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THREE BIG DAYS OF FUN EASTLAND, JULY 2-3-4

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REBELS BOMB TWO CITIES IN SOUTH SPAIN

By United Press
Rebel aviators today defiantly challenged the Spanish loyalist government with a series of Mediterranean coastal air raids in which two more British merchantmen were bombed.

Attacks by the Fascist and Nazi-supported insurgents centered on Valencia and Alicante, replying to the loyalist threat that rebel bases would be bombarded on coastal cities if they did not stop. Hundreds of casualties were inflicted.

The British steamer Arland rolled under the attack of five airplanes, caught fire and sank. The British steamer Farnham was fired by bombs near Alicante.

Elsewhere:
China: Spectacular air battles over the Yangtze valley featured the Japanese offensive toward Hankow.

Britain: The British government has understood to have established an expert commission to plan increase of trade in Central Europe in competition with Germany's program for economic and political dominance of that area.

Sheriff Office Is Notified of Drop in Traffic Deaths

Texas traffic deaths continued downward march in the month of May when 127 fatal casualties were recorded by state police, the department of Public Safety has advised the Eastland county sheriff's department.

Records for May also revealed decline of nearly 1,000 injured persons since April. Still, 1,045 persons suffered hurts in traffic collisions last month.

Of interest to State safety experts, who study conditions surrounding collisions, was the comparatively small number of pedestrian deaths—36. This indicated, they pointed out, that drivers are proceeding more slowly and pedestrians are more careful when crossing at intersections.

Also, persons walking along streets and highways proceeded to avoid oncoming traffic and not their backs to vehicles. Educational programs have proved the value of this practice to pedestrians.

The hour at dusk—seven to eight p. m.—continued as "Death hour," according to State records, who said nine men died in day during that period.

State Police officials believe the lower death rate is due to increased public opinion, more enforcement by local officers and increased highway vigilance by the State Police. An additional 100 highway Patrolmen were added to be force in June and are expected to provide for increased driving safety.

Another warning was issued by the safety officials to vacation drivers and tourists not familiar with Texas highways and traffic regulations. The officials urged motorists to stay within speed limits, eat lightly and get plenty of sleep before making long drives.

Ranger Woman Is Buried On Monday

Mrs. Clara Agnes Hannold, 64, who died at her home in Ranger Sunday morning after a long illness, was buried Monday in Evergreen Cemetery, after funeral services at St. Rita's Catholic Church, with Father S. E. Byrnes conducting the services. Funeral arrangements were by Killingsworth's.

The decedent was born in Clarion County, Pa., Feb. 26, 1874 and had been a resident of Ranger for 20 years. She was a member of the Catholic Church. Survivors include her husband, Henry F. Hannold of Ranger, one son, S. E. Hannold and one daughter, Mrs. J. R. Hargraves, both of Ranger, two sisters and the brother of Clarion County, Pa.

Officials to Talk On County's Share From Special Fund

County Judge W. S. Adamson and Auditor Don Parker are scheduled to confer Wednesday at Austin with officials in regard to Eastland county's share from the state allocation from the gasoline tax fund surplus for retirement of bonds on county roads which have been designated state highways.

Under an early estimate \$225,000 was believed the sum due Eastland county.

Among officials to be contacted will be the members of the state board of county and district road indebtedness. All payments are contingent upon action of the board which is to meet at Austin in July to act upon the ruling of the attorney general that the surplus gasoline tax funds should be released to the various counties.

DEPUTIES KILL BANDIT AND CATCH BROTHER

By United Press
DESELN, Ill., June 27.—Two deputy sheriffs today shot and killed one of two bandit brothers responsible for a brief reign of terror and seized the other after wounding him in the shoulder.

The slain man was Clarence Easton, 27, of North Dakota.

His brother, Orelle, 25, was shot and taken to the county jail at Kankakee.

They were trapped in a corn field when their car became mired after they perhaps mortally wounded Indiana State Policeman Ray Dixon, 28, near LaPorte, Ind., last night.

They had kidnaped three men and a four year old boy in their flight across two states.

Body of Flood Victim Is Found After Several Days

By United Press
CLARENDON, Tex., June 27.—The body of Bert Freeman, Wichita Falls newspaperman who was drowned in a flood in East Lelia Lake Creek, June 15, was found today.

The body had been carried about a mile downstream and then 100 yards up a side creek.

Freeman was drowned when floodwaters upset an automobile in which he was traveling with his wife and their three-year-old son. Mrs. Freeman's body was found several days ago near Hollis, Okla. The baby still is missing.

Control of Blister Beetles Is Explained

Blister beetles can usually be controlled by spraying the infested plants with a mixture of two pounds of arsenate of lead and 50 gallons of water or by dusting with a mixture of one pound arsenate of lead and four pounds of lime, advised County Agent Elmo V. Cook.

Arsenate of lead is a poison and should not be used on leafy vegetables, he continued. Vegetables sprayed or dusted should be washed thoroughly before they are eaten.

PWA Funds Sought For Major Dams

By United Press
TEMPLE, June 27.—Directors of the Brazos River Reclamation district met here today to draft an application for PWA money for 12 dams.

The directors also received bids on 330,000 barrels of cement for use at the Possum Kingdom dam. Bids received Feb. 23 were rejected because they were all the same.

Howard Hughes Ready for Round-the-World Speed Flight



Near the end of elaborate tests of his new mystery ship, Howard Hughes, right, millionaire oilman and movie producer who holds the transcontinental speed record, was reported ready in Los Angeles for an attempt at a speed flight around the world. Little was known about the Lockheed twin-engine land plane, pictured above, which Hughes will use. It reportedly has a cruising speed of 220 miles an hour. Hughes has withheld all information about the flight and his closest friends profess to know nothing about his plans except that he was expected to take the ship to New York for the start of the globe-girdling effort.

Peanut Growers And Threshermen Will Meet Tuesday

Peanut growers and threshermen of 25 peanut-producing counties in Texas and Oklahoma will meet at Eastland Tuesday, June 28, to make plans to market the 1938 crop and discuss improved methods of harvesting and threshing peanuts, according to W. B. Starr, president, Southwest Peanut Growers association, a farmers' cooperative organized to stabilize the price of peanuts in cooperation with the A. A. A. During the meeting growers from these counties will elect 1938 directors of the association.

Groups of peanut growers, led by their county agents, are expected to attend the meeting at Eastland Tuesday, from the counties of Atascosa, Brown, Bexar, Callahan, Comanche, Denton, Eastland, Erath, Fannin, Frio, Gillespie, Grayson, Harris, Hood, Johnson, Jones, Montague, Medina, Parker, Stephens, Tarrant, Wise and Wilson.

Among those expected to appear on the program are A. M. Dickson, senior marketing specialist, marketing section, A. A. A., who worked out the 1937 marketing program; C. E. Bowles, extension cooperative marketing specialist, who assisted in the 1937 peanut marketing setup in Texas; Cliff Day, president, Texas Agricultural association; W. I. Glass, district agent, district 7, extension service; R. T. Fisher, district supervisor, Farm Security Administration, and threshing machinery representatives.

