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## Reds Beaten Back Along Entire Border

### Another Division Is Said Surrounded in Southern Finland

HELSINKI, Jan. 10 (AP)—Two hundred Russians were left dead on the battlefield north of Lake Ladoga today when Finnish forces dispersed a soviet battalion and took 40 prisoners, a Finnish communique announced.

WITH THE FINNISH ARMY NEAR RAATE, Jan. 10. (AP).—Finnish troops established positions along a 30-mile stretch of Russian border in central Finland today after 14 days of heavy fighting during which two Russian divisions were smashed.

Ski troops were completing work of mopping up fleeing Russians of the 44th and 163rd divisions. The area directly east of Lake Kianta for some distance north and south is in Finnish hands.

Fighting was continuing with reports of another Russian division surrounded at Kukkamaki, to the south.

MOSCOW, Jan. 10. (AP).—An official communique early today admitted the red army had withdrawn "several kilometers" east of Suomussalmi as a result of severe fighting in that sector on the Finnish eastern front.

Finnish army leaders have declared two Russian divisions, the 163rd and the 44th, were wiped out in the last 12 days in fighting north and southeast of Suomussalmi, 15 miles west of the frontier.

The text of the Russian communique said:

"On January 9, in the Ukhta sector, fighting between infantry units took place, as a result of which soviet troops withdrew several kilometers east of Suomussalmi.

## Old Age Pensions to Be Mailed This Week

AUSTIN, Jan. 10. (AP).—While the number of pensioners dropped slightly from last month, the January payments to Texas' needy aged increased 16 cents to average \$8.91, public welfare director Adam Johnson announced today.

Johnson said 12,006 checks, a decrease of 335 from December, totaling \$1,079,553, would be mailed this week.

## Pioneer Couple Celebrates Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miles Sr. of the Warfield community celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary Tuesday. They were complimented at their home with a surprise party given by their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Miles Jr., Tuesday evening.

A group of friends and neighbors from Midland, Odessa, and the Warfield community were invited to the party. Gifts were presented to the honorees and refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles are well-known among pioneer residents of this area, having lived here for many years. Only a few months separate the couple in age, both now being 69 years of age.

Attending the anniversary party from Midland were Misses Eddie and Christine Moore and Mrs. W. R. Mann.

## Three British Planes Reported Shot Down

BERLIN, Jan. 10. (AP).—Three British Blenheim planes out of nine attackers were shot down today over Heligoland Bight, German officials announced.

## Ideas on Restoration of Peace In World Advanced by President

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. (AP).—Word that President Roosevelt has both ideas and ideals on restoring peace in the world came Tuesday from two conferences at the White House.

At the first, Mr. Roosevelt talked with leaders of the Lutheran Seventh Day Adventist, and Northern and Southern Baptist churches about his designation of Myron Taylor to work with the Vatican for peace.

One of the churchmen, Dr. Rufus W. Weaver, chairman of the Southern Baptist public relations committee, said they got the impression Mr. Roosevelt "wouldn't have taken this action unless he cherished some hopes" for peace—hopes that "might find some practical encouragement by spring."

Later, at a press conference, the chief executive said he would not put it quite that way. He added that he merely had set forth ideals that should not, at present, be reduced to factual language.

He said he had admonished the group to say nothing of his peace objectives because he did not want them regarded as 14 points of peace, or any other number of points. This was an obvious reference to Presi-

## Husband Is Safe



The modern age of feminine ascendancy reached its climax when Mrs. Ethel Wolfson, 16, was convicted in Wheeling, W. Va., on charges of beating her husband. She is shown in jail where she will spend the next 30 days.

## Germans May Be Forced to Choose Between Nations

BUDAPEST, Jan. 10. (AP).—Foreign observers asserted Tuesday the defensive alliance reported arranged by Hungary and Italy probably would compel Germany to make an unwilling choice between continued friendship with these two powers and her records with Soviet Russia.

While reports indicated the alliance provides for Italy to come to the aid of Hungary in the event of an invasion by either Germany or Russia, informed sources said it was directed mainly against Russia.

Foreign Minister Count Istvan Cskay hurried directly from the station today to Premier Count Pal (Paul) Telesi and his ministers to report on his negotiations with Italian Foreign Minister Count Galeazzo Ciano.

Afterward Telesi and Cskay went to the palace for an audience with Hungary's regent, Admiral Nicholas Horthy. Informed sources said both Horthy and the cabinet welcomed the reported alliance.

Adolf Hitler was said to be consulting his advisers on how to reconcile Russian friendship and Nazi ties with Hungary and Italy.

Should Hitler decide to sign a definite military alliance with Russia, competent circles in Budapest said he probably could not avoid an open break with Hungary and Italy.

## Tester for Dairy Association on Job

Calvin D. Holcomb of Hale county, a graduate of Texas Tech, has arrived in Midland to become the official tester for the Midland county dairy association.

Holcomb will test each herd once a month, officially reporting on the quantity and quality of milk produced by cattle in each herd.

While at Tech, Holcomb was a member of the champion National dairy cattle judging team.

He will make his headquarters here in the office of the county agent in the court house.

## IN MILITARY ACADEMY.

Friends here have been informed that Charles E. Richard, Gile, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Gile formerly of Midland, are now attending St. James Military Academy at Fairbault, Minn.

## House Committee Favors Budget of President Today

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. (AP).—The house appropriations committee approved, in general, today President Roosevelt's recommendations for an immediate emergency defense and neutrality outlays and proposed congress provide \$267,197,000 for the army, navy, coast guard and federal bureau of investigation.

The money would go for work already started or expected to be undertaken during the remaining fiscal year ending June 30 in connection with neutrality patrols, increases in and training military personnel and counter-espionage.

## Negro Solon Says GOP Trying to Buy Votes of Colored

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. (AP).—The House heard its only negro member, Rep. Mitchell (D-Til), denounce the Republican party Tuesday with "trying to buy back the negro vote" with the pending anti-lynching bill.

His accusation, in the midst of a quiet, almost perfunctory renewal of a controversy that recurs in every Congress, started something. Several Republicans sought recognition to express their resentment and Rep. Fish (R-NY) caustically inquired whether the negro vote was for sale.

"Every vote in the United States is for sale," Mitchell said. "Not for money, but for rights and justice."

Rep. McDowell (R-Pa) accused Mitchell, ardent proponent of the bill, of trying to alienate the Republic from its support but asserted that 98 per cent of his party colleagues would vote for it.

Rep. Secombe (R-Ohio) produced a letter which he said Mitchell wrote to a constituent last November agreeing to take up a matter with the WPA if the constituent could first produce a letter from his ward committee.

"That indicates," said Secombe, "who is trying to buy votes, and who is not, and who is trying to buy the negro vote and who is not."

Rep. Burdick (R-ND) asserted Mitchell's statement was a reason for voting against the bill but that Mitchell did not "represent the negro race in this country." He announced he would reserve judgment as to how he would vote.

## Fritz Kreisler To Appear at San Angelo

SAN ANGELO, Jan. 10. (Special).—Fritz Kreisler, regarded by critics as the greatest living violinist, will appear in a concert at the city auditorium here on the night of January 29.

Kreisler is being presented by the San Angelo Junior College, this being his first appearance in the Southwest.

Music lovers throughout this section are urged to take note of this important because of the opportunity of hearing Mr. Kreisler. The admission for public school and college students is one dollar and for adults, two dollars. Tickets may be ordered by addressing W. H. Elkins, president of San Angelo College, or Carl Brumblow, music director; or they may be purchased at the box office the night of the performance.

## Hagen and Party May Play on Local Links

Prospects are strong for a visit soon to the Midland Country Club's sports, reconstructed golf course by Walter Hagen, Dick Metz and Jimmy McGonagill, world famous golfers, according to advice received by Gailor Nowell, local pro.

The trio are expected to stop here en route to the San Antonio tournament which opens February 7, and probably will play an exhibition match at Midland.

## Protests Are Voiced Against Nomination Of Murphy to Bench

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10. (AP).—Senator Burke, democrat, Nebraska, said today a "number" of protests against the appointment of Alton Murphy, General Frank Murphy to the supreme court had been received by the senate judiciary committee.

He said he would call his subcommittee tomorrow to decide whether the complaints warranted a hearing.

## Canadian Troops On Western Front

PARIS, Jan. 10. (AP).—Several detachments of Canadian troops, the first to join the British expeditionary force, were reported to have arrived in France today.

HAS TONSILLECTOMY. Mrs. Robert R. Jones underwent a tonsillectomy in a Midland hospital this morning.

# GERMAN PLANE BASE RAIDED BY BRITISH

## Ex-Texas Governors Get Together



Attending the Jackson Day dinner in the Adolphus Hotel, Dallas, were four ex-governors of Texas. They are pictured, left to right, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hobby, James E. Ferguson, O. B. Colquitt and Pat Neff. Myron Blalock, former state Democratic chairman, is shaking hands with Mrs. Hobby.

## House Elected President of Country Club

Directors and officers of Midland Country Club, Inc., were elected at the annual meeting held Tuesday evening at the club house, including: president, John W. House; vice-president, R. W. Hamilton, both of whom are ex-officio directors; and directors, Don Sivalis, Paul Otew, A. E. Horner, O. C. Harper, R. Patterson, H. J. Kemler, Addison Wagley, Lem Peters and Paul McHardie.

The secretary-treasurer is appointed by the directors. W. I. Pratt has been serving in that capacity. Gailor Nowell is club professional.

Extensive improvements were completed by the club in 1939, bringing the estimated value of improvements alone to \$40,000. The club originally was built at a cost of \$20,000, including land, and incorporated for that amount. Club members during the past year gave half of their stock back to the club for resale, in order to double the membership. The value of each stockholder's shares now is estimated at double the original amount. Details of the improvements made last year will be given in a special article in this paper Sunday.

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## Scouting Course Is Held Tuesday Night

First session of the course, "Introduction to Scouting," was held at the Scout Hall Tuesday evening, attendance of 35 persons interested in the scout movement in Midland being reported. Second and third periods of the course for scouts will be held on next Monday and Tuesday evenings, all men interested in Boy Scout work, especially fathers of Boy Scouts, are cordially invited and urged to attend. Clinton Lackey, chairman of the leadership and training committee of the Midland district, presided at the Tuesday evening session. He was assisted by Stanley Mate, field executive of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America.

Interesting and educational discussions on various phases of the scout program by Rev. John E. Pickering and Col. John Perkins featured last night's meeting, all in attendance joining in the discussions.

The course being conducted on a regular troop meeting basis, patrols were organized and the troop set-up completed at the initial meeting last night. The patrols and patrol leaders are as follows: Rattlesnake Patrol, Russell C. Conkling and Wallace Wimberly, leaders; Bobwhite Patrol, R. F. Peters and Al Leeper, leaders; Lobo Patrol, Charlie Vicellio and Guy W. Breneman, leaders; Black Cat Patrol, Bill Collins and Buster Howard, leaders. Stanley Mate is scoutmaster; amyond Upham, assistant scoutmaster, and Clinton Lackey, senior patrol leader.

A game session in which all scouts attending took part was a highlight of the Tuesday evening session, a good time being reported by all.

A brief, inspirational talk by Scoutmaster Mate brought the initial meeting to a close.

