

American Troops Reach Java

Stimson Promises Offensive War Soon

Attacks On Coasts Expected; Says Must Concentrate Forces; Tells Of New Fighting Units Being Formed

WASHINGTON—(AP)—Secretary of War Stimson said Thursday that the nation should expect attacks "all along our coasts and other places" like the raids made by submarines on the Netherlands Caribbean islands of Aruba.

The secretary urged at a press conference that the country be prepared also for pressure, from "thoughtless persons", to scatter defensive forces to meet such attacks.

"Yielding to that pressure would be the surest way I know of to lose the war," Stimson said.

Victory will be won by massing our forces to carry the war to the enemy.

He gave assurance that urgent preparations were being made now for offense.

Noting criticism which he said had been voiced for failure of the United Nations to seize the initiative, Stimson promised that "we will seize every opportunity for counter-attack and the offensive, and every opportunity for surprise."

Many Volunteers

Stimson announced that 90,441 volunteers joined the Army in January, more than doubling the record of any month before Pearl Harbor or in the first World War.

"This shows the men who are going to fight this war are not yielding to the defeatism or despair we sometimes hear of back of the fighting fronts," Stimson said.

He announced at the conference that three historic divisions had been ordered into active service and that a battalion of Filipinos living in the United States had been formed as a part of the Army's speedy expansion.

To speed the expansion of land forces, he said, men would be assigned to the new divisions almost immediately after their induction, eliminating the 13 weeks of basic training normally undertaken at replacement training centers. The basic training will be provided in the divisions themselves.

New Divisions

The divisions ordered into service on March 25, are the 77th, 82nd, and 90th Infantry Divisions, of the organized reserves, which since their demobilization after the First World War have existed only in skeleton form.

The 77th, made famous in 1918 by the episode of the "Lost Battalion" will be assembled and trained at Fort Jackson, S. C., with Major General Robert L. Eichelberger commanding.

The 82nd Division, which in the World War included Sergeant Alvin York, will train at Camp Claiborne, La. Major General Omar B. Bradley was assigned to command it.

The 90th Division will train at Camp Barkley, Texas, and be commanded by Major General Henry Terrell, Jr. It was known as the "Alamo Division," in 1917-18 because its members came from Texas and Oklahoma.

Stimson also announced that the National Guard's 18 large square divisions would be reorganized into smaller, streamlined, triangular divisions, to conform with other such units of the armed forces.

The three new reserve divisions ordered into service are the first of 27 reserve divisions to be called out in expanding the Army this year to 3,600,000 men.

The Filipinos will form the First Filipino Infantry Battalion, and will be stationed at Camp San Luis Obispo, Calif. The new unit, Stimson said, was "formed in recognition of the intense loyalty and patriotism of those Filipinos who are residing in the United States," and will give them "the eventual opportunity of fighting on the soil of their homeland."

"We are on the front lines ourselves now," Stimson said. "We can't buy our way out, we can't produce our way out. We can only fight our way out by hard, intelligent fighting."

The war secretary said that he expected many pleas would be forthcoming as in the past for scattered defensive measures and explained that the principal of keeping forces intact for the offense did not mean that protective efforts would not be made.

Stimson said he had not seen a plea for anti-aircraft protection for Detroit and the Soo locks in Michigan, made by Governor Murray Van Wagoner to President Roosevelt, and referred by the White House to the War Department.

CONNALLY TO BROADCAST ADDRESS ON WASHINGTON

The address of Senator Tom Connally, "Washington and Free Masonry," will be broadcast at 6.15 p. m. Sunday by the Columbia network. Connally is a 33rd degree Mason. News concerning the broadcast was sent to Midland by the secretary of the El Paso Consistory, Scythian Rite.

Mark McGee Directing Meeting Of West Texas Rationing Board Here

McArthur Men Stop Big Drive

WASHINGTON (P)—The War Department reported Thursday that the Japanese were increasing pressure on General Douglas MacArthur's defense lines on the Bataan Peninsula in the Philippines, and troop movements indicated a resumption of the enemy offensive.

Several flame throwers, a communique said, were captured along with three pieces of artillery in a relatively minor local action, along with other Japanese equipment.

Meanwhile Japanese batteries on the south shore of Manila Bay poured shells on the Corregidor string of fortifications, "without accomplishing a great amount of damage." Fire was concentrated on outlying Fort Frank, southernmost of the fortifications.

Chinese Army In Thailand Advance

CHUNGKING (P)—An army spokesman predicted Thursday that Chinese forces soon would strike into Thailand in a counter-offensive at the flank of the Japanese, but said the only engagement so far had been a minor action in which Japanese forces were hurled back from a foothold in Northeastern Burma.

He said this engagement occurred Feb. 5 at Tkyaid on a small, shallow tributary of the upper reaches of the Mekong River where Japanese and Thai units took up a position just inside Burma near the Thailand-French Indo-China frontier.

The invaders, falling back, destroyed the pontoon bridge they had used to cross the stream, the spokesman said.

Thirty Japanese were killed, he said, and others wounded.

Supt. G. A. Heath To Attend School Meet In San Francisco

Superintendent George A. Heath of Midland Schools left Wednesday night for San Francisco where he will attend the Convention of American Association of School Administrators.

Programs of the convention will present discussion of the various phases of American Schools in connection with the national emergency, and stabilization of morale. West Texas school superintendents beside Heath attending the convention represent Amarillo, Pampa, Crane, Odessa, Lubbock and others.

150 Men Of Area In Study Of Automobile, Tire Allocation Plans

Tire and automobile rationing boards, city officials and chamber of commerce leaders are in Midland Thursday, meeting at the Scharbauer Hotel throughout the afternoon, to hear plans of operations outlined by Mark McGee, State Rationing Administrator.

Detailed discussions of the plans for carrying on this element of wartime conservation is being participated in by leaders of the West Texas area.

Representatives are here from cities and counties in more than 20 counties. Counties included in the sessions are Taylor, Nolan, Mitchell, Howard, Ector, Ward, Reeves, Pecos, Dawson, Gaines, Lynn, Terry, Scurry, Reagan, Martin, Upton, Jones, Borden, Yoakum, Garza, Andrews, Coke, Sterling, Glasscock, Winkler, Levins, Crane, Irion, Tom Green, Lubbock, Hockley, Cochran and Fisher.

British Cabinet Change Expected Within Few Hours

LONDON (P)—Prime Minister Churchill, impressed by the firmness of House of Commons opposition to the present government, is expected to announce the entry of Sir Stafford Cripps and Captain Oliver Lyttleton into the war cabinet before a crucial debate on the war at the next Commons session, informed sources declared today.

Sir Stafford, former ambassador to Moscow, would enter the cabinet without departmental duties, these sources said. Lyttleton, now minister representing cabinet in the Middle East, probably will be appointed Churchill's deputy minister of defense to coordinate the branches of the service.

500,000 Minutemen Planned West Coast

SAN FRANCISCO (P)—A minute man organization of some 500,000 Pacific Coast huntersmen was visualized Thursday by Gen. Paul B. Malone, U. S. A., retired, leader of the movement.

Some 300 rifle and shotgun experts from Northern California, all above draft age, attended the first meeting. All licensed hunters in California, Oregon and Washington are prospects.

Professor "Dodo"



The man in the street believes an impressive number of victories is being accumulated for publication on the Feb. 23 anniversary, which coincides with the start of the ninth month of the Russian-German war.

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OCD's Dancing Darling Quits



Mayris Chaney, right, Co-ordinator of Children's Activities in the Office of Civilian Defense, dictates a letter to OCD Director Dean James Landis offering to resign from her \$4,600 a year post to halt further controversy. Taking the dictation is secretary Lenore Hanwitz. (NEA Telephoto)

Higher Income Taxes, Or Sales Levy Looms

Morgenthau Says Plans Still Unsettled On How Raise War Budget

WASHINGTON (P)—Treasury Secretary Morgenthau said Thursday "there are still some important points yet to be settled" in the administration's effort to get \$9,000,000,000 of new taxes including \$2,000,000,000 in increased Social Security levies.

Describing conferences underway for several weeks between experts of the Treasury and Congressional committees, the secretary told reporters about "60 subjects" had been taken up and agreements reached on most of them.

While Morgenthau declined to go into further detail, it was understood that the unsettled points were such vital issues as whether there should be a sales tax, or a payroll tax, or what method should be used to tax excessive corporate profits, and some important phases of individual income taxes.

Mark Nazi For Death As Celebrate Red Anniversary Day

KUJBSHEV, Russia (P)—The Russian people are looking forward eagerly to the 24th anniversary of the creation of the Red Army next Monday with the expectation that widespread liberation of Soviet soil from the Germans will be announced.

Soviet information bureau communiques indicated Russian troops are advancing steadily in their winter offensive and press dispatches has told of a thrust into White Russia, but specific lines of action and cities retaken recently have not been disclosed.

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Soldiers, Bombardiers Strengthen Dutch As Indies Crisis Is Near

Japanese Bomb Australian Port; Closing In On Rangoon; Expect Full-Fledged Attack Australia

By Roger D. Greene, Associated Press War Editor.

American and other foreign troops have arrived in Java, it was disclosed today, ready to aid in defending the heart of the rich Dutch East Indies against the encroachment of Japan's invasion hordes driving into nearby lower Sumatra.

Aneta, official Dutch news agency, said American ground troops, relatively small in number, as well as United States bombers and fighter pilots were now seen frequently in the island.

Nation-Wide Gas Ration Possible, Ickes Believes

WASHINGTON (P)—Petroleum Coordinator Ickes said Thursday he foresaw "a possibility" of nationwide rationing of gasoline, but expressed hope that measures now being taken would avoid such curtailment in any part of the country.

He disclosed that every effort was being made to bring into service new thousands of rail freight cars to tunnel petroleum into the East, where he said stocks of petroleum products showed a further decline of 1,600,000 barrels last week. Ickes told his press conference Leon Henderson, price administrator, was preparing gasoline rationing plans against the possibility such measures would be needed.

He said efforts were being made to find 5,000 to 10,000 rail tank cars in the Midwest to put into service hauling petroleum products to the Atlantic seaboard, to raise by approximately 75 per cent the record-breaking delivery of 256,700 barrels daily now being delivered by rail to the Eastern states.

American Prisoners First War Far Less Than In Present War

WASHINGTON (P)—Navy Department officials recalled Thursday that only fifteen of the Navy's personnel were taken prisoners by Germany during the first World War, in contrast to the total of 1,009 Navy and Marine personnel reported by the Japanese since their attack on Pearl Harbor December 7.

Among the prisoners taken by Germany during the first World War was Edouard V. M. Isaacs, who now is a member of Congress as Representative Edouard V. Izac (D-Calif.). His name has been changed legally, the Navy records showed.

Another prisoner of the Germans was Artemus L. Gates, who now is Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Air. Lieut. Gates was captured by the Germans when the French airplane he was flying was shot down behind the German lines in combat with enemy planes.

Uncle Sam's Flying Nephews Adopt Hard-Hitting Names That Fit Them

SAN ANTONIO (P)—With twenty-two Army Air Corps training schools in cowboy land, Texans hear a lot about pilots, bombardiers and gunners; but they haven't heard a lot about what Uncle Sam's flying nephews call themselves.

Out on the level plains in West Texas, where even a short man can see more from a soapbox than a tall one can from the cockpit of a flying airplane in other parts of the world, are the airmen known as the "Hell from Heaven Boys."

They're the bombardiers at Midland Army Flying School, near Midland.

Meanwhile, down in South Texas at Victoria, near Matagorda Bay, war has brought another dangerous-sounding name to the fledgling pursuit pilots at the Air Corps advanced flying school at Foster Field. They're being called "Satan's Angels."

It was the first disclosure that American soldiers had arrived to bolster the United Nations defenses in the Far Pacific conflict.

Aneta stressed, however, that while the Americans and other reinforcements were jubilantly welcomed by the Dutch, "their numbers are by no means large enough yet."

Meanwhile, Japanese warplanes for the first time attacked the Australian mainland, bombing the Allied naval base at Darwin; and in the battle of Burma, Tokyo dispatches asserted that Japanese troops had advanced within 75 air-line miles of Rangoon.

Rangoon, the Burmese capital, is the chief port of entry for war supplies to China.

