

# US Airmen Bombing In Egypt

## Fighting Tigers Sink Four Jap Ships

### AVG Attacks Hankow With Fighter Force

By William McGuffin  
CHUNGKING. (AP)—With a force of its fighting planes doubling as bombers, the American Volunteer Group has attacked Hankow, Japan's major inland base in occupied China, and sunk one Japanese warship and three transports in the broad Yangtze there.

An AVG communiqué announced Thursday that other vessels probably were damaged and military establishments were blown up Tuesday in the Flying Tigers' debut over Hankow, which is in Hupeh Province and is China's greatest interior city.

Coupled with this blow and others in which Chinese airmen also figured were reports that Chinese troops, long without adequate air support, had pushed the Japanese 12 miles back from recaptured Kweiki, in the long, harrowing battle for the Chekiang-Kiangsi railway.

#### Widen Gap

This was reported to have widened the remaining Chinese-held gap on the important rail line to more than 60 miles.

The AVG on Monday definitely downed three Japanese fighters in a dog-fight over Hengyang, Hunan Province, and may actually have gotten six, said the communiqué.

The Hupeh and Hunan operations marked a broad extension of AVG operations in support of Chinese ground forces; the Flying Tigers originally showed their hand on June 12 in the Battle of China proper by a 9-0 victory in Japanese planes shot down in defense of Kweiki, Chinese base in Kwangsi Province.

#### Extends Operations

Previously the AVG—which July 4 becomes a part of the United States Army air corps—had operated only over Yunnan, China border province of the Southwest, and in adjacent Burma, along with several incursions over French Indo-China.

Chinese fliers were working in close conjunction with the AVG. While the Flying Tigers were attacking Hankow, a major Japanese base since the Japanese took the city in 1938, Chinese planes struck at Linchow (Fuchow), South of Lake Foyang in Kiangsi Province.

One of 40 Japanese raiders which rose in challenge to the Hankow raiders was shot down.

### Nazi Wipe Out Second Czech Village For Death Of Heydrich

LONDON (AP)—The Czech community of Lesaty in Bohemia has been razed by the Nazis on the accusation that the villagers hid parachutists involved in the slaying of Reinhard Heydrich, "protector" of Bohemia-Moravia, it was reported Thursday in a Budapest radio broadcast heard by a Czech listener here.

This was the second village wiped out by the Germans in vengeance for the death of Heydrich, the Germans having reported June 10 they had slain the male population of Lidice, near Prague, sent the women to concentration camps and the children to "educational" institutions.

About 350 men faced the firing squads in that village.

What happened to the Lesaty population was not disclosed.

Other phases of the purge of anti-Axis Czechs continued. The Budapest radio said 18 Czechs were sentenced to death at Prague and 12 at Brienn (Brno).

### Wadley Is Named To Administer Prices

Addison Wadley has been confirmed as price administration director of the Midland County rationing board, it was announced by Judge Elliott Barron. Wadley will send out immediately instructions and will be available to advise with merchants of the county on pricing regulations. He recently retired from active business after many years of merchandising in Midland.

The rationing board of the county is headed by George Shelton as chairman, and other members, besides Wadley, are R. C. Crabb, and R. B. Cowden.

### Gen. Eisenhower Arrives London Take Command

Texan Establishes European Theater Of Operations For U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—The War Department announced Thursday the formal establishment of a European theater of operations for United States forces with Major General Dwight D. Eisenhower, a native Texan, as commanding general.

General Eisenhower, recently assistant chief of staff in charge of the operations division of the War Department general staff, will have headquarters in London.

The brief announcement was made without reference to current speculation on the possibility of a second front in Europe.

LONDON (AP)—Major General Dwight Eisenhower has arrived in Britain and has taken command of the European theater for the United States Armed Forces.

Eisenhower conferred with Prime Minister Churchill and President Roosevelt before leaving for Britain.

Major General James E. Chaney has been in command of American Forces in the British Isles, and officials did not disclose his new status. Major General Russell P. Hartle remains in command of American forces in Northern Ireland.

In a statement by General Eisenhower on his arrival in England, which the War Department released, the new commander said, "The formal establishment of a European theater is a logical step in coordinating the efforts of Great Britain and the United States."

General Eisenhower, a native of Tyler, Texas, is 51, and has been a key member of the War Department general staff.

### Where Is That Old Ornamental Fence? (Uncle Can Use It)

WASHINGTON (AP)—Production Chief Donald M. Nelson told Congress and the nation Thursday that raw material shortages, admittedly due in part to a "too little and too late" policy, eventually might force the scrapping of all metal fences, gates, statuary and other decorative works.

"There are very few important materials concerning which the government does not need to take positive action," Nelson declared in a report to the special Senate defense investigating committee.

"Some programs we now realize, with the benefit of hindsight, were clearly undertaken too late, and others were conceived in far too niggardly a fashion. Lack of foresight in requirements has certainly been all too prevalent, whatever the causes of such lack may have been."

While asserting that production of raw materials was steadily increasing, Nelson cautioned that scrap collections would have to be stepped up markedly.

### Mike Allen Visiting Here From Army Post

Sergeant Mike Allen, son of Charley Allen, is home for a few days with his family. He is stationed at a Louisiana camp.

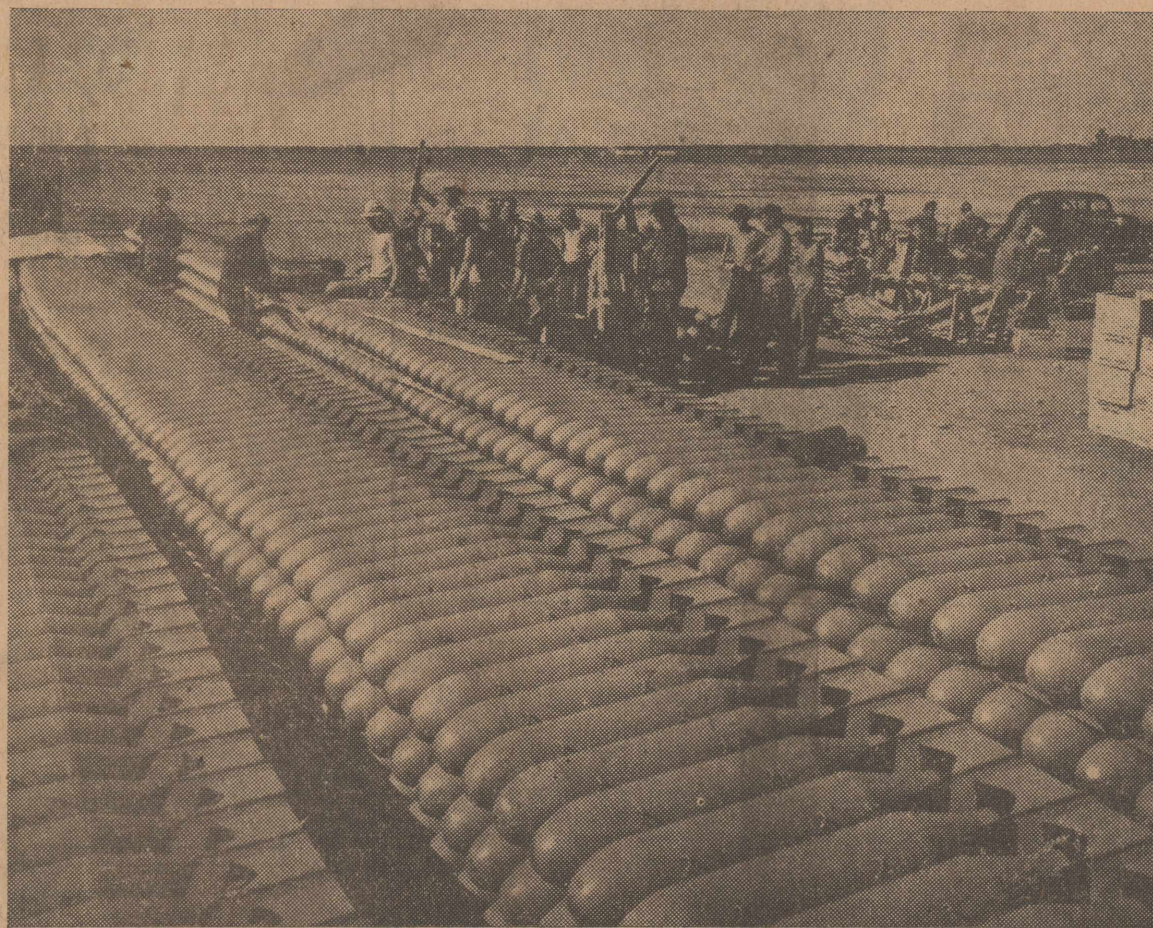
## WAR BULLETINS

BERLIN. (From German Broadcasts)—(AP)—German bombers sank a 4,000-ton merchant ship and heavily damaged two others and shot down seven Russian planes in a raid upon the Arctic Soviet port of Murmansk, military circles said.

BELIZE, British Honduras.—(AP)—Through several arrests, Governor Sir John Hunter announced Thursday military authorities are believed to have broken up "an organization which has been rendering active assistance to the enemy in the Caribbean area."

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—The assignment of Major General George E. Stratemeyer to be Chief of Staff of the Army Air Forces was announced Thursday along with several other transfers of Army general officers. General Stratemeyer, former commander of the Southeast Training Center, Maxwell Field, Alabama, succeeds Major General Millard F. Harmon, who was assigned to "another very important post which will not be made public at this time."

### MAFS Bomb Loading Dump Is Busy Place



This is a portion of the bombs required for one day's operation at the Midland Army Flying School. Thousands are dropped every week by cadet bombardiers. Bomb cases are filled with 90 pounds of sand and a five-pound "spotting charge" of black powder.

### Henderson Critics Plan Cut In Funds

WASHINGTON (AP)—Congressional critics of Leon Henderson squared off Thursday for a body blow at the Federal Price Administration's pocketbook.

Apprised of a House appropriations subcommittee's action in cutting in half Henderson's money request for next year's operations of the OPA, economy bloc leaders said the cut was not enough. They promised a fight on the floor for further reductions.

The subcommittee approved \$55,000,000, a reduction of \$86,000,000 from the amount recommended by the Budget Bureau and \$105,000,000 less than Henderson asked for the fiscal year starting July 1.

### Midland Rotarians Honor Tom Sealy

Midland Rotarians at their meeting Thursday noon presented Tom Sealy, retiring president of the club, with a jeweled, past-president's button.

In presenting the gift, T. Paul Barron, thanked Sealy for his service and leadership to the club.

The Midland Army Flying School presented the entertainment program. Private Nick Bragg, a magician, kept the Rotarians guessing during his performance. He was assisted by Captain R. L. Springer.

Major Glenn L. Laffer introduced Captain Springer and Private Bragg.

### Aviation Conferences Open At A&M College

COLLEGE STATION (AP)—A three-day series of Texas aviation week conferences opened at Texas A. & M. College Thursday with approximately 400 representatives of aircraft manufacturers, subcontractors, air research technicians, CPT chiefs and model plane enthusiasts attending.

### Bloody Business Of Trying To Crack Red Line Started By German Leaders

By DeWitt MacKenzie  
Wide World War Analyst  
The weight and ferocity of the new Nazi attack against the Russians in the Kharkov sector indicate Hitler finally is settling down in earnest to the bloody business of trying to crack the Red line in this gateway to the Golden Caucasus.

The master gangster's previous assault in this zone more than a fortnight ago apparently was to improve his positions in preparation for a major offensive. Just how much he achieved hasn't yet been made clear, although he did force the Russian line back in places. This fresh drive, now in its fourth day, may be the real thing.

Judging from reports the battle thus far has in effect been a triumph for Red Marshal Timoshenko's fighting devils. The Germans have denied the Soviet line in the Donets Basin, but appear to have done so at a terrific cost in life and material. Naturally the attacker's losses are far heavier than those of the defense—something like three to one under normal circumstances and heaven only knows what in the present instance.

Facing Down Grade  
Thus, so long as the Bolsheviks can prevent a break-through they are making long strides towards victory even though they remain on the defensive. This is so because Hitler is now suffering damage which he no longer can repair. He already has under arms about all the physically fit men he can call, without bringing out the very young or those beyond their prime. Further—and this is important—he has passed the peak of his war production and cannot increase his output. He is facing the down grade.

Can the Russians continue to hold the Nazis to keep them from breaking through to the resources of the Caucasus and Middle East? That's (Continued on page 2)

### Great Losses Slow Big German Drive Against Sevastopol

MOSCOW (AP)—The gigantic German offensive against Sevastopol is slackening somewhat, because of the great losses suffered by the attackers, Russian dispatches said Thursday, but the battle still is violent against a severely outnumbered garrison of the Crimean port.

Already, in the 21-day assault, six German and Rumanian divisions have been defeated, three others have suffered staggering losses, and 150 Nazi tanks and hundreds of planes have been destroyed, said the Russian accounts.

While the Russians thus held doggedly on at Sevastopol, there was a developing struggle for the Donets and Oskol Basin southeast of Kharkov in the Ukraine.

A communiqué which told of overnight operations on the Kharkov front, where the Germans have been attacking since June 22, said only that "our troops fought against the enemy" but gave no details of the course of the battle.

The war bulletin added, however, that "on other sectors of the front no substantial changes took place."

It declared the defenders of Sevastopol were "displaying unparalleled heroism" and were waging a "self-sacrificing struggle against superior forces."

WEATHER  
West Texas: Continued warm; thunderstorms.

### Biggest Tax Bill Is Ready For Congress

Joint Income Return Proposal Is Eliminated

By Donald A. Young  
WASHINGTON (AP)—Taxes estimated to raise \$5,924,000,000 from corporations, individuals, and steeply-increased levies on such common luxuries as cigarettes were tentatively recommended to Congress Thursday by the House ways and means committee.