## Employers Are Not Forced to Sign in Unions, Court Rules

CHICAGO, Jan. 10. (AP).—The United States Circuit Court of Appeals ruled Tuesday that the Wagner Act does not compel an employer to sign a contract with a labor organization.

The three judges so agreed in reversing a precedent setting National Labor Relations Board order directing the Inland Steel co. to bargain with the Steel Workers Organizing Committee and to put any agreement they may reach into writing.

The court remanded the case to the NLRB for a new hearing and opined that under the Wagner Act collective bargaining procedure is "mandatory" but the "result is not."

It explained that if Congress had intended to place upon the employer the duty of entering into a written agreement, it would have so provided.

The judges concluded that the trial examiner who conducted hearings on the CIO union's complaint against Inland showed a "hostile attitude" toward the company. The court made this criticism of labor board practices.

"This record as a whole discloses the danger of imposing upon a single agency the multiple duties of prosecutor, judge, jury and executioner."

The labor board order was issued in 1938. It was the first time a company had been directed to sign a contract covering any agreement it evolved with a union. The edict was hailed by labor leaders. It attracted wide attention at the time because the CIO's demand for a written agreement was the paramount issue in the "little steel" strike against Inland and three other independent steel makers in 1937.

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## Cities Are Exempted Of Paying Gasoline Taxes to the State

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## North Pecos Ordovician Test Shuts Down After Coring Four Feet Deeper

By FRANK GARDNER.

The most closely watched wildcat in the south Permian Basin, Olson Drilling Company and Bryce McCandless No. 1 Mrs. Virginia W. Crockett, in northern Pecos county, this morning was shut down for orders after coring four feet deeper without finding any additional showings. Two two-foot cores were cut, with six-inch recovery of each.

The well now is bottomed at 4483 feet in hard cherty dolomite. At old total depth of 4479, it had sprayed several barrels of 45.6-gravity oil per day, with an estimated three and one-half million cubic feet of gas, after acidizing with 2,000 gallons. The well topped the Ellenberger, lower Ordovician, at 4491 feet, higher than producers from the same formation in the Apco pool two miles to the northeast. No. 1 Crockett is located in section 5, block 110, T. C. R. R. survey.

Depth of 3,310 feet in Permian lime had been reached early today by Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 Mrs. Bertha D. Young, north Pecos Ordovician test, eight and one-half miles northwest of the Apco pool.

Continental Oil Company et al No. 1 J. S. Todd unit, central Crockett county Ordovician test, will shoot tomorrow with approximately 1,200 quarts of nitro in the Strawn, topped at 5,950, and the Ellenberger, topped at 6,256. Hole is bottomed at 6,332 feet, bridged back from total depth of 7,000. Circinoidal lime in the Strawn, lower Pennsylvanian, as did the upper part of the Ellenberger. Conoco et al No. 2 Todd, scheduled deep test three-fourths of a mile northwest, is drilling below 435 feet in red rock.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 4 Todd unit, shallow Permian find in the same area, is awaiting arrival of high-pressure crew to run tubing with packer. Total depth is 1,225 feet in lime, and it tested natural flow through casing of 33.6 barrels of oil in three hours on last gauge. One-half mile to the west, Conoco No. 1-32 Todd logged rain-bow show of oil at 880 feet and is drilling ahead below 905 in sand. Stanolind No. 7-A Todd unit, 4,000 feet east of No. Todd, had drilled past 745 feet in red beds.

Tops Solid Lime. Solid lime was topped at 3,335 feet, datum of minus 720, by Stanolind No. 1 W. F. Cowden heirs, northern Ector county wildcat. On the marker, it is said to be running 26 feet higher than Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 Holt, discovery producer of the North Cruden deep pay two and one-quarter miles to the southeast. No. 1 Cowden was drilling below 3,860 feet in lime at last reports.

A. & M. Oil Company No. 2 J. L. Johnson, in the Foster pool, pumped 485.76 barrels of 35.4-gravity oil on 24-hour test, with gas-oil ratio of 452-1. It topped pay at 4,187, reached total depth of 4,283, and was shot with 400 quarts.

In the North Cowden pool, Proderick & Calvert No. 9-A Holt flowed 1,807.11 barrels on 24-hour gauge after shooting with 420 quarts in pay from 4,195 to 4,390 feet, the total depth. Oil tested 35.4-gravity and gas-oil ratio 640-1.

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## Results Not Announced on Fight Today

### Admiralty Announces Nazi Warplanes Sink Two British Ships

LONDON, Jan. 10. (AP)—British warplanes carried the war to Germany's shores today in an outburst of renewed air and sea warfare.

British sent warplanes over Germany's northwest coast on what they called reconnaissance flights and "security patrols" over German mine-laying bases in the Frisian islands.

Dispatches from Copenhagen indicated Britons ran into a battle. Vivid flashes through the early dawn and the rumble of cannonading along with sighting numerous aircraft indicated an air battle over the island of Sylt, German air base.

This followed an attack by German warplanes upon 12 ships in British waters yesterday. A German communique asserted eight vessels were sunk while the British acknowledged the sinking of only two.

The admiralty announced the 1,985-ton British vessel Oak Grove was sunk with an undetermined number of casualties after an air attack. They also reported the 680-ton British steamer Gowrie had been sunk.

A terrific mine explosion last night ripped the 10,002-ton British passenger liner Dunbar Castle in two after Nazi warplanes in an intense invasion of British coastal waters had bombed or machine-gunned 11 British or neutral ships, sinking at least three.

Two other ships, or six in all, were newly reported sunk in the last few days in the sharp burst of sea-air warfare. Loss of life totaled at least 34.

Superb rescue work off the southeast coast saved all the Dunbar Castle's 48 passengers and all but three of her 150 crewmen. The master and two seamen were killed.

Passengers from the wrecked liner, owned by the Union Castle Mail Steamship Line and bound for the Cape of Good Hope with 198 men, women and children, reached London early today, some of them wrapped in blankets.

They told how the explosion plunged the ship into darkness and said the lifeboats had trouble getting away because of the suction of water, rushing through the broken hull.

The ship cracked clean in half after the boats were away, they related.

Captain H. A. Causton was on the bridge at the time of the explosion. He was found dead at the door of his cabin. His body and those of the two crewmen were brought ashore.

The admiralty announced that one British vessel and two Danish ships, just off the east coast to the north of where the Dunbar Castle was blown up. Raked by machine gun fire were five fishing smacks, a lightship tender and two other ships, unidentified as yet. One man was killed and 32 wounded out of the tender's crew of 40.

The ships which the admiralty said were sunk by German aircraft were:

S.S. Gowrie, British, 669 - tons, crew saved.

S.S. Ivan Kondrup, Danish, 3,369 tons, ten missing, eleven saved.

S.S. Feddy, Danish, 955 tons, fate of crew unknown.

The Nazi aerial attacks, which involved nearly a dozen ships during Tuesday along the east English coast, were aimed at unscouted vessels, the admiralty charged. One of the Danish ships sank three hours (See PLANE BASE, page 6)

## BULLETIN

Judge Ed M. Whitaker, prominent Midland attorney, today announced his candidacy for the office of judge of civil appeals court.

Judge Higgins, incumbent, El Paso, has announced he would not be a candidate for re-election. A statement by Whitaker will appear in tomorrow's issue of the Reporter-Telegram.

IN FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS. HANOVER, N. H. — Lou Young, Jr., Dartmouth guard and football captain-elect, is a son of the former Pennsylvania coach.

## District Golden Gloves Tourney Will Be Held Here Jan. 31-Feb. 1

The first Golden Gloves district tournament ever held in Midland will be staged here on January 31 and February 1.

Flem Hall, state commissioner, yesterday appointed Jess Rodgers, Reporter-Telegram sports editor, director of the tournament to be held here and announced the dates.

The district tournament for the past few years has been held in Big Spring but was transferred to Midland this year when Ray Simmons, promoter, was transferred to South Texas.

Although a site for the tournament has not been decided upon, the tournament will be definitely held. The fights will be held in the high school gymnasium if it is available. Otherwise, another site will be selected.

Entries from Big Spring, Lamesa, Odessa, Kermit, Wink, Monahans, Crane and other West Texas towns are expected to participate in the tournament. A minimum of 50 entrants are expected. If officials are unable to wind up the tournament in two nights, another night of fighting will be designated.

Winners of the tournament here in the eight divisions will receive awards, plus an all-expense trip to the state tournament to be held in Fort Worth on Feb. 15-19. Winners

there will be taken to the national tournament in Chicago.

A complete list of officials will be published as soon as they are contacted and a site for the tournament is selected.

Several local boys have already entered training and will be in top shape for the tournament. A strong team is expected to be developed in the tournament for the state show.

Last year, several of the boys who won championships in the district show at Big Spring made good showings at the state tournament and most of them are expected to enter the tournament here this year.

From beginning to end the Golden Gloves is a non-profit undertaking, one purely for the promotion of amateur boxing.

Many out-of-town fighters and fight fans are expected to be in Midland for the tournament. Expenses of the boys will be paid to the tournament. Trips boosting the show and signing up entrants will be made by officials within the next couple of weeks.

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G. O. P. Pays Up

With a new and arduous campaign year dawning, the Republican party has set about seriously straightening up its accounts and deficits left over from the 1936 campaign.

According to a statement filed with Congress, \$655,000 was still outstanding on the 1936 obligation as of Dec. 1. During the last year, the G. O. P. collected \$1,092,037, of which \$300,000 has been earmarked for debt retirement. Another \$200,000 has been pledged for this purpose. The pledged amounts, together with the earmarked fund, will very nearly wipe out the Republican debt.

It will be better to start off the 1940 campaign with a clean slate. There will be a lot of talk about budget-balancing. It will look much better if the G. O. P. can point proudly to its own books before suggesting that the United States balance its budget. Not until the ink on G. O. P. journals is a nice jet black can the boys really begin hammering.

Checking Crime

Only 12 years ago, about the only way headquarters had of getting in touch with the cop on the beat was to flash a light or ring a bell that summoned the officers to the nearest patrol box.

But in 1928, Detroit installed the first municipally operated police radio station. By short wave transmission, instructions could be sent out directly to officers cruising in patrol cars. Today, short wave communication among police is in operation in 900 American cities and 28 states.

To link law enforcement officers together in this manner is to spread a dragnet around an area almost immediately after a crime is reported. Criminals have found it tougher to ply their trade since short wave radio has been enlisted on the side of the law. As the elements of scientific crime detection and criminal apprehension continue to pile up against him, the felon is learning a new meaning for the old axiom, "Crime does not pay."

SO THEY SAY

Business Went On

(Big Spring Daily Herald.)

Just ten years ago the United States went into a new decade whose passing months were to bring far-reaching changes in its economic, social, and political life. Yet, in that time there was work to be done, and despite the depths to which production sank in the depression years, somebody, somewhere, was making something.

Even if you are not extremely fond of figures, we think you will be interested in this record of a decade's business attainments, as compiled by the Administrative and Research Corporation. It shows things were happening in the Thirties, and might give an insight as to what will happen during the Forties.

