

U.S. Commands Philippines Force

Capitol Studies New Thrusts In Japan Bickering

Russia Holds Germany In Big War And U. S. Plans Help For Reds

By The Associated Press

The United States admitted Russia Saturday to the benefits of American production of war materials to be used against the Axis while the showdown with Japan over French Indo-China developed into an economic duel with new thrusts under study in Washington.

Russia, after five weeks of battle against German invasion, seemed to be holding generally.

The Russians, declaring their forces still were holding the Germans all along the front, claimed the destruction of two Nazi infantry divisions in the Smolensk sector guarding the road to Moscow.

The Japanese occupation of Indo-China was under way with arrival of the Nipponese command at Saigon, and no one, save Tokyo's highest councils, knew whether Japan would roll on southward, or move against Russia or let well enough alone.

The informant said this was one reason Japan "chose Indo-China instead of a direct attack on Russia to aid her Axis partners."

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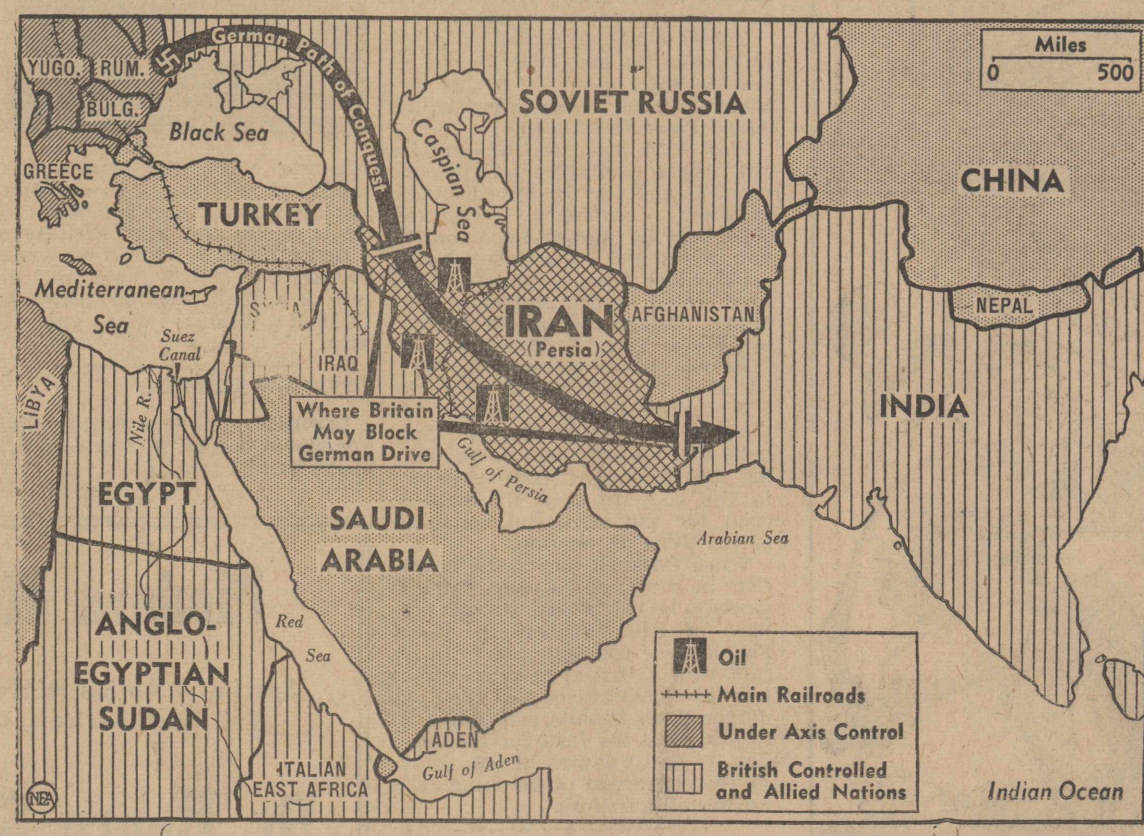
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Germany's War Heads for Storied Land of Iran



If Hitler's armies race through southern Russia and veer between the Black and Caspian Seas, they will be at the gates of oriental, oil-rich Iran, next door neighbor to fabulously wealthy, British India.

Communities To Help County's Aluminum Drive

Support of Midland County rural communities in the city-county drive to collect aluminum for National Defense was pledged Saturday and plans made for a house-to-house campaign in these sectors.

Representatives of seven home demonstration clubs met here and received committee chairman appointments to lead the drive in their rural districts.

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LATEST NEWS FLASHES

Minister Says Ecuador Would Accept Measures QUITO, Ecuador. (AP)—Foreign Minister Julio Tobar Donoso has informed the United States that Ecuador would accept any "decorous" measures to end its border clashes with Peru, the government announced Saturday night.

Extremists Want To Seize International Colony SHANGHAI, Sunday. (AP)—An extremist group among Japanese Army and Navy officers, putting their heads together in non-stop conferences since the British-American freezing of Japanese credits, were known Saturday to be urging seizure of Shanghai's entire international settlement.

Malta Defenders Repulse Axis Torpedo Boats LONDON. (AP)—The British Mediterranean Island base of Malta, often bombed from the air, was attacked by Axis torpedo boats Saturday but the defenders repulsed the assault "with heavy losses to the enemy" and sank "about a dozen" small vessels, the government announced Saturday night.

Salesman Dies In Shooting Incident WICHITA FALLS. (AP)—Elmer Buster Fowler, a radio salesman, committed suicide here today after M. C. Scott, 26, was wounded in a shooting at Fowler's home, Justice of the Peace Nat L. Inge said in an inquest verdict.

Police said a bullet was fired through a screen door as they arrived at Fowler's residence to make an investigation, and that Scott came out bleeding from a wound after a second shot was fired inside the house.

The officers said they heard the back door slam and a third shot fired. Fowler was found dead in the back yard.

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Committee Gives Big Levy Bill To House

WASHINGTON (AP)—Laying a \$3,529,200,000 tax increase bill formally before the House, the ways and means committee Saturday acknowledged its unprecedented burden on the people but said there was convincing evidence it would be "borne cheerfully" in the light of the nation's defense efforts.

The committee majority declared that the "risk to life and property from inadequate preparedness would make even a much heavier burden attractive by comparison."

The bill, digging deeper than ever before into the pockets of individuals and corporations to help pay for huge defense costs, will be taken up in the House Tuesday or Wednesday, with passage expected before next week end.

The majority report asserted the measure was aimed at disturbing the increased equitably.

In defense of its retention of the existing alternative device for corporations to figure excess profits for tax purposes—either by the invested capital or average earnings method—the committee said use of the average earnings plan appears to have been "adequately demonstrated."

The bill, with the present law, would meet about 60 per cent of anticipated expenditures for a full year, leaving 40 per cent to be met by borrowing, the report added, during the World War, it said, only one-third of the expenditures were met by taxes and two-thirds by borrowing.

Cage Brothers and F. M. Reeves and Sons, Inc., general contractors for the \$5,000,000 Advanced Twin-Engine and Bomber Training Center, had their initial payday in Midland Saturday.

One hundred and two workers received checks and the number will increase weekly until the big Army Air Corps school is completed. The total of the payroll was not announced. It included executives, skilled workers and common laborers.

Little construction was done Saturday by the concern as it is on a 40-hour week, but executives were busy in their offices in Hotel Scharbauer making plans for the coming week.

The temporary office building for the Army Engineering Corps was almost completed and the engineers will move from the city hall to their new building in a few days.

Work will be pushed now on a temporary office building on the military reservation for the construction company, and it hopes to be in its new home by the end of the week. Meanwhile, plans for the construction of the railroad spur went forward and more heavy machinery for use on the project arrived here.

Nine advance twin engine training planes spent several hours at the airport Saturday and a number of Midland citizens got a good look at the type of ship which probably will be used at the training center. The ships were from Barksdale Field, Shreveport, and stopped here on a routing training flight.

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Here's Breakdown For New Tax Bill

WASHINGTON (AP)—Here is a breakdown on the additional yields which congressional experts expect from the new tax bill pending in the House:

Individual income surtaxes—\$1,152,000,000.

Corporation income taxes—\$1,322,900,000.

New or higher excise levies—\$902,400,000.

Higher estate and gift taxes—\$151,900,000.

Tax on broadcasting (new)—\$4,500,000.

Tax on billboards (new)—\$7,000,000.

Total—\$3,529,800,000.

Ordovician Strike In Reagan County Sets 5 1/2-Inch Pipe

By Frank Gardner Oil Editor.

String of 5 1/2-inch casing has been cemented at 9,017 feet with 250 sacks in Amerasia Petroleum Corporation No. 1-RA University, Southeastern Reagan wildcat indicating opening of the second Ordovician pool in that county.

Operators previously had announced they would set casing on bottom at 9,080 feet and gun-perforate it opposite oil zones. With elevation of 2,768 feet, No. 1-RA University went out of Permo-Pennsylvanian black shale at 8,905 feet into a detrital zone composed chiefly of reworked Ellenburger, lower Ordovician. Some shows of oil were present in (See OIL NEWS, page 3)

Re-Elect Spies As Medical Head

AUSTIN (AP)—Reversing an announcement made two weeks ago, the board of regents of the University of Texas Saturday night re-elected for a two-year term Dr. John W. Spies as dean of the medical branch at Galveston.

The decision, announced by University President Homer F. Rainey, came after an all-day meeting at which the governing board heard pro and con arguments on the question of retaining the dean.

The vote for re-employ of Dr. Spies was reported unofficially at 7 to 2.

Only two weeks ago Dr. Rainey announced for the board that it considered Dr. Spies replacement desirable "for the sake of harmony and in order to make possible the achievement of an outstanding medical school for Texas."

Halifax's Scheduled Through Midland Area TUCSON, Ariz. (AP)—Viscount Halifax, British ambassador, and Lady Halifax departed by American Airlines at 5:20 p. m. Saturday after brief stops at Phoenix and Tucson.

En route to Washington after a tour of Pacific Coast defense plants, their next regularly scheduled stop is El Paso, Texas.

Find Seminole Farm Worker Dead In Home

SEMINOLE, Tex. (AP)—Earl Maxwell, 57, farm hand on near Seminole, was found dead in his home Saturday, the victim of a heart attack. Authorities were attempting to locate a sister who lives at Big Spring.

All Precincts Vote 'Dry'

Midland, long a dry county, defeated a proposal to legalize all alcoholic beverages in a special election Friday. The vote was 551 against the proposal to 385 for it.

In light balloting, every precinct voted dry. The heaviest voting for liquor legalization was in Precinct 1, Midland, where 223 favored it. Precinct 2 (Stephenson) did not have a single wet vote.

Voters cast ballots on two proposals, for or against legalization of all alcoholic beverages in the county and for or against legalization of all alcoholic beverages in their precincts.

The vote did not concern the sale of beer.

President Calls Organized Army In Defense Move

Senatorial Committee Approves Proposal To Keep Soldiers At Duty

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt called all of the organized military forces of the Philippine government into the armed service of the United States Saturday, an order that coincided with approval by a Senate committee of a proposal to keep all citizen soldiers in this country in uniform indefinitely.

In a far-reaching move calculated to bolster American defenses in the turbulent Far East, the president ordered the mustering of the Philippine forces, estimated to include about 150,000 trained and partially trained Filipinos who make up the island's military force. He instructed that Secretary of War Stimson designate an officer of general's rank to command the island force and the War Department promptly named Douglas MacArthur, former chief of staff.

Mr. Roosevelt issued the order at Hyde Park, N. Y., where he was staying over the weekend. Such action was authorized under the Tydings-McDuffie act granting eventual independence to the Philippine Islands. Informed officials said it was drawn up weeks ago, after a conference by High Commissioner Francis B. Sayre, Manuel Quezon, President of the Philippines, and other island officials.

One Dissenting Vote. The Senate Military Committee voted Saturday, 9 to 1, approval of a resolution amending the provisions of the selective service act to extend the tenure of all "persons in the military service" for "such periods of time as may be necessary in the interests of national defense."

Senator Thomas (D-Utah) was instructed to report the measure to the Senate Monday, but Senator Hill of Alabama, the democratic whip, said his consideration on the floor probably would be delayed until Wednesday to await the printing of testimony taken in committee hearings.

Chairman Reynolds (D-NC) cast the lone opposition vote against the bill today. Senators Thomas (D-Utah), Lee (D-Okla.), Schwitzer (D-Wyo.), Hill (D-Ala.), Chandler (D-Ky.), Truman (D-Mo.), Kilgore (D-W. Va.), Austin (D-Vt.) and Gurney (R-S.D.) were recorded as supporting it.

Discharging a War Department suggestion that it draft a resolution declaring a national emergency, the committee provided merely that Congress should declare that the "national interest" is imperiled. Thus it left unopened the door which might lead to congressional endorsement of President Roosevelt's action last May in declaring an unlimited national emergency.

Big Army Convoy Will Visit City More than 500 Army trucks, in open convoy, will pass through Midland August 4, it was learned here Saturday by city officials.

The trucks will be en route from Fort Bliss, El Paso, to Camp Barkley, Abilene, and probably will go from there to the big Army maneuvers in Louisiana.

The trucks are assigned to the Anti-Aircraft branch of the service. The convoy will be about 32 miles long and it will take several hours to pass through the city.

British Aviators Use Four-Motored Planes In Bombing Of Berlin

LONDON (AP)—The RAF emphasized the growing importance of huge new four-motored bombers in the European war balance Saturday by announcing its first midsummer night bombing of Berlin and a daylight attack on the German port of Emden.

Some of the heaviest and most powerful bombs in Britain's armory were plumped into the heart of the Nazi capital by these big bombers operating at a dizzy height in the stratosphere, the air ministry news service said, but the major Friday night attack was on Hamburg and Hannover.

The attack on Emden was said to have been delivered by a single American-made Boeing flying fortress on reconnaissance duty.

Nine of the night bombers failed to return, it was admitted, but there was no indication whether most or all of these were the smaller craft which attacked Hamburg and Hannover.

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Puppet Show In A Vacuum

The world has been treated to many sorry spectacles of late, but none more depressing than the puppet show in a vacuum now being staged in France by the aged but no longer venerable Marshal Petain.

Though the French people are completely under the heel of the German conqueror, the ancient, 84-year-old marshal solemnly goes about the business of having a "constitution" written for France.

A "constitution"! By whose right and authority, one wonders? Have the French people ever repudiated their existing constitution? A few, yes, like Charles Maurras, who as a Monarchist leader has been fighting the republic for many years. A few like Laval and Darlan, and the others who leaped so avidly at the German-granted opportunity to reorganize France according to their own design, while the German occupation troops kept the people from speaking.

But the French people themselves? The farmer on the soil, the village shopkeeper, the worker in a Bordeaux factory? No one has heard them speak, for their mouths are stopped.

It is a year now since Petain received from the National Assembly the grotesque shreds of power that the Germans suffered to remain to France. No one can interpret the mind of the French people at that ghastly moment, for it had no mind. The awfulness of the military disaster had robbed it of all power to think. Possibly many turned to the old soldier, Petain, in hope that he could save more fragments from the disaster than anyone else. But that the French people ever, directly or indirectly, vested Petain with power to write a new and permanent constitution for France can scarcely be suggested with a straight face.

It is difficult to blame Petain for what he has done or not done during the past year of his "power." After all, he has done what the Nazis directed and permitted him to do. But for the ancient marshal to attempt to clamp on the French people for all time some kind of totalitarian nightmare, which it is now clear he had been dreaming long before his country fell, is an arrogant assumption of power which will never stand, once the French people find their voice again.

This is not to assume that the Third Republic must rise again. It is dead. But whatever new government of a free France shall come into being, it will be of the people and by the people, and not a prescription for the people written by a clique of old dotards beneath Nazi bayonets.

Buy Defense Bonds

Growing Pains

It's no fun to grow up. Not for individual people, and not for countries. So many responsibilities go with it! We've often suspected, especially during the last 30 years, that America was growing up, bulging out of those short pants we wore until the turn of the century, and yet not used to long ones.

If you need any further evidence of the fact, note that the Los Angeles city council has passed an ordinance making it illegal to wait around and watch the trains come in.

When free American citizens no longer have the right to cluster 'round the "deppo" to watch "Ol' Number Nine" or "The Cannonball" go thundering through, that's a sign that we've lost something. Maybe it's our freedom—maybe, on the other hand, it's just our youth.

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The Heavy Burden

The President is carrying a staggering burden of responsibility these days. He is faced with the overwhelming problem of how to see that the Nazis don't win the war, without actually getting into it on a shooting basis ourselves. Trying to find the answer to that one is a crushing responsibility, especially because there may be no answer.

To impose any problems but the gravest on the man responsible more than any other for such decisions is unwise and might even be fatal. To expect him to decide personally whether a certain second baseman for a professional baseball team is eligible for the draft is sheer nonsense.

Second baseman, farmer, stock exchange president, movie actor, mill hand, and millionaire—they're all supposed to be the same in this thing, and to impose on the President the personal problems of individuals is the quintessence of folly.

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August has five bath nights and September is when school starts. That's rubbing it in on the kids.

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All of the people acting foolish aren't acting.

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Tax boosting helps bolster the nation's defense. At least it gets some people up in arms.

