

Great Tank War Favors British

Link Troop Order With French Problem

WASHINGTON (AP)—The dispatch of a protective force of United States troops to Dutch Guiana won much commendation in the Senate Tuesday, and the general disposition was to link the move with the critical status of Franco-American relations.

Several senators, speaking of the Dutch colony's rich bauxite mines, said that President Roosevelt obviously intended to forestall any threat to this vital supply source which furnishes more than 60 per cent of the bauxite ore required by this country's rapidly expanding aluminum industry.

Although none claimed to have confidential information, some well-informed legislators thought Mr. Roosevelt may have acted from con-

cern lest Germany occupy Dakar, France's strategic base on the western hump of Africa, and then try later to move into French Guiana, which borders the Dutch colony in the northeast coast of South Africa.

Senator Hill (D-La.), the majority whip, expressed the opinion that the President sent armed forces to Dutch Guiana "because we know that there is a projected conference between Hitler and Petain regarding the French colonial possession, which include French Guiana."

Diplomatic quarters have received a number of reports of Nazi activity in French Guiana, and it is known that citizens of the Dutch colony have been uneasy about conditions in the French penal colony ever since the fall of France.

The cessation of French food shipments has worsened the plight of some 10,000 convicts there, and many of the regular guards have deserted. An easily forded river separates the two colonies, and until the recent arrival of Dutch reinforcements from England, only a few hundred men could be mustered in Dutch Guiana's defense.

Apparently neither the French colonial authorities nor the Vichy government were consulted regarding the United States decision to support the recent Dutch reinforcements with American troops, but the step had the approval of both the Netherlands government and of Brazil, which adjoins both the Dutch and French colonies.

Dispatches Claim Victory In Rezegh Battle Sector As Tenor Slows After Both Sides Suffer Gigantic Losses

Red Armies Fight To Stem German Onslaught Near Moscow And Counter-Attack Hurls Nazi Troops 62 Miles Back West Of Rostov-On-Don

By The Associated Press.

Masses of British and Axis tanks swirled in chaotic battle over the sands of North Africa Tuesday, Russia's Red Armies fought to stem a German onslaught within 50 miles of Moscow, and Berlin tersely reported a British attempt to land troops Sunday night on the coast of France.

British front-line dispatches, claiming victory over the Germans in at least one sector of the Rezegh battle zone, 10 miles south of Tobruk, said the Nazis were gradually being cut off from their supplies by Imperial columns driving westward along the Mediterranean coast.

Cairo reports said that the great three-day tank battle at Rezegh had begun to die down, as a result of heavy losses on both sides, but that British infantry reinforcements were pouring into the fighting from their bases east and south.

As pictured by the British, German Gen. Erwin Rommel's tank forces were badly crippled and there was no indication of fresh German troops being sent into action.

On the Ukraine front, Soviet dispatches reported a powerful Russian counter-offensive west of Rostov-On-Don had hurled the Germans back 62 miles and that the invaders were rushing new troops to the threatened area.

Nazi losses were described as "enormous," with the 16th German tank division "almost completely smashed."

The German high command on Saturday had claimed the capture of Rostov, northern gateway to the Caucasus oil fields, but the Russians reported on Sunday that fierce tank and machine-gun battles were still raging in the city's streets.

Tuesday's dispatches indicated the Russians were making now a furious attempt to recapture Rostov after breasting the initial German drive beyond the strategic Don River port.

A bulletin from Adolf Hitler's headquarters gave this brief account of the purported British thrust across the English Channel:

"The British attempted to effect a landing on the French channel coast with some boats. They were repulsed by the German coastal defense with heavy losses."

British Patrol Returns

In London, the ministry of information said that a "small British patrol" landed on the Normandy coast, in German-occupied France, Sunday night and that the lone casualty was a man struck in the arm by a machine-gun bullet.

"The enemy is betraying anxiety about our intentions with regard to the coast of the occupied territory and hopes by making exaggerated claims to elicit information which will be withheld from him," the ministry said.

"The patrol, it added, returned 'complete.'"

On the Libyan desert front, authoritative London dispatches described the action in Gen. Sir Alan Cunningham's eight-day-old offensive as "very confused" and said "very hard" fighting continued.

From the Axis capitals, Berlin

The communiqué said that New Zealand troops were continuing their advance toward Tobruk and that 119 Axis planes had been destroyed in the first six days of the drive to knock the Axis out of North Africa.

President Cerda Of Chile Dies

SANTIAGO, Chile. (AP)—President Pedro Aguirre Cerda of Chile, who had headed South America's first and only popular front government, died Tuesday.

Committee Orders Defense Strike Bill Prepared

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House Labor committee instructed Rep. Ramspeck (D-Ga.), one of its members, Tuesday to prepare by Friday a new bill to control defense strikes based on President Roosevelt's recommendations for cooling off periods of compulsory arbitration.

France Extends Aryanization To Algeria

VICHY, Unoccupied France. (AP)—A government decree Tuesday extended the French Aryanization law to Algeria.

Soldiers' Furlough To Cause Greatest Traffic In 20 Years

WASHINGTON (AP)—The army said Merry Christmas a month in advance Tuesday—with the tidings that between 700,000 and 800,000 soldiers would get Yuletide furloughs.

By the War Department's estimate, approximately half of the land forces will be granted leaves to go home for the holidays and this raised the prospect of the biggest Christmas transportation rush in more than two decades.

Belief was expressed, nevertheless, that there would be enough trains for the troops, without undue snarling of railway passenger or freight schedules.

As far as possible, soldiers are to be released on two dates, December 12 and December 20.

ADVISES HOUSE MEMBER "NOT TO COUNT CHICKENS"

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Churchill Tuesday cautioned a House of Commons member who raised the question of peace terms "not to count your chickens before they are hatched."

Group Votes To Restore Power

WASHINGTON (AP)—The House banking committee bowed again to administration wishes Tuesday and voted, 14 to 8, to restore to its price-control bill authority for the government to buy, sell or store any commodity if necessary to maintain price stability.

Rep. Wolcott (R-Mich) senior minority member of the committee, denounced the provision as "pernicious" and declared it would permit the price administration to "go into the stock exchange and buy or sell stocks." He said he did not see how "any self-respecting member of Congress could vote for it."

City Strings Lights For Downtown Area

Christmas lights for the business district were being strung Tuesday and will be turned on Friday night.

Preparations are being made for the Santa Claus parade Dec. 4.

Americans Plan Huge Christmas Splurge

By Frank Mullin

CHICAGO (AP)—Spurred by the jingle of National Defense dollars, a \$2,400,000,000 national Christmas shopping splurge is in the making this season, merchandise trade experts here estimated Tuesday.

Such a volume of business would exceed that of the boom year 1929 by more than 5 per cent and would be 11 per cent more than last year.

These estimates were compiled in a survey of the nation's wholesale and retail trade during the last 12 years prepared under the direction of Percy Wilson, directors of Chicago's merchandise mart.

With the preparations complete

for the flood of buying already under way in the name of Santa Claus, merchandisers were reported by mall officials to be ready with shelves and display rooms well stocked despite priorities and material shortages.

Wilson said the survey showed that although holiday business will be the largest on record, it will not keep pace with the year's average increase of 18.9 per cent in retail trade so far because there was an unusual spurt in Christmas sales last year as first effects of the defense program were felt.

The increase in dollar-volume of business will not fully reflect the huge amount of goods to be sold,

he said, because prices average 12.5 per cent lower for Christmas items than in 1929. He estimated that the total amount of merchandise to be sold will be almost 20 per cent more than in 1929. Distribution of rising operating expenses over a greater quantity of goods has resulted in keeping Christmas prices below the 1929 level.

Despite precautions taken by retailers and manufacturers, bare shelves will be seen in many lines of home furnishings, apparel and piece goods, Wilson said. Delivery schedules for some items are averaging four weeks later than a year ago.

Anti-Comintern Agreement Has 13 Signatories

BERLIN (AP)—The anti-Comintern pact sponsored by Germany was renewed for five years and broadened to include 13 signatories Tuesday in a festive ceremony at which Foreign Minister Joachim Von Ribbentrop declared that the Western Democracies had become "assistants to world Communism."

Concluding the ceremonies in the chancellery where the pact was hailed as a demonstration of continental solidarity against Moscow, London and Washington, Ribbentrop declared the signatories "will never rest" until the destruction of world Communism.

Following the "gigantic events in the east" Communism without doubt has received a blow from which it will never recover, he said, but he added that there still was much work to be done before Communist activity is "completely banished from the earth."

Says Nanking Joined

"Ignoring the real danger to themselves, the Western Democracies, out of pure egoism and opportunism, have made common cause with Communists, and thereby have become assistants to world Communism," he declared.

Bulgaria, Denmark, Finland, Croatia, Rumania and Slovakia were officially signed up by their representatives in a noon ceremony at the Reich Chancellery, and Von Ribbentrop read a telegram from President Dr. Tsumin-Yee of the Japanese-sponsored Nanking regime of China that his government had also joined.

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Scarborough Will Cases Are Appealed

Two district court cases involving the estate of the late W. F. Scarborough, wealthy cattleman and land owner, have been appealed to the court of civil appeals in El Paso.

Appeal bonds have been filed in 70th District Court here in the cases: Evelyn Linebery et al vs Noma Scarborough et al; and Noma Scarborough et al vs Evelyn Linebery et al.

The Scarborough will was upheld by the district court.

GERMANS LOSE GENERAL IN AIRPLANE ACCIDENT

BERLIN (AP)—General Helmuth Wilberg, 61, of the German air force was killed in an air crash five days ago, it was announced Tuesday.

Board of Arbitration To Meet On Dispute

By The Associated Press.

Representatives of railroads and their employees, unable to settle a wage dispute which threatens to result in a strike, took their differences once more Tuesday before President Roosevelt.

Negotiations, continued over the week-end, apparently had produced little progress, and A. F. Whitney, President of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen said the union was about ready to suggest to the Chief Executive that the government "take over control of the railroads for the duration of the emergency, rather than inconvenience the public by a national walkout."

Thompson To Confer At Capital On Rates And Crude Oil Prices

AUSTIN (AP)—Chairman Ernest O. Thompson of the Texas Railroad Commission was en route to Washington Tuesday to confer with federal officials on freight rate differentials in North Texas and crude oil prices.

"I will try to show the authorities," Thompson said before leaving, "that the unfair differentials against North Texas and the Panhandle oil should be abolished and that oil should be increased in price on a parity with other basic commodities."

"Unless oil is increased appreciably in price, thousands of stripper wells now on the economic brink will have to be abandoned. Further, new discoveries are absolutely necessary at once and this cannot be done on a paying basis at present crude prices."

"A boost in crude prices of at least 35 to 50 cents a barrel will bring the new discoveries. It always has in the past and that's the best guide for the future."

Woody Will Speak Before Geologists

J. N. Woody, Stanton, one of the most outstanding pistol marksmen in the United States, will be guest speaker at a meeting of the Midland Geological Society at noon Wednesday at Hotel Crawford.

Woody will discuss the national pistol matches at Camp Perry, O., where he won several medals and was picked on the all-United States team.

He will display awards and arms in the lobby of the hotel at 11 a. m. Wednesday.

