

War Department Predicts Soldiers Will Get Release After 18 Months

Rosenman Surveys Defense Differences

Roosevelt Names Old Friend To Survey Of OPM And OPACS Functions; Reports Say Wallace May Direct Super Defense Agency

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt has commissioned Judge Samuel I. Rosenman of the New York State Supreme Court to make a study of differences between the Office of Production Management and the Office of Price Administration and Civilian Supply.

In making this known Tuesday, Stephen Early, presidential secretary, said that Rosenman, an old friend and advisor of the Chief Executive, was still in Washington but he did not know whether a report was ready for Mr. Roosevelt.

OPM and OPACS have not seen eye to eye on some policy matters, such as a proposed curtailment of automobile production to make room for expanded defense output by motor car plants.

Asked whether he had heard that a super defense agency might be organized with Vice President Wallace in charge, Early said he did not know whether that was right or not. Questioned whether Rosenman was working on reorganization of the defense set up, Early replied: "Rosenman has been associated with the President for years. He was counselor in Albany then he went on to the bench."

"Like most others in this emergency, he asked the President if he could render any assistance. He said he would give the President his vacation, between the time court recessed and convened, and offered to come to Washington and do any chores the President might assign him."

One plan reported under consideration was creation of a policy board. It was said to have the backing of both Rosenman and the budget bureau.

Plans For Midland Recreation Center Discussed At Meet

Midland citizens and representatives of civic organizations met Monday night at the home of Mrs. N. A. Lancaster, 1706 West Indiana, and discussed plans for a city recreation center and Tuesday Mayor M. C. Ulmer went on record for a conservative building program, if the project is undertaken.

The recreation council is heading an effort to build a center to meet needs arising by establishment of the Advanced Twin-Engine and Bombarider Training Center and to be used for large facilities for civilian purposes.

Mayor Ulmer said he was not in favor of an extensive program "in this time of stress" and when taxpayers were certain of multiplied federal taxes. The city's bonded indebtedness is high enough, he said, without adding burdens to the obligations.

The city council has taken no action on the proposal, but has discussed it. The recreation council seeks the aid of the city and county governments. County commissioners have not considered the proposal.

Citizens at Monday night's meeting discussed possible sites. Sam Spears, WPA district director, said the PWA would participate to the extent of "soldier recreation." Mrs. D. R. Carter, council chairman presided.

Committee Approves Defense Housing Bill

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate Banking Committee approved Tuesday a House bill providing an additional \$200,000,000 for defense housing purposes. The measure would increase FHA insurance authority in the defense housing category from \$100,000,000 to \$300,000,000.

Elliott Roosevelt Arrives In London LONDON (AP)—Capt. Elliott Roosevelt arrived in London Tuesday. Roosevelt saw U. S. Ambassador John G. Winant at the embassy. Young Roosevelt, son of the President, served as a military aide to his father at the historic sea conference with Prime Minister Churchill last week and arrived in London a few hours after Churchill returned to London.

Death Toll In Brooklyn Fire Remains At 5

NEW YORK (AP)—Five persons were known to be dead and some two score missing Tuesday as an aftermath of a blazing inferno which swept a Brooklyn pier, eating up cargo and destroying the Cuba mail line ship Panuco and numerous small craft, but an investigator said the total death toll of the \$1,500,000 fire may never be known.

At least 55 persons were in hospitals seriously injured as a board of inquiry of the U. S. Marine inspection and navigation service opened a formal investigation of Monday's tragedy.

The bulk of the Panuco still smoldered, holding nobody knew how many victims.

As police strove to account for those definitely known to have been aboard the Panuco, they succeeded in boarding the stern in their grim search. They issued the following tabulation: No. 1 Hold—four men safe, five missing; No. 2 Hold—17 men safe, three missing; No. 3 and No. 5 Holds—18 missing; No. 4 Hold—nine missing. Except for No. 2 Hold these figures did not include any of the Panuco's own crew, but rather stevedores working on the vessel at the pier.

Although the fire took place on a defense-vital waterfront, virtually within sight of the Brooklyn navy yard and numerous lease-lend loading docks, the possibility of sabotage was considered unlikely.

Announce Award For Best Oldtime Cowboy

The parade committee of the seventh annual Midland Rodeo announced Tuesday a prize would be awarded the most typical oldtime cowboy appearing in the parade Aug. 30.

Other parade prizes and donors include: a hat, by Wadley's Department Store, to the best appearing cowboy, under 16 years; jewelry awarded by Iva's Credit Jewelers to the best appearing cowgirl, under 16; and a blanket by Friday Boot Shop to the most typical modern ranch hand.

The award for the oldtime cowboy will be an ash tray by Midland Drug.

Grew And Minister Probe Entire National Trouble

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of State Hull disclosed Tuesday Ambassador Joseph C. Grew's conversation with the Japanese foreign minister in Tokyo Monday went beyond the question of permitting American citizens to leave Japan. It was assumed the ambassador and foreign minister had explored the whole problem of American-Japanese relations.

Britain Makes Plans To Continue Trade With Japan

LONDON (AP)—Britain is setting up machinery for possible continuation of trade with Japan, an authoritative source disclosed Tuesday night.

Americans Escape Injury In Plane Accident

SAO PAULO, Brazil (AP)—Two American passengers escaped serious injury in the wreck of a Panair Do Brasil airliner, it was established late Tuesday, but the fate of ten occupants of the plane remained in doubt and it was feared they might have perished.

German Troops Overrun Sector West Of Dneiper

Violent Assaults Take Place Against Odessa; Nazis Near Leningrad

By The Associated Press. Adolf Hitler's high command reported Tuesday that German and allied troops had overrun all Ukraine territory west of the Dneiper River and announced violent new assaults against the siege-girt port of Odessa on the Black Sea.

On the northern front, a Red Army bulletin acknowledged that the jaws of a giant German-Finnish nutcracker were closing in on Leningrad, the old-time capital of the Czars, with bitter fighting raging only 75 miles southwest of the city.

The German high command further reported the capture of Russian fleet units under construction at Nikolae, fallen Black Sea port, including a 35,000-ton Soviet battleship, a 10,000-ton cruiser, four destroyers and two submarines. Presumably, most were in the skeleton stages of building.

Not Death Blow To Reds. In addition, the Nazi high command said, German bombers disabled three Soviet warships, including a heavy cruiser, in the waters off Odessa.

Authoritative quarters in London, commenting on the critical situation in the Ukraine, said that the German occupation west of the Dneiper River was not a death blow to the U. S. S. R., but that if the Nazis succeeded in smashing Marshal Semeon Budyenny's army the result would be very serious.

British military experts said the ability of the Russians to hold on the east side of the swift, mile-wide Dneiper would depend on Budyenny's ingenuity in deploying his reserves.

If the Germans should force a crossing at one or two strategic points, it was said, there is no other natural line of defense except the River Don, 250 miles due east of the Dnieper-Petrovsk.

Advisers reaching London indicated that the Germans had reached the Dnieper north and south of Dnieperopetrovsk, imminently threatening the big industrial city, Nazis Bomb Fleets.

Hitler's field headquarters, reporting that Soviet troops retreating to the east suffered "the heaviest and bloodiest losses," declared that German shock troops were already storming bridgeheads on the lower Dnieper.

Soviet troops under siege at Odessa were pictured by the Germans as under a "constant hail of bombs" with Luftwaffe smothering all attempts of the Russians to escape by sea. Nine big Soviet troop transports were declared to have been hit and disabled by Nazi planes raining destruction along four miles of Odessa's waterfront. The Nazis termed it "another Dunkerque" — referring to the British-French withdrawal from the bloody battle of Flanders last year.

Farther west, in operations around the Ukraine capital of Kiev and the nearby town of Korosten, the Germans reported the capture of 17,750 prisoners, 42 tanks, 123 cannon and an armored train.

British Shoot Down Eight Nazi Fighters

LONDON (AP)—British Royal Air Force planes were reported to have shot down eight German fighters over northern France Tuesday in a daylight followup to powerful attacks overnight on the German cities Cologne and Duisburg.

Describes Midland As Friendly City

The August issue of "Our Army," magazine widely distributed among armed forces of the United States, contained an article attesting the hospitality of Midland to the Provisional Searchlight Battalion when it conducted six-weeks maneuvers here.

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Death Strikes As Maneuvers Start In Louisiana



Soldiers gather around Private James Robinson, Columbus, Ga., administered first aid after his 12 1/2-ton tank overturned in a ditch at Camp Polk, La., where U. S. Army is holding its largest maneuvers. Robinson died later, the first fatality suffered by the engaged forces. (NEA Telephoto.)

Behind The Headlines

By DeWitt MacKenzie. The early morning attendant at the public garage I use is a native of the Ukraine—born in the wild Carpathians where they believe in vampires—and each day he checks eagerly with me in an effort to extract facts which will feed his burning hope to see Hitler smashed.

Tuesday morning he was gloomy because of the plight of Odessa, and one had to agree with him that this great Black Sea naval base was in a bad way, especially with the German Luftwaffe raining destruction on the city. There was no denying either his pessimistic prediction that the Hitlerites were likely to overrun the whole Ukraine, at the rate they are going.

However, he brightened up markedly when I observed that this didn't win the war and in fact wouldn't be a great asset to Herr Hitler unless he was able at the same time to smash the Red Army and thus terminate the whole Russian show. The way things stand now, the Bolshevists are simply pulling back to fresh defenses and making the Nazis fight for every foot of ground.

Big Task For Hitler. I remarked that, barring an unexpected collapse of the Muscovites, Hitler would have to fight his way clear across the line of the Volga where it enters into the Caspian, and then drive south through the Caucasus to the Persian border, which Berlin hopes will be reached by the time snow flies.

"How far is that," demanded my Ukrainian, "and how long has Hitler got before the bad weather?"

