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WEATHER
WEST TEXAS: Considerable cloudiness tonight and Tuesday, except occasional rains in southwest portion. Little change in temperature.

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Mussolini Shouts Italy Won't Relent

U. S. Spending For Defense Will Reach Stride Soon

Lewis Steps Out As CIO Leader

Asks For Unity In Tearful Plea Before Conclave

Throng Gives Official Thunderous Applause; Prexy Asks Confidence

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Nov. 18 (AP).—Taking up the gavel for the last time as CIO president, John L. Lewis, with tears in his eyes, told CIO's convention delegates today that he was stepping down as their leader, and urged them to unite their ranks and support whom-ever they name as his successor.

To hushed throng which a few minutes earlier had given him a thunderous ovation, Lewis said: "I won't be with you long, I have done my work, and in a few days I'll be out of this office."

It was his keynote speech, serious and emotional in tempo and carrying in it an urgent plea to the CIO to remain united or it would "not long endure."

Lewis' term as president expires at the close of the convention. It is expected that Philip Murray will be named as his successor. In giving notice that he was about to get out of the CIO leadership, Lewis fulfilled the promise he made to retire if President Roosevelt was re-elected for a third term.

Lewis called on CIO unions for unity among themselves and confidence in their leadership.

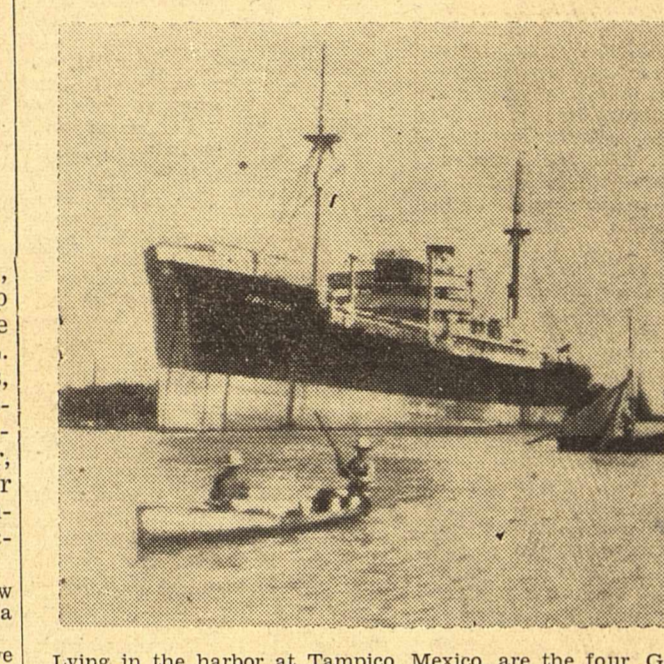
On the labor front, he said, CIO had demonstrated its strength and piled up a record of accomplishments.

"It can go forward," he said, "but if you consume your time in criticism and vituperation, you won't have an organization long."

Next confidence.

The big, broad-shouldered Lewis who has declared he will retire as CIO president, told the delegates that CIO leaders needed the strength of a confident following.

Trouble Overtakes German Ships In Mystery Dash Into Gulf



Lying in the harbor at Tampico, Mexico, are the four German freighters whose mysterious dash into the Gulf of Mexico ended in apparent disaster and failure. Left to right, the Phrygia, reported afire; the Orinoco, which limped back with engine trouble, and the Rhein and Idarwald which also turned back.

Fuehrer Crosses Post-War Bridge Before Coming To It; Will Build 300,000 Homes After Peace Signed

BERLIN, Nov. 18 (AP).—In a decree made public today, Adolf Hitler made known a gigantic Nazi home-building program for the post-war years.

The preamble to the decree, signed by the German Fuehrer, reads: "The successful outcome of this war will present a task to the German Reich which can be fulfilled only by an increase in the population. It is necessary that holes which are made by the war in the body of the nation be closed by an increase in the birth rate."

The building of new German homes is a pre-condition for healthy families with many children.

The Fuehrer will appoint a commissioner who will begin immediately to make plans for the erection of 300,000 homes in the first post-war year, the preamble said.

The homes must be built so that the social group for which they are intended will be able to pay rent or more payments on them without straining themselves financially, the decree said, adding that 80 per cent of the houses built must have a large liveable kitchen, three sleeping rooms, a showerbath and balcony.

Editors Note: The United States has underway a building program which will virtually double the size of its navy, the first line of defense. The Reporter-Telegram, through the Associated Press Special News Service, presents a series of six daily stories describing the principal elements that go into the making of a naval fighting machine, the duties performed by each, and telling what the expansion means in terms of ships, bases, men, weapons, armor, planes and strategy.

San Angelo Enters Bid For Air Route During CAB Hearing

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP).—Representatives of San Angelo made a strong bid at a Civil Aeronautics board hearing today for establishment of air service to that West Texas city.

Mayor W. A. Halamek said during consideration of applications of four air lines for authority to establish new routes in the southwest that inadequacy of present communication facilities at San Angelo made air service an urgent necessity.

Business Men Anxious. Robert G. Carr, San Angelo oil man, described the great petroleum reserves in the Permian Basin, and added that men in his business would welcome regular air passenger service out of San Angelo.

Other applications being considered were from Braniff Airways, Inc., proposing to fly from Denver to Laredo, Texas; Continental Airlines, Inc., proposing to fly from Pueblo, Colo., to Amarillo, and from Hobbs, N. M., to Austin, Texas; and Essair Inc., proposing to fly from Houston to Garden City, Kas.

WILSON TO MANAGE CHICAGO CUB TEAM
CHICAGO, Nov. 18 (AP).—Jimmy Wilson, 40-year-old hero of the 1940 world series, returned to the major league managerial ranks today when he agreed to a two-year contract to pilot the Chicago Cubs.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

- Jies Agents Make Raids.** CHICAGO, Nov. 18 (AP).—Chairman Dies announced that agents of his congressional committee on un-American activities were making raids today in various parts of the country to seize documents of "Italian and German organizations."
- British Bomber Crashes.** BELGRADE, Yugoslavia, Nov. 18 (AP).—A big bomber which drew the fire of Yugoslav anti-aircraft guns crashed near Danilovgrad, in southern Yugoslavia early today and half burned documents found in the pockets of one of its crew of four indicated that the plane was British. All the crew were killed.
- Green Urges Labor To Unite.** NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18 (AP).—President William Green of the American Federation of Labor, addressing the 60th annual convention here today, urged that the AFL and CIO, split for five years, iron out their differences around the conference table and re-unite.
- Court Refuses Decision On Oil.** WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP).—The Supreme Court refused today to reconsider a decision announced June 3 which sustained an order of the Texas Railroad Commission, as applied to the Rowan and Nichols Oil Company, limiting total production in the East Texas oil field to 552,000 barrels daily and prorating the production.