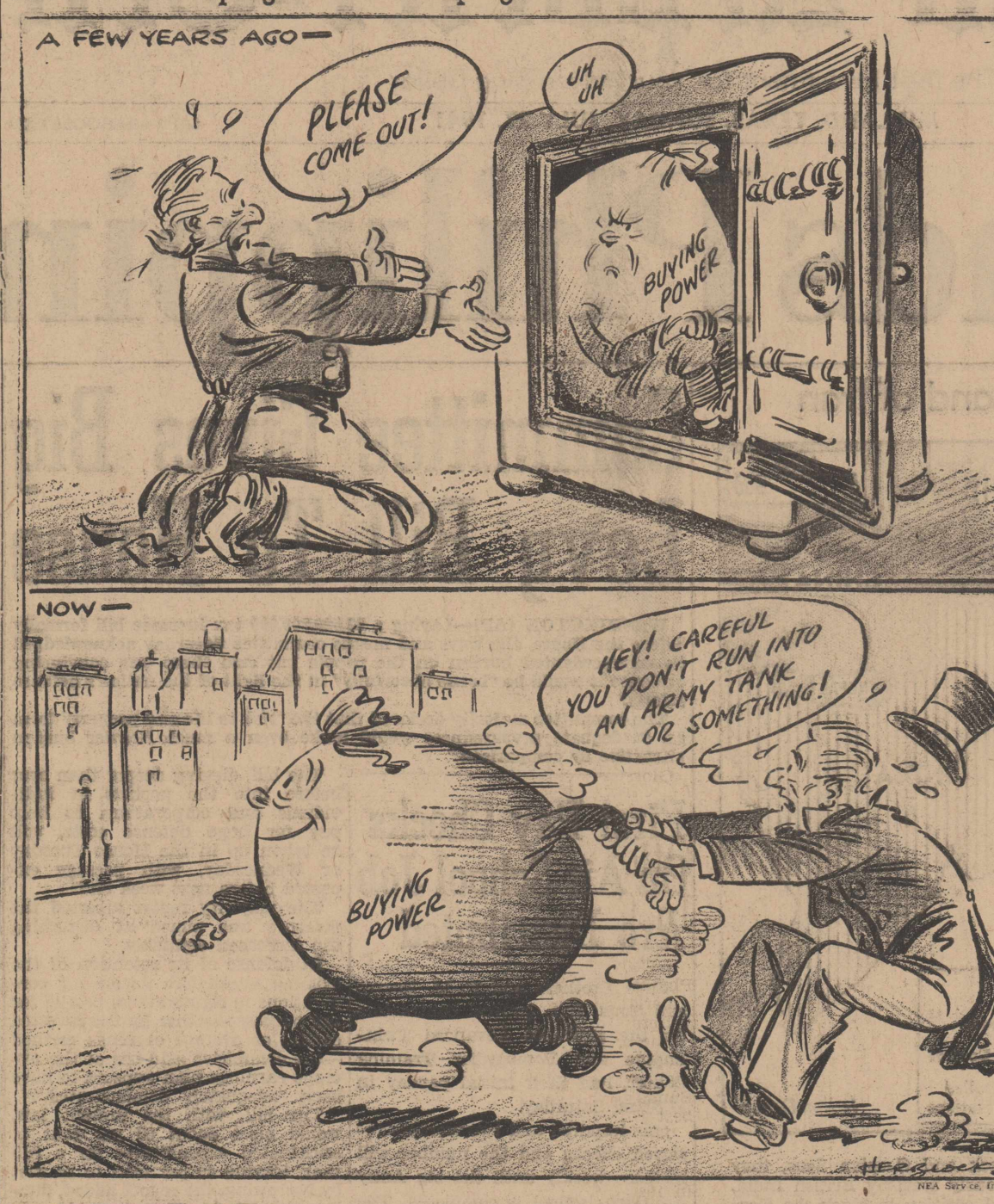
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Scientist says man is run by electricity. Some wives could give him a good argument.

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The same love that makes the whole world go around just makes the young folks park

These Are Helping The V Campaign Too



Folks Will Eat Cake July 31 At Mansion; Couple Gets License

AUSTIN, (AP).—Evidently the folks will eat cake at the governor's mansion the night of July 31. It was not known whether the cake—which Governor W. Lee O'Daniel invited everyone to eat—was ordered by Molly O'Daniel and Jack Wrather Jr., of Tyler had their Texas marriage license and apparently were preparing for a mansion wedding July 31.

The pair, described by the governor last week as "riding high on the wings of love" obtained the license Saturday from the Travis County (Austin) clerk's office.

Refuses Exemption. Last Sunday on his weekly radio program the governor announced the wedding date, invited everyone to come to the mansion and suggested they let him know so there would be enough cake to go around.

Wrather, 23-year-old executive of an oil company, has asked for and was refused exemption from a naval reserve pledge that he not marry until completion of his training course, New Orleans naval authorities said Friday.

Naval headquarters also announced Wrather had asked for his dis-

Market Receives News With Calm

NEW YORK, (AP).—Further events in the Far Eastern crisis were taken by the stock market Saturday somewhat better than calmly and the list rounded out a fifth consecutive week of slow advance.

Several commodities in the spotlight Friday omitted trading as is customary on Summer Saturday, but cotton futures extended their recent climb by 70 cents to \$1.05 a bale while Chicago wheat rose 1 to 1 1/2 cents a bushel and corn edged up 3/8 to 3/8. Hogs were unchanged. Another slump in Japanese issues colored a quiet and steady bond market.

The Associated Press 60 stock average Saturday was up 3 of a point at 43.9. Dealings of 362,360 shares were the best since May 10 and compared with 223,640 last Saturday. On the week the composite also showed a net improvement of 3. And the six-day transfers totaled 4,677,220 shares against 3,014,320 in the previous week.

charge and added the request was pending.

The governor said Wrather had informed him the Navy requirement would in no way interfere with the scheduled wedding.

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HISTORIC RULERS

Rulers of Europe in days past had much more colorful names than men like Hitler, Mussolini and Stalin, who are running that continent now. Name the country each of the following ruled, and approximate time each was in power.

1. Peter the Great and Frederick the Great.
2. Henry the Eighth and Louis the Fourteenth.
3. Ivan the Terrible and Philip the Fair.
4. William the Conqueror ruled William of Orange.
5. Edward the Confessor and Theodosius the Great.

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Mrs. W. R. Yates Jr., and daughter, Donna Lee of Big Spring are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Jim Payne and Mr. Payne who is ill in a Midland hospital and their son, Jimmie.

O'Daniel's Will Find Washington Ways Different

By L. T. Easley
Associated Press Staff

When Senator-Elect W. Lee O'Daniel gets to Washington he will find the scene considerably different from that in Austin.

He may become a national figure, prominent as he was while governor of Texas. Huey Long leaped from Louisiana to the Washington spotlight.

San Antonio's Maury Maverick as a freshman in Congress managed to keep in the public eye. But cases of these men were exceptional.

Debate, a man is unusually gifted in politics, he has little chance of gaining early attention of his colleagues in the national legislature.

Asked Place For Texan. Most first term Senators receive only minor committee assignments, but O'Daniel may be placed on the important commerce committee. That body handles all flood control, and rivers and harbors legislation.

(The late Senator Morris Sheppard served on the commerce committee. Though the influence of Texas' Senior Senator, Tom Connally of Marlin, the assignment was passed on to the interim Senator, the late Andrew Jackson Houston. In securing the post for Houston, Connally told his colleagues he was asking that the aged Texan be named to the body to keep the position open for the successful candidate of the June 28 election.)

When O'Daniel goes to the Senate floor he can read the same eloquent speeches he has poured through millions of loud speakers in Texas. Should some colleague rise to interrupt with a barbed question meant only to embarrass or trip him, the Junior Texas Senator can simply feign to yield the floor for the question. If he so desires he can refuse at the conclusion of his remarks to answer all questions.

NEW EMPLOYE AT SAFEWAY

A new employe at the local Safeway stores is Charles Ray, having been transferred here from the Safeway store at Breckenridge.

Beery And Main Hits In Yucca Attraction

Romance and comedy take a joy ride together in "Barnacle Bill," Wallace Berry's newest starring vehicle, playing at the Yucca Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. Berry forsakes Western adventure for the waterfront and a tuna fishing fleet, and is teamed with



Marjorie Main, the "lady blacksmith" of "Wyoming," in a rollicking love affair that is augmented by fights, thrills and other excitement. Berry plays a waterfront loafer who falls in love, is faced with the care of a small daughter, played by Virginia Weidner, and goes to work.

DIVISION SMASHES

LONDON AP.—The Moscow radio announced the 8th Nazi armored division was smashed.

Russians Crush German Units In Smolensk Zone

MOSCOW, Sunday (AP).—Two German infantry divisions were reported by the Soviet information bureau to have been crushed in the Smolensk zone, where the Red Army and air force apparently have held the German invaders in bloody combat for eleven days.

(The 8th German armored division, presumably another unit, was declared by the Moscow radio to have been smashed after a fierce, 72-hour battle at the town of "C.")

Porkhov, Nevel, Smolensk and Zhitomir were officially listed as zones of major fighting, where in there were no important changes in position.

Listed Same Sector. The two infantry divisions were declared to have been trapped in the Smolensk region.

Indicating the Nazi blitzkrieg theory was getting a supreme test, the Soviet communiques since July 15 have listed battle sectors as in the same general regions, even while names of the cities involved have changed at times.

The same zones of defense remain—before Leningrad, Moscow and Kiev. During that 11 days a 50-mile German thrust east in the Ukraine was indicated last week by the fact Zhitomir has supplanted Novograd-Vovynski as a reported fighting center.

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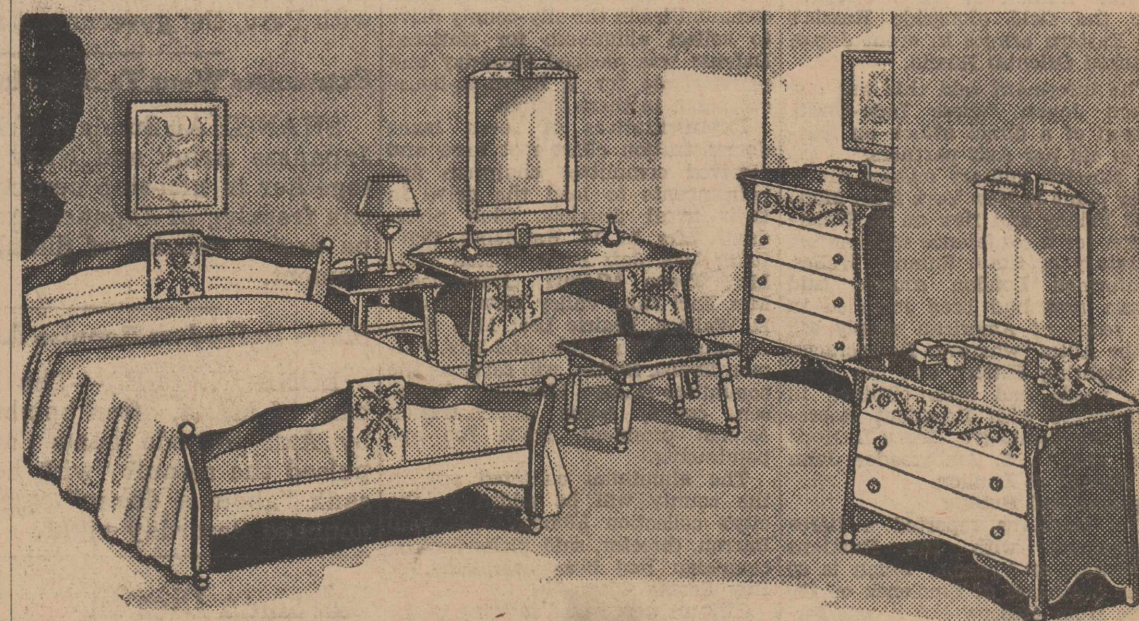
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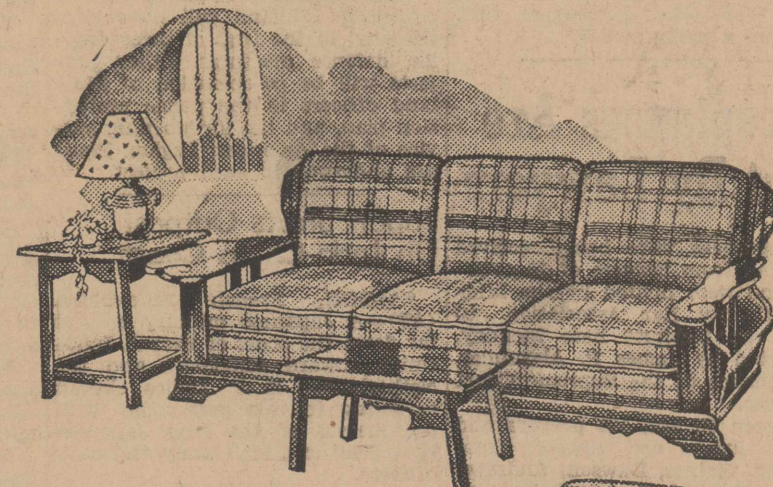
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Winners In Palomino, Quarter Horse And Thoroughbreds Events Of Annual Rodeo Will Receive Attractive Cups

Three attractive championship trophies, 18-inch engraved loving cups to be awarded in the colt show division of the seventh annual Midland Rodeo, Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1, have been placed on exhibit at the chamber of commerce office.

The cups will be presented to championship winners in the quarter horse, palomino, and thoroughbred divisions of the colt show. The quarter horse trophy was donated by the First National Bank; the thoroughbred award by the Midland National Bank, and the Palomino trophy by Hotel Scharbauer.

Cash prizes totaling \$360 are being offered in the colt division. There will be classes for stallions, gelding or filly foals of 1940 for quarter horses and classes for stallion or gelding, foals of 1939, and for filly foals of 1939. Three prizes will be paid in each class, \$20, \$12.50 and \$7.50. There will be similar classes and prizes for Palominos and Thoroughbreds.

The quarter horses will be judged the afternoon and night of Aug. 30; Palominos the afternoon and night of Aug. 31; and thoroughbreds the afternoon of Sept. 1. The championship judging will be the night of Sept. 1.

Judging will be based on conformation, condition, tract-ability and soundness, but high fitting and conditioning will not be given strong consideration in the judging of animals.

Stanton Brunson, is chairman of the colt show committee. Working with him on the committee are Hence Barrow, M. F. King, and Hugh Barnes.

TWINS TOGETHER IN DRAFT

PHILADELPHIA (UP)—Even the draft can't separate the DeSandro twins. The 21-year-old brothers, John and Joseph, registered and their names were taken by different registrars and the board's 150 cards were shuffled a number of times. But when the serial numbers were posted, John's was S-19 and Joseph's, S-20.

Former Midland High Football Player Is U. S. Air Corps Officer

Lieutenant G. I. Carlisle of Barksdale Field, Shreveport, La., who formerly played football with Midland High School, was here Saturday with a flight of twin engine training planes. He visited briefly with friends at the Municipal Airport.

Carlisle attended Midland high in 1933 and 1934.

Ten planes were in the training flight which left Barksdale Field Saturday morning and came here by way of Kelly Field, San Antonio. Nine were AT-8s and the control ship which carried Carlisle was a B-18. About 28 Army men were in the party which left here at 2 p. m. for Tulsa. They will also go to St. Louis before returning to their base.

Swedish Prince Sails On Ship With Consuls

LISBON, Portugal (AP)—Prince Carl of Sweden and Frederick A. Sterling, United States Minister to Stockholm, sailed unexpectedly aboard the U. S. Navy transport West Point which started homeward Saturday night with American consular officials expelled from Axis-occupied countries.

The departure of the Prince and the American envoy immediately started speculation over whether Sweden, endeavoring to maintain neutrality if the German-Soviet Russian war, might be seeking some sort of United States aid.

Three Volunteer For Midland County Call

Three volunteers are available to fill the army's 22nd call for Selective Service in Midland County.

Texas must furnish 1,221 white trainees to be inducted August 12-15.

Oil News---

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the detrital zone. Top of the Ellenburger dolomite was encountered at 9,015 feet and samples showed oil staining from that point to total depth, with the exception of a dry lime break five feet thick. Some geologists have picked top of the Ellenburger at 8,980 feet. First porosity was evident at 9,020 feet.

The prospective deep pool opener is 1,980 feet from the north and 660 from the east line of section 3, block 48, University survey, about 20 miles southeast of the Big Lake Ordovician field, first in West Texas to produce from that formation.

Pecos Ellenburger Producer.

A. W. Thompson, Inc. No. 1 Dean B. Gregg & Monimia L. Botsford, providing one-location west extension of the Apco-Warner Ellenburger pool in Northern Pecos County, established daily potential of 1,468.8 barrels of 42-gravity oil. Potential was computed from flow of 183.6 barrels the last half of a six-hour gauge; output the first half of the test was 221.4 barrels. The well was tested through 3/4-inch choke on 2-inch tubing and has a gas-oil ratio of 900-1. Flowing tubing pressure is 250 pounds and flowing casing pressure 1,000. The Thompson well topped the Ellenburger at 4,555 feet and is bottomed at 4,625 feet, where it was acidized with 5,000 gallons.

Southwest of the Apco-Warner pool, Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation No. 1 B. F. Boren is drilling at 4,560 feet in Ellenburger dolomite topped at 4,490 feet. It will be carried to granite before completion.

Walter C. Cremin & Jack L. Brown, both of Midland, No. 1 H. E. Bowen, Permian test southeast of the Lehn and southwest of the Masterson pool in Pecos, logged good showing of gas at 1,200 feet and is drilling ahead below 1,325 feet in lime and anhydrite. It topped Yates sand at 1,065, 1,412 feet above sea level, placing it high structurally.

New location for the Abell Ordovician pool of extreme Northern Pecos has been staked by Stanolind Oil & Gas Company as No. 1 Mary C. Stien, 648 feet from the south and 672 from the west line of lot 5, section 24, block 9, H. & C. N. survey. It is a diagonal northeast offset to the same firm's No. 1 Ida Mae Waber, producer from the McKee sand of the Simpson, middle Ordovician.

Preparing To Run Drillstem Test.

Gulf Oil Corporation is preparing to run a drillstem test in its No. 25 W. N. Waddell et al, prospective one-quarter mile east extender of the southernmost part of the Sand Hills Ellenburger pool in Western Crane. Last core, from 5,551-55 feet, returned three feet of dolomite and chert. The well topped the Ellenburger high at 5,488 feet. In the Dune pool of Eastern Crane, Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-18-30 University pumped 21.75 barrels of oil, plus 42.76 per cent water, on 24-hour gauge. Pay was

Abilene Prisoners Escape From Jail

ABILENE (AP)—Two men held for questioning at the request of Oklahoma City police knocked Police Sergeant Ed Cornelius sprawling about 9:45 o'clock Saturday night and escaped from the Abilene city jail.

The prisoners arrested here about noon, had been booked as John Voss, 25, and Homer Milton, 17. Two women companions taken into custody at the same time were in another cell and did not escape.

Cornelius was taking food to prisoners in a large cell. He said Voss hid behind the cell door, striking the Police Sergeant on one shoulder as he entered Voss fled, with Milton at his heels, before Cornelius could regain his feet.

A general alarm was broadcast. Five others in the same cell made no effort to escape. Cornelius was not hurt.