A rapid calculation gave a rough estimate of some 800 miles to the Volga and another 600 to the Russo-Persian border. Maybe forty days remain of good weather, although heavy rains have been falling in the Ukraine already. That would mean an average advance of some 35 miles a day for the invaders.

So long as the Red resistance holds out, the chances of the Germans to complete their conquest before the arrival of bad weather are not bright.

Former Resident Of Midland Dies

R. E. (Bob) Hunt, 56, resident of Midland 12 years and a former barber shop owner here, died at 10 p. m. Monday night in Odessa after an illness of several months.

Funeral services will be conducted at Ballinger Wednesday afternoon. Interment will be in the cemetery there.

Survivors include: His widow, of Odessa; a daughter Mrs. H. E. Webb, Odessa; three brothers, Tom of El Centro, Calif., Lum, of Dallas, and Henry of Gainesville.

New Crockett Prospect Fills 880 Feet Oil In 36 Hours After Pay Hit

By Frank Gardner Oil Editor. R. H. Henderson of Midland and associates No. 1 Clara Couch, indicating opening of a new area in Western Crockett County nine miles southeast of the Noelke (Soma) pool, is running electrical survey after filling 880 feet with oil in 36 hours from line pay encountered in the bottom 14 feet.

Total depth of the prospect is 2,180 feet, corrected by steel line measurement from 2,169 feet. The well is located 467 feet from the north and 2,173 from the east line of section 37, block GG, H. E. & W. T. Survey.

Perforating gun is being run in Amerada Petroleum Corporation No. 1-B J. S. Todd estate, North Central Crockett test showing for production from the Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, one mile northwest of Strawn wells in the Todd Deep pool. Total depth of No. 1-B Todd is 6,300 feet and 5 1/2-inch casing was cemented at 6,299. Cement has been drilled out to 6,291 feet. The well topped the Ellenburger at 6,292 feet and logged broken pay in that member nearly to total depth.

A west outpost to the pool, Amerada No. 1-C Todd, is drilling at 3,670 feet in black shale and shells. Logs More Shows. Continuing to log streaks of porosity and saturation while deep-

(See OIL NEWS, page 4)

Dress In Your Westerns For Midland's Annual Rodeo

Get out your boots and spurs, shake the wrinkles from your colored shirt, put on your big hat or neckerchief—Midland is going western effective Wednesday.

It's the law for men and women citizens here until after the Midland Rodeo! It's the fad the entire two weeks.

This southwestern "cattle capital" city is going to attire cowboy and cowgirl style and enforcers have deleted the "if."

Jayce officials will be vigilant to catch "offenders" who wear dude clothes, plain shirts, trousers and dresses. Penalties will be assessed. It's nearly rodeo time!

And it's time to get the rodeo spirit. The whole thing is to publicize the annual Midland Rodeo which opens Aug. 30.

You will be out-of-place in Midland, partner, if you don't go western.

Advance Sale Of Rodeo Tickets To Start Thursday

Convinced that tickets sold in advance are the best possible insurance which can be obtained, Midland Fair, Inc., Thursday will launch a gigantic advance ticket sale campaign for the seventh annual Midland Rodeo, Aug. 30, 31 and Sept. 1. The campaign Tuesday was announced by J. E. (Bob) Hill and J. T. Baker, co-chairmen of ticket sales.

A goal of 1500 tickets has been set and everything possible will be done to put the advance sale campaign "over the top" by the end of this week.

Ticket sale committees, comprised of business and oil men, will be named Wednesday and the campaign will get underway following a breakfast of workers at Hotel Scharbauer Thursday morning. Committee members will solicit business firms of Midland and neighboring cities.

Books of tickets are available with 10 tickets to the book. Tickets have the words "compliments of" printed thereon and merchants wishing to give them to customers have only to stamp the name of their firms on the duets. Every business firm of Midland will be asked to purchase tickets. Since most firms already have agreed to underwrite a possible loss, it is felt that all will purchase tickets in advance to insure against a loss this year.

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National Guardsmen And Selectees To Leave If International Situation Doesn't Prevent, Army Branch Says

Expected Order Will Affect 200,000 Men In 1941 So Trainees May Return Home Previous To Dec. 10 And Enjoy Christmas Holidays

By The Associated Press. WASHINGTON—The War Department said Tuesday it anticipated that National Guardsmen and selectees would be released from duty "after an average of about 18 months' total active service," unless the international situation prevented.

This would be the expected average, it said, for those who were not released earlier because they fell into categories permitting it.

New legislation permits holding the men as long as 30 months but the department said it hoped it would not be necessary to keep any individual now in training for the maximum term.

Approximately 200,000 men will be due for release from active service in 1941, the department said, and in order that they may reach their homes prior to the Christmas holidays, their release will be accomplished prior to December 10.

The department announced three priorities which would govern the release of guardsmen and selectees. Given first priority were dependency and hardship cases. In second place were placed men 28 years of age or over on July 1, 1941. They would be released regardless of their length of service but in the order in which their service began. Married men who desire discharge at the end of the originally set 12 months' service were accorded their priority.

To Discharge Enlisted. President Roosevelt is empowered to extend the service of the army rank and file by 18 months under new legislation and most of those in uniform can expect to serve well past the original 12 months. The legislation also authorized release from service of some of the men.

Enlisted men of the regular army whose three-year term of service expires prior to December 31 this year will be discharged unless they desire to reenlist and are qualified to do so.

Some time ago, instructions were issued that soldiers in the regular army would not be allowed to reenlist unless they were non-commissioned officers or had demonstrated an ability which would warrant their appointment as non-commissioned officers or unless they had specialist training. The same standard is to be applied to men who are 28 years old or older, the announcement said, whether they are selectees or national guardsmen.

Churchill Will Tell Britishers Results Of Talks

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill returned home Tuesday from his bold Atlantic conference with President Roosevelt and, after being given a rousing greeting by street crowds, he plunged immediately into the task of reporting on what he had done.

He presided over a special meeting of the war cabinet, giving a detailed account of his conversations with President Roosevelt and of the plans to step up the fight against Hitlerism. He reported also on the world survey made by British and American experts who attended the historic parleys at sea.

Next came the formality of being received by King George. Churchill luncheon with the king, and delivered to him a letter from President Roosevelt. On the ocean Churchill had delivered to the President a message from the king.

The public at large must wait a few days for his report direct from the Prime Minister. Churchill will broadcast next Sunday at 9 p. m. (2 p. m. CST).

Reservations For Rodeo Trip Taken

Clint Dunagan and J. B. Crain, Tuesday were taking reservations for the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce goodwill tour to publicize the annual Midland Rodeo. Thirty-seven passengers will be taken on the two-day trip, Aug. 25-26.

Changes in the second day schedule were announced. The trippers will leave San Angelo an hour later than first announced.

Follows the new second day schedule:

Table with columns: August 26, Arrive, Leave. Rows include San Angelo, Bronte, Blackwell, Sweetwater, Roscoe, Loraine, Colorado City, Snyder lunch, Post, Slalom, Subhook, Ropesville, Brownfield, Seagraves, Seminole, Andrews, Midland.

Notices to cities where the goodwill trippers will stop were placed in the mails Tuesday.

Gas Rationing To Extend West

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP)—Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes, on a month's vacation in the Pacific Northwest, said in an interview Tuesday that gasoline rationing would be extended to the West.

"We all should share in the burden of the defense program," Ickes said as he stood beside his private car.

Mercury Reaches 99 Degrees In Midland

"Hot enough for you?" Midland citizens were justified in asking the question Monday when the highest temperature of the year—99 degrees was recorded.

The mercury was still up in the high nineties Tuesday. According to readings at the Midland Municipal Airport, the temperature has ranged from 97-degrees minimums up for several days.

Traffic Cop

Do you know what accidents cost the people of the United States, even in peacetime? \$13 per second! \$9,500,000 per day! \$3,500,000,000 per year!



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## All Out Of Step But Iowa

The old World War story about the fond mother who watched the troops march by and noted that "they're all out of step but Jim" brings Iowa to mind. For Iowa, debt-ridden for years, is today virtually debt-free. And this time it looks as though all the other states WERE out of step.

Iowa owes money. It has the tag-end of a soldiers' bonus bond issue to pay off in 1942. But if it were to close down business today and pay all debts including the bond issue, there would be a cash balance of \$10,000,000 and \$1,000,000 in government bonds, to say nothing of lands and buildings owned. The state owed more than \$27,000,000 in 1933.

In the army story, it was up to Jim to get in step with the rest. But in this case it looks as though Iowa was setting a cadence which other states might well follow.

### Buy Defense Bonds

Consider the flea. All it does is jump around—and it goes to the dogs.

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Whatever your position in life, take care of your health. It doesn't care how important you are!

## Youth Paroled To Parents By Court

A Midland youth was paroled to custody of his parents under supervision of the juvenile court in a trial held Tuesday morning by County Judge E. H. Barron. County Attorney Merritt F. Hines conducted the hearing and examined witnesses.

The youth was tried on complaint of the father of another Midland youth, who was stabbed with an ice pick in an altercation last week.

## Indeed Neighbor, It Was Stifling Monday

By The Associated Press  
Yes, neighbor, it was a little warm in Texas Monday.  
For example:  
Longview, 104.5 degrees—hottest day of the year.  
Port Worth, 103.7 degrees—and ditto.  
Beaumont, 99 degrees for the third consecutive day.  
Dallas, 101 degrees—hottest day since Sept. 4, 1939.  
Yes, indeed, neighbor, it was hot.