- Airlines—flew 33 billion passengers miles.
Aluminum manufacture—produced 942,000 tons of the metal.
Automobile plants—produced 32.4 million passenger cars and trucks.
Boot and shoe companies—produced 3.7 billion pairs of shoes.
Builders in 37 states—were awarded \$25.8 billion in construction contracts.
Business—spent \$3.9 billion on advertising.
Coal mines—yielded 44 billion tons of coal.
Electrical equipment manufacturers—received \$6.1 billion in new orders.
Farmers—harvested 7.5 billion bushels of wheat.
Industry consumed—lead, 5.7 million tons; zinc, 4.4 million tons; copper, 8.4 million tons.
Mills manufactured—cotton fibre, 67.3 billion pounds; wool fibre, 4.3 billion pounds; rayon fibre, 2.2 billion pounds.
National income—totaled \$59 billion.
Natural resources—produced 222.8 trillion b.t.u.'s of energy.
Paper mills—produced 105 million tons of paper.
Petroleum companies—extracted 10.1 billion barrels of crude oil.
Population—increased 8,797,000.
Power systems—electrified 1,000,000 farms.
Public utilities—produced 1,011 billion k.w.h. of electric power; spent \$3.9 billion on new construction.
Railroads—loaded 346 million cars to revenue freight.
Smokers—consumed 1,421 billion cigarettes.
Steel mills—produced 338 million tons of ingots.
Stores sold—refrigerators, 13.7 million; radio sets, 52.0 million; food, \$75.5 billion worth.
Fire companies—turned out 430 million castings.
Transit industry—spent \$2.6 billion on maintenance and improvement.

British Say Nazis Can't "Man" Two Subs Each Week

BY MILTON BRONNER.
NEA Service Staff Correspondent.

LONDON. — Mechanically possible, but not humanly possible — that's how the British Admiralty is reported to regard the Nazi boast that Germany can put two new submarines per week into the water.

This correspondent has been told that from the manufacturing standpoint there probably is no reason why the Germans can not complete two submarines each week—either small coastal craft, which could venture some distance into the North Sea, or the larger undersea vessels, which can go considerable distances out into the Atlantic Ocean.

But to man those submarines is a different matter. In Britain it is estimated that at least three months are required properly to train seamen for submarine jobs. And the men thus trained are seasoned salts taken from other naval ships.

To train the higher commands, especially the captains and chief engineers, requires some years. They begin with the smaller types and work up. The perfect handling of these exceedingly delicate and very complex pieces of machinery needs much experience.

CATTON'S WASHINGTON COLUMN

BY BRUCE CATTON

Reporter-Telegram
Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—The really significant part of the relief stand taken by Governor Bricker of Ohio has been pretty much overlooked. That part had to do with relief.

Governor Bricker declares that Ohio is meeting its relief problem honestly and adequately. Then he adds:

"I have also an interest in the relief of over-burdened taxpayers, in the farmer who works from sun-up until sun-down and who often receives too small a part of the nation's income. I have an interest in the homeowner who is now burdened with heavy taxes. I have an interest in the relief of the man who has a job but who for every four days' work done gives one to the government in taxes."

That, according to people here who should know, will be the keynote on which the governor is to be presented to Republicans as a presidential prospect during the next six months. While Governor Bricker is officially not a candidate for anything except another term as governor of Ohio, his presidential candidacy is actually being developed very actively by his friends. Just incidentally, the situation has the intimates of Senator Robert Taft, the avowed Ohio candidate, pretty much worried.

In the last world war, the British Admiralty estimated that most of the damage done by U-boats was done by 10 per cent of those which sailed the seas. In other words, they were the submarines commanded by seasoned men. The bulk of the other submarines had a nuisance value.

BEST CREWS BELIEVED KILLED.

IN British clubs where retired sea dogs discuss things it is believed that already the British and French navies have disposed of a considerable number of the highly trained Nazi submarine crews. This is based upon the following facts:

Immediately upon the declaration of war, the Germans sent out submarines presumably manned by men especially trained for this service. For the first few weeks they took a considerable toll of British shipping. Since then the toll taken by submarine torpedoes has dropped noticeably and the navy is confident it has accounted for the death of a large proportion of the submarines that were being hunted off England.

So successful has been this hunt that the German submarines have now almost given up their war-

SERGEANT GETS HUNK WITH OFFICERS

ELEVEN U. S. Army officers and their families in "officers row" at Bolling Field spent a cold and wretched night during the recent wintry spell here.

The army sergeant had the detail of tending to their furnaces, for which chore he got \$2 per furnace per month. During the cold snap he had to visit each furnace three or four times nightly, and the detail irked him. So, assembling his \$22 stipend on pay day, he strayed off the reservation and got drunk.

The fires went out, the officers and their people shivered, and the sergeant landed in the big. But he's happy—another man has the furnace job now.

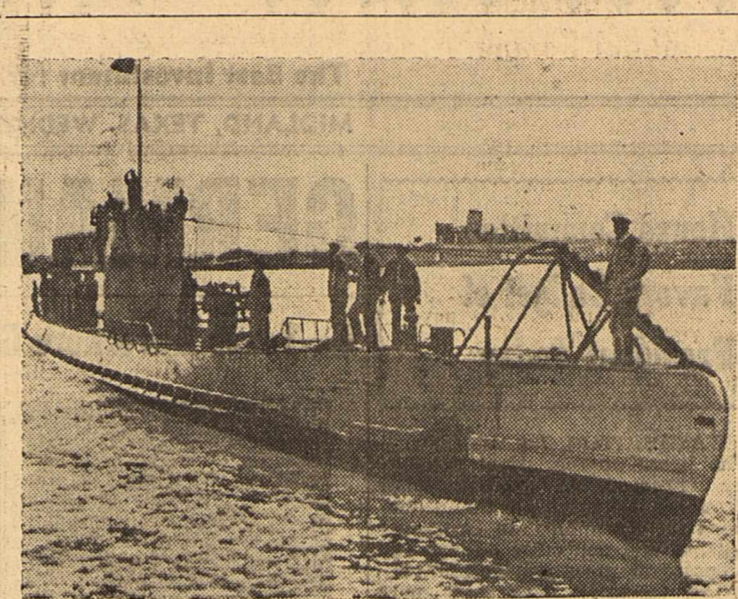
CHILDREN'S BUREAU FACES CHANGE

THE Federal Security Agency is likely to grow some more, when-and-if another presidential reorganization order comes through. Likeliest addition is the Children's Bureau, now in the Department of Labor. President Roosevelt is also giving some thought to giving it the consumer agencies from the Department of Agriculture.

STATES AWAIT TASTE OF HATCH BILL

ONE man who was sincerely sorry to see Frank Murphy leave the Department of Justice is Senator Carl Hatch of New Mexico, author of the famous clean-politics bill. That bill expressed Murphy's ideas perfectly, and while he was in the cabinet Hatch had a potent friend in court, so to speak.

Right now Hatch is preparing to push his companion piece—a bill which would prohibit political activity by state employees in all



A newly received photo of one of Germany's famed U-boats as it returned to an unnamed port after a period of war duty at sea.

Texas Today

By the Associated Press

Texas residents' of at least five foreign language papers in Texas. The list includes: Austin—Texas Posten (Swedish); Das Wochenblatt (German); Brownsville—Heraldo (Spanish); Dallas—La Tribuna Italiana (Italian); Del Rio—Las Noticias (Spanish); El Campo—Svoboda (Czech); El Paso—El Sol, Revista Catholica and El Continental (all Spanish); Fredericksburg—Wochenblatt (German); Giddings—Deutsches Volksblatt (German); Hallesville—Novj Domov (Czech); Houston—El Telcelote (Czech); Texas (Czech); San Antonio—Freie Presse Fuer Texas (German); La Prensa (Spanish); El Vacion (Spanish); San Diego—La Libertad (Spanish); Taylor—Herald (German); Nacinec (Czech); Laredo—Times and South Texas Citizen (both with Spanish editions); McAllen—Diogenes (Spanish); New Braunfels—Zeitung (German); West—Vestnik and Czechoslovak (both Czech).

Why do these new Americans cling to the language of their fathers? For one thing, they say, they want their children to remember the lingual heritage of their ancestors. Another, the parents themselves like to brush-up, and in brushing-up the language of their youth they conjure memories. Too, they keep in closer touch with friends and relatives.

Dogs Used to Track Down Wounded Deer

CRYSTAL CITY, (AP)—It is not a good alibi for hunters in this section to say: "I hit that buck but it got away," at least not when Sadie and Jack are around. Sadie and Jack are familiar names to sportsmen who have hunted near Crystal City the past nine years. They are trained dogs of Bob Rossington, ace trapper and hunter of this area.

"Nine years ago I spent six months training Sadie and Jack to trail wounded deer," Bob said. "Since then they have caught more than one hundred bucks which escaped after being nicked by a hunter's bullet."

"I have not been able to eat a Christmas dinner undisturbed for several years," Bob complained. "Some guy always pages me about that time to track down a buck he failed to hit in the right place."

Most deer are found within a radius of one to two miles from the spot where they were wounded. Sadie and Jack are wearing expensive collars given them by sportsmen in appreciation for assisting them in their deer hunts.

Rossington makes no charge for this service. He knows that even the best marksmen will need the help of Sadie and Jack now and then. "That is why I trained them."

RELIGIOUS LEADER

Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers. Clues include: 1 Pictured religious leader, 8 He once served as in Berlin, 12 Damage, 13 Sleeper's noise, 15 Sea eagle, 16 Satan, 18 Duet, 19 Foments, 21 Fury, 22 Epics, 24 Tiny, 25 Postscript, 26 Turkish official, 27 Spanish, 29 Red Cross, 30 Coin slot, 31 God of war, 32 To withstand, 34 Rocky ravine, 35 To scream, 36 Almond, 37 Preposition, 14 Hind or doe, 16 He trained as a papal or statesman (pl.), 17 To enact laws, 19 Currency notes, 20 He was also of State for Vatican City, 23 Kneecap, 26 Bitter drug, 28 Haughty, 30 Emissary, 32 Work of skill, 38 Ringworm, 41 Edible fungus, 43 Portion, 45 Grain food, 46 Opposite of in, 47 To harvest, 48 Monk's head, 50 Portuguese coin, 53 Golf device, 55 South America, 56 North Africa.

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The Town Quack. A cartoon of a man with a quack. Text: When eggs were 3 dozen for 25c; butter 10c per pound; milk was 5c a quart; the butcher gave away liver and treated the kids with bologna; the hired girl received two dollars a week and the washing women did not powder or paint (in public) smoke, vote, play poker or shake the shimmy. Men wore whiskers and boots, chewed tobacco, spit on the sidewalk and cursed. Beer was 5c and lunch was free. Laborers worked ten hours a day and never went on a strike. No tips were given to waiters and the hat check grafter was unknown. A kerosene hanging lamp and a stereoscope in the parlor were luxuries. No one was operated on for appendicitis or bought glands. Microbes were unheard of; folks lived to a good old age and every year walked miles to visit their friends. A MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Today, you know Everybody rides in automobiles, or flies; plays golf, shoots craps; plays the piano with their feet; goes to the movies nightly; smokes cigarettes; drink raktus juice; blames the H. C. of L. on the opposite party; never go to bed the same day they get up, and they think they are having a wonderful time. These are the days of suffragette, profiteering, excess taxes and prohibition, and if you think life is worth living, I wish you A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

Prison for Women to Open in Near Future FORT WORTH (AP)—One of the nation's most modern prisons a \$1,058,000 Federal detention farm near Texarkana, with a capacity for 416 male prisoners, will be opened by the Bureau of Prisons of the Department of Justice early in 1940. Men sentenced for not more than 18 months and whose record and reputations place them in a low category as escape risks will be assigned to the institution. The prison farm, also will be used for the detention of men awaiting trial on charges of not too grave character. The Texarkana detention farm is the newest of a series of similar regional prisons being built by the government to alleviate the increasingly over-crowded conditions of Federal penal institutions. At the present time the population of the Federal penal and correctional institutions is growing at the rate of 1,200 to 1,500 inmates a year. Like other recently constructed Federal prisons, the institution at Texarkana will be unwarlike and of simple modern design. Open dormitories will home 156 prisoners 60 others will be in outside cells and 154 in honor rooms. There will be hospital accommodations for 37. The Public Works Administration, which financed the Texarkana project, has in recent years made allotments for 126 non-Federal prisons and jails costing \$24,478,700. This figure does not include those in police buildings and courthouses. It has also provided \$14,914,000 for 75 Federal prison projects, including correctional institutions in several states as that at Texarkana. Airplane factory space expanded by 17 per cent during the first half of 1939. Present capacity is about 1250 planes per month.

