

Claim Three Breaks In Red Line

British Declare Attacks Surpass Raids On Britain

RAF Continues Raids As Authorities Claim 216 Planes Shot Down

LONDON (AP)—The British air offensive against Germany has reached a point in tonnage of bombs dropped surpassing the heaviest German attacks upon England...

Two British fighters and one bomber were missing from day raids, but six German fighters were declared to have been shot down.

Maritime Commission Takes Over More Ships

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Maritime Commission took over 16 more idle Danish cargo ships Saturday and simultaneously disclosed that it will cost more than \$3,000,000 to repair sabotaged German and Italian vessels which the government proposes to confiscate under the 1917 espionage act.

Two-Car Collision Injures Two Persons

SAN ANGELO (Special)—Three persons received serious injuries in a two-car collision, eight miles north of here.

Papenfoth Now Is Lieutenant-Colonel

CAMP HULEN (Special)—Promotion of Major W. H. Papenfoth of the Coast Artillery (Anti-Aircraft) to lieutenant colonel was announced here Saturday.

Lamesa Woman Killed In Two-Car Accident

EL RENO, Okla. (AP)—One person was killed and five others injured, three critically, in a two-car automobile collision late Saturday 13 miles west of here on U. S. Highway 66.

Hitler Finds Napoleonic Push To Moscow Troublesome With Half Of Time Elapsed

By Kirke L. Simpson Hitler's gas-engine drive to cut in half Napoleon's 1812 horse-drawn blitzkrieg to Moscow obviously has not been hitting on all cylinders up to date.

Half of his reputed 45-day time schedule for reaching the Russian capital—a march that took Napoleon 90-odd days—has gone by. His fire-breathing tanks, ditch-leaping speed troop chariots, shrieking dive-bombers and terroristic war technique have not yet brought him half way to his goal.

Napoleon found getting to Moscow relatively easy. It was getting away again that wrecked his army. The Nazi "little corporal" of 1941 must still somewhere in central-eastern Poland.

The 13 weeks it took Napoleon to arrive at Moscow proved to be his undoing. Like Hitler he set out in June. A Russian winter, and an exceptionally bad one at that, caught him in a carefully set Russian trap.

Impossible distances separated his ragged and hungry veterans from supply bases to the westward. Around them lay a snow-mantled "scorched earth" Russia filled with phantom-like guerrillas harrying their flanks and outposts night and day.

Most of these French troops, as good fighting men as the world knows, died of hunger, cold or Russian attacks before they could get back to their bloody crossings of the Berezna River, 300 miles from Moscow, at which Hitler's legions are now pounding.

Ecuador Officials Accept Good Offices Of Tripartite Offer

QUITO, Ecuador (AP)—Ecuador Saturday night announced acceptance of a tripartite neutral offer of good offices in this country's boundary dispute with Peru, which recently led to sporadic border clashes.

The Ecuadorian foreign office communicated this government's decision to the envoys of the United States, Argentina and Brazil, which had offered July 9 to cooperate in an effort to reach a peaceful solution of the century-old controversy.

In Lima, an official spokesman said the impression prevailed in high official circles that Peru would accept the plan provided it is offered as good offices and not as mediation.

Judge Barron To Select Head For Civilian Defense

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel has requested County Judge E. H. Barron to direct activities of Midland County in the civilian defense program.

Three matters cited to Barron included: 1. Organization of machinery of participation in the nationwide movement to collect scrap aluminum for national defense purposes; 2. Organization of aircraft warning service for Texas; and 3. Mobilization of police resources for defense purposes.

Judge Barron said Saturday he would appoint a county director for the program. The judge will serve as ex-officio chairman. Commissioners may be asked to be a steering committee.

Cowboy Band To Appear Again At Midland's Rodeo

Midland Fair Inc., announced the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboy Band had been invited to play at the Seventh Annual Midland Rodeo, Aug. 30 and 31, and Sept. 1.

Johnny Jordan will announce the rodeo this year. He has worked outstanding shows in eastern cities and Texas.

The rodeo here will be enhanced with features and entertainment, J. Homer Epley, secretary of Midland Fair, Inc., said.

Names Citizens To FSA Groups

Notice of appointment of leading business men and farmers in Midland County to serve as committees of the Farm Security Administration in its program of assistance to low-income farm families were received by Hugh L. Huff, FSA rural rehabilitation supervisor.

News of the appointment, Huff said, came from R. B. Baxter, state rural rehabilitation director.

Committees on which citizens will serve are rural rehabilitation and farm debt adjustment.

Knox Denies U. S. In "Shooting" War



Secretary of Navy Knox (center) with Admiral Harold Stark (left), chief of navy operations, and Senator David Walsh chairman of Senate naval committee, just before Knox denied to the committee, newspaper charges that American vessels have sunk German submarines. (NEA Telephoto.)

Britons Cease Firing As Leaders Negotiate

CAIRO (AP)—British troops ceased firing in Syria Saturday and began to negotiate an armistice on British terms with the Vichy forces of High Commissioner General Henri Dentz.

Saturday night, between hushed battle-lines, the British-Free French and the Vichy military men were making satisfactory progress in their talks, a British middle-eastern communique said.

Shooting in the war which started June 8 ended at midnight, a middle-east communique announced, "after General Dentz agreed to negotiate on our own terms for suspension of hostilities."

Each time they were forced to retreat with great losses," the Russian captain reported. "The Germans cannot stand our bayonet charges. When we came to hand-to-hand fighting and showered them with hand grenades, the Fascists fled in panic, abandoning arms and ammunition."

Failure To Re-Enact Costs County \$8400

Failure of the Texas Legislature to re-enact the appropriation phase of the Texas road bond assumption law will cost Midland County \$8,400.

The county had a 1940 assessed valuation of \$7,078,780.

Tax rate increases were viewed as certain in many counties unless a special legislative session is called to provide for division of gasoline tax revenue after Aug. 31, expiration date of the present law.

Train Derailment Hurts 17 Persons

LUDOWICI, Ga. (AP)—Seventeen passengers of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad's crack streamlined "Champion," were injured Saturday night when two engines and eight cars of the train were derailed after striking a cow.

Germany Says Spearheads Penetrate Stalin Fortifications But Russians Assert No Change Is Made On Fronts

Reich Declares 125-Mile Advance Made Toward Moscow, Drive Continues To Leningrad, And German And Rumanian Force Winning In Ukraine

By The Associated Press Germany declared Saturday night that Adolf Hitler's legions had broken the Stalin Line "at all decisive points" but Soviet Russia maintained that stubborn fighting had produced no important change on the 2,000-mile front.

Nazi troops have thrust a spearhead more than 125 miles east of Minsk in the drive toward Moscow through the center of the front, the German high command asserted, and "signs of a break-up and dissolution are appearing among numerous enemy units."

Vitebsk, on the Dvina River 300 miles west of Moscow, was taken Friday, the high command said, Germans are advancing toward Leningrad east of Lake Peipus, on the Russian-Estonian frontier, and Nazi legions are "standing close before Kiev," the Ukraine capital.

A markedly different picture was painted in a midnight communique from the Soviet information bureau of Moscow.

It declared stubborn fighting took place Saturday in the Pskov, Vitebsk and Novograd Volynski sectors, but that these engagements produced "no important changes in the front."

The German high command's statement were issued in a special communique shortly before midnight, almost at the same time the Moscow war report was made.

In the Ukrainian operations, the German high command said "German and Rumanian armies moving out of M'davia have thrown the enemy back to and over the Dnestr (river) on a broad front."

The break-through east of Minsk was accomplished, it said, by overcoming "the strong fortified zone of the Dnepr" River north of the Pinsk marshes, evidently a major target ever since the German forces moved east into the buffer territory of Poland and the Sovietized Baltic states three weeks ago.

"Our air force, by destroying the enemy railway net, already has taken away from the enemy further possibility of a counter operation on a large scale," the high command said. "Supply bases necessary for continuing operations of our panzer armies already have been advanced close to the former Stalin line."

Germany used DNE, the official news agency which does not pretend to speak with finality of the high command, to announce that an assault on the Stalin line in its "wet zone" was opened by combat teams and was stepped up Saturday by reinforcements of shock troops.

The phrase "wet zone" was the closest DNE came to identifying the point of the attack and this seemed to place it either on the Dnepr River, somewhere south of Ostrov, an anchor of the line where it leaves the river to run cross-country northward without any immediate water protection, or farther north in the lake country along the border of the Baltic states.

Terry Wildcat In Spotlight As Salt Section Shortens

By Frank Gardner Oil Editor.

A wildcat in Eastern Terry County, Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation and Ossage Drilling Company, Inc. No. 4-B, Frances, Brownfield, Christmann, attracted interest Saturday as it showed marked thinning of the salt section and encountered air and gas kick in the Yates horizon.

With elevation of 3,247 feet it topped Yates frosted quartz grains at 3,968 feet, according to some geologists, making the interval between the anhydrite and Yates only 750 feet. Gas and air were found at 3,115 feet. At last reports the test was drilling ahead below 3,370 feet in anhydrite and red rock.

It is located 660 feet out of the southwest corner of section 49, block T, D. & W. survey, three and one-half miles southeast of Brownfield.

In the Wascon, field of Southern Yoakum County, Denver Producing & Refining Company No. 16-A Whittenburg made 1,600.80 barrels of 34-gravity oil daily following acid treatment with 10,000 gallons in pay lime from 4,830 to 5,174 feet, the total depth. Gas-oil ratio was 905-1.

The Texas Company No. 17 Bob Slaughter block, in the Slaughter field of southwestern Hockley County, flowed at the rate of 1,418.64 barrels per day on potential gauge at 5,000 feet. It was acidized with 6,000 gallons in pay topped at 4,970 feet. Oil is 31.7-gravity and gas-oil ratio 822-1.

North Goldsmith Producer. J. C. Hunter and H. L. Graham, both of Abilene, No. 1 R. B. (Bum) Cowden of Midland, in the North Goldsmith pool of Northwestern Ector County, flowed 71.93 barrels of 37-gravity oil, plus 2.7 per cent water, on 24-hour potential gauge at 4,472 feet. Gas-oil ratio was 2,333-1. The well topped pay at 4,237 feet and was acidized with 3,000 gallons.

Texaco and Seaboard No. 1-C Midland Farms Company, Southeastern Andrews, Tomboy wildcat 18 miles northwest of Midland, is drilling below 4,830 feet in it. It was tested at 4,820 feet, with no important results.

J. W. Murchison No. 1 M. B. Sawyer, deepening job in Southern Yoakum, was unchanged as it reached 6,395 feet in hard lime.

Stanolind Oil Company of Texas (See OIL NEWS, page 6)

Charges Blevins In Car-Truck Accident

ODESSA (Special)—J. H. Blevins, driver of a truck involved in a head-on collision in which two Humble Pipeline Company officials were seriously injured, was charged here with driving while intoxicated and his bond was set at \$1,000.

Conditions of E. T. Corbett, Midland, district foreman, and J. B. Harvey, Houston, head of the company's tank department, remained unchanged Saturday. Corbett suffered a broken hip, severe cuts and bruises, and Harvey, internal and head injuries.

Ickes Starts Gas Campaign

The office of the petroleum coordinator also announced during the appointment of a series of committees throughout the country to advise on coordination of the petroleum conservation program.

Members of the committee were nominated by the industry. The committee, four in each of the five districts which embrace the entire country, were named for the production, refining, transportation and marketing branches of the industry.

Officers Arrest 52 D. Of C. Motorists

WASHINGTON (AP)—Fifty-two District of Columbia motorists received Saturday a sample of what may be in store for automobile drivers throughout the East due to the shortage of gasoline in this area.

Their fuming exhausts indicated excessive use of the fuel. They were escorted to police headquarters, and there some of the drivers did a little personal fuming, while their cars were inspected.

A special testing device showed fifty of the automobiles were using excessive quantities of gasoline. "Red stickers" were issued against their operators and they were given ten days in which to make mechanical adjustments.

If the adjustment is not made in 10 days, the annual permit for operation of the car is suspended and the car barred from the road until it is fixed.

LATEST NEWS FLASHES

Reports Hungarians Break Russian Resistance NEW YORK (AP)—The Budapest radio Saturday night broadcast a Hungarian high command communique announcing that mechanized Hungarian forces have "broken the resistance of Soviet troops at all points" and that the Russians are fleeing.

War Department Breaks Record For June Expenditures WASHINGTON (AP)—Undersecretary Robert P. Patterson reported Saturday that the War Department broke all records for American military expenditures in June by obligating a total of \$4,986,300,310 of national defense funds.

Says FDR Would Flop On War Request WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) said Saturday that if President Roosevelt asked Congress for a declaration of war now "he would not get more than 10 or 15 votes in the Senate."

British Bombers Make Attack On Bremen LONDON, Sunday (AP)—British bombers were reported reliably Saturday to have bombed Bremen, German shipping and shipbuilding center, in raids Saturday night on Northwestern Germany.

Author And Financier Dies At Graham Home

GRAHAM (AP)—Malcolm K. Graham, 69, financier, philanthropist and author of several books on finance and economics, died at his home here Saturday. He returned by ambulance plane Monday from an operation at Rochester, Minn.

As an individual and through the Graham Foundation, he had given large sums to many institutions and projects. Among his books were "Gold," "Continuous Prosperity," and "The Synthetic Wealth of Nations."

Painter Falls From Roof And Breaks Leg

W. M. Parkis, Midland painter, received a broken leg when he fell from a house roof Saturday while at work.

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GOD HAS A JOB FOR EVERY MORTAL. HE IS SEEKING PEOPLE TO WORK FOR HIM. HE IS LOOKING FOR YOU RIGHT NOW: For the son of man came to seek and to save that which was lost.—Luke 19:10.

The Phony Choice

Many Americans, consciously or unconsciously, are letting their view of world events be swayed by a question:

"Well, which would you rather be under, after all, Communism or Fascism?" And then, after surveying this shuddery choice, they admit that the balance falls ever so tremulously toward one or the other, and orient all their thinking along such a line.

It is a phony question. The automatic answer, which should swell up into a crescendo so loud as to drown out the question itself, is "Neither!"

To put any such choice up to the American people, even to put it to ourselves in our secret hearts, is to get "off the beam" completely. Our whole effort is concentrated today on avoiding the necessity of making any such choice.

The American people who have been making for 20 years a convincing demonstration that they want no part of either totalitarian system. That one might in some hypothetical case be a millionth part preferable to the other simply has nothing to do with today's realities.

The Russian system has maintained, ever since the revolution, an international organization devoted to propagandizing and "boring from within" in the interest of supplanting all established governments with their system. There is no doubt of that, but despite favorable conditions, their progress in shaping America to their way is close to nil.

Though Fascism began 20 years ago as a counter-irritant to Communism, its German manifestation has only the minutest following in the United States, though its methods have been equally contemptible.

The horrors of a Fascist or a Communist Europe are now paraded before us. If Nazi Germany wins this war over a prostrate England, there can be no doubt that all Europe will be Fascist. But if Russia and Britain win together, though some of Europe might be engulfed by Russia in Communism, England and other centers of freedom would remain. How they might fare with a bigger and broader Communism on the continent one cannot know, but one can be pretty sure that they would have a chance to rebuild freedom, whereas a Nazi victory means an immediate and total blackout, with no chance for freedom at all.

The American people are not interested in choosing between Communism and Fascism, in splitting ideological hairs from twin dogs. The American people are interested in freedom, and in a free world in which peoples may develop such political and social institutions as seem to them good.

Buy Defense Bonds

Municipal Microphones

Five American cities have gone into the broadcast-business, four of them commercially.

That's the newest development to be recorded by the International City Managers' Association. Dallas, Jacksonville, Camden, and St. Petersburg not only operate full-time stations, but sell commercial time and make a profit on it. New York operates a station, but exclusively for its own purposes.

People have grown accustomed to municipalities operating radio stations for police work, and for purposes of administration and education in what the city is doing. But to find them entering commercial broadcasting introduces a new element in a field which, though young, is already complex.

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Black Beauty Vindicated

Probably none of them had read "Black Beauty." That's a story widely read during the horse-and-buggy era in which Anna Sewell taught kindness to animals, particularly horses. Motorists passing along the New Jersey road just outside New York have lived their lives, mostly, on rubber tires. But the same instincts that animated their fathers and grandfathers are still in them.

When passing motorists came on a horse, prostrate in the shafts of a buggy in the middle of the highway, and found that it had been mercilessly driven all day without food or water along the brutal concrete highway, they furiously punned the heartless drivers. Untrained hands fumbled at unaccustomed straps of the harness, lifted the exhausted mare to her shaking legs. State police had to rescue the drivers.

It's good to see that a generation or two of driving motor vehicles has not dulled men's minds completely to the sight of brute misery.

Buy Defense Bonds

Lots of photos taken at bathing beaches indicate snap judgment.

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Germans claim capture of 20 pillboxes of the Stalin Line. Russians say they'll get their medicine later on.

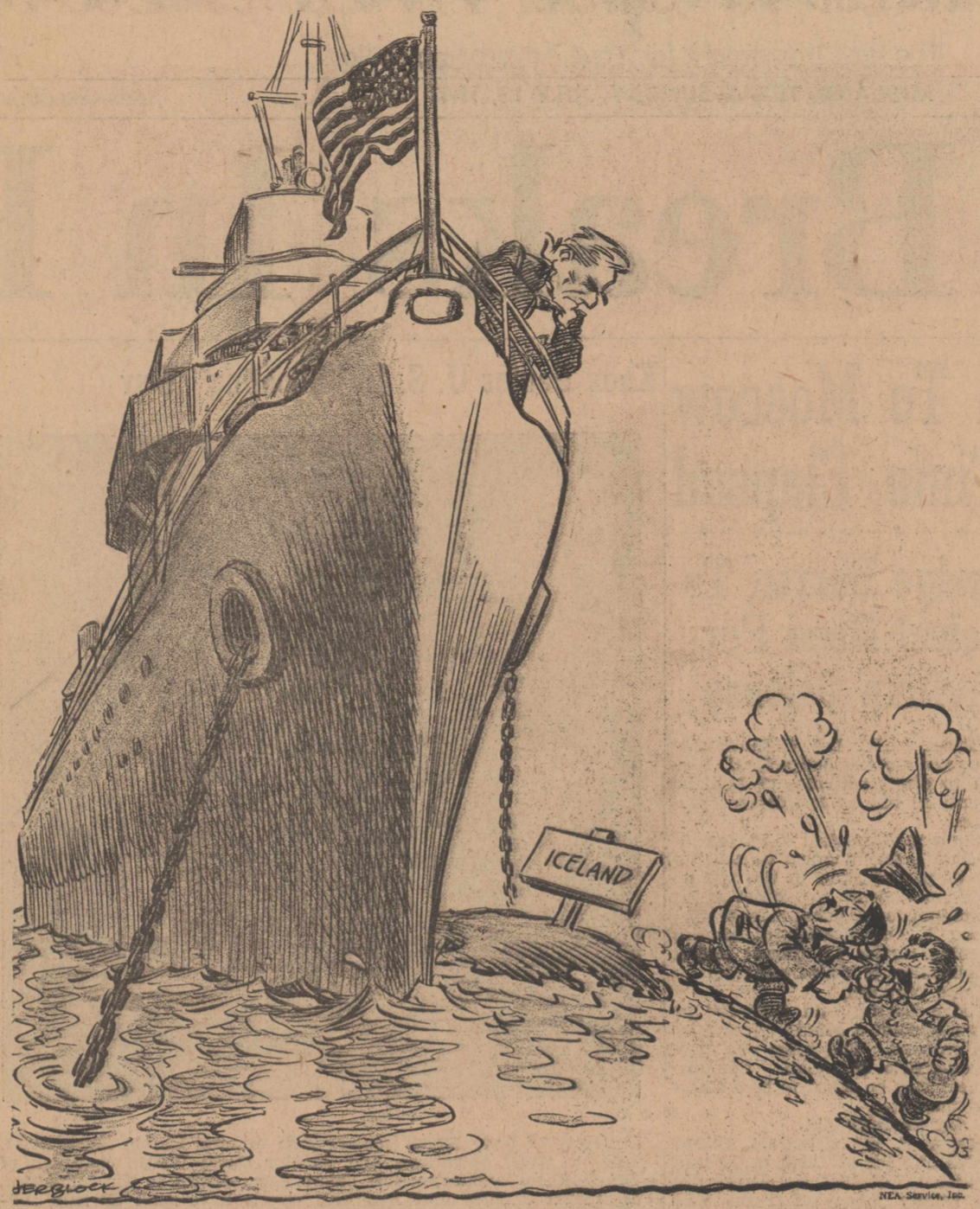
Buy Defense Bonds

It's a grand idea to be forging ahead—if you don't do it on checks.

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An assistant often turns out to be just another person for the boss to help.

Well?



WPA Goes Out Of Business In 500 Places Of Nation Strength Grows Among Senators For Overhauling War Department-Urged Legislation On Service Trainees

By Peter Edson
The Reporter-Telegram
Washington Correspondent.

WASHINGTON.—WPA will be folding up its portable telephone booths and going completely out of business in some 500 of the 3097 counties and independent municipalities of the United States and its territories, starting immediately.

Whether this marks the beginning of the end of the era of relief is a question, but it goes without saying that the exodus will be accompanied by loud wails from the vicinity of the 500 counties affected. There just isn't any alternative, however.

Congress has sliced WPA appropriations from the \$1350 million it enjoyed during the past months to a mere \$875 million for the next 12 months. That's a 35 per cent cut in money. It will be met by a 40 per cent cut in WPA rolls, reducing the number from an average of 1,704,000 for the past year to a neat 1,000,000 for the next.

There is always the possibility that if the shouting and the tumult beat too much of a Gene Krupa on the Washington eardrum that congressmen will weaken, along about frost time, and pass a miracle deficiency appropriation which will put the unemployed back on the public payroll. As of now, however, there is a sincere effort to get the WPA rolls down to a million men and women.

Sewers, Sidewalks Doomed.
In making reductions, preference will be given to defense projects. If, in any given county, there are projects to build an airport and a school, the chances are that the airport will be built and the school will wait. Non-military sewers, roads and sidewalks which are half-way done will be completed where possible, but don't be surprised if some of them are stopped right at the next corner and left for the communities to finish.