The committee turned the hundreds of pages of the measure over to drafting clerks, but reserved the right to inspect it once more before sending it to the House finally for a week's debate beginning probably July 13.

Cut Morgenthau's Request  
Just a fraction over two-thirds of the \$8,700,000,000 which Secretary Morgenthau said was "the least" that Congress should provide, the new taxes would offset only a small part of the vast war expenditures voted since Pearl Harbor, and still would leave the treasury the task of borrowing at least \$38,000,000,000 in the fiscal year that begins July 1.

The bill—some of which still may be reversed—was completed after more than three and one-half months of consideration. It was conceded that, by the time it is approved by the Senate and probably adopted finally by a joint Senate-House conference committee, the effect of proposed excise taxes would be lost for most of this year.

The committee built its measure around \$5,000,000,000 in increases to be paid starting next year by corporations and individual income taxpayers.

About \$2,291,000,000 of that would come from corporation excess profit rates raised from 60 per cent maximum to a flat 94 per cent rate, and from business normal and surtaxes boosted from 31 to 40 per cent.

But, on the theory that such high excess profit rates might drive many a corporation to the wall or deprive it of enough reserves to carry it through later slack business periods, the committee approved a modification of the British plan of postwar credits.

That program contemplates periodic issuance of bonds to corporations equal to 14 per cent of the excess profits which would be subject to the 94 per cent rate. They would mature in three annual installments beginning with the second year after the war and would provide a cushion for postwar rehabilitation.

From individuals, the committee proposed to take another \$2,730,000,000 in a manner which would do (Continued on page 2)

### Dr. Brumage, County Health Officer, Is Called To Service

Dr. W. S. Brumage, head of the Midland County Health Unit staff, has been called back into Army service, and will report July 4 at Fort Bliss, El Paso, for duty with the Medical Corps. He is a first lieutenant.

He came to Midland in January to head the local, and the Ector County, staff, and has been very successful in development of the program, and in getting details of the health center fully organized.

Dr. Brumage did his internship at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, after completing his medical college work. He has been a First Lieutenant in the Reserve Officers Corps for five years, and his orders sending him to Fort Bliss put him back into active Army duty.

### Three Range Fires, Northwest Midland, Do Small Damage

Three range fires kept ranchmen northwest of Midland busy from midnight till near morning, but the damage was not very heavy. The first broke out on the C Ranch, and the other two followed in relatively the same area, all in Andrews County, on the Mabee & Pyle Ranch.

Hilroy Bedford, manager of the C properties, and several Midland men, some from the fire department, and the men on the ranches fought the blazes under control, but kept watch until near daybreak.

Grass fires are easily started, after these few days of hot winds, especially.

### Axis Drive Deep Into Egypt; Frontier Forts Abandoned By British

Uncle Sam's Bombardiers Raiding Nazi North African Ports, Stop Supplies For Axis; Tank Corps Threaten British Base

By Edward Kennedy  
CAIRO.—(AP)—Powerful Axis tank forces thrust more than 60 miles into Egypt Thursday forcing the British to fall back under a covering fire, but United States Army fliers dealt the enemy a punishing blow with a second raid on the big supply base of Bengasi, 350 miles to the rear.

British Army headquarters announced the British Eighth Army had abandoned the frontier strongholds of Salum and Sidi Omar and that Nazi Marshal Erwin Rommel's advance forces were southeast of Sidi Barrani, with British mobile units fighting a fierce rear-guard action.

The RAF disclosed the Germans and Italians, in heavy strength, moved to the south of Bir Sheikzen, which is 15 miles south of Sidi Omar and about 40 miles from the Mediterranean.

Bombers Attack  
The enemy then swung North-eastward, being kept under continual and damaging attack by bombers and fighters of the RAF and the South African Air Force.

Meanwhile the United States fliers in their four-motored Consolidated Liberator bombers teamed with the RAF for the second time this week to launch a heavy overnight bombardment of Bengasi, principal entry port in Libya for Axis supplies.

The RAF announced that shipping in the harbor was the objective as Rommel raced to make good his earlier Libyan losses in anticipation of his drive toward Cairo and Alexandria, now only about 300 and 220 miles, respectively, away from his advanced elements.

The Axis drive surged up to, if not past, the highwater mark of the Italian offensive of the fall of 1940.

Although the British reported they were fighting a fierce rear-guard action and had inflicted heavy losses on the enemy, it appeared possible that they might make their main stand somewhere before Matruh, vital railroad approximately 130 miles east of the Egyptian frontier.

(The Germans and Italians said they had captured Sidi Barrani, but the British left this in question by announcing merely that the enemy had reached a point southeast of Sidi Barrani.)

### That's Where They Belong, These Days

And, into the vault they went... just like so much gold! They were a couple of tires, for an automobile, which arrived by air express Thursday from Fort Worth, for Neville G. Penrose, fill-man here on business, and needed tires badly for some trips he is making to properties northwest of here, his tire "allowable" was granted and he had them shipped out by air express.

Arriving early at the Scharbauer Hotel the management signed for them... and put them into the vault!

### Quiet Worship In Hospital Enjoyed By Midland Flyers

The best attended and most appreciated church services at Midland Army Flying School are those conducted in the station hospital.

Protestant Chaplain Theodore G. Schoech holds the services, which are conducted in a ward of the hospital each Sunday morning. Men, who are able, attend.

A portable organ makes music possible. The Chaplain talks. Song services are held.

Attendance is practically 100 per cent. Time is 9 to 10 a.m. Services are held every Sunday. They were started Mother's Day of this year.

Many soldiers have expressed appreciation of the opportunity of being at church even when they are sick.



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If ye fulfill the royal law according to the scripture, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself, ye do well: But if ye have respect to persons, ye commit sin, and are convicted of the law as transgressors.

The Shape Of Total War

It is possible to say with little exaggeration that Oliver Lyttelton's accounting of the British war effort is a non-fiction, 1942 "What Price Glory" or "Farewell to Arms."

We, on this side of the Atlantic, have heard and read soul-searing accounts of the horrors of war where bombs are bursting, machine guns spraying, incendiaries firing, bayonets splitting human bodies.

Piecemeal, bit by bit, we have been told something of the social and economic effects of total war in a democracy and of its even more terrifying effects in the totalitarian countries.

But Lyttelton, the Donald Nelson of Great Britain, has given us frankly, factually and without adornment, a picture of the complete readjustment that such war means to civilians.

Every man and woman is subject to draft to work or fight. They cannot take jobs at will and move on when they please. They are frozen at their machines.

Women work long hours—up to 55 a week—often at tasks that every man hates to think of having women do.

Boys and girls from 14 years up are almost universally engaged in war work on farms or in factories—not pin money, occasional tasks, but day-by-day drudgery that frees men for fighting and for even more onerous labors.

Not only has production of civilian goods been cut to the bone, but manufacturers have had to see the patronage they had laboriously acquired turned over to rivals, so their own factories might be used for war goods.

Food is rationed. Money doesn't count. Cabinet ministers and factory workers, millionaires and subsistence level laborers, each is entitled to the same amount.

Clothing is rationed. The rich can have better quality, to be sure, but for each woman, whatever her income or bank balance, there is one coat, one dress, one pair of shoes, one nightgown, one set of undergarments, two pairs of hose and four handkerchiefs for this year.

After July 1 the ordinary civilian will get no gasoline at all. Income taxes start at the \$450-a-year level, and climb fast to the almost completely confiscatory rates of 97 1/2 cents on the dollar.

This is the barest skeleton of what Mr. Lyttelton tells us of what total war means even after the danger of death or maiming has been discounted.

We, too, are a party in this total war against Hitlerism. What are we civilians suffering that can be mentioned in the same breath as John Bull's troubles?

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—
Red Cross
Congress should not hesitate to adopt House Resolution 6911, recommended by President Roosevelt and Secretary of State Hull, which would stop commercialization of the name Red Cross or its emblem.

Since 1905 no commercial exploitation of the name or emblem has been permitted except by concerns which, at that time, were using them lawfully. There were not many of these. Three, operating on a national scale, come to mind. But outside this country even such limited trading upon the Red Cross' good deeds is not permitted—even in the axis countries, which have shown little good taste other wise.

The bill, now in the House foreign affairs committee, would allow a year for firms now commercializing the name or emblem to change over and familiarize customers with a new name and trade mark. This seems ample.

—Buy War Bonds And Savings Stamps—
Can Opener
The War Production Board will get enthusiastic support from husbands in its campaign against the can opener.

The WBP's interest is in saving tin, now used for cans, by promoting the use of perishable fruits and vegetables in season; the cellar storage of such foods as can be kept that way; and home canning as a supplement to these.

Husbands, remembering the foods mother used to can, will find self-denial easy to take, in this particular at least.

Gas rationing or no gas rationing, you can bet your last dollar Americans are going some place in this war.

A bright moon makes a lot of woman haters see things in an entirely different light.

Unfortunately too many pedestrians who have the law on their side have the auto on their neck.

Many a politician who is bent on running for office is broke as a result.

All Right, Put It Back In The Box



Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.
Wide World Sports Columnist
NEW YORK (AP)—Fats Henry, an All-American lineman 23 years ago and more recently athletic director at Washington and Jefferson College, will attend the Eastern Pennsylvania interscholastic football coaches' clinic at a student... He figures he needs a "refresher" course since he'll coach the football team this season.

Service Dept.
Walter Ziegenbein, pharmacist at Camp Callan, Calif., literally gave his right arm for the camp's ball team. He put everything he had into a pitch and the result was a broken arm.

Today's Guest Star
Jim Reed, Burlington (Iowa) Hawk-eye Gazette: "Too many beanings, both in the Army and baseball, will make a man plate-shy."

Last laugh: The Cards had to give Estel Crabtree an unconditional release so they could bring him back from his temporary job as Rochester manager because he had been optioned three times. Now Crabtree refuses to sign again and the story is that he won't until they take back that story that he was returned because of his health.

Orders Is Orders
At the Prince Georges Golf Club, near Washington, they tell about the rookie caddy who was told to "take the pin" as a foursome came up to a green... Going down the next fairway, one of the players noticed a long bamboo pole with a red flag protruding from the bag the kid was toting... "What's the idea?" he demanded... "You told me to take the pin," came the reply. "I took it."

LIVESTOCK

FORT WORTH (AP-USDA)—Cattle salable 2,100; calves salable 700; common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings 8,500-11,500; good and choice 12,000-13,000, load heifers 13,000; beef cows 7,500-9,750; bulls 7,250-10,000; good and choice fat 11,000-12,500; common and medium grades 8,500-11,000; good and choice stocker steer calves 12,000-14,250; few lights higher; stocker heifer calves 13,000 down, most yearling stocker steers 9,500-12,500.

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Hogs salable 1,200; top 14.10, packer top 14.00; good and choice 15.00-17.00; 13.25-9.00.

Sheep salable 5,000; killing classes steady; spring lambs 11.00-13.00; short lambs 10.00-11.00; short aged wethers 6.00-25; good heavy weights of mixed ages 6.50; most stocker lambs unsold.

Wool

BOSTON (AP-USDA)—The Boston wool market was quiet Thursday. A few sales were reported from the west of good staple territory wools fully up to previous prices. These wools are being shipped east for grading. Some deliveries are being made on old orders. A little new business was reported on Australian fine wool. Medium fleeces wools of all types remained inactive.

Biggest--

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ble the March 15 tax bills of the low and middle income groups.

The members agreed first, to raise the normal tax rate from the present 4 to 6 per cent. They then boosted the minimum surtax rate, applicable to the first \$2,000 of net income from 6 to 12 per cent.

Lower Exemptions
The committee voted to lower the personal exemption of a single person from \$750 to \$500 and of married couples from \$1,500 to \$1,200, but retained the present \$400 credit for each dependent.

On the theory that the additional burden might be too heavy for the improvident, they adopted a payroll deduction formula, beginning next January, amounting to 10 per cent of the difference between taxable income and personal exemptions.

Half of these "withholdings" would be applied against 1942 taxes due in 1943; the other half would accumulate in 1943 as a credit for that year's taxes due in 1944.

In the excise field, the committee proposed to raise about \$800,000,000 in additional revenue, with liquor taxes accounting for \$339,000,000 of the total.

Cigarette taxes were raised from \$3.25 to \$3.50 a thousand; various taxes on telephone and telegraph bills were about doubled; and the Federal 5 per cent tax on train fares was revised to 10 per cent.

The committee extended the excise tax field to parimutuel wagers, freight and express and decided that the Post Office Department should raise second- and third-class mail rates—under which newspapers, periodicals and advertising matter are handled—sufficient to offset the current annual deficit of \$102,800,000.

Just before completing action, the committee reversed a previous proposal to require married persons to file joint individual income tax returns—a move which administration experts estimated would have yielded about \$420,000,000. It was eliminated at the insistence of community property state members.

BLOODY--

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on the knees of the Gods, but the indications are that while Hitler still possesses vast power he isn't as strong as he was a year ago when he recklessly assaulted the Reds.

No Regard for Men
If sacrifice of German youth could turn the trick, the Nazi all highest would succeed. The only regard a German commander has for the lives of his soldiers relates to the number he can afford to throw away. Life in itself means nothing; the objective is everything. That's militarism, the result of a brutal training which starts with babyhood.

Down on the Crimea there is perhaps even more sanguinary fighting as the Nazis press their siege of the great Red naval base of Sevastopol. Berlin reported that Axis troops had penetrated deeper into the Russian defenses and that street fighting was proceeding. I should say that the position of Sevastopol is critical.

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Veterans Pledge To Aid Civilian Work

HARLINGEN (AP)—Full support of Governor Coke Stevenson's civilian defense program was pledged by the Veterans of Foreign Wars at their encampment.