Officials Discuss Speeding Supplies

WASHINGTON (AP)—Plans to speed up the purchase and delivery of American war supplies to Russia were discussed Saturday by a special Soviet military mission with acting Secretary of State Sumner Welles and General George C. Marshall, army chief of staff.

Conferences with other ranking American defense officials were arranged for the week end.

Lieutenant General Filip Golikov and Engineer General Resplin, who flew from Moscow to Washington on their urgent mission, were accompanied by Constantin Oumansky, the Soviet ambassador, who already has placed large orders here for arms, munitions and other supplies.

Commission Postpones Crude For Britain Day

AUSTIN, (AP)—Texas' oil-for-Britain-day, scheduled for Aug. 10, was postponed indefinitely Saturday by the Railroad Commission which announced details for gathering and transferring the crude to Britain under the lease-lend act were incomplete.

In a statement Commissioners Jerry Sadler and Olin Culberson said a new date would be announced when arrangements were completed. Under plan recently authorized by the oil regulatory agency Texas operators wishing to contribute oil could produce their basic allowable on Aug. 10 and transfer it to President Roosevelt for donation to the British war effort.

topped at 3,200 feet and hole is bottomed at 3,310. The well was shot with 380 quarts. Oil tests 34.3-gravity and gas-oil ratio 124-1.

Gulf No. 43 W. N. Waddell, in the Waddell pool of Northeastern Crane, rated daily potential flow of 5,400 barrels of 35.2-gravity oil and gas-oil ratio of 383-1 after acidizing with 5,000 gallons in pay lime from 3,310 to 3,516 feet, the total depth. Winkler Active.

Skelly Oil Company No. 41 S. M. (Hunter) Halley, in the Emperor pool of Southern Winkler County, was shot with 250 quarts at total depth of 2,878 feet and flowed 447.96 barrels per day. First pay came in at 2,743 feet. Oil is 32.3-gravity and gas-oil ratio 1,161-1.

In the Golly sand area of the Keystone pool in Northern Winkler, Sid W. Richardson No. 4 Sun Oil Company-Jenkins gauged 24-hour flow of 127 barrels of 37-gravity crude after 380-quart shot in pay between 3,357 and 3,473 feet, total depth. Gas-oil ratio figured 511-1. Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 20 State-Walton, seeking Ordovician pay one and three-quarter miles west of the Keystone pool, is drilling at 7,605 feet in lime.

Mascho Oil Company of Midland No. 1 M. M. Fisher, Northwestern Andrews County wildcat southeast of Shafter Lake, is shut down for engine repairs after swabbing fluid 1,800 feet from surface following acid wash with 1,000 gallons. Tubing is set on top of cement plug at 4,589 feet and packer is set about one joint above casing set at 4,358. The well headed oil and gas, along with water load and acid residue, after the treatment.

Sport-Uscan No. 1 J. E. Rice, Northern Lynn County wildcat, is drilling at 4,470 feet in lime. In Eastern Terry County, Anderson-Prichard and Frisco No. 1 Frances Brownfield Christmann is drilling unchanged at 5,405 feet in lime. L. C. Harrison No. 1 Nairn estate, Central Lubbock County wildcat, is drilling past 4,780 feet in lime. It topped the San Angelo at 4,335 feet and the Clear Fork at approximately 4,700.

Mid-Continent Petroleum Company has completed new producers on both the Cochran and Hockley County sides of the Slaughter field. Its No. 5-A Mallett Land & Cattle Company, in Cochran, made 698.60 barrels per day after treating with 11,000 gallons at 5,065 feet. In Hockley, No. 5-B Mallett tested 1,265.16 barrels daily following similar treatment at 5,034 feet.

Fain & Riner No. 1 Slaughter, Hockley well, was completed at 4,990 feet for daily potential flow of 706.55 barrels after acidization with 10,500 gallons.

Trio For Johnson Pool. The Johnson pool of Ector County Saturday gained three more producers. The largest, Sinclair-Prarie Oil Company No. 5 Marcus Gist, flowed 528.72 barrels daily after shooting with 200 quarts at 4,212 feet.

Atlantic No. 5-J Johnson set potential of 520.72 barrels after a 200-quart shot at 4,180 feet. George P. Livermore, Inc. No. 2-27 J. L. Johnson was shot with 130 quarts at 4,159 feet and flowed at the rate of 491.28 barrels per day.

In "Here Comes The Navy"



Action, laughter, and love are supplied by James Cagney, Pat O'Brien, Gloria Stuart and Frank McHugh in "Here Comes the Navy," playing at the Ritz Theatre, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday.

Otto Ranks High In Golf Circles

ATLANTIC, Ia. (UP)—At 16, Phyllis Otto of Atlantic is one of America's most prominent women golfers. She also is an excellent high school student, a carillonist in the high school band, pianist for her Sunday school, and one of Iowa's best young automobile drivers.

The daughter of a banker in this western Iowa city, she won the Iowa women's golf championship in 1940. Modestly, she does not let her golfing success interfere with her normal life. To her golf is fun. She spends most of her time during the summer on the Atlantic golf course. She is co-holder of the record for the 9-hole course.

Phyllis reached the quarter-finals of the recent women's western junior tournament at St. Charles, Ill., but bowed to Jeanne Cline, 17-year-old Bloomington, Ill., star, who went on to win the title.

WHEN IS ANGLER FISHING?

FORT WORTH, Tex. (UP)—If a man sits on the river bank with a pole in hand and hook in the water, is he fishing? Well, the state couldn't prove it in a complaint against E. D. Custer, Assistant District Attorney Jack Ray said the man had no fish, so there was no evidence to prove that he actually was fishing.

Texas Election Laws Are Strict

AUSTIN, Tex. (UP)—Texas has rigid election laws regardless of how little attention is paid to them.

It is one of the few states in which the citizen must pay to vote. Unless he is past 60, the citizen is subject to a poll tax for benefit of schools. Unless the poll tax has been paid, the Texan cannot vote, in either a primary or general election.

Campaign expenditures are limited to such a small legal amount that no serious attempt is made to observe or enforce the limit. A candidate in a statewide contest is limited to \$10,000 to reach about 1,600,000 eligible voters. The state has a law requiring nominations to be by a majority instead of plurality vote, so a first and second party primary usually are necessary to select the party candidate. But \$8,000 of the total \$10,000 may be spent legally in the first primary.

IOWAN, 93, NEVER TO MOVIES

WATERLOO, Ia. (UP)—Samuel Williams, 93, has never seen a movie and never intends to. "They are all right for other people, but I would rather read the Bible or go to church, or read newspapers to find out about the war," he said.

To Hold Nation-Wide Program For Disease

WASHINGTON, (AP)—A Nation-wide program to combat venereal disease in areas of military and defense industry concentrations, with a working fund of over \$5,000,000, was announced Saturday by Howard O. Hunter, Work Projects Administrator.

The WPA will provide clinic and other assistance for state and local health authorities. The project is sponsored by the United States Public Health Service.

RAZOR PRIZED, IT SHAVED GRANT

LOWVILLE, N. Y. (UP)—An old razor, used to shave Ulysses S. Grant when he was an officer in the Mexican war, has been found. Donald Tisse, Lewis county court clerk, discovered the razor, which belonged to his grandfather, J. J. Tisse, who served in the Mexican War as an aide to Grant.



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The mark of the expert bridge player is his ability to depart from stereotyped formulas. Today's hand went the rounds of a large duplicate game, and was generally played by South at four hearts.

All but one of the declarers were set one trick. At first sight it looked as though they must go down. The opening lead forces out the ace of diamonds. Declarer takes two rounds of trumps, then leads with a low club from dummy and wins with the jack. The king of diamonds is cashed and the six-spot is ruffed by dummy.

But the queen of diamonds does not drop. Declarer still has to lose one trick in each suit. It does not help to ruff two diamonds in dummy, because then declarer has to lose two trump tricks instead of one.

Only Albert H. Morehead, former editor of The Bridge World, found the way to make contract. The kind of play required is difficult for the routine player to detect. After killing the jack of diamonds with the ace, Morehead led a low trump to the king. Dummy led a low club for the

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A K 3
9 4
Q 8 6

A 9 8 2 N A K J 4
Q 4 W E J 9 2
Q 8 7 2 S J 5 3
7 5 2 Dealer K 10 9 4

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10 8 7 6 5
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Duplicate—None vul.

South	West	North	East
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1 N. T.	Pass	2	Pass
3	Pass	4	Pass

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winning finesse at once. Then South led the six of diamonds. The point of this extraordinary play, based on the ending of the 4-3 split in diamonds from West's lead, is seen in the outcome. West took the queen of diamonds and led a club, forcing the ace. Then South cashed the king of diamonds, discarding dummy's last club. South's three of clubs was ruffed out with the three of hearts. Dummy cashed the ace of hearts. The defenders won the queen of diamonds, jack of hearts, and one spade, but that was all.

ARRIVES IN DALLAS WITH DISABLED HAND
DALLAS. (AP.)—When Western Union President Albert N. Williams arrived in Dallas Saturday, his right hand was disabled. Twelve thousand employe handshakes during his current inspection tour caused the injury, he explained. Williams, elected president a month ago, said National Defense had given his company a direct business increase of 20 to 25 per cent.

KRLH PROGRAMS

- SUNDAY**
- 7:00—News, TSN
 - 7:15—Lennie Conn Sextet
 - 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 Bulletin, MBS
 - 9:30—Perole String Quartet, MBS
 - 10:00—America Preferred, MBS
 - 10:30—Cy Walter, MBS
 - 10:45—The Le May Quartet
 - 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 Orchestra, MBS
 - 1:00—Dance Orch., MBS
 - 1:15—Melody Moment
 - 1:30—Texas Hall of Fame, TSN
 - 2:00—Teddy Powell's Orch., MBS
 - 2:30—Islanders
 - 2:45—Christian Science Program
 - 3:00—Les Brown's Orch., MBS
 - 3:30—Sunny Dunham's Orch., MBS
 - 4:00—CFC Military Band, MBS
 - 4:30—Tommy Tucker's Orch.
 - 4:40—Recorded H. Shapero Speech
 - 5:00—Flight Camp, MBS
 - 5:30—Concert Master
 - 6:00—American Forum of Air, MBS
 - 6:45—News, TSN
 - 7:00—Texas Pharmaceutical, 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—Dance Orchestra, MBS
 - 9:15—Recorded 'Britain Speaks' MBS
 - 9:30—Mal Hallett's Orch., MBS
 - 9:45—Jan Garber's Orch., MBS
 - 10:00—Gene Krupa's Orch., MBS
 - 10:30—BBC News, MBS
 - 10:45—Jimmy Jany's Orch., MBS
 - 11:30—Sign Off
- MONDAY**
- 6:00—Music, Western Style
 - 6:30—Dawn Parade
 - 7:30—News, TSN
 - 7:45—Songfellows Quartet
 - 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—B. S. Bercevic's Orch., 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 Gal Sunday, TSN
 - 10:30—Love Songs of Today, TSN
 - 1:00—News, TSN
 - 11:05—Helen Holden Govt. Grl, MBS
 - 11:30—Front Page Farnell, 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 Bulletin, MBS
 - 1:05—Dance Orch., MBS
 - 1:15—UP News Bulletin, MBS
 - 2:00—Shafter Parker & Circus, MBS
 - 2:15—Harold Turner, Pianist, MBS
 - 2:30—The Johnson Family, MBS
 - 2:45—Three for Ten, MBS
 - 3:00—News & Market Reports, TSN
 - 3:15—American Legion Handicap MBS
 - 3:30—John Stungess, MBS
 - 3:45—Charlie Spivak's Orch., MBS
 - 4:00—AP News Bulletin, MBS
 - 4:05—Paul Decker's Orch., MBS
 - 4:15—Roy DeWolfe, Pianist
 - 4:30—Songs by Lowry Kohler, MBS
 - 4:45—U. S. Army Program
 - 5:00—Fulton Lewis, Jr., MBS
 - 6:15—Here's Morgan, MBS
 - 6:30—Assembly of Jesus Christ
 - 6:45—Sport Cast

BRITON DECLARES RUSSIANS HAVE LOST 1,000,000

NEW YORK. (AP.)—Sir Gerald Campbell, director general of the British information service in the United States, declared in a press conference Saturday that information in London indicated Germany had lost more than 600,000 men in the war against Russia thus far, and that the Russians had lost a million.

TROOPS FIND SHOEING REALLY IS NO BREAK

BROWNWOOD. (AP.)—Troopers of the 113th Cavalry, Iowa National Guard unit at Camp Bowie, figured they had a break when officers announced training would be shifted from conditioning men to conditioning horses. But their cheer soon vanished. Conditioning horses, they found meant shoeing some 100 new mounts and covering some 20 miles during four-hour rides each day.

Whitmire Lays Stress On Adequate Laborers

"Since agriculture is being called upon to increase production in dairy products, poultry, pork and various kinds of vegetables, it is an important thing to have adequate farm labor supply," W. M. Whitmire, chairman of the Midland County United States Department of Agriculture defense board, said.

The Midland County defense board designed along lines similar to the Texas USDA defense board is composed of the members from following agencies—Extension Service, AAA, FSA, REA.

In assuring Midland County farmers of a labor supply adequate for the production of essential farm goods, the director of the Selective Service has asked all draft boards to give special consideration to and covering some 20 miles during four-hour rides each day.

Purchase Of Big Bend Land To Start Sept. 1

BASTROP. (AP.)—J. V. Ash, chairman of the Texas State Parks Board, said Saturday purchase of 788,000 acres of land for Big Bend National Park probably will get underway Sept. 1.

The legislature's \$1,500,000 appropriation for one of the largest land purchase programs in Texas history becomes available at that time. The State Parks Board and the Texas Big Bend Park Association's executive committee will meet at Alpine Aug. 8 to plan acquisition of acreage for the state's first national park.

VISITS IN FORT STOCKTON.

Miss Wilma Ruth Holman is spending the week-end in Fort Stockton.

Average Oil Allowables Are 1,359,000 Barrels

AUSTIN. (AP.)—The daily average allowable for Texas 97,467 oil wells for the week ended Saturday was 1,359,361 barrels, an increase of 2,778 over the previous week.

Railroad Commission engineers reported the allowable was 35,361 barrels daily in excess of the Bureau of Mines recommendation for 1,324,000 barrels needed to meet daily market demand in July.

However, application of a normal monthly underproduction of 3.5 per cent placed estimated actual flow at 12,217 barrels below the bureau standard.

The number of wells increased by 20 this week.

French Socialist Dies In Explosion

VICHY, Unoccupied France. (AP.)—The militant socialist Marx Dormoy, a leader of France's old Popular Front, was assassinated in his sleep Saturday when a bomb was planted under his mattress and wrecked the small bedroom in a rambling inn on the outskirts of Montelmar where he was confined by the French government.

The grey-bearded Dormoy, who was minister of the interior in the government of Leon Blum and who was known as "a man with a thousand enemies," was killed almost instantly at 2 a.m. Search for Strangers. Experts were named to try to de-

Mayer States Freezing Will Not Affect Cotton

DALLAS. (AP.)—The freezing of Japanese assets by this government should have no effect on the cotton outlook anywhere in the state, in the opinion of Robert Mayer.

Police sought to establish whether there was a plot likely to involve other political leaders of the Third Republic now held either in prison or in protective custody by the Pétain government.

Police were trying to locate three mysterious strangers who took a hotel room opposite Dormoy's Friday morning and moved out before nightfall.

Boy Scouts Enjoy Wehinhapay Camp

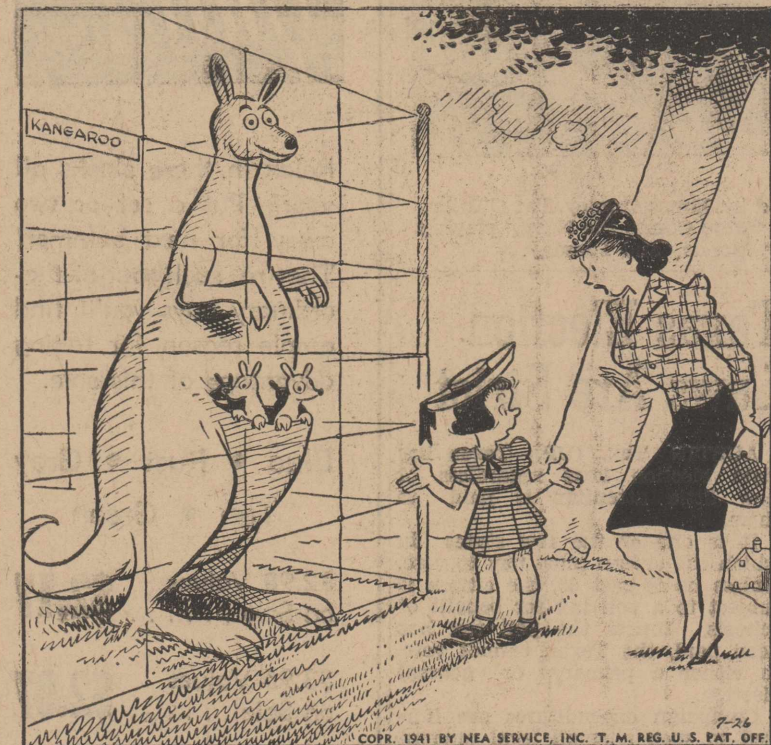
Midland Boy Scouts were invited to attend a Buffalo Trail Council encampment at Camp Louis Farr, near Mertzon August 11-16 but scout leaders Saturday said no troop members had signed for the camp. Reports to parents here from Midland Scouts at Camp Wehinhapay, Weed, N. M., indicate the 15 boys are enjoying the camp in progress there. The camp closes July 28.

head of J. Kahn and Company, cotton merchants.

American cotton consumption, stepped up by the defense program and the increased purchasing power of the public, should just about equal production during the season just opening, he said. The yield has been estimated at about 12,000,000 bales.