In the Dutch Indies, a bulletin from N. E. I. headquarters said, Dutch troops were still battling fiercely against Japanese invasion forces around the great oil center of Palembang, in Lower Sumatra.

The Dutch command said Rising Sun planes raided an air field in Western Java Thursday, causing "some damage," following up Wednesday's 24-plane attack on the big Allied Naval Base at Soerabaya in Eastern Java.

The aerial assault on Darwin, perhaps signalling a new invasion attempt by Japan's far-flung armies, lasted an hour.

Blum Says Court Cannot Try Case

Pitiful French Fiasco Upset As Session Opens

RIOM, Unoccupied France (P)—In a dramatic outbreak Thursday at the opening session of the French war defeat trial, former Premier Leon Blum, one of the defendants, attacked the constitutionality not only of the court but of the present government of France.

Blum, the Socialist leader, pale and haughty as before the war, asked the court to declare itself unconstitutional since, he said, the Republic itself exists and under its laws only the Chamber of Deputies has a right to indict a minister while only the Senate has the right to try him.

The bombardiers are called the "Hell From Heaven Boys" because "they're the ones who are going to drop the right loads from the sky in the right places. They're the fellows who are going to give the little beer-colored boys of the Pacific the bomb's rush."

"Pilots may do the swinging, but the men in the air corps refer to themselves. For instance, 'Satan's Angels' at Victoria before Pearl Harbor were called 'Dive and Zoom Boys' and even by the uncomplimentary term—'Pea-Shooters.'"

Uncle Sam will soon be training even more of these "Angels" when his new fighter school at Lake Charles, Louisiana, opens next month.

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So Little Is Asked Of Us

For nearly 10 years the German people have lived on a closely rationed and curtailed diet. They have lived without automobiles (on anything comparable to the scale on which they are used here). They have been forced to scrimp and save and sacrifice.

Why? In order that the great military machine might be built which is now overrunning civilized Europe.

For more than 10 years the Japanese people, whose living standard always has been pitifully poor, have lived on bare subsistence, cutting deeper and deeper each year into a scale of living beside which that of an American family on relief is regal.

Why? To build the ships and planes that struck at Pearl Harbor. To build the ships and planes that equip the men who now run amok in Malaya, the Dutch Indies, and the Philippines.

For nearly 20 years the Italian people have been ground beneath a tyranny which has constantly taken more and more from the daily living of a people already by American standards desperately poor.

Why? To build the planes that bombed the Ethiopian natives, the tanks that rolled across Libya, the ships that bedevil the Mediterranean.

Now the world faces the result of all that sacrifice and denial, faces the weapons forged from the people's daily bread. We are in deadly conflict with all that, as it is now plain we must sooner or later have been anyway.

Now we can't get new cars and tires. It may be a little difficult to get all the sugar one wants. Sometimes pay lags somewhat behind a rising cost of living. Profits aren't what they were. Everybody is asked to work harder and longer. It may not be easy to get gasoline for "Sunday driving." We are asked to lend (not give) our savings; pay higher taxes.

Yet one hears occasional grumbling and complaining. Not from the two million men already called to arms; not from the two or three million men to follow; generally speaking they are ready to do what is necessary to be done.

Complaints come usually from those least hurt, and the violence of the complaint is usually in inverse proportion to the amount of sacrifice.

In Greece, the children starve in the streets. In France, a proud people has been made to ask for scraps. In Norway and Czechoslovakia, free and upstanding folks cope daily and unarmed against a greedy invader in their midst. In Poland and Yugoslavia, people are hunted down like animals. In Britain, peaceable folk have seen their homes tumble about their ears while the bombs took horrible toll.

It is to avert these things that we are asked to sacrifice. In comparison with them, so little has been asked thus far!

—Buy Defense Bonds and Savings Stamps—

Danzig Still Not German

It all started over Danzig. The German Fuehrer, weeping and pounding his chest, insisted that there could be no compromise between Germany and Poland on Danzig. Danzig was German, German by heritage and by present population. No compromise. So there must be war.

Now the Koelnische Zeitung is quoted as telling of the German difficulty in "Germanizing" the territory around Danzig. It seems that Germans in West Prussia are actually in a minority, to the distress of Gauleiter Forster. They insist on speaking Polish, resisting "Germanization."

On such grounds as these, Hitler plunged a world into war.

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He Who Got Slapped

The very least R. J. Thomas, head of the United Auto Workers, could do was to order back to work men who thrice halted production of essential bomber parts because somebody got mad and slapped somebody else. Thomas did order them back, and they went.

Yet so childish a performance makes the heart sick at a time when men are dying, literally dying, for the lack of aircraft whose production was thus held up. The U.A.W. is not directly to blame, of course, for no responsible union official would countenance a stoppage in days like these for so infantile a cause. But it does prove that the "business as usual" psychology is common to all groups.

It was not an auto workman who got slapped in this little tragedy-comedy. It was some soldier, crouched in a fox-hole in Bataan.

Elect Little Director Southwestern Life Co.

D. A. Little of Dallas, president of the Magnolia Petroleum Company, has been elected a member of the board of directors of Southwestern Life Insurance Company.

board created by the death of the late E. R. Brown, chairman of the board of Magnolia Petroleum Company, who had been an active director of Southwestern Life since 1929.

President O'Donnell also announced that it was decided that the company would not hold its annual agency convention this year but that United States Defense Bonds and Stamps, equal to the full estimated cost of the convention, would be distributed among the agents who had qualified to attend the convention.

Election of Little fills the vacancy on the insurance company's

Personal Gifts May Now Be Made For Planes, Any Purpose For War

WASHINGTON (AP)—Texans who have been dropping a penny in a bottle each time an American boy knocked down an Axis plane soon should be able to make the contribution knowing that they are helping to send one more American plane up and at 'em.

One provision in the second War Powers Bill (S2208) expected to become law shortly specifies that the Treasury may accept gifts of money, property, or services, made on condition that they be used for a particular purpose.

Under existing law the Treasury has been able to accept gifts of money only when the donors agreed to let the sums be put in with the miscellaneous receipts, or if the gift was something else let it be sold and the revenue put in the miscellaneous fund. Consequently, when individuals or groups of any kind presented the government money collected in such drives as the "penny-a-plane" campaigns in Texas, the Treasury could only toss it into the miscellaneous receipts fund.

Patriotic citizens in Marshall, Waco, Harlingen, Beaumont, Port Isabel, Trop and other towns of Texas have sent in funds, Treasury officials, in appreciation of the motive of these people and others like them in every state, came to Congress and asked for legislation which would permit them to accept gifts for a specific purpose.

The amendment was incorporated into the War Powers Bill, in Title XXII, adopted by the Senate only after heated discussion in the Senate judiciary committee. The bill then went to the House and was concurred in by the House judiciary committee, which had this to say in its report on that section concerning acceptance of gifts:

"As a practical matter, it is impossible to take the money from a particular gift and use it for the purchase of a definite piece of material.

"The provisions of this title, however, would permit the Treasury to accept gifts made for specific purposes and to put them into the existing Congressional appropriations which would most nearly effectuate the intent of the donors in each case, thus supplementing that appropriation to the extent of the gifts. It does so in a manner which will permit this to be done with a minimum of administrative difficulty through the regular accounting and disbursement procedures of the treasury department.

"Since the Pearl Harbor attack over 15,000 persons have made donations of money and other property to the government to be used in the war effort. These donations, which are presently at the rate of about \$2,000,000 a year, came from individuals, schools, fraternal organizations, labor organizations, groups of citizens, and employees of various companies.

"This title will enable patriotic citizens who wish to bear more than their share of the war costs to make voluntary contributions to the war effort.

"While the Secretary of the Treasury has urged that persons desiring to participate in the war effort of the country invest their funds in Defense Bonds or Stamps, or in Treasury Tax Savings Notes, the Treasury has and will continue to receive voluntary donations from those persons who desire to make them, since to deny citizens the right to make voluntary financial sacrifices would obviously have a bad psychological effect.

Jap Race Against Time Endangers All Allied Cause

By DeWitt MacKenzie
Wide World War Analyst

The Japanese, racing against time to beat Allied reinforcements, are rapidly intensifying their offensives against the East Indies and Burma, and the position of the defense in both these strategically vital positions is serious.

As previously remarked in this column, we likely are in for more very bad news in the immediate future. That sort of thing isn't pleasant to discuss, but we shall save a lot of wear and tear on the nerves if we face the facts about these unfortunate situations squarely.

While we are on the subject of bad news, the Mikado's forces appear to have begun their supreme (and they hope their final) effort to crush General MacArthur on the Bataan Peninsula. Indications are that the Japs finally have got set for their all-out offensive.

Now the cold fact about the Philippines seems to be that MacArthur has little hope of holding out without strong reinforcements. He would have had those long ago if there were any way of getting them to him. But there hasn't been, for the Japanese have an overwhelming force of troops ashore and they control both the air and the sea about the islands. In other words, it looks as though the General would have to work the thing out for himself.

In Indonesia the Nipponese are of course, seeking a double prize—the vast resources of the Indies and their strategic strength. Java is the key position and here is centered most of the Dutch Defense, which is considerable. This rich island, together with neighboring Sumatra, represents the last bulwark between the Japanese and the Indian Ocean, and if they force that bulwark they will have opened up a water-way to India and Burma.

The question of whether Java can be held depends on whether heavy reinforcements can reach there in time, and the Dutch are looking to Uncle Sam for this help. What is needed is a large fleet of warplanes of all categories, especially fighter planes to stand off the Jap bombers which have been causing such havoc. As has been emphasized before, a great part of the grief which has come to the Allies in the Southwest Pacific has been due to their lack of air power.

If America is in position to get planes to Java in time, the island may be saved. Without planes there is small hope. Only the Allied war chiefs know whether (1) we have the planes to spare and whether (2) if we do have the planes, we have the facilities to get them to

"The Treasury has not and states that it will not authorize private persons or agencies to conduct special campaigns to raise funds from the public for this purpose. Private persons and agencies, of course, are and will be at liberty to conduct such campaigns on their own initiative, but it is felt that any coercive or high-pressure solicitation by any private person or agency of gifts to the United States should be definitely discouraged."

the scene of the conflict in time.

So far as Sumatra is concerned, there seems small hope of that being held, although the defenders are doing yeoman work. Possession of this island, which lies almost up against Java, would be a tremendous asset to the aggressors in making their final assault.

The Japanese bombing of the Northern Australian port of Darwin Thursday, represents an effort to prevent that base being used to aid Java.

The Japanese drive against Burma has continued to make progress, and they are getting dangerously close to the Rangoon-Lashio railway which feeds the Burma Road to China. The loss of Burma would have far-reaching consequences, not only because it might result in China being strangled but because it would leave the Japs sitting on the doorstep of mighty India.

We are told that there are alternative supply routes into China, but it's my understanding that, while several are being developed, none of them is yet ready. In other words, the Burma Road would seem to be China's only feasible line to the outside world. The cutting of her war supplies would be a disaster.

The British are evacuating civilians from Rangoon, and that doesn't look like a hopeful sign from this distance. Of course, it doesn't necessarily mean that they don't expect to hold this vital port, but at best it would seem to indicate a lack of air power with which to defend the city from Japanese bombers.

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.

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MRS. NORA MARTINEZ

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"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."

Scrap Collection In The Oil Fields Will Start Sunday

DALLAS.—The last week in February, Feb. 22-28, is officially designated Scrap Collection Week for the petroleum industry by Charles F. Roeser, chairman of the industry's old metals and rubber drive for district 3, John W. House, Midland, is directing Midland County drive.

The week set aside for the intensive collection of the oil and gas industry's scrap will open with Washington's birthday and end with the month, Roeser said. Efforts will be made to get all possible scrap collected from leases, yards, plants and the like, and trucked in to collection centers during the seven-day period. Roeser emphasized, however, that the industry's scrap collection will NOT end with the special week, but will go on as long as any scrap is available.

The collection campaign, sponsored by the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association at the request of the Federal government, is already well underway, Roeser said. The district chairman has named chairmen and in some cases co-chairmen for all the larger oil-producing counties of the State, and also appointed State Collection Committee members all over Texas. These are now at work.

The county chairmen will arrange for use of a collection lot near tracks in each collection center and furnish information to local operators and field superintendents. The operators will co-operate with the county chairman in their home counties to move their own scrap there, and with county chairmen in all other areas where they operate, through instructions to their farm bosses and field superintendents. Sample instructions to be signed by the operators and sent their field men have been prepared by the Texas Mid-Continent and mailed the operators for their convenience.

