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ITALIANS HAVE RAIDED MALTA WITHOUT STOP

BY JAN YINDRICH
United Press Staff Correspondent
VALETTA, Malta, Oct. 9.—Italy has hammered 150 air attacks against the solid rock of this island fortress since her entry into the war, I found today, taking a toll of about 200 killed and 400 wounded.

I am the first representative of an American news organization to be allowed to tour the bombed areas of this naval base midway in the Mediterranean.

Despite the incessant Italian attacks I can report that the spirit on the island is still high and that the fortress' power to defend itself has not been shaken.

Some 700 persons have been bombed out of their homes but they have found safe shelter in the tunnels and caves hewn in solid rock five centuries ago by the Knights of St. John.

The Italians began their attacks by launching an average of eight raids a day against the island. That went on for a month. During the second month they slowed down to about four daily raids. There has been only one interruption in the attack. During one period of eight days no Italian planes came over.

The Italian attack has cost them a steady stream of pilots and planes, the Maltese say. Italian losses were estimated at 35 planes and 46 pilots.

Touring the bombed areas and the air raid shelters I saw scenes that recalled vividly the havoc wrought in Spain by Italian fliers during the Spanish civil war.

I was told that on some occasions as many as 60 planes have attacked the rocky fortress which has an area of 90 square miles and is inhabited by some 250,000 persons.

The Italians usually come over at a height of about 18,000 feet. At that altitude they can not be heard from the ground. Only rarely do they attempt dive-bombing tactics.

Ironically enough the first bomb to fall on Malta dropped near the magnificent old stone gateway of the Porte Des Bombes at Valetta. It fell June 11 and made a crater in the street two feet deep and six feet across. Two persons were killed by that bomb. A nearby government power station built of solid blocks of Maltese stone was hardly jarred by the explosion.

The greatest damage, I found, was inflicted on the poorer quarters where the houses are fairly modern but are not built of the huge hewn blocks of stone as are the historic buildings of the island.

Pythians Will Meet In Abilene, Ft. Worth, Houston

The Grand Lodge Knights of Pythias of Texas, Weatherford, Texas, has addressed a communication to all subordinate lodges stating that in appreciation of the honor conferred upon the Domain of Texas by the election of Hon. John Lee Smith as Supreme Vice Chancellor, there will be held three gatherings of Pythians as follows:

Abilene, Monday, Oct. 14; Ft. Worth, Tuesday, Oct. 15; and Houston, Wednesday, Oct. 16.

All members of the order are invited and urged to be present, and each lodge in area nearest the central meeting place, has been asked to send a delegation.

Supreme Vice Chancellor Smith has just returned from a series of Grand Lodge visitations in the Domains of Michigan, Illinois and Ohio, and will have something interesting for his audiences, more especially as relates to the program and activities for the next two years, the communication states.

Committee Obtains Fifth Column Notes

ORANGE, Tex., Oct. 9.—Rep. Martin Dies, chairman of the committee investigating un-American activities, said today that his investigating committee has documentary evidence to expose "the whole fifth column in the United States."

THE WEATHER

WEST TEXAS—Increasing cloudiness tonight. Thursday fair, little change in temperature.

British Bombs, Camera Find Nazi Ship



Inside ship pictured above are supplies that didn't get to Germany—or at least not on schedule. According to British-censored caption, photo shows bomb exploding at stern of German supply ship at Haugeund, Norway, during recent attack by air arm of British fleet on Nazi vessels and encampments along Norwegian coast.

A. H. Henderson, Who Was Retired On Oct. 1, By the Magnolia Company Has Had a Long Career In the Oil Industry Is Retired

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following autobiography of A. H. Henderson, for ten years superintendent of the Magnolia properties in the Olden district, was written by Mr. Henderson at the request of the editor, in the belief that it might be of interest to many of the paper's readers. Mr. Henderson was retired by the company on Oct. 1 of this year.

Autobiography A. H. Henderson
It was my good fortune to have been born on a farm between Titusville and Pleasantville, Penn., on July 29th, 1876.

Being thus so fortunate as to the place of my birth, it was my privilege as a boy to have as a frequent playground the lease upon which Colonel Drake years prior drilled the oil well which has been the beginning of oil history.

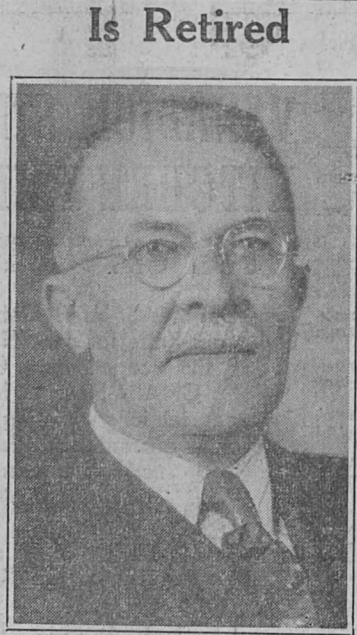
At the age of eleven years, I was sent to Bradford, McKean county, Penn., to run errands for one of my uncles, who had charge of a lease owned by my grandfather Henderson. This uncle suffered from rheumatism, which was the reason for sending me to help him. Uncle was very kind to me, but anyone with painful rheumatism has his off days. I let a steam engine run away one frosty morning, doing some damage, but when I saw him reach for a piece of hickory sucker rod, I also ran away till his wrath subsided.

I worked on the farm, and helped my father with the operation of a threshing machine during my country school days. During my High school days, I pumped for my father on a lease in the Shamburg field. This lease and wells, thereon are still in existence. Father took care of the wells during the school term and I took care of them during the summer vacation.

Graduating from high school at Pleasantville, Penn., at the age of eighteen, I taught district one room country school for six terms, working on drilling wells during the summer, except for one summer during which time I worked as extra conductor for the electric interurban. During my spare time I read medicine with the family physician, with ambitions for a profession which I never realized on account of not having the money to attend college. The pay for school teaching was \$30.00 per month, raised to \$35.00 after the first term. Tool dressers were paid \$3.00 per day and drillers \$4.00 and the day was 12 hours on the job.

