

GERMAN RESISTANCE WEAKENS

Soviets Pursue Disorganized Nazis

New Allied Landing In North Solomons Reported By Japan

A new Allied landing operation in the Northern Solomons was announced by the Japanese radio Thursday while Gen. Douglas MacArthur reported a continuance of relentless aerial strikes against Rabaul and Kahili, the disintegrating centers of enemy air power in the Southwest Pacific.

An uncorrected broadcast in English from Tokyo said Allied forces landed early Wednesday on Mono (Treasury) Island, 20 miles southwest of Shortland Island. Attacking Nipponese naval planes claimed the sinking of one American warship and the damaging of another.

Admiral William F. Halsey's South Pacific Command made no mention of landing operations or damages, although acknowledging Treasury Island was hit during raids on neighboring Kahili, Kara and Ballale airbases. Significantly, naval censors permitted front-line dispatches to say that Treasury was defended by Japanese artillerymen prepared to guard the sea lanes approaching Bougainville to the northwest.

Halsey's Solomons air force has poured 500 tons of bombs on Bougainville and Ballale in four days. Meanwhile, MacArthur's flyers smashed 58 more enemy planes on the ground and in the air over Rabaul Monday. Forty-three others were severely damaged, bringing the toll of enemy aircraft destroyed or damaged at the big New Britain base since Oct. 12 to 225 planes.

The Central Pacific seemed ripe for new American offensive action to keep advances in line with progress in both North and South Pacific theaters. Assistant Navy Secretary Ralph Bard predicted more carrier task force raids and even landings to draw the Japanese navy out of hiding.

Action Stirring In Balkans

Yugoslav Peoples Army Smashes Nazi Tank Attacks; Partisans Inflict Heavy Losses On Foe Near Albania

LONDON —(AP)— Gen. Josip Broz' (Drus Tito's) Peoples Liberation Army has smashed back German tank attacks in Montenegro and the Sandjak area of Bosnia, and other partisans have inflicted heavy losses on German units in sharp fighting only 10 miles from the northern border of Albania near Kolashi and Berane, a communique issued over the Free Yugoslav Radio said Thursday.

The communique also said that former Yugoslav General Djukic and 30 other officers described as Montenegro Quislings helping the Germans have been captured and another 21 killed, including a "traitor" named Stanistau.

Nazis Concerned Over Reactions Of Men Going Home

NEW YORK —(AP)— German officers have been told to have a "serious and comforting word" with men going on leave because "hard shock await these men at home." The Office of War Information said Wednesday night this was disclosed by one of two Nazi high command manifestos obtained by the Allies.

One, addressed to the officers and dated July, 1943, declared: "They (the soldiers) will see a picture of dreadful devastation such as they have never known before. Perhaps they will find all their goods and chattels gone and everything destroyed. The families at home whom the soldiers must now meet, have been through harder times, even than many front-line soldiers who have withstood heavy action."

The officers also were directed to have a further talk with each man returning from leave to tell him "how wrong it would be to spread wild stories among his comrades now."

The other manifesto, addressed to the soldiers themselves, attempted to prepare them for the destruction caused by Allied air raids in their home cities and advised that they share "some of our force, our will, our vision and our confidence" with civilians there.

Reports Say Major Questions Settled In Moscow Meeting

Moscow —(AP)— Secretary of State Cordell Hull, Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and Foreign Commissar Vyacheslav Molotov began the 10th session of the three-power conference Thursday amid reports that some of the most important questions have been settled in an atmosphere of "so far so good."

American, British and Russian technical experts into the form agreements already reached.

Premier Joseph Stalin continued to keep in close contact with the discussions, as indicated in a Moscow broadcast recorded in London Wednesday night that a British delegation headed by Secretary Eden had conferred with the Russian premier again Wednesday.

WEATHER

Little temperature change.

Hitler's Troops Face Entrapment As Red Army Cracks Defenses And Opens New Drives In Ukraine Area

Berlin Admits Situation Now Is Serious; German Troops Are Making Withdrawals As Soviets Continue To Push Rapidly Ahead

MOSCOW —(AP)— Russian tank units and strong advanced infantry forces pouring into the desert steppe west of Melitopol Thursday have seized all the little roads criss-crossing the area and are moving rapidly into the flanks of the fleeing Germans.

One column was moving south from Akimovka, 14 miles below Melitopol along the railroad to the Crimea, which was already within striking distance.

Rail Line Threatened

Another group was just south of Nikopol, manganese mining town, moving up to meet another force moving southwestward upon the town within the Dnieper River elbow.

The breakthrough between Zaporozhie and the Sea of Azov has already recaptured upwards of 300 square miles south of the Dnieper and there is only a shred of German line falling back toward the Crimea in the south and toward Kherson in the west.

The Russians in this area were hourly nearing the Perekop-Kherston railway, the only line out of the Crimea. This line leads to Ukiolai, west of Kherson, and recent maps show a connecting line from Nikolaevo west to Kolesovka on the main Odessa-Kiev railway.

The German communique reported "bitter defensive fighting" in the South Ukraine as "the struggle is continued with unabated violence."

(Swiss reports quoted by the British radio said all—Rumanians living east of the Dniester River, some 200 miles west of the furthest Russian penetration, have received orders to prepare for immediate evacuation into Rumania.)

(The broadcast said all Rumanian factories within a 60-mile zone west of the Dniester in Bessarabia have been instructed to prepare for removal to Rumania.)

Thomas & Ratliff of Rogers, Texas, are the contractors on the 12-mile highway near Midland. Their contract calls for \$77,000 for the work.

Lewis In Effect Rejects WLB Plan In Wage Dispute

WASHINGTON —(AP)— John L. Lewis Thursday in effect rejected the War Labor Board's compromise plan for settling the coal miners' wage dispute, as work stoppages spread in the fields.

The United Mine Workers president advised district UMWVA presidents by telegram that he considered the WLB plan for approving a minimum \$1.12 1/2 a day earnings increase in the "model" Illinois contract to be the equivalent of a reduction in the basic wage rate.

LONDON —(AP)— Radio France at Algiers, quoting a report from the Italian frontier, said Thursday that an attempt had been made recently on the life of Benito Mussolini.

The broadcast said that the plane in which he planned to visit Hitler's headquarters was discovered to have been sabotaged.

It gave no further details.

War Bulletins

LONDON —(AP)— Repatriated war prisoners from Germany asserted again Thursday that German morale is cracking, and that the day of German surrender might be closer than many believe.

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC —(AP)— The pattern in the Southwest Pacific is one of steady encroachment on Rabaul, preparatory perhaps to invasion, observers here said Thursday.

LONDON —(AP)— A dispatch from Bern, Switzerland, quotes the Swiss newspaper Gazette de Lausanne as reporting a "psychological collapse" within Germany, caused primarily by the Allied air offensive.

First Lady Is First Shopper



Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt sets a good example by officially launching the "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early" drive, as she talks over her gift list with Santa Claus in a New York department store.

Inspection Of Entire Personnel Of Midland Army Air Field Will Be Held Saturday; Special Events Planned

An inspection of all officers, enlisted men and WACs at Midland Army Air Field will be held Saturday by Commanding Officer Col. John P. Kenny, with all personnel appearing in the winter OD uniform.

Following the inspection, a huge all-post field and track meet will be held, with teams from the AAF WAC Detachment, 83rd Base Headquarters and Air Base Squadron.

Records May Fall

This meet, second of the year, has created unusual interest among squadron personnel at the post, and with squadron commanders and first sergeants dreaming of the commanding officer's cup in their day rooms, teams have been going through their paces with notable vigor for several days.

The physical training department, co-sponsors of the meet with the special services office, declares all records established in the last meet, May 8, will be shattered. It also was announced that an athletic award certificate will be presented by Colonel Kenny to each enlisted man who finishes first, second or third in one of the events.

The bombardier cadets will compete in the field and track meet, but not for the Col. John P. Kenny Cup. Each member of the winning drill team will receive an athletic award certificate from Colonel Kenny, as well as the cadets who finish first, second and third in the track events. Cadet John Towle, who was track captain and champion at the University of Wisconsin for three years, is putting the cadets through their paces.

Dance Is Scheduled

Officials of the meet will be Lt. Joseph Kelley, in charge of the field and track events; Robert N. Skinner, Red Cross field director, who will be the referee; and Lt. John F. Crooks, announcer. The judges will be announced prior to the first event of the afternoon.

Following this event the WACs and enlisted men with their wives and girl friends will go to the post service club where a western-style barbecue will be served under the auspices of Major Russell B. Brown, special services officer.

A Halloween dance with masks, noise makers and confetti will follow the barbecue, with music by the post's top dance orchestras.

More Men For New Midland Airport Arrive Thursday

Twenty-six more enlisted men will arrive here Thursday afternoon for duty at Midland Airport No. 2.

Indications are that the new field, one of the finest in the entire Southwest will be activated Monday, but a definite date has not been set by the Army's Ferrying Service, which is in command of the new post.

Committee Rejects Sales Tax Proposal

WASHINGTON —(AP)— The House ways and means committee Thursday rejected all proposals for a national retail sales tax and there-by virtually completed action on a general tax bill with only about \$2,000,000,000 of new revenue in sight.

The new exploration will be (Continued on Page 7)

American Troops Make New Gains In Drive Along Upper Voltorno Valley Toward New Nazi Positions

Eighth Army Secures Bridgehead Across Trigno River After Engineers Construct Bridges Under Heavy Shellfire By Enemy

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, ALGIERS — (AP) — American troops stabbing high up the valley of the upper Voltorno River have driven a deep salient into the enemy's lines northwest of Raviscanina while Eighth Army engineers threw bridges across the Trigno River under heavy shellfire, Allied headquarters announced Thursday.

Enemy resistance was reported jelling along the entire front as the two Allied armies punched doggedly forward over rough country, despite sharp and continuous enemy fighting to wipe out his position on the northwest banks.

In the face of what was officially termed "extremely accurate" artillery bombardment, Eighth Army engineers continued to throw new bridges across the stream.

Artillery fire also was intense to the southwest on the Eighth Army front, where Eighth Army units in a four-mile drive from the last previously-announced positions captured the town of Torella Del Sannio and Mafalda, seven miles northwest of Montecilione and near the southeast bank of the Trigno.

(The Berlin radio, in a broadcast recorded in London by Reuters, said that Montefalcone, along with Torre Del Sannio and Montemilione, also had been abandoned by the Germans.)

The town of Castelmauro, six miles northwest of Palata, was taken by Eighth Army units after relatively small-scale but extremely bitter fighting in which the British advanced a mile and a half beyond their former line.

Still farther south the Germans employed harassing tactics against the British advance forces penetrating beyond Bojano along the vital main land road toward Isernia.

The Nazis employed both medium and field artillery to hinder the thrust of the American troops in the central and right sectors of the Fifth Army front.

Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark's troops, however, attacked and captured high ground along both sides of the Voltorno and widened the base of their salient by taking Riardo, nine miles southwest of Raviscanina and 11 miles northwest of Capua.

The gains left the Americans of the Fifth Army and the Canadians and British on the left of the Eighth Army still short of the main mountain defense line toward which the Germans are slowly withdrawing.

The difficulty of the advance was indicated by the communique from Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's headquarters which said "Enemy positions strongly held cover all main approaches and have to be destroyed in detail."

As far as is indicated in official reports the Eighth Army has driven (Continued on Page 2)

Moody Will Attend War Conference Here

G. Ward Moody, rehabilitation field secretary of the American Legion, Department of Texas, has notified G. C. Roripaugh, commander of the Woods W. Lynch Post, that he will attend the District 16 American Legion war conference here Sunday. Rehabilitation is the major problem to be discussed at the conference.

