

British Ship Attacked by Rebel Plane

Protest on Attack Sunday Followed by News of Bombings

LONDON, Aug. 10 (AP).—As Britain protested to insurgent Spain today for destruction of the British ship Lake Lugano Sunday at Palamos, asserting the attack was "deliberate," news was received a lone seaplane had bombed the British-owned port of Gandia.

Funeral Services Are Held Today for Mrs. E. E. Stevens

Funeral services were held at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the First Baptist church for Mrs. Adaline Stevens, 55, Midland woman who succumbed yesterday in Crockett, Tex. The Rev. D. H. Bonner officiated. Interment rites were held at Fairview cemetery.

Mrs. Stevens was a resident of Midland since 1923, when she moved to Midland with her husband, the late E. E. Stevens, and their son, Wade. She left here last Christmas to visit a niece, Mrs. F. R. English, in Crockett, and became ill shortly after arriving there. She had remained in the hospital since that time with the exception of about 45 days.

Friends and relatives here blamed the breakdown in Mrs. Stevens' health on the sudden death of her son, Wade, in an automobile accident here last August 11, following the death of her husband the year before.

Mrs. Stevens first lived in Midland for a short while in 1912, returning to Malvern, Tex., and later moving to El Paso. From El Paso, the family moved here and went into the grocery business. Mrs. Stevens worked in the stores with her husband until his death, after which she retired from active business.

She was an active member of the First Baptist church during her lifetime here, and was also a member of different women's clubs of the city.

Born Adaline Smith, in Crockett, Nov. 3, 1882, she was married to E. E. Stevens at Mineola in 1908. To the union was born two sons, one dying in infancy, the other in 1937. She joined the First Baptist church at an early age in East Texas and continued to be a member throughout life.

Chicago Pneumatic Renews Lease on Warehouse, Shop

Lease on the John B. Thomas warehouse building at South Colorado and Indiana streets was taken by the Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co. for a new seven year period, it was announced today. Harry B. Prickett, representative of this area for the firm, said additional shop equipment would be installed and a larger crew of men added at an early date.

The Chicago Pneumatic has maintained a warehouse there for the past two years and had retained a two-year option on the building, but took an absolute lease to May 1945, it was announced today.

The move was interpreted as a forecast of greater exploration of oil in this area, as well as expansion of the company's operations.

Midland Couple Visit Scout Camp

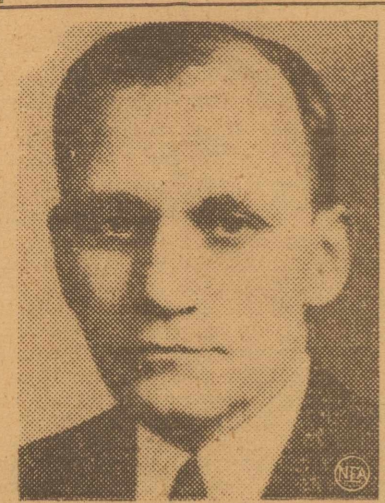
Mr. and Mrs. Alvon Patterson visited Camp Fawcett Tuesday, being accompanied to the camp by Pat McMullan, Odell Carr, and David Eldmore. The boys will remain in camp for a week.

The camp is much better this year, the visitors reported. The tents are new and the swimming hole is larger and cleaner than ever before. The camp last week had the largest attendance in the history of the Buffalo Trails Council. There were 199 scouts and leaders. The Scout Executive reported little sickness and only one injury of a serious nature. One of the leaders received a broken nose in a ball game Sunday.

Thirty-one boys from Midland are at the camp. They will return home next Tuesday. The roads are good and visitors are welcome, especially on Sunday.

HERE ON VISIT. Mary Ruth Goggin and Janice Harris of Fort Worth are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David S. Goggin. They arrived Tuesday.

Headliners in Arkansas Primary



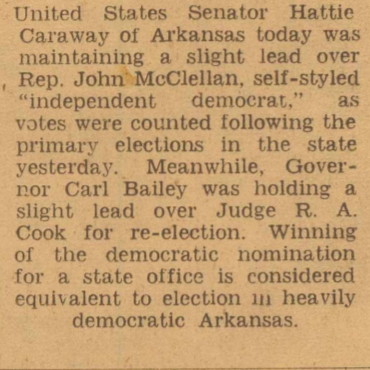
John McClellan



Hattie Caraway



Bailey



Cook

President Returns From Vacation Trip, Won't Talk Politics

PENSACOLA, Fla., Aug. 10 (AP).—President Roosevelt returned to the United States Tuesday—full of conversation about his fishing trip, but not very talkative about politics.

The chief executive, who left San Diego, Calif., in mid-July on a search for fighting fish of both oceans, held a press conference aboard the cruiser Houston before disembarking for his train trip home.

The actual landing time was at 5:46 p. m., Central Standard Time (6:46 p. m. EST) when he disembarked at the naval air station to be greeted by city and state officials and Governor Richard W. Leche of Louisiana.

He inspected the station, nearby Fort Barrancas and the navy's Corry landing field before leaving for his home at Warm Springs, Ga.

The president transferred from the Houston to the destroyer McDougal outside the harbor.

Mr. Roosevelt told reporters about the various species of marine animals which were collected on the trip by Dr. Waldo Schmidt, a scientist who accompanied the president.

Asked for comment on the renomination of Senator Alben W. Barkley in Kentucky, the president said it was just about what he had expected.

Odessa "All Set" For Opening Show Of Pioneer Days

ODESSA, Aug. 10 (Special).—With plans complete and the stage practically "all set" for the grand opening Friday night, the Odessa annual pioneer days celebration and rodeo, promises colorful entertainment by contestants coming from the widely scattered sections of the western states.

Texans will predominate in practically all events but old heads in the rodeo world like Bill Till of Deadwood, South Dakota, are expected to give a brand of competition not to be easily overcome by the Texas cowboys.

A herd of 65 selected Brannan cattle was supplemented early this week by 30 additional 3 and 4 year old Brannan steers and a long list of outlaw horses and assorted bucking broncs assembled from West Texas ranches have been placed in the pens, ready for the three days show.

Special attractions booked for the entire event include Paris McCropper, 12 year old champion kid roper from Deadwood, South Dakota, the Ross sisters, acrobatic stars from Wink, Texas, and Dub Phillips, clown, appearing with his performing mule, both Dub and the mule coming from regions west of San Angelo in the vicinity of Sheffield.

The celebration will open with a big street parade at 6:30 Friday evening, followed by the first rodeo performance at 8 p. m.

Store Owners Are Warned on Taxes

Officials of the state comptroller's office today notified store keepers here that the deadline for paying the state chain store tax was August 31. Failure to pay leaves persons subject to fines as high as \$50 per day for each day a store is kept open after deadline.

Two officials, R. M. McGuire and Allan Howison, of the comptroller's office, will be in this area for the rest of the month and will contact all merchants. Cooperation of the merchants is asked, in order that all work may be completed in this area as soon as possible.

REURNS HOME. Mrs. J. H. Shirey and children, Anna Louise, Ben, and Paul, are returning to their home at Mineola today after a visit of several days with Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Shirey.

Anniversary Day to Be Celebrated at Church Here Sunday

The annual anniversary day of the First Christian church will be observed throughout the day Sunday with special services. The regular Bible school class periods will be dispensed in order to give way for one of the special sessions of the day. A period will be observed for class reports, however.

Many visiting preachers will be with the church throughout the day. Among those present who will bring messages will be Rev. Patrick Henry of Fort Worth, who is state secretary for Christian churches, Rev. C. A. Johnson of Odessa, who is president of the Texas Christian convention, Rev. F. C. Schurman of Big Spring, and Rev. Francis Barnes of Monahans.

There will be three worship sessions during the day, the first beginning at 9:45 o'clock with all the departments of the Bible school assembled in the main auditorium of the church, at which time one of the visiting ministers will preach.

The second session begins with the regular hour of worship at 11 o'clock when another of the visiting ministers will preach and the third session at 1:30 o'clock, which will be the general session and when visiting ministers will preach.

Committees for the day have all been appointed. The general arrangement committee members are Mrs. Frank Williamson, chairman; Mrs. George Ratliff, Mrs. J. Roy Jones, Mrs. L. A. Denton and Mrs. G. H. Butler. The general committee has asked that each family of the church bring a basket of food, using as the meat dish either fried chicken or chicken pie.

The music committee of the church with Mrs. M. A. Park, director of music, has perfected the music for each session. The services for the day will close with the afternoon session, there being no evening hour of worship due to the afternoon session.

Special attention will be given to the afternoon session, which will be held in the gymnasium, and to the evening session, which will be held in the church lawn at 12 o'clock.

Overloading Halted By Recent Arrests

AUSTIN, Aug. 10. — Arrests of truck drivers hauling excess loads and otherwise violating registration laws have increased 25 per cent since the Department of Public Safety created a special detail of state police for that type of enforcement work last June, according to Captain Homer Garrison, Jr., assistant public safety director.

While the special unit of plainclothesmen was directing attention to load law violators, state patrolmen, relieved of that responsibility, brought about a 14 per cent reduction in traffic deaths on Texas highways.

The license and weight inspectors, all veterans in that type of work, lodged 1,562 complaints against commercial vehicle operators in July. Violations of the 7,000 pound load limit law were charged in 1,395 of the cases; 39 were for improper registrations; 14 for failure to have chauffeur licenses; 37 for speeding, and 70 for other motor code offenses according to J. W. Longley, chief inspector of the new division.

Until the new unit was assigned to duty recently, patrolmen had divided their activities between the weighing of trucks and enforcement of moving traffic law offenses. Under the new operating plan mounted patrolmen direct their activities toward assisting motorists and reducing speeding, careless driving and other violations to which most death-dealing accidents are traceable.

"This new system has brought gratifying results," Captain Garrison said. "Every man can perform his duties with a maximum of efficiency when he does not have to divide his time. The good results are shown in the increased truck law violation arrests and the sharp decline in tragic traffic tolls."

Official Critics Say U. S. Prepared to Defeat Foreigners

DESOTO NATIONAL FOREST, Miss., Aug. 10 (AP).—Official critics of the third army maneuvers, concluded Monday, declared last night the United States army was ready to meet any foreign coalition.

Some 2,000 officers heard the critics' view. The speakers warned the national guard lacked equipment to execute any emergency measure.

High command expressed belief in the case of an emergency the enemy would probably strike "across the southern frontier."

Japs, Reds Both Claim Victories

Counter Charges Made as Battle On Border Rages

By Associated Press. Japanese army officers said today Soviet troops had dug in near the crest of Changkufeng hill after an unsuccessful charge of the eastern slopes early today under the cover of tanks and mountain guns.

A Russian communique said Japanese "suffered great losses" during attacks on Russian positions and were driven back each time.

Soviet infantry was also repulsed, Japanese said, in a terrific charge on "hill 52," south of Changkufeng. Unofficial reports said the Soviet artillery resumed shelling "hill 52" after a short lull following a 24-hour bombardment.

GERMANS 'WATCHFUL' BUT CANNOT HELP

BERLIN, Aug. 10 (AP). Germany's position in the Russo-Japanese dispute appeared today to be that of a "watchful observer," unlikely to give material aid to Japan, but sympathetic.

Officials of the two countries discussed the situation yesterday and the German press denounced Soviets as "invaders and peace breakers."

Odessa Attorney Guest Speaker at Lions Club Lunch

Paul Moss, Odessa attorney, was the guest speaker at the regular weekly luncheon of the Midland Lions Club today noon, the subject of "wills" being discussed by the speaker. Judge Moss was introduced by Frank Stubbeman, program chairman.

Until recent years the average person did not think of making a will until he felt that death was near, said the speaker, but times have changed and the greater majority of persons now make wills much earlier in life. Judge Moss stressed the importance of leaving a will and urged his listeners to think about the subject of making and leaving wills.

Judge Moss outlined the "Rule of Descent" and explained the disposition of a man's property in case he will is left. The terms "community property" and "separate" property were explained in detail, and the three kinds of wills recognized in the State of Texas were discussed.

Any person 21 years of age may make a will, he said. Creation of an estate for survivors was also discussed briefly by Judge Moss.