## Sending Forth A Dove--With Escort



## O'Daniel Visits With Roosevelt

WASHINGTON (AP)—The new Texas Senator, W. Lee O'Daniel, paid his first call on President Roosevelt today and said he pledged "my whole hearted support in carrying out his plans."  
He said he was 100 per cent behind the President on the Defense Program.  
It was a "very delightful visit" with the President doing the talking, O'Daniel said.  
Asked whether they had discussed Texas, O'Daniel smiled and replied:  
"Yes, he recognizes that Texas is one of the greatest states in the world. I didn't get an opportunity to sell him on that. He was already sold."

## Install Portable Lights For Night Work At Air Center

Four portable lighting plants were being installed at the Advanced Twin-Engine and Bombardier Training Center Tuesday to expedite night work on the \$5,000,000 project.  
Two shifts of workers now are busy unloading lumber and other building supplies, and double shifts are being used on work installing utilities and sewers, O. K. Johnson, project manager for Cagle Brothers and F. M. Reeves and Sons, said.  
Workers were busy on practically every sector of the big Military Reservation Tuesday. Ditching for the sewer lines was making excellent progress despite rock deposits which had to be blasted.  
Installation of the foundation for the large water tank which will serve the training center was started. More men were employed during the day but the "big push" on the job still is ten days or two weeks off, officials in charge indicated.

## Grew Confers With Japanese Officials On Americans Held

TOKYO (AP)—U. S. Ambassador Joseph C. Grew said Tuesday that for a considerable period of time he had been "talking with the Japanese government about restrictions on Americans leaving Japan and other problems related to United States citizens."  
The ambassador's statement came as Koh, Ishii, cabinet information bureau spokesman, denied that the Japanese government intends to hold Americans as hostages.  
Supplementing press conference statements, Ishii declined to elaborate on what problems were related to the departure of Americans and other aliens, but intimated that they were not trade, political or other international issues.  
It was pointed out that new home office restrictions on foreigners' entry and residence, issued applied to all aliens regardless of nationality and these were compared with similar legislation of other countries, including United States laws effective Sept. 1.

## British Planes Raid Germany

LONDON (AP)—The Royal Air Force concentrated its attack Monday night on Germany on Cologne and Duisberg, starting large fires at both places, the British reported Tuesday.  
Docks at Dunkerque also were bombed, it was stated.  
The air ministry announced that eight British planes were missing from the attacks.  
While big bombers were attacking these German and German-held cities, British fighter planes on offensive patrol attacked airfields in occupied territory during the night, the ministry said.  
The Germans at the same time made a small-scale attack against the east coast of England and Scotland.

## Search Party Finds Plane With 12 Hurt

SAO PAULO, Brazil (AP)—Searchers Tuesday found the Panair Do Brasil plane which was lost Monday with 13 persons aboard, and first reports said 12 had been injured in a mountain crash.  
The plane, which disappeared shortly before 1 p. m. Monday, was found near Sao Paulo. The craft's radio had gone dead when the plane was only five minutes from here.

## Armstrong Will Meet With Band

A call for members of the Midland high school band to meet at the band hall at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday night for the first rehearsal prior to the Midland Rodeo was issued Monday by Supt. George A. Heath.  
Band Director M. A. Armstrong will return from his vacation Wednesday in time to meet with the band.  
The band will take part in the rodeo parade and probably will play at one or more rodeo performances. Students and former students interested in band work were urged to attend the practice Wednesday.

## Deputies Capture Youth After Chase

Theft charges were filed in Dallas Tuesday against Ben Alford Keith, 19, who is in the Midland County jail, following his arrest by Deputies Fisher Pollard and Charlie Atkins Monday, according to the Associated Press.  
The youth was arrested in Ector County following a chase. The Midland deputies spotted the youth driving on the highway, chased and caught him. They received a description of the stolen car by radio.  
Police records show the car was stolen from Roy W. Farrar, Dallas, August 11.  
Sheriff Ed Darnell said the youth was being held for Dallas officers.

## Stevenson Receives Pledge Of Chambers

AUSTIN (AP)—Governor Coke Stevenson Tuesday was tendered the services of Texas' three Regional Chambers of Commerce in the interest of National Defense.  
A conference of directors of the East, West and South Texas chambers in the governor's office resulted in unanimous approval of a resolution offering Stevenson the machinery of the groups for coordination of civilian defense efforts.  
Speaking for the governor, who was confined to the mansion with a throat ailment, William McGill, in charge of defense activities in the governor's office, accepted the organization's offer.

### RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ingham have returned from a visit in Mineral Wells. Mrs. E. R. Bryan of that city returned with them for a week's visit.

## Cavalry Troops Capture General At War Practice

WITH THIRD ARMY IN LOUISIANA (AP)—Lieut.-General Walter Kreuger, commander of the Third Army, knows how it feels to be captured by his own men.  
The general, a non-combatant in war games ran into a trap Monday night set by cavalry troops of the eighth corps, and it was necessary to bring up a maneuver empire to have him released.  
"I never saw so many sawed-off shotguns in my life," the general said. "I regret I couldn't have accommodated them more and remained their prisoner."  
The two cavalry troops from Fort Bliss, Texas, half on horseback and half in "jeeps," penetrated 12 miles into enemy fifth corps territory.  
They set up a trap on an important highway and in the gathering dusk captured a convoy of 1,000 men being moved up to the front with full equipment, including tons of food and field kitchens.  
The mechanized cavalry, attached to the fifth corps "Red" force, swept 40 miles past Alexandria up the Red River to capture the "Blue" eighth corps airport, supposedly destroying the 16th observation squadron.

## U. S. Promises Faster Air Aid

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States promised Britain faster aerial aid in the Middle East Tuesday by establishing a South Atlantic ferry service to shuttle American warplanes to West Africa and thence to the front.

President Roosevelt's announcement that the service was being established was immediately given two interpretations:  
It represented an advance move to neutralize the value of the French base at Dakar if it should fall into German control; and  
"It foreshadowed a revival of major activity in the now generally quiet Mediterranean theatre of war."

The White House announcement Monday night laid stress on the value of the new ferry system, asserting that "the importance of this line of communication between our country and strategic outposts in Africa cannot be overestimated."

### REMOVES TRACES OF RUST

Before repainting metal furniture any rust spots present must be removed to prevent further corrosion. Rub the spots with a piece of coarse emery cloth or a wire brush until the rust is entirely removed. Follow with a metal primer on bare spots. Then apply paint or enamel according to directions.

## Red Attacker?



General Grigor M. Stern, above, Soviet hero of the Finnish war, is reported readying a Russian army of 500,000 for a big attack on the Karelian isthmus near the Russian-Finnish frontier.

Department of Commerce maintains records of 375,000 American merchant marine licensed officers and unlicensed seamen.

## Daily Oil Production Rises 61,000 Barrels

TULSA (AP)—Daily crude oil production in the United States increased 61,395 barrels to 3,960,635 for the week ended Aug. 16. The Oil & Gas Journal said Tuesday.

Kansas production was up 25,450 to 250,700; Illinois 10,945 to 361,790; Oklahoma 4,725 to 418,200; Texas 6,400 to 1,445,900; California, 4,300 to 654,750; Rocky Mountain states, 2,650 to 110,130; Louisiana, 535 to 322,850; and Michigan, 400 to 42,300.  
Eastern fields declined 1,000 to 111,000, and East Texas, 100 to 369,850.

## •Cranium Crackers

Similar Cities.  
Many U. S. cities bear names that look or sound alike, but they are often many miles apart. Can you name the states in which the following cities are found?

1. Oklahoma City, Kansas City and Virginia City.
2. Grand Rapids, Cedar Rapids and Rapid City.
3. Kalamazoo and Yazoo City.
4. Pasco, Pasadena and El Paso.
5. Sioux Falls, Sioux City and Saulte Ste. Marie.

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## Personals

Betty and Bobby Foster, who underwent tonsilectomies at Western Clinic Hospital were able to go home Tuesday.

Mrs. E. A. Waldrep was able to go home from Ryan Hospital Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Charles had as their guests Sunday Mrs. S. E. Charles and Mrs. Ed Charles and two children of Breckenridge and Mrs. Garland Charles and daughter, Mary Lou, of Sweetwater.

Mrs. Cleo Roberts is in San Antonio on a vacation. She left Sunday and will return the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Lucile Westermann and Mrs. Mollie Ramsey have gone to California on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Hudkins left Monday on a two-weeks vacation trip. They will visit the Grand Canyon, Colorado Springs, and perhaps points farther north.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bowers have returned from a two-weeks vacation trip to Mexico City and vicinity.

Master David Absher Leggett underwent a tonsilectomy Tuesday at Western Clinic Hospital.

### EVIL SPIRITS PROTECTION EXPENSIVE FOR NAVAJOS

BLUFF, Utah (UP)—Navajo Indians of southeastern Utah have a unique method of keeping evil spirits out of the Happy Hunting Grounds—but it sometimes creates a housing problem.

Navajo religion teaches that the "Tchindis," or devils, believed to lurk around a dead body cannot climb above ground level.  
When a tribesman dies, members of the family immediately seal all lower exits from the hut, then cut a hole high in the south wall.

Through this, the dead spirit flees happily to the great beyond—with all demons safely imprisoned below. The hogan is then abandoned.

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### Lee Bradshaws Have Family Reunion Here

All Children Of Couple Except Two Present On Sunday

From as far as Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, came members of the Lee Bradshaw family to attend a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw, 211 N. Fort Worth, Sunday.

All children of the couple except one son and one daughter were present Sunday. The daughter, Mrs. H. J. Irion of Hobbs, was visiting here Tuesday.

Present for the family dinner and reunion on Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Bradshaw and son Edward of Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Goodpaster and four children of Goose Creek; Mr. and Mrs. Al Strawn and daughter of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Waits of Odessa; Mrs. C. T. Bond and son and daughter of Odessa; Mrs. Doug Perry of Big Spring; Mrs. Willard Sullivan of Big Spring; and Jackie Irion.