By J. R. WILLIAMS

Funny Business

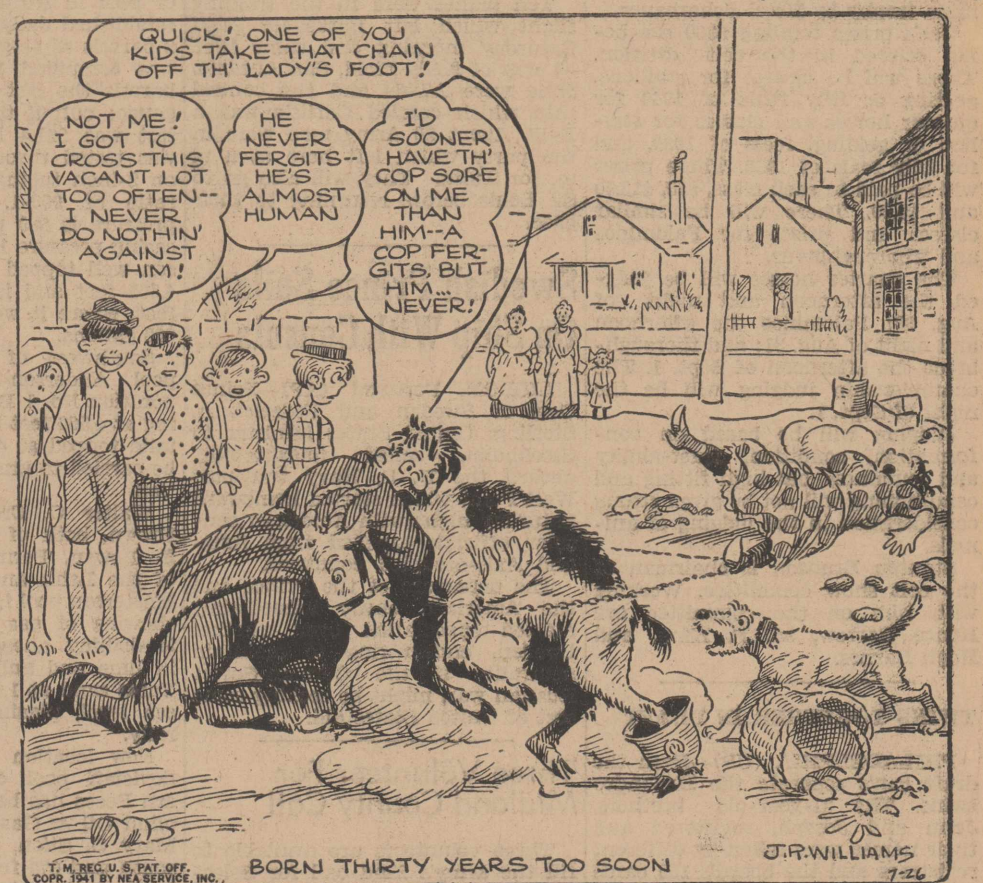


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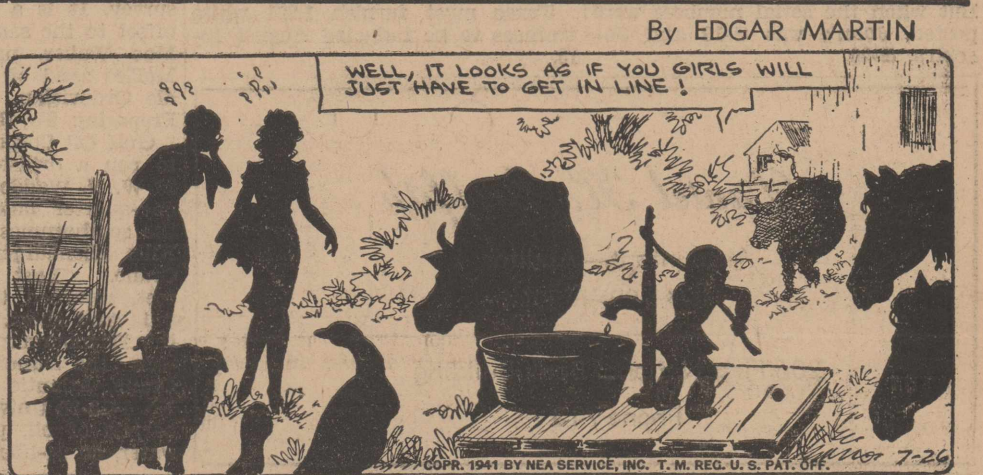
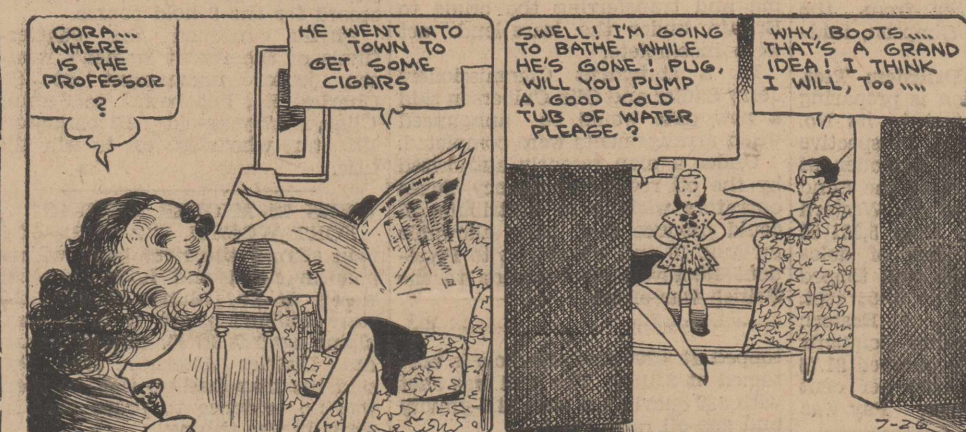


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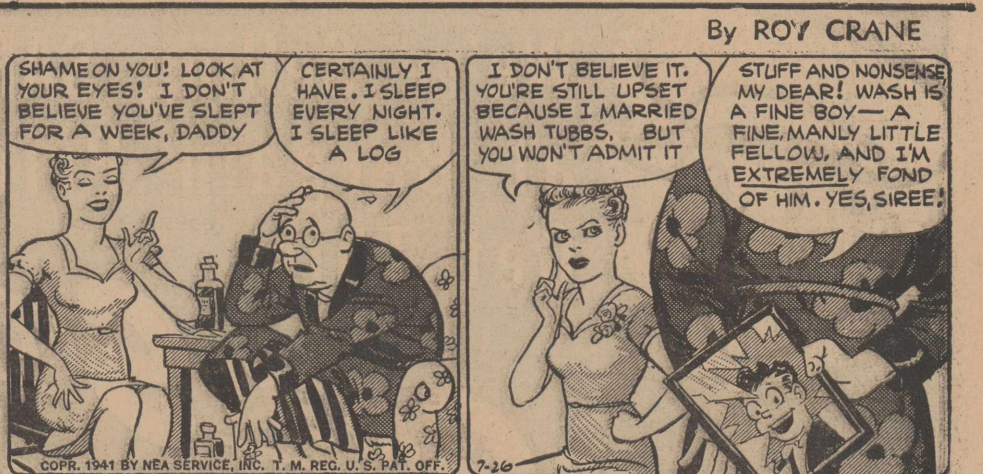


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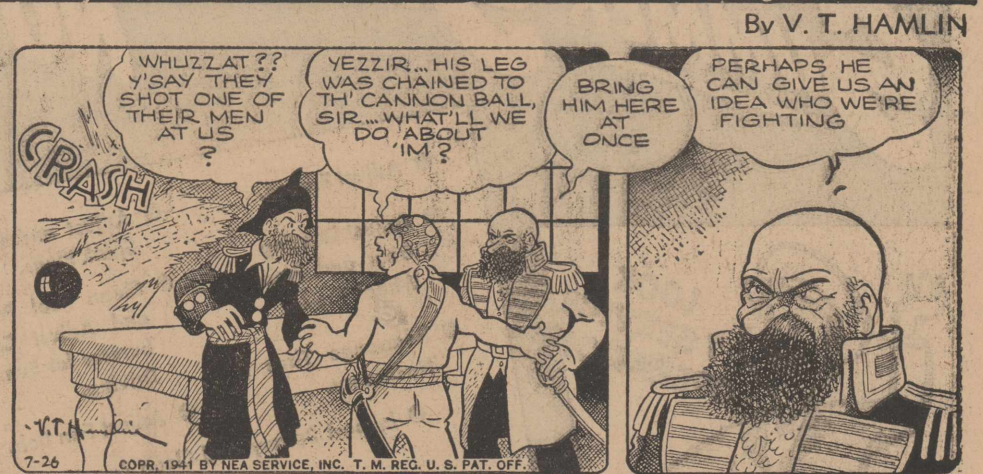
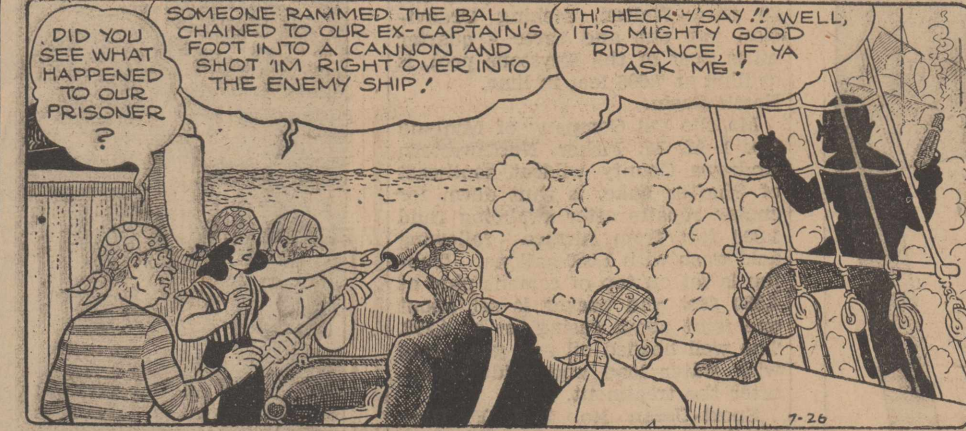
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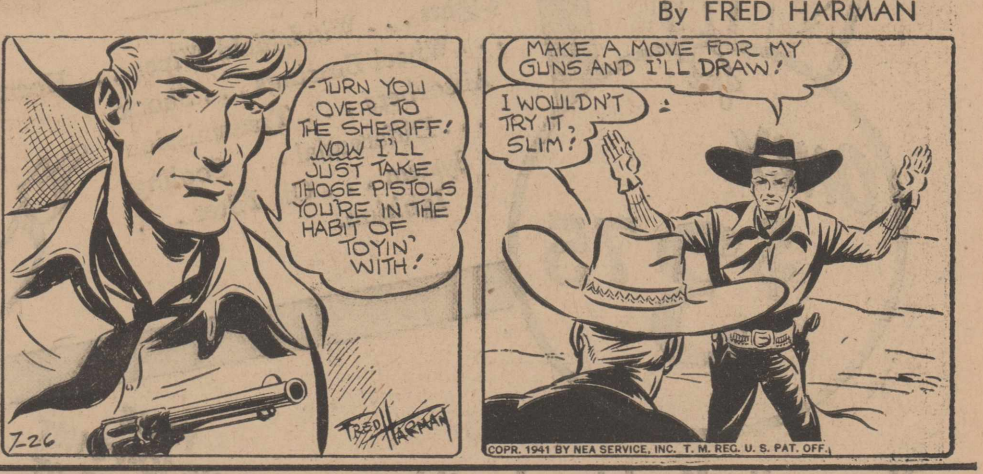
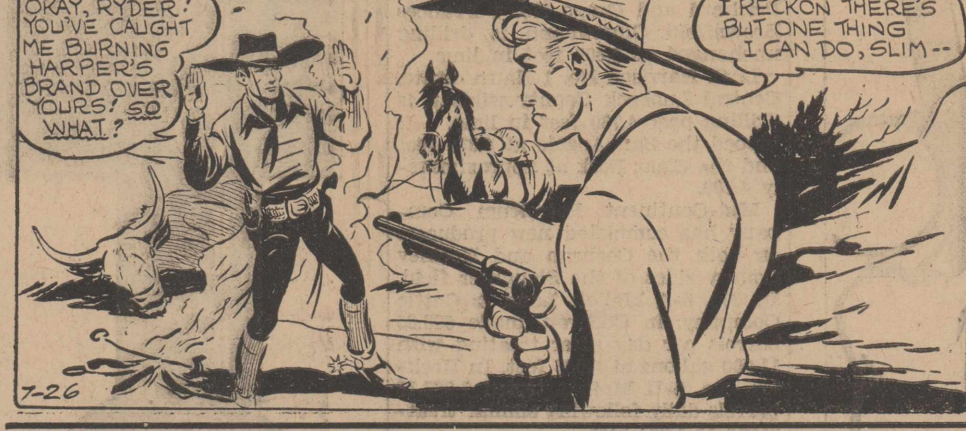
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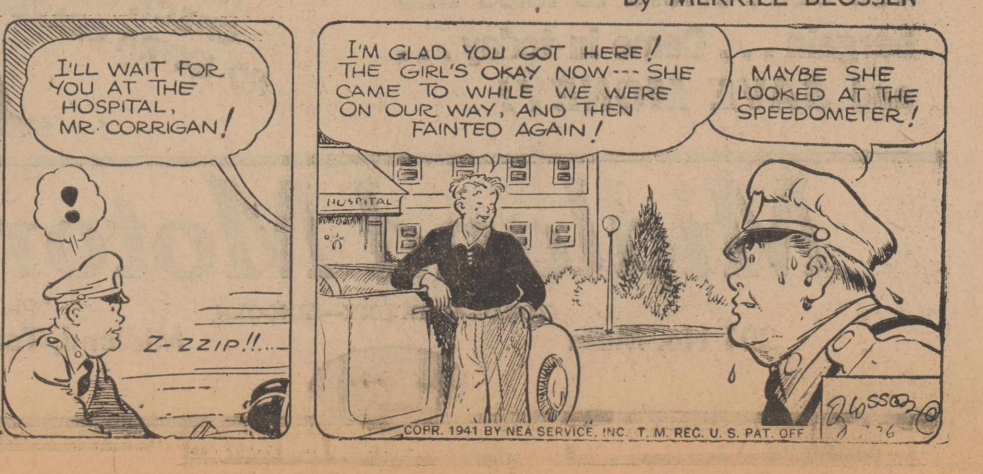
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By William Ferguson

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WE wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the long illness and recent death of our beloved Wife and Mother. It is deeply appreciated and gratefully acknowledged. May God's richest blessing be upon each of you.

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POSITION as practical nurse; alterations; saleslady in Dry Goods store. Annie Snodgrass, Phone 142.

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BEDROOM for men; private entrance; adjoining bath. 605 North Weatherford. (114-1f)

FRONT bedroom; adjoining bath; innerspring mattress; couple or two men. 707 West Tennessee, phone 387-W. (112-1f)

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TWO rooms for four men; private entrance; Frigidaire; adjoining bath. 601 North San Angelo. (118-3)

Household Goods

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FOR SALE: Studio couch and chair; good condition; reasonable. Phone 1747. (120-3)

GAS ranges for sale. El Campo Courts, Highway 80. (120-2)

Miscellaneous 23

USED Frigidaire beverage coolers, cheap. Household Supply Co. See Bill Green. (107-1f)

FOR SALE, bargain: M System trailer. Pagoda Pool. (120-3)

FOR SALE cheap: Baby carriage, stroller type; practically new bath-inette. Phone 1446. (120-1)

WILL sell \$285 equity in new Plymouth for \$135. Phone 80 or 500. (120-1)

Wanted To Buy

WANTED: Good second-hand shoes, pants and shirts. R. L. Carr, 205 South Main. (120-1)

Office Supplies

STANDARD Underwood typewriter in good condition; a bargain; ideal for student practice; will sell or trade for guns. Complete course in taxidermy, new, unused; famous school; make offer. Sgt. Reeves, Midland Airport. (120-2)

Living and Poultry

TEN good Jersey milch cows for sale. Occanougher Cafe, Andrews, Texas. (119-3)

Pets 35

FOR SALE 10 White King pigeons, cheap. Stanley Blackman, 1011 W. Illinois. (119-3)

TWO female black Cocker Spaniel pups; 511 N. D. Phone 1248. (119-3)

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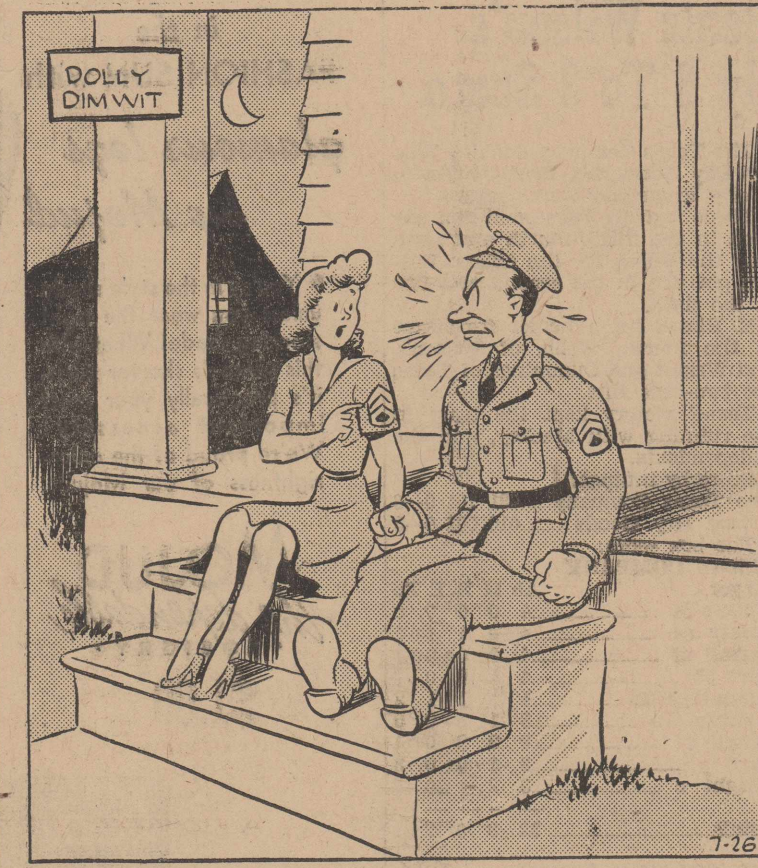
Houses for Sale 61

BUILD IN RIDGLEA MIDLAND'S newest and most sensibly restricted addition; only six blocks north of schools; will furnish the lot and build your home; only 10% cash required. See **BARNEY GRAFA** 203 Thomas Bldg. — Phone 106 (120-1)

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SIX room frame; three bedrooms; corner lot; garage; nice large trees and shrubbery; only \$4,000, terms. J. F. Friberg, real estate, phone 123. (120-1)

FIVE room brick veneer; well located; close in; now rented; has garage; can deliver; \$4,000 on terms. J. F. Friberg, phone 123. (120-1)

FOR SALE: Five room brick; excellent condition; good location. 1105 West Illinois. (120-3)

BRICK veneer; six rooms; three nice bedrooms; oak floors; servants house, two garages; corner lot, paved, 100x140; close in; a good buy; \$6,500, terms. J. F. Friberg, real estate, phone 123. (120-1)

Business Property for Sale

30 x 30 building and 1/2 acre of ground. Priced to sell for cash. See or phone J. A. Barrington at Cox Appliance. (119-3)

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Sheep 2,000; today's trade nominal. Top spring lambs 10.50; medium and goat fat yearlings 7.50-8.25; spring feeder lambs 7.50-8.50.