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Anti-Trust Probe of Savings Banks Funds Is Started by Comm.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10 (AP).—Securities commission experts have begun initial work on the anti-trust investigation of \$12,000,000,000 (billions) assets in the nation's mutual savings banks, it was revealed today. The study will probably parallel the commission's analysis of the \$30,000,000,000 (billions) of assets of insurance companies.

About 50 per cent of all savings banks assets are held in New York state. The commission will probably seek to determine whether concentration entails monopolistic practices.

O'Daniel to Start Advisory Council

FORT WORTH, Aug. 10 (AP).—Informal conferences preparatory to formation of a governor's business advisory council will be started by him this week, W. Lee O'Daniel, the democratic gubernatorial nominee, said Tuesday before his departure for Austin and San Antonio.

Arrangements for a suite of offices in a downtown building are to be made by O'Daniel upon his return, and soon as his headquarters have been moved the conferences are to get under way.

People from all walks of life, and from all sections of the state, are to be invited to the conferences, O'Daniel said, and will be asked to give the nominee their ideas about any problem of state government which they are interested in.

O'Daniel indicated that at least the skeleton of the business advisory council which he has promised to set up after his inauguration will be selected from among those who participated in the informal conferences.

Air Officer Here Overnight

Major Pursley, air officer, departed from Sloan Field today after an overnight stay, bound for Oklahoma City. He arrived here Tuesday afternoon, coming from Biggs Field, El Paso, in an O-43.

Two BC-1's, with Pilot Plaggett, leaving tonight this morning. They came from Biggs Field, also.

Roosevelt Scores ---

New Deal Candidates Win

Two Presidents Meet as Good Neighbors



The presidents of two American republics are shown together in a display of "good-neighborliness" in the above picture as the Cruiser Houston docked at Balboa, Panama, following President Roosevelt's fishing trip to Coos Island. President Juan Demostenes Arsmena of Panama is shown at right greeting Mr. Roosevelt on the deck of the Houston. A military aide looks on.

Stern Methods Used To Enforce Cowboy Dress for Rodeo

Compulsory dressing in rodeo rigging was urged today by a Midland man just returned from Amarillo, in case there is any tendency on the part of more dignified individuals not to throw in with the movement which opens officially August 22.

At Amarillo, in preparation for the Old Southwest Days celebration, a dipping vat is maintained on the downtown streets, and the "enforcement officers" do not hesitate to throw in any individual who does not feel the pioneer spirit sufficiently to don his boots, big hat or colored shirt.

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Gulf 1 Moore Assures Mile and Half West Spread for Denver

By FRANK GARDNER. Spreading of Denver pool production in Yoakum a mile and a half farther west was assured today as Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1 Lucy K. Moore, 990 feet out of the northeast corner of the west half of section 897, block D, J. H. Gibson survey, showed rise of 3,000 feet of oil in the hole in drilling to 5,008 feet in time.

It had bailed dry while bottomed at 4,970. Deepening, it found a showing of oil at 4,980 and another showing at 4,990, oil filling up 200 feet. Increase in oil and gas was logged from 4,990 to 5,000, oil rising to 600 feet, with approximately 20,000 cubic feet of gas daily. Formation from 5,000-03 was hard lime; that from 5,003-08 was soft lime showing oil and gas. At 5,008, oil had risen to 3,000 feet. Hole was swabbed down to 4,800, then two barrels of oil per hour was swabbed for four hours. One gallon of drilling water per hour was bailed off bottom. Gas had increased to 40,000 feet. Drilling has been resumed, and the extension producer is now making hole below 5,008.

Conoco and Helmerich & Payne, Inc. No. 1 Ohio-Dowell, a mile and a half east of Gulf No. 1 Moore, is preparing to acidize, bottomed at 5,035 feet in time. On last test, it flowed 80 barrels of oil in 24 hours through 22 3/4-inch choke on tubing, to gather with 824,000 cubic feet of gas. Tubing pressure is 700 pounds, and that on casing is 1,100. Vacuum West Outpost.

Derrick is being moved in to Ohio Oil Company No. 1 State-Bridges, newly staked extension test west of the Vacuum pool in Lea county, southeast New Mexico. It is 680 feet out of the northeast corner of section 20-17s-34e.

Texas No. 6-0 State, in the pool, gauged natural flow of 263.20 barrels through open 2-inch tubing on five-hour test. Gas-oil ratio is 610-1, and total depth is 4,725 feet in time.

Phillips No. 7 Santa Fe, east of Vacuum production, is drilling at 4,063 feet in anhydrite and lime. Farther northwest, Magnolia No. 1, L. State is drilling at 3,782 in anhydrite and lime; Phillips No. 9 Santa Fe is drilling at 3,807, same formation; and Drilling & Exploration Company No. 1 Amerada-State had reached 3,580 feet in anhydrite.

Standard of Texas No. 1-3 State, southeast Vacuum pool well, plugged back to 4,677 from 4,705 and is waiting for cement to set.

Salt water encountered from 3,697 to 3,701 having risen 238 feet, Texas No. 3-A J. S. Lea, in the Lynch area of Lea county, is preparing to plug and abandon at total depth of 3,708 feet in sandy lime.

East of Tatum, in northeastern Lea, Tide Water No. 1, L. State will start drilling plug Friday morning from 8 5/8-inch casing set at 3,168 feet with 150 sacks. Present depth is 3,173 in anhydrite.

Southeast of Lovington, Conoco No. 1-K-29 State had drilled to 4,977 feet in time.

Gill Well to Plug. R. H. Gill No. 1 Gulf-S. J. Dixon, southeast Yoakum test which tried unsuccessfully to extend the

Supporters Victorious In Ohio, Ark.

Bulkley Far Out In Front in Race With Gov. White

By Associated Press. Roosevelt supporters rolled up a smashing senatorial primary victory in Ohio today and an almost sure victory in Arkansas. Mounting returns from Idaho indicated a third new deal senator was slipping constantly behind.

Senator Bulkley, Ohio, was far ahead of Governor White for the democratic nomination and republicans had apparently nominated Robert Taft, son of the late president, for senator over Arthur Day.

In Arkansas, Senator Hattie Caraway was slowly pulling ahead of Representative McClellan but her margin remained narrow throughout the day.

The administration figured as an issue in both Arkansas and Ohio with the president giving public endorsement of both Bulkley and Caraway.

In Idaho, Senator Pope, 100 per cent Roosevelt man, was trailing Representative Clark, who claims not to be an administration "yes man."

In Nebraska, there was no senatorial contest. In democratic gubernatorial races: Ohio—Reform Candidate Sawyer was leading slightly over Governor Davis; Arkansas—Governor Bailey was several thousand ahead of Cook; Idaho—Former Governor Ross was a few votes ahead of Governor Clark; Nebraska—Governor Cochran easily won renomination for the first third term in the state's history.

At the same time, however, Senator Robert J. Bulkley of Ohio, who, like Mrs. Caraway, based his democratic primary campaign on a record of pro-administration votes, drew away into a comfortable and increasing lead over former Governor George White.

In Ohio another close contest arose at first for the republican senatorial nomination. But as the ballot counting proceeded, Robert A. Taft drew away from his opponent, Arthur H. Day.

In contests for democratic gubernatorial nominations, Governor Martin L. Davey of Ohio trailed Charles Sawyer, and Governor Carl E. Bailey of Arkansas held a small lead over R. A. Cook.

The figures were: ARKANSAS. Caraway, 18,827; McClellan, 17,499; in 526 precincts out of 2,002. Bailey 21,389; Cook 20,936; in 615 precincts.

OHIO. Bulkley, 58,977; White 28,425; in 1,625 precincts out of 8,501. Taft, 45,993; Day 34,888 in 1,493 precincts. Sawyer 98,674; Davey 86,341 in 2,959 precincts.

Meanwhile, fragmentary returns from Idaho showed Senator James P. Pope, pro-Roosevelt candidate for democratic renomination leading D. Worth Clark 2,094 to 2,028.

Governor R. L. Cochran of Nebraska seeking a third term led Franz C. Radke 1,678 to 536 in the Democratic primary there.

Had FDR's Endorsement. Senator Bulkley carried President Roosevelt's personal endorsement for renomination on the Democratic ticket. Both he and his opponent former Governor George White, generally on approval of administration policies.

In Arkansas, Mrs. Hattie Caraway, the Senate's only woman member, made much of the fact that President Roosevelt referred to her as "my old friend" while visiting the state recently. The one big issue, she said, was whether Arkansas would endorse the Roosevelt program. And she asserted she had been the target of a campaign to "undermine Roosevelt."

Democratic nomination is the same as election. Out in Idaho Senator James P. Pope, Democratic, made his record of supporting administration measures an issue in defending his Senate seat against Rep. D. Worth Clark, self-styled conservative Democrat. Clark repeatedly asserted that he was not a "blind flower" of the administration.

There were primary elections in Nebraska, too, but they were apparently devoid of national issues. Of first interest was the effort of Governor R. L. Cochran, Democrat, to obtain third term. He was opposed by Franz Radke, with the backing of former Governor Charles W. Bryan.

GOES TO SPRINGFIELD.

Charles Schleussner, Midland oil man, left today for Springfield, Ill., where he has a training stable for saddle and gaited horses. He also has a string of horses here under training of Rip Smith.

Iowa Professor Is Dinner Speaker

Addressing a crowd of 42 persons at the meeting of the West Texas Geological society at Hotel Schaubauer Tuesday evening, Dr. A. K. Miller spoke on "Fossil Zones of the Permian of Mexico," illustrating his lecture with slides.

Dr. Miller is professor of geology and paleontology at the University of Iowa. He was accompanied to Midland by W. M. Furnish, also on the teaching staff of the institution. The meeting was postponed from Monday evening.

Hoffman Renamed Legion Commander

W. H. Hoffman, commander of Woods W. Lynch post of the American Legion here for the past year, was re-elected to that position at the annual election of officers held last night.

Dr. J. M. Devereaux was elected vice commander. Other officers elected included Gordon Monday, adjutant; I. J. Prager, finance officer; R. W. Hamilton, historian; J. F. Friebe, service officer; T. E. Strick, sergeant-at-arms.

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## A Straw Suggests the Wind Blows Away From Fascism

The next time you wake up in the night to worry about the danger of Fascism, and comfort yourself with the thought that it can't happen here, you might wind up by offering a word or two of thanks to the American voter.

For that gentleman, despite the fact that he often gets a flighty streak and puts some unaccountable hams into office, is our first and last line of defense against the idea of a dictatorship. And in his engagements to date he has done pretty well by himself.

There was, for example, the recent primary in Kansas.

The Rev. Gerald Winrod was seeking the Republican nomination for U. S. Senate. A week or two before the election, strange tales began to circulate: first, that he had dismaying and unmistakable Fascist tendencies, and second, that he was rather likely to walk off with the nomination.

But when the voters got through with him at the polls, the Rev. Mr. Winrod was just another also-ran. After appealing to almost every kind of prejudice and trying to capitalize on every variety of discontent, he placed a poor third. And it is now apparent that the wheat belt offers very slim pickings for home-grown Hitlers.

Which isn't so very surprising, of course, when you stop to think about it. Yet the thing to keep in mind is the fact that it is never the demagog who is dangerous; it is the people who listen to him and fall for the line he hands out.

Germany is the principal case in point.

We do a lot of talking about the repression which exists there—about the way nobody dares express any dissent, about the supervised rubber-stamp elections, about the snoopers and tale-bearers who make it unsafe for any man to voice the least dissatisfaction with Herr Hitler.

Yet the indisputable fact remains that the Germans embraced the Nazi cause with their eyes wide open. Hitler got into office by vote of the people. The election which followed the Reichstag fire was, of course, manipulated brazenly by the Nazis; nevertheless, it is unquestionably true that a majority of voting Germans gave Hitler the mandate to go ahead and do his stuff.

People get just about the kind of government they ask for, these days.

Dictatorships exist because people invite them. The one and only defense against them is the good sense of the electorate.

If it can't happen here, the sole reason is that the American people are intelligent and alert enough to keep it from happening. And the Kansas election is a straw indicating that the wind is blowing in the right direction.

A cosmetics expert has produced a black lipstick that turns red when you make a mark with it. A lot of business men suspect that's what they've been doing their book-keeping with.