Country Expend Much Less Than British Nation

Six Major Powers Pay Fifty Billions While Nazis Publish Nothing

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP).—A survey of the billions being poured out by the world's great powers for military implements indicated today that the United States has barely started making down payments on its modern mechanized fighting machine.

The best available statistics, by no means complete, place the minimum current arms expenditure of the six major nations at close to \$50,000,000,000 annually. The outlays of numerous smaller countries would send the total higher. No one has yet begun to estimate the monetary value of the lost lives, destroyed wealth and devastated areas in those nations bearing the brunt of war.

Embattled Britain, for example, has recently increased her total spending to a rate of nearly \$20,000,000,000 annually, or about as much as all of the United Kingdom's 47,000,000 people earned in a pre-war year.

Next year the story will be different. By then Uncle Sam will be shelling out more and more of the \$17,000,000,000 which Congress approved for national defense at its present session—and of additional billions expected to be voted after January 1.

Government authorities say that Germany has published no budgets for the last four years.

Reports received by officials here this picture of the arms budgets of major powers, together with available estimates of national income—which are very rough and often not closely comparable—to provide a yardstick for measuring the effort involved:

United States—For the year ending next June 30, total budget \$32,000,000,000, armament budget \$5,000,000,000. Estimated national income, \$74,000,000,000.

Russia—Armament budget for '40, \$2,850,000,000, on the basis of what officials say is the actual purchasing power of the Ruble. Using the same basis, the national income is placed at \$7,000,000,000, according to the official Soviet estimate.

Japan—Armament budget for current fiscal year, \$1,572,776,000. Estimated national income, \$5,967,000,000.

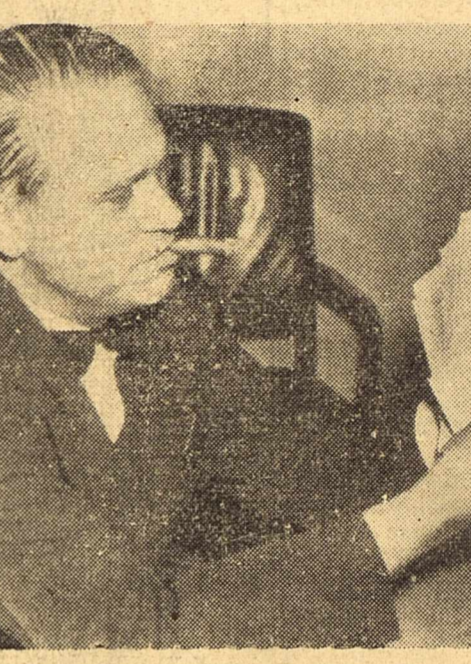
Italy—Armament budget for present fiscal year, about \$2,000,000,000. Government statement on national income, \$5,750,000,000.

Canada—Armament budget for current year about \$810,000,000. Estimated national income about \$4,000,000,000.

Germany—About a year before the war, German writers estimated informally that the government took 50 per cent of the national income for armament and other purposes. In the year before the war the German income was estimated at 75,000,000,000 marks (nominally \$30,000,000,000).

United Kingdom—Total budget for current year announced at \$13,888,000,000 last July, but present spending rate near \$20,000,000,000.

Dies Returns To Capital



Brandishing this handful of "evidence," Chairman Martin Dies of the House "un-American activity" committee returned to Washington after a two-month hunt for "fifth columnists" and charged that Germany, Italy, Japan and Russia are "working closely" to prevent U. S. defense and aid to Great Britain. Dies is holding part of a printed "white book" which he said contained "irrefutable evidence connecting consular representatives of the German government with fifth column activities."

Federal Bureau Of Mines Estimates Texas Crude Demand To Be Smaller, Operators At Commission's Meeting

AUSTIN, Nov. 18 (AP).—The Federal Bureau of Mines today estimated market demand for Texas crude in December would be 1,277,000 barrels daily, 14,000 barrels less than in November.

The estimate was announced as the state Railroad Commission began a hearing, attended by many oil operators, on which a new proration order for Texas, supplanting one effective the last 90 days, will be based.

Commission engineers had reported current production 18,631 barrels below the November demand estimate of 1,291,000 barrels daily.

The existing proration order expires November 30.

John Taylor, chief supervisor of production for the commission, announced an increase of 55,421 barrels daily in nominations for December, compared with last September.

Italians Prepare To Resist Greeks On Albania Front

Hitler To Meet With Count Ciano, Suner; New Plans Expected

By The Associated Press.

Premier Mussolini swore today that "whatever happens, I will never turn back" in the Greek campaign; and even as he spoke, his Fascist invasion army was reported falling back to a new defense line 25 miles inside the Albanian frontier.

After three weeks of warfare, it appeared, the Italians are now preparing to resist a Greek counter-invasion.

Dispatches from Athens said that Mussolini's legions were retreating from the key city of Koritza, 10 miles inside Albania, and that a motorized column of 130 Italian tanks was cut off on a mountain road.

A Reuters (British news agency) dispatch from Djevdjeleja, near the Greek-Yugoslav frontier, later said 600 Italian troops and 130 tanks crossed the border from Greece and surrendered to Yugoslav authorities last night.

At Gates of Koritza. Greek troops had reached the gates of Koritza, it was said, with the Italians fighting a desperate rear-guard action to cover the withdrawal from the fortified city—which was to have been used as a springboard for a drive to the port of Salonika, in eastern Greece.

Other Greek troops reported successes all along the 100-mile front and declared that nearly all the fighting now was on Albanian soil.

Premier Mussolini's statement that he would "never turn back" was coupled with an assertion that the European war now could be concluded only "with the destruction of the modern Carthage—England."

(See NAVY, page 8) (See OIL NEWS, page 8)

THANKSGIVING DAY

Specials for Tues. & Wed., Nov. 19-20

Make this Thanksgiving dinner the best you've ever had. Treat your family and guests to a tableful of delicious, tempting food sensations from our holiday-laden shelves and counters that bring you the finest foods at the very lowest prices. Turkeys, rich, good and luscious; vegetables for garnishing; canned goods for wonderful holiday dishes—and desserts to top off a heavenly Thanksgiving.



BAKED HEN and Dressing with Giblet Gravy---Each 69c

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| OYSTERS Extra Standard Baltimore—Pint 27c | Nice and Lean PORK CHOPS Pound 23c |
| Fresh PORK HAMS Half or whole Pound 18c | Armour's Star SLICED BACON Pound 25c |
| Sugar Cured SLICED BACON Pound 19c | Swift's Brookfield PATTIES Pound 21c |
| Two-Year-Old Red Rind Wisconsin Cheese Pound 35c | |
| Kraft Longhorn Cheese Lb. 20c | |
| Philadelphia CREAM CHEESE 2 pkgs. 15c | |

We Have Plenty of EXTRA CHOICE HENS

Be sure to see our turkeys before you buy. Remember, our poultry is dressed fresh daily.