Stocks

By The Associated Press.

AMN T & T	153 7/8
Anacosta	29
Atchison	1 1/4
Chrysler	56 1/8
Corn Prod	52
Gen Elec	32 3/4
Gen Motors	38 1/2
Greyhound Corp	13
Nat Dairy	14 1/4
Panhandle P & R	1 1/2
Plym Oil	16 1/2
So Ind	34
So N	44 7/8
Tex Corp	43 3/8
Tex Gulf Prod	3 5/8
US Steel	59 1/8
White Motors	15 3/8
Wilson & Co	6 1/4

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP)—Bullish reports from Washington pushed cotton ahead 70 to \$1.05 a bale Saturday after buying orders wiped out early nervousness over the Far Eastern situation.

The proposed ban on government sale of loan cotton, tied to a wheat marketing bill in congress; iron-clad farm bids opposition to price ceilings on crops, and continued reports of weather and insect damage were given credit for the rise.

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LESSONS IN LOVE

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"I'll get you excitement, if that's what you want," Uncle Hank promised. "One of our men from the west is coming in—Chief Leaping Water."
 "Chief Leaping—???" Barbara echoed. She could picture him, in full tribal regalia. This was going to be fun.

CHAPTER I

THE look on Barbara Chase's face was one of utmost displeasure as she curled up on the sofa and lifted the telephone to her ear.

"It's that anemic Lester Burton again," she hissed to her Uncle Hank as she prepared to speak. Hank Chase shook his head, Poor Lester. Poor fish.

"No, Lester . . ." Barbara was saying wearily. "No, I'm busy. Nope, busy Friday, too. No-o-oo. No, Lester, maybe next week. Yes, that's a good boy. Don't fret, now. Bye."

Barbara put down the phone. She rested an elbow on a knee and cupped her chin in her hand. "Uncle Hank," she intoned, "if I were to use this house as a focal point and then draw a circle with a 100-mile radius, do you think there might be a man somewhere in that circle who had a spark of interest?"

His answer was nothing more than a snort.

Barbara shook her head, and the long blond curls swished about her shoulders.

"When," she mocked, "tell me WHEN are men going to quit talking about the stock market, the tax rate, and the wonderful binges they go on? When is this present crop of so-called eligibles going to crawl from under their night club pallors and reveal a red corpuscle or two?"

She plopped down beside Uncle Hank and poked him in the ribs. "This country's going to pot. Why doesn't somebody do something about the improvement of the breed? I mean men, not horses. Neither is your golf game," he admitted. "Why, I can't even get some decent golf competition these days."

She folded her arms sullenly. "Superiority . . . bah!"

"Bah! isn't ladylike," Uncle Hank admonished. "But then, mitted."

"And why . . . WHY don't they

quit showering me with flowers and silly little trinkets and sell me something in the way of old-fashioned masculinity? Lester Burton—bah!"

"Right. And, Barbara"—Uncle Hank stroked his chin reflectively. "I think it would be a pretty good idea if you helped entertain him while he's here. Just a couple of weeks."

"Entertain an Indian? Why, the only party he'll be interested in is a scalping party, and he probably couldn't get any closer to the conga than a war dance."

Hank grinned. "What's the difference?" he inquired mildly. "But seriously, Barbs, I'm going to count on you. Okay?"

"In a minor sort of way," she promised dully. "But very minor."

UNCLE HANK went to Grand Central alone the next day. He figured a little talk with Dugan Blake might be in order beforehand. He looked at his watch. Two more minutes. And then there he was, striding up the ramp.

Barbara was coming out of the garden, her arms full of peonies, when Uncle Hank's car swung up the drive and stopped in front of the house.

"Barbs," said Uncle Hank, getting out of the car, "this is Chief Leaping Water, but I guess he'd want you to call him Dugan Blake, Dugan, my one and only Barbara."

Barbara Chase didn't quite realize it, but she held her breath as Dugan Blake uncoiled himself from the back seat of the convertible and stepped out lightly. She found herself offering her hand in greeting, but as yet she hadn't said anything.

The man smiling faintly before her was tall and dark, very dark. The pressure of his handclasp was firm, almost powerful.

"So this is the famed Miss Barbara," she heard him murmur, just as it occurred to her that never in all her 23 years had she ever met anyone as handsome as Chief Leaping Water.

He held her hand for a long minute, but she made no effort to draw away. Anyway, she had an idea he wouldn't have allowed it even if she had tried.

(To Be Continued)

HERO AVIATOR

HORIZONTAL

1, 5 Pictured hero flyer.

11 Taro paste.

12 Emblems of royalty.

14 Brink.

16 Baseball team.

18 To over-throw.

19 Food list.

20 Resin.

22 Form of "be."

23 Thin metal plate.

24 Skating pond.

26 Berets.

27 Member of Parliament (abbr.).

29 Cares for.

31 Red Cross (abbr.).

32 Palm leaf.

34 Irish fuel.

35 Portuguese coin.

36 Convent worker.

37 Be silent.

38 High mountain.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

MOROCCO ALGERIA APART VANDER ROAMS DENE RAISE SNAP IRT PALMATE AG SA CUT S ANT OF U P P C ID A LEAP SO MAP OF SOAR TRY GUN MOROCCO B BR I AN MART B REIN NEBULAR AW FAD G I AMINES REEVES GIBRALTAR ZONES

VERTICAL

1 To frustrate.

2 Steamer.

3 Year (abbr.).

4 Moisture.

5 Counsels-at-law.

6 Otherwise.

7 Insect's egg.

8 North America (abbr.).

9 He was a of Byrd's North Pole crew (pl.).

10 Prong.

11 He contracted fatal on a rescue flight to Canada.

12 The air field in New York City is named for him.

13 Gazelle.

14 To eject.

15 Unsuitable.

16 To make dough.

17 To eject.

18 To attach.

19 Civet.

20 Calyx leaf.

21 Confined.

22 To regret.

23 Fish eggs.

24 Small tag.

25 Spain (abbr.).

26 White.

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Answers To Cranium Crackers

- Questions on Page 2
1. Peter the Great ruled Russia, 1682-1725; Frederick the Great ruled Prussia, 1740-86.
 2. Henry VIII ruled England, 1509-47; Louis XIV ruled France, 1643-1715.
 3. Ivan the Terrible ruled Russia, 1533-84; Philip I, the Fair, ruled France, 1060-1108, and Philip IV, the Fair, 1285-1314.
 4. Filliam the Conqueror ruled England, 1066-87; William of Orange ruled England, 1689-1702, as William III.
 5. Edward the Confessor ruled England, 1042-66; Theodosius the Great ruled the Roman Empire, 379-395 A. D.

Hollywood Cowboy Stars Try To Crash Texas City

MADISONVILLE (AP)—Hollywood horse opry stars are trying to crash the gates of the famed Madisonville Sidewalk Cattlemen's Association, implacable foe of drug store cowboys.

The association Saturday warned that if two well-known cowboy actors who have threatened to walk down Madisonville's streets wearing boots and spurs in violation of its rules appear here, they will get a ducking in a horse trough.

The association rules provide that any man who does not own a cow may not wear a boot.

Note to press agents: No follow-ups please. This ends it.

Davis To Battle Smith For City Golf Meet Title

Midland Country Club golfers were slated to tee off Sunday afternoon in final matches of the annual city tournament...

Heads Up And Head First



St. Louis Cardinals show National League rivals how to run bases. They go in head first a la Pepper Martin and Frank Frisch...

Texas Company Beats Wilson's By 6 To 3 Score

The Texas Company doubled Wilson Dry Goods, 6-3, Friday night in a city league makeup game. Three runs in the second and one each in the third, fourth and sixth won the fracas for the Oilers...

Table with columns: Player, Ab, H, R, E, Po. Lists stats for Texas Company and Wilson Dry Goods players.

TAKE YOUR PLACE in the FASHION SUN with glamour legs by Mojud



MOJUD the dependable HOSIERY \$1.00 Wadleys

Advertisement for Cool-ees by Joyce California shoes, featuring an illustration of a woman's feet in shoes and a hand holding a shoe.

Yankees Explode Hits On Chicago

NEW YORK. (AP.)—Even the Chicago White Sox are easy for the Yankees these days. Jimmy Dykes' outfit was once tough for the New Yorkers...

Odessa Golfers Score 70 Points To Capture Women's Tournament Here; Midland Is Runnerup, Lubbock Third

Odessa women golfers scored 70 points to win a four-city tournament at the Midland Country Club Friday with Lubbock, Odessa, Big Spring, and Midland...

Maedgen Holds Lead In Softball Hitting With Record Of .555

Big Jim Maedgen continued to clout the ball and maintained his lead among city softball league batters last week with an average of .555...

Going To Texas



The University of Texas, kingpin track school of the Southwest Conference, will get Oletas Hines, ace sprinter of Midland High...

Golf Will Reach Climax With City And Open Matches

Golfing interest in Midland will reach its peak the week of July 27 to August 3. Finals of the annual city tournament will be played Sunday afternoon over the Country Club course...

Redlegs Come From Behind And Triumph

CINCINNATI. (AP.)—The Cincinnati Reds came from behind Saturday to blast out a 6 to 2 victory and even up their series with the Philadelphia Phillies.

Former Athletes Of Midland Play Well In All-Star Battle

Former Midland baseball players turned in creditable performances at the recent West Texas-New Mexico League all-star game in Lubbock...

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Advertisement for 'Chicken IN THE Bucket With Hot Biscuits' for 50c, featuring an illustration of a chicken and a biscuit.

Advertisement for 'DEAFNESS' treatment, mentioning 'Sonotone Hearing Service' and '810 Mims Bldg.—Ablene, Texas'.

White Repulses Boston Braves

ST. LOUIS. (AP.)—Blond Ernie White, the rookie with the rubber arm who won three straight games from the New York Giants, returned to the mound again Saturday afternoon after one full day's rest...

Riggs Writes History At Invitation Tourney

SEA BRIGHT, N. J. (AP.)—Bobby Riggs, a veteran of all the world's tennis classics at 23, wrote a new chapter into the records of the historic Sea Bright invitation tournament Saturday and did it with the ease of a true champion.

Walker To Hurl For Semi-Pros

Bobby Walker, smooth tossing pitcher from the University of Texas, will be on the mound for Midland at 3 p. m. Sunday when the semi-pro play Stanton at the baseball park here.

Baseball

Table of baseball results and standings for American League, National League, and Texas League.

Dodgers End Streak Of Pittsburgh Buccs

PITTSBURGH (AP)—The Brooklyn Dodgers ended the Pirates' seven-game winning streak Saturday by downing the Buccs 3 to 2...

YUCCA TODAY—MONDAY And TUESDAY

Advertisement for 'Yucca' featuring a woman's face and the text 'A NEW DESIGN FOR LOVING... and laughing out loud!'.

Advertisement for 'Chicken Dinners' for \$1, including 'Complete with Cocktail, Salad and Dessert'.

Advertisement for 'Southern Body Works' at '201 East Wall — Phone 477'.

Tigers Put End To A's Winning Streak

PHILADELPHIA. (AP.)—The Detroit Tigers ended the Athletics' five-game winning streak Saturday with a 4 to 2 victory. The A's tied up the contest at 2-2 in the fifth but pitcher John Babich walked in a run in the seventh and the Tigers scored again in the eighth on an error.

Newsome Wins 12th Contest For Boston

BOSTON. (AP.)—Dick Newsome, Red Sox' veteran rookie sensation, won his twelfth game of the season Saturday, giving the Boston American League a 4 to 3 win over the Cleveland Indians and keeping Bob Feller from chalking up his 20th victory.

Browns Beat Senators With Scoring In Ninth

WASHINGTON. (AP.)—The St. Louis Browns pushed over three runs in the ninth inning, then quelled a late Washington rally to defeat the Senators Saturday, 6 to 5.

RITZ TODAY—MON., TUES. 10c REX 20c

Advertisement for 'Ritz' and '10c REX 20c' featuring a woman's face and the text 'GINGER ROGERS As "KITTY FOYLE" DENNIS MORGAN'.

Advertisement for 'Large Animal Practice' at 'Midland Small Animal Hospital'.

Advertisement for 'ORDER YOUR BOOTS NOW' at 'GEORGE FRIDAY'S BOOT SHOP'.

Advertisement for 'TAXI CALL 80 CITY CABS' with 'Baggage Picked Up and Delivered'.

Cubs Beat Giants With Two-Run Rally In Eighth

CHICAGO. (AP.)—The Cubs showed across two runs in the eighth inning Saturday on three hits and an error to break a tie and whip the New York Giants 5 to 3.

Frogs Sign Contract With Oklahoma Team

FORT WORTH. (AP.)—Texas Christian University has signed a one-year football contract with the University of Oklahoma calling for a game in 1944, it was announced here Saturday by Howard Grubbs, athletic director at TCU.

Miss Marguerite King To Become Bride Of Marshall Heap Today

Ceremony To Be Read At Trinity Church By Rev. R. J. Snell

The Trinity Church here will be the scene of the wedding of Miss Marguerite King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. King of Junction, and Marshall Heap of Artesia, New Mexico, at 9:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Rev. Robert J. Snell will officiate at the single ring ceremony.

Attending the bridegroom as best man will be Jack King, of Junction, brother of the bride.

A navy blue tailored suit with white organza blouse and a white pique hat is the ensemble chosen by the bride. She will wear a corsage of gardenias.

The bride will be given in marriage by her father.

Traditional wedding marches and "Lovesome" will be played during the ceremony by Mrs. Brown King of Junction at the organ.

Miss King is a graduate of Junction High School and Baylor University. She has recently been employed by the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company here.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Central High School in Tulsa, Okla., and attended Cameron College at Lawton, Okla., and is now employed by the Texas-New Mexico Pipe Line Company.

After the ceremony there will be a wedding coffee at the home of Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, 1907 W. Indiana.

Those from out of town attending the wedding will be Mr. and Mrs. R. R. King, her parents, her brother, Jack King, from Junction; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Heap, Jr., his brother; J. Wm. Keinenburg, Jr., Loco Hills, N. M.; Herbert Rule, Loco Hills, N. M.; Miss Iris Tanner, Lamesa; Bill Sidwell, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Whitaker, Jr., Eunice, N. M., and Mrs. Brown King.

The couple will make their home in Eunice, New Mexico.

Cowdens Attend Family Reunion At Valentine

Members of the E. P. Cowden family attended a family reunion held at the beautiful ranch home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Means and son, Cole Cowden, in Valentine last week.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Cowden, parents of Mrs. Means, Mr. and Mrs. Al Cowden and daughter, Emma, Sue Cowden, Miss Mary Sue Cowden, Guy Tom Cowden and C. A. Goldsmith.

H. D. Council Met Saturday Afternoon To Complete Plans

Home Demonstration Council met Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the assembly room of the courthouse.

The council elected delegates to the State Home Demonstration Association to be at Beaumont September 3, 4 and 5. The delegates are Mrs. Jim W. Baker, West Side Club; Mrs. Tyson Midkiff, Greasewood Club; Mrs. Johnny Graham, Cotton Flat Club; and Mrs. S. L. Alexander, the alternate from West Side Club.

Plans for the annual encampment to be July 31 and August 1 were completed. Personal invitations are being sent out.

Presidents from each club gave reports. Standing committee reports given were: Education, Mrs. Neal Staton; finance, Mrs. Tyson Midkiff; year book, Mrs. S. L. Alexander; sponsors, Mrs. G. C. Brunson; recreation, Mrs. Johnny Graham; expansion, Mrs. W. R. Hill; reporters, Mrs. C. C. Carden; matress report, Mrs. M. W. Randolph; encampment report, Mrs. W. R. Tillman; and foods by Mrs. J. D. Webb. Eleven members and three visitors were present. The visitors were Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Pearl Wilson and Mrs. Lily Rose Meissner; members, Mmes. J. E. Wallace, Johnny Graham, Neal Staton, W. R. Tillman, M. W. Randolph, S. L. Alexander, J. D. Webb, C. C. Carden, Alpha Lynn, Tyson Midkiff and G. C. Brunson.

Red Cross Chapters Need Additional Women To Help Knit

Mrs. S. L. Alexander, chairman of the production division of the local Red Cross Chapter, in view of speeding up production of garments, contacted this week Miss Alpha Lynn, county home demonstration agent. Together they increased the program of sewing and knitting.

Miss Lynn has arranged for the seven home demonstration clubs in Midland County to make 100 shirts as their project for the first quota. The clubs are: West Side, Valley View, Warfield, Prairie Lee, Stokes, Cotton Flat and Greasewood.

Other work is being rushed by the members of Belmont Bible Class, their project being the making of 15 convalescent robes.

Lois Sunday School Class has undertaken the finishing of numbers of children's dresses.

Local Red Cross Chapter needs very much to obtain additional women for knitting. It is reported that 100 sweaters have to be knitted before the chapter covers the assigned quota.

Thirty-Three Attend Story Hour In The Children's Library

Thirty-three children attended the weekly Story Hour in the children's library Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. O. J. Hubbard conducted the program with four stories being told, including: "The Hairy Man," "The Magic Kettle," "Clever Marie," and "Lucky Luck."

The group gave the pledge allegiance to the flag, salute and took part in the flag drill.