### Calvary Baptist WMU Meets In Homes Of Members

Circles of Calvary Baptist WMU met in the homes of members, Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Odie Morris, 907 S. Big Spring, was hostess to the Carrie Sarge Circle.

Bible study was on Numbers, chapters 14 through 21.

Present were Mrs. Fred McPherson, Mrs. J. E. Harwell, and Mrs. Morris. The group visited Mrs. Burris after the study period.

Next meeting of the group will be with Mrs. Hoyt Burrus, 708 S. Lorraine.

**Katherine Shelburne Circle.** A lesson from Joshua and Judges was studied by members of the Katherine Shelburne Circle meeting with Mrs. Ida Webb, 704 S. Fort Worth.

Present were: Meses. Walter Smith, W. G. Flournoy, W. P. Collins, Newel Beauchamp, Gene Shelburne, and the hostess, Sarah Thornton Circle.

The hostess taught the lesson from the book, "Search for Souls," at the meeting of Sarah Thornton Circle with Mrs. Rhea Heath, 100 E. Florida.

Present were one visitor, Mrs. R. W. McQuatters, and the following members: Mrs. Sarah Thornton, Mrs. Alice Paddock, Mrs. C. M. Tunnell, Mrs. B. B. Smith, and Mrs. C. E. Bishop.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Youngblood and daughter, Miss Anabel have returned from a vacation of approximately a month spent in touring the West. Miss Youngblood joined her parents in Port Worth where they had preceded her, and the party went to Colorado Springs, Salt Lake City, Reno, and San Francisco, thence down the Coast to Los Angeles, and on home by way of Phoenix, Ariz.

Mrs. Ella Cooper, who has been in Snyder recuperating from injuries received when struck by a car, has returned to Midland and is again at her post in the Gwen Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kidwell have gone to Colorado Springs, Colo., on a vacation trip. In Lubbock they joined her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Boren, and the two couples went on north together. Besides Colorado Springs, they will also visit Denver, Colo., and Santa Fe, N. M.

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# MANY SNAGS HINDER SEARCH FOR HOSEIERY SILK SUBSTITUTE

### Synthetics And Cotton, Apparent Best Bets, Run Into Unforeseen Difficulties

By Eleanor Ragsdale  
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON.—OPM's sudden freezing of all silk supplies in the United States was the starting gun that sent thousands of women throughout the nation racing into shops to try and stock up before the meagre supply on hand is exhausted.

What will women use when scarcity puts silk stockings into the jewelry class? "Synthetics. They'll toe the nylon-lisle-rayon line," is the obvious answer. Too obvious—for it isn't quite as easy as all that, as we shall see.

American women are going to take it on the chin. The American hosiery industry uses 90 per cent of all the silk imported, turning out for luxurious fannies a half billion pairs of silk hose every year—using more silk than do all the other women in the world put together. At present, counting raw stocks and retailers' inventories, there is an estimated four to five months' silk stocking supply on hand—assuming that the current mass raids on hosiery counters do not exhaust stores' reserves much sooner.

Army and Navy experts assure the ladies that they don't want to be mean by taking silk that might be used for stockings. But synthetic silks stretch and bag too much for use as parachutes and all-silk powder-bags for big guns are the only one that burn up completely when fired and don't foul gun barrels.

### CATCHES IN SILK STOCKING SITUATION

There are some catches to almost every glamorous substitute for silk stockings. With nylon, in fact, there are two catches. One is that, even

with the new plant duPont hopes to have ready for production in 6 or 8 months, nylon can supply only about 25 per cent of the hosiery industry's needs. The second catch is that this new plant may have to be turned over to filling defense orders.

That has already happened to the American Viscose company which formerly made its silk synthetic, vinyon, into hosiery yarn. Now the chemicals once used for making vinyon are used for plastic insulating materials.

With rayon, too, there are catches. All rayon yarn is now under an allotment system. Manufacturers are going on a hand-to-mouth basis, though they have not had to curtail yet.

This isn't all directly due to defense, although there are lots of new military items using rayon, such as parachutists' jump suits, small parachutes for dropping marine mines, electric wire insulations, and the cords and chevrons decking army and navy uniforms. The main reason for rayon allotments is that increased American purchasing power has made great inroads on all rayon products, especially since the ingenuity of manufacturers and scientists has found so many new and tempting ways of using rayon.

### GOODBYE TO FLATTERING SHEERS

Incidentally, the kind of high-tensile rayon which makes 4-thread hosiery, the sheerest that can be made of rayon to date, is now being made into aviation tire reinforcements. Normal twists, which will still be available to some extent, are only good for service weight. So goodbye to that almost-bare allure imparted by filmy 2-thread sheers.

The tops in cotton hosiery, finest count English lisle, can outdo



Two fashion models find their own solution of the silk hosiery famine—"painting" stockings on their bare legs.

rayon with 3-thread sheerness. The Department of Agriculture has been experimenting for several years to produce glamorous cotton stockings which might consume some of the huge cotton surplus. It has put out some rather nifty cotton-mesh numbers and also has tried cotton and rayon mixtures, crocheted-stitches and hetvier sport stockings. But sheer cotton hose is a complicated business and the U. S. simply doesn't have the machinery to spin fine lisle thread. The final coup is added by the fact that long-staple cotton is necessary for really fine thread, and distant Egypt is the prime source for it. U. S. cotton is predominantly short-staple.

### SOLVING SILK SHORTAGE PROBLEMS

Perhaps most vitally affected by threatened silk shortage are the 175,000 hosiery workers who are wondering just what is going to happen to their jobs. Washington is buzzing with conferences on the whole silk situation. Representatives from CIO and AFL unions, manufacturers, OPM and OFACS officials are all trying to find ways of lessening the shock to industry as well as to fair consumers. By pooling gall silk stocks and by rationing supplies to various factories after government requirements are filled, many feel, the blow can be softened and the transition to the use of other materials rendered less drastic.

Over half of the present silk machinery could be adapted to using somewhat coarser rayon and cotton thread after some months of adjustment, according to hosiery experts. Cutting the number of styles of stockings to 6 or 7 would also help meet the possible silk shortage.

Nature, of course, has her own pool-proof way of solving the problem—leaving the leg unadorned. Already cosmeticians are concocting leg powders, knee

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# SOCIETY

### Auxiliary Members Meet To Sew For Red Cross

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary met at the Red Cross sewing room at the old Heidelberg Inn, 700 Front Street, Monday morning, and sewed there or took sewing to do at home.

Present were: Mrs. W. P. Knight, president, Meses. Frank Stubbeman, Adams, J. M. Caldwell, P. R. Pattison, D. M. Secor, John Elliott, and L. C. Link.

### CIRCLE MEETING OMITTED BECAUSE OF FUNERAL

Scheduled meeting of the Glenn Walker Circle of the First Baptist WMU Monday afternoon was omitted because of the funeral for Mrs. Spencer Jewell Monday morning.

### FEMINE BEDROOM

For a very feminine bedroom, net over a pastel color works up delicately. Make day pillow cases of, for instance, pale dusty pink sateen and cover with a slip of lace net ruffled all around. Make the spread of the same lace net over matching sateen, with a very full deep flounce sewed on with a narrow heading. A patterned sateen in harmonious colors would make suitable draperies and slip covers.

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### Mrs. W. E. Chapman Presents Talk At WSCS Meeting

"The Women's Society for Christian Service—As An Organization" was discussed by Mrs. W. E. Chapman at the meeting of the Methodist WSCS at the educational building Monday afternoon. She touched on its history and praised the efficiency of the organization, recounting the way in which it affects the women who are members.

Mrs. M. J. Allen offered prayer. In the social period following the talk, Mrs. D. W. Young, Belle Bennett chairman, served punch.

Present were: Meses. Earl Chapman, Jesse Lee Barber Jr., E. J. Voliva, W. A. Black, M. J. Allen, B. F. Haag, Bob Baker, Oliver Haag, O. L. Crooks, Effie Sanders, W. W. Smith, L. T. Fowler, D. W. Young, and Ray Gwyn.

### Midland Girl Has Part In Ceremonies

Jessica Turpin, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Turpin, now visiting relatives at Lake Junaluska, North Carolina, took active part in the ceremonies which marked the coronation of Caroline Ashley of Nashville, Tennessee, as Queen of Lake Junaluska, Saturday evening.

Jessica and Patricia Howell of Winchester, Kentucky, served as majorettes leading a parade of the playground children in fancy costumes.

As "delegate from Texas," the Midland girl also presented fancy rope tricks on the program. The coronation was an elaborately-staged event with a large number of boys and girls taking part.

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# McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By Wm. E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority.

One night Charlie Schwartz, an outstanding west coast player, was paired with a society matron at bridge. Charlie was dummy, she directed him to play the "knave." When Charlie, bewildered, asked her to repeat the request, the lady smilingly said, "I mean the jack."

A little later Charlie was declared on the hand shown today. When he wanted dummy's jack of hearts played, he said, without a smile, "Up with the cowboy, Madam."

West cashed his king and ace of diamonds, then led a low diamond

# MUSTANG BOYS' CLUB COLUMN

The Mustang softball team has completed a happy season. They have won 15 out of 18 which includes the games played with boys from other towns. Plenty of pep and punch characterized most of the games and a smooth-running machine developed. This handy herd hopes to challenge any boys team in West Texas next summer and get by with it successfully. With but few exceptions the stamp of good sportsmanship marked the contests. A large percentage of this Mustang team will report to Coach Earle Clark, with a big smile, for high school football. We wish them, and more-so, the entire high

school team success. This goes, too, for their ten day "brush up and snap out" training camp near Fort Davis this week. Several departed Mustangs are dropping into Midland for visits—Forrest Howell of the Army from San Antonio, Doyle Craft of the Marine Corps from Reno, Nevada, Morse (Smokey Joe) Woods returned from the C.C.C. Camp, especially to attend the Mustang summer camp. David Kennebrew of the United States Navy ship Porter (destroyer) is expected from points in the Pacific soon. Otho Cain, Navy, is in the Hawaiian Islands and is not expected to get leave before fall or winter. Glen Brunson is home for the summer from Kemper Military school where he is making an exceptional record in military subjects. —NUFF SED.

