

Plea for Peace Is Voiced by French

ESTONIA AND LATVIA TAKEN BY RUSSIANS

MOSCOW, June 17 (AP).—Soviet troops marched into unresisting Estonia and Latvia today, which consolidated Russia's position in the Baltic.

News that the Red army was on the march was disclosed by the Russian radio only a few hours after the demands that they permit unimpeded passage of troops and reorganize their governments.

Lithuania capitulated to similar demands Saturday, and Russian troops already are occupying strategic points there.

Tass, official news agency, announced the agreement of Estonia and Latvia to the Russian demands which, Tass said, were motivated by a need for "honest and conscientious observation" of mutual assistance pacts with the two Baltic states.

The Soviet asked new governments "capable and willing to ensure honest implementation" of the pacts; and free passage of troops to "forestall possible provocative actions under Soviet garrisons" installed in Estonia and Latvia under the pacts signed last fall.

Estonia has an area of about 18,350 square miles and approximately one and one-quarter million inhabitants; Latvia has an area of 20,000 square miles and about 2,000,000 inhabitants. Their total people do not equal the population of Moscow.

Some dispatches to Stockholm interpreted the Russian move as the first step toward participation in the European war.

The Stockholm newspaper Aftonbladet reported Berlin opinion as "rather reserved" and said the Soviet action was not exactly welcomed.

Churchill Says England Will Continue War

LONDON, June 17 (AP Via Radio).—Prime Minister Winston Churchill reiterated today that Great Britain would fight on alone until Hitler is conquered.

After expressing sorrow for Britain's French allies, Churchill said in an international broadcast relayed in the United States by NBC and CBS:

"We have become the sole champion now in arms to defend the world cause.

"We shall do our best to be worthy of that high honor. We shall fight on, inconquerable, until the curse of Hitler is lifted from the brows of men.

"We are sure that in the end all will be well."

Specifications for Methodist Building Ready for Bidders

Plans and specifications for the rebuilding and addition to the plant of the First Methodist church, to provide an educational building and larger auditorium, were completed Saturday by Architect J. J. Black, he announced today.

All contractors were invited to bid on the project, the architect said, and may secure copies of the plans from him.

Tentative date for letting the contract was placed at June 28.

The construction project entails one of the most extensive church improvements to have been made here in the history of the city, and will provide ample room for expansion of the church program.

Pecos Good Will Group To Be Here Tomorrow

Advertising the annual Pecos Bode to be held in that city on July 3 and 4, a Pecos Good Will Motorcade will arrive in Midland Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for a one-hour stop, according to information received by the local chamber of commerce from the Pecos Chamber of Commerce. The group of boosters will be headed by the Pecos high school band of 50 pieces.

An added feature of the good-will tour this year will be the Sheriff's Posse of Pecos which will parade through the downtown area of each town visited on the tour. Mounts for the posse are being transported by truck. The Pecos Sheriff's Posse is one of the most outstanding organizations of its kind in the state. The high school band and the Sheriff's Posse are expected to lead a parade through the downtown streets of Midland shortly after the arrival of the Pecos Goodwillers tomorrow afternoon.

Citizens of Midland are cordially invited to be on hand in downtown Midland Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to welcome the visitors and to enjoy the program which they will present.

Nazi Advance Continued in Alsace Area

French Army Cut in Two Parts of Attack By Invading Raiders

BERLIN, June 17 (AP).—Lashing deep into France with deadly strokes in two directions, Germany claimed today her armies had cut off Alsace and Lorraine and the Maginot line and had smashed southward into central France to take historic Orleans and cross the Loire river.

Thus far the first time in the war, the Germans said, they had split the French army into two parts for piecemeal attack.

"The political and military backbone of France already is broken," said authorized sources in summing up the reports of smashing military successes and the fall of the French government with establishment of a military regime under Marshal Petain.

"No separate armistice with France is imaginable except in terms of complete capitulation," authorized sources said.

It was asserted that France was regarded as "England's sword which by all means must be wrenched from England's hand."

Informed observers explained that an armistice short of capitulation would leave the French forces free for reorganization for a possible smash against the Italians. This German never would permit, they said.

"We continue to fight," declared a spokesman in discussing what he termed "rumors and conjecture of French capitulation offers."

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The Germans made no estimate on the number of French troops and the amount of war material in the area they had ringed in at the rear of the Maginot line, but unofficial estimates were that upwards of a million French troops were in the Alsace and Lorraine area.

The drive of the Germans to Pontarlier meant encirclement of whatever forces remained in the zone.

The opinion was expressed in authoritative circles that the death row of the French republic soon would be struck and though the statement was made that "we fight, despite all cabinet changes," Germany awaited some kind of a declaration from the new French government of Marshal Henri Philippe Petain.

As to Soviet Russia's moves in the east in exacting Latvian and Estonian approval of demands for access of Red army troops and changed governments, there was no official comment, but one source termed the eastern situation "strictly a Russian affair which does not concern the Reich."

Nazi troops crushing in on France were storming through and around the Maginot line.

Fighting Continues Along Maginot Line

BASEL, Switzerland, June 17 (AP).—Despite Marshal Petain's radio statement to France that his new government had requested an armistice light artillery of the French Maginot line began heavily shelling German positions in Baden at 3 p. m. (8 p. m. MST) today.

German westward guns replied. There was no other land or air action throughout the day. Guns of both sides had been silent until the French opened fire.

(Although the French were reported to have withdrawn their main forces from the Maginot line, it was believed they had left small detachments to delay the German advance.)

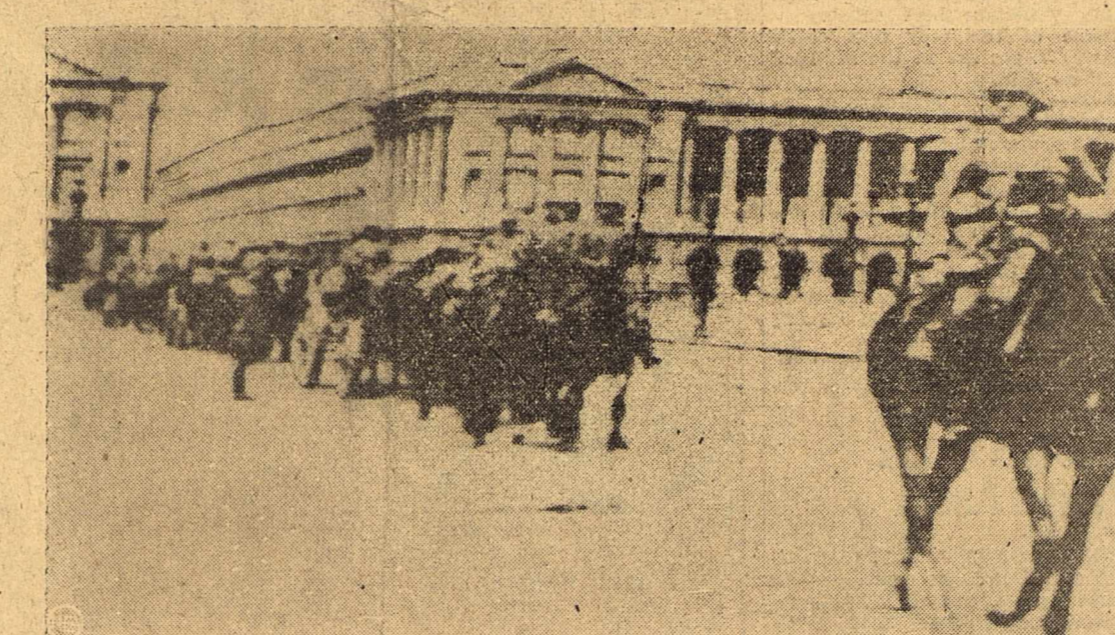
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It Couldn't Happen to Paris—But It Did!!



Horse-drawn Nazi artillery rumbles across the Place de la Concorde in Paris as Nazi troops completed the occupation of Paris without resistance from the French army or Parisians. French troops are fighting desperately but retreating constantly as the German war machine smashes on in the face of their stiff resistance.

West Texas Oil

By FRANK GARDNER, Andrews County.

Shot with 500 quarts from 4,350 to 4,475 feet, the total depth, is scheduled to go off this afternoon in Atlantic Refining Company-Helmreich and Payne, Inc. No. 1 University, prospective pool opener on short-term University of Texas land in southwestern Andrews, section 11, block 11. Swabbed yield of two and one-half barrels of oil hourly had been shown after acidizing with a total of 14,000 gallons.

Atlantic No. 1-2 University, section 2, block 11, proved light shale-oil of 65 in the area and 100-ton at 2,850 feet and is drilling below 3,405 feet in anhydrite. It offsets the discovery to the north.

A wildcat two miles south of the discovery, Atlantic No. 1-23 University, in section 23 of the same block, had drilled to 4,004 feet in line. Leases under all three wells expire July 8 and can be held only by production.

Cochran County. The Texas Company No. 1-F Mallet Land & Cattle Company, in the extreme southeast part of the county, this morning was drilling at 4,700 feet in line.

Magnolia Petroleum Co. No. 1 Mallet, proving a three-quarter-mile northeast extension to the east side of the Duggan pool, is shut in pending clearance of storage for potential gauge. Total depth is 5,038 feet in line, and it has been acidized with 1,500, 4,000 and 6,000 gallons in successive phases.

Crane County. Apparent definition of the water table in new area which it recently opened between the Dunes and Waddell pools in eastern Crane was indicated today as Gulf Oil Corporation No. 31 W. N. Waddell et al encountered increase in sulphur water from 4,034 - 39 feet which could not be lowered by balling. It now is shut down for orders at 4,947 feet in line. Oil was found at a shallower depth.

Gulf No. 1-F University, eastern Crane wildcat southwest of the Dunes pool, had drilled to 1,165 feet in salt.

Northeast of western Crane's Sandhills or Tubb deep Permian pool, Gulf No. 123 Waddell was carrying three barrels of water per hour as it drilled to 4,325 feet in line. Farther northeast, the company's No. 5 M. B. McKnight, a deep test, resumed drilling this morning after having been shut down all day Sunday at depth of 6,694 feet in line. (See OIL NEWS, page 6)

Separate Fleet for Atlantic Talked by Congressmen Today

WASHINGTON, June 17 (AP).—An early administration proposal for building a separate Atlantic fleet was forecast in congressional quarters today, while senators were discussing the wisdom of doubling the navy to total 750,000 men.

Inasmuch as the main fleet is being kept in the Pacific, well-informed sources explained that talk of developing Atlantic defenses arose from the possibility of allied defeat in the European war.

The issue of a second fleet, these sources said, would be a new type of fast cruiser of 20,000 to 28,000 tons. Rep. Maas (R-Minn.) predicted that it would be heavily armored, with 11-inch guns, and would be designed especially to withstand aerial bombing.

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ALBANY, June 17 (AP).—Shackelford county this season will be a posted preserve for "Tired Campaign Listeners."

Recent rains have made farmers and ranchmen so busy that R. Y. Black, chairman of a democratic county candidates, has announced that political rallies will be abolished this year.

Mrs. T. W. Hunter, mother of Mrs. Paul Schlosser of Midland, died in San Angelo this morning, according to information received here. A San Angelo resident, she had been seriously ill for about a week, and Mrs. Schlosser and her two daughters had been at the bedside.

Funeral services will be held at the Johnson Funeral Home in San Angelo, Tuesday morning at 10:00 o'clock, friends here have been informed.

Mrs. Hunter is survived by several daughters and by other relatives.

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PETAINE ASKS FIGHTING END

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"It is necessary to try to end the fighting."

