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Reds Closing Trap On 100,000 Nazis

THURSDAY 1 PM DEADLINE FOR FILING NAMES

Three places on the Ranger public schools board of trustees are to be filled in an election which will be held Saturday, April 1 and persons wishing to file their names for places on the ballot must contact H. C. Wilkerson at the school tax office not later than Thursday at 1 o'clock. Wilkerson stated that the deadline had to be set at this time in order to get the ballots ready for the election. "This," he explained "does not keep voters from writing in the names of preferences other than those on the ticket, but in order for the name to be on the ticket it must be filed by 1 o'clock Thursday.

Five names have been filed for the election. They are Paul Macdonald, C. H. (Coke) Martin, Pleas Moore, M. L. King, and Chester Rogers. The three elected will replace L. L. Bruce, W. A. Lewis and F. S. Pearsall whose terms expire at this time.

The election Saturday will be held at the city hall and the polls will open at 8 o'clock.

Jeep To Pay For Boy's Education

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—Albert Odum, 15-year-old high school boy, has turned down an offer of \$2,000 for the army jeep he won at the War Bond Cavalcade last month.

The offer came from a West Texas rancher, and Odum replied: "My jeep is not for sale at present, but thanks."

After driving the jeep for a few days, Albert admitted, "I guess I'll sell it to get money for my education at Texas A. & M."

He won the jeep by guessing within two pennies of the number in a glass jar.

It's The Same Old Army

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP)—Saying that the soldiers in the present world war have the same stripes but less reason for them, thirteen old-timers who saw service in World War I and are in the army now compare the present day army life with that of the last war.

Stationed at the Fort Worth Army Air Field the thirteen believe the same barracks bull sessions exist and that it is pretty much the same army, except for different slang expressions and softer training. They insist that it is still the same old army despite new blood.

Found Pair of False Teeth

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP)—The rodeo fan who left a set of false teeth at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock show yesterday may have them by calling for them, according to the staff at the Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum.

At the close of the "swing shift" show early Sunday morning announcer Abe Lefton reminded the crowd to check their belongings before leaving. The staff believes it will hear from the owner if he gets hungry and remembers where he left them.

Pleads Own Case And Wins Verdict

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—A youthful hitch hiker's plea to Judge Jack Reeves of the city traffic court of "but, judge, didn't you ever thumb rides when you went to Rice?" got the lad off with only a warning against future offenses.

One boy, a student at the University of Houston, was accused by the complaining officer of blocking a driveway and thumbing rides.

Sweet Revenge for Spankings

HOUSTON, Tex. (UP)—Fining his mother \$2 for making a prohibited left turn and paying the fine himself high-lighted Traffic Judge Jack Reeves' last day on the bench before entering the army.

'Iron Man' 76, Hunts Cougars For 55th Year

SEATTLE. (UP)—For the 55th consecutive year, 76 year old John Hueladonk, known as "The Iron Man of Hoh" and "The Last of the Frontiersmen," is trekking deep into snow-heavy Washington foothills early this spring in quest of snarling deer-killing cougars.

Hueladonk has been hunting cougars, biggest cats on the North American continent, ever since he broke a trail to the headwaters of the Hoh River on the Olympia Peninsula over half century ago. While carving an empire for himself from the virgin forest, Hueladonk became a legend for his cougar hunting prowess and pioneer strength.

In 55 years of hunting, the frontiersman has bagged more than 150 of the big cats, including one of the largest ever killed—"Big Foot," whose bloody game killings scoured the Hoh Valley in 1936. Cougar hunting is a rugged occupation. The big cats are crafty, often leading dogs on for miles before taking to a tree. Because it is a predatory animal, there is no season or limit. It is estimated one cat will kill 40 deer each year, so the Washington state game department pays \$50 for each pelt.

Hueladonk earned the title of "The Iron Man of Hoh" in the days when all supplies to the valley were packed in on men's shoulders. He earned double by packing a double load 200 pounds.