"Most of the scrap iron, steel, aluminum, other metals and rubber will have to be collected at convenient points on the leases, before Collection Week opens," Roeser explained. "It can then easily be trucked in to the collection lots chosen by the county chairmen and at times designated by them. While much of the industry's scrap will be collected during the special week, we are NOT going to quit then. We want to collect all the untold tons of old metal and rubber which our industry has and which our Nation needs so badly right now. Let's get in the scrap."

400 DEFENSE HOUSES TO BE BUILT AT TEXARKANA

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Federal Works Agency today awarded a \$1,133,000 contract to the J. J. Bolinger Construction Company Oklahoma City, for construction of 400 defense houses at Texarkana, Texas, within 130 days.

Cranium Crackers

TAX TROUBLERS

Better have that income tax return filed by March 15, but here are some questions the collector will not ask you:
1. What branch of the government collects the income tax?
2. Why was it necessary to amend the Constitution before Congress could enact a valid income tax law?
3. Name a prominent gangster sent to the penitentiary for failure to pay his income tax.
4. Which is the biggest producer of federal revenue: income tax, liquor excises or the tariff?
5. The governor of what state has proposed reducing his state's income tax rate 25 per cent to ease the burden caused by higher federal taxes?
Answers on Classified Page

HILLSBORO SETS UP OFFICIAL PRAYER DAY

HILLSBORO (AP)—Hillsboro will pray officially each Monday.

The city council has designated 3 a. m. on this day, beginning March 2, for a moment of silent prayer.

The fire siren will inform the citizenship of the time.

Men, Women! Old at 40, 50, 60! Get Pep

Feel Years Younger, Full of Vim
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SOCIETY

Coffee Courtesy For Honorees

Mrs. Anton Theis who has just moved into her new home and Mrs. L. I. Baker who is also a newcomer to the neighborhood were named honor guests when Mrs. A. W. Wyatt, 515 Holmes, was hostess to a neighborhood coffee, Wednesday morning from 10 o'clock until 12.

Mrs. S. B. Roach and Mrs. Chas. Sherwood assisted the hostess. An open fire added coziness to the long living room of the Wyatt home.

Coffee table decorations were in red, white, and blue. Red berries and leaves and white candytuft filled a blue bowl for centerpiece and instead of candles blue vases of red berries were used. The coffee service was blue and the trays were red.

Mrs. M. L. Wyatt poured.

Guests were the honoree and Mmes. O. K. Baker, Clifton Trees, E. M. Allen, W. B. Martin, W. E. Shipp, Stice, E. V. Guffey, E. S. Hitchcock, L. Davies, McDonald, Royer, Roese, Cleveland, S. B. Roach, Milward Miller, Charlie Clark, W. B. Preston, H. G. Bedford, B. K. Buffington, Olive Hamlin, H. S. Collins, R. O. Collins, Mims and Sherwood.

Mrs. Lott Is Hostess To Club

Mrs. Jimmie Lott, 501 W. Texas, was hostess to the Stitch in Time Club, Wednesday afternoon.

Sewing and knitting occupied the club hours. A salad plate was served to Mmes. Harvey Powledge, Ray Beville, Ellis Gonner, Randall Shelton, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be March 4 with Mrs. Randall Shelton, 1208 W. College.

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Vita Vota Class Entertains At Dinner

Vita Vota Class of the First Baptist Church entertained with a dinner, Tuesday evening at the educational building.

Mrs. T. K. Price read "The Old Dutch Farmer".

Sam Spears, department superintendent, presented a talk. Several new officers were elected. Dinner was served to the teacher, Mrs. H. D. Bruce, Mr. Spears, and Mrs. Price, and the following members: Misses Ruth Beville, Lorene Jones, Gladys White, Bonnie Fay White, Sue Cook, Freida Atchley, Minnie McLin, Edna Mae Franks, Henrietta Brock, Rosamene Atkins, Florence Jones, Evelyn Smalley, Laura Lou Howell, and Berne Kidwell.

Party Features First Aid Theme

"First Aid" was the theme cleverly carried out in appointments for the bridge-luncheon with which Mrs. J. W. Hunt and Mrs. C. M. Linehan entertained the Tachies Club at the Chicken Tavern, Wednesday afternoon.

Favors of miniature first aid kits, made by the hostesses, formed hollow squares within which were Red Cross flags waved as centerpieces for the luncheon tables.

Tallies simulated Red Cross first aid books with Mmes. Hunt and Linehan listed as "instructors". They contained clever takeoffs on first aid rules.

Mrs. Bill Cones held high score, Mrs. Jimmie Wilson second high, and Mrs. Hunt binged award.

Club guests were Mmes. H. E. Berg, Cones, Ralph Geisler, S. L. Parham, and Leland Davison. Members attending were: Mmes. W. B. Robinson, Chas. Canfield, Wilson, Elwood Turrentine, Roy Beckmann, and the hostesses.

Mrs. W. B. Robinson and Mrs. Stanley Moore will be hostesses for the next meeting.

Artists' Works To Be Displayed

The public is invited to attend the showing of pictures from the Rocky Mountain Artists Association at the Palette Club Studio, Saturday from 10 o'clock until 5.

Paintings made by various Association members are displayed. Among the artists are: Al Bryant of Grand Junction, Colorado, who paints landscapes; LeConte Stewart, director of Art at the University of Utah; Mrs. Luther Hofman of Wichita Falls, who makes mostly flower studies; E. Martin Hemmings of Taos, painter of Indian portraits; Ila McAfee of Taos, painter of portraits and landscapes; Emerson Lewis of San Francisco, landscapist; Carl Sammons of Oakland, land and sea-scapist; and Sheldon Parsons of Santa Fe, who paints pictures of adobes mostly.

T. Euel Liner, District R. R. Supervisor, and Mrs. Juanita G. Butler, District H. M. Supervisor, were visitors to the Midland FSA office Wednesday.

Captain W. W. Legge of the Department of Public Safety was in Midland Wednesday.

Study Club Elects Officers For The Coming Year

Officers for next year were elected at a called meeting of the Twentieth Century Study Club at the home of Mrs. Joseph Mims, 714 W. St. W., Wednesday evening.

They are: Mrs. C. L. Chase president; Mrs. F. R. Wallace first vice president; Mrs. Geo. Heath second vice president; Mrs. Fred Brasted recording secretary; Mrs. Ross Carr corresponding secretary; Mrs. John M. Speed, Jr., treasurer; Mrs. W. G. Epley reporter; Mrs. Stanley Erskine parliamentary.

The club voted to donate to the Penny Art Club fund, to the district art exhibit, to the scholarship loan fund, and to the district president's gift.

Mrs. F. R. Wallace presided at the session at which the following members were present: Mmes. Leo Brady, Louis Caddell, Robert Cox, W. G. Epley, Raymond Monks, W. M. Osborn, Ed Pritchard, John Redfern, W. L. Simmons, R. P. Simpson, Wallace, Speed, and the hostess.

Temporarily at home here, the couple will move soon to a farm at Prairie Lee to live.

Next Tuesday the club will meet with Mrs. Redfern, 308 South N at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Chanslor Has Dessert-Bridge For Cactus Club

High score went to Mrs. Merle Fulton and binged award to Mrs. S. H. Hudkins when Mrs. R. Chanslor, 605 W. Ohio, was hostess to the Cactus Club with a dessert-bridge, Wednesday afternoon.

Handpainted pictures were presented to the winners.

Two tables of bridge were played. Flower-design tallies were employed and narcissus was the room decoration.

All club members were present including: Mmes. J. Wray Campbell, Robert Cox, Jas. R. Day, Wallace M. Ford, Fulton, Hudkins, J. A. Tuttle, and the hostess.

Mrs. J. H. Hodge Reads At Session Of Play Readers

Play Readers met with Mrs. W. T. Schneider, 2000 W. Brunson, Wednesday afternoon to hear Mrs. J. H. Hodge read "The Land Is Bright" by Kauffman and Ferber.

Mrs. Louis F. Caddell was a guest. Members present were: Mmes. Wallace Irwin, Chas. Klapproth, W. B. Stowe, De Lo Douglas, Elliott Barron, Fred Wilcox, Hodge, E. K. Buffington, W. W. LaForce, Robert Muldrow, Fred Fuhrman, F. E. Kingon, W. L. Haseltine, Miss Eloise Norman, Miss Geraldine Dabney, and the hostess.

Miss Norman will be hostess to the next meeting with Mrs. LaForce reading "Right You Are" by Pirandello.

Personals

Dr. W. B. Irvin, Superintendent of Lubbock Public Schools was a visitor in Midland Wednesday. He was enroute to San Francisco to attend the American Association of School Administrators Convention.

Women's Golf Association will hold its weekly luncheon at the Country Club, Friday afternoon at one o'clock. Reservations should be phoned to the hostess, Mrs. Fred Hogan.

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Friday morning from 9 o'clock until 12 and Friday afternoon from 1:30 o'clock until 5.

Advanced nutrition group will meet with Mrs. T. M. Roper, 609 N. Marienfeld, Friday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

World Day of Prayer will be observed at the First Christian Church at 10 o'clock Friday morning. The program is sponsored by the United Council of Church Women and all churches and individuals are invited to attend.

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

Friday Needle Club will meet with Mrs. D. Davis, 410 S. Main, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

SATURDAY Story Hour in the children's library at the courthouse will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Treble Clef Juvenile Music Club will meet at the Watson Studio, 210 W. Ohio, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

Dance in the soldiers recreation hall Saturday night from 8:30 o'clock until 11:30, limited to soldiers in uniform and Midland Corps Club members. The affair will be informal and there will be no dates. Corps Club members wishing transportation are asked to call the hostesses, No civilians.

Country Club members will have a dinner and bingo party, Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, at the clubhouse. Reservations should be made by calling Mrs. P. H. Liberty, phone 1133.

League of Women Voters will meet with Mrs. Hal C. Peck, 1200 W. Missouri, Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. Board meeting at 9:30 o'clock at the same place.

Miss Astrid Bratt Becomes Bride Of Wilbur Casbeer

Miss Astrid Bratt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bratt of Melvin, Texas, and Wilbur Casbeer, son of Mrs. D. A. Casbeer of Prairie Lee Community were married at 10 o'clock Saturday night.

The Rev. John Wharton, pastor of the Assembly of God, read the service at his home.

The bride wore a brown dress trimmed with gold and her accessories were in British tan.

The club voted to donate to the Penny Art Club fund, to the district art exhibit, to the scholarship loan fund, and to the district president's gift.

Temporarily at home here, the couple will move soon to a farm at Prairie Lee to live.

Washington Bridge Is Courtesy For Double Foursome

The George Washington theme distinguished tallies, table covers, and refreshments in appointments for the afternoon bridge with which Mrs. P. B. Coughran, 513 W. Wall, complimented the Double Foursome Club Wednesday.

Playing guests were Mrs. J. K. Davis, Mrs. R. E. Estes, and Mrs. Porter Rankin.

In the afternoon's games, high score went to Mrs. Davis and bingo to Mrs. Estes.

Members present were: Mmes. Houston Hill, T. J. Buchanan, L. C. Mills, Owen Cochran, and the hostess.

Mrs. Hill will entertain the club next Wednesday.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Ranne of Midland have returned from San Diego, California where they visited their son, Charles, who is in naval training there.

District Attorney Martelle McDonald of Big Spring has returned from Austin where he had business relations with the Court of Criminal Appeals. He is now in Midland for the current term of district court.