Stocks Encounter First Resistance

By United Press
NEW YORK, June 27.—Stocks encountered resistance to the advance today after seven consecutive days of rising prices. Volume continued large.

Business news continued favorable.

Veterans to Meet Tuesday at Gorman

The Cisco Veterans of Foreign Wars post is sponsoring an open house for ex-service men of the area at a meeting Tuesday night in the Gorman Knights of Pythias hall.

Houstonian Is a Suicide Victim

By United Press
HOUSTON, June 27.—R. H. Wartell, middle-aged Houstonian, pushed the trigger of a shotgun with a yardstick and shot himself to death today in a lonely pasture south of the city.

Army Recruiting Is Started Over Area

By United Press
FORT SAM HOUSTON.—Recruiting by the United States Army has been resumed in the states comprising the eighth corps area.

Maj. A. P. Sullivan, corps area recruiting officer, said that vacancies exist in all branches of the service except the air corps.

8,000 EXPECTED FOR EASTLAND THREE-DAY JULY 4 CELEBRATION

Officials today predicted that 8,000 persons will attend the second annual Eastland July 4 celebration beginning Saturday and continuing through Monday.

Over \$500 in cash prizes will be given at contests during the three-day celebration. Officials stated that a program of variety has been arranged to suit the tastes of everyone who attends.

Fifteen bands of the area will attend the celebration, added officials. Features for the opening day program will include a special trades day event, a street and square dance and water fight.

Sunday's features will include an all-day roque tournament, an all-day singing convention with prominent artists of the southwest on the program, and a sacred band concert.

200 Aviators Are Needed by Army

FORT SAM HOUSTON.—The United States Army has two hundred vacancies for military aviators and has issued a call for all so qualified to register immediately for competitive examinations for appointments as second lieutenants in the Air Corps of the Regular Army. It was announced today at Eighth Corps Area headquarters. Applications must be submitted by July 1st.

Candidates must be army trained aircraft pilots and graduates of the regular heavier-than-air course at the Air Corps Training Center, Randolph and Kelly Fields. They must also be American citizens and between the ages of 21 years and 29 years, 10 months, on August 1st. They must demonstrate complete proficiency in flying military aircraft and mastery of technical and service equipment.

Examinations will be conducted in two phases. The first, a preliminary test to determine flying proficiency, must be completed by July 15th. Applicants who are not in active military service at the time of making application will be required to take this test and should make application to the nearest Air Corps station immediately. Final examinations, including general educational and technical subjects, will be held during the first three days in August. Exemptions from the educational tests will be granted graduates of recognized colleges and universities. A rigid physical examination will be given.

Application blanks and detailed information will be furnished upon request addressed to the Commanding General, Eighth Corps Area, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Applications must be submitted by July 1st and be accompanied by a photograph, certificate of graduation at the Air Corps Training Center and transcript of college credits if exemption from educational subjects is claimed, together with three testimonials as to character.

In addition to the regular army air corps stations, applications may be submitted to the following: National Guard Instructor, Airport, Houston, Texas. Commanding Officer, Hatbox Field, Muskogee, Okla. Commanding Officer, Hensley Field, Grand Prairie, Texas. Commanding Officer, Post Field, Fort Sill, Okla. Commanding Officer, Biggs Field, El Paso, Texas.

TAX IS SET

It has been ordered by officials that the administrator of the Mary Elizabeth Kleiner estate pay \$715 to the county tax collector as an inheritance tax on the estate.

WED BY JUSTICE

James H. Reed and Miss Helen Munselle of Dublin were married last week at Eastland by Justice of Peace E. E. Wood in his office.



4-H Girls Due to Go to Encampment Listed by Official

Eight Eastland county girls who will attend the annual 4-H short court at College Station July 6-8 were announced Saturday by Miss Mabel Caldwell, assistant home agent for the extension service.

The girls and reasons for their attendance:

Betty Jo Siekman, Rising Star, winner of the 1938 wardrobe contest.

Verda Mae Eaves, Kokomo, winner of second place in the wardrobe contest.

Mary Norris, Kokomo, winner of first place in a canning and judging contest.

Verda Jean Spurlen, Olden, best wardrobe cooperator.

Emma Lou Byrd, Flatwood, winner in a reporters' contest.

Glenn Elaine Duncan, Morton Valley, designated as a gold star girl.

Johnnie Nix, Morton Valley, whose work in 1937 was outstanding.

Addie Spurlen, Olden, whose work was outstanding in 1937.

The Ranger Chamber of Commerce donated part of a sum necessary for one of the girls to attend because of her residence in the city's trade territory, said Miss Caldwell.

Search Continues for Young McCormick

By United Press
ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., June 27.—Expert mountain climbers today resumed search for the body of Medill McCormick, 21-year-old heir to publishing millions.

Gov. Clyde Tingley and the youth's mother, Mrs. Ruth Hanna McCormick-Simms have personally directed the search since Friday. Virtually all searchers agreed that McCormick fell to his death, as did his companion, Richard Whitmer, 20.

Loyalists Agree to Plans of Britain

By United Press
BARCELONA, Spain, June 27.—Spanish loyalists assured Great Britain today it would cooperate fully with the suggestion to appoint a commission to investigate air bombings and said it had no intention of bombing civilians in Rebel Spain.

Connally Foresees No Special Session

By United Press
MARTIN, June 27.—Sen. Tom Connally predicted today that "there will be no special session of congress this fall."

Young Bandit Is Caught Attempting Houston Robbery

By United Press
HOUSTON, June 27.—A Fort Worth youth flourishing a bottle he said contained nitroglycerin, robbed a loan office of \$851 today, but a quick acting customer caused his arrest after a two-block chase.

The youth said he was Roy Hagard, 18, and admitted the holdup, according to police. He was charged with robbery by assault.

The \$851 was recovered and the bottle was found to contain only water.

George Grant, a hotel employee, followed the bandit after the robbery and shouted to a policeman, who boarded a passing truck and caught the cab in which the youth was riding.

PWA APPROVES PROJECTS OVER ENTIRE NATION

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 27.—The PWA today approved a series of new projects and brought the total cost of construction under the new recovery program to \$568,660,728.

Today's allocations included 21 projects on which applications had been filed by communities since President Roosevelt signed the lending-spending measure.

PWA also announced approval of 376 federal projects requiring \$46,602,021.

New non-federal projects included: Fort Worth — Fish hatching station, \$40,000.

San Angelo — Fish station, \$5,000.

New Mexico-Texas—Rio Grande Project, Elephant Butte power plant, \$1,000,000.

Gordon Woman Is Buried On Sunday

Funeral services for Miss Laura Altha Boyd, 48, of Gordon, who died at 3:40 Saturday afternoon, were conducted at the Strawn Merchandise Funeral home in Strawn Sunday afternoon, with burial in the Old Gordon cemetery. Rev. I. M. Edmiston conducted the services.