Who remembers the wholesome days when a black-out meant nothing more dreadful than a slightly naughty skit in a revue?

## The Sailor Home From the Sea And the Hunter Home From the Hill



## BEHIND THE SCENES IN WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. — The ballyhooed Roosevelt effort to save the Democratic party for the New Deal in 1940 has boiled down to these two aspects: "Can the New Deal save several pro-administration senators from defeat?" and "How far will Roosevelt go to defeat foes in Georgia, South Carolina and Maryland?"

Republican leaders and Democratic conservatives say Roosevelt has lost his political nerve. They base this chiefly on his continued failure to attack any anti-New Deal senator, to his rather mild endorsement of some of his strongest supporters, and to evident unwillingness to nose in on congressional primaries where his man is likely to be licked.

### THREE STATES KEY TO "PURGE"

THE theory may be sustained or deflated by what Roosevelt does in those three southern states, in each of which a definite effort to beat an incumbent Democrat sena-

tor has been planned.

New Dealers now privately concede that chances for defeat of Senator "Cotton Ed" Smith of South Carolina and Gov. Olin Johnston are very slim. Johnston's failure to line up the state highway organization's political machinery has discouraged them. Roosevelt may not go down the line for Johnston.

Although Senator Walter George of Georgia recently lauded him as "that great and good man," Roosevelt is privately pledged to go to bat publicly—and hard—for U. S. District Attorney Lawrence Camp, George's opponent. George is reported in bad straits.

Presidential intimates also expect New Dealish Congressman Davey Lewis to beat Senator Millard Tydings, consistent administration opponent in Maryland, after administration opponents have made a deal with the Baltimore Democratic machine. New Dealers may batch this situation, as they have others, but Lewis is making an able, hard-hitting campaign. Some weeks ago men in a position to know swore

Roosevelt would leave no stone unturned to beat Tydings.

Impartial observers think defeat of George and Tydings, assuming no more important New Deal candidates lose out, would mean a net Roosevelt victory for the 1938 primaries. If neither is beaten, the "purge" effort will be a New Deal disaster.

### BENNETT IS NOT THROUGH

A YEAR ago, after months of the Supreme Court fight, confidantes of the President quoted him as saying: "Bennett is through in Missouri." He meant Democratic Senator Clark, whose overwhelming victory over two opponents running as 100 per cent New Dealers has inspired renewed discussion of him as a presidential possibility.

No one lately had expected Clark to lose. In Missouri, more than in any other state, Republicans had promised to enter Democratic primaries to support an anti-New Dealer. But the insignificance of the anti-Clark vote astonished the senator's ill-wishers. Mr. Roosevelt, a

Use newspaper advertising first.

# The Town Quack



Proposal to dress everybody in town in rodeo clothing is not entirely new, even in Midland. Last year when the rodeo opened, every person connected with the West-Tex Food Market was wearing a loud, green rodeo shirt. It's an easy bet that they will be down to work Monday August 22, with western togs to help boost the 1938 rodeo.

O. W. Stice has a pair of shop made boots and a ten gallon hat which he wears when out collecting dry checks. Some say he carries a 45 in his boot leg.

Addison Wadley Tommy Wilson, J. C. Smith, P. A. Nelson, Tom Patterson, J. M. Foster, J. P. H. McMullan, I. J. Prager and all dealers in rodeo clothing reconciled themselves rather easily to the plan for selling out duds and trying to fill last minute orders. I think they can be counted on to cooperate.

There are more oil men in town with good shop made boots than there are cowboys. All of them will be expected to wear their rodeo foot gear as well as colored shirts and Levi breeches from August 22 until the end of the rodeo.

If you meet up with a man who

doesn't have on rodeo clothing of some sort, he automatically owes you a cup of coffee, bottle of beer, coke or whatever your stomach craves.

Last year, Roy Parks furnished only twenty-four horses for the parade. Roy thinks three-quarters of a mile is too far for a cowpony relay race, but I remember that one of his horses ran a mile the last time they had a relay at the old fair grounds. Hughey Woody rode madly up on the Parks dun, dismounted and started to saddle the third horse, but that animal reaction on his hind legs, slipped the bridal off his head and escaped. Hughey had to get back on the dun and ride him another half mile.

Tom Sloan said he wouldn't enter a Hendrickson against anybody but professionals.

"He can rope and tie a calf while most oil men are building a loop," Tom said.

Ab Hendrickson said when he signed up for the bull-dogging contest, he didn't have his glasses on and was confused, but he will go on. What he really intended to enter is the bull-dozing contest but doesn't feel the least bit lucky if Claude Duffy and Jack Cusack are entered. The only hope he has is that they will be over-trained, as they have been practicing bull-dozing for several years. Although they are taking only light fifteen minute work-outs, he thinks there is a possibility that they may blow all to pieces before the contest, as they are trained down now to hair-trigger condition.

## Likes U. S.



Returning from France to America on the start of a two-year tour that will end in Australia, Lotte Lehmann, above, noted operatic soprano, rates as a cosmopolite—but she prefers the U. S. She says she will renounce her Australian citizenship to become an American.

year ago, was badly misinformed.

### LUKEWARM ON DODD

THE White House definitely didn't—as asserted by G. O. P. national headquarters—request young William E. Dodd, Jr., to run against Congressman Howard Smith in the close-by Virginia district, despite its eagerness to see Smith beaten because of his part in House Rules Committee blockades of administration bills.

Dodd had been promised some New Deal support and both Secretary Ickes and Acting Attorney General Joe Keenan attacked Smith before the primary. An erroneous newspaper story which said Dodd had been called to the White House and formally blessed was one reason Dodd got no such blessing. Another was that Dodd—unknown in the district, an inept campaigner and with no organization—had no chance.

Opposition to genuine support of Dodd by White House Secretary Arvin McInyre and Press Agent Charlie Michelson at the Democratic National Committee further indicated the lack of administration cohesion in primary fights. Toward the end, minor New Dealers and newspaper correspondents residing in Virginia who worked for Dodd were complaining they hadn't even received as much help from Washington as had been promised. What they wanted most was public endorsement of Dodd from State Department Counselor R. Walton Moore, Smith's predecessor. But Roosevelt wouldn't ask Moore, and others who approached the aged counselor failed to persuade him. Governor Price of Virginia, although at war with Senator Harry Byrd, avoided the fray. The ratio of Smith's 3 to 1 victory rather than the victory itself, was a bad shock to New Dealers and a big win for the Byrd machine.

## River Mussels Have Towns of Their Own

NACOGDOCHES (P). — Studies conducted by Howard Bachtel, graduate student at Stephen F. Austin Teachers college and Dr. Hal B. Parks, biology professor at the college, show that river mussels live in communities and apparently have a definite town life resembling that of human beings. They suggest that commercialization of the East Texas river mussels is not without possibility.

Henceforth, river mussels were considered simply good bait for catfish, Dr. Parks said. Through efforts of Bachtel and Parks in their distribution and habitat reveal that the town life of the mussel is due to the insurance of fertilization of the numerous mussel eggs matured at this time of year.

Bachtel has obtained female mussels from the lower Angelina river containing between three and four thousand eggs. Remarkable in the life history of the mussel egg, Dr. Parks said, is that from the minute the small mussel leaves its mother, it becomes a snapping, toothed monster hunting for a fish to which it attaches itself for a "free ride," although without injury to the fish.

After riding about on the fish for some time, the mussel decides to go to work, jumps off its vehicle and settles down to cleaning up the water more or less polluted by many injurious articles.

Dr. Parks said a classification of East Texas mussels points to the fact that lakes and streams in this region contain many rare types of mussel life.

In the Neches river a peculiar variety has been found known to the scientist as "quadrula reflexa," due to the three definite warts on its shell. By using these marks, crossbreeding among the various types of mussels can be checked upon, Dr. Parks said.

Suggested experiments with the possibility of commercializing the mussel industry are being tried by Bachtel, the most promising seeming to be the raising of the button shell, "lampisilis teres," or the rock mussel, from which most of the pearl buttons are made.

Possibilities therefore of a definite mussel culture have been successfully proved by Bachtel, according to Dr. Parks, who says that further experiments along the line of usefulness of the mussels will be made this summer.

Use newspapers first.

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## STORIES IN STAMPS

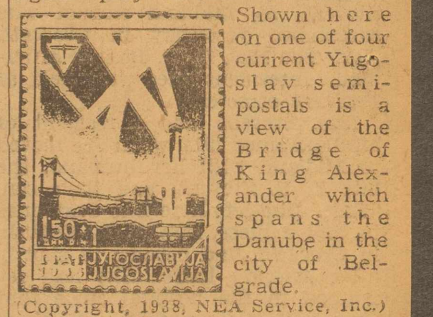
### City That Emerged From World War

THE color and the picturesque beauty that was Belgrade's on the eve of the World War vanished even before that conflagration had ended. And out of the chaos emerged a new Belgrade, modern, bigger, reflecting the power of the new Yugoslavian state.

It is still possible to find the tiny "Three Hats" cafe in which the overthrow of the Obrenovich dynasty was plotted in 1903, and one may search out a few other buildings typical of the Belgrade of King Peter's day. But for the most part Belgrade might very well be Chicago. Even during the worst depression years 600 new buildings were rushed to completion in the rapidly expanding new capital.

In 1914 Belgrade, capital of a nation of 2,000,000, had a population of 100,000. Today it is capital of a nation of 14,000,000 and in the transformation has itself grown to more than 500,000. Nowhere in Yugoslavia is there so constant a mixture of the east and the west, producing a violent contrast between people, culture, houses, customs. The most important routes between east and west run through Belgrade. There is no racial type you may not meet and no language you may not hear. Located on the Danube, Belgrade is a striking city, especially at night when giant searchlights play across its domes.

Shown here on one of four current Yugoslavian semi-postals is a view of the Bridge of King Alexander which spans the Danube in the city of Belgrade.



## HOT WEATHER BILIOUSNESS

Have you noticed that in hot weather your digestion and elimination seem to become torpid or lazy? Your food sour, forms gas, causes belching, heartburn, and a feeling of restlessness and irritability. Your tongue may be coated, your complexion bilious, and your bowel action sluggish or insufficient.

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# SOCIETY NEWS SECTION

## FEMININE FANCIES

By KATHLEEN EILAND

One of the simple, unpretentious dishes which seem particularly suited to summer meals is that childhood favorite, cottage cheese. There is something cooling and soothing about the bland white crumbly mass, whether served plain with a sprinkling of black pepper to give it zest or heaped lightly upon slices of tangy pineapple or tasty peach halves. Or, if the diner prefers, cream and sugar may accompany the cheese.