About 100 delegates are expected to attend the meeting.

First Day Contributions In National War Fund Campaign Here Total \$2,612

Midland's United War Chest campaign for \$15,000 kicked off Thursday morning for a whirlwind drive when business men and firms contributed more than \$2,612, announcing "Sure, We'll Take a Texan's Share."

Mayor A. N. Hendrickson, campaign chairman, marshalled his forces for a quick drive and took the lead by devoting the entire morning to visits with business men in an effort to get Midland's quota as rapidly as possible. Working with the mayor on the special gifts committee Thursday was Tom Sloan.

Every citizen of Midland will be called on to contribute to the National War Fund which combines the appeals of 17 war-related agencies. Not a turn down was reported by Hendrickson and Sloan.

Next week, campaign workers will visit every business institution in the city, and plans are being perfected for a house-to-house canvass.

Thursday's largest contributor was Dunlap's Department Store, \$175.

Contributions of \$100 included Clyde Cowden, Frank Cowden, J. L. Crump, First National Bank, George Glass, Ralph Love, Midland Hardware & Furniture Company, Roy Parks, Proctor Brothers, J. C. Smith Stores, T. R. Wilson Dry Goods Store, R. L. York.

H. H. Watson contributed \$75. Fifty dollar contributors included: H. H. (Bill) Brewster, Wright Cowden, Crawford Hotel, C. L. (Continued on Page 2)

Suspect Is Held In Slays Of Littlefield Pair

LUBBOCK —(AP)— Highway Patrol Captain N. R. Smith said Thursday afternoon a suspect had been arrested in Galveston in connection with the slaying of Dr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt at Littlefield, Texas. The man will be questioned at Lubbock late Thursday afternoon, he said.

The man, a 50-year-old ex-convict, was arrested at a Galveston hotel Wednesday night and was brought to Austin Thursday morning, Smith said, adding that the man was taken en route from Austin to Lubbock.

The highway patrol captain asserted the suspect was paroled at Huntsville where he had been committed earlier in the year on a felony conviction at Lubbock.

LITTLEFIELD —(AP)— Double funeral services were planned Thursday for Dr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt while officers continued to weigh carefully all clues which might lead them to the killer who left their bodies grotesquely bound in their blood-spattered bed.

Their six-year-old daughter came upon the gruesome sight early Tuesday.

Sheriff Sam Hutson said a pickup order had been issued for one suspect as officers desired to "check up on the activities of this particular person. We have some evidence which looks pretty good on that."

One double funeral was to be held here at 2 p. m. after which the bodies were to be taken to Lubbock to lie in state before the service and then burial at Lubbock.

Among Mrs. Hunt's survivors are six brothers in the armed forces, two overseas.

A total of \$8,795 had been contributed as reward for apprehension of the killer and more donations were coming in.

Two Indictments Made By Jurors

Two indictments were returned Wednesday by the Midland County grand jury after a session of several hours.

One of the indictments was against Henry Greenwood, who is charged with an assault on Eddie Woods, another negro. Greenwood previously had been indicted but an error in a name on the indictment caused prosecutors to seek a new indictment.

Malcolm Lane, now held in jail, was indicted for forgery.

The jurors were dismissed by District Judge Cecil C. Collings, subject to call.

Mussolini Orders All Pictures Taken Down

NEW YORK —(AP)— Benito Mussolini, as head of the new puppet Fascist regime, has ordered the removal of pictures of living personalities, including himself, from public offices in Italy, Transocean News Agency said Thursday.

The Nazi broadcast was reported by U. S. government monitors.

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Does your example illuminate life or does it darken it? Let your light so shine before men, that they might see your good works.—Matt. 5:6.

Shipping Men Plan

Sixty-one American-flag steamship companies, organized in the American Merchant Marine Institute, have promulgated a post-war program that is creating much interest in shipping circles.

The institute proposes ultimate transfer of all government-owned merchant ships to private ownership. This will create some controversy, although in a nation devoted to the thesis of private enterprise it would seem to be a very reasonable suggestion.

It is suggested that service be restored on established sea routes promptly and progressively, in order to lose no ground; that new routes opened up by war developments be exploited; that American vessels be placed on former trade routes of the Axis powers; that our coastwise and intercoastal fleet be modernized and expanded; and that we branch out in indirect and "tramp" shipping.

Such steps inevitably would strengthen the position of American lines in foreign trade by enabling us to carry a greatly increased share of our foreign commerce. They would give employment opportunities for our large seagoing personnel. They should be taken in collaboration with our maritime allies.

This leaves one other major recommendation which, whether or not it should be accepted intact, concerns a matter of vital national policy. The institute suggests that at least five million tons of shipping be reserved as a pool for national defense purposes. These craft, it is suggested, should be laid up and "sterilized"—that is, they should not be used in competition with private operators—perhaps in the Great Lakes, where they would not deteriorate as in salt water.

This might be a way to salvage some of our investment in Liberty ships after they have been replaced with more efficient craft.

In considering the program as a whole, and each of its elements, one thing should be kept always in mind: If we had possessed a larger merchant marine at the end of 1941—even to the extent of such a reserve pool as this—we might not be so far from Berlin as we now are, and we certainly would not be so far from Tokyo.

We can't afford to be caught again as we were in 1917 and again in 1941.

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Chinese Reds

Marshal Chiang Kai-Shek makes it clear that the Chinese Communist party has not lived up to its 1937 agreement to participate in a unified national government and give up its own independent armies.

He charges the Communist forces with assaulting national government troops and seizing territory, thus obstructing the prosecution of the war against Japan.

On the basis of reports from China in the past, many have believed that the Communists there were ardently cooperating in the attempt to free their country from Nippon. This is not the case, judging from the best information available. They have not even rested with shirking the fighting against Japan. Chiang charges them with active obstructionism.

It is to be hoped that the Reds will accept Chiang's temperate invitation to come out of the cold into a unified China.

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To Avoid A Postwar Lag

Congress has a tremendous job ahead of it, and it is not only a war job. Much of it has to do with the postwar world, but it has to be done now.

First, drastic action is necessary immediately so that reconversion after the war to peacetime production will not mean lags and unemployment. Economically there is no need for such a lag. The backlog of orders will be there, and more manpower will be available. What will be an impediment is the government's lack of policy on such vitally important questions as settling war contracts and providing loans to protect contractors, especially the small ones.

These problems are not the fruit of idle conjecture. We have the last war as a glaring example. At the end of that war there were 32,000 war contracts aggregating about five billion dollars, and despite the best efforts of government there were still more than 7,000 unsettled contracts after a year. The average time for settling claims taken to court was three and a half years.

Today there are 100,000 prime contracts and several times as many sub-contracts aggregating from sixty billion to seventy-five billion dollars. Time, production, and jobs will be wasted unless machinery is set up promptly to provide for the orderly termination of war effort when the time comes.

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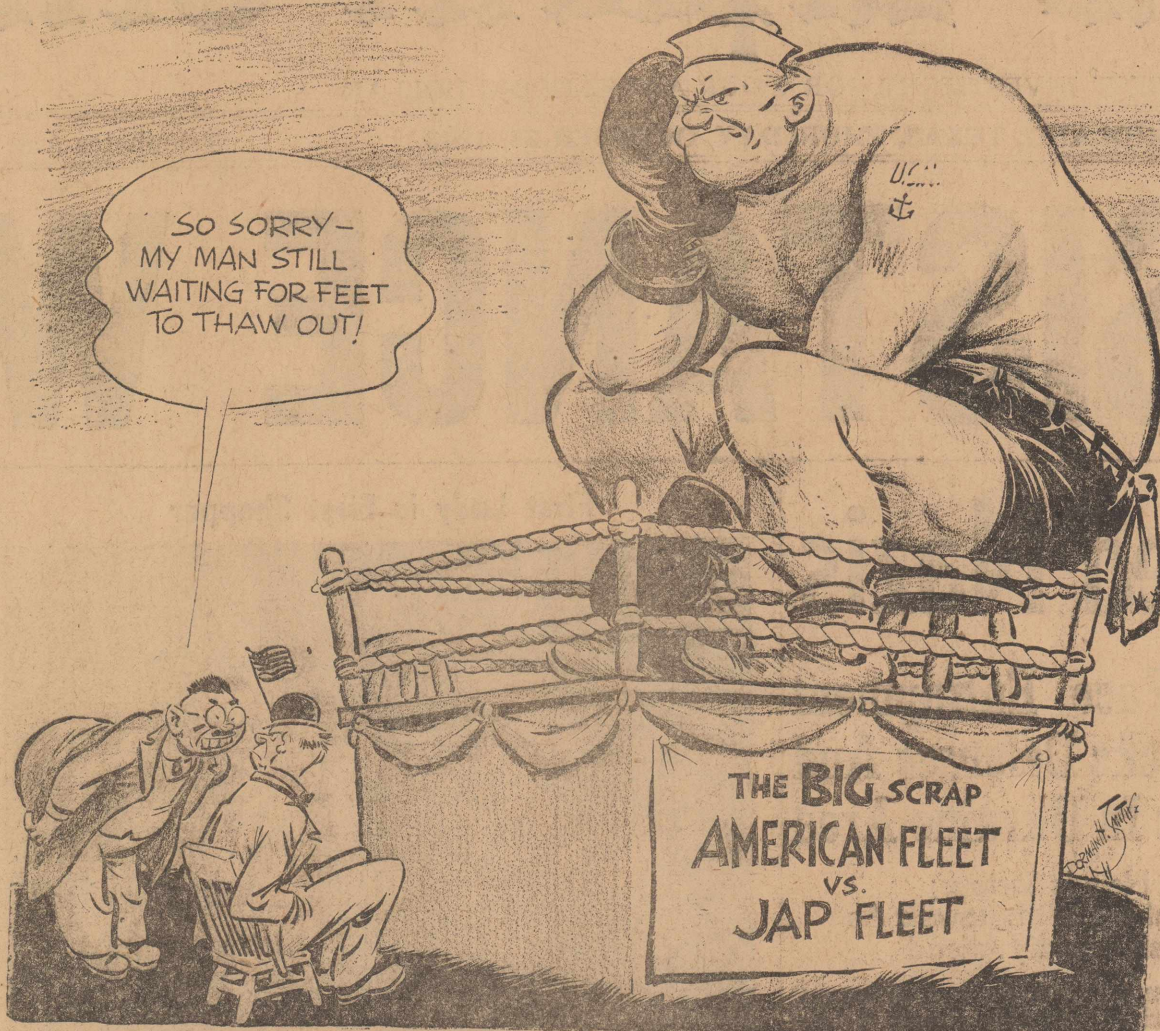
All In The Viewpoint

The Allies have been handicapped from the beginning and still are, by the fact that they approach war with certain humanitarian reservations. They decline to be the first to act like savages. They refuse, often, even to prepare to repay savagery with savagery when, in the long run, such tactics would make for earlier peace.

Thus the British declined a rocket glider bomb in 1938, a year before the invasion of Poland, because its use would have involved indiscriminate destruction. The Germans now are using such a weapon. But we do not even have it ready now.

If we lost the war, we might wonder whether such decency was worth while. Winning it, we can be proud of our humanness.

We'll Just Have To Be Patient



Solons' Action On Father Draft Bill Is Delayed

WASHINGTON (AP)—The post-war policy debate in the Senate Thursday delayed final congressional action on the father-draft issue.