Those attending were Odessa Read, Peggy Lavelle Read, Joe Buser, Bobby Chaney, Billy Jensen, Orman J. Hubbard, Charles Shepard, Shirley Coleman, Judy Clark, Jack Whitmore, Rebecca Helen Goldilay, Winona Trent, Betty Sivals, Joan Stone, Harris Smith, Geraldine Smith, Monroe Reeves, Diane Davis, Phoebe Schock, Sarah Ann Cameron, Patsy Ruth Miller, Alvis Faye Martin, Bobby Miller, Betty Joyce Richards, Wanda Joe Hank, Melba Lee Story, Marvey Grace Story, Herman Hankin, David McPherson, Katherine Whigham, Nell Platt, and Homer Snodgrass.

Large Group Attended Women's Golf Luncheon

Approximately 40 women attended the Women's Golf Association luncheon Friday at the Country Club at which the Midland group was hostess.

Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock to players from Odessa, Big Spring, Lubbock, and Midland. The tables were decorated with roses, daisies and other garden flowers. Mrs. W. P. Thurman, Mrs. A. E. Horst and Mrs. Johnson were acting hostesses.

Brownie Scout Pack will meet Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Girl Scout headquarters with Mrs. Fred Kotyza leader.

After the luncheon the group again played golf.

Cocktail hour was held from 4:30 until 6 o'clock, with Mrs. James Chappel and Mrs. Verner P. Neissl in charge.

VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL IN WINK IS A SUCCESS

WINK. (Special)—The Vacation Bible school being conducted at the First Baptist Church here the past week, was well attended. With a full corps of instructors, it has been a success, and enjoyed by the children of the junior, intermediate and primary departments.

Six Midland Girls Enjoy Vacation At Camp Carrizo



Left to right: Ellana Eastham, Elaine Hedrick, Ann Ulmer, Florence Larsh, Alma Faye Cowden and Dorothy Faye Holt returned home Saturday after a six weeks' stay at Camp Carrizo, Ruidoso, N. M.

Mrs. Carl W. Covington Honors Mrs. Lacy With Three-Course Luncheon

A luncheon in the Blue Room of Scharbauer Hotel Coffee Shop was given in honor of Mrs. George Lacy of Winnipeg, Canada by Mrs. Carl W. Covington Friday at noon.

Mrs. Lacy is visiting in the home of her husband's sister, Mrs. C. G. Cooper.

The center piece of the table was an artificial pond with water lilies and miniature animals around it. Flowers used were roses and snapdragons.

The guest of honor was presented with a gift from the hostess.

A three course luncheon was served to: The honoree, Mrs. C. G. Cooper, Mrs. James E. Chapple, Mrs. W. E. Ryan, Mrs. John N. Hills, Mrs. J. P. Butler, Mrs. J. Alfred Tom, Mrs. Robert E. King, Miss Eva Batchelor of Cartegena, S. A., and the hostess.

After the luncheon the group attended a theatre.

Wedding Coffee To Be For Miss Marguerite King and Marshall Heap

An informal coffee will be given for Miss Marguerite King and Marshall Heap following their wedding ceremony Sunday morning at the home of Mrs. Ernest Sidwell, 1907 W. Indiana.

Yellow marguerites and candles will decorate the table at which Miss Marilyn Sidwell will preside at the coffee urn.

Hostesses will be Mrs. W. A. Yeager, Mrs. I. E. Daniel, Mrs. Erle Payne, and Mrs. Ernest Sidwell.

Forty invitations were sent to relatives and friends of the couple.

Coming Events

MONDAY

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

Unexpected Club is to have a "Shipwreck" party Monday night at 8 o'clock at 407 W. Missouri.

Rebekahs will meet at the I. O. O. F. Hall Monday evening at 8 o'clock, for installation of officers.

Presbyterian Auxiliary will meet at the church Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock for an executive meeting. Regular inspirational will be at 3:30 o'clock.

The Methodist WSCS will meet at 3:30 Monday afternoon in the educational building for a regular business meeting. The spiritual life committee will be in charge of the meeting. The officers are asked to be present at 3:00 for an executive meeting.

July Dozen Club will meet at 8 o'clock Monday evening, with Miss Ruth Tidmore, 1005 Country Club Drive.

All circles of the First Baptist W.M.U. will meet in main auditorium Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock for the monthly missionary program. Miss Susie Stell of Anson will be the main speaker. Martha Holloway Circle will be hostess.

Brownie Scout Pack will meet Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Girl Scout headquarters with Mrs. Fred Kotyza leader.

TUESDAY

Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Tuesday afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 5. The public is invited.

The Bridgette Club will meet with Mrs. A. H. Riley, 608 W. Cuthbert Tuesday afternoon.

American 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.

WEDNESDAY

The Dos Reales Club will meet for a luncheon at 1 o'clock Wednesday at the home of Mrs. H. W. Deax, 1400 W. Ohio.

Mrs. L. Bryan Is Hostess To Belmont Class

Mrs. L. Bryan was hostess to the Belmont Bible Class at her home at the Atlantic Tank Farm, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Opening prayer was offered by Mrs. H. M. Reigle and dismissal prayer by Mrs. W. L. Sutton.

The lesson was taught by Mrs. Sutton. It covered the tenth and eleventh chapters of Deuteronomy. Next week the group will study the twelfth and thirteenth chapters, at a meeting with Mrs. Gladys Holster.

Refreshments were served to one visitor, Mrs. A. L. Bryan and the following members: Mrs. J. D. Webb, Mrs. Holster, Mrs. H. M. Reigle, Mrs. A. C. Moore, Mrs. W. L. Sutton, Mrs. W. G. Attaway and the hostess.

THURSDAY

Needcraft Club will meet with Mrs. John C. Dunagan, 1904 W. Wall, at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Banner Club will meet with Mrs. Albert Ravan, 410 W. Florida Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The Home Demonstration Clubs annual encampment starts Thursday July 31 and ends August 1.

FRIDAY

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

Escondido Club will meet at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon with Mrs. O. L. Wood, 522 W. Missouri.

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. Gladys Holster, 600 North A, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The Children's League will meet with Mrs. Ralph Fitting, Jr., 605 W. Cuthbert, Friday afternoon at 2 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 to 1 o'clock in the afternoon. The public is invited.

CASS FAMILY HOLDS REUNION IN WINK

WINK (Special)—A reunion of the W. E. Cass family was enjoyed Thursday at their home in Wink. Lewis Cass was home for three days, en route from Fort Mammoth, N. J., to Camp Bowie.

Others present were Mrs. B. P. Walsh and children of McCamey; Mrs. Spike Hale and son from Denver City; Mrs. Thomas Burrows and son, John, Wink; and W. E. Cass and son, Edgar, who have been working in Carlsbad, N. M., for several months.

MRS. RUTH CLARK TO BECOME BRIDE OF REV. HALL; COUPLE TO ALASKA

WINK (Special)—Announcement has been made of the approaching marriage of Rev. James Hall, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church in Wink, and Miss Ruth Clark, of Fort Davis, Texas. The date of the marriage has been set for August 9 in the home of the bride's parents. After the marriage the couple will leave for Alaska, where Rev. Hall will do missionary work.

REVIVAL SINGING AT HOME OF L. H. PITTMAN SUNDAY

Christian Revival singing will be held out in the open at the home of L. H. Pittman in the 900 block on N. Weatherford Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Public is invited.

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 necessary for a hostess to wait dinner more than 20 minutes?
2. Is it best to put coasters under ice-tea glasses?
3. If you are only to eat one meal in a private home, is it necessary to fold your napkin neatly at the end of the meal?
4. What serving silver would it be wise to use in a dish of asparagus?
5. May asparagus be eaten in the fingers?

What would you do if—

You are a man and your hostess starts to move a chair or set up a bridge table—

(a) Jump up immediately and say, "Let me do this for you?"

(b) keep your seat?

Answers

1. No.
2. Yes.
3. No.
4. A large spoon and fork.
5. If it can be managed without looking messy.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks, Sr., and son, Roy, Jr., and Clarence Scharbauer, Jr., returned home Saturday after a 10-day trip to Cheyenne, Wyo., where they attended a rodeo.

Mrs. Bill Joyce went home from Ryan Hospital Friday.

Mrs. H. H. Watford, who was injured in an automobile accident, went home from Ryan Hospital Friday.

E. E. Henderson, who underwent an appendectomy, was dismissed from Ryan Hospital this week-end.

Delbert Downing, recovering from an appendectomy at Ryan Hospital, will go home soon, attaches reported.

Jerry Bohannon was dismissed from Ryan Hospital Friday following minor surgery.

Miss Frances Franklin underwent a tonsillectomy at Western Clinic Hospital Saturday.

Miss Julia Castellon underwent an appendectomy at Western Clinic Hospital Friday. Her condition Saturday was satisfactory.

J. T. Kinsell was admitted to Western Clinic Hospital Friday for minor surgery.

Don Gray Smith underwent a tonsillectomy at Western Clinic Hospital Saturday.

Condition of John Dublin at a Midland hospital was reported as improved Saturday. He has been seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Long and sons, Wayne and Cecil, of 606 South Baird, have returned from a two-weeks vacation to Hot Springs, Ark., Dallas, and Corsicana.

Miss Claudine Hogan, secretary at KRLH radio station, has returned from a trip with friends to Los Angeles and other cities in California.

E. R. (Mule) Rutherford has returned from a trip to San Antonio where he visited friends.

Mrs. Cecil Pope and daughters Janice and Patsy Ruth, Miss Virginia Aycock of Tyler and Miss Helen Jordan of Tulsa, Okla., left Sunday morning for Itasca where they will visit friends.

Addison Wadley, J. B. Hoskins, Mrs. Lenton Brunson and Mrs. Ethel Schaefer returned Friday from Fort Worth and Dallas where they attended markets.

Mrs. Margaret Holmsley spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Hill in Crane.

Mrs. A. L. Stell and son, Willard of Anson, and Mrs. W. D. Bond and daughter, Helen Jean, of Abilene arrived in Midland Saturday to visit with their mother, Mrs. D. W. Brunson.

Mrs. Lewis Coryell and daughter, Gloria, have returned to Midland following a vacation trip to Florida. They spent several weeks there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Warner and daughter Marjorie, and Miss Joyce Beauchamp are spending the week-end in Fort Worth.

Dick McKnight returned to Tulsa, Okla., Friday following a two weeks vacation with his brother, Ish McKnight.

A. S. George and J. E. Everroad of Fort Worth were business visitors in Midland last week.

Elton Dozier of Camp Bowie, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dozier over the weekend.

Miss Shirley Shipley left Thursday for Coleman to visit with her sister, Mrs. Robert Anderson. She will leave there Sunday for Wichita Falls to be with her mother, Mrs. Fern Shipley.

Guests visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Fowler are his sister, Miss Jerry Scott of Denison, their daughter, Mrs. N. W. Talkington and daughter, Suann, of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Greybeal and son, Billy, are spending their vacation in Ruidoso and Silver City, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Scharbauer are expected to return in a few days from Rochester, Minn., where he underwent an examination at Mayo Clinic.

Miss Ruth Tidmore, Miss Lois Guffey, Mrs. Lige Midkiff, and son, Lige, Jr., went to Abilene Saturday. Miss Frances Guffey was expected to return with them Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Batchelor, Cartegena, Columbia, S. A., former resident of Midland, is here visiting friends.

Mrs. E. H. Ellison, 1411 Holloway Avenue, Midland, is visiting in New York City.

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Japanese Retain Free Expression After Long War

TOKYO. (UP)—Despite sporadic "thought control" campaigns and government control of the press, freedom of expression still exists to a considerable extent in Japan today after four years of involvement in war with China.

Unlike the Fascist states in Europe, Japan has produced no dictator during the China war and one government after another has been overthrown under the pressure of public criticism.

The criticism frequently does not appear in the press, but is spread by word of mouth and has been expressed in forums.

The criticism of most Japanese governments has come from radicals who think the government too conservative, or from conservatives who disagree with the so-called radical policies.

Financial Circles Protest
Recently the severest criticism has come from the financial circles which have suffered heavily as a result of the China war and the general world-wide situation.

The Japanese government recently took notice of some of the public disagreement with officials and policy by organizing a new central cooperative council which met in Tokyo for a free and open discussion of government policies.

Following the conference, committees made special recommendations to the government on the basis of public discussion, and a promise that the government would consider the recommendations in fixing the nation's policies was made.

The press did not report the proceedings of the council in detail, but it was said that the comments on the government's policy ranged from high praise to forthright condemnation.

Conviction Of Miner Would Crowd Prison

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, (UP)—Utah State prison officials regard the forthcoming first degree murder trial of Alex Hurtados, a miner, with misgiving, fearful of another conviction which would add to the current overcrowding in the prison leath house.

Four convicted slayers are awaiting execution—or possible commutation—in the prison's hot, top-story cell-block set aside for the loomed.

Originally, two executions were scheduled for August, but now officials believe further delays will issue. One of the prisoners, John Markham, has staved off death or two years and is planning one more effort.

"Junior" Furniture Is Keyed To Small Rooms



Especially designed to suit the small home are the new junior dining room sets. Like the one shown above, with Regency flavor, they are perfectly suited to informal, though gracious, entertaining and daily comfort. Notice the fern stand in front of the full-length window. It's typical of the fern stands for dining rooms that smart shoppers will buy during August furniture sales.

By Marian Young
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK.—This year's mid-summer furniture sales provide perfect answers to all "how to furnish small and medium-size rooms" problems. Furniture departments offer a large variety of beautiful living and dining room chairs, tables and lamps, as well as chests and other bedroom furnishings that were designed with the small home-owner's needs firmly in mind.

One Regency dining room set, for instance, includes a smart oval table, a buffet that isn't much larger than a narrow bedroom chest and a miniature breakfast table with space for dishes behind its grillwork doors and space for linen in its three small drawers. Chairs with striped satin seats are scaled down in size to suit the table, yet are strong enough and large enough to be comfortable.

An attractive mahogany fern stand is shown with the group. Lamps on the buffet were designed to give plenty of light but at the same time eliminate a look of massiveness. The entire set might be used in a rather large breakfast room as well as in a small dining room.

SMALL FURNITURE FOR SMALL ROOMS

Interior decorators agree that it is a great mistake to put huge, massive pieces of furniture in a small room or tiny, fragile ones in a large, imposing room. For small wall spaces, they suggest pedestal and wig stands filled with ivy, shallow tables or pier chests, rather than tremendous breakfronts or large chairs and side table groups.

Where there is a mere sliver of wall space between doors and windows, Elizabeth Peacock, one of

Buying Furniture? Remember These Rules:

1. Buy according to size of your rooms. Massive pieces are out of place in small rooms, or vice versa.
2. Buy on quality first, on price last, when possible.
3. Demand exact description of woods and veneers.
4. Examine wood construction and springs of upholstered furniture.
5. Mattresses and box springs should be guaranteed to have sag-proof edges.
6. Furniture in one room should not all be of the same height or size. If you have plenty of low chairs and a sofa let one new piece be tall.
7. Skip top-heavy little tables with unsteady legs. Top and legs should be in correct proportion. Otherwise table will wobble.
8. Short, squat lamps seldom provide good reading light.

New York's best decorators, often uses a long panel of mirror glass, so that form and color from furniture across the room are repetitive—without taking up any space. Sometimes she fastens a shallow, rounded console without legs onto the mirror at just about table height. This idea, incidentally, is a good one for small foyers or upstairs halls.

Mrs. Peacock says that the corners of a room usually are more important than they are made to seem. According to her, their crying need is for high pieces; for they always require building up. Following her advice, the smart shopper might look for high corner cabinets or whatnots and tall screens, attractively priced during midsummer furniture sales.

A desk—small if the room is small; massive if the room is large—often will add just the necessary note of charm and interest to a living room. And desks of every size and in every possible type of wood are featured in the midsummer furniture sales. "However," Elizabeth Peacock continues, "never place a desk, or a rectangular table or a chest across a corner. This wastes space and creates an ugly line. If you know that it will not be possible to place your desk against a wall or at right angles with it, then forget about a desk and use a drum or rounded table with a tall lamp on it and a chair with high arms and back in the corner which now looks unfurnished."

Among other items that you can find in the sales and which decorators like are: globes of the world—to be used on high pedestals in corners with books or books and desks; huge, square hassocks to be used near the fireplace or to be kept in an alcove and pulled into the living room when there are more guests than there are chairs available.

Beds without footboards are featured in all furniture stores. So are matching bedroom chests to be used side by side instead of opposite each other.

And—for a real thrill—look at the newest leather-covered furniture. If you have any idea that dark brown, bright red and deep green are "the" leather colors, wait until you have seen a love seat in dusty mauve, a chair in

pale, soft green, a sofa in lemon-cream or a leather boudoir chair in shell pink. Leather in the newest colors gives every home decorator a chance to use delicate colors without having to worry about how in the world to keep them clean. Leather furniture may be washed with soap and water.

We, the Women

By Ruth Millett

Lots of wives who sit discontentedly at bridge tables while their husbands spend happy hours hunting, fishing, skeet shooting, riding or playing golf, would be out having fun with the men if they hadn't given up too easily when they were trying to learn the sport.

But they went out with their husbands once, twice or maybe half a dozen times and, not knowing anything at all about the sport, decided that they didn't like it and that they never would be any good at it, no matter how hard they tried.

And so these wives gave up the sport and said to the husbands who had encouraged them to have a try at it, "I don't see what fun you get out of THAT." With that withering remark the wives went back to bridge and other feminine pastimes.

Today they are spending far too much time with a small group of women—considering what they privately think of the women—and seeing nothing much at all of the husbands who, they complain, neglect them.

THEY MIGHT HAVE LEARNED TO LIKE IT
A little more perseverance and they would probably have learned to enjoy the sports that take up so much of their husbands' time. They just didn't realize that for most sports getting enthusiastic about a sport doesn't come until you have kept at it long enough to get the feel of it, to begin to notice some improvement in your skill and to sense what you will have to do in order to be better.

If the women had just kept at it, many of them would not only have learned to enjoy the sport but some would have come in time to excel at it, and their husbands would have been proud of their skill.

The woman who is thinking today that she would like to learn the sport her husband is just taking up should profit by the example of these wives. She should not decide she doesn't like men's sports until she has stuck with them at least one season.

Reagan Reunion To Be Held Aug. 15-16

An invitation has been extended to Midland citizens to attend the annual Reagan County Old Settlers' Reunion at Big Lake, Aug. 15 and 16. The program includes a free barbecue, patriotic speaking, rodeo, matched roping contests, district Boy Scout first aid contest, and modern and square dances.