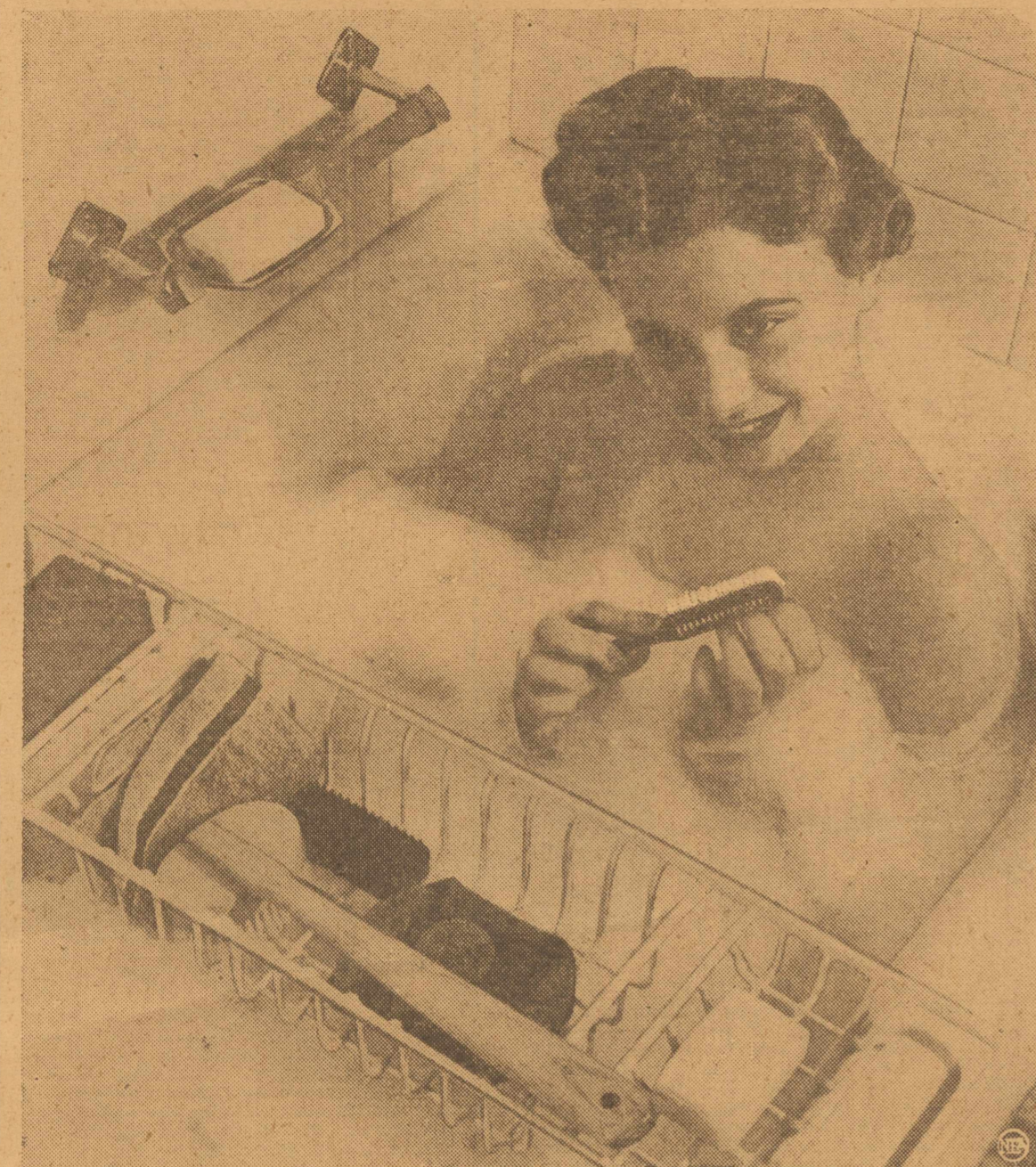
A summer meal is brought to the correct conclusion by a dessert that is cold rather than hot and heavy. Ice cream is, of course, the dish that instantly comes to mind but others will be greeted by the diners with polite cheers. All kinds of sherbets and leas or compotes of chilled fruit are good as are those even easier-to-make jellies and gelatins.

And speaking of meals leads naturally to mention of the new table cloths. These are of linen in such pleasing tones as slate blue, royal, dubonnet, or mist green bordered with white. And scattered carelessly upon this cool background are giant creamy blossoms.

What could be a gayer background for a leisurely meal on a hot evening or a blistering mid-day than a table laid with such a cloth in green and cream with china service in white or cream.

Among the dainty complements of midday's dressing table, the perfume bottle has taken on a burst of glorification. Cut glass bottles in pleasing design flaunt huge, decorative stoppers indicative of nothing in this world so much as of the towering, fantastic headresses of

## Office Girl Budgets Time for Beauty



The average business woman's favorite pick-me-up after a particularly grueling day at an office is a long, leisurely bath in a tub of warm, soapy water to which she has added a few drops of bath oil. Efficient in her grooming habits as she is in her work, she's more than likely to own a bathtub tray on which all of her bathing accessories, as well as manicure preparations and a magazine, are placed.

By ALICIA HART, NEA Service Staff Writer.

Early in her career, the smart young business woman works out a system whereby, in the 16 free hours out of every 24, she has time to pay meticulous attention to the rules for perfect grooming, get adequate rest, do the necessary beauty routines, find mental stimulation and still have time left for mental relaxation and plenty of fun.

Sounds like a large order. And it is. But she does it in seemingly effortless fashion simply by budgeting her leisure time with the same efficiency she displays at the office.

She can take a warm soapy bath before dinner and emerge brightly-eyed and rested in an unbelievably short length of time. She can do setting-up exercises, have a shower, eat an adequate breakfast and dress carefully in the morning without getting breathless or arriving at her desk in a frustrated state.

In one evening, she can go over her wardrobe, replacing missing snaps, tacking on clean white collars, deciding what should be cleaned and what should be passed and, in addition to her nails, give herself a thorough facial and still have time to read the evening paper.

The greatest tribute to her, however, is the fact that no matter how efficient she may be during working hours or afterward, she manages never to look like a cartoonist's conception of a successful business woman. Daily outdoor exercise and some kind of after-office-hours relaxation routine, be it nothing more than a warm leisurely bath, plus a firm determination to remain soft-voiced and feminine looking, ward off the grim expression you see on the faces of so many women who work.

Doesn't Worry.

Smart girl that she is, she tries not to draw her face into a worried mask over upsetting trifles. Rarely, indeed does this girl worry about her work during the evening or about her home and social life during the day. She keeps each half of her double role in life quite separate from the other. And thus loses none of her femininity.

Her clothes for the office are practical, of course — certainly never flashy or too dressy — and her shoes are comfortable. But they aren't dull.

She keeps her nails reasonably short, doesn't tolerate chipped polish for a minute, likes an easy-to-manage coiffure that requires precious little attention between morning and noon or noon and five-thirty. Her white collars and cuffs are immaculately white. Her shoes and hats are never dusty. She applies makeup expertly. In other words, her appearance is quite flawless — and all because she budgets her time. She has to.

## Los Angeles Girl Honored at Ice Cream Supper

Catherine Dunagan of Los Angeles, California, former Midland girl now visiting here, was honored at an ice cream supper for which Cleo Tidwell was hostess Tuesday evening. The ice cream was made at the home of the hostess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tidwell, 316 S. Big Spring, and the group went to Cloverdale where the refreshments were served.

The invitation list included: The honoree, Joyce Beauchamp, Bobby Clements, Clea Dee Tate, Jane Bounds, Burton Estes, W. E. Lynch, Frank Nixon, Martin Neill, Joe Norman, David Holster, Jack Walton, Harold Barnes.

## Business Girls' Auxiliary Hears Mrs. Miller Talk

Mrs. R. L. Miller was speaker at the semi-monthly meeting of the Business Girls' auxiliary held at the home of Miss Margaret Scott, 500 E. Florida, Tuesday evening at eight o'clock with Miss Zelah Gravette as cohostess.

Mrs. Miller opened the meeting with prayer, after which she discussed the lesson on "Types of Christ."

It was announced that a social will be held August 30 with Mrs. Sherwood O'Neal and Miss Maedelee Roberts as hostesses.

A dessert plate was served to three guests, Mrs. Miller, A. B. Stickney, H. T. Scott, and to four auxiliary members, Mrs. L. H. Tiffin, Miss Maedelee Roberts, and the hostesses.

## New Professors Are Designated at A&M

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Prof. J. Wheeler Barger, head of the department of agricultural economics at Texas A. and M. college, announces the appointment of Dr. A. S. T. Lund and R. M. Denhardt as instructors in that department for the coming school year.

Dr. Lund received his B. S. and M. S. degrees at the University of Minnesota and his Ph. D. at Cornell university. He has had professional experience in university research and teaching with the farm credit administration, and the soil conservation service, serving as farm management economist.

Denhardt received his B. S. and M. S. degrees at the University of California and is completing his work toward a doctorate.

He is the author of many technical and popular articles on the economic history of agriculture and is recognized as an authority on the history of the Spanish horse in America.

ly at the vines just before digging his potatoes, he saw the tops of a number of them had several little tomatoes on them.

The tomatoes were about the size of a golf ball, but they could not be allowed to ripen because Brownfield had to dig the potatoes.

## Potatoes and Tomatoes Grown on Same Vine

NEWPORT, Ark. (AP) — Bennie Brownfield, a farmer near Newport, had a bountiful harvest from his "ato" vines this year — they produced both potatoes and tomatoes.

When he planted his crop, he thought he was planting potatoes, he said. But when he looked close-

## Pickled Lamb-Tongue Speaks Coaxingly to Wilted Appetite

By Mrs. Gaynor Maddox, NEA Service Staff Writer.

Sultry weather calls for kitchen coquetry. Don't try to discipline the wilted appetite. Coax it, instead.

**Lamb's Tongue in Aspic.**  
(Serves 4 to 6).

One jar pickled lambs' tongue, 1 can beef bouillon, 1/2 cup liquor from tongue, 1/4 cup vinegar, 1/4 cup water, 1 tablespoon plain gelatin.

Remove lambs' tongue from jar and arrange in mold. Heat bouillon, tongue liquor and vinegar to boiling. Soak gelatin in 1/4 cup cold water. Add hot stock to gelatin. Pour over lambs' tongues while still hot. Chill in refrigerator 3 hours before slicing.

**Cottage Cheese Ring.**  
(Serves 4 to 6).

One tablespoon plain gelatin, 1/4 cup cold water, 2 cups cottage cheese, 3/4 teaspoon salt, 1/8 teaspoon paprika, dash cayenne, 1/2 cup sour cream.

Soak gelatin in cold water and dissolve over hot water. Mash cheese fine. Add seasonings, cream and gelatin. Turn into 1 large or individual ring molds. Allow to set several hours. Unmold on bed of lettuce and fill center with fresh fruit and French dressing.

**Egg and Cucumber Aspic.**  
(Serves 4 to 6).

One package lemon gelatin, 2 cups boiling beef stock or 2 bouillon cubes dissolved in 2 cups boiling water, 2 tablespoons vinegar, 1/4 teaspoon salt, dash cayenne, 4 eggs hard-cooked, 1 small cucumber.

Dissolve gelatin in boiling bouillon. Add vinegar and seasonings. Allow to chill until it begins to set. Arrange halves of egg and lengthwise strips of cucumber in mold. Fill with aspic and chill 2 to 3 hours in refrigerator. Turn out on garnished plate and serve with cold meats or as a luncheon salad.

## Presbyterian Young People Entertained At "Hamburger Fry"

The young people's department of the Presbyterian Sunday school was entertained with a "hamburger fry" at Cloverdale Tuesday evening at six o'clock.

Part of the group attending met at the church and went by car to the park while the remainder went directly to Cloverdale.

Hamburgers were fried with Mrs. A. P. Shirey, department superintendent, in charge and watermelons and other picnic food served.

No organized games period was held, although ball was played and the young people amused themselves in the ways as they wished.

A committee composed of Mrs. W. G. Whitehouse, Mrs. W. W. LaForce and Col. John Perkins was in charge of arrangements for the evening.

About 30 persons were present.

## Mrs. Googins Is Hostess to Tuesday Luncheon Club

Tuesday Luncheon club members and a foursome of guests were entertained with luncheon at the home of Mrs. David S. Googins, 713 W. Kansas, followed by an afternoon of bridge Tuesday.

Roses, scabiosa, and zinnias were used in the entertaining rooms where two tables were laid with bridge accessories following the luncheon service.

Guests were: Mmes. M. C. Ulmer, Cary P. Butcher, Rudolph Carson and Gene Boeckman of Dallas.

Members present were: Mmes. A. B. Gather, John W. Rettig, J. E. Simmons, R. C. Tucker, and the hostess.

## Garden Flowers Are Favored for Morning Party

Zinnias and daisies, perennial favorites among garden flowers, were chosen by Mrs. B. W. Stevens for house decorations when she entertained for Chez Les Amis club and guests with a morning bridge and luncheon Tuesday at her home, 1109 W. Indiana.

Two tables were appointed for the bridge games which opened at 9:30 o'clock.

At the luncheon hour a cold plate was served at quartet tables to: Mmes. F. C. Cummings, M. A. Park, R. R. Cowan, all guests, and to Mmes. Bob Clarke, Bill Collins, Hoyt McClelland, W. P. Thummon, and the hostess, club members.

## Mrs. Hejl Teaches Bible Class Lesson

Mrs. W. F. Hejl taught the lesson at the regular meeting of the Women's Bible class of the Church of Christ Tuesday afternoon, substituting for Minister Harvey Childress who is out of town.

The Bible study included chapters 11-12-13 of Acts.