I attended one term at Clarion State Normal School, but finally decided I would rather work than to be educated, thus ended my scholastic attempts.

Fourteen years were spent in the Trenton Rock Fields of Grant county, Indiana at Van Buren. Here I met and married Miss Hazel Watson. We have one daughter,



A. H. Henderson of Olden, well known here, who was retired by the Magnolia Company Oct. 1. Mr. Henderson will continue to live in Olden at present, but may move to their home in Fort Worth next year.

ter, Maxine, the wife of Dr. D. T. Wier of Belen, New Mexico. She has a young son born, Sept. 10th, 1940. Her first son died at the age of 22 months.

I spent two years in the Illinois fields, but being in poor health, worked at the business of insurance solicitor.

On Nov. 16, 1916, I entered the employ of the McMann Oil Co., at Augusta, Kansas, and was absorbed by the Magnolia Petroleum Co., on Jan. 1, 1917 with their purchase of those properties.

Mr. A. R. O'Brien was superintendent at that place, and he made me foreman in charge of the Palmer lease south of Augusta.

Mr. Wm. F. Sherman succeeded Mr. O'Brien as superintendent, and soon thereafter Mr. M. J. McLaughlin made me a district superintendent and I was sent to Garber, Okla. The property there did not develop into any size, and I was sent to Morrison, Okla., to take charge of the Fortuna Oil company, leases. The next move was to Duncan, Okla., in charge of the West Duncan district, with Mr. T. B. Gilbert in charge of the East Duncan district. West Duncan was again combined with East Duncan under supervision of Mr. Gilbert, and I in company with Mr. John W. Jackson, Jr., was sent to Haynesville, La., where I remained for 7 1/2 years. My stay at Haynesville, was very pleasant, being the first elected President of the Lion's Club, members of the First Presbyterian church, and a member of

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OPENING BURMA ROAD TO MAKE LITTLE CHANGE IN CHINESE SITUATION

TEACHERS OF OIL BELT TO MEET MARCH 14

The executive committee of the Oilbelt Teachers Association, Unit No. 7, met in Wichita Falls last Saturday at the high school building.

Date of the annual district convention was set for March 14th and 15th, Wichita Falls will be host to the Spring meeting.

In discussing plans for the convention program it was agreed that the association should invite one outstanding speaker to appear three or four times. The selection of the speaker was left with the president, who is also chairman of the program committee. A number of persons were mentioned for consideration.

Miss Frances E. Boyd of the Benjamin Franklin elementary school in Wichita Falls was appointed chairman of the elementary school section.

John F. Bailey, superintendent of the Breckenridge schools, and E. A. Sanders, superintendent of the Quanah schools, were appointed to serve on the legislative committee with O. B. Rose, high school principal of Graham, and vice president of the Oilbelt association. Rose is chairman of the legislative committee.

The executive committee agreed to allow the district president a limited amount of expenses in visiting local units of the Texas State Teachers association, whenever he is invited to appear before them.

Twenty dollars will be allowed each subject section for expenses in connection with presenting its own program.

Those attending the executive committee were J. H. Williams, president and principal of the Sweetwater high school; S. E. Pass, secretary, principal College Heights elementary school, Abilene; Charles H. Tennyson, immediate past president of the district and now president of the Texas State Teachers Association, who is a classroom teacher in Wichita Falls high school; Miss Norma E. Rollins, treasurer—classroom teacher, Wichita Falls; L. E. Dudley, Abilene superintendent and a member of the state executive committee; B. M. Dinsmore, superintendent of Electric, and also a member of the state executive committee; G. H. Williams, Sweetwater junior high principal.

Instructions In Registration To Be Given Friday

A school of instruction will be held at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, Oct. 11, in the County Court room at Eastland, for the registrars of the various precincts in the county who will have charge of registering those within the draft age on Oct. 16, it was announced by County Clerk R. V. Galloway.

All chief registrars are expected to be present at this meeting and receive their supplies and take the necessary oath, and all those who intend to help on Oct. 16, are invited to attend and get the benefit of these instructions.

Chief registrars will be interested in the new ruling received by District Judge Geo. L. Davenport, advisor for the board, that men of draft age will be allowed to assist in the work of registering on Oct. 16. This should materially strengthen the corps of workers in many precincts, it was stated.

Courses For Police And Firemen Urged

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah.—The Utah association of civil service commissioners believes that college and universities in the state should offer training courses for policemen and firemen.

Their basis for this conclusion is that such public servants receive larger salaries than teachers. And teachers, they point out, certainly get plenty of attention from the state institutions of higher education.

BY J. W. T. MASON,
United Press War Expert
Reopening the Burma Road should make no essential difference to the military situation in China. The Japanese have anticipated the possible effect by establishing air bases on the French Indo-China frontier, whence their airmen ought easily to be able to bomb Chinese sections of the Burma Road, 200 miles away.

The British action is a renewed gesture of sympathy for China but there is no military reason for the Japanese to consider the move as a belligerent act. The Japanese may be said to command the Burma Road from the air, and even if this were not so, shipments of munitions to China through Burma cannot be in major quantities. The war in Europe demands that most war supplies be kept there.

Tokyo did not regard the previous use of the Burma supply route as a cause for war against Great Britain, even though the Japanese could not block the traffic. To change that attitude now would not be consistent with the Japanese sense of realism, since Japan's air force has just obtained a position where the Burma Road can be outflanked.

If Japan were to use the reopening of the Burma Road as a reason for increasing Anglo-Japanese tension, it would indicate that the existence of influences at Tokyo desiring to challenge Great Britain at the earliest moment. By next year the British will have completed all of their five new 35,000-ton battleships of the King George V class, the most powerful warships in the world, far superior to any in the Japanese navy. Several of the new British vessels may already be in service.