O. E. Gerron, county attorney of Odessa, was in Midland on business Wednesday.

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Apples Extra Fancy Delicious—Size 113	Lb.	6 1/2c
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Oranges Texas Valencia	10 Lb. Mesh Bag	39c
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Cranberries Eatmor	Lb.	15c

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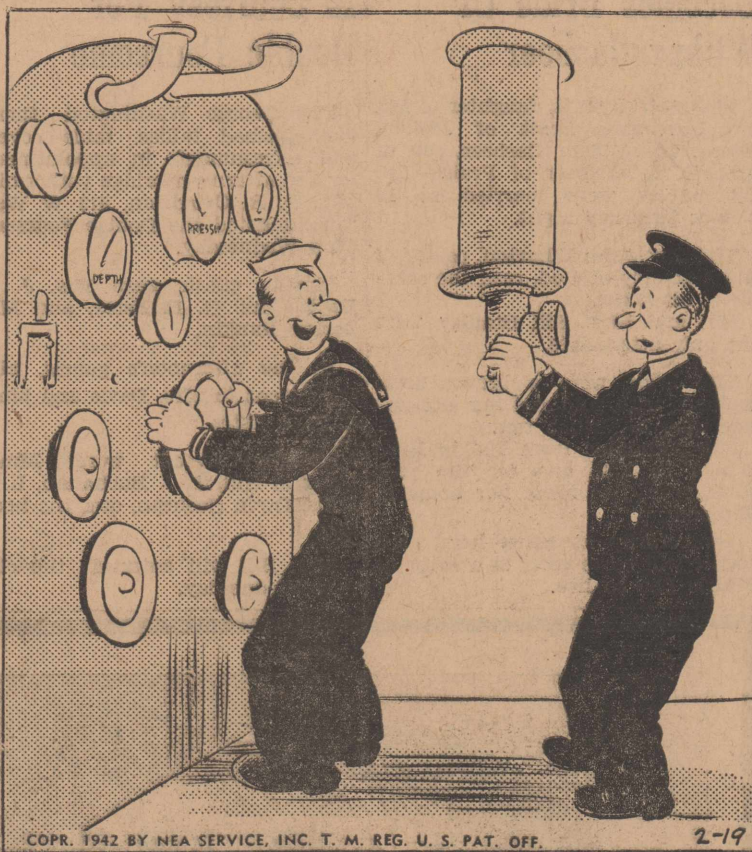
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KINGS ROW

BY HENRY BELLAMANN

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STRANGE FRIENDSHIP

CHAPTER VIII

PARRIS told his grandmother the story that evening after supper. She was indignant. So was Colonel Skeffington, whom they met on the bank steps next day.

"Are they going to do anything about the Singer boy, Colonel?" "Not now, but somebody will aggravate that boy until he does something desperate. 'Twon't be his fault, but they'll blame him, and he'll be in serious trouble."

"Don't you think it would be a good idea to get some sort of employment for him—out of the way somewhere?"

"It would, ma'am. A mighty sensible one. I don't suppose you could take him on your place, could you?" "I've got more help of that kind than I can use, but if you can't find anything else, let me know. I'm sure he doesn't belong in the asylum, as people are saying."

Colonel Skeffington flared above his shining beard. "There you are now! Did you ever notice, Marie, how in this town everybody's always ready to send somebody to the asylum? It's a fact. I think it's a bad thing to have a lunatic asylum in this town."

He chuckled and clawed his beard. "What's more, if you'd turn all the lunatics out and put the rest of us in there, I doubt if you could tell any difference."

TOM CARR moved into the over-seer's cottage the following week. Parris went down to watch the men unload the household stuff. Mr. Carr was the most extraordinary-looking apparition Parris had ever seen.

Mr. Carr was so lively and said so many funny things that Parris laughed. He realized he hadn't laughed much in a long time.

"Oh, you've got a piano!" Parris exclaimed. "Do you play?" "No, sir."

"No, my wife plays. It was her piano when she was a girl. I brought it out from the East with me."

us. Years ago." He added the last two words a bit sadly.

"I'll see you later, Sonny; you must come down often and play for Lucy."

Parris grinned. Decidedly Mr. Carr was a very different sort of person from Sven Gyllinson. The thought of Sven made him "go goose flesh" all over.

It was nearly dark when Tom Carr's horse and cart came in sight again, creaking and creeping along the sandy road. In it was the fattest woman Parris had ever seen.

Lucy Carr wore a dress trimmed with many colors. Innumerable strings of beads lay about her neck, and many cheap rings shone on her tiny hands—deformed-looking, helpless little hands—so tiny that they seemed like doll hands attached to her enormous arms.

The cart rolled into the back yard. Tom Carr hopped out gaily, detached a little ladder, and set it close to the wheel. "Now, then, sweetheart, here we are. Give me your hands. Upsadaisy!"

Lucy wheezed noisily. She said "Ha!" once or twice, and then "Ho! Ho! Ho!"

"Lucy, my love, this is Mrs. von Elin's grandson. Name's Sonny."

She leaned so heavily on Tom Carr that he almost carried her. At the door she turned her ponderous weight slowly. She gasped out some words. "Glad, Sonny, glad."

Tom Carr had proved to be a valuable man. Madame was delighted. Parris went to see the Carrs two or three times a week. Lucy always made him play for her. Sometimes she struggled to the piano and played for him. The sounds were as mad as Lucy Carr herself.

Mr. Carr talked once or twice of Lucy to Madame von Elin. "She was a pretty girl, Mrs. von Elin, and a happy girl. A proud girl, too. When we ran out of money it seemed she just couldn't stand the snubs she got here in Kings Row. She just went out of her head. Then she was happy. I made up my mind she should stay happy. Lucy likes your boy, Mrs. von Elin. I've never seen her take to anyone so before."

A STRANGE friendship sprang up between Lucy Carr and Parris. It had begun a few days after the Carrs arrived. Old Tom saw Parris and hailed him.

"Are you busy right now?" "No, sir."

"Well, Lucy's been asking about you. Wants to see you."

"Yep. Took a fancy to you right off. Tell you what you do. Go down and see her. Let her talk to you for a little while. She gets pretty lonesome."

The mind of Lucy Carr was like something flying in dizzy circles. It darted in and out of the darkness that encompassed her, that pressed always closer as though waiting to engulf her. Parris felt sometimes that if he could only seize her flickering attention and fasten it down, she would suddenly become herself.

"I used to take Lucy to the circus," Tom Carr told Madame one day in late spring. "If you don't mind, I'll take tomorrow off, ma'am. I thought maybe she'd enjoy it again."

When Parris and his grandmother returned that afternoon, they saw Tom's cart before the cottage. He asked to have Uncle Henry fetch the doctor.

"Excitement," said Dr. Gordon, giving Lucy a sleeping powder.

Later Parris went down to the little house and tiptoed into the front room. Lucy Carr lay on the bed, and Tom was rocking her gently, crooning in his deep bass voice.

Lucy saw him. "Look, honey, it's Sonny. Glad, Sonny."

Parris sat down on the edge of a chair and waited. She closed her eyes and slept for a while. Her breathing was louder than he had ever heard it, though she always struggled to get air. It sounded like the turn of a rusty wheel.

Lucy opened her eyes after a while. They seemed to roll loosely in her head. "Sonny, play," she gasped.

Parris sat down and began to play. The weird sounds jingled and crackled under his fingers.

He played on and on. He heard her breath come more and more slowly, but he thought the awful cranking sound was more frequent.

The afternoon light faded, and the still spring twilight came on gradually. Still Parris played on and on. He thought Lucy must be falling asleep. He could scarcely hear her. The insane witches' music that came from the piano was beginning to make his head ache. The creak of the rockers on the floor slowed and stopped.

Tom Carr laid a hand on his shoulder. "That will do now. Thank you, Sonny."

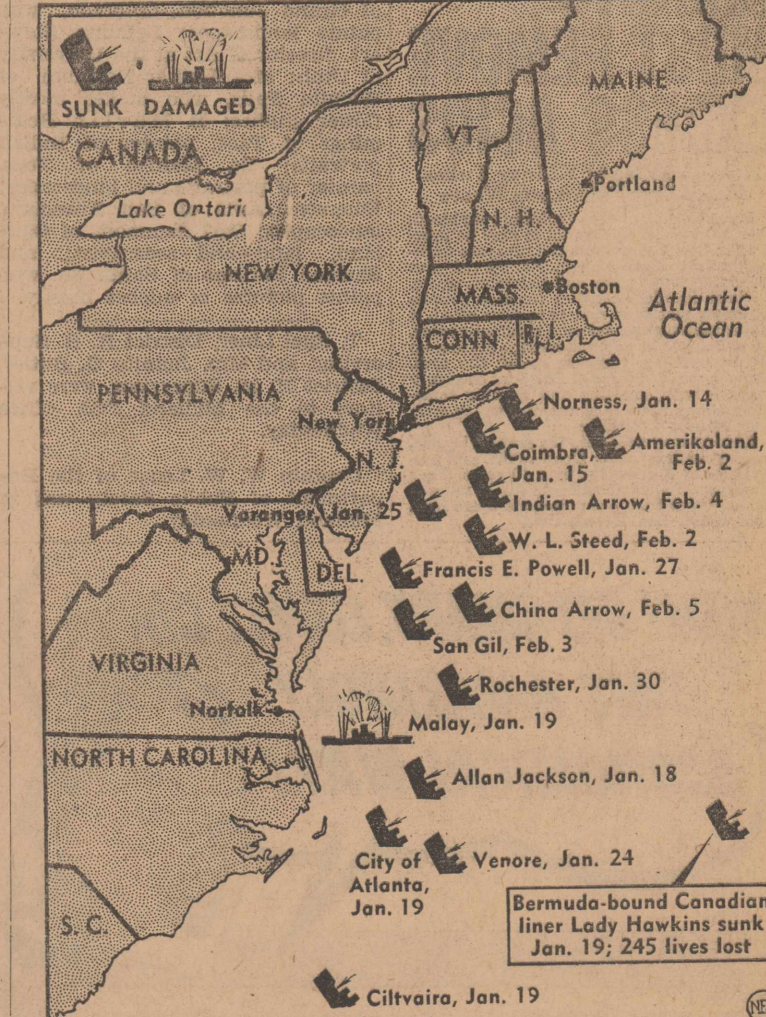
"Is she asleep, Mr. Carr?" Tom Carr shook his head. "She's dead. Will you tell your grandmother, please? And—thank you again, Sonny."

(To Be Continued)

Taking the Air



Fur-trimmed aviatrix Laura Ingalls manages a smile for the camera as she emerges from Washington, D. C., court where she is on trial, charged with failing to register as a German agent.



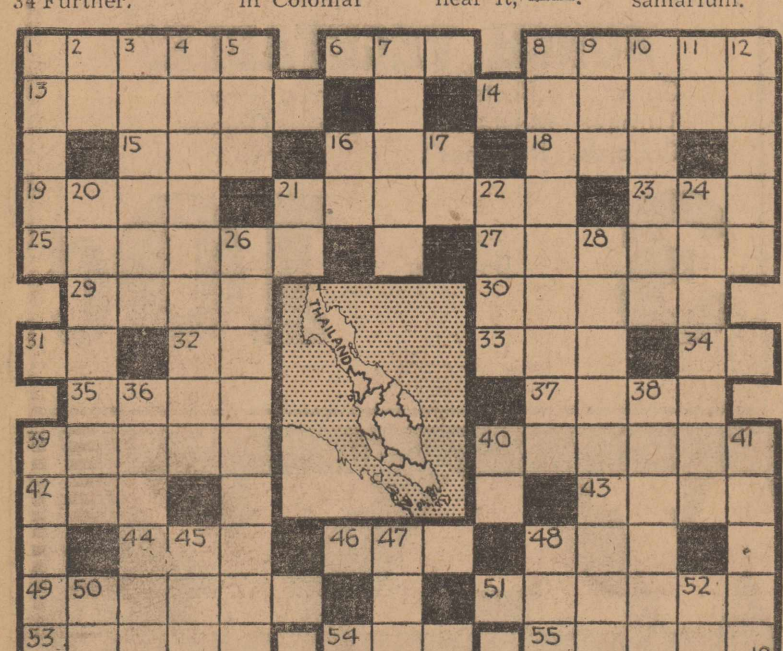
In a month of raiding off U. S. coasts, German U-boats have sunk the 15 vessels spotted on map, damaged another, and sunk 15 others in the north Atlantic off Canada. Nearly 450 lives have been lost in the U. S. coast sinkings which took a toll of 113,163 tons of shipping, including 10 oil tankers.

PART OF BRITISH EMPIRE

HORIZONTAL
1 Depicted part of British Empire, the States.
6 Mill pond.
8 Oriental guitar.
13 Ammonia substances.
14 Long speech.
15 Powerful explosive (abbr.).
16 Short-napped fabric.
18 Purrise.
19 stream demon.
20 Singing voice.
21 Ascending.
22 Thrice (music).
25 Hall.
27 Artists' stands.
29 Low sand hill.
30 Show mercy to.
31 Gold color in heraldry.
32 Symbol for chlorine.
33 Anything small.
34 Further.