PAINTED SNAKE ON ROOF TOO MUCH FOR PIGEONS
PITTSFIELD, Mass. (UP)—W. D. Farmer, a jeweler, doesn't like pigeons.

He read that pigeons didn't like snakes. He made a half-dozen gaily painted wooden snakes and placed them near pigeon nests on his roof. The pigeons left.

Massive Pieces Are Out Of Place



The clean-cut lines of good modern design are well exemplified in this comfortable high-backed chair and table. The unusual table top, with its long, deep drawer, is covered with leather. The sleek, tapering legs are of blonde wood.

Jaycees Attend Farewell Party

Junior Chamber of Commerce members said farewell to their president, Tom Brown, at a picnic in his honor at Cloverdale Park. Forty members and guests attended. "Midland's loss is Lubbock's gain," Bill German said. "We will miss Tom Brown but are glad he is being promoted. His type of citizen is rare and we wish we had more like him. He carries our sincere best wishes."

"I hate to leave Midland. I will always cherish my friends and associations here," Brown answered. Horace Busby, second vice-president, was in charge of the program. Clint Dunagan was master of ceremonies. Roy DeWolfe furnished musical entertainment.

Bill Collins, Jaycee secretary, expressed appreciation of Brown's work as a civic leader. Brown, president of the Junior Chamber since April, and local manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., will become manager of the Lubbock office.

LEFT-OVER SPONGE CAKE

A good way to use left-over sponge cake is to combine it with a pudding mixture. Use your regular fruit gelatine recipe, and when it has slightly coagulated, fold into it a cup of whipped cream. Line a mold with strips of the stale cake, fill with the gelatine mixture and chill. When ready to serve, top with whipped cream and garnish with fresh fruit.

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BAKERSFIELD, Cal. (UP)—Aerial reconnaissance may become increasingly important as an aid to fighting forest fires if a portable tent darkroom under experimentation here proves its worth.

The portable darkroom makes it possible for fire fighters in the field to determine the exact location and severity of mountain blazes in a few minutes time, according to the two men who originated it. They are Frank Scovel, fire prevention engineer for the county-state fire department, and Harold Bowhay, county fire warden.

Negatives by 'Chute

A fire may be photographed from an airplane, the undeveloped negatives dropped by parachute to ground crews. The films are developed in the small tent darkroom right on the line of battle.

Scovel estimated that with the portable equipment the chief of a fire crew can have a completed minutes after the airplane camera print of a forest fire within several man snaps the shutter. The information that can be gleaned from such a photograph is extremely valuable in planning suppression activities and selecting the point of attack, according to Bowhay.

UNLOADS FILE OF BOOKS BEFORE DEPARTURE

BROWNWOOD, (AP)—Miss Edith Houston, service club librarian at Camp Bowie, looked up from her desk to find Soldier Willard Baker holding out an armful of books.

"I'm leaving for Louisiana maneuvers right away," said Baker, a little breathlessly. "The library might as well have all these."

But Outfits For Other Activities Should Be Part Of The Wardrobe

NEW YORK.—Late summer vacationists are heeding an urge to "get away from it all" and are heading straight for mountain lakes and cool, rippling trout streams. Even the most glamorous of the glamor girls among them are packing practical, down-to-earth, water-proof trousers and rubber boots, long-sleeved shirts to protect arms and necks from dive-bombing mosquitoes and, of course, plenty of the right sort of fishing tackle.

The two costumes shown above, were photographed at Maligne Lake in Canada, and are perfect for fishing. The pants are of wool forestry cloth and are tucked securely into rubber waders. The shirts are of gabardine.

At Jasper Park Lodge, beside Canada's beautiful Lac Beauvert, the outfit at left will be handy. It includes navy wool jersey overalls and printed chambray blouse with full sleeves, and is ideal for spectator sports or dinner at the lodge.

At right, attractive lightweight plaid wool slacks, a white flannel shirt and white tweed jacket make a costume that is perfect for morning, afternoon or dinner. And it has enough warmth for comfort on evenings when the breezes across the lake are slightly brisk.

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Britain Moves To End Serious Nurse Shortage

By Rosette Hargrove
NEA Service Staff Correspondent
LONDON—The noblest of all professions open to women—caring for the sick and tending the wounded—is clamoring for recruits. There is a grave shortage of nurses in England, and the government has for some months past been making a special appeal to women called up for national registration to volunteer as nurses. It is revealed that fever and tuberculosis hospitals are desperately in need of trained personnel. Why? Because nurses have never had a fair deal.

Since the outbreak of war, literally hundreds of capable, fully-trained young women have abandoned the nursing profession to take up war work. The reason is easy to find. The munition factory or the services offered more scope and far better pay.

To remedy this state of affairs, the authorities have been planning a Nurse's Charter. It would make nursing a reasonably-paid, instead of the most disgracefully-paid profession, with all the benefits attached to others, such as teaching, for instance.

WANT BETTER PAY AND WORKING CONDITIONS
Before going any further, it might be pointed out that British nurses were not only just about the worst-paid, but also the most hard-worked in the world.

Britain's nursing body is out for its rights. It demands that existing salaries be doubled. Thus a staff nurse would then get between \$450 to \$650 a year; a ward nurse (head floor nurse) from \$650 to \$850, and senior tutor nurses from \$1200 to \$2000. Matrons' minimum salary would start at \$1000, according to the number of beds in the hospital.

Other demands include the establishment of a pensioning system, the provision of indoor and outdoor uniforms, as well as the removal of unnecessary red tape and high-handed dictatorial powers masquerading as discipline.

Of the many questions occupying the attention of the Royal College of Nursing, besides those set out above, is the matter of better conditions for the probationer. In most hospitals, even now, she is treated more or less in the form of cheap

Compete With War Industry Wages Poorly Paid Profession Cannot



British nurses, who have done heroic war work in bomb-blasted England, are "out for their rights."

labor. Scrubbing floors, cleaning windows, polishing brass and all other such chores should no longer be the lot of the student nurse. Dirty, inadequate living quarters, long, uninterrupted working hours are other abuses which must be abolished.

Free training, of course, is given in any of the big metropolitan and provincial hospitals. Girls can sign on for the duration of the war as

members of the Civil Nursing Reserve, or take up nursing as their life's career. Speaking to the matron of one particular London hospital soon after the registration of the 20-year-olds, I learned that there were 80 students always in training, 40 in the main building in London, 40 at the base military hospital in the country.

An interesting sidelight on probationers is that but few change

their minds during the training period. The fascination of the work generally "gets" a girl within a week or two, even if she is only half-hearted to begin with. Nursing is a job with an inspiration—it is intensely human and touches the heart and the emotions, and calls for the highest qualities.

Among the revolutionary changes from conditions ruling no farther back than 20 years, the same matron told me, was the fact that a probationer is considered a nurse from the moment she dons her uniform and steps into the ward, and not an inferior kind of housemaid as she used to be.

Housing conditions are, by comparison, quasi-luxurious in some of the hospitals, with heated living-rooms and attractive bed-sitting rooms in lieu of the erstwhile dormitories. Most amazing of all, to the veteran "sisters," is the Sunday morning breakfast-in-bed privilege enjoyed by off-duty probationers, as well as the fully-fledged nurses. Other advantages which are being slowly introduced are shorter working shifts, better food and more liberty.

SEEK "SUPERWOMEN" TO HEAD NURSE CORPS

Four women are to form the main governing body which is to control the nurses of Great Britain and help turn nursing into a real profession. At the top is Miss Florence Horsburgh, parliamentary secretary to the minister of health. Second in command is Miss Katherine Watt, chief matron of the Emergency Hospital Service. The government is now looking for the remaining two, whose qualifications must just simply be those of "superwomen." One must be qualified to exercise control over all nursing staffs of every hospital in the country. The other will have charge of all sorts of nurses, from the district nurses to those in public shelters.

Leaders in the demand for the proposed Nurse's Charter visualize the day when the nursing profession will be nationalized, with nurses receiving standard rates of pay. Such government control would be unanimously welcomed and would make for better and more uniform conditions.

At Your Library

BERLIN DIARY, by William L. Shirer: William L. Shirer, in the Saturday Review of Literature, says: "This is the best book on Germany in many years, and it will be as many more before a better one can be written. Shirer, who has lived in Germany from 1934 until this winter, knows the Nazis better than any other American, and is gifted with an eye for significant detail."

"The first half of the book, a highly readable account of the prelude to catastrophe, has in part been covered by other observers, but never better than here. But the last 300 pages bring to America completely fresh material. It is an account of the active phase of the war from behind the German lines and in many cases through Nazi eyes. It is packed with keen observation on new facts. I have yet to find anyone who picked the book up who was able to put it down unfinished."

"Nothing escapes Shirer's marvelous eye, and as Hitler passes casually by his restaurant table during the Munich crisis, he notes his 'curious walk' which is 'very lady-like. Dainty little steps. Every few steps he cocks his right shoulder nervously, his left leg snapping up as he does so.' And at the same place Shirer picks up from Nazi 'party hacks' the bit of news that 'Hitler has been having some of his nervous crises lately * * * whenever he goes on a rampage about Benes or the Czechs, he flings himself to the floor and chews the edges of the carpet,' whence his private party nickname 'Teppich-fresser'—the 'carpet-eater.' He also sees 'Chamberlain, the image of an

owl, smiling and apparently highly pleased in his vain way with some manufactured applause by a company of S. S. guards.' Again Shirer sees Hitler, at the time of the French surrender last year in the historic railway car at Compiègne, reading its inscription, 'afire with scorn, anger, hate, revenge, triumph. He steps off the monument and contrives to make even this gesture a masterpiece of contempt.'

"Later Shirer goes down to the coast to watch the big Heinkel's roar off, up, and over to bomb London—a thing I'll never forget about these coastal towns in Belgium and France is the way people pray every night for the British bombers to come over, though often when their prayers are answered it means their death and often they cheer the bomb which kills them." And presently he goes on to describe something which "the Germans will shoot me for if the Gestapo ever finds these notes"—for he is "shocked by the way the German army has been abusing the Red Cross—a gasoline dump, with a number of army oil trucks with red crosses on their sides and roofs, which 'indeed looked like Red Cross ambulances. * * *

A German officer hurriedly bundled us into our cars and got us off." "Almost as important as Shirer's clearly marshalled facts is the conclusion, which, at the end, emerges more and more clearly as a part of these facts. This is that National Socialism is the deadly enemy of our free, democratic way of life; it cannot possibly come to rest until it has conquered and dominates the world, and if it fails in this it will

RETURN FROM SAN SABA
Mrs. Theron Rippe returned Friday night from San Saba after a weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Tom Myers. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Therman Swails.

BOY BORN TO FLAVEL FRUITS, GIRL TO HASKELL SPARKS
WINK (Special)—A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Flavel Fruit of Carlsbad, N. M., Thursday night. They are former residents of Wink. A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Sparks, of the Shell Camp in the Wright Hospital in Kermit.

perish. Through a thousand little facts presented without bias in this gripping narrative the reader comes to realize that war between America and Hitler is inevitable, and that our only choice is whether to declare it while we have a chance to win it or wait until Hitler declares it after that chance is gone.

THIRTY-FIVE FROM WINK ATTEND ASSOCIATION MEET
WINK (Special) — Thirty-five Wink young people attended the monthly meeting of the Pecos Valley Young People's Association. The Wink group gave a playlet entitled "The Challenge of the Cross." Next meeting will be held in Wink, and the McCamey group will have charge of the program.



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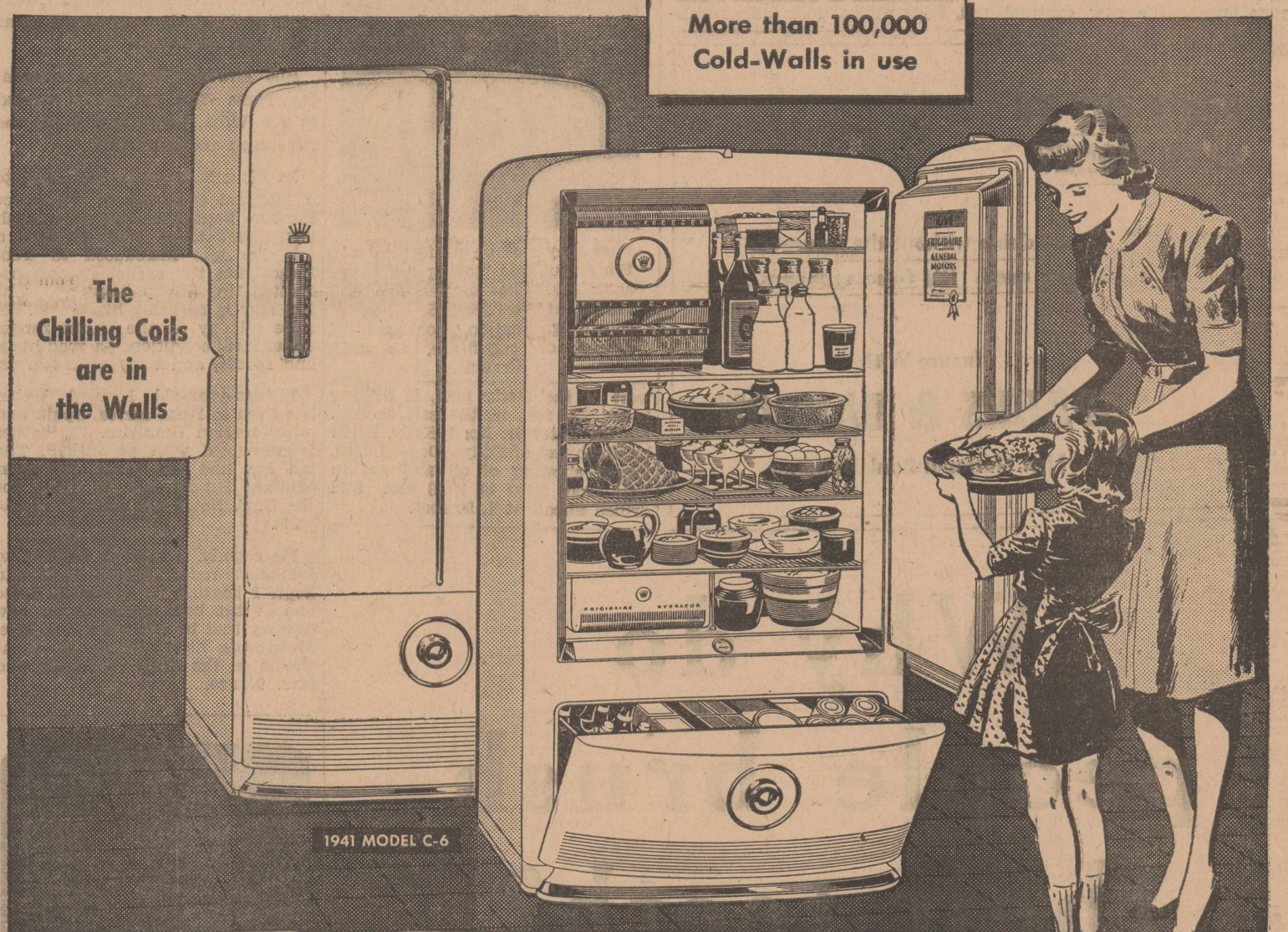
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CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Lord's Day services:
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10:50 a.m. Morning worship
7:15 p.m. Young People's Bible class
8:15 p.m. Evening worship
8:15 p.m. Wednesday. Midweek Bible study and song practice

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. The Rev. Ben Moore of Brownwood will preach.
8:00 p.m. Evening worship. Mr. Moore will again preach.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES
"Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, July 27.

The Golden Text is: "O praise the Lord, all ye nations... For his merciful kindness is great toward us: and the truth of the Lord endureth for ever." (Psalms 117:1, 2).

TRINITY CHURCH (Protestant Episcopal).
Robert J. Snell, Minister in Charge
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Holy Communion and sermon.

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

HOLINESS TABERNACLE (Pentecostal)
O. W. Roberts, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH
R. 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.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH
W. Pennsylvania and Lorraine
Lee Carter, Pastor
Saturday services:
10:00 a.m.—Sabbath school.
11:00 a.m.—Preaching.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
1005 S. Main
Fred McPherson, Pastor
10:00 a.m. Sunday school
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.
7:00 p.m. Training union
8:00 p.m. Evening service. The pastor will preach.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.
John E. Pickering, Pastor
9:45 a.m. Bible school
10:50 a.m. Preparation for the Lord's Supper
11:00 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "The Faith That Makes Us Whole."
6:30 p.m. Youth-adult worship service. Message by the pastor on "The Call of A Living Christ."
7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Choir practice.

CHURCH OF CHRIST (South Side)
710 S. Colorado St.
Bill Gipson, Evangelist.
Services:
Sunday: 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Thursday: 7:30 p.m.

NAOMI CLASS
Naomi class for women (inter-denominational) meets at 9:45 a.m. in private dining room, Hotel Scharbauer.

GOSPEL HALL
500 S. Lorraine
J. D. Jackson, Pastor
9:00 a.m.—Bible study.
11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.
7:45 p.m.—Preaching service.
7:45 p.m.—Tuesday. Young people meeting.
2:30 p.m. Wednesday—W.M.B. meeting.
7:45 p.m. Thursday—Preaching services.

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST Church—502 E. Illinois
Chas. B. Hedges, Pastor
9:00 a.m. Broadcast over KRLH
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Preaching service.
8:00 p.m. Preaching service.
8:00 p.m. Tuesday. Prayer meeting
7:30 p.m. Thursday—Gospel singing.

ST. GEORGE CHURCH (Roman Catholic)
Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor
7:30 a.m. Holy communion.
8:00 a.m. Low mass (Spanish)
10:00 a.m. Low mass.
Benediction after 8 and 10 o'clock masses.

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
510 S. Baird
John Wharton, Pastor
10:00 a.m.—Sunday school.
11:00 a.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor.
8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting.
9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday—Women's missionary council meeting.
8:00 p.m. Friday—Young People's service.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
H. D. Bruce, Pastor.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school
10:55 a.m. Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Jesus, Our Saviour."
6:45 p.m. Training union
8:00 p.m. Vacation Bible School will have commencement.
3:30 p.m. Monday. WMU meeting
7:00 p.m. Wednesday. Teachers' meeting
8:00 p.m. Wednesday. Prayer meeting
7:30 p.m. Thursday. Choir practice

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7:00 p.m. Junior, Intermediate, and Senior Leagues meet
8:00 p.m. Evening worship. The young people will be in charge of the service with Miss Helen Connor, directing.