Britain announced she would carry on the fight, despite the loss of her ally.

There was some doubt whether France would be granted a separate peace—except under terms of unconditional surrender—and Hitler prepared to meet with Premier Mussolini to discuss the development.

Germany, it was said, would not permit France to reorganize her broken armies, under an armistice with Germany, to assault Italy on her southern frontiers.

Collapse of France under Germany's military might—on the 38th day after Hitler's Nazi troops stormed into the low countries to strike at France on May 10—was announced today by Marshal Petain, 84-year-old new French premier, according to a British broadcasting corporation report.

"The battle has had to cease during the night," Petain was quoted as saying.

"I have approached the enemy with a view to finding out whether he would be prepared to put an honorable end to our hostilities."

An official French army communiqué, apparently many hours late, stated that "fighting is continuing."

The reported capitulation came as France's great Maginot line—built at a cost of \$500,000,000 and supposedly impregnable—was abandoned except for a skeleton defense force and Germany's armored legions smashed through and around the vast steel-and-concrete system of fortifications.

Reports from London said first British reaction to the French collapse was a grim determination to fight on—as already voiced by prime minister Churchill—even if England itself falls to the Nazi invaders.

With overthrowing German armies already having cut off France's "last province" of Alsace-Lorraine by hounding down to the Swiss border at Pontarlier—while other Nazi columns reportedly captured Orleans on the river Loire where Joan of Arc won her great victory—the new French cabinet met at Bordeaux to "await developments" on France's capitulation to Germany.

The German high command reports its troops, "relentlessly pursuing," the retreating French armies, had crossed the Loire river.

It was behind this river, some 65 miles south of Paris, that the French had hoped to reform their broken lines for a defense which former premier Paul Reynaud said would be carried into "the last corner of France."

About 1,000,000 French soldiers were reported surrounded in the Alsace-Lorraine area.

Most of the Maginot garrison—500,000 or more men—were withdrawing southward to a new line pegged on Belfort in the west, fighting rearguard action as they retired, Swiss reports said.

The Germans were reported encircling at least 150 divisions—2,000,000-2,250,000 men—including many fresh troops.

Authoritative sources in London said that even if the French found further resistance on their own soil impossible, Britain would fight to the end and that she would be aided in the struggle by the French fleet—second largest in Europe.

In Berlin, authorized circles threw cold water on rumors of "French capitulation offers."

There seemed no reason to doubt that the fall of the Reynaud government was occasioned by a split on the policy which France should pursue in her hour of destiny.

It was made plain the French cabinet, in its meetings yesterday, had closely scrutinized the possible extent of material assistance from the United States offered by President Roosevelt. The French radio also reported the cabinet had studied a "message" from Britain's prime minister Winston Churchill.

Sharing the spotlight with the French cabinet upheaval was Soviet Russia's swift encroachment on the little Baltic nations ranged along Germany's northern frontier.

With an army estimated at 500,000 men already reported quartered on unresisting Lithuania, Russia had yielded to demands for free passage of Soviet troops and had agreed to form new governments.

The new government, Moscow (See ARMISTICE, page 6)

Defense Council To Meet Tonight At the CC Office

Called meeting of the Midland Council for National Defense will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer this evening at 7:45 o'clock, it was this morning announced by Col. John Perkins, chairman, who urged a full attendance of all council members and other interested parties. This evening's meeting will be the third since organization of the Defense Council Friday evening, when Perkins was elected chairman. The council is composed of representatives of all civic groups of the city.

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Eleven Army Fliers Killed in Crack-up Over New York City

NEW YORK, June 17 (AP).—Twelve army fliers were killed today when two twin-motored bombing planes crashed in flames after colliding 2,000 feet over Bellerose, Queens, just within the New York City limits.

Wreckage of the planes and flaming gasoline was scattered over half a dozen houses in the neighborhood. Firemen extinguished several blazes.

The scene of the crash is a densely populated suburban area in the vicinity of the Greedmore State hospital, on whose grounds one flier landed by parachute, suffering a broken leg.

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By The Associated Press. France is the ninth nation to succumb to the might of Germany in little more than two years.

The great Nazi offensive was launched June 5—the day after the Germans completed their mop-up of Flanders with the capture of Dunkerque.

Nine days later Adolf Hitler's iron legions marched into Paris and the Swastika banners were unfurled over the palace of Versailles. Within another two days the Germans had outflanked the famed Maginot line and the French were forced to abandon the \$500,000,000 system of fortifications in which they had placed their supreme trust.

The withdrawal was the beginning of the end for the armies of France. The train of events which led up to the outbreak of war last September began on March 11, 1938, when German troops marched into Austria without opposition.

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Statewide Oil Hearing Set for Austin Tuesday

By The Associated Press. AUSTIN, Tex., June 17 — An emergency statewide oil hearing in the house of representatives at 2 p. m. tomorrow was called by a majority of the Texas Railroad Commission today, Commission Member Jerry Sadler announced.

In calling the hearing, Sadler said:

"It is my belief that a complete statewide oil production shutdown in Texas is imminent due to the fact there now is no export market at all for American crude.

"We are calling this meeting to prevent possible waste of oil.

"It is my information that all French tankers have been turned back.

"England has been taking much of its oil from French refineries.

"When there is no sale for the oil we have exported, it is time for us to act."

Sadler said the emergency statewide hearing was called after a conference with Commission Chairman Len A. Smith, who agreed the emergency action was necessary.

Smith and Sadler previously had announced the return of the giant East Texas field to an old prorotation schedule recently upheld by the U. S. Supreme Court, Sadler declared.

"I can't say. This is a new day."

OKLAHOMA, City, June 17 (AP).—W. J. Armstrong, state conservation officer, said today that no market emergency has arisen in the Oklahoma oil industry and he saw no present necessity of a statewide hearing of operators.

Armstrong said he has not been informed by Texas officials of market emergency there which resulted in a call for a statewide hearing to discuss a possible shut-down.

"If such a condition does arise in Oklahoma we will be glad to cooperate with other states in conservation measures and protection of the industry," Armstrong said.

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The Reporter-Telegram wants to run more pages, and to run more pages it costs more money. To meet the cost, it takes more advertising. Our circulation has been growing steadily and now that we have added the leased wire, we are expecting to expand this phase of the business considerably. If you appreciate your home town paper, tell your friends about it. We need your support to make one of the outstanding dailies of West Texas. When the Reporter-Telegram and the Odessa Bulletin took on the leased wire service, it made a total of thirteen west of Fort Worth, including the Panhandle and South Texas, to have such facilities.

The Midland Cowboys showed their appreciation of Appreciation Day Sunday and won a couple of games for the fans who were showing their appreciation for the owners and the team.

Boy Scouts of Buster Howard's troop will take off at 4 a.m. tomorrow for a big time in the Sacramento mountains of New Mexico. They will visit the Carlsbad Cavern en route and return to Midland about the last day of the month. Let's hope the organization of our Boy Scouts will never be more than a "youth development" body. In Germany and Italy for several years their boys that age have been organized in groups for military training. At present, it looks like they were on the right track, but in the long run they are bound to lose by that ambition for world power.

One thing about these teletype-writers which bring in the leased wire service of the Associated Press, somebody has to be down here at 7 a.m. to turn them on. This morning, two or three of the force showed up, but Tiffin, who gets up anywhere from 2 to 3 o'clock to come to town, had beaten us to it. Sure enough at about 7:45 an AP sender had tested out his machine as follows: "The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog." After repeating that line seven or eight times, he settled down and waited for seven o'clock to come. A few minutes after he had got going, he repeated all he had sent, apparently having had a call from Corsicans because their man had failed to turn on his machines.

Few mornings in an average year would bring in such momentous news as that which led off this morning, having to do with Marshal Petain's statement that France had been forced to cease fighting. This newspaper would have had the leased wire in force several weeks ago had arrangements been completed for addition to the building. Certainly, with things happening as fast as they are today, we couldn't

Pittman Challenges Lindbergh War Talk

WASHINGTON, June 17 (AP)—Replying to Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's demand that the United States stop making "gestures with an empty gun," Senator Pittman (D-Nev.) has proposed that the flier "cease efforts to create unfounded war fear and lack of confidence in our government." Pittman, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, said in a radio speech Sunday night: "If Colonel Lindbergh desires to help in our national defense, let him throw aside all of his false political advisers, and volunteer in the United States government as an expert in aviation." Pittman's speech followed a broad-

Health Officer Makes Inspections of Pool

Dr. Yarbrough of the County Health Unit is making regular inspections of the Pagoda Swimming pool. It was announced today. He reports water and equipment to be in a satisfactory condition. The care and inspections of the plunge and bath houses are being made in accordance with the official specifications and directions of the State Board of Health. Daily inspection of the water is being made with a standard testing set. Showers and foot-baths are required of all bathers. Also an experienced life guard is on duty at all times to assure safety, and that sanitary requirements are being followed by bathers. Dr. Yarbrough assures parents that they may feel safe in permitting their children to enjoy what is considered the most beneficial of all exercises.

THE RECORD... Facts That Concern You No. 19 of a series ABOUT BEER AND ALE AN OPEN FORUM OF QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS QUESTION: WHY IS BEER CALLED THE BEVERAGE OF MODERATION? ANSWER: Because beer's alcoholic content is low. Temperate, moderate nations of the world...and their people...prefer beer. QUESTION: DO BEER AND ALE REALLY AID THE FARMERS? ANSWER: Since re-legalization of the brewing industry has bought 25,000,000,000 pounds of farm products. That has helped farmers... particularly during the depression years. QUESTION: JUST WHAT ARE BEER AND ALE MADE OF? ANSWER: Beer is made by a natural fermentation process... from malted barley and other grains, hops, yeast, water. Nature makes beer. The brewer makes it good beer (and ale). QUESTION: HOW MUCH DO BEER TAXES CONTRIBUTE TO THE COST OF GOVERNMENT? ANSWER: Beer contributes \$1,000,000 a day... \$400,000,000 a year... to help pay the costs of government... local, state and federal. Everybody benefits from this contribution. QUESTION: DO BEER AND ALE MAKE JOBS FOR WORKERS? ANSWER: Beer and ale have already made a million jobs. This employment is widespread... all over the country. More than 100 other industries benefit from beer and ale. QUESTION: HOW IS THE BREWING INDUSTRY COOPERATING WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS? ANSWER: The Brewing Industry is actively on the side of law and order. A "self-regulation" plan to eliminate retail abuses has already been put into effect in a number of states in cooperation with law enforcement authorities. This plan is being extended. We would like to tell you about it. Write for an interesting free booklet. Address: United Brewers Industrial Foundation, 19 East 40th Street, New York, N.Y. BEER...a beverage of moderation

Cattle Business Of Midland Area In Defense Plans

AUSTIN, June 17 (AP)—A possible boom in the already well developed cattle industry of the Midland-Ector county area was seen as a result of the national defense program today.

State Agriculture Commissioner J. E. McDonald declared the production of beef cattle would be an important phase of agricultural expansion necessary to a complete defense program. McDonald said an increased army would demand greater beef production. He pointed out the army purchases a high quality beef such as produced in the Midland-Odessa-Alpine area where the phosphate content of the soil has been important in development of a high quality whiteface beef cattle. "Some of the very best cattle herds in Texas are in the Midland area," he said. He asserted that all forms of agriculture, including livestock production, must march hand in hand with industry in preparation for national defense and termed agriculture a "second line of the nation's defense" because an ill-fed army is of little value. McDonald plans to attend the annual convention of the Permian Basin Association in Odessa June 21 and 22.