Miss Boyd had been for a number of years clerk in the piece goods department of Strawn Merchandise company, was a member of the First Methodist Church of Strawn and of the Eastern Star.

Survivors include her father, Marshall Boyd, Gordon; two sisters, Mrs. F. D. Anderson, Gordon and Mrs. Jim Tom Denby of Brad and three brothers, W. L. Boyd, Gordon; Harmon Boyd, Jal. N. M., and Herman Boyd, Gordon.

Allred to Attend Stamford Reunion

By United Press
AUSTIN, June 27.—Governor Allred said today he will attend the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford on July 4th. The reunion this year will be attended, also, by Gene Autrey, Tioga, Texas, cowboy singer and screen actor. Autrey will sing a song dedicated to the late Will Rogers.

Search Continues For Negro Slayer

By United Press
HALLETTSVILLE, Tex., June 27.—A posse continued its search through the wooded country east of here today for Moses Shelton, negro, after a negro man and woman were found shot to death and a second woman critically wounded last night.

Deceit Charged In Railway Statement

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 27.—A securities and exchange commission examiner today charged the Missouri Pacific today with concealment, deceit and fraud in filing application for permanent registration of its securities.

WAGES-HOURS BILL SIGNED BY PRESIDENT

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 27.— President Roosevelt, it was disclosed today, has signed the wage-hour bill, putting into effect a major objective in the New Deal program of economic reform.

Mr. Roosevelt signed the bill before departing for Wilmington, Del., for celebrating the landing of Swedish and Finnish colonies.

The wage-hour bill was passed after bitter controversy. It establishes:

1. A goal of 40 cents per hour minimum wage and a 40-hour work week to be attained as soon as "economically feasible."

2. A universal minimum wage of 25 cents per hour for industries in interstate commerce during the first year and 30 cents per hour during the second year.

3. A maximum work week of 44 hours during the first year and 42 hours during the second year and 40 hours thereafter.

The Works Progress Administration simultaneously announced the raising of wages of 500,000 unskilled WPA workers in 13 southern states, in an attempt to fulfill President Roosevelt's desire for higher wages in the South.

In Kentucky and Oklahoma, WPA wages for intermediate and unskilled workers were boosted \$5 to \$11 a month. In other southern states, including Texas, the increases ranged from \$3 to \$7 a month.

Candidate Crowley To Speak Tonight At Eastland Stop

Karl Crowley, candidate for Governor, will speak in Eastland at 8:00 tonight.

Announcement came from Crowley headquarters in Dallas that the candidate would discuss the "monopoly interests that seek to buy the governorship of Texas by the expenditure of huge campaign funds and explain his proposal for collection of a natural resources tax of \$120,000,000 annually on the sale of Texas resources to the world, and payment of \$30 pensions to the aged and other issues between me and the corporation favorites."

Crowley said that interest in his campaign is daily increasing, as evidenced by the thousands of letters pouring into his headquarters from all parts of Texas.

He said he would speak later in the week at Goldthwaite, Lampasas, Burnett, Austin, Bastrop, Giddings, LaGrange, Schulenburg, Yonkum, Cuern, Victoria, Goliad, Beeville, Karnes City, Floresville, Seguin, New Braunfels, San Marcos, Lockhart, Taylor and intermediate towns.

Food-Drug Bill Is Signed Today

By United Press
WASHINGTON, June 27.— Secretary of Agriculture Henry Wallace announced today that President Roosevelt had signed the bill widening powers of the federal food and drug administration to protect public health.

The signature completed a legislative monument to the late Sen. Royal Copeland, who for 16 years in the Senate fought for stronger food and drug laws.

Three provisions were: 1 — Prohibits distribution of drugs dangerous to health.

2 — Requires testing of new drugs before being placed on sale.

3 — Prohibits distribution of cosmetics which may be injurious to health.

Roosevelt Praises Swedes and Finns

By United Press
WILMINGTON, Del., June 27.— President Roosevelt, addressing a rain-drenched audience today, paid tribute to Sweden and Finland for their part in this nation's development.

Crown Princess Louise and her 26-year-old son, of Sweden, were seated to the President's right when he hailed the unbroken friendship between the three countries and accepted on behalf of the United States, a monument dedicated to the first Swedes and Finns on the shores of Delaware.

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What Is Happening, and What Matters

Among the people who get gray hairs during the depression is the newspaper editor.

Not only does the editor have all the ordinary depression worries about payrolls, balance sheets and so on; he also has the responsibility of laying daily before his readers a mental bill of fare calculated to tempt their appetites. Consider what the editor has had to choose from lately.

He has had an unusually bloody and cruel war in China, with day-to-day lists of cities bombed, non-combatants blown to bits, towns sacked, armies routed and spies executed. He has had an equally distressing war in Spain, with much the same sort of fodder coming out of that hopper. He has had rumors of war from all over Europe, with troops mobilizing on peaceful borders, cabinets tottering, Russians being executed, armaments being piled up and a general miasma of fear and suspicion spreading across every land.

At home he has had a vindictive and occasionally unprincipled political row to report. He has had a stupendous unemployment problem to tell about, an equally stupendous problem in government finance to expound, a series of strikes to report, and a whole list of minor unpleasantnesses like kidnappings, holdups, airplane disaster and soon to tell about.

All of which brings us to the stunt a certain metropolitan editor in the middle west tried the other day.

He had the usual grist of catastrophes to choose from when he made up his front page; a Spanish bombing, a Sino-Japanese battle, a new blood-and-thunder speech by Hitler, another frog-eye act by Mussolini, a factory strike down east, and the like. And he finally turned his back on all of these things and built his front page around the fact that the woman who had headed the local library, and had done a grand, peaceful, constructive job of it for something like a quarter of a century, was resigning her position.

Well, maybe the editor was right. Maybe his readers unconsciously blessed him when their morning paper told them that in spite of all the hell that has broken loose the unspectacular business of making a more civilized world was still going on. Maybe a story doesn't have to have a corpse in it to be news, after all.

If you were an editor, how would you look at it?

British women of fashion are reported dyeing their dogs to match their dresses. It's nice American women are content to confine themselves to the toe-nail.

Three male members of the Northwest Territory Caravan re-enacting the trek of pioneers have had their hair waved. That whirring sound you hear is Daniel Boone spinning in his grave.

