

A Thousand Ships

The poet sang of the face "that launched a thousand ships." He meant Helen of Troy. But what of the face that sank a thousand ships, the ugly face of war? In the past 13 months, accurate tallies show that a thousand naval and merchant ships have been sunk.

Into every ship went savings from the labor of men. Into each went plans and dreams and rivets and plates and a thousand intricate devices and little triumphs over practical problems. No such fleet has ever been assembled, but if those ships could have paraded in line, and each minute one had sunk as it approached a reviewing stand, the ghastly parade would have continued for more than 16 hours.

The reviewers would cry, "Such waste, such careless prodigality, is intolerable!" But it is not intolerable. Mankind tolerates it.

"Aid Short Of War"

Even the incredible courage of the British under aerial attack doesn't minimize the damage that has been done to English cities, the privations that have been suffered by English civilians.

Britain needs help other than guns and best wishes. She needs clothing and surgical supplies and money to repair damaged buildings. One American city has now found an effective way of helping. The mayor of Ramsgate, England, listed the needs of his town in letters to Mayor La Guardia of New York and President Roosevelt.

So an American city helps a British city about its own size. Other American cities may find the idea worth copying. This is one way to provide help where it is most needed.

Farmers Income To Nine Billions

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP).—The agriculture department predicted today that farmers, for the first time since 1929, would receive this year a total cash income of at least \$9,000,000,000.

Such an income would compare with \$8,518,000,000 reported for '39 and \$11,221,000,000 for 1928. The income by products this year and last, respectively, included: Grains \$787,000,000 and \$657,000,000; cotton and cottonseed \$192,000,000 and \$250,000,000; fruits \$292,000,000 and \$275,000,000; vegetables \$501,000,000 and \$464,000,000; tobacco \$142,000,000 and \$128,000,000; meat animals \$1,069,000,000 and \$1,581,000,000; dairy products \$1,132,000,000 and

\$1,020,000,000, and poultry and eggs \$514,000,000 and \$510,000,000.

The department's report on farm income by states for August for last year and this, respectively, included: Oklahoma—\$15,159,000 and \$15,662,000. Texas—\$56,253,000 and \$44,566,000. New Mexico—\$3,208,000 and \$2,937,000.

IRON GUARDS MANAGE PLANT

BUCHAREST, Rumania, Oct. 24 (AP).—An Iron Guard commissar was appointed today to manage the British-American owned Ford Company of Rumania. The government also ordered confiscation of all assets of any oil company found to be making false reports of shipments to evade taxes. Another decree ordered the removal from public libraries of all books written or translated by Jews.

SERIAL STORY

NEW YORK JUNGLE

BY WRAY WADE SEVERN

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YESTERDAY: Marta faints and the man behind the ape cage, away, Sidney rouses the house. No one has heard anything unusual. Nella says she has had a dream. She saw Adam's distorted face, like an animal's, hunting prey.

BARKES HAS A THEORY

WHEN Sidney came down in the morning he found Henry Barkes waiting for him at the drawing room door.

"I'd like to talk privately with you, Mr. Braitwood," the chauffeur said. "What's on your mind?" Sidney followed the man into the room.

"It's about Murphy," Barkes explained. "Owing to the storm, the poor devil had done double duty. He was so wet and cold I opened up a bottle. He took a big one and it really hit him. I imagine that's how he happened to fall asleep. Anyway, we got to talking—he said a lot."

"Yes, like plays. And he has often seen Miss Hemphield. He's seen her faint on the stage. Says she does it like life."

Braitwood whistled. Marta's acting ability would do her no good, all things considered, but he had not expected this version of reason.

"It's Murphy's opinion that Miss Hemphield knew of Mr. Langdon's marriage and that she arranged with the Jap to ask her down," Barkes went on. "She had him say Mr. Langdon told him to do it. The Jap likes her and would do what he was told."

"Murphy figures that Mr. Langdon stood on the block with the new lioness so that he could be in a position to watch the door, and at the same time hear anyone coming out of the shaft."

"Logical reasoning, had it been light. Unfortunately for his idea, it was pitch dark," Braitwood commented. Langdon's position puzzled him, too, but he did not agree with Murphy concerning it.

"Granted the darkness, but the lioness is half way between the only possible entrances so that a man could best defend them from such a spot. And there were occasional flashes of lightning," Barkes argued.

"Yes, there were," Sidney admitted. "Murphy believes that Miss Hemphield helped herself to a gun at the gunrack, and when she got opposite Mr. Langdon—whom she had seen when the lightning made him visible for a second—she fired and then faked a faint."

"It is a solution that will occur to many," Sidney granted, "but it fails to hold water. Only the hem of Miss Hemphield's skirt was blood-stained, and there were red, brushlike marks which her long dress had made in sweeping away from the pool at Langdon's feet when she fell. That proves that the blood had already formed in a pool before she fainted. It takes a little time for blood to seep from a man's shoulder, through his clothing to the floor."

"I DIDN'T agree with Murphy," Barkes reassured Sidney. "Here's my own theory—for what it's worth."

"Let's hear it, Barkes."

"The Jap looms out."

"I fail to see it."

"For many reasons. He told me Langdon had promised to remember him in his will. Men change their wills after marriage."

Sidney knew this to be true, but he made no comment.

"That Jap didn't like the marriage. A new mistress seldom keeps old servants connected with her husband's bachelor life."

"You score there. What else?"

"Togi searched the furnace room while Mr. Gundrum looked around the storeroom. He could have slipped back into the jungle, done the murder and then have joined up her extra-territorial rights in China."

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Four Terms Listed. This was an evident reference to Premier Prince Fummaro Konoye's statement on Dec. 12, 1938, suggesting a basis for peace on the following terms:

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3. Japan would not demand either territory or indemnity from China.

4. In return, Japan would "ask" Chinese economic and political cooperation.

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"I've one more link in the chain," Barkes boasted. "Early this morning I found Togi at the back door talking to another Jap who works at the village inn. A fellow called Shorty. I'll bet a tenner whatever was stolen was passed on to him."

"I'll have 'Shorty' looked up," Sidney said. "Better keep these theories to yourself, Barkes. Togi may be putting two and two together against you if you don't."

"He tried that," Barkes said, grinning. "He insisted I was in the hall when he got there last night. The truth is, I all but stumbled over him when I ran out."

"Nevertheless, keep quiet," the lawyer insisted.

WITH an idea of looking over the position of the new lioness to see if there might indeed be reason in Barkes' deductions, Sidney went on down to the Jungle. But study the situation as he would, he could see no logical reason for Adam Langdon's peculiar position.

"Why had he not crossed to the coffee table to reassure his wife? Why had he moved to the center of the room, mounted a block of highly polished wood, and stood there until an assassin's bullet found him? There were no answers."

As Braitwood stood, trying to find a solution, he was startled by a faint "Hum." Turning, he saw Craig Gundrum staring at him.

"Gundrum!" he exclaimed. "I didn't see you when I came in."

"I wasn't here," Craig smiled. "I saw you coming down this way and I wanted to find out if I could get in here unnoticed."

"You put one over on me," Sidney admitted. "But last night I had concentrated on the door. Just now I hadn't."

Before they could go on with the argument, Pat Langdon rushed in. "Have you seen Nella?" she asked in a disturbed tone.

"Nella? No," Sidney replied. "What's happened to Nella?"

"She's remained with her until she fell asleep last night," Pat told them. "He said she didn't appear to know him, but just dozed off."

"This morning I had her on my mind, after what she said she had dreamed. When she failed to come down for breakfast, I went up to her room."

"She isn't there. No one has seen her. I can't imagine where she is."

(To Be Continued)

Warfare . . .

(Continued From Page One) Dakar, capital of French West Africa; Toulon, on France's Mediterranean coast; Casablanca, in French Morocco, and Bizerte, in Tunisia.

As a reward, these sources said, Germany would release all French war prisoners—estimated at 2,000,000 men—and would move the frontier of unoccupied France north from the present Tours-Swiss border line to the Seine river.

Laval Returns. Laval returned to Paris today with Premier Marshal Philippe Petain's answer to Hitler's proposals for a Franco-German rapprochement, and Spain's Generalissimo Francisco Franco, who conferred with Hitler on the Spanish-French frontier last night, was on his way back to Madrid.

Among these developments in Europe, apparently concerted "trial balloons" were floated toward peace in the 3-year-old struggle between Japan and China.

In San Francisco, retiring Japanese Ambassador Kensuke Horinouchi was quoted as saying a peace agreement lacking only "final official action" has been reached between China's Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and Wang Ching-wei, Japanese-dominated puppet ruler of Nanking, China.

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Today's Markets

Wool

BOSTON, Oct. 24 (AP-U. S. Dept. Agr.).—A moderate volume of business was being transacted today in western grown wools. Good French combing lengths, fine territory wools, were bringing \$1.03-\$1.05, scored basis, in original bags. French combing length, half blood, graded territory wools, were bringing .97-\$1.02, scored basis, on scattered sales. Twelve month Texas wools were moving occasionally at \$1-\$1.05, scored basis. Graded combing, bright fleeces of three eighths and quarter blood grades, were quite firm although not very active, at 46-47 cents in the grease.

Livestock

FORT WORTH, Oct. 24 (AP-U. S. Dept. Agr.).—Cattle salable 2,100; calves 1,800; most common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 5.50-8.50; good fed offerings 9.00 upward; five loads heifers 9.50; two loads 1225 lb. steers 9.75; and one well finished load 10.50; butcher and beef cows 4.00-6.00; odd head to 6.25; bulls 4.25-6.00; good and choice killing calves 7.50-8.50; common and medium 5.00-7.00; good and choice stock steer calves 8.50-10.00; stock heifer calves 7.50-9.00.

Hogs salable 1,100; good and choice 185-300 lbs. 6.35-6.50; good and choice 150-180 lbs. 5.65-6.25; few stocker pigs 4.50. Sheep salable 2,300; all classes steady; woolled fat lambs 7.50-8.00; woolled yearlings 7.25; few wethers yearlings 6.25; woolled aged wethers 4.50 down; shorn aged wethers 3.75 down; stocker ewes 2.50; feeder lambs 6.25-7.00.

Stocks

NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (AP)—Sales, closing price and net change of the fifteen most active stocks today: US Stl 15.800 3/4 down 5/8; Rep Stl 11.900 1/2 down 1/8; Loft 7.700 2/8 down 7/8; Anaconda 6.500 3/4 down 1/4; Cons Coppermin 6.100 7/8 up 1/8; Kennecott 5.600 3/8 down 1/8; NY Cen 5.500 1/4 down 3/8; Studebaker 5.300 8/8 up 1/4; US Rubber 5.200 2/3 down 1/4; Gen Mtrs 4.900 3/4 down 1/4; Comwlth & Sou 4.800 1/4; Murray Corp 4.600 7/8 down 1/8; Goodyear 4.500 7/8 up 1/8; Budd Wheel 4.600 6/4; Stand Oil Cal 4.500 1/2 up 1/8.

Cotton

NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (AP)—Cotton futures closed today unchanged to 3 points lower.