One oft-told story has Hueladonk carrying a kitchen range on his back over a mountain trail. He met a man who asked "Isn't that stove too heavy for you?" The Iron Man slyly replied, "The stove doesn't bother me, but that 100 pound sack of flour in the oven keeps shifting around and throwing me off balance."

When queried about his reputed feats the 76 year old cougar hunter replies, tongue in cheek, "Well you weren't there, were you?"

Chicago To Hold A Second War Production Meet

CHICAGO. (UP)—The second Chicago War Production Conference, being held in response to a request by the War Department, opens here March 30 under the direction of John R. Michel, of the Commonwealth Edison Co., and Harold L. Geiger, of the International Nickel Co., co-chairman of the executive committee.

The conference is sponsored by 37 members of the Chicago Technical Societies Council in cooperation with the U. S. Army, the U. S. Navy and the War Production Board.

Slogan of the day will be "Ideas for Victory" and 32 panel sessions will be held. Attendance of more than 5,000—the number attending the first conference in the spring of 1943—is anticipated.

In a letter to the Technical Societies, Donald Nelson, WPB chairman, said: "These ideas of some of our most vital war production programs depends to a considerable extent on the job that is done in the Chicago area in the months which are just ahead of us."

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The first estimate of its kind ever made in the state, Latham did not attempt to calculate the amount of paper needed. He gave the WPB the number and size of forms needed, leaving other estimates to experts.

Father of W. M. Brown Dies In Chicago Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Brown left at noon today for Chicago where they were called by the death of Mr. Brown's father, George C. Brown, who died there Tuesday.

Mr. Brown who had often visited in the home of his son here, had been in ill health for several months, though it had not been thought that his condition was any worse recently.

Funeral services will pend the arrival of two daughters who reside in California, though in all probability they will be held Friday or Saturday.

Safe On The Move Left By Thieves

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP)—Burglars here will vouch for the difference between rolling an 1,800 pound safe and a snow ball down a hill.

When the safe, which had been taken from a filling station, hit a boulevard stop-sign, a roller broke off and the thieves fled, leaving the safe unopened.

J. B. Barnes, proprietor of the station, said the safe contained about \$10 and 1,000 gallons of ration coupons.

MRS. ANGUS DIES

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YANK BOMBER BLASTS JAP SHIP AT MAST HEIGHT



DIVING IN LOW through a hail of anti-aircraft fire, this two-motored A-26 Havoc Bomber of the U. S. Fifth Air Force starts to shoot skyward after unloading part of her cargo of bombs on a Jap ship. The enemy vessel was part of a convoy of two transports and three corvettes that were caught off Wewak, the Jap base in New Guinea. All five ships were sunk by the U. S. bombers. Signal Corps photo. (International)

ALLIES FEEDING MOUNT VESUVIUS REFUGEES



A LONG LINE of Italian refugees who had to flee from their homes after Mt. Vesuvius erupted, file past soup kitchens set up by the Allied Military Government. Although the lava flow appears definitely to be over, the problem of feeding thousands of homeless still remains. O. W. I. radiophoto. (International)

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Phi Beta Kappa Gets Six Zeros, Japanese Variety

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. (UP)—The popular song "Johnny" may have "got a zero" in school as well as in the South Pacific, but Phi Beta Kappas get Jap planes too—six of them in 45 minutes if they're as quick on the trigger as Lt. "Jimmy" Shubin of (1938 Baltimore Ave., Dumont, Pa.).

The 24-year-old fighter pilot scholar as well as fighting proficiency told of his Guadalcanal battle at the Army Air Forces Redistribution Station here.

"We jumped a fighter formation before it saw us," Shubin said, "and I got one zero on the first dive. Then as the Japs pulled up to open battle, one of them stood in ray sight. He went down flaming."

Engine trouble forced the other Lightnings of Shubin's flight back to the base, and he suddenly found himself alone with five of the enemy.

"We ripped the sky apart then in a fight that lasted 35 minutes," he said. "I'd never have come out alive if my P-38 hadn't had an advantage of speed and climb."