Effort will be made to cut out WPA projects in areas where employment is rising, due to the defense effort.

WASHINGTON (AP) — Suggestions developed in the Senate Saturday for drastic overhauling of war-department sponsored legislation to retain Selective Service trainees in the Army beyond one year and to lift the ban against sending them outside the Western Hemisphere.

Chairman Reynolds (D-NC) told reporters he would ask the Senate military affairs committee to start hearings on the measure next Wednesday.

Although he introduced the legislation at the war department's request, Reynolds made clear he did not favor it in its present form. "When I voted for the draft act," Reynolds declared, "I did so with

In Connecticut, for instance, unemployment has gone down 75 per cent in the past year, because defense industries have been putting men back to work at such a tremendous rate. In Arkansas, on the other hand, unemployment is down only 18 per cent. Everything else being equal, the tendency will be to drop many projects in Connecticut and take care of the still relatively high unemployment in Arkansas.

These methods of cutting have to be balanced against the number of defense projects WPA has on its docket. In Florida and Maine, 80 per cent of WPA projects are in the defense categories. That gives them priority, and the 20 per cent of non-defense projects will see the ax, or at least the razor. In western states, the percentage of defense projects is lower.

There will be some transferring of workers from non-defense projects to defense projects, naturally. In this connection, WPA will do considerable expanding in its vocational training program. Regulations now permit WPA to put its men in industrial plants to get the training for specific jobs. WPA pays their wages while they're learning, and the effort will be made to push WPA eligibles through these courses and get them onto private payrolls.

the clear understanding that the men would not be sent out of this hemisphere and that they were making a contract with the government to serve for only one year."

Suggest Enlistees Plan
As an alternative, Reynolds suggested selectees might be given "some inducement, perhaps higher pay, to enlist."

Another to suggest changes was Chairman George (D-Ga) of the Senate foreign relations committee. Telling reporters "that some compromise will be worked out," George suggested a plan whereby selectees could enlist for one, two or three years, at their discretion.

Enlistment of trainees would accomplish the ends of the legislation since there is no restriction on where regular army troops may be sent.

Some Senators, linking the legislation with foreign policy, said privately they would have to have a clearer explanation of why it was needed before they would consider voting for it. In asking for the legislation, war department officials have spoken only in general terms of a necessity for this country to be ready for any emergency.

CRACKERS CRANIUM

Vacation Time.
Folks are making it an American vacation this year, going to the seashores, the mountains or to visit historic spots in this nation of ours. If you haven't already taken your vacation, you may find some hints in these questions.

1. In what states are these national parks: Great Smoky Mountain, Glacier, Yosemite, Bryce Canyon?
2. Name the Great Lakes touched by the state of Michigan.
3. Where are the Black Hills, the Green Mountains, the Redwoods, and the Blue Grass country?
4. In what cities are these historic places found: the Hermitage, Plymouth Rock, and Lincoln's home?
5. In what states and on what rivers are these dams: Grand Coulee, Norris, Boulder, Bonneville?

Answers On Classified Page.

McCraw Receives No Army Order Notice

DALLAS (AP)—Former Texas Attorney General William McCraw said Saturday he had received no notification as yet that he was to report for active duty as air corps reserve captain at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Washington army orders earlier in the day included the

Will Open Revival



The Rev. John T. Kee, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Odessa, will open a revival at the Calvary Baptist Church in Midland Thursday.

former candidate for governor who served overseas during the World War as lieutenant in a machine gun unit.

Waco Lays Claim To Nation's Oldest City

WACO, Tex. (UP)—Waco is laying claim to the title of "America's oldest city"—it has borne its present name since 1541.

A tribe of Indians had a settlement along the Brazos River here when the first white man visited the territory in 1542, 23 years before Saint Augustine, Fla., generally regarded as the oldest settlement in the New World, was founded.

Dr. Robert T. Hill, historian and Baylor University graduate, published the findings, uncovered in diaries of the early explorers of the region and reported that a writer had visited the site in 1542.

SPRUCE GUM DISAPPEARS; OLD TIMERS ARE PUZZLED

BANGOR, Me. (UP)—Old-timers are divided on the reason behind the disappearance of spruce gum.

The gum, gathered from spruce trees in the vast wilderness north of here, formerly was sold in ounce "nuggets." More than 50 tons were harvested each year, but last year less than five tons was gathered.

One group of veterans believes the public has lost its taste for the gum, while another school thinks spruce trees are disappearing from Maine.

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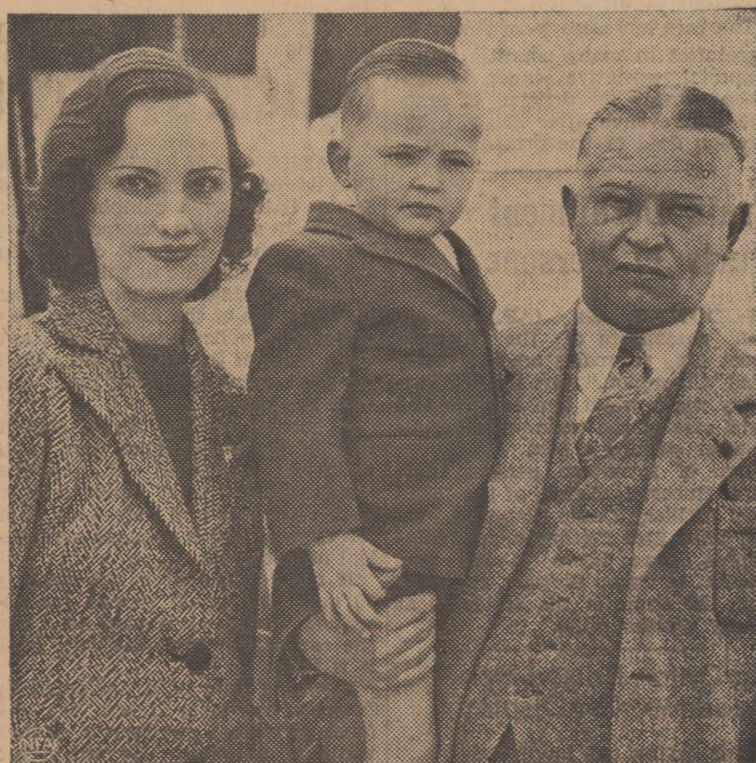
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Head U. S. diplomat in recently occupied Iceland is Bertel Eric Kuniholm, consul at Reykjavik, Icelandic capital. He's pictured with Mrs. Kuniholm and son Peter.

German High Command Announces Spearheads Crash Through Toward Capital, Port, And Ukraine City

BERLIN (AP)—The German high command after almost a full week of silence Saturday night officially announced that the Stalin line, Russia's main defense barrier, had been broken at "all decisive points."

The Germans reported that their blitzkrieg legions had smashed through in the direction of all three of their main drives—toward Moscow, the capital, Leningrad, Russia's big western port, and toward Kiev, capital of the grain-rich Ukraine.

The German army pushed through in the General Minsk area to a point 125 miles beyond Minsk, putting the Nazi legions less than 300 miles from Moscow, the high command said.

In the drive toward the Ukraine German troops were declared to be standing "close before Kiev" and elsewhere along this southern end of the front German and Rumanian troops were stated to be pursuing Russians fleeing in disorder.

To the North the Nazi troops are moving through the region of Lake Peipis, along the Estonian border, and "are advancing toward Leningrad," said the high command, after a break-through in this sector.

In the all-important central sector beyond Minsk and on the highway to Moscow the Russians are showing "signs of a break-up and dissolution," said the communique.

COMPENSATION RECEIPTS 20 PER CENT REVENUES

Census figures show that unemployment compensation receipts in 1940 constituted 20 per cent of the total revenue of the 48 state governments.

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Americans' Interest In Glider Airplanes Soars

Training Of Pilots Increases At U. S. Center In New York

By Jonathan Kilbourn
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

HARIS HILL, Elmira, N. Y.—The nation's interest in motorless flight has suddenly soared—and gliding enthusiasts at the Twelfth Annual National Soaring Contest here, who have been propagandizing their sport for years, cynically set it all down to Crete.

Military men had long been cognizant of the glider movement in Germany, Russia and Poland but until this year never evidenced more than the most superficial sort of interest. Since 1920 the German army has been perfecting "gliding" (more correctly, soaring) flight, Germany's youth was schooled in the sport from the early 'teens. Polish peasants who seldom saw a motor car launched gliders by means of teams of work-horses.

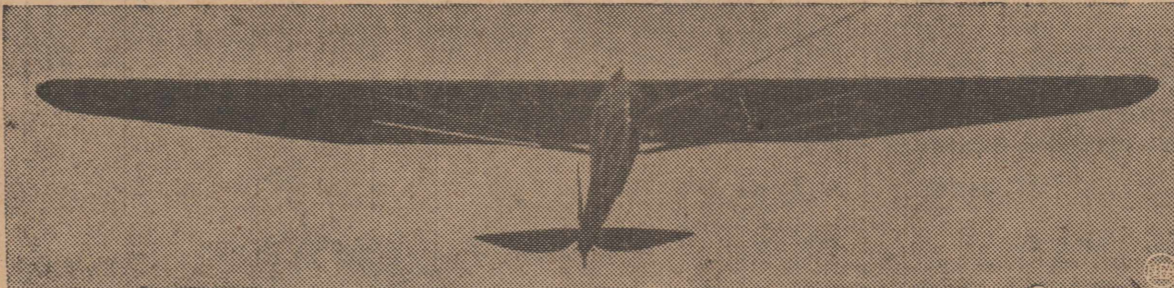
Although glider flying grew slowly through the efforts of the select circle who knew its thrill, national interest lagged. Because gliding is an expensive sport, this may have been due to the lack of government aid or interest.

Glider More Than Mere Sport
Result was that when American newspaper readers read that Nazi troops had descended on Crete by glider, they were as surprised as if a child's scooter had suddenly found a military use. Misconceptions and lack of knowledge had put gliding, so far as the general public was concerned, into an esoteric class with fox-hunting.

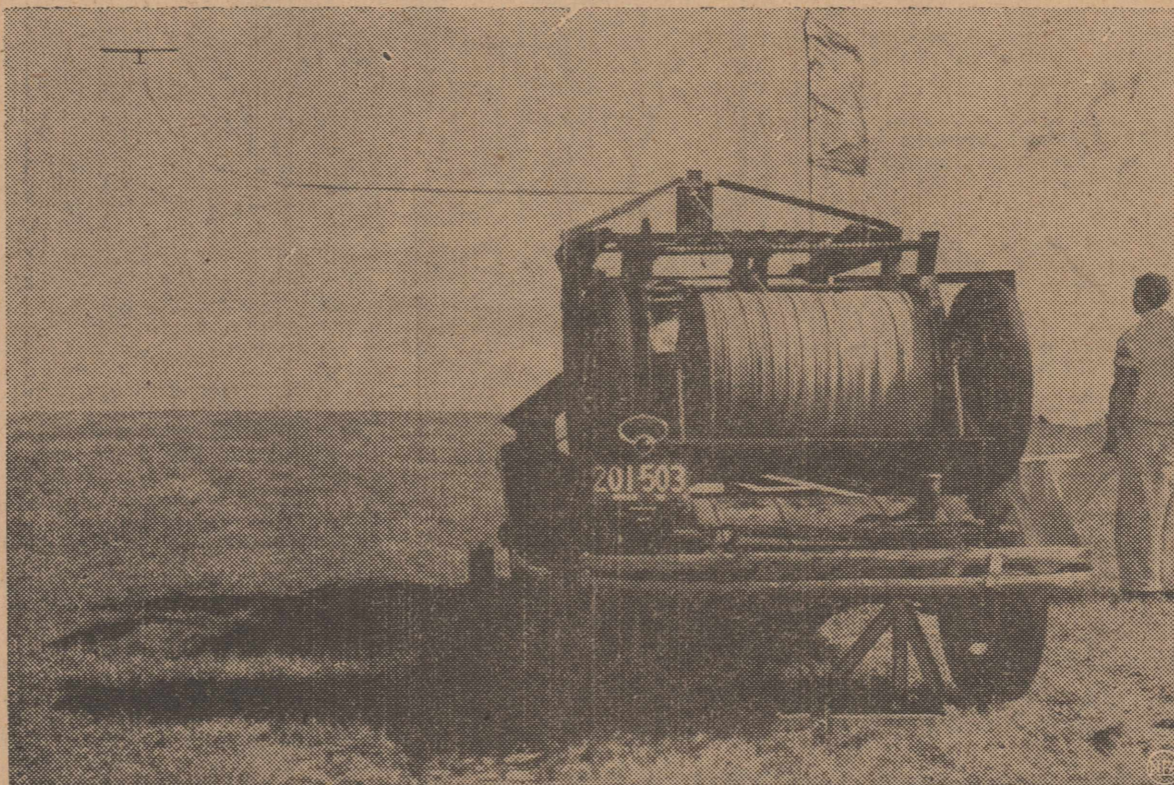
But gliding, although seldom used as a means of transport in the U. S., means more than mere sport to the scores of American glider pilots who are now gathered here at the glider capital of the nation to try their wings at breaking national and world soaring records.

The glider is essentially an airplane without a motor. It is built of the same type of materials: spruce and/or metal wings covered with aircraft linen and "doped" with a nitro-cellulose compound are used almost universally. The fuselage is constructed of thin, three-ply plywood or of wooden or welded steel tubing skeletons covered with doped linen. All metal shells have also been utilized. Gliders are, in nearly all cases, much stronger than power planes in relation to actual weight.

There are many types of gliders—single-seaters, two seaters, transports (largest in the U. S. holds four people). These, in turn, vary from the elementary trainer (utility glider) through the intermediate to the high-performance sailplane. They may cost anywhere from \$675 to \$3500 or more, depending to a large extent, like an airplane, on the instrument equipment; but glider kits, unassembled, can be obtained for as little as \$350.



A glider is essentially an airplane "without a motor." Above, a single-place sailplane soars through the air. Below, the winch at Harris Hill launches another ship. Pilot has not yet dropped his towline.



Launching Glider

To launch a glider, some form of power must be used. Most efficient of these for launching a large number of ships over a short period of time is the winch tow. The winch consists of an auto-powered drum which winds up a 5-16 inch manila rope or wire cable rapidly enough to give the glider the required speed. The glider is pulled forward while air currents created push it upwards into the air. At the desired altitude the pilot releases his towline.

Perhaps the most commonly used tow in America, whenever a winch tow is not available, is by automobile—a speeding car taking the place of the rapidly-winding winch. Most effective, militarily valuable, as well as expensive method is the airplane tow, by which any number of gliders can be launched at the same time wherever the soaring possibilities seem most favorable. Another method, now obsolete, is by shock-cord, the ship being catapulted into the air like a pebble from a slingshot.

How Glider-Plane Is Managed

Once in the air, the glider pilot may "slope soar," if he was launched from a hill, on the upcurrents created by horizontal winds hitting the vertical surfaces of the hill and being deflected upward. He searches for "thermals" (air currents formed by the warmer surfaces of the earth heating the air immediately above in such a manner that "bubbles" of hot air rise up.)

When a pilot hits a really good thermal, he's in his element. He may spiral towards the heavens for hours on the rising air current until the thermal gradually wears itself out. Then he sets off again in search of another thermal, and then another.

Or he may skim back and fourth across the layers of cloud formation, which is called "street flying." He can do such aerobatics as loop-the-loops, barrel rolls and spirals if the currents are right. He can nose-dive like a dive-bomber. He can play with "burbles" (eddies in the airflow) like a gull or an air-minded porpoise. It was by utilizing all these facts

America's Dreyfuss Fights 43 Years To Reverse Conviction

CHICAGO (UP)—Oberlin M. Carter, "America's Dreyfuss," is 85 years old today and "a bit weary" after fighting for 43 years to clear his name of a court martial conviction of graft.

The aged, white-haired soldier whose conviction in 1898 catapulted him from a brilliant career as the army's foremost engineer to a four and a half year term in Leavenworth prison still refuses to give up hope.

But the years have made him bitter. His voice was tensed as he sat in his modest home on Chicago's "Gold Coast" and told again the story of how officers, "jealous" of the engineering feats that had brought him international fame, plotted his downfall.

En route to London to assume his duties as military attaché to the American embassy in 1898, Capt. Carter was recalled to face charges of fraud in connection with contracts for the \$4,500,000 improvement of the Savannah, Ga., harbor, which he had supervised.

Evidence Declared Secret

"I was never allowed to see the evidence that convicted me," Carter said. His voice broke and his eyes squinted fiercely through his thick glasses.

"If I had ever made a mistake at Savannah then I might feel that people would feel that I had made it intentionally, but the testimony of all engineers was that I did not make a mistake in my plans or in the directing of construction."

Carter, who was graduated from West Point in 1880 with high honor, served his prison sentence. And then, drawing upon all of the brilliance and passion of his intellect and the subsequent fortunes he made as civil engineer, he began his fight for vindication.

Twenty-eight federal court and five Supreme Court rulings have denied him remedy and his frustrations are recorded in 28 volumes of 55,000 pages. He has petitioned unsuccessfully presidents, senatorial committees, and the departments of war and justice.

At Harris Hill the art of soaring has reached its highest development. A Civil Aeronautics Administration inspector is present at all times to see that things go right. A representative of the U. S. Weather Bureau gives pilots hourly reports on air conditions and advice on how to make best use of those conditions. He tells them when their power is available and where and what kind of power it is—all the information an airline pilot receives, and more.

Increase Output Of Plane Motors

DETROIT (UP)—Airplane engines are rolling off production lines at a swifter pace than ever before.

The American soldier today is far better equipped than in the World War.

These developments may be credited in part to the use of special-purpose machine tools, whose value as a production time-saver long ago was foreseen by the automobile industry.

Here's what designing special tools for a specific job has meant to aircraft engine production:

A few months ago it took machinists 6 hours and 40 minutes to counterbore 280 holes in the crankcase or main framework of one of the airplane engines being used extensively by the American and British governments. Today the entire job requires only 65 minutes.

Hour's Work In 3 Minutes

Not long ago seven machines worked an hour drilling 14 holes into each cylinder of a similar engine. Now it takes three machines just 3 minutes for the same operation.

A fuel pump liner with an oddly-shaped interior surface formerly was produced at the rate of three per hour. Now the rate is 13 per hour.

Floating Population Is Harbor's Problem

VANCOUVER, B. C. (UP)—If Canadian wartime authorities decide to close Vancouver harbor, as they have in Halifax, they're first going to have to do something about the "floating population."

More than 500 people call Vancouver harbor home. They live in houseboats and in cottages in shacks built on rafts. There are several clusters of them—some of them mere floating shantytowns huddled together in better-skillet fashion, and others neat and attractive, occupied by average wage earners who would rather live on the water than anywhere else.

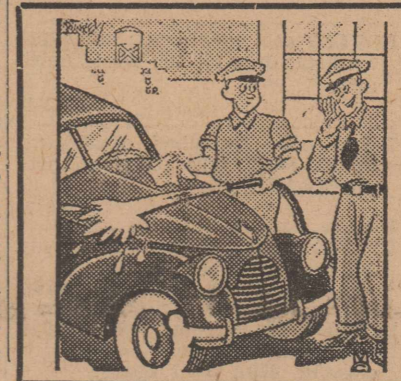
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Northeastern Lea Wildcat Is Feature

HOBBS, N. M.—New wildcat operation for Northeastern Lea County was a feature of Southeast New Mexico developments Saturday.

Carl B. King will drill No. 1 State 660 feet out of the northwest corner of section 16-11s-38e, three miles west of the Texas-New Mexico state line.

The wildcat is three and one-quarter miles north of northeast of A. D. Morton No. 1 State, old 5-267-foot dry hole. Deal for the new test was negotiated by Hal Cave of Roswell, who obtained acreage donation from Tide Water Associated Oil Company and turned part of it, including the wellsite, to King. L. H. Wentz and Ohio Oil Company also are supporting the test.

A new discovery well in Western Lea County three and three-quarter miles east of the Halfway pool, Harry Leonard and Van Welch No. 1 State is shut in after pumping 500 barrels of oil on 24-hour test of natural production. Seven-inch casing is set at 2,962 feet with hook-wall packer.

Carper Stakes Location
The strike is located 660 feet out of the northwest corner of section 18-20s-35e. It is producing from white dolomite between 3,098 feet and 3,102 feet, the total depth.

In Western Lea's Maljamar pool Carper Drilling Company staked location for No. 8-N Simon 660 feet from the south and 1,980 from the east line of section 29-17s-32e.

On the Eastern Eddy County side of the pool, Emperor Oil Company No. 2-B Puckett, 660 feet out of the southeast corner of section 24-17s-31e, flowed 114 barrels of oil in 14 hours through open 2-inch tubing set at 3,946 feet after shooting with 100 quarts of nitro from 3,906 to 3,946 feet. It logged first pay at 3,906 feet and is bottomed at 3,956 feet in lime.

The Arrowhead pool of Lea was extended in two directions, northwest and southwest. Proving a short southwest spread, Ohio No. 23 State-McDonald gauged flow of 18 barrels of oil hourly through open 2-inch tubing set at 3,731 feet following acidization with 1,000 gallons. Pay was topped at 3,694 feet and total depth is 3,745 feet in sand and lime. The well is in section 13-22s-36e.

Flynn No. 1 Evans In Lime

The northwest extension of the pool is Gulf Oil Corporation No. 10 State-Ramsey, in section 34-21s-36e. It swabbed dry on natural production test but responded to treatment with 2,000 gallons by flowing 117 barrels on oil per day through one-half inch choke on 2-inch tubing set at 3,870 feet, ten feet off bottom. Pay was topped at 3,845 feet. West of Artesia in Eddy County,

W. P. Flynn No. 1 Alice P. Evans, wildcat in section 18-17s-25e, is drilling in lime below 908 feet.

Culbertson & Irwin, Inc. of Midland, Texas and Sanders Brothers of Artesia No. 1 DeTemple, Eddy wildcat five miles south of the Shugart area, is drilling below 2,195 feet in brown lime. It logged base of salt at 2,085 feet. The test is 660 feet out of the southwest corner of section 27-19s-31e.