It takes a lot of money to make Texas telephones talk... STATEMENT To: Southwestern Bell Telephone Company COST OF FURNISHING TELEPHONE SERVICE IN TEXAS 1939 WAGES (to 8,500 skilled telephone workers in Texas) \$10,500,000 TAXES (to federal, state, and local governments) \$5,300,000 OTHER EXPENSES (supplies, rents, depreciation, and so on) \$9,700,000 Total \$25,500,000 If your telephone company received only one bill a year—one bill for all the costs of furnishing telephone service in Texas in 1939—what a bill it would be! A bill for more than 25 million dollars! • That's a mighty big bill ... it indicates the size and importance of this company's job in Texas—the job of furnishing you fast, accurate, dependable telephone service. Yet telephone service costs you only a few pennies a day. SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY LONG DISTANCE IS CHEAP AND CHEERING. VISIT OUT-OF-TOWN FRIENDS BY TELEPHONE.

Two Are Hostesses For Altruist Social Tuesday Evening

Mrs. W. J. Coleman and Mrs. T. J. Potter were hostesses to the Altruists with a social at the home of the former, 906 W. Missouri, Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Dessert-Bridge Is Courtesy for Alpha Club

Mrs. Geo. Bennett entertained in courtesy to the Alpha club with a dessert-bridge at her home, 2001 W. Brunson, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

French Revolution And Sequel Studied By Delphian Chapter

Mrs. J. F. Sirdevan was in charge of the program on "The French Revolution and Its Sequel" at the meeting of Delphian chapter in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer Tuesday morning.

Parts on the program were taken by: Mmes. P. F. Kasper, E. H. Griswold, B. L. Hoffer, Dorothy Perkins, R. M. Turpin, Ernest Neill, G. R. Grant, W. E. Chapman, C. M. Lineham, H. T. Newsom, S. H. Hudkins, J. L. Rush, O. F. Hedrick.

Round table discussions were held during the program.

Mrs. Hudkins presided, acting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Chas. L. Klapproth.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Kelley of Silver City, New Mexico, spent the past week here. They formerly lived in Midland, where he was manager of C. G. Morrison variety store.

Buffet Supper Is Farewell Courtesy To Midland Couple

Complimenting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Uffers who are leaving soon to make their home in Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Anderson entertained with a buffet supper Sunday evening at their home, 313 South N street.

Yellow tapers in silver candelabra lighted the supper table which was spread with a white imported linen cloth. The centerpiece was a novel "olive" bush.

The guest list included: The honorees, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Linehan, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Teasley, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brown, H. F. Fox.

Dorcas Circle Meets With Two as Hostesses

Dorcas circle of the Presbyterian auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. A. M. McClure Monday afternoon with Mrs. Wm. Osborn hostess.

Mrs. Richard Peters led the program on "Christ for All."

The foreign mission budget was presented by Mrs. Fred Kolyza.

Refreshments were served to: Mmes. R. M. Andrews, Bill Collins, R. F. Carroll, A. E. Horst, Jack Hawkins, W. G. Henderson, Kotyza, A. Knickerbocker, Peters, W. B. Stowe, Jack Toler, and the hostesses.

D. A. R. to Distribute Citizenship Manuals To Mexican Pupils

Business reports and a program by Mrs. Jas. H. Goodman featured the January meeting of Lieut. Wm. Brewer chapter of D.A.R. at the home of Mrs. Erle Payne, 324 South I street, Tuesday afternoon.

One hundred twenty-five citizenship manuals have been ordered for distribution among Mexican school children, it was reported.

Mrs. John Perkins reported on the sending of a Christmas gift of sheets and pillow cases to the D.A.R. school at Tamasse, South Carolina.

Announcement was made that the February meeting of the organization will be a social. Mrs. R. W. Hamilton was named chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, with Mrs. J. M. Caldwell and Mrs. Tom Sealy as her assistants.

Program for the afternoon was presented by Mrs. Goodman on Ellis Island. She prefaced her discussion with a description of Angel Island. She told of the work being done by the D.A.R. among immigrants at Ellis Island.

Mrs. E. W. Bounds, of Fort Worth, a visitor, told of the cooperative work being done by the Fort Worth D.A.R. in assisting with the Ellis Island project.

Mrs. Earl Powell, regent, presided. A tea hour followed the program, with Mrs. Goodman pouring for the guests.

Three visitors were present for the meeting. They were Mrs. Bounds, mother of the regent, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Slaughter of Stanton, and Mrs. John P. Butler.

Chapter members present were: Mmes. Powell, Geo. Abel, Frank Elkin, Jas. Goodman, E. W. Hamilton, John I. Moore, John Perkins, J. D. Robinson, Ben Smith, Jack Wilkinson, and the hostess.

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Over in Africa there is a tribe of natives called the Bakubas who have an ingenious way of keeping a war from getting out of hand and growing rampant. They have a way to be sure, but when a total of five men has been killed, the war automatically ceases.

At that, we'd say the natives are a step ahead of the so-called civilized nations which don't realize when they've killed off all the men they can spare from their population.

Of all the fascinating occupations for women which are forever being described in feature articles to rouse our envy of other women's lives, the occupation of photography is one of the most fascinating. We refer to photography such as that practiced by Margaret Bourke-White, or Osa Johnson, or Mrs. Ray Garner.

There is one woman, Margaret Bourke-White's magnificent photographs of the building which typify modern industry—and of the pictures made by Osa Johnson and her late husband, Martin Johnson, in Africa. Perhaps not so many have heard of Mrs. Garner who also has had the adventure of photographing African natives. When her husband was elected to go on an expedition to make motion pictures in Africa, she convinced the sponsors that they needed someone to make still photographs and that she was the someone. Ergo, she went to Africa.

Well, we suppose some people were born with the daring of pioneers in the blood and others were not. It really isn't quite fair to look enviously at the women who do such gorgeously adventurous work, we suppose, because, if we had the heart for it, we'd probably be doing it too. But being human, we're inconsistent. We'd like to have the glamor of adventures in China or Africa, combined with the safety and ease of life in Midland. And life just doesn't come planned to order like that!

Speaking of life and peace, here is something by Henry Van Dyke that is well-worth reading and, even more worth remembering. It is called "The Foot-Path to Peace."

To be glad of life because it gives you the chance to love and to work and to play and to look up at the stars; to be satisfied with your possessions, but not contented with yourself until you have made the best of them; to despise nothing in the world except falsehood and meanness, and to fear nothing except cowardice, to be governed by your admirations rather than by your disgusts; to covet not the kindness of neighbors except his kindness of heart and gentleness of manners; to think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends and every day of Christ; and to spend as much time as you can with body and with spirit, in God's out-of-doors—these are little guide-posts on the foot-path of peace.

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Twentieth Century Study Club Hears Papers on China

"China today" was the subject of study discussed in four papers presented at the meeting of the Twentieth Century Study club at the home of Mrs. Ross Carr, 505 W. Storey, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. Fritz read a paper on "Shanghai, the Paris of the East." "Hong Kong, Where East Meets West" was the subject of Mrs. M. L. Weatherall's paper. "Canton, the City of Incredible Sights" was discussed by Mrs. Oliver Haag. "Social Life in China," as pictured in a paper by Mrs. R. E. L. Taylor, was the concluding aspect of the subject studied.

Two visitors were present, Mrs. H. D. Dickson and Mrs. F. R. Wallace. Members attending were: Mmes. A. M. East, S. M. Erskine, W. C. Fritz, Oliver Haag, Joseph Mims, William Osburn, Jerry Phillips, Gene Reischman, Ed Reichardt, J. F. Sirdevan, R. E. L. Taylor, A. M. McClure, John Redfern, Allan Flaherty, C. T. Vicellio, and the hostess.

MIND Your MANNERS

T. M. Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

- 1. Is it good manners to eat the lettuce beneath a fruit salad?
2. Is it considered good taste to use candlesticks as an ornament without having candles in them?
3. Should candles be used on a lunch table?
4. Should the hostess or the houseguest be the one to suggest retiring for the night?
5. When a girl is going to visit her fiance, should she let him buy her train ticket?
What would you do if—
You are a bride and receive a wedding present sent by members of your honeymoon to thank each one personally?
(a) Wait until you returned from your honeymoon to thank each one personally?
(b) Write a note to each one?

Answers
1. Yes.
2. No.
3. No.
4. The hostess.
5. No. Unless he is with her and the distance is short.

Best "What Would You Do?" solution—(b), unless the staff is very large, then, write a letter to the group and thank each one later.

Stripes and Dots. For cruise or southern resort wear, stripes and polka dots lead the printed fabrics—both in cotton and silk—with navy blue and white, bright red and white, and red, white and blue strong favorites. Some entire wardrobes, from bathing suit to evening gown, are built around one chosen print, combining it with plain colored materials for smart contrast.

Coming Events

THURSDAY—

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited to attend.

Colonial Card Club will meet with Mrs. Barney Grafa, 604 N. Marienfeld, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Needlecraft club will meet with Mrs. H. H. Watson, 1701 W. Holloway, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Methodist Senior League council will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. E. V. Guffey, 512 W. Kansas, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

FRIDAY—
City-Country Federation will meet for a business session and tea at the home of Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, 1705 W. Indiana, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock. All standing committees are to make reports. All clubwomen are invited to attend and all Federation members are urged to be present.

Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. J. L. Kelley, 501 N. D. Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Women's Golf Association will meet for play at the Country Club Friday morning at 10 o'clock. At one o'clock, an important business meeting will be held and full attendance is requested.

Officials Hope to Complete Cast of Play Tonight

About 35 persons attended the try-outs last evening for the forthcoming Civic Theatre play, "The Night of January 16th." The business of casting will continue this evening at 7:30 in the Crystal ballroom of the Scharbauer Hotel.

Although men characters predominated last evening, there is still a need for a man to play the part of Sigurd Jungquist, a Swedish bookkeeper. He must be able to speak dialect.

Emphasis will be placed on women characters this evening. Attention is called especially to the part of Karen Andre, who is described as being around 30 years old, sophisticated, charming, striking in appearance. She should have a strong flexible voice.