Chairman May (D-Ky.) of the House military committee said a scheduled get-together of House and Senate conferees to adjust differences between bills on this question passed by the two chambers had been postponed until next week.

Senate conferees told us they were too tied up in the past war debate to hold a conference today, May said. "I wanted to hold one last night in order to dispose of this matter."

No definite date has been set for the conference and it looks like the Senate will be debating the postwar resolution most of next week.

The conference will attempt to mesh these two proposals: 1. A House measure requiring selective service to call single men and childless married men on a nationwide instead of local basis before drafting any more prewar fathers.

2. A Senate bill which provides simply for lightening up on occupational deferments in both industry and government with a view to steering more non-fathers into the armed forces.

Senator Wheeler (D-Mont), who fought unsuccessfully to prevent the induction of any fathers until Jan. 1, called for quick action.

Americans --

(Continued from Page 1) en across the Trigno only in the immediate area of the river's mouth.

Mafalda, taken by the Eighth Army is about nine miles inland and about two miles south of the river. It is four miles southeast of Montenero, previously captured.

Adriatic Traffic Pounded With the Mediterranean virtually cleared of enemy shipping and the German air force apparently too weak and too far away to attempt further raids on North African ports, the Northwest African Coastal Air Force has transferred its activity largely to the Adriatic.

Numerous losses have been inflicted in the past few weeks on German shipping creeping from port to port on the Italian and Yugoslav sides of that sea. This traffic is vital to the Germans. On the Italian side the movement of troops and supplies to the front by land has been slowed by air attacks on roads and railroads, and the Germans have resorted to coastal shipping to speed it up. On the Dalmatian coast many German garrisons can be supplied only by sea and air because of poor roads and guerrilla activity.

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First Day --

(Continued from Page 1) Griffin, Allen Hargrave, A. N. Hendrickson, C. V. (Cap) Lyman, Midland National Bank, Leif Olson, Scharbauer Coffee Shop, M. D. Self, T. N. Sloan, Addison Wadley.

H. M. Reigle gave \$37.50. Twenty-five dollar contributors included: Agnes Cafe, R. M. Barron, T. Paul Barron, Branch & Shepard Roofing Company, Dr. E. F. Campbell, John Dublin, George Friday's Boot Shop, J. B. Heskins, J. R. Martin, W. G. Terry, Fred Wilcox, Ross E. Williams, C. B. Yarbrough, Fred Wright.

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Great Battles In Central Pacific Area Within Next Few Months Expected

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER WASHINGTON (AP)—The next few months are almost certain to bring some of the greatest battles of the war between ship-borne and land-based aircraft over Japanese-held islands in the Central Pacific.

And naval authorities here are confident that carrier-borne planes

in sufficient numbers can completely nullify the enemy's land-based aerial defenses, as demonstrated, they say, in task force raids on Marcus and Wake Islands.

The battles appear likely to be joined when powerful forces of United States aircraft carriers strike at Japanese outer defenses to seize advance bases from which to launch new attacks even nearer the Japanese mainland.

Long Tough Job Authorities say it will be a long tough job, probably comparable in some respects to the Solomon Islands campaign. But they emphasize it is absolutely necessary to carry forward American bases in the Central Pacific to positions at least in line with advances already made along the Aleutians chain in the north and the Solomons archipelago in the southwest.

Ralph A. Bard, assistant secretary of the Navy, summed up the situation in a Navy Day speech at Detroit Wednesday.

"A study of the geography of the Central Pacific," he said, "clearly indicates the task which confronts the Navy. Attacks must be spearheaded from aircraft carriers. Landing operations in some of these islands may draw out the Japanese navy. We hope and pray for that event."

Watch Those Cars LONDON (AP)—Although all unnecessary motor traffic has been abolished, more people are being killed on Britain's roads than in peacetime, the Ministry of Transport said in an appeal to the public to form "habits of sane and courteous road behaviour."

Elk Hunt Is Reported Via Carrier Pigeons GREELEY, COLO. (AP)—On a trip into distant mountains, E. B. Repp and party took along carrier pigeons to keep Mrs. Repp, at home in Greeley, advised of the progress of an elk hunting expedition.

Repp carried four pigeons with him to the White River country, about 300 miles from Greeley. The camp was far from telephone or telegraph wires.

The first pigeon, flying straight across the mountains, made the trip in 7 3/4 hours and informed Mrs. Repp "there is lots of game but it will be hard to get."

Another bird arrived the next morning and reported the party shot three elk. A duplicate message was carried by the third bird. The fourth pigeon informed Mrs. Repp of the exact hour the party would return so she could have hot coffee and soup ready.

CHASER A glass of cordial was always drunk after eating ice cream in the 1930's to "prevent any injurious effects from the frozen dessert."

The diet of the average Chinese is said to be inadequate in meat, milk, eggs, vegetables and fruits.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh Ned Buxton was home on furlough last week. And you ought to see the fuss he town made over him. Seems like almost everybody wanted to give a party, or a testimonial dinner, or stage something special in the way of celebration. Of course, Ned acted grateful. But he told me later, all he really wanted was to sit down with a few old friends, enjoy a glass of beer or two, and talk about old times again. I guess that's how many soldiers feel. They don't want a lot of fuss made over them, with formal celebrating and such. What they really like are the simple pleasures—meals of Mom's home-cooked meats, visiting with friends over a glass of beer—enjoying things that mean home and comfort and security. From where I sit, our biggest job, apart from helping win the war, is making sure those things are waiting for our men when they come back home for good. Joe Marsh

Price Control Phases Of New Live Cattle Subsidy Program To Become Effective December 1, OES Reports

WASHINGTON (AP)—The nation's cattle markets were notified Thursday that the price control phases of the government's new live cattle subsidy program will not go into effect until Dec. 1.

The Office of Economic Stabilization, which announced the new program, said the markets were

free to operate until the end of November on the basis which has been applicable since the original rollback subsidy program was inaugurated last June.

Under that portion of the program which becomes effective Dec. 1, slaughterers and processors must pay within specified price ranges for live cattle in order to be eligible for the cattle subsidy, which will vary from 50 cents to \$1.45 per hundred pounds, depending on the grade of the cattle bought.

The only portion of the new program to become effective on Nov. 1 is the offer of a special subsidy of 50 cents per hundred pounds to small slaughterers, who the OES said, have been squeezed by present price control regulations.

The OES issued clarifying statements on its new program Wednesday night after livestock markets became confused over various aspects of the new setup, including effective dates.

Under phases of the program becoming effective in December, slaughterers and processors must pay prices ranging for a minimum of \$7.45 per hundred pounds for cutter and canner grade cattle to a top of \$16 for choice grade, Chicago basis, to be eligible for the livestock payments. (However, there will be no price range strings on the special 50-cent subsidy for small slaughterers.)

Price ranges for other markets are to be announced before Dec. 1.

Officials emphasized, however, that slaughterers and processors would be free to pay any price they desired if they do not want the subsidy. They said, however, the competitive situation was expected to keep prices within the desired ranges.

Unaffected by the program will be feeders who buy cattle for further feeding and fattening. They may pay any price, but they would be unlikely to pay prices out of line with those set up under the subsidy program.

Pen Builders Penned TOPEKA, KAN. (AP)—A couple of Topeka's built a chicken pen and penned themselves on the inside with no exit. Finally they had to call their wives to bring a step-ladder and hand it over to them so they could climb out of the netting.

DEATH HITS ON HOLIDAY Three or four successive presidents of the United States died on the Fourth of July: John Adams, Thomas Jefferson, and James Monroe.

Oil Conservation Methods Explained

By V. E. Cottingham

V. E. Cottingham, chairman of the North Basin Pools Engineering Committee, told Midland Rotarians at their meeting Thursday noon in Hotel Scharbauer that good conservation practices will save off the day when oil substitutes will become necessary.

"Oil is an exhaustible natural resource," Cottingham said. "But there is an immediate alarm for a general breakdown in our mechanized civilization."

He listed four sources of petroleum substitutes: from coal, from oil shales, from alcohol and vegetable matter, and from natural gas.

The cost of producing gasoline from substitutes is far in excess of that from natural petroleum, he asserted.

Oil consumption now is 20 per cent higher now than it ever has been before.

Cottingham defined conservation as more efficient utilization of natural resources and told of the value of the conservation programs of the oil industry to get the greatest ultimate recovery from all wells.

Scientific production methods were discussed briefly by the speaker, who said the United States now has approximately 400-600 oil wells.

Rotarians at the session honored Lt. George A. Heath, school superintendent, who now is stationed at the Pensacola, Fla., Naval Air Station. He is taking gunnery training and has made a remarkable record in target practice.

G. B. Rush, high school principal, reviewed Heath's career as an educator and as a naval officer and introduced Mrs. Heath, a guest at the meeting.

Mayor A. N. Hendrickson called attention to the National War Fund campaign for \$15,000 in Midland and urged Rotarians to double the amounts of their gifts.

Sergeant Wallace Wimberly, honorary member of the club, and now with the Army Air Forces at the Dalhart, Texas, Army Air Base, was a guest at the meeting. Roy McKee, president, presided at the session and Dan H. Griffith was program chairman.

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Society

Fine Arts Club Views Films During Program At Home Of Mrs. Tucker

The Fine Arts Club met in regular session Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. R. C. Tucker, 701 West Illinois, when a brief business session featured the earlier hour of the meeting.

Roll call responses were topics suggested by the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Fred Fuhrman was appointed legislative chairman for the eighth district, and Mrs. Clara Hood Rugel, head of the United Service Organization here and associate member of the club, was appointed to speak at the State Federation meeting in Austin November 9, 10, and 11. Mrs. Fuhrman's subject will be "The Boy's Empty" and the address will be made at the Pioneer Dinner November 10.

Nurses Aides Discussed

Mrs. J. Howard Hodge, president of the eighth district, will attend the meeting, and Mrs. Roy Parks, president of the club and chairman of the aviation committee, was appointed delegate to the federation meeting.

Mrs. Harvey Sloan, associate member, spoke on the Red Cross nurses aides. She stressed the need of young women of Midland to take up this work, and pointed out that nurses aides are the greatest morale builders in a military hospital.

Dr. J. A. Olean, City-County Health Unit director, assisted by S. E. Burnett, presented two movie films of colored groups at the Tus-

kegee institute. The first one was titled "Let My People Live" and depicted tubercular people and how they are cured. The second film was the rehabilitation of tubercular people, titled "They Do Come Back."

Tests Are Planned

Dr. Olean said that the children of the first and fourth grades of Midland public schools will undergo tubercular tests during the present term.

For the education of the public on the subject of tuberculosis and the fighting of the dread disease, Dr. Olean said, the Christmas Seal sale is put on, and that the success of the program depends upon the sale.

"Community Activities For Children" was the subject of a talk by Mrs. Fred Wemple, after which Mrs. George Kidd gave "Midland, Our Problem."

Dr. Olean touched upon the "Health of Our Soldiers."

Those present included Mesdames E. H. Barton, Tom C. Ebo, L. C. Eyerley, Fred Fuhrman, George Kidd, Roy Parks, Foy Proctor, Nelson Puett, Anton Theis, R. C. Tucker, Fred Wemple, and Fred Wilcox. Mrs. Harvey Sloan, an associate member, was a special guest.

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This serviceable and comfortable playground outfit for young athletes has a fly front reversible jacket of cotton poplin treated with "Zelan" to make it shed rain and snow and resist non-oily spots. Repeated washing and dry-cleaning won't spoil the effect of the finish.