POET OF THE PEOPLE

HORIZONTAL

- 1 Poet who wrote "Leaves of Grass."
- 11 Native metal.
- 12 Ear ornament.
- 13 Eccentric wheel.
- 15 Holy man.
- 16 Grew dim.
- 18 Pedal digit.
- 20 Woolen fabric.
- 22 To tear stitches.
- 24 Each.
- 26 Baking dish.
- 27 Plaything.
- 28 King of Bashan.
- 30 Unit of work.
- 32 Moccasin.
- 34 Encountered.
- 35 Nominal value.
- 36 One who does.
- 38 Clan symbol.
- 40 To detest.
- 41 Proprietor.
- 43 To peruse.
- 44 Kind of coffee.
- 45 Inlet.
- 46 Mortar tray.
- 47 Reverence.
- 48 To depart.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

- 23 Newspaper paragraph.
- 25 In line.
- 28 Curse.
- 29 He rates as one of America's bards.
- 31 Elder statesmen of Japan.
- 33 Spirally coiled organ.
- 34 Darned.
- 35 Stepped.
- 37 Portuguese coin.
- 39 Also.
- 40 In what way.
- 42 Semidimeters.
- 44 Heavenly food.
- 48 Tissue tooth.
- 50 Part of circle.
- 52 To hasten.
- 54 Plural pronoun.
- 55 North America.
- 56 Senior.
- 58 Street.
- 60 Southeast.

THE NEW INTERNATIONAL CODE



TVA and a Rival Supply Power for The Same Locality

GUNTERSVILLE, Ala.—A municipal distribution system using Tennessee Valley Authority power and a private utility are competing in Guntersville for the first time in the history of the government's venture in electricity.

With proponents of the TVA-supplied municipal system claiming more than 95 per cent of the town's electric consumers, the Alabama Power company announced it has "no plans for discontinuing service" here.

The municipal plant began supplying power in May at rates approximately 30 per cent lower

than those charged by the power company. Financed by a private bond issue of \$130,000 the system is expected by city authorities to pay for itself within 10 years.

"Practically everybody except employees of the power company and their relatives have switched over to our system," said Dr. E. H. Couch, mayor of Guntersville.

The private utility, however, apparently has no intention of quitting the field in favor of the TVA-powered system.

"The company holds a valid franchise in Guntersville which has many years to run," the power company said in an advertisement in the Guntersville paper.

"It has furnished good and satisfactory service over a period of years. It has endeavored to treat its customers fairly and has made many staunch friends in the community.

"It appreciates their patronage

and support and the company has no plans for discontinuing its service in the community."

Mayor Couch said the municipality repeatedly attempted to purchase the power company's facilities for distribution of electricity here, but that the company refused to set a price.

The power company has been operating in Guntersville for 23 years and previous to the opening of the municipal plant, supplied service to approximately 800 customers here.

In some instances, lines of the private utility and the municipally-owned plant parallel each other on the city's streets.

Alabama Power is a subsidiary of Commonwealth and Southern Corporation, major rival of the TVA in the government-private utilities controversy. Negotiations are under way for purchase of the corporation's holdings in the vast TVA-served area.

BASEBALL

LEAGUE STANDINGS

Texas League			
TEAM—	W.	L.	Pct.
Tulsa	43	21	.581
Oklahoma City	42	24	.553
San Antonio	42	24	.553
Beaumont	41	25	.539
Houston	37	35	.514
Fort Worth	36	44	.450
Dallas	34	45	.439
Shreveport	30	45	.400

American League			
TEAM—	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	37	21	.638
New York	34	25	.576
Boston	33	26	.559
Washington	34	31	.523
Detroit	32	31	.508
Philadelphia	26	30	.464
Chicago	20	33	.377
St. Louis	19	38	.333

National League			
TEAM—	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	37	24	.607
Cincinnati	34	25	.576
Chicago	35	27	.565
Pittsburgh	31	24	.564
Boston	27	27	.500
St. Louis	26	31	.456
Brooklyn	25	35	.417
Philadelphia	16	38	.296

RESULTS YESTERDAY

Texas League	
Ft. Worth 3-0, San Antonio 4-5.	
Tulsa 5-1, Beaumont 2-2.	
Tulsa 5, Houston 8.	
Okl. City 1, Shreveport 9.	

American League	
New York 10, Detroit 3.	
Washington 9-7, St. Louis 1-2.	
Philadelphia at Chicago, rain.	
Boston at Cleveland, rain.	

National League	
Cincinnati 3-7, Philadelphia 10-5.	
New York 5, Chicago 1.	
St. Louis 1, Brooklyn 1, (tie, called in 6th, rain, second game postponed).	
Pittsburgh at Boston, rain.	

GAMES TODAY	
Texas League	
Fort Worth at San Antonio.	
Oklahoma City at Shreveport.	
Tulsa at Houston.	
Dallas at Beaumont.	

American League	
Chicago at St. Louis.	
Boston at Cleveland.	
(Only games scheduled).	

National League	
No games. Open date.	

Raining Death at China's Army



From machine gun nests like that pictured above, a steady rain of fire falls upon the Chinese army. The Japanese gunners are shown as they directed an attack on the Chinese military flank near Weishan. Sections of shelling, crumbled walls and piles of rubble are used to shield the nest from the eye of the opponent's looking. Because of the constant fire which it pours forth, the machine gun nest is one of the most difficult military weapons to overcome.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox

BE independent with your hamburger.

On your Fourth of July picnic, give each guest an individual hamburger grill. It holds a flat meat cake securely in a closed flap container which seals in the heat juices. This individual grill has a long handle, so you can't scorch yourself over the camp fire.

Like "weenies?"

There's also a new frankfurter grill, with long handle and a closed grill section. It holds three "weenies" for cooking over the camp fire. Just what kids, both old and young, are looking for.

Perhaps you plan a big patriotic buffet at home instead of a picnic. Then make a red, white and blue pom-pom to give brilliance and patriotism to the center of your table. Just follow these directions.

Fourth of July Centerpiece

Box: cover a seven-inch square box with dark blue crepe paper. On one side paste white numerals 1776. Decorate all four sides with silver stars of different sizes.

Pom-pom: cut a strip of red crepe paper across the grain. Make it 12 inches wide and 60 inches long. Fold lengthwise down the center. Insert knitting needle in fold and crush.

Slip on to 12-inch length of wire.

A prominent visiting European announces he will rent a house on the rim of the Grand Canyon. Probably suspects he wouldn't feel at home if he weren't on the brink of something or other.

Sunday's Menu

BREAKFAST: Cantaloupe, broiled kidneys and bacon, soft cornmeal muffins, crab apple jelly, coffee, milk.

SUNDAY PICNIC: Fruit salad in jars, grilled hamburger steak, grilled frankfurter, roasted new corn, buttered soft rolls, whole tomatoes, chili sauce, catsup, mustard, frosted chocolate squares, macaroon cookies, oranges, bananas, plums, coffee, soda water, milk.

SUPPER: Eggs poached in cream and cheese, buttered toast, watercress salad, cake, stewed plums, tea, milk.

UNDER THE BIG TOP

THANKS FOR THE CAMEL NOW, MISS CONCETTO, HOW ARE CHANCES FOR A STORY ON YOUR BIGGEST THRILL, AS A STUNT AERIALIST?

OH, NO, LADIES FIRST, TONY, TELL HIM ABOUT YOUR FIRST TRIPLE SOMERSAULT IN THE AIR

OH, ASK TERRELL ABOUT HIS LIONS!

WELL, YOU SEE, NO WOMAN, TO MY KNOWLEDGE, HAD EVER EXECUTED A TRIPLE, MID-AIR SOMERSAULT. I'LL NEVER FORGET THE FIRST TIME I TRIED IT UNDER THE BIG TOP...