R. A. Duryea of San Antonio was reelected commander of the Department of Texas. Others reelected: Dr. D. S. Meyers of San Benito, senior vice-commander; J. E. Smith of Dallas, junior vice-commander, and Walter Gates of Galveston, adjutant quartermaster.

District commanders elected included C. J. Cheney, Port Arthur; John E. Lobuzan, Jr., Texas City; Lee Rowe, McAllen; H. R. Garrett, Cisco; and Felix Staudt, Waco.

RAF Bombers Pound Nazi U-Boat Base

LONDON (AP)—RAF bombers pounded the German U-boat base at St. Nazaire, France, while German raiders in "fairly strong force" attacked Wednesday night the English industrial Midlands for the first time in six months.

The British said two towns were attacked with high explosive and incendiaries. Berlin said the Nazi raiders bombed the industrial district of Birmingham.

A single Nazi plane also flew over London, provoking a 10-minute burst of anti-aircraft fire, but no bombs were dropped. London has been free of heavy raids since the Spring of 1941.

Candidates Invade Southeastern Texas

By The Associated Press
Southeast Texas and the Rio Grande Valley were the sites Thursday of campaign speeches in the quickening Senatorial race.

Senator W. Lee O'Daniel, candidate for reelection, and his traveling companion, gubernatorial candidate Hal Collins, were scheduled to appear at Edinburg, Brownsville and Harlingen.

Dan Moody, a rival senatorial aspirant, planned to speak at Jacksonville, Henderson and Nacogdoches.

The itinerary of James V. Allred, who also seeks the place now occupied by O'Daniel, makes his next appearances Saturday at Huntsville, Madisonville and Navasota.

At Palestine Wednesday night Moody declared in an address that he wanted to have a part in driving "cheap, clowning politics out of Texas and restoring it to the dignity it once had." He assailed what he described as the isolationist record of Senator O'Daniel.

O'Daniel told an audience at Corpus Christi the chief issue before the American people was not loss of the war but loss of democracy. He said the American working man had lost his right to work without paying tribute to what he termed "labor racketeers."

Allred in a talk at Beaumont declared the winning of the war is the most deadly obligation the nation has ever undertaken, and he charged the incumbent junior senator, whom he did not mention by name, with having joined "the fifth column isolationist gang" which he asserted interfered with President Roosevelt's war efforts.

SWASHBUCKLING DUMAS HERO



Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., is a swashbuckling hero in Edward Small's "The Corsican Brothers," at the Yucca Theatre, Friday and Saturday, in which he plays a dual starring role, with lovely Ruth Warrick as his leading lady.

BRACKETVILLE PROTESTS NEGRO TROOP ASSIGNMENT

AUSTIN (AP)—Governor Coke R. Stevenson revealed that residents of Bracketville had protested the War Department's assignment of 1,500 Negro troops to Fort Clark which is near the Southwest Texas town.

The Governor planned to forward the protest to the War Department and in the interest of harmony ask that the assignment order be rescinded.

TWO LARGE AXIS SUPPLY SHIPS ATTACKED BY RAF

CAIRO (AP)—Two large Axis supply ships, escorted by two destroyers, were attacked by the RAF Monday night, east of Palermo, Sicily, the RAF Middle East command announced Thursday, and a direct hit on the stern of one of the supply vessels started a fire.

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Norwegian Merchant Ship Is Torpedoed
WASHINGTON (AP)—The Navy announced Thursday that a medium sized Norwegian merchant vessel had been torpedoed several hundred miles off the Southeast coast of the United States and that survivors had been landed at an East Coast port.
Although supplies of needles are adequate for our present needs, we must take care of those we have. High carbon steel, of which needles are made, is essential for war production.
At the request of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, the Texas Legislature of 1927 adopted the Mockingbird as the official state bird.



### New Draft Plan Is Announced

WASHINGTON (AP)—Family men and key war workers will be the last to be called to the colors by draft boards under new orders sent out Thursday.

Draft headquarters announced four categories to govern the order under which men will be called up on the basis of dependency, leaving married men with children as the last to be inducted but emphasizing that they could count upon no permanent dependents.

Meanwhile Paul V. McNutt, war manpower commissioner, changed his previous work-or-fight orders to give men with essential skills a chance to find jobs in vital war industries before being taken into the Army. Previously selective service boards had been asked only to defer essential workers who actually had key jobs.

#### Establishes Groups

The draft headquarters ruling was in line with the bill President Roosevelt signed Wednesday granting allowances for soldiers' dependents. The ruling established general groups to be inducted in the following order:

"Category 1. Registrants otherwise qualified for military service who have no bona-fide financial dependents.

"Category 2. Registrants otherwise qualified for military service who have financial dependents other than wives or children mentioned in categories 3 or 4.

"Category 3. Registrants otherwise qualified for military service who have wives with whom they are maintaining a bona-fide family relationship in their homes and who were married prior to December 8, 1941, and at a time when induction was not imminent.

"Category 4. Registrants otherwise qualified for military service who have wives and children or children alone, with whom they maintain a bona-fide family relationship in their homes who were married prior to December 8, 1941, at a time when induction was not imminent."

When a local draft category runs out of men in the first category it will dip into the next one and so on.

### Japanese Strengthen Hold On U.S. Islands

By The Associated Press  
Imperial Tokyo headquarters asserted Thursday that Japanese military and naval forces were widening their seizure of the U. S.-owned Aleutian Islands, off the coast of Alaska, as President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Churchill summoned the Pacific War Council to discuss the Japanese threat.

A Tokyo communique said Japanese sea-borne forces occupied Kiska and Attu Islands June 7-8, and declared:

"They are at present consolidating their positions in neighboring islands."

Unconfirmed elsewhere, the Japanese claim is the extent of information that the enemy was expanding his occupation of the desolate, fog-shrouded chain of islands which point like a dagger toward the heart of Japan.

#### Deny Islands

A Japanese correspondent with the enemy expeditionary force asserted also that the invaders brought along large quantities of seeds and potatoes for planting, and said:

"This alone reveals that our action was not meant to be merely temporary."

The Japanese command said it had renamed Kiska as Narukami and Attu as Atsuta—the latter after the Atsuta shrine at Nagoya, one of the four great Japanese cities attacked by U. S. Army bombers led by Brig. Gen. James H. Doolittle April 18.

Chinese troops were reported to have retaken Kweiki, then driven the Japanese back a dozen miles.

On the debit side, Chinese dispatches acknowledged that enemy columns pressing a new thrust into Chekiang Province, on China's East coast, had advanced within six miles of Lishui, described as the best remaining Chinese air base from which to bomb Japan.

A Tokyo broadcast asserted that Japanese troops stormed into Lishui Wednesday and cleared the city within an hour.

#### OIL PIPE

PORTLAND, Ore. (UP)—Pacific Northwest engineers today supported Sen. George Norris in his contention that wood pipelines might prove the answer to the oil shortage problem.

Norris recently reported that such lines could be built at a fraction of the cost of steel piping, and without depriving the war effort of needed materials.

Engineers said durable, oil-tight lines could be constructed of Oregon fir or California redwood, and would require a relatively small amount of steel wire for binding.

Wooden pipelines have been used extensively in the northwest for irrigation systems and municipal water systems.

State and civic officials also supported the plan, pointing out that both the northwest and east coast points would be seriously handicapped if an enemy invasion attempt coincided with oil shortage.

#### A BALLPLAYER RELATES

ROCHELLE, Ga. (UP)—Here is a fish story that James Scarborough, former Rochelle baseball player, brought back from his home town of Camilla, Ga.

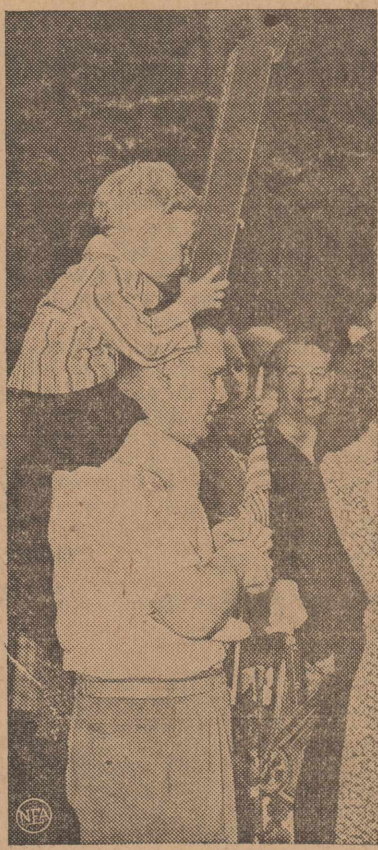
According to Scarborough, Dodge County fishermen have dispensed with worms as bait. They drop oil of salmon on their hooks. The fishermen claim that the fish come up to smell the sweet odor and get caught. Scarborough said he has seen the baitless fishermen bringing home some big ones.

### BOY SCOUTS KEEP THE FLAG FLYING



A Boy Scout raises the flag at picturesque Rayado Lodge on Philmont Scout Ranch, 127,000-acre Boy Scout advanced training camp reservation near Cimarron, New Mexico. This large tract was the gift of Waite Phillips, Tulsa, Oklahoma oil man, made because of his belief that "..... the proper training of the American boy is today the most urgent duty of the American adult—the Boy Scouts of America has the most efficient plan and organization to do such work—the environment of a well developed Mountain Ranch is the best place to achieve this objective."

### Perfect Perch



Dad's shoulders, plus a periscope, provide young New Yorker with a grandstand seat for Gotham's war parade, in which half million took part.

### Convoy Of Red Troops Land In Southern Crimea

LONDON (AP)—A Reuters dispatch from Stockholm said Thursday two regiments of Soviet troops had been landed in Southern Crimea by a strongly escorted convoy from Caucasus ports.

In scope of violent fire from German coastal artillery, the dispatch said, the Russian detachments not only succeeded in landing but advanced at some points, getting behind positions of the Germans attacking the Sevastopol.

The question of which is a jeep and which is a peep has been settled officially by the Armed Force News, publication of the enlisted men in the American "panzer" divisions. The little three-men reconnaissance car is a peep, and the larger five-passenger vehicle is a jeep.

### Huge Money Bill For Army Is Challenged

WASHINGTON (AP)—A searching examination into the immediate need of a record-breaking \$42,820,000,000 Army appropriation was reported underway by a Senate committee Thursday as Senator Truman (D-Mo) announced he would seek to cut down any expenditures that did not appear to be fully justified at this time.

In a move regarded in some quarters as the first serious Congressional questioning of huge military appropriations, Truman told reporters he and other members of an appropriations subcommittee were interested in determining the actual need of making available all of the amount in the House-approved bill—the largest cash outlay ever proposed before the legislative body.

Will Question Marshall  
"I want the Army to have every cent that it needs," the Missouri senator said. "But we are going to examine into every phase of this thing and if they are building up a big back-log of appropriations that won't be used for months or even years, I am going to move to cut some of them down."

Conceding that a strong effort might be made in committee to whittle down the measure, Chairman Thomas (D-Okla) said he had insisted that Gen. George C. Marshall, Army chief of staff, appear before the group for a general justification of the appropriations.

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### Grand Jury Indicts Cosden Petroleum Co.

EL PASO (AP)—The federal grand jury Wednesday returned an indictment against the Cosden Petroleum Corporation of Big Spring, Texas, charging violation of the Connally hot oil law. It was the first such indictment in West Texas.

The indictment stated the corporation violated the act through

operations in the Penwell field in Ector County, allegedly producing some 18,000 barrels of oil in violation of injunctions forbidding interstate shipment of oil produced contrary to state pro-rationing regulations.

The corporation was charged with having produced from three wells the allowables for five wells.

A SKUNK COMES TO AID NEW HAMPTON, N. H. (UP)—

Members of the local ARP demolition squad were prepared to warn the public away from a simulated bomb during a test air raid, but they did not count on a skunk's assistance.

The animal not only kept curious persons at a safe distance from the "bomb," but even forced the guarding group to retreat from their posts.

### Midland Man To Relative's Funeral

Mrs. Virge Foster of Rising Star, cousin of J. C. Roberts of Midland, died at 8 o'clock Thursday morning.

The Midland man left Thursday for Rising Star to attend the funeral which will be held Friday. Mrs. Foster is survived by her husband, two children, and two grand-children.

First cousin to the weapons (destruction, an ordinary piano contains enough steel, copper wire and brass to make a dozen Army bayonets, a signal corps radio set and 66 cartridges of .30 caliber.

Chaplains with U. S. armed forces are using chalties made of gold-plate over an iron base. Copper will not be used to manufacture articles of religious devotion until after the war.