Col. Robins, Air Corps Head, Dies Of Heart Attack

SAN ANTONIO, June 17 (AP)—A heart attack brought death yesterday to Col. Augustine W. Robins, 57, commanding officer of the large United Air Corps training center here. Funeral services were set for this afternoon at the Randolph Field Post Chapel. The body will be sent to Washington for burial in Arlington National cemetery. Colonel Robins had directed the expanded Air Corps training program through its first year. Col. Eugene A. Lohman, commanding officer of the advanced training school at Kelly Field, was named acting commander of the air Corps training center to succeed Colonel Robins. The center comprises Kelly, Randolph and Brooks field and nine civilian flying schools. WAS TO HAVE BEEN IN MIDLAND TUESDAY

Col. Robins, with a board of officers, was to have been in Midland Tuesday for a conference with civic leaders on Midland airport improvement plans, he had said in a telegram to the chamber of commerce here. Later, a telegram was received by Bill Collins Sunday advising of the officer's death.

PAMPA MAN HEADS RMA SAN ANTONIO, June 17 (AP)—Walter J. Daugherty of Pampa was chosen president of Retail Merchants Association of Texas at meeting here Sunday.

THE REPORTER-TELEGRAM UNITED PRESS NEWS MAP BERLIN This United Press map of Berlin shows the city's famous avenues, parks and governmental buildings well known to American newspaper readers. Some of these indicated are Unter den Linden, Wilhelmstrasse; Tiergarten, Jungfernheide; the Chancellery and the Reichstag. The map shows various districts like Tegel, Spandau, Charlottenburg, Schöneberg, and Neukölln, along with major streets and landmarks like the Reichstag and the Chancellery.

Interpreting the War Today TERMS OF PEACE FOR FRANCE TO ANSWER QUESTION 'WHAT NEXT?'

By DEWITT MACKENZIE, Associated Press Staff Writer. With France compelled to give way to the Teutonic avalanche which is grinding down the country, what is the future? England has sworn to battle to the end. The measure of British difficulty in performing this great task will, to my mind, depend in considerable degree on the peace terms imposed on France. In carrying on the fight against the most powerful war-machine ever known, England will depend as heretofore on the vast superiority of her resources and on her tremendous navy to win through. But if she should lose the aid of the French navy to Germany, she would be confronted with a grave situation. The British navy—something more than 2,000,000 tons—is the biggest thing afloat. The French fleet totals about 819,000 tons and the Italian 718,000. Germany did not have some 579,000 tons at the outbreak of the war, but much of that has been destroyed. Now if you will do a bit of simple arithmetic you will see that the addition of the French fleet to that of Italy, and what is left of the German navy, would bring the German-Italian strength perilously close to that of Britain. Where, then, would this leave England's control of the seas? Dispatches indicate England hopes the French fleet will be turned over to her. Supposing, however, that Hitler threatens to French with terrible penalties if this is done, that certainly would raise a dire problem. The same might be said of the French air force. Theoretically, it would be feasible for the French to send their planes winging across the channel to their ally. Practically such an operation might result in fierce German sanctions. We shall have to wait and see what the fates produce. It is an ironic circumstance that the Anglo-French brotherhood should have been encountering steady defeat while possessed of enough potential resources to win a dozen wars. They just haven't been able to get those resources into operation fast enough to meet the onslaught of the Hitlerian military creation into the construction of which had been virtually everything of which the Reich was possessed. On May 22 French premier Reynaud declared if the allies could hold the German rush just a month they would be three-quarters way to victory. But they weren't able to hold the rush. Britain's problem, as was that of France, will be to avoid being smashed before it can get its resources into action. The latest word from London is that the government no longer will depend on economic exhaustion of the enemy but will go all out in getting equipped as fast as possible to meet the blitzkrieg blow for blow. Much of that equipment, of course, is expected from American factories. Most observers still hold to the theory that if Hitler doesn't win his blitzkrieg in the near future, his lack of resources will preclude victory. Italy brings to the partnership little in the way of resources excepting more military equipment. Should this navy go to the German not only in battle but to maintain that great naval blockade which has cut the Reich off from virtually all sea-borne supplies. Whether Britain will indeed be able to keep up the blockade may depend on the disposition of that vital French fleet. Should this navy go to the German-Italian entente, the blockade might be reversed against England, which has to import the great bulk of its foodstuffs and other supplies. Help may come to Britain from a grim and unwanted source before long. Doctors attending the American Medical Association meeting in New York last week called attention to the great likelihood of famine conditions in Europe by winter. Malnutrition would, of course, mean disease. None of the countries involved in the war can produce anything like enough food for themselves. This includes the occupied nations—Norway, Poland, Denmark, Holland, Belgium. The great Danubian basin—one of the world's grain centers—has signalled the worst crop prospects in a decade. And besides that, they are handicapped in agriculture work because most of their men are standing at arms. The prospects are very terrible. If Britain can keep her sea lanes open she will come through well. But the chances for the rest of Europe are grim. Russia's sudden military occupation of the Baltic states, Lithuania, Latvia and Estonia, very naturally has caused a burst of anxious speculation abroad as to whether this signals Bolshevik intervention in the war. I should say that the Red maneuver is partly defensive against any possible sharp practice by Germany, and partly to improve the Soviet strategic position for offensive operations, if Moscow sees fit to move. As I see it, Russian foreign policy is aimed at two objectives: (1) Absolute security for the Soviet Union, and (2) the spread of communism to Europe and, for that matter, ultimately to the whole world. You can substitute "Communist domination" for "spread of Communism" without changing the meaning. Any action which the Muscovites take will be directed toward these objectives. Intervention in the war would have no other motive than the spread of Communist domination, unless for actual protection of the Soviet Union. The Bolsheviks have no love for either the Berlin-Rome axis or Britain, but Moscow might help either in pursuit of its own objectives. I see no indication that it would help either unless one of the objectives were involved. It would seem that Moscow's purposes will best be served if both sides in the conflict are broken on the rack of war. This would tend to create economic and political confusion which might impel populations of the distressed countries to

Draft Plan That Could Start in 30 Days Prepared by Government

WASHINGTON, June 17 (AP)—A draft plan that could be put into operation within 30 days if the United States got into war long has been prepared in legislative form, ready for instant consideration by congress if an emergency arose. Under the program, conscription of men from all walks of life would move along with clock-work precision. At least, army and navy men contemplate no such jams and delays as followed the first draft orders in the World War days. It is planned that men would be assigned so far as practicable to the military units for which they were best suited. The cook on a West Texas chuckwagon probably would find himself dishing up beans for soldiers; an East Texas oil field tool dresser might go through a war period in the Boston navy yards. Right now both army and navy are particularly desirous of obtaining skilled mechanics and engineers. An enlisted man in the air corps must have at least a high school education. Plans have been carefully drawn so that no man whose job is vital to the economic structure would be taken away from his machine or office. Until the 1940 census figures have been compiled, the war department can only guess at the military and industrial man power, but estimates indicate there are some 28,000,000 men in the broad military bracket of 18 to 45 years. When, as and if the government has to draft men, they will probably be called up in the following order: 21 to 31—It is estimated that 12,000,000 men would register now as compared with 10,000,000 in 1917. Of these, 4,800,000 would be chosen for service. About 3,000,000 would register on the second call, or the 18 to 20 group, of whom about 2,000,000 would be chosen. The third draft would involve the registering of 13,000,000 between 32 and 45 of whom 2,500,000 would be drafted for service. The selective service plan prepared by army and navy experts is expected to function with "the minimum of disturbance to the economy and to the social structure of the nation." Those registering would fall into four groups: 1. Those immediately available for service. 2. Those whose service would be deferred because of the importance of their jobs, which might involve munitions manufacture, food, machinery. 3. Those whose service would be deferred because of dependents. 4. Those undesired because of physical and mental disabilities. Those in class 1 would be called for medical examination and reclassification as fit for unlimited service, fit for limited service, or unfit. The order in which they would be enrolled would be determined by lotteries as the army and navy called for them. It was only during the latter part of American participation in the World War that the navy relied on conscripted men for personnel. In 1917 only 86,000 men volunteered before the first draft was called. National Guard staffs everywhere have been urged to organize volunteer plans, in addition to the selective service plans outlined in the prepared legislation. In June of 1917 the war department issued its famous "registration primer" in which aliens as well as citizens 21 to 31 were required to register and a penalty of one year imprisonment was provided for failure to obey. As each man was registered he was given a number. On July 18 President Wilson issued a formal order drafting 687,000 men into service, to be chosen by lot. Texas' quota for the first draft was 48,116 men, but because of her National Guard and volunteers, the first draft required forced conscription of only 30,545. A total of 409,745 Texans between 21 and 31 years registered on the first call, but only 119,779 were called up for examination. Out of these came those conscripted. Of the 409,745 registered, 70,249 were negroes. Draft boards of local citizens were set up in each county to pass on the physical and other qualifications of men. As a rule the board passed on exemption applications.

Ann Ulmer Hostess At Barn Dance on Saturday Night

Ann Ulmer was hostess to a group of friends with a barn dance in the garage at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Ulmer, 111 North C street, Saturday night.

A scarecrow emphasized the rustic decorations which included hay and cane stalks placed at vantage points. Guests wore farmer boy and girl costumes.

Music was furnished by a portable victrola.

Games were played and punch and cookies were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Ulmer were chaperones.

About 21 boys and girls were present.

Talks Made by Four at BTU Meeting Sunday

Four members made talks on "Praying for others" at the meeting of the Loyal Workers BTU Sunday evening. They were Miss Eura Sneed, Miss Ora Mae Smith, Leonard Howell, and Alton A. Gault.

Miss Sneed offered prayer at the opening of the meeting and Miss Louise Whitson led the union in unison prayer at the closing of the meeting.

Sixteen members and visitors were present.

WHO'S WHO in "ORPHAN NELL"

By GLADYS SIRDEVAN

Aunt Carrie

Aunt Carrie, Zekial Brown's sister, is a sharp-tongued spinster who knows her own mind and often speaks it. Out of character, she is Mrs. Sam Warren of Midland, the wife of Actor Squire Flint, and is an employee of Mims and Crane. Mrs. Warren is a native of Indiana but has lived in Midland for eleven years. She has had previous dramatic experience in the Little Theater organization of Midland ten years ago and in her high school in Indiana.

Back in character Aunt Carrie, in spite of her old maidish ways, has a sense of humor and we suspect that her bark is worse than her bite. Her advice to Jack in an hour of awkwardness in proposing to Nellie sounds as though experience were speaking: "Do you think any young woman is going to look twice at a man who humbles himself on every occasion? Let Nellie know that she is not the only pebble on the beach. And in her scene of advice such as only one of Aunt Carrie's type can give, she sings "Not the Only Pebble on the Beach."

Another characteristic, which shows that although Aunt Carrie is a spinster of the nineties, she has her memories of her own girlish ways, and she begs, not to judge Nellie too harshly. "She's More to Be Pitied Than Censured" is her advice in song to Zek as the curtain falls on the trial of honor of Orphan Nell.

How Times Change! Now A Camisole's a Dress



HOWARD GREER'S "camisole" dress of red, white and black polka dot silk print has a camisole top and an apron skirt. The yoke is of black peasant linen, the drawstring of silk grosgrain ribbon.

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

It seems that all pleasure has its price, no matter how innocent it is. Even a Sunday motor trip takes a toll of sunburn (even more unpleasant to sight than to feeling) and of muscles drugged with weariness. But at that, we think such trips are worth the price.