"Sometimes we were whirling in a complete circle. I'd be firing at the fifth plane in their line, and the first Jap would be on my tail. Then I'd have to dive and climb, and dive on them again."

"I got one and it went down smoking. Then I caught another and he was beginning to fall apart as he dropped out of the fight. The other three Japs were determined to get me, but I got two more and the last one took a powder."

Returning to his base, Shubin claimed only the first two he'd hit, but a group of infantry officers on Guadalcanal, watching his battle through field glasses, confirmed his hope that the last four had also dropped into the sea.

Navy Has Post Office To Handle Allotments Alone

WASHINGTON. (UP)—A most important post office, which handled 3,250,000 pieces of outgoing mail during February alone is unique in that it has no postage stamps, money orders or war stamps for sale.

This singular post office as large as the one in Miami, Fla., is important to thousands of wives and children of Navy fighting men, since all Navy allowance and allotment checks come from there. It is a part of the field branch of the Navy's bureau of supplies and accounts in Cleveland.

In addition to its outgoing mail, this post office also handled 180,000 pieces of incoming mail and 12,000 pieces of registered mail in February. It is staffed by 35 workers, some of them civilians and some enlisted men who were in the postal service before joining the Navy. The office is steadily expanding and expected to handle more than 5,000,000 pieces of mail monthly, by autumn, 1944.

From Fort Sam Houston comes the information that Cpl. Tommy H. McNutt, son of Mrs. Ethel McNutt, R. F. N. No. 2, Eastland has just completed a course in cooking at the Bakers and Cooks school, operated by the Army Service Forces at Fort Sam Houston.

Jeep Makes Ice Cream for Airmen

A SOUTH PACIFIC BOMBER BASE (UP)—Jeeps have been used for practically everything in this war, but a medium bomber squadron at this South Pacific base has put one to a new use—to make ice cream.

Before the squadron left the states last Oct. 1, Jack Manasco, of Jasper, Ala., was delegated to buy an ice machine to take along. He made the purchase, but when it was set up at a South Pacific base, the boys decided they had been stung because their "new" ice machine turned out to be a used one which wouldn't work.

Lt. William A. Larkin of Miami Fla., transportation officer of the squadron appropriated an old jeep which had gone to the scrap pile, and reconditioned its motor. Meanwhile, S-Sgt Henry W. Lohmann, Grand Island, Neb., T-Sgt. Roger F. Williams, Brewster, N. Y., and M-Sgt. William J. Norris, Birmingham, Ala., all refrigerator men in civilian life—got busy on the ice making part of the machine.

Then they hooked up the machine to the jeep's crankshaft to furnish power and it worked as good as new. Now cook Sgt. Fred Barringer of Tuscaloosa, Ala., turns out ice cream in the jeep-powered machine from a mixture of canned milk, sugar, water, flavoring and fruit when available.

Barringer says he'd like to get some of that ice cream mix he's heard about to use in the jeep-powered freezer.

Streak Of Fire Gives Fat Man A Run For His Life

SAN ANTONIO (UP)—A three-block stream of fire that chased an unidentified fat man through the streets was caused by the ignition of a stream of gasoline that leaked from a large tank truck.

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Daily Newspaper For Men on Front Sent Ranger Girl

Mrs. Roger Greenwood whose husband, Sgt. Greenwood, is with the Fifth Army in Italy has received from him a copy of the Italian Edition of The Stars and Stripes (Mediterranean).

The paper is published five days a week and according to information therein is printed at the plant of Li Mattino, 7 Anguillara Galleria. Credit is given in the paper to various news services and in a check with other news papers of the same date, the news headlines carry the same information on the progress of the war as we received in the States.

In a column captioned "Mail Call" and which contains letters from the boys, one reader has suggested that since Joe Palooka and many other comic strip characters have gone to war "why hasn't Lil Abner been drafted?" Another letter asks what will be done about the "black market in Italy" which has been exposed and another letter suggests the taking of blood from men overseas for the Red Cross blood bank.