In the Shugart pool, Premier Petroleum Corporation No. 6-B Madden-Beeson, 1,650 feet from the south and east lines of section 27-17s-30e, was shot with 120 quarts from 3,209 to 3,234 feet, the total depth, and flowed 246 barrels of oil in 24 hours through 3/4-inch choke on 2-inch tubing swung at 3,184 feet. Oil tested 38 gravity. The well found first pay at 3,221 feet.

Abandons Wildcat

Also in the Shugart pool, V. L. Arnold will drill No. 1-A Arnold 1,650 feet from the south and 990 feet from the east line of section 27-17s-30e.

Henry McNeely and others No. 1 Riggs, wildcat north of the Barber pool in Eddy, was abandoned a failure at total depth of 1,591 feet in lime. It showed water from 1,581 to 1,586 feet. Location was 660 feet out of the northeast corner of section 7-20s-30e.

Fullerton Oil Company No. 1 State, Western Lea wildcat seven miles north of northeast of Maljamar production, topped lime at 4,389 feet and is drilling below 4,580 feet in that formation. It is 1,980 feet from the south and 660 from the east line of section 18-16s-33e.

Richmond Drilling Company of Midland No. 1 Shell Oil Company, Inc.-State, Lea wildcat four and one-half miles equidistant between the Vacuum and Maljamar pools, is drilling past 3,796 feet in anhydrite. Location is 660 feet from the south and 1,980 from the east line of section 22-17s-33e.

Bank Employee Keeps Regular Hours At 85

CHICO, Cal. (UP)—The holder of the longest service record among California banking employees would like nothing better than to be permitted to go on working for a few more years.

Five years ago, the Anglo California bank here attempted to retire Thomas N. Crew after 60 years of service. Crew rebelled, obtained appointment as superintendent of the bank's building and recently celebrated his 65th year of service with banking companies. Now 85, Crew continues to keep regular office hours.

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Lost and Found 7

LOST: Rose gold Elgin wrist watch with brown leather strap; reward. Billie Brown, phone 656. (107-3)

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LOST: Scottie pup, 8 months old, "Laddie"; black with brown, white throat; reward. Phone 676. (108-3)

Help Wanted 9

WANTED newspaper solicitors for afternoon daily; men or women; nearby towns; no local work. Apply circulation manager. Reporter-Telegram.

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MIDDLE aged refined white lady desires work as companion or care of aged. Phone 696-M. (108-6)

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Bedrooms 12

FRONT bedroom and garage; convenient for bath; 1111 West Illinois. Phone 1014. (103-1f)

LOVELY furnished room; private entrance and bath; 901 W. Missouri. Phone 1276. (104-5)

COOL room; private entrance; twin beds with innerspring mattresses. For 2 men; 1306 S. Loraine. (106-1f)

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FRONT bedroom with private entrance; convenient to bath. 710 North Main, phone 740-J. (108-3)

UPSTAIRS bedroom, adjoining bath; for two men. Phone 1769-W, 810 West Tennessee. (108-1f)

Furnished Apartments 14

NICE clean rooms and apartments; reasonable; close in. 321 South Baird, phone 1098-W. (83-1f)

LARGE cool 2-room furnished apartment; adults; 1104 North Main. (104-1f)

THREE room furnished apartment. \$25 per month. 801 N. Weatherford. (105-1f)

LARGE one room furnished apartment; couple only; no dogs. 305 East Kentucky. (107-3)

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NICE two room furnished apartment; couple only. Apply 407 N. Colorado at south apartment. (108-1f)

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TWO room furnished apartment; adults only; bills paid; no pets. 614 West Missouri. (108-3)

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DUPLEX; three rooms, private bath; innerspring mattress; Frigidaire; close in. 409A West Texas. (108-1)

FURNISHED garage apartment; utilities paid. 2001 West Texas. (108-1f)

Houses 16

FOR RENT: Two 5-room houses, one 2-room, unfurnished. 301 N. Big Spring. (108-3)

Furnished Houses 17

FURNISHED six room house; also three bedrooms, three blocks from Petroleum Bldg. 214 South Big Spring. (108-3)

FOR SALE

Miscellaneous 23

NEW SADDLES for children or grown-ups for the price of used ones at Barron's Home, Farm & Ranch Supply store. (106-3)

RACE horse peanut vending machines. Inquire 509 North Lee, Odessa, Texas. (107-3)

USED Frigidaire beverage coolers, cheap. Household Supply Co. See Bill Green. (107-6)

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SMALL child's bicycle; large tricycle. 511 North D. (108-1)

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SLIP COVERS, draperies, bed spreads expertly made. Ruth Smith, 115 South Main, phone 1646. (108-6)

Wanted To Buy 26

WANTED to buy: Radio operator's bug. Call B. J. at Mackey Motors. (108-2)

WANTED: Good second-hand shoes, pants and shirts. R. L. Carr, 205 South Main. (108-1)

Livestock and Poultry 34

WORM KILLER and fly repellent combined, government formula 62, now carried in stock at Barron's Home, Farm & Ranch Supply store. (106-3)

Pets 35

COCKER Spaniel puppies for sale. 2000 West Brunson. (108-6)

FEMALE Cocker puppies. 511 North D. (108-1)

BLACK male registered Cocker Spaniel pups, 3 months old. Phone 1359. (108-3)

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MATTRESS work; new and used furniture; furniture storage. City Mattress Factory, 115 South Main, Phone 1646. (7-18)

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Houses For Sale 61

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WELL located; paved street; only five blocks north of schools; really worth the money. See BARNEY GRAFA 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (108-3)

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TO be completed August 15th; only \$500 cash, balance \$36 monthly. BARNEY GRAFA 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (108-3)

FOR SALE or trade: 12-unit tourist court; cost \$10,000; on Highway 80, Odessa; 13-room boarding house; 6-room house; 2-room house; on three lots; \$19,000 value; will trade one or both for stock farm or small ranch. Pool & Pool, Box 667, Odessa. (108-7)

Lots for Sale 62

50 ft. lot 1800 blocks West Missouri. Paving paid. \$950. W. R. Upham. Tel. 79. (106-3)

Acresages for Sale 66

THREE to 20 acre tracts on highway adjoining city limits; will sell on terms to suit. See BARNEY GRAFA 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (108-3)

FOR SALE: Sections 8, 9, 10, 16 and 17, Block 67, Township 1, T. & P. R. R. survey, Hudspeth County; will sell either; make me a bid; all minerals intact. R. P. Willis, Wichita Falls, Tex. (102-7)

WILL sell 2 1/2 SEPARATE ACRES out of 5 acre tract on Andrews highway less than 2 1/2 miles from Midland courthouse for \$150 per acre net to owner. Phone 1446, or write P. O. Box 134, Midland. (108-1)

Answers To
Cranium Crackers

Questions On Page Two.

1. Great Smokies are in North Carolina and Tennessee; Glacier is in Montana; Yosemite is in California; Bryce Canyon is in Utah.

2. Michigan has shores on all but one of the Great Lakes, touching Superior, Michigan, Huron, and Erie.

3. Black Hills are in South Dakota; Green Mountains are in Vermont; Redwoods are big trees in California; Kentucky is famed for its blue grass.

4. The Hermitage, Andrew Jackson's home, is in Nashville; Plymouth Rock is in Plymouth, Mass.; Lincoln's home is in Springfield, Ill., and an earlier home is reproduced at New Salem, Ill.

5. Grand Coulee is on the Columbia river in Washington; Norris on the Tennessee river in Tennessee; Boulder is on the Colorado river between Arizona and Nevada; Bonville is on the Columbia river between Washington and Oregon.

Clerk Asserts Navy
Comes First While
High Officer Waits

HONOLULU. (AP.)—The gray-haired man in civilian clothes told the smiling store clerk he wanted to buy some trousers. The clerk showed him a garment that seemed to please, and the man went into an alcove to try it on.

Then, in came two Navy petty officers who wanted socks, ties and other articles. The clerk became so busy he forgot the man in the alcove.

Suddenly, the clerk remembered. He dashed to the alcove and found the man holding up the trousers. They were too large and would have to be fitted.

Left Holding Pants.
 The clerk said the house tailor was busy with the petty officers, would the customer mind waiting? "The Navy comes first," the clerk explained. "You know, National Defense. They've got important things to do and haven't much time."

Smiling, the customer agreed and said he'd wait. He was left holding the trousers.

Some time later, the clerk returned and the trousers were fitted. "Will you charge it?" the customer said. "The name is Kimmel."

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MURDER IN CONVOY

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CHAPTER I

"I REGRET to state, Gentlemen," said the commodore presiding at Troopship Convoy MX Conference "that the British Intelligence has obtained positive information that a Nazi agent will be among the 20,000 troops sailing with us tomorrow . . ."

Across the expanse of mahogany table the Sea Dogs' bronzed faces fatted to register any emotion. Only by their neglected cigar ashes and strained postures could you detect the suppressed excitement among the gathering of Canadian and British naval officers.

"This Nazi agent," the marble-faced commodore continued in a dull monotone, "is reported to be a member of one of the units. It is obviously impractical at this late date to start an investigation of the 20,000 soldiers so he'll have to come along. His mission is possibly designed as a suicide chore—most likely to get information to the enemy in some fashion that will bring about an attack on the convoy."

"Now I have a surprise for you. There is lying in the basin a large merchant ship convoy waiting to sail. It will start at dawn. The 11 troopships will leave on a separate schedule later in the day and join the merchant men at a rendezvous as provided in your Sealed Orders and then take up Formation L . . ."

There was a murmur of protest. These Sea Dogs knew the perils of this unprecedented move—fast ocean greyhounds and ponderous freighters milling around perhaps in a heavy sea. The commodore let the kettle boil before resuming:

"It's unprecedented and the Navy realizes the task lying ahead but it is all part of a plan the nature of which I am not at liberty to divulge. I shall now usher in the captains of the merchantmen sailing with you for the purpose of discussing convoy details."

THE gold-braided officers rose as a group of weather-beaten skippers, many figeting in unaccustomed starched collars and wearing shiny blue serge suits, entered the board room. Shyly they took the places offered them, and you could sense the common bond between these humble rulers of the plodding freighters and the neatly groomed commanders of the sleek warships. They were co-operating factors in keeping the Atlantic pipeline open.

Four mimeographed sheets were passed to each man in the room. They carried the names of the vessels, the time schedule of leaving the basin, the time gap that would result if any ship failed to follow its preceding ship sharp on the minute, the course to be followed after passing the submarine gate, when the joint convoy would form and what signal code was to be followed in zig-zagging across the ocean.

The freighters take the outer lanes," the commodore stated in discussing the items, "to provide added protection for the liners. In return you will be protected by the heaviest naval escort in history!"

The commander of the Atlantic Coast was then called upon to describe the protective measures under his jurisdiction . . . the flights of Stranraer flying boats that would be combing the inlets while the minesweepers worked ahead of the convoy out of the harbor . . . the R. C. A. F. bomber-reconnaissance planes flying almost to mid-ocean as an anti-sub measure. He concluded by introducing Captain Leeds-court, V. C., who would command the escorting warships.

Without employing a single excess word he outlined a plan of action "that has already met with



A Boy and a Girl Find There's Time for Love Even Though Danger Lurks Behind Every Wave

considerable success." He explained that if attacked by sur-

face craft he "would hit with the full force at my command while you must follow your Sealed Orders."

"And now you are asked to listen more closely—this is an important command to all cargo-carrying ships in the convoy as well as the troopships. If one or more of you should be attacked by a submarine, all other vessels must proceed at full speed AWAY from the torpedoed ship or ships, leaving the survivors to their fate—temporarily at least. The purpose is to curtail loss to an absolute minimum. Stationary ships would provide too good a target for even the poorest of U-boat marksmen."

THE commodore tugged at Captain Leedscourt's sleeve. They whispered together for a few seconds before the captain spoke again:

"I have just been reminded, gentlemen, that one of you ship masters commands a trawler . . ." He looked around the room. A deep voice boomed from the far corner:

"Aye, sir, I command the Loch Lomond."

The Scot's rich burr seemed to please the captain.

"My compliments, sir, to yourself and the good Loch Lomond. I'm sure any vessel bearing so stout a name would relish the task I have in mind. Would you volunteer to sail at the extreme rear of the convoy and pause to pick up any survivors in case of emergency? It is barely possible that a submarine would risk staying behind long enough to attack a trawler—that and the lowness of your vessel in the water would make the target a poor one for him. However, it is entirely voluntary and I cannot . . ."

The old tar on his feet, beaming like a harvest moon:

"On behalf of the Loch Lomond, sir, I accept the post. She's always happy to help out the Navy!"

The room echoed with deep-throated, god-natured laughter. The friendly rivalry between the

two services was never so super-

bly evident. The captain flashed a smile at the commodore.

"And the Navy is grateful," his tone sobered. "In conclusion, I must point out to you that should your vessel or vessels be overtaken by serious engine trouble, or should faulty navigation or bad weather cause you to lag behind the convoy, you must proceed as best you can to whatever port you may choose. The escort's duty is to remain with the main convoy and stragglers cannot be given protection."

"Somewhere around mid-ocean a heavy escort from the Royal Navy, probably accompanied by an aircraft carrier, will meet the convoy. They will relieve the Royal Canadian Navy escort as well as some of the Royal Navy ships assigned to special duties from that point."

The commodore took over.

"There is only one more matter to bring before this conference. You are under strictest secrecy orders in being informed that we have good reason to believe a very forceful attempt is to be made by the enemy at some time during this crossing to attack the convoy—and particularly the troopships.

"I cannot divulge any further details, but the information is sufficiently urgent to prompt an order from the Admiralty that all freighter captains be given full opportunity to withdraw from the convoy without any reflection upon themselves. If they remain, they must do so under complete authority of the escort command and be prepared to sacrifice themselves, if need be, for the safety of the troopships. If any desire to withdraw, please do so now."

He looked around the room. No one moved. A salty smile wrinkled the captain's "sideboards":

"In which circumstance, gentlemen, I find nothing further to occupy this conference's attention other than the happier business of joining in a toast to our safe passage together. If you will all step into the lounge, you will find the essential liquids awaiting your pleasure."

(To Be Continued)

STUDENT SUFFERS BRAIN INJURY IN CAR WRECK

DALLAS (AP)—H. V. Griffin, 17, of Waco, student pilot at the Dallas Aviation School, suffered a brain concussion Saturday when a car in which he was accompanying John F. Lyman of Dallas to Lyman's wedding in Austin collided with another.

Lyman and his best man, C. E. Rodgers of Wichita Falls, were unhurt.

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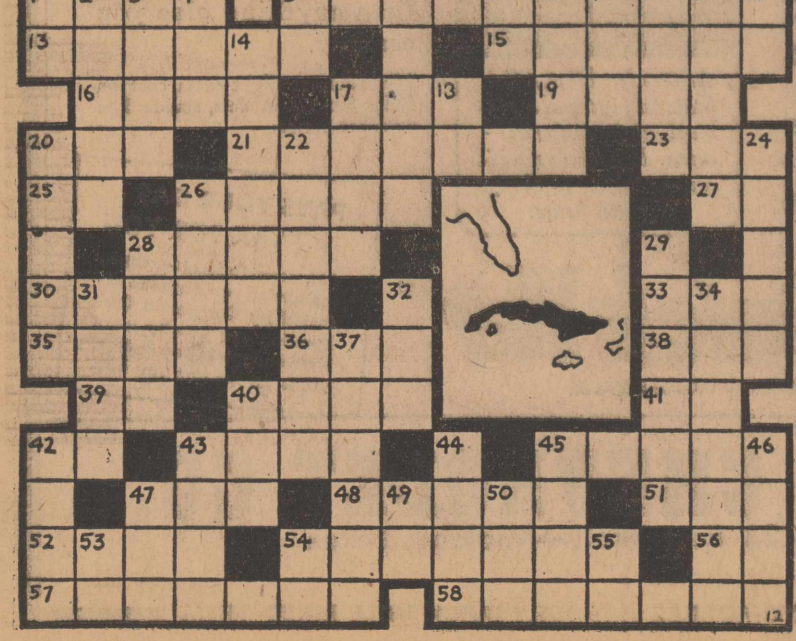
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1 Map of island republic.
 5 It was by Christopher Columbus.
 13 One who unites.
 15 Fine wool fabric.
 16 Gang.
 17 Measure.
 19 Fine river mud.
 20 Tobacco quid.
 21 Regard.
 23 To rent.
 25 Neuter pronoun.
 26 Hazardous.
 27 Railroad (abbr.).
 28 Bards.
 30 To excite.
 33 Possessed.
 35 Plant part.
 36 Small shield.
 38 Beer.
 39 Mulberry dye.
 40 Primly neat.
 41 Jumbled type.
 42 Advertisement.

ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

11 To come in.
 12 To fare.
 14 Linen rooms.
 17 Queries.
 18 Myself.
 20 It is famous for making fine—s.
 22 Venetians.
 24 To exchange.
 26 Bellowing.
 28 Puddle.
 29 Figures.
 31 Avenue.
 32 Embrace.
 34 Nutriment.
 37 Shallow porous cups.
 40 Perched.
 42 Oriental nurse.
 43 Dress.
 44 Slave.
 45 Consumer.
 46 Inspires reverence.
 47 Distant.
 49 Grief.
 50 Stream.
 53 Father.
 54 Grain (abbr.).
 55 Southeast (abbr.).
 10 Streamlet.



Four Golfers To Battle For Midland Tournament Crown

Taft, Smith, Stacey, And Davis Play In Semi-Finals With Finals Carded During Afternoon; Last Year's Champion Loses

By Tanner Laine

Wallie Taft, Jimmie Smith, Frank Stacey, and John Davis, a quartet of par-ambitious Midland Country Club golfers, stroked their way into semi-finals of the annual city tournament championship flight.

Taft and Davis will tee off at 8:50 a. m. Sunday with Stacey and Smith slated to start at 8:55 a. m. in eighteen-hole matches.

Finals are booked for the afternoon. Taft, medalist with a neat 75, one over par, expected trouble with the dependable Davis. Stacey, conqueror of J. Floyd in the quarter-finals, was tuned for a scrap with Smith.

H. S. Forgeron, defending titlist, fell before W. W. Barker, 2 to 1, in a first round match. He came back to become a semi-finalist in the championship flight consolation.

C. B. Savage vs. Fred Hogan and Roy Minear vs. Harry Sindorf will be the first flight semi-final card. In quarter-final matches Savage beat W. P. Thurmon, 6 and 4; Hogan downed Randolph, one up; Minear took Terrill, one up; and Sindorf won over Stan Erskine, 3 and 2.

Harkrider-Chambers Matched. Second flight semi-finalist are: O. C. Harper vs. Thad Steele and Bob Hamilton vs. A. E. Horst. Harper defeated L. G. Mackey, one up, 20 holes; Steele nudged J. H. Elder, one up, 19 holes; Hamilton edged S. M. Laughlin, one up, 19 holes; and Horst defeated Paul McHargue, 5 and 4; in quarter-finals.

J. P. Gibbens plays James Wilson and Ted Lowe engages Roy Clark in the semi-finals of flight three.

Bill Harkrider and J. D. Chambers will battle for the championship of flight four. Semi-finals were played Saturday with Harkrider conquering Max Loy, 3 and 2; and Chambers winning one up in 19 holes over Lawrence Liberty. H. E. Bahr won consolation finals of the fourth bracket by default from John W. Harrison.

Results of matches: Championship flight (with qualifying scores): Taft, 75 over J. R. Brooks, 81, 4 and 3; W. W. Barker, 78 over H. S. Forgeron, 83, 2 and 1; John Davis, 77 over E. Breedlove, 82, 7 and 6; Paul Oles, 84 over Phil Larson, 80, 4 and 3; Smith, 76 over W. G. Henderson, 82, 6 and 5; Frank Johnson, 84 over Henry Shaw, 79, one up; J. Floyd, 78 over Bob Scroggs, 3 and 2; Frank Stacey, 81 over Ed Handley, 84, 7 and 6. Quarter-finals: Smith over Johnson, 3 and 1; Stacey over Floyd, 6 and 5; Taft over Barker, 2 and 1; and Davis over Oles, 8 and 7.

First flight: Savage over Pearl Rhodes, 3 and 2; Thurmon over Jack Rhodes, default; C. B. Randolph over H. F. Fox, one up; Fred Hogan over Leaf Olson, default; John Terrill over Joe Sauer, 6 and 5; Minear over E. G. Bridwell, 5 and 4; Sindorf over Dan Hudson, 4 and 2; and Erskine over Don Sivals, 2 and 1. Quarter-finals: Savage over Thurmon, 6 and 4; Hogan over Randolph, one up; Minear over Terrill, one up; and Sindorf over Erskine, 3 and 2.

Second flight: O. C. Harper over Terry Tidwell, 3 and 2; L. G. Mackey over J. H. Longabaugh, one up; 19 holes; J. H. Elder over Curt Inman, 2 and 1; Steele over Ralph Cooley, one up; Bob Hamilton over A. P. Shirey, default; S. M. Laughlin over P. H. Liberty, default; A. E. Horst over O. R. Cole, default; and Paul McHargue over T. C. Williams, 2 and 1. Quarter-finals: Harper over Mackey, one up, 20 holes; Steele over Elder, one up, 19 holes; Hamilton over Laughlin, one up, 19 holes; Horst over McHargue, 5 and 4.

Third flight: J. P. Gibbens over Ray Rhodes, 5 and 4; Hugh Storey over A. Wadley, default; James Wilson over H. H. Adkinson, 7 and 5; Wright Cowden over H. B. Hensley, one up; Ted Lowe over J. R. Martin, default; Levi Shiptet over Bill Clarkson, 4 and 3; Pete Carrion over E. L. Blunden, two up; Roy Clark over J. A. Deffeyes, default. Quarter-finals: Gibbens over Storey, 5 and 4; Wilson over Cowden, one up, 20 holes; Lowe over Shiptet, one up; and Clark over Carrion, one up.

Fourth flight: Harkrider over H. E. Bahr, 6 and 5; Max Loy over John W. Harrison, one up; Lawrence Liberty, bye; and J. D. Chambers, bye.

Larson, Shaw, Handley and Forgeron play in championship consolation semi-finals. Larson beat Breedlove, two up; Shaw beat Henderson, one up; Handley beat Scroggs, 5 and 4; and Forgeron took Brooks, 2 and 1.