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| Post Bran    | Flakes                 | 10 oz. Pkg.   | 10c |
| Towels       | Zee                    | Roll          | 9c  |
| Tissue       | Silk                   | 3 Rolls       | 13c |
| Matches      | Favorite               | 6 Box Ctn.    | 23c |
| Tomatoes     | Standard               | No. 2 Can     | 10c |
| Pickles      | Sour or Dill           | Quart         | 19c |
| Mustard      | French                 | 9 oz. Jar     | 14c |
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| Nectar       | Highway Fruit          | 3 12 oz. Cans | 25c |
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| Shortening   | Bob White              | 4 Lb. Ctn.    | 67c |
| Flour        | Enriched Kitchen Craft | 12 Lb. sack   | 53c |
| Harper House | Pears No. 1 Can        |               | 15c |
| Libby's      | Pears No. 1 Can        |               | 17c |
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| Perch Fish    | Frozen Fillets       | Lb. | 25c |
| Liver Loaf    | Hormels              | Lb. | 33c |
| Krafts Cheese | Elkhorn              | Lb. | 27c |
| Seven Steak   | Quality Beef         | Lb. | 27c |
| Round Steak   | Quality Beef         | Lb. | 32c |
| Rolled Roast  | Quality Beef         | Lb. | 25c |
| Short Ribs    | Quality Beef         | Lb. | 19c |
| Broilers      | Dressed & Drawn      | Lb. | 39c |
| Ham           | Morrells Pride       | Lb. | 29c |
| Ham           | 4 to 5 lb. Shank Cut | Lb. | 29c |
| Ham           | Morrells Pride       | Lb. | 33c |
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| Ham           | Morrells Pride       | Lb. | 53c |
| Ham           | Center Cuts          | Lb. | 53c |

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|               |                      |               |     |
|---------------|----------------------|---------------|-----|
| Soup          | Campbells Tomato     | 3 No. 1 Cans  | 25c |
| Crackers      | Busy Baker           | 2 Lb. Box     | 27c |
| Catsup        | Brooks               | 14 oz. Bottle | 17c |
| Coffee        | Tobasco              | 1 Lb. Pkg.    | 21c |
| Juice         | Airway Sunny Dawn    | 46 oz. Can    | 21c |
| Grape Juice   | Welch or Lemon       | Quart         | 45c |
| Vanilla       | Pantry Pride         | 8 oz. Bottle  | 10c |
| Spinach       | Emerald Bay          | No. 2 1/2 Can | 17c |
| Beans         | Briargate Cut Green  | No. 2 Can     | 15c |
| Pimientos     | Cuban                | 7 oz. Can     | 17c |
| Biscuits      | Ballard              | Can           | 10c |
| Post Toasties | or Skinner Spaghetti | 2 11 oz. Pkg. | 15c |
| Macaroni      |                      | 2 7 oz. Pkg.  | 15c |
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| Duz   | Granulated Soap  | Lg. Pkg.    | 23c |
| P & G                                       | or Crystal White | 4 lge. Bars | 19c |
| Super Suds                                  |                  | 24 oz. Pkg. | 23c |
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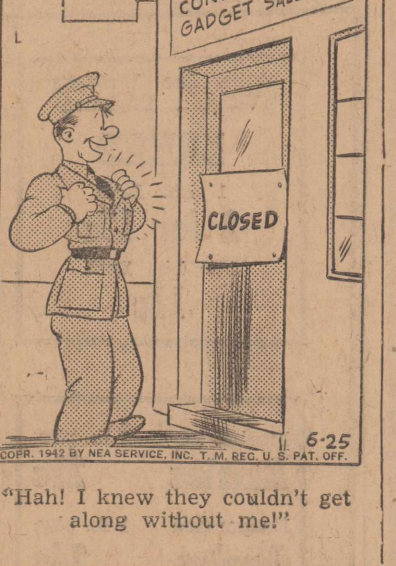
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Hold Everything



No Election Worries For 19 State Senators
AUSTIN (AP)—Nineteen of the 30 members of the Texas Senate are not troubled with election worries this year.

Normally, the Senate has 31 members but the resignation of Senator Claude Isbell of Rockwall left one vacancy which will be filled in the July Democratic primary.

Of 15 with terms expiring in January, seven have no opponents, one is retiring voluntarily, a vacancy exists in one district and six members have one or more opponents.

Five of 16 holdover Senators whose terms do not expire until January, 1945, are campaigning for state office and three are serving in the Army.

Holdover Senators include W. L. Winfield of Fort Stockton.

Church Service Is Planned For Recruits
Church services will be held in the barracks for recruits at Midland Army Flying School Sunday.

Recruits are restricted to their barracks for the first three weeks here.

Services Sunday are the second in a series of three for this group of recruits.

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SERIAL STORY SPECIAL INVESTIGATOR

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CHAPTER II
"COMFORTABLE?" inquired the air hostess, bending over Judith and smiling pleasantly.

"Oh, yes," she answered cheerfully, even though she felt depressed at the moment.

The pretty girl turned to the man across the aisle and repeated her questions. Judith started at the sound of his voice.

He spoke with a heavy accent, gruffly, as if he resented being bothered. When the hostess passed on, he looked at Judith.

She smiled, and for a moment it seemed he would not return her greeting. Then he grinned, breaking the stern expression of his face.

But his eyes did not smile, only his mouth. Judith had heard of cold-blooded people and now, she was sure, she had met one.

"You like flying?" he asked, and his voice made her think of someone with a mouth full of mush.

"I think it is the only way to travel," she answered. She decided if the man thought she was easy to talk to, then she would not be taking too great a risk in speaking to Burke later and warning him to watch out for this fellow.

After a moment the man in the seat in front of her craned his neck to look at her.

She tried to look at him and it worked. "Everybody on this plane will believe I am an easy pickup," she told herself.

"But so much the better," she instantly averted her eyes and looked out the window.

As the miles flew swiftly by, Judith thought over the situation. "Those men watching Tom know about the plans he is carrying. The blond one is a forger, and the one to fear. I don't know about the heavy man in front of me. He may be just a curious passenger."

She opened her purse and felt the small automatic there. Then her hand came in contact with a tiny package. She pulled it out to have a look and her eyes widened.

"Ye fishes!" she thought. "Helen's sleeping medicine she had me buy for her this morning." She lifted her eyes and looked at the back of the man's head in front of her.

"If he should make trouble and I got the chance, I could put him to sleep with this." She smiled at her childish plan and dropped the package back in her purse.

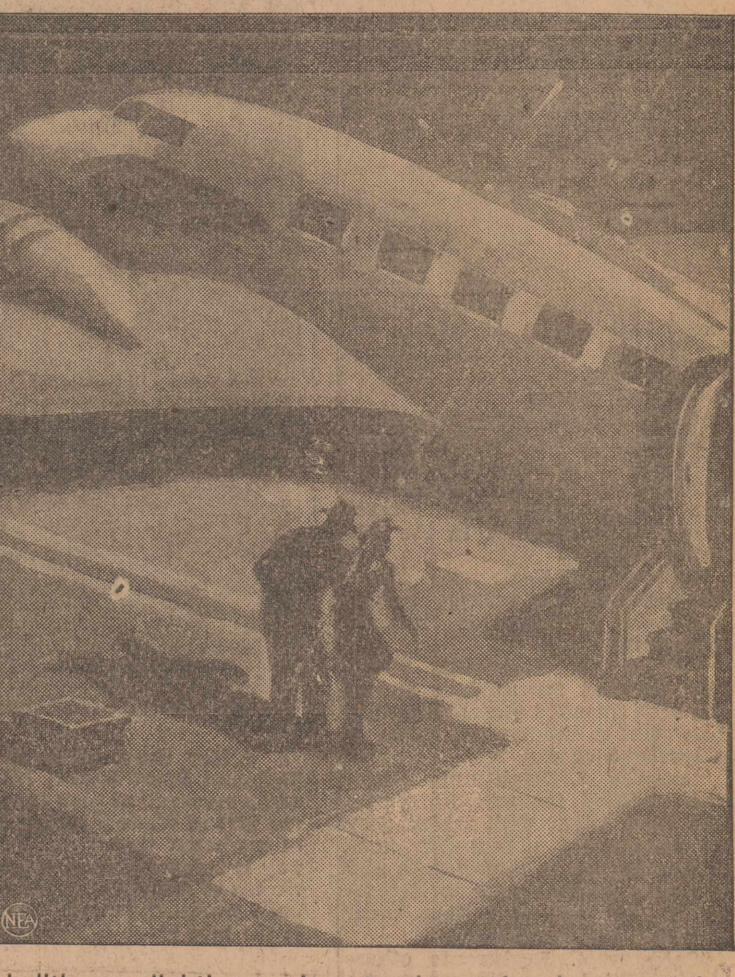
She was supposed to be an intelligent investigator, not a silly girl.

SHE turned again to stare at Tom's seat and as she did, he turned his head and glanced backward.

His dark eyes met hers in astonishment. A bright gleam flickered in them and died as she chose to ignore him.

He faced the front abruptly and she smiled, satisfied with the turn of events. The man across the aisle grinned at her.

He deliberately turned and grinned at her. He was so much better looking when he smiled. She gave her stool a spin and slid to the floor.



Judith was lighting a cigaret, when a hand was put to her elbow and she was pushed toward the plane.

runway without a bounce, taxied back to the buildings and rolled to a stop. Judith was the first passenger off. But she lingered nearby to give Tom Burke an opportunity to reach the cafe first.

She followed him in and sat down at the counter next to his stool. "Please continue to be indifferent, but listen to me," she whispered as the other two men took places at the far end of the counter by the door.

Burke half turned his head and stared at her serious face. There was inquiry in the lift of his brows and disturbing sparks in his eyes that made her heart beat unevenly. He toyed with the glass of water before him while he asked from the corner of his mouth:

"Why are you here, Judith?" "On business—not following you," she said curtly. "Oh!" The way he said the word was maddening.

"You're horrid, Tom," she said, her cheeks burning. "Mr. Watson is sending me to the coast to check on the office force there. But that's beside the point. I'm sure one or both of those men at the end of the counter are interested in you or the plans of that bomber. I thought you might like to know."

But he did not bother to glance where she indicated. "One sits behind you and the other across the aisle!"

Between bites of food he said, "Thanks for the warning, darling. I more than appreciate your interest." There was a twinkle in his eyes that infuriated her.

"I don't want anything to happen to the plans," she said sweetly. "He deliberately turned and grinned at her. He was so much better looking when he smiled. She gave her stool a spin and slid to the floor. Without a backward glance she walked to the cashier, paid her check and left the cafe, red head in the air."

SHE paused outside the ship to have a smoke in the crisp evening air. She was just lighting it when a hand was put to her elbow and the cigaret taken from her mouth. Before she realized what was happening, she was pushed

into the cabin of the plane. "Just what do you know about the plans and who told you? It was a secret." Tom's voice was low and his hand was warm and firm on her arm.

"Mr. Watson told me. He thinks there is a leak in the company and I'm on my way to investigate the office force at the factory." She looked squarely into his face, chin up. "Something tells me the forger knows you have the plans."

"Well, don't worry your beautiful little head, honey," he told her, and his own head bent towards hers. "She stepped back instantly. 'I am merely minding my job,' she said cuttingly and sat down. 'Then I'll ignore you.' Burke moved on to his place, but turned and looked back at her before he sat down. Their gaze met and held until Judith pulled her eyes away. 'Oh,' she breathed to herself angrily. 'He knows I don't hate him and he's trying to make me admit it. Well, I can be just as stubborn as Tom Burke.' She picked up her purse to repair her make-up. 'You are a fast eater, young lady.' She looked up quickly to see the heavy-set man pausing by her chair. 'Or maybe you were not hungry.' 'I can eat when there is no flying to be done,' she replied pleasantly. 'On a young man to flirt with?' he grinned knowingly. 'He won't flirt with me,' she remarked and pouted her lips. She spoke loudly and her voice reached Tom Burke. He turned and scowled at them both, playing his role well. 'See what I mean?' The large man nodded with an understanding wink and sat down. The other passengers took their places, and in a moment the voice of the hostess came to Judith's ears from outside. There was curious concern in the tone. 'Changing co-pilots? What happened to Bill?' Judith did not hear the answer but she turned to see the two flyers come through the door and make their way to the control room up front. As they passed her an uneasy feeling swept over her like a warning. (To Be Continued)

Texans Will Return From Jap Territory
WASHINGTON (AP)—The names of seven Texans were included in a list of 629 Americans which the State Department announced were scheduled to return from Japanese-held territory under exchange agreements made through Swiss authorities.

They are to return on a Swedish motorship which is carrying Japanese diplomats and nationals to Portuguese West Africa in the first step of the exchange. It was expected this group, with United States diplomatic officials, would be repatriated within 60 days. The list included W. R. Attaway

of Dallas, from Hongkong; from Korea, Mary Dodson of Austin; from Japan, Dr. Lardner Moore whose wife and children are at Sherman; from Hongkong, W. R. Burnside of San Antonio; G. J. Livingston of Sherman, and T. C. Westbrook of Torea, and from Thailand, Robert Perry Abel of Dalworth.

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## Connie Wendell Weds Miss Davis In Quiet Service

Connie Wendell, well-known through West Texas as an orchestra leader and now on the staff of KRLH radio station, and Miss Paula Davis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Davis of Sherman, were married quietly at the courthouse, Wednesday, Justice of the Peace B. C. Girdley read the wedding ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Kelley attended the couple.

The bride wore a blue gabardine suit with white accessories.

Wendell attended Wisconsin University. He has been in Texas five years and formerly had an orchestra, well-known in a number of Texas towns. He came to Midland about two months ago and is an announcer with KRLH.

Mrs. Wendell is a former student of Southern Methodist University in Dallas where she majored in music. She is a vocalist and formerly sang with Wendell's band.

The couple is at home at 310 W. Pennsylvania.

## Mrs. Hitchcock Is Honored At Dos Reales Party

Mrs. E. S. Hitchcock, who is leaving for California to make her home, was honored with a handkerchief shower at the meeting of Dos Reales Club with Mrs. Jerry Phillips, 706 N. Pecos, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Two tables of bridge were played with Mrs. W. L. Crothers holding high score. Mrs. Hitchcock second and Mrs. J. C. Williamson bingo. Prizes were War Saving Stamps.

Present were a guest, Mrs. R. R. Ford, and all club members including: Mmes. Burt Atkinson, W. L. Crothers, H. W. Deax, Hitchcock, Jim Howe, Steven Leach, Williamson, and the hostess.

A refreshment course was served at mid-afternoon.

Party rooms were decorated with zinnias, verbenas, and pink roses.



**FRIDAY.**  
Escondida Club will meet with Mrs. J. L. Greene, 706 W. Louisiana, Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Red Cross workroom in the Old Heidelberg Inn will be open Friday morning from 9 o'clock until 12.