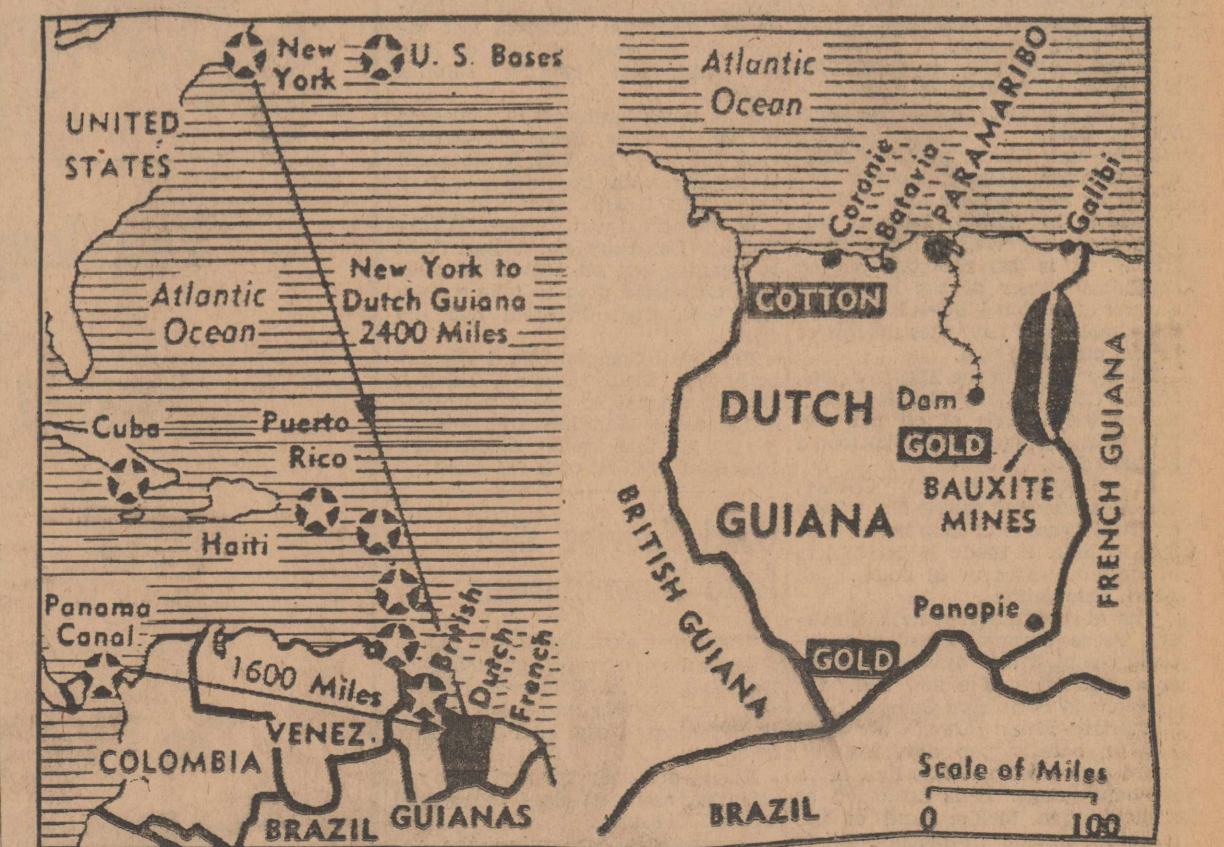
FSA Councilmen To Have Meeting

A meeting of the Farm Security Administration council, composed of FDA and RE advisory committees of Midland County, will be held at 2 p. m. Nov. 26 in the FSA office of the courthouse. An open discussion will be held.

The council consists of James H. Goodman, Prat P. Barber and Frank C. Dale and the committeemen-at-large, Riley Brooks, James E. Davis, and John L. Dillard.

The activities of the council are concerned with families securing financial backing from FSA, but also embodies problems confronting all landlords and tenants within the county.

U. S. Soldiers Ordered To Dutch Guiana



Strategic position of Dutch Guiana, where U. S. troops will guard valuable mines. Closeups shows location of Bauxite (black area) and other resources. (NEA Telephoto)

FDR Flashes Green Light To Congress

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Roosevelt told Congress Tuesday to start writing its own ticket on strike curbing legislation.

The Chief Executive conferred more than two hours Monday night with key House members—Republicans as well as Democrats—who reported he appeared to favor suggestions for a cooling off period and compulsory arbitration when strike calls threaten defense production.

The scope of the legislation and details of the bill apparently were left strictly up to the lawmakers, although Mr. Roosevelt was said to have made it clear it was time for Congress to act.

House Majority Leader McCormack of Massachusetts and Minority Leader Martin of the same state stood side by side when interviewed by reporters at the conclusion of the extraordinary White House meeting.

With nine other House members, Attorney General Biddle, Labor Secretary Perkins and her assistant, Daniel W. Tracy, they had gone over the whole knotty problem of defense strikes with the President, and exchanged individual views on how best to cope with the situation.

McCormack said it was "pretty generally agreed" that there should be a "waiting period called for by law" before a strike could be put into effect in a defense industry, and that "the President should have the power, in the final analysis, to order arbitration."

Crude Production To All-Time Peak

TULSA, Okla. (AP)—Crude oil production in the United States reached an all-time peak of 4,329,365 barrels daily for the week ended Nov. 22, the Oil and Gas Journal said Tuesday.

Daily production in Texas also was at an all time rate, up 234,250 from last week to 1,694,450. East Texas production was up 68,600 to 438,250; Illinois 6,280 to 396,550; and the Rocky Mountain states 60 to 109,300.

California production was down 10,500 to 653,250; Louisiana, 10,763 to 348,005; Kansas 1,300 to 254,250; Michigan 3,690 to 57,620, and Oklahoma 590 to 427,100.

Nine Ways To Kill A Good City

1. Don't attend any civic meetings. If you go, arrive late.
2. Never accept an office. It is easier to criticize than do things.
3. Do nothing more than absolutely necessary, but when others use their ability to help matters along, howl that the town is being run by a clique.
4. If you have a suggestion to make, do not think of going to the authorities in charge, just yell to the world at large.
5. Get "sore" if you are not appointed on a committee, but if you are appointed, do not attend committee meetings.
6. Get good and mad at some members of the organization.
7. Be pessimistic about every proposal to expand trade and promote the interest of the community.
8. Watch the proceedings of the school board, council and county commissioners, and point out the errors of their ways to everyone who will stop long enough to listen.
9. Encourage your wife and relatives to do their shopping out of town.

Coldness Continues In Midland Sector

Winter weather continued in Midland and the temperature dipped to a minimum of 26.1 degrees at 5:30 a. m. Tuesday.

The lowest previous reading at the Midland Municipal Airport was 25.5 degrees Monday morning.

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Gnomes Will Ride In Christmas Parade



GNOMES WILL RIDE IN CHRISTMAS PARADE

Santa Claus, loved by millions the world over, will be in Midland with his wonderful Santa Day parade unit at 4 p. m. Thursday, Dec. 4. Old Santa is expecting all the boys and girls of the Midland section to be on hand to greet him.

The sketch from which the large float pictured above was made was drawn by Melba, one of Santa's little gnomes, who will be in Midland and who will ride on the float in the parade.

Besides the "Old Lady Who Lived in a Shoe," Santa Claus is bringing to Midland eight other "big floats" and 10 of his favorite Shetland ponies.

The Midland Chamber of Commerce, at Santa's request, is making an effort to have all the boys and girls of the Midland area present to see and visit with the beloved old gentleman from the North Pole.

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WAKE UP! Awake to righteousness, and sin not; for some have not the knowledge of God: Speak this to your shame.—I Cor. 15:34.

Four Thousand Years Of Culture

Americans, shouts Dr. Robert Ley, Hitler's labor taskmaster, should establish 4000 years of culture before calling Germans and Italians barbarians.

Thanks, afraid we can't wait.

A culture is best estimated, it seems to the crude American mind, by its fruits. The fruit of the culture so revered by Dr. Ley is now on exhibit throughout all that part of Europe now covered by the "new order," and it's rotten fruit.

The United States ought to glory in the fact that it doesn't have 4000 years of such "culture" behind it. Mark Twain slaughtered once and for all the European appeal to the authenticity of age. A caustic Frenchman, thinking to put upstart United States culture in its place, sneered that in that raw country so little attention was paid to antecedents that scarcely anyone knew who his own grandfather was. Twain admitted the soft impeachment, and added that in France a man was lucky to know who his own father was.

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Of immediate antecedents of the learned Dr. Ley, we know nothing, and can only trust that he is himself better informed. But of the boast of a 4000-year cultural tradition which bears no better fruit as its culminating glory than Nazism, let us be quite clear that it is a delight to be no part of any such a continuity.

The important thing about a cultural inheritance is not "what was it?" but "what are you doing with it?" To be actively in the midst of the creation of a new culture which we have reason to hope may some day be truly civilized, is far better than to be at the fag-end of a cultural tradition once honorable, but betrayed and traduced by its present representatives.

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Behind the roaring of Dr. Ley there is a rustling murmur. It comes from all the great figures of the past, who created the 4000-year-old cultural tradition of which Ley dares to brag, the artists, the writers, the musicians, the statesmen and philosophers. They gaze with blank horror down the corridors of time at the grisly reversion to barbarism being engineered by Dr. Ley and his cohorts. The rustling grows louder.

Yes! They are turning over in their graves!

—Keep 'Em Flying—Vote For The Airport Bonds—

Let's Not Talk About It

Diplomatic correspondence is a fearful and wonderful thing. It has become both more fearful and more wonderful since 1939.

Take the German reply to a series of notes from South American countries protesting that the wholesale and random shooting of hostages is a brutal and a barbarous thing.

The Nazi answer was that it "does not wish to receive oral or written observations of third states on this question."

In short, there is no answer, so there is no use trying to make one. Mexico and the other protesters are told "Let's not talk about it; it's none of your business anyway."

Which is, we suppose, about as good a way as any to answer the unanswerable.

Oil News--

(Continued from page 1)

Humble Oil & Refining Company et al No. BX-2 Tubbs, showing for a three-quarter mile southeast extension of Ellenburger production in the main Sand Hills pool, is preparing to gun-foam a 5 1/2-inch casing cemented on bottom at 5,788 feet in dolomite. Plug was drilled out to 5,787 1/2 feet.

In the south extension area, Gulf No. 32 W. N. Waddell et al is drilling below 4,380 feet in Permian lime. **Weiner Pool**

In the new Weiner pool of Southern Winkler County, opened recently by Sam Weiner in the No. 1 Texaco-S. M. Halley, location has been made for Weiner No. 1 Sun-Halley. It is 330 feet out of the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of section 4, block B-11, public school land, 1,407 feet northwest of the discovery well.

Farther west, in the Emperor pool, Skelly Oil Company No. 44 Halley flowed 866 barrels of oil per day following a 355-quart shot, bottomed at 2,890 feet.

In Central Glasscock County, Wahlenmaier and Currie No. 1 Texas Land Trust is drilling below 3,301 feet in lime. It made 15 1/2 barrels of sulphur water in 48 hours.

Abell Completion

The Abell Ordovician field, Northern Fecos County, Tuesday registered completion of another producer and location of a new test.

Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 3 Markey Heirs flowed a rated 1,549.64 barrels per day, natural, based on output the last half of a six-hour gauge. It is bottomed at 5,340 feet in McKee sand of the Simpson, middle Ordovician. Oil is 44.1-gravity and gas-oil ratio 747-1. In the southeast sector of the field, George T. Abell of Midland

staked No. 1-B O. W. Williams as a 5,500-foot test 330 feet from the northeast and 990 from the southeast line of section 5, block 3, H. & T. C. survey.

Lubbock Well to Quit

Reports from the North Permian Basin are that L. C. Harrison and Tobe Foster No. 1 E. L. Steck, wildcat two miles northeast of Lubbock, is nearing contract depth of 5,500 feet, where it probably will be abandoned. Core from 5,150-49 feet reportedly returned 36 feet of lime and anhydrite bearing sulphur water.

Nine miles southwest of Muleshoe in Bally County, Broderick Q Calvert, Inc., et al No. 1 G. H. Hayward is drilling with heavy-duty rotary below 4,775 feet in lime.

In Western Lynn County, Trinity Drilling Company No. 1 Dan Auld is cleaning out on bottom at 5,202 feet. Operators plan to take a core, run jeep, then drillstem test the well.

Placid Oil Company No. 1 Higginbotham, Southwestern Dawson County wildcat 15 miles southwest of Lamesa, is standing after cementing 13 3/8-inch casing at 205 feet, 10 feet of bottom, with 225 sacks.

Civil Service Will Give Examinations

Three new examinations to obtain federal workers were announced by the Civil Service Commission Tuesday. Applications must be on file in Washington not later than Dec. 30.

Places are open for assistant soil scientist, assistant chief nurse, and student dietitian.

Information concerning the requirements and application forms may be obtained from Frank Smith at the Midland post office.

Hunting Season



Army Promotes Harry Johnson

Promotion of Col. Harry Johnson, widely known official of the Gulf Oil Corporation and formerly a Midland citizen, to the rank of brigadier general has been announced.

Brig-Gen. Johnson is stationed at Fort Clark, Brackettville, with the 124th cavalry.

Johnson at 44 years is one of the youngest brigadier-generals of the U. S. One of the youngest lieutenants in the World War, Johnson started to work for Gulf shortly afterward.

When called from civilian life to active duty with the Army in September of 1940, he was assistant to Walter Pyron, executive vice president of the Gulf in Houston.

Lynch Post Members Will Meet Tuesday

Reports will be made on the Armistice Day observance, the district convention at Monahans, and the national commanders conference in Fort Worth, at a meeting of Woods W. Lynch Post No. 19, Tuesday night at the courthouse. Members also were scheduled to discuss a Legion officers' school at Big Spring Nov. 29-30.