Stocks Lose Ground From Foreign Events

NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (AP)—The stock market exhibited fatigue today, after a two-day advance, and leaders generally backed down fractions to a point or so.

After a morning of irregularly lower prices, recent steel and other industrial favorites slipped to bottom marks in the final hour. A number of small gains were wiped out.

Transfers were around 550,000 shares. The fact that business prospects were holding up well was offset partially, brokers said, by the highly confused foreign picture.

IN ODESSA SHOW TONIGHT

Midland will have three entries in the amateur show to open at Odessa tonight in connection with the Oil Show. Mary Frances Carter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Carter, will do a twirling and tap number tonight at the initial performance.

A British naval attack in which "some enemy war vessels approaching the Flanders coast in hazy weather were driven away by naval artillery."

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350 Attend Opening Civic Theatre Play

Midland's Civic Theatre opened its 1940-41 season with the production of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town" at the YuCCA theatre Wednesday evening.

An audience of approximately 350 persons witnessed the play, winner of the Pulitzer Prize. The play was unique in that merely the essentials of stage-setting were used. Joe Seymour, as stage manager, set the tone of the production with his explanation of episodes to the audience. "Our Town" paints a picture of American life at the turn of the century, running the gamut of every-day existence and touching the high points of love, marriage, and death.

Mrs. Bernadine Stowe directed the play. Next production of the Civic Theatre will be "The Women."

DETROIT PAPER BACKS WILLKIE

DETROIT, Oct. 24 (AP)—The politically independent Detroit News said in a front-page editorial today that "the present emergency demands election of a new president—Wendell L. Willkie."

The News, which supported no candidate in 1936, announced it believed in endorsements only in periods when emergency existed and declared it believed the current campaign an "extreme emergency."

Air Corps . . .

issipi, Louisiana and Arkansas. Northwest air district, with headquarters at Fort George Wright, Spokane, Washington, embraces Washington, Oregon, Montana, Idaho, Utah, Wyoming, Colorado, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, and Kansas.

In Southwest District Southwest air district, with headquarters at Riverside, Calif., comprising California, Nevada, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and Oklahoma.

Completion of the 54 combat group program is to be expected some time in 1942, the announcement said, and to that end production of airplanes and training of pilots, combat crews, and enlisted specialists will be closely coordinated.

Outlining the composition of the new force, the department said it would have approximately 12,800 airplanes for both tactical operations and training. The balance of the 18,000 planes already contracted for or on hand will be held in an equipment reserve.

TO FORT WORTH

Miss Marie Koonze will leave Midland Friday for Fort Worth where she will make her home.

Why did the vision of your child become blurred at a distance last year? For the answer consult Dr. W. L. Sutton, Optometrist, Hotel Scharbauer Bldg. (Adv.)

Oil News . . .

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of the test. Packer was set at 2,896 feet for second test. The well gassed heavily for the first 12 minutes, flowed gas and mud the next three minutes, and the last five made an estimated four barrels of oil, with only about 500,000 cubic feet of gas.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 5 Wristen Brothers, deep test in southeastern Ward, is standing after cementing back to 8,325 feet preliminary to sidetracking junked drill pipe.

Bradley Showing Oil, Gas. Forest Development Corporation No. 1 W. L. Bradley et al. this morning had bailed down 3,000 feet from surface. It was showing some oil and a slight amount of gas. Baller was twice run to bottom without any sulphur water showing, indicating that shut off of bottom-hole water apparently has been successful. The well was cemented back to 4,380 from total depth of 4,410 feet to exclude water.

Humble No. 82 J. S. Means, proving one-half mile west spread of the Means pool in northern Andrews County, has been completed at 4,530 feet in time for potential of 205,20 barrels of oil per day on gas lift. The well was acidized with a total of 10,000 gallons in three stages.

Atlantic Refining Company and Ray R. Rhodes of Midland No. 1 Carrie Slaughter Dean, three-mile west outpost to the Duggan pool of southeastern Cochran County, is drilling below 4,470 feet in time.

VISITS AT SAN ANGELO

Mrs. Jack Wilkinson is spending the day at San Angelo.

VOTERS' LEAGUE TO MEET

Organization of the League of Women Voters here will be effected at a meeting at the home of Mrs. John J. Redfern Jr., 308 South N Street, Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Sponsors particularly desire to complete organization as two representatives of the league will be here Monday from Dallas to speak to the group.

Bond Sets Off Bomb Barrage—For Crows, Result—Will Try Again

STANTON, Oct. 24 (Special).—Shrapnel bombs made from 41 sticks of dynamite were used by County Agent G. A. Bond at a roosting place for thousands of crows 27 miles north of here last night.

Although they were camouflaged, the crows became suspicious and very few of them returned to the usual roosting place. A large crowd armed with sticks and flashlights tried unsuccessfully to drive them to the site.

When the bombs were finally set off only about 200 fell victims. Another effort will be made by Bond within a few days.

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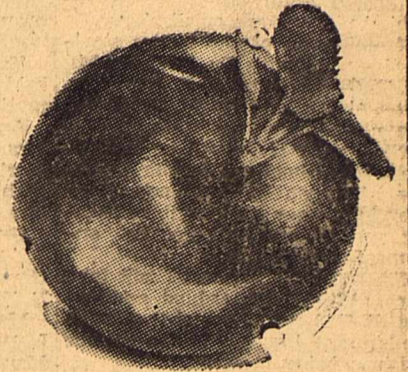
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MATCHES Carton of 6 Boxes..... **23c**
MOTHER'S OATS With premium..... **29c**
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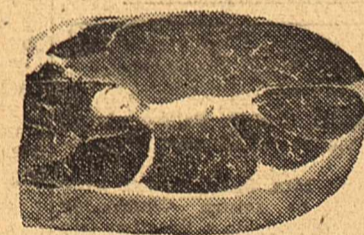


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PIGGLY WIGGLY

115 Babies Are Registered For Beauty Show

One hundred and fifteen babies have been registered in the baby show that is being sponsored by the Rebekah Lodge with Miss Lucyle Standefer as director. Headquarters for the show are at 103 S. Main street where the babies' pictures are on display. Examination of the babies started this week with Dr. Kurt Lekish, Dr. T. C. Bobo, Dr. W. E. Ryan, Dr. Alton Absher, and Dr. W. G. Whitehouse conducting the tests. The beauty show will be held at the High School auditorium Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Each baby is to wear a sun suit or bathing suit. Judges will not be announced until the show. The coronation parent will take place at the High School auditorium at 7:30 p.m. November 4, with the kings and queens in the various divisions being crowned.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

♠ K 10 9 4 3
 ♥ J 8 4
 ♦ A K 8 2
 ♣ 5
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 ♥ 9 5 3
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 Duplicate—North vul.
 South West North East
 1♥ Pass 1♦ Pass
 2♣ Pass 2♠ Pass
 4N.T. Pass 5♦ Pass
 6♣ Pass Pass
 Opening—♣ 4. 24

By Wm. E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

The Asheville tournament last August brought back into bridge competition a well-known figure, Mrs. Peppy D'Albrow. Several years ago Mrs. D'Albrow, then Olga Hilliard, presented the national mixed bird trophy, and she and Oswald Jacoby won the mixed pair event at Asheville. It was certainly pleasing to see that she has lost none of her skill as a card player.

In today's hand she managed the trump situation very neatly. She won the opening lead with the ace of clubs, then led a second club and ruffed. The four of hearts was led and the finesse of the queen held. A small trump back to the ace dropped the queen and disclosed the trump split.

The eight of hearts was led to see if the king would drop, but it did not, and the ace won. Dummy mashed the ace of spades, then led a third club for North to ruff with the eight of diamonds.

Declarer cashed the spade king, discarding a heart from dummy. When another spade was led, East correctly trumped with the six, and shut out dummy's five of trumps; but dummy overtrumped with the nine and led the last club for North to ruff with the trump king.

On the 11th trick Mrs. D'Albrow led another spade, and when East trumped again to shut out dummy's five, dummy simply discarded the losing heart. Declarer lost only the one trump trick.

Coming Events

FRIDAY
Women's Golf Association will meet at the Country Club Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock for play. Luncheon will be served at one o'clock. Hostesses will be Mrs. A. E. Horst and Mrs. Lef Olson.
Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. L. S. Page, 1402 W. Ohio, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.
Belmont Bible class will meet with Mrs. Maude Newnham, 723 W. Louisiana, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.
Room mothers of North Ward FTA will be entertained with a coffee at the home of Mrs. J. J. Black, 801 W. Kansas, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. The gathering will mark the closing of the membership campaign.

SATURDAY

Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson studio, 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock.
Story Hour will be held in the

Mrs. Corrigan Is Hostess For Party In Halloween Motif

Entertaining with a Halloween dessert-bridge, Mrs. Hugh Corrigan was hostess to the Midweek Club at her home, 1901 W. Missouri, Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

Fall flowers were used at vantage points through the house. Halloween colors were emphasized at the dessert hour, when tables were centered with yellow and orange marigolds and the dessert was in Halloween hues.

Tallies for the four tables of bridge were likewise in Halloween motif. Awards in the games went to Mrs. James FitzGerald for high scoring guest, to Mrs. Paul Oles for high scoring club member and to Mrs. Hal Peck for high cut.

Guests were: Mmes. R. B. Cowden, J. R. Martin, Clyde Cowden, FitzGerald, Peck, Fred Turner, and O. B. Holt.

Mrs. Fred Girdley Hostess To Courtesy Party For Club

Members of the Trump-it Club were honored when Mrs. Fred Girdley entertained with a breakfast-bridge at her home, 409 North F street, Wednesday morning.

After the breakfast course, three tables of bridge were played in rooms decorated with roses.

High score prize went to Mrs. D. E. Carter, second high to Mrs. Joseph Mims, and bingo prize to the hostess.

Present were: Mmes. J. Guy McMillian, Carter, Richard D. Myers, G. A. Lee, John Nichols, and C. C. Keith, members of the honored club, and Mmes. Mims, George Todd, Norman Woody, Pearl Blair, C. L. Bradshaw, and the hostess.

FEMININE FANCIES

By Kathleen Eiland

Strange how somebody is always trying to take the fun out of living. Take the matter of eating, which is almost universally enjoyed. Now comes Dr. Robert S. Harris who declares that a person can eat for \$1.80 a year! Our answer to that is "Who wants to?"

The honorable doctor has worked out a formula, two formulas in fact, which he believes can compose the average American's menu for a whole year—and the cost is less than two dollars.

But just consider what the formulas consist of: No. 1—skim milk powder, whole wheat meal, concentrate of vitamins; No. 2—oats, corn, wheat, skim milk, and vitamin concentrate.

So far as we're concerned our decision is this: We may never amass a fortune but as long as we draw a monthly stipend, we intend to have a little fun eating. And oats, vitamin concentrate, and skim milk are not our idea of fun!

Our only consolation for sopping our handkerchief, ruining our make-up, and humiliating ourselves by weeping as we did at the performance of "Our Town" last night is found in the fact that, judging by snifties and the appearance of handkerchiefs, those around us were weeping, too.