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| BUTTER Banner or Dairyland Pound 34c | Pure Cane SUGAR In Cloth Bag 10 Pounds 49c |
| New Crop Shelled PECANS Pound 43c | Any Flavor JELLO Package 5c |
| No. 2 Del Monte PEAS Early Garden—2 for 35c | Small Size Can V-8 COCKTAIL 3 for 21c |
| No. 2 1/2 Del Monte PEACHES Sliced or halves 2 for 35c | 8-oz. Pkg. WILD RICE For that duck dinner 38c |
| No. 2 Can Empson PUMPKIN 2 for 19c | Large Box RITZ 23c |
| 16-oz. Can Monarch Cranberry Sauce 2 for 25c | Large Size Heinz CATSUP 2 for 35c |
| Large Size V-8 COCKTAIL 2 for 23c | 1-lb. Box Chocolate Covered CHERRIES 19c |
| Large Size Softasilk CAKE FLOUR With Candle Lamp 29c | |
| No. 2 Can Del Monte PINEAPPLE Sliced or crushed—2 for 35c | |
| 46-oz. Can Libby's PINEAPPLE JUICE 27c | |
| Large Size OXYDOL 21c | |
| All 5c Bars CANDY in Grocery Department 3 for 10c | |

Fruits and Vegetables

138 Size Delicious **APPLES** Dozen **29c**

Tasty Winesap **APPLES** Dozen **10c**

Plump—Firm Bright Red **Cranberries** Lb. **21c**

White or Yellow **ONIONS** 2 Pounds **9c**

Idaho Russet **POTATOES** 10 lbs. Mesh Bag **29c**

200 Size Juicy Texas **ORANGES** Dozen **25c**

Fresh and Tender **GREEN BEANS** 2 Lbs. **17c**

Fresh **COCOANUTS** Each **10c**

Red Empress **GRAPES** 2 pounds **15c**

Large Size Bleached and Washed **CELERY** 2 for **23c**

Bright and Red **NEW POTATOES** 2 lbs. **11c**

Pumpkin Ideal for Thanksgiving Pies Lb. **4c**

LARGE FIRM **LETTUCE** 2 HEADS **11c**

Fancy **STUFFED DATES** lb. **35c**

SPRY 3-lb. Pail **48c**

FOR ALL FRYING CAKES PASTRY BISCUITS PIES

3/4-lb. Cello Bag **COCONUT** **15c**

1-lb. Bag **MARSHMALLOWS** 2 for **25c**

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Someone will win a beautiful sleeping-walking doll. Ask us.

Quart . . . **26c** Pint . . . **17c**

Admiration **COFFEE** 1-lb. **25c**

PET MILK 3 large or 6 small **21c**

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PIGGLY WIGGLY

We Have Plenty **ALMONDS, WALNUTS** and **PECANS** In the Shell

Society

Shop Seaman And Mrs. Seaman Honored At Open House

Shop E. Cecil Seaman of Amarillo and Mrs. Seaman were honored at an open house given by Mrs. John P. Butler, 1603 Broadway, Sunday afternoon from 2 to 4 o'clock.

Two Are Honored At 42 Party On Saturday Evening

Jointly celebrating the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. John W. Rhoden Jr. and Jesse Lee Barber, Mrs. Jesse Lee Barber and Mrs. Ernest Nance were cohostesses for a progressive 42 party at the Barber home, 108 E. Ohio, Saturday evening.

Melba Schlosser Leads Program For Presbyterian Group

Christian worship in "Other Days," a study based on the World Christian Conference held at Amsterdam in 1939, was the subject of the program led by Melba Schlosser at the meeting of the Kingdom Highway group of young people at the Presbyterian Church Sunday evening.

Grease-Trap Is Convenience For Homekeeper

A grease-trap located next to the house just below the kitchen sink was of particular interest to the group of home demonstration club women and 4-H club girls and their visitors on their recent achievement tour visit to the home of Mrs. Cecil Carpenter of the Valley View Home Demonstration Club, according to Miss Alpha Lynn county home demonstration agent.

Romi Class Has Two Visitors At Sunday Session

Discussing "Jesus' Concern for the Sick and Health," Mrs. Ha Bacon taught the lesson at the meeting of the Romi Class at Hotel Scharner, Sunday morning.

Intermediates Hear Story Of The Jews

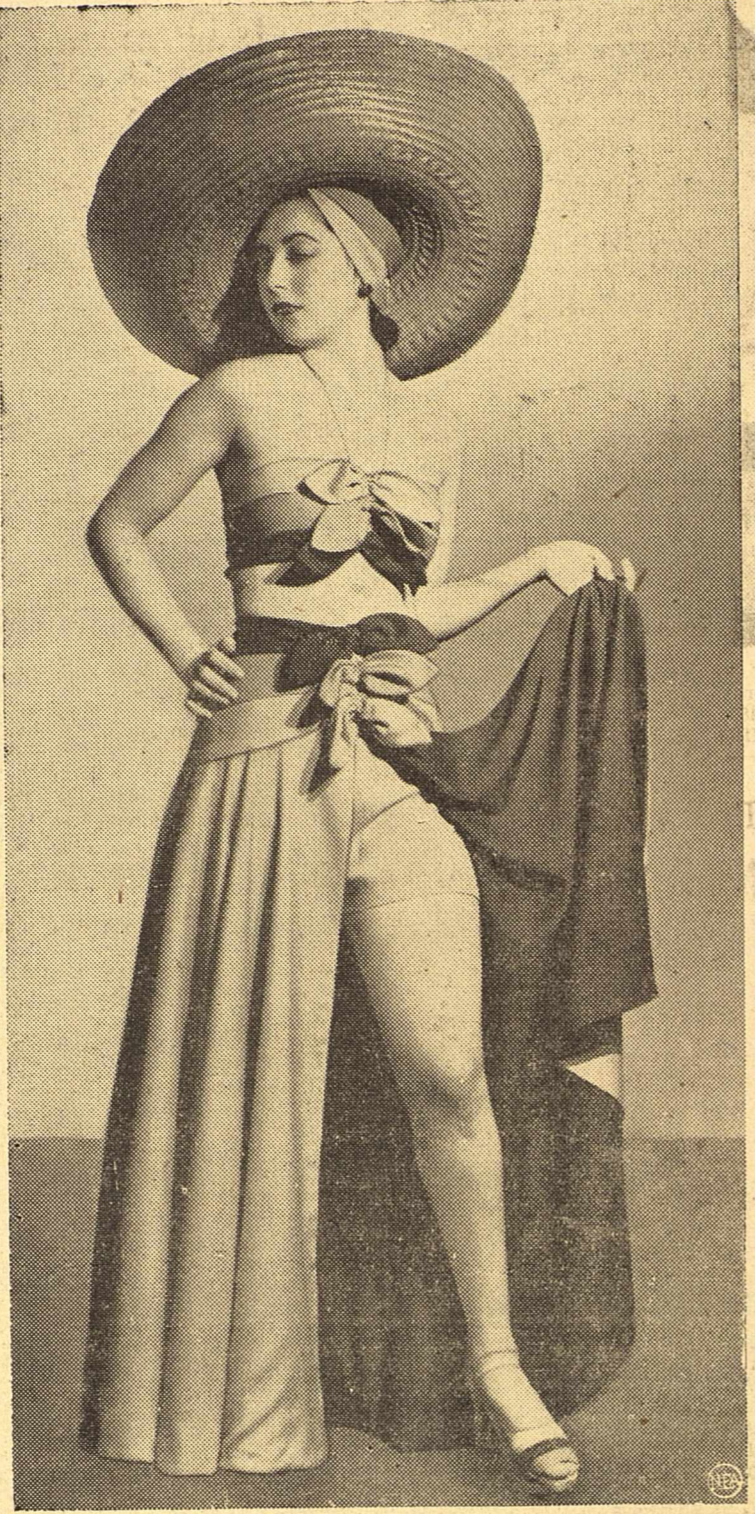
The story of the Jews was told at the meeting of the Methodist Intermediate League Sunday evening at the old annex of the Baptist Church.

