

# Ask 33,000 More Army Planes

## Jap Army Strikes Toward Australia

### Big Dutch Bombers Lash Mikado's Troops

### Critical Hours Again At Hand In Battles Of Malaya And Burma; News Dark From Most Pacific War Fronts

By Roger D. Greene  
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Japan's march of conquest struck directly toward Australia Friday as sea-borne Japanese troops landed in New Guinea, the Solomon Islands and probably New Britain in a sweep jeopardizing not only the land "down under" but also United States routes to the Pacific war zone.

At its nearest point, New Guinea is only 100 miles across the Torres Strait from Cape York, northernmost tip of Australia.

In general, the news was dark from all fronts in the far Pacific conflict relieved only by word from Washington that the United States was beginning to pour a stream of reinforcements into what has been, until now, a lopsided struggle.

Critical hours again were at hand in the battles of Malaya and Burma. Score 12 Hits.

Dutch heavy bombers and fighters lashed out at the Mikado's invasion hordes swarming into the South Sea Islands, scoring 12 direct hits on eight Japanese warships and transports in the Strait of Macassar, between Dutch Borneo and Celebes Island.

Military strategists emphasized the triple menace of Japan's newest thrusts: 1. The war has been brought to territory within easy striking distance of Australia.

2. Japan has forged a new link in her chain of bases stretching south and east for 2,500 miles from Tokyo to the Solomon Islands.

3. The United Nations' supply lines to the Dutch East Indies, Singapore, Burma and China have been sharply endangered.

From bases in New Guinea and in the 750-mile-long Solomon chain to the east, Japan may now command the vital Torres Strait between Australia and New Guinea and force Allied shipping into a 3,000-mile detour south of the Australian mainland.

**Blackout Australia**  
In swift alarm, Australia ordered blackouts in all cities, militia units were equipped with full battle dress, and the Commonwealth war cabinet was called in emergency session. Urgent new appeals were sent to Washington and London stressing the need for reinforcements.

The locale of the Japanese landing in New Guinea was not given, but presumably the invaders put ashore near off-bombed Madang, on the northeast coast, 450 miles airline from Cape York, Australia, and 1,200 miles from Australia's great Port Darwin naval base.

Deputy Prime Minister Francis Forde, warning that "we must realize the gravity of the situation," said it was assumed that the Japanese had also landed at Rabaul, New Britain Island, where the British garrison had withdrawn after firing and dynamiting dock installations at the approach of a Japanese flotilla of 11 ships late Thursday.

Subsequently, Forde announced the only confirmed landing in the Bismark Archipelago, which includes New Britain, New Ireland and small adjacent isles—was at Keot, 250 miles southeast of Rabaul. **Evacuate Women**

A fleet of commercial airliners, carrying double loads, evacuated 800 women and children from Rabaul in the last few hours before the Japanese.

**Crude Oil Stocks Show Big Increase**

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Bureau of Mines reported Friday stocks of domestic and foreign crude petroleum at the close of the week ended Jan. 17 totaled 247,267,000 barrels, a net increase of 1,903,000 barrels compared with the previous week. Stocks of domestic oil increased 1,610,000 barrels for the week and foreign crude increased 293,000 barrels.

Daily average production for the week was 4,046,000 barrels or a decrease of 183,000 barrels compared with the previous week's level. Runs to stills averaged 3,723,000 barrels daily, compared with 3,891,000 barrels for the preceding week.

Heart Of Singapore, Menaced British Far East Citadel



Photo above shows main section of city of Singapore, where populace works feverishly to bolster defenses against day Japanese besiege that British bastion. The Dutch Rho Archipelago is seen in the distance.

### Heroic Defenders Of Philippines Again Beat Japs

WASHINGTON (AP)—General Douglas MacArthur reported to the War Department Friday the repulse of all Japanese attacks on the Bataan Peninsula in the Philippines which he said had been extremely heavy in the past 24 hours.

The War Department said in a communique that apparently the enemy was making continuous assaults without regard to losses with intent to crush the American-Filipino defenders by sheer force of numbers.

Japanese assault troops have been strongly reinforced, the communique said.

Meanwhile reports from the southern Philippine Island of Mindanao, more than 500 miles south of the struggle on Luzon, were that the Japanese had organized a local military force composed of some 10,000 Japanese residents.

Davao, on Mindanao, is a city populated largely by Japanese, who for years have dominated the production of Manila hemp. Early in the invasion the Japanese made Davao a base of offensive operations against Borneo and other parts of the Netherlands Indies.

**"Pay Your Poll Tax" Is Slogan Of Jaycees**

Sponsorship of a "Pay Your Poll Tax" campaign in Midland during the remainder of this month was voted by members of the Junior Chamber of Commerce at their meeting at the Crawford Hotel Friday. Ray Heath, John Colvin and T. R. Rushing were named as a committee to be in charge of the campaign.

Langdon C. Tennis, chairman of the President's Birthday Ball, to be held Jan. 29, reported on the sale of tickets and advertising to date and urged Jaycees to sell all the tickets possible. Tickets previously had been distributed among Jaycee members.

### WAR BULLETINS

**RANGOON, Burma.**—(AP)—American and British fliers smashed mass air raids by more than 60 Japanese planes on the Rangoon area Friday and shot down about one-third of the attacking force.

**NEW YORK.**—(AP)—The British radio relayed Friday a report that Chinese guerrillas had crossed the Yellow Sea and stormed Japanese Naval headquarters on Yoko Island, off the coast of Korea. CBS recorded the BBC broadcast. The China central news agency reports that more than 300 Japanese were killed.

**LONDON.**—(AP)—Advancing behind the curtain of a blinding snow storm, Red Army units Friday were reported to have launched a surprise attack on German positions in the 40-mile sector between Novgorod and the Moscow-Leningrad railway in a drive to flank the Leningrad besiegers.

**CAIRO.**—(AP)—Gen. Erwin Rommel's mechanized desert army, apparently making a desperate new bid for Axis reconquest of Eastern Libya, has recaptured Agedabia in a thrust 90 miles northeast of El Aghaila where Axis forces made their stand, the British announced officially Friday.

**LONDON.**—(AP)—Eleven persons, nine of them women or girls were killed and others wounded and missing in a day light raid Friday by a single German bomber on a town in East Anglia.

### Japanese Offer Peace To China

**TOKYO.** (Official Broadcast Recorded by AP)—Addressing parliament Friday afternoon, Premier General Hideki Tojo reiterated Japanese willingness to accept any Chungking overtures for peaceful reconciliation if that regime changes its attitude.

He declared that although Japan has been fighting Chungking for five years she still regards China as a sister nation and has not changed her mind about receiving Chungking with open arms if she only rectifies her mistaken ideas.

"Japan is chastising a spoiled child who was pampered by Anglo-America," the Premier stated.

He asserted that past faults in China would vanish with the disappearance of Anglo-American influence.

**LONDON.** (AP)—Dr. V. K. Wellington Koo, Chinese ambassador to London, told a press conference Friday he doubted "very much" the annual banquet of the senior chamber of commerce Tuesday night.

### Fullerton Well Reported Headed For Ordovician

Reliable reports Friday from Fullerton Oil Company No. 1 H. M. Wilson, Northwestern Andrews County deep well, were that it will be carried to the Ordovician after fulfilling contract requirement of a depth of 3,000 feet. The well has reached 7,979 feet in hard lime formation and is drilling ahead. It indicated opening of the county's first deep pool when it flowed an estimated 30 to 40 barrels of oil per hour on drillstem test of lower Permian section from 7,222 to 7,324 feet. Sulphur water showed up on drillstem tests taken at deeper points. The discovery is in section 15, block A-32, public school land, eight miles northwest of Shafter Lake.

In Southwestern Andrews, Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-A University-Andrews is drilling below 3,792 feet in anhydrite. It is headed for 8,500 feet unless Ordovician production is picked up at a lesser depth.

Texas Pacific Coal & Oil Company No. 1 Miller-Looney, wildcat in Southwestern Borden County, failed to shut off upper sulphur water by mudding 7-inch pipe at 3,234 feet and has resumed underreaming. Present depth is 3,845 feet in lime. **Pecos Ordovician**

Magnolia Petroleum Company has completed a brace of new producers in the Abell field, Northwestern Pecos County. The larger, producing from McKee sand in the Simpson, middle Ordovician, is the No. 2 C. W. Francisco, which rated daily flow of 843.28 barrels of 45.7-gravity oil, with gas-oil ratio of 894-1. It topped pay at 5,071 feet and is bottomed at 5,088.

Producing from the lower Permian zone in the Abell field, Magnolia No. 1 State-Erickson pumped 79.75 barrels of 35.3-gravity oil per day with gas-oil ratio of 1,235-1. It topped pay at 3,850 feet, is bottomed at 3,960 and was acidized with 2,000 gallons.

A one-mile southeast extension field in the Ordovician sector of the field, Magnolia No. 1 State-Loar, is drilling at 2,800 feet in lime.

Gulf Oil Corporation and L. H. Wanta No. 2 L. H. Miller et al., opening Ellenburger, lower Ordovician, production in Northwestern Pecos' Girvin area, recovered 18 feet by coring from 4,459-79 feet. Top five feet were slightly stained sand and the bottom 13 feet schistose material. The well now is shut.

**SEATTLE.**—(AP)—The King County coroner's office reported that Adolph Schacht, Chicago White Sox Baseball Club trainer, died in a doctor's office Friday shortly after collapsing on Alki Beach as he prepared to go fishing.

### Asks \$12,525,872,474 For "Knockout Blow"

### Arnold Says Program Is Necessary To Build Up Air Force For Both United States And Its Allies

WASHINGTON (AP)—An unprecedented \$12,525,872,474 appropriation for 33,000 new war planes was approved by the House with little debate Friday and sent to the Senate.

WASHINGTON (AP)—An urgent request by Army officials for a \$12,525,872,474 appropriation to construct 33,000 planes in preparation for "our offensive knockout blow" was sent to the House Friday—and speedy approval was expected.

