDSON

Interests Conflict in Pipeline to the East As Serious Oil Shortage Threatens That Area

BY PETER EDSON

NEA Service Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Major readjustment of the entire scheme of distribution for petroleum products to the south and east is one of the principal problems involved in preventing serious shortages of fuel oil and gasoline in this area.

When the representatives of the major oil companies met in Washington to work out their problem with Ralph K. Davies, deputy petroleum coordinator for national defense, they are supposed to have laid all their cards on the table.

But there were so many divergent points of view, because any one solution might work a hardship on many of the competing companies, that there was only one real out: Davies had to take all the recommendations and all the objections, pray over them, and hope to come up with a solution that would do the most good to the greatest number, and work hardships on the fewest.

Biggest problem was location of the big pipeline from the Texas fields to the refineries of the Philadelphia and New York area. This one line is the key to the whole problem.

Even this whopper of a line won't solve the problem completely. If built in the optimistic estimated minimum time of 10 months. There will have to be other pipelines, and possibly tankers too.

Three other pipeline projects are in the Davies picture for relieving the situation in the east. The first, from Portland, Me., to Montreal, Canada, would cost only \$8 million, and it could be completed by January, 1942, if they get going now.

The other two much discussed projects, the Southeastern and Plantation lines, are of course hanging fire for passage of the Cole bill by Congress, giving pipelines the right of eminent domain which would permit them to cross highways and railroads, privileges now denied them by the sovereign state of Georgia, whose legislature has muzzed up the situation no end.

The Southeastern line, a Pure Oil and Gulf Oil undertaking from Port St. Joe, Fla., to Chattanooga, Tenn., is supposedly all done except for the few lengths of pipe necessary to cross each highway and railroad. The pipes are all cut and on the ground, ready to be put in place and joined.

Critics of the Senate plan declared that if \$50 is allowed, there is nothing to prevent members from voting a \$500 a month expense allowance in the future.

Proponents argue that legislators have considerable expense in connection with their duties even when the Legislature is not in session. There are letters to write, telegrams and phone calls on official business.

Most members use up their contingent expense allowance before a session is over, and few have stamps and office supplies to take home—although one candidate for the U. S. Senate, a former state representative—filed his candidacy on the letterhead of the Legislature in which he served eight years before.

Lots of shapely girls regard bathing suits as dry goods. If the sweltering weather keeps hanging on there'll be more day-

Women Invading Men's Field Further As Cafe Managers

By United Press

NEW YORK.—Restaurateurs, who have long considered their trade almost exclusively male, are meeting increasing competition from the distaff side, particularly four women whose establishments rank with the best in the country.

These four have been disproving the old theory that the multitudinous and minute details of restaurant operation—the buying, personnel, entertainment, decor—are too much for them to handle.

This was brought home forcibly to New York's scores of restaurateurs when Clara Map Downey opened one of her Olney Inns. A dollar-a-year worker in the last war, Mrs. Downey cast around for something to do after the Armistice and finally opened in 1925 a tiny three-table place at Olney, Md. Within a year it had expanded nine times.

Because so much of her trade consisted of people going to or from Florida Mrs. Downey opened an inn in Miami in 1933. Before attacking New York she spent four years in preparation, much of that time in compiling a mailing list. So she had a ready-made clientele before she opened.

Mrs. Louisa (Mama) Leone has restaurants in New York and Hollywood and in both places they rank high in Italian cuisine. A matriarch with a brood of sons to carry out her orders Mrs. Leone, on occasion has flown to the coast to attend to business details. For 35 years she has been cooking or supervising the work of her sons. It was Victor Herbert who named her "Mama" when she refused to let him eat chicken cacciatore three nights in a row.

Helen Hamilton achieved restaurant renown by making a go of The Troika in Washington. She virtually was forced into the business when her husband died and she decided that Washington folk went to night clubs when in New York thus it would be logical to duplicate a better metropolitan club. She did this—but with one innovation—she got an indirect lighting expert to evolve the most flattering lighting system for women. This has now been widely copied.

Helen Gallagher, widow of the Gallagher of Gallagher and Shean the vaudeville headliners, opened a chop house, which is distinctly a male prerogative. She arranged for special steaks and other hearty eating items and the friends who came first out of politeness now come regularly because of the cuisine.

Nowadays, it's arms, not hands, across the sea that count. In swimming season the "water that wasn't deep" takes the place of the "gun that wasn't loaded."

A picture of health looks swell framed in a bathing suit.

The world gets along lots better when people are shaking hands instead of heads.

Boot Seizures Stir Filipinos

MANILA.—Philippines authorities have abandoned hope of recovering two Filipino-owned fishing boats seized by bands of Japanese in Philippine waters.

Overpowering the Filipino crews and putting them ashore on isolated islands, the Japanese made good their escape despite widespread searches conducted by Philippine coastal patrol launches.

The boats—the Cuyo I and the Clover—were seized near the island of Palawan, on different dates. Sixty-five Japanese were reported to have seized the Cuyo I while 40 Japanese were said to have taken the Clover. The crews of both boats had Japanese members and it was reported these members assisted in "hijacking" the vessels.

Belief was expressed that the boats were sailed to a port in Formosa or Japan proper. The patron of the Clover, P. C. Tria, was quoted as saying hundreds of Japanese without passports were to be found on small isolated islands in the Philippine archipelago and apparently were awaiting opportunities to seize fishing boats to return to Japan.

The seizures provoked a stir in government circles as well as strong editorial reaction.

"The incidents in themselves are less shocking than the realization that foreigners to whom we have offered the chance to help exploit one of our most important natural resources have with impunity abused our hospitality, and may not be called to answer and make amends," said the Philippines Herald.

The Manila Bulletin described the incidents as demonstrative of a state of affairs "which will continue dangerous as long as the basic issue is dodged. There have been numerous similar incidents. The general procedure has been the same every time—much excitement for a time, proposals for a complete investigation and final-

Freckles and His Friends—By Blosser

Comic strip panels with dialogue: "HOW'S THIS, HANK?", "SWELL, BUT YOU'LL HAVE TO HOLD IT! REST WHEN YOU GET TIRED!", "WHY COULDN'T WE HAVE HAD A FEW PICTURES TAKEN BY A PHOTOGRAPHER?", "WE COULD HAVE!", "BUT I'M NO SAPI! THIS TAKES LONGER!!", "WHAT'S THIS ALL ABOUT, HE-PAL?", "WE'RE GONNA BE ON THE FRONT COVER OF A PIECE OF SHEET MUSIC!".

ly dismissal of the whole matter without any result-producing action. The Bulletin cited the 1938 clash between Japanese fishermen and police authorities of the Palawan town of Coron, and demanded courageous action on the part of the Commonwealth in handling the "long-standing problem."

The Commonwealth government it was reported, may seek the cooperation of United States naval authorities in efforts to prevent further Japanese deprivations in Philippine waters.

Length of Bond Assn Still A...

AUSTIN, Texas.—Recent session of the Legislature lasted days will be dispersed the session retains record for length...

The dispute over days for the 47th due to the last day of the session...

Immediately, talk special session, cause of a deadline bond assumption...

As a result, cost to include bond rate when they make tax rate in August...

Neither the State partition nor the surplus from the line tax can use...

LYON LAST TIMES JIMMY BETTE "THE CAME COLOR LATEST

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