Servicemen Laud Woman for Double Effort At Home

SEATTLE. (UP)—Mrs. Inez Boswell, who works a full shift at the Boeing Aircraft Co. in Seattle besides managing a farm at Snohomish, Wash., was even more determined today to continue her heavy schedule for the duration.

A Marine pilot, Lt. C. E. Gaspard, wrote Mrs. Boswell that "it's good to know a lot of you people back there are putting out as much as any of us."

Mrs. Boswell has received many letters from servicemen overseas praising her for her working day, during which she spends 16 to 18 hours at Boeing and also does housework and farm chores alone. Among her "fan" letters is one from Capt. Evan Sutherland of the Canadian army.

"It is such workers as you who really inspire us chaps to go about our duties more determined than ever to do a good job," his letter said.

Lines Between Nazi Armies In Italy Are Cut

NAPLES (UP)—Official Allied spokesmen say Allied bombers have cut all railroad lines between the Nazi armies in southern Italy and their supply centers in the north.

Bottleneck points on every railroad are said to have been smashed, with four key bridges and a tunnel destroyed or damaged beyond repair.

Herman McKinney Injured In Car, Truck Accident

Herman McKinney received injuries of the head in a collision of a cattle truck and a passenger car about four miles east of Ranger, Tuesday night.

McKinney was taken to the West Texas Hospital following the accident where it was stated that there were severe cuts about the scalp and forehead. Cause of the accident was not stated.

ONE RAILROAD AND SEA ONLY ROUTES LEFT FOR ESCAPE

Russian Forces are advancing swiftly through southern Rzesarabia in a drive to trap some 10,000 Germans still in the lower Ukraine. If they can reach the Black Sea, before the Nazis get out, a trap will be closed on a scale believed to be comparable to Stalingrad. The enemy troops are pocketed in a big bulge above the Black Sea Port of Odessa. Just one railroad—one already threatened by the Russians—and the Sea are their last routes of escape.

About 250 American Flying Fortresses attacked central Germany today. Several hundred fighter planes escorted them, and Nazi broadcasts reported fierce air battles.

At the same time American Liberator bombers attacked the Pas De Calais area of the French invasion coast.

In Italy, the Germans have regained control of the upper slopes of Mount Cassino. Two Allied units which were isolated there have been withdrawn under the diversionary fire of a terrific Allied artillery barrage.

In London, Prime Minister supports him on a minor domestic issue. Churchill demanded that commonsense give him a vote of confidence and reject a measure granting equal pay for men and women teachers, which it passed yesterday over government protest.

Dies Committee Charges CIO With Subversive Work

WASHINGTON—The Dies Committee has attacked the CIO political action committee as what the Congressional group calls "a subversive communist campaign."

The Dies committee says the CIO group is attempting to subvert Congress to what it terms its totalitarian program.

The Dies committee further claims that Sidney Hillman, chairman of the CIO political action committee, is the real communist leader in the United States—rather than Earl Browder.

In a 215-page report, signed by chairman Dies and several other members of the Dies committee Hillman is charged with having entered into coalition with communists for the purpose of building the CIO political action committee.

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GUIDE WASHINGTON

Devotion of Horse is Solemn Occasion

WASHINGTON—The first time since the shock of Pearl Harbor I felt personally close to the war, the latter struggle, its logic and horror became a reality to me in the dining room of the British embassy...

On the other hand, the ambassador was speaking to the slim U. S. officer who stood before him. 'I have the honor to confer the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement in combat on Lieut. Col. Ronald C. Young, U.S.A.A.F., group commander, executive officer and pilot of P-38 Type aircraft in the North African theater of operations...

Now it was an intricate relationship, they chose, United States Navy. The Distinguished Flying Cross is conferred on Flight Lieut. Arthur G. Donahue (Lieutenant), Earl Haskins' voice was saying. 'The recipient of the award is a pilot, his name is Earl Haskins, and he is a member of the United States Navy...

Who were those men before the ever grinning them? Later we had to find out. I had a chance to talk to the receivers of the shiny new medals and to the best of their ability...