We might have known that the man who could do as delicate and beautiful a thing as "The Bridge of San Luis Rey" would write a drama that would play on the heart strings. A laurel wreath to the Civic Theatre for producing it.

All these years we've thought those neat little sewing boxes in miniature size were meant for women. Apparently we were wrong. One such, complete with scissors, thimble, needles, silk and cotton thread, and a supply of buttons of assorted sizes is hailed as a "boon to bachelors." A clever merchandising idea that—and a practical gift thought for the man who has no wife, mother, nor sister available when that button comes off the cuff at an inopportune time or a hole appears in the best pair of socks.

children's library at the courthouse, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Minnet Club will have a "Gay Ninety" costume dance in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer, Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

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Greasewood Club Elects Officers, Gathers Shrubs

Election of officers for the new year and a demonstration on shrubs were high points in the program of Greasewood Club which held an all-day session at the home of Mrs. Dick Abbott, Wednesday.

Officers, who were elected in the afternoon session, include: Mrs. Tyson Midkiff, chosen president by acclamation; Mrs. Dick Abbott, vice president; Mrs. Frank Midkiff, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Sam Preston, council delegate; Mrs. Warren Skaggs, parliamentarian.

The morning was devoted to obtaining native shrubs. Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent, explained and demonstrated the method of transplanting shrubs that require balling and also those of the taproot variety. She declared that many yards could be made more attractive at small expense by using native material.

Plans were made for Achievement Day, November 7.

A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. Present were: Mmes. Dick Midkiff, Frank Midkiff, Warren Skaggs, Sam Preston, S. A. Debnam, Cecil Young, M. D. Rutherford, the hostess and two guests, Miss Lynn and Miss Retha Truelove.

Members drove to the home of Mrs. Dick Midkiff for a demonstration on the new type of lighting fixtures and the importance of indirect lighting, and the conservation of electricity by using light-finished walls, ceiling, and woodwork. The demonstration was in conjunction with the REA program in Midland County.

Mrs. Guy Cowden Entertains For Enigma Club

Mrs. Guy Cowden was hostess to Enigma Club members and two guests with a dessert-bridge at her home Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

High score in the three tables of bridge played went to Mrs. Elliott Cowden and second high to Mrs. O. B. Holt.

Guests were Mrs. R. C. Conkling and Mrs. Bert Ross. Members present were: Mmes. Elliott Cowden, Ellis Cowden, Clyde Cowden, Chas. Goldsmith, O. B. Holt, Fay Proctor, Geo. McEntire, Jr., Allen Tolbert, M. C. Ulmer, and the hostess.

Demonstration On Canning Is Held

Canning chicken after having learned previously how to dress one for canning was the demonstration of Prairie Lee 4-H Club girls meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Gay Koonce.

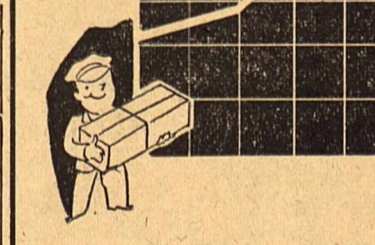
Billie LaJean Pigg brought a dressed hen for canning. The girls then cut the carcass for light and dark meat, packed the meat into jars, and processed two pints from the fowl.

Club members present were: Avalene and Lavada Crudup, Helen Ruth Harris, Verna Dodson, Billie LaJean Pigg, Betty Floyd, Fay and Dessie Casber, Helen Harrison, Evelyn Ware, and Helen Calhoun.

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Dos Reales Party Stresses Theme Of Chrysanthemums

Yellow chrysanthemums lent their cheerful tones to the party room when Mrs. F. L. McFarland, 1306 W. Ohio, complimented Dos Reales Club Wednesday with a bridge-luncheon at one o'clock.

The yellow chrysanthemum motif was repeated in the design of the tallies for the two tables of bridge played after luncheon.

High prize went to Mrs. H. T. Newsom and second high to Mrs. Burt Atkinson, while bingo award was won by Mrs. Fred Kotyza.

Members present were: Mmes. Atkinson, H. W. Deax, E. S. Hitchcock, J. A. Jorgensen, Kotyza, Newsom, J. C. Williamson, and the hostess. Mrs. Newsom will be hostess for the next meeting of the club.

Two New Members Inducted Into Home Art Club

Two new members were welcomed into Home Art Club when the organization met with Mrs. Hugh C. Walker, 405 W. Storey, Wednesday afternoon. They were Mrs. Al Borning and Mrs. I. E. Hood.

Mrs. C. M. Dunagan brought the lesson, a discussion of the work of Elizabeth Morrow at Smith College in the field of education.

A committee of Mrs. B. W. Recer, Mrs. Marvin English and Mrs. C. M. Dunagan, was appointed to plan the club's Thanksgiving dinner. Mrs. John B. Mills, club president, presided and reported on the recent meeting of the City-County Federation.

Guests for the afternoon were Mrs. Cecil Waldrep and Mrs. E. P. Freeman. Refreshments were served to these and to the following club members: Mmes. N. W. Bigham, Guy Breneman, C. M. Dunagan, John C. Dunagan, Julia Filson, B. C. Girdley, Eula Mahoney, Mills, Tom Potter, Recer, English, and the hostess.

METHODIST SOCIETY HOLD MEETING AT COURTNEY

The Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service held its regular meeting, Tuesday afternoon at Courtney. The group decided to study a course termed "The Uprooted Americans."

Mrs. Bill Clemons Jr. of Stanton was a visitor.

Present were Mmes. J. R. Nichols, H. A. Dooley, Harrison Bickley, Bill Clemons, and John W. Blocker.

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Halloween Theme Marks Party For Sans Souci Club

Pumpkin vases filled with chrysanthemums centered dessert tables to emphasize the Halloween decorative theme when Mrs. W. P. Thurmon was hostess to Sans Souci Club at her home, 1005 W. Wall, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

After the dessert service, bridge was recreation for the group with first prize going to Mrs. J. H. Adkison, and bingo award to Mrs. G. B. Randolph Jr.

Mrs. Bill Van Huss played with the club. Members present were: Mmes. E. W. Cowden, B. L. Hoffer, A. E. Horst, A. H. Riley, William J. Russell, Lester Short, B. W. Stevens, L. A. Tullis, Frank Williamson, Adkison, Randolph, and the hostess.

Mrs. Stevens will entertain the club at its next meeting.

Mrs. Wilkinson Compliments Club At Bridge Party

Three tables were appointed for bridge when Mrs. Jack Wilkinson complimented the Wednesday Bridge Club at her home, 1311 W. Missouri, Wednesday afternoon.

Playing guests were Mrs. John Dublin, Mrs. Geo. McEntire Jr., and Mrs. E. I. Bailey. High score prize in the games went to Mrs. Donald M. Oliver and bingo award to Mrs. Louis Thomas.

Tea hour guests were Mrs. Bill Pitzer and a member, Mrs. W. M. Blevins. A party plate was served to guests and the following members: Mmes. Ben Black, Wright Cowden, Chas. Edwards Jr., Ralph Geisler, Wanda Heath, Frank Miller, Donald M. Oliver, Tom Sealy, Louis Thomas, and the hostess.

Courtney WMU Plans All-Day Meeting On October 30

COURTNEY. (Special) — Plans for an all-day session of study and prayer on Wednesday, October 30, were discussed Monday afternoon at a meeting of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union of Courtney. Mrs. S. P. Myrick, WMU president, led in the discussion.

Continuing a systematic study of the Bible, the last fourteen chapters of II Samuel formed the basis of the lesson conducted by Mrs. Robert Campbell.

Present were: Mmes. Henry Rayford, Bill Blocker, Irvin Myrick, A. T. Angel, Robert Campbell, Roscoe Hazlewood, Sidney Cross and S. P. Myrick.

Local Topics

Joe Ward, Wichita Falls engineer, was a visitor in Midland Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bleiker were scheduled to return Wednesday night or today from a vacation trip to Texline, Texas, and Mountain View, Okla., where they visited family members and to Dallas where they visited friends. With them on the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Hatzenbuehler of Dallas.

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 - CALF TONGUES, HEARTS & BRAINS, lb. 15c
 - FRESH HAM, center cuts, lb. 23c
 - ARM ROAST, from choice baby beef, lb. 23c
 - SAUSAGE, 100% pure pork in sacks, lb. 16c
 - BACON, sliced, Peyton's Hotel Style, lb. 24c
 - BEEF TENDERS & Armour's VEAL CUTLETS, lb. 45c
 - FULL CREAM CHEESE, lb. 19c
 - PORK CHOPS, nice and lean, lb. 23c
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Mrs. Hodge Reviews Story Of Welch Life At Fine Arts Club

A book review by Mrs. J. Howard Hodge was the program feature at the meeting of Fine Arts Club with Mrs. Geo. Kidd Jr., 807 W. Texas, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Hodge chose, for her presentation, "How Green Was My Valley" by Richard Lewellyn. She stressed the religious aspect of the book which pictures the effect of the mining industry on life in a green Welsh valley.

In the business session presided over by Mrs. Fred Wilcox, club president, Mrs. Hodge was elected delegate to the state convention of Federated Clubs which will be held in Austin next month. Miss Lydie G. Watson was named alternate.

The club voted \$25 to the milk fund of the chamber of commerce. Guests were Mrs. Tom Hurt, Miss Eloise Norman, and Miss Geraldine Dabney.

Members present were: Mmes. L. A. Absher, E. H. Barron, T. Paul Barron, Tom C. Bobo, Charles Brown, L. G. Byerley, Alden Donnelly, F. H. Fuhrman, Hodge, O. J. Hubbard, J. Webb Miller, Roy Parks, R. C. Tucker, J. M. White, Wilcox, E. Hazen Woods, and the hostess.