Present were: Mmes. A. B. Bohannon, Hejl, Alvin Bodine, D. Davis, E. W. Watlington Jr., Frank Drake, Buck Dupuy, Tom Roper, and a guest, Mrs. Roper's sister.

## Concrete Roads Cured With Cotton Quilts

TECHULA, Miss. (AP) — Cotton quilts are the latest wrinkle in curing concrete highways.

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## Announcements

WEDNESDAY.

Midland county health program will be broadcast over KRLH at 11 o'clock.

THURSDAY.

Midland safety council will present its weekly program in the "Old Observer" series in a broadcast over KRLH Thursday morning from 11:50 until noon. The "Old Observer" part taken by Billy Noble, will discuss "Home Safety." Others on the program are Freddie Faye Turner, Dorothy Sue Miles, and Marvin Park.

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Thursday afternoon from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

FRIDAY.

The Belmont Bible class will meet at the home of Mrs. T. O. Midkiff, 1002 S. Marienfeld, Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock and go from there to the Midkiff ranch for a picnic supper.

Senior League of the Methodist church will meet at the annex Friday evening at 8 o'clock for a party.

Stitch and Chatter club will meet with Mrs. Forest Reven, 809 N. Weatherford, Friday afternoon at the usual hour.

SATURDAY.

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

Midland county museum in the courthouse will be open Saturday afternoon from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. The public is invited.

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## Parents Advised to Watch the "Growing Pains" of Children

Editor's Note: The following paper on "Growing Pains" was presented by Mrs. E. H. Ellison on this morning over station KRLH by the Midland county public health board. It is printed for its educational value.

Disease of the heart may be avoided in a very considerable degree if parents will be more watchful of the growing pains of children, states the health committee of the State Medical Society of Texas.

The so-called growing pains of children, which most parents dismiss with the thought that they are nothing, may be rheumatic in origin. The Society warns parents that even a light attack of rheumatic fever may seriously injure the heart.

The bulletin declares that rheumatic fever is always to be dealt with seriously because the germ causing it is likely to attack the heart. Many persons who have had it die in early adult life from heart disease.

The first attack of rheumatic fever is usually preceded by tonsillitis or by sore throat. The germs responsible for the fever probably attack the tonsils or the mucous membrane of the throat first; then, by way of the blood, they reach the joints and the organs of the body.

The most striking symptoms of rheumatic fever are pain, stiffness and swelling of the joints, however, in childhood the attacks are not as severe as in adult life. Most often the knees, ankles and shoulders are inflamed but sometimes all the joints of the body suffer. There is fever and often profuse sweating. Many of those affected complain of pain over the heart, and this generally means that the valves or muscles of the heart have been affected by the rheumatic germ. However, the symptoms may not even be severe enough to keep the child in bed, and it is only the pain in the keen joints and ankles that prevent him from walking. The attack may last from one to three weeks, and most of them recover without treatment until the next attack, at which time heart diseases is already present.



Like anyone else, the Duke and Duchess of Windsor think a cruise is about the best cure for those dog day letdowns. These pictures show the famous couple on a recent voyage from Genoa to Cannes. The Duchess, with her dark glasses, looks like many another vacationing young woman. And the Duke, who goes in for sightseeing with a telescope, seems to need a haircut.

## Just Two Wide-Eyed Vacationers



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# CARDINALS TIE UP SCORE IN NINTH BUT LOSE IN ELEVENTH

## RED BIRDS WILL MEET PIONEERS AGAIN TONIGHT

The Midland Cardinals fought back to overcome a 5-run deficit during the eighth and ninth innings of last night's game with the Clovis Pioneers, but it availed them nothing as the Pioneers forced over a run in the eleventh inning to give the Cards their ninth defeat in the last 14 games and reduce the second place lead of the Cards over the Pioneers to one half a game.

Frank Nelson, ace of the Midland pitching staff, was the loser of the game, making the third game he has lost in the past two weeks, all of them by one run. As in his last few losses, Nelson threw too many home run balls, three round trippers accounting for five of the Pioneer tallies.

The Cards got two runs behind in the first inning, but after making it up by pushing across a run in each the first and second, they trailed until the ninth, when they tied the score. Clovis went three runs ahead by making one in the third and two in the fourth, four ahead by one in the sixth and, after the Cards got one in the sixth, the visitors tallied a couple of more runs in the seventh to go five runs ahead and apparently sew up the game.

However, the Cards found the range on pitcher Dixon, blasting him out of the box and containing their attack on his relief, Christie, to score three runs. Christie was rapped for another in the ninth before giving way to hurler Nelson, and he gave up the tying run.

In the eleventh, Boyce led off with a single and after an attempted sacrifice by Watson failed to crash a double down the left field foul line to score Boyce with the winning run.

The Cardinals and Pioneers meet again tonight at 8:30 in the second game of the series and wind up tomorrow night.

The box score:

Clovis	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Boyce	3	2	2	0	0	0
Watson	5	0	3	2	2	0
Harrison	3	5	2	0	2	5
McDonald	1	3	0	1	4	0
Stuart	3	1	0	6	0	1
Ratliff	5	1	1	0	1	0
Beals	2	5	1	2	4	6
Myss	4	1	1	3	0	0
Dixon	4	0	1	0	1	0
Christie	3	0	0	0	1	0
Nelson	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	41	9	11	33	16	2

Midland	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Battle	5	0	2	4	2	1
Guinn	4	0	1	1	1	0
Ballinger	4	1	1	1	2	0
Suytar	1	6	1	2	1	0
Morris	2	2	2	0	2	0
Evans	3	2	0	1	0	0
Barnhill	2	5	1	0	0	4
Beers	3	1	0	2	1	0
Nelson	5	0	0	1	3	0
Franklin	2	1	1	0	0	0
Totals	39	8	7	33	13	2

Score by innings:  
Clovis 201 201 200 01-9  
Midland 110 001 032 00-8

Summary: Home runs—Boyce, Ratliff, Wyss. Two base hits—Suytar, Boyce, Watson, McDonald. Sacrifice hits—Wyss, Beers. Runs batted in—Battle 2, Suytar, Barnhill 3, Beers, Nelson, Boyce 2, Watson 1, McDonald, Stuart, Ratliff 2, Wyss. Struck out—F. Nelson 11, Dixon 3, Christie 1, B. Nelson 3, Walks—F. Nelson 8, Dixon 8, Christie 3. Double plays—Beers to Battle, Harrison to Beals to McDonald. Left on base—Midland 11, Clovis 8. Earned runs—Midland 7, Clovis 5. Umpires—Pettigrew and Rowland. Time: 2:55.

The adult male bladder-nosed seal is adorned with a curious bag over the nostrils which can be inflated at will.

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# It's Not Too Hot for Football Guides to Marshal Forces

Pittsburgh, Dartmouth, Cornell in East; Big Ten/Race Appears to Be Air Tight; Alabama Again Is Prominent in South

By JERRY B'ONDFIELD  
NEA Service Sports Writer.

The summer sun still shines on a couple of hot major league pennant races, but the fact is purely incidental to the gentlemen who teach college boys how to kick, block, run for touchdowns, and who foment their October grid plans in August.

With the call to arms just a few weeks in the offing, sectional favorites already are taking shape.

Most observers figure it to be a three-team contest for major honors in the east, with Pittsburgh (you guessed it!), Dartmouth, and Cornell looking plenty strong and powerful.

The Panthers won't quite measure up to the terrifying standard of 1937, when they ran roughshod over everyone but Fordham (6-0), but Dr. Jock Sutherland still has Marshall Goldberg, Dick Cassiano, John Chickerno, Bill Daddio, and a flock of others, which more than faintly indicates the now de-emphasized Panthers will be on the crowd again.

Cornell's flock of sophomores and juniors will be a little bigger and a lot smarter.

Dartmouth, undefeated, and tied only by Yale in 1937, figures to be just as strong, if not stronger. Earl Blak isn't saying much these days, but when he returns, who still has Bob McLeod and Wild Bill Hutchinson to lead the parade, he can't help suppressing a gleam of confidence.

Fordham lost five of its seven blocks of granite from the front wall, and although a brilliant crop of backs will return, who ever heard of a ball carrier going anywhere without someone to clear the way?

**BIG TEN APPEARS TIGHT.**  
If 1938 produces the closest race in Big Ten history, no one will be surprised.

Minnesota, the perennial favorite, is just that again, with Ohio State and Northwestern looming very strong.

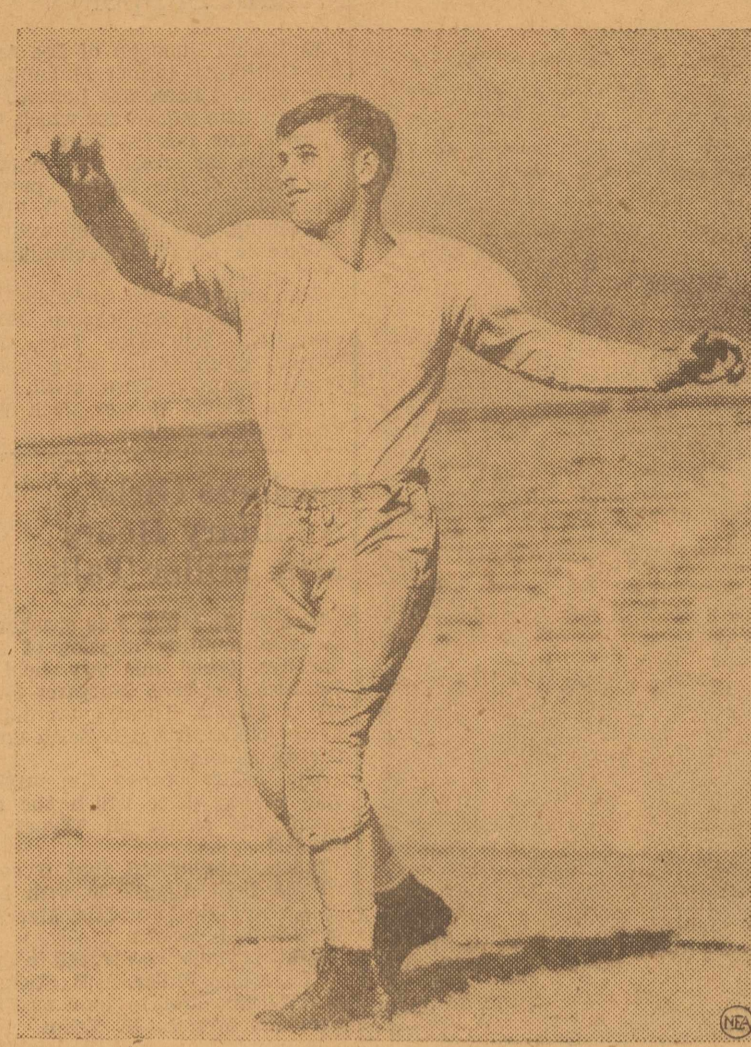
The balance of power, however, will be better throughout the circuit. Illinois is a definite dark horse. Wisconsin is greatly improved.

Michigan is pepped up for a renaissance under Fritz Crisler. Indiana again is set to play the role of troublemaker for everyone



Marshall Goldberg

## Rah! Rah! Rah! Ziz-Z-Z Boom Bah! And A Couple of Tigers



Davie O'Brien

concerned. One of these days someone will nominate Bo McMillin for the title of Public Troublemaker Number One. He'll have no opposition.

Elmer Layden lost a lot of big names by graduation but the old adage of safety in numbers again will hold true at Notre Dame. The Irish will be tough, but the schedule they face will be tougher. No team can meet Army, Southern California, Northwestern, Minnesota, Georgia Tech, and five others equally strong, and get by without

Alabama's Rose Bowl second-placers, Louisiana State, and Auburn, shape up as the best bets below the Mason-Dixon line. The Crimson Tide will miss Joe Kilgore, but word is to watch Herky Mosley, who no longer overshadowed by a great star, is expected to reach even greater stardom himself.

Bernie Moore has material gone at Baton Rouge, and Jack Meagher at Auburn is said to have one of the strongest lines the



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Plainsmen have ever turned out.