Blair, Olson, Sauer, and Hudson contest in first flight semi-finals consolation. Blair beat Rhodes by default. Olson beat Fox, 2 and 1; Sauer beat Bridwell by default; and Hudson beat Sivals, 2 and 1.

Second flight consolation semi-finals pits: Tidwell against Inman; Shirey against Williams; Tidwell won over Longabaugh, 6 and 4; Inman beat Cooley, one up, 19 holes; Shirey out-stroked Liberty, 3 and 2; and Williams eliminated Cole by default.

Third flight semi-finalists are: Rhodes, Hensley, Clarkson and Elunden, Rhodes beat Wadley by default; Hensley took Adkinson, one up; Clarkson advanced over Martin by default; and Blunden defeated Deffeyes, one up.

CANAL ZONE HAS 362 SQUARE MILES

The Canal Zone, according to the census, has an area of only 362 square miles. It has 874 persons engaged in agriculture. The Canal Zone lies directly south of Pittsburgh and a ship passing through the canal from the Caribbean to the Pacific moves in a southeasterly direction.

DiMaggio Slams Out Blows And Yanks Still Win

ST. LOUIS, (AP.)—The boys with the slide-rules had to go to work again Saturday as the New York Yankees beat the Browns, 7-5, to sweep their three-game series.

There was Joe DiMaggio, for one, who cracked out a double in the fourth inning and a single in the fifth to make this the 51st game in a row in which he has hit safely. There was the Yankee victory which, combined with Cleveland's loss to Philadelphia, made the New York Yankees American League lead five full games.

The victory further, as the club's twelfth in succession, established a new 1941 league record for winning streaks. The Indians' 11 straight in the early part of the season had set the previous high.

Like the combers of old, the Yankees concentrated their fire on one big inning, and it was DiMaggio's double which touched it off.

The score: New York.....000 502 000—7 8 1 St. Louis.....000 100 301—5 10 2 Bonham, Murphy and Dickey; Auker, Muncieff, Ostermueller and Ferrell.

Williamson And Deax Win Doubles Title In Midland Tennis Meet

H. P. Deax and J. C. Williamson defeated K. S. Ferguson and Cary Butcher in straight sets, 8-6, 6-3, and 6-3, to cop the doubles championship of the Midland Tennis Club, city tournament.

The Deax-Williamson duo sprang a major upset by eliminating seeded favorites, M. H. McKinsey and C. G. Cooper.

Ferguson and Butcher advanced with a win over R. Brewer and James Van Arsdale.

The singles champion was smoothing-roking McKinsey, who ran down Cooper in the finals, after a shaky start.

Headaches May Force Inlander Star To Quit

CLEVELAND (AP.)—Slugging Hal Trosky surprised even his manager with the disclosure Saturday that a "thumping headache" has bothered him at least half of the time during the last three baseball seasons.

The Cleveland Indian's big first baseman declared emphatically that he has no intention of retiring at any fixed date, and added: "But gosh a fellow can't go on like this forever. If I can't find some relief, I'll simply have to give up and spend the rest of my days on my farm in Iowa."

Teams Will Play Double Bill Here

Three teams that are expected entries in The Reporter-Telegram first annual invitational baseball tournament will be participants here Sunday in a doubleheader at the baseball park.

Midland semi-pros battle Stanton in the opener at 2 p.m. Timmons, a West Texas flinger, will mound chores for the Martin County team.

At 4 p.m. the Midlands take on Goldsmith with Lefty Shelton in the box.

Next Sunday Midland has a game here with Fort Davis, which recently beat Midland, 11-1.

Oilers Place 7 On Dream Team

DALLAS (AP.)—Tulsa's hustling Oilers, waging a merry battle with the Shreveport Sports for the runner-up slot in the Texas League race, placed the most men in the sixth annual all-star game scheduled Wednesday at Beaumont.

The Oilers came through with seven to lead the North squad while loop-leading Houston and Shreveport tied with six each to top the South selection.

Approximately 90,000 fans—40,000 in the North and 50,000 in the South—chose the squads.

Houston's total included non-playing Manager Dyer and Tulsa came through with non-playing Manager Roy Johnson.

In the South Beaumont placed four and San Antonio one and in the North Dallas and Fort Worth each had four and Oklahoma City two.

Howard Pollet, brilliant Houston southpaw, was the darling of the ballots, with the high vote of 39,572, the fourth highest figure in all-star history.

Hageman Slams Way To Softball Hitting Laurels

Lee Hageman, erstwhile Mackey Motors ace who joined Wilson Dry Goods softballers, won the batting championship for the first half of the city softball league season slugging .586.

Big Jim Maedgen, Mackey, who entered play late, was runnerup, with an average of .533. Ben Crites, Independent ace, set the league on fire in early season play and wound up with an average of .464.

With lots of control, Big Jim Adamson, Mackey, won six games against no losses to cop best pitching average.

"Big ten" batting honors.

	AB.	H.	R.	Pct.
Hageman, W	29	17	11	.586
Maedgen, M	15	8	8	.533
Crites, I	28	13	10	.464
Hart, T	37	17	14	.459
Warren, W	29	13	8	.448
Gregory, W	17	7	3	.412
Carroll, T	22	9	7	.409
Watson, J.	27	11	14	.407
Hardin, M	30	11	10	.367
Dalberry, I	28	10	7	.357

Pitchers percentages.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Adamson, M	6	0	1.000
Hageman, W	3	0	1.000
Elrod, T	2	0	1.000
E. Bizzell, T	2	0	1.000
Carroll, T	1	0	1.000
Smyers, I	1	0	1.000
Willis, M	1	0	1.000
O'Neal, I	2	4	.500
Pace, T	2	6	.333
Inman, I	0	1	.000
Hicks, W	0	4	.000
Huxtable, W	0	3	.000
Riley, W	0	2	.000

Statistics as of July 13 showed Willis, Mackey, made the most runs (18). He was pressed by his teammate Hensley with 15.

Hart of Texas poked four homers for honors in that division and Warren of Wilson's hit four three-baggers. Mack Webbs, Wilson, three two-baggers were tied by Dalberry of Independents.

Leading extra base hitters included: Runs: Willis, M.....18 Hensley, M.....15 Jones, T.....14 Hart, T.....14 Watson, J.....14

One base hits: Hageman, W.....17 Hart, T.....17 Beatty, T.....13 Crites, I.....13 Brady, M.....13 Hensley, M.....13 Warren, W.....13

Two base hits: Webb, W.....3 Dalberry, I.....2 Hageman, W.....2 Cagigal, T.....2 Warren, W.....2 Carrol, T.....2 Hardin, M.....2 O'Neal, I.....1 Linehan, I.....1 Crites, I.....1 Willis, M.....1 Beatty, T.....1 Hart, T.....1 Carson, T.....1

Three base hits: Warren, W.....4 Hageman, W.....3 Walton, W.....2 Maedgen, M.....2 Beatty, T.....1 Roberts, T.....1 Home runs: Hart, T.....4 Maedgen, M.....1 Cox, M.....1 Hageman, W.....1 Jones, T.....1 Pace, T.....1

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National League
Chicago at Boston, rain
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Texas League
Houston 5-5, Fort Worth 0-0
Shreveport 6, Oklahoma City 2
San Antonio 6, Dallas 5
Tulsa at Beaumont, rain

West Texas-New Mexico League.
Borger 12, Lamesa 2
Amarillo 11, Wichita Falls 3
Lubbock 10, Clovis 3

STANDINGS

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Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	51	26	.662
Cleveland	47	32	.595
Boston	42	34	.553
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Philadelphia	20	56	.263

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FILIPINO CONSTITUTE BIG PART ALASKAN POPULATION

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Howe's Are Softball Champions



Central Pharmacy forfeited Friday night's tilt with John P. Howe clinching the women's softball circuit "title for the girls in blue." Above are (left to right) front row: Boerne Kidwell, 3b; Agnes Webb, outfielder; Juanita Smallwood, 1b; Loraine Murphy, ss; Jimmie Davis, cf; Wanda Brown, c; back row: Mickey Musgrove, p; Olive Morfeit, sf; Ida Mae Reeves, lf-c; Mack Webb, manager; Mary Livingston, lf; Carolyn Magnuson, 2b; and Marcelle Cure, rf.

Induction Takes Texas Pivot Men

By Harold V. Radliff
Associated Press Sports Writer

Southwest Conference Football coaches have more than the usual quota of ifs with another season less than two months away.

The usual ones are caused by the gaping holes left by graduation. But the big question right now is what's to happen to those dependable listed on 1941 rosters.

The University of Texas has long been favored to win its first title in a decade but opinion was somewhat shaken by happenings of the past week.

For instance Saturday found both of Texas' lettermen at Center—J. W. Goodwin and David Thayer—being inducted into the army as flying cadets. Also inducted were Jesse Hawthorne, Texas letterman end, and Doyle Hardy, a freshman star of last season.

And several more Longhorn first-stringers are on the border line of being taken by the army.

Just how had hit the five other teams will be is problematical, although none is expected to lose in numbers as heavily as Texas. But it's virtually certain that Texas A. and M. co-champion and winner of the 1941 Cotton Bowl game, will not be materially affected.

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Nelson Advances To Finals Against Ghezzi With Brilliant Performance And Defeat Of Sarazen In PGA Meet

Mackey Motors Wins First Half Softball Crown

Undefeated Mackey Motors won the city softball league first half with 10 wins and no losses. John P. Howe was the feminine circuit crown winner with 10 wins and four losses.

Runnersup were: The Texas Company in the men's 100p and Southern Ice for women.

League officials announced the final standings:

WOMEN'S LEAGUE	W.	L.	Pct.
John P. Howe Company	10	4	.714
Southern Ice Company	7	7	.500
Sewell Motor Company	5	6	.

District I. O. O. F. Installation Team



Midland I. O. O. F. Lodge No. 384 furnishes membership for the District 69 installation team of the Texas I. O. O. F. unit. Members recently conferred initiatory degrees at Big Spring, Stanton, and Midland. The team includes (seated, left to right): L. H. Miller, district deputy grand chaplain; W. E. Johnson, district deputy grand master; C. O. Fuller, district deputy grand master; and H. W. Smith, district deputy grand master. Standing (left to right): M. W. Vestal, district deputy grand treasurer; A. Smyrie, district deputy grand guardian; W. L. Mayfield, district deputy grand secretary; and Frank Embring, district deputy grand herald. The team, with Floyd Friday, also compose the Midland drill team. At installation and initiatory service Friday night, Merritt F. Hines and H. W. Smith were installed as noble grand master and vice grand master, respectively, and degrees conferred on T. E. Neely, Ed Darnell, J. H. Rowan, Archie Estes, and Hor Tindle.

Personals

Roy McKee has returned from Homer, La., Mrs. McKee and their daughter, Royce Ray, returned with him after a visit there.

The Rev. and Mrs. Hubert Hopper of Dallas are spending a few days in Midland, where he expects to assume duties as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church this fall. They are houseguests of the Frank Stubbemans.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Foster and two sons of Electra, Texas, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Skaggs.

Vann B. Mitchell, who has recently graduated from the Air Corps Technical School at Lowry Field, Denver, Colo., arrived in Midland Saturday for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Homer Epley. He is on a 15-day furlough, and will be stationed at Oklahoma City with the Forty-Eighth Bombardment Squadron.

Mrs. Robert E. Stone and daughter, Jo Ann, of San Angelo, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Hines, and other relatives and friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Shepard are attending a reunion at Buffalo Gap this weekend.

Paul Brown and daughter, Miss Katherine Brown, have returned to Austin after a visit here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dillard and baby plan to leave during the next few days for Tulsa, Okla., and St. Louis on a vacation trip.

Garfield Says Acting Brings Out Softness

Acting, says John Garfield, makes you soft. It has made him soft, he confesses.

Just a moment before he made this off-stage confession, he had been boasting before the camera to Ida Lupino, in a scene from "Out of the Fog" playing at the Ritz Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.



"Hard? I got rock inside of me, baby!" The reason acting makes you soft, Garfield explains, is that you have to get inside the other fellow in order to act. You have to put yourself in his place.

That, says Garfield, is fatal to a hard guy. "You can be hard only so long as you think only of yourself," observes Warner Bros. former bad boy from the sidewalks of New York. "Acting forces you to take the other fellow's point of view."

Oil News--

(Continued From Page One)

No. 12-14 W. E. Baird, in the Colby sand area of the Keystone pool of Winkler County, gauged daily flow of 517 barrels after a 300-quart nitro shot. It topped pay at 3,210 feet and is bottomed at 3,377.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 20 State-Walton, Winkler deep wildcat between the Keystone and Kermit pools, is drilling past 6,697 feet in lime.

Redmond, Greene Shutdown. A closely watched Ordovician test in Northern Pecos County, Redmond, Greene et al No. 1 Iowa Realty Trust, is shut down for engine repairs at 5,261 feet in Permian dolomite.

Southwest of the Apco-Warner pool in Pecos, Anderson-Prichard No. 1 Boren, also seeking Ordovician production, is drilling at 3,468 feet in lime.

In Pecos' Abell pool, Magnolia No. 2 Markey heirs ran 2-inch tubing near bottom at 5,400 feet and circulated water to displace drilling mud. Water then was displaced with oil and the well kicked off. It is flowing an unestimated amount of oil in tanks. No. 2 Markey is producing from sand of the Simpson, middle Ordovician, logged from 5,390 to 5,400 feet.

An Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, prospect in the pool, Magnolia No. 1 J. F. McKee, drove 100 pounds of lead wool at total depth of 5,940 feet in an effort to shut off water. It then swabbed 54 barrels of oil and 70 barrels of water through casing in eight hours and continued swabbing to exhaust water. The firm's No. 3 V. W. Crockett, dry in the Ellenburger at total depth of 5,991 feet, cemented 5 1/2-inch casing at 5,750 feet with 500 sacks. Pipe will be perforated opposite Simpson zone which carried gas. The well topped the Ellenburger at 5,784, highest of any test thus far drilled in the pool.

In the south part of the Abell, Magnolia No. 1 State-Silverman is drilling below 4,970 feet in Simpson lime and shale.

Recent Sand Hills Well. American Liberty Oil Company No. 12 J. B. Tubb et al became the largest producer in the Sand Hills Ellenburger pool of Western Crane County by flowing a rated daily potential of 10,327.02 barrels of oil, plus 2.8 per cent water, after acidizing dolomite from 5,735-61 feet total depth, with 5,000 gallons. Oil is 37.2-gravity and gas is in a ratio of 214-1. The well's potential was based on output the last four hours of a six-hour gauge. It surpasses by 970 barrels that of the previous largest well in the pool, Gulf Oil Corporation No. 3-A Tubb, which it offsets to the north.

The deepest active operation in the South Basin, Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-RA University in Southeastern Reagan County, is drilling unchanged past 8,451 feet in shale and lime.

The same owner's No. 1-A J. S. Todd estate, Crockett County deep test, is drilling at 6,318, 274 feet in the Ellenburger dolomite. The Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 D. L. Alford et al, scheduled Ordovician test in Eastern Upton County, Saturday was drilling in black shale below 5,955 feet.

Climate Of Island Ideal For Guayule

FRESNO, Cal. (UP)—Out of the intense dry summer heat of the San Joaquin Valley comes a defense item—rubber.

Fred McCargar, manager of the Salinas, Cal., Chamber of Commerce, in an address at Fresno, described the climate of California's great inland San Joaquin Valley as ideal for the production of guayule, from which rubber is manufactured.

McCargar explained experiments conducted during the last 20 years in the Salinas Valley indicated guayule could be grown on a decidedly profitable basis on light, sandy soil, provided it is fertile and has good drainage.

He said sufficient guayule could be grown on land now devoted to cotton in California, Texas and other southern states to supply all American rubber needs.

Dun And Bradstreet Has 100th Birthday

NEW YORK (UP)—Dun and Bradstreet, Inc., mercantile agency which records the ups and downs of business men in its world-wide rating service, celebrates its 100th anniversary this year.

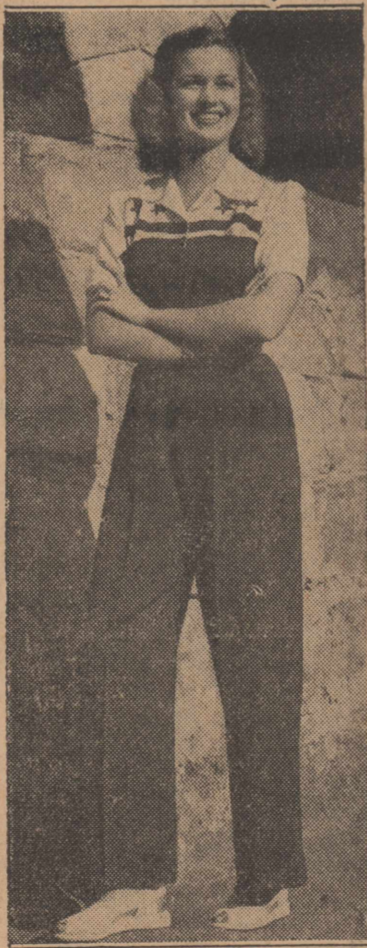
Born Aug. 1, 1841, as The Mercantile Agency, the company was succeeded by R. G. Dun & Co. in 1859, and Dun and Bradstreet in 1933, when it merged with the agency founded by John M. Bradstreet, Cincinnati lawyer, in 1849. A man named Lewis Tappan founded the company. His original equipment, according to the musty records, was "a phenomenal memory and a large file of credit data." Today Dun & Bradstreet maintains offices in 168 cities of the United States and Canada and 50 in foreign cities, has on its payroll 30,000 resident reporters and thousands of others on its regular staff in the various offices.

The company publishes the Dun Reference Book, containing more than 2,000,000 ratings which change on an average of 5,000 daily.

COST \$3,000,000,000 TO RUN CITY GOVERNMENTS

It cost almost three billion dollars to run the general government of the cities over 100,000 population in 1938, the census reports.

Red, White, Blue



Cobina Wright, Jr., Twentieth Century-Fox starlet, goes in for patriotic costumes for her vacation. Miss Wright wears a slack suit of blue cotton combined with white, the white yoke being trimmed with red braid and stars.

Veteran Cartoonist Started Rickard On Way To Large Gates

FRESNO, Cal. (UP)—Art V. Buel, 63-year-old dean of Pacific coast newspaper cartoonists and an artist for McClatchy newspapers, drew a cartoon in 1910 which started the late Tex Rickard, boxing promoter, on his way to the "million dollars" gates.

Buel's cartoon appeared in the Reno, Nev., Evening Gazette in 1910 and depicted nations of the world bidding for "the battle of the century"—a projected fight between Jack Johnson and Jim Jeffries. At the bottom of the cartoon Buel drew a burro saying: "Wait till we hear from Rickard."

Rickard, then in Ely, Nev., where he had gained the confidence of Goldfield business men in staking the Joe Gans-Battling Nelson fight there, saw the cartoon. "Why not?" Rickard asked. Promotion of the Johnson-Jeffries fight followed.

Young Women Receive NYA Shop Experience

BUFFALO, N. Y. (UP)—Mechanical-minded young women are receiving NYA work shop training for the first time here as protection against an expected shortage of manpower in key local industries when the defense program gains greater momentum.

The initial group of women numbered 100, and was assigned to the machine shop, sheetmetal, welding and radio work. Transfers from other NYA projects and new assignments continued until a total of 250 girls were employed.

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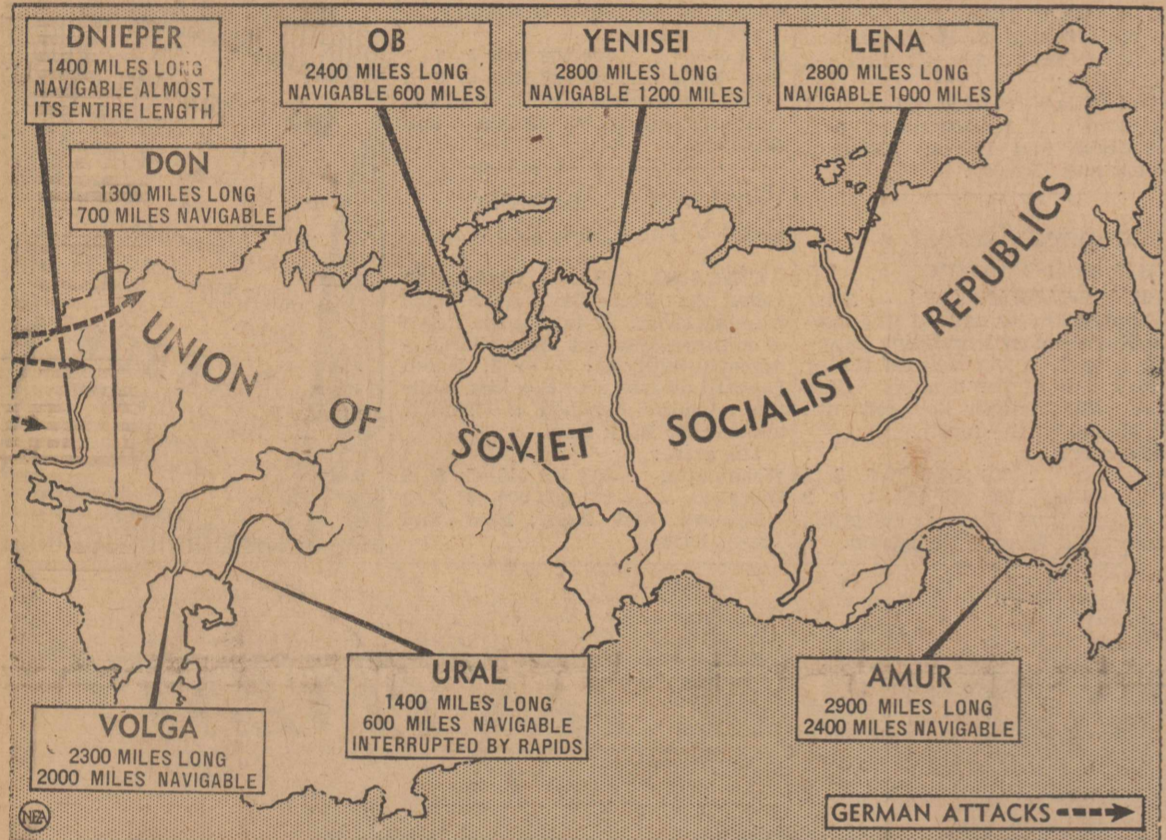
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GREAT PUBLIC DEBT

In 1940 New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania together had a

greater total state and local public debt than 33 other states combined, according to the Bureau of the Census.