FOOD VALUES

For FRIDAY and SATURDAY October 25 & 26

- Oranges Large size Texas Per dozen 19c
- Juices 12-oz. assorted fruit 3 cans 25c
- Monarch 15 1/2-oz. 3 cans 25c
- Pork & Beans Pint jar 22c
- Salad Dressing Miracle Whip
- New Crop Texas Shelled halves Per pound 48c
- Pecans 10-lb. cloth bag Pure cane 52c
- Big Four Washing Powder 35c
- Soap 3 bars Lifebuoy or Lux with dish 24c
- Yams Fancy Porta Rican Per pound 4c
- Vegetables Large bunches assorted—3 for 10c
- Peanuts 1-lb. can Planters salted 35c
- Compound 8-lb. carton Swift Jewel 83c
- Del Monte No. 2 fancy Country Corn Gentleman—2 for 10c
- New Crop Pecan Valley Beans & Potatoes No. 2 10c
- Peas No. 2 Del Monte Sugar 17c
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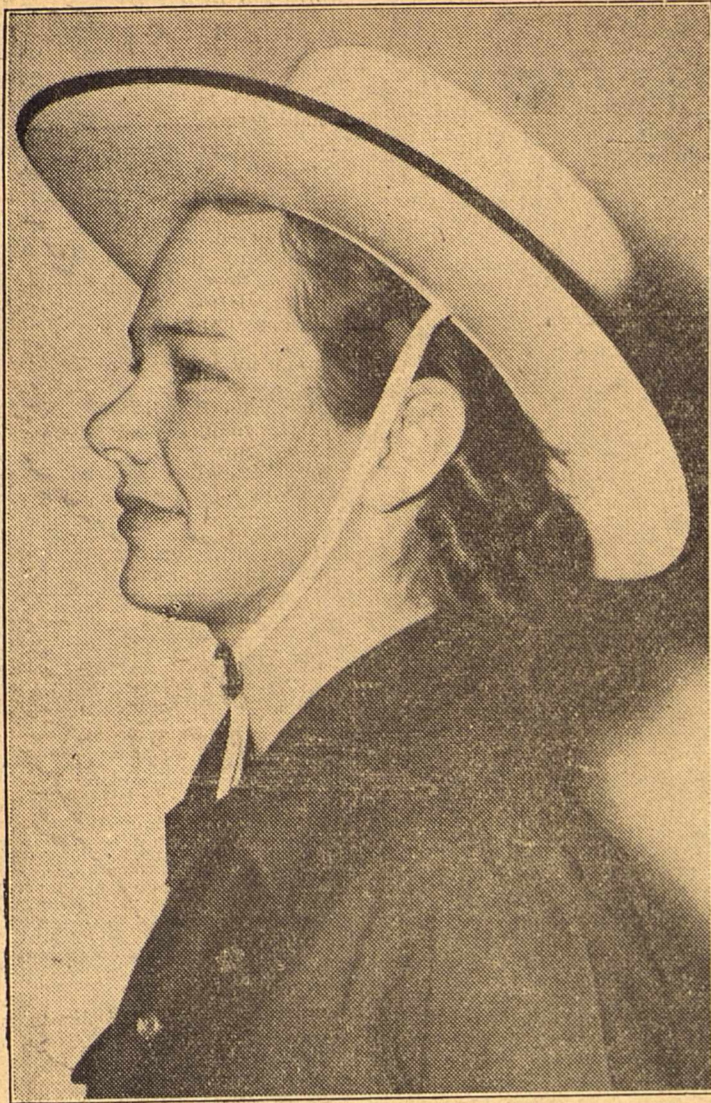
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- Bacon Armour's or Peyton's—Pound 25c
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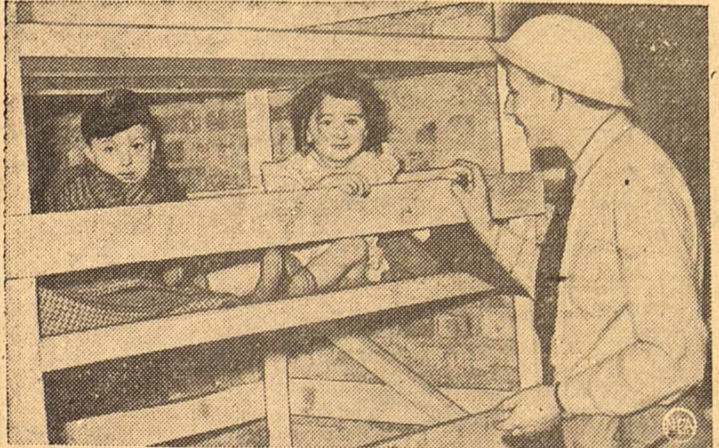
Selection of Miss Walter Fay Cowden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Cowden, as the Midland sponsor to the First Annual All-American Rodeo and Horse Show at Fort Worth, Nov. 15-25, this morning was announced by chamber of commerce officials. In the Cowgirl Sponsors Contest, Miss Cowden will compete with other cowgirls from over the state. Miss Cowden, one of the best known cowgirl sponsors of the state, has represented Midland at various other rodeos over the Southwest during the past few years and two years ago was one of the West Texas cowgirls taking part in the Madison Square Garden Rodeo.

A Peep At America's Defense



Col. Franck Lavaud of Haiti squints through an artillery range finder at Ft. Sam Houston, near San Antonio, during visit of Central and South American army officials to inspect American defense measures and plan co-ordination of hemispheric military units. Capt. Peter J. Kopcsak, U. S. A., looks on at the left.

Close Quarters—But Safe



Though bombs shatter the city above them, these two London children are safe for the moment. An air raid warden chats with them as they sit in bunks built especially for children in Stoke Newington raid shelter.

The only portion of the United States that was never under any but the American flag is the Oregon country.

Galileo was the Christian name of the great Italian astronomer, and by it he was commonly known. Galilei was his last name.

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Blanks For Voluntary Service Are Received

Draft board officials today announced receipt of blanks furnished by national headquarters for applications of voluntary induction into the army.

Men who recently registered for possible service or youths between the ages of 18 and 21 may fill out applications and will be considered first when Midland's quota is announced after the national drawing October 29.

Additional names received by the board today and numbers follow:

- 1758 Price Bush Wilkins
- 1759 Julian Worth Alsbrook
- 1760 —Mark Howard McKinsey
- 1761 Robert Muldrow III
- 1762 William P. Estes, Jr.
- 1763 Gordon Kruse Elderkin
- 1764 James Earl Burton
- 1765 William Gerald Bloss
- 1766 Alton Eugene Walker
- 1767 Leo Robertson
- 1768 Ben Carl Driver
- 1769 Pearl Nick Bryant
- 1770 Carl Isham
- 1771 John James Bailey
- 1772 Arthur Jordan Graham
- 1773 Harold LaVergn Huffman
- 1774 Robert Jackson Cooper
- 1775 Paul Leming Davis
- 1776 Raymond Dunning Monkres
- 1777 William Loyd Skipworth
- 1778 Alfred Marce McClure
- 1779 Finice David Breedlove
- 1780 William Lemon
- 1781 Lee Osborn Robey
- 1782 Robert Foster Duffield
- 1783 Joseph Henry Jones
- 1784 William Francis Kyle
- 1785 Homer Edwin Carrico, Jr.
- 1786 James Wilmont Hunt
- 1787 Arthur William Gibson
- 1788 Lawrence Franklin Grier
- 1789 Henry Clay Stringer
- 1790 Lilton Scott Stringer
- 1791 Medco Willis Nelson
- 1792 Orville Clinton Hamlin
- 1793 Bruce Goode
- 1794 Stanley Bennett Audas
- 1795 Marshall Ray Hinds
- 1796 Hyman Vee Corman
- 1797 Hal Norwood Pittman
- 1798 Norman Teague Hutchison
- 1799 Otis Willie Garren
- 1800 John Wiley Harrison
- 1801 Talmadge Mitchell
- 1802 Floyd Luther Barnes
- 1803 Roy Lee McGee

The name of Walter Smallwood Elkin appeared as Elwin. His number is 1705.

Addison Wadley Is Booster Of Permian Basin Association

Addison Wadley, department store owner, was enthusiastic today regarding the value of the Permian Basin Association to the merchants and business men.

"All of us, regardless of the nature of our business, are dependent to a marked degree on the successful development and operation of our oil resources," Wadley said.

"With increased taxation and adverse legislation the oil business is going to be hurt and hurt bad. If a united front is not established to combat such trends we are all going to be affected."

"I look for the Permian Basin Association to put a stop to over taxation, wastes in cost of government, and other harmful legislative action. For this reason I am for it one hundred per cent and I sincerely believe I will benefit directly in innumerable ways as will all other business interests in the basin."

LIGHTNING BOLT TRACED, IT FOLLOWS THE PILOT

SWAMPSCOTT, Mass. (UP)—Even lightning must have a leader to follow in an electrical storm, according to G. D. McCann, Westinghouse electrical expert.

McCann says that a weak, almost invisible, preliminary stroke known as the "pilot" picks its way through the atmosphere at the relatively slow speed of 100 miles a second.

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Three Are Guests At Wednesday Luncheon Club

Three guests, Mrs. Bruce McKague, Mrs. William Cones, and Mrs. Ralph Harp of Odessa, joined members of the Wednesday Luncheon Club in a party at the home of Mrs. C. R. Inman, 100 South F street, Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock.

A fruit centerpiece marked the dining table, while yellow chrysanthemums were employed as room flowers.

Two tables of bridge were played after luncheon had been served.

Girl Scouts Plan For Candy Sale At Meeting Wednesday

Plans for a candy sale to be held on Halloween Day at Junior High School were made by Girl Scouts of Troop No. 2 at their weekly meeting, Wednesday afternoon, at the First Presbyterian Church. Committees were appointed to make the candy, to decorate the table, and to

publicize the sale. Mrs. E. R. Osburn supervised the meeting which was attended by the following girls: Odessa Mae Reed, Edwina Hood, Beth Osburn, June Bettison, Sharon Cornelius, Sallie Secor, Mickey McDonald, Betty Jo Greene, Joan Stanley, Jane Butler, Meredith Williams, Betty Chanslor, Marjorie Ward, Orilla Mae Osburn, Eileen Eiland, Camilla Crawford, Ann Mason, Ann Ulmer, Phoebe Lewis, Janice Knickerbocker, Billie Ann Hill, and a guest, Jean Russell.

Club members present were: Mmes. R. L. Blunden, Prentice F. Brown, W. B. Collins, Ed Reichardt, and the hostess. Mrs. Blunden will entertain the group at its next meeting.

Bananas were a popular food of the ancient Egyptians.

The first sale of Christmas seals in the United States occurred at Wilmington, Del., in 1907.

Courtney Woman Has Party For Daughter

COURTNEY, Oct. 24 (Sp.)—Mrs. Oran Nichols entertained her daughter, Doris Jean Nichols, with a party Tuesday afternoon on her fourth birthday anniversary. The invitation list included: The honoree, Wallace Hazlewood, Shirley Ann Shoemaker, Brenda Hazlewood, Peggy Myrick, Homer Hull, Lovetta Hull, Janice Nichols, Elaine Hazlewood, Larry Clements, Billy Clements, Don Nichols, Edward Railsback, Wilma Robnett, and James Railsback.

Snapshots were made of the group.