Faculty Members Receive Special Recognition At P.-T.A. Reception

The first general meeting of the High School P.-T.A. was held in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening, when approximately 100 guests enjoyed the hospitality of the occasion.

The meeting was opened with an invocation by Supt. Frank Monroe, and Merl Cornelius led the ensemble singing of "The Star-Spangled Banner."

Mrs. Selman J. Lones, president, welcomed the guests and announced that the business session would be dispensed with and the gathering would be an old-fashioned get-acquainted social.

She introduced members of the executive board, Mrs. L. G. Eyerley, state vice president, and Monroe, state recreational chairman, received special recognition.

The meeting was turned over to G. B. Rush who introduced faculty members.

Sketch Presented

Mr. and Mrs. Steven T. Briggs presented a clever sketch called "The Adventures of Jack and Jill" by Sigmund Spaeth.

Dr. J. A. Olean, City-County Health Unit director, gave an illustrated talk on tuberculosis and its cure, and explained the Christmas

seal sale, and its importance to the health of the community.

After the program guests were invited to a reception in the home economics room, which was attractively decorated with autumn flowers and chrysanthemums.

The table was laid with handsome lace cloth, and centered with huge bowl of yellow and white mums.

Mrs. L. G. Eyerley presided at the service, and poured throughout the receiving hours.

She was assisted by Mrs. Marvin C. Ulmer and Mrs. Frank Cowden, and members of the executive board.

Faculty members were presented with corsages and boutonnières as they entered the reception room.

D.A.R. Official To Give Radio Talk

Mrs. Powell, chairman of the constitutional committee of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will present a talk over KRLH at 4:45 p. m. Friday at which time she will discuss the "United States Constitution."

About 10,000 women are employed in U. S. petroleum refineries.

Helpers Are Needed At Work Room Here

The Red Cross work room, which is under the supervision of Mrs. Ralph Barron, has 32 pairs of curtains to be made for the WAC day room at the Midland Army Air Field. Organized head-pieces also are to be made. These must be completed before another quota of work arrives here.

Women may call at the headquarters in the Old Heidelberg Inn and take the work out if unable to remain at the work room.

The work room is open Monday, Wednesday and Friday mornings.

Wed heave seeds were taken from Brazil to London in 1876 and germinated in Kew Gardens to produce rubber seedlings.

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Old Friends Of Visitor Call At Informal Coffee

Complimenting Mrs. John Kenyon of Fort Worth, who is the house guest of Mrs. P. A. Nelson, Mrs. M. T. Hartwell will entertain Friday morning with a coffee to which only old-time friends of Mrs. Kenyon have been invited.

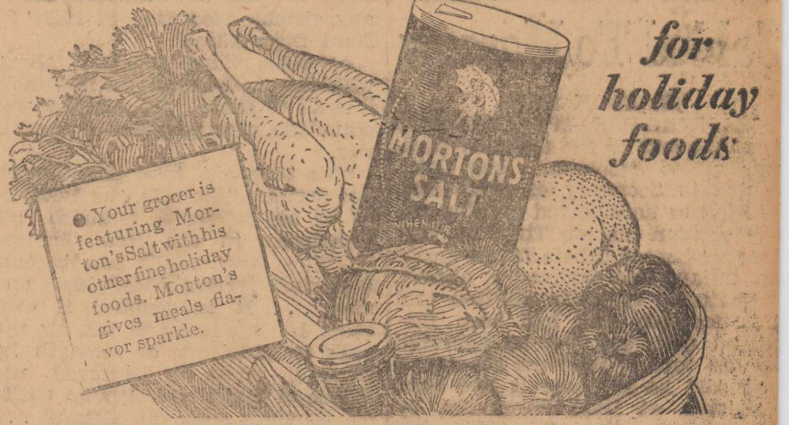
Read the classified ads.

Mrs. Noland Will Give Bridge Party

Mrs. C. S. Noland, 910 West Kentucky, will entertain informally Friday afternoon in compliment to Mrs. John Kenyon of Fort Worth, who is the guest of Mrs. P. A. Nelson.

Invited guests will be limited to the old time friends of Mrs. Kenyon, who formerly resided in Midland.

FLAVOR SAVER



Youth Meeting Is Attended By Midland Group

The district meeting of Methodist youths held Tuesday in Colorado City was attended by representatives from the Methodist Young People's Society and the Intermediate Group of Midland.

Registration, vesper services, supper and a business session featured the meeting.

Those who attended from Midland included Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gwyn, F. B. Hale, J. B. Terry, William McReynolds, Hudson Montcrief and J. E. Patton.

The meeting was attended by 123 representatives from various cities in the West Texas district.

Volunteers Needed For Nurses Aides

More than 36,000 trained nurses have already gone into service with the armed forces, and that many more must be supplied before July, 1944, Mrs. W. H. Sloan, chairman of the local committee, said Thursday. Nurses Aides, she said, will enable other nurses to enter government service by relieving the acute shortage on the home front.

Not more than 30 women will be accepted for the first class, planned here, and a number of applications have been received. Others are urged to enroll at once.

Midland women who are eligible for the Volunteer Nurses Aide Corps of the Red Cross are asked to get in touch with Mrs. W. H. Sloan at the Hotel Scharbauer. A registered nurse will arrive in Midland November 15, to be the class instructor, and women between 18 and 50 years of age, all of whom must be American citizens with high school education or its equivalent, are eligible.

Halloween Carnival To Be Held Saturday

The North Side Elementary P.-T.A. will entertain with a Halloween carnival at 7 p. m. Saturday in the high school gymnasium when all children of the school, aged from 7 to 11, will attend in costume.

Mrs. L. Waldo Leggett, president, is in charge of the event.

Halloween Dancing Party Huge Success

Mrs. Ora Burson, 1700 West Missouri, entertained her ballroom students with a Halloween dance Wednesday evening. Halloween refreshments were served at intermission by the hostess. Piano music was furnished by Miss Marjorie Spencer.

About 50 boys and girls between the ages of 11 to 14 were present.

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First steamboat to navigate the Mississippi berthed at New Orleans, La., in 1812. By 1840, New Orleans was second only to New York as a U. S. port.

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Spread cottage cheese and raisins between doughnut halves.

By GAYNOR MADDOX
NEA Staff Writer

For the war worker's lunch box, for the school lunch, for the traveler's shoe box of "eats" on overcrowded trains, cottage cheese provides welcome unrationed nutrition. It is moist—a desired quality in sandwich spreads. It combines well with many popular ingredients and packs a wallop in protein, minerals, and vitamins.

Doughnut Lunch Box Sandwiches

Two tablespoons evaporated milk or light cream, 1 cup cottage cheese, 1/2 cup raisins, salt, doughnuts.

Add light cream or evaporated milk to cottage cheese. Beat until smooth. Cover raisins with boiling water and stand five minutes. Drain, chop and add them to the cottage cheese with a few grains of salt. Split doughnuts crosswise and put together sandwich fashion with cottage cheese mixture.

Cottage Cheese and Nut Filling

One cup cottage cheese, 1 cup finely chopped peanuts, 1 tablespoon mayonnaise, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, dash of cayenne pepper.

Combine all the ingredients. Use with Boston brown bread.

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Beverly 16-Oz. Jar 29¢

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Beef Chuck or Shoulder ROAST Lb. 28¢ 9 Points Per Lb.

Admiral Nimitz Says Japan Will Feel 'Round-The-Clock Air Bombardment

HONOLULU — (AP) — The commander-in-chief of the United States Pacific fleet confidently foresees the day when the same 'round-the-clock air bombardments now tearing at Germany's vital will wound the Japanese homeland.

Text Of Connally Peace Resolution Cabled To Moscow

By JACK BELL WASHINGTON — (AP) — Disclosure that the text of the Connally post-war peace resolution has been cabled to Secretary of State Hull in Moscow underscored growing administration concern Thursday that lengthy Senate debate might create an unfavorable impression abroad.

Chairman Connally (D-Tex) told this reporter Hull had been furnished with the text as approved by the foreign relations committee and said he supposed it had been discussed, at least informally, by officials attending the tri-partite conference of foreign ministers.

Connally called it "unfortunate" that indications point to a week or more of additional Senate debate on the proposal. The resolution, now in its fourth day of discussion, would pledge the United States to join with free and sovereign nations in international authority with power to prevent aggression.

Postmaster Says Christmas Gifts And Cards Should Be Mailed In November

Postmaster Allen Tolbert announced Thursday that Christmas gifts and cards should be mailed during November to assure their delivery before Christmas. He said the postal problem now is more serious than ever before and urged the cooperation of citizens in the early mailing of gifts and cards.

WACs Will Hold Hallowe'en Fete Thursday Night

Members of the AAF WAC Detachment at the Midland Army Air field have been indulging in the gentle art of military secrets the last few days. But it was leading up to plans for an all GI Hallowe'en party Thursday night in the newly-decorated day room.

Lonergan Denies Bludgeon Murder Of Heiress Wife

NEW YORK — (AP) — Thirteen hours of constant questioning ended at dawn Thursday for Wayne Lonergan who clung firmly to his story that he had no part in the bludgeon slaying of his 22-year-old heiress wife, Patricia.

Jimmy Hester Killed In Training Accident

Mrs. R. R. Russell received word Thursday of the death of her other-in-law, Jimmy Hester, 27, of Mineral Wells, a first class petty flier in the Seabees, while in training in Rhode Island.

North Africa normally produces 10 per cent of the cork used in the United States.

Lady Timoshenko



Cousin of the famed marshal of the Soviet armies, 18-year-old Florence Timoshenko aids her fighting countrymen as a riveter in a Pennsylvania aircraft plant.

Governors To Be Asked To Boost Oil Price Fight

FORT WORTH — (AP) — The nation's 48 governors will be asked to join in a fight for an increase in the price of crude oil.

Ration Board Members In Beaumont Resign

BEAUMONT — (AP) — General Manager John F. Pipkin and Executive Secretary Earl B. Jolly of the Beaumont war price and ration board have resigned because of differences with the Office of Price Administration.

Three Oklahoma Women Killed In California Crash

SAN JOSE, CALIF. — (AP) — Three women died early Thursday in the wreckage of a car which smashed into the corner of the Keys Street bridge here. Three other persons were injured, one critically.

Food To Become Even More Vital, Wallace Predicts

CLEVELAND — (AP) — Food will be the dominant world problem in 1944 and "the time will soon be here when food will be a more persuasive argument than airplanes," predicts Vice President Henry A. Wallace.

Madrid Correspondent Attributes Russians' Success To Artillery Power And Allied Aid

MADRID — (AP) — The continuing Russian successes against the Nazis were attributed Thursday by the Berlin correspondent of Madrid's Informaciones to Soviet use of great concentrations of artillery and masses of material from the Allies.

Three Navy Trainees Credited With Saving Lives Of Children

AUSTIN — (AP) — Three Navy V-12 trainees stationed at the University of Texas were credited Thursday with saving the lives of two children in a fire here.

WPA Analyst To Aid MIDLAND CITIZENS

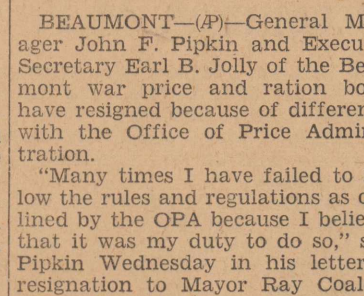
N. W. Harris, WPA analyst, will be here Friday morning to aid Midland citizens with priorities and other WPA matters. He will be in the Chamber of Commerce from 9 a. m. until noon.