Lieutenant General H. H. Arnold, deputy chief of staff for air, said the program was necessary to build up an air force both for the United States and its Allies, and told the House Appropriations Committee:

"We are not only accelerating the attainment of our original state of preparedness, but we also are conducting combat operations and must concurrently build toward our offensive knockout blow, x x x.

"Now, by decisive action we must counteract the time advantage of the enemy, x x x it is considered essential that funds for this program be made available at the earliest possible date in order that the present facilities may prepare for further production and that the new facilities may be expected."

**Arnold Explains Plan**  
Testimony by Arnold and other officials, made public Friday, showed that \$7,144,056,340 of the fund—the largest single military appropriation in the history of Congress—would go for complete airplanes.

Another \$1,547,948,529 has been allocated for armament, aircraft cannon, small arms ammunition, bombs and pyrotechnics.

Spare engines and parts will require almost \$1,900,000,000, and few facilities to expedite production of the planes will take another \$933,000,000. About \$1,000,000,000 will be spent on supplies of the Signal Corps and Chemical Warfare Service.

**Ask Speedy Action**  
In recommending speedy House action, the appropriations committee made it clear that the program was a "preliminary step" toward President Roosevelt's goal of 60,000 planes this year and 125,000 in 1943, and that still more huge sums of money would have to be allocated.

The committee said in a report on the measure:

"The funds in this bill will prevent a decline that would occur next August in airplane production due to the fact that existing orders would run out by that time, will fill up new capacity heretofore appropriated for 1942, will be in production by that time, and increase the capacity for the production of bomber types."

Noting that there had been "great increases" in the unit cost of planes and plane parts, the committee recommended that the War Department give close attention to the problem of preventing further price rises.

"The financial burden on the program on the American people is oppressive and will become more so and every dollar saved means a dollar less to be borrowed or extracted by taxation," the committee asserted.

**Part Of PDR Program**  
At the same time, the report said that the big appropriation was a part of the \$58,000,000,000 war expenditure program for 1943 outlined by President Roosevelt in his budget message to Congress early this month.

"This program, supplemented by those that are to follow, also involves the greatest dislocation, readjustment and conversion of industrial production that the nation has ever experienced," the committee asserted.

**Jury Lists For Next Court Term Are Announced**

Midland County's district court will convene February 16, with Judge Cecil C. Collins presiding. Jury lists follow.

Grand Jurors: Geo. T. Abell, H. G. Bedford, T. E. Bizzell, Prentice F. Brown, Cary P. Butcher, E. O. Conner, J. L. Crump, D. Davis, Drew A. Dunn, H. A. Gossett, J. L. Greene, E. V. Guffey, J. Howard Hodge, M. F. King, R. V. Lawrence, Paul McHargue, P. J. Mims, J. O. Nobles, J. R. Martin, D. H. Roetger.

### Know Your Army

A United States Technical Sergeant wears Five Chevrons on his left sleeve three pointed upwards, and two curved downward.

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AND IT IS WORSE TO STEAL A MAN'S REPUTATION THAN TO STEAL HIS PURSE: Let him that stole steal no more.—Ephesians 4:28.

## Let's Not Kid Ourselves

Because a 56-year-old man who insisted on boxing with heavyweights, running a quarter-mile in close to a minute, and swimming rivers suddenly dropped dead of a heart attack, some amateur strategists assume that the German high command is falling to pieces.

This is wishful thinking, and it does no good at all to speculate along these lines. Von Reichenau, the German general concerned, may have had no heart trouble before, but he has certainly been flirting with it for a long time if the reports of his athletic exhibitionism are correct. After grueling military campaigns in which has been under great strain continually, he falls dead. So what? As to his own internal conditions it proves something or other. As to the internal condition of Germany it proves nothing.

Mussolini is a vain, fat, baldheaded man of 59, who also loves to go around thumping on his bare chest in emulation of youthful virility. He, too, may well be flirting with the undertaker, but that doesn't prove that Italy is about to break into thirty thousand pieces.

The sooner we stop wishful thinking about how soon the Axis countries are going to fall apart, and get busy tearing them apart, the better it will be for us.

We must fight all the way. It will not do to mark time complacently until 1943 when our legendary volume of production will so astound the Axis partners that they will all simultaneously fall flat on their faces.

We must fight in 1942. We must fight now. We must fight in the Philippines, giving General MacArthur and his admirable fighting men any support we can. We must fight in Malaya, and at Midway Island. We must fight in the Dutch Indies and in Australia. We must get the men and the planes on the scene and fight—now. Fortunately there are signs that it is being done.

It will not do to sit and dream of some overpowering offensive in 1943. If nothing more is done than that, we may wake up and find that the Axis has won the war in 1942.

Germany badly mauled as her eastern army has been in the Russian campaign, is by no means through. No competent military observer doubts that she is able right now to take the offensive in other theaters, and may well be back pounding at the door of Russia in the spring. The British victory in Libya, while magnificent, is inconclusive as long as Tripoli remains in German-Italian-Vichy hands. Japan has not yet lost a trick, and shows no sign whatever of weakness.

This year is not just one long year to sit and wait for 1943. The French tried that on their Maginot Line and regretted it later. This is a year to fight, not to sit open-mouthed waiting for a break in the form of Axis cave-ins.

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## Power And Responsibility—Twins

Miss Perkins, whose cabinet career has come in for considerable criticism, may or may not be the greatest Secretary of Labor since William Nuckles Doak. But in her annual report to Congress she said a mouthful.

Now that organized labor has become "an established American institution," she warned, it must look about it at the other established American institutions which became powerful factors in the national welfare, used that power irresponsibly, lost the confidence of the people, and were then subjected to regulation and control by government.

Nothing is more clearly true than that power and responsibility are Siamese twins. Any effort to exercise either without the other is not only doomed to failure but to amendment by the indignant public which is inevitably the victim.

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## Waste Not . . . Want Not

America has always been a wasteful country. Nature has been so lavish and mass production so prolific that we've had an abundance of everything from crude oil to hair pins. Advertising and attractive prices have encouraged our natural tendency to get something new rather than to patch things up or get along with the old.

Now things are different. Over night, almost, there are shortages. We begin to see dimly for the first time what it would mean to have to make the old thing 'do' much longer than we wish—what it would mean to 'get along' with what we have. We begin to realize that discards tucked away in the attic, or piled up in a shed in the backyard, or even thrown on the village dump heap, have value.

Freedom to waste is among the luxuries we must sacrifice during the war. We've got to begin saving our resources, turning them to the best account for victory. Though we may have to pull in our belts now, in the long run the habit of saving will do us good. Perhaps after the war, when our factories begin turning out all kinds of civilian goods again, we'll make more careful use of our raw materials and have a greater appreciation of manufactured products than we've ever had before.

## MacArthur!



### LIVESTOCK

**FORT WORTH (AP)—(USDA)**—Cattle 900; calves 400. About steady; most slaughter steers and yearlings 8.00-9.50, few low grade lots under 8.00, load heifers 10.00 and two loads good steers 10.50; beef cows 7.00-8.50; canners and cutters 5.00-7.00; bulls 7.00-9.25; fat calves 10.00-11.50; common and medium kind 7.75-9.75; culls 6.50-7.50; good quality stockers scarce.  
Hogs 1.500; steady with Thursday's average; top 11.35; good and choice 180-280 lb 11.25-35; good and choice 160-175 lb 10.50-11.15; packing sows and pigs steady, packing sows 10.00-25; stocker pigs 9.00 down.  
Sheep 700; killing classes steady; medium and good fat lambs 11.00-50; yearlings scarce; fall shorn wethers of mixed ages 6.75; fall shorn ewes 5.50; no good feeders offered; receipts include two decks of lambs expected.

### Toronto Sabotage Attempt Thwarted

**TORONTO (Canadian Press)**—Officials said Friday a widespread effort to sabotage Toronto's fire-fighting facilities in industrial areas had been thwarted with the discovery of 39 damaged hydrants.

### CONVICT WOMAN FOR SLAYING HOUSTON MAN

**LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP)**—Mrs. Annie Beatrice (Tony Jo) Henry, 25, was convicted Friday of the murder in February, 1940, of J. P. Calloway, Houston salesman. The verdict makes the death sentence mandatory.

It was the third time the woman was convicted of the crime. On two other occasions she was granted reversals by the State Supreme Court.

### COTTON GINNINGS TOTAL 10,240,027 BALES

**WASHINGTON (AP)**—The Census Bureau reported Friday that cotton of 1941 growth to Jan. 16 totaled 10,240,027 running bales, counting round as half bales and excluding linter cotton.

Ginnings to that date a year ago totaled 11,930,932 running bales, and two years ago, 11,412,432 running bales.

### ASK SUGAR RATIONING

**NEW YORK (AP)**—The New York State Food Merchants Association has written Price Administrator Leon Henderson asking the immediate rationing of sugar, Secretary A. F. Guckenburger announced Friday.

### GAMBLING SHIP SINKS

**SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP)**—The Star of Scotland, rendezvous of movie stars in the heyday of the offshore gambling trade, capsized and sank Friday off the harbor breakwater, drowning one man.

### South America To Keep American Teapot Boiling

**NEW YORK (AP)**—Before the Pacific war ends, American tea drinkers may be thanking South American scientists who have discovered how to toast Brazil-matte, famous South American tea, so that it closely resembles Chinese green tea. The United States consumes about 10,000 tons of green tea yearly.

Anxiety over eventual higher prices and shortages of Oriental teas has already caused an increase in importation and consumption of Brazil-matte, according to the Brazilian consulate here.

Brazil-matte has been found to contain vitamins A, B-1 and B-3, and C in chemical analysis by the National Matte Institute of Brazil.

### PERSONALS

First Lieut. Haley Aycock, grandson of Mrs. John A. Haley and former Midland resident, passed through Midland Thursday with a convoy of bomber planes. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Connor of Fort Worth, arrived here in time to be with him for a short time. Mrs. Connor remained here for a visit while Mr. Connor returned home by train Thursday night.