One of the horses had been a famous steed in a show in a small midwest town. Another habit 'got' excited quite when he doubled over day 18...

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OLDEN NEWS

OLDEN, Tex., March 28.—Miss Jean Marlow of Brantley-Daughlin's Business College, Abilene, spent the week end with her folks here.

Mrs. J. W. Swathers from Memphis, Tenn., is visiting the mother, Mrs. Jewel Swathers and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kuhn in the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Bailey Stark of Abilene, spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Stella Jarrett. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Everett, entertained with a family reunion at their home over the weekend.

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THE LONE RANGER

THEY'RE SWEARIN' N MEMBERS OF THE POSSE, SHORTY! THINK WE SHOULD JOIN UP?

WAL... I WENT TO THE CAFE IN TOWN...

DID YOU SURE I DID? I SPOKE TO LOTS OF THE BOYS WAS IN THERE!

WELL... I FOUND INNOCENT!

HOW MESSOURI! DON'T YOU GO TO PIECES! YOU GOTTA HELP US! SAVE YOU!

I KNOW I DON'T KNOW SOMEBODY PUT YOUR TRACKS OUTSIDE OF TOWN! WE TO MORE YOUR SHOPS?

IN SOME WAY I DON'T KNOW I DID HAVE TO PUT YOUR TRACKS OUTSIDE OF TOWN! WE TO MORE YOUR SHOPS?

IM TRAVIN' TUN RECOLLECT I DID HAVE A DRINK!

BUT ONLY ONE! THE SHERIFF BOUGHT IT FOR ME!

YIPPEE! I GOT THE PROOF!

HER/THERS ONE IS SWELL!

WELL PICK OUT ONE!

HE WENT SOBE SADI'F WAS GOOD PUBLICIT'!

DEB/HE WAS DEN/OKAY—TILL HE FELL ON HIS CAMERA!

A WHOLE DIVISION? THAT'S ABOUT FIFTEEN OR TWENTY THOUSAND MEN! GUESS!

WELL PICK OUT ONE!

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WELL PICK OUT ONE!

LITTLE ANNIE ROONEY

LOOK BILL! IT'S STARTING TO RAIN—

WE WERE LUCKY TO FINISH UP NOW LET IT RAIN—

THAT PLATFORM LEAKS AWFUL—LET'S GET IN THE BOX CAR UNTIL THE RAIN STOPS—

DON'T BE SCARED, ZERB! PRETTY SOON THIS CAR WILL GET TO WHEREVER IT'S GOIN'—THEN THEY'LL OPEN THE DOOR!

I DON'T KNOW WHERE ANNIE AND ZERB ARE! EVEN IF I DID WOULD I TELL A SNEAKING CHISELING CROOK LIKE YOU!

SUPPOSE I TELL THE POLICE YOU'RE HIDING THEM TO GET THE REWARD?

REWARD? SO WHAT? I WANT TO BUY ZERB!

GEE ZERO, THE CAR IS MOVIN' AN' I CAN'T OPEN THE DOOR!

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ANNOUNCEMENT

We have reopened our tin shop at 112 North Athlith St.

Specializing in sheet metal work, plumbing, radiators for repair.

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Advertisement for E.R. Green, D.C. Chiropractor

Advertisement for Fire & Casualty Hospitalization Insurance

Advertisement for Bell's Shoe Shop

Advertisement for Killingsworth's

Advertisement for Billfolds

Advertisement for Tibe Inspection Station

Advertisement for Browns Storage and Transfer

Advertisement for Fran Striker

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VICTORY GARDEN HINTS GIVEN BY COUNTY AGENT

"A Stitch in Time Saves Nine" is the old saying, and it will be paraphrased, "A Bug in Time Saves Nine Hundred and Ninety-nine."

Don't wait until the cut worms begin cutting down your garden plants to begin poisoning for if you do the poison material used has to compete with the desired host, the plants. And in many instances the cut worms eats the plants instead of the poison bran. The best should be put out at the

time of planting the seed since the cut worms are already in the ground and are seeking for something to eat. When they are provided with poison bait, they are killed and since there is not another generation this year the plants are protected 100 per cent.