It is not inconceivable that these great modern fighting craft might be assigned to Singapore, if a vital emergency arose. The Japanese first line fighting fleet would scarcely seek battle in that circumstance. Japan's best battleships consist of two, 20 years old; two, 24 years old; two, 26 years old; and several others, 28 or more years old.

Before the British are prepared to send a fighting fleet to the Orient, the Japanese might take the chance of battle, hoping events in Europe would so develop as to compel Great Britain to keep her entire first line strength at home. But serious hazards are attached to any such policy, including uncertainties which surely exist in Tokyo concerning the possible attitude of the United States. Preliminary intimations today to Americans in the Orient to prepare to leave for home must add to Tokyo's perplexities about future developments.

Americans Make Ready to Flee From the Orient

American citizens, seeking to leave the Orient, swarmed steamship offices today as Washington diplomats declared the United States must be prepared for "any eventuality" in the Far East.

The Japanese professed "astonishment" over the American reaction to the new triple axis, but promised to "close the Burma Road with bombs" if the British reopen that important supply route to the Chinese forces fighting against Japan.

Berlin sources said that Japan can stand any economic pressure from the United States, and London heard that Soviet Russia's attitude, never friendly toward Japan, was unchanged.

German planes heavily bombed Britain again today and many persons died when a heavy bomb crashed into a hospital housing 150 helpless patients. Another hit an air raid shelter.

The British insisted that their heavy raids on Germany had been continued. The Germans retorted that an important London rail center was "smashed to pieces" today by Nazi bombs and that other objectives had been damaged.

Service Board of County Is Named

AUSTIN, Oct. 9.—The following service boards were announced today by Gov. O'Daniel: Eastland County—Jay Mitchell and John Turner, Eastland, and E. M. Howard, Rising Star. Stephens—Andrew Morgan and Eugene Thompson, Breckenridge, and Quincy Corbett, Caddo.

Splash in the Pan for Somebody



Evidently figuring that some day he might be required to do the same thing under like conditions, Ralph Kercheval, Brooklyn grid Dodgers' ace kicker, practiced booting field goals from a water-logged turf. (Ed. note: this attempt was good for just four feet, as Ace Parker, holding, gets the worst of it.)

COMMITTEES NAMED TO AID WITH DRAFT

Committees have been named in each of the voting precincts of Eastland county to assist election judges in the registration of men between 21 and 35 years of age for the selective service draft.

The committees were named by the advisory board of the county, consisting of District Judges B. W. Patterson and Geo. L. Davenport, and Frank Sparks, all of Eastland, to serve in the capacity of advisory units for the precincts affected.

They were asked to report at their voting precinct boxes on the morning of Oct. 16 to assist registrars and those charged with receiving such registrations.

The following letter, dated Eastland, Texas, Oct. 8, 1940, addressed to the various committee members and signed by District Judges Patterson and Davenport as members of the Advisory Board was mailed Tuesday to each member:

In accordance with the rules and regulations for Selective Service under the recent Act of Congress, and having utmost confidence in your patriotism, ability, and willingness to serve, we have appointed you Associate Member of the Advisory Board of this County to advise and assist registrars of voting precinct No. — on October 16, 1940, the date for registration. No compensation is provided for Advisory Boards or their associate members. A meeting of all persons appointed to assist in this registration has been called for 2 p. m., October 11th, at the Court House in Eastland. We respectfully request you to be present at that time to take the prescribed oath and for mutual counsel and instructions concerning your duties under this appointment. We thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.

If for any reason you are unable to serve as our Associate Member, kindly advise us at your earliest convenience.

Committee Personnel

Eastland No. 1, Court House: C. A. Hertig, Earl Conner, Jr., Allen Dabney, Jr., Turner Collier, George Brogdon, Jr., C. H. O'Brien, Harry Brogdon, and Sam Conner.

Eastland No. 2, City Hall: Dan Childress, Earl Bender, John White, Sybil Holder, Jack Frost, and Everett Grisham.

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Republicans Swing Toward Roosevelt

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—Columnist Dorothy Thompson, sometimes critic of President Roosevelt, today endorsed him as the only man qualified to serve as a wartime president of the United States. Gifford Pinchot, former republican governor of Pennsylvania, also endorsed Mr. Roosevelt.

ALL AMERICAN SQUADRON TO AID BRITIS

BY EDWARD W. BEATTIE, J.
United Press Staff Correspondent
LONDON, Oct. 9.—An American fighter command, the Eagle Squadron, formed in tradition of the famed Lafayette Escadrille of the World War, so will take to the air with the Royal Air Force, Air Minister Sir Archibald Sinclair announced today.

The Eagle squadron is composed entirely of qualified can pilots who have volunteered for combat service with the British forces.

It will become a regular unit of the Royal Air Force as soon as "shake-down" is completed. The squadron consists of 24 men. The honorary commander is a well-known professional soldier, Col. Charles Sweeney, who has been given the rank of group captain in the Royal Air Force volunteer reserve.

The active commander will be squadron leader William Ery. Gibson Taylor, 35, a former member of the fifth fighting squadron, U. S. Navy Air Corps, stationed aboard the U.S.S. Lexington. Taylor volunteered with the British fleet air arm at the start of the present war.

The Eagle squadron is trained at a quiet airfield "somewhere in Britain." Sweeney and Taylor proceeded to the airfield tonight where they will pilot the others "shake-down" practice flights.

King George VI approved formation of the squadron as well as its new insignia—a pale blue embroidered American Eagle with the letters "E. S." for Eagle Squadron. The insignia is worn on the right shoulder of the powder blue RAF tunic.

Announcing formation of the first American squadron, the minister said:

"The first squadron composed entirely of United States pilots now being formed in England. Very soon that squadron will take its place in the fighting line, defending this country against German attacks. They came spontaneously, following the glorious tradition set in the last war by Lafayette escadrille."