Mrs. O. P. Jones of Amarillo is here to spend a month with her daughter, Mrs. Hal C. Peck.

Mrs. D. W. Brunson has returned from Fort Worth. She had been away since before Christmas.

Mrs. Frank Price of Andrews was a visitor in Midland Thursday.

Vann B. Mitchell passed over Midland Thursday en route to Oklahoma City. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Homer Epley.

Mrs. M. R. Shelton of Shreveport, La., left Wednesday after visiting here with her sister, Mrs. John B. Thomas. Their mother, Mrs. J. H. Hurt of Big Spring, is still a guest in the Thomas home.

Mrs. J. A. Tuttle, Miss Jessa Lynn Tuttle, and Mrs. Wallace Ford made a trip to Big Spring, Thursday night.

A. H. Flaherty was admitted to Ryan's Hospital Thursday afternoon.

Ruth Woodson was admitted to Ryan's Hospital Thursday afternoon.

### IT'S HOUSECLEANING TIME

Red Cross sewing room in the Old Heidelberg Inn will close Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock so that it may be cleaned, officers announced Friday.

### MINISTER WILL SPEAK AT REVIVAL SINGING

The Rev. John E. Pickering, pastor of the First Christian Church, will speak at the Christian Revival Singing Sunday afternoon. The singing will be held at the Gospel Hall, at 2:30 o'clock.

### SON BORN TO McSPADDENS

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McSpadden of Odessa are the parents of a son born at 8 p. m. Wednesday in Headlee Hospital. The boy has been named Wayne. Mrs. McSpadden is the former Miss Edith Marie Beauchamp of Midland.

## West Wall Paving Approved, Waits On State Action

Midland city councilmen have approved the widening of West Wall street from Pezos street to the city limits, on Highway 80, a distance of about one mile, and final action now is awaiting action of the State Highway Department. Assessments of individual property owners will be approximately \$1.50 per front foot, with the city and state sharing the expense of the intersections.

The street will be made 30 feet wider, by adding 15 feet to each side of the present paving. Final approval by the city was given Wednesday afternoon at a regular meeting of the Council. No protests were registered against the proposal.

## Brown Says Outlook Favorable For Oil Men

**SAN ANTONIO (AP)**—The oil industry faces a favorable outlook when compared with other wartime production fields, Russell B. Brown of the Independent Petroleum Association of America declared Friday.

Brown, general counsel for the association from Washington, addressed 100 Southwest Texas oil men at a luncheon.

"All in all, there are no dark spots looming for independent producers because of the current conflict.

"There still is a great demand for continued production and operators may go on with their drilling and field work," he said.

Discussing crude petroleum, Brown asserted that prices undoubtedly will rise as a result of the war. He did not know when the jump would come.

## Three Bodies Are Found In Ditch

**BALTIMORE (AP)**—A man and two women, either shot or stabbed, were found dead in a roadside ditch near Catonsville, Baltimore suburb, Friday.

Discovery of the bodies was reported to Catonsville police by Harry Sowers, who said he came upon them on his way to work.

The women were identified as Mrs. Helen Johnson, 21, and her sister, Mrs. Irene Carter, 32. The man was not identified.

## America Steps Up All Lines Of War Output; Soon Will Be "Outbuilding The World" In Planes And Tanks

**WASHINGTON (AP)**—With "good strong foundations" already established, America is on the way to "outbuilding the world" in planes and tanks—the "two most important weapons" in modern war—and is stepping up rapidly all lines of war output.

Moreover, said a red, white and blue bordered "report to the nation" issued by the newly formed Office of Facts and Figures, the Navy has 346 new combat vessels under construction—double its present strength; contracts have been let for 999 merchant ships; the Army is expanding toward a possible 7,000,000 men, and economic warfare is proceeding on worldwide fronts.

The report, first official summary of the defense-war effort since the government clamped down on publication of production figures several months ago, was prepared at the request of President Roosevelt. It covered the period from the fall of France in 1940 to Pearl Harbor and on to the end of 1941.

Archibald Macleish, directors of O. F. F. (the also is librarian of Congress) described American industry as having passed the period of transition and said that while in a sense the "real work is only now beginning," a tremendous start has been made and the job ahead "will be done."

### Report Highlights

Some of the highlights of the report:

1—Production of all weapons and supplies will be increased nearly 300 per cent in 1942 over the last 18 months.

2—Army warplane production has been "stepped up to the point where, with Great Britain, we soon will exceed the plane output of the Axis countries. More important, we will have the plant capacity to increase our production to the point where we can seize control of the air in all areas of the world struggles."

3—The United States now has four types of Army combat planes "better than anything yet produced abroad, so far as is known, x x x American bomber types now in mass production are superior to those built anywhere else in the world. Still better models are on the way."

4—Plane and tank production this year will equal that of Hitler "in all the years before 1939 when he was preparing to conquer the world."

5—Despite "all handicaps," production of tanks and combat vehicles is more than three times that of a year ago; guns of all types nearly five times as large; ammunition, nine times. "We already are producing light and medium tanks in quantities and the first heavy tank was delivered to the Army the day we declared war on Japan."

6—At the time of the attack on Pearl Harbor, the Navy was building 15 battleship to add to its 17 already built; 11 aircraft carriers building, 7 built; 54 cruisers building, 37 built; 193 destroyers building, 171 built; 73 submarines building, 113 built—in all 346 building, 345 built.

The Navy also had under construction by the end of 1941 a total of 96 auxiliaries, 243 mine craft, 225 patrol boats; and had added 2,000 new planes to its air arm.

8—Lease-lend supplies have expanded from a trickle to a stream that "must become a river, a torrent, and then a flood." These funds have helped. The Army ferrying command delivered more than 1,000 planes purchased by Britain, and are bulwarking Far Eastern defense through construction of British bases at Rangoon in Burma, at Karachi on the Arabian Sea, and other vital outposts on the Persian Gulf and in Eritrea.

### ST. MARY'S CANCELS ALL INTER-COLLEGIATE SPORTS

**SAN ANTONIO (AP)**—St. Mary's University of San Antonio Friday cancelled all its inter-collegiate sports for the duration of the war.

## American Volunteers Aid Chinese Fliers In Hanoi Attack

**CHUNGKING (AP)**—In the first combined operation by the American volunteer group and the Chinese air force, 15 American fighter planes took part in a major assault Thursday on the Japanese base at Hanoi, capital of Indo-China, the Chinese Central News Agency reported Friday from Kunning.

The raid, first full-scale Chinese aerial offensive against Indo-China, was carried out by 57 planes—27 Chinese bombers and 15 fighters in addition to the American planes.

The bombers rained explosives on the Japanese air base and barracks. The fighter escort, meeting with no opposition, strafed Japanese troops and grounded Japanese planes.

All planes returned to their base.

## Midland-Andrews Farmers Meet

A meeting of the landlords and tenant farmers of Midland and Andrews counties was held in the Midland County courthouse Thursday, with Peter F. Murray, district FDA specialist, giving an address on "Rent Paying Capacity of Farms."

Ben F. Carpenter, representative of the Federal Land Bank association, discussed the agreement of Federal Land Bank and Farm Security Administration concerning delinquent accounts of farmers with the Federal Land Bank.

Other speakers on the program included Frank C. Dale, C. C. Thacker of Midland, Production Credit association, Mrs. Girdy P. Flache, county home management supervisor, and Oscar M. Fowler, county RR supervisor.

## ●Cranium Crackers

### WHAT'S COOKING

Put the kettle on. It's time to boil up a batch of answers about that favorite indoor pastime—cooking. Don't get in a stew over these questions.

1. What familiar baking dish is made of flour, salt, shortening and water?
2. What are the ingredients of fudge candy?
3. Is Welsh rarebit a meat dish? Is whey a breakfast cereal?
4. What is the popular cooking mate to (a) ham; (b) corned beef; (c) Weiner; (d) meat balls?
5. Of what is chop suey made?

Answers on Classified Page

## \$1,000 Defense Bond To First Bomber Of Tokyo

**HUNTINGTON PARK, Calif. (AP)**—To the first American aviator who drops a bomb on Tokyo—a \$1,000 defense bond.

That's the offer of Harry Burk, operator of a tire and retread shop. "If more than one man is on the plane, the \$1,000 will be divided among them or sent to their relatives," Burk added.

Burk sent a \$100 bond Thursday to Mrs. Katherine Palmer Barr in Montrose. Her husband, Second Lieut. Edgar E. Barr, shot down the first Japanese plane over Pearl Harbor Dec. 7.

## MIDLAND-ODESSA BUS LINE

Leave Midland	Leave Sloan Field
6:45 AM	7:05 AM
7:30 AM	8:05 AM
3:40 PM	4:05 PM
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5:40 PM	6:05 PM
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# SOCIETY

## Midland Girl To Wed At Wickett On Saturday

Miss Rubalee Krapf Will Become Bride Of Plainview Man

Mrs. Hazel Krapf of the Magnolia Tank Farm announces the approaching marriage of her daughter, Rubalee, to H. K. Thomas of Plainview.

The wedding will take place Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the home of the Rev. Zack Chambliss, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Wickett, Texas. A double ring ceremony will be used.

The couple will leave Sunday for Sunray, Texas. Miss Krapf is PEK operator for the Magnolia Pipe Line Company here. She has lived at Midland more than three years.

Mr. Thomas is chief clerk in the Magnolia Gasoline office at Sunray.

## Firemenettes And Husbands Hosts At Farewell Party

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Casper, Mr. and Mrs. John Klatt, Johnnie Pliska and Jimmy Walker were honored when Firemenettes and their husbands gathered at the fire station, Thursday evening for a party. The Caspers and Klatts are moving to San Antonio where the men have been transferred and Mr. Pliska and Mr. Walker are entering military service. The Klatts were honored in absentia.

Gifts were presented to the honorees.