Cranium Crackers

FUN WITH FIGURES

The war hasn't gone into the quadrillion dollar stage as yet, although some of the bills it is incurring begin to look as astronomical as that multi-multi figure. Here's your chance to have some fun with figures, large and small.

1. A couple is the parents of two sets of twins, one set of triplets and one other child. If one of the twins has triplets, one of the triplets has twins, and all the others have one child apiece, except one of the triplets who has none, how many grandchildren will he copeple have?

2. How many ciphers in one decillion? How many ciphers if you add the figure 22,000,000 to it?

3. If it is 1800 miles from Natal to Dakar, and an \$80,000 plane flies that route, how much will it cost to send an 18-pound package across the Atlantic there at a postage rate of 80 cents a half-ounce?

4. On his old well, Mr. Riekeys pumps 100 barrels of oil every four days. On his new well, he installs a pump that works twice as fast as the old one. What is his total oil output each week from both wells?

Answers on Classified Page

MRS. MURPHY GOES TO MOTHER'S BEDSIDE

Mrs. Dennis Murphy of Midland was called to Electra to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. J. D. Stroud, who is seriously ill.

Red Ski Troops Strike At Rear Of Nazi Forces

KUIBYSHEV, Russia (AP)—Soviet troops challenged a major German drive Tuesday from shortened defense lines northwest of Moscow while skiing guerrillas were said to be striking over the snow at the invaders' rear.

The gravity of Moscow's position was acknowledged.

Russians estimated the Germans had massed 600,000 men for the assault—one of a series of drives in a Central Front offensive begun October 2—which has reached a point within 50 miles of the capital.

(The German high command already had claimed a penetration to within 31 miles of Moscow in announcing the fall of Solnetschnogorski, a factory town of 6,500 persons on the Moscow-Leningrad railroad.)

A Nazi battalion of elite guards was declared officially to have been smashed before Moscow with 500 men killed.

White-garbed irregulars operating in the Volokolamsk sector 65 miles northwest of Moscow—only a short distance behind the Nazi spearhead which thrust to Klin—raided a stalled ammunition train, killed 42 Germans, blew up a tank and glided away on skis, Moscow authorities announced.

Committee To Submit Scout Council Names

Organization of a steering committee for Girl Scout work has been started, it was announced Tuesday morning by Midland women.

The steering committee of ten will consider recommendations and submit names for a Girl Scout council to leaders and committee women.

Mails Hubby's Present Early



Mrs. C. E. McDonald of Shreveport, La., had to do her Christmas mailing early, for her husband, a Royal Canadian Air Force sergeant, is now a prisoner of war in Germany. Here she puts a bow on a bundle for McDonald, who was shot down over France.

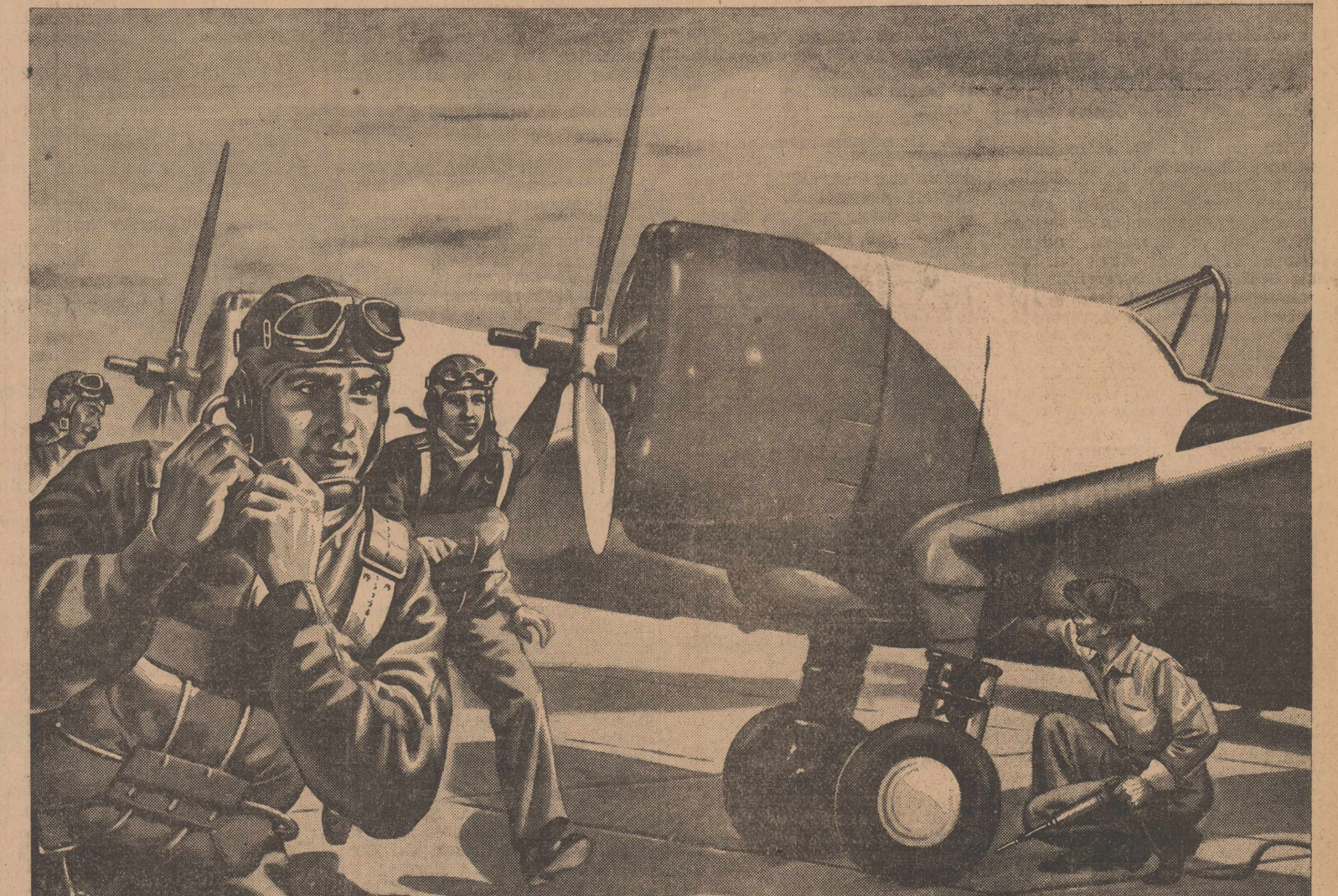
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PRAIRIE LEE BOX SUPPER SUCCESSFUL
Proceeds of the box supper held at Prairie Lee School recently totaled \$99.06, school officials reported, and will be used for the lunch room and athletic equipment. School officials expressed appreciation for the interest and cooperation in the project shown by the Rotary Club of Midland and by the community.

Prices
Our ethical code, like that of Dentistry and Medicine, grows the quoting of prices; the wishes of our clients in this matter is supreme.
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Men Trained at Sheppard Field Will "Keep 'Em Flying"

Sheppard Field, Wichita Falls, soon will be turning out thousands of skilled airplane mechanics... men who will be sent to air fields to help "Keep 'em Flying."

Back of the bustle of activity at Sheppard Field, where 26,000 men soon will be in training, is electric power... a silent ally to all this tremendous effort... a dependable ally in time of national emergency and in time of peace... a friendly ally you know in your home.

Texas Electric Service Company was ready when the call came for electric power at Sheppard Field. The temporary installation to supply power was ready in hours (not weeks); the permanent power installation was ready in days (not months). Skilled men, power and reserve materials were ready to answer a hurry-up call from Uncle Sam.



Texas Electric Service workers set a near-record for fast work in building this high-voltage substation to serve Sheppard Field, using emergency stocks of materials already on hand. The substation contains transformer capacity capable of serving the power requirements of an average city of 12,000 population.

BANKING NOTICE

Thursday November 27th
Will Be Observed As



Thanksgiving Day

And As A
Legal Holiday
By Both Banks

Please bear this in mind and transact sufficient banking business Wednesday to carry your requirements until Friday.

The First National Bank
The Midland National Bank

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Mission Program Heard By WMU

All circles of the First Baptist WMU met at the church Monday afternoon for a mission program, with Mrs. R. T. Cox in charge of the study on "An Urgent Gospel Dispels Heathen Darkness."

The devotional was in the form of a prologue, "The Light of the World", presented by Mmes. W. G. Epley, Ben Black, W. D. Anderson, O. L. McNew, and T. R. Higginbotham.

Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett and Mrs. W. H. Measures talked on the work in Africa.

An epilogue, "Light Shining in Darkness", was presented by Mmes. Epley, Black, Anderson, McNew, and Higginbotham.

Mrs. R. O. Collins had charge of the business meeting.

Sixty women were present.

Christian Women Meet In Homes For Circle Programs

Nine members were present at the meeting of the Junior Mothers Circle of the First Christian Church with Mrs. John R. Crump, 1103 W. Illinois, Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Mrs. R. A. Estes brought the devotional on "How My Christianity Expresses Itself."

Mrs. John Casselman brought the lesson for the day.

Attending were: Mmes. J. Wray Campbell, Casselman, Estes, W. P. Z. German Jr., H. E. Harrington, E. R. Henderson, Buster Howard, Charles Sherwood, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be December 8 with Mrs. Delbert Downing.

WESTERN BROWNIES COMPLETE WOOD WORK

Wooden trays and book ends were completed by members of the Western Brownie Troop meeting at North Ward School Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Harold Berg and Mrs. R. R. Ford were leaders.

About 17 girls were present.



Do This If Child Has a Cold

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Stubbeman Leads Program For Auxiliary Meeting

Mrs. Frank Stubbeman was in charge of the program at the regular inspirational meeting of the Presbyterian Auxiliary at the church, Monday afternoon.

Subject for discussion was "Educating for a Christian Society". In her talk, Mrs. Stubbeman emphasized the need for having religion taught in the schools and told of Readville, North Carolina, which has successfully introduced the study of the Bible into its schools without sectarianism.

Mrs. L. G. Evelyn reported on the progress of efforts of the PTA to put the Bible into the Midland schools.

The devotional on "Lois and Eunice" was brought by Mrs. L. C. Link.

Mrs. Jack Hawkins sang "Lord, Speak to Me", accompanied by Mrs. Frank Miller.

Mrs. Hubert Hopper spoke on "Observance of the Sabbath" and Mrs. W. P. Knight, auxiliary president, voiced the challenge of "What are we going to do about it?"

Hostesses for the social hour following the program were Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Geo. Abell, and Mrs. William Osborn.

Thirty members and two visitors were present.

Methodists Will Honor New Pastor

The Rev. and Mrs. W. Carl Clement will be honored at a reception at the educational building of the First Methodist Church, Tuesday evening from 7 o'clock to 9. All Methodists are invited to attend and meet the new pastor and his wife. The Clements arrived last week from Stamford where he was pastor of St. John's Church and Mr. Clement has assumed his duties as minister of the Midland Methodist Church.

In the receiving line with the honorees will be Mrs. B. F. Haag, president of the WSCS, and M. C. Ulmer, chairman of the board. General arrangements are in charge of Mrs. M. C. Ulmer and Mrs. Holt Jowell. Mrs. Fred Wemple will be in charge of the recorded music.

Chairmen of the WSCS circles will be on the reception committee. Winnie Prothro Circle will be in charge of serving refreshments and Mrs. C. R. Pritch, Mrs. J. A. Andrews, and Mrs. J. M. Prothro will serve on the kitchen committee.

Calvary Baptist WMU Will Meet Friday For Study

The Bible lesson was taught by Mrs. J. E. Harwell at the meeting of Mildred Cox Circle of Calvary Baptist Church with Mrs. Hoyt Burris, 708 S. Loraine, hostess, Monday afternoon.

The session opened with singing of "Jesus Saves", after which Mrs. Bessie Moore offered the opening prayer.

Closing prayer was by Mrs. Harwell.

Present were: Mmes. Moore, Terry Padgett, Howard Gibbons, Harwell, and the hostess.

Katherine Shelburne Circle met with Mrs. Shelburne, 211 E. New York, and plans were made for the observance of the Lottie Moon week of prayer beginning December 1.

The hostess taught the Bible study from II Samuel 14 to I Kings 8.

Prayer was offered by Mrs. Walter Smith.

Present were: Mmes. C. C. Holman, Smith, Fred McPherson, W. G. Flournoy, Ed S. Shelburne, and the hostess.