"It is at the wish of the pilots themselves that they are united one squadron and wear the American Eagle. It is a splendid gesture that these choice spirits have come here."

Paying special tribute to Sweeney, who is known as "Sweeney the Legion" because he fought with the foreign legion in the present war, the minister declared:

"He has made a habit of fighting for the cause of freedom where freedom is menaced."

At this point newspapermen whom Sir Archibald was speaking smiled because the sirens began their banshee wail outside.

He paid tribute also to Taylor "valuable work" in this war, referring to the fact that Taylor had served aboard the British aircarriers, Argus, Furious and Glorious while with the British fleet air arm.

Included among the names of the squadron is Sweeney's new wife, Robert Sweeney, winner of British amateur golf championships in 1937. Robert was at one time a frequent companion of Barbara Hutton. He is 29. He will serve as assistant adjutant.

Willkie Raps Out At Defense Plans

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Oct. 9.—Wendell Willkie said today that President Roosevelt's administration "continues his present spending, plus the national defense you will be building a lot of armament for some dictator who will arise in our midst."

"If you return this administration, you will never collect a dime on your social security."

Home Guard Bill Passed by Senat

WASHINGTON, Oct. 9.—The senate today passed and returned to the house, a bill to establish home guard military units to place the National Guard troops called into active service.

Meantime Speaker of the House Sam Rayburn of Texas told reporters that Congress will adjourn this week because of "sufficient reasons" which he declined to explain.

Runs Japanese War Machine



In first shakeup of Japanese army's high command since 1931, Gen. Gen Sugiyama, above, was named chief of the imperial general staff. A former war minister, he had been serving on the Supreme War Council.

Mary E. Matthews Buried Tuesday In Eastland Cemetry

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary E. Matthews, 87, who died Monday at the County Pension Farm, were conducted at the graveside Tuesday afternoon at 7:00 o'clock by Rev. James Weathers, pastor of the Eastland Baptist Church.

Hamner Undertaking Company was in charge of the remains.

Mrs. Matthews was born Dec. 25, 1852. The place of her birth was not known to those in charge of the funeral.

The deceased is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Jessie Gray, Long Beach, California, who was unable to be present for the funeral; a niece, Mrs. Doyle Beasley, Artesia, N. M., and a granddaughter, Mrs. B. Carroll, of Dekalb, Texas.

Mrs. Beasley and Mr. Carroll, husband of Mrs. B. Carroll, and two daughters attended the funeral services.

Mrs. Matthews had resided at the Pension Home about two years.

Indian Exports To Japan Decreased

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Thadani declared that Britain's aid from India is also suffering. With the Mediterranean Sea a Dangerous thoroughfare and the East approaching the boiling point, England feels that India's 330,000,000 people will be in need of all India's resources, he added.

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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

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In Obscurity Strange Things Are Done

One of the most striking things about this war—perhaps it is a necessary attribute of any war—in the way in which all must shape our courses in semi-darkness.

The recent official statements on war casualties are a good example. The Germans have announced their casualties for the first year of the war, including the conquest of Poland, Belgium, Holland, Norway, and France. The cost, says the official German statement, was 39,000 dead, 143,000 wounded, and 24,000 missing—a total of 206,000 casualties.

Is this accurate? No one can say with certainty. It may be, for the German blitz type of attack appears to have been less costly than old-fashioned sausage-mill tactics. On the other hand, the sheer extent of the operations, the severity of much of the fighting, seems to suggest far greater losses. But that is merely a suspicion. No one can prove the German claims untrue.

When it comes to planes, somebody is definitely wrong. The German claims to have destroyed 6950 enemy planes in all the conquered countries. They claim to have lost only 1050.

The British claim that 3945 German planes have been destroyed (the Germans admitting to only 1050). The British meanwhile admit losing 1012 which leaves a large number of the German claim of 6950 to be charged up to Poland and France. What minimum core of truth can be chisled out of these conflicting claims? None, except that Britain and Germany each admit losing more than 1000 planes.

What damage is being done in either country by air bombing? We cannot know. All we know is the official reports, the censor-passed pictures showing destruction, but seldom showing destruction of anything of military value. Either or both sides might already have been reduced to a state of non-productiveness and we would not know it.

American press associations and newspapers spend money like water; their reporters and cameramen risk their lives, to find the truth. But they can at best illuminate only patches of it here and there, like a man blundering about a dark room with a flashlight.

All of humanity is a little like that today. It owes a debt to those who are desperately striving to cast their patches of light on the dark scene.

UNCLE SAM'S SELECTIVE SERVICE

General Provisions

1. Q—I now have a job. If I am called for training and give up my job, can I get it back after my training is completed?

A—Congress, in the selective service law, seeks to insure that men called for training will gain their jobs. If the job is with the Federal government, its return is guaranteed. If the job is with a private employer, it must be returned unless the employer's circumstances have changed so as to make it impossible or unreasonable to do so. If the job is with a state or local government, Congress advises that it be restored.

2. Q—What must I do to get my job back?

A—If you have completed your year's training and are still capable of holding the job which you gave up to enter training, you must make application for re-employment within 40 days after the training is completed.

3. Q—If the employer will not rehire me, what can I do?

A—You can take your case to the U. S. District Attorney who, if he believes you are entitled to reemployment, will file in Federal district court against your former employer to force him to rehire you and compensate you for any losses due to his failure to comply with the reemployment provisions of the law. The District Attorney will act as your attorney, and no court costs can be assessed against you.

4. Q—Will I lose my seniority and benefits such as insurance, by giving up my job to go into training?

A—The law provides that all persons who give up a job to enter training shall be reemployed in the same position, status and pay, without any loss of seniority or benefits such as insurance.

5. Q—I have already enrolled in college for the school year 1940-41. Will I have to drop out of school to report for training?

A—You will not have to report before July 1, 1941, giving you a chance to finish the school year.