...BECAUSE THIS STUNT REQUIRES GREATLY INCREASED SPEED, I HAD TO DEPEND ALMOST ENTIRELY ON AUTOMATIC TIMING...

...BUT AS I WHIRLED OFF INTO SPACE... ONCE, TWICE... FOR A SPLIT-SECOND I PRACTICALLY LOST CONSCIOUSNESS...

...THREE TIMES... AND... I MADE IT! MY TIMING WAS PERFECT, AND ANOTHER FIRST PERFORMANCE LEFT ME THRILLED AND LAZY!

...BY FAST THINKING AND MOVING, I GOT THE UPPER HAND. BEFORE I LEFT THE CAGE, EVERY LION WAS BACK IN PLACE.

I HAD ALMOST COMPLETED MY ACT WITH 25 LIONS, WHEN SPARKY AND ANOTHER MALE WENT FOR EACH OTHER...

TRYING TO BREAK IT UP, I WAS KNOCKED DOWN AND SPARKY TURNED ON ME. HE LOOKED AS BIG AS AN ELEPHANT FROM WHERE I WAS SPRAWLED. THINGS LOOKED PRETTY BAD, BUT...

"WE KNOW TOBACCO BECAUSE WE GROW IT—WE SMOKE CAMELS BECAUSE WE KNOW TOBACCO"—TOBACCO PLANTERS SAY

You have to know tobacco to raise the fine grades planter Joe Brewer grows every crop. He says: "Last year my best lots went to Camel. I smoke Camels. Most planters I know do. They know the tobacco that go into Camels."

Calvin Wiggins, experienced planter, specializing in raising quality tobaccos, says: "The best of my last crop was taken by Camel. They paid top prices. Most growers smoke Camels—we know they're made of costlier tobacco."

"For a better cigarette, I always say smoke finer tobaccos," says Lee Mason, who grows the finer grades he speaks of—he's grown them for years. "I've seen the choicest tobaccos go to Camel many times. That's why I smoke Camels."

PEOPLE DO APPRECIATE COSTLIER TOBACCO IN CAMEL

THEY ARE THE LARGEST SELLING CIGARETTE IN AMERICA

CAMELS ARE A MATCHLESS BLEND OF FINER, MORE EXPENSIVE TOBACCOS—TURKISH & DOMESTIC

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One Smoker tells another... "CAMELS AGREE WITH ME"

HOLDUP HONEYMOON

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CAST OF CHARACTERS
JOE—A SLY, SNEAKY, BORN HE thought he was on top of the world until he snatched into KILLY ARCHER—heroine; she thought she was headed for the ED, the WEASEL—gangster; he thought he was headed somewhere, too, but affairs somehow got mixed up.

Yesterday starting off for Boston, Joe and Kelly are held up by a bank robber. It is clear that the robber means business.

CHAPTER IV
ED THE WEASEL took up a position behind them. He jabbed his gun into Joe's back. "Forward, march," he commanded.

At the running-board of the Ford he halted them. Pushing them aside but still keeping them covered, he got in and clambered heavily over the front seat into the domain of the chocolates, caramels, bonbons, and confections.

"Youse git in now," he ordered. Kelly and Joe obeyed. The Weasel sat down on a wooden box and let the muzzle of his gun tickle the back of Joe's neck.

"Now," he said, with utter composure, "youse is gonna drive me to Canada."

Kelly beat Joe to the punch. "Canada?" he cried.

"Yup," said the Weasel dispassionately. "Canada."

"But I can't go to Canada," said Kelly, dismayed. "I've got a very important date in Boston."

"Sorry, lady," said the Weasel, "but you ain't goin' to Boston. Dat burg ain't healthy fer me right now."

Joe got in a word. "Are you summering in Canada?" he asked, with withering sarcasm.

"Mebbe," said the Weasel non-committally. He pressed the gun harder against Joe's neck. "Step on it, buddy. An' don't try no tricks. When we gotta git gas, you stay in da car an' let da fillin' station guy fill her up. An' I'll tell you da roads. I know 'em. Watch yer step now 'cause I'm right behind you. I don't want to hit youse kids none, but try double-crossin' me an' I'll plug youse sure as hell."

Kelly bit her lip to hold back tears.

BACK on the main road Joe headed the car in a direction away from Boston at the Weasel's command.

"Why," he inquired, "are you going to Canada?" To sing the "Maple Leaf Forever" at the Toronto Exhibition?

"I'm goin' to Canada," the Weasel told him, with amazing frankness, "because the U. S. ain't no place for me just now. If

youse has got to know, I stuck up a bank dis morning."

"The North Colliston Bank?" asked Kelly quickly.

"Then you're practically a financier," said Joe. "You ought to pay for the gas and oil for the trip."

"Sure," said the Weasel affably. "Any objections," Kelly asked, "if I get out and hitch hike to Boston? You see, I was going there to be married."

"Ain't you married to dis guy?" said the Weasel in some surprise.

"Not yet," said Joe. "But she's got hopes."

The Weasel took Kelly's case under advisement, went into a huddle with himself and presently came to a decision.

"Sorry, lady," he said, "but you gotta stay here. You might put da bulls on me trail."

LATE in the afternoon they crossed over into New York state. When darkness fell the Weasel called a halt at an isolated hot dog stand. From the car he commanded the proprietor to bring forth a feast. The proprietor obeyed. The feast consisted of hot dogs and soda pop, and the Weasel received these comestibles into the back of the car.

"Drive on," he said to Joe. Half a mile farther along he ordered him to turn off on a side road and stop. Then he doled out rations.

Kelly eyed the unholly meal with distaste.

"This is an outrage," she said. "We'll all get scurvy or something. Couldn't we go into some place and sit at a table like white people?"

"Not a chanet," said the Weasel. "Youse might double cross me."

Kelly sighed. "What a suspicious mind you have, Mr.—Mr.—er—I haven't the advantage of your last name."

"It's Weynowski," Joe raised his pop bottle.

"Well," he said, "down the river!"

"You beast," Kelly turned on him. "I believe you're actually enjoying this."

"Never had a better time in my life," said Joe, draining the bottle. The dreadful repast over, the Weasel gave orders to resume speed. Rather after the fashion of one who has dined inadequately in a lifeboat and is now prepared to await the dictates of Destiny, Kelly composed herself for rest. She slumped down in her seat and stretched out her legs. Joe, a courtly man, took a blanket that was folded over the back of the seat and arranged it behind her head.

"What service," she murmured.

JOE swore under his breath. He would have like to have joined the order of one-hand drivers, thrown his other arm around Kelly and permitted her head to rest against his shoulder. But the presence of Ed the Weasel deterred him. He shrank from exhibiting affection before the eyes of an individual who looked like something sculptured out of a mountain by Gutzon Borglum.

"Da goll's tired," said the Weasel, with compassion.