Games of 42 were played and a buffet supper was served.

Present were: Messrs. and Mmes. Casper, W. F. Prothro, H. O. Ponder, J. L. Tidwell, N. B. Beauchamp, E. D. Fitzgerald, G. E. Brown, W. E. Klatt, Houston Oney, W. H. Churchill, Jim Walker, Jimmy Walker, M. S. Beauchamp, T. A. Cole, Mr. Pliska, and Joel Adcock.

## City Purchases Site For A Small Park

Midland acquired title Friday to a small triangular block of land, between North A and San Angelo streets on Tennessee, and will take immediate steps to beautify the site as a further addition to the park system of the city.

The property, styled block 49 1/2 of the Homestead Addition, is 72 by 296 feet. It was acquired from Dr. C. G. McCall of Midland.

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## Alabama Visitor Complimented With Informal Courtesies

Mrs. Allan Wallace of Decatur, Alabama, is in Midland as guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Russell. This is Mrs. Wallace's first visit to Midland, though her husband, who is the son of W. E. Wallace, formerly lived here.

Informal courtesies for the guest are already underway with a number of parties planned for this week and next.

Thursday afternoon Mrs. R. E. Kimsey was hostess at tea for a few friends, honoring Mrs. Wallace.

This weekend the Russells plan to take the visitor to El Paso and Juarez.

## Party In Patriotic Theme Is Courtesy For Yomaco Club

Party decorations in a patriotic theme and a party plate carrying out the same motif set the note for the evening bridge with which Mr. and Mrs. Archie Estes complimented the Yomaco Club at their home, 401 W. Holmsley, Wednesday evening.

In play, Mrs. M. D. Johnson, Jr., scored high for women and A. A. Jones for men.

Present were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Jones, guests, and Mmes. and Messrs. Woodrow Beatty, L. A. Dolberry, Allen Dorsey, Lee English, Dee Ham, M. D. Johnson, Jr., H. J. McCullough, Jimmy Walker, and the host couple.

## Needlecraft Club Meets At Home Of Mrs. A. Wadley

Mrs. Addison Wadley, 1801 Holloway, was hostess to the Needlecraft Club in its weekly meeting, Thursday afternoon.

Knitting and crocheting, with accompaniment of general conversation, occupied the group until tea time when a party plate was served.

Present were: Mmes. H. C. Bedford, John Dunagan, Wallace Ford, B. C. Girdley, P. F. Kasper, Geo. Phillips, J. A. Tuttle, J. O. Vance, H. H. Watson, J. K. Wright, and the hostess.

Next Thursday the club will meet with Mrs. A. W. Wyatt.

## Argentina Submits Counter-Proposal

RIO DE JANEIRO (AP)—Argentina's Foreign Minister, Dr. Enrique Ruiz Guinazu, held a half-hour conference Friday with the heads of the Brazilian and United States delegations to the Pan-American Conference, and it was learned on good authority he had submitted an Argentine counter-proposal for a rupture of relations with the Axis nations.

The counter-proposal, these sources said, was drafted by Ramon S. Castillo, acting president of Argentina. The Argentines Thursday balked at the present wording of the conference's anti-Axis resolution.

## FIRST FUNCTION

CRANE (Sp)—The first social function to be held at the Crane County Community Hall will be the President's Birthday Ball Saturday night. Postmaster Claud Martin is chairman of the benefit.

The Buster Reed orchestra has been obtained for the occasion.

## He'll Pick Cotton Maid



Chosen to serve as chairman of judges of the 1942 Maid of Cotton contest at Memphis on February 6 is Harry Conover, noted New York modeling authority. Mr. Conover is shown above with his chief consultant, Miss Jane Beardslee, reviewing photographs of his much sought-after models. The girl selected by Mr. Conover as Maid of Cotton will make a 16,000-mile air tour of the United States, visiting more than 30 major industrial centers where she will model a complete wardrobe of cotton garments designed for women working in defense industries.

## Church News

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

H. D. Bruce, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school

10:55 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Loyalty to a Living Christ". This is Loyalty Day in the church.

6:15 p.m.—Training union

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Youth Seeks a Master for Their Possessions"

3:30 p.m. Monday—W.M.U. meets

7:00 p.m. Wednesday—Teachers meeting

8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1065 S. Main

Fred McPherson, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Rebellion"

6:45 p.m.—Training union

7:30 p.m.—Evening service. Sermon by the pastor on "A Heavy Load"

3:00 p.m. Monday—W.M.U. meeting

7:00 p.m. Wednesday—Teachers meeting

8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Hubert Hopper, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday School

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "In the Shadow of Thy Wings"

6:30 p.m.—Pioneers and Young People hold their vesper services

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Costly Accord"

3:00 p.m. Monday—Inspirational meeting of Woman's Auxiliary

7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Choir practice

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

W. Carl Clement, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Sunday school

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor.

6:30 p.m. Junior, Senior and Intermediate Leagues meet

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.

7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Choir practice

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Life" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 18, 1942.

The Golden Text is: "How excellent is thy loving kindness, O God! . . . For with thee is the fountain of life" (Psalms 36:7, 9).

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

W. Pennsylvania and Loraine

Lee Carter, Pastor

Saturday services—

10:00 a.m.—Sabbath school

11:00 a.m.—Preaching

8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

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### NAOMI CLASS

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

TRINITY CHURCH (Episcopal)

Robert J. Snell, Minister in Charge

9:45 a.m.—Church school

5:00 p.m. Evening prayer and sermon by the minister on "Confirmation and Its Meaning and Purpose"

GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

R. L. Kasper, Pastor

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

FUNDAMENTAL BAPTIST CHURCH

502 E. Illinois

Chas. B. Hedges, Pastor

10:00 a.m. Sunday school

11:00 a.m. Preaching service

8:00 p.m. Preaching service

8:00 p.m. Tuesday. Prayer meeting

7:30 p.m. Thursday. Gospel singing

MEN'S CLASS

Teachers—Marvin Ulmer and W. I. Pratt

Meets at 9:45 a.m. Sunday in the Crystal Ballroom of Hotel Scharbauer. It is non-denominational

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

510 S. Baird

John Wharton, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Sunday school

11:00 a.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor

8:00 p.m.—Church service. Sermon by the pastor

8:00 p.m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting

9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday—Women's missionary council meeting

8:00 p.m. Friday—Young People's service.

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500 S. Loraine

J. D. Jackson, Pastor

10:00 a.m.—Bible study

11:00 a.m.—Preaching service

7:45 p.m.—Preaching service.

7:45 p.m. Tuesday—Young people meeting

2:30 p.m. Wednesday—W. M. B. meeting

7:45 p.m. Thursday—Preaching services

ST. GEORGE CHURCH (Roman Catholic)

Father John J. O'Connell, Pastor

7:30 a.m.—Holy communion

8:00 a.m.—Low mass (Spanish)

10:00 a.m.—Low mass

Benediction after 8 and 10 o'clock masses

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

John E. Pickering, Pastor

9:45 a.m.—Bible school

10:50 a.m.—Preparation for the Lord's Supper

11:00 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the pastor on "Let Not Your Heart Be Troubled"

Jesus.

5:30 p.m.—Intermediate Endeavor

6:30 p.m.—Senior Endeavor

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor on "God Answers Our Prayers"

3:30 p.m. Monday—Circle meetings

7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Choir practice

CHURCH OF CHRIST

500 North A Street

C. C. Morgan, Minister

10:00 a.m.—Lord's Day Bible school

10:50 a.m.—Morning worship. Sermon by the minister on "Transformation"

6:30 p.m.—Young People's Bible Class

7:30 p.m.—Evening worship. Sermon by the minister on "Apostolic Preaching"

3:00 p.m. Tuesday—Women's Bible Class

7:30 p.m. Wednesday—Midweek Bible study and song practice

9:00 a.m. Saturday—Children's Bible class

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SERVICES

"Truth" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon which will be read in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday, January 25, 1942.

The Golden Text is: "God shall send forth his mercy and his truth" (Psalms 57:3).

## Teacher Recounts The Temptations Besetting Christ

The Golden Text: "For we have . . . one that hath been in all points tempted like as we are, yet without sin."—Heb. 4:15.

By R. A. Weaver

Temptations must come to all alike—to saint and to sinner, to the high and low, the just and the unjust. The purpose of temptations is to make strong and victorious all who overcome. Into every mind come thoughts that stir emotions of high resolve or base intentions.

Where these thoughts come from we do not know, but daily the mind is tempted by thoughts that suggest noble deeds, or on the other hand, dishonorable actions. To build character or conquer the forces which would drag us down depends upon the kinds of thoughts to which we respond. Every person in times of stress or great emergencies must take stock of self, to find one's way out, and determine the course of action necessary. An illustration of this is shown in the life of Jacob when he wrestled until the breaking of the day—signifying the conquering of self and arriving at the consciousness of a great light, or illumination. The result was the changing of his name to Israel, meaning "Prince of God".

### Temptation of Jesus

There was no witness to the temptation of Jesus, hence He must have related these experiences to His disciples. I have been intrigued with the thought of just how He may have told His disciples about this. And, by imagination, we shall endeavor to write here in the language of Jesus an account of the temptation.

Let us begin with His discourse from Luke 22: 28 and follow on into an imaginary account of the temptation. Beginning with the above verse we read:

"Ye are they which have continued with me in my temptations. And I appoint unto you a kingdom, as my Father hath appointed unto me; that ye may sit and drink at my table in my kingdom, and sit on thrones judging the twelve tribes of Israel. Simon, Simon, behold Satan hath desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat; but I have prayed for thee, that thy faith fail not; and when thou art converted, strengthen the brethren."