6. Q—Will these registrars be paid?

A—No. They will not be paid. It is the consensus of opinion that the election personnel should be willing to contribute one day's service to the national defense program.

7. Q—Where will the registrars get their instructions and their materials for registration day?

A—The Governor will forward to each county clerk sufficient supplies and instructions for the registration day.

L. L. Bruce Goes To Meeting for Insurance Agents

L. L. Bruce, representative of the Great Southern Life Insurance Company at Ranger, leaves today for Dallas to attend the fourth annual meeting of the Great Southern Club to be held October 10, 11 and 12.

Attendance at club meetings is limited to those representatives who distinguished themselves during the preceding twelve months. Qualifications include producing and paying for not less than \$100,000 for new business.

Furthermore, members must maintain a better than average renewal of second year business.

In this connection the Great Southern, through the conscientious work of its field men, brought its persistency rating up more than five points last Club year, which ended June 30th. Thus, while sales of new life insurance have held about even with 1939, the Company gained nearly five millions in insurance in force during the first seven months of the current year.

As a result of their successful year, 108 Great Southerners from Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, and New Mexico, qualified for the Dallas trip.

Throughout the Company's territory, one out of every four representatives qualified for this year's Club. This is a very high percentage among life insurance companies considering the strict requirements. Officials of the Great Southern were very gratified at this showing, particularly as it reflects increased effectiveness and therefore larger earnings for its representatives in the field.

While in Dallas the Club will maintain headquarters in the Baker Hotel where all business meetings will be held. Here also, in the Mural Room on Thursday will be held the President's Banquet and Ball, presided over by Mr. E. P. Greenwood, President of the Company. On this occasion, honors earned by the Company's leading producers will be announced with appropriate rewards. Various entertainment features have been planned centering around the annual Texas State Fair. Following the last business meeting on Saturday morning, Club members and their guests will attend the Texas-Oklahoma football game.

registration. The clerk will then hold an instruction school for the chief registrars from each precinct, and these chief registrars will in turn instruct the assisting registrars.

8. Q—How many registrants can one registrar handle between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on registration day?

A—Experience has proven that it will take an average of 20 minutes per registrant, therefore the average number of registrants one person can handle will be about 30 during the day. Presiding judges will make sure they have sufficient helpers to take care of the registration for each voting precinct.

9. Q—Will the results of the registration be reported?

A—Yes. Local registrars will report results to the county clerk who will relay them to the Governor. When all returns are in, the Governor will make his report to the National Director of Selective Service in Washington, D. C.

Registration - Administration

1. Q—What is the purpose of the registration under the Selective Service Act?

A—The purpose is to get a complete census of all men between the ages of 21 and 36, with a view to determining which are most eligible for military training.

2. Q—When will the registration take place?

A—The President of the United States has proclaimed Wednesday, October 16, as national registration day. Registration booths will be open from 7 a. m. until 9 p. m.

3. Q—Where will the registration booths be located?

A—Each registrant will report to his usual voting box where he will be registered. Customary polling places are being used for registration because the public is familiar with their location.

4. Q—Who will be in charge of the registration?

A—The Governor of each state will be the directing head of the registration, but the key men will be the county clerks.

5. Q—How will the registrars be selected?

A—The presiding judge and judges for each voting precinct, as provided by the County Commissioners' Court, are the registrars. The county clerk will appoint enough additional helpers to complete the registration in one day.

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Swovelands To Have A Formal Opening On Thursday Night

Swovelands, Ranger's newest and most modern eating place, located on Highway 80, just south of Main Street Crossing, will hold its formal opening Thursday evening.

The new cafe was built by Edwin George, Jr., for Mrs. Earl Swoveland, who will have charge of it, and was built largely to her own specifications.

The stucco building is air conditioned, has hardwood floors, new fixtures throughout and is one of the most modern cafes to be found in this part of the county. Fluorescent lighting, both in the dining room and kitchen, provide daylight effects at all times. The hardwood counter is built at the left of the building, near the main entrance, and is arranged so that it is the right height to be comfortable for the patrons. At the right is a second large dining room, with booths, where additional customers can be waited upon when the trade demands.

All kitchen utensils, dishes, silverware, stoves, refrigerators and everything in the new cafe are new and modern in design.

The convenient location makes it an ideal place for both transient and local trade, as it is just a short distance from Main street, and is located on the transcontinental highway, where it will command much of the tourist trade.

The regular monthly Sunday School teachers and officers meeting was held at the First Baptist Church Tuesday night at 7:30, with approximately 100 present for the meeting.

Bulldog Pups To Play Strawn Team On Thursday Night

Two football games, each of which promises to be a thriller, have been scheduled for Ranger this week-end, the first on Thursday night when the Bulldog Pups meet the Strawn Greyhound reserves and the second on Friday night when the Olden Hornets meet the Desdemona Porkers in a Class B conference game.

The Pups, who won over the Eastland reserve team last week, have shown improvement, Coach Scruggs stated today, but will be up against a strong team when they meet the Strawn team. Strawn will be using men not in the regular starting lineup, and in addition will have the services of some transfers who are not eligible to play with the Greyhounds this year.

Football fans who saw the Pups in action last week were full of praise for the way the youngsters handled themselves on the field and for the pep that was shown throughout the game.

Game time for each of the two nights will be 8 o'clock.

Coach Scruggs has reported that his charges came out of the Eastland game last week in good condition, without any serious injuries, and predicts that they will show an even better brand of ball this week than they displayed last Thursday night.

CHOIR WILL MEET
A special business meeting and choir practice for members of the choir of the First Baptist Church has been called for tonight at 8:15, it was announced today.
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Special Meeting of Legion Post To Be Conducted Thurs.

Granville Jones, post commander of the Carl Barnes post of the American Legion announced today that a special meeting of the post would be held on Thursday night.

Although this is the regular meeting night for the post, plans for the annual Armistice Day celebration will be taken up for discussion, and the post commander wants as many of the members to be present as possible.