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Senator Aikin Again Is Acting Governor

AUSTIN — (AP) — Sen. A. M. Aikin, Jr., of Paris Thursday for the second time in recent months became acting governor of Texas.

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DALLAS — (AP) — The Office of Price Administration here has received reports of heavy runs on cereals—because of the wheat symbol on blue stamps in ration book 4.

Skin Bank Organized By Prison Inmates

PHILADELPHIA — (AP) — Organization of a "skin bank" at Eastern State Penitentiary, believed to be the first in the country, was announced Thursday by Dr. Herbert M. Goddard, chairman of the penitentiary's board of trustees.

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Glass Will Sell Bull Calf Crop

George W. Glass, widely known Midland County rancher and registered Hereford breeder, will offer his entire bull calf crop in a sale Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Texas Cattle Sales Barn. Seventy range bulls and 10 registered heifers will be sold.

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American Ability Works In Styles As Well As Ships

By DOROTHY ROE AP Fashion Editor
It's the American know-how that counts, in building ships or planes—or even dresses that will fit and flatter thousands of women of all shapes and sizes.

One of the main differences between fashion design in New York and in pre-war Paris is that the Parisian dressmaker used to create a model with one or two super-chic wearers in mind, while the New York designer turns out clothes that can be adapted to all types of figures—clothes that will be worn with equal ease on Fifth Avenue and Main Street.

Fashions Improve
Since American designers have been relying on their own common sense and good judgment, instead of copying Paris models, it is noticeable that American women have become progressively better dressed.

Here's how a designer in a big New York dress house works: She usually creates her model on a size 12 mannequin, cutting, draping and fitting until it satisfies her as wearable, becoming and smart. The dress is then modeled before buyers from stores all over the country, who order it in sizes up to 40. The designer then looks at versions of the original dress in all these sizes, and makes minute changes in the placement of the tucks, seams or trimming so that it retains its intrinsic smartness and correct proportion and is equally becoming to size 40 and size 12.

British Like Style
A neckline may have to be adjusted on size 16, or a belt lowered or raised on size 40. But when the dress is finally approved, produced and delivered it's a pretty safe bet that it will be right for the woman who buys it, if she is careful to get her correct size.

Since the war women in England have been amazed and delighted by the well fitting American ready-made dresses that are being sold in London, and British dressmakers have taken a tip in more accurate sizing. Formerly most British ready-made dresses were sold in three sizes only—small, medium and large. Alteration costs were necessary for practically all garments. But since American styles have been made available in Britain, women there have found that it is possible to buy a ready-to-wear dress that is really ready to wear, without alterations.

And American know-how scores once again.

High Cost Of Speech Confronts Delegates

JEFFERSON CITY, MO.—(AP)—A Missouri Constitutional Convention was in progress and Delegate Frank Williams piled a stack of books three feet high on his desk. "That's a subtle reminder of what too much talking will do," said Williams.

The books, he explained, contained the record of the conversations that took place among the delegates at a constitutional convention held in 1922. It cost the state about \$40,000 to print them.

Easy Casual



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Keep up your wartime sewing, thus you are helping bring victory sooner. You'll find 52 pages of absorbing sewing news, 102 new designs in the new fall issue of "FASHION," just out. A copy is 25 cents.

Hallow'en Party Must



Serve devil's food cake for the Hallow'en party.

By GAYNOR MADDOX NEA Staff Writer

Give the boys-on leave the kind of party they were used to in peacetime. That's the formula for fun today. For the Hallow'en party, have all the old familiar things—apples to duck for, mirrors to see one's future mate in, and great bowls of doughnuts.

A rich devil's food cake with pumpkin faces grinning across the top belongs in the witches' feast. So here's the new wartime recipe so many of you have written for.

Devil's Food Cake
Two cups sifted cake flour, 1 teaspoon soda, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 cup butter or other shortening, 1 1/2 cups brown sugar, firmly packed, 2 eggs or 3 egg yolks, unbeaten; 2 to 3 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted; 1 cup milk, 1 teaspoon vanilla.

Sift flour once, measure, add soda and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter or shortening, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add eggs, one at a time, beating well after each; then add chocolate and blend. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time, beating after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla. Bake in two greased deep 9-inch layer pans or three greased 8-inch layer pans in moderate oven (350° F.) 25 minutes, or until done. Spread boiled frosting between layers and on top and sides of cake. Double recipe for three 9-inch layers. Decorate cake with melted chocolate, outlining faces with small brush.

Boiled Frosting
One and one-half cups sugar, 1/2 teaspoon light corn syrup, 2/3 cup boiling water, 2 egg whites, stiffly beaten, 1 teaspoon vanilla.
Combine sugar, corn syrup, and water. Bring quickly to a boil, stirring only until sugar is dissolved. Boil rapidly, without stirring, until small amount of syrup forms a soft ball in cold water, or spins a long thread when dropped from tip of spoon (240° F.). Pour constantly. Add vanilla. Continue beating with rotary egg beater 10 to 15 minutes, or until frosting is cool and of right consistency to spread. Use wooden spoon when too stiff for beater. Makes enough frosting to cover tops and sides of two 9-inch layers.

MIND Your MANNERS

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below.

- 1. Which is the better way to take leave of a person: "Goodbye, I'll see you Wednesday" or "Guess I'll run along; be seeing you"?
- 2. When a man steps into a hotel elevator with his wife, should he remove his hat?
- 3. If he doesn't remove it when he steps into the elevator with his wife, should he do so when another woman enters the elevator?
- 4. If a strange man holds a heavy door for a woman should she acknowledge the courtesy?
- 5. May a man keep on his hat when walking down the corridor of an office building?

What would you do if—
You call a good friend on the telephone and her mother, whom you know, answers—
(a) Say, "Hello, Mrs. Jones; this is Agnes Reed; may I speak with Janie?"
(b) Say, "Hello; is Janie there?"

Answers
1. The former.
2. Yes.
3. That makes his discourtesy to his wife even more apparent.
4. She should thank him.
5. Certainly.
Better "What Would You Do" solution—(a) is the more gracious.

England did not produce more than 45 percent of her foodstuffs before the war.

Betsy Beckham Bundy's Advice To The Lovelorn

Q. My daughter and son both have gone into the service and I am left entirely alone and am miserable. I have tried to occupy myself with Red Cross and other work that might help in the war effort, but nothing seems to help me any. I am so tired of the monotony of life, I do not want to go on. My boy was only 18 when taken, and my daughter has married a soldier and gone away.

I thought these two children would be my chief interest, after they had grown up, and before they are even grown they are gone.

I have a large home, but I am thinking of leasing it out and going into war work in a city.

Bored.
A. That is the very thing for you to do. To keep busy is the greatest solace for a lonely heart. Your children might not have been with you anyway, even had there not been a war.

Since you are provided for with a good home, better lease it to someone who needs it much more than you do. It will do you an immense amount of good to go to a city, and jump into slacks and work at some aviation plant. You will arise before the dawn, and will keep busy until dark. Also you will be quite tired at night, and will not have time to fret over your life and its sorrows.

After all, it is the natural thing that your children should leave you. It is a law of nature. If they were sticking around you all the years of your life, you would be dissatisfied about that also.

Better keep busy and your interest in life will grow. Nearly everyone strikes some situation like yours sooner or later, and with the great sorrow which has struck at the heart of nearly every home in the land, yours is quite light.

My only suggestion is to keep busy, and be thankful that your children are in the service of the country and are still living and unharmed.

Chickens Eat Muskrat Even If Humans Won't
BATON ROUGE, LA.—(AP)—Chickens, unlike most people, like to dine on the lowly muskrat.

A farm woman found her chickens were not getting enough animal protein in their feed, ground up 500 dried muskrat and mixed it in with the rest of her flock's rations.

MANY NEVER SUSPECT CAUSE OF BACKACHES

This Old Treatment Often Brings Happy Relief
Many sufferers relieve nagging backache quickly, once they discover that the real cause of their trouble may be tired kidneys.

The kidneys are Nature's chief way of taking the excess acids and waste out of the blood. They help most people pass about 5 pints a day. When disorder of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, getting up nights, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning cystitis show there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder.

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Coming Events

FRIDAY
The Children's Service League will meet at 3:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Ralph Fitting, Jr., 605 West Cuthbert.

The Belmont Bible Class will meet at 3 p. m. in the education building of the First Methodist Church.

The Red Cross surgical dressings headquarters in the courthouse will be open for work from 9 a. m. to 12 noon and from 1 p. m. to 4 p. m.

SATURDAY
The Treble Clef Juvenile Club will meet at 9 a. m. in the studio of the Watson School of Music.

Ration Calendar

Meats, Butter, etc.—Brown stamps C, D, E and F valid through Oct. 30; stamp G valid through Dec. 4.

Processed Foods—Book 2, blue stamps X, Y, and Z valid through Nov. 20.

Sugar—Book 1, stamps 14, 15, and 16 each good for five pounds through Oct. 31; stamps 15 and 16 good for five pounds each for some canning expire Oct. 31.

Shoes—Book 1, stamp 13, good indefinitely. Stamp 1 on airplane sheet of book 3 valid Nov. 1 and good indefinitely.

Gasoline—No. A-8 good for three gallons; B and C worth two gallons. B book holders must have tire inspections by Oct. 31, C book holders by Nov. 30.

Fortunes Of War Are Recorded On Mess Kit

PHOENIX, ARIZ.—(AP)—Italian fortunes of war in North Africa are crudely etched on the shiny aluminum sides of an Italian soldier's mess kit found, significantly, on a junk pile in the Phoenix south mountain area.

Pfc. Vic Householder, local soldier, who found the kit, said he believed one of the Italian prisoners of war working near here had discarded it and some one placed the utensil on the salvage heap, not noticing the inscription.

Dates and names of cities are notched in chronological order on the metal underneath Fascist and Nazi party symbols. The early entries include Verona, May 16, 1940, and Tripoli, September 24, 1941. After Bengasi, Sirte and other battle scenes again appears Tripoli—the last inscription.

Ninety-nine percent of the body's calcium is in the bony structure.

Zoo's Diet Patriotic

GREENVILLE, S. C.—(AP)—Patriotic animals at the McPherson Park Zoo are meeting the food rationing problem.

Normally big eaters, the bears get along on a daily loaf of bread each, a helping of dog food and apples; the monkeys adopted onions as a substitute for their favorite (and hard to get) bananas and the deer acquired a great appetite for saltine crackers.