# British Claim Four Billions Axis Tons

LONDON (AP)—The Admiralty announced Tuesday approximately 4,007,000 tons of Axis shipping had been sunk, captured or scuttled up to August 6. Of this total, an announcement said, German losses constituted 2,321,000 tons, Italian 1,533,000 tons, Finnish 34,000 and "useful to the enemy" 119,000. The figures include ships sunk by air attack, and 51 ships estimated at 200,000 tons claimed sunk by the Russians.

# GROUP DESIGNS STYLES FOR FACTORY WORKERS

CHICAGO (AP)—Noting a growing trend toward factory employment of women, a hairdressers' association has designed five diverse styles intended to keep hair on the girls' heads and out of assembly belts and gears. The styles indicated two and a half or three inches was a safe length for tresses.

# Mines Bureau Hikes Oil 17,000 Barrels

AUSTIN (AP)—As members of the Texas Railroad Commission, oil regulatory body, Tuesday studied a statewide production plan for September they learned the U. S. Bureau of Mines forecast daily demand next month for Texas crude of 1,378,800 barrels daily, an increase of 17,000 barrels over the bureau's August estimate. Purchaser nominations for Texas oil next month total 1,817,790 barrels daily, an increase of 22,541 over August nominations.

# Cooke Fair To Offer Over \$1000 In Prizes

GAINESVILLE (AP)—More than \$1,000 in prizes for exhibits and a number of special events will be awarded during the 15th annual six-day Cooke County fair which got underway Monday.

There were a number of contests Monday night, including the annual pet parade, in which cash awards were offered in seven divisions. Texas guard units of Denton, Decatur, Nocona, Bowie and Gainesville took part in a drill in the rodeo arena as part of the first day's program.

Bristles for camels' hair brushes come from the ears of oxen, not from camels, says the Department of Commerce.

# Flashes Of Life

By The Associated Press. PHILADELPHIA—Mrs. Gertrude Simon Hirschhorn's federal bankruptcy petition shows: Liabilities \$1,485,015.20; assets \$50. Describing herself as a housewife, she says she has had no income for the past two years, never filed an income tax return and has no bank account. Most of her listed debts were on mortgage transactions dating back to 1929.

Alarm Backfires. HARRISBURG, Pa.—Harry E. Kochenour, Jr., turned in his first alarm in 35 years as a fireman and it sent him to a hospital.

Returning home from church, the volunteer smoke-eater noticed an apartment building in flames, sounded an alarm then dashed in to help

combat the blaze. An explosion inflicted severe burns around his face, hands and arms.

Melodramer Victim. LOS ANGELES—Patrolmen Osborne Rutherford and William McGree puffed through trail canyon seeking the source of an anguished "help! help!" Three hours later they found a lonesome deer hunter. He'd been listening to one of those melodramas on his portable radio.

Subject Out Of Hand. CARLSBAD, N. M.—Next time those picture-taking tourists can shoot Shorty Broadbent's rattlesnakes from a distance.

Shorty, keeper of a roadside curio shop, held up one of his larger, liveliest rattlers for a traveler's snapshot and—oops—it slipped. Doctors say Shorty will recover.

By J. R. WILLIAMS

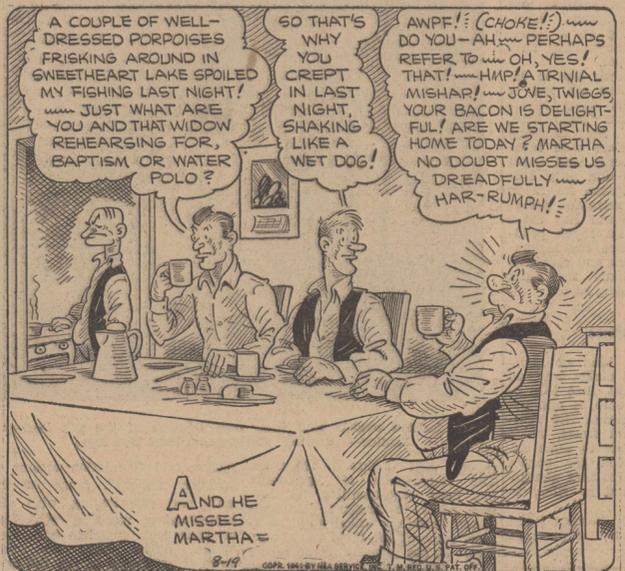
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South	West	North	East
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠	Pass
4 ♠	Pass	Pass	Pass

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for East to ruff, and Schwartz (South) overruffed. Then he pulled trumps. The hand resolved into a guess as to how to play the heart suit to lose only one trick.

Schwartz decided that West, having shown the ace-king of diamonds, could not hold the ace of hearts as well; else he would have overcalled the opening bid. That is why, when Schwartz led a heart and West played low, he called for the "cowboy" rather than the king—and thus made his contract.

# Oil News---

(Continued from page 1)

ening, L. C. Harrison et al No. 1 W. G. Nairn estate, pool opener in Central Lubbock County three and one-quarter miles northeast of the city of Lubbock, Tuesday morning was drilling at 4,976 feet in dolomite lime. At old depth of 4,916 feet it was rated a 200-barrel pumper after acidizing with 2,000 gallons.

In Western Lynn County, Trinity Drilling Company No. 1 Dan Auld is drilling below 10 3/4-inch surface pipe cemented at 203 feet with 300 sacks.

J. W. Murchison has filed intention to junk and abandon his No. 1 M. B. Sawyer, deep test at the north end of the Wasson field in Southern Yoakum County. Total depth of 6,850 feet in lime had been reached when drillpipe became stuck and 1,500 feet of drillpipe was left in the junked hole.

# FIRE DAMAGES MONAHANS HOUSE, STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

MONAHANS (Special)—Lightning struck a small house here Monday night causing fire loss. No other damage was reported.

# KRLH PROGRAMS

- TUESDAY
- 6:00—Wythe Williams, MBS
  - 6:15—To be Announced, MBS
  - 6:30—Neil Jordan, MBS
  - 7:00—News, TSN
  - 7:15—From Mexico City, MBS
  - 7:25—Musical Interlude, MBS
  - 7:30—The Peoples Playhouse, MBS
  - 8:00—Raymond Gram Swing, MBS
  - 8:15—Your Defense Reporter, MBS
  - 8:30—Mystery Hall, MBS
  - 9:00—Jimmy Joy's Orch., MBS
  - 9:15—Duke Ellington's Orch., MBS
  - 9:30—La Mer Quartet, MBS
  - 9:45—Lawrence Welk's Orch., MBS
  - 10:00—News, TSN
  - 10:15—Sport Cast, TSN
  - 10:30—BBC News, MBS
  - 10:35—Dance Orch., MBS
  - 10:45—Dick Jurgens's Orch., MBS
  - 11:00—Neal Bondhus's Orch., MBS
  - 11:30—Everett Hoagland's Orch., MBS

- WEDNESDAY
- 6:00—Music, Western Style
  - 6:30—Dawn Parade
  - 7:00—News, TSN
  - 7:45—King's Jesters
  - 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. Bercovici, MBS
  - 9:15—Musical Portraits, 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
  - 11:00—News, TSN
  - 11:05—Dr. Amos R. Wood, KBST
  - 11:10—Musical Interlude
  - 11:15—Helen Holden, Drama, MBS
  - 11:30—Front Page Farrell, MBS
  - 11:45—Man On The Street
  - 12:00—Singin' Sam
  - 12:15—Checkered Time
  - 12:30—News & Market Reports, TSN
  - 12:45—To be Announced, MBS
  - 1:15—AP News Bulletin, MBS
  - 2:00—Your Army, MBS
  - 2:15—Emil Flindt's Orch., MBS
  - 2:45—Vaughn Monroe's Orch., MBS
  - 3:15—UP News Bulletin, MBS
  - 3:30—Shafter Parker & Circus MBS
  - 3:45—Dorothy S. Humphreys, MBS
  - 4:00—The Johnson Family, MBS
  - 4:15—Harold Turner, Pianist, MBS
  - 4:30—News & Market Reports, TSN
  - 4:35—National Nutrition Program
  - 4:40—Gene Austin's Orch., MBS
  - 4:45—Symphonic Strings
  - 4:50—AP News Bulletin, MBS
  - 4:55—Paul Decker's Orch., MBS
  - 5:00—Roy DeWolfe, Pianist
  - 5:15—Songs by Lowry Kohler, MBS
  - 5:45—Jose Rosado's Orch., MBS
  - 6:00—Frank Blair, MBS
  - 6:15—Here's Morgan, MBS
  - 6:30—Today's Hit Tunes
  - 6:45—Sports Scores

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## SERIAL STORY

# SECRET VOYAGE

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### EMPTY HOLD

#### CHAPTER IX

THE Aurora rode out a gale during the next three days. Jim made his second descent to the sunken ship when the sea calmed, and found that task had become more difficult.

Curly came down with him the following day. They began cutting huge holes in the hull. They wore metal suits, with lines fastened to the Aurora's winches by a boom.

It was slow work, cutting through steel plates with torches, and they couldn't stay down long at a time. Finally Curly suggested they use dynamite to hasten the work. They planted the charge late that afternoon. They phoned the crew to haul them to the surface then, and when they got out of their grotesque metal suits Jim set off the charge.

The water boiled as the blast went off, and the Aurora's hull gave a shudder. Bits of wreckage floated up.