Mrs. Wilmer B. Stowe, director, urges all who have attended try-outs to be present this evening at which time it is hoped that the cast may be completed.

Girls' 4-H Club Activities

Valley View 4-H club girls met Tuesday at the home of their sponsor, Mrs. G. C. Brunson, who showed them how to make a bed, a standard one and how to make it up correctly.

Officers were elected and committees were appointed for the year. Present were: Doris Smith, Wilma Smith, Dorothy Dale, Joyce Bensley, Louise Synatsck, Yvonne Fain, Bonnell Brunson.

Corners Should Be Softened by Proper Plantings in Yards

A sharp angle is not a thing of beauty, according to Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent. Corners of yards and houses should be softened by tall, growing plants such as Amourea privet, Pyramcanthus, and Elyonimus Japonica. These are also used to fill in wall space between windows.

Civiza is a low growing plant. It should be planted around porches and under windows, she explained, in assisting the Valley View club women to make yard plans for year-round beauty at a meeting with their yard demonstrator, Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, Monday.

Mrs. B. L. Mason, new president of the club, was in charge of the meeting and committees were named for the following year.

Refreshments were served to Miss Lynn and the following members: Mmes. Bennie Bizzell, Lois Lewis, J. D. Bartlett, C. M. Carpenter, Mason, G. C. Brunson, and the hostess.

Mattress Making Demonstrated at Meeting of Clubs

Mattress making was demonstrated in a special meeting of the Greasewood home demonstration club in cooperation with the Midkiff Ranch 4-H girls' club at the home of Mrs. Tyson Midkiff Tuesday. A three-quarter bed size mattress was made from homegrown cotton by the women and girls.

Miss Alpha Lynn demonstrated the proper making of a bed, stressing the necessity of proper protection for the mattress and ample sheet size for comfort.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Present were Miss Lynn and five other visitors, Mmes. Walton Harrell and Dick Abbott, and Misses O. A. Williamson, Dorothy Baxter, and Cleta Mae Bean, the following clubwomen, Mmes. Dick Midkiff, Tyson Midkiff, Warren Skaggs, Arthur Judkins, T. O. Midkiff, R. R. Calcote, M. D. Rutherford, and the following club girls, Hazelle, Loyce, Maydelle, and Alice Louise Midkiff.

Attendance is requested. At this meeting officers will be installed and committees for the year will be named.

SATURDAY—
Treble Clef Juvenile Music club will meet at the Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Story Hour will be held in the Children's Library at the courthouse Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Midland University club will hold its January dance in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, Saturday evening from 9:30 o'clock to 1:30. The dance will be informal and invitational.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited to attend.

Music Convention, Program Discussed At Club Meeting

Bandmaster M. A. Armstrong was leader for the program on symphonic and operatic music presented at the meeting of the Civic Music club Tuesday evening. The group gathered at the North Ward school auditorium for a business session and afterward went to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reed for the program.

Mrs. De Lo Douglas sang "Elizabeth's Prayer" from "Tannhauser." Mrs. Lee Cornelius talked on Hayden's "Surprise Symphony," illustrating her address with charts and a record of the composition.

The group also listened to symphonic music.

During the business session, the piano concert scheduled for Feb. 8 was discussed.

Discussion was also held on the district music convention to be held here February 23-24.

Two new members have been elected to the club. They are Miss Edith Conyers, Miss Vivian Glidewell.

About 18 members were present last night.

Giant peanuts, with kernels larger than the entire shell of previously known varieties, have been discovered in Brazil.

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

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### Appoint Andrede Sports Chairman For Finn Relief

NEW YORK, Jan. 10 (Special)—C. Andrede, III, of Dallas, well-known Texas oil producer, has been appointed chairman of the Athletic Committee of the Finnish Relief Fund, Inc., for the states of Texas and Oklahoma, it was announced at headquarters here today.

Andrede was named to the post by Captain John F. Lucey of the Lucey Petroleum Co., Dallas, Texas state chairman for the fund, Herbert Hoover, national chairman, announced.

Andrede, who is widely known in sports circles in the two states, will arrange special boxing matches, hockey and basketball games and other sports events for the benefit of the Texas committee. He is now setting up a committee of leading Texas and Oklahoma sports writers to assist him, Captain Lucey informed headquarters.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Boring	160	117	195	472
Odale	101	122	101	324
Roripaugh	115	165	156	436
Allen	111	159	108	378
Samples	145	117	113	375
Handicap				123
Team average	632	680	673	1985

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Jones	147	177	156	480
Nalley	119	157	180	456
Bizzell	160	163	177	500
Clement	146	170	172	488
Hall	148	137	135	420
Team average	720	804	820	2344

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Owens	117	127	122	366
Arsdale	139	146	152	437
Brewer	193	209	180	581
Kimrey	178	150	161	489
Shores	171	146	188	505
Handicap				9
Team average	801	783	778	2362

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Arrington	123	129	133	385
Weaver	137	139	144	420
R. Hoekendorf	213	147	157	517
E. Hoekendorf	150	97	153	400
Langford	198	172	157	527
Team average	821	684	744	2249

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Parker	198	150	107	455
Anderson	156	146	142	444
Cones	139	130	124	393
Reichardt	106	174	110	390
Dozier	189	189	136	514
Team average	788	789	619	2196

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Smith	123	162	179	464
Kiser	138	135	124	397
Nance	137	119	137	393
Hunter	100	113	117	330
Adams	122	150	104	376
Handicap				150
Team average	670	744	711	2125

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Grant	128	147	140	415
Team average	658			

### Brumbelow Seeking Win in Conference

FORT WORTH, Jan. 10. — Not quite 10 per cent of the 1940 Southwest Conference basketball games have been played and the TCU Horned Frog Five is already at the bottom of the list!

Rice took the Frogs 57 to 41 in Houston Friday night and the Aggies drubbed them 44 to 31 in College Station Saturday night.

The hapless Frogs have to meet the Rice Owls again next Friday night, this time in Fort Worth.

Coach Mike Brumbelow, however, maintains his faith in the boys' winning a few of their starts.

"I still think we're good enough to chalk up two or three victories before the season closes. We were good enough against Rice to have won from A&M."

Friday night's game with the Owls will be TCU's first appearance on the home court. They meet Texas in Austin Jan. 20 and then take time out until Feb. 3 for the fall semester final examination week.

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
James	128	158	133	419
Chambers	133	135	158	426
Schneider	172	150	122	444
Team average	759	764	681	2204

Players	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.
Hauman	171	161	151	483
Carter	152	149	116	417
McKayer	107	129	103	339
Blind	124	171	155	450
Handicap	129	129	129	387
Team average	751	807	722	2280

### Neely Undecided on Rice Coaching Job

HOUSTON, Jan. 10 (AP)—Still undecided whether to accept the Rice Institute head football coaching job, Jess Neely departed last night for his South Carolina home.

It was considered significant, however, that Rice authorities waived their earlier sternness in insisting on a "yes" or "no" from Neely, and agreed to hold open the post for his decision.

J. T. McCants, chairman of the committee on outdoor sports, said the Clemson coach had informed him shortly before catching a plane that he still was undecided.

McCants said he had agreed to mark time pending Neely's definite answer.

Asked if he thought Neely would accept, McCants answered: "We hope so."

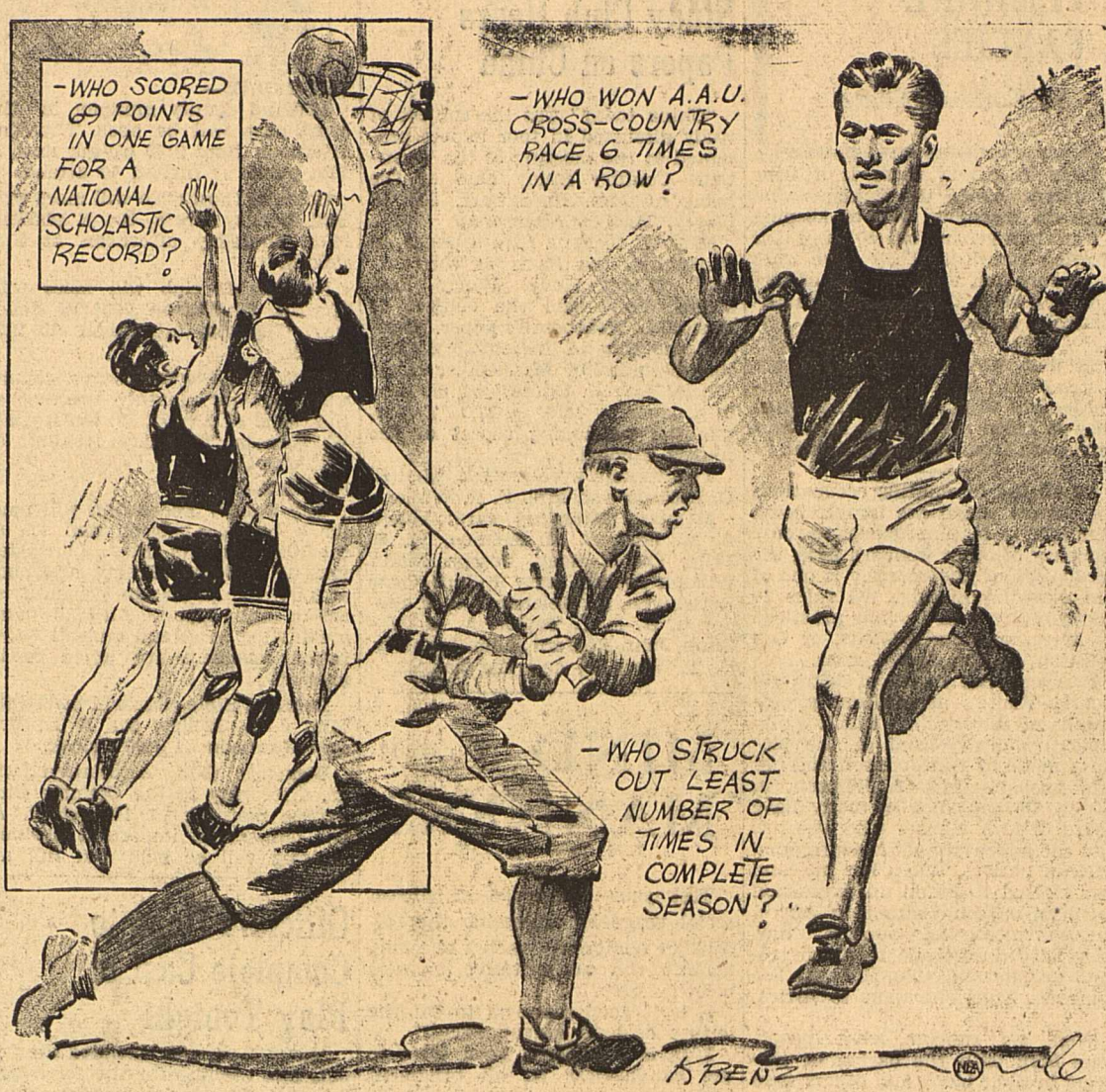
Some persons who had maintained contact with the principals felt Rice would not have agreed to wait unless it has good reason to believe the coach of the Cotton Bowl winners would nod in its direction.

Neely's reports to reporters before he contacted McCants clouded the case, however.