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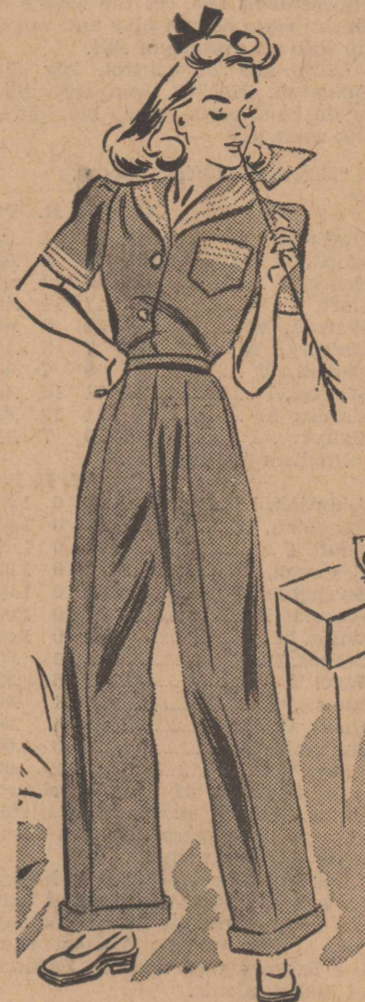
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"Billy The Kid"



Robert Taylor, Mary Howard and Brian Donlevy in "Billy the Kid," playing at the Yucca, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Spectacular action story of the old West in its colorful frontier days, the picture presents Taylor in his first Western role as a hard-riding, fast-shooting young outlaw. The picture was filmed in Technicolor in Arizona's outdoor wonderlands.

Shortages Raise Living Of Argentine Wage Earner

BUENOS AIRES (UP)—The dearth of essential imports, caused by the shipping shortage, is boosting the cost of living for the average Argentine wage earner.

Fuel, certain articles of imported foodstuffs, clothing, cosmetics, liquors and sports articles are affected today, and prices continue to rise.

FOUNDATION GETS EARNINGS OF DR. GEORGE CARVER

TUSKEGEE, Ala. (UP)—Dr. George Washington Carver, negro scientist whose discoveries have included thousands of uses for Southern agricultural products, believes in making his earnings aid in continuing his life work.

Dr. Carver presented to the Carver Foundation, established last year with his life savings of \$33,000, a prize of \$1,000 given him by the Variety Clubs of America for outstanding service to humanity. To the sum he added \$662.82 which he had saved during the past year.

1939 AUTO ACCIDENTS SPARE YOUNG AND OLD

Of 30,468 deaths in the U. S. in 1939 due to automobile accidents, according to the Census Bureau, only two involved persons over 100 years of age, and 127 claimed infants under one year old.

Warfare . . .

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in Russian hands. Russian forces at Pinsk were said to be raiding the German rear.

Between the lines of the reports from Moscow one could read of intensive preparations for the German big push. Moscow was being cleared of children and the aged.

Leningrad was under heavy aerial assault. A Helsinki dispatch said great fires raged in the Russian base and industrial center after the latest German bombing. Railways and other transport and communication facilities of Western Russia were under heavy harassment by the Luftwaffe.

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Evening Bridge Is Compliment To Bride-Elect

Mrs. Hayden Miles Entertains For Miss Dorothy Speed

Miss Dorothy Lou Speed, who is being feted at a number of parties preceding her marriage to Paul Anderson Drickey which will take place next Saturday, was complimented by Mrs. Hayden Miles with an evening bridge at her home, 1106 W. Texas, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Yellow and white were favored in flowers for the party rooms and gift packages were tied in the same colors.

High score in the games was held by Miss Jane Marie Johnson and cut by Miss Ginger Kirby of Lawton, Oklahoma. Both presented their awards to the bride-to-be who also received a gift from the hostess.

A refreshment course was served. Present were: The honoree, Mesdames Geo. B. Ross, L. M. Freels, Jimmy Walker, L. W. Taylor, Thomas Lee Speed, J. M. Speed Sr., John M. Speed, Jr., Chas. Gibbs.

Misses Julianan Cowden, Jane Marie Johnson, Velma Johnson, Blanche Sisk, Kitty Gene Ellis, Jane Doran, Kirby, Adale Reiter, Anna Beth Bedford, Ruth Freeman, Sue Miles, and the hostess.

County Clubwomen Leave For Short Course At A&M

Five home demonstration clubwomen of Midland County and Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent, left Saturday for College Station to attend the Short Course at A&M College.

The clubwomen were: Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal of Valley View; Mrs. J. E. Wallace of Prairie Lee; Mrs. Marvin Bramlett of Stokes; Mrs. M. W. Randolph of Warfield; and Mrs. M. D. Rutherford of Greasewood Club. All five of the women will represent the county at the Short Course. Mrs. Wallace will also represent the homemaking and family life phase of land use planning at the land use conference.

The Short Course was scheduled for official opening Sunday morning.

The Midland clubwomen will attend sessions Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Three Midland County club girls will attend the girls' sessions, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday.

Miss Lynn will attend the entire week of meetings, returning Saturday.

Program for this year's Short Course will center around the economic situation in rural homes in the present emergency. Foods for defense and farm refrigeration will also be stressed.

Bandana For Barrie



Bright and cheery as Wendy Barrie herself is this playtime frock selected by the RKO-Radio star. Bandana-like cotton fabric of red, splashed with green and yellow flowers, styles the gathered peasant skirt and halter top. The refreshing blouse of white cotton broadcloth features eyelet embroidered ruffling at the high neck and on the puffed-out sleeves.

Westside Club's Annual Picnic Is Held At Park

Group Of Guests Joins Members In Cloverdale Outing

Members of the Westside Home Demonstration Club, their families and guests, gathered at Cloverdale Park Friday evening for their annual picnic.

A basket supper was spread and the evening was spent informally.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Upham and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hundle and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert King and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Fezell and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith and family.

Mrs. J. D. Webb and family, Mrs. Gladys Kinsey, Mrs. S. L. Alexander, Mrs. A. C. Caswell, and a group of guests including Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Woods and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. McDonald and family, Mrs. O. M. Tyner, Mrs. M. J. Allen, and daughter, Mrs. Frank Adams of Carrizozo, New Mexico.

First Baptist Vacation School To Open Monday

The daily vacation Bible school sponsored by the First Baptist Church will open Monday morning at 8:30 o'clock with sessions from 8:30 to 11:15 o'clock five days a week for two weeks.

John D. Matthews, choir and educational director of the church, will be the principal of the school.

Departmental superintendents will be: Intermediate, Mrs. John D. Matthews; junior high, Mrs. H. D. Bruce; junior low, Mrs. E. F. Conner; primary, Mrs. W. B. Preston; beginners, Mrs. Claude O. Crane. These will be assisted by helpers.

All boys and girls of the church and the community, from 4 through 16 years of age, are invited to attend, the principal declared.

Bible study, memory work, and handicraft will be on the school curriculum.

Advertising the school, a parade was held Friday afternoon with about 100 people present.

Methodist IHS Class Entertained With Games Party

IHS Sunday School class of the First Methodist Church was entertained Friday night with an informal party in the recreational room of the Educational Building.

Games of shuffle board and table tennis were played.

Present were: Misses Lois Guffey, Lois Ficke, Rita Whitaker, Ferrol Ficke, Maxine Cherry, Frances Guffey, Marian Newton, Lillie Mae Raney, Ruth Tidmore, Jack Pattison, Lynn Stephens, Johnny Carter, Tanner Laine, Bob McLaughlin, Leslie Lattimer, Paul Klatt, Thurman Whitaker, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Barber, and the Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hinds.

Bride Of Lieutenant Welch



Mrs. Darrell G. Welch was Miss Lucille Ragsdale until her marriage to the Midland aviator, Saturday, at Selfridge Field, Michigan.

Program Is Announced For District Rally Of Methodist Young People, Scheduled Here For July 19-20

Program has been announced for the Sweetwater district rally of Methodist young people to be held at Cloverdale Park here, Saturday and Sunday, July 19 and 20.

The rally will be held in the form of an overnight encampment, with all programs except the 11 o'clock worship Sunday morning to be held at the Park.

Miss Reita Mae Bigony of Big Spring, Sweetwater district director will preside.

The scheduled program includes: Saturday

3 to 6 p.m. Registration at Park or at First Methodist Church.

6-7 p.m. Picnic supper at Cloverdale Park.

7-7:30 p.m. Informal recreation.

7:30 p.m. Vesper service on topic "Following the Ray".

8-9 p.m. Plans for the future.

9-9:30 p.m. Lung stretching and throat exercises.

9:30-10 p.m. Platform program, "Shining Hour".

10:30 p.m. Bedtime meditation.

10:45 p.m. Taps.

Sunday

5:30 a.m. Revellie. Rising.

6-6:30 a.m. Morning watch on topic "The Risen Son".

6:30-8 a.m. Breakfast.

8-8:45 a.m. Union meetings.

8:45-9:45 a.m. Leisure.

9:45-10 a.m. Singing.

10-10:30 a.m. Morning devotional.

11-12 a.m. Worship service at First Methodist Church.

12:30 p.m. Dinner at the Methodist educational building through

Miss Speed Feted At Shower Given At Elkin Home

Yellow And White Featured In Gift Party Appointments

Shasta daisies, marigold, and tamarack in a silver bowl on a mirror base centered the lace-covered refreshment table when Mrs. Geo. B. Ross and her mother, Mrs. Terry Elkin, were hostesses at the home of the latter, Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, for a kitchen-and-crystal shower honoring Miss Dorothy Lou Speed, bride-elect of Paul A. Drickey.

Mrs. John M. Speed Jr. poured punch and Miss Edna Mae Elkin and Miss Ruth Freeman assisted in the dining room.

Yellow and white were favored colors, and daisies were used in decorations for the reception rooms.

Gifts were displayed during the afternoon.

The invitation list included: The honoree, Miss Dorothy Sue Miles, Miss Mary Jane Harper, Mrs. L. M. Freels, Miss Anna Beth Bedford, Mrs. L. W. Taylor, Misses Kitty Gene Ellis, Geraldine Griffith, Evelyn Hudkins, Jane Marie Johnson, Velma Johnson, Anabel Youngblood, Mrs. Thomas Lee Speed, Mrs. John M. Speed Jr., Misses Adale Reiger, Fredda Fae Turner, Julianan Cowden, Mary Sue Cowden, Ruth Freeman, Jane Doran, Mrs. Jimmy Walker, Mrs. Chas. Gibbs, Misses Nell Ruth Bedford, Jo Ann Proctor, Jessa Lynn Tuttle, Shirley Shipley, Barbara Jean Harper, Jeanne Davis, Jean Lewis, Eula Ann Tolbert, Helen Armstrong, Jane Hill, Katherine Brown of Austin, Mrs. J. M. Speed, Cr., Miss Blanche Sisk, and Mrs. W. Iley Pratt.

Mrs. R. E. Young Is Hostess To In-Honor Party

Prize packages wrapped in cool green-and-white and arrangements of garden flowers as house decor lent a seasonal air to appointments for the desert-bridge with which Mrs. R. E. Young, 718 W. Louisiana, entertained Friday afternoon in courtesy to Mrs. E. Leonard of Seattle, Washington. The visitor is here as houseguest of her sister, Mrs. W. D. Anderson.

Guests arrived at 1:30 o'clock and were served a dessert course, after which three tables of bridge occupied the afternoon.

High score prize went to Mrs. R. Z. Dallas, second high to Mrs. F. Aldrich, and bingo award to Mrs. W. P. Z. German.

Mrs. Leonard was presented with a gift from the hostess.

Guests were: The honoree, Mesdames Fred Turner, W. D. Anderson, R. E. Kinsey, Jas. H. Chapline, German, Dallas, Aldrich, John Dublin, J. E. Lowe, Richard Anderson, and Tom Sealy.

Tech Students Are Wed In Lubbock

WINK (Special)—Miss Carrie H. Oakley and C. Hoffman were married in Lubbock at the home of Mrs. J. Delaney, the Rev. J. Lewis, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Lubbock, reading the ceremony.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Oakley of Wink, and attended Texas Tech.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoffman, of Eola, Texas, and is a student in Texas Tech. They will make their home in Eola, after Mr. Hoffman completes his courses in Tech.

Sunbeam Band Meets At McPherson Home

The Sunbeam Band of Calvary Baptist Church met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Fred McPherson, who was in charge of the class.

Bible stories were read and songs were sung.

Present were: Reba Bishop, Joyce Klatt, David McPherson, Espro Friday, Jerald Friday, Buddy Baker, James Baker, Willie Mae Baker, James Parker, and Ruth Parker.

The band will meet next Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

WHAT A SHOCK-COMPANY ACCEPTS DINNER OFFER

The Colonel's wife sent the following note to Captain Brown: "Colonel and Mrs. White request the pleasure of Captain Brown's company to dinner on the 20th."

Captain Brown's reply gave her quite a shock. It read: "With the exception of two sick men, Captain Brown's company have very great pleasure in accepting your kind invitation."

Midland Couple Repeats Wedding Vows In Single Ring Ceremony Read At Selfridge Field Post

Midland Church Sends Twenty-Four To Baptist Camp

Twenty-four representatives of Calvary Baptist Church attended sessions of the Baptist camp at Big Spring last week.

Attending the YWA encampment which closed Monday, July 7, were Mrs. Fred McPherson and little son, David, and the following girls: Misses Nellie Ingle, Laverne Spratt, Mozell Brooks, and Juanita Easley.

G.A.'s (Girls Auxiliary members) attending from Monday to Wednesday July 9, were: Evelyn Easley, Joan Easley, Joy Webb, Lois Shelburne, Irma Tunnell, Wanda Wilson, Mary Lou Smith, and Joyce Johnson. Mrs. McPherson was sponsor for this group.

R.A. boys who attended the camp opening Wednesday were: W. F. Rogers, Clyde Johnson, Barney Hightower, Charles Williams, Floyd Smith, Jack Hightower, Donald Smith, Paul Tunnell, and Delbert Shelburne. The Rev. Fred McPherson, Calvary pastor, accompanied the boys.

Children's League Meets At Home Of Mrs. Walter Collins

Mrs. Walter Collins, 1207 W. Texas, was hostess to the Children's Service League in its meeting Friday afternoon.

Members continued summer sewing and discussed work of the organization.

Present were: Mesdames Burton Atkinson, Harold Adkison, R. L. Blunden, Cooper Hyde, Frank Lewis, Vaughn Maley, W. T. Schneider, and the hostess.

Next Friday the League will meet with Mrs. J. E. Dickinson.

REVIVAL SINGING AT FUNDAMENTAL CHURCH

The Christian Revival Singing will be held Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Fundamental Baptist Church.

The public is invited to attend.

Miss Ragsdale Becomes Bride Of Lieutenant Welch

The post chapel at Selfridge Field, Michigan, was the scene Saturday evening of a wedding of interest here, when Miss Lucille Ragsdale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ragsdale of Midland, became the bride of Lieut. Darrell G. Welch, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Welch also of this city.

The couple repeated the vows of the single ring ceremony read by the post chaplain in the presence of a group of officers from Selfridge Field.

Lieut. Ted H. Runyan served as best man and the maid of honor also bore the title of Lieutenant, being a nurse in the Army service.

The bride chose a navy blue tailored sheer frock for her wedding costume. Her navy felt hat was worn with a shoulder length veil and bag and shoes were navy, while elbow length white gloves afforded contrast. Her flowers were worn as a corsage.

After the wedding, Lieut. and Mrs. Welch were honored at a reception given by friends at the post. Later in the evening, the couple left for a honeymoon trip to Niagara Falls after which they will be at home in Mt. Clemens near Selfridge Field.

The bride is a graduate of Abilene High School and came to Midland about two years ago. She has been employed with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Lieut. Welch is a graduate of Midland High School where he was a member of the football team. He attended the University of Texas and received his commission as Lieutenant in the air service this spring at Barksdale Field, Shreveport, Louisiana. He is now stationed at Selfridge Field.

Unexpected Club To Meet Monday

The Unexpected Club will hold its bi-monthly party Monday evening with Miss Brittle Neill hostess at 604 South N Street.

Guests have been bidden to "get on your most comfortable duds and seek your happiness with your fellow Barnyard Brothers."

Coming Events

MONDAY

Circles of Calvary Baptist WMU will meet Monday afternoon at the usual hour as follows: Carrie Sorge Circle with Mrs. J. E. Edwards, 508 S. Main; Sarah Thornton Circle with Mrs. Barney Hightower, 1004 S. Terrell Street; Katherine Shelburne Circle with Mrs. Gene Shelburne, 707 S. Fort Worth Street.

Brownie Scout Pack will meet at the Girl Scout headquarters Monday morning at 9 o'clock with Mrs. L. C. Dunkelberg and Mrs. B. K. Buffington leaders.

Intermediate Girl Scouts will meet at the headquarters Monday morning at 9 o'clock with Mrs. Jimmie Wilson, and Mrs. Stanley Moore leaders.

Unexpected Club will meet with Miss Brittle Neill, 604 South N Street, Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

Martha Holloway and Annie Barron Circles of the First Baptist WMU will meet with Mrs. H. D. Bruce at her home on N Main street, Monday afternoon at four o'clock. Mrs. R. Grant will teach on the book "Signs of the Times"; Kara Scarborough and Glenn Walker Circles will meet at 4 o'clock with Mrs. Robert Cox, 1907 W. Texas, with Mrs. J. Howard Hodge teaching on "Straight Way Toward Tomorrow."

All four circles of the Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at the church Monday morning at 9:30 o'clock. Special guests will be the Rev. Hubert Hopper of Dallas, pastor-elect, and Mrs. Hopper.

Methodist WSCS will meet at the educational building, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Red Cross workroom in the old Baptist annex on N Main street, will be open Monday morning from 9 o'clock until 12. All Midland women are invited to assist in the work.

TUESDAY

Bridgette Club will meet with Mrs. W. B. Stowe, 1005 W. Tennessee, Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock for a dessert-bridge.

Brownie Scout Pack will meet at the Girl Scout headquarters Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with Mrs. Mal Schraub and Mrs. J. C. Williamson leaders.

Brownie Scout Pack will meet Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at the Girl Scout headquarters with Mrs. Fred Kotzka and Mrs. B. G. Martin leaders.

Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until one o'clock in the afternoon. The public is invited.

FRIDAY

Red Cross workroom in the old Baptist annex on N Main street will be open Friday morning from 9 o'clock until 12. All Midland women are invited to take part in the work.

Intermediate Girl Scouts will meet at Girl Scout headquarters at 9 o'clock Friday morning with Mrs. James Lupton leader.

Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. J. E. Dickinson, 712 Cuthbert, Friday afternoon at two o'clock.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. W. P. Collins, 710 South Weatherford, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

SATURDAY

Story Hour will be held in the children's library at the courthouse, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday from 10:30 o'clock in the morning until one o'clock in the afternoon. The public is invited.

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Personals

Miss Betty Jo Collins of Fort Stockton has been visiting her grandfather, J. P. Collins.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Troseth have returned from a month's trip to Minnesota and the lakes.

Mrs. W. C. Moore and two children have returned from a two-weeks trip to Denton, Dallas, and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Hammonds of Denison have been guests of her mother, Mrs. Jenett Whitmire.

Mrs. Ray Gwyn has returned to her home from a Midland hospital where she was a patient for several days.

L. A. Kuykendall and Noble Glenn are attending an insurance convention in Dallas. They are expected to return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Daniels were expected to leave Saturday night for Wichita Falls for a visit.

Miss Wynell Calloway went home from Ryan Hospital following surgery several days ago.

Miss Annie Bell Gunter underwent a tonsillectomy Friday at Ryan Hospital.

Newel B. Beauchamp, seriously injured in an automobile accident, was moved from Ryan Hospital to his home Friday.

Mrs. J. Alfred Tom has returned to Midland following a major operation at Temple two weeks ago.

Miss Constance Kinkle was admitted Friday night to Ryan Hospital for medical treatment.

Ed Shipp went home from Ryan Hospital Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Flannery planned to leave Sunday for a vacation trip to Detroit and northeastern and eastern cities.

Dye Alone Will Not Change A Blonde Into A Brunette

Colors In Makeup And Wardrobe Must Be Changed

By Alicia Hart NEA Service Staff Writer

Artists, makeup experts, heads of model agencies and others who not only know a beauty when they see one, but can tell at a glance whether she is making the most of her looks, are pretty well agreed that deciding to change the color of your hair involves more than simply having the dye job done.

They point out that a woman has a lot of things to consider, once she decides to become a brunette instead of a blonde, or vice versa.

For instance, the other day when blonde Virginia Bruce dropped in to the studio of Perc Westmore, famous Hollywood makeup man, and announced that she would like to wear a brunette wig for a day, Mr. Westmore said: "Very well. But just remember that being a brunette is more complicated than just changing the color of your hair. It means a complete change of makeup, including methods of application as well as difference in shades."

DARK HAIR MEANS DARKER MAKEUP

After finding a suitable brunette wig to cover Miss Bruce's blonde hair, Mr. Westmore explained that her mouth and eyes would have to be more strongly emphasized.

"The blonde who dyes her hair dark brown or black, leaves her lashes and brows quite light and continues to use light foundation, powder, rouge and lipstick, won't look natural at all," Mr. Westmore said. "Her eyes will be practically unnoticeable. Her complexion will seem pasty-white if she wants to be as pretty a brunette as she is a blonde, she will have to darken her skin, accent eyes and mouth."

Reverse rules hold for the brunette who bleaches her hair to a platinum or golden blonde shade. Naturally, black lashes and brows ought to be toned down with light brown mascara and eyebrow pencil. Medium or light brown lashes and brows may be left as they are.