Lovers of beautiful scenery need only to take a few hours off and go down into Texas' own Davis mountains to find it. Rugged rock cliffs and almost palisade-like formations, contrast with the green of ancient-looking trees and with a blue sky sprinkled with roving clouds. The cool breeze is refreshing to a traveler from the lower plains and the majestic landscapes are enough to make any weary business man (or woman) forget his troubles—at least for a few hours.

Pleasing color combination for an outdoor costume—long-jacketed slacks suit of heavy light blue materials, set off by rose-colored blouse and hat.

With the 4-H Club Girls

Midkiff Ranch 4-H club met with Mrs. Dick Midkiff, sponsor, June 13 for a program on "Summer Care of Chickens."

Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent, discussed feeding, sanitation of water, and how to rid chickens of lice, mites, fleas, worms, bluebugs, and how to cure scaly-leg.

She announced that the Gold Star girl of 1939, a poultry demonstrator, a cooperator, a sponsor and she would attend the A&M Short Course.

Score cards were also discussed.

Present were: Club members, Alice Midkiff, Loyce, Maydelle, and Hazelle Midkiff; visiting club girls, Emmanie and Cecile Cutbirth, Maxine Scott, Elsie Baker, Norma Jean Bramlett; other visitors, Mrs. W. H. Lynn of Denton, Miss Joyce Gill from Levelland, Patsy Ruth Healy from Denver City, Miss Lynn, and the hostess-sponsor, Mrs. Midkiff. (Hazelle Midkiff, reporter.)

G. O. P. White Elephant On Banners of Blue

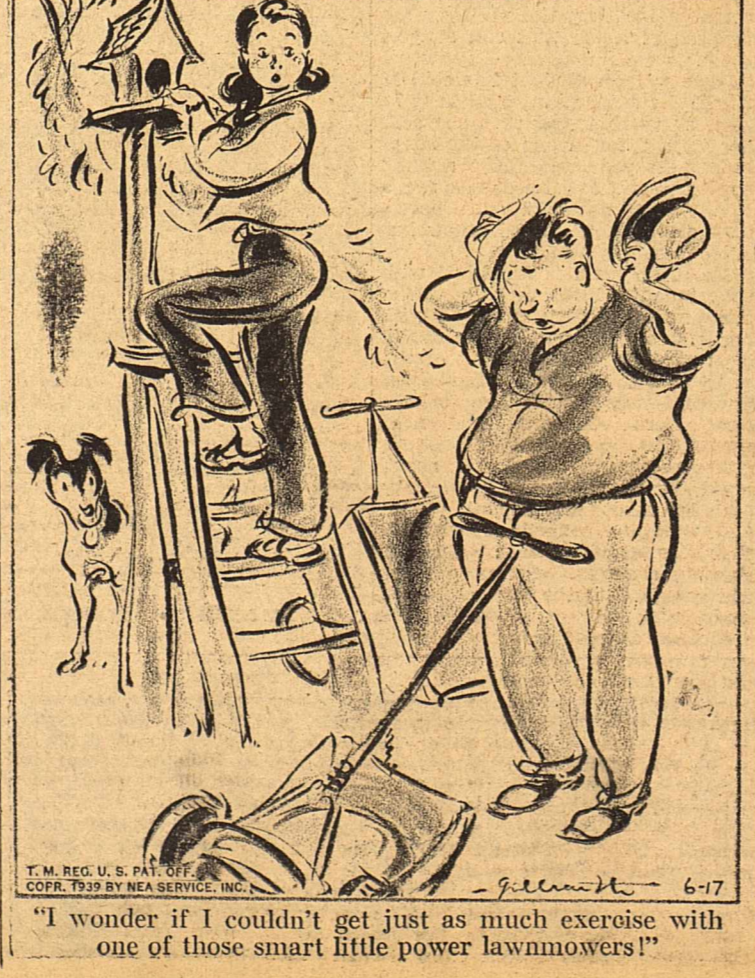
PHILADELPHIA (AP)—A gaily decorated Philadelphia will greet visitors to the National Republican Convention here June 24.

Public buildings, street standards and points of interest will be lavishly decorated with bunting, banners and flags by the bureau of city property and the Republican committee on arrangements.

The banners will have a white elephant on a blue background, with red-and-white stripes below the blue field. Large national and city flags will be placed beside each banner.

SIDE GLANCES

by Galbraith



"I wonder if I couldn't get just as much exercise with one of those smart little power lawnmowers!"

Musical Scholarship To Be Awarded at Camp Waldemar

HUNT, Texas, June 17 (Special).—Announcement of a scholarship to be given to Waldemar's outstanding girl in music this summer by President Pat M. Neff of Baylor University, Waco, has been made by Miss Doris Johnson, camp director.

Standards of attainment by which girls will be judged are diction, intonation, rhythm, breath control, and appearance in voice. In piano they will be judged in pedaling, phrasing, and technique.

A committee of six judges will determine which girl is entitled to the award. They are Miss Frances McCluskey, director of voice and piano at the camp; Miss Emmie Craddock, director of orchestra and instrumental instruction; Miss Freda Scroggins, counselor in voice; and Misses Margaret Kittrell, Mary Edna Morris, and Irene Simpson, counselors in piano.

Three Midland girls are enrolled in Camp Waldemar's department of music this term. They are Suzanne LeFlore, Shirley Culbertson, and Dorothy Turner.

Coming Events

- TUESDAY.**
- Bridgette club will meet with Mrs. A. E. Horst, 107 North G street, Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.
 - Women's Bible class will meet at the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
 - Lorado Sewing club will meet with Mrs. S. B. Carden, 214 W. Washington, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
- WEDNESDAY.**
- Bluebonnet club will meet with Mrs. D. W. Brunson at her home on the Lamesa road, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
 - Tell-U club will meet with Mrs. G. T. Stafford, 505-A N. Marienfeld, Wednesday at one o'clock and go to Cloverdale for a picnic.
 - Delta Dek club will meet with Mrs. Zay Kimberlin, 305 N. Big Spring, Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock.
 - Banner Sewing club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Dale at her apartment at 301 North F street, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
 - Friendship club will meet with Mrs. Fred Osborne at her home east of Midland, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
 - Twelve-ite club will meet with Mrs. R. I. Dickey, 507 W. Louisiana, Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.
 - Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.
 - As You Like It club will meet with Mrs. Joe Roberson, 620 W. Tennessee, Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.
- FRIDAY.**
- Women's Golf Association will meet at the Country Club Friday morning at 8 o'clock for play. A business meeting will be held at 12 o'clock and luncheon will be served at one o'clock.
 - Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. W. T. Schneider, 2000 W. Brunson, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
 - Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. J. L. Kelley, 401 North D street, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.
- SATURDAY.**
- Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.
 - Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

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Fellowship BTU Makes Plans for Brotherhood Meeting

Group 3 of the Fellowship BTU was in charge of the program at the meeting Sunday evening, with Joe Pierce as leader.

Taking part in the discussion of the subject, "Intercessory Prayer," were Mrs. Roy Blackburn, Mrs. S. C. Dougherty, Martin Neill, Ray Blackburn.

Mrs. Thurman Pylant conducted a Bible quiz from the Book of Mark.

Plans were made for the Brotherhood dinner and meeting tonight which will be sponsored by the Fellowship union.

Plans were also made for a shower on Wednesday night, honoring Mr. and Mrs. Pierce whose home was destroyed by fire last week. Twelve were present.

HERE FROM IOWA

Mr. and Mrs. John Rhoden Sr. have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. John Roundabush, Mrs. Ira Roundabush, his mother, and Mrs. Mamie Byerly, all of Brooklin, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. John Roundabush have gone on to Arizona to visit with her sisters, and Mrs. Mamie Byerly and Mrs. Ira Roundabush will stay here for a few days and then go to Lovington, N. M.

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POSTMASTERS NAMED

WASHINGTON, June 17 (AP)—The senate confirmed today these Texas postmaster nominations: Marion L. Garvin, Jr., Como; James H. McClellan, Gatesville; Willard Proctor, Grand Saline; Mary Thomason, Nacogdoches; James R. Kersey, Ozona.

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Personals

Mrs. Alton Higginbotham of Crowell and Mrs. Mary Adrian of Chillicothe were guests of Mrs. W. P. Thurmon this week-end.

Visiting the McDonald Observatory on Mt. Locke Sunday was a group of Midland people including: Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Alexander and son, M. L., and their guest, Mrs. Alexander of Winters, Mrs. M. J. Allen, Miss Alpha Lynn and her mother, Mrs. W. H. Lynn of Denton, and Misses Mamie Belle McKee and Kathleen Eiland. All except the latter two were on a camping trip. Mrs. Allen returned to Midland Sunday night with Misses McKee and Eiland, while the others planned to continue their trip to Valandine and Kent before returning.

Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Bobo and daughter, Betty Lou, are seeing some of the show points of New York City. They visited the Empire State Tower last week. Dr. Bobo is attending the American Medical Association convention.

Miss Jewell Coleman has returned from a vacation trip to Ft. Worth and Houston.

PRIZE CANS AND BOTTLES.

Abyssinian natives greatly prize empty soup cans or catsup bottles. They will give as much as a dozen eggs and a chicken for each empty can or bottle.

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ENGLE AND WALKER HURL COWBOYS TO TWO WINS OVER LUBBOCK

Final Game of Series to Be Played Tonight

The Midland Cowboys, getting superb pitching from Morris Engle and Lytle Walker and timely hitting throughout, tightened their hold on fourth place in the league standings yesterday afternoon by taking two games from the Lubbock Hubbers. Score on the first game 13-3 and 6-2 in the abbreviated nightcap.

The two teams will meet again tonight at 8:30 and the Cowboys will head out for Pampa where they will play the first game of a 11-day road trip tomorrow night.

Ladies Night at the park with all the female fans getting in free.

Yesterday's wins were costly to the Cowboys, however. Sam Sealing, clean-up hitter, went out of the second game when he suffered a severe ankle sprain on a leg that was already injured. He is likely to miss several games as a result of the accident.

Engle pitched the first game for the Cowboys and showed a sweeping curve ball that kept the visitors away from home plate until the ninth inning when they got three runs on a couple of walks, an error and a pair of base hits. In the nightcap, Lytle Walker, making his first appearance for the Cowboys this year, limited the Hubbers to six hits, one of them a home run by first baseman Drake, and had no trouble in wrapping up a victory.

The other feature of the Cowboys' play was that of Hayden Greer at shortstop. He handled a total of 11 chances during the game with never a bobble. On at least three of the plays he had to go over back of second, scoop up the ball and hurry to get the runner out.

The Cowboys got one run in the first inning on singles by Avadesian, Naranjo and Sealing; came back with two in the second on doubles by Schmidt and Greer and a single by Naranjo.

In the third, they got two more on a double by Sealing and a homer by Sammy Hale. A big fifth inning netted three runs. Rube Naranjo hitting one out of the park with two on base after three had been scored in the fourth on a double by Avadesian, single by Phillips and a couple of infield errors by the Hubbers.

The Cowboys went scoreless in the sixth for the first time but got one in the seventh on consecutive singles by Engle, Avadesian and Naranjo. The final Cowboy run came in the eighth when Manager Hale again hit one out of the park.

Engle showed signs of tiring when he walked Hajduk to open the ninth but might have escaped damage except for an error by the manager that allowed the next man to reach first. Another walk loaded the bases but a long fly to the outfield and a single brought in three runs.

Second Game.
Lubbock got a run in the first inning on a walk to Niedziela, single by Drake and a couple of infield errors. However, the lead was short-lived since the Cowboys got one in their half on a walk to Avadesian, singles by Phillips and Sealing.