Mrs. R. R. Ford's Troop No. 5, Girl Scouts, will meet at the First Baptist Church, Friday morning from 9 o'clock until 11. Mrs. J. C. Williamson's south side Brownie Troop will meet with this group.

Children's Service League will meet with Mrs. Harold Adkison, 2005 W. College, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Belmont Bible Class will meet Friday morning at 9 o'clock at the Methodist educational building.

Women's Golf Association will have its weekly luncheon at the Country Club Friday with Mrs. O. B. Holt hostess. Reservations should be made by calling Mrs. Holt or the clubhouse.

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

A dance will be held at the officers' mess at Midland Army Flying School, Saturday evening from 9:30 o'clock until one.

Regular ballroom dance for enlisted men will be held at the Soldiers Center, 213 N. Main, Saturday night.

Methodist WSCS will have a bake sale at Piggly Wiggly Shopping Village, Saturday, opening at 9 o'clock in the morning.

## Prairie Lee Club Sees Demonstration

Miss Alpha Lynn presented a demonstration on canning fruit and vegetables at the meeting of Prairie Lee Home Demonstration Club, Tuesday afternoon at Prairie Lee school house. Pineapple, peaches and beans were canned.

She also talked on the necessity of canning and of quality canning.

Mrs. J. E. Wallace reported on the district meeting at San Angelo, May 4, and Mrs. J. C. Bradley reported on the council meeting.

Mrs. Bradley and Mrs. Neal Stanton showed two lunch cloths, a scarf, and pillow cases made of feed sacks.

Mrs. Pauline Riley was appointed chairman of the club's Cookie Corps committee.

Present were: Mmes. Staton, Huff, Bradley, Riley, Wallace, and visitors, Miss Lynn and Mrs. M. W. Talkington.

## Midland Boy Is Promoted

Thurston Ruple, Midland boy now in the Quartermaster Corps at Indio, Calif., has been promoted to rank of first mechanic in that service. He is a brother of Therman Ruple of Midland.

## PasTime Club Has Bridge Party In Flower Theme

PasTime Club was the name chosen by Midland's newest bridge group in a meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Pillow, 901 N. Whitaker, Wednesday.

Mrs. J. Wayne Campbell was elected reporter and secretary for the club and Mrs. M. M. Holmes was named treasurer.

The group will meet at 2 o'clock each Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. David Stamper was present as a new member and Mrs. H. A. Wood, Jr., was a playing guest.

It was a flower party with the floral theme emphasized throughout appointments, and a color scheme of green, pink, and blue favored.

Garden flowers decorated the playing rooms.

Flower tallies were used in the two tables of bridge played with high score going to Mrs. Ted Dykes, second high to Mrs. M. M. Holmes, and bingo award to Mrs. Larry Logsdon.

The party plate carried out the party theme in flower napkins and doilies, cookies and candy.

Present were the guest and the following members: Mmes. Harold Flynn, Campbell, Logsdon, Holmes, Dykes, Stamper, and the hostess.

Next Wednesday the club will meet with Mrs. Larry Logsdon, 611 N. Carrizo.

## Personals

Miss Mary Pemberton of Denver, Colo., is here visiting Mrs. Frank Cowden, Mrs. O. B. Holt, and Mrs. Geo. Glass.

Janice Pope has returned from Penwell and Gina Lou Gumm returned with her for a visit here.

Patsy Ruth Pope is visiting her grandmother in Itasca. She accompanied Mrs. O. L. Bevil and Miss Ruth Bevil who are now visiting in Waco.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Hensing of Anthony, N. M., visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilmoth, here over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Van Huss are here from Santa Rosa, N. M., visiting.

Mrs. Ernest Nance and her grandfather, J. R. Gault, spent last week visiting in Mason, Brady, and San Antonio. At San Antonio they visited Mr. Gault's son, Alton Gault, who is in the Army there.

Miss Montez Downey is visiting her sister, Miss Donna Downey, at Eagle Pass, Texas.

Mrs. O. B. Gardner of McGregor is visiting her daughter, Mrs. T. S. Sales, owner and operator of the roller rink here. Mrs. Sales went to McGregor Sunday and returned Tuesday bringing the visitor.

Sgt. Ted Dykes who has been visiting in Tucson, Ariz., with relatives for 10 days returned home Wednesday.

Charles Anderson underwent surgery at Ryan's Hospital Wednesday.

The daughter of Jack Cash had a tonsillectomy Wednesday at Ryan's Hospital.

## Cadet Langdon Tennis Visiting In Midland

Cadet Langdon Tennis, Midland man now in the Air Corps, is visiting in Midland. On furlough from Ellington Field, Houston, Tennis has visited with his wife, her mother, and his mother in Springfield, Mo., has visited at Tulsa, Okla., and will meet Mrs. Tennis in Dallas, before returning to Ellington. An aviation cadet, he is now ready for advanced navigation training after which he will be commissioned.

## Called to San Antonio by Relative's Death

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Laechelin will return Thursday from San Antonio. They were called there Monday by the death of Laechelin's grandfather, F. Laechelin.

## Russell Howards Are Hosts For La Comida Club

Gladiolas decorated the candle-lit table from which dinner was served in buffet style when Mr. and Mrs. Russell Howard, 1910 W. Wall, were hosts to the La Comida Club, Wednesday evening.

Petunias, gladiolas, and Shasta daisies were house decorations.

Bridge was played after dinner with prizes of War Saving Stamps going to Mrs. W. W. Phillips for high score for women, to H. W. Anderson for high score for men, and to Mrs. D. H. Griffith for bingo.

The entire club membership was present for the party including: Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Bedford, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Crump, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Griffith, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Phillips, and the host couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips will entertain the group next time.

## Officers And Guests Play Duplicate Bridge

Duplicate bridge was played at the officers' mess at Midland Army Flying School, Wednesday evening, by a group of officers, their wives, and civilian guests.

First place in the games went to Captain and Mrs. Manley, second to Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Ross, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. J. W. Ranson, Lieut. Col. and Mrs. Chapman, Lieut. Col. Robt. Allott, Captain and Mrs. McKenna, Captain and Mrs. Manley, Lieut. and Mrs. Eugene Duggan, Lieut. and Mrs. McGruder, Lieut. Hosston, Lieut. J. S. Ralphs, and Lieut. H. R. Robertson.

Refreshments were served.

## Informal Dance For MAFS Officers

An informal dance will be held at the officers' recreation room at Midland Army Flying School, Saturday night.

Dancing will be from 9:30 o'clock until 1.

MAFS dance band will provide music.

## Enrollment Grows At Bible School

Enrollment in the vacation Bible school now being conducted at the Calvary Baptist Church had risen to 125 on Wednesday, at the middle of the first week of the two-weeks session. Attendance Wednesday was 115.

The junior department, with 47 enrolled, leads the departments.

There are 20 faculty members.

The junior and intermediate departments held a parade in South Midland, Wednesday afternoon, followed by a trip to Cloverdale where games were played and a picnic served.

All children from four years of age through 16 are invited to attend the school, of which the Rev. Fred McPherson, pastor, is principal.

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# Beazley Throws Headache Pills For St. Louis Cardinals

By Harry Grayson  
NEA Service Sports Editor  
NEW YORK—Senor Mike Gonzales, the clear Havana, best describes Johnny Beazley, newest pitching star of the St. Louis Cardinals.

"Beazley, she throw headache tablets," says Senor Gonzales, which is the Red Bird's traffic cop's quaint way of saying that the ample Tennesseean can pump that thing through there.

Lanier, White, Krist, Pollet, Beazley, the Cardinals' string of good young pitchers seems endless. And they lost two of the best to the Army and peddled others. Fred Martin and Johnny Grodzicki are in khaki. Martin won 24 while losing only 4 for Houston. Grodzicki bagged 27 while dropping 7 for Columbus.

Although he kicked around the minors for five years, the right-handed Beazley, 23 and standing 6 feet - 1/2 inches and weighing 190 pounds, is one of the mighty few Red Birds who is not a product of Sam Breadon's chain gang.

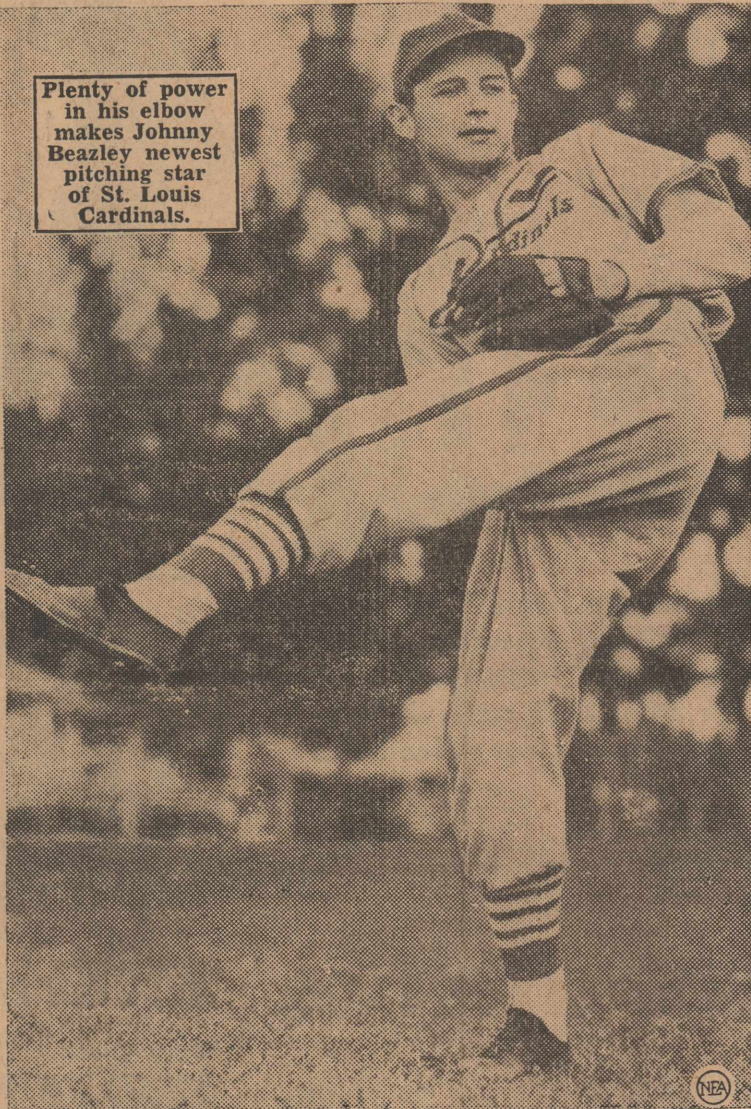
The Cardinals did not purchase him from New Orleans until last fall, when they exercised their option on the pick of the Pelicans, which right is given them by a working agreement.

Why a kid pitcher of Beazley's size and natural ability was not picked up by a major league club sooner is hard to understand.

## ENTERS PRO BASEBALL AND SEES THE SOUTH

Equally difficult to comprehend is why he was given such a run around—Nashville, Leesburg of the Florida State, Tallahassee, Greenville of the Cotton States, Lexington of the Kitty, back to Abbeville of the Evangeline, back to Greenville, New Orleans, Columbus, Ga., Mobile and finally back to New Orleans.

Some of the scouts must have been asleep, for Beazley packed plenty of power in his elbow in high school days. At 17, he attended a school conducted by Charley Dessen, current Brooklyn coach then managing Nashville. The Volunteers sent him to Leesburg the



Plenty of power in his elbow makes Johnny Beazley newest pitching star of St. Louis Cardinals.

following spring, but three clubs considered the boy too young.

Nashville did not give up on him, for he was that club's property when Commissioner Landis declared him a free agent while he was churning for Abbeville in 1938.

An elbow injury forced him to quit pitching while with New Orleans in July, 1939, and he was further retarded by a back injury in '40.

It wasn't until Ray Blades showed Beazley the difference between throwing and pitching that the youngster settled down last season, when he got in 44 games, won 10, lost 12 and had an earned run mark of 3.61. Only Russ Meers, who graduated to the Cubs, topped him in strikeouts.

BEAZLEY HAS DEAN'S EASY OVERHAND MOTION  
But it wasn't his record that brought Beazley up. It was his stuff. He has a rubber arm, throws with the easy, sweeping overhand

motion that was Dizzy Dean's when the Great Man was his old reliable self. He is exceptionally swift, as Senor Gonzales indicates, has a fine curve change of pace, control, the poise of a veteran and a swagger born out of implicit confidence in his ability to get the other side out.

Beazley got up last fall to see his first big league game and in time to beat Meers, his Southern Association rival, and the Cubs, 3-1, closing day at Wrigley Field.

Although he has started only two, Beazley has won a half dozen games for the Cardinals and saved another two or three in the role of relief worker.

Naturally, Johnny Beazley would prefer to be a starting pitcher and Billy Southworth is first to testify that he is entitled to the opportunity. The hitch there is that the Cardinals have 10 Grade A pitchers and there are not enough starting assignments to go around.

When better young pitchers are found, they'll be with the blokes in the red blazers.

# Fort Worth Fans In Big Turnout; But Team Loses

By The Associated Press  
A crowd of 12,688 Fort Worth fans, gathered for a good-will party, saw the Houston Buffs take apart the home team 8-6 Wednesday night and pull up to within one game of the second-place Shreveport Sports.

The Buffs lost no time in getting underway, scoring six tallies in the first inning, thereby presumably turning some of the good will a little sour. Leaving nothing to chance, Houston pushed over the other runs in the second, letting the Cats creak along behind in a futile effort to overcome the huge lead.

Shreveport meanwhile was taking a 4-2 shellacking at the hands of the Indians in the final game of a series at Oklahoma City. The Rebels lost 3-1 to the San Antonio Missions at Dallas. The Beaumont at Tulsa game was postponed.