FEMININE FANCIES

Curious how certain dishes are associated in our minds with certain holidays. Why should turkey be dedicated more to Thanksgiving and Christmas than to other days between? Why should apples and doughnuts and popcorn balls be just other ways of spelling Halloween? Why should St. Patrick Day connote Irish potatoes in some form or other?

Resort Clothes Go South of the Border

BRILLIANT COLORS AND FABRICS OF MEXICO INSPIRE STYLES



By NEA Service. Brilliant colors, unusual fabrics and native costumes of Mexico furnished the inspiration for some of the most attractive southern resort clothes in the current collections.

Herbe Wood, the two Mexican outfits shown here were headlined. At right is a smart beach ensemble in warm, vivid sunny hues.

Coming Events

TUESDAY
Bridgette Club will meet with Mrs. Lamar Lunt, 1107 W. Indiana, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock for a dessert-bridge.

WEDNESDAY
Miriam Club will meet with Mrs. M. A. Floyd, 509 N. Colorado, Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock.
Junior Woman's Wednesday Club will meet with Mrs. W. M. Holmes, 411 North D, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Unique Program Presented By Loyal Workers

The "fruit basket program" for the Loyal Workers BTU was opened by Jimmie Van Arsdale at 6:15 o'clock Sunday evening at the Baptist Church plant.

Red Cross Sewing And Knitting Group To Meet Tomorrow

Some materials and yarns for Red Cross sewing and knitting have been received and a called meeting of sewers and knitters will be held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Haley, 423 W. Wall, tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock.

Friendship BTU

Haskell Wadkins was in charge of the program on "Loyalty to Christ and His Church" at the meeting of the Friendship BTU in the Baptist educational building, Sunday evening.

Female Pain

Women who suffer painful, irregular periods with nervous, moody spells due to functional cause should find Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound simply marvelous to relieve such distress.

BROADCASTING COMPANY MOVES FOR SOLIDARITY

NEW YORK, Nov. 18 (AP)—A new move to promote Western hemisphere solidarity will be started January 1 when the National Broadcasting Co. makes available to 20 Latin American nations many of its short-wave programs.

War Department Spends Largest In California

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP)—The war department reported today in an official compilation that since July 1 the army has spent more for war materials in California than in any other state.

PEACE RUMORS IN AIR

HONGKONG, Nov. 18 (AP)—Reports credited to Tokyo sources that Japan is seeking to open direct peace negotiations with Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek were current here today.

Children's SNIFFLER

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Quickly Checks
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Odessa Group Visits Endeavor, Church Services

About 19 Odessa Christian young people and their sponsors, Mr. and Mrs. Simpson, were guests at the meeting of the Senior Endeavor at the First Christian Church, Sunday evening.

THE CURTAIN CALL

News of the Civic Theatre
The Women From "The Women"
Let Us Present
Olive (Mrs. Douglas) Wolsey as Nancy, another of the Park Avenue-ites admitted to the bridge table of Mrs. Stephen Haines and a client of Michael's exclusive beauty salon.

Americans To Feast In Plenty Thursday; War Nations Hungry

By Franklin Mullin
CHICAGO, Nov. 18 (AP)—That homely Thanksgiving ritual, the feast, will be solemnized this year amid national peace and plenty.

CAUGHT COLD? VICKS VAPORUB

Get direct relief from throat, chest, back with clinic-tested VICKS VAPORUB

PICTURE FRAMING PHOTOGRAPHS UNUSUAL GIFTS

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Phone 90
Midland Steam Laundry

We Cater to Bridge Luncheons Banquets Special Parties
Our Beautiful BLUE ROOM Is at Your Disposal
Our experience in handling events of this nature together with our superior accommodations assure you of a successful party.
Scharbauer Coffee Shop
George Phillips and Carl Covington

SAVE ON THIS OUTSTANDING SPECIAL
\$1.25 CREOMULSION 89c
JEWELRY Is the Lasting Gift Buy Now for Christmas Giving
USE OUR CREDIT PLAN
PALACE DRUGS
108 SOUTH MAIN

IN HOLLYWOOD.
Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Brown of Midland were among guests at the Hollywood-Roosevelt Hotel in Hollywood, Calif., the latter part of last week.

Far East Commander

Swiss Sources Report Squeeze-Play On Sea

BERN, Switzerland, Nov. 18 (AP)—Diplomatic quarters reported that Axis chiefs in Berchtesgaden, Germany, were expected to put the final military and diplomatic touches on plans for a gigantic squeeze play on the Mediterranean through Gibraltar and Greece.

These sources said they believed the plans called for an assault through Spain on the British fortress which guards the western entrance to the Mediterranean and for a German drive through Bulgaria to outflank and crush the Greeks.

People break and lose so many milk bottles that British milk dealers need 65,000,000 new ones to replace their losses each year.

War Department Plans State Defense Units

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 18 (AP)—The War Department now is making plans for state civil-defense units whose main job in a national emergency would be to watch over vital industrial and transportation facilities, an official said today.

Robert P. Patterson, assistant secretary of war, outlined these plans in a speech prepared for delivery to commanders and adjutants of the American Legion's 58 departments beginning their three-day annual meeting at national headquarters of the World War veterans' organization here.

He said the department was drawing up regulations for organization of "state guards" similar to the "home guards" which in the World War reached a total strength of 79,000 in 27 states.

Commander Of Legion Urges U. S. Preparation

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 18 (AP)—Milo J. Warner, national commander of the American Legion, said today the American people "must be prepared to do our fighting outside the United States—not for the salvation of any other country—but for America."