Midland pulled one run ahead in the second on a single by Greer, an error by Kramer on Wilson's bunt, a sacrifice by Walker, walk to Avadesian and an infield out. The Hubbers came right back and tied up the score in the third when Drake leaned on a fast ball and hit it out of the lot.

In the last half of the frame, the Cowboys took a lead they never relinquished. Sealing beat out one to third and took second when Niedziela threw the ball away at first. Hale then reached first when Finocchiaro dropped his short fly ball in center. Schmidt singled to score Sealing and Hale scored a moment later on a long fly ball to right by Wilson.

Another run came in the fourth on a walk to Naranjo and singles by Phillips and Hale and the final run in the sixth when Avadesian homered.

Dizzy Dean Batted Out But Cops Second Game in Beating Indians

By The Associated Press.
Dizzy Dean's 1940 Texas League record now stands at two victories against no losses.

He was on the mound most of the way yesterday as Tulsa regained fourth place in the league by revitalized Oklahoma City Indians.

Diz had to have help from Julian Tubb after yielding three hits and one run in the seventh but got credit for the triumph. The Oilers were ahead, 4 to 1, when the game was called in the eighth because of rain.

"The Texas League race was fea-

tured otherwise by continuation of the collapse of the Shreveport Sports. The Louisianians dropped two more to Beaumont, 5-3 and 4-1.

Houston's pace-making Buffs put added distance between themselves and the San Antonio Missions by beating the Padres' ace, Bob Muncie, 4 to 2.

The six-place Dallas Rebels and the cellar-dwelling Fort Worth Cats divided a double header. The Cats took the opener, 5 to 3, and the Rebs won, 2 to 0.

Ab Jenkins Applies Slam-Bang Methods Of Racing to Job as Salt Lake Mayor

BY BOB HALE,
NEA Service Special Correspondent.

SALT LAKE CITY Utah. — Ab Jenkins, who holds more auto speed record than in other man in the world, slammed a foot on the municipal government accelerator when he became mayor of Salt Lake City, Jan. 2—and he has kept it there.

The internationally known driver and automotive researcher has given the city a slam-bang administration as breathtaking at times as a ride in his powerful "Mormon Meteor," which has set dozens of records on the Bonneville salt flats of Utah.

Jenkins ran on a traffic safety platform, promised to do things quickly. He has.

In less than three months, he has fired the city traffic safety commission and installed one of his own choosing, got a new chief of police, revamped and modernized the police traffic division, battled in high glee with community safety leaders who disagreed with him, "told off" that arbiter of safety matters, the National Safety Council, which dared send a man into Ab's balliwick with some suggestions; jostled with the red-tape fettered state highway commission and given reporters much "good copy."



How many times a day does dignified Mayor Jenkins' mind stray from auditors' reports back to the days when he was breaking those speed records?

But he qualified in an upset primary, then won the final by the smallest plurality ever recorded here—53 votes in a 42,000 - ballot election.

This Cinderella mayor leaped into the municipal government pit with the same enthusiasm a driver takes into the racing pit. Instead of pounding a 16-cylinder job around the salt flats, he is pounding a budget and driving it fast.

The previous administration sort of held out on Ab. The city installed parking meters last year with a promise, written into law, that proceeds would be for traffic safety work only.

When Ab took office, he found the other commissioners had given his public safety department budget \$75,000 in more revenue for this work, but that the rest of the budget had been reduced \$75,000 a budget making trick designed to help other departments that could use some spare change.

ELECTED WITH PLURALITY OF ONLY 42 VOTES.

POLITICIANS are baffled by him. His knowledge and concern over politics is as minute as his knowledge of motor matters is vast. He ran his own campaign an wasn't given a chance.

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POLICE GET BETTER AUTOMOBILES—NATURALLY.

That didn't stop the veteran speedster; he went ahead spending the money anyhow on the program he had in mind, warning fellow city commissioners that if he runs short, they doggone well can make it up, because the budget was their doing anyhow.

He has given the police department more and better automotive equipment, including ambulance cars equipped with radio. Every police vehicle is to have a two-way radio. He's embarking on a bigger traffic engineering program.

The public safety budget manager was reluctant to go along because he dislikes red ink.

"Yeah? You're working for me now," was Ab's answer.

Jenkins is a hard working mayor. His office hours are long, he never declines to appear at any public gathering, large or small.

Although he is now on a cross-country auto tour, retracing the route over which he set a record in 1925, Jenkins is looking forward to a vacation when he takes a revamped "Mormon Meteor" to the salt flats in the quest of more records. That's all the relaxation he asks.

15 Oklahoma Univ. Grid Stars Will Go Pro This Fall

By EDDIE BRITZ.
NEW YORK, June 17 (AP).—Your old pal, Dizzy Dean, received one vote for the Texas League all-star team . . . Joe Medwick is paying the penalty for being famous. He hadn't been in town 24 hours until the redoubtable Christy Walsh had him lecturing the kids at the World's Fair.

Off-Forgotten Dads.
Yesterday was Father's Day and the New York World-Telegram recalled that Jimmy Walker fathered Sunday baseball, Branch Rickey the farm system, Larry MacPhail night baseball in the majors, Harry M. Stevens the hot dog, and Roger Bresnahan the shin guards.

All Hope So.
Louis and Godoy go this week and we shall see what shall see. Mebbe the heavyweight champion of the world won't be afraid of hurting his hands this time. (What an alibi. How!) . . . Fifteen former Oklahoma U. football players—all developed by Coach Tom Stiehm—will be playing with the big time pro teams this fall. And any coach who can beat that record will please move up to the head of the class.

Today's Guest Star.
Ike Campbell, Enid (Okla) News- Eagle, Roger Hovsby satisfies his well-known love for the races without leaving the park . . . He can sit in the dugout and watch Oklahoma City's opponents circle the bases. . . Is it that bad, Ike?

The Standings

West Texas-New Mexico League.		
TEAM	W	L
Pampa	34	20
Amarillo	36	22
Detroit	30	25
Midland	27	29
Big Spring	24	31
Lubbock	24	31
Borger	24	31
Clovis	23	33

Texas League.		
TEAM	W	L
Houston	46	21
San Antonio	38	30
Beaumont	36	36
Tulsa	30	34
Okla. City	32	37
Dallas	30	35
Shreveport	31	37
Ft. Worth	27	40

American League.		
TEAM	W	L
Boston	31	16
Brooklyn	30	20
Cleveland	32	22
New York	26	25
Chicago	24	29
St. Louis	24	29
Philadelphia	20	31
Washington	21	34

National League.		
TEAM	W	L
Brooklyn	32	15
Cincinnati	34	17
New York	30	17
Chicago	28	26
St. Louis	19	29
Pittsburgh	17	28
Philadelphia	16	30
Boston	15	29

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

West Texas-New Mexico League.
Midland 13-6 Lubbock 3-2.
Pampa 17, Clovis 14.
Amarillo 10, Borger 9.
Lamesa 6, Big Spring 3.

Texas League.
Ft. Worth 5-0, Dallas 3-2.
Houston 4, San Antonio 2.
Beaumont 5-4, Shreveport 3-1.
Tulsa 4, Okla. City 1. (Called seventh rain; second game postponed).

American League.
Boston 4-14, Chicago 3-5.
Cleveland 4-4, Philadelphia 2-3.
St. Louis 12-6, New York 6-5.
Detroit 8, Washington 7.

National League.
Chicago 4-9, Boston 5-1.
St. Louis 9-3, Philadelphia 3-1.
Pittsburgh 5-5, New York 0-3.
Cincinnati 1-5, Brooklyn 0-2.

TODAY'S GAMES.

West Texas-New Mexico League.
Lubbock at Midland.
Lamesa at Big Spring.
Pampa at Clovis.
Borger at Amarillo.

Texas League.
Oklahoma City at Dallas (N).
Tulsa at Ft. Worth (N).
Houston at San Antonio (N).
Beaumont at Shreveport (N).

American League.
(No games scheduled).

National League.
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn (2).
St. Louis at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

City Mileage for Cyclist Is 43,000 in 40 Years

OGDEN, Utah. (U.P.) — Joseph W. Willett, of Ogden, has just finished bicycling 43,000 miles—all within the city limits.

For 40 years Willett has pedaled his way around the city an average of about three miles a day.

"I don't cover much territory, but I get all over this town and that's all I want to do," Willett said. He wore out two bicycles in the first 23 years, but the last 17 years of wheeling have been covered on the same machine.

Allied Bases Are Bombed by Italians

ROME, June 17 (AP).—Still active principally in the air in his first week of warfare, Italy said today in a headquarters communique that her aerial raiders had bombed allied naval bases and flying fields yesterday in Malta, Corsica and Tunisia.

Reconnaissance activity continued in the Alps along the Franco-Italian borders, and in North Africa there were clashes of Italian and British troops.

In British raids, the communique said, a civilian was killed at Savona and several others were wounded, and at Cagliari six aviation technicians were killed and 30 wounded in an attack on an airframe.

"Our aviation carried out raids over aerial bases in Sudan and Kenya (in Africa) with remarkable success and various enemy airplanes were destroyed or damaged on the ground," the Italian communique said.

"In North Africa, land, sea and air operations were successfully carried out against British forces."

The British, using tanks, attacked Italian outposts in Libya.

In the Mediterranean sea and in the air, the Italians declared their forces destroyed 40 French and two British planes and an allied submarine, and announced that anti-aircraft batteries brought down four other allied planes during air raids on Genoa the night of June 15-16.

The government said that one woman was killed and eight persons were injured in the Genoa raids.

Army Pilot Training Period Reduced as War Threat Demands Revision of System

By RANDOLPH F. MCKNIGHT.
FLEXFIELD FIELD, Tex., June 17 (AP).—Over the Texas prairie burst an armada of 100 planes.

Ten minutes later they did a mass landing on the same field. Wind-burned youngsters, average age 23, swarmed out of the cockpits. One hour later, after lunch, they were back in the air.

Quietly but intensively, the army air corps is working toward its stunning goal—7,000 pilots a year. By November the corps will be accepting 1,292 boys into training every five weeks.

From Randolph Field have mushroomed 28 new fields over the breadth of the nation. Fall will see 2,500 student pilots in every phase of instruction at the start of each five weeks.

Col. John B. Brooks, father of "The West Point of the Air," speaks over the drone of his warbirds.

"Our program is designed to produce with maximum safety and production pilots quite well trained—mass production, quite true, but without an ounce of essential training removed."

The old "washout" system does not entirely eliminate a boy from the corps. New specialized courses permit him to become a navigator or bombardier.

Youngsters will fly pursuit ships and older, matured heads are likely to make long range bombing flights if defense of the nation becomes necessary.

The training schedule has been trimmed to this:

Primary training—Ten weeks instead of 12; 60 flying hours instead of 65.

Basic training—Ten weeks instead of 12; 70 instead of 75 flying hours.

Specialized training, pursuit and bi-motored bombardment—Five weeks.

Col. Brooks praised the new government-sponsored civilian air schools:

"They have been magnificent. To me, establishment of the schools was a master move by the air corps. Our program would have been impossible without them. The schools have been so satisfactory, the responsibility of getting instructors has been lifted from our shoulders."

The new training centers include: Gulf division—Randolph, basic training and headquarters; Kelly Field, advanced training; Brooks Field, advanced; Sub-Kelly Field, advanced; Houston, specialized (Bombardier, navigation and bi-motored bombardment).

Needy Find Aid In Handicraft

ASHVILLE, N. C. (U.P.) — Miss Minnie Reese has not yet started teaching her pupils to make silk purses out of sows' ears, but they are waiting to hear the word.