**TEXAS CHRISTIAN TOUGH.**  
In the southwest it looks like a big year for Texas Christian.

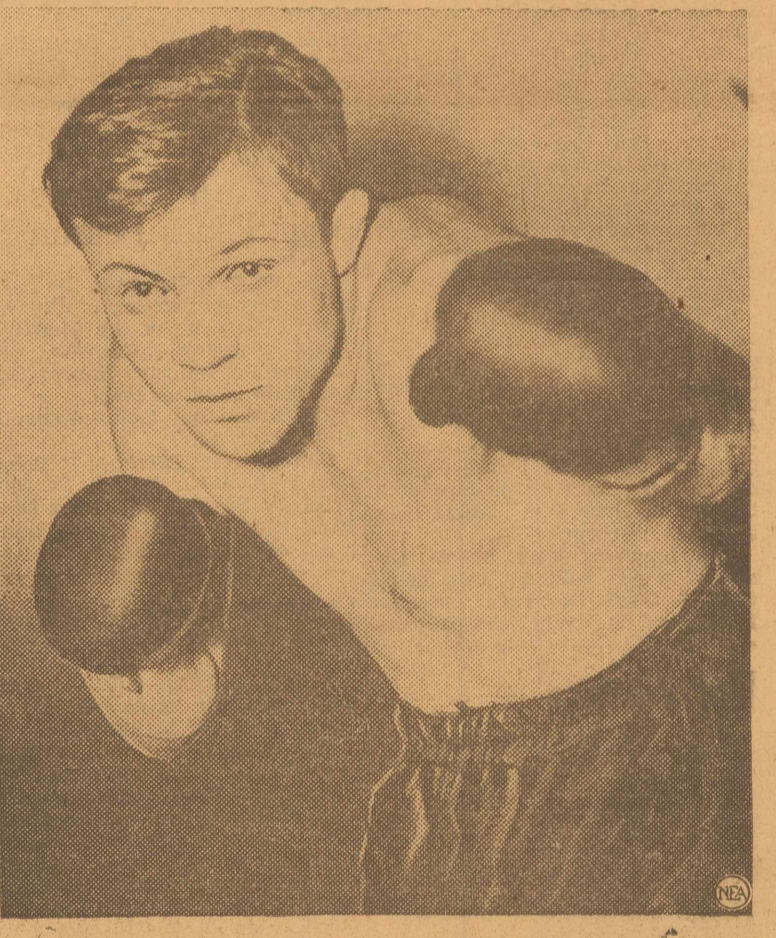
Dana Bible should have things in good shape in his second year at Texas. Rice, with the sophomore stars, huge Ernie Lain and Ollie Cordell, back with a year's experience under their belts, will be hard to handle.

After five very lean years, Howard Harding Jones finally has the

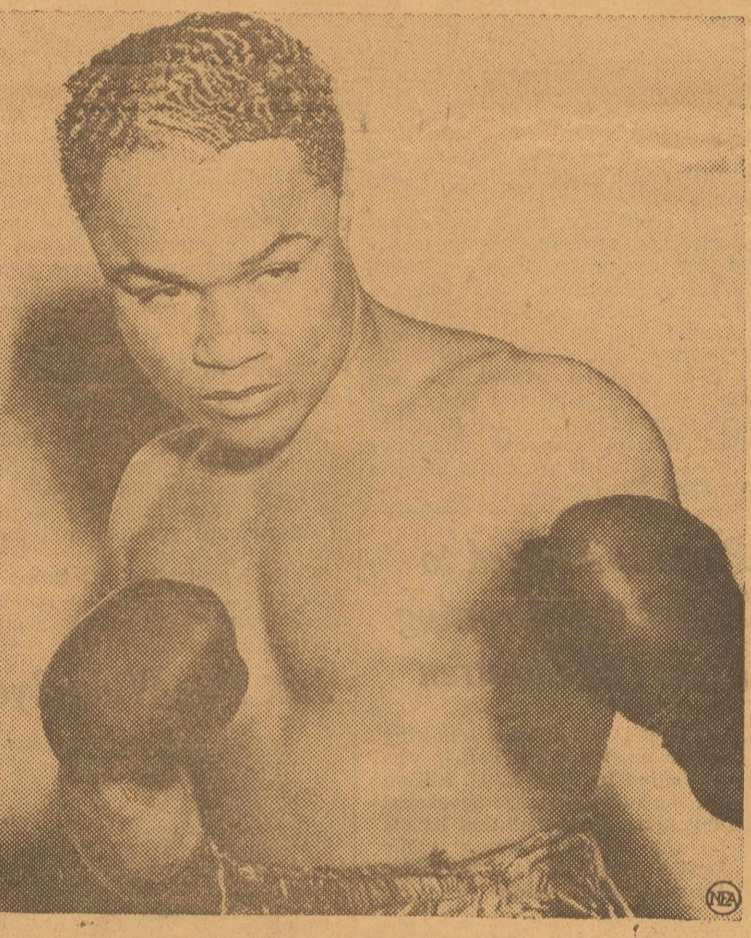
main's at Southern California. Stanford is on the upgrade. Saint Mary's is sounding off a warning. California's Rose Bowl champions will miss Sam Chapman, Bob Herwig, and others, but the Bears won't be any outfit's mutton. Washington is loaded, and Oregon should improve under Tex Oliver, who switches from Arizona.

But football champions are crowned at Thanksgiving time... not on Labor day.

## Lou and Henry Meet Tonight for Lightweight Title



Lou Ambers



Henry Armstrong

## ARMSTRONG AND AMBERS PRONOUNCED READY FOR TITLE FIGHT TONIGHT

By EDDIE BRIETZ.

NEW YORK, Aug. 10. — Lou Ambers or Henry Armstrong? You pay your money and you take your choice.

The spectacular western negro and the titleholding "Herkimer Hurricane" are ready to tear into each other at the Polo Grounds tonight, with the lightweight championship of the world at stake.

Armstrong, who has captured the featherweight and welterweight titles within the past nine months, will be shooting for the honor of being the first man in boxing history to wear three world crowns at the same time. He is almost a 1 to 3 shot to make good his threat.

However, there is a small, determined group which firmly believes the wiry Ambers has the answer to

## 200 Amateur Boxers To Meet in Abilene For State Tourney

ABILENE, Aug. 10. — Between 150 and 200 amateur fighters of Texas will gather in Abilene this week-end, August 11, 12 and 13, for the annual state tournament of the Texas Amateur Athletic Federation.

At least four champions will be crowned Saturday night in that four of the 1937 TAAF champs will not defend their titles.

Abilene Sportsman club, tournament sponsors, have made arrangements to stage the ristic extravaganza rain or shine. It will be an outdoor affair if weather permits, but will be staged at Fair Park auditorium if rain falls.

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## Government Training Work to Be Offered

NACOGDOCHES (AP)—The Texas Government institute, a three-day course in county administration, will be held at the Stephen F. Austin Teachers college here Aug. 31-Sept. 1. Joe L. Mock, secretary of the chamber of commerce, has announced.

Experienced public officials doing outstanding work in county government will lead the discussions, and county judges, county commissioners, county auditors, county tax assessors-collectors, county treasurers and county highway engineers will be invited, Mock said.

Discussions announced include budget making, bookkeeping, highway reorganization, relief, centralized purchase of supplies and needed legislative reforms in county administration.

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## The Standings

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

West Texas-New Mexico.  
Clovis 9, Midland 8, 11 innings.  
Lubbock 13, Wink 6.  
Big Spring 10, Hobbs 0.

American League.  
Detroit 4, Chicago 1.  
Washington 4, New York 2.  
Boston 16, Philadelphia 4.  
St. Louis 4-1, Cleveland 3-2.

National League.  
Chicago 3, Cincinnati 0.  
Pittsburgh 1, St. Louis 0.  
Brooklyn 9, Philadelphia 6.  
New York 5, Boston 4.

Texas League.  
Beaumont 3, San Antonio 1.  
Shreveport 6, Houston 5.  
Only games scheduled.  
Tulsa 8, Fort Worth 1.

STANDINGS

West Texas-New Mexico.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Lubbock	66	45	595
Midland	57	59	533
Clovis	55	49	529
Wink	51	55	481
Big Spring	46	57	447
Hobbs	44	65	404

American League.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	62	32	660
Cleveland	56	36	609
Boston	55	38	591
Washington	52	49	515
Detroit	49	51	490
Chicago	39	50	438
Philadelphia	34	58	366
St. Louis	32	64	333

National League.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	62	35	639
New York	57	43	570
Chicago	55	44	556
Cincinnati	54	45	545
Brooklyn	52	47	525
Boston	45	51	469
St. Louis	42	56	429
Philadelphia	30	65	316

Texas League.

Team	W.	L.	Pct.
Beaumont	72	48	600
San Antonio	68	55	553
Okl. City	67	56	545
Tulsa	65	57	533
Houston	59	61	492
Shreveport	54	67	446
Dallas	53	68	438
Fort Worth	49	75	395

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New York at Boston.  
Philadelphia at Brooklyn (night game).  
St. Louis at Pittsburgh (2).

es took the coat and uniform off of Capt. Harry Weis from the office of central police station here, police thought that that would be enough of that. They hung a mirror so they could spot intruders.

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## Jap War Lord Eats Sparingly



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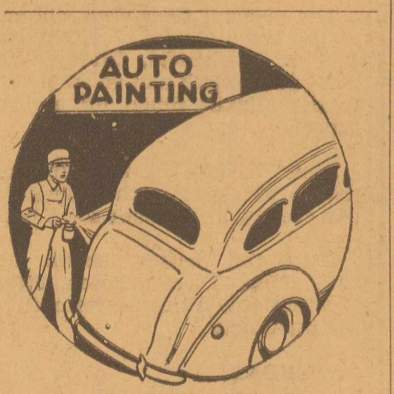
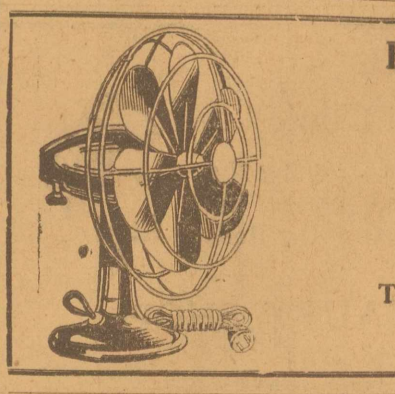
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good conversational topic in the plains country. The current questions are: How did it rain so much and yet so little in July? And how was it so hot and yet so cool in July?  
 Rain fell on nine days in July in the Amarillo vicinity but the fall measured 1.88 inches, which was 96 inch under the 40-year average of 2.84 for the month. Weather observer H. T. Collman explained that there were lots of rain but that they were small.  
 The average temperature for the month was 79.2 degrees, which was 2.4 degrees warmer than normal, but there was extreme heat—101 degrees July 31—Only one day. The weatherman explained there were high minimum instead of high maximums. It is usually the other way. Therefore, the plains country, which had several days of 100-degree weather in July 1937, had a hot July this year and didn't know it until the month's review was published.

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## BOOT AND HER BUDDIES

MR. BIXBY, MY PARTY HAD INTENDED TO LEAVE TODAY, BUT IT SEEMS EVERYONE IS FINDING IT SO PLEASANT HERE, THEY'VE DECIDED TO STAY ON INDEFINITELY.

## Everybody's Happy

IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF BOOTS! EVERYONE IS HAVING A GOOD TIME NOW THAT SHE'S HERE! IT'S REMARKABLE—IT'S PHENOMENAL—THAT'S WHAT IT IS—AND SHE HADN'T ASKED ME A SINGLE QUESTION FOR DAYS.

## BRavo, BOOTS... BRavo

THIS IS THE FIRST TIME LESTER HAS MISSED HIS AFTER-NOON NAP IN OVER TWELVE YEARS.

## By EDGAR MARTIN

## WASH TUBBS

IT'S A SWEET OPPORTUNITY TO DO SUMPIN NICE FOR VIRGINIA, SHE ENTERED AN ESSAY CONTEST, HOPIN' TO WIN AN EVENING DRESS.

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SHE HADN'T A CHANCE ON EARTH—SO I BOUGHT HER A DRESS MYSELF.

## WINE!

LOOK WOT I FOUND DOWNSTAIRS VIRGINIA—IT SAYS FIRST PRIZE.

