# Highway Accident Kills Three Germany Declares Key Cities Near Collapse 

Reports Force Hammering At Gates Of Kiev

## Ukrainian Win; Mosco And Leningrad Totter $=$   tier. By The Associated Press combined air and land sault, Moscow no longer zer thrusts by the Stalin Lin German frontal drive an a Finnish flank offensive Germans asserted Monday.

Houston Funeral Held In Midland




Japanese Boat Ploughs Sea Leaving High Nazis 4 Ashore

Churchill Declares Growing British Air Force Will Punish German Cities
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And Homelands And Also Strafe Italy $\begin{aligned} & \text { Flood Country Club } \\ & \text { And Mexican Section }\end{aligned}$



## Governor Gains

 216 Ballots On Board's Canvass

Fuehrer Races Time For Pre-Winter Win


Redmond, Greene

Test In Pecos In Simpson At 5,370




Knox States War Is Better Than Hitler-Directed Peace

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| WASHINGTON (AP) - Secretary ian head of the navy, expressed hope Monday that the policy of aid to Britain would not lead this coun- try into war, but he added that wa would be ""nfinitely preferable" to a peace "accomplished by a surAs the cabinetis's most outspoken champion of all-out assistance to the British, Knox said in an annirealistic enough to pursue that pol- icy wherever the pursuit of such pollicy might lead. "I. hope it will not lead us into war," he continued. "But in my eyes |  |
| Midland Citizens To Greeters Get-Together <br> Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hudson, Cy Jones, and Dave Myers left at 3 p. m. Monday to attend a meeting in Lubbock of the West Texas Hotel Greeters Association. <br> The meeting listed an educational theme and was to be followed by a business session. | British Destroy And Fire Ships In Attack CAIRO, Egypt (AP)-Two ships were destroyed and another was set afire Sunday in a British air raid on a convoy outside Tripoli, Libya, the RAF Middle East communique reported Monday. <br> Bomber aircraft on the RAF carried out successful attacks on an enemy convoy outside Tripoli yesterday," it said. |
| Police Escort Army Trucks Through City <br> Thirty-eight U. S. Army trucks traveling west were given a police escort through Midland Monday The trucks were empty. <br> Army officers requesting the estion of the convoy | Former Texas Ranger Of Two Wars Is Dead LaREEDO (AP)- Sam McKenzie former Texas Fanger who served along the Re Mexican revolutions, died at his home here Sunday night at the age of 66 . <br> In 1893, at the age of 18 , he entered the Ranger service, and served with that famed body of peace |

## LATEST NEWS FLASHES

San Angeloan Is Victim Of Crash West Of Midland

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 Strengthens Britain's Middle East Position



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| DO NOT EXPECT MAGICAL CROPS WITH－ OUT PLOWING AND SOWING AND CULTIVA－ TION；SEE IT THROUGH：No man having put his hand to the plow，and looking back，is fit for the kingdom of God．－Luke 9：62． |  |

## Great Achievements

The Axis pow Not the military conquests．They have accomplish－ ed a great deal more than that． idea of accomplishing．Things like these：

They have completely uncovered to the whole world The naked audacity，the shameless unscrupulousness，of
their plan to force into the Nazi mold as much of the world as pleases them．

They have resurrected the soul of the British peo－ ple；discredited and driven from power a leadership which
was indifferent alike to the Nazi menace and to internal Was indifferent alike to the Nazi menace and to internal
failure to adjust the British economic and social world to modern times．

They have shown the colossal folly of the exaggerated
onalism which caused the tiny nations created in cen－ nationalism which caused the tiny nations created in cen－ tral Europe by the First World War to hate and shun one
another；they have shown them that their only safety in future lies in collaboration． that so great a people can remain indifferent to what and reality into a Pan Americanism，and suddenly switch ed it from sentimental idealizing to life－and－death prac－
ticality．
They have virtually assured greater degrees of inde pendence to component parts of the British Empire，in cluding India，when the war shall be over．They have policies of the 19th century are not good 20th．

They have created among Norwegians，Dutch，French ples of Europe，nay，of the world，myriad masses of peo－ liberty，who will not soon again let the jewel slip from