Answer to Previous Puzzle
JEANNETTE RANKIN
WEE WAR DOE
PET FIRST DEN
LAD MONITOR LAG
ARFOR EM PA
Y PINT JEANNETTE
LOTH SEA S
ODRAW RANKIN E LA
ODANI NEED L
TRY ATTENDS SAT
YES HAVEN FLY
LTD MEXERA
REPRESENTATIVES

9 God of pestilence.
10 Tear into shreds.
11 Anno Domini (abbr.).
12 Elevates.
13 Japanese measure.
14 Musical syllable.
15 Brigand.
16 In the matter.
17 Bird's home.
18 Substance.
19 Astronomical instrument.
20 Convinced.
21 Encircled.
22 Athenian festival.
23 Girl's name.
24 Railway (abbr.).
25 Sites.
26 Forenoon (abbr.).
27 Eucharistic wine vessel.
28 Philippine tree.
29 Love nest (nit).
30 Fortified British port near it.



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YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE RICH to help American Defense. That's the theme of the above poster, one of the newest of the Defense Savings promotional pieces now going up in streetcars, on bulletin boards, and at other public places. This poster emphasizes the point advanced by the Treasury Department that every American can—and must—pitch in if the United States is to have the arms and the tools necessary to protect her freedom.

Hearts And Bells



Gorgeous home-made wedding cake honors soldier and his bride.

It's Really New Folks, The Play At School Friday

Something new, something different—that is what the Junior Class players say they have in the play which they will present Friday night, "Reserve Two For Murder."

This new mystery play is unique in setting, and packs a lot of thrills and surprises. When it opened in New York it was said by one critic to offer a "fantastic offering combining the features of 'Hellzapoppin' and 'Charlie Chan in Greenwich Village.'"

Push Plans Raise Base Pay In Army

WASHINGTON (AP)—Bills to raise soldiers' and sailors' pay and provide living allowance for their families were pushed forward Thursday by legislative sponsors who criticized the administration for failure to take a stand on the two measures.

Senate Rushes Repeal Of Lamponed Bill

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate gained a step on the House Thursday in the race to repeal the pensions for congressmen law.

Futuristic Jewelry



Time, the Future. Charlotte designed this real-barley necklace, bracelet and ear-ring set, which typifies the costume jewelry to come.

Air-Borne Troops Added By British

LONDON (AP)—The British Army has air-borne troops in training and parachute forces ready now for action, Capt. H. D. R. Margesson, War Secretary, announced Thursday.

Outlining this broad picture of strengthened British striking power, Margesson disclosed that many of the British troops in the ill-starred Malaya campaign had to be sent into action without time "for essential preliminary battle training."

He said, too, that because of equipment shortages and the need for older type weapons already in production, the Army had been unable until last fall to convert large numbers of infantry into artillery and armored units "of which we were woefully short."

Cadet Is Killed In Angelo Crash

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—Aviation Cadet James Robert Lewis, 22, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Lewis of Independence, Kas., crashed to his death at Goodfellow Field here about midnight Wednesday.

THE CURTAIN CALL

Who's Who in "Ghost Train" Three of the character parts in the Civic Theatre's next week's production are those of Saul Hawkins, Miss Bourne, and Teddie Deakin.

Before coming to Midland he was active in the Civic Theatre at Hobbs where he played in "The Drunkard". Miss Bourne, an eccentric spinster, is among those stranded in the railway station where the scene of "Ghost Train" is laid.

ter Wilkinson. He did dramatic work at Pennsylvania State and since coming to Midland has starred as the churchman in "The Bishop Misbehaves" and as the Jewish policeman, Moe Finklestein, in "Margin for Error".

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Make The Wedding Cake At Home

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox NEA Service Staff Writer

A great many readers have asked for a wedding cake recipe "as soon as possible." That's another sign of the times. Many men in uniform are marrying at once.

WEDDING CAKE

Four cups sifted cake flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons combination baking powder, 1 3/4 cups butter, 2 cups sugar, 1 1/4 cups egg whites, 3/4 teaspoon vanilla, 1/4 teaspoon almond extract.

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder, sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add 1 3/4 cups sugar gradually, cream together until light and fluffy.

BOTTOM LAYER: Prepare recipe three times. Turn into 18x12x3-inch pan which has been greased, lined with heavy paper extending about 2 inches above top of pan and again greased.

CENTER LAYER: Prepare recipe 2 1/2 times, using 18x12x3-inch pan. Bake 1 hour and 55 minutes or until done.

TOP LAYER: Prepare above recipe 1 1/2 times. Turn into 18x10x1/2-inch pan prepared as above. Bake 1 hour and 40 minutes, or until done.

DIRECTIONS FOR CUTTING LAYERS

Leave bottom layer as is, trim edges but do not cut down. Cut middle layer into heart shape, measuring 11 1/2 inches wide (at widest part) and 10 1/2 inches long (from bottom tip to center—vertically).

MENU

BREAKFAST: Prunes in orange juice, steamed brown rice, raw brown sugar, enriched toast, coffee, milk. LUNCHEON: Lentil soup with frankfurter ribs, hard rolls, fruit, bowl, tea, milk.

USO Chairman

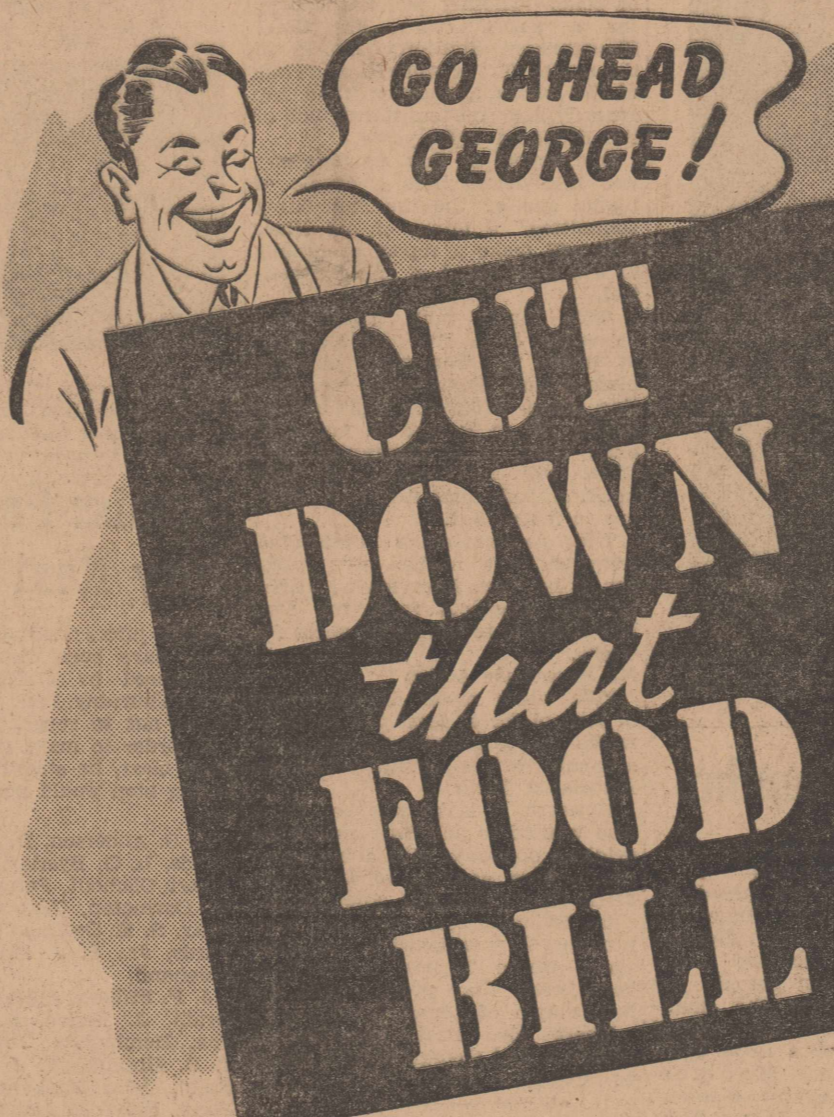


Prescott S. Bush, Greenwich, Conn., World War veteran, succeeds Thomas E. Dewey as national campaign chairman for the United Service Organizations in 1942.

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Advertisement for Eggs, DREFT, and Mission Peas with prices.

Advertisement for Tomato Juice, showing a can and a glass.

Advertisement for Lemons, Spinach, and Oranges with prices.

Advertisement for Cabbages, Broccoli, and Yams with prices.

Advertisement for Lettuce, Oranges, and Grapefruit with prices.

Bulldogs Finish Cage Season At Colorado Friday

Cage teams of 3AA will go into the final games of the season at the various high school gyms Friday night. No game will have title bearing since Abilene downed the Sweetwater Mustangs Tuesday night, and Big Spring, the only team who could have been a possible threat for the title, went down before the charge of Odessa's mighty Broncos to give undisputed district honors to Abilene.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. McKinnon and son formerly of McCarney are now residents of the city. Mr. McKinnon is engineer of the production department, Shell Oil Co.

Capt. B. W. Recer left Thursday morning after a brief visit with his family, for Leavenworth, Kansas, where he will be stationed for two or three months attending a general staff school.

Wool

BOSTON (AP)—(USDA) — Graded French combing length fire territory wools sold in moderate volume at \$1.10-\$1.13, scoured bases, in the Boston wool market today. Graded one half blood French combing territory wools had some demand at \$1.07-\$1.08, scoured basis. Fine combing Delaines were moved in small volume at 45-47 cents, in the grease.

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH (AP) (USDA) — Cattle 1,300; calves 250; all classes cattle and calves fully steady; good and choice fed steers and yearlings 10.25-12.10, common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 7.00-9.75; beef cows 7.10-8.75, canners and cutters 5.00-7.00; bulls 6.50-12.00, culls 7.00-8.00, stocker to 9.00; fat calves 6.25-12.00, culls 7.00-8.00; stocker steer calves 12.50 down.

Hogs 1,400; market 10-25 lower than Wednesday's average with late sales mostly 10-25 lower; top 13.00; most good and choice 12.00-12.75; good and choice 12.00-12.75; packing sows and pigs steady, packing sows 11.00-25; stocker pigs 10.00 down.

Sheep 500, all classes steady; mixed grade, woolled lambs 10.25-50, woolled yearlings 9.50, with 8-year-old wethers out at 8.50 and aged wethers at 7.50; feeder lambs 9.25 down.

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Plane Baseball Talk



Sgt. Hank Greenberg chats with Yankee clipper, Joe DiMaggio from the seat of plane at MacDill Field, Fla., where former Detroit slugger is stationed.

Assistant Naval Chief in Orient



Seagoing assistant to the new allied naval commander in the Far East is U. S. Rear Admiral William A. Glassford, above. He will probably command forces at sea while Dutch Vice Admiral C. E. L. Helfrich handles naval strategy ashore.

Gradual Food Cost Rise Is Expected

DALLAS (AP)—The Texas Wholesale Grocers Association, which ends a two-day convention here Thursday, Wednesday heard its President, J. D. Patterson of Tyler, predict a gradual rise in cost of food.

Home-grown fruits and vegetables will be featured in retail stores, Patterson believes. The rubber shortage, he declared, might help the neighborhood grocery by eliminating itinerant peddlers and roadside stands.

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Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr. (Wide World Columnist)
NEW YORK.—You've heard all about those big purses fighters sometimes collect, but do you know the smallest ever earned for a main event in Madison Square Garden? It was \$3.09, collected by Walter Neusel, the German heavy-weight, for fighting Ray Impellerette back in 1933.

Postman's Paragraph
After hearing just so many wisecracks about that \$15,000 coaching salary Burt Shotton will get from Cleveland, Bob Hoey of the Ohio State Journal rises to state that the figure is correct but that the retiring Shotton wasn't the one who told about it.

Jacobs Beachcombing
Recent visitors to cauliflower corner include Private Al (Bummy) Davis, home for treatment of an infection on his hands, and John Reed Kilpatrick, the Garden boss, who came back from military duty in Texas sporting a brigadier general's insignia.

Today's Guest Star
John Mooney, Salt Lake Telegram: "Students of evolution shouldn't be surprised that basketball officials have taken to working games from a 'crow's nest' above the playing floor. Our maligned referees have been given the bird, hooded and cawed at so much it is only natural that they should adopt the nesting habit to call fouls."