To make cut worm bait; Thoroughly mix 5 lbs. of wheat bran and 1 tablespoonful paris green. Mix one half pint cheap molasses and one half gallon water. Slowly add liquid to bran mixture and stir thoroughly until well mixed. Spread in late afternoon. This mixture will treat one half acre garden. This will necessitate spreading very thin over garden.

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acre or more will require a larger capacity, say one half or three quarter gallon. This duster should be shaped that the under side of the plant leaves can be dusted by the gardener in a standing position. These guns are inexpensive, costing from \$1.25 up. They will last ten years, if properly greased and cared for.

Bulletin C-197 entitled Save Victory Gardens From Insect Pests gives the common insects and control measures. This may be had by writing your county agent.

There are a few things of importance in insect control:

- (1) Start treatment immediately when bugs appear.
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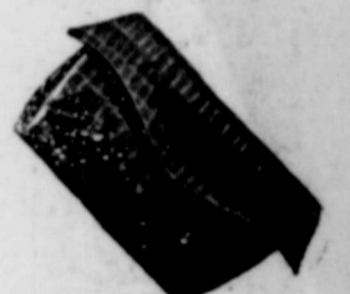
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(This is the seventh installment of the newly-revised, up-to-the-minute version of their important book, *The Problems of Lasting Peace*, prepared especially for this series by Herbert Hoover, thirty-first President of the United States and Hugh Gibson, former minister to Poland and Ambassador to Belgium and Brazil.)

INSTALLMENT VII

Long-View Problems of Peace

AMONG the dreadful degenerations of these last thirty years of war, revolution, and disorder, if Western civilization is to be saved from another relapse into the Dark Ages, it must be saved by far more intelligent settlement of a hundred long-view problems than ever before. Never will humanity need more objectivity, more tolerance and more vision, more open and more prayerful minds.

We have proposed the mechanics of peace making as leadership of the four principal nations, a conditional peace covering urgent questions, a Transition Period in which long-view questions may be solved in such fashion as to lay secure foundations of peace and, finally, the erection thereon of some "world institution" to preserve peace.

This temple where the flame of peace is to be kept will not endure unless the foundations are more deeply and more securely laid than at Versailles.

We may observe that, if we scan the history of modern Western civilization, we can see that following long periods of world wars and world disorder, new shapes and new forms of nations have emerged. We must expect new forms and new directions from the gigantic explosion beginning in 1914. No one can pretend to see these coming shapes and forms clearly.

Yet there are some things we do know now. There are definite problems arising out of the last war and the last peace. Definite problems have already risen out of this war. We know that the old deologic and economic forces—extreme nationalism, imperialism, aggressive militarism and the stiches of fear, hate and revenge will take part in the peace settlements as they did in 1919 although they may be unbidden and unwelcome guests. But on the other hand, the will and the prayers of a stricken world for a lasting peace will echo through those halls.

We propose now to discuss the long-view problems and to search for some specific deductions, some experience, and some lessons that emerge from the long struggle of humanity to deal with them.

We will first deal with the ideological forces and the immediate problems that arise out of them. The importance of religious faith, of social, economic, political, artistic, and scientific ideas in

shaping the form of the world and the making of its wars and peace is not to be estimated as less than that of other basic forces. Over the long range of history, they are the determining factors in civilization.

One thing is certain: that is, that the ideas which involve human belief and faith contain a militant crusading spirit. Within them is inherent aggressiveness. And ideological wars, whether religious or temporal, are more cruel and more bitter than were the wars of mere conquest or exploitation.

The settlement of enemy countries will confront us with a positive, ideological problem. So far as America is concerned this war is a crusade against Totalitarianism in general, and against Nazism and Fascism in particular. Americans want once and for all to end these great forces of military aggression.

We believe that in this problem we must make up our minds to certain distinctions. That distinction is between insisting upon representative government on one hand and insisting upon our ideas of the Bill of Rights and personal liberty on the other.