Seeking to destroy liberty，they have restored to the strength and the dynamic it has not had for a hun－ dred years．
Seeking to turn the clock back to a medieval despo－
tism，they have opened the way tism，they have opened the way to progress and the de－
velopment of a real 20th century civilization which shall be neither Communist nor Fascist，neither socialist no yet capitalist in the sense that 1870 was capitalist． the individual has air to breathe，a chance to live and grow，bendin
his God．

## Waste

French lives by vichy to defend something in Syria which was not French，from a power that has for many year been the devoted friend and ally of the French people？ frame a constitution for France？ Both are a waste，the former of precious lives，the
other of time，which is not worthless even in conquered France．The advisory commission．which is to put in words
the ideas for what Marshal Petain now calls＂an authori tarian hierarchical social state，＂will deliberate solemnly， no doubt，framing a constitution for a people without sov－ ereignty，preparing to ask that people to tailor to its own
neck the collar designed by the conquering Nazis．It is
a depressing and forbidding pieture peoples which succumb to Nazi domination．

## Building National Muscle

is higher than ever before in the country＇s history $51,647,000$ ，according to the National Industrial Confe ence Board．Until this estimate it has been customary thimk of the number of employed workers as roughly 45,
000,000 ．Fewer than $4,000,000$ remain cording to the same source，the lowest number since Sep tember， 1930.
correct they tional muscles ．They do suggest，however，that the na It was with are bigger and stronger than ever befor tary machine；it is this steadily growing volume of Ameri can man－hours of work that gives the best hope of see ing him defeated．
Strangling Culture
What the＂new order＂in Europe means to the con
quered：
uered
In Czechoslovakia，all Czech schools will be closed at versities，now completely German－dominated，The uni－ Czech students to return this year if they met certain re－ quirements，but not 1 per cent ever returned．The Prague
City Library was temporarily closed，then reopened．But of its 15,000 books， 10,000 had been removed from the
shelvés by the eensors in the interim and athletic societies have been completely dissolved． day＂－with darkness．

## Fun In The Kremlin



## Oil News－－



RAF Scores Hits On Two Vessels； Bags 7 Airplanes




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American－Made Planes Win Again


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MEN W ANTED

There＇s more than one way that advertising brings men to work

The most important way is when advertising is used to increase sales．

Instead of＂men wanted，＂it says，＂customers wanted．

And more customers mean more jobs in the stores and factories that keep busy by using advertising．

The Reporter－Telegram

## x <br> That Gloria Swanson, Pepping

Midlante Club Has Monthly Dance At Studio

Youth Caravan Opens Work At Methodist Church
Project work sponsored by the
Youth Caravan here this week under
auspices the First Methodist
Churrch opened

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recreational room.
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meving pitctures, will be made by
the citizenship and community serCharles McEowen.
Worssinp programs are being plan-
ned by the worship group led by
Miss Retececa Douthit The adult class taught by Miss
Jewell Posey was scheduled to open
Monday night. In preliminary sessions of the
classes Sunday evening. appori-
mately 35 young people were presmately 35 young people were pres-
ent, and about 15 or 20 in the pro-
ject meetings Mondar morning
Morning sessions will be devoted The evening programs will consist
of classen, young peoples forums,
worship, and recreation periods. The opening forrum periods.
be on bill
boy-and-girl relationships. Following is the program for
evenings until Friday:
7:3 Classes
8:00- Young


## Meetings will be held in the Met odist educational building.

| FEMININE |
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| FANCIES |
| By Kathleen Eland | Time was when cotton in the the

wardrobe was frowneo tuon by fase
tidious Miss Amerrica for ary anthing
other than use in house dresses and
kitchen aprons. But times do kitchen aprons. But times do
change. we have whole wardrobes
plannow solely of cotton.
Glamorous evening Glamorous evening gowns to fris-
ky play suit or serviceable meant-
for-the-water bathing suits, cotton
runs the gamut of the day's activiruns the gamut of the day's activi-
ties for the woman who is socile-
minded as well as for the career In fact, cotton goes to the head
and also to the foot in fashion. Cot--
ton hats of pique or crochet are the thing, cotton over-the-knee stock-
inss are good for sportswear, and
Iast of all the ane octon, shoes.
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wedge soles for gay, gayer, gayest
footwear
$\begin{aligned} & \text { Oh yes, and there's even cotton } \\ & \text { jewelry. }\end{aligned}$
But it isn't only in the realm of clothes that cotton is garnering ad-
ded popularity. Nevad is the third
state whose highay department
sat has adopted cotton mats to be used
in curing concrete (Texas and Con-
necticut are the others) Cotton linters plasticized into
flexible sheetso pollulose acetate
(try saying that phrase three times
rapidly) rapidiy) are also being used as ${ }^{\text {a }}$ a
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dows and openings. dows and openings. This materia
weighs about half as much as glas
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throne Old King Cotton in the throne Old King Cotton in the the
South are a trifle premature to say
the least