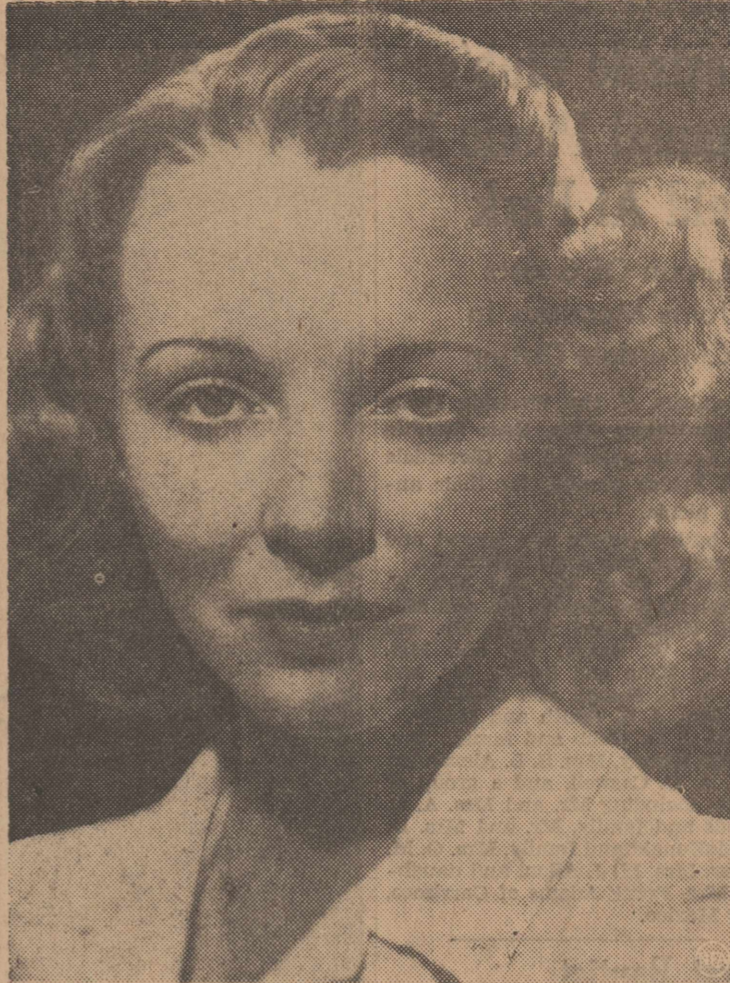
Light, clear red rouge and lipstick ought to be substituted for the rich, deep red shades which were smart before the hair was made so much lighter. Nothing is more unattractive than coal black brows and lashes and a wine-red mouth below platinum blonde hair.

DECIDING TO DYE YOUR HAIR

All of which adds up to the fact that dyed hair is not for one who has a minimum of time with which



Here's pretty Virginia Bruce in a dark wig. It calls for a darker, more strongly emphasized mouth, darker foundation cream and powder, of course, and more eye makeup.



Virginia Bruce is one of Hollywood's loveliest blondes. She wears light foundation cream and powder to match her light, creamy skin, light red lipstick and blue eye shadow.

to fuss with makeup. If you haven't time to fool around with special makeup tricks to make your face matched your dyed hair, don't dye it.

Furthermore, it's a mistake to dye graying locks unless you are going to have time and money to have the job done as often as necessary. Surely, the first dyeing ought to be done by an experienced operator in an expert beauty shop. Only an expert is qualified to choose a dye which will exactly match the hairs which have not turned gray, and exactly matched they should be.

Experts advise against trying to change the color of the hair once it has started to turn gray. The best plan is to have the gray streak tinted to match the hairs which have not lost their natural color.

Joyce Rendall Honored At Party

CRANE. (Special)—Mrs. Rena Rendall, assisted by Mrs. Fay Hankins, entertained with a party honoring her daughter, Joyce, on her eighth birthday at the Gulf Recreation Hall Thursday morning.

A patriotic theme was used in decorations and the favors were red, white, and blue pencils. Birthday cake and punch were served to Patricia and Barbara Brown, Marjorie Hodnett, Rose Marie Boyd, Wilma Jean Cook, Marena Don Robinson, Joan Gandy, Jere Lou Nibling, Elsie Jean Bass, Joan Dublin, Jeanne Young, Billie Marie Gooch, Venona Hamblett, Faye Dean Hankins, Gene Neeley, Clark Lee Pressley, Henry Cook, Martina Gaudry, Lova Lee, Margaret Ann Martin and Tommy Ruth Davis.

At Your Library

Our Neighbors to the South: Books about South America, Central America and Mexico:

Mexico, A Study of Two Americas, by Stuart Chase: The life and culture of Mexico as surveyed by a noted scholar and economist.

Mexican Interlude, by Joseph Henry Jackson: A distinguished author's account of his experiences while traveling in Mexico.

Call the New World, by John Jennings: A novel about an American soldier of fortune who fought in the armies of Bolivar and San Martin.

Latin America, by Edwin A. Kirkpatrick: An authoritative history of Central and South America from early days to the present.

Americas To The South, by John T. Whitaker: An interesting study by a noted journalist of Latin America, and its trade possibilities with the U. S.

Wings Over the Americas, by Alice R. Hager: A panoramic view of South America and the story of aviation pioneering, by an air-minded journalist.

Great Naturalists Explore South America, by Paul R. Outright: Description and discussion of the flora and fauna of South America. Many illustrations.

Chile, Land of Progress, by Earl Parker Hanson: "I believe it would be impossible," says Senor Anibal Jara, Comandante General of Chile in the United States, "to present in fewer pages as precise and complete a picture of Chile and her national characteristics."

Colombia: Gateway to South America, by Kathleen Romoli: Colombia is the nearest to us of all the South American countries. It is our gateway to South America. It is a country of vivid contrasts, whose colorful and violent history antedates our own by many years.

Central America: Challenge and Opportunity, by Charles Morrow Wilson: This timely survey takes a comprehensive look at the nations of the Caribbean basin, including, in addition to the six Central American republics, Colombia, in South America, and Cuba and Jamaica in the Caribbean Sea.

Introduction to Argentina, by A. W. Weddell. Green Hell, by J. Duguid (Bolivia).

Colombia, Land of Miracles, by Blair Niles. Transgressor in the Tropics, by Farson (Colombia).

The Romance and Rise of the American Tropics, by Crowther (Colombia, Central America). Fever, Famine, and Gold: The dramatic story of the adventures and discoveries of the Andes, Amazon expedition in the uncharted fastness of the lost world in the Llanganatis Mountains, by E. E. Loch. (Ecuador).

Brazilian Adventure, by Fleming. A Naturalist in Brazil, by Guenther.

Ninety-Two Days: The account of a tropical journey through British Guiana and part of Brazil, by Vaughn.

Jungle Peace, by Beebe (British Guiana). Crossroads of the Caribbean Sea, by De Leeuw.

Bush Master: Into the Jungles of Dutch Guiana, by Smith. Dry Guillotine, by Belbenoit (French Guiana).

Mosquito Coast: An account of a journey through the jungles of Honduras, by Keenagh.

Guatemala, by Ferguson. Notes on a Drum, by Jackson (Guatemala).

Images of Earth: Guatemala, by Rothery. Panama and the Canal in Pictures and Prose, by Abbot.

The Panama Gateway, by Bishop. In Quest of El Dorado, by Graham (Panama).

Panamexico, by Wells. Central and South America and the Caribbean. Banana Gold, by Beals. Southward Ho!, by La Varrey. Ports of the Sun: A guide to the

Tip From Tierney



It's a lovely and unusual cotton play suit that Gene Tierney, film starlet, wears for a seaside vacation. The suit has a long-sleeved blouse and pleated shorts, fashioned from cotton that has been printed in brown and white after the pattern of a South Sea tapa cloth.

Crane Young People Have Steak Fry

CRANE. (Special)—The Young People's Department of the First Baptist Church, and invited guests had a steak fry at the seven mile tank on the McElroy Ranch, Thursday evening.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Crowner and daughter, June, Adair Wilson, Effie Lucille Fortenberry, June Armstrong, Dora Lee Stroggins, Imogene Smith, Annie Laurie Henderson, Anna Belle Taylor, Dorothea Belle McClehee, Faye Griffin, Maurine Johnston, Don Reed, Billie Russell, Jesse Young, Charles Ham, James Kennedy, Perry Brunette, Paul Haskett and Mrs. A. B. Cook.

Odessa Minister To Open Revival

The Rev. John T. Kee, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Odessa, will conduct a revival opening Thursday, at the Calvary Baptist Church, 1005 S. Main.

Representative Taylor White of Odessa will be in charge of the singing.

Services will be held at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m. each day. The meeting will be open.

GAS AND ALCOHOL TAXES COMPRISE LARGE YIELD

According to the census, one-fourth of the total state tax yield in 1940 was derived from taxes on the sale of gasoline and alcoholic beverages.

Wink Boys Make Good Record In Philippines

WINK. (Special)—Six Wink boys stationed in the Philippine Islands are making a good record in Uncle Sam's armed forces, according to a letter received from Ted Reese, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Reese of Wink.

Besides Reese in the Philippines are Ralph Prichard, Robert Prichard, Kay Brittan, Roy Bowen and Everett Waldom.

They are in the 60th Coast Artillery, anti-aircraft division, machine gun squadron. The 60th originated in Texas and is stationed at Corrigedor Island, Cavite, P. I. Everett Waldom is in the air corps at the islands.

REV. BRUCE TO ATTEND MEETINGS

The Texas Baptist executive board, of which the Rev. H. D. Bruce, pastor of the First Baptist Church, is a member, will convene in Dallas Tuesday. On the same day the Baptist relief and annuity board will dedicate the new Baptist building in Dallas, completed at a cost of approximately \$200,000. It will house offices and headquarters for Baptist work in Dallas.

The Midland pastor will attend both the executive board meeting and the dedication service.

OLD BRIDLE BIT LENT TO MUSEUM

W. R. Upham has loaned to the Midland County Museum a bridle bit he unearthed while digging in his garden in Morningside, Fort Worth, in 1923. This bit is unusual. It is not wider than three inches, is perfectly made, and has acquired a coat of rust which prevents, one from telling whether it had been used.

When it was shown to cattlemen in the Scharbauer Hotel lobby one suggested, "It must have been used for a billy goat. It's too small for anything else." Quin sabe?

Caribbean, Bermuda, Nassau, Havana and Panama, by Early. Mexican Maze, by Beals; and others.

It's Wise To Follow "Office Rules" In That New Job

By Alicia Hart NEA Service Staff Writer

That bright young 1941 graduate who got a job last week has laid down a few rules for herself. Among them are:

I won't try to make my finger-wave do just one more day. I will have my hair washed and waved immediately after office hours on the same day each week or else I will set aside one evening a week and do it myself.

I will not try to get three days' wear out of a white blouse, knowing as I do that no white blouse will look really fresh after two days in an office.

I will wash white gloves and white collars and cuffs after one day's use.

I will not wear my skirts too short or too tight across the hip-line.

I will save plunging necklines and peek-a-boo blouses for out-of-the-office wear.

Nobody ever will have to tell me that my slip shows. I will make sure that it doesn't before I leave for work.

I will brush my hat and polish my shoes before I put them on in the morning.

MORE GOOD RESOLUTIONS

I will remember to straighten seams of my stockings each time I go to the washroom to put on lipstick.

I will cleanse my face and neck thoroughly and apply fresh makeup before lunch and again during the middle of the afternoon, if possible.

I will not powder my nose, comb my hair or rouge my lips at my desk.

I will sit straight when taking dictation, and I will stand tall and straight before the files or in front of the president's desk or wherever it is I have to stand. I know that nobody will think I am up-and-coming unless I look up-and-coming.

I will try to look reasonably good-natured—if not actually pleasant—when I am asked to stay overtime or to do a thankless or boring little task.

Caravaners Arrive In Midland To Hold Series Of Services

Members of the Youth Caravan which will conduct a series of meetings and study courses here this week under auspices of the First Methodist Church, arrived Saturday from Rotan. The courses will open Monday.

Four college students, two boys and two girls, with an adult counselor, Miss Jewell Posey, of Abilene, compose the Caravan. The students are: Miss Rebecca Douthett of Pendleton, South Carolina, who will be in charge of the worship course; Miss Rosalee Godbey of Georgetown, Texas, who will be in charge of recreation; Charles McEwen of Denton, Missouri, who will conduct the community service course; and Walter Ewing of Wharton, who will be in charge of world friendship work.

Miss Posey will teach a course for adults.

Caravan meetings will be from 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock in the morning and from 8 to 10 o'clock in the evening, daily, Monday through Friday. The total program will include class work, project work, forum, worship, and recreation. The work will close Friday with a consecration service.

All young people interested are invited to attend the Caravan meetings. Sunday services both morning and evening at the First Methodist Church will be in charge of the Caravan. Mr. Ewing will preach at 11 o'clock and Miss Godbey will sing.

Banner CREAMERY advertisement listing products like ICE MILK BUTTER ICE CREAM and a coupon for a tin-foil milk cap.

Chicken IN THE Bucket With Hot Biscuits 50c advertisement for Rountree Cafe.

SPECIAL Suits and Ladies' Plain Dresses CLEANED & PRESSED CASH & CARRY PETROLEUM CLEANERS 39c advertisement for a cleaning service.

Large advertisement for Cameron's Central Pharmacy featuring J.N. Green Stamps, various medicines like SMA, Dextri-Maltose, Stokley's Prepared Foods, PABLUM, and a list of five big specials.

DR. T. J. INMAN OPTOMETRIST advertisement for a special sale of glasses until August 1st.

New Frigidaire All-Porcelain -inside and out advertisement featuring a 6% CU. FT. Giant size refrigerator with a price of \$179.95.

Church News

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
W. C. Hinds, Pastor.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
1:00 a.m. Morning worship. The program will be in charge of the Youth Caravan.
7:00 p.m. Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Leagues meet.
8:00 p.m. Evening service. The Youth Caravan will be in charge.
Services conducted by the Caravans at morning and evening daily through Friday.

EVERYMAN'S BIBLE CLASS
L. A. Weaver, Teacher.
Meets at Mustang Hall 9:45 a.m. Sundays. Public invited.

PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE
Pentecostal
L. W. Roberts, Pastor
9:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
1:00 a.m.—Preaching service.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
L. Kasper, Pastor.
Sunday school at 1:45 p.m. and church services at 2:30 p.m. every second and fourth Sunday afternoon at Trinity Episcopal Church, 1410 Illinois.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
90 North A Street
C. Morgan, Minister
9:00 a.m. Bible study
9:50 a.m. Morning worship
7:15 p.m. Young People's Bible class
8:15 p.m. Evening worship
8:15 p.m. Wednesday. Midweek Bible study and song practice

UNITY CHURCH
Protestant Episcopal
Robert J. Snell, Minister in Charge
9:00 a.m. Sunday school
1:00 p.m. Evening prayer and sermon by pastor.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
1:00 a.m. The Rev. Hubert Hopper of Dallas, pastor-elect, will preach
8:00 p.m. Evening worship. Mr. Hopper will again preach.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
"Sacrament" is the subject of the sermon—Sermon which will be read at all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 13.
The Golden Text is: "A new commandment I give unto you, That ye love one another; as I have loved you, that ye also love one another. By this shall all men know that ye are my disciples, if ye have love one to another" (John 13:34, 35).

ALVARY BAPTIST
905 S. Main
Fred McPherson, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Sunday school.
10:00 a.m. Morning worship.
7:00 p.m. Training union.
7:00 p.m. Evening service.
7:00 p.m. Monday. WMU meeting.
7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Teachers' meeting.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday, prayer meeting.
8:30 p.m. Friday—Sunbeam Band meets at annex.
1:00 p.m. Friday. Junior G.A.'s meet at church.
7:30 p.m. Saturday. Intermediate G.A.'s meet at church.
1:00 p.m. Saturday. R.A.'s meet at church.

WOMEN'S CLASS
Teachers—Marvin Uimer and W. J. Pratt.
Meets at 9:45 a.m. Sunday in the Crystal ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. It is non-denominational.

EVENT DAY
DVENTIST CHURCH
V. Pennsylvania and Loraine
E. Carter, Pastor
Saturday services—
9:00 a.m.—Sabbath school.
1:00 a.m.—Preaching.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.

CHURCH OF CHRIST
South Side
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Bill Gipson, Evangelist.
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Thursday: 7:30 p.m.

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Motherhood Is No Longer A Bar To Beauty Career



Beautiful Dorothy Temple, one of the top-ranking fashion models, has a 9-year-old son. Being married and having a child haven't hampered the slim, glamor girl's career even a little bit.

By Alicia Hart
NEA Service Staff Writer

Time was when marriage very definitely put a woman on the shelf so far as a career was concerned. And, more often than not, having a baby spoiled her figure and made her look years older than her actual age.

All different these days. Rarely does an employer object to having married women on his staff. Rare indeed is the girl who doesn't slim down rather quickly after having a baby. Thanks to modern science and medicine, even rarer is loss of hair or softening and decaying of teeth during the months before the child is born.

Indeed, so much has been learned about pre-natal care that having children doesn't deter even the top-ranking professional models from their careers. Proof that their figures are just as good after having babies is the fact that a good percentage of the models most in demand for fashion shows and for magazine cover photographs are mothers.

RETURN "LOVELIER THAN EVER"

"Most of the girls on our list come back to work within three months after their children are born," says Harry Conover, head of a flourishing model agency. "Needless to say, they come back with slim, trim figures; hair as pretty as ever; skin clear; eyes bright. Their doctors outline special diets and give directions for special exercises. I never worry about losing permanently an employee who leaves to have a baby. I know by now that she'll be back pretty soon, looking lovelier than ever."

TAKE EVEN MORE PAINS WITH THEIR APPEARANCE

"And don't think for a minute," Harry Conover continued, "that the models who marry don't double their efforts always to be well-



Here's Bettina Bolegard, top-flight model, with her two-year-old son. She's one of the most widely photographed young women in the business, and the responsibilities of marriage and motherhood have merely added to her charm.

groomed and smartly dressed. Keeping up appearances for a young husband as well as for the photographers who take their pictures makes them doubly appearance-conscious.

"Besides, being just a trifle on the defensive about working-though-married makes them determined not to slide into shoddy habits of grooming. 'I'll show the boss that marrying hasn't changed me for the worse' is their attitude. They seem to take even more pains with their appearance than they did before marriage."

Among the more famous models who have children is lovely Bettina Bolegard, whose son is two. Miss Bolegard is one of the top-flight millinery models. Hardly a

Hound Tears After Fox; Reynard Doesn't Tally Ho

EAST HAMPTON, Conn. (AP)—Ned Hollister's hunting hound, Teddy, met one fox that doesn't "tally ho!" according to the rules.

Teddy trotted bravely into the woods but soon was seen tearing for home with a large gray fox in pursuit.

Hunters speculated that the hound had uncovered a mother fox's litter.

APOLOGETIC REQUEST

DES MOINES, Iowa (AP)—Iowa Department of Public Safety employees received an apologetic letter from a young woman.

"I'm sorry to be so much bother," she wrote, "but will you change the address on my driver's license since the room rent is coming due and I have to move."

Answers

1. Not unless you can do it silently.
 2. No. Afterward is plenty of time to treat them as members of the family.
 3. Certainly.
 4. The latter. The former is correct if your mother's name is different from your own.
 5. Not at all.
- Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Wink News

G. O. Ragland and family have moved from Wink to Sundown, where he has been transferred by the Stanolind Oil & Gas Company. employees of the Stanolind in the Wink offices as district gauger.

Mrs. J. W. Yarbrough, and little son and daughter returned from a visit with relatives in Ennis, Texas. Mr. Yarbrough is an employee of the Texas Electric Company in Wink.

The First Christian Church in Wink has employed a new pastor, the Rev. Henry L. Ray, of Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Ray arrived last week.

Owen Reeves and family have returned from a two-weeks visit with relatives in Central Texas. They spent the greater part of the time visiting Mr. Reeves parents in Junction City. They were accompanied home by Miss Edith Lott, a niece of Mr. Reeves.

Lee R. Pool, county agent serving Winkler and Loving counties, left for College Station, where he will spend two weeks, doing some special studying required in his official duties.

August Salless has purchased a grocery business in Kermit.

The Rev. R. C. Brinkley, pastor of the First Baptist Church, has returned from Megargal, Texas, where he took his wife and two daughters for an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Mary Helen Lee, who has been in Austin, as secretary to Senator H. L. Winfield, has returned to Wink, for the summer, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Lee, Jr. She was accompanied home by a sister, Mrs. Katherine Nickens, who will visit here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Best have returned from a visit with relatives in Van Alstyne, Texas. Mrs. Best has charge of the welfare work in Winkler County.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Johnson and children of Salesburg, N. C., are spending a few weeks here as guests of Mrs. Johnson's parents, Postmaster and Mrs. Paul E. Jette. Mr. Johnson was for several years an employee of the local postoffice, and is employed in the post office of Salesburg.

Mrs. Virginia Tisdell, of San Diego, California, is visiting friends here. She is accompanied by her daughter. They are former residents of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Powell of Portales, N. M., are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Prater over the week end.

W. M. Hurd and wife have left for a two-weeks vacation trip through New Mexico, Colorado and Oklahoma. During the absence of Mr. Hurd, Woodie E. Sylvester, relief manager of Lubbock, will have charge of the Rig Theatre.

Dr. and Mrs. Frank C. Scott of Haskell, are guests in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Melvin Dow.

Mannerheim Welcomes Nazi Division Arrival

HELSINKI, Finland (AP)—Field Marshal Baron Carl Gustav Mannerheim in an order of the day Saturday welcomed the 163rd German division under the command of Lieutenant General Engelbrecht to the northern front.

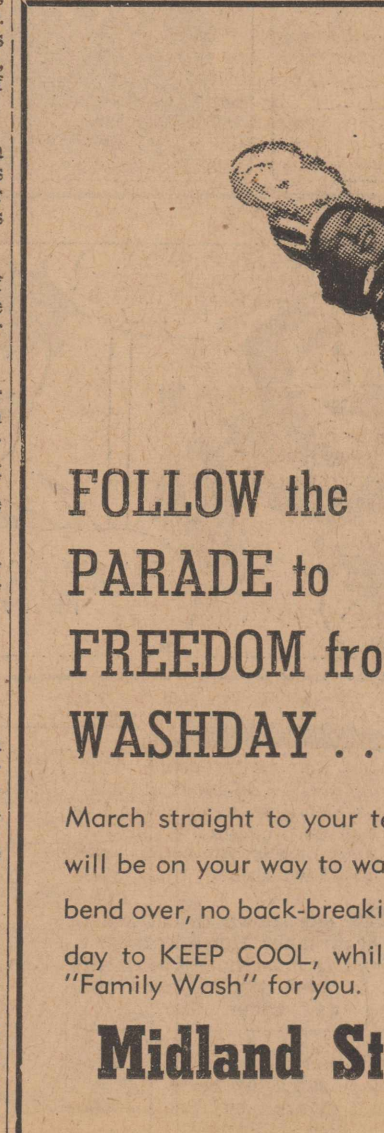
KNIFE PIERCES HEAD BUT RECOVERY SEEN

ANAMOSA, Ia. (AP)—Robert Hartman was wiring a new home. A large knife which had been stuck in a board jarred loose, fell point first on Hartman's head. It pierced his skull and severed an artery. He apparently was recovering Saturday.