She is director of a welfare crafts shop located in the basement of Asheville's city hall. Improvised men and women who come to her have learned to:

Carve ashtrays and miscellaneous articles from scrap wood.

Make other ashtrays and letter openers from discarded pieces of metal.

Turn honeysuckle vines into baskets.

Extract dyes from ordinary red clay.

Hook rugs from worn-out silk stockings.

Make doormats and straw hats from corn shucks.

Fashion gourds into dolls.

Miss Reese conducts her classes five days a week, with special days devoted to each of the varied arts. Some of the students, she said, merely want to learn some useful hobby, but the majority are in need of a job that can support them.

"One woman student has sold 10 rugs," she said, "and another is so good at woodcarving that she sells her work through one of the shops here. Last year we taught a blind boy to weave, and he does a rug a day. They are sold even before they are finished, and he now has a loom of his own."

The shop itself is furnished with the students' handiwork, including the curtains. They are dyed with her red clay dye, which has also been used on cloth sent out of the state to former North Carolinians. She said they "simply like to have some North Carolina mud near them."

The success of the classes, sponsored by the state, the county schools, adult educational groups and the city council of women's clubs, has resulted in enlarging of working quarters. Six new looms will be added to the 11 now in use, and space for additional work tables will be provided.

Prize Item Added To Univ. Library

AUSTIN, Texas.—Another "prize-item" has been added to the University of Texas' already-No. 1 collection of Texana, Librarian Donald Coney announced today.

The notebook from which Boyce House, Texas author and poet, wrote his well-known oil-boom study "Were You in Ranger?" has been deposited in the University's 27,000-volume Texas Collection.

Mr. House also recently gave the Texas Collection a complete 1939 file of his newspaper column, "I Give You Texas."

The writer spent several weeks last year in Hollywood as technical advisor and writing consultant on the production of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Boom Town," soon to be released, starring Spencer Tracy, Clark Gable, Hedy Lamarr and Claudette Colbert. It is a story of the Burkburnett oil boom.

Baby Crying at Night Often Due to Fright

CHICAGO (U.P.) — When the baby cries in the middle of the night, it may not be colic, but fright.

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Ab Jenkins Applies Slam-Bang Methods Of Racing to Job as Salt Lake Mayor

BY BOB HALE,
NEA Service Special Correspondent.

SALT LAKE CITY Utah. — Ab Jenkins, who holds more auto speed record than in other man in the world, slammed a foot on the municipal government accelerator when he became mayor of Salt Lake City, Jan. 2—and he has kept it there.

The internationally known driver and automotive researcher has given the city a slam-bang administration as breathtaking at times as a ride in his powerful "Mormon Meteor," which has set dozens of records on the Bonneville salt flats of Utah.

Jenkins ran on a traffic safety platform, promised to do things quickly. He has.

In less than three months, he has fired the city traffic safety commission and installed one of his own choosing, got a new chief of police, revamped and modernized the police traffic division, battled in high glee with community safety leaders who disagreed with him, "told off" that arbiter of safety matters, the National Safety Council, which dared send a man into Ab's balliwick with some suggestions; jostled with the red-tape fettered state highway commission and given reporters much "good copy."

ELECTED WITH PLURALITY OF ONLY 42 VOTES.

POLITICIANS are baffled by him. His knowledge and concern over politics is as minute as his knowledge of motor matters is vast. He ran his own campaign an wasn't given a chance.

But he qualified in an upset primary, then won the final by the smallest plurality ever recorded here—53 votes in a 42,000 - ballot election.

This Cinderella mayor leaped into the municipal government pit with the same enthusiasm a driver takes into the racing pit. Instead of pounding a 16-cylinder job around the salt flats, he is pounding a budget and driving it fast.

The previous administration sort of held out on Ab. The city installed parking meters last year with a promise, written into law, that proceeds would be for traffic safety work only.

When Ab took office, he found the other commissioners had given his public safety department budget \$75,000 in more revenue for this work, but that the rest of the budget had been reduced \$75,000 a budget making trick designed to help other departments that could use some spare change.

POLICE GET BETTER AUTOMOBILES—NATURALLY.

That didn't stop the veteran speedster; he went ahead spending the money anyhow on the program he had in mind, warning fellow city commissioners that if he runs short, they doggone well can make it up, because the budget was their doing anyhow.

He has given the police department more and better automotive equipment, including ambulance cars equipped with radio. Every police vehicle is to have a two-way radio. He's embarking on a bigger traffic engineering program.

The public safety budget manager was reluctant to go along because he dislikes red ink.

"Yeah? You're working for me now," was Ab's answer.

Jenkins is a hard working mayor. His office hours are long, he never declines to appear at any public gathering, large or small.

Although he is now on a cross-country auto tour, retracing the route over which he set a record in 1925, Jenkins is looking forward to a vacation when he takes a revamped "Mormon Meteor" to the salt flats in the quest of more records. That's all the relaxation he asks.

Dodgers, Yanks and Giants Are All Handed Doubleheader Defeats

BY BILL WHITE,
Associated Press Sports Writer

There was no joy in Mudville when Mighty Casey struck out, but Mudville was a gay town in comparison with the gloom that befogged New York after the double shalackings the Yankees, Giants and Dodgers took in Sunday's tussles.

Most amazing of the day's doings was the way the lowly Browns turned on the world champion Yankees and beat them 12-6 and 6-5.

Paced by pitcher Vernon Kennedy's homerun, they outslugged the champs in the first game and then punched their way courageously out of a hole to win the second game in the late innings.

Saddest case of the day was the fate of Brooklyn's Whitlow Wyatt. He twirled his best game of the season—a two hitter—but had to accept a 1-0 defeat when one of the two hits turned out to be a homerun from the bat of Cincinnati's Lincee Frey. In the second game the Reds hopped on Curt Davis in the early innings and the befuddled Brooks never caught up against Jim Turner's eight hit pitching, going down, 5-2.

The Giants, chesty over their eight game winning streak, were talking about charging the Pirates admission to get into the Polo Grounds. However, Max Butcher

pitched a two-hitter at them and Truett Sewell followed with a creditable performance and the glut-tonous Giants went down helplessly, 5-0 and 5-3.

Otherwise in the National league the St. Louis Cardinals made it four in a row over the Phillies, winning 9-3 and 4-1.

Cubs and the Bees split their twin bill, the Cubs getting enough inspiration from Claude Passeau's five hitter to win 9-1 after losing the first in 11 innings by dint of some sloppy fielding, 5-4.

The Boston Red Sox kept atop the American league. Ted Williams' 12th inning homer gave them a 4-3 win over the Chicago White Sox and clusters of homers by pitcher Jack Wilson and Manager Joe Cronin were factors in taking the second, by 14-5.

The Cleveland Indians socked the Athletics 4-2 on Bob Feller's three-hit, 12 strikeout hurling and 4-3 in Al Milnar's eight hit performance.

The Detroit Tigers made a sweep of their series with the Washington Nats, claiming an 8-7 victory on Barney McCosky's pay-off single in the eighth that scored two runs.

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ABRHP	POA	E
Niedziela 3	4 0 1 3 0 0	
Drake 1	5 0 1 8 0 0	
Schweda r	3 0 1 1 0 0	
Hajduk lf	3 1 0 2 1 0	
Sparr 2	3 1 0 3 3 0	
Schlereth c	3 1 1 3 0 0	
C. Engle 3	4 0 0 0 1 0	
Mahan ss	4 0 1 2 1 2	
Hyma 1b	3 1 2 6 2 0	
x-Finocchiaro	1 0 1 0 0 0	
	33 3 4 24 7 2	

Midland

ABRHP	POA	E
Avadesian 2-1	4 3 3 6 0 0	
Naranjo m	5 3 4 1 0 0	
Phillips lf	3 0 1 4 0 0	
Sealing 1	3 1 2 6 2 0	
Caro 2	2 0 2 0 2 0	
Hale 3	4 2 2 0 4 1	
Schmidt r	4 1 1 2 4 0	
Wilson c	4 1 0 4 1 0	
M. Engle p	4 1 2 1 0 0	
	37 13 16 27 13 3	

x-Finocchiaro batted for Hyma in ninth.

Score by innings:
Lubbock 000 000 003-3
Midland 122 330 11x-13

Summary: Runs batted in—Naranjo 2, Phillips, Sealing, Hale 3, Greer, M. Engle, Niedziela, Mahan. Home runs—Hale 2, Naranjo, Wilson, Sealing, Avadesian, Schlereth, Stolen bases—Phillips, Greer. Double plays—Sealing to Greer, Schmidt to Avadesian, Sparr to Mahan, Schweda to Sparr, Sparr to Mahan to Drake, Drake unassisted. Struck out—Engle 5, Hyma 2. Base on balls—Schlereth. Left on base—Midland 7, Lubbock 6. Umpires—Pate and Cartwright. Time: 2 hours.

Second game—LUBBOCK

ABRHP	POA	E
Niedziela 3	3 1 1 0 2 1	
Drake 1	4 1 3 9 0 0	

Midland

ABRHP	POA	E
Avadesian 2 1	2 2 1 3 5 0	
Naranjo m	3 1 0 2 1 0	
Phillips lf	4 0 3 2 0 0	
Sealing 1	3 1 2 6 0 0	
Caro 2	1 0 0 0 1 0	
Rowden c	1 0 0 0 0 0	
Hale 3	3 1 1 2 1 0	
Schmidt r	3 0 1 1 0 0	
Greer ss	2 1 1 3 2 0	
Wilson c	2 0 0 2 1 0	
Walker p	2 0 0 0 0 0	
	25 6 8 21 10 1	

Score by innings:
Lubbock 101 000 0-2
Midland 112 101 x-6

Summary: Runs batted in—Avadesian, Naranjo, Phillips, Sealing, Schmidt, Wilson, Drake, Hajduk. Home runs—Avadesian, Drake, Stolen bases—Naranjo, Hale. Double plays—Hale to Drake, Struck out—Kramer 2. Base on balls—Walker 4, Off Framer 3. Wild pitch—Walker. Left on base—Midland 7, Lubbock 3. Umpires—Cartwright and Pate. Time: 1:40.

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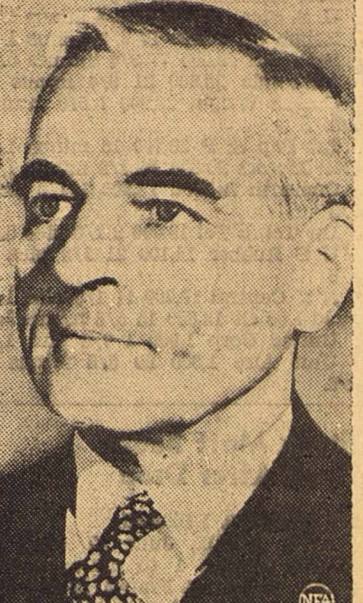
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Rear Admiral David Le Breton, after completing studies at the Naval War College, Newport, R. I., was appointed commander of the special squadron of U. S. cruisers and destroyers in European waters.

Farm Workers Follow Crops In Vast Army

BY FRED BAILEY
 United Press Staff Correspondent.

WASHINGTON (UP) — A study of migratory farm laborers by the Department of Agriculture estimates that the itinerant workers number between 1,000,000 and 3,000,000.

A majority of these travel as members of an entire family, working a few days or a few weeks in one place and then moving on. They live on what they earn from day to day, with no money saved for lean times.

"All are seeking employment in an industry in which a combination of factors have operated to reduce employment opportunities in the past 10 years," the report said. From Texas To Michigan.

Largely, they "follow the crops"—picking cotton in Texas, Louisiana and Mississippi; berries in Arkansas, Missouri, Illinois and Michigan; citrus fruits and vegetables in California and Florida; pulling sugar beets in Wyoming and Montana and picking cranberries in New Jersey.