Oklahoma City achieved its victory before a booster night crowd of 6,000. The Indians scored two runs in the third and two more in the fifth, the two latter tallies being driven in by Catcher Danny Doyle with a two-bagger. The Sports sent one man home in the first and got their only other run in the eighth.

Starting pitcher H. K. Perry's wildness led to the Dallas defeat. He walked batters in the first and second innings, giving San Antonio a run in each frame. The Missions got another run in the fifth, although they didn't need it. The Rebels scored their lone tally in the first.

# Passeau Pitches Win; Now Leading National League

By The Associated Press  
Those two hardy perennials, Claude Passeau and William (Lucky) Walters, are bidding strongly for the pitching leadership of the National League again.

This year most of the attention in the senior circuit has been given to Mort Cooper of the St. Louis Cardinals, with his five shutouts, and Lefty Larry French of the Brooklyn Dodgers, with his unmarred record of six victories and an earned run average of less than one per nine innings. But Passeau and Walters made their claims heard anew Wednesday night with stand-out performances.

Passeau pitched a four-hitter for the Chicago Cubs to beat the Philadelphia Phils, 3-1, and attain his 11th victory, the most games any pitcher in the major leagues has won.

He has accounted for one third of the victories the second-division Bruins have scored this season.

Walters, like Passeau, hasn't had much help from his teammates, with Cincinnati ranking last in the league in both batting and fielding, yet Wednesday night he scored his eighth success against five setbacks by holding the New York Giants to six hits over ten innings to lead the Reds to a 4-3 decision in a twilight tussle.

The Reds' triumph coincided with a double defeat for the St. Louis Cardinals to close the gap between second and third place to a single game.

The Redbirds were beaten 6-2 and 3-1 at Boston by the Braves Wednesday as Jim Tobin and Rookie Willard Donovan turned in two nice pitching jobs.

In the American League the New York Yankees captured their second straight decision over the St. Louis Browns, 6-4, with Joe DiMaggio, Charley Keller and Tom Henrich each getting two hits.

Broadway Charlie Wagner came up with his second 1-0 victory in a row as the Boston Red Sox stopped the Detroit Tigers on his three-hit hurling.

Lefty Al Milnar, who has been struggling with little success all season, organized a five-hit shutout of the Philadelphia Athletics for the Cleveland Indians.

John Humphreys shut out the Washington Senators, 6-0, for the Chicago White Sox. Catcher Tom Turner assisted with a grand slam home run.

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**Northern Wildcats**  
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Atlantic Refining Company No. 1-A Texu, scheduled 8,700-foot test in Southwest Central Andrews, has passed 6,730 feet in lime.

In Southern Gaines County, Texas No. 1 Robertson is drilling at 3,690 in anhydrite.

Argo Oil Corporation No. 1 H. B. Granberry, Western Gaines wildcat, has progressed to 2,670 feet in anhydrite and shale.

Magnolia No. 1 Powell, Southeastern Martin County deep project, is drilling in hard lime at 4,495 feet.

**Major Glenn Laffer Shot The Works, But Team Lost That Game**  
Major Glenn Laffer, MAFS public relations officer, did everything from playing left field to umpire Tuesday night but his P. R. O. team lost 3-7 to the finance office team at a picnic for the two groups at Cloverdale Park.

Laffer started playing. Then fired his manager Pvt. Tanner Laine and took over Lip Durocher duties. He heckled the opposition and his own players, saying his pitcher was bowling. The Major finished the game as umpire. Still his team lost.

Major Fred Keb of finance pitched the win. His team consisted of Farmer, Boles, Webber, Schweighefer, Acheves, MacIntosh, Gordon, Black, Horowitz, Cole, Dudley, Robinson, and Davis.

P. R. players were Corrigan, Templest, Elliser, De Lacey, Scriber, Casey, Samuels, McKinney, Laffer, Bailey, and Ellison.

In a special sprint race, Lt. Reavis O'Neal of public relations won. Second was Lt. John L. McKenzie of finance. Major Keb edged Major Laffer for third place.

The picnic lunch followed the ball game.

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Oklahoma City 4, Shreveport 2,  
San Antonio 3, Dallas 1,  
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**National League**  
Chicago 3, Philadelphia 1,  
Cincinnati 4, New York 3,  
Boston 6-3, St. Louis 2-1,  
No other games.

**American League**  
New York 6, St. Louis 4,  
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| Cleveland    | 37 | 30 | .552 |
| Detroit      | 37 | 34 | .521 |
| St. Louis    | 31 | 37 | .456 |
| Chicago      | 26 | 36 | .419 |
| Washington   | 28 | 41 | .406 |
| Philadelphia | 28 | 43 | .394 |

**Texas League**

| Team          | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---------------|----|----|------|
| Beaumont      | 47 | 25 | .653 |
| Shreveport    | 40 | 35 | .533 |
| Houston       | 39 | 37 | .513 |
| San Antonio   | 38 | 37 | .507 |
| Fort Worth    | 34 | 35 | .493 |
| Tulsa         | 34 | 38 | .472 |
| Oklahoma City | 33 | 41 | .446 |
| Dallas        | 27 | 44 | .380 |

**National League**

| Team         | W. | L. | Pct. |
|--------------|----|----|------|
| Brooklyn     | 44 | 17 | .721 |
| St. Louis    | 35 | 26 | .574 |
| Cincinnati   | 36 | 29 | .554 |
| New York     | 34 | 33 | .507 |
| Pittsburgh   | 30 | 33 | .476 |
| Chicago      | 33 | 35 | .485 |
| Boston       | 30 | 40 | .429 |
| Philadelphia | 18 | 47 | .277 |

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### Annie Oakleys Join Guerrillas For War

TILLAMOOK, Ore. (UP)—The Tillamook Guerrillas were reinforced by a ladies' auxiliary—a band of sharpshooters Annie Oakleys with well-polished deer rifles.

Col. Stewart, an old, blind commander of the Guerrillas, signed up the feminine marksmen at a recent meeting.

Citing the example of the Russian and Spanish women "partisan" warriors, the Tillamook housewives and secretaries beseeched Stewart to grant them licenses for the prospective "Japanese hunting season."

Organized in groups similar to those established by the Guerrilla force, they prepared to man essential industries and help with seasonal crops. One battalion has been delegated the job of collecting scrap metal.

The women's army will function in that fashion until the day of invasion comes—if and when. Then they'll drop their hoes and plows for rifles.

Stewart says the feminine warriors will be assigned definite territory to defend, and he isn't doubtful about their ability to defend it. Many of them get the bag limit during deer season.

### Army's Apple Nuggets Are Quite Versatile

BOSTON (UP)—The latest thing for army menus are dehydrated apple nuggets which look like popcorn, but can be eaten "straight" or turned into succulent pies or sauce.

The quartermaster's first order was for 1,000,000 pounds. The apple nuggets are made from tart apples—Baldwins, Winesaps or Rome Beauties.

They have a superior taste to dried apples and are also much lighter in weight, since dehydration takes out more water than does drying.

Any given weight of dehydrated apples will make about seven times that much sauce or pie filling.

### Future Farmers To Feed Fathers, Hold Plan Meet Friday

Dads of the Future Farmers of America in Midland County will be guests of their sons Friday night, when the young farmers will hold a picnic, play hour, and a general planning meeting at Cloverdale Park.

The meeting will begin at 8:30 o'clock, but all are asked to meet at the agriculture room at the high school by 8 o'clock, from which place the group will go on to the park.

There are 38 boys in the FFA of Midland County, and a fully organized program is under way. The group was organized in September, 1942, and is a part of the state and national future farmer movement, one of the largest organizations of the kind in the world.

Harlan Howell, teacher of agriculture at the Midland High school, organized the group, and is advisor.

Officers of the FFA are Kelly Lewellen, president; R. C. Vest, Jr., vice-president; Garrett Arnett, treasurer; Lewis Wingo, secretary; J. S. Patton, reporter; Bill Walber, watchdog; and G. W. Wolcott, historian.

### Highlights From The Week's Oil News

COMPLETIONS IN ALL FIELDS (Week Ended June 20, 1942)

| Oil Gas Dry               | Ttl. Footage | 1942 | 1941 |
|---------------------------|--------------|------|------|
| N. Y., Pa., and W. Va.    | 36           | 11   | 4    |
| Ohio                      | 2            | 11   | 9    |
| Tuliana                   | 1            | 3    | 5    |
| Kentucky                  | 1            | 3    | 1    |
| Illinois                  | 24           | 0    | 19   |
| Michigan                  | 4            | 2    | 6    |
| Kansas                    | 24           | 2    | 6    |
| Nebraska                  | 0            | 1    | 1    |
| Missouri                  | 0            | 0    | 0    |
| Iowa                      | 0            | 0    | 0    |
| Oklahoma                  | 13           | 1    | 6    |
| Texas:                    |              |      |      |
| North Central Texas       | 6            | 1    | 11   |
| West Texas                | 14           | 0    | 0    |
| Texas Panhandle           | 6            | 1    | 0    |
| East Texas                | 8            | 0    | 1    |
| Texas Gulf Coast          | 15           | 0    | 12   |
| Southwest Texas           | 5            | 0    | 12   |
| Total Texas               | 49           | 3    | 26   |
| North Louisiana           | 3            | 0    | 5    |
| Louisiana Gulf Coast      | 7            | 0    | 2    |
| Total Louisiana           | 10           | 0    | 7    |
| Arkansas                  | 5            | 0    | 1    |
| Mississippi and Southeast | 0            | 0    | 0    |
| Wyoing                    | 2            | 0    | 2    |
| Montana                   | 2            | 0    | 0    |
| Colorado                  | 1            | 0    | 0    |
| Utah                      | 1            | 0    | 0    |
| New Mexico                | 3            | 0    | 0    |
| California                | 5            | 3    | 11   |
| Total United States       | 183          | 37   | 102  |
| Total previous week       | 174          | 39   | 104  |
| Week ended June 21, '41   | 41,428       | 83   | 138  |

ment and may not be considered as the anticipated sequel to the discovery of the first pay in that section. However, the East Texas basin and its continuation around the north end of the Sabine uplift have provided two discoveries in 1942 which are of outstanding importance, the sweet oil in the Smackover at Midway north of the fault system which was supposed to limit the pay in that formation and the Paluxy sand discovery at Black Oak south of the hypothetical limit of that pay. Together, these two finds throw open the whole East Texas basin for deep exploration completely through the Lower Cretaceous and into the Jurassic. Along the next zone to the south, the Wilcox sand and the whole Upper Cretaceous section has been penetrated in East Central Louisiana and oil has been found in the Tuscaloosa. Fields producing from the Cockfield have been found to have underlying Wilcox production. In Lee County, south of the fault zone, the

Edwards and Georgetown have been found productive. Ellenburger production has been pushed farther to the south under the Edwards Plateau, and oil has been found in the Cambrian in Pecos County.

Of the fields found in these new sectors, Barnhart, Midway and Black Oak appear to be of considerable magnitude. Even though production in the others is not great they form signposts the route of future exploration.

Completions reported last week were five above the week before. Oil wells were up nine, but gas wells and dry holes were each down two.

### Mexican Bombs



Bomb crew in Mexico-at-war loads up a plane for coastal patrol in co-operation with U. S. air forces.

### Paper Pulp Moulding Keeps Kids Occupied

NORMAN, Okla. (UP)—Prof. Ralph Bienfang of the University of Oklahoma offers this novel way of keeping the children busy at home:

Put scraps of paper in a pan of warm water. First the bits of paper are worked into a pulp in the water. The pulp can be removed and worked into a variety of useful and art objects.

Hot pads, bowls, masks and match holders can be fashioned without difficulty. After the objects dry they may be painted.

To careful mothers who want to keep their children spotless, Bienfang warns that such creative work is a bit messy. But remember, too, he adds, it keeps Junior busy while those victory gardens are being canned for winter.

### SEE QUININE SUBSTITUTE

ALBANY, Ga. (UP)—A substitute for quinine may be found in an American shrub known as Georgia Bark.

Dr. James C. Andrews, of the department of biological chemistry of the University of North Carolina's school of medicine, has been experimenting with the medicinal properties of the plant.

Other scientists also are studying Georgia Bark, known botanically as *Pithecellobium* pubens, and orders for as much as 100 pounds have been received by the department of agriculture. The bush, now in full bloom of pink and green, grows best in the damp wooded places between here and the Florida line.

ELMIRA READY TO FREE 823 TO THE ARMY

ALBANY, N. Y. (UP)—The "best boys" of Elmira reformatory, numbering 823, have been recommended by reformatory officials and the New York State Parole Board as available for selective service.

The army is willing to accept the boys—all first offenders—when they are released, says Dutton S. Peterson, chairman of the State Assembly's Penal Institute Committee.

Peterson believes many prisoners held for minor crimes or subject to parole might better be released for military or defense duties.

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# McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By William E. McKenney  
America's Card Authority

The members of the Intercollegiate bridge contest among 54 colleges were: Stephen L. Ham of Southampton, N. Y., David T. Harris of New York City, Francis B. Har-

AK84  
9642  
AKQ5  
2

J 1093  
10863  
J62  
A5

W N E  
S 7  
10978  
QJ109  
4

75  
AKQJ  
84  
K8783

Rubber—Both vul.  
Dealer—South

Suggested Bidding

|       |      |       |      |
|-------|------|-------|------|
| South | West | North | East |
| 1♥    | Pass | 2♠    | Pass |
| 2♥    | Pass | 3♥    | Pass |
| 4♥    | Pass | 5♥    | Pass |
| 6♥    | Pass | Pass  | Pass |

Opening—A J. 25

ington of Clinton, N. Y., Walter Roberts of Macon, Ga., Dwight Hekerson of Philadelphia, Pa., Peter Kikes of New Rochelle, N. Y., and William J. McRoberts of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Although the leading pair placed only fifth in pair score, the all-round play of all four pairs was so consistently good that the team paced the field by a wide margin.