No outline of plans for the celebration have been made as yet, it was stated today, but a big affair is in prospect and all Legionnaires have been urged to attend the meeting so they will have a say in what can be done in the way of observing Armistice Day in Ranger this year.

Sunday School Has Teachers' Meeting

The regular monthly Sunday School teachers and officers meeting was held at the First Baptist Church Tuesday night at 7:30, with approximately 100 present for the meeting.

During the departmental meetings the superintendent of each department took charge of their meeting and lessons and all business was planned for the month of October at the close of this meeting all departments assembled in the Junior department for a general meeting of all departments. The Sunday school superintendent, W. A. Lewis, was in charge of this meeting. Each department superintendent was called on to give a report of her department for the past month. The pastor, Rev. David M. Phillips brought a short talk on the six point record system.

STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, AND CONTROL, REQUIRED BY THE ACT OF CONGRESS OF AUGUST 24, 1912, OF THE RANGER TIMES

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STATE OF TEXAS, County of Eastland. Before me, a notary public in and for the state and county aforesaid, personally appeared Joe Dennis, who has in my presence duly sworn according to law, and deposes and says that he is business manager of the Ranger Times, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, and control of the said newspaper for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 4111, Postal Laws and regulations, printed on the reverse of this form:

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JOE DENNIS, Business Manager.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of October, 1940.
E. HINRICHS, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 1, 1941.

Messengers Named To Cisco Meeting

Messengers were elected at the morning services of the First Baptist Church Sunday to the annual Association meeting of the Cisco Baptist Association, meeting with the Cisco Baptist Church Thursday and Friday, Oct. 10 and 11. The main body of the Association meeting beginning Thursday night and continuing through Friday.

Thursday morning at 10:00 and through the afternoon the Association W. M. U. will have their meeting, presided over by Mrs. Pat Crawford from Eastland. A large number of women from the First Baptist Church, Ranger, will attend this meeting.

The messengers elected Sunday morning were Rev. and Mrs. David Phillips, Mrs. Bob Hodges, Mrs. W. L. Jackson, Mrs. R. J. Taylor, Mrs. T. J. Anderson, and Rev. J. J. Ponder.

Patriotic Buttons Will Be Given Away When One Registers

The Ranger Elks Club and the Carl Barnes Post of the American Legion are cooperating in a movement to furnish patriotic buttons to everyone of draft age who registers on Oct. 16.

The buttons, which have been ordered, are red, white and blue, and bear the words "I have registered. United We Stand," and show Uncle Sam shaking hands with a citizen who, apparently, has just registered.

School and City Officials Guests At Lunch Project

Members of the Ranger School Board, the Ranger City Commission and several guests of the school board ate the first meal served in the WPA lunchroom, which opened today under the sponsorship of the Ranger School System.

The meal, which was identical to that served to the first school children patronizing the lunchroom, was well prepared, well balanced and was as tasty as one would expect in his own home.

Children who patronize the lunchroom will get their lunches for 10 cents a meal, and will be sold meal tickets good for 20 meals. Any pupil, teacher or anyone employed by the schools, including janitors or bus drivers, may use the lunchroom.

Each patron of the lunchroom must bring one plate, a fork, spoon, glass and bowl, which will be kept at the lunchroom.

Employees of the lunchroom are taken from the WPA rolls.

Children Sing at Rotary Meeting

H. C. Scruggs had the Rotary Club program today and presented a number of pupils from Hodges Oak Park Ward in a delightful variety of musical selections, Joan Jackson played two piano solos, Bereceuse by Heller, and Soldiers March by Shumann.

The second part of the program was given by 41 members of the Hodges Oak Park Choral Club with Mrs. Claudia Jarvis as director and accompanist and Billie Jean Crawley as the club speaker. They sang several old time songs reminiscent of 1917-18 and closed with two patriotic numbers.

Dr. A. W. Brazda was presented as a new member of the Ranger club.

Visitors were M. B. De Loati from Dallas, who is now stationed in Ranger as airplane mechanic instructor in the NYA shops, and Miss Lois Gage, of Nimrod, representing the NYA Girl's school.

Dr. W. L. Downtain and John Kindle both sat at the head table which created quite a bit of comment.

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SERIAL STORY

NEW YORK JUNGLE

BY WRAY WADE SEVERN

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YESTERDAY, Adam introduces his wife, Pat, 20 years younger than himself. Marta makes a brilliant entrance, and the tension mounts. Coffee is served in Adam's basement trophy room. Nella gets footprints in the hall. She tries the door, fails to open it. Hugh also tries, then announces: "We're locked in!"

A SHOT IN THE DARK

CHAPTER III

ADAM jerked at the door. "It's locked, all right."

"Locked in!" Patricia Langdon breathed, eyes half ironical, half afraid. "What a climax to the evening!"

"Climax? Say beginning, Pat," Gundrum corrected. "Probably a gang of thieves are upstairs, looting the place."

"Then we are as helpless as rats in a trap," Nella began to cry.

"Stop that, Nella!" Hugh commanded. "With five able-bodied men and a gun rack to protect you, what have you to fear?"

"Were all the windows closed on the upper floors, Togi?" Adam asked.

"Closed because of storm. Maybe thief could get in by using penknife at window latch," the valet replied.

"Someone may be playing a joke on us," Marta suggested.

"Who that we know would be out in this storm, breaking into a house just for a joke?" Sidney demanded.

A low rumble of thunder, followed by a gust of wind and a torrent of rain gave point to his words.

"The sooner we get upstairs, the less we'll find missing," Hugh



Illustrated by Ed Gunder

said. "Shall I shoot the lock, Adam?"

"Yes, but stand as far as possible from the door so as not to splinter the oak," Adam Langdon told him.

"Don't shoot until all of us are armed, Hugh," Sidney suggested. "There may be a gang up there. Never can tell, and it's best to play safe."