"Don't you believe it, pal," said Joe. "Modern womanhood can't take it, that's all."

"Pal," said Kelly disgustedly. "Just a couple of brother Elks, aren't you?"

"Go to sleep," advised Joe. And Kelly did. The Ford rolled easily over the wide smooth highway. The steady drone of the motor was soothing. Presently her eyes closed. Her head turned a little to one side. Miss Kelly Archer went by.

The Weasel broke a long silence. "Lissen, guy," he said, "how come you're takin' dis so easy? You know wot I mean. You don't act like you give a damn if you go to Canada."

"Why should I?" said Joe. "Canada or Canarsie, what's the difference? It's the gypsy in me. Anyhow, Canada listens better than Boston about now."

"But da dame's got a yen to go to Boston, ain't she?"

"Dames got funny ideas," said Joe.

"Ain't it da truth," agreed the Weasel emphatically. "Dat's wot I always sez to Cissy."

"Cissy? Who's Cissy?"

From the region of the confectionery came a kind of audible smirk. "Me goll, dat's who Cissy is. Da moll I travels wid. She's a honey, too."

"I'll bet she is," said Joe. "Where's Cissy now?"

The Weasel chuckled. "Canada, dat's where she is. Waitin' on me. We got a hideout up dere, see? When I gets da itchin' foot I comes across da border, pulls a job somewheres and den beats it back." He paused, then added with satisfaction: "Dat's how we works it."

"Quite a system," said Joe. "By the way, when do you propose to permit Kel—er—Miss Archer and I to proceed in peace?"

"Huh?"

"Okay. I'll scale it down. When can dis dame and I beat it off by ourselves?"

"When I'm safe outa da U. S. A.," said the Weasel uncompromisingly.

(To Be Continued)

G. H. Nelson Is A Visitor Here Monday Morning

Senator G. H. Nelson of Lubbock County this morning presented his candidacy for Lieutenant governor to local voters with a frank discussion of his views on state governmental problems and a sharp condemnation of the record of his opponent, Coke Stevenson of Junction.

Typical of the active campaign he is conducting for the state's highest legislative position, Nelson greeted voters here along the streets and in business houses.

Pointing to his "clean hands" as a member of the Senate from 24 West Texas counties, Nelson aligned Stevenson with the sub-bur interests.

"I want Stevenson to clear up his claim that he is for the schools with his lead bill in which Stevenson attempted to lower the royalty on sulfur discovered on the re-

peal of the chain store tax law and labeled Stevenson at "a tool of the chain gang."

"When I went to the Senate last year the coalition vote which placed the tax on the chain stores," Nelson said "I have always fought for the survival of the independent merchant."

Questioned about the old age pensions, Nelson said he voted to finance the social security program and warned the old people to beware of candidates who promised large sums to them without providing a way for raising the necessary revenue.

Nelson is carrying on what old-timers concede is the most active campaign ever launched for the Lieutenant Governor's office. He has been touring the state for four months. Last week he returned to West Texas where the people have honored him with the offices of county attorney, district attorney and State Senator. He has never been opposed for a second term.

Nelson stressed the importance of the Lieutenant Governorship in citing his aggressive campaigning.

land from one-eighth to one-tenth," Nelson said.

He compared his outstanding attendance record in the Senate with that of Stevenson in the House.

"Exclusive of his terms as Speaker, Stevenson has missed 47 per cent of the roll calls since he has been in the Legislature," Nelson thumbed the House Journal.

"During the special session last year when the Legislature was considering the serious problem of financing the social security program which includes aid for the aged needy, teachers' retirement and assistance for the blind and neglected and dependent children, where was Stevenson? When the people needed him most, he missed nine-tenths of the session."

Showing its successful operation in Nebraska, Nelson said of his one-house Legislature: "The one-house Legislature is the sure path to needed economy and efficiency in state government, a legislature responsive and responsible to the wishes of the people, and a legislature free of lobby control."

Nelson voted his opposition to

MYRA NORTH, Special Nurse -- By Thompson and Coll

MYRA NORTH, ASSUMING THE FLIPPANT IDENTITY OF 'LILY JAMES' HAS COME TO THE 'PURPLE SLIPPER' CAFE, ON THE WATERFRONT OF LONGBAY, TO OBTAIN EVIDENCE FOR THE NAVAL INTELLIGENCE. A GROUP OF INTERNATIONAL SPIES IS SUSPECTED OF HAVING DESIGNS ON THE SECRETS OF A NEW REMOTE-CONTROL 'MYSTERY SHIP.'

I SUGGEST THAT, SINCE THE LADY CANNOT PAY HER CHECK, YOU HOLD THE BROOCH FOR SECURITY.

YOU'RE RIGHT, MR. CARDELL--NOT A BAD LOOKING SPARKLER.

NO, NO--YOU MUSTN'T TAKE MY BROOCH!

YOU SEE--IT BELONGED TO MY POOR MOTHER--I--ER--THAT IS, I'LL DO ANYTHING YOU SAY, ONLY...

SURE, WE UNDERSTAND--BUT IN THAT CASE, I'M AFRAID I WILL HAVE TO PAY YOUR CHECK.

AS MYRA CLUTCHES THE TINY BROOCH CAMERA, SHE SNAPS THE FACES BEFORE HER...

"OUT OUR WAY" -- By Williams



YOUNG IZAAK WALTON

But She'd Rather Swing a Pencil



Going to be a girl baseball player? No sirree! says Betty Wagner, daughter of the famed Honus Wagner now coach of the Pittsburgh Pirates. But Betty obligingly swung a baseball bat for photographers on the Ohio State University campus at Columbus while explaining that she wants to be a newspaper woman.

FRECKLES and HIS FRIENDS -- By Blosser



ALLEY OOP -- By HAMLEN



SPORT GLANCES By Grayson

Sports Editor, NEA Service

AN interesting message from Ancil Hoffman, the pigeon-chested, pigeon-toed little California fruit grower who manages Maxie Adelbert Baer.

"Baer is working in a picture in Hollywood which will be finished June 15."

"Mike Jacobs notifies us to be in New York for the Louis-Schmeling fight, June 22, also for a meeting of the boxing commission the day following."

"Jacobs is anxious to complete arrangements for Baer to meet the winner in late September."

"Louis and Schmeling agreed to tackle Baer this fall when they signed for their return bout, and the main object now is to have Schmeling assure the commission that he will return for the Baer match should he regain the title."

"Following our visit in New York, Baer will make a refereeing tour before hardening up at Lake Tahoe."

"Then he'll pitch camp near New York, and win the championship again just as sure as the sun shines in California."

WILLY Mike Jacobs is keeping Baer in cold storage. The old Broadway ticket scalper isn't the kind to be left without a kicker.

Ever since Baer was repelled by Jim Braddock and knocked out by Louis, Jacobs has itched to put his ballyhoo bureau on a first-class job of selling the customers on the possibility that the erstwhile Butterfly Butcher Boy had two off nights a few weeks apart in 1935.