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 - Lipton's Orange 1/2-lb. Pkg. 43c
 - Tea Pekoe
 - Edgemont Smacks 2 14-oz. Pkgs. 25c
 - Harper House Pears No. 2 1/2 Can 19c
 - Highway Peaches 2 No. 2 1/2 Cans 25c
 - Pard Dog Food 3 No. 1 Cans 25c
 - New Crop Shelled Pecans 1-lb. Pkg. 49c

Halloween Sale

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- Delicious Apples Fancy Red 113 & 125 Sizes Doz. 29c
- Cabbage Firm Green Lb. 1 1/2c
- Lettuce Calif. Large 5 Doz. Size 2 Heads 15c
- Cauliflower Large Head 10c
- Grapfruit Texas 96 Size Marsh Seedless Doz. 25c
- Tokay GRAPES Lb. 5c
- Green BEANS 2 Lbs. 15c

GROCERIES

- Cream Meal Mammy Lou 20 Lb. Sack 49c
- Mustard French's 9-oz. Jar. 13c
- Bisquick For Quick Biscuits 40-oz. Pkg. 35c
- Candy Bars Hershey's Regular 5c Bars 3 for 10c
- Cigarettes Kools Pkg. 16c
- Zee Tissue Orchid or Green Roll 5c
- Comfort Tissue 4-Roll Family Pack 22c
- Cherub Milk It's Baby Pure 3 Tall Cans 19c
- Cherub Milk It's Baby Pure 6 Small Cans 19c
- Oleomargarine Dalewood Lb. 15c
- Oleomargarine Sunnybank Lb. 9c
- Lunch Box Sandwich Spread Pint Jar 21c
- Ginger Snaps Zion Fresh Cookies 1-lb. Pkg. 10c
- Cocoanut Shredded 1-lb. Cello Package 19c
- Marshmallows Fluffiest 1-lb. Box 10c
- Edwards Coffee Vacuum Packed 1-lb. Can 19c

- Pinto Beans 10 Lb. Bag 35c
- Catsup Highway 2 14-oz. Bottles 25c
- Shortening Texas Maid 4 Lb. Ctn. 32c

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- Trimmed Legs Lb. 21c
- Lamb Shoulder Lb. 17c
- Lamb Chops Lb. 23c
- Sausage Pure Pork Lb. 15c
- Pork Chops Loin End or Blade Cuts Lb. 19c
- Chuck Roast Choice Beef Lb. 18c
- Longhorn Cheese The All Purpose Kind Lb. 19c
- Spare Ribs Fresh Meaty Lb. 19c
- Sliced Bacon Bulk Sugar Cured Lb. 19c
- Pork Roast Shoulder Cuts Lb. 15c
- Weiners Small Skinless Lb. 17c

SLICED BACON

Armour's Star "Fixed Flavor" Lb. 25c

Oysters Fresh Extra Standards Pint 29c

- Nob Hill COFFEE 1-lb. Pkg. 15c
- Airway COFFEE 2 1-lb. Pkgs. 25c

SAFEWAY

Bible Assembles Fine Eleven But Gets No Notice

By Felix R. McKnight DALLAS, Oct. 24 (AP)—Ognored, almost considered a flag stop on schedules while Dana Bible patiently labored on his rehabilitation program, the U. of Texas now has a wile of a football team—and can't get a tumble from anybody.

Fans and critics are too prone to identify the University of Texas as the base of operations for Cowboy Jack Crain and let it go at that. In fact, Texas is very undefeated, has a terrific, well-rounded attack and leads the Southwest Conference in total yards gained by land and air. It's reserves are unlimited.

Defeats Four Teams Four State Universities—Colorado, defending Big Seven champs; Indiana Big Ten contender; Oklahoma and Arkansas—have been shelled on successive weekends by the glittering group of kids.

Only last week the Texans slaughtered the Arkansas Razorbacks 21-0, didn't give the Big Red machine a chance to move.

The reward? One national rating system promptly and decisively dropped them five notches in the rankings, down below teams that have been licked and tied. Mild recognition came in their twelfth position in the Associated Press poll.

Jack Crain is a furious runner, a great runner, but he is far from being the only threat the Longhorns own. In the Arkansas game Crain went to the sidelines with hurts, but Fullback Pete Layden, R. L. Harkins, R. B. Patrick, Walter Heap, Ralph Park, Noble Doss, Johnny Gill—oh, you never heard of these boys—kept right on rolling.

Good Aerial Game The Texas passing game is dangerous; has worked well in a 39-7 crushing of Colorado; 13-6 licking of Indiana; 19-16 triumph over Oklahoma and the 21-0 drubbing of Arkansas.

Next Saturday at Houston the Texans play Rice Institute, defeat only one in three starts and then by a good Tulane team that was long overdue.

It becomes increasingly obvious that Texas must chase Rice over into Louisiana to get recognition. And that will be a very difficult job. Rice, until the Tulane affair, was unbeaten and unscored. To take up the Rice case fully, it, too, was completely ignored.

They've waited five years for Dana Bible's promised 1940 team. It's here now and very noisy. It's the team that probably will play Texas A&M, the publicized power, before 45,000 on Thanksgiving Day for the business.

And still they can't get a tumble. Big Six Studies Post-Season Tilt

KANSAS CITY, Oct. 24 (AP).—If advance speculation is confirmed, the only bowling Big Six football teams will be in the future will be in bowling alleys.

Conference faculty representatives meet here today and tomorrow to consider a proposal to rescind the Big Six rule prohibiting post-season games. Specifically, the plan would permit the Big Six champion to play in the Southwest Conference championship kluhpin each New Year's Day in the Cotton Bowl at Dallas.

Unofficially, at least, the Southwest circuit is willing. Oklahoma and Missouri, who dipped into Miami's Orange Bowl the last two New Year's Days, only to come up with a miffed lemon, are reported to favor the Cotton dish. Nebraska and Iowa State are expected to give a horizontal head-shake to the idea.

Kansas has indicated its willingness to send a Big Six squad to Dallas but Kansas State doesn't cotton to the idea.

That leaves the unofficial, pre-season count at three-all, which would defeat the proposal.

Smaller Texas Schools Conquer Elevens Abroad By The Associated Press Texas minor conference and independent colleges this year boast probably their most impressive international reputation as they started roaming the country instead of confining their football activities to backyard skirmishes.

To date this season, they have played teams from 13 states and out of 31 games have won 21, lost 9 and tied 1.

Also there will be games in the Texas, Lone Star and Border conferences.

The week's schedule includes: Friday: Daniel Baker vs Texas A. and I. at Kingsville (night), Howard Payne vs Southwestern at Brownwood (night).

Four of the colleges do not have games this week. Those idle are Hardin-Simmons, McMurry, Abilene Christian College and Trinity.

During 20 months of the Civilian Pilot Training Program, only four primary students and one secondary student have been killed. There have been four instructor fatalities. These cover more than 1,100,000 hours of flying and about 28,000 flight courses.

Midland-Steer Tilt May Decide Crown

Up at Lubbock and Amarillo they are saying the winner of the football game between those two cities will win the state championship.

Such large scale optimism cannot be found in District 9-A, but a lot of people believe that the championship of district will be decided when the Big Spring Steers meet the Midland Bulldogs out at Lackey field tomorrow night.

The Bulldogs are out on top in the flag chase with a couple of conference wins, while the Steers are only a half game behind with a victory and a tie.

Expect Largest Crowd Probably the largest crowd of the season will be on hand when the two teams clash. Big Spring is sending at least 600 persons to the game and that many are expected from Odessa. Approximately 750 tickets had been sold in Midland to noon today.

The two teams will go into the fray even. The edge that would be given Midland team, because it is playing on its home field, is erased by the fact that three key members of the Bulldog squad will be in poor physical shape.

Quarterback Wendell Williams has been participating in team drills this week but is forced to have his injured ankle taped so tightly that he may not do a lot of ball carrying. End Wilford Lester has been bothered by a stubborn charley-horse that refuses to mend despite treatment. As a result, he will be slowed considerably on offense and defense. "Boog" Eidson, stand-out guard of the district, paid a visit to a physician yesterday to receive treatment for a chest cold. He will be in the game, but him play is bound to suffer.

Coaches Worried The Bulldogs will receive tapering-off exercises tonight after three days of hard work. Pass plays and skill practice will take up most of the time. Midland coaches would feel more optimistic over Bulldog chances if all members of the team were in top condition.

As usual the Bulldogs will be out-weighted. The Steers will carry a one-pound per man advantage in the line, averaging 171 pounds to Midland's 162. In the backfield, the Bulldogs will have a one-pound per man weight advantage. The Steer average overall advantage will be five pounds per player.

Four 175-pound boys and one 215-pounder make the Steer line one of the heaviest and most impressive in this area. Lightest boy in the line is Hal Battle, a 148-pound guard who was an all-conference selection in 1939.

Reports from Big Spring indicate Coach Pat Murphy has his boys in top condition.

BOWLING

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GALVESTON, Oct. 24 (AP).—B. B. Brown, 23, of Freeport, and an unidentified woman companion, died today in the wreckage of an airplane that struck Oyster Creek bridge on a highway near Freeport and hurtled into a stream.

Shipments of scrap iron, mercury and flour to Japan already have been stopped and sales of scrap iron and mercury to countries outside this hemisphere have been banned at least temporarily, government and diplomatic sources reported.

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Bullpups Meet Colts Here Today At 4 P. M.

The Midland Junior high Bullpups and the Sweetwater Colts were scheduled to meet at 4:00 p. m. today on Lackey field. It is the third game for the Bullpups.

They have lost two games played BUT went into the contest this afternoon favored to defeat the victorious Noland County boys.

Stanton To Play Seminole Friday

STANTON, Oct. 24 (Sp.)—Seminole will be host to the Stanton Buffaloes there at 2:30 p. m. tomorrow when the two football teams play, for the second time this season, a District 6-B game.

The Buffaloes took the first encounter here on penetrations in a 0 to 0 game.

With Stanton on top of the district and Seminole in second place, a victory by the Indians would put them up with the Buffaloes. Stanton is favored mainly because of a win over Seagraves, and the Indians loss, 13 to 0, to Andrews.

Stanton nosed out Seagraves on penetrations here Friday. Another battle is to be fought between them Nov. 7 at Seagraves.

Sports Roundup

By Eddie Brietz NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (AP)—New fangled stuff: Golfer Jug McSpadden has been given what amounts to a life time contract by Boston's swank Winchester Club.

And Mose Simms, colorful coach of St. Mary's (Texas) football team, has guaranteed New Yorkers their dough back if they don't like the way his Cowboys go against Long Island University, Sunday.

Rumor Foundry They are whispering around that Francis X. Reagan, Penn football ace, already has signed (for \$7,500) to catch somewhere in the Yankee farm system.

And that the national professional football league again is shaking the presidency under the nose of Arch Ward, Chicago sports writer.

Ward turned down 25,000 smackers last year. What a guy!

Today's Guest Star Edward T. Murphy, New York Sun: "Speaking of numbers, Oscar Vitt's will be drawn next Monday in Cleveland by Alva Bradley, owner of the Indians.

Vitt's number will be the only one in the hat, so Bradley can't miss."

Round And About Take Clemson over South Carolina today. La Marble, now a football expert, is tabbing winners 80 per cent correctly via the airwaves.

Preston Johnston, whose 92-yard boot made the headlines two weeks ago, has been elected treasurer of his class at Southern Methodist.

Fritzie Zivic has attended a dozen banquets since he licked Henry Armstrong and has been presented with a pen and pencil set at each.

Mary and Pickford is trying to arrange a Rice Bowl game at Los Angeles Xmas Day for the Chinese relief fund.

With Mendelson back on the Penn squad and Prof. Crisler on the job for Michigan, there should be plenty of Harmon-izing at Ann Arbor Saturday.

And four-quarter team, J. M. Sanderson, who has coached football at Morrisville College for 29 consecutive years, must take a back seat.