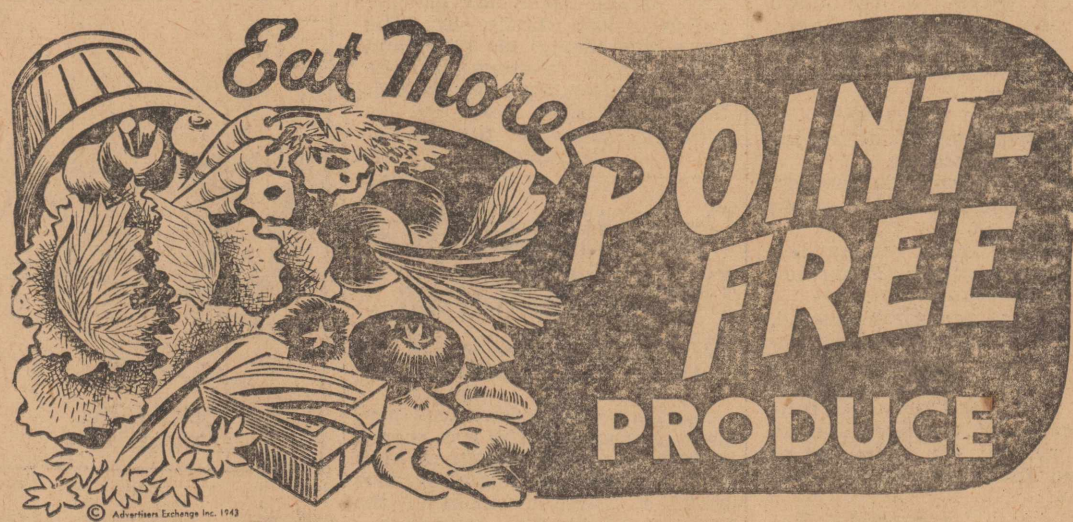
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Golden School Days

LONDON.—(AP)—Britain's ideal school for the future has been established at Ashford, Kent, where 800 pupils attending North Central school learn everything from reading and writing to farming and instruction about motor engines. There are no examinations, no punishments and no regulations.

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MOTHER'S OATS Cup & Saucer Large Box 34¢

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Buckwheat Flour Aunt Jemima Large Box 28¢

Hi-Ho Crackers Large Box Each 22¢

Dog Meal Swift's 5 Lb. Box 54¢

Tomato Soup Scott County 21 Oz. Can—5 Points 17¢

Tomato Sauce Hunt's Can—3 Points 9¢

Grapefruit Juice Reagan's 46 Ounce Can 32¢

Post Toasties Large Box 10¢ Giant Box 14¢

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EAST TEXAS YAMS 2 Lbs. 17¢

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Hominy 12¢

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Errand for Q-74

By Malcolm Taylor

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TAKE-OFF

CHAPTER XXVIII

"AND that's that," said Imhof as they gained the blacked-out street. "Snappy work, Puss!"

Pat gave a little skip of exultation, linked his free arm in hers and lengthened her stride to his. With hearts that beat high with hope, they made their way through the pitch-dark streets of Mannheim.

But not to Pforzheimer's. "Rick!"

"Pat!"

Brother and sister embraced each other joyfully in the street outside the rendezvous Imhof had set.

Then, with Pat in the middle, hand in hand with each of her beloved twin, they walked on.

"Haven't we better break our news to Rick?" Imhof asked her presently.

"I haven't a strained ankle tendon tonight," laughed Rick. "I knew your news as soon as I saw you together."

When they reached the place where Enzell was to meet them, he was not to be seen. Imhof looked at his watch.

Next instant they all jumped.

"Here I am," a voice said out of the darkness. It was only when its owner moved forward that they saw him, so well had Enzell concealed himself in the coign of a wall a few feet from them.

"Am I glad to be going!" Enzell whispered to Imhof. They were in his shadow-shrouded coign, where they had retired with the valise, while Pat and Rick kept watch a few feet off. "The Gestapo know I'm in Mannheim," he went on as he opened the valise and proceeded swiftly to change. "It was me they were looking for at the hideout earlier. Groner gave me away."

Leaving Enzell's discarded clothes as a windfall for some characters and situations are fictitious. Any resemblance to actual persons or happenings is coincidental.

"Push stick well forward," Rick had said. Imhof pushed, still advancing the throttle.

In a moment the plane shot down the runway.

"NOW!" thought Imhof and started operations.

"She doesn't feel right," he complained to Gluck. "Take a squint at the rev counter."

"Now for the pay-off!" thought Imhof as Gluck leaned forward.

Keeping one hand on the wheel, he whipped his automatic from under his arm pit and lunged across at Gluck with the butt. The blow caught the mechanic just right and he crumpled up with hardly a sound.

The party on the runway heard the plane thunder nearer, invisible in the darkness.

All at once the roar of the engines died down.

"Something's wrong!" cried Pat wildly. "Oh, Kurt, Kurt!"

She darted down the runway. "Come back!" ordered the field man sharply.

"It's all right," Enzell added soothingly, peering at the man's face, a pale blob in the darkness. Then his feet moved, his arm shot out and the field man went down without a peep.

Swiftly plunging out of the inferno, Imhof stole aft.

"Schroeder! What's the matter?" asked the startled Stein, seeing Imhof approach.

"Hands up," Imhof commanded, leveling the automatic. "And stand away from that radio."

Keeping the navigator covered, Imhof backed away, fumbled behind him for the handle and opened the door of the plane. Next instant there was the thud of running feet. Pat scrambled aboard, almost without the assistance of Rick and Enzell, who immediately followed.

"Swell work!" commended Enzell, grabbing the automatic and checking Stein as Pat flung her arms rejoicing around Imhof.

Rick darted to the pilot's seat at the same instant and, with the engines going great guns, the plane thundered onward.

(To Be Continued)

tramp, they made their way to the entrance of the field. Schroeder's pass and the permit for his "relatives" after due inspection, gained their entrance from the blacked-out street to a dimmed-out waiting room. Imhof hurried off to don Schroeder's flying kit and the others stood around, talking in awed tones and looking about with the apparent curiosity of laymen.

ON Imhof's return, a field employee led the party through an empty hangar out to the field and then down its blacked-out length to the start of the runway, where Imhof's plane was standing ready, the propellers ticking over.

A navigator-radioman and a mechanic climbed in.

"Goodby, Liebchen," said Imhof tenderly, folding Pat in his arms.

Pat clung to him, murmuring wifely farewells.

"Goodby, Franz, look after your sister," said Imhof to Rick. "Goodby, Joseph," he added to Enzell, and entered the plane.

"Let's go down the runway and see him take off," Rick suggested eagerly.

"Come!" said Enzell to Pat, who reluctantly turned away and went with them, accompanied by the field attendant.

Imhof made his way to the pilot's seat. Carefully following Rick's instructions, he plugged into the intercom.

"Okay, Stein? Okay, Gluck?" "Okay," each replied in turn.

With an eye that seemed casual and practiced but was in reality blank and uncomprehending, he glanced over the array of dials and gauges and meters on the instrument panel. Then he looked for the throttle. Yes, this must be it.

"Slowly," Rick had said, and slowly Imhof advanced the throttle. The roar of the engines was like an answer to his prayer.

Operation Of New Dairy Subsidies Plan Explained

Operation of the dairy feed payment program for the last quarter of 1943 has been explained in a letter to Midland County farmers by W. E. Pigg, chairman of the Midland County AAA committee.

The program is designed to offset a part of the increased cost of dairy production which has become a problem in areas where a high percentage of feed has to be purchased and where labor costs have risen sharply.

Payment at a rate of 40 cents per hundredweight for whole milk, five cents per pound for butterfat, and four cents per pound for buttermilk will be made by the committee direct to the producers presenting satisfactory evidence of sales. Pigg said. Milk statements or sales receipts issued by cooperatives, dairies, creameries and others, showing the amount of whole milk or buttermilk purchased, the date of purchase, and the names of the seller and buyer will be considered satisfactory evidence of sales.

Statements Accepted

If a producer is unable to furnish written evidence of sale, his personal certification of the amount sold, number of cows milked, amount and type of feed used, and customers served will be accepted as sufficient if the certification is consistent with the county committee's knowledge of the producer's business, Pigg explained.

Applications for payments covering October production and sales must be made during November and application for payments covering November and December production must be made during January, Pigg said.

"It is important that dairy production and especially whole milk production be prevented from lagging," Pigg said. "We hope this new type of program brings about the desired increase in milk production because of the importance of whole milk and dairy products in our nation's war diet."

THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson

The ANCIENTS DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT BIRD MIGRATION AND SOME PEOPLE (EVEN ARISTOTLE) BELIEVED THE DISAPPEARANCE OF CERTAIN BIRDS, AND THE APPEARANCE OF OTHERS IN AUTUMN, WAS ACCOMPLISHED BY TRANSMUTATION ... BIRDS TURNING INTO OTHER SPECIES, OR EVEN INTO ANIMALS.

SOME ACORNS TAKE TWO YEARS TO DEVELOP. OTHERS TAKE ONLY ONE. BUT THEY'RE ALL NUTS ANYWAY.

IT'S OAK WITH ME!

Carluso First Made Phonograph Records in 1903 1908 1913

ANSWER: 1903.

McKENNEY ON BRIDGE

By WILLIAM E. MCKENNEY America's Card Authority

Some people are particularly keen in recognizing interesting hands. Such a one is Earl Bryan of Lakewood, O. Several years ago I published many of Bryan's hands, but today's hand is the first I have had from him in a long time, as he is pretty busy with war work.

In regard to the bidding, Bryan said he was afraid that, if he bid two clubs, his partner would re-

spend with two no trump. So he bid one no trump himself, then promptly went to three no trump when his partner bid two.

Bryan (North) let the opening lead hold and won the second diamond trick with dummy's ace, then led a small club and played the nine from his own hand. If East had won this trick, cashed his diamonds and exited with a club, it might have been more difficult for Bryan to make his contract. After cashing his diamonds, however, East led a spade. West put up the jack and Bryan won with the king. Seeing the squeeze possibilities, he led the queen of hearts. East covered and dummy won with the ace. Now all the clubs were cashed. On the last club dummy discarded the heart, but West was in a bad predicament. If he let go the jack of hearts, declarer's ten was good; what if he let go the spade, dummy's ace and ten of spades would win the last two tricks.

Ulmer Says WTCC Plan Is Success

Without wear on rubber, 2,000 business men this month have assembled to hold their West Texas Chamber of Commerce referendum meetings. Approximately 100 local sessions have been held since October 1, at which the WTCC's eleven-plank referendum platform has been debated and submitted to vote.

The decentralized meetings are taking the place—for the moment—of the traditional general convention. The experiment, in its second year, again is proving an unqualified success, said WTCC President M. C. Ulmer.

"This democratic procedure," said Ulmer, "is a heartening opening in this time of extreme danger from without to the democratic way of life. Under our plan the affiliates have the privilege and option of sanctioning or rejecting any or all of the policies planks recommended by the organization's committees, and their vote will determine our course."

Resourceful Mother

BELLE PLAIN, KAS. — (P) — Mrs. Howard Collins has discovered that strips of old inner tube can be used to replace worn out elastic in children's pants and other garments.

NO CROCODILE HUNTING

BUENOS AIRES — (P) — The increased demand for crocodile skin purses, shoes, gloves and other women's accessories, particularly from the United States, is threatening the reptile's extinction in Argentina. As a conservation measure, the government has decreed a closed season on crocodile hunting from Aug. 1 to Jan. 1 and set a size limit of one meter from neck to tail tip.

Experience Counts

CAMP BARKHILL, N. C. — (P) — When Pvt. Robert L. Bishop of the 511th parachute infantry regiment entered the army from Winter Park, Fla., he wasted no time in getting into work for which he is eminently qualified. In civilian life Bishop is an exhibition diver.

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Now At Yucca

Fred Astaire has a new dancing partner, Joan Leslie, in "The Sky's The Limit," his latest and best musical showing at the Yucca Theater Thursday through Saturday. Freddie Slack and his orchestra also are featured in the picture.

Answering It Easy Way

LEAVENWORTH, KAS. — (P) — Pvt. Richard Claussen of Omaha, a recent inductee at Fort Leavenworth, has had to answer so many questions about himself that he now hands curious campmates this card:

"Tiny Claussen—6 feet 6 inches; weight, 270 pounds; wears size 15 shoes.

"Does that answer your question?"