Pooh, Pooh, Purdue
Favorite yarn among Big Ten basketball coaches concerns one of their number who went to scout Purdue. After the game he was seen tearing up his notes. "How can you tell what they're going to do," he demanded "when they don't know themselves?"

Basketball Scores
Texas Tech 48, Arizona State (Flagstaff) 25.
Hardin-Simmons 36, Arizona 31.
Oklahoma A&M 38, Tulsa 25.

Many Fans Help Yale Select New Football Coach

By Sid Feder
NEW YORK (AP) — Everyone is picking a new Yale football coach these days—except Yale.
It's the season's favorite indoor sport. If you want to get into it, just write your selection down and mail it with two box tops from your favorite breakfast food. After all, what can you lose?
Up to now absolutely nothing official has been done. The inside word, however, is that the matter has narrowed down to a question of policy—whether this Elis will go for a "name" coach, like Clark Shaughnessy, Stanford's master of the model "T," or will ride with one of the fellows already on hand, say Ivan Williamson, assistant pilot of the Blues for eight years.

Dismiss Petit Jury Next Week
Petit jurors summoned for next week have been dismissed, it was announced by Judge Collings at noon Thursday. Men summoned are asked not to report.

Scout Honor Court Planned By Butler
The Boy Scout Court of Honor of the Midland District for the month of February will be held in the Midland County courthouse Friday at 8 p. m., under the direction of John P. Butler, advancement chairman for the district.

Hotspot Iran's Royal Family
Nazidom's annual spring surprise may spell trouble for new Shah of Iran, former crown prince Mohammed Riza Pahlavi, shown here with Queen of Iran, sister of Egypt's King Farouk, and their child. Shah succeeded to tottering throne abdicated by his father as British and Soviet forces moved in.

Table Unemployment Benefits Proposal
WASHINGTON (AP)—The House Ways and Means Committee voted Thursday to table the administration's \$300,000,000 program of unemployment benefits to workers temporarily thrown out of jobs while factories are converted to wartime production.

Fishing for \$\$\$
Joe DiMaggio, still casting for a salary hoist from New York Yankees, fondles fishing pole reflectively at St. Petersburg.

THREE STEPS TO TOKYO
Map showing routes from the US to Tokyo via Manchukuo, Soviet Russia, and Japan.

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Round Steak, ground while you wait, lb. 25c
Prime Rib Roast, cut from Swift's heavy meat, lb. 32c
Sausage, 100% pure pork in sacks lb. 39c
Calf Liver, lb. 39c

Midland Boy, Others Of Region In Navy List Of Japanese Prisoners



Among Texans listed Thursday by the Navy as missing and presumed to be Japanese prisoners of war, is Charles Walter Sapp of Midland, son of Mrs. Mary Sapp. He is a member of the Marine Corps, and was on duty at Wake Island, where the Marines sunk three Japanese ships and took a heavy toll of the attackers. His small group of fellow Marines heroically defended the island for many days against overwhelming odds.

His mother was notified a week ago that he was believed to be a prisoner in Japanese hands, and that he was presumed to be alright.

Lloyd Alton Dixon of Odessa, a member of the Navy personnel, and stationed at Wake Island; and Lane Everett Ligon of Kermit a Marine stationed at Guam, are other West Texans of this immediate territory who are among the prisoners taken by the Japanese.

Ninety-four Texans were listed by the Navy Department as being among the officers and enlisted personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps, and civilian employees of public works projects, who are deemed likely to be war prisoners of the Japanese.

All were in service in China or on the Pacific Island outposts when the Japanese struck December 7. Because of the interruption of communications and the eliminating of contact entirely when the various outposts were overwhelmed, the Navy cannot have absolute information of the exact status of all individuals who were serving in the armed forces and of civilians engaged on public works.

However, it is declared, from information that has been available up to the time or near the time of the capture of some of the groups, and from the rosters of personnel serving at the different places, it is presumed that those not otherwise accounted for are prisoners of the Japanese.

Chairman Doughton (D-NO) said the committee action "seems to mean that if there is going to be any kind of a bill somebody will have to start all over again."

Doughton declined to disclose how the members voted but it was reported authoritatively that the vote was 16 to 8.

The bill would have provided for federal unemployment benefits to supplement state payments up to 120 per cent of normal state benefits for a period of 26 weeks. State governors have contended that administrative provisions of the proposal would constitute an invasion of states' rights, and would lead to "federalization" of state unemployment compensation programs.

Golf Stars Arrive In New Orleans For Next Major Tourney
NEW ORLEANS (AP)—The nation's golf stars converged here Thursday for the \$5,000 New Orleans Open, next station on the Winter journey which is digging dollars for Uncle Sam out of the country's greens and fairways.

A pro-amateur event was scheduled Thursday and tomorrow will begin the three-way tour over City Park's level but lengthy course.

Around the club house much of the talk was about the way the Professional Golfers' Association has set an example of how organized sports can help in wartime by furnishing not only entertainment, but raising funds for war relief.

Americans Want Sports
"Increased attendance at our tournaments shows the people want sports for diversion," said Fred Grosvenor, PGA tournament manager. "But we think sports can and should do more than entertain in these times."

The PGA's program has featured the appearance of Bing Crosby, Bob Hope and Johnny Weissmuller. They play with outstanding golfers, entertaining the crowd meanwhile, and put on shows for the boys at nearby Army camps. Their services are donated.

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Falla Falls for a Dachshund



Falla, President Roosevelt's famous scotty, has no prejudices about the possible German ancestry of his new dachshund playmate, Albert, which belongs to the President's son James. Thomas Quarters, presidential aide, romps the dogs on the White House lawn.

Widow Will Dedicate Navy's New Destroyer

BOSTON (AP)—The young widow of a Naval patrol plane pilot who gave his life in an effort to save his crew will christen one of two destroyers being launched Friday at the Boston Navy Yard.

She is Mrs. Carleton B. Hutchins of Coronado, Calif., and the vessel, the Hutchins, is named in honor of her husband. The other new destroyer, the Guest, is named for Captain John Guest, a Naval hero of Civil War days, and will be sponsored by his granddaughter, Mrs. Ann Guest Walsh, of Annapolis, Md.

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AND NOW IT'S THE BLITZ BELLES

BALTIMORE (AP)—Meet the "Blitz Belles". It's the name—more formally, Baltimore Blitz Belles—soldiers gave to several hundred women taking orders from the Army's Aircraft Warning Service, filter center here. Soldiers weren't content until they coined a nickname for the gals.

ONE FINE-L FLING

BALTIMORE (AP)—One young man found out that sudden impulses don't pay. The youth figured he was going into the Army pretty soon and he "had an itch to drive" just once before he was called. He drove. It cost him \$200.75 in fines for driving while his license was revoked. And, said the judge, his license stays revoked—permanently.

REUNION WEDDING

PRETORIA (AP)—A wedding in which the bridegroom, the best man and the groomsmen had all been prisoners-of-war in Addis Ababa was celebrated here. All three men were members of the South African Air Force and Voluntary Aid members from the bride's detachment formed a guard of honor.

SOYBEAN TIRES MAY BE NEXT

WASHINGTON, D. C. (AP)—The soybean makes news again, this time as a possible substitute for rubber. Although the scientists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture say it "won't come day after tomorrow," they believe soybean meal can be transformed into rubber.

First introduced into the United States as a food for livestock, it has since been developed into food rich in vitamin value for human beings. Tons of soybeans have gone into plastics, and a material composed partly of synthetic wool was developed from the protein of the bean several years ago.

READ THE CLASSIFIEDS

Pubs, Food Clubs, Gaming Houses At Flourishing Stage

By Paul Manning
NEA Service Staff Correspondent

LONDON—Blitz-free London on a blackout winter night takes its fun where it finds it. As surprised by the absence of air raids as a small boy who expected another whipping and got a bag of candy instead, the British capital is caught up in a nocturnal swirl of gambling, vice, twinning, spying, pleasure and tragedy. When darkness comes, Whitehall, Fleet Street and the City of London are deserted except for passing taxis, buses, a few scurrying pedestrians and grim-visaged guards who stand in the shadows of the Admiralty, War Office and Air Ministry. There's still life, though, up along Piccadilly. If it is Saturday night, a few thousand soldiers and airmen, and the girls will move along in a sweeping stream, keeping always to the sidewalks, because pedestrian accidents in the street still remain high.



NIGHT CLUB
"This is the gay cynical face of night-time London . . ."

Into Lyons Corner House, or a pub, they wander before catching the last movie at one of eight or ten most popular theaters. Maybe they've already been to the pictures, and they join the stream and break away, quickly and step down into Brasserie Universale, which is noisy, smoke-filled and crowded, but the beer and food is inexpensive and there is a loud, brassy band dressed in South American costumes.

BURLESQUE GETS A BIG PLAY

The Windmill Theater remains crowded until after eight, filled with soldiers without girls who watch a London version of a Minsky burlesque and then crowd around the stage door until the chorines exit.

The West End hotels fill up at this hour. Their bars are packed and lobbies swirl with people. At the Dorchester and Savoy, interesting it is that the phonies and bar files who scattered from London when the bombs showered down are now back. Gamblers, chislers, war-dodgers, they're to be found mixed in with the genuine who are relaxing for a brief evening. Spies, too, probably.

Crowded also are several hundred small assorted "black-market" food clubs which the police try to close. Anybody can become a member if they know a person who is a member. There is usually a bar down one side, a radio, phonograph or piano player, a coal fireplace and a dining room to the rear where members can get plenty of steaks, chops, eggs and cheese. Listed as clubs, they cannot be closed unless they make the mistake of selling a non-member liquor.

FLOATING GAMES SHIFT NIGHTLY

Chemins De Fer Club is another type of club which is mushrooming. This high-powered gambling game is legal if played only one night a week at a private residence. So the subterfuge being employed by gambling masters, who earlier in the evening were probably drinking at the Dorchester or Savoy before going on to business, is to rent half a dozen West End homes and have their clientele play from Monday through Saturday at different addresses.

When the big hotels and restaurants close at midnight, night club habitués and service men on leave move on the Coconut Grove, the 400, Le Suisse, the Nut House and the Embassy to dance until four in the morning.

ETERNAL VIGIL IS STILL KEPT

But this is the gay, cynical face of nighttime London. Shy, simple, stolid, important London is the umbrella-carrying men from government and private offices who stream into the subway trains, homeward-bound . . . and down along the Thames, the men who pilot the barges that bring coal to the great plants which supply light and heat to this world's largest city . . . and in the hundreds of first aid posts and ambulance stations and fire-fighting depots, the civilian men and women who continue to show up each bombless night for duty, alert and ready. For no one except the German High Command can say when war over London will begin again.

bread or any other unexpected extra. Try these wafers with Monday's casserole.

CHEESE WAFERS (6 to 7 dozen)

Four cups flour, 1 1/2 teaspoons salt, dash cayenne, 1/4 teaspoon paprika, 1 cup grated American cheese, 1 cup lard. Sift flour with salt, cayenne, and paprika. Cream cheese and lard together. Add dry ingredients. Roll to 1/8-in. thickness and cut with cutter. Place on an ungreased two-quart heat-resistant glass utility dish; sprinkle with additional paprika. Bake in a slow oven (300 degrees F.) for about 12 minutes. For dessert, serve a bowl of sliced bananas, sliced oranges and shredded coconut. Sweeten to taste and chill for at least one hour.

MENU
BREAKFAST: Apple sauce, oatmeal, raisin toast, coffee, milk.
LUNCHEON: Tomato juice, toasted peanut butter whole-wheat sandwiches, cabbage and celery salad, sugar candy, tea, milk.
DINNER: Shepherd's pie, mixed green salad, cheese wafers, sliced bananas, oranges and shredded coconut, cookies, coffee, milk.



UNDERGROUND
This is the important London . . . of men in subway trans

Cheer Up! Most Others Aren't Perfect, Either

By Alicia Hart
NEA Service Staff Writer

"As you know, the men in the U. S. Army prefer tall girls," writes Elsie, who touchingly wants to grow three or four inches.

Well, I don't know. All this reminds me of a couple of things that might be useful to Elsie and any other girl who really worries about her size.