Factors which have produced this huge "nomad" population are reduced farm acreage, mechanized farming and the substitution of motor vehicles for animal power.

Coincidentally with the reduced demand for farm labor, the farm population of the nation has increased by nearly 2,000,000 in the past 10 years, the bureau of agricultural economics estimated.

"So far as can be determined virtually all agricultural migrants are of American birth," the bureau said. "Many were once farm operators—some as owners, others as tenants, some as share-croppers. Others always have been farm laborers."

"Many include the industrially unemployed who have turned to agriculture in search of subsistence. Many hope to resettle and make a living in new places. Others want no more than seasonal employment."

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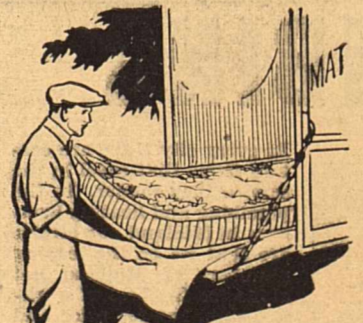
Some of the migrants follow a beaten trail, moving from south to north as the harvesting season advances, and then back south for the winter. Others wander aimlessly, traveling only a short distance from their homes.

All adult members of the family labor in the fields and nearly all children past 7 also work. The average family income for a year is believed to be less than \$500.

One California study reported an average of 5.9 months employment per year for families in that area. Ninety-three per cent of the families earned less than \$600 a year, the report said.

A survey of sugar beet laborer families revealed average seasonal earnings totaled \$410, the bureau revealed.

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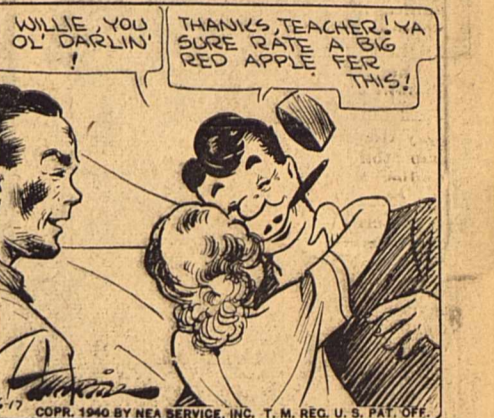
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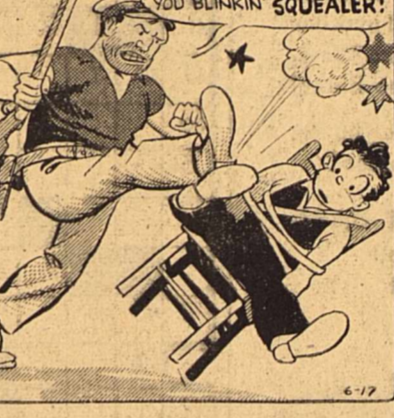
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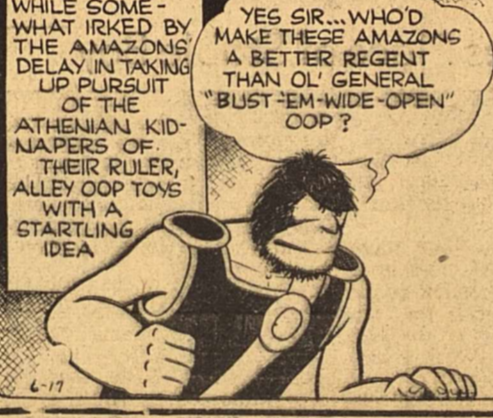
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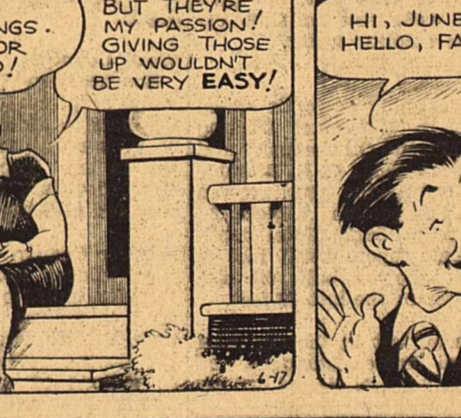
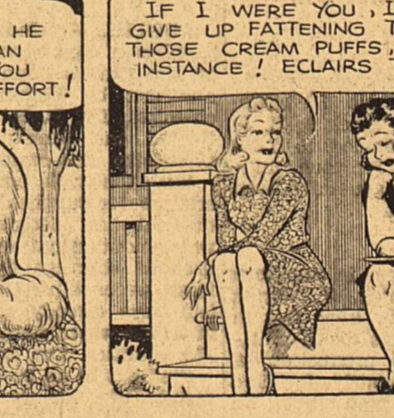
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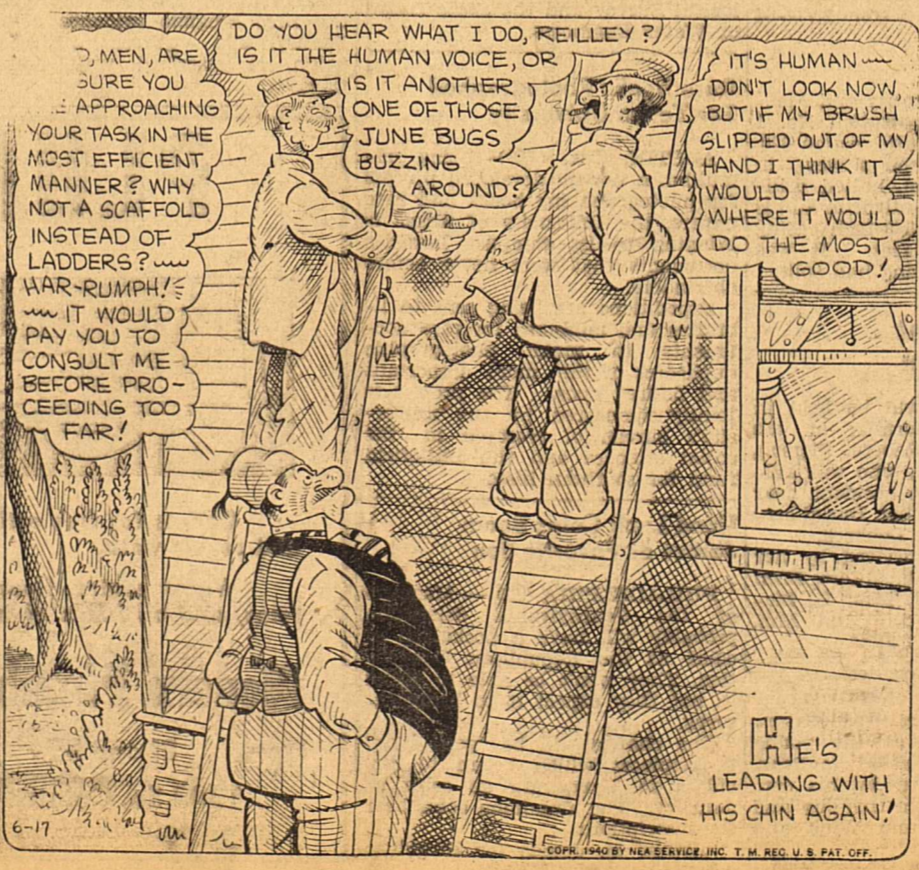
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Oil News---

(Continued from page 1)

Crockett County. Eight hundred feet of fluid was standing in the hole this morning as Moore Exploration Company of Midland No. 1 A. C. Hoover, indicating opening of the third new pool in recent weeks in western Crockett, cleaned out shot lamp and cavings. Total depth is 2,150 feet in lime. What percentage of the fluid was oil was not reported.

In north central Crockett's "Todd deep pool", which produces from the Strawn, lower Pennsylvanian, Continental Oil Company et al No. 4-B J. S. Todd unit is drilling at 1,881 feet in Permian lime.

Ector County. Oil Well Drilling Company No. 1 Paul Moss, 900 feet more than a half-mile east of Forest Development Corporation's south extension to the Foster pool, was said by operators to be good for 96 barrels per day, swabbed both before and after washing hole with 500 gallons of acid. They now are swabbing oil for lead to be used in conjunction with pressure treatment of 1,500 gallons. Total depth is 4,225 feet in lime, and main pay was topped at 4,135.

Suaray Oil Company No. 1-G J. L. Johnson, in the Johnson pool, flowed 371.55 barrels of 35.5-gravity oil in 12 hours on potential rate taken after shooting with 505 quarts in pay horizon between 4,085 and 4,285 feet, the total depth. Gas-oil ratio is 630-1. The well was shut in.

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at the end of the twelfth hour because of storage having been filled. Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Johnson, extending the pool three-quarters of a mile north, cleaned out to bottom and is preparing to run tubing.

Gulf No. 2-N State, large natural producer on the east side of the Jordan pool of Crane-Ector, flowed 180 barrels of oil per hour for two hours and now is shut in awaiting potential test. Total depth is 3,575 feet in lime.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 49-A Elliott F. Cowden of Midland, in the South Cowden pool, responded to shot with 420 quarts by flowing 793.65 barrels a day upon completion at 4,105 feet. Oil is 34-gravity, and gas volume is in the ratio of 695-1. The well topped pay at 3,935 feet.

Stanolind No. 2-B Midland Farms, east-side North Cowden well, flowed 1,603 barrels of oil per day through casing after shooting with 640 quarts from 4,380 to 4,600 feet. Total depth is 4,607 feet, plugged back from 4,634 feet to shut off bottom-hole sulphur water.

Gaines County. Electrical logging device is slated to be run in Richmond Drilling Company, Mascho Oil Company and W. F. Hanagan, No. 1 G. R. Brumley et al, wildcat in the southwestern part of Gaines, section 17, block A-12, public school land. Total depth is 4,664 (some report 4,665) feet in lime which showed both oil and sulphur water in the last 18 feet.

A west-test in the Seminole pool, central Gaines, Magnolia and Atlantic No. 2-221 H&J, is drilling

below 4,430 feet in anhydrite.

Howard County. Several miles northeast of Big Spring, C. T. McLaughlin & Company, Inc. No. 1 Pete Johnson, a wildcat, is drilling at 1,590 feet in anhydrite, having failed to encounter "air" in an horizon comparable to that in which Dick Graham of Midland and Roy Westbrook of Ft. Worth No. 1 Great West Refining Company, dry hole two and a half miles southeast, struck between 200,000,000 and 300,000,000 cubic feet of nearly pure nitrogen gas daily.

Magnolia No. 1 O'Daniel, south of the Snyder pool in eastern Howard, had drilled unchanged to 2,958 feet in lime.

Pecos County. Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 Richard Levy et al, northern Pecos wildcat seeking Ordovician production, is preparing to core at 4,077 feet in lime.

A. J. Rife No. 13 Tippett, in the Toborg pool, pumped 26 barrels of 24.6-gravity oil per day, natural, from pay between 467-81 feet, total depth.

Ward County. Southeastern Ward's closely followed deep test, Gulf No. 5 Wristen Brothers, section 18, block 5, H. & T. S. survey, had drilled to 7,842 feet in lime. Top of Simpson, middle Ordovician, has generally been accepted at 7,400 feet.

Winkler County. In wildcat territory in southern Winkler, Gulf No. 136 G. W. O'Brien et al is drilling below 2,790 feet in lime, a balling test at depth of 2,787 having revealed production of 30 gallons of oil hourly for two hours. The well logged first oil showing from 2,740-50 feet, testing three gallons an hour from that horizon, and at 2,770 it bailed five gallons an hour. Slight increase in oil and gas was struck from 2,774-84 feet.