Acting immediately on his own suggestion, Braitwood led the way to the gun racks. While most of Langdon's guns were antiques, they were all in working order—Adam insisted upon that. Insisted, too, that each derringer and dueling pistol be kept loaded.

"A gun is no good if it can't be used," he had explained. "I like to see just how well they shoot, anyway."

In a few seconds each man had selected a weapon. Hugh squared before the door.

"If anyone is in the hall trying to play a joke on us, get out of the way," he called. "I'm shooting the lock."

The ticking of the clock above the fireplace was the only sound while they waited for the sound of retreating steps. Then another gust of wind and a loud peal of thunder wiped out the silence.

A second terrific detonation followed. It rocked the house with such loud violence that none knew whether or not Hugh had actually fired. Instantly, the lights went out.

TERROR swept through the blackness of the room. A pinpoint of light flickered beneath the coffee urn. Vivid flashes of lightning revealed a frightened woman screaming. Then thunder crashed about them, as the full fury of the storm seemed concentrated on this single, isolated house.

A brilliant flash illuminated the room for a fraction of a second. Almost instantly, the explosion of thunder shook the house again. Outside, a tree crashed to the ground.

Stillness followed. A match

Adam Langdon leaned against the head of his trophy in an unnatural pose, head slumped forward. Marta lay at his feet.

flickered momentarily in the blackness, went out. Then the storm unleashed a new barrage. No one spoke. All stood tense, half afraid the house might be struck.

Braitwood, at Hugh's right, moved toward the door. It swung open at his pull. He struck a match, held it high, as he peered out into the hall. The draft from the open door extinguished the light.

"Stay here and guard the women, Adam!" Hugh's voice rang out. "Sid and I will go upstairs. Gundrum, you'd better look in the storeroom. Togi, you search the furnace room. If you get in a corner, call us and we'll come running back."

The men, grouped about the door, heard the directions, but over at the table where the women remained, his words were not audible above the storm, as it later appeared. At the foot of the stairs leading up from the hall outside the Jungle, the four men separated, Sidney following Hugh, gun in hand. Gundrum and Togi turned to nearby doors.

Hugh and Sidney found the door at the top of the stairs unlocked, and, to their surprise, the upper floors fully lighted.

"By Jove," Hugh exclaimed. "I thought the entire lighting plant had been crippled. Must have been a fuse that blew out in the Jungle."

They moved cautiously forward to the front door. It was locked. There were no wet footprints to suggest that anyone had come in that way. Back and side doors also were locked.

"Somehow, I don't have that uncanny feeling that I always get when I'm stalking big game, Sid," Hugh whispered in a puzzled tone.

Gundrum, followed by Togi, joined them, neither having found the lower rooms disturbed. They, too, were surprised at finding the

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THE PAY OFF

BY HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Service Sports Editor

WITH his club on the threshold of the world series, someone asked Delmar Baker about next year.

Charley Gehring may be gone. Dick Bartell will be a risk. Pitching standbys aren't getting any younger. Jack Zeiler admits the Tigers haven't much in the minors.

"I'll let next year take care of itself," smiled Del Baker, who appears more haggard every time you look at him. "But we won't be bad. We'll have the big fellow. He won't let you be bad."

Baker pointed to Henry Greenberg.

"There's a boy who has done a job," continued the Detroit manager. "Ever since I had him in Beaumont, he's been the hardest working ball player I've ever known."

"While at his peak as a first baseman, he'd be out at the park at 10 o'clock in the morning having one of the groundkeepers . . . anybody . . . batting balls to his right . . . attempting to further perfect himself on some particular play."

"WHEN, after nine years at first base, we asked him to play the outfield for the good of the team, he tackled the assignment with all the enthusiasm of a busher."

"Before reporting in Lakeland, he visited several training camps . . . seeking the advice of experienced left fielders. He inquired about the angles of the various parks, found out how balls bounced off the walls, went into the types of ball hit by different batters, ascertained how the better outfielders turned on balls, accustomed himself to the smaller glove."

"Watch him in left field. You will notice that he stands half turned toward the foul line. That is because, due to his years at first base, he breaks faster to his left than to his right. The fellow doesn't miss a trick."

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MODERN MENUS

BY MRS. LYNNOR MADDOX
NEA Service Staff Writer

THE great variety of fish and shellfish in our American rivers and oceans could become an abundant source of high grade protein at low cost if we included fish in our menus more than once a week.

When American families learn to take advantage of this source of delicious food our national cost per person of adequate diets will be materially decreased. So long as we continue to use fish only on Friday, the cost of fish will remain relatively high.

Part of our drive for American economy in the home should be to urge our families and our friends to use American fish more frequently.

The Fishery Council has just published a booklet which will help American women buy, judge and cook fish and sea food. It's called "The Fish and Shellfish Cook Book." Write to Fishery Council, 204 Water street, New York, and enclose 3-cent stamp to cover postage. The book is free. Here are two of its recipes:

FISH PIE
(Serves 4 to 6)

Two cups large rooked fish flakes, 1/4 teaspoon salt, 3/4 cup peas, 1 tablespoon grated onion, 1 tablespoon minced green pepper, 1 cup well-seasoned mashed potatoes, 1 cup medium thick white sauce.

Heat 2 tablespoons butter in saucepan, slowly stir, 2 tablespoons flour. Cook 2 minutes, add salt, and slowly add 1 cup milk. Stir until creamy. Add all other ingredients except mashed potatoes. Turn into greased baking pan. Cover with top of mashed pota-

TOMORROW'S MENU

BREAKFAST: Stewed dried apricots, cooked whole-wheat cereal, rye toast, orange marmalade, coffee, milk.

LUNCHEON: Tomato juice, scrambled eggs, crisp bacon, rolls, chocolate blanc mange, tea, milk.

DINNER: Planked fish steaks, mashed potatoes, broiled tomatoes, chopped green salad, plum tarts, cheese, coffee, milk.

to. Bake in hot oven (400° F.) for about 12 minutes.