Harry Hughes has been on the job at Colorado State for 30 years and has never felt better in his life.

Gopher Club Corrects Last Season Mistakes Regaining Prominence

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 24 (AP).—Four little mistakes cost Minnesota four big ball games last season.

Now the Golden Gophers are getting back those ball games and they have caught up with two clubs profiting from the 1939 miscues.

Nebraska fooled Bernie Bierman's boys last fall with a simple old fashioned reverse that got a fourth down score after everything else had failed.

The final count was 6 to 0. Minnesota got the winning 13 to 7 margin this year on one play forward pass from Bruce Smith to co-captain Bill Johnson.

Holding Mistake Ohio State won 23 to 20 last year because a Minnesota player was caught holding. That mistake came on a play that would have given the Gophers a first down on the Buckeye three yard line.

Set back fifteen yards, Minnesota gambled on a field goal bid for a tie and lost. At Columbus last Saturday, Minnesota evened the score because touchdown plays worked for Bruce Smith.

Coming up for important notice this Saturday is another one of the beneficiaries of the 1939 Minnesota errors. The team is Iowa. The Hawkeyes beat Minnesota last year because a player in the Gopher's secondary permitted Bill Kinnick to get behind him to catch Nile Kinnick's touchdown pass.

Then there will be Northwestern, the last of the 1939 one-play benefit brigade. Bill De Correvont got away from the Minnesota safety man to count the winner. And the mighty man will be around when the rampaging Gophers try to balance up with the Wildcats November 2.

Courtney And Garner 6-Man Teams To Meet

COURTNEY, Oct. 24 (Special)—The Courtney and Garner six-man football teams will meet on the field here at 3:00 p. m. in what should be one of the toughest games in the conference this year.

Each has been beaten twice and will be fighting for second place in the league standings.

High School Football Schedule Is Loaded With Important Games While Waxahachie-Bryan Battle Tops List

By Harold V. Radloff Associated Press Staff The battle front of Texas school-boy football bristles with important games this week but for more than one reason Waxahachie's struggle with Bryan draws the spotlight.

First, it probably will decide the Central Texas championship.

Second, it is between schools that are driving back along football's glory road after years of serving as door mats for more illustrious teams.

Both were relegated to the bottom rungs of District 10 when the campaign started but their records, which include victories over pre-season favorites, indicate that when they meet tomorrow night at Waxahachie the winner will eventually wear the crown.

Forty-eight other games are scheduled this week-end, 36 of them conference affairs that bring the championship struggle to all sixteen districts.

Cisco and Stephenville Ranking high on the list is the battle tomorrow at Cisco between the big dam Lobos and Stephenville's mighty Yellow Jackets.

This game not only will remove one of the three unbeaten, untied teams from the District 9 race but also will match two of the state's finest backs—Stephenville's Barney Welch, the season's top scorer, and Coy Warren, Cisco's one-man gang.

Welch has 108 points, amassed in five games. Warren has 72, run up in six tests. Both are ranked among the best broken field runners of West Texas gridiron history.

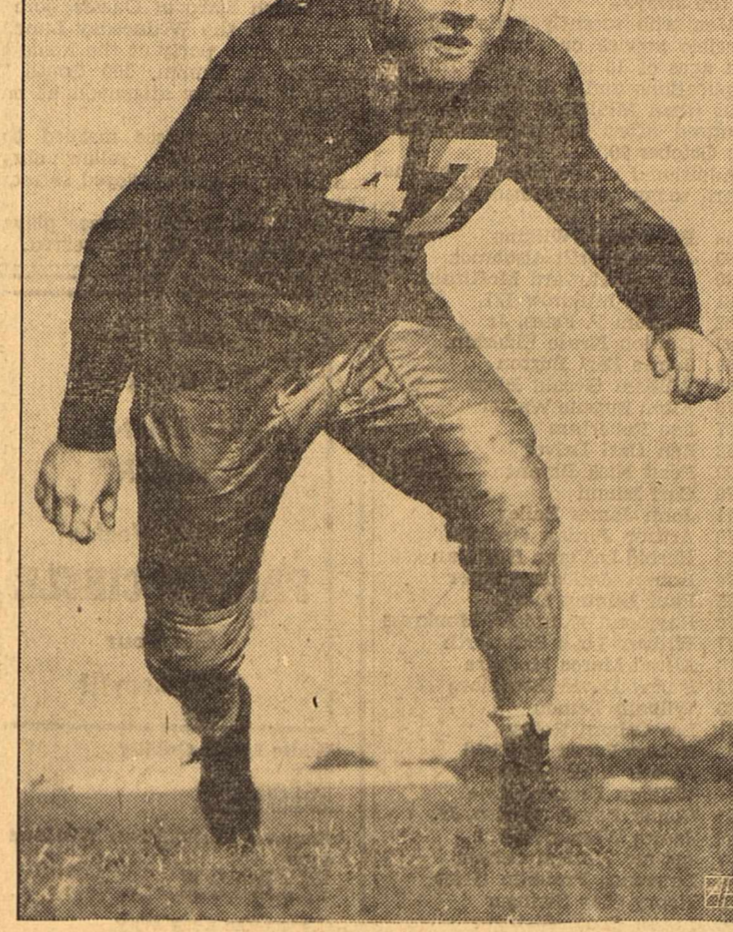
Lubbock's defending champion Westerners open the conference drive in District 1 against Borger. Sherman's high-flying Bearcats meet Borison, another unbeaten team in District 5.

Adamson and Woodrow Wilson clash for the Dallas District leadership.

Unbeaten Together Two games bring together teams undefeated for the season. The top bill will be between Harlingen and McAllen, who are among the 21 schools that are unbeaten and untied.

Longview, boasting a perfect rec-

Clears Timber For "Big John"



One of the greatest blocking backs in the history of the Southwest Conference, James Thomason, Texas Aggie player who clears the timber for All-American John Kimbrough, donned a ball-carrier's role Saturday in a sterling exhibition against Texas Christian. In his bid for all-conference honors again, Thomason yells "timber" when he charges down on opposition.

Cornell Eleven And Penn Ahead In Grid Figures

SEATTLE, Oct. 24 (AP).—Those giants of the east—Cornell and Pennsylvania—dominate this week's statistics as compiled by the American Football Statistical Bureau.

For the second straight week Cornell is tops in total offense—gains both rushing and passing—with a 466.7 yard average per game. The Ithacans gained 584 yards on the ground and 816 in the air for 1,400 yards in three games.

For the third straight week Cornell was the nation's "passingest" team, averaging 272 yards via the air.

Penn boomed into second place in total offense with a 400-yard per game average and, the statistics say is the country's best rushing outfit with a 303.7 average per game.

Also, Penn for the second straight week boasted the best defense against rushing. Its opposition, while not too robust, grossed 147 yards against the forwards and lost 121 yards for the net yield of 26 yards, or an average per game of only 8.7 yards.

Penn's Saturday adversary, Michigan, is ninth in total offense, but fifth in rushing alone, what with Harmon Westfall, and Evashyevski, so Saturday's tilt should pit a strong running outfit against a line which held Maryland, Yale and Princeton ball packers to that tiny 8.7 yard average.

Cornell's Saturday foe, Ohio State, doesn't figure among the offensive leaders, its 252 yard per game average being well under the accomplishments of the first five. But the Ohio States rank fifth in pass defense, holding the enemy aeriels to an average of only 34.8 per game.

This means the nation's best passing club will run up against a team with a stout anti-aircraft department, so all four—Cornell, Ohio State, Penn and Michigan, will get an opportunity to try out their best poison against high grade antidotes. The leaders statistically were:

Total offense—After Cornell and Penn come Detroit, 389.5 yards average per game; Lafayette, 367.5; Arizona, 366; Brown, Mississippi, Navy and Kentucky with Michigan and Creighton tied for 10th, Mississippi and Drake fell from the top five.

Rushing offense—Lafayette rolled up 1,408 yards for a 352 average per game. Penn's 303.7 is second, followed by Brown 299; Detroit, 287 and Michigan, 276.

Passing offense—Cornell is in front at 272; Princeton is second at 185.7; Marquette third, 181.3, followed by the Yales 148.3, and Missouri, 147.8.

Aggie Defense Strong Total defense—Mississippi State, with a game missing, has yielded an average of 67.7 yards per game. Then comes Navy, 72.3; Penn State, 81.3; San Jose State, 98.2 in six games, and Michigan, 98.5. Georgia, Texas A. and M., 1939 leader, Rice, Clemson and Detroit round out the list.

Rushing defenses—After Penn comes Penn State, 18.3; Texas A. and M., 23.5; Clemson 37.3, and Navy 41.3.

Pass defense—Mississippi State, one game shy, 17.0; Fordham, 23.0; Utah State, 30.3; Navy 31.3, and Ohio State, 34.8.

Punting—Clemson, Texas Mines, Holy Cross, Oklahoma and Kentucky.

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SCOTTISH BALLADS SUNG AND HE GOES SCOT-FREE BISMARCK, N. D. (UP).—Scotty McCellan, hailed into police court on a charge of drunkenness, sang brave ballads for the judge and went scot-free.

Scotty, a carpenter, told Judge G. Oelgeirson he liked to sing Scottish tunes, drunk or sober.

"Sing for me right now," said the judge.

Scotty complied with a couple of Caldonian ballads, complete with Lauder-like burr.

"Case dismissed," said the judge.

5-15—The Cheer Up Gang, MBS 1:00—Don Dewhurst, Songs, MBS 1:15—Gail North, TSN 1:30—Radio Club, MBS 1:45—Beely's Orch., TSN 2:00—John Duffy, organist, MBS 2:15—S. Koki's Hawaiians, MBS 2:30—Scrapbook Stories, MBS 2:45—George Fisher, MBS 3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN 3:15—Symphonic Band, MBS 3:45—Johnson Family, MBS 4:00—Margaret Savage 4:15—Crime Death, TSN 4:30—NTRTC Orchestra, TSN 5:00—Windsor Quartet 5:15—Sports Cast 5:30—Len Salvo, organist, MBS 5:45—Chamber of Commerce

Martin Will Rejoin Old Gas House Gang

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 24 (AP)—John L. (Pepper) Martin, late of the St. Louis Cardinals, should feel at home when he takes up quarters in the Pacific Coast League next spring.

For the great Pepper, once the ringtailed leader of the noisiest, wildest collection of ball players Frankie Frisch will ever have to suffer with, will find no fewer than six of his old cronies of the once celebrated gas house gang scattered along the shores of the Pacific.

The newly named skipper of Sacramento will find: Ripper Collins and Big Bob Weiland with Los Angeles, Bruce Ogrodowski catching for Sacramento, "Beau Drummled Bill" Walker pitching for Seattle, Jack Rothrock at Hollywood and young Ray Harrell with Portland.

McKECHNIE GRANTED KENTUCKY COLONELCY WILKINSBURG, Pa., Oct. 24 (AP)—After tonight it will be "Colonel" Bill McKechnie.