Curly observed, "Now all we need is a bottom to put the ore in." And, as though in answer, one of the crew shouted, "Ship to starboard!"

Jim saw a ship, crawling like an insect across the horizon. He went to the chartroom and got binoculars. His face clouded as he examined the craft through the glasses.

He said, "It's that Cuban schooner, Curly. The one we met a couple of months ago, before we found the Sonora."

"And that means trouble, eh?" Curly asked.

"It's probably my careful-voiced friend," Jim kept watching the schooner. It was Diesel-engine, and it traveled fast. "It's keeping to its course, and it'll pass us by miles."

"It'll be back tonight, Spike. It'll be back. I'd suggest that you

radio Coast Guard headquarters and let them know our position, just in case."

"No, not that. Hammond wanted this kept secret. We'll keep a double watch tonight. Whatever the play, it won't catch us napping."

He went to his cabin and took a revolver from the desk. He knew that Curly also had a gun, but the Aurora had no other arms. This wasn't a pleasant spot. Jim's face was darkly intent as he considered what might happen. He grew a little sore, thinking that he was about to be hijacked when his hands were all but tied.

THE more he thought about it, the more uneasy he became. He grew suspicious of Hammond. The man might have pulled a fast one on him. Hammond himself might have that schooner out, and Hammond might be back of the man with the careful voice and the careless money.

Jim thought a lot about that, during the night while he stood watch on the Aurora's bridge, but gradually Hammond's actions seemed less suspicious. The key was the girl, Mary Larsen.

She wasn't working with Hammond. Jim was sure she was in with the moneyed man. Jim's anger increased as he thought of Mary Larsen. She had tried to play him for a sucker; she was stringing along with that careful talker; she had fallen for Eric Forbes, she was probably in New York now as his secretary. She wasn't worth being sore about, Jim tried to tell himself, but the trouble was he was in love with her.

"Which," he said aloud, "is one big laugh on me!"

The night passed without any visitors, and when the red sun came up over the horizon there was no sign of the schooner.

Curly went down to the Sonora at about eight o'clock. He reported over the phone that the dynamite charge had been efficient. They could easily salvage the manganese. He was going into the hold.

He was down an hour, then asked to be brought up. He was in a Triton suit so the winch brought him up without the pauses required by a rubber suit. The boom swung his huge, grotesque form onto the deck. Jim helped him out of the suit, and Curly's face wore a strained tight expression. He said nothing before the crew but jerked his head for Jim to follow him to the captain's cabin.

There, he said, "Spike, that forehead hold is empty."

Enough had happened because

of the Sonora that nothing more could be surprising. Jim Mallory's expression showed nothing.

"The after hold, then?"

"If the ore is there it's slim pickings. The Sonora is a small tub, and even a full cargo of manganese wouldn't have made you rich. Are you going to cut into the aft?"

"I'll tear the Sonora apart," Jim replied, "and if I don't get my money out of her I'll have a chat with Mr. Jeffrey Hammond."

"You have a written agreement with him?"

"Yes. But if there's no salvage I can't collect a cent."

Blacksheep opened the door and stuck his ebony head in. "Spike says, a boat am comin'!"

JIM picked up the revolver at the desk and went on deck. The craft was far off across the blue water, but he was sure it was not the schooner they had seen the night before. He went up to the chartroom for glasses, then from the bridge studied the approaching boat.

Curly came up, asking, "What do you make of it, Spike?"

"It's a yacht. Hammond's, I think. And I hope so. I want to talk with that man."

The yacht bore down on the salvage boat. It was trim of line, and gleaming white. It was quite a bit larger than the Aurora. Through his glasses, Jim could see "Hammond Lines" lettered on its solitary funnel.

"Put down a boat," Jim said to Curly. "I'm going aboard her."

"It may be a trap, Spike. You've led him to the Sonora's position, and we know somebody wanted badly to know where she went down."

"This is no trap. Hammond wouldn't work that way."

Jim went to his cabin and changed into fresh linen and a white suit. When he came on deck again, the yacht was standing by a quarter of a mile off. Curly had launched a small boat with one of the crew at the oars. Jim went over the side and stepped into the boat.

Hammond hailed him as his boat came alongside, then shook his hand as he stepped aboard. The man said, "Any luck, Mallory?"

"No luck at all," Jim said. "Neither good nor bad."

Over Hammond's shoulder he saw Lois, darkly lovely, with excitement in her eyes. And beyond Lois he saw Mary Larsen. And that gave him a jolt. Mary met his gaze steadily, with laughter in her eyes.

(To Be Continued)

## HEAD G-MAN

### HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

- 1 Poets
- 6 Young flower.
- 9 First name of 17 across
- 14 Goodby (Spanish)
- 15 Raw metal
- 16 A vassal
- 17 Head G-man
- 18 Cautioned
- 19 Symbol for tellurium
- 20 Note of scale.
- 21 Toward.
- 22 Aeriform fluid
- 24 Past
- 25 An animal.
- 28 Every (abbr.).
- 30 Pronoun.
- 32 Article.
- 33 Pour.
- 35 Listened.
- 37 Gentle
- 38 Entrance.
- 39 Assign.
- 40 Metric measures.
- 43 Elude.
- 44 Compass point
- 45 Philosopher.
- 46 Plural suffix.
- 48 Editors (abbr.).
- 50 Unresisting.
- 51 Paid notices (abbr.).
- 52 Suffix.
- 54 Thus.
- 55 Sun god.
- 56 Article.
- 57 Check.
- 61 Hung back.
- 63 Appall.
- 66 Hail.
- 68 An affray.
- 69 Covering.
- 70 Small rug (abbr.).
- 71 Place of action.
- 18 To engage in.
- 20 Young deer.
- 22 Revelant.
- 23 Benefited by.
- 26 Promenaded.
- 27 Without end.
- 29 Home of a famous witch.
- 31 Wait upon.
- 34 Ailing.
- 35 Garden tool.
- 36 American Tennis Assn. (abbr.).
- 40 Too.
- 41 Egyptian title.
- 42 Mix.
- 45 Come by.
- 46 Egg-shaped.
- 49 Thin fluid.
- 51 A corner.
- 53 Nevada city.
- 56 Dyeing apparatus.
- 57 Girl's name.
- 58 Rarity (abbr.).
- 59 Street (abbr.).
- 60 Egg.
- 62 Wine vessel.
- 63 Even (cont.).
- 64 Deacon (abbr.).
- 11 City in Italy.
- 12 Era.
- 13 Color.
- 67 Suffix.

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Midland Bombardier School: Wire worker, aircraft engine mechanic, instrument mechanic, aircraft electrician, aircraft woodworker. More announcements for positions at this school will be announced from time to time.

Miscellaneous positions at various points in the United States and possessions:

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A large number of other positions are listed on the civil service board at the post office. Further information about any of these positions as well as application blanks may be obtained from Frank Smith, Secretary U. S. Civil Service Commission at the Midland post office.

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## Calm Youth Robs Bank At Bowie

BOWIE (AP)—A calm young man who drew two pistols from a shoe box robbed the First National Bank of about \$1,000 Tuesday, then outspurred three bank officials to make his get-away.

Not a shot was fired as the fast-running boy, who appeared to be of high school age, dashed from the bank with the president, cashier and assistant cashier—all unarmed—in close pursuit.

Officers of the bank said the youth, carrying a white box, entered the building about noon, took a drink of water from the fountain, pulled two pistols from the carton, and ordered Roy Coffield, president, to put up his hands.

The robber marched Coffield back of the tellers' cages, and ordered David Warren, cashier and an assistant cashier, to put their hands up.

Then he laid down one gun and scooped all the cash in sight into his shoe-box. He made no attempt to go into the vault.

The youth backed to the door, then dashed to freedom with the bank officials after him.

## PRESIDENT SIGNS BILL FOR FLOOD CONTROL

WASHINGTON, (AP)—President Roosevelt signed Tuesday a bill authorizing a \$275,000,000 flood control program and made it clear that all projects would be held up which are not important to National Defense.

The measure merely authorizes construction of scores of projects without appropriating funds for them.

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## Joe Louis And Wife Patch Up Troubles

CHICAGO (AP)—Heavyweight champion Joe Louis and his wife, Marva, are ready to patch up their martial difficulties and forget her suit for divorce, their attorneys revealed Tuesday.

The couple's counsel made the surprise announcement just before the resumption of a hearing before master in chancery Dwight S. Bobb on Mrs. Louis' petition for temporary alimony.

The boxing champion's attorney, William H. Temple, said Louis "is willing to have a reconciliation and has instructed me to tell that to the master."

## Instructs Police Training Classes

Acting Police Chief Frank Manning is conducting a training school for members of the Midland city police department.

Manning, who has had special training as a traffic officer and completed a course of study of the Texas Police Academy, is instructing his staff members in various phases of traffic and general law enforcement.

Daily class instruction is being given with one and one-half hour periods used. The course of instruction will continue indefinitely.

Traffic instruction as prepared by Frank Kreml, director of the Northwestern University traffic school, is being used, Manning said.

# Macks Come Back To Recapture Lead

## First Half Champs Knock Out 7 To 5 Win Over Leaders

Playing like champions, Mackey Motors threw a monkey wrench into the Independents' bid to recapture the lead in the first-half title fight Monday night, 7-5, to take over the lead.

Independents were off in hitting, Ben Crites, slugger catcher, struck out on hits by Daberry and Watson. Linehan got on base on an error and scored and Daberry also scored. Hart hit three for three for Independents including a triple.

The mighty Macks had that big inning again. It was the second when five runs came in. Davidson, Smith and Briscoe hit two-baggers and Brady and Willis got bingles.