Yoakum County. Plymouth Oil Company and Americana Petroleum Corporation No. 1 A. M. Brownfield estate, section 620, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, in southeastern Yoakum, halted drilling at 3,450 feet in anhydrite and is preparing to test 8 5/8-inch casing cemented at 2,581 feet. It was thought that the casing had split.

Former Resident Is Crash Victim

Funeral services will be held in Dallas Tuesday morning at ten o'clock for Mrs. Robert Pierson, formerly of Midland, who was killed in an automobile accident near Marlin Sunday morning. Burial services will be held at Lubbock.

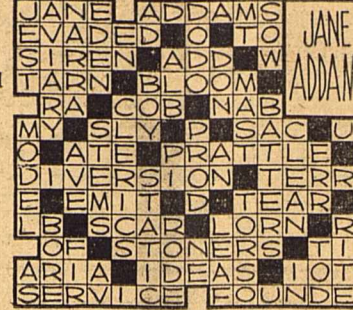
FROM CONFERENCE. Rev. W. R. Mann returned Saturday from a week at the young people's conference at Mitre Peak. He was accompanied by his son, Raymond Mann, from this city and by young people from Wink and Monahans.

MYTHICAL MONSTER

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Greek mythical monster. 7 It was located at —. 13 Packing box. 14 Door rug. 16 To prevent. 17 Scripture canticle. 18 Loves excessively. 20 Wayside hotel. 22 Rabbie. 24 Narrative poem. 27 To destroy. 30 Theatrical. 33 Gate. 34 One who loves. 35 To jeer. 36 Place of public contest. 37 Fish. 38 Into. 40 Battering machine. 41 Cuckoo. 42 Provided.

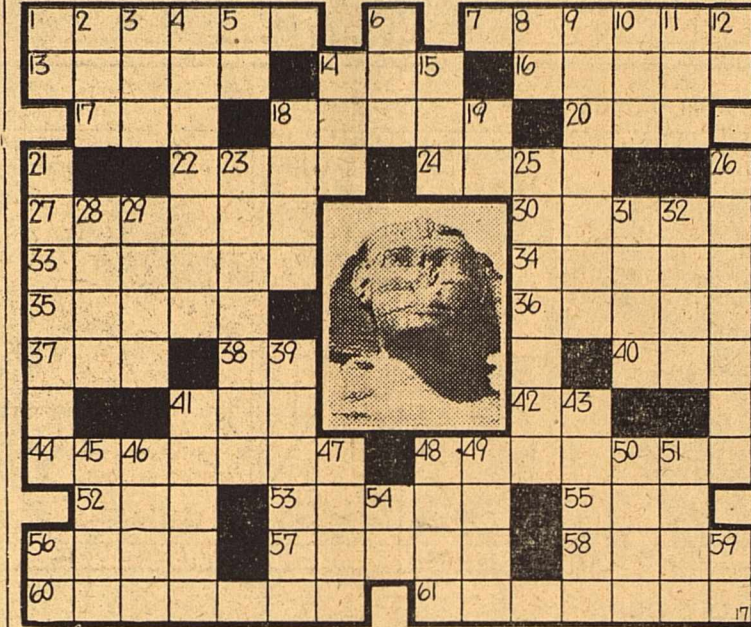
Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 44 Price for storing goods. 48 Narrated. 52 Salamander. 53 Cupidity. 55 At this moment. 56 Great lake. 57 Wrinkled. 58 Malt drinks. 60 It propounded — or enigmas to passers-by. 61 Inability or — to answer him meant death.

VERTICAL

- 1 South Carolina (abbr.). 2 Opposed to con. 3 Owned. 4 To repeat. 5 New England (abbr.). 6 Pussy. 8 Laughter sound. 9 One who evicts. 10 Kind of nut. 11 Sea eagle. 12 Street (abbr.).



Dog Takes Place of Stable Boy



Flash, a German shepherd, takes his pal, Baranca, for his morning constitutional at Hollywood Park.

Water Supplies of 100 Counties Tested

AUSTIN. — Underground water supplies of approximately one-third of the State's counties have been analyzed by University of Texas chemists, Dr. E. P. Schoch, director of the Bureau of Industrial Chemistry, has announced. With the triple purpose of discovering water supplies suitable for industrial use, detecting sources of water contamination and checking drought shortage by spotting new fresh water basins, University chemists have already compiled reports of 23,000 water samples taken from 150 counties, Dr. Schoch said. Findings of an 80-county survey—results of four years' work—have been published by WPA, a project co-sponsor. Also working with the University chemists are the United States Geological Survey and the State Board of Water Engineers.

Rare Books Photographed For Texas University

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Using microfilm, a newly developed process for photographing books and rare papers, the University of Texas is bringing to its campus libraries documents that were never before obtainable. Expeditions are being sent to libraries and museums for rare documents to make photographic duplicates of the more important and desired ones. The project is jointly sponsored by the university's bureau of research in the social sciences, and the Littlefield fund for southern history.

Good Luck Coins Boom James as Favorite Son

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Members of the Pennsylvania delegation probably will have a pocketful of coins at the Republican Convention. They won't be able to spend it, but they expect it to bring returns. The change will be "good luck" pocketpieces which began to circulate in Harrisburg as early as January. The aluminum coins bear the inscription: "Arthur H. James for President

French Refugees Are Sent \$500 by Univ.

AUSTIN.—The entire bank account—\$500—of a University of Texas club has been sent to aid French refugees. During the past two years the club—Alliance Française—has shown here more than a dozen French-produced motion pictures. All profits from the sale of tickets have been sent to France to aid French fugitives from Dr. Fuehrer's war machine. This group, headed by Dr. Aaron Schaffer, University French professor, is composed of about 40 graduate students, faculty members and town people interested in French language and culture.

—Good Luck.—The opposite side of the coins, the first tangible evidence of the Pennsylvania governor's campaign, is inscribed with crossed flags.



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Stocks in the Spotlight

NEW YORK, June 17 (AP) — Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today: Loft 80,400 25 plus 7/8 U. S. Steel 50,000 53 3/4 minus 1/2 Repub Stl 35,800 17 3/8 minus 1/2 Beth. Stl 29,000 77 3/4 minus 5/8 Anaconda 26,200 21 3/4 minus 1 Curtiss Wright 23,900 7 5/8 minus 5/8 Int Pap & P 20,700 13 minus 1/2 Gen Motors 20,600 44 1/8 minus 1/8 Comwlth & Sou 18,200 1 1/8 plus 1/8 Int Tel & Tel 15,000 3 1/8 plus 5/8 U S Rubber 14,100 21 1/2 plus 3/8 N Y Central 12,700 11 1/8 plus 1/8 Bald Los Ct 12,600 15 5/8 minus 5/8 United Corp 1,900 1 7/8 plus 1/8 Unit Airc 1,800 39 5/8 minus 2 3/8.

Stock Mart Beats Back After Drop

BY VICTOR EUBANK NEW YORK, June 17 (AP) — Stocks topped 1 to more than 5 points today as France bowed before the Hitler blitzkrieg, but the market soon steadied and leaders substantially reduced or erased losses. Prices held fairly well at the start, and brokers began to think the French defeat had been pretty well discounted marketwise. There was a brief lapse before buyers began to hunt for "bargains." A slow come-back then got under way. Several rubbers, utilities and rails managed to register advances. Trends again backed away moderately at the close. Transfers approximated 1,200,000 shares. While Wall Street felt speculative skies were still dark, the thought was present that the latest turn of events would spur rearmament commitments at home. Prominent on the slide were U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Douglas Aircraft, United Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Sperry, Lockheed, Westinghouse, Dow Chemical, Du Pont, Anaconda, American Telephone and Union Carbide. Resultant were U. S. Rubber up better than 3 at one time, Goodyear, N. Y. Central, American Can, Standard Oil of N. J., International Harvester, International Telephone and Consolidated Edison. Italian and German loans shot up in the bond department, but corporate issues lagged. Commodities were irregularly lower.

Mistake by Police Turns Out All Right

DALLAS, June 17 (AP)—Two 18 year old Dallas boys were in jail today because police made a mistake. When J. H. Faurote reported that two youths had attempted to rob him at Cedar Springs avenue and Reagan street, the radio dispatcher at police headquarters misunderstood the address. "Go to Cedar Springs and Maple," he ordered a squad car. Police said they arrived at the wrong address just in time to nab the right boys in another robbery attempt.

rites Read Today

Funeral services were to be held this afternoon at Eldorado, Ark., for the father of Mrs. Ray Rhodes of Midland, friends here were informed. The Eldorado man died in that city last night. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes were with him, having left Midland last Friday to be at his bedside.

B-10—LANDS

Only one landing was reported for today in a checkup from Midland Municipal Airport early this afternoon. This was a B-10 flown by Lieut. Monroe, from March Field, Calif., en route to Maxwell Field, Ala.

IS ADMITTED

Ed Gelder has been admitted to a Midland hospital for medical care.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK

BERLIN, June 17 (AP) — The sinking of the 11,400-ton British steamer Wellington Star by a German submarine was reported today by the German high command. No details were given.

The new Ryan YO-51 "Dragonfly" is a short-range liaison observation plane, has a reported top speed of 150 miles an hour with a landing speed (estimated) of about 45 miles an hour.

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Big Spring Man Will Speak at Brotherhood Dinner

J. H. Greene, secretary of the Big Spring chamber of commerce, will be the chief speaker at the dinner meeting of the Baptist Brotherhood in the basement of the Baptist church tonight at 7:30 o'clock, it was announced today. Donald Mitchell of Stanton will sing a bass solo and talks will be made by C. W. Kerr and J. C. Hudson of this city. A general program of fellowship is planned. The Fellowship BTU will be in charge of the serving of the dinner. All Baptist men and youths are invited to attend.

Two Planes Crash At Tulsa, 3 Killed

TULSA, Okla., June 17 (AP) — An army flying cadet, a civilian student and a civilian instructor were killed today as two training planes crashed in mid-air during practice flights six miles east of Municipal airport. A farm girl was injured slightly by flying debris and her great uncle was hurt as he slipped and fell while running from the falling planes. The dead: Louis A. Seibel, 19, St. Louis, Mo., civilian cadet at an air school (Spartan). John A. Langmaid, 24, civilian instructor, Bryn Mawr, Pa. Flying Cadet Daniel B. Stone, 24, Wellington, Kan. The army cadet and the civilian training planes both operate from the same school. Witnesses said the planes crashed together at about 2,000 feet, burst into flames and plummeted to earth. School officials said the pilots of the planes apparently failed to see one another. BAN STOCK TRADING LONDON, June 17 (AP) — The Bank of England banned today dealings in Canadian and United States stocks and bonds.

Armistice---

(Continued from page 1) said, would "insure honest implementation" of Russia's mutual assistance pact with the two nations. There were evidences of increasing activity in the newly opened war zone in the Mediterranean. Italian bombers attacked air bases in southern France, French Corsica and Malta, and reported destruction of 40 French and two British planes. Sharp fighting also was reported along the frontier between Egypt and Italian Libya. Dispatches from Alexandria said Italian warplanes had raided several Egyptian outposts. British bombers set fire to Italian airdrome buildings at Dire-dawa, Ethiopia, and at Macaca. The British also reported they had sunk four Italian submarines in recent action, while the Italians said they had destroyed one allied undersea craft.

VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. John L. McCrary of Level-land visited her mother, Mrs. E. S. Hitchcock here Sunday. Mrs. Hitchcock plans to return home with her Tuesday.

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