In the world you will have temptations, but I have overcome the world. In the beginning Satan also sought to sift me as wheat, but even so the Spirit was willing while the flesh was weak, but Satan hath no dominion over the purposeful soul who ever points his face toward the New Jerusalem. After the voice spake from heaven saying, "This is my beloved Son in whom I am well pleased" and the Spirit descended upon the Son of man, I knew that I had a baptism to be baptized with, and that my hour had not yet come. O how I was straitened until that hour approached. It was then that the Spirit led me into the wilderness, and it was there that the Son of man struggled with the things of this world, and the urge of the human side of my being. Being hungry—exceedingly hungry—the thought came to me that if I be the Son of God these stones might be turned into bread. All power in heaven and earth had been given unto me, and it was only to command that in this desert the food essential to this earthly body be supplied. But, ah, how base the thought that this divine glory be exercised to furnish the husks that feed this mortal frame. And should I once contrive to supply the material things to my own account, how unending would be the operation to acquire the temporal things that pass away. For it is in these that life consists, but in the growth and fruition of the Spirit within. So the Son of man did not come to be ministered unto, but to minister and to give his life a ransom. Seek not the things of this world which pass away, but lay up for yourselves treasures in heaven.

"Then came the thought that the Son of man had the power to startle and amaze the people by a marvellous advent—to descend from the pinnacle of the temple, and gain a prestige that would make easy and straight his path. But beware of the leaven of those who depend upon the popularity of the people, which today is and tomorrow is gone. It is not by confounding and amazing the multitudes that the kingdom of heaven subsists. It is only by the revelation of the Truth, and ye shall know the truth and the truth shall make you free.

"After that, the world offered political and mercenary power through which influence and prestige would operate to build up a mighty machine for the setting up of the kingdom. But always the line of demarcation runs through man's obligations—he shall render unto God the things which are God's and unto Caesar the things that belong to Caesar. Ye cannot serve God and Mammon. There is no compromise between good and bad. If one puts his hand to the plow and looketh back in the furrow, he is unworthy of being my disciple. Ye have been with me in my temptation, and ye know that I came to seek and to save the lost, and I have chosen the long dusty road, and among you I have been as one meek and lowly at heart. My way is the only way, and it is a straitened way; a way that is sprinkled with blood, and it leads through Gethsemane, and up Golgotha's brow and ends upon the cross. But some day that way will be the choice of the weary and the heavy laden, for they shall find peace and rest, because the Way of the cross leads home."

So that is the story of the temptation of Jesus, and it is the same temptation that comes to all people who take up His cross daily and follow in His train.

## Numerous Prizes To Be Awarded At Benefit Bridge

Fifty-nine firms and individuals have contributed a variety of handsome and useful gifts and services to be awarded as door prizes at the benefit bridge which the City-County Federation will sponsor at Hotel Scharbauer Saturday afternoon.

Distribution of prizes will take place at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. Prizes have been contributed by: Perry Bros., Morrison's, City Drug, Western Auto, Central Drug, Midland Floral, Frank Cowden, Billy Bryant, Roy Parks, Marion Flint, Gwen Shop, Piggy Wiggly, Fashion Cleaners, Barrow Furniture, Sparks and Barron, Percy Bridgewater, Marcus Gist, W. R. Upham, Elmer Bizzell, Everbody's, J. C. Smith, Wilson's, Wadley's, Mrs. Roy Stockard, Iva's, Barron's, Midland Hardware, Russell's, Midland Drug, American Beauty, First National Bank, Tom Hurt, Williams Studio, Scharbauer Hotel, Ruby Schottlander, Book Stall, Scharbauer Beauty, Scharbauer Garage, Floyd's Pharmacy, Hotel Pharmacy, Harris-Luckett, Eveready Auto, Virginia's Novelty Shop, Rootzger's, Midland National Bank, Fred Middleton, Midland Bottling, Cox Appliance, J. C. Penney, City Cleaners, Firestone Auto, Safeway Stores, King's, Llano Beauty, Wilcox Hardware, Wes-Tex Food Store, West Texas Office Supply, Texas Electric Service, Mrs. J. Howard Hodge.

## Sorry, Girls, It's True About Girdles

WASHINGTON, (AP)—Sorry, girls, but the War Production Board confirmed that bad news about girdles Friday.

After Feb. 1, an order declared, no more crude rubber or latex may be used in manufacturing girdles or other foundation garments, golf and tennis balls, erasers, bathing suits and caps, lawn and garden hose and hundreds of other common household items.

Extending already strict government control over the rubber industry, the board made public a long list of "essential" products which may be manufactured; established production quotas for each class of products, and directed that the use of crude rubber for a wide variety of "essential" civilian goods be reduced about 75 per cent below recent annual consumption.

After Feb. 1, the order stipulated, all products not on the list may be manufactured only from reclaimed rubber.

It was this provision which torpedoes girdles. Reclaimed rubber, experts say, cannot be used satisfactorily in material which is subject to recurrent stretching. After a few stretches, it doesn't bounce back into shape.

### APPROXIMATELY 75 ATTEND RALLY

MONAHANS. (Sp.)—About 75 Legionnaires, Auxiliary members, and additional guests attended a get-together and membership rally at the Methodist Church Tuesday night. Mayor E. R. Hill gave the principal address on the city defense program and the Legion's part in National Defense.

Following the singing of several World War I songs by the group, Mrs. Bill Coghill and John Ross Arent presented vocal solos.

R. A. Sewell served as master of ceremonies for the meeting. Supt. M. L. H. Baze spoke on "Children in the Defense Program".

## Federation Hears Attorney Speak On Bonds, Stamps

Through the purchase of stamps and bonds all citizens can have a share in winning the war, Joseph Mims, Midland attorney, told the City-County Federation at its regular monthly meeting Thursday morning at Hotel Scharbauer. He discussed the various types of bonds available.

Mrs. Hal C. Peck, Federation president, urged women to save tin foil, empty thread spools, razor blades, papers, magazines, pasteboard, old shaving cream tubes and old tooth paste tubes. Old papers, magazines and cardboard may be deposited in a space which has been provided for this purpose just north of the Methodist Church, Federation members were told.

Twenty members have completed the First Aid course sponsored by the Federation, it was announced. Announcement was also made that the funds from "Uncle Sam's Christmas Present" campaign had been sent to the Federal government.

The candidacy of Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, past president of the City-County Federation, for president of the Eighth District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, was unanimously endorsed.

## Mrs. Black Presents Program On Opera

Junior Woman's Wednesday Club held its regular session Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Louis Thomas, 1209 W. Illinois, hostess.

Mrs. Ben Black presented the program study, discussing Verdi's opera, "Rigoletto".

Present were: Mmes. Black, W. M. Eblevins, Allen Cowden, Wright Cowden, W. P. Z. German, J. Frank Miller, John C. Ratliff, H. L. Straughan, Jr., H. M. Bayer, Van P. Welch, Hugh West, Don Oliver, and the hostess, and one association member, Mrs. E. I. Bailey.

### GIRL SCOUTS GIVEN FIRST AID RULES

Senior Girl Scout Troop met at the high school building, with Mrs. Eric Bucher giving first aid instruction.

The girls are collecting tin foil, buying defense stamps out of the dues, and knitting squares for Bundles for Britain.

Members present were: Betty Chanslor, Betty Jo Greene, Billie Ann Hill, Betty Hines, and Mickey McDonald. Ann Hines was a visitor.

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By Wm. E. McKenney  
 America's Card Authority

The most talked of hand in 1941 will be that at Richmond on which Mrs. A. M. Sobel opened the bidding fourth hand, only to have her opponents bid and make a small slam. South might have opened the bidding, but chose a conservative pass. North might likewise have opened, but he too had a borderline hand. With Mrs. Sobel it was different. No doubt in her mind that she should open! Her hand was close to a laid-down game in itself. So she bid one diamond. South naturally overcalled with one heart, because his strong suit would at least stop an adverse game in no trump. Imagine his feelings when North came out with a little jump to six hearts! That bid is understandable on the cards. North saw that if South held as little as five hearts to the ace and the king of clubs, there was a play for six hearts. Since North was willing to go to six hearts over five spades, he decided to make a "two-way" slam bid at once—the slam might be made, or it might be necessary as a save. After the diamond lead, declarer made contract by giving up a trick to the king of clubs, so as to discard two of his spades on dummy's suit.

Lamplighter Harry Has Those Blackout Blues

KENMORE, N. Y. (U.P.)—Blackouts are just a headache for Harry Torillo, who works for the Department of Public Works. His job is to extinguish all of Kenmore's 317 gas street lights in case of a blackout.

Kenmore missed complete electrification when depression forced the village to curtail expenses. Torillo must start turning out the lights about five hours before the familiar electric arcs are extinguished in the village. This seems bad enough, but putting the light on again is even worse. It takes about two days.

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### Bus Lines Also Want Passenger Fare Hike

CHICAGO (AP)—The nation's bus lines want a 10 per cent increase in passenger fares, too.

Chairman L. C. Markel of the National Bus Traffic Association, which he said represents 95 per cent of bus traffic, announced operators' proposals were similar to those approved for the railroads. The Interstate Commerce Commission has authorized railroads to raise fares and Markel said the bus lines hoped to make their increases effective simultaneously.

Proposed changes, the chairman said, will not affect rates for military travel.

### Kermit Has Three New High Teachers

KERMIT (Sp)—Three new teachers reported for duty in the Kermit High School at the beginning of the second semester. They are Mrs. Ann Austin, who is replacing Mrs. Hartwell as commercial and speech teacher; Miss Georgiana Windham, replacing Miss Georgiana Hammon as physical education teacher; and Hal Cherry of Fort Worth who will teach journalism and history, and sponsor the school paper and annual. He replaces Russell Day.

There are 23 towns named Cleveland in this country.

### FUNNY BUSINESS



"I'm afraid he's not quite wide awake yet, sir!"

### SIDE GLANCES



"Let's have a dinner that we know we can't afford to-night, because we'll soon be broke and then what we can or can't afford won't matter!"

### THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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NEXT: The Eskimo's fear of drowning.

### "Remember Pearl Harbor" Becomes National Motto

SAN FRANCISCO (U.P.)—America's newest war slogan, "Remember Pearl Harbor," is tagged for immortality in U. S. history.