A commission signed by Governor Keen Johnson of Kentucky, conferring the title of Kentucky Colonel, will be among the honors bestowed on the champion Cincinnati Reds' manager at a testimonial dinner in his home town tonight.

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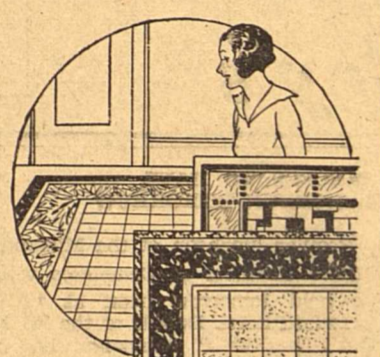
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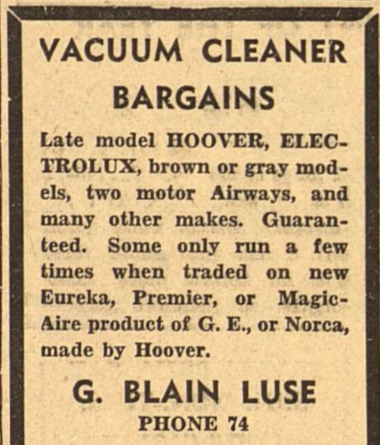
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Write-In Drive Against Official

WAGO, Oct. 24 (AP)—A write-in campaign by Democrats in the general election against State Agriculture Commissioner J. E. McDonald was proposed here today because of McDonald's support of the Republican presidential ticket.

C. O. Randle, county judge of Ellis, McDonald's home county, called for a state-wide meeting here tomorrow noon (Raleigh Hotel) to begin such a campaign.
 There was also a statement by W. N. Corry, runner-up to McDonald in the July Democratic primary, that he would offer as a write-in candidate if enough party leaders indicated they would support him. Corry offered yesterday.

Corry, a resident of Keller, Tarrant County, made his statement at Dallas yesterday. Randle, here for a meeting of the County Judges and Commissioners Association opening today, did not specify a candidate. He said he was looking for the "best available man."

McDonald, Democratic nominee for a sixth term as agriculture commissioner, announced Tuesday that he would support Wendell L. Willkie and Charles L. McNary, Republican candidates, for president and vice president in the Nov. 3 election.

Democratic party leaders in Dallas yesterday discounted the effect of McDonald's statement on the vote for Roosevelt and Wallace in Texas. State Democratic Chairman E. B. Germany suggested the best thing for the party to do was ignore McDonald.

BOY FOR STANTON COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Snider of Stanton became the parents of an eight-pound baby boy in Stanton today. The boy was named Bobby Jean.

His Diet Costs \$1.80 Annually



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West Point's New Superintendent



The job of turning out officers for Uncle Sam's rapidly expanding army will fall on the shoulders of Brig. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, above. He has been named commandant of the U. S. Military Academy at West Point to succeed Maj. Gen. Senechal. Gen. Eichelberger was formerly in command of the 30 Infantry at the Presidio, San Francisco, Cal.

Prairie Dog Drive Planned For County

A meeting has been called at 8 p. m. Monday in the county agent's office by the Midland County Land Use Planning Commission to adopt plans for a county-wide drive against prairie dogs.

County Agent V. G. Young declares dog towns are scattered over large parts of the county and that immediate action is needed to control the pests. Eradication of all prairie dogs in the county is the objective of the commission.

REGISTRATION CHARGE FOR WICHITA FALLS MAN

WICHITA FALLS, Oct. 24 (AP)—A charge of false registration under the selective service act was filed here yesterday against Bert Danny Parson, 26, of Sioux City, Iowa.

E. E. Conroy, head of the Dallas office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, said it was the first such charge filed in the United States.

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AT THE AIRPORT

Only two landings were listed at the airport today, Naval Air Pilot Wooley, flying a navy plane, enroute from Barksdale field to Tucson and an E3D2, new type Marine ship with Capt. Daley in charge. The plane was equipped with tricycle landing gear and had two pilots and seven passengers aboard. They were enroute from Tucson to Barksdale field.

Pioneer Americans made wax for candles by boiling berries of waxberry plants.