Lady, You Are!



Men must be either scarce or blind if lovely Barbara Dillon felt she had to join Atlanta, Georgia's "I Want To Be Drafted" Club to get a date. Anyhow, she got a date. (NEA Telephoto.)



MIND Your MANNERS

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

1. Is it good manners to eat popcorn in a movie?
2. Should a girl start calling her fiancée's mother and father Mother Brown and Father Brown before she is married to them?
3. May the lettuce underneath a fruit salad be eaten?
4. In introducing your mother, whose name is the same as your own, should you say "This is my mother, Mrs. Smith" or "This is my mother?"
5. Is it necessary for a man to introduce his secretary to everyone who comes in to see him. If the secretary happens to be in the same room working at her desk? What would you do if—
You are a girl applying for your first job and wonder how to dress—
(a) Wear a fluffy afternoon dress, big floppy hat, and high-heeled, open sandals?
(b) Wear tailored street clothes, smart hat, and shoes with a medium heel?
(c) Wear a sweater and skirt, saddle oxfords, and go bare-headed?

Answers

1. Not unless you can do it silently.
 2. No. Afterward is plenty of time to treat them as members of the family.
 3. Certainly.
 4. The latter. The former is correct if your mother's name is different from your own.
 5. Not at all.
- Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Rice and sons, Bert and Jack, 808 West Kansas, left for a three-weeks trip to Illinois. They will visit Rice's parents, Dr. and Mrs. L. L. Rice, Bridgeport, Ill., his sister, Mrs. R. W. Bradley, Springfield, and also in Chicago.

Billy Joe Hall, who is working in Odessa, was among Midland weekend visitors.

TWENTY STUDENTS ENROLLED IN COLLEGE CAA SCHOOL

Twenty students are enrolled in the East Texas State Teachers College CAA school.

MIDLANT CLUB DANCES AT STUDIO

The Midlante Club held its monthly dance at the Palette Club studio on N Colorado Street, Saturday evening.

MIDLAND VOICE TEACHER SUMMERS AT LONG BEACH

Mrs. Maud Leonard, Midland voice and piano teacher, is spending the summer at Long Beach, Calif. She is taking special voice lessons under Maestro Pietro Cimini and reports that she is enjoying her work.

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By William E. McKenney
America's Card Authority.
When your partner opens with one of a suit, don't bid one no trump to show a "bust." You can show that by passing. The response of one no trump should show you have some high cards, from about one-half to one and one-half honor tricks, with probably two suits stopped. Above all, if your hand is borderline, bid two of his suit if you can, in preference to one no trump.

In today's hand North has a typical correct no trump response over one spade. He cannot make a suit takeout, nor can he bid two spades, yet the hand is too good to pass.

South must pass if North is a "bust" no trump bidder. In a recent duplicate game North played one no trump and actually went down one, losing four clubs plus one trick in each other suit.

But South may try out the diamonds if North is a sound bidder. North then has to confirm the suit, as he has good support and as South could have a game-going hand on this bidding. South is glad to pass three diamonds and this contract is laid down.

Big Wheat Crops Burden Storage

By Franklin Mullin
CHICAGO (AP)—Northward progress of wheat harvesters, piling up a bumper new crop on top of a record-breaking carryover, is clogging the nation's marketing machinery as never before.

Unprecedented flow of grain into storage already has resulted in placing of partial cargoes to limit receipts for this purpose at two major terminals—Kansas City and St. Louis. Grain men said Saturday they expected other markets to be forced to clamp restrictions on receipts as harvesters push up from the Southwest to keep pace with ripening grain.

The problem of finding storage room for new crops, principally wheat and corn, is complicated by the fact that the nation's carry-

Midland Ropers Will Compete At Andrews

A team of Clarence Scharbauer, Jr. and Cecil (Pop) Roberts of Midland will compete with Chester Etter and Frank Miller in a matched calf roping contest July 19 at Andrews. The event is sponsored by the Andrews Rodeo Association.

The roping match is a feature of the rodeo. Scharbauer, Roberts, Etter and Miller will rope six calves each. The contest between the teams is advertised as an event "bringing together real cowboys, who work on ranches in Andrews or neighboring counties."

Over these two grains, which take up the bulk of elevator and warehouse space, is the largest on record. Government figures indicated the country will have a record supply, 6,700,000,000 bushels of grain, when all crops are in this year.

Forecasts On Plane Production Indicate Increase In Ferrying

WASHINGTON (AP)—Official forecasts of greatly increased airplane production beginning in October were coupled Saturday with indications in authoritative quarters that scores of young American pilots ultimately will engage in ferrying combat craft across the Atlantic to Britain.

For several months airplane production has moved forward at a relatively slow pace. But by October, defense officials say, tributary industries such as aluminum will begin to turn out needed supplies in quantities that will permit plane manufacturers to run huge new assembly plants at virtually full speed

RECEIVES NOTICE OF DAUGHTERS INJURIES

WINK (Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Ike Moore received word of serious injuries to their daughter, Mrs. Bob Thomas, Silver City, N. M., when the car she was driving rolled over and embankment. She is in a Silver City Hospital, but expected to recover.

With emphasis on attaining the goal of 500 bombers a month, at least half of these two and four-motor ships will be turned over to the British, it is expected.

While the eventual solution apparently may depend on the extent of American involvement in the war, several possible methods are being discussed here. All involve the increased use of United States fliers over the Atlantic, since British and Canadian are required for combat service in England.

League Will Sponsor Navy Day Observance

Secretary of the Navy League of the United States to be official sponsor for the observance of Navy Day Oct. 27.

In a letter to Commodore Shelton Clark, head of the Navy League of the United States, a copy of which was received by Captain T. A. Thomson, Jr., Acting Commandant, Eighth Naval District, Secretary Knox wrote:

"The observance of Navy Day this year takes on a greatly expanded significance. The Navy is already recognized as the greatest Navy in the world, and when the building program which is now in progress is completed, we shall have on both oceans naval power superior to any that can be brought against us."

Midland And Kermit Men Test Livestock

Dr. J. O. Shannon and C. R. Roberts, both of Midland, and Lee R. Pool, Kermit, have been testing Winkler County dairy herds, and registered Hereford herds. They have given about 100 tests for bangs. They also vaccinated a number of horses to prevent sleeping sickness. There are no cases of sleeping sickness in the county.

CLERGYMEN OUTNUMBER PHYSICIANS 22 TO 1

Clergymen outnumber physicians 22 to 1 in American Samoa, according to the Census Bureau. There are 89 clergymen and four physicians. In addition to the 89 clergymen, 12 persons gave their occupations as "religious workers."

DEFENSE BOND QUIZ

Q. If I have several Defense Bonds, or one Bond of large denomination, may I obtain part of my money should I need it, and leave part invested?

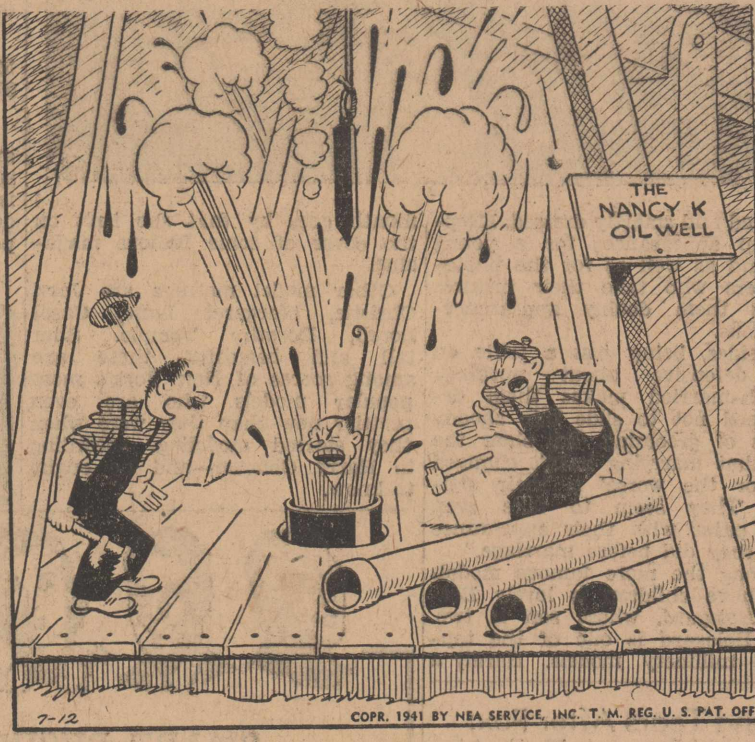
A. Yes. For example, a Series E Bond may be redeemed on demand at any time after 60 days from date of issue, payable at its cash redemption value. Upon payment in part, the remainder will be reissued and will be of the date of the original Bond.

Q. Can I get my Defense Stamps money back, if I suddenly need it?

A. Yes. Owner may redeem Stamps at any time. Note—To buy Defense Bonds and Stamps, go to the nearest post office or bank.

By J. R. WILLIAMS

Funny Business

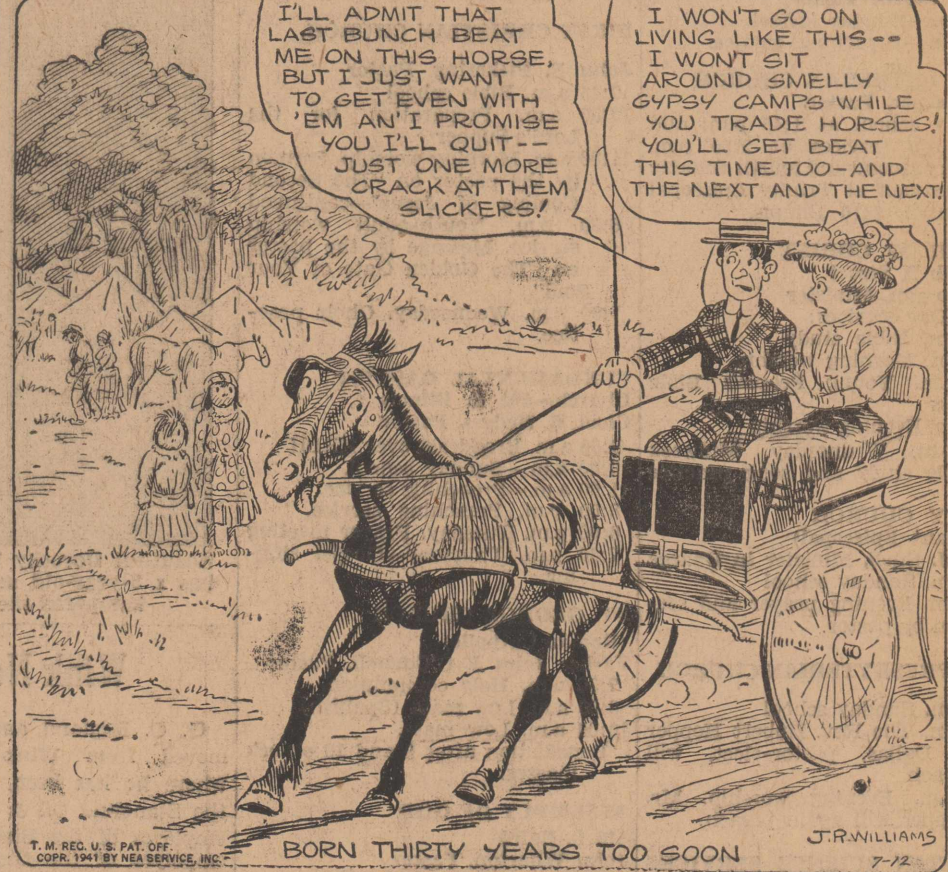


Why the heck don't you guys look where you're drilling!

OUR BOARDING HOUSE

MAJOR HOOPLE

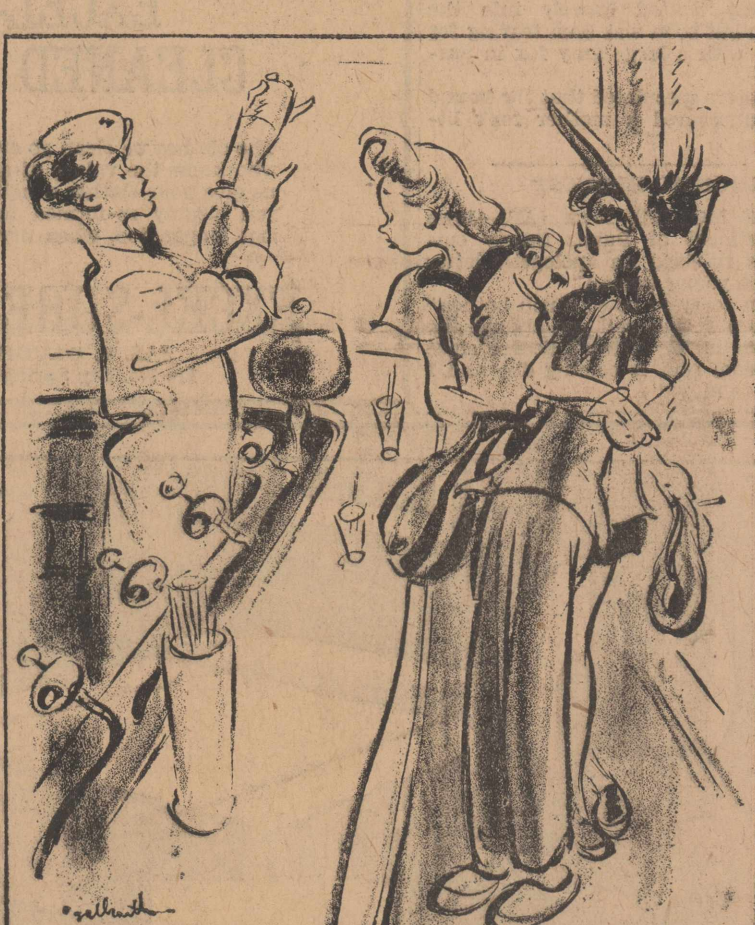
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KRLH PROGRAMS

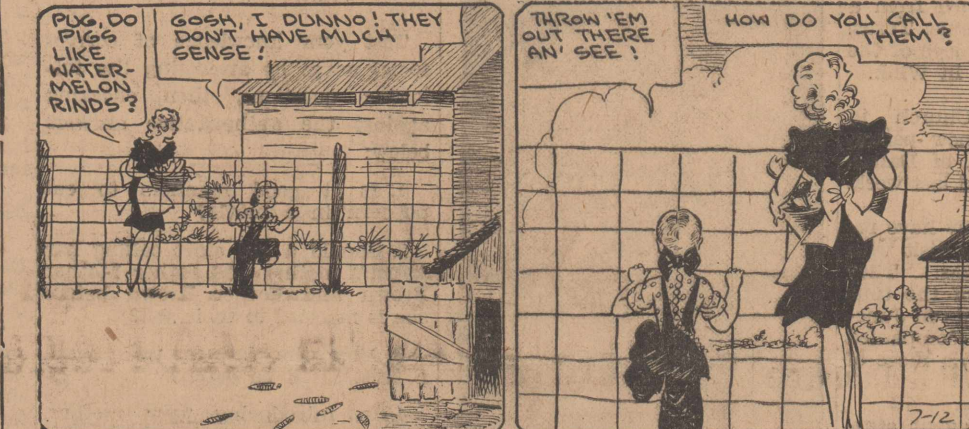
- SUNDAY
- 7:00—News, TSN
 - 7:15—Mandolettes
 - 7:30—Morning Melodies
 - 8:30—Recorded BBC News, MBS
 - 8:45—Melody Boys' Quartet, MBS
 - 9:00—Fundamental Baptist Church
 - 9:15—Musical Interlude
 - 9:25—AP News Bulletins, MBS
 - 9:30—Grant Church Service, MBS
 - 9:40—America Preferred, MBS
 - 10:45—To be Announced
 - 11:00—This is Fort Dix, MBS
 - 11:30—Haven of Rest, MBS
 - 12:00—News, TSN
 - 12:15—Children's Chapel, MBS
 - 12:30—Art Mooney's Orch., MBS
 - 12:45—El Paso Troubadors, MBS
 - 1:00—Bob Chester's Orch., MBS
 - 1:15—Melodic Moment
 - 1:30—Texas Hit Parade, TSN
 - 2:00—Christian Science Program
 - 2:15—Connie Wendell's Orch.
 - 3:00—Dedication of KRLH
 - 4:00—Midland Civic Music Club
 - 4:15—Musical Program
 - 5:00—Fight Camp, MBS
 - 5:30—Russ Morgan's Orch., MBS
 - 5:45—Wythe Williams, MBS
 - 6:00—Forum of the Air, MBS
 - 6:45—News, TSN
 - 7:00—Tex. Pharmaceutical hour TSN
 - 7:30—McFarland Twins Orch.
 - 8:00—Nobody's Children, MBS
 - 8:30—For Your Information, MBS
 - 8:45—Symphonic Strings, MBS
 - 9:00—Alvino Rey's Orch., MBS
 - 9:15—Recorded "Britain Speaks", MBS
 - 9:30—Pancho and His Orch., MBS
 - 9:45—Jan Garber's Orch., MBS
 - 10:00—Dance Orch., MBS
 - 10:30—BBC News, MBS
 - 10:35—Jimmy Joy's Orch., MBS
 - 11:00—Sign Off
- MONDAY
- 6:00—Music, Western Style
 - 6:30—Dawn Parade
 - 7:30—News, TSN
 - 7:45—Robert Royce
 - 8:00—News, TSN
 - 8:05—Musical Interlude
 - 8:15—John Agnew, Organist, MBS
 - 8:30—Singing Strings, MBS
 - 8:45—What's Doing Around Midland
 - 9:00—R. S. Berovick, MBS
 - 9:15—Melody Strings, MBS
 - 9:30—Songs of a Dreamer, TSN
 - 9:45—Easy Aces, TSN
 - 10:00—Neighbors, TSN
 - 10:15—Our Get Sunday, TSN
 - 10:30—Love Songs of Today, TSN
 - 11:00—News, TSN
 - 11:05—Musical Interlude
 - 11:15—Helen Holden, Govt. Grl, MBS
 - 11:30—Front Page Farrell, MBS
 - 11:45—Man on the Street
 - 12:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
 - 12:15—Luncheon Melodies
 - 12:30—To be Announced, MBS
 - 12:45—Say it with Music, MBS
 - 1:00—AP News Bulletins, MBS
 - 1:05—Dance Orch., MBS
 - 1:15—UP News Bulletins, MBS
 - 2:00—Shafter Parker & Circus, MBS
 - 2:15—Harold Turner, MBS
 - 2:30—The Johnson Family, MBS
 - 2:45—Three For Ten, MBS
 - 3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
 - 3:15—Glory Pleasants Trio
 - 3:30—John Sturgess, MBS
 - 3:45—Jack Conner Trio
 - 4:00—AP News Bulletins, MBS
 - 4:05—Paul Decker's Orch., MBS
 - 4:30—Songs by Lowry Kohler, MBS
 - 4:45—Army Program
 - 5:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
 - 5:15—Rose's Morgan, MBS
 - 5:30—Assembly of Jesus Christ
 - 5:45—Sport Cast

Side Glances

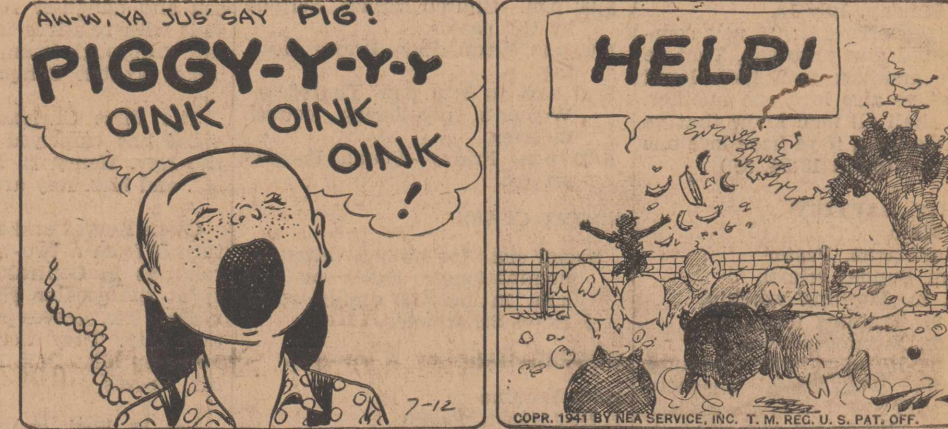


I'll be a senior in chemistry next fall, and dad says a summer in a drug store is just what I need!