Prof. David P. Barrows, chairman of the political science department and president emeritus

of the University of California, said it will join company with two other deathless American battle-cries that figured in victorious wars—"Remember the Alamo" and "Remember the Maine."

"Remember the Alamo" aided to spur the United States to victory in the Mexican War and "Remember the Maine" was the battlecry in the Spanish-American War.

Prof. Barrows explained why prior to Pearl Harbor only two slogans had gone down in American history.

"So many slogans were coined during the World War that all of them died in the general confusion," he said. "Civil War slogans found oblivion in the same way. In the Revolutionary War, however, lack of communication facilities prevented a powerful slogan from developing, because there was no mass medium such as the modern newspaper or radio to popularize it with the masses."

### Movie Stars Buy Farm As A Place For Rest

MANSFIELD, O. (U.P.)—Arthur Louis Bromfield has revealed that four film stars have an interest in his 700-acre Ohio farm.

Kay Francis, Mary Astor, William Gargan and Humphrey Bogart each own an acre.

Bogart says he plans to build a cottage on his acre of land to provide a place of relaxation. All ex-

cept Gargan have visited the author's Malabar farm in the Highland County hills.

Bromfield believes his farm is "the most beautiful spot in the world." Because of its beauty, because Ohio was his boyhood home, and because the state has been described as "the farthest east from the west, the farthest west from the east and the farthest north from the south" Bromfield says he chooses Malabar as his home.

### Our Boarding House

with Major Hoople

### Out Our Way

By J. R. Williams



### Boots And Her Buddies

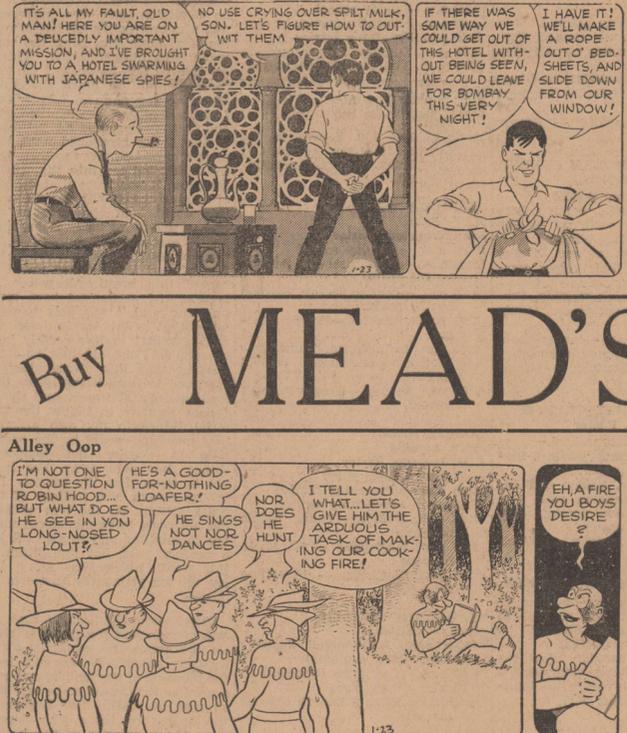


### Wash Tubbs



By Roy Crane

### Alley Oop



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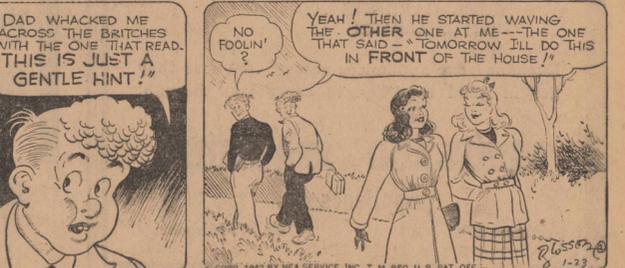
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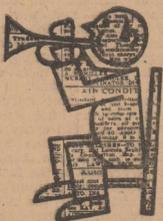


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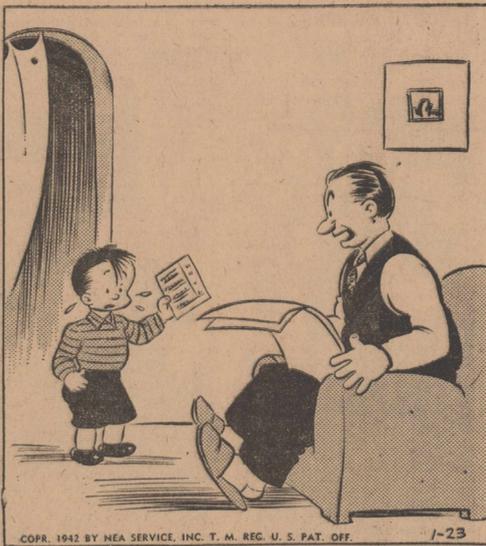
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### Answers To Cranium Crackers

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- 1. Pie crust is made of flour, salt, shortening and water.
- 2. Sugar, milk, butter and cream of tartar are fudge staples, with chocolate, vanilla, other flavorings, nuts, etc., added to fit the recipe.
- 3. No to both. Welsh rarebit is a dish with cheese as a base. Whey is a byproduct obtained in the manufacture of cheese, being the liquid milk left after curd is separated.
- 4. Ham and eggs, corned beef and cabbage, wieners and sauerkraut, meat balls and spaghetti.
- 5. Butter or shortening; chopped or stripped pork, veal or beef; onions, salt, pepper, celery, bean sprouts, and sauce are principal ingredients of chop suey. It is usually served with rice, chow mein with noodles.

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### Keep 'Em Rolling Association Hears Automobile Plan

About 400,000 new automobiles will be sold to the American public during 1942, representing the cars which had been purchased by dealers of the nation up to January 16. This allotment of cars for public sale has been designated as Pool No. 1, and will be sold to qualified buyers. Just what a qualified buyer is has not been designated, but it is understood that it will be established soon on a basis of actual need, somewhat as tire buyers now are determined.

This information was given Thursday night to the Midland Keep 'Em Rolling Association directors by W. F. Hejl, a director, who has been in attendance on a state-wide meeting in Dallas of Studebaker dealers. A speaker for the manufacturer was authorized to give the dealers data relating to all cars. The speaker stated, said Hejl, that manufacturers were going to give dealers all assistance in supply of parts for maintenance of all makes of cars in civilian use, so as to keep the industrial life of the nation rolling.

Dealers sold an average of 750,000 cars every three months during 1941. The allotment for 1942, therefore, represents less than 10 percent of the 1941 total. It was declared that an allotment of about 200,000 cars would go on the market for civilian use in January of 1943.

Meanwhile, citizens of Midland County have been given double assurance that the cars which they have will be properly maintained.

Directors of the Keep 'Em Rolling group have called a meeting of all local dealers and maintenance men for 8 p. m. Monday in the courthouse, when a draft of by-laws and rules and regulations will be submitted to put the campaign into full force and operation. More than 300 men are expected to enroll in the movement.

A meeting will be held every two weeks, on Monday nights to keep the group in full working order. A speaker has been arranged for Monday from among the staff personnel at Sloan Field, said Fred Wemple, Jr., general chairman.

### SERIAL STORY

## TAMBAY GOLD

BY SAMUEL HOPKINS ADAMS

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THE STORY: Mom Baumer sets up "Festeria" lunch wagon at rundown Tambay Plantation, former tourist camp partnership with Jane Ann Judson, last of the Marries. Juddy, the blond, she has been married—to wealthy Henderson Kent. Other characters: Loren Oliver, Welliver, a prof. digging for Indian relics; Old Swooby, Slovene refugee; "Doc" Oliver is harboring; Dolf, Mom's pet skunk; lawyer Maurice Sears and football star Angel Todd, both in love with Juddy. Sheriff Hollister. Navy thinks Oliver is after gold at Tambay. Juddy, ill after a lynch at the Hanging Tree, tells Maurice Sears she will leave Tambay if it ever happens again. Angel picks a fight with "Doc," whose course he is hunting.

### DOC SAYS "FORGET IT"

#### CHAPTER XVII

WE got Doc up the bank to his cabin, and a job it was. He put up a squawk about my un-dressing him. I chased Juddy over to the house for bandages and hot water.

"Kept slipping Angel and shooting your left, huh?" I said.

He sort of grunted.

"That's a boxer's trick," I said. "You never learned that stuff, digging Wandos, Doc."

"I used to box some in college. It isn't necessary to say anything about this outside, Mom," he said.

"There's a couple of ribs wrong, by my guess," I said. "It's a doctor's job."

Juddy came in just then. "I'll drive him over to Dr. Starrow's," she said.

She had him back in an hour, strapped up neatly. When she came to my room there were those small lines between her eyes that always made me think of a baby in trouble.

"I don't believe it was Angel's fault," she said. "There's something queer about it. Loren told the doctor he lost his way in the fog and fell over the cliff."

"Uh-huh," I said. "And what did Doc have to say to you, himself?"

"Nothing. He wouldn't talk."

"Maybe Angel can get away with it yet," I said. I didn't care whether he did or not, except that I was half afraid Juddy would follow him if he got canned out of Welliver. "I believe Doc is figuring it's bad medicine, getting into a scrap with one of his own students. Undignified and all that. So it'd be to his own interest to keep it dark."

"It's a bright and shining thought," Juddy said. "My theory is I'd better see Angel before he gets any deeper in the soup."

### Political Announcements

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J. L. DILLARD (Reelection)

Todd will be northward bound in search of a job my pronto, followed by the boots but not the good wishes of the faculty.

"Perhaps you're not leaving."

"After last night? What an optimist!"

"Wait and see. You haven't told anyone, have you?"

"No. But what's the use? They're not going to believe that I got these alterations to my map at a church social."

"My theory is," she said, "that your car tipped over and rolled down a bank."

"Yeah? And what's Oliver's theory? How's he feeling?"

"It's about time you asked," I said. "We had to take him to a doctor."