Mrs. Smith Hostess

Mrs. Otis Smith was hostess to her circle for Bible study.

Mrs. Tom Dunn had charge of the program.

Present were: Mmes. Dunn, Jack Baker, Rhea Heath, B. B. Smith, Alice Paddock, E. Cain, Maggie Hill, Douglas, C. E. Bishop, and the hostess.

To Meet Friday

The WMU will meet Friday at 2 o'clock and study the book, "These Things Remain". This will be a study of foreign missions in preparation for week of prayer and Christmas offering to world missions.

Mrs. O. R. Phillips will lead the study.

EVANS WILL DISCUSS BRITISH USE OF FOOD

The second of a series of talks by R. M. Evans, AAA administrator, over KRLH, to Midland County farmers, was scheduled at 6:45 p. m. Tuesday.

The subject of his talk is "How Are the British Using American Food".

Years Of Misery Ended By Hoyt's Says Tex. Lady

Indigestion, Gas, Bloating, Constipation Are Gone; I Eat Well, Says Mrs. Martinez. She Credits Hoyt's Compound.

"For nine years I suffered with indigestion, gas and bloating," says Mrs. Nora Martinez, 715 South Irving Street, San Angelo, Tex. "After



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meals I had untold misery from this trouble. I could not eat fried foods of any kind without after distress. I was badly constipated, and had nervous fainting spells. Nothing I tried relieved me.

"Now that I am using Hoyt's Compound, I can eat anything put before me without suffering. Hoyt's has been a perfect laxative, and my bowels are regular as can be. The fainting spells have ended, and I haven't had a trace of nervousness. I gladly recommend Hoyt's!"

Hoyt's Compound is recommended and sold by the City Drug Store and by all leading druggists in this entire area. (Adv.)



Definitely New

PEPLUMS ARE POPULAR The new "interrupted silhouette" this year is achieved with peplums, tiers and tunics. This New York creation features a perky, pleated peplum that fastens on like a little apron over this featherweight wool dress of rascal red. Slanted pockets are hidden beneath the peplum to complement the high pockets on the bodice. The look is soft and feminine, typical of this season's fashion trend.

Coming Events

WEDNESDAY

Spiritual life groups of the Methodist WSCS will meet Wednesday as follows: One group with Mrs. Jess Barber, 311 N. Baird, at 9 o'clock in the morning; a second group with Mrs. Tom Hurt, 811-A W. Texas, at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon.

So Sun Club will meet with Mrs. Addison Wadley, 1801 W. Holloway, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Adult education nutrition study group will meet in the assembly room on the third floor of the courthouse, Wednesday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

Fine Arts Club will meet with Mrs. L. G. Byerley, 1802 W. Wall, Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Midweek Club will meet with Mrs. Ida Fay Cowden, Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock.

Viente Cinco Club will meet with Miss Ruth Tidmore, at her home on the Country Club Drive, Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

Alpha Club will meet with Mrs. C. L. Bradshaw, 508 Holmsley, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Wednesday morning from 9 o'clock until 12.

THURSDAY

Adult education nutrition study group will meet with Mrs. Hugh Coplin, 1805 W. Wall, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Needlecraft Club will meet with Mrs. Geo. Phillips, 200 South L Street, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Meeting of Thursday Club is postponed one week to Thursday, December 4.

FRIDAY

Belmont Bible Class will meet with Mrs. W. P. Collins, 710 S. Weatherford, Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

Adult education advanced nutrition study group will meet with Mrs. T. M. Roper, 609 N. Marientfeld, Friday morning at 9:15 o'clock.

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North Ward PTA will present Delbert K. Harter, world traveler, in a lecture on "Youth Takes a Trip" at the high school auditorium, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Lucky Thirteen Club will meet with Mrs. Ellis Conner, 1023 W. Col-

lege, Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Husbands will be guests.

Women's Golf Association will have its weekly luncheon at the Country Club, Friday at one o'clock. Mrs. Dan Hudson will be hostess.

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Midland County museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday morning from 10:30 o'clock to Saturday afternoon at one o'clock.

Midland Students Listed In College

Two Midland boys will be listed in the 1941-42 issue of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges. They are George Walker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Walker, and John J. Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. DeFord.

Walker will receive his B. M. degree from Hardin-Simmons University at Abilene next June. He is president of the Cowboy Band and was reporter and vice president of the organization for the two preceding years. He was class editor of the college year book and a member of the student council of the University.

Hill, who will receive his B. S. degree from Texas Technological College at Lubbock next June, is president of the Tech chapter of Sigma Gamma Epsilon, national geological fraternity, a member of the artists course committee, Alpha Psi Omega, and until this year an active member of El Capa y Sepada, Spanish club.

Perfect Plans For "Days Of '49" Party At Hotel Scharbauer

Plans for staging the first annual Lions Club "Days of '49" party at Hotel Scharbauer Friday night were completed at a meeting of committee members at the chamber of commerce, office Monday night.

Dan Hudson, Lion tamer, was appointed general chairman by President Paul McHargue. He will be assisted by Delbert Downing, John B. Mills, Bill Collins, George H. Philippus and J. Leo McLaughlin. Sub-chairmen in charge of various other details were named by Hudson.

Mrs. Ray Trammel returned home Monday night from Carlsbad, Texas, where she has been for the past few months.

Methodist WSCS Has Business And Social Meeting

With Mary Scharbauer Circle in charge of the program, the Methodist WSCS met at the educational building, Monday afternoon for a combined business and social session.

Mrs. Fred Fromhold was leader for the program and Mrs. B. F. Haag gave the meditation.

Mrs. C. P. Wilson talked on "Everlasting Peace".

Mrs. B. F. Haag presided at a business session after the program. Announcement was made that the Christmas supply box will be sent to Holding Institute at Laredo.

The WSCS will hold its Christmas program December 8.

Members will donate cakes for a social for the soldiers, November 30. Announcement was made of the reception to be held in honor of the pastor and his wife, Tuesday evening.

Present were: Mmes. Rea Sindorf, W. B. Hunter, Jesse Lee Barber Jr., Tom Hurt, Sam Preston, W. E. Chapman, C. C. Thomas, Chris Ligon, W. C. Clement, Jess T. Mills, L. C. Stephenson, V. G. Stolte, J. F. Nixon, A. D. Minney, H. G. Coplin, C. H. Shepard, Bob Baker.

Mmes. Luther Tidwell, Frank Prothro, Nettie Crawford, Minnie Pollard, H. M. McReynolds, J. W. Thorne, J. R. Day, L. F. Caddell, Oliver Haag, Geo. Heath, C. R. Fitch, W. A. Black, M. J. Allen, Mmes. Mary Lou Snodgrass, J. A. Andrews, Allen Phiberty, E. J. Voliva, J. M. Prothro, Geo. Bradbury, B. F. Haag, R. P. Simpson, Fromhold, and Wilson.

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Taylor Family To Have Reunion Here

Thursday will be Thanksgiving for at least one Midland family when Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McKee, 603 North D, are hosts for a reunion of Mrs. McKee's mother, brothers, and sister of the Taylor family.

Expected to arrive Wednesday are her mother, Mrs. W. T. Taylor, and her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor and daughter of Hamilton. Joining the group for the celebration Thursday will be Mrs. McKee's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Munnerlyn and son of Seminole, and her brother, Frank Taylor, Mrs. Taylor and their two children of Hobbs, New Mexico.

American Brownies met at South Ward School, Monday afternoon and went on a hike and hunt for autumn leaves. They will make a book of the leaves.

Present were the leaders, Mrs. J. C. Williamson and Mrs. W. H. Allen, and the following girls: Rita Dunlap, Beverly Channing, Peggy Ann Gaffey, Virginia Pearl, Bredelove, D'Aun Floyd, Wanda Mashburn, Peggy Dunham, Jewel Dee Livingston, Melodeese Burris and Betty Jean O'Neal.

Midland Lions Are Invited To Meetings

Members of the Midland Lions Club have been invited to attend the charter night program of the new Andrews Lions Club there next Monday night and the quarterly zone meeting in Kermit December 4.

George Philippus, secretary of the Midland Club, has been named attendance chairman for both events. He said large groups will attend both meetings.

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You can easily change the gasping misery of a head cold into relaxing comfort if you use Mentholatum. Simply insert Mentholatum in your nostrils and massage your forehead and temples with it. This will quickly relieve the sniffling, stuffiness, sneezing, running, Mentholatum will also soothe the irritated nostrils, allay the soreness, swelling, itching, redness, and reduce the feeling of fullness in your head—also the necessity for continuous blowing, jars or tubes, 30c.

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Of course, you use Karo on pancakes and waffles—everybody does! But have you tried putting a little Karo in your pancake or waffle batter? You'll love the extra flavor and smoothness this little trick adds.

KARO PANCAKES

2 cups sifted all-purpose flour
3 tsp. baking powder 2 tbs. Karo (blue label)
1 tsp. salt 2 tbs. melted butter
1 1/2 cups milk 2 eggs, slightly beaten

Sift and measure flour. Sift together with baking powder and salt. Stir milk, Karo, and butter into eggs. Add flour mixture (small amount at a time), and beat until smooth. Four batter on preheated griddle, allowing space in bottom to spread. Allow about 2 tsp. of batter for each cake. Bake until golden brown. Turn, and cook until brown on other side. Serve at once with hot Karo (blue label). Makes 10 pancakes, about 4 1/2 inches in diameter.

A First Line FOOD FOR DEFENSE Against Fatigue

WINTERPROOF KEPT ME FROM BEING A WOMAN WRESTLER

YES MAM, IT SURE MAKES GEARS SHIFT EASY, AND GIVES YOUR CAR A FRESH START, TOO.

THAT'S WHAT I TOLD YOU LAST YEAR. IT'S JUST LIKE FALL HOUSECLEANING.

WHAT'S HOUSE—CLEANING GOT TO DO WITH WINTER-PROOFING THE CAR?

SUPPOSE I LEFT SUMMER DUST AND DIRT IN OUR HOUSE ALL WINTER. IT WOULD BE A MESS. WELL, OIL GETS DIRTY TOO, NEEDS CHANGING.

YOU'VE BEEN LISTENING TO A SALES TALK.

SURE I HAVE LISTENED LAST YEAR AND THE CAR PURRED LIKE A KITTEN ALL WINTER. AND I COULD SHIFT GEARS WITHOUT TUGGING MY ARM OFF.

FOR ONCE I BELIEVE YOU'RE RIGHT. WE'LL WINTERPROOF!

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- 6 CHASSIS—Complete Mobilubrication of vital points with Mobilgrease.
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McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

A national tournament is always a battle of wits, with each expert trying to put something over on his equally expert opponents. Often these coups are successful, especially if they are managed as casually as this one. Declarer let the defense think he was trapped, gave away a trick, and then laid down seven sure tricks in diamonds and hearts.

North won the third round of spades, then led a heart and ducked the trick to West. A club

♠ J103	♠ 97652
♥ 75	♥ J82
♦ AKQ	♦ J4
♣ AQ952	♣ K43

Dealer

♠ K4	♠ AK1063
♥ 8632	♥ 108

Duplicate—None vul.

South	West	North	East
1♥	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♥	Pass	2NT	Pass
3NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening—♠5. 25

came right back, but declarer went right up with the ace and cashed seven red tricks in a hurry.

I say that declarer ducked the heart trick to West because that is just the way the play happens time and again, casually as though the defense were helpless. But an alert East player can kill the heart suit. He should go up with the jack on the first heart lead.

If he is allowed to hold the trick, he will set the contract with his spades. If dummy wins, then the hearts cannot be brought in unless North was dealt three hearts. In this case the play of the jack will give up the only defensive stopper, but it seems probable to East here that if declarer wins four heart tricks, he is sure to make game anyhow.

Charming Dirndl



A full variety of aprons, lingerie, children's gifts and new frocks are shown in our Fashion Book of new designs for winter. Send for your copy today.

A youthful dirndl dress which hits a new high in charm and smartness is distinguished with a simple braid decoration used at the neckline, around the top of the hem and for the sleeves. The long torso buttons up the front and is tapered smoothly at the waistline, the full gathered skirt below completes the desired silhouette.

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For this attractive pattern, send 15c in coin, your name, address, pattern number and size to The Reporter-Telegram Today's Pattern Service, 211 W Wasker Drive, Chicago.

For other excellent styles for school wardrobes see our Fashion Book, a complete review of patterns for winter. Order your copy today.

Pattern 15c; Pattern Book 15c; One pattern and Pattern Book, ordered together 25c.