He made this statement in an address prepared for delivery at a luncheon for him and legion department officers here.

He said this country should "give all practicable aid to Great Britain and to those aligned with her in her fight," adding that "this does not mean that we send troops to Europe."

FAITH IN LABOR PEACE

NEW YORK, Nov. 18 (AP)—Nathan Straus, administrator of the U. S. Housing Authority, said today as he left by plane for New Orleans to address the AFL convention that eventual peace between the AFL and the CIO "is bound to come, not tomorrow but before long."

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BRITISH QUARTERS DENY STATEMENT ON BASES

LONDON, Nov. 18 (AP)—Premier Mussolini's assertion that Greece offered Britain the use of her air and naval bases as long ago as last May was denied in official British quarters.

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SCHOOL PLANNED FOR FILM COLONY EMPLOYEES

HOLLYWOOD, Nov. 18 (AP)—Persons employed in the film industry soon may be able to go to school to learn how to make better movies.

The board of governors of the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences has approved a plan for a series of special vocational courses open only to film workers.

The board includes—James Stewart, Edward Arnold, Gene Lockhart, Walter Wagner, Darryl Zanuck and Frank Capra.

British Fliers Strike At Rich Ruhr Industries

LONDON, Nov. 18 (AP)—Germany's war-vital industries in the rich Ruhr valley were reported attacked heavily today by the Royal Air Force in a quick follow-up week-end blows at Axis ports from Hamburg, Germany, to Mogadiscio, Somaliland.

Other planes bombed the industrial targets in the Ruhr, it said, rail and river communications in the western part of the Reich, the naval base at Lorient, in Nazi-occupied Brittany, and airdromes in occupied territory.

Air Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, named commander-in-chief of British military and air forces in the Far East.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

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By Wm. E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

I had a very interesting visitor in New York not long ago, J. Patrick Dunne of Miami, Fla. Pat was in a hunting accident as a young fellow and lost his eyesight, but undaunted, he determined not to be shut out of the sighted world. He learned to play bridge with brailled cards and has played in many tournaments of the American Contract Bridge League.

While he was in New York, he participated in the Cavendish Club duplicate with Waldemar von Zedwitz, perhaps the world's greatest card analyst, as his partner. The Cavendish Club duplicate, in which many experts participate, is certainly one of the toughest games in the country.

Dunne held the East cards in the hand shown today. He won the opening lead with the ace of spades.

Pat counted that dealer could win probably four diamond tricks, one or two spades, and at least four clubs. Continuation of the spades looked useless. The only chance appeared to be that West held a club stopper.

So Pat shifted to the nine of hearts. North won with the jack, took the club finesse and West was in with the king, returning a heart. Thus the contract went down to defeat.

KRLH PROGRAMS

- TODAY
6:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
6:15—Here's How, MBS
6:30—Sports Spotlights, TSN
6:45—News, TSN
7:00—Bill Murphy's orch., TSN
7:15—Hymns at Twilight, TSN
7:30—To be announced
7:45—The Song Spinners, MBS
8:00—Songs of Billy Davis, TSN
8:15—Geneva Daviest, soprano, TSN
8:30—G. Underwood's orch., TSN
8:45—All Star Quartet, TSN
9:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
9:15—Low Diamond & News, MBS
9:30—The Lone Ranger, MBS
10:00—News, TSN
10:15—The Den Orch., TSN
10:30—"La Traviata," MBS

- TOMORROW
6:45—Morning Tunes
7:00—Bing Crosby Sings
7:15—Morning Tunes
7:30—News, TSN
7:45—Desert Drifters, TSN
8:00—News, TSN
8:05—Piano Moods, TSN
8:15—Rhythm Wranglers, TSN
8:30—Keep Fit to Music, MBS
8:45—Crystal Spring Ramblers, TSN
9:00—Organ Melodies, TSN
9:15—Morning Melodies, TSN
9:30—Backstage Wife, TSN
9:45—Easy Aces, TSN
10:00—Neighbors, TSN
10:15—Our Gal Sunday, TSN
10:30—Songs of Carol Leighton, TSN
10:45—Sweetest Song ever sung, TSN
11:00—News, TSN
11:05—Conservation of vision, KBST
11:12—The Staffords
11:30—Eleven Thirty, Inc., TSN
11:45—Man on the Street
12:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
12:15—Singin' Sam
12:30—Pinky Tomlin's orch.
1:00—Cedric Foster, MBS
1:15—Johnny Duffy, MBS
1:20—Afternoon Concerts
1:45—Ted Fio Rino's orch., TSN
2:00—Palmer House orch., MBS
2:15—Len Salvo, organist, MBS
2:30—George Duff's orch., MBS
3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
3:15—Sidewalk Cafe, MBS
3:30—Radio Gossip Club, MBS
3:45—The Johnson Family, MBS
4:00—Charlie Agnew's orch., TSN
4:15—Crime & Death, TSN
4:30—U. S. Government Reports, TSN
4:45—E. Fitzpatrick's orch.
5:00—AP News Bulletin, MBS
5:05—Paul Pendarvis' orch., MBS
5:30—Sunset Reveries, TSN
5:45—American Family Robinson

Funny Business



"Come on, gang, it's a personal letter!"

Side Glances

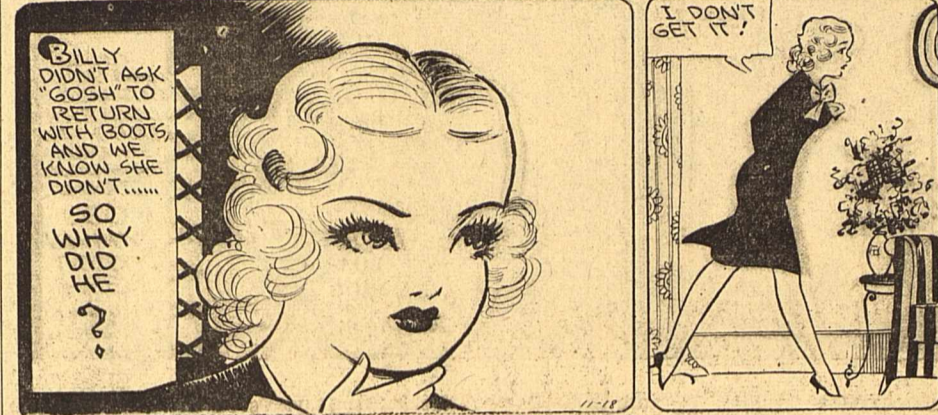


"You try and convince your son you're not a wealthy man—I can't!"