He said "I would like to slip away without any comment. I was impressed by Houston and would like to see it again sometime. Rice is a fine school and the job offers a fine opportunity. Still, I may be old-fashioned but I think I owe Clemson something. They gave me my chance."

At ordinary speed, a defective spark plug may give satisfactory service, but it will miss fire at high speeds.

### DO YOU KNOW—?



- 1.—Bobby Thompson, forward on Passaic, N. J., High School quinet of 1922, scored 69 points in 145-5 victory over Williams Prep.
- 2.—Don Lash won the National A. A. U. cross-country championship from 1934-9, inclusive.
- 3.—Joey Sewell struck out only four times in 155 games while playing shortstop for Cleveland in 1925 and only four times in 152 games in 1929.

### Midland Industrial League

Jan. 10	Jan. 15	Jan. 17	Jan. 22	Jan. 24
1 vs. 6	3 vs. 4	6 vs. 4	1 vs. 4	6 vs. 2
2 vs. 5	1 vs. 5	2 vs. 3	5 vs. 3	1 vs. 3
Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 5	Feb. 12	Feb. 19
4 vs. 2	1 vs. 2	4 vs. 5	2 vs. 5	1 vs. 5
5 vs. 6	3 vs. 6	1 vs. 6	3 vs. 4	6 vs. 4

1—Frogs 2—Petroleum Drug 3—Tot's Gulf Service Station  
4—Texas Company 5—Midland Drug 6—Banner Creamery

First game starts at 7:30 p. m. Second game starts at 9:00 p. m.

### Colorado City Seeks to Enter Competition in District 3AA

By the Associated Press.

There will be at least 104 teams in the class AA division of Texas interscholastic league football next fall, Athletic Director R. J. Kidd said Tuesday.

This represents an increase of three over last year. One of them is Temple, being reinstated after a year's suspension.

Other additions are likely as the schools have until next September to seek admittance.

Burkburnett has been voted into District 2 and Arlington into District 6 while Colorado City has applied to the District 3 committee for inclusion.

Other schools, such as Ennis, a class A power, are knocking at the door to admittance in the higher classification.

Temple returns, to District 10 with Bryan, Cleburne, Corsicana, Hillsboro, Waco, and Waxahachie.

Burkburnett is in the district with Childress, Electra, Graham, Olney, Quanah, Vernon and Wichita Falls.

Arlington enters the district with Denton, Greenville, Highland Park (Dallas), McKinney and Sulphur Springs.

Colorado City, if it is voted admittance, will be in the district with Abilene, Big Spring, Lamesa, Midland, Odessa, San Angelo and Sweetwater.

Kidd said there would be no change in the arrangement of districts by number and that none of the schools that were in class AA last season had indicated they intended to drop out or desired shifts to other districts.

The purpose of the redistricting last year was to relieve congestion in the higher division and also to better equalize the football race because the new plan was based on enrollment.

Now the league is faced with the overcrowding problem again as the schools grow in size and as district committees recommend admittance of schools that do not have the necessary enrollment but are voted in under the rule that says they may be admitted by unanimous consent of the district committee.

### Survey Shows 19-Year Group Most Arrested

ST. LOUIS (UP)—An analysis of reports of the Federal Bureau of Investigation by G. Myron Gwiner, executive secretary of the bureau of men, shows that the "most arrested" age group in the nation is that of the 19-year-olds.

Gwiner says the records disclose that the youth group predominates in crimes against property, but in the classification of crimes against persons, such as criminal assault and homicide, the youth group was below the average. He says 46 per cent of persons arrested for criminal assault were young men under 25.

More than half of all crimes against property during the first nine months of 1939, the period covered by the analysis, were committed by persons under 25, the report says.

The bureau of men is an agency of United Charities.

### Planets Prove Year of Flood

ROME (UP)—The scientific confirmation that the deluge actually occurred in the days of Noah and that the mythical island of Atlantis existed 10,000 years B.C., is declared to have been reached by the famed Italian scientist and astronomer, Prof. Raffaele Bendandi.

In an exclusive interview by telephone from his hometown of Farenza, Prof. Bendandi said that his recent discovery of four planets beyond Neptune gave him the first indication on which he has been working ever since.

The youthful professor declared: "Owing to my recent discovery I have been able to ascertain that these celestial bodies regulate our entire solar system. It is their huge power of attraction on the world axis which causes all geological movements and earthquakes."

"By means of careful research work on the movements of these planets I have now reached the conclusion, supported by scientific proof, that the Universal Deluge actually occurred in the year 2687 B.C., as stated in the Bible. Continuing by research I also have obtained scientific proof that the mythical island Atlantis actually existed west of the Pillars of Hercules and was submerged beneath the Atlantic Ocean by an earthquake in the autumn of the year 10,608 B.C."

Prof. Bendandi added that both the existence and the date of submersion of Atlantis are confirmed by the Greek philosopher Plato in his writings.

### Fish Production in Hatcheries Gains

AUSTIN (AP)—Fish production in the ten hatcheries maintained by the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission increased nearly 2,000,000 in 1939 over the 1938 crop of fingerlings, final reports of production from hatchery superintendents to the executive secretary of the Game Department show. The total production for 1939 was 5,212,288 as compared with 3,306,996 the previous year.

The Heart O' the Hills hatchery near Natalia led in the distribution of fish in 1939 with a total of 795,817, the Dundee hatchery second with 679,766 and the Tyler hatchery third highest in production with a total of 642,210. Other reports: Lake Dallas, 621,185; Cisco 549,290; Huntsville, 540,093; Jasper, 513,325; San Angelo, 480,400; Olmito, 138,545 and Medina, 191,657. The new Medina hatchery, in production for the first time, had only four ponds ready for use.

Twelve species of fish were raised in the state hatcheries in 1939. They are channel cat, largemouth black bass, smallmouth bass, spotted or Kentucky, bass, red ear bream, warmouth bass, rock bass, green sunfish, bluegills, long-eared dromedary, white crappie and black crappie.

Less than 15 per cent of the total number of fish raised by the state hatcheries went into private lakes and streams in 1939, the executive secretary announced.

### Indoor Track Seeks Maki, But Flying Finn Prefers to Fight

BY JERRY BRONDFIELD  
NEA Service Sports Writer

NEW YORK.—Taisto Maki, who very easily might have been the hero of the 1940 Olympic Games, may be the five-star attraction of the winter indoor track season here if friends and athletic officials in Finland can persuade him to lay down his rifle and don track shoes for a few weeks.

Maki, outstanding star of the 1939 season, and possibly the greatest distance runner of all time, is busy these days chasing Russians over the frozen wastes of northern Finland.

Maki was among the raiders who smashed Russia's thrust toward the Gulf of Bosnia by cutting communication lines.

"We have been swamped with letters from prominent American sports followers who claim Maki could do more good for Finland by running here than by active duty in front lines," says Aristo Solanko, secretary of the Finnish legation in Washington.

"He could raise thousands of dollars for the Finnish Defense Fund. I cabled Helsinki to that effect and asked for ideas."

WOULD MEAN REVIVAL OF FINNISH-AMERICAN GAMES

"The biggest obstacle in the way of bringing Maki to these shores is Maki himself. Like every one of his countrymen capable of bearing arms, Taisto has dedicated his life, if necessary, to the task of beating back the invaders."

Solanko hints it wouldn't be difficult for Maki to get a furlough.

So great is the Finnish spirit that every soldier voluntarily turns back his pay to the Finnish war chest.

John Spong, chairman of the New York Finnish A.C., will make plans to revive the long-defunct Finnish-American Indoor Games if Maki is granted and accepts leave.

Spong figures that although Maki has led a rugged army life and has given his legs plenty of work by skiing for miles over rough terrain, he would still need at least three weeks on the track to get in shape.

Dan Ferris, secretary of the National A. U., tells the Hoover Finland Relief Commission that the A. U. would sponsor special meets featuring Maki, with the proceeds to be turned to relief purposes.

CRACKED FOUR RECORDS ESTABLISHED BY NURMI

MAKI, who is married and has a baby daughter, was a clerk in Helsinki before the Russian invasion. Although his cinder career goes back something like six years it was just this past summer that he startled the world.

Long ago he set Paavo Nurmi up as his idol and model. He barely missed making the Finnish Olympic team in 1936 and used his disappointment as a springboard to higher endeavor. He worked and trained assiduously until making the 1940 Olympic team and breaking world records almost became an obsession with him.

Within a few short months last summer he had ground four of Nurmi's world marks into the dust. Maki set new records for two miles, three miles, 5000 meters and 10,000 meters. Most remarkable of the four, according to track experts, was the 8:53.2 for two miles.

That made him the Flyingest Finn of all.

Among those who felt the keenest regret that Maki would not be able to show his heels to the world in Helsinki Stadium this summer was Nurmi, himself.

The great Paavo, now driving evacuation trucks, predicted his successor was ready to establish Olympic marks that would stand for all time.

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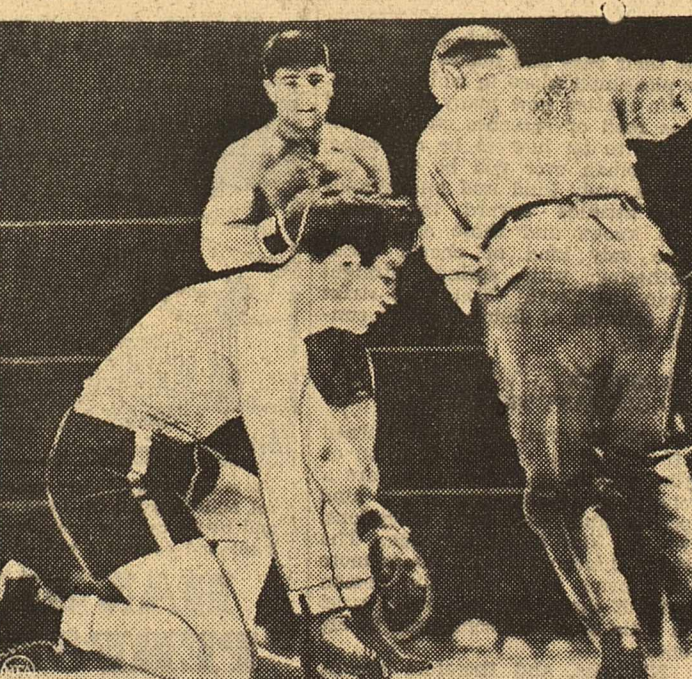
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## 60 Workshops Set Up Over State by NYA Administration

AUSTIN—Sixty workshops have been set up throughout the State since the inception in June, 1938, of a statewide workshop program to give unemployed Texas youth work experience and training to help fit them for earning a living, according to J. C. Kellam, State NYA Administrator.

Training, he said, in woodworking, general metal working, auto mechanics, aviation mechanics, radio, sheet metal work, arts and crafts, foundry work, and farm shop work afford the needy out-of-school youth of Texas an opportunity to learn and earn money while they learn.

The San Marcos Resident Center, giving instruction in the fundamentals of woodworking, general metal working, and auto mechanics, was the first workshop to be started, Kellam said. He added that since that time the remainder of the sixty workshops have been set up with the advice of local advisory committees and in conjunction with city and county sponsors, school systems, county political subdivisions, and state institutions of higher learning.