Two Trainmen Die In Freight Wreck

OMAHA (AP)—Two trainmen were killed and three injured in a freight train collision at Edson, Wyo., Monday night, the Union Pacific railroad announced Tuesday.

Officials said a westbound freight hit another westbound train in the middle as it was pulling out of a switch onto the main line. Twenty-one cars and their contents were destroyed by fire.

Killed were Walter W. Martin of Laramie, engineer on the main line train, and Lewis H. Baberland, Laramie, fireman on the same train. Their bodies were found in the ruins of their cab at dawn.

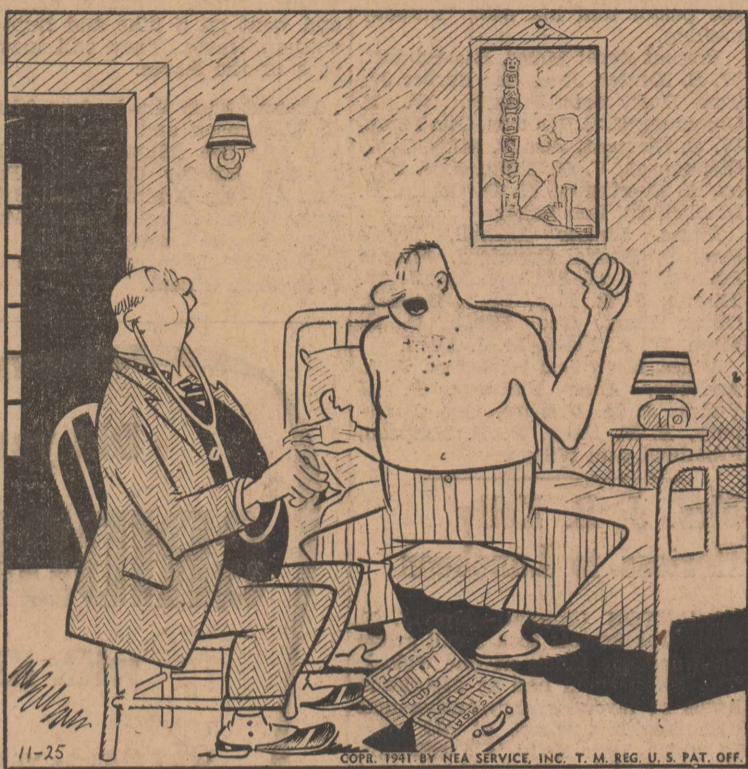
Hughes Company To Give 10-Cent Raise

HOUSTON (AP)—J. D. Pruett, president of the Independent Metal Workers Union No. 1 said Monday ten cents an hour pay raises for approximately 4,000 employees of the Hughes Tool Company were agreed upon by company officials.

The wage increase is retroactive to September 1, Pruett said. The starting wage for new employees was boosted from 45 to 60 cents an hour.

The union, not affiliated with the CIO or the AFL, was recently certified as the rightful bargaining agency at the company.

Funny Business



"I can't describe my symptoms, Doc, but I feel like the third head from the top of that totem pole looks!"

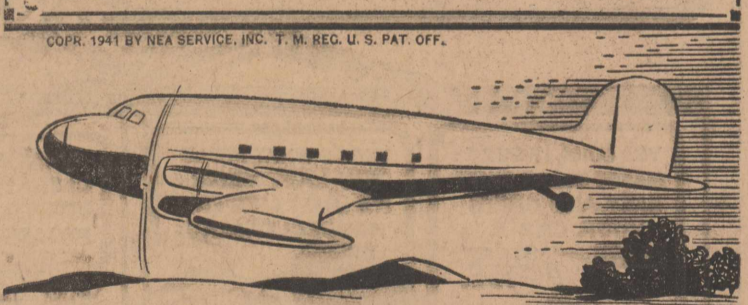
Side Glances



"Sit down, Smith! Speaking in terms you can understand, your Latin translation is decidedly off the beam!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



TWO-THIRDS OF THE LIFT OF AN AIRPLANE'S WINGS IS PRODUCED BY A PARTIAL VACUUM CREATED ABOVE THE WINGS! THE OTHER THIRD RESULTS FROM PRESSURE UNDER THE WINGS.

ICICLES

THAT DRIP REALISTICALLY UNDER THE HEAT OF SPOTLIGHTS ARE MADE FOR THE MOVIES OF CELLOPHANE AND WATERGLASS.



KITZKOPFER

IF YOU STUDIED THE HERD-TODDERS OF AN AREA, YOU WOULD STUDY ITS AIR CURRENTS, REPTILES, SOIL CULTURE?

ANSWER: Reptiles.

NEXT: What tree can't a bear climb?

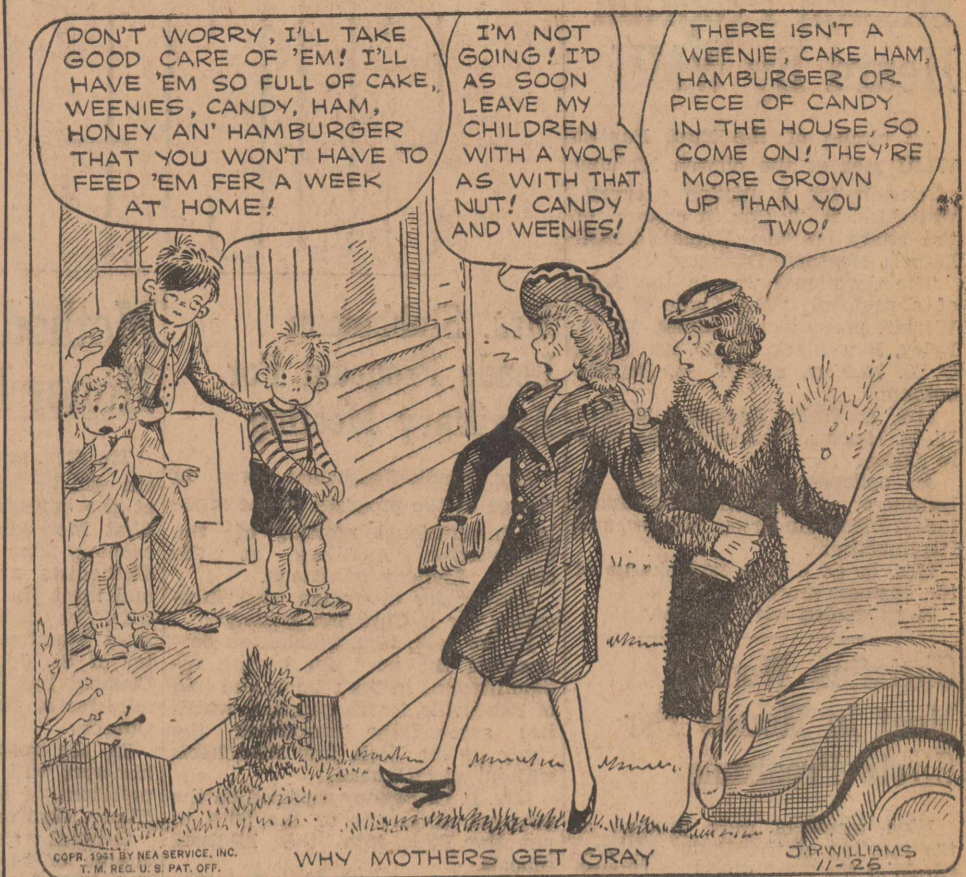
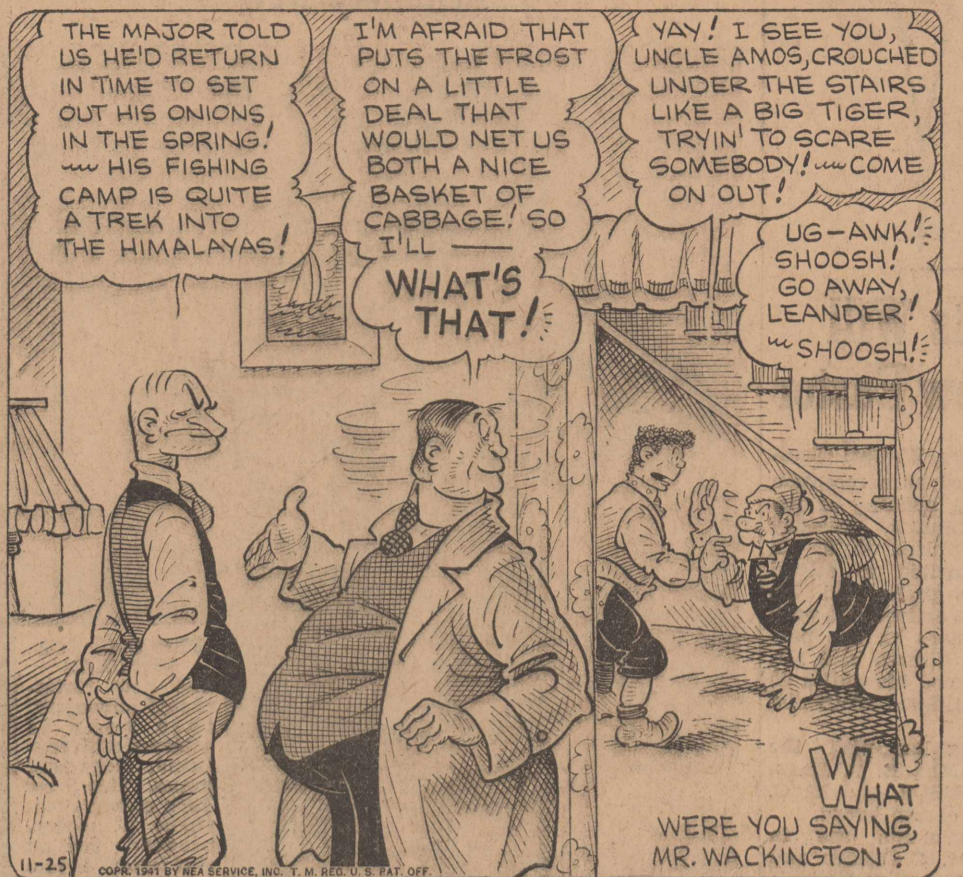
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MAJOR HOOPLE