We have suggested under the "conditional" peace—the immediate call of freely chosen representative constitutional assemblies or parliamentary bodies in all liberated and enemy countries. This is absolutely necessary for enemy areas in any event, in order that dictatorship shall be replaced by some sort of authorized and stable government with which to deal.

But when we come to imposing our ideology of personal liberty and free will we are taking on an impossible task. Personal liberty cannot be imposed by machine guns. Wrong ideas cannot be cured by war or by treaty or by radio broadcasts. Liberty does not come like manna from heaven; it must be cultivated from rocky soil with infinite patience and great human toil.

If we reestablish representative government for the enemy peoples, the door has been opened for their own development of ideas or personal freedom if their people want it. If freedom can have a reasonable opportunity, it will rise again in those countries.

A proof of the more peaceful character of representative government is that during the last fifty years the major development of pacific settlement of controversies by international law, international co-operation, mediation and arbitration, has mostly been by the hands of such nations. In such self-denying agreements as the Kellogg-Briand Pact, based entirely on morals and reason there has not been a single violation by important representative governments.

So long after the last war as these representative forms of government lasted in Germany, Austria and Italy, and the smaller Eastern states, the face of these countries was turned toward peace.

Our suggestion is that American policies of lasting peace require the reestablishment of representative government in enemy states but that we make no attempt to force the personal freedoms upon nations.

But the reestablishment of representative governments is not enough. They are a delicate growth. Instead of nursing them through their infancy after the last war, the European powers allowed them to disintegrate and to be undermined. The revolt from liberalism, which laid the train for this present war, was in part due to the attitude of the Allies toward the former enemy governments and in part to the aggressive forces which had not been curbed. Hitler was a product, not a cause.

Therefore, if we want the principle of representative government to prevail, we must make up our minds now to make such a peace as will not only initiate it but nurture it in the enemy states for long years to come.

Also, if the world is to have peace there is another problem of ideologies. There must be an end to revolutionary propaganda by direct or indirect subsidy or action of foreign governments which they are liberal or totalitarian. It is a form of aggression as obnoxious as war. There can be no lasting peace if it is to be allowed to continue, for it is a prime stimulant of hate and conflict.

We suggest that as a principle of peace such propaganda should be abandoned by all nations.

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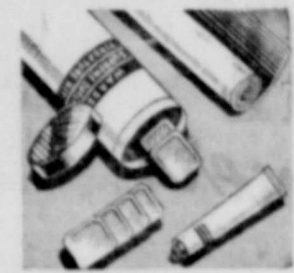
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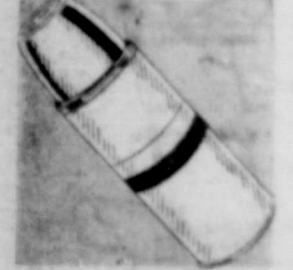
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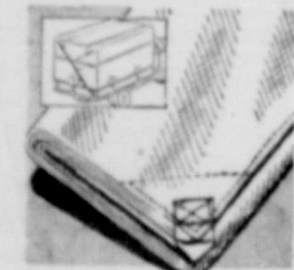
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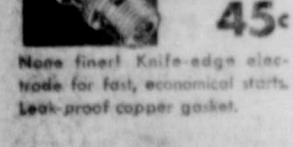
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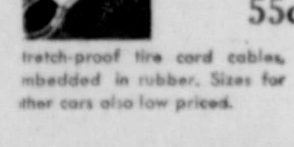
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Mrs. Mills Davenport, circle chairman, presided over a short business session after which Mrs. May gave a report on the recent conference in Eastland. A deputation with an Easter theme was given by Mrs. Lillian Wolf and Mrs. Floyd Killingsworth led an Easter quiz during the social hour. Tying for highest places in the quiz were Mrs. Paul MacDonaid and Mrs. Mills Davenport.

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The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Gaston Dixon with Mrs. J. L. Lattimer assisting the hostess.

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