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RUSSIAN SAYS CZECHO-SLOVAK RESTORATION IS CERTAINTY

MEXICO CITY — (P) — Restoration of the Czechoslovakian republic is an absolute certainty, Russian Ambassador Constantine Oumansky said Wednesday night, speaking at a banquet observing the country's independence anniversary.

Today tuberculosis is responsible for the death of one individual every nine minutes. In the early 1900's, deaths occurred at the rate of one every three and one-half minutes.

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YOU'VE KEPT YOUR LIP DOWN LONGER ABOUT THIS THAN WHEN YOU FOUND THAT DOLLAR IN THE POCKET OF MY BORROWED TOPCOAT!

JUST WHEN WE THOUGHT YOU WERE CURED, TOO! I GUESS IT'S JUST ANOTHER LOOSE TILE ON THE ROOF!

BAH! DON'T YOU MENTAL MIDGETS WISH YOU KNEW!

WHAT ARE YOU DOIN'? TAKIN' POT SHOTS AT TH' ONES THAT TRY TO ESCAPE? WHY, YOU'RE GETTIN' IT ALL OVER TH' HOUSE!

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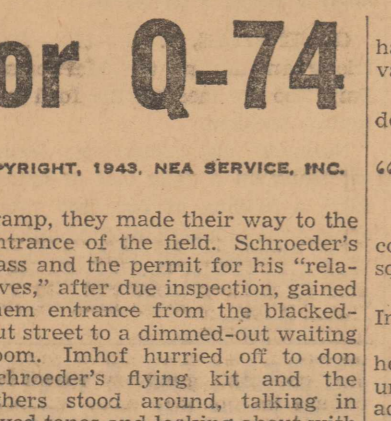
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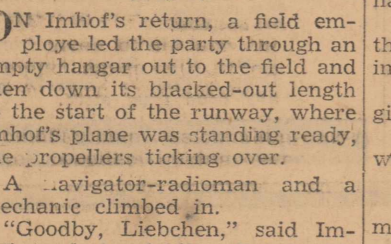
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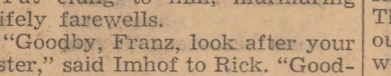
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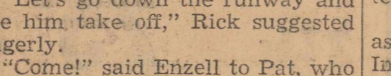
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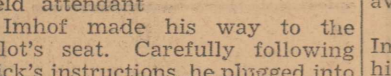
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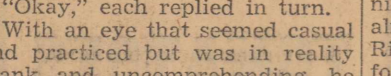
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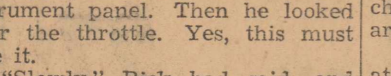
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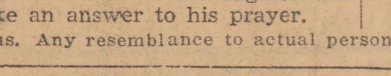
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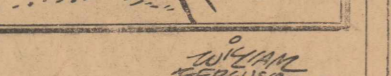
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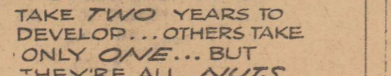
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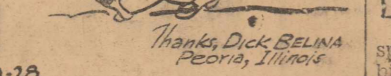
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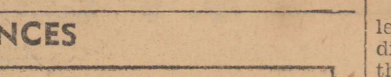
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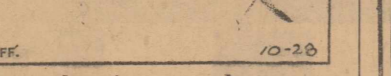
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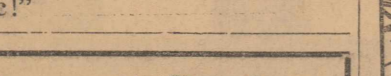
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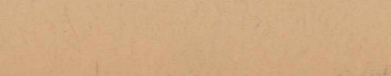
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FUNNY BUSINESS



"But the draft board left us short a lineman"

Wanted To Rent 21

WANT to Rent by Nov. 1 5 or 6-room unfurnished house by permanently located oil company representative. Phone 1213-J or 1805.

FOR SALE

Whigham Electrical Contractors. Wiring and repairs. The same quick, dependable service. Call 1838-J or 1388.

Office Supplies 31

BURROUGHS' portable adding machine for sale. Phone 2202.

Machinery 33

FOR SALE: One 6-hp McCormick-Deering milk cooling box equipped with electric or gasoline motor. One medium size McCormick-Deering separator, can be used with or without electric or gasoline motor. Both in good condition. Dale Kelly, Box 214, Stanton, Texas, Phone 902.

FORD tractor with complete equipment

for sale. T. P. Ledbetter, 3 miles east on Highway.

WANT to Buy 26

STOVES, any kind, also furniture, small lots or large. Tom Nix Second Hand Store, 205 East Wall.

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A good used piano, cheap. First Baptist Church, Phone 673.

WANT to Buy 26

an electric record player. Call 837-J.

WANTED to Buy 26

50 used row crop tractors, any models or makes regardless of condition. Will pay high cash prices, write or wire Acme Tractor Salvage Company, Nebraska's largest tractor wreckers, Lincoln, Nebraska.

WE BUY guns, ammunition, bicycles, tricycles and small electric radios

Help us put unused merchandise in circulation. Western Auto Associate Store, Phone 300, across from Western Union.

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moderately priced residence. P. O. Box 1081.

WANT to Buy or rent 4 or 5-room house

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AUTOMOBILES

Automobile Supplies 53

BANISH CARE with Enginair. We have just received another small shipment of Enginair Tire Pumps. They are now available to all motorists and with the increase of the trouble, a good tire pump is indispensable. Enginair relieves the back breaking drudgery of the pumping since you simply insert Enginair connection in place of a spark plug and watch your motor pump up your flat tire. A gauge is built into the flexible hose line to prevent over-inflation. The cost—only \$4.95—Western Auto Store, across from Western Union, downtown Midland.

Used Cars 54

WE will pay cash for late model used cars. ELDER CHEVROLET CO. (196-tf) We pay highest cash prices for used cars. MACKAY MOTOR CO. 200 S. Lorraine Phone 246 (4-tf) 1936 FORD Coupe, good tires, new motor, A-1 condition. Behind Whit's Store. (199-3) 1937 CHEVROLET 2-door Sedan, for sale. H. A. Boyd, Phone 6014-F-2 between 4 p. m. and midnight. (199-3) FOR SALE: 1940 Chevrolet truck, new tires, new motor, 28-ft. Hobbs trailer, tires good. Phone 588-W. (199-3) 1937 FORD Tudor, radio, good tires; can be seen at Tot's Gulf station. Call 1929-M after 6:30. (200-2)

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Stock For Blood Bank Completed

The initial stock of plasma for the Lions Club blood bank was completed Wednesday at the Western Clinic Hospital, when eight donors were received during the afternoon. Supt. J. W. Erickson said Thursday. Assisting in the work of the afternoon were Miss Aubrey, public health nurse; Mrs. J. M. Devereaux, registered nurse; Mrs. Dorothy Stoner, public health nurse; Cleo Peterson, registered nurse; Miss Edith Payne, laboratory technician, and Mrs. Anne Albert, assistant. The blood will be sent to Dallas where it will be processed and returned for the bank.

McClintic Brothers Sell Hundred Calves

McClintic Brothers Thursday announced the sale of 100 calves to Gene Harlow of Midland. Delivery was made Thursday.

FRANK MONROE WILL ADDRESS BOY SCOUTS

School Superintendent Frank Monroe will address Boy Scouts at their court of honor at 7:30 p. m. Thursday in the district courtroom at the courthouse. The Rev. Hubert Hopper is chairman of the court of honor.

TEMPERATURE TRICKS

Water freezes every night of the year at Alto Curcerim, in Bolivia, while at noon there the sun is hot enough to blister the skin.

REAL ESTATE

Houses for Sale 61

10 ACRES, good 6-room house, near Country Club. Roy McKee, Phone 495. (153-4f) FURNISHED stucco house, two full lots. 1601 N. Main. Bargain. (198-3) FIVE-Room stucco, furnished, southside town, rented \$400.00. Price \$2500.00 cash; good investment. J. F. Friberg, Phone 123. (199-2)

Farms for Sale 63

Lowie Sets Pipe. North Lowe, No. 1 Lowe sec in Northwest Andrews has set 85-inch pipe at 3,023 feet with 300 sacks of cement and is woc. Shell Oil Company, Inc., No. 1 Cox, wildcat project in far Northwest Andrews, about four miles north and west of the Union field is drilling under 3,621 feet in anhydrite. Humble No. 1 Carter, in the Deep Rock region of Central Andrews is at a total depth of 9,768 feet in lime and chert running in drill pipe. Sinclair Prairie Oil Company No. 1 Grisham-Hunter, Ordovician test in Southwest Andrews County has bored below 5,428 feet. Skelly Oil Company No. 1-M University, South Andrews wildcat had progressed to 7,780 feet in gray lime. No Report on Core Continental Oil Company No. 1 Fillers, outpost to the Fullerton field in Northwest Andrews had cored to 6,810 feet. No reports on the study have been announced. The Texas Company No. 1 Farmer County fee, Southeast Gaines County prospector is grinding ahead under 6,656 feet in lime. Continental No. 1-A Jones is drilling below 9,990 feet in lime. Humble No. 1 Cox has progressed to 8,340 feet in lime.

Acres for Sale 66

TEN acres cultivation, 3-room house, barn, butane gas, electricity, well and windmill; immediate possession; \$2100.00. J. F. Friberg, Phone 123. (199-2)

WANTED to arrange for pasture and feed for four or five head stock horses

Phone 630.

Pets 35

REGISTERED Cocker pups, 9 weeks old, for sale. Phone 790. (200-3) 20x50 OFFICE space for rent, immediate possession. Chas. McClintic, Phone 8000-F-2. (199-3)

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Many Calves Are Being Shipped From Territory

Hundreds of calves are being shipped from ranches in the Midland territory in the regular Fall movement, it was learned here Thursday.

Foy Proctor, who each year sells

thousands of calves from this area, is busy again. He shipped more than 600 calves to Jay Kerr at Las Vegas, N. M. Proctor obtained these calves from the following ranches: Guy Cowden 95, Scharbauer Cattle Company and Lee 257, J. C. Sale 50, and Midland Farms Company 266.

Kerr also got 1700 calves from

the Scharbauer Cattle Company in a sale arranged by Proctor. Shipment To Fort Worth Proctor sent a large shipment also to John Clay & Co. in Fort Worth. This shipment included 100 calves from G. P. and Al Cowden, a carload from Leonard Proctor, 175 from Mrs. Ida Wolcott's ranch.

In another shipment, Foy Proctor

sent 340 calves, which he obtained from Mrs. Evelyn Lineberry, executor of the Scarborough Estate, to the Texas Livestock Marketing Association, for delivery in Illinois. One hundred and fifty calves, obtained from Raliff and Bedford, were shipped by Proctor to Zack Martin at Kansas City.

Several weeks ago, Proctor obtained

1209 calves from the C Ranch. Five hundred of these were shipped to Pro

Bulldogs Working Hard To Get Ready For Powerful Eagle II

Following one of the roughest and most thorough scrimmages sessions of the season Wednesday, the Midland High School Bulldogs Thursday appeared in top shape for the crucial tilt here Friday at 8:15 p. m. with the Abilene Eagles in a 3-AA conference affair.

Jimmy Edwards, center, probably will be out of the lineup Friday night because of a twisted knee received in practice, and Black Jack Taylor, general utility man of the squad, has been groomed to move into that slot from the guard position. Ralph Vertrees will go in at guard to replace Taylor. Copper Daugherty will probably start at end, and otherwise the same lineups used in previous games will be seen in action.