OUT OUR WAY

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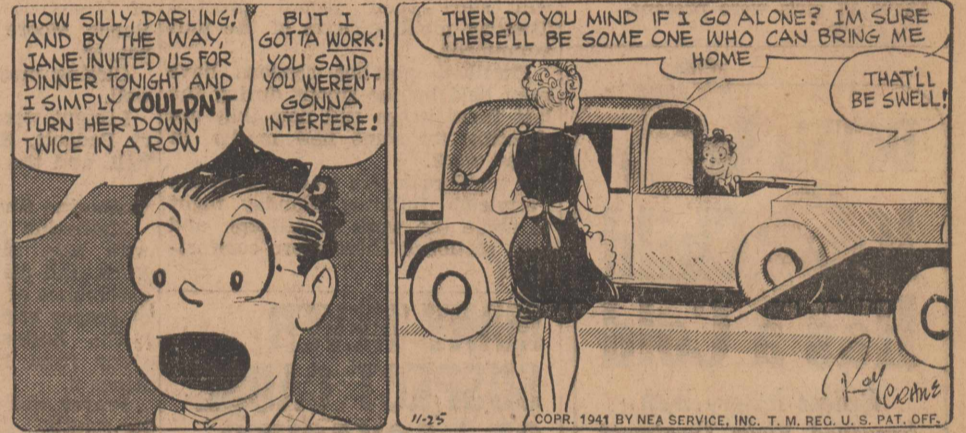
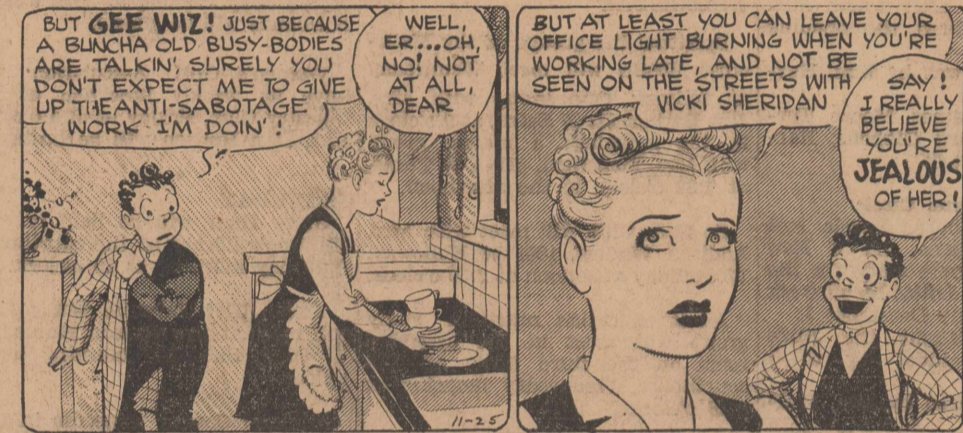
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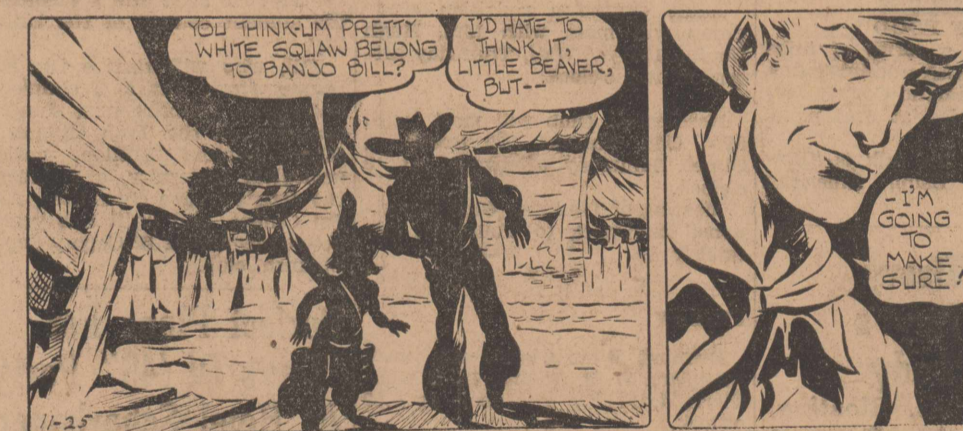
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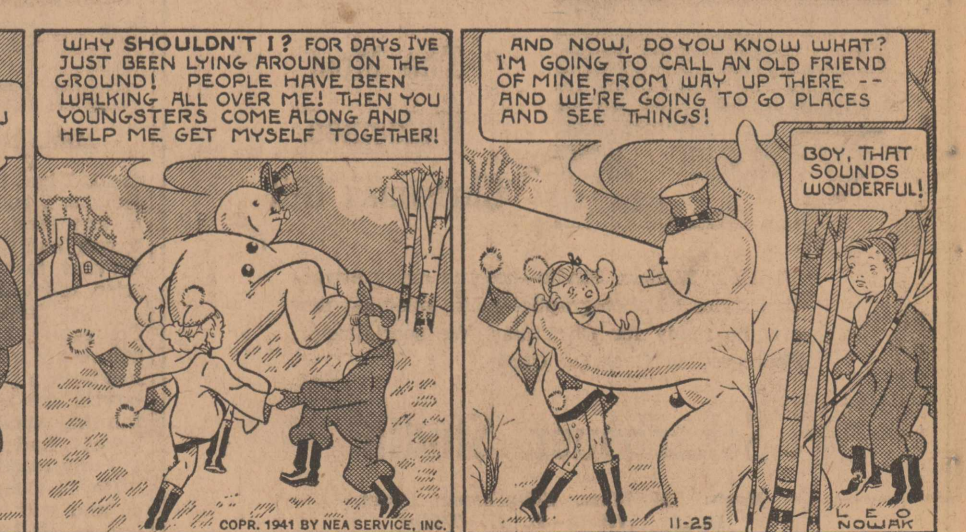
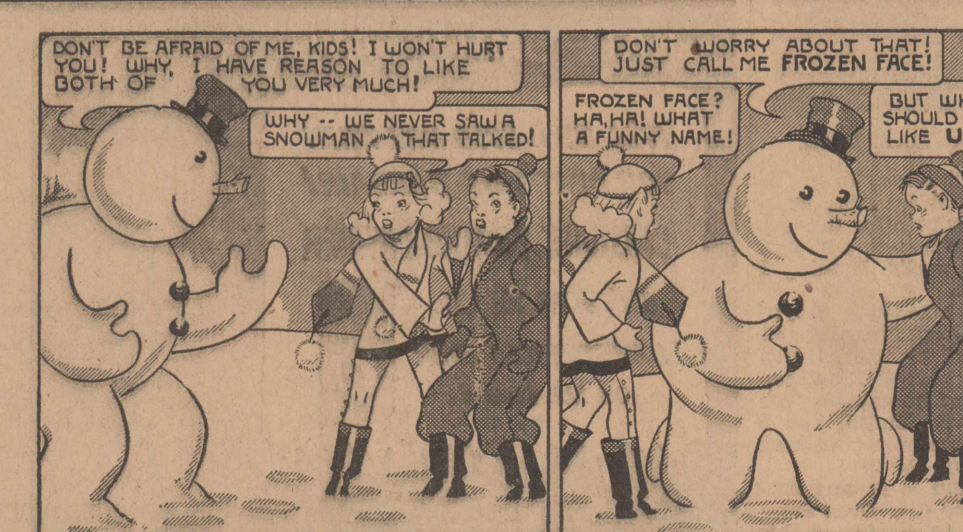
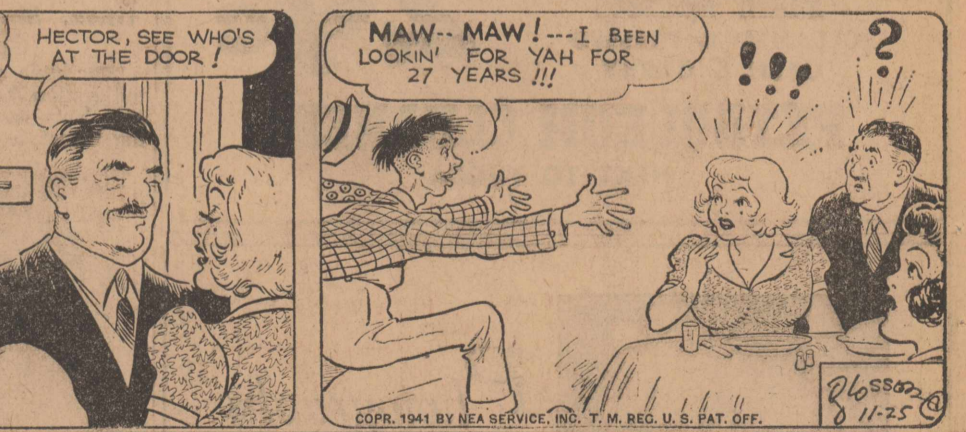
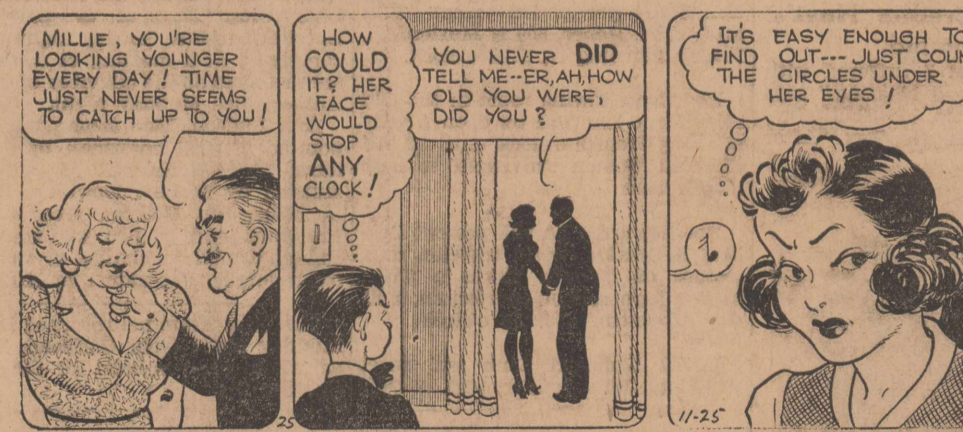
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FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By MERRILL BLOSSER



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Good Things to Eat 4

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Lost and Found 7

LOST gold bar pin made from 32nd Masonic ring, diamond in center. Reward, 602 S. Main, phone 1275. (222-3)

LOST: Ladies coin purse and small coin purse; black and blue; containing money and other valuables. Liberal reward will be paid. Notify Reporter-Telegram. (222-6)

STOLEN: Bicycle, from 107 West Louisiana. If returned, no questions asked. Call 1390-J for reward. (223-3)

LOST: Boston screw-tail male dog; Reward, Phone 490-W. (224-1)

BROWN leather zipper bill fold. Had Social Security card. Lucky 13 burned inscription. Call 685-W. (224-3)

Help Wanted 9

WANTED: Two sales ladies for outside soliciting. Good offer. Permanent position. See Mr. Gary, 116 South Lorraine. (222-3)

WANTED: White woman for house work. Living quarters furnished. Phone 430. (222-3)

WANTED: Experienced beauty operator; salary; commission. North Grant Beauty Shop, Odessa. (222-3)

RENTALS

BEDROOM 12

2 bedrooms, 300 N. Baird. (224-1)

CHOICE southeast bedroom; adjoining bath for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 1306 W. Ohio, phone 559-J. (222-3)

GARAGE bedroom for one or two men. 907 West Louisiana. Phone 495. (222-3)

TWO bedrooms; 3 blocks Petroleum Building, 311 West Tennessee. (222-2)

FRONT bedroom; adjoining bath; private entrance. Gentlemen. 1800 West Texas. Phone 1856. (222-3)

Furnished Apartments 14

FURNISHED 2-room apartment. Inquire 407 W. Mo. (224-1)

4-room furnished apartment. Newly decorated. 4 blocks from town. 521 W. Wall. Phone 291. (224-1)

FOR SALE

Household Goods 22
FOR SALE: Used Frigidaires—See Bill Green, Household Supply Co. (219-6)

CREAM separator for sale. Mrs. Scruggs, 111 W. Ohio. (222-3)

Livestock and Poultry 34

FOR SALE: Gentle pony. Will bring colt in spring. Call J. P. Butler. (223-3)

GOOD 2-year-old heifer. 1/2 Jersey and 1/2 roan. See Ferris, A. & L. Lumber. (224-1)

Wanted To Buy 26

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Questions on Page 2

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2. There are 33 ciphers in one deccilion. There would be 31 ciphers if 22 million were added, as figure "22" would take the place of two of the ciphers.

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West Texas Cities Study Sect Problem

FORT WORTH (AP)—Steps to be taken by four West Texas cities in connection with the distribution of literature by Jehovah's witnesses will be decided at a meeting in the next few days.

L. R. Pearson, city attorney at Ranger, said officials from Ranger, Comanche, Coleman and Dublin will determine whether to appeal from an injunction restraining the cities from interfering with activities of the religious sect. The injunction was issued by U. S. District Judge James C. Wilson.

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• SERIAL STORY

LADY BY REQUEST

BY HELEN R. WOODWARD

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THE STORY: Pretty, fiery Diana Tucker's farmer father has given his consent to her marrying Stephen Curt, famous writer and commentator, even though he knows that it is a temporary marriage that will pay Diana \$10,000—her remuneration for saving for Stephen a \$2,000,000 inheritance he will lose if he does not marry before he is 35. Diana accepts the offer for two reasons: Stephen has told her the woman he loves is married to another man; she does not want to go back to the farm and marry childhood sweetheart Bill Jackson, and has lost her job in a law office in the city because she resisted the advances of her boss, Thorpe, her employer. Too, she likes Stephen's stepmother, Ellen Curt. A temporary six months' marriage—how will it work out for the beautiful, excitement-seeking girl?

DIANA MEETS PHIL

CHAPTER VIII

TWO days later Diana and Stephen were married. They had planned it all on the trip back up to the city. He insisted on taking her to the Clarendon, rather than back to her rooming house.

"You'll be more comfortable," he said. He gave her a generous check "for expenses" and said, "We'll call it an advance if you like," when Diana protested.

She had never had so much money of her own in her life. Five hundred dollars! She would have laughed if she'd known that Stephen feared it might not be enough, but was diffident about offering her more. The hotel room with its shining bath was the last word in luxury. She put herself in the hands of the hotel beauty experts and emerged with her red-gold hair done in a new, slightly more sophisticated manner as would be becoming to the wife of Stephen Curt. A pompadour in front with soft curls behind in the Gibson girl manner. Then she went shopping for a wedding outfit.

She finally decided on a Como blue coat in needle-point fabric, very slim and elegant, with a full-length banding of tipped skunk. A simple blue shirt-waist frock, beautiful accessories in a deeper blue. The kind of things she had always longed to buy. She also found a black dress in cheery woolen with a softly-draped, criss-crossing bodice. Filmy underwear, hose and cosmetics.