## By ROY CRANE

SEE, HERE'S ANOTHER EVENING DRESS, WITH A LETTER FROM THE COMPANY CONGRATULATING ME.

## ALLEY OOP

ALL RIGHT, OOP—GIT THIS CRITTER'S MOUTH OPEN SO'S I CAN GIVE 'IM HIS MEDICINE!

## Dinny Is Next

NOW DON'T BE ALARMED, OOP—THE EFFECT OF THIS MAY BE A BIT DRABSTIC—BUT IT'S OUR ONLY HOPE!

## GEE, THIS STUFF SURE PACKS A WALLOP!

FOOZY ONLY TOOK A FEW DROPS AN' IT KNOCKED HIM RIGHT THRU 'TH WALL... WOW!

## OH, WELL—I CAN'T FOOL AROUND ANY LONGER!

IF I'M GONNA GIT OL' DINNY BACK ON HIS FEET...

## MYRA NORTH, SPECIAL NURSE

GREAT WORK, BOYS—I SHOULDN'T BE SURPRISED IF YOU RATED A COUPLE OF CONGRESSIONAL MEDALS FOR THIS MORNING'S WORK!

## Last Trick Goes to Cardell

HEY! CARDELL JUST PICKED HIS ASIN WITH SOMETHIN'!

## PLEASE DON'T EXCITE YOURSELF!

MY CLEVER LITTLE NURSE, IT'S AN OLD TRICK—A POISON THORN FROM THE AMAZON FOR WHICH THERE IS NO ANTIDOTE. IN TEN MINUTES I SHALL BE QUITE DEAD.

## MAYBE IT'S JUST A RUSE, MISS...

NO BOYS—THIS JUST A RUSE. MISS... WE'VE WON THE GAME BUT THE LAST TRICK GOES TO HIM!

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

I ALMOST DIDN'T COME! I NEARLY TURNED BACK IN THE MIDDLE OF THE LAKE!

## Economically Inclined!

I WAS SORT OF BATTLING MY CONSCIENCE! YOU SEE, I HAVE A GIRL BACK HOME IN SHADYSIDE!

## UH-HUH! THEN I GOT TO THINKING...

THAT SINCE THIS WAS ONLY SUMMER VACATION, IT WOULDN'T HURT TO SEE ANOTHER GIRL!

## AND BESIDES, A GYPSY FORTUNE TELLER...

CHARGED ME 35¢ TO TELL ME I'D DATE YOU THIS SUMMER, AND WHO AM I TO KICK THIRTY-FIVE CENTS AROUND?

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YEOWSAH, MISTAH MAJAH! YOU BETTAH BUY 'BOUT FREE DOZEN BALLS—TAKE ON A SATURDAY NIGHT—DEY'LL BE SIX ER SEBEN PEOPLE WAITIN' TO CHUCK DEM BALLS AT MAH HAID—AN' DE CUSTOMERS, DEY LIKE TO PICK OUT THEIR AMMUNITION AHEAD OB TIME!

## with MAJOR HOOPLE

MY WORD, JASON! ONLY THREE DOZEN?—FUFF—F— THAT NUMBER MAY HAVE SUFFICED UNDER YOUR FORMER MANAGEMENT, BUT WHEN I REALLY BEAR DOWN ON MY BALLYHOONS—HAW! WE SHALL HAVE A HUNDRED MEN IN LINE ANXIOUS TO MATCH THEIR SKILL AGAINST YOURS—FAM, JASON!—WE HAD BETTER PROCURE 300 BALLS TO SUPPLY THEM!

## OUT OUR WAY

NOW, YOU SPEAR THAT FORK IN TH HAM AN' HOLD IT WHILE I CUT OFF A FEW SLICES—HOW MANY DO YOU WANT?

## By J. R. WILLIAMS

IT'D FORK THE HAM OUT HERE BUT IT MIGHT SLIP OFF AND FALL IN THE VARNISH.

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## FLAPPER FANNY

By Sylvia

"And what's this one?"—"Please pay something on account?"  
 "Guess he means an account of you owe him the money?"

## Hold Everything!

"A fine time you pick to wrestle with your conscience!"

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**Political Announcements**

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary Run-off election Saturday, August 27, 1938.

For District Judge:  
**CECIL C. COLLINGS** (Of Howard County)  
**PAUL MOSS** (Of Ector County)

For District Attorney:  
**BOYD LAUGHLIN** (Of Midland County)  
**MARTELL McDONALD** (Of Howard County)

For Representative:  
**JAMES H. GOODMAN** (Of Midland County)  
**CLYDE BRADFORD** (Of Ward County) Re-Election

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 3:  
**B. T. GRAHAM** Re-Election  
**J. C. BROOKS**



### Tell of Strike Church Pressure



Pressures and conflicts incident to the "Little Steel" strike were felt inside the Plymouth Congregational Church at Youngstown, O., testified the Rev. Orville C. Jones, lower photo, then its pastor, in hearings before the Senate Civil Liberties Committee in Washington. Frank Purcell, top, president of Youngstown Sheet and Tube Co., testified that he ceased his regular contributions and only resumed them after the Rev. Jones had left the church. Other pressure on Youngstown ministers was outlined.

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### Seven Year Drouth Cycle Seems Broken; No Recurrence Soon

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10. (U.P.)—The generally dry cycle that lasted from 1930 through 1936 may be at an end, according to J. B. Kincaid of the U. S. Weather Bureau. He bases his prediction on plentiful rains this year following those in 1937.

"This suggests the possibility," Kincaid said, "that the long drouth that has been in progress since immediately ahead may bring more adequate rainfall to the country."

He compared the 1936-37 drouth with the one that extended from about 1896 through 1905. Following that period of deficient moisture came a series of years—1896 through 1909—when rainfall was generally abundant.

The first half of 1938 was outstanding for its precipitation. About 80 per cent of the United States had more than normal rainfall. The country as a whole averaged 12 per cent above normal. All states, excepting the tier extending from New York to Florida, and Louisiana and North Dakota, and Washington had above-normal rainfall.

The eastern tier of states, comparatively dry until about the middle of July, had abundant to excessive rainfall, with damaging floods in the latter part of July. The South also had heavy rainfall, with more or less local flood damage. This condition, described by the Weather Bureau as rare in the history of America, and the abundant moisture last year, were in marked contrast with conditions in 1934 and 1935, with their widespread deficiencies in rain.

From January to June, 1936, the great central part of the country

did not have normal precipitation. Missouri and Arkansas, for example, had only 49 and 43 per cent, respectively, of normal rainfall. This great dry belt covered 25 states.

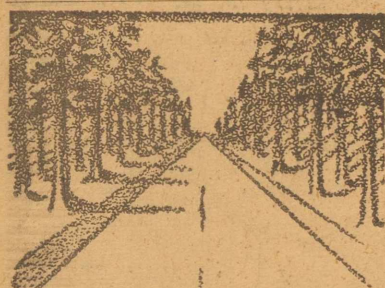
In the same period in 1937 only 10 states were without normal rainfall, as follows: New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Mississippi, North Dakota and Washington.

**Last Year Equally Wet.**

For the same period in 1937 a like number of states lacked normal precipitation. They were: Michigan, Wisconsin, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Colorado, Montana and Nevada.

In comparison with the wet years following the drouth of the 1890s, only six states were recorded with below-normal precipitation. They were: Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, Arizona, New Mexico and California.

The dry states in the drouth of 1886-1895 were: West Virginia, Ohio, Kentucky, Florida, Mississippi, Tennessee, Indiana, Missouri, Arkansas, Oklahoma, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana, Idaho, Utah, Colorado, New Mexico, Arizona and Wyoming.



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### Texas U. President Declares School Not "Rolling in Wealth"

AUSTIN—Contrary to what seems to be almost common belief by the people of this state, the University of Texas is far from "rolling in wealth," declared J. W. Calhoun, acting president of that institution, in a recent address before a local luncheon club. In fact, the financial situation, as it affects the teaching staff and student body is so acute as to demand the earnest attention of all persons who are interested in the university's progress, Calhoun pointed out. The erroneous belief of the wealth of the university is due to the large income of its permanent endowment fund that it has received from oil from its lands. None of this permanent fund can be spent.

Calhoun explained that the institution is dependent for running expenses on legislative appropriation. He said that there were far too many students for the present faculty and that money for research and graduate work was badly needed.

"I'm tired of hearing that the university should be the best in the South—unless you mean south of the north pole," he declared. "Why not the best in the country? But remember you'll get the sort of educational institution you are willing to pay for, and you needn't think you'll do much better. For a state that owns 53 per cent of all known petroleum reserves, to say that it can't afford an educational institution of the sort it needs is nonsense. Texas is able to have any kind of educational system it needs."

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"The acting president pointed out that while the university has a substantial endowment, probably the largest of any state institution in the country, which it shares with A. & M. college, it is not available for running expenses. That endowment, he stated, amounts to approximately \$40,000,000, including \$10,000,000 worth of land in West Texas. The university borrowed from this several years ago \$4,000,000 for a building program.

"We are paying this debt off at the rate of \$500,000 a year," he explained, "from income of invested bonds, which is just enough to meet the annual payments. It will not be paid back until about 1944."

Four years ago, he added, the university borrowed \$1,200,000 from the Public Works Administration and secured a grant of \$433,000 to build the new administration-library building.

"Security for this loan," he said, "comes from the income from grazing leases. The debt will be paid off about 1947."

Stating that the physical plant is the "only thing as good as we need" at the university, he added that it had been planned for a student body of 10,000, which mark was reached the last long term.

Calhoun pointed out as a "first need" at the university "a more numerous faculty."

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Outlining some of the benefits of research, such as possible development of new uses for cotton or natural gas, which he said in Texas is going to waste, Calhoun pointed out the function of a university in providing for such things.

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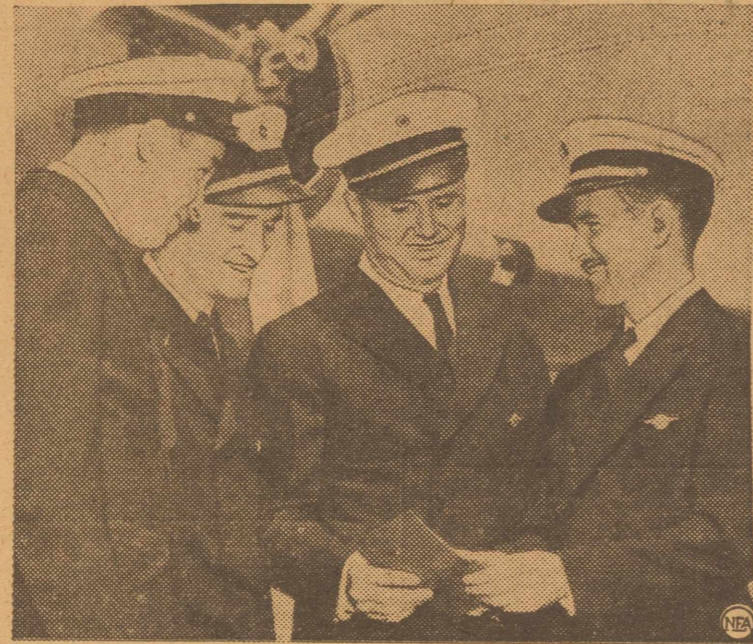
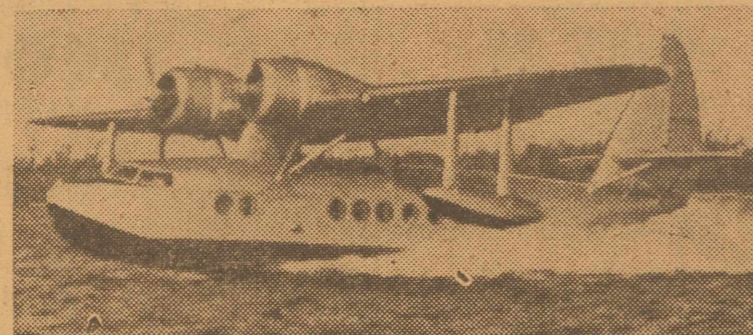
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### To Blaze U. S.-Alaska Sky Trail



The "baby Clipper" shown in top photo on a flight from Miami to Seattle is soon to make test flights between Seattle and Juneau, Alaska, preparatory to inauguration of regular service to Alaska. Members of the crew shown in lower photo are, left to right: Communications Officer Earl Martin, Engineer John Donnell, First Flight Officer Norman Gentry, and Capt. John Mat's. Captain Mattis will direct the survey flights.