According to Kellam, these local committees advise and help set up policies as to the type of training to fit youth, the labor turnover, and the future possibilities in various trades in each particular community. One of the main services of these committees is cooperating with the National Youth Administration and the Texas State Employment Service in placing youth who have had NYA work experience as apprentices in private industry.

Kellam declared that in setting up the program the National Youth Administration had been fortunate in having the advice and help of a state-wide committee composed of outstanding leaders in industry, education, and labor.

Members of the state-wide committee are Harry W. Acreman, Executive Secretary, Texas State Federation of Labor; Frank Kinzbach, President, Kinzbach Tool Company; C. E. Doyle, County Superintendent of Education; S. W. Doerner, Business Agent, International Machinists Union; Carl White, President, White House Printers, Inc.; R. C. Feagin, Houston Foundry and Machine Company; C. Mulholland, Field Representative, International Machinists Union; C. E. Evans, President, Southwest Texas State Teachers College; and Travis J. Lewis, former member of the State Planning Board, representing Labor and NYA Field Supervisor, who serves as Consultant to the Committee.

"The most satisfying knowledge to me," concluded State Administrator Kellam, "is that in acquiring coordination of hand and mind in NYA workshops to better equip them for private employment, these youth have received work experience in basic fundamentals of modern shop equipment as well as a thorough background of necessary safety standards."

## Here's Looking at Senator Taft



Here's a Republican's eye view of Ohio's Senator Robert Taft who is one of the party's favored sons for the role of presidential candidate this fall. He has just finished a campaign swing around the country.

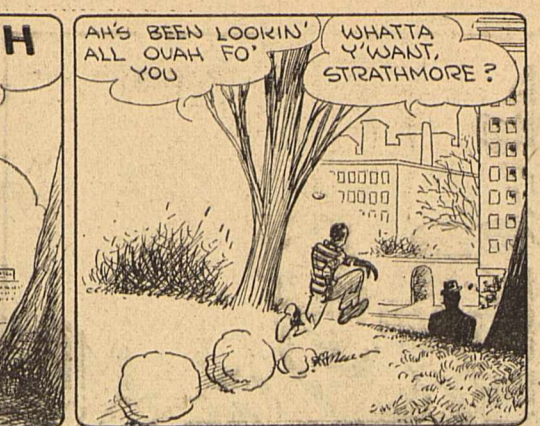
citizens, from all walks of life, devote from one to six hours each week to guiding visitors and showing off their historic city. In addition to the Latter Day Saints Mormon Temple and the Tabernacle with its 5,500 pipe organ, Mormon Temple Square contains Pioneer Museum with its collection of relics.

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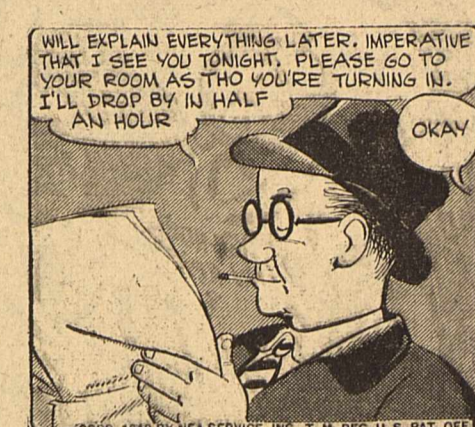
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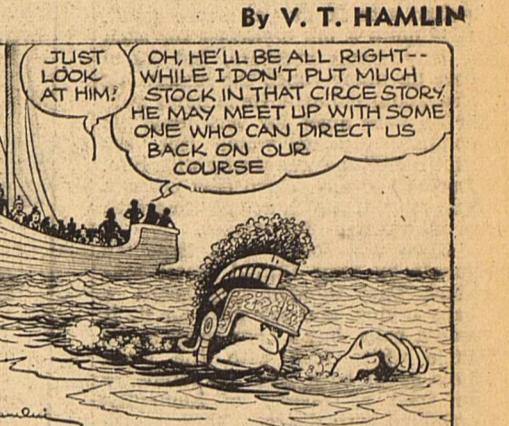
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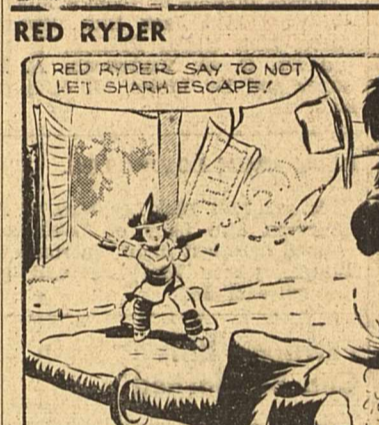
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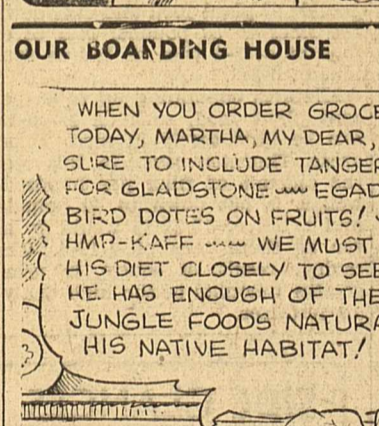
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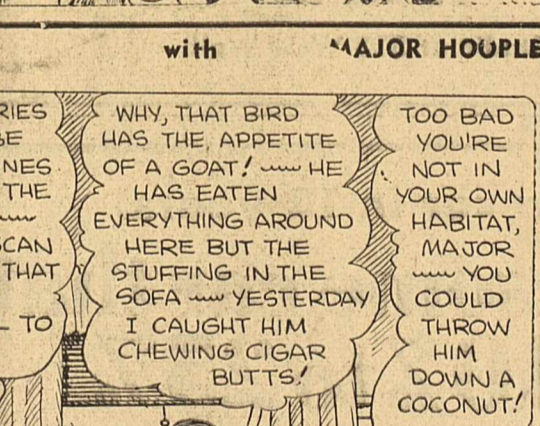
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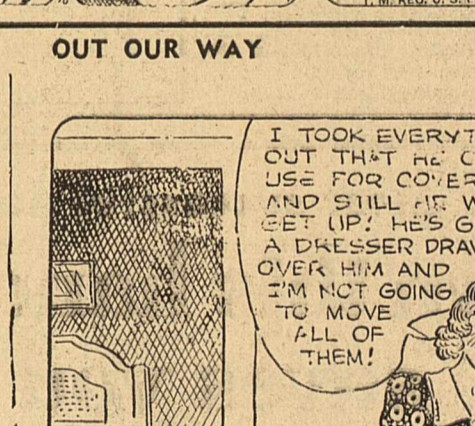
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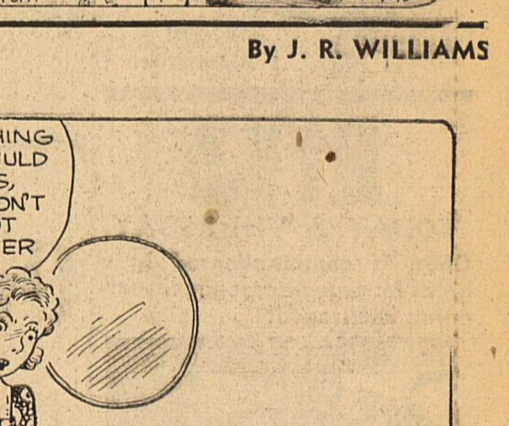
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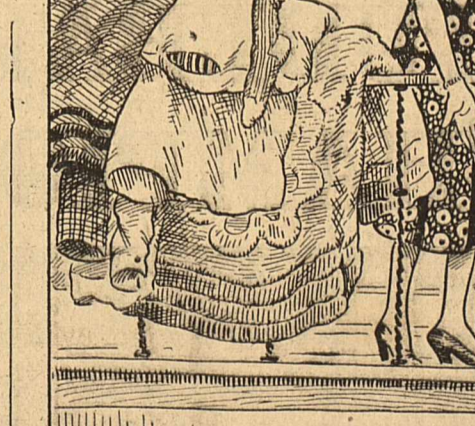
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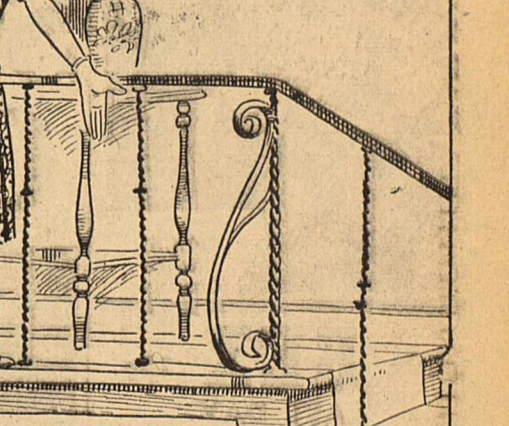
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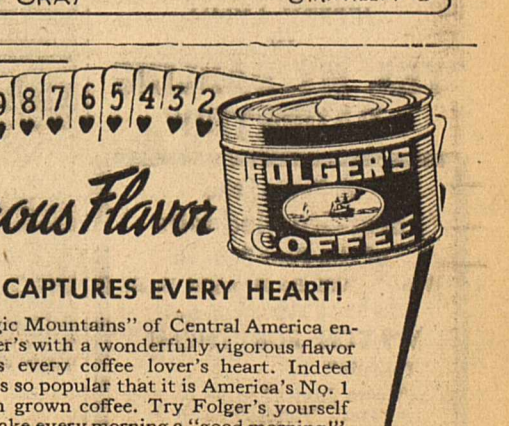
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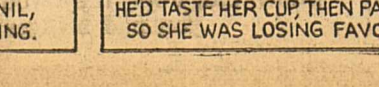
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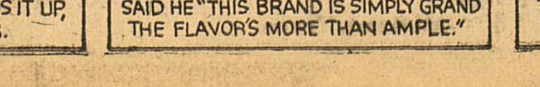
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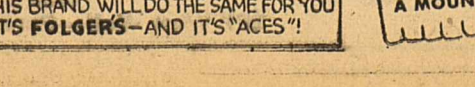
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BEHOLD YOU SEE A FAMILY WITH SMILES ON ALL THEIR FACES. THIS BRAND WILL DO THE SAME FOR YOU IT'S FOLGER'S—AND IT'S "ACES!"

**Veteran Monkey Actor Appears in "Under the Lilacs"**

When "Under the Lilacs" comes to Midland one of the actors will be welcomed as an old friend by many thousands of children from coast to coast. He is "Koko," the Capuchin monkey, who has traveled with the Clare Tree Major Theatre for children for the past four years. Koko's first part was in "Toby Tyler," when he played "Mr. Stubbs," the clever circus monkey who Toby thought looked like the man who took up the collection in church. Koko went out for two seasons with "Toby." Next he traveled with "Nobody's Boy." When he played "Prettyheart," and this, his fourth season, he will play under his own name as the companion to the Punch and Judy showman through whom Sancho, the clever little white poodle which had been stolen, was found again.

Sancho and Koko are good friends. Koko loves to ride on Sancho's back. Koko is an excellent traveler, never getting car sick, and always in good spirits except when he is awakened too early in the morning when the company must make a long hop to the next town. Then he scolds, and sulks, but he's soon over it.