On their wedding morning a bleak wind blew steadily and sudden furies of wet snow fell at intervals. Dressing, Diana reflected that if the old saying "happy is the bride the sun shines on" were true, there were indeed

stormy days ahead for her and Stephen Curt.

She knew she looked dashingly beautiful in her new outfit and that helped. She wished suddenly for her mother and father, but it had been agreed to keep the wedding quiet. Stephen was not even bringing his sister, Adela, and old Ellen Curt was not coming. Stephen had asked a friend—one whom he could trust.

They were waiting for her in the lobby when she went down—Stephen and his friend, Philip Bruce. They'd been boyhood chums, college mates and were closer than brothers.

They whisked her out to a taxi and soon reached the city hall. Stephen had made all arrangements and Judge Cavendish was waiting for them, but Phil dashed away and they had to wait for him. He came presently carrying a small florist's box.

"I had to see the bride before I knew what flowers to buy," he said.

"Damn!" said Stephen crossly. "I never even thought of it. Forgive me, Diana."

"Oh, well, you've never been married before," said Phil airily, throwing tissue paper right and left. "Now at my last wedding—"

He broke off, having brought into view a tiny, adorable, old-fashioned bouquet, lace-trimmed. Roses and valley lilies and myrtle. Sentimental and silly and very lovely. Like a dear, remembered valentine from childhood.

"Nothing garish or flamboyant for you, darling," he said, "something sweet and dainty and lovable!" His brown eyes met hers as he placed the flowers in her hands. She thanked him, a lump in her throat which she strove valiantly to swallow.

"Well, let's get going," said Stephen a little brusquely.

The ceremony was simple and soon over. Diana, listening to those matchlessly beautiful words, trembled a little. People should be punished for making a mockery of them. Would she be punished?

HE was in love with another woman. He wouldn't mind having Diana about, they'd be friends, but he wouldn't feel badly

at parting. She saw herself through the years, going to Stephen for advice, still being friends. When she went into her little business, he'd help her get started.

It wouldn't be like that with Phil Bruce. It wouldn't be safe to marry him for convenience. You could tell that by looking into his deep, ardent eyes.

Phil took them to the Savola for a wedding luncheon. Diana laughed a lot and talked a little feverishly. Stephen remembered once thinking she'd be like a child when she was happy. She was happy now and very much excited. Her face was exquisitely flushed and Phil Bruce could not take his eyes off her. Stephen saw that, too. What a couple they'd make, he was thinking—youth, gay and warmly ardent. But Diana was his, Stephen's wife for a time at least. She'd have to remember that. Even Phil Bruce mustn't interfere.

He rose when they had finished luncheon and took Diana firmly by the arm, bundled her into her coat, led her gently from the room, Phil trailing behind.

"Now you run along," Stephen said to Phil. "Your part of the ceremony is over. We'll be seeing you."

Diana barely had time to call, "Thanks for everything!" before Stephen whisked her away.

"Where do we go from here?" she demanded, a little giddily.

"I'm taking you home," he said. "I want you to get settled and meet my sister, Adela." Inside the cab he turned to her. "I could see that you and Phil were attracted to each other. That will be all right—after the divorce, I'll give you both my blessing. But I must remind you that while we are married you must to all appearances be truly my wife."

Diana sat back with a sudden swift jolt. Anger flashed into her eyes. "Don't be absurd! You know I only met the man this morning!"

"I know Phil," Stephen said dryly. "He's always going off the deep end about some woman. Just keep him in his place!"

"Thanks—for the warning," she said stiffly, humiliated. Was he protecting his friend, or her?

"You needn't worry about me," she said fiercely. "I'll remember that I'm being paid for this!"

There it was—that flashing fire that had so appealed to him. Amusement tugged at the corners of his lips. Poor kid—he mustn't make it hard for her. And ruefully he admitted to himself that he had been sounding exactly like a jealous husband.

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Morton County Has Achievement Tour

Members of the Business and Professional Women's Club held a business and program meeting in the private dining room of Hotel Scharbauer, Monday night.

Mrs. Colista Christian presented the program, reading a paper dealing with international relations and the conditions in Central American countries as well as proposed plans for world relations.

Miss Maria Spencer reported on addresses at the district convention in Big Spring and Mrs. D. R. Carter reported on the social side of the meetings.

Pursuant to the policy of the state and national organization, the Midland club went on record as favoring the nomination of a woman to the school board and a committee was appointed.

Fourteen members, including one new member, Mrs. Fred Fromhold, were present.

Martin County To Face Emergency

STANTON (Special)—The first county-wide achievement tour of the home demonstration clubs of Martin County was made, with some 16 people making the visits. The following demonstrations were visited: Mrs. Jimmie Hilger's kitchen; Mrs. M. L. Koonce, poultry; of Leonard, whole demonstration of Mrs. Otis Davidson, Stanton; and the bedrooms of Virginia and Ruby Atchison, Stanton senior club.

Mrs. Hilger's improved kitchen showed outstanding achievement as to beauty, convenience and efficiency. Included in the built-in cabinet was storage for canned products.

A brief review was given by Mrs. Koonce of her experience with poultry, including the sale of eggs and chickens, from her some 300 hens, showing that poultry raising can be made a profitable line. The Koonces are preparing to replace their present chicken houses with more adequate and more modern ones as soon as the cotton harvest is over.

Mrs. Davidson's small kitchen has been made modern, she building the cabinet herself. The color scheme, blue and white, used throughout the kitchen has a pleasing effect. She has installed running water.

The Atchison girls' bedrooms showed efficiency in arrangement and proved what energetic and hard working young people can do.

Personals

Douglas Terry, injured in a motorcycle accident several days ago, left Ryan Hospital Monday.

Lloyd Houston is a medical patient in Ryan Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Busby have returned from a trip to Ardmore, Okla., where they spent Thanksgiving holidays.

Miss Inez Choate has returned from a Thanksgiving visit with her parents at Naacodoches, Texas.

Mrs. J. M. Reising left Saturday for Sagerton, Texas. She accompanied her sisters, Mrs. B. Hess of Sagerton, and Mrs. S. J. Hanger of Anadarko, Okla., who had been visiting her here.

James Williams was dismissed Monday afternoon from Western Clinic Hospital.

Visiting Carlsbad Cavern Sunday was a group from Midland including: Polly and Percelene Pattison, Sgt. W. C. Woffler, Sgt. B. Adams, Jack Pattison, and Gus Gustafson

SINCLAIR-PRAIRIE GEOLOGIST VISITS DISTRICT OFFICE
 H. Smith Clark, division geologist at Fort Worth for Sinclair-Prairie Oil Company, is here visiting the Midland district offices of the firm.

District Executive Committee Rules Wilkinson, Odessa Player, Eligible; Sweetwater Questions Back's Status

By Tanner Laine
 Jack Wilkinson, Odessa high school halfback, was declared eligible by District 3-AA's executive committee in a called meeting Monday night at Big Spring. The ballot was 4 to 2.

No formal protest of Wilkinson was entered. The meeting was called at the request of Odessa to determine the eligibility of the player, who has participated in all conference games for Odessa this season.

Sweetwater representatives, although not formally protesting Wilkinson, said Odessa had used an ineligible man.

Odessa and Sweetwater representatives did not vote. Infraction of the participation and transfer rule was claimed in the case.

Representatives of 3-AA schools voting were: George A. Heath, Midland; Bryan Dickson, San Angelo; L. E. Dudley, Abilene; V. Z. Rodgers, Lamesa; J. E. Watson, Colorado City, and W. C. Blankenship, Big Spring. Murry Fly represented Odessa, and Ross Covey, Sweetwater. All are superintendents.

To Vote Later On Champ

The point in question narrowed to Wilkinson's participation in athletics at Annon Carter Riverside high school in Fort Worth. Taylor Rushing, Odessa principal, and Fly, superintendent, introduced as evidence a letter from R. W. Records, principal of the Riverside school, a combination junior-senior high setup, stating Wilkinson did not represent Riverside high school in athletics. The missive was dated in September. They said the boy was played in games for Odessa with no knowledge of a rule infraction.

Sweetwater, represented by Covey, introduced evidence from Riverside that Wilkinson played football for the Riverside junior high team. He contended Wilkinson represented the school in the eighth grade as an athlete, that the school was then an 11-grade system and such participation made him ineligible at Odessa under the transfer and participation rule.

Coach Joe Coleman, Odessa, and

Larry Priddy, Sweetwater spoke briefly.

Newsmen, coaches, superintendents, principals, and others from the member schools and cities attended. A proposal by Heath that a meeting to determine a district champion, should Odessa and Sweetwater end the season in a tie, be held after the close of the season was accepted.

Blankenship, chairman, will call the meeting.

Attending from Midland were Heath; Frank Monroe, principal; Earle Clark, coach; and Tanner Laine.

Minnesota Holds Wide Margin In Football Ratings

By Bill Boni
 NEW YORK (AP)—Minnesota's Golden Gophers, unbeaten and untied—and unbeatable, since their season is over—ride high again in first place in the Associated Press football ranking poll.

Winners of 17 straight games and their second successive Western Conference championship, Bernie Bierman's boys were made first choice by 95 out of 115 sports experts throughout the country. Sixteen writers ranked the Gophers second, three listed them in third place and one rated them fifth, for a total of 1,124 points out of a possible 1,150.

With one more poll to go, Minnesota appears a good bet to retain its 1940 No. 1 ranking when the final votes are counted next week.

The Gophers' only serious rivals are two more of the country's four major all-winning teams—Texas A. & M., which still must protect that record against Texas in Thursday's climatic Southwest Conference engagement and against Washington State December 6, and Duke, the Southern Conference powerhouse which, like Minnesota, has completed its regular schedule.

Duquesne Moves Up

The Aggies, given only two first-place votes to Duke's 15, got 41 votes for second and 40 for third in accumulating 922 points. Duke was only 10 points behind in third place. Notre Dame, unbeaten, but tied by Army, also retained the fourth position it was voted a week ago. The Irish got two votes for first and 778 points, on a basis of 10 for first, nine for second eight for third, etc.

Unbeaten and untied Duquesne moved up a notch to fifth, changing places with Michigan. The Wolverines, though tied with Ohio State in their game last Saturday and also in the final Western Conference standings, considerably out-distanced the Buckeyes in the poll, which gave Ohio State only 71 points and 15th place.

The rest of the first 10 consisted of Missouri, the Big Six champion, moved up from eighth; Fordham, back in the charming circle on its walloping of St. Mary's; Northwestern, probably the best 1941 football team that lost three games, and Texas. Outside of Texas, all of these except Fordham have finished their seasons. The Rams play badly-battered New York U. on Saturday.

Coach Joe Coleman, Odessa, and

Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton Jr.
 NEW YORK (The Special News Service)—Now that baseball men are about ready to start to Jacksonville, Fla., for the minor league meetings and a little warm sunshine, more and more "y p o trades" are appearing in the papers. The scribes apparently have given up on selling Hank Greenberg for the Tigers and are trading Rudy York instead. Another report is that the Browns may peddle Chet Laabs to the Senators.

Most complicated story says the Phils are ready to send Bobby Bragan to the Giants providing a trade be arranged to get them Claude Corbitt, Jack Graham, Ed Head and Al Sherer, Brooklyn's best quartet of farmhands, in exchange for Danny Littwiler. . . . Ted Williams tells friends he doesn't blame the sports writers for picking Joe DiMaggio as the most valuable player because "he did a man-sized job." . . . He adds he will make 'em pick Williams next season.