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



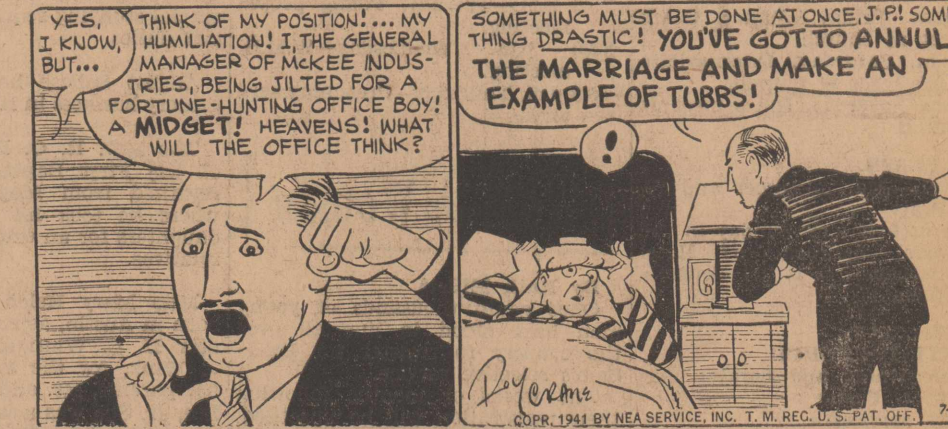
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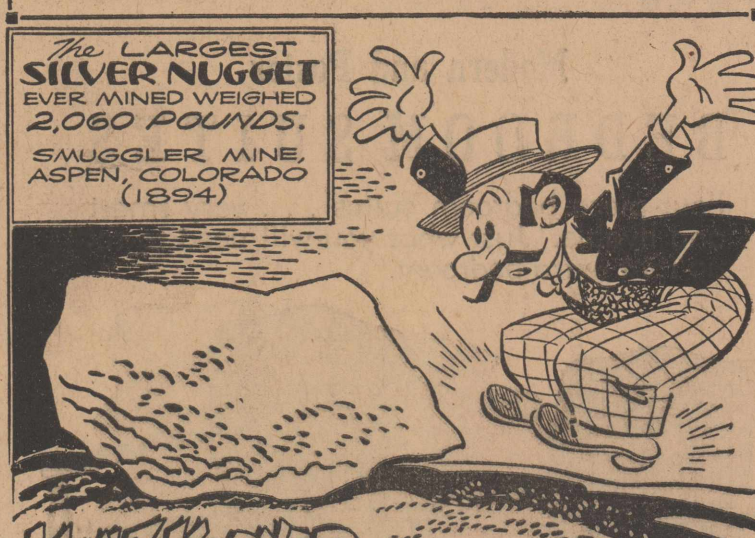
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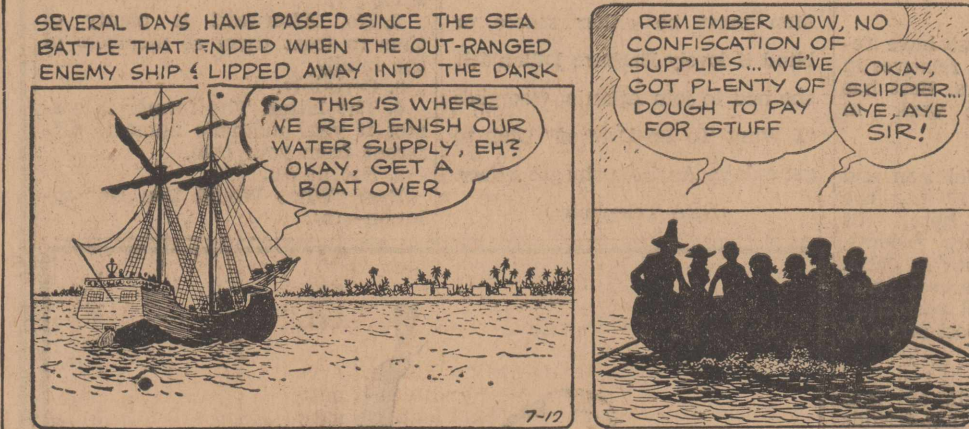


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Midland Construction Hits Week Of \$38,000

Midland building hit "boom proportions" and its peak for 1941 last week when \$38,075 in permits was issued, pushing construction for the year over the \$250,000 mark.

Permits for construction of medium to higher priced residences featured the building news. One permit was for an addition to a business house. A builder received permits to build three \$2,700 residences. Another was issued permits for two \$3,000 residences. Two \$6,000 dwelling permits were issued.

Permits for 12 boxed and stripped dwellings went to Roy Stockard. The group of houses will be in the south part of the city and each will cost \$300. The size of the houses will be 20 by 20 feet.

E. B. Dozier will build a \$6,150 brick veneer residence at 804 West Michigan St. in the High School addition. Materials will be lumber and brick and the size 46 by 57 feet. A garage will be attached.

Three \$2,700 Homes
A permit for a 63 by 28 feet, one-story, brick veneer residence went to Dave S. Grogins at 801 Cuffbert St. in the High School addition and cost will be \$6,050. A one-car garage is included in the plan.

E. P. Kenner received three permits for \$2,700 residences at 1201, 1203, and 1207 West Kentucky St. The structures will be five-room frame residences with one-car garages attached. Each will be 28 by 35 feet.

A. & L. Housing and Lumber Company will build two \$3,000 five-room residences at 1106 and 1104 West Indiana St. Both will be constructed of lumber and 28 by 36 1/2 feet. One-car garages attached, are included.

Newnie Ellis will make a 25 by 55 feet addition to Ellis Funeral Home at 104 West Ohio St. at a cost of \$3,500. Material will be stucco. The addition is for a new chapel room.

Additions And Removals
Mrs. W. M. Pyle was issued a building permit for \$2,800 construction at 1204 West Missouri St. A 46 by 24 foot house of lumber with one car garage attached will be constructed. The site is in the West End Addition.

Russell Lloyd at 1611 West Indiana will add a room to his brick veneer residence. Materials are to be lumber and brick.



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KRLH Station To Give Dedication Program At Hotel

KRLH will dedicate its new plant over the air with a program at 2:15 p. m. Sunday on the mezzanine floor of Hotel Scharbauer. Clarence Scharbauer, owner of the station, will speak.

Others who will appear on the program include citizens of Midland and its vicinity, civic leaders, Chamber of Commerce officials, and others.

Special musical and entertainment numbers are being arranged. The station last week broadcast with its new transmitter plant, operating from a 436-foot tower.

Open house at the new plant, west of the city will not be held until all technical equipment is installed. The station increased its listening area by erecting the new tower and going on 250-watt power. It operates on 1230 kilocycles, and serves Midland, Odessa and the Permian Basin.

Public Records

Warranty Deeds
A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co. to O. P. Watlington, all of lot 5 in blk. 44, West End Addition.

Mrs. J. W. Webb to City of Midland, NW/4 of the NW/4 of the SW/4 of Sec. 14, block 41 Tsp. 2 South.

B. G. Grafa to H. M. Howell, lot 8 and the North 10 ft. of lot 9, blk. 3, Kildglen.

W. E. Howell and wife to M. D. Cox, South 280 acres of the E/2 and east 40 acres of the SW/4 of Sec. 8, block 39, Tsp. 2 South.

Jno. M. Gist to B. G. Grafa, all of that part of Sec. 1, block 39 Tsp. 2 South lying N and East of the Midland Garden City Highway, except 2 acres heretofore deeded to the Primitive Baptist Church.

John W. Kelley and wife to Carmen E. McCain and wife, the East 40 feet of lot 5 and the West 20 feet of lot 6 in block 10 Elmwood.

J. V. Stokes and wife to Mrs. Irene Hill all of block 12, East Midland Addition to the town of Midland.

Hugh Corrigan to A. & L. Housing and Lumber Co., lot 8 block 29, West End.

E. P. Kenner and wife to M. A. Von Rosenberg and wife lot 2 block 54 West End.

O. H. Manahan and wife to Virgie Crockett, N 50 ft. of the South-west quarter, block 38, Homestead Addition.

B. G. Grafa and wife to W. F. Hejl, lots 8 and 9 block 1 Elmwood.

Harry Roberts to E. P. Kenner, lot 1 block 52 West End.

Chamber Of Commerce Directors To Meet

The monthly meeting of directors of the Midland Chamber of Commerce will be held at the organization's office in Hotel Scharbauer at 8 p. m. Monday.

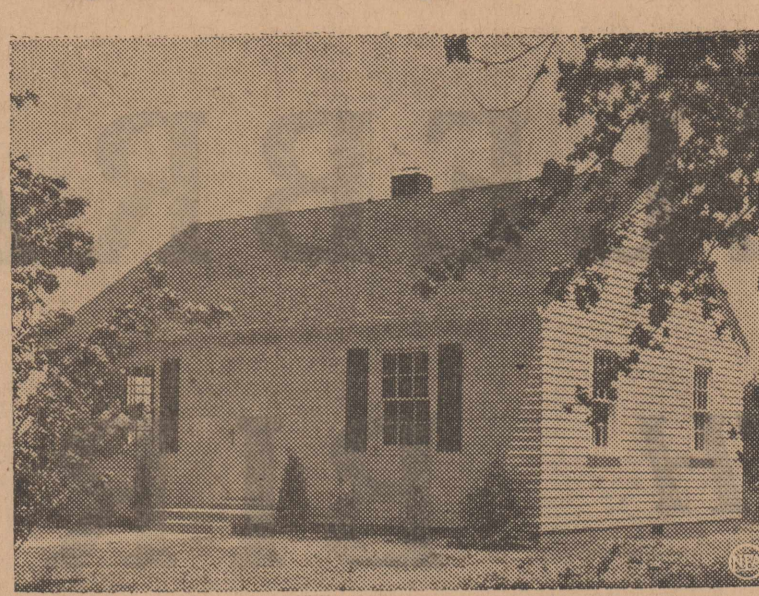
Although the session will be brief, several important matters are scheduled for discussion.

Page Reports 34,000 Registrants In Texas

Midland County's 70 registrants were among 34,530 in the state on July 1, General J. Watt Page, state director of selective service announced Saturday following tabulation of reports received from the state's 351 boards.

As in the first registration last fall, Harris County led the state with 2,759 registrants. Dallas County was second with 2,415.

Budget Home Has Plenty Of Room



Good planning and design do not raise house costs; more often they produce savings. This compactly planned small house of conventional design is for a family which needs room but whose budget limits the size of the house. Built in Indianapolis, Ind., and valued, with land, by the Federal Housing Administration at \$3,400, this house is simple of line and nicely massed. It is modern and genuinely functional.

Little space is given to halls, the closets are ample, the kitchen is adequate, and the important utility room is of exceptional size. The front door treatment is notable for its simplicity.

Field Survey For Training Center Nears Completion

The engineers' field survey for the Military Reservation of the U. S. Army's Advanced Twin-Engine and Bombardier Training Center at Midland was practically completed by Army engineers here Saturday.

Concrete markers were being set by the Army men.

Meanwhile, another group of engineers continued surveying the building area, west of Midland Municipal Airport, and staked locations for various structures. Approximately 200 buildings will be erected on the Military Reservation.

Construction of the air corps training center is expected to start within a few days.

The first job will be construction of a railroad spur into the Military Reservation.

Cites Provision In AAA Program

It is permissible for Midland county cotton producers to dispose of cotton to comply with the supplementary cotton program and bring their acreage reduction in line with the reduction indicated on their intention sheets, M. W. Whitmire, chairman of the Midland County AAA committee, has announced.

This is possible, Whitmire explained, by a recent amendment to the 1941 agricultural conservation program which provides that acreage will not be considered as planted to cotton if the cotton is disposed of before reaching the boiling stage or within 10 days after notice of the seeded acreage is given, whichever is later.

"Under no circumstances, however, may a cotton producer receive cotton stamps for reducing more acreage than he signed on his original intention sheet on the cotton stamp program," Whitmire pointed out.

The amendment also provides that if cotton is seeded but does not reach maturity, the smaller of (1) the acreage seeded to cotton, (2) 3 acres, or (3) 3 per cent of the 1941 cotton allotment will be considered as having been planted to cotton.

Group To Study Client Problems

The farm debt adjustment committee will study the financial situation of FSA applicants and borrowers and other low-income farm families, and explain their problems and plans for rehabilitation to creditors, effecting debt adjustments wherever possible, Hugh L. Euforal, rehabilitation supervisor, said.

A careful study of the tenure situation and help in working out more satisfactory and profitable lease arrangements for landlords and tenants will be among primary functions of this committee.

It also will seek to improve the living standards of tenant families and protect the land resources of the landlords.

Bomber Noses Over At Midland Airport

A small Army bomber nosed over and bent its propeller at the Midland Municipal Airport Friday evening. The plane was being taxied on the runway when the accident occurred.

It was taken into the large new hangar for repairs.

DEBT EXCEEDS INCREASE OF POPULATION IN U. S.
From 1902 to 1940, the population of the United States increased only 60 per cent, but total public debt—federal, state, and local—expanded 1775 per cent, according to the Bureau of the Census. Per capita total public debt grew from less than \$43 in 1902 to \$480 in 1940.

Ellis Funeral Home Plans Improvements; To Have New Chapel

Newnie Ellis, owner of Ellis Funeral Home, has announced plans for enlargement of his building to almost double proportions, including a new 25 by 55 foot chapel.

The interior of the funeral home will be remodeled and the new addition will be on the east side. The building also will be air-conditioned.

Addition of the new chapel will give Ellis Funeral Home two chapels. The new and larger chapel will have church pews, and an adjoining family room.

Ellis Funeral Home has operated in Midland since 1928. It recently added the services of Riley Parr, as mortician.

Markets LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH (AP-U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Cattle salable 250, calves 150. For week: top mature beef steers and yearling steers 11.50; grass steers 9.50; bulls 7.60.

Hogs salable 150; choice hogs scarce; few sales 10.75 down. Sheep salable 100; spring lambs topped at 10.25; two year old wethers 5.60; ewes 4.00.

Stocks

By The Associated Press

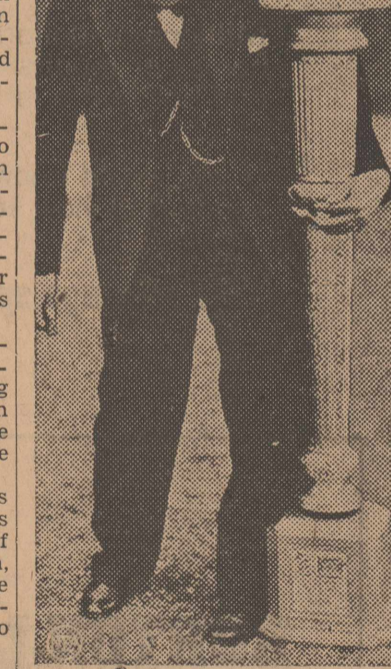
Amn T & T	156 7/8
Anaconda	29 1/4
Atchison	29 3/8
Chrysler	56 3/4
Corn Prod	49 3/4
Gen Elec	33 3/4
Gen Mot	39
Greyhound Corp	12 3/4
Nat Dairy	14
Panhandle P & R	1 1/2
Pet Corp	6 3/4
Plym Oil	16 5/8
SO Ind	32
SO N J	43 7/8
Tex Corp	42 1/2
Tide Wat	10 1/2
United Carbon	48 1/4
U S Steel	58 1/8
Wilson & Co.	5 1/4

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP)—Cotton future prices reached new 11-year high levels Saturday and then declined slightly to close 90 cents to \$1.10 a bale above Friday's finish.

Active Bombay, New Orleans and trade buying stimulated by unfavorable weather and crop reports sent prices up as much as \$1.30 a bale before hedging and profit taking cut in.

No Torch Carrier



Winston Churchill does a good job of carrying the troubles of British Empire. But he can't seem to budge this Canadian Victory Loan torch, recently presented him.

mentioned, the county FSA council will cooperate with the county land-use committee, AAA committee and other community groups.

Huff said he had been advised by State Director Rex B. Baxter meetings for committeemen and councilmen in Texas will be held soon and they will be given instructions as to their duties.

JAPANESE RESIDENTS ON GUAM NUMBER 326
Japanese residents of the Island of Guam number 326, according to the census. Only 28 of the 785 white population of Guam were born on the island.

Market Finishes Best Period In More Than Year

NEW YORK (AP)—The stock market Saturday concluded its best week in more than a year with irregularly higher tendencies.

Trends were indefinite from the start and, while there was a handful of gains and losses of a point or so at the close, variations generally were minor.

Hopefulness over business persisted as a bidding incentive, brokers said. There was some trimming of accounts, however, as the Nazis began a new and heavier smash at the Reds. Fears of much bigger taxes than most had expected also was a restraining influence.

Move 268,000 Shares
The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was up .1 of a point at 43.5 and on the week showed a net gain of 1.6 points, largest upturn for any similar period since June 1940. It was the third successive week's rise in this barometer.

Several sizeable blocks of low-priced issues lifted transfers to 268,040 shares, a top for any Saturday since May 10.

Western Union, Greyhound, Newport Industries and Chesapeake Corp. posted new tops for the year. On the upside were Crucible Steel Common and Preferred, Chrysler, Sears Roebuck, Southern Pacific, Eastman Kodak, Kennecott and Texas Corp.

Club Boys Will Enter Contests

County Agent I. O. Sturkie left Saturday for College Station to attend the annual farmers and ranchers' short course.

He will be followed there Wednesday by 4-H Club boys, Eugene Jones, Delmar Ray Bizzell, Clayte Graham, Bill Franks, O. C. Collins, Jr., R. C. Vest, Jr., and Kelly Lewellen.

The Midland County club boys will enter livestock and other 4-H judging contests for the first time.

Negro Will Report To Board For July 17 Call

Guy Rayford Dailey, negro, will report Wednesday to the Midland County draft board to fill the July 17 call for one negro inductee.

He will be sent to Fort Sam Houston, Texas. All other inductees have been sent to Fort Bliss.

Draft board members announced a news release caused two registrants, who had not filled out questionnaires, to report to the board.

TINFOIL FOR ENGLAND

Students of East Texas State Teachers College in three weeks collected 60 pounds of tinfoil for England.

Developments Over Tax Levies Brings Talk Of Revisions

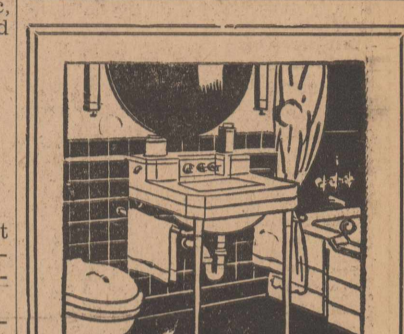
WASHINGTON (AP)—Mounting defense expenditures and controversy over tentatively-approved new levies led Saturday to Capitol talk of further revision of the \$3,500,000,000 tax bill.

Ten days ago the House ways and means committee gave preliminary approval to legislation to raise \$3,504,400,000, but there were reports it might be revised materially and its presentation to the House delayed perhaps until Aug. 1.

The bill is designed to raise \$1,154,500,000 additional in individual income taxes, \$1,332,000,000 in corporation levies and almost another billion dollars in excise and miscellaneous taxes. It is in the hands of bill-drafting experts who expect to complete it next week.

Because of President Roosevelt's requests in the last two days for more than \$8,000,000,000 additional for defense, some committee members predicted an effort would be made to raise the tax bill's total now, rather than wait until later.

One member said privately he would renew the periodic attempt to create a congressional super-budget committee to coordinate the government's expenditures and revenue.



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What FHA Has Meant to Midland and Texas

FHA is saving the home owners of Midland and Texas hundreds of thousands of dollars a year in interest charges on their homes; it has saved hundreds of homes from foreclosure; it has made the loans safe to the lenders; it has put thousands of men to work by making cheap money available for loans, thus stimulating building of new homes and repairing and remodeling.

FHA FACTS

FHA TITLE I

FHA has made it possible for thousands of Texans to repair, improve and modernize their homes and other property. It has provided simple character loans for amounts up to \$2500 for repair, improvement and modernization work, with terms as long as three years, on an easy monthly payment basis, and with no real estate mortgage required for this type of loan.

Under this plan, millions of dollars have been loaned

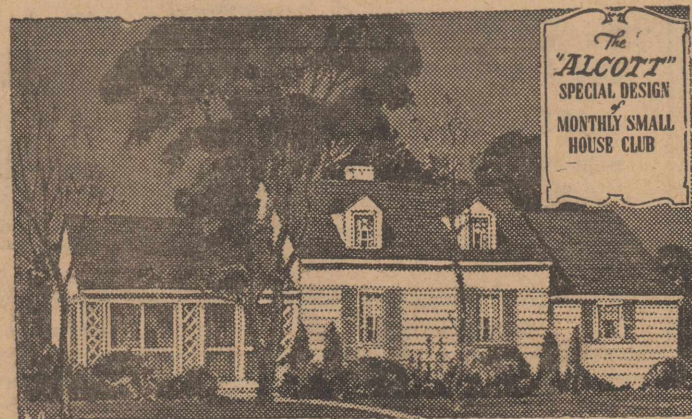
in Texas and all of this has gone into material and labor to repair and improve property.

This phase of the FHA plan is so comprehensive that it even includes loans for irrigation wells, pumps and stationary power plants to operate them. FHA has made it possible for thousands of Texans to refinance their homes at lower interest rates, for longer terms and at lower monthly payments—thus making it possible for them to save their homes.

FHA TITLE II

FHA has made it possible for thousands of Texas families to buy or build homes with loans up to 80% and in many cases 90% of value, and again at low interest rates and for so long a term as to make their monthly payments usually less than rent for a similar home in a similar locality.

FHA has made it possible for approved lenders to make residence mortgage loans that are absolutely safe, because repayment is guaranteed by the United States Treasury.

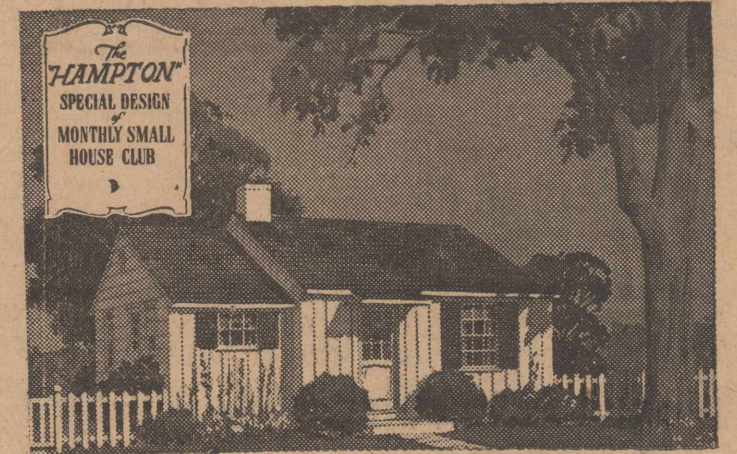


FHA HAS HELPED CREATE PROSPERITY and STABILITY

Millions of dollars of FHA loans in Texas have been spent for construction of new homes or repairs. This has meant millions in materials sold, millions in wages paid, and has had a large part in bringing back prosperity.

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