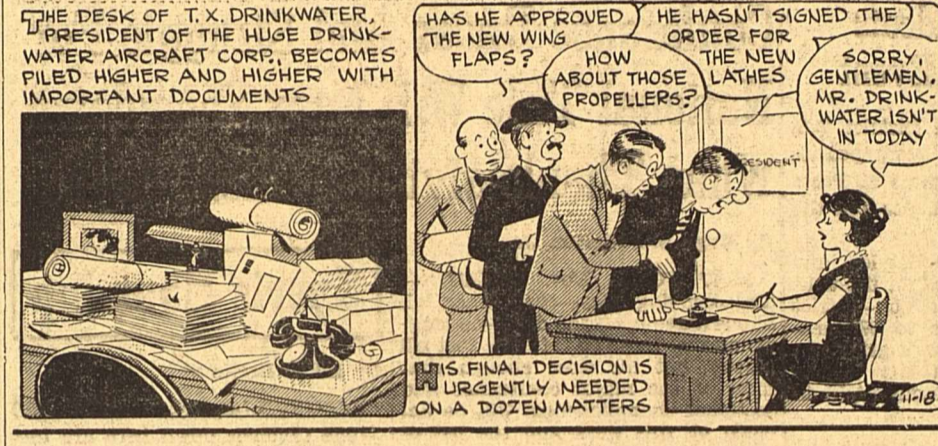
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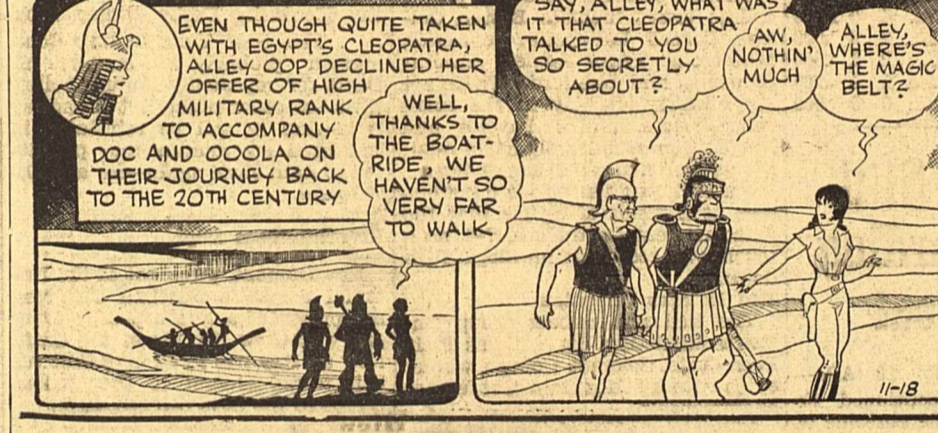
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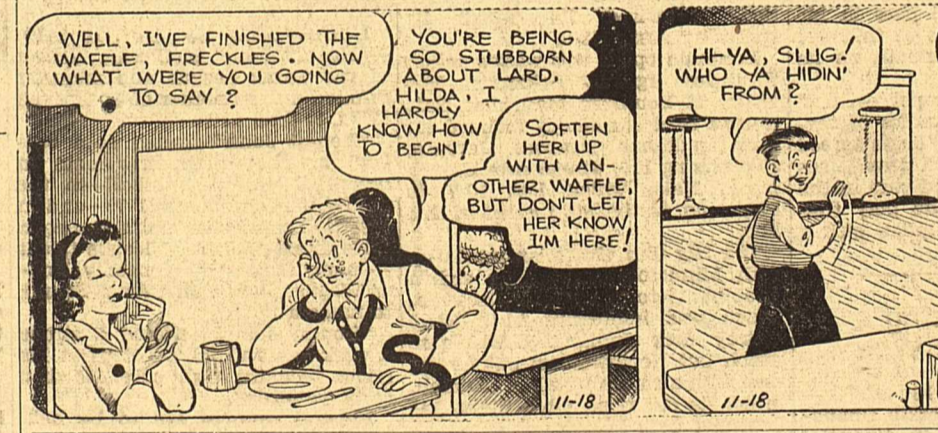
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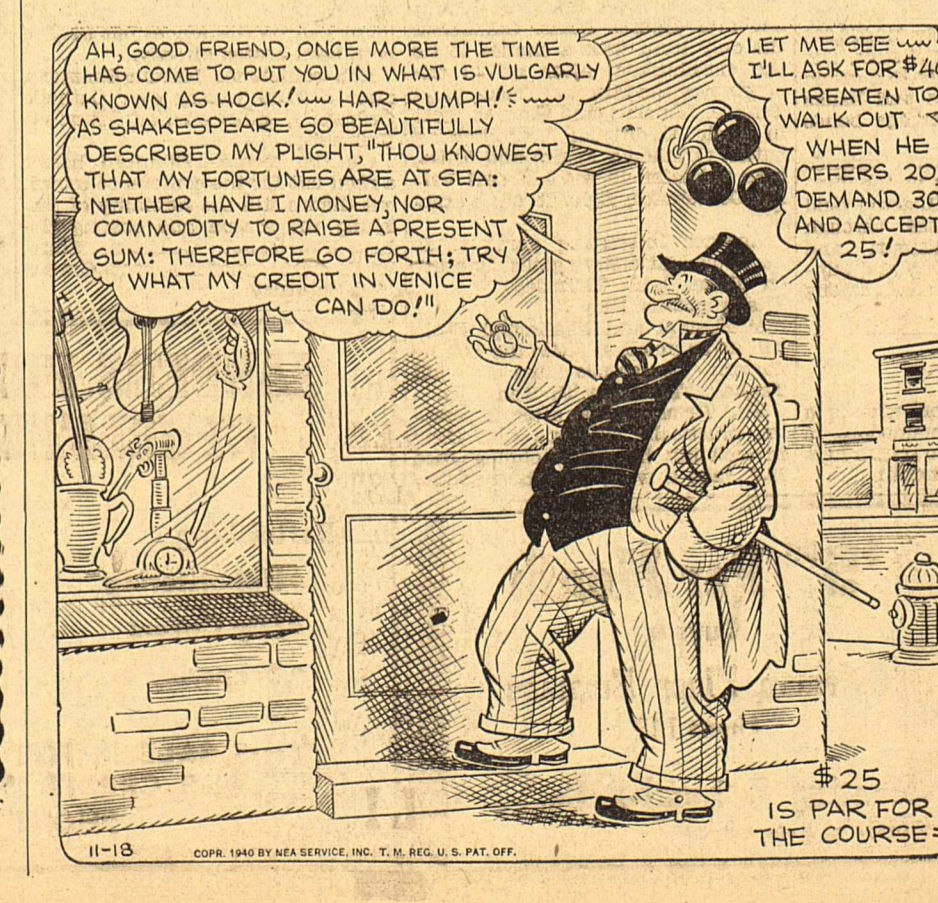
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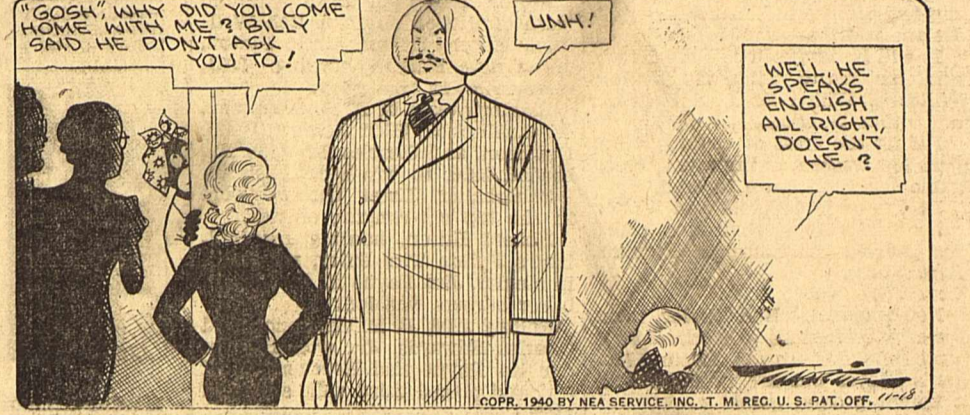
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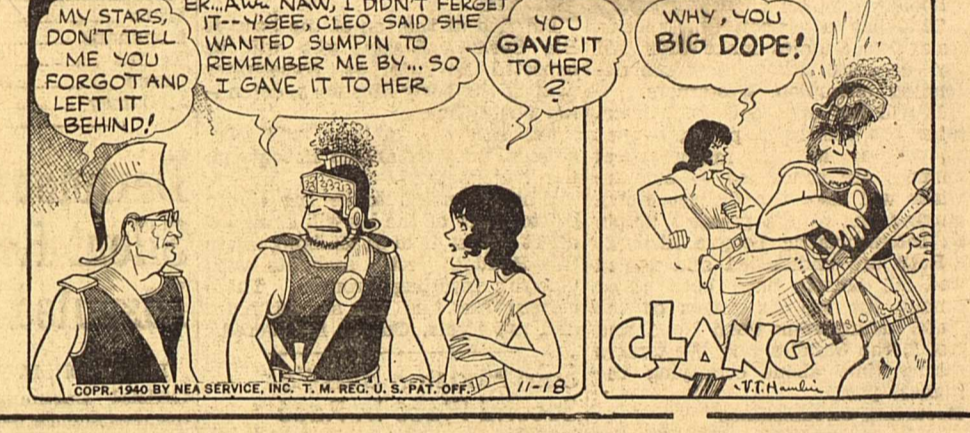
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Nation Musters In First Groups