"He told me to be on my way, so I thought he was okay. Who'd-a believed he could put up such a scrap? Come to think of it, I did hear he played football at Penn."

"Chess," I said.

"Skip it!" Juddy said, quite cross.

"He'll get me, all right. He feels I've insulted his pet Wandos. And he's the kind that never lets up on a grudge. Look at that snapping-turtle face."

"I think he's got rather a nice face," Juddy said, and then looked kind of surprised at herself.

For a week after that Juddy was absent-minded. I wondered if she didn't have Angel and the fight on her mind. Not a word out of Doc on the subject though. But he did ask me whether Juddy wasn't feeling well. Not much got past that bird.

"She'd feel better," I told him, "if she knew whether you're going to be a sport or not."

"Definitions differ," he said.

"Are you reporting Angel Todd?" I asked him.

"Oh, that! That's a private matter. Besides, I hit him first."

"Sure!" I said. "And the ant socked the elephant in the puss for making faces at him."

"When you know you've got to fight, it's the best plan," he said, passing up my crack. "Tell Todd that unless he talks, I certainly shan't."

When I passed that on to Juddy, she said, "I'd like to kiss Loren Oliver if I didn't think it would scare him out of a year's growth."

"NEXT term's prospects didn't look too favorable for Angel. The Examining Board sidestepped by returning his Am. Eth. paper, marked "Unsatisfactory." That handed him the exam to take over again, and on top of it gave him the whole term's class work to make up.

"They had a right to go easy

on a team man," he said. "Balestier does, and all the other schools. Look! We football men have a lot of extra work wished on us. Besides practice. Brain work. Blackboard exercises. Learning the combinations. Most of the profs are reasonable. But not Oliver."

"His course isn't so hard if you really work at it, Angel," Juddy said.

"Maybe not for you. I've got no appetite for dead Injuns. And besides the class work and the exam, I've got to write a thesis."

"There's an idea!" She said.

"Loren Oliver's report on his excavations must be out by this time. Why don't you write your thesis on the Tambay discoveries?"

"I thought it might be a good idea," Angel quite brightened up to it. He confided to me that he was going to lick Oliver's Wandos, and get hold of some money, and then he guessed Juddy would marry him.

Football practice started in before fall term opened. The talk was that Angel Todd was showing more stuff that ever. I've always been a grid fan; so I'd slip away occasionally to get a line on the team. I thought I might lay a few smart bets on the big game, which was against Balestier.

The Welliver looked good to me. They were long and rangy, except in the middle of the line where they had plenty of beef. They coasted through their early games, showing plenty against light opposition, until they met Harstrom College.

Well, every coach knows there are days when a whole team goes sour for no reason at all. The sketch that our boys put on against a bunch at least five touchdowns below them in form was a vaudeville skit.

Was Angel sunk when he came over to dinner?

"I was just as bad as any of them," he said. "Coach ought to can us all and buy a new team."

"He hasn't got the price," I told him. "And it's goofy for a man of your age to go teary over not winning one little game."

"Winning games is my business," he said. "How else am I ever going to get anywhere? If Welliver has an undefeated season and we grab off a bowl bid, I'm a good bet for All-America. Then a pro job. Or I might get into coaching. And now look at the mess!"

Juddy produced her Onward Christian Soldiers act. "I've got confidence in you, Angel, if you haven't in yourself. Want me to prove it?"

"How?"

(To Be Continued)

### WORLD WAR PRESIDENT

#### HORIZONTAL Answer to Previous Puzzle

1 Pictured World War president of U. S.

11 Silk worm.  
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30 Withdraws.  
33 Be seated.  
34 He helped found the Nations.  
35 Be present.  
36 Music note.  
37 Out of (prefix).  
38 Id est (abbr.).  
40 Behold!  
42 Opera (abbr.).

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46 And Scotia (abbr.).  
48 We.  
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64 Symbol for erbium.  
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15 Combat.

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# Freshmen May Have To Replace Varsity Men In The Southwest

## Officials Favor Plan, As Men Off To Join Military

By The Associated Press

There is a chance freshmen may compete on varsity Southwest Conference football teams next autumn, pending on how many upperclassmen are lost because of the emergency.

Making freshmen eligible was proposed by Coach Homer Norton of Texas A&M, who said the streamlined educational program at his school would mean that freshmen would have only two years of varsity eligibility.

Norton said he hoped the conference would take up the subject at its May meeting in Dallas.

Under the new plan at A&M, he said, freshmen will enter school in June, become sophomores in February, juniors in September, 1943 and seniors in June, 1944, graduating the following February.

"It isn't a case of whether we want freshman competition," said Coach Dutch Meyer of Texas Christian University, "but whether we can get along without it."

Meyer added the Horned Frogs will be left with a squad of 20 to 25 next year unless freshmen are available for competition. If all the boys who register February 16 are called to service, the team will have only four or five veterans next fall, the TCU coach declared.

Coach Frank Kimbrough and Athletic Director Ralph Wolf of Baylor thought Southwest Confer-

## Dewey Johnson To Leave For Air Corp

G. B. Rush, teacher in the Midland High School, assumed the duties of basketball coach Thursday to fill out the season now in progress. Rush consented to fill the position since Dewey Johnson is leaving for enlistment in the U. S. Air Corps shortly, but states that he will definitely not reenter coaching as a profession.

## McCamey 1942 Grid Schedule Announced

MCCAMEY (Special)—The conference games for McCamey's 1942 7-A schedule have been completed, with four of a six game season to be played in McCamey.

The schedule cards Wink in McCamey, Oct. 9, Kermit in Kermit Oct. 16, Fort Stockton in McCamey Oct. 23, Monahans in Monahans Oct. 30, Crane in McCamey Nov. 11, and Pecos in McCamey Nov. 20.

Non-conference games will be scheduled for Sept. 11, 13, and 25.

## Request New Rule For A&M Freshmen Players

COLLEGE STATION (AP)—The 1942 freshman at Texas A&M will have only two years of varsity eligibility unless Southwest Conference rules are changed.

Coach Homer Norton, pointing to the school's accelerated educational program, said yesterday he hoped sanction of freshman participation in varsity sports would come from the May meeting of conference officials.

ence would have to wait for further developments before deciding the issue. He said: "If we lose too many boys, then there'll be nothing else to do but play freshmen, but unless we do lose heavily we don't want to use first year men."

Rice Institute officials received the suggestion favorably. "I think we would be about as favorable to the plan as anybody," said Dr. H. E. Bray, chairman of the athletic council. Coach Jess Neely said any action of the Southwest Conference would be acceptable to him and refused to express his personal views. "I believe we'll have to come to that," said Emmett Brunson, manager of athletics.

## Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.

NEW YORK (Wide World)—The war already has landed some sports folks in places they never expected to be (including the Army) . . . Charles Reilly, Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch sports editor, had to suspend his column for a few days to help cover the sub-raids off the Carolina coast.

Turf expert Oscar Otis of the San Francisco Chronicle keeps his hand in by flying into Toagua Caliente Sundays after taking in prep basketball games. . . Ralph Hanford and Alan Gray, jockeys' agents, went to work in Oakland, Calif., ship yards when Santa Anita dropped from under them . . . Chicago's colony of major league ball players have formed the "Pitch and Hit" club to aid in the sale of defense bonds. Ted Lyons is president . . . First day's ticket sale for the Boston Bruins-Old-Time stars game for the Army relief fund was more than \$3,000.

**Missing In Action**  
Players on the Ravensdale (Wash) soccer team were surprised a couple of weeks ago when their fullback, Sverre Friedheim, failed to turn up for a game . . . They were even more amazed next day to learn that he had been winning a ski jumping meet at Snoqualmie . . . It wasn't until then that they learned Friedheim had led all the U. S. ski jumpers at the 1936 Olympics.

In addition to his other accomplishments, Joe Louis has become quite an able impromptu speaker. . . He doesn't go in for many two-syllable words, but he always says something that's appropriate and in good taste. . . Dick Barker, the Iowan just signed as football coach at Franklin and Marshall College, was "drafted" twice to coach Sweden's Olympic wrestlers. According to Bill Killefer, the Philistines who can rotate. Seems that what they always did—face the plate to pitch and then rotate toward the outfield to see where the ball would land . . . The Michigan-Ontario "amateur" hockey league is on the verge of a bustup because players on one Detroit team are demanding a \$5 a game raise. . . Jack Miley, ex-sports columnist who is now doing publicity work, has signed for a daily sports broadcast to begin in February.

## Today's Guest Star

Francis S. Stan, Washington Star: "The sport (?) that figures to be aided most by the war is wrestling. The burpers play a poor man's game. The racket was dead until the last depression, when it came to life with the \$2.20, \$4.40, \$6.60, etc., sports collapsed and now there is sinister talk that it will revive."

## Postman's Paragraph

Corporal Bill Hartnett (Miami '40) of Fort Meade, Md., puts in a boost for the University of Miami footballers who all contributed to the Dade County (Fla.) blood bank. . . "A bloody good bunch of American boys," says Bill. . . Sports Ed Hugo Germino of the Durham Sun ("Ross Bowl, N. C.") he says boasts Horace Hendrickson, athletic director and coach of football, baseball and basketball at Elon College, as a swell prospect for some bigger college. . . Tony Constantine, sports ed. of the Morgantown (W. Va.) Post, calls attention to the foul shooting of Shorty Hicks, West Virginia U. basketball. In three seasons, Shorty has missed only eight of 63 shots from the free throw line.

When he discovered that six Detroit bowlers had rolled perfect games of early December, W. W. Edgar of the Free Press organized a "300" club to record the perfect games in sanctioned competition. In more than a month since then he hasn't been able to add a new name to the roster.

## GIRL SAVED BY OPERATION IS KILLED BY AIR RAIDER

LONDON (AP)—A lifeboat made a 92-mile dash from a lonely Shetland lighthouse last Dec. 2 with 10-year-old Margaret Smith, who was suffering from acute appendicitis. An operation saved her life. Margaret was killed Thursday by a bomb dropped by a daylight air raider.