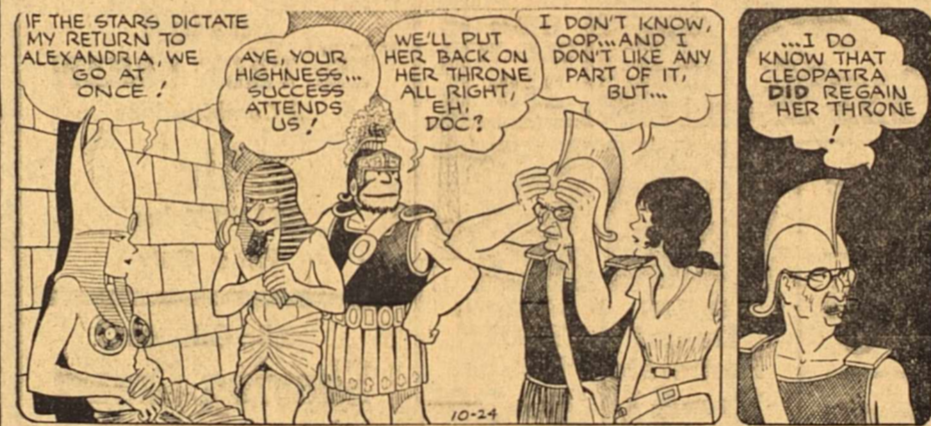
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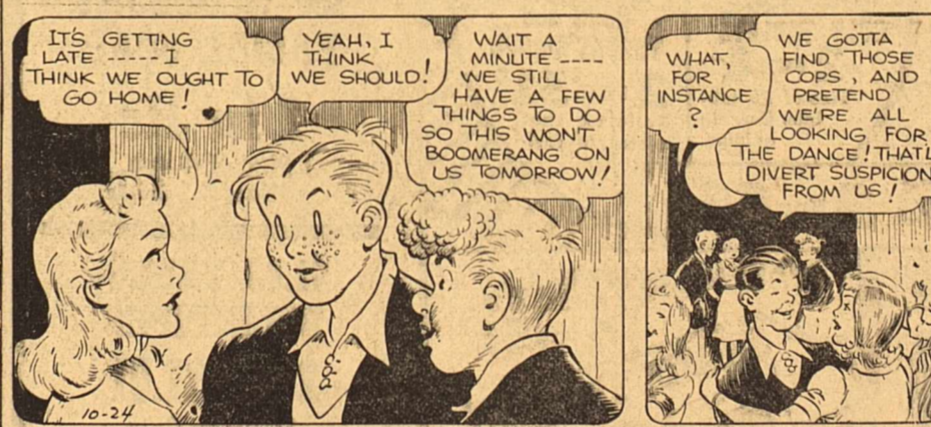
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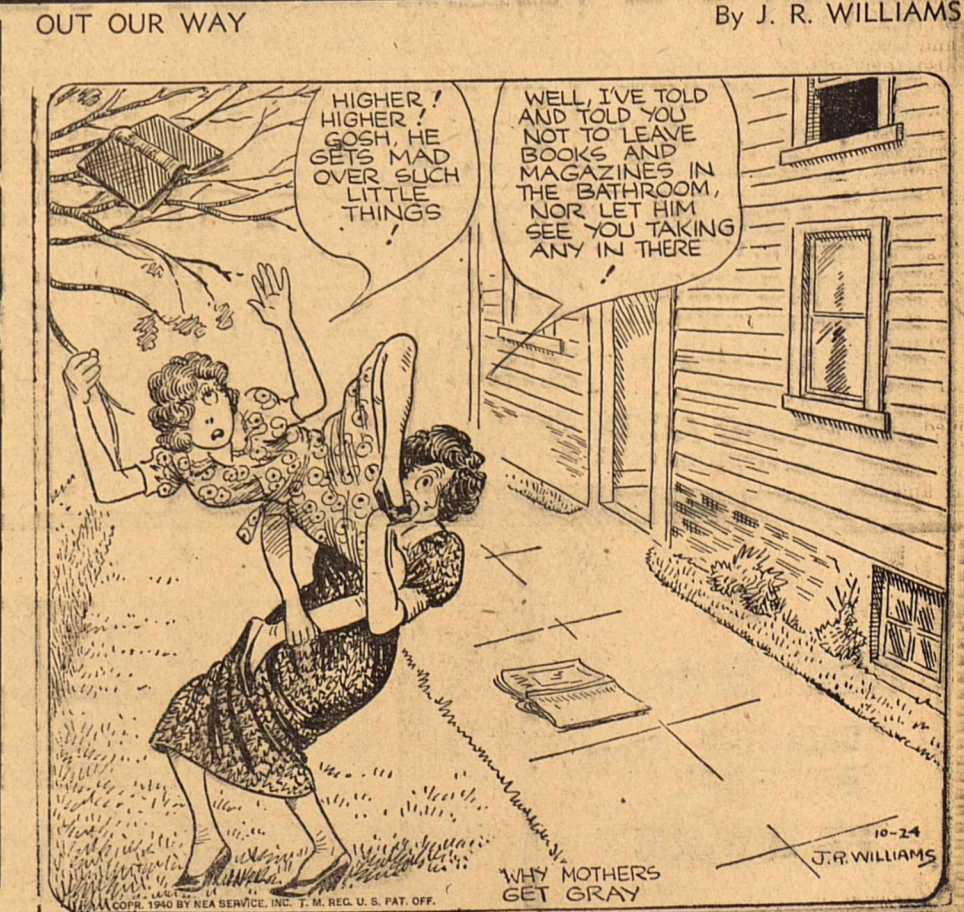
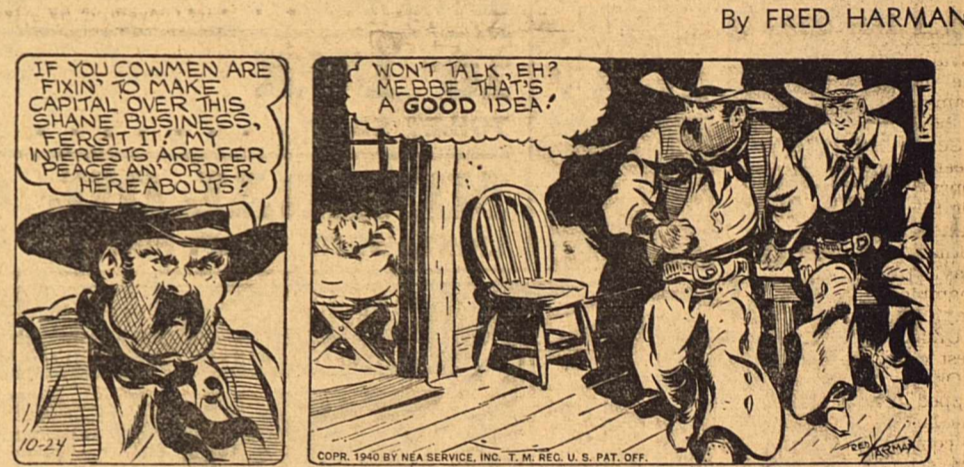
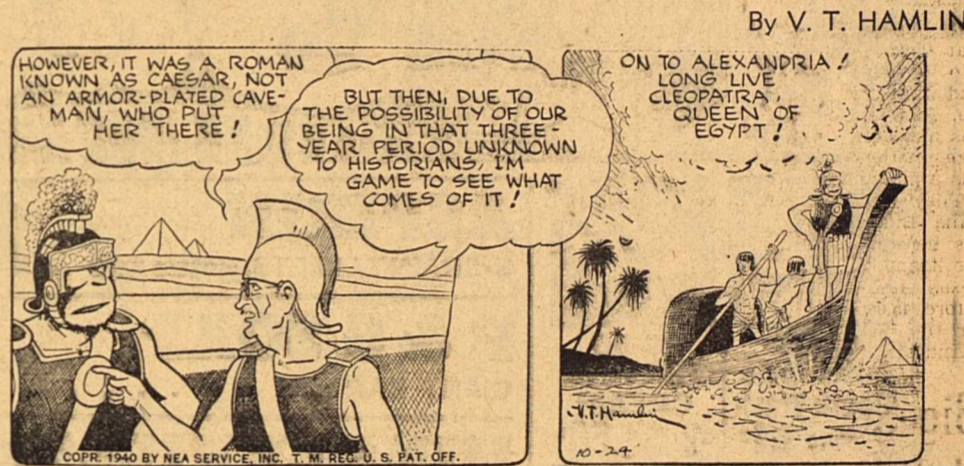
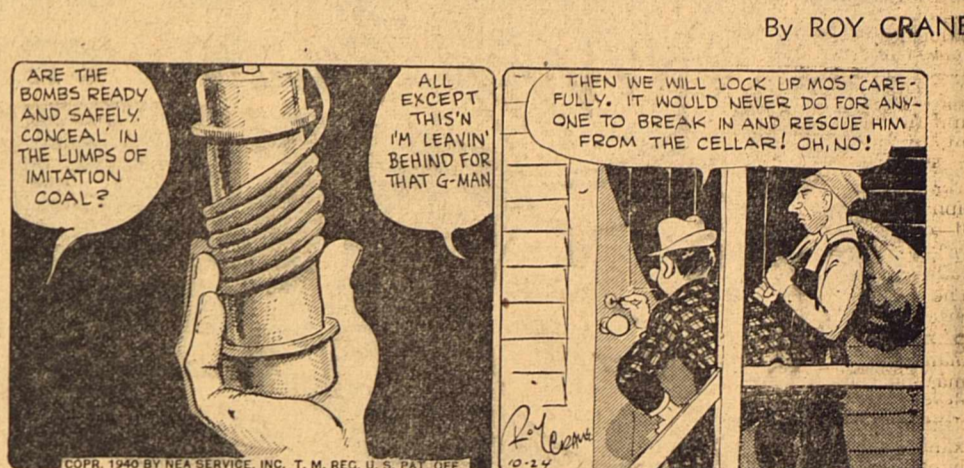
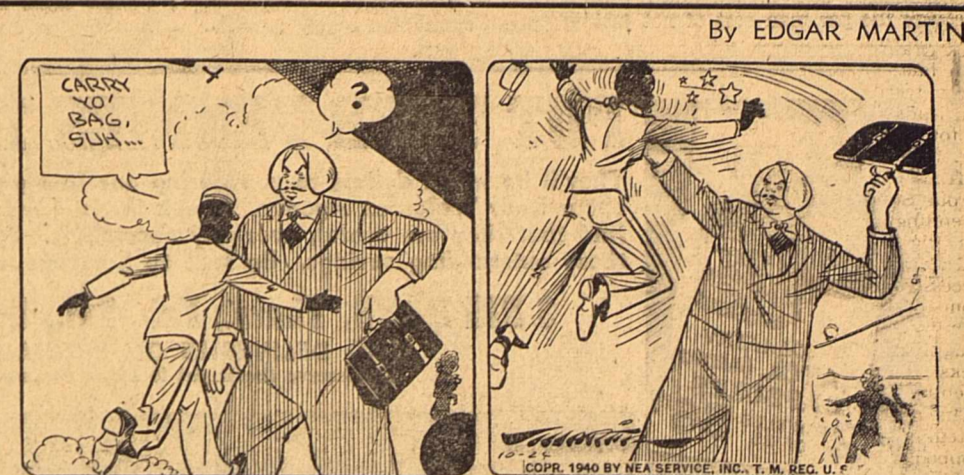
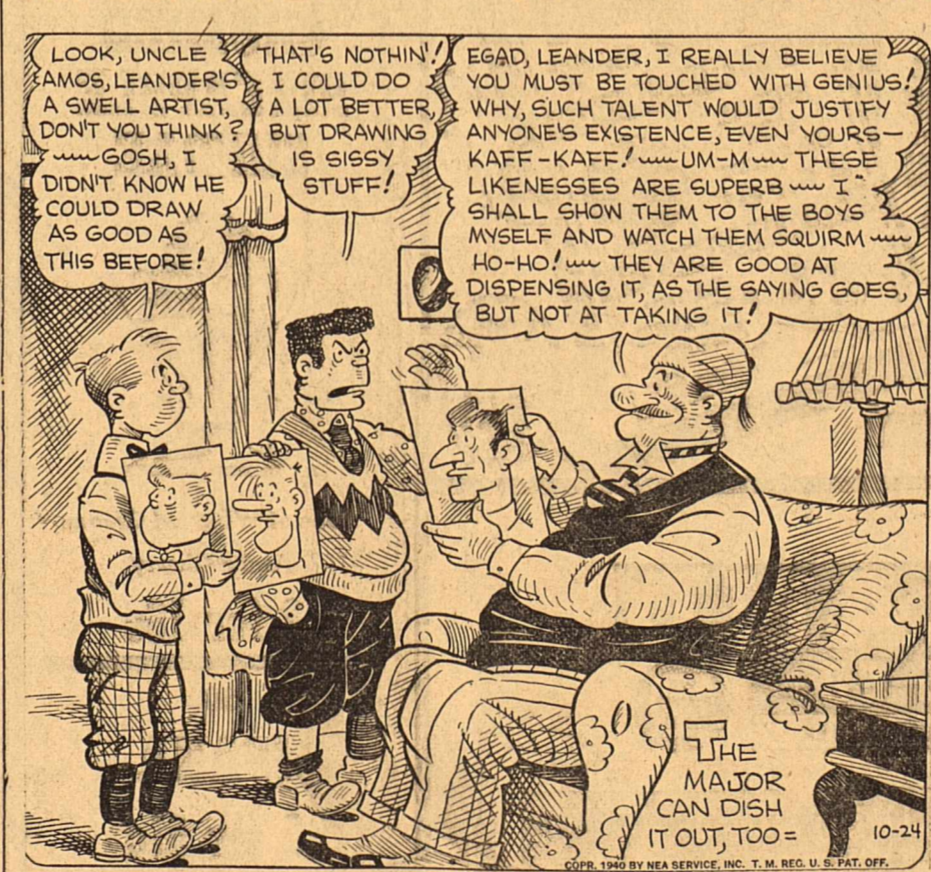
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War Department Estimates \$400 For Soldiers' Housing And Equipment, But Army Wants Men To Give Spirit

By W. B. Ragsdale

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP)—The War Department figures it will cost \$400 to house each one of its soldiers and provide the building and grounds needed to trim him and keep him happy. That is the figure to which the contention cost breaks down. It covers the per man cost of not just

barracks but of a station hospital, mess halls, recreation buildings and grounds, administration buildings, warehouses, laundries, refrigerating plants, roads, and, of course, grading a drill field. Doesn't Count Food It has nothing to do with food. William S. Knudson of the National Defense Commission sagely remark-

ed that men in the service eat about the same as they do at home except that if a man is in the army he drinks more coffee and if he is in the navy he eats more catsup. But in these days, army officers recognize that it takes more to build an army than just feeding men and teaching them how to march and handle a gun. Twenty odd years of working with men in the Citizen's Military Training Corps and the reserve officers training corps have given the army a fund of information it did not have in 1917. Wants Spirit And the War Department wants an army that not only knows how to handle arms but has the spirit to handle them well, a spirit that

flows from good health and the conviction that it has something worth fighting for. General George C. Marshall, the Chief of Staff, puts it this way: "The War Department undertakes full responsibility for the welfare of the army and it is absolutely essential that provision be made for it. "The whole matter of morale is an extensive one, with many ramifications seemingly far removed from simple, leasurable athletic diversions. Vassar College was incorporated under the name of Vassar Female College. In the United States alone, there are about 10,000,000 stamp collec-

Services Today For Odessa Man

ODESSA, Oct. 24 (Special)—Funeral services were held here today for "Uncle" Charlie Judkins, about 82, who succumbed Wednesday. Judkins was a pioneer resident of Ector County, having lived here since 1906. Formerly a printer, Judkins spent most of his later life on a ranch he owned in the county. For the past 20 years he had been chairman of the Ector County Democratic committee.



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Regular luncheon of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce will be held tomorrow noon at the Crawford hotel. Details of the "Get Out The Vote" campaign being sponsored by the club will be outlined. Attorney Frank Stubbeman will explain the charter change election scheduled November 5.

MEANEST THIEF

CHICAGO, Oct. 24 (AP)—Add nominees for meanest thief: A bronze plaque presented to gold star mothers and bearing the names of soldiers who fell in the World War was stolen from a monument on the city's southside.

Mary Anderson Winner Of Contest In Stanton

STANTON, Oct. 24 (Sp)—Seven-year-old Mary Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Anderson, was the winner in the amateur hour sponsored by the Stanton senior 4-H Club girls in the high school auditorium Tuesday night. The winner sang three solos to win in a field of about 30 contestants who presented readings, songs, and piano numbers.

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a friend of ours told us that the only objection he had to his new house was that the rooms were too small. "Why, they are not large enough for the dog to wag his tail sideways—he has to wag it up and down," said he. We don't claim to be critics on architecture, but we do "know our onions" on used cars.

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1938 Dodge Coupe, down payment	\$135
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1936 Chevrolet Coupe, down payment	\$80
1940 Chevrolet T. Sedan, down payment	\$225
1936 Chevrolet T. Sedan, down payment	\$100
1935 Chevrolet 4-Dr. Std. Sedan, down payment	\$75
1938 Ford 2-Dr. Sedan, down payment	\$135
1937 Ford 4-Dr. Sedan, down payment	\$125
1938 Chevrolet DeLuxe Coupe, down payment	\$135
1936 Buick 66-S Coupe, down payment	\$115
1937 Chevrolet 1/2 Ton Pick-up, down payment	\$75
1937 Chevrolet DeLuxe Coupe, down payment	\$125
1936 Dodge 4-Dr. Sedan, down payment	\$100
1936 Ford Coupe, down payment	\$75
1937 Chevrolet DeLuxe Coupe, Pick-up, down payment	\$125
1937 Ford Coupe, down payment	\$100
1937 Ford 4-Dr. Sedan, down payment	\$125
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