One is this. The glamor girl who is pictured in the newspapers with admiring soldiers represents an ideal of beauty — she doesn't represent the proportions of your neighbors, your real life friends and competitors. At the moment, the ideal that you see stressed everywhere is an extremely long-stemmed creature.

As to real-life average women, consider this: Uncle Sam has just come up with official statistics showing that the "mean" woman is five feet three inches tall and has a 35.6 bust, a 29 waist, and a 38.2 hip. Of course that "mean" woman is purely mathematical too. But how she dramatizes the fact that the average is not the ideal now stressed so much. A very large number of women, says Uncle Sam,

are "short but stout or tall but slender."

BONE STRUCTURE IS UNCHANGEABLE

So Elsie, merely short, is pretty lucky at that.

Fresh is one thing. It can be controlled, within limits. But bone structure, which includes height, is another, and you cannot change it. You can dress to create an illusion of proportions that you aren't, however, and you can change your attitude toward it.

Now one thing that affects your attitude is everybody else's. The constant stress on that wandlike ideal doesn't help you. And here's the other thing I want to mention. I wouldn't be a bit surprised to see and hear less about that long, tall ideal, from now on.

The emphasis hereafter will be increasingly on health, sanity realism in everything, including beauty. And that's going to help you to keep your thoughts off your bone structure.

Be Kind To Leftovers: They're Usable

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox
NEA Service Staff Writer

Leftovers are welcome in a casserole. But remember this—leftover meats and vegetables should never be cooked again longer than to heat through. Treated with kindness, Sunday's leftovers will produce a succulent casserole main dish for Monday's dinner.

SHEPHERD'S PIE (Serves 4 to 6)

One and one-half cups ground leftover beef or veal, 1/2 cup cooked celery, 2 tablespoons cooked sliced onions, 1/2 cup dried cooked carrots, 1/2 cup cooked peas, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon pepper, 1 cup rich gravy, 2 cups hot mashed potatoes.

Place meat in bottom of a well-greased 1 1/2-quart baking dish. Mix together celery, onions, carrots and peas and place over meat. Sprinkle with salt and pepper. Four over cup of gravy. Spread mashed potatoes over top and bake in a hot oven (425 degrees F.) for 20 to 25 minutes or until potatoes are lightly browned.

A Monday leftover dish takes on special interest when served with hot muffins, biscuits, corn-



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McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By Wm. E. McKenney
America's Card Authority

From the table of standard blind opening leads from 26 possible holdings, as given in my previous articles, the reader will see that, with two exceptions, the lead of an honor always guarantees that the leader holds at least the next lower honor as well.

The first exception is that the ace-lead usually denies possession of the king. The second exception is that the king-lead may show the ace rather than the queen—but it does not deny the possibility of the queen or both the ace and queen.

This sequence principle is carried down to the ten. But in connection with the ten, we once more meet a divergence in the lead against no trump and against a suit contract.

Holding	No Trump	Suit
27. J 10 9 2	J	J
28. J 10 8 2	J	J
29. J 10 3 2	2	2
30. J 4 3 2	2	2
31. 10 9 8 2	10	10
32. 10 9 3 2	2	10
33. 9 8 7 2	2	2
34. 5 4 3 2	2	2

In yesterday's article I said that it used to be a rule to lead from the top of a suit against a suit contract with a sequence of K-Q-3-2, Q-J-3-2, J-10-3-2 or 10-9-3-2. Present practice inclines to a low lead from Q-J-3-2 and J-10-3-2, while retaining the honor lead from the other two holdings.

But at no trump, the fourth-highest is the correct lead from anything less than three honors (or equivalents) at the top of a holding. Hence the divergence with holding No. 32.

The lead of the ten itself is most likely to show an "interior" sequence, such as A-10-9-2 (against no trump), K-10-9-2, Q-10-9-2, even A-Q-10-9 (against no trump). It can also be led from 10-9-8-2.

Note holdings 33 and 34. The nine or a lower card is not led from an interior sequence. In each case lead the fourth-highest card. Likewise lead the fourth highest from such combinations as K-9-8-2, Q-9-8-2 or J-9-8-2. The lead of a nine-spot or of any lower card which is too high to be a fourth-best, is reserved to show a holding of less than four cards.

In the table of leads as given so far, it was assumed that the holding was of at least four cards in length. Before we continue the table as to short holdings, a word of warning is advisable.

The reason for opening from a short holding rather than a long one may be that the short suit is a powerful sequence. But more often the reason is that the player's long suit has been bid by an opponent.

The standard leads from short suits are fixed on the principle of deceiving partner as little as possible. But the experienced player sometimes departs from the table, selecting a card calculated to deceive the declarer in a situation where such deception is likely to be worth the risk of confusing the other defender.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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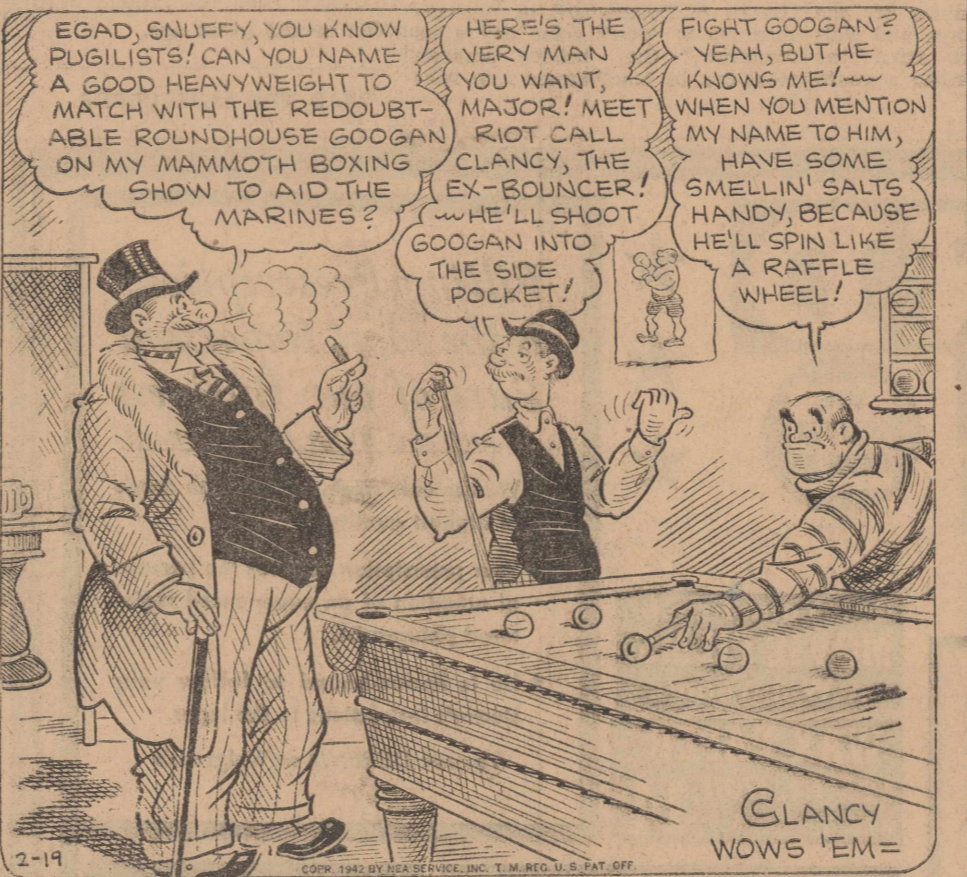
COFFEE RATION CUT BY SWEDISH BOARD

STOCKHOLM, (AP)—In an effort to conserve Sweden's limited supply of coffee, the Food Commission

has cut the ration to 250 grammes (a little more than eight and a half ounces) for adults for the next three months. In addition, no coffee will be issued to householders or to restaurants during the spring and summer months, in order that a limited ration may be available for the ensuing fall and winter months.

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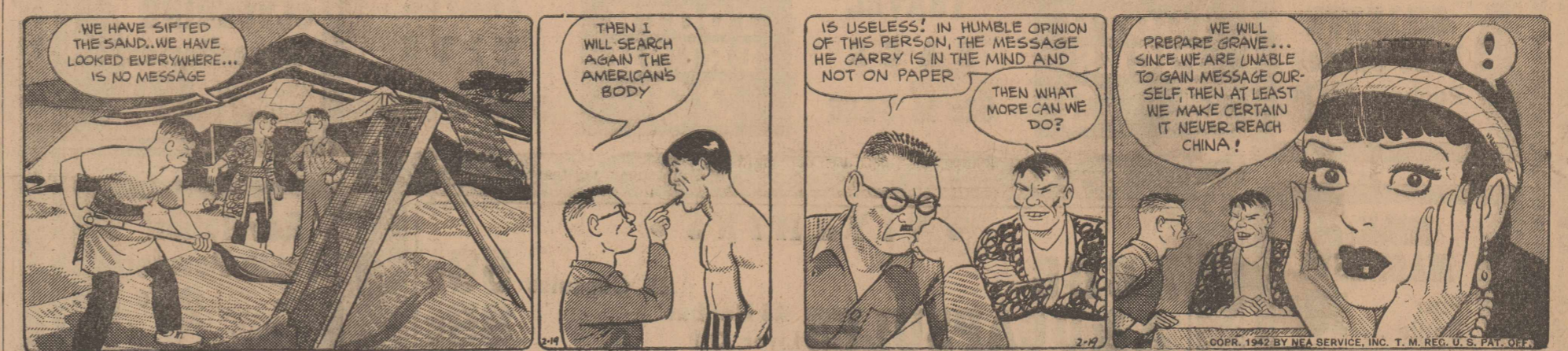
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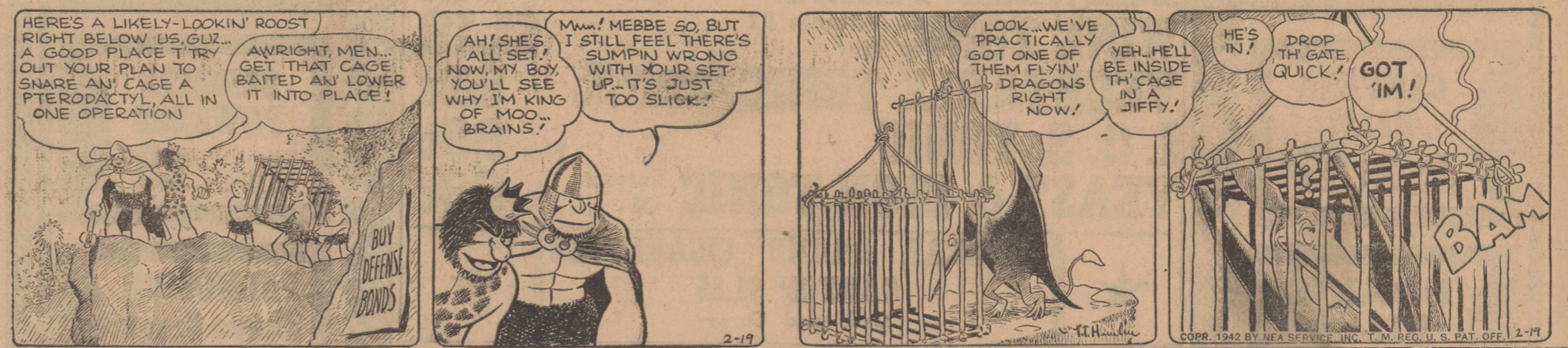
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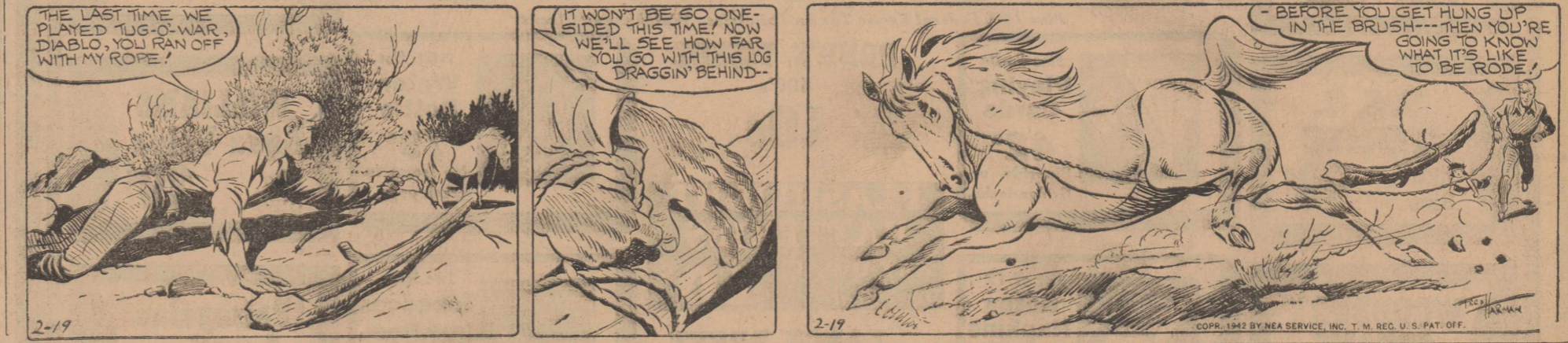
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"Have some things in the house that can be eaten easily, even if you're squatting under a table . . ." Triplett sisters, Jean, Joyce and Julie Armstrong, of Washington, D. C., demonstrates how easy it is as, sitting under the kitchen table, they nibble on bread and peanut butter, plus peach preserves and a box of raisins.