Like the humans he resembles so closely, his temper is sweeter after he has had his breakfast. This consists of a beaten egg mixed with a spoonful of warm milk in which is soaked a thick slice of brown bread. It is quite a big breakfast for such a very small creature, but Koko uses up many times the energy his size would indicate. He is never still. If he were quiet for very long, his companion actors would feel very sure something was wrong with him. During the day, Koko eats peanuts and fruit, to finish at bed-time with a juicy carrot for supper.

Koko was found in a Brazilian jungle by some United States Marines. They thought they heard a baby crying, and searched for it. It was a baby, but a baby monkey, its little white face with the black hair swept back from its forehead in such a travesty of humanity, wrinkled with distress. They named him Koko because that is what he seemed to be saying, and brought him to New York. But they couldn't care for him properly in the cold weather, so he became a part of the Clare Tree Major Children's Theatre, playing in the hilltop garden of the Chappaqua studios all summer and traveling with the company, the adored friend of thousands of children, all winter.

Koko will arrive in Midland on January 15 to play in "Under the Lilacs" at the high school auditorium. The play is under the sponsorship of the Child Study club.

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"Tailspin"  
"Jesse James"  
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"Brother Rat"  
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"Paris Honey Moon"

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**Carbon Monoxide Checkups Are Urged**

AUSTIN.—To minimize the danger of carbon monoxide poisoning during winter weather, motorists are urged by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, to check up now on the exhaust systems of their automobiles for defective connections and leaks.

Cold weather, which necessitates driving in closed cars, is the time of the year when carbon monoxide finds most of its victims. The poison seeps inside the car from leaky connections and overwhelms occupants of the car.

Leaks from manifold connections, cracked manifolds, defective mufflers, leaks from loose muffler connections and leaks from hot air heater connections are potential sources for release of carbon monoxide and should be checked. Pay particular attention to these items and remember that proper carburetor adjustment causes minimum production of carbon monoxide, and that the highest proportion of the gas is produced by an idling motor.

Dr. Cox pointed out that head-

aches which occur during long drives may indicate that carbon monoxide has been leaking into the air. Sleeplessness, dizziness, fatigue, and extreme cases of paralysis are other symptoms of carbon monoxide poisoning. "Truck drivers making long drives in cars with defective exhaust systems are particularly vulnerable," he stated.

Carbon monoxide poisoning is also attributable to worn-out hose or faulty connections on gas heaters. When using the hose type of connection, persons should make certain that no leakages due to wear and tear exist. A thorough investigation of such appliances each autumn to check the leakages and replace worn parts of gas appliances is indicated.

In short, carefulness is the effective weapon against carbon monoxide poisoning. Carelessness and indifference alone make it the killer.

Approximately 72 per cent of the deer harvested in Texas are taken in 13 counties on the Edwards Plateau.

**Plane Base—**

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after a bomb smashed her stern. Besides the Dunbar Castle, reports reached London of the mining and sinking of the 8,485 ton British tanker British Liberty, in the North Sea, with 20 crewmen missing and believed lost. The 176-ton Dutch motor vessel Truida hit a mine and sank off the Netherlands Coast, but her crew of 4 was saved.

The Dunbar Castle carried 43 passengers, nine of them children and 150 crew. A number of women were on board.

Ed Whitefill and J. W. Baggett, owners of a gin, elevator and grain business at Lockney, have presented paid-up subscriptions to the Lockney Beacon for 1940 to many of their customers. R. J. (Bill) Dixon is publisher and editor of the Beacon.

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**Outlook—**

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ade somewhat hazardous, he said. The spirit of the people will largely determine the outlook, he said, adding that a large majority of the business leaders of the nation believe that America is headed for a new era. Midland being in a strictly production territory, prospects locally are unusually bright and business conditions as a whole seem to be vastly improved, he said.

Predicting that the oil development program in West Texas will be steady during 1940, Mr. House, in his talk as to the petroleum outlook, said that the petroleum industry in this section will continue at about the same pace as in 1939. Legislation and conditions brought about by the war in Europe are two factors that make forecasting for the year somewhat hazardous, he said. Comparing conditions at the first of this year with the same date the year previous, House said that the crude demand is up three percent and that production is up one percent. The fact that crude stocks are down is indicative of good year in 1940, he said. Handicaps of the oil industry during recent years have been or are now being corrected, the speaker said. Another good indication is the fact that oil men themselves are more willing to cooperate in an orderly and intelligent production program than ever before, he said. This fact stabilizes the oil industry, influencing outside capital to come into this section.

The agricultural outlook in this section for 1940 is particularly encouraging, said S. A. Debnam in discussing the agricultural-livestock outlook, the coming year being the brightest of the past five years for this particular section of the state. Debnam gave statistics as to consumption demands and told how the European war is affecting agriculture today. The decreasing supply of textiles is particularly encouraging, he said. Agriculture gained more in the 30's than any other industry, he stated. Debnam also listed several factors that make predicting hazardous.

Joe Pond, of Big Spring, past district governor, made an announcement as to the San Francisco Opera Ballet to be presented at the city auditorium on January 24. Guests present at today's luncheon were Lion Jack Rich, Sweetwater, Lion Nolan Phillips, Waco, and Dr. C. G. Yarbrough, A. P. Baker and Dr. Moles, all of Midland.

**HERE FROM LOVINGTON.**

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lee, Mrs. W. A. Anderson and baby of Lovington stopped here last night, en route to Temple where Mr. Lee will go through a clinic.

**Fertilizer Bills Can Be Slashed**

COLLEGE STATION.—Want to save 10 to 20 per cent on your fertilizer bill this spring?

Then take the advice of M. K. Thornton, Jr., agricultural chemist of the Texas A. and M. College extension service, and buy high analysis fertilizer.

Here's the way it works: the retail price of fertilizer is about \$12 a ton higher than the manufacturer's price, regardless of the plant-food content. That \$12 goes for handling charges, such as bags, freight, tax, and so on—and would be the same for sand as for fertilizer.

When a farmer buys a 100-pound sack of 3-8-3 fertilizer, he buys 14 pounds of plant food and 86 pounds of filler. . . and he pays the same handling charges on the filler as he does for the plant food. When he buys 4-12-4 fertilizer, he gets 20 pounds of plant food and cuts down the filler to 80 pounds; and three tons of 4-12-4 goes as far as four tons of 3-8-3.

Mixtures containing up to 60 per cent plant food, such as 15-30-15, can be used safely in most Texas areas, Thornton says. In this case the amount of filler per hundred-weight is cut down to 40 pounds, and a ton of 15-30-15 would go as far as three tons of 4-12-4. The savings result, of course, in using smaller amounts of the high analysis fertilizer.



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**Oil News—**

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from 4,050-57, well above the point where main pay is expected. The well has been flowing heads through casing at intervals of one and one-half to two hours.

**Gaines Wildcat.**  
Oil Well Drilling Company No. 1 Humble-Sikes, southern Gaines wildcat three miles southwest of the old Humble No. 1 Eubanks failure, was drilling below 3,074 feet in anyhydrite.

In the southeast sector of the Seminole pool in central Gaines, Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1 Robertson is drilling by junk at 5,045 feet. Old total depth was 5,112 feet in lime, where it was completed as a producer from the upper pay. The same company's No. 1 Sawyer, in the northwest part of the pool, is drilling below 5,000 feet in lime. Sinclair-Prairie No. 9 Mrs. Emma Cowden, in the Emma pool of southern Andrews, is swabbing through tubing after acidizing with 1,000 and 4,000 gallons in successive stages at 4,246 feet. Location has been authorized for No. 10 Cowden, in the next proration unit south, 2,869 feet from the north, 330 from the east line of section 1, block 44, township 2 north, T. & P. survey.

**Petsamo Taken In Many Wars**

WASHINGTON (UP).—News dispatches from the Arctic war front describing the battle between the Russians and the Finns recall the turbulent history of the main point of conflict—the Petsamo seaport.

The seaport, less than 20 miles from the present border of the Russian Kola Peninsula, is important in the current struggle, as it is ice-free the year round, while harbors as far as 1,000 miles to the south are frozen over for several months. The National Geographic Society explains that the Gulf Stream flowing nearby is the cause of warm air.

The region has been contested for centuries between Finns, Swedes, Norwegians and Russians. At times its ownership has been so confused that it was once called "common land" and inhabitants were paying taxes to as many as three governments.

The Petsamo region is a narrow strip of land between Norway and Russia that covers more than 4,000 square miles, yet its population is only estimated at 3,400, including a few Russians.

Between the 16th and 19th centuries the entire Petsamo region was the scene of frequent frontier disputes and unofficial warfare between northern neighbors. At one time it was divided between Norway and Russia, but later the port and adjacent territory went to Norway when the rest of Finland was ceded to Russia. During the Russian revolution a British expeditionary force occupied the port of Petsamo and Finnish troops made an unsuccessful attempt to take the city. Finally in 1920, following the establishment of Finland as an indepen-

dent nation, a treaty with Soviet-Russia again opened up the region to the Arctic, giving the smaller country control of the Petsamo port.

Port Arthur recorded three deaths and 34 injuries in 291 traffic accidents in 1939, against 469 accidents, five deaths and 65 injuries in 1938.

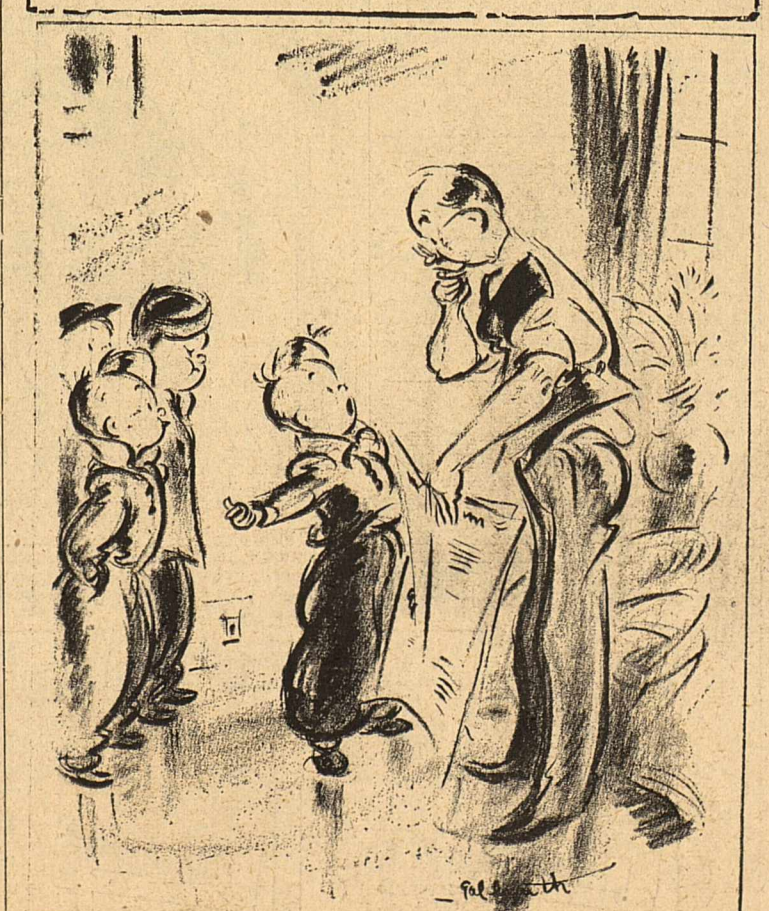
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