Baer's fine comeback against Farr gave Jacobs his excuse, and an opportunity for a second world championship contest in 1938.

While he doesn't say as much, Jacobs' fear is the same as that of Hoffman—that Schmeling will not return for a fall engagement in the event that he once more repulses Louis.

And if the German loses to the Brown Bomber, nobody will want him.

Louis, the "house" fighter, will be available for Baer to win, lose or draw with Schmeling.

You'll never know how those interested in the Twentieth Century Sporting Club are pulling for the Alabama-born Negro.

SCHMELING tells the boys not to worry, however.

"I'd be a rank sucker for not coming back," says Herr Moxie in his Teutonic guttural. "I'm getting only 20 per cent for fighting Louis. I'll get 42½ per cent for Baer in September, and an unlettered contract to Mike Jacobs until September, 1939."

Adding to the attractiveness of another Schmeling-Baer battle would be the fact that the Livermore Larruper dealt the Ferocious Frankfurter his only knockout in this country . . . in 10 rounds of a hot June night in 1933.

Schmeling really may want to even that score. Again he may not. Fighters are funny that way.

And Schmeling's burning ambition is to regain the championship, retire with it, and strut in the Fatherland. He is crowding 33.

What I get out of the situation is that everybody's concern in regard to Schmeling's return may be the tiff on the result of the second edition between the Pretzel Bender and Louis.

And also that Baer, dismissed as a hopeless clown three years ago, may have the last laugh.

THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON WITH RODNEY DUTCHER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER NEA Service Staff Correspondent

WASHINGTON—Bulk of the work in the \$500,000 monopoly investigation will be done under direction of Assistant Attorney General Thurman Arnold, head of the Department of Justice's antitrust section.

A galaxy of liberal economists and brain-trusters who worked in the old NRA, vainly protesting what they conceived to be the monopolistic tendency of policies adopted by Gen. Hugh Johnson and Donald Richberg, will function on the economic side of the investigation.

Leon Henderson of WPA, once NRA's chief economist, will play an important role. Dr. Walton Hamilton, member of the NRA board in the post-Johnson period and now professor of law at Yale, has been signed up by Arnold for the summer. Likewise President Dexter Keezer of Reed College in Oregon, former chief of the NRA Consumer Advisory Board, Dr. Thomas C. Blaisdell, another NRA official who has been studying prices with the National Resources Committee, will collaborate. Other New Deal brain-trusters such as Ben Cohen, Tom Corcoran, Solicitor General Robert Jackson and Isador Lubin of the Bureau of Labor Statistics will be busy in the background.

Any doubt as to whether the investigation would be a New Deal show was ended when Congress gave the President four-fifths of the money appropriated for allocation as he saw fit. Conclusions and recommendations from the investigation can be at least partially forecast from Roosevelt's monopoly message to Congress, which was written so as to set out the anticipated conclusions in advance.

The primary aim, as a prelude to legislation of various types suggested in that message, will be to show the public, through hearings

and other publicity, the defects which New Dealers claim to see in the economic system—beginning with the assumption that free competition now exists only in about half of American industry, and that liberty and prosperity are threatened by increasingly concentrated economic power.

SIGN in Department of Agriculture Library: "The Good Society" by Walter Lippmann cannot be found.

SLATED to be next president of the American Bar Association is a celebrated Washingtonian, Frank J. Hogan. One of Hogan's claims to fame is the spectacular job he did in getting a jury acquittal of Oil Man E. L. Doherty, charged with giving a \$100,000 bribe to Albert B. Fall in the naval oil reserve scandal, after Fall had been convicted for accepting the bribe. Hogan has never denied that he received a \$1,000,000 fee for that piece of work, in addition to a personal gift of a beautiful limousine from Doherty.

Hogan also represented Andrew W. Mellon in the government's income tax suit against the former Treasury secretary. Former Assistant Secretary of Commerce William P. MacCracken, Jr., who became an aviation lobbyist as well as secretary of the A. B. A. which Hogan is to head, went to jail for burning papers the Senate airmail committee had subpoenaed—after being advised by Hogan.

Hogan was born in Washington and grew up here, a brilliant, friendly and attractive Irish boy who has become immensely popular. He wears a monocle. Every year he gives a big party for the Gridiron Club and puts on his own show—one of many methods by which he attracts innumerable friends.

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THIS CURIOUS WORLD By William Ferguson



IRISH potatoes, in spite of their name, did not come from Ireland. The Indians of Colombia were eating them in 1539, when the white men first made their discovery. Later, Spanish ships carried potatoes to Europe, and the Irish popularized them as a food.

Rambling With The Rambler

BY WAYNE WALLACE

The report that some 13,000,000 men are out of work in these United States is anything but good news. If the huge sum just appropriated for relief eradicates this non employment question then it will be money well spent. If it does not accomplish this purpose then the future of this country will be anything but bright. The problem as it is now is serious enough. Only recently the unemployed in the city of Cleveland, Ohio, found it necessary to go from door to door begging the necessities of life.

This problem is peculiar in that it is not one of nature but rather one caused by man's inability and lack of foresight. Nature is over productive but our leaders seem incapable of formulating a plan whereby the masses may earn enough to make consumption balance with production. Thus, it is that supplies keep increasing while people go hungry. Now if it were caused by nature, in which an insufficient supply failed to meet the demands of the people, at least the reason would be easier to understand.

The fundamental cause for this difficulty is man's inability to cope with the money situation. Money has got to the stage where it is no longer controlled by man, rather it controls him. Strictly speaking there are only three ways of increasing wealth of the world if we stay in line with the present monetary system. The first is

Political Announcements

The Eastland Telegram is authorized to publish the following announcements of candidates for public offices, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

- For Representative, 106th Dist. (Eastland County)**
P. L. (Lewis) Crossley.
Cecil A. Lotief.
- For Representative, 107th Dist. Eastland, Callahan Counties.**
T. S. (Tip) Ross.
(Re-election).
Wayne Sellers.
Omar Burkett.
- For District Clerk:**
Euell D. Bond.
John White.
Claude (Curley) Maynard.
- For Criminal District Attorney:**
Earl Conner, Jr.
(Re-election).
- For County Judge:**
W. S. Adamson.
(Re-election).
- For County Clerk:**
R. V. (Rip) Galloway.
(Re-election, 2nd term.)
- For Assessor-Collector:**
C. H. O'Brien.
(2nd term).
- For County Superintendent:**
C. S. Eldridge.
T. C. Williams.
(One term is 4 years).
- For County Treasurer:**
Garland Branton.
W. O. (Dick) Weekes.
Mrs. Frances (Holbrook) Cooper.
- For Sheriff:**
Loss Woods
(2nd term).
Virge Foster.
- For Commissioner, Precinct 1:**
Henry V. Davenport.
A. L. (Aaron) Stiles.
- For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1:**
E. E. Wood (Re-election).
- For Constable, Prec. No. 1:**
Ben Pryor.