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP)—Led by New England, home of the "minute men" in a by-gone defense era, the nation began mustering into service today the first conscription contingent of 9,700.

Actual induction of trainees for a year's training also started at Chicago and on the Pacific Coast, but difference in time zones gave New England the chance to start earliest.

As the first young men were getting ready to start toward camp, war department spokesmen disclosed that instead of the original estimate of 30,000, only 19,700 trainees would be put into uniform by Dec. 1.

The reduction, officials explained, was due chiefly to the large number of recruits signing up recently for three-year "hitchies" in the regular army.

Only three army corps areas figured in the start of inductions today.

Midland Legionnaires At District Meeting

Midland legionnaires, W. B. Preston, post commander, J. H. Friberg, and James H. Goodman, service officer, returned yesterday from a 16th District meeting of the American Legion in Odessa Saturday and Sunday.

Goodman, chairman of the resolution's committee, said today the committee issued these resolutions:

"Resolve to have each post create a committee to convey public sentiment to legislators, state and national, of matters concerning national defense; that teachers guilty of un-American activities be discharged and laws to that effect be made; that our National Congress remain in session."

Adopt Resolutions
Resolutions that the district back the dies committee in strengthening alien and sedition laws and that national defense not be retarded were passed.

McCamey is the site of a district meeting next spring.

The group also resolved that better facilities be extended veterans of this section in hospitalization.

West Texas and New Mexico cities were represented at the two-day parley.

Volunteers To Leave For Service Tuesday

Volunteers who will fill Midland County's quota in the first call for selective service will entrain for El Paso and Fort Bliss tomorrow night after they have been honor guests at a program in the district court room.

A sendoff is planned at the railroad station for the volunteers, William Pratt, Jr., Phillip Maurice King, Odell Carr, and Peeler Lawson. Bands are expected to play.

The young men will carry with them to a year's military training letters of appreciation from city and county citizens. The letters will be presented at the program.

Program At 5 p.m.
With the volunteers, legionnaires, selective service officials, parents and families of the four, will attend the program at 5 p.m.

The American Legion, post is sponsoring the program at a request of the local draft board.

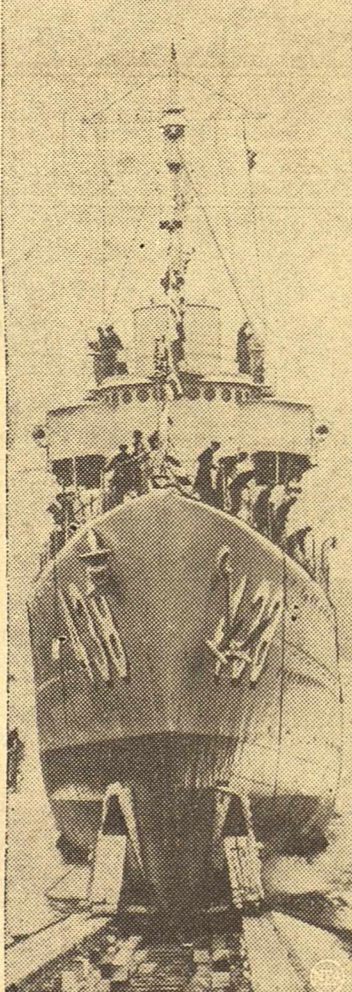
Induction center for this area is Fort Bliss. The volunteers report there Wednesday morning.

Innocence Their Armor



Armored by a childish innocence which can't realize the horrors that threaten them, these little English children escape the shock of aerial bombardment which shatters adult nerves. When Nazi raiders bombed their orphanage, there were no casualties, but buildings were wrecked. In the striking photo above, the children unconcernedly play at their table next morning, while, in background, officials inspect the damage.

Secrecy Guarded This Launching



The cheering crowds that usually attend a warship launching were absent, and details of the ship's performance kept secret when, as pictured above, the U. S. destroyer Ludlow slid down the ways at Bath, Me., recently. Few spectators beside the sponsor's party were permitted close to the ship.

First Italian Captured in Britain



Ironically, the war ended on Armistice Day for the Italian flyer, center, pictured arriving at a London railroad station. Among first of Duce's airmen captured in England, he was taken when the R. A. F. made its first bag of Italian planes, smashing a formation of their World War Allies that raided a convoy in the Thames Estuary.