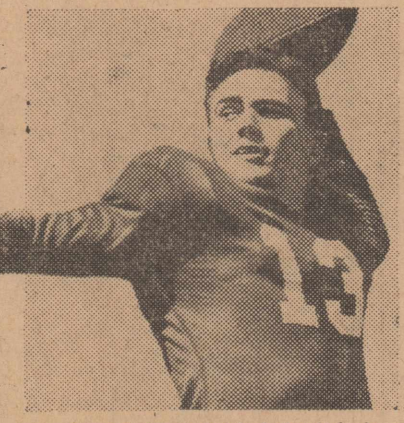
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NEA Names Moser Halfback On On 1941 All-America Grid Team

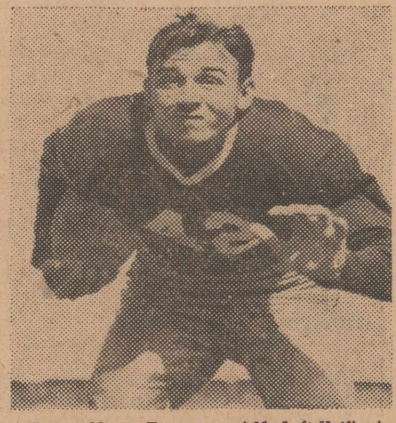
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John Rokisky, Duquesne Right End



Frank C. Albert, Stanford, Quarterback



Derace Moser, Texas A. and M., Left Halfback



Richard Willding, Minnesota Right Tackle



Endicott Peabody, II, Harvard Left Guard

No Coaching, Coach

Steve Owen tells this on himself: In Sunday's Giants-Redskins game he noticed that Hank Soar was turning around frequently to look at the clock. Steve was afraid Sammy Baugh would pitch a pass right at Hank's head, so he yelled, "stop watching that clock and keep your eye on the ball." Soar didn't even look around to see who was hollering. He just called back, "don't bother me—I'm busy."

Today's Guest Star

Ken Alyta, Waterbury (Conn.) Republican: "The Texas A&M schedule this fall looks like a plate of alphabet soup with Texas A&I, NYU, TCU, and SMU having been vanquished to date. No truth to the report that the players are on WPA however."

Grid Club Takes Drill On Field Before Contest

Midland was practically at full strength Monday in its initial field workout of the week for the Colorado City game here Thursday.

Bill Richards, who missed the Odessa battle because of an ankle injury, and John Guy McMillian, who has been ill several weeks, returned to the squad.

With all hands on deck, the coaches ordered offensive maneuvers the first part of the drill, including some new plays and brushing up on old ones. For the last half the squad was segregated, Dow working the linemen and Clark the backs and ends.

Dow directed two-on-one blocking and Gene Estes, J. B. Harris, Ben Sevier, Pete Lee, L. C. Hobbs, Lefty Leftwich, Bill Wallace and Red Roy mixed it up with some good blocks.

Clark had a passing drill with Richards and Robert Wheeler throwing them. Catching were Wilford Lester, Docie Foster, Junior Bird, Bill Stickney, Ivan Hall, Charlie Kelly, McMillian, Tom Tisdale, Jimmy Watson, Cooper Daugherty, Marshall Whitmire, and Buddy Davidson.

Another long session was scheduled Tuesday, perhaps the last hard drill before the game.

Basketball Coach Receives Uniforms

More uniforms and equipment were received Monday as Coach Dewey Johnson prepared to start the basketball season for the Midland high school.

Official drills start Dec. 1. New warmup suits were unpacked Monday.

rooted in the victories which have been won over the disease. But the fight against tuberculosis is not yet won. We must continue to give our full support to the National Tuberculosis Association and its 1,700 affiliated organizations."



Ray Frankowski, Washington Right Guard

By Hairy Grayson
 NEA Service Sports Editor

NEW YORK.—Results are in. The votes have been counted, so hall the All-America team of 1941.

With the aid of coaches scouts, officials and football writers, NEA Service offers a first team without a weakness and second and third teams hardly a step behind.

Each team has intelligence, speed, size, versatility, resourcefulness and dependability. Each can pass, run and kick, block and tackle.

Out of an avalanche of recommendations, these stalwart marked men who stood up under all conditions are honored with coveted places on the first team:

Backs: Stephen J. Lach of Duke, Robert B. Westfall of Michigan, Frank C. Albert of Stanford and Derace Moser of Texas A&M.

Ends: Robert L. Dove of Notre Dame and John Rokisky of Duquesne.

Tackles: Ernest Blandin of Tulane and Richard Willding of Minnesota.

Guards: Endicott Peabody II of Harvard and Roy Frankowski of Washington.

Center: Darold Jenkins of Missouri.

Always Dissenting Votes

There will be dissenting votes, of course. There always are when the line that separates men of All-America caliber is drawn.

It is a shame to leave Bruce Smith of Minnesota and Bill Dudley, Virginia's 19-year-old tailback, off the first team.

Smith, remarkable as a junior, this fall as a senior threw the pass that beat Michigan, among other things, but that was his last act because of a knee injury, and Minnesota went on without him. An All-America player has to go all the way.

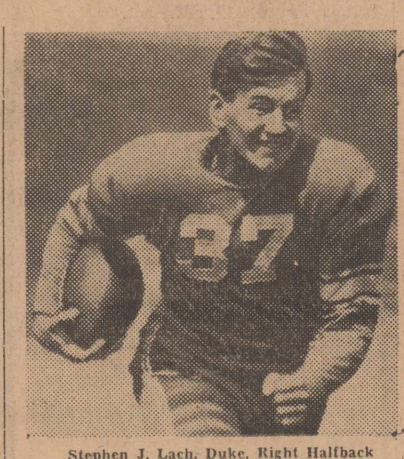
Dudley was undoubtedly a great runner and sidarm passer, but the opposition wasn't what it might have been. More than one critic picked flaws in Dudley's defensive ability. As outstanding as he was, there was too much support for Steve Lach, Bob Westfall, Frankie Albert and Mose Moser to give the contributing Cavalier a top berth.

Second Team—

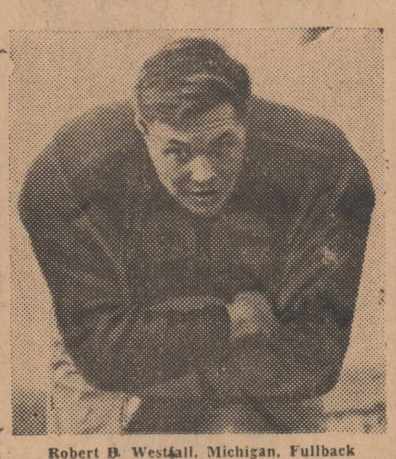
Holt Rest, Alabama; Robert Reinhard, California; Ralph Pife, Pittsburgh; Vincent Banonis, Detroit; Bernard Crimmins, Notre Dame; Alfred Baumann, Northwestern; James Sterling, Texas A&M; Jack Crain, Texas; William Dudley, Virginia; Bruce Smith, Minnesota; Berle Mapes, Mississippi.

Third Team—

Robert Mott, Northwestern; Floyd Spenlove, Utah; Richard Pfister, Harvard; Albert Demao, Duquesne; William Chewning, Navy; Allyn Beals, Santa Clara; James Nelson, Alabama.



Stephen J. Lach, Duke, Right Halfback



Robert B. Westfall, Michigan, Fullback

William Sewell, Wash. State; b; Frank Sinkwich, Georgia; John Griggs, Holy Cross; b.

Honorable Mention

Ends: MacKinney, Harvard; Lansing, Fordham; Blalock, Clemson; Wanggaard, Navy; Fitch, Minnesota; Schreiner, Wisconsin; Henderson, Texas A&M; Russell, Baylor; Younglove, Washington; Susoeff, Washington State.

Tackles: Stenni, Villanova; Makofski, Columbia; Karmazin, Duke; Walker, Iowa; Wistert, Michigan; Daniel, Ohio State; Wallach, Missouri; Ruby, Texas A&M; Conley, Washington.

Guards: Brechka, Pennsylvania; Krivonik, South Carolina; Koleas, Michigan; Pukema, Minnesota; Taylor, Stanford.

Centers: Evans, Army; Gude, Vanderbilt; Ingalls, Michigan; Arena, Michigan State; Zimba, Notre Dame; Tavener, Indiana; Lindskog, Stanford.

Backs: Mazur, Army; Busik, Navy; Holovac, Boston College; Utz, Rutgers; Buffalino, Cornell; Margarity, Brown; Odell, Pennsylvania; Governall, Columbia; Blumenstein, and Filipowicz, Fordham; Peters, Princeton; Smaltz, Penn State; Jones, Pittsburgh; Dunkle, North Carolina; Clifers and Butler, Tennessee; Hovious, Mississippi; Evans and Bertilli, Notre Dame; Daley, Minnesota; deCorrevont and Grannan, Northwestern; Graf, Ohio State; Kuzma, Michigan; Harder, Wisconsin; Petty, Purdue; Hillenbrand, Indiana; Steuben and Wade, Missouri; Weber, St. Louis; Schwenk, Washington (St. Louis); Richardson, Marquette; Jacobs, Oklahoma; McClung, Colorado; Specior, Utah; Moe, Colorado Mines; Dent, Colorado State; Layden, Texas; Nix, Texas Christian; Wilson, Baylor; Kmetowic, Stanford; Durdan and Dehman, Oregon State; Mecliam and Roblin, Oregon; Casanega, Santa Clara.

Ryan Member Of Culver Team

CULVER, Ind. (Special)—William E. Ryan, Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. W. E. Ryan of Midland, Texas, is on the squad of the Culver Military Academy varsity polo team.

The 26-member team is practicing daily for its opening contest here Nov. 29 against the Butterfield polo aggregation from Chicago. Last year the Chicago team spoiled the seven-game win record of the cadets.

On Dec. 6, Kenyon College, Gambier, O. will bring their riders to the Academy for a jumping meet and polo game.

The Tenseness of these times calls for more music. Radios—Victrolas—Records, Western Auto Associate Store. (Adv.)

Nevada Claims Railroad Hand

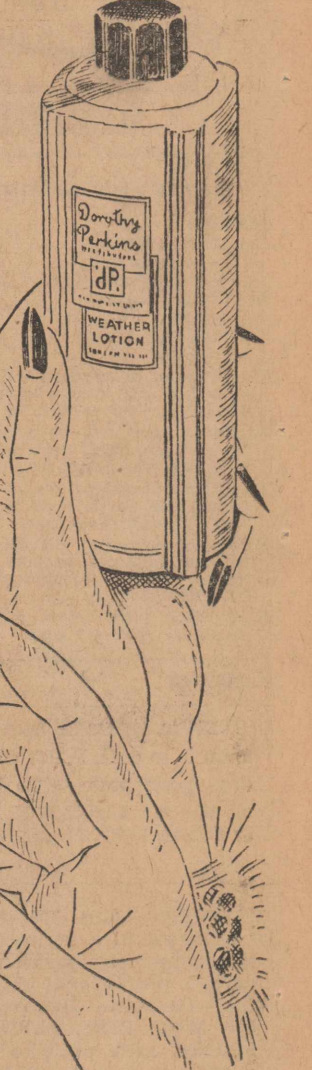
SUSANVILLE, Calif. (AP)—Clarence J. Alexander, 24-year-old railroad section hand, waived extradition to Nevada Tuesday on his confession of wrecking the streamline train "City of San Francisco" in 1939 to steal from passengers in the confusion.

Sheriff Olin S. Johnson notified Nevada authorities they would come and get the Cleo Springs, Okla., youth who was arrested here Friday for a traffic violation.

The sheriff said he was convinced Alexander caused the night-time wreck which killed 24 persons and injured 108 near Harney, Nev., on Aug. 12, 1939.

Alexander led a party of investigators to the wrecking checked with the known facts, Johnson said.

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Aggies Practice In Secrecy For Texas Longhorns

By The Associated Press

The secretive Texas Aggies are drilling behind locked gates for their battle with the University of Texas Longhorns Thursday.

Good spirits prevailed the cadet camp, where Coach Homer Norton doled out exercise in the form of pass offense and defense Monday that's all the college publicity office would say.

The Arkansas Razorbacks, making ready for Thursday's game with Tulsa, looked impressive on passing, but may have to go into the contest without End Clayton Wynne, who sprained an ankle in the Mississippi fray.

For the first time since Texas Christian played Indiana, eight seniors are likely to be in the Frog starting lineup when they face Southern Methodist. Among those returning to the fold are Kyle Gillespie and Frank Kring. Darrell Palmer, left tackle, broke a thumb in the Rice fracas.

Rice Eleven In Good Shape

News from Baylor, where the cripples generally around was that only Bill Coleman, speedy back, will be out of the Rice tilt. He suffered a shoulder injury in the Southern Methodist melee.

The Rice Owls came out of their scoreless tie with Texas Christian without physical misfortunes.

Kelly Simpson, Southern Methodist end, re-injured a lame ankle in the Baylor embroglio. Otherwise the Mustangs were in good shape, save for minor bruises.

All the Texas Longhorns will be in working trim for the Aggie joust except Jack Crain, who was a doubtful starter because of a pulled leg muscle.

Mackey Motors To Enter Sweepstakes

Mackey Motors bowling team will enter sweepstakes contests at Sweetwater Sunday. A week from Sunday Midland will be host to the four-city travel league.

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