Ham and Harris bagged the very difficult strip and squeeze in hand No. 7, shown today. North and South earn pair by making six hearts, and the play has to be very precise. Dummy wins the spade lead and leads the singleton club. When East does not produce the ace, South should duck. The defense probably leads a trump. South then leads and ruffs a club, repeating the ace. To attempt another club ruff will clearly be fatal, so the declarer has to cash all his trumps and hope for a squeeze. It develops, as East has the only stoppers in clubs and diamonds, and South must make a club besides his king or North must make the five of diamonds at the end.

### His Pet's A Lamb

LONDON (P)—Crowds thronging Piccadilly Circus stared in astonishment when an Indian soldier walked calmly along the street with a tiny lamb trotting at his heels. The soldier adopted the lamb when its mother died.

### Afternoon Frock



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### Cops Stopped Play And Went To Work

PARKERSBURG, W. Va. (P)—To relieve the monotony while cruising around, Police Lieut. Harry Dougherty and Officer W. S. Hamrick play a game with auto license numbers, the winner being the one who spots the highest number in a given time.

"I see 330-199, so I win," said Hamrick.

"Not so," said Dougherty. "West Virginia licenses go only to 200,000 and something."

They pursued the car, discovered the "3" on the license had once been a "B" to denote a truck license, and arrested the driver for improper use of license plates.

### Robot Tests Socks

LONDON (P)—Tommy's a sock tester invented by a British army clothing inspector, "marches" 80 miles a day in army socks. He has

### He Nearly Spent Furlough In Kitchen

CAMP STEWART, Ga. (P)—Tip to soldiers on leave: always keep your furlough papers with you.

Pvt. Hoyle Conway, on furlough at his home at Palm Beach, Fla., went to Miami to see a friend at the Air Force school. As he walked into his pal's barracks a tough sergeant confronted him with: "Where are you going, soldier?"

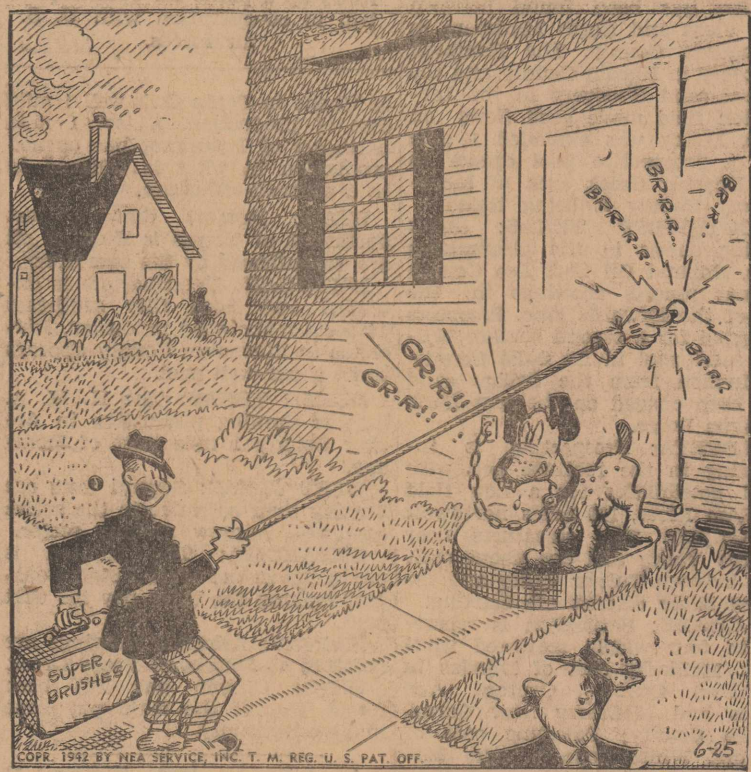
"Just visiting," Pvt. Conway replied.

"You don't say! Well, suppose you report to the kitchen. We need another KP."

Pvt. Conway protested. He finally had to call his aunt, who was waiting outside the post, to verify the fact that he was on furlough and that his papers were at home, locked up in his desk.

two mechanical feet and reproduces perspiration and strain of long marches.

### FUNNY BUSINESS



"Last week I sold watch dogs!"

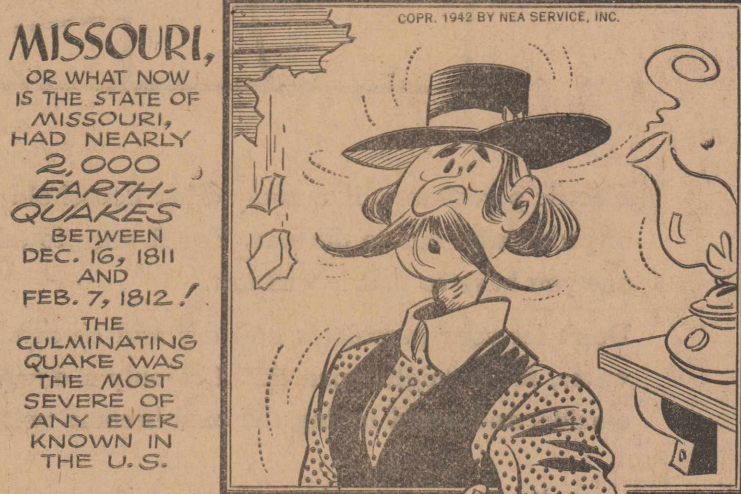
### SIDE GLANCES



"This book says a baby is very quick to follow the example of its parents, George—I guess you'd better give up smoking!"

### THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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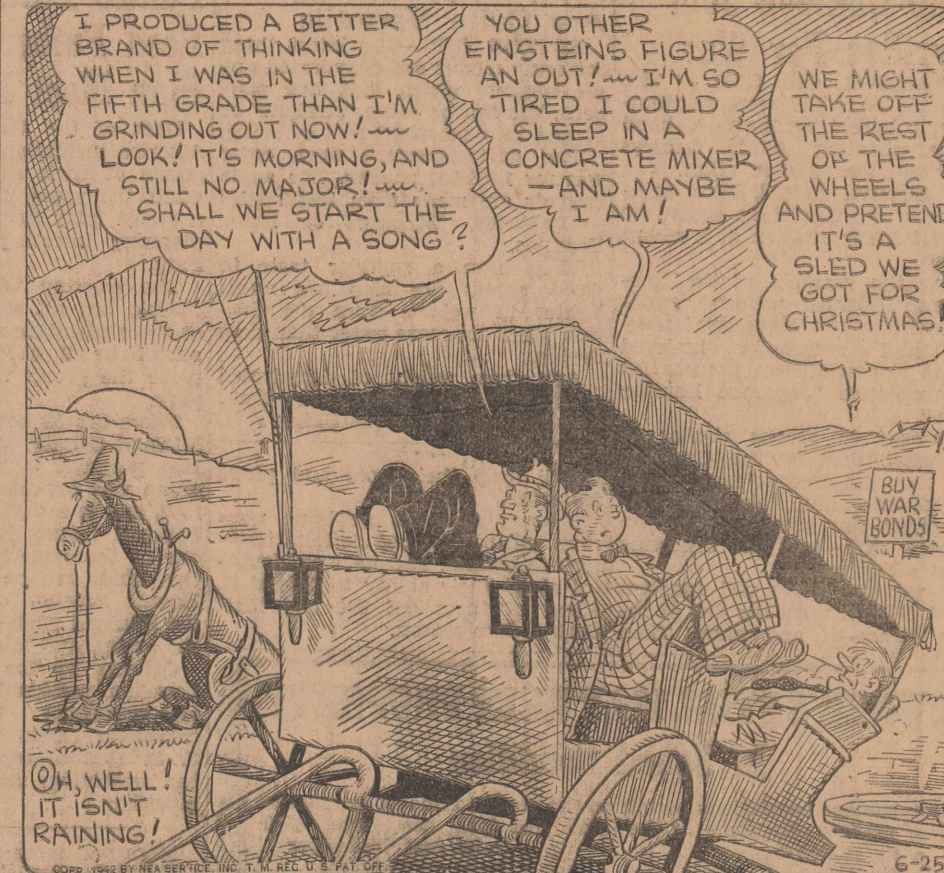
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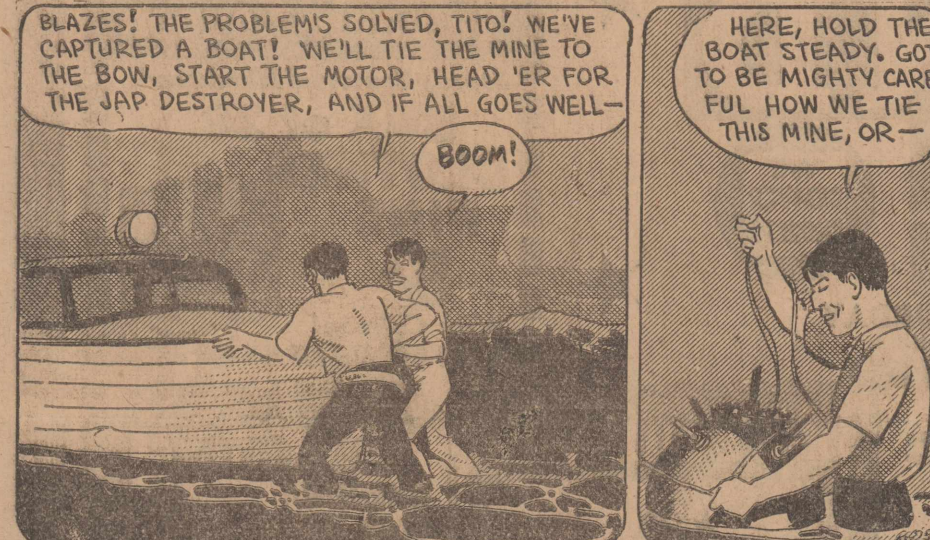
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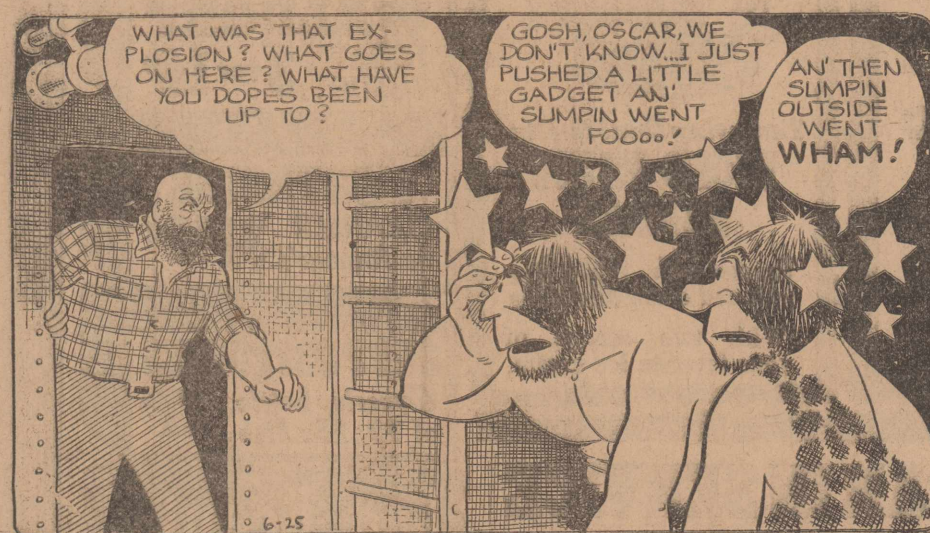
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By V. T. Hamlin



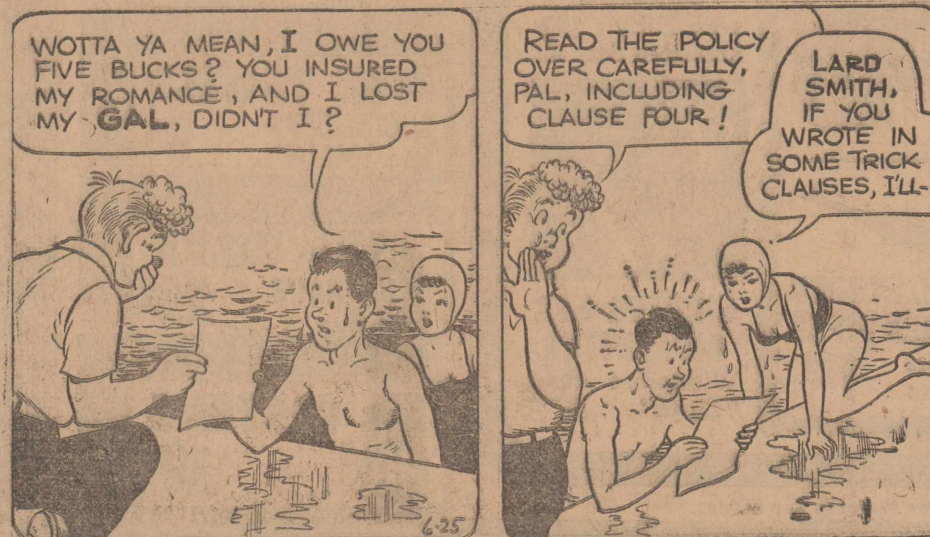
### Red Ryder

By Fred Harman



### Freckles And His Friends

By Merrill Blosser





### Gasoline Stocks Showing Decline Fourteen Weeks

NEW YORK (AP)—Gasoline stocks in the United States declined another 2,147,000 barrels in the week ended June 20, the 14th weekly decline, the American Petroleum Institute announced.

The total at the end of the period was 89,847,000 barrels, compared with 91,994,000 in the preceding week and 90,874,000 barrels in the same week a year ago.