The box score:

Player	Ab	H	R	E	Po
Cox ss	4	1	1	0	0
Brady 2b	3	2	2	0	3
Willis 3b	3	2	1	2	1
Maedgen 1b	3	1	0	1	7
Hardin c	3	0	0	0	1
Cunningham lf	3	0	0	0	0
Davidson rf	3	1	0	2	2
Smith cf	3	1	1	0	1
Adamsen p	3	0	0	0	1
Briscoe sf	3	1	1	0	5
Totals	31	9	7	3	21

Player	Ab	H	R	E	Po
Daberry ss	4	1	2	0	1
Watson 1b	4	1	0	0	9
Barton 3b	4	2	0	0	1
Crites c	4	0	0	1	3
Reichardt sf	3	1	0	0	1
Hart lf	3	3	1	1	1
Barber rf	3	1	0	0	2
O'Neal 2b	3	1	0	0	3
Linehan cf	3	0	1	0	0
Straughan p	3	0	0	0	3
Totals	34	10	5	2	21

Score by innings:  
Mackey Motors.....150 100 0-7  
Independents.....110 100 2-5  
Umpire: Kiniken (plate); Walker (bases).



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## Baseball

### RESULTS YESTERDAY

**American League**  
Washington 4, Cleveland 2  
New York at Detroit, Postponed  
Boston at St. Louis, rain  
(Only games scheduled).

**National League**  
New York 6-7, Chicago 4-1  
Cincinnati 13-5, Philadelphia 5-4  
Brooklyn 6, Pittsburgh 5  
(Only games scheduled).

**Texas League**  
Fort Worth 6, Beaumont 5  
Oklahoma City 8, San Antonio 2  
Shreveport 4, Dallas 3  
Tulsa 2, Houston 1 (Second game unreported).

**West Texas-New Mexico League**  
Amarillo 9, Wichita Falls 6  
Clovis 6, Lubbock 5  
Borger 8, Lamesa 4  
Big Spring 10, Pampa 7 (11 innings)

**STANDINGS**

**American League**

New York	80	39	572
Chicago	62	55	530
Boston	50	55	522
Cleveland	59	55	518
Detroit	53	63	457
Philadelphia	51	63	447
St. Louis	47	65	420
Washington	48	65	425

**National League**

Brooklyn	74	40	646
St. Louis	72	41	637
Cincinnati	62	49	569
Pittsburgh	59	59	545
New York	52	68	478
Boston	46	66	411
Chicago	45	67	402
Philadelphia	31	81	277

**Texas League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Houston	36	25	.720
Tulsa	31	28	.550
Shreveport	27	32	.519
Dallas	27	32	.519
Fort Worth	26	33	.500
Oklahoma City	25	34	.490
Beaumont	22	37	.400
San Antonio	22	37	.400

**West Texas-New Mexico League**

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Borger	78	41	.655
Big Spring	78	42	.650
Clovis	61	56	.521
Amarillo	57	60	.487
Pampa	53	64	.450
Lamesa	54	67	.446
Lubbock	53	67	.442
Wichita Falls	39	81	.325

**American League**  
New York at Detroit, 2  
Boston at St. Louis, 2  
Philadelphia at Chicago, 2  
Washington at Cleveland

**National League**  
Pittsburgh at Brooklyn, 2  
Chicago at New York, N  
Cincinnati at Philadelphia, 2  
St. Louis at Boston

**Texas League**  
Dallas at Shreveport, N  
Fort Worth at Beaumont, D  
Okla. City at San Antonio, N  
Tulsa at Houston, N

## St. Mary's Rattlers Start Grid Practice

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—Despite heat that would not shame the rattlers, St. Mary's University Rattlers have begun drills to toughen them for a hard gridiron schedule this year.

While Coaches Lloyd Russell and Alva Boggs watched Russell and 44 football candidates turned out Monday for a grueling workout beneath a sweltering sun. Ten more players, including Curtis Sandig, backfield star, are expected to don suits within a few days.

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# Rebel Outfielder Interests Majors By Socking Apple

By Harold V. Ratliff  
DALLAS (AP)—A 350-plus batting average can make up for many shortcomings—but in the case of Grey Clarke it covered "that one step."

For eight seasons the chunky third baseman, hailed as one of the best at his position in the minors, waited for a certain telephone call. It never came and other ball players nothing like as good passed him by in the dash to the majors.

"He lacks that one step," said the big league scouts, "and he's not aggressive enough."

They meant he was just a little too slow running down to first and didn't have the old pepper around third.

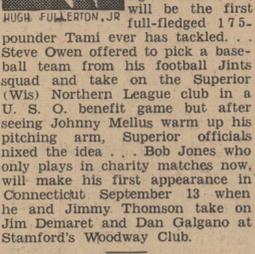
But this season Clarke began to flail all kinds of pitches and at the two-thirds mark of the Texas League race took over the batting leadership. The way he's going no one is expected to overhaul him down the stretch with the campaign less than three weeks to go.

Clarke, pivot man in Dallas' drive into the Shaughnessy playoff, has two major league clubs interested in him and President George Schepps of the Rebels thinks the husky third-sacker, who once was released outright by a Class B team while hitting .352, can make the grade.

## Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.  
(Pinch-Hitting For Eddie Briez)

NEW YORK—Lou Little of Columbia and Hooks Mylin of Lafayette, profs at Clar Bee's Eastern Coaching School, are warning their pupils to lay off the "T" formation... They think it takes too much time and too good material for the average college or high school coach to develop during one season... The Jacobs Beach combers are arguing whether Tami Maurilio isn't being pushed along too fast... Champion Gus Lesnevich, whom he fights next week, will be the first full-fledged 175-pound Tami ever has tackled... Steve Owen offered to pick a baseball team from his football Jints squad and take on the Superior (Wis) Northern League club in a U. S. O. benefit game but after seeing Johnny Mellus warm up his pitching arm, Superior officials mixed the idea... Bob Jones who only plays in charity matches now, will make his first appearance in Connecticut September 13 when he and Jimmy Thomson take on Jim Demare and Dan Galgano at Stamford's Woodway Club.



**Seeing Double**  
U. at Cincinnati should be at least two deep this football season... Head Coach Clem Crowe will be assisted by his brother Emmett. The squad includes twin brothers, Robert and Richard Heister, who play center and quarterback. The schedule opens with Georgetown (Kentucky) and closes with State Open, used to be a ball player and appeared to be headed for the majors until he was skulled and decided golf was safer... Lowest score on record was made by a fellow in North Dakota who was playing golf for the first time... He slived his drive from the first tee and holed it out on the ninth green.

**Why Flores Get Goofy**  
Fred Flores, former N. Y. U. footballer, really got himself out on a limb in a golf match the other day. He whacked his drive behind a willow tree and the only way he could get at the ball for another shot was to lie on an overhanging limb. He put that one right on the green, then missed his putt... Wild Bill Hallahan, the old Cardinals' southpaw, still is Wild Bill on the links around Elmira, N. Y... Hank Gardiner, who won the Wisconsin State Open, used to be a ball player and appeared to be headed for the majors until he was skulled and decided golf was safer... Lowest score on record was made by a fellow in North Dakota who was playing golf for the first time... He slived his drive from the first tee and holed it out on the ninth green.

**Today's Guest Star**  
Dan Parker, N. Y. Mirror: "I wish I knew what Lou Neva is in talking about when he speaks of the cosmic punch and dynamic stance. I also wish Lou knew."

**Sports Cocktail**  
Kirby Elzbe claims he's going to get a sharness maker to fit him with blinkers. "I'm working like a horse so I might as well go around looking like one," he maintains... Our Texas operatives report a young lightweight named Paul Altman of Houston is really going places. He's had 39 amateur and six pro fights and every one a knockout... Tommy Harmon's favorite athlete is Jay Berwanger, Chicago's "Flyin Dutchman" who was hitting the headlines when Tommy was just getting started... Lefty Warner Strunk, who is only a year out of high school, pitched both games of a doubleheader for La Crosse of the Wisconsin State League and won 'em with three and four hits... Frank Frisch suggests baseball records should show how many runners a batsman leaves stranded... And what a howl that would bring from the boys.

**ON FISHING TRIP**  
The Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Hinds left Monday on a fishing and camping trip. They will return Friday and Mr. Hinds will fill the pulpit at the regular services at the First Methodist Church Sunday.

# Smacks Home Run



Pete Reiser, Brooklyn Dodger outfielder, whacked a home run in the ninth inning Monday to give the Flatbushers a 6 to 5 victory over the Pirates.

## Clark Plans Huddle Before Squad Leaves For Football Session

Coach Earle Clark was scheduled to go into a huddle with his 1941 Midland high Bulldogs at 6 p. m. Tuesday in the gymnasium to give final instructions for the pre-season training camp.

Approximately 30 grid hopefuls will leave at 6 a. m. Wednesday for the Davis Mountains and the ten-day conditioning camp.

Seimon Cooke, lettered lineman, hit town Monday, looking fit. His presence brings the number of lettermen to four, Mike Corbett, center who earned a letter last year, may not play for MHS this fall, preferring an academy instead.

Cooke at 175 is the largest player on the squad. The team will be light and inexperienced, Clark said, "but it will scrap and pass."

## Shreveport Goes Past Rebel Club

By The Associated Press  
While the Dallas Rebels were eyeing wistfully the second Texas League spot occupied by Tulsa, the Shreveport Sports came along Monday night and rudely kicked them downstairs.

The Sports, playing before an appreciative home crowd, pasted a 4-3 victory on the Rebels in the first of a three-game series. The Rebels thereby slid from third to fourth place and the Sports climbed into the third niche by a half-game margin.

The Tulsa Oilers, meanwhile, were amazing a crowd of Houston fans by taking apart the mighty Buffs, sweeping both ends of a doubleheader by the scores of 2-1 and 4-2.