Chamber Of Commerce Directors To Meet


Pageant Presented By Large Group Before BTU's

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 Brownie Scout Pack will meet
Tuusday morning at 9 oclock at the
Girl Scout headuarters with Mrs.
Fred Kotyza
in leaders. Midland County museum in the
courthouse will be open, Tuesday
afternoo, rrom 2.30 clock until 5 .
The public is invited. Dos Mesas Club will meet with
Mrs. L. WW. Winston, $15011 / 2$ Hol.
loway, Tuesday afternoon at $1: 30$. Red Cross workroom in the old
Baptist annex on N Main street will
be open Tuesday morning from until 12. Muidland wormen are invited
to assist in the work.
WEDNESDAY. Dos Reales Club will meet with
Mrs. Jerry Phillips. 706 N Pecos
Wednesray afternoon at 2 o'clock. $^{\text {Wen }}$
 Brownie Scout Pack will meet at
Giry soout headquarters, Weannes-
day morning at 9 octock with Mrs.
R. R. Ford and Mrs. H. E. Berg,
leaders.
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public is invited.


 3aptist annex on N. Main street
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en are invited to take part in the Red Cross junior first aid class
vill meet in the old Baptist annex at 4 o' clock, Friday atternoon.
D. H. Casper will be instructor.

 Belmont Bible Class will meet
with Mrs. w. . . Colilins, 710 South
Weatherford, Friday afternoon at clock.
saturday. Story Hour will be held in the
chitdren's library at the courthouse,
Saturday morning at 10 oclocks. MIdand County museum in the
curthouse will be open Saturday
rom 10:30 o'clock in the morning from $10: 30 o^{\circ}$ clock in the morning
until one octock in the afternoon.
The public is invited. VITAMINS TO ANGLE WORMS
PONCA CITY, Okla. (AP)-Help-
 STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE The $\$ 10,000$ machine shop at East
Texas State Teachers College is
nearing completion. Several deense
courses will be offered this fall.








"Midland honestly looked good,"
to Mrs. Wallace Ford on her return
from a sen-weeks trip to the Cen-
tral States.
After several weeks visit in Day-
ton, ohio, with her daughters. Edith
and Virginia, Mrs. Ford was join-


This "Tattuoed LLady of 1941" is Gloria Swanson-wearing a white
jersey blouse designed by Rene Hubert for her return the the screen.
The designs were done by a genuine waterfront tattoo artist, using
paint instead of the usual needle and dyes. With it Miss Swanson


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Blue Grass Seed . . . Black Leaf 40. MIDLAND FLORAL CO.

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Visiting Workers Give Program At
League Meetings
Members of the Youth Caravan
were featured in the program at
the joint meeting of Methodist Leagues Sunday evening.
Miss Rebeca, Douthit of Pendle-
ton, South Carolina, made the speTonss Rebecca Douthit of Pendle-
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of the Caravan, will teach a clas The courses and services will con-
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Midland Steam Laundry

- McKENNEY ON BRIDGE By Wm. E. McKenney
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 "Is there a lawyer in the squad?"

## Side Glances


him being punished alone

## THIS CURIOUS WORLD

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| WASH TUBBS | By ROY CRANE |
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| BUT IT'S MADNESS TO THROW HERSELF AWAY ON THAT MIDGET. THE LEAST YOU CAN DO IS CUTOFF HER ALLOWANCE AND DISCHARGE WASH TUBBS! HA! THAT'D SOON BRING HER TO HER SENSES! |  |
| ALLEY OOP | By V. T. HAMLIN |
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| RED RYDER |  |
|  | By FRED HARMAN |



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Missions Subdue Fort Worth Cats In Overtime Tilt


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