Eagles Have Power

The team representing the Eagles gave the Bulldog squad a rough time during the scrimmage session, and kept the regulars constantly on their toes Wednesday. This team, composed of Bobby Drake, Corbie Friday, Bobby Hyatt and Hubert Drake in the backfield, and James Moore, Guy Tom Cowden, Rex Ger-

ald, Leonard Leftwich, Tommie McNeal, Jim Griswold and Ed Griswold in the line, will deserve a great share of the credit if the Bulldogs manage to win Friday night, whether or not any of the members get out almost as much as they probably will have to win the scheduled tilt.

Power is the Eagle mainspring, since the squad has plenty of weight. The visitors potentially have

an unusually good ball club, but they haven't managed to click right yet. They seem to think this game will be the start. They have lost three and won one.

The starting lineup for the tilt probably will consist of Richards at quarterback, Hall at fullback, Hale and Sweeney at halfback slots; Watson, Spurgess and Vertrees on the left side of the wall, Taylor at center, and Daugherty, Funk and Roy on the right side of the line.

It's All Over Now — The Exodus Has Begun Southwest Conference Teams Lose Trainees This Week

By The Associated Press

The big exodus is here. This is the week when trainees pack their bags for transfer from—or to—other—Southwest Conference schools.

Out of the jumble may come a football championship for Texas A. and M. The Aggies didn't have any naval trainees to begin with and because the boys are so young will not lose many to the Army.

But not so the other teams of the conference.

TCU Hard Hit

For instance, Texas loses Joe Parker, one of the finest ends in the country. Parker goes to Galveston Medical School. Southern Methodist sees Billy Shaw, regular guard, depart for Great Lakes. Ed Cloud, center, has received his Marine orders. Bill Squires, triple-threat back, is being transferred to Texas Christian but isn't cer-

tain whether he will play football there.

Texas Christian is hardest hit with seven players departing, including four regulars—Harry Gardner and Doug Carter, backs, and Billy Hale and Dick Smith, linemen.

Rice is losing its fine tackle, Charles Malmberg.

Less Moore, Aggie wingman, was called to the Army this week but that has been the extent of A. and M. losses. Arkansas has already lost backs Ewell Thompson, Nathan Hudson and John Tull to the service and Guard John Carpenter will enter the Navy next Monday.

North Texas Ruined

North Texas Agricultural College will find its football team virtually wrecked, losing 22 men including Pete Stout, star quarterback; John Bond, smashing fullback; Clarence McMinn, ace

halfback, and such fine linemen as Doyle Caraway, Harold Crossen, Jim Reed, Burnie Smith and Jim Wright.

Southwestern also is hard hit with Jackie Field and Ken Matthews, the touchdown twins; Tackles Zuehl Conoly and Bubo Barnett; Guard Les Proctor and Center Jack Sachse to be among the missing next week.

Texas Tech doesn't lose a single man. There is only one boy as old as 18 on the squad and he is classified 4-F. Tech has no naval trainees.

Sports Roundup

By Hugh S. Fullerton Jr.

NEW YORK—(AP)—Stirring the embers in baseball's hot stove, Danny Litwiler, who hasn't buried his memories of the World Series in his winter job as teacher of general science, physical education and health and basketball coach at Kingtown, Pa., High School writes: "You must admit we can play better ball. Put us in the same league as the Yanks and they could never catch us." . . . That might be true, but it also might be that the Yanks wouldn't catch 'em because they'd be going in a different direction . . . Jimmy Johnston, who seldom has a good word for boxing commissioners, takes time out to regret the resignation of Tris Speaker as chairman of the Cleveland commission . . . "He was one of the few commissioners who ever applied the rules with common sense," says J. J. J. "He knew his job was to regulate boxing and that's all he tried to do."

CON YOU BEAT 'EM

Couple of high school grid feats that will be hard to beat: Mike "Tiny Tim" Roussos, New Castle, Pa., tackle, kicked a 35-yard point-after-touchdown on a muddy field during a recent game. His team drew a 15-yard penalty on the first attempt and that's how far the ball actually traveled . . . In Richmond, Va., 15-year-old Osborne "Sonny" Ashworth of St. Christopher's, threw just one pass against Benedictine and all three clicked for touchdowns.

Today's Guest Star

Al Del Greco, Hackensack, (N. J.) Bergen Record: "It might interest musicians among the readers to know that Howie Nelson (Tenafly High grad) is the brother of Ozzie Nelson, who used to strut his stuff at Rutgers. Ozzie now is wanted by the gendarmes as one of the murderers of 'Pistol Packin' Mama.'"

Service Dept.

Ensign T. R. Dawson, all-Southwest guard at Texas in 1938, recently resigned his commission to become an aviation cadet—and at the same time lost his place on the Del Monte Pre-Flight football team . . . Capt. Charley Erb, star California quarterback of two decades ago, has acquired an impressive staff as coach of the Hickam Field, Hawaii, team. His assistants include Maj. James Stacy, ex-Oklahoma and Lions' tackle; Capt. Ed Henning of Texas and Illinois; Capt. Raymond Hyman of Dartmouth and Lt. Ted Staffler of California.

Signs Of The Times

COLUMBUS, GA.—(AP)—And now it's come to this: A Columbus motor company advertises: "Several A-1 mules in good condition. Sell cheap." Another: "One white faced heifer, one '40 automobile."

MAN LEAPS TO DEATH

PORT WORTH—(AP)—Donald Edgar Linn, 29, plummeted from an 11th floor hotel window to death on the pavement in front of a theater Wednesday night. Justice of the Peace Brown entered a verdict of suicide.

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Sammy Angott Decisions Slugger White In Bout Lengthened By Failure Of Generator

HOLLYWOOD—(AP)—Sammy Angott is still the lightweight champion, and the very last fellow to dispute it Thursday would be Luther (Sluggo) White, Baltimore negro, who got the boxing lesson of his life Wednesday night in 15 rounds.

It was one of the most interesting and unusual fights ever held here. As the boys started the fourth round a generator failure plunged the Hollywood baseball park into darkness. It was an hour and seven minutes before electricians repaired the trouble.

The crowd sat good-naturedly through the interim without any marked display of displeasure. The boxers retired to their dressing rooms after waiting in their corners for the first half hour, blankets piled over their bathrobes to shut out the cold night air.

When the fourth round got under way again, 10 seconds had been pared from it. That was the elapsed time from the instant they rushed from their corners and indulged in one exchange before the arcs went out.

Angott was complete master of the situation. He went out in the first round to steal the play from the fast-punching White. He danced away and around the negro and came back to deliver any number of hard, delayed left and right uppercuts. This tireless smashing had a marked effect on White over a long period of time, and in the fourteenth and fifteenth he seemed on the verge of being knocked out.

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Randolph Field Meets Mexico U.

SAN ANTONIO—(AP)—The Randolph Field Ramblers, unheralded powers of Texas service football, branch out into international play Saturday night when they meet the No. 1 team south of the border—the University of Mexico.

No one expected Randolph to have more than an average team this year; some of the colleges took them on as "breathers." But three days before the Ramblers opened the season on Glenn Dobbs arrived. He had been sent to the field for ground duty when he was turned down as a cadet because one eye was too much out of line with the other.

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So they got ambitious, scheduled Mexico U. and announced they'd also like to meet some high-powered team in a post-season game.

This Randolph-Mexico game is due to bring out a crowd of 20,000 fans. The game is a natural for San Antonio—a town with a large Latin-American populace, steeped in Latin-American history, and surrounded by eight large Army camps and air bases.

The Mexico eleven is coached by B. A. Hoban, former Harvard player. Football south of the border now is challenging baseball and bullfighting for favorite sport honors.

Crucial Schoolboy Conference Games Scheduled In Four Districts Friday

By HAROLD V. RATLIFF
Associated Press Sports Editor

Lufkin and Marshall, rated with the top in the Texas schoolboy gridiron parade, get together Friday night at Lufkin in a game that takes the spotlight for the week although there will be crucial conference battles in four districts.

In addition to matching undefeated, untied teams the Lufkin-Marshall bout will determine the power of East Texas in the state play-off between sixteen district champions starting the week after Thanksgiving.

Odessa Game Rates High

Otherwise interest rests on important conference games in important districts 2, 3, 5 and 15.

In District 2 Vernon and Childress clash in a battle expected to furnish the eventual champion. Vernon is a heavy favorite over Childress, although the latter is unbeaten in conference play. Amarillo crushed the Bobcats while Vernon gave the Golden Sandies a very interesting evening indeed in recent inter-district struggles.

San Angelo's mighty Bobcats tackle the first of two strong challengers for the District 3 crown when they meet the Odessa Broncs at Odessa, Sweetwater, underfated and untied, will be the other. San Angelo playing the Mustangs Nov. 19.

District 5's first major battle is between Denison and Paris Friday night at Paris. Denison is undefeated while Paris has dropped a couple of games, but the Wildcats will be tough for their traditional foes, who have shown strong signs of slipping.

51 Games Slated

District 15's championship is due to be on the line when Austin battles Brackenridge (San Antonio) at Austin. These two teams are rated tops in the district and Brackenridge offers a rugged hurdle indeed for the defending state titlists.

There are 51 games on the week's schedule in Texas with 24 of them conference affairs. The schedule by districts includes:

1—Friday: Plainview at Brownfield (conference), Pampa at Lubbock (conference), Shawnee, Okla., at Amarillo.

2—Friday: San Angelo at Odessa (conference), Lamesa at Sweetwater (conference), Tahoka at Big Spring, Abilene at Midland (conference).

Bullpups Slate Two More Tilts

Two more games have been lined up for the Bullpups, junior team, it was announced Thursday by Coach Jack Mashburn. The team will play the Lamesa Juniors here November 12 and at Lamesa November 18.

Members of the team were given the opportunity of deciding whether they wanted to play the games, which will mean another month of practice, and voted in favor of it.

Humble Company Will Broadcast Four Games

Two conference games and two non-conference games will be on the bill of fare Saturday for followers of Humble Oil and Refining Company's football broadcasts. Three will be afternoon games.

Starting earlier than usual, the Texas A. & M.-Arkansas game takes the air at 1:50 p. m. Stations KGKO, Dallas-Fort Worth, and KSTA, San Antonio, will carry the game.

Next on the air will be the Rice-Texas Tech game at 2:50 p. m. on Station KRLD, Dallas.

Also at 2:50 p. m. broadcast of the SMU-Texas game will start over Stations WOAI, San Antonio, and WFAA, Dallas-Fort Worth.

The night game between TCU and LSU starts at 7:50 over Station KRLH, Midland.

Dimmitt Says Cage Games Hurt Trackmen

COLLEGE STATION—(AP)—Take it from Lil Dimmitt, basketball and track don't mix.

Dimmitt, coach of the Texas A. and M. track team that won the Southwest Conference championship this year, thinks Pete Watkins, the Aggies' great high jumper, would have gone over 6 feet 8 had he not participated in basketball.

"I believe if he hadn't played basketball he would have jumped 6 feet 10," says Dimmitt. "Those sudden stops and starts didn't do his legs any good. It took plenty of spring out of them."

"Then, take Bill Cummins, Rice's champion hurdler. He didn't get into shape until the last two weeks of the season. Basketball slowed him down plenty."

Bivins Classified 1-A

CLEVELAND—(AP)—Jimmy Bivins, rated by the National Boxing Association as a logical contender for the heavyweight championship held by Sgt. Joe Louis, has been reclassified 1-A in the draft, his co-manager and trainer Wilfred (Whiz Bang) Carter, said Thursday.

The water ouzel, an American bird, is able to swim beneath the surface of a pond by using its wings.

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