SOUTH SIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Well Between Maljamar And Vacuum Pool Hits Lime High To Rate Top Interest In Southeast New Mexico

HOBBS, N. M.—Southeast New Mexico interest was turned Saturday to a wildcat test in Lea County between the Maljamar and Vacuum pools as it indicated high structural position on first lime marker.

The prospect is Richmond Drilling Company of Midland, Texas No. 1 Shell Oil Company, Inc.-State, 660 feet from the south and 1,980 feet from the east line of section 22-178-33e. With elevation of 4,146 feet it topped the Grayburg lime at 4-135 feet. The top is pronounced high by observers. At last reports No. 1 Shell-State was drilling ahead below 4,248 feet in lime.

In Northeastern Lea wildcat territory, Carl B. King No. 1 State is drilling past 3,210 feet in anhydrite. Elevation of the test is 3,910 feet. It logged top of anhydrite at 2,280 feet, base of salt at 2,960 feet, top of Yates sand at 3,045 feet and first Yates frosted quartz grains at 3,970 feet. On the anhydrite the King wildcat is 60 feet low to the old Morton No. 1 State, 5,267-foot dry hole three and one-quarter miles south by southwest, and 68 feet low to Rowan & Nichols No. 1 State, 5,077-foot duster five and one-half miles to the west. Yates sand top in King No. 1 State occurred practically flat with the Morton failure but was 163 feet lower than the Rowan & Nichols test.

with supporting companies, Brown reportedly has assumed obligation to casing in the well, wash the hole and acidize it with a minimum of 9,000 gallons. Republic Supply Company is donating a string of 5 1/2-inch casing; Humble Oil & Refining Company is giving \$2,500 cash; Shell is giving \$2,500, and Skelly Oil Company is contributing \$3,000. Location of the test is in the center of lot 11, section 4-168-35e.

Maljamar Area.

Fullerton Oil Company No. 1 State, seven miles north and slightly east of production in the Maljamar pool, logged slight showing of dead oil from 4,850 to 4,870 feet and is drilling ahead past 4,875 feet in lime. It is 1,980 feet from the south and 660 from the east line of section 18-168-33e, Western Lea.

Carper Drilling Company No. 2-R Simon, Maljamar pool well 1,980 feet from the south and east lines of section 30-178-32e in Western Lea, flowed 150 barrels of oil per day through open 2-inch tubing after nitro shot with 204 quarts from 3,760 to 3,890 feet, the total depth. Tubing is set at 3,790 feet. The well entered pay at 3,760 feet.

A new test for the Maljamar pool has been staked by Carper as No. 5-A Simon, 660 feet out of the southwest corner of section 29-178-32e.

Brown To Run Pipe, Test.

King No. 1 State is located 660 feet out of the northwest corner of section 16-118-38e, three miles west of the Texas-New Mexico state line. Hal Cave, Roswell operator, negotiated deal for drilling the test, obtaining acreage donation from Tide Water Associated Oil Company and turning part of the land, including the wellsite, to King. L. H. Wentz of Ponca City, Oklahoma and Ohio Oil Company also are supporting the test.

J. W. Brown, Inc. No. 1 State, Lea wildcat eight miles north by east of the Vacuum field, is awaiting casing which will be run preliminary to testing zone from 5,303 to 5,307 feet which carried good saturation and fair porosity in core. Hole is bottomed at 5,320 feet, plugged back from total depth of 5,507 feet in lime.

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Loco Hills Extended.

Seeking a short west extension of the Loco Hills pool in Eddy County, Stroup & Yates were successful, completing their No. 3-B Ballard for daily flow of 250 barrels through casing. The well was shot with 160 quarts from 2,440 to 2,462 feet. First pay was logged at 2,444 feet and hole is bottomed at 2,485 feet in lime. It is located 990 feet from the south and west lines of section 8-168-28e.

The same operators have staked a southwest outpost to Loco Hills at No. 3 Travis, 330 feet from the north and 990 from the west line of section 17-188-29e.

The Barber pool of Eddy gained a new location in Keyes & Atwood No. 1-A Keyes, 990 feet from the south and 2,310 from the west line of section 15-208-30e.

Flynn, Welch & Yates No. 1 Parcel, Eddy wildcat four miles north-

Public Records

WARRANTY DEEDS

S. E. Mickey, et ux to S. C. Glessey, Lot 11, Block 1, Elmwood.

L. W. Taylor, et ux to Thad A. Steele, Lot 10, Block 1, Elmwood.

Clarence Scharbauer, et al to L. W. Hines, W 50 acres of that part of Section 34, Block 39, Township 1-South.

Eugene E. Parris to J. L. Shive, Lot 3, Block 15, Belmont.

Daniel Greene to Mildred Greene, Lot 13, Block 2, Ridgela.

Marion Maude Harris to B. G. Grafa, tract of subdivision of W/2 of SW/4 of NW/4 Section 26, Block 39, Township 1-South.

Jno. M. Gist to Troy Seago, parcel of land in Section 2, Block 38 Township 1-South.

William Bryant et ux to W. L. Jones, N 50 acres of W/2 of SE/4 Section 3, Block 39, Township 2-South.

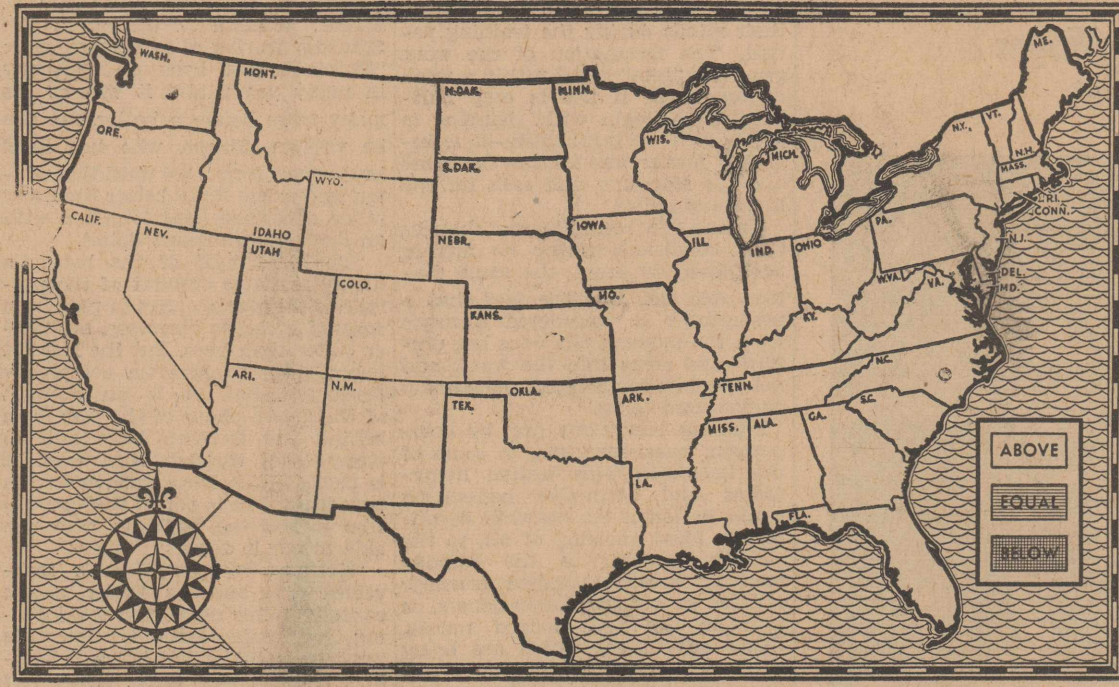
Jno. M. Gist to J. A. McClurg, 410 acres out of Section 1, Block 39, Twp 2-South.

Jno. M. Gist to Primitive Baptist Church, 2-acre tract out of Section 2, Block 39, Twp. 2-South.

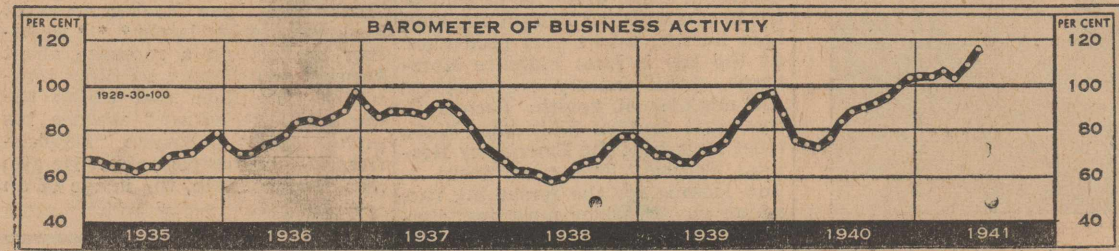
E. E. Reigle, et ux to James H. Chapple, W 20' of Lot 1 and E 40' of Lot 2, Block 10, Elmwood Extension.

Primitive Baptist Church to B. G. Grafa, 2-acre tract out of the NW cor. of Sec. 1, Blk. 39, Township 2-South.

Business Conditions—The Map And Barometer



This map depicts current business conditions as compared with the same period last year. It will appear in the August number of "Nation's Business", published by the United States Chamber of Commerce



The first solid white map in the history of this feature is not an engraver's error. It reflects the country-wide improvement over last year. Accompanied by rising commodity prices and the acceleration of defense activities, business and industry registered further marked gains during June. The barometer again rose sharply to a new high level for many years.

Perfect Pup



Man may not be perfect in all things but this "seeing eye" dog shown with her master, Francis Guhin, at Aberdeen, S. D., high school graduation, got perfect attendance certificate, as did Francis.

west of the Getty pool, is drilling below 240 feet in the salt section. Martin Yates Jr. No. 1 Kelly, north by northwest of Eddy's Dayton area, logged showing of oil and gas in lime from 1,100 to 1,118 feet and drilled ahead at 1,190 feet.

Georgia Youth Rides Range For Cattleman And Likes West Texas

By Ola Dublin Haynes

The West still has its lure and youth still answers its romantic call.

For years people have been coming here because of the oil industry and the five-million-dollar Bombardier Center has brought a great influx of newcomers.

But Edward Weber, of Atlanta, Ga., came West because he wanted to see West Texas, and know the ranchmen and their work.

In his soft draw he explained to a Midland Chamber of Commerce clerk he wanted to work on a ranch but didn't know how to find a job. He was introduced to Tom Nance and the cattleman was attracted to the youngster.

The boy now is realizing his dream. He rides all day on the Nance ranch, under ideal conditions—a good horse and saddle, and wavy grama grass.

Fifteen-year-old Edward Weber has lived in Peru, Africa, Spain and other foreign countries. His father is connected with an airline. The lad has had two years at Culver Military School and is slated for the U. S. Naval Academy at Annapolis.

He eagerly is looking forward to Midland's rodeo, August 30-31 and Sept. 1 because he knows he'll see one of the best shows in the cow country that he has learned to love. Meanwhile he is happy to be at "home on the range" with Mr. and Mrs. Nance.

Arrival Of West Point With U. S. Consuls Will Mark Beginning Of New Diplomatic Tuning-In On War

By Peter Edson Reporter-Telegram Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON. When the Navy's big armed transport, West Point, steams back into New York harbor with some 350 American consular agents and their families, all of whom were "swapped" with Italy and Germany for their 460 consular agents and families stationed in the United States, it mark the beginning of a new period of diplomatic listening-in on the European war.

Vice-versa, it will mark the beginning of a new period of espionage or observation of our affairs by Germans and Italians.

Embassies, the high ranking ambassadors and ministers and their staffs, are not affected by the swap, but in 14 of the 25 countries of Europe, the United States will be without any direct consular representation in Germany, Italy, Norway, Denmark, Albania, Belgium, Netherlands, Luxembourg, Yugoslavia, Greece, Latvia, Estonia, Lithuania and the German-occupied portion of France.

In the German occupied part of Europe, where all the 350 returning Americans come from, the United States government will be left with only six strategic listening posts—Berlin, Rome, Budapest, Sofia, Bucharest and Helsinki. In all these capitals the United States has embassies or legations with diplomatic officers, rather than just consular officers, and under the terms of the mutual expulsions of each others' lesser fry officials, the embassy staffs are permitted to function at the same old marble stands.

No Official Mad-on

The United States isn't at war with anyone and Germany, Italy and Italy aren't officially mad at us. It's a good bit like divorce, where the parties go on dating each other though they're not married any more, and they simply haven't any permanent use for each other.

Custody of the children in this queer setup is left principally in the hands of the ranking half dozen diplomats. William Phillips of Massachusetts is ambassador in Rome with a staff of 20. We have no ambassador in Berlin, the embassy being in charge of Leland B. Morris of Pennsylvania, who ranks as a counselor and was actually consul general. His staff numbers 30. At

both Rome and Berlin—at all embassies, in fact—the military and naval attaches, service officers who can kibitz on the war from the capital fronts.

Four diplomats with the rank of envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary occupy the other listening posts in the German area: George H. Earle of Pennsylvania, at Sofia, Bulgaria; H. P. Arthur Schoenfeld of Washington, D. C., at Helsinki, Finland; Herbert C. Pell of Rhode Island at Budapest, Hungary; and Franklin M. Gunther of Florida at Bucharest, Rumania.

Gone are the other United States diplomatic and consular staffs, in the Balkans, the low countries and the Balkan republics, although Ambassador Anthony J. Drexel Biddle Jr., of Pennsylvania, stationed in London, is in contact with the refugee governments of Belgium, Poland, Norway and the Netherlands.

Similarly, the consulate staff in Paris which has been under Robert D. Murphy of Wisconsin, is homebound on the West Point, leaving the United States without observers in occupied France. At Vichy is Admiral William D. Leahy as ambassador, with a staff of 15. This is perhaps the toughest assignment in the whole diplomatic corps for it involves the tough job of doing everything possible to keep France from going for all-out co-operation with the Axis.

Five That Count

Theoretically, business as usual for the diplomatic and consular staffs goes on in the five neutral countries of Europe: Sweden, Switzerland, Spain, Portugal and Erie, and all of them are important, too, for these are the countries that must be kept neutral, or at least not too pro-Axis.

David Gray of Florida is at Baile Atha Clath—Dublin to you. Bert Fish of Florida is at Lisbon, and because this is the principal European port kept open for shipping and the clippers, it is the big relay point for mail and passenger services, hence essential to watch. Leland Harrison of Illinois is at Bern, Switzerland; Alexander W. Weddell of Virginia is at Madrid, and Frederick A. Sterling of Texas is at Stockholm.

That leaves the two big allied capitals, London and Moscow. Ambassador John G. Winant of New Hampshire at the former, and Laurence A. Steinhardt of New York at the latter. Steinhardt is rated one of the ablest men in the diplomatic service. His staff numbers 16, and in all the U. S. S. R. there are only two other U. S. foreign service officers, a consul and vice consul at Vladivostok. At London is a permanent staff of more than 50.

Midland Building Activity Maintains Fast Pace For Third Week As Permits Aggregating \$22,100 Were Authorized

Building permits for \$22,100 of construction last week pushed Midland over the \$300,000-mark for 1941. It was the third consecutive week in which more than \$20,000 in building was authorized, and brought the July total near \$100,000.

Two previous weeks of \$38,930 and \$26,630 and last week produced the greatest building activity of any three-week period in several months. July building totals \$92,130 and 1941 construction is \$306,030.

W. W. West will build a brick veneer residence at 711 West Storey St. in the Country Club addition at a cost of \$7,850. The size will be 56 by 41 feet and materials of lumber and brick. A two-car garage in included in the plan.

Three Other Residences.

A permit for a \$5,500 residence went to D. H. Roettger at 501 North A St. in the High School addition. It will be a five-room brick-veneer dwelling with one-car garage attached.

John M. Rush was issued a permit to build a \$4,000 five-room lumber residence at 108 Ridgela Drive, in the Ridgela addition. It will be 26 by 36 feet with one-car garage attached.

Douglas Nix received a permit to build a five-room residence at 1611 West Kentucky. It will be a lumber dwelling with asbestos siding and 130 by 36 feet. Cost will be \$3,250. A one-car garage is included.

Houston Hill will build a 30 by 100-foot business structure at 507 South Marfield St. It will be constructed of corrugated iron on frame and cost \$1,500.

Wink Music Teacher To Head Department

WINK (Special)—Announcement was made that Gene Hemmle, head of the music department of the Wink school last year, had received an appointment as head of the department of voice and music education at the Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy in El Paso.

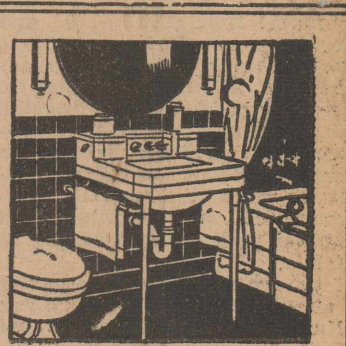
He will assume his new duties on Sept. 11. His successor has not been announced.

Waco Boy's Club To Hold Services Here

One hundred members of the Waco Boy's Club will stop in Midland to hold religious services at 9 a. m. Sunday, on the courthouse lawn, County Judge E. H. Barron said.

The youths are returning to Waco from a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

The group was invited to hold church services here.



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Residence Fire In Wink Is Total Loss

WINK (Special)—Fire destroyed a small residence of T. F. Pearson in the southwest part of the city Friday. No one was living in the house, but the building was furnished. Nothing was saved.

GRAZING CROP ADAPTED ON CUT-OVER TIMBER LAND

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)—Washington is taking steps to solve one of its hardest land-use problems—what to do with land that is logged-off and stands almost barren, full of tree stumps.

Clearing the stumps so that the land can be farmed costs considerable money, whether done by dynamiting or bulldozers. So the plan now is to seed the cut-over land with crops which can be used for grazing of cattle and sheep.

An experiment in seeding of such land has been launched in Grays Harbor county under co-operation of local authorities and Washington State College. Seeding will be done this summer so the grasses can sprout this fall and be ready for grazing next spring and summer.

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\$25,000	\$3570	\$6127	\$13,000
\$50,000	\$13,741	\$19,527	\$33,000

Higher income taxes are in store for U. S. citizens, but they still won't be paying as much as subjects of Great Britain. Chart shows samples of present taxes, planned taxes now being discussed in Congress, and the taxes British pay.