The Fort Worth Cats took a 6-5 decision from the Exporters at Beaumont in the sole afternoon game, and the Oklahoma City Indians drubbed the Missons 8-2 at San Antonio.

## War Won't Interfere With East's Football

NEW YORK (AP)—Despite selective Service, voluntary enlistment and job openings in Defense industries, this fall's Eastern College football program is expected to go off without a hitch and with a very probable boom in attendance, notably in areas where there is considerable defense production under way.

A survey of some 30 leading schools shows that none has lost more than one or two key men. In the majority of cases the lads either are under draft age, as at Cornell, where sophomores will carry most of the burden this season, or have been deferred. At Princeton seven of the 16 youngsters of draft age, including Captain Bob Peters of Kingsport, Tenn., were deferred because they were taking advanced R. O. T. C. training and another got occupational deferment as a chemist student.

## Question Suspect For Investigator's Murder

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—Officials questioned Tuesday a suspect held in the county jail following the fatal shooting of Roy N. Griffin, investigator for the federal alcohol tax unit in San Antonio.

Griffin died after he was shot in the neck with a 12-gauge shotgun Monday afternoon when he and another federal officer raided a liquor still.

**YOUTH, 11 CONTRIBUTES TO NATIONAL DEFENSE**  
DALLAS (AP)—Michael Scott McPherson, 11, has made his contribution to National Defense.

"Here, the army may need these," he told a civilian defense official, and handed over 37 cartridges he found while fishing.

# Central Hinders Icers' Chances In League Race

Central Pharmacy was a thriller from Southern Ice Monday night, 10-9. One was out when the winning run was scored.

It was a great night for the Druggists, who polished off the Icers, bidding for second-half league honors.

Here's how they won: Coming to bat in the 7th with the Icers on top, 9-6, the Centrals got going with Brittle Nellis' double. Clemens hit and scored Nell but was tagged out at third base. Montgomery followed with a safe lick. Livingston got on base by a fielder's choice and she and Montgomery scored on Johnson's base by an error. Brunson hit and Johnson came in with the precious point.

**Both Count Early**  
Tied 6-all, the Icers got three runs in the 7th. Ware, Woods and Johnson scored. Ware, the Icer's great shotput, got three hits for her club.

The see-saw tilt started with both teams scoring in the first. Southern Ice got one in the second and went ahead. Central tied it and went ahead with a rally of four in the third after the Icers got two. The Icers knotted it in the fifth when they counted two and Central got but one. Both went scoreless in the sixth and then came the fireworks seventh.

The box score:  
**SOUTHERN ICE**

Player	Ab	H	R	E	Po
Morren c	4	2	0	1	1
Ware ss	4	3	4	0	3
Woods 3b	4	0	1	1	1
Johnson p	4	2	1	0	2
Nalley 1b	3	0	1	0	11
J. Martin lf	3	2	0	0	0
White 2b	4	0	0	1	1
C. Martin cf	3	0	0	0	0
Smith sf	3	0	0	0	0
Scott rf	3	2	0	0	0
Totals	35	11	9	3	19

**CENTRAL PHARMACY**

Player	Ab	H	R	E	Po
Marcor ss	4	2	2	1	3
Davidson 3b	4	0	1	0	0
Neill p-sf	4	1	3	0	1
Clemens 2b	4	2	0	0	4
Montgomery c	4	2	1	0	1
Livingston p-sf	2	1	0	2	2
Johnson lf	3	0	1	0	0
Brunson cf	3	2	0	0	0
x-McKinney cf	0	0	0	0	0
Frizzelle rf	2	0	0	0	0
Walker 1b	3	1	1	2	10
Totals	33	11	9	3	21

X-Walked, one time at bat.  
Score by innings:  
Southern Ice.....112 020 3-9  
Central Pharmacy.....104 010 4-10

## Censures Judges For Criticisms Against Governor

AUSTIN (AP)—County Judges Merritt Gibson of Longview and Jake Loy of Sherman have no right to criticize Governor Coke Stevenson for trying to effect a compromise on the road bond controversy, in the opinion of Senator Allan Shivers of Fort Arthur.

Referring to what he said were critical statements by the judges, Senator Shivers declared:

"They have no right to criticize anyone, especially Governor Stevenson, because their uncompromising attitude at the end of the last session of the legislature caused the result to be no bill at all."

"Now they say they are interested only in a bill to service outstanding bonds. That provision was in the bill which died. The Senate adopted the bill and the House refused to take it largely because of the attitude of the county judges association."

Gibson is president and Loy a former president of the association.

Shivers declared his statement applied only to a bloc within the organization.

## Plan Transfer Of British Oil

AUSTIN (AP)—Texas oil conservation officials Tuesday worked out procedural details on transfer of 11,332 barrels of crude oil produced Sunday as a gift to Great Britain.

The end of the highly-publicized plan to have operators in Texas, contribute a possible 1,500,000 barrels—one day's regular production—to bolster the morale of the British came Monday with announcement of the gift and donors.

The Texas Railroad Commission, state oil regulatory agency, reported that in addition to the oil donated, 7,239 barrels were offered by producers but refused transportation by pipe line companies.

Commission officials held warrants on the oil contributed and prepared to forward them to U. S. Treasury officials designated by President Roosevelt to handle the transfer to British authorities.

## Well-Fed Porker Comes To Market

CHICAGO (AP)—It's a well-fed porker that comes to market these days.

Livestock men said Tuesday the average weight of hogs marketed here was the highest since August, 1939.

They attributed the unusual plumpness to prices near the best level in four years, large marketings of heavy sows, relatively cheap and plentiful feed and farm response to government urgings for greater livestock production.

The average hog that came to Chicago's market last week weighed 285 pounds compared with 270 a year ago. One day last week the average broke the 300 mark.

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## Indians Continue Slide Downward With 4-2 Defeat To Washington As Dodgers Increase Lead To One Game

By Judson Bailey  
Associated Press Sports Writer.  
The most mystifying development of the big league baseball season is what has happened to the Cleveland Indians.

This is the team that many persons picked to win the American League pennant and at one stage of the race it was seven full games in front.

This is the team that finished one game away from the championship in 1940 and supposedly didn't miss in 1941.

Yet this is the team that has lost 12 of its last 13 decisions, that has sunk to the fourth place and is still sinking.

They lost a 4-2 affair to Washington Monday night to let the Senators climb out of a tie for the cellar. In desperation Manager Roger Peckinpaugh started a rookie named Steve Gromek, who was acquired last week from the Class D Michigan State League. He walked a couple and gave up three singles and a double for three Washington runs in the third inning and after that the game was no contest.

**Pirates Lose Again**  
The Brooklyn Dodgers succeeded in inflating their suddenly-acquired National League lead to a full game while the St. Louis Cardinals were idle.

The Dodgers beat the Pittsburgh Pirates, 6-5, on Pete Reiser's homer in the ninth.

The defeat was Pittsburgh's sixth in eight encounters and bumped the Buccaneers out of third place in the senior circuit as the Cincinnati Reds came up with a double-decker triumph over the Phillies.

The Reds won the opener, 13-5, with a 14-hit offensive that was concentrated for 10 runs in the first two innings. Then they came from behind with a four-run seventh-inning rally to capture the second giant, 5-4.

New York's in and out Giants tumbled the tottering Chicago Cubs in both ends of a doubleheader, 6-4 and 7-1, for Chicago's 15th setback in 20 games.

**DIES OF HEART ATTACK AND PET DOG ESCAPES**  
HUGO, Okla. (AP)—W. E. Leonard, 5-year-old watchmaker, sadly helped police prepare to shoot his dog. They suspected it had rabies.

Suddenly Leonard collapsed, died of a heart attack. In the excitement the dog escaped.

## Provides Place For Little Manufacturer In National Defense

By Potts Boswell  
Associated Press Staff Writer  
As Texas and Southwest industry throws its weight into production for National Defense the government is making a place for the little man with his one machine.

Put him to work with his brothers and their two, three, four or more such production tools in Texas and the nation, says A. J. Langford, Dallas district manager of the Defense Contract Service of OPM, and you'll solve many of the problems of migratory labor and housing.

You'll keep women turning these machines in the hours that were idle before a defense contract came in to take up the slack, Langford says.

One way it's being done is to group machines in pools which make possible more prime contractors. A member of the pool is put forward to take the contract and handle financing; then other units are apportioned the work they can handle.

Thirty-six concerns in parts of West Texas and Oklahoma told the government Aug. 1 they had an estimated \$5,000,000 in machine tools which could operate for defense, and were ready to give the cooperative idea fling.

## Washington Golfer States Six Players Block National Goal

CHICAGO, Ill. (AP)—Marvin (Bud) Ward of Spokane, Wash., a straight-speaking young man, believes there are six players who stand between him and the 1941 National Amateur Golf championship, which will go on the block Monday at the Field Club in Omaha.

Ward, winner of the 1939 National Amateur crown at North Shore and among the favorites for next week's big Simon-pure scrap, is convinced that to win his second crown he'll have to outplay these stars:

Dick Chapman, the defending champion; Harry Todd, of Dallas, Texas; Johnny Goodman, former National Amateur king from Omaha; Ray Billows, thrice a runner-up for the title and a finalist against Ward two years ago; Willie Turnesa, winner of the National Amateur in 1938, and Art Doering of Chicago.

## Aged Enid Flingers Show Plenty Ability

WICHITA, Kas. (AP)—Bleacherites at the seventh annual National Semi-Pro tourney predicted the defending Enid, Okla., titlists would finish far down the list because the only thing the refiner mound staff collected the past year was age.

But to date the Enid hurlers have been outstanding. In the champs' opener, Jug Tesenga allowed Windros, Vt., a lone single in a 10-0 triumph. Monday night Vance Cauble southpawed the MacDill Field Flyers of Tampa, Fla., into submission, 24-3, on six scattered blows.

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