THIS list of foodstuffs, recommended for a war-time emergency shelf, should supply a family of four for four days, according to Paul V. McNutt, Director of the Defense Health and Welfare Services Branch of the FSA.

Milk, evaporated	16 cans
Cheese	4 pars (5 oz.)
Dried peas or beans	1/2 lb dried or 4 cans baked
Peanut Butter	1 lb. par
Vegetables, canned	8 cans (No. 2 1/2)
Tomatoes, canned	4 cans No. 2 1/2 or 6 cans juice
Fruit, canned	4 cans No. 2 1/2
Grapefruit juice	4 cans No. 2
Dried fruit	1 lb. prunes or apricots; 1/2 lb raisins
Meat or fish, canned	4 or 5 lbs.
Prepared cereal	2 packages
Cereal to be cooked	1 lb.
Whole wheat crackers	2 packages
Soda crackers	2 packages
Chocolate bars	16
Cocoa or chocolate syrup	8 oz.
Sugar	1 lb. package
Jam	1 lb. jar
Coffee	1/2 lb. can
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We, the Women

By Ruth Millett
There is one drawback to a woman going in for uniforms. As soon as she gets into a uniform, many a woman is apt to take on a grimly efficient air. She's the victim of a "top-sergeant" complex. She seems to think that a soft, gentle voice, and a smooth serenity are out of keeping with a masculinely tailored uniform and flat-heeled shoes. So she talks a little louder, lets her walk become something like a stride, and tackles whatever job she has to do in a crisp, authoritative, "don't waste my time" manner. And she prides herself on doing her job just as well as a man could do it. But if she hadn't changed her personality to fit her uniform she could have done the job better than a man. That is she could have brought to it the special talent of womanly women—the ability to have a calming reassuring influence on those around her. In every happy well-adjusted household there is one woman who keeps the peace and prevents little tragedies from seeming like big ones.

QUIET MANNER WORKS WONDERS
It is her quiet, unruffled manner that makes it possible for a household of persons of varying ages, interests, and personalities to live together in comparative peace and harmony. And it is her quiet manner that takes the family through many a trying time, when nerves are on edge. Any group that must work together in harmony needs that type of woman. So it is a mistake for women to try to cover up their femininity the minute they get into uniform. If they can't overcome the temptation to do so, they ought to leave the uniforms to men.

Frisco Fights Rumor With Letters To Kin
SAN FRANCISCO (UP)—Rumors that the San Francisco bay area is hysterical with invasion fears are being combated by local residents with letters to friends and relatives. The letters are denying reports that the bay area is blacked out nightly, that night spots and other places of entertainment are closed and that a wholesale program of evacuation is underway. The "morale campaign" began when civilian defense officials received information that many bay area residents had received anxious letters from friends and relatives. Inquirers said they had heard that no news of these developments had leaked out because of rigid war censorship. Available information indicates these fears have been allayed by the direct contact method of personal letters, civilian defense officials said.

BIG HEADS MAKE BIGGER FISCAL YEARS
ANNAPOLIS, Md. (P)—The average Marylander had more hangovers in the fiscal year of 1941 if he does his drinking by the fiscal year than in the fiscal year 1940. State figures show that Mr. Marylander polished off 37 more shots of liquor than in the previous year, nine more drinks of wine, and 40 more bottles and cans of beer. His consumption of draught beer fell off 13 glasses.

calmer and children, especially, are less upset when they have something to nibble on. (b) During a raid, fires or bombs may temporarily disrupt normal food supplies, so it's wise to have some standbys in the house in order that canteens and soup kitchens won't be overtaxed. Second: Please don't be too literal about following the list, item for item, as that's what leads to shortages. The Defense Health and Welfare nutritionists who worked up the list emphasize "it's for those with an imagination of their own" and "it's for the very minimum budget." For instance, if you like canned soup and can afford them, by all means indulge. If you think a can of brown bread would help eke out the eternal crackers, stock up on that. Ketchup, rice, a can of shortening, flour in a water-tight jar—all these basic American commodities can be included. While for the fatter purse, grocery stores offer the tongue-tickling assortment of canned and bottled fare, that any gourmet could desire. Besides, hardly any household gets caught without at least half a loaf of bread, a few eggs, and seasoning on hand.

QUICK PREPARATION IS FOOD ESSENTIAL
The main idea is: Have some things in the house that can be eaten easily, even if you're squatting under a table by candle or flashlight. Have some things that can be made into balanced cold meals, in case gas mains or electricity are turned off or disrupted. Finally, stock nourishing and easy-to-prepare foods that can be quickly heated and served in case members of the family are called on for emergency defense jobs, such as clearing debris, first-aid, transport, fire-fighting. You might even group your cans and bottles in tasty hot and cold combinations and work out a few good menus so that instead of finding yourself jittery and addled in a crisis, you can help maintain your family's calmness and composure by going about meal-getting in an assured and confident manner.

Menus Strike A Patriotic Note

By Mrs. Alexander George
Wide World Features Writer
It's time to focus attention on some special food fixings for George Washington's birthday. With very little extra effort your simplest meal can take on a patriotic theme. Fix gelatin salads in flag or shield shapes and pass the salad dressing in a small dish fitted into a colonial hat favor. Have biscuits or rolls in the shape of stars and cranberry or currant jelly out in shield designs. Cherry stars make an appropriate dessert. Cut out stars from pie crust, put together in pairs with a cherry filling. Press edges with a fork and prick hatchets on top stars with a fork. Bake as usual.

NAUTICAL CHERRY BAVARIAN
(Serves Six)
1 envelope unflavored gelatin
1/4 cup cold water
1 cup canned cherry juice, hot
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/4 cup sugar
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup canned dark red cherries, quartered
1 1/2 cups cream or evaporated milk, whipped

Soften gelatin in cold water. Dissolve in hot cherry juice, add lemon juice, sugar and salt. Stir until dissolved. Cool and when mixture begins to thicken, fold in cherries and whipped cream or milk. Pour into mold which has been rinsed out in cold water. Chill until firm. Unmold on plate, garnish top with anchor design of halved cherries.

COLONIAL GINGERBREAD
Cream 1/2 cup fat and 1 cup light brown sugar, add 2 eggs, 1/2 cup dark molasses, 2 teaspoons cinnamon, 1 teaspoon ginger, 1/2 teaspoon each mace, nutmeg, cloves and salt, 1 cup sweet milk, 1/2 cup raisins, 2 1/2 cups flour and 1 teaspoon each soda and baking powder. Beat 2 minutes and pour into shallow pan lined with 2 thicknesses of waxed paper. Bake 25 minutes in moderate oven (350). The dessert is very good cold or warm, plain or spread with cream cheese, whipped cream or boiled icing.

CHERRY SQUARES: Mix 3 cups seeded cherries, 1/2 cup sugar mixed with 2 tablespoons flour, 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon and 1/4 teaspoon salt. Pour into shallow, greased baking pan. Add 1/2 cup cherry juice and 3 tablespoons butter. Cover with rich biscuit dough. Prick into 2 inch squares with fork. Bake 30 minutes in moderate oven. Cut into squares and stick tiny flags on top each portion.

DUCHESS PUDDING: Mix in double boiler 4 egg yolks (or 2 whole eggs), 1 tablespoon flour, 1/4 cup sugar, 1/8 teaspoon salt and 2 cups milk. Cook a little thick. Stir constantly while cooking. Add 1 tablespoon gelatin soaked 5 minutes in 1/4 cup orange juice. Mix well, cool and stir in 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla, 1/4 teaspoon almond extract, 1/3 teaspoon grated orange rind and 1/2 cup raisins. Pour into mold and chill until firm.

MIND Your MANNERS
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Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Is it a good idea to make social conversation by criticizing absent friends?
2. When you meet a person you like and would enjoy seeing again, should you wait for him to make the first move toward friendship?
3. Is it polite to send a card or write a letter when one's friends have birthdays?
4. If you receive a birthday greeting from a friend should you write to thank him?
5. If you are told something in confidence is it all right to tell it, if you ask the person you tell not to repeat it?
What would you do if—
A party at which you are a guest seems to be dull—
(a) Try to enliven it by telling a story starting a new topic of conversation, or suggesting some kind of amusement?
(b) Feel that it is the hostess' job to make the party go?

Answers
1. No.
2. No. Make the move yourself, if you want to make a new friend.
3. Yes.
4. Yes.
5. No. Don't tell anyone. Better "What Would You Do" solution—(a). A good guest feels responsible for a party's success.

Freckles And His Friends
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WHY ARE YOU DOING THIS SUPER-SLEUTHING, FRECKLES?
WELL, FROM THE DAY I MET THE MAYOR, I DIDN'T LIKE HIM! NOW I'M TRYING TO FIND OUT WHY!

Colds Needn't Make Your Beauty Run

By Alicia Hart
NEA Service Staff Writer
You needn't have a career that depends on beauty as much as Margo's does to appreciate the fresh young star and radio singing star's wise words about beautifying a cold. Of course, saving the surface isn't only doesn't cure a cold, but it may be a real menace. A cold is a vastly underestimated ailment. It can go into pneumonia, you know. It deserves serious care, beginning with going to bed at the very outset.

So don't go mistaking this advice for leave to neglect a cold. But while treating a cold, try Margo's strategem for bleary eyes. "I tone down red lids by blending a bit of mauve eyeshadow on the upper lid," she said, "and I use only the merest touch of waterproof mascara at the very end of the lashes, even for the stage. And I wash my eyes several times a day. "Also, I dress to take the spotlight off my eyes. No bright earrings nor pearl necklace to call attention to my lack-lustre eyes. Instead, a clip of good color to my neckline, a lapel ornament, a bracelet to guide other eyes to my throat, bosom, wrist."

IT'S "LITTLE TRICKS" THAT COUNT
A cold is likely to play bob with your complexion—not only your irritated nostrils, but your whole face. So take extra care of it. Use paper tissues for handkerchiefs, by all means, for they cut down irritation. For your puffed proboscis, use liquid powder or a liquid powder base. Counteract the dry, flaky or blotchy appearance that often comes with a cold by a more generous application of a rich emollient cream at bedtime, and use a good strong lipstick to make your mouth the highlight of your face.

And one other good suggestion from Margo: avoid that plain dark dress with starched white collar. The white neckpiece will make a most unflattering contrast with your less-than-usually fair and firm neck. Margo dons, instead, mottled tweeds of lazy hues, a simple print, or dress of solid, spring color.

These little tricks will keep your spirits up and prevent others from suffering with you.

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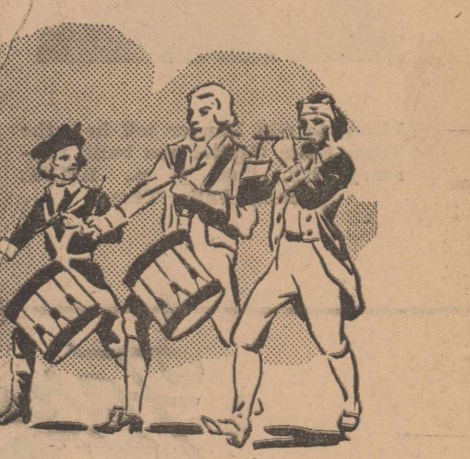
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