Total gasoline production declined 429,000 barrels to 9,227,000. Production the preceding week was 10,389,000 barrels.

Crude oil production, however, increased 20,450 barrels to a total of 3,720,800 barrels, compared with 3,857,000 barrels a year ago.

The report showing daily average crude oil production (in barrels) included:

- Week ended June 20, with changes from previous week:
- Oklahoma 337,600, increase 1,950.
- Kansas 279,850, increase 100.
- Panhandle Texas 88,400, increase 1,100.
- North Texas 144,000, decrease 5,400.
- West Texas 204,850, increase 50.
- East Central Texas 93,950, increase 6,350.
- East Texas 362,750, increase 150.
- Southwest Texas 143,650, increase 12,800.
- Coastal Texas 243,100, decrease 850.
- Total Texas 1,280,700, increase 14,200.
- Louisiana 307,850, decrease 800.
- Arkansas 73,800, increase 100.

**SOLDIER'S 36 "BEST MEN"**  
FORT SILL, Okla. (UP)—When Pvt. Robert Z. Long's girl-friend, Elsie Bevard, of Santa Monica, Cal., visited him here they decided to get married. Long called his section and asked for a best man—and got 36 of them.

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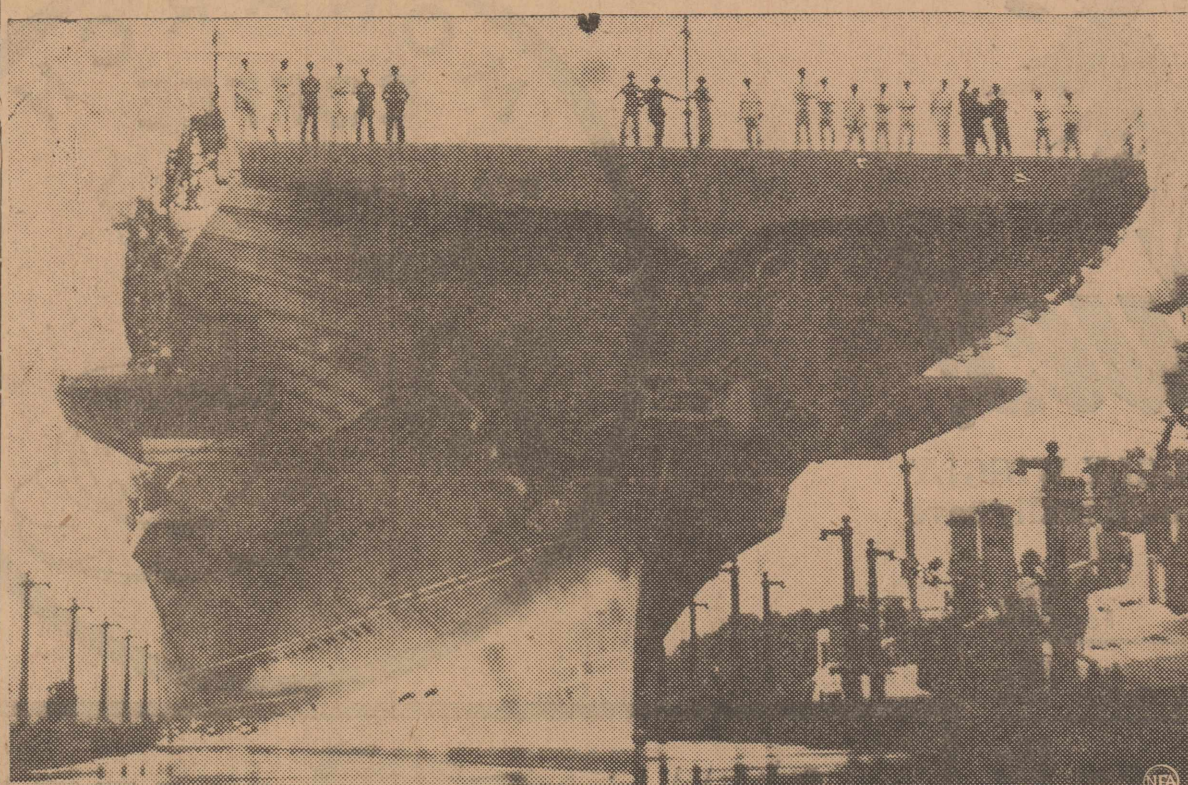
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### Navy Turns To Carrier Building, As Planes Take Over Brunt Of Attack, Destruction Of Enemy Fleet Forces



By Thomas M. Johnson  
NEA Service Military Writer  
WASHINGTON — "What we need to win this war is a hundred and fifty aircraft carriers," exploded a naval officer back from the Far East.

Before Pearl Harbor the battleship admirals would have snorted in derision. But the battles of Midway and the Coral Sea have shown that the war in the Pacific is today largely a carrier war.

The Navy has put air-going sailors on the bridge, and their imaginations soar unfettered even up to drawing-board talk of a flying carrier, a dirigible towing planes through the air.

That may actually come, someday. Meanwhile, January 1 will surely see the Navy nearer 150 carriers than Congress possible a few months ago. Seemingly soon vote a big new program to free the seagull's wings.

The Navy is quietly undergoing a revolution in tactical doctrine toward air-power which is projected much farther than the biggest shell is projected by gunfire.

#### CARRIER REPLACING BATTLESHIP

Although it is now pretty generally considered that the Midway victory was due largely to land-based Army bombers, still it clinched the value of the naval bombing plane, as demonstrated in the Coral Sea. These air-sea battles of unprecedented nature are vital in naval history. Our fast carriers, with good warning devices, proved less vulnerable than expected to air bombing, certainly less than

slow battleships. The first-hand facts, brought back by naval flying officers for the President, Admiral King and key Congressmen, are having an effect as explosive as an aerial torpedo.

The carrier is in many ways taking the place of the battleship as spearhead of the fleet. The Navy's vast shipbuilding program is being reshuffled to bring the new trumps uppermost.

Not "battle-wagons" but "covered wagons" get the center of the road, if only to catch up with Japan, whose carriers are more varied than ours and were twice as numerous before Midway.

If they lost three sunk, or even one sunk and two damaged, this was a highly important result for the tactics of the American task force—to knock out their carriers. For all their carrier casualties save one were big carriers, and even though one of ours was damaged, the balance is tilted our way.

Officially, we have with the Fleet seven big 78-120 plane carriers, plus the first few of its ultimate thirty-odd cargo ships now being converted to 15-30 plane carriers. The Navy confesses nearly a score more big ones in the works.

Big carriers are needed for striking forces to bomb Japanese invasion fleets threatening Australia or other coasts, and later Japanese battleships are needed for convoying ships bearing the cargoes now piling up, especially in Caribbean ports. Means of mass producing small carriers are now being studied.

We are learning how better to protect carriers, but they still need to be screened by other ships, so we are building more cruisers and destroyers fast and nimble enough to dodge bombs and torpedoes.

#### BATTLESHIPS ARE STILL NECESSARY

Old salts are astounded at how naval construction and planning are swinging toward air-power. Keels that were laid for some of the 15 battleships now building,

will cut the water as keels of carriers. But not all.

We must have surface warships so long as there are surface merchant ships to protect or sink; we must have surface battleships so long as the enemy has them. And today Japan has built or building fourteen, including some new giants.

The American battleship now looms through the spindrift of the near future will be powerful but very fast, carrying many anti-aircraft guns and some long-range rifles, and not three planes, but perhaps thirty. It really will be a carrier-battleship.

To evolve the new air sea power means changes unequalled since not only the Dreadnaught and the Monitor, but even the momentary naval revolution caused by the introduction of steam. As in their day, change has been resisted by a few swivel-chair brasshats. They have lost.

The Navy will soon announce full details of a reorganization in which its patient, veteran Chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics, Rear Admiral John H. Towers, rises from a post technically rather subordinate, to Vice Admiral, Assistant Chief of Naval Operations (Air).

#### NAVY STARTS "AIR-CONDITIONING"

There will be more changes such as establishment of new big training centers for an increasing influx of air cadets.

For the moment, this so-called "air-conditioning" of the Navy catches it at something of a disadvantage, which was lessened, but by no means canceled by the Japanese losses at Midway. It has too few carriers, especially too few smaller ones; too few of some type of planes, too many of others; far too many battleships that, because of age, slowness or other defects, are vulnerable to air attack.

But this country has the youth, the brains and the industry to adjust, swinging toward air-power. We must hurry, for never in our history has time been so precious.

### Consumer Services Prices Will Have Limit July 1; Based On March Prices

WASHINGTON (AP)—The cost of shoe shines, automobile repairs, piano tuning, funerals and all other consumer services will be limited beginning July 1 to the highest levels charged in March.

The Office of Price Administration issued price ceiling regulations Tuesday night that will affect 1,000,000 establishments doing an annual business of \$5,000,000 throughout the country. It supplements the price control order of April 28 clevring consumer goods.

Exempt from the new regulations were professional services, such as those performed by physicians, dentists, lawyers and barbers.

The following questions and answers explain the scope of the new order:

1. What is a consumer service?  
A. A consumer service under the regulation is a service rendered in connection with a commodity for the ultimate consumer such as the housewife, the motorist or the farmer.

Q. What are examples of consumer services?  
A. Laundry, dry-cleaning and shoe repairs are some of the most common services performed for consumers. Others are the lubrication or repair of a private passenger car, the developing and printing of amateur films, the repair and servicing of home radio sets and electrical appliances, and the sharpening of household knives and scissors.

Q. Are prices on services standardized by this regulation?  
A. No, the regulation simply places a ceiling for each establishment at the highest price it charged for a service in March, 1942. But ceiling prices will vary from shop to shop just as uncontrolled prices varied in March.

Q. May prices be charged below the ceiling?  
A. Yes, the regulation does not more than place a top limit beyond which prices cannot go.

Q. What control is there over the price of the service establishment did not charge a flat price for a consumer service?  
A. In this instance the ceiling is determined by the pricing method, rates and charges adopted in March, 1942.

Q. Is any provision made to take care of cases of substantial hardship?  
A. Yes, the Office of Price Administration has set up machinery by which a person may apply for relief.

Q. Must a service establishment post any ceiling prices in a manner similar to the "cost-of-living" posting rules of the general maximum price regulation?  
A. No, the regulation does not require any service establishment to display a list of the ceiling prices.

Q. What are the provisions about licenses?  
A. Every person selling a consumer service is automatically licensed under this regulation, and every new seller automatically is licensed. There is no certificate or other actual license, but the seller is licensed nevertheless.

Q. What is the purpose of the license?  
A. It is a method of enforcement. If a seller, after warning from OPA, violates the regulation, a court of proper jurisdiction may suspend the license for as long as 12 months. Without a license it is illegal to sell services which are under this regulation.

**FEMININE FANCIES**  
By Kathleen Eiland

Wonder why some people can have the most gorgeous flower gardens and the greenest lawns, apparently with all the ease of the young man on the flying trapeze while we, poor folk, may blame our life away for a few paltry blooms? Where's the justice in that, we ask?

Three cheers for dark tailored net dresses (not too sheer, of course) as proper attire for hot days. Comfortable as can be expected of any dress on a blistering day. Ditto for wide-brimmed straw hats. And sandals-tipped shoes.

And speaking of shoes, did you ever notice that white shoes make an outfit look about 50 per cent cooler? They do. The gay-hued play shoes that are mostly straps above a platform sole or wedge, look carefully comfortable, too. With a certain who-cares zip to them.

It's one of our minor interests and pleasures to mirror, year by year, the evolution of various forms of dishes for serving our favorite corn-on-the-cob. This year tops in service dishes is an individual crystal dish shaped like an ear of corn in the husk. Extra claim to fame on

Ambrose R. Haluptzok  
Commissioned Captain

Ambrose R. Haluptzok, Master Sergeant and chief technical inspector at Midland Army Flying School, has been commissioned a captain.

Haluptzok came to Midland Army Flying School in January, 1942. Previously he was stationed at Ellington and Kelly Fields. Most of his 18 years and eight months of service were at Kelly Field.

He attended the Army technical school at Chanute Field. His home town is San Antonio, Texas. His appointment was effective June 19.

the part of this gadget is that it has compartments for butter and salt. No bothering your neighbor at table with repeated "please pass me's" when he's as busy enjoying the succulent kernels as you are! Some dinner-wise hostess thought up that improvement, we'll wager.

HAMLIN LETTER  
SPRINGFIELD, Ill. (UP)—A wild chase by stage-coach, a poker game for high stakes, a lottery ticket worth \$25,000 and a confession to grand larceny made up a story revealed in a 103-year-old letter found recently in the archives vault at Springfield.

The letter was written in 1839 by Orin Hamlin soon after he had stolen \$11,500 of state funds. He told John Dixon of the State Board of Commissioners how he had fled on a river boat and had subsequently lost \$8,000 of the money in a poker game.

Dixon and a companion immediately started a pursuit by stage-coach that carried them through most of the Eastern states. Unable to locate Hamlin, they renewed the search in Canada. Eventually they picked up his trail in Connecticut. He still evaded them, however, and they gave up the search.

When they had returned to Dixon, Ill., Dixon revealed that Hamlin already had raised the amount stolen and had repaid the state.

Some time later, Hamlin won \$25,000 in a lottery and returned to Galena, Ill., where he set up a store. Dixon then sued Hamlin for \$11,500 and interest and won the suit. Hamlin had to sell everything he owned to pay the state for the cost of the search.

Vichy Reveals Damage To Cherbourg Dike  
VICHY (UP)—The four-mile dike at Cherbourg protecting the port from heavy seas blown across the Channel at its widest point was damaged seriously by RAF raids early in May.

German military authorities have ordered the immediate repair of the dike despite the shortage of cement in France, and priority has been given to the delivery of materials to prevent the widening of the breach and serious damage to the installation.

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