### East Is Best



Gwen Wong, 14-year-old crack pitcher of the "Thirty-Niners," feminine softball team of San Francisco, winds up for a blazing toss. The girls are advertising the Golden Gate International Exposition by wearing sleeve emblems while barnstorming in California.

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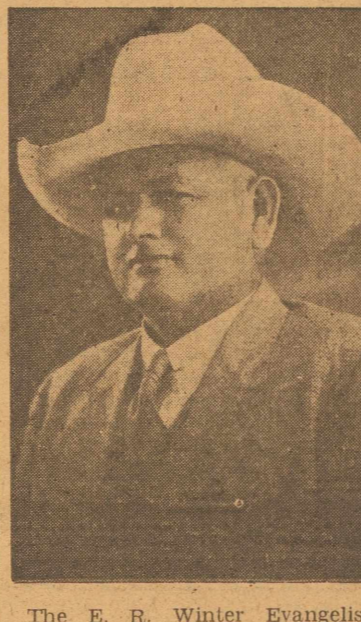
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### Cowboy Preacher To Hold Meeting



The E. R. Winter Evangelistic Party of Coleman, Texas, will begin a revival in open air at Assembly of God church 510 S. Baird St. Friday August 12th at 8:15 p. m. Pastor M. E. Stubblefield has announced.

Rev. Winter widely known Prophetic Preacher has conducted many successful revivals in the south the past 14 years, and is known for his straight gospel preaching. He is an ex cowboy and West Texas peace officer.

His group of gospel singers is said to be leading the field in gospel singing and includes Mrs. Winter, singer, a son W. H. (Bill) who is choir leader, a daughter, Edna, Earl who is a musician and Miss Mary Nell Sturgeon, musician and singer.

The first week of the campaign, the evangelist will speak from text in Acts 15:18—"Known unto God are all his works from the beginning of the world." He will deal with the three classes of the Bible: the Jew, the Gentile, the Church.

"The subject will bring us down through the ages to where we are living today and show from the word of God that the Tribulation, Anti-Christ, and Armageddon are very near," Mr. Stubblefield said in discussing the meeting.

The public is invited to attend the revival which will continue until July 28.

### ROBERT YOUNG



Jerked sodas for living in Los Angeles. Once labored with pick and shovel on movie lots.

Likes fast sports such as rough tennis and hand ball.

### Tucumcari Racing Meet Opens Aug. 18

TUCUMCARI, N. M., Aug. 10. — With a standard half-mile track in perfect condition, and seating capacity at Tucumcari Stadium's grandstand increased to accommodate 2,500 fans, plans for the opening of a seven-day horse racing meet here August 18 are taking form. More than 150 of the fastest horses obtainable from a wide area of more than six different states will compete for a purse of \$3,000 during the event.

The first of its kind in New Mexico, the racing event will feature the recently adopted pari-mutual plan. At least seven races each day have been arranged, and will feature seven or more horses according to C. E. Groves, presiding steward and secretary of the show.

The event will be operated under the rules of the New Mexico Racing Commission.

### PWA Advances Its Building Program

WASHINGTON, Aug. 10 (AP)—The PWA advanced its program to \$1,150,614,000 worth of construction today, with an announcement work was under way on the first of 12 non-federal projects. Thirty-nine more non-federal projects were approved today, totaling nearly \$3,000,000.

### Rodeo Shirts for Grocery Employees

Rodeo shirts and neckerchiefs were bought by W. B. Simpson, proprietor of the M System grocery, today for all employees of his store. The shirts were of various colors, the "reddest" being bought in "tent size" for Hy Wright, proprietor of the market. The men will wear them regularly from Monday, Aug. 22, until the rodeo.

### Collections Drop at Texas Port of Entry

UVALDE (AP)—Collections in the 23rd (San Antonio) customs district for the fiscal year ended June 30, totaled \$1,211,699.69, a decrease of \$126,655 over the previous year, according to the annual report of Collector Harry P. Hornby of Uvalde. The decrease, Hornby said, was due to the shipment of cattle in bond from Eagle Pass to the El Paso district, duties being collected when the cattle are released in that district.

Eagle Pass, with collections totalling \$471,287.89, led the district, due largely to the cattle importations through that port. Laredo was second with collections of \$371,371.26. Fort Worth showed collections of \$470,34.60.

The Port of Corpus Christi tripled collections of the previous year, or from \$52,643 to \$155,208, tax being paid on 899,093 gross tons.

In traffic across the border, 48,960 more vehicles entered than the year before, making a total of 899,328, compared with 850,368 the previous year. Automobiles crossing numbered 786,424 and the number of passengers totalled 3,957,885, a gain of 83,421. A total of 1,718,646 pedestrians crossed into the United States.



Dr. Herbert Prytherch, director of the U. S. Fisheries Laboratory at Beaufort, N. C., poses his lance in hand as he prepares to submerge while goggle-fishing at Cape Lookout, N. C. The goggle-fisherman goes beneath the surface and with waterproof eye protection spears his basketful.

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### Boys' Class Has Swim, Supper Party

Mrs. S. T. Cole's class of boys in the Junior department of the Baptist Sunday school was entertained with a swimming party and supper at the J. G. Arnett home north of town Tuesday evening.

Leon Arnett and Mrs. Pearl Blair transported the boys to the Arnett home where swimming opened the evening's program.

Afterward a fried chicken supper with accompaniments was served on the lawn. Mrs. Arnett was assisted in the serving by her two daughters.

Class members present were: Garrett Arnett, Billy Baldrige, Billy Carter, Clifton Patrick, Otis Richmond, Morris Howell, Bobble Baker, Louis Nicol, Edward Stevens, Lewis Wingo.

Among the other members of the class now out of town are: Alan Dee Crane who is spending the summer at Cloudcroft, N. M., with his mother and brothers; Guy Tom Cowden who is on the ranch; Le-Grant Dougherty who is with his mother visiting his grandfather at Lamesa; James Kerr who is visiting an aunt; Billie Ross Ritshell who is visiting at Lorraine; Billy Ponder who is on a trip with his mother; Billy Ryan who is in camp at Estes Park, Colo.

### Webb County School Land Is Leased Out

LAREDO (AP)—The commissioners court recently approved lease of 9,000 acres of Webb county school land to a major oil company at 25 cents an acre annual rental, plus a bonus of \$3,150. The revenue will go into the sinking fund of the county schools.

The tract is located in the northwestern portion of the county near the Rio Grande and adjoins the Dunbar and James ranches. It is expected the lessee will test for oil. No development work has been done in that portion of the county.

### Caprock Counties to Make 400,000 Bales

LUBBOCK (AP)—Sixteen South Plains counties atop the caprock should produce more than 400,000 bales of cotton this year, V. O. Jennings, cotton expert here, estimates. His prediction was made after careful study of crop conditions through July 27.

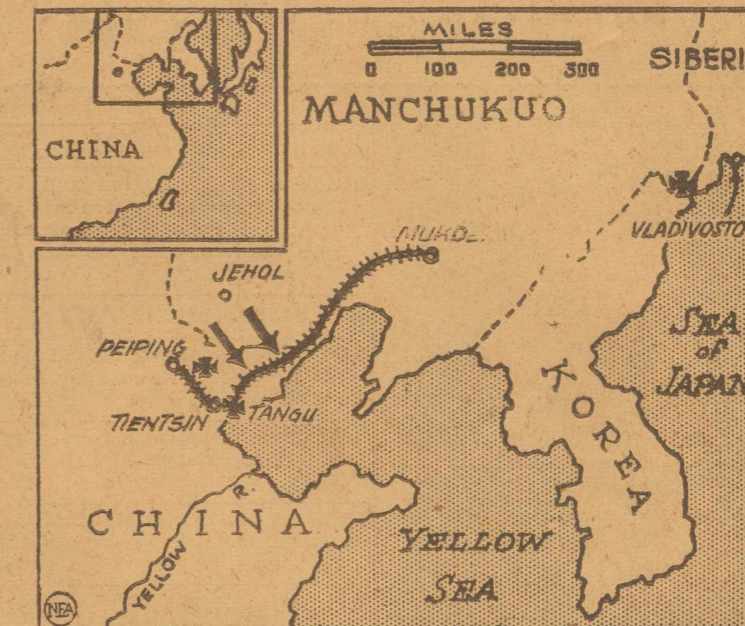
In his opinion, Lynn county would lead with a probable yield of 60,000 bales. He placed Lubbock county second with 55,000 bales; Crosby third with 52,000; Dawson and Lamb third for fourth with 45,000, and Hockley sixth with 42,000. Jennings said crops were 10 to 30 days late.

### Postoffice Delivers Card, "E. J. P. Y. N. Y., U. S. A."

PENNYAN, N. Y. (U.P.)—The Postoffice department chalked up another correct solution of a puzzling address by delivering a card sent to "E. J. P. Y. N. Y., USA."

The card mailed from Balbeck, Syria, was delivered to E. J. Walker, of Penn Yan. The recipient said it had been mailed by his friend, Dr.

### Where Reds Imperil Jap Conquest



New difficulties for Japan in her Chinese adventure are indicated on the map above. The cross at upper right shows where heavy fighting between Japanese and Russian troops has broken out on the Siberian-Manchukuan border. Yet in the Peiping area, "conquered" a year ago, peace has not yet been established. At points indicated by the crosses, guerrilla attacks by Chinese Communist troops and armed farmers threaten in an area indicated by arrows the vital railway linking Peiping and Tientsin with Mukden in Manchukuo. This railway is one of the chief supply lines for the Japanese military machine. The small inset shows the position in relation to China of the area covered in the large map.

### Personals

Mrs. Gene Boeckman of Dallas and son, Duncan, are house guests of Mrs. R. C. Tucker.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Cooper returned Tuesday from Fort Worth where they had been called to the bedside of their son, Robert. At first thought seriously ill, the patient was reported improved at the time of his parents' return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rosenbaum, their daughter, Joyce, and Mrs. Rosenbaum's mother, Mrs. J. H. Fine, left today for Indiana where they will visit friends and relatives. Mrs. Fine will continue on to New Jersey for a visit.

Minister Harvey Childress of the Church of Christ is conducting a meeting in South Texas, near Corpus Christi. Mr. Childress has gone to Dallas to visit relatives and plans to join him before his return.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Greene and G. Howard Leader, while the latter was on a trip to Egypt,

family returned Tuesday from an extended vacation trip. Mrs. Greene visited in Wyoming and when joined by Mr. Greene the party traveled to Yellowstone park.

### Fishermen Finding 'Paradise' Easier

BROWNVILLE (AP)—The fabulous Seventh Pass, fisherman's paradise on the coast of Mexico one hundred miles south of here, is rapidly being put within reach of all fishermen, as means of crossing the passes between here and the Seventh are worked out.

For years the only way to cross the passes was on the "land scoops" devised and operated by Vincent Stevenson of Brownsville.

Stevenson and other fishermen now are using barges which have been built at the three intervening passes, the First, the Third, and the Fourth. The Second, Fifth, and Sixth passes are closed.

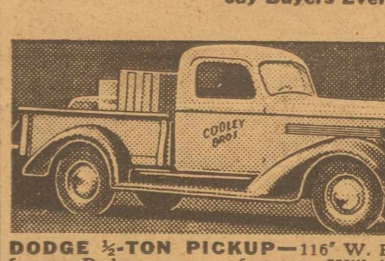
Anglers catch large numbers of trout, snook, and redfish at the Seventh and Eighth Passes, and the fish all are considerably larger than those caught on the Texas coast, the average size of trout caught being about four pounds.

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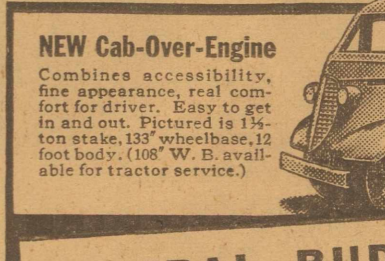
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