## Take-Off on Defense Stamps



New York chorine adds new trick to defense tax sales as she and 12 others sell \$500 worth in nine minutes during train trip between Washington and Richmond, Va. Those are RAF cadets peeling off stamps at 10 cents each.

## Hardware Team Gets Three Games

The Midland Hardware team of the Industrial League took their games Thursday night from the Texaco Bowlers at the Planor Bowling Lanes. A&L Housing with 2563 pins took high team series, while the Honolulu Oil five copped the high single game with 912.

Hoekendorf, with A&L Housing, shot high series with 557, and Grant of Honolulu shot high single of 225. Two other games went the odd game route, with Mackey Motor and A&L Housing winning.

MACKAY MOTORS	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Clement	181	161	137	479
Stewart	169	136	177	482
Phillips	142	142	152	436
Hall	149	145	153	447
Nalley	181	137	190	508
Totals	322	721	730	234
Handicap	23	23	23	69
Totals	845	744	822	2411

HONOLULU	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Grant	225	165	159	549
Fine	174	167	163	504
Cassidy	159	133	150	442
Chambers	170	163	155	488
Schradler	197	135	154	486
Totals	912	723	781	2416

SHELL NO. 2	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Parham	205	144	161	510
Rozsa	156	187	150	493
Morford	122	172	127	421
Ocheltree	129	142	121	392
Allen	111	117	149	377
Totals	729	682	708	2119
Handicap	102	102	102	306
Totals	826	864	810	2499

A&L HOUSING	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Arrington	171	157	172	500
Weaver	156	165	146	467
Blind	127	127	127	381
Dunn	167	179	184	530
Hoekendorf	191	138	173	502
Totals	858	862	843	2563

MIDLAND HDWE.	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Kiser	158	150	138	446
Blind	143	143	143	429
Blind	127	127	127	381
Watson	117	113	133	363
Hunter	95	156	150	401
Girdler	116	129	128	373
Albritton	147	130	130	407
Gronmon	141	182	162	485
Totals	699	748	759	2206

TEXACO	1st	2nd	3rd	Tot.
Finley	132	116	158	406
Stanton	159	135	143	437
Girdler	116	129	128	373
Albritton	147	130	130	407
Gronmon	141	182	162	485
Totals	695	692	721	2108

AUSTIN (AP)—R-Day in Texas, the third ordered under the Selective Service System, was proclaimed for Feb. 16 by Governor Coke R. Stevenson who announced registration places would operate between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m.

Approximately 500,000 Texas males not previously registered are expected to report.

Ink is the name of an Arkansas town.

## Hogan Gets Great Start For Open At San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—Texas born Benny Hogan, setting a pace comparable to a jackrabbit in his native state, was out in front Tuesday as the field teed off in the second round of the 72 hole San Francisco Open golf tournament.

The 137 pound dynamiter, leading pro golfer of the country the last two years and winner of the recent Los Angeles Open for a flying 1942 start, knocked par dizzy Thursday with a first round 65.

It looped seven strokes off standard figures for the California Club course. Par for the 6,520 yard, heavily-wooded layout is a pair of 63's. Hogan toyed with it to the tune of 32-33.

As the leader, Hogan enjoyed a three-shot advantage over his closest rival starting Friday's second round. Veteran Harry Cooper of Minneapolis came home with a 33-35-68. Another old timer, Horton Smith, of Pinehurst, N. C., crowded Cooper with a 35-34-69.

Others among the nine stars breaking par were Harry Bassler, Los Altos, Calif., 35-35-70; Dick Metz, Oakpark, Ills., 33-37-70 and the following 71 shooters, Lawson Little, San Francisco, 35-36; Denny Shute, Chicago, 35-36; Ralph Hutchinson, Bethlehem, Penn., 35-36; and Lloyd Mangrum, 36-35.

## Bulldogs-Angelo Battle Tonight

The Midland High School Bulldogs Basketeers worked hard in practice drill Thursday afternoon in preparation for Friday night's game with the San Angelo High Bobcats in San Angelo.

In a practice scrimmage with Stanton Wednesday night on the latter's floor, the Bulldogs lost both A and B squad games 38 to 21 and 34 to 13 respectively. Lead by little Thomas Heaton, who scored 22 of the 38 points, made by his team, the Martin County lads' win over the scrappy Bulldogs made it ten games in a row for their win total.

San Angelo, like the past three opponents of the Midland cagers, holds a share in the leadership at the 3AA basketball race. The Bobcats easily bowled over Colorado City in their last game 29 to 15. With five defects in conference play looking them in the face, the Midland boys will be fighting hard to get out of the cellar in the Friday night encounter.

## Fire Department Gets Two Calls Thursday

The City Fire Department extinguished a fire at 803 S Dallas street Thursday afternoon, when a grass fire caught a tressel of dead trees running the blaze to the roof of the house. Damage was slight.

A second call later in the evening took the department to 601 N Big Spring, where a grass fire set a fence causing very little damage.

## W. H. CHURCHILL, JR. TO BE FLYING CADET

W. H. Churchill, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Churchill was accepted by the U. S. Army Air Corps as a flying cadet Thursday and will enter service at Kelly Field, San Antonio. Churchill took his tests at Lubbock.

## To Visit U. S.



Exiled King Carol of Rumania is reported to have accepted leadership of the Free Rumania Committee for the Triumph of Democracy and to be planning a trip to the United States. He's now in Mexico City.

## W. A. Rackley, 47, Humble Engineer Killed In Crash

MCCAMEY (Sp)—W. A. Rackley, 47, engineer for the Humble Pipe Line Company at Kemper Station near Big Lake, died in a McCamey hospital at 3 a. m. Thursday morning following an automobile accident on the outskirts of McCamey near the Humble Pipe Line office.

Mr. Dutton of Big Lake was in the car at the time of the accident, but escaped with only minor injuries.

They were enroute from Big Lake to McCamey at the time of the mishap and causes of the accident are not known. The car over-turned several times. Rackley was rushed to the McCamey hospital but never regained consciousness.

Walter Anderson Rackley was born on April 11, 1894 in Comanche County where he spent his early boyhood. He was married to Miss Edna Thompson of Comanche County on November 1, 1914 and moved to Reagan County in 1927. He was an engineer at Kemper Station and had been employed by the Humble Pipe Line Company for twenty years.

Funeral services will be held at the First Baptist Church in DeLeon, but arrangements are pending awaiting word from a son who is in the armed forces.

Deceased was a member of the Baptist Church and is survived by his widow and three sons, Johnny stationed at Ft. Lewis, Washington; Marshall of Levelland; and Walter Allen of Big Lake; two daughters, Mrs. S. D. Thomas of Levelland and Edna Loyce of Big Lake; three brothers, John of Hollister, Okla., S. L. of Jayton, and Poe of Lubbock; and five sisters, Mrs. Florence Dickey, Comyn, Texas; Mrs. Laura Gibson, Hubbard, Texas; Mrs. J. W. Evans, Dallas, Texas; Mrs. Leonard Pearson and Mrs. W. T. Barker of California.

The Harris-Luckett Funeral Chapel is in charge of the arrangements.

Celutze, an Oriental lettuce, is now being grown in this country.

## Behind The Headlines

By DeWitt MacKenzie  
Wide World War Analyst

The disclosure by a high Washington official that American reinforcements and war equipment are moving into the Western Pacific affords encouragement, although in these hard days results in battle are much more comforting than advance notices.

Time is a most important element, and the hope must be that sufficient aid will arrive in the immediate future from America or Britain to ease the Japanese pressure, especially on the Malay Peninsula where the position is increasingly serious for the Allies. The preservation of Singapore is essential, and so is the safeguarding of Burma, which is the life-giving source of the great Burma Road upon which China depends for her war supplies from the outside world.

As things now stand it would seem that help for the present will have to come chiefly from the United States, since it is unlikely that Britain will be able to spare much from the European theater. Certainly Australia, which is worried over the possibility of a Jap attempt at invasion, must be expected to look mainly to Uncle Sam for assistance.

U. S. Carries The Load  
In other words, the weight of the battle of the Pacific must fall increasingly on Uncle Sam's broad (we believe) shoulders.

In the matter of the time element, the grand defense of the Philippines by General MacArthur this failure, has been a godsend. The Dutch and British defense in the Malay-Singapore-Indies zone also has delayed the Japanese program.

The Mikado's forces themselves, however, have given the Allies excellent cooperation through inability to take advantage of the flying start given by MacArthur's tactics at Hawaii. The Japs haven't done as well as they should during the seven weeks since they used the dagger, for their game was to have seized the Philippines and other main bases before the Allies could get aid to the Orient.

That they haven't done better is a reproach to their military capabilities. One can hardly charge this failure to the German advisers in Tokyo, since they aren't responsible for the quality of the material they have to work with.

## Upton County Tires Are Allotted By New Board

MCCAMEY (Sp)—Eleven truck tires, four passenger car tires and thirteen tubes were rationed to Upton County citizens at the first regular meeting of the board last week in McCamey.

The board, composed of J. T. Holes, Rankin, chairman, Wayman H. Rose and M. B. Conover, meets every Thursday at 3:00 at the city hall in McCamey. Those allotted tires and tubes at the first meeting were: T. A. Spalding, Harris-Luckett Company, L. H. Burham, R. S. Brumley, West Texas Oil Company, Marathon Oil Company, Eddie McDougal, C. L. Preston, H. Y. Schrader, W. W. Littlejohn, and J. W. McLean.

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**WOOL**

BOSTON (AP)—The Commercial Bulletin will say Saturday. "The rapid sequence of events affecting the wool market this week has tended to confusion and consequently a rather spotty, slow market. There is a disposition, moreover, to await the awards of contracts by the government against bids opened Tuesday for about 13 million yards of fabrics and 2 million blankets. Rumors of large Army contracts in the new future are heard."

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