PLANKED FISH

Two lbs. fillets or steaks about 1/2 inch thick, 4 tablespoons melted butter, 1/4 teaspoon pepper, 1 tablespoon grated onion, cooking oil, salt.

Use a plank of oak or aluminum provided with grooves that hold juices from fish and basting liquor. Serve fish at table on this same plank. Place plank in cold oven and gradually preheat oven to very hot (450° F. to 500° F.). Make a salt solution in proportion of 2 tablespoons salt to 1 cup cold water.

Soak fish in salt solution for 3 minutes, drain, and thoroughly brush with cooking oil. Remove hot plank from oven, oil thoroughly and place fish on plank skin side down, sprinkle with grated onion and return plank to top rack of oven. Cook for 15 to 20 minutes, basting twice with melted butter mixed with pepper. About 5 minutes before fish is cooked, surround with mashed potatoes and other vegetables.

ALLEY OOP By Hamlin



pany developed the Cotton Valley Blossom Sand, the shallow gas field at Shongaloo, Carterville, and Monroe gas fields, and the Blossom Sand at Sarepta.

I was sent to Olden, Texas, in Nov., 1930. The work at Olden, Coleman, Albany, Desdemona, and Breckenridge has been to care for the old stripper wells, but when one realizes that the little old stripper wells are the backbone of the oil industry, the work becomes very important and intensely interesting.

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Society Notes

Class Has Outing
Miss Young's freshman advisory class had a wiener roast Monday evening at 6:30 at Scenic Point Park.

Those attending were Erma Dell Williams, Bill Hood, Junior Warden, Betty Lou Robinson, Mary Frances Ward, Harold Jewell, Jack Townzen, Aline Stafford, Joyce Simpson, Mary Lou Simp-

son, Ella Joy Ferris, Patsy Seymour, Edward Freeman, Durwood Wheat, Billy Carl Warden, Donald Ward and Miss Eva Lee Young. Miss Young was accompanied by two friends, Miss Cox of Hodges Oak Park and Miss Ross from Young school.

R. J. C. Choral Club Organized
Organization of the Ranger Junior College Choral Club took place Monday evening at 7:15 o'clock at a meeting at the col-

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lege. The main business of the evening was the election of the following officers: president, Miss Edith Taylor; vice president, Miss Fern Allen Meroney; secretary, Miss Francine Hatley, and treasurer, Dale Singleton.

It was decided at the meeting that persons outside of the college might have membership in the club by application for such.

Kiononian Sunday School Class Elects Officers

The Kiononian Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church in a business meeting Sunday elected the following officers to serve the class for the coming year: president, Betty Lou Russell; vice president, Marie Bailey; secretary, Dorothy Ferris; social chairman, Winnifred Skinner; treasurer, Marguerite Stevens and reporter, Poly Seymour.

Mmes. Herring and Burks Entertain Auxiliary

Mrs. L. R. Herring and Mrs. Preston Burks entertained Tuesday at 1 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Burks with a colorful appointed luncheon for members of the American Legion Auxiliary. Crystal appointments were used on the luncheon table which was covered with a Mexican linen cloth.

Following the luncheon, Mrs. Herring presided over a business meeting in which the committee chairman for the year were named as follows: poppy chairman, Mrs. Lee Dockery; sick and visiting, Mrs. Con Hazard; membership, Mrs. H. T. Schooley; child

"Milestone Car" Presented to Contest Winners



Presentation of Chevrolet's "Milestone Car"—the 1,000,000th 1940 model produced by the industry's leader—was made at the New York World's Fair last week to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Weirner (shown here), of Iron Mountain, Mich., owners of the millionth Chevrolet six-cylinder model, built in 1929. The Weirners were winners of a nation-wide contest conducted by Chevrolet to locate No. 1,000,000. As guests of Chevrolet, the Michigan well-traveled 1929 model has been returned to Detroit, where it will be placed on display.

than 110,000 miles on their '29 car, which Weirner had purchased as a used car, at a price of \$25. M. E. Coyle (left), general manager of Chevrolet, presented the new 1940 Special De Luxe model to the Weirners. Chevrolet's production of a million units this year maintains a seven-year record of a million a year average, with the 1,000,000th 1940 car following No. 900,000 by exactly one month. The Michigan well-traveled 1929 model has been returned to Detroit, where it will be placed on display.

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At last week's meeting the following officers were installed: president, Mrs. L. R. Herring; first vice president, Mrs. H. T. Schooley; second vice president, Mrs. Lee Dockery; secretary, Mrs. Preston Burks; sergeant-at-arms, Mrs. Con Hazard; chaplain, Mrs. A. A. Burton, and historian, Mrs. Joe Todd.

Guests at the luncheon were: Mmes. A. A. Burton, Hazard, Joe Todd, Leslie Hagaman, Lee Dockery, Novelle Witcher, gold star mother; J. N. McFatter, Carrie Brady and A. H. Powell.

Hodges Oak Park P.-T.A. Meets
The Hodges Oak Park Parents and Teachers Association met Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 at the school with the meeting being opened by two selections by the Boys' Choral Club of the school under the direction of Mrs. Claudia Jarvis.

In observance of Fire Prevention Week, George Murphy, Ranger Fire Chief, spoke on fire prevention methods. Rev. H. B. Johnson gave a very helpful discussion on "Individual Responsibility in the Community."

A short business meeting was held at the close of the program and plans for the Halloween carnival were discussed with Mrs. Leslie Hagaman named general chairman for the affair.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Wolford of Midland and their daughter, Mrs. Troy Patton of El Paso, have returned to their homes after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Herring.

Robert Ray Herring who spent the week-end with his parents,

Society Personals

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Herring, has returned to his studies at A. & M. College.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brown of Abilene visited in Ranger, Tuesday.

Mrs. T. L. Lauderdale has returned from a visit in Shawnee, Oklahoma.

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