The American elk is really a deer, and is the largest of the deer family. Its scientific name is wapiti. Nearly 250,000 people are employed in movie theaters in the United States.

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Navy ...

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them combined.

Nazi Subs Superior

Only in the submarine class will Germany have a superiority. Germany has gone in strongly for that type of craft.

Great Britain and the United States put their faith in the snub-nosed, plodding battleships with great hitting power, in aircraft carriers with their nests of horns, in slim, fast cruisers with both speed and hitting power.

Naval experts say the chief value of the submarine for the United States would be local defense, to delay or throw caution into enemy enterprises, or to raid enemy shipping.

But the submarine has sharp limitations. It is slow, can live but a short time under water and is vulnerable both above and below the surface.

The United States has 103 submarines now, is building 82 more. Germany has 120 and is building 180 more.

U. S. Has Battleships

Where the submarine is probably the most vulnerable ship in the fleet and works on its outer fringes, the battleship is sturdy, well padded against blows and is the very heart of the fleet.

They take from 49 to 52 months to build and cost, fully equipped but with empty fuel tanks and no groceries for the men, from \$95,000,000 to \$93,000,000—each. They have a displacement of from 35,000 to 45,000 tons, are from 550 to 750 feet long and have a beam width of about 100 feet.

The navy has fifteen of these, the youngest 16 years old and the oldest 27. Seventeen new battleships are in the making.

Next on its own list of ships, the navy puts aircraft carriers, huge combination hangars, repair shops and floating landing fields. They have to cling close to the fleet since they carry little armor and might fall prey to either bomb, gunfire or torpedo.

The cruiser ranks next to the battleship as a fighter. The United States has 37, about equally divided between the heavy and light class. Britain has 37 and is building 23; Japan 44 and 6. The United States is building 48.

In the destroyer class, the United States has 155 and is building 170; Britain 172 and 18; Japan 135 and 11; Italy 120 and 12; Germany 47 and an undisclosed number building.

(Tomorrow: New naval planes send throb of activity through outlying bases.)

LUBBOCK VISITOR

Carl Young visited in Lubbock over the week-end.

SCOUT SESSION TONIGHT

Midland Boy Scouts and leaders will meet tonight at the scout hall to register for 1941, and plan a new troop in the city, leaders said.

WEEKEND AT LAMESA

Miss Irene Wright and Miss Louise Winner spent the week-end in Lamesa.

Congratulations to:

Mr. and Mrs. Alvon E. Patterson on the birth of a son in Ryan's Hospital Sunday. He weighed 6 pounds 5 1/2 ounces and has been named Gary Don.



Mr. and Mrs. R. W. McQuatters on the birth of a daughter in Ryan's Hospital Saturday. The baby has been named Teresa Naomi. She weighed 9 pounds 13 ounces.

"Free Speech" Clause Cited By High Court

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP)—The supreme court refused today to pass on the government's contention that right of free speech "does not comprehend the right to engage in unfair labor practices."

The tribunal declined to review a labor board order holding that the Elkland Leather Company, Inc., of Elkland, Pa., had committed an unfair labor practice by giving its employees, along with their pay checks, a written statement announcing an open-shop policy. Refusal to review left the order in effect.

COURT REFUSES TO ENJOIN PICKETING LABOR GROUP

WASHINGTON, Nov. 18 (AP)—The supreme court refused today to enjoin an American Federation of Labor affiliate from picketing Chicago, Ill., stores selling milk produced in another state.

REPRESENTS TECH CLUB

Fred Stout represented the Midland County Tech club at homecoming activities of Texas Tech in Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

TO ODESSA

Miss Ernestine Bryan made a week-end visit to Odessa.

UNDERGO SURGERY

Mrs. Ann Brinson underwent major surgery in Ryan's Hospital this morning. R. F. Madera underwent surgery in the same hospital Sunday.

ATTEND HOMECOMING

Misses Donna Downey and Gramma Saye attended the TOU homecoming celebration in Fort Worth over the week-end. Miss Saye is an ex-student.

VISITS AT SEMINOLE

Miss Alma Heard spent the week-end in Seminole.

OIL MAN'S FATHER DIES

MADISONVILLE, Nov. 18 (AP)—W. L. Parten, 83, father of J. R. Parten, Houston oil man and University of Texas regent, died at his home here today. He was a pioneer business man. Funeral services will be held here tomorrow.

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'Bama Bombshell

A Yankee from Titusville, Pa., Mary Sara Phillips exhorts sons and daughters of Dixie as fireball cheerleader for Alabama.

Oil News ...
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ing ahead at 2,000 feet in line. Davis & White No. 1-A Ed Fromme, indicating opening of a deep pay one-half mile east of the Shearer pool of Peecos, pumped 50 barrels of oil in four hours and pumped off. It was allowed to stand for ten hours following which it pumped five barrels and pumped off again. Operators have pulled rods and tubing and are preparing to deepen in search of additional pay. The well missed the pay in the regular Shearer zone at around 1,400 feet and picked up showing in a new horizon from 1,865-75 feet, present total depth.

Cedar Lake Area.
Phillips Petroleum Company No. 2 M Bar, in extreme Southern Andrews County, is drilling below 3,320 feet in anhydrite.

Farther northeast, Phillips No. 1 University-Andrews completed installation of new motor and is drilling ahead past 2,495 feet in salt and shells.

At Cedar Lake in Northeastern Gaines County Stanolind Oil & Gas Company No. 1 G. T. Hall is drilling with cable tools at 4,749 feet, carrying 400 feet of oil in the hole. Offsetting it to the north, the firm's No. 1-B Riley flowed 47 barrels of oil in one hour, died, and is shut in to pressure-up.

Constipated?
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Another Letter
To Santa Claus
Dear Santa Claus:
I want you to bring me a detective telephone, and a pair of leather chaps. I also want a pencil box, and bathrobe and slippers, and a leather whip.
Your friend,
Paul Dale Smith

NEBRASKA CONSIDERED FOR SUGAR BOWL TILT
NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 18 (AP)—A. N. Goldberg, president of the New Orleans Mid-Winter Sports Association, said today Nebraska was "among teams being considered" in connection with a possible Sugar Bowl invitation. He made his statement at a luncheon of the "Monday Quarterbacks' Club" when questioned about Nebraska's status. He requested that no further queries about specific teams be asked.

ABILENE IS CHOSEN SITE FOR METHODIST MEET
PAMPA, Nov. 18 (AP)—Abilene was selected today as the meeting place of the North West Texas Methodist Conference in 1941. Midland made an unsuccessful bid for the 1941 meeting also. Appointments will be read tomorrow.

IS ADMITTED
Miss Stella Maye Lanham was admitted to Ryan's Hospital this morning for surgery.

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TODAY—TUESDAY

CLAUDETTE Colbert
RAY Milland
in *Arise MY LOVE*

Plus—NEWS
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