HAS EYE ON TRIP ABROAD



Fred Wolcott, Rice Institute sophomore and National Collegiate champion, is the favorite in the hurdle events in the National A. A. U. track and field championship at Buffalo, July 2-3. The speedy blond from Texas is credited with a mark of 13.9 in the high hurdles this spring, and has his eye on a trip abroad with the A. A. U. traveling squad.

by increasing the supply of metal which forms the standard upon which money is based. Thus the discovery of gold would add to the wealth of the world while the discovery of oil, steel and the like would not. They might add to the individual wealth of a country since such products can be exchanged for money but since they of themselves are not the standard of the present money system they do not increase the amount of money in the world.

The second means of adding to wealth is by raising the value of the basic standard. Thus if the value of gold were doubled, without raising the prices on commodities, its purchasing power would be greatly increased. It is well to always remember that any kind of money is of no greater value than its relation to the prices on commodities. If a man makes a thousand dollars a day and it takes him two thousand dollars a day to live on, it is of no benefit to him. This is the job of economists: to establish a proper balance between purchasing power and commodities.

The third way would be for the world to recognize some other thing as a basic means for exchange, for after all money is nothing more than a means of exchange based upon the confidence of the people. Of these three ways only the first is in use at the present time; yet if necessary it would be better to adopt one of these other means rather than have people starve to death.

There is just as much gold in the world today as at any other time; yet most nations are hard pressed to meet their financial obligations. This is due to unequal distribution. Some men are exceedingly wealthy while others have nothing at all. The men who have the money fail to realize that if they do not keep the majority of it in circulation they will bring disaster, not only to others but also to themselves. The world was created for the purpose of sustaining life and as the preservation of life is one of the underlying principles of human nature, man has the right to see that he gets enough to sustain himself and those dependant upon him. When a few men take this privilege away from him, eventually he will do something about it. Oftentimes unscrupulous men take advantage of this condition to instill false doctrines into the people and

Midland Is First To Enter Contest Of West Tex. C. C.

ABILENE. — First county to enter the West Texas Chamber of Commerce soil and water utilization contest is Midland. Rules and regulations of the contest were announced recently and scores of other West Texas counties are expected to make entries within the next few weeks.

Midland's entry was sent in by Bill Collins, chamber of commerce manager. Other members of his county committee are County Judge E. H. Barron, R. M. Barron, M. C. Ulmer, WTCC director; S. A. Deham, county agent; Mary Jo Weigers, home demonstration agent, and J. C. Miles.

The contest, directed by the WTCC agricultural board with cooperation of state and federal agricultural agencies, offers \$1,000 in cash prizes annually to counties with best records of accomplishments in soil and water conservation work. The prizes are: First, \$500; second, \$300, and third, \$200. Points as outlined in the contest bulletin now being distributed, will be awarded for almost every kind of soil and water conservation work.

Edwin A. Spacek, WTCC director of development, is in charge of the contest.

Immigration at El Paso Is Lower

EL PASO.—A 40 per cent decrease in the number of applicants seeking admission to the United States from Juarez, Mexico, has been noted during the past two years, according to Geo. P. Shaw, American consul at Juarez.

Shaw said an average of 133 applications a month was received over the last two years. The average for the last five months has been 83. For the last five months 18 per cent of the applicants were accepted, compared with 13 per cent for the previous two years.

Would-be immigrants now are better informed as to whether they can enter or not, Shaw said. While the number of immigrants has dropped, a larger percentage of applicants are admitted.

Expedition Will "Explore" Trinity

FORT WORTH.—An expedition up the Trinity river from Beaumont is planned for this summer, according to word received by C. L. Douglas and Eddie Willard, Fort Worth Press employees who made the 600-mile trip downstream in an outboard motor boat last month.

Dean Tevis, feature writer on The Beaumont Enterprise, wrote that he would be "captain-commander" of two boats, powered by outboard motors, that will leave Anahuac, on the Gulf of Mexico, for the upstream journey.

The expedition will include "Commodore" B. M. Hatfield, bewhiskered river expert who first traversed the Trinity from its headwaters to the gulf in a scow four years ago. Hatfield said that eight Beaumont sea scouts might be taken along.

The Beaumont expedition hopes to reach Fort Worth within ten days after starting. Douglas and Willard made the downstream voyage in eight days.

China has decided to break off diplomatic relations with Japan. It looks like war.

Lost Battalion in Military Paradise



Well-nigh impregnable in a "military paradise" high in the Pyrenees Mountains, the Spanish Loyalists' "lost battalion" is healthy, well-fed, well-armed and apparently safe from dislodgement. Although cut off in the heart of Rebel-held territory, these government troops have little fear of attack, as small groups, such as that pictured above, can hold the narrow passes against overwhelmingly larger forces.

Deported Citizens May Form Colony

JUAREZ, Chihuahua, Mex. — A group of citizens who have been deported from the United States have proposed colonization of lands at Villa Ahumada, 80 miles from Juarez.

association of 80 members has been organized. They have requested division of approximately 100,000 acres of land, which would be irrigated under pump pressure for farming.

As a gesture of protest against Japan nobody at a recent Chicago wedding wore a scrap of silk. This is something the entire south should cotton to.

Skull of Ancient Giant Dog Is Given To Canyon Museum

CANYON, Texas.—A complete skull of the pre-historic amphicyon gidleyi—or bear dog—has been procured for the Panhandle-Plains Historical society museum here.

Professor C. Stuart Johnson of West Texas State College pronounced the skull, which is complete with the lower jaws and virtually all the teeth intact, to be one of the finest specimens known.

Johnson explained that the bear dog, as large as the Alaskan brown bear and a giant in comparison with a Great Dane or St. Bernard dog of today, inhabited this section more than 1,000,000 years ago. The animal was carnivorous and a ferocious fighter.

The specimen was found recently by a WPA excavating party in Donley county. The party was headed by Wayne Christian.

Hurricane Study Is Started In Florida

MIAMI, Fla. —The Federal government has begun its annual task of detecting the formation and watching the movement of hurricanes for the five-month period during which tropical disturbances are a threat to the South Atlantic and Gulf Coasts.

The Federal hurricane warning system, linking major coastal weather bureaus of Texas, Louisiana, Alabama and Florida by teletype system which gives rapid transmission to weather observations, started operating for its fourth season this week.

The information collected by the teletype system—not only from the United States mainland but from island stations in the Atlantic, the Caribbean and the Gulf of Mexico and from stations of Central and South America—provide a basis for daily charts of the tropic waters where the

British Territorials Get Anti-Aircraft

LONDON. — Great Britain new 3.7-inch anti-aircraft gun said to be the most efficient of its type in the world, is being delivered to the territorial army. Four of the guns have been supplied to the 53rd (City of London) Anti-Aircraft Brigade. The gun is the main aggressive factor in Britain's plan for land defenses against enemy airplanes. It can fire 12 rounds a minute to a height of six miles or, it can place a shell over Mount Everest every five seconds.

swirling storms have their origin. The warning system will operate until Nov. 15, the